

The Spearman Reporter

SPEARMAN REPORTER, SPEARMAN, HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS

SNOWFALL of an estimated one inch greeted citizens of Hansford county early today (Thursday). The blowing snow continues to fall as we are printing this issue of the Reporter. The snow is very wet.

Thursday, Nov. 18, 1948

Lynx Play Longhorns In Last Game Of The 1948 Season

The Vega Longhorns, fresh from a 46 to 0 conquest over the Stinnett Rattlers, will invade Spearman Friday afternoon for the last game of the season for both teams.

According to last weeks score, the Longhorns are 13 points better than the Lynx, even when the Lynx had their full team on the field, against Stinnett.

Coch Coach Garland Head says all of his team will be suited up for the Friday game. This is something to write about. The Lynx quarter-back Sonny Window will probably throw some passes Friday afternoon, and Hayden and Pope will play some.

The Vega back field will weigh about the same as the Spearman backs, but the Spearman line, with Hayden in, will out-weight the Vega line a few pounds.

The Lynx, almost back to full strength, will probably play their best game of the year. A win for Vega might boost the Longhorn stock so high that they will be admitted back into the District. You can bet they will be trying Friday afternoon for that very thing.

Pat Ryan, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, will be around to see all the stores about closing at 3:00 P. M. Friday afternoon for the game. The reason for the request for all stores to close, is that the Vega School Supt. called Spearman, and asked to have the game start at 3:15 so that the whole town of Vega could see the game. At the Lions Club meeting Tuesday, all of the Lions agreed to close their stores and back the Lynx Friday.

All football fans have indicated that they appreciate the Spearman school playing their game in the afternoon, so that they might go over and watch the Phillips Perry-ton game Friday night. If you ladies don't want to brave the cold Friday night, tune in on 1400 on your dial (radio) and you can hear the game broadcast.

CLAUDE VS SPEARMAN
Lynx 14 Mustangs 11
First Downs 13
Passes Att. 1
Passes Comp. 1
Yds Passing 30
Penetrations 3
Penalties 10
Number of kicks 2
Yds kicked 40-20
Fumbles 0
Passes Intercepted 1

In their best game if the season the Spearman Lynx came from behind a 13 point deficit, to almost upset Claude's mighty Mustangs, Friday night at Lynx Stadium.

In the first quarter, the Lynx, playing without three of their senior members, looked pitifully handicapped, as the Claude team racked up 13 points in 6 minutes of play.

However, the next three quarters were different. Spearman came back and drove over a touch down, to make the half time score read 13 to 7. The third quarter was scoreless, but Donnie Floyd almost got loose on the return of the kickoff starting the 3rd quarter. Spearman penetrated 3 times this quarter, one time to the 3 yard line, but penalties, and a battling Claude team held the Lynx back.

In the 4th quarter, Spearman put on their hardest fight, but the Mustangs managed to score again, and grab a 19 to 7 lead.

With only 4 minutes to play, the Lynx marched 65 yards, with Donnie Floyd and Bill Lackey alternating with the ball carrying. Lackey finally scored the T. D. on an off tackle plunge. Donnie Floyd, who scored the first touch down, ran over both of Spearman's extra points.

With 1 minute left to play, the Spearman team pulled the old off-sides kick, and recovered their own kick on the 39 yard line. The next play a pass from Cayton to Bannister picked up a first down on the 29, but the gun ended before the Lynx had time for another play.

Everyone left the stands and took to the side-line in this game it was so interesting, no one sat down the last half.

C. of C. Banquet Postponed To A December Date

Due to a conflict of dates, Marvin Chambers, President of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce announced this week that the C. of C. Banquet scheduled for today (Thursday November 18) will be postponed to a December date. Mr. Chambers stated that he expected the Banquet would be held either Dec. 2 or December 9.

Announcement will be carried in this paper, and members will be mailed card notices of the date of the banquet.

Mr. Chambers did not want to conflict with the date of the V. P. W. organization, sponsoring the show in Spearman tonight.

VFW Show Tonite



A big indoor circus of mystery being brought to Spearman by the Hansford V. F. W. and will be presented at the High School Auditorium tonight, Thursday Nov. 18.

Dr. Gaffney premier international magician and his own company will present a mammoth full evening performance filled with baffling illusions and mystery that will hold you spell bound. Dr. Gaffney a magician of the old school and the only surviving member of the famous Harry Kellar troupe recently returned from a tour of the orient and far East where he studied under some of the hindu performers of which India is famous and is said to be the only white man to beat the fakery of that strange country at their own game. This famed wizard has spent a lifetime in developing this extragavanza of mystery and among the many bread-taking acts to be seen are: The Egyptian Mummy Case, The Phantom Cage, The Chinese Dove Mystery, The Vanishing Princess, Twenty thousand dollar effect created by Dr. Gaffney himself in which he presents Viola the fastest vanishing human being in existence and dozens of others.

If you have not had the good fortune of seeing Houdini, Thurston, Hermann or Kellar the great masters of yesteryear, you need feel no disappointment as you now have the opportunity of seeing them all re-incarnated in the appearance of Dr. Gaffney the



supreme master magician of the present.

Everyone is urged to attend this most unusual performance which will linger in your memory for months to come. The price of admission has been reduced to \$1.00 for Adults, and 50c for the children, tax included.

Don Paige, one of the worlds finest dancers will appear with Dr. Gaffney, Thursday night, in Spearman.

The tempo of Paige's dances is in the ultra modern manner, ranging from his "Sand Dance", which originated on the Mississippi Delta and is a fast and thrilling variation of the "Soft Shoe Jigaboo Dance" with interpretative elaboration to his own "Rag Doll" number headlined as the "Lady in Red" (this is the dancer's version of the ventriloquist's dummy.

In between is his exotic and charming "Bucking Wing" dance in which both comedy and pathos are expressed. Because of Don Paige's versatility he will appeal to all age groups. His comedy routines will prompt chuckles, yet in every way his performance is that of a man who has become skilled in his art through repeated performances before the camera, and in person.

Dr. Gaffney says he is highly honored to have this young artist appear with him during the few short weeks he can get away from his regular contract in Cinemaland.

Chamber of Commerce Announces Christmas Lighting Contest For 1948

Announcement was made this week by the Spearman Chamber of Commerce that the annual contest for Christmas lighting and decorations would be held. The contest this year will be similar to that of the ones held in the past. Prizes of \$15.00, \$10.00 and \$5.00 will be awarded for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in the business district and the same three prizes will be awarded for the most attractive Christmas decorated residences.

It is not necessary to make application to enter the contest. Just plan to decorate your business or your home, or both, and the judges will consider all decorated down town windows and all residential Christmas decorations. Present plans call for judges to be out of town judges.

STORK WINS RACE
Mr. and Mrs. Blount of Gruver announce the arrival of a child. The baby was born while Mrs. Blount was enroute to the Hansford Hospital Tuesday morning. Mrs. Blount's sister, who was accompanying her delivered the baby. They arrived at the hospital fifteen minutes after the birth of the child.

Miss Bette Davis returned home Sunday, from Hansford Hospital. She is recuperating from an Appendectomy.

PALACE THEATRE
November 18
SUMMER HOLIDAY
Mickey Rooney, Gloria DeHaven
November 19, 20
THE ARIZONA RANGER
Tim Holt, Jack Holt
November 21, 22
BUD ABBOTT AND LOU COS-TELLO MEET FRANKENSTEIN
November 23, 24, 25
A DATE WITH JUDY
Wallace Berry, Jane Powell, Elizabeth Taylor, Carmen Miranda.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Steinkoenig and Ricky of Borger were Spearman week-end visitors.

Morse Students and Ex-Students Enjoy Big Day At 1st. Homecoming Program Held At Morse Nov. 11th.

Ex-students and friends of the Morse school plus a large attendance of visitors from Sunray, staged the first homecoming program ever held in Morse, Thursday November 11. The Morse school was established in 1930 and ex-students from every class from that date to the present Seniors class of 1948 attended this 1st. Homecoming day.

Morse students, evidently inspired by the occasion of this big event went out in the athletic events to win every game played during the day of entertainment.

The program started off with the Morse grade school girls and boys playing basketball with the grade school boys and girls of Sunray, the first game played by the girls at 9:30 a. m. Morse girls won their basketball game with a score of 17 to 4. The boys game followed with the boys making the same score of 17, but the Pringle boys gave them a little closer battle losing with a score of 17 to 14.

After the games the noon lunch was served in the new Morse school lunch room—and most everything that could be thought of for a big homecoming was served at noon.

At the noon hour the Morse school band made its first public appearance in a concert and drew the applause and appreciation of patrons of the school and visitors to Morse. The fact is that it appears Director Glenn Ellis and student director Marshall Walker deserve outstanding praise for directing a band that performed so

Shirley - Jameson Dealers For New Philco Products

Announcement has been made this week that Shirley - Jameson Hardware Company has been appointed dealers for the Philco products in the Spearman area.

The popular firm has just received a complete line of nine different models of 1949 radios and combinations, and two Philco refrigerators. Deep freeze units and other models of refrigerators will soon be added to the stock of merchandise.

The new 1949 Philco combination has two tone arms and one of the arms plays records on a slow motion special Columbia disc which enables one record to carry music and entertainment features formerly taking a dozen 12 inch records—in other words one record played on both sides on this new system record furnishes 45 minutes of continuous entertainment with out change of record.

The other tone arm takes care of the conventional records that have been manufactured in the past, and of course the new model has the automatic record changing features. Much space can be saved in storage of records in purchasing the new Columbia records. A saving in cost is also effected, according to Mr. Jameson of the store.

