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THURSDAY OCT. 29, 1953

WILDCATS HOW GAS!

Stinnett Blanks Spearman, 46-0

STINNETT, Oct. 23 (Special)—The Stinnett Rattlers snaked an easy win over the hapless Spearman Lynx in a ball game here tonight, 46 to 0.

All but one touchdown was made by the rampaging Rattlers in the first half. Coach Cozell Foster yielded his first team only once after the beginning of the kick-off of the second half and from then on the second team battled the Lynx to a no-score draw.

Texline Smothers Gruber High, 18-0

GRUBER, Oct. 23. (Special)—Texline eleven bunched a crippled Gruber High School team here tonight 18-0. The visitors tallied once in each quarter after the first, and kept the Gruber team on its own end of the field during the final three quarters. Quarterback Keyton sparked his victory, and set two losses.

Evangelistic Service At First Christian Church

Rev. Richard Crews, pastor of the First Christian church, Panola, will be the speaker for a series of services beginning November 8 - 15. Services will be held nightly at 7:30 p. m.

Thursday night, the public is invited to attend one of the greatest magic performances ever held in Hansford county. Arnold Furst, world renowned magician, will perform for the folks in Hansford county, some of the greatest tricks known to mankind.

Greenback Day And Christmas Party Starts November 7th

The Greenback drawing and Christmas party, will start up again in Spearman, Saturday, November 7th. A draw style of drawing will be set up, whereas if the person is not present whose name is first called, half of the prize money he would have received will go into a Christmas drawing to be held before Christmas. But, half of the money will also be given away on the Saturday, the name is drawn. It will build up a good Christmas Jack-Pot for some lucky person!

OSLO NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Christoferson have bought a nice home in Oslo, and moved there last week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tank of Middleton, Wis., passed through this community on their way back home from a trip to California and were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson. Clarence and Mrs. Tank are cousins, their fathers being brothers.

MADE CHAIRMAN FOR FUND DRIVE

Mr. Wilson Buchanan, Spearman, has been named Hansford County Chairman for the Texas United Defense Fund the state-wide group which will sponsor USO's faithfully for \$775,000 in Texas this year.

Card Of Thanks

I want to take this opportunity to thank you my people of Hansford county for the enthusiasm you manifested in helping to make the Five State Peace Officer's Convention held here October 21st, one of the first and largest conventions held by our organization since it was organized in 1945.

Mrs. Russell Attends Show

Mrs. W. L. Russell, attended the American Fashion Association's Resort and Advance Spring Market in Dallas this week. Nearly 5,000 buyers from the great Southwest filled the Dallas hotels to capacity for the quarter.

LEADERS CLUB WILL MEET

Girl Scout leaders' club will meet with Mrs. R. B. Archer Jr. at 9:30 a. m. Nov. 5. All leaders and interested ladies are invited to meet in Girl scouting, please be present.

Texas Wildcat Near Spearman Flows Gas

Hansford County residents, already overjoyed by drought-breaking rains the next week, were given a second cause for celebration yesterday when commercial gas was reported at the Texas Company's wildcat test three miles northeast of Spearman.

Nr. 1 S. P. And K. K. Blows In 6,000,000 Cubic Feet On Drill Stem Test At 4967 Ft.

It looks good. This gas production in the county has suddenly come to life. The Humble No. 1 S. P. and K. K. Jackson well, located North West of Spearman about 7 miles, just across the fence from Frank Allen, has blown in with 6,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

6,800,000 Cubic Feet Of Gas Between 7356 Feet To 7370 Ft!

Your editor was called early Saturday, and notified that the oil well North East of Spearman was cutting up considerably. The well, which is about fifty feet long, shot out of the test hole like a bullet. It shot to the top of the derrick, 120 feet, and bounced back to the deck with a crash. The drillers, little expecting such a showing, had one hard time getting out of the way promptly from the influx of drilling mud, etc. In fact, it appeared that the drillers were having to get out of the way of the terrific surging of gas, and unexpected activity, for the good of their necks.

Poppy Sale

The poppy is worn in memory of those who gave their lives that America and the precious things America represents might live. The crimson poppy is the official flower of memory.

Delphinium Flower Club Dinner

A delightful dinner party on Monday evening Oct. 13 climaxed the year's activities of the Delphinium Flower Club. Mrs. Pope Gibson was business and weather, which has dealt extreme hot and dry situations in the past, will change and bring cold. It looks to the writer, like there is an extremely good chance of getting up enough cover now, so that there will not be too much of a blow this winter, but the extreme cold the weather has been going to the last few years would be quite possible for us to dry out in less than a month, and how any! Anything is possible in this country.

Girl Scouts Met October 20

Fourteen sixth grade Girl Scouts met in the home of Mrs. Hill Russell Jr. October 20, 1953, to make plans for the year's work.

County Will Be Greatly Benefited By Producing Wells In Future

Hansford county could be greatly benefited by this additional interest in developing gas. First, stripping plants, and etc. could be set up, which would mean a pay roll for the county, and of course the royalty the land owners received could be most important.

WEATHER

DATE	MAX.	MIN.	RAIN
20	50	55	0.00
21	49	55	0.25
22	48	42	0.00
23	51	41	1.25
24	48	41	0.50
25	58	41	0.10
26	57	35	0.25

TOTAL FOR WEEK 2.55
TOTAL FOR MONTH 2.20

Weather

Hansford County is getting back to normal. The county that is one of the top producing areas in the world is now ready to assume its rightful place among world leaders, and start raising something besides dust storms.

