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Wheat Farmers to Vote on Wheat Parity

The wheat growers in Dickens County will have the authority to say by their vote whether or not the wheat parity program shall continue. This vote has been set for Saturday of this week, May 31.

All farmers who have more than 15 acres of wheat planted this year, are eligible to vote. A new ruling has been made on that qualification. The former ruling was that a farmer had to produce as much as 200 bushels. The ruling says he shall have planted more than 15 acre for 1941

The polls for voting shall be open by eight o'clock Saturday morning and shall remain open until seven o'clock in the afternoon. Voting places shall be at the Directors Room in the Spur Security Bank in Spur, the school house at McAdoo, the school house at Patton Springs, the court house at Dickens, and Miller's

Penalty wheat has been defined as excess wheat times normal yield, or times actual production, whichever should be the smaller. The penalty is one half of the loan rate. The producer may put wheat under loan at sixty per cent of the loan value.

Memorial Services Next Sunday

The people of the community have arranged for a memorial service to be held at the high school auditorium next Sunday afternoon at three o' clock. The committee in charge has arranged a very appropriate program for this service and people are extended an urgent invitation to be present. The program outline is as

"America," by congregation. F. W. Jennings, leader.

Invocation by Rev. H. L. Thurston. Quartette—F. G. Collier, Tex Se-christ, E. W. Mars and Alph Glasgow. Mrs. Mars at the piano. Solo-"God Bless America" by Mrs.

R. E. Dickson. Reading, Mrs. O. M. McGinty. Address by Dr. Brewer of Lubbock. "Star Spangled Banner," congregation, F. W. Jennings, leader. Benediction, Rev. C. R. Joyner.

Local Home Guard **Drills Five Times** Per Week

The local Texas Defense Guard has been gathering interest since new uniforms have been available. The officers and members are having drills more frequently and the company is working out in fine shape. They have drills on the following

Monday night at the old Farmall House at 8:15, and Wednesday night at the Farmall House at 8:15. Then, Tuesday morning and Thursday morning of each week at six o'clock on the street in front of the Post Office. Each Sunday afternoon at four o'clock at the high school grounds.

Officers of the company are: Captain, Dr. L. E. Standifer; First Lieutenant, Jack Christian; Second Lieutenant, Lonnie Lewis; Chaplain, John C. Ramsay; Medical Officer, Dr. J. F. Hughes; First Sergeant, Geo. H. Glover; Mess Sergeant, Alph Glasgow; Supply Sergeant, Crit McDonald; Guidon Sergeant, Guy Karr; and Pla-Clarence Foreman.

Billy Ray Wright

Dies from Auto Injuries Billy Ray, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wright, was killed instantly when hit by a passing automobile seven miles north of Spur about four o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Billy Ray was in an automobile coming from Dickens which stopped at a road crossing for him to get out to return to his home about three fourths of a mile east of Highway 70. As he was stepping from the car and atempting to cross the highway, another car hit him. Death re-Reulted instantly.

The body was brought to Curry Funeral Home in Spur where funermodal arrangements are pending .

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Willmon, of Afton, have a new son in their home. He was born May 22 and has been named P. A. Jr. Mother and son are getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jenkins, of Girard, have a new son born Tuesday, May 27. Mother and baby are doing

Mrs. Truett Hutto and Mrs. R. J. Bell were in Lubbock Friday visiting



Mrs. Griffin a Bachelor of Science.

marriage in November, 1937, was an They entered TWC the following Jan- mother worked and attended school

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Griffin and lit- automobile which Mrs. Griffin had uary, both studying, both working at tle daughter, Carol Ann, who have earned taking subscriptions to the any kind of jobs they might secure spent the past three and one-half Dickens County Times, 200 jars of He served as cafe cook, and Mrs. Grif Griffin received their degrees at Tex
fruits and vegetables which she had Griffin received their degrees at Tex
canned the summer before, and a 500 fin did laundry work, cared for babies as Wesleyan College last Monday. Mr. pound hog which Mr. Griffin had but- and most any kind of honest work Griffin receiving a B. A. Degree and chered that fall. But in addition to that could be acquired. these both of them had a determina-Their only assets by which they tion to get through college and a will and possibly should have a degree for might get through college after their to work to make their resolution good. being so nice while her father and

Notice to Class 1-A Some Class 1-A men are having dif-Military Training

ficulty in securing work because they are subject to induction in the near future. If any of these boys would like to volunteer and be inducted for their years training right away there is a place for one to go with two other volunteers on June 16th. Any boy desiring to do this should

get in touch with the Local oBard immediately

-DICKENS COUNTY BOARD Dickens, Texas.

