

Warning Issued To The Public

Spearman's new bandstand has received so much damage since it was built that the city has hired a guard to watch it day and night. People have whittled on the seats, written on the walls and have used the stand for a toilet. Now the whittling and writing is against the law, but it could be tolerated, BUT USING THIS BAND STAND FOR A TOILET IS TO MUCH AND IF AN OFFENDER IS CAUGHT THE MOST SEVERE PENALTY POSSIBLE WILL BE ENVOKED. Parents please read this to your children.

Read the notice on page 2 of this paper.

Canyon College Prospects Good For Coming Year

Canyon — With prospects for an increased enrollment, a larger teaching staff and a broadened curriculum, everything is pointing to a banner year at West Texas State College when the regular session opens Sept. 18.

Despite the recent trimming of the school's appropriation from the Legislature, President J. A. Hill said that the institution is in the best shape it ever has been from the viewpoint of its instructional staff and classroom equipment.

With registration for the regular session still more than a month away, college dormitories and boarding places are already filling rapidly. Randall Hall, popular cooperative dormitory for girls was full early in July.

Cousins Hall, largest girls dormitory, has more reservations now than in any previous year at this time. Stafford Hall, boys' dorm has only a few vacancies.

Announcement was made of the addition of Dr. Klem Alexander to the Science Dept. He will teach both chemistry and biology. Mr. Alexander took his Ph. D. degree at the University of Iowa in 1938.

Appointment of Dr. Helen Loree Ogg to the college speech department was confirmed several weeks ago. The addition of Dr. Ogg will give the institution one of the few all-Ph. D. speech faculties in the nation. Several other additions to the faculty for next year will be announced shortly.

Approval of an aeronautics school here by the civil aeronautics authority is expected within a few days.

WILBANKS AND STRICKLAND NOT INJURED IN WRECK

Ed Wilbanks and Cecil Strickland escaped serious injury when the Chevrolet pickup in which they were riding overturned near Stinnett Saturday night, Aug. 20.

Ed said that an approaching car blinded him and that he got too close to the edge of the pavement and hit one of the posts that are on grades of the highway. The car turned over once but did not completely demolish the car.

Deadline Nearing For Crop Insurance

According to information received from Arnold Ferguson, Department of Agriculture, crop insurance can now be written for your 1940 wheat crop. Insurance must be taken out before the wheat is seeded or before the 30th of September.

Premiums can be paid in any of the following ways, either in wheat, cash, or an assignment on your Agricultural Conservation Payments.

Rates for your farm will be figured any time you desire.

WHALE OF A SALE ON BY LOCAL FORD COMPANY

Aug 21 marked the opening of the Ford Dealers' Annual Nation-Wide Used Car Clearance Sale, according to announcement made by Bob Morton. "The sale, in which Ford Dealers all over the country take part has never been held this early before" reports Mr. Morton.

The sale will run through Sept 30, and is being promoted by national and local newspaper advertising.

As in other years this sale will feature sharp reductions in used car prices. In fact you can almost make your own deal. You have a wide variety of cars to select from and several carry a written guarantee.

Sheriff Aids In Search For Kidnap Victims?

Mrs. Gwenfred Lackey and Mrs. Clay Gibner were caused no end of trouble Monday about noon when their boys decided that the dull life of Spearman was not for them. The police were called in to help search for the children and neighbors and friends predicted a kidnap attempt. The lads were playing cops and robber in the loft of the garage on Mrs. Lackey's home. They were safe.

Uncle Rob Burran has been in bed this week and up until press time had not been to town. The last time uncle Rob got sick we put it in the paper that he was very sick and he came in the same day to get his paper, hall and hearty. Hope he comes in this afternoon.

S. B. (Doc) Hale, who has been very ill the past few days was taken to a Shattuck hospital today. Word had not been received as to his condition.

Mrs Bob Archer and sons spent Tuesday in Perryton.

DR. AND MRS. POWELL VISIT CALIF. FAIR

A card received from Dr. and Mrs. Powell, from San Jose, Calif., stated that they had visited the World Fair and were returning home Aug. 17. Dr. Powell added he would be in Spearman on Wed. Aug. 30th.

Number Thirteen Lucky For Doris Jean Russell

Doris Jean Russell doesn't believe in bad luck signs anymore since the proverbial unlucky number of 13 turned out to be her lucky number in the beauty contest at Perryton Tuesday.

The beautiful young daughter of Mr and Mrs W. L. Russell, as representative of the Cocoa Cola Bottling Co., again proved that she is about the best looking gal in the Panhandle by winning the contest and getting \$20 in prize money.

Previously Doris Jean had been chosen Miss Panhandle at a contest in Amarillo.

ADVANCE NOTICE

For the second time in more than 7 years that the present management of the Spearman Reporter has been in charge, the Spearman Reporter will be offered at the BARGAIN rate of \$1. per year. This offer will be effective Saturday Sept. 2, ONLY.

A study of back files of the paper indicate that the low subscription rate is the lowest ever offered by this newspaper. Publication laws will not allow mailing the paper under our present permit at a lower rate than \$1. per year.

Jury List For County Court

Jurors summoned for Tuesday Sept 5th at 10 a. m. for County Court are:

Jay Jones, F. K. Banister, Frank Lierman, Guy Gruver, Gordon Steje, Hiram Wilbanks, R. V. Converse, W. H. Neilson, J. C. Jones, R. D. Tomlinson, P. H. Westerfield, R. F. Womble, N. A. Hightower, E. C. Ward and H. M. Shedeck.

Citizens Urged To Meet With Court Monday August 28th

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County will hold an open meeting on August 28, 1939, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., at the courthouse in Spearman, Texas, at which time the budget for Hansford County will be officially approved.

Commissioners' Court Of Hansford County, Texas. By A. F. Barkley, Chairman.

Dr and Mrs O C Newman and sister, Mrs Jaskson, of Shattuck were visiting with Mr and Mrs Ike Klutts Sunday.

Misses Alne Osburn and Arleen Fleming of Texhoma are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mr and Mrs R. W. Huffstutter and Mr and Mrs J. D. Hester left one day this week for parts unknown. They said before they left that this was going to be one trip that they would not be bothered with any bills coming in on them while they were gone. If you must know where they are call 10, identify yourself, as a collector or not and maybe you will receive information.

County Fair September 9th

Mr and Mrs Ira Pearson are moving to Pampa when school starts.

Mrs McKay and Mrs. Vaught were shopping in Pampa and Berger last Saturday

—Attend The County Fair—

Mrs. Raymond Jarvis returned from Dallas Friday where she has been under medical treatment at the Surgical and Medical hospital the past week.

County Fair September 9th

Miss Russia Mae Pearson and her sister who spent the summer are going to attend college in Norman, Okla.

County Fair To Be Held September 9th

Presbyterian Church To Hold Revival Services

BAND TOPS AT PERRYTON TUESDAY

It is no longer news to say that "Spearman's High School Band won first and stole the show" — the band did not win first at Perryton for the simple reason that no contest was held. They did steal the show however and received a vote of thanks from citizens of Perryton.

There will be no band concert this week, but on the following Friday, director Rattan says he has a surprise for Spearman patrons and wants 500 people to attend the concert.

Plans are still being made to attend the Labor Day parade on Sept. 4 and the Tri-State Fair Sept. 18th.

4-H Club Encampment Begins Aug. 30 at Lake Marvin

All 4-H Girls who are interested in 4H work are urged to attend 4-H Encampment, August 30 and 31 held at Lake Marvin.

Bring your bathing suits and come along prepared to have a big time. All mothers who wish to go are invited, and you too will be supplied with plenty of amusement.

All 4-H sponsors and the county home demonstration agents are going to be with the girls and to join in the fun.

There will be talks, swimming, story telling, and many other things too numerous to mention. There is going to be something happening every hour of the day.

What girl doesn't like camping out in the open, to cook your meal on a camp fire, to sleep in the open with the cool night breeze blowing in your face, also the mosquitos swarming around you. But who minds little things like that when you have the real camping spirit. So come on girls, let's all go to Lake Marvin the 30th and 31st for the encampment.

Mrs. E. D. Arnold has been visiting with Mrs. R. V. Converse this week.

Mrs. R. V. Converse returned last week from a months vacation in California where she accompanied her sister Mrs. W. H. McGreevy. She reports the Fair was beautiful as regards to the lighting and surroundings.

PICKLING TIME—Heinz White Pickling and Table Vinegar. Burran Bros. Ph. 71

The Fall term of the District Court will start Oct. 30 in this county.