The Middle

The "middle income" of American families last year was \$2,910, the Federal Reserve Board reports. And the middle was what the fellow who earned it sure was in—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

So far, we haven't seen a September magazine which does have an article on the "Report on women."

The Communists, eventually, will have to be defeated from within or without, like all dictatorships in history.

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Your Senator Reports By Lyndon B. Johnson

LYNDON JOHNSON
LAUDS REA WORK

Rural electrification is a movement resting primarily upon the initiative and integrity of farm consumers of electricity, declares U. S. Senator Lyndon B. Johnson in an article published in the November issue of Progressive Farmer.

Since the Rural Electrification Administration was established in 1936, four million consumers have been connected to REA-financed lines, the article reports.

"In the Southern States," Johnson writes, "the number of farm homes receiving electric power has jumped from 2.3 per cent to more than 83 per cent of the total. In the country as a whole, more than 85 per cent of all farms are electrified. Nearly 300,000 farm families in Texas are receiving electricity through farm cooperatives."

REA cooperatives are more than \$50,000,000 ahead of schedule in repaying the \$2,700,000,000 lent them to build transmission networks and to buy power from private utilities and Federal hydro-electric projects.

Delinquencies amount to only one-fifth of one per cent of the amount due. Declaring that REA is neither a political issue nor "anti-private power" in its concept, the Texas Senator hails its program as "a heartening example of the Government helping people to help themselves."

Rural electrification has made farming both easier and more productive, Johnson asserts in his article, continuing:

"The future of REA is a matter of concern to all of us who have witnessed and participated in its development. The limits of progress in rural electrification have not been reached. More than 16 per cent of the South's farmers are still without electric service. Modernization of facilities is far from complete. Existing lines must be 'beavied up' to take care of increasing farm use of electricity."

The article points out the importance of maintaining the authority of REA co-ops to build their own generators and transmission facilities. Weakening this authority, Johnson warns, would simultaneously increase the need for loans and lessen the co-operative's ability to maintain their repayment record.

Membership Drive
Why Should Every Person Who is Eligible be a Member of the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary?

Since Oct. is the month for membership drive in both Legion and Auxiliary, ask yourself the question, "Should I become a member of these organizations - what are they? The American Legion and Legion Auxiliary were organized after World War I to render Place, Time Service to Americans - What are their programs?"

1. Their programs are programs of Americanism, to aid in the Korean conflict.
2. To help educate and care for the children of disabled veterans who gave their health for our country.
3. To aid in Security against all possible enemies.

4. The betterment and beautification of the community in which we live.
5. The advocacy of a return to greater spiritual influence in the homes and lives of our people.
6. A true spirit of fellowship and cooperation of all people for world development. Who may become members of these organizations? Veterans of World War I, II and the Korean Conflict - may be Legion members. The wives, mothers, daughters and sisters of American Legion members, may be Auxiliary members.

Also, women who of their own right, due to service, And last but not least, mothers, wives, daughters and Sisters of men and women who died while in line of duty, or died after honorable discharge. This includes Gold Star Mothers. If you are eligible you should be a member. Perhaps you aren't interested in the welfare of our Veterans, or like some have said, they don't care to be members because the Boys had bad names and Parties they didn't approve of.

Who is to blame for this? Don't you think that every Christian who could have been a member and wasn't? And every member who failed to do his or her part to prevent such things from happening? Are we going to let the Boys down, who fought for our Freedom, because they have made mistakes? What would Christ have us do? Are we our Brothers keepers? If you are a Christian it is certainly your duty to help our veterans to a better way of living both Spiritually and Physically. Your reply may be let the Churches do it. The Churches can't do it for too many of these Boys aren't going to be in your churches until they have been shown the way by loving kindness and understanding. If you

These Boys aren't going to continue you by you going among them, to help. If you are only a church member, they might—There's a difference you know in a Christian and a church member.

If you are eligible join the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary and help to Christianize and Americanize America.

In a letter received from Bobby Heard this week, he stated that he was now stationed at Amarillo Air Force base. He and Maurine are in Childress with her parents, and will be in Separman in a few weeks. Bobby has been stationed with the Air Force in Ill.

Cpl. and Mrs. Worley Smith are home on furlough. Worley has been stationed at McChesland Field, Sacramento, Calif. and after a day vacation, he will be assigned to a new post. They are visiting their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haden and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Pal Lyon are visiting relatives in Denton, Texas, this week. They plan to see the SMU - Texas ball game Saturday.

Gruver PTA Study Club
The Gruver PTA Study Club will honor the 2nd and 3rd grade parents at its regular meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 5 at 2:30 in the Lunch Room.

The topics for discussion will be presented by Mrs. Sam Clark. They are: "How Friendly is your child?" and "Where Can They Go For Counsel?"

These should be of interest to all parents, and each and everyone should put forth an effort to attend.

Gruver PTA Meeting Mon
The Gruver Parent Teacher's Association will hold its regular meeting in the auditorium Monday night Nov. 2 at 7:30.

Rev. W. L. Porterfield will give the invocation, following the business session which will be presided over by Mrs. Knight.