A CORRECTION
Marvin Chambers, President of the Chamber of Commerce informed the newspaper that John R. Collard had been elected a director of the Chamber of Commerce to replace C. C. Overton, who resigned and moved to Houston. The country editor jumped at the conclusion that John R. would be vice President since Mr. Overton had held that office before resigning. However after we had printed that information we learn that the organization logically elected a vice president from among the directors, and that man was Jimmie Hicks, who had been serving some time prior to the appointment of John R. Collard as a director. We are glad to make this correction.

Grand Jury of 84th District Court Returns Two Indictments Nov. 8.

Two indictments were returned Monday November 8th when the grand jury of the 84th district court met for the November term of court. Since warrants have not been served the names of those indicted are not available for the public. Charges involved child desertion and passing worthless checks.

Jurors serving were: Johnie Venneman, R. D. Chamberlain, T. C. Harvey Jr., Frank Wallin, B. W. Renner, John P. Lackey, Jr., D. L. McClellan, Garrett Allen, Cecil Holt, Ben Harris, George Buzzard, Norris Meek.

New Radio Station Keye Opens For Business At Perryton November 19

1400 ON YOUR DIAL
Announcement has been carried in most papers of this section of the coming opening of the new Radio Station KEYE of Perryton, Texas. The station opens for business and entertainment Friday morning, November 19. The broadcasts will be made from the station from 6:30 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. daily.

The station was established by Van W. Stewart, publisher of the Ochiltree County Herald, and Carl Ellis, Banker and civic minded citizen of Perryton.

Many friends of both Stewart and Ellis are wishing them success in this civic and business enterprise.

It is understood that one of the early broadcasts Friday will feature the football game of the week between the Perryton Rangers and the Phillips Black-Hawks. Game time is announced at 7:30 P. M. The new station will be a member of the Mutual Broadcasting system, but Mr. Stewart stated Tuesday that the Mutual line may not be completed to Perryton before opening day Nov. 19. Stewart stated that the station plans an open house and Regional program in about two weeks, when the public will be invited to the station. He anticipates people from over the North Plains taking part in the opening program.

Lions Want New Traffic Officer For Day Time Duty

Pat Ryan, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce was the principal speaker at the business meeting of the Lion Club held at the Methodist church annex on Tuesday noon of this week. Mr. Ryan made a detailed report of the progress being made by committees from the club and the C. of C. Excellent progress is being made according to the report made Tuesday. Some 24 captains are working on the job of selling house numbers to every residence and business address in Spearman. Present at the noon meeting of the club reported they had made a thorough canvass and had completed much of their work. Some chairmen were not present at the meeting, but Mr. Ryan indicated that the work was well along and anticipated placing his orders for the house numbers and the street indicators at an early date. Mr. Ryan stated it would take 90 days from date of order before delivery of the numbers and street markers could be delivered. Ryan said the street markers for Spearman would be the 4 street cross bar type markers, reinforced with steel and attached to iron posts with special screws so that they cannot be tampered

Lewis Nordyke of Amarillo News-Globe Writes Feature Story About West Texas For Popular National Publication

The Panhandle is featured in the December issue of Holiday as 'Texas' last frontier, still proud of its rough edges, its tall stories and its rugged, dust-blow prosperity.

The 4,000 word article on the Panhandle, written by Lewis Nordyke, well-known Amarillo newspaperman, is part of the last 3 issue which the magazine has devoted principally to Texas. Illustrating the article is a single double-page color photograph showing a windmill on the plain and cattle grazing on the short grass.

"The Panhandle isn't a great deal like the rest of the state, but it probably tallies better with the average American's conception of Texas than does the rest of Texas. Nordyke tells the magazine's 6,000,000 readers. "It has what the visitor expects to find in Texas the windswept high plains, the short grass, big hats, cowpunchers and oil wells; it has the chatter of coyotes and the buzz of rattlesnakes; it is the country of 45 caliber ranches and whooper wheat fields; a place where the house is apt to be eighteen and one half miles from the front gate; it is where one old cowboy said: 'Feller needs some elbow room, 'bout forty mile or so,' and where another said he could stand on the schoolhouse steps and see straight ahead for three days."

Wheat, cattle, and oil and gas are listed as the Panhandle's chief sources of prosperity. Four million acres in the Panhandle produced 75,000,000 bushels of wheat last year, and oil and gas have become a \$200,000,000 annual business, it is pointed out.

"Amarillo is the Panhandle metropolis," the article continues. Largely because of the war boom, and farming and ranching prosperity its population jumped from 40,000 to more than 80,000 in the past ten years. Amarillo wears a big hat and likes a good story. It has a 'do-it-it-big' complex and has been a contributor to the Panhandle's reputation for exaggeration."

Author Nordyke continues: "Quite a chunk of this adoration for the mammoth came from Gene Howe publisher of the Amarillo News Globe. For twenty five years he has goaded the residents with the notion that everything in the Panhandle is tougher, bigger or worse than anywhere else. He has contended, convincingly, that a Panhandle coyote can whip a panther from any other place, and that a Panhandle skunk can be smelled miles farther than any other skunk and that the wind-blown legs of Panhandle women inspire even Yankees to let loose genuine rebel yell."

Nordyke says the Panhandle's widely-known Boys Ranch at Old Tascosa, is the region's "prize-possession." The article continues: "Ten years ago Cal Farley, an Amarillo merchant whose hobby is helping luckless boys, hit upon the ranch idea. The late J. L. Bivins donated the Old Tascosa townsite, and the project was started with six boys. Now more than 100 have their own range, cattle, horses, farmland and equipment, poultry and schools. The ranch has been so successful that fully a dozen cities in Texas and several other states are planning similar projects."

One of the Panhandle's most spectacular attractions, Nordyke tells prospective visitors to the state, is Palo Duro Canyon, which is now a 15,000 acre park.

"If for no other reason than surprise, the Canyon is a breath-taking thing," he says. "The level plains drop suddenly into a deep chasm that looks like another world. Viewed from the rim, there are mountainlike scenes, tall trees along streams and cedars on the hillsides. The canyon spreads into a vast acreage; its precipitous walls cut in weird patterns by erosion, are delicately tinted by colors that change with the slant of the sun. People of the treeless tableland can quickly get into woods, rocks and hills by simply riding down a winding road."

The magazine's 18 page portfolio on Texas, also features articles on a Texas cattleman, a west-cattler, and El Paso, Author Frank Sullivan writes a fantasy on a tour of Texas by one who has never been there before.

Top O' Texas Meeting To Be November 16th.
The Top O' Texas Medical Society will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Country Club, Pampa, Texas, November 16 at 7:30 P. M. Dr. Charles B. Sadler, Orthopedist from Amarillo, Texas, will give a paper concerning his field of work. Doctors from the Nine County area will attend the meeting in Pampa.

Patients admitted to Hansford Hospital since Nov. 1, 1948.
Medical
Wayne Moore, City
T. M. Griffin, Pampa
Mrs. Ruth Hughes, City
Mrs. Vora B. Woody, City
Mrs. Mona Schubert, City
Mrs. Carrie B. French, City
N. C. Holt, Gruver
J. F. Sim, City
Mrs. Thelma Jackson, City
Mrs. Velma Beck, City
Grovene De Bord, Gruver
Mrs. Margaret Kirk, City
Archa Morse, City
Phil Gates, City
Surgical
Betty Lee Davis, City
Burton Lee Schubert, City
Marilyn Kay Schubert, City
Dale Knight, Guymon, Okla.
Danny Barkley, Gruver
Obstetrical
Mrs. Mabel Adams, Borger
Mrs. Fay Blount, Gruver
Baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Adams of Borger, Texas, on November 12th.
Baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Blount of Gruver, Texas on November 15th.

Thanksgiving Paper Will Be One Day Early
Next weeks Spearman Reporter will be printed one day early, due to the fact that Thanksgiving Day comes on press day, November 25. All copy must be in the Reporter office by 6:00 P. M. Tuesday evening November 23rd. The paper will feature Thanksgiving messages of local merchants.

Rosanne Porter On Honor List At N. T. S. C.
Rosanne L. Porter of Spearman is among 524 junior and senior students who have been named to the dean's honor list at North Texas State College for the fall semester.

The list, which also includes the names of 298 graduate students who are automatically on the roster, is the largest in the history of NTSC. To be included, students must maintain at least a B average for 12 hours' work the previous semester, with no grade below C.

Charles Jones Awarded Navy Air Medal
The Distinguished Flying Cross and Air medal have been awarded to Charles M. Jones, 2311 McKinley St., Fort Worth, Texas. Eighth Naval District headquarters announced here today.

Commended for "heroic, extraordinary and meritorious achievement", Jones, formerly an aviation ordnance second class in the Naval Reserve, participated in 20 combat missions against Japanese forces in the Southwest Pacific during 1945.

On one occasion when their heavy twin-engine flying boat was forced down to the China sea, Jones and fellow crewmen managed despite heavy seas, to stay afloat until rescued by friendly vessels 24 hour later.

A graduate of Butler high school, Butler, Okla., and Technical Institute, Fort Worth, Jones is the son of Mrs. E. P. Jones, of Spearman, Texas.

Turkey Shoot Scheduled For November 21st.
The public is invited to a Turkey shoot to be staged at the gun club grounds North of the tracks Sunday afternoon November 21st. The shoot begins at 2:00 P. M. and the committee in charge has arranged for 20 turkeys as prizes at the shoot.

