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Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, Thursday, November 23, 1944 BIXTH WAR BOND SALES LAGGING HANKSGIVING SERVICES TO BE HELD AT UNION CHURCH

blic Invited Be Present or Program

Business Houses Will Be Closed All Day November 23rd

the third Thanksgiving Day of lly in Spearman and Hansnty November 23. The robably will be closed tightthan is customary for most ws indications early this

losed for the day along with

t. L. H. Bond annouced that ols would close Thursday Friday, giving the students xtra days off.

n Thanksgiving service be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursat the Union Church, Rev. Modrick, pastor, will preach

ministers hope that this will be largely attended cordial invitation has been ed to all the people of man and Hansford county.

gers of all churches are askan and Hansford county. take part in the song and

elerinarian o Test For angs Disease

y Agent Zack Jaggers has the services of a state ven Hansford county. All of the county who desire nilch cows tested for Bangs are urged to get in touch gers immediately. The ter, but it is essential record their applifor this service soon, so be determined.

pholstering emonstration riday, Nov. 24

cement is made this that Miss Charlotte Tompcounty home demonstration will give a demonstration stering furniture. The deation is to be given at the Demonstration Club rooms ng at 8 p.m. Monday eve-November 27. The public is invited to attend this while demonstration.

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experience in this line of

RTHDAY PARTY

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tle Miss Sue Archer celebratfourth birthday November thanks. with a party Friday afterat her home. ys filled with candy were the

s for each child present. lovely gifts were presentthe little hostess. Angel nd jello with whipped cream served to the following: and Norma Lou Archer Kate Taylor, Susan Sheets, Kay Chambers, Carolyn Aletha Sheets, Aldo Jo d, Bobby Archer, Billy him."

Bill Wilmeth, Vernona were: Joey and Tommy Archer, Mrs. A. F. Barkley

ew Mexico and C'sco, Texas, is

Top 4, H'ers in Texas

TWO 4-H boys have been selected by the State Club office as Texas" winners in 1944 wartime activities. The two State winners, who each receive an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Dec. 3-6, and brief outlines of their records, are:

Reyce Howard (top photo), 16 of Midland, wins the coveted honor for his achievement in the Westinghouse 4-H Rural Electrification Activity. His 3 year record shows that he studied electric installation, helped set poles and wire family residence, barns, henhouse, garage, water pump, cream separator, electric fence, houses for hired hands, and lights for lawn. He also installed plugs and switches for reading lamps and radio in his home.

Laddie Sloan (bottom photo), 16 of Estelline, is the State's highest scoring participant in the International Harvester 4-H Food for Victory Activity. During 4 years in club work he handled 149 beef cattle, 148 dairy cows, 37 hogs and 200 fowls, helped harvest 200 acres of alfalfa, and raised a Victory garden from which a large part of the vegetables was cannot for his family's use. of the vegetables was canned for his family's use. Although he attended school, he produced enough food to feed 59 service men. Three participants scoring next highest to Laddie, who each received a \$25 War Bond, are: Alvin G. Davis, of Post; Billy Snodgrass, Tokio, and Clyde Jacobs, of Goliad. Laddie was also a State co-winner in the 4-H Farm Safety Activity, for which he received a \$25 War Bond from William G. Mennen.



Vanderburg Is Farm Bureau

Joe Hatton, vice-president; R. D. the eight days. Carl Hutchinson, reporter.

Delegates to the state meetin were also elected. The meeting to be held in Waco, Texas, No 28 and 29th. The delegates selected were Elizy Vanderburg and Ca E. Hutchinson.

The public is urged to back u ins for the length of the the newly elected officers and the County Farm Bureau with good Nov. 21 attendance. The members are to the county secretary before the Lynx Teams To 25th of November so that it can be in the state membership for this Play Canadian

> LOCAL TEACHER JOINS DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

teacher in the Spearman High the war so far as most Hansford importance of attending to your are a double post card form and dents occurred in the Gruver not be present, please mail your School, was initiated into the citizens are concerned is rapidly renewal promptly. If the expira- will be mailed to the applicant community the past week. The offering in so we will have it by tions face us," Walker said. "Un-Delta Kappa Gamma Society at being overcome. Last week Spear- tion of your paper is in Novem- next week. their regular meeting in Borger manites saw two dandy good bas- ber, you should send in your re- All the truck operators will paper as "someone was driving be sent you at once.

in Education." Mrs. Darnell and fans are urged to go to Canadian hopes that no advance will be man, Texas. Please do this immeline when the truck caught fire. worship together.

Winter Times Reflected In Weeks Weather

reau met in a regular monthly heralded in the report made this been established the past 15 meeting Tuesday evening, Nov. 14. week by U. St. Wrather observer weeks. Thirtzen subscriptions in in the county court room with a Fred Brandt. Six of the past 8 one week is the smallest number good attendance. Since this was mornings recorded freezing wea- this paper has recorded in 15 time for election, the following ther. The high for the eight days weeks, and perhaps during this officers were elected for the en- was for last Tuesday with a year. Considering the fact that

Everett Vanderburg, president; No moisture was recorded for scription record that is above 1000

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Fri. Nov. 24

ketball games, the first since the newal at once. Attending from Spearman were beginning of the war. This week The Reporter costs \$2.00 a year plete information at the top of the ed it, doing considerable damage." Miss Charlott Tompkins, Mrs. R | the two Spearman teams, the girls in Hansford and adjoining coun- application (do not write in space The second note informed the pa- of ourselves together as the man-The theme for the program was they will try to tame the Canadian scription rates, The Reporter is turn to Hansford County War by fire Monday morning." "Bob Worship and Bible School be-

Subscriptions Fall Off For Past Week End

Spearman Reporter Does Make Ideal Christmas Gift

New Subscribers

Sid Back, Spearman, Texas. Leona Shedeck, Canyon, Texas (gift of mother, Mrs. H. M. Shedeck)

Melia Clemmer, Granite, Okla. (gift of daughter, Mrs. Leo Dacus)

Mrs. Tommie Morris, Austin, Texas (gift of mother, Mrs. B. J. Garnett) Mrs. Gene Fletcher, Gruver, Texas

Jack Wilbanks, Stinnett, Texas. Renewal Subscriptions Curtis Lowe, Gruver, Texas J. A. McNulty, Spearman, Rt.

Sidney, Rees, Cinter Point, Tex-May Jones, Spearman, Texas. C. P. Jackson, Spearman, Rt.

Clyde Hazlewood, Amarillo, Roy Thomas, Gruver, Texas.

Seven renewal subscriptions and six new subscribers might have been a pretty good record for a newspaper where there was The Hansford County Farm Bu- The approach of winter is considering the record that has temperature reading of 60 degrees, the paper is maintaining a suband approaches 1,100, we need an average of 20 subscribers per week to maintain this record. Of course there have been weeks in the past when we recorded as many as 38 subscriptions.

> The Reporter continues to be 3 ford county as well as all over the world where it is being sent 25 these days.

Many persons are making up Christmas lists and it is probable Truck Owners eral more homes through the Warned To Use The Reporter will go into sevthoughtfulness of friends and rel-

atives. desidable Christmas gift, but it also adds to the prestige of Hansthe paper goes.



The Reporter not only makes a New OPA Forms

Canadian Friday Nov. 24th where most newspapers have raised sub- tion No. 1; sing; stamp and re- water for farmers lost his truck this Blessed Privilege.

Cars Feature Accidents At Gruver, Texas

have to do is to fill in the com- C. J. McQueen's car and overturn-

Thanksgiving Offering At Local Church

Mrs. Zack Jaggers, English One of the biggest handicaps of Your attention is called to the line renewals. These applications Herbert Hughes, two care acci- for our Missions. If any one canfirst noted was turned in to this Sunday. A special envelope will less more people buy and mail

"Not forsaking the assembling Christmas gifts on time.

Miss Deakin were on the program. and back the local teams. You Can Learn About Texas and Hansford County from P. A.

the Spearman Reporter as one of ging about them. ement is made in this the most interesting talks about local young men had leas- had ever heard was given by Lion per with the notes used by the and declare they will speaker. The fact that these notes a share of the partonage in are so thorough that they make ervice station business. They a dandy running story, is just anthe public to give them a other of the outstanding qualifications of Mr. Lyon. Here are the

Will everyone who was born in

nor why you came to Texas, but colony at Jamestown. want to tell you this little story by Boyce House:

son because the son had asked a isn't there is no need to embarrass | be familiar with.

Texans are proud of their state Johny Huffines and Virginia the Confederate States; and it en- speaker of the House. in the Goo. Buzzard home. Lamar and many others - and articles of impeachment were pre-

What impressed the editor of Texans are not backward in brag-

A boy from Boston in a Texas Reporter that two well Texas and Hansford County he Army camp had heard so much about our Texas heroes that he Phillips 66 retail service P. A. Lyon, at the regular meet- finally tired of it, and made the They are Bill Newcomb ing held Tuesday noon. We are remark to a Texan. "Well, you sion of some negro slaves which grant, usually a railroad company. Hudson lands.) The greater por-R. M. Black. Both men have presenting the readers of this pa-didn't have all of the heroes you didn't have Paul Revere," whereupon the Texan replied: "Paul Revere, lets see, Paul Revere-Oh, yes, I remember him, District, and such instruments as the State of Texas granted to each he was that fellow that rode were sought to be recorded prior railroad certificates for 16 sections Mel Wright was carrying mail be- started for Texas to promote the around all one night hollering for help.' We, in this area are prone to

state, yet the beginnings of its Now the rest of you are Texans history in the explorations by La by adoption and I am not going Salle and Coronado antedate the 1876 and was attached to Wheeler certificates that it locate a like to ask you where you were born, landing of the Pilgrims or the

Our particular section of the A father remonstrated with his the last in development, and I were transcribed to Wheeler Counstate, however, has been one of want to tell you all little some- ty, and any persons from this area and these last were call school stranger where he was from: thing of the history of Hansford had to attend court in Wheeler land. "Son, don't ever ask a man where County, as reflected largely in the County or transact such other buse Lou Archer, Martha Ann he is from-if he is from Texas county records, with which we iness incident to land titles. he will soon tell you, and if he have occasion in our business, to

honor of one Judge John M. ganized in 1889. sending gifts but unable to six flags have flown over it (two 1837, and settled in Harrison Texas joined the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in are recorded. W. C. McRea, Huff two, half case, Wheele & Wilson tisers, civic groups and all American treatment of the control of the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in are recorded. W. C. McRea, Huff two, half case, Wheele & Wilson tisers, civic groups and all American treatment of the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in are recorded. W. C. McRea, Huff two, half case, Wheele & Wilson tisers, civic groups and all American treatment of the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, these certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, the certificates are located in the Union, by treaty, the certificates are located in the Union treatment of the Union treatm of them, Spain and the U. S. two County, Texas. In 1838 he was in 1845 the state retained its pub-Mrs. T. H. Taylor, Mrs. different times). It was under the elected to the lower House of the lic domain. In other states, all etc. flag of France, of Mexico and of Texas Congress and was chosen public land was the property of Hansford County was first sur- land was sold out on the basis of became of the sewing machines.

as a Republic in its own right and pointed judge of the 7th Judicial have a different set of land laws, ing covering certain of the rail- in 40 years, 3% interest. Most of to the estate of his deceased wife Ernest Hester of Artesia, has its own heroes in Houston, District of Texas and served until and a different procedure from all road lands. Along in 1875 most the school land was filed on dur-Austin, Travis, Bowie, Bonham, 1842, when he resigned because other states in the handling of our of the land sales were made on the ing the period of 1900 to 1902. The In 1887 one C. F. Mingenback,

sequestration.

