Reconstruction Fund Now Available In Count

CLEAN-UP WORK WELL UNDERWAY IN THIS CITY

Pioneer Of West Died at Matador

D. C. Kieth, pioneer citizen of this country, died quite suddenly Wednesday morning at his ranch home near Matador. He was 70 years of age on the 8th of October.

Funeral services were held a the Baptist Church in Matador Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with the Rev. R. L. Jameson, assisted by Revs. Jordon and Pipkin, officiating.

The death of Mr. Kieth marks the passing of another staunch and sturdy pioneer character who wrought well in this western country and ably assisted in fit ting it for the present day pleasures and conveniences. He came to Dickens county from Jack county, Texas, in 1882 and worked on the Spur Ranch for some time before moving to Motley County where he was associated with the Matador Ranch activi-He was married to Miss Ella Cribbs at Matador on the 23rd day of December, 1891, and it is said that this was the first couple married in Motley County. The widow and five children survive to mourn a great loss, three sons and two daughters Gilbert, D. P. and Charlie, Mrs Marvin Patton and Miss Mary who resides with her mother at the family home.

Spur people attending the funeral were: Messrs. and Mesdames H. T. Garner, Hamp Collett, W. L. Hyatt, Will Garner Luther Jones, 'R. C. Forbis, Miss Ella Garner, W. J. Elliott, Rev. Joe E. Boyd and W. D Starcher. ____

'Silver Dollar' is Premiere Sunday

A picture folled with thrill and romance of pioneer life in the mad gold rush days of Colorado's founding will be seen Sunday in "Silver Dollar," a First National picture which begins a two day engagement at the Palace

Edward G. Robinson, famous for his powerful screen characterizations, has the intense and colorful role of Yates Martin, the Colorado Silver King, who rose from poverty to riches overnight. Bebe Daniels and Aline MacMahon head a notable supporting cast, which includes Jobyna Howland, DeWitt Jennings, Robert Warwick, Harry Holman, Russell Simpson, John Marston, Charles Middleton and Marjorie Gateson.

The screen offering is based on David Karsner's popular book, which tells the rise and fall of HAW Tabor, an influential pioneer who played an important and spectacular part in the early history of the nation.

The picture presents Robinson as a rough miner with a "Midas' touch, who soars from poverty to wealth and power. When romance touches him, he discards the wife who has stood faithfully at his side in the fight for riches. and with a younger, more beautiful woman, starts on a career of eccentricities that started the world. While at the peak of his wealth and fame, his fortune collapses with the adoption of the gold standard.

The screen play was adopted by Carl Erickson and Harvey Thew and was directed by Alfred E. Grreen.

00 70 Years Young

J. J. Cloud, who resides a few miles northwest of Spur, was in the city Thursday dancing on the answers of the youth of our streets for his friends, showing community to these questions them how good a man can feel on his 70th birthday. He said he felt good and was showing just how good he felt by giving the boys a few jig-steps.

and her sister, of Afton, were deitors in Spur Monday.

Spur's streets are all spic and span since the street-sweeping brigade got in action the first of the week. Other unpaved streets are being leveled, in some instances plowed up and a new

coat of gravel placed. This work is being done to relieve the unemployment situation and is financed by the Federal Reconstruction Relief Fund. The Governors of the several states made application for the money and the West Texas Chamber of Comerce handled the proposition with the Governors to secure definite amounts for each county or locality. A local committee handles the distribution or proration of work in Spur. Faust Collier and D. L. Granberry have active charge with the latter

taking care of the details. mains below freezing point, the right side and arm, painting of the fire plugs and negress being reported in and debris which will be hauled line to the dump grounds and any

It is planned to organize the community centers of the county and have a local committee at

each place to direct the work. work and the size of a man's family gauges the number of days per week he can be employed. The employment is available only to those who actually need it to purchase life's neces

Twenty-eight men had signed to work up to Wednesday morning in Spur and 24 were on the years and the monthly rainfall job at that time.

00 Sanitarium News

Miss Castro, of Asperment who submitted on December 30 to a right rib resection operation, is doing only fairly well.

Abron Giatan, (Mexican) is recovering nicely from a similar operation and will be able to return soon to the Lisenby ranch Clyde Bean, suffering from a critically fractured leg, is getting along quite nicely. He resides at Clairemont.

Walker Schoonover returned Thursday to his home at Espuela. Mrs. R. N. Richards, who has been an inmate of the sanitarium the past two weeks, will return home in a few days.

J. A. Marsh, of 3 miles north of Spur, who received burns on Hallowe'en night, still taking treatments and was of the year. there Thursday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Morris Robinet, one of the nurses, was confined to her bed Thursday suffering of influenza.

----- O Minister Addresses

Rev. Joe E. Boyd, pastor of the First Methodist Church Spur, spoke before the student body of the Dickens schools Monday morning and to the students of the Spur High School Monday

in Spur only a short while but his work among the young people is already commanding attention. He is issuing questionaires dealing with modern questions the younger folks of this city. He expects to tabulate the answers and to discuss them in some of his sermons. The questions are pertinent and to the point on some of the problems of modern youth which concern we older folk. The candid! should prove quite interesting City Grocery. and perhaps educational.

-06 Abilene where he is a student in in a sausage mill and lost a bones. Abilene High School after spend- small portion off the end of it. Mrs. Byror Haney, Mrs. Barton ing Christmas in Spur with his Fortunately the nail was not parents, Dr. and Mrs. P. C. cut, just the fleshy part on one New Year's Day with her moth-

Cattle May Get By The Winter Unfed

Doc Ellis, one of the old time owmen who still engages in that very attractive business, was in from the Spur Ranch this week and honored the Texas Spur with his renewal subscrip-

Mr. Ellis stated that notwithstanding the snow and sleet and other disagreeable features weather the past few weeks that the cattle had got by reasonably well without feed and that occurs later he expects the herds to make the winter in good his recovery since the operation shape on the grass.

Dusky Shot Frau On Jordan Farm

A negro by the name of Walter McKee (it is alleged) Other work to be done in | shot his wife Tuesday about 1:00 cludes lowering of the city water A. M., the shot taking effect in remodeling to prevent freezing, serious condition. A .38 calibre repair and beautify school yard, pistol was used. The affray occemeteries, the City parks. The curred on the Albert Jordan city will be cleaned of all trash farm down on the Kent county

Sheriff W. B. Arthur states other work done that would that he was notified of the inprove of mutual benefit to this cident about 9:00 A. M. Tuesday other communities of the and the suspect is so far unap-

It appears that the negroes rural communities and other had been having domestic difficulties and McKee had been away from the place for several days when he returned Monday \$1.00 per day is paid for this night or early Tuesday morning and did the shooting.

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(By R. E. Dickson) The following is the monthly mean rainfall at Spur for 21

1932 21 yr. av

for 1932.