NEWS BRIEFS
As we go to press we learn of the death of Mrs. Joe Novak. Mrs. Novak died at Shattuck hospital Wednesday afternoon, as result of a heart attack. Funeral arrangements had not been made as we go to press Thursday morning.

LYRIC THEATRE
November 18, 19
A DOUBLE LIFE
Ronald Colman, Signe Hasso
November 20
CASBAH
Yvonne De Carlo, Tony Martin
November 21 and 22
A DATE WITH JUDY
Wallace Berry, Jane Powell, Elizabeth Taylor, Carmen Miranda
November 23, 24
BUD ABBOTT AND LOU COS-TELLO MEET FRANKENSTEIN

EDITORIAL

The 1948 election belongs to history, and the historians will dig deep and long in search of the why and wherefore of Mr. Truman's amazing victory. It was an unprecedented contest in several respects, and not the least of these is the fact that apparently only one man in high position in the country sincerely believed that the President could be elected. That was the President himself, and he was right.

The magnitude of the upset is illustrated by the publication, in one of the nation's largest weekly picture magazines, just prior to the election, of a full-page photo of Governor Dewey, with a caption referring to him as the President elect. Every one of the polls, despite a remarkable record of accuracy in previous elections, was dead wrong. So were the gamblers who fixed betting odds. And so, to their current sorrow, were a great many Democratic officeholders who abandoned the Truman cause in the belief that all was lost and tried to save what they could for themselves.

So much for the unchangeable facts. What theories can be advanced to explain Mr. Truman's demonstrated ability to get the vote? There is some criticism of the Republican campaign, and it existed even before the election. Those who feel this hold that Mr. Dewey was too confident, too sure of victory, and, as a consequence, too careful in his tactics. He did not go in for an all-out scrap.

It is possible that, also due to over-confidence, the GOP organizations partially failed on the vital job of getting out the vote. The total vote cast, while large, was not as great as was expected. The Democrats worked extremely hard at urging their followers to go to the polls. So, perhaps, substantial numbers of Republican registrants didn't trouble to vote due to the comfortable illusion that it was in the bag.

The labor leaders, as was expected, are claiming the lion's share of the credit for the upset. Labor was doubtless an important factor—but it is also true that Mr. Truman was very strong in the great agricultural areas which had been written off as Dewey territory. His margins in most industrial regions, for example, were not as great as Roosevelt's. But his margins in the country were often greater. Perhaps the farmers took Mr. Dewey's assurance with a grain of salt that farm price support would be continued, and regarded Mr. Truman as a safer bet.

Dr. Gallup, whose poll missed the boat with the rest, has said that there was a tremendous surge to Truman at the very end, and that this was largely at the expense of Henry Wallace. That, he thinks, is the main reason for the polls going wrong. The very poor showing made by Wallace gives credence to this opinion.

In all probability Mr. Truman scored heavily when it came to the

blowing the Republicans for the high cost of living. So, rightly or wrongly many women voters decided that he was the man to help them with their budget problems.

Last, but by no means least, was the President's courageous fight in the final weeks. He conducted an essentially old-fashioned campaign. He called names and pulled no punches. Several occasions he threw carefully prepared speeches away, and spoke

his mind without a hint—and it was then that he got the tumultuous applause. His approach and his attitude were homespun and down to earth, and people liked it. American sentiment traditionally runs to fighters and to underdogs and that may have been enough to put the President over in a election which was very close. It was so close, in fact, that a shift of but a handful of votes in a few key states would have given the decision to Dewey.

One of the big questions now

concerns the future of the Republican party. It could not have received a more bitter blow. It had won handily in the Congressional election of 1946, and everything seemed to be in its favor for the first time in twenty years. It stood on its legislative record, and that record, in the view of the majority was not good enough after Mr. Truman got through with his burning attacks on it.

Losing the Presidency was bad. The losses in Senate and House were staggering. At the worst, the

GOP leaders thought there might be a 48-49 tie in the Senate, and no one even considered the possibility of losing House control. As it stands, the Democrats have an amazingly large majority in both bodies.

Also serious is the GOP's heavy loss in governorships. This means a weakening in state strength, a decline in patronage, and the undermining of the local groups upon which the vitality of a party largely depends. The big policies are made in Washington, but it is in the precincts and the townships that the basic work is done.

These are all GOP debits. Heavily on the credit side is that the party did poll 22,000,000 votes or so. A party that can do that is hardly dead. And everyone knows how the Democratic Party came back after the do-drama it found itself in after the first war. There will be some reorganization. The party will have to look around for attractive candidates and start promoting them for the future. There will have to be a greater and more effective effort to attract younger voters. Such matters as these will be the main concerns of GOP chiefs in the years ahead.

THANKS

I take this means of expressing my SINCERE THANKS to the fine people of Hansford county and surrounding territory who have been my friend and customers during the twenty years I have engaged in the mercantile business in Spearman.

You are probably familiar with the fact that because of my health, I have sold my stock of merchandise and leased my building to James E. Markle, who is continuing the grocery and market established in Spearman 20 years ago next Spring. I cannot retire from active business without expressing to you my thanks for your help and cooperation, your pleasant association during these interesting years.

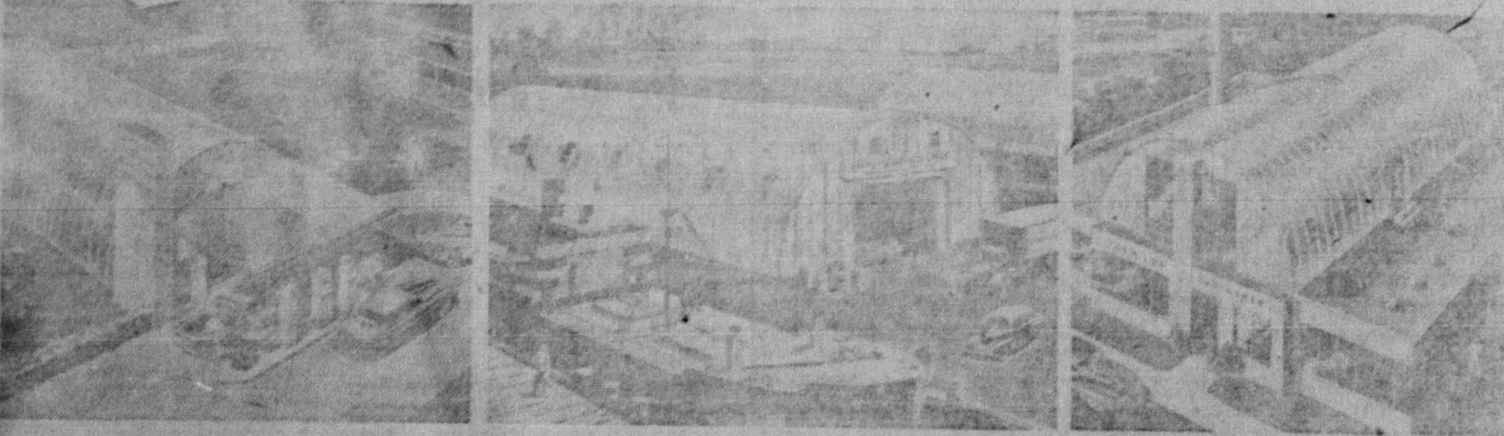
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THE STATE OF TEXAS To: J. H. Follis, and Myrta Follis, whose places of residence are unknown, the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of J. H. Follis, deceased, Myrta Follis, deceased, respectively, whose names and respective places of residence are unknown.

Defendants, Greetings: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Hansford County at the Court house thereof, in Spearman, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 26th day of October, 1948, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 13th day of December, 1948, in this cause numbered 558 on the docket of said court and styled wherein Robert Warren Hart and Mary Ray Hart are Plaintiffs, and J. H. Follis, Myrta Follis, the unknown heirs their heirs and legal representatives of J. H. Follis, deceased, Myrta Follis, deceased, are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit in trespass to try title, removal of cloud, writ of possession and restitution, of and concerning: Lots 14, 15, and 16, in Block 55, Original Town of Gruver, Hansford County, Texas, plaintiffs pleading trespass to try title, and 5 and 10 years statute of limitation in support of their title.

As is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in suit. The officers executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make returns as the law directs. If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Spearman, Texas, this 26th day of October, A. D., 1948.

Attest: FRED J. HOSKINS, Clerk District Court, Hansford County, Texas. By Keese C. Richardson, Deputy (SEAL)

Citation By Publication The State of Texas To all persons interested in the estate of George Otto Gill, A Minor:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, to be held at the Court House of said County in the City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, at or before ten o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 10 days from the date of service of this citation; that is to say, at or before ten o'clock A. M. of Monday the 22 day of November, AD 1948, then and there to contest, if you see proper to do so, the account for final settlement of said guardianship filed in such Court on the 5 day of November, AD 1948 by Ottamay R. Gill Cooke, formerly Ottamay R. Gill, guardian of such estate and accompanying application to have said guardianship terminated.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS Fred J. Hoskins, Clerk of the County Court of Hansford County, Texas. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in the City of Spearman, Texas, this 5 day of November, AD 1948.

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between L. W. Mathews and F. O. Crawford of Spearman, County of Hansford, Texas, under the firm name of "Mathews and Crawford" was dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of November, 1948. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received at the former office of the Company, and all demands on the said partnership are likewise to be presented there for payment.

F. O. Crawford, dealer for the Minneapolis Moline line of farming equipment will continue to sell, service and repair such equipment. L. W. Mathews and Son, dealers in Dodge automobiles and trucks, will continue to sell, service and repair such equipment.

