

# The Spearman Reporter

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## Memorial Services Held At First Methodist Church Honoring The Memory of Eugene N. Richardson

Memorial services were held at the First Methodist church in Spearman, Friday, December 23rd at 2:00 P. M. honoring the life and memory of Eugene N. Richardson.

Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor of the Methodist church, read the opening prayer. Rev. Haynes also read the scripture lesson and gave obituary information.

Rev. J. B. Stewart, former pastor, brought the message of comfort and sympathy to the family, relatives and host of friends.

A mixed choir sang three favorite songs of the deceased.

Interment was at the Hansford Cemetery in charge of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: Bruce Sheets, Jesse Davis, Joe Day, H. C. Brillhart, Bill Hutton, Pope Gibner, Leonard Jameson and Russell Townsend.

Honorary Pallbearers were: Ed Mundy, Bill Sheets, Omar Cotter, John Berry, Virgil Matthews, Freeman Barkley, Dr. R. L. Kleeberger and Dr. Reese Nowlin.

Gene Richardson, a native son of Hansford county spent all but a few months of his life in this county. He was counted as one of the outstanding citizens of this area. Gene was a hard worker, very efficient in business, and a persistent and conscientious worker in his church and social work, and above all a kind and loving husband and careful, loving father.

**OBITUARY**  
Eugene Nolen Richardson, son of R. M. Richardson and wife, Fannie E. Richardson, was born near old Hansford, Hansford County, Texas, on August 30th, 1908, where he continued to reside until 1924, when he moved to Spearman with his mother. After his graduation from Spearman High School in 1928, he worked for a time in Amarillo, returning to Spearman in 1931, where he has since resided.

On November 28th, 1931, he was married to Zora Hodges, and to this union was born one daughter, Mary Frances.

He united with the Methodist Church at Spearman in early life and has served at various times as a member of the official board of the church.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, and had served that organization in its several offices. He was a Shriner, and a member of Khiva Temple, Amarillo.

He departed this life at Hansford Hospital, Spearman, Texas, on December 21, 1955, at the age of 47 years, 3 months and 22 days. He was pre-deceased by his father and mother, and one sister, Gladys Caldwell. He is survived by his wife and daughter of the home; two brothers, Alvino Richardson and J. R. Richardson, and one sister, Mrs. P. A. Lyon, all of Spearman; and a host of friends who are left to mourn his going.

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## Robert Karr Is Accident Victim

Robert Karr, 17 year old youth of Morse, was accidentally killed while hunting rabbits Christmas Eve. He was hunting with his brother Frank and two uncles, Leonard Short and Harold Storm. The accident occurred two miles East of Morse.

Storm dislodged a shell that had lodged in his 22 calibre rifle just as his nephew walked into the path of the discharged bullet. The bullet struck young Karr in the chest.

The hunting party placed Robert in their car and rushed him to Borger. The car stalled at Stinnett and they transferred the wounded boy to H. J. Stephens' car and rushed on to the North Plains hospital, where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

**WINNERS IN DEC. 23RD. DRAWING AT THE PANHANDLE FURNITURE MART**  
The 30 in. Frigidaire Electric Range was awarded to Mrs. Harvey Hudson.  
The David Crockett Bicycle was awarded H. E. McCauley.  
The Floor Lamp was given to Mrs. Bill Thorn.  
The chair went to Arlan Wembla.

## Othar Bruce Succumbs December 22

Othar Bruce died at his home here in Spearman on December 22 after a long illness. Othar was born Feb. 11, 1912.

Funeral services were conducted from the Union Church on December 24, 2:00 p. m. by Rev. Calvin Springer and Rev. Paul Bailey.

Pallbearers were: Kenneth Longley, Orville Fullbright, Jimmie Gilliam, Kenneth Bailey, J. M. Poole, Homer Martin, Dick Allison, Bernard Barnes.

Burial was in Hansford cemetery under direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Othar Bruce was born in Hill County Texas Feb. 11, 1912 and spent most of his life in this community. He and his family lived in Spearman approximately 15 years. He departed this life at the age of 43 years, 10 men and 11 days.

Survivors include his wife, Irene, one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Darby of Albuquerque, two sons: Duane, stationed in the air force at Del Rio, Texas, and Gale Leon, stationed with the Navy at Hutchinson Kansas, and two grand children, Jimmy Ray and Brenda Gale Darby. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bruce of this city, and two brothers: Henry Bruce of Albuquerque, and Tom Bruce of this city.

**KINDERGARTEN NEWS**  
The Kindergarten class, which is taught by Mrs. J. E. Womble, entertained their mothers on Thursday December 15.

First on the program was the story "The Birth of the Christ Child," told by the children, with the aid of pictures placed on the flannelgraph, and the singing of "Silent Night". Then each child, either individually or in groups had a little verse or recitation about Christmas. Then came the songs by the class which included "Are You Sleeping," "Tell Me Santa," "Upon The Housetop," "The Little Duck" and "Jingle Bells."

The class is grateful to Mrs. Colleen Shedeck and Mrs. Wanda Smith for the lovely cookies, which were served to all the children and their mothers.

Twenty mothers attended.

On Friday Dec. 16 the children came in laden with packages. They played games and sang songs then came the gift exchange from the tree, beautifully decorated by the children.

The class and Mrs. Womble appreciate the interest and cooperation of everyone who have helped. Mrs. Womble says, "Nearly two thousand years ago a child became the symbol of hope for the world. A star shown over the place where he lay. Today our children are still the symbol of hope; they keep alive the meaning of simple trust, of love, and of faith of natural goodness to others."

We who have the privilege of working with children, share the most precious possession of time. Surely there could be no greater gift.

I wish to extend to you and yours, the Season's Greeting, and a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. J. E. Womble

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Sam Patterson is the winner of a years subscription to the Spearman Reporter. He correctly identified the Mystery Farm in last weeks paper as that of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Windom.

Others sending in their guess included: Jean Hudson, Omar Sutton, Mrs. Don Kaunselman, Kenneth Bailey, Wayne Ellsworth, L. E. Wilbanks, Knox Pipkins and Mrs. Ruth Caro.

**WEATHER**

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Many Hansford county fans attended the game, and it was a thriller. Stinnett drove to the 1 yard line in the second quarter, faked a run over center, and threw a pass which was incomplete; had this been complete more than likely the game would have ended in a tie.

The Rattlers were outstanding, even in their loss, however, as they were out-weighted 29 pounds per man.

