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STORM KILLS SUNRAY MAN; HEAVY RAINS IN COUNTY

HIGHWAY CONTRACT LET; WILL START WORK SOON

WOMACK-HENNING CONSTRUCTION COMPANY OF SHERMAN GETS BID FOR 18.8 MILES ACROSS COUNTY FOR CALICHE AT COST OF \$77,916.00

FIRST WORK CALLS FOR TWO COURSE WATERBOUND CALICHE BASE; WILL EMPLOY BETWEEN FIFTY AND EIGHTY-FIVE LOCAL MEN

The contract for paving Highway 117 a distance of 18.8 miles, was let by the Construction Company of Sherman this week by the preliminary work for placing of the caliche base course is expected to begin within the next 10 days.

Everything in readiness. The grade on Highway 117 that has been completed since last Spring is in excellent shape, according to county officials and is now ready for the hard surfacing. The two course waterbound caliche base, which paving specifications call for, will be the first to be placed on the highway. Caliche from pits in Hansford county will be used on the road. It is estimated that between 50 and 85 local men will be employed. According to county judge C. W. King, the county's finances are in excellent shape with sufficient money to carry the paving project thru.

Equipment Expected
Equipment for the paving work is expected to be arriving in Spearman next week. Everything is now being placed in readiness for the work to begin, county officials say. It will take several months for final completion of the project.

Local Merchants Assemble Scores of Bargain For Soon-Coming Dollar Days

Spearman merchants are now busy assembling scores of bargains in practically every kind of merchandise for the two big Dollar days, November 6 and 7 that will be a city-wide affair and is expected to draw people for many miles around.

Particular attention is being paid by the merchants to articles and merchandise that are needed by people at this time of the year. New winter merchandise which will represent needs for every member of the family will be featured in the Dollar Days event.

Spearman merchants contend and they are using this special Dollar Days plan to bring it home to the people, that they can sell merchandise at as low prices as merchants of any city.

Copy of local merchants ads are now being received every day at the Reporter office and business men who are joining in the merchant event are requested to get their copy ready and bring it in at the earliest possible moment as the big four-page Dollar Days circular, bearing the message of local merchants is expected to be off the press Monday, November 2.

Born, Wednesday, October 21, 1931, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Chambers—a fine baby boy. The young gentleman had not been named at this writing.

Club Plans Ladies Night When Business Expected Have Full Charge

Lady Lions, wives and sweethearts of roaring lion members of the Spearman club, are expected to be mistresses of ceremonies some time within the next two weeks when they will have complete charge of the program of the local organization.

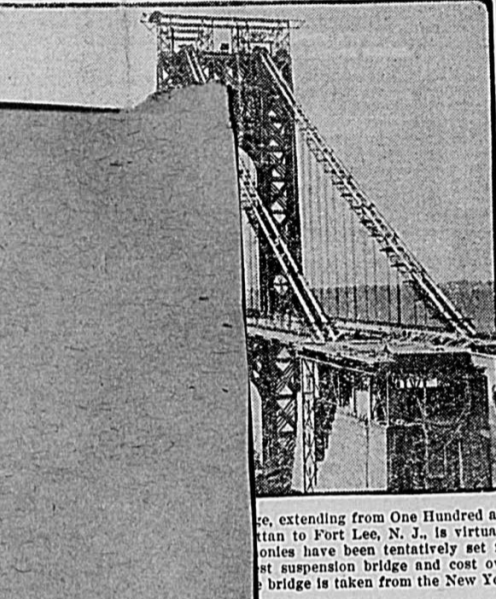
This information was brought to light Tuesday at the regular meeting when R. H. Previtt, president of the club appointed Fred Lusk, Max Lackey and C. A. Gibner to make arrangements for the event that is expected to be one of the social highlights of the club for this season.

Peffer Is Elected
Clayton Peffer, head of the First National bank of Spearman was unanimously elected as a new member of the club. He will be present at the next meeting and will be administered the oath of Lionism.

President Previtt brought expressions from the entire high school faculty and members of the Lynx football squad for the royal entertainment the Lions club accorded them at a banquet more than a week ago.

Frank Fleck, Gruver business man, was the guest of the day and complimented the Lions club for the good they are doing here.

Geo. Washington Bridge Nearly Done



Bridge, extending from One Hundred and 40th St. to Fort Lee, N. J., is virtually completed and is tentatively set for suspension bridge and cost over \$150 million. The bridge is taken from the New York Herald Tribune.

Chamber Commerce Ready To Serve In New Quarters

Announcement was made today by J. W. Ratekin, secretary of the Spearman chamber of commerce, that offices of that organization had been moved to the basement of the new Hansford county courthouse.

The new office is spacious and modern and Ratekin wished to call attention to everyone that his same routine of good service would be continued and requested in need of information or help that the organization could render, get in touch with him in his new quarters.

Ikey Vernon Takes Punt And Runs 40 Yards For Lone Touchdown Beating Perryton Score 6 To 0

Before a crowd of more than a thousand excited Spearman and Perryton fans that thronged the sidelines, Ikey Vernon, fleet-footed halfback of the Spearman Lynx in the second quarter took a punt and zigzagged his way over a 40 yard course for the lone touchdown that beat the Perryton Rangers on their home field last Friday, 6 to 0.

When Perryton was held for down smack up against their own goal they were forced to kick. Tindell, Witt and Cator rushed the Perryton back and his punt was short. It floated into the waiting arms of Ikey Vernon, Ikey shifted his position to the right and then like a whirlwind, tore around the left side of the field, slipping off a couple of Perryton tackles, ducked and sidestepped his way across the goal line. Spearman failed to make the extra point.

From that moment of the game until it ended, it was Spearman's game. In the pinches when the Rangers threatened the Lynx goal line, Atherton, Schubert, Witt, Jenkins and big captain Archer, made a stone wall of their line and held the Rangers for downs.

Throughout the entire game the Rangers failed to get within 10 yards of the Lynx goal line. The Spearman fighting men outplayed Perryton, outwitted them in most every stage of the game. Witt played a splendid game at center. He never made a bad pass and Spearman's team never fumbled a ball during the entire battle.

In the first quarter of the game Perryton outpunted the Lynx slightly and in the third quarter, outplayed them by a slight margin.

Officials for the game were F. A. Stocking, Columbia University, referee; R. White, Texas Tech, umpire and E. Bowen, Me-

A. B. DEMPSEY CRUSHED TO DEATH IN HOME WHEN CYCLONE AND HEAVY RAIN STORM HITS CITY; SLIGHT DAMAGES TO PROPERTY REPORT

TRAVERSES TWO HUNDRED YARDS OF CITY, FIVE FIFTEEN O'CLOCK TUESDAY EVENING; RESIDENTS WERE CAUGHT UNAWARE OF APPROACHING STORM

A. B. Dempsey, 28, welder and employee of the Sunray Oil Company of Sunray, 45 miles west of Spearman, was crushed to death in the wreckage of his home at 5:15 o'clock Tuesday evening, when a cyclone and heavy rain storm struck the city. The house that was blown about and completely demolished. Dempsey's crushed body was found in the debris by B. E. Bard, cafe proprietor, immediately after the storm. No one else occupied the house at the time. The man was unmarried. He had lived in Sunray about one year. The remains were carried overland to Borger pending advice from relatives in Urania, Louisiana.

WHEAT LOCAL MARKET UP TO FORTY CENTS

Wheat on the Spearman market Wednesday and Thursday morning sold for 40 cents a bushel. Less than a week ago the quotation was 34 cents. Prices have been steadily going up for the past several days.

Grain men declared that they had been going thru such price fluctuations all fall and said it was hard to tell whether the price would go still higher or drop back down.

Most of the wheat being brought into Spearman now is about 15 per cent protein. Local grain men report sales very slow.

Ninety-Five Per Cent Of Homes In Spearman Have Modern Fuel

An estimate taken recently by the Panhandle Gas and electric company shows that 95 percent of the homes in the city of Spearman are served by natural gas.

The local gas company will have served the people of Spearman two years this coming November. The fact that the majority of citizens of the city demand modern fuel is another indication of progress of citizens here, C. D. Foote, manager of the company said.

Spearman is serviced with from 2 to 6 inch mains which is considerably larger than those of many other cities. These oversized lines make it possible for good pressure at all times. Standard pressure is 4 ounces but most of the time pressure afforded city consumers here runs close to 5 ounces.

That the pressure and amount of gas available to customers in Spearman would take care of a city of 25,000 population was stated by Foote. When weather is extremely cold and the majority of the meters are in operation the pressure and supply is not diminished in the least. Gas has not been cut off a single time since it was turned into the city mains.

Another thing that Foote pointed out was the fact that the gas consumed in Spearman came from the Wheeler fields and was pronounced a sweet gas and was free of sulphur fumes that much of the gas possesses from other fields.

A number of small outhouses and a shed belonging to a local lumber firm was destroyed. Other damages to property was slight.

Swoops Down on City
Residents of Sunray said that the twister coming from the southwest swooped directly down on the city and traversed a course of about 200 yards raising from the ground and rumbling its way to the northeast. The Dempsey house was directly in the path of the storm. Residents say that if the storm had run the entire length of the town, it would have been completely destroyed.

