



THE TEXAS SPUR

AND THE DICKENS ITEM



SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER, 12, 1933

NUMBER 51

Partners" to be Free Now at Palace Oct 24

"Partners," a feature-length talk picture that has delighted audiences throughout the country, will be shown at the Palace Theatre beginning at 1:00 o'clock, Tuesday, October 24, matinee and night with compliments of dealers and service stations of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, it is announced by Mr. J. E. Berry, Magnolia agent.

Enacted by an all-star Broadway cast, "Partners" has proven a smashing hit wherever shown. Mr. Berry said. Packed with drama from the first reel to the last and with plenty of hearty laughs to dry up the tears, the fast moving plot provides more than two hours of delightful entertainment.

"Partners" is the story of a success in the service station business and was produced by one of the leading motion picture companies for the Socony-Vacuum Corporation of which Magnolia forms a major unit. The picture reveals what it takes to succeed in the automotive service business under the high standards set by Magnolia and other Socony-Vacuum companies.

The public is cordially invited to enjoy the showing of "Partners" as the guest of Magnolia dealers and service stations.

Girard School Opened With Big Success

Much interest was demonstrated by the parents upon opening the Girard School. Forty-two parents with children starting to school were present and much enthusiasm was shown. One hundred thirteen students enrolled which is considered a large number due to the busy cotton season which is much under way in this section of the country. In order to cooperate with the cotton farmers the Girard School is running on an early schedule taking up at eight o'clock in the morning and dismissing at 2 o'clock. A short ten minute recess is given in the morning and only thirty minutes at noon. By this plan the students are permitted to aid their parents in harvesting the unusual cotton crop which is said to be the best this community has had for the past several years. We are hoping that the pretty weather will continue in order that the cotton will open and not prolong the harvesting season thereby permitting the remainder of the students who are out of school on account of the cotton, to take advantage of the school and not get too far behind in their courses. We feel that those who are out of school at present will start just as soon as they can get their unusually large crops under control.

SPUR TO PLAY RALLS FRIDAY

The Spur Bulldogs meet the Ralls Jackrabbits, Friday in the first conference game that Spur will play. The Jackrabbits are one of the outstanding teams of this district and Fridays game will be a hot contested game and well worth seeing. Coach Murley, who saw the Jackrabbits play, states that they have both a strong passing as well as a strong running attack.

Most of the Spur boys are first year men but we have an excellent team, so come out and "root" for the boys. We have as good a chance as any winning honors, as this is the first conference game.

PETIT JURY FOR COUNTY COURT

Following is a list of the Petit Jury summoned for County Court at Dickens on the 23rd day of October.

James Jackson, Joe Tom Jackson, McArthur, Elmer Shugart, Carr, Clarence Littlefield, Daniel, Jeff Smith, Cliff Rose, S. Warren, J. J. C. Pierce, Sam Hemp-

Blades in good shape for beauty parlor.

G. A. Draper Died Tuesday, October 3.

G. A. Draper, one of the aged citizens of the county died at the family home seven miles southwest of town at an early hour Tuesday morning after an illness of only about two weeks with a nervous disorder.

Mr. Draper was born in Jefferson county, Alabama, in February 1853 and was over 80 years of age. He came to Hockley county in 1925 after his active life was largely over, the family coming here from Spur, where he had lived for several years. He had a home built near that of a daughter, Mrs. Hulda Vernon, and spent his declining years in the quietude of home near those he loved, as has been the dream of many fathers in the past.

He was married in 1878 to Miss Sarah Ayers, who was his companion for 55 years and who survives him. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

He leaves seven children, Mrs. Mary Keene and Mrs. Hulda Vernon both of Levelland, P. L. Draper of San Angelo, H. C. H. G. Joe, and Ellis Draper all of Spur. He also left 24 grandchildren, of whom the following live here: George Draper, and Miss Viola Keene; Fred, Sam and Hollis Vernon. He also had eight great grandchildren.

The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at his former home at Spur, the sermon being delivered by Rev. A. A. Brian, pastor of the First Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. W. K. Horn, pastor at Meadow, and Rev. F. G. Rodgers, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Spur. The funeral was directed by the Davis-Mason Company, Levelland undertakers, who carried the body overland.

The relatives were accompanied from this place by Rev. and A. A. Brian, Mr. Campbell and Earnest Stewart—Hockley County Herald.

Stage, Screen, Radio, Join in "International House" at the Palace

One of the largest all-star casts ever assembled for a motion picture plays in Paramount's "International House," lavishly-produced musical comedy which comes to the Palace Theatre Sunday. Peggy Hopkins Joyce, W. C. Fields, Rudy Vallee, Stuart Erwin, George Burns and Gracie Allen, Sari Maritza, Col. Stoopnagle and Budd, Cab Calloway and his Orchestra, Baby Rose Marie, Bela Lugosi, Lora Andre, Sterling Holloway, Franklin Pangborn, Edmund Breese, Lumsden Hare and the Girls in Cellophane are the featured players, and between them they represent the best talent of screen, stage, and radio.

"International House" is to comedy what "Grand Hotel" was to serious drama. Its action is set in a hotel in a mythical Chinese city where representatives of big business from all over the world are assembled to inspect and bid on a marvelous new invention. This device is called a radioscope, and it can see and hear anything anywhere. When the hotel is quarantined, everyone goes ga-ga and the developments become even crazier when W. C. Fields, an aviator sailing to Kansas City, accidentally lands on the roof of the hotel.

Peggy Joyce, thinking him a millionaire, immediately starts lining him up as a prospect for her next marriage. Bela Lugosi, a former husband of Peggy's who engineered the quarantine but was himself locked out of the hotel, watches in frustrated fury from across the street. Rudy Vallee sings; Burns and Allen wisecrack; Stoopnagle and Budd ponder the world's problems; Cab Calloway plays mad music; the Girls in Cellophane dance; Stuart Erwin makes timid love to Sari Maritza.

The picture's tempo is rapid-fire; its production one of the most lavish ever given a film.

Miss Pansy Moore left Friday of last week for Breckenridge where she has accepted a position in a beauty parlor.

T-P SERVICE STA. PUSHING G-J TIRES

Hubert Kato, manager and operator of the T-P Service Station called us by the other day and said that he wanted to put another ad in the Texas Spur about G-J Tires. He told us that the last ad he put in our paper which cost him four dollars had, he estimated brought him twenty dollars extra profit.