Buddy Brockus left Sunday to visit relatives in Alva, Oklahoma.

Hobbs Herd New C of C Prexy

Hobbs Herd, Vice-President of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce for the past 8 months was elected to succeed Ray Platt, who resigned Friday evening of last week. Vern Main was selected as a new director of the organization. Will Miller who has served as Secretary of the C. of C. since it became active in September

Dr. L. L. McCutchen, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Sherman will start a revival meeting here beginning Sunday Aug 27, assisted by Rev. G. C. Bidwill, Sherman and local pastor, Wm. Albert Smith. Services will be held twice daily at 10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. The morning service will be conducted by Rev. Bidwill, Rev. Smith will be in charge of the singing.

Sunday evening services have been called off in favor of the Baptist revival.

M. C. Burton Promoted By Santa Fe

Promotion of M. C. Burton, general freight and passenger agent of the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway, to general freight agent of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway, was announced this week by Paul P. Hastings, vice president in charge of the traffic of the Santa Fe System Lines.

Elmer B. Johnson, assistant general freight agent for the Coast Lines in Northern California, was appointed to succeed Burton. Both changes are effective Sept. 1.

Burton has been actively identified with railway traffic and development in the Southwest for more than 30 years.

Johnson, has been with Santa Fe since 1910.

BACK TO SCHOOL ISSUE NEXT WEEK

Next week's issue of the paper will be the annual Back to School issue. A complete story outlining school activities will be carried together with the advertisements of the local merchants offering new fall and school merchandise.

The paper will be mailed to every address in the county. School opens Sept. 11th.

Mr and Mrs Charles Chambers ad family are visiting with friends and relatives here this week.

Ernest Wilmeth and Bill Russell were Perryton visitors Tues.

DR. AND MRS GOWER AND CHILDREN RETURN FROM WESTERN COAST

After spending nearly two weeks in California and in the states between here and the coast, Dr and Mrs Gower, Carl and Jo Anna returned on Monday of this week. They were accompanied to California by their daughter Fern who became the bride of Mr. Holman. Dr. said the Fair was the biggest and most educational exhibit he had ever seen and that the drive from here was enjoyed every foot of the way. Dr. and Mrs. Powell, Dalhart, joined the Spearman couple at Los Angeles.

Home Demonstration Clubs of the county are sponsoring a County Fair Saturday Sept. 9. The exhibits will be placed in the Sewing Room, the building between Burran Bros. grocery and F. W. Brandt and Co.

Each club in the county will have an educational exhibit and members will exhibit canned foods, and garments. Any individual of the county is invited to have educational and food exhibits.

Ribbon prizes will be awarded individual winners with cash prizes going to clubs. Prize lists will be carried next week.

Any club, other than home demonstration clubs are invited to have exhibits and are requested to see Miss Pearl Locke, county home demonstration agent for particulars.

Hansford National Farm Loan Association To Meet Sept 8th

Members of the Hansford National Farm Loan Association will hear Secretary Treasurer P. A. Lyon and the Board of Directors report on the Association's progress at a meeting to be held at 8:00 o'clock p. m. on Sept. 8th, 1939, at the District Court room, in Spearman. This Association now has 249 Federal Land Bank loans in the amount of \$1,308,000.000 and 177 Land Bank Commissioner loans in the amount of \$470,000.00. In addition to reviewing the operations of the Association, the members will elect a director to serve for the ensuing year.

An excellent program has been arranged to supplement the business session. A speaker from the Federal Land Bank of Houston will be present, and motion pictures will be shown. These motion pictures were made in natural colors by Mr. A. C. Williams, president of The Federal Land Bank of Houston and General Agent of the Farm Credit Administration of Houston, and include a wide variety of subjects. Some of the films show places of historic interest, and others deal with farm and ranch activities in various parts of Texas.

A special effort has been made to insure a large attendance at this most important meeting. Previously the meetings were held in January, but often inclement weather prevented many members from attending.

Attendance at the annual meeting of the Association, Mr. Lyon pointed out, affords members the opportunity to have a voice in the management of their own cooperative lending institution. The Association's loans are made on a long term contract, amortized over as much as 34 1-2 years. Repayment is made in reasonable semi-annual payments that gradually but systematically reduce the principal of the loan. By this method, National Farm Loan Association members avoid the necessity of costly renewals and have the added advantages of lower interest rates.

All farmers that want crop insurance must get the insurance signed before they seed their crop.

—Attend The County Fair—

Colleen Kelly returned Sunday night from Guymon, Okla.

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• ELLIS THEATRE •
• PERRYTON, TEXAS •

Aug. 26 — "Chicken Wagon Family" with Jane Withers, Leo Carrillo.

Aug. 27-28 — "Stanley and Livingstone" with Spencer Tracy Nancy Kelly, Richard Greene and Walter Brennan. At no advance in prices.

Aug. 29-30 — These Glamour Girls—with Lew Ayres, Lana Turner and Anita Louise.

Aug. 31-Sept. 1 "Angels Wash Their Faces—Dead End Kids, Ann Sheridan and Ronald Reagan.

PREVIEW Aug. 26—There's That Woman Again.

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There is not anything that gets as stale as items.

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ENGINEERS HERE FOR INSPECTION OF DAM SITE

Engineers who were in Hansford Thursday and Friday were Joseph A. O'Hearn, James A. Nichols and Jesse L. Adams. They work under the Soil Conservation Service, which operates under the Department of Agriculture. After expressing his approval of the sites O'Hearn told Judge Barkley that a surveying crew would be placed in this territory in the next few weeks to complete the work of checking all of the necessary information the government wants in making a lake project.

Judge Barkley said that their comments provided the most encouragement that the county has had on the government's opinion as to the suitability of the location for a lake. He said that the survey crew would inform the county officials of their findings while here at work.

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HOLT NEWS

The Holt home demonstration club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Major Lackey. Roll call was answered by each member giving the number of entries they have for the county fair.

Mrs E. R. Hester was elected a delegate to be present at council in Stinnett Aug. 22nd Mrs L. L. Jameson and Mrs. Ora Schroeder were elected alternate delegates. Three delegates will be elected from all the clubs in the county to attend the three day district home demonstration club meeting which will be held in September.

Mrs. Major Lackey gave a report of the council meeting which was held in Stinnett recently.

Mrs. Hubert Uptergrove reported on her trip to Short Course which was very interesting.

It was announced for every member to have their entries for the Ball Jar contest at which time Miss Dalton Burleson county home demonstration agent will judge them. You can bring one quart of fruit and one quart of non acid vegetable.

Mrs. Ora Schroeder gave an interesting talk on the benefit of a county Red Cross nurse. She was representing Mrs. Cypher head of the Red Cross chapter in Borger.

Members present were mes- James Dan Jackson, Willis Lac-

key, Ora Schroeder, Ervin Hester, Mason Scott, Hubert Uptergrove, Leonard Jameson and Major Lackey. Visitors present, Mrs T. I. Harbour, Mrs R. C. Stewart and daughter, Virginia. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. L. L. Jameson on the 4th Friday in Aug. Miss Burleson, county H. D. agent will be present.

The Holt singing school started Monday night with Ivan Stobaugh of Arkansas in charge of the school. Mrs Stobaugh will teach any kind of string instrument. The school begins at 8:30 each evening. Everyone interested to attend.

Sunday school was attended by a small crowd Sunday morning. You are urged to come out and take part every Sunday.

A large crowd attended the singing Sunday night.

Wilford Gray of Lubbock was a Sunday dinner guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs H. H. Stephen and children.

A. H. Gether of Perryton was a visitor in the Scott home on Friday evening.

C. A. Batton made a business trip to Borger Saturday morning.

Mr and Mrs Charlie Rosson and O. K. Pendergraft were shopping in Borger Friday morning.

Dan Jackson was a Friday dinner guest of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr and Mrs J. H. Campbell and son Billy Dave in Stinnett.

Trade at Home

WHY HE WAS BOSSY

John named Henry were working in the garden, and John, the older brother, boomed Henry until the little brothe called: "Mother, please speak to John. He thinks he is a woman."

JIGGER!!

Mrs. Jonhes could only find two aisle seats—one separated from the other. Wishing to have her sister with her, she turned and cautiously surveyed the man in the next. Finally she leaned over and timidly addressed him. "I beg your pardon, sir, but are you alone?"

The man without turning his head the slightest, but twisting his mouth to an alarming degree and shielding it with his hand, muttered: "Cut it out Kid—cut it out! My wife's with me."

