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DON'T NAME IT

By HONEST BILL

Guess this writer will have to issue a code book to readers so they may interpret the writing published in this column.

Last week the writer was somewhat concerned about CCC camps and the expense of operation. The camps have defenders in this area, and the writer was informed that he made the following mistakes: to-wit:

The CCC camps do not cater to wealthy land owners.

The Perryton CCC camp has not maintained an average enrollment of 225 men, but only 25 enlisted men.

The money spent in maintaining CCC camps include clothing, medical attention and education and training.

This writer stands corrected, and we gladly inform our readers that we did not mean to imply that the Perryton camp was a corrupt organization in league with the few (not wealthy) (there is no such land owners in Hansford county) land owners who have been fortunate enough to have cash on hand to pay their expenses of operations.

When all is said and done, there is no other way to offer the services maintained by the Perryton camp, other than to those land owners who can share with the government in the expense of operation. This writer has no criticism to offer for the plan and method... and we are not looking for a gift horse in the mouth. We only hope that some of our less efficient land owners will make a trip that will enable them to take advantage of the many offers of the National Government in the fight against soil erosion.

Furthermore, the writer gladly informs our readers that the Perryton camp maintains an educational director and 2 army officers who understand draw \$5,000.00 annually, which sum is included in the cost of maintaining the camp, and therefore would be items represented in the \$1,200.00 annually appropriated to maintain each CCC enrollee.

We hasten to add that we have vectors in our county who are making good educational progress in the matter of training up some 500 youths in this section, and if it is costing us \$1,200.00 annually to clothe, feed and educate these school children, God help the WPA worker with five mouths to feed, three children to educate and three on \$29.40 a month.

For fear some reader might get a false impression, the writer states most emphatically that there are many good results of the National CCC. It was originally an emergency plan. Our young men were training the country, fighting freight trains, stealing and driving off livestock. They were at an impressionable age and were under the most unwholesome influence possible. The situation was unbearable. Parents could not maintain their boys at home, no work, meagre living... and naturally the highways and by-ways were loaded down with tramps that should be gaining information and training of value. The idea of a national organization was and is splendid. The emergency demanded action at any cost. This writer believes that CCC camps are worth all that has been spent on them... and rather than have the youth of the nation drift back into the situation we faced at the time of the organization of the camps this writer would add to an issue of pink silk underwear, bridge tables, manicuring and three educational directors to every squad of 8 men.

But with this and that, it is not a bit inconsistent for our National Government to assume the obligation of taking one member of a family from a home, and spend \$1,200.00 annually on him in the payment of \$30.00 monthly salary and providing for his comfort of living and education... then turn back to the head. See No. 4 on back page.

Many Hansford Citizens Attend Victory Celebration Held At Amarillo, Wednesday, Sept. 8

DRAW FINES AND JAIL SENTENCE IN COURT

Marvin Waite and Roy Dorman charged with theft of tools and accessories from Hansford county tractor in the Gus Olson precinct were tried in County court Tuesday of this week, and after entering a plea of guilty were assessed fines of \$10.00 each and 30 days in jail. Both men have been in jail awaiting trial for about two months.

Many Farmers Drilling In County This Week

Many wheat producers who have been favored with rainfall during the past 12 days have begun seeding their wheat land this week. In many fields the ground is so wet to operate a drill at this time but many will be able to begin their planting season by the end of the week if additional moisture does not fall. Some producers declare it is entirely to early to sow wheat at this time. They state the growth of the wheat will sap up half enough moisture to grow a wheat crop. Men with that kind of opinion do not plan to plant until October, and do not anticipate any pasture wheat for this year.

Business Conditions Up Says Railroad Head

Santa Fe system carloadings for the week ending Sept. 4, were 24,093 cars, compared with 21,127 for the same week last year. The company received from connections 6,046 cars, compared with 5,764 for the same period last year. Total cars moved were 30,139, compared to 26,891 for the same week in 1936. The Santa Fe handled a total of 29,228 cars during the preceding week this year.

Improving Old First State Bank Building

Workmen this week have been employed in making several changes on the interior of the old First State bank building, occupied by J. R. Collard and Hansford Abstract Co. Mr. Collard plans a reception room in the back of the building with a south door entrance. The space immediately north of the large vault in the building is being built into a private business room, and will be shared jointly by Mr. Collard and Mr. Lyon. Hansford Abstract Co., will occupy all the space in the front of the building.

SON BORN TO WOMBLES

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Noel Womble an eight and one half pound boy Saturday Sept. 4, at the North West hospital, Amarillo, Texas. The new Spearman citizen has been named Lary Leon.

Farmers Have Meeting Tuesday Evening

A number of farmers of Hansford county met in the courthouse Tuesday night, the new farm legislation was discussed at length and a set of resolutions were adopted suggesting some of the points that were thought to be beneficial to this locality. The farmers were unanimous in wanting a farm program with controlled production, parity price and parity income for the farmer.

Oklahoma Man Buys 4 Panhandle Lmb. Yards

James D. Bartlett, Clinton, Okla. last week purchased the Panhandle Lumber Co. of Gruver. The Gruver yard will be known as the Canadian Lumber Co. Also in the purchase were yards at Canadian, Perryton, and Darrouzett.

MRS. W. W. SMITH RITES HELD MONDAY

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Methodist church in memory of Elizabeth Jane Smith, wife of W. W. Smith, who died at her home in Spearman, Sunday night, Sept. 5. Officiating at the services was Rev. W. A. Hitchcock pastor of the Spearman Methodist church. Interment was at the Hansford cemetery. Mrs. Smith, wife of W. W. Smith, had lived in Spearman six years prior to the recent illness. She was 50 years old at the time of death. The deceased is survived by her husband, W. W. Smith, four sons, L. V. Smith, R. D. Smith, Dewey Smith of Spearman, and Coy Smith of Durhama, Okla., five daughters, Effie Smith, Opal Smith, Nadine Smith, Frankie Smith of Spearman and Mrs. Florine Fitchgerald of Elk City, Okla., three brothers, Edgar Hendricks, Snyder, Tex., John Hendricks, Denison, Tex., and Sam Hendricks, Telephone, Tex., one sister, Mrs. Annie Vaughn, Denison Texas, all of whom were present at the funeral services.

Resettlement Changes Name Helps Work

One of the best things about the reorganization of the Resettlement Administration is the change of the name to the Farm Security Administration. The name Resettlement has been a misnomer from the start. It has been the cause, indirectly at least, for a lot of the troubles the organization has had. A catch phrase of its opponents has been "the Resettlement Administration which has settled nothing." L. H. Hauter, regional director, hit the nail on the head when he said recently, "There is one thing I can say very definitely, and that is that I like the new name."

The five-state region served by the Amarillo office of the Farm Security Administration has never felt quite as bitterly against the organization as other regions. That is largely because the affairs of this region were administered well, because hard-hit farmers found prompt relief through an organization that has been able to cut through red tape. There have been some features of the Resettlement activities where the value may not have been evident, but on a whole, the program in this region has been highly satisfactory. However, the organization should make possible even more effective work.

LABOR DAY ACTIVITIES LIMITED IN SPEARMAN

Labor day was just like most other Monday's to Spearman citizens. With the exception of the bank and post office all business houses remained open. Many local people, especially from the Holt community attended the Hutchinson county fair held at Borger.

FOR SALE—Practically new Oliver field cultivator. Or will trade for cows. See C. J. Frantz, 9 miles north, mile east of Waka.

