

## Infantile Paralysis Creeps Nearer

### Hot Days End With Drop To 61 Degrees

Another Inch of Rain Proves Beneficial To Crop Conditions

The blazing summer days apparently are drawing to an end for the North Plains area. One hundred degree temperature ended Saturday for Spearman after several days.

Sunday and Monday were pleasant days in Spearman and the thermometer really took a drop today night with 61 degrees recorded Tuesday morning.

Spearman has continued to be drenched upon with the receipt of more than an inch of moisture during the past week.

Exactly one inch fell here Thursday, Aug. 12 and .03 inch the following day, Fred Brandt, observer reported.

Farmers are getting their land in good shape for planting wheat. A few farmers continue to sow wheat early, although most will wait until September.

Weather data the past few days follows:

August	High	Low	Rain
10	100	68	.00
11	102	68	.00
12	101	73	1.00
13	103	70	.03
14	97	68	.00
15	99	67	.00
16	85	66	.00
17	—	41	.00

Weather Tuesday morning was cool and cloudy.

### Excess Ice Capacity Is Being Sold

The Community Public Service Co. ice plant stopped operation for a few hours one day last week because of a bearing.

Manager A. L. Schnell said the machine was repaired and he began turning out ice at the rate of 1,200 pounds an hour instead of the customary 1,000 pounds.

Schnell said that local ice sales this summer have been below last year.

"I believe that if I were to put out the rumor that ice would be rationed, I couldn't keep the local customers away," Schnell said.

Perryton, Dumas and other communities have been taking all the plants excess capacity.

### McKays Will Move To Borger Shortly

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McKay have sold their home in Spearman to T. R. Shirley and will move to Borger soon where they have bought a twelve room house.

Mr. McKay is also selling his machinery shop as his health has been very poor for the past year.

Mrs. McKay, who is a trained nurse, has operated a home hospital here and will continue her work in Borger. The McKay family has been living in Spearman for the past fourteen years.

### Showing At Ellis Theater, Perryton

August 19 and 20, Charles Laughton, Maureen O'Hara in "This Land is Mine."

August 21, Charles Starrett, Kay Harris in "Robinhood of the Range."

August 22 and 23, Cary Grant, Lorraine Day in "Mr. Lucky."

August 24 and 25, George Saunders, Maurguerite Chapman in "Appointment in Berlin."

August 26 and 27, Diana Barrymore in "Frontier Bad Man."

The R. L. McClellan family recently received four letters from Lee McClellan Jr. of the U. S. Navy. He wrote that Guadalcanal was peaceful compared with some of his recent experience. He replied to a letter written July 11 by his father in regard to the harvest. This indicated that mail service is good.

Mrs. Bill Pattison and daughter Phyllis of Perryton and Mr. and Mrs. Elden Karr and children of Stinnett were in Spearman Monday.

## War Ration Book 3 Comes Into Use Sunday, Sept. 12

The brown ration stamps in War Ration Book Three will come into use Sept. 12 for the purchase of meats, fats, oils, butter and cheese, the Office of Price Administration (OPA) announced Monday night.

The brown stamps will replace the red ones in War Ration Book Two as the latter are used up. They will have the same point value.

Henceforth, OPA announced also, the meats-fats ration stamps always will expire on the Saturday nearest the end of a month, with the new sets becoming valid on successive Sundays.

OPA fixed the validity dates for the last red stamps in Ration Book Two—stamps X, and Z. These will expire on Oct. 2 and will become valid as follows: Stamp X, Aug. 22; stamps Y, Aug. 29; and stamp Z, Sept. 5.

Brown stamps A and B, becoming valid on Sept. 12 and 19 respectively, both will expire on Oct. 2. The next four brown stamps, all expiring on Oct. 30, will become valid on the following dates: Stamp C, Sept. 26; stamp D, Oct. 3; stamp E, Oct. 10; and stamp F, Oct. 17.

Change in November. Between Sept. 12 when the first series of brown stamps becomes valid, and Oct. 2 when the final sets of red stamps expire, both red and brown stamps will be usable. After Oct. 2 only the brown stamps will be used.

Not until November will it be necessary to bring into use stamps replacing the blue stamps used for canned, frozen and dried foods.

OPA announced that blue stamps U, V and W would become valid Sept. 1 and would be good until Oct. 20.

To Block Thefts. OPA also announced that gasoline dealers will be prohibited after Sept. 1 from accepting old-type B and C gasoline ration coupons. Car owners still holding the old-style books should exchange them for new sheets of coupons between Aug. 23 and Sept. 1, it was stated.

The exchange will be made on a coupon-for-coupon basis. Its benefits, from OPA's standpoint, will be to render useless any stolen, illegally held, or counterfeit coupons of the old type.

Motorists can readily tell whether they are holding the new or old type coupons. The old ones were printed with the words "permits delivery of one unit of gasoline." The new ones carry only the words "mileage ration" plus a large letter "B" or "C."

Outstanding 100-gallon bulk coupons, issuance of which was discontinued June 15, will be invalidated Sept. 1. Beginning Aug. 23, holders of such coupons must apply to ration boards to have them exchanged for regular coupons of the appropriate class B, C, E, R, TT or, in the case of large users, for ration bank certificates.

### Harold V. Stavlo Will Graduate At Denton School

DENTON, Aug. 18—Harold V. Stavlo of Gruver is among approximately 215 candidates to be awarded degrees at the thirty-first annual summer commencement at North Texas State Teachers College on Friday, Aug. 20.

Principal speaker for the summer commencement exercises will be Julius Dorsey, superintendent of the Dallas public schools, who served on the NTSTC faculty for a number of summer sessions. Dr. W. J. McConnell, president of the college, will preside at the formal convocation, awarding degrees to approximately 165 candidates for the bachelor's degree and 50 candidates for the master's degree.

Two suits on notes have been filed recently in 84th district court as follows: Lucy H. Lacy, et vir, vs. George M. Whitson, sr., et al; O. V. Walker, Jr., vs. W. U. Cook, et al.

### 8-Year-Old Girl Shows Much Talent

Lee Ann Emmick of Roswell, N. M., is the very charming little eight year old granddaughter of Mrs. S. J. Powell. Lee Ann has long blond hair, blue eyes, and long black eye lashes. She began studying piano and dancing when she was four years old. She had danced before large banquets, played at the USO, also before business clubs and at the age of six played for a large audience to sing.

