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SPEARMAN, HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1938

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4 Pages Today

DON'T NAME IT

...and provided that the conduct of our lives be such a logical way that when all the football games are a thing of the past we have Santa Claus to keep us busy.

This writer would like to compliment Rev. Hughes of Gruver in his preaching. He is a man who calls a spade a spade. His preaching at Gruver has brought that church organization out from a time church to a full time church (meaning employing a pastor full time). The Baptist church at Gruver was something like \$2,000.00 in debt 20 months ago when Rev. Hughes began his work. Now the church is out of debt and has money in the bank.

...preaching from the pulpit of a church of 25 members. ...breed of

With all the isms, efficiency and organization work in the world today, it seems that a movement has been made among protestant churches to make an analysis of the present church situation and find out if the churches are in healthy condition.

To this writer the religious situation has come to a terrible pass, when one of the broad surveys must be made to find out if the church is healthy or ill.

A prominent church official of Dallas asked Lynn Landrum, columnist of the Dallas News for an opinion of the religious conditions of this day and time. To the amazement of many of the readers of the Dallas News, who have never known of Landrum writing about anything except the New Deal, the writer of "Thinking Out Loud" used a column to comment on this current problem.

It is a pleasure to this writer to know that Landrum thinks of something else besides the New Deal mistakes. It is a pleasure to this writer to reprint thoughts clearly expressed, that coincide with those of this columnist. Here they are:

THE People of God in the United States have undoubtedly had some leadership — and lack leadership — in our time. But it is charitable to hold their mistakes to be error rather than evil. The head has failed the heart.

Three decades ago, for example, the trust of Protestantism was in the revivalists. Billy Sunday dared the Devil to come out of a knothole in the platform floor and Brother Wham and Pastor Whee climbed on top of pulpits and shouted the rafters down in imitation of him. The Sawdust Trail added myriads of names to the church rolls. (Many are still on the rolls, though tombstones and golfing scores may be more vitally concerned by now.) It was the wrong way.

A DECADE Ago the church set out to educate youth into the kingdom. But education raised more questions than it answered. The end of that effort finds church schools everywhere crippled through overexpansion and undersupport. Meanwhile our criminal population averages younger each year — and better educated each year. It was the wrong way.

Half a decade ago ecclesiasts came to the conclusion that the more abundant life was an affair of wages and pensions and housing. A man's life did consist in the abundance of things, after all, they decided. Sermons urged taxing the sinners to buy groceries for the saints. Synods and conferences and conventions wanted federal legislation to command atheists and the unchurched, under the pains and penalties of criminal prosecution, to pay wages the church denied to its own employees, to pension oldsters while the church neglected its own supernannuated servants, to feed the hungry for which the church had no tables of its own providing. The social gospel has had much socialism in it — but little of the good news of God. It is the wrong way.

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Proclamation By Governor Allred

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME: In full realization of the important role property ownership plays in the economic pattern of our state and nation, a specific interval has been designated for the statewide observance of the annual convention of real estate owners.

Our forefathers risked their lives and their fortunes pushing westward in search of land which they might claim as their homes. Americans have always been home-loving people, and the ownership of land makes for greater individual happiness and a more strongly-woven unity among us. It is fitting that special recognition be given this significant phase of present-day life.

Now, Therefore, I JAMES V. ALLRED, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby set aside and proclaim the week of December 12, to 18, 1938 as—

REAL ESTATE WEEK in Texas, and commend to the chambers of commerce and other civic organizations, as well as individual realtors, the advertising of the benefits of real estate ownership in this State of rapid development and new enterprise.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of State to be impressed hereon at Austin, this the 10th day of Nov. A. D. 1938. (seal)

JAMES V. ALLRED
Governor of Texas
By the Governor:
EDWARD CLARK
Secretary of State

OSLO NEWS

The following are my announcements for Sunday Dec. 11, Third Sunday in Advent, Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. Sermon theme "Though the Kingdom Comes With Great Power, the Willful Heart Does Not Yield" Matt. 11:11-15.

The confirmation class will meet at 9:00 a. m. on Saturday at the Parsonage.

The Junior Choir meets at the Oslo School on Monday afternoon at 2:30.

The Senior Choir will meet on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The place will be announced at services.

The choirs and Sunday school will meet on Sunday afternoon at the Church at 2:30 o'clock to practice the Christmas pageant.

H. C. Hjortholm
pastor, Oslo Lutheran Church.

NEWS ITEMS
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Munson and Mrs. Munson's mother, Mrs. Holcomb, and her daughter Bertha and grand-daughter, Imogene Holcomb from Tyrone were dinner guests at the parsonage on Sunday. Mrs. Winkleman, a sister of Gus Olson, accompanied them to Oslo and was a guest in her brother's home. The group attended the morning communion service at the Oslo church. They returned to Tyrone late in the afternoon.

The mission offering at the Oslo Church on Sunday brought the sum of \$47.00. It is expected that when the penny-mail boxes which are not as yet returned are counted that the amount will pass the fifty dollar mark.

The Ladies' Aid of the Oslo church received an additional gift of five dollars which brings the total for the Thanksgiving Day sale up to \$170.00.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Hjortholm called at the Elmer Jensen home on Thursday afternoon. They were entertained by the singing of songs by Mr. and Mrs. Jensen's four year old daughter, Elvera who has a marvelous collection of songs. Included among them is a Norwegian song. She will sing at the Xmas program at the Oslo church.

Emil Kutson has purchased one of the new Mercury Fords, the car looks like a winner. He drove it to Amarillo last week end on business.

