

The Spearman Reporter

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8 Pages Today

DON'T NAME IT

WILL J. MILLER

Barring unforeseen complications, one of the favorite employees of the Spearman Reporter will graduate from high school coming May 18th. He is Edwin Reed, one of the best newspaper make-up men and job printers in North West Texas. Edwin has been with the Reporter for practically all his high school years, with the exception of a short time spent working at other places. He has made for our paper the reputation of carrying one of the outstanding school pages on this section of the country. Our own people have complimented the school page highly this year. Edwin has used both his training as a printer and his ability and training as an editor and writer to improve the school page.

At the recent press association held at Amarillo, newspaper men over the Panhandle discussed school pages, and most of them termed such pages as a lot of grief. They listed dislikes as lack of proper editing, poor heads, uncertainty of receiving copy until the last minute, and various other ills. In our own paper we have received the school copy promptly and regularly. The copy has been well written, typed, edited. Miss Graham, sponsor for the paper and the Senior class deserved much credit for the delightful news releases that have come to the Reporter. The management takes this occasion of thanking Miss Graham, Supt. Finley, Coach Wilkins, Elma Gunn and all other school authorities for their splendid cooperation in all school events during the past year.

Incidentally this writer's daughter is graduating from the high school this year, which makes two members of the Spearman Reporter staff completing their school work in Spearman. We call to mind that Clyde Hazlewood and Arnold Wilbanks are two other Spearman children? (they are big publishers now) who finished their school work while working at the Reporter office. Wonder how many other Spearman firms can look back with pride on their workers who are making good and finished their school work in Spearman.

This county is sure getting dam conscious. Last week we thought that we were breaking some spot news in commenting on 3 different kinds of damming machines. This week we learn that there are all sorts of damming machines being placed on the market. A demonstration was held by McKay Tuesday showing the working of a damming machine that follows a lister or one-way. It worked beautifully. Bill McClellan at Spearman and Ted McClellan at Gruber are handling a new damming machine that makes as pretty a patch work of dams as you ever looked at, and we understand that several others are in the process of being introduced in this county.

This writer is very enthusiastic about the damming machines. They seem a most logical solution of our water conservation problems. The government has recognized their value and has placed this class of work in the 1938-39 working program. The outstanding advantages of the damming machines is the even distribution of moisture, and the fact that they leave the land practically free of any hindrances in harvest.

HOME BREAD

It has come to the attention of this writer that an out-of-town bakery that makes Spearman periodically each week, is attempting to entice local Hansford people into buying this bread by including a theatre ticket (good at the out of town location) for a child's admission when ten loaves of bread are purchased. This writer is not informed as to whether or not such practice is within the legal rights of the outside baker, but to the writer the plan does seem a bit unethical, and unfair to the local bakery. It is difficult for our local man to develop sufficient volume of business to keep this home establishment running, without having to see No. 5 on back page.

Commencement Exercises To Be Held At School Auditorium Wednesday Night May 18

Thirty-eight members of the Spearman High school graduation class will be seated on the stage at the high school auditorium Wednesday evening May 18, when the 18th annual Commencement program begins at 8 o'clock. The class, while not the largest in history, surpasses last year's class in number by 9 students.

Elsie Ruth Porter earns the honors of representing her class as Valedictorian as a result of her excellent record during the four years of high school studies. Hazel Jenkins and Garnett Harmond were tied for the honors of Salutatorian, both making exactly the same grades during their four years as students of the Spearman High school. R. L. McClellan, Jr. represented the class as the high point boy, making the best grade of any boy in the class.

Arnold Ferguson Made Insurance Supervisor Hansford Wheat Area

Announcement was made this week that Arnold Ferguson, formerly member of the county agricultural committee had been appointed Wheat Insurance Supervisor for Hansford county. Ferguson will have charge of the various activities which become necessary to place Hansford county in the national wheat insurance corporation.

Morse Girl Scouts Make Carlsbad Cavern Trip

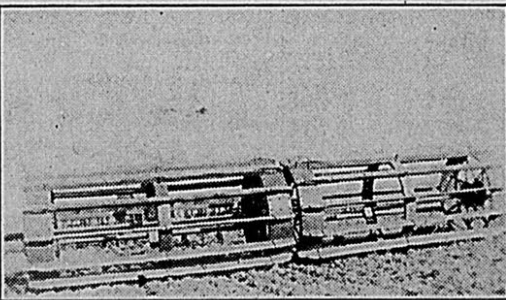
The Morse Girl scouts returned Sunday May 8 from a sight seeing trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they toured the famous Carlsbad Cavern. The girls were accompanied by their leader Miss Montgomery, also Mrs. A. E. Henderson, and Mrs. Moody Womble, who so kindly furnished the conveyance.

The Morse troop wish to make public thanks to their leader and the PTA which made this enjoyable outing possible for them.

Chevrolet Sales For Week

Information from Bill McClellan, of the McClellan Chevrolet company is to the effect that he plans delivery of a passenger car to Mrs. May Jones, county treasurer; Bruce Sheets, druggist; a half ton truck to Jack Johnson, and two large trucks to the Consumers Sales Co, this week.

ONE OF THE FIRST DAMMERS IN COUNTY



Some two and a half years ago J. Wilbanks constructed a contrivance that he used successfully to help prevent land blowing and to hold moisture where it fed. This writer became enthusiastic about the home made contrivance, and got a batch of pictures, and wanted to run a bit of publicity about the whole affair. The writer believes some of J's neighbors say, the Consumer Sales Co. mounted to same to everyone. used to help looks. Consumers Sales Co.

Commencement Program

Processional	Miss Sybil Graham
Life Is A Song	Hazel Jenkins
Welcome	R. L. McClellan Jr.
Poem	Garnett Harmond
"When De Banjo Plays"	Double Quartet
Address	Dr. J. A. Hill
Presentation of Diplomas	Supt. W. R. Finley
Valedictory Address	Elsie Ruth Porter

7th Grade Commencement Program

May March	Sixth Grade	Forman
March From "Aida"	Graduates	Verdi
Coronation of Queen of May and Duke of Spearman Grade School		
Invocation		Rev. R. G. Brannon
"Garden Dance"	Sixth Grade	Kieserling
May Pole Dance	Fifth Grade	Traditional
"The Kingdom of Rose Queens"	Sixth Grade	Playlet
Presentation of Diplomas		Prin. G. T. Higgins
Announcements		Supt. W. R. Finley
"Voices of the Woods"	Seventh Grade	Rubenstein
Recessional		
Miss Ruby England, accompanist		Miss Dorothy Ewing, director