L. W. MATHEWS F. O. CRAWFORD November 1, 1948

NEWS

County Agricultural Agent Texas A. & M. College Extension Service By County Agent Zack Jagers

A QUIZ ABOUT CATTLE

Beginning this week and continuing for 10 weeks two questions pertaining to the cattle industry will be printed in this column each week. The following week the answers will be given to the questions of the week before and two more questions will be asked, and so on until 20 questions have appeared in this column. See how many of the 20 you can answer correctly. Keep a record of your answers until all questions have been answered. The answers to these questions are given underneath the question, but two more possible answers are also given; you pick out the right one. Every cattleman should know these answers. The first person reporting a perfect score on this quiz can get a mail off of the "Country Agent."

Here Goes: Can you answer these? Check one of the three answers given:

- 1. First importations of cattle into U. S. were made by: a. Spanish explorers in 16th Century b. French explorers in 16th Century c. English explorers in 15th Century
2. The First Cattle Census was taken in: a. 1800 b. 1840 c. 1875

Watch for the correct answers next week. I'll buy the drinks for the person who can answer both questions.

Your Income Tax For 1948

Questions and answers important to Farm and Ranch People your Silent partner, Uncle Sam is interested in "how you made out" in 1948. These questions and answers regarding the 1948 tax are those which usually confront the farmers:

- 1. Who is a farmer under the tax law? - A farmer is a person whose adjusted gross income is at least two-thirds from farming or ranching. This definition will be of interest to those farmers who work part time in town.
2. How will a farmer know whether to file a return? - A farmer, whether married or single who made an "adjusted gross income" of \$600, or more must file a return. The "adjusted gross income" less allowed business expense.
3. When does the farmer file his return? - The final return for the calendar year 1948, is due on or before March 15, 1949. An estimated return must be filed and the tax paid on January 15, 1949.
4. Can the final 1948 return be made on or before January 15, 1949, thus eliminating the necessity of preparing a declaration? - Yes. Whenever farmers can get their figures together by Jan. 15, this is the thing to do.
5. Who is responsible for the accuracy of the return? - Farmers and ranchmen should remember

that they are solely responsible for their own returns, and not the lawyers who made them out.

6. Does the farmer have a choice in figuring his profits for income tax purposes? Yes, he can use either the cash basis or the accrual basis.

There will be more questions and answers on the 1948 income tax law next week.

H. D. Notes



Light has an effect on color that you might not be expecting.

"If your rooms are decorated in the cool colors, such as blue and green, remember that fluorescent tubes make a cool, blue-white light." The fluorescent light will emphasize those colors and will tone down warm colors.

On the other hand, she says, incandescent bulbs give a warm, reddish-yellow light, which will intensify the warm colors such as red, orange and yellow, and dull the cool colors.

Fluorescent lighting is preferred by many people for the kitchen and bathroom because of the clean, crisp effect it gives. But for rooms where a warm, intimate atmosphere is desired, the incandescent lighting may be the best choice.

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FOR RENT: One bed-room with private entrance and bath. Call 181 or see Mrs. Bill McClellan. 49-21-C

WANTED: Wheat pasture for 400 head of yearling steers. Leo Meek Dumas, Texas, Phone 21496. 49-21-P

LOST: 7 head of white faced steer calves. Weight approximately 425 lbs. each. Fresh brand on right hip - Bar, lazy S. Strayed from wheat pasture 9 miles S. E. Spearman. Notify John Schubert. Phone 903F03. 50-21-P

WANTED: Lady to work in Laundry. Inquire at Sparks Laundry. 50-21-P

FOR RENT: Bed rooms and apartments for as low as \$1.00 per day up. Also furnished house. See at Stewart Courts. 48-41-P

WHEN EATING OUT - Try the DINER family style meals and short orders. Chicken dinner on Sunday. 47-81-P

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FOR RENT - Two room apartment. Also furnished bedrooms, for mature people. Call 27. 42-rtm

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FOR SALE: Two bedroom semi-modern home (bath partially completed, on 50 ft. x 150 ft. lot. New roof and recently redecorated with garage and plenty of shrubbery, priced to sell. See or write Louis M. Buchner, Follett, Texas. 47-rtm

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1947 Ford Truck, 2 speed transmission, stock racks and grain bed. Would trade for a late model car. See Ray McCommond. 49-21-P

FOR SALE - Modern Coolerator Ice Box. See Robert Harbour at bank. 43 rtn c

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The program includes music from a rubber band magnified by electronics into pipe organ effects, classical music featuring first and second violins, and orchestra numbers featuring bass fiddle, complete train sound effect, chickens, hogs, birds, cows, bomb-chants, Hawaiian music, popular tunes, ballads, and literally dozens of other sound effects.

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Ramaden filled four weeks of dates for Southern School Assemblies in Texas the spring of 1947, and was a sensational success. Elementary school, high schools, colleges and clubs almost without exception have requested a return engagement.

This program will be held at the school auditorium Tuesday morning, November 23, beginning at 9:00 o'clock. A slight charge will be made for the program.

Mrs. Leta Goode returned to her home from Perryton hospital Monday evening and is confined to her home.

SPEARMAN INDEPENDENT BASKETBALL TEAM WINS TWO GAMES FROM DUMAS

The Spearman Independent basketball team started basketball season in full swing by beating Dumas Ind. two practice games to the tune of 36-28 and 61-28. An amazing amount of power in the Spearman offensive was shown in the mauling of the Dumas club 61-28. Tacker and Head scoring 49 of the 61 points. Robertson, Heard and Clayburgh played fine defensive game as did Hazlewood, M. Tacker, Sloan and Ter.

In a basketball meeting the local squad elected R. Y. Jones as manager, Newell Allen, Asst. Mgr. Herbert Sloan, business manager, and Mrs. E. Y. Jones, Sec. - Treas. and sports writer. The club has entered the North Plains Athletic Association again this year, in which association they were the champions last year winning 45 out of 50 games and winning several trophies.

Box score for 1st game.

Name	Points	Fouls
Clayburgh	4	5
Heard	6	4
A. Tacker	22	4

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FOR SALE—Twin cylinder Maytag washing machine, gasoline motor. Good condition. Also; 2 piece dining room suit; G. E. Electric sweeper. See J. N. Ayres, at Graver, Phone 45J. 50-11-p.

FOR SALE—Used kitchen cabinet built-in style. Some double window units, 3 kitchen windows, 2 French doors, 2 glass top doors, 12 volt windcharger, some used lumber. Mrs. Mabel Edwards 592-Lc

SPEARMAN WINS
Last minute information today (Thursday morning) is to the effect that the Spearman Independent basketball team won from Graver Wednesday evening with a nine point margin of victory.

Meat and Egg Combinations Recommended for Children

To get maximum body-building value from the protein in small supplies of meat, main dishes that combine meat with eggs are recommended by Ralph Hoagland of the Bureau of animal industry, U. S. department of agriculture.

Hoagland has been in charge of a long series of studies on growth of the protein of pork and beef. From this research it seems evident that meat-and-egg combinations are of special value to families with growing children who are getting along with less meat because of higher prices. Enough protein of high biological value is necessary for the growth of all young animals, children included.

When meat supplies are cut short to fit into tight budgets, mothers need to make a special effort to save their children from running short on the protein they need. One way to do this is to supplement the smaller supplies of meat with eggs. Because eggs are rich in cystine and methionine, two of the amino acids needed for growth, they can reinforce small supplies of meat in these two substances.

Though ham-and-eggs and bacon-and-eggs are familiar terms, the use of other meats with eggs is much less common and deserves encouragement in budget meals. Hoagland believes.

Electric Motor Production
Of 25,000,000 electric motors produced last year, 4,000,000 went into washers, 3,400,000 into refrigerators and 1,600,000 into industrial plants.

Needs Standardization
Electric motor manufacturers cite two billion possible motor modifications as emphasizing the need for standardization.

Straw, Formerly Wasted, Now Used for Fine Paper

Fine paper from wheat straw, up to now usually wasted or burned on U. S. farms, is the promise of a new process developed by the department of agriculture's laboratory at Pottsville, Pa. Paper from straw is not new, but the process, which reduces the chemical cost and gives significantly higher pulp yields, is.

Next come mill-scale trials, which domestic paper companies will watch with interest. Dutch paper engineers, to whom the process was suggested, are using it successfully on a commercial scale in Holland, where straw is the main raw material for paper.

About 25 mills in the Midwest produce annually 500,000 tons of strawboard for the container industry from wheat straw. But the cost of obtaining clean straw has previously been a stumbling block to using straw for fine papers in this country.

For years, however, European countries have produced fine papers, such as book and writing, from wheat and rye straw. England used a considerable amount of straw for fine paper during the recent war, and most of the South American republics make their papers from straw.

Paper and paper board are in short supply. This is due to short supplies of pulpwood species are being used faster than grown, and Canada is drastically limiting pulpwood exports to the United States. Last year 95 million tons of wheat straw was grown. The straw burned and wasted would have been enough to produce 20 million tons of cellulose pulp, this country's entire requirement.

Use of Aluminum Widens
Uses of aluminum in the building and transportation fields have become so numerous that they have lost many of the elements of novelty they once possessed. Streamlined trains and trucks and buses of light metal construction are familiar sights on our roads and highways. Now aluminum is receiving major attention by the shipbuilding industry. In the building field, aluminum spandrels, mullions and decorative elements have served for years. Now insulated aluminum wall panels are being used extensively for building construction.

