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The Spearman Reporter

THE WORLD'S WAR BOND

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Price

Fifth War Bond Campaign Gets Underway Wheat Producers Get Army Truck

Fifty To 75 Trucks Come To Farmers

Large Group Left Monday To Buy More Vehicles Through the cooperation of the Triple A office of Hansford county, William E. McClellan, Chevrolet Dealer, and other individuals of this county prospects are bright for securing 50 to 75 trucks badly needed by wheat producers of this area.

Some 20 citizens of the county accompanied Wm. E. McClellan to Dallas Friday of last week. After some 15 hours of red tape, the prospective customers were given numbers of trucks, including serial number of motors and some were sent to Lawton, Oklahoma to Ft. Hill, Some to Ft. Bliss, at El Paso, Texas.

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The gasoline board meets each Tuesday, and before they retire from the meeting they have acted on all the applications that have been filed in the regular orderly way.

These applications are completely filled out with tire inspection records attached. They are anxious for everyone to have all the gasoline that is ACTUALLY NEEDED, and their work in the past shows that they have given WONDERFUL service to the people of Hansford County.

The tire board meets each Thursday afternoon, and they allot every tire to worth while applicants that the United States government will allow. It is an impersonal service, and the individual members have no power to favor or condemn any or all applications.

Harvest Begins With Field Of Barley Being Cut Roy Chase is initiating the harvest season in Hansford county. He started cutting and binding Barley Monday of this week.

Hatton Back On Job After Fight With Summer Flu County Agent Joe Hatton returned to his office Monday after spending a week at home with summer flu.

Ration Board Ready For The Harvest Rush The local rationing office will begin issuing truck gasoline for the third quarter this week.

It's Easy To Back The Invasion

In addition to buying bonds to back the invasion, local citizens of Hansford County can render a worthwhile service to the war effort by exercising just ordinary patience, and giving the ration boards of this county the cooperation they deserve.

In the beginning the ration boards were set up for the purpose of rendering a service to the citizens of Hansford County. Local men who were patriotic gave of their time and to the best of their ability, have handled all the various applications in an orderly and logical manner.

In many cases, local men are expected to have the time to do nothing but carry on the business of rationing. Apparently, many local people believe the local boards are paid for their time.

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Another voluntary service that takes a lot of hard knock in now for the FREE service they render is the Hansford County selective service board.

Showing At The Ellis Theatre, Perryton June 15-16—Ida Lupino, Paul Henreid, Nancy Coleman, Mary Boland, Victor Frances, Mazimova in "Our Time."

June 17—Roy Rogers, Dale Evans, Bob Nolan, and Sons of the Pioneers in "The Yellow Rose of Texas."

June 18-19—Errol Flynn, Paul Lukas, Jean Sullivan, Lucile Watson in "Uncertain Glory."

June 20-21—Preston Foster, Ann Rutherford, Charles Butterworth in "Bermuda Mystery."

June 22—Preview—11:45 p. m. June 17—Una Merkel, Donald Novis in "Sweethearts of the U. S. A."

Cpl. Burgess Earns Expert Badge In Army



CPL. CLAUDE J. BURGESS

Cpl. Claude J. Burgess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiles Burgess, Spearman, Texas was among the men of the 81st "Wildcat" infantry division who were awarded the Expert Infantryman Badge, created recently by the war department as an award to infantrymen who are outstanding in their training.

The badge, a silver musket mounted on a blue field, to be worn over the left breast pocket, symbolizes excellence in completion of some of the toughest of training conceivable for any army branch.

Presentation was made by Major General Paul J. Mueller, commanding general of the Division at a full Division review. It was the largest presentation of badges to date.

Claude is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiles Burgess. He is a graduate of Spearman high school, class of '36 and has been in the service for 2 years.

The Reporter Surprised At Subscriptions

Half Month Of June Shows 39 Readers Have Renewed

NEW

Elmer Longley, Spearman, Texas.

H. M. Frazier, Gruver, Texas

Nolan Holt, Spearman, Texas

Mrs. W. O. Swain, Spearman, Texas.

Pfc. Daton N. Barkley, San Francisco, Calif. (Gift of father)

RENEWALS

L. E. Morrison, Gruver, Texas

F. W. Boney, Morse, Texas

Le Roy Murrah, Gruver, Texas

Dr. Joe E. Brown Jones, Gruver, Texas

E. K. Snider, Lubbock, Texas

With ten new and renewal subscribers this week the total for June has jumped to 39, which is the best record for any half month so far this year.

Of this number 18 were new subscribers.

The management of the Reporter is continually pleasantly surprised at the number of new subscribers that are added each week.

We have been expecting the new subscribers to drop off, since we believe we have practically all the population of Hansford county reading their home newspaper.

However, land is changing hand, and additional service men are leaving. This means that most families have two subscriptions instead of one.

One paper goes to the member of the family in the service and the other to the remaining members who live in the county.

Gruver again takes the lead this week with 4 subscriptions, Spearman comes next with 3 subscriptions.

Keep right on sending in your new and renewal subscriptions to the paper. The management is anxious to get all the renewals possible, but we cannot send you the paper without you pay for it in advance.

Harvest Edition Next Week

The Reporter will publish its annual Harvest Edition next week. Every firm in Hansford County should be represented in the Harvest Edition, to tell the people of this county the services they are prepared to offer during this very busy season of the year.