Of course he does not attribute this to us since he is handling a grade of tires that the really worth the money and he expects to make resales on the majority of the tires that he has sold but he has complimented this paper on the fact that it is able to make it known to the buying public.

You will also find that Mr. Kato will give you the most courteous service when you drive into his station.

1917 STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Geo M. Williams was hostess to the 1917 Study Club on October third. Mrs. G. R. Elkins, president, presided and fourteen members answered roll call.

RED CROSS PROGRAM

Leader, Mrs. J. W. Henry; roll call, "American disasters helped by the Red Cross. Life of Clara Barton by Mrs. E. F. Lavery. Report of Red Cross in Dickens County, by Mrs. Hill Perry. Radium, its use in the World, Mme. Curie, by Mrs. Luther Jones. Parliamentary Drill and critic's report, Mrs. M. H. Brannen.

The program was excellently presented and enjoyed by all present. The Library committee will be getting new books and cordially invite you to visit the library.—Reporter.

Mrs. C. B. Jones of Ft. Worth spent the last week end in Spur visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Barber and family.

Mrs. Rene Ripley of Paducah spent last week in Spur with friends.

Misses Maurice Patton and Nanette Beth Rice, teachers in the Jayton Schools, were shoppers in Spur Tuesday.

Judge and Mrs. W. D. Wilson and children, Betsy and Terry Earl, spent Friday in Spur.

DICKENS COUNTY TO HAVE IMPROVED YARDS

(By Clara Pratt, H. D. A.)

October may be too early to plant trees or shrubs but it is not too early to begin plans for demonstration yards or to study native shrubs suitable for foundation plantings and to locate them in the breaks and on the hillsides; or at least one would not think so from the interest being shown by the home demonstration club women over the October program on yard improvement. Selection of trees suited to this section and their location in the planting of the home, listing the native shrubs that may be used in foundation plantings, and grouping so there will be beauty the entire year are just some of the entertaining topics in the program. Lawns are receiving a big share in the program too. Of course Bermuda grass is the favorite and one of the best of the lawn grasses but in this section of the State, Texas curly mesquite grass is being favored. Texas curly mesquite can be soddied the same as Bermuda, in fact there are several yards in the county so soddied now, and it will thrive with less care than Bermuda. It has additional advantage that it scarcely needs mowing at all and even though it turns brown in a drought, it will green up to the tips of the brown blades with a small amount of rain or artificial watering.

Planting plans are being drawn for the yard demonstrators in each community. The demonstrators' duty is "to create a pattern yard" including 1. trees for shade and background at side and back of house; 2. smooth unbroken grass lawn; 3. foundation plantings of permanent shrubs; 4. screen and border plantings, where needed; 5. roses and

1ST CONFERENCE GAME OF SEASON

Friday at 3:30 the Spur Bulldogs will match their first conference game of the season when they play the Ralls Jackrabbits at Spur Fair Park Stadium at 3:30.

The Bulldogs, under the coaching of Thad Murray have played a few practice game with a fair break on honors and the new players have become initiated into the ways and means of playing the game on a field among spectators.

The Rabbits have a reputation of football prowess almost equal to their basketball prowess and fans may expect to see a game worthy of the class A teams.

Be at the Spur Fair Park Friday and cheer the Bulldogs to their first big game of the season.

GABRIEL SO BUSY CANNOT WRITE AD UNTIL NIGHT

Went up to the Fair Store this week to see Geo. Gabriel about an ad and found merchandise piled so high and clerks so thick that could not get an interview. He called us up later, however, and said if we could come up to his place after closing time he would fix us up—and scratched us off a few of the special bargains he will have for the public this weekend.

Mr. Gabriel has been in business at Roaring Springs for many years and is not exactly a newcomer and unknown to the buying public of this section and since his arrival in Spur his business has grown faster than he can take care of it.

NEW GROCERY STORE OPENED

Terrell Hale and his brother, Bill have the past week opened a new grocery store one door north of the Farmall Station.

Terrell Hale has been connected with the grocery business in this city for the past several years and is well known among the trade here and his many friends are glad to see him enter into business for himself.

Mr. Hale states that he and his brother will operate their new business on a basis of carrying a small stock with a large variety and small turnover.

History of My Club Work

(Norwetta Smith, Dry Lake 4-H Club)

I joined the Dry Lake 4-H club three years ago, because I was deeply interested in that work. I wanted to learn how to sew and cook, and endeavor "to make the best better."

When our club met and new officers were elected, after much decision I decided to be the Garden Demonstrator. However, I realized I would have to do a great deal of work to raise a successful garden. I also wanted to learn how to raise the different varieties and to learn more about canning.

I selected a plot 60 ft. by 40 ft. for my garden. This was close to the windmill, so I could irrigate it when necessary. The first thing I did was to have it broken deep with the tractor, then harrowed down and watered.

The varieties of vegetables I planted after this was done, was tomatoes, cucumbers, okra, radishes, lettuce, beets, bush beans, mustards, turnips, onions, black-eyed peas, peanuts, spinach, sweet corn, and even cantaloupes and watermelons. After these were up, it was necessary to weed and irrigate them, also to loosen up the soil around them. The plants grew very well, and I did not lose very many of them. I was very glad that I had a good stand in all of the varieties.

Since I had such a surplus of vegetables, I knew I could sell them and preserve them by canning. I sold \$18.35 of vegetables consisting of beets, mustard, okra, onions, cream peas, radishes, spinach, turnips, and black-eyed peas. The value of vegetables used at home (fresh and canned) was \$149.90 making a sum of \$168.25 total receipts.

The expenses were \$2.95 for seed and plants, and \$5.11 for cans and canning. The total expense was only \$8.06 because I already had some 20 containers and it was not necessary for me to buy any. The net profit was \$160.19.

As for the home improvement, I did some yard work which helped to improve the yard. Only last year I improved my bed room as demonstrator for our club at an expense of \$2.45.

During my third years work, I was bedroom demonstrator, winning first place in the county, and a trip to the Short Course. I also have attended one or two of the 4-H club encampments, and enjoyed them very much.

On the whole, club work has meant more to me it seems than to any other girl in the county. I can not put it in words what it has really meant to me. I know one thing, it has helped me to learn more about canning, gardening, sewing, and how "to make the best better."