The approach of the twister came unawares. People knew nothing of its coming until they were attracted by the crashing sound of falling houses.

County Gets Heavy Rains
Windstorms and heavy rains were reported over Hansford and adjoining counties. However, no other damages from wind was reported. Rainfall in Spearman amounted to little over one inch. Other cities and communities in the county reported good rains.

CHURCH OF CHRIST TO BEGIN REVIVAL NOV. 1

The Church of Christ of this city will have a two weeks revival beginning Sunday, November 1, it was made known today by Felix W. Tarbet, minister.

With Rev. Tarbet preaching, the meeting will be conducted by home forces. Rev. Tarbet, who was engaged exclusively in evangelistic work before coming here, will have many worthwhile messages to bring his listeners, E. D. Sheets and C. J. Todd will have charge of the song services.

"All persons attending the services will have the opportunity to ask questions," Rev. Tarbet said. "It will be possible to teach certain lessons by asking questions," he continued, "And you may be able to teach a very vital truth by asking a question."

Lynx Will Pit Strength Against Elkhart Team Here With Ikey Vernon Missing

With the loss of their most valuable man, Ikey Vernon, the Spearman High School Lynx will pit their strength against the Elkhart hard-hitting high school team here on Lynx field, at 3:30 o'clock next Friday afternoon.

Coach Billy Jarvis said today that the game would be a good one and stated emphatically that Vernon would not play. A torn ligament in his shoulder that he received in the game with Perryton last Friday is expected to keep him out of the running for some time.

Elkhart, from all reports, has a good, well balanced team. They won in their district last year and the report comes that they have more than half of last year's men back on the squad this season.

Two Men For Place
Either Tom Tindell or Tim Easley will be put in Vernon's place at the half back position next Friday. Tindell ripped Perryton's line last Friday and ought to show up well in the game Friday. Easley is one of the most powerful men on the Lynx team but has had little opportunity to show what he could do this season.

That it is not a conference game Friday, Coach Jarvis said it would not lack any of the interests of one.

A church at Panhandle, Texas, is operating a two hundred acre farm for the purpose of meeting the church indebtedness.

The Air-View
By J. D. C.

that we've had plenty of farmers to plant wheat, eight to be more smiles and men. Men who have lived long time say there is time to plant wheat and good crop. Some farmers chance and sowed in the They're in good shape. plenty of moisture to wheat that will be sowed next two weeks.

whole world mourned the Thomas A. Edison this life was pronounced the inventor of all times, given more to the world, man that ever lived. Just the end came, Mr. Edison that his work was finished he was ready to go. cannot all be Edisons, with the genius and talent of the world so much. But ever stopped to think that everyone of us have our do, something of value to mankind, even tho it be little.

ton is trying to match an football game with Spear part of the Armistice Day tion in that city November think this move would be wise. There is no need for arvis to take a chance on his team in a game of d. There is too much at head of us for conference. Let's put our strength in es that count.

have you made an inspec the new courthouse? It cer right up to now. These officials really have a lit of the high-hat. Ye, Air almost had to present a e other day to get Jess e. And you sure do get If you want to buy a e license, file a suit for get action of prosecution county attorney Broadhurst litigation in County Judge office, pay your taxes and sunly treasurer Sparks take to get locked up in jail by Wilbanks—you get service clock. We think its all due new courthouse. Worth the Well say it is, out loud.

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Mrs. C. A. Robertson At Cockrell's Store

Mrs. C. A. Robertson of Spearman has been added to the clerking force at Cockrell's Store in this city.

Birth Announcements

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dacus, October 5, an eight pound girl. She has been named Lee Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ooley are the proud parents of an eight pound girl, named Clara Jean.

Spearman Cash Grocery In New Location

the Spearman has its stock mov Grocery the Hoss ready for business. Mr. Ta says that will handle Groc and the fin est fresh meats obtainable, at his new stand.

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Football Sidelights on How The Lynx Trimmed Rangers

There must have been 500 loyal Spearman fans who saw their fighting Lynx trim the Perryton Rangers last Friday night on Perryton's own field. And we believe that everyone will say they never saw a high school football squad function any smoother or fight any harder than did those spunky, hard-hitting Lynx. Spectators went away saying that Spearman is at least two touchdowns better than Perryton any day. And that's that, Perryton. How do you like "them" apples.

When Spearman's motorcade arrived at the outskirts of the city, they were met by Perryton's fighting mayor, Dave Shanks and Van Stewart, publisher of the Ochiltree County Herald. They built an archway, with a big welcome over it, saying they were glad to have us as their guests. And we say, that's mighty fine. You'll have to go a long way more before you find a city that has more spirit and up-and-doing fellows than Perryton.

Funny thing, just before the game started over there several Perryton supporters were running around waving money trying to get a wager on their team. After Ikey Vernon made monkeys out of the entire Perryton team when he took a punt and weaved his way for a touchdown, the Perryton enthusiasts stuck their money in their pockets, tucked their tails and hid in the crowd. We never heard of them wanting to bet any more.

Had you ever stopped to think that during all that hard game Friday the Spearman Lynx never fumbled a ball? That's exactly what they did. Those boys got in there and played a brand of football that few high school teams in class B are able to play. Cool-headed with a lot of strategy and brains behind every play. You've got to hand a bouquet to that little Lynx quarterback that commanded his team with so much skill. Owens didn't show up like a star, he didn't make any sensational runs or plays that made the stands get up on their feet and cheer him, but you can bet your life that he deserves a lot of credit for that defeat we handed Perryton.

And another thing you ought to think about. Coach Billy Jarvis deserves the commendation of every Spearman citizen for the way his boys played football. The finish and skill that his boys showed was due absolutely to the training that Jarvis has given them. Jarvis is one of the most valuable

coaches of the Panhandle-Plains and we hope Spearman can keep him.

Wasn't it a shame that the game ended when it did just as long Tom Tindel started knitting his way thru that Perryton line. We were off for another counter. It wouldn't have taken but a half minute to have gotten that touchdown. It simply showed that our boys DID fight till the last whistle. They had Perryton's line groggy and beat to pieces.

Say, but we hope Ikey Vernon is not hurt so badly. Of course he'll be out of the game with Elkheart, Kansas, next Friday, but we hope by Friday week that he'll be able to play against Follett. When we get that game in the old sack we'll be off for district honors.

After all, we hope Perryton don't feel hurt over losing the game. The best team won, no doubt about that. It was too bad that the referee had to put Ruppertch, Perryton's captain and so-called best man out of the game for slugging. We would like to have seen him play the entire game. As for that matter, Perryton could not have beaten those fighting Lynx with a dozen Ruppertch's. The referee evidently did what he thought to be the fair thing and no one should for a moment question his decision.

Remember last year when Perryton came over here, we had one of our best men, Ikey Vernon, put off the field for the same reason. Of course we beefed just like Perryton did last Friday but it didn't do any good. Try and change a referee's decision. It just isn't being done.

A week from this coming Friday we're going up against Follett for another conference game. Perryton plays Follett next Friday at Perryton. Let's don't get it in our heads that Follett is going to be easy. Their goal line hasn't been crossed this season. They've got a well balanced team and as fast set of back as you'll find in any high school aggregation.

The game with Elkheart here next Friday will be a good one. Of course, it's not a conference game but it will be just as interesting. Let's all go out and back up our fighting men. They've got the stuff and let's keep them encouraged. They're going a long way this season.

Well, so long, see you at the game Friday.

states are planning intensive road programs for the winter. Few localities have sufficient improved road mileage. We have developed great trunk highways between main centers of population—while, for the most part, five or ten miles away, in farming areas, roads are subject to the vagaries of weather and the seasons.

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ONCE-TOLD TALES

By J. D. C.

THEM WHAT'S WED

Lonzo had long been wed. Some few calanders previous he'd tied himself—temporarily, so to speak—in these days of short thoughts and long sleeps, to a caricaturian brunette who had hypnotized the old burd and led him to a knot-tying demonstration before he could recover from the spell. He didn't know anything for about a month, but when the honeymoon savor began to grow less flavorful, he looked upon the outside world as good as to say, "What the l'ave I done?" But somehow the female person that had nabbed him had enough power stored up behind her lashes to make old Lon stay put. At least, he plugged along, kissing her three times per, and executing about face every time she hinted the command.

Lon being a knee-pant side kick of mine, he never failed to pour his troubles into mine sound register. Right at this curve, I wonder why married men choose some crabbed old bachelor to confide their matrimonial spills to, when they know he can't sympathize understandingly with the poor boob. I calculate its because they think a bachelor ain't got no troubles.

Well, poor Lon came to me with a whine in his voice like a sick kitten. "Bunk," so says gushy-like, "I'm in love." "Fine," I says, "take the wife a bouquet." "Ah you dumb-headed bozo," he splutters like he's getting het up, "you are like all bachelors, thinkin' men in love with his wife. Nay—never. I've been knocked for by a queen that wouldst have made O' Cleo shed her sandals. A blond babe that wouldst make Pre Hoover forget about the 1931 campaign. And Bunk, the pain of it is I haven't got the old inside to tell my better Portion about it."