7th Grade Class Roll

Queen of the May	Viola Jones	
Duke of Spearman Grade School	Cecil Bradford	
Trumpeter	Philip Snider	
Herald	Jerry Jacobs	
Crown Bearers	Billie Jackson and Charles Clement	
Flower Girls	Marjorie Ellen Russell, Betty McKay, Onetia Horn and Avis Campfield	
Train Bearers	Arnolee Birdwell and May Lee Harbour	
Attendants to Queen:	Bonnie Lou Becker, Jewel Brandt, Mona Burleson, Mary Lee Dacus, Velma Dillow, Margie Gerber, Geneva Mackie, Jo Nell Riggs, Leona Shedeck and Zola Mae Sheets	
Escorts:	Tom Bibb, Lloyd Buzzard, Vernon Crooks, J. D. Hester, Kenneth Killian, Marcus Larson, Freddie Mizar, Frank Novak, Robert Novak and Leroy Smith	
Arch Bearers	Earline Andrews, Vista Mae Bagwell, Vivian Burges, Velda Mae Chambers, Doyle Cook, Alton Ellsworth, Betty Hester, Betty Hilgenberg, Anona Hull, Janelle Jackson, Lonnie Ray Kenny, Ruby Lelia Lamb, Wilma Peters, Nathalie Reynolds, Eugene Smith and James Stephens	
Miss Dorothy Ewing	Sponsors	Miss Merle Baggerly

Seventh Grade Varied Program For Graduation

Spring will come to life Thursday evening, when 47 grade pupils of the graduating class receive their diplomas. With the background of a spring garden, the high school gym will furnish a setting for the commencement exercises under the direction of Miss Dorothy Ewing. Staging effects are also under the direction of Miss Ewing, assisted by Miss Merle Baggerly, and members of the seventh grade classes. Beginning at 8:15, the program offers a variety of glad May Spirit with Miss Ruby England as accompanist to the musical numbers.

Viola Jones, who will be crowned Queen of May, is valedictorian for the year. Zola Mae Sheets, salutatorian with an average of 92.18, will serve as an attendant to Her Majesty, the Queen. Cecil Bradford, highest boy graduate, will be crowned Duke of Spearman Grade School. See No. 4 on back page.

PLANS ARE MADE TO WELCOME PLANE AS PART OF AIR WEEK

Spearman will be one of the stops for an airplane on Thursday May 19, when local people will gather to help the nation celebrate National Air Mail Week. This plane will leave Pampa at eight o'clock in the morning and visit a number of towns to pick up all mail that has been stamped with air mail stamps.

According to word received by Postmaster Marvin Chambers, the plane will visit here twice during the day. The first stop will be in the morning at 8:15 and a return stop will be made at 3:35 in the afternoon.

The plane will bring in any mail that might be addressed to local people, and will carry out all outgoing mail. When it returns to Pampa, the mail will be placed on regular air mail lines. The local band plans to be present in the morning to welcome the plane to Lynx Field, where it is expected that a large group of people will be to see the plane come in.

Morse School Program For Closing Events

Although the senior class of Morse High School numbers only two, it has a record to be proud of. It is composed of two boys, L. H. Searcy and Willard McCloy, and both are very prominent in school activities.

They are both debaters having gone to the semi-finals in the district meet at Pampa this spring.

The race for valedictorian was very close. Willard McCloy won with a victory of .09 of a point. His average was 89.8, while L. H.'s average was 89.71.

L. H. Searcy also has a record to be proud of. He has attended school for the past six years in Morse without being absent or tardy.

The seniors have paid for their class rings, invitations, and all other class expenses by funds raised from their senior play and from the sale of subscriptions to magazines and newspapers.

The senior play "Don't Darken My Door" was given earlier in the year. To make presentation of a play possible all of the high school cooperated. Miss Corinne Foote, who has been class sponsor for the past two years, directed the play. It was presented also in Stinnett and Sunray. Morse is quite proud of her seniors.

The following programs will be followed:

Baccalaureate
Sunday May 15
Processional; Invocation, Mr. M. W. McCloy; Come Thou Almighty King; Announcements; Prayer Perfect, Glee Club; Facing the Heights, Rev. C. W. Foote, pastor First Methodist Church, Tulsa; My Faith Looks Up to Thee; Benediction, Mr. A. B. Reinertsen; Recessional.

Commencement
Thursday May 19.
Processional; Cornet solo, Jack Gillispie; Class Prophecy, Billie Jean Dorch; Quartet, Emma Ryan, Merle Johnson, Willie Rae Tompkins, and Reva McNutt; Salutatorian, La Verne Henderson; Valedictory, Jean Burrow; O Lovely Night, Glee Club; Salutatorian L. H. Searcy; Address, Ernest Cabe, principal of Pampa Junior Hi; Valedictory, Willard McCloy; Presentation of Diplomas and Awards, Supt. Walter A. Gillispie; Recessional.

County Rates Announced For Crop Insurance

Crop insurance which will guarantee insured wheat growers 3-4 of an average wheat crop in 1939 will cost farmers of Hansford county an average of 1.8 bushels per acre, according to figures announced at the state wheat meeting recently held at Amarillo. For insurance that guarantees 1-2 of an average crop, the rate will average 1 bushel per acre in Hansford county.

The county rates reflect the average per acre loss in this county during the 10 years, 1926-1936. The premium that an individual wheat grower will have to pay for insurance will depend half on this county rate and half upon the crop losses on his own farm. The rates for each farm will be computed in the branch office. See No. 3 on back page.

Rev. LeRoy Brown Will Preach Baccalaureate Sun.



Rev. LeRoy Brown, pastor of the Methodist church of Spearman will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon at the high school auditorium Sunday morning May 15th. The program begins at 11 a. m., and all church services of Spearman have been dismissed, we are informed, so that all may attend the Sunday services. Sunday schools will complete their work 15 minutes early giving the people of the city ample time to assemble at the school auditorium for the Sunday services.

The program for Sunday is as follows:
Processional, Miss Sybil Graham; Invocation, Rev. A. F. Loftin; "Holy City", Choral Club; Scripture Reading, Rev. George Bradford; "My Task", Elsie Ruth Porter; Sermon, Rev. LeRoy M. Brown; "Rock of Ages", trumpet solo, Bandmaster Fred Ratton; Benediction, Rev. Albert Smith; Recessional, Miss Sybil Graham.

Candidate For District And County Clerk

I take this means of announcing to my friends and the public that I have entered the race for District and County Clerk of Hansford county, subject to the action of Democratic voters at the July 23 primary, 1938.

I fully realize that the present incumbent is a very likable and capable man, and that he has served satisfactorily during the two terms as District and County Clerk. It is in the hopes that the voters will see fit to pass around this position, that other capable men who need similar work may have an opportunity to serve you that prompts me to enter the race.

I have had 12 years training in office work and have held some very responsible positions satisfactorily discharging duties similar to those of the District and County Clerk office.

I served with the army during the world war, and my health is such at this time that I am unable to perform physical labor. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

Foster Van Sant.

Dennis Jones Will Attend State Shoot at Lerado

Dennis Jones leaves next week for Lerado, where he will compete with the best marksmen of the state of Texas in a seven day shoot.