At the Short Course, I learned many new ideas and better and shorter ways of doing things.

The value of this work could not be expressed by me since I have received so much from it.

MP. AND MRS. LUTHER POWELL HOSTS TO SETH PARKER CHORAL CLUB THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Powell were most pleasant host and hostess to the Seth Parker Choral Club of the Baptist Church Tuesday evening at their home on North Miller Street. A very enjoyable evening was spent in choir practice and conversation.—Reporter.

WEINERT ROAST ENJOYED LAST FRIDAY EVENING

A weinert roast chaperoned by Miss Julia Maxwell and Mr. Melvin Ensey, was enjoyed Friday evening by the following: Nell Arthur, Mae Barnette Johnson, Mary Louise Lisensby, Johnnie Nichols, Norton Barnett, Bill Caraway, Billy Putman, Ray Bowman Sanders, Max McClure, Sylvan Golding and Norris Russell.

J. M. Rowland returned this week from Ft. Worth where he has been for the past several months. Mr. Rowland states that he is very glad to see conditions in this section in the best shape they have been in years.

Pre-nuptial Shower for Bride Elect Sat.

Complimenting Miss Mary Elizabeth Hogan whose marriage to Sam Tarver Clemmons will be an event of Thursday, October 26th, Misses Sarah McNeill and Mabel King, entertained with a tea and miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock in the parlors of the Spur Inn.

Decorations in the bride's chosen colors, pink and green, were cut roses and autumn flowers and foliage.

Members of the house party were Misses Mabel King, bride-elect, Mary Elizabeth Hogan, her mother, Mrs. Ned Hogan, Mesdames Pauline Clemmons and J. C. McNeil III, mother and sister of the groom, Misses Ella Mae Hogan, Sarah McNeil, Mrs. G. R. Elkins who presided at a table where Miss Jane Wilson ushered the guests to register in a beautiful hand painted bride's book. Mesdames Faust Collier and F. W. Jennings, who presided in the room where many beautiful gifts were admired and which evidenced the love and esteem of the many friends of this popular young couple.

Seated in the parlor the guests Little Miss Billie Maree Russell and James Franklin Lavery as miniature bride and groom.

were served a dainty refreshment of pink and green brick ice cream and individual brides cakes by Mrs. Alton Chapman, assisted by Misses Nedra Hogan, Polly Clemmons and Nig Lisenby. Those calling and sending gifts were Mesdames Sam Z. Hall, J. E. Morris, Guy Karr, J. T. Wylie, Henry Alexander, Oran McClure, A. M. Walker, Joe E. Boyd, Basil Cairnes, Kate Senning, Carol Cobb, Adelaide Senning, R. A. Eaton, C. L. Love, Ruby Watson, J. W. Meadows, L. R. Barrett, W. J. Elliot, Eliza Watson, W. C. Presley, L. M. Jones, R. E. Dickson, W. P. Simpson, H. O. Everts, E. C. McGee, E. L. Caraway, W. S. Campbell, A. O. White, M. C. Golding, W. D. Wilson, Lubbock, Horton Barrett, James B. Reed, Ed Lisenby, Erma Lisenby, Dan H. Zachry, Bulloch Tillotson, Weldon Grimes, Jack Rector, E. C. Edmonds, T. H. Blackwell, Riley Wooten, Jimmie Smith, Hill Perry, E. D. Engleman, Tom Dickey, Leland Campbell, Geo. S. Link, E. A. Russell, Faust Collier, W. B. Lee, B. F. Hale, H. O. Albin, John King, O. L. Kelley, G. R. Elkins, P. C. Nichols, D. L. Granberry, Webber Williams, E. J. Cowan, J. M. Foster, Alton B. Chapman, Sol Davis, E. F. Lavery, J. C. McNeill, III, Lawrie Lee, L. W. Langston, Geo. M. Williams, Cash Wileman, W. T. Andrews, F. W. Jennings, M. H. Brannen, C. A. Hull, Roy Harkey, J. L. Roseman, Roy Stovall, Bill Putman, W. D. Starcher, Chas. Whitener, Garland Murphy of Roaring Springs, C. Hogan of Abilene, Misses Julia Maxwell, Virginia Elliot, Charlie Hayes, Alice Wright, Julia Mae Hickman, Frances Manning, Pauline Buster, Nellie B. Albin, Faye Jamison, Ella Mae Hogan, Jane Wilson, Audia Mae and Ila Lassetter, Leonora Lisenby, Rachael Langston, Billie Marie Russell, Wynell McClure, Opal Gene Lavery, James Franklin Lavery and J. W. Patton.

Parent Teachers

The Parent Teachers held a very interesting meeting Tuesday afternoon with eighteen teachers and ten parents in attendance. Following the business session a very interesting program was rendered.

The meeting was opened by singing America, followed by the Rhythm band giving two numbers.

Prof. Hall made a very interesting talk on "The Rights of the Child and First Right of Citizenship."

Grace Foster gave a musical number.

W. D. Starcher very ably discussed the subject "Children First."

President, Mrs. L. R. Barrett, gave the closing number "I and the Child."

Misses Lucile Hargrove and Dorothy Garner, students in Tech were visiting relatives and friends here Wednesday.

THE TEXAS SPUR

PUBLISHED ON THURSDAY

MRS. ORAN MCCLURE & SONS
Publishers
W. C. MCCLURE, Editor

Subscription Price, \$1.50 Per Yr.

Entered as second class matter
on November 12th, 1909, at the
postoffice at Spur, Texas, under
the Act of March 3, 1879.FOR RENT—Two nice bed rooms
with outside entrance and joining
bath with hot water.—Mrs. T. A.
Johnson. Phone 111. 50cROOMS for Rent.—Mrs. H. G.
Draper. 1tpFOR SALE—Good Piano.—Spur
Hardware & Furniture Company.

NOTICE

If you need a built in kitchen
cabinet or if your house needs paper-
ing, painting or repairing in any
way, tell N. C. Whitlock and he will
do the rest by contract or 40c per
hour. 428 N. Trumbull St., or box
545, Spur, Texas. 4pFRESH
OYSTERSWe Receive A Fresh Ship-
ment of Oysters Every
Day—Come In And
Try Them.

HIGHWAY CAFE

MR. and MRS. BOB FOX

Croquignole Oil
Permanents
\$1.50 up
LOCATEDSpur Hotel This
Week OnlyYOUR
APPEARANCEWill be greatly improved by
our expert barber work.Hair Cut, Shave, Shampoo,
Massage, Tub and Shower
Baths.

