

The Spearman Reporter

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER, HANSFORD COUNTY, THURSDAY, NOV. 28, 1957

D. M. Womble Of Morse State Farm Bureau Director

According to information carried in regional daily newspapers of this area, D. M. Womble was elected a state director of the Farm Bureau organization at a recent annual state meeting held at Dallas. Mr. Womble replaces Stanley Garnett, who has served as a state director, representing this district for more than 4 years.

We were unable to get in touch with our Reporter, Margarete Kirk, who attended the state convention, and will no doubt have a good story of the activities for next weeks Reporter. However, we had a deadline of Monday noon for news in order to print the paper this week on Tuesday so part of the staff could get away for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Morse P. T. A.

Guidance with the meaning was the theme of the meeting which was held November 11. The meeting was opened with the audience singing the Star Spangled Banner, led by Mrs. Fay Gillispie. Mrs. John Hightower sang a solo, God Bless America. Mrs. Carson McCloy gave a devotional on Guidance. Mrs. Erless Pittman, president, opened the business session by announcing that Mrs. McCloy will be our delegate to go to the state convention. Membership cards were passed out. The president appointed Mrs. Oliver Leverton as civil defense chairman, Mrs. Chesser as safety chairman.

Kick-off Breakfast To Begin Drive

The annual drive for the year budget to carry on Girl Scouting in Spearman for the coming year will get underway at a kick-off breakfast at the Spearman Steak House on Tuesday, December 3, at 7:00 A. M.

The budget is considered very conservative, considering the number of girls who benefit from Girl Scouting in Spearman.

All of the amount raised will be used locally and in the area to provide the many projects for Girl Scouts.

Helen Fisher is the Chairman of the Annual drive this year.

Gruver P. T. A.

The Gruver PTA will hold its regular meeting on December 2, at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be held in the high school auditorium.

The theme is "Youth Tells It's Story. Entertainment will be given by First Graders, under the direction of Mrs. Hoy and Mrs. Herbert McClellan. Drill team will be questioned by Mrs. Barber.

The PTA study group meets Wednesday December 4 at 2:30 p. m. in the high school. A forum on drivers' education, entitled "Rock Rattle and Roll" will be led by Bill Clemons, drivers education teacher at Gruver.

Barbara Howerton Among Students On "Who Who"

Canyon, Nov. 22. (Special) — Barbara Howerton, a senior from Spearman was among the 28 students of West Texas State College chosen to represent W. T. in the 1957-58 edition of "Who Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

Those elected represent 14 different departments and 37 different student organizations, according to Dr. Ima Barlow, professor of history who is chairman of a student honors committee. The group makes selection of students nominated.

The 28 were presented in assembly at W. T. and will be featured in the 1958 Le Mirage, West Texas State yearbook.

Miss Howerton is the daughter of Mr. G. B. Howerton, 2324 169th Ave. San Leandro, California. She is a business administration major, a senior senator, and a member of Phi Gamma Nu, and Delta Zeta Chi, social club.

GREYHOUND MOTHERS WILL HONOR PLAYERS WITH BANQUET DECEMBER 3

The Gruver Greyhound mothers will honor the Gruver Football team with a football banquet Tuesday evening in the high school cafeteria.

Al McClellan, Jon Hart, Lesley Barkley, and Hank Stewart are the four graduating lettermen.

GRUVER FFA JUDGING TEAM PLACES SECOND IN CONTEST AT PANHANDLE A. AND M.

The livestock judging team of the Gruver FFA chapter was one of six eight schools from Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas who were invited to participate in the 10th Annual Panhandle A. and M. Invitational judging contest held on November 16. Contests were held in livestock judging, dairy cattle judging, cross judging and meat judging.

The Gruver team placed second in the judging of livestock, and ninth in the sweepstakes competition. Laddie Cluck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cluck of Gruver, was 7th high man in the entire contest in livestock judging.

Other members of the team were Carl Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper, Jimmy Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Jr., John Cluck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cluck.

Words cannot express my appreciation to the Eastern Star Chapters of Hansford County for their part in making my Scholarship possible, and I shall try to be worthy of this trust.

Card Of Thanks

Myrl Guy Jones.



Hansford County Student Receives Eastern Star Scholarship Award

At a recent session of Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, a \$400.00 Cash Scholarship was awarded to Myrl Guy Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Jones of Gruver, Texas.

Mildred Garlitz, Dallas, had charge of the Estar Committee's report which was the introduction of the young people dedicated to full time Christian Service, who were to receive the Scholarships. This ceremony was called "Highways of Tomorrow" as we are relying on these people through their work to build these highways.

Myrl Guy is a senior at T. C. U. Next year he is planning to attend the University of Chicago for Seminary training.

He is an active member of the United Religious Council; on the staff of the "Outlook," and President of the Chi Delta Mu, which is an organization open to all students interested in Christian Service. Also, he is Secretary to the Dean of Men.

In addition to his School activities, he preaches two Sundays a month at a Community Church at Bay Town, Texas.

During the 1957 vacation he

Leo Campbell Father Is Visiting Here

Leo Campbell's father from Graham is visiting Leo this week. Mr. Campbell said his wife called and said they had quite a snow storm at Graham last week, and Monday, Spearman was basking in beautiful sunshiny weather! Mr. Campbell will probably be running one of Leo's rigs before he can get back home, if he isn't careful.

Card Of Thanks

We take this means of thanking our many friends and neighbors for their help, cooperation and expressions of love and sympathy in our recent death of our father, M. R. Stowe. May God's richest blessings rest with each of you.

Monet Washington Honored With Ribbon

Monday No. 4, 1957 the Lone Star 4-H Club met with Miss Barbara Fain giving a lesson on arranging dresser drawers. This fit in real well with Monet Washington showing her bedroom which has been her 4-H project. She had removed the paper, textured, and painted also finished.

The following members were served pumpkin pie and cocoa Mrs. J. T. McWhirter, Mrs. J. R. Stump, Cynthia McWhirter, Sandra and Judy Stump, Marilyn Schaubert, Mickie Die, Marilyn Beck, Helen Greever, Janice Phelps, Karen Crane, and Miss Barbara Fain.

Medlin H. D. Club

The Medlin Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. R. L. Uptergrove at 2:00 o'clock on Tuesday, Nov. 22.

Mrs. John Trindle presided, over a short business session. Mrs. Frank Davis and Mrs. John Trindle gave a very good demonstration on Christmas candies. This was served to Mesdames: Johnnie Close, C. R. Jackson, L. T. Dossett, Allen Pierce, John Sell Jr. Frank Davis, John Trindle, Bob Hays and the hostess.

The Christmas party will be Dec. 13 with Mrs. John Sell Jr. "Peach and Plum Insects and Their Controls" is the title of a recently released publication from the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension Service. It is available from local county extension offices or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas. Ask for MP-190.

Need more information on Alfalfa? Then write the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas, and ask for B-855, Alfalfa Production in Texas. It is a new Experiment Station publication.

MacDonald Carey plans to make a singing album. Most people have forgotten that he sang with Gertrude Lawrence in "Lady in the Dark."

SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS

The following agricultural conservation practices for 1958 have been selected:

A-2 Initial establishment of a permanent vegetative cover for soil protection or as a needed land use adjustment.

B-4 Pitting, listing or chiseling non crop grazing land to prevent soil loss, retard runoff, and improve water penetration.

B-5 Constructing wells for livestock water as a means of protecting vegetative cover.

B-7 Constructing pits, dams, or ponds for livestock water as a means of protecting vegetative cover.

C-1 Initial establishment of permanent and waterways to dispose of excess water without causing erosion.

C-4 Constructing terraces to detain or control the flow of water and check soil erosion.

C-5 Constructing diversion terraces to intercept runoff and divert excess water to protected outlets.

C-6 Constructing erosion control detention or sediment retention dams to prevent or retard runoff of water.

C-7 Constructing drop spillways, nine drops, drop inlets, or similar structures for the protection of outlets and water channels that dispose of excess water.

C-12 Reorganizing farm irrigation systems to conserve water and prevent erosion.

C-13 Leveling land for more efficient use of irrigation water and to prevent erosion.

C-16 Constructing spreader terraces to divert and spread water to prevent erosion and to permit beneficial use of runoff.

D-2 (a) Establishing winter leucemes in the fall of 1958 for winter protection from erosion.

E-1 Stubble mulching to improve soil permeability and to protect soil from wind and water erosion.

E-3 (b) Contour listing, contour chiseling, cross slope chiseling, pit cultivation, or listing or chiseling not on the contour for wind erosion control.

E-3 Control of a as a necessary step in the control of wind erosion.

COTTON MARKETING QUOTA REFERENDUM

The 1958 ACP Handbook is in referendum to determine whether cotton marketing quotas will be in effect for the 1958 crop for next year will be held on December 10 in the county court house. We would like for all cotton producers to make plans to vote.

New Growers Cotton Allotment for 1958. We now have "new growers" cotton allotment application for 1958. The final date to file this application is February 21, 1958.

1958 ACP Handbook. The 1958 ACP handbook is in the process of being approved by the state groups at this time.

Work "breaks" are as important to farmers as city workers. They'll reduce possibility of accidents and improve work efficiency, says the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council.



Thankful

TWO BAD LEGS AND ONE GOOD ONE!—Young Brian David Billstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Billstein, route 5, Victoria, is previewing the Thanksgiving season by chewing on a fat turkey leg. The traditional turkey will appear on the menu at Gonzales Warm Springs Rehabilitation Foundation on Thanksgiving day.

Young Billstein, a polio victim, is a patient at the Foundation for the third time since the onset of his polio attack in May 1956. He isn't going to let a small matter of two long leg braces interfere with polishing off the huge meaty turkey leg.

Mrs. A. M. Putman spent most of last week visiting in Denver with her son and family. She met Mr. Putman in Amarillo and together they went on down to San Angelo to visit another son and family. The Putmans returned home Saturday, Nov. 23. Mr. Putman is a tool pusher for Baker Taylor Drilling Co.

From our "Heard This Before" department: Lana Turner, who has been married five times but is now divorced, declares, "I'll never get married again."