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## OSLO REPORTER

The new Reporter for the Oslo Community will be Adeline Dahl. She will turn in the news to the paper each week. The former reporter for this column was the Rev. J. P. Knutson. Miss Dahl is the daughter of Peter A. Dahl of Gruver, Texas.

## Lions Club Hold Business Meet.

Less than half the regular attendance was present for the noon luncheon of the Spearman Lions club held Tuesday noon at the Steakhouse. This was perhaps due to the holiday Monday.

In lieu of an entertainment Gibner discussed a few items of business. He announced that the Ladies Night would be held either January 17th or January 24.

Lion J. C. Harris of Gruver was a guest at the meeting and extended a cordial invitation to Spearman Lions to visit the Gruver club.

## Golden Spread Buddy Platoon Organized

The Marine Corps Recruiting Office in Amarillo has been authorized to enlist a "GOLDEN SPREAD BUDDY PLATOON" in the month of January 1956. This platoon will be made up of young men from the Panhandle of Texas and Oklahoma. This buddy system as it is called gives young men the opportunity of enlisting with a home town buddy and being assured of going through the entire recruit training period together and then being able to come home on their recruit leave at the same time.

The Marine Corps is now accepting men for three year enlistment instead of the old four year term in effect until Sept. 56.

Young men between the ages of seventeen through twenty-eight, unmarried, and who meet the high physical and mental standards of the U. S. Marines may be eligible for this group. Men interested in joining the "GOLDEN SPREAD BUDDY PLATOON" should contact the Marine Corps Recruiting office not later than 25 Jan. 56, as the platoon will leave Amarillo on 31 Jan. 56 for San Diego, California.

TSgt Glenn H. Smith NCO in Charge of the Recruiting office in Amarillo will visit Spearman on Thursday 12, Jan. 56 for interviews with men interested in this platoon. Sgt. Smith will be at the Post Office here from 11:00 A. M. till 2:00 P. M.

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(By Danny Kingsley)  
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## Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McLeod Have Host of Friends and Relatives At Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McLeod celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Monday Dec. 26th at the H. D. club house from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Their children were hostesses. Mrs. Edward Deer, grand daughter, registered 150 guests.

Kay Howell, a grand daughter presided at the coffee service. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod had their wedding license and the 1905 envelope, from County Judge E. C. Hays, office.

Another unusual and interesting item on display was a burnished gold sandwich server and dressing jar, which had been given to Mr. McLeod's parents when they celebrated their golden wedding in 1930. The set was sent to Mr. and Mrs. McLeod by his sister, Mrs. M. C. Heat of Klammath Falls, Oregon.

Mrs. McLeod came to the North Plains with her family, the Douglas' from Granite, Oklahoma in 1901. They settled on land about five miles south of Spearman.

Mr. McLeod came in 1904. He helped Chris Hancock drive a herd of cattle 200 miles from Oklahoma.

Oscar McLeod and Beulah Douglas attended school in the Lower community not far from the present city of Granite, Oklahoma. However, they had no idea a town would ever be there when they were barefoot sweethearts, which continued on in them being sweet sixteen sweeties and that led them eventually to the altar, interpreted in its broadest sense, marriage.

Their vows were exchanged in E. C. Hays Grocery Store, in old Hansford. They had planned to have the nuptial knot tied in the court house, but the night before they had danced all night at Chris Hancock's. When they left at sun up, they thought judge Yancy Grubbs would get back to Hansford by the time they did; but he went home with Hix Wilbanks and they had to wait till he opened up the court house. So it was 5 minutes till 12 when Judge Hays performed the ceremony.

Oscar had been terrible proud of old Red, his balking busy horse, for going on down the road. But when they left Hansford to head for their claim near Guymon, Red wouldn't budge. That is unless Oscar was leading him. Finally Oscar got him in a long trot and yelled back to his bride to give him rein and he would jump in when she passed him. Beulah had her doubts about Oscar making it safely, but she risked it and he surprised her.

The McLeods had their honeymoon in Guymon and Mrs. McLeod remembers how wonderful the batch of oranges were. The bride asked the bridegroom if he would get her all the oranges she wanted. Well yes he would, but he couldn't when they got to Guymon, with being out extra money for her Christmas present their license and they would have to buy a bill of groceries before they went to their claim 4 miles from Guymon. But Oscar kept Beulahs request in mind. March came in like a lion.

Oscar made a trip to Guymon and he reckons that wind took his hat clean off the cap rock, and it never brought a replacement along its way.

But its an ill wind that blows nobody good. That was the day Oscar got home with 12 bushels of oranges.

Womanlike - Beulah didn't say what he expected her to. Instead of 'oranges,' she said: 'Oscar McLeod where's your hat!' And he replied 'I traded it



College Station, Dec.—Pork, beef and grapefruit top the list of plentiful foods for January. The Bell Smith, extension specialist, in consumer education, says shoppers will find a wide variety of kinds and cuts of pork and beef to suit the taste and family budget. Fresh and cured pork will continue to be a good buy and all kinds of beef will be plentiful especially the high-grades.

Grapefruit is important in the daily diet for it is rich in vitamin C, a vitamin that everyone needs each day. Shoppers are also reminded by Miss Smith that oranges are a good buy as winter pears, oranges, potatoes, pinto beans and peanuts.

Eggs are on the plentiful list for the first time in several months and are an excellent source of several needed food elements.

If more calcium is needed in the diet, milk and other dairy products should be considered.

Rounding out the January list are canned tuna and the vegetable fats and oils. Food prices, says the specialist, will stay high in 1956. This means that homemakers will have to buy wisely and plan carefully to keep within the family food budget.

College Station, Dec.—The main marketing problem of the Texas wool growers is to prepare and classify his fleeces so that he can sell on a graded or quality basis.

Stanley P. Davis and L. P. Gabbard of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and A. B. Wooten of the Extension Service, authors of B-823, "Marketing Texas Wool on a Quality Basis," also says that the United States is the only wool-producing country which markets most of its wool on an ungraded basis.

As a result, foreign wools of similar quality, but graded and classified before sale, bring a premium of about 10 percent over U. S. wools in the domestic market.

These foreign wools, says the authors, are attractive and, as a result of the careful preparation, have a comparatively lower yarn conversion cost. They are free of tags, clippings and off-type wool, and are highly uniform in length, fineness and strength.

