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Taken from the files of the Texas Spur, published 23 years ago this week. Oran McClure, editor and publisher.

R. E. Thomas, a prominent citizen of the Soldier Mound community, was in the city the first of the week. Mr. Thomas has completely recovered from a recent operation for appendicitis, performed by Dr. T. E. Stanlifer at the local hospital, we are glad to note.

W. M. Randall, of Steel Hill, was here Friday on business. Mr. Randall settled his place where he now lives twenty-one years ago, and is today one of the most substantial and prosperous citizens in the county.

Ben Murry and wife, of near Spur, spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Greer of Red Mud, and attended the singing convention at Steel Hill Sunday.

W. J. Attaberry returned last week from a trip of several days to other parts of the country and reports crop prospects good elsewhere as well as in the Spur country.

F. A. Predaux, Oran McClure, C. L. Love and Shep Holly, of Spur, were in the city Tuesday and spent the night on Blanco Canyon—Crosbyton Review.

Mrs. George M. Hill and children returned Saturday to their home at Spur after a few days visit to relatives in the city.

J. D. Powell and Jeff D. Regan left Saturday for Little Rock, Arkansas to attend the reunion of Confederate Veterans.

T. H. Gilmore came in Monday from the Spur Ranch and reports everything in fine shape since the recent rains.

J. C. McNeil, of several miles west of Spur was in the city last week to attend the Masonic lodge meeting.

J. B. Richburg and H. T. Burgoon made a business trip to the Plains last week.

John Martin of the Catfish community was in Spur Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Davis were visitors in Dickens city Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jackson, Misses Pauline and Johnnie Edgar, spent the week end in Wichita Falls the guests of Mrs. Jackson's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Grothe, of the Turner Business College, of Spur, spent last week end in Albany and Abilene visiting friends.

Cliff Bird was a first Monday visitor from his farm and ranch home ten miles west, in the Highway community.

W. J. Elliott, was a business visitor in Spur Monday from his Spring Creek farm and ranch home eight miles southwest.

Miss Wilma Stephens student in Turner Business College, Spur, spent the week end in Dickens with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephens and family.

Mrs. Reams and children, of Plainview are in Spur for a weeks visit with Homer Boothe and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. White left last week for Troy, Alabama, for an extended trip with relatives and friends.

Mrs. M. D. Bybee, of Childress is here on an extended visit to her daughter and family, Attorney and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff and young Miss Ratliff.

Colys Witt Died Here Tuesday Of Knife Wounds

Colys Witt, 22 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Witt of Kalgary, died at the Nichols Sanitarium at Spur Tuesday night at 9:30, as a result of knife wounds received in an altercation at Crosbyton the previous morning. Colys was given surgical aid at Crosbyton and was rushed to the Nichols Sanitarium here where an operation was performed to stop internal hemorrhages.

The young man received the injuries when a crowd gathered from that section to a trades day event in Crosbyton and young Witt and young Cross met in front of a drug store on the street. Reports are that Witt chided the Cross boy as a "girl fighter" and the fight starting in which he received his fatal wounds.

Jim Cross and his son, Jim, Jr. are being held jointly for Witt's death and charges will perhaps be preferred against them today.

Large crowds from Kalgary and other communities of the county attended the funeral today which was officiated by Rev. Wayne Grizzle at the First Baptist Church at on o'clock this afternoon. Interment was made in Spur Cemetery following the services.

Colys was practically reared in this section and has innumerable friends and school mates who are deeply grieved to learn of his death. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Witt who are one of the most prominent families of the Kalgary community and their son was a young man who was highly respected and liked by all who knew him.

Surviving besides his parents are six brothers, Charles, Elton, Dee Oliver, Lois, Lawrence, Weldon, five sisters, Bell Ruby, Novell, Estell, and Dorothy Opal.

DEMONSTRATOR IS PLEASED WITH WORK

"When we began rebuilding our bedroom there was no ceiling in the room and no paper on the walls. We ceiled the room and the papered it with builders paper. We had enough lumber left from the ceiling to build a clothes closet of which I am very proud. It extends to the ceiling and has a space above for quilts. There are shelves for bed linens, folded clothes and shoes," reports Mrs. Tom Martin, bedroom demonstrator for the Espuela home demonstration club.

"We did the room in blue and tan since it is our living room too. On the floor we put a blue and tan linoleum rug. I used blue marquisette curtains for the windows. I finished the bed and dresser with brown paint. We built a bookcase and desk combined and painted it too. I needed a table in the room so we built it from the sides of an old safe."

I am well pleased with my room. At first I did not want to be bedroom demonstrator but I am very glad that I did as my room has more than paid me for my work and I am very proud of it."

Miss Winona Stephens, student in the Turner Business College, of Spur spent last week end in Girard, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stephens and family.

Mrs. J. M. Anderson and children have been spending the week with her mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison at their ranch home 15 miles south of Spur.

Mrs. A. J. Kerley and daughter, Miss Cleo, of Red Hill community were shopping and visiting in Spur Monday.

Miss Zell Ellis returned the first of the week from Swenson, where she attended a house party and round-up on a ranch near that place.

Miss Evelyn Richter, general supervisor of the Social Service department left Sunday for Austin to attend of the T. R. A. of Dickens tend the six weeks Social Service Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gruben and children spent Sunday in Stamford.

Auditor's Report of The City of Spur is Being Published

The audit of the books of the City of Spur, from May 1, 1932 to April 30, 1934, has been completed and report made, and which is being published for the benefit of the tax payers and citizens of Spur.

A portion of the report appears in this issue of the paper and the remainder will be published next week.

COLLEGE STUDENTS HOME TO SPEND SUMMER VACATION

Following is a list of college students who have returned to their homes here to spend the summer: Julia Mae Albin, Spencer Campbell, Margaret Koon, Patti King, Kit Carson, Morris Lane, Pike Nichols, Martha Nichols, Sybil Hazel, Stafford Forbis, Pauline Foreman, Alva Ince, from Texas Tech; Era Belle Hogan, Bernard Golding, from Texas University; L. D. Foreman, Lynn Mayfield, of McMurray; Elouise Lane, C. I. A.; H. F. Dodge, Cameron College.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED

Mr. Geo. S. Link entertained sixteen members of his Sunday School class of 30 boys, Tuesday afternoon, from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock, with a swimming party at Roaring Springs.

THINGS I HAVE LEARNED (By Andrew Edgar)

That in sables only 20 out of 2,000 skins are perfect enough for a fine wrap. And hubby gets the fine rap.

That Patrick Henry never lost a debate. And some folks thought he was married.

That Oscar Wilde, when exiled from England, lived in France for several years under the name of "Sebastian Melmoth." If that wasn't a disguise, you think up one.

That many Congressmen can't sleep at night. Well, they make up for it in the daytime. When congress is in session.

That a Texas man has developed a tearless onion. If ever there was an answer to a crying need, that's it.

That on Broadway graft is 'smart money.'

That in most eastern Universities students take nothing seriously. In the mid-west they take the wrong things seriously, at Columbia, however, they take everything seriously.

That a new invention enables deaf to hear through teeth. That's a telling novelty, but a tragedy to the teeth are lost.

Mrs. Ray Dickson and daughter, Lillian Grace, Helen Grace and son, Pat, and Miss Sybil McDaniel spent Sunday in Stamford with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Kate Senning went to Dallas Sunday where she will visit with her son, C. Earl Senning and family. Mrs. Senning will also visit in Gainesville before returning to Spur.