WIT OF THE IRISH

The Irishman's eyes twinkled with mischief as he entered a shop where a notice was displayed saying that nearly everything there was sold by the yard. "I'll take a yard of milk," he said to the shopman.

Wrinkling his brow for a moment, the shopman dipped his finger in a bowl of milk and drew a line a yard long on the counter. By this time several other persons had come in and all watched the proceedings with keen interest, wondering what Mike would do.

Without moving a muscle, he asked the price.

"Five cents," said the shopman confidentially.

"All roigt, sor, Roll it up and Oi'll take it."

A change of lipstick Now and then, Is relished by The best of men.

Vonnie: "Dick didn't blow his brains out when you rejected him. He came around and proposed to me."

Lizzie: "Then he must have gotten rid of them some other way."

—Y—E—S—

"What this county needs is lirtier finger nails and cleaner minds."—Will Rogers.

"Could I have this dance?" "No, sir!" "That's all right, I didn't want to. Just wanted to know if you spoke English." "Many a romance begun beside a splashing waterfall at a summer resort has ended beside a leaky water faucet in a kitchen sink."

"A man's as old as he looks when he needs a shave; a woman is as old as she looks just after washing her face."

MIXED FEED

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SPEARMAN GRAIN GROWERS Pat Bennett, Mgr.

LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN Three cows and calves, brand Rafter O on left hip -white face-See Jake Clifton.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE (Real Estate)

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hansford County, 84 Judicial District of Texas, on the 4 day of August 1939, in the case of Realty Trust Company, a corporation, plaintiff, versus Hazel Davis, et al, defendants, No. 202, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have on this 4 day of August, A. D. 1939, levied upon and will between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M., on the first Tuesday in September, A. D. 1939, it being the 5th day of said month at the courthouse door of Hansford County, in the City of Spearman, Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all right, title and interest which Hazel Davis, C. F. Davis and L. L. Davis, or either of them, had on the 25th day of April, 1931, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to wit:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situated in Hansford County, Texas, being Lot No. 7 in Block No. 35, Original Town Addition, City of Spearman, Texas, fronting 140 feet on the South side of Kenneth Street in said City.

Said property levied on will be sold to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$1,871.23, together with interest thereon from November 4, 1935 at the rate of 8 per cent per annum on \$1721.23, and 6 per cent per annum on \$159.00, in favor of Realty Trust Company, plaintiff, and against Hazel Davis, defendant, and costs of court and the further costs of executing this writ.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 4TH DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1939.

H. L. Wilbanks Sheriff, Hansford County, Texas

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FOR SALE Sand and gravel—delivered anywhere in county—see L. G. Andrews.

RANCH LOANS MONEY TO LOAN ON RANCHES IN THE TEXAS PANHANDLE. LOW INTEREST RATES. We prefer the large ranch loans. H. S. JUDY Woodward, Oklahoma 24

FHA BUILDING LOANS If you are interested in building a home in Spearman under the terms of FHA loan—get in touch with us soon. Special representative expected. Low down payment, low rate of interest, 24 years to pay. Foxworth Galbraith Lmb. Co.

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NAGGING BACKACHE May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action. Don't Neglect It! Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking, exposure, contagion, schism, keeps doctors busy. In spite of crowded hospitals, the after effects are disturbing to the kidneys and oftentimes people suffer without knowing that disordered kidney action may cause the trouble. After colds, fever and similar ills there is an increase of body impurities the kidneys must filter from the blood. If the kidneys are overtaxed and fail to remove excess acid and other harmful waste, there is poisoning of the whole system. Symptoms of disturbed kidney function may be nagging backache, persistent headache, dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes — a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of strength and energy. Other signs of kidney or bladder disturbance may be burning, scanty or too frequent urination. In such cases "Don't Neglect It!" is better to "Ask your neighbor! That is why we are proud to help you!" "Don't Neglect It!" is something less favorably known, than "Don't Neglect It!" They have been winning new friends for more than forty years. Be sure to get Doan's. Sold at all drug stores.

Ride The Bus For —SAFETY — CONVENIENCE—ECONOMY —Let Us Help You Plan Your Vacation Trip— Direct Connections For All America DAILY SCHEDULES Panhandle Trailways SPEARMAN DRUG CO., Agents

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IT'S IN THE NAVY NOW—That genuine best of all lubricants and most economical gasoline. Check your government statistics—you will find that Sinclair products are used in the Navy air service of our government, largely to an exclusion of other products. IT HAS TO BE Good to satisfy Uncle Sam. Drive in at either of the two local service stations and fill-up with Sinclair gas and oil. FRANK HARDIN.

DR. J. P. POWELL Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat SPECIALIST Glasses fitted, Tonsils and Adenoids removed. In Spearman Wednesday August 29 Office Dr. J. E. Gower

FRED M. MIZAR Truck Line SPEARMAN-AMARILLO Spearman Phone 112 Amarillo Phone 5351

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GLASS For all Cars—installed while you wait. Safety or plate glass cut to factory patterns. Mirrors Re-Silvered DALEY GLASS SHOP Phone 146

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DR. F. J. DENT X-RAY McLain Building SPEARMAN,

WARNING

THE PENAL CODE

REVISED CRIMINAL STATUTES OF TEXAS — 1925

Art. 859: INJURING OR DEFACING PUBLIC BUILDING:— Whoever shall wilfully injure or deface any public building or the furniture therein shall be fined not less than five nor more than five hundred dollars.

The word "deface" in this chapter shall be held to apply to writing, carving or scratching on the walls or plastering or furniture of said building, or staining the same with paint or any other article which will produce a discoloration of the same.

Art. 864: TAKING PROPERTY FROM PUBLIC GROUNDS:— Whoever shall take, remove, injure or destroy any public property pertaining to any public building or to the grounds belonging to such building shall be fined not less than 25 nor more than one hundred dollars.

Mr. Average CITIZEN



You Are KING At SPEARMAN GROCERY STORES

The average Spearman and Hansford County citizen is treated with all the deference and courtesy formerly extended the monarch, by the owners and clerks of Spearman Grocery Stores.

We citizens of this and other counties of TEXAS have been accustomed to receive paupered and attentive service, we forget the trouble and care it takes to give us the splendid service we receive at our local stores.

Just for a minute let us place ourselves in the shoes of the grocery merchant and clerk. They work long hours in order that you may buy the food you need at any time it might strike fancy. If you happen to get up at 6 a. m. and want a dime worth of coffee or a ten cent loaf of bread, you will find your merchant waiting cheerfully to fill your order. On the other hand if you wait until after normal working hours and walk into the grocery store you will find the same cheerful hard working staff of workers smiling, kidding, laughing at your wisecracks, serving you the fresh merchandise you desire at a reasonable

If your fancy calls for country butter you will find your merchant has it ready to sell with the name of the producer available that you may know just where the butter came from. If it's the butter you desire, most likely there will be a wide choice for you at your Spearman Grocery Stores.

Your local grocery merchant operates on the smallest margin of profit of any merchant. He extends you credit for the groceries you purchase and if you fail to pay at the end of 30 days, or the agreed period, this merchant loses the profit on hundreds of dollars volume of business from the small account that you regard as a trivial affair. The margin of profit in local grocery stores ranges from 10 to 20 percent on most merchandise. If you let your grocery store down on a \$30.00 charge account, he has lost the profit on nearly \$3000.00 in sales. A half dozen customers who become careless and lag in payment of accounts can often deprive a grocery merchant of an entire weeks profit.

Your local grocer must watch his step in bringing you the choice food of this nation. He often buys perishable merchandise at considerable loss. His purchases may not meet the fancy of his customers and even a small percentage of the perishable goods on hand wipes out the profits of his sales in that line and register another loss for the activity.

Consider your groceryman with the same respect and feeling you would like to be given you if you were operating a local grocery store. Strive to pay promptly. He is a very important unit in the progress of your town and community. BE A SPORT. Pay your groceryman promptly. Encourage him in his efforts to provide you with the best of F O O D.



Aside from the skill, training and organization that is behind grocery store operation in our nation, no other factor has contributed to the wholesomeness, economy and enjoyment of food than the newspapers.

Advertising and publicity have been vital factors in producing the clean, up-to-date, economic units of grocery stores the nation over.

It is a far cry from the old general store with its cracker barrel, pug stove and vile odors to the present modern well lighted, attractive grocery stores of Spearman. Advertising gives you the picture in advance. Advertising reduces the cost per item as it increases the volume of each grocery unit that serves the people of Hansford county.