Mrs. Hoy will direct a panel discussion on "Developing Civic Responsibility."

Members of the Senior class will discuss this subject. The program will be under the direction of Mrs. Eddins and Miss Farrow, and their classes.

New Opportunity
General Eisenhower's example should encourage young Americans. Every boy has the opportunity to grow up and not be President if he doesn't want to. —Minneapolis Star.

She Could
Artificial hands for use in dealing with atomic energy have been developed, and the mother dressing the 2-year-old squirmers could use sight. —Richmond Times-Dispatch.



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Washington News Letter From Congressman Walter Rogers

GEN BOMB: Much has been said and written in the past several weeks about Russia and the development of the Hydrogen bomb. That Russia has developed near future perfect such a bomb, should not come as a surprise to anyone. Least of all to those who are charged primarily with the defense of this country. In the first place, history will reflect that all newly designed or conceived weapons of warfare do not remain secret as between nations for any lengthy period of time. Scientific minds in all countries are constantly devoted to research in an effort to discover some new and novel means for man to destroy man. No one nation has a monopoly on brains. Therefore, this age-old mad race will continue at an ever increasing tempo until man someday awakens to the fact that the dedication of the efforts to peaceful pursuits will bring much greater rewards and benefits to mankind everywhere. Until that time this country has no choice other than to meet the challenges of those who subscribe to the policy of world domination. Russia knows full well our capabilities.

unity, chairman of the Education Committee said "More than 14,000 members sent gifts to state institutions, nearly 7,000 spoke or attended lectures on effect of alcohol and narcotics on youth, and more than 1,000 programs were presented in communities on family life problems."

Mrs. Vaughn D. Baily, Nueces County, chairman of the Legislative Educational Committee, reported 673 home demonstration clubs studied Texas election laws more than 11,000 members voted in all elections; more than 12,000 voted in the November election, and nearly 8,000 in school trustee elections. More than 200 clubs sent letters to legislators concerning home demonstration work, sent yearbooks and reports of women at work, had legislators as speakers, or visited them personally. Nearly 200 clubs studied the Hoover Commission's Recommendations concerning the Agricultural Extension Service. Clubs in every district reported work towards establishing good will and friendship with other nations, such as food and clothing packages, care packages, gifts to Crop, sponsoring exchange students, letters, classes in Spanish and German, study of life in other countries, observation of United Nations Day, speakers from other countries at district meetings, working with Latin American home economists sending clothing patterns to Italy and seed to Korea.

Recreation activities reported by Mrs. Maxine Gates, Coleman county, showed more than 8,000 families observed play-nights each month, nearly 2,000 clubs sponsored at least two community, recreation events, and 163 clubs took part in county choral groups.

Mrs. Ennis Clayton, Dallam county, chairman of the marketing committee, reported more than 500 clubs studied consumer buying and more than 400 had programs on improving quality of products for sales. More than 110 clubs sold through organized associations cooperatively and nearly 300 bought cooperatively.

Other special committee reports showed cooperation of home demonstration clubs with health, safety and emergency organizations in their communities.

If we make a certain disclosure, it would be in spite of its advertising pitch.

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FURST MAGICIAN

Local Talent Show Success

The local talent show, held last Tuesday night, Oct. 27, and sponsored by the Rose Garden club of Spearman, was a big success, proven by the large audience, and their hearty applause for some 13 numbers rendered.

The specialty features by the Harlow Brothers from Granger and Buddy Chain, provided clever and enjoyable entertainment. The three contestants placing first, Nancy Overton and John Howell, first place; Mary Louise Crawford, second place and the eight year old square dance group won third. Tiny Brunner did the calling for this square. Heartly applause went to Dora Kate Taylor and Rova Melain.

Mrs. Parrish Club Hostess

Mrs. Gordon Parrish was hostess Oct. 26, to the Hansford Home demonstration Club, with Mrs. Joe Traylor presiding over the business session.

Various reports were heard from the marketing chairman and the Fair committee. During the fair, 11 blue ribbons, 13 red ribbons and 4 white ones were won by club members.

Mrs. Jack Johnson Sr. of Morse gave an interesting report on the HHD State convention at Galveston. The lesson on "Accessories" brought out many interesting combinations for attractive grooming. Mrs. Daniel Sheets, Corsages; and Mrs. Joe Traylor, Gloves and Costume Jewelry.

The hostess served cake and coffee. Others present besides those mentioned above included Mesdames: Charles Brock, Anna Rosenbaum, Paul Smuntz, Richard Kingsley, W. L. Rosenbaum, members and Mrs. Roscoe Womble of Morse, a visitor.

Medlin HD Club

The Medlin HD Club met with Mrs. Joe Entekin Oct. 23, at her lovely farm home. Mrs. Whitson gave a very interesting demonstration on using "sour dough" mixture, she made some very delicious biscuits, waffles, and pancakes.

Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Renner were voted to attend the trainer school on congealed salads. They will bring this demonstration at the next meeting.

Mrs. Clarence Renner was surprised with a stork shower at this meeting. White cake, nuts and mints and pink fruit punch were served by the hostess. Mesdames Present: Clementine Renner, Frank Davis, John Trindle, E. H. Hester, Jack Whitson, Allen Pierce, Bob Hays, L. T. Dossert, O. L. Williams, Bertha Camperman, Ellis Veal, Miss Vera Woodie, Clarence Renner, her mother, and some of her relatives from Texhoma.

