### **Field and Track Events Slated For** Saturday

If the weather will permit, the annual field and track events of the Dickens County Interscholastic League will be Saturday of this week. The district meet is at Lubbock Friday and Saturday of next week and the county winners must be selected before that date in some manner. The events will be held at the stadium according to the following schedule, the weather to be taken into consid-

Program for High School 9:30 120 yards high hurdles

Pole vault 9:45 100 yard dashes 10:15 50 yard dashes 10:30 Running high jump

440 yard run 11:00 200 yard low hurdles 12 pound shot put

11:15 440 yards relay Running broad jump 11:30 880 yard dash Pull (chinning bar)

12:00-1:00 Lunch 1:00 220 yards dash Discus throw 1:30 1 mile run

2:00 Mile relay Program For Ward and Rural Schools All ward and rural school contests will be held on the grounds just north of the new high school building. Mr.

Freeman will be in charge there. 9:30 50 yard dash 10:00 Pull up (chinning bar) 10:15 100 yards dash 10:30 Running high jump

11:00 440 yards relay 11:30 Running broad jump Mr. Banowsky will be the official in charge of the jumping pit at the

Mr. Thorton will be the official in charge of the Discus throw, shot put and chinning bar.

Coaches please have your men ready on time. We will draw for lanes. Bring some competent judges with you and help us to keep the track clear. Melvin Bivens, Director of Athletics

### Try Potatoes For Seed

First Texas experiment in growing potatoes for seed will be started this spring on the high plains, Dr. A. W. Young, head professor of plant industry at Texas Tech, said recently. Plans for seven growers to begin seed potato growing were approved at the West Texas meeting of certified seed growers on Texas Tech campus last

Test plots will be planted at Hereford, Texline, Olton and Plainview, Young said. Standards for growers have been written to comply with the field seed certification law in Texas.

"Although 50,000 acres of potatoes were grown in Texas for table use last State Convention year," he explained, "this is the state's first experiment in growing them for seed. Seed for stock will be briught from other approved states -Montana, Idaho, and possibly the

The high plains were chose by the state seed and plant board for the tests because it is a high, dry, relatively cool region, which means potatoes may be raised here free from disease than in wetter areas. Irrigation is a necessary part of the plan.

"Average yield ought to be around 200 bags per acre',' Young said. 'Average price per 100-pound bag for potatoes sold as food is \$1.25. Seed potatoes that are certified bring more than double this price."

#### **Deputy State** Superintendent Here Next Week

Deputy State Superintendent Anthony Hupnt will be \_\_in the county next week visiting schools. He will visit tie schools at Dickens Monday, and will go to Patton Springs uesday. He will be at McAdoo Wednesday. Thursday he will visit the rural schools making Dry Lake, Red Mud, Wichita. Friday he will spend the day with Spur schools.

In all these visits he will be accompanied by the County Superintendent, O. L. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lambert, of Mc-He arrived March 21 and weighed Socii, men's social organization. eight pounds. They have not found a name for him yet.

### Will Make Meeting

O. C. Thomas of Spur City Schools and County Superintendent O. L. Kelley will attend a school meeeting at Temple April 10. This meeting has been called by State Superintendent Woods for the purpose of discussing the merits and demerits of a 12-grade system of schools in Texas. The plan s to have eight grades below the high school division.

### Planning Committee **Organized**

Members designed for the Land Use Planning Committee for Dickens County held a meeting at the Court House Friday and completed an organization. The following officers were selected:

Chairman Lee Mimms. Vice chairman, Mrs. F. B. Crockett. Secretary ,Mrs. Floyd Barnett.

R. R. Wooten, former chairman and president of the Dickens County Agricultural Association, made a very interesting talk on farm organizations. A group of farmers made up of two

from each community, were appointed a special committee to plan work for the Dickens County Farm Bureau for 1941. These have been notified to meet at the Court House next Wednesday. March 26, to work out plans.

The new president led in a discussion on community problems in Dickens County. Many problems were enumerated and will form a basis for a plan of work for the communi-

In addition the farmers at the meeting there were representatives of the Soil Conservation Service, among whom was F. E. Tutt of Abilene; the Farm Security Administration repre-Winston and Miss Ruth Peden; the Home Demonstration Department by Miss Henrietta Perrin; the County Agricultural office by Mack Woodrum, the Spur Farm Loan Association by James B. Reed, and the Spur Security Bank by W. T. Andrews who stated he was sure the Spur Civic Club would cooperate in any manner

### Two Inches of Rain In Eight Days

Beginning with Tuesday, March 18, and concluding with Tuesday night, March 25, the Spur country had received two inches of rainfall according to reports given out by the Spur Experiment Station.

March 18 there registered .12 of March 21-22 there was 1.25 inches

March 25, there was .63 inches. This gives Spur country the best soil moisture condition it has had in

# **Officials Attend**

The Commissioner and County Judge of Dickens County attended the convention of County Judges and Commissioners at Wichita Falls the last of the week. They are greatly interested in certain proposed laws now which will affect the county greatly, if passed. One of these is a bill to looking over the work of the local Spur. etxend the privilege of bond assump- offices. She was a guest of Mrs. tion to include bonds voted since 1939. If this bill passes it will cost Dickens County more than \$5,000 an-

The County Commissioners and the Judge voted with the convention in favoring the bill for redistricting TAOS, N. M., CLAIMS FIRST Texas for representation in the Leg- NEWSPAPER IN SOUTHWEST islature.

Also, the convention went on record as favoring the establishing of a park at Big Bend.

The Court felt that the convention was worthwhile and that it was time well spent.

### Two Spur Boys Get College Recognition

John Joe Costolow, freshman arts and sciences student at Texas Technological college, recently became a member of Los Camaradas, men's social organization.

John Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Costolow of Spur.

Elmer Adams, junior engineering student at Texas Technological col-Adoo, have a new son in their home. lege, recently became a member of

Elmer is the eson of Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of Spur.

### Draft Boards Don't **Want Compensation**

The State Selective Service Head-quarters have received word that an Be Elected The State Selective Service Headorganization is being promoted for the purpose of securing compensation for all County Draft Boards. Some one seems to be sponsoring this movement, according to information sent out by General J. Watt Page. Several Draft oBards have sent in their refusal of any such compensation.

A statement from Draft Board No. 7 in Dallas County was to the effect, that when they accepted their places on the Draft Board that it was understood there was to be no compensation. "We do not want any, and will refuse to accept it if offered."

The Draft Board in Dickens County say they want to render this service to their country without any compen-

General Page stated that such attitude of service by Draft Boards 'seems like typical Texas patriotism."

### G. W. Grimes **Improving**

G. W. Grimes, who was injured in a car accident last Friday evening, was brought home from a Lubbock hospital Sunday and seems to be improving very nicely.

Mr. Grimes was injured about his head and neck in a car accident about three miles north of Asperment and seven o'clock Friday evening. He had been driving quite a while and was very tired. It seems he temporarily went to sleep and his car turned over, giving him some very painful injuries at the base of the neck. It was thought his neck might be broken unsented by J. O. Winslar, Mrs. Stella til after an X-Ray examination was

People passing took Mr. Grimes to Asperment where friends were notified of his condition. H. Va Link brought him to the Alexander Hospital here where an examination was made. It was thought best to take him to Lubbock and an ambulance was secured for this. He had improved until Mrs. Grimes could bring him home Sunday. It is going to require time, but conditions seem to be greatly in his favor now.

## **Spur Population**

The population of Dickens County as released by the Census Bureau, Department of Interior, for the census of 1940, is 7,847. This is considerably less than the census of the county in 1930 which was 8,678.

The population of Spur for the 1940 census is 2,136. Spur gained some during the decenium as it rated only ,986 in 1930 census.

The census taking caught Dickens County in about the worst condition bly the City of Spur, or the Spur Civic Club can make a survey when times get normal and see just how our. city will rate then.

### Welfare Worker Here Last Week

Miss Ruby Jean Williams, Field Representative of the State Public Weaver while here. She and Mrs. Weaver went to Post Friday afternoon, and Miss Williams stated she had to be in Eastland at a meeting Friday night,

Taos, N. M.—Taos, third oldest city in the United States, is credited in an article in the Taoseno-Aaso Review with being the "cradle of newspaperdom" in the western sector of the United States.

Since the first newspaper in Taos was set up by Padre Martinez in 1860, 12 newspapers have been published there. Padre Martinez brought his press and type from Mexico via mule.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Smith, of Patton Springs, are the proud parents of a new daughter, born March 25. The little lady has been named Carol Anne, and weighed nine pounds.

Polly Ann, a seven pounce daughter, made her appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pierce of Spur, FOR STREET COMMISSIONER: March 24. Mother and daughter are doing fine.

# **Three County Trustees To**

At the election for trustees for schools and the county, which will be held Saturday, April 5, there will be three members of the County Board to be elected. The term of Frank Speer, who is member at large expires and he is being talked of for re-election. Also, the name of G. W. Bennett has been mentioned for the

The term of W. F .Ragland who is the member from Precinct No. 2 expires at this time. The people are talking of electing him for another

The term of Charlie McLaughlin, who is the member from Precinct No. 1, expires at this time. It is not known whether he will offer for reelection, or will remain with his home school as a member of the board there. David McAteer is being talked of for the

### Red Hill Rabbit Drive A Good One

The big rabbit drive held in Red Hill community last week seemed to have been a great success. There was an average of about 80 guns throughout the day and the largest crowd ever had a rabit drive.

The people wish to thank every one who took part in the drive. Especially do they thank the ladies who prepared the fine dinner, the Spur Bakery for the bread and the pies furnished, and O. P. Meadows who furnished the coffee.

### **Choral Singing At Dickens Friday Night**

The choral singing contests for the County Interscholastic League work were held in Dickens Friday night. Patton Springs was awarded ers in the United States according first place by the judges. Spur Junior to their show records. The Spur hogs High club won second place, McAdoo, are of his stock and were second only third place; and Dickens fourth place. Spur East Ward, which included nothing above fourth grade, was given

In rural schools Dry Lake was first and Wichita second.

