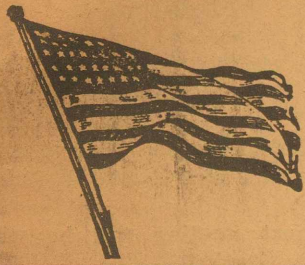


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Bulldogs To Meet Rule Eagles Here Friday Night

Large Number Of Men Leave For Service

One of the largest lists of men left Saturday morning for the army service since the U. S. has become involved in war. If other countries are sending men in as great numbers as Dickens county, and no doubt they are, it will not be long until the Stars and Stripes will be leading the largest Army in the world.

These men will be received at Lubbock camp and sent from there to different points. Those leaving were: Lonnie Lewis Sharp, Volvie L. Wilson, Allen Ray Crawford, Truman H. Houston, Lawrence Harrell Pense, Elton Davis Cook (Voc), George Dewey Nobles, John Monroe Aston, Jr., Jesse Airon McClain, James Dalton Lehev.

Clifford William Dozier, transferred, Raymond G. Beadle, Billy Hahn, Willie Lee Dean, Roy A. Scott, Walter Merrel Erath, Garland J. B. Dean, Frank Culberth, Harold Brantley, Jesus, Velasquez, William Robert Carroll, Frank Charles Darden, transferred, Pat Mullins, Frank Edward Johnson, Leonard Cornelius, Rufus Sidney Nutt, Harvey Edward Childress, Martin Earnest Moudy.

Enlisted—William Charles Gruben, Homer Belton Allison, Weldon Roscoe H. Evans, Joe Austin Potts. Robert Wesley Reagan was transferred to this county.

REPORTED IMPROVING

Mrs. Dillard Williams underwent an operation at a Lubbock sanitarium Tuesday of last week. Reports on her condition are that she is improving and expects to be back home before long.

Mrs. Williams is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Neaves of Espuela community.

Spur Bulldogs Go Over Rotan

Going into action with plenty of determination the Spur Bulldogs won their first no-conference game over Rotan last Friday night. Making the 55 mile drive from Spur the Bulldogs arrived in time to make a short workout on the Rotan field and then when the whistle blew, went into action to win from the beginning.

Wilburn Ball served as captain of the team Friday night and was very successful in piloting them to a 13 to 0 victory over their opponents. Ball crossed for both counters in the game and Keith Garner kicked one extra point.

The Bulldogs had only had one week of workout to get ready for this game. Coach Jack Christian stated they made several errors, but in all the boys played a fine game.

The Bulldogs play the Rule Eagles here next Friday evening at the Jones Stadium. The game will be called about nine o'clock, and it is expected to be a fast one. Lets be out and help the Bulldogs get those Eagle feathers.

TYPEWRITERS AND ADDING MACHINES

I will be in Spur today (Thursday) to repair typewriters and adding machines. Contact me at the Dickens County Times office. Phone 30. Years of experience.

Charles Stigler

Ira Sullivan, of Killeen, arrived here last week to visit his mother Mrs. Fannie Sullivan, and sister, Mrs. Elmer Shugart, of Red Hill community. He returned home Monday stating that he will have to go to Norfolk, Va., soon. He is joining the U. S. Navy.

Cotton Pickers May Be Secured

Farmers in Dickens County may be able to secure some help to pick their cotton this fall if they will make an estimate of about the number of pickers they will need and leave that information with A. C. Hull, president of the Chamber of Commerce, at the Red Front Drug Store, or with O. C. Arthur, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, at the post office in Spur.

Mr. Hull has been in conference with F. A. Wells and M. W. Walden, supervisors of the U. S. Employment service, and has received some encouragement to the effect that some pickers may be secured. But first the employment service office must know about the number needed. So, get your list to Mr. Hull at the Red Front Drug, or to Mr. Arthur at the post office.

Scouts Promoted At Court Of Honor

A number of Boy Scouts of the Breaks-Plains District received promotion and awards at a court of honor held at the Court House in Dickens Monday night. O. C. Arthur, court of honor chairman, was in charge of the ceremonies and had everything well planned. He called the meeting to order and stated the purpose of it.

The ceremonies were started with an invocation by Rev. H. L. Thurston, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Spur. H. G. Unger, Scout Executive for the South Plains Council Area, was present and Mr. Arthur introduced him and asked him to make a few remarks which he did. Boy Scouts were promoted as follows: the number after each name being the number of the troop:

Tenderfoot rank—James Thurmond Swanner, 35; John Hayden Moore, 35. Presentation made by George S. Link.

Second Class rank—Billie Sharp, 117. Presentation made by Pierce Burns.

First Class Rank—Norman Burns, 36; and R. C. Littlefield 117. Presentation made by H. L. Thurston.

Star Scout—Carlton Dodson, 117. Presentation made by Jack Christain, chairman of the Breaks-Plains District.

Life Scouts—George Walker, 35; Kenneth Street, 117; Cecil Hugh Meador, 117. Presentation made by Jack Christain.

Five Year Service Award—W. N. McCombs, 35; Frank Vernon 35; Presentation made by G. H. Unger, South Plains Council Executive.

Eagle Scout (Highest Rank in Scouting)—Frank Vernon, 35. The Presentation was made by Mr. Unger and Mrs. F. F. Vernon, Scout Mother was asked to pin the badge of Eagle Scout on her son.

A number of merit badges were awarded to various Scouts for extra work they have done in their rank, building toward a higher rank. The merit badges were awarded for such work as First Aid, Life Saving, Nature Study, Types of Farming, Printing, and other practical work. The awards to each Scout could not be obtained from the Court of Honor, but the following named Scouts were awarded merit badges:

George Walker, 35; Wm. D. Starcher, Jr., 35; Alvis Adeock, 36; Doyle Akin, 36; Jack Ramsay, 36; Kenneth Street, 117; Cecil Hugh Meadors, 117; Carlton Dodson, 117; Jimmie Murphy, 117. The Presentations were made by W. D. Starcher.

Chairman Jack Christain made the Court of Honor Address and dwelt largely along the lines of what boys should do to become good citizens. He admonished the Scouts of life.

NEW BOOK-KEEPER AT EAST AFTON

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Goodwin have a new girl in their home. She weighed six pounds September 12, when born and has been named Martha Sue. Just when she will take charge of affairs at the East Afton Gin is not known, but she is telling the manager now how the world stands. Mother and daughter are reported doing fine.

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT INCREASING

The enrollment at the Spur High School checked 245 Monday morning. It is thought that the enrollment will reach around 275 during the first semester.

J. A. Goodwin, of Lubbock, cotton dealer and ginner, was in Spur Saturday looking after business affairs and talking with friends.



MACK WOODRUM GAINS COMMISSION

Friends of Mack Woodrum, who enlisted some months ago in the Army service from the County Agricultural Agents office in Dickens County, will be glad to know he has received his commission with the rank of First Lieutenant. Mr. Woodrum has been stationed at Fortress Monroe, Va., since leaving home, attending an officers training camp. He has written several letters home to friends and very often to his family, and in all of them he has said there is very little idle time in the Army.

Mr. Woodrum has been in the Extension Service work of the A and M College several years, coming to Dickens County from Jayton where he served as county agricultural agent. He had been in Dickens County a little more than three years when he volunteered into the service of our country.

ANOTHER SPUR BOY PROMOTED

Friends of Sgt. Tom C. Condon will be glad to know he has received another promotion. He is now a Technical Sergeant at Fort Bliss. He received this promotion as the result of his meritorious application to duty. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Condon north of Spur.

Harold Newberry, groceryman at Hamlin, was in Spur Tuesday greeting friends and talking business. Mr. Newberry stated his son joined the U. S. Navy about three weeks ago and that now he has no dependents, and is expecting to get a call before too long. He is a former employee of the Clover Farm Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Smith and children of Wheatland, Calif. were here the last of the week visiting his mother. While here they attended services at one of the churches in Spur, showing their interest in the greater things of life. They returned to California the first of this week.

JOHNNY PEACOCK HAS NEW ADDRESS

A letter from Johnny Peacock this week stated that his address has been changed. He stated he enjoyed reading the Dickens County Times and said that it seems to be his only source of news from Spur now except when an aunt writes to him. Johnny was on the Spur Bulldogs line up last year, and it would be fine if the members of the Spur football squad would write to him, and it would be nice of members of the Pep Squad would join in on this program. His address is: Johnny Peacock, Grop 1, Schools Class 8, Section 4, U. S. Navy Training School, San Diego, Calif.

It may seem strange to many that there has to be so much to this address, but when it comes to hunting up one man in a camp of 12,000 to 15,000, you must almost have him in the proper section to get him. Johnny will appreciate a letter from friends here.

JOYCE SMITH WRITES FROM CAMP

Dear Friends at Spur: Thought I would write you a few lines to let you know I am doing fine and having a swell time, even if I do not get to go to town. I guess it would sound unreasonable for me to say that I had not been to town since the 10th of August. It does sound like a mighty long time to me, but the time sure does fly by here. It only seems like it was just two or three days ago that I was on the train coming out here, but that was three weeks ago.

I suppose you would like to know a little about what I am doing. Well, to start the day off, I get up at 5:30, shave and get ready for chow, which happens to be breakfast. Every meal you eat is called chow. Of course, I have to make my bunk, or supposed to before chow. Then after I come back from chow I start working on my rifle and bayonet, and getting everything shined up for inspection. After we get through inspection we start drilling, and drill until noon. We lunch at 11:30. Then about 1:15, p. m. we have lectures, and some more marching until about 3:00 p. m. Then we take a shower and wash our clothes and hang them up to dry. After that we start cleaning our rifles again. We clean it both morning and night.

After about 6:30, p. m. we usually go to a picture show, but if we do not, we do not get to go to bed before 9:00, p. m. I guess that just about finishes the day. Oh, yes, I will get to go on rifle range the second or third of September. Sure will be glad when that time comes.

I guess that is about all you would care about hearing. So, if any of you would care to write me, my address is Pvt. Joyce M. Smith, Platoon 643, R. D. M. C. B. San Diego, California.

Dated Sunday, August 30, 1942.

VISIT'S RELATIVES HERE

Sgt. and Mrs. C. C. Kissinger, of Fort Bliss, were here the first of the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Calvert, and other relatives and friends. Sgt. Kissinger is with the Army Air Corps at Fort Bliss and has reached the rank of First Sergeant. He has been in the Army service the past six years. He graduated from Spur High School in 1934.

Pvt. Luther D. Powell is stationed at Fort Omaha, Neb. doing office work. He operates a T. B. M. machine and is with Headquarters of the 7th Corps Area.

D. C. Bradley of Jayton left Monday for Dallas to meet his call in the U. S. Navy. He has been manager of the West Texas Utilities Office at Jayton for some time. Mrs. Bradley has accepted a position in the city schools at Elgin where her people live and has gone there.

Andy Hurst Jr., who has been stationed at Sheppard field, has been transferred to Ballinger and is an AVC Cadet. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hurst, here visited him Sunday.

Spur Football Schedule

The Spur Bulldogs have outlined a very fine schedule of games for this season. One game has already been played and the second game will be Friday night. The following is a list of games and where played:

- Sept. 11. Rotan at Rotan.
- Sept. 18. Rule at Spur.
- Sept. 26. Haskell at Haskell.
- Oct. 2. Hamlin at Spur.
- Oct. 9. Matador at Spur.
- Oct. 16. Ralls at Spur.
- Oct. 23. Lockney at Lockney.
- Oct. 30. Crosbyton at Crosbyton.
- Nov. 6. Open. No game.
- Nov. 11. Paducah at Spur. (Armistice Day)
- Nov. 20. Open.
- Nov. 26. Floydada at Spur. This is the Thanksgiving game and is always played with the Whirlwinds.