She has so many hobbies one hardly knows where to begin with them. First, she has 110 dolls, all in good shape, several of which are character dolls. She has a very good sized sack of marbles, has shells from several islands, is taking guitar lessons, has eleven government bonds and can talk about the war and the different countries and their leaders, writes on a typewriter, punctuates correctly and acts as hostess at a dinner party. The day the Japs bombed Pearl Harbor she, her mother and father and a family of friend were making cuidad Juarez, Mexico. Lee Ann always reels at home wherever she goes. Getting tired of waiting at the table for the food in one of the biggest bars, she left the table, walked to the piano, sat down and played "God Bless America." Her parents were surprised but they seldom interfere with her until they see what she is going to do, so they were really surprised when she began to play. The bar was full of folks of every station in life and U. S. soldiers. The house became as quiet as death; she played on and when she had finished the house went wild. Soldiers picked her up, almost fought over her, bought her everything they could, that she could use in a bar, threw money at her. She had collected quite a few dollars as they carried her around on their shoulders, some kissed her, her father arose from the table thinking he was going to have to take her from them. When she was back to the table with her parents, she blew them all a kiss and said, "Thank you, I didn't know I was going to cause so much excitement." And they all cheered again. It was then her father told her she had better stay at the table. She said, "Well, father, I just felt like playing 'God Bless America.' There was nothing wrong in that."

Last year her parents decided she was studying too hard and decided to stop the dancing lessons for a while. They bought her a bicycle. One afternoon she came in real late from school. When her mother ask why she was late coming in, she replied "Oh, I just decided today while I was in school that I was wasting too much time and I came by the dancing school, was there in time to take a lesson and enroll again."

When asked what she intends to do when she grows up, she will laugh and say "Not what you think I am planning to do, for I know you think I will be an actress or something in that line, but I am going to marry young and raise eight children. There must be eight of them; I may have to adopt some to get many but that is my number."

She wanted to learn to speak Spanish. She asked her parents to give her Spanish lessons; they refused. Her father speaks some Spanish; she picked up what she could from him, then she made a trade with their Spanish maid to give the maid piano lessons for Spanish lessons.

There is just one thing she worries about and that is she doesn't want any one to think she is a sottie as she calls it, just because she plays the piano and plays with dolls and she

### All Reporters Must Be Paid Up Promptly

Subscribers Warned Renewals Must Be Paid By Expiration

SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED

Mrs. R. B. Archer, Spearman. Ray Skinner, Spearman. T. M. Allen, Spearman.

Pvt. Boyce L. Pruitt, Fort Sill, Okla, gift of mother, Mrs. Ray Skinner. Cand. Robert V. Skinner, Ft. Belvoir, Va., gift of mother, Mrs. Ray Skinner. Mrs. Jerold Scribner, Wichita Falls, Texas, gift of grandmother, Mrs. J. D. Hester.

Mrs. Dee Meier, Dumas gift of her mother, Mrs. Emmett Ryan, Morse.

J. E. Corson, Pampa. V. M. Willis, Spearman. L. G. Nobles, Gruver. Ott Crawford, Spearman. R. B. Archer Jr., Spearman.

Although The Reporter received several subscriptions during the past week, most of them were from Texas.

Only two out of state subscriptions, both gifts to sons in service, were received.

However, Dumas, Wichita Falls and Pampa were represented in Texas cities outside of Hansford county.

If you wish to continue receiving The Reporter, you must take care of your renewals promptly. The Reporter does not want your name on the list if your subscription is not paid in advance.

You do not find the rich metropolitan newspapers carrying subscription one day beyond the expiration date. So, a small weekly newspaper has no business in being more lenient than our wealthy contemporary editors.

If you can afford to pay for a daily in advance, you can afford to pay for the Spearman Reporter the same way. The Reporter is not having much difficulty in getting the subscriptions paid in advance, but this is just notice that the management is going to be stricter than ever as this war goes on.

So if you want The Reporter, pay attention promptly to notices. Rates are \$2.00 a year in Hansford and adjoining counties; \$2.50 a year elsewhere.

### Deck Is Called To Washington On Wheat Plan

W. M. Deck is a member of the special wheat committee which will meet in Washington the week of August 23 to discuss and study the wheat situation. This special committee, composed of nine men from the wheat states, is called by the National Board of the Farm Bureau Federation.

One man has been selected from each state. Deck is to be Texas' representative. Chairman of this special committee is O. O. Wolfe of Kansas. Marvin Jones, as war food administrator, is requesting all farm organizations to submit plans and suggestions.

Texas will be ably represented by Mr. Deck, who is vitally interested in farm questions. At present he is serving as 1st vice president of Texas Farm Bureau, and is also director for district of the Bureau, which includes all of West Texas—Herald, Perryton.

Mrs. A. J. Curtis has returned from Mobile, La., for her son, Terry, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis.

Joyce Close of Borger has been appointed drum major for the Borger High school band. Joyce was formerly from Spearman High school and a very efficient drum major of the high school band taking national honors.

very often will wrestle with a little boy friend as she calls it to show boys and little girls "I am not a sottie." Lee Ann has a very charming mother. Her music teacher is Leona Emmick.

### Let's Make Plans Now To Prevent Any Infantile Paralysis Epidemic

(Editorial)  
The rapid spread of infantile paralysis throughout the nation is no trifling matter. Every week the dreaded disease draws a little closer to Hansford County.

It is time that the citizenship of Hansford County wake up to the danger. The County of Hansford and the City of Spearman urge that you clean up your premises.

Health officials have about come to the conclusion that infantile paralysis is being spread by flies and filth as well as by human contact.

If anyone in your family becomes ill, you should see your doctor. Most persons who get infantile paralysis are ill two or three days before the disease gets bad enough to believe that a doctor should be called.

Also, it is time to realize that the best place in the world for children is at home. Travel as little as possible. Keep children away from picture shows and public gatherings.

Unless every precaution is taken, the disease may spread so that it will be impossible to start our public schools on schedule.

During World War I, there was the fatal influenza epidemic. For several weeks, schools, churches and public entertainments were closed. It was only that way that the epidemic was halted.

As infantile paralysis is so much more fatal even than World War I influenza, there should be far more precaution taken. It is better to stop public gatherings now than to wait until the first case hits Spearman, if our health officers believe that there is danger from the disease in this city or in the county.

### Personals

County Agent Joe Hatton's office was working Monday on wheat to enter the annual milling and baking contest.

White House Lumber Co. took out two windows in the office on the southwest side and put in shelving this week to display merchandise.

Judge A. F. Barkley announces that the annual Hansford county budget hearing will be held at 10:30 a. m. Monday, Aug. 23, in his office.

Mrs. Claudine Hand and daughter, Charline, and Mrs. Michael Hill visited over the week-end with relatives at Erick, Okla.

Mrs. Booker Kizzar and children of Perryton visited Mrs. Georgia Horry Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wentz and family moved into town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirkman moved to the Luther Mathews ranch this week.