DICKENS GRADUATES RECEIVE DIPLOMAS TONIGHT

Dickens will hold their commencement exercises in the school auditorium tonight. Anthony Hunt, Deputy State Superintendent of Dictrict 2, will deliver the address to the class. Miss Eloise Sharp will give the class salutation, and Miss Imogene William will give the valediction, these being the honor students for the year. There are seventeen to receive di-

plomas. They are: R. D. Armstrong, Margaret Baker, Anne Murphy, Mattie Belle Stanford, Ruby Dell Overstreet, T. W. Dodson, Joe Ousley, Georgia Ruth Beechley, Ardelle Pierce, Ozella Drennon, Lona Dell Arthur, Merle Futch, Wesley Copass, Paul Murchison, Vada Lee Morris, Eloise Sharp and Imogene Wil-

liam. The graduates will leave Sunday afternoon for Galveston and other points to enjoy their annual trip. They will be accompanied by Wade Banow ski, high school principal, and Mrs.

City Employe Injured

While working at the city wells the toon Sergeants, Chas. A. Taylor and a very painful injury. His trousers caught in some of the machinery which pulled his leg into the wheels and twisted his left foot around. All tendons and ligaments were

pulled loose on one side and left in shreds, and the ankle joint dislocated. He was rushed to Nichols Sanitarium where the ligaments were pulled back in place and the foot straightened and the ankle set. He seems to be resting very well at this time and

has a fair chance to retain his foot. Goes to Jacksonville

Wilson (Red) Garner, of the Navy Air Corps, passed through Spur Saturday enroute to Jacksonville Fla., where he will be in training for eight nonths. Mr. Garner successfully passed the 30 days preliminary training at Long Beach, Calif. He is the James L. Ferguson will be in charge. Navy Air Corps. After eigth months mals they wish to dispose of, or dead serve officer in the Navy Air Corps.

Judge and Mrs. Edwin H. Boedeker are the proud parents of a son born Schwarz & Son, and Clarence Smith. May 23. Mrs. Boedeker was in Dallas | salesman, were in Dallas the first of and was at the Baylor Hospital. this week attending the Shoe Manu-Dallas. The baby is reported all right, but Mrs. Boedeker was not doing so well when reports came Mon-

One More Left for

John C. Reynolds, Jr., left yesterday for Fort Bliss to enter military Mr. Reynolds was supplemented for medical examination. Both men are Station, volunteers under the selective ser- Mr. and Mr. Thomson are moving

next call. The next call has been set Wilson & Company at Lubbock.

quired to register July 1. In view of that, possibly there are many young men who would like to volunteer now and get in line for the next call.

Will Present Pupils in Recital

Mrs. J. C. McNeill, III, will present here piano pupils in a public recital at the East Ward auditorium at 7:45 o'clock Friday evening. The program will last about one hour, and the public have a cordial invitation to enjoy this program. Mrs. McNeill has worked diligently with her class and there will be sveral fine selection given Friday evening.

Library Tag Day June 14

The Library Tag sale for last Saturday went over fine. The Library Committee has designated Saturday, June 14, as another Library Tag Day and each second Saturday of each month thereafter.

The committee extends their appreciation to Miss Petie Stokes for her five dollar contribution, and would be glad if others will make contributions. See Mrs. Brannen or Mrs. J. I. Koonsman.

Start Rodeo Apparel Today

All citizens in Spur are requested to wear some type of apparel suggestive of the rodeo, starting today, Thursday, May 29. Get on a pair of boots, a hat, a shirt, or some type of wearing apparel to advertise the rodeo. A penalty will be put on those not cooperating.

SOAP BUSINESS OPENS IN SPUR The Spur Soap Works, a new firm, is opening doors for business here. the Spur Soap Works.

M. C. Golding, manager at B. Judge Boedeker left early Friday for facturer and Salesmen's Convention.

> Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moore, Jr., Sunday visiting friends in Lubbock, ing out.