Jones has made a remarkable record in the past, and plans to bring back to Spearman the honor of the best rifle shot in the state of Texas. Mr. Jones has the promise of this newspaper that he will receive a new rifle from the people of Spearman if he can win the highest honors of the state. Jones says he would like to have 3 passengers on his trip, and suggest that anyone wanting to visit the lower Rio Grande valley make arrangements to make the trip with him and share the expenses of the outing.

Robert Douglas was an Amarillo visitor Thursday of this week.

STREAMLINED BEAUTY



Manufacturers of refrigerators that service the rural trade become interested in appealing to the love of beauty that will be the eye of Mr. and Mrs. Farmer. Witness the above new 1938 Superior, retailed in this section by McClellan Chevrolet Company.

Hansford County, Texas

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF HANSFORD COUNTY AS OF APRIL 30, 1938

JURY FUND

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$4,839.96. Receipts to April 30, 1938 00. Total 4,839.96. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 918.24.

Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 2 Sinking Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$ 405.47. Receipts to April 30, 1938 463.02. Total 868.49. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 106.44. Balance April 30, 1938 762.05.

Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 3 Sinking Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$ 293.02. Receipts to April 30, 1938 473.57. Total 766.59. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 157.50. Balance April 30, 1938 609.09.

Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 4 Sinking Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$ 485.14. Receipts to April 30, 1938 514.79. Total 999.93. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 106.44. Balance April 30, 1938 893.49.

General Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$ 563.26. Receipts to April 30, 1938 4,415.09. Total 4,978.35. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 1,412.50. Balance April 30, 1938 3,565.85.

Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 2 General Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$3,860.63. Receipts to April 30, 1938 3,323.23. Total 7,183.86. Disbursements to Jan. 31, 1938 1,138.12. Balance April 30, 1938 6,045.74.

Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 3 General Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$1,338.31. Receipts to April 30, 1938 3,385.66. Total 4,724.17. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 626.38. Balance April 30, 1938 4,097.79.

Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 4 General Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$1,843.27. Receipts to April 30, 1938 3,777.17. Total 5,620.44. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 804.65. Balance April 30, 1938 4,815.79.

Courthouse & Jail Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$ 537.12. Receipts to April 30, 1938 1,202.71. Total 1,739.83. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 666.07. Balance April 30, 1938 1,073.76.

Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 1 Sinking Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$ 523.41. Receipts to April 30, 1938 617.73. Total 1,141.14. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 233.57. Balance April 30, 1938 907.57.

Continuation of financial statements for various funds including Permanent Improvement, Spearman Independent Road, and Hansford County Wind Erosion.

Spearman Independent Road Dist. No. 1 Sinking Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$1,059.68. Receipts to April 30, 1938 2,036.65. Total 3,096.33. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 2,600.65. Balance April 30, 1938 495.68.

Hansford County Wind Erosion Conservation Dist. Fund

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Balance Jan. 31, 1938 \$5,258.42. Receipts to April 30, 1938 1,286.84. Total 6,545.26. Disbursements to April 30, 1938 648.58. Balance April 30, 1938 \$5,896.68.

Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness Of Hansford County April 30, 1938

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Hansford County Road & Bridge Warrants Series 1937 \$4,300.00. Hansford County Road Machinery Warrants, Series 1935 Prec. 3... \$5,250.00.

Total bonded indebtedness

\$150,446.00

MRS. MAY JONES, County Treasurer

Witness our hands officially, this 9th day of May, 1938.

A. F. BARKLEY, county judge

C. W. KING, com. prec. 1

V. H. OGLE, com. prec. 2. GUS OLSEN, com. prec. 3. COY HOLT, com. prec. 4. Sworn to and subscribed before me by A. F. Barkley, county judge and C. W. King, V. H. Ogle, Gus Olsen, and Coy Holt, county commissioners' of said Hansford county, each respectively on this 9th day of May 1938.

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 89,654 miles of 70.310 miles Seal Coat and 19,344 miles Reshaping Base & Double Asphalt Surface Treatment from Ochiltree County Line to Horse Creek Hwy. 85 Lipscomb & Hemphill Counties, Dumas to Sherman County Line Hwy. 9 Moore County, Spearman to Gruver & Loop through Gruver Hwy. 88 Hansford County, 2 miles east of Booker to 3 miles east of Darrouzett Hwy. 117 Lipscomb County, Panhandle to Armstrong County Line Hwy. 117 Carson County, Carson County Line to Claude Hwy 117 Armstrong County, 12 miles east of Pampa to Wheeler County Line Hwy. 152 Gray County, Canyon to Palo Duro State Park Hwy. 217 Randall County, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., May 24th, 1938, and then publicly opened and read. The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions concerning prevailing

and minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the original proposals in compliance with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

- Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (based on Eight (8) Hour Working Day) \$8.00. Carpenter 8.00. Shovel Operator 8.00. Crane Operator 8.00. Powder Man 8.00. Mechanic 8.00. Crusher Operator 4.00. Asphalt Raker 4.00. Roller Operator 4.00. Distributor Driver 4.00. Tractor Operator 4.00. Blade Operator 4.00. Broom Operator 4.00. Truck Driver (over 1 1/2 tons) 4.00. Finisher 4.00. Form Setter 4.00. Air Hammer Operator 4.00. Blacksmith 4.00. Fireman (Asphalt Plant) 4.00. Mixer Operator 4.00. Compressor Operator 4.00. Pump Operator 4.00. Spreader Box Operator 4.00. Steel Setter (Reinforcing Steel) 4.00. Oiler 4.00. Weigher 4.00. Truck Driver (1 1/2 tons and less) 3.20. Flagman 3.20. Unskilled Laborer 3.20. Teamster 3.20.

second and often a third. A survey shows that while accident repeaters constitute less than 4 percent of the population this group is responsible for 40 percent of the country's auto accidents. You can read a newspaper from the light of the 2 billion candle power beacon atop the Palmolive Building, Chicago, at a distance of 27 miles away. Federal Housing Administrator Stewart McDonald says F. H. A. program will lead to one million dollars of private construction before the year ends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gowen attended the picture show in Spearman Sunday evening.

HERE'S THE SHAVING VALUE THAT WON MEN EVERYWHERE. 4 PROBAK JUNIOR BLADES 10¢. You, too, will agree that you never got so much shaving satisfaction at so little cost! Try Probak Jr. Blades and you'll never again gamble on unknown blades. Get a package of these world-famous blades today - for only 10¢.

Dine Here! BURL'S CAFE. Drop in and enjoy any of the tasty dinners listed on our menu. Every dish is prepared especially for discriminating palates and priced so that the "bad-news" won't spoil your dinner! Complete change of menu every day!