January	1.71	
February	2.39	
March	Trace	
April	1.91	2.
May	1.43	2.
June	3.38	2.
July	2.67	1.
August	5.55	2.
September _	4.24	2.
October	58	2.
November _	.09	
December	3.75	
Total	27.70	21.
The total	rainfall during	19

was 6.53 inches above normal. Most of this excess rainfall occured during August, September, and December. Due to the slow rains of December there was very little runoff and most of the pastures and fields have the best serious bottom season they have had for is a number of years at this time

----Assembly of God Meeting in Spur

Rev. N. C. Whitlock, of Gon-

evening at 7:15 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Whitlock stated to The Rev. Mr. Boyd has been Texas Spur representative everybody is invited to all good he will do you no harm.

Finger Caught in Sausage Grinder

Hamp Collett has returned from Clarendon where he had been the past several months and is again on the job in the meat business in Spur. He is asso- and accomodating salesman a ciated with the market at the the Spur Hardware & Furniture

G. H. Stack Died Friday After Long Illness

G. H. Stack, good citizen of Spur, died Friday, December 30 1932, at Chico, Wise County, Texas, where he had been taken the day before from Fort Worth where he had been an inmate of a hospital the past few weeks and where he had submitted to unless unusual severe weather a very serious surgical operation. Little hope had been held for

was performed. Funeral services were held at Chico. Saturday, December 31st, with Wright Randolph, Minister of the Spur Church of Christ, officiating, and interment made in the cemetery near this city in which he was born January 29th.

Mr. Stack came to Spur about nine years ago and followed his trade as a barber. Later acquired half interest in the bus iness known as Schrimsher Stack Barber Shop. He was the job regularly there until physical condition caused him to lay off some several weeks ago. Everything possible was done by skilled medical men and surgeons to relieve his condition, but to no avail.

Mr. Stack was a straight-forward, industrious, honest, trustworthy, honorable and capable citizen who played the game of life in a fair way with all his friends, associates and acquaintances. His untimely passing is a distinct loss to this community.

Surviving near relatives are the wife, mother, three brothers and one sister.

Spur people attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Foy Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hart Cecil Addy, Mr. and Mrs. D. J Dyess, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Briley Mr. and Mrs. Vance Martin, Mr and Mrs. John Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Orby McCombs and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Ousley of Abilene also attended the funeral.

06 Knob Knockers Crack Safe At The Local Depot

Knob-knoockers plied their art at the Wichita Valley Railway night station in Spur Monday and were successful in prying the safe open. They realized something over ninety cents for their trouble.

Safes in the depots at Aspermont and Anson were burglarized the same night.

Bailey Bingham, sheliff of Stonewall county, and H. H. Alexander, special officer for the Fort Worth and Denver and religious belief interfere with a Wichita Valley railways, were in friendship, Spur Tuesday night to confer with Sheriff W. B. Arthur rela- marriages involve? tive to clues, etc., pertaining to said robberies.

It appears to the writer that girl to go on working? zales, Texas, has been in Spur depot safe knob-knockers in 8. What would you like to tell the past few days conducting a this country would finally get your friend if you dared? Student Body Here series of revival services under wised up to the fact that the 9. Is a thing right for a man the auspices of the local congre- said depots quit carrying money and wrong for a woman? Or do gation of the Assembly of God in their safes some several you believe in a double standard? months ago. Any number of Any young person who does The services are being held at robberies have occurred at rail- not have a list of these questions the Lyric Theatre building on way stations over West Texas and wants to join in this service people of this community. Burleson Avenue starting each this fall and winter and a dollar with the other young people can The has been a big haul at any of get a set of the questions from daughter of Mr. J. W. Davis who them. The money (as we under- Mrs. McCulley, or the pastor or that stand it) is sent to hearquarters use this list in the paper. the daily as a safety measure against sure to get your answers to the munity, is a graduate of services and that he guarantees burglary. Yes, if we were going pastor for this list not later than High School and possesses those that if he doesn't do you any to enter the field of knobknock- Friday night. And be sure to womanly attribute's and attaining we would endeavor to choose more lucrative victims than the railway stations have proven to be the past year or so.

Luther Garner Has Badly Broken Foot

Mr. Luther Garner, efficient Co., is using crutches for walk-Wednesday morning he happen- ing assistance since last Saturday ed to the misfortune of stick- when a large roll of linoleum fell Pike Nichols has returned to ing a fore-finger a little too deep on the foot and fractured the noon were to the effect that ex-

> Mrs. Newton Bingham spent home in Vermont. er, Mrs. Drennon, of Croton.

Women On Local

A pleasing diversion was afforded attendants at the Spur Rotary Club Thursday noon at the Spur Inn. Roy Stovall and his efficient corps of program arrangers had gone out after some real talent. Nobody doubted this to be true after listening to the delightful solo by Mrs. Ray Dickson, with Mrs. Clifford B. Jones at the piano, and the able discussion of "Friendship' by Mrs. P. C. Nichols.

Dr. G. L. Granberry discussed the futileness, distastefulness, uselessness and horrors of war. We gathered from his remarks that he and Sherman are somewhat agreed as to what war is.

02 Dickens Jail In Better Condition

Sheriff W. B. Arthur informed a representative of the Spur this week that his "Boarding House" over at Dickens is now in a very excellent condition for adequately taking care of the "boarders." He recently had all the plumbing repaired, a new cess pool dug, placed new bedding and otherwise improved the sanitary surroundings of the jail house. The Commissioners' Court inspected the work this week and placed their wholehearted stamp of approval on the improvements. Seven prisoners were incarcerated in the county bastile Tuesday night when we were talking with Sheriff Arthur.

_0 0 Methodist Church

We are glad to note that there was an increase in attendance last Sunday in the Sunday School and preaching services over the past several Sundays. And surely next Sunday will be much better. There will be special music at

both services. The pastor will speak on Love and The Communion, Sunday morning and bring a special message to the Young People, county chairman of the beautifi-Sunday night. The following cation contest, quite a landscape questions have been given to the young people for their answers this week, and the answers will

given Sunday night. MARGY AND HER BOY

FRIEND 1. What are the three most important characteristics you like for your friend to have? 2. What characteristics

most disagreeable to you? 3. Do you object if your friend smokes cigarettes, or drrinks

whiskey? 4. Must your friend surrender any convictions to hold your

friendship? difference 5. Should a

6. What dangers does mixed 7. Should a young couple get

married if it is necessary for the

get the list for the next three ments so essential in the making

A welcome awaits you at the Methodist Church. Join with us tion to the Lord. Joe E. Boyd, pastor

00 Coolidge Died In Vermont Thursday

Unconfirmed radio reports received in Spur Thursday after-President Calvin Coolidge died

Texas Spur goes to press.

nen On Local Rotary Program MEETINGS TO BE HELD OVER DICKENS COUNT

Important meeting will be held soon in the several communities of this county when the Reconstruction Finance Corporation plans will be laid.