Mrs. E. H. Hester made the very cute favors for the party. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Johnnie Close, Nov. 6.

Stalene H. D. Club

Mrs. W. B. Adkins and Mrs. R. R. Van Laningham were hostesses at the meeting held at the Stalene H. D. Club held in the Phillips Community hall. Ball call was answered by "Something Handmade Received as a Gift."

The meeting was called to order by the President Mrs. Wilson Montgomery. Minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Fred Jordan. Mrs. Jordan gave a council meeting report.

COCONUTS 2 For 25¢

PUMPKINS lb. 7¢

GRAPEFRUIT 3 For 19¢

ORANGES 5 lb. bag 39¢

POTATOES 2 lbs. 29¢

PICKLES 22 oz. 3 For \$1.00

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All Flavors JELLO 3 Pkg. 19c

Hoplite M. M. CREAM Pint 25c

Shelled PECANS 14 oz. 89c

Canadian Dry GINGER ALE 2 Quarts 39c

COCA COLAS Carton 19c

SKINNERS RAISIN BRAND 18c

CRISP WHEAT FLAKES 18c

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Spearman HD Club
Mrs. Carl Hughes, was hostess to the meeting of the Spearman home demonstration club, at the D. B. Kirk Ranch south of town. The heavy rains and members away on trips prevented the majority of members from attending.

Plans were made for the Secret pal party for November 30 at Mrs. Homer Hart's home.

Mrs. Hart reported six club members enrolling for the five weeks advance sewing course. Mrs. I. P. Baggerly and Mrs. B. T. Garnett trained leaders, will teach the course; others taking it are Mesdames: W. A. Ellsworth, T. D. Sansing, Rube Birdwell and Homer Hart.

Mrs. H. A. Sloan, food demonstrator, will attend the training school, conducted by Miss Gibbs, on congealed salads. She will give a demonstration of making such salads at the Nov. 13th meeting.

Mrs. Hughes served a refreshment plate to Mesdames: Homer Hart, W. A. Ellsworth and H. A. Sloan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cline and Miles visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paulia Schroter in Etter Sunday.

The Holt Home Demonstration Club
The Holt Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon, October 16th at the home of Mrs. Nolan Holt.

The president, Mrs. Marguerite Jenkins, presided over the short business session.

Roll call was: Hazards that I can correct in my home or on my farm.

Miss Jo Battle, Carson-Hutchinson County Librarian, was a very welcome guest of the club.

The program for the afternoon was on Consumer Education was Nolan Holt gave "Care of Floor Coverings" and also "Training school on voting procedure."

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess to the following: Miss Jo Battle, and Mesdames Wayne Hutchinson, Fred Holt, Phil Jenkins, C. A. Batton, Marvin Jones and Granville Lilly.

The next meeting will be November 8th, at the home of Mrs. Al Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Long and children will move to Phillips in the near future, where Howard has been employed for some time.

PALACE
Thursday October 29
Cary Grant - Deborah Kerr
Walter Pidgeon.
"DIRTY WIFE"

Friday and Saturday Oct. 30-31
"SEA DEVILS"
Yvonne DeCarlo - Hudson - Maxwell Feed.
Technicolor

LYRIC Theatre
Thursday, October 29.
"I LOVE MELVIN"
Technicolor
Donald O'Connor-Debbie Reynolds

"SEQUOIA"
Jean Parker
See! Thrill after thrill!
An M-G-M Hall of Fame Thriller

Sam McDonald of Coleman, a life long friend of Ed Cline returned to his home after a three weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Cline.

Mrs. Mary Halsey of Amarillo visited friends here Sunday. Mrs. Halsey lived here before taking residence in Amarillo.

VETERAN OF 15 YEARS
Bob Jones, of Baird, Texas, who is now working for R. L. Schroder out South of Spearman, was one of the six Marines who raised the flag, on Iwo Jima, thus making the famous picture you see so often.

Mr. Jones is a veteran of 13 years service with the Marines, and is very modest so far as giving any detailed information about his tenure overseas during the World War II conflict. However, everyone knows about the battle for Iwo Jima, and much can be imagined here.

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RAILEY'S IN PERRYTON

Mrs. E. C. Womble returned home Friday after an extended visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Art Lynch a date imifow Mrs. Art Lynch and family of Alamogordo, N. M.

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Suited Men

A well dressed man is not only impressive, but he feels confident and inspires confidence in others. For this reason, the man who shows for suits recognizes the values of being correctly dressed, says Mary Routh, clothing specialist for the Texas Extension Service.

If he travels, the man must look for hard wearing, serviceable suits and possibly think of service before comfort. If he is professional, meeting people all day, he wants perfectly fitted suits of current style and fine fabrics. If his business demands work type clothing, then he needs suits only for best wear and probably will have fewer, chosen from conservative styles to last longer.

When selecting suits, the specialist says remember values are not constant within a price line so it is well to examine the fabric, the tailoring and the fit of the suit to determine its value. In all wool suits there are worsteds and wools. There are now fibers and blends—rayons, acetate, nylon, orlon, dyneel all being used in men's suitings either alone or blended. Some are still in the experimental state and likely will not be found in higher grade suits. The best advice is to study the tags for fiber content and ask the retail merchant for information not on the tag. Your dry cleaner needs to know the fiber content to be able to give best care to the suit.