Comparative prices of graded and ungraded wool for 1948, 1952 and 1953 show that the grower who sold on a graded basis received 25 to 50 cents more per fleece for his wool than did the grower who sold on an ungraded basis. This is an increase of \$30,000 to \$50,000 per million pounds of wool.

Records of 73 producers whose wool was graded at the shearing pen in 1950 shows that the 28 producers who selected their sheep on a staple length basis received 5.8 cents more per pound than did the 47 producers who did not follow the practice. The benefits derived were about 50 cents per head, which more than paid, all shearing costs, including bags, twine and extra labor.

Copies of the complete study are available from the offices of local county agents or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

**Lone Star 4-H Club**

The Lone Star 4-H Club enjoyed the Christmas festivities with a party in the home of Mrs. I. R. Tompkins, Tuesday night December 20.

After a gift exchange, refreshments were served to 19 girls and guests, then skating was enjoyed at the Community Bldg.

Those enjoying the evening were Bertha Jane and Edith Entekin, Joe and Sue Sutherland, Mary Bess Brillhart, Shirley and Marilyn Beck, Sharon Novak, Karnes Crain, Judy Stump, Monet Washington, Thelma Groves, Myra Faye McNeely, Betty and Frances Whitson, Mrs. Jack Whitson, Mrs. J. R. Stump, Mrs. James Brillhart and June Gibbs.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Spearman, Texas

**SUNDAY:**  
9:45 A. M. Church School Bring The Family Or A Friend.  
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship Service - Sermon: "In New Pathways."  
6:00 P. M. Methodist Youth Fellowship Services.  
7:00 P. M. Evening Worship Service - Sermon: "Isaiah Greatest Hour"

**WEDNESDAY:**  
3:00 P. M. The Women's Society Of Christian Service Will Meet With Mrs. H. M. Shedeck.  
7:00 P. M. Mid-Week Service - Prayer Meeting.  
7:30 P. M. Choir Rehearsal.

Make 1956 the best year of your life attend Church each Sunday. Give God a chance. Come, Worship God with us.

Aubrey C. Haynes, Minister.

Surveys made last summer and fall show that almost 9 million acres of Northwest Texas rangelands are carrying from 14 to 100 grasshoppers per square yd. Counties in the central part of the state from the Red River to Gonzales and Guadalupe are also potential danger spots in 1956. Livestock producers and farmers are urged to watch the situation and be ready if an all-out control program is needed.

Marketing Texas Wool on A Quality Basis is the title of a new bulletin just released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension Information Office, College Station, Texas.

**Party Menu**

- CARTON OF SIX SEVEN-UP REALEMON 8 OZ. 23c
- LEMON JUICE REALEMON 46 OZ. CAN 25c
- ORANGE ADE SUNSHINE 10 OZ. BUTTER 19c
- COOKIES FIRESIDE KREAMY 14 OZ. 21c
- MARSHMALLOWS SHURFINE CHUNK-STYLE 23c
- TUNA FISH PLANTERS COCKTAIL 4 For \$1.
- PEANUTS HERSHEY'S 5c 29c
- CANDY BARS 3 For 10c

**Bakery Treats**



TENDER CRUST BREAD DELICIOUS TO EAT ECONOMICAL To serve

- Brown -N- Serve TENDERCRUST ROLLS pkg. 19c
- TENDERCRUST SWEET ROLLS pkg. 23c

LIBBY'S FROZEN TURKEY - 8 Oz.

**Pot Pie 23c**

Surfine Fresh Tall Can

**Blackeye PEAS 10c**



**Farm-Fresh Produce**

- Oranges LARGE SIZE 2 lbs 27c
- Celery GREEN CRISP lb 11c
- Apples FIRM - RED DELICIOUS 2 lbs 35c
- Cranberries EATMORE 1 lb. KKG 19c
- Potatoes 25 Lb. RED MCCLURE'S 69c

SHURFINE - 3 LB. TIN

**Shortening 67c**

- POP - RITE 10 OZ. CAN POP CORN 2 pkg. 29c
- LANES ONE-HALF GALLON MELORINE 45c
- DOLE TALL CAN PINEAPPLE JUICE 10c

**TEA 65**

Lipton 1/2 lb. Pkg.

Here's to



**HAPPY NEW YEAR MEALS and PARTIES**

We Will Be Closed Jan. 2, For New Years

Here's the big noise in food values—the good news in holiday feasting! Cut Rate Grocery and Market welcomes the New Year with a STORE WIDE SELLebration featuring low, low prices on all the favorite foods for holiday dinners . . . for parties . . . for marvelous meals over the long weekend. This is our way of thanking you wonderful people for having made 1955 our best year—and of promising you that in 1956 we will continue to bring you the best food buys of the week . . . every . . . top quality foods at low-possible prices.

**Self-Service Meats**

Wisconsin Sharp **CHEDDAR CHEESE 69c**

Armours Star **Spiced Luncheon 3lb can 1.29**

FRESH FRYERS AND HENS

Swifts Premium **Sliced Bacon 89c**

PINKNEY'S **Slab Bacon lb 38c**

ALL FLAVORS **Jello pkg 8c**

BLUE SEAL - POUND **Oleo 17c**

HIXSON FULL FLAVOR **Coffee lb. 70c**

GOLD MEDAL - 25 POUND BAG **Flour \$1.79**

SUNNY HILLS **Catsup, 2 For 23c**

GEBHARDT'S TALL CAN WITH BEANS **Chili 23c**

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Note-worthy Values!

**Lard** CUDAHY'S PURE LEAF 3 lb. CRTN. **35c**

**Coffee** HILL'S BROS. OR SHILLINGS, LB. **81c**

**FLOUR** BUDDY'S - 5 lb. BAG **29c**

Grapefruit Juice	Kimbell's 46 oz. can	<b>23c</b>
Pineapple Juice	Del Monte 46 oz. can	<b>25c</b>
CaKE MIX	Betty Crocker 20 oz. Package	<b>29c</b>
Pop Corn	Pops Rite Reg. Can	2 for <b>25c</b>

**Salad Dressing**  
Morton's - Quart **35c**

Bleach, Clorox	Quart Bottle	2 for <b>29c</b>
COKES	Betty Crocker All Flavors	Pkg <b>31c</b>
CAKES	Reg. Size 6 bottle Crtn.	<b>19c</b>
GUM, Wrigley's	All Flavors	Pkg. <b>3c</b>
Baking Powder	Clabber Girl 10 oz. can	<b>10c</b>
CATSUP	Stockton 12 oz. Bottle	2 for <b>25c</b>
CORN	Hunt's Cream Style or Whole Kernel Tall Can	<b>10c</b>
PICKLES	Diamond Dill Full Quart	<b>19c</b>
KARO	Red Label Qt. Decanter	<b>39c</b>
TUNA	Starkist, Green Label Chunk Style	<b>29c</b>