Mr. D. L. Granberry, secretary of the Spur Chamber of Commerce, wants to meet the trustees of the schools and the other men of the various communities with reference to the work being furnished through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. These will be very important meetings. At this time a foreman for the work in the communities will be suggested, the system explained and plans made for

starting the jobs. We shall be at the different school houses at the time mentioned in schedule below: Monday morning, January 9:

Red Hill, 9 to 10. Duck Creek, 10 to 11. Wilson Draw, 11 to 12. Monday Afternoon, January 9 Steel Hill, 1 to 2. Twin Wells, 2 to 3. Spring Creek, 3 to 4. Red Mud, 4 to 5. Peaceful Hill, 5 to 6. Highway, 6 to 7.

Tuesday morning, January 10: Dry Lake, 9 to 10. Espuela, 10 to 11 Soldiers Mound, 11 to 12. Tuesday afternoon, January 10: Dickens, 1 to 2.

McAdoo. 2:30 to 3:30. Duncan Flat, 3:30 to 4. Afton, 5 to 6. Midway, 6 to 7.

Prairie Chapel, 7 to 8. Wednesday morning, January 11 Croton 9 to 10.

Wichita 10 to 11. From an educational viewpoint this project will serve two pur

First, it will supply work to people, thereby enabling them to keep the children in school, and second, it will give us a chance to make our schools and grounds

sanitary and more beautiful. Mr. Charles Whitener of Spur will also accompany us. He is gardener, and has supervised the beautification of the parks and many of the pretty yards in Spur. He will inspect the schools and grounds, make pictures of them as they now are, and help us by suggesting possible improvements. Many of our schools are very unsightly. We can now, through government aid, fill in the grounds, level them up, build flower beds, put out shrubs, and

At about time for schools to close Mr. Whitener will again judge the schools. A nice prize will be given to the school making the most decided improve-

MADGE D. TWADDELL, County School Supt. 0 m

WATSON - DAVIS

A wedding of unusual interest and all the old time friends who to the people of this country was solemnized at the Methodist Parsonage Sunday, January when Rev. Joe E. Boyd read a pretty ceremony that joined wedlock Mr. Joe H. Watson and Miss Verna Davis, popular young

The bride is the charming resides near Spur. She was practically reared in this of a happy home.

and Mrs. E. A. Watson, promin- injured the first of the week on in the worship of the day next ent folk who reside just east of the Swenson Ranch. Sunday with prayer and consecra- Spur. He has been associated was vaccinating bulls and with the Hogan and Patton store Rains was standing against in Spur the past few months and gate to the corral when one of is known as a very reliable and the animals became unduly intrustworthy young fellow.

here where they are receiving gate and bull fell on Mr. Rain the sincere congratulations and His nose was broken, two good, wishes of their numerous dislocated and vario

- (Comments -Mrs. Ray Sanders and Ray suddenly at 10:00 A. M. at his Bowman returned home Saturday Murr after spending the holidays with day Details are unavailable as the relatives and friends in Hubbard, vi

Officers Sworn in On January 2nd

A session of the Commission ers' Court of Dickens County was held Monday, January 2nd for the purpose of approving bonds of the county and pre cinct officers. The several bond were approved, oath of administered and the new ficers or those elected to succeed themselves got in the and are now discharging their respective duties.

The new officers on include Jim Cloud Judge, Miss Neal Fortson county clerk, Mrs. Nettie Littlefield, district clerk and Jack McCulley, constable precinct No.

Other officers whose bonds were approved are: A. B. Hogan. tax assessor; Mrs. Nannie Cobb. treasurer; W. B. Arthur, Sheriff and tax collector with II. R. Black and Fred Arrington as deputies; Alton Chapman, county attorney; H. H. Terry, county surveyor; Mrs. Madge Twaddell, county superintendent of public instruction; Austin C. Rose, commissioner precinct No. 1; E. N. Johnson, commissioner of precinct No. 2; W. F. Foreman, commissioner precinct No. 3; Lee Mimms, commissioner precinct No. 4; W. M. Malone, justice of the Peace Prect. No. 3; T. M. Green, Justice of the Peace Prect. No. 1; constable precinct No. 1, W. D. Street.

L. M. Martin Died At Home in Afton

L. H. Martin April 6, 1819, passad 1:30 Monday, January 2nd, J

at the home of his son, Gus Martin, 4 miles southeast of Afton. Mr. Martin was stricken with pralysis on the 15th of June, 1932, and his death was expected momentarily at that time for several days, but he rallied somewhat though never being able to be up any considerable length of time. He had been a citizen of Dickens county at intervals the past fifteen years and had made his home with the son at Afton continuously te past seven years.

The body was taken overland by Webber Williams of the Campbell Funeral Parlors of Spur to Lingleville, Texas, near Dublin. to the house the deceased erected when he settled the farm 54 years ago. One of his sons occupies the place at the present time. Interment occurred in the family cemetery beside the wife who passed on several years ago. All the children were present had seen Mr. Martin hew well to the straight line of good citizenship in transforming that section of country from a rough untamed condition to one of modern achievements and conveniences, were there to pay respects to one who had been a true friend and neighbor and to offer condolence to the bereaved

loved ones. -0 B Jake Rains Has A Wreck With a Bull

Jake Rains, old time cowhand Mr. Watson is the son of Mr. of this country, was painfully furiated and lunged at him, tak-The happy couple is at home ing the gate with him. Both

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LOOKING SOUTHWARD three-quarters of a century our nation looked to the for an outlet for its prois today looking thward, toward Latin Amer-

Here is one of the vastest nds in the world-larger in area in the United States, with alas much population. Here potential outlet for millions dollars worth of American ods and, as a result, the source employment for hundreds of housands of American workmen. better understanding betwo hemispheres is social, importance. Latin Amertremendously suffered fall of raw material values, as is evidenced by revolutions, wars and frequent changgovernment. Today she passing through a period of that she will come out of it is beyond doubt. The stuff of which great and permanent nations are made is within her borders, and that is the important thing

Raw material prices will not always be depressed. Foreign money will once more flow into Latin America, in exchange for coffee, tin sugar, tobacco, petroleum, etc. Much of that money will find its way into this country, buying automobiles, type writers, farm implements and other manufactured articles she When that time comes, our Latin American trade will be

BACK TO SCHOOL

Students returning to their respective schools after having spent Christmas with Spur relatives and friends are:

Texas Tech, Lubbock: Mr. and Mrs. Odis Holly, Ferrell Albin, Spencer Campbell, Cecil Wolfe, Velda Crouch, Lenoy and Cleo

Dallas: Alva Ince and Morris · Lane.

Oklahoma City University: Henry Albin.

College of Industrial Arts, Denton: Era Belle Hogan and Patsy

McMurry College, Abilene: Dot tend to matters of business. Lisenby.

Mrs. G. Brown left recently for Garland, Texas, where she will visit with Mrs. Ben Crush.

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This little illustration symbolizes the electric age. A kilowatt hour of electric energy costs a few pennies and, as has been said, it is equivalent to the combined efforts of thirteen huskies money's worth on the market.