to 1879, were placed on record in of land for each mile of road condescribed as being located in Jack that the railroad company would Texas please raise your hand— think of Texas as a relatively new Land District, so many miles at its own expense locate the cernorth and west of Bents Fort, etc. tificates on vacant lands, and at

he was holding under a write of It may be of interest to you to tion of the railroad lands passed ation was a part of Jack Land state in about the 1850's and 60's, Jack County, and the land was structed, with the understanding Hansford County was created in the time of the location of its County, upon the organization of quantity, alternate sections, for dicial and recording purposes, and numbered sections belonged to the

Also, the state issued quite a few possession of some land, may be certificates to individuals in ap- secured a few grass leases from Munson of Grayson County, Tex- 000,000 parcels for the armed These records were transcribed preciation or in payment for the state, built a house and turn- as, conveyed to Augustus Sumner and transferred to Hansford services rendered for the state, ed their stock out on free range. 80 sections of land in Hansford in my mind that the November Hansford County was named in County, when this county was or- perhaps as veterans of the war Very little land was owned by ac- and Hutchinson Counties in ex- Christmas mailing will be equally with Mexico for independence, or tucl settlers until about 1888 when change for 1822 acres of land in successful. I ask for the help of You will recall that at the time some other cause, and a few of the first filings on school land Grayson County and 12000 style the press, radio, business adver-

the U. S. Government, but Texas veyed in 1874 and certificates es- four sections per applicant, at \$1.00 Sumner kept this land for many On January 31, 1840, he was ap- retained its public land, so we tablished, and deeds began issu- per acre, 1/40th cash and balance years, and some of it still belongs 'Do Not Open Until Chritsams'. basis of about \$200.00 per section, state bet a section of land against

his farm near Jonesville, where etc., as is true in other states. As by individuals at that time are won. he was killed by a mob on a Sun- you will note that especially in this still held in the same family and There are some unusual deals as Service has given 50,000 experiday morning in 1844 because of county the land is referred to as are now used by the third gene-shown of record which might be enced employees to the armed his refusal to give up the posses- being located in certain block, and ration. (The Ferguson lands, and of interest to you.

section corners. apparently just came in and took barbed wire.

tired from the bench he lived on land by section, township, range, that figure. Some lands purchased years—and the state quite often cilities growing out of the war

vented by a Mr. Glidden of De- ious is the fact that rail and other know why. In order to stimulate to individual ownership about 1905 Kalk, Ill., and a few years later transport facilities are taxed to Hansford County, before its cre- the building of railroads down the -H. & T. C. & T. & N. O. lands. two salesmen, Henry Sanborn and the limit with the great burden of Speaking of surveying - the Judson Warner loaded a few war traffic which all of us know story is told that along in the '90's sample spools in a buggy and must take precedence. tween old Hansford and Ochil- sales. One of their first contacts 000 post offices the man power tree—that when he hitched up his was at Sherman when they traded situation is critical. The 200,000 ponies one morning they ran away, some wire (the record doesn't extra workers whom we normally and in order to care for their ex- show how much) to W. W. Purin- recruited to handle the swollen cess energy he stopped and loaded ton for five section of land in Christmas volume of mail were in a number of big rocks on the Hansford County, which they took able to work long hour of overedge of the canyon and started at a valuation of \$1,000—this was time and to do heavy work. This out—as the team began to tire in 1877, Incidentally Glidden, San- cannot be expected from the wothe latter county in 1879, for juthe State of Texas—hence the odd he would throw out a rock and born & Warner acquired a big men and high school boys and in later years settlers coming in stock of land in the Panhandle girls to whom in large part we the records from Jack County railroad companies and the even used these rocks as established just west of where Amarillo now must look this year to meet the stands and founded the Frying situation. The early settlers in the county | Pan Ranch—as a profit from their |

and various others. This school order, I have often wondered what Postal Service to do its work.

Banker Moore Wants Quick Sale Action

Public Urged To Purchase Quota Next 10 Days

If you meet Banker Delbert Moore wearing a face as long as the naational debt, don't get excited and start a run on the bank. Everything is all O.K. at the First State, and the dreary look and furrows of sorrow on the Hansford county did not make too good an impression in the matter of purchasing bonds for the Sixth war loan drive Monday and Tuesday of this week, Chairman Moore is burdened with the responsibility, and he is trying to impersonate an undertaker.

The sixth war loan drive opened Monday, and perhaps twenty five thousand dollars of the \$365, 000 quota was sold by Chairman Moore. We are not sure just what the score is in the matter, as Moore gets so embarrassed when asked about the progress of drive that we did not press !

This newspaper is now app ing to the finest people in world to wipe that frown off the brow of Mr. Moore. We believe that committeemen can get his face back to normal if they will turn in at least \$300,000 before next publication date, November 30th. Of course, if it is worth the effort, we might slap a grip on the map of our banker by overubscribing Hansford quota of the ixth war loan drive during the

No reports had been turned in committeemen working on the drive, and the sales so far recorded represented the amount sold by Chairman Delbert Moore at the First State Bank.

Early Mailing Of Christmas Gifts Wanted

Public response to the Post Office Department's "Shop Now! A new, revised application form According to information from Next Lord's Day we will take Mail in November" campaign is ford county in the many places has been received for truck gaso- our Gruver correspondent, Rev. out regular Thanksgiving offering good but needs to be better, ac-

"Extraordinary wartime condithis month the Postal service cannot do its job of delivering all

"It is not pleasing to us to have Darnell, Mrs. Sid Clark and and boys teams will journey to ties; \$2.50 a year elsewhere. While within heavy lines); answer ques- per that "Bob Stanton who hauls ner of some is." Let us not neglect to ask the American people to mail packages so far in advance of the delivery date. We do so Planning for the Post-War Period Bobcats and kittens. Spearman charging the regular amount and Price and Rationing Board, Spear- was repairing a clogged gasoline gins at 10:30 a.m. Come, let us only because it has to be done. The job is a tremendous one, but we are confident that it will be done because we know from experience that given sound reasons Americans cooperate magnificent-

> "Unprecedented shortages of ferred against him. After he re- In Texas we do not refer to and trade wasn't very brisk at \$16.00 that one couldn't stay three man power and transportation facompel early mailing. The Postal forces and 300,000 railroad work-About 1874 barbed wire was in- ers have gone to war. Equally ser-

"In a great number of our 43,-

"The way in which everyone responded in making it possible In 1877 Jot Gunter and W. B. for us to handle a volume of 70,forces overseas leaves no doubt

"We urge everyone to buy now, mail it November and mark gifts

Mrs. Louise Jarvis and Tom of Amarillo, visited in Spearman the past week-end

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Have you listened to the death scream of your buddies as they le over on the battlefield?

"Our country is at war, are u? is the slogan of the Sixth to Dec. 16. During this time it is your privilege to be able to buy stamps and bonds. It is your duty during this war loan drive to deprive yourself of a few luxuries and invest your money in War Stamps and Bonds. You have nothing to lose in the long run. Our country is at war, are you?

SENIOR NEWS By Jean Hill

The class received a reply in answer to our letter several days ago asking Brother James A. Todd of the First Christian Church of Panhandle to deliver the baccaaureate sermon here in the spring. Brother Todd stated that would be able and glad to deliver this message. Many of you people probably remember Broth-Todd. He was pastor at the First Christian Church in Spear-

man several years ago. An attempt is being made to secure Mr. Wes Izzard of the Amarillo Daily News for the commence speaker. A reply has not yet been received.

Six weeks is almost gone again. How time does fly from one test to another! Well, wish us luck out re. We will need it.

However, to offset the exams, have Thanksgiving holidays sideline and watching people week, which we will make dance!!! good use of.

The term themes have been ned in now. There are some attractive one with interestmaterial contained.

Geneva, what is this about your having such a wonderful time Sunday.... Well, we hope you enjoyed

thinking of when you made your English poem book???

Gerald Briley, who were you with Saturday night??? Did they give you all that gum???

Floydean, why didn't you and Ruth Fox take them to the SPEARMAN LYNX WALLOPS

Estelle, was the show Thursday

By ? ? ?

tainly hope you enjoyed it. The selection of band pieces

Gunch, who was that you were musical numbers.

other concert soon and let the was used to provide a trust agreepublic see the progress the band ment among such persons as wish

MORSE 22-6 AND 27-18

night very sad??? It seemed to basketball aggregations won two Panhandle included, and what was

ems to have a new teams last Friday night in the Spearman High School gym. The boys won 22-6 and girls 27-18.

w about that, Dale???

Sadie Hawkins week was over???

Spearman, Darwin??? Is it too

Don't guess you were too much

Anna Louise, are you still stay-

like Arkansas, were you Pouchy??

Don't guess Don thought so any-

ing with the old flame, or is he

by yourself when you go south!!

We believe you take the whole

embarrass Troy in study hall??

go south, especially a certain

Bob Heard, you should go to

Maurice, was the candy good???

Geneva, how could you travel

Don't tempt Rosanne so. She's in

so far with this gas rationing???

Or do the privates get a special

Margie, quit talking so much

to Gerald!!! We would like to

check out a book every once in

Narrell and Dub, maybe there

something to standing on the

By Pat Becker

The band is still progressing

Especially that straw-

church more often and get ac-

quainted with people. Wini, how

one to answer that???

staving with you???

you take a hint???

about that??

rating???

a while!"

blonde!!!

SOUR NOTES

about that, Don Allen???

Bodil, why were you so glad The Spearman boys had com-It couldn't be such a simple reaplete control of their game from start to finish. The first half was Bob Heard, how did you acan all Spearman show. We Lynx quire those chocolates anyway??? racked up 15 tallies while Morse Are you sure they weren't given got only one. In the second half to you??? Or could we get some-Glover of Morse got hot and made a field goal and free shot to be Darwin seems to like Booker high point man for his team with pretty well!!! Whats wrong with three points.

Co-captain Jones and Becker were standouts for the Lynx team in the scoring department with Becker getting seven points and Jones six. Wilson and Davis had four points each and Robertson with two. Co-captain Robertson made up for his scoring with his guarding and fine floor work. Substi-Doris, we don't think you are tutes Heard, Womble, Moore, and Berry did some fine guarding while in the game; holding Morse scoreless against them.

Anna Louise, do you like to The Spearman girls after getting off to a slow start came Seems that a certain Fish girl through with a thumping 27-18 kinda like you Bill Davis, can't victory. At the half time the Morse team was ahead 7-5. The Well, Helen, looks like you fin-Spearman girls came back the ally got in the Snooper!!! How second half and started pouring the ball though the hoop like there Doris, looks like you're finally was nothing to it. getting the rest of the crowd to

Co-captain Allan got her eagle eye to working in the second half to come through with 13 points to her credit while Bette Lee Davis contributed 12 points to the cause and Pearl Dean Burke two.

Guards Jean Hill, Doris Hester, Barbara Daily, and Floydean Crawford did their part by doing some mighty fine guarding during the second half.

For Morse, N. Gillispie was credited with 15 out of the 18 points made by her team. Garrison got the other three.

YOU CAN LEARN ABOUT TEXAS AND HANSFORD-Continued from Page One

trustee, acquired title to a section of land in Hansford County, and on which they operated were leasin later years it became necessary to explain the term "trustee" and Mingenback executed an affidavit ging of Texas, and I have finishin 1927, which reads in part as ed:

"During the year of 1887, while under the direction of Mr. Smizer. on trip in the south, I purchased You people of Spearman nave 640 acres of land in Hansford heard the band play and we cer- County, in the name of C. F. Mingenback, trustee.