Several members of the Eastern Star attended Friendship night in Perryton Wednesday. They were Mrs. James Helen Fisher, Olin Sparks, J. D. Hester, H. E. McCooler, Roy Jones, Homer Heck, W. L. Robinson, Zack Jagers, Harry Crooks and Miss Mary

Mrs. J. H. Buchanan and Mrs. Don Tipton are visiting in Graver this week.



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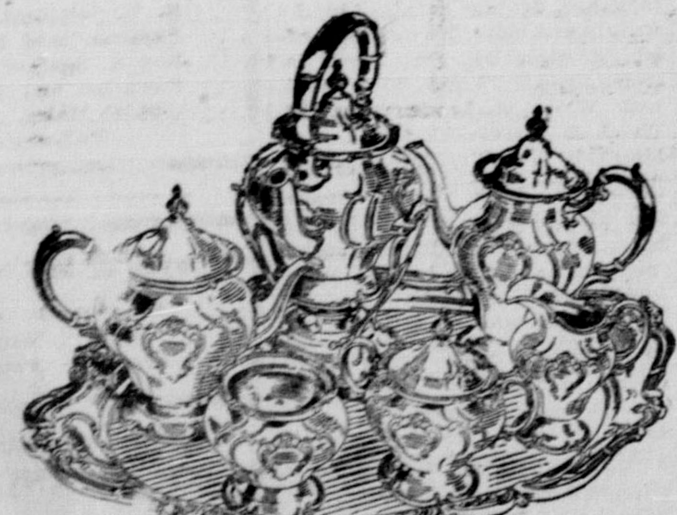
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SOCIETY NEWS

Clubs - Parties - Socials

Miss Crawford-Mr. DeCocq Married November 10 In Pampa, Texas

In a quite ceremony at 2:00 P. M. Wednesday, November 10th in the Assembly of God church at Pampa, Texas, Elsie Mae Crawford, daughter of Mrs. Lura Belle Crawford and the late Robert M. Crawford became the bride of Cecil De Cocq, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. De Cocq of Purdy, Missouri.

Rev. Doods, pastor, read the double ring ceremony. The couple were attended by Mrs. Lura Belle Crawford, mother of the bride, and brothers Paul and Mark, and an aunt Mrs. V. V. Floyd.

The bride was attired in a tan Gabardine suit with matching brown accessories, and wore a bouquet of white carnations. For something old, she wore her grand mothers wedding ring.

Engagement Announced

Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Watkins of Spearman, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jamie Lee to Charles H. Goodnight, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Goodnight of Caney, Kansas. The wedding is to take place November 22 in the Phillips Methodist Church Chapel.

Miss Watkins is teaching in the Phillips public school. Mr. Goodnight is employed by the Phillips Petroleum Company. The couple will make their home in Borger, Texas.

Sunday School Class Officers Installed In Formal Ceremony

Officers and members of the Kullian Sunday School Class of the First Baptist church were formally installed in a candle-light ceremony Tuesday night of this week in the church auditorium.

Mrs. Goff, pastor's wife from Dumas presided over the installation. She presented each officer and member with a lighted candle as she read their office title and spoke words of inspiration to each.

The program consisted of hymn by the class, and audience, and an organ solo by Mrs. Rue Sanders, teacher of the class. Mrs. Jim Neely gave the opening address. Mrs. Fred Holt, assistant teacher led in prayer.

A lovely reception followed the installation services in the church Fellowship Hall.

Recent Bride Honored With Shower Tuesday

Mrs. J. R. Dixon was honor guest at a bridal shower Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Johnny Faulkner, Mrs. Dick Allison and Mrs. Harold Reed were co-hostesses.

The serving table was draped in a lovely lace cloth and centered with a bowl of yellow and white mums. The hostesses and the honoree wore corsages of white carnations.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the honoree.

Guests calling between the hours of 2:30 and 4:00 P. M. included Mesdames: Carl Tolliver, Terry Hull, Buster Cator, Gwendolyn Smith, Billy Miller, Lillie Bowling, R. E. Martin, Homer Martin, Alton Ellsworth, and Miss Rosie Faus.

Pre-Nuptial Shower Honors Miss Crawford

A pre nuptial shower honoring the approaching marriage of Miss Elsie Mae Crawford was given on Nov. 6 in the home of Mrs. V. V. Floyd.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with lovely vases of chrysanthemums. Miss Dorothy Bruce presided at the guest book and Mrs. Othar Bruce and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey presided at the serving table.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by some forty-four guests attending the shower. Many gifts were received by those unable to attend.

Morse P T A Hears Book Review

The Morse Parent Teachers Association met Tuesday November 9th, in the study Hall in Morse School. After the business session Mr. H. J. Mitchell, the Science and Math teacher in Morse gave an informative and interesting talk on the Home, a pattern for building sound character and moral values. Mrs. Sid Board gave a book review on Lonely Passage by Loula Grace Erdman.

Mrs. R. C. Womble and Mrs. Sid Board are delegates to the State Convention at El Paso next week.

Mrs. D. W. Hazelwood and Don Gates spent the week-end in Vinita, Oklahoma, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gates motored to Fayetteville, Ark., this week end to see S. M. U. and Arkansas play foot ball.

First Birthday Party

Paula Jean Mackie celebrated her first birthday Saturday Nov. 13 at 1:30 P. M. in her home. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mackie.

The serving table was decorated with flowers and duck vases of flowers and her birthday cake shining with one candle. The little guests were given small dolls as favors. Those present for their little friends party included Catherine Smith and mother; Glenda and Larry Buits, and mother; Phillis Jean Davis and mother; Sheila and Ted Sparks; Jimmie Ray Beeson and mother; Paula Jeans' grandmothers' Mackie and Linn, and her brother Donald.

Those unable to attend, but sending gifts were: Dave Clement Freda Kay Womble, Glenda Joy, and Mack Hoel and little Slim Cates.

Happy Homes H D Club Met Nov. 8.

The Happy Homes Club met with Mrs. Roy Edwards at Gruver Monday November 8, with Mrs. Clyde Maize presiding. Roll Call was answered with household hints. The club voted to pay a nickel for the mystery box; also to have a social for their families each month. The next party will be with Mrs. Clarence Pettitt. The club will help a needy French family in the near future.

Mrs. Dick Allison will be the hostess to the next meeting, with each member bringing their secret friend a gift.

Mrs. Willis Peters gave a very interesting report on their trip to conference at Temple.

Miss Vance demonstrated frozen food by cooking a delicious meal for the club.

Mesdames present included: Elmon Jacobs, F. B. Schubert, Clyde Maize, Dale, Hill, W. E. Edwards, Homer Beck, Clarence Pettitt, Dick Allison, Merle Washington, one guest, Mrs. Willis Peters, and the Agent Miss Vance.

Senior Girl Scouts Initiate New Members

The Senior Girl Scouts met last Wednesday November 10 in the home of Mrs. Betsy Henry.

The Freshman girls were initiated into the Senior Scouts at 7:30 in front of the Spearman Drug.

After the initiation the troupe had a business meeting and refreshments were served.

The Scouts decided to continue their meeting what time they could until other arrangements were made.

Mrs. Shapley Hostess To Gruver W. S. C. S.

Mrs. W. A. Shapley was hostess November 11 to the Gruver W. S. C. S. Rev. Charles Fike, and the visiting preacher Rev. Edwin Parker were guests. Mrs. Rex Langly had the lesson on Porto Rico which was very interesting and enjoyed by all.

Mesdames present included: L. K. Garrett, A. R. Bort, M. F. Barkley, J. E. Sluder, A. L. Thorson, Rex Langly, D. L. McClellan, A. W. Evans, Will Harris, C. A. Winder, Bill Etling Jr., Frank Wallin, W. A. Shapley, Mattie Layton, Mother Hart, Mother Atkinson and Miss Carrie Nelsen.

Mrs. Archer Hostess To Circle Two Of Spearman W. C. S. C.

Circle two of the W. S. C. S. met in the home of Mrs. Gertrude Archer Nov. 10th, with the chairman, Mrs. Archer, calling the meeting to order. After the business session the program on world peace was lead by Mrs. Russell Townsend, Mrs. Leonard Jameson and Mrs. Elmo Latham took part in a skit about the W. S. C. S. of city, town and country. Mrs. R. L. McClellan Jr. had the devotionals.

Mesdames present included James Hicks, Russell Townsend, Elmo Latham, Leonard Jameson, Merle Washington, R. L. McClellan Jr., and the hostess.

Mrs. Garrett Hostess To Gruver W S C S

The Gruver W S C S met with Mrs. L. K. Garrett on Nov. 7th with Mrs. D. L. McClellan giving the devotional and prayer. Mrs. W. A. Shapley read the scripture, Romans 5.

A special in song "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone" was given by Mesdames L. K. Garrett and M. F. Barkley with Mrs. Bill Gumfory at the piano.

Continuing the study of the Frontiers of America, Mrs. Ralph Bort and Mrs. Clarence Winder gave the lessons on the Church in Honolulu, and the Church in the Panama Canal Zone.

Mesdames present included: Joe Rakes, W. A. Shapley, M. F.

Barkley, C. A. Winder, Claude Watkins, A. R. Bort, L. K. Garrett, F. R. Wallin, Bill Gumfory, A. W. Evans, J. C. Harris, D. L. McClellan, Mother Hart, Mother Atkinson, Miss Nelsen and two visitors, Mrs. Nelsen from New

York and Mrs. True Leatherman. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Latham visited in Elmore, Oklahoma, last week-end.

Mrs. Richard Holton and new son, Jerry Richard, returned to their home in Spearman last week. Vester Hill and Bill Pattison attended the TCU - University of Texas football game in Fort Worth Saturday.