The Pep Squad and School Band will assist the Bulldogs as far as they can at each game.

Lunch Room Project Discussed Monday

The question of school lunch rooms was debated by a number of welfare workers at Dickens Monday morning. A number of schools want school lunch rooms again this year and it seems the lunch rooms can be operated again provided there are enough certified workers to carry on the work.

It was stated that those schools which will dismiss for cotton picking will not get a lunch room until after they re-assemble after the cotton picking period.

Wichita school made application for fresh fruits and fruit juices. Dry Lake, Dickens and Patton Springs have made applications for hot lunches as have been carried on in those schools before.

Those attending the meeting were: Mrs. Johnnie Weaver, representing the Texas Public Welfare Association; Mr. Wright of Lubbock, representing the Commodity Credit and Agriculture Marketing Association; Mrs. Lee of Knox City District, Lunch room Supervisor Mrs. McKenzie, Junior Social Workers at Spur; Miss Dorothy Crosslin, Lunch Room Supervisor for Motley, Dickens and Kent Counties; V. S. Ford and H. E. Bennett, trustees of Patton Springs; Archer Powell and Jack Simmons, for Dry Lake School; Harve Adams, Mrs. G. C. Pierce and Mrs. Jimmie Koonsman for Wichita School; John Sharp and W. O. Head for Dickens School; O. G. Joiner for McAdoo School, Robert Williams and Mrs. G. B. Wadzeck of Spur Schools.

If there are any persons in the county who have some foods, canned or otherwise, that they would care to donate to assist in this work, or who may have foods they desire to exchange for lunches, you should get in touch with the principal or superintendent of your school.

P. T. A. MEETING TUESDAY EVENING

There will be a joint meeting of both organizations of the Parent-Teachers Association in Spur at the High School Auditorium next Tuesday evening. The program will start about nine o'clock. There is some business to be transacted and it is hoped that parents will try to be present at this meeting. It makes no difference in what school your children are enrolled, you will be interested in that meeting.

C. D. Bird, of Matador, was transacting business in Spur and greeting friends here Saturday.

Rev. A. P. Stokes, of Afton, was transacting business and talking with friends in Spur Saturday.

Game Starts At Nine p. m.

The Rule Eagles will be in Spur Friday evening to contest the Spur Bulldogs as to which is the better team. The game will be played at the Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium starting about nine o'clock in the evening.

This is expected to be a fast game as both teams still remember the sting of former years. Rule was winner last year, but the Bulldogs are going to try to bring that banner back to Spur Friday night—or at least cause Rule to leave it here when they start home after the game.

Cotton Stanley will act as captain of the team Friday night, and it is hoped his knowledge and skill will pilot the Bulldogs to victory.

The line up for Friday night will be, it is thought now, as follows:

Ends—A. B. Carlisle and Troy Boothe.

Tackles—Calvin Simmons and Cotton Stanley.

Guards—Keith Garner and Billy Smith.

Center—Jimmie Vernon.

Quarterback—Wilburn Ball.

Right Half—Jack Rankin.

Left Half—Leonard Wilson.

Fullback—Alfred Elkins.

Reserves—Lane Ericson, G; Geo. Walker, T; Elmer Gannon, Roy Lee Ball Calvin B. Holloway, Pete Adcock, and Fletcher as backfield men; O. E. Byrd, end; Delisle, Harris, Parker, Watson as line.

The Bulldogs are getting off to a good start. Let's all be on the sideline boosting and helping them keep going. They are up against a good team, but the Bulldogs can win if they have the proper encouragement. Let's be there and build up a good morale.

High School Classes Organize

The four classes in the Spur High School have organized and elected officers for the year. Election is a great event in the school and now the election is over and all pupils are getting down to business.

In the Senior Class the following officers were elected:

President, Pat Cristal.

Vice Pres., Wilburn Ball.

Secretary, Robbie Hoover.

Treasurer, Zona Hinson.

Reporter, Rose Petty.

Class parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Arthur.

Sponsors, Hubert Owens and Miss M. Morrisette.

Officers for the Junior Class are:

President, Pike Dobbins.

V. Pres., Jack Fletcher.

Secretary, Lou Emma Shugart.

Treasurer, Ila Ruth Draper.

Reporter, Jimmie Vernon.

Class Parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Albin and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Vernon.

Class sponsors, Mr. Followill and Mrs. Ila Johnston.

The Sophomore Class have elected officers as follows:

President, Orville Robinson.

V. Pres., Melvin Rape.

Secretary, Jackie Rector.

Treasurer, Emma Pearl Gruben.

Sponsors, Prentiss D. Allen and Mrs. Alva Jean Brannen.

Room parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Thurston, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Starcher.

The Freshmen Class made their selection of officers after much consideration. They are:

President, Elmer Gammon.

V. Pres., Patsy Arrington.

Secretary, Jane Brannen.

Treasurer, Dorothy Belle Karr.

Reporter, Allene Petty.

Sponsors, Mrs. Ethel McArthur, Miss Pauline Powell and Miss Keller.

Class parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Dyess and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody.

Rotarians Enjoy Entertaining Teachers

The members of the Rotary Club at Spur were hosts to the faculty members of Spur Schools and their Rotary Anns at a banquet Thursday night. The occasion was one of outstanding features to Rotary since the main address of the evening was given by Charlie Paxton of Sweetwater, Governor of Rotary International for the 127th District. The meeting was held in the basement of the First Methodist Church and the dinner was served by the Methodist ladies organizations. Fried chickens, salads, pickles, butter, hot rolls, and a dozen other good things to eat were served in quantities that were almost too much for the guests to master.

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President Oscar Kelley called the meeting to order and then turned it over to Ray Dickson who always wants to do a good job as master of ceremonies. However, Ray soon found that he had a much bigger job than he anticipated and had to call on Charlie Fisher who in one so important at the Experiment Station to help him out. After Alvis Hull was given an opportunity to extend the welcome to the visitors, Charlie took over and rendered the program. It was in the form of a guessing contest at which Speck Lunsford and O. B. Ratliff were judges, and a number of those lady school teachers will never forgive these judges for the wild manner in which they guessed at their weights. Both of those judges knew better, but most everybody think they tried to deceive their wives, both of whom were present. Everybody enjoyed plenty of laughter, and even the ladies who were drafted into the contest were good enough sports to say the program was fine. Ray finally incurred a few facts and got the speaker introduced, and Charlie made us a fine address. In the course of his remarks the District Governor admonished all present to do their dead level best to stand behind the boys who are on the front lines fighting for our liberties. He stated that winning this war is the main issue at this time and that everything else is secondary. He said that the American Way of life is at stake at this time, and that it is not impossible for us to lose this war. He said now is the time for every red blooded American citizen to do his best.

Governor Paxton complimented the work of the Rotary Club in sponsoring the Boy Scout work and lending so much interest to that work. Then, he asked that Rotarians not forget the girls in the community and to render all the service and encouragement possible to work of Camp Fire Girls, Girl Scout movements and other organizations to interest girls.

Governor Paxton represented himself as the "hitch-hiking Governor" and said he was making it over the district by Bus, thumbing rides, trains and any way to save tires to win the war.

SOLDIER MOUND H. D. CLUB MEETING

Miss Fae Bass met with the Soldier Mound Home Demonstration Club Thursday, September 3, at the home of Mrs. Floyd Barnett, Miss Bass demonstrated storing vegetables such as beets, turnips, carrots and potatoes. Then she gave a lesson in home nursing.

Mrs. Dick Boykin will be hostess to the Club Thursday, September 13, at the home of Mrs. Floyd Barnett.

Mrs. V. O. Davenport and Mrs. Condron tied for the game prize which was a glass bowl and a frog. Mrs. Davenport took the frog and Mrs. Condron took the bowl.

Those attending were: Mesdames Haden Condron, Ethel Allen, Floyd Barnett, Albert Power, Pete Gannon, V. O. Davenport, Ollie Hindman, Floy Watson, Fannie Allen, John Aston, John Bachman, Blanche Collier, Len Pritchett, Bill Ballard and Miss Fae Bass.

—Reporter.

MRS. CARLISLE ENTERTAINS EXCHANGE CLUB

Mrs. Walter Carlisle entertained the Exchange Club with a 9:00 o'clock breakfast Wednesday, September 9, at her home in the country. The menu consisted of fruit cocktail, shoe string potatoes, bacon and eggs, hot biscuits, butter, jelly, pear preserves and coffee.

Members enjoying the occasion

Arrington - McInroe Rites

Miss Ida Lee Arrington and Pvt. Eddie Dean McInroe were married September 8 at 4:30, p. m. at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Stokes at Afton. Rev. Stokes officiated with a single ring ceremony. Friends present were Misses Margie Nell Russell, Margie McInroe, sister to the groom, and Bud Lawson.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for Lubbock and other points to enjoy a week of honeymoon. Mrs. McInroe is returning to Spur for the present and will join her husband at the Army post about October 1.

The bride wore a navy wool suit and a corsage of sweetheart roses.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arrington of Red Hill community. She graduated from Spur High School the class last spring. She is one of the most popular young ladies in this community. She was a majorette in the Spur School Band.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. McInroe of Afton community. He graduated from the Patton Springs High school in 1938. Since then he has been employed at the H. O. Wooten Wholesale Grocery Company at Spur. He voluntarily enlisted in the Army July 7 and is now stationed at Fort Sill Oklahoma.

Friends join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. McInroe much happiness and success as life partners.

DAUGHTERS OF 1933 STUDY CLUB MEET

The Daughters of the 1933 Study Club met for their first time this year September 9 at the home of Shirley and Charlene Powell. The program was "Spiritual Guidance". The roll call was "Facts About a Women in the Bible".

Melba Lewis gave a very interesting talk on "Survey of Religious Training in Public Schools".

Cecilia Fox talked on the subject of "Religion in the Home".

Marie Whitwell gave "Women in Religion".

The officers for this year are:

President Beth Arthur.

First Vice President, Elizabeth Ramsay.

Second Vice President, Cecilia Fox.

Recording Secretary, Marie Whitwell.

Corresponding secretary, Evelyn Lewis.

Treasurer, Betty Barnett.

Reporter, Betty Weaver.

Mrs. C. H. McCully is the sponsor for this year. All of the girls enjoyed the lovely refreshments.

—Reporter

Virgie Dunwody, Winnie Barnett, Bessie Payne, Edna Allen, Georgie Barrett, Aletha Fox, Gertie Moore, Margaret Owens, Oree Smith, Mrs. Gibbs and one guest, Mrs. Wright.

—Reporter.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Golding entertained the sales force of B. Schwarz and Son, their wives and husbands with a chicken barbecue on their back lawn the evening of September 4. Mr. Golding supervised the barbecue act in a new barbecue pit in his back yard, and everybody present pronounced the job a good one. The barbecue was tender and juicy and everybody spoke highly of it.

Mrs. Golding and Miss Idalee Golding prepared the remainder of the repast which consisted of salads, fresh tomatoes, onions, pickles, cheese, fresh apple pie and sank coffee. The repast was served on tables situated in the shade of the trees and shrubbery where the air was cool and the friendly atmosphere was outstanding.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. James B. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Dyess, Miss Vera Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ensey, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sherrill, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rector, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Alph Glasgow, Mrs. Jewel McLaughlin, Boyd Ball and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Starcher were invited as guest outside of the store force.

Everybody enjoyed a nice time eating and talking over events. B. Schwarz and Son have a very large sales force for a town the size of spur, as they have a store that would do credit to any city. The people who work for this firm are proud to represent them, and all meeting on this occasion afforded them a very happy privilege.