Spur Boys Injured In Car Wreck Near Peacock

Thomas Parker, owner and manager of the Red and White Store at Claremont, was killed instantly Friday afternoon when his car struck the banisters of the bridge crossing the Salt Fork of the Brazos river, about five miles west of Peacock.

Mr. Parker had attended the ball game at Peacock and accompanied by Mr. Bird, were returning to their home when they picked up two Spur boys, Grady Edgar and Jack Foreman.

Mr. Edgar and Mr. Foreman cautioned Mr. Parker about driving too fast, but he insisted that it was his car and that it was his privilege to do so. And in the wreck, Foreman, Edgar and Bird received minor injuries.

Funeral services for Mr. Parker were held and interment made in the Roby Cemetery Saturday afternoon. He is survived by his widow and a nine year old son.

First Stream-lined Train in America to be at Worlds Fair

On the morning of March 10, 1884, the first solid Fast Mail train west of Chicago started over the Burlington on the trip from Chicago to Omaha. A service was instituted that was destined to become a great railroad tradition.

Now, on the fiftieth anniversary of the Fast Mail in the West, the Burlington is celebrating the inauguration of its new high-speed, streamlined motor train which marks a new epoch in railway history.

This new high-speed air conditioned train is completely equipped by General Electric, from the main generator and traction motors to the cooking equipment in the buffet compartment. It is the first streamlined rail motor train in this country to be powered with Diesel-electric drive. It has already attained speeds as high as 108 miles an hour.

The Burlington is now exhibiting the train at many points on its system, and during the summer will exhibit it at a Century of Progress Exposition. You are invited to inspect this latest achievement—the "Zephyr."

Miss Constance and Peggy Jane Teague, of Hamlin, are in Spur visiting with relatives and friends.

Ware Higgingbotham, of Fort Worth, spent a few days in Spur the latter part of the week. He and Mrs. Higgingbotham returned to Fort Worth Sunday.

E. D. Chambers, of Afton was a business visitor in Spur Monday spending some time here visiting with other first Monday visitors and trading with merchants.

Wichita School Board Elects Faculty for Coming School Year

At a meeting last week of the board of trustees of the Wichita School for the purpose of electing teachers for the ensuing year the following were signed in contract. Miss Mabel Dowell, Principal; Miss Ovia Carney, Intermediate; Miss Dot Lisenby, Primary; and Miss Nig Lisenby was re-elected as teacher of the Pitchfork Ranch school.

The Wichita school board is to be congratulated upon exercise of good judgement in selecting these excellent young women to serve the Wichita school next year.

Personals

A nine pound baby girl was born to Attorney and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff at their home on north Burlington Avenue, Monday morning at 9:20 o'clock. The Texas Spur extends congratulations and good wishes and could wish nothing nicer than that the young lady may inherit the graces of her mother.

Pat Rogers, a former Spur boy but who has been making his home in the Rio Grande Valley the past several years and engaged in the fruit distributing industry while there was married May 20th at that place. Pat is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rogers, of Spur, and has many friends here who extend congratulations upon the occasion of marriage.

Mrs. E. H. Ousley and children, Hansford, Joe Jean and Ray of Abilene are spending a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Chapman, of one mile north of Spur.

Miss Esther McKnight, of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Jim White, of Waco, and Miss Beatrice McKnight, of Dallas and Sam Bond of Royalty, returned Friday to their respective homes, following the funeral of their mother, Mrs. McKnight, on Wednesday. Mrs. Bond remained for a more extended stay with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab McClanahan, returned last week from a week or ten days trip to Vernon to visit his parents and to Temple where they spent several days, taking his mother there for treatment.

Mrs. S. S. Noblit, of Fort Worth is in Spur this week visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Hattie Turvin and Mrs. Frank Laverty and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterman Lee announce the birth of a baby girl, born Friday, May 1st.

Miss Yeats and her Sunday School Class accompanied by her father and mother, Rev. and Mrs. Yeats, went to Roby Monday, where they will enjoy a two days outing at their farm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Hyatt and baby, of Hamlin; Mrs. Newt Harkey, of Breckenridge; Curtis Harkey; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Keith and Marvin Patton, of Maitador; Mrs. J. M. Anderson and children, of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Argie Thompson and Miss Addie Jo Addington, of Amarillo, were out of town relatives attending the McKnight funeral Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. M. T. Smith and daughters, Emily and Jo Mae Smith, of Memphis, Texas, spent Friday and Saturday in Spur with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Smith and family.

S. W. Rather was brought to the Nichols Hospital Monday night and will remain there until his condition is considerably improved. Mr. Rather has been making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Jim McArthur, of Red Mud for the past several years. It is with regret that we learn of his failing health.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fox and little daughter, Cecilia, are visiting Mrs. Fox's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Roberts of Thorndale, and his mother, Mrs. G. M. Fox of Prairie Hill and also other places in East Texas before returning home.

Colored Folks To Have Celebration Here June 19th.

Spur colored folks have plans completed for a big free barbecue and a full day and evening program here June 19th. Included in the program is boxing, horse racing, a ball game and dance as well as numerous other events of entertainment.

Reports are that the Juneteenth celebration this year will be the biggest and most varied ever held and advertising notices have been sent out to all the surrounding towns and a big crowd of out of town visitors are expected.

LEAVING SPUR

Helen Grace and Son Pat and Miss Frances Springer, left Spur Wednesday for Austin where they will make their home in the future. Helen Grace has been employed by the City as cashier for the past several years and has rendered very efficient and satisfactory service and has many friends and customers of the city who will regret exceedingly to see her leave and will keenly feel her absence from the office, regardless of who and how efficiently they are served in the future. Frances and Pat were both born and reared here and their thumbs and playmates will miss them from their respective circles.

Leonard Westfall, candidate for Representative of this the 118th district, was campaigning in this section this week and while here paid the Texas Spur a pleasant call. Judge Westfall was very optimistic as to the present prospects of election.

Messrs Ralph and Garland Stephens, W. A. Pruitt and Miss Nina Williams, of Girard were in Spur Tuesday night attending the show and visiting Miss Winona Stephens.

Mrs. Lura Glasgow and son, Bob and daughter, Tinney, arrived in Spur Sunday, from Waco and will remain throughout the summer vacation months. Mrs. Glasgow and children formerly lived here and have a large circle of friends who will be glad to have them with us again.

W. H. Stockton, of Lubbock was here Saturday looking after business interests and visiting friends.

Luther Garner, Proprietor, of the Lusk filling station at the Y at Dickens was a business visitor in Spur Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hankins, of Slaton, are moving to Spur this week and will make their home here in the future.

Public School and is preparing herself for a better position in the future.

Mrs. C. Barton, of Girard, was a business visitor in Spur Monday and while in town took the opportunity to arrange for the Texas Spur to continue for another year and for which she has our thanks.

Uncle Bill Cherry, of several miles south of town was a first Monday visitor in Spur and while here paid the Texas Spur force a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Maples and baby, of Hamlin were visiting relatives in Spur and surrounding communities Sunday.

Miss Virginia Elliott, teacher of the Spring Creek School was shopping with Spur merchants Friday of last week.

Mrs. V. V. Parr and son Bobbie, of the Pitchfork Ranch, were Spur visitors Monday, spending some time here attending to business affairs and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arrington, of Red Hill were business visitors in Spur Saturday.

Charles Senning is spending this week in Lubbock visiting in the W. D. Wilson home.