A list of the approved practices are printed above. 1958 Conservation Reserve. Information as to 1958 Conservation reserve programs funds and sign up should be received in the county office in a few days.

Excess Wheat Acreage. As a result of legislation enacted during the last session of Congress, farmers who have wheat acreage in excess of their allotment will not receive history credit for the excess acreage.

SIGNED Elzey D. Vanderburg



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THANKSGIVING DAY
THURSDAY NOVEMBER 28th

The season of the year when we look back with thankful hearts that we live and do business in Hansford County.

... And, of course, it would not be a complete Thanksgiving season greeting without taking advantage of the occasion to thank the friends of this business for their patronage.

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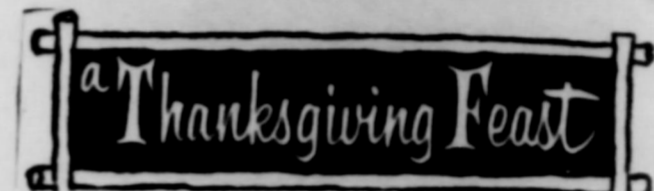
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We believe, measured by what we have and enjoy, that we are blessed more bountifully than were the Pilgrim settlers of America.

It would take a great deal of space to set down our many blessings, but we do feel that our paramount blessing is the opportunity of serving the fine people of this area. Of course, we are thankful for this privilege and for your patronage and cooperation.

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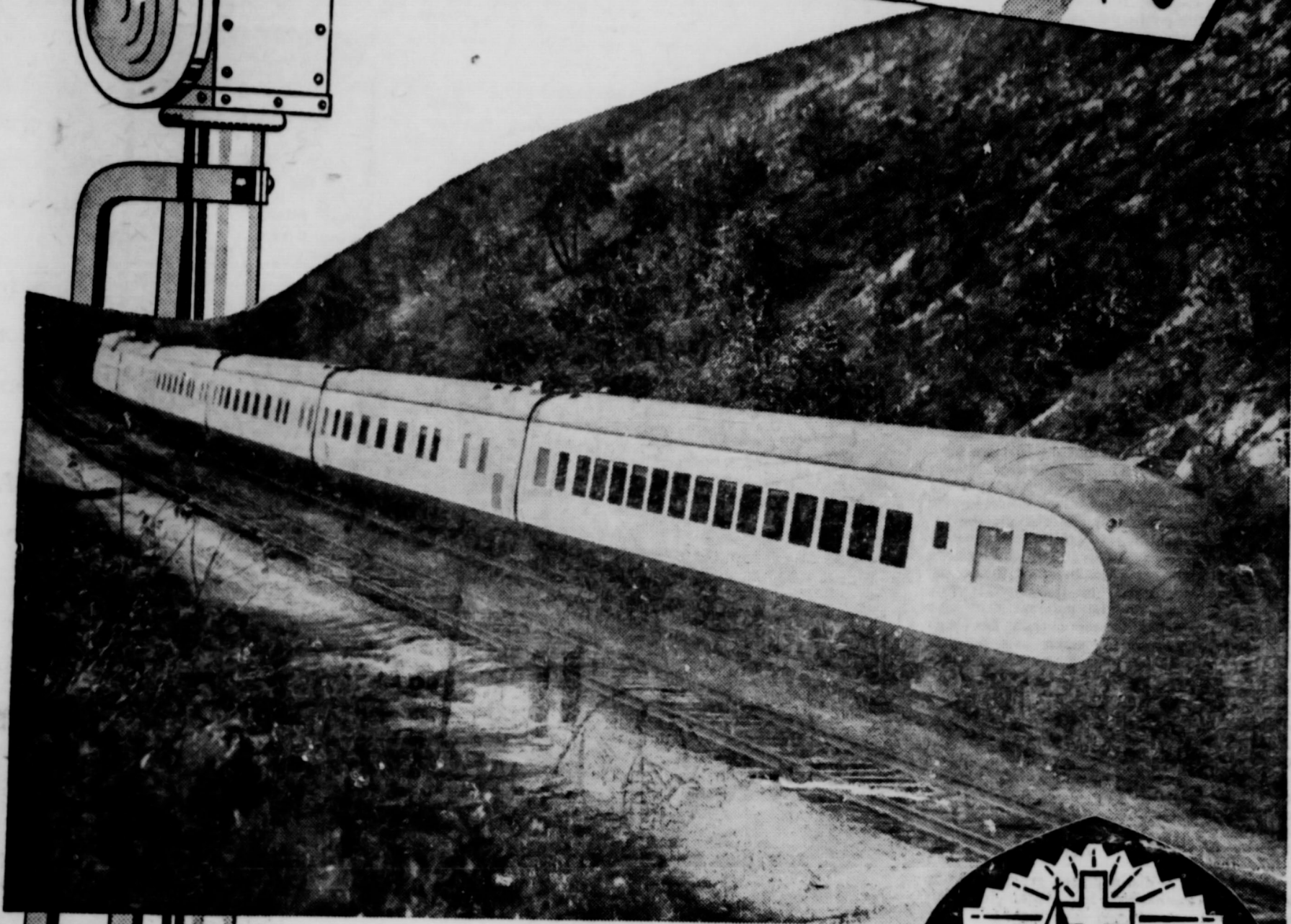
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WHAT'S YOUR STATION?



What's your station? What is your destination? "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the ends thereof are the ways of death." We are all aboard the train of life. Around the next curve may be your station. This is the road which leads to life eternal. You may travel in this way if you will. Are you ready, prepared? Are your plans made? "The path of the just is as a drawing light that shineth more and more unto the perfect day." The 'Great Conductor' counsels: "Strive to enter in by the narrow gate!" To those who follow His counsel he says: "Ye shall find rest unto your souls." What is your station?

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The Church In You**
Form a combination for good. We should attend church regularly. Every man, woman and child needs the influence of the CHURCH. Be faithful Be a Churchman!
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APOSTOLIC FAITH CHURCH
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Mrs. E. A. Greover in Charge

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday School	10:00 a. m.
Morning Preaching service	11:00 a. m.
Evening Preaching service	7:30 p. m.

MID WEEK SERVICES

Thursday fast and prayer service	9:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.
Thursday evening prayer service	7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — GRUVER
Bro. Bill Burton, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Preaching Service	11:00 a. m.
Training Union	7:00 p. m.
Preaching Service	8:00 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Service	8:00 p. m.

UNION CHURCH — SPEARMAN
Rev. Calvin Springer, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
Bible Classes, Sunday	6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship	7:30 p. m.
Wednesday Bible Study	7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — SPEARMAN
J. Donald Cox, Minister

Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
Youth Meetings	6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship	7:30 p. m.
Wednesday: Choir Practice	7:30 p. m.

MORSE METHODIST CHURCH — MORSE
Allen C. Forbis, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a. m.
Morning Services	11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F.	6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship	7:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD — SPEARMAN
Rev. M. C. Cox, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship	7:45 a. m.
Mid Week Services, Wednesday	7:45 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — GRUVER
J. W. Dake, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p. m.
1st Weds. Monthly Fellowship	7:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH — SPEARMAN
Bro. J. Wald Griffin, Minister

Church School	9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship	6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship	7:30 p. m.
Womens Society of Christian Service, Wednesday	3:00 p. m.
Mid Week Services, Wed.	7:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal	7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST — SPEARMAN
David E. Parker, Preacher

Bible Class	10:00 a. m.
Communion	11:00 a. m.
Preaching	11:15 a. m.
Worship	7:00 p. m.
Monday: Mens Training Class	7:30 p. m.
Wednesday, Ladies Bible Class	9:30 a. m.
Wednesday, Midweek Bible Classes	8:00 p. m.

MORSE BAPTIST CHURCH — MORSE
Rev. Geo. M. Rickles, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Worship	11:00 a. m.
Training Union	7:30 p. m.
Worship	8:00 p. m.
Mid Week Service Wednesday	7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
North of City Park
Gruver, Texas
R. Elmer Adcock, Evangelist

Lord's Days:	
Bible Study	10:00 a. m.
Worship	10:30 a. m.
Worship	7:00 p. m.
Week Days:	
Bible Study, Wednesday	8:00 p. m.
Ladies Classes, Thursdays	
Senior Ladies	2:15 p. m.
(Small Children Cared For)	
Junior Ladies	3:00 p. m.

GRUVER METHODIST CHURCH — GRUVER
Rev. R. H. Campbell

Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Morning Services	11:00 a. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship	6:45 p. m.
Evening Services	7:30 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Service	7:30 p. m.
Wednesday Choir Practice	8:30 p. m.
Thursday W. S. C. S.	2:30 p. m.
Wesley Circle, Thursday	10:00 a. m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH — SPEARMAN
Father M. J. Mathiasen, Pastor

MASSES

Sundays	10:00 a. m.
Weekdays (Mon. Tues. Fri. Sat.)	7:00 a. m.
First Friday of Month	8:00 a. m.
Holy Days of Obligation	8:00 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — SPEARMAN
Bro. O. L. Bryant, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a. m.
Training Union	6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship	7:30 p. m.
Wednesday Mid-Week Services: Prayer Hour	8:00 p. m.
Wednesday Choir Rehearsal	8:45 p. m.
Officers, Teachers, R. GA & RA	7:00 p. m.

OSLO LUTHERAN CHURCH — OSLO
J. P. Knudsen, Pastor

Sunday Worship	11:00 a. m.
Ladies Aid every last Thursday afternoon of each month	
Luther League on Sunday evening every three weeks	



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Winter Cover Crops Highly Beneficial To Soil

College Station. — The rains and winds that characterize winter weather often rob the farmer of valuable topsoil through erosion—not to mention the hidden damage from leaching. But farmers can prevent this winter time destruction of their land by planting cover crops.

But it must be remembered that cover crops do more than just protect the land, says R. J. Hodges, extension agronomist. These crops improve the soil itself, leading to increased yields.

