

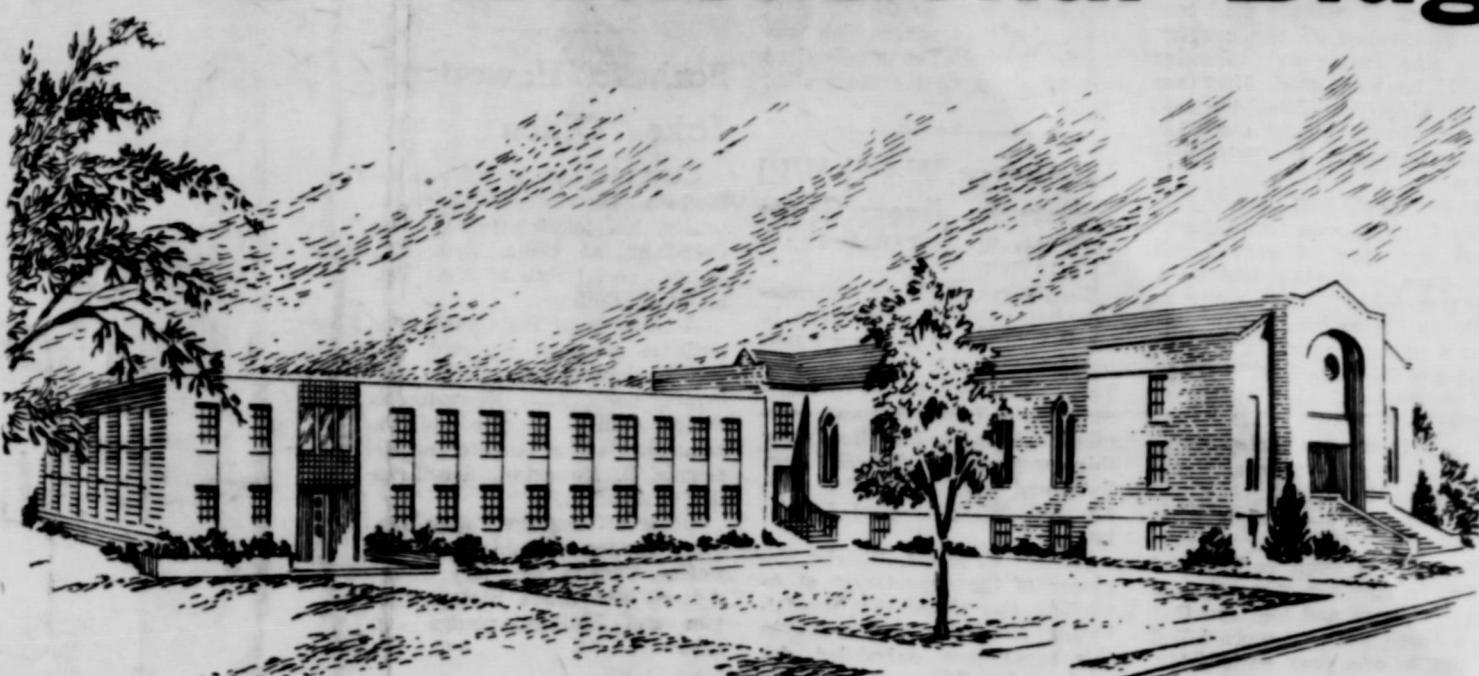
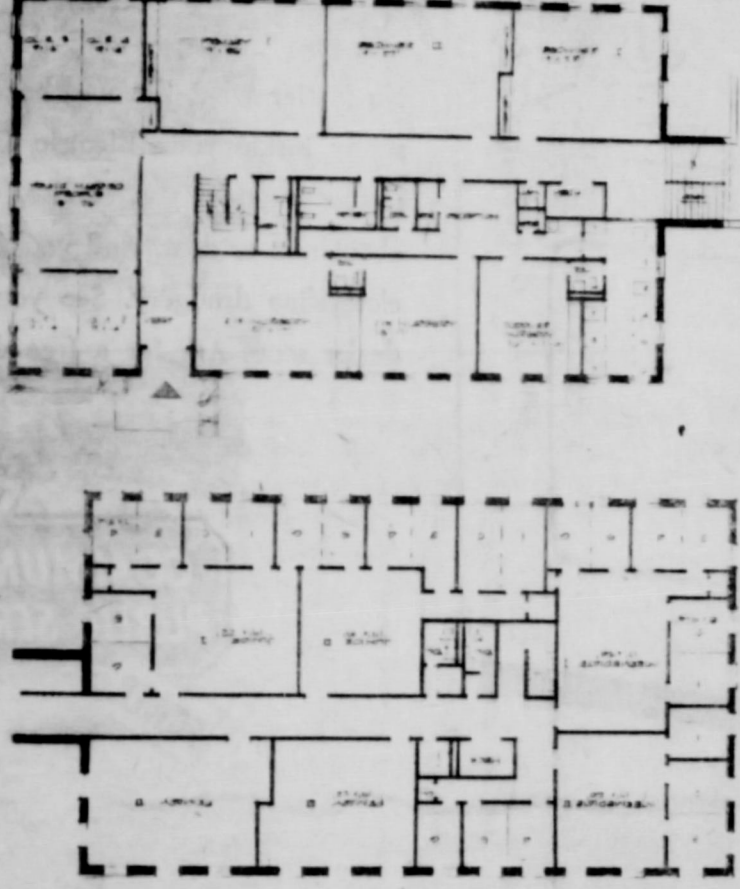
# The Spearman Reporter