W. K. Williams, of Girard, transacted business in Spur Mon-

RENEWS SUBSCRIPTION

W. J. (Uncle Bill) Elliot, real old timer in this section of Lawrence, Terry, Boothe, Pete of which is paid in full and now the country, sent in by his son, Perry. Hazel, Andrews, Richey, at the service of the town. "Little Bill," Saturday an order and Green. Mrs. P. H. Miller and Among the officers and stock-(accompanied by a check) for Melba Jo Hazel were visitors holders here, who will take an the renewal of his subscription present. cog in the economic to the Texas Spur and Telegram. He also sent best wishes for a successful new year. Thanks, Mr. Elliot.

"Scotch Bill," as Mr. Elliot is familiarly known to all the old timers, perhaps' has a wider acquaintance in this section of the State than has any other citizen. He has hewed straight to the line of good citizenship almost since it was found that man could live here and has contributed greatly to the development of Southern Methodist University, this country from a buffalo and antelope rendezvous to an agricultural and stock farming country second to none.

O Comments E. H. Ousley, of Abilene, was in Spur this week to visit with his father, Sam Ousley, and at-

We'll Come Clean With You!



THE GREAT BEAUTY

of making a skeptical customer satisfied was exercised by a certain cloak salesman. A lady m.. The following program has had selected a beautiful fur coat when she asked the salesman if it could be worn in the rain without hurting it, to which he re- song Service-led by Association-

"Did you ever hear of a seal carrying an umbrella?"

The beauty about our Thrift service is that your wash is laundered to immaculate perfection with none of the wear and tear of home rubbing. You get the benefit of modern methods and equipment plus an element of punctuality that will win your approval.

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SPUR LAUNDRY ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY HAS MADE THIS THE WIFE-SAVING STATION

Spur Barber Shop

HAIR CUT 250 Tonic and Oil Plain Shampoo Other work in proportion.

EARNEST GEORGE, Prop.

T. E. L. Class Has Monthly Meeting

Editor's Note: Everybody makes mistakes except the printer, and we make more than anybody-because our opportunities wood, operate sewing machines, are more numerous. This article milkers, fans, light your home, should have been in the Texas cook your food and, if you wish- Spur last week but whoever reed, carry your voice around the ceived the copy hung it on the improper hook and we didn'f discover its whereabouts until af- New fixtures, lock and call boxter the paper had been mailed We are sorry.

> The monthly social and business meeting of the T. E. L. Class was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hazel. Mrs. Wolfe, the president, presided at the business session.

The devotional was conducted by Mrs. Hazel. "Joy to the World" was sung and a prayer of thanksgiving was offered.

The hostess had prepared peautiful Christmas tree and Santa Claus was there. Every received a gift from the tree and Mrs. Wolf was given a sur prise kitchen shower by member of the class she so faithfully ha served as president.

As a climax to the tree Santa presented Mrs. Godfrey, teacher, ,with a friendship quilt from class members. The ver leaf pattern was used green and white colors. Each member embroidered her and date in a block and a most beautiful quilt was the result

very appropriately thanked the of the Frisco Railroad; the John class for their gifts

tea and cakes were served to the The individuals and estate com- for his father, Chas. Dunlap. following members: Godfrey, Wolfe, Nichols, Powell, tal of more than four hundred Johnson, Ivey, Sloan, W. S. Per- millions of dollars. The bank a ry, Shugart, Edwards, Rodgers, has a capital of \$100,000.00, all

S. S. CLASS COMPLIMENTS MRS. D. J. EAST RECENTLY

The Polly Anna Class of the Sunday School of the First Methodist Church of Spur, complimented Mrs. D. J. East, a recent bride, with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Bynum Brittain. Delightful refreshments were served to the following guests who called during the afternoon:

Mesdames Lee Snodgrass, Velma Parks, Jim McDaniel, G. H. Snider, L. S. Wilson, R. E. Snider, R. A. Fain, Norman Wilson, B. Street, Jerry Ensey, Otho Thompson, J. S. Clay, V. L. Pat terson, Dick Speer, Monk Rucker, O. L. Kelly, Morris Collett, J. M. Foster, Horace Wood, Jessie Hayes, Clark Lewis, W. C. Ramsey, E. L. Smith, Ernest George, D. J. Dyess and Misses Charlsie Hayes, Royce Blackwell, Velma Snodgrass. Iva Shepherd, Margaret Koon, Nell Collett, Verna Shepherd, Anna Mae Hale, Edith Ince, Alva Ince, Pauline Stapleton, Levada McClung and Dorothy Carson.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and help during the illness and loss of our beloved daughter, Gwin-

dell .- Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gallo-

ASSOCIATIONAL B. T. S. PROGRAM

The Dickens County Associational B. T. S. meets with the Calvary Baptist Church, Crosbyton, Sunday, January 8, at 2:30 p. been planned:

Theme-Looking unto Jesus for Life's Ideals

al Choirister, T. J. Seale. Devotional-"I Press on Toward

the Goal"-Mrs. M. D. Ivey "Looking unto Jesus"—Oliver

Riley Reading-Maliasa McKay. What is the Standard of Excellence"-a playlet.

Special music "Christ did Our Standard of Ex-Cellence"-Rev. J. C. Scott.

Ben Henze is a new reader of the Texas Spur at Gilpin. He has agreed to send in the news from that section. The Texas Spur desires to make itself interesting to all the folks of this country by assembling the actual news of the doings of the people in every community. What you may do, what your neigh-

bors do and what I may do, from day to day is the actual news of the day, and when assembled in a newspaper from week to week makes a history book that will be of great interest to the generations to follow.

Mrs. Jessie Pennel, of Wichita, Kansas, is in Spur for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lisenby.

Miss Alta Lancaster, teacher in the Antelope School, was business visitor and shopper in Dickens to visit his brother, Zeke. Spur Saturday.

23 YEARS AGO IN SPUR, TEX.

Taken from the Texas Spur of January 7, 1910. Oran Mc-Clure, Editor and Proprietor.

Wednesday Postmaster Baker moved the postoffice to the new building just completed on fifth street east of Burlington Avenue. es have been received and in the new location the public will be better served and the office better equipped to do business. Spur National Bank opening

Has the strongest backing

any institution of the whole country. The Spur National Bank opened its doors Tuesday and is now doing business in the temporary banking house on the corner of Burlington Avenue and Harris Street. The officers and directors are Messrs. R. V. Colbert, president; C. A. Jones, vicepresident; W. G. Sherrod, cashier; C. G. Chandler, assistant cashier; E. P. Swenson, Berthelot, F. S. Hastings, W. Andrews, A. J. Swenson and R. C. Forbis, directors. Among the stockholders of the Spur National are the Swensons and W. O Weatherbee, bankers and financiers of Wall Street, New York: Jas. Stillman, head of the Nat ional Bank of New York, one of strongest financial institutions of the United States; E. P. Ripley president of the Santa Fe Rail-Mrs. Godfrey and Mrs. Wolfe way system. B. F. Yoakum, head

J. Emery Estate through the Refreshments of sandwiches Girard Trust Co. of Philadelphia. Mesdames bined represent a financial capi active part not only in the bank but in pushing and promoting the financial, agricultural and industrial interests of the town and country, is Chas. A. Jones, manager for S. M. Swenson & Sons. Mr. Jones is not only a representative of the financial interests but is a man of real

> the town and country. The Spur Hardware Co. has just received a car of Bain wagons, P. & O. implements, plows and cultivators.

worth and great importance to

Mr. Hagins, of several miles southeast of Spur, was in town Friday on business.