It is easy to forget a business firm, without they keep before the public and indicate they appreciate the business that comes their way. Business usually goes where it is invited. There is not a surplus of business firms in this county, and there is large enough volume for all to make a reasonable profit from their business.

The coming harvest issue will have a few additional editorial features, such as a review of past harvest seasons, a large number of pictures of the growing small grain crops, and perhaps some pictures of scenes in preparation for the big bumper crop of 1944.

Reports that continue to come to this office indicate that there will be a real bountiful harvest. All indications point towards sufficient labor and out side combines coming to this county to enable a hasty harvest.

Cool, Cloudy Weather Accompanies .46 Rain Fall For Past Week

Colorado cool weather, .46 inches of moisture and a bit of fog was the weather chart for the past week. In the matter of temperature the low hovered around 50 degrees and the high as an average around 79 degrees. This is the time of year when the high should pass the 90 degree mark and the low should not fall below 60 degrees.

For the first time in a good many years local people have watched the clouds with fear of too much moisture. Many declare that we have sufficient moisture for this year's wheat harvest. Others say that rainfall without wind will be fine to fill out the late wheat.

A portion of the county received much more moisture than was recorded at Spearman. Adjoining counties have received a surplus of moisture the past week, and it is believed that some wheat was damaged as result of wind and rain.

The temperature readings were as follows:

Table with columns: DATE, HI, LOW. Rows for June 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

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Strong Wind Does Damage To Property

Wind that approached storm velocity, did considerable damage in Hansford county Friday night June 9th.

While a complete list of damage could not be assembled, a few of the cases are listed below.

W. L. Russell store in Spearman, plate glass window destroyed.

Large sign at the J. R. Collard office blown down.

Large sign across the Burl Cafe blown down.

Chicken house and grainery at the Dee Jackson home near Spearman, blown down.

Wind charger destroyed at the Virgil Matthews home near Spearman.

Steel grainery destroyed at the Vernie Caldwell home, the old Kern farm near Spearman.

Box car derailed from tracks near Gruver.

Several steel graneries moved from foundations near Gruver.

Several roofs damaged in Gruver including the roof on the large building of Gruver Motor Company.

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Large Crowd Attend Free Show Tuesday

Hansford County Has \$385,000 Quota To Be Raised Before July 8

The Fifth War Loan Campaign for Hansford county officially began Monday, June 12th and will continue until Saturday July 8th. The county's quota is \$385,000 in E bonds.

Chairman Art Turner, reported a very small start on the initial day of the campaign with the largest purchaser being the Southwestern Life Insurance Company of Dallas, \$5000. The Spearman National Loan Association also purchased \$5000 bond and Community Public Service Company of Spearman purchased \$1,000 bond. A total of \$3637.50 in E bonds were purchased Monday by various citizens.

The free show featuring an hour sound picture of actual war campaigns and the talks of Lieutenant A. C. Sach and Pvt. O. R. Pollard, was well attended. The show was held at the high school auditorium. Ex Capt. W. J. Miller introduced the speakers.

As the present quota is 50 per cent E bonds, chairman Art Turner stated Monday that he hopes many more people will come in and purchase these bonds.

Turner believes that the county will go over the quota just about as high in percentage as we have in the past, but he believes the campaign will lag until harvest is underway and new money comes to the county.

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Wartime Washington Wants Less Regimentation Says Congressman Eugene Worley

By CONG. EUGENE WORLEY

News of the invasion has overshadowed everything else in Washington. Official ears were glued to late radio bulletins, and the latest communiqués were scanned with anxious eyes.

Pressing matters on the home front were temporarily forgotten. While nearly everyone in Washington expected this greatest of all military operations to begin in June, the secret was so well kept that but a handful of men knew exactly when D-Day would actually begin.

Needless to say, interest in the success of the operations was intense. For the past two years, congress has appropriated multiplied billions of dollars for the express purpose of guaranteeing our men the best training and the best equipment in the world.

The wisdom of this policy is reflected when we examine invasion figures. More than eleven thousand planes provided an unbeatable air umbrella for the invasion forces.

At least four thousand warships of all kinds were used in the operation. The landing barges, the tanks, the guns and bullets were the best that could be supplied by the brains and genius of a mighty nation.

The equipment lost or destroyed can be replaced—but the lives of the men which would be lost without superior equipment would be gone forever.

At least half the members of congress have sons and daughters on active duty with the armed forces. Many members have already received grim messages from the War Department or Navy that one or more sons have been lost in the current conflict.

The most recent was the son of Paul Brown, member from Georgia, who has been reported missing in action when his submarine failed to return after operations against the Japanese in the South Pacific.

Everyone has confidence in Texas-born General Eisenhower and is gratified over the immediate success. Many fear, however, that the Germans are in the process of bringing up heavy reinforcements to fling at the relatively small Allied force now in France.

Next week an additional appropriation for members of the armed forces for war operations will be made available.

Price Control Act This week both houses of congress are debating continuation of the OPA (Price Control Act). Democrats and Republicans are agreed that the fundamental principles of price control are absolutely essential to maintain a stable economy and to prevent the creation of a crop of war millionaires.

Congress is determined, however, to make improvements in the bill which will make the operation of the act as fair and equitable as possible and to prevent inequities which the administration of the act has disclosed.