Ericson Grocery AND CENTRAL MARKET

COFFEE, bulk, 3 lbs. for	29c
CRACKERS, Supreme, 3 lbs. for	42c
SYRUP, Silver Jug, per gal.	59c
COFFEE, "Pep" 1 lb pkg.	15c
WASHING POWDER, 15 oz pkg.,	3c
GELATINE DESERT, Silver Star, ea.	5c
BLACK PEPPER, pound bo	37c
BEANS, "Chuck Wagon", per can	10c
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 can, each	10c
SPINACH, No. 2 1/2 can, each	13c
RIB ROAST, per pound	10c
ROLL ROAST, no bone, per lb	13c
SAUSAGE, Mixed, per pound	10c

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QUICK DELIVERY—THANK YOU

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Audit of the Books of the City of Spur, Texas

May 1st, 1932 to April 30th, 1934

J. B. ALLRED COMPANY
 Certified Public Accountants
 Harvey-Snyder Bldg.
 Wichita Falls, Texas
 May 22, 1934.

Honorable Mayor and Members
 of City Council, City of Spur, Texas.

Gentlemen:
 Acting on your instructions we have audited the books of the City of Spur, Texas, for the fiscal period from May 1, 1932 to April 30, 1934 and now beg to submit our report. In conveniently arranged, pagged and indexed exhibits and schedules we show our findings in the matter. We wish to thank all those who so kindly and generously aided us in any way while we were engaged on the audit.

Respectfully submitted,
 J. B. Allred and Company
 J. B. ALLRED,
 Certified public accountant.

CITY OF SPUR BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Current Assets—Cash and Quick Assets

Cash in office drawer, \$20.00. Petty cash in bank \$300.00. Cash in Banks \$11,504.95—\$11,824.95.

Accounts Receivable
 Electric customers, \$9,675.30.
 Water Customers \$5,552.21
 Sewer Customers, \$2,131.64
 Miscellaneous accounts \$881.65
 Total \$18,240.80

Notes Receivable, \$ 6,520.92
Warrants Receivable 64.00
Stores Inventory 3,158.76
Taxes Receivable 29,646.96
TOTAL Current Assets \$69,456.39

Fixed Assets
 Furniture and fixtures, cash \$1,855.99, depreciation \$891.96; net value \$964.03.
 Automobiles and trucks, Cost \$1,429.30, depreciation 1,193.10; net value 236.20
 Lands and grounds—Cost, \$9,515.44. Net Value 9,515.44.
 Buildings: Power Plant, cost, \$7,131.42, depreciation 1,062.46; net value \$6,068.96.
 Fire Station—Cost \$2,000.00. depreciation 300.00; Net value 1,700.00.
 Old City Hall—cost \$167.50; depreciation 96.75; net value 70.75.
 Jail—Cost, \$750.00; depreciation 142.50; net value \$607.50.
 Waterworks—Cost, \$1,051.95; depreciation 154.61; net value \$897.34.
 Machinery and Equipment: Power Plant—Cost, \$67,824.36; depreciation, 16,994.10; Net value 50,830.26.
 Waterworks—Cost, \$8,408.45; depreciation 1,944.24; net value 6,464.21.
 Fire Department—Cost \$10,500.00; depreciation 5,250.00; net value 5,250.00.
 Street—Cost \$493.83; depreciation 47.19; net value 446.64.
 Distribution System: Electric—\$41,753.32, depreciation 7,069.30; net value 34,684.02.
 Water—cost \$56,192.87; depreciation 7,227.83; net value 48,965.04.
 Sewer—Cost, 38,655.47; depreciation 3,664.55; net value 34,990.92.
 Street Lighting System—Cost \$127.90; net value, 127.90.
 Water Tower (light plant) — cost 1,498.00; depreciation 224.94; net value 1,273.06.
 Oil Storage (light plant)—Cost \$844.07; depreciation 84.40; net value 759.67.
 Tools—cost 1,564.58; depreciation 577.90; net value 986.68.
 Water Wells — cost \$5,093.35; net value 5,093.35.
 Street Paving — \$6,668.37; depreciation 920.10; net value 5,748.27.
TOTAL Fixed Assets cost \$263,526.17; depreciation \$47,845.93; net value \$215,680.24 — balance \$215,680.24.

Other Assets
 Bad debts (electric) \$3,133.07.
 Bad debts (water) 1,666.61.
 Bad debts (sewer) \$885.22.
 Prepaid expenses \$314.96.
 Unpaid checks \$196.51.
TOTAL \$5,996.37.
TOTAL ASSETS \$291,133.00

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities—Quick Payables
 Accounts payable \$590.85.
 Accrued Interest \$6,093.33.
 Accrued Insurance \$158.24.
Total \$6,842.72

Meter Deposits
 Water and Sewer \$1,045.00.
 Electric Light \$605.00
Total \$1,650.00

Long Term Indebtedness
 Warrants Payable: Waterworks

\$1,500.00.
 Sewer System \$2,000.00.
 Street Improvement \$5,000.00.
Total \$8,500.00

Bonds Payable
 Waterworks (1913) \$13,000.00.
 Waterworks (1918) 2,000.00.
 Waterworks (1925) 15,000.00.
 Sewer System (1925) 25,000.00.
Total \$55,000.00

Mortgage Notes Payable
 Electric Revenue, \$87,308.00—
 \$159,300.72

Total Liabilities
 Surplus before closing for the year, \$124,479.78.
 Net increase for fiscal year, \$7,357.50
 \$131,832.28
TOTAL \$291,133.00

CITY OF SPUR BALANCE SHEET

April 30, 1933

ASSETS

Current Assets
 Cash in office drawer \$10.00
 Cash in banks \$5,868.02
 —\$5,878.02

Accounts receivable:
 Electric customers \$11,877.01
 Water customers \$5,877.83
 Sewer customers \$2,280.66
 Miscellaneous accounts 836.36
 —\$20,871.86

Notes Receivable \$1,826.50
Warrants receivable \$50.00
Taxes receivable \$31,536.66
Stores Inventory \$2,707.67
TOTAL Current Assets \$62,870.71

Fixed Assets

Furniture and fixtures—cost \$1,851.99; depreciation \$706.36; net value \$1,145.63.
Automobiles and trucks—cost \$918.30; depreciation \$835.78; net value 82.52.
Lands and grounds \$9,515.44; net value 9,515.44.
Buildings: Power plant \$7,018.92 depreciation 848.52; net value \$6,170.40.
 Fire Station — cost \$2,000.00 depreciation \$240.00; net value 1,760.00.
 Old City Hall — Cost 200.00; depreciation 80.00; net value 120.00.
 Jail — cost \$750.00; depreciation 105.00; net value 645.00
 Waterworks — cost 1,051.95; depreciation 123.06; net value 928.89.
 Machinery and Equipment—power plant— cost \$67,824.36; depreciation 13,602.88; net value 54,221.48.
 Waterworks — cost \$8,246.45; depreciation 1,523.82; net value 6,722.63.
 Fire department — cost \$10,500.00; depreciation \$4,200.00; net value \$6,300.00.
 Distribution System: Light — cost \$41,753.32; depreciation 4,981.64; net value 36,771.68.
 Water — cost \$56,147.16; depreciation 4,418.19; net value 51,728.97.
 Sewer — cost \$36,143.02; depreciation 2,891.44; net value 33,251.58.
 Lighting System—cost \$127.90; net value \$127.90. Water tower — (light plant) — cost \$1,498.00; depreciation \$180.00; net value 1,318.00.
 Oil storage (light plant) — cost \$844.07; depreciation 67.52; net value 776.55.
 Tools — Cost \$578.60; depreciation 265.09; net value 313.51.
 Water wells — cost \$5,093.35; net value 5,093.35.
 Street Equipment — cost \$507.33; depreciation 22.50; net value 484.83.
 Street paving — cost \$6,668.37; depreciation 720.05; net value 5,948.32.
TOTAL Fixed Assets — cost \$259,208.58; depreciation \$35,811.85; net value \$223,396.73—Total \$223,396.73