Many growers have discovered that winter legumes increase their cotton and corn yields, more than paying for the time and money spent in putting in the legumes, points out the agronomist. These cover plants do not interfere with other crops, coming at a time when farm work slows down. They are turned under to add plant food, especially nitrogen to the soil during the slack period in the spring. Grazing, hay silage or seed taken from the winter crop will provide other sources of income for the farm, he adds.

Annual winter legume crops named by Hodges include vetch, Austrian winter peas, crimson clover, burr clover and sweet clover. Some operators use a combination of annual grass and annual legume while others prefer the annual grass alone.

1958 Crop Peanut Allotment, Quota And Apportionment Announced

College Station, November—A national allotment of 1,610,000 acres of 1958-crop peanuts for picking and threshing and a marketing quota of 826,000 tons have been announced by Acting Secretary of Agriculture True D. Morse. Both the marketing quota and the national acreage allotment for the 1958-crop are at the levels required by law. The Texas Allotment for 1958 is 355,955 acres. Legislation provides that the marketing quota must be equal to the average quantity of peanuts harvested for nuts during the 3 years immediately preceding the year in which the quota is proclaimed, adjusted for current trends and prospective demand conditions; but the quota must be not less than a quantity sufficient to provide a national acreage allotment of at least 1,610,000 acres. In determining the marketing quota for the 1958 crop, a "normal" yield of 1,026 pounds per acre was used. This yield, multiplied by 1,610,000 acres, the minimum national acreage allotment, results in the national marketing quota of 826,000 tons. If the minimum national allotment provision of the law were not in effect, the national marketing quota would be 670,000 tons which with allowance for under harvesting would result in a national acreage allotment of 1,470,000 acres.

In a referendum on December 11, 1956, peanut farmers approved marketing quotas and they are in effect for the crops to be produced in 1957, 1958 and 1959. Price support will be available at a level between 70 and 80 percent of parity in 1956 and in 1957 depending upon the supply at the beginning of the marketing year (August 1). Marketing quotas have been in effect continuously for peanuts since 1949.

The 1958 national acreage allotment, less one-fourth of 1 percent reserved for a new farms, is

apportioned to States in accordance with the provisions of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended. The acreage allotment for each state will be apportioned among individual peanut-producing farms.

Electric Fences Useful In Bull Pens

College Station, November—There are over 30,000 dairy herd sires in Texas. Effectively penning these usually gentle yet occasionally vicious animals provides increased safety for the farmer and his family. It also extends the service life of the bull and makes more adequate breeding records possible.

Most classes of farm livestock have been effectively confined to pastures or pens through the careful use of electric fences. A dairy bull with a relatively thick skin and in some cases, horns, together with a natural inclination to rub, scratch, and butt, provides a severe test for electric fences.

Gruver Greyhound Basketball Schedule

- Nov. 22. Canyon at Gruver
- Nov. 23. Morse at Morse
- Nov. 26. Adrain at Adrain
- Dec. 3. Texline at Gruver
- Dec. 6. Spearman at Gruver
- Dec. 10. Darrouzett at Darrouzett
- Dec. 12-13-14. Spearman tour.
- Dec. 17. Perryton at Gruver
- Dec. 19-20-21 N. M. Trip "A" boys
- Dec. 31. Morse at Gruver
- Jan. 2-3-4. Stratford tour.
- Jan. 10. Phillips at Phillips "A" and "B" boys
- Jan. 14. Sunray at Gruver
- Jan. 16-17-18. Gruver Boys and Girls Tournament
- Jan. 21. Stinnett at Gruver
- Jan. 14. Sunray at Gruver
- Jan. 24. White Deer at White Deer
- Jan. 25. Spearman at Spearman "A" and "B" boys
- Jan. 28. Panhandle at Gruver
- Jan. 31. Sunray at Sunray
- Feb. 1. Clayton N. M. at Gruver "A" and "B" boys
- Feb. 4. Perryton at Perryton
- Feb. 7. Stinnett at Stinnett
- Feb. 11. White Deer at Gruver
- Feb. 14. Panhandle at Panhandle
- Caddo Matthews, Boys Coach
- Bill Clemons, Girls Coach
- Leon Chapman, "B" Team Coach

Tennis was purely an amateur sport until 1926.

Grapefruit are so-called because they sometimes grow in clusters.

Washington News Letter From Your Congressman, Walter Rogers

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT.

THE NATIONAL DEBT
Even B. S. (Before Sputnik), it was the general consensus of opinion in Washington that the Administration would request the Congress to increase the statutory limitation on the national debt. This debt ceiling presently stands at 175 billions of dollars. A few years back, Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey undertook to get this ceiling lifted to 200 billions. This move by the Administration did not meet with success. The Congress did authorize a much smaller increase on the debt ceiling, but on a temporary basis. This was done in order for the government to meet its obligations which were falling due at a time when tax collections were at a low ebb. However, it was provided that this increase was to meet a temporary crisis. The crises was met, and the high point in tax collections during the spring of the year solved the problem and brought the debt under control below the 275 billion statutory ceiling.

It has been anticipated for some time that the government could not meet its obligations after the first of the year without borrowing more money. Some people felt this and quite a bit to do with the resignation of Secretary Humphrey and his replacement by Tex. R. B. Anderson. It was generally accepted that such a request would be highly unpopular under the circumstances and that it should be avoided if at all possible. It was my personal feeling that, if anyone could work us out of the dilemma, it would be R. B. Anderson, a very astute and able gentleman. He took on a tremendous job—probably one of the toughest in the history of this country. He was making good headway I am told. However, the advent of the Russian spunk relieved the pressure. It seems to be generally conceded now that Congress will raise the debt ceiling when and if asked to do so. Such action will be due to the votes of many who will be voting for the increase solely on the basis of national security.

If it were not for the national security reasons, the Administration would have tough going.

week was the Amarillo Post No. 442 of the Allied Youth Conference. Twelve young people from Amarillo spent one day in Washington enroute to their international conference at Buckhill Falls, Pennsylvania. They were traveling on two special chartered buses with other conference members from the Southwest. They were certainly having a grand time. Amarillo boys and girls included David Parks, Susan Kirk, Mary Alice Lokey, Glen Milligan, Dick McKay, Mary Thomas, Kay Kendrick, Betty Brown, Myra Anne Stanley, Alfred Glenn, Robert McKee, and their sponsor, Mrs. Edward McKay.

Private and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson of Matador dropped by the office this week have just returned from a visit to Matador with their families and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Keef were recent Washington visitors. They were in town to attend the American Finance Conference which was in annual convention here.

WALTER ROGERS
Member of Congress
18th District of Texas

Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko said the Soviet Union will continue producing atomic and hydrogen bombs and guided missiles until the West agrees to ban nuclear-weapon tests.

Confidential Air Force estimates inadvertently published by a Congressional committee showed the steep acceleration of the ballistic missiles program.

Demands for big cuts in foreign aid spending persist in Congress despite President Eisenhower's charge that economy advocates are gambling with peace.



"I think his brakes are grabbing."

VISITORS
A distinguished group from the Panhandle in Washington this

Help Catch Parakeet!

Mrs. Townsend, of the Townsend apartments, has lost her blue parakeet. Anyone seeing a parakeet, if urged to follow these instructions to catch the bird. Turn the water on your garden hose, and spray on the bird. As soon as the bird is thoroughly wet, you can catch him. Then, call Mrs. Townsend, and she will assist you in any way she can. This is about the only way to catch a parakeet, and the information will prove valuable in case your bird gets away.

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Thorough scrubbing action removes dirt and grime. Just pour 1 quart cleaning solution & 6 qt. water into tank. Hoop.

