

# The Spearman Reporter

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## Johnson Oil Well Is 600 Barrel Producer

Friends of Mr and Mrs Jack Johnson of the Pringle community will be glad to learn that the oil well brought in on their home place with an initial production of 200 barrels has increased in flow to become a 600 barrel producer.

## Additional Allotment Checks Arrive This Week in Spearman

According to assistant county agent J. B. Cooke three additional shipments of allotment checks arrived since last Thursday. The total payments to date (Wednesday of this week) amounts to \$56,704.98.

## Purchase Conoco Retail Station

J. R. Douglas, who has been connected with the Conoco retail station in Spearman the past year has purchased the equipment and assumed management of the station. Raymond Kirk, former agent, states that he has not made plans for the future other than his present work with his brother Delon Kirk at the Kirk Battery Shop.

## County Agent On Vacation

County agent Joe Hatton is taking his official vacation and plans to spend two weeks deer hunting, visiting relatives and attending the Texas-A. and M. game, which will be played at College Station Thanksgiving day. Mr and Mrs Hatton and their small son will visit his parents at Abeline and his brother in Mason county.

## Lion Members Getting Ready For Christmas

At the regular meeting of the Lions club held Tuesday noon Lions Tom Etter, O. C. Holt and Pete Smith were appointed as a committee to secure a suitable Christmas tree to be placed on the main street in Spearman. Lions Gus McLain, William E. McClellan and Percy Powers were appointed to erect the tree at the intersection in front of the First State Bank on or before Dec. 5th.

## Win And Lose At Canadian

Spearman's high school basketball teams, both girls and boys played their first game of the season away from home when they contested the girls and boys basketball teams of Canadian on Tuesday evening of this week. The boys team won 48 to 12 with Ledru Jacobs accounting for 27 points. The girls lost 17 to 4.

## Borger Civic Leader Boosts Hansford Lake

Bob Lindsey, president of the Borger Chamber of Commerce stated this week that it was his opinion that the Hansford county lake would be the first lake to be constructed in the Panhandle when the government resumes the lake program after the first of the year. Mr Lindsey spent several hours discussing the Hansford lake project with the commissioner of reclamation, John Page. Mr Page and Mr Lindsey attended the national reclamation associational meeting held at Denver recently. Mr Lindsey returned home the past week-end, and in giving an interview to a representative of this paper, our Borger friend was very enthusiastic about immediate prospects for the lake.

Mr and Mrs Herman Meadows of Los Angeles, Calif. are spending Thanksgiving holiday with Mr and Mrs A. N. Meadows and relatives.

## Dick Kiker Grocer Goes To Cash Basis

Dick Kiker, manager of the popular grocery and market that bears his name, has decided to go on cash basis at his store effective Nov. 20. Mr Kiker believes that he can compare with the cash and carry stores in neighboring cities and he has marked down the price on every item of merchandise in his store.

In order to better accommodate customers who do not like to carry cash and make cash purchases daily, Mr Kiker plans to sell advance purchase tickets at a slight discount. This will eliminate any inconvenience and will emphasize the saving effective at his store.

## The Origin Of Scouting

It was the year 1859. Trouble was brewing in South Africa. Relations between the British and the Government of the Transvaal Republic had reached the breaking point. War was expected at any time. The British Brevet Colonel Robert Baden-Powell, who had performed excellent work in Her Majesty's Service in India and Africa was directed to raise two regiments of mounted rifles and proceed to Mafeking, a town of great strategic importance in the heart of South Africa. "Who holds Mafeking holds the reins of South Africa" was a saying among the natives which proved to be true.

For 217 days—from October 13, 1899—Baden-Powell held Mafeking in a siege, against the overwhelming number of the enemy, until the relief forces under Lord Roberts finally got their to help on the 18 of May 1900.

Great Britain had been holding its breath through these long months. When finally the news came "Mafeking has been relieved" it went mad with jubilation. And Baden-Powell awoke from the nightmare of the siege to find himself a hero in the eyes of the world.

It was as a hero of men and boys that he returned to England from S. Africa—like Lindbergh coming home from France after his feat 26 years later, to be showered with honors, and to discover to his amazement that his personal popularity had given popularity to his technical book for army training "Aids to Scouting". It was being used as a textbook in numerous boys' schools.

Baden-Powell saw a great challenge in this. He realized that here was his opportunity to help the boys of his country to grow to strong manhood. If a book for men on scouting practices, woodcraft, pioneering, and camping could appeal to boys and inspire them, how much more would a book written for the boys themselves! He immediately set to work. He adapted his own boyhood adventures, his experiences in India and in Africa among the Zulus and other savage tribes. He mobilized a special library of books and read and read of the training of boys through all ages—from the Spartan boys, the ancient British, the Bushido of Japan, to our own day. He learned and read about Ernest Thompson Seton's "Woodcraft Indians" and about Dan Beard's "Boy Pioneers" or Sons of Daniel Boone and benefited from the work of these well-known authors and outdoorsmen in behalf of boys.

Slowly and carefully Baden-Powell developed the scouting idea. He wanted to be sure that it would work, so in the summer of 1907 he took a group of boys with him to Brownsea Island in the English Channel for the first Boy Scout camp the world had ever seen.

And then, in the early months of 1908, he brought out in six fortnightly parts his handbook of training "Scouting for Boys" without dreaming that this book would set in motion a movement which was to effect the boyhood of the entire world. It had hardly started to appear in the book shops before Scout Patrols and Troops began springing up. The movement grew and grew to such dimensions that Baden-Powell resigned from the Army and embarked upon his "second life" as he calls it—his life of service to the world through scouting.

## REV. W. B. SWIM IS NEW METHODIST PASTOR

Rev. W. B. Swim and family, of McLean, Texas moved to Spearman Thursday of this week. Rev. Swim has been appointed the new pastor of the Methodist church. He has served at McLean for several years. We are informed that there are 2 children in the Swim family. Rev. Leroy Brown was appointed to serve the McLean church, and moved from Spearman to McLean Thursday of this week. The Browns were very popular in Spearman and their many friends wish them a successful and pleasant future.

## Thanksgiving Contata At Methodist Church Sunday Nov. 26

"Praise and Thanksgiving" a contata by Carrie B. Adams will be presented by the Methodist choir under the direction of Mrs. John Berry Sunday night Nov. 26 at 8 p. m.

The program includes: Praise Ye The Lord, choir; Thanksgiving and Praise, Mrs. C. A. Gibner and choir; Dear Lord And Father, Mrs. R. E. Lee Mrs. C. A. Gibner, Bill McClellan and P. A. Lyon. The Lord Is My Shepherd, choir; Oh, Hear Us For Our Native Land, choir; Sing To The Lord, Mrs. R. E. Lee; The Mighty God, Mrs. Gibner and choir; Break Forth Into Joy, Choir.

Members of the choir: Mrs. J. B. Caldwell, Sid Clark, Bob Douglas, G. P. Gibner, H. P. Bailey, Misses Helen Richardson Fanny Sparks, Kyble Lackey and Elma Gunn and Tom Etter. Mrs. Elma Gunn is accompanying for the choir. The public is invited.

## Farewell Social For Mr and Mrs Leroy Brown

Sponsored by members of the Mary Martha and Belle Bennett Missionary societies, friends and members of the Methodist church met at the church annex Wednesday evening Nov. 22 for a farewell social honoring Rev and Mrs Leroy Brown. Covered dish luncheon was served at the 7 o'clock hour. As a part of the social two very nice gifts were presented the departing pastor and his wife.

## In Appreciation

As we go to take over our new work at McLean we take this means of expressing our appreciation for the friendship and cooperation of the good people of Spearman and Hansford county. We have indeed been fortunate in living in such a fine community as Spearman. We wish all our friends and acquaintances the best of luck and much happiness in future life. Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Brown.

## RIFLE SHOOT SUNDAY

Dennis Jones plans to hold another rifle and pistol shoot to be staged at the range north of Spearman Sunday afternoon Nov. 26th. Mr Jones places a nine inch plate 200 yards from the shooting stand and everyone who can break the plate are given a turkey. Several went away with Turkeys the last shoot several weeks ago. Mr Jones plans to have expert rifle men here from Amarillo and Borger at the Sunday shoot.