All parties now living in Spur are hereby notified that we have secured the services of a scavenger who will clean closets, keep streets, alleys and sidewalks clear of trash and rubbish. Everybody is expected to keep their premises clean. Respectively, J. M. Bennett, Y. L. Jones, C. I.

The trial of Dock Edwards, charged with the murder of R. L. King at Spur during the Christmas holidays, is now in progress in District Court at Dickens. The jury was fecured Thursday, the evidence heard, the lawyers made their speeches and the case turned over to the jury Thursday. The lawyers for the defense are Dalton and Holman of Afton and Matador. District Attorney Glascow is being assisted in the prosecution by H.

H. Womack of Abilene. The wood and coal men are in demand in this section at this time. Old timers tell us that this is the coldest winter the country has had for a number

of years. Will Dunwoody, who has been employed the past ten days in the Texas Spur office, left Saturday for his home at Anson.

Sheriff Cole, of Dickens, has business this week in Spur and while here was a pleasant caller at this office, leaving two silver cart wheels for two subscriptions to the Texas Spur.

Sam Clemmons went over to Dickens Monday to attend court. A. R. Fouts came up this week from Rotan and spent several days looking after his business here.

W. F. Godfrey, the popular real estate man of Spur, returned this week from a visit to his old home at Paducah. W. C. Gruben returned last

week from a visit, to relatives at Royston. Constable W. N. Blackwell attended court at Dickens this

Mr. and Mrs. Al Van Dyke spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Wooten at McAdoo.

Mrs. Joe Stotts and Joan have returned to their home in Lubbock after having spent Christmas in Spur.

Dan McMahan returned Friday from Breckenridge where he spent the Christmas holidays.

Bill Fowler arrived from Dal-

las recently and went over to

ESPUELA

Mr. Rudd, of Tahoka, is conducting a ten night singing school at the church house. Everyoone is invited to come out and help Harold Spivey. us learn to sing. There will be a box supper at the church house Friday night, January 13th.

Mr. J. L. Karr and son, Harold, made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Ralls, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Messer and family.

Miss Daisy Ball left Saturday for Denton where she is attend-Mr. and Mrs. Paul Trimnier

left Tuesday after spending the holidays with her father, B. J. Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCor-

mick, of Corpus Christi, have been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris and family. Mr. and Mrs. S. T.

spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMahon and son, of Dry Lake. W. F. Foreman made a business trip to Dickens Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dutton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Delisle. Miss Carmen Shockley, who suffers from heart trouble, was

brought home from Spur Tues-Raymond Dunlap. substantial farm citizen of eight miles northeast of Spur, was here Saturday to renew subscriptions to the Texas Spur and Star-Telegram

day. We are glad to report her some improved.

Relatives from Rochester are visiting in the home of Seals Earnest. Fred Delisle and Lewis McMahan spent Saturday night with

Mrs. Goss Cobb, of Blanket, Texas, is in Spur for a visit with

her mother, Mrs. Kate Senning. -0 Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Alexander. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Bedwell, of of Jayton, were visitors in Spur Monday.

> Mrs. Blanche Howard of the Stone Department Store left Saturday for Dallas.

A. M. Lay, of McAdoo, was a

COLONEL PENICK HERE Colonel Penick, of Stamford, was in Spur this week on business. He is now associated with a life insurance comapany. Colonel Penick has been prominently mentioned as an appointee to the Texas Highway Commission and his many friends in this section of the country are hoping such action is taken, that everybody could and would fully expect a square deal from this veteran who has given a good stretch of his life helping

Clara Pratt, County Home Demonstration Agent for Dickens County, returned Tuesday from Willis, near Houston, where she spent the busines visitor to Spur Tuesday. visiting with her grandmother.

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NORTH DICKENS COUNTY NEWS

Spur News Items

Mrs. Lela Evans, of Lovington New Mexico, is in Spur to visit with her mother, Mrs. Fite.

T. S. Lambert, who operates a filling station at Wichita, was doing business in Spur Wednesday.

-0° Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hyatt who have been making home at San Angelo the few months returned to Spur this week for a visit with friends and relatives.

-----T. M. Swigert, of Abilene, district manager Safeway Stores, was in Spur the first of this week assisting to invoice stock of the local store and attending to other business.

Mrs. David Burns is quite ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. Green, on Hill Street. She has a severe case of influenza and is bordering on pneumonia.

Mrs. Shell, of Snyder, Texas, is in Spur at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. David Burns, who is critically ill.

Miss Vesta Green arrived on Spur visitors Wednesday. Thursday from Snyder to be with her sister, Mrs. David Burns, during her serious illness.

Mrs. Ellis Lewis returned to Amarillo Thursday after a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Marshall.

A. J Swenson, of Stamford owner of the Swenson Land and cle Bud Martin, who died at his Cattle Company, was a business visitor in Spur Tuesday.

Messrs. and Mesdames Benson, Johnson and Cross, of Roaring Springs, were Spur visitors last Tuesday.

Miss Nell Albin, book-keeper West Texas Utilities Co., has been ill this week at the home Dick, pastor of the First Bapof her parents.

Mesdames Luther Garner and T. J. Rogers attended to business in Roaring Springs Monday.

-06 B. J. Howe, of Espuela, was a business visitor to Spur Tuesday.

ed business in Spur Wednesday.

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AFTON NEWS

The boys and girls basket ball teams of the Afton school went teams of the schools of that city. The Matador boys won 21-10 and the Matador girls won 25-18.

Mrs. Leon Lawson spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. S. L. Porter, at Cro-

iness visitor in Spur Monday tained the young people with a went to Vernon and returned

party Saturday night Mrs. Luther Starks entertained with a party Monday night. Uncle Bud Johnson, who has been ill for some time, dosen't

seem to show any improvement. Uncle Bill Stafford was in town Wednesday for the first time since his leg was broken several

Miss Mavis Stafford and S. M. Newberry left last Saturday for Lubbock to enter Texas Tech.

Mr. Albert Powers and family are leaving Afton to reside on a farm near Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dozier were Clarence Alexander of Afton

married December 20th. Edith, are moving back to Spur. night. Mr. and Mrs. Biddie Hicks will

reside on the home place. left for Erath County last Monday to attend the funeral of Un- the animal. home near Afton last Sunday

Finch - Steadham

L. H. Finch and Miss Ina Lee Steadham, of the McAdoo community, were married Saturday night at Crosbyton by Rev. C. E. tist Church of that city.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Finch and is employed on the McNeil Ranch where he and the bride will make their future home.

The bride is the charming and ready for the spring rush. accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Steadman, a graduate ously ill the past few days. Tom Black of Afton, transact of the Crosbyton High School and quite popular in the community.