How's our railroad doing, young man?

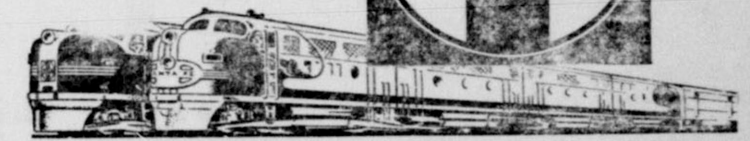


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can't do a lot. Alone, she couldn't elect a president of the United States. But stockholders just like her—housewives, teachers, merchants, salesmen, laborers—can tell us how to run the Santa Fe, and they do. (Actually 29,178 Santa Fe stockholders are women, most of them holding only a small number of shares each.) And that's the beauty of America—the voice of the people is the voice that runs things, whether it's operating a transcontinental railroad or putting a man in the White House. Isn't it a wonderful country where so many can own so much? That's "Free Enterprise."

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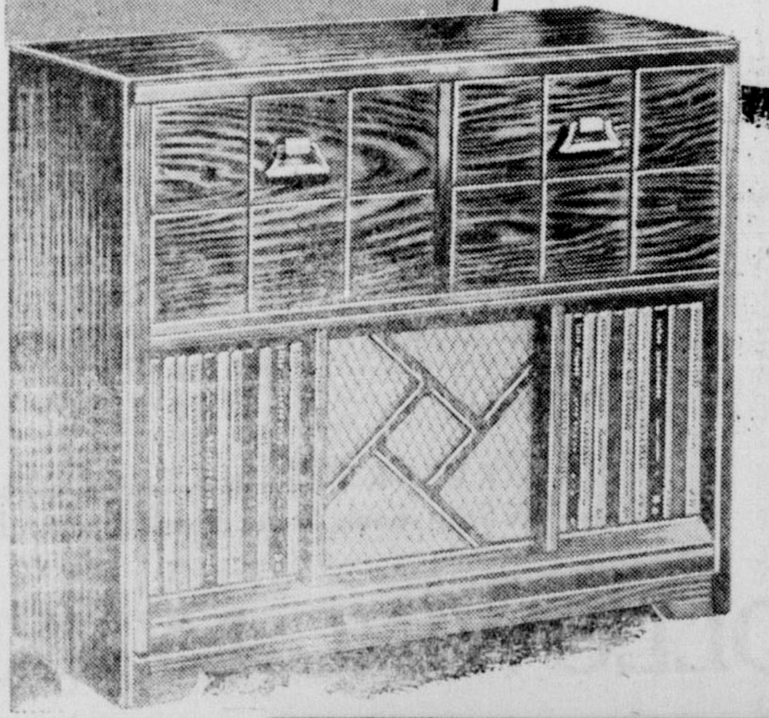
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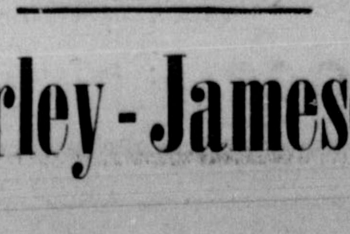
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Claude Sheets <small>JUNIOR - FIRST YEAR</small>	No. 64	R. E.	Weight 165 lbs.
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Wesley Lackey <small>FRESHMAN - FIRST YEAR</small>	No. 50	Weight 110 lbs.
Donald Gould <small>FRESHMAN - FIRST YEAR</small>		
Andy Burleson <small>FRESHMAN - FIRST YEAR</small>	No. 53	
Roy Nolner	No. 52	

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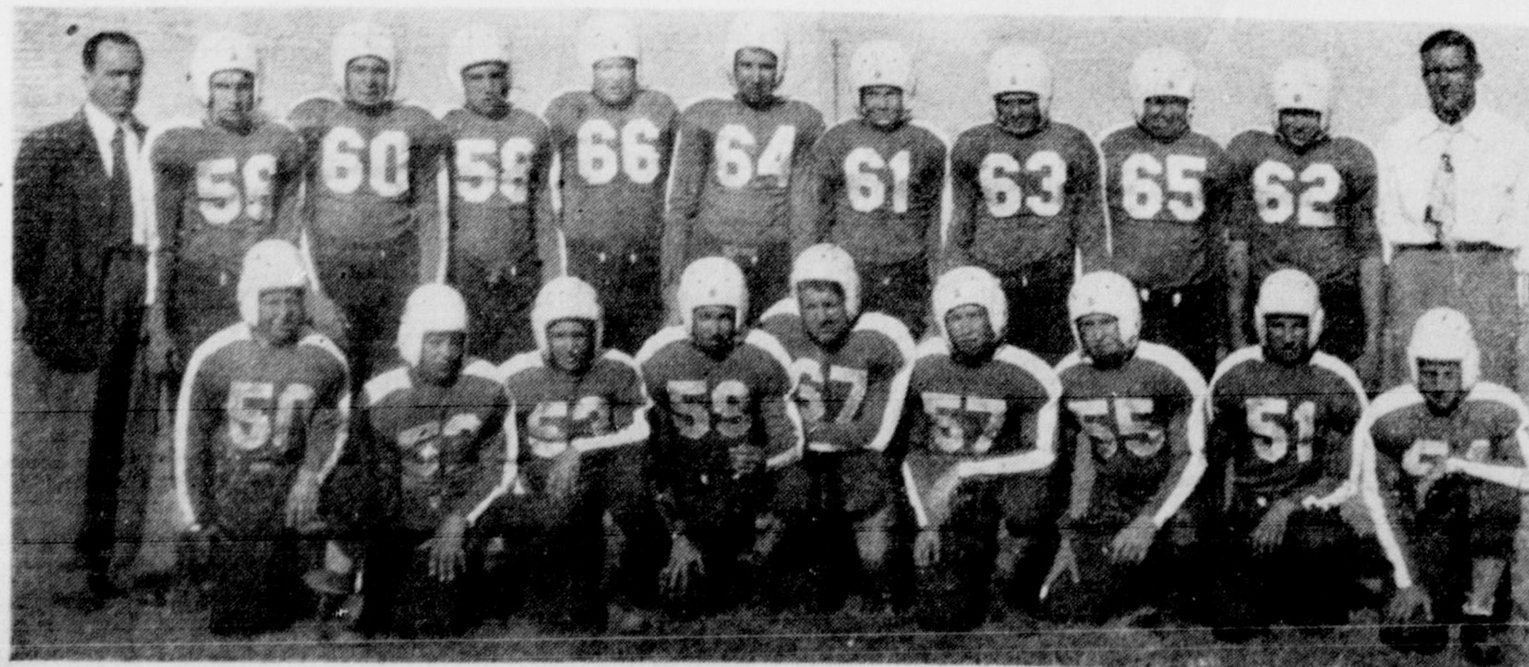
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Don't Name It!

by "Honest" Bill Miller

The C. E. has been down state for a week living off the fat of the land, turkeys, sweet potatoes, pecans, channell and yellow cat fish, small, ham, and on and on...

Went home to visit my brother for I concluded I was getting tired to take the annual deer hunt in the mountains... and brother this trip has certainly opened my eyes on the right way to enjoy a hunting trip. I have an Uncle that has a farm right on the banks of the Red River just below the big Texas Lake. The river is a fishermen's paradise. I'm not kidding. It took as high as 60 pounds of channell and yellow cat out of the river in one day, and did it the easy way, eating pecans and persimmons and playing dominoes in between running our equipment.

Of course there were most always ducks on the river front. The river bottom is honeycombed with mud all-weather roads. This part of Cooke County was formerly a part of the big military camp out of Gainesville, Texas. The government built gravel roads all thru the river country, and fishermen, who have the privilege of fishing and hunting on the river front, have about four miles of gravel roads paralleling the river. We would start at the East end of the road and shoot a few ducks and the flock would light somewhere within the four mile good road area West of our first shots.

It was simply a matter of going back to the mar, eating a few pecans and while away a little time until the ducks were settled down again and then drive to the west end for more shots. The river is lined with willow trees, pecan trees and there is a lot of brush and tall grass that enables one to crawl up and get a pot shot sometimes, and of course most of the time the ducks fly before you get range, just like they do out here in the Panhandle. Tried pretty hard every day after the season opened to locate a goose. Thanksgiving but could not locate any. Was amazed to learn that a few miles of the break country not very far from civilization was being over-run with deer. Never the season did not open until Tuesday of this week and we failed to get our deer.

Candidly this writer has a very good Deer rifle with scope for sale. It would be the death of folly to go 700 miles to and shoot deer, risk your life and your children and dear hunters who shoot at anything that moves, when one can journey down to visit kinsfolk that have more pleasant fishing and hunting than this edifice has ever located in Arizona. If you are silly enough to want to risk life and limb on a deer hunt in the wilds of mountains, you do not have a good rifle. Buy up and talk with the country boys. I'm willing to sell for less than I paid for this rifle with a covered scope attached. I'd take any money I can sell this rifle for and get me a new shotgun, and my hunting trips the easy way.

My good paying customers Roy Chase can call the country editor a Republican and say with it, and that's what I did Monday of this week. I gave the C. E. the raspberries for not knowing that the Democrats would win, and even though I had to be a good Republican to buy an emphatic Demo., as concluded from the following two letters that he wrote to a regional newspaper.

Graver, Texas
Here is a letter you may print in the people of the great state of Texas. As I see it people are getting off now than they have been. Both my fathers and mothers people were all politicians and I have always been the same ticket.