'Taint' Right Cap 'Taint' Right

Now comes R. T. (Cap) Correll, attorney and well known citizen of Ochiltree county, invading the capital of Hansford county, going from office to office in the court house, predicting the results of the forthcoming battle between the Spearman Lynx and the Perryton Rangers. Cap is most thorough in his method of "rubbing it in", and his predictions as to what the Rangers will do to the Lynx, comes the annual Armistice day game at Perryton this year will cost him any law case he ever tries in this county if this writer gets a chance to sit on the jury... why did burn his hide I wouldn't even listen to him... And to make bad matters worse,

RAINFALL BRINGS MONTH TOTAL NEAR TWO INCHES

Following a practically dry June, July and August, one and a half inches of moisture has been recorded so far in Sept. One inch of this rainfall came Friday night of last week and Sunday morning of this week. The Government gauge showed .70 inch for Friday night and .25 inch for Sunday morning. Both rains fell slowly and the moisture was all saved. In some places the rainfall was much greater with an inch reported Friday for Guyton Perryton and Liberal, Kans., a slight rain at Morse, very little moisture either day at Gruver. However, north and west of the canyon from Gruver, near two inches of rainfall was reported. Additional rainfall over the county early Wednesday morning recorded .41 inch of moisture. This brings the Sept. record to near two inches. The rainfall of this month has been very spotted and many localities have enjoyed more moisture than recorded at Spearman. Reports coming to Spearman Wednesday morning was to the effect that Gruver had a splendid rain, probably 2 inches fell on Wednesday.

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guide the pupils of the Spearman schools for the 1937-38 term:

Table listing school staff members: W. R. Finley, superintendent; B. S. McMurry, graduate work; J. E. Gunn, principal of high school; Miss Ethel Deakin, M. A., Boulder, Colo., math, librarian; Miss Sibyl Graham, B. A., Texas Tech., English high school; Miss Barbara Hawkins, B. A., W. T. S. T. C., English, Spanish and girls coach; Wayne Wilkins, B. S., Texas Tech. coach; R. G. Brannon, B. A., Hardin Simmons band and manual training; Miss Revah McLain, B. A., O. U., home economics; Grade School; G. T. Higgins, principal, B. A., W. T. S. T. C.; Miss Ruby England, B. A., E. T. S. T. C., music; Miss Dorothy Ewing, B. A., Mary Hardin Baylor, English; Hugh Snodgrass, B. A., Texas Tech, assistant coach; Miss Margaret Douglas, B. A., W. T. S. T. C., geography and history; Primary Grades; Mrs. Bessie Tuttle, principal; Miss Evelyn Roach, B. A., P. A. & M., third grade; Lois Bailey, B. A., Texas Tech, second grade; Miss Lois Hale, B. A., W. T. S. T. C., Fourth Grade; Miss Mary Gantt, B. A., W. T. S. T. C., music; Enrollment in school for the first day was as follows: High School 188, Grade School 183, Primary Dept. 134, Total 465.

Lion Club Members Resume Meetings Tues.

Twenty-two Lion club members and guests were present at the home of Mrs. Paul Roach Tuesday noon for the first meeting of the organization since the summer vacation adjournment. Boss Lino Lloyd Campbell turned the program into a business meeting following the luncheon, for the purpose of discussing the possibility of surrendering the charter of the organization in Lions International. Suggestions had been made during the summer relative to disbanding the Lion club and leaving the way open for organization of a Chamber of Commerce. The idea prevailed

that a more representative organization of business men could be secured in a Chamber of Commerce than a Lion club. While club members agreed that a Chamber of Commerce was desirable for Spearman, most members felt that the Lion club with its International affiliation and social-service features had a place in the community that could not be taken by a purely commercial club organization. Every member present discussed the problem, and a vote taken at the conclusion of the meeting was unanimous for the continuation of the Lion club.

Spearman's Gridsters Return From Training

After ten days training grind at their summer camp near Eagle Nest, N. M., Spearman Lynx players returned home Friday of last week, and started home training for their first game scheduled with Dalhart at Dalhart Friday, Sept. 17. The boys undaunted by the fact that they did not have an official coach, worked hard under the leadership of principal G. T. Higgins. The fact that their coach is still in the hospital, and the

boys are under the leadership of assistant coach Hugh Snodgrass does not seem to daunt the spirit of the squad of 23 players. The team just seems to thrive on obstacles, and they are pronounced the hardest hitting and best blocking Lynx team since 1932. Asst. coach Snodgrass is working with the boys continuing the fundamentals of football, and will leave formations and plays to be worked out by coach Wayne Wilkins, who will arrive in Spearman Friday of this week.

\$25,000 In Cash Prizes Offered Sept. 20-25

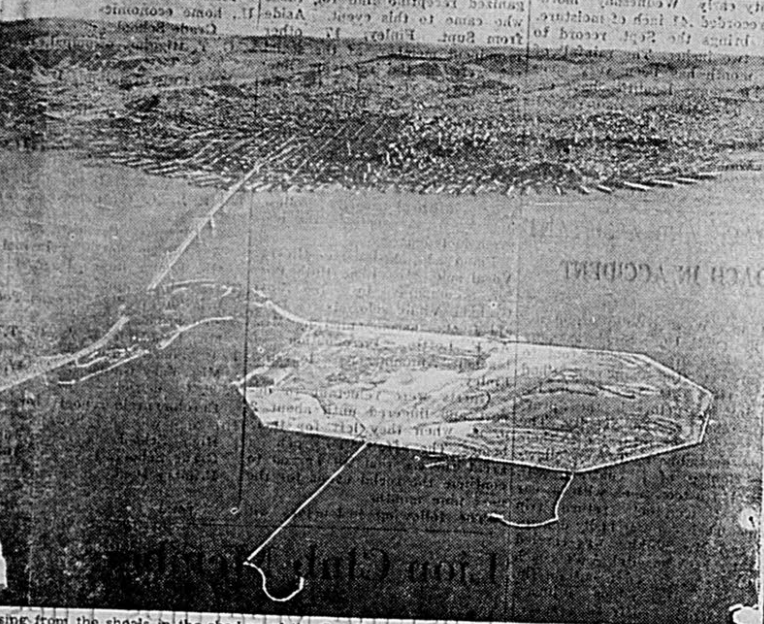
AMARILLO, Sept. 9, (special)—With excellent exhibits assured for all departments in competition for nearly \$25,000 in cash prizes. The Tri-State Fair virtually is ready for its crystal celebration, Sept. 20-25. Every night in front of an enclosed grandstand "The Passing Parade," an elaborate musical show will be presented. Twice each day the A. I. G. Barnes and Sells Floto circus will give a performance. Beutler Bros. of Elk City, Okla., will direct the rodeo, which

will have more special performers than any other rodeo staged in the southwest. Crowley's United Shows will add to the dazzle of this crystal celebration on the midway in their first Texas engagement. Governor James V. Allred will appear and be the principal speaker at a meeting of old settlers on the exposition grounds, Wednesday, Sept. 22. Governor Clyde Tingley has promised to attend the exposition on New Mexico day, Friday, Sept. 24.



Sturdy little legs and strong bodies call for rugged games during the long, late summer afternoons at Dufoe Nursery at Callander. Ont., and here are the Dionne quintuplets about to launch a game of "crack the whip." Cecile, left, at the head of the line, smiles in anticipation of the fun as the quintets form a chain, with Annette and Yvonne next in line. Marie tries a little hand wrestling and Emilie awaits the starting signal.

Man-Made Island to Become Golden Gate Airport



Rising from the shoals in the shadow of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay bridge, "Treasure Island," shown in above air view, mile-square, man-made site of the Golden Gate World's Fair in 1939, will become one of the nation's major airports after the close of the exposition. Construction on permanent buildings, an administration building and two hangars, is nearing completion. The island was built of sand and silt dredged from the bottom of the bay. In the foreground are two dredges, constantly adding to the island, which now rises 13 feet above the water level. A highway, at center left, connects the island with nearby Yerba Buena Island.