At that time there was a conthat the band played at the con-siderable of a boom on in the cert has been put away and we southwest. The object of the trusare playing altogether different teeship was to organize a town company and operate in the Texas We hope to be able to give an- Panhandle. The wording "trustee" to become associated as members of a town company, but no organization was ever consummated In July, 1887, hot winds and a The Spearman High School cyclone struck the southwest, the

During ensuing 12 months the trails and roads were full of moving caravans headed for the east and southeast, fleeing from the scourge. After that all southwest booms fell flat and no one thought of resurrecting a boom. Since this land was purchased with my own money, all expenses paid by me, there is no claim of whatsoever nature against the land.'

Speaking of town sites we have number of dead townsites in Hansford County:

Old Hansford, platted about

Farwell, about 1888. Beaver, about 1909. Oslo, about 1909.

All of which have been abandoned. The county seat fight was originally between Hansford and Farwell, but I won't try to go into that at this time.

During the 80's and 90's several rather extensive ranches were operating in this area. Perhaps the largest was the Cresswell Ranch and Cattle Company, an English Syndicate, around 1885, that owned some 175,000 acres of land in Roberts, Ochiltree, Hansford and Hemphill Counties; and the operation of which ceased and the land sold out prior to 1900.

Another was the Hansford Land & Cattle Company, owned by parties in Dundee, Scotland, operating at about the same time in north Hutchinson and south Hansford Counties. It too, was sold out prior to 1900, but its holdings were not so large as the Cresswell people.

Perhaps some of the other large outfits operating in Hansford County, as indicated by leases on lands from the state, situated in the north part of the county, were: Dutchess Cattle Company.

Wilson & Shavalia John F. DeLong.

These parties apparently never owned any lands, and the lands ed from the state at 3c per acre. Just one little bit more of brag-

Fold Texas northward, and Brownsville will be 120 miles in

Fold it eastward and E! Paso will be 140 miles in the Atlantic. Fold it westward and Orange will be 215 miles in the Pacific. Texas is both south and west, but the inhabitants are neither

southerners or westerners, but they are just plain Texans-which is a God's plenty. General AUTO REPAIR

All Work Guaranteed

BUD BEESON



THIS THANKSGIVING

Our Pilgrim forefathers prayed long and earnestly for guidance and protection in a country teeming with danger. Even as they prayed, they were on the alert for lurking Indians and would spring into action to fight - and kill if necessary—at the warning call. These were taut and fearless men and women who knew obeisance only to God.

They are our heritage from whence comes our stalwart character and keen versatility. In the face of danger we too can strike with lightning speed and accuracy . . . we too are humble only to God.

Our prayers are the source of our strength to carry us through this war victoriously and the foundation on which to build a fair and lasting peace.

BOYKIN-HIGGS MOTOR CO.

Manbaguith IS OUR WISH FOR OUR MANY NORTH PLAINS FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

ON NOVEMBER 23rd Hansford County Official Day For THANKSGIVING



THIS THANKSGIVING SEASON—finds us appreciative of the fine association we have had with our North Plains friends during the past year—and for that matter during the entire history of this business.—In The Future as in the past we will endeavor to SERVE the NORTH PLAINS CITIZENSHIP with the finest quality furniture and household refinements the market affords-And at prices that cannot be excelled in this area.

> Since Lindsey first began serving the people of Hansford county and the North Plains, You have always had a friendly invitation to make our store your headquarters regardless of whether you happened to be shopping or not. We want you, during the coming shopping season, to take advantage of the many conveniences offered here, that will have been mis-spent, without you Do Take Advantage of them. You will find here a convenient and comfortable place to rest when visiting Borger. You will not be made to feel that you are obligated to make purchases at this store. Just come in and visit with us. We enjoy a neighborly visit. Tell us about your crops, your prospects, your plans. We Really Enjoy vour visits. Feel Free to look over the big store that is Your Store Now, and ask any and all the questions you desire. We will appreciate your visit whether you want to BUY or just look around.

We say to you that you have a splendid furniture store in your county and it deserves your patronage. There has been times during the past years when you did not have a home dealer. Naturally under those circumstances, your neighbor at Borger expected and received liberal patronage from Hansford county people.

There are quite a number of readers of this newspaper in Hutchinson county, and south Hansford County that are geographically located so they are naturally customers of this store. We appreciate their patronage, and solicit a continuation.

To all other citizens of Hansford county, we suggest you try your home furniture store first. If there happens to be any item for the home he does not have, or if you want a more varied selection, and ar determined to go elsewhere, we certainly invite you to your neighbor store at Borger, Texas.

> GIFT SEASON IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER-We have made extensive purchases this year for the Christmas holiday season. Rapidly the citizenship of this area have accepted the sensible practice of making their holiday gifts practical ones. It will please you greatly to view the Gifts for the Home that we have on display. What would be more sensible than to make your holiday purchases Early. Let us help you make your selections. We will gladly set aside gift items for delivery December 24th.

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A ROL THE WAY TO A THE TOWN HOUSE

ENTIETH CENTURY FINE

iteracy in the United States" C. A. Williams. on by Mrs. Roy Russell and

ederation news, rationing Mrs. Harley Alexander the latest styles, new books songs, paintings, new and Pitts, Choral. hildren's bright sayings, a

Brotherton on Thursday, hostess. Mrs. Lowe. 16, for the fourth lesson in ndy of the peoples of South- HOME SCIENCE DEPARTMENT Asia. Mrs. C. H. Winder di-

lesdames W. B. Hart, Cal ms, M. F. Barkley, Mart lights of the meeting. Ted McClellan, W. A. Shap-Noble Watson, Bill Etling, Biggs, A. R. Bort, C. H. and W. L. Harris.

RSE HOME MONSTRATION CLUB

Morse Home Demonstra-Club met on Nov. 16 in the of Mrs. L. O. Boney with sident, Mrs. Moody Womble was carried out and busine: sed. Then the club went to the building that is to sed as our club room and dis-

MRS. LOWE HOSTESS TO MUSIC CLUB

Mrs. D. D. Moore Thursday, November 14 at the home of Mrs and ten members present.

Mrs. Roy Wilmeth prediscussion, Mrs. H. B. Hart discusDepartment of Mrs. The visitors were: Mrs. Chester Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Gibsen a

topics such as school news, Century Music by Bauer, Mrs. E. events for U. S., Texas, M. McClellan. "The Story of the METHODIST INTERMEDIATE reign news, who is who to- Little Brown Church" by Pitts by AND SENIOR LEAGUES

"The Little Brown Church" by

r Fifteen members were Never Pass Away" by Mrs. Wm. and enjoyed lovely re- Etling, jr. Present were Masdamander, A. R. Bort, Jim Cator, Wm. months period: Women's Society of Chris- Etling, jr., H. B. Hart, E. M. Mcservice met with Mrs. Law- Clellan, C. B. Williams, and the

The Home Science Department the lesson and told of the of the 20th Century Study Club ings and progress of mis- met in the home of Mrs. D. B. ork in the Fiji Islands, the Keim, Thursday afternoon, Nov. ns, New Guinea and other 16, at 3:00 o'clock. Mrs. R. B. the Pacific Islands that have Archer presided and during the much in the news the last business meeting the club voted ars, Mrs. W. L. Harris gave to contribute to a fund to be used additional facts on this to make a better Christmas for Sid Clark, Wednesday, November aries among them. Mrs. Closkey General Hospital in Tem-Biggs closed the meeting ple. Each member answered roll was enjoyed as one of the high-

Mrs. Pope Gibner directed a as a new member. Marvin Shapley, Browning panel discussion on "Education, as a new member.

The lesson on "The Deaconess the Bedrock of Democracy." Mrs. in a Strange Land" was presented many enlightening facts in her missed with a prayer. discussion of "Illiteracy in the

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to the fol- Ford, Tuesday, November 14th. Heard, Fred Holt, O. C. Holt, Rex tion. Sanders and T. R. Shirley.

Mrs. C. C. McCarty and chil-

The season gives us an opportunity to review for your consideralion, the effectiveness of COOPERATION—not only at the pre-

The Plymouth settlers developed the most effective COOPERA-

110N. Without cooperation they could not have lived and enloyed the ordinary benefits of life and pursuit of happiness. They cooperated in building their homes, in protecting these homes

from Indians, and in establishing the background for the gigan-

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and excellent service to the people of Hansford County.

tic business operations of the present day and time.

CONSUMERS

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ent time, but at the time the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth.

hanksgiving finds U.S.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Medlin H. D. Club met Friday afternoon November 17th in Mr. and Mrs. King of Portland made for Thanksgiving and Christ- week.

Fine Arts Study Club met The Gruver Music Club mit tributed among the members to Sr., underwent a major operation Mrs. D. D. Moore Thursday, November 14 at the home of Mrs be made. There were two visitors Saturday night at this time Tues-

The program, "Education" discussion, Mrs. H. B. Hart discus-sed "The Act of listening; Yesterthe program, "Education" discussion, Mrs. H. B. Hart discussion, the Bedrock of Democion, the Be

A song of Thanksgiving by Dr Lovely refreshments of angel Thomas Arne was a choral num- food cake, jello and coffee were Mr. and M. R. W. Mrs. A. L. Wil-ber. Past Annovations and Preserved. The next meeting will be Clovis, N. M. announce the birth

"Thought for the Day" and leagues which had been disband- lene Christian College. of interest, and homemak- "Bliss Supreme Shall Never ed since harvest. After a short devotional program of scripture, beetie visited over the week-end song and prayer, the following of- with relatives in Spearman. es, Harley Alexander, Robt. Alex- ficers were elected for a three

Dick Beck, vice-president; Lois as, where he underwent a major McClellan and LaNell left Tues- Mrs. Richard Shedeck of Garden Buzzard, secretary and Report- operation two weeks ago. He is day for Frederick, Okla., to spend City, Kansas. er; Maurice Bond, treasurer. *

Nancy Lee will have charge of the program next Sunday night. Walters, Okla., to attend his sis- join them Thursday. An invitation and welcome is ex- ter, Mrs. Norma Fox, who is seritended to all young people of the ously ill. town would like to meet with these young people to come next Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Chesser of recovering from injuries received Sunday night.

METHODIST LADIES MEET

Mrs. A. R. Bort Told of the the returning veterans at Mc- 15 with the following members present: Mesdames R. E. Meek, call with a individual bit of in-Bruce Sheets, F. J. Daily, C. A. Pope Gibner, R. L. McClellan, present for the meeting formation on varied subjects. This Gibner, E. N. Richardson, H. P.

Mrs Frank Allen was welcomed

W. M. Glover gave the "Demo- by Mrs. Sheets and Mrs. McClalcratic Charter of Education" and lan. Mrs. Pope Gibner gave the Mrs. R. B. Archer brought out devotional. Mrs. C. A. Gibner dis-

HANSFORD H. D. CLUB

The club met with Mrs. Dennis lowing Medames: R. B. Archer, Miss Tompkins gave a demon-Ben Beck, Wesley Garnett, Pope stration on upholstering furniture, ing. The order of our meet- Gibner, W. M. Glover. H. L. a useful and enjoyable demonstra-

Those present were: Mesdames Homer Hart, H. M. Shedeck, A. Mrs. L. W. Mathews is visiting D. Morton, Pete Cluck, Sam d what we would need to fix in Floydada with her daughter Latham, and two visitors, Mrs. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ned Turner and Mrs. Frankie

Mrs. Gay and Mrs. dren are visiting relatives in Lub- Mrs. Homer Hart, Nov. 21, at 2:30. All visitors are welcome.