New Produce Firm

Opens Business

Baby Griffin is now 16 months old

P. H. Thomson, formerly of Lubbock, is opening a new cash produce training under the selective service. house in our city this week. The new business will be located in the build-Walter Murray who failed to pass the ing just south of the Mission Service

to Spur this week and are becoming The County Draft Board stated this citizens among us. Mr. Thomson has week that they are needing more vol- been in the produce business quite a unteers to place on the list for the while and has been associated with

He asks favorable consideration of Under a new act of Congress all the people of Spur country, and wants persons who have become 21 years to treat everybody fair and build up of age since last October, will be re-

Golf Tournament to Start Saturday

The Espuela Golf and Country Club is starting its first tournament of the year Saturday afternoon, May 31 This tournament will last about ten days, closing Monday, June 9. All players are requested to turn

in their qualifying scores by noon Saturday in order that the matches may be made up. Place score cards in the lock box at the Golf House or give them to F. F. Vernon, the tournament chairman. Several players have already turned in their qualifying

This tournament is for ladies, too. Ladies have a 40 par on the course, and all fairways of 400 yards or more the ladies get one extra stroke on each said fairway.

The tournament is to be closed with a big feed which everybody will en-

Girard School Faculty Re-Elected

The following faculty members of the Girard School were re-elected for the 1941-1942 school term: Miss La-Delle Macon, first grade and Primary Music; Mrs. Marvin T. Hill, second grade and art; Mrs. Margaret Waggoner, third grade; Miss Melba Hazel, language arts in the intermediate grades and music; Miss Stella Freeman, English; Mr. Rex Newsom, social science and coach; Mr. Marvin T. Hill, Commerce and high school principal. Superintendent E. M. Richardson was re-elected for another twoyear term. Other members to the faculty will be added at a later date.

ALL SCHOOLS RUN 9 MONTHS

All the schools in Dickens County this year were able to conduct a only boy from Dickens County in the He asks that anyone who ha old ani- term of nine months, according to reports from the County Superintenmore training he will become a re- animals they want removed to phone dent's office. This is the first time in history the county that this has happened.

NOTICE

The local Red Cross has moved its headquarters from the former place to the Davis building next door to the bakery. The office will be open Saturday afternoon from two to five to and Mr. and Mrs. Max Ward spent receive any clothing coming in or go-

Goes to High School

Large Class

The graduation exercises for the Grammar School department Monday evening revealed that 54 young peoole are entering high school in the freshman class next year. Grammar school diplomas, admitting to high school, were awarded by Supt. O. C. Thomas at the close of a very interesting program.

The large class marched in while William D. Starcher gave the processional. Rev. H. L. Thurston gave the invocation.

Supt. O. C. Thomas made the announcements, after which C. R. Brown, commander of the American Legion Post, made the American Legion award. Robert Williams, grammar school principal, made the special awards which was a long list. Jackie Jean Rector gave hte salutatory and Billy Joe McCombs gave the valedictory. Wade Banowsky, high school principal at Dickens, gave the address to the class, using as his subject, "Worlds."

The benediction was given by Rev. H. L. Burnam. Those receiving diplomas to enter

high school were: Doyle Okin, Roy Lee Ball, Kenneth Carlisle, Norma Lucille Thurston, Vera Doris Pickens, Lou Nell Wright, Jewel Etha Rich, Calvin B. Holloway, Marjorie Randall, Edward D. Smith, Calla Jo Ann Smith, Frank McNeill, Joyce Vernell Wilson, Orville L. Robinson, Mary Louise Puckett, Peggie Louise Smith, Peggy Dean Donovan,

J. W. Wade, Lavaughn O. Webb, James Loe, Zane Quintin Freeman, Mary Geenota Dement, Billie Joe McMahan, Charles Don Finley, Charles Roy Arrington, Billy Lee Glenn, Richard Davis Emma Pearl Gruben, Billie Jean Holloway, E. Bachman, Betty Lou Smith, Come! You are welcome. Mary Louise Burnam, Adis Belle An-

porotha Jean Meadors, Billie Louise Conoway, Alvis Pete Adcock, Alice Palma Barclay, Jackie Reed, Jean Woodrum, Byrdean Robreson, Zelda Norwetta Williams, Doris Rape Virginia Ruth Crockett, Eurena House. ginia Ruth Crockett, Eurena Hoover, Betty Jo Nix, Joy Allene Christensen, Nelda Jo Hindman, Jerry Condron, Charlese Powell, Gwendolyn McAlpine, Billy Joe McCombs, Jacqueline Jean Rector, William D. Starcher.

One boy and one girl in the seventh grade clas were given American Legian awards. These awards were made on the basis of scholarship, personality, dependability and service. Orville L. Roberson was the boy selected by his class, and Norma Lucille Thurston was the girl selected.