Eveline Reinertsen was a week end guest at the Emil Kutson home last week. She played the organ at the services in the Oslo Church Sunday forenoon and remained for the program practice in the afternoon before returning to Gruver.

FOR SALE: Large coal stove in good condition. Attractive price. Call at Reporter office.

Need RUBBER STAMP? Call 10—3 day service.

GRUVER PTA MET MONDAY DECEMBER 5

The December meeting of the Gruver PTA met Monday nite Dec. 5 in the school auditorium. Miss Groves, first grade teacher had charge of the program:

Welcome, Jean B. Fleck; Away In A Manger, 1st grade; Poor Santa Claus, Barbara Bandy; Up On the House-Tops, Hix Spivey, Roy Harris and Floyd Dean Vernon; My Shadow, Paul Lynch Westerfield; Bell Drill, 1st grade Grandma's Knitting, Virginia Sue Giles; Chalk Talk, Miss Groves.

Mr. McCollum, superintendent gave a very interesting talk on Preparations and Works of Teachers. Teachers are the dominant force in every school. The processes by which culture is submitted, depends upon the teachers. Also personality, all that goes to make up a persons social and intellectual contacts. There are 3 types of personality, active, static and negative.

The Gruver PTA study club met Wednesday Dec. 7 in the school auditorium.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors who were so kind and considerate to us during the recent illness and death of our mother. May God's richest blessings rest with each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Riemer, McLain; Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. John Gores, White Deer; Mr. and Mrs. Franz Riemer, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Riemer, Albreed; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Greene, of Spearman.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Church at 11 a. m. sermon "Hunger and Thirst" Young people at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to visitors and friends. Let us make the Christmas season more like Christ would have it. Wm. Albert Smith.

LOST

Purse lost in Spearman containing valuable coin and key No. 104. Will pay \$5.00 reward for return of key and coin. See W. J. Miller at Reporter Office. Return of key and coin—See Bill Burran at Burran Store.

Trade in Spearman

MY FRAME GARDEN

—Mrs. Johnnie Spivey

We have a hard time getting plants to grow early in the North Panhandle country, due to cold weather, wind, and dust storms; so we usually start them in a hotbed about March or April.

Last spring we made a small hotbed about 4x5, where we planted four different kinds of tomatoes, and sweet peppers. The frame garden was covered with discarded window sash. After setting out all the plants we wanted in our garden, we sold and gave away the rest. The old hotbed was neglected, filled with dirt blown by dust storms.

In July, Hansford county got her first Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Pearl Locke. At our first meeting in late August, Miss Locke began to talk "Fall Gardens", and "Frame Gardens". We had always been used to planting a turnip and mustard bed in the fall, but this idea of having fresh vegetables in the winter sounded good to me. I did not have time to make a large frame garden, with school so near at hand, sewing to be done beside canning, entertaining visiting kinfolk, and the many other duties of a rural farm woman.

The thought struck me why not use the old hotbed frame, since it was already made. It was small, but I wanted to try it.

I dug out the dirt and weeds, and tilled it according to the way Miss Locke had told us, putting in new soil, for planting. Since our family is especially fond of home grown lettuce that was what I planted.

It came right up, and grew rapidly. Our first killing frost came about Oct. 15th, but it didn't kill the lettuce in the frame garden. Our family still has nice tender lettuce to eat, here in the "dead O' Winter", Dec. 1st, in the North Panhandle of Texas.

It was just a trial, but I am thoroughly convinced now, that next spring and fall I will try for a larger frame-garden with a variety of vegetables.

TURKEY SHOOT SUNDAY DEC. 11

John Bishop announces that there will be a Turkey Shoot Sunday, Dec. 11 at the Spearman Gun Club, north of the tracks, if the weather will allow. Come get your Xmas turkey!

Flowers For The Living

The subject for comment this week is County Agent Joe Hatton. Having been in constant touch with the various agricultural officials of this area during the past 5 years, this writer is in a position to recognize merit. Mr. Hatton has worked hard and faithfully not only to bring the agricultural program to efficiency in this county, but he has favored Hansford land owners and producers in every possible way. Mr. Hatton has been sympathetic with Hansford county, rather than out to make a record for Joe Hatton. His work among the 4-H boys in this county, in the face of his heavy schedule of office and AAA duties, deserves the praise of all citizens.

FRANK HARDIN AND EVERETT IN HOT SPRINGS

Frank Hardin and Everett Clement are in Hot Springs, New Mexico this week where they will remain for 3 to 4 weeks taking the health baths, at the resort in that city.

PTA Will Meet Dec. 13; 3 p. m.

The Parent Teacher Association will meet in the school auditorium Tuesday Dec. 13, at 3 p. m. The subject for discussion will be "Movies" in charge of Mrs. J. B. Caldwell. Special Christmas numbers will be presented by the children.

The executive board will meet at 2 p. m. The study group will meet at 2:30 p. m. The subject for discussion in the study group will be "The Citizen in the Nursery" in charge of Mrs. W. R. Finley.

All parents are urged to attend these meetings.

AGRIULTURAL MEETING TO BE HELD AT COURT HOUSE THURSDAY EVE. (TONIGHT)

The regular meeting of the Hansford county agricultural association will be held at the court house, Spearman, beginning at 7:45 p. m. tonight, (Thursday) Dec. 8.

The national convention of the American farm bureau of federation, will convene in New Orleans, La., Dec. 13. Texas has been invited to send a special delegate to this convention and to a special conference on wheat, which will be held Dec. 12. Many local members of the association favor sending Bill Deck of Ochiltree county to the New Orleans convention.