I laughs out loud like Jac Dempsey did when somebody told him Gene Tunney could lick him with the gloves off. "Lon," I says, "you're expecting me to dub you a cocanut hurler, but you're wrong. You're not a grain nuttie than any of the other altar vic tims that tumbles for the dame what trails a rustling gown and wafts a mean scent of perfume. You're like a lot of other married boys with that Don Juan complex always gettin your feet wet. Tur key wouldst have been a good place for you to live about a cen tury ago, but this land of the Stars, Stripes and Racketeers is better now—if you have a good man what speels the law and a few berries to spend on him. Your first trip to the plate of weddin bells struck you out so completely that you're an easy rooky now, for the dame what hurls a mean ball."

"But Bunk," he interrupted me, "what if my wife should learn that I have been steppin hence with the dizzy dame?" "Good," I says, "That's just what you want her to do. If she believes you're still worth three squares a day, a limousine, a club membership, a credit at two beauty parlors, and five department stores, a country home and a million iron men in the bank, with your John Dudley underscored on three stacks of check books, she'll probably knock you for a few trips and forgive and overlook your outlawin' and continue to mother you. If not, she'll get friendly real soon with some of these burds what smears the law and you'll get to have a real root-in, tootin time with your queen of Sheby, if you have enough left out of the alimony to buy her a couple of violets."

Advice:—Tell your wife every thing—she'll find it out anyway.

Farm Cooperatives Vital

In a recent address Charles S. Wilson, a member of the Federal Farm Board, emphasized the fact that to get benefits from farm relief, the individual producer must first belong to a cooperative association of some kind. The overwhelming surpluses of farm products that have flooded the market and knocked the bottom out of price levels, must be overcome by unified action in all phases of production and sales. Mr. Wilson commented favorably on several cooperative organizations, such as the pioneer Dairymen's League Association of New York, which have done good work for their members.

Those farmers who believe that the government, by passing a bill can immediately bring unprecedented prosperity to agriculture, should pay attention to what Mr. Wilson—in company with many other authorities, public and private—has said. No artificial curbs can permanently raise farm prices and establish the industry on a sound foundation. No politician can repeal the law of supply and demand. Government may help, it—but the fundamental

need is for cooperation among farmers themselves. They must band together into large and powerful organizations, if they are to control their destinies. The farming industry is basically no different than a manufacturing industry—and has given this country world industrial supremacy, will produce exactly the same results for the farm as for any other business.

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Roads Versus Doles

It is generally believed in America that the only feasible cure for the unemployment problem is to provide jobs—and not doles. The experience of England, riddled with debt largely because of its out-of-work pensions has not been missed by thinking citizens of this country.

Stimulated public works on the part of the states is being advocated on all sides. Foremost among such activities is the building of roads. In many cases eighty cents of the road dollar goes to labor, which most needs it, and building materials are extremely cheap at the present time.

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states are planning intensive road programs for the winter. Few localities have sufficient improved road mileage. We have developed great trunk highways between main centers of population—while, for the most part, five or ten miles away, in farming areas, roads are subject to the vagaries of weather and the seasons.

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Getting Advice From a Veteran



NICHOLAS, NICHOLAS of Romania, general inspector of his country's armies, is here seen, at the left, getting pointers on military affairs from Marshal Pilsudski, the veteran boss of Poland, during a visit to Warsaw. The prince is a brother of King Carol.

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National Sunday School Lesson

By DR. J. E. NUNN

OCTOBER 25, 1931

Topic:—Paul in Corinth. Lesson:—Acts 18:1-11.

1. After these things he departed from Athens, and came to Corinth.

2. There he found a certain Jew named Aquila, a man of Pontus, who had come from Italy, with Priscilla, because he had commanded all the Jews that he should depart from Rome; and he came to Corinth.

3. Because he was of the same trade, he abode with them, and wrought; for by their trade they were tentmakers.

4. He reasoned in the synagogues every sabbath, and persuaded the Greeks.

5. When Silas and Timothy came down from Macedonia, he constrained by the word, to go with him to the Jews that were at Corinth.

6. And when they opposed him, and blasphemed, he departed thence, and went to the house of a certain man named Titus Justus, one who worshipped God, whose house was next to the synagogue.

7. Crispus, the ruler of the synagogue, believed in him, and all his household; and many of the Greeks hearing believed and were baptized.

8. The Lord said unto Paul in the night by a vision, Be not afraid to speak and hold not thy tongue; for I am with thee, and no man shall set on thee to harm thee: for I have much people in this city.

9. And he dwelt there a year and six months, teaching the word among them.

10. Next—Now abideth faith, hope, these three: and the best of these is love.—1 Cor. 13:13.

11. A. D. 51, 42. Athens, Corinth.

12. Athens. Acts 17:14, 15. He reached Athens, Paul a city which has never been called as an original infidel.

13. It is renowned as a Roman of a higher social rank than Aquila, being commonly named first. But "no other married couple in the Bible appear in such complete all-round association."

14. Both were earnest Christians, both teachers of the Word, and they worked together at the same trade.

15. "And because he was of the same trade, he abode with them." If, as is most probable, they were already Christians as well as Jews, that would furnish the strongest bond uniting the apostle to them.

16. "For their trade they were tentmakers." Thus the three formed both a business and a spiritual partnership—one of the finest in history.

17. "And he reasoned in the synagogue every sabbath." Here also, as at Athens and everywhere else, Paul began with the Jews and in the synagogue, finding there his easiest start and most fruitful field.

18. Paul Turns to the Gentiles. v. 6. "And when they opposed themselves and blasphemed, he shook out his raiment." A vigorous gesture of entire separation from them, as if he would get rid of even the dust that might have settled on his from them.

19. "And said unto them, Your blood be upon your own heads; I am clean." I am henceforth free from responsibility with regard to you; I have done all that can be done for you; if you die the death of the spirit, it is your own fault entirely.

20. "From henceforth I will go unto the Gentiles." He had said this before, as in the Pisidian Antioch (Acts 13:46), and in other cities, as in Corinth, had begun his ministry with the Jews, which he was to continue doing when he came to new cities (see Acts 19:8), which shows that such expressions relate only to the local ministry.

21. "And the Lord said unto Paul in the night by a vision." We are not told why this vision of Christ was needed, but Paul was evidently depending on account of the opposition to his work and he was in personal danger.

22. "Be not afraid." Those words were often on the lips of the Lord when he was in the flesh. "But speak and hold not thy peace." Do not allow this opposition to quell your ardor, to daunt your spirit. The more difficult the hostility the more need of brave Christian perseverance.

23. "For I am with thee, and no man shall set on thee to harm thee." This shows that fear of bodily harm such as he had suffered so terribly at Lystra and at Philippi, had something to do with Paul's despondency.

24. "For I have much people in this city." "It was in purpose and presence as yet that Christ had them as his people, and not in accomplished fact. But this presence, instead of suppressing effort, is given as the encouragement to exertion. And Paul understood his Lord. The intimation that a multitude of the Corinthians would certainly be saved spurred him on to instant and persevering labor in the gospel, that thereby he might save souls."

25. Paul Before Gallio. Acts 18:12-17. "The opposition of the Jews, which, at the beginning of St. Paul's stay in Corinth, had driven him from the synagogue and forced him to seek a new center for his work, and which had continued to impede him during his whole residence in the city (2 Thess. 3:2), at last broke into open hostility."—E. Basil Redlick.

enough to show how powerful and wise it must have been. The apostle took his text from an altar which he had seen inscribed—in the Athenians' anxiety not to omit any deity from their pantheon, for fear of offending him—"To an Unknown God." "That unknown God," said Paul, "I can tell you about. He is the one God, who made the world and all things therein, who does not dwell in men-made temples, who made of one all nations, in whom we all live, after whom all men are instinctively groping though he is not far away."

The City of Corinth. v. 1. "After these things he departed for Athens, and came to Corinth." Corinth was situated on the narrow passage of land which connected the northern portion of Greece with the Morea. The connecting piece of land was called the Isthmus, and so great was its fame that its name has since been bestowed upon every similarly situated neck of land. The town itself gave its name to the fruit which is so popular under the name of currants. Corinth of the two seas, as the city was styled by poets, was magnificently situated for purposes of trade.

All travellers, whether for business or pleasure, between the northern and southern parts of Greece, had to pass by the gates of Corinth. In addition to this, its two harbors, Lechaicum on the west and Cenchræe on the east, were full of ships which came from every country which was known at that day, crowded with travellers eager to drink deeply of the pleasures of this famous city of delight. Corinth was the Paris of the Empire. A mercantile town, its chief business was to attract wealthy foreigners whose purses strings would not be kept too tightly drawn. The shameless licentiousness of the place was notorious even under the Empire.

Aquila and Priscilla. v. 2. "And he found a certain Jew named Aquila." A Latin name, meaning "eagle." "With his wife Priscilla." Also called Prisca, of which Priscilla is a diminutive form. It is not said that she was a Jew, and she may have been a Roman of a higher social rank than Aquila, being commonly named first. But "no other married couple in the Bible appear in such complete all-round association."