Michael Hill's father is here visiting Michael and his family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Russell of New Boston, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smith of Paris, Texas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Combs over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford George of Gruver announce the arrival of a daughter, Sandra Lee, at the McKay Funeral home hospital in Spearman, August 14, weighing seven and one-fourth pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pittman are happy over the arrival of a son, Kent Matthew, on August 3.

Angus McKay is in Amarillo this week for medical treatment.

Bill Brown is looking after interests in New Mexico this week. He was accompanied by his father, L. P. Brown and Lee Brown, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Seitz and Mrs. Bus Boxford spent last week in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Van Noy, Amarillo, were guests in the Fred Hoskins home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Brandvik returned from a trip to California this week. They helped Art Bernstein to move to Phoenix and went on to visit relatives north of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spivey and son, and Mrs. Robert Alexander of Gruver were shopping in Spearman Wednesday.

Mrs. Raymond Jarvis and Mrs. J. H. Buchanan made a quick trip to San Antonio the past week-end to visit with Lieut. Edna A. Bassell, A. N. C., who will be leaving soon for overseas service.

Mrs. Wesley Garnett is visiting with relatives in Dallas and Houston this week.

### School Will Open Here On September 6

Spearman public schools will open Monday, Sept. 6, according to Supt. L. H. Bond.

Bond said that the faculty was just about complete for the coming year.

Miss Mildred Solomon of Canyon, who had been employed to teach high school English, turned in her resignation.

A course in pre-flight training will be given to junior and senior high school boys.

### Happy Birthday

August 21  
Don Ooley  
Bill Davis  
William Grey Sparks  
J. A. McNulty

August 22  
Earl Carpenter  
Bill Brown

August 23  
Mrs. Jimmy Davis  
Mrs. Joe Hatton  
Mrs. W. E. Davis

August 24  
Lila Jane Knudsen  
Mrs. T. H. Taylor  
J. G. B. Sparks

August 27  
J. H. Buchanan  
Rev. John E. Eldridge  
Alvino Richardson  
Frank Davis

### Due To Pass Order Calling Gas Election

The city commission was scheduled to meet Wednesday night and pass the order calling for a revenue bond election to purchase the Spearman Gas Co.

The official order was received recently from the bond attorneys at Austin.

Officials would not say early this week the exact date upon which the election would be held. Publication of the order is required before the election can be held.

### Spearman Drug Co. Shortens Hours

Bruce Sheets, owner of the Spearman Drug Co., has announced that hours for opening the store will be reduced. The store will open at 8 a. m. and close at 10 p. m. weekdays except on Saturday when it will close at 11:30 p. m.

Sunday hours will be reduced considerably, the store opening at 9 a. m. and closing at 7 p. m.

Reduced hours are necessary because of the problem of getting merchandise and clerks.

"I have told the employees that we would close Sunday nights if they all would attend church," Sheets laughed.

### Clean-Up Of Premises Is Being Asked

City and County Both Urge Cleanliness As Step For Prevention

The dread infantile paralysis is creeping closer to Hansford county, although the county so far apparently has escaped the epidemic.

Many adjoining counties have reported cases. Two deaths were reported last week from Moore county, two Inman children, 9 and 11 years old, dying.

Donald Schuster, 17, son of O. A. Schuster, who lives about 10 miles east of Perryton, took ill with infantile paralysis Tuesday of last week.

T. R. Shirley talked Sunday with Mr. Schuster, who said his son was ill about two days before the case was diagnosed infantile paralysis. It is understood the son is in an iron lung.

Clem Elliott, formerly an implement dealer at Morse, who now lives in Amarillo, has a daughter ill with infantile paralysis. It was learned Monday. It is said the daughter was taken to Denver for treatment.

Oklahoma City hospitals are reported full and unable to take any more patients from Texas. A death was reported at Mobeetie with three cases in Wheeler county, according to the Shamrock Texan.

A telephone call received here from Guyton Tuesday morning said that it is probable that the schools there would not open on schedule because of several cases in the Oklahoma strip. It was reported that there had been some cases in Hardesty, Okla., area.

The city of Spearman and county of Hansford this week in announcements in this paper call attention to the dangers of infantile paralysis. Complete clean-up of premises is urged.

Considerable checking was made in the downtown area the past few days and some cleaning up was ordered by health officers.

### Joseph N. Holt Takes Veterinary Course In Army

MANHATTAN, Kan., Aug. 18—Joseph N. Holt of Spearman, Texas, is a member of the veterinary corps stationed at Kansas State College in Manhattan as part of the army specialized training program unit. He is the son of B. C. Holt of Spearman, Texas.

Before entering the armed services he was a county extension agent in Camden and Macon counties, Mo. He received his B. S. degree in agriculture from the University of Missouri.

The army specialized training unit at Kansas State college here was activated June 1, 1943. It is one of many such units located at universities and colleges throughout the United States where army men may receive training in specialized fields. The college has several hundred men in army uniform in basic engineering and in the veterinary corps.

Students live in fraternity houses and in Van Nile hall, formerly a residence hall for women students. They are fed in shifts at the college cafeteria. Soon they will have their own mess hall with a seating capacity of 800.

Civilian members of the college faculty are the classroom instructors for academic work. The engineers meet in classes by themselves but the veterinary medicine students continue to meet in classes with civilian students. Army officers handle the military training.

### Kills Snake Near Child's Sand Pile

Bruce Sheets went into action promptly Sunday afternoon when he saw a rattlesnake within three or four feet of his daughter at her sandpile Sunday afternoon. Fortunately, he killed the snake without any one getting bit.

The North Plains camp and hospital committee will meet at Borger Sept. 8. Large amounts of equipment are needed to furnish various recreational facilities at the hospital at Pampa, Amarillo and Dalhart air fields.

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#### Lakeview Tattler

Mrs. Ed Hooper, who has been on the sick list, was visited by her daughters, Mrs. Orville Jacobs and Mrs. Fred Nese of Wichita, Kan. They motored to Amalia with her and after a week in the hospital there she was very much improved and is now visiting in their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sim shopped in Perryton Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Sim was wearing a very becoming new hat.

The writer is always doing something wrong so the other Sunday she decided to go over to the Sim home late in the afternoon, dressed in a dress she had worn three days, a ragged pair of cotton hose, an old pair of shoes, and her oldest bonnet. Being late, she was sure there would be no callers. But, coming around a corner of feed near their house she saw a car parked by the gate. Looking at the car she decided it was the Sim car, but about that time she saw a man in a lieutenant's uniform, and everybody dressed up. She decided it was time to rush toward home, but they had seen her and called. There was nothing to do but go on in. Feeling very much embarrassed she met the Sim's three daughters, Hila Robinson of Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wildhagon, Lieutenant and Mrs. Bauerfriend of Fort Sill, Okla.