Spur Senior High choral club and Patton Springs were judged, but were not eligible for the contest. No rating was given them.

### Stock Should Be Off Wheat April 1

The County Committee, after studying conditions, feel that wheat carrying insurance, should not be pastured after April 1. It will be better for the farmers who expect to harvest their wheat to remove all stock by that in its history. It is hoped that possi- date as this will insure them a much better yield.

### Men Selected For Next Call

The County Draft Board has made selection of men who will be included in the next call which is April 3. There will be only two that will go before the Texas Legislature and Welfare Association, spent a day or These will be Alfred Daniel Lee of two in our city the last of the week Dickens, and Stanley Allen Russell of

Merle Swan, Dennis Albert Rasberry and E. J. Bilberry, Jr.

The Board reports that should any other young men desire to enlist for one year of service, that now is a very good time to do so.

NOTICE

The Farm Security Administration will be closed all day, Wednesday and the work and assisted the degree all day Thursday, April 2nd and 3rd, team greatly. Then she made a very due to the fact that we are having a fine talk on the fraternity and its district meeting in Wichita Falls. The mission in the world. office will be closed and there will be no one n the office during these ens were present for the meeting, and

OFFICIAL BALLOT CITY OF SPUR ELECTION April 1, 1941

FOR MAYOR: Dr. M. H. Brannen

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER: M. H. Costolow Roy Stovall

George Sloan

### Sending Out More Questionnaires

The County Draft Board sent out fifty more questionnaires this week for those in the draft age to fill out and return. It appears that quite a number have lawful exemption by having dependents or families to support. However, up to this time every selectee that has been called has been a volunteer in the service, which speaks very fine for our young men.

### Spur Boy Shows **Champion Lamb** At Lubbock

J. R. Stanley, Spur FFA member, showed the first prize in the fine wool lamb division in the South Plains Junior Fat Stock held in Lubbock Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. He competed with about 80 other entries. According to Ray C. Mowery, who was judge, the lamb was the best in ecent years.

Clarence Ward's lamb placed elevnth in the same division.

The Spur boys placed very high vith their hog entries. The placings vere as follows:

Light Chester Whites-Boyd Ball, econd; Max Alexander, third; Boyd Ball, sixth; Max Alexander, eighth; C. A. Denson was thenth.

Heavy Chester Whites-Bob Farrell was second; and C. A. Denson was fourth in the show. Glenn McDaniels placed fourth with

ight Durocs. Alex Fry was fourth with light Hampshires, and took third place with

heavy Hampshires. The Judge had difficulty in placing the heavy Chester White class in which Bob Farrell's barrow placed second. After placing the Heath barrow over Bob's, the Heath barrow was Supt Kelly Speaks hen placed as grand champion of the show.

E. D. Heath, of Hale Center, is one of the leading Chester White breed-

### Spur Boys to Enter **Judging Contest**

Twelve members of the Spur Chapter of Future Farmers of America will enter the second division of the Texas Tech judging contest next Saturday. They will take part in three divisions-crops, horticulture and poultry.

The team members will be: Crops - Harland Weaver, Eldon Smith, Homer Ray Smith and Walter Foreman, alternate.

Horticulture - Boyd Ball, Billie Smith, Virgil Rogers, and Charlie Paul Harris, alternate.

Poultry - Jimmie Vernon, Jimmie Draper, Preston Smith, and Pat Flet-

These teams are striving to win the sweepstakes which was their honor last year.

### **Deputy Grand** Matron Visits Spur

cher, alternate.

Mrs. Thelma Bairfield, of Clarendon, Deputy Grand Matron of District Two of Section Five, was in our There are yet three volunteers left city meeting with the local Chapter after the next call. They are Luther of the Order of Eastern Star Thursday. The local members gave a dinner in her honor at the Spur Inn at seven o'clock where greetings were exchanged and work of the chapter talked over.

The Eastern Star Chapter was called to order later at the hall where the degree work was exhibited. Mrs. Bairfield gave some instructions about

Members from Dumont and Dickpd. everybody seems to have enjoyed a

### Final Report on 1940 Cotton Crop

According to the report from the Bureau of Statistics at Washington Dickens County produced 13,031 bales of cotton in 1940. This was above the 1939 production which was 11,594

was 4,436 and for 1939 the production

### Spur Will Enter State **Band Contest**

The Spur School Band is making preparation to enter the State Band Contest which will be Thursday, Fri., and Saturday, April 3-5. It is expected that about fifty bands will be in this contest from all parts of Texas and some from New Mexico. Amarillo is the host city for the contest this

The Spur band is in practice every lay marching and drilling, and playing while marching. The band will play three selections before the convention, one selection being required and they have their choice of three other selections. Spur Band will enter in Class B this year as they have always done. Several other bands which have been competing against Spur have gone back to Class BB which is one class lower, but Spur Band is working to hold up the standard and not just

to win honors. Last year Spur Band was classed second in the State contest and went on to the national contest where they made a good showing. This year they hope to hold up the record they have made in former years and are going to try for greater honors.

In addition to the School Band entering the contest there are a numper of individual members who will enter for solo work. Among these

Wade Gilbert, clarinet. Pete Dobbins, Baritone. Pike Dobbins, Cornet. Henry Gruben, Trombone. James Victor Allen, Saxophone. Clarinet quartette, Wade Gilbert, Betty Jo Barnett, Lou Emma Shugart and Pat Christal.

# To High School

County Superintendent O. L. Keley was the speaker at the High School for the assembly Wednesday morning. His talk was about interesting events of his trip back east last month. He spoke about his visit with Congressman Mahon and his privilege of attending a session of

the Congress. He told about Atlantic City as a great convention city of America and its fine auditorium which cost \$15,-000,000. He related his experience on the Seashore drive to New York and the Pulaski Bridge which extends from New Jersey across into New York City. Also, he related many things about New York and especially emphasized about the Rockefeller Center in New York which really is a city within itself.

He related many things which speakers emphasized at the National Education convention in Atlantic City and named a great number of the speakers. His angle on the war situation as found in Washington was of great interest. His address was enpoyed very much by the students.

### Workers Conference At Dry Lake April 3

The next meeting of the Dickens County Baptist Workers conference will be held with the Dry Lake Baptist Church Saturday, April 3. It is the desire of the Dry Lake church that there be a good representation of all the churches in the Dickens County Baptist Association.

The following is the program out-

Thursday Morning 10:00 Song and Prayer, Rev. R. M.

Parsley. 10:15 My Favorite Devotional, Rev. J. D. Badley. 10:30 My Favorite Evangelistic

Message, Rev. Dock Love. 11:05 Special Music. 11:15 My Favorite Doctrinal Ser-

mon. Rev. J. W. Grizzle. 12:00 Lunch. 1:30 W. M. U. and Board Meeting. 2:00 Devotional. Rev. J. V. Bil-

2:15 A Vacation Bible School in Every Church, Rev. C. R. Joyner. 2:45 Our Summer Evangelistic Campaign. Rev. J. Lowell Ponder.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Paul, of Afton, have had Tommie Jean with them Kent County production for 1940 since March 21. She weighed six pounds and seems to be getting along

### FOODS CLOVER FARM STORES MEATS

FINE FOODS AT LOWER PRICES This Sale Friday-Saturday, March 28-29

Clover Farm, 2 No. 21/2 cans Soap, 3 b. 13c Pears.

Chili, lb.

Sausage lb 15c

Chops, lb. Steak, lb. Oysters pt 290

Box Straw
Berries, pt. 15c Medium Size

Celery

Texas Seedless, 2 dozen **Oranges** 

Apples, doz 1 Oc

Lemons d. 10c

Clover Farm Coffee, 1 lb. tin ..... 25c

Red Cup Coffee, 1 lb package .....15c

### **Possum Kingdom Dam Gaining Head of Water**

The last outlet of the Possum Kingdom Dam, near Mineral Wells, was closed Thursday afternoon, and now water is piling up behind the great wall forming a great lake section in the Brazos Valley. R. D. Collins, assistant managing engineer for the great construction, wired Dr. M. H. Brannen late Thursday afternoon that the last bucket of concrete had been poured at 5:30 o'Clock, closing the

up stream opening. This large dam is closely located to Mineral Wells, Graford and Graham, and is destined to be the location of the main picnic grounds of West Texas. A 7000-Acre park has been located near its banks which the federal government has taken over and will keep up. Whatever expenses will be need to make this park a beautiful place will be furnished from national funds.

reservoir for several thousand acres of fine farming lands, and different concerns are placing their requisitions for water rights with the Brazos Valley Board. Large dynamos have been installed which will generate millions of Kilowatts of electrical power. This power has been leased to the Rural Electrification Administration and will be carried by high lines all over West Texas. The electrical power will be generated from the wa-

ter power from the dam. The project starts out as a revenue bearing project from now on, and what it will develop into as the years come is beyond the vision of the present generation. The Brazos River has quite a flow of water at that point, and once the valley has been filled enjoy a picnic a little later on. with water, there will be plenty and to spare for whatever it may be need-

The project serving as a water conservation project will mean a great deal to the beautiful valley lands farther down the river. The great floods which have been ruining crops will be checked a great deal by the means of this dam. There are many Brazos Valley Board, and he is greatother merits in the project which will ly responsible for this new dam bebe brought out later.

Dr. Brannen is a member of

### New Poultry Mash Developed

Technological college reduced the

mortality rate on 207 baby chicks in the Tech flock to less than four per Bruce Wooddell, Lawrence Magee, cent. Expected mortality rate is ten Nealy Eichelberger, Ned Craig, Henper cent after chicks are placed under a brooder, Professor J. D. Strickland said.