Both were earnest Christians, both teachers of the Word, and they worked together at the same trade. "And because he was of the same trade, he abode with them." If, as is most probable, they were already Christians as well as Jews, that would furnish the strongest bond uniting the apostle to them. "For their trade they were tentmakers." Thus the three formed both a business and a spiritual partnership—one of the finest in history. "And he reasoned in the synagogue every sabbath." Here also, as at Athens and everywhere else, Paul began with the Jews and in the synagogue, finding there his easiest start and most fruitful field.

Paul Turns to the Gentiles. v. 6. "And when they opposed themselves and blasphemed, he shook out his raiment." A vigorous gesture of entire separation from them, as if he would get rid of even the dust that might have settled on his from them. "And said unto them, Your blood be upon your own heads; I am clean." I

that Christianity was not a religion formally allowed by the Roman law to be taught. Gallio did not wait for Paul to make his defence, but at once decided that no question of wrongdoing was before him, only a question

"about words and names and your own law," which they should attend to themselves; and he drove them contemptuously from his court.

The Love Chapter. 1 Cor. 13. Paul was making his long stay in Ephesus during his third missionary journey when a committee reached him from Corinth, telling him of dissensions in the church and of evil practices which had

arisen, and he wrote his first Corinthian Epistle to urge unity and purity on the Christians of Corinth. In the thirteenth chapter of the letter "we enter into the purest atmosphere and breathe the most fragrant odors. "With the exception of the end of Rom. 8; this is the most beautiful and moving passage in St. Paul's letters."—Principal John K. Mazley. "Nowhere does Paul show more

clearly how entirely his thought is ruled by the Spirit of the Lord Jesus. This hymn is a lyrical interpretation of the Sermon on the Mount—the Beautitudes set to music."—Prof. W. F. Howard. "For moral elevation, for richness and comprehensiveness, for beauty and felicity of expression, this chapter has been the admiration of the church in all ages.—Prof. Charles Hodge.

The Old Gardener Says:

LILIES are the last of the hardy bulbs to plant, as many kinds do not arrive in this country until late in the season. If they are not delivered before freezing weather comes on, the ground where they are to go should be covered with a deep layer of spent manure or with some form of litter which will keep it from freezing too hard to permit digging. Lilies need a location which is well drained, and if the earth is very heavy, a little sand should be run under them. Some growers go so far as to encase them with sand all around, and take pains to plant those having fleshy scales on their sides rather than in an upright position. Deep planting is important with most lilies. This means to ten inches underground.

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Football-

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Perryton's ball. Shockey Picks up 1 yard. Johnson makes two more. Tuckers pass to Hull is incomplete. Shockey kicks out of bounds on Lynx 12 yard line. Madden gains 8 through Ranger line. Vernon gets off a nice kick for 45 yards. Perryton returns to their own 49 yard line. Shockey kicks 35, where ball was downed on Spearman's 14 yard line. Gamble makes 2 through the line. Vernon Kicks 38 yards to Hull who returns 10 yards and is down on the Lynx 44 yard line. Johnson plungs through the lynx line for 6 yards. Shockey kicks 35 yards to Vernon who returns 16 yards to his own 19 yard line. Gamble loses 2 on a try through the Ranger line. Tindell replaces Schubert at right tackle for the Lynx. Vernon kicks 32 yards and Perryton returns 10 yards to Spearman's 49 yard strike. Tucker makes 5 yards through the line. Johnson makes 2 feet. A pass Johnson to Shockey to Hull was incomplete. Shockey punts 33 yards to Spearman's 11 yard line where ball is downed. On the first down Vernon Kicked 37 yards to Garrison who is downed in his tracks. Tucker fails to gain thru Lynx line. Shockey also fails on a try through the line. Shockey Kicks 19 yards, out of bounds.

Second Quarter
Spearman's ball on own 23 yard line. Gamble gains 5 yards. Vernon kicks 37 yards. Garrison fumbles and Bamble recovers. The Lynx have the ball on the Ranger's 45 yard line. Gamble fails to gain. Maddens pass to Vernon is incomplete. Gamble gains 1 yard. Vernon kicks 38 yards the ball goes out of bounds and is put in play by Perryton on their own 5 yard line. Shockey punts 35 yards to Vernon who returns for a touchdown. The try for point after touchdown fails. Score Lynx 6, Ranger 0. Owens kicks off 40 yards for Spearman. Shockey returns to his 31 yard line. Johnson's pass to Shockey is incomplete. Johnson fumbles. Shockey recovers for a yard loss. Gamble receives Johnson's 18 yard kick but is downed in his tracks. Vernon skirts the Ranger's left end for 43 yards and first down. Madden makes a yard. Madden loses 4. Owens gains 4 through the line. Owens pass is incomplete. Ball goes to Perryton on downs. Tucker gains 3 yards through the line. Johnson fumbles on the next play but recovers after losing 4 yards. Johnson kicks 24 yards. Owens makes a yard through the line. Gamble's pass to Vernon is incomplete. Vernon passes for 10 yards. Madden's pass to Owens is incomplete. Madden loses 3 yards. Vernon kicks 20 yards but the ball was returned and the Ranger's captain was disqualified from further play for roughing and his team received a 15 yard penalty. Vernon carried the ball 7 yards and first down. Gamble fails to gain. Vernon loses 4. Vernon's pass to Owens was incomplete. Perryton gets the ball on downs. Tucker makes a gain of 1 yard as the half ends.

Third Quarter
Owens kicks off to Johnson who returns to his 35 yard line. Garrison gains 1 yard. Johnson fumbles but recovers. Garrison's pass is intercepted by Madden who returns it 3 yards. The Lynx draw a 5 yard penalty for offside. Owens pass to Madden is incomplete. Madden gains 4 yards. Vernon picks up 8 yards through the right side of his line. Vernon kicks 28 yards which goes out of bounds on Perryton's 4 yard line. Garrison kicks 20 yards to Vernon. Vernon loses 4. Vernon's pass to Tindell is incomplete. Vernon punts 15 yards to Perryton's 23 yard line. Perryton's ball. Hull gains 3 thru the line. Johnson's pass to Hull was incomplete. Atherton blocked Johnson's kick but it was recovered by Johnson on his own 4 yard line. Johnson's punt for 40 yards was returned 30 yards by Ikey Vernon. This placed the ball on Perryton's 24 yard line. Spearman failed to gain on the next play. Pass Gamble to Madden incomplete. A fumble recovered by Owens netted the Lynx 5 yards. On the next play an incomplete pass resulted for Spearman. The ball goes over on down on Perryton's 17 yard line. Hull gained 2 yards. Johnson gains 2. Johnson kicks 45 yards. Vernon is downed on his 42 yard line. Gamble loses 4 yards. Vernon kicks 30. Perryton's ball on their 32 yard line. Garrison loses a yard. Spearman draws a 5 yard penalty for off side. Pass Shockey to Hull is complete. Johnson gains 2 yards.

Garrison's pass on the first down was incomplete. Atherton smears an attempted triple pass by the Rangers. Garrison's pass to Hull was incomplete. Garrison punts 30 yards. Vernon returns 5. The Lynx failed to gain on two line plays. Vernon Kicks 35 and Hull returns 40, he is downed on Spearman's 36 yard line. Garrison gains 4 yards. On the next play Garrison picks up 12 yards, for first down. Johnson gains a yard. Cator downs Johnson for a yard loss. A pass Johnson to Hull fails. Johnson fails on another attempted pass. Spearman's ball. Vernon kicks 30 yards on the first down. The quarter ends with the Rangers in possession of the ball on Spearman's 44 yard line.

Fourth Quarter
Garrison's pass is incomplete. Spearman draws a 15 yard penalty for holding. Perryton fails to gain on first down. An end run fails to net the Rangers anything. Tuckers pass fails. Garrison's kick out of bounds. Spearman's ball on their 20 yard line. Gamble gains 4 on a line play. Spearman penalized half the distance to the goal line for holding, 12 yards. Vernon kicks 34 yards. Hull circles his right end for 7 yards. Perryton's pass is incomplete. Perryton gets 5 yards penalty for second incomplete pass. Perryton fail to pass for the third straight time. Ball goes over. Vernon gains 5 yards. Gamble picks up 8 more for first down. Gamble gains 2. Gamble picks up 2 more. Gamble gains 2 more. Vernon kicks out of bounds on his own 20 yard line. Perryton's fake play is smearing for a 7 yard loss. Perryton gains 2. Garrison kicks 30. Vernon returns 21 yards. Gamble gains 3 through center. Gamble gains 1 more. Gamble gains 4 through the line. Gamble's pass to Vernon fails. The ball goes to Perryton on their 17 yard line. Garrison's pass is blocked for 10 yards loss Garrison Punts 20 to his 26 yard line where Vernon is downed. Tindell gains 4. Tindell fails to gain. Tindell's pass fails. Vernon kicks 22 yards. Perryton's ball on their 20 yard line. Garrison gains 4 yards through the line. Johnson's pass is incomplete. Johnson completes pass for 5 yards. Johnson kicks 30 yards. Spearman's ball on Perryton's 48 yard line. Tindell makes 8 yards through line. Tindell makes first down. Tindell makes 9 yards. Tindell makes 6 and first down as game ends.