One such improvement is a restriction of the power to hold "strategic" proceedings or "Kangaroo courts." This amendment has tremendous support.

Another improvement which has very active support from congress men from agricultural sections is to permit the farmer to include the cost of his labor in determining the selling price of farm products. Such a measure was passed by the house last year but was never acted on by the senate.

Efforts have also been made to keep the administration of all rationing as closely in the hands of county boards and local people as humanly possible. It is also hoped that ways and means can be found to reduce the terrific number of rules, regulations and directives, and in addition to make them as clear and understandable as possible.

No one in congress wants any more regulation, directives, regimentation, etc., than war conditions absolutely demand and congress is determined to make the whole program as simple and workable as it can be made.

Vera Campbell of Seattle, arrived Wednesday for a few weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. F. J. Hoskins and family, and father, C. E. Campbell. Vera has been employed in the Boeing Aircraft Corporation for several months.

Need Cars To Ship Four Million Bu. 1944 Wheat Harvest

County Agent Joe Hatton has kept the wires busy this week calling to the attention of government officials that Hansford county expects to harvest at least six million bushels of wheat and has approved storage space for only 2 million bushels.

This means that we must have cars in the county to ship four million bushels of the golden grain. Hatton is a bit nervous, despite the fact that all his telegrams are answered with the statement that the government is giving the matter immediate attention.

Late Canning Sugar Is Now Available

So many people have been asking if it was too late to make application for canning sugar. The local board asked as accommodation that this first application be made by June 10, in order that the clerks could give their time to the issuance of truck gasoline for the third quarter. This gasoline must be out before July 1 to every local truck operator in the county and with the harvest season here, this job will necessarily take first place in the office.

However, applications will be accepted and issued as soon as they can be taken care of and mailed. Please do not plan to wait for the coupons.

If you do not apply at present you will not lose out on any of your canning sugar, but may make burg and children were shopping an application later for all of your and on business in Spearman Tuesday.

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The Thunder Of Invasion Is Rolling Westward

"INVASION IS ON!" Each minute as you read this our American boys are hitting the beachheads giving their all that we may remain free men and women. Our prayers to a merciful God follow each and every one of them. We here at home have more to do than beat our breasts and lament. We MUST help! We CAN! We WILL!

Political Announcements

- **Personals**
- Miss Sada Ruth Hoskins visited friends in Canyon the past week. Sada Ruth's many friends were pleased to learn that she was elected president of the Sophomore College Class for this coming year.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Holt, Frank Fleck and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Corson, were among those shopping in Spearman Saturday.
- Wm. Martin made a business trip to Los Animas, Colorado the first of the week.
- Mrs. Sid Beck was called to Sulphur Springs, Texas, last Friday, June 2nd, to be with her father, Jim Dixon, of Cooper, Texas, who was very ill in the hospital at Sulphur Springs. A telegram was received Saturday, June first, by Mr. Beck in Spearman, telling of the death of Mr. Dixon and that services and interment were to be held at Cooper, Texas, Sunday, June 11th.
- Mrs. C. E. Blue of Albuquerque, N. Mex., visited several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Carl Hutehison.
- Mrs. Bill Whitson and daughter, Mrs. James Nagel and baby, of Lubbock left Saturday, after a week's visit with Mrs. Bertie McNabb, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother of them. They were meeting Lt. Nagel in Amarillo who was to arrive there by plane for a few hours visit with them.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Swain and family, who have been residing in Pantex the past several months, returned to Spearman the first of the month.

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REAL ESTATE LISTINGS
15 Town Lots (city of Spearman) one and one-half blocks south of Court House (old school house grounds). On water, sewage and lights, and gas. Priced from \$50.00 to \$200.00. All abstracts up to time of plotting. Good terms.
THREE SECTIONS OF GRASS LAND, south side of Ochiltree County, 2 Wells.
SECTION WELL IMPROVED FARM LAND, close in (Spearman, Texas). One third of crop. Fairly well improved, 3 sections ranch, north Hutchinson County.
SEE US FOR HAIL INSURANCE
SEE
L. S. McLAIN

Don't Name It By 'HONEST' BILL MILLER

Taking this occasion to thank Bruce Sheets and Jesse Davis for helping me get a batch of harvest pictures. Jesse spent a half day with me and Bruce spent another afternoon. It was really an imposition to ask these boys for help, but they have the best of equipment, and I was anxious to have some nice looking pictures in next week's Harvest issue of the paper. At that, we ran into a lot of hard luck. Mrs. Clint Bennett told us that Clint had some of the best wheat in the county, and was just about ready to go with us to make pictures when I had a blow-out on one of them ancient tires. Had to come to Spearman to get it fixed and did not ever get back to get the picture of Clint's wheat. Did not get nearly as many pictures as would like to have taken, but Bruce tells me he plans to spend a day or so taking movies and stills of the harvest when it opens up, and I am going to insist on him taking me out to the Clint Bennett farm for that "best wheat in the county."

