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The Spearman Reporter

HANSFORD COUNTY CELEBRATION APRIL 24

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NT NAME IT

Will J. Miller

Another Amarillo is in town trying mightily hard to Panhandle-wide war ace located at Amarillo. where we have been like a step-son by big we are still pulling for it's sorta returning evil, but this writer any citizen of Hans- would do all he or to fill up the office Amarillo with paid gov- workers, and go right the crumbs that fall lavish table of Amarillo banquet.

wonder tho, if this our big brushing brot he should be a bit asperate, and conduct so that there would out in the minds of ton, whether or not a benefit would satisfy HANDLE.

ly Amarillo had the p that enabled Big to place the vast gov- spending just where wanted it to go, dur- ite lamented farm, WPA s program. We wonder rother can reach out in all the agencies to keep 90 percent of the ment workers within limits, steal an im- gency from Dalhart, odily to their city, dis- orger's plea for a lake rd county, and expect he good will of the en- and, and have us con- boost for Amarillo. ey are not asking us em get their bomber any other special gov- consideration. Be- just haven't the nerve r the endorsement of Panhandle.

C. of C. Directors Vote To Hold Celebration

LAKE Approved.

Information phoned the Reporter after the press had started today (Thursday) by John McCarthy, publisher of the Amarillo News-Globe, is to the effect that Carl Hinton, Panhandle Water Conservation secretary, who is in Washington working in behalf of the Plains Lake Program, has released the information that the Hansford county lake, applied for in 1939 has been approved by the Reclamation Department of our government. This means that if the local interest is sufficient, and the application for the lake stands, the Bureau of Reclamation will make further surveys, and will prepare every feature of the proposed project ready for construction work, WHICH CANNOT BE DONE UNTIL AFTER THE WAR EMERGENCY HAS PASSED!

The approved project calls for a 3,200 acre feet lake (which according to McCarthy, would be 4 times as big as Lake Fryer in Ochiltree county and nearly as big as Buffalo Lake in Randall county) with 7,000 acre feet available for irrigation. The project would be a flood control, reclamation and irrigation project, and the cost of water for irrigation purposes would be very low, due to the three purpose construction. A complete story will be carried in next week's paper.

PLAN THREE OFFICES FOR REGISTRATION OF SELECTEES

Announcement was made this week that three offices would be used when the registration of men subject to Selective Service is carried on in Hansford county Monday, Feb. 1. An office will be opened at Morse and one at Gruver, on that date, according to information from the local Selective Service organization.

Little Nancy Lee Gets The Fur Lined Syrup Pitcher This Week

Last week Jack Glover gave the editor of this paper a double yolk, oversize egg that made a breakfast. Nancy Lee just knew that a mere boy couldn't find a more novel egg than she could, so she brought in an egg this week that shore gets the fur lined syrup pitcher for oddity. It is an egg within an egg. The outside shell is cream white, and the inside egg has a deep pink shell. It's the most novel egg this writer has ever observed. It's in the window at the Reporter office.

POLL TAX RECEIPTS INDICATE EMALL VOTE

Deputy Sheriff J. B. Cooke, reported 730 poll tax receipts issued up to closing time January 31st. This will give Hansford county a voting strength of less than 1,000 votes.

New Employee At W. L. Russell Store

Mrs. Adylene Heflin of Elkhart, Kansas has accepted a position as sales lady in the W. L. Russell Dry Goods store. Mrs. Heflin is a sister of Pete Smith. Her husband is a non-commissioned officer of the Army stationed on the West Coast.

Mr and Mrs Loyd Andrews and family of Guymon were Sunday guests at the L. G. Andrews home.

LYNX BOYS WIN FROM STRATFORD IN OVERTIME

It seems that the winner of a Stratford-Spearman boys basketball game depends entirely on where the game is played. Every time the swell Stratford team comes to Spearman the Lynx win, and when the Lynx visit Stratford the home team there wins.

Last evening, Feb. 4, the old habit came near not panning out. Spearman won only after a 3 minute overtime period, and with only one point. The game ended 21 to 21 and Spearman remained in the contest only by virtue of a free throw that tied the game in the last second of play. In the three minute overtime period, the local Lynx players shot two free throws, while Stratford only accounted for one, leaving the score 23 to 22.

In the girls game the Stratford girls defeated the Spearman girls 23 to 8.

Plemons won a boys game played with the B team of the Spearman boys.

PROSPERITY NEXT WEEK

War and rumors of victory—weather, dust storms, or anything else is not going to obliterate the annual PROSPERITY ISSUE of the SPEARMAN REPORTER. Next week comes the date for the annual publication of the Prosperity issue, and Bill Miller, local manager promises to fill the paper full of glittering prospects of new wealth to be shoveled out to the people of Hansford county. In the past it has proven a bit of profit for the Spearman Reporter, since most always the good natured merchants of Spearman dig down in their pockets and take a bit of extra advertising.

As usual the weather chart of rainfall covering the past 59 years will be published.

This year we do not have quite as good prospects for the wheat as we had at this time last year, but look what happened last year. Miller believes that this is a good omen. Perhaps we can enter the spring growing period with just the right amount of moisture, so that when the spring and summer rains fall it will not start rust and other grain diseases caused by too much moisture. The fact is that Miller is so positive that we are on the right trail that he is offering to refund the money all merchants pay for half page ads or more in case we have so much moisture this year that our wheat crops turn out a failure, such as was experienced last year. He will also refund the money paid for half page ads or more to each merchant in case the county does not average 6 bushels of wheat per acre, for all wheat acreage planted. Thus if one should take a \$200.00 advertising in this issue, right now in the middle of all the prospect that is in our county, and later on the dust storms come along and blow away our entire crop, the lucky merchant would get back 200.00 right when he needed it most—that is he would get it back if the Reporter had the money or could borrow it from Clay.