## MANY STORES WILL BE CLOSED NOV. 30

Just to be safe and not make a mis-statement, this paper informs the readers that many local stores will be closed all day Thursday Nov. 30th.

These stores will be closed on that date because Mayor Womble proclaimed the date as the official Thanksgiving date for Spearman. Store owners will celebrate this date as Thanksgiving. However, we request that none of the readers write our president and tell him that this paper stated Nov. 30 was Thanksgiving. It is so far as this writer is concerned—but it sure ain't fair and right to tell the writer he is celebrating Thanksgiving with the Republicans.

## Cooperative Refrigeration Unit Will Be Built By Equity

Announcement was made this week that the proposed 300 locker capacity refrigeration vault of the Spearman Equity Exchange would be under construction in the immediate future. After a campaign of a few weeks the advance sale of lockers passed the 100 mark, and directors of the organization set this number of lockers as the deadline for construction. Ted Rosenbaum purchased the No. 1 locker and the Spearman Reporter purchased locker 100. The advance charge on lockers was \$10.00 which entitles the locker renter the privilege of using the locker for one year.

The vault for the lockers is built to house 300 lockers with special rooms constructed for speedy freezing. Meat and perishable food will be frozen before storage in the individual lockers.

The directors of the cooperative organization believe that a 300 capacity vault will be needed in this county when the people learn of the convenience and economy. Officials of the organization are hopeful that many other renters will come forward and rent additional lockers before construction of the vault is completed so that additional construction will not be necessary in the immediate future. Present plans call for construction of a few additional lockers in the vault so that local Hansford folk can be served if they need additional space.

One wheat farmer of this area purchased 10 lockers when the plan was made known to him. He is enthusiastic and believes that many families will soon be using double lockers instead of the one they now have rented.

In connection with the refrigeration plan a trained meat cutter will be on duty at all times. Meat stored in the coolers will be cut into the regular cuts. Full market equipment will be available for grinding and preparing meat for storage.

## Mr and Mrs L. B. Campbell Go To Detroit After New Car

Mr and Mrs L. B. Campbell left Friday of last week for Detroit where they plan to drive back a new Ford. The Spearman couple plan to attend one of the big Eastern football games at Southbend, Ind. Friday of this week.

## Lions Enjoy Program

Little Betty Jean Hill and Barbara Jean Daily were guest entertainers at the regular meeting of the Lion club held at the Pekoe Cafe Tuesday noon. The young entertainers played two numbers on their violins, and sang.

Program leader Fred Hoskins was complimented on his program, which also included a series of humorous comments relative to Thanksgiving, fat wimen and other items of current interest.

## Grandpa McClellan Reported Improved

L. S. McClellan who underwent an operation at the Lubbock hospital, Monday of this week is reported doing nicely.

## Brotherhood Social Friday Evening

Members of the Brotherhood class of the Baptist church and their wives will have a steak fry and social at the church tomorrow evening Nov. 24. All members are urged to attend.

## In Fairness To Franklin D—

In Dec. of 1938, President Roosevelt, announced his intentions of setting up at Hyde Park for the first time in this country, what might be called a source material collection relating to that period in American history from 1910 down to the present time. The collection was to be housed in a building built by private subscription. The property was to go finally to the Federal government. The president also wished that the family

## Mattress Making School

Good home-made mattresses have been familiar sights in Hansford County since the mattress making training school was given Oct. 27 by the County Home Demonstration Agent. A mattress was made and displayed as a County-wide Campaign Achievement.

Whether to support or not to support the launch for mattress making campaign was an issue before the County Council which they had to give much thought to. After much discussion every one was in favor of this campaign "to buy or to make a mattress". For the current year. Nine community agricultural associations in Hansford county have played a definite part in the mattress making campaign in the county.

Since Oct. 27, thirty three cotton mattresses have been made. Non-club members are also interested in making their own mattresses and ten have made them so far.

## Methodist WMS Observe Week of Prayer

Week of Prayer was observed in the home of Mrs Ernest Sluder, Gruver, with appropriate services. Mrs W. B. Hart was leader for the program in the morning. The subject for study was "Jesus Honors Laborers". A copy of the picture "The Angelus" by Millet was placed before the group. In interpretation of the picture Mrs C. H. Winder emphasized the fact that Millet gave a soul to the French peasant people, thus honoring them as Jesus did.

The week of prayer offering for home missions for the current year will aid those who labor. Mrs C. B. Williams told of the needs of a community center in Amherst, Va. V.; Mrs Tobe Giles explained the Deaconess Retirement Fund; Mrs Randolph McClellan told of the needs of a center in West Dallas, Mrs Ernest Sluder sang a solo.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon, the hour was spent in friendship and fellowship.

Mrs Ted McClellan was leader for the afternoon program. The subject was "He Needs Young Hearts". Mrs A. W. Evans recited "I am Youth". Mother Atkinson presented the needs of youth in Rio in Brazil and told of needs for a college in Rio. The women support a high school, but there is a growing need for a college. When it is built with the week of prayer offerings for the Foreign special it will be the first Woman's College in Brazil. Mrs Ted McClellan read the poem "Bridge Builders" Mrs E. Sluder had charge of music.

House and the greater part of the estate should be taken over by the United States after his death.

The New York Times in comment, "Aside from partisanship, the only intelligent reason for objection is the notion that everything be piled up in Washington."

Representative Burdick of N. Carolina, took part in the discussion in Congress, and in a fine way called attention to some facts about president Roosevelt and the Democratic Party that the country generally is trying to forget. Rep. Burdick is a Republican. Here's some of the things he said: "I for one, feel that 50 years ago now the place that Franklin D. Roosevelt will occupy in the U. S. history will be quite different from today's sentiment upon my side of the House. I, as one Republican, am willing to confess openly, that considering the condition of affairs when President Roosevelt came into power in this country, he, more than any other man in the U. S. is responsible for our having a representative form of government. If he has made mistakes, history will take care of that, but history cannot take away from him the position he occupies in being the source of inspiration for the American people to continue this form of government. I am for this government. I want to make this government better. When history is written 50 years from now, I think it will contain nothing of which even the Republicans need be ashamed."

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## Nov. 24th Set Aside For Homecoming Of Morse High School

Walter A. Gillispie, supt. of the Morse schools announced this week that Nov. 24th has been set aside for the Homecoming of the Morse High School ex-students. The students and faculty invites all the exes to visit their Alma Mater and help celebrate the successful season of the Morse Mustangs. The boys are to encounter the Lipscomb Tigers that afternoon. Every Morse High ex is urged to attend this game and back the Mustangs to another victory. Undeafated

The Morse Mustang team under the capable leadership of Captain H. B. Parks and Coach R. H. Moser is one of the few undefeated teams of this area. They have played 7 games this season with a total score of 179 to their opponents score of 69. Friday the team meets the Lipscomb Tigers. This game closes the season for the Mustangs and they hope to chalk up another victory for Morse. Boys going out for football are as follows:

\*Carson McCloy, 140, c; \*Daryl Lanners, 145, re; \*H. B. Parks, 150, (c), half; \*Truman Tompkins, 145 (co-c) qb; \*Jack Gillispie, 112, fb; \*James McNulty, 150, le; Thane McCloy, 120, fb; Harry Mortimers, 125, re; Doc O'Gorman, 125, le; Harry Coffee Jr., 120, e; Calvin Lanners, 93, fb; B. G. Roberts, 95, hb; Earl Henderson, 100, qb; Jack Dortch 98, center. — \* Probable starting lineup Friday Nov. 24.

This is the 2nd year that Morse has ever had a football team and our hat goes off to Coach Robert H. Moser. Without Coach Moser's untiring efforts the boys would not have been able to have walked off with their seven victories.