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER, HANSFORD COUNTY, THURSDAY NOV. 7, 1957

Heavy Snow  
Tuesday

## BAPTIST TO BUILD Educational Bldg.

Upper and Lower Floor Plans



Plans presented to the new program and membership of the church by Rev. O. L. Bryant.

Christians as bright as our who holds the future they could not complain of having had to accept, as a result of a great FOR- ward which will build for and serve our church and community as well as the potential in the future.

adequate building is acute. Church is agreed to build.

has wonderfully in the past, it is time to stand still and let the Lord's orders "GO."

ication of our official, scriptural, spiritual victory God will supply through our faith, office.

the following his- tory of Spearman

Baptist of Spearman climaxed a month intensive campaign of information and education with a Walter Jetton Loyalty dinner held at the Community Building in Spearman last Wednesday evening.

More than 200 adult members of the church were present for the very delightful dinner and hour of fellowship. The attendance was badly hampered by sickness and bad weather, since 276 adult members had signed up to attend the loyalty dinner.

The food for the dinner consisted of Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, candied yams, buttered English peas, shredded carrots and gelatin salad, condiments of cranberries and celery, hot rolls, butter, coffee, cherry cream pie.

The program included a prayer by Rev. W. L. Russell, invocation by Ray self, special music by W. L. Russell, special music by

Educational Director John Wilde and the benediction by Joe Novak.

The Wednesday evening meeting was strictly a social affair, and no effort was made to ask for donations or suggest relative to the campaign to build the new educational building.

Church officials adopted the approved method of financing known as "The Forward Program." The church members ship backed their Deacons and one of the most interesting campaigns of education and information this writer has ever witnessed has been underway in the Baptist organization for more than five weeks.

Largely speaking, the Forward Program recognizes the fact that a great number of the church members have very little money.

day school in the financial program of the Baptist organization.

While the church officials are encouraging the scriptural method of tithing, the committees only asks that each individual pledge support as they find it in their heart, and as God prospers them.

The importance of the tiny tit who only contributes a small sum is emphasized in importance, not only for the church finance, but for the excellent training given the children.

Certainly a great number of men and women of the Baptist organization have worked hard and faithfully to present the new plan and new budget, and have been successful in informing the membership of the need for assuming additional financial obligations.

The new budget for 1958 anticipates a total church mem-

gram of \$66,000.00 budget for the year of 1958.