RED CROSS NEWS

Hansford County Chapter of the American Red Cross has received a shipment of material for boys short trousers. These garments are being cut out and a number are ready to be given out to those who wish to sew for the War Relief. Call at the Red Cross Room on Tuesday, February 10. The Red Cross room will be open all day.

The chapter received this past week enough yarn to make 12 turtle neck sweaters for the North Atlantic Patrol. This was an emergency call and the yarn was given out to experienced knitters and in Gruver and vicinity may call at the sewing room at Gruver on Friday of each week to sew or secure garments to sew in the home.

Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. B. F. Ooley were kind enough to come and work in the sewing room in Spearman Monday afternoon and all day Tuesday. Others who wish to help will be welcomed.

The Sewing room in Spearman is located in the City Hall and will be open all day Tuesday, Feb. 10th.

EASTERN STAR

To remind you of the regular meeting of Spearman Chapter O.E.S. 721 Friday night, February 6. Our district deputy will make her official visit at this time.

Mr and Mrs Roscoe Womble of Morse announce the birth of a son Jerry Dale born Jan 27 at an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs L. G. Andrews visited her daughter, Mrs Roscoe Womble and new grandson Friday and Saturday at Amarillo and report them getting along nicely.

HELP ORGANIZE OKLAHOMA FARM BUREAU THIS WEEK

Bill Deck, vice president of the Texas Farm Bureau, the state's agricultural association, spent the past week-end and Monday of this week in Oklahoma City, where he helped to organize the Oklahoma Farm Bureau.

Texans have been interested in organizing this the 43rd state of the nation to enter into the national farm bureau group.

Deck stated that 29 counties representing more than 1,000 membership was represented at the Oklahoma City meeting.

JURY CALLED FOR MARCH 2

List of petit jurors for March term of County Court, beginning on March 2, 1942 at 10 a. m.

S. T. Dozier, Guy Gruver, Fred Harbough, Allen Pierce, R. L. McClellan, Sid Clark, W. U. Cook, J. E. Womble, Erllis Pittman, L. E. Willbanks, Arthur Bernstein, A. H. Frazier, L. G. Nobles, C. W. Smith, E. C. Womble, W. H. Gandy, C. E. Lowe, W. F. Harris, E. L. Kunkle, Geo. H. Johnson, B. J. Garrett, Darrell Cooper, Elroy Oldaker, and R. D. Tolkinson.

PANHANDLE TRAILWAY BUS LINE MOVES TO NEW LOCATION

Announcement was made this week that the Panhandle Trailway Bus Line had moved its bus station from the Baker Hotel to the Rich Cafe.

The Rich Cafe is next door to the Hays Barber shop.

Master Billie Dean Lackey Is Lion Club Program Leader Tues.

Five year old Billie Dean Lackey, son of Mr and Mrs Major Lackey, amazed members of the Spearman Lion Club Tuesday when he solved mathematical problems that kept the grown-up thinking fast to keep up with him. Billie Dean can count to 100 by 2's and 5's. He can start with 5 and double the count each time adding up mentally to a figure above 5,000. Billie Dean added rapidly most any two columns of numerals and on the more simple numbers he added four columns.

The youngster exhibited samples of knitting and embroidery work that challenges the best grown-up ladies can produce.

Major Lackey, father of the child stated that he had not been trained in any of the unusual accomplishments, and his parents do not remember just when they discovered his ability in math.

The Lion club voted to sponsor the annual custom of purchasing the prize winning calf of 4H club members, when the Hansford show is held in March. The calf will be resold and a more suitable beef purchased for the annual 4H club barbecue, which will be held at an appropriate date in March.

IMPORTANT MEETING MONDAY FEB. 9

An important meeting of all citizens of Hansford county is to be held at the court house at 2:30 p. m. Monday, Feb. 9. Dr. G. P. Gibner, chairman and Mrs. J. E. Womble, co-chairman of the health division of the American Red Cross for this county has called the meeting. An important health program that co-operates with the government and the Red Cross in the national effort to keep our people fit and healthy will be outlined at the meeting. This is a very important meeting. Place it on your calendar as a MUST attend affair, and be present to help carry on this worthwhile work in the national defense and victory program.

January Temperature Establishes New All Time Change Record

Evidently the weather man could not make up his mind just how he wanted to serve the January weather this year. In the matter of temperature, the range was from an all-time high for January, 73 degrees, almost mid-summer weather, to a low of 9 degrees below zero.

A check of the high and low temperature for the past ten years reveals the fact that two other Januarys, 1934 and 1938 had one day warmer weather than 1942 January. The 1938 represented the high with 78 degrees. However, the coldest weather in January of 1938 was 4 degrees above zero. In 1934 the high was 74 and the low was 16 above zero. In 1940 and 1937 January was pretty cold with the high 49 and 54 degrees respectively.

The high and low temperatures for January of the past ten years was as follows:

Year	High	Low
1942	73	-9
1941	66	16
1940	49	-8
1938	78	4
1937	54	-2
1936	59	3
1935	59	-5
1934	74	16
1933	64	16
1932	56	8

GIBNERS RETURN FROM VACATION

Dr and Mrs G. P. Gibner, Mr and Mrs C. A. Gibner and children returned early this week from a ten-days vacation trip spent visiting at New Orleans, La; Mobile, Ala; and coastal points in Florida. Clay said the weather was ideal for the trip. No cold, no moisture during the ten days trip. Warm weather—warm enough to swim.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Lela Mae Close celebrated her 11th birthday anniversary last Saturday.

There were twenty-five present. Coleene Schell from Perryton and Jimmie Rogers and Barbara Jo Burnes from Borzer were out of town guests.

Ice cream and cake was served.