BAND CONCERT TO BE AT 7:30 P. M. TONIGHT, DEC. 8

Bandmaster Frsd Rattan presents his high school band in their annual band concert at the high school auditorium, tonight (Dec. 8) at 7:30 p. m.

Advance sale of tickets that amounts to more than \$100.00 indicate a large audience for the concert.

Social Security Rules Simplified

AMARILLO—Further simplification in the old-age insurance procedure under the Social Security Act was announced today by Dewey Reed, manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security Board.

"Statements by employers," he said, "covering only the 1938 wages will now suffice in connection with claims filed by wage earners reaching age 65 and the survivors or estates of those who die. Wage data for 1937 can now be obtained from the Board's own records.

The procedure has been simplified also for claimants as they now need not go to the expense of having their applications notarized. A Certificate of Identification, requiring only the signature of two witnesses will suffice in the future.

Christmas Greetings

We still have a few boxes of Christmas cards on hand. A new shipment will arrive today. Come in and pick your cards now!

Farm Tenancy Meeting; Officials Present Program

On Monday, Dec. 5, 16 families who have applied for farms under the Bankhead-Jones Act, together with officials of the FSA, met in Spearman in a meeting to gain further information concerning the Farm Tenancy Program.

The value of farm land and the variable payment plan were discussed by Mr. Homer R. Robbins, regional farm tenancy manager. Mr. Lloyd Johnson, regional engineer, discussed the type and value of farm improvements. Mrs. Ruby Delong Mathews, district home supervisor, explained the Home Plan and its value.

The following farm families were selected to attend this meeting and of this group three or four families will be selected as the first to qualify for Farm Tenancy farm in Hansford county: Marvin E. Smith, Basil J. Garnett, Anson Ward, Tom M. Allen, Chas. C. Beck, Jr., H. J. Vernon, Matt Sogn, William F. D. Ething, Mose Lamb, Archa Morse, Mearl Beck, Allen M. Pierce, Ned Turner, Floyd Turner, Alfred Henderson, and J. M. Ayres.

Those attending from Amarillo Regional Office were Tom J. Finley, district RR supervisor; Mr. Lloyd Johnson, regional engineer; Homer R. Robbins, farm tenancy manager; Ruby Delong, Mathews, district home supervisor; Louise M. Neal, secretary to Farm Tenancy. Others were Arthur R. Turner, RR supervisor; Booker; Clifton W. Cole, acting RR supervisor; Percy G. Powers, RR supervisor; Virdie P. Wheeler, home supervisor, Pauline Spencer, secretary in FSA office; Carl E. Hutchison, Frank R. Wallin, Robert C. Bennett, county committeemen; Pearl Locke, county home demonstration agent, and Joe M. Hatton, county agent.

New Sock Christmas Cards At Reporter

We have received a new stock of Christmas cards this week, after having sold our initial shipment. We believe we can secure individual orders up to Dec. 15th. Latest shipment includes assortments of 20, 25 and 50 cards, each assortment printed with your name for only \$1. Spearman Reporter

Plan Social To Close Baptist Study Course

Following the completion of a week of study courses for teachers and officers of the Baptist Church and Sunday school a social program will be held in the church auditorium Friday evening, Dec. 9. Rev. Hughes Baptist pastor of Gruver has been in charge of the study course, and a large number of young people from the Gruver Baptist church will visit Spearman and appear on the social program Friday evening.

Attend Funeral of Mrs. W. T. Coble

Among the Hansford county friends of the Coble family who attended the funeral service held at Amarillo Saturday Dec. 3rd were: Mr. and Mrs. Sarah Walker, and sons Emmett and Vernie, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril May, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Holt and son Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ownbey, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Jamison, Frank Howell, Mrs. James Cator, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cator, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Delon Kirk. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church of Amarillo with Rev. O. C. Williams officiating. Interment was in the Llano Cemetery at Amarillo.

Buy at Home

TRAVEL PICTURE ENTERTAINS LIONS

Sherman Ataway, salesman for the H. B. Fain Chemical Co. of Amarillo, a guest of William E. McClellan, was program leader at the noon meeting of the Lions club held at the Pekoe Cafe Tuesday. Ataway showed travel pictures taken in New Mexico. The pictures were in color and were very interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Chambers made a shopping visit to Amarillo Tuesday.

SPEARMAN DEDICATED PROGRAM TO BE ON AIR DEC. 15

Thru the courtesy of the Plains Broadcasting Co., KGNC, will broadcast a program dedicated to Spearman Thursday Dec. 15 from 1:15 to 1:30 p. m. Information about this city will be featured on the program.

Information For Senders Of Xmas Cards

For the benefit of the patrons of the local post office, Postmaster Marvin Chambers, endeavors to explain the different services accorded Christmas greetings mailed in unsealed envelopes prepaid at the third-class rate, which is; one and one half cents for each two ounces of fraction thereof, to those mailed in sealed envelopes prepaid at the first class rate of three cents an ounce or fraction. When prepaid at the third-class rate a message of any kind is prohibited to be enclosed with the greeting, just your name, address and greeting, such as Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, etc.