**Charlotte Freeze**  
Borden's 1/2 Gal. **45c**

**MILK**  
PLAIN, Homo 1/2 gal **39c**

**Bread**  
MEADS 1 1/2 lb. Loaf **19c**

**kleenex**  
400 Count **21**

FROZEN FOOD DEPARTMENT

Fish Sticks	Fresher Brand Pkg. of 10	<b>35c</b>
STRAWBERRIES	10 OZ. PACKAGE	<b>19c</b>
French Fried Potatoes	10 oz. Pkg.	2 for <b>25c</b>
Lima Beans	Flav-R-Pak 10 oz. Pkg.	2 for <b>39c</b>
GREENS	Hills O Home 10 oz. Pkg. Turnips - Mustard	2 for <b>29c</b>

Garden-Fresh **VEGETABLES**

BANANAS	Golden Ripe 2 lbs.	<b>25c</b>
White Onions		Lb. <b>5c</b>
CABBAGE	Green Firm Heads	lb. <b>5c</b>
ORANGES	Florida Juicers 2 lbs.	<b>15c</b>
CARROTS	1 lb. Cello Pkg.	<b>10c</b>
POTATOES	No. 1 Reds 10 lb. Cello Bag	<b>39c</b>

Finest Quality **MEATS**

Loin Steak	lb. <b>45c</b>
T - Bone Steak	lb. <b>47c</b>
Chuck Roast	lb. <b>27c</b>
Beef Ribs	lb. <b>19c</b>
HAMS, Whole	lb. <b>45c</b>
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HAMS, Shank End	lb. <b>39c</b>



# Wedding Anniversary From Page 1

it in reserve for gravy only. But the 5th day, the sun came thru. Bum Douglas, Oscar and Bill Christian started gathering up starving cattle and taking them to the brakes. The neighbors threw theirs in the herd as they passed. They reached the brakes with about 500 head. They were so starved they ran off bluffs trying to get twigs and 180 of them were killed.

# Holiday Visiting Of Hansfordites

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley and Anne are visiting in Oklahoma City. Later they will visit in Crowell.

Bill D. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin, has been visiting his sister Mr. and Mrs. L. J. George in Okla. Billy Duane was here with his parents for Christmas. He has recently been discharged from the U. S. Marines, having served 4 yrs.

Judy Davis, student of Frank Phillips College at Enid, Oklahoma spent the holidays at home. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis and two sons of Anchorage, Alaska, are spending the holidays with friends and relatives in Gruver and Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shaw of Taos, N. M. visited his cousin, the Orville Walkers during the holidays.

Mrs. A. F. Barkley had as Christmas day guests Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Renfro, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Huffines and daughters of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Barkley and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brillhart and Patty and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Pool and daughter of Spearman.

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### HAPPY HOMES H. D.

The Happy Homes HD Club had their Christmas party on Monday afternoon Dec. 19th in the home of Mrs. Bert Sheppard at 3:00.

Games were played, then members exchanged their gifts, revealing secret pals. Refreshments were furnished by each member, which included party sandwiches, frozen desserts, coffee and cocoa.

Members present and their children were Mrs. Louise Mackie, Mrs. Margaret Evans, Mrs. Adalyn Barnes, Mrs. Marie Sparks, Mrs. Peggy Ellsworth, Mrs. Evelyn Bailey, Mrs. Thelma Tindell, Mrs. Lois Gunter, Mrs. Sheppard and Miss June Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Steed were Christmas guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pope Gibner. Gene is stationed in Puerto Rico and Marvel Jo teaches at the base school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Baggerly, Mrs. Merle Washington, Monet and Perry visited with Mrs. Baggerly's brother and family, in Beaver, Oklahoma, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Parrish had her brother and family, the Arthur Williams, of North Hollywood, California, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Williams of Borger, visit them for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurst and Lynette of Midland visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Close.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Mickey were Pre Christmas guests of her father, Carl Hutchison and family. They were moving from California to Florida and stopped over for a visit.

Larry Reed, student at N. T. S. T. C. Denton, spent part of his Christmas vacation with the Spearman Reporter working, and visiting among friends in the city. He accompanied his good friends the Vester Hills to Dallas for a Christmas day visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Graves were holiday guests of her brother and family, the Russell Bakers, of Cheyenne Wells, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Martin and Charles Lynn, spent Christmas with Mrs. Leona Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bowling and baby at Rockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Weston, students in a religious school at Oklahoma City will visit her parents Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Dale in Arkansas.

### Apiary Inspection In Texas During 1954-55

College Station, Dec.—Apiary inspectors, visiting 627 beekeepers have found American foulbrood to be the most serious disease affecting honeybees in Texas.

A total of 58,421 colonies of bees were inspected in 1954-55. Of the colonies inspected, 430, or 0.74 percent, were found to be infected with American foulbrood. The inspections included 73 counties throughout the state during the fiscal year and were made by Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and local inspectors.

American foulbrood is the most destructive and widespread disease of honeybees in the United States. For many years apiarists generally believed that once a colony became infected it would die. Early work on this problem investigations in Iowa proved that a certain resistance to American foulbrood does exist in honeybees.

Other bee diseases found, all of minor importance, were European foulbrood, parafoulbrood, paralysis, sacbrood and nosema.

Less than one percent of the total colonies inspected was found to be diseased. The highest percent of disease was found in 1951-52. The past year was the third consecutive period since that time in which the percentage of disease has gradually declined.

Parafoulbrood, found in Lampasas county for the first time, does not appear to be a virulent disease in Texas since most affected colonies recover without treatment. European foulbrood was diagnosed in Hidalgo and Grimes counties but does not appear any more prevalent than in past years.

Movement of colonies across county and state lines by commercial beekeepers create problems in disease control. Apiary inspectors make a yearly inspection of queen and packaged bees of commercial men to prevent spread of any disease. Each shipment of bees must be accompanied by an official shipping tag, a certificate or an affidavit that the bees are free of contagious and infectious disease. The detailed report is available from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas. Ask for Progress Report 1824.