The budget calls for a total operating sum of \$28,452.41 and an allotment of \$37,500.00 in the year towards the new educational building.

According to the thermometer at the church the building fund at the present time is in excess of \$25,000.00. Thus if the new budget or individual donations during the remainder of the year boost the building fund to \$40,000.00 the plan calls for the building program to begin perhaps in January or February.

While this looks like a rather ambitious program, the facts remain that the Baptist of Spearman with a then total membership of 373, raised and donated \$81,847.00 in 1948 to carry on their budget and reduce the indebtedness of their church.

Over a period of ten years the Baptist at Spearman have han-

As usual about maize cutting time the weather and the elements begin to cut up in this area. What everyone thought was an invasion of Sputniks and Muttniks turned out to be a real Russian Siberian snow fall Tuesday morning. The snow began about 9 A. M., and continued for three hours. It was one of the most beautiful snows ever to fall in this area. Due to the heavy snow, rain, fog, and clouds, Hansfordites have been unable to spot the strange space ships, and Muttniks that have been appearing south of us at Levelland.

Good Muttnick spotting weather is expected in a few days.

Date	Max	Min	Rain
29	66	38	0
30	62	35	0
31	75	42	0
1	77	49	0
2	79	40	0
3	54	31	0
4	40	32	0.22

On November 5th and 6th a total of 30 of moisture was recorded making a half inch in all.

**Weather Still Cold, Cloudy**

The weather is still cold and cloudy Wednesday as we go to press. Amarillo weather observers believe that this weather should clear by Thursday, and of course the farmers are hoping so. One of the biggest maize crops in the history of irrigation is waiting to be harvested in the county area.

**BUSINESS MEN CONGRATULATE HALLOWEENERS**

The business men of Spearman wish to take this means of thanking all of the fine children and teenagers of the city who observed the halloween curfew, and attended the entertainment at the Lyric Drive In, and Teen Town.

**Annual Legion Poppy Sale To Be Saturday**

These are the poppies made by disabled veterans and the money goes toward rehabilitating these men.

There is no fixed price for these poppies. They are being sold in memory of war dead and any donation is acceptable.

The women of the Post and the girl scouts will be selling poppies all day Saturday both in Gruver and in Spearman and the Phillips Hansford plant.

**Roosian Cowboy Spotted At Levelland**

We have finally come up with a solution to the big space ship problem at Levelland the other night. It was a Roosian Cowboy. The reason that the Roosian cowboys travel at night, is they can see better than Texas Cowboys. They have satellites!

Our church owes no debt and has more than \$25,000.00 in its building fund and is faced with our greatest challenge to GO FORWARD. We will arise therefor and build.

Let these pictures in the following columns, taken in several of our S S department speak for themselves. They tell of the overcrowded inadequate and uncomfortable conditions under which our departments are carrying on their work.

Take a good look and you will see that we must build to meet the present and future needs of our Sunday school.

py experiences and love for the church. We need to have separate rooms for the bed- room, dining room, and only so you can see our present need for nursery space.

The program included a prayer by Rev. W. L. Russell, special music by

The first picture above shows the Nursery, with Mrs. Pearl Keith in charge. She says of the crowded condition:

"They are sweet. A gift from God and our richest possession. We must do our best to create hap-

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The above picture was presented by Louise Vanderburg and she has the following to say about her department:

"This is the room where we combine the toddlers and the two year olds. We have 29 children enrolled in this nursery. For ideal conditions we should have two departments for these children.

Jo Ann Lee tells of her department for tiny tots:

"We can not put chairs on both sides of the table and still have room to walk around it. The stove can not be lighted with this many children in the room. Their coats are in the way because there isn't room to hang them up so they are stacked in a chair and hung over the door.

Betty Uptergrove reports for the young ladies class:

"Ever try to hold the attention of a class with people walking by on both sides, and look-

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Parker, Jr. of Eunice, N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Owens last week. He is Mrs. Owen's brother.