When the guests departed they extended their best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Golding for future success.

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TRUSTEES AND WIVES ENTERTAIN TEACHERS

The members of the Spur School Board and their wives were hosts to the members of the faculty of Spur schools Tuesday evening. The event was held in the High School Gymnasium starting about eight o'clock.

Games were played during the event at which everybody present enjoyed themselves. Then the hosts conducted the guests to the lawn where there were many fine watermelons, Dickens County productions and all did justice at the feast.

The guests extended their appreciation to the hosts at the close of a very enjoyable time, and stated they hoped the event would be made an annual affair.

County Superintendent and Mrs. O. L. Kelley were special guests.

and thanked them for the occasion, hoping they would repeat the event before too long.

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HIGHWAY 4-H CLUB MEETING

The Highway 4-H club met with Peggy Smith September 12, 1942. Miss Bass gave a demonstration on frame gardening at the home of Mrs. Putman.

The refreshments were served to: Eunice Denson, Yuba Lee Sparks, Anita Putman, Doynell Putman, Winnie Mae Thompson, Peggy Smith, Mrs. Putman and Waynedl Smith, a visitor.

The next meeting will be with Yuba Lee Sparks.

—Reporter.

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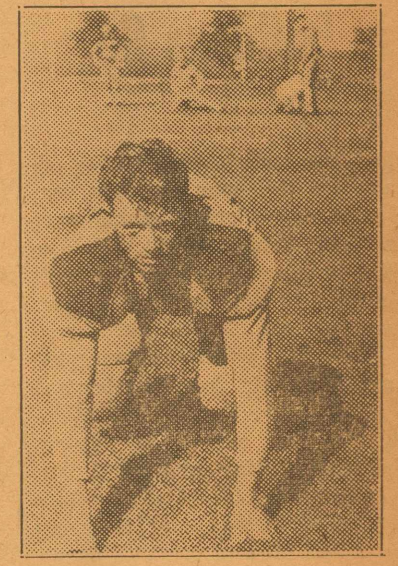
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EXCHANGE CLUB MEETING

Mrs. James L. Owens entertained the Exchange Club August 26 in her home at the Experiment Station. Eleven members were present and spent the afternoon sewing. The layette for the Red Cross was completed.

After the business hour refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to: Mesdames Dessie Mae Benson, Nellie Carlisle, Fae McArthur, Winnie Barnett, Bertha Carlisle, Bessie Payne, Edna Allen, Georgia Barrett, Gertie Moore. Oree Smith, Mrs. Gibbs and one guest.
—Reporter

Mrs. Homer Boothe and sister, Mrs. Stiles, spent the week end in Abilene with their sister, Mrs. J. H. Fulcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Black and daughter, of Los Angeles, arrived here the last of the week to visit his mother, Mrs. H. A. Drury, and Mr. Drury and other relatives and friends.

Bulldogs ...

We want a conference-winning club this season ...

But ... we are with you all the way.

YEA TEAM

Meet your friends at our Cafe after the game. ... the best service in Spur.

PLATE LUNCHEONS—COFFEE SHORT ORDERS

Good Eats Cafe

Up To The Government

As time goes by, the commodity problem becomes more acute. It is clear that our present method of price control are inadequate, and that the inflationary trend grows steadily stronger.

According to reports, a good many consumers are making the mistake of blaming this on retail merchandising. They are accusing merchants of profiteering at their expense. And that indicates a complete misunderstanding of the facts at issue.

High officials in the Office of Price Administration have publicly praised retail merchandising for the cooperation it has given the price control policy. Only a handful of cases where merchants deliberately sought to violate the ruling, have been unearthed. Both the chain system and the independent stores have, as a general rule, reduced their margin of profit to the lowest possible level. And it should not be forgotten that, long before the price order was imposed, a large percentage of America's retail merchants voluntarily cut their profits in order to protect the living standards of the consumer.

The reason why price control is failing are many and various. Certain important labor groups have demanded and received abnormal wage increases—and that is a big item in production costs. Farm labor now receives the highest wages in history. The tax burden has already reached record levels, and will go higher. And, in the long run, the consumer must pay for all of this. The problem is now in the hands of the government—not the retailers.

Texas U. Gridders Combing For Championship

The Texas Longhorns, although having lost 16 of their letter men for the 1942 season, still feel they are in range of a Southwestern Conference championship team. They have a very attractive schedule for this season and are facing one of the strongest line of opponents in their history. The Texas A. & M. Game is already developing much interest, and it is said that most of the main seats for that game have already sold out.

The following is the schedule for the Longhorns this season:

- Sept. 19--Corpus Christi Naval Air Station at Austin.
- Sept. 26--Kansas State at Austin.
- Oct. 3--Northwestern at Evans-town
- Oct. 10--Oklahoma at Dallas.
- Oct. 17--Arkansas at Fayetteville.
- Oct. 24--Rice at Houston.
- Oct. 31--S. M. U. at Austin.
- Nov. 7--Baylor at Austin.
- Nov. 14--T. C. U. at Fort Worth.
- Nov. 26--Texas A. & M. at Austin.

Overseas Mail Is Congested

Air mail restrictions on foreign points became effective September 4. The Postal Department this week gave out the following statement relative to Air Mail to foreign points.

"The War and Navy Departments exercise control over the transportation of Air Mail to overseas destinations. Reports received during the past few weeks show that the volume of Air Mail now being received greatly exceeds the facilities that can be made available for transportation. Therefore, it is necessary to reduce the weight of each piece so that greater number of letters may be carried.

"The following order of loading will be necessary:

- "First all official mail.
- "Second, V-Mail (Which goes to Soldiers and Sailors in service)
- "Third, to the extent space is available, other letter mail weighing not in excess of two ounces per letter.

Packages, except official packages, will not be carried by air" Use V-Mail. This type is short and concise and greatly reduces the weight of letter mail.

TCC Recommends Grain Sorghums For Rubber Making

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has made a plea to Washington for prior consideration, in the nation's synthetic rubber program, of a raw source material whose marketing utilization are not planned and established by government regulations. This is the grain sorghums of which West Texas produces 80 per cent of the state's supply and 40 per cent of the nation's.

The Baruch rubber fact-finding committee appointed by President Roosevelt last month made it report Sept. 10. One of its recommendations was that plant facilities be provided for greatly stepping up the output of synthetic rubber derived from ethyl alcohol made in plants erected near grain producing areas. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, after intensive research, sent a petition to the Baruch board dated Sept. 4, asking it to "give earnest consideration

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

FRIDAY'S FELT HAT DAY

FELT HATS

COMFORT PLUS STYLE IN NEW FALL FELT HATS AT OUR USUAL LOW PRICES.

Join the Parade of well Dressed Business and Professional men as they greet the fall season—Receiving foremost consideration should be your New Fall Hat—distinctive long wearing—ingeniously manipulated. There is an interesting freshness about these Hats, with trends toward economy in design and preblocking.

JOHN B. STETSON

The long established Hat for Service—For the men who buy for long wearing and endurance—we have the Hat you want—All sizes in light Belly and Bisque colors with 3 ligne cord band—2 1-2 to 3 1-2 inch brims.



- 3X Beaver \$15.
- Royal DeLuxe \$12.50
- No. 1-3 1-2 inch Brim .. \$12.
- Big Four Belly \$11.50
- Royal \$10.
- No. 1-3 inch Brim ... \$10.50
- Premier \$8.50

SKY-HIGH STYLING

...the Stetson "Stratoliner"!

A trim, spirited Stetson creation, this "Stratoliner." You feel good wearing it...and you look good. Light-weight, stream-lined, comfortable ...the Stetson "Stratoliner" gives you a lift that's hard to top. You'll appreciate the special box it comes in, too.

\$7.50

FOR THAT "BEEN-EVERYWHERE" LOOK...



The Stetson "Playboy"!

People know you've been around, with this smooth Stetson. For here's a dashing debonair sort of hat. Light-weight and adaptable, it goes well with slacks or business suit. Drop in today and see how well the Stetson "Playboy" goes with you!

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Also Young Men's Fancy STETSONS

- Stratoliner \$7.50
- Playboy \$5.00

NEW FALL HATS

All Colors and Sizes

\$2.49

MILLER HATS

For the man who deserves style with utmost economy, these hats are especially made—new Bands, New Brims, New Colors. All sizes.

\$2.98 to \$3.98

MEN'S FALL HATS

All Colors and Sizes

\$1.98

HELP THE BULLDOGS MAKE THIS A RECORD SEASON

SPUR vs. RULE FRIDAY NIGHT — NINE p. m.

CHARLES A JONES MEMORIAL STADIUM

TRY FARMALL TRACTORS FOR

Power — Speed — Stability. All results in success
Every Bulldog must have all three of these qualities.

The same is true of farm tractors and trucks. — Them, too, we have Parts to, put your tractor in perfect working condition.

SPUR IMPLEMENT COMPANY THE FARMALL HOUSE



A. B. CARLISLE

to the potentialities of grain sorghums for the manufacture of rubber and to strongly recommend the full utilization of grain sorghums, as well as wheat and other grains, in the rubber production program." Synthetic rubber is made from the chemical compound called butadiene, among other derivatives. Ethyl grain alcohol is a source product, one gallon producing enough butadiene to make 2 1-2 pounds of synthetic rubber. The WTCC brief presented figures showing that grain sorghums rank high in alcoholic content on ton producing 791-2 gallons of highest ethyl, while a ton of wheat produce 85 gallons. The sorghums, it was asserted, will produce ethyl made rubber cheaper than any other vegetable product. On basis of current prices it was shown that the cost of one pound of sorghum-derived rubber would be 11 cents, and that one dollar invested in sorghums would produce, in alcohol volume, from a half-gallon to more than a gallon in excess of other grains. Sorghums being a sort of orphan crop, the brief said their

cheap utilization could be attained without disturbing the economy and relationship of other products. Shown in the brief were West Texas' constantly mounting acreage and grain sorghum production. By the 1940 census more than 20 1-2 million bushels were harvested for grain from two million acres, with 2 1-2 million tons of silage and feed cut from four and a quarter million acres. Planting was up a million acres from 1930. The area's wheat production was shown at 30 million bushels average. It was asserted that the two products combined, if harvested for grain, would produce 146,000 tons of ethyl rubber, and that with their full development the rubber output could be expanded to 400,000 tons, or half the national annual goal set by the War Production Board. West Texas, said the brief, is an ideal section for manufacturing purposes, due to abundance of raw materials, mild climate and a patriotic citizenship 95 per cent white American born, "unexcelled in pure Americanism. It was pointed out

that the government has already established in the area 42 defense projects costing \$250,000,000 in building and plant facilities. The document was signed by J. Thos. Davis, president of the West Texas chamber, and P. B. Ralls, chairman of its affiliated industrial grain products committee. The facts were prepared and assembled by D. A. Banded, WTCC manager. With Baruch's recommendation for greater utilization of grain alcohol, the regional chamber is sending the brief to senators and congressmen and to all affiliates, and will launch a campaign secure alcohol plants for West Texas. Strong representation will be made one Jesse H. Jones who, as head of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the rubber program, has allocated more than 600 million dollars to its development. Miss Ima Nell Street returned from Fort Worth, Decatur and Boyd last week after visiting relatives and friends at these respective places.

TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE BEGINS 18TH SESSION

The Texas Technological College started its eighteenth annual session yesterday with registrations continuing through the day. Dormitories were opened Tuesday. Class work begins today and the class periods start each morning at nine o'clock and run until one o'clock. Last year these periods were from eight o'clock each morning until 12:00 noon.