SPEARMAN LYNX WIN THRILLER AT PERRYTON

Both the B and regular Lynx basketball teams won their respective games when they played Perryton at Perryton Tuesday evening. Both teams won by a margin of one point, but the regular Lynx players had to go into a second overtime period of 3 minutes to earn a victory.

In the B team game the score was Spearman 22 and Perryton 21. Davis was high point for Spearman with a total of 11 points.

In the regular Lynx game the score was tied 26-26 at the official end of the game. The final score was 33 to 32 in favor of Spearman. At the half Perryton led by a score of 21 to 19.

Jacobs was high point man for Spearman with a total of 13 points. Runners up were Robertson with 8 points and Dandel with 7 p. nts.

HE'S IN THE NAVY NOW—HE'S ON THE BALLOT HERE

Our United States Representative, Gene Worley, who kept faith with the voters of this district by enlisting in the Navy, just as soon as possible after he had voted for WAR, is also the first name to be officially filed with Democratic chairman R. L. McClellan.

Cong. Worley's name will appear on the ballot in Hansford county by virtue of the many friends who hastened to place his name as the first to be officially registered for re-election. Twenty five names are required to place the name of a candidate on the ballot. Here in Hansford county more than 40 names were registered on the petition handed Democratic Chairman R. L. McClellan. A great many more names could have been secured, but the local men sponsoring the movement, felt that it was a waste of time to add more names to the petition.

PLAN TO HAVE RODEO, OTHER ENTERTAINMENT IN APRIL

First official action of the new directors of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce called for holding the annual celebration, featuring a rodeo, band contest, parade, and other entertainments for the last week in April.

In discussing the matter the directors felt that the celebration was a major activity of the Chamber of Commerce, and that it would do much to help unite the county in an activity that would in no way hamper war activities.

While it is admitted that there will be fewer cowboys and less inclination to travel from distances, the directors believe that we can get more of our own Hansford county people out to enjoy a day of entertainment and relaxation.

Directors will meet next Tuesday evening Jan. 10th to elect a president, and vice-president and to appoint the various committees of the organization.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS ELECTED

Turner Shirley, retiring president of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce announced Wednesday of this week that five directors had been elected to serve thru 1942. The directors elected were R. L. McClellan, Bruce Sheets, R. E. Lee, Marvin Chambers and Slim Cates. R. L. McClellan is the one remaining member of the 1941 directors. Mr McClellan served as vice-president during 1941.

Election of directors was made thru a mailed ballot to every member of the organization. Secretary Paul Loftin stated that the vote was the largest ever recorded since the organization started back in 1936. The new directors met at the Spearman Reporter office Tuesday evening of this week. Paul Loftin was employed as secretary-treasurer for 1942.

TIME CHANGES FEBRUARY 9TH

With the possible exception of the Spearman schools, the change of time Monday Feb. 9th will make little difference in the life of Hansford citizens. If the school officials decide to go on the new schedule, it will compel many people in the rural districts to get up before daylight in order to get their children off to school under the new schedule.

Government officials, probably county officials, the Bank and Post office will change time on Monday and begin their work under the new schedule. This means that workers will report for duty at 8 a. m. which according to sun time will be 7 a. m. After a few weeks this will not be much of a handicap as the days are getting longer.

ORAN ROSS KELLY NEW COMMUNITY PUBLIC CO. MANAGER, FREEPORT, TEX.

Oran Ross Kelly, son of Mrs Oran Kelly of Spearman has been made manager of the Community Public Service Company organization at Freeport, Texas. This represents a substantial promotion for this former Spearman young man.

FORMER DUMAS BOY NOT KILLED

Despite a flood of rumors and at least on epress report appearing in another paper, to the contrary, The News (Dumas) is sure that James Bolton, former Dumas boy, now on duty at Hickam Field, Hawaii, has not been killed in action.

Letters have been received by Bolton's mother, since the Pearl Harbor bombing, stating that the boy is OK.

MRS. A. N. MEADOWS AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. A. N. Meadows is at the St. Anthony Hospital this week following an operation there Saturday, Jan. 31st. Mrs. Meadows is recovering rapidly and is expected home this week-end.

GARAGE Damaged by Fire

Fire did approximately \$400. damage to building and contents at the Clarence Pettitt Garage Tuesday morning. It is assumed that an oil burning heater in the garage exploded, igniting a container of gasoline and catching the walls. A pick-up belonging to Jack Taylor sustained considerable damage. Two tires were destroyed, the glass ruined and panels badly charred before the fire could be brought under control and the car pushed out of the garage. Mr Pettitt had left for town before the fire started.

An incident causing much amusement occurred when the car was pushed out of the garage. One of the tires was so hot it exploded, blowing the hat off the head of a school boy, who happened to be nearby. The lad turned white.

COMING ATTRACTIONS ELLIS THEATRE PERRYTON, TEXAS

- Feb. 5-6 "Blondie Goes To College" with Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake.
- Feb. 7 "North of the Klondyke" with Brod Crawford and Andy Devine.
- Feb. 8-9 "Remember The Day" with Claudette Colbert, John Payne and Ann Todd.
- Feb. 10-11 "A Gentleman at Heart" with Cesar Romero and Carole Landis.
- Feb. 12-13 "Paris Calling" with Elizabeth Bergner, Randolph Scott and Basil Rathbone.
- Feb. 14 "Lone Star Ranger" with Jarrin John Kimbrough of Texas A. and M. and Sheila Ryan.

THE LYNX

The Lynx...

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 Junior, Dickie Kiker
 Senior, Zola Mae Sheets
Band, Pat Hutton
FHT, Shirley Moses
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 Bonnie Lou Becker
 Sponsor, Mrs J. B. Caldwell

SAMPLINGS

An Insane Stunt
 —Dickie Kiker
 The crowds, the lights, the excitement, the tense feeling in the air, all heightened my extreme feeling of smallness as I stood on the diving platform at the annual Tri-State Fair.