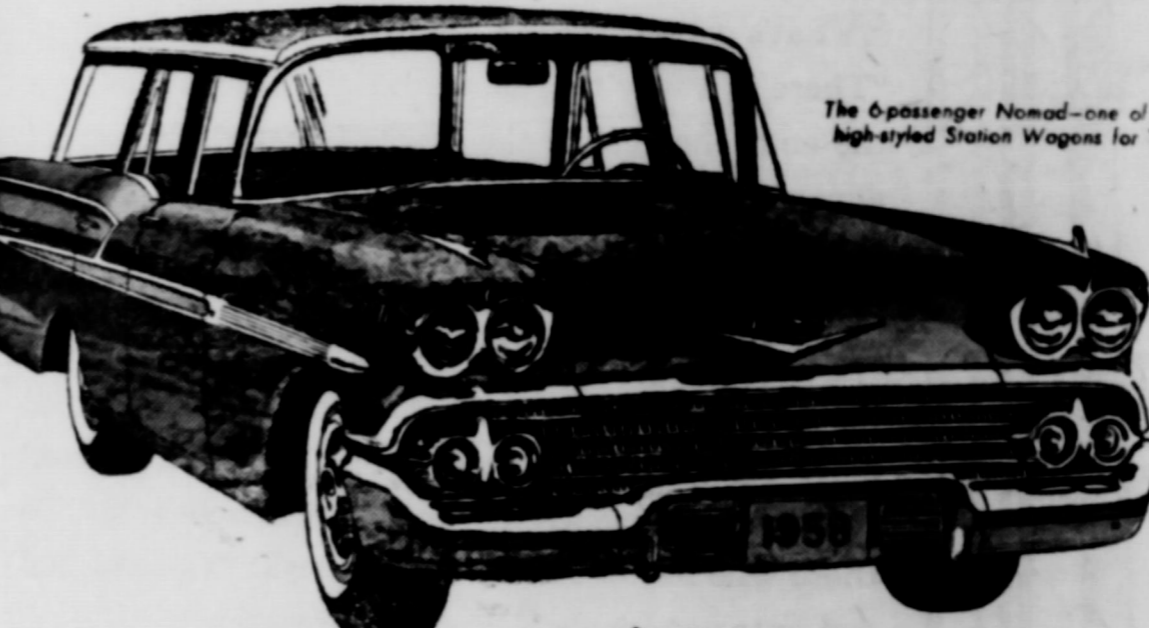
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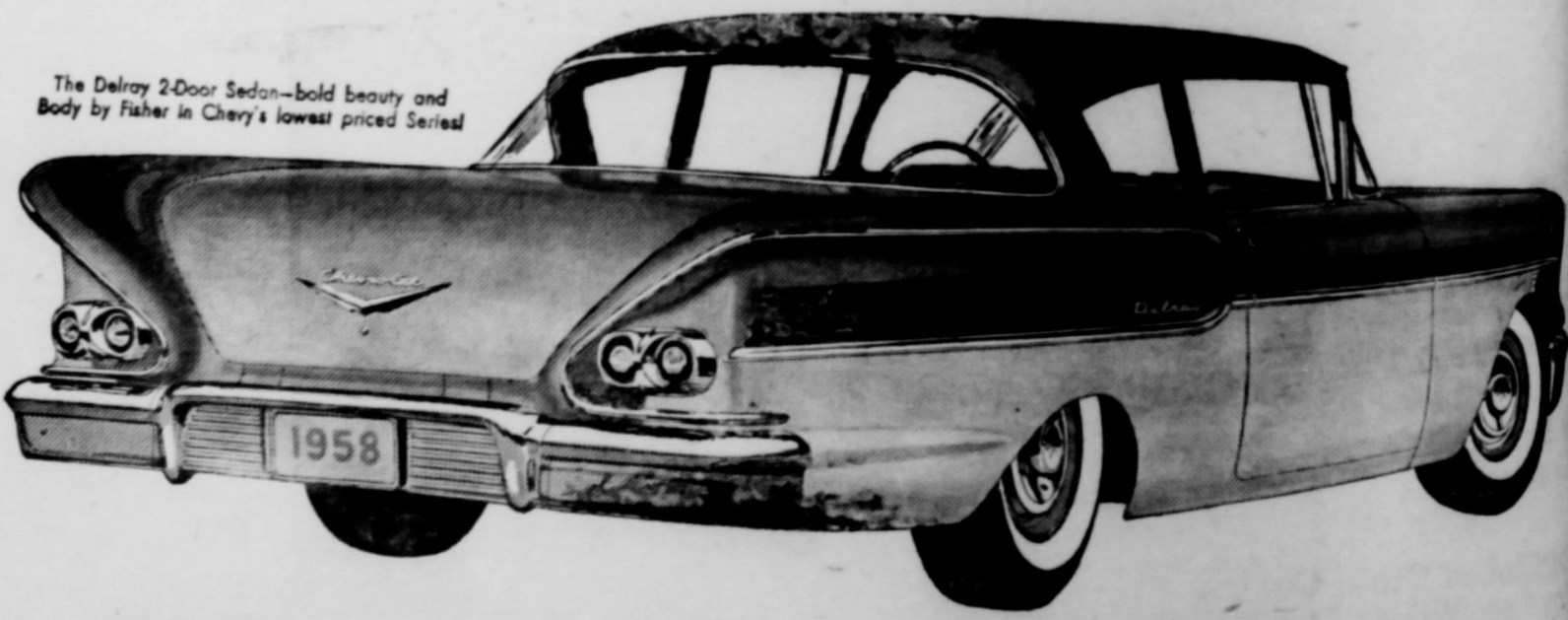
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The Delray 2-Door Sedan—bold beauty and body by Fisher in Chevy's lowest priced Series!

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Economy never looked like this or performed like this before. But now look what the '58 Chevrolet offers you—even in the lowest priced Delray Series you see illustrated here.

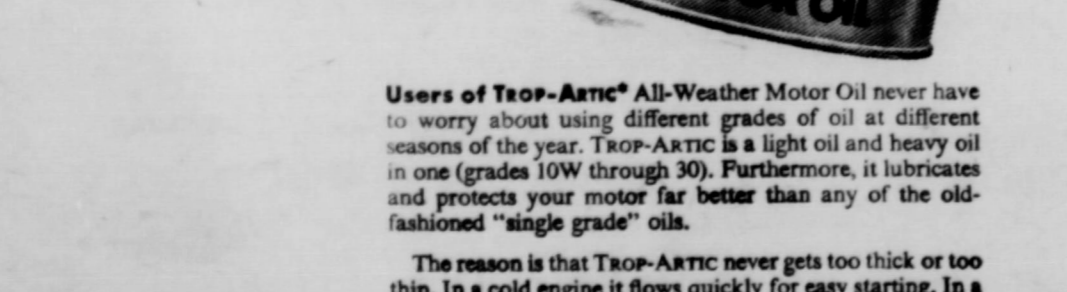
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You'll do better to protect your motor with this one all-weather oil than to change from heavy oil to light oil according to the season.



Users of Trop-Artic* All-Weather Motor Oil never have to worry about using different grades of oil at different seasons of the year. TROP-ARTIC is a light oil and heavy oil in one (grades 10W through 30). Furthermore, it lubricates and protects your motor far better than any of the old-fashioned "single grade" oils.

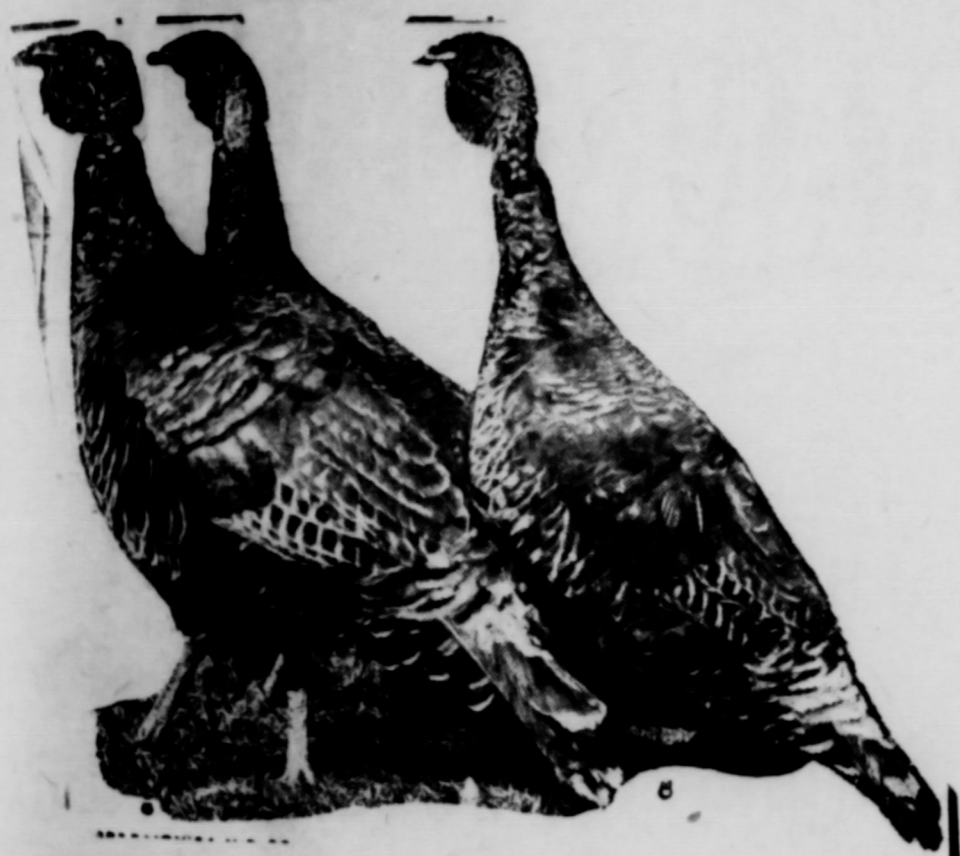
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THANKSGIVING AND FAITH

The Pilgrims who founded our nation worshiped union. Thanksgiving is a time for renewing our faith in God and the spiritual values of life which are essential in these times.

The Pilgrims who founded our nation worshiped in the wilderness on the first Thanksgiving, giving thanks to God for His blessings. Meager blessings they were, but plenty for which to be thankful. Today, we must live up to the faith of our forefathers. We give thanks for material things, for freedom, but above all, for the privilege of worship.

LIVE UP TO YOUR FAITH

As always, we close our Thanksgiving message with our personal thanks for your patronage during the years we have been in Hansford County.

WE EMPHASIZE OUR THANKS AT THIS THANKSGIVING SEASON

To our many friends and customers who have been so sympathetic and considerate with us as result of the fire that destroyed our elevator. Your cooperation and patience has been a REAL tribute to friendship and citizenship.

We are happy to announce that our rebuilding program has progressed to where we can resume NORMAL BUSINESS. We are in a position to purchase grain, and accept it for storage or shipment to termin-



save hundreds of dollars. We believe both stockholders and others have derived a great benefit from the cooperative system that enables our business to lead the field in QUALITY merchandise at the lowest possible prices.

CONSUMERS SALES COMPANY
YOUR FARM-OWNED COMPANY
Spearman, Texas

One Of Seven Texas Over 65 Years Of Age

College Station — November 26. As the number of older persons in the population increases, the needs of the "senior citizens" in towns and in rural communities are of growing interest, says Reagan Brown, extension rural sociologist.

Texas now has one half million persons over 65 years of age. This represents one out of seven or about 7 per cent of the total population. In rural areas, the percentage is even higher, Brown says.

Research shows that older folks want to live as independently as possible. They prefer to live in familiar surroundings near their friends and associates. They prefer to be near married children or grandchildren but not to live with them. Elderly persons like to be where they can watch adults work and children play, rather than being only with other aged people.

Most older farm people like rural surroundings with open spaces, according to Brown, a place for animals, a chance to watch gardens or crops grow. But they don't want to be isolated. They want to be able to walk or drive, to go shopping, to go to church or other meetings, see friends and relatives, have help if needed and be outdoors when weather permits.

They want a house with various safety features... a 1 floor plan with few steps to the outside. They favor a house safe from fire and falls, with no slippery floors, no loose or sliding rugs, safe bathtubs, showers with convenient handholds, faucets easy to reach and use and rubber mats to prevent slipping.

Don J. Wiggins Earns Navy Rank

NEWPORT, R. I. (FHTNC) — Graduated from a seven-week course Nov. 1, at the Naval Base, Newport, R. I., was Ensign Don J. Wiggins, of Gruver, Texas, who has been assigned to the Naval Supply Corps School, Athens, Ga. Graduates of the course are career specialists in the Navy who were selected to be commissioned from the ranks.