MOVING BACK HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Proctor moved back to Spur the first of this week. They have been living in Plainview a number of years where Mr. Proctor was with a large merchandising firm. They own an interest in Proctor Bros. Store, and Mr. Proctor states that Spur seems more like home to him and Mrs. Proctor than any other place. We are glad to have them back with us.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Fuque, of Red Mud country, were in Spur Saturday.

TELEPHONE USER NUMBER 1



★ Our Number One job now is to put calls through fast for the men who must fight this war.

Our Number One problem is that metals for more telephone lines to carry the flood of war-time calls now must go into arms for fighting men.

Your long distance calls to many near-by towns still are easy to handle. But to faraway points or war centers, please help clear the way for war calls by making fewer calls and keeping them short as possible.

We know you want us to give war calls first call.

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PEOPLE WHO WENT TO ELIASVILLE

Ruling Elder J. W. Meadows and Rev. John C. Ramsay were the official representation from the First Presbyterian Church of Spur to the semi-annual meeting of the Fort Worth Presbytery which met in the Presbyterian Church at Eliasville Tuesday.

Bertha Mae Walker, vice president of the Fort Worth Presbytery's Young People's Area, Elizabeth Ramsay, Chairman of District 1, and Jack Ramsay, Jr., candidate for Gospel Ministry and past leader in the Presbytery's Young People's Area attended the quarterly council for Fort Worth Presbytery's Young people which met at the same time. Miss Ruth McDurham, director of religious education for West Texas, supervised the council.

It is quite interesting to know that out of the little community of Eliasville which has the reputation for being one of the richest communities in the United States, that in the Presbyterian Church and serving as one of the most prominent deacons is the father of Dr. Homer Price Rainey, president of the University of Texas. Dr. Rainey claims he owes his start to Presbyterians.

Contributed

1933 STUDY CLUB TO AID LIBRARY WORK

The second fall meeting of the 1933 Study Club was held at the home of Mrs. James L. Owens on the Experiment Station grounds. In the business meeting Mrs. Johnnie Koonsman presided. A decision was made to cooperate with other clubs in reopening the library.

The subject of the program was "Nutrition."

After the Club assembled and the pledge to the flag, an enthusiastic roll call was answered on "An important food and why". Mrs. J. C. Ramsay was leader. Several phases of food study were discussed by Mrs. J. C. Payne and Mrs. George Gabriel, followed by a radio skit, Vitamins for Victory, accenting the home front responsibilities through nutrition. The radio was turned on in front of a curtained window behind which the hidden reader stood, simulating a regular program with announcer, music, ect. Those taking part in the skit were Mrs. Thurmond Moore, Mrs. Coy McMahan, Mrs. W. F. Gilbert and Mrs. J. C. Ramsay.

Refreshments were served in plate decorated with national colors which matched streamers overhead and set off a big wall flag. A huge vase of red roses decked the center table.

Those present were: Mesdames E. H. Boedeke, O. R. Cloude, George Gabriel, W. F. Gilbert, J. L. Koonsman, Lonnie Lewis, Coy McMahan, Thurmond Moore, Dee McArthur, J. C. Payne, J. C. Ramsay, R. R. King the hostess and her mother.

OUR PRAYER OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation to all kindness which was given us when we lost our home and all contents by fire. Our hearts reach out to the throne of grace for God's blessing to rest upon each of you.

Mr. Chas. McClain and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bennett, were in Spur Saturday visiting friends and looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Eldredge, of McAdoo, were in Spur Saturday greeting friends and doing some trading.

Brought Us A Small Melon

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lilly, north of town, have always been very thoughtful of the Times Editor and his family. Monday they sent us a Small Water melon, one which weighed 60 lbs., and which would be a good load for any one. We do not know what type melon it was, but it was one of the largest we have ever seen. It weighed 60 pounds on the scales at Leon Ice Company, and by the time we had carried it to the scales it seemed it would weigh over 100 pounds.

The Times force had a good time eating it, and we do not think one of them felt any bad effect the next day, although most of us were uncomfortable for three or four hours after we had finished the melon.

The Times force extends their thanks to Mr. and Mr. Lilly for their kindness and thoughtfulness in this respect. They have a nice 40 acre farm in Duck Creek valley that will grow anything, and watermelons as large as nail kegs is the common run for them.

DOWN TOWN SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS WANT YOU

The Down Town Sunday School class continues to enjoy a fine time in their meetings. Next Sunday Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Joiner of McAdoo, will give a program at the opening. Mr. and Mrs. Joiner are fine musicians and will render several musical selections. Rev. East will address the class on the lesson subject.

The class meets at 9:45 Sunday morning in the Spur Theatre building, and all of you not in Sunday school have an invitation to be with us.

MANY DIPLOMAS OF SUMMER GRADUATES MAILED OUT

Approximately 20 students finishing work for graduation at Texas Technological College at the end of the nine-weeks' summer term will get diplomas without benefit of graduation exercises. They may call for their diplomas or have them mailed. This makes a total of 527 degrees awarded by the college for the 1941-42 session, 350 being awarded at the June commencement and 157 at the August exercises.

FIRST R. O. T. C. IN SUMMER CLOSED

The first summer R. O. T. C. training offered at Texas Technological College ended this week with 75 cadets taking part in an official review. Plans are ready for the 1942-43 session for R. O. T. C. training which included a senior engineer unit, the newly established signal corps unit, and the special military training unit. Qualified men students in all divisions of the college may take this military training.

Jack Ramsay, Jr., returned last week to re-enroll for his third year at Davidson College, the largest Presbyterian institution in the South and the school that Woodrow Wilson attended. Only recently Jack came back to Spur from the summer session at the University of Texas where he took acceleration studies in Sociology and History.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Storm and son Wayne, of Houston, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lassetter and Mrs. Allison Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Storm is a daughter of Mrs. Allison and a sister to Mrs. Lassetter.

EAST WARD SCHOOL NEWS

The East Ward School is moving off nicely. Work has been organized and, with eight of the ten teachers new in the system, everything is working fine.

Music pupils of Mrs. J. E. Berry gave a musical program for assembly last Friday. Several instrumental numbers were given including some solos.

The enrollment at East Ward Monday had reached 267. This is under the number at this time last year, but it is thought the enrollment will soon climb up to last years mark.

The Rhythm Band is organized with Mrs. Margaret Ross as director and Mrs. J. E. Berry as accompanist. Soon they will be practicing and will be able to give a program.

Mrs. Wadzeck's room will give the assembly program Friday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock. Parents are invited.

Pete Gannon, of Soldier Mound, was in Spur Saturday with a big bale of cotton which he had ginned. He spent some time trading and talking with friends.

Mrs. M. A. Lee returned Friday from a visit with friends at Odessa, Fort Stockton and Carlsbad N. Mexico, and other points. She spent some time with her son, Bob Lea, and Mrs. Lea at Odessa. She was accompanied by Mrs. G. A. Montgomery, a sister-in-law.

Walter McWilliams, was attending to business affairs and greeting friends in Spur Saturday. He is secretary of the Kent County AAA.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Smith, of Highway, were transacting business meeting friends in Spur Saturday.

Supt. O. C. Thomas has been forced to be out of school this week on account of a very bad throat condition. He went to Lubbock the last of the week and came home Sunday, but had to return to Lubbock Monday. Doctors report that he has a growth on the larynx.

J. S. Stephens, of Abilene, solicitor for Merchants Fast Motor Lines is here this week looking after the interest of his company.

Frank Shelby, of Mineral Wells, was here the first of the week a guest of J. D. McCain of the Palace Theatre.

The Dickens County Times

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Rev. A. C. Lamb, of Duncan Flat, was in Spur Wednesday attending to business matters.

J. H. Hill, of the Production Credit Corporation at Stamford, was in Spur Tuesday and Wednesday looking after interest of the organization, and visiting M. L. Rickels of the local office.

E. B. Shaw, of Wichita community, was in Spur the last of the week trading and talking with friends.

Advertisement for Rucker Shoe Shop. Text: THIS YEAR AMERICANS ARE WALKING ARE WALKING ARE WALKING. THIS SPACE DEDICATED TO ONE OF OUR ENDS PLAYERS WENDELL PARKER. THIS YEAR AMERICANS ARE WALKING ARE WALKING ARE WALKING. Hold Fast To That Which Is Good (OLD SHOES). All Americans are becoming increasingly interested in shoe repairing— RUCKER SHOE SHOP. Has a complete stock of RUBBER HEELS LEATHER SOLES. SEE MONK FOR YOUR SHOE REPAIRING. RUCKER SHOE SHOP.

Advertisement for City Utilities. Text: Help The Bulldogs Make This A Record Season. SPUR BULLDOGS VS RULE EAGLES. CONGRATULATIONS TO COACH CHRISTAIN ON WINNING HIS FIRST GAME THIS YEAR. FRIDAY NITES GAME MEANS A LOT TO SPUR. AND THE BULLDOGS NEED YOUR SUPPORT, A VICTORY MEANS THEY WILL START THE SEASON RIGHT. LET US GIVE THEM THE SUPPORT THEY DESERVE. CITY UTILITIES. Keep Your Home Fires Burning With Butane GAS HEAT.

BACK THAT LINE WITH A LINE DRIVE BULLDOGS

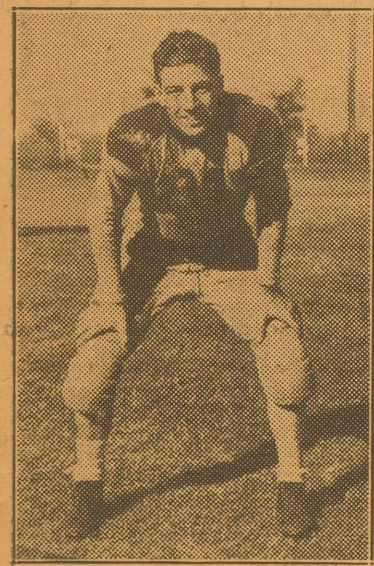
WE ARE WITH YOU IN EVERY GAME

When you need merchandise See Bryant-Link Co.

●Cold weather is around the corner, our stoves isn't as hot as the BULLDOGS but still if you buy one of our AMERICAN HEATERS, they will keep you warm and save on fuel

FOR GIFTS GIVE OUR

●American China ●American Crystal ●A Complete Stock of Fiesta



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BRYANT-LINK CO.

SINGING CONVENTION AT STEEL HILL SUNDAY

The Dickens County-Girard Third Sunday singing will meet at Steel Hill Sunday, September 20, at 2:30 in the afternoon. We urge everybody to come. Especially the Juniors, and let's have a Junior choir.

The President.

COTTON GINNERS MUST FILE PRICE REPORTS

Cotton ginner in six Southwestern States must file detailed price reports with the Dallas headquarters of the Office of Price Administrator on or before September 19, OPA officials announced Wednesday.

After September 19, no ginner in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas and Louisiana may supply any cotton ginning service unless he has filed a report for each of his establishments.

ALLRED CONFIRMS REPORT HE MAY RE-ENTER NAVY

James V. Allred, defeated candidate for United States Senator, in Austin Wednesday confirmed reports that he is planning to re-enter the United States Navy. The former federal judge served in the Navy in World War I and was a lieutenant commander in the naval reserve when he became Governor of Texas in 1934. His inauguration as Governor compelled him to resign his commission in the Navy.

In the event his plans for returning to services do not materialize, Allred said, he probably will practice law in Houston. He was in Austin last week for the Democratic state convention.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Walker, of Highway, were in Spur Saturday



DICKENS COUNTY BOND COMMITTEE

Miss Bobbie Lawrence Honored With Shower

Honoring Bobbie Lawrence, Bride-Elect of Egbert Caudle of Big Springs, Mrs. Willie McCombs, Mrs. R. L. Westerman, Mrs. B. T. Moore, Mrs. Brown Smith, Mrs. C. S. Thompson, Mrs. John Hazelwood Jr. and Miss Leta Dell Read gave a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. McCombs Friday afternoon of last week.