I was preparing to dive into a tank of water, surrounded by a ring of fire. I was about 1,000 feet above the crowd. It was so high that the tank looked about the size of the eye of a needle. Believe me I was feeling plenty uneasy about that jump into that firey tank. The tank, waiting below for my dive, was only six feet around and I never was a good shot.

As I stood there waiting for the signal to jump, I thought a thousand thoughts "What if I were killed? I'll miss my dog. What about my sister Joan?" But there's the gong! I must jump! I hesitated just a second then jumped.

I went whirling thru the air, twisting, turning, the air sounding in my ears, eyes and nose and my ear drums pounding as if they would burst. Then a scream escaped my tight throat; for there before me was, not the tank, I had to hit, but the cold, solid ground. "Would I hit it? What could I do? Pray? No, that would do no good; for there I was almost to the ground, then—then. —I awoke! I awoke from a very frightful dream into find myself in my own bed at home, not at the fair about to be killed.

SNOOPER

Jewel, how do you like for the boys to take dates for granted. Pat, don't you think Tubby would be a good name for him?

My goodness, Onetia, don't you think he should save tires? I guess Benny and Buddy are going to have a fight to see who gets her.

Leroy S. certainly has cheered up this week at school. Why so, Leroy?
 [V]ola seems to have a on the string in every town. How do you rate them?

Margie, is your favorite pastime "Robbing the Cradle?" Nadine, you've slightly been rushed by a certain boy, haven't you?

Lowell seems to have an admirer at Canadian. Did you ever get an introduction, Lowell?
 Sada Ruth, I guess its going to be your time next. You are not doing bad now-a-days.

Joyce, you weren't doing bad at Canadian Saturday. You seem to go for those Perryton guys or else they go for you?
 Dorothy, you are about to lose out, aren't you? You better start working faster.

Robbie Jo, did you have a hard time keeping an eye on him?

THINGS THAT REMIND US OF

—Jo Nell Riggs
 Skirts and blouses, Nellie Hamilton.
 Collection of class rings, Jan Nabours.
 Slacks, Onetia Horn.
 Costume Jewelry, Dorothy Daniel.
 Chewing gum, Wanda Lee.
 Combs, Grace Lee Lawson.
 Sweaters, aPt Hutton.
 Indian Jewelry, Evelyn Garner.

Matching Costumes, Betty J. Godfrey.
 Unusual shoes, Faye Womble.
 Bright Colored Socks, Kenneth Burke.
 Tardy Slips, Jerry Jacobs.
 Absence slips, Alton Ellsworth.
 Books belonging to someone else, Frank Novak.

That old purse, Mrs Caldwell.
 An eye for looking the boys over, the girls of SHS.
 Very practiced whistles when a girl is seen, the boys of SHS.

FRESHMEN

We have started on the last semester of school, and we hope to make it better than the last one. There are many things coming up this second half that will make school seem more easy. Quite a number of Freshmen will go to the band contest

at Amarillo this year, and they are looking forward to it.

The Freshmen basketball players are looking forward to Feb. 27. We will go to Gruver to play in the Junior High Division. We are going to work so hard that we will be able to beat anybody.

In Home Ec the Freshmen girls have started on their dresses. Most of them are cut out. When we get our dresses finished, we will cook for the rest of the year.

The boys and girls in General Science have started a camera club. The ones that are in it have learned to develop films very well. I think this club will be a success.

EXCHANGE

—Rosanne Porter
 Harry—I heard that everybody laughed when you were ice skating.
 Dick: I didn't mind, but when the ice started making cracks that was too much!

W. C.: Why are you higher when you are standing on your head than when you are standing on your feet?
 Bobby: Because you are on a block.

Nature Lecturer: Yes, my dear friends, you will be surprised to know that after long study I can speak the language of wild animals.
 Voice: Next time you meet a Skunk ask him what's the big idea.

D. R. Daniel: Why don't you run along.
 Jack Tice: I can't. I just dropped a dime on the floor.
 D. R.: Why don't you pick it up.

Jack Tice: I can't, you are standing on it.
 The spiral column is a collection of bones running up and down your back that keep you from being legs clear up to your neck.

Shoe shine, mister?
 No.
 I can shine 'em so you can see your face in 'em.
 I said no!
 Coward.

FHT NEWS

The FHT club met on Thursday, Jan. 29, in the study hall of the high school. The program consisted of three talks, Under The Stars of Advance, by Jewel Brandt, Teen Age Too Trains For The Future, Betty McKay and Personality, Marjorie Russell. After the meeting Miss Hughes gave us a check up personality test.
 We all enjoyed the meeting.

FOURTH GRADE

Our geography lesson has been about Africa this last week. One of our class, Barbara Allen went to see Osa Johnson, and she has made our geography lessons more interesting by telling us about Osa Johnson and her travels in Africa.
 Most of the boys in the fourth grade room are getting interested in basketball. Quite a number have ordered suits and each day they practice during their play periods. They play against the fifth grade boys sometimes and although they are usually beaten they still think they have a good team and hope some day to be the best team ever to represent Spearman High school.
 The fourth grade girls, too, are getting the basketball fever. Don't be surprised if you hear of them becoming good players also.

FIRST GRADE

Fifty percent of the children in the first grade have bought defense stamps. We are also saving cancelled postage stamps which are valuable for the dyes they contain.
 We have added spelling to our work for this semester.
 Mrs Cator visited our class on Monday.

5TH GRADE NEWS

We have knitted seven squares for the Red Cross so far, but we are planning to make more. We have started seven more. We have purchased \$479.10 of Defense Bonds and Stamps. We have drawn names for our valentine party.
 Honor roll: Bill Davis, Don McLain, Jack Oakes, Virginia Bruce, Lela Mae Close, Jo Anna Gower, Paula Faye Jackson, Bobbie Jean Lackey, Laura Ruth Lamb, Billy June Reid, Delores Rosenbaum, Carolyn Sansing, Shirley Sparks, Rose Mary Tarbox, Ruth Tarbox, Jo Ann Wilbanks, and Juanita Williams.