Richard Melton On Board USS Cowell

WESTERN PACIFIC (FHTNC) — Richard M. Melton, fire control technician second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff M. Melton of Box 475, Spearman, Texas, is serving aboard the destroyer USS Cowell operating with the U. S. Seventh Fleet in the Western Pacific. Since leaving her homeport in July, the Cowell has been engaged in fleet operations. Before returning to Long Beach, Calif., in time for Christmas, her crew will visit Hong Kong, ports in Japan, and Honolulu.

FOR RENT—3 bed room house near McKibben Elevator. Paved. REA. Butans, School Bus. Mary Gillispie Phone 2011 Pritch, Texas or Jack Gillispie, Morse, Texas. No. 52 24-c

FOR SALE—1957 Bel Aire Chevy, 9,000 miles. Heater, white walls, power glide V-8. Can be seen at Corner 2nd and Dresden St. No. 51 14-p

FOR SALE—Equity in 1957 Trailer house, 10 Ft. wide. Also 1954 Chevrolet Pick-up. Caro Trailer Court, Spearman. No. 51 14-p

FOR SALE—Fat hogs. See Mrs. Pool, 7 miles East, 1 mile South of Spearman. No. 51 24-c

FOR RENT—Two bedroom House trailer. Modern. Call OL 9-6536. No. 51 14-c

FOR SALE—Crosley Car. Practically new motor. Good tires. Jesse Burke, 514 S. Barkley, Spearman. No. 51 24-p

FOR SALE—1951 Chevrolet Surburban Louise Holmes, 20 So. Dresden. No. 51 14-p

HAMMOND SPINET ORGAN—Reposessed Hammond Spinet Organ in perfect condition available for sale in your community. Will guarantee like new. Terms available up to 36 months. Write or call 2165 NOV 23 Mat Page 23

PIANO SALE—Annual fall piano sale now in progress. Pianos offered at huge savings. Make your Christmas purchase now. If inconvenient to drive to Garden City, take advantage of our display coach service by wiring us. Our representative will call on you at no obligation. Clark Music Co. 409 No. 8th St. Garden City, Ks. Phone 7362. No. 49 34-c

LIMITED — number of openings for police officers and two registered nurses. Age 21 to 35. Good salary. Excellent annual sick and holiday benefits. Rigid mental, physical and character investigation. Contact Amarillo Police Department, 609 Pierce St. Amarillo, Texas, between 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. Monday through Saturday. 48-41-c

WANTED — Desk with locking drawers. Call Mrs. Milton Brown, OL 9-4396. No. 50 34-c

Over 20,000 Arthritis and Rheumatic sufferers have taken this medicine since it has been on the market. It is inexpensive, can be taken in the home. For Free information, give name and address to P. O. Box 522, Hot Springs, Arkansas. No. 44 runs 9 times-c

FOR SALE — Modern 41 Ft. trailer house. Terms can be arranged. Enquire at Charlie's Grill. No. 49-41-c

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WOMEN interested in working as Nurses Aids apply to Mrs. O. C. Penn at Hansford County Hospital. No. 50-21-c

FOR SALE—Light baking hens \$1.00 each. Mrs. W. O. Groves. Phone OL 9-5466. 50 21-p

GET YOUR—1958 Safety Sticker Now. Pettitt Garage, Spearman, Texas. No. 42 rtm

LOST — Twenty-five feet of gasoline hose. Will pay reward for return to McGibbon Oil Company Perryton, Texas

WE ARE — Experts in installing linoleums. Let us figure your next job. Free estimates. We do cabinet tops, floor linoleums, cove walls. We stock linoleums up to 12' wide, sink frames, metal tins etc. DALEY'S IN PERRYTON No. 27 rtm

ALCOHOLIC — If liquor is your problem and you sincerely want help to quit write Alcoholic Anonymous, box 513, Spearman. No fees, no pledges, no pills. No. 36 rtm

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BARGAINS in house trailers. New Trailers up to 51 feet. Five year financing, bank rates. Some used ones. Best Teller Sales Pampa and Perryton, Texas. No. 4 rtm

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Hansford County V. P. W. POST NO. 6387 Regular Meeting Nights 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each Month

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NOVEMBER 28th.

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**Don't
Name It**

You know I was nearly beginning to gripe because I had to miss the Televised football game between Baylor and SMU. We have really had to work hard this week and think we have a pretty fair Thanksgiving advertising issue of the Reporter to be thankful for. I don't recon there ever was a newspaper man as fortunate as the country editor. I sold every one of the big adds over the telephone. It was so cold and I was pressed for time—so just phoned my merchants and read them the add and they all bought what I ask for. Otherwise we could not have printed this 12 page paper in two days less than the usual week. THANKS merchants.

We have not been able to get as much news as we would like. Normally we start getting in the news on Tuesday, and this Tuesday we had to print the paper.

This issue of the newspaper will end 49 years of continuous publication of the Reporter. Next week the newspaper will be 50 years old. We had planned for a number of years to publish a real historical issue of the paper on our fiftieth birthday, but we are not able to take care of the regular business that comes our way. We have abandoned any idea of a special issue next week.

We hope we can carry a feature story about the newspaper in our Christmas Greeting issue to be printed the third week in December. This writer has been manager of the newspaper since April 1931. We have been the skipper half the life of the newspaper. However, we believe some of the Old Timers like J. B. Buchanan, deceased, and Oran Kelly, deceased really deserve the credit for keeping the newspaper coming to the homes in this area. They really had problems, and it took a lot of determination and more work to publish a weekly newspaper during their tenure of office than it does now.

Which reminds me of what I started out to write. I have grown soft with the rest of the generation, and was really thin-

king I was making a sacrifice to miss my favorite Televised football telecast. That would give our famous Old Tack, Oran Kelly and lots of other old timers a big laugh. Those boys did not consider a 60 hour week any sort of imposition, and for that matter I have put in 60 hours a week for a good many years of the time I have owned and managed the Spearman Reporter.

The Reporter started this month with a 70 cent an inch display advertising rate. This is only 20 cents an inch more than we charged back in 1931 when the country editor first moved to Spearman. The rate at Spearman is less than the average rate of newspapers with the approximate circulation of this newspaper. We understand the Panhandle paper charges 70c an inch, and the Canadian paper 70c to 80c it is virtually impossible to procure an inch. The facts are that duce display advertising at less than 70 cents an inch and make even a narrow margin of profits. We face a big problem here. We cannot employ help because there is not a place for a family to live. When and if we can get the right man, we plan to help him finance the building of a home. That is the only way the Baptist church could employ an educational director. That will be a problem the school board will face in the near future. The board already owns an apartment house and we predict they will have to build more housing in the future or give teaching contracts that will justify teachers to build their own homes in Spearman.

Just learned from Judge Lee that Hansford county has been allotted \$400,000. state funds to widen the highway from highway 15 north to Grover. Also the main highway 15 will be widened from Sunnnett to Spearman. You had better check on this as we will have the story on the front page, and I have not picked up all the detail from Judge Lee.

RESPONSIBLE PERSON — male or female, from this area, wanted to service and collect from automatic vending machines. No selling. Age not essential. Car, references, and \$700 working capital necessary. 7 to 12 hours weekly nets to \$250 monthly. Possibility full time work. For local interview give full particulars, phone. Write P. O. Box 4872 Dallas 6, Texas. No. 51 1-t-p

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THURSDAY NOVEMBER 28th

IS HERE —

It gives this business an opportunity to pause and invoice of our many blessings —

Of Course the most apparent blessing to us is our opportunity to serve the finest people in the world —

And we would indeed be ungrateful unless we express our thanks to you for your patronage and cooperation.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Hansford County

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements

Fund	Balance August 1	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance Nov. 1
Jury	\$11,427.41	\$00 164.77	\$05 219.54	\$06 372.64
General	14,568.86	16,297.61	24,191.73	06,874.74
Courthouse & Jail	25,993.50	01,505.61	14,890.24	12,838.87
Cemetery	282.63	00 021.97		304.60
Hospital	3,650.46	23,810.90	18,976.02	01,184.42
Road & Bridge, General:				
Precinct No. 1	10,737.92	07,529.68	09,449.74	08,817.86
Precinct No. 2	7,953.61	05,912.89	09,751.33	04,115.17
Precinct No. 3	8,778.63	06,369.78	13,143.61	02,004.80
Precinct No. 4	3,263.67	06,097.40	07,258.84	02,102.07
Road & Bridge, Sinking:				
Precinct No. 1	695.99	00 024.00		720.89
Precinct No. 2	823.25	00 026.27	01,231.00	00 000.00
Spearman Independent Road District No. 1, Sinking	24,884.30	00 371.54	00 177.58	25,278.26
Road Dist. No. 2, Sinking	32,656.01	00 012.65	00 283.37	32,395.29
Road Dist. No. 3, Sinking	25,324.17	00 034.33	04,829.20	20,466.30
Road Dist. No. 4, Sinking	20,649.31	00 198.06	02,832.61	18,014.76
Spearman Independent Road District Bond Account		35,035.33	34,190.05	00 845.28
Wind Erosion	414.64			414.64
Social Security	963.14	00 716.95	01,438.04	00 242.05

RECONCILIATION WITH DEPOSITORY BANK

October 31, 1957

Fund	Bank Balance	Outstanding Checks	Book Balance
Jury	\$ 6,460.82	\$ 0,088.18	\$ 6,372.64
General	7,747.66	1,072.29	6,674.74
Courthouse & Jail	12,838.87		12,838.87
Cemetery	304.60		304.60
Hospital	2,063.64	0 879.22	1,184.42
Road & Bridge, General:			
Precinct No. 1	9,291.82	0 473.96	8,817.86
Precinct No. 2	4,402.34	0 287.17	4,115.17
Precinct No. 3	2,065.71	00 960.91	2,004.80
Precinct No. 4	2,115.48	00 013.41	2,102.07
Road & Bridge, Sinking:			
Precinct No. 1	720.89		720.89
Precinct No. 2	0.00		0.00
Spearman Independent Road District No. 1, Sinking	25,455.84	00 177.58	25,278.26
Road Dist. No. 2, Sinking	32,668.66	00 283.37	32,385.29
Road Dist. No. 3, Sinking	32,727.40	0 261.10	20,466.30
Road Dist. No. 4, Sinking	18,180.72	0 165.96	18,014.76
Spearman Independent Road Bond Account	845.28		845.28
Wind Erosion	414.64		414.64
Social Security	242.05		242.05
TOTAL	\$146,546.42	\$3,763.78	\$142,782.64

OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

October 31, 1957

Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrant, Series 1948	\$ 1,000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1950	10,000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1951	16,000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1951	3,000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1951	4,000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1953	4,000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1954	3,750.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1954	1,833.33
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1954	6,700.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1954	1,833.33
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1956	9,000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Time Warrants, Series 1957	6,000.00
Hansford County Spearman Independent Road District No. 1 Bonds Series 1930 (State pays 45.43% this issue County portion paid)	6,000.00
Hansford County Spearman Independent Road District No. 1, Bond Series 1931 (State pays 100 per cent this issue)	6,000.00
Hansford County Spearman Independent Road District No. 1, Bonds Series 1948	56,000.00
Hansford County Commissioners Prec. No. 2, Bonds, Series 1948	75,000.00
Hansford County Road District No. 4, Road Bonds, Series 1948	152,000.00
Hansford County Road District No. 3, Rd. Bonds, Series 1948	180,000.00
Hansford County Road District No. 3, Rd. Bonds, Series 1951	104,000.00
Hansford County Hospital Bond, Series 1952	30,000.00
TOTAL	682,118.68



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Look what the beautiful new Delray models do for your dollars! They're the lowest priced of all the low-priced Chevrolets. But they're long, low and loaded just the same. A full nine inches longer, dramatically lower, and

loaded with new things that make driving happier and riding smoother.

Just try one! Power ranges from the budget-minded 145-h.p. Blue-Flame 6 to Chevy's radical 280-h.p. Super Turbo-Thrust V8.* Delrays, like other models, have a new Full Coil suspension—a softer, road-leveling ride. You can have a real air ride* to make the going even smoother—and Overdrive* to make it even thrifter. See all that's new at your Chevrolet dealer's. *Optional at extra cost

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In the name of the living and the dead
And of those unborn—Lord, Bless the bread
Of brotherhood that now we break
In gratitude for thy sweet sake
In the name of the living—we thank Thee, Lord
From deliverance from flame and sword
For loved ones spared; For the task well done;
For the battles fought - and the victory won
In the name of the dead—Locked deep in sleep
Under Alien earth—Give us strength to keep
Untarnished their dear bought legacy,
The brave, bright armor of Liberty
And for those unborn Lord, We lift a prayer
For a wiser world where we all may share
A lasting Amity with men.
We thank the Lord, for P E A C E. Amen

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 28th.

Finds your own FARMER OWNED Cooperative business welcoming this opportunity to express Thanks to the fine people of this area for their PATRONAGE and COOPERATION.

The word COOPERATION has meant a great deal in the establishment and expansion of our nation—The original settlers of America developed a most efficient and effective COOPERATION. Without COOPERATION they could not have enjoyed the ordinary benefits of life. They cooperated in building their homes, in protecting their homes from Indians and establishing the background for the gigantic business operations of the present time.

In the case of your own cooperative organization we feel that we have pioneered in the field that is saving and ranch people of this area countless hundreds of dollars. We believe that our customers, both stockholders and others have derived much profit from the cooperative system that enables your own business to lead the field in QUALITY merchandise at the lowest possible prices.

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YOUR FARM-OWNED COMPANY
Spearman, Texas

Experiment Station
Developed Small
Grain Varieties Add
To Texas Farm
Income

College Station, November—Plant breeders of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station have for many years been developing and releasing improved varieties of small grains for use in Texas. These varieties have enabled Texas producers to increase both their grain and forage production from small grain crops.

The value of these new varieties to the agricultural economy of Texas is shown by a recent survey made by Extension Agronomist R. J. Hodges and Dr. I. M. Atkins, agronomist in charge of small grain for the Experiment Station. County agents reported to the agronomists that 70.5 percent of the Texas wheat acreage last year was planted to such improved varieties as Comanche, Wichita, Westar, Concho and Quannah. Only 3.3 percent of the acreage was seeded to the blackhull group which is less desirable from a quality standpoint, but was once very popular in the state.

Hodges points out that a new variety is only of value when used by farmers. As an example of the value of a new variety, he says 559,000 acres last year was planted to Westar. For several years this variety, at Amarillo and Chillicothe, outyielded the once popular Turkey variety by at least two bushels an acre. This variety alone was responsible for increasing the total wheat yield in Texas last year by more than a million bushels.

Three Experiment Station oat variety releases, New Nortex in 1936, Mustang in 1950 and Almo in 1954 accounted for more than half of last year's oat acreage of almost 3 million acres. These varieties were developed especially for Texas conditions and have resulted in both increased grain and forage yields. At Tyler each dollar spent to produce oat grazing returned a net of \$3.75 or \$44 an acre.

Cordova barley, released a few years ago, occupied 49 percent of the 370,234 acres seeded to barley in Texas last year. It has outyielded Tennessee Winter by an average of 8.1 bushels an acre. Goliad, a variety developed for south Texas conditions, is disease resistant and a heavy forage producer. When not injured by late winter freezes, it also produces good grain yields. Hodges says the plant breeders are working continuously to develop even better varieties in order to meet the needs of an ever-changing agriculture.



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MYSTERY FARM THIS WEEK IS THAT OF MR. AND MRS. LYNN DAVIS

The mystery farm pictured above, is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Davis, located 2 miles South of Morse, Texas. Mrs. Davis is the former Martha Blankenship of Morse, and she and Lynn were married in August. Both of them went to school in Morse, and Lynn graduated in 1952. Martha Graduated a year

later, we believe.

Lynn is farming 646 acres of farm land on this place, and counting his grass land, he has 1200 acres in all. The home pictured above is a 2 bedroom home, plus bunk house, good corrals, barns and outstanding facilities for handling cattle.

Lynn was an outstanding basketball player while in school, and played on the teams of Morse and 52, when Morse had some of the finest basketball teams in the school history.

The Davis's go to the Methodist Church and are members of the farm Bureau.

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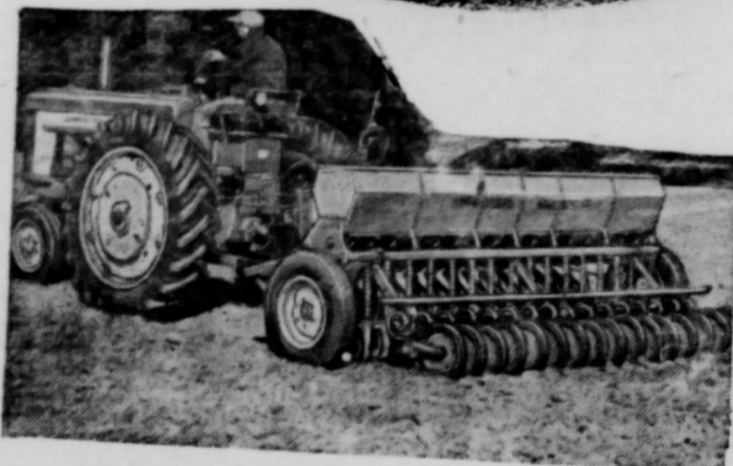
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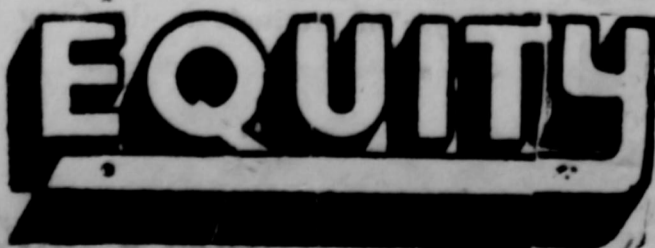
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Social Security News

The Amarillo Social Security Office, together with 557 other District Offices of the Social Security Administration, is cooperating with farm and business industries in the nationwide observance of Farm-City Week, John R. Sanderson, District Manager, announced today.

Since the objection of National Farm-City Week (November 22-28) is to stress the interrelation of rural and urban peoples, Sanderson said that the Social Security Administration will emphasize the "oneness" of its old-age, survivors, and disability program.

"Some people do not fully understand that the social security program is the same for the farmer and for the city persons," Sanderson said. "Many farmers still think that old-age survivors, and disability insurance for them, and their families is a distinct and separate program from the social security program for city folks. Some believe erroneously, that when they reach retirement age they just have to apply at their social security district office for 'farmers' benefits and then go right on with their farming activities," he declared.

As a possible reason for this misunderstanding, may be that the social security law does contain a few special provisions for farmers in recognition of the fact that farmers in many ways from the operation of other business enterprises. These provisions relate to the way self-employed farmers are permitted to figure their net earnings for social security purposes if their gross farm income is not more than \$1,800 and their net is less than \$1,200; also, the manner in which farm rental income received from a tenant or share-farmer can count for social security credit if the farm landlord "materially participates" in the operation on the land he rents out.