A large number of Christmas greetings, mailed in unsealed envelopes at the third class rate of postage, are disposed of as waste each year because they are undelivered as addressed, due to removal of the addressee or other cause. Such greetings are not entitled to the free forwarding privilege accorded those mailed in sealed envelopes at the first class rate and, consequently, the senders in many cases never know that the greetings were not received by the addressee. This would not occur if the greetings were mailed in sealed envelopes and prepaid at the first-class rate. When sealed and sent at the first-class rate the greetings may contain written messages not otherwise permitted, therefore having a personal appeal which is, of course, more highly appreciated by the recipients; that such greetings are dispatched and delivered first, given directory service, and, if necessary forwarded without additional charge; also, if undelivered they are returned without charge provided the senders return address is shown on the envelope. On the other hand, greetings mailed at the third-class rate, which cannot be delivered as addressed because of the removal of the addressee, or some other reason, must often be destroyed as waste thereby causing disappointment.

It might be well to add here that Xmas greeting cards mailed for local delivery may be sealed and prepaid at the local rate of one cent. Those cards mailed to be delivered by rural or star route carrier must be prepaid, either at the first-class or third class rate whichever applicable.

DAN BURLESON SELLS CATTLE IN K. C.

KANSAS CITY—Dan Burleson, Hansford county, was represented on the Kansas City market last week with a string of 701 pound steers. They sold at \$8.50 per cwt.

Davis Bros. Complete Station Improvement

A large metal building adjoining the Davis Bros. Champlin Station has been completed and is in use this week. A new hydraulic greasing rack has been installed and some \$100.00 of additional equipment added to the station.

NEXT WEEK'S PAPER

Next weeks Spearman Reporter will go to every mail address in Hansford county. The paper will be the annual Christmas shopping edition of the Reporter. This year as in the past, there will be several attractive features that will make the Christmas issue interesting to the general public.

The edition which carry the messages of Spearman advertisers to our citizenship . . . and we can assure the public that the merchants of Spearman are more than anxious to serve them with a glittering array of practical and useful Christmas gifts. Advertisers are asked to cooperate by preparing their advertising copy early.

Jimmie Davis is in San Antonio this week. His assistants at his place of business state he is making a business trip, but most everyone knows Jimmie is hunting.

BORGER JUNK DEALER GETS 210-DAY JAIL SENTENCE AT TRIAL

Joe Rogers, classified as a Junk Dealer of Borger, Texas, was tried for purchasing stolen merchandise in the regular session of county court held at Spearman Wed. Dec. 7. Rogers was found guilty and assessed 210 days in the county jail.

District Attorney W. L. McConnell assisted County Attorney T. D. Sansing in the trial. Property involved in the trial represented one electric drill valued at \$25.00 by the former owner, Roy Murrah of Gruver, Texas.

WORLD'S MOST MODERN TRACTOR COMING MONDAY

If you should happen to see a sleek powerful looking streamlined, modernistic vehicle going gliding by on the highway, don't be alarmed! It's not an invasion from Mars! Chances are it will be the new MM Comforactor coming to town. This new Power Unit for farm and industry was designed and built by Minneapolis-Moline and recognized throughout the country as the world's most modern tractor. This latest MM creation is fully equipped with a sound proofed safety cap, cushioned seats, radio heater, self-starter, electric lights windshield wipers, safety glass, electric horn, fan, cigar lighter, ash tray, sun visor, rear vision mirror, clock, ignition and cab door locks, and a handy group of instruments on the dash board; namely, an ammeter, oil temperature, and gas gauges, speedometer, ignition and light switches, throttle control, and choke knob. But don't let the luxurious surroundings of this model fool you. It is fully capable of performing any task required of a standard tread tractor of 3 to 4 plow power. By simply removing the front fender this modern tractor is ready for heavy duty belt work; long hauling jobs are no longer a worry with road speeds up to almost 40 M.P.H. In fact, this tractor has 5 forward speeds and with the variable speed governor it should handle every job at just the right speed. Provision has also been made for the easily installation of a power-take-off. To really appreciate the amazing versatility of the Comforactor, it must be seen, and according to Matthew and Crawford, local Minneapolis-Moline dealers, we are all going to be able to do just that. They report that this tractor will be on display at their place of business on Monday, Dec. 12. Everyone is invited to come and see the world's most modern tractor—truck—mobile.

Happy Texas Birthday To Uncle Rob Burran

Today Dec. 8th marks the 62nd Texas Birthday of Uncle Rob Burran. Uncle Rob landed at Fort Worth, Texas, today 62 years ago. He was a lad of 11 years of age, having attained that age on Dec. 4. Uncle Rob said Fort Worth was a boom town when his folks arrived there 62 years ago. Said you could not hear yourself for the hammering of the new buildings going up.

He thought Fort Worth was about the size of Spearman, at the time. The next day after the Burran family arrived in Fort Worth a dry norther arrived. Many 2-story frame buildings thrown together carelessly collapsed, he said. Fort Worthans had to haul water from the Trinity River for domestic use, he concluded.

TRADES DAY SAT. DEC. 10

COMING ATTRACTIONS
ELLIS THEATRE,
PERRYTON, TEX.

Dec. 8-9—Flirting With Fate, with Joe E. Brown, Leo Carillo and Wynne Gibson.
Dec. 10—Illegal Traffic—with J. Carrol Noah, Mary Carlisle and Larry Crabbe.
Dec. 11-12—Angels With Dirty Faces, with Pat O'Brien, James Cagney, Ann Sheridan.
Dec. 13-14—Girls School—Ar Shirley, Ralph Bellamy and N. Grey.
Dec. 15-16—Up The River with Preston Foster, Phyllis Brooks and Tony Martin.

THE LYNX

READ WHAT YOUR BOYS AND GIRLS ARE DOING IN SCHOOL.