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### Texas Broiler Festival Program Set For '56

College Station, Dec.—The objectives of the Texas Broiler Festival program along with the rules and regulations for 1956 have been released by the State Committee headed by F. Z. Beamblossom, extension poultry marketing specialist.

The objectives are to further develop and improve the production, marketing and consumption of broilers produced in Texas; have all segments of the industry cooperate and work together in improving and promoting the industry; give special emphasis to informing the consumer about the high grade of Texas broilers as an aid to consumption

and develop the program of the Festival in such a manner as to bring about the desired improvements and information on broilers produced in Texas.

The 1956 program will include only a junior division. All entries must be postmarked before February 29 and forwarded to Beamblossom at College Station. An entry will consist of 100 straight run chicks and they must be hatched between March 11-17, 1956—inclusive. The growing period will cover nine weeks and ends on May 14. All entries must arrive at the Corsicana Poultry and Egg Company plant on May 14.

Rules and regulations have been mailed to county extension agents and teachers of vocational agriculture who have participated in past programs. They can supply details on the program.

A total of \$800 in premiums will be awarded on the basis of classification judging. Only exhibits rating superior and excellent will receive awards. The grand champion exhibit will receive an additional \$50 and a trophy. The reserve champion will receive a trophy.

The Broiler Festival is the successor to the chicken-of-tomorrow program and according to Beamblossom, is the largest program of its type in the nation. He expects the 1956 program to be even better than previous ones and encourages the state's young poultrymen to participate.

The French flag was the first to fly over Texas.

Wellington, New Zealand, is the southernmost National capital in the world.

The Isle of Capri is in the Italian Bay of Naples.

The dahlia was named after the Swedish botanist Dahl. Chicago was once called Old Fort Dearborn.

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### HIS and THAT

Mr. and Mrs. John Alley and children from Denver, Colo. visited in the home of Mrs. Alley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green. While here Mr. Alley officiated at the wedding of Tony McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell McQueen and children, and Mr. and Mrs. "Lum" McQueen spent Christmas in and around Coleman. They visited Lum's mother Mrs. J. M. McQueen and Mrs. McQueen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fletcher spent Christmas visiting the Gay Fletchers and Ed Vernons.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ed Vernon also spent the Christmas holidays with the Ed Vernons.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gross had quite a family party for Christmas. In addition to the members of the family living here, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Orman and family of Borger were with them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thoreson entertained all of their family for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Ayres and family spent Christmas day in Amarillo visiting Mrs. Barris who is in the rest home recuperating from her recent accident.

We are glad that Mrs. Darrell Cooper is home from the hospital. She is doing fine, but must have rest and quiet for some time.

Mrs. Homer Cluck, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hart and family spent Christmas in Tucuman. They enjoyed and the anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latham. Mrs. Latham is Mrs. Cluck's sister. Mrs. Cluck returned home bringing with her, two cousins from California, Mrs. Floyd Ferguson and Mrs. Don Miller. Warren and his family went on down to take the children through the caverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cluck spent Christmas visiting Mrs. Cluck's brother in Wayside.

Mr. and Mrs. "Dutch" Clawson entertained Mrs. Clawson's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cline of California for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shapley and children, and Uncle Joe and Lawrence Gruver, spent Christmas in Amarillo. They visited in the home of their daughter Hazel and her family.

One Note: we forgot to express our thanks to C. Harris, who made possible the visit of Santa Claus to our Christmas program.

THURSDAY BULLETIN: As we go to press this morning, a light mist is beginning to fall from fairly heavy overcast skies. A late sports bulletin urges everyone to tune in their TV sets for the big football games, starting Saturday afternoon with East-West Shriners game, and continuing until late Monday, when the bowl games will be played.



### Around Gruver

Our Community Christmas program was a great success. A large crowd assembled in the City Park and all the school turned out. The band played well we all sang a Carol and the Lions club distributed candy. Everyone was pleased with the living tree. We want to thank Art Evans for his work in making the program a success. Our special thanks to Mr. Truax and the band. We are all mighty proud of our band. We were particularly impressed with the young lady who played the drums. We understand she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truax. She did a fine job. Anyway, THANKS to everybody.

We would also like to express our personal thanks to all of you who remembered us at Christmas. We received over one hundred cards and remembrances. THANK YOU.

As far as we could check all of our college young men and women were here for Christmas. Among those whom we saw personally: Peggy and Barbara Bort, Marguerite Winder, Val Winger, Glenda Green, Betty Cooper, Charles Sanders, Freck Sanders, Larry Cline, Don Peddy, Pat Westerfield, Bill Shrader, Cal Mitts, and Bill Cutter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis who make their home in Alaska, were here with Jim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Davis, Sr. in Jim has fine job in the advertising department of a big sporting goods company.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Womble of Dalhart spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Womble.

We are glad to see and talk to Sam Snider. Although Sam has been away for the last few years he is one of the real old timers. Sam used to break horses back in the early twenties.

We are very sorry to report that Mr. McMillan of Amarillo, brother-in-law of Alexander and Mrs. Coy Holt passed away just before Christmas. Mrs. Holt and the Alexanders went to Amarillo for the funeral. Our sincere sympathy to all of the bereaved.

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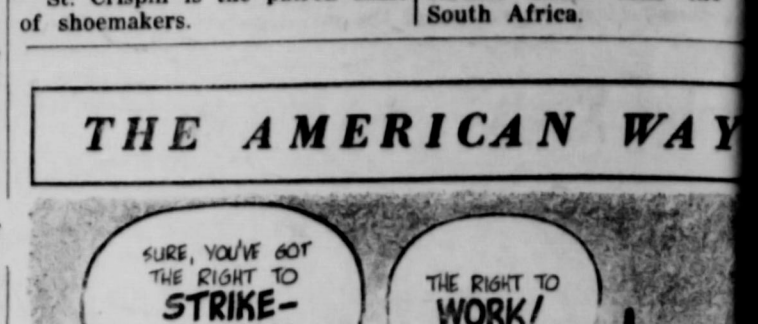
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Washington News Letter From Congressman Walter Rogers

December 1955... THE MOSCOW... last week that... of the Russian... are most anx-... who comes to... the entire sys-... let you off. Ac-... most pleasant... time consum-... one place that... complete view... of the Soviet... many foreigners... of these peo-... many instances... the sections of... from which... a main entrance... is located in... now is contin-... with humanity... efficient... Entrance to the... is by escalat-... six escalat-... downward and... they were... that I had... was not too... them. However... laughed and... thousands of... them every day... finally got on... over my skit-... was not very... steep.