SAVE 25% SAVE LIVES. REPLACE YOUR SMOOTH WORN TIRES AND BE SAFE. LAST year highway accidents cost the lives of more than 40,000 men, women and children and nearly a million and a quarter more were injured. More than 52,000 of these deaths and injuries were caused directly by punctures, blowouts and skidding due to smooth, worn, unsafe tires. A recent survey discloses that 59 million tires now in use are, or will become smooth this year. Do your part to make driving safer. Replace smooth tires on your car. Come in today and equip with Firestone Convoy Tires and save 25%.

FIRESTONE CAN GIVE YOU SUCH A HIGH QUALITY TIRE AT SUCH A NEW LOW PRICE. Because Firestone saves money by controlling and securing rubber and cotton at the source and by more efficient manufacturing and distribution. These savings make possible more extra values at low prices: New High Quality—First choice rubber and selected cotton that conforms to Firestone's high standards and rigid specifications. Long Mileage—Safe, silent tread design made of tough, slow wearing rubber that assures long mileage. Sturdy bars and rugged notches that give full protection against skidding. Blowout Protection—Nine extra pounds of rubber are added to every 100 pounds of cord by the Firestone Patented Gum-Dipping process. Every cord in every ply is saturated with liquid rubber which counteracts internal friction and heat that ordinarily cause blowouts. Puncture Protection—Firestone's patented construction of two extra layers of Gum-Dipped cords under the tread that protects against punctures. Come in today. Let us put a set of these large size, rugged, long wearing Firestone Convoy Tires on your car—remember, you save 25%.

BATTERIES, FIRESTONE SPARK PLUGS, FIRESTONE AUTO RADIO. AS LOW AS \$7.60. Firestone CONVOY FOR CARS AND TRUCKS. 4.50-20... \$7.60. 4.50-21... 7.90. 4.75-19... 8.15. 5.00-19... 8.80. 5.25-17... 9.25. 5.25-18... 9.65. 5.50-17... 10.45. 6.00-16... 11.80. 6.25-16... 13.15.

Firestone MOST MILES PER DOLLAR. Listen to the Voice of Firestone featuring Richard Crooks and Margaret Speaks and the 70-piece Firestone Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Alfred Wallenstein, Monday evenings over Nationwide N. E. C. Red Network. Tune in on the Firestone Voice of the Farm Radio Program twice each week on 132 the noon hour.



Do you need any reminder of what oil you bought? Not if it delivers smooth long mileage that you can't forget! Then here's the real big value of the little drain tag you get from Your Mileage Merchant: he marks it with your mileage today as you change to his patented Conoco Germ Processed oil, and then you can keep tabs on how far you go before you ever need another quart in your OIL-PLATED engine. OIL-PLATING is exclusive with Conoco Germ Processed oil. The patent-guarded Germ Process forces this oil to "magnetize" on to the working parts in the form of implanted slippy OIL-PLATING. The parts that used to wear worst and make your oil "rub out" fastest, now possess this all-over, deep-seated OIL-PLATING. It can neither drain down while your engine is stopped, nor let loose in all the whirl of 4,000 revolutions a minute. Therefore OIL-PLATING, done only by Your Mileage Merchant, distinctly tells you why your Germ Processed oil and your car money won't do a "disappearing act."

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KIRK'S CONOCO STATION COOPER TIRES SPEARMAN, TEXAS PHONE 133.

This ONE Machine Does EVERYTHING But Harvest the Crop. DEMPSTER TILLING, DAMMING and DEEP FURROW SEEDING MACHINE. You need only this one machine to do every job from wheat harvest to the next... and to follow the system of farming that greatly decreases the weather. Think of the money you save not buying several machines... of the labor and fuel saved by doing several jobs in one operation. WHAT IT DOES—With use as shown above you go into the stubble immediately after harvest—cultivate furrows and damming in one that ground is ready to catch moisture. Later you can level repair excellent seed bed with a prevent self-blowing. Then cast above a below you do an ideal job, depositing seed in wide, 6-in. bed, covering seed uniformly. STORE McClellan Grain Co. COME IN and see it at once! (28-D-10)

HOLT NEWS

Sunday school and church were attended by a large crowd Sunday afternoon. Rev. L. M. Brown Methodist pastor from Spearman filled his regular appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pendergraft had as their Saturday night guests Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams.

Mrs. Lorene Radney returned to her home in Darzoutte Sunday after a weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rosson.

Mrs. H. H. Stephen and daughter Marguerite motored to Stinnett where they took their husband and father there to catch the train for Lubbock where he is employed. They also did some shopping in Borger Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sparks and sons Joel Earl and Gray had as their week end guests his cousin Gray Sparks of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams had as their Thursday night visitors Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pendergraft and daughter Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller of Lyman, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott and daughter were shopping in Morger Monday. They also visited friends in Stinnett enroute to their home in Holt.

Mrs. Owen Pendergraft's Sunday school class contestant closed with Joy Zelle Scott winning 1st, Ada Rose Jackson 2nd and Glen Dale Scott 3rd. They were awarded prizes.

Edgar Dillow made a business and pleasure trip to Borger and Stinnett Monday morning.

Mrs. Jess Womble and daughter Janelle called on friends in Spearman Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Williams visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lee Saturday. She motored to town with them in the afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Keller, Mrs. Owen Pendergraft and daughter Betty Ruth spent Monday with Mrs. Charlie Rosson and Mrs. J. R. Kirk.

Miss Flodell Batton spent the week end with Miss Fern Gower of Spearman.

Mrs. T. I. Harbour and daughter Mrs. Robin Giblin were shopping in Borger Sunday evening.

George Winter made a business trip to Borger and Stinnett Monday.

Jess Womble made a business trip to Pringle and Morse Monday.

E. N. Scott is plowing this week for Pat Neilson of Spearman.

Gray and Earl Sparks were absent from school Monday due to illness.

eland McJunkin made a business trip to Perryton Monday afternoon where he transacted business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shedeck and children were shopping in Perryton Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. E. R. Hester and daughter Mona Beth called on friends in Spearman Monday afternoon.

Lee Jenkins of Spearman was looking after business interests in Holt Monday afternoon.

Raymond Jarvis made a business trip to Borger Monday afternoon.

C. A. Batton made a business trip to Spearman Monday morning.

J. B. Patterson attended commissioners' court in Stinnett Monday.

Mrs. Tom Rosson called on friends in Spearman Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Uptergrove and daughter had as their Sunday dinner guests their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hester and children J. D., Betty, Dorothy, Doris and Mona Beth and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Uptergrove and children, of Clovis, Della Beth and Roy Lee and Kenneth Killion.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harbour were shopping in Borger Monday morning.

Mrs. Claude Jackson visited friends in Spearman and Blodgett. D. B. Kirk spent the week end in Spearman with his family.

A large crowd of about 200 filled the Holt school house for a pie supper and recreational party.

The Tex Play Boys played Moral numbers. Misses Yvonne Moore and Shirley Joyce Moody of Borger sang several songs and gave tap dances. Following that Ale Lane of Borger who is running for sheriff made a talk and introduced the auctioneers.