Parents Invited To Exhibit

The elementary department will present a Cantata, December 15. The cast will be composed of music students from the 5th, 6th, and 7th grades.

Immediately following the Cantata an exhibit of the grade school will be featured. This exhibit will be an exhibit of the work and materials that the grade school students have made and used during the first semester of this school year.

The students are interested in their work and in their accomplishments. They want you to see and mark their steps to progress. They want you to see and know what they are doing in their school work. We feel that this is one of the best means by which that end may be gained and also by which you may see what your child and his teacher are doing to function his education.

If you are interested in your child and his school work, you will show that interest by being present at this exhibit.

Your presence will give your child greater interests in his work and an ambition to do the best that he can.

We are also planning to have another exhibit near the close of school in order to show an even greater progress and development in each pupil over the period of a complete school year.

There will be no admission charged for this exhibit. It is our desire to give you something worth while for nothing.

We heartily invite you to attend the Cantata and visit the exhibit immediately afterwards.

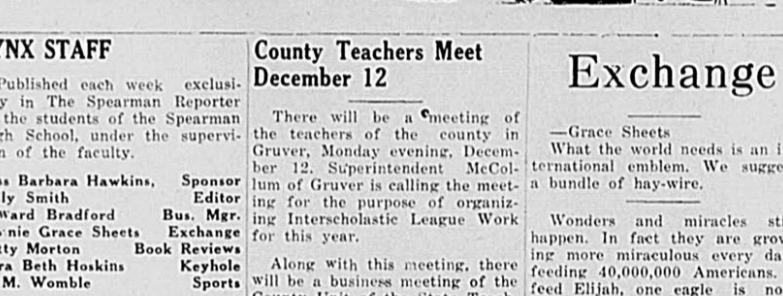
How Do You Measure Up To These Standards

A survey was made this week in order to determine those traits most desirable in both boys and girls. After interviewing fifteen boys and girls, it was found that the things girls like in boys are:

1. Personality
2. Cleanliness (neat)
3. Cheerful, full of fun
4. Respective attitude toward girls.
5. Intelligence
6. Sincerity
7. Friendly
8. Good Sport
9. Doesn't drink
10. Ambitious
11. Good conversationists
12. Know the rules of etiquette for a date.
13. Should not be two-faced
14. Preferably attractive.
15. Is not uneasy in the presence of the girl's family.

Those things which boys like in girls are:

1. Personality
2. Natural—be herself
3. Good sport
4. Actions
5. Attractive
6. Friendly, sociable
7. Intelligence
8. Good conversationalist and a good listener.
9. Soft tone of voice; quiet rather than loud.
10. Ambitious
11. Thoughtful, considerate
12. Sincerity
13. Witty
14. Likes to be able to talk to her family
15. Doesn't smoke or drink



Spearman Win One Philips One

The Lynx teams played Blackhawk from Phillips Friday night in the home gymnasium. The local boys were victorious over the visitors, the game ending 36 to 13. All of the boys got to take part in the game.

The girls lost a hard fought game to the Phillips girls. This game ended with Phillips 31 to 21 for Spearman. Ida Mae McLeod, one of the best players on the team could not take part in the game because of an accident near Canadian. She will be out for several games.

Both teams seem to be improving and they are looking forward to the Hartley tournament. The boys are going to try to repeat what they did last year by winning the tournament. Our girls will also give a good account of themselves. Hartley has a good gym and there will be some good teams present.

C. P. Returns From Windy City

C. P. Archer returned from Chicago with a very interesting time. He selected one of the 100 boys representing Texas at the 17th National 4-H club Congress. C. P. left Dallas on Nov. 25 and returned Dec. 3. There were between 1,200 and 1,300 boys and girls representing the United States, Canada, Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

General headquarters were at the Auditorium Hotel. All exhibits were at the International Livestock Exposition. Tours of the city, banquets, and other entertainment were shown the legates.

HOLT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owen, Mrs. Frank Howell, P. H. James, and Mrs. D. B. C. Holt and guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coble, Amarillo Saturday afternoon.

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County Teachers Meet December 12

There will be a meeting of the teachers of the county in Gruver, Monday evening, December 12. Superintendent McCollum of Gruver is calling the meeting for the purpose of organizing Interscholastic League Work for this year.

Along with this meeting, there will be a business meeting of the County Unit of the State Teachers Association for the purpose of electing voting delegates to the District Meet in Canyon. All teachers are urged to attend.

Exchange

—Grace Sheets
What the world needs is an international emblem. We suggest a bundle of hay-wire.

Wonders and miracles still happen. In fact they are growing more miraculous every day. feeding 4,000,000 Americans. feed Elijah, one eagle is now feeding 40,000,000 Americans.

There is no greater reward than working for nothing for what one loves the most.

Old Question Answered
Where was Moses when the light failed?
He was attending a conference of Brain Trusters trying to figure out how to make less go further.
—The American Guardian.

Pa: "Well, son, how are your marks?"
Frosh: "They're under water."
Dad: "What do you mean, under water?"
Frosh: "Below (C) level."
—The Prairie

You can fool some people And you can fool yourself. But if you fool yourself, You're a fool.

Little girl running into the house with a handful of fishing worms: "Look, Mummie, live noodles!"

HEARD
That there are two things to aim at in life; first, to get what you want; and after that to enjoy it. Only the wisest achieve the second.

I proposed to her. She said yes to the other fellow.

At a Football Game!
He: "Cold?"
She: "Yes."
He: "Want my Coat?"
She: "Yes, but don't take it off."
—The Prairie.