Other Assets

Bad debts (electric) \$3,102.76.
 Bad debts (water) \$1,823.90.
 Bad debts (sewer) \$701.43.
 Prepaid expenses \$638.65.
TOTAL Other Assets — \$6,366.74
 —\$292,634.13

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities

Accounts payable \$2,221.83.
 Accrued interest \$5,149.75.
 Accrued insurance \$251.04.
 —\$7,622.62

Meter Deposits:
 Water and Sewer \$955.00
 Electric light \$655.00
 \$1,620.00

Warrants payable:
 Waterworks \$2,000.00
 Sewer \$2,500.00
 Street improvement \$5,500.00
 —\$10,000.00

Bonds Payable:

Waterworks (1913) \$13,000.00
 Waterworks (1918) \$3,000.00
 Waterworks (1925) \$17,000.00
 Sewer (1925) \$25,000.00
 —\$58,000.00

Mortgage notes payable:
 Electric revenue \$91,808.00
TOTAL Liabilities \$169,050.62
SURPLUS \$123,583.51
 —\$292,634.13

CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS, COMBINED OPERATING STATEMENT

Year May 1, 1933 to April 30, 1934.

INCOME

1933 tax roll—all funds \$13,348.42; total \$13,348.42.
 Penalty assessed on delinquent—all funds \$366.19; total \$366.19.
 Electric sales (net) \$21,533; total \$21,533.18.
 Water sales (net) \$14,412.08; total \$14,412.08.
 Sewer rentals (net) \$4,534.50; total \$4,534.50.
 Increase of inventory of stores \$379.11; total \$379.11.
 Interest on accounts receivable, \$76.94; total \$76.94.
 Occupation Taxes and licenses, \$48.50; total \$48.50.
 City court fines, \$332.75; total \$332.75.
 Discounts earned \$64.04; total \$64.04.
 Miscellaneous Income (net) \$50.97; total \$50.97.
TOTAL — Electric \$21,533.18; Water \$14,412.08; Sewer \$4,534.50; All funds \$14,866.92 — \$55,146.68

EXPENSES AND DEDUCTIONS

Office salaries and wages —Electric \$450.00; Water \$381.00; Sewer \$241.00; All funds \$1,183.00; total \$2,250.00.
 Office expense — Electric \$422.71; Water \$308.45; Sewer \$159.96; All funds \$509.38; total \$1,400.50.
 Advertising — \$1.25; total \$1.25.
 Insurance — Electric \$861.00; Water \$328.00; Sewer \$107.96; All Funds \$1,144 total \$1,348.40.
 Legal expense \$7.50; total \$7.50.
 Salaries (Mayor and City Council) \$257.00, total \$257.00.
 Salaries (Police and Nightwatchman) \$1,529.52; total \$1,529.52.
 Salaries and wages (Plant Operation) Electric \$3,512.06; total \$3,512.06.
 Salaries and wages (pump station) \$559.81; total \$559.81.
 Salaries and Wages (Disposal Plant) Sewer \$449.75; total \$449.75.
 Salaries and wages (street) All funds \$446.61; total \$446.61.
 Salaries and wages (distribution system) electric \$1,268.15; water \$1,355.12; total \$2,623.27.
 Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense — Electric \$1,375.30; Sewer \$90; all funds 90.92; total \$1,467.12.
 Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense (Distribution) electric \$24.36; water 15.85; total 40.21.
 Repairs and maintenance — electric \$420.88; water \$511.11; sewer 10.75; all funds 2,289.95; total \$3,231.89.
 Lights and power (pump station) water \$839.00; total \$839.00
 Water and sewer — electric \$239.27; total \$239.27.
 Fuel oil — electric \$2,649.34; total \$2,649.34.
 Lubricating Oil — electric \$427.19; total \$427.19.
 Repairs (Distribution System) — water \$290.22; total \$290.22.
 Auto maintenance—electric \$234.65; water \$206.65; total \$441.30.
 Repairs (Fire Department) — all funds \$21.00; total \$21.00.
 Miscellaneous Expense (Fire Department) — all funds \$342.66; total \$342.66.
 General Expense (Miscellaneous) all funds \$1,187.84; total \$1,187.84.
 Over and Short Account closed out — electric \$13.51 water \$13.52; total \$27.03.
 Sanitary expense — all funds \$30.00; total \$30.00.
 Street Lighting — all funds \$838.18; total \$838.18.
 Interest Cost (Power Plant Notes) — electric \$5,369.49; total \$5,369.49.
 Interest on Meter Deposits — electric \$9.29; water 14.51; total \$23.80.
 Interest on Bonds — water \$1,771.70; sewer 1,500.00; total \$3,271.70.
 Interest on Warrants — water \$120.00; sewer 132.50; all funds \$307.50; total \$307.50.
 Interest (Miscellaneous) — water \$70.62; sewer 1.57; total \$72.19.
 Depreciation — electric \$6,054.46; water 3,542.87; sewer 838.59; all funds 1,598.16; total \$12,034.08.
TOTAL Disbursements — electric \$23,330.86; water \$10,328.43; sewer \$3,442.98; all funds \$10,691.91; total \$47,794.18.

Net profit or LOSS — ELECTRIC (\$1,797.68-loss); water \$4,083.65; sewer \$1,091.52; all funds \$3,975.01; total \$7,350.28.

CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS, COMBINED OPERATING STATEMENT

Year May 1, 1932 to April 30, 1933

INCOME

1932 Tax Roll — tax funds \$14,404.71; total \$14,404.71.
 Supplemental Roll — tax funds \$1.50; total \$1.50.
 Penalty assessed and delinquent — tax funds \$661.13; total \$661.13.
 Electric sales (net) \$21,967.87; total \$21,967.87.
 Water sales (net) \$13,182.62; total \$13,182.62.
 Sewer Rents (net) \$4,417.05; total \$4,417.05.
 Occupation Taxes and licenses \$51.50; total \$51.50.
 City Court Fines \$37.20; total \$37.20.
 Miscellaneous income (net) \$41.65; total \$41.65.
 Discount earned \$33.06; total \$33.06.
TOTAL Income — electric \$21,967.87; water \$13,182.62; sewer \$4,417.05; Tax funds \$15,230.75; Total \$54,798.19.