And since have mentioned that tire that went boom, I wanna come right out in public and apologize to R. D. Chamberlain for bothering him. I made my regular routine application for a new tire, and since two of my tires are marked "Scraps" I expect to get a new one in the course of time. However, I was selfish enough to go to R. D. and ask him if he couldn't take time out from his business and get me one that very afternoon, explaining that I had to meet a deadline in order to get my harvest pictures and get 'em back in time for the paper. In other words, I tried to make an emergency out of the whole affair. Well, R. D. was very patient, and explained that he did not at that time have a quota for tires for my car, even if he had time to quit his own business and go down to the court house and have the office personnel dig my application out from all the others, and quit their work and fill out the necessary forms. I'm plumb ashamed of my own selfishness. Of course I managed to borrow a plow tire and get my pictures. The one point that is important to make is that R. D. has his own work to do, and he cannot handle emergency cases without it is really an emergency. Join me in resolving not to bother the local ration board other than in the routine applications for our REAL NEEDS.

The thing that makes it difficult for the local ration board is the fact that the fine people of Hansford county is fed up on a lot of government waste. My secret operative "Scoop" reported to me that he overheard a certain woman who has more than one child in the service, give a certain member of a certain ration board a good working over. The sum and substance of the lecture was that someone was using gasoline and tires to go fishing some 300 miles from this city. Of course we can all see this lady's point of view. She is deprived of gasoline while her sons are making the supreme sacrifice. As a matter of fact this other man could have been on that certain trip, primarily for some legitimate purpose and the fishing was only secondary. Of course she should know that no one goes fishing with the approval of the OPA, or any local board. Thus, the local board is not to blame for the alleged condition.

I overheard one of the finest men I know say in substance that he had not been on a pleasure trip since Pearl Harbor, but when he learned that it took 47 flying fortresses to accompany Mrs. Roosevelt on her trip to the Pacific, and that first and last there must have been enough gasoline used in carrying our First Lady of the land here and there, to send every man in the United States on a 500 mile pleasure jaunt. He said he was tempted to quit trying to win the war single handed and take off for 2 days and fish.

I'm telling you here and now, if everyone from the highest paid

Labor Office To Be At The H D Club Room

A Labor office will be established in the Home Demonstration club, according to a statement made Monday by County Agent, Joe Hatton. Hatton says that all farmers are urged to make requisitions now for the labor and combines and trucks they will need for harvest. The office will be under charge of a government official, and as far as possible all requisitions for labor will be handled thru this office.

MOTHER OF LONGLEY FAMILY ILL

Mrs. Anna Longley, mother of John Longley, has been very ill with pneumonia for the past ten days, but is improving at this time. Mrs. Longley is living with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Longley in Spearman.

Mrs. Longley is the mother of 9 children all of whom have been with her the past week, except one son, Roy Longley of Reno, Nevada, who has been unable to be here. Members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Singhiser of Shattuck, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miles, Fairfax, Oklahoma, Mrs. Mable Hubler and Mrs. Mrs. Clarence Coffield of Mesquero, N. Mex., Leland Longley, Eaton, Colorado, Millard Longley, Carrizo, N. Mex., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Longley of Spearman, 14 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren, have been to see her this week. Mrs. Longley will be 76 next month and has been a very healthy person for her age.

Classified Ads

ONE, TWO, THREE — GERMS, worm eggs, coccidia. DR. SALS-BURY'S PAR-O-SAN gets all three on proper contact. We have it. Spearman Drug Co.

ESTRAY NOTICE

Strayed from pasture near Coy Holt ranch, Jersey milk cow, branded 3 on left leg. Notify Claude Sheets, Spearman. 27-1t

officials down to small office holders will show some sort of an indication that they are trying to economize on gas and tires, they won't have to make any OPA rules for Hansford citizens. If they are convinced that their sacrifice is not taken up in a needless jaunt by some overpaid, over fed government official that should be in the army, they will really enter into the spirit of rationing, and be ready to go to town. Otherwise the government is gonna have some rank abuses here and there.

FOR SALE: 1939 Chevrolet Pick-up. Good Tires. See Grace Main or phone 129, Spearman, Texas. 27-1t-c

FOR SALE: 1940 Dodge Truck. long wheel base, two speed axle. 8-25x20 tires, two ten. 27-P-2t

FOR SALE: Coolerator. Ice capacity 100 pounds, all white porcelain, good condition. Price \$59.00. See Mrs. Ira Fellers. 27-p-3t

FOR SALE: 1930 model Chevrolet Coupe. Tires fair, motor good. \$75.00. Pat McKay—Spearman. 27-p-1t

WANTED—to become acquainted with a middle aged lady, between age of 40 and 50 years, with matrimony in view.

I am a man just past middle age. Have been hard working honest man all my life. Can furnish references: Get in touch with this newspaper. 27-P-1t

SEE ME AT MY HOME IN SPEARMAN for renovating your old mattresses. Made like new. Work Guaranteed. Albert Jacobs

FOR SALE or trade 1940 Ford 1-ton pick-up. good condition, good rubber. Would trade for anything of value. Write or call F. M. Shevver, Kellerville, Texas. 25-3t-c

WE HAVE a large supply of truck, pick-up, & passenger tires. Also truck and pick-up wheels. Open day and night. The Tower Service station. Shamrock, Texas. 25-4t-c

FOR SALE — Good 1939 GMC 3/4 ton pickup, large grain bed, four new tires. See R. D. Purnell, nine miles East of Wheeler, Texas at Purnell Grocery store. Phone 909F31, Wheeler, Texas. 25-2t-c

FOR SALE: 1938 International 1/2-ton pick-up. Motor in excellent condition. Priced for quick sale. Joe Hatton.