Exhibit Saturday

The various Ladies' Home Demonstration Clubs in the county held their annual exhibit last Saturday. This exhibit was sponsored by the Expansion and Exhibit Committee. Every demonstration club in the county prepared a set-up but on account of the rain several clubs did not get to display their exhibit.

The Afton club featured cakes and ean Anderson, they had some good ones. The Slo-dier Mound Club featured a flower arrangement consisting of both gar- cock Olin Thomason, Bobbie Lee Adden flowers and wild flowers. High- ams, Hershell Brown, Richard Dees. way featured articles made of flow- Gwendolyn Driggers, Alpha Jo Biler sacks and feed sacks.

of cotton. Duck Creek was to have Marna LaDell Smith exhibited kitchen utensils.

fruits and vegetables.

various displays. The exhibit was held in the Nellie J. Davis building son and Jean Collier. just north of the city office.

Law Abolishes Tax Penalties

A new law on the state statute books today abolished penalties on of July 1, 1940, if paid by Nov. 1, 1941, with six per cent interest. The statute, signed yesterday by

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, also permitted cities and school districts to adopt the plan. Another new measure would allow

refunding from the state's general revenue fund m oneys spent by the Texas unemployment compensation commission which were not approved by the federal social security board.

A Correction in Price

In their advertisement last week a mistake was made in quotation for the Servel Electrolux sold by C. H. Elliott. The price for a 6-Cubic Foot box should have been \$196.50. This is a fine refrigerator for Butane Gas, and the C. H. Elliott Appliance would like to exhibit this box to you.

George Gabriel of the Fair Store, spent the first of the week in Dallas attending the big shoe convention. He was accompanied by his little son,

Spur Round-Up to **Feature County's Golden Anniversary**

The main theme of the annual show of the Spur Round-Up Association this year is the celebration of the Golden Anniversary of the organization of Dickens County. The management is trying to emphasize this historical event in a way that will be appreciated by everybody who may be present for the event June 20-21.

The first officers for Dickens County assumed their official duties in April 1891, and they made a set-up which has been the pride of every citizen in the county since that date. The early settlers will have their part in the rodeo which will be staged on the above dates. As many activities as will bring back the memory of early days as possible have been outlined by those in charge. All of them are people who know the early customs and activities of the West when Dickens County was organized.

The Old Cowboys' roping contest has been especially outlined for the early-day cowboys. No one under the age of 55 years may enter this event, and the real purpose is to give theme an opportunity to exhibit the

People of Dickens County are working diligently to give the visitors to the rodeo the best time they have ever enjoyed at any show. Every cooperation is being manifested and the sentiment is as if one man were speaking. Citizens of neighbor towns have a welcome extended them to come and enjoy a real wild west performance in a well organized manner.

The East Ward School held promotion exercises with the pupils rendering an operetta as the school exercises. For more than an hour these little folk kept the attention of approximately 1,000, and when the program had ended most everyone present was wondering how these pupils did it. The theme of the evening was "The Origin of Our Flag," and the story was of great interest to every-

Mrs. G. B. Wadzeck, principal at East Ward, presented reading certificates, attendance certificates and promotion certificates to a class of 52 who are going into grammar school together.

The following is the list of promotions:

Nina Nep Loe, Bobbie Lee Smith, Dennis Bingham, Charles Armstrong, Joseph Henson Creola Rector, Virginia McNeill, Dorothy Boykin, Camilia Lou Moore, Mervene Bays, Donnie Dell Scott, Betty Lou Wade, Ima Jean Sandall Wanda Elkins, Betty

Bayard Edgar, Nelson Rape, Joe Rodriguez, Jack Brown, Oscar Peabrey, Lena Floy Denson, Evelyn Bar-Dickens was to feature the cotton clay, Darlen Christenson, Kathryn stamp program giving articles that Garrett Carrie Louise Kimmel, Jamie may be purchased by cotton stamps. Nell Simmons, Bobbie Rhea Stanley, Espuela was to exhibited the more use Ruby Dean Allison, Betty Sechrist,

Kenneth Hairgrove, Johnnie Webb. Mrs. Blanche Collier received the Clifford Smith, Billy Merl Randall, ventillated pantry with 72 jars of Austin Watson, Coy Ray Henson, Bobbie Wright Delmon Ray Smith, During the exhibit more than 200 Mary ean Copeland, Ernestine Berry, people registered who went in to see Ann Hull, Ernestine Boothe, Sylvia Coffman, Carlene Yoes, Winona Wil-

HUNT OUT YOUR SPONSORS

Ladies in the community who desire to serve as sponsors at the Spur Round-Up Rodeo, are requested to contact those merchants whose sponsor they would like to be. Merchants county or state taxes delinquent as are requested to see some lady to serve as their sponsors at once. All name should be registered with Charlie Fox, the Sponsor chairman.