These special provisions for farm operators, however, have nothing to do with the type of social security benefits payable or work eligibility for benefits. Farmers and their families qualify for these Federal insurance payments based on a farmer's work under social security just like millions of city workers who are employed or self-employed in offices, factories, mercantile enterprises or covered professions in urban areas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO ALL PERSONS AND PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE WELFARE AND ESTATE OF HAYNES DOUGLAS, A NON COMPOS MENTIS:

You and each of you are hereby cited, required and commanded to appear before the county court of Hansford county, Texas, to be held in the county court room in the courthouse of said county in the City of Spearman, Texas, in said county, such appearance to be at or before ten o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days from the date of service, exclusive of the day of such service, which day and date of service shall be the date of publication that this newspaper bears, and which day of appearance will be the 2nd day of December, 1957, and contest, by filing written answer of contest, if they or any of them see proper to do so, a verified account and application to be discharged as guardian of the person and estate of Haynes Douglas, a non compos mentis, filed in the county court of Hansford County, Texas, on November 19, 1957, by Oscar McLeod, Guardian of the person and estate of Haynes Douglas, a non compos mentis, the sanity of the said Haynes Douglas having been duly restored by court order, and the nature of which is an account for final settlement of his estate and application to be discharged as such guardian, and is now pending there, in a probate proceeding on the docket of said court styled Guardianship of Haynes Douglas, a person of unsound mind, the file number of which account and the docket number of which proceeding is 645, which account and application will at such 10 o'clock hour, on such day, and at such place be considered by the court.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court at or before such hour on the first Monday after such service is perfected, which will be the said 2 day of December, 1957, this citation with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, FRED J. HOSKINS, Clerk of the County Court of Hansford County, Texas.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT at office in Spearman, Texas, this 19th day of November, 1957.

FRED J. HOSKINS
Clerk of the County Court of Hansford County, Texas.
(SEAL)
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Stella Hughes, Widow of Chester R. Hughes, and her unknown husband, if she be married, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of the said Chester R. Hughes, and wife, Stella Hughes, if she be now deceased; Billy C. R. Hughes, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of the said Billy C. R. Hughes, if he be now deceased, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of Foster B. Hughes, Defendants. GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Hansford County, at or before 10:00 A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, being the 7 day of November, 1957, then and there to answer the Plaintiff's petition filed in said court on the 7 day of November, 1957, in this cause No. 887 on the docket of said court wherein R. A. Carson is plaintiff and Clyde Crindell Hughes and Carl L. Hughes, Spearman, Hansford County, Texas; Jack Herman Hughes, Wichita Falls, Texas; Lester Prentice Hughes, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Billie C. R. Hughes, residence being unknown, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of the said Billie C. R. Hughes, if he be now deceased; Fern Amanda Boehme and husband, Eric Boehme, New Orleans, Louisiana; Lorene Jerome Rogers and husband, Loyd Rogers, New Orleans, Louisiana; Maxie May Roberts and husband, Paul Roberts, Corpus Christi, Texas; Ruby Rea Bayless and husband, Tommie Bayless, Elk City, Oklahoma; May Hughes, widow of Foster B. Hughes, deceased, a single woman, Berger, Texas, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of the said Foster B. Hughes; and Stella Hughes, widow of Chester R. Hughes, deceased, residence being unknown, and the unknown husband if she be married and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of said Chester R. Hughes and wife, Stella Hughes, if she now be deceased, are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: A suit in trespass to try title for rents, damages, removal of

cloud, writ of restitution and possession, general and special relief, in law and equity of and concerning All of Lot Number Eleven (11), in Block 38, Original Townsite of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, as shown by recorded plat of said town in Volume 25, page 1, Deed Records of Hansford County, Texas, to which reference is here made; Plaintiff alleging statutory trespass to try title; three, five and ten year statutes of limitation and holding under a registered deed for more than three and five years; and payment of taxes during such period; as more fully shown by Plaintiff's petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs. If this citation is not served within 90 days from issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court, at office, in Spearman, Texas, this 7 day of November, 1957.
(SEAL) Fred J. Hoskins
Clerk of the District Court of Hansford County, Texas.
No. 50-41-c

TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF MARY GRAHAM, DECEASED

You and each of you are notified that on November 11th, 1957, Tom Graham was appointed the Independent Executor of the estate of Mary Graham, deceased, by the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, and on the same date Letters Testamentary were issued to him.

You are therefore notified to present all claims you hold against said Estate to me at:

TOM GRAHAM
Box 35
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within the time prescribed by law.

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Independent Executor of the Estate of Mary Graham, deceased
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Lynx End Season With 5 Wins And 4 Losses

The Spearman Lynx brought to a close last Friday night their most successful season in many years. The Lynx had 5 wins out of 9 games and the worst licking the Lynx took was a 26-7 decision to the Darrouzett Longhorns.

Darrouzett, Groom, and Stratford tied for top honors in the district as each team had one conference loss. The Lynx finished second in the district due to this three way tie. Groom will represent the district in bi-district play as they won the toss for that honor.

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Below is the scores of the hard fighting Lynx:

Spearman 7	Gruver 2
Spearman 0	Sunray 14
Spearman 7	Stratford 13
Spearman 37	Texline 20
Spearman 40	Vega 0
Spearman 13	Groom 26
Spearman 26	Claude 7
Spearman 7	Darrouzette 26
Spearman 28	Follett 25

Thus, the Lynx rolled up 165 points to the oppositions 133.

Five Senior will be lost by way of graduation from the "A" squad. They are: James Weaver and Kenneth Townsend, ends. Gene Stephens, guard. Buddy King, quarterback, and Robert Spoonmoore, fullback.

Finding another end will be the biggest chore for next season. Jerry Mitts held down one of the positions part of the time this season and will be ready for the job full time next year. Jerry played full time as a defensive end next year. Mike Holt will fill the shoes of Gene Stephens, as will Bob Meek or Danny Kingsley, those of Spoonmoore. Buddy King alternated at the QB position with Sam Cornelius this year, so that job will be nothing new for Sam in '58.

The Lynx prospects for next year look pretty bright. This year the team had 8 lettermen to build around, and next year they will have 12. This term, 4 seniors, 4 Juniors, and three freshmen. Bob Meek, sophomore, played a lot at all positions in the backfield, but missed many quarters due to illness and injury.

The coaches of the Lynx, Roy Pennington, James Pendergraft, and Easton Wall, would like to express their appreciation to the many loyal followers of the Spearman crew. They have really appreciated the interest of the Touchdown Club who were responsible for filming 5 of the games this year. The films have been a great aid to the coaching staff and to the team.

Next year the Lynx will be in district 1-A with Stinnett, Gruver, Sunray, and Stratford. Of the four conference games to be played, two of the non-conference games have not been scheduled as yet.

Small grain varieties developed and released by plant breeders of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station during recent years have enabled Texas farmers to increase both grain and

forage production from small grain crops. Extension Agronomist R. J. Hodges reports that 70.5 percent of the State's wheat acreage last year was planted to such improved varieties as Comanche, Wichita, estar, Concho and Quanah.

One-fourth the population today is troubled with water shortage, poor water, or both, reports the Soil Conservation Service of the USDA. The potential supply of water remains constant while the need, which is expected to double by 1975, increases with growing population. Industry and irrigation are by far the largest users.

Winterizing the home can cut fuel bills and add to the winter comfort of the family. W. S. Allen, agricultural engineer, says a good place to start the job is with the doors and windows. The addition of weather stripping to these exposed outside openings will reduce heat losses. Insulating the attic is a heat saving practice and next summer the insulation will keep the house cooler.

F. B. I. head indicts adult community for juvenile delinquency.

Men may live to be 150 years old in the future, according to Dr. Edward L. Bortz, former president of the American Medical Association.

West Germany has rejected as "unjustified" Soviet demands that it renounce atomic weapons.

ABUNDANT LIFE

BY ORAL ROBERTS

SUCCESS CAN BE A HABIT

Have you noticed that there are some people who seem to have the habit of succeeding in whatever they do? In fact, each success seems to lead to another success, and that success seems to make the next achievement easier. Well, that is absolutely true. Success can become a habit and each one can make it easier to succeed again.

The Bible tells us, "Unto everyone that hath shall be given and he shall have abundance." The truth is that the man who succeeds carries with himself an inner assurance that he will succeed again. Each past success helps strengthen his confidence. I can think of only one exception to this rule. It is a man who became known as the Great Emancipator. Had he let his failures stop him, he would not have achieved the great successes in life that he did. Here are some of his failures, to mention only a few. Eight times he was defeated for public office; once he failed in business, he suffered a nervous breakdown, and for 23 years endured an unhappy marriage. Only did he enjoy success intermittently. But with every defeat or failure, he arose, dusted himself off, and tried again. At the end of the road his reward was waiting, for in 1860 he was elected president of the United States. His motto was: "With God's help, I cannot fail." That man was Abraham Lincoln, the Great Emancipator.

But others think along this line: "I've tried this once before but I failed. More than likely I will fail again." And there may be those who encourage them in this attitude by reminding them of their past failures.

Do not discuss your failures with others or let it come into your mind to even think of failing. First of all, decide on something that is good that you wish to do and by all means allow nothing, absolutely nothing to stop you. Then crown this success with another until you form the habit of succeeding.

I am reminded of a portion of a poem that has a simple but pungent message: If you come to a place that you can't go through, over or under, the thing to do is to find a way around this impassable wall. Don't say, "I'll go my way or not at all." If the mountains are high, go through the valley. If the streets are blocked, go up an alley. If the parlor car is crowded, don't scorn a freight. If the front door is locked, go around to the side gate. To reach your goal in life, this advice is good I've found. If you can't go over or under, go around. But with God's help, we can't go under for going over.

This is, however, a vital secret that you need to know. God wants you to be a winner and He will help you. Ask His guidance and He will give it. There is no way to fail if you trust Him. Remember, success is yours. You may climb the ladder one step at a time, but "success" can be a habit. You can do all things through Christ.

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Virgil Mathews, Busbie Sparks, In Hunt

In the area the hunters have been assigned to.
A. S. Jackson, chief wildlife biologist for the Panhandle has conducted hunts all planned out and the hunters will be sent to certain areas of the 5000 acre plus game refuge.
Of course upland game bird hunting is about the top in any kind of hunting but the ranch will probably conduct a supervised cottontail rabbit hunt later on in the autumn or winter. To many hunters rabbit hunting is one of the poorest sports but if the average hunter could eyeball some of the shooters as they swing into action on a scampering bunny hunters by the dozens will drive from as far away as Amarillo to enjoy a day spent hunting cottontails on the state refuge.
If and when their cottontail hunt is planned you will be notified in this column in sufficient time to make arrangements for the hunt.

Gruver W. S. C. S.