Grasshoppers Pose Threat To Millions Of Acres Crop Land '56

College Station, Dec.—Live-stock producers and farmers in the Texas Panhandle and in con-adjacent counties in 1956. Also counties in the central part of the state from the Oklahoma and Guadalupe, should watch developments very closely. Extension Entomologist F. M. Fuller says surveys made by the Plant Pest Control Branch of the U. S. Department of Agriculture last summer and fall show that 8,747,000 acres or rangeland in the West Texas area are carrying 'hopper populations ranging from 14 to 100 per square yard. This compares with an estimated four and a half million acres infested at this time last year. Favorable weather conditions at the end of the season could produce more trouble from hoppers than has been experienced in several years, says Fuller. On the other hand, he points out, unfavorable weather and the presence of predators and grasshopper parasites could cut the anticipated infestation. But, he adds, the situation should be carefully watched and plans made an all out control program. The area where heaviest popula-tions are expected also has a-bout the same acreage of crop-land infested now. The rangel-ands are the better ranges which are covered with grama and buf-falograsses. If the expected outbreak occurs in large areas controls should be applied between June 1 and July 15. The Federal Gov-ernment will bear one-third of the cost of treating rangeland and provide technical assistance. The estimated cost per acre is 60 cents. The savings in grass could amount to several millions of dollars. Fuller points out that an infestation of 6 to 7 hoppers per square yard on 10 acres can consume grass at about the same rate as a cow and that 8.7 mil-lions acres now have potential populations of from 14 to 100 hoppers per square yard. Local county agents will be watching developments and organizing for control but will need the coopera-tion of all concerned, says Fuller. A total of 58,421 colonies of bees were inspected during the 1954-55 season and only 430 or 74 percent were found to be in-fected with American foulbrood. Rules and regulations for the 1956 Texas Broiler Festival have been released. County Agents and teachers of vocational agri-culture can supply details on the program. Pork, beef and grapefruit head the USDA's January Plentiful Foods list. Fourteen major foods are listed. Texas Corn Hybrids 28, 28, 30 and 32, all developed by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, were top yielders in the 1955 statewide corn performance tests.

Holiday Visiting Of Hansfordites

Miss La Nelle McClellan, student at Stephens College at Columbus, Missouri, visited her aunt and family, the Roy Russells, while on her Christmas vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones and Dottie were dinner guests of Mrs. Gwendolyn Lackey Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and boys visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Jameson, in Amarillo over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Lackey and family visited her sister and family, the Hugh Marbles, at Loekney, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Hill and Joe Mack drove to Dallas to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gwin and Jennifer over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilson, Jr., visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilson of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Earl Steed of Groom, were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pope Gibner.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bowling were her sister, Mrs. Floy Trader of Ada, Oklahoma, and her niece and family, the Bill Onbis of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gaither spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gaither and their daughter, the George Anells in Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gaither were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gaither and family Sunday.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bratton were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roper and family of Gruver and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bratton and family of Guymon, Okla-homa.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hays had Christmas dinner with their sister the D B Hawpes in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cator visited his brother, Charlie in Narvils, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brillhart and family visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Nolan at La-fores.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McCoy visited her mother, Mrs. Susie Da-cus, at Portales, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Sikes and son Bob of Portales, New Mex-ico visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shedeck and the Jack McWhirters.

Holiday Visiting Of Hansfordites

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Close and family visited her mother, Mrs. Linda Shelton, at Philrich, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hurst of Midland were home for her parents Golden Wedding Anniver-sary. They remained over the holidays, also visiting her brothers, Leland and Floyd Close and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Duncan and children and Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Duncan of Pampa called on their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kirk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Gibner visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe at Gruver Sunday after-noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Close, Lo-reete and his mother, Mrs. Min-nie Close, of Coleman, attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Close. They remained over the holidays for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pat-terson and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright of San Angelo were holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Lemons of Panhandle, and Mrs. Lorene Powell and Don of White Deer visited Mrs. R. W. Morton, Sun-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sparks, Denis and Roxanna of Borger had Christmas dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubie Sparks. Shelia, student of West Texas College, Canyon, was also home for the holidays.

Mrs. H. A. Douglas of Selig-man, Mo., visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Porter over the holidays. Also visiting them were Mrs. Porters brothers, Dean Douglas of Seligman, and Denver Douglas of Ft Sill Okla.

Elsie Porter of Amarillo was home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter over the holi-days. Their son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter and daughter of Oklahoma, visited them also.

Holiday Visiting Of Hansfordites

Some of the out-of-town guests registering at the Golden wedding Anniversary party of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windom of Melain, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Beck and Mrs. John L. Beck of Perryton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Win-dom of Albuquerque, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Rawls of Yuma Arizona.

Mr. and Mr. Noel Wombie and Larry of Texline; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wombie and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reid, David and Charles of Morse, visited with Mrs. E. C. Wombie Sunday.

Students from North Texas College of Denton home for the holidays were: Kay Howell, Ann Riley, Larry Reed, Pete Summer-ville, Harold Smith, Billy Lackey and Bary Neil Chambers and Durland Sheets.

Mr. and Mrs. Rock McLeod with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Lomax at Abilene.

Mrs. Slim Windom, Mrs. Hall Jones and Mary Kathryn visited their mother Mrs. Bert Winger at Ulysses, Kansas, on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Butt and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clement were dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Gatlin, at old Mobeettie on Sunday.

Shelia Sparks, Lester Mundy, Larry Sparks, Ann Vaughn, Barbara Sue Howerton, Sherry Cates, Betty Whitson and Johnny Campbell, all Students at West Texas State College at Canyon, were home for the holidays.

Andy Burleson, ministerial student at Baylor University in Waco writes he is finding the courses there interesting and the climate quite a contrast to our Panhandle weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Madden and boys spent Christmas in Perryton with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Allison and Paul of Ulysses, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Don Allison and boys of Dumas and Mrs. Lillie Bowlin had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe DeArmond and Billy went to Morse for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Man Wombie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weston of Amarillo were Christmas dinner guests in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tupman and children of Gainsville, Texas spent the holidays with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Edwards.

Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey Haynes visited their son at Crowell this week.

Charles Wisbon of Crowell visited friends and relatives here over the holidays. Barton Riley returned home with him.