HANSFORD COUNTY NEWS

Holt News

Charlie Rosson, president of the Holt singing class and also president of the Hutchinson county Platens singing convention, has asked Willis Lackey to take charge of the Holt class in any way he sees fit to carry on. Rosson is having his teeth extracted and will be several weeks before he can take charge of the class. Rosson urges that every one interested in singing to come out and help Lackey make this class a success.

The new Holt school bus started Monday morning with Owen Pendergraft driving the Holt bus to Spearman.

Rev. Smith, pastor of the Presbyterian church in Spearman delivered a sermon at Holt Sunday afternoon after Sunday school.

W. M. Lackey made a business trip to Plainview Sunday morning after a load of straw for the stock pens at the fair in Borger.

Dan Burlison left Saturday for Colo., to bring back a load of peaches.

Mrs. H. H. Stephen and Mrs. Willis Lackey returned home Saturday evening from a visit in Wellington, Texas.

Miss Flodell Batton left Monday for Spearman where she will be employed in the Smith Variety Store in Spearman.

Mrs. Leonard Jamerson, Mrs. Major Lackey, Mrs. M. C. Scott and Mrs. P. H. Jamerson fixed up the Holt club booth at the fair at Borger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed D'How were visiting her mother, Mrs. J. E. Lackey in Spearman Monday.

Mrs. Major Lackey and children and Mrs. Willis Lackey were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Major Lackey's sister Mrs. J. H. Broadhurst of Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Jamerson and Mrs. Leonard Jamerson were shopping in Borger Monday morning.

Mrs. Juanita had as her week end guest Miss Mary Brandt of Spearman.

Tom Coble of Amarillo was a business visitor in the Holt community Monday.

Uncle Joe Close and Joe Campbell made a business trip to Borger Monday morning.

Willis Lackey, Nolan Holt, Russell Baker, Marvin and Kaster Lackey and Major Lackey and R. C. Stewart were in Borger Monday helping with the live stock.

Dan Terry made a business trip to Stinnett Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scott and children, and Elbert Scott of

Shamrock were attending the fair in Borger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lackey and daughter Donna Lee of Borger visited their farm at Holt Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Ownbey returned to her home in Amarillo after a few days visit with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sparks and children visited friends in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. R. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rosson were in Spearman Monday morning where Mrs. Kirk had some dental work done.

Ed Close transacted business in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Russell Baker and children attended the show in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson and daughter Georgie Marie and Bonnie Lee and son Jimmie attended Sunday school and church in Spearman Sunday morning at the Church of Christ.

Dan Terry made a business trip to Stinnett Monday morning.

Mrs. Jake Lamb and daughter Juanita were Monday guests of Miss Vance Close in Spearman.

Blodgett News

W. M. Deck attended the second annual picnic on the Kelley Ranch in Wheeler County Thursday. The main speaker of the day was C. H. Day of Plainview, vice-president, and organization director of the Texas agriculture association.

Dean Church spent Saturday with Lonnie Ray Kenney.

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett and Mrs. J. M. Blodgett were callers in the J. F. Sim and A. D. Reed homes Wednesday evening.

Margaret Alline Reed spent most of last week in her home, mother Mrs. James Reed, of Spearman.

Marie Deck was a caller in the Blodgett home Wednesday morning.

W. M. Deck and G. W. Meyers attended the public sale at Perryton Tuesday.

E. H. Brainard and son E. S. F. Brainard are attending business at Canadian and the lower ranch this week.

Mrs. W. Y. Williams spent Friday night with Mrs. Henry Keith.

A. D. Reed and Margaret Alline were shopping in Perryton Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beck and son were guests in the Pearl Beck home Sunday.

Marie Deck returned Sunday from a trip to Coltrane Springs over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dodson accompanied the "Busy Bee Club" on their vacation to the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. John Macfar and baby from Borger spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. D. Gowen at the Brainard Ranch.

Mrs. J. M. and Ralph Blodgett called in the W. M. Deck home Monday evening.

The Blodgett "D" Club met in the home of Mrs. J. F. Sim Monday evening. The usual business was attended to. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following:

Mesdames: S. J. Powell, Earl Church, Ralph Blodgett, J. M. Blodgett, and the hostess Mrs. J. F. Sim.

G. W. Meyers took the bus for Lubbock Friday morning he will visit relatives there before returning to his home at Gatesville.

Earl Wade was in the Blodgett community measuring contract land Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett, Mrs. O. D. Gowen, and R. D., and Mrs. J. M. Blodgett were Spearman shoppers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hooper were trading in Spearman Thursday.

L. W. Austin was employed by LeVines Amarillo last week. Mary Beth also spent the week in Amarillo.

Mrs. L. W. Austin and Helen accompanied them to Amarillo but returned home.



HAPPILY EVER AFTER—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor, leading the life of a happily married couple, stroll from their hotel at the Lido, Italy. Still style setter, while the Duke is wearing slacks, while the Duchess wears an American sports dress.



WHOS HOT?—Not nine-months-old Newton Charles Courtney of Swampscott, Mass. When the mercury climbs towards the 100-degree mark, Newton gathers together his toys and bottle and retires to the family refrigerator.



GR-R-R-R!—Tommy Farr, British heavyweight boxing challenger, puts himself in fighting trim with a raw meat "snack" at his training quarters at Long Branch, N. J., in preparation for his championship bout with Joe Louis at Yankee Stadium.



FORWARD-LOOKING—Berlin, N. H., leads upswing in New England industrial fortunes as 75-year-old Brown Company announces reorganization plan to keep pace with mounting orders for rayon and paper pulp.



LAUNCHES HEALTH DRIVE—Inaugurating what is believed to be the nation's first state-wide hospitalization program for the infant Governor Richard W. Leche of Louisiana approves a \$12,000 plan to make spectators' jaws sag as it frisks about in a New York Zoo. The okapi is a strict vegetarian, and likes carrots and cabbage.



WHAT IS IT?—It's an African okapi, a weird animal that can't make up its mind whether to be a giraffe or a zebra. The first okapi to see the United States plans for a \$12,000 plan to make spectators' jaws sag as it frisks about in a New York Zoo. The okapi is a strict vegetarian, and likes carrots and cabbage.



HAT'S A GOOD IDEA—A hat big enough for two used to great advantage at Blackpool where the holiday season is at its height.



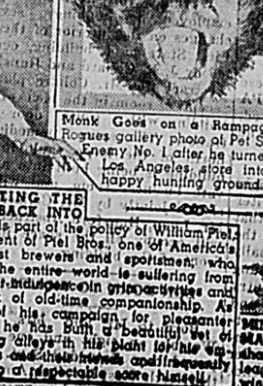
GEORGE WASHINGTON BRIDGE BEING DRESSED UP—Safeguarded by rope-line a large squad of painters scramble every morning over the railing to the scaffolding below. The repainting of aluminum color in keeping with the rest of the span is a continuous process with a different section scheduled each year. It is not unusual for the George Washington Bridge and Holland Tunnel to pay the 50,000 mark on Sunday.



Monk Goes on a Rampage—Rogue gallery photo at Pet Shop Enemy No. 1 later, Los Angeles, shot into a happy hunting ground.



PUTTING THE FUN BACK INTO LIFE—is part of the policy of William Piel, President of Piel Bros., one of America's greatest brewers and sportsmen, who feels the entire world is suffering from an over-indulgence in grapevines and a lack of old-time companionship. As part of his campaign for pleasure things he has built a beautiful set of bowling alleys in his back lot. His employees and their families are presently rolling up a respectable score!