SIXTH GRADE

A Honor roll: Avo Jones, Gene Kerns, Sylvia Martin, Pearl D. Burke, Lois Buzzard, Gwendolyn Davis, Claire Jo Hicks, Helen Holt, Ruth Jackson and Mary Frances Schroder.

A Average: Dick Beck, Mike Berry, Monty Cotter, Wilma Lee Sheets, Eula Marie Meers, Glen Mackel, Florence Dillow, Verna Lee Gibner, B Honor roll: S. B. Sheets, Dale Adair, Donald Allen, Earl Kenney, Anita Close, Winona Gill, Gwendolyn Shirley Ervin Lamb, Harold Latham, Pat Ervin Lamb, Harold Latham, Pat More, Roy Rook, and Virgil.

We are glad to have Verna Lee Gibner back in school. She has just returned from a trip to New Orleans, La. We have elected officers for the semester. They are: President, Mike Berry, vice-pres, Pat Moore, secretary, Glen Mackel, treasurer Gene Kerns, program committee Avo Jones, Jo Ann Hoskins and Mary Frances Schroder.

SENIORS

All of the students who went to the Canadian tournament have come back reporting a swell time. One of them is sporting a shining gold basketball. He is none other than D. R. Daniel. We are especially proud of him.
 We are glad to have May Lee Harbour back in school after being out for several days with the mumps. She seems to be just as frisky as ever.

JUNIOR NEWS

Some of the Junior girls are rather busy thinking about the FHT Valentine party that the FHT club is going to give.
 The Juniors are very proud of Patricia Hutton's winning the Sportsmanship trophy for the girls at the Canadian Basketball Tournament. A number of the Junior boys and girls participated in the tournament.

LYNX BASKETBALL

—Jimmie Linn
 The Lynx are busy this week with some good hard workouts in preparing for the Stinnett Tournament, which is this weekend.

The Lynx are working on fundamentals of basketball, which are things such as passing the ball, driving under the basket for crisp shots. The point in this practice is that the team must play as a unit, not as individuals. Basketball has plays that require an alert mind or they fail to work. More teamwork is required in basketball than in football.

Canadian Tournament

The Lynx and Lynettes attended the Canadian tournament last week. The girls won their first game, beating Shamrock 20-6. In the second game, they lost a whale of a game to the very strong Darouzett girls, 14-24.

The Lynx defeated Miami in their first game 38-18. They drew a bye in the second round since Altus, Oklahoma did not play. They beat Perryton 33-33 in the third game.

Wellington proved to be lucky for the Lynx in the semi-finals winning 34-31. Wellington later won the tournament beating Lefors, 35-32.

Coach Washington's Lynx got 36 points per game average. Spearman boys and girls wish to thank Canadian for a grand tournament.

Spearman is to be complimented for the fact of sportmanship. The past four years a Lynxett has been honored by being presented with the sportsmanship trophy. Miss Pat Hutton, guard, No. 7, on the Spearman team was awarded this beautiful trophy this year. Miss Joyce Jones was awarded a gold basketball on the tournament 2nd team. This is nothing to sneeze at because there were plenty of good teams of girls there.

Co-Capt. Daniel was placed on the All-Tournament first five. He was awarded a gold basketball. This is the second team he has made this year. Co-Capt. Jacobs has also made two tournament teams.

Cooperation is the one thing that a team has to have to win and that is one thing that the Lynx have learned.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Friday, Grade School and HI School met in the auditorium in general assembly. The program included a Scripture reading by Marjorie Riggs; Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag; led by Pat Becker; God Bless America sung by the audience; and led by Thelma Jo Mitchell; a solo, Rose O'Day, by Billy Jack Glover; and a film. The film was Industrial England during the crisis, a study of methods of de-

fense. It also showed protective measures for all industrial employees.

SAMPLINGS FROM ENGLISH CLASS

The Funniest Accident
 —Helen Kenney
 One Sunday afternoon a few of us children in the neighborhood decided to go ice skating.

In the group there was a rather large boy who was always bragging about how well he could skate.

When we finally arrived to the ice, the sun had just shone long enough to melt it a little on top and it was very slick.

This rather large boy took the lead on the ice.
 He was doing well till he got out in the middle and he began to get off balance. Everyone began to laugh and that made him all nervous and he fell flat on his back. He tried to get up again and again and still when he tried to get up he would fall down on that cold hard ice.

It looked from where we were standing as if he were bouncing like a rubber ball. Everyone was roaring with laughter. The last time he tried to get up he fell on his side. Then he began to yell that he had hurt his leg. All were laughing so they could hardly stand up themselves.

After he had lain there for a while we went to see about him and he said that his leg felt as if it was broken. We rushed him home as quickly as we could.

Later we found that his hip was hurt and he had sprung an ankle. We were sorry that his ankle was hurt, but still everytime I think about it I think it is the funniest accident I ever saw.

DR. POWELL, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist will be at Dr. Gower's office Wednesday, Feb. 11, 1942. Glasses fitted. Tonsils and Adenoids removed.

LIMITED AMOUNT. Spring seed wheat for sale. Price reasonable. L. S. McLain.

Pink and Blue colors predom-

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MACDOWELL MUSIC CLUB

Rosanne Porter was hostess to the MacDowell Music Club in her home Monday evening, Feb. 2.

The program was very interesting. It consisted of a talk on Folk-songs by Margie Gerber and one on Sources of Folk-songs by Faye Womble. Rita Roach and Jewel Brandt played a clarinet duet "Santa Lucia."