**Lions Club To Sponsor New Hot Rod Club For Spearman**

The Lions Clubb voted unanimously to sponsor the newly organized Hot Rod club at their meeting Tuesday. Lion J. B. Cooke, and Jerry Floyd will work with the Hot Rodders, and assist them in any way they can.

Lion Cooke reported that entertainment for children and teen agers Halloween night was a great success. The kids of the area are surely to be complimented for their action Halloween night. The Lions club agreed to share in the expenses for the halloween entertainment.

The program give nTuesday, was colored slides, showing beautiful scenery this time of year, at Red River, N. M.

**Revival Services**

Revival services began Wednesday evening, Nov. 6, in the Union church, with Rev. Wm. Dirks of Templeton, California doing the preaching.

Rev. Dirks was here last March, so he is no stranger in this city. He is an outstanding speaker, being very efficient as a Bible Teacher, as well as an Evangelist.

Two services daily are being conducted at 10:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Pastor, Rev. Calvin Springer, invites those of other churches and the general public to attend this revival.

**Ohio'an Wants Texas Farm Picture**

Mrs. Mary Nell Webster writes the Reporter for a picture of a Texas farm. The Harbours live in Dayton, Ohio, and was particularly interested in the farm picture appearing in this newspaper as that of T. I. Harbour.

Mrs. Webster is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Harbour. She stated that "granddad's farm is a favorite vacation spot for my four Buckeyes."

**Oil News**

New Locations in the offing.

W. P. Hutton on the old Townsite Section of Old Hansford.

Chip Martin on the home section Southwest of Spearman.

Hansford County, Shamrock Oil & Gas No. 1 Steele-D sec. 64, blk. 45, H&TC sur took DST 6025-69, recovered 30 feet heavily gas cut mud. rainbow show of oil, PTD 6290, to DST.

Baker-Taylor Drilling No. 1, Porter, sec 193, blk. 45, H&TC sur. location, 10 mi. SW Spearman, PD 7500.

Hamilton Brothers No. 1, White, sec. 9, blk. 3, SA&MG sur. D&A 7288.

**Rossons' Are Fishing Champs**

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Rosson returned last week from a very enjoyable, as well as profitable fishing excursion on Lake Texoma.

They visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, of Lindsay, Oklahoma. The Browns have a large dock near the mouth of the river, and a cabin cruiser. They stayed in their summer home here on the lake. The fishermen reported plenty of croppie.

**Hansford Home Demonstration Clubs Honor 4-H Club Members With Banquet November 16th.**

The highlights of 4-H Activities for 1957 will be the 4-H Club Boys' and Girls' Achievement Banquet to be given honoring 4-H Club boys, girls, leaders, and special guests November 16, 1957, 6:30 p. m. at the Spearman School Cafeteria. This special event is sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club women of Hansford County.

Outstanding entertainment will also be a feature of the program.

**New Court House And Jail Bond Passes 307 - 114**

The people of Hansford county wisely voted for a new jail and court house addition in the big election Tuesday. They also unanimously approved the three amendments that were voted on.

The voting went as following:

Precinct	For	10	Total
1	133	11	307
2	10	10	114

**Helping plan this event, Media and Staneline.**

November 16 is National 4-H Achievement Day, and is set aside each year for the purpose of recognizing outstanding achievement. Awards will be presented at the Banquet to outstanding members for work done in 1957.

Outstanding entertainment will also be a feature of the program.

Service Account

\$9,363.32
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71.58
\$9,554.90
\$6,617.11
520.48
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234.76
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**MYSTERY HOME THIS WEEK IS FINE RANCH HOME OF MR. AND MRS. O. W. JARVIS.**

Mystery home in last weeks paper and upon this page is the lovely Ranch Home of Mrs. O. W. Jarvis, Pioneer citizens of this

feel sure Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis are the oldest couple still living at their own home, Independent of anyone, and still maintaining the government contracts in their own name.