Prizes were awarded the prettiest girl, Helen Richardson of Spearman; best looking boy, Dale Lane of Borger; most popular mother Mrs. Dan Burleson of Holt.

Pat Bennett, W. E. Sparks, and Bus Boxford, Spearman played for the party.

The entire Holt community wishes to thank Dale Lane of Borger for putting this pie supper over in such a big way.

The proceeds amounted to \$50 and will be used to help the 1928 song books.

GARDEN SEED

We have stocked a large supply of bulk garden seed to take care of all your needs in this line. All varieties and all kinds. SEE us for all Case farm machinery or repairs. De Lava Cream Separators.

R. L. McCLELLAN Grain Co.

CELLO GLASS FOR CHICKEN COOPS

See us for this most practical material for chicken coops. Time to Paint-up. We have the paint priced reasonable.

FOXWORTH-GALBRAITH LUMBER CO.

THE HOME OF FOOD BARGAINS

We strive to offer you the best quality food products at the most reasonable price that we can afford. We stock the freshest vegetables and dairy products and assure you of the most courteous service at all times.

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CLEOPATRA

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This is a bit of the story of the most seductive sweetheart that ever raised a man's blood pressure. Her name was Cleopatra, the queen goddess of Egypt—the enchantress of the Nile.

She has been dead for two thousand years, but her fame still glows brightly across the dead centuries. She committed suicide when she was 39; yet in her short riot of life, she won and held the ardent love of two of the most famous men who ever walked the earth—Mark Anthony and Julius Caesar.

Caesar was 54 and bald headed and Cleopatra was exuberant with the vitality of a youth of 21; and as Caesar looked upon her, he was lifted, as if by a tidal wave, to the foamy crests of love and ecstasy. By the ardor of her passion and the brilliance of her mentality she made Caesar her willing slave for life.

Months went by, and Cleopatra presented Caesar with a Son—the only son he ever had. Shortly after that, Caesar was assassinated and roaring old Mark Anthony always drunk always in debt became the mightiest Roman of all. Intoxicated with the wine of victory, Mark Anthony led his armies into the East bent on lot and plunder and a life of dissipation. Cleopatra trembled. How could she stop Antony? With ships and swords? Never. With love and caresses? Yes, maybe. So with a flair for the dramatic, with a genius for showmanship, she set out to meet Antony in a gilded ship with purple sails. Surrounding herself with all the

pomp and pageantry of the Arabian Nights, she had little boys, painted as Cupids, fanning her with peacock feathers, while voluptuous maidens, swathed in silk, danced to the wild strains of desert music. The fragrance of burning incense intoxicated the senses; and, in the midst of all this oriental glamour, Cleopatra lay on a silken couch, enchanting irresistible, posing as Venus, the Goddess of Love.

Antony became so infatuated with her that he lost all semblance of sense. He gave her the whole sea coast of Phoenicia as a present. Then he made her a gift of the province of Jericho, the island of Cyprus, the island of Crete. Finally as a grand climax to all his lavishness, he handed over to her the whole province of Asia.

The news of these gifts set Rome seething with hate and boiling with fury. What? Was all this territory, bought with a hundred battles and paid for in Roman blood, to be tossed away like a bauble to satisfy the whims of an Egyptian mistress? The answer was War. Cleopatra had over played her hand. The day of awful reckoning came, and Rome rose in its mighty wrath, destroyed the ships of Antony and Cleopatra and routed their armies.

This was the end, and they knew it. Antony realized that he would be captured and beheaded so he stabbed himself and died writhing in agony in the arms of Cleopatra, clinging to her in his death as he had clung to her in life.

She vowed over and over again that she would never be taken captive and led through the streets of Rome in chains for the populace to hoot and jeer at. So she committed suicide by poison-

ing. How she did it, no one will ever know. She lies buried today beside Mark Antony somewhere out in Egypt. Precisely where is still a mystery. If you go out to Alexandria and find her tomb you will get your name flung in the headlines in all the papers of the world. Incidentally you would become rich.

BLODGETT NEWS

Maxine Kenney spent Friday night with Pearl Maize at Spearman.

Thomas Riley and daughter were callers in the Blodgett home Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Simm were Spearman shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley and family were visiting in Canadian Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mearl Beck attended the community sale at Perryton Tuesday.

Mrs. Ralph and J. M. Blodgett, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dressen.

Mrs. rank Dressen and Mrs. B. Briley were callers in the Blodgett home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Church and family were in Spearman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. F Brainard and family were in Canadian over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Reed and daughter were shopping in Spearman and visiting Mrs. James Reed Saturday.

County Officials Join Battle For Lower Interest Rates

Commissioners at the regular meeting of the court Monday May 10th joined with several other counties of the area in sending a special committee to Washington to ask for the continuation of the lower 3 and 1-2 per cent interest rate on Federal Land Bank Loans and commission loans in this area. The regular rate of 5 per cent was reduced 3 years ago, but automatically becomes effective again in July of this year, if action if not taken at Austin. Conditions that justified the lower 3 and 1-2 per cent rate 3 years ago, certainly exist today in this area, and local

people believe that Washington will take favorable action on the plea of continuation of lower interest rates.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Spearman Independent School District will meet as a Board of Equalization on Tuesday May 24, 1920, at the high school building in Spearman, Texas.

W. M. Glover, Secretary of Board.

COUNTY COUNCIL MET AT MORSE

The County Council of PTA met at Morse Tuesday May 3, 1920 at 2:30 in the High School Auditorium.

The following program was enjoyed by delegates from Spearman, Gruver and Morse.

Flute solo, Voncellle Womble; Cornet solo, relayed by Walter Kellogg, Jack Dorte, Johnnie Dorte, Earl Henderson, Winifred Tompkins; Reading by Zoelle Gillispie; Vocal solo, Mr. Reinertsen.

Interesting reports were given from each of the working units. Supt. Wilson gave an interesting report from the Superintendent's Association held at Amarillo recently. The Council decided to invite Mrs. Hunkapillar to attend the fall meeting to be held in Gruver the first Tuesday in Oct. The meeting was adjourned and delicious refreshments served in the science hall.

WILL EMPLOY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT

Action of the Hansford county Commissioners' Court taken at the regular May meeting held Monday May 9, authorizing the employment of a Home Demonstration Agent to serve Hansford county, beginning July 1.

Rue Sanders, member of the graduating class of the high school will be unable to attend the graduation exercises next week because of illness from the prevalent throat infection.

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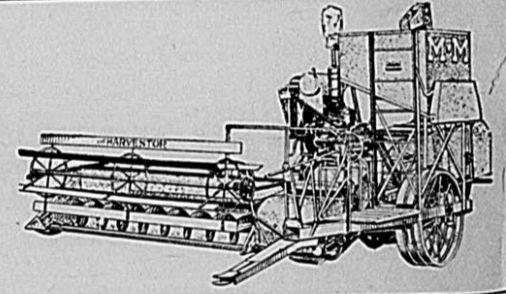
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PAPER WADS

By Edwin Reed

The time has come when the seniors talk of many things—of joy and of sadness at our graduation brings.