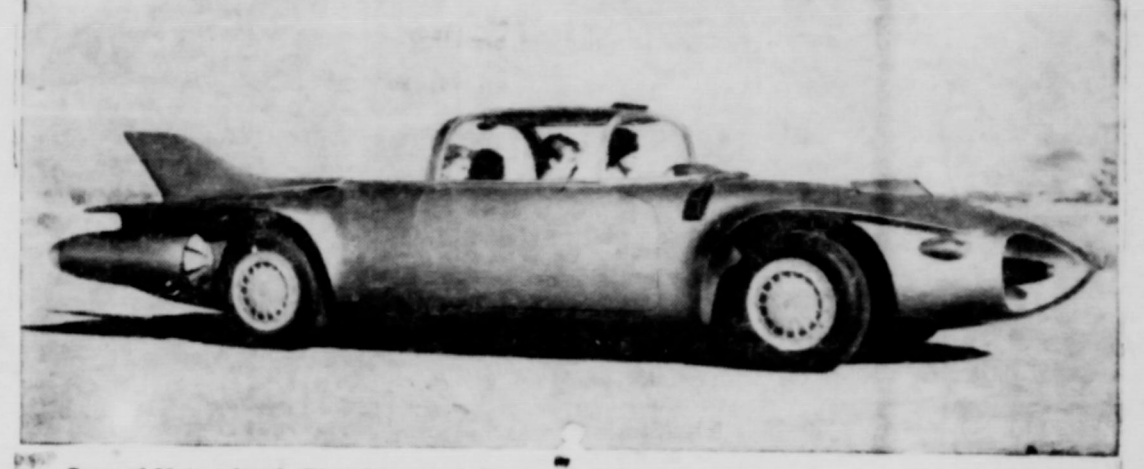
Faneuil Hall in Boston was erected with lottery money. The Rock of Gibraltar is al-most 1,500 feet in height. To kiss the Blarney Stone in Ireland one must hang by his feet. The hottest spot on the earth is the Persian Gulf. The island of Corfu is on the Adriatic coast of Greece. Paul Revere was born on Janu-ary 1, 1735. The American Indians called heaven "Happy Hunting Ground." Pure gold contains 24 carats. The Aleutian Islands are off the Alaskan coast. The banjo was invented by Joseph Sweeney, an Irishman. The Polynesian Islands are in the Pacific Ocean. Ben Nevis is the highest moun-tain in Great Britain. The Niagara Falls are from 150 to 160 feet in height. Constantinople was once known as Byzantium.

A bombardier is a musical in-strument of the oboe and bassoon family. The Star-Spangled Banner was made the USA national anthem by an act of Congress, March 3, 1931. The short pipes in a pipe or-gan produce the high notes. Iodine is made from kelp or ashes of burnt seaweed. London's Wall Street is called Lombard Street. The parrot has no wishbone. Big Ben is the bell of the clock in the tower of the Houses of Parliament in London. A savanna is a large grassy area in a tropical country. A calabash is a tropical tree used in making pipes.

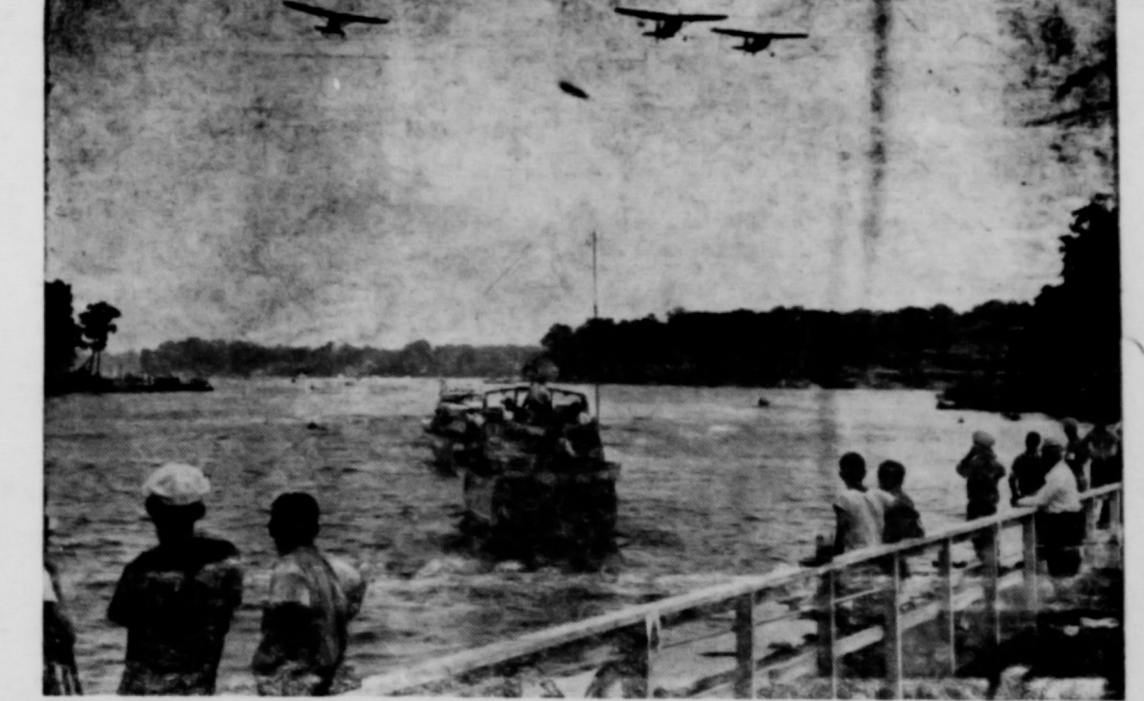
Mont Blanc is the highest peak of the Alps. Boston is the largest capital city in the United States. Ireland was known to the ancient Romans as Hibernia. "Dickie" was the war song of the Confederate States of Ameri-ca.



GM Unveils New Turbine Car



General Motors has built and successfully tested this new experimental gas turbine-powered passenger car, Firebird II. To be shown publicly for the first time at the General Motors Motordrome of 1956 in New York, Miami, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Boston, the Firebird II is designed as a four-passenger family car for highway use. General Motors has no plans, however, to put it into production.