Lieutenant Bauerfriend told all about the first time he saw Ada Sim and how he couldn't sleep for trying to think of some way to meet the little lady. Meeting her seemed far more important than working for Uncle Sam, and he managed very nicely to be introduced within twenty-four hours. It won't be long now until they will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nitschke and sons, Luther and Bobby and Mrs. Dan Nitschke and daughter, Katherine were callers in the Powell home Thursday evening.

The other day while Sam spent his time at the sale in Perryton I found a lot of idle time on my hands so I wandered here and there window shopping. I saw a dress I liked, went in, put it on, bought it, and wore it out. Going along my way I caught a glimpse of my three year old hat looking sort of shabby so began shopping for a new hat which I found, bought, and wore, throwing my old one away for fear I might decide to wear it another three years.

For really that old hat had been a faithful old number and we had become very fond of each other. It never complained of being used so much, I could come in home throw it at the table or bed. If it missed either it just dutifully

laid there until I found time to pick it up and stick it some place until needed again. It had been changed several times; first, cut about two inches off the brim at the end of the first year, next year added a little tulle in the bow, sewed a new elastic on each side to go under the back of my head to hold it on, for it was getting a little feeble and flopped around, just couldn't stay braced against the wind.

Last year I put a little black shoe polish on it here and there where it was beginning to look a little gray and added some flowers, the old hat seemed to brighten up for a while, looked a little perky. I just couldn't bear the thoughts of losing it all, so pulled the flowers off to remember it by. I left the elastic that once was young and strong and defied the wind on it because it too had grown old and had knots tied in it here and there to shorten the length where the elastic had broken, the knots seemed to have rheumatism or something because they even hurt my head. The last I saw of my faithful hat it was in a rubbish barrel and was to be cremated.

A good way to pep up morale is to surprise yourself by throwing away your old clothes when you go to town and dress all up going walking down the street meet your husband and see him stop looking at the little stream lines that are wending their way around and in front of him and take a couple of good looks at you as his face registers surprise just turn around so he can take a good look, put on your Sunday smile and ask "How do you like the new uniform?" He may ask what it is that you have on your head and when you tell him it is a hat, he may slowly shake his head and say, "I'd never take that thing to be a hat." But why worry you probably didn't select those tiny little boots that he has his big feet rammed in and can't walk straight in because they have him almost crippled, they hurt so bad. He can't stoop over and bear his weight on them long enough to put both pant legs down. He goes around with one hanging up on the side of the boot... and calls that style.

The writer and Sam had a very enjoyable week with the writer's children, Mr. and Mrs. Cressie Emmick, and daughter, Lee Ann, and Leona Emmick of Roswell, N. M.

I am wondering if the turkey gobblers are hearing the news reports. It seems the big turkey gobbler at the Pipkin home has changed his occupation and trying to be a father of several children as he has gone to setting on hen eggs, but something must be done about the hen eggs as

#### Gruver News

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barkley have moved from their home northeast of Gruver to the farm owned by Buddy Eiling which is northwest of Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tabor have been vacationing in New Mexico.

Mrs. Ernest Sluder returned home the middle of last week after having spent a few days in the hospital at Shattuck.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shapley and daughter, Annie Mae, returned last Thursday after being gone most of the summer cutting wheat in Colorado and Nebraska.

On the sick list this week have been Texie Ann Barkley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barkley, and Mrs. Cecil Shelton, sister-in-law of Mrs. Floyd Cline.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Henderson returned last week from Cook County where they had been visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Barbara Jean Garrett is visiting relatives in Gruver. She is the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Shapley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims and baby have been visiting friends and relatives in Cook County.

Gene Cluck and Mickey Westfield transacted business in Dallas most of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spivey and Mrs. Anna Reynolds from California visited friends and relatives in Gruver last week. Mr. Spivey is expecting to have to go to the Army soon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Walker made a business trip to Amarillo last Monday.

Mrs. Walter Wilmeth and Agnes Windom of Spearman visited with relatives in Gruver Monday.

Frank Fleck was a business visitor in Spearman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Nobles were in Spearman Monday on business.

The little wind storm Friday afternoon did quite a lot of damage in and around Spearman. Albert's awnings were blown off. Bert Jacobs had part of a roof torn off and Carl Kizziar had part of the roof blown off his house and some large trees were twisted down.

Mrs. Georgia Horry went to Perryton Thursday and returned Friday.

they are small and he is really a big bird. Some of the eggs are crushed. One of the children said, "Well, he should know he should set on the eggs he lays, not on hen eggs."

Betty, Edith, Quida and Elma Pipkin were attending a camp meeting in Kansas but decided that country was to hot and came home. Another thing, one of the Pipkin girls stepped on Mrs. Fullbright's glasses while she was asleep and broke one of the lenses and Mr. Fullbright, seeing his wife sort of going side ways trying to see everything with one eye, motored to Joplin, Mo., could not get a repair there for specks and decided to come home. I think Mrs. Fullbright has decided to wear her glasses while sleeping, or keep her best eye open to see that they are not stepped on.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nitschke were shopping in Perryton Saturday afternoon.

It's wash day and it's time for me to busy myself at the wash house.

#### Warranty Deeds

Elben E. and Flora J. Norton, Alfalfa county, Okla., to Sibley Jones, s.w.4 section 8, block 1, H.&G.N.R.R.C. Consideration, \$2,850. Filed Aug. 10.

A. S. Burran of Hidalgo county, Texas, Katie Burran Ferguson of St. Louis, Mo., Eva Burran Wilbanks and E. R. Wilbanks of Oklahoma City, Georgia Burran Griffith and John Griffith of Ellis county, Okla., Bettie Burran Barbour and E. H. Barbour of Dallam county, Raymond Parman of Elk City, Okla., Rupert Parman of Tom Green county, Ruby Parman Meyers and Charles Meyers of Wichita county to R. E. Burran, lot 7, block 61, Spearman. Consideration \$10; filed Aug. 10.

Erle Pittman to M. C. Jackson, lots 23, 24, block 4, Morse. Consideration, \$10 and vendor's lien note of \$725; filed Aug. 11.

Flake and H. F. Reed of Potter county to Emma D. and J. D. Wilbanks, deed of life estate with remainder over, north \$200 acres out of section 84, block 4-T, T.&N.O. Ry. Co. Consideration, \$1; revenue stamps, 55 cents; filed Aug. 12.

Same type of conveyance covering 340 acres out of section 84, block 4-T. Revenue stamps 55 cents; filed Aug. 12.

#### Personals

Dr. H. M. Cook, dean of men at West Texas State College at Canyon, was in Spearman one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jones and Mrs. I. P. Baggerly were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Estelle Baley returned to Amarillo Thursday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baley. Estelle is recuperating from an accident at Pantex nearly two months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hayes went to Perryton Friday.