GIVE US A TRIAL!

Spur Barber
ShopFor ACHES and PAINS
BALLARD'S
SNOW LINIMENT
Penetrates! Soothes!
RED FRONT DRUG STORE

School News—

(By MADGE D. TWADDELL)

SCHOOLS CLOSE

After a very successful short
term most of the schools in Dickens
county have either closed or will
close this Friday for a period. The
divided term, because of recent fi-
nancial conditions has become a
necessity in Texas. Though in some
respects it is better to have an un-
divided term the divided school term
is certainly more democratic than
running school when only a few are
able to attend. This year as last,
most of the time during summer
school the weather has been quite
pleasant.

SCHOOLS BEST YET

I have heard many times in the
last few weeks such statements as
"Our school is better this year than
it ever has been before." Every-
thing is right for good schools. Peo-
ple are hopeful, interested, enthusi-
astic and cooperative. Teachers are
well qualified and professional. De-
spite the hard times most of our
teachers attended college both this
summer and last. Some of them
worked to pay their expenses in or-
der to attend college. We have sev-
eral new degrees among our faculties.Several old faculty members have
recently had degrees conferred upon
them. Some of the newly employ-
ed teachers have degrees. Among
those in the two classes mentioned
above are: Miss Lalla Lay, B. A.;
Mr. David Sisto, B. A., M. A.; Mrs.
Lois Baker, B. A.; Mr. Oliver Bri-
nell, B. A., B. S., and M. A. and Miss
Campbell, B. A., M. A.

ORGANIZATIONS

The school work in Dickens Coun-
ty is well organized now. At a re-
cent session of the Dickens County
Educational Association, officerswere elected and plans made to car-
ry on beneficially during the school
year. Mr. A. C. Sharp was elected
president, Mr. C. W. Giesecke, vice-
president and Mr. S. L. Benefield,
secretary-treasurer.The Interscholastic League Or-
ganization has been partly perfect-
ed. Mr. R. B. Neilson is again di-
rector general. At a meeting to
take place as quickly as schools re-
open the appointive officers will be
selected; after which time the com-
plete list of officers will be publish-
ed.

7TH GRADE TEACHERS MEET

On Thursday night, September 8,
the Seventh Grade Teachers of the
County met in the office of the Co.
Superintendent to plan their pro-
gram for the year.The high school children of Dick-
ens County have either been ade-
quately provided for this year or
will be next year. In line with the
policies of the Department of Ed-
ucation, all of our high school pu-
pils will have the opportunity of at-
tending an accredited school.The elementary work has improv-
ed greatly but must get better yet.Seventh grade pupils will be giv-
ing uniform examinations from the
County Superintendent's office. An
aminations which will be given to
examination committee will make ex-
all seventh grade pupils at the
close of the school year. The Wil-
son Long Scientific Tests will be giv-
en to the schools by section in an
effort to accommodate the schools thatare ending at regular periods. All
examinations will be filed in the Co.
Superintendent's office. We have
a committee which will examine the
papers carefully. No pupil is to be
promoted to high school in Dickens
County who does not at least know
the simple mechanics in elementary
English composition. No pupil will
be graduated from the seventh grade
who cannot answer correctly as
many as half of the final examina-tion questions. Uniform not books
will be kept and presented for grad-
uation. Poor high school and col-
lege work can almost be eliminated
if we turn our boys and girls into
high school properly equipped for
doing high school work.Those students who pass will
come to the Fair Park at Spur on a
Saturday after the schools are
out for a Big Rally Day. The morn-
ing will be spent in well planned
tournaments and interesting games.
After a picnic lunch at noon a beau-
tiful graduation will be held at the
picture show building or the Kelly
Ward building. Cotton clothing
will be worn.

LIST OF MEMBERS PRESENT AT

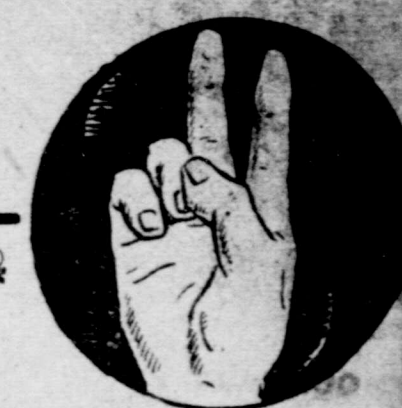
SEVENTH GRADE MEETING

The teachers whose names are
listed below helped work out the
seventh grade regulations and course
of study: Mrs. H. L. Groner, Imo-
gene Neaves, Lena V. Goodrich, F. M.
McCarty, Amelia Hargis, C. C. Ba-
ker, Hubert Taylor, Cheatham Evans
C. W. Giesecke, Jr., S. L. Benefield
and O. F. Martin.Our school finances are improv-
ing. The last three years we have
had twice as much aid in different
kinds as during any other three
years. We have this year in addi-
tion to all of the other aid secured
near nine thousand dollars emergen-
cy aid. A part of this is in unpaid
checks from the State of Texas but
they will be paid soon. At this
time our last years per capita mon-
ey has all come in except four dol-
lars and fifty cents per child. We
think that by February 5th most of
our unpaid paper will be taken up.
Taxes are beginning to come in.Our people, very loyally, are plan-
ning to pay school taxes even if un-
able to pay their other taxes.Also the Spur National Bank is
rendering a very wonderful service
in that it is loaning us fifty per cent
of the money as earned by both
teachers and bus drivers. This
year's money will not begin to come
in very much until about January.

EFFICIENCY SCORE CARD

Messrs. C. W. Giesecke, Coleman
Baker, Cheatham Evans, Hubert
Taylor, F. M. McCarty and Madge
Twaddell worked out a list of du-
ties and responsibilities of principals
with reference to school teachers,
community and County Superinten-
dent.At this same meeting the com-
mittee formulated an efficiency score
card for the school of the county.
This is a kind of measuring stick.
Each month on the bulletin board
in the County Superintendent's office
the grades made by all the schools
of the County will be posted. Also
it is planned to publish same in the
papers. The school people are try-
ing hard to raise the standard of
Dickens County Schools until there
are none better.The Vegetable TONIC
HERBINE
CORRECTS CONSTIPATION

RED FRONT DRUG STORE

TWO
REASONSYOU SAVE TIME
YOU SAVE MONEYTime to do other things
money to spend for other
necessities. If you don't
believe it phone us and
we will explain our many
services at low cost.ROUGH DRY
WET WASH
THRIFTY SERVICE
From 4c to 7c Pound.