Bowls of cut roses and marigolds decorated the house.

Mrs. C. S. Thompson assisted guests in registering in the hand-painted bride's book presented by Mrs. Walter Gruben.

Mrs. B. T. Moore poured punch and presented guests with plate favors which were double hearts with small bags of rice attached with blue ribbon, reading "Bobbie and Edgar September 20".

The following guests were registered or sent gifts throughout the evening.

Mesdames Louis E. Walker, Jr. of Abilene, Clarence Watters, Loretta Beeson, W. W. Garner, R. F. Self, Mary E. Johnson, Jo Smith, O. R. Cloude, Myrtle Whitwell H. L. ham, Joe Lamb, Raymond Lunsford, E. L. Smith, Leulla Powell T. H. Blackwell, E. C. Clinkscapes, Madge Alexander, Eldon Powell, Bob Turpen, Edd Williams, R. L. Benson, R. L. Alexander, W. R. Weaver, Edna Griffin, Lee McCombs, Charlie Kearney, J. W. Henry, Bill Caraway, Joe Collier, L. A. Hindman, Eudis Stephens, D. J. Dyess, M. C. Golding T. E. Milam, Walter Gruben, Willis Smith, Minnie Lewis, W. B. Lee, W. M. Hunter, R. P. McCombs, Jeanette Parnell, W. D. Starcher, A. C. Hull, Dick Speer, Elbert Beasley, L. E. Lee, Cecil Caplinger, J. C. Payne, Pauline Jimison, C. B. Chandler, John Hazelwood, Alva Smith, D. A. Wilson, L. W. Langston, John Adams, Bill Kyle, Gussie Meador, O. P. Meador, O. C. Arthur, Jerry Willard, A. R. Howe, W. P. Foster, J. J. Ensey, Woodrow Swearingen, W. C. Gruben, Ella Miller, Ernie Barnes, Jennie Shields, C. H. Mc-

Cully, Clarence Foreman, Hattie Turvan, Foy Vernon, Stella Morrow, Jack Rector, Joe Long, Jonny Gray, Elmer Shugart, Polly Cato, Geo. Gabriel, R. C. Brown, Johnnie Nichols, J. L. Wolf, Andy Hurst, O. L. Kelley, W. S. Campbell and Dalton Johnson.

Misses Vera Shepherd, Mona Lawrence, Sybil McDaniel, Regina Lee, Nell Shreves, Margaret Mae Weaver, Eudell McDaniel, Ruby King, Robbie Clemmons, Joyce McCulley, Bonnie Doyle Turpen, Hazel Turpen, Nita McCombs, Mary McCombs, Bobbie Lou Watters, Zona Hinson, Gillie Slaton, Peggy Slaton and Oleta Howe.

TRI COMMUNITY H. D. CLUB MEETING

The Tri Community Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Sonita Clark at three o'clock September 8. Mrs. Paul Loe of the Soldier Mound Club gave a report on her trip to the convention. Every one got a good lesson from her talk. The subject was planing.

Mrs. Arner Watson was appointed secretary and treasurer in Miss Hazel Watson's absence.

There were 11 present and three visitors.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Casey September 22 at three o'clock.

Those present were: Mesdames Arner Watson, Wan Pickens, Son Blair, Lloyd Johnson, Joe Watson, F. M. Casey, L. C. Ponder, Garvie Boothe, Sonita Clark and Earl Parker.

Reporter

ALEC WINKLER TAKEN TO LUBBOCK

Alec Winkler, Justice of the Peace elect at Dickens, was taken to Lubbock Thursday afternoon in a Campbell's ambulance. Mr. Winkler was suffering from a hemorrhage of the stomach and came to the Nichols Sanitarium where he rested and was treated. Due to lack of laboratory technician a true diagnosis could not be had, and it was recommended that he go to Lubbock where he could obtain the advantage of clinical tests. He was considered in a very serious condition.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMMISSION TO SERVICE CLAIMS

The Unemployment Compensation Commission will begin servicing claims next week, and their schedule for Dickens County will begin September 18th, will be at the courthouse in Dickens from 11:30 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. This is for claims only and those desiring to file such claims should be on hand.

No schedule has been set up yet for the U. S. Employment Service for those seeking employment. If and when a schedule is set up, you will be advised thru the paper. Until this schedule is set up those desiring renewal of their cards may mail them directly to the U. S. Employment Service at 1207, 13th Street, Lubbock, Texas.

John Maddox, who lives down on the Paddle Ranch, was in Spur Saturday transacting business and talking with friends.

Congratulations Spur Bulldogs On Winning Your First Game Keep Up The Good Work



Standing: Jr. Draper, Roy Lee Ball, Preston Smith
Kneeling: Geo. Walker, Billy Smith, Lane Ericson, Calvin Holloway.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO SHUT YOUR EYES AND "TACKLE" BULLDOGS

IF YOUR FLAG FALLS YOU LOOSE YOUR FREEDOM

You can preserve that freedom TODAY by buying a Defense Saving Stamp

Lend Uncle Sam a dime and Keep Old Glory Waving. Own a share in America.

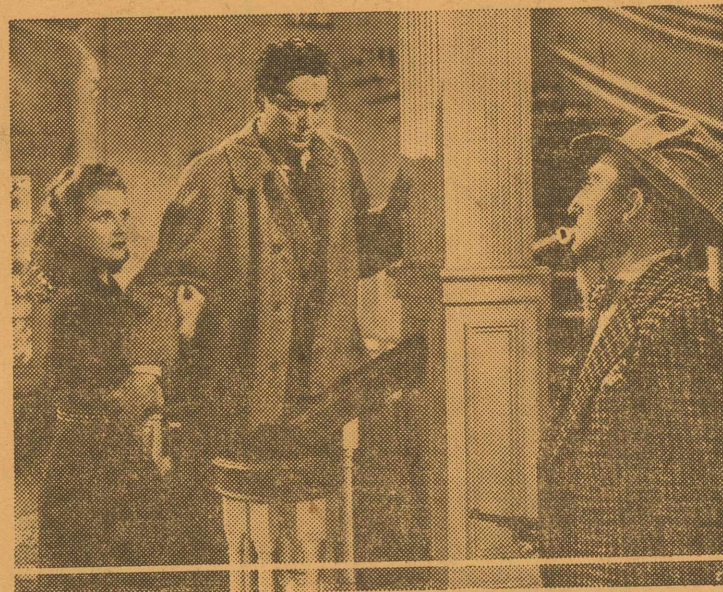
WEST GIN

T. N. MORGAN, MANAGER



John Payne and Betty Grable in 1942's most hilarious battling musical comedy-romance, "Footlight Serenade," co-starring Victor Mature.

Showing at the Spur Theatre Preview Saturday night, Palace Theatre Sunday and Monday.

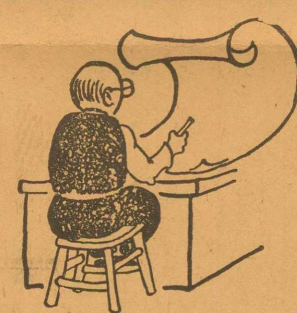


Michael Ames and Julie Bishop in a tense scene from Warner Bros. new release "I Was Framed," with Regis Toomey and Paty Hale.

Showing at the Palace Theatre Friday and Saturday.

R. F. Willmon, of Afton, was in Spur Saturday greeting friends and attending to business. He is just recuperating from an operation three weeks ago.

R. R. Wooten, of McAdoo, was transacting business, meeting the draft board, seeing friends in Spur



ON THE SUBJECT OF RESOLUTIONS

ANY time would be a good time—right now, for example.

It would be well to resolve now—today—to begin a careful study of your insurance needs—not merely guess that you have enough insurance. Perhaps you have recently acquired more furniture, jewelry, a fur coat or a camera—are they adequately insured? Have you increased the fire insurance on your home and household property to allow for higher replacement costs?

The simplest and best way to check up on your real insurance needs is to visit this agency and let us go over your requirements with you. We are always at your service.

CLEMMONS McAlpine & Company

THIS SPACE - DEDICATED TO ELMER GANNON

Congratulation To Coach CHRISTAIN

For the splendid game the Bulldogs played last week

Bulldogs stay in there and make a record for proud of and Spur will Spur Hi . . . You will be proud of . . .

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR SERVICE ASK FOR OURS . . .

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SPUR -LAUNDRY AND CLEANERS

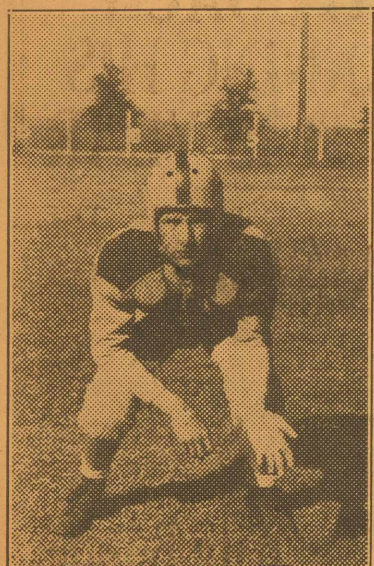
THERE'S NO SUBSTITUTE FOR SERVICE

In football, it is possible to send in a substitute to relieve the regular team

By this means it gives strength to the team. . . .

BUT . . . in the service that Williamson Brothers Gin gives is different . . . We have found there is no substitute for service and we try our best to render satisfactory service to every customer . . . not just a few BUT TO EVERY ONE.

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THIS SPACE DEDICATED TO

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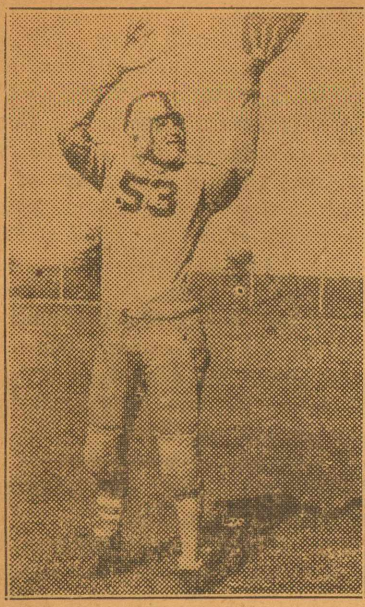
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Football boys are like the soldiers on the front line

WE WANT FIGHTERS . . . HOLD THAT LINE

—It is your Fight as well as theirs be there Friday nite to keep them in amination

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PAT FLETCHER

The Bulldogs are Prepared To Defeat the Rule Eagles

Prepare yourself for Winter Colds!

Come in and check our stock for the many cold remedies and needs that help prevent and relieve the discomforts which accompany.

CITY DRUG CO.

Phone 94. If you don't know drugs know your druggist.

Mr. Stanland Buried Sunday

Funeral services for Louallen Stanland of Jayton were conducted Sunday afternoon at Jayton cemetery. Rev. McElyea was in charge of the services. Interment followed in Jayton cemetery with Campbell's Funeral Chapel in charge of arrangements.

The survivors are his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Rodgers Stanland, and the following children: Mrs. Willie Mae Emerson of Douglas, Texas; Mrs. Salina Rogers, Mrs. Bertie Smith, both of Jayton, Mrs. Mary Ann Haney of Alto, Mrs. Fran Mardock of Jayton, Hamlin and Wayne Stanland of Jayton.

Mr. Stanland seemed to be in good health Friday night. Mrs. Stanland arose first Saturday morning and went to his bed and spoke to him. He did not move and she took hold of him thinking he was asleep. He had gone on.