Without sponsor there will be no grand entry at the opening of each performance. Also, they are needed in the parade.

PATTON SPRINGS GRADUATION FRIDAY NIGHT

The Patton Springs High School will graduate 26 Seniors on Friday night, May 30, 1941. This is the largest class ever to be graduated from this school since its consolidation in 1934-35.

The honor students of the class of

1941 are: Bettie Jo Glazner, Valedictorian, four year average of 93.6. Della Dean Baxter, Salutatorian,

our year average of 92.8. Leone Rogers, third, four year av-The highest ranking boys are:

Weldon Miller with an 82.1 average. R. B. Thanisch with an 81.6 aver-

CLOVER FARM STORES MEATS

HOLLIS ATKEISON, Owner, Spur, Texas FINE FOODS AT LOWER PRICES This Sale Friday and Saturday May 30-31

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SALMON Glendale "Pinks", No. 1 tall can	19¢
TOMATO JUICE Campbell's 2 14-oz ci	
OXYDOL Regular 25c pkg, Special price pkg.	22¢

	Large Size, 2 for	
	Canteloupes	25¢
	Fresh, bunch	-1/
	Asparagus	7½¢
	Fresh, per pound Black Eye Peas	_5¢
	Texas, pound Cucumbers	_ 5¢
	English, 2 pounds	
	Peas	15¢
	California, 2 for Lettuce	_ 9¢
	Matchless Sliced, per po	und
	Bacon	254
	Pork, pound Roast	19¢
	Chops	32¢
	Cottage, pound	G LA RE
	Cheese	15¢
Section 2	Pork, pound Chops	
	Tender, pound	
1	Loin Steak	29¢
SAMO	Dressed Fryers, catfish,	shrimp
	Lava 2 for	
	Soap	15¢
	3-pound can	FC
	Crisco	56¢

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Clover Farm, 3½ oz. Queen Olives 10¢
Clover Farm Vienna, no. ½ can Sausage 10¢ Clover Farm, 2 no. ¼ cans
Potted Meat 9¢
2½ ounce jar Sliced Beef 15¢
Spork 27¢ Table Garden, 16-oz can
Potato Salad 14¢ Glendale, 14-oz bottle
Clover Farm, Quart jar
Salad Dressing 29¢ Clover Farm, All flavors, 12-ozs
Jelly 15¢ Clover Farm, 12-oz can Pineapple juice 10¢
White Swan, 12-oz can Orange juice 10¢
White Swan, 12-oz can Prune Juice 9¢
Sunshine, pkg Butter cookies _ 15¢ Cream. 5-lb sack
Cream, 5-lb sack Meal 12¢ Pure Cane, 25-lb sack
Sugar \$1.40 Ribbon Cane, ¼ gallon
Syrup 29¢ Clover Farm, 2 no. 300 cans Spaghetti 19¢
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Free Iced Tea	Glasses	With Li	pton Tea
4 with 1 pound _			89¢
2 with ½ pound _			45¢
1 with 1/4 pound	254 311		23c

NOTICE TO ALL RESIDENTS

OF DICKENS COUNTY

DISPOSE of please call the SPUR SOAP WORKS and we will

call at your home and Dispose of them for you. Without any charge

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Mrs. Jones Honored on 74th Birthday Anniversary

J. C. Jones on her 74th birthday, Sunday, May 25. Dinner was served ford Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Lewis and on the back lawn of the Tom Jones

Jake Jones and Jackie, Mrs. Jack pthy and expressions of kindness, and Moore and son, Lloyd Byron of Spur, the floral offering have been a great comfort to us in our great loss. May Mr. and Mrs. Matt Dillingham, Sarah and Ikey, of McCamey; Mrs. J. W. er. A party was given honoring Mrs. Hembree, Richard and Sue, of Ballinford, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lewis and Mrs. Med Wade, Mr. and Mrs. M.