Large Ranch home is a 5 bed room home, in every respect. The home place is literally with barns, chicken houses, grain houses and

and Mrs. Jarvis moved to this area in 1902 and reared a fine family of sons who are leaders of the area. Most of the improvements, the home and barns was built during the years 1911 to 1914. The original homesite was a dug-

out located about a half mile East of the present commodious home.

Woodville Jarvis, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Jarvis tells us that the old "horse" barn was built primarily with cross ties and heavy timber fished out of the Canadian river. It is built of wood and concrete. Raymond and Billy Jarvis salvaged the timber from the Canadian.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Jarvis own six sections of as fine land as can be found in this area. The home place has an irrigation well, but this portion of the home place is under lease to Billy Jarvis, who takes care of the work and planning. Mr. Jarvis operates only a small portion of the home place, depending upon his sons for the operation of the remainder.

The elder couple have been very successful far-

mers over a period of years, and quite as successful as cattle ranchers. In fact Mr. O. W. Jarvis still maintains a herd of about 100 cows and calves, and remains one of the few ranchers of this area who maintains cows and grows a calf crop each year.

When the original barn was built most of the farming power was horses and mules, thus we see the old horse barn on the homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Jarvis have three living sons, Woodville, Raymond and Billy. Jarvis. A daughter Jureta died at the age of 8 years.

Perhaps we could use a page praising this fine couple for their pioneer life and success in life, but we do want to praise them for having reared three fine boys that certainly reflects the fine training they received in their youth.

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# at the well



— to confess her sins. That is a dirty word, sin. Men don't relish being labeled a sinner and women hide under the cover of night to avoid being branded as one. Sin is like a rattlesnake — it buries its fangs in your flesh and pumps venom through every vein. You become groggy, weary, sick and helpless. But only for the grace of a loving God you would pass through the door on the bottom side and head straight for an eternity in Hell. But God lives and you may still have hope. Here is the woman at the well. She is corrupt, full of sin, but she is repentant. Isn't it just like Jesus to be wherever a man needs Him whenever he is ready to turn to God. He is chief authority at your church and He is waiting to forgive you as He forgave the woman at the well. He offers you everything worth while in this life and in the life to come. He will meet you at the door of your church next Sunday and go home with you after service and spend the entire week with you if you will invite Him.

## YOU IN THE CHURCH THE CHURCH IN YOU

Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that young and old alike are showered with benedictions stronger democracy in the church the ministerial are molding religious character. Statesmen today declare that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then we with our children should go to the church of our choice on Sunday. "You in the Church and the Church in you" form a combination for good. Be a regular CHURCH GOER and a daily BIBLE READER.

# We Need Greater Churches And Greater Faith

to give us POWER for LIVING and to COMBAT ATHEISTIC "ISMS"