Windom Makes Freshman Team at Okla. A. & M.

Stillwater, Okla., Oct. 22.—(Special.) Cloyd Windom of Spearman, Texas, is a member of the finest freshman football squad in history at Oklahoma A. and M. College.
Not only is the squad exceptional in point of numbers—100 are reporting daily—but in point of material as well.
"It is by far the uskiest group of freshmen we've had in my three years as freshman coach," says Harold (Puny) James, who directs the efforts of the first year gridmen.
The Spearman boy is playing end on one of several freshman teams from which the No. 1 first year eleven will be picked for two games scheduled this season.
On October 30, the freshmen will play Oklahoma Military Academy at Stillwater. The O. M. A. Cadets are traditional rivals of Cowboy freshmen in football and basketball.
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LOCALS

D. K. Hall of Gruver came into Spearman Wednesday and visited with friends here.

Leroy Satterwhite of Hitchland attended to business in Spearman Wednesday.

D. F. Buller of Waka transacted business in Spearman Wednesday. She reported a good rain out there.

J. H. Campbell, who lives south of Spearman was in Wednesday looking after business matters.

Mrs. M. B. Wright and Miss Lorene Morton have spent the past week in Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. C. E. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoskins and family were Texoma visitors Sunday.

Lester Howell and C. L. Cecil made a business trip to Liberal, Kansas, Wednesday of this week.

Max Lackey was buying some drill parts to begin sowing wheat on his farm southwest of town. He said he got a good rain.

J. W. Bushman, from down in Palo Duro valley, made a business trip to Spearman this week.

Misses Otto May and Mary Riemer visited in the home of Mrs. Elbert Keith Sunday.

Walter Allen, attorney of Perryton was looking after legal matters in Spearman Wednesday.

Attorney Phillip Wolfe of Pampa was in the city Monday, conversing with friends and attending to business matters.

J. I. Steele was in from his ranch in the Palo Duro valley Wednesday and reported a good rain.

Irvin Hester came in from Dalhart Tuesday night and reported a heavy rainfall between here and Dalhart.

Rex Sanders who visited his farm southeast of Spearman Wednesday said a big rain fell in that community.

C. B. Rosenbaum and family spent the week end in Sayre, Oklahoma, visiting friends and relatives.

C. L. Tackitt was here Friday from Glazier and helped his father W. Tackitt move his grocery stock into their new location.

Henry Ralston was a business visitor in Spearman Monday, from his ranch home in the Kimball community.
Miss Greta Wilbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mathews returned from Dalhart Wednesday, where they visited Miss Una Hutton, who has underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Amarillo Leads State Cutting Utility Rates

Amarillo, October 15.—Amarillo has led the state and the nation in cutting utility and other costs of living. Inspired by her example, at least 240 other Texas cities and towns will take official action at once to force down utility rates, according to a resolution passed by the Texas League of Municipalities.

This news was disclosed today by Col. Ernest O. Thompson, mayor of Amarillo and first vice president of the League, who attended the meeting in Fort Worth. "The resolution was passed unanimously," said Mayor Thompson.

"and in adopting it, the mayors, city managers and other executives of 240 municipalities attending the meeting pledged to go back home and take official action to cut utility rates. Amarillo was in a neutral position, having already cut the rate on every utility as well as on taxes. Therefore we were able to render a real service in encouraging and counseling others."

"Amarillo has cut annual costs of living for her people 10,000," Mayor Thompson explained. "and any city, town or community can have the same kind of relief if the people will put a front in making demands. Utility taxation and high utility rates are the bane of the country. No all present-day problems can be solved right in your own community; and if not solved here, a little relief can be expected where."



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Good Buys Friday and Saturday

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PRINCIPAL'S PARAGRAPH

Now that the first six weeks period has come to a close it is well that we take inventory of our stock of efforts and achievement. One sixth of our school year has passed. Just what have we accomplished during that time? Have we made the most of this time and the opportunities it afforded?

Most high school students have been applying themselves diligently. The report cards will be indicative of the application and diligence. A few stragglers, like the poor, we shall have with us always. There are a few who find every task a drudgery and every assignment a bore—the few who follow the line of least resistance—the drifters. Just what can such a student expect to gain from his schooling? If permitted to follow his natural bent, he becomes shiftless, undependable and worthless to himself and to society; if compelled to acquiesce to law and order and meet the minimum requirements, he becomes a martyr bowed down under the demands of relentless taskmasters. Such a student should be made to realize that the first step in becoming really educated is learning to do the thing he most dislikes to do—to conquer himself, his selfish desires, and to meet with enthusiasm the duties that confronts him.

Every individual must learn that his is a responsibility to himself, to his school, and to society. To ignore that responsibility is to court disaster.

LYNX LORE

Is it customary for the coach to embrace a young lady when a touchdown is being made by a Lynx? This bird family is becoming rather complicated affair as Mrs. Scissortail is now filing suit for divorce. Does anyone know what the complaint is?

One of our Sophies, yes a girl, is rather fond of a Freshie. I think it is understood that Vera Beth will give ample information.

Was this Canyon trip a fake or just accommodating Miss Lawrence?

It appears to outsiders, that the football team is increasing in numbers, as we understand that some kids, who have never appeared on the grid, enjoyed the free show Friday night.

What's becoming of the Junior class? It seems that two of the immediate members of this class were recognized in church Sunday night entertaining themselves with a little coin matching.

LIONS GIVE BANQUET

The banquet the Lions club gave the football boys on Tuesday, October 13, before the Perryton-Spearman game was greatly appreciated by everyone present. The talks made by the Lions and football boys put new life in the Lynx team. Miss Merle Holt gave an interesting reading and the readings by Oscar and Charles Patten Archer were enjoyed.

We want to congratulate Miss Maudie Holt and the Home Ec. girls for the splendid meal they prepared.

We, the entire student body, are very grateful for our artist. Colleen Tower is very good in the artistic sense and we wish to compliment and also congratulate her on the drawings which were on display in the Home Ec. room the night of the banquet given in honor of our Lynx.

We have had 3 six-weeks examinations and we are going to have 3 more tomorrow.

She has blue eyes, straight, light brown hair, and a graceful figure. Last year she was a gay, cheerful maiden, but this year she seems down hearted and blue.

After terrific struggles the freshman finally finished his examination paper and then at the end, wrote: "Dear Professor: If you sell any of my answers to the funny papers, I expect you to split fifty-fifty with me."

DRAMATIC CLUB TO STAGE THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS

The dramatic club has devoted much time in preparing three one-act plays to be given in the high school auditorium, Friday night, October 23, at 8:00. The admission is 10 and 25 cents. We feel that everyone should attend this and watch the students who are progressing nicely in this line of work.

These plays are not benefit plays. They are for the good of our student body and we will appreciate all favors rendered by the public. You are acquainted with the entire cast, therefore we insist that you come and bring someone with you.

Seventh A has been very busy the last week taking our six-weeks tests. Everyone is doing their best work.

John Earl: "Why did they buy the captain at sea?"
Doc: "Because he was dead."

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SNIDER EXPRESSES THANKS FOR SUPPORT OF LOCAL CITIZENS

The way the citizens of Spearman and the adjacent district rallied to the support of our school Friday, October 16, will never be forgotten by our school. I do not believe there was a child left in the school district—I know you provided ways for all who expressed a desire to attend the football game that was played at Perryton Friday at 3 p. m.

In as much as this was a conference game, I shall express my thanks to Coach Billy Jarvis, and the Lynx, for bringing home the bacon, one of the most loyal and worthy groups of young men I have ever seen go in a huddle. To the other students of the school, the pep squad and your sponsor, to Mr. A. H. Word, all principals and faculty members, may I say that I appreciate your whole-hearted cooperation.

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Local P. T. A. Entertains County Council

Saturday at two o'clock in the high school auditorium the local Parent-Teacher association welcomed the associations of Gruver and Spearman. Mrs. McClellan of Gruver, president of the council, had charge of the meeting.

The council opened with a business meeting. Upon the reading of a letter of resignation from Mrs. Durham of Morse, Mrs. Cooke, also of Morse, was elected secretary of the Council. Following this election the reports of the various chairmen were heard.

During a discussion of the Red Cross and the Red Cross Nurse, Mrs. Joe Perry of Spearman read a letter from Porto Rico, acknowledging the receipt of a package sent by the local council. It was decided to allot twenty-five dollars for part expenses for a Red Cross Nurse in this county. In the allotment Morse is to receive \$4, Gruver \$7, and Spearman \$14.

In the absence of an out of town speaker, Mrs. Buchanan of Spearman discussed for the members the duties of the Councils.

After the business meeting the following people entertained: Mary Coffee, Morse, reading; Miss Morton, Spearman, solos; Miss Prazier, Gruver, reading.

At the close of the entertainment cake and ice cream prepared by the Morse Association was served by the Morse high school girls.

The next meeting of the P. T. A. County Council will be held on the second Saturday in January, 1932, in Spearman.

Boy Scouts Go On Hike

A great deal of interest is being taken in the Boy Scout program that is being initiated in Morse. Some 15 boys have already signed up as prospective Tenderfeet, and many of them are ready to apply for Tenderfoot qualifications, which is the "first grade" in Scouting.