WATCH YOUR PAPER FOR GROCERY ADVERTISEMENTS Often they will save you. It is the most aggressive, cleanest, most accommodating groceryman that advertise the world over. The die-hards, who want to operate a modern business according to the methods handed down from a past generation, seldom advertise. They gradually die out and are forgotten. If you are looking for the fastest growing most attractive grocery store to do your trading—chances are you will find that store among those who advertise in your local paper.

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THEY Came THEY Bought

Hundreds of people from over Hansford county have visited our store during the past few days to take advantage of the COST and BELOW COST PRICES we are featuring in our effort to sell our stock of merchandise down to the bare walls.

Some of our customers tell us they could afford to borrow money to stock up in drugs, cosmetics, hose, and other supplies at the low price that prevails.

We have hundreds of items that must be closed out during the next few days.

OUR LOSS IS YOUR GAIN We must move from our present location Sept. 2. Store closes — Your last opportunity will be during the remaining few days. Come today and buy your needs for the next few months—

AT COST AND BELOW COST PRICES

PLATT Pharmacy

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

CHOOSING A CAMERA



Fast vacation-time action calls for a speedy shutter. Nobody wants to miss shots like this, or get pictures that are blurred and fuzzy because of movement.

IF YOU are planning to get a new camera for your vacation this year, let me suggest that you do not delay until the last moment, and then have to pick your instrument in a great rush.

A camera should be chosen with care and attention to every detail—picture size, lens, shutter, view finder, ease of opening and handling, finish and durability. Moreover, it should be obtained early enough for you to become thoroughly familiar with its workings, because on a vacation you will often want to use it in a hurry.

Compare and handle several cameras before you choose. Study lenses—maybe you will want an f.6.3, to make sure of well-timed snapshots on dull days, or an f.4.5, twice as fast, for speedy action shots in bad light—as well as better indoor snapshots. It is well to bear in mind, too, that a good fast anastigmat lens gives sharper pictures—which means better enlargements if your

vacation yields top-notch scenes that you want to have framed.

Make sure that the shutter of the new camera has enough speed to take care of all your probable needs. It is bad when you have a chance for some good action snaps on the tennis court or beach and your camera shutter is too slow to get them. Remember, too, that if your hand is at all unsteady, a speedy shutter is a great help in getting sharp pictures.

You have a wide choice of camera styles and prices. You can get super-speed miniatures with f.2 and f.2.3 lenses; others with f.3.5 lenses; cameras taking larger pictures that have f.3.5, f.4.5, and f.6.3 lens. Naturally, the better the camera is—the more speed and versatility it has—the more it costs, but there is no need to spend in excess of your needs. Thousands of good pictures are made every day with moderately priced cameras, and they will serve for most snapshot purposes.

John van Gulder

MEDLIN HD CLUB

The Medlin HD Club met Friday Aug. 18th at the home of Mrs. L. Dossett, Mrs. McJunkin acted as hostess.

After the meeting was formally opened roll call was answered by different varieties of canned food needed for family.

Varieties of vegetables, fruits, jellies, etc., were discussed as we are getting ready for our County Fair to be held Sept. 9th at Spearman.

Ice Cold watermelon was served mesdames Tom Allen, Frank Davis, Walter Davis, Virgil Hull, O. L. Williams, W. Q. Thorne, Phyllis Davis, L. Dossett and the hostess.

The meeting Sept. 1 will be announced in next week's paper.

GRUVER HD CLUB

The Gruver HD club met at the home of Mrs. Cal Williams Aug. 16.

Roll call was answered with number of products planned to enter at the Hansford county fair Sept. 9. Mrs. McClellan gave a very interesting report on the Short Course at College Station.

Refreshments were served to mesdames F. A. Shapley, Sr., A. R. Bort, R. E. Bandy, L. R. Frier, Cal Williams, Bobby Bandy, Barbara Jean and Peggy Bort.

The club will meet Aug. 30 at the home of Mrs. R. E. Bandy. Visitors are welcome.

COUNTY COUNCIL MET MONDAY AUG. 14

The "County Fair" was the main cause of discussion by the Hansford county HD Council in their regular meeting Monday.

The date of the fair that had been tentatively set for Sept. 9, was approved and financial details were also worked out.

Delegates were elected to

attend the Texas HD Convention to be held at Lubbock Sept. 6, 7, and 8th at Lubbock. Mrs. Archa Morse, Happy Hour; Mrs. Walter Davis, Medlin; and Mrs. H. H. Shedeck, Better Homes club were selected as delegates.

Eighteen members and three visitors were present.

Come as You Are Breakfast

Sleeping beauties of Spearman were suddenly and violently aroused

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ed from their peaceful slumbers early last Friday morning by Frances and Vera Beth Hoskins. The reason, it seems, for such untimely disturbance was the small matter of a "Come as you are Breakfast" out at Fran Schubert's.

Clad very scantily and grumbling sleepily, the maidens were charged a nickel for every garment they put on besides their usual night clothes.

Arriving at the party, the guests were greeted by shouts of laughter from their genial hostesses who could not refrain from exclaiming over their appearances.

Indeed, the cold-creamed-unnamed faces, rolled up hair, and faded house coats of Spearman's supposedly good looking girls would have sent their boy friends running the other direction in holy terror.

This, however, did not deter Buena Vernon, Betty Totay Horn, Estella Gray, Frances Hoskins, Ruby Miller from having a good time after they finally woke Louise Novak and Bert were hostesses.

The menu was Tomato Scrambled eggs, bacon, Preserves, Coffee, Cocoa.

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R. W. MORTON

IT'S A FACT.

THAT THE GENERAL SHERMAN TREE IN SEQUOIA NAT'L PARK IS THE OLDEST, LARGEST LIVING THING IN THE WORLD. THIRTY-SIX AND ONE-HALF FEET IN DIAMETER, IT HAS DEFIED WIND AND FIRE FOR 5,000 YEARS

THAT THE 1,500,000,000 QUARTS OF MILK AND CREAM CONSUMED ANNUALLY IN NEW YORK CITY WOULD EASILY FLOAT AN OCEAN LINER THE SIZE OF THE QUEEN MARY

THAT A SINGLE POUND OF TUNGSTEN MAY BE DRAWN INTO 40 MILES OF THE FINE WIRE USED FOR LAMP FILAMENTS

THAT THE PACIFIC ENTRANCE TO THE PANAMA CANAL IS 27 MILES EAST OF THE ATLANTIC ENTRANCE

ELECTRICITY IS CHEAP

AND IT'S A FACT THAT THE COST OF ELECTRICITY HAS COME DOWN 35% IN LESS THAN TEN YEARS

If the average residential customer of this company paid for his present consumption of electricity at the 1930 average rate per kwh., it would cost him \$18.90 per year more than he is now paying. In depressions and good times alike, the cost of electricity has followed a downward trend. It is lower now than ever before in history.

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country. So lets not blame Poland if she shoots. I see Old Tack is still saying that there will be no war this year in Europe. You know I hope he is nearer right on this prophecy than he usually is on the weather. What knows what a Hitler drunk with power may do?

The day to examine the budget draws near and the writer is wondering how many Hansford county citizens will take the trouble to see what the county budget is this year, or attend the hearing. Remember the governor has asked all who are interested in lower government costs to attend these meetings and see for yourself where your tax money is to be sent.

Talked to a resident of this county yesterday about taxes and he told me that he owned property in a certain town worth about 150.00 on which there has accumulated around \$700.00 in taxes and penalties. There should be some way to help this man catch up on his taxes.

Looks like every one in the farming business is getting in-

terested in sheep and are planning to let sheep graze the wheat this winter if we have pasture. One of the things that would make sheep pay more profit would be a Woolen Mill located somewhere out here in the west. Why not locate one in Amarillo I am sure that a move of this kind would get plenty of support by Amarillo.

Sometimes we think our country is going to the place where they burn short sticks, but if we will just stop, look and listen, we find that there are people from every country trying to come here in order to have a home. Wonder why they do not stay in their native country if it is so much better than ours. It might be that we have more than we realize in our country and in our government. It might be worthwhile for each one of us to take a new look at life and then try to imagine being transplanted to some European country and see what we might expect our station to be in that country. We had better take stock and see if we prefer our type of Government to the eye enjoyed by some country and if so get ourselves ready to defend our government. As rotten as it

is it is the best government in the world and the United States of America is the best place in the world to live.