FIRST GRADE

The first grade is very busy. They are making a seven room doll house out of card board and they are going to furnish it with doll furniture. They have a unit of Pilgrims worked out on a table and we soon are going to work out a Santa Claus unit on the sand table along with the doll house.

Fifth Grade

We are building log cabins in history and furnishing them as the homes of long ago. We are making a time line for an exhibit. In history we are making a newspaper. Also we are making Christmas decorations for our room.

Through the Keyhole

Wanted:—An old Model T Ford. There aren't any at the Chevrolet garage—

Julia has a very worthy ambition. Anyway we thing its fun.

When J. R. has a party he really thinks of swell ideas. Agree with me?

Mary Ann has suddenly become interested in fan dancers. Not that she wants to become one herself.

Why wasn't anyone informed of Polly's sudden trip to Dallas.

If anyone has any jewelry to spare, Arnold has a hobby of gathering it.

BAND NEWS

This week the guy that has to write about the Spearman High Band really has a tough assignment. Now to get things straight: the news or story must be turned in to the paper at least by noon Thursday; the big event is a concert which is to be Thursday night. I have to write a story before the concert, but by the time people read the story they will have already seen the concert (I hope). Nevertheless, to date everyone is really looking forward to this performance by the band.

All the band members are helping sponsor a contest for a Band Sweetheart. A penny per vote is the cost of helping your favorite candidate.

C. P. Archer, the president and general big-shot of the band got in this week from a trip to Chicago. The way he talks Chicago must be some whale of a city.

Second Grade

The following pupils have been neither absent nor tardy this year. Bill Davis, J. D. Floyd, Dallas Giddens, Bobbie Jack Pierce, James Plummer, Gray Sparks, Joe Sparks, Horace Williams, Dannie Burleson, Lavinia Hughes, Lorene Redember, Margaret

SENIORS

Grade School Honor Roll

Because there are so many high grades in the grades, we include only those who have an A average in the honor roll.

Second graders in Mrs. Loftin's room are Jack Oakes, Don McLain, Lela Mae Close, Jo Anna Gower, Bobby Jean Lackey, Shirley Sparks.

Bill Davis and Laura Ruth Lamb were on the honor roll in Miss Bailey's room.

Those in the third grade are Dick Beck, Mike Berry, Ruth Jackson, Avo Jones, and Verna Lee Gibner.

The following students are from Miss Gantt's third grade: Donald Allen, Alfred Hughes, Glen Mackie, Roy Rook, Virgil Tucker, Lois Buzzard, Anita Close, Gwendolyn Davis, Helen Holt, Jo Ann Hoskins, Betty Sue Howard, Sylvie Martin, and Eula Marie Meers.

Those in the fourth grade honor roll are Billy Jo Sparks, Joyce Close, Hershel Jones, Bobby Schell, Marjorie Riggs, Arlan Womble, Donald Cooke, Pat Becker, Retta Lou Howard, Wilson McClellan, and Worley Smith.

The fifth A honor roll is Betty Jean Hill, Rosanne Porter, Barbara Jean Daily, W. C. Davis, Willis Sheets, Avis Harbour, Harold Reed, and J. C. Sanders.

The sixth grade honor roll students are Patsy Ruth Dacus, Iris Hall, Mildred McKay, Carmen Kizziar, Georgia Burleson, Robbie Jo Graves, Ethel Fullbright, Dorothy Hester, Dorothy Bradford.

The fifth B honor roll is Velma Ruth Fox, Nina Gaither, and Joy Crooks.

Those on the 7th grade honor roll are Wilber Fullbright, Sady Ruth Hoskins, Patricia Hutton, Louise Kiker and Faye Womble.

Ethel Mae Holt. Ethel was born at Alex, Okla., May 16, 1921. She wants to major in English at Texas Christian University. Her favorite class is Home Ec and her favorite teacher is Mr. Rattan. Her hobby is writing pen pals. Ethel Mae excels in being the sweetest girl in the Senior Class.

The Seniors have had a severe let down in the past week, as they were refused a senior trip. They have been getting material for a Senior play. Their enthusiasm, however, for these plays has dwindled down, since they know that after all their hard work on the plays is over, they won't get the trip they have been looking forward to since they started to high school. The Seniors are trying to get up a Xmas party of some kind too.

DO YOU KNOW?

—J. D. Wilbanks
THAT the Texas Declaration of Independence was sealed with a brass button. Governor Smith having no other seal used one of the brass buttons from his coat. San Felipe, 1839.

THAT Texas' highest mountain has three names—Signed Peak, Guadalupe Mountain, and El Capitan, it is 9,500 feet high and is in Culberson county.

THAT Texas extends over 13 degrees of West longitude and more than ten and one-half degrees north latitude.

THAT Texas comprises one twelfth of the area of the entire United States. Texas is larger by 83,000 square miles than Germany.

High School Honor Roll

SENIORS—A
Grace Sheets, Louise Novak, Bruce Douglas.

SENIORS—B
Dennis Kern, Arnold Richardson, Roy Sanders, Elizabeth Forbes, Vera Beth Hoskins, Polly Smith, Fran Schubert, C. P. Archer, Melvin Crawford, Leon Yates, Ethel Holt, Rubyjo Simmons.

JUNIORS—A
Verna Gail Allen, Estella Garnett, Edward Bradford, Sammie Morris, Patricia Snider, Elizabeth Walberry, Janelle Womble.

JUNIOR—B
Thora J. Edwards, Betty Morton, Ledru Jacobs, Merle Mizar, Roy Reed, Dale Fields, Harold Graves, Robert Harbour, Henry Horn, Eli Unruh, Howard Perry.