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McAdoo Locals

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harris and son Claris and Jakie Twaddell, of to Matador Tuesday night for Spur, attended the funeral of games with the boys and girls Mrs. W. J. Harris at Hawley Texas, Christmas morning. Harris received word of his mother's death early Christmas morning. Five children,

children survive. The Harris family also receiv Mrs. N. K. Lawson was a bus- ed word that Mrs. Harris' mother Mrs. B. F. Stokes, was seriously Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Day enter- ill at her home in Vernon. They

grandchildren and 9 great grand-

ed improvement. Jim Early is now employed at the Nickels gin.

home after she had shown mark-

J. T. Powers made a business trip to Spur Saturday. Cecil Geter, of Crosbyton, was

in McAdoo Wednesday. Mary Wooten has returned to Spur to attend school after having spent the holidays here with

her parents. Inez, Lucille and Katherine Rose and Marjorie Van Meter have returned to Lubbock to enter school after spending the holidays here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Page Gollihar, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mayfield and son, Eloise Nickels, Ches and Miss Howes of Spur were Clark and Marshall Formby at tended the Harry Lauder per-Mrs. T. B. Hicks and daughter, formance at Lubbock Wednesday

Fred Pair's team ran away with a wagon last Monday. One Mr. and Mrs. Byron Haney of the horses received a broken leg which necessitated killing

> spent the Christmas holidays in to worship God and has destroyed Amarillo.

spent the holidays in Roaring Russia is not known. Springs and Lockney.

The road is being graded from McAdoo to the pavement. Both gins are running again

Lawson McWilliams is the owner of a new Ford. Beatrice Cooksey is visiting in Roaring Springs this week.

R. E. Cooksey is now employed with the Dillon Blacksmith Shop. They are remodeling this business institution and getting Skelton Keifer has been seri-

Elois Nickels has gone to Waco after his wife who has been visiting her parents there.

Tom Eldredge made a business trip to Borger Monday. Mrs. J. W. Clark is reported much better after a several days

Robert Nickels made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday.

E. S. McArthur was a business visitor in McAdoo Wednesday. The R. F. Ragland family of Duncan Flat, also H. Gibson, visited R. E. Cooksey and family

Spur News Items

Mesdames Doc Earnest and Paul Akins, of Dickens, were shopping in Spur Wednesday.

Buster Foster of the Swenson Ranch was in Spur Wedneday

Rex Merriman was in Spur Wednesday night to visit his mother, Mrs. Tol Merriman, who is suffering from an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Harvey Holley, of Dickens, was a visitor in Spur Wed- gym out of the old blue school

A. A. Smith left Sunday on a business trip to Fort Worth and

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith and family returned the latter part of last week from a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fain and baby left Wednesday of last week for Dalhart, Texas, to transact business and visit relatives and friends.

Burnett Haney, of Afton, transacted business in Spur Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Davis of the Spur Ranch was a vistor in Spur last Tuesday. -0

Mesdames Lee Favor and Bill Middleton, of the Afton community were shopping in Spur one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Mateer grow even in times of depression and Henry Albin left Sunday for in a legitimate manner. It has Oklahoma City after spending never been and won't be the the holidays in the home of Mr. management's attitude to try to and Mrs. H. O. Albin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds, with the sort of news people like of Dickens, were visitors in Spur to read doesn't have to be given Monday night.

THIS WEEK IN **McADOO**

(By MARSHALL FORMBY)

The Formby column is published by this paper as a news feature because of the interesting comments of this writer upon everyday happening in McAdoo. Mr. Formby and should not interpreted as reflecting the editorial opinions or policies of this newspaper.-Editor's Note.

In every community there a certain amount of scandal that needs to be told. And that shall be one of the purposes of this column from week to week. This writer will appreciate the "lowdown" on any one in McAdoo and will be glad to pass it on to the readers of this column. ----MF-

Christmas has come and gone and hundreds of little children have been made happy, while hundreds of others have suffered disappointment. Most Mc-Adoo children, however, were visited by Santa Claus and although many of them didn't get everything they wanted, they were made happy by what they ---MF---

American children wouldn't know what to do without Christ-Russian children 15 years old holidays. and under have never known what Christmas means. Since the October revolution about 15 years ago Russia has outlawed re-Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Roberson ligion, has forbidden its citizens most of the churches. The Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Orman spirit of giving at Christmaas in

> ___MF_ Jim Cloud was sworn in as county judge the second of January and is one the youngest men in Texas to hold down this responsible position. Although Jim is only 25 years old and perhaps lacks the judgment which comes to those who have served the public for a score or more of years, he is possessed with plenty of youthful energy, confidence and enthusiasam. And that means plenty for one trying to please the public.

---MF-Youth will play a large part in weilding the policies of Dickens county for the next two years. Jim Cloud is young, County Attorney Alton Chapman is not much older, and Miss Neal Fortson who fills the office of county clerk is still young in her twenties. On the other hand, the four commissioners, Rose, Johnson, Mimms and Foreman and all middleaged men. ---MF-

Mayor C. P. Aufill says he is a gentleman first and last, but not always.

"Dubbs" McLaughlin is fering from a swollen caused by the cotton falling on him. ----MF----

ODD FACTS-Bruce McLaughlin was an all district tackle while playing on the Floydada football team in 1931—Ervin Clark says used cars are not so cheap in Fort Worth as one might think-At one time this year three of the nine McAdoo teachers were out of school on account of the flu-McAdoo ball fans are still "cussing" the Mc-Adoo trustees for not building a building which they almost gave away about three years ago-McAdoo is a pretty good place for a shoow to stop-More than 5000 bales of cotton already have been ginned this year by the two local gins—The local telephone company isn't using its head; if they'd reduce their rates about four times as many phones would be used-This in turn would call for more long distance calls which would increase the phone company's revenue Several local citizens—some of them grown too-were "gypped" plenty trying to win blankets when the tent show was recently here-McAdoo has failed to have its usual number of Christmas weddings this year.

J. J. Cloud has the Texas Spur gang's thanks for the subscription of his son, H. G., at Wewoka, Okla., and his brother, R. S., Rockdale, Texas. The Texas Spur list continues to force the paper on anybody, and we have found that a newspaper away.

THE AERIE

(THE EAGLE'S NEST)

The Senior Girls basket ball

Marjorie Van Meter. Katherine

Irez, and Lucille Rose, of Lub-

or at the home of Mrs. A. M. Lay

Supt. Cherry and family visit-

Southern Cinderella will be pre-

sented at the McAdoo High

School auditorium Saturday night

ed in Bellevue during the holi-

days. Mrs. Cherry and Mary

Leatrice remained there.

last Tuesday.

Leatrice Sparkman, Mrs. Cherry and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. | team lost to the Roaring Springs Frank Macon and son, and Mr. Yellowjackets 8-32 in a recent and Mrs. Roy Wart were visitors game. Misses Joe Henderson and The views expressed are those of a the Christmas cae, Friday Beulah Mae Phifer starred for December 23rd. the McAdoo team.