Yours,
R. V. Converse.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00
Church Service 11:00
Christian Endeavor 7:30

Today we are hearing so much about war; it is the headlines of our newspapers and the talk of our citizens. It is being cast across the lives of our American youth again.

Regardless of the sacrifice that we may have to make, we certainly do not want to have to sacrifice another generation of the best talented and most capable leaders of the nation, especially for this Godless cause. There is no victory in war. There is no gain, all is loss. Let us do everything in our power to avert war from our nation and from the world in which we live.

Love is the only power that can control this crime—Christain people! Learn more about the great

love of GOD and may your influence become so great that all men will see that love is the better than hate; then will the cries and sorrows of war ever be forgotten and the chimers of peace will forever ring.

It is the will of the minister and officers of this church that every member be present and in his place of service this coming Lord's Day. Those who have no church home are invited to come and worship with us. The many blessings of the church are for all.

The newly organized Christian Endeavor is well on its way. The group is very active and anxious for its success. There were sixteen present last Sunday evening, to enjoy the singing of hymns the prayer; and to have part in the lesson discussion. Everyone of the high school age is invited to meet with us. Dean Church will be the leader next Sunday. Every member is asked to please be present.

Miss Elizabeth Lyon of Deaton, accompanied by Miss Lake of Dallas spent Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. A. F. Barkley and family enroute to Colorado. Miss Lyon is a sister of P. A. Lyon and Mrs. Barkley.

Mr and Mrs R E Lee and children returned from Lake City, Colorado, last Saturday night.

Craig Davidson of Levelland, Texas, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

FOR SALE—3 Sanders, one-way plows in good condition, 1 at sales Pavilion at Perryton other two at my place 12 mi. NE of Booker. Price \$45. A real bargain. E. A. Winter, Booker, Texas.

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WHY

Humble Oil & Refining Co. Reduced the Price of Crude

This statement is published as a paid advertisement by Humble Oil & Refining Company for the benefit of those who are interested and not acquainted with the facts.

On August 11 the Humble Company posted reductions in the prices at which it purchased crude oil in Texas and New Mexico by amounts ranging from 5c to 32c per barrel, and averaging 18.5c per barrel. In view of the fact that this action on our part has been severely criticized before the public, we outline below the facts and reasons on which it was based:

1. On August 1 the quantities of crude oil listed below, aggregating 218,920 barrels daily in Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas, were moving to market at prices substantially below the Humble's postings for similar crudes:

AREA	BBLs. DAY
Texas—	
West Central	37,000
Gulf Coast	22,600
Southwest	16,900
East Central	12,800
East Texas Field	6,850
Panhandle	1,500
Total Texas	97,650
South Louisiana	81,920
North Louisiana and Arkansas	39,350
Total	218,920

2. The amount of crude moving below Humble's postings was greatly increased when on August 10 the Sinclair-Prairie Company posted a reduction of 20c per barrel affecting the oil produced and purchased by it in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas, which action was followed immediately by reductions in the price made by a number of smaller purchasers. These reductions applied to more than 150,000 barrels of oil. This, added to that mentioned in the preceding paragraph, equals 368,000 barrels. In the three States in which Humble operates, Texas, New Mexico, and Louisiana, the aggregate volume of oil moving below Humble's prices approximated 17 1/2% of the total current production in those States.

3. The movement of constantly increasing quantities over the past year or more of crude produced in the new Illinois fields, reaching a total of 300,000 barrels daily on August 1, on a price basis substantially lower than Humble's postings in its territory, exerted a progressively depressing effect on the crude oil market. The effect was felt in Texas; and actually since April 1 Humble has lost 10,000 barrels per day of business absorbed by Illinois crude. This loss of business was in addition to that lost by Humble as a result of the movement of crude at low prices in the territory where we operate.

4. On August 11, therefore, the total volume of oil moving at prices below those of the Humble was approximately 668,000 barrels.

5. The crude oil market has been under pressure for more than a year. The price adjustments made last October did not remove fully the disparity between Humble's prices and those of some oil moving in its markets. Since that time the volumes of crude moving below our prices have increased steadily, with the result that when the reductions of Sinclair-Prairie and others came on August 10, affecting approximately 150,000 barrels of crude per day, conditions were so bad that we were compelled to reduce our prices to meet this competition. In no case are our new postings lower than the Sinclair-Prairie postings for similar crudes.

6. The Humble Company is primarily a producer of oil. Its crude oil properties constitute its principal asset. Its net production averages 133,000 barrels a day. We are also crude oil merchants and purchase, at our posted prices, 251,000 barrels of crude oil daily in Texas and New Mexico. These prices also govern the price at which we sell the oil which we produce. Because of our large production we are vitally interested in the maintenance of fair prices.

Our refineries consume something near the amount of oil which we produce. As a consequence, with respect to our purchases we are in the same position as a merchant dealing in any commodity. To continue in business, we can not over a long period of time pay higher prices than our competitors. We are compelled to meet competition. The price of oil, like that of other commodities, is subject to change with market conditions. These are simple and fundamental business principles. We were reluctant to cut the price of crude, not alone because of its adverse effect on our own earnings, but also because of its effect on our customers and upon the industry and the state at large. Under these circumstances, we could not continue to pay the prices we had been paying.

7. As a matter of policy the Humble Company maintains stocks of crude oil very slightly in excess of the amount required as working stocks to carry on operations. We do not believe in storage of oil above ground but in production of oil currently as required for market. We do not speculate in oil. We have no desire to buy oil at any price to accumulate for storage.

8. We think the price for oil brought about by the competitive conditions above mentioned is lower than should be realized. In our opinion the flood of oil from Illinois and Louisiana, most of which is being produced wastefully, in violation of conservation principles, is primarily responsible for the market conditions which necessitated our price reductions. It is our hope that these conditions will be corrected and that the market will improve.

H. C. WIESS, President
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4.75-19	7.60	3.80	11.40	3.80
5.00-19	7.60	3.80	11.40	3.80
5.25-17	9.50	4.75	14.25	4.75
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5.50-18	\$14.15	\$7.08	\$21.23	\$7.07	6.00-18	\$17.15	\$8.58	\$25.73	\$8.57
5.25-17	14.65	7.33	21.98	7.32	6.25-18	17.95	8.98	26.93	8.97
5.50-17	13.35	6.68	20.03	6.67	6.50-18	19.35	9.68	29.03	9.67
5.25-18	15.95	7.98	23.93	7.97	7.00-15	21.35	10.68	32.03	10.67
5.50-18	16.50	8.25	24.75	8.25	7.00-16	21.95	10.98	32.93	10.97
6.00-16	17.40	8.70	26.10	8.70	7.50-16	27.80	13.90	41.70	13.90

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SIZE	Price For 1st Tire	Next Tire 50% Discount	Price For 2 Tires	YOU SAVE	SIZE	Price For 1st Tire	Next Tire 50% Discount	Price For 2 Tires	YOU SAVE
4.75-19	\$10.30	\$5.15	\$15.45	\$5.15	4.40-21	\$8.35	\$4.18	\$12.53	\$4.17
5.00-19	13.20	6.60	19.80	6.60	4.50-21	8.60	4.30	12.90	4.30
5.25-17	12.00	6.00	18.00	6.00	4.75-19	11.00	5.50	16.50	5.50
5.50-17	14.35	7.18	21.53	7.17	5.00-19	10.00	5.00	15.00	5.00
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1-MINUTE SAFETY TALKS

By Don Herold

We'll drive moderately, and if we have an accident, it will be a nicer one



How to Have More Trivial Accidents

If we are going to have automobile accidents, let's have little ones. It is not such a serious matter when we dent a fender. What we don't want to dent is a skull. How shall we select for ourselves the smaller or more insignificant or skin-deep or grade "C" accidents? I have a book in my lap, compiled by The Travelers Insurance Company on last year's smashes and crashes. It tells us which kind of accidents are the deadliest. Let's get a line on 'em and avoid THAT kind. About the surest way to cinch your death in an automobile accident is to mix in a little alcohol. With an intoxicated driver (you or somebody else) at the wheel, your chance of death is greater than with a sober man at the wheel. I mean if you take 1,000 drunk accidents and 1,000 sober accidents there'll be more deaths in the drunk accidents. Even

a better chance of being killed than a sober pedestrian—per accident. There has been a lot of loose talk about the safety of driving fast. A lot of people think that it is all right to drive fast if they drive "careful". But the figures show that the rate of death per accident which involves exceeding the speed limit is much worse than the average death rate for all accidents due to improper driving practices. Places, too, have a lot to do with the violence of your accident. The rate of death per accident on highways and at rural intersections is more than 200 per cent greater than on city streets. Time plays a part, also. The death rate per accident after dark is about 60 per cent worse than during daylight. May all your accidents be little ones, and they're more apt to be little if you know about and avoid them.