· Personals

the home of Mrs. Virgil Hull, Mrs. Oregon were visitors in the home Frank Davis acted as president, of their daughter and family, Mr Many plans were discussed and and Mrs. Jack Whitson the past

Red Cross Kit Bags were dis to Pampa Sunday as Mr. Mitchell

in a pater of Education gar A. Guest was given by Mrs. Crawford, W. A. Van Cleave, O. Uptergrove were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Upter-

was welcomed to the club. judices and the Begining of the Friday, December 1st with Mrs. Clovis, N. M. announce the birth of a baby daughter, named Sharron Ann. Mr. and Mrs. Todd were residents of Spearman for several

> Mrs. Paul Roach and father, W A large group of Methodist J. Daniels and Virginia Greene young people met at the church left Wednesday for Abilene to take Sunday evening to reorganize the Rita Roach who is attending Abi-

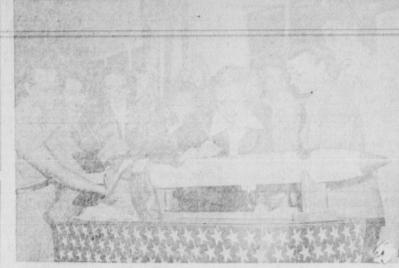
> > Mr. and Mrs. Dan Files of Mo-

Robert Wilbanks of Phillips, son of Ernest Wilbanks, has returned Monday on business. Verna Lee Gibner, president; from the hospital in Lubbock, Texreported improving.

E. R. Wilbanks left Tuesday for

des City. Cadet Chesser is the son Mr. and Mrs. Claude Schell and of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Chesser. | Colleen and Mr. and Mrs. M. W.

Millionth Rocket



Employes of the California Institute of Technology's rocket production staff gather around to autograph the 1,000,000th rocket to be turned out at the Pasadena plant. The missiles have demonstrated their deadliness in use against the Japs in recent Pacific

Mrs. Jess Edwards and daugh- civil service speed tests in the ter, Mrs. Sam Van Cleave and Fleming Business School at Amalittle daughter are visiting with rillo and now holds a position with

R. J. Garrett, Leroy Murrah and rillo News Globe in the Monday C. V. Lowe were in Spearman edition.

Other members of the family will Dell are spending a few weeks

home the first of the week from at San Diego. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas and the hospital in Perryton. They are Gruver are visiting with Cadet in an accident two weeks ago. Mrs. Leon Chesser and wife in Merce- Beck is still unable to be out.

Mrs. Lula Newcomb is visiting Graves of Perryton visited Sunday with her son, Robert, in Wichita with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jacobs. DR. POWELL, EYE, EAR, NOSE Falls, Texas. Mrs. Wm. Dearing Mrs. Louis Buckner visited with & THROAT. Will be at Dr. Gowof Houston, Texas, who has been her daughter and family, Mr. and er's office Wednesday till noon. visiting relatives in Spearman the Mrs. James Sparks of Perryton. past week, returned to her home Miss Thadine Deck, graduate of and adnoids removed. J. D. Pow-Spearman High School, passed her

a local freight line. A picture of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander, Miss Deck was carried in the Ama-

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shedeck Mrs. Roy Russell, Mrs. W. E. spent the week end with Sgt. and

Thanksgiving with their mother. Mrs. Auburn Curtis and Melba in California visiting her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Beck came who is in the Navy and stationed

> Bob Combs, with the Amarillo Production Credit Association, formerly of Spearman was transacting business and greeting

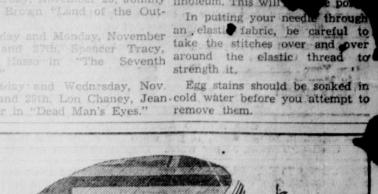
Nov. 29th. Glasses fitted. Tonsils

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Brown Land of the Out- In putting your n

y and Wednesday, Nov. Egg stains should be soaked in 28th and 29th. Lon Chaney, Jean cold water before you attempt to Parker in "Dead Man's Eyes." remove them.



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beet pulp



When you eat your Thanksgiving dinner, be thankful for the blesisngs of this great nation return thanks for the safety of the many Hansford County boys in service.

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Someday, you'll be mighty glad you met one of these Americans!

Maybe it will be a man. Or it may be a woman.

Anyway, sometime between Nov. 20th and Dec. 16th, someone is going to come to you and ask you to dig down deep into your pocketbook

and come up with some extra cash. Enough extra cash to buy at least one extra \$100 War Bond in the 6th War Loan!

Welcome him - or her. These Victory Volunteers are patriotic Americans, working extra hours, working extra hard-doing a vitally necessary wartime job.

They're doing a job for Uncle Sam-for our fighting men-for you!

They're making it easy for you to do what every one of us at home must do-fight this war to a finish with our dollars.

And they're making it easy for you to do what every one of us wants to do-look after your family's future by laying aside money for that future. War Bonds are the safest, soundest investment in the world today. Every dollar you put into them will come back to youand bring more dollars with it. Dollars that can help to guarantee a busy, prosperous future for this whole country and everybody in it.

So - when the Victory Volunteer comes, welcome kim. Buy that extra \$100 Bond. For the day is coming when, both for your country's sake and your own, you'll be mighty glad he came around to you!

And here are 6 more reasons for buying at least an extra \$100 War Bond in the 6th!

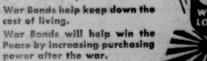
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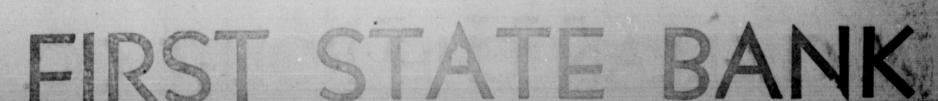
2. War Bonds return you \$4 for every \$3

3. War Bonds are as convenier

as cash-and increase in value to boot! 4. War Bonds mean education for your children, security for you a nest egg to fall back on,

5. War Bonds help keep down t cost of living. 6. War Bonds will help win th





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NEW UNIVERSITY REGENTS

Acceptance of places on the board by the three new trust Him with a fuller trust, and so at last regents of the University of Texas is the first hopeful sign to come to that high life, where we shall in a badly confused and disturbing situation. ("Acceptance" "be careful for nothing, but in everything, rather than "appointment" is used advisedly; only the most by prayer and supplication, with thankscourageous would be willing to undertake the present regiving, it our request be made known unto sponsibility.) Public estimates of the three new members— God," for that, and that alone, is peace.— Dr. Judson Taylor of Houston, David M. Warren of Pan- Phillips Brooks. handle and Dudley K. Woodward of Dallas-are reassuring. Seemingly, Governor Stevenson has named three men of high qualifications.

But only the first hurdle has been cleared. And first advice to the newly constituted board should be that they before it recessed he felt that "de- front of its head. nor try to clear the second hurdle before they arrive at it finite forces had been working "They fear modern men of in its proper spacing. There should be no action on any vital over a long time toward my re- which Dr. Rainey is a fine exammatter until confirmation by the Senate of the four new moval and in such an atmosphere ple. regents, including Dr. C. O. Terrell of Fort Worth who was I had little opportunity to work named recently. They hold a balance of power on the present effectively." board, assuming that the older regnets adhere to their spym- The committee recorded volu- as it was freedom of mind. pathies in the controversy over Dr. Homer P. Rainey, and minous testimony from Rainey, presure will undoubtedly be put upon them to take immed- faculty members, students and ex- tries to squelch you from speakate action. But action, either to appoint a new president of students on the long standing con- ing your mind he is doing the the university or to reinstate Dr. Rainey, before confirmation by the Senate, could only result in increased wrangling and bitterness. It would make the position as head of the universibility of the administrator and board members as to proper said.

Dobie qualified his testimony sibility of the administrator and board members as to proper said. sity eventually untenable by either Dr. Rainey or any other the governing board.

In January three terms expire, including that of Dr. English lately returned from a Texas that had any freedon of Terrell, which will place on the board six members named year's guest professorship at speech. He said that the faculty osequent to the recent disintegration of the university's Cambridge University, England, at Texas Technological college dministrative system. The situation would be further claritestified that the regents had atif the three holdover memebers would resign, giving the tempted to stifle liberal thinking 16 months ago when he visited ernor an opportunity to send to the Senate an entire new for confirmation. But, even assuming that these memis do not resign, the Governor has an opportunity to put the university's affairs in the hands of a board with a twothirds majority that will be unbiased and unembittered by ences to communism in testimony the recent controversy. It will be time enough then to give to declare: consideration to reinstatement or replacement of Dr. Rainey. Two years intervened between the death of President H. Y. munism today more apparent than Benedict and the apointment of his successor

-Dallas News

J. Frank Dobie Terms Rainey Fine Example of Modern Men' During Senate Investigation

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 22 .-A Senate committee's investiga- who resigned after Dr. Homer P. tion of University of Texas af- Rainey was discharged as presi- reference to communism is based a whole since Jan. 1, 1941. fairs turns next week to the med-dent. ical branch of the University.

phase of its inquiry here yester- board are Orville Bullington of

three of whom replace regents is both evolution and revolution.

The group concluded the first charge Rainey who are still on the

the University meets in El Possible re-instatement of Dr. "I know it," said Dobie. Paso Friday and Saturday, the Rainey who made a second ap- made no challenge of big corpofirst meeting for four members, pearance before the investigators rations and oil men as such. There which a worker carries home after

day and recessed until Monday to Wichita Falls, D. F. Strickland of Sen. Austin members of the Mission, H. J. Lutcher Stark of him to declare that "some of the a wife and two children, and up

THANKSGIVING THOUGHTS

Praise ye the Lord.-Bible.

O give thanks unto the Lord; for He is good; for his mercy endureth forever. -

Thanksgiving Day is only our annual time for saying grace at the table of eternal goodness.—James M. Ludlow.

Let us, then, as good citizens, as believers in God, gratefully keep Thanksgiving day. Let us crowd to His sanctuaries, and praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Let households and friends gather about their firesides and well-spread boards, and let charities to the poor brighten and commemorate the day, that it may be to us all long a pleasant memory.-J. B. Walker, D. D.

Let us give thanks to God upon Thanksgiving Day. Nature is beautiful and fellowmen are dear, and duty is close beside us, and God is over us an din us. We want to

J. Frank Dobie, professor of around the institution for the pur- worried over their freedom. pose of keeping out ideas.

He seized upon previous refer-

"There is a hysteria over coma year ago. It's about as rational as the hysteria of bobby sox girls over Sinatra.

trust of Democracy, promoted by higher wages-made out in wage cally are hounding the shadow of war?

good; for His mercy endureth forever. -

Our whole life should speak forth our thankfulness; every condition and place we steel workers. are in should be a witness of our thanksfulness. This will make the times and places we recognized Texas live in better for us. When we ourselves are him to decide. monuments of God's mercy, it is fit we should be patterns of His praises, and have William H. Davis will point out monuments to others. We should think it to the President that: given to us to do something better than to Although factory workers' genlive in. We live not to live; our life is not the eral wage rate increases are only end of itself, but the praise of the giver.—R. 16 per cent above Jan., 1942, the

If Thanksgiving would but be observed in a becoming spirit, how much would it accomplish in the way of purifying and strengthening the sentiment of nationality, which was fostered by ancestral memories, cemented by the blood of our fathers, and wrought into the structure of our continent by the hand of God, in the flow of rivers, the clasp of lakes and ridges, and the embracing arm of an unbroken seaboard. "He hath done great things for us; whereof we are May God incline us more and more to that unambitious, unselfish; contented, cheerful, thankful temper which is at once end, and later your columnist felt a medicine and a feast, an ornament and a protection.-William Adams, D. D.