Lovely refreshments were served to the following: Barbara Jean Daily, Betty Jean Hill, Winifred Hoskins, Sada Ruth Hoskins, Mildred McKay, Pat Hutton Margie Gerber, Jewel Brandt, Rita Roach, Mary Lee Dacus, Joyce Jones, Viola Jones, Wilma Mahaffey, Faye Womble, Miss Mary Gantt and Rosanne Porter.

PINK AND BLUE SHOWER

Mrs F. K. Bannister was hostess to a pink and blue shower Wednesday afternoon for Mrs Jack Whitson. After a social hour of games and contests the gifts were presented to the honoree from a table decorated in pink and blue. Lovely refreshments which also carried out the pink and blue motif were served to Mesdames E. W. McJunkin, A. Morse, L. Benningfield, G. Newcomb, C. Crawford, A. Pierce, Ed Close, J. Close, D. Kiker, F. Kirkman, the honoree Mrs Jack Whitson and hostess Mrs F. K. Bannister. Gifts were sent by Mrs Bert Briley and Mrs Jake Lamb.

MRS WESLEY GARNETT HONORED

Mrs Wesley Garnett was the honoree at a lovely Pink and Blue Shower given Tuesday afternoon in the Pete Smith home. Mrs Gene Cline was the assisting hostess.



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BLUE MONDAY CLUB
 The Blue Monday Bridge Club met Monday Feb. 2nd with Mrs H. L. Heard as hostess. Members playing were Mesdames Hester, Gandy, Hill, Dally, Bill McClellan, Roy Russel, Hall Jones, O. C. Holt, guests Mesdames Jess Davis, Bill Miller, S. B. Hale, and R. B. Archer, Jr.
 The Valentine motif was featured in the lovely refreshment plate, appointments and favors.
 Member high score was won by Mrs Roy Russel, guest high by Mrs Bill Miller.

MARY MARTHAS
 Mrs Peary Gerringer was hostess to members of the Mary Marthas at her home in Spearman, Wednesday, Feb. 4th. Mrs R. E. Lee, was lesson leader for the lesson studied from the study book, "Prophets of Israel". Mrs C. A. Gibner and Mrs E. N. Richardson assisted in presenting the study lesson. Members present were Mrs R. E. Lee, Mrs Odell Washington, Mrs O. C. Holt, Mrs Ben Beck, Mrs Marvin Chambers, Mrs Eugene Richardson, Mrs John Berry, Mrs T. D. Sansing, Mrs Robert Douglas, Mrs C. A. Gibner, Mrs Freeman Barkley, Mrs F. J. Dally and the hostess Mrs Peary Gerringer.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs R. E. Lee, February 11.

NEWS ITEMS
FROM COLORADO
 We note that Mr and Mrs Hank Duncan are the proud parents of a son, from reading a news item in the Cortez, Colorado newspaper. Hank was formerly a popular employee of the McClellan Chevrolet Co., of Spearman. A Cahone Colorado paper carried an item about Milton Hughes, former Spearmanite, injuring his right knee when he struck it with a heavy hammer while working on a feed mill.

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HOSKINS - KILGORE VOWS ARE SAID IN SPEARMAN
 Miss Frances Margot Hoskins, daughter of Mr and Mrs Fred J. Hoskins, became the bride of Glen Richard Kilgore, son of Mr and Mrs G. Roy Kilgore, Pampa, Texas, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents.
 The vows were read by Rev. Matthew Doyel pastor of the First Baptist church, as the couple and attendants stood before the fireplace in the living room banked with ferns and pastel flowers, flanked by seven-branched candelabra holding lighted white tapers.
 Before the double ring ceremony the tapers were lighted by Misses Sada Ruth and Winifred Hoskins, sisters of the bride, while Miss Vera Campbell, aunt of the bride played Schubert's Serenade. The Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin by Wagner was played for the processional and I Love You Truly, by Bond was played softly during the ceremony.

Attending her sister was Mrs James Hodges, wearing full length white jersey dress with bouquet of pastel sweet peas tied with long satin ribbon. Fred Simpson of Canyon served as best man.
 The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore full length white jersey dress embroidered in gold with white carnation corsage, and carried a white Bible. The brides only jewelry was a strand of cultured pearls.

An informal reception was held after the ceremony. The lace covered table was centered with a three tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, and white tapers also arranged on the table.
 Miss Elizabeth Ann Miller of Spearman presided at the silver coffee service.
 The bride is a graduate of Spearman High School and is a senior at West Texas State, Canyon, where she is a member of Alpha Chi, Honorary fraternity, and Gamma Phi sorority.

Mr Kilgore is a graduate of Pampa High School and is a senior at West Texas State where he is a member of Epsilon Beta fraternity.
 The couple left on a short wedding trip and will be at home in Canyon, Texas.
 Guests for the wedding and reception were Mr and Mrs G. Roy Kilgore, Miss Barbara Kilgore, Mrs Reese and Grover Austin, Pampa, Texas; Mrs Don Gross, Gruver; Mrs Brown, of Farnsworth; Mr and Mrs C. E. Campbell, Mrs W. J. Miller, Mrs Matthew Doyel, Miss Jo Ann Hoskins, Spearman; Miss Pauline Spencer, James Hodges, Amarillo.

Craig Davidson In Ship Torpedoed at Sea
 Craig Davidson, son of Mr and Mrs Will Whitson, former Spearman citizen, and one of the recent popular graduates of Spearman High School, was on a U. S. Transport torpedoed in the Pacific. Helen Richardson received a letter from Craig giving her this brief information, but of course not giving any of the details. Craig was at home on furlough before the Pearl Harbour incident. He was called back immediately after war was declared. His friends assume that he had reached his former post of duty in Alaska, and was being shifted from Alaska to another assignment when the ship was torpedoed. He does not state how long he was in the water or life boat before he was rescued. The letter came from his last army address, which is now the custom, regardless of where a soldier is serving.
 Davidson and Mrs Whitson spent several days visiting in Spearman before the Christmas holidays.