NUMBER NINE has a good thing. Continued from page 1.



SENIOR LEAGUE MOUND—Mrs. V. E. Steed and son returned this week from ten days visit with her family in Blackburn and family of Fresno.

PROTECTS SEEDS - CROPS - PROFITS

Sow wheat to withstand winter-kil, soil-blowing and droughts! Plant seeds the safe, correct way—down next to the firm and moist soil. Do it with the remarkable

DEMPSTER LISTER TYPE

No. 20 FURROW SEEDING MACHINE

This dependable seeding machine evenly scatters the seed in a wide 6-inch furrow bottom on a firm, equal chance to germinate and grow. The seed is covered at a uniform depth in a subsoil like fashion and is firmly packed by special constructed packer wheels of the well-known corn planter type.

COME IN—and let us show you this amazing development in wheat seeding equipment. Let us explain the name "DEMPSTER" and how it saves your money and assures bigger yields. See the name "DEMPSTER" on the machine that makes you a well-made, easily operated, long-lasting better than any other.

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The Rest of the Record

BY JAMES V. ALLRED GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

Quite a few of the newspapers have carried statements lately to the effect that we didn't need any new taxes. It's hard for me to understand this contention. When the Legislature met in regular session this year I told them that the general fund deficit would be approximately 15 million dollars on August 31. It was turned out to be just about that.

The trouble is, as I pointed out in my message to the regular session of the Legislature, that expenditures at that time (last January) exceeded income about two and a half million dollars per year. I specifically stated that I could not recommend increases in appropriations other than a little over a million dollars for the insane asylums and other eleemosynary institutions. In the face of these recommendations the Legislature increased appropriations approximately four million dollars per year and not a single penny of additional revenue was finally provided to take care of either the deficit or the increased appropriations.

In addition to the money necessary to wipe out the deficit and to take care of these increases in appropriations, I recommended that additional moneys be raised for old age assistance. This, too, was not done. I still think we need more money in the old age assistance fund to take care of many worthy cases. In my opinion the trouble isn't so much with the law. We just need more money in the fund.

Besides we owe \$1,627,000.00 on old age assistance warrants issued before the tax laws went into effect. Claude Teer, chairman of the commission, says we need more money for old age assistance. Unless new money is raised before the first of January we are going to get into a tight and more people will have to be cut off.

Besides all this, the people recently adopted several constitutional amendments. I am sorry they didn't adopt the amendment to authorize the Legislature to pay public officers out of fees or salaries. This would have saved at least half a million dollars a year but the people have spoken and I'm always willing to abide by the will of the majority.

Two amendments adopted authorized the State to completely cooperate with the Federal government in its social security program. One authorized aid to the needy blind, and the other to dependent, neglected children. As yet I have no exact figures on how much aid to needy blind will cost, but aid to needy children is limited to one and a half million dollars a year for the State's part. In addition to this the people adopted the teachers' retirement amendment last year, and this is estimated to cost over two million dollars a year for the State's part.

Now all this adds up into millions. I'm the last person in the

EDUCATION NEVER ENDS

One of the wisest remarks we have read for a long time was made by a New York judge the other day. "Only a clod speaks of his education in the past tense." In ruling that a trust fund established to "complete" the education of a boy should be continuous throughout the beneficiary's life. Surrogate Delehanty pointed out that education is an unending, lifelong process of development.

Education does not consist in filling a child's mind with knowledge. The discipline of formal study is merely laying the foundation of an education. The intelligent student brings away from school little more, at best, than an understanding of how knowledge may be acquired and from what sources. If he has been fortunate in his teachers, he will also have some comprehension of the relation of each kind of knowledge to all others.

So equipped, one's education may be said to begin after he has finished school or college and tries to apply the knowledge and methods he has been taught to the practical affairs of life and the art of living. He finds in his contact with his fellowmen new problems every day that were never mentioned in his textbooks. How well educated he finally becomes depends upon how well he succeeds in learning from his day-by-day experiences.

RECOVERY IS WORLD-WIDE

The economic council of the League of Nations reports that the world has so far recovered from the universal collapse of 8 years ago that every nation is in better shape than it was before the crash. That is good news, which is to some extent confirmed by the report of the WPA that 1,500,000 workers have stepped out from under Uncle Sam's protective shelter to take jobs in private industry, in the past year.

There are still more than a million and a half dependent upon this method of distributing public funds, for their livelihood, and still more receiving other forms of relief. There must be found some better way of taking care of people who can't take care of themselves than has been found so far.

Harry Hopkins, WPA administrator, has said that relief is here to stay. Many WPA workers have acted as if they expected to make a life career out of being supported by the government. We hope neither of these things comes to pass.

OUR YOUTHFUL FOUNDERS

Every little while something calls our attention again sharply to the fact that America is a young man's country. What brings it up now, is an article about the Constitutional Convention of 1787, pointing out that the average age of the delegates of the 13 colonies who met in Philadelphia 150-years ago and laid the foundation of our government were what we, nowadays, would call very young men. Their average age was only 42 years.

The venerable Dr. Benjamin Franklin, to be sure was 85 but Alexander Hamilton was only 30, Edmund Randolph was 34, Chas

world to want to tax somebody, but when the people speak I think it's the duty of the Legislature and the Governor to carry out their wishes. The only way to raise this money is by taxation. It is painful but necessary.

The argument is being made that improving business conditions will eliminate the necessity for new taxes. I hope business will continue to improve. Of course, Roger Babson is predicting another depression, but, in any event, business will not improve to such an extent that present taxes will take care of an existing deficit of 15 million dollars, increased appropriations of four or five million dollars per year, over one and a half million dollars which the old age assistance fund owes on outstanding warrants, at least two million dollars new money to go in the old age assistance fund, one and a half million dollars for aid to dependent children, and several millions for aid to the blind and the teachers retirement fund.

The Legislature meets on Sept. 27th, at which time I will make my recommendations as to how this money should be raised and it will be in their hands. I am going to work on this job as hard as I did for repeal of the race track law, and hope you will help me with your moral support.

In view of the fact that all the big interests have unquestionably unloosed most of the recent propaganda against new taxes, and are having messages to that effect sent to members of the Legislature, I think the people had better get busy and let the senators and representatives know their views.

Pickney was 30, Gouverneur Morris, whose hand wrote the final draft of the document was 35. Those four and James Wilson, 45, were the ones who led the convention, which finished its work on Sept. 17, 1787.

We have a way of thinking of historic figures as if they were all old men, and are inclined to look on the Constitution as the work of rich old greybeards. Most of the men who framed it were comparatively poor. They stood out among their fellows not because they were either millionaires or aristocrats, but because they were educated men. In an era when not one in five could read or write, education was the mark of the superior man in whom the common people placed their trust.

Those young men did a good job. The government they planned has lasted longer and brought a greater measure of good to a greater number of people than any government ever set up anywhere, any time, in all human history.

TODAY and TOMORROW FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

HOUSING

The Federal government is going into home-building in a big way. Under the new Wagner Housing Act it proposes to provide \$700,000,000 in the next three years to finance the building of better homes for the poor, and \$20,000,000 a year more for

The CORNER Poetry Edited by Elsie Parker W.M.T. TARDY

ONLY THE FLAG

Halfmast against an alien sky, A length of bunting slowly waves Above the honored dead that lie 'Neath crosses white, in lonely graves.

Never for them the night, the day, The bugle call at set of sun, Returned to earth insensate clay Life finished, when but just begun,

The friendly greetings on the way Familiar fields they loved to roam Are lost to them for ere and aye, The flag is all they have of home.