\$1.57 per 100 pounds, as compared with an average cost of \$3.75 on commercial mixes. Contents are as follows: 20 pounds each of corn and wheat; 10 pounds each of oats, Barley and finely ground green alfalfa; 11 pounds of wheat bran; 5 pounds each of meat and bone scraps; sarde kel, and cottonseed meal; 2 pounds of calcium carbonate; and 1 pound each of salt and cod liver oil.

Continued experiments with this ration will be made on laying flocks for egg production.

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your Water Commissioner. He will give The dam will serve as an irrigation you more water for the same money. (Poltitical Adv.)

FRESHMAN CLASS HAS SOCIAL The Freshman Class of Spur High School enjoyed a very fine social in Allred troop 76; Double U Post, troop the High School gymnasium Friday 29; U Lazy S, Post troop 16; Eagle, his first sermon at the Shiloh Baptist four brothers and three sisters. They and graduates, the show is open to the night. Liss Ethel Green, Homemaking teacher, and Cecil Ayers, Voca- 29; Eagle Crosbyton troop 32; Black tinued to preach in that community Bennett of Blue Mountain, Ark.; J. The 13th Annual Tech Engineers' tional Agriculture teacher, acted as Hatchet, Levelland troop 24. sponsors for the occasion. Folk games and table games were played dur-

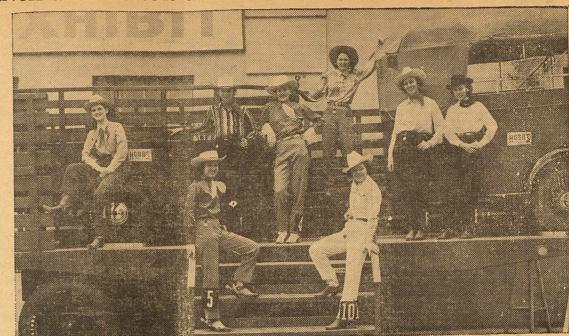
ing the evening. Refreshments of sugar cookies which were made by both girls and boys of the class, and ice cream were troop 23. served. There were 32 present besides the two sponsors.

This be the last social for the Freshman Class this year. They will

L. A. Grantham, of Red Hill community, was talking with friends and trading in our city Monday.

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your Water Commissioner. He will give you more water for the same money. (Poltitical Adv.)

ng placed at that point on the Braz-



Ranch girl honor guests again were Fort Worth March 7 through 16. The Farr, Seymour, Ruth Fernandez above photo was taken when the girls visited the Hobbs Trailer exhibit located near the "stage" entrance to

In the photo, left to right, are: eatured at the Southwestern Expo- Eilah Blan Elliott, Stamford, student ition and Fat Stock Show held in at T. S. C. W. in Denton; Thena Mae Tech in Lubbock; No. 10 is Fern Saw-Odessa; Joe Ferris, Coleman; Loi 'Cowboy" Nance, Justiceburg, at ending Texas Tech at Lubbock; Bob

Miller. Fluvanna, attending Texas ver of Cross Roads, New Mexico. Fern was a ranch girl honor guest at the show in 1939 and this year enterd her horse "Tony" in the National tting horse contest.

### Spur First Aid Teams Rev. W. B. Bennett Make Good Showing Passed Awy

Troop 35 and 36 first aid teams Saturday made good showings at the council aid meet and also the Council meet Saturday morning after an illness of will enable them to have much bet-

ributed the winner the second con-

Slaton, Seminole, Levelland and Ta- of the deceased, brought the message.

Batton, M. R. Greer, Roy Sanford, Mecom. ry Robertson and Billy Johnson.

G. C. Brewer, minister of the Broad-The ration mixed by students cost to the 300 scouts and 200 visitors between shifts of the contest.

Troops finished as follows: First, points; second Lion, Lubbock troop 5, 391; third (tie) Bat, Lamesa troop 23, and Beaver, troop 5 Lubbock, 487: fourth, Flaming Arrow, Lamesa troop 29, 371; seventh, Pine Tree, Lamesa, Lubbock troop 27, 364; ninth, Rattlesnake, Spur troop 35, 358; tenth Flying Eagle, Matador troop 60.

troop 36; Black Bear, Lamesa troop at the funeral. 23; Tiger, Slayton troop 29; Pirate, Lamesa troop 22; Flying Eagle, Jones County and it was while living his remains were put away.

Rattlesnake, Plainview troop 52; laming Arrow Crosbyton troop 32; Flaming Arrow, troop 39 Sudan; Flying Eagle, Whiteface troop 73; Bea-1

### TEACHER ILL

Mrs. O. A. White, Seventh Grade classes the first of the week. Mrs. Henry Gruben has been serving as supernumeray teacher in our schools quite a while and she is very capa-

has recently entered Draughon's Bu- and often supplied at the First Church siness College, Lubbock, for an advanced Secretarial Course.

first aid meet at Lubbock last Friday Rev. W. B. Bennett, an aged minnight. The experience which these ister, passed away at his home on boys had at the Eastern District first East Harris Street at 12:50 o'clock several months. His death was caused by a series of paralytic strokes, which Troop 5, sponsored by the First possibly were the results of an illness Christian church at Lubbock, con- which developed about five years ago.

Funeral services were held at three ecutive year in the South Plains Boy o'clock Sunday afternoon at the First cout council first aid meet; the Rat- Baptist Church in Spur where he held lesnake patrol taking first place his membership. Rev. C. R. Joyner, the pastor, was in charge of the ser-There were 34 teams from 18 towns vices. Rev. H. L. Burnam made a of the council, with Dimmitts' troop short talk and led in prayer. Rev. 37 coming the fartherist distance. Joyner read the scriptures from Other towns represented were Mata- Second Corinthians. Rev. W. C. Benlor, Spur, Post, Plainview, Sudan, nett, pastor of the First Baptist Floyada, Crosbyton, Allred, Denver, Church at Mansfield, La., and a son

Interment followed in Spur ceme-R. E. Stroup was general chair- tery with Campbell's Funeral Chapel man. His staff was composed of Scott in charge of arrangements. Active Hollingsworth, chief judge; Joe Wil- pallbearers were: Leonard Wilson, son, recorder; Mrs. Guy L. Trow, Joe Long, Penn Shugart, Foy Vernon, imekeeper; Floyd Thompson, acting Willie McCombs, and W. M. Hazel. doctor, and judges: Misses Merle Flower bearers were small girls who Sides, Mittie Jones, Verlin Cooke, were pals of Rev. Bennett. They were: Edith Whitlock, Pearl Jackson, Mes- Maxine Adams, Ernestine Berry, Al-An all-purpose mash prepared by Pearl Watson, Floyd Thompson, Isa- Patsy Jean Hyatt, Pearle Jean Vaubel Garrison, L. H. Kirby, Ivy Savage ghn, Mildred McCombs, Emma Pearl and Ed Perrell; the following men, Gruben, Bobbie Morrow, Eurena Hoov-Thomas C. Laws, E. L. Price, Cril er, Robbie Hoover and Forestine

Rev. Bennett was born in Hird County, Ga., October 7, 1869. When about fourteen years of age the family moved to Texas and made a way Church of Christ, spoke briefly home in Corryell County in 1883. It was in that frontier section of Texas that Rev. Bennett grew to manhood. He became acquainted with Miss Rattlesnake, troop 5, Lubbock, 396 Amanda Ellen Kellum who lived near Jonesboro, and this acquaintance became more than just a friendship. The were married at Jonesboro December 2, 1894. Seven children were 23,377; sixth, Panther, Slaton, troop born into the home, five of whom survive. They are Rev. W. C. Bennett troop 22, 368; eighth, Flying Eagle, of Mansfield, La., Mrs. A. T. Bural of Wilson, Okla., D. A. Bennett of physical support. Glendale, Ariz., A. G. Bennett of Prescott, Ariz. and Sgt. John H. Ben-Lion, Floydada troop 64; Stag, Ta- nett of Fort Sam Houston. Conditions hoka troop 21; Fox, Denver City, would not permit of the two sons in when he would speak, he alwas em- the Tech R. O. T. C., and the Physics 77; Indian, Denver City troop 77; Arizona being with their father dur- phasized the Bible and how the prin- Department, offered exhibits and Beaver, Morton troop 47; Hawk, Spur ing his illness and they could not be ciples of Masonry were built on the demonstrations designed to acquaint

Seminole troop 86; Flaming Arrow, there that he surrendered to the call Besides the widow and the above a chance to become familiar with the Floydada troop 57; Flying Eagle troop Church near Trent in 1907. He con- are: C. R. Bennett of Gilpin, R. H. public at no admission price. ver, Dimmitt troop 67; Owl, Lamesa in Stonewall, Kent, Dickens, and three of whom were present for the operation until 10:00 o'clock five years ago, it is thought there was Okla. not a home in Dickens County that

in Spur when the pastor was away.

### W. B. Francis and Miss Martin Marry

Last week friends received a message to the effect that W. B. Francis and Miss Lou Edith Martin were married in Austin March 20. The ceremony was read in the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. R. N. Martin.

Mr. Francis is a graduate of Spur schools and is a senior in the University of Texas, majoring in Business Administration. He has been operating a gin at Girard the past three years and is a very fine young busi-

The bride is a graduate of the Austin High School and is a student in the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis had planned o be married in June, but the time seemed too long to wait. Both have arranged to complete the year of school and will return to Spur about the first of June. Possibly they will make their home in Girard where Mr. Francis will look after his gin busi-

J. A. Brown of Spur, a Spanishthe Veterans Hospital at Amarillo Monday for treatment. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Kearney.

Edith Whitlock, Pearl Jackson, Mesdames Mary Powers, Vada Spence, Berta Dunwody, Virginia Dunwody, Virginia Dunwody, Watson Floyd Thompson Lear Pearly Jean Hyett Pearly Jean

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Randall, of Steel Give Show Hill community were in town Saturday doing some trading and talking with friends.