4. General wage rate increases

crease of say 10 cents an hour.

BLS estimates that 13 per cent

of this 16 per cent general in-

crease in wage rates occurred be-

fore the government established

its rule to stabilize wages and

for individuals-up 28 per cent.

the 16 per cent general increase

mentioned above. The remaining

12 per cent was given the indi-

vidual workers in various ways

Through incentive pay, added

pay for length of service, raising

sub-standard wages, increases for

merit, and direct violations by

employers of government restric-

tions on wage increases in order

to keep workers from running to

Item No. 5 here is perhaps the

most significant of all for those

who want to argue about labor's

current demands for higher wages.

Back in 1942 the government

rising more than 15 per cent above Jan. 1, 1941. But now they're fig-

ured at 30 per cent above 1941.

back in 1942 through the War

than 15 per cent above the basic

hourly rate which a particular job

This didn't mean a man couldn't

make extra money on that job

through incentive pay or overtime But labor says WLB still en-

forces that 15 per cent limit although living costs have doubled

to 30 per cent since WLB laid

Henceforth no one can get more

To keep living costs and wages tied together and prevent both from rising, the government said

This 28 per cent total includes

Wage rates, generally and

prices in Oct., 1942.

and for various things:

some other employer.

And this is why:

Labor Board (WLB):

called for in Jan., 1941.

recessed, was touched upon brief- are liberals among them. There deductions have been taken from thing at the same time. ly in testimony but not fully de- is a big capitalistic element in his gross earnings. this country, however, that has 3. Straight time for hourly earn-Dr. Rainey told the committee eyes in the back instead of the ings-up 42 per cent.

> -up 16 per cent. This kind of increase is called an across-the-board increase. For

example: All of a plant's workers, not academic freedom as much high and low paid, get a flat infor that plant.

troversy between Dr. Rainey and same thing the regents are tryto say that the University was the

by faculty members, that the Texas A. & M. College he found board had built a Maginot line faculty members there greatly

TODAY on the HOME FRONT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22 "It seems to be founded in dis- How has labor-now demanding special interests who unrealisti increases and carnings in this

old normalcy Harding instead of the handwriting on the wall.

Here are some figures — they set out to keep living costs from apply only to factory workers alrising more than 15 per cent above. eral thought he is branded as a lion of them-from the governcommunist by the special interests ment's Bureau of Labor Statistics

1. Gross weekly earnings-which

2. Net spendable week earnings Wardlow Lane interrupted -up 47 per cent for a man with Orange and W. Scott Schreiner fellows on Dr. Rainey's side have 31 per cent for the more heavilytaxed individual with no depen-

These are the weekly earnings

WLB to break the rule.

The CIO is trying to get the rule broken by asking for a flat

Since the WLB says it won't

It's possible WLB Chairman open to fresh attack.

general and individual increases are up 28 per cent as against a living cost gain of 30 per cent.

THE WAR

This column preached a sermon yesterday against over-optimism about when the European war will a certain smugness when it developed that General Eisenhower had been saying much the same

Today you're invited to help examine this matter of optimism further and see if we can find an answer to the big question of the moment: Is it still possible for us to have a "white" Christmas, with only five weeks left in which to force surrender? Nazi propagandists are telling their people that the Allies are going all-out for victory by Yule time - that is It averages out at 16 per cent

One of the most important aspects of the situation is that the Germans, although not broken in morale, already have accepted the inevitability of defeat. Their spirits are low. They realize that their war effort is irresparably shattered-by severance of communications with other countries and by the awful destruction which the Allied air fleets have wrought. Eisenhower summed the thing up grimly yesterday when he declared that German leaders were faced by a critical shortage of manpower and supplies and were stripping the Reich bare to continue the

line in western Europe is stretched as taut as a bow-string-so taut that strands of it are snapping. The Nazis have no way of repairing this damage. All they can do is hang on desperately in the face of Allied forces that are vastly superior numerically and in equipment.

This terrific Allied pressure isn't something that remains the its consistancy. It's growing. General Ike says his plan is to in-

O give thanks unto the Lord; for He is down the rule. So labor wants crease pressure steadily all along SOCIAL WELFARE the front until the Germans are COURSES OFFERED crushed. He didn't add what we know to be true—that he has un-17 cents an hour increase for its revealed striking-power up his sleeve. The Nazis can't strengthen fered at an institute here Dec their resistance as a whole. They

and this lays the weakened area out-of-state social welfare ex If General Ike gets supplies and if the weather is favorable, I believe it's militarily possible (I say "possible") for the Allies to achieve victory by Christmas. However, that's not a prediction.

Do zig-zag machine or hand stitching over tea cloths and dusters to prevent their tearing when they get thin.

I'm no prophet crying in the wil-

1945 if the Allies don't get the

social welfare work will be 7 under auspices of the To Social Welfare Associati

> will lead the discussions. Baked potatoes will cook for before baking.

if they are washed in hot

Never leave babies' rubber sheets in the sunlightt as may crack and develop leaks derness. The war will run into

J. E. GOWER, M. I

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BUY WAR BONDS

Help bring our boys home quicker.

than you did before





Much to be Thankful for ...

This is Thanksgiving Day, first observed by the Pilgrims in New England in honor of harvest and the production of the food necessary to a primitive existence.

During the past two harvest, 1943 and 1944, we have been engaged in programs for increased production of food-once more it is "Food for Freedom."

Our hats are off to Hansford county farmers and ranchers for the outstanding work they have done to help the war effort—we truly should be thankul for their contribution to the "food line" to back up the fighting line.

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We have much to be thankful for-even in this year of war and sacrifice. We can be thankful that our cities and towns have remained unharmed ... that we are on the road to Victory . . . that through it all we have upheld the ideals we have been fighting for . . . that we have kept our heritage of Freedom. On this Thanksgiving Day, "...let us thank the Eternal Power: convinced that Heaven but tries our virtue by afflictionthat off the cluod which wraps the present hour serves but to brighten all our future days."

BUY SIXTH WAR LOAN BONDS

LAN CHEVROLET CO.

th his family.

ra Schroder and wife of

sited over the week-end

arents near Spearman.

lames C. Douglas, who

tationed at Pyote, Texas

return from England,

isiting his parents and

Ralph Latham, some-

rance, wrote his parents

of an injury received

ets has a 10-day furlough

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ific writes his parents and the next day plan- cian.

and baby in Pampa this wrists.

to Mrs. Kermitt Bailey ther, Sgt. Slyde Long-

In Fran

you. I am glad bedroom suite. my bedroom. It sts of a hole about ng, and three feet wide, eet deep. Sometimes I on it to keep the rain metimes I don't. It dewhether I can find any

the last holes we dug ops on the water seepthe bottom and filled about a foot of water. u dipped the water out. d fill up again whether

slept fully dressed ever of to France, and a few e I got here. We never aking our shoes off, and with her hat on. How like for me to sleep in bed with all of my and about three inches my shoes? You know o place to scrape your entrance of a foxhole. wer here almost every

a great country. There pretty girls over here. n't understand what I can't understand what we talk like that for ou see how it is.

he kids from three to chewing gum, or chocuess they are the same lages, as every time I lier, they say "chewing rite soon.

veterans are especied for appointment to of guard in various fedes throughout the state

r explained that men preference will be first but that any one may file application be given consideration

are no veterans availonths of active service ed forces or six months of a municipal, counfederal police or fireganization or the Merine, or related experiqualify a person for

led to military prefersubmit proof of honscharge and Form 14 addition to application These forms and addion may be obtain-

D. SANSING SPEARMAN

WHAT THE BOYS IN SERVICE ARE DOING

ille Fullbright of Camp ed from the local secretary in any signed to the Pacific battle area. Texas, has been given a first or second class post office Due to the fact that his ship is discharge and is now or by writing to the Regional Di- in the states for repairs enabled rector, Tenth U. S. Civil Service him to secure the fifteen days' Region, 210 South Harwood Street, Dallas, Texas.

> in response to a telegram informhospital in that city. Lieut. Gunn at least three months. was assigned to a combat ship Seaman First Class Gene Cline

action, but at that time to speed his return to the highest voted a large part of his last letter through at Cassino, Marauders g fine and would be possible state of overall fitness, to telling about a visit he had with displayed extraordinary accuracy Cpl. Bruce S. Ward of Gruver, Chaplain Aln Reed. Said Chap-E. L. Latham with Mrs. Tex., is now stationed at the Fort lain Reed looked at him and said, and Sandra of Dalhart, Logan Convalescent Hospital, near ives in Spearman over Denver, Colo.

Taken sick while attending and Mrs. Floyd Sheets are Fighter Control School at Orlando, week from California. Fla., Ward was transferred to Fort ledru Jacobs, somewhere cent hospitals, for the highly personalized and individualized at least on land again treatment given to recuperating on the water 63 days, members of the Air Force. Upon hich time they received his arrival, thus establishing a He had seen Cpl. Claude "family doctor" type of relationand they were having a ship between patient and physi-

ok up a brother of D. D. Planned to allow men to return to was stationed at the to their previous AAF assignment there and back. or civilian life in the best possi-Mrs. Earl Johnson of ble condition, the program at Fort have recently received Logan affords each convalescent off on one of his periodical trips ing made possible through an of their son, Earl soldier ample opportunity for re-, who is a war priso- conditioning, recreation and sports L. is one of as fine a lad as there in keeping with his physical con- is in the county, and due to the performance of duty by every who is 20 years old, was dition. Patients also participate in loss of an eye he has been unable risoner July 12. He enter- vocational or avocational activito enlist in any of the branches me a year ago in Septem- ties which not only help to accel- of the service. It has been a keen s in prison camp Colag erate convalescence by raising pa- disappointment, and here's hoping recent years, Earl, with but also have special therapeutic allowed to enter the Merchant s, lived 14 miles north of value. For example, typing Marine service. strengthens injured fingers; wood-C.E. Wilbanks, of Tinker Working aids stiff shoulder mus- Just received a release from Oklahoma City is visiting cles, and metal working assists in Camp Pendleton, Calif., inform-

> valescing is preparing for a post- tion school. war career as a machinist.

engagements during the war to Texas, one year. date. His ship has been given the Prior to enlisting in the Marine ous work accomplished. Lloyd en- in farming. tered Boot training at San Diego, Calif., in January of 1944, and after three months' training was as-

Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Rue Mrs. Elma Gunn left Monday Sanders were here for a few days of this week for New York City, en route from Ft. Logan, Colo., to a new assignment at Santa Moniing her that Lieut. Elma Gunn of ca, Calif. Rue does not expect to the Navy had been placed in a get back into active service for

the front lines in Ger- and has been in foreign service. writes his parents that he is getting along fine and considers him-FORT LOGAN, Colo.—In order self a regular "Old Salt." He da-"Could you be Gene Cline?" They both met with a bear hug and kept the ozone full of Spearman Chaplain Reed has had some

> his enlistment in the Navy and he replaceable casualties and destrucget such a good army man as reserves and aiding the Allied Red would have made ... but af- drive northwards. ter all the Navy has to get 'em |

My good friend J. L. Pearce is to join the Merchant Marine, J. tient morale and avoiding boredom that he makes the grade and is

is in Spearman and his the recovery of wounded arms and ing me that Pic. Joe W. Jenkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jenkins He is a member of the Fort Lo- had graduated from the Infantry gan shop class and thus while con- and Browning automatic rifle sec-

The release goes on to tell what our good friend Thug Jenkins had Seaman First class Lloyd Buz- learned in that special school. Of zard, son of Mr. and Mrs. George course we are glad to let his Buzzard of Spearman, is here this friends know that Devil Dog Thug many friends. Lloyd is one of the rines. You will have to forget many chaps from Spearman this that Jenkins spent about 4 years

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cannot realize is a in the service and was a Sergeant | Marauders from the group have California, for nearly two years. They will make their ho MAN. Truly this fine lad has with an outstanding record be flown more than 350 missions dur-

Presidential citation for meritori-Corps last June, he was engaged tion. His wife, Dortha, and step-son,

man, Texas.