This will be my last contribution to the Lynx News. I am bringing to a close one of my happiest privileges of my life—that of serving the Spearman High school as editor of our school paper, "The Lynx".

I am but one of the many boys and girls who have graduated from dear old Spearman Hi, and I can't help but wonder if they shared by thoughts that I have now. Bewildered, but proud; afraid but confident.

The school has taught us many things that we will carry all through life with us. Things that were not listed in the curricular, nor found in text books, but things that are embedded in our hearts minds and sole the purpose and meaning of school have been communicated to us, it cannot be put into words but must be learned, felt, and taught by students and teachers.

I wish to thank everyone who has helped me with my work, the Lynx Staff, faculty and many others.

And as I say farewell, I wish you, each and everyone, the best of luck and hope that you prosper and advance the way I have the past four years.

LYNX GROWLS

Well! Well! Elsie, why all the celebration Sunday night.

Darn and stuff. Here I thought Arnold was going high-minded, he didn't take the airplane after all.

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ence for white trucks. What 3 Senior girls are jinx to cars. Flats and mudholes to say, nothing of car trouble. It seems to follow in their wake.

Friend Windy was out for a drive Sunday. They just wouldn't let Junior sleep in English Class Monday.

Kid day seemed to be too much for 4 of our Senior girls. They couldn't decide who was to go with whom.

Really, Elsie, I should think you could pack a dozen in your car. 10 seemed to be doing very well.

Lou, did you ever get your chicken liver?

Kelly, did you ever find your Marble?

Fran, opportunity never knocks but once and here you wasted a whole week, when you had the house and car to yourself.

"When Caesar was a babe in dipars When Chariots lack wind-shield wipers, Before Napoleon eer knew That he would meet his Waterloo

When Cleo was a howling brat Women never yelped, "Buy me that."

SENIORS

Rex Ernest Sanders, Jr.

Rex was born May 12, 1920, at Spearman, Texas. He, also, has attended Spearman schools practically all of his school life. He wants to attend college at Texas Tech. and major in athletics.

I wish to thank everyone who has helped me with my work, the Lynx Staff, faculty and many others.

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SENIOR HAVE KID DAY FRIDAY

Spearman High was favored with a visit from about 30 little folk Friday morning. Some of the children were unavoidably late so they brought Miss Graham, their Sponsor, fruit and flowers.

Little Junior Russell, Corky Wilbanks and Vic Ooley feared for their health, so they wore their long flannels. Willie Forbes went modern, however, and wore his short trousers. The poor little Sanders boy had the misfortune to tear his pants leg before getting to school. J. D. Wilbanks was suffering from a very black eye, but he came to join the frolic.

The children visited all the grade school rooms. Mr. Higgins told them stories, and Miss Tuttle showed them how to build a play house. Miss Baggerly was particularly glad to have them visit her room.

The young folk visited Chapel "en masse" where they paraded across the stage. Ruby and Alice had forgotten to wash the licorice off their faces, but it didn't matter to their care-free minds. Little James Winter was so bashful that he absolutely ran across the stage. Little Roy Lee McClellan showed his good breeding by carrying Martha Delon's books for her and giving her a delicious red jaw breaker.

SCRAPS

"The world is so full of a number of things I am sure we should all be as happy as kings."

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I've discovered the true secret of happiness—and that is to live in the now. Not to be forever regretting the past or anticipating the future; but to get the most you can out of this very instant. You can have extensive farming and intensive farming; well I am going to have intensive living after this. I am going to enjoy every second, and I'm going to know I'm enjoying it while I'm enjoying it. Most people don't live; they just race. They are trying to reach some goal far away on the horizon and they go so fast that they miss all of the beautiful country they are passing through now.

There are so many good possibilities.

I only hope college is half as nice as high school, and personally I don't believe graduation is so terribly serious and solemn as we would have it.

It is meant to be enjoyed (I hope I can remember that) and there are many things to look forward to after graduation. It will be fun to toss away my books and be off over the hills to race with the wind.

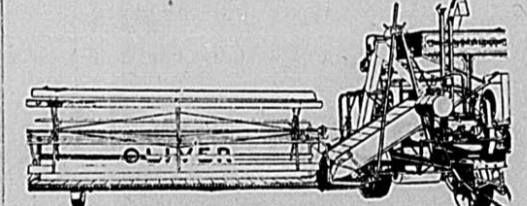
I also believe that it will be interesting and nice to make my own living. I have had some experience on that line (sounds like a business letter) and I know that it's a great satisfaction and pleasure to work.

preference in studies is public speaking. Her favorite cinema star is Spencer Tracy, and her favorite radio program is Tommy Dorsey's Swing Band. She was reporter of the Fish class and is the treasurer of the Senior class of '39. If she had the privilege of reorganizing the school system, she would install radios. She belongs to the Honor Club and the Home Ec. Club.

Harlan was born Jan. 2, 1921, at Hutchinson county. He attended Lackey schools before coming to Spearman in the 7th grade. He wants to attend college at Texas Tech, Lubbock and his major is to be agriculture.

Hazel Irene Jenkins Hazel was born Sept. 20, 1920; somewhere in the Holt community. She has gone to Spearman schools all of her school life. She wants to attend college at P. A. M. C. at Goodwell, Okla., and her major is to be choral singing. Hazel's hobby is collecting odds-and-ends. She is five feet, six inches tall, has brown curly hair, and is the proud possessor of perfect hazel eyes. She likes tennis best of all sports. Her

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Mrs. Tuttle Resigns From Supervision of Primary Department

Announcement has been made of the resignation of Mrs. Tuttle from the supervision of the Primary department to that of the First Grade.

Mrs. Tuttle came to Spearman in 1930. Since 1931 she has been supervisor over the first three grades of our Grammar school; the fourth being added to her department in 1934.

Since coming many outstanding improvements have been made, namely: play ground supervision, materials such as hectographs, paper cutter, printing presses, work tables and chairs and many other facilities for enriching primary work; organization of the Rhythm band, also each room has been well equipped with library materials.

Every state supervisor that has visited our school for the past several years has praised the system and the work of the Primary department very highly. Each year Mrs. Tuttle has personally supervised an operetta or play which has helped considerably with financing the above projects.

The principles of good citizenship installed in the hearts of these beginners will live long in our community as a memorial to her work.

Wentworth Harlan Terry Jr.

Harlan was born Jan. 2, 1921, at Hutchinson county. He attended Lackey schools before coming to Spearman in the 7th grade. He wants to attend college at Texas Tech, Lubbock and his major is to be agriculture. Harlan is every bit five feet five inches tall, has blonde hair, and blue eyes (oh yes! And he is a very sweet-natured person) His favorite sport is football. His preference in studies is agriculture, his favorite cinema star is Buck Jones, and his favorite radio program is Major Bowe's Amateur Hour. His pet aversion is English; in fact, if he had the privilege of reorganizing the school system he would omit all English 4 courses. He belongs to the 4-H club.