EXPENSES AND DEDUCTIONS

Officers Salaries and Wages — electric \$600.00; water \$450.00; sewer \$150.00; tax funds \$813.75; Total \$2,013.75.
 Office expense — electric \$494.53; water 390.41; sewer 163.11; tax funds 536.05; total \$1,584.10.
 Advertising — electric \$101.84; water 65.32; sewer 20.25; tax funds 69.98; total \$257.39.
 Insurance — electric \$765.10; water 226.53; sewer 44.92; tax funds 90.75; total \$1,127.30.
 Legal expense — tax fund \$10.00; total \$10.00.
 Salaries of Mayor and City Council \$186.00; total \$186.00.
 Salaries and Wages (Plant) — electric \$3,678.55; total \$3,678.55.
 Salaries and wages (Pump Station) — \$679.47; total \$679.47.
 Salaries and Wages (Disposal Plant) \$596.00; total \$596.00.
 Salaries and Wages (Street) — tax funds \$1,658.34; total \$1,658.34.
 Repairs and maintenance — electric \$135.31; tax funds \$1,821.13; total \$1,956.44.
 Repairs and Maintenance (Pump Station) — \$358.71; total \$358.71.
 Repairs and Maintenance (Distribution System) — electric \$6.08; water \$448.66; total \$454.74.
 Salaries and Wages (Distribution System) — electric \$1,314.87; water 1,460.01; total \$2,774.88.
 Street Lighting Expense — tax funds \$914.51; total \$914.51.
 Fuel Oil — electric \$2,750.38; total \$2,750.38.
 Lubricating Oil — electric \$645.61; total \$645.61.
 Police and Nightwatchman — tax fund \$870.00; total \$870.00.
 Miscellaneous expense (fire department) — tax funds \$247.63; total \$247.63.
 Water and Sewer—electric \$262.37; total \$262.37.
 Light and Power (Pump Station) — water \$733.00; total \$733.00.
 Miscellaneous supplies and expense —electric \$341.66; tax fund 90.42; total \$432.08.
 Miscellaneous expense (Distribution system) —electric \$18.65; water 42.50; total \$61.15.
 Auto maintenance — electric 101.23; water 141.67; total \$242.90.
 General expense (Miscellaneous) — tax fund 1,245.91; total \$1,245.91.
 Interest Cost (Bonds) — water \$*1,820.04; sewer 1,580.00; total \$3,400.04.
 Interest Cost (Warrants)—water \$152.39; sewer 520.00; tax funds 337.50; total \$1,009.89.
 Interest Cost (Meter Deposits) — electric \$5.11; water 13.06; total 18.17.
 Interest Costs (Miscellaneous) — water 131.73; sewer 12.90; tax funds 27.60; total \$172.23.
 Interest on power plant obligation — electric 5,720.48; total 5,720.48.
 Depreciation — electric 5,174.06; water 1,770.94; sewer 752.65; tax funds 1,429.59; total \$9,127.24.
 Total deductions — electric 22,115.83; water 8,884.44; sewer 3,839.83; tax funds 10,349.16; total \$45,189.26.
 Departmental profit or loss — electric ((147.96 loss)); water 4,298.18; sewer 577.22; tax funds 4,881.59; total \$9,609.03.

(Schedule 1)

CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

2-Year period, May 1, 1932 to April 30, 1934

Cash Receipts

Accounts receivable: Light customers—1932 to 1933, \$18,487.18; 1933 to 1934, \$20,363.97; Total \$38,851.15.
 Water customers — 1932 to 1933, \$11,287.84; 1933 to 1934, \$13,822.31; total \$25,110.15.
 Sewer customers — 32-33, \$3,546.39; 33-34, \$4,348.55; total \$7,894.94.
 Store Sales Customers—32-33, \$4,414.06; 33-34, \$3,908.97; total \$8,323.03.
 Meter Deposits: Water 32-33, \$370.00; 33-34, \$455.00; total \$825.00.
 Lights — 1932-1933, \$30.00; 1933-34 \$80.00; total \$110.00.
 Taxes: General Fund — 1932-33, \$5,341.08; 1933-34, \$6,839.33; total \$12,180.41.
 Interest and Sinking Fund—32-33, \$2,091.90; 33-34, 2,285.86; total \$4,377.76.
 Permanent Improvements — 32-33, \$2,735.87; 33-34, \$7,035.39; total \$9,771.26.
 Fines — 32-33, \$37.20; 33-34, \$332.75; total \$369.95.
 Occupation Tax and Licenses — 32-33, \$54.15; 33-34, \$48.50; total \$102.65.
 Store Sales — 32-33, \$249.74; 33-34, \$168.69; total \$418.43.
 Salt Sales — 32-33, \$41.85; 33-34, \$52.85; total \$94.70.
 Miscellaneous Sales — 32-33, \$18.92; 33-34, \$124.18; total \$143.10.
 Insurance Adjustment — 32-33, \$185.00; total \$185.00.
 Bad Debts Collected — 32-33, \$12.01; 33-34, \$233.20; total \$245.21.
 Rent — 32-33, \$1.00; 33-34, \$30.00; total \$31.00.
 Miscellaneous — 32-33, \$24.02; total \$24.02.
 Telephone Company (Rental) — 32-33, \$43.90; 33-34, \$24.00; total \$67.90.
 Tax Refund (Gas) — 33-34, \$6.56; total \$6.56.
 Sale of Sheet Iron Buildings — 33-34, \$32.50; total \$32.50.
 Bad Checks Collected — 33-34, \$127.68; total \$127.68.
 Notes Receivable — 33-34, \$123.70; total \$123.70.
 Over and Short — 33-34, \$1.95; total \$1.95.
 Refund of repair expense — 33-34, \$18.95; total \$18.95.
Total Receipts — May 1, 1932 to April 30, 1933, \$48,972.11; May 1, 1933 to April 30, 1934, \$60,464.89; Total \$109,437.00.

Cash Disbursements

Add: Balance at beginning of year 32-33, \$5,130.71; year 33-34, \$5,800.46; total \$10,931.17.
 Total to account for — 32-33, \$54,102.82; 33-34, \$66,265.35; total \$120,368.17.
Total Disbursements (See Schedules) — 32-33, \$48,302.36; 33-34, \$54,509.16; total \$102,811.52.
 1932-1933, \$5,800.46; 33-34, \$11,756.567.71.

NOTE:

This schedule covers only receipts and disbursements made locally. It does not include disbursements made by the New York bank, but of course, does include deposits made from the local bank. Neither does it include transfers to office cash or petty cash funds as they are merely transfers. The difference in the balance shown in those shown in the books represents funds in the New York bank at the various periods.

(Schedule No. 2)

CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS ANALYSIS OF CASH DISBURSEMENTS

Year May 1, 1932 to April 30, 1933

Disbursed For

Accounts Payable—total \$13,735.57; general \$4,455.31; electric \$4,763.51; water \$3,119.68; sewer \$54.87; permanent improvement \$1,342.20.
 Store Purchases—total \$1,222.53; general \$1,222.53.
 Metro Deposit Refunds — total \$255.00; electric \$35.00; water \$220.00.
 Office Salaries — total \$2,020.00; general \$665.00; electric \$600.00; water \$450.00; sewer \$150.00; permanent improvement \$155.00.
 Office Expense — total \$1,428.98; general \$334.52; electric \$453.17; water \$329.51; sewer \$161.42; permanent improvement \$150.36.
 Advertising — totals \$54.67; gen-