Funeral serivces for Levi Houston Cross were conducted at Dickens Tuesday afternoon. Wade Banowsky was in charge of the services and interment followed in Dickens cemetery with Campbell's Funeral Chapel in charge of arrangements.

Levi H. Cross

Buried Tuesday

Active pallbearers were: D. F. Christopher, T. B. Haney, R. O. Williams, Paul Loe, E. J. Offield and D. Loe. Flower bearers: Eula Merrell, Mrs. Harold Alexander, a granddaughter, Lavillas Alexander, a great granddaughter, Yvonne Cross, a reat granddaughter, Mary Anne Alis and Sue Loe.

The death of Mr. Cross was rather the kitchen to prepare breakfast. She found Mr. Cross dead, his body suspended by a rope. She screamed took charge and conducted an in-

Mr. Cross was a native of Tennes-He was a son of the Late Frank Cross of Tennessee. He came to Texas while a young man and settled in East Texas. He became acquainted

whom survive. Ramsey of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Ella work from the band. Capshaw of Petersburg, Mrs. Dora Mrs. Della Butler of Ft. Smith, Ark. present for the funeral except two. Out of town relatives and friends who attended the funeral were: L. N. Hairston of Littlefield; J. A. Ramsey of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bryan of Loveland, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Thomason of Bridgeport, other communities usually need Miss Ollie Thomason of Electra, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Alvis and daughter, Mary Anna, of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright of Flomot, Will Merrell of Flomot, Willard Merrell and Ula Mae and Billie of Silverton. E. G. Rice, Quitique, Lem Brock of

Nichols of Quitique. Mr. Cross was converted in 1913 and was baptized into the Church of Christ where he has held his membership ever since. He and Mrs. Cross moved to Dickens County in January

Flomont; H. S. Gilbert of Flomont,

Mrs. Edna Cox of Quitigue, Mrs. Ida

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and deep appreciation to all who assisted us in any way at the time of the death of our loved one. Your words of symheaven bless each of you is our pray

THE PARHAM FAMILY

Abb Gallagher, Jo, Buddy and Dan;

Citizens Petition for Band Tax

A petition has been circulated and signed by more than ten per cent of the voters of the City of Spur asking the Commissioners to submit a band tax proposition to the citizens. This petition is being sumitted to the City Commission for action. Also, a subsequent petition signed by the same voters requests that the tax be not to exceed one mill on the dollar. That tax would amount to ten cents per hundred dollars and one dollar per thousand dollars of taxable valuation. The average home owner in Spur would pay about one dollar per year as a band tax. A home taxed at

ragical. Mrs. Cross arose about six \$1,500 would pay \$1.50 band tax each clock Monday morning and went to year. Most anyone could afford that amount in order to have a good band for Spur.

Under our present condition it is which cause neighbors to rush in to secure and retain a good band in-They summoned Judge Esridge who structor because the limited amount of funds the schools have to expend for the band. Yet there is no feature of the school work that is meaning see and was born October 9, 1865. more to this community than the work that is being done with the school band.

There is another feature that should he considered. The town needs the with Miss Minnie Belle Thomason and band in summer more often than in they were married at Greenville, Tex., ne winter. When school is out the September 23, 1888. Ten children band instructor's work is over and were born into the home, eight of usually he goes on a vacation usually more because his pay has been stop The survivors are the widow and ned than from any other reason. The eight children as follows: Mrs. L. band tax will enable us to keep the N. Harrison of Littlefield, Mrs. J. A. band director here and get more real

Also, there are always extra in-Taylor of Post, Mrs. Mattie Watkins, struments that have to be purchased. and the people have been doing this L. E. Cross of Afton, and Elmer Cross by way of donations. The band tax of Plains. All of the children were will take care of these extra instruments and furnish a few uniforms each year and keep our band in good condition. Then the band director will not feet cramped in entering our band in contests, or taking them to various places to give program. Also,

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West Texas Frontier

Fiesta at Moro The annual Frontier Fiest for West Texas will be held at the B. M. Burks place at Moro, 35 miles southwest from Abilene Friday night, June 6. All of the 17 candidates for United States Senator have been invited to be present and address the people. The program will begin at eight o'clock Friday eveing and continue all

through the night. People of Spur country have been extended an invitation. Free camp grounds for all tourists, and all enertainment is free to everybody.

J. W. Burks writes that they expect to make this the biggest event in Taylor County.

S. C. Poteet, of Steel Hill, was attending to business and chatting with friends here Saturday.

AFTON BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School, 10 a .m. Preoching, 11:00 B. T. U., 6:45 Preaching, 7:30.