Mrs. Edd Hart.

friends here Sunday.

transacting business and talking with dents. friends in our city Monday.

fraternity and enjoyed the meetings very much. In the lodge meetings, eering also the Engineering Corps of teachings of the Bible. Masonic rites the public more completely with the Rev. Bennett moved his family to were carried out at the cemetery when theory and application of engineering

Church in 1911 an,d served churches are 12 grandchildren in the family, from which time the show will be Crosby counties as pastor. Up until funeral. They were Marguerite, Lucy night. The following day, Sa the time his health gave away about Laverne and Dal Bural of Wilson, April 5, the show will be on

way. He always was speaking a word for the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. ample time for attending to such. for the Master wherever he might be. Tom Green and Mr. and Mrs. Wilner When his health gave away he Grayson of Hobbs, N. Mexico; Mr. gave up his work as a pastor because and Mrs. Edgar Grayson of Monugo on. However, he continued to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bennett, Mrs. Dickens. Mrs. Nettie Littlefield of Dickens, preach occasionally at various places Ivan Forston and Mrs. Marguerite

Grayson, all of Shawnee, Okla.; He was called on many times to and Truman Bennett, all of McAles- city Tuesday. Mr. Mason stated he teach a Sunday School class and he ter, Okla.; Mrs. W. C. Fowler and had just returned from Temple where D. C. McAteer, of Dickens, was in received much pleasure from this Mrs. Hays of Childress, Lofton Ben- he took Mrs. Mason for a clinical exour city Monday attending to busi- even though he would have to lean nett and Clyde Bennett of Pep, N. amination. Mrs. Mason seems to be ness matters and talking with friends. on his cane or some other object for Mexico, Bishop Bristow of Hamlin. improving in health.

#### Palace Theatre Spur

Friday and Saturday March 28th and 29th DOUBLE FEATURE at bargain prices, 10c and 20c

JOHN HOWARD— ELLEN DREW "Texas Rangers Ride Again"

Feature No. 2 JEAN HERSHOLT

"Melody for Three"

Also Chapter No. 8 of— "Mysterious Dr. Satan"

Preview Saturday Night Sunday and Monday March 30th and 31st

THE FOUR DAUGHTERS
MET FOUR SWELL GUYS
WHO MADE THEM-FOUR
WIVES

Then Came For You-Know-What Who Made Them

### "Four Mothers"

starring
The Lane Sisters, Gail Page,
Jeffrey Lynn and Eddie Albert
On The Same Progarm

### The March of Time

Presents

"AUSTRALIA AT WAR" What is Australia's role in the War today?

How is her fate linked with the future policies of America? See the famed Anzacs—the hard-fighting soldiers of Australia and New Zeland in action!

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Tuesday Only, April 1st At Bargain Prices 10c and 20c KAY FRANCES-JACK OAKIE

"Little Men"

Wednesday and Thursday April 2nd and 3rd EDWARD G. ROBINSON JOHN GARFIELD, ALAN HALE AND IDA LUPINO in

An exciting sea-going adventure loaded with plenty of action! "The Sea Wolf"

# Sudents to

The senior engineering students of Texas Technological College sponsor a two day show each year in which Miss Lillian Rape, head nurse at exhibits of the various engineering de-Nichols Sanitarium, was in Plainview partments are displayed and explainthe last of the week vsiting Mr. and ed. Each department has its own departmental manager, a senior engineering student, who supervises and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Worswick, north coordinates the work in that departof Dickens were in ou rcity Monday ment. All exhibits are designed and doing some trading and meeting made by the engineering students of the college, the entire show being the E. B. Buckner, of McAdoo, was product of the ingenuity of the stu-

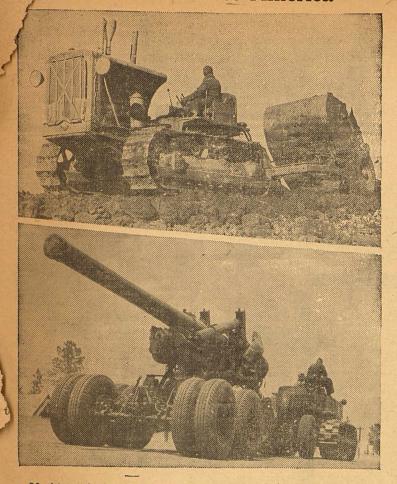
All of the departments of engineering, the Department of Architecture and Allied Arts, the Chemical, He was a member of the Masonic Civil , Electrical, Mechanical, Industrial, Petroleum, and Textile Enginscience. So that every one may have to preach the gospel. He preached named children he is survived by work expected of engineering students

until 1910 when he moved to Dickens D. and E. M. Bennett both of Ada, Show will be held in the various en-County where he made his home un- Okla.; Mrs. Anna Grayson of Trent, gineering buildings of Tech. The optil his death. He was ordained a min- Mrs. Cora Bristow of Hamlin and ening ceremony is scheduled to be ister by the Duck Creek Baptist Mrs Cannie West of Ada, Okla. There held at 1:30 p. m. Friday, April 1:00 p. m., and will continue Other relatives and friends not until midnight so that those havi teacher, was not able to meet her he had not contacted in a religious living in the county that were present other business in Lubbock may have

> Mrs. Ella Worswick, who has been in Arizona and other points for somehis strength would not permit him to ment, N. Mexico; Denver Bennett, time, is now back at her home at

> > Mrs. Ivey Prickett, Mrs. Clyde Hall tending to business matters in our

### Machines Protect America



Machines play the leading role in modern defense. Shown above are machines for soil defense and national defense. The cannon is one of a number of U. S. guns capable of long-range destruction. The earthmoving equipment at top is of a type used by many farmers in building dams and reservoirs. In 1939 farmers moved more than 11 million cubic yards of earth in performing this conservation practice, equivalent to the volume of material going into Columbia river's huge Grand Coulee

### MIDWAY NEWS

Only 26 were present at the Baptist Sunday School Sunday morning. Probably due to the heavy rains during the week end. Bro. Carl Lamb, of Plainview, preached Sunday night, following B. T. U. services. You are

cordially invited to come and worship with us every Sunday morning and Sain't Patrick's celebration was observed by members of the senior B. T. U. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Middlebrooks, Monday night, March 17. A very gay evening was spent honoring that dear old Saint day evening. Patrick. A story of his life was given, and games were played in true Irish ustom. When the guests had tired from so much activity the main event day of the evening was staged which was the serving of the delicious refreshments. The traditional colors of green T. S. Lambert Saturday night. and white were carried out in the serving of lemonade and tiny cakes ten on a slip of paper and attached to here, also. a string with a caramel square tied to the other end. Needless to say the reading of each person's future pro-

duced much laughter. Members and Bridge, Pauline Ford, Helen Hotchco, day afternoon. Edna Futch, Phyllis Wiley, Dorothy Faubis, and Unell Faye and Norma George Hotchco, Wayne Burns, Raymond and H. L. Futch, Curtis Faubis, and George, Tremaine and Bateman Middlebrooks; Mr. and Mrs. Tab Williams and daughters, Mildred and Francille; Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Tooke and son Howard Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell and children; Mrs. Hotchco and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Middlebrooks, the host and hostess. Everyone reported a grand time and expressed their thanks for a lovely evening, honoring St. Patrick.

Billie Dodson and Ernest Noland made a business trip to Lubbock Mon-

Johnny Havens of Roaring Springs Friday night. visited relatives and friends in this community last week.

T. J. Campbell and C. O. Middlebrooks made a business trip to Afton last Monday.

Lilly McAllister of Afton made a business trip to this community Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. George Hicks visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Formby of near Spur, Monday. Several from this community at-

tended the funeral services of Rev. W. B. Bennett, at the First Baptist church at Spur, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dement and

thony Mrs. L. L. Slayden. next vnd Mrs. Carl Lamb and chilpper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy

judging. The boys will return Wed-

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny sanitarium, Wednesday, March 19, -Reported weight 7 pounds.

### **Croton and Wichita**

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert were visiting in Lubbock and Shallowater Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boulch, of Wells, were in our community Thursday.

Jimmie Lee and Bonnie Jo Chesney spent Friday night with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen at Spur. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rogers were shopping in Spur Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Legg and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and daughters, Sue and Lucille, visited Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Legg and son at Farmer Tues-

Rev. and Mrs. Crabtree and daughter, of Mount Blanco, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jackson Fri-

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lambert and daughter, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. [

Rev. Badley filled his regular appointments at the Baptist Church here with green and white frosting. Plate Saturday night, Sunday morning and favors were individual fortunes, writ- Sunday night. Mrs. Badley visited

ness in Lubbock Thursday.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor passed away Sunday guests present were: Misses Tommie night and was buried in Dickens Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. Brien and children, of Roaring Springs ,were supper guests Middlebrooks; Messrs Barney Bridge of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dempsey Monday night.

Bro. Frazier, of Clovis, N. Mexico, spent several days here last week

Bob Porter, who is in the U. S. Navy, spent a week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Porter. Marvin Rogers attended to business in Lubbock Thursday.

J. A. Legg and Bob attended to business in Afton Friday afternoon. Miss Lowrene Starrett ,who has been ivsiting in Brownwood, returned here Tuesday.

Several from this community attended the choral singing at Dickens

Several from this community were shopping in Spur Saturday. The farmers here enjoyed a good

rain Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Conaway and son spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Conaway at Spur. -Reporter.

### W. S. C. S. MEETING MONDAY

Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Round-Up Monday afternoon at three o'clock. The house was called to order by the president, will be "a good, average crop year" Mrs. C. H. McCully. A business sesildren of Spur and Mrs. W. G. sion and some reports followed. Rev. Fland Jr. of Red Mud were Sun- HenHenson brought a very interesting terday, was from a north of east di-Dinner guests of their parents, talk on sharing for the health of the rection! world.

visit t Plainview were Sunday night Shepherd Lead Us." by Rev. Thurs- whose crop prognostications were a ranchman "hit the nail on the head" 1941's crop prospects is the fact that

Mrs. Hollis Atkeison.

afternoon in the Round-Up.