—Mattie Lee Wadsworth, Breckenridge, Author of Mirage at Dawn.

HE LOVED BEAUTY

My father loved all flowers, He spaded the soil, planted the seeds, With hose supplied the showers, Carefully tended, cut out the weeds.

The small green shoots came up at last, Lifted their head to the sky, Love made them grow so fast With promise of bloom by and by.

He sleeps now 'neath the sod, Roges bloom o'er his lowly bed, He loved all nature so, O God, I cannot think of him as dead.

—May Stevens Isaacs, Canadian

A THOUGHT

We are of the earth— The earth can heal our woes, There is no peacefulness like that which comes From delving in the sod.

We are of the stars— The stars can lift our hearts, There is no ecstasy like that which comes From looking up towards God.

—Josephine Baird, Laredo.

Just will, wisdom and Love may rift the dark clouds of Unreality That overhang mortal life, Enshrouding the real with gloom

—Margie Boswell, Ft. Worth Author of The Upward Way

twenty years. The work will be done under Federal supervision and the rents charged will be regulated by the Government. The cost of these houses is limited by law to \$1,000 a room or \$4,000 for each home of four rooms, whether in an apartment or in a separate house, exclusive of the value of the land.

The humanitarian purpose behind this project is based upon the assumption that one-third of the people of the United States are inadequately housed. That may be true enough, but I wonder how many of that lower third can or ever will be able to pay rent which will yield even 1 per cent net on such costs.

I haven't any statistics—there aren't any—but I'll venture that most of the other two-thirds of Americans, the comfortable ones live in houses which cost far less than \$1,000 a room.

COSTS

I have had quite a bit of experience, in the past 40 years, in house-building both in city and country, when I say that in New York City, where building costs are as high as they are anywhere a good modern apartment house can be built for less than \$750 a room. I have done it, at a time when building materials and labor costs much more than they do today.

In small towns the cost of building is far lower. I have recently been getting estimates of the cost of building two five-room houses on lots my daughter owns, one in a Florida city, one in a Pennsylvania village. For \$2,500 in Florida, \$3,500 in Pennsylvania, where cellar and heating equipment have to be figured in, she can build a five-room house which nobody would be ashamed to live in.

It is easy to say that the houses for the poor which Government

proposes to build under the Wagner Act need not cost as much as the maximum allowance. I never heard of any Government bureau spending less than the law allows.

RENTS

If the new Housing Act actually does, as its friends say it will stimulate the building industry all over the country, then perhaps it will be worth what it costs. But I have my doubts that it will benefit the people who are designed to benefit—at least not directly. The low-income people, the ones who are now inadequately housed, live that way, because they don't earn enough to pay the rent which it would take to provide better accommodations, even with no profit at all to the landlord.

tenants

They are talking about renting these new Government financed houses at around \$20 a month. That would be a bargain rate in the cities, for families with incomes of \$25 a week or so. It would be a high rental in most small towns. I think the people who earn good pay would gobble up these new homes, and leave only the old and less desirable places for the very poor to live in.

That is the way every better housing plan I know anything about has worked.

NEGROES

About twelve percent of the people of the United States are Negroes. The great majority of them belong in the "underprivileged third" of the population. Few Negroes have steady jobs at good enough wages to enable them to pay rents based on what new, modern housing would require.

I inspected, a few weeks ago, the largest Federal Housing project for Negroes so far completed

at Miami, Florida. It is a beautiful group of brick apartment buildings, forming a quadrangle around a park and playground which covers two acres or more. The buildings are fire proof, the rooms large, light and airy and equipped with every modern convenience. The tenants have the use of a big community house, with a recreation hall, commodities, kitchens and rooms for classes in sewing, domestic science, and other subjects.

I have many white friends who are not nearly so comfortably housed. I would think it no hardship myself to live in such pleasant surroundings among people of my own kind. These Miami Negroes who get such nice houses for from \$3.50 to \$5 a week are fortunate among their kind in being able to pay such rentals.

HOMES

The nation as a whole is still facing a terrific shortage of homes. We have only just begun to take up the slack caused by the almost complete suspension of new house building for five years.

In my home village there are six or seven real estate agents, every one of them get inquiries every day from persons looking for homes to rent, and there are no vacancies. Several large factories in nearby cities have been taking on more workers, and these newcomers can't find places to live. Every carpenter, bricklayer, plumber and electrician in town has more work than he can do on new buildings going up all around us. The lumber yards can't get building materials as fast as the contractors demand them.

I am all for better housing for everybody, but I'd rather see the Government lend its money to help people build and own their own homes first.

Mrs. D. W. Hazlewood Junior were in Shattuck Junior, who has suffered arm injury is reported at this time.

Owen Crisman, Tex. operated on in Liberal, Saturday night. Mr. Crisman's brother Mrs. D. W. H. of this city.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners of Hansford County, Texas, receive bids at the office of County Clerk at Spearman, Texas, until 2 o'clock p. m., no day after 1937 for furnishing materials and everything necessary for the erection and completion of a bridge across the Palo Verde on the Kimball road, approximately eight miles N. of Spearman, according to specifications on file in the County Clerk's Office of the County Clerk at Spearman, Texas, at a deposit of \$10.00 to be required, which will upon return of same, be applied to the bid.

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 In The County Court of Hansford County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, Cara B. Hudson, guardian of the estate and person of Roberta Hudson, a non compos mentis, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Hansford County, Texas, authorizing me as guardian to execute an oil and mining lease on terms as the court shall deem appropriate, on the following described land located in Hansford County, Texas:

The North One-half (N 1-2) of Section One Hundred Twenty-one (121), Block Two (2), G. H. & H. Ry. Co. Original Grantee.

Such application will be heard by said County Judge at the Court House in Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, on this the 22 day of September, 1937 at 10 o'clock A. M.

CARA B. HUDSON
 Guardian of the Person and Estate of Roberta Hudson, a Non compos mentis. 1tc

ROAD NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT LAND OWNERS
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 July Term 1937, to view and establish a First class Road from SW Corner Section 68, to point of intersection with Highway 117 and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will on the 10th day of September 1937 assemble at Court House in Spearman, Texas, and thence proceed to survey, locate, view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at the Southwest Corner of Section No. 68 in Block 4T, Grantee T&N Ry Co. said County and running thence North on the west Section line of said Section 68, to a point of intersection with State Highway No. 117, a distance of a little less than one mile.

And we do hereby notify R. A. Dennis, L. D. Morton, Della Willis, Nelson W. Willard and T. W. Holmes 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 9th day of August A. D. 1937.

R. W. Huffstetter, J. D. Hes-

International Sunday School Lesson

By Dr. J. E. Nunn

General Topic: The Influence Of Christian Homes In A Nation's Life.
Scripture Lesson:—Deut. 6:4, 5; 11:18-23.
 6:4. Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord:
 5. And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy might.
 11:18. Therefore shall ye lay up these words in your heart and in your soul, and bind them for a sign upon your hand, that they may as frontlets between your eyes.

19. And ye shall teach them your children, speaking of them when thou sittest in thine home, and when thou walkest by the way, when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.
 20. And thou shalt write them upon the door posts of thine home and upon thy gate:
 21. That your days may be multiplied, and the days of your children in the land which the Lord swore unto your fathers to give them, as the days of Heaven upon the earth.
 22. For if ye shall diligently keep all these commandments which I command you, to do them, to love the Lord your God, to walk in all His ways, and to cleave unto him:
 23. Then will the Lord drive out all these nations from before you, and ye shall possess greater nations and mightier than yourselves.

Golden Text:—Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it.—Prov. 22:6.