Look for a good cut. In low grade clothes patterns are skimpy—plaids and stripes are not matched except vertically—skirt lengths are omitted and trousers are pieced in the crotch.

Check for rod sewing, shaping and pressing. Seams should be straight and the coat hold a contour shape even when not being worn. Good suits are shaped between various sewing processes.

The choicest construction material used in high grade men's suits—hair canvas in shoulders and fronts to give shape—linen tape to stay front edges and armholes as protection against stretching and puckering, as also a bridge stay under the lapel to hold in chest ease and keep the coat from buckling out in front. The amount of hand tailoring on a suit is indicative of good quality. Look for sharp edges on a coat, collar and lapels that will flip back into place when turned up or forward. Also look for a crease where the lapel turns.

Notice the hang of the sleeves. Front lines both shoulder cut through the center of the pockets, otherwise they will pull against the upper arm and not be comfortable. There should be no wrinkles across the sleeve caps and there is no evidence of padding in the shoulders of a high grade suit.

High grade clothes are made for a great number of figure types and postures so it is possible for every man to get a fit, with minimum if any alterations. Walk back and forth across the fitting room to see how the suit looks and feels in action. Strain at any point will cause wear and require too frequent pressing. A good fitting suit is comfortable as well as becoming and long wearing.

How Long Will Drouth Ranges Take To Recuperate
Three factors of prime importance determine how long overgrazed south and west Texas ranges will take to recover from the drouth.

My Weight

My excess weight? You may have certain excess, but most of them like, "All my family is fat," is probably untrue. You can blame your skeleton on your ancestors but not your excess weight.

Dr. H. M. Harris, foods and nutrition specialist for the Texas Extension Service says overweight is invariably caused by eating more calories in food than you use as energy. According to the Federal Security Agency, obesity has probably replaced the vitamin deficiency diseases as the number one nutrition problem in the United States.

The first step in weight reduction, Miss Harris says, is to decide that you will reduce. Then, check with your doctor and have a thorough physical checkup, get his approval of your plan and continue to check with him as you reduce. Diet is not the only thing you need to lose for a normal weight, plan your diet and stick to it. Be sure your reducing diet is not freakish. Beware of fat diets, reducing pills, and losing too fast. There is a good reducing diet, and a good reducing diet is not freakish. Check your diet by these standards: It is safe calorically, it is not too restrictive, and it is high enough not to reduce vitality and feeling of well-being. It is best not to lose more than one pound a week. It is your reducing diet adequate nutritionally and does it include popular every day foods. A reducing diet should be low in calories only. It should still provide all the other nutrients necessary for a good diet. All this isn't hard to do if you use the Texas Food Standard as a guide in planning.

First, eat off with a good breakfast. This is one of the most important meals of the day and continues to be true when you are reducing. You'll be less apt to get hungry and it will be easier to follow the diet. Subject a diet pattern that supplies about 1400 calories a day to enable the average woman to lose one or two pounds a week. A reducing diet should probably not increase this number. In no instance should your diet supply less than 1,000 calories a day. If you are a special and constant contact with your doctor.

Dr. Harris suggests this diet pattern: Supply about 1,400 calories a day:
Breakfast: Citrus fruit, 1/2 cup of juice; 2 eggs; 1 thin slice bread; Medium part of buttered - Milk.
Lunch: Meat - 4 ounces; Green vegetable or fruit 2-3 cup; Milk.
Dinner: Meat - 4 ounces; Potato - small - butter; Fruit or vegetable.

Use salt sparingly, the specialist says. If you prefer, you can drink skim milk and add the extra calories in some other food. Once you gain your new figure you will want to keep it. Increase your food gradually so that you maintain a constant weight and remember to keep your diet adequate.

Remember, the specialist says, the first step is to decide you want to do something about overweight, see your physician and get his approval and then make a plan you can follow.

Turkey Market Situation Analyzed
Existing conditions indicate that turkey producers should find a lightly stronger market for their birds this fall than last. According to F. Z. Beamblossom, extension poultry marketing specialist, several factors can be cited to back up the forecast.

Demand for agricultural products is good. Economic activity continues strong and is holding at the high rates of recent months. Employment and income are at or near record levels and are expected to continue during the next few months. On the other hand, Beamblossom points out that turkey prices may be somewhat affected because of the favorable prices of competitive meats.

turkey on August 1 were three same date a year ago. However, million pounds less than that. The 43 shilling run average was 10 million pounds greater than the five year average at the same date. Present indications are that the 1953 fall marketings will be eight percent less in numbers of birds but 10 percent less in tonnage than was marketed after September 1 of last year.

Early marketing, according to the specialist, is expected to account for about 45 percent of the total turkey crop this year as compared to 42 percent for the period before and extending through October last year. About 93 percent of all 1953 produced marketable turkeys are expected to be sold before January 1, as compared to 90 percent for last year. Despite the early marketings, Beamblossom says there will be almost 33 million turkeys going to market after October 1, and their total weight should run about 413 million pounds or 15 percent less than the tonnage marketed last year. Finally, Beamblossom says, local demand, quality, competitive buying and the time turkeys are ready for market along with location will definitely influence the final price to the producer.