A. H. Frazier of Gruver was in Spearman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nollner made a trip to Amarillo Wednesday. Mrs. Nollner went for a medical check up.

E. H. Barbour of San Antonio was in Spearman Friday. Mr. Barbour was formerly a resident of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wilbanks were in Spearman Friday.

T. C. Harvey made a business trip to Fort Worth last week. He bought some cattle and branded them Friday.

#### Classified Ads

**LOST OR STRAYED:** One steer about 800 pounds, brand back of left shoulder similar to inverted "V." J. C. (Pete) Cluck. 34-4tc

**FOR SALE:** 1930 model D John Deere tractor on rubber, one 8-foot International one-way. Phone F13, Box 211, Gruver, Texas. 34-4tp

**NOTICE:** Classified, display advertising and news columns close about noon every Tuesday. Please arrange for advertising early; also bring in your news items promptly. 33-tfb

**JOB PRINTING**—place your order as far in advance as possible. It takes time to produce printing; it's a manufacturing job. Spearman Reporter, Phone 10. 33-tfb

**PERMANENT WAVE, 59c!** Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. **SPEARMAN DRUG COMPANY.** 30-9tp.

**FOR SALE:** Five room dwelling and business property across the street from public school building. Phone 153W or 906-F21. 35-1tc

**FOR SALE:** 6 piece walnut veneer dining room suite. See or write Mrs. Dub Hanners. 35-1tc

Dr. Powell, eye, ear, nose and throat will be at Dr. Gower's office Wednesday till noon, August 25. Glasses, fitted tonsils and adenoids removed. J. P. Powell, M. S. 35-1tc

**FOR SALE:** 1500 bushels nice last year's winter barley. Also 7 or 8 white brood sows. W. A. Schubert, 5 1/2 miles east of town. 35-2tp.

**FOR SALE:** Six room modern stucco house with basement. Garage and trees. See A. N. Meadows. 35-1tp.

**WANTED:** Furnished apartment or room by responsible party. Must be clean. Mott-Smith Corp., H. H. Jones Bldg. 35-1tc.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgred Sheets and Mrs. L. G. Andrews went to Perryton for medical treatment Monday.

Mrs. Oak Hale ran her arm through a glass door cutting it so that the doctor had to put five stitches in it.

The validity date on Stamps R, S, and T is extended for consumer use to September 20.

J. A. Andrews returned from Dallas Sunday where he had been on business.

In sandpapering a dirty auto commutator, there is a danger of polishing it unevenly, thus causing the brushes to seat unevenly.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE:** Chevrolet truck. Good condition. Pete Vernon, Hays Barber Shop. 35-1tc.

**FOR SALE:** Beckwith piano, good condition. Mrs. Angus McKay. 35-1tc.

**LOST:** Two 5-gallon cans carbide Saturday night in Spearman or between Spearman and home. Reward. W. L. Mackie. 35-1tp

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 Service. Keep your m...  
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 Glass for Your  
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 Perryton



Go back to school well-supplied with materials from our extensive stock of moderate priced merchandise. Don't let the beginning of school find you unprepared... come in today for the best selection of note books, tablets, pencils, drawing materials, etc.

Cate's store will appreciate your school supply business—another service we give to our customers.

**J. M. CATES & SON**  
 J. P. Belew, Mgr.



**Home Food Waste**  
 ...took more of the U.S. food supply last year than the armed services and Lend-Lease combined.



**SAVING FOOD IS YOUR NO. 1 JOB TODAY**

**LAST YEAR**, according to the Department of Agriculture, food waste in the U. S. took 15% of the nation's food supply, compared to 7% for our armed forces and 7% for Lend-Lease.

Before the war, this tremendous loss hurt only the pocketbooks of consumers. Today, it threatens to seriously undermine the war effort. It has become the patriotic duty of every homemaker to save every scrap of food possible.

Ready to help you do your part is your ever-dependable electric refrigerator. Pop perishables into its safe, cold interior as quickly as possible after purchase. Use it to save even the smallest dabs of leftovers. And take care of it, so it will continue to operate efficiently for the duration. Help the war effort and help your pocketbook by **Saving Food for Victory!**

**COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY**

**FOOD SAVING TRICKS Via Your Refrigerator**

- SAVE cooking liquids from vegetables for making gravies, soups and sauces. They're vitamin-rich.
- SAVE small dabs of leftover vegetables for use in making salads.
- SAVE rind ends and dried surfaces of cheese, grate and store in covered jar for use in casserole dishes.
- SAVE the good in leftover cooked meat by storing in covered dish. Prevents drying and loss of nutrients.
- SAVE beet, turnip, celery tops, and trimmed outer leaves of lettuce, cabbage, cauliflower for use in soups.
- SAVE bacon and meat drippings for seasoning vegetables, frying, making gravies. Save surplus fat for salvage.

### SECURITY CALF FEED

Just received a fresh shipment of this good feed that raises calves economically.

### GOVERNMENT FEED WHEAT

We still have some feed wheat, but we do not expect our supply to last long.

### WARD BARLEY SEED

Better order it early as this fine seed is moving out quickly.

### EQUITY CHICK FEED

Full line of Equity Chick Feed that makes dollars for poultry raisers. Join our list of satisfied Equity Chick Feed customers.

### PERRYTON EQUITY EXCHANGE

(Consolidated With Spearman Equity Exchange)

# Social Notes

## Clubs :: Churches :: Parties

### LEATHERMAN WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Miss Mildred Katherine Wallin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Wallin of Gruver, and Lester Lee Leatherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Leatherman of Gray, Okla., were united in marriage August 14 at Libby, Kan. Judge E. S. Irwin officiated at the ceremony.

Those attending the wedding were Geraldine and Juanita Wallin, sisters of the bride, Joy Leatherman and Eva Cowles, sisters of the groom, and Lizzie Murphy, aunt of the groom.

Mrs. Leatherman graduated from Gruver High School with the class of 1939. She received a B.S. degree in 1942 from A.M.C., Goodwell, Okla., where she was a member of the Zeta Sorority and the Lucky Club. She taught school two years.

Mr. Leatherman graduated from Bethany High School with the class of 1939. He has been engaged in farming near Gray. They will make a wedding trip to the eastern part of Oklahoma. They will be at home in Gray in two weeks.

### LENA MAE DEERING TO BE MARRIED

Mrs. Cora Deering, 117 East Thirteenth Avenue, Amarillo, is announcing the engagement of her daughter, Lena Mae, to Lt. Bobby M. Schumacher, who is stationed with the United States Army Air Corps in Seattle, Wash. Lieutenant Schumacher is from Minatore, Nebr.