Introduction
 In the chapter immediately preceding the one from which the first part of our lesson is taken, Moses, repeats to Israel the entire Decalogue and earnestly admonishes them to obey the commandments of God, reminding them of the passionately pleading words of God himself: "O that there were such a heart in them that they would fear me, and keep all my commandments always, that it might be well with them and with the children forever." Deut. 5:29. The promise here given to Israel on condition of her obedience to God's commandments are but repetition of the promises given hundreds of years before to the greater patriachs, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. All God's commandments are given to us that we might be prosperous, that we might enjoy long life, and that it might be well with us in every way. When a man undertakes to reach these goals without God, he is doomed to disappointment.

Remember and Obey The Commandments. Deut. 11:1, 19.
 There can be only one true God, and if we truly know God, then

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the God we know is the God of Israel, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, the God of the Prophets, the God of the Old Testament the God and Father of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. God is not only to be recognized and acknowledged, but he asks truly for the very love of our hearts. Even the gospel knows not higher commandments than this. Our Lord truly said, that if we loved him, we would keep his commandments (John 14:15, 1 John 2:3, 4:5). If children really love their parents, obedience to the parents' wishes will be a joy to them. Therefore shall ye lay up these, my words in your heart and in your soul." Solomon well said: "Keep thy heart with all diligence: for out of it are the issues of life." Pro. 4:23. Our Lord said "out of the abundance of the heart, the mouth speaketh." "The good man out of the good treasure bringeth forth good things, and the evil out of his evil treasure bringeth forth evil things." Matt. 12:35. If we lay up the words of God in our heart and soul, then the fountain of our life will be holy, for the word of God is holy; our heart will be right, for the word of God is right, authorized version. As David himself said: "Thy word have I laid up in my heart, that I might not sin against thee." Ps. 119:11. "Blessed are they that are perfect in the way, who walk in the law of Jehovah. Blessed are they that keep his testimonies that seek him with the whole heart." Ps. 119:1, 2.

The Family and Religion.
 "As the family is the most intimate bond of fellowship among men, it is of the utmost importance that it should be hallowed by religion. All the relations of parents, children, and domestics are purified and strengthened when the whole household is stately assembled, morning and evening, for the worship of God. The character of the church and of the state depends on the character of the man's family. Many Christian parents have come to falsely assume that to send their children to Sunday School is enough. What we need today, for the strengthening of the church, for keeping our children from ultimate disaster, as far as we are able, for building up a mighty wall against the waves, for saving our nation from an utter dissolution of moral integrity and uprightness, is a return to the sacred precepts here laid down by God himself regarding the teaching concerning God and the word of God at the heartside of our own homes. Nothing can ever take the place of this.

Christian Civilization Dependent Upon Christian Homes.
 The man who does not look out for his own future we call improvident. The man who is unconcerned about the future of his family, his country, and the kingdom of his Lord is selfish and mean-spirited. The integrity, or even the preservation of our Christian civilization is vitally dependent upon the purity and Christian tone of the family and home. Today's lesson looks both at the present and the future. The homes of today will make America's future. May we not be justly concerned about the type of home that children and young people are having presented to them on the movie screen? A type of home that is anything but godly. Homes in which false and delusive

glamor is thrown around gross pleasure pretense, deceit, seduction, and adultery. Such pictures and stories cannot but spoil the high ideals of home and the family that Christian education seeks to inculcate.

The Church and the Home.
 This is something that vitally concerns the church, for Christian homes will ever be the principal source of its membership. However efficient we make our Sunday Schools, we shall be rowing against the stream in the religious education of the young if we must so generally encounter the antagonistic influence of Christian homes. Instead of working to restore the old-fashioned homes, the

church may better seek to Christianize the new old-fashioned home; apply to it old-fashioned gospel principles. The problems of the modern home are in one sense old ones that the home has always faced: with new applications.

Special Lessons
 Thou shalt love the Lord thy God (Deut. 6:5). "Most religions are meant to be straight lines, connecting two points—God and man. But Christianity has three points—God and man and his brother, with two lines that make a right angle. Each one of us is the point of an angle, looking up to God and out to his brother. What God sends down the perpendicular line we must pass on along the horizontal. If one hand goes up to God, the other must go out to our brother. If I am emptied, I must look both ways, and consider my brother as well as God."—M. C. Babcock.

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SOCIETY

Elizabeth Ann Miller—Call 10

SUNRISE WEDDING

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at sunrise last Friday morning in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wilbanks, when their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Wilbanks, became the bride of Ray Phelps of Perryton, Texas. Rev. Eulis Hill performed the ring ceremony.

The bride was attended by Mrs. R. B. Archer, Jr., as matron of honor, and Miss Ruth Wilbanks. The groom was attended by Mr. Don Shockley of Perryton and H. L. Wilbanks Jr. of Spearman.

The bride was dressed in steel-blue with wine accessories, and carried a shower bouquet of red roses. Her going away dress was navy blue with wine accessories. The bride attended Texas Tech at Lubbock two years and was a member of the Sans Souci society in college.

The groom attended college at Alva, Okla., for three years. He is employed by the Sinclair Oil Co. of Perryton.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. Calvin Hazlewood of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lehman and son of Booker, Mr. and Mrs. Don Shockley of Perryton, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coburn of Hardisty, Okla.—Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Archer.

After a short trip to Durango and Mancos, Colo., the couple will be at home to friends in Perryton, Texas.

DAHLIA FLOWER CLUB

Mrs. L. S. McClellan was hostess to members of the Dahlia Flower Club at her home in Spearman Monday afternoon. At the club meeting Mrs. Bill Gandy led the lesson on "Ponies and Bibles for Fall planting." Roll call was answered by "Problems and Suggestions."

At the conclusion of the interesting program, lovely refreshments were served. Mesdames: Paul Roach, Carl Hutchison, Finis Maize, W. R. Finley, F. J. Dally, W. A. Hitchcock, G. P. Gibner, Jess Womble, Mrs. Tuttle, Garrett Allen and Fred J. Hoskins.

MR. AND MRS. GENE RICHARDSON RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Richardson returned Sunday from a 10-day trip in Colorado. The Richardsons visited in Estes Park, Colorado Springs, Grand Lake and Monument Lake. Gene, who had the assignment of locating a "better" fishing place for the "gang" came back with the report that Lake City would have to do for the present.

The Richardsons did not fish very much, but rather spent their time sight-seeing. Gene caught some large fish at Monument lake, and is recommending this place for local people who only have a short time for fishing. Said Monument lake, near Trinidad, was only a half day drive from Spearman.

DELPHINIUM FLOWER CLUB

The Delphinium Flower club met with Mrs. Sid Clark Monday. Roll call was answered by "A Garden Problem." Mrs. Adrain Moore led the lesson, which was on "Tulips," and she was assisted by Mrs. Vester Hill and Mrs. Bob Morton. Mrs. Clark won first award on flower arrangement and Mrs. Roy Russell won second.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames: Russell, H. El Campbell, Marion, Glover, John Bishop, Bob Morton, P. A. Lyon, Adrain Moore, Vester Hill, Gene Richardson and hostess Mrs. Sid Clark.

The next meeting will be on Sept. 20th with Mrs. Vester Hill.

COUNTY AGENT AND FAMILY AWAY ON VACATION

County Agent Joe Hatton and Mrs. Hatton left Friday of last week for a two weeks vacation, visiting relatives of Mrs. Hatton at Memphis, Tenn. Enroute to their visit with relatives in Tenn., the Hattons will stop over at College Station for a state-wide meeting of county agents held there this week.