Fire Prevention And Your Home Grounds

At this season of the year many parts of your home grounds may be fire hazards, according to Sadie Hatfield, homestead improvement specialist for the Texas Extension Service. Dead grass, clustered vines, shrubs and other plants need to be removed and controlled methods used in burning. Not only will this take care of the fire-hazards but improve the appearance of your home grounds.

While you are doing this, take notice of the trees and shrubs which have withstood the dry weather. Some of them in the evergreen family may be called fire safe and be valuable to your property because they form a barrier between the buildings and areas of dry grass and weeds. Among the fire safe shrubs, the specialist says, are many of the privets, cherry laurel, yapon, holly and other evergreens. These are especially adapted to screen and border plantings in the home grounds. Trees which contain an oil substance can be planted to better advantage away from buildings. Pines and cedars, although attractive during the winter, have leaves which burn easily.

Another fire-prevention suggestion for your home grounds is careful placing of hydrants for watering lawns and shrubbery. Not only will the outlets be helpful during dry seasons, but can they provide water for fighting a fire which may originate in the area.

Fire-Prevention Week is a good time to clean the home grounds of lumber and other waste material which might be flammable. It is also an excellent time to study the landscape from the standpoint of safe plantings and prevent the loss of life and property from fire.

Furst, The Modern Magician Will Be Here Thursday, Oct. 29th

The Spearman Lion club is bringing to Spearman their greatest show in history, next Thursday night, October 29th. He is Arnold Furst, one of the nation's leading wizards, who has been featured in many of the top theaters of the nation. Arnold Furst will feature the following performances in his Spearman appearance. **THE ENCHANTED PRINCESS** A young lady is placed upon the point of three upright swords, and she rests in that position. **The Misroading Duck** Otto, The Misroading Duck, using a large wooden duck who displays his ability to read minds. **Houdini Chain Escape** Bound by huge chains and locked with heavy padlocks, Furst frees himself in less than two seconds. **Hindu Sands** One of the greatest mysteries performed by the magicians of India. **The Globe Trotting Rabbit** A real live rabbit is produced from a collapsible opera hat and transferred to a globe. **Cutting a girl in Hair** Furst takes a young lady from the audience and cuts her hair in half. **Bossie The Magic Cow** A most remarkable feat. Bossie gives milk when Furst pumps her tail. **Gravity Defied** You will not believe your eyes when suspended in mid-air. **Fear In The Research** Furst is nailed into this box, which has been on display. He will attempt to escape in thirty seconds. **Boy's Head Cut Off** A local boy will have his head cut off. It will probably be a boy who does not use his head, anyway. **The Above are Just a Few of the Many Illusions Presented by Furst in his Two Hour Show.**



CORN BREAD DRESSING ADDS NEW FLAVOR TO PORK ROAST
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ROAST PORK WITH CORN BREAD DRESSING
1 Pork Roast (loin or rib)
Season with 1 teaspoon salt and 1/2 teaspoon pepper per pound.
Dressing
1/2 cup chopped onion
1 cup crumbled corn bread
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
1/2 teaspoon pepper
Ask butcher to loosen backbone to make carving roast easier. Place meat on tray in open roasting pan, fat side up. Roast in a moderate oven, 350°F., about 30 minutes per pound. While meat is roasting, prepare dressing as follows: Brown onion in fat. Combine

Local demand, quality, competitive buying and the time turkeys are ready for market along with location are factors which will influence the final price producers receive for their birds.

Texas interested in the production of peaches can pick up much valuable information by attending a statewide peach growers meeting scheduled for October 17-14 at College Station.

There are at least five reasons why planting seed should be treated. Seed borne diseases are controlled; the seed are protected in the soil; stands are improved; yields are increased and quality of the crop is improved.

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has just announced that a vaccine for controlling pinkeye in cattle has been developed.

Visits Here
Mr. F. A. Shapley of McAllen

Tejas was a Spearman visitor Monday. He is here from the Valley on business, and for a week's visit at his home in Granger.

Mrs. Shapley remained in McAllen for this trip. On his way to Granger Mr. Shapley stopped at the Veterans' hospital in Amarillo and visited his grand son, Arnold Bayless. Bayless is still unconscious from injuries received in a car accident 30 days ago. Attendants at the Hospital say his condition is fair, but he will likely remain in an unconscious state for some time yet. He has recently been moved to Amarillo from a Kansas hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Regan and Children of Borger spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Laskey.

Joyce Ray Sparks visited over the weekend with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miam of Dallas. Her parents drove over after her Sunday.

Donald and Elaine Floyd drove home for a weekend from El Paso. Don had to report for duty at Fort Bliss Monday. Elaine remained here for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daily.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mott of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ham, and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mott.

Mrs. F. D. Sanning visited her daughter, Tynelle, a student of Texas University at Austin the first of this week.

Mr. Homer Clark spent the week-end in Lubbock.