He was born in Nacogdoches county October 22, 1881, and was a son of the late Sam and Mattie Eddings Stanland who lived in Nacogdoches County many years. He married Miss Elizabeth Eddings in Nacogdoches county and started his home there. He moved to this Co. in 1932 and has been living in Kent county.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hahn and children, of Los Angeles, Calif., are here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Overstreet, of Afton country, were in Spur Saturday, doing some trading and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jackson and children, of Croton, were in Spur Saturday doing some trading and visiting friends.

One For The Dove Hunters

All over the country, most especially in West Texas, we hear the usual bang, bang of Dad's old trusty 12-gauge and son's 20 gauge, and occasionally a pop, pop from little brothers 22. A fine way I think to eliminate the monotony of early fall and regardless of the size and caliber of the hunter and his artillery, all seem to have the same object in view the dove, the winged delicacy that has graced so many autumn tables.

But getting to the point, I find that not all of these sportsmen succeed in their quest after this feathered prize. There is such a wide range of marksmanship displayed in September, and some don't hold their mouth right and some do. For instance, I mention two well equipped in modern archery last week, the first one I won't mention his name, went to slaughter early in the week. He filled his tank full of gas and bought two boxes of shells, drove 20 miles in the country, staid until four o'clock in the afternoon, and came back with four little flee bitten members of the mourning tribe. That left me out, so I told him, "Mister, you don't hold your mouth right".

But, Saturday morning Billie D. Starcher posing as an amateur marksman, but he sure holds his mouth right. So, with his 20-gauge Streamlined hammerless he went out in the meadow, bang, bang, and in ten minutes was back with half days bag limit which he gave me as my seasons first treat of these speedsters of the air. And

that's "sumpin'".
By A Trigger Vet.

W. J. Elliott, of Spring Creek was in Spur Saturday talking to friends and looking after business.

Mrs. R. J. Bohner, of Dumont community, was in Spur Saturday visiting friends and doing some shopping.

Henry Stiles, of Girard, was greeting friends and attending to business affairs in Spur Saturday.

Dr. O. R. Cloude

Graduate Chiropractor

103 West Hill Street

Spur, Texas

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OUR DINNERS WILL GIVE YOU ENERGY AND VITALITY

Mrs. SMITHS CAFE

NOTICE

As everything else has advanced in price, we feel we are forced to get more for hair cuts. Beginning Friday September 18th. hair cuts will be 50c.

All other prices will remain as they are.

E. W. George

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Hogan Barber Shop

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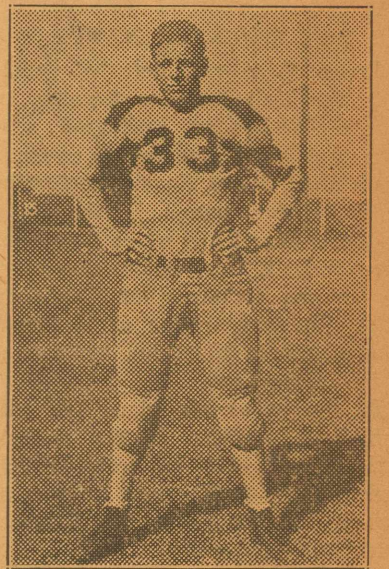
W. A. Chambless

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OUR BREAD WILL GIVE YOU MORE ENERGY AND VITALITY FOR WINNING

SPUR BAKERY



WILBURN BALL

Red Raiders To Play First Game Sept. 26

By Bill Parker

The Texas Tech Red Raiders will face their toughest football schedule in history with their smallest squad. Only 30 men will be on the varsity squad this season, including 12 sophomores, 12 juniors and six seniors. However, Head Coach Delicate Dell Morgan believes he will have a team that may comet across the Southwest with its rapid-transit backs and such paladins of the line as Captain Will Albright and Doyle Caraway.

The Red Raiders will inaugurate their 1942 campaign on Saturday night, Sept. 26, at Texas Tech Stadium against the West Texas State Buffaloes of Canyon. This will be a Border Conference championship game and the Red Raiders will be a two-touchdown favorite.

On their second appearance of the season, the Technicians will invade College Station to battle the nationally renowned Texas A and M Aggies. It promises to be one of the greatest and most bitterly fought football games in the greater southwest.

The Red Raiders' third games will be in Lubbock against the Oklahoma A and M Aggies. In four previous games, Texas Tech has won and tied one game with the Aggies.

For the fourth game, the Red Raiders will renew relationship with the always tough grizzly Bears of Baylor. This game will be played at Tech Stadium and is expected to draw a capacity crowd since it will be Baylor's first appearance in West Texas since 1934 when Tech beat the Bears, 14 to 7.

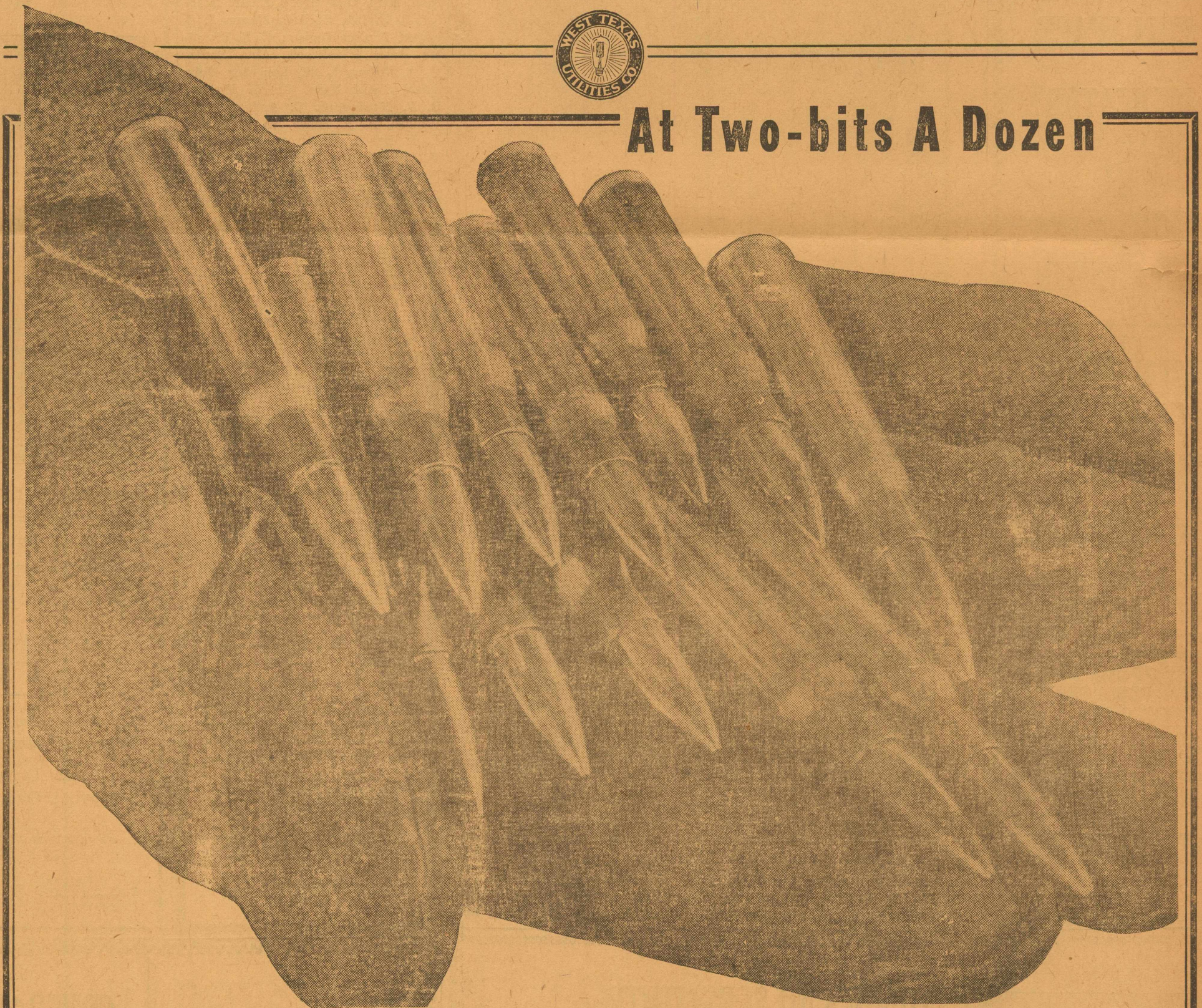
The fifth game of the rugged campaign will pit the Techs against the New Mexico University Lobos at Albuquerque. The Red Raiders beat the Lobos 36 to 0 last year and do not anticipate too much trouble this year.

After New Mexico will come what the Red Raiders consider their toughest of all the ten games, a battle with Rice Institute at Houston. It will be the first game in history between Texas Tech and Rice.

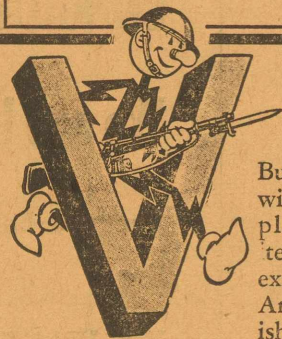
Following Rice, the Texas Tech west conference championship. Their sixth game against the highly touted Texas Christian Horned Frogs who are favored to win the Southwest conference championship. Their last battle was in 1936 when the Raiders plasted a 7 to 0 defeat on the Purple Frogs of Fort Worth. The Texas Tech team will close its season against three strong foes in Creighton at Omaha, Hardin Simmons at Lubbock and the University of Arizona Wildcats at Tucson.



At Two-bits A Dozen



Our 1942 Taxes Would Blast Adolf, et al., With 55,200,000 Bullets Like These!



Bullets, not politics or words, will win this war. Bullets, guns, tanks, planes, and ships. These are all items that can't be just talked into existence—they must be MADE. And it takes MONEY and unselfish work.

Money, real man power—and ample electric power. To make and use these weapons, men must be trained.

In all the categories vital to the war effort, this company is taking an important part. As for MONEY—our payment in 1942 taxes will total not less than \$1,150,000... enough to buy 55,200,000 bullets at the Army's specified price of 25 cents a dozen. The company has bought \$50,000 in war bonds. Its employees are buying bonds in a united, organized program.

As for MAN POWER, a total of 122 men from this company are already in the armed forces where their experience and training in business, electrical engineering and distribution service has been of inestimable value to Uncle Sam. Twenty-one of them already commissioned officers... one lieutenant colonel, six majors, four captains, nine lieutenants, and one ensign.

Both, money and man power, are things which are being given... must be given... by every West Texan, every American. These are contributions which each man, woman and child can make to the Victory cause.

As for ELECTRIC POWER—it's a job for specialists. Today we can be thankful that America has men in non-political enterprises who can deliver the goods—with surpluses!

America's electric companies, now under business management and FREE of Hiderian political control and threats of the concentration camp, are providing more POWER than Hitler can command in ALL the Nazified countries combined!

This is one factor on which hinges the final outcome of the war. With the wealth of this nation, its resources and man power, a victory for the United Nations is inevitable.

We can all look forward to a future made even brighter by electric service in a land where people are free to plan and create enterprises that build and serve!

West Texas Utilities Company

The Common Defense

America's Answer to Hitler
 They said we were soft, that we couldn't fight—that we couldn't if we would because we were soft and decadent. That's what the Nazis said. Even had they understood America they might have said it anyway, because they are the world's best dealers in the tall lie which is their word for propaganda.