The date for the wedding has not been set.

Lena Mae is a former Spearman resident and is a graduate of Spearman High School.

### DONALD SAYRE GIVEN FAREWELL PICNIC

A picnic was given Donald Sayre of Gruver on Aug. 10 at Near-to Nature Park by the young people of the community. Refreshments of roasted wieners, buns, pickles, olives, cookies, bananas, apples and oranges were served. A majority of the young people went swimming. After eating, they played games by car lights. Everyone wished Donald the best of luck when he entered the armed services and a speedy return to Gruver.

Those present were Donald Sayre, Gene Fletcher, Josephine Gross, Ruth McClellan, Doris Dozier, James Biggs, Dayton Barkley, Marguerite McClellan, Anne McClellan, Dorothy McClellan, Juanita Wallin, Geraldine Wallin, Mrs. I. E. Biggs, Leona and Louise Knutson, Gordon Gross, Amy Knutson, William Richard Merrill, Mary Katherine Merrill, Frances Alexander, Ila Jo Ogle, Morris Ray Cline, Clifford Hill and Orville Hill.

### PICNIC DINNER GIVEN FOR DONALD BURTT

Miss Sada Ruth Hoskins gave a picnic dinner Sunday in honor of her guest, a/s Donald G. Burtt of Seattle, Wash., now stationed at Canyon. The dinner was served on the lawn and those enjoying the occasion were: Pat Hutton, Robbie Jo Graves, Jimmie Linn, Irvin Davis, Bobby Morton, Winifred and Sada Ruth Hoskins.

### MRS. TURNER ENTERTAINS DELPHINIUM FLOWER CLUB

The Delphinium Flower Club met August 9 in the home of Mrs. A. R. Turner. Mrs. Hix Wilbanks gave a very interesting lesson "Foods to Win the War." Mrs. Gene Richardson's flower arrangement won first place.

Lovely refreshment were served to the following guests: Mrs. Pope Gibner of El Paso, and two nieces and a friend of Mrs. Turner. Members present were: Mesdames M. S. Chambers, Sid Clark, Joe Hatton and Tommie, P. A. Lyon, E. N. Richardson, C. W. Smith, T. R. Shirley, Walter Wilmet, H. L. Wilbanks and the hostess, Mrs. Turner.

The next meeting will be August 23 with Mrs. Ray Phelps with Mrs. R. B. Archer, Jr. as leader.

### CIRCLE DISCUSSES BIBLE READING

The Lottie Moon Circle met with Mrs. Robt. Baley last Wednesday. The regular Bible lesson study, "Guide to Daily Bible Reading," was continued, led by Mrs. L. T. Wilson. Those present assisted in the discussion and sang a hymn at closing. Those present were Mesdames Dana Hazelwood, Ed Hutton, Matthew Doyel, Dave Tice, D. B. Kirk, and the hostess. The next meeting will be Wednesday, August 25, with Mrs. Tice.

### GARNETTS AND DECKS HAVE HOUSE GUESTS

Guests in B. J. Garnett and W. M. Deck homes this week are Mrs. Alvino Holzschuh of Fort Riley, Kan., Miss Lula Deck of Atlanta, Ga. and Mrs. C. B. Alexander and daughter, Ila Mae, of Winberley, Texas. Mrs. Alexander and Miss Deck are sisters of Mrs. Garnett and Mr. Deck. Mrs. Holzschuh and Ila Mae are nieces.

### First Christian Church

10 a. m. Sunday School. A class for all ages. Floyd Hull, supt. 11 a. m. Communion. 11:15 a. m. Sermon, "God's Purpose as it Touches the Individual Life." 8 p. m. Christian Endeavor. 9 p. m. Sermon, "Paul's Address at Mars Hill." The church is planning for a great revival October 6 to 17 with Dr. L. D. Leet, Dallas, Can The Lord Depend On You? C. F. Bastion, pastor.

### BLANCHE ROSE WALKER CIRCLE HAS MEETING

The Blanche Rose Walker Circle met with Mrs. Fred Brandt Wednesday, August 11. Mrs. W. D. Cooke had the lesson from the "Songs of Solomon." Present were Mesdames F. J. Hoskins, Bill Gandy, T. B. Windom, John Gill, W. D. Cooke, Rex Sanders, Altha Groves, and Fred Brandt.

### COUNTY COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

The Hansford County Council of H. D. Clubs had the regular meeting Saturday afternoon. The chairman presided. There were ten members present.

Two delegates were able to attend the state meeting in Dallas August 17, 18 and 19. They were Mrs. R. V. Converse and Mrs. Wesley Garnett.

Miss Charlotte Tompkins, the new agent, was unable to be present at Council, as she had to attend an agent's meeting in Amarillo.

### JEAN HILL LEADS CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

The Christian Endeavor met Sunday, and Jean Hill had the devotional and the lesson on the Twenty-Third Psalm. This subject was taken very seriously and analyzed. Next week, Gwendolyn Davis will have the devotional and Bill Keahey will have the lesson. All young people of high school age are cordially invited.

### ARIZONANS VISIT IN DAVIS HOMES

Visiting in the W. E. and Frank Davis homes are A. E. Davis and daughter, Mrs. Edna Ford, of Phoenix, Ariz. A. E. Davis is the father of W. E. Davis. He will be 92 the Sept. 18. He made the tip on the train just fine. Plans are being made to have a family reunion in September with five generations of pictures made, A. E. Davis, W. E. Davis, Frank Davis, Mrs. A. J. Curtis and son, Terry Lee.

### Personals

H. C. Brillhart and his aunt, Mrs. Amy Garrett of Brownwood and Mrs. Georgia Horry vacationed several days at Eagles Nest, N. M., last week. Mrs. Garrett is visiting relatives two weeks before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knight are visiting in Oklahoma.

D. B. Kirk has been ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley went to Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. V. M. Willis has been ill this week. Her two daughters, Mrs. Max Blau of Booker and son Lewis and Mrs. Roy Machaney of Glendale, visited her Sunday. Lewis remained with his grandmother for a week.

Fred Linn and Perry Hawkins went to Amarillo to the stock sale Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilbanks and son, Bobbie, were Spearman visitors Thursday.

## Blemishes, Sallowness, Freckles Camouflaged By Foundation Cream



**ANN SHERIDAN: Finds camouflage an aid to glamor.**

Camouflage is one of the most important sciences the armed services study. And those of you who suffer from complexion blemishes would do well to delve into it, too, so that you can put your best face forward at all times.

"With the correct foundation cream," says beautiful Ann Sheridan, who stars in the hit picture, "Edge of Darkness," "a woman can camouflage blemishes, sallowness and freckles."