Badge, mark of the highest citation that is awarded units of the American Armed Forces.

His AAF B-26 Marauder bomber group in the Mediterranean theater has been cited by the War Department for "outstanding performance of duty in armed conflict with the enemy." During aerial operation which preceded bembing numerous targets. On May 12th, in direct support

of the Fifth Army drive towards Rome, the group achieved spectalk for hours. Gene says that tacular results in an aerial attack on heavily defended enemy troop Logan, one of several personnel but of course could not tell what, sion. Despite numerous planes damaged and craw members Just learned that Walter ers released almost 4,000 fragmen-(Red) Peters was successful in tation bombs on the target. Iris now station at San Diego, Calif. "Shore" hate to see the Navy hard-pressed enemy, smashing key

> which set it above and apart from other units, typical of the continstinted effort and superlative Through their unsurpassed courage, skill in combat and steadfast devotion to duty, the person nel of the group have reflected great credit upon themselves and the military Service of the United

changed from the wholesome high fore he entered the services again, ing the African, Sicilian, Italian We received official notice this Mr. and Mrs. Clerence John school boy into a man that can Private First Class Jenkins, and France campaigns. The group week from the war department and Amelia, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill sch give and take with anyone. He is born July 12, 1911, at Plemons, has also received the Croix de that Carver L. Haralson, son of Johnson and their three children children ing. wearing a war department ribbon Texas, attended Spearman High Cuerre from General DeGaulle Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Haralson, is re-were dinner with three stars which significantly that with three stars which signify that School where he played football, and the previsional French Go-turning home from 6 months over- Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm at

Carrol Richards, resides at Spear-C. Eaker, commander in chief of ceiving station. the Mediterranean allied air forces, in which he tells me he is real WITH A 12th AAF B-26 MA. proud of your record, and that i RAUDER BOMBE RGROUP_ I will print that release that is

he had taken part in three major. He attended college at Lubbock, vernment. Overseas since Septem-seas in the American theatre of the parsonage. The dinner centerber, 1942, Sargeant Holton is in a operations and will arrive at Ft. ed around a venison steak which squadron Technical Supply Sec- Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, was given to Pastor and Mrs. number it his parents, wife and sister here at the Western Chevrolet garage the o I have a note from General Ira when he had gone through the re- at Guymon. Mr. Dixon shot the day.

Staff Sgt. Richard B. Holton, 26 printed above, he plans to have it theran Church next Sunday, Nov. at the Emil Knutson home last from Spearman, Texas is entitled tacked up on the squadron bul- 26. Twenty-fifth Sunday after Sunday. o wear the Distinguished Unit letin board . . . BOY OH BOY Trinity, will begin at 11:30 a.m. does this give me a chance to get Sermon Text Matt. 24:15-28. The ed at the Berg home in Guymon even with you. Men of Sgt. Richard Sunday School will begin at 10:30 last Saturday afternoon. reen inviting all of you to come meet at the parsonage at 10:00 on Wednesday to Canon City, Colo., cle IRON HOSS HOLTON Saturday, The Luther League will after you get thru licking the meet at 3:30 p.m. at the John O. enemy. Sgt. Holton reed to be abole Dahl home. The Ladies Aid Bato trot right thru the best high zaar and sale will be held at the school football lines that we have Oslo Church Friday evening of in Texas, thus his name of IRON this week. Supper will be served

> friends in his small home town | The marriage of Joseph Knutthat shore do enjoy entertaining, son and Mrs. Lucile McFaden was I can premise all of you a rodeo solemnized at the Oslo parsonage a real barbecue, a coyote hunt last Sunday evening at seven some just fair fishing and a wel- o'clock last Sunday by Pastor come that will shore make you Hjortholm. The single ring cerewant to come back to Texas. So mony was used. Ole Knutson was you boys just plan to cum up and the best man and Elsie Swenson see Sgt. Holton after the war. | the bridesmaid. Those present be Signed "Honest Bill" Miller sides the wedding party were Mr Pfc. Wendell Jackson, one of Knutson, Amy Knutson, Kathryn the few Marines of Hansford Knut.on, Mrs. Clara Stedje, Mr county is here this week visiting and Mrs. Jack Christofferson with relatives in the county. Wen- Ruth Bredesch, and Mrs. Hjor dell is the son of Charles Jackson tholm. After the wedding cere formerly lived in this county, mony a reception for the weddin He is visiting in the home of party and guests was given by

Claude Jackson, and having a Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knutson a mighty good time. Wendell has their home here. The communit

Oslo News Morning worship at Oslo Lu- Christofferson were dinner guests

been stationed at Oceanview congratulates this worthy couple

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about November 17th. Te will vis- Hjortholm by Mr. Dixon, foreman Novem deer on his recent hunting trip. . . ped, many

Mrs. Lucile McFaden, now Mrs. and enjoyed. Refreshments were Joseph Knutson, and Joseph served to a number of little Knutson, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack friends. if properly treated at once

Pastor and Mrs. Hjorthlom call-

Mrs. Bob Alexander went on to visit her son, Bobby, who is a student at the Abbey School at

The program committee of the Oslo Sunday School, consisting of Mrs. Gordon Stedje, Mrs. Jack Christofferson, Amy Knutson, Do-Dahl, Amelia Johnson, and Mrs. Hjortholm met at the parsonage last Sunday to make plans

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Most thankful indeed will be the mothers and fathers of the sons who will be able to join them in the intimacy of the family circle on Thanksgiving Day this year. But there will be many homes in which service flags hang, where vacant chairs will be mute evidence of the fact that sacrifices must continue—sacrifices that are making it possible for us to give thanks now that our cities have not been bombed, that our people have suffered no starvation, that our children are safe. Yes, there is much for which we can give thanks, this year, and especially to those who have



b and turn out much-needce comes, the Chief Executice d, the tendency will be to keep ages around wartime levels, en if the 40-hour week is re-

Both government and industry, stressed, are charting plans for post-war jobs for war workers and

M. Gillette is slated to fill the date in post-war years. third spot on the board which will A renewal of the administra guide disposal of some \$100,000- tion's war powers came before the 000,000 of surplus properties. His House Judiciary Committee with appointment is being held up un- bi-partisan approval indicated. til his Senate term expires Jan. 3.

Former Gov. Robert A. Hurley of Connecticut and Lt. Col. Ed- Lions Allend ward Heller of San Francisco are the President's choices for the Zone Meeting Board's other memberships.
three must be confirmed by the At Dalhart

Severai legislators believe anti-New Deal Southern Democrats and the administration are settling their differences. If this develops, it would wrock the control of the contro

Otherwise in Washington: Dalhart provided an outstand-

The controversy had as its gack- man of zone 1. ground President Roosevelt's plans other projects like the Ten- Church Needs Manpower was held up yesterday as administration supporters tried to rewrite Rishon of Carlisle says that lack Rishon of Carlisle says that Rishon of Carlisle says th nessee Valley Authority. Passage



started with \$4000 and has pur-

it would wreck the unofficial coalition of Republicans and dissident Democrats which has one a clicit ed administration proposals in the last two years. meeting of district 2T held at Dalhart Friday, Nov. 17.

A federal crop insurance pro- ing social program including an n headed for passage in the address by Judge Clavton Haire A year ago the House of Amarillo, two musical numbers lled the same idea because of by soldiers from the army ar post, and a chorus of Dumas high The Senate wrangled over the school girls. Lion Bill Miller of \$1,000,000,000 flood control bill. the Spearman club is zone chair-

tration supporters tried to rewrite Bishop of Carlisle says that lack a section which Senator Barkley of manpower in the church is the (D.-Ky.) said migh block creation main cause of the decay of reof future TVA:

The Woodran Committee in the religion, he said, should have first Paid out House pursued its study of how priority in consideration of post-

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-	FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF HANSFORD NOVEMBER 1, 1944	D CC	UNTY	Outstanding checks Road & Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 1, Sinking
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Outstanding checks __ Road & Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 1. Sinking Fund Bal. Aug. 1, 1944 ______\$ Bal. Nov. 1, 1944

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Bal. Aug. 1, 1944

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Road & Bridge, Prec. No. 4, Sinking Fund
Bal. Aug. 1, 1944

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Sassan Tuesday. The fire proved to be a small one under a grainery belonging to Mr. Gibner. The fire was discovered by the children of Mr. and Mrs. Gus McLean, and 26.96 the local fire department. Total _____\$ Bal. Nov. 1, 1944 \$

Permanent Improvement Sinking Fund
Bal. Aug. 1, 1944 \$

Paid in \$ \$ 2,111.62 Paid out Bal. Nov. 1, 1944 97.94

Spearman Indep. Road Dist. No. 1. Sinking Fund

Bal. Aug. 1, 1944 \$ 5.536.46

Paid in \$ 546.01 Total _____ Paid out ____ S 6,082.47 Bal. Nov. 1. 1944 \$ 3,516.77

Hansford County Wind Erosion Conservation District Fund 9,619.89 Bal. Nov. 1, 1944 \$ 6.627.27 Outstanding checks OUTSTANDING BOND INDEBTEDNESS OF HANSFORD COUNTY, NOVEMBER 1, 1944 Hansford County Road & Bridge Warrants, Series 1937

156.90 Two Fires Are 24.39 Recorded In 54.33 City Tuesday 29.33 Fire damaged a pick-up truck Rev. Matthew Doyel belonging to a paving contractor pastor of the Spearman 97.06 registered at the local Baker church will fill the pulpit

23.96 Hotel. The fire occurred just past church for both morning mid-night Monday Nov. 20th. The evening services Sunday, N 121.02 traveler was checking on what he ber 26th. Rev. Doyel, wh .00 thought might be a leak. It was been in New York City for the He lit a match and the flames two months attending a 121.02 He lit a match and the Hames burst cut. The local fire departs of America, returned the week and to his post at P. Texas. The public is the second control of t 18.97 tinguished the fire. Week and to his post at Texas. The public is in

Most everyone in Spearman ex- attend the services here S 833.06 cept Banker C. A. Gibner answer-833.06
00
ed a noon day fire alarm sounded
Tuesday. The fire proved to be small one under a grainery belonging to Mr. Gibner. The fire

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Rev. Doyel To Be At Baptist Church Sunday

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ANNOUNCE MEN

We want to inform our friends and the public ne, when y large, that we have leased the local

in Spearman and are operating the same. V have made a few improvements at the stati and believe that we are in a position to give t public the class of service they desire and deserve F EOIN O We will be very grateful to receive a share renty gal. an good condition the share were business, and will make every effort to describe the will be the share will be share to be shared to be share your business, and will make every effort to d corre your patronage.

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As We Open Our Hearls - Our Homes and Our Purses in Behalf of Victory - Peace - and Our Loved Ones' Return

Our homes still stand; our income is generous. We can buy all the food, shelter and clothing we actually need—and produce enough in addition to make our fighting men the best equipped in the world, and to supply our gallant Allies who are less self-sufficient than ourselves.

There is ample reason for Thanksgiving in the heart of every one of us. And it is a spirit to share with others: especially with someone far from home and lonely who can take the place at our own dinner table, left vacant by a loved one in service. Someone in uniform, whose own folks may be making up for his or her absence by entertaining yet another lad or lass in olive drab or navy blue.