Spur Laundry

FALL IS HERE

AT

The FAIR STORE

Fair Competition, Fair Prices and Fair
Weather when you trade at the FAIR
Store. When we named our store we
had in mind a policy which we intended to
make permanent, and when you come
to Spur to shop we will make it worth
your time to visit our store. And we
wish to assure you that we will appreciate
call whether you make a purchase or not.We offer the following special
bargains for Sat. and Monday.Fancy Plaids
Double
BLANKETS70 x 80
only
98cMen's
WORK SHIRTHeavy Chambray
only
50cChildren's
Union Suitsape Waiste
35cMen's Heavy
2.20 OVERALL

98c

TOWELS

20 x 40
Heavy Weight
10cMen's Wool Mixed
SWEATERS

98c

Children's
STOCKINGS

10c

Children's
Tennis ShoesWith Leather
In-soles
59cCHILI KING
CAFEGOOD EATS
COFFEE WITH A KICK
BEST CHILI IN TOWN
PRICES REASONABLE
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT

ALVA SMITH

PROP.

Across The Street From Mims
Garage.Times Were Never
BetterTo do that papering and
painting than the present.
Call No. 11 for an estimate
on guaranteed labor and ma-
terials at Reasonable Prices.

JOE S. CLAY

BARGAIN RATES

on the
LUBBOCK
MORNING
AVALANCHE

\$4.45

Per Year

By Mail Only

SHERROD DUNN
and
MORRIS DUNN
Local AgentsNRA JUST
ARRIVED

A New Shipment of "Those Good Old

GJ TIRES

BUILT OF TEMPERED RUBBER TO
GIVE TEN TO FIFTEEN PER CENT
MORE MILEAGE!Why not trade in those old worn tires
now before they blow out?Our prices are right and we give liberal
trade-in allowances on your used tires.

New stock and wide variety to choose from.

A Tire For Every Car and Purse!

We endeavor to meet you with a smile and
Give you the Best of Services.

We appreciate your patronage -- visit us.

WASHING
GREASINGSEE US FOR
TIRESTIRES REPAIRED
TIRES VULCANIZED

T-P SERVICE STATION

523 N. BURLINGTON

H. G. CATO, MGR.

MURPHY BROTHERS COACHES

Murphy Bros., Owners — Stamford, Texas

Read Down				SPUR—STAMFORD				Read Up			
Daily	Sun.	Fare		Fare	Sun.	Daily		Fare	Sun.	Daily	
AM	only				only	PM			only	PM	
10:00	1:30	.00	Lv. Spur	Ar.	3:00	11:00	5:45				
10:30	2:00	.50	Girard		2:75	10:30	5:15				
10:45	2:15	1.00	Jayton		2:50	10:15	5:00				
11:10	2:40	1.50	Peacock		2:00	9:50	4:35				
11:25	2:55	1.75	Swenson		1:75	9:35	4:20				
11:50	3:20	2.00	Aspermont		1:50	9:10	3:55				
12:10	3:40	2.25	Old Glory		1:00	8:30	3:15				
12:30	4:00	2.50	Sagerton		.50	8:30	3:15				
1:00	4:30	3.00	Ar. Stamford	Lv.	.00	8:00	2:50				

JIM and NETTIES CAFE
FOR GOOD EATS

HOT LUNCHES — COLD LUNCHES — SHORT ORDERS

Any kind of lunches. We are open Day and Night. Seating
Capacity one thousand, 25 at a time. For ladies and gents.
Clean and wholesome, not the best but as good as the rest.

LOCATED ON MAIN STREET AT THE DOMINO PARLOR

KAS SPUR

Law Notice

has been many questions
ries to the various county
to when the Stock Law
County, prohibiting
sales, jacks, jennets and cat-
ing at large goes into ef-

benefit of the people of
County, I am taking this
to make it clearly under-
it will be unlawful for
permit their animals men-
to run at large in Dick-
beginning October 4.

Respectfully yours,
JIM CLOUD
Judge, Dickens County.

D. H. ZACHRY

to Announce that he
returned to Spur and
has established his Dental
Offices in the City Drug
Store Building.

DR. M. H. BRANNEN

DENTIST

Office in Campbell Bldg.

Piles Treated

"By Injection Method"
See me at Dr. Hale's Office.
DRS. SMITH & SMITH

DR. P. C. NICHOLS

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
Office, Nichols Sanitarium
Office Phone 158 Residence 169

Dr. T. H. Blackwell

Specializing on Ear, Eye, Nose
and Throat and Office Practice
Office at City Drug Store, Phone 94

Alton B. Chapman

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
CIVIL PRACTICE IN ALL
STATE & FEDERAL COURTS

Vernon D. Adcock

LAWYER
General Civil Practice in
All Courts
CLAIREMONT, — TEXAS

W. D. WILSON

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
General Practice of Law

H. A. C. Brummett

LAWYER
Practice in all Courts
DICKENS, TEXAS

V. J. CAMPBELL

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
PRACTICE IN ALL COURTS
Room 5 Campbell Bldg.
Telephone 35
SPUR, TEXAS

JOHN T. WYLIE

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
Office Phone 2 Res. 105
Office at Red Front Drug Store

E. Alton Boone, D.C.

Chiropractic—Electrotherapy
Corrective Diet
OFFICE AT HOTEL WILSON

Wesley (Tut) Britton

ELECTRICIAN
All kinds of Electric wiring
We sell light fixtures
Work guaranteed to conform
to insurance specifications
PHONE 175

FLOWERS

Send your flower orders to the
Blossom Shop—Lubbock's modern
flower shop. We carry a com-
plete stock of flowers and floral
accessories and can at all times
fill orders for bouquets, blooming
plants, wedding flowers, funeral
sprays and designs.