> Lucille Morris spent Christmas in Stamford.

The number of high school bock, were at home last week students has increased by the A party was given in their honmembership of Jack Derr, C. P. Aufill, La Verne Cooksey and Amis Isaacs

The sixth and seventh grades all enjoyed the Christmas vacation. Most of these pupils are back and we hope that all may stay in school.

seventh grade making a total en-January 14th: This play was rollment of sixteen. postponed account inclement weather and the influenza epi-

Edward Dillon has entered the

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Roberson demic some few weeks ago. spent Christmas in Amarillo.

Miss Catherine Buster went mas and Santa Claus, yet God- with her sister, Miss Pauline, to less Russia knows no Christmas. their home in Abilene for the

HONOR ROLL

HISTORY: Clyde Embry. ENGLISH II: Mary Frances Van

ALGEBRA II: Mary Frances Van Meter, Jo Henderson, Eugenia Butler, Martha Helen El-MATH IV: Beulah Mae Phifer. HISTORY II: Eugenia Butler,

Mary Frances Van Meter. SPEECH: Beulah Mae Phifer. SPANISH I: Annie Finney, Jo Joplin, Jo Henderson. BIOLOGY: Mary Frances Van Meter, Eugenia Butler, Buelah Mae Phifer.

Phifer - Took

Mr. Willie Phifer and Willie Took were united in riage Monday morning, Janu 3rd, at the home of Rev. 1 menter in McAdoo.

The groom is the son of and Mrs. J. F. Phifer who have resided in the McAdoo commu ity many years and is a young man of exceptionally clever characteristics.

The bride is the very charming daughter of Mrs. W. H. Took who moved to McAdoo a few years ago from Spur.

D. B. Embry, John Moss an Horace Nickels were in Spur Wednesday.

McAdoo girls will participate in the Dickens Tournament Friday and Saturday.

Superintendent W. O. Cherry's office was burglarized Christmas night or the night following. Entrance to the office was gained by breaking a glass out of the door and unlocking from the in-The school rooms and school side. A steel filing cabinet was The McAdoo Junior girls lost bus have been thoroughly disin- pried open and about \$1.25 in to Roaring Springs the same ev- fected since a scarlet fever scare change was taken from the drawer.

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and Mrs. H. Schrimser daughter, Sybil, of Mineral visited friends in Spur

Mr. and Mrs. Heny Alexander ent Sunday wiith relatives and riends in Haskell, Texas.

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Intentions To Wed

The following couples filed intention of marriage in the County Clerk's office at Dickens from December 19th to January 4th: Luther Burkett and Marie Harris, Girard.

Leroy Williams and Lois Grantham, Spur. Clarence P. Ellis and Odessa Craig, Spur.

Loyd Roberts and Lillian Black, Spur.

Fred Howard and Willis Miles M. M. Tullis and Naomi

Gragson, Spur. C. S. Cox and Catherine North

I. L. Harris and Florence Flud,

Joe H. Watson and Verna Da-

Tom Cheyney and Agnes Balch R. G. Sweeney and Belle Witt,

John Henry Walker and Geneva Ramsey (Colored), Spur.

CARL OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends for their kindness and help during the illness and loss of my dear husband.-Mrs. Har-

Troy Wright, who was with the hardware department of Bryant-Link Company the past few months, left this week for home at Rochester, Texas.

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BUDGETING FOOD ESPENDI TURES IS PROTECTION TO FAMILY HEALTH

Do you budget your food money? If not, says the Bureau of Home Economics of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, there is a subject for a New Year resolution. To budget all house hold expenditures is good business but to budget the food money is a protection to the fam ily health, particularly if the family funds are low. A market list, made up weekly, and made up wisely, can be used to insure a balanced diet as well as balanced budget.

In fact the food budget must be balanced in more than one way. There should be no ficit, of course, of money food supply. But there is another sort of balance that must be achieved. The items in the food budget must balance each other in nutritive value. the more limited the choice of foods, the harder it becomes to work out that kind of balance. But what are the requirements in nutritive value?

To answer that question it necessary first to have in mind that the body needs several different kinds of foods-energyyielding foods, body-building and Teachers College. body-maintenance foods-foods to help regulate body functions and to build resistance to disease. To supply those needs it is necessary examination centers. to provide foods that will furnish for body building and protective Paso. Fort Worth, bread and cereals; fats and cation is approved must

food groups must be included if best records in the preliminaries the food budget is to balance in will be selected to appear before nutritive value. But how much the committee in person for a

This question is answered most easily by applying the familiar later than March 1st with the rule for expenditure of food mon- scholarships secretary of the ey: Divide each food dollar in Academy in Culver, Ind. five parts (not equal parts however). The food budget would will be employed in this compebe balanced in nutrritive value if tition on a wider scale than in the money is spent about this any previous scholarship awards.

bread and beans

sugar, and molasses. The rest for other foods-

meats, fish, eggs. Since we have so many foods canned and every farm should mended by the principals of their produce all the milk, cheese, eggs, and meat needed for the

family that leaves groups that must be provided. more for the body than any and 15 years of age, and that other food; each child should they be 8th grade students. have a quart each day and each

You need tomatoes and raw applied in the course of the vegetables and fruits at least preliminary and final examina-

RED HILL

Almost everyone had an enjoyable Christmas considering the depression but we hope for a more prosperous New Year. There isn't very much crop Tennessee and Wisconsin.

left to be harvested. Harve Blevins of Steel Hill moved into the community Satur-

of implements to Wichita the past Lillian Thach of Ft. Worth is

visiting her mother, Mrs. R. F. A New Year's party was en- last week.

joyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Henze.

to attend school again.

LeRoy Williams and Lois Grantham were married at the home of the bride Saturday evening, December 24, by Wright Randolph of Spur. The bride was reared in this community and was a highly respected young woman. Mr. Williams is a young man of the Twin Wells community. We wish the young couple a long and happy life.

Clyde Latham, a student of A and M., spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Latham.

Miss Zell Ellis has returned to Swenson to resume her school teaching duties after having been visiting in Abilene with her spent the holidays with relatives parents the past several weeks, in Spur.

Mrs. Tracy Gorham left Sunday for her home at Stamford holidays in Spur.