We would also commend the Morse Pep Squad on their splendid work this year. Under the leadership of Ruth and Marciel Womble the girls have given enthusiasm, and color with their red, white, and gold uniforms at the games this year. Pep was instilled into the hearts of the boys at every game this season and much credit is given the girls in backing the boys to victories. The Pep Squad elected Joan Womble daughter of Mr and Mrs Moody Womble and Perry Dixon, son of Mr and Mrs Pearl Dixon to be their mascots this season. Miss Beck is the faculty sponsor. Reporter Margaret Beck

## Post Office Closed

Today (Thursday Nov. 23rd to most Hansford people) but Thanksgiving to Postmaster Marvin Chambers the U. S. Postoffice will be closed all day. Next Thursday when Spearman people celebrate Thanksgiving, it will be Thursday Nov. 30th to Mr Chambers.

## Presbyterian Church

Services at the Presbyterian church Sunday Nov. 26, 1939. Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m.

Plans are being made to reorganize the Sunday school and it is hoped that those who formerly attended will return and that they will try to interest others who are not attending elsewhere.

For the present there will be but one worship service at the eleven o'clock hour. Members of the church are urged to attend each service. Everyone who has no other church obligation are cordially invited. Rev. G. C. Bidwell, pastor.

## ELLIS THEATRE PERRYTON, TEXAS

Nov. 23-24 "Jeepers Creepers" Weaver Bros, Elvira and Roy Rogers. Nov. 24 "Arizona Kid" with Roy Rogers and George Hays. Nov. 26-27—"Rulers of the Sea" with Douglas Fairbanks Jr Margaret Lockwood and George Bancroft. Nov. 28-29—"Main St. Lawyer" with Edward Ellis, Anita Louise. Nov. 30-Dec. 1—"Blondie Brings Up Baby" with Blondie Dagwood and Baby Dumpling.



# THE LYNX

READ WHAT YOUR CHILDREN ARE DOING AT SCHOOL

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### TALE Lights

Say, who were those girls who wanted 'mama' in a bad way? Billy, my goodness, didn't you know there was a flashlight in the crowd? It seems that Georgia Ruth has taken a certain liking to college lads (and I do mean lads). My, my, such a sudden love of the country, Marjorie and Dopey. While I don't suppose D. R. and Marcus would have anything to do with that! Flash, why did Doris Jean and Judy go to church? Rusty's only comment is 'Maybe I'm asleep'. Why were there so many red-faces when the dentist was discussing 'heavy dates'? For advice to the lovelorn, please consult Richard (alias Dorothy Dix) Shedeck. By the way, Henry, did you find the spot?

Jewel, passing through the door into English room, exclaims I hope Buck has studied her English, we might have a test. Tish, tish, Margie, just why wouldn't you go to Gruver Friday night.

Newell never did tell us what happened to his eye—so we gather our own conclusion.

Jerry J. says its a great life if you don't weaken. What do you think Bonnie Lou?

Hay hay, and more hay. Ellsworth suffered a serious wound in the arm (I suppose the teeth marks still show) Sophie discovered (and practiced) a powerful kick, but the Hay was still 'sticky'.

One thoroughly convinced basketball girl remarks (after 7 laps) 'Boy am I glad I didn't make it 15 more minutes.'

**Lost and Found Dept.**  
 A red-head man-hating belief. Gee, Judy, don't go back on us now. Weight (dropped somewhere in the gym by four girls if found please keep.

One heart, badly bruised and doubtful recovery. Why not look in Harold's hip pocket, Stella.

Several notes found, relating to a drive and also to church. Owner may have same by telling a few of the more personal things.

Keim's magic word, somewhere around Perryton. Maybe you don't hold your mouth right.

Three hearts by senior, soph, and freshman lassie. Someone reported seeing them all in the soph home room.

### FOURTH GRADE NEWS

Elaine Nesbitt  
 The fourth grade is working on a play, "Doctoring Helen" which is to be presented in assembly.

The cast of characters includes: John Hawkins (slow and steady) Leland McMunkin, Sarah Hawkins (his wife) Anita Close, Helen (child) a large doll Dr Jiggs (a horse doctor) Bobby Wilbanks.

We enjoyed the radio that Mr Graves brought in the room. We could study better.

### NEW RADIO

For the past few days the pupils in the Grade School have been enjoying the new radio, which has been purchased for use in our department. During the noon hour the pupils gather around the radio while they eat their lunches. They listen to the Man on the Street, they absorb the news, they enjoy the musical programs, they even listen to the weather reports. In fact, the study halls do not need a teacher in charge since the introduction of the radio.

### SOUR NOTES FROM THE SPEARMAN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

The band presented a chapel program Tuesday morning with the following numbers:

American Legion; My Bonnie, french horn solo, Dean Church; Love's Old Sweet Song, baritone saxophone solo, Eugene Smith; Azalae, overture; The Isle of Capri, accordion solo, Anona Hull; South of the Border, bass horn solo, Frank Novak; Whispering Hope, oboe and flute trio Margie Gerber, Louise Kiker and Marjorie Russell; Semper Fidelis, march.

The high school seemed to enjoy this program very much, so if they can sit through it I am sure you could enjoy a similar one. The three numbers played by the band in chapel will also be played at the semi-annual concert to be held Dec. 6.

Dean Church says he dedicated all his solos and he tries to select them to suit the person to whom he dedicates them!

We have been working out the particulars of Robin Hood Fantasy. We shall play this overture at our semi-annual concert. This is one of the prettiest overtures on the Contest list. The theme of this overture will be announced in next week's column don't miss it.

Another selection for the program is the overture Azalae. This number is also on the Contest list. This overture has a fast ending that should make any music lover stand up and cheer. Be prepared to come and hear a concert that will contain every thing from "long hair" to swing. We have one swing number called "Umbrella Man." This is an odd number to be called swing because it is in waltz time.

Oh, I could go on and on telling you that this will be the best concert we have ever put on. The best way for you to tell is to come and hear it for yourself.

Just one more number before I close this part of the news, and that is John Phillip Sousa's Semper Fidelis. This 6-8 time march has just the sort of tune and tempo to make even a music hater enjoy it. It cannot be successfully described on paper, but you shall have the privilege of enjoying it at our concert.

Please don't forget our cause for thirpogram. It is to try to raise at least 140 dollars clear money to buy a French horn and a bell lyre. Some of you may think that is an outlandish sum of money and that your personal attendance will not help. The prices of admission have not been set as yet, but I am sure they will not be too much for what you will receive in return. We plan to have this concert on value received plan, even if the ducats were 5bucks each.

Then there is the band sweetheart contest. As yet the candidates have not been announced but by next week I am sure that I will be able to give you the full particulars. Until then, make preparations to attend the concert and to vote for your favorite. Don't Forget The Band Concert, Dec. 6th.

## SPORTS

The Spearman Lynx basketball season gets under way on Tuesday when they play Canadian at Canadian. The Lynx have high hopes for a successful season. About 30 boys have reported for practice which made it very difficult for Coan Washington to pick a traveling squad in the short time they have practiced.

Lettermen back this year are Jacobs, Schell, and Reed. Game suits were issued to L. Jacobs, Schell, Reed, J. Jacobs, D. R. Daniel, Graves, Miller, Easley, Parsons and Reynolds after several hours of concentration and hair pulling. The Lynx have had only a few days of practice but Tuesday night they intend to beat Canadian.

### LYNXETTES

The Lynxettes gained their second triumph Monday afternoon by defeating the Morse girls 38 to 16. It was a good game, but the Morse girls objected to the officiating of Ledru Jacobs. Their objection was that they watched the referee more than they did the basketball. To put all joking aside however the girls are going to have their hands full when they meet Canadian at Canadian Tuesday night.

### SAMPLINGS

**Warren McNabb's Dog**  
 By Matthew Van Sant

Warren McNabb's dog is the biggest pest there is. Every night when I deliver milk she comes out and tries to bite my heels. One night she came out and I got mad and broke a milk bottle over her head. She didn't bother me for about 3 days. One night I found out the dog was almost dead. Of course I thought I was introuble. About a week later I found out different. She came out with seven pups. They all barked at me. Sometimes I wish I had killed her so she couldn't bark at me. From then on, she and her pups were ready to bark. Don't think I wasn't glad when Warren told me he gave them all away to Mr Brown a farmer in the country.