FOR SALE — Rumely Combine, first class condition. Pearl Dixon. 25-P-2-T

FOR SALE: One table top gasoline range. See Bernard Byers, Spearman. 25-2t-p

FOR SALE: One 12 foot Avery one way, one 6 foot John Deere mower on good rubber. 5 miles south and 1 mile east of Hitchland, Texas. Harold J. Collier. 25-2t-p

FOR SALE: One table top kerosene stove like new. Mrs. Edgar Fite, Rt. A, Spearman. 25-p2t

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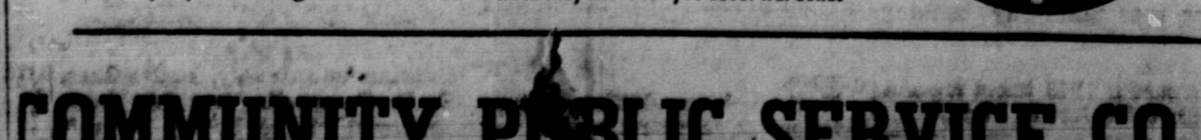
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THE stepping stones to victory are red with blood of American heroes. Tarawa... Salerno... Cassino. Their patriotism is written in blood.
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Help hasten the day of Victory by investing in extra War Bonds now. Invest in more than you've ever purchased before. Invest \$100, \$200, \$300, \$400. Those who can, must invest thousands of dollars.
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SOCIETY

Bride And Groom And Those Who Assisted In 54 Wedding Anniversary Held May 21st



Seated above in the photo are: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meek, seated with Miss Barbara Jean Daily and Miss Betty Jean Hill, who were part of the entertainers on the musical program. Left to right standing, Mrs. Will Hutton, Jack Glover, Mrs. Will Miller, Wilson McClellan, Mrs. J. E. Gower, Mrs. William Boxford, Mrs. Joe Novak, Mrs. David Hester, Mrs. Gwinfred Lackey, Mrs. F. J. Daily and Mrs. Frank Allen.

The eight hostesses and musicians assisted in the open house entertainment given honoring Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meek on their 54th wedding anniversary. The open house was given at the home of the bride and groom Sunday, May 21, 1944, 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Hundreds of friends over this section of the Panhandle were present to greet the lovable couple, and wish them many more happy anniversaries of their marriage.

GRUVER W. S. C. S.

The Gruver Society met with Mrs. Frank Wallin Thursday, June 8th.

Mrs. I. E. Biggs gave the devotional on courage. The groups spent a few minutes in silent prayer for men in the service overseas. The prayer was closed by the present, Mrs. D. L. McClellan.

Mrs. Ralph Bort gave the fourth lesson on "God and the Problem of Suffering." The lesson was Job's reaction to his suffering. The program closed with a prayer by Billie Bob Harris. Those present were Mesdames: Ralph Bort, Gene Cluck, F. A. Shapley, Jr., W. A. Shapley, Floyd Cline, R. D. McClellan, J. C. Harris, C. H. Winder, Noble Watson, Curt Lowe, W. L. Harris, True Latherman, Ted McClellan, Mart Hart, L. H. Gruver, I. E. Biggs, Cal Williams, Ernest Sluder, D. L. McClellan, Frank Wallin, Mrs. Adkison and one visitor, Mrs. Howard Hunt from Lubbock. Our next meeting will be with Mrs. M. F. Barkley, June 15.

We wish to thank the council of Hansford county for such splendid trip and such a wonderful time. To show our appreciation we are going to work very hard in 4-H next year and try to help others improve their skill in 4-H by what we learned at camp.

UNION CHURCH NEWS

Bro. and Sis Modrick, pastoring at present at the Union Church, wish to extend a special invitation to the services.

98 were present at Sunday School and Bro Modrick brought the morning message.

Bro and Sis Gail Schultz of Laverne, Okla. had charge of the evening service. Other visiting ministers of the past few days were, Bro and Sis Paul Bailey and family, former pastors of the Union Church, Bro and Sis Fout Copeland, Dumas, and Bro and Sis Eugene Cornell and family, Wichita, Kans.

Miss Virginia Peacock of Cheney, Kans., is visiting the Modricks at present and will be assisting in the services.

The regular services are as follows: Sunday school 10 a. m., Preaching, 11 a. m., Young People's Meetings, and Children's Meeting 8:45 and Thursday night Bible lesson 9 p. m. A six hour service is observed each Thursday from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Ed Greever.

Oslo News

Morning worship at the Oslo Lutheran Church next Sunday, June 18, 2nd Sunday after Trinity, will begin at 11:30 a. m. Sermon Theme: "Excuse Me" Luke 14: 16124. The Sunday School will begin at 10:30 a. m. The confirmation class will meet at the parsonage at 10:00 a. m. on Saturday. Bible School will continue next week at the Doyle School house. H. C. Hjortholm, pastor

The Luther League of the Oslo Church met at the Bill Johnson home on Sunday evening, a week ago. The program topic was "Broken Lives." It was presented by Ruth Bredesen, Amy Knutson, and Orville Hill. A social hour with group singing and refreshments followed. A large crowd attended this meeting.

Mrs. Gus Rockaway and her daughter, Phyllis Ann, from Guyton and her mother, Mrs. Odegaard from Clifton, Texas were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stedje last Sunday. Mrs. Odegaard returned to her home on Wednesday of this week after a two weeks visit with her daughter.