Several hikes have been conducted to date by Ernest Cabe, Jr., local scoutmaster. The last hike, which took place Saturday, was taken up Palo Duro Creek to the north of Morse. The boys were quite interested when they found a number of Indian beads in a cave in the side of the canyon.

All parents are urged to encourage their boys, between the ages of twelve to eighteen, to affiliate with the local troop.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Maddox, accompanied by Dave Cambren, went to Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durham, with their son Bub, went to Borger Saturday.

Jack Gillispie, who recently got his arm broken, is back in school again.

Morse Victorious Over Plemons

For the second time this year the Morse Mustangs romped to victory over the Plemons Indians here on the Mustang gridiron last Friday afternoon to a tune of 27 to 13. The teams were again well matched and they played a tight game for the first half after which the Mustangs stamped to end the game with the ball in their possession and heading for a fifth touchdown, lacking only about ten yards with four downs left to score on.

Town Basketball Team Organized at Morse

A meeting of all women and girls interested in basketball was held Monday afternoon in the high school auditorium. A town team was organized, with Mrs. Bert Cator as captain. Those who will work out for a place on the team are: Mrs. Horace Tompkins, Mrs. Eva Pierce, Mrs. Bert Cator, Vina Hays, Mary Coffee, Minnie Green, Doccia Pearl Duty and Lonnie Hunt.

At the meeting it was agreed to meet for practice at four o'clock Monday and Wednesday of each week. As yet no coach has been selected.

Honor Roll Morse School

The following honor roll is made up from the first six weeks work of the Morse school. The roll is composed of those pupils who have made as much as "B" average or higher. The conduct of the pupils is taken into consideration in placing a student on the roll.

First Grade:—Laverne Henderson, Rena McNutt, Zola Moe Sheets, Lenten Battie, James, Ray Jones.

Second Grade:—Bertaliph Pyle, Jimmie Rose Roberts, Margaret Ryan, Francis Sheets.

Third Grade:—Maxine Durham.

Fourth Grade:—Harold Reece Norman, Jesse Unruh, Kay Weaver, LaVerne Hubbard, Nannie Grace Sheets.

Fifth Grade:—Elivisa Speer.

Sixth Grade:—Bryce Hubbard, Maxine Casey.

Seventh Grade:—Dorothy Ann Coffee, Joyce Womble, John Gillispie.

Sophomore:—Frederick Forester, Le Roy Sheets, Roy Stevenson.

Junior:—Stanley Kelly, Wayne Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Womble, Ruth and Kathryn Ann. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Speer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNutt, Mr. and Mrs. Coffee and family, and Mr. L. Cline attended the Methodist Quarterly Conference at Gruver Sunday.

Wendt Visits Morse 4-H Club Members

Mr. Wendt, the County Agent of Hansford, was a visitor last week with his club boys and girls of the Morse school. He states that much interest is manifested by the club members who are as follows: La Verne Hubbard, Ben Frank Gillispie, John Lanners, Wayne Kelly, Stanley Kelly, Mike Bakentine, Clyde Miller, John Gillispie, Francis Knox, Una Coffee, Joyce Womble, Robin Giblin, Bryce Hubbard, Jack Noe and Cecil Hubbard. Each member now has a definite project to work with.

Morse Golf Club Organized

On Thursday evening of last week at a meeting which was held in the Morse Pharmacy, it was unanimously agreed that Morse would soon have a golf course. Mr. Vaughn of the Morse Pharmacy was elected president, and Mr. Purdie of the Panhandle Lumber Co., was elected secretary-treasurer. The course will be located on the townsite property. It will be a level course, but plenty of distance will make the course difficult to par.

How to Keep Fit

Dr. H. W. Sechrist of Morse, lectured to the Morse School Monday morning at the regular chapel period on "How to Keep Fit". The talk was practical and to the point. Rev. A. H. Freeman and Mrs. Freeman will entertain at the assembly period next week. Visitors are always welcome to the chapel programs.

The Morse school has begun its activity in Band and Glee Club this week. Miss Lorna Stock will have the Glee Club which was organized Tuesday with about ten members. Boys and girls both are taking much interest. The band work will be under the direction of Mr. Earnest Cabe and this work will begin Wednesday of this week. It is the desire of the school that real wide-awake clubs will soon be developed.

Quarterly Conference

The Quarterly conference of Methodist Episcopal Church of the Perryton District met at Gruver last Sunday. A delegation from Morse attended despite the weather conditions. Those who went from Morse were: Mr. and Mrs. F. Womble and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Coffee and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Speer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNutt, and L. Cline. The party reported a nice time with plenty of fine dinner. The Gruver people certainly know how to entertain their visitors.

Mr. Speer presented Sibyl Parks with a certificate of distinction that she won for being one of the best salesmen in the recent newspaper campaign. The certificate was issued by the Curtis Publishing Company of Philadelphia.

Henry Davis has been absent recently on account of the serious illness of his cousin who was operated on for appendicitis in Perryton last week. It has been necessary for the surgeons to call for volunteers to offer blood in an effort to save the patient's life.

Texas Poultry Breeders Rank High In Contest

Stephenville, Texas, October 22.—That Texas poultry breeders rank high as compared with those of other states is indicated by results in the three Texas egg-laying contests for the last five years, according to E. C. Johnson, professor of poultry husbandry at John Tarleton Agricultural College and director of the Tarleton International Egg-Laying Contest.

In the fifth Tarleton contest, which closed recently, pens entered by Texas breeders won first place six months of the year, and won four of the ten high places in points and six of the ten high places for eggs for the entire twelve months. Individual hens of Texas producers won five of the first ten places for points and average.

seven of the first ten places for eggs. Points are based on weight and number of eggs.

A pen entered by George B. Koller of Port Angeles, Washington, won the contest with 2336 eggs and 2954.75 points. Erath Egg Farm, Stephenville, had high pen in eggs and second in points, with 2851 eggs and 2861.45 points for the year. Erath Egg Farm's hen No. 16-11 won first individual honors by producing 308 eggs and 326.1 points. Hen No. 11-15 from Aleman Poultry Farm, Hamilton, was high in number of eggs, with 324. For the 365-day period, thirteen hens passed the 300 mark. The average production was 216 eggs per bird, a little more than one higher than last year's average. The average feed cost was \$1.88 and the profit was \$1.44 per bird.

Thirty-eight pens representing breeders from nine states and seven breeds of birds are entered in the sixth Tarleton contest. Contestants include: G. C. Murray, W. L. Payton and Erath Egg Farm, Stephenville; N. B. Spearman and Lloyd Ellis, Fort Worth; John W. Easterwood, Athens; C. O. Davis, Rule; Hillview Farm, De Leon; W. A. Eidel, San Antonio; F. A. Foster, Wichita Falls; Luling Foundation Farm, Luling, Carl Philipp, Riesel; Roy Mefferd, Walnut Springs; C. N. Hill, Houston; Jack B. Denerson, Cisco; Aleman Poultry Farm, Hamilton; Dr. T. J. Pearson, Roswell, New Mexico; J. A. Hanson, Oregon; M. B. Pringle, Farm, Holton, Kansas; Agno, Augusta, Kansas; Crider, Cridersville, Ohio; John, Oronogo, Missouri; Coombs and Son, Safford, Georgia; J. O. Booth, Pleasanton, California; Pratt Experiment Station, Pennsylvania; W. Rhodes, Spencer, West Virginia; J. O. Powell, Windsor, Missouri; R. A. Padgett, Rich Hill, Illinois; Brown and Mann, Stoughton, Indiana.

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Church is Made Up of Individual Members Who Must Work Together

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H. A. Nichols
"Let us exalt His
name." How are we to

do this if we are absent from the church three or four Sundays in each month? They who would grow in grace must love the habitation of God's house. It is those who are planted in the courts of the Lord who shall flourish, and not those who are occasionally there. The church is made up of individual members, and can do nothing except as they work together.

A distinguished man said there were four occasions when he made

at a point to be in his place at the church. Namely: On a stormy Sunday when a stranger preached; when his own pastor preached; and when he himself preached. He would supply each other's lack. For example, one man has a big heart and a little head; another has a big head and little heart; one is strong and another is weak; one is loyal and another is indifferent, hence we need to mix and mingle and grow and learn spiritually. Flow-

ers are pretty on the hill side and dale but they are larger and more beautiful in the hot house.

Laymen as a rule do not realize the importance of church attendance. If they did, they would not so often allow a cloud, or a shower, or mud, or a wind or a snow, or a called, newspaper or a head ache, business trip, picnic, golf game, or any other unnecessary amusement to keep the man home. A minister deserted by his representatives members dies. He dies by inches. No man can preach with sustained fire whose leading people show by their irregular attendance that public worship is to them one of the incidentals or electives of life.

Laymen should talk freely with their pastor, make suggestions and conscientiously work for better methods, but do it in a kindly and constructive manner. Preachers and laymen are each rowing different oars, but they are in the same boat. With only one oar being pulled, there is lots of splash but no progress. Let us see that both oars are being pulled. A great problem is facing America, in the solution of which the church must be greatest factor. May the laymen give the church more time as well as more money and insist that the church shall efficiently function. We are co-workers in God's service.