BLODGETT NEWS
 Mrs W. Y. Williams and Mrs W. M. Deck spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs J. M. Blodgett.
 Margaret Alline and Mrs Arthur Bowling spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs Verna Kenney.
 Corky Kizzlar spent Monday night with J. M. Kenney.
 Mrs W. M. Deck spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs W. Y. Williams.
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BELLE BENNETTS
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Those present included Mrs P. A. Lyon, Mrs H. P. Bailey, Mrs D. B. Keim, Mrs R. L. McClellan Mrs G. P. Gibner, Mrs Dave Hester, Mrs Robert Meek, Mrs L. W. Mathews, Mrs J. L. Redus, Mrs R. N. Jones, and the hostess.
 The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs J. H. Buchanan.

Mr and Mrs Lafe DeArmond, and Dale of Perryton were Saturday and Sunday visitors with Mrs DeArmond's parents Mr and Mrs L. G. Andrews.

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SPEARMAN MUSIC CLUB
 The Spearman Music Club entertained the members of the Gruver Music Club Tuesday eve Feb. 3 in the lovely home of Mrs C. E. Campbell. The decorations on the serving table carried out the "V" for Victory theme with a centerpiece of flags balanced with two huge red, white and blue V emblems on either side. The individual favors were cunningly tied red, white and blue ribbons.

The Gruver Music Club furnished the program which was based on the life of the composer and pianist Rubenstein. Mrs W. F. D. Etling discussed the life and works of Rubenstein. The musical numbers were all compositions of Rubenstein and consisted of the following: A piano solo, Kamennol-Ostrow, played by Mrs Kelly Bennett, a vocal trio, Mrs Bush, Ernest Sluder, and W. C. Lowe, singing The Wanderer's Night Song, accompanied on the piano by Mrs Alice Smith, and the vocal solo Welcome Sweet Spring Time sung by Mrs E. T. Rafferty, accompanied by Mrs Kelly Bennett.

Guests and Music Club members present were Mesdames Kelly Bennett, E. T. Rafferty, E. M. McClellan, L. H. Gruver, A. Smith, A. R. Bort, W. F. D. Etling, W. C. Lowe, Ernest Sluder, O. A. Bush, Bandy, F. J. Dally, J. P. Cator, J. B. Caldwell, R. E. Lee, H. P. Bailey, Robt Douglas, H. N. Powell, R. L. McClellan, J. E. Gunn, John Berry, Misses Fortenberry, Mary Gantt, Helen Richardson and the hostess, Mrs C. E. Campbell.

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"The Lake View Tattler"

Mrs. Jake Lamb and daughter Ruby called in the Cola Lee home Sunday and the Cola Lee family called in the S. J. Powell home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Metz and little daughter of Enid, Oklahoma spent a few days with his mother and family Cola Lee's on his way to San Francisco where he is to enter in defense work.

Hollis Gossett has been helping Mr. Jantz and Unrue thrash recently. Mrs. Gossett, Gayle and Leona Emmick attended Sunday school at McMillon Sunday.

Dan Nitschke and family with Miss Olson attended church services in Perryton Sunday.

Fermie Lee of Bartlesville, Okla., made a short visit with his father Cola Lee and family.

Mrs. John Sims has a severe cold and she is feeling a little flu-ey.

L. F. Swink has returned from a visit in one of the training camps with his son Norman.

Goldy Mae spent the week-end in Perryton.

D. P. Unrue has been having bad luck with his well but feels sure it is in good order now.

Dave Lambert was a caller in the Cliff McGuarough home Sunday in the S. J. Powell home on Monday morning and at the Booster station Saturday.

Sam Nitschke made several calls among his neighbors recently wanting to buy several roosters.

Mrs. Dennis Reed and daughter called in the S. J. Powell home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. Y. Williams is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Edd Beck.

Shoppers in Spearman Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Olin Williams, Mrs. Vernie Kenney and Mr. and Mrs. John Sims.

George Pipkn is sailing about in a new used ford.

Nadene and Thadene are dividing their time staying with their cousin Helen Kenney and their mother one of the girls is always at home and one with Helen each night so they can attend services now in progress at the Blodgett school.

Rev. Jacob Regier and his helpers Mr. and Mrs. Happy Watkins are holding a very interesting revival at the Blodgett school. Mrs. Watkins is an accomplished pianist and Happy directs the choir. The services are well attended and will continue the rest of this week.

Mrs. John Sims and the writer attended the services Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ntschke and sons Luther and Bobby visited in the Gilman Flowers home on Sunday eve and also called in the S. J. Powell home.

Mrs. Earl Church entertained some of her friends in her home the first of last week.

Little Dora Lee Gossett is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tandy were shoppers in Perryton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Unruh of the McMillon community attended services at the Blodgett school house Sunday evening.

Today has been a beautiful spring day an advanced spring showing with such a glorious day and peaceful community. It is hard to believe that there is so much suffering, fear blood shed, death, hunger and armies fighting in every direction. But as we learn of friends and loved ones who have given their lives in the hideous war, we wonder why the ones who started this war would rather try to conquer the world than be at home in a beautiful yard. Suddenly in the hush quietness this morning there was the roar of an airplane and it flew lower than the top of the windmill over our house and continued low until lost from view here there was no fear, and I thought how just that suddenly other homes in other parts of the world had been destroyed. Mothers have struggled, worked and toiled so long under dictatorship that if a fairy would suddenly wave his magic wand and set them down in the good old USA they would think they were in the Garden of Eden or had passed thru the Pearly Gates and were in Heaven.

Emil Knutson and Leona, Louise and Kathryn Knutson called on her on Tuesday of last week. Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm called on Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Moen, Ruth TeBeest and her mother visited with the Peter Dahl family on Monday afternoon of last week. On Thursday they visited at the Oscar Dahl home.