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# Easter Dresses

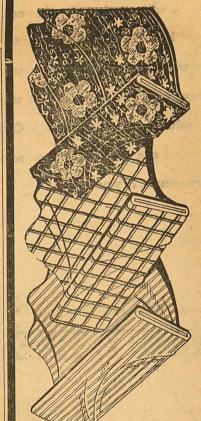


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Easter Sewing Cottons 19c to 49c yd. Silks and Rayons — 39c to 79c yd.

You never want to be rushed while making a dress . . . much less while making the most important dress of the entire year . . . so we strongly suggest you start planning and sewing on your Easter costume now . . . vou'll love to sew this year . . . for the fabrics are so beautiful, from the largest piece goods selection in West

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Enter a new season and new laurels for Schwarz & Son's famous felts . . . 12 new models that range from pert young berets to ageless flattering brims . . .

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### **Lubbockites Check** Up On Weather 1941 Good

ago by early West Texans was being Lubbock as was recorded in the Lub- was hunky-dory." bock Avalanche-Journal of Sunday morning. The following is the story

If there's anything to ancient Indian weather signs and legends, 1941 over the South Plains territory be cause the wind, at sunrise time yes

Following in the footsteps of the Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. lanche-Journal papers for many years year.

from a north of east direction. "Everything's All Right!"

According to the theories of Mr. Wilborn, during his lifetime "the South Plains didn't have a China-

It was in the middle 1920's when Same In "Big 1937" Avalanche-Journal papers learned, nostications and believed in them. biggest crop year in the history of nually presented Mr. Wilborn's find- fro mthe overworked gins. We were led in the song, "Like A late J. I. Wilborn, of Garza county, ings. Strangely enough, the Post Another thing that augurs well for says his health is greatly improved. regular March 23 feature of Ava- a great deal of the time, if not every we had cold, falling weather on March

George and Tremaine Middlebrooks Thurston, Mrs. Lester Ericson, Mrs. prior to his death about eight years Among those interested in the pro- falling shortly after midnight and greeting friends in our city Monday. and Barney Bridge accompanied the Clark Lewis, Mrs. J. A. Koon, Mrs. ago, former District Judge Clark M. ceedings was Judge Mullican and for continued until daylight. Records first F. F. A. boys of Patton Springs C. H. McCully, Mrs. W. S. Campbell, Mullican, of Lubbock, arose early the past eight years or so, since Mr. brought to light by a letter to the school to Lubbock Sunday where they Mrs. M. A. Lea, Mrs. J. J. Ensey, yesterday to see what he could see Wilborn's death, the judge has been Dallas News in 1902, and dug up in acting business in our city Monday. carried their prize calves for future Mrs. L. R. Barrett, Mrs. J. C. Payne, about the wind. Sunrise time was sup- carrying on. His "che k-up" yester- 1930 by T. J. Davis, of Lubbock, tend- He stated they received a good rain Miss Etta Fite, Mrs. G. H. Snider, posed to be at 6:01 a. m., but Judge day was made from the drift of ed to show that "whenever there is in the Midway community. Mullican was not satisfied with check- smoke from a paper od rag fire snow or a cold rain on March 18 We were dismissed by prayer by ing the wind direction at that minute which Judge Mullican t lt adjacent preceding a wind from the northeast Blakley, a daughter, born at Nichols Rev. Henson. We meet next Monday alone. His checks were made at 6:01, to his home at 3109 Twee eth street; at sunrise on March 22, the crop Water Commissioner. He will give 6:30, 6:45, 7 and 7:20 and throughout by the drift in the wind a silken year is blessed with plenty of mois- you more water for the same money. the period the wind continued to come string tied to a post, and, he says, ture." Judge Mullican's records for

direction from the smoke of my records kept by Mr. Wilborn.

cigar!" that Mr. Wilborn found "perfect con- O. Stevens and the late J. I. Wilborn man's chance for a good crop if the ditions" on the early morning of must have been watching Judge Mulwind, at sunrise on March 22, was March 22. Prior to that, 1924 was the lican yesterday morning as he went An observation began many years from either the southwest, the west only recent year when "everything about "tracking the signs" which Mr. or the south-east." But if the wind was just right." Both those years Wilborn got many years ago from observed last Saturday by citizens of came from north of east, "everything brought plenty of rainfall at the right Indian friends. time, and "good average crop years."

In 1937, after Mr. Wilborn's death, through the late W. O. Stevens, Post March 22 again saw the early mornand Lubbock banker, of Mr. Wilborn's ing wind from the northeast, Judge "crop charting plan." Mr. Stevens had Mullican's records show. As all and you more water for the same money. kept track of Mr. Wilborn's prog- sundry should remember, '37 was the Through his help, and that of Ira Lee this section and so so much of the Duckworth, Post banker, The Ava- fleecy staple raised that it was piled the week from a trip visiting relalanche-Journal for many years an along borrow ditches awaiting action tives and friends at Haskell, Roches-

"to make sure, I also tested the wind's 1939 bear out the belief, as did the

So somewhere in the Valhalla where The year 1933 was the last year all good West Texans go, the late W.

And if they were watching ,they surely were pleased.

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your Water Commissioner. He will give (Poltitical Adv.)

T. W. Collier returned the frst of ter, Seymour and other points. He

J. L. Beechley, of Wichita, was 18 of this year, when snow started looking after business matters and

D. M. Varnell of Elton, was trans-

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your

# GET AFTER THE BUSINESS

Mr. Merchant:

Do you know there is enough business going out of town every day to support at least three additional stores here even larger than any doing business here today? And then you will wonder why that can be. The reason is that business leaves town because outside firms make a bid for it by advertising for it in some way. You can hold that business here by telling the public what you have to offer. And the best way to tell them is through the advertising columns of The Dickens County Times. Call our advertising manager and she will be at your service an dassist you in preparing your advertisement if you desire.

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### THE DICKENS COUNTY TIMES

as second class matter at the Post Office in Spur, Texas, October 30, 1924, under Act of Congress, March 3rd, 1879.

Subscription Price: \$1.50 per year in Dickens and adjoining counties. Advertising rates uniform to everybody in Spur Country

Clubs gave a tea at the Spur Inn

last Saturday, honoring the state!

president and the district president of

100 guests present for the occasion.

The various Club organizations of

Jayton, Girard and Matador had been

invited as guests of the Spur organi-

Mrs. L. D. Ratliff presided at the

guest book and each guest registered

when they arrived. Mrs. E. D. Cook,

the local president, and other officers

of the local organization, served in

Mrs. R. E. Dickson favored the

Mrs. Cook introduced Mrs. H. F.

Mrs. A. M. Walker was asked to in-

troduce the State president, Mrs. J.

W. Walker, of Plainview. Mrs. Walker

stressing the importance of all Club

organizations cooperating in the great

movements being fostered by the cen-

Refreshments of tea and sandwiches were served. Mrs. O. M. McGinty

and Mrs. J. L. Koonsman assisted

with serving tea. The decorations were

very beautiful. The table carried out

Among the out of county guests

Mrs. J. F. Hughes of Roaring

Springs who is to make her home in

Mrs. B. C. Cairns of Clairemont.

Girard-Mrs. George Spradling,

Jayton-Mrs. Lulu Rice, Mrs. Ellis

Scoggin, Mrs. Thomas Flower, Mrs. Ollie Apple, Mrs. B. J. Kellett, Mrs.

M. D. Fuller, Mrs. F. T. Whitaker, Mrs. W. L. Buckelew, Mrs. M. V. Jay, Mrs. H. D. Black, Mrs. Howard Johnston, Mrs. W. D. Vencil, Mrs. G. H. Huls, Mrs. J .M. Miller, Mrs. Odel

And the honorees, Mrs. J. W. Wal-

ker of Plainview the State President,

and Mrs. H. F. Godeke, of Lubbock,

Several pupils of the Grammar

School division of the schools at

Dickens were able to make the honor

roll the past six weeks term. They

of extra work in Interscholastic Lea-

gue events. The following were the

Fifth Grade-Billy Byers Sharp and

Sixth Grade-Jimmie Murphree,

Lois Estelle Meadors, Jean Ousley and

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your

Water Commissioner. He will give

you more water for the same money.

The Business Women's Bible Study

Those present were: Mesdames W.

L. R. Reid and Family.

Mrs. Clinkscale. - Reporter.

each of you.

met with Mrs. Clinkscale Monday

BUSINESS WOMEN'S BIBLE

(Poltitical Adv.)

students on the honor roll:

Ina Jo Thacker.

roll for the next report.

the District President.

a lilly pond design, and other decora-

Mrs. U. L. Wille of Matador.

tions coordinated.

Spur soon.

Mason.

### City Federation Scrap-Iron To Be

**Gathered for Britain Entertains** 

Back yards and farm lots all State Officers over Texas are to be rummaged for scrap iron for Britain. A movement | The City Federation of Women's started by Fred McDuff of Oklahoma to give every one a chance to throw in his bot, is spreading rapidly

throughout the state. the organization. There were about R. G. Soper of Dallas has been appointed State Chairman for Texas and is seeking to organize the entire state for the systematic collection of old, abandoned and useable iron which lying around virtually everywhere. he plan is to assemble the iron for transportation to the mills where it will be reduced into billets and shipped to England for bullets, machine guns, and other armaments of war.

the receiving line. The first carload of scrap iron for this purpose was assembled in Shermeeting with a vocal solo, accompaniman by the Sherman Lions' Club and ed by Mrs. Carl Patton. for this reason the Lions Clubs of the state are volunteering to take the Godeke, of Lubbock, District presilead in organizing the campaigns in dent, who made a short talk relative to the federated organizations.