Jimmie Jackson, returned Sunday from the St. Anthony hospital where he underwent a minor operation on his right arm. Several weeks ago Jackson sustained a slight break just at the elbow. The bone was chipped and infection developed in the arm. The operation Friday removed the chipped bone, and insures the normal use of the right arm.

Twenty-six of the 48 states derive their names from Indian tribes or place names.

ENJOY PICNIC

The young people of the Church of Christ enjoyed a very delightful al fresco picnic in the vicinity of Old Hansford Monday evening. A large number of young people were present. A number of games were played at the conclusion of which a picnic lunch was served.

BAPTIST CIRCLE MEMBERS ATTEND ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING AT PERRYTON

Members of the three Missions societies of the Baptist church of Spearman omitted the regular scheduled meetings of their organization so that all who desired might attend the associational meeting held at Perryton. Three members of the state missionary board were at Perryton to appear on the program.

Among those attending from Spearman were: Mrs. F. J. Hoskins, Mrs. Carl Hutchison, Mrs. A. F. Loftin, Mrs. Jess Edwards, Mrs. Dave Tice, Mrs. Ed Reed, and Misses Cleo Loverton and Bernice Vernon.

MARY MARTHA SOCIETY

Mrs. C. A. Gibner was hostess to members of the Mary Martha Missionary society at her home in Spearman Wednesday afternoon Sept. 8. Mrs. E. C. Lee read the program lesson "Bible Study." Those attending: Mesdames: Robb, Douglas, R. B. Archer, J. C. Hutton, L. B. Campbell and one visitor Mrs. Freeman Barkley.

HOUSE WANTED

Unfurnished. See "Pick" Lomison at the Spearman Drug Store or call 258.

FAREWELL PARTY

Miss Elsie Ruth, Porter, very pleasantly surprised Miss Dixie Ruth Buchner who is leaving for Texas University, with a lovely farewell party and shower Monday night of this week.

Two care-free hours at various types of label games were enjoyed by the many guests. After delightful refreshments were served the many beautiful gifts were cleverly presented to Miss Buchner.

Those attending were: Verna Gail Allen, Frances Hoskins, Vera Beth Hoskins, Billye Hitchcock, Maxine Allen, Polly Smith, Rosa Lee Clement, Elizabeth Ann Miller, Louise Linn, Joy Smith, R. L. McClellan, P. A. Lyon, R. E. Sanders, Robert Neilson, L. M. Womble, Grant Becker, Carl Gower, George Oakes, Wayne Hutchison, C. P. Archer, Chas. Allmon, Rev. Albert Smith and Rev. Elroy Wiekell.

MR. AND MRS. HUTTON ENTERTAIN MONDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutton entertained a number of friends in their new Spearman home Monday evening with a "house warming" bridge party. Those playing at the three tables included Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pyle of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lee, Mrs. Max Lacey and Bill Hutton. High score prize for the ladies was awarded to Mrs. W. J. Miller, W. L. Russell received high score for men.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Nelson of Moorland, Okla., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maden this week.

MEEK FAMILY HOLD FAMILY REUNION

Members of the immediate family of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Meek met at their Spearman home for a family reunion and visit, spending Friday, Saturday and Sunday with their parent-gradparents. Those who were present for the enjoyable occasion included: Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Arnold and granddaughter, Beverly Caldwell of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Meek and 3 children, Freda Mae, Betty Gene and Baby Meek of Canadian Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Flannigan and daughter La Rue of Mobeetie, Texas Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rippy and three daughters, Dawn Lavoe, Dorris Faye and Lenna Murel of Norman, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meek of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Ray Meek of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Most Spearman will remember the feature story carried in daily papers over the nation about the little girl who had 11 living grand-parents. This little girl was Beverly Gale of Canadian and great grand child of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Meek. Up to the time the little lady was one year old she had perhaps the greatest number of grandparents of any living child.

Mrs. Edna Peter of Los Angeles, Calif., who has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKay the past few weeks returned to her home Monday. Mrs. Peter is a sister of Mrs. McKay. Mrs. Riggs, another sister, former Spearman citizen, now of Borger, spent the week end visiting her sisters here.

Van Earl Steed visited his brother Paul Steed and family of Dallas this week.

Churches... Off To College

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Catholic services will be held at the District court room at Spearman each third Sunday of the month. Father Andrews from Borger will officiate. Services begin at 10:30 a. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

At the morning service at 11 o'clock the minister concludes the discussion in finding the answer to the Christ's question, "When the Son of Man cometh will He Find The Faith on the Earth?" And at the evening service at 8 o'clock the subject will be "Christ's Solution to the Problem of Making Friends." Both of these discussions are vital factors in practical Christianity and may help you in our present day complexity.

Bible School at 10 a. m. and Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to you—if you do not attend church elsewhere.

JAMES TODD minister

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 o'clock. We should see a large increase in attendance. Be in class bring a friend with you. Preaching at 11 o'clock and 8 o'clock. Young people's and Junior League meet at 7:15.

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John 3:30
Sunday morning, a worthy conception of life. "The love of Christ (compels me to do right) constraineth us." 2 Cor. 5:13.

It is a fact; when any one lives close to the bleeding side, the broken heart of the Son of God, he will catch a vision of a worthwhile life. There one comes to understand, as no where else, the meaning of the Cross of Christ.

Sunday night, from "Poverty to Riches. Text "Why this waste?" the broken pieces." In these scriptures we have God's instructions what to do to become wealthy. Do not fail to hear this message.

Sunday school, 10 a. m. worshiping hour, 11 a. m. BTU 7:15 p. m. evening service 8:15.

Among the college students turning for their work, and school graduates entering college this year are:

Miss Vera Beth McClellan, Ruth Wilbanks, Miss Julia Wilbanks, and Joe Womble will attend Texas Tech at Lubbock. Miss Julia and Julia will enter the freshman class.

Fred Holt will enter the freshman class at Texas A. & M. State University at Austin.

Students from Spearman attending college are: Omar Cottor, Harold Womble, Robert Douglas, Dixie Ruth Buchner, Candler Hitchcock, Sam W. Lomison, Carl Archer and W. L. Hale.

Ray Converse will attend Amarillo Junior college. Ralph Blodgett, Doris E. and Buster Kirk, will attend Tech at Lubbock.

Carl Gower will be a freshman at Texas A. & M.

Nannie Jessie Archer, Charles Archer will also attend W. T. S. T. C.

Le Roy Sheets, Francis Reed and Dwight Hutchison are attending Panhandle A. & M. at Goodwell, Okla.

FORMER RESIDENT HERE

Sid Powers, former resident of the Spearman Hardware Store, now one of the field executives of the Federal Reserve Bank, Amarillo, visited Spearman this week.

Church of Christ

T. R. LITTLE, minister
Bible Study, Sunday, 10:00 a. m. at 10 o'clock. The subject, "The broken heart of the Son of God," will be the subject of the morning service. Young people's meeting, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The subject at the evening service at 8 o'clock will be: "Nehemiah builds the Walls of Jerusalem." The ladies Bible class meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting service will be conducted at the church building Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Come and bring your friends. Cordial welcome always.

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Yet we might as well face the fact of the matter—few snapshotters make the most of school's snapshotting opportunities.

Perhaps they are dazzled by the very wealth of the material at hand. More likely, they assume that somebody else is going to take the pictures. And that's a fatal mistake. For nobody else can see things as you see them. And it's what you see that means most to you—and to the folks at home, now or years from now.

The question, then, is how to make the most of school's picture possibilities. A little planning will do the trick.