eral \$14.07; electric \$27.44; water \$6.75; sewer \$3.31; permanent improvement \$3.10.
 Legal Expense — total \$10.00 general \$10.00.
 Salaries (Mayor and Councilmen) —total \$196.00; general \$196.00.
 Salaries (Policeman and night-watchman) — total \$870.00; general \$870.00.
 Salaries and Wages (Operation)—total \$6,589.36; electric \$3,678.55; water \$679.47; sewer \$596.00; permanent improvement \$1,635.34.
 Salaries and Wages (Distribution)—total \$2,774.88; electric \$1,314.87; water \$1,460.01.
 Salaries and Wages (Distribution)—total \$1,341.28; electric \$65.72; water \$61.68; permanent improvement \$1,213.88.
 Repairs and Maintenance (Distribution) — total \$326.11; electric \$1.50; water \$324.61.
 Water and Sewer — total \$262.37; electric \$262.37.
 Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense — total \$1,350.52; general \$1,122.02; electric \$156.48; permanent improvement \$172.02.
 Light and power (Pump Station) —total \$733.00; water \$733.00.
 Auto Maintenance — total \$21.90; electric \$7.05; water \$14.85.
 Miscellaneous Expense (Fire Department) — total \$97.46; general \$7.46.
 Street (Lighting Expense) — total \$798.30; permanent improvement \$798.30.
 Additions Waterworks Distribution System — total \$380.00; water \$380.00.
 Interest (Bonds) — \$725.00; water \$725.00.
 Interest (Warrants) — total \$240.00; water \$150.00; sewer \$90.00.
 Interest (Miscellaneous) — total \$570.00; water \$1.60; sewer \$4.10.
 Interest (Meter Deposit) — total \$18.17; electric \$5.11; water \$13.06.
 Interest (Fire Department) — total \$27.60; general \$27.60.
 Building Repairs — total \$24.25; electric \$24.25.
 Repairs (Water Tower) — total \$3.00; electric \$3.00.
 Sales Tax on Current Sales — total \$217.90; electric \$217.90.
 Automobiles—total \$100.00; water \$100.00.
 Deposits National City Bank — total \$1,390.00; water \$850.00; sewer \$540.00.
 Time Warrants (Paid Locally) — total \$1,845.00; water \$500.00; sewer \$500.00; permanent improvement \$845.00.
 Furniture and fixtures — total \$52.50; general \$52.50.
 Notes Payable — total \$460.00; general \$460.
 Interest on Power Plant Obligation — total \$80.50; electric \$80.50.
 Interest on Light Plant Notes—total \$2,934.81; electric \$2,934.81.
 Notes Payable paid (Light Plant) —total \$3,800.00. Electric \$3,800.00.
 Total Operating Funds — total \$46,392.36; general \$9,527.01; electric \$18,431.23; water \$10,119.22; sewer \$2,096.70; permanent improvement \$6,215.20.
 Add: Bonds and Interest Paid by Interest and Sinking Fund \$1,910.00.
Total Disbursements — total \$48,302.36.

(CONTINUED NEXT WEEK)

Local News

Vance Wylie is leaving Thursday for Dallas to make his home with his mother, Mrs. Wylie, and will attend school there next year.

W. J. Berry and family moved to Spur last week from Rochester and will make their home here in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Berry formerly lived here and have many friends here who welcome their return.

Miss Ramza Gabriel, of Roaring Springs spent several days in Spur this week visiting her brother and sister, George and Miss Sadie Gabriel.

Miss Henrietta Brown, of Lorenzo was a business visitor in Spur Tuesday and while here called at the Texas Spur office. Miss Brown reports crop conditions very unfavorable at

Lorenzo, as it has been so dry that very few farmers have even planted crops.

Mrs. Lee Pratter, of Fort Worth is here for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Jas F. Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rucker and children, of Swenson West Camp, were shopping and visiting in Spur Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Shields of Broadway, pioneer citizen of this section spent several days the latter part of last week in Spur to attend the graduating class of 1934 of which her granddaughter, Miss Beth Blackwell, was a member and also to spend a visit with her daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Blackwell.

Chas Bird, of Matador was a busi-

ness visitor in Spur Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Stotts and little daughter, Jo Ann, is spending an extended visit with her father, H. O. Albin and family, while Mrs. Albin is in Oklahoma visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Mateer, in Oklahoma City.

Miss Nelda Shields, teacher of the Peaceful Hill school the past term has returned to her home at Broadway, she spent last week end in Spur visiting Misses Royce and Beth Blackwell.

Miss Ruby Rae Williamson, returned home last week from Abilene where she attended A. C. C. the past school year, Miss Williamson is making preparations to attend summer term of college.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Scott, of Kalgary were business visitors in Spur Monday.

Miss Charley Hayes, left Tuesday for Lubbock to attend the summer term of Texas Tech. Miss Charley is one of the teachers in the Spur

Mrs. Byron Chapman and son Richburg, of Borger, spent Sunday in Spur with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rector, and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Chapman, going to Abilene Monday to attend a Methodist conference meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barnett and little daughter Bettie Jo, of Odessa are spending their vacation in Spur visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McArthur, of Red Mud and his mother, Mrs. Barnett at Girard.

W. R. Stafford, of Afton, prominent citizen of his community was transacting business in Spur Saturday.

DATE SET FOR COUNTY CLOTHING CONTEST

The county clothing contest is to be held July 7 was the date set last week when it was learned that Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, clothing specialist of the Extension Service can not be here for the judging in June. Two home demonstration agents from nearby counties will do the judging. The contest is an annual event marking the close of the ward-

robe year and will be held in the Baptist church, Spur.

The two classes of wardrobe demonstrators' dresses will be judged along with their record books and stories beginning at 10:00 Saturday morning, July 7. The Council is giving a scholarship to the A and M Short Course to the winner in each class. The cooperators are to meet by clubs at 10:30 when they will score their own dresses and select the winner from each club. These club winners in turn will be judged by the contest judges to select the county winners. The first place winner among the cooperators will also receive a scholarship to the Short Course, from the council.

In the April meeting of the Coun-

cil that organization decided that the cooperators may use prints, gingham, broadcloth, pique, seersucker batiste, dimity, swiss, or linen for their dresses. Each one is to show her foundation pattern and slip made by it. In judging the dresses emphasis will be given to the appearance of the dress on the individual and suitability of the pattern to the material and the line and color to the wearer.

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Croton News

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bishop visited Mr. and Mrs. White and family Sunday.

The Primitive Baptist held their regular services the fourth Sunday in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jackson Sunday.

Miss Alvertia Butler spent Sunday evening with Miss Alene Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hash, of Dickens, visited Mrs. Hash's mother, Mrs. Lee, Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Hemphill and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hemphill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Butler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Mayo visited Mrs. Lee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wynkoop visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Morgan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Richie, of near Spur, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Porter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bus Evans spent the week-end with Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris.

Rev. H. T. Harris filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday night. There were no services Sunday as Rev. Harris has accepted the church at White Flat for half time and the regular appointment here at Friendship Church has been changed from first Sunday to the second Sunday in each month so services will be held here Sunday and Sunday night, June 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Offield and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Offield of Midway and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Offield of Prairie Chapel visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Offield Sunday.

Mrs. Audrey Allison who has been very sick the past week is reported better.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Groner and Houston Littlefield spent the week end in Lubbock.

Miss Helen Porter has been attending Tech College at Lubbock came home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Pottrage of Afton visited Mr. C. Y. Allen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris visited C. Y. Allen and family Sunday.

Mr. Archie Rainbolt and Mr. Ross Nichols visited Abe Morgan Sunday. Arkansas to attend College during the summer.

Croton school closed June 1st. There were thirteen graduates from Grammar and four from High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Legg of Wellington visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Legg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Richie visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Randolph Sunday.

Miss May Butler visited Miss Laura Belle Earnest Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kee and Luther Harris are visiting relatives at Gustine this week end.

Mrs. Kimmel of Wichita community spent Sunday with Mrs. Seals Earnest.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wynkoop spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Seals Earnest.

Mr. Sam Stephenson of Ft. Worth visited his cousin Miss Amilia Hargis Saturday.