Frank Winkleman from Tyrone completed the installation of a kitchen cabinet and sink in the parsonage on Saturday of last week. Pipes to carry the water into the house will be laid soon.

The Reuben TeBeest family visited with the Oscar Dahl family on Tuesday of last week.

Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm called on Mrs. Lewis Johnson who for the present is staying with her son Clarence Johnson and family, on Wednesday of last week.

Betsy Dahl spent the week-end with her parents here last week. Selma Dahl visited friends at Wellington, Texas.

Mrs. Clara Stedje, Mrs. Jack Christofferson, Leona, Louise Amy and Kathryn Knutson called at the parsonage on Sunday afternoon. In the evening Mrs. J. TeBeest, Mrs. Henry Moen, Ruth TeBeest and Mrs. Oscar Dahl and her two daughters called.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander are spending a few days at Mineral Wells, Texas at the present time.

The Ladies' Aid is sponsoring a Used Clothing Project for the benefit of those who may need such aid. Please bring any used clothes which you may have to spare to the parsonage for distribution to the needy.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Land announce the arrival of a daughter Christine Hannah on Jan. 24th. Mrs. Land is known here as Evelyn Reinertsen which was her name before her marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Lund live at Clarkfield, Minnesota now.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe DeArmond and Don, of Perryton visited in the Otis Patterson home Sunday.

Mrs. Johnnie Close and Jo Mae visited with her sister Mrs. Bud Jackson and daughter Monday.

Mrs. Ed Close, Mrs. Johnnie Close, and children visited in Borger last Saturday with Mrs. Lynn Rogers and family.

Mrs. Archa Morse visited with Mrs. Gus Newcomb Saturday.

as we have now and he would find out that his idea of parity would change pronto.

The one thing that is giving the people good cheer is that this is to be an election year and that always stirs us up so that we will stay up all night at a political rally and yell ourselves hoarse for our favorite

son then work the next day we can go to another rally the following night and do we have a good time. That is one that we sure enjoy ourselves when we have the candidates the stump we ask all kinds of questions and get all kinds of answers and have a good time all around.

Yours, R. V. C.

R. V. Converse Says:

Look out for the rationing program to tighten up the fellow that hoardes is going to force it upon the rest of us by his insistant buying. Strange to isn't it that we have to have hogs in the shape of human beings? and be forced to live in a state of government control just because the hogs exist.

The war is surely going bad for us at this time we are losing one base after another in the east and the production machinery is not getting started as it should the reason is that the factories laid off so many men during the depression and as they were laying them off they picked out the older fellows who had grown up with the business and drew a little more wages because they had been with the company so long, this reduced the pay-roll and also reduced efficiency then when the demand opened up the young fellows who had replaced the older fellows were not experienced in tool making and could not deliver. In some instances efforts were made to reemploy the older men but to the dismay of the managers the men laid off had gone out into the world that they were not familiar with, many with inadequate means and were not able to cope with the new surroundings so they died and others were incapacitated from a diet of insufficient food so they were not able to go to work.

The price control bill will not prevent higher prices in most everything except it may be in farm products I notice where the secretary of agriculture says that farm prices are at about parity now, he did not point out wheat but if he thinks wheat is at parity he should try to raise some and a Panhandle farm with four and five dollar a day labor such

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H. C. Hjortholm, pastor.

News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moen from Kerrick, Oklahoma visited with their brother Henry Moen, and family last Sunday afternoon.

Dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Johanna TeBeest last Sunday were, Mr and Mrs. Reuben TeBeest and their two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dahl and their children, and John Van Dyke.

Albert Leon, is the name of the son born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stavlo at the Wesley Hospital last week. Mother and son are doing well.

Mrs. Marie Brandvik, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. H. Shapley, near Gruver, has been ill with a throat infection for the past two weeks. She is improving now. Mrs. Clara Stedje, Mrs.

MICOU NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Close and son and Jake Lamb and Harry Shedeck spent Friday at the Archa Morse home where the men helped with an old fashioned butchering. The Morse's butchered six hogs and put them in cold storage lockers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb made a trip to Borger Wednesday and purchased one hundred chicks.

Mrs. Lynn Rogers and son Jimmie Ed of Borger spent last week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Close.

Mrs. F. K. Bannister was a Perryton visitor last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crawford, Dona and Marilyn made a trip to Borger Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Close, Mrs. Rogers, Jim Ed and Mrs. Lelan Close, Joye and Lela Mae were Amarillo visitors Monday of last week and while there attended the Osa Johnson matinee.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Patterson are announcing the birth of a son, James Roy, born Jan. 25 at a Borger hospital. Mrs. Patterson and baby returned home last Wednesday.

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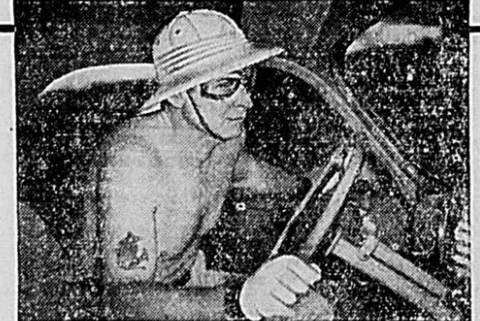

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We desire to express to our many friends and customers our appreciation for their loyal support and patronage during the past years of our business in Spearman!

While we have just opened a new store at Guymon, Oklahoma, it is not our intention at all to leave Spearman. We plan to spend our time back and forth supervising both stores and we expect to continue to handle the same high quality merchandise at the lowest possible prices—endeavouring to render the best of service to our customers at all times.

MR. SALLEE will be in charge of our store here during our absence and we assure you that he will make every effort to please you in every way and will appreciate a continuation of the loyal support that you have given us.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Russell

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