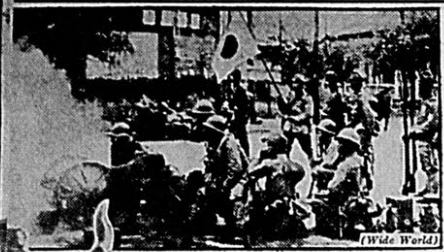
First, about the right camera for school. Any camera will do, providing it is clean and in good order and uses a size of film that is easily available anywhere. If yours has a fast lens and a fast shutter, you'll have an advantage in taking shots at sporting events, but such a camera is not at all essential. With a little care you can use even the simplest box camera just as effectively as a satisfactory picture.

Then, how can snapshotting be planned? All of it of course cannot be planned, but many of the most important shots can be. Why not work out a scenario? Hollywood fashion designers to birds visited a snapshotting party. Then, when they are mounted in your album, the pictorial story will flow along evenly.

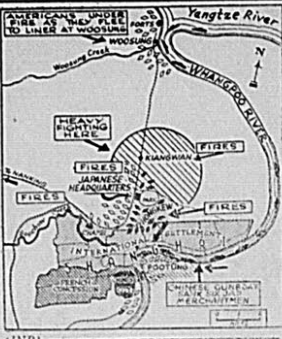
A really good collection of school pictures is hard to find, as any school yearbook editor will tell you. Yet there's nothing much easier to take; and few snapshots increase in value year after year as surely as those taken at school.

John van Gulder

People and Spots in the Late News



BLASTING CHINA . . . Howitzer company clears way for Japanese infantry which routed 29th Chinese Army from Peiping. Americans flee China as President orders 1,200 marines to war area. Map shows recent Shanghai operations.



LAFFICPROB . . . Enlist pretty Jacqueline Paulk to solve traffic problem at one of Miami's busy intersections only created a worse one when summer visitors started in amazement at the "smiling sphero."



SUPREME COURT JUSTICE . . . Appointed by President Roosevelt and confirmed 63 to 16 by the Senate, liberal Senator Hugo Black of Alabama will don judicial robes when country's highest tribunal convenes Oct. 4.



DEATH WINS . . . Mouth to mouth breathing by valiant rescuers failed to save baby boy born alive to Mrs. Gussie Godsinger of New York, but unable to breathe. He died 4 1/2 hours later in iron lung.



USING steel demand increases . . . Excitement for U. S. stock pile of manganese, vital to steel making, is being viewed as basing dependence on distant sources.



GRIEF IN VICTORY . . . Grief stricken because of his mother's death in Rodeo, Cal. Lefty Gomez still insisted on going to the mound to break Yankee losing streak before leaving for the West. He shut out Senators 8-0.

From Our Early Files

Headlines . . .
A \$20,000 BLAZE AT SPEARMAN SUNDAY NIGHT
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Mazuma was a play-boy of Spanish blood that spent plenty of dough on his girl friends, but GOSH the fickle rascal married a couple of dozen wives, so that is out.
All members of the Panhandle Press Association are delighted that Olen E. Hinkle has been appointed professor of Journalism for West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon. Olen is one of the outstanding brilliant young men of this section. He has made a practical success as an editorial writer, and in supervising the editorial department of several successful Panhandle Plains papers. He will bring recognition to the journalism department of the college he represents, and we bet a six-inch rain that Olen will turn out students that will be practical as well as educated.

office Burned to the Ground—
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Hansford County Fair, October 10th and 11th.

J. R. Collard Jr., was listed on the sick list several days the past week but is much better at this writing.
Haynes Douglas made a business trip to Texhoma, Okla., the first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Morton went to Amarillo Sunday and from there to Oklahoma City and other points east. Rex Westerfield and the Reporter editor accompanied them to Amarillo and returned to Spearman Monday.
Misses Lorene, Lois and Anna Lee Morton are visiting with relatives and friends at their old home at Dumas this week.
Rufus Raney, linotype operator of the Grenburg, Kansas, Signal, came down Saturday and spent

the week end at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Raney. Typewriter ribbons and carbon paper for sale at the Reporter office.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mixar, on this Friday morning August 10, 1923, a fine boy.
Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Barkley and children and Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lyon and son Perren, Jr., went over to Dalhart the first of the week on a visit to relatives. Misses Bessie and Reba Barkley remained for an extended visit.
power and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty." (1 Chro. 29:11).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Wisdom and knowledge shall be the stability of thy times, and strength for salvation: the fear of the Lord is his treasure" (Is. 33:6).
The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Substance is that which is eternal and incapable of discord and decay . . . Spirit, the synonym of Mind, Soul, or Gpd, is the only real substance" (page 468).
Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Womble and Elnor Faye Womble visited Mrs. Noel Womble and baby Lary Leon at the North West hospital in Amarillo, Sunday.

Christian Science

"Substance" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, September 12.
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CONVERSE SAYS—

ter all of the predictions and nents to the contrary in and nd Spearman it has rained he farmers faces reflect their hope in the future one farm- edicts that Hansford county take in thousands of dollars wheat pasture this winter.

Joe Perry, Mrs. Converse the writer were dinner guests fess Nellie Perry and Judge at the Hotel in Perryton day of this week. Miss Nellie charming hostess and the re is very interesting h is of the pioneers of the plains settled here in the days of antelope and free range. The ge has always been public ite and the Panhandle owes h to Judge Perry and men like for the rapid strides that it made in development.

see that Tom Hunter is com- ing to talk about his friends ing him to run for governor, y do you suppose friends an oil man want him to run governor? Your guess is as d as mine.

Marvin Jones is talking about ng back to Washington soon. ere is something about that city it holds an attraction as nearly ry one who has been there nis to get back.

The number of employees work- for the Government under ci- service is 800,000 according the News Globe. That makes real nice bunch of votes for any litical party.

Yours,
R. V. Converse.

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the family and say BOY, you otto live on \$29.40 for you and le remainder of the family, cause sa's all we are allowing WPA orkers.

This writer is concerned about he methods used by our National nd state government in the dis- tribution of funds which are pri- marily provided to elevate drouth onditions and suffering among he less fortunate to the popula- ion.

If we can read-between-the- lines, a more fortunate (financial- ly) portion of our Panhandle po- pulation will benefit more in ratio to population when the 40-mil- lion dollars appropriated by the national government is spent for lakes and pools over the five-state drouth area. Well organized com- munities that have sufficient funds to employ engineers and purchase land sites will get over their big lake projects. The already favored communities will have lovely recreational spots, they will gain a portion of the workers from the impoverished communities, and when the program is ended, Hansford county will be on the side line wishing we were not so impoverished that we could carry to a successful conclusion JUST ONE benefit program.

Certainly a man that has been in the newspaper game for 20 years should know more than to argue with a woman . . . and this is really not an argument, but just a statement of facts. Three weeks ago the writer accused Chattergram Jean Suits of the Lockney Beacon of having matrimonial intentions, she answers: Bill, you may be a patron of sound judgment and practical wisdom in ordinary cases, but you've misinterpreted the column in question. Pull down your vest and let's take this more calmly. In the first place I don't need an understudy because in the second place I don't intend to wed in the first place. If I ever do decide on the course you've just described, it will be because he has the touch of Midas and the wealth of Ormuz. Money has a way of making newspaper gals change their minds "for better or for worse."

This answer might null the sus- picious of the casual reader, but to me it is a pronounced indite- ment, an emphatic argument of my first analysis of the situation. Miss Jean has her mind so com- pletely absorbed with (?) that she mixes up her Greek Philosophy with Mexican Theology. Ole King Midas had a touch of gold all right, but he acquired this curse after his golden haired daughter was a lovely debauntee? and Ormuz represents the spirit of good in the Mexican theological survey of several centuries ago. I know in reason that Miss Jean was thinking about Mazuma in stead of Ormuz. History tells us that

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