Elsie Ruth Porter Is Valedictorian

The grades of the Senior's for the past four years of high school work have been averaged and it has been found that Elsie Ruth Porter with an average of 94 and 7-30ths will be valedictorian and that Garnett Harmon and Hazel Jenkins tied for Salutatorian with an average of 92 and 2-15ths.

The other averages ranking in order are: Frances Hoskins, 91 13-15; Ruby Ruth Kelly, 90 7-15; Maguerite Stephen, 90 1-5; R. L. McClellan, 89 7-30; Perren Lyon, 89 1-10; Martha Delon Kirk, 88 27-30; J. D. Wilbanks, 86 1-15; and Nolan Holt 85 1-6.

FLOYD WESLEY SHIFTS

"Sheetaie" was born March 15, 1920, at Spearman, Texas. He, too has gone to Spearman schools all of his school years. He wants to attend college at P. A. M. C. at Goodwell, Okla., and his major is to be Mechanical Engineering. His hobby is playing basketball. Floyd is 6 feet 1 inch tall, has black hair and gray eyes. His preference in sports is basketball in which he lettered three years. His favorite study is Agriculture, his favorite cinema star is Joe E. Brown, and his favorite radio program is the Lucky Strike Hit Parade. His pet aversion is English 4. He was captain of the Lynx Basketball team of '38. If he had the privilege of reorganizing the school system he would omit all English.

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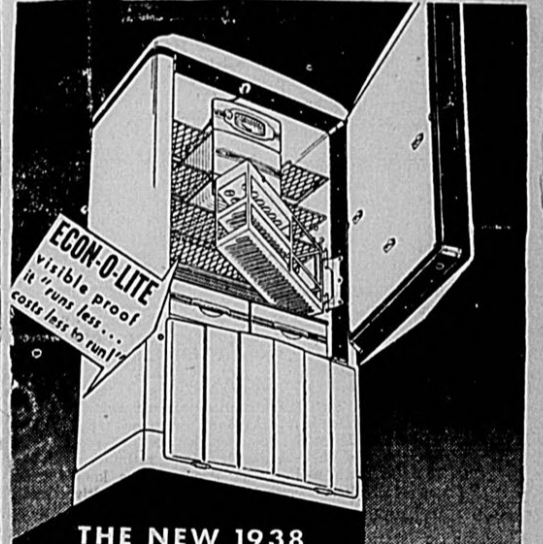
TYPISTS Francis Hoskins Edwin Reed

Increase in employment in the aviation industry—The largest pineapple crop on record, although size of the fruit this year will be smaller than usual.

HEADLINES—U. S. and Australian government experts begin talks on possible trade agreement.

World consumption of steel reached new high in 1937 of 549,000 long tons, or 32.4 pounds per each man, woman and child—Payroll for steel industry advances 13 per cent in March—Garwood Industries announces the employes profit-sharing plan whereby workers will receive 20 per cent of all dividends paid by company—Foreign sales of American farm equipment larger in March. Secretary of Commerce Roper urges adoption of annual wage for industry—Decision of chain stores to restrict purchases of Japanese toys will mean five million dollars worth more business for American toy manufacturers, declared Herman G. Fisher, president of the Toy Manufacturers of the U. S. A., Inc.

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L. A. Searcy, valedictorian
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Maxine Allen
DeKota Becker
Grant Becker
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Junior Campbell
Rosa Lee Clement
Eileen Davis
Lena Deering
Alice Hazlewood
Oneta Hollingshead
Nolan Holt
Frances Hoskins
James Winter
Chester Jones

Spearman

Elsie Ruth Porter, valedictorian
Hazel Jenkins, salutatorian
Garnett Harmond
Winnell Jackson
Edwin Reed
Bill Russell
R. E. Sanders
Rue Sanders
Floyd Sheets
Marguerite Stephens

Gruver

Mary Anna Hart, valedictorian
Lida Mulkin, salutatorian
Harold Stavlo
Betsy Dahl
Walter Hart
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Elizabeth Ann Miller—Call 10

BID A BIT BRIDGE CLUB AT JACKSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Jackson were host and hostess to the members of the Bid a Bit Bridge club for their regular dinner bridge meeting held at their home Thursday evening May 5.

High score award for the men went to W. L. Russell and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell was awarded the honors for the ladies.

Present and playing were Mesdames and Messrs Bill Hutton, Joe Hatton, L. B. Campbell, Bruce Sheets, Tommie Taylor, Bill Russell, Jimmie Jackson, Mrs. Gwinford Lackey and Roy Wilmeth.

SPEARMAN PTA CLOSES YEARS WORK

The Spearman PTA donated \$50.00 toward new stage scenery as a climax to their years work. While this was their newest project everyone realized that the school should have new scenery as soon as possible.

Mrs. Sid Clark presided in the absence of the president Mrs. F. J. Daily and installation of officers was postponed until Sept.

The following chairmen of committees were appointed: Music, Miss Mary Gantt; Art, Miss Dorothy Ewing; Study Club, Mrs. Major Lackey; Mother Singers, Mrs. C. A. Gibner; Lunch Room, Mrs. Bessie Tuttle; Programs, Mrs. Paul Roach; Membership, Mrs. Geo. Buzzard; Publicity, Mrs. Sid Clark; Hospitality, Mrs. Garrett Allen; Finance, Mrs. Fred Hoskins; Publications and Bookshelf, Miss Ethel Deakin; Room Mother, Mrs. E. C. Womble; Health, Mrs. J. E. Gower; Standards, Mrs. W. R. Finley.

Mrs. Geo. Buzzard had charge of the program for the day. She was assisted by Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, and Mrs. Williams. They discussed Community problems, from the standpoint of the parent and child.

Special entertainment was furnished by the 5th, 6th and 7th grade boys who presented an operetta "Boy Bandits" under the direction of Miss Ruby England. The attendance prize which has been passed from room to room became the permanent property of the 4th grade. They were first three times during the year. Yearly reports from the chairmen of the various committees indicate a very successful year's work.

LaJUDIE BRIDGE CLUB Mrs. Pauline Hale was hostess to members of the LaJodie Bridge club for their regular Friday afternoon meeting, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Taylor, Friday May 6th. Guests present were Mesdames: Robert Douglas, Will Miller, L. B. Campbell, Bill Hutton, Joe Hatton, and Ben Beck. Members playing were: Mesdames Bill Gandy, Vester Hill, S. B. Hale Sr., John Berry, R. W. Morton, Tommie Taylor, W. S. McNabb, Donald Jamison, Bill Jones. High score went to Mrs. Lloyd Campbell for the guests and Mrs. John Berry for members. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. R. W. Morton, Friday May 20th.