Select a shade darker than your skin and use it sparingly. Ann cautions. Too much of this cream will give you an artificial, caked complexion. "And if it doesn't blend smoothly, try the trick of sprinkling a few drops of water over the face and the foundation will spread easily," she suggests.

After applying the cream, blend in a bit of cream rouge and powder over all. You'll find it to be a long-lasting make-up which will need very little retouching for hours to come.



### What The Folks In Service Are Doing

Sgt. J. W. Chesser, who has been stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas, for the past two years, is now somewhere in Australia. He writes home that Australia has a nice country, but not as good as the U.S.A. He also says that he can't get warm enough. Perry Leon Chesser left August 2 for his training center, Miami Beach, Fla., for cadet training.

Word received here this week from Vera Campbell states that she did not re-enlist in the Women's Army Corps when the Auxiliary was made a part of the Army. She is at present visiting

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You can just bet that the best dressed women buy their clothes here. You get the latest styles that give you that up to date appearance. Quality clothes, too, that stand the wear. Women like styles and moderate prices. Every one will be satisfied when you wear Spearman Dry Goods Co. clothes.

### FALL GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Our fall stocks are arriving daily and the first customers naturally get their pick. Lots of serviceable and stylish dresses and coats have already arrived.

### Men's Merchandise Also In Stock

Already we have received many fall and winter jackets and sweaters. Men's furnishings and hats are now in stock. It's time to buy your fall hat. Work Clothes. 29 to 50 waist—just received the largest stock we've had in months.

SHOP OUR STORE DAILY FOR THE LATEST IN SERVICEABLE MERCHANDISE

**SPEARMAN DRY GOODS CO.**

Roy Russell

in Seattle, Wash.

Lt. Gladiola Caldwell, A.S.N. is now at Brooke General Hospital at Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Caldwell, a graduate of Scott and White Hospital and was head nurse in the operation at the Santa Fe Hospital in Temple when she was called to San Antonio.

Pfc. John M. Archer visited in Spearman while on a 3-day leave this week. John M. has just finished a two-weeks' training course at Camp Berkeley.

Newly arrived from Speppard Field, Texas, to do his part at this B-26 Marauder pilot school at Dodge City, Kansas flying school training center is Pfc. Carroll E. Harris, son of I. L. Harris of Gru-Texas.

Sgt. Rue Sanders, who is stationed at the Dalhart Army Air Base, was home two days this week.

Walter Goode, J. E. Gunn, former superintendent of schools and Elmer Ayers of Gruver, who left Tuesday, August 3 the U. S. Navy, are now taking their boot training at San Diego. They

are at present under a 21 day quarantine.

F1/c Olin Chambers is home on leave this week from Camp Perry at Williamsburg, Va.

Sgt. James C. Douglas is home on furlough this week. He was transferred from Pyote, Texas to the Dalhart Army Air Base.

### BUY WAR BONDS!

Have a Treasure Hunt at Home Today!



Return MILK BEVERAGE BEER Bottles Promptly

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### DR. J. P. POWELL

Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat —Specialist— Glasses Fitted, Tonsils and Adenoids Removed IN SPEARMAN Wednesday, August 25 Until Noon Only Office Dr. Gower.

## PROCLAMATION

BY THE MAYOR OF SPEARMAN

To all to whom these presents shall come:

WHEREAS Poliomyelitis (Infantile Paralysis) is now epidemic in many cities and sections of Texas; and

WHEREAS the virus of this dread disease is known to germinate in filth and unsanitary conditions, such as weeds, garbage cans, hog pens, cowlots, manure piles and such places, and

WHEREAS Spearman so far has escaped the present scourge of this most horrifying illness and it being our sincere desire and most earnest prayer that we as citizens do all within our power to prevent its spread to our community, the city health officer will inspect each home in town, and all whose premises are not in sanitary condition will be reported to the proper authorities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, E. C. Womble, mayor of Spearman do hereby urgently request that all premises in our community be thoroughly cleaned and kept as sanitary as possible; that all weeds on all premises, vacant lots, alleys and streets be cut, that all barnlots, cowlots, hog pens, poultry lots, unsanitary outdoor toilets, garbage cans be cleaned up immediately; that all manure piles, dead poultry and animals, be disposed of, and the city put in the most sanitary condition possible.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of my office to be affixed hereunto this 17th day of August, A. D. 1943.

(Seal)

E. C. WOMBLE, Mayor of Spearman

Countersigned:

DR. J. E. GOWER,

City Health Officer

ONE YEAR FROM NOW...

WHAT CLASS WILL YOUR TRACTOR BE IN?

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- Is your tractor wearing out faster than it should?
- Is it wasting gas?
- Is the motor in bad shape?

Our expert mechanics know what to do. Let us help you help your tractor, today!

**Womble Hardware Co.**

John Deere Dealer

**Oslo News**

There will be no morning services at the Oslo Lutheran church next Sunday, August 22. The pastor will be at Norge, Okla., to conduct services at that place. On the following Sunday the morning worship will begin at 11:30 a. m. There will be no Sunday school next Sunday, but on the following Sunday there will be Sunday school as usual. This will be the last Sunday of the Sunday school year. September 5 is Promotion Day. H. C. Hjortholm, pastor.

Mr. A. Paulson and his daughter, Mrs. Billy Houser, Mrs. Gus Rockaway and her little daughter, Phyllis Ann, all from Guymon, and Mrs. Anna Odegaard from Clifton, Texas, were dinner guests of Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm at the parsonage last Sunday. Mrs. Odegaard has been visiting at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rockaway for the past two weeks. She returned to her home at Clifton, Texas on Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Emil Knutson and the other members of her family except Mrs. Knutson, who had not yet returned from his business trip, and Miss Ruth Bredeesen went to Guymon for dinner after services at the Oslo church. They saw the picture at the American Theater before returning home. They stopped for a short visit at the parsonage on their way home.

Eldon Solberg, whose home is at Clifton, Texas, returned to his home after having worked for Mrs. Stedje during the harvest and ploughing. He will attend the high school at Clifton this fall.

Daniel Burreson and Leo Freeman from Valley Mills, Texas, arrived here last Thursday to work for Emil Knutson.

Albert Johnson is now employed by Jack Christofferson. His two fingers on his left hand, which were nearly amputated at the ends when he caught them between a chain and gear on a combine at the start of harvest, are now healed sufficiently so that he can begin to work again.

A. Paulson while visiting at the parsonage last Sunday to inspect the soil on his farm which is being worked by Jack Christofferson. He reports that moisture conditions here are good and that with another good rain it will soon be possible to begin wheat sowing.

Miss Marie Stedje left last Sunday for a brief vacation at Albuquerque, N. M. She went with a friend from Borger. Miss Stedje will teach at the Spring Creek school near Borger again this year.