Ensign Harold Stavlo is at home now on a furlough from his duties in the Navy.

Mrs. Clara Stedje, Mrs. Emil Knutson and her children were supper guests of Mrs. Betsy Stavlo at her home at the former Arthur Stavlo home near Gruver on Monday evening of last week.

Miss Leona Knutson returned to her home here on Friday of last week to spend her vacation. She is a student at St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn., and expects to return there in the fall to enter the sophomore class. It may be that her sister, Louise, who graduated from Gruver High School this spring, will go with her to enter the freshman class.

Miss Marie Stedje, who is Girl Scout Executive for the Pampa district, came up from Pampa last Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Clara Stedje and other relatives and friends here. She returned to Pampa Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mahan was accorded a pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs. Gordon Stedje by the women of the community on Friday afternoon of last week. She received many beautiful and useful gifts.

The guests were: Mesdames: Ralph Brown, Rob Alexander, H. C. Hjortholm, Emil Knutson, Clara Stedje, H. Moen, R. TeBeest, Ted TeBeest, Bill Johnson, Jack Christofferson, Clarence Johnson, Mrs. Ralph Mathis. The guests from a distance were Mesdames: Floyd Turner, Calvin and Garrett, all from near Gruver. Amelia Johnson, Louise, Amy and Kathryn Knutson were also among the guests. The hostess, Mrs. Gordon Stedje served lovely refreshments to all those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Amelia and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and their children were supper guests at the Emil Knutson home last Sunday.

Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm returned from Eureka, Kans., where they went to visit relatives and friends, on Wednesday of last week. Pastor Hjortholm attended the General Convention of the N. L. C. A. at Minneapolis, Minnesota. This did not give him very much time at Eureka.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jensen and Elvera drove to Beaver last Sunday. Mr. Jensen is recovering nicely from his operation at the Beaver Hospital for the removal of an injured eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjortholm were dinner guests at the Emil Knutson home on Thursday of this week.

Crop prospects here at the present time are excellent. Indications now are for one of the biggest wheat crops ever harvested here. Farmers are very busy making the combines ready. Because of the shortage of help and the difficulty in getting repair parts, this is a serious task. The wind which struck the community Friday night, although quite severe, did little damage except to overturn a wheat bin on the Stedje place and a combine on the Emil Knutson place, and to break some window glass at the parsonage. No rain followed in the wake of the wind.

Because of the shortage of man power and because no parts can be secured for the repair of road machinery, our roads here are in very bad shape. They are so badly cut up from the recent rains that it is almost impossible to drive over them. We are hoping that something can be done to relieve the situation before the wheat trucks begin to roll.

Pvt. 1-c seaman George Lewis is at home on furlough from his duties overseas.

BETTER HOMES H. D. CLUB

Better Homes H. D. Club met with Mrs. Joe Novak, Tuesday, June 6 as hostess. The demonstration "Making things with less water" and caring for the soil was given by Miss Tompkins. Keeping down weeds by cultivating and a straw mulch partly worked into the soil will save moisture. When mowing lawns one should let all grass clippings lay on the lawn as they did add humus to the soil. Mrs. Carl Hutchinson was nominated as delegate to the council to attend the state convention in August, alternate was Mrs. John Kenney. Refreshments were served to Mesdames: Carl Hutchinson, Hix Wilbanks, R. V. Converse, Miss Tompkins and three guests, Mrs. R. E. Meek, Mrs. C. E. Blue, sister of Mrs. Hutchinson and Geneva Ford and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hix Wilbanks, June 20 at 2:30 p.m.

RATIONING CALENDAR

SUGAR: Stamps No. 30 and 31, Book IV, good for 5 lbs. indefinitely. Stamp No. 32, valid June 16, good for 5 lbs. indefinitely. Stamp No. 40, Book IV, good for 5 lbs. sugar for 1944 home canning.

MEATS AND FATS: Book IV, red stamps, A8 through T8 good for 10 points valid indefinitely. Stamps U8, V8, and W8, valid June 4, good indefinitely.

PROCESSED FOODS: Book IV, blue stamps A8 through V8 good for 10 points each, valid indefinitely.

SHOES: Book III, stamps one and two with airplane pictures, each good for one pair indefinitely.

GASOLINE: (Coupons must be endorsed on front.) "A" coupons, 3 gallons each, with No. II expiring June 21, A-12s valid June 22, expire September. In B-3, B-4, and C-3 rations, the coupons nationally have a value of 5 gallons each. "R" 5 gallons, valid for bulk delivery only; red "T" designated "Second Quarter," 5 gallons; "D" one and one-half gal.; and "E" one gal. each.

TIRES INSPECTION: "T" book holders every six months or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first. Tire inspection record still required to obtain tire replacements and gasoline rations.

Gruver News

Several farmers from this part of the county went to Fort Worth last week to purchase army trucks being offered for sale. From Fort Worth they went on to Fort Sill, Okla. to pick them up. In one party were J. C. Harris, J. M. Ayres, T. C. Harvey, Jr., and Ed Vernon. There were others whose names we do not have.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleck and Jean went to Amarillo on Monday to attend to business, and to meet Mrs. Fleck's sister, Mrs. G. F. Miller. Mrs. Miller and son Kenneth are now visiting in the Fleck home. They are from Emporia, Kan.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gross that their son Don and his wife will be home this week. They will probably be here by the time you read this. Don Gross is a PHM 2-c in the Navy and is stationed at the Naval Hospital in San Diego. His wife is the former Cleo Leverton of Spearman.