They said America was not a nation, but a polyglot of races which couldn't unite to fight for a common purpose. They did their best to divide us and to make us what they said we were. But they know better today. They have been answered. We knew they would be answered because we knew in America that it is character, not race, that counts.

In a radio address on April 28 President Roosevelt praised Captain Dewitt, T. Wheeler for his heroic deeds in the war. He has been decorated for valorous service. So have Captains Alvin J. Mueller and George E. Schaezel. They are Americans of German descent. They are America's answer to Hitler.

Mrs. Rozalja Radzinska, a 61 year-old Polish woman who lives in Los Angeles has received the honorary award of "War-Mother No. 1" and the Transportation Club has given a dinner in her honor. She has ten sons who are serving in the United States Army and Navy. Her youngest son is barely 17 years old. He tried to enlist in the Navy but was rejected because of youth. Her only daughter holds a civil defense job. The Nazis call the Poles, "inferior people". We call them in America and gave them the opportunity to prove that we are right. They are proving it. They are America's answer to Hitler.

Doris Miller is a negro messman in the United States Navy. For "his distinguished devotion to duty, extraordinary courage and disregard of his own personal safety" during the attack on Pearl Harbor

he received the Navy Cross from the President. The Negroes are another people the Nazis call "inferior." "There ought to be a special concentration camp for them," Hitler wrote. But this war Americans of Negro origin are proving that no race has a monopoly on character. They are America's answer to Hitler.

The Nazis have persistently spread the lie that the Jews are an "inferior" people too, who would not fight for America. Their deeds in this war tell another story. Meyer Levin was Colin Kelly's bombardier in his attack upon the Japanese battleship Haruna. Louis Schleifer was the first American soldier from Newark, New Jersey, to lose his life in the war. He was killed by the Japanese at Hickam Field on December 7. Harry Fineman was the first man from the State of Delaware to lose his life in the defense of America. Connecticut's first casualty was Kenneth Messenger. These were Americans of Jewish origin. They are America's answer to Hitler.

All of these, and countless others are the men whom the Nazis said were to soft to fight, too disinclined to serve America in a common cause. But the war is on now and they are learning what a whale of a difference it is going to make to them to have American boys of many racial origins carry the fight right into the heart of Berlin and Tokio.

Life is but a struggle for
 One who knows not how to pray,
 How to bow his head at night
 And ask for help along the way.
 A struggle for one who cannot smile
 And keep in his heart a song,
 Through every day of toil and sweat
 When everything seems wrong.
 A struggle for him who cannot see
 That life has much to give
 To one who fights to keep his rights,
 To live and let others live.
 So let us not forget to pray
 To make our lives complete,
 And trust in God to lead the way
 So there will be no defeat.
 The above poem was written by Nelson Donahoo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harris, of McAdoo, were talking with friends and doing some trading in Spur Saturday.

Insurance Agents Can Render Great Service

The insurance business in Texas is one of major importance to the commercial life of every city and town, is the opinion of Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner.

"A person writing fire, wind-storm and kindred lines of insurance," he added, "is engaged in one of our leading professions. Today's requirements make it mandatory for an insurance man or woman to be licensed in order to do business."

"To secure a license from the Board of Insurance Commissioners a person wanting to engage in the insurance business must pass a written examination. Therefore it is necessary for him to have a knowledge of insurance before he is granted a license."

"Changes during recent years in insurance matters have in practically every instance resulted to the benefit of insurance buyers. Today our insurance is handled by persons who are specialists in this line. With any of our problems requiring the services of a professional we find it advisable to consult with them. This is applicable in matters of individual insurance problems. Insurance agents are in the best position to advise us on securing adequate protection to meet our needs."

Hall praised the insurance agents for the hearty cooperation they have extended the Board of Insurance Commissioners. Insurance men and women, he said, have done everything possible to aid in promoting fire prevention in Texas.

"An insurance man or woman," Hall continued, "occupies a unique position. By his familiarity with insurance coverage he can render invaluable aid to his clients."

As an example of the patriotic service being rendered by insurance agents at this time Hall said: "those in the insurance business have accepted the responsibility of handling war risk insurance for the governments War damage Corporation by writing such policies. This service is handled at a minimum cost, and in a large number of instances the expense involved exceeds the compensation received."

IN MEMORY OF GRANVIL KING

Another soul has gone above
 To dwell with God on high,
 How sweet the thought that comes to me,
 I'll meet him by and by,
 Up there where all is joy and peace.
 Where the streets are paved with gold.
 What joy to think that some glad day
 His face I shall behold.
 He was so patient here on earth,
 Though he must have been in pain,
 He always gave the world a smile.
 And never would complain.
 I'm sure God will reward him
 With a palace of his own,
 With angels always near him,
 He will never be alone.
 Though his place here is vacant,
 I never shall despair,
 For I know that up in heaven
 I've a mansion waiting there.
 And when my work on earth is done,
 And it comes my time to go,
 What joy 'twill be to greet him
 Where there's no more pain or woe.

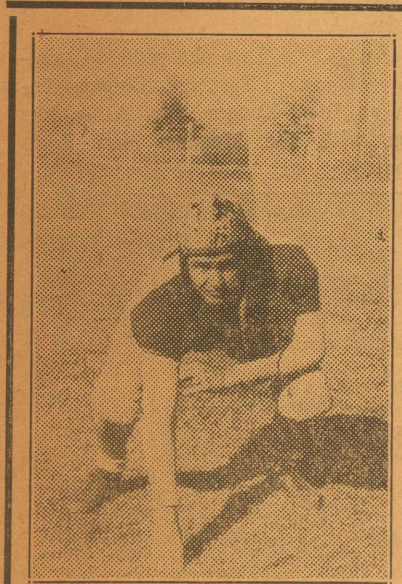
—Jewel Taylor.

The above selection was composed in honor of Mrs. G. B. Goodall, of Girard. The subject of this composition was her grandson who passed away recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goodall and children, of Girard, were in Spur Saturday attending to business matters and greeting friends.

Howard Campbell and family, good farmers of Grass Bur section, were in Spur Saturday doing some trading and meeting friends.

BULLDOGS YOU HAVE ALL THE QUALITIES FOR WINNING TEAM FOR TIRE REPAIR SEE O. K. TIRE SHOP



CALVIN SIMMONS

A Punt May Save The Game

The man on the Line may make the sacrifice play, yet the spectators may not see the pay-dirt play

Only the glory of the man carrying the ball.

Speer's 5c to \$5.00 Store is for all the boys on the team. . . .

YEA! TEAM . . . FIGHT . . . FIGHT . . . FIGHT

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THIS SPACE DEDICATED TO O. E. BYRD

Celebrate Your Teams Victory with us!

Bulldogs we're backing you in every game

SPUR CAFE

LIFE

Life is but a struggle for
 One who knows not how to pray,
 How to bow his head at night
 And ask for help along the way.
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 And keep in his heart a song,
 Through every day of toil and sweat
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FAMILY OF ELEVEN and all take ADLERIKA when needed." (W. N. Iowa) When partly digested foods decay, forming gas, bringing on sour stomach or bloating, try ADLERIKA. Get it TODAY.

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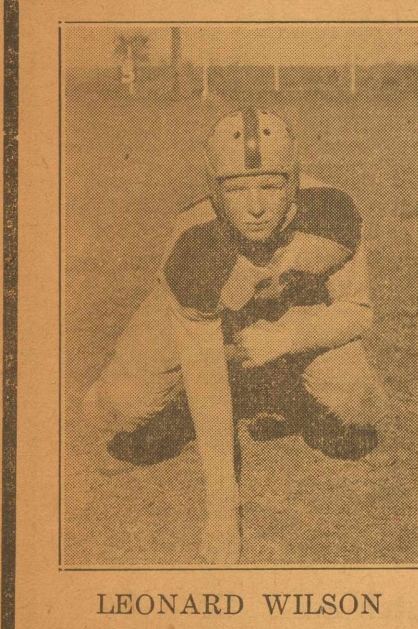
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WE WILL BE ON THE SIDE LINE BOOSTING FOR YOU

GOOD LUCK BULLDOGS

STAY AHEAD IN THAT FOOTBALL GAME FRIDAY. WE ARE WITH YOU ALL THE WAY DOWN THE FIELD WIN OR LOSE

You can depend on Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chandler Backing our Bulldogs.

CHANDLER FUNERAL HOME

KEITH GARNER

CONGRATULATIONS BULLDOGS ON WINNING YOUR FIRST GAME

We are Boosting for you Bulldogs Friday's game means a lot to Spur

Let's be there and show Coach Christain that we do appreciate his fine work he is doing with our boys. . . .

GOOD LUCK BULLDOGS BEAT RULE EAGLES

Rule Jayton Cotton Oil Company
 PEN SHUGART, MANAGER

CHARLIE PAUL HARRIS

WE CAN! WE MUST! WE WILL WIN THIS GAME

But we must all do our share Give the boys a big hand Friday night . . . Nine P. M. Charles A. Jones Stadium

SPUR BULLDOGS vs RULE EAGLES

CITIZENS GIN
 GEORGE SLOAN MANAGER

JACK RANKIN

PALACE THEATRE - SPUR

ON THE SCREEN AT LAST!
TYRONE POWER + JOAN FONTAINE
"THIS ABOVE ALL"
A Twentieth Century Fox Picture



ALSO LATEST NEWS LAST TIME TODAY
 ALSO DRAWING FOR \$100.00 DEFENSE BOND

WAR on the RANGE!



I WAS FRAMED
 Michael AMES
 Julie BISHOP

Last Chapter of
"WINSLOW OF THE NAVY"
 CHILDREN 11c
 ADULTS 25c
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

PACKED WITH ENTERTAINMENT PUNCH!



Cortoon and **"UNDER THOSE WINGS"**

Saturday Prevue at the Spur Theatre, Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre

SHOWING AT THE SPUR THEATRE

"Death Valley Outlaws"

With **DON RED BARRY** SATURDAY & SUNDAY
 PHONE 185 FOR SPUR THEATRE SCHEDULE

Allotment Committee Holds Meeting

The allotment committee which has charge of securing a per cent investment of salaries paid to people toward buying war bonds and stamps, held a meeting Friday night in the Directors room of the Spur Security Bank. Cooperating with them were the members of the Bonds and Stamps committee.

The duties of the Allotment committee is to induce people who are working for a salary to invest a certain amount of that salary in bonds and stamps the day they are paid. The amount is supposed to be about ten per cent of the salary drawn.

A number of people who draw salaries are already making investments in war bonds, and stamps, and some employees are already investing ten per cent of their salaries in war bonds and stamps and say they like the plan. It affords two conditions. First they feel they are doing something toward winning the war; and second, they are making substantial saving now which they may need in later years. A government bond is a very safe investment and it is hoped to induce a great number of people who work for a salary, to make a small investment in war bonds and stamps each week, or each month, comparing to the time they draw their salaries.

Various employers will receive instruction from the Allotment Committee before too long, giving them an opportunity to take this matter up with their employees and see how many will voluntarily willing to cooperate with the plan. It will be nice now, while salaries are up some, for all to try and save some and at the same time help finance this serious war condition.

Among those present at the meeting were: M. C. Golding, chairman of the County Allotment Committee, V. M. Hand, of Dumont, C. O. Head of Dickens, R. R. Wooten of McAdoo, Guy Felmy of Dickens, Speck Lunsford, Henry Alexander W. T. Andrews, O. C. Arthur, W. F. Godfrey and W. D. Starcher.

REV. EAST AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

Rev. A. G. East, of Hamlin, will preach at the First Baptist Church in Spur next Sunday morning and Sunday evening. He is said to be one of the outstanding preachers in West Texas, and people in Spur community are promised a treat if they hear him next Sunday.