Mr. Riley Rogers and Mr. Raymond Cunningham visited Reynard and Jack Morgan Sunday.

—Reporter.

Bulldog May Change Hands in the Coming Election, July 28th



Coleman, Texas, June 6.—A bulldog will change hands if William McCraw, former district attorney of Dallas county, does not carry Coleman County in the Attorney General's race. Coleman is the home of one of the candidates for that office.

The bulldog, whose name is Logan, Jr., is a familiar sight here and has a local reputation in politics.

According to W. O. Sides, Coleman hardware merchant, Logan, Jr. sponsored a group of candidates in the city election two years ago, and every one was elected. He was bet on the Governor's race two years ago and stayed in the hands of his owner. This year he was bet in a city election at Coleman, and his side won.

"The farmers of Coleman County are for you," Sides wrote McCraw.

ANNOUNCEMENT

All schools are now out except one. Heretofore I could not campaign because I was needed in the schools. The County Superintendent's work for several weeks now is a matter of report work. Mr. Twaddell will work in the office and make these reports while I campaign. Of course this is without any cost to the County or State.

I plan to see you individually as soon as possible but until then I want you to know that I shall deeply appreciate anything you do to further my candidacy.

Respectfully,
MADGE D. TWADDELL

W. D. Buster, J. P. Carter and Lafayette Robinson are on a visit and vacation to their cousin's, Davey Robinson and family at Portales, N. M. While away they will visit in Carlsbad and see the other points of interest.

VACATIONING

A party composed of Harvey Giddings, Crate Snider, David Sisto, Enoch Pendleton, and Jimmie Perry, five of Spurs most prominent young business and professional men, left Sunday for Riodosa Valley in New Mexico, to spend a ten days vacation.

The Riodosa valley is a most ideal place for fishing and hunting, the climate is cool and the scenery is picturesque. We predict a very enjoyable as well as beneficial vacation trip for these gentlemen.

Jack and John F. Moore, sons of Mr. and Mrs. White Moore, returned to their ranch home last week for the summer having completed a most successful term of college work at Texas Tech, Lubbock. John F. was in Spur Friday and while here made the Texas Spur force a very pleasant call.

Mrs. Lee Garrett and children, of Mertens, Texas are spending this week in Spur, guests of her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkie Bumpus and Mr. and Mrs. Whit Bumpus. Two other sisters, Mrs. Creath, and Miss Bettie Bumpus, of Ennis, Texas will arrive Thursday for a visit at this time.

REPORT OF BEDROOM DEMONSTRATORS AND CO-OPERATORS

The Peaceful Hill Club met June 1st at the home of Mrs. Forest Martin, bedroom demonstrator with a report on their work for this year. Having only seven members we have added thirteen pieces of furniture, five rugs, forty-eight pieces of bedroom linen, six pair of blankets, twenty nine quilts, five clothes closets, twenty two bed slats, six spring covers, eleven mattress covers and seven tufted bed spreads.

Mrs. Martin gave as the most interesting part of her bedroom work the finishing work. Mrs. Moore said she enjoyed learning to make the tufted spread. Mrs. Estep, enjoyed her bed most since adding extra slats, and Mrs. Wyatt enjoyed making her bedspread, which was on display at the meeting. It is made of unbleached muslin with six and one-half inch squares running diagonally across the bed in green.

After the business part of the meeting, delicious refreshments of salmon sandwiches, iced tea and pickles were served to the club members and five visitors.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jim Wyatt, June 15, with a style show of the dresses for the contest and exhibit of cotton slips made by foundation patterns. Everyone is cordially invited especially anyone interested in having us make them a foundation pattern. Bring along 3 yards of unbleached muslin if you want one.

NEW CLUB HAS DEMONSTRATION

"Tufted bedspreads are ideal for farm homes for they require no ironing," Miss Pratt, home demonstration agent, told the Duncan Flat home demonstration club in their meeting at the home of Mrs. W. J. Wilson Thursday. The making and care of tufted spreads was demonstrated by the agent.

First and third Fridays were selected as the meeting day for the club. Mrs. W. J. Wilson is to be farm food supply demonstrator.

Club members present were: Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Mrs. Chester Henry, Mrs. J. E. Greenwood, Mrs. L. D. Norris, Mrs. J. C. Huffstutler, Mrs. H. B. Alexander, and Mrs. Lon Win-

field. Visitors were Mrs. D. O. Middleton, Mrs. Joe Rose, Mrs. Leo Petty, Mrs. Nannie Cobb and Mrs. W. Zackary.—Mrs. H. B. Alexander, reporter.

Mrs. Bob Hahn, of the Highway community was among the many shoppers in Spur Monday and while here was a pleasant visitor at the Texas Spur office.

: Announcements :

The Texas Spur is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

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| For Congress 19th District:
ARTHUR P. DUGGAN
CLARK MULLICAN
GEORGE H. MAHON
FRED C. HAILE | For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
W. B. (Bill) ARTHUR
(re-election)
W. B. (Webber) WILLIAMS
JOHNNIE KOONSMAN |
| For Representative 118th District:
LEONARD WESTFALL
JOE A. MERRITT
(Re-election)
BEN F. SMITH (Snyder) | For County School Superintendent:
HUBERT W. TAYLOR
MADGE D. TWADDELL
(re-election) |
| For District Judge 110th District:
KENNETH BAIN
(Re-election)
A. J. FOLLEY
H. A. C. BRUMMETT | For County Commissioner Pre. No. 1
R. E. SLOUGH
AUSTIN ROSE
(re-election)
HORACE D. NICKELS |
| For District Attorney:
ALTON B. CHAPMAN
TONY B. MAXEY | For County Commissioner Pre. No. 2
E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON
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A. K. McALLISTER
D. O. BLASINGAME |
| For District Clerk:
MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD
(re-election) | For County Commissioner Pre No. 3:
W. F. FCREMAN
(re-election)
FOREST MARTIN
T. C. COONER |
| For County Judge:
JIM CLOUD
(Re-election) | For Commissioner Precinct No. 4
R. E. ROGERS
ROY CUNNINGHAM
W. E. (Wadie) SHAW |
| For County Attorney:
V. J. CAMPBELL
L. D. RATLIFF
O. C. NEWBERRY | For Constable Precinct No. 3
C. H. (Jack) MCCULLY
J. M. (Jere) REECE |
| For County Clerk:
OSCAR L. KELLEY
FRED ARRINGTON
MRS. NEAL FOWLER
(re-election)
HARVEY HINES | Justice Peace Precinct Number 3:
W. M. MALONE
(re-election) |
| For County Treasurer:
MRS. NANNIE COBB
(re-election)
MRS. HATTIE TURVIN
ALICE G. MURPHREE
R. E. (Elsie) HOLLY
ONA LEE SHOCKLEY | For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:
C. P. AUFILL
(re-election) |
| | Public Weigher Precinct No. 2:
GASTON JACKSON
RICHARD VARNELL |
| | For Public Weigher Precinct No. 3:
G. W. RASH
(Re-election) |

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to the many neighbors and friends who offered their assistance in our recent sorrow; the injury and death of our beloved son and brother, Colys, and especially do we appreciate the kindness of the Spur Baptist church and its noble pastor, Rev. Ewton, also Dr. P. C. Nichols and the nurses for their faithful services and for the beautiful floral offerings. In fact we appreciate to the fullest extent every kindness and may God's blessings abide with each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Witt; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Witt; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Witt; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Witt; Mr. and Mrs. Glee Swinney; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Maize; Rev. and Mrs. Dock Love; Elton, Weldon, Novell, Dee Oliver, and Dorothy Opal Witt.