Sgt. Don Hudson who is serving in the M. P.'s is enjoying a short visit here, then he will spend some time with his parents in Missouri. Don formerly operated the Phillips gas station here. He has a brother, Lee, in the Pacific area and another, Turk Hudson in Italy. Don has a suspicion that he soon too may be on his way.

Everybody is happy over the prospects for a good wheat crop. In fact they are so happy that they are giving themselves all the credit for raising it. They see prosperity ahead, so there is no need of God. No time to go to church. Soon they are planning to desecrate the Lord's Day in order to reap it. They forget that God may still reap ahead of them. How different to the boys who are doing the fighting and dying, they know they need God, and are calling upon Him.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Dixon of Morse were shopping in Spearman Saturday.

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SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

Men's Society of Christian Service met with Mrs. A. F. Lane 7. The topic for the evening was "The Grace of Living Together," given by Mrs. Eldridge and Mrs. Barkley.

Present were: Mesdames: E. Meek, J. E. Elton, N. Jones, L. W. Mason, H. Jones, Sid Clark, H. and Freeman Barkley.

COPELAND WITH PARTY

Miss Dixon and Miss Alford were hostesses for the party honoring Mrs. Copeland on her birthday and on the evening of May 21st.

On the occasion of the lovely cut flowers throughout the home. There was a table of mixed flowers on a table with crystal candle holders. Lavender candles in a beautiful lace cloth over a linen completed the decorations. On the refreshment table were individual bouquets of the color yellow, lavender and red cards marked each guest's place.

Three course dinner was served to the following: Mr. R. C. Womble, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. land, Miss Opal Wood, and the hostesses.

WOMEN'S CIRCLE

The Baptist Women's Circle met in the church auditorium, Wednesday, June 7th, in the presence of Mrs. L. T. Wilson. Devotional and conducted by which was "His Might and America." She was assisted by Mesdames: Rex Sanborn, Dennis Jones, Ed Groves. Other members present were Mesdames: John Gill, Fred Brandt, and W. At the close of the session, Mrs. Ernest Archer at a business session.

H. D. CLUB

The Home Demonstration Society will meet Friday, June 16th, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Archer at a business session.

IMPORTANT Notice To Taxpayers OF THE City of Spearman

CITY TAXES BECOME DELINQUENT

JULY 1, 1944

At that time the Penalty of 6 per cent and interest additional 3 per cent will be added.

WE URGE ALL TAX PAYERS TO COME TO THE CITY OFFICE AND PAY TAXES, in order that you may save the additional cost.

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TUNE IN! WALTER PIDGEON in "The Star and the Story," Sunday evenings, C.B.S. Network.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Van Steed visited for a short while in Spearman Saturday, en route to Perryton.



WHAT THE BOYS IN SERVICE ARE DOING

Cpl. Elvin Wright stationed at Daniel Field, Augusta, Ga., was home on furlough visiting in Gruver with his wife and other relatives in Gruver. Cpl. Wright has had special training both at Akron, Ohio and Chanute Field.

Cpl. Edwin Reed from Camp Gruber, Oklahoma, was furloughed the past week and visited his mother in Spearman, and wife, who is in Pampa. Edwin has had considerable training in the artillery.

S Sgt. Don Hudson, MP Company, Camp Crowder, Mo., is home this week visiting relatives and friends and Gruver and Spearman.

Pvt. E. L. Latham with Mrs. Latham and Sandra were visiting relatives in Spearman two days of the past week.

Cpl. Bethel Long was on a short visit in Spearman this week, greeting friends. She is in Recruiting Service, stationed in Charlotte, N. C.

Since Capt. Edwin Floyd Close is returning to duties in England, we are free now, to comment on some of his citations. His first citation was for exceptional meritorious achievement, while participating in five separate bomber combat missions. Capt. Close was then awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster. The dates of these citations and awards were 3 February, 1944.

On the 6th of October, 1943, Capt. Close, at that time Lieutenant, was awarded the Air Medal for exceptional meritorious achievement for participating in five separate combat missions. His first Oak Leaf Cluster came with a citation 10 of December, 1943, which stated that his fidelity to duty and, courage and skill displayed, reflected great credit upon himself and the armed services.

On the 23rd of February, 1944, Capt. Close received a citation in the form of a Certificate of proficiency, in which the document outlined the fine work that had been accomplished, and stated "has demonstrated proficiency and proved his ability in actual combat to efficiently perform the duties of group LEAD PILOT." His latest citation was received when he had completed 30 combat missions, the last mission having been performed on the 28th March, 1944. The citations records all previous citations, decorations and certificates of proficiency, and commented that the manner of

performance of duty was EXCELLENT, and rated this officer as SUPERIOR.

Cpl. Martin Sheets and wife and son are visiting relatives here this week. Cpl. Sheets is stationed at Avon Park Army Air Field at Avon Park, Fla.

Pvt. Carl Owens, brother of Claude Owens, and for a number of years a resident of Spearman and graduate of Spearman High School is now in the U. S. Army Medical Corps, stationed at Camp Barkley, Texas.