Rev. Aubrey Short, the local pastor, is in a revival meeting at Hamlin this week and next. Rev. East is filling his pulpit morning and evening.

PEP SQUAD LEADERS SELECTED

Different School activities are being organized in the Spur High School, among these being the Pep Squad. The leaders have been selected and are:

Melba Lewis, Robbie Hoover, Billie Scott and Jonny Rucker.

The entire High School student body will cooperate in the Pep Squad work as far as possible at each game.

The Spur Band will play at each game and will give a program between halves at each game. The Spur Band features a lot in the football program for Spur.

REV. STOKES TO PREACH AT ESPUELA

Rev. A. P. Stokes, of Afton, will preach a series of sermons at Espuela Baptist Church beginning tonight (Thursday). The main subject in all the sermons will be "The Second Coming of Christ." The first message to night will be events leading up to the second coming of Christ. Services will begin each evening about nine o'clock and will continue each night through Sunday night. People have a cordial invitation to hear any or all of these messages.

W. F. Cathey and Dewey West, of near Dickens, were in Spur Saturday attending to business matters and meeting friends.

W. F. Neaves, of Espuela, was in Spur Saturday greeting friends and doing some trading.

D. W. Hughes, of Duncan Flat, was transacting business and talking with friends in Spur Saturday.

H. C. Eldredge, of McAdoo, was attending to business matters and greeting friends in Spur Saturday. Tom McArthur, of Red Mud, was in Spur Monday looking after business matters and greeting friends.

Much Interest In Church

Many people go to church occasionally and some go every service, but few people take the interest in the work of the churches and its advancement as does Mrs. George M. Williams, who is a charter member of the First Baptist Church.

She wondered why a report of the revival meeting held recently had not been published and when told that the information had not been acquired she got busy and turned in the full work of the meeting.

She stated there had been 30 people converted during the revival and 15 of them had been baptized into the church. In all there had been 47 new members taken into the church in the different ways in which Baptist receive members.

Mrs. Williams is to be congratulated for her interest in the church, and we feel that every minister should want the progress of his church known to the world.

Miss Sibyl Clay, who has been in San Antonio the past year studying

art, now has a position in a studio at Seagraves where she is doing retouching and tinting of pictures. She states she enjoys the work very much.

W. R. Farrell, of Foreman Chapel community, was attending to business matters and visiting friends

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

John C. RAMSAY, Minister
 10:00 a. m. Sunday School, Cap McNeil superintendent
 11:00, a. m. Morning worship and the word message: "Turning the World Upside Down"
 2:30, p. m. Outpost Sunday School
 7:15 League

8:00, p. m. Evening worship and the word message: "You".

The Woman's Auxiliary meets Monday at 8:45 at the church and will be led in a Bible study of Luke by Mrs. Pauline Clemmons. Everybody is asked to read the entire book of Luke. Mrs. Coy McMahan is President.

Mid week prayer meeting next Wednesday evening at 8:30.

This is the church where you are a stranger but once. Come and let us make you a church home.

BABY PASSED AWAY

Virginia Louise, seven months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hooser, died at the family home near Girard last week. Funeral services were held at the Girard cemetery with Rev. Ollie Apple pastor of the Methodist church at Jayton, in charge of the services. Interment followed with Chandler Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

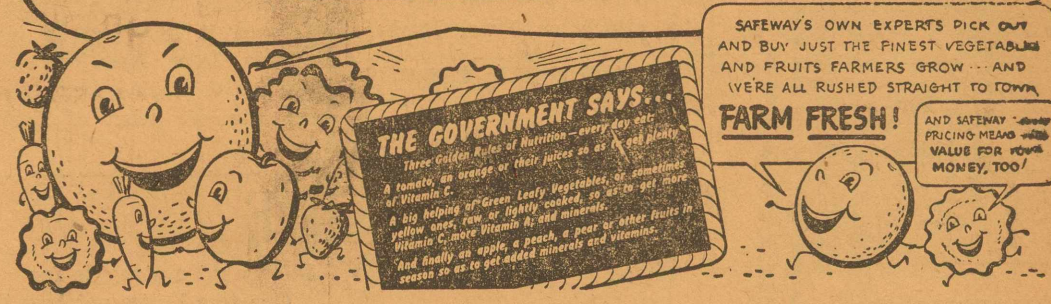
The baby is survived by its parents, five brothers: Pvt. Guy Hooser of Camp Barkley, Travis Hooser, Prestis Hooser, Wyndell Hooser and J. R. Hooser, all at home; four sisters, Mrs. J. R. Brooks of Girard, Alene, Mary and Ollie Hooser, all at home.

W. M. Moore, of Red Top community, was transacting business and talking with friends in Spur Saturday.

W. R. Whitford, of Highway, was greeting friends and trading in Spur Saturday.

John Albin has accepted a position with the Farmers Cooperative Gin as Book-Keeper. Mr. Albin has been with the Meadors and Son's Grocery.

HUNGRY FOR FARM-FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES?



Royal Satin Shortening Ready-Mix 3-Lb. Tin 59¢	Oranges California Sunkist Lb. 9¢	G-E GLOBES 40-60 Watts New Low Price Each 10¢
CRISCO Shortening 3-Lb. Tin 69¢	Grapes Thompson's Seedless Lb. 10¢	Silk Toilet TISSUE 3 Reg. Rolls 13¢
SNOWDRIFT Shortening 3-Lb. Tin 69¢	Grapes California Revier 2 Lbs. 25¢	Woodbury's Toilet SOAP Special Deal 4 Reg. Bars 26¢
OLEO Sunny Bank Lb. 17¢	Fresh Prunes Ripe Juicy 3 Lbs. 25¢	Southern Lady SALAD DRESSING Qt. Jar 29¢
	Tomatoes Fancy California Lb. 10¢	
	Corn Colorado Fresh Golden Bantam 4 Ears 10¢	
	Cabbage Fresh New Mexico Lb. 3¢	
	Texas Yams Fresh Sweet 2 Lbs. 15¢	
	Onions No. 1 Colorado Yellow 3 Lbs. 10¢	
	Potatoes No. 1 Idaho Rural 10 Lbs. 35¢	
	POTATOES U. S. No. 1 Idaho Russets	
	5 Pounds 27¢	
	Pears Harper House Bartlett Halves No. 2 1/2 Can 25¢	Spread Southern Lady Sandwich Qt. Jar 29¢
	Bread Julia Lee Wright's Enriched-Dated 24-Oz. Loaf 10¢	Dog Food Bar-B-Kubes 7-Oz. Pkg. 5¢
	Preserves Queen Isabella 16-Oz. Jar 19¢	Flour Kitchen Craft Enriched 12-Lb. Bag 49¢
	Cherub Milk 3 Tall Cans 27¢	Corn Meal Mammy Lou 5-Lb. Bag 23¢
	Spinach Emerald Bay No. 2 Can 15¢	Linen Mops 16-Oz. Each 19¢
	Sweet Peas Sugar Belle 2 No. 2 Cans 33¢	Su-Purb Granulated Soap 24-Oz. Pkg. 20¢
	Hershey's Cocoa 1/2-Lb. Can 12¢	Super Suds Concentrated 24-Oz. 23¢
	Coffee Nob Hill Luxury Blend 1-Lb. Pkg. 24¢	Lux Flakes 12 1/2-Oz. 23¢
	Coffee Edwards' High Quality 1-Lb. Can 28¢	Old Dutch Cleanser Reg. Can 8¢
	Sugar Cured Smoked First Grade HAMS	Guaranteed MEATS
	Whole or Half Lb. 35¢	Roast Rolled and Tied Boneless Plate Beef Lb. 27c
	Butt or Shank End Slices Lb. 37¢	Roast Grade A Beef Seven or Veal Lb. 27¢
	Choice Center Slices Lb. 53¢	Loin Steak Choice Cuts Lb. 37¢
	Sliced Bacon Decker's Iowa Lb. 35¢	Pork Liver Sliced or Piece Lb. 23¢
	Sliced Bacon Decker's English Lb. 31¢	Fresh Brains Scramble With Eggs Lb. 19¢
	Cat Fish lb. 35c	Bologna Large Round Lb. 15¢
	Smoked Jowls lb. 20c	Frankfurters Decker's Skinless Lb. 25¢
	Salt Jowls lb. 16c	Sausage Rath or Decker's Smoked Rings Lb. 25¢
	Dry Salt BACON No. 1 Reg. Side Lb. 23¢	

SAFEWAY

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Scholarship Draughtons Business College at Lubbock, See the Dickens County Times.

FOR SALE—One Ross and one Thor electric washers. See Spur Trading Post.

FOR SALE—Section, 32 Mi: N. E. Spur, extra good sandy land farm See or write Leznie Lewis Box 634 Spur, Texas

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WANTED—TO BUY dried pinto beans and blackeye, cream brown chowder and other varieties of dried peas. Phone 4231, or write care P. O. Box 1333, 1996 Ave. F, Lubbock, Texas. L. R. Barron Company "Texas Largest Blackeye Shippers"

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres mixed sand farm near school. 100 acres in cultivation, rest pasture, small house, good barn and corrals good shallow well. Crop retained. \$19.00 with terms. See Times office 9-10tn

FOR SALE—One: Leg Style bath tub and fixtures. Good condition. \$25.00 Cash See Dickens County Times.

FOR SALE—COW shed 14 x 18 feet, metal roof. Priced right. See J. J. Albin, Spur, Texas. 9-17-tn

FARMS AND RANCHES FOR SALE
 If you want a buyer
 If you want to purchase
 See O. B. RATLIFF
 Box 1077, Spur, Texas
 List your land early for quick sales

FARM FOR SALE—100 Acres good Valley land all in cultivation water at 12 feet. Always makes crop. Good improvements. See A. Biggs. 1tp.

WANTED—A waitress at once. See or write SPUR CAFE. 1tc.

STRAYED—From Ben Schussler pasture, a brown bald faced heifer underbit out of left ear. Notify C. A. McAlpine. 1tp.

WANTED—Cotton pickers, could use family. Have five bales open now. Good cotton. N. E. Dodson, one mile south Justice Store, 4 miles S. E. Spur. 1tp.

SALE OR TRADE—Meal and flour mill 16-inch rocks, 7 h. p. engine Good condition. Cheap. At my station. W. H. Rigsby, Spur Rt., Roaring Springs, Texas. 1tp.

FOR SALE—160 acres of land, Fair improvements water piped in house. Good four room stucco house, \$1250. See Paul Enloe, 1-2 miles southwest Roaring Springs. \$1,000 in Land Bank.

FOR SALE—Good 1937 Tudor Ford Sedan, 5 casinas and tubes good motor, O. B. Ratliff.

WANTED—Section of good grass land in Spur vicinity. Also want good farm land. O. B. Ratliff.

FOR SALE—Two coal heaters at a bargain, one Butane gas hot water heater. See Speer's Variety Store. 1tc.

WANTED—A 40 Inch wide tire wagon wheel returned. Was at back of Ince Blacksmith Shop. See W. C. Suits. 1tc.

REV. STOKES ANNOUNCES SUBJECTS
 Rev. A. P. Stokes, of Afton, was in Spur Tuesday and announced he will preach a series of sermons on the Second Coming of Christ at Espuela Church beginning tonight, Thursday, September 17. The following is the outline of subjects he will use. Services each evening at 8:30 o'clock.
 Thursday Night—The Rapture
 Friday Night—The Great Tribulation
 Saturday Night—Armageddon
 Sunday Morning—The Millenium
 Sunday Night—The Eternal Age
 Rev. Stokes requests that the public be there, take your Bible and study with him.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Futch, of Dickens, were in Spur Saturday doing some trading and greeting friends. 1tp.