In 1931 I sold the first truck I had about in Hanford County to Mr. H. L. Porter of Granger, Texas. It was a bushy one many of the laboring class of people had cars, radios and a few of them had life. I was talking to one of our best grocers. He was complaining about the price of commodities and said that he had a 25 lb. flour sack. And that he would like to have bought it for \$2.00. Then I asked him how much he had paid for it. He said he had paid \$2.00. Let's see, we don't want to buy flour. We don't want to buy...

paraded up and down the United States over the air just before the election has been stuck in the mud with the brakes on ever since. Those that were pointing an amateur and imaginary band wagon, have decided to leave it behind and walk for the next four years.

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The Republican party had better take advantage of those free offers as there may not be another band wagon they will want to ride on.

The band wagon was like the Republican campaign, all fuss and feathers. Their songs and applause was like the speeches of Dewey, they thought the thunder did the killing and the lightning had nothing to do with it.

This band wagon is dedicated to Herbert Hoover. Believe it or not Bob Ripley and the Hollywood stars that rode on it.

R. C. CHASE, farmer, stockman, Garage Owner.
P. S. There are three outstanding reasons why Dewey was not elected.

1. He did not get enough votes.
2. He had nothing to offer labor, farmers and small business men.
3. The American voters had not forgotten Hoovers stay in the White House.

If you are interested in an exclusive design of Christmas cards, better come in soon and check the stock at the Reporter office. We have already scheduled some 25 boxes of this years stock and only bought 75 boxes for the entire years supply. Our cards are individual, a little expensive, but that is what most customers want. We have a few boxes of inexpensive cards available, they are the western type cards.

Just received a large four door lock steel filing cabinet. We have 4 cabinets under order, and can expect delivery before the end of the year. This is just the type of cabinet that should be used by the wheat producers interested in keeping their records in an orderly manner, available for inspection at any time. This new four drawer stainless steel cabinet will sell for \$77 which is at least 20 per cent less than you will pay for the same quality cabinet next year. These cabinets were ordered some four months ago and carry the current price tag of the date. Better check with the country editor if you are in need of this type filing cabinet.

Many regular customers who have been accustomed to renew their Amarillo News Globe have failed to bring in or write their renewal to the country editor this year. Of course, we appreciate receiving this business and if you have not yet renewed your subscription at the bargain rates, we invite you to phone, write or bring your subscription into the Reporter office.

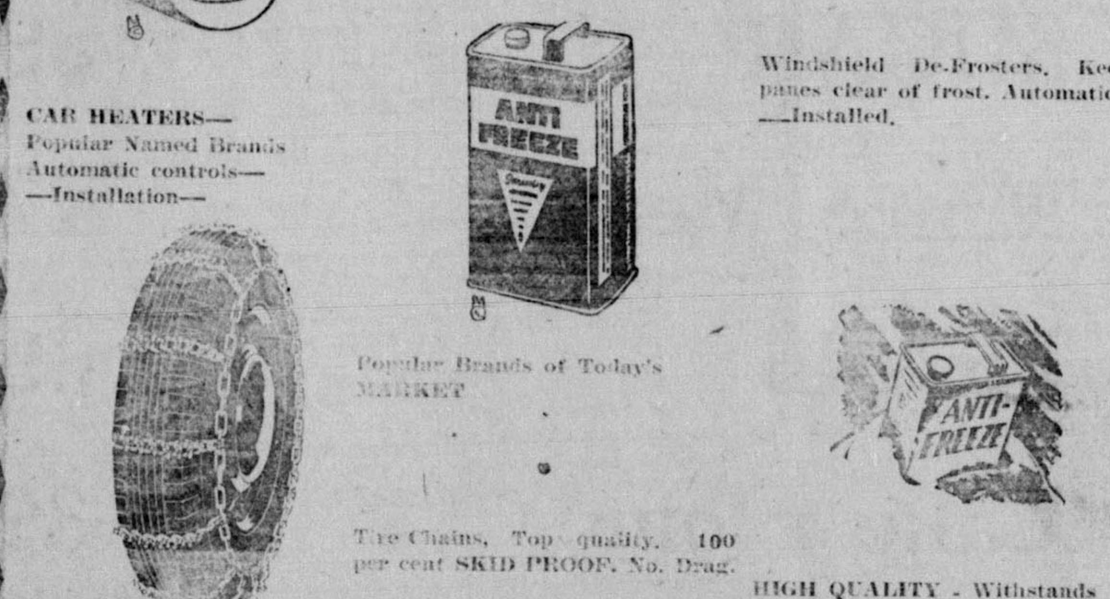
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Theodore Bayless
Kenneth Wilson
Betty Shapley
November 20
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Wm. A. Wilbanks

November 21
C. W. Hull
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November 23
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November 24
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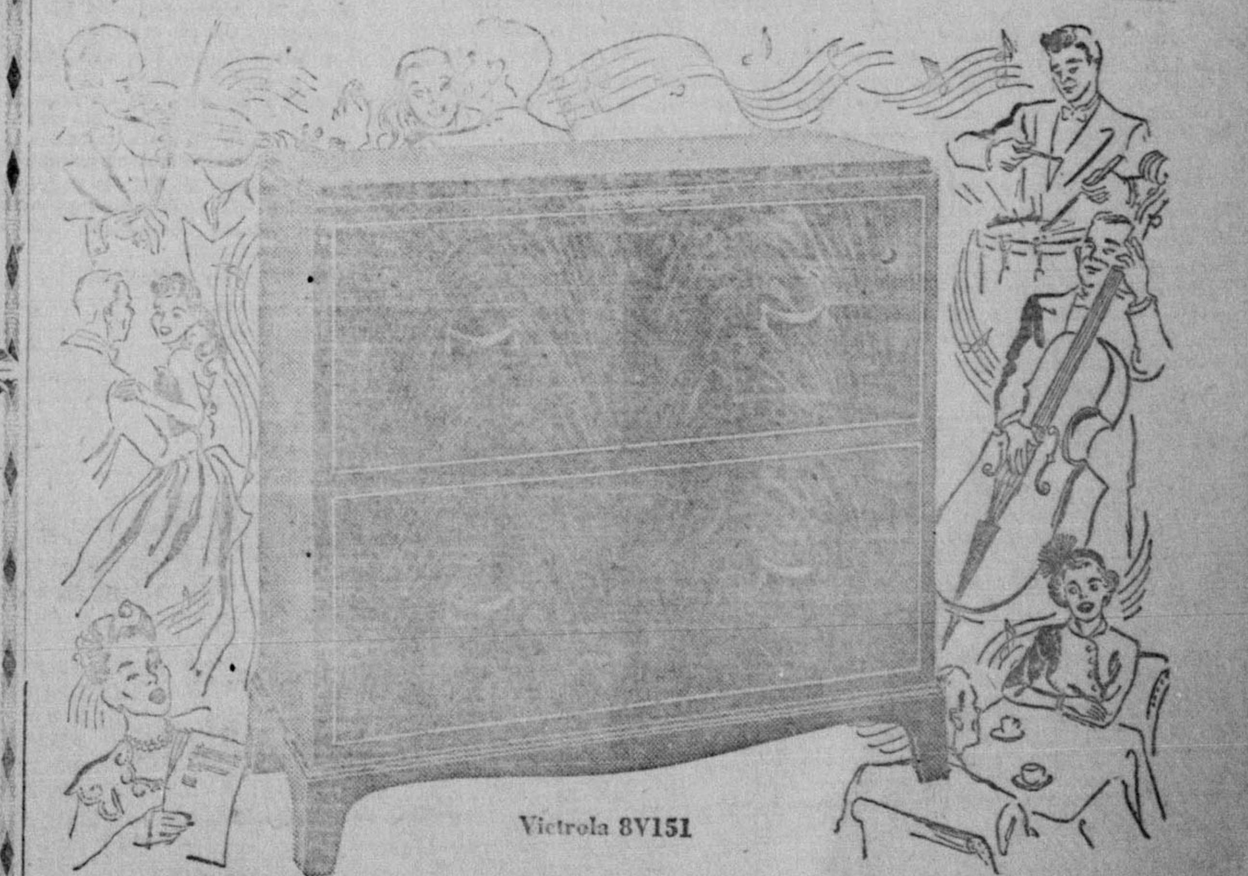
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AROUND GRUVER

This and that around Gruver. Last Christmas time the Chamber of Commerce in order to encourage people to decorate their homes, offered prizes for the best decorated. Personally we took a rather dim view of that idea. We should have enough pride in our homes and Community to want it to be beautiful for the sake of beauty itself. Then at Christmas we should have enough of the Spirit of Christmas, to want to reproduce as much as possible some of the beauty of that first Xmas night. There is one person who has this writers deep sympathy, it is one who does not believe the Christmas story. Truly he is poverty stricken indeed. So this year let us begin early and make our community beautiful. Make our homes beautiful, and our streets and stores too. Unless we are more vigilant and concerned than we have been, Christmas and its lights may be a thing of the past. The Spirit of Christ and of Xmas is all that can save our world. You storekeepers, enter into the spirit of Christmas. Make your stores beautiful inside and out. Let us put up the Street lights and Christmas tree early. Christmas is coming.

On the sick front: There are a number of cases of flu and "sore throat" in town. Connie Cline had to quit the shop last week and take to his bed. He is better now, and able to go back to work. Mrs. Anice Smith went to the hospital this morning suffering with an abscessed ear. This is a painful and sometimes serious.

Mrs. Warren Hart is making a good recovery although at this writing she is still in an Amarillo hospital. She underwent a major operation last week, but came out of it in good shape and is doing fine. Most of us know her as Mary Rae Cluck, although she is the mother of two small children.