And not a word will be said about not being able to get all of the Thanksgiving-dinner standbys! Even if we can't have plates full of turkey-any palate or appetite can be satisfied with crisp-skinned roast duck;

the sweet meat of goose, or chicken browned to a glaze! Actually, there'll be more Thanksgiving in our hearts, knowing that our small "doing without" makes it possible for our men at war around the world to at least be warmed by the homey spirit of Thanksgiving: the important thing is that each of them has a heeping portion of turkey.

Of course you'll make it a wonderful Thanksgiving—for others as well as yourself. Because Thanksaiving is as American as the spirit of freedom we are now engaged in keeping alive at any cost! And the observance of this Thanksgiving is for each of us a rededication to the most liberty-insuring precepts by which we live.

Above all, it's the day to make sure there will always be Thanksgiving-by deciding to give War Bonds for Christmas.

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Rev. Matthew Doyel, pastor of the Spearman school for directors Boys of America, returned the week and to his post at I Texas. The public is in attend the services here S

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eers with same brand. EOIN OIN AINO TAO I do admire your having the guts SALE-3 hot water heaters, to come right out in your paper menty gal. and one 30 gal., good condition. \$8.00 each. Emest Wilbanks, Spearman.

Wilbanks, Spearman. 50-3pt ALE-1936 All-M Farmall ,17H, New rubber, 10-Lister, 1 spring tooth 8 in lister drill. See Edi-

- Gold Bracelet, someetween Oscar Johnson and Mrs. D. W. Hazelence in Spearman. See elword. Reward.

YED--From R. D. Tom-

NOTICE OF PETITION TEXAS

er, as owner of all the back ribs next year. ting the hereinafter mentreets and alleys and parts nafter mentioned streets Texas, filed a petition that Coble, Archer, Dressen, Barkley, and Bernice Streets and

streets be vacated and om their beginning points thern boundary line of of Spearman, Texas, to their points of inwith Morton Street; of the alleys bisecting and 25; 18 and 26; 19 20 and 28; 21 and 29; 22 23 and 31, and all other leaves Addition to the Spearman, Texas, be vaclosed from their beginats in the Southern boune of the City of Spearexas, northward to their his rheumatics. intersection with Mort, as such streets and shown by recarded plat Reaves Addition to the Spearman, Texas, in Volpage 179, Deed Records November 24 rd County, Texas.

etition will be heard by Commission of the City in, Texas, at a regular on Wednesday, December at 8:00 o'clock p. m., at Hall in the City of Spearlexas, at which time all who are interested in said November 27 and said streets and alrequired to appear and ich petition should they

inder my hand and the the City of Spearma my office in Spearman, his 14th day of Novem-

LEO DACUS, Clerk, of Spearman, Texas

cool dark place for dry-storing rubber articles. and heat are harmful to

outstanding, and the campaign so biter, I thought I would just let the Regulars hunt their hole and hide wihout adding insult to injury. However, right when I had the good intentions Old Tack comes out in large headlines in his Amarillo News-Globe and declares

Texas is now a two party state. My My, Gene, you are nearly a Geni. How you got any crumbs of satisfaction out of the recent election is more than I can tell.

TEXAS GAVE ROOSEVELT THE LARGEST MAJORITY OF ANY STATE IN THE UNION.

I got that direct from Democratic National Headquarters. Texas Durham bull, see or write gave Roosevelt 500,000 majority

votes. Of these, 1,800,000 were

The above figures do not indimake lovely gifts. Call me cate that Texas or any of the ent. Phone 49, Mrs. Solid South states are hankering 48-c-3-t for the leadership of Republicans or Regulars ... whatever Regu-

> I hope you will come forth and accept your defeat like a good sport. I'm telling you I like you and always have, but I can't like Republican of Regular politics.

the last time I rub in this victory is teaching in her place. and suggest that we all have plenty Hansford county get that Lake Baptist Church this week. Marvin. Most all the big counties time you got down the line for Lawrence had his ton

There ain't no justice. Ole Wil- the road to recovery now. m, Oct. 20th. One cow, coycte with a cross cut saw if the Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Garrett, and ed, branded 7L on right wolf was tied to a post, goes up Rev. and Mrs. Biggs returned last of turkey, and reserved them for sale. Reward. R. D. stocking his pasture with feeder ence at Sweetwater, Brother Biggs comes back home 50-3ct dragging a nine point deer. Bill he had done a fine constructive claims he killed the prize deer on work here, and his many friends Bill fold containing some purpose. It's a dandy, and our are glad that he is still with us. and of importance papers | Chevrolet dealer is having the | Farmers and Business Men's Asag gas stamps and tire cer- head mounted and making a buck- sociation of Gruver will hold their Finder can have money. skin jacket out of the deer skin. regular monthly meeting Friday um bill fold and papers. Don't know what he is going to night at the school house. All turn in to Bruce Sheets. do with the 167 pounds of dressed members, and all others interested 50-1tp venison . . . but recen he will do- in the welfare of this community SE CERTAIN STREETS won't always have beginners luck by-laws for the association will ALLEYS AND PARTS OF and this country editor aims to be adopted. President Guy Flet-AIN STREETS AND AL- bring one back next year for sure cher is anxious for a large atten-IN CITY OF SPEARMAN, Course, in case Willie brings me dance. a mess of venison this year, I is hereby given that W. would feel obligated to bring him SPORT SHOTS

Learned this week that Doc. Gibner is up Hot Springs, New s sought to bl closed, all Mexico way, taking baths for his in the Reaves Addition to arthritis. It's pretty tough when a wn of Spearman, Hansford Doc has to take the medicine he dishes out to his customers, but 27-18. City Commission of the guess our Dr. Gibner can take it Spearman, Texas, on No- as well as dish it out. I happened to get behind the basketball teams 14, 1944, praying: That to have a check on his conduct Cator Street be closed and and know that the last time he went to Hot Springs, he didn't stay as long as he advises his patients to stay. When he got to feeling good again, he just hit the road back to Spearman. Confidentially, he told me that he wouldn't trade one back alley of Spearman for the state of New

> ing notes on the home remidies a well oiled machine on the court. enough lemons to turn him sour on the world, but believes it helps

Happy Birthday

Mrs. Otha Bruce F. K. Bannister November 25 November 26

November 28 Patricia Morse Ernest Corson A. R. Hull Francis Reed

FRANK M. TATUM

-Attorney at Law-DALHART

Don't Name It 'HONEST' BILL MILLER

I'm a dellar short and about weeks late in crowing about the Democratic victory in the late lamented Taxas Regular and Republican attempt to up-set the staunch Texas Democratic vote.

Fact is that the victory was so

For your information

On the basis of the last figures President Roosevelt had a popular lets, 5 months old at majority of 3,053,000 votes in the See or write J. A. 36 states carried by him and from 49-2tp which he received 432 electoral TA FOUNDATION GAR- from 11 southern states which rdered NOW, will make gave him 127 electoral votes. In difference in your ap- other words, 11 southern states when you wear that supplied more than 50% of his

we have received from friends that are sure to cure rhumatics. Dr. Gibner said that they were all good, and it wouldn't hurt to try 'em all. He says he has eaten

Mrs. J. R. Collard Mrs. D. D. Moore D. O. Reynolds

Mrs. Dub Hanners November 30 Guy Gruver





Shadows run true to form, as anyone can plainly see above. In this case, the shapely reflection is cast by Georgie Kildare, Cicero, Ill., model, who will be among contenders for the title of "Miss Speed Flash of 1945," to be bestowed next Jan. 13 by the Chicago Press Photographers' Association at its annual revue in Chicago.

Hot Springs, N. M., where Mrs. and oppose the popular Roosevelt Lowe is undergoing treatment, and taking the baths. During the I'm informing you that this is absence of Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Bort

Miss Margaret Marchman misto do and think about without sionary from Africa spoke at the wasting any more time on politics. Gruver High School assembly After we lick the Japs and Ger- Wednesday morning. Miss Marchmans, I'm counting on you to help man has been the speaker at the

Lawrence Gruver has been unhave their gravy by now, and it's der the weather for several days, hundred of Butcher Robert Anand did not do as well as was re-shaping their plans for Thankshoped. He is, however, well on giving dinner today.

lie McClellan, who couldn't hit a Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Garrett, into New Mexico to look about re- week from the Methodist confer- his best customers. will be with us for another year.

nate a big mess to his country are urged to attend. Plans for editor. He had better, cause he the Hotel will be crystalized, and

By Harold Larson

The Spearman High School basketball aggregation have chalked up two wins so far this season. The boys took Morse to the tune of 22-6 while the Spearman girls thumped the Morse girls

The school board has decided at Spearman this year so now its up to the teams to really chalk up the wins.

Paul Robinson, ex-Lyax football and basketball player, has been appointed assistant coach of the boys basketball team. The boys team is very pleased (and lucky) to have a man like Mr. Robinson helping them out. The boys know that he knows his basketball and are working their heads off to put Morse never had the privilege

of playing against Captain Porter of the girls team last Friday. She was on the sidelines with an injured knee that will probably be well enough for her to get into the next game. Had she been in the game the score would have

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probably read 35 or 40 to 18. The Spearman basketball team will journey over to Canadian nex Friday night and try their machines against what should be a

better team than Morse. Nothing would please the boys team any better than to take games man meets any of these teams it's really going to be a battle.

THANKLESS

CHICAGO, Nov. 22 - One derson's preferred customers were

Anderson told Jefferson Park police that after much effort he had acquired some 1,400 pounds

cleaned out the dressed gobblers. | Phone 116 Anderson said he couldn't replace them-"not for \$5,000,000."

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We have 40 pre-war 14-32 Firestone low bar Tractor tires and tubes. Also hundreds of Tractor rims and tubes.

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Bobbysockers Who Shoplift For Fun Baffle Officials

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 22 -Bobbysockers who shoplift for fun are baffling juvenile officials here and have Portland retailers walking on their heels.

Young girls, who seem to skip classes to shoplift as casually as boys pay hookey to go fishing, have been arrested from nearly every high school and grade school in town and from some of the city's better homes.

The thefts-practically all for personal use, not for sale-have been increasing for two years. The Bobbysock Brigade seems to be doing its Christmas shoplifting early, and police say it beats anything they've ever seen.

A 12-year-old was caught with \$150 of Cashmere sweaters, beads and bracelets in a shopping bag A girl of 17 admitted stealing \$700 worth of goods in seven months to send as gifts to her sailor sweetheart. At one glove counter a detective caught five girls, each with a stolen pair of gloves in her

One department store official said that shoplifting has run into so many thousands of dollars that his auditors held up inventory reports, thinking there must have been a bookkeeping error. "I've seen nothing like it in 34 years,"

Police Capt. Elizabeth Moorad opined that the youngsters look at shoplifting as a fad - not a crime. It's like boys tearing down street signs on Hallowe'en. "I guess it is stealing," one tearful teen-ager confessed. "Only I didn't think of it that way. It was an adventure, sort of. The other girls were doing it."

Houston Concerns Making Shells For Long Toms

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 22 .--Shells fired from the celebrated Long Tom and the Super from such teams as Borger, Per- Long Tom cannon are being made ryton, and Stratford. When Spear- by three Texas plants, the army

Three Houston car contractors are turning out the shells, Captain George C. McDonald, officer in charge of the regional ordnance

Rain water is best for washing

Dr. GEO. E. BEAR

revealed yesterday.

office, said.

-Chiropractor-

Borger

The safetest place to store paper | Coolness, darkness and is a metal trunk or bin with a are three chief essentials t

good storage place.