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS" By C. WILSON HARDER
In wide open Reno, it is a familiar scene: the gambler studying where to put his last chip.
And in the Federal Trade Commission, with \$6 billion more gradually appropriated by Congress for Mutual Security Administration giveaway programs, there is grave concern over just where to play what might be the last chip that will ever be coerced from U. S. taxpayers.
Curtain tugs C. W. Harter events alarm. Since WJ Day, funds equal to about 1/3 of national debt have been given Europe to buy security.
Yet England, recipient of billions in gifts, hedges on Asian question, is trying to force U. S. to accept Red China.
France is collapsing.
Besides receiving almost \$11 billion U. S. aid, France owns rich colonies into which more American dollars have been poured to develop.
Italy, influenced greatly by French events, is falling apart.
France is not poor. An estimated \$5 billion in gold is hoarded which for a nation of 40 million, compares favorably with U. S. gold stock of \$21 billion.
But facts show U. S. aid has solidified big French cartels.
The common man of France can greet each day with no more hope than during Nazi rule.
One French sine company, for example, with American methods and machinery, cut production costs so chain distributor controlling their output could sell.
Whether this argument is valid can never be fully tested with FTC receives what it considers an adequate amount.
Yet in the past, Congressional session, FTC was given \$4,178,000 instead of \$5,500,000 requested. In other words, the difference between the FTC request and what it got, equals just two minutes of this year's expenditures on foreign aid, which has bankrupted Europe's monopolies.
Safeguarded, many feel free enterprise protection at home is being sabotaged to pour billions into a hopeless cause that will never be salvaged. Europe adopts anti-trust laws.

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George Stevens' 'Shane' is Heralded As One Of Screen's All-Time Great Films

Ever since the first motion picture glorified the strong silent men who fought for law and order on the Western plains, producers have been improving on this ever popular theme. Now George Stevens, one of the most highly respected and successful practitioners of the film art, has turned his deft hand toward the Western. His achievement, in Paramount's "Shane," which has won overwhelming praise from critics and advance audiences alike, is due to open next Sun. at the Lyric Theatre.

...all you many, many people who I promised an Elk steak because you financed my hunting trip—I GOT NEWS FOR YOU. I could not locate a helicopter up there on the timber line South East of Hayden, Colorado, and the snow got so deep I would have had to get in a helicopter and shoot straight down in order to shoot an Elk. And then there would have been the problem of clearing a hole in the snow and cleaning the Elk and getting it down to the ranch house 12 miles away.

Good ole Bruce Sheets, Bill Hutton and Bob Taylor, (Brother of Del Taylor) tried mighty hard to get me an Elk and they endured snow blindness, chills, blain, undernourishment and other hardships, but the more they hunted the more it snowed—and that's my ailment.

do I apologize to Mrs. A. L. Jackson. I assured Mrs. Jackson that I would deliver her an Elk steak because she bought a file that she really did not need, but she wanted to help the country editor finance his trip—so I will make up some other way.

catch a lot of fish. That is what HUTTON caught the fish and Doc Chase of Pampa and the country editor took em off the hooks. That all happened the first day in camp before the bottom fell out of the sky and the snow got so deep. Doc Chase of Pampa was trying to show the country editor how to cast flies on the ice and drag em off into the Beaver pond. We was doing right well until Bill Hutton butted in. Bill said you boys just stand back where you can see the fish off my line and I will catch as much trout to eat. HE DID. He kept his fingers nice and warm while Doc Chase and I froze our hands. Bill took off when trout two at the time. HONESTLY, Bill Hutton caught 47 trout that measured 7 to 11 inches in length in less than 45 minutes. It was a bucket full of trout and cause Doc Chase and I had to clean the fish but they were sure fine eating. If a Colorado game warden reads that article, he must understand that we had about 7 fishing license and that Bill was filling the tickets for all the fishermen.

In hopes that I will have something more interesting to tell about our trip next week, I will close for this writing.

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This 'N That



Around Gruver

Have you read "In His Steps" lately? It is a book everyone should read at intervals. I have read it many times, and just finished reading it the other day again. Like the weather we talk a great deal about christianity, but actually we do little about it. We go to church and sing "Footsteps of Jesus," but we are very careful not to walk in them. Everyone is assuring us that the need of the world today, is to be Christian. That is true, but even church members never want to try it. One thing about the author of "In His Steps," He's a clear understanding of what would happen if we really regulated our lives by asking "What would Jesus Do." It would be a great thing if at least a few of us were willing to give it a try.

The wandering "Flecks" are home again for a short while. They have just returned from a 2300 mile trip. They visited in six homes, all the way from here to there. They saw some parts of Texas they did not fall in love with, down Lamesa way. Then they saw some pretty country out around Seguin. They other day. The reason she will see and grand children.

Another wandering lady is home for a while. Mrs. Cecil Holt returned from Denver the other day. The reason she will stay for a while. Rosemary will be coming down here for a visit.

Speaking of Denver, another Gruverite family are helping to keep the Denver road hot. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas have just returned from another trip there to see their daughter and grandson.

Mrs. Mary Fletcher is visiting her sister in Denver, Colo. She will probably be home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Powers have been visiting Cart Groves lowe this week. Cart Groves was telling us this morning that his dad is sleeping a great deal.

Does not want to get up even way to go to the table.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Womble and the children have returned from a short vacation. Fred has been working mighty hard lately and needed a little rest. We understand they visited Colorado Springs, but we could be wrong about that.

Rev. and Mrs. George Masevengale, Mrs. James Holt, and Mrs. Ed Vernon returned from San Antonio last Friday. They attended the Texas State Baptist Convention. They were forced to detour 150 miles on account of high water.