The Blossom Shop

209 1/2 St. — Lubbock Texas.
PHONE 45

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DICKENS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Dickens County, Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded to
summon Wesley Lewis, by making
publication of this Citation once in
each week for four consecutive
weeks previous to the return day
hereof, in some newspaper published
in your County, if there be a news-
paper published therein, but if not,
then in any newspaper published in
the nearest county, to appear at the
next regular term of the Justice
Court of Precinct No. 3, Dickens
County, Texas, to be holden in the
town of Spur, Dickens County, Tex-
as on the First Monday in Novem-
ber, A. D. 1933, the same being the
6th day of November, A. D. 1933,
then and there to answer a petition
filed in said court on the 2nd day
of October, A. D. 1933 in a suit num-
bered on the docket of said court,
No. 1238, wherein P. A. Watson is
plaintiff, and Wesley Lewis and Mrs.
Bessie Lewis are defendants, and
the nature of plaintiff's demand be-
ing as follows:

Suit on one promissory note for the
principal sum of \$24.92, dated May
11th, 1929, payable to Love Dry
Goods Company at the Love Dry
Goods Company, Spur, Texas, due
5 months after date, bearing inter-
est at the rate of 10 per cent per
annum from date until paid, and
providing for 10 per cent attorney's
fees if placed in the hands of an
attorney for collection.

Said note being due the following
credits, to-wit, 11-5-29 the sum of
\$5.00; 11-29-30, the sum of \$3.00,
11-18-32 the sum of \$6.00, the balance
of said note being long past due
and unpaid or any part thereof.

For foreclosure of a certain chat-
tel mortgage lien on, to-wit: "One
team sorrel mules, 6 years old,
branded 'H' on left Hip".

That plaintiff is now the legal
owner and holder of said note; that
the same was duly transferred, sold
and assigned by the Love Dry Goods
Company, before maturity, to plain-
tiff, in the due course of trade, for
a valuable consideration.

Plaintiff has placed said note in
the hands of L. D. Ratliff, Jr., attor-
ney of Spur, Texas, for collection
and suit, and has agreed to pay him
the 10 per cent attorney fees for
such suit, provided in said note.

Plaintiff alleges that said prop-
erty sued on is located in Kent
County, Texas, and is of the season-
able value of \$125.00.

Plaintiff prays for judgement of
foreclosure of his chattel mortgage
lien, for cost of suit, and for all
such other and further relief gen-
eral and special, in law and in equi-
ty, to which he may be entitled to
receive.

Herein Fail Not, but have before
said Court at its aforesaid next reg-
ular term, this writ with your re-
turn thereon, showing how you
have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand, at office
in Spur, Texas, this the 2nd day of
October, A. D. 1933.

W. M. MALONE, Justice
of the Peace, Precinct No. 3 Dickens
County, Texas. 49 4t

Stephenville, Texas, October 2—
Cora Durham of Spur is Dickens
County's only representative at
John Tarleton Agriculture College
this semester. Tarleton has an en-
rollment of 704 students represent-
ing 122 counties of Texas and four
other states, Alabama, Arkansas,
Missouri, and Kentucky.

Messrs. Archer and Raymond
Powell left Monday for Dallas to
spend the week at the State Fair.

We expect they will see many in-
teresting sights and will expect a
nice story from one of them.

Little Miss Mary Margaret made
her arrival in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Jimmie Sample Wednesday
noon, October 4th.

**REAL
MEALS**

WHERE REAL SERVICE
IS GIVEN AND YOUR
PATRONAGE IS
APPRECIATED

THOSE GOOD OLD MEALS
MEALS LIKE MOTHER
USED TO COOK

**BELL'S
CAFE**

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT

FARMS & RANCHES FOR SALE

Hove some good farms ond ranches in
this territory owned by Loan Companies
at Real Bargains on Easy Terms.

See me at Spur Inn Saturday Morning
October 14, 1933.

We May Have the Farm You Want!

C. K. DURHAM**WHAT IS A VACATION?**

Every year there is a break in the regular routine of daily
work—this we call a vacation. To most of us it is a wonder-
ful chance to "get away"—to rest—to relax and forget about
the worries of everyday life—If you want that experience, if
you want this vacation to be the most enjoyable and worth-
while you ever had, come this year to the CRAZY WATER
HOTEL - Mineral Wells, Texas.

Please send me free of charge full particulars con-
cerning a health vacation at the Crazy Water Hotel.
It is understood that I will not be obligated by this
request.

Signed: (Please Print) _____

Street—and Number _____

Town _____

(Name of Paper) _____

Incidentally, this year the rates are the lowest in history.



John H. Keen, advertising man-
ager of the Austin American, says:

That the world today offers great-
er opportunity for brains than ever
before in the history of this country.
The four yerars of unprecedented de-
flation through which we have passed
and from which we are emerging
has awakened us to the realization
that for the past ten years mer-
chandising has carried the merchant
along without brains or effort.

From now on the merchant must
merchandise if he is to conduct a
successful business. Advertising is
one of the largest contributing fac-
tors in successful merchandising.
The newspaper is acknowledged to
be the best medium for the message
of the retailer. It is bought and
read by his prospective customers. It
reaches them more quickly and of-
tenter than other mediums, and thus
provides a means of quick changes
in prices, plans and policies.

But what is the function of the
newspaper as an advertising medi-
um? It is to carry your message to
the customer. Don't blame the pa-

per if you fail to get results, pro-
vided the paper reached the people
and was read by them. Do you
blame the post office if you write a
letter to New York ordering two
hundred suits of clothes when you
fail to get the clothes? Not if the
letter reached the house to which it
was addressed. Your failure to get
the clothes may be due to your poor
credit, the house may be out of
those clothes or other causes may
be to blame for the failure to get
results. No more is the newspaper
to blame for the failure of your ad-
vertising in getting results, if the
message reached the people for
who mit was intended. It may be
the fault of your service in the
store, your prices may be out of
line, your quality may be poor or
you may not have punch enough in
your copy. There may be a dozen
reasons why that ad did not pull.
But the newspaper advertising is
not futile just because your ads
don't get results.

Wake up! The only man who
can make a success of your store is
yourself. Get on your toes! Find
the trouble; right the wrongs, use
your head and the future will be
the best you have ever known.

These are times that try men's
souls. The strong man will win.
Brain's will succeed.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Braddock of
Afton were shoppers and visitors in
SSpur Friday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and every-
one for the kindness and assistance
shown us during the illness and fol-
lowing the death of our husband
and father, G. A. Draper.

May God's richest blessings rest
with each of you.