For a few days last week, Mrs. Curt Lowe was not feeling so well and returned to Amarillo for treatment. But she is home now and feeling much better. Father Lowe was taken to the Spearman hospital last week and is still there undergoing treatment. He is the father of Cecil, Coy and Dr. Zeno Holt. Young Doctor Zeno came up from Fort Worth over the week-end. But as the old gentleman was better he returned this morning. Father Holt is a fine old gentleman, and although eighty six years old, is still active, and until this illness, busy all the time. We are glad to report that he had a good night last night and is apparently doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bort, Mr. Bob Thom and Roger McCracken journeyed to Canadian last week.

The occasion was the big dinner and re-opening of the newly modernized Bank over which Mr. Harry Wilbur presides. Mrs. Bort reports that the bank now is just as modern and up-to-date as any in a large city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Fletcher and Gay's mother Mrs. Mary Fletcher left here Sunday for Dallas. Mrs. Fletcher Sr. will probably visit in Decatur as she has business interests there. Gay and Mrs. Fletcher will be in Dallas for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Miller are hoping to be able to move into their new home soon. The brick-work is all done, and the house is looking fine. In the meantime they have some house guests, Mrs. Jefferys, who is Mrs. Miller's mother is staying with her for a few weeks. Her home is in Comanche, Oklahoma. Mrs. Miller's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Merle McIntyre are also visiting here. Mr. McIntyre is helping in the inside work on the new home. They are from Houston.

We hope your paper reaches you in time to remind you that the Junior High will be presented in the High School auditorium this Friday evening at 7:30 P. M. The name of the comedy is "Whoa Auntie". Marvin Andrews, Jeff Hawkins and Betty Ruth McClellan have leading roles. Don't miss this.

We also remind you of the box supper and program next Tuesday night for the benefit of the Community Park Fund. Everything possible is being done to assure you a good time.

The Gruver Greyhounds Football team closed out their season last Friday afternoon by defeating Kelton. The season has not been much to brag about, but we did win two games. Last Friday for the first time this year, the boys really looked like the Gruver Greyhounds. Right from the start they exploded all over the place. Coach Brotherton kept switching the teams, but the result was not much different. Maybe next year we will be back in our stride.

Basket Ball season is now opening. Last week the Spearman Girls paid us a return visit. Our grade school girls won their game there, and here. The High school girls lost by one point. It was largely a defensive game. The guards on both teams making a better showing than the forwards. It was on scoring spree, and Spearman won. This gives the Spearman girls two up on us. Looks like a good season.

Here is something we would like all of the people of Hanford County to take part in. The American Bible Society sponsors a Bible Reading Crusade from Thanksgiving to Christmas. It was started by a G. I. during the war. He wrote to his parents and some friends here at home asking them to read the Bible with him every day. It was a splendid idea, and the Bible Society thought everyone should join in, and it has been going every since. So you join in this year. Your pastor can no doubt supply you with the book marks containing the scriptures to be read everyday. This writer has a few more than he needs for his own people and will be glad to let you have one.

Mrs. I. W. Ayres, Sr. gave a 6 o'clock dinner last Friday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joel Wheeler and their little son Joel Jr. of Sheridan Wyoming. Mrs. Wheeler is the former Adeline Green. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. John Alley of Kansas City, Mrs. Alley

is sister to Mrs. Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Green, Glenda and Ulene Green, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Greene are the parents and Mr. and Mrs. Ayres the grandparents.

Miss Johna Rafferty of Gruver will appear in Denton with the Texas State College for Women Modern Choir in its first concert of the season Nov. 16 in the main auditorium at 8:15 P. M.

Offering a versatile program ranging from popular songs to the classics, the 45 member choir, under the direction of W. E. Jones will feature the music of the American composer Edward MacDowell.

Well-known throughout the Southwest for its radio-like, informal performances, the choir will also make concert appearances in Dallas, Shreveport, El Dorado and San Angelo.

Miss Rafferty, a junior student is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rafferty, of Gruver.

W. T. Students Pledged

Two students of WTSC, Arlan Womble and Bill Sewell of Spearman were pledged to Social fraternities at WTSC this week. Womble joined Tau Tau Tau and Sewell will be a member of the Epsilon Beta.

Sunday marked the end of the rush week which gave each club an opportunity to entertain with one party.

Thirty one pledges were asked to join the four sororities and 3 fraternities on the campus.

Miss Rosemary Holt of Gruver was pledged to Delta Zeta Chi, Social sorority at West Texas this week.

Buddy Brockus, of Amarillo was here over the week-end.

Safest Playground Colors

Beauty can take the best out of potentially dangerous play equipment for children. Safety experts point to a recent study made by a paint manufacturing concern which shows that beautifying playground equipment also can serve to make it safer. Slides should be painted green, which counteracts excessive sunlight. Steps leading to the top of the slide should be yellow to draw the child's attention and make him more careful when climbing up. Youngsters are less likely to be struck by seats or rings of swings if seats and rings are painted yellow, giving greater visibility. Green is best for uprights and overhead bars.

Mr. and Mrs. Zearid Denton of Cordell, Oklahoma, were weekend visitors in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Hall of White Deer were Spearman visitors over the week-end.

Where Aspen Can Be Used

Aspen is one of the least durable woods and is known to deteriorate or rot rapidly under conditions favoring decay. Records on aspen used under moist and severe decay conditions have shown that serious decay and failure of the product may develop in three to four years. Although there is considerable prejudice against aspen for uses in which decay is not a factor when good construction practices are followed, for such uses as siding, roof boards, sheathing and rafters, experience has shown that aspen is as durable as any wood, either hardwood or softwood, under use conditions where it remains dry or is exposed to moisture for relatively short periods.

Miss Florence Holton is visiting in Misouri this week, before returning to her work in Bakersfield, Calif.

Proper Use of Pliers

Pliers should not be used to loosen or tighten nuts because the pliers may slip off; use a wrench of the proper size for that purpose. Before attempting to use a pair of pliers on an electric circuit be sure the current is off, otherwise the user may receive a painful or perhaps fatal shock. When cutting spring wire in coils, always take hold of the wire close to the cutter, stand so that the loose end will not fly into the face and be sure that cutting is done away from the cutter. Pliers and wire cutters, like screw drivers, should not be used as substitutes for hammers.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tutor and son have moved to Wichita Falls, where he has been transferred by his firm.

Quince Thorn from Mindota has been in Spearman on business this week.

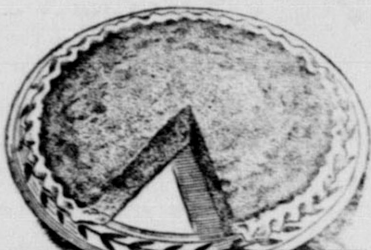
Quality Wanted in Potatoes

Most homemakers consider the quality of the potatoes they buy more important than either the size or the price, a recently completed survey shows. In the survey sample of towns of 2,500 population or over were asked about their preferences in potatoes. They were asked about storage problems in the home, what cooking qualities they prefer, whether they purchase particular brands and many other questions. The study was made by the bureau of agricultural economics in a project under the research and marketing act. Among the homemakers interviewed, quality was found to outweigh size and price 12 to 1 for the country as a whole. In the South, however, consumers indicated a slightly greater interest in price than those in the North. It also was found that homemakers in the U. S. emphasized the size over price by about 3 to 1.

Fast Becoming a Tradition

Mary Lee Taylor's **PUMPKIN PIE**

SEE RECIPE BELOW



Mary Lee Taylor's
Pumpkin Pie
Broadcast:
November 22, 1947

1/4 cup brown sugar 1/4 teaspoon cloves
1/2 tablespoon flour 2 1/2 cups cooked or
1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup canned pumpkin
1/2 teaspoon cinna. 1/2 cup Pet Milk
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg 1 slightly beaten
1/2 teaspoon ginger 2 tablespoons dark
molasses

Turn on oven; set at very hot (450° F.). Mix together brown sugar, flour, salt, cinnamon, nutmeg, ginger and cloves. Add remaining ingredients; stir until smooth. Pour into deep 9-in. pie pan lined with unbaked pastry. Bake 15 min., then reduce heat to slow (325° F.) and bake 40 min., or until firm.

Note: 2 1/4 teasp. pumpkin pie spice can replace the above spices.

For Sweet Potato Pie, substitute for the pumpkin freshly cooked or canned sweet potatoes or yams, put through a sieve; reduce brown sugar to 1/2 cup, omit molasses and add 2 tablesp. melted butter or margarine.

For Squash Pie, follow recipe for Pumpkin Pie, substituting cooked winter squash, thoroughly mashed, for the pumpkin.

You Will Need:

Pet Milk 15c
Pumpkin, Flour, Eggs, Spices etc.

CHECK THESE SPECIALS!

- SUGAR** 10 LBS. 89c
- Mince Meat** Shar Fine 9 oz. Pkg. 17c
- PEARS** Isle-O-Gold No. 2 1/2 Can 39c
- Cake Flour** Softa Silk Big Pkg 39c
- CHERRIES** Nancy Hawks, Red Sour Pitted - No. 2 Can 27c
- CRUSTENE** 3 lb. Can 89c

Cranberries
Lb. - 27c

Pumpkin
SHURFINE
2 cans 27c

- Cranberry Sauce** Ocean Spray Tall Can 19c
- Ripe Olives** Tall Can 29c
- Coffee** Admiration LB. 51c
- English Walnuts** Emeralds L.B. 35c

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