OPERATION SEASCAPE gets under way as two of 60 participating powerboats shove off with a load of evacuees, while Civil Air Patrol planes fly reconnaissance overhead. If the United States were threatened by attack, similar "real McCoy" evacuations might be needed urgently to take stranded people out of isolated coastal areas, islands or urban waterfronts. (Baltimore Sun Photo)

Happy New Year advertisement for Community Public Service. Features a cartoon character and a calendar for January 1st. Text includes: "... and better ELECTRICAL living in 1956! We hope that each day of the New Year will be a happy one for you and that electric service will play a part in making each new day a little more pleasant than the last! LIGHT COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE POWER"

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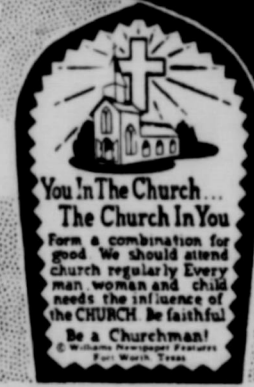
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FOUR HANDS HEAVENWARD

I WILL THEREFORE THAT MEN PRAY EVERYWHERE, LIFTING UP HOLY HANDS... - J. 7:11, 28



- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — GRUVER**  
Bro. Bill Burton, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Preaching Service  
Training Union  
Preaching Service  
Wednesday Prayer Service
- UKION CHURCH — SPEARMAN**  
Rev. Calvin Springer, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Bible Classes, Sunday  
Evening Worship  
Wednesday Bible Study
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — SPEARMAN**  
Rev. C. N. Van Dyke, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Youth Meetings  
Evening Worship  
Wednesday: Choir Practice
- MORSE METHODIST CHURCH — MORSE**  
Rev. A. N. Motes, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Services  
M. Y. F.  
Evening Worship
- ASSEMBLY OF GOD — SPEARMAN**  
Rev. W. V. Bentley, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Evening Worship  
Mid Week Services, Friday
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — GRUVER**  
J. W. Duke, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Evening Worship  
1st Weds. Monthly Fellowship
- FIRST METHODIST CHURCH — SPEARMAN**  
Bro. Aubrey C. Haynes, Minister  
Church School  
Morning Worship  
Methodist Youth Fellowship  
Evening Worship  
Women's Christian Society Wednesday  
Mid Week Services, Wed.  
Choir Rehearsal
- CHURCH OF CHRIST — SPEARMAN**  
R. Paul Smith, Preacher  
Bible Class  
Preaching  
Communion  
Young Peoples Classes  
Worship  
Monday: Mens Training Class  
Wednesday, Ladies Bible Class  
Wednesday, Midweek Bible Classes
- MORSE BAPTIST CHURCH — MORSE**  
Bro. H. G. Verner Pastor  
Sunday School  
Worship  
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- CHURCH OF CHRIST — GRUVER**  
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Bible Study, Wednesdays  
Ladies Classes, Thursdays  
Juniors  
(Small Children Cared For)  
Senior Ladies
- GRUVER METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Cecil Ottinger, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Services  
Methodist Youth Fellowship  
Evening Services  
Wednesday Prayer Service  
Wednesday Choir Practice  
Thursday W. S. C. S.  
Wesley Circle, Thursday
- SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father M. J. Mattheos  
Mass 1st and 2nd Sundays  
3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays  
All other Services announced at Mass
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Bro. O. L. Bryant, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Training Union  
Evening Worship  
Wednesday Mid-Week Services: Family  
Wednesday Mid-Week Services: Prayer  
Thursday Choir Rehearsal
- OSLO LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
J. P. Knudsen, Pastor  
Sunday Worship  
Ladies Aid every last Thursday afternoon  
Luther League on Sunday evening

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LET MEN PRAY EVERY DAY



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Legal Notice Of Election Of Officers For North Plains Water Conservation Area Jan. 10

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED TAXPAYING VOTERS OF GROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 2, NORTH OF THE CANADIAN RIVER:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held within and for GROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 2, NORTH OF THE CANADIAN RIVER, on the 10th day of January, 1956...

That an election shall be held within and for said Ground Water Conservation District No. 2, North of the Canadian River, on the 10th day of January, 1956...

Upon each of the ballots used at said election shall be placed the name of the candidates for Precinct Director to be elected as follows:

Director's Precinct No. 1 - Territory within the District which is situated in each of the following counties, to-wit: Ochiltree...

Director's Precinct No. 2 - Territory within the District which is situated in each of the following counties, to-wit: Hartley...

Director's Precinct No. 3 - Territory within the District which is situated in each of the following counties, to-wit: Sherman...

Director's Precinct No. 4 - Territory within the District which is situated in each of the following counties, to-wit: Hartley...

Director's Precinct No. 5 - Territory within the District which is situated in each of the following counties, to-wit: Hartley...

Director's Precinct No. 6 - Territory within the District which is situated in each of the following counties, to-wit: Hartley...

That such election shall be held and conducted and returns made to the Board of Directors of Ground Water Conservation District No. 2, North of the Canadian River in accordance with the general election laws of Texas...

ATTEST: R. V. CONVERSE, Secretary, Board of Directors of Ground Water Conservation District No. 2, North of the Canadian River.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Hansford

We the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of said Hansford County, Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, Texas, at its October Term, 1955, to view and establish a first class Road from beginning at the County road running east and west on the South line 2312 BIK 2 GH&H RR Co. and running one-half mile north and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will on the 14th day of December 1955 assemble at the site of the proposed road and thence proceed to survey, locate, view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at the County road running east and west on the South side of Section 232, 232, and Section 201, Block 2, G. H. & H. RR Survey Hansford County, Texas. Said right of way to run one-half mile north along the east line of Section 201 and the West line of Section 232, Block 2, G. H. & H. R. R. Survey.

And we do hereby notify Oscar Hammer and any and all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of the amount of damages, if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands this 10 day of November A. D. 1955

Robert Alexander, W. L. Johnson, R. H. Greene, James Stedje, F. A. Shapley, Jr.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF LELA P. HAWKINS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that original letters testamentary of the Estate of Lela P. Hawkins, deceased, were granted to us, the undersigned, by the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1955.

All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby requested to present the same to us or to either of us within the time prescribed by law. Our residence and post-office addresses are Panhandle, Carson County, Texas, and Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, respectively.

Phil Hawkins, Barbara Ann Patterson, Executor and Executrix of the Estate of Lela P. Hawkins, Deceased.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HANSFORD

TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF OSCAR E. ARCHER, Deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the Estate of Oscar E. Archer, Deceased late of Hansford County, Texas, by Johnnie Lee, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 27th day of June, 1955, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 16th day of November, 1955.

Carl M. Archer, Administrator of the Estate of Oscar E. Archer, Deceased

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