Vacant lots for the deposit of iron are being loaned by owners, and lumber yards are providing signs for the lots reading "Deposit Iron for Britain made the address for the occasion, Here." In many cities employees of the street, fire or police departments have volunteered to place the signs in position, and transfer companies have tral organization. offered to haul the iron to railroad

"Here is a way for every person to do at least something for the vital cause of Britain and to do it with practically no expense," said Mr. Soper. "Nothing is more important to England's defense than iron. No movement yet projected gives every person in the land a more glowing opportunity to do his bit. Just bear in mind that 110 pounds of scrap iron which can be picked up in a few minutes' search can make a machine gun firing 300 shots a minute."

It is pointed out that not only will Mrs. C. Wade Wright, and Mrs. and this be a great help to England but Mrs. John Goodall. it also will help clean up many rubbish filled back yards.

# Can You Live on

A Texan can live on ten cents a day and like it, a report compiled in the foods and nutrition department at Texas Technological college shows. Based on Lubbock market prices, sample menus and recipes for one week have been worked out by Tech home economics students, supervised Dickens Grammar by Prof Mina Wolf and Dean Margar- School Pupils on et W. Weeks. The report was sent to Honor Roll the state nutrition committee as part of a project on food planning for national defense.

Included in the low cost menus are 35 different foods, offering varied made this accomplishment despite diet with sufficient calories, protein, the fact that all pupils did quite a lot calcium, phosphorous, iron, and vitamins for a normal person, Dean Weeks said.

Ooats, whole wheat flour, white flour, yellow-grained corn, cornmeal, Bobby Murphree. rice and whole wheat bread may be purchased by the ten-cent-a-day budgeteer for cereals and bread. Milk. eggs, and cheese are also within his

Vegetables to be had within this price range are blackeyed peas, navy and pinto beans, white potatoes, sweeet potatoes, beets, beet tops, onions, turnips, turnip greens, cabbage, tomatoes ,and carrots. Dried peaches, raisins and lemons are fruits mentioned. Liver, salt pork, hamburger meat sausage are the only meats included. Lard, oleomargarine, cocoa and molasses complete the list.

Recipes within the ten-cent-a-day- STUDY a-person budget suggest variety in preparation of cheaper foods. Breads ay be biscuits, cinnamon rolls, whole evening at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting eat muffins, pancakes, or corn-

d. Combination meat dishes sug- Walter Gruben. Mrs. W. T. Andrews are liver and onion casserole taught an interesting Bible lesson. loaf. Chocolate pudding, rice and peach upside down cake visit t only desserts for which re- Berry, E. D. Engleman, Truett Hutto,

Dean Weeks and Miss Wolf are man, Stella Morrow, Andrews, Miss Rita Bell, Perry Pryor, L. A. Hindmembers of the state nutrition com- Edwinna Curley and the hostess,

(Poltitical Adv.) loss by fire March 17. May God bless

Want Ads Get Results

### Alice Marble, Tennis Star, Stages Heroic Comeback

N tennis circles, Alice Marble is unique. The well-known adage of sportswriters that the muscle molls were made to be abused in sports columns is shattered by this statuesque California Blonde.

"She's a nice person," Bob Considine writes in the April issue of Cosmopolitan magazine, "free of all the affectations and phoniness the net game seems to attract. Her face is mobile, and her clear hazel eyes look at you when she speaks in her warm, lively manner. Unless you have been around top-flight tennis players you cannot imagine how different all this makes Alice Marble."

Marble."
That she is the best all-around player the sport has even seen and a promising singer as well, is beside the point, Considine reports. She is an inspiration to thousands of Americans who, sick of heart or hody, have wanted to give up the body, have wanted to give up the headache of living. For the story of Alice Marble is not simply an endless list of tarnis victories to endless list of tennis victories which the sports pages of the last ten years bear witness.

When she collapsed on the court in one of the big foreign tourna-

ments in Paris, doctors said she was through, claimed she was tu-bercular and would never play again. For almost two years Alice
Marble was off her feet. Broke, she
had hardly enough to pay for bare
medical necessities. But they say
since, and at the moment she is on

Against the advice of all her physicians she entered the national singles in 1936. A hopeless underdog she beat Helen Jacobs, the favorite, hands down in the finals. Her star hands down in the finals. Her star hands down in the star hands account to the star hands down in the star hands account to the star hands down in the star hands account to the star hands down in the star hands account to the star ha has been in the ascendency ever MacDonald concert tour.



you can't keep a good man down, a four months' professional tour which will net her \$25,000 outside of

Draper-Phillips Nuptials

Miss Regina Draper and Damon Phillips were married in San Angelo March 9. The ceremony was read in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Draper and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gainsworth were the best man and bridesmaid The bride wore a dusty rose colored dress with beige accessories, and coursage of white gardenias. A single ring ceremony was performed under an altar of green ivy and peach blossoms. Many friends and relatives were pres-

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Ovie Draper and spent most of her childhood days in Dry Lake community. She is a graduate of Spur High School, a former football queen and pep squad leader.

Mrs. Phillips will make her home in San Angelo until after spring training when she will join her husband traveling. Mr. Phillips is a profesesional baseball player.—Contrib- day of this week. They are trying to

NICHOLS SANITARIUM NEWS Mrs. Johnny Glakely and baby are getting along fine and expected to

go home at Afton Wednesday after-Mrs. Tommy McArthur, of Red Mud, was able to return home last Saturday after being a medical pa-

tient several days. A. W. Biggs, of Girard, who was a pneumonia patient in the sanitarium, was improved enough to return

home Tuesday. Mrs. J. L. Dawson, of Roaring Springs, a medical patient, continues

Panise Boothe, of Girard, is getting



John Howard and Elleen Drew playing at the Palace Theatre Friday and Saturday, in "Texas Rangers Ride Again" which is one of the two featurgs that is showing at bargain prices. The other efature is Jean Hershult in "Melody for Three".

Pupils Sponsor Show

The Pioneer Club, which is composed of Homemaking pupils of Dickens High School, sponsored a picture show at the Palace Theatre Wednesraise money to assist them to attend the state rally at San Antonio in next month.

along fine. She had to undergo an operation for empyema several days

Joe Rose, of Duncan Flat, returned home Wednesday after spending several days as a medical patient in the sanitarium.

A. C. Martin, of Afton, who was a medical patient returned home Wednesday feeling greatly improved.

Mrs. Lewis Bell and baby were getting along fine and returned to their home at Dickens Tuesday.

Mrs. Lynn Busby, city, underwent an operation Wednesday morning. Indications are very favorable for her.



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(Poltitical Adv.)

### **East Ward School** News

The assembly program Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock will be in charge of Mrs. Engleman and her pupils. They are planning to give their audience a good program, and they would like for as many patrons of the school to be present as can be.

The East Ward has secured some new baseballs and bats and all the children are playing ball these days. Both boys and girls are enjoying this great sport.

Teachers at the East Ward are conducting fire drills occasionally in order to have the children prepared in case an emergency should come They are learning signals and most all of the children are able to follow through in a fine way.

Teachers and pupils are having a great time with a clean-up campaign. All of the flower beds have been dug up and new flowers planted. The paper and other rubbish had been moved off the school grounds, and the school looks greatly improved in appearance.

Practice for the Spring Operatte has begun. Mrs. Patton and Mrs. Engleman have charge of that work. The pupils are working diligently to give the people great program. This has always been a great event. It will be the last of April.

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your Water Commissioner. He will give you more water for the same money.

#### **Texas Farmers** Increased Milk

Texas farmers sent the equivalent of 1,142,402,000 (billion) pounds of Texas-produced milk to dairy plants last year to be converted into creamry butter, ice cream and American

Milk destined to be consumed as butter, ice cream and cheese totaled 69,575.000 pounds during February, up almost 3,000,000 pounds over February, 1940.

Production of these dairy products during February totaled 2,450,000 of butter, 538,000 gallons of ice cream and 793,000 pounds of cheese. This output represented a 21.5 per cent gain in ice cream, 3.9 per cent gain in butter, but an 11 per cent decline in cheese.

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Peoule enjoy eating Here!

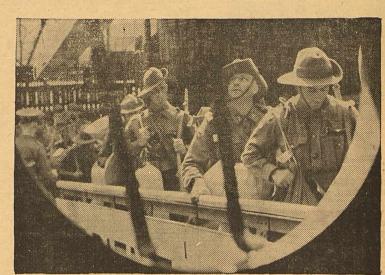
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### The Anzacs Are Tough Fighters



THE ANZACS are the hard-fighting soldiers of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps who have taken part in every action of the British offensive against the Italian Army in North Africa. Tough, cocky and independent, the Anzacs bear a striking resemblance to our own Texans, and although they have not yet been fully trained, they have been the spearhead of Britain's successful oppositions against the Italians.



TO DISCOURAGE Axis-Partner Japan from further aggression toward their homeland in the South Pacific, the Anzacs (boarding a transport, above) have reinforced the garrison at Britain's strategic naval base in Singapore. What Australia is contributing toward the British Empire's war effort, and how her seven million toward the data of the meaning to defend themselves against Japan's people are today preparing to defend themselves against Japan's threat of invasion are shown in the latest March of Time film, "Australia at War", from which these pictures are taken.

Palace Theatre, Preview Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, on the same program with our regular feature, "Four Wives" starin gthe Lane Sisters.

### **Steel Cavalry Bounds Into Action**



Speed shot at Camp Holabird, Maryland, during tests on new Light Reconnaissance and Command Cars for United States army. They carry machine gun and crew of three men at approximately 60 miles an hour. Can climb steeper hills than tanks. The Ford Motor Company, which built the ditch-jumper shown above, has an army order for 1500 of these units.

Leonard Gates, of Afton, was talking with friends and attending to business in our city Monday.

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# Celebrates Birthday

Miss Ann Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hull, celebrated her tenth birthday anniversary with a merry party at her home on West Harris on the afternoon of March 14.

The girls came in costume and a style show with the boys as judges, was the main entertainment of the afternoon. Miss Lena Floy Denson and Miss Jane Brannen received prizes for the best costumes.