Mrs. Lewis Johnson and Elsie Swenson drove out from Guymon last Sunday to attend the services at the Oslo church. Miss Swenson will teach the lower grades in a two-room rural school south of Guymon this year. This school is equipped with a teacherage in which the teachers may stay during the school year.

**FROM LAST WEEK**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Darlington and their daughter, Doris Beth from Shamrock, Tex., were Sunday dinner guests of Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm at the parsonage last Sunday. They arrived in time to be present at the morning worship at the Oslo Church. In the afternoon, they and Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm called at the Emil Knutson home. Both Doris Beth and Leona Knutson have enrolled as students for the fall semester at St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn.

Mrs. Emil Knutson, David, Amy Arlene, and Kathryn were dinner

**Financial Statement of Hansford County August 1, 1943**

Jury Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 2661.21
Paid In	39.37
Total	\$ 2700.58
Paid Out	68.05
Bal. Aug. 1, 1943	\$ 2632.53
Outstanding Checks	21.75
General Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 9379.59
Paid In	475.00
Total	\$ 9854.59
Paid Out	3501.52
Bal. Aug. 1, 1943	\$ 6353.07
Warrants on Hand	31.17
Outstanding Checks	\$ 647.27
Contingent Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 17338.14
Paid In	146.25
Total	\$ 17484.39
Paid Out	3.71
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 17480.68
Courthouse & Jail Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 1629.82
Paid In	39.37
Total	\$ 1669.19
Paid Out	464.57
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 1204.62
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 1, Gen. Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 4491.56
Paid In	639.47
Total	\$ 5131.03
Paid Out	2593.21
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 2537.82
Outstanding Checks	54.65
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 2, Gen. Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 8872.57
Paid In	490.75
Total	\$ 9363.32
Paid Out	1285.43
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 8077.89
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 3, Gen. Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 7196.88
Paid In	388.52
Total	\$ 7585.40
Paid Out	1502.38
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 6083.02
Outstanding Checks	169.80
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 4, Gen. Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 11053.89
Paid In	552.10
Total	\$ 11605.99
Paid Out	1365.38
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 10240.61
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 1, Sinking Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 8.49
Paid In	65.15
Total	\$ 73.64
Paid Out	58.30
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 15.34
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 2, Sinking Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 591.93
Paid In	14.34
Total	\$ 606.27
Paid Out	15.03
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 591.24
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 3, Sinking Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 498.55
Paid In	11.35
Total	\$ 509.90
Paid Out	.60
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 509.30
Road & Bridge, Precinct No. 4, Sinking Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 138.40
Paid In	16.14
Total	\$ 154.54

guests at the home of Mrs. Knutson's mother, Mrs. Clara Stedje, last Sunday. Louise and Leona were guests at the parsonage at the same time. Mr. Knutson is still on a business trip to points in Nebraska and Iowa. He expects to be back home by Aug. 15. Miss Marie Stedje and Leona and Louise Knutson drove to Amarillo last Saturday. They returned that same day. We are fast being convinced that shortages of food and needed material during war time is much more serious than inflation. Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm called on Mrs. Lewis Johnson at her home in Guymon on Monday of last week.

Paid Out	19.60
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 134.94
Permanent Improvement Sinking Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 90.30
Paid In	67.51
Total	\$ 157.81
Paid Out	38.49
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 119.32
Spearman Independent Road District Sinking Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 2776.01
Paid In	66.04
Total	\$ 2842.05
Paid Out	4.57
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 2837.48
Victory Tax Account	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 33.70
Paid In	167.22
Total	\$ 200.92
Paid Out	200.92
Bal. August 1, 1943	.00
Withholding Tax Account	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ .00
Paid In	52.40
Total	\$ 52.40
Paid Out	.00
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 52.40
Hansford County Wind Erosion Conservation Dist. Fund	
Bal. May 1, 1943	\$ 3285.32
Paid In	3512.43
Total	\$ 6797.75
Paid Out	2430.36
Bal. August 1, 1943	\$ 4367.39
Outstanding Checks	75.00
Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness of Hansford County August 1, 1943	
Hansford County Permanent Improvement Refunding Bonds	\$ 4000.00
Hansford County Road & Bridge Warrants, Series 1937	\$ 2000.00
Hansford County Road Machinery Warrants, Series 1941	\$ 4000.00
Hansford County Spearman Independent Road District No. 1, Bonds Series A (State Pays 45.43% this issue)	\$ 34000.00
Hansford County Spearman Independent Road District No. 1 Bonds, Series B (State pays 100% this issue)	\$ 33000.00
May Jones, County Treas. Hansford County	

Mrs. L. T. Wilson, mother of arillo over the week-end Mrs. R. L. McClellan, was in Am- medical check up.

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American-Made Twine At Its Best!

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McCormick-Deering Twine is that kind. Use it and know you're getting a full-length, full-strength, high quality product.

**BINDS RIGHT --- TIES RIGHT!!**

Free from bunches or thin spots  
Runs freely without tangling,  
Treated against insect damage,  
Carefully inspected.  
14 feet of good rope around each bale,  
Guaranteed for length, strength and weight.

IF YOU ARE needing twine order it now. We have a limited amount on hand with no assurance that we will receive any more this season.

**TWINE PRICES ARE CASH!!!**

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**HEALTH WARNING TO THE PUBLIC**

(On Recommendation of County Physicians)

... Many Cases Of Infantile Paralysis, Including Several Deaths, Reported From Nearby Counties.

**HELP PREVENT Spread of Disease**

Your County Commissioners Court acting on the advice of county physicians feels it should advise the public of the existence of Infantile Paralysis in other counties and to caution you to exercise all possible care in preventing the spread of this dread disease to Hansford county. So far no cases have been reported in our county.

Clean up your premises. Remove all possible breeding places of flies which are carriers of this disease. Stay away from crowds and this applies to adults as well as children as Infantile Paralysis is not confined to youngsters. Stay out of swimming pools. Watch your drinking water and food.

**Dispose of Trash and Rubbish**

The most important preventative against the spread of disease is SANITATION. Clean up chicken pens and stock pens. Burn all rubbish. Place containers for disposal of scraps from kitchen table and burn or remove frequently.

COOPERATE WITH YOUR NEIGHBORS IN THIS HEALTH CAMPAIGN. WE M-U-S-T prevent the spread of this fatal disease.

**County of HANSFORD**

**NEW CLOSING HOURS**

Due to the shortage of merchandise and hours for clerks, we are announcing the following hours:

**WEEK DAYS**

Open 8 A. M. Close 10 P. M.

Close 11:30 P. M. Saturday

**SUN/DAY**

Open 9 A. M. Close 7 P. M.

We invite our patrons to cooperate with us in maintaining these hours. THANK YOU!

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