Mrs. Bell Martin of Red Mud was shopping and visiting in Spur Monday.

MRS. WILLOW STREET AND MRS. CECIL MEADORS JOINT HOSTESSES MAY 16TH.

Wednesday afternoon, May 16th from 3 to 5 o'clock, Mrs. Willow Street and Mrs. Cecil Meadors were joint hostesses to the 1934 Sewing Club at the J. H. Meadors residence, Dickens.

Roll call was answered with current events by members.

Iced tea, sandwiches and cake were served to the following: Mesdames Otho Thompson, Byron Crego, Clifton, W. G. Crego, Harold Blair, Jack Gipson, E. S. Crider, Z. W. Fowler, Casey Alledredge, Frank Speer, and Leo Speer.—Rep.

Rev. H. T. Harris, of Espuela has been called to the pastorate of

the Whiteflat Church and moved with his family Tuesday to that place where they will reside in the future.

MRS. E. D. ENGLEMAN ENTERTAINED FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. E. D. Engleman was a charming hostess to her Friday afternoon at her home in the West part of Spur, at 4:00 o'clock.

The house was pretty with decorations of cut roses and other spring flowers.

At the close of the games the hostess served a lovely refreshment plate consisting of peach salad, spiced lemonade, wafers, olives and cookies to those present and enjoying the occasion: Mesdames Taylor, Roy Stovall, Butler, Chastain, Love,

Caudle, Dickey, Swan, Whitener, Jerry Ensey, McCully, Dollie Miller, of Wichita Falls, Andrews, Horace Gibson, Nichols, Jennings and the hostess, Mrs. Engleman.

Misses Frances Springer, Nedra Hogan, Polly Clemmons, Julia Jo Reed and Grady Vermillion returned Tuesday from several days visit spent with Frances' father, Witt Springer and wife at Mclean, Texas.

E. L. Caraway, Joe Christal, Chas. Powell and Loyd Wolf, of the Spur Motor Company are in Dallas this week attending a meeting of Chevrolet dealers and salesmen.

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We wish to take this method of expressing our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and acquaintances for the kindness shown us when our mother, daughter, and sister passed away.

More especially do we appreciate the many remembrances shown Mrs. McKnight since she had not lived in our community for many years and may God bless each and every one of you. The floral offering was very beautiful.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Garner and Family.

Doga Putman, of Vernon, was here Sunday, visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Putman and son

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Sedan.....	640	35
Coupe.....	560	35
Sport Coupe.....	600	35
Sedan Delivery.....	600	45
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Dual Chassis and Cab.....	595	50
Utility Long Chassis and Cab.....	605	50
Dual Long Chassis and Cab.....	625	50
Commercial Panel.....	575	35
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 I am handing you a bunch of poppies They did not grow in California Nor in the distant Rockies. But right here in my garden, A lovely place you should see. Where darts the daring humming bird, And the busy honey bee.
 To:



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 To: Mesdames Hughes Dobkins and York, M. Smith, Huffstедler, and Thacker
 Those scarlet trumpets in my hand Grew on a mountain side. On slender stems they are swaying, As near the rocks they hide. They are welcome friends Who are very kind. I'm sure I will always remember As they pass through my mind.

To: Mesdames Hefner, Campbell, J. Smith, Hill, W. Smiley, and Calvert.
 Black eyed susans so old fashioned, Are not liked by everyone. But there is real beauty in them, After other flowers are gone. You all may have them And you will need feel no fear. They will bring you much happiness And plenty of good cheer.

To: Mesdames Fretwell, Caruthers, Wells, Cornett, and Chambers
 If ever I am partial it is With my glorious sweet peas, And should I give them all away, Would be my friends to please. Their odor is so fragrant, And color so bright and fine. They grew in profusion, On a hardy little vine.

To: Mattie, Lanora Pearl and Naoma Gladys, Lottie and Mamie
 You may think this lovely flower will soon fade a way and die, And its seed like many others On the wings of the wind will fly. But not so of this immortal For its colors bright will stay. So you all take it with you Though you wander far away.

To: Artie, Georgie and Beno, Thelma, Eula W. and Iona
 Here are my zinnias They are old fashioned 'tis true, But I knew you would like the name So I give them all to you. They cannot boast of fragrance, But the beauty of their hue, Makes up for lack of perfume As I hand them all to you.

To: Miss Ethel, Hattie and Jewel, Ava, Edna, and Eudell
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As the name suggests. They are for friends, And in their hair shall rest. There's such beauty in their color A bright glow of flame. I think you will surely like them, Just over look the name.
 To:

Ramza, Sadie, Eula M., and Mary, Madge, Joyce, and Hazel, Ora, Thelma, Almita, and Frankie
 Those lillies are an offering fair. Their color pure and white. They shrink from glowing sunlight, They always bloom at night. They are for those mentioned, As maidens fair and sweet. May your paths be strewn with roses And treasures at your feet.

To: My pastor, Rev. Crabtree, Brother Bill and neighbor men
 I have searched through all my flowers And found those Larkspurs fair. They were covered over with butterflies, And lots of bees were there. They like to stay quite near them, For one thing or another. I give them to you my friends, You all seem as my brother.

To: My Sunday School class
 Oh here are my roses, They grew like posies, But I am holding them last, For my Sunday School class. For not one of them will ever pass, Sparkling jewels so rare, And I hope when Jesus calls, They will all be there.

Those tiny buds I am holding Are the only ones I have kept. The others were given generously Those lovely ones were left. They are blossoms of the violet. Its meaning is "True Blue," I'll give them as a love token, My husband and children all to you.

To: Dark-eyed Roxie Lee
 I must not forget you You have done so much for me Although you are of a dark hue You with my friends have strewn flowers of kindness, Around my sick bed, I never shall forget you all, But remember you instead.
 —MRS. J. B. GREENWOOD

MRS. W. S. CAMPBELL HOSTESS TO THE BLUE BONNETT CLUB

Mrs. W. S. Campbell was a charming hostess to the membership of the Blue Bonnett Club and other invited guests with a '42' party Wednesday morning at nine o'clock at her home on West Hill Street.

Following the games delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to those present and enjoying this social occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Lambert, of Stephenville are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert of Wichita.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Loller and Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Girard were here Monday attending to business affairs John Hiner Wilson and William Rodgers, Tech students and former Spur boys have been spending several days here visiting friends.

DUCK CREEK GIRLS HAVE SOCIAL PROGRAM

A social program at the home of the bedroom demonstrator, Arloiene Hagins, was enjoyed by the Duck Creek 4-H club girls Tuesday morning. Arloiene told the girls of her bedroom work and showed the improvements made in her room. She won third place in the county contest.

Following the business meeting games, contests and tricks were the order of the hour after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess and her mother. Then candy and popcorn balls containing fortunes were passed to all.
 Those present were Marguerite

Bural, Ruth Matlock, Pauline and Arloiene Hagins, Kathrine Thach, Dot Swaringen, Miss Nell Durham, Sponsor, Miss Pratt, Sybil Harris, Mrs. Hugh Hagins and Mrs. C. E. Hagins.—Katherine Thach, reporter.

NOTICE

Will be away about 10 days and will resume teaching music immediately upon my return.—Mrs. Walter Jimison.

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Mrs. E. G. Worswick, of Dickens, was shopping and visiting in Spur Monday.

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