Everybody cordially invited to attend thees services. W. F. Pool, Pastor,

these places during vacation and play friends here Saturday. and bring a few dollars back to Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richey, of Cro- city Tuesdty.

band and our school band could go to ton, were trading and visiting with

J. O. Morris, of McAdoo, was attending to business affairs in our



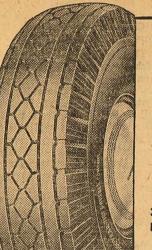
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A Surprise Mother's Day Gathering

The hearts of Aunt Betty and Un- of Catfish community. cle Tom Smith were made glad on dren were present and are: William Smith, his son, Alvin, his two chiland two children, Wanda Ray and ter; Lon Fuqua, wife and son and

Other relatives present were: a sis-Mother's Day when their children, ter of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Rich- Fuqua and wife. relatives, neighbors and friends began ard Smiltser, with two sons and a to gather at their home in Catfish daughter, a niece, Mrs. Allen Lucas, Tom made 91 to enjoy the day tocommunity. All three of their chil- her husband two sons and two daugh- gether, playing games, talking over ters, all of Verbena community.

dren, Peggy Lou and Clarence Alvin, Lewis and wife and two daughters: brought in by the guests. All join and Billy Smith all of Lower Red Alfred Fuqua, wife and three chil-Mud; Frank Smith, his wife, Viola, dren; Glee Sweeney, wife and daugh- days.

Long-Term Loans to Buy Farms

to Be Made by F S A Loans with which worthy tenant farmers may buy family-size farms are again to be made in Dickens County, according to a n announcement received today from J. Otha Winslar, Jr., Farm Security Administration supervisor.

For the second year, Dickens County, according to an announcement of Agriculture, Claude R. Wickard, as one in which this program will operate. Loans which bear three per cent interest and are repayable over a 40-year period are to be made to worthy tenants, sharecroppers, and farm laborers to establish themselves on their own land.

This program is very important now that we are engaged in this defense work," Mr. Winslar said. "Ownership of land by people who farm it is 2 good defense against foreign "isms" as well as posible invading

Loan applications may be had from the Farm Security office located on the second floor of bank building, Spur, Texas. Both white and negro farmers are eligible for these loans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinson, of Kalgary, were meeting friends and trading here Saturday.

daughter; then Lloyd Evans, wife and Bettie Fay, of Robert Lee; Riley four children of Spur; Will Klepper Smith, his wife, Jettie, and their sev- and wife of Red Top, Gene Fry and en children, Inez, Christine Irma, children and Mrs. Jennie Fry, Aaron, Ernest, Nell, Donald and Alvis, all Sylva, and Johnny McClain; Matt Howell, wife and three sons; Ray Stoneman, wife and six boys; Edd

Those with Aunt Betty and Uncle old times, taking pictures and all en-Others from Red Mud were: Walter joyed a delicious dinner which was in wishing them many more happy

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SPUR. TEXAS



Ventilate Poultry Houses in Summer

Owners of poultry should plan now for the comfort of their laying hens during the hot months just ahead.

Service poultry husbandman, says the walls of the poultry house and the themselves. In that way they will main source of comfort is ventilation of hen houses, especially near the floor which will allow a steady flow of air at a level where it will do the most good. Hens, like humans, get hot in summer. They do their best to show it by pearching near the front of the poultry house with wings extended, or congregate in the shade of trees away from their feed, water and nests. Absence of proper ventilation often is responsible for sum-

sumption and egg production .

mer colds that are hard to control. back part is of wire or slats, it is As a result, hens drop off in feed con- considerably more comfortable for laying hens. Some poultrymen are Another element of the ventilation removing partitions in nests and leavprbolem is nests. McCarthy says it ing long, trough-like nests. The reahas been fould that where nests are son is that several hens cannot crowd George P. McCarthy, Extension built at least four inches from the into a small section but will distribute

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Jones A. Bridge Married

Miss Ruby Nell Morgan became the bride of Corporal Jone A. Bridge, Saturday, May 10. The ceremony was read before the altar in the Saint Pauls Methodist Church in Las Cruces, New Mexico, by the Rev. Clyde K. Campbell.

Attendants were Miss Roe Gra-ham of Las Cruces, and Mr. Nathan Smith of El Paso. The bride wore a pink alpace dress with navy blue accessories and corsage of pink carnation.