Mrs. G. A. Draper
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Draper and
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Draper and
children
Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Draper and
children
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Draper and
children
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper and
children

Mr. and Mrs. Bodey Stafford, and
young son, Rodger, of the Afton com-
munity were visiting relatives and
friends in Spur the past week. Bodey
states that his cotton crop will not
make as much as expected because
of the dry weather at the wrong
time.

Radiator Repairing

Expert Radiator work of all
kinds — Prices reasonable.

See us across street from
Farmall Station

T. J. Grizzle**ONE WEEK SERVICE**

on

TAILOR - MADE SUITS

We are representatives this season
for the "Made-In Dallas Suit Co."
and are able to give you one-week
service on Made To Order Suits.
Our big sample book is on dsplay
showing over 100 beautiful new fall
patterns — and they are priced as
reasonable as ever!

"What Texas Makes
Makes Texas"

WE ARE FAMOUS FOR
OUR PRICES!

See Jno. A. For That New
Fall Suit

SPUR TAILORSPHONE
18

"INTERNATIONAL HOUSE"

With
 PEGGY HOPKINS JOYCE
 W. C. FIELDS RUDY VALLEE
 GEO. BURNS GRACIE ALLEN
 COL. STOOPNAGLE & BUDD
 CAB CALLOWAY & ORCHESTRA
 SARI MARITZA STEWART ERWIN
 BELA LUGOSI LONA ANDRE
 GIRLS IN CELOPHANE
 BABY ROSE MARIE

PALACE Sun. - Mon.
 NEWS SPORTS REEL SONG

Percy Jones to Hold Services Here Sun.

Percy Jones will hold service in Spur on Sunday, October 16th in the director's room of the Spur National Bank.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

12½c Cotton

Because increased business activities is increasing the opening for office positions, Draughon's College will accept a limited amount of cotton at 12½c a pound, middling basis to enable young people to prepare for these opportunities. Write today. DRAUGHON'S COLLEGE, Lubbock, Texas.

MRS. HOMER CARGILE HONORED WITH MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER THURSDAY, OCT. 5

The Primary department of the Baptist Sunday School entertained with a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Homer Cargile Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. S. C. Fallis.

Members of the Sunday School Department and of Circle No. 2 of which Mrs. Cargile is a member were guests on this occasion.

Many lovely gifts were in evidence of the love and friendship of their teacher and friend.

A lovely refreshment was served by the hostesses to the many guests present and enjoying this occasion. Reporter.

Espuela News

Rev. Harris filled his regular appointment here, Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Everyone enjoyed the good messages.

Geneva and E. L. Hooker, Mr. Williams and Mr. Barton of Afton attended church here Sunday night. E. L. is going to preach in our church next Sunday morning. Everyone come and hear him. He is a young preacher and needs encouragement.

Forrest Earnes of Spur spent the past week end in our community the guest of friends.

Flora Lee Messer spent Sunday with Jessie Battles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ball and children had as their guests Sunday Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Harris and Clifford, Mrs. W. C. Messer, Hazel McMahan, Lester Ball, Hazel Turpin of Soldier Mound, Geneva and E. L. Hooker, Messrs Barton and Williams, of Afton.

Mr. Alderidge of Hillsboro was here last Wednesday visiting his daughter, Mrs. Royal Battles and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Karr and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Karr and children visited relatives in Floydada Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMahan of Dry Lake spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Battles.

Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Harris and son, attended the fair at Lubbock, Wednesday of last week. While there he purchased a new Dodge. Reporter.

McADOO

A good sized crowd was out for Sunday School and church, Sunday. Rev. C. W. Parmenter's subject was "Patching Old Clothes."

Mr. and Mrs. Tom B. La Nora are visiting Mrs. La Nora's father, J. D. Herring and family. Charlie Barker was in Lubbock Thursday on business.

A number of men presented a womanless style show at the high school auditorium Friday night.

The men were dressed in bathing suits, evening dresses, street dresses, pajamas, etc. This show was comical from beginning to ending.

The proceeds of the show went to the P.T.A. organization.

Jack Derr spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Derr.

McAdoo school has turned out for four weeks recess in order that the boys and girls may help pick cotton.

Mrs. Clyde McLaughlin has returned home after spending several days in Childress.

Beulah Mae Phifer, Tech student, was at home over the weekend.

A number of McAdoo people enjoyed the singing at Duncan Flat Sunday afternoon.

Helen McDonald and Leatrice Sparkman were in Lubbock last week.—Reporter.

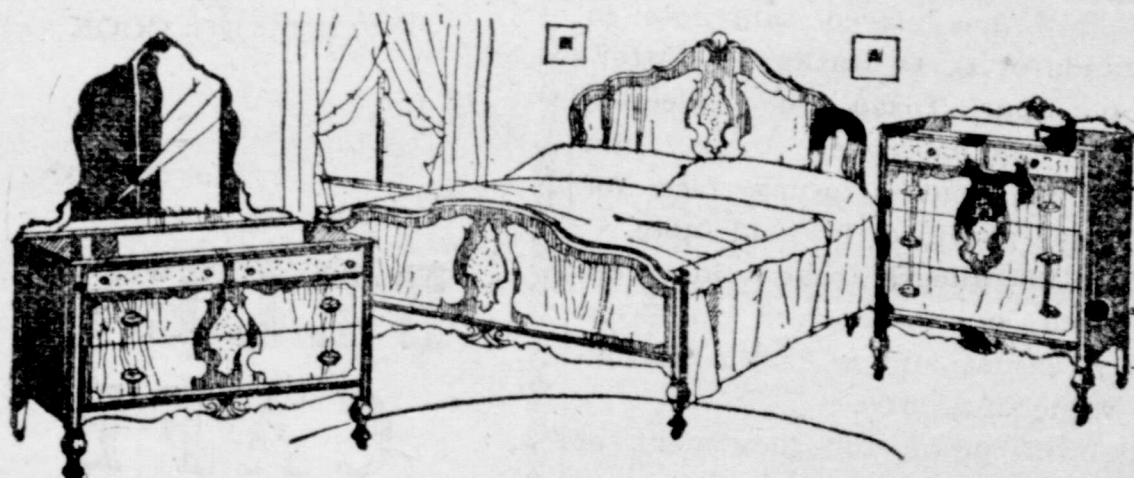
Jesse Fletcher was here this week.—Reporter.