**My Trip To Palo Duro Canyon**  
 By Nina Gather

Last summer we took a trip to Palo Duro Canyon. We saw many interesting things on the way. We rode in the bed of a pick-up. When we arrived, there was a little station where tourists stopped and paid so much to enter. He gave us a slip of paper which told all about the Palo Duro Canyon. We went on through. I liked Devil's Peak best of all. It was about a mile high, we climbed to the top. When we looked down to the car it looked very small. There was a large rock that had many names carved on it. We went on further and saw where the Indians had had their picnics. My uncle said it was a shame we couldn't have eaten our lunch there. We did not get to go all the way through because it was getting dark and we had to bet back. I liked the trip very much and hope to get to go back.

**Our Lunch Room**  
 By Richard Burke

We have been trying to get enough money to build a lunch room for the school. We put on some plays in the auditorium to make enough money. There was a big crowd, the first night and not quite so many the next time. Carpenters have been working on the lunch room about a week and a half, and have not yet finished. We hope they get it done soon, for we are anxious to get the hot lunches that the ladies of the PTA will serve.

**The President's Speech**  
 By Rosanne Porter

Mr Richardson ordered a radio for the whole grade school to use. Last Wednesday Mr Graves called the 5, 6 and 7th grades to the study hall to listen to the President's speech. The president was dedicating a speech to the Jefferson Memorial. He said he expected to see it finished by 1941. We hope to hear many other interesting and valuable things from this radio.

### ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Last Thursday morning the Seniors had charge of the Assembly program. The program consisted of a one-act play, "Who Told the Truth". The cast of characters was as follows:

Doctor Robert Craig, Roy Reed, Mrs Francis Craig, Betty Morton; Professor MacLeod, Melvin Schell, Mrs MacLeod, Janelle Womble, Professor Conklin, Harold Graves, Miss Penelope Conklin, Verna Gail Allen, Gerald Gordon, Ledru Jacobs, Miss Arimethea Yorkley, Beuna Vernon, Jack Sheppard A. L. Jackson, Phil Rader, Cecil Reynolds, Dan Jordan, Howard Perry and Officer, Merle Mizar.

Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the play. As a matter of fact everyone was quite surprised at the adept acting of the senior students. But then of course, it was natural for they are seniors. Seriously however, if any credit is due it goes to Mrs Caldwell, who directed the play and Miss Frazier.

### JUNIOR

The Junior girls who were issued white suits are Frances Sheets, Colleen Kelly, Sophie Birdwell, and Anta Clea Reed. They are trying hard to make the first team.

The juniors enjoyed the chapel program Tuesday. The homemaking 3 girls had their first lab Monday.

The English 3 classes had tests Tuesday. Monday the history 3 class had a test.

### SOPHMORE

The Lynxettes have won two games, one from Canadian, and the other from Morse. We are very proud of them.

The Lynx have not played a game yet, but they play Tuesday night.

In the Algebra 2 class we have been taught to add, subtract, and to multiply algebraic numbers, and this week we are learning how to divide.

The Literature classes are still reading the story of the "Tale of Two Cities" by Dickens, and the farther we go the more interesting it becomes. The Biology class is studying about the air that covers the world. And it is a very interesting study.

### Kerry Over

LUBBOCK—High school paper staffs and sponsors from a hundred West Texas towns have been invited to attend the third annual West Texas Scholastic Press Clinic at Texas Tech college Friday and Saturday, Nov. 24-25.

Registration will be held in the college administration building from 10 a. m. until noon Friday, and program and group meetings will be held Friday afternoon.

The delegates will be guests at the Montana-Tech football game Saturday.

### FRESHMAN

The freshmen class has been studying very hard to prepare for the six weeks exams in the coming week. Mr Platt has organized a junior basketball team consisting of freshmen boys.

We are very proud of Patricia Hutton who made the traveling squad in the basketball team. She is a very promising player. It takes a very good player to do this when only a freshman.

In general math we are still studying about percentage. Easy?

In World history we are studying about rulers who ruled western Europe. We find it quite interesting.

In science we are studying the different races of men.

### LOOKING AROUND

The First grade has made an entire miniature farm. It has been their project for about six weeks. A long san table has been used as a base. A house with trees and shrubbery surrounding it and a barn with a silo near it has been made at one end. Shocks of feed and grain have been made or drawn by the children.

During the time which the little people have studied farming, they have also learned songs representing their farm friends, which include the dog, cat and other animals. The farm is now complete, with ducks in a miniature pool. Mrs Campbell, teacher, is proud of this project and may rightly be. Why don't you look around and visit it?

### BOOK REVIEW

**Jane Eyre**  
 By Charlotte Bronte

Jane Eyre was an orphan girl, who in the beginning lived with an aunt by marriage. This aunt had two girls and one boy; all of the family was very cruel to Jane. Jane was only 10 years old, but she was good natured and took the punishment without complaint.

Jane was sent to a school and made much progress. The teacher did all they could for her and by the time she was 18 she was teaching classes. She learned to draw and drew several pictures during vacations as she spent them at school and had nothing else to do.

Jane soon grew tired of the same things over and over, so she advertised for a job teaching children under the age of 14 in a private home. She got a job where there was only one child. The place was very pleasing to her, and everyone treated her with much respect. The man who owned the place did not stay there very much and the little girl was not his own.

Later Mr Rochester, the owner of the place where she worked, fell in love with Jane and they had quite a church wedding.

### GRADE SCHOOL PROGRAM

On Friday night, Nov. 17, the Grade School department presented a very interesting program in the school auditorium. The program consisted of the following numbers:

Songs, Down on the Swanee River, Old Black Joe, Goin' to Shout and Swing Low Sweet Chariot, combined choruses.

Jingle Bells, Old Black Joe, The Recorder March and Tonete March, tonette band.

Songs, The Man With the Mandolin, Shortnin' Bread and Brahm's Lullaby, 3rd and 4th grades.

The Widow's Mites, Anna Myrl Halsey.

Vocal solo, Curly Headed Baby Nadine Hardin.

Playlet "The Dusky Heiress" by 5th grade.

Playlet, "The Depressed Merchant", grade school band.

A good crowd was present to enjoy the evening program and the proceeds amounted to \$21.65. The money will be used to buy some much needed equipment for the Junior Band.

### SECOND GRADE

Our language stories for the week have been about Indians, The Pilgrims, and the first Thanksgiving. Sonny Windom gave a very nice talk on the discovery of America by Columbus.

We are reading about the Eskimos and find it very interesting to compare their ways of living with our own.

### SEVENTH GRADE NOTES

The chief interest in our class during the past four weeks has been trying to raise our grades so that more names will appear on the Honor roll at the end of the second six weeks. The latest report is that everyone is gradually improving.

The seventh grade pupils miss very much two of our number who have withdrawn from school Alva Lee who returned to her old home at Briscoe, Wheeler county, and Patsy Dacus who is in St. Joseph's hospital in Fort Worth.

In physical ed class we have been taking advantage of the beautiful weather by playing soft

ball. Both boys and girls are showing lots of improvement in their play. When baseball opens in the spring we hope to have two good teams to represent our school in the Interscholastic League Meet.

In social science during the past week we studied how the size of the U. S. compares with the other leading nations of the world and how we have used our natural resources and mild climate to make the U. S. one of the leading nations in the world. In Current Events we studied the Phillipine Islands as one of our possessions and discussed the proposed independence of these islands in the year 1946. We expect to have a debate in class some time soon on the question: Should we give the Phillipines their freedom in 1946.

### CHORAL CLUB NEWS

Flash, flash! And flash again! Will everyone sit up and take notice? The chorus is going to give a program to obtain funds to buy vestments for the chorus. The program will be Tuesday, Nov. 28, at 7:30 in the auditorium. The admission will be 10 and 15c. Everyone is cordially invited to come and help the chorus to make the program a success.

The chorus went to Gruver last Friday afternoon, and put on one of the best performances of the year. Everyone seemed to have had lots of fun.

Sammie and this writer object to the way rs Caldwell refuses to introduce some of those handsome (?) Gruver boys (she knew em—but she just wasn't in a romantic mood.)