SOPHOMORES—A
Emmett Sanders, Colleen Kelly, Anta Clea Reed, Merilyn Snider, J. E. Gerber, Chalmers Porter, Kathleen Greever, Frances Sheets.

SOPHOMORE—B
Leroy Easley, Albert Graves, D. W. Hazelwood, Delbert Mizar, Garland Caldwell, Joyce Dulaney, Mary Nell Harbour, Bonita Hammond, Georgia Thompson, Della Beth Uptergrove, Harold Crooks, Vance Prutsman, Elora Close, Wanda Smith.

FRESHMAN—A
Cecil Bradford, Jola Mae Sheets, Geneva Mackie.

FRESHMAN—B
Viola Jones, Freddie Mizar, Robert Novak, Leona Shedeck, H. L. Meers, Nathalie Reynolds, Wilma Peters, Oneta Horn, Betty Hester, May Lee Harbour, Velma Dillow, Nona Burleson, Alton Ellsworth, Charles Clement.

5th A Citizenship

—Estelle Terry
The meeting was brought to order by the president. The secretary read the minutes. The reports were given by the chairman of the committees. We chose the best citizens for the week as follows: Rosanne Porter, and Robert Heard. The Good English Committee gave the program: Rosanne Porter played two numbers on her saxophone. They were "Home on the Prairie" and "Red River Valley." Harold Reed read the story of "Don't" and

After receiving our report cards we find that we have some intelligent juniors. There were seven on the A honor roll. This is a good showing by the juniors this week.

The juniors are selling candy and pop at the basketball games that are played here, so if you get hungry just buy some candy from the Juniors.

The Juniors on the basketball teams are planning to bring home

Tournament Saturday. They have made a good showing so far. The boys have won three and lost none, while the girls have won two and lost one.

The boys, who played football are getting anxious for the order of their football sweaters. They think it is about time they should be wearing them.

The skaters will have to try their luck wearing out the sidewalk now, since the skating rink has gone.

have been going in the various parts around the plant and Green-

FROSH

Janelle Jackson was born February 17, 1923, in Okla. She came to this school from Holt. She has been going here six years. Janelle has brown hair and hazel eyes. Her favorite sport is basketball. Her favorite subject is

Viola May Jones
Viola was born Dec. 31, 1924 at Gageby, Texas. She has always attended Spearman schools. Viola has Auburn hair and brown eyes. Her favorite sport is basketball and she hasn't a favorite subject.

All members pay a dime whether they are present or not. Delicious refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Mesdames Oscar Dahl, Pete Dahl, Robert Alexander, Clarence Johnson, Emil Knutsen, Stedje, John O. Dahl, K. H. Matt Sogn and Misses Bredeson, Lilyan Hirsch the hostess.

The next meeting will be held Monday Dec. 19 at the home of Mrs. Robert Alva

MORSE NEWS

Virgie Lee Dortch Morse now has a basketball team among the town men and women. Last Friday night a very interesting game was played with the Gruver town teams. The women's score was 41-3 in favor of Gruver, and the men's score was 36-37 in favor of Gruver. Both teams played a very hot game and intend to win next games played.

of them. The Seniors indeed have something to be dignified over. A nice chapel program was held at the Morse High School Friday morning at 11:15. The whole school sang several songs and Rev. Hughes Baptist preacher, made a very impressive talk to the students. Next Friday week the band is to present a program, and everyone is very welcome to come.

BELLE BENNETT SOCIETY

Mrs. R. W. Morton was hostess at the regular meeting of the Belle Bennett Missionary society held at her lovely home Wednesday Dec. 7. Mrs. John Bishop was program leader for the Bible lesson in the book of Esther. Members present were Mesdames R. W. Morton, John Bishop, R. L. McClellan, F. W. Maize, W. R. Finley, L. S. McClellan, L. M. Brown, J. L. Redus, Sid Clark, P. A. Lyon, Roy Jones, and H. P. Bailey. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Jones Wednesday Dec. 14.

MEDLIN H. D. CLUB

The Medlin Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Jewel Morrison Friday, Dec. 3. The house was called to order by the president, Mrs. Frank Davis. Old and new business was discussed. We drew names and are going to have a Christmas tree Dec. 16 at the home of Mrs. O. L. Williams. Mrs. Edward McJunkin as hostess. All members are welcome to come and take part. Each member is asked to bring something that Miss Locke has taught us to make to the club.

Refreshments were served to the following guests and members: Mesdames Frank Jones, Earl Ooley, Frank Davis, Edward McJunkin, O. L. Williams, Virgil Hull, J. W. Dart and the hostess Mrs. Jewel Morrison.

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Dr. Ruby Haines, who has recently opened a chiropractic office and clinic at Perryton, visited over the week end with her cousin Cecil Crawford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bus Banister visited relatives Monday and Tuesday at Kress, Texas.

HAPPY HOUR CLUB

Mrs. Edd Close entertained the Happy Hour Club on Nov. 22 in honor of her daughter Mrs. Vivian Rogers' birthday. A very pleasant day was spent at quilting and a bountiful covered dish lunch was served at noon. The honoree received a number of lovely gifts. Those present were Mesdames G. C. Newcomb, Archa Morse, R. C. Bennett, Dan Burleson, Russell Baker, Lizzie Benningfield, Don Bennett, Cecil Crawford, F. K. Banister, James Sparks, Mose Lamb, Jake Lamb, Johnie Close, Vance Close, Ed Beck, Mrs. Jack Whitson and Miss Opal Sparks.