The Womens Society of Christian Service met in the Methodist church Thursday November 21, 1957.
Mrs. McClellan gave the devotional for her scripture reading she chose a few verses from Isaiah, Psalms and second Timothy, A song by the group "Oh For a Thousand Tongues To Sing".
Mrs. Glenn Truax gave our program for today, about Methodist student work.
Those giving parts on the program were Mrs. W. H. Willoughby, Mrs. A. Evans, Mrs. R. Murrell, Mrs. M. Barkley and Mrs. L. K. Garrett.
Mrs. Truax closed our meeting with prayer. Refreshments to the following Mesdames: de Piche, coffee and tea were served C. H. Winder, A. Bort, Glenn Truax, W. L. Harris, R. Murrell, W. H. Willoughby, A. Evans, L. K. Garrett, M. F. Barkley, Ted McClellan, Pat Holt, Ted Evans and H. M. Frazier.

Ed Corey Of Gruver

Published in the Lubbock daily paper was a picture of army ROTC award ribbons being pinned on Texas Tech students. The story stated "In the first panel Suzanne Eastwood, sweetheart of the Sam Houston students, presents ribbons to cadets J. M. Hogan, left, and B. E. Carry, both of Lubbock. The good conduct ribbons to cadets went to those men who maintained a B average and had not received any demerits in the preceding semester. Members of the Sam Houston Rifles earned their awards while in the best drill squad last spring.
B. E. Carry, now of Lubbock is Ed Carey formerly of Gruver. He and Kathy Truax were married in June in Gruver. She works at the Methodist hospital in Lubbock and he is a Sophomore at Tech. He is a Physics Engineer major and a Sergeant in the Sam Houston Rifles of the ROTC.
He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chase. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Truax of Gruver.

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Miracle Maize Weather Begins On Monday Of This Week!

Hansford county farmers, business men, and just about everyone is proud of the good weather we have had this week. Monday was the best Maize day we have had this year, and farmers were busy cutting the maize, which has been ready for several weeks. Despite the fact that a lot of maize has already fallen, most of the maize is still standing, and if we can just get a few more of these unbelievably pretty days, we can wind up this maize harvest. This hot sunshine is also good for the cattle and wheat pasture. There is ample moisture for the wheat for present, and with the releasing of all the soil bank wheat by the first of January, the county should have pasture for everyone. Cattle are beginning to be more numerous, and this should develop into a healthy situation for the cow men, and farmers too.

However, many cow men are still fearing a heavy snow cover for this winter. Already, we have had three hard snows this year. They didn't last too long, but the cow men haven't forgotten last year's April blizzard that killed so many cattle, and many are worried about another spell of snowy weather.

Take the advice of the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council and take a break from farm work in the mid-morning and mid-afternoon hours. This 10 or 15 minute break from work routine will reduce accident possibilities and also improve work efficiency.

Most areas of the state have enjoyed good rains, but good range grasses need help to stage a real comeback. A. H. Walker, extension specialist, suggests a program of resting or deferred grazing. For more information ask your county agent for a publication on deferred and rotation grazing.

Texas ranks first in the U. S. in total acreage planted to onions. A tremendously expanded onion-breeding program developed cooperatively by the Texas agricultural department experiment station and the U. S. department of agriculture has resulted in many new varieties and hybrids that in some instances have tripled the production of old varieties. Details are available in Bulletin 854. Ask your county agent for this bulletin.

ther were on their way to the funeral and were involved in an accident. Mr. Bayless was seriously injured. We do not have a report on his condition.

Squire Maupin has been in the hospital for treatment but is back at home recuperating.

The many friends of Isla Fae Dizier have been glad to see her this last week. She has been visiting her family here.

Lynda Kay McClellan will be home for Thanksgiving. She is in school at San Marcus, so has a long way to come. Other college students will be home, we will tell you about them next week.

There will be a Community Thanksgiving Service in the First Christian Church. All of the churches are co-operating. Rev. Campbell will be the preacher. The service will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Here is an interesting news item. Lieut. and Mrs. Lynn Hart have adopted a baby boy. Next week we will tell you all about it. We tried to call Mrs. Hart this morning but could not reach her. For details.

E. M. Trew, extension pasture specialist, advises farmers and cattlemen to rebuild hay stacks. Hay is an essential part of most successful and well rounded forage programs. When cows are grazing plants that are 80 to 85 percent moisture they do not get enough dry matter to satisfy their body requirements. Having plenty of good quality hay takes planning and work but it is like saving money in the bank.

Farmers are reminded by C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist, that they may now apply for a refund on the 3-cent Federal tax on gasoline used for farming. The refund claimed must be based on the quality of fuel used for farming purposes on individual farms and ranches during the period from July 1, 1956 to June 30, 1957.



This n' That Around Gruver

There is still much sickness around. Ralph Bort is ill at his home with pneumonia. If he is not improved by this afternoon it will be necessary to take him to the hospital.

We saw Eldon Cluck over in Cactus and he told his children were all sick, and was afraid his wife had appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vernon took Mrs. Vernon's mother Mrs. Boyd to visit relatives over in Okla.

Robert Alexander, Gene Woods and Gordon Stedje all attended the Farm Bureau meeting in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McClellan left here last week to attend funeral services for her brother who was killed in an accident. Her father Mr. Bayless and another bro-

Lynn Davis Mystery Farm Featured In Paper

The Mystery farm has been identified this week as the Lynn Davis farm. It was identified by Mrs. Eris Pittman, Jim Highsmith, Mrs. Pearl Dixon, Mrs. Robin Giblin, Elvogene Dixon and Mrs. A. E. Henderson. The winner of the free subscription is Perry Dixon.

A shower for pigs will pay during the hot weather months of the year. E. M. Regenbrecht, extension swine husbandman, says a no. 3 Tee Jet nozzle spraying as little as 2 1/2 gallons of water an hour will keep from 6 to 10 pigs comfortably cool all day without crowding. It's good management to keep livestock comfortable.

Because of widespread interest and requests for information on the subject of concrete irrigation pipe, a statewide conference on the subject has been called for July 18. The meeting, sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will be held in the Aggie Auditorium on the Texas Technological College Campus at Lubbock. Any person interested in problems relating to the installation of such systems are invited to attend. Meeting time is 9 a. m.

Weeds on ranges use from 6 to 8 times more water than do good native grasses, says G. O. Hoffman, extension range specialist, and he advises either mechanical or chemical control methods to keep weeds down. Ask your local county agent for publications on range management and weed control.

The first conference for Texas Livestock auction operators will be held at Texas A. & M. College on July 27.

Turkey and ice cream are the featured foods on the USDA's plentiful foods list. Both will get special promotion during the month — Mid Summer Turkey Time.

For the first time in seven years cattle numbers are down in the United States. The reduction is only 2 percent and the widespread drought, now breaking, is given by Extension Economist John McHaney as the major cause. No reduction was noted in either the South or Midwest but Texas showed a decline of 7 percent.

A deferred grazing system with properly used supplemental pastures is essential for maximum range recovery, advises A. H. Walker, extension range specialist. Perennial grasses are slow to recover and heavy grazing can hurt more now than during the drought periods, says the specialist. His advice—breed back into the livestock business instead of restocking by buying back. This method will give good range plants an opportunity to come back.

Debbey Reynolds has the role of daughter of Lana Turner in "Peyton Place." The role was originally offered to Susan Strasberg, but she wanted too much money.

Dina Merrill, one of the girls who appeared with Katherine Hepburn in "Desk Set," has been given a long-term contract by 20th Century Fox.

ABUNDANT LIFE BY ORAL ROBERTS



MIRACLES OF TODAY!

Are there no more miracles? Yes, just this last Summer God took a few handfuls of grain which farmers cast on their fields and fed the whole population of the world. He did this as easily as He took five loaves and fed the five thousand people while He was on earth. No miracles? Well, in the Autumn He changes the dews of the night and the showers of morning into beautiful fruits in the same manner that He once turned water into wine.

Many who read these lines seem powerless to believe in miracles. Life is so commonplace . . . each day is but the same old routine. But for those who believe, every day is a new opportunity to conquer through the power of faith in God.

A mother wrote this letter to me a short while ago: "Our little three-year-old daughter, Linda, had suffered for over a year from a rare kidney ailment. It finally was diagnosed as glomerulo nephritis, probably brought on by tonsil poisoning. She was swollen all over so that she couldn't wear her clothing and the bottoms of her feet were so round that she couldn't balance herself. In fact, the physician warned us that any type of exertion might cause her to drop dead at any moment. We prayed and asked others to pray for her, but somehow we fell short in our faith.

"Our doctor decided, with our permission, to experiment with injections of cortisone. These reduced the swelling and improved her condition generally, but ev-

ery time we tried to leave off the injections she immediately began to swell again. We took her to our minister. He told her that he would put his hands on her head and pray and God would make her well. He did pray for her and from that day forth she told everyone she was well.

"Within three weeks, we took her to the doctor for a monthly check-up. He was amazed to find that she was normal for the first time and asked what in the world we had been doing for her. When we told him that she was healed through the power of God, he said, 'Well, something certainly happened.'

"Today she is living a normal life and playing with other children as if she had never been sick. The doctors are impressed and say that no other similar case on record has ever shown the remarkable recovery that she has made."

The above account is, however, not a rare occurrence to people who believe that God is good. You see, you are His property . . . His dwelling place. He desires His house to be in first-class condition. He is able to keep it that way. Remember, He is a carpenter, a builder. He is also the Great Physician. You are His child. Would a physician forsake his own sick child? No! Then look to Him and believe in Him for your own healing.

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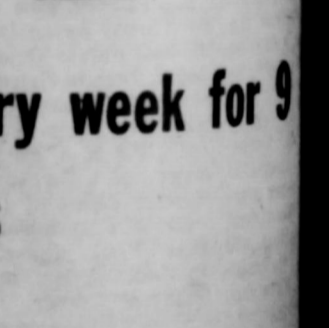
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ANSWER (Clues elsewhere in this edition)

SAMPLE "MONEY-AHEAD" FEATURES PUZZLE

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MYSTERY

This is another of the s many months. If you can r superior and you may re distribution as soon as r without for the next