Robert Leon Stewart, U. S. N. Seaman received a promotion May 1 to Petty Officer 3-c. Robert is the son of Mrs. W. E. Davis, and is somewhere in the South Pacific. He hopes to be back in the states before many months for more training in a special line.

Davis F. Light, boatswain's first class, who worked for E. M. Groves in 1940 and '41 has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action in the Mediterranean. Light, then a coxswain, was cited for handling converted craft which salvaged more than 100 broached beached assault craft in the invasion of Sicily last July and Salerno, Italy, last September. The salvage craft was manned by coast guardsmen. He enlisted in the navy early in 1942.

Word was received in Gruver this week that Don Gross, Pharmacist Mate, has been advanced in rank to Pharmacist Mate Second Class.

Borrower Attention

Bruce Sheets and Jess Davis are getting bald-headed trying to keep up with a couple of electric floor waxes that they have been loaning to people in Hansford county. Right now both the waxes are out of pocket, and they do not know who has them. They are urging housewives to look on the back porch and in closets and see if they can find a Red Johnson electric floor waxer and return it to them so they may loan it to your neighbor.

Joe Cole visited Wednesday in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. D. Archer. Mrs. Archer accompanied Mr. Cole to Quannah, where she will remain through harvest.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Weant visited with friends in Spearman over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adair and children of McKibben visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Noel this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Terry and Shirley Ann and John Rave of Hobbs, New Mexico are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bagley and a sister, Mrs. W. O. Sheets this week.

Terry Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Curtis is recovering from a throat infection, after a tonsil operation and the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Mrs. Michael Hill and Mrs. John Stewart, and R. C. Chase of Kimball community were in Spearman Saturday.

Bill Sheets and Ernest Archer made a business trip to Okla. City this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Willis were in Booker Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sheets and children of Stinnett were in Spearman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sutherland had as their dinner guests Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas and Sgt. Clifton Douglas and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sparks.

Mrs. Gladys Hardin and Mrs. James Woodall went to Amarillo where they plan to stay several months.

Mrs. T. C. Harvey returned home from Excelsior Springs, Mo., Sunday where she spent several months in the Ball clinic there.

Jack Dacus visited his grandmother Clemmer at Willa, Oklahoma last week.

Mrs. Warren Hart of Gruver was shopping in Spearman the past week-end.

Mrs. Kate Grey, formerly of Spearman was visiting here Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Grey has been in Missouri with her mother who has been ill following a stroke recently.

Elizabeth Miller, who has been teaching at Gunter, Texas, arrived home Tuesday for a vacation.

Mrs. Jim Dougherty, who has been visiting her daughter, in Spearman is visiting a few days this week with friends in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Raney of Lubbock are here in the interest of harvest this week.

Mrs. Oran Kelly visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brown of Farnsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Bayless, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Barkley and son of Gruver were shopping in Spearman Monday.

Dee Jackson reports some damage to chicken house and granaries, Friday night at his home on the Palo Dura, as a result of the very strong wind.

Mrs. Delon Kirk is visiting this week with relatives in Lubbock

and Muleshoe. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradshaw and son Randall of Borger, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Randall and daughter of Panhandle visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis and daughter and son of Perryton, Mrs. E. C. Clements and grandpa Clements visited in the Bill Miller home Sunday.

Mrs. John Berry is spending a few weeks in Amarillo with Leo Podolsky, eminent pianist and teacher, who is teaching in Amarillo for a limited time this summer.

Mrs. Bond and daughter Dorinda of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen over the week-end.

Mrs. Howard Hunt and two daughters Alice Faye and Renee of Lubbock are visiting the McClellans of Gruver and Spearman this week.

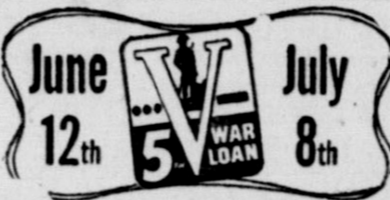
Miss Allovez Blackburn of Abilene, niece of Mrs. W. M. Glover, is visiting here this week.

Mrs. Floyd Wilbanks is visiting in Dalhart with her daughter Mrs. Ike Klutts this week.

Carl Archer and Wilson Buchanan were among those making the trip to Ft. Worth to drive some army trucks to Spearman.

National Farm Paper Sends Writer To Tell Of Hansford Harvest

T. C. Richardson, associate editor of the Farmer Stockman, national farm journal is in Hansford county this week writing a story about the present 1944 harvest and the operations of G. C. Brillhart in Hansford and Ochiltree counties.



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Mrs. D. B. Kirk and Miss Martha Delon Kirk made a trip to Amarillo Friday for a check-up at the hospital pertaining to Mrs. Kirk's eye. Rapid improvement was her report at this time.

Joan Wilbanks and Opal ton are visiting relatives darko, Okla., this week.

TAX NOTICE

The Last Half Of 1943 Taxes Are Due On Or Before June 30, 1944

SAVE ON 1943 DELINQUENT TAXES

During the month of June, you may pay your delinquent 1943 taxes at a considerable saving. The penalty of 5 percent now, will be increased to 8 percent on July 1st, in addition interest of 6 percent will be added after July 1st and \$1.00 costs will be added.

It will be to your advantage to make arrangements to pay your 1943 taxes on or before June 30, 1944.

Statements of Taxes which are due will be cheerfully furnished to all property owners upon request.

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