DON'T NAME IT

WILL J. MILLER

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means plenty of next years wheat production. While this rule does not always work, it is encouraging...and when sufficient Spring moisture arrives wheat is produced. Last year the Morse and McKibben area enjoyed a six inch rain the first 5 days of September. Much of the best wheat in the county was produced where the heavy September rain-

fall fell last year.

One of the most interesting feature of the present rainfall over the county is the assurance of fall pasture. The county is well stocked with feeder cattle at this time, and with pasturage assured there is prospects of more cattle than we handled last year...which was one of the banner years of all Hansford history.

Cattle has been the source of much financial income in this county during the past 5 years. For at least four of these five years this writer has been hearing of a break in the price...and the disaster that was sure to visit many shoe-string operators of the county. At first these reports were alarming. Since one looks up

the record and finds out that cattle represents a large percent of the security for loans at local banks, it becomes apparent that the break in cattle is rather distant.

One thing is apparent. The man who mixes cattle with wheat production is liquidating the indebtedness he incurred when he limited his activities to wheat production alone.

Apparently this country is a wheat-cattle country. We have tried mighty hard to drift away and follow the line of the least resistance...but we have made a failure.

Sorta dreaming up the future, one can see the possibilities of much more prosperity in this county in the future than in the past. Certainly there has been some headway made the past few years...and with prospects for normal production and better market for wheat and cattle, the future looks a bit rosy.

Continued talk of war leaves one to conclude that it is inevitable. War will bring better prices for cattle and wheat and we would enjoy a jag of prosperity with an aftermath of desolation and despair. The writer would like for some influential writers to begin to picture a future without war. This continued guesses that all include WAR are wrong. It is just so much propagander of those who want WAR.

Irrigation is one of the bright spots in the distant future of Hansford County. It will be a slow process and we will have to import a class of people who are used to work.

Most of the people who have been in Hansford County for ten years or more have a downright aversion for W O R K. They came in when land was cheap and bought their land at a fraction of the price it reached when the land prices hit a high level. The wheat producers worked about 3 to 5 months a year and made so much money they had plenty to buy butter and milk, meat and food, take vacations and live like country gentlemen. It has been rather hard for these fellows to get back to normal.

I know men from the cotton country that could make a comfortable living on most any half section of land in Hansford

County. They would have to have financial backing to carry them over periods of poor production...but you can bet they would not be involved in debts for canned food, milk, butter and meat. They could and would WORK and produce their own living on the land

There is not any sort of farm work that requires more work than irrigation. The one and most important reason that we do not have a success of irrigation in Hansford County is because we do not have people in charge who W O R K.

Pardon the personal references but anyone that knows jovial, loveable, happy Doc. Jones knows that he was never born or trained to REALLY WORK. It is a very fine tribute to him that he has accomplished what he has in the way of producing vegetables and melons from the fine bottom land irrigated tract on his farm. I learn from Doc. Jones himself that his hardest task is keeping the pump going on his irrigated garden. If Doc. was as smart as this writer he would increase the size of his irrigation activities, and hire someone that had first hand knowledge of WORK. Mr. Jones should spend his time marketing the products that could and should be raised on his valley farm. He is the type that could sell a refrigerator to an eskimo...and he is sitting on a gold mine right in the valley...and does not take the time and trouble to dig down and produce.

Another example of misplaced effort can be found in the case of our good friend, S B Hale. He moved out to his farm several years ago and started activities on the rich valley land he owns. In the first place Mr. Hale (so far as this writer knows) never did engage in physical labor. He is more the mental type of worker. If he wanted to live in the county...that's alright. But he have had at least 3 to 5 men working regular on the land he

handled. He has learned the error of his way and is now letting some folks get acquainted with his home place that know the meaning of WORK. This writer predicts a successful future for Mr. Hale. He has just completed the installation of a new well on his place and has one of the outstanding supplies of water for irrigation in this county.

Coy Holt is the other irrigation farmer of this county and due to the fact that his father who

knows all about WORK from living in the cotton country...this farm has proven more successful than this writer first predicted. Coy is a real cattleman and he sure works at his job. Wheat, alfalfa and any production on his farm is just a sideline to him. He knows and loves cattle. He is very fortunate in having his father with him to supervise the irrigation activities on his valley farm.

It is nothing to be ashamed of...but the most of the population

of this area are not as to real downright hard. They are a class of people plan out and wrest a living from the land and their activity out too much sweat of

So long as this class are responsible there are any glittering success in the Palo Verde. We must get some people county who are satisfied their prosperity out of the by working hard 10 to per day.



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EXTRA MILEAGE

Announcing

We have purchased the prescription file and good will of Platts Pharmacy. This enables us to give prompt refill for prescriptions filed in this city.an advantageous arrangement for customers of this store.

We regret lose Mr. Platt as a citizen of this county, but wish the success he deserves in his newer and larger undertaking at Roswell, N. M.

For the past few years the present manager and owner of the Spearman Drug Store has lived in this county. We have enjoyed a remarkable large percentage of the trade from our Hansford County people. We have found the people of this area the most likeable of any citizens we have every met. The activities of our town, county and schools reflect the ambitious, home-loving, aggressive people that live in this county. They are just the class of people this store management would cast their lot with. In view of our heavy investment we believe we will continue to merchandise in this county for many years to come.

Many of our Hansford County friends, salesmen from over this area, and visitors from other states have been kind enough to compliment this store for the appearance, prompt efficient service, and thorough stock of merchandise. We appreciate these compliments and mention them in this advertisement only for the purpose of assuring the public that our efforts fall far short of our ambitions to serve the hundreds of customers of this store who have made it possible for us to increase our volume of business several fold during the time we have been in Spearman. Rest assured that you can depend upon this store to maintain a high standard of merchandising...upon the management to cooperate in all civic and progressive measures for the benefit of Hansford County...and upon us to give our customers the very best service it is physical possible to produce.

SPEARMAN DRUG STORE

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The REXALL Store

We Deliver Phone 12

OSLO NEWS

Circuit of the N. L. hold its semi-annual Sunday, Monday and next week. (Aug. 27, 28, 29). The theme to be at the convention is "With God" Gen. 5:24

Monday Sessions

Morning Worship will be preached by J. Maakestad of Cran- Texas.

Discussion of the theme, "Walking with God" by Prof. C. Tyssen of Texas and Rev. A. E. Dallas Texas.

Discussion of the "Walking with God in the Sacrament of Baptism" by P. E. Thorson and Rev. of Clifton, Texas.

Tuesday Sessions

The business meeting

Discussion of the "Walking with God in Service" by Ocee John- Fort Worth, Texas

Young People's Session. of the theme, "Walk- ing with God in the Expanding Life" by Rev. W. J. of Cranfills Gap, Prof. C. Tyssen acting of Clifton Junior Col- Texas.

opportunity will be given for a general dis- of the theme.

will be special music at. The choir and the quartet from the Oslo and individuals from Oslo, in aid of the Oslo Chur-

will serve lunch on Sunday. There is no charge for this. Everyone is welcome to these seasons.
H. C. Hjortholm
pastor, Oslo Lutheran Church

News Items

Mr and Mrs Elmer Jensen and daughter, Elvera, and Opal Fadness, who has been staying with them this summer, went to Roy, N. Mex. on Tuesday of last week to visit Mrs Jensen's brother.

Mr and Mrs Oscar Dahl and children went to Trinidad and Pueblo, Col. for a few days vaca- tion last week. Mr and Mrs Peter Dahl made a similar trip last week. They have not as yet returned.

Mrs Clara Stedje returned last Friday from her visit with rela- tives and friends at Fairbault Minn. She has been away for about a month. She tells us that there is a good prospect for abundant crops in southern Minn. and Iowa. The rainfall there has been adequate. Miss Agnes Brede- son from Lake Mills Iowa came with Mrs Stedje. She will resume her employment at the Emil Knut- son home.

James and Marie Stedje drove to Dallas, Texas last Sunday. They expected to return on Wednesday.

Oslo had a nice one inch rain Saturday night. There was con- siderable lightning with the rain and the electric current from the high line was shut off until late Sunday afternoon.