WE DO OUR PART
The Texas Spur

**Furniture and Hardware**

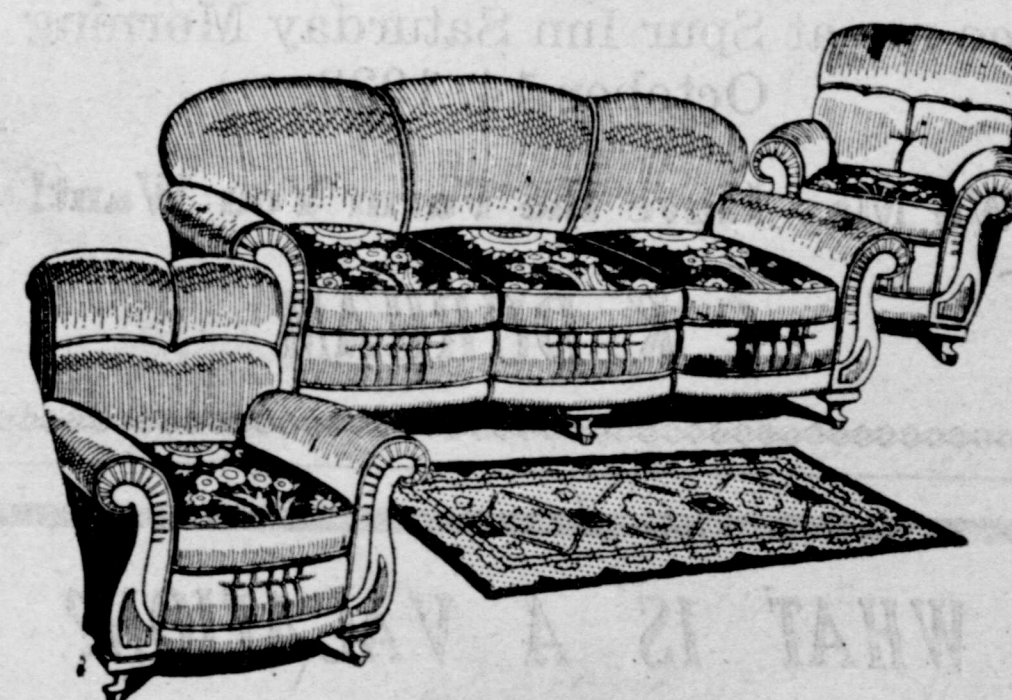
October is a Month For Values. Our new stocks were purchased when prices were very much lower. Our prices are much lower than factory quotations justify, therefore you are assured of outstanding savings. In spite of very low prices you may depend absolutely on a soundness of workmanship and of material that will assure you of many year's good service.

**BEDROOM SUITE IN 4 PIECES**

WALNUT FINISH, with Long Venetian Mirror Vanity
 A \$65.00 VALUE **\$53**

3-PIECE BEDROOM SUITE

WITH BEAUTIFUL WOOD INLAIS, POSTER BED,
 LARGE PLATE MIRROR VANITY **\$59**

**3-PIECE LIVING ROOM SUITE**

Including Button Back Lounge Chair, Serpentine Front,
 Covered in Heavy Homespun Tapestry **62.50**

3-PIECE LIVING ROOM SUITE

BLUE VELOR UPHOLSTERY, WALNUT ARMS,
 Back and Legs of Sturdy Construction **\$59**

Occasional Chairs

Sturdy and Comfortable, choice of
 rust or green tapstry.

\$7.95

Cane Seat Chairs

No. * Double Seat, first quality, only

98c

Rose Glassware

New Modern Design of Real Beauty

5c 10c 15c 20c

Simmons Day Bed

Complete with mattress and
 Cretonne Cover

\$18.75

Bachelor Stoves

Large size bowl, two-capped,
 Truly a Star Value at

\$6.45

Aluminum Ware

Double Boiler, Covered Stewer,
 Dish Pans, etc.,
 A One Dollar Value

59c

ALSO — A COMPLETE LINE
 OF NEW PERFECTION OIL
 COOK STOVES AND THE NEW
 SUPERFLEX HEATERS — SEE
 THEM!

**EDWARDS' DEPENDABLE Coffee Event!**

Here's another opportunity to buy this choice quality,
 vacuum-packed coffee at a real saving! We guar-
 antee you will like Edwards' Dependable Coffee for
 its smooth blend of rich, mellow coffees brought to
 you fresh and full of flavor from the West's newest,
 most up-to-the-minute coffee plants. Try a pound at
 the special LOW PRICE during our big coffee event!

POUND CAN **25c**
 Fri. - Sat.
 Oct. 13-14
 Spur, Tex.

OUR GIGANTIC FOOD SALE STOPS SAT., OCT. 14TH!
 GET ONE OF OUR HAND BILLS AT OUR STORE.
WATCH OUR WINDOWS FOR OTHER BIG SPECIALS!

Compound

SWIFT JEWEL

8 LB. CARTON 55c

Pork-Beans

Campbell's Rich
 Flavor

TALL CAN 5c

Vanilla

Tasty Brand
 High Quality

8 OZ. BOTTLE 12c

Pinto Beans

FRESH STOCK
 Recleaned

8 POUNDS 35c

GOLD — MEDAL — FLOUR

12 LB. BAG 24 LB. BAG 48 LB. BAG

63c \$1.19 \$2.10

Tomato Juice**Pickles****Spinach****Matches****Salmon****Post Bran****Jello****Cherries****Spaghetti****Milk****Salt****Macaroni****Borax**

Phillips Brand	10½ oz. can	5c
Alafalga Sour	Quart	17c
Crawford Brand	No. 2 Can	10c
Our Favorite	6 Box Carton	19c
Tall Can Chum	2 Cans	25c
For Breakfast	2 Pkgs.	19c
Any Flavor	2 Pkgs.	15c
Pitted Red Cherries	NO. 2 CAN	15c
Franco American	TALL CAN	10c
Maximum Tall Can	3 Cans	17c
Kleer Fine	25 LB. BAG	29c
In Bulk	2 LBS.	23c
WASHING COMPOUND	3 PKGS.	10c

MEATS**Salt Pork**

Lear. Streaked

lb. 10c

Bacon

Sugar Cured

lb. 13c

Cheese

Full Cream

lb. 17c

SAFEGWAY STORES

Numerous items are listed on our circular not mentioned here

Spur Hardware & Furniture Company

"Spur's Oldest Store"