After the game hour a refreshmen place of cake, punch and pop corn balls was served to the following:

Misses Jane Brannen, Lena Floy Denson, Marion Speer, Jean Arthur, Creola Rector, Jackie Rector, Virginia McNeill, Henel Virginia Mars Nancy Jo Caraway, Jean, Jane and Pauline Garr, Patsy Hyatt, Ann Standifer, Doris Gibson, Arlene Christinsen, Ernestine Berry, Marie Lewis, Virginia Ruth Shugart, Jean Coller, Shirley Hairgrove, Evelyn Barclay, and Kathryn Garrett

Masters Billy McAlpine, Jimmie McNeill, Neal A Chastain, Kenneth Hairgrove, Charles Lewis, and Mac Brannen.—Reported.

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### **Boys and Girls to** Join Good **Drivers League**

The Ford Motor Company has been sponsoring a good drivers league with girls along with boys in the membership. This is to be boys and girls of

Motor Company is giving away mil- igny, French charge. lions of copies of a little book en- Among the correspondence is a lettitled, "How to Become a Skilled ter to his "venerated friend," Andrew way toward describing what might chieftians. boy or girl of the above ages may secretary, W. D. Miller, written short-Ford Dealers at Spur, or to any other in 1842, Houston wrote: Ford Agency, and ask for a card to fill out which entitles them to a copy Ford Motor Company and the book is sent out by mail. Edsell Ford is the originator of the Good Drivers

the United States and not enough of as, the Southwest and the South. them are good enough, is the way Mr. Ford looks at the problem of safety. Only a few are truly skilled. Many are just average. Some are very bad. The result is that every year on the plete bookkeeping, banking and mastreets and highways of America chine course. thousands of people are injured or killed, automobiles are needlessly

Safety associations conduct campaigns for accident avoidance, police departments watch carefully for reckless drivers, schools include safety in their instructions, but still our highways are not the safe places they

In America today there are more than six million boys aged from fourteen to eighteen, inclusive. Within four years most of them will be automobile drivers. If they could all become truly skilled drivers, it would add greatly to their happiness and to the happiness of their families. It is hoped all boys and girls will get Mr. Ford's book on "How to Become a Skilled Driver" and read it carefully.

Want Ads Get Results

### Houston's Letters Saved By U. of T. Liabrary

A large quantity of Texas presidential correspondence-21 longhand boys only as members. This year they letters written by the famous Sam are expanding the terms to include Houston-has been added to the University of Texas Library.

The collection represents the periages 14 to 18 inclusive, who will be od of Houston's second term and indoing most of the driving before many cludes letters to General Zachary Taylor, later U. S. President; Captain To encourage safety on the cities Charles Elliot, British charge d'afand towns on the highways the Ford faires in Texas; and Count de Sal-

Driver." This little book goes a long Jackson; others to Southwest Indian be termed a "Skilled Driver,' Any In a communication to his private

secure one of these little books free ly after a Mexican army had invaded by going to Godfrey & Smart, local the Republic and taken San Antonio "The people of Texas may rest

assured that I will never cease to war of this book. The card is mailed to upon Mexico until Independence is secured, or the nation is conquered . . Our cause is holy." The Houston letters are to be ad-

ded to the University Library's well-He feels that there should be more known Archives Collection, which emgood drivers. There are more than braces two and a half million docuforty million automobile drivers in ments relating to the history of Tex-

> Jack Barton, formerly of McAdoo, has recently entered Draughon's Business College, Lubbock, for a com-

W. R. Stafford, of Glenn, was greetdamaged, and many families are made ing early day friends and trading here Monday.

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(Poltitical Adv.) D. D. Hagins, of Duck Creek, was attending to business and chatting

with friends here Monday.

W. A. Harris, of Espula, was looking after business affairs and visiting friends here Monday.

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AFTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 10 a .m.

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Preaching, 7:30. Everybody cordially invited to

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"THE SEA WOLF"



An exciting drama of Sea-going vessels, Thrilling! Amazing! playing at the Palace Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, April 2nd and 3rd. Starring Edward G. Robinson, John Garfield, Alan Hale and Ida Lupino.

E. J. Lassetter, of Dry Lake, was in town Monday doing some trading and meeting with firends.

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### I Give You Texas

Big, smiling Tom King has been writer and his retirement as State Auditor means the loss of the services of a capable and sincere official. He can carry with him the satisfaction of having been appointed by two Governors and of having been confirmed by two Senates and of having served longer than any other man in the history of the department.

Surplus of St. Patrick's Day Material Two Irishmen, about to fight, agreed that the one who first wanted to quit had only to yell "Sufficient" and the other would stop. Flanagan got Casey down and was pounding him unmercifully when Casey yelled, "Sufficient" but Flanagan kept on. A spectator said, 'Don't you hear him say that he's got enough?" To which Flanagan replied, "Faith, an' he's such a liar, who'd be believin' of

What purpose to be a speech delivered many years ago at a Jackson CREOMULSION Day Dinner is presented in J. C. For Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Smyth's Liberty Vindicator:

Members of this meeting: You don't know me, I suppose but I live at Huckleberry-I air the postmaster an' a Jackson Democrat. I am a big man-can eat green persimmons without puckerin'. Salt don't keep me nor likker injure me. I am a tearin critter of the catamount school; ir religion I am neutral, and am decidedly masculine on the upright prin-

Jacksonians, I say, exaggerate yourselves. I am no book-larnt man but there is few who can beat me swappin' hosses or guessin' at the weight of a b'ar. I have come here because my people voted for me, knowin' I was a honest man and could make good whiskey and apple brandy at my still as any man. I want you all to finish the whole job on the Jacksonian principle and if you don't do as I advise, you'll come up short and it will be harder for you to get a place again than it would be to ride down from the clouds on a thunderbolt through a crab-apple tree and not get scratched.

The House recently passed a constitutional amendment prohibiting holdover State officials from being candidates for any other office. This will eliminate the chief reason urged by those favoring a separate oil and even more than a "friend who just gas commission: that members of the stands by"; he has held out a help- State Railroad Commission run for ing hand more than once to this other offices, one West Texas observer comments.

> Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams, of near Dickens, were doing some trading and visiting with friends here Mon-

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### **Grmmar School** Honor Roll

The Grammar School had a very nice list of pupils on the honor roll for the term closing last week, A number of pupils did excellent work, but did not reach the honor roll but were close to the margin. The followin g is the list of those who made the honor roll:

Fifth Grade, A-Pupils-Mafoi Carlisle, Mac Brannen, Wylene Moss, Ernest Roberts, Pansey Turpen, Homer Charles Wilson, Howard Wilson.

Fifth Grade, B. Pupils - Lane Bachman, Billy Wayne Dyess, Bob Loe, Haden Moore, Roy McMahan, Margie Brasher, Nancy Jo Caraway, Francis Ferris, Ruth Henderson, Jackie Rae Richards, Virginia Mars, Imogene Bilberry, Gene McCombs, Mary Swenson, Billy Lee Wade, Eugene Walthall, Elizabeth Westfall.

Sixth Grade, A. Students.—Glyneth Armstrong, Patsy Arrington, Jerry Don Bell, Jane Brannen, Wendell Denson, Autrey Nell Dyess, Patricia Ann Mars, Dorthea Karr.

Sixth Grade, B. Students-Alton Delisle, Ileen Kimmel Betty Lou Mc-Laughlin, Billy Moore, Ellese Petty, Cleston Pritchett, Robbie Nell Scott, Alma Nell Smith, Eddie Bob Smith, Ted Smith, Nina Mae Sonnamaker, Billy Thomason, Dewey Lee Watson, Charles Williams, Gerome Byrd, O. E. Byrd, Sherian Campbell, Harold Casey, Roland Hairgrove, Eula Mae Mc-Carty, Sam Orand, Marion Speer, Jeanell Evans, Thelma Gannon, Elmer Gannon, Mildred McCombs, Maxine Owens, Pearl Vaughn.

Seventh Grade, A-Pupils-Jackie Rector, Norma Thurston, Billy Joe McCombs.

Seventh Grade, B-Pupils.-Doyle Akin, Frank McNeill, Vera Doris Pickens, Charlese Powell, Mary Puckett, Marjorie Randall, Byrdean Rob-



inson, Jo Ann Smith, Wm. D. Starcher, Milton Yarborough, Vernell Wilson, Billie Woodrum, Lou Nell Wright, Alvis Adcock, J. E. Bachman, Alene Ball, Mary Louise Burnam, Billie Louise Caraway, Jerrie Condron, Virginia Crockett, Geenota Dement, Zane Freeman, Billy Glenn, Emma Pear Gruben, Nelda Jo Hindman, Billie Jean Holloway, Eurena Hoover, Gwendolyn McAlpine, Billy Joe Mc Mahan, Betty Jo Nix.

The above lists of pupils held their nonor roll standing in addition to doing a lot of extra work to help their school win in the County Interscholastic eague during the past month.

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S. L. Porter, one of the good farmers of Croton community, was attending to business matters and talking with friends here Monday.

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Neglect May Invite Pyorrhea

Are your gums unsightly? Do they itch? Do they burn? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. (2 Sanders & Chastain Pharmacy

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your Water Commissioner. He will give you more water for the same money. (Poltitical Adv.) T. C. Dempsey, ginner at Croton,

and little son were attending to business in our city Monday.

C. E. Butler, of Croton, was associating with friends and looking after business in our city Monday.

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- A \$21,000,000 Ford airplane engine factory, started only 6 months ago, is nearly completed. Production start with an initial order for 4,236 eighteen cylinder, air-cooled, double-row, radial engines.
- 2 We are building a new Ford magnesium alloy foundry, one of the few in the country. It is already producing lightweight airplane engine castings.
- 3 Army reconnaissance cars military vehicles of an entirely new type - are rolling off special Ford assembly lines at the rate of more than 600 a month. We have produced Army staff cars and bomber service
- 4 The government has given the "go-ahead" and work is now under way for the fast construction of an \$11,000,000 Ford plant to produce bomber airframe assemblies by mass production methods.