A group of friends gave Mrs. Bertie Wells a happy surprise on her birthday last week. They arrived unexpectedly, bringing all the ingredients for a nice party. Those attending were, Mrs. Walter Leslie and children, Mrs. Ernest Oldabar, Mrs. Vera Gailard, Mrs. Mary Dotson, Mrs. Julia Walker and Mrs. J. C. Hoover of Texoma, and Mrs. O. J. Gross and Mrs. Mattie Layton of Gruver.

A number of ladies from Gruver attended the O. E. S. Friendship Night at Perryton last week. Mrs. Iva McElhany, Mrs. Ann Thom, Mrs. Mildred Hindergrard, Mrs. Rebecca Westerland, Mrs. Gertrude Ogle, Mrs. Mattie Layton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kinley and Mr. and Mrs. Curt Lowe.

Mrs. Ted McClellan, Linda Kay and Lynn left last week to visit the Dallas fair, and arrived home Monday evening. They had a good time, and managed to get ahead of the big rains on their way home. While there they enjoyed the Ice show. We would have liked to have been with them because that is our favorite form of entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taber were also visitors at the Dallas Fair, and they took in the Ice show. We understand, however they ran into some of the bad weather. But they had a good time anyway.

We understand that Arnold Hays has been moved from the Wichita hospital, and is now in the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo. At the time of writing he had not regained consciousness. We do not have all the details on this, but we do know that Mrs. J. C. (Dr.) Jones has just returned from Dallas. Irene has not been well for some time, and Doc thought it best that she go to Dallas for examination. We do not know just what the results were, but we hope it was good news.

Christian Science Sermon-Lesson

"Exalting Punishment" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Christian Science churches this Sunday. The Lesson emphasizes through readings from the Bible and from the Christian Science Textbook by Mary Baker Eddy man's perfect, indestructible selfhood as God's image and likeness, and the fact that this truth unmasks and destroys the errors of mortal existence. Among the passages to be read is this one from the Bible: "There is nothing covered, that shall not be revealed; neither hid, that shall not be known" (Luke 12:2), and the following from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures": "Though error hides behind a lie and excites guilt, error cannot forever be concealed. Truth, through her unveiled laws, unveils error. Truth causes sin to betray itself, and set up on error the mark of the beast" (page 542).

The Golden Text is from James: "Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye double minded" (4:8).

The singing rages of the bob-boxers lead us to believe that progress of the human race is arising, slowly.

Ray Phelps Says He Was Slighted On Hunting Trip

Ray Phelps is boiling mad at our county attorney Jimmie Linn. Ray says he killed the biggest antelope on the hunting trip last week, and that Floyd Mitts got the biggest set of horns. In fact, Phelps states that none of the local party saw Jimmie shoot his, and he thinks actually that the game warden Jimmie was riding with, killed the antelope for Jimmie.

Mr. C. O'Connell Attorney stated that he wasn't counting Phelps but only set the biggest antelope, but a big rain too! Something over three inches East of Spearman.

County Receives Best Rain In Three Years: Spearman Totals 2.47 Inches In Drouth Breaker

A real drouth breaking rain fell in Hansford county the past week, and it was the best showing of moisture, at the most opportune time, the county has enjoyed in approximately four years.

The rains fell slowly, starting out early in the week, with approximately half of inch, and finally totalling 2.47 by Thursday night, with a good cool cloud cover to drive the moisture in deep, following the rain.

Farmers and Cattlemen are jubilant over the sudden turn from disaster to a fighting moisture. The county has held the wheat until a chance for snow-fall according to most speculators.

Many farmers and ranchers in the area are going to plant barley and oats this year, along with their wheat. The leave-out land will furnish ample grazing, with a cover of barley or oats, or rye, and with plenty of moisture, could match what for a cash crop, some say.

The rainfall was very general over the tri-state area, and more especially the Panhandle, and the entire country was entirely under water Thursday afternoon, but there was very little run-off, as most of the land was in good shape to take the moisture.

Mrs. Leo Dacus Attends Funeral

Mrs. Leo Dacus was notified of the death of her brother-in-law, John Simpson, on Oct. 21. Mr. and Mrs. Dacus left immediately for Monahan to attend the funeral, conducted there Friday October 23.

They returned home by Portales, N. M. to visit their sons, Dan and Ted and Leo's mother Mrs. Susan Dacus. The boys were in El Paso, helping their sister move to Portales. The boys returned to Portales, the next day, reporting they had a good visit with Don Florn and Eddie Blackburn, both stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas.

Don't Name It

Back home shaking around in the mud, which is indeed a relief from swimming in snow neck deep to an adult Giraff.

Please, please, you friends of the country editor, quit depositing money to the credit of the hunting and fishing fund, because I got the whole deal figured out to where no body will be hurt, and maybe we will have money in the bank every time we need a good rain.

HE DID. He kept his fingers nice and warm while Doc Chase and I froze our hands. Bill took off when trout two at the time. HONESTLY, Bill Hutton caught 47 trout that measured 7 to 11 inches in length in less than 45 minutes. It was a bucket full of trout and cause Doc Chase and I had to clean the fish but they were sure fine eating. If a Colorado game warden reads that article, he must understand that we had about 7 fishing license and that Bill was filling the tickets for all the fishermen.

In hopes that I will have something more interesting to tell about our trip next week, I will close for this writing.

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