Let's follow the lead of our president and make this a day of real Thanksgiving. Hansford county has much to be thankful for this Thanksgiving season.

All hope that Thanksgiving, 1945, will find us engaged in peaceful pursuits and that World War II will be ended with a smashing victory for the United Nations.

Our Christmas Stock Is On Display-Shop Early

SPEARMAN DRUG CO.

The Rexall Store

Bruce Sheets, Owner

hanksgiving



As Spearman and Hansford county prepare to observe Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 23, it is well to be grateful for the farmers and their vast contribution to our well being, those in the armed forces and the people throughout the world. Without our farmers doing such a wonderful job, World War II would be over so far as this nation is concerned.

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The housewife knows that Equity All-Purpose Flour is just what the name says. It's best for every purpose. If you have not tried it, get a sack the next time you need flour.

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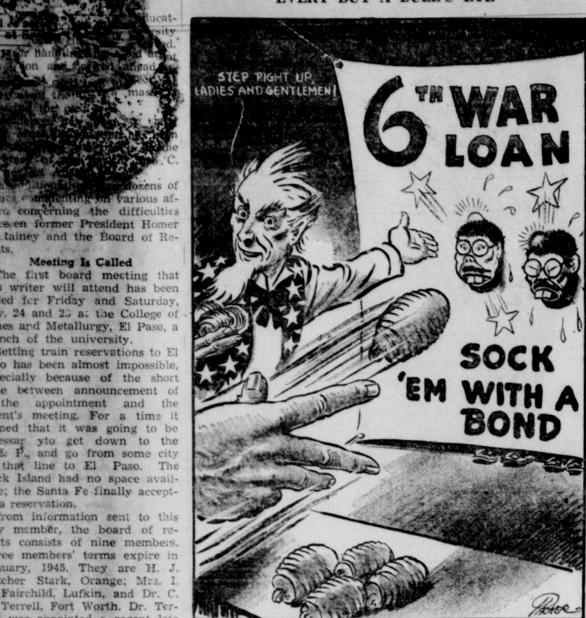
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EVERY BUY A BULL'S EYE



Fred L. Packer-Bressler Editorial Cartoons, Inc.

They came from her son, Pri- partment store, had been arrest-

States Reaches Leyte

is now in front line hospitals.

Nov. 22, 1940-Greek forces

seize Koritza. Turkey announces

martial law for her European

territories and sectors along the

Dardanelles and Bosporus. Ger-

man planes raid Birmingham.

A WOMAN'S PREROGATIVE

with taking a dress from a de-

In Less Than Week

Aynesworth was a brother of the appointed Nov. 14 to succeed Dan late Joseph H. Aynesworth, an at- J. Harrison, also of Houston, who Whole Blood Donated In

The latest catalogue of the uni- 1949 are D. F. Strickland, Mission: versity shows that members serve | Dudley K. Woodward, Dallas, and on from five to seven committees David M. Warren, Panhandle, with the exception of the chair- Woodward and Warren were apman, who was on the executive pointed Nov. 14 to succeed John H. Bickett, jr., Dallas, and H. H. Copies of the budget have been Weinert, Seguin, who resigned received. They show that the Re- Nov. 1

gents have charge of the expendi-Bickett was chairman and Weinture of about \$6,000,000 annually ert vice-chairman of the board. for the university, including all Business is transacted through Budgets for 1944-1945 for vari- the university catalogue, these ous units of the university fol- committees are: Athletics, auditing, building and grounds, College Main University and extramural

of Mines and Metallurgy, comdivisions, Austin, \$3,675,744; medschool of dentistry, Houston, \$184,- medical branch, museum, public 160; M. D. Anderson Hospital for relations and board for lease of Cancer Research, Houston, \$191,- university lands. 750; College of Mines and Metal-

United States.

lurgy, El Paso, \$234,020. The Texas Museum at Austin ERSATZ COUPONS and the McDonald Observatory at BRISTOL, Conn., Nov. 22 Alpine are under university aus- Mrs. Raymond Rubinewski has Assistant Prosecutor Joseph M pices. The observatory is operated ration coupons good for 100 gal- Donovan told the city court that jointly with the University of lons of gasoline-but not in the a 25-year-old woman, charged

d.tainey and the Board of Re-

Meeting Is Called

this writer will attend has been

called for Friday and Saturday,

Nov. 24 and 25 at the College of

Mines and Metallurgy, El Paso, a

Getting train reservations to El

Paso has been almost impossible,

especially because of the short

time between announcement of

of the appointment and the

regent's meeting. For a time it

seemed that it was going to be

necessar yto get down to the

on that line to El Paso. The

Rock Island had no space avail-

able; the Santa Fe finally accept-

From information sent to this

new member, the board of re-

gents consists of nine members.

Three members' terms expire in

January, 1945. They are H. J.

Lutcher Stark, Orange; Mrs. I.

D. Fairchild, Lufkin, and Dr. C.

O. Terrell, Fort Worth. Dr. Ter-

rell was appointed a regent late

in October to succeed the late Dr.

K. H. Aynesworth of Waco. Dr.

torney at Borger for many years.

Many Committees Appointed

ed a reservation.

and go from some city

branch of the university.

The first board meeting that

This is just part of lesson one in the education of a regent. vate Edwin G. Rubinowski, who ed when she brought the garment Terms Expire In 1947

wrote from France he took the back to the store and asked that it Terms expiring in 1947 are coupons from the car of a cap- be exchanged for another that those of W. Scott Schreiner of tured German general. Kerrville, Orville Bullington of Wichita Falls and Dr. Judson Taylor of Houston. Dr. Taylor was

THE FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM Prints More War News

Yes, every day you will find more war news and pictures in the FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM than any other Texas State Daily. This is a bold statement but a true

IN ADDITION TO ITS OWN TRAINED CORRESPONDENTS WHO WRITE ABOUT TEXAS BOYS AND GIRLS AT THE FRONT, IT PUBLISHES NEWS FROM THE . . .

ssociated Press (four wires) ational News Service York Times Wire Service o Tribune Wire Service Daily News Wire Service

R. V. Converse Says 1,000 German

November 22, 1944 Now that the election fears have been wiped away with a safe margin, Washington has many rumors floating. Some will develop into policies that will eventually be put into effect. One of the rumors is to the effect that the little steel formula will be revised upwards, and it is a little better than a fifty-fifty play that this will happen, as the Union boys were responsible for the fourth term and can reasonably expect to be

looked after at the pay-off. Another rumor is to the effect that the ceiling on beef cattle is to be raised, to stimulate the production of beef. This rumor may the ceiling raised, but it will be so battered about in the enacting that the cow man is not likely to come in for much benefit. It will interesting to see the way Washington handles these two

The boys in the armed forces are doing a good American job and are bringing much fame to their leaders while at the same ime handling the German army that which they thought was only intended for their enemies. This success can only continue while the support at home is 100 per cent. We must buy Bonds and said of our supplies "too little or

There will be several new faces in our new Congress and it remains to be determined how they bank. will affect the new "New Deal," or what they will think about enlarging Social Security, or providing jobs, or providing credit or the little farmer so that syndicate or corporate farming will ot smother out the little fellow who wishes to live on his farm and operate it in the old fashioned

The writer listened to a broadand after the merits of the product was explained the announcer duct could be had at all chain guard resistance. MACARTHUR'S stores. The writer is not in the HEADQUARTERS, Philippines, mercantile business but I can feel Nov. 22 .- Eighty pints of for the little merchant that is up whole blood taken from donors in against competition of this char-San Francisco and Oakland last acter, and wonder if this is a pol-Wednesday afternoon and Thurs- icy of the food control board day morning, and 80 more picked

This writer wishes to extend to up at Pearl Harbor, arrived on Leyte today by Navy plane, and Mr. Warren congratulations on his appointment to the Board of Regents of the University of Texas,

R. V. Converse

A new dry cheese mix which can be stored safely for 12 months without refrigeration has been developed for shipment to Europe after the war.

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DISCOUNT

The State of Texas has authorized the Tax Collector to give the discount on all state taxes as provided by the legislature as follows:

2 Per Cent if paid during November, 1944

1 Per Cent if paid during December, 1944

This discount is on all State Taxes that are collected by the County Tax Collector.

Pay your poll taxes or get your Exemptions now.

It is good business to pay your taxes promptly while you have funds available.

H. L. WILBANKS

Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector **Hansford County**

Prisoners Taken By French Army

Nazis Sealed Against Own Homeland Border South Of Strasbourg

The fortress bastions of Metz and Mulhouse fell to the great Allied winter offersive today. Eschweiler, important German city six miles northeast of Aachen, was in American hands, a rubble heap of smashed buildings.

French first army troops capeventually be put into effect and tured the Maginot Line fortress city of Mulhouse today, took 1,-000 German prisoners and part of the German 19th army staff of Gen. Johannes Blaskowitz, and the Nazis were threatened with entrapment between the Vosges mountains and the Rhine.

Breaking through the northern end of this 75-mile front forming offensive, U. S. seventh army troops drove to within 2 miles of the French frontier city of Stras-

Some 70,000 Germans were reported scaled against their homeland border south of Strasbourg and only three bridges were said pay income taxes to the limit in to be intact along the 40-mile order that never again can it be stretch of the broad, swift Rhine below the city. The Nazis were pictured as hastily massing barges and other craft in an attempt at organized retreat to the Siegfried

liberated a definite German front along the northera slope of the mountains. As the left flank of the Nazis broke down, the Ger mans hurled when strength they could muster against the French spearing northward along the Rhine's left bank.

As the Americans cut through defenses fronting the Saverne gap. northern corridor to the Rhine cast advertisement this morning plain, the Germans along the line running south through the mountains to Mulhouse were able to advised the public that the pro- put up only disorganized rear-

To the north, U. S. third army forces threw back a strong German counterattack against its salient beyond the Saar frontier in Germany near Merzig in a two hour fight, while within fallen fortress Metz, German resistance was reduced to one small island.

On the combined fronts of the British second and American first and ninth armies the Germans and I am sure that the University | continued fierce resistance. First Four Years Ago Today and the State of Texas as a whole army troops penetrated some distance inside the important city of Eschweiler, six miles northeast of Aachen, in house-to-house fight ing. The British northeast of cap

tured Geilnkirchen, 12 miles army rolled to within 25 miles of | Prewar tennis ball can north of Aachen, slowly were eli- the Rhine and about a mile from been converted for use as minating Germans fighting in the Roer River, after enveloping tainers for blockbuster bomb A front dispatch said the ninth nine towns in 24 hours.



IT TAKES PLENTY OF WAR TO BUILD B-29s

THE WAR in the Pacific is L the most costly war America has ever engaged in. It's simple arithmetic. A mountain of special, costly equipment is needed. A B-29 Superfortress used in the bombing of Japan costs \$600,000 in War Bonds. And this is just one of the many

extra costly implements of war needed to achieve final victory in the Pacific.

That's why the 6th War Loan Drive is so important. That's why you must back it as generously as you have every other war loan drive. Invest in the next raid on Japan...



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Season's Greetings Thanksgiving Day

Be thankful more than ever this Thanksgiving. Aren't you thankful that you are an American and enjoy this nation's blessings although we are engaged in a great war to protect our freedom-won so valiantly by the Boys of 1776.

America should be especially grateful for the production that has been possible through mechanized farming. Thegreat war effort of our nation in 1942 and 1943 would not have been possible had not it been for tens of thousands of tractors, combines and other efficient pieces of machinery.

While you are giving thanks this year, give thanks to the millions of loyal American farmers.

JOHN DEERE DEALER