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### SIX A NEWS

The meeting of the Citizenship Club was finished. The best citizens were elected. They were Barbara Jean Daily, Clarence Kern and Walter Peters. We have decided to buy material for curtains with our \$2.50. Our girls are going to make the curtains.

We were glad to have Dr Stephens last week all except those

with loose teeth. He didn't have any teeth though.

Both choral clubs are clearing up their programs now. The girls started work on South of the Border in two parts. The have not had a meeting this week. The tonette band played day night on the program for the benefit of the junior

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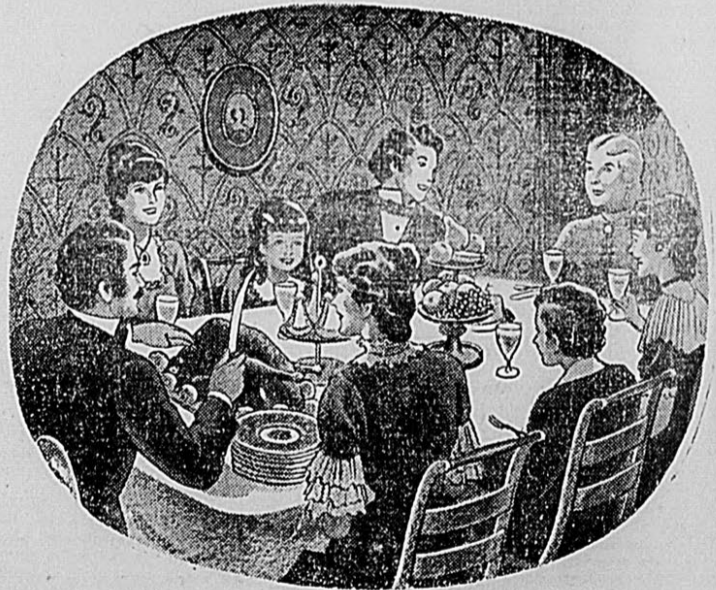
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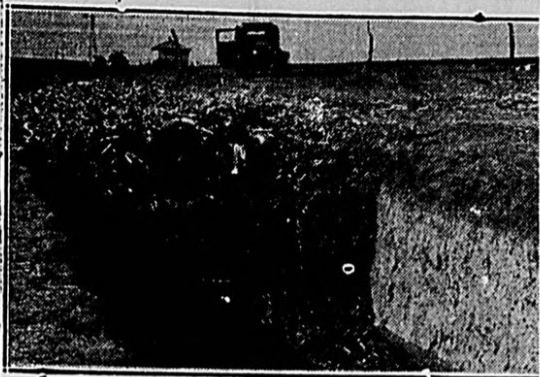
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In studying the present drought situation which is becoming severe in many parts of the Southern Great Plains, L. H. Haunter, regional director of the Farm Security Administration, said that farmers who have feed reserves carried over from last year in most instances will be the last to need assistance in the present emergency.

When advancing loans to farmers, the FSA encourages the construction of trench silos where possible, or some similar economical and adequate storage facility for feed reserve.

Mr. Haunter, cited a survey conducted by the FSA which shows that 50 per cent of the borrowers in Region 12 have adequate storage space. In 1 county alone, 52 percent of the borrowers have trench silos. The number of trench silos on farms, as a whole, is increasing rapidly each year.

## FLAPPER FANNY By Sylvia



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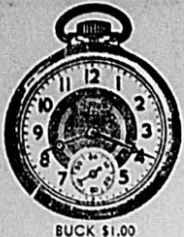
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### THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

To the People of Hansford County—We take this method of wishing each of you a bounteous and enjoyable Thanksgiving. And we include both Nov. 23 and 30th in our wishes for you. We appreciate the patronage and friendship we have enjoyed in Hansford county for so many years, and we pledge anew our determination to merit this long standing friendship.

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President

ton shoppers Saturday.  
Mrs J. M. Blodgett, Mrs John Keney, Kathleen and J. M. Kenney went to O. D. Gowens Sunday to see the new son.  
Mrs Earl Church was shopping in Spearman Monday.  
Ed Brainard went to Canadian Tuesday morning from his ranch.

Mr and Mrs J. F. Simm were callers in the Blodgett home on Monday evening.  
Mrs Ralph Blodgett is spending the week with her sister Mrs O. D. Gowen.  
Mrs Ed Beck is home from the hospital and getting along fine.

Mr and Mrs J. F. Simm went to Spearman Monday for a load of coal.  
J. M. Kenney spent the week end in the Blodgett home.  
June Godfrey spent the week-end with Bettie Lou Ellsworth.

Mearl Beck and wife spent the night with Mr and Mrs Ben Monroe at Decatur on their way home from Sulphur Springs. They have a fine place and doing well.  
Mr and Mrs Simm were Perry-

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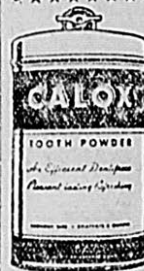
"When canning or sewing, keep in mind the Fair and Achievement Day for next year", was told by Miss Locke, county home demonstration agent, to the Morse Home Demonstration Club, at the home of Mrs R. B. Hays on Nov. 16, for an all day meeting.

Mrs R. B. Hays showed the club her cellar and the canned goods that it contained. Mrs Hays has a mighty nice variety Mrs J. H. Davis showed a dress which was made from feed sacks and a slip that was made by use of her foundation pattern. Mrs Henry Davis gave a demonstration on the buying and caring for silk hose. She also showed a coat and hat that she made for her 2 year old child, from a renovated garment.

A delicious covered dish luncheon was served to Mesdames Allen Pierce, J. H. Davis, D. H. Laughter, Henry Davis, Roscoe Parks, H. L. Tompkins, R. B. Hays, Miss Locke and four visi-

tors Mesdames Emmett Ryan, L. G. Nobles, James Cator and daughter. In the afternoon the Medlin club members Mesdames Frank Jones, O. L. Williams, L. Knudsen, Virgil Hull, E. McJunkin, W. D. Thorne and Joe T. Edwards were our guests. The next meeting will be at 7th at Morse in Parks building. The club is making a matter of fact to make a matter of fact watch.

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DAY, NOV. 23, 1939

GRUVER NEWS

Many friends of Mrs Joe will regret to hear that she is confined to her home for several weeks. We all hope she will be able to get out on the basement of the Baptist Church is progressing at a good pace. It was an undertaking to dig a 50x30 under the without moving the but it has been done. The four walls have been only the floor remains. In addition to the some changes have

been made in the main auditorium. The baptistry has been raised and set back in an alcove so that baptismal services can easily be seen from all parts of the auditorium. All of this work is being done by the men of the church. The women are assisting in a big way; they have been providing dinner every day for the men who are working.

Mr and Mrs E. K. Garret were delegates from the Methodist Church here to the Northwest Texas conference that met at Lubbock last week. They returned home Sunday night with the report that it was the best conference yet. At this conference the Northwest conference became officially a part of the

newly organized Methodist church. Mr and Mrs Lawrence Gruver were in Lubbock visiting Mrs Gruver's father Grandpa McClellan who is in a hospital there. They also attended some of the sessions of the Methodist conference.

Rev. T. M. McBrayer who has been pastor of the Gruver Methodist church for the last 2 years, leaves Gruver with his family this week for their new appointment. Bro. McBrayer has done a good work in Gruver and will be missed by his many friends. He becomes pastor of Kings Memorial Methodist church at Childress, Texas. We wish him great success in his new field.

Rev. W. A. Cox is the new Methodist pastor in Gruver. He comes from the Vernon circuit. With the coming of the new pastor the Methodist church will have full time preaching. We congratulate our Methodist friends on their progress.

Don Gross returned to Gruver last week from Nevada. Don was away about a month taking some graduate work in Colorado, from there he went to Nevada and then to Calif. We all hope that Don is through wondering for quite a while.

Mr and Mrs I. W. Ayres Jr are in Shattuck awaiting the arrival of another addition to the family. Next week we will tell you more about it.

Mr and Mrs Fred McRee leave for Conchos dam, N. M. this week to spend Thanksgiving with their son Bill. Just which Thanksgiving they will celebrate has not been decided.