LOCKETT CIRCLE Ladies of the Lockett Circle had a fried chicken dinner with Mrs. O. J. Williams. After dinner they studied the last chapter of the Lee Lockett book which was very interesting. Members present were Mesdames: Roach, McNabb, Gandy, Fred Hoskins, Lewis, Moore, Hardin and the hostess Mrs. Williams.

FOR SALE: One No. 2 John Deere Combine. See or write Walter A. Gillispie, Morse, Tex.

BLANCHE ROSE WALKER SOCIETY

Mrs. Hutchison was hostess to the Blanche Rose Walker society Wednesday afternoon, May 11. Mrs. R. L. Baley led a very interesting study on the 15th chapter of Acts.

Ones present were Mesdames: W. L. Meek, W. M. Glover, R. L. Baley, Jess Edwards, Foster Hughes, Miss Altha Groves and the hostess.

They were glad to have Mrs. Ira Pearson from Pampa as a visitor. Next week they will meet with Mrs. Glover and study the 16th chapter of Acts.

SNAP DRAGON CLUB

Mrs. Rube Howe was hostess to the Snap Dragon Flower and Garden club last Monday afternoon and there were 15 members present! Mrs. McNabb led the lesson on Water Gardening. All enjoyed this delightful discussion and are anxious to study and learn more about gardening and flowers. A hankie shower was given to their president Mrs. A. F. Hardin. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames: Yates DeArmond, Earl Riley, J. E. Gerber, Fred Mizar, Mrs. Howe and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Huffhines Amarillo, visited in the home of Mrs. Huffhines parents, Judge and Mrs. A. F. Barkley last week end. Mrs. Huffhines is the former Miss Reba Barkley, popular member of the younger set of this city.

JUNIOR LADIES

The Junior Ladies Bible class met in the home of Mrs. Ernest Archer May 4th with nine members present. The lesson was conducted by Mrs. Archer. The devotional was led by Mrs. Olin Sheets. The class was dismissed by Mrs. R. D. Howell. Lovely refreshments were served to Mrs. Howard Pope, De Armond, Miss Marcella Newcomb, Rhoda Overton, Mrs. Olin Sheets, Mrs. T. R. Lillie and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Miss Colleen Buzbee.

DALIAH FLOWER CLUB

The regular meeting of the Daliah Flower club scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Hoskins, Monday afternoon, May 16 will be held at the home of Mrs. Jess Womble. The meeting begins promptly at 3:30.

BAPTISING AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT

Due to the fact that the Baptistry was not ready for the Baptising last Sunday, the Baptising was not held, but will be held this Sunday evening. Rev. A. F. Loftin will be at Booker for the 11 o'clock hour, but will return home for the evening service.

MORSE PTA COMPLETES YEARS WORK

The Morse PTA held its last meeting of a very successful year Tuesday afternoon May 10. After a short business session Mrs. H. S. Durham installed the new officers for 1938-39.

Mrs. S. J. Board, president; Mrs. Moody Womble vice-president; Mrs. A. E. Henderson, secretary; Mrs. Jack Johnston, treasurer; Mrs. L. N. Lanners, membership committee chairman; Mrs. Walter A. Gillispie, publicity; Mrs. Allen Pierce, hospitality; Mrs. H. Coffee, publications; Mrs. T. C. Tompkins, finance; and Mrs. W. R. Mortimer, historian. Light refreshments were served those present.

SUNSHINE NEEDLE CLUB

The Sunshine Needle Club met in the home of Mrs. Earl Riley May 10th with 10 members present. After an interesting afternoon of sewing, refreshments were served to Mrs. R. B. Archer, Jr. Mrs. T. R. Lillie, Mrs. Noel Womble, Mrs. Freeman Barkley, Mrs. Dub Hannah, Mrs. Carl Owen, Mrs. Raymond Kirk, Mrs. L. De Armond and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Noel Womble.

O. B. Sires, father of Mrs. Rex Sanders from Plainview returned to his home Thursday after a 2 weeks visit with the Sanders family.

WOMAN'S COUNCIL OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The women of the Christian church had their regional meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Christian church. The lesson on the 20th chapter of Matthew was led by Mrs. George Bradford. All ladies of the church are urged to be present next Wednesday as there will be a quilting.

HAINES BOYS RETURN HOME

Arthur (Bib Shine) Haines and Harry Haines, local boys who have just completed a 4 years enlistment in the United States Army, have returned home. Little Shine returned home several weeks ago and is now working at Burl's Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Powers of Amarillo spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Power's sister Mrs. C. A. Gibner.

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of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

The cost of insurance is not based on the average amount of yield, but on the year-to-year variations in yield. "Two farmers with the same average yield for the 10 year period would not necessarily pay the same premium for the same percentage," S. N. Holmgreen, administrative officer of the Texas AAA office at Texas A. & M. College, who attended the meeting, pointed out. The farmer who suffered but little crop loss would pay less than the farmer who suffered frequent and heavy losses, even though their average yields were the same.

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Appearing on the program will be members of the fifth and sixth grade classes. Ushers are Bennie Briley, Jimmie Linn, Irvin Davis, and Buddy Brockus. Fifth grade pupils in the May Pole Dance are: Dorothy Hester, Patsy Dacus, Dorothy Bradford, Georgia Burleson, Mary Alice Campfield, Iris Hall, Mildred McKay, and Arlys Womble, girls; Carl Deon Good, Warren Oakes, Frank Porter, Donald Schell, Gene Schnell, Lewis Schnell, Jack Dacus and Billy Joe Thorn, boys.

"The Kingdom of Rose Queens" a short playlet with members of the sixth grade participating, has an ideal setting in the spring garden surroundings. Bill, a naughty little boy, is captured by the 3 Yellow Violets who, with the help of the Woodland Executioners, Poison Ivy, and Toad Stool bring about his trial, before the Forest Flowers.

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to sacrifice either a share of his profits or a portion of the quality in his bread to meet such outside competition. We American people are always on a hunt for something free, and there is no question but what any gift enterprise makes an appeal to the people of our county. This writer just wonders if it would not be the best part of good judgement to pass up the purchase of out-of-town bread, if the free theatre ticket is the only inducement that leads to the purchase, and show just this little bit of loyalty to a home institution. I believe every man has the right to spend his money how and when he pleases, and this article is not a criticism—just a hint that maybe we have not counted the cost in patronizing out of Spearman firms. After all, we have a theatre here in our city that handles first run shows, and it does seem a bit cheaper to pay the regular price for our bread and attend our own theatre than to save the price of a kids admission and pay car expenses to visit adjoining cities.

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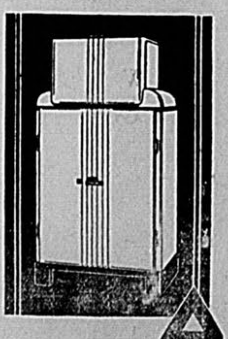
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