Mrs. Bridge graduated from Spur High School with the class of 1937 and attended Texas State University the following year. She is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Pearl Morgan of Espuela community.

Corporal Bridge is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bridge of Afton, Texas, an d is with the First Signal Troop at Fort Bliss, Texas.

IN EVERY LOVELY THING I see your face in every lovely thing, The morning light, the first sweet joy of spring;

Dear Mother.

A treasured, half forgotten thought, a song I sing, see your face, Dear Mother, n every lovely thing.

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Mrs. Jesse Mallory and children Ruby Nell Morgan and Funeral for J. A. Brown Monday

Funeral services for John A. Brown were conducted Monday afternoon at the First Methodist Church. Rev. H. L. Thurston, the pastor, was in charge of the services. / Interment followed in Spur cemetery with Campbell's Funeral Home in charge of arrange-

Mr. Brown became ill in September of last year, and it appears that he never could make recovery. He went to Amarillo and spent some time at the Veterans' Hospital and then re-turned home. Afterward he went to the Veterans' Hospital at Waco where he remained several weeks. He was there when he passed away Saturday afternoon at 6,30 o'clock. The body was brought to Spur by a Campbell

ambulance. He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Bertie Marrs Brown and three children; J. C. Brown of Spur, Mrs. Alton Spraberry of Girard and Mrs. Oran Bethel of New Harmony, Indiana. There is one brother, Arthur Brown, and one sister, Mrs. Beulah

Scott, both of whom live in Tennesse. Mr. Brown was a native of Teniessee and was born at Rhea Springs I see your face in every levely thing, March 30, 1874. He was 67 years of age last March. He met Mrs. Bertie Marrs Brown and they were married while in Tennessee in 1910. Mr. Brown was a soldier in the Spanish-Ameri- are welcome. can War, serving from his native

Mr. and Mrs. Brown moved to Dickens County in 1918 and bought Misery of a farm in Midway community. They moved to Spur in 1933 where they have made their home.

He was converted at the age of nineteen and was a member of the Methodist Church when he passed Try "Rub-My-Tism" - A Wonderful away. He lived a devoted Christian life, and his children spoke of him as a faithful and kind father.

First Presbyterian Church

John C. Ramsay, Minister 10 a.m., Cap McNeill, Superinten-

11 a.m., Morning Worship and the Word. Sermon: "God's Security for the Believer."

3 p. m., Outpost Sunday School. 7 p. m., Young People's League, Bertha Nelle Walker, president. 8 p. m., Evening Worshing and the Word. Sermon: "The Lord, Only

When we can Be Found." Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Wednesdays. You are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Harrell, of Red Mud, were in town Saturday doing some trading and talking with friends.

Mrs. Tol Merriman, of Twin Wells, was in town Saturday visiting friends and doing some shopping.



FOR SALE—Good cotton seed planting. See Pen Shugart., FOR SALE - Late modle table top electric range. Phone 246 or 244, 1tc IRONING WANTED - Shirts Specialty. See Mrs. Reeves at home. Whitwell residence.

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2:45 p. m., Preaching, 3:30 p. m., Lord's Supper, Sermon Subjects— June 1, "The Dangers of Going to Church"; June 8, "What Comes Before The Harvest'?; June 15, "The Church Member with Less Chance in Judgement Than Bob Ingersoll."

SPUR CHURCH OF CHRIST June First

Bible school, 10:00 a.m., Preaching, 11:00 a. m., Lord's Supper, 11:45 a. m., Preaching, 8:00 p. m., Sermons: Morning, C. V. Allen, 'The Dangers of Going to Church.' Evening: Dalton Johnston.

Ministers' Alliance

The monthly meeting of the Minister's Alliance next Monday, June 2, at 10 p. m. This meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian Church. All ministers of Dickens County SECRETARY

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quickly is reaffirmed by a report of a Texas Game Warden. While pato take a bite of grass, jump and then

dead within five minutes. Two cowboys nearer the calf than the arden Thas rattlesnakes can be deadly a half foot black diamond rattler and that their poison can act very which had fourteen rattlers. The

The snake evidently had not struck trolling near Pearsall recently the at anything for some time and its warden saw a large calf reach down poison sacks were filled with venom. The warden's report concluded: "It run toward him. The calf dropped is not because boots are pretty that within ten feet of the warden after the southwest Texas game warden running seventy-two paces and was wants to wear them while patrolling.

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