Thanksgiving will be either this week or next, according to your taste and the dictates of your conscience. We in these grand old United States of America can afford to have Thanksgiving every day. God has blessed us with an abundance of all things worth while, including the fact that we are a long way removed from the "War Zone". Let us not only pray, but determine to stay a long way from this and all other ways.

Community Church

Services will be both morning and evening at the Methodist church. The new pastor Rev. W. A. Cox will preach at both services. Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. with Lawrence Gruver supt.

Church of Christ

Sunday school and preaching service will be held in the afternoon. Bro. Graves, Spearman will preach the second in a special series of sermons.

Baptist Church

The pastor Bro. Herbert Hughes will preach at both the morning and evening services. Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. with the supt. Bro. Gay Fletcher in charge. The BTU meets at 7 p. m. Ward Spivey director.

Woman's Council

The Missionary Society of the Christian Church met for their regular meeting Wednesday each one took part in the discussion of the lesson which was very interesting the lesson was from the 6th chapter of John.

Remember the food sale in the Collard Bldg. Sat. 25. All members that can bring cake, pie, chicken or canned goods, the next food sale will be in December.

Those present were Mrs Bert Briley, Sarah Graves, Homer Allen, Frank Dessen, Hix Wilbanks, A. N. Meadows, Rubie Birdwell.

Gruver Home Demonstration Club

The Gruver HD Club met at the home of Mrs F. A. Shapley Sr. Nov. 15.

Meeting was called to order by the president. Soj: "Brighten the Corner Where You Are". Prayer, club.

Mrs Bandy gave a report from County Council.

Mrs Converse, from the Better Homes Club, gave a talk on Land Views Planning.

Mrs Archa Morse, from the Medlin Club, gave a report on the State Convention which she attended in Sept.

Miss Locke expressed her appreciation for the work and cooperation of all the clubs.

Names were drawn for the Christmas party which will be Dec. 20 at Mrs C. B. William's home.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following visitors from other clubs, Mesdames Archa Morse, Medlin; A. F. Barkley, Spearman; R. V. Converse, Better Homes; Frank Hardin of Spearman; Virgil Hull, Medlin; McJunkin, Medlin; Jimmie Davis Spearman, C. C. Beck Sr., Kimball; Tom Dozier, SW Gruver.

Visitors from Gruver Mesdames Haden Hart, A. W. Evans R. A. McCollum, Kenneth Bacon Bill Lowe, Phil Borger.

Club members Mesdames C. B. Williams, F. R. Wallin, R. E. Bandy, D. L. McClellan, Ralph McClellan, Lloyd Frier, E. M. McClellan, Katie Weber, Buck Woodall, Clinton Wilson, Miss Locke and the hostess, who was assisted by her daughter Myrtle Mae Shapley.

We were very happy to have these visitors and hope they will visit us again.

The next meeting will be held at Mrs Ralph McClellan's on Nov. 29, at 2:30 p. m.



Thanksgiving Day

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, or THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

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This Thanksgiving season gives us an opportunity to impress the farmer population of this county with the needs of Cooperation.

If you will review back in your minds the effectiveness of Cooperation, when the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock, you can picture the results that can be obtained in this modern age of ours, should we all Cooperate to the fullest extent.

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To the People of Hansford County—We take this method of wishing each of you a bounteous and enjoyable Thanksgiving. And we include both Nov. 23 and 30th in our wishes for you. We appreciate the patronage and friendship we have enjoyed in Hansford county for so many years, and we pledge anew our determination to merit this long standing friendship.

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### BLODGETT NEWS

Mr and Mrs J. F. Simm were callers in the Blodgett home on Monday evening.

Mrs Ralph Blodgett is spending the week with her sister Mrs O. D. Gowen.

Mrs Ed Beck is home from the hospital and getting along fine.

Mr and Mrs J. F. Simm went to Spearman Monday for a load of coal.

J. M. Kenney spent the week end in the Blodgett home.

June Godfrey spent the week-end with Bettie Lou Ellsworth.

Mearl Beck and wife spent the night with Mr and Mrs Ben Monroe at Decatur on their way home from Sulphur Springs. They have a fine place and doing well. Mr and Mrs Simm were Perry-

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ton shoppers Saturday. Mrs J. M. Blodgett, Mrs John Kenney, Kathleen and J. M. Kenney went to O. D. Gowens Sunday to see the new son.

Mrs Earl Church was shopping in Spearman Monday.

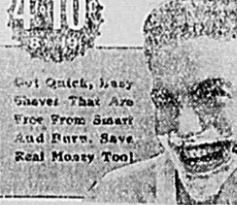
Ed Brainard went to Canadian Tuesday morning from his ranch.

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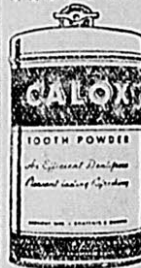
"When canning or sewing, keep in mind the Fair and Achievement Day for next year" was told by Miss Locke, county home demonstration agent, to the Morse Home Demonstration Club, at the home of Mrs R. B. Hays on Nov. 16, for an all day meeting.

Mrs R. B. Hays showed the club her cellar and the canned goods that it contained. Mrs Hays has a mighty nice variety Mrs J. H. Davis showed a dress which was made from feed sacks and a slip that was made by use of her foundation pattern. Mrs Henry Davis gave a demonstration on the buying and caring for silk hose. She also showed a coat and hat that she made for her 2 year old child, from a renovated garment.

A delicious covered dish luncheon was served to Mesdames Allen Pierce, J. H. Davis, D. H. Laughter, Henry Davis, Roscoe Parks, H. L. Tompkins, R. B. Hays, Miss Locke and four visi-

tors Mesdames Emmett Ryan, L. G. Nobles, James Cator and daughter. In the afternoon the Medlin club members Mesdames Frank Jones, O. L. Williams, L. Knudsen, Virgil Hull, E. McJunkin, W. D. Thorne and Joe T. Edwards were our guests at the next meeting 7th at Morse in the Parks building. They are to make a matter of fact welcome to all who are welcome to watch.

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**GRUVER NEWS**  
 Many friends of Mrs Joe will regret to hear that she is not at all well. She has returned to her home for several weeks. We all hope she will be able to get on the basement of the Baptist Church is progressing at a good pace. It was undertaken to dig a 50x30 under the without moving the but it has been done. The four walls have been and only the floor remains. In addition to the some changes have

been made in the main auditorium. The baptistry has been raised and set back in an alcove so that baptismal services can easily be seen from all parts of the auditorium. All of this work is being done by the men of the church. The women are assisting in a big way; they have been providing dinner every day for the men who are working.  
 Mr and Mrs E. K. Garret were delegates from the Methodist Church here to the Northwest Texas conference that met at Lubbock last week. They returned home Sunday night with the report that it was the best conference yet. At this conference the Northwest conference became officially a part of the

newly organized Methodist church. Mr and Mrs Lawrence Gruver were in Lubbock visiting Mrs Gruver's father Grandpa McClellan who is in a hospital there. They also attended some of the sessions of the Methodist conference.  
 Rev. T. M. McBrayer who has been pastor of the Gruver Methodist church for the last 2 years, leaves Gruver with his family this week for their new appointment. Bro. McBrayer has done a good work in Gruver and will be missed by his many friends. He becomes pastor of Kings Memorial Methodist church at Childress, Texas. We wish him great success in his new field.  
 Rev. W. A. Cox is the new Methodist pastor in Gruver. He comes from the Vernon circuit. With the coming of the new pastor the Methodist church will have full time preaching. We congratulate our Methodist friends on their progress.

**Woman's Council**  
 The Missionary Society of the Christian Church met for their regular meeting Wednesday each one took part in the discussion of the lesson which was very interesting the lesson was from the 6th chapter of John.  
 Remember the food sale in the Collard Bldg. Sat. 25. All members that can bring cake, pie, chicken or canned goods, the next food sale will be in December.  
 Those present were Mrs Bert Briley, Sarah Graves, Homer Allen, Frank Dressen, Hix Wilbanks, A. N. Meadows, Rufo Birdwell.