Several months ago work was started, on our own initiative, on an entirely new 1500 horsepower airplane engine especially designed for mass production. This engine is now in the test stage and plans are being developed for producing it in large quantities when and if needed.

A Ford aircraft apprentice school has been established, to train 2000 students at a time.

That is a report of progress

The experience and facilities of this company can be used to do much of the job which America now needs to get done in a hurry.

Our way of working, which avoids all possible red tape, enables us to get results and get them fast. This benefits users of our products and workers who produce them.

We are ready to make anything we know how to make, to make it to the limit of our capacity if need be, to make it as fast as we can go, and to start the next job whenever our country asks us to. And to this end, we know we have the full

confidence and loval support of the workmen throughout our plants.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

# ALMANAE ... by Herbert CALCULATED FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 31... TIME GIVEN IS STANDARD BULOVA WATCH TIME ... THE PERSON BORN DURING THIS WEEK WILL BE GIFTED WITH A LOFTY, CHARITABLE SOUL; AND A GENEROUS DISPOSITION. TRY USING CANNED MUSHROOM SOUP AS A BASE FOR CHICKEN A LA KING. WITH FLOUR ADDED FOR THICKENING AND PIMIENTO FOR SEASONING,THE FLAVOR IS DELICIOUS.



### **Dairy Products Ex**hibited at Ft. Worth

150 Texas manufacturers will be displayed in the glassed-in tower entrance of Will Rogers building in Fort Worth April 9 and 10. Sponsored by the Texas Dairy Products association and supervised by K. M. Renner, head professor of dairy manufacturers at Tekas Technological college, the exhibit will show the tremenduous growth in the dairy indus-

ed out by dairy students of Texas A. and Dad may now come down, spend and M. college and Texas Tech to the night in Camp Bowie and know show control of cream and milk qual- they have occupied the same type beds ity, for manufacture of butter and as their sons.

Texas is fifth among the 48 states in butter manufacture, Renner said.

'564 per cent increase in cheese manufacture in the state took place between 1930 and 1938," he added; factured in the state." Twenty-five per cent of the state's cheese is manufactured in the West Texas area.

Butter manufacture increased 6621/2 per cent from 1818 to 1940, records show. Percentage increase today over 1928 is 84.25, and over 1930. 51.3. Forty-two per cent of the state's butter output for commercial purposes of equipment. Guests may be informis produced in the Panhandle and ed of bus or train schedules from South Plains area.

"Uncle" Bob Williams, of Highway meet them at the Guest House. community, was shaking hands with friends and trading in our city Mon-

Vote For M. H. Costolow, for your Water Commissioner. He will give you more water for the same money. at this time visiting her parents Mr,

### Camp Bowie Has **Guest House**

tered in Camp Bowie who feel that to know that we appreciate it so they may never get the opportunity to see just how the young men of the Thirty-Sixth Division live are provided with a very comfortable quarters under just such conditions.

The Guest House, equipped with the same type of cots, mattresses, blankets, sheets and other bedding, is now open to visitors. The only difference between the quarters there and those of the men is that the guest house is A second display at the associa- a frame building whereas the soldiers tion's annual convention will be work- are quartered in walled tents. Mother

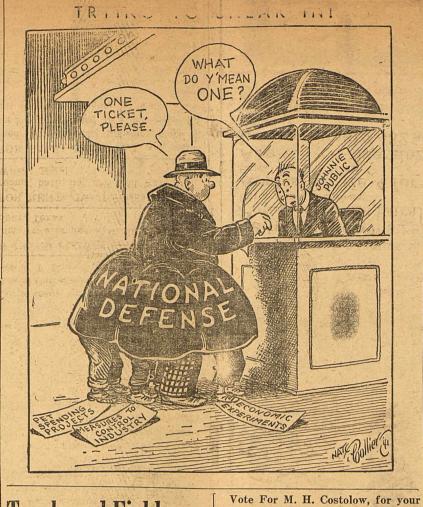
Reservations are made by addressing the Senior Hostess, Camp Bowie, in cheese manufacture and sixteenth Texas. Rates are \$1 per night for one person or \$1.50 for two. Each room is equipped with two cots.

Guests are allowed to stay two nights on week ends and one night "in 1927 no cheese was being manu- through the week. This rule, however, is altered in the case of a person who has a relative seriously ill in the hospital.

A guard is maintained at all times. Spur, Texas. His duties are to answer questions and otherwise aid the visitors. The reading room is open but the cafeteria is not functioning yet due to lack hostes, may find and get word to soldiers they wish to visit and arrange to

Rules of the Guest House are the same as those governing the remainder of the camp. Guests must return to camp by taps each evening.

Mrs J. L. Hutto, Jr. is in Dallas (Poltitical Adv.) and Mrs. W. B. Hallvaugh.



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Water Commissioner. He will give

you more water for the same money.

(Poltitical Adv.)

### Track and Field **Events Saturday**

On account of the fine rains which fell Saturday the County Track and Field events were postponed until next Saturday, March 29. This will be the last Saturday that these events can be held as the District events have been scheduled for April 4 and

All events in the county contests will be held at the football stadium just across? hill, north of Spur, except the ward school and rural school events, which will be at the high

All athletic directors in schools are requested to get their entries in events filed with the proper authority before Saturday morning. This will greatly assist those who will be in charge of events next Saturday.

### Troop 36 to Present Play

The Senior scouts of troop 36 plan to present their play "Jerry's Job" at Jayton high school Wednesday, March 26. The cast for this play is: as Tommy, James Fox; Mr. Morton, J. T. (Scoopsy) Franklin,; Jenkins, Tommy Burger; Hamilton, J. W. Mc-Laughing; Jerry, Johnny Peacock; and as general manager and clean-up man Virgil Murray. Cecil Fox scoutmaster and his senior boys hope to do some very fine work in the future as they have done in the past.

TO THE PEOPLE OF SPUR AND SURROUNDIN COMMUNITY

We want to thank all of you for your kindness and thoughtfulness for my brother and his Gfamily, and for the words of sympathy you spoke to us. I shall never forget the brotherly Relatives and friends of men quar- love you showed us and we want you much. And may God bless you all.

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MAIZS FOR SALE-bright and good at \$12.00 per ton at farm. Scales on farm-E. D. Chambers, Glenn, Texas.

FOR SALE-Air-Motor used windmill, price low, see Henry Grugen. tn

### Revival At The Assembly Of God Church

A revival began Sunday night at th Assembly of God Church. Rev. and Mrs. O. C. Woolf of Hamlin are conducting the services. We are priviledged to have this young couple in our midst. Rev. Woolf is a forceful speaker and we believe his ministry will be enjoyed by all.

There were four precious young people who consecrated their lives to the Lord Sunday night, and we are expecting greater blessings as the revival continues.

Services every evening at 7:30

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

#### JOHN GREEN AND MISS NICHOLS MARRY

John L. Green, of Dickens, and Miss Birdie Nell Nichols, of Spur ,were married at the Court House in Dickens Wednesday evening of last week.

Green and Mrs. Green who have been E. Payne, of the Dramacic Order citizens at Dickens many years. He Knights of Khoras n at Lubbock is employed by the Bell & Braden Wednesday, April 2. He will visit Construction Company at this time three temples in Texas-Fort Worth, and has been working on the state Lubbock and El Paso. He is on a na-Water Commissioner. He will give highways. you more water for the same money.

(Poltitical Adv.) the Spur Creamery for sometime. -Reported.

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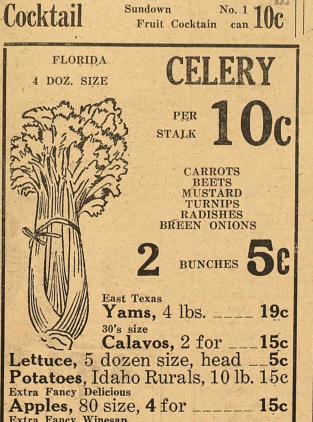
Pythians and "Donkeys" of West Texas are to be honored with a visit The groom is a son of the late Gill by the Imperial Prince, Dr. Thomas tional tour visiting around 21 cities Mrs. Green has been employed at of the United States, before return-

ing to his home at Roanoke, Va. Pythians and "Donkeys" of this section of West Texas are especially invited to be in Lubbock April 2 for the ceremonies at eight o'clock.



Salmon, 2 No. 1 c. 27c Beans, 3 No 2 cans 25c Smacks, 214oz. p. 25c Kraut 2 No 2 cans 15c Corn, 2 No. 2 cans 15c Pears, No. 2½ can 15c Pinto Beans 10 lb 39c Little Rascal Tamales, 16 oz. c. 10c Dog Food, 3 cans 14c

Tissue, roll Soap 10 oz. bar \_\_9c Soap 2, 6 oz bars \_11c



Airway Coffee, 2

**Edwards Coffee** 

Extra Fancy Winesap Apples, 150 size, doz. \_\_\_ Lemons Sunkist 432 size, doz 15c Oranges, Tex. Valencia, doz. 25c Grapefruit, 64 size, 2 for

Mayonnase Dressing Dutchess Quart Salad Dressing Jar Quality Beef ROUND STEAK, pound\_ 29c Quality Beef SEVEN STEAK, pound \_23c Quality Beef CHUCK ROAST, pound \_\_19c Cheese Texas Longhorn lb 19c Kraft Loaf Cheese, 2 pound box \_\_\_\_ 49c Pork Chops, Loin End, lb. 19c Sausage, pure Pork, pound 15c Bulk Sugar Cured Sliced Bacon, pound \_\_\_\_19c Sliced Bacon Maximum lb 29c DRY SALT **Jowls** lb. BULK SUGAR CURED Bacon, squares, lb. 15c