Announcement of a valuable scholarship open to Texas boys who are in the 8th grade has been received at the principal's office of th local high school. It is one of the four offered this year in Culver Military Academy by the Academy's trustees in

The scholarship will go to McClure; Misses Vera Shepherd, the winner of a state-wide compe- Donna Mae Aston, Iva Shepherd, tition which will be conducted Pauline Stapleton, Charlsie Hayes under the direction of a committee of Texas educators, of which ris, Royce Blackwell, Evelyn Dra-Prof. Fred C. Ayer, professor of per, Edith Ince, Alva Ince and who have been here spending Ford sales rooms in Spur. Hereeducational administration of the University of Texas, is chairman. His aassociates are Dr. Norman R. Crozier, supt. of schools Dallas; Dr. C. E. Evans, president of Southestern State Teachers College; Dr. R. L. Marquis, President of North Texas State Teachers College; Dr. E. E. Oberholtzer, supt. of schools of Houston; D. A. Shirley, registrar

of West Texas State Teachers College; and Dr. Sam H. Whitley president of East Texas State

Preliminary examinations wi be held on March 18th in twenty eight Texas towns selected a

These centers are: the sarbohydrates, fats and pro- Alpine, Amarillo, Austin, Beauteins required for body fuel; the mont, Breckenridge, Brady, Dalproteins, minerals and vitamins las, Brownsville, Del Rio, El purposes. As a matter of con- Huntsville, Kingsville, Laredo, venience foods may be classed in Lubbock, Matador, Midland, Nac five groups from which to select ogdoches, San Angelo, San Anfor those purposes, and those tonio, Texarkana, Tyler, Uvalde, groups are milk and milk pro- Victoria, Waco and Wichita Falls Each candidate whose applithis examination. A certain num-Something from each of these ber of candidates who make the final examination about May 6.

Applications must be filed not

Scientific methods of selection

The successful candidate must One-third for milk and cheese, achieve, in tests devised by lead-One-fourth for vegetables and ing educators and psychologists, above average ratings in person-One-fifth or less for cereals, ality, emotional control, life purpose, social adjustment, original-One-eight or less, for fats, ity and leadership as well as in the qualities of mentality expect-

ed of a scholarship aspirant. The general requirements are that applicants must be recomschools as outstanding students worthy of the committee's consideration; that their parents be unable to pay their tuition at Remember that milk does Culver; that they be between 13

> With these qualities required tions, it is certain that the boy who wins the Texas scholarship will have to demonstrate stern and durable stuff. His scientifically tested capacities for achievement will unquestionably be far

above the average. The other states in which Culver scholarsip competitions are being held this year are Iowa,

> Earle Hitch, Scholarships Committee, Culver Military Academy.

Earnest Cowan moved a load MISS McDANIELS HOSTESS TO THE K. K. KLUB

Miss Syble McDaniels was the very charming hostess to the K.

K. Klub Thursday evening of Several hands of bridge were played, Miss Nell Albin winning

Most of the children are able high score prize, a beautiful Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames Mac Watson of California, Fred Haile, Elzy Wat-

son, Pat Watson, James Mc-Cormick, Ermal Scott, and Misses Hazel Watson, Nell Albin, Alice Brashear, Zell Ellis, of Swenson, Mildred Williams and the hostess.-Reporter. Miss Royce Blackwell left

Monday for Lubbock where she will be a student in Tech this term. She has been assisting her father, Dr. T. H. Blackwell. at the City Drug the past few

Miss Neil Fortson, who has has returned to Dickens to assume her duties as county clerk.

00 Miss Bernice Alexander, after having spent the Christmas | Jayton, was a Spur visitor Satur-

Scholarship Offered Shower Given For Mrs. Lee Snodgrass

Mrs. Lee Snodgrass, a recent, bride, was honored Thursday af ternoon of last week with a call shower by Mrs. Bynum Brittain at the Brittain home in Spur. The guests were served tea style as they called. The guests ner. were: Mesdames Alf Glasgo N, memory of the wife of Culver's Ernest George, Dick Speer, Jesfounder, Mrs. Emily Jane Culver. sie Hayes, Velma Parks, Cecil The scholarship is rated among McClung, Buel McDaniels, Clark th highest prizes offered by any Lewis, Jerry Ensey, V. L. Patter secondary school. It is valued son, J. C. Reece, Adrian Rickles at \$4,500 and covers all expenses Jim McDaniels, Geo S. Clay, Norfor tuition, board and room for man Wilson, Arnold Copeland, three years. The winner will be Morris Collett, Welton Copeland at no expense during his attend- A. M. Shepherd, Virgil Smith, ance at Culver except for wear- Lewis Rickles, D. J. East, Monk ing apparel, books and personal Rucker, W. M. Bumpus, W. P. Shugart, D. J. Dyess and Oran

> Nell Collett. Beulah Copeland, daughter of Mr. Arizona the first of the week. and Mrs. C. D. Copeland, before her recent marriage.

JONES TALKS BEFORE

Before an assembly of offi-them how's the river." cials and other members of the First Baptist Church of Spur eral hands hauling feed to the the new numbers before Februthis week Clifford B. Jones gave Ranch for the past few weeks, ary 1st.-W. B. Arthur, Sheriff For Us." Those in attendance finished up Monday. report it a most interesting fore-

Kalgary News

There were several out Sunday School Sunday morning. No B. Y. P. U. was held

Mrs. Elsie Crump of Kalgary was the guest of Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rankin and family of the White River and children were called to community were in this commun- Snyder Saturday on account of ity Sunday evening visiting his the death of their grandmother, sister, Mrs. Nelson Springer.

ren Baillio. Mr. and Mrs. Craig Parsons Reporter.

and family spent Saturday in

W. B. Ford and sons, W. B. Jr. and R. D. were visiting and shopping in Spur Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pope of

West Kalgary were business vis-Velma Snodgrass, Virginia Harlitors in Spur the first of the week. secure them at my office in Mr. and Mrs. Amon English. the Christmas holidays with rel- tofore I have tried to be very Mrs. Lee Snodgrass was Miss atives returned to their home in lenient on the new auto numbers

> Cross were business visitors in for all to do so, we are going the Red Mud community last to endeavor to pick up all cars Monday.

BAPTIST ASSEMBLY a dance in the White River It is my great desire to treat

an address on "What 1933 Has (when the weather permitted) A New Year's dinner was giv-

en at the Ranch Sunday in honor this week from the Spur Ranch of the cowboys by Mesdames | headquarters. C. A. Gladish, prominent citi- Saddler and Taylor. It was enzen and merchant of Dickens, joyed by a large number of was a business visitor in Spur guests. Those present from Dickens, attended to business in Spur were Mr. and Mrs. Dock Spur Tuesday.

Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ericson, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Miss Beatrice English, who has been here spending the holidays with her mother and other relatives returned to Colorado City

West Sunday were she is teaching. Miss Opal Lynch spent Sun-Johnnie Murry for Sunday din- day night with Miss Maxine

Lynch. Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hinson Mrs. Boon. Mr. and Mrs. Boon Colys Witt spent Saturday had just been here on a visit and night and Sunday with Mrs. War- had just returned home when Mrs. Boon suddenly became ill.-

AUTO LICENSE TAGS MUST BE ON FEB. 1ST

The 1933 motor vehicle tags will be available soon. You can Dickens or at the Chevrolet and but feeling that if it's right for Messrs. Brown Oxford and Jim one to register his car it's right and trucks not having the new Several of this place went to license numbers by February 1st. community Saturday night. "Ask everybody alike and to cooperate with all in any and all enforce-Bonny Scott, who has had sev- ment of the law. Please acquire

Mrs. Al Bingham was in Spur

Miss Virginia Worswick, of

and Tax Collector.

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1933

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We sincerely hope this year will prove to be your best