**Gruver Home Demonstration Club**

The Gruver HD Club met at the home of Mrs F. A. Shapley Sr. Nov. 15.  
 Meeting was called to order by the president. So: "Brighten the Corner Where You Are". Prayer, club.  
 Mrs Bandy gave a report from County Council.  
 Mrs Converse, from the Better Homes Club, gave a talk on Land Views Planning.  
 Mrs Archa Morse, from the Medlin Club, gave a report on the State Convention which she attended in Sept.  
 Miss Locke expressed her appreciation for the work and cooperation of all the clubs.  
 Names were drawn for the Christmas party which will be Dec. 20 at Mrs C. B. William's home.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following visitors from other clubs, Mesdames Archa Morse, Medlin; A. F. Barkley, Spearman; R. V. Converse, Better Homes; Frank Hardin of Spearman; Virgil Hull, Medlin; McJunkin, Medlin; Jimmie Davis Spearman, C. C. Beck Sr., Kimball; Tom Dozier, SW Gruver.  
 Visitors from Gruver Mesdames Haden Hart, A. W. Evans R. A. McCollum, Kenneth Bacon Bill Lowe, Phil Berger.  
 Club members Mesdames C. B. Williams, F. R. Wallin, R. E. Bandy, D. L. McClellan, Ralph McClellan, Lloyd Frier, E. M. McClellan, Katie Weber, Buck Woodall, Clinton Wilson, Miss Locke and the hostess, who was assisted by her daughter Myrtle Mae Shapley.  
 We were very happy to have these visitors and hope they will visit us again.  
 The next meeting will be held at Mrs Ralph McClellan's on Nov. 29, at 2:30 p. m.

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**Community Church**  
 Services will be both morning and evening at the Methodist church. The new pastor Rev. W. A. Cox will preach at both services. Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. with Lawrence Gruver supt.  
**Church of Christ**  
 Sunday school and preaching service will be held in the afternoon. Bro. Graves, Spearman will preach the second in a special series of sermons.  
**Baptist Church**  
 The pastor Bro. Herbert Hughes will preach at both the morning and evening services. Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. with the supt. Bro. Gay Fletcher in charge. The BTU meets at 7 p. m. Ward Spivey director.

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**Thanksgiving Day**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, or THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

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State Legislators Place O'Daniel Behind 8-Ball

Laid at the feet of W. Lee O'Daniel, governor of Texas, last week was a package whose arrival he certainly did not welcome.

It was a defiant answer from a majority of the Texas House of Representatives to O'Daniel's "Put Up or Shut Up" speech of a fortnight ago in which he challenged anti-sales tax legislators to find a better way to raise money for Texas' emaciated social security program.

O'Daniel, who last year crusaded over Texas denouncing the sales tax, spent all last spring hammering the Legislature to get SJR12, a sales tax constitutional amendment, ok. In this effort he failed, so this fall when he began discussion of a special session he came out for a consumers tax, a slight variation of a general sales tax.

He asked all legislators to sign a proposed bill which he sent to them, but they declined. From best reports, only about 50 legislators would commit themselves in advance to support his consumers' tax program.

Up To Legislature  
O'Daniel then said, "Well it's up to the legislature now. If some of them can get a majority of the House to approve a bill and also get the approval of the Senate, then I'll call a session."

To work went Rep. Albert Derden of Marlin, Bailey Ragsdale of Crockett, Jack Langdon of Glenrose, Reese Turner of Cameron and others to draft an omnibus tax bill boosting natural resources taxes.

They completed a bill similar to that which galloped through the House of Rep. last session only to die a lingering death in a Senate committee.

Then the bill was sent to all members of the House, asking their approval of the principles, if not the details, of the bill.

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OSLO NEWS

The morning worship at the Oslo church next Sunday, Nov. 26, 25th Sunday after Trinity, will begin at 11 a. m. Sermon theme "Your Lamp, Trimmed and Ready, must contain oil." Matt. 25:1-13.

The Sunday school will begin at 10 a. m. There are classes for everyone! The Luther League meets next Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. The place will be announced at services.

The confirmation class will meet at the parsonage at 9:30 a. m. on Saturday.

The Leadership Class will have its last meeting on Tuesday of next week.

The Panhandle A. ad M. College A'Capella Choir will give a concert at the Oslo church on Friday evening of this week, at 8 p. m. Everyone is welcome. There will be no admission.

Thanksgiving Day Services will be held at the Oslo Church on Thursday Nov. 30 at 11 a. m. The members of the Ladies aid will serve dinner at noon. The charge is 25c for adults and 15c for children. In the afternoon the Ladies Aid will auction the dresses and various hand embroidered articles which they have been preparing during the past year. Everyone is welcome to this service and dinner-Bazaar.

NEWS ITEMS

Mr and Mrs Emil Knutson and children drove to Carlsbad, N. M.

last week-end to see the caverns. At Borger Marie Stedje joined them for the trip. They returned Sunday evening.

Miss Ruth Voigt was a guest of Mr and Mrs Robert Alexander last Friday and Saturday. She and Mrs Alexander drove to Amarillo on Saturday. They returned the same day.

Schools was resumed at the Oslo school last Monday after a recess of one week because of the death of Miss McCall's sister.

Little Kathryn Knutson, the youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs Emil Knutson stayed with her grandmother Mrs Clara Stedje last week end while her parents and the other members of the family made the trip to Carlsbad caverns.

Among those who attended meeting of wheat growers of Hansford county at Spearman last Friday were James Stedje, Clarence Johnson, Matt Sogn, Frank Lierman, Gus Olsen and Elmer Jensen. A new plan for making use of the allotted land was adopted at the meeting.

The Ladies Aid of the Oslo Church is asking plans for a big turkey dinner at the church on Thanksgiving day. Everyone is invited to come and bring your family and friends. Since this is an annual affair the ladies have a reputation to uphold, and we are sure that they will do so this year as they have done in the past.

Mrs Emil Knutson solicited the dues for the Red Cross in

the Oslo Community last week. She reports that nearly everyone made his or her contribution, and that the total amount contributed will be more than in previous years.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Jensen and daughter Elvera, called at the parsonage last Sunday evening. Burton Olsen has been suffering with an infected arm for the past few weeks. Pastor and Mrs H. C. Hjortholm attended the Junior Class play at the Gruver high school last Friday evening.

Clifford Stedje came home from Goodwell last week end for a brief visit.

Eddie Stavlo, his mother and Miss Arthur Stavlo were supper guests at the parsonage on Wednesday evening of last week.

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Another Thanksgiving Day Approaches

—and we join other business firms of Spearman in extending greetings of the season to our customers and friends. We truly thank you for your patronage during the past year.

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1 year ago, this Thanksgiving the management of this store did not own the business. Due to the encouragement and patronage of the fine people of this area we have purchased the business. We believe that this store management has more to be thankful for at this time than the average Hansford citizen.

We are thankful for the kind deeds of friends and the growing patronage of customers. We

pledge you anew that we will continue our efforts to merit your patronage.



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THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

To those readers of this paper who are geographically located near enough to Borger to become customers of The Panhandle State Bank, we extend greetings, and accept this season of the year as an appropriate time to express our appreciation for your account and recommendations.

While this banking institution makes no bids for business that should logically be handled by the Hansford county bank, we do appreciate the fact that many of our customers in the outlying area find it more convenient to bank and do their business at Borger. We will continue to serve such customers to the best of our ability.

Panhandle State Bank

R. L. GRIMES, President

Borger, Texas



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NOV. 30  
THANKSGIVING  
GREETINGS

CAUSE TO BE THANKFUL

Excitement, odors from the kitchen, bright faces at the table, fire-side, story telling, but THANKSGIVING means more.

It gives us pause in the midst of our happiness and security to really be thankful. And what could be more fitting this Thanksgiving when we bask in the sunlight of peace, while our neighboring nations dwell midst the gloom and horrors of war, than to search out every little thing for which we might be genuinely Thankful, and blend these thanks into the true spirit of the day and season.

We are thankful for the generous patronage we have received and trust that all of you will have many blessings for which to be—

TRULY THANKFUL

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The folks in Europe have talked so much about what the war is about that the neutrals are commencing to wonder if they themselves really know. Looks now like the proverbial war in the back yard, for possession of the Rhine.