Donald, chief of the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads is chairman, annually conducts a highway safety campaign in elementary schools throughout the country.

"The need of doing something constructive along highway safety lines was recognized by the National Grange a number of years ago," Mr. Taber said in an announcing results of the various state contests. "As a result we established the annual essay contest in cooperation with the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. That the contest is becoming increasingly effective may be seen by the fact the question of highway safety was discussed in 8,000 subordinate granges throughout the nation, both from the standpoint of the local as well as the national organization. Every contestant read his essay to the group to which he belongs and as

a result at least half the membership of the National Grange has had direct contact with highway safety work, while through our Grange publications and local papers the matter has been brought to the attention of much more than a million rural people."

DISHONORED

BY FRANK VREELAND

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"It would be a bit awkward with others looking on," said Kronau, "if you paid me that kiss now."

This time he pushed all his stacks toward her. "Let's stake it all on one throw—just to show my confidence in your superb intuition." "If you wish." "But I'll make a side bet with you that 9 loses." "What will you bet—with all your chips used?" "A cocktail," he said—"against a kiss." He smiled at her, and for a second his glance was not so much commanding as asking. She gave him her hand as a token. Before releasing it, he raised it swiftly to his lips. An ordinary gesture in Vienna, it seemed in his hands to be something of a salute, as before a duel.

Again the little ball scurried on its frantic mission. This time it was mischievous. It hovered for a moment around 9—and then slid into 17.

Kronau laughed as the croupier raked in all his chips. Though he had lost his entire array of markers, his glance seemed to glimmer with elation.

"Lucky I wasn't risking much on 9," he said to Magda. "As it was, my only real loss might have been—that kiss."

"Who knows?" she smiled collect- edly. "You still mightn't get it."

He rose undaunted, offering his arm. "A cocktail might improve my luck. Perhaps it might also work a change in you."

As he escorted her toward the bar they passed near a small stand, containing flowers for sale. Beyond this belonged two men in evening clothes belonging to the sparse set of civilians sprinkled throughout the gathering. Magda's eyes surveyed these two, as if reproving such young men for dawdling in such dissipation when only older civilians could be present with self-respect. One of the men, as if disconcerted by her gaze, pretentiously took out his cigarette case and opened it.

Magda had a quick impression that Kronau had scanned them too, his eye pouncing back at her. But when she whisked a glance at the ap- peared utterly oblivious to the ap- pearance of the two men, incongruous in their evening clothes. Instead he was lingering over the flowers, detaining her.

"How charming," he murmured. "May I buy you some?" "It would be very sweet of you," she said.

"The violets look the prettiest." He glanced at the small bunch at her waist. "You seem to like them, but you already?"

"I think they've wilted by now—in this close air," she said hastily. She peeped swiftly about for Hugo. He had betaken himself off. "Sup- pose you get me a fresh bouquet."

"Just to be nice to the flower seller?" he rallied her.

Her eyes drooped beguilingly. "Buying flowers is always nice—any way you consider it."

He plucked the violets on her him- self, removing the old cluster and speaking with disarming casualness. "You know, most people think of death as a gaunt, ugly old man."

"What a subject to bring up in con- nection with flowers," she said, some- what startled.

"Well, I think of death as a young and beautiful woman—wearing flowers."

"Violets?"

"Perhaps."

"A strange thought—but one worth reflecting upon."

Having reached the shining bar at the side of the room, Kronau helped her to mount one of the high stools on which patrons sat informally. He ordered two Bacardí cocktails as the bartender came up, while Magda in- spected the glittering pyramid of spec- tled glasses jutting up above the bottles behind the bar. She thought of what a little touch—a breath, almost— might topple them over, like so many things in life—attractions, but hover- ing on the brink of destruction.

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Three Farnsworth Girls Win Prizes In Safety Contest National Grange

Miss Margaret Rogers of Farnsworth was judged as one of the 24 cash winners in the 1931 National Grange Highway Safety Contest. Besides the cash money she will receive, Miss Rogers will be entitled to a silver medal for her winning \$80 word essay. Miss Ruth Ann Rogers of Farnsworth and Miss Joe Brown, were also winners in the bronze medal

group.

With a trip to the National Grange Sessions in Madison, Wis., as first prize and checks ranging from \$50 to \$5 as second to sixth prizes, 24 younger members of the National Grange are eagerly awaiting the judges' decisions in the Contest, according to an- nouncement of L. J. Taber, na- tional master. The annual conven- tion will be held in the Wisconsin capital November 11 to 20.

The 24 competitors hail from as many states ranging from Maine to California and from Texas to Idaho. Each already has earned a silver medal and a check for \$5, representing first state prize, while a total of 52 others submitted essays sufficiently meri- torious to be awarded bronze medals, Mr. Taber said. The sub- ject of the essays was: What The Grange Can Do to Further High- way Safety. Papers were limited to 800 words or less and competi- tors were required to be 18 years of age or under.

All prizes, including the trip to the national convention, are do- nated by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, while the contest is carried out by the High- way Education Board. This organ- ization, of which Thomas H. Mac-

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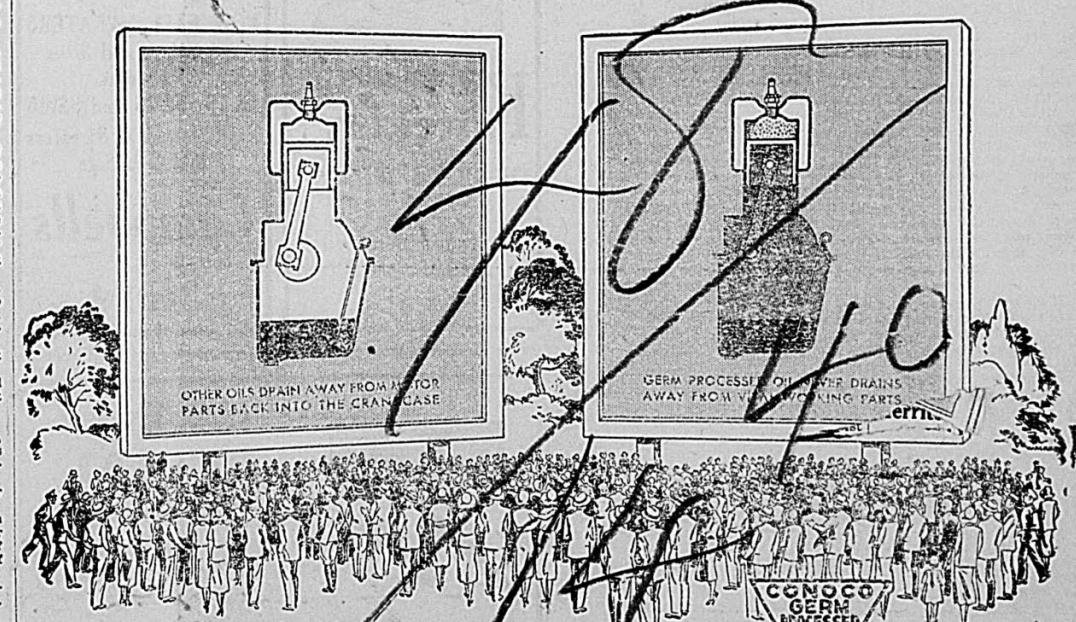
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2. Get plenty of outdoor exercise without unduly fatiguing your- self.
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PARAFFIN BASE

Miss Lois Bailey Elected President of North Plains Union Epworth League Sunday

MEET HERE SUNDAY BRINGS 87 DELEGATES OF SIX PLAINS CITIES

Miss Lois Bailey of Spearman was elected President of the North Plains Union of the Methodist Epworth League by an overwhelming vote last Sunday afternoon when 87 delegates, representing six North Plains cities gathered in Spearman, for what was acclaimed to be one of the most interesting and worthwhile gatherings of that organization for some time. Other officers named were Claude Strader, Canadian, vice president; Mary Alice Timmons, Perryton, secretary-treasurer; and Luella Browner, Gruver, reporter.

The six cities, including Spearman, having representatives present were: Higgins, Booker, Perryton, Canadian, Gruver.

The delegates met at the Legion hall in the afternoon and immediately after registration enjoyed pleasant recreational hour with delightful refreshments.

Thanks were extended from the delegation to C. J. Todd of the Electrified Irrigation farm who donated watermelons. The visiting delegates expressed a rising vote of thanks to Spearman for her hospitality and the excellent way that she had entertained the visitors.

Worthwhile Program

Following the recreational hour the group gathered at the Methodist church where a very interesting and worthwhile program was rendered. The program consisted of a special song by Luella Browner, Gruver; reading, Opal Strader, Canadian, welcome address, Helen Buchanan, Spearman; the usual mot arguments, Mr. McFarland, Gruver; Prohibition and youth, Orene McClellan, Spearman; Prohibition in the future, Reba Barkley, Spearman; Hymn, "Bless be the Tie That Binds" and the League benediction.

During the afternoon the business session was conducted by Addison Cutter, Perryton, ex-president of the organization.

The meeting at the church was under the direction of W. R. Finley, head of the Spearman league.