Emil Knutson was in Amar- illo last week end. He returned Sunday afternoon.

About twenty five men and women worked at the Oslo Church last Thursday. They cleaned the church and cleared the yard and cemetery of weeds. Necessary re- pairs were made and new screens put on the windows of the church. Everyone entered into the work with enthusiasm and much was accomplished. Lunch was served in the afternoon. Clifford Stedje several lectures of the group. It is to be hoped that "Clean Up Day" will be observed annually in the future.

Mr and Mrs Charles Cham- bers and children are visiting in Lubbock this week.

Tomato Plants Tokens of Love
During the Seventeenth century gallant young men delivered grow- ing tomato plants to wives or sweet- hearts as tokens of love.

Must Have Royal Approval
Before he can take office, the lord mayor of London has to receive the royal approval.

Largest Library in Mexico
The largest library in Mexico is the Biblioteca Nacional, Mexico City, with 800,000 volumes.

Geese Not So 'Silly'
While "silly geese" is a common expression, geese are among the wildest of water fowl.

Tea Counteracts Acidity
Tea in beverage form is an alkali- line food, which aids in counter- acting acidity in other foods.

Calories in Grape Juice
There are 75 calories in 120 grams or one-half cup of grape juice.

Four Good Reasons
Reasons for finishing cabinet woods are four-fold; to seal the sur- face which prevents the absorption or emission of moisture which would cause cracking and warping; to fa- cilitate cleaning; to bring out the full depth and beauty of the grain and figure; to change or equalize the color or tone of the wood.

Rare Metal Used in Steel
The rarest metal required in the manufacture of steel is probably co- lumbium, which is used almost sole- ly to prevent inter-granular corro- sion in high chromium and chromi- um-nickel stainless and heat-resist- ant steels. The only known com- mercial supply of columbium exists in Nigeria.

New York's Milk Shed
The New York milk shed extends north and west from New York city for a radius of about 500 miles. It includes all of New York state and parts of Vermont, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachu- setts and Maryland.

Speed of Birds When Migrating
When migrating, birds fly at great speeds three and a half miles above the surface of the earth. At this height, they have the help of con- stant winds blowing up to 100 miles an hour.

NOTICE

To cooperate with banks in the Panhandle and in order to meet certain requirements of the Federal Wage and Hour Law, the First State Bank will change its banking hours, beginning September 1st, as follows:

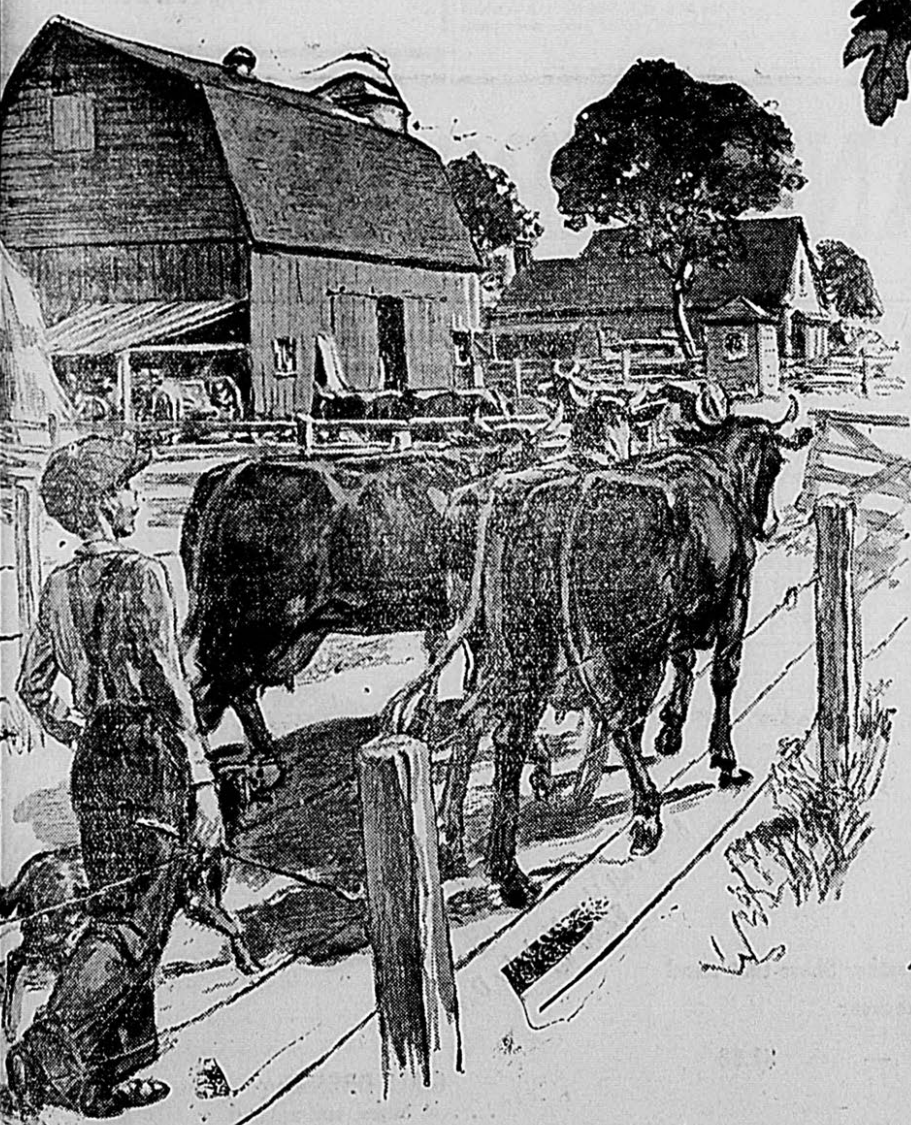
Open 9:00 A. M.
Close 3:00 P. M.

We trust our customers will familiarize themselves with this change and transact their banking business during these hours.

First State Bank

Spearman, Texas

MEMBER
Federal Reserve System
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation



RECENT RAINS INSURES FEED AND IN SOME PARTS OF THE COUNTY SUFFICIENT MOISTURE FOR PLANTING — —

The picture at the left reminds us of the Horse and Buggy day — We no longer travel that way, nor do farmers use imple- ments that are not as progressive as the car — — — SO

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The Case Company has always been the leader in power farming, by improving Tractors, Combines, Feed Mills, Drills, and Tillage Tools that are, today, modern in every respect.

R. L. McCLELLAN
GRAIN COMPANY

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BELLE BENNETT MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mrs J H Buchanan was hostess to the Belle Bennett Missionary Society last Wednesday. Mrs H P Bailey gave the devotional.

Mrs Keim had charge of the World Outlook program, and as assisted by Mrs P A Lyon, Mrs Maize, Mrs Clark and Mrs Finley.

Delicious refreshments were served to mesdames R. N. Jones, O L Williams, LeRoy Brown, G P Gibner, Robert Meek, Redus, Keim, P A Lyon, F W Maize, Ellsworth, R L McClellan, H P Bailey, Sid Clark, W R Finley, and hostess, Mrs Buchanan.

Guests were Mrs Golda Belvins and Mrs Fisher.

Mrs LeRoy Brown will be hostess at a joint meeting of the Belle Bennett and the Mary Martha Societies next Wednesday.

FAMILY REUNION

For the first time in about five years Mr and Mrs J. H. Buchanan were together with all ten of their children on Sunday Aug. 20.

All the children except four were born in Hansford county and all of them graduated from Spearman High School except the youngest who is a junior in Spearman high now.

Being more than 2,000 miles apart, makes it difficult for all to gather often. The family all gathered for a family dinner, after which a family picture was made.

The family includes and those present were Mr and Mrs J. B. Buchanan and son Burl, Borger; Wilson, Monroe and Paul Buchanan; Mr and Mrs Raymond Jarvis and Tommy, Stinnett; Mr and Mrs John Allen and Marilyn, of Guymon; Mrs J. D. Basgel of Belton; Mr and Mrs Fisher, of Ohio; Ruth and Virginia Buchanan Spearman.

Mr E C Clements was transacting business in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Elinor Faye Womble spend Sunday in Morse.

Along The Way

BY—Elizabeth Miller

FAVORITE PASTIME of the Spearman Reporter Staff: watching plaster fall off the wall, hunting pencils, and throwing paper wads at each other and the waste basket. To say nothing of their prowling on the streets of Spearman after midnight looking for a news story, or working as a last resort.

FAVORITE PASTIME of Mrs Phil Jenkins since she got married: using the new rolling pen which a certain variety store man gave her.