O'Daniel is taking the right stand in not calling the legislature to enact a revenue measure. He says it would be expensive, what is the use of calling a special session and have a measure passed if the session is liable to use up all of the revenue derived. O'Daniel seems to have learned that some boys need watching even at home.

The Republicans are flirting with the Townsend plan as a possible plank to go in the platform for 1940. The platforms may have a queer look when finally finished. It would even be possible for one to look in part like this. We stand for, A Farm Relief Program. Governmental Old Age Assistance. Protective Tariffs. Railroad Refinancing. Defense Expansion and balancing of the budget. The last must not be left out of any real Republican platform as that is one plank that glistens with votes.

Russia's friendship for Germany may not be without its benefits, it is reported that they are about to sell Germany some of the Submarines that the Germans showed them now to build. If this can keep up the Germans can take possession of them in some northern port and be in the open sea without any fear of the blockade. This may not be so satisfactory to England and France but it is very likely to happen.

Remember if you can not get all of your thanks said on this Thursday there will be another Thursday next week and according to the price there seems to be plenty of turkeys to go around. So let us eat Turkey and be thankful.

Yours,  
R. V. Converse

### We are Thankful

Our many blessings would prove but foremost in our minds at this time splendid citizenship, the pleasant relations among our customers and friends in County.

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THE dangers that lurk in the home have only been brought forcibly to the attention of the public within the past two years, through activity of the American Red Cross and other safety agencies. Public attention has been concentrated in greater degree upon the upward trend of the death toll from motor accidents. In 1937 motor vehicle accidents claimed 39,500 lives. Accidents in the home claimed 32,500 lives.

The people who lost their lives within the four walls of their homes were victims principally of the following: falls, 17,500 dead; burns and explosions, 5,600 dead; poison, 1,700 dead; firearms, 800 dead; mechanical suffocation, 1,000 dead; all other causes, 4,800 dead. In addition about 4,700,000 persons were injured.

All of these deaths were preventable, according to the American Red Cross, which urges every family in the home and on the farm to check each October a list of hazards issued by the Red Cross, and to follow simple precautionary rules.

Falls claim the lives of aged people in a ratio of 60 per cent to the total annual death toll from this cause; two-thirds of fatal burns occur in the home; children are the chief victims of accidental poisonings in the home. These startling facts should make every household look into the safety of his home, the Red Cross warns.

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Belle Bennett Society

Mrs Finis Maize was hostess to the Belle Bennett Missionary Society. The following officers were elected for the 1940 year: President, Mrs L. W. Mathews...

Snapdragon Flower Club

Mrs Harry Crooks was hostess to members of the Snapdragon Flower Club for the regular meeting Monday Nov. 13th. "Beauty Hints" was the lesson study for the meeting...

Jolly Tribe Bridge Club

Mrs Geo. Winter was hostess to the Jolly Tribe Bridge Club Friday Nov. 17. Members playing were Mesdames Leonard Jamison, Major Lackey, Woodville Jarvis, Jess Wdmble, Geo. Wmter, guest Mrs J. D. Hester...

Senior Methodist Epworth League

The league had a program with the subject "Between Book Covers" last Sunday night. The contest which has been on for the past four weeks ended last Sunday night...

Spearman Music Club

Mrs F. J. Daily was hostess to members of the Spearman Music Club at her home Tuesday afternoon Nov. 21. Mrs H. P. Bailey was leader of the afternoon program...

Glovers Entertain Bride And Groom

Mr and Mrs W. M. Glover entertained Rev and Mrs Matthew Doyel with a dinner party at their home Friday evening Nov. 17. The young couple returned home Friday afternoon from attending the state Baptist convention at San Antonio...

Medlin Demonstration Club

Mrs Virgil Hull was hostess to the Medlin Home Demonstration Club and visitors Tuesday the 21st. As this was Achievement Day for the Medlin Club it was an all day meeting...

Bid a Bid Bridge Club

Mrs R. B. Archer Jr entertained the Bid a Bid Bridge club with a luncheon meeting held Friday Nov. 17. Members playing were Mesdames W. L. Russell, Rupert Vaught, Robert Douglas and O. C. Holt...

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Lucky Eight Club

Mrs L. M. Howell entertained the Lucky Eight Bridge Club in her home on Thursday afternoon with a lovely luncheon. Thanksgiving motif was used in the decoration.

MOTHER OF MRS HEARD VISITING HERE

Mr and Mrs T. C. Adams and daughter Miss Claude and Mrs T. E. Sawyer of Shreveport, La., visited in the Hobbs Heard home Thursday and Friday of last week...

Mary Martha Society

Mrs R. E. Lee was lesson leader for the "World Outlook" program when the Mary Martha Missionary society met at the home of Mrs Bruce Sheets Wed. afternoon Nov. 22. Mrs Lee was assisted in the program by Mrs George Buzzard, Mrs Robert Douglas, and Mrs Gene Richardson...

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Kimball Home Demonstration Club

The Kimball HD club met Nov. 11 for an all day meeting in the home of Mrs Chas C. Beck Jr. A display of clothing, foods and table service was the exhibit.

We were very glad to have with us, delegates from the following clubs, Spearman, Better Homes, Medlin, Gruver and the Happy Hour clubs.

At this meeting Mrs Archa Morse gave a report of her work to the agricultural convention at Lubbock.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs Elba Thomas on Dec. 6. We plan to make magazine racks. Bring your saw and hammer.

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Baptist Circles Meet Together

The three W. M. S. circles were entertained Wednes. Nov. 22nd at the home of Mrs W. M. Glover. After a short business session Mrs Cook completed the review of a Mission study book "Constraining Love" which had been begun at a previous meet-



Again we are thankful

As we approach the Thanksgiving season we pause to express thanks to the customers of this business. Our relations during the past year have been very satisfactory from our standpoint and we trust it has been pleasant with you. We wish you all a bounteous Thanksgiving.

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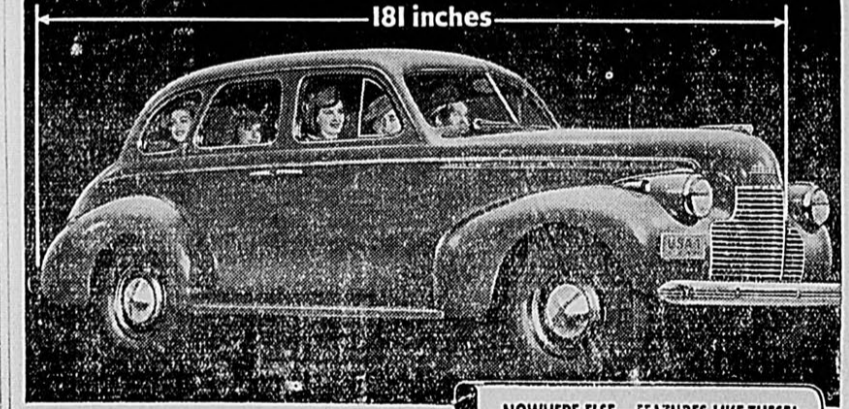
Without taking part in the current argument as to which date is proper for our Thanksgiving, we can express our appreciation of the opportunity to wish our friends and customers a bountiful and pleasant Thanksgiving both Nov. 23 and 30th. We appreciate your cooperation and patronage, and can truly count this item of friendship as the paramount thought for our thankfulness at this season.

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come a club member. Mr. Hull and Mr. McJunkin helped to beat the cotton for a demonstration mattress which the members and visitors almost completed. A bountiful lunch was served to over 60 at high noon after which the regular meeting of the club was held. Mrs Davis called the meeting to order "God Bless America" was then sung. Mrs McJunkin reported on the Achievements of the club as a whole. Mrs Van Cleave, as clothing delegate of her work and Mrs Hull as the food delegate, demonstrated that perseverance wins out in the end as she planted her garden 4 times before she succeeded in getting one to grow. Then canned enough vegetables to last her family a year. Miss Dosca Hale, member of the family relation board at College Station gave a good talk on family relation as effected by club work. The visitors present were Miss



Whether it be Nov. 23 or Nov. 30th or if it selected for both dates.

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