Everyone present declared that it was one of the most interesting league meetings they ever attended.



The Cat's Eye attended his Sunday School class at the Baptist church Sunday and found we had a new teacher. Anyway it was a different one since the last time the Cat's Eye attended. He was no other than A. L. Rippey, Mr. Rippey surely is an interesting teacher and takes great interest in the work of the church. The attendance of the class was very good. Dawson Richards was even present. Everybody that wants to go to a real live class can find a vacant place and a warm welcome in Mr. Rippey's class at the Baptist church. Try it and see.

The Cat's Eye feels that he must say a word or two about our Mayor W. D. Cooke getting locked up in the courthouse Monday night. The story told to the Cat's Eye sounds like this. C. H. Regey, Mayor Cooke's personal secretary, playing dominos in the Mayor's office in the courthouse. At 10 o'clock the janitor noticed the game had broken up and thinking everyone had left the building he locked up the doors and hit the hay. At 12 o'clock Gertrude Van Meter and B. L. Hanner heard cries for "Help," "Fire" and other terms, (not mentionable) coming from the courthouse and they went to Mayor Cooke's rescue, finding him jailing in Hansford County's new courthouse. They then reported Cooke's condition to G. W. Oakes, who came to the courthouse from his home and unlocked the doors, giving the Mayor his freedom, which he rightly deserved.

Spearman's greatest present need is for a carload of red lanterns and a troop of boy scouts to light them at night and place them at the intersections of the streets South Spearman. It is nearly impossible to drive on the streets east or west in the South part of town, due to the deep ditches left in the streets for drainage. The Cat's Eye's Oakland shakes so badly after it hits one of these places that one would think it was fixing to have a chill. Now seriously folks, such crossings are dangerous and it looks like they could be fixed some way or other.

Here's One For Ripley.

Little Clara Jean Ooley, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ooley born last Tuesday, October 13, 1931, in Spearman has six grandmothers.

One great, great grandmother, Mrs. Ella Pogue, of Lubbock, 3 great grandmothers, Mrs. A. M. Wilbanks, Mrs. B. S. Horry and Mrs. D. C. Page and two grand mothers, Mrs. Lucille Wolverton, Mrs. B. F. Ooley.

Churches and Society

Baptist Church

The attendance at both services last Sunday was good, and much interest was shown at the Sunday school with good attendance. The services and Sunday school will be held at the usual hours next Sunday and everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school each Sunday at 10 o'clock. The children of the Sunday school will conduct the worship program next Sunday at 11 o'clock in the morning. A special service is being prepared and the public is cordially invited to worship with us.

Our regular services will be held at 3 p. m. and the subject will be "O Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down, Let Us Kneel Before the Lord Our Maker."

L. W. BAKER, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. League at 7 p. m. Evening Worship at 7:30.

We enjoyed a great day last Sunday. Large crowds attended services both morning and night. About ninety League visitors were with us at the evening service from Canadian, Perryton, Gruver and two other places were to have been here. Miss Lois Bailey was elected president of this union—the North Plains Union. Leagueurs go to Canadian the first Sunday in November to the district League meeting. The leagueurs are very alert and alive. If you are not a leagueur you are missing a good chance to do things. Our Sunday school was attended well, but we ought to fill the house every Sunday at every service.

Just three more Sundays of the conference year. We should make an effort to put over the whole program of the church—we can and let's do it.

Stewards meeting Monday night 7:30 in C. D. Foor's office. Let our slogan be "Over the top" by November 10th, with the whole program of the church.

H. A. NICHOLS, Pastor.

Spearman P. T. A. Plans Outline Years Work

The second meeting of the Spearman Parent-Teacher Association this year was held Tuesday afternoon, October 13, at the school auditorium. The meeting was well attended by members and visitors. An interesting program was given, presided over by Miss Ethel Deakin. Special entertainment was given by pupils of the third grade. Readings were given by Martha Delon Kirk, Betty McKay, Verna Leightner and Gene Buchner. An interesting talk was given by Mrs. Frank Wendt, "What Schools do to Improve Home Life." She brought out the important features of manual training, domestic science and art and their relations toward helping the child have more interest in making the home a more attractive place to live. Mrs. Fred Hoskins had as her subject, "What Homes do for Worthy Home Membership." Some very vital points about home environment and the influence of the mother on the child in the home was discussed by Mrs. Hoskins.

The P. T. A. is planning some great work for this year. It is planned that some special Study Courses will be taken up later, that will be of great benefit to each member of the association, to better acquaint them with what the association really is doing over the country and what it really stands for.

The meeting was closed with a special P. T. A. song, led by Miss Wilna Morton.

Federated Missionary Society

The Federated Missionary Society met Thursday afternoon at the Christian Church with a large attendance. A delightful musical

selection was given by Mrs. Leslie Cook and Mrs. Ralph Trower. Mrs. W. D. Cooke and Mrs. Homer Allen led the devotional. Mrs. J. E. Womble read a beautiful story on mission work. The society voted to maintain a clothes station in the courthouse with Mrs. Joe Perry general chairman. A committee composed of Mesdames, J. H. Richards, Leslie Cook and J. W. Rakekin recommended a set of by laws which had been submitted by Mrs. J. E. Womble. After a social hour the meeting adjourned to meet December 30th with the Methodist Ladies.

Pringle P. T. A.

The Pringle Parent Teacher Association rendered an interesting program Friday-night, October 9. We learned something of the Parent Teacher Association from the talk given by Mr. Ralph Forester. Mrs. Claybrook told us what constitutes an informed member, and Mr. Lovell made an interesting address on the need of library facilities in rural communities. A special feature of the program was two popular songs by the high school girls.

Auxiliary Meeting Held Wednesday Evening

The American Legion Auxiliary met in regular session Wednesday night, October 15, and the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Angus McKay; First Vice President, Mrs. Fred Lusk; Second Vice President, Mrs. C. D. Foote; Secretary, Mrs. E. B. Dodson; Treasurer, Mrs. H. E. Campfield; Historian, Mrs. C. A. Hiit; Chaplain, Mrs. A. F. Barkley; Sergeant at Arms, Mrs. Fred Lynn; Reporter, Mrs. J. E. Gerber.

The organization was divided into two groups to put on a membership drive through the month of November. Mrs. McKay captain of group No. 1 and Mrs. Lusk captain of group No. 2. The winning side will be entertained by the losing side at the end of the drive. All eligible members are urged to get in touch with Mrs. McKay or Mrs. Lusk and join the Auxiliary and help a worthy cause.



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The Auxiliary is planning a number of interesting things for the winter and we want to go over the top in our membership drive this year as one of the biggest things to start off on. So let's all work hard and get everyone we can. Let's go over with a bang!

Even the squeak of a mouse will set your nerves jumping after you've seen "Murder by the Clock." There are weird things happening in the white house by the graveyard. The clock strikes—a man is murdered. It strikes again—he comes to life. But, within an hour, he is murdered again without having spoken the name of his murderer. See "Murder by the Clock" and the dead come to life!

Twentieth Century Club

A very interesting lesson was presented on "Character of the Drama Today," by Mrs. Delon Kirk, Tuesday, October 13, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Buchanan.

Because of the desire of a number of the members to attend the Federated Missionary meeting on that day, all business was postponed until the next meeting, with Mrs. W. L. Russell.

Delicious refreshments were served to eleven ladies.

Something happens every minute—in the house where love and hate, human tenderness and manical ruthlessness dwell side by side. It's at the edge of the graveyard



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its inhabitants are on the edge of the grave. And you'll be on the edge of your seat as its weird and wonderful happenings strike fearful chills into your spine. See "Murder by the Clock for an hour of thrills!

Missionary Society

Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. E. B. Dodson Wednesday afternoon of this week. Mesdames, J. Dave Douglas, F. J. Daily and Robert Douglas were joint hostesses. The program was from the Missionary Voice with Mrs. J. W. Rakekin leader. Special musical numbers were delightfully rendered by Miss Reba Barkley.

Mrs. Clay Gibner and Mrs. Ralph Trower. The society was glad to have Mrs. W. S. McNabb as a visitor. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the social hour. The society will hold their next week's meeting at the home of Mrs. John Hays. The lesson will be from the Study Book with Mrs. Sid Clark leader.

Guaranteed to make your hair stand up! The strangest of mystery thrillers, the horror story that out-horrors anything you've ever seen or read, "Murder by the Clock."

Bert Whims was in from his farm this week looking after business matters.

Courtesy Week was recently in Denton, at the Chamber of Commerce.

In three of the classes of the college of agriculture at the University of Missouri, women men this year.

Grasshoppers are the farm areas in the west destructive onslaught in the worst since 1916.

The biggest coaching held at the United States College at Lubbock August, with three coaches in attendance.

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IF I AM ELECTED TO THIS OFFICE, FRIENDS, I PLEDGE YOU THAT I WILL MEET EVERY PROBLEM THAT CONFRONTS ME WITH A VIM THAT KNOWS NO HEDGING—

WHUT WED MEANED TO SAY IS THAT WE DON'T KNOW WHAT HEDG'N IN OFFICE, BUT BY ALL THE PC UERS, HED' GO UP!!!