FAVORITE PASTIME of Miss Holton, Miss Maize, Miss Richardson and Miss Leverton: going places with Mr Brooks, Mr Archer, Mr Cox and Mr Heard.

FAVORITE PASTIME of Miss Becker, Miss Jenkins, Miss Allen, Miss Porter, Mr Yates, Mr Vernon, Mr Becker, Mr Holton and other creams of Spearman's crop; Going to the Pekoe.

GIRL ABOUT TOWN: Doris Jean Russell. Spends all her time looking pretty. Her latest achievement—\$20 prize for first place at the Perryton Beauty Contest Tuesday.

AMONG THE BETTER shows of the year, "Let Freedom Ring" starring Nelson Eddy, ranks high in box office appeal. Indeed, the genial, handsome, blonde singing star was almost better than himself in this picture. His singing was superb and his acting showed more expression than ever before. The high point in the show came when Nelson made an inspiring, intense, appeal for the lives of those he loved in his home town to a group of railroad workers who were under the influence of a gang of crooks. It was Virginia Bruce, however, who saved the day, by singing "America". Although the plot wasn't so strong, the fast moving, humorous acting of Victor McLaughlan, Chas Butterworth, Lionel Barrymore, Edward Arnold and Guy Kibee, and the thrilling, glorious ending of the story caused it to be a success.

MR AND MRS Chester McCarty of Oklahoma City visited with

Mrs McCarty's mother, Mrs H. P. Bailey last Sunday. They had just returned from a tour of the western coast and a visit to the World's Fair in San Francisco.

FAVORITE PUN of the week: Why didn't Moses take rats with him on the ark? Answer next week.

FAVORITE MEMORIES: The last time we beat Perryton in a football game; Sadie Hawkins Week at WTSC, Canyon; Kids Day of the '38 Senior class; the thrill of shaking hands with the president when he was in Amarillo. Picnics out at Steele's with the old gang. Singing Alma Mater with a friend at the Coronation of the Queen of WTSC. Roasting rainbow trout with a forked stick over our campfire in the mountains, and the smell of it drifting through the aspen trees toward the cloudy, blue sky. The taste of fried potatoes and onions, too, that day.

Roasting apples dipped in sugar and water over a bright campfire on a spooky all-Hallows eve down in the woods of southern Texas.

Sitting up on the library ladder reading "The Three Musketeers" one rainy afternoon when Supt. Finley caught me and asked me if I were the dunce I answered "No" sir, I am the queen!

BEST NEWS of the week: This column officially and automatically closes Sept. the first. Because I have to get ready to go to College.

MARY MARTHAS

Mrs C. A. Gibner was hostess to the Mary Martha Missionary Society last Wednesday afternoon. The World Outlook program was given by Mrs. John Berry.

Mrs. Lloyd Campbell gave the devotional.

Lovely refreshments were served to mesdames Freeman Barkley, Daily, Berry, Holt, Douglas, Richardson, Campbell and the hostess Mrs. C. A. Gibner.

The Mary Marthas and Belle Bennetts will meet next week in the Methodist parsonage.

Carl Ed Wilbanks returned Sunday from Arkansas where he had been holding the sack for the good-looking Arkansas girls to fill up with potatoes.

Mr and Mrs T I Harvey and family attend the celebration in Perryton Tuesday.

BANK AIDS HANSFORD FARMERS TO TUNE OF NEAR MILLION

Wheat producers of Hansford county aided by several government bureaus for several years now look to the First State Bank for financial assistance. The government agencies are still helping farmers but the local bank has handed out near 700,000 dollars as benefits until the farmers receive their allotment money.

These loans make near one million dollars that the bank has loaned out this year for farmers, business men and individuals. However, the bank has security that well protects them on any of their transactions.

It's the Spanish Main
Originally Venezuela and Colombia, in the northern part of South America, constituted the "Spanish Main," meaning "mainland." In England the sea is frequently called the "bounding main" and as England spread its government over many of the West Indies the Caribbean sea came to be known as the Spanish Main. It is generally spoken of as such.

Origin of 'Hot Time' Song
In 1886 Theodore Metz composed a march called "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," for McIntyre and Heath's minstrel show. In 1896 Joseph Hayden wrote words for the music and the song was published. It became the favorite rallying song of Theodore Roosevelt's Rough Riders in Cuba.

Longest Railroad Bridge
The longest railroad bridge in the world is the trestle over Great Salt Lake, which is called the Lucin cutoff. It connects Ogden and Lucin across the center of the Great Salt Lake. For 12 miles the road follows a trestle and the remaining 15 miles of the road is on a solid foundation built upon beds of salt.

Up-and-Down Commuters.
Commuters in Bergamo, a beautiful town in the hills of Italy, travel up and down on their way from and to work. The town is at three levels, with funicular railways carrying passengers from the residential heights at the top to the business sections below.

Jungle Tribes Are Superstitious
Superstition rules the primitive tribes of the South American jungles, where stone gods are objects to be feared. Natives will not touch them, firmly believing that each image has the power to exercise evil influences if violated.

Coins of Leather
Leather coins were used in parts of northern Europe in the seventeenth century. Usually they took the form of oblong slabs, into which silver or copper studs were hammered.

Victor Ooley returned Monday from Libreal where he had been visiting relatives and showing off for freckled-face girl who came to see him every morning.

Mr and Mrs Armond Schnault of Texhoma were visiting in Spearman Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Watt H. Wednesday for Hot Springs where they will vacation a few weeks.

County Fair September
Mr and Mrs Roy Johnson Lee to Canyon Sunday. They will attend school. They came back by Perryton Tuesday.

LABOR DAY EXCURSION LOW ROUND TRIP COACH FARES

One one-way coach fare plus 25c for the round trip, approximately 1c per mile—good in coaches and chair cars on all routes between all points in Texas and from stations in Texas to destinations in Louisiana.—Tickets on sale for trains to leave on Sept. 2, 3 and prior to noon Sept. 4, 1939, limited to reach original starting point prior to night Sept. 6, 1939.

HALF FARE FOR CHILDREN

For Fares, Schedules, and other details, CALL— H. L. Heard, Agent, Spearman, Texas.

State Certified Seed Wheat, germination 95 cent. Grown on the Emil Knutson farm.

wheat is re-cleaned and sacked in 2 bushel sacks.

Sold at: Gruver and Sons, Gruver; Kimballing Co., Gruver; Spearman Grain Growers R. L. McClellan, Spearman.

\$1.00 PER BUSHEL

WE ARE ONE YEAR OLD

Our FIRST ANNIVERSARY

NEW DRY GOODS OPENING HERE SATURDAY

Roy Russell Will Feature Standard Merchandise Here

The hundreds of Hansford county customers of this store have been exceedingly nice in the way of patronage. We are candid to tell you that our volume during our first year of business in Spearman has been more than we expected. This first anniversary of the establishment of the Spearman Dry Goods Co., gives us this logical opportunity to thank you for your patronage and kind words of encouragement.

You will note that we have carried the News paper heading of our opening at the top of this advertisement. Again we tell you that we handle only standard lines of merchandise.

Over many years of dry goods merchandising we have learned that customers want only the NEW in merchandise. We know that our customers do not want an item that has been on our shelves six months to one year—and you can rest assured that we protect you in this respect, even though we must at times sell a small portion of our stock below cost so that we can make room for the newest and most stylish.

OUR FALL STOCK OF MERCHANDISE is the most complete we have yet been able to stock—You will find that we have a store full of new merchandise, Fall goods, School wear items, New attractive. We invite you to inspect these new items of wear, whether you want to buy or just look over the new arrivals. Come in today. We are glad to have you as a guest of this store at any time.

SHOES — SHOES



For the man that wants comfort and wear at prices that will save you money, starting at \$2.95



Dramatically draped—dipped 'love and aft. Stunning collection include profile berets.

Gingham Plaid, Slub Broadcloth and Fall Papeins 25c Per Yard

Children's Solid Leather Shoes that stand the wear \$1.69 — \$1.98



Mens Fall Hats Made by Davis \$2.95 up

GIRLS DRESSES . . . in Slubs, suiting and wash seed the very thing to start off the Fall season 69c — 98c



New Fall Frocks Inspired by Paris Designers, Made by JUSTINE



School needs for the Boys New Fall trousers in the new patterns, Sanitized Shrunk \$1. — \$1.50 — \$1.96

For the Ladies that like to sew - - Beautiful line of Fall prints 80 square Cambric finished 15c yd.

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