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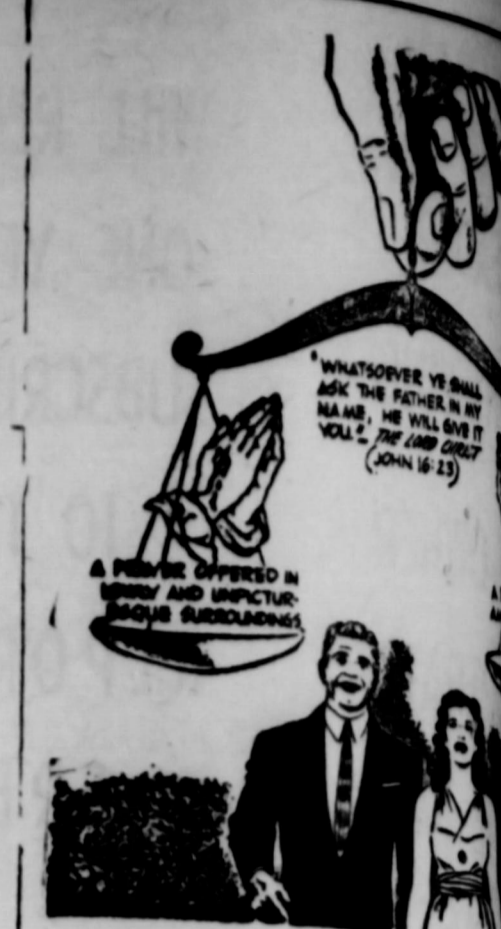
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- UNION CHURCH — SPEARMAN**  
Rev. Calvin Springer, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Bible Classes, Sunday  
Evening Worship  
Wednesday Bible Study
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — GRUVER**  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Youth Meetings  
Evening Worship  
Wednesday: Choir Practice
- MORSE METHODIST CHURCH — GRUVER**  
Allen C. Forbis, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Services  
M. Y. F.  
Evening Worship
- ASSEMBLY OF GOD — SPEARMAN**  
Rev. M. C. Cox, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Evening Worship  
Mid Week Services, Wednesday
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — GRUVER**  
J. W. Doka, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Evening Worship  
1st Weds. Monthly Fellowship
- FIRST METHODIST CHURCH — GRUVER**  
Bro. J. Waid Griffin, Minister  
Church School  
Morning Worship  
Methodist Youth Fellowship  
Evening Worship  
Womens Society of Christian Service, Wednesday  
Mid Week Services, Wednesday  
Choir Rehearsal
- CHURCH OF CHRIST — SPEARMAN**  
David E. Parker, Preacher  
Bible Class  
Communion  
Preaching  
Worship  
Monday: Mens Training Class  
Wednesday, Ladies Bible Class  
Wednesday, Midweek Bible Classes
- MORSE BAPTIST CHURCH — GRUVER**  
Rev. Geo. M. Rickles, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Worship  
Training Union  
Worship  
Mid Week Service Wednesday
- CHURCH OF CHRIST — GRUVER**  
North of City Park  
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R. Elmer Adcock, Evangelist  
Lord's Days:  
Bible Study  
Worship  
Worship  
Week Days:  
Bible Study, Wednesday  
Ladies Classes, Thursdays  
Senior Ladies  
(Small Children Cared For)  
Junior Ladies
- GRUVER METHODIST CHURCH — GRUVER**  
Rev. R. H. Campbell  
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 — GRUVER**  
Father M. J. Mathison, Pastor  
MASSSES  
Sundays  
Weekdays (Mon. Tues. Fri. Sat.)  
First Friday of Month  
Holy Days of Obligation
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — GRUVER**  
Bro. O. L. Bryant, Pastor  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship  
Training Union  
Evening Worship  
Wednesday Mid-Week Services: Prayer Hour  
Wednesday Choir Rehearsal  
Officers, Teachers, R. G. A. & R. A.
- OSLO LUTHERAN CHURCH — GRUVER**  
J. P. Knudsen, Pastor  
Sunday Worship  
Ladies Aid every last Thursday afternoon of each month  
Luther League on Sunday evening every three weeks

## Lynx Will Win Game

The school will play football on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. The game will be against the Panthers. The Panthers are the best team in the county and the Lynx have picked a strong team for this one. The game will be a close one. The Panthers will be the favorites to win. The game will be at half time. The Panthers will have the home advantage. The Panthers will have the home advantage. The Panthers will have the home advantage.

## Sansing

The department of the club met Thursday night. Mrs. P. A. Lyon spoke on "Women". The meeting was very interesting and the subject was discussed to the satisfaction of all present. The absence of the chairman, Mrs. P. A. Lyon, was noted. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. P. A. Lyon. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. P. A. Lyon.

## JACK VISITS

Mr. Jack visited the Spearman High School on Friday afternoon for a portrait by Pow-erger. The picture was taken on Nov. 20, 1957. The picture was taken on Nov. 20, 1957. The picture was taken on Nov. 20, 1957.

## MYSTERY FA

This is another of the series of mystery stories. If you can identify the author and you may receive a prize. The prize will be a copy of the next issue. The prize will be a copy of the next issue. The prize will be a copy of the next issue.