HAPPY HOUR CLUB MET NOV. 30

The Happy Hour Club meeting of Nov. 30 was held the same day of the home demonstration meeting at the home of Mrs. Don Bennett. A very pleasant afternoon was spent at quilting and embroidery work by the 20 members present. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. It was agreed upon to have the usual Christmas party at night instead of at the usual day-time meeting.

BLODGETT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beck and Sid Jr Beck were transacting business in Perryton Monday.

The Community Party at the Blodgett school house Friday was well attended, 35 were present. Different games were played and refreshments of sandwiches of coffee and cocoa were served. We voted to have a community party at the school once each month.

W. M. Deck left for Dallas Sunday morning to attend an Agricultural meet there.

E. H. Brainard is having a car load of cake hauled to the ranch this week.

Mrs. J. P. Patrick is visiting her daughter Mrs. Ralph Blodgett this week.

Mrs. Mearl Beck was a Spearman shopper Saturday.

Mrs. James Reed was out to the farm last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Simm were Spearman shoppers Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph and J. M. Blodgett were transacting business in Perryton Wednesday.

Mrs. E. S. F. Brainard and children spent the week end in Canadian.

Mrs. S. J. Powell was a caller in the Blodgett home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Simm spent Sunday evening in the Blodgett home.

R. V. CONVERSE SAYS:

"That the sons of God saw the daughters of men, that they were fair; and they took them wives of all which they chose." —Gen. 6:2.

It is reported that since the conception of the New Deal the Federal tax has increased 76 per cent, and the record indebted-

ness of billions has steadily mounted. We will have to admit it is a different deal anyway, even if it proves not to be new.

It appears that big business will insist on some new patent legislation in the next session of Congress, and it will be interesting to see what they propose. It is the writer's opinion that in some way the monopoly created by a patent will be extended over a period of time.

Many expect Congress to yield to political pressure in regards to Social Security Amendments and see the beginning of the enactment of the General Welfare Act. It is admitted by those who are posted that Townsend has the largest block in Congress ever created for the advancement of legislation.

There are a great many farmers willing to give up the present AAA program and substitute the price fixing program which would not only regiment the farmer but would include the handlers, processors and transporters of agricultural products. It is hoped the intelligence of the American farmer will come to rescue by defeating any move at price fixing. It is the writer's opinion that price fixing would be a complete surrender of all the liberties a farmer has unless the farmer himself was able to fix his price.

It is expected that some startling new production in the picture line will be forthcoming in the near future. Since President Roosevelt's son has joined Mr. Goldwyn as an assistant in the moving picture world.

I see where a \$100 a plate O'Daniel dinner is to be given to pay off the indebtedness of some church in Fort Worth. Some people have a faculty for raising money the queerest ways.

Three is a lot of fears being expressed throughout the North Panhandle that Governor elect W. Lee O' Daniel will finally be persuaded that a sales tax is the logical way to increase the revenue of the State. Petitions are already being circulated in anticipation of a legislative attempt to put over a sales tax asking the Governor to oppose such a move.

Yours, R. V. Converse.

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HAPPY HOUR H. D. CLUB

Mrs. Don Bennett was hostess to the Happy Hour club Home Demonstration club Wednesday morning Nov. 30 at 10:30.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. R. C. Bennett. Singing was enjoyed for a time, followed by a short business session which included reports on the last council meeting by the delegate, Mrs. Archa Morse, and alternate delegate Mrs. F. K. Banister. Mrs. C. E. Kiker was elected secretary-treasurer to replace Mrs. James Sparks, who resigned. Miss Locke demonstrated seam finish bound button holes, and set in pockets. A delicious covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

Members and guests are as follows, Mesdames Ed Beck, Johnnie Close, C. E. Kiker, G. C. Newcomb, Archa Morse, F. K. Banister, Cecil Crawford, Lizzie Benningfield, Lynn Rogers, Edd Close, R. C. Bennett, Jake Lamb Charles Newcomb, Don Bennett, Jack Whitson, Vance Close, D. A. Jackson, C. R. Jackson, Olin Williams and Miss Marcella Newcomb. The next meeting will be held on Dec. 15th.

MORSE PTA WILL MEET TUESDAY DEC. 13TH

The Morse PTA will hold its regular meeting Tues. afternoon Dec. 13th at 2:30 p. m.

The Study club will meet at the home of Mrs. Mack Dortch Friday afternoon Dec. 16th at 2 p. m.

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SPEARMAN MUSIC CLUB MET TUESDAY

Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 6th, the Spearman Music Club met with Mrs. Heydon Hensley for a most interesting lesson and program centered around the timely subject of opera in the United States.

Following the roll call and business meeting, Mrs. J. B. Caldwell opened the program with a very entertaining resume of a current article by Martinielli concerning the necessarily rigorous life of any opera singer. Miss Wren Loftin gave Jeanette Macdonald's advice to young aspirants to the stage or screen. Mrs. Woodville Jarvis sketched the life of Edward Johnson and his rise from the eager, four-year-old prodigy of a small town to the possessor of a much-coveted but most exciting position of manager of the great Metropolitan Opera company.

Musical numbers chosen from various operas interspersed the program, with Mrs. John Berry singing "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" from "Samson and Delilah"; Miss Gantt playing "Grand March from 'Norma'; and Mrs. Gunn, Mrs. Hensley and Miss Gantt playing as a trio "Barcarolle" from "Tales of Hoffman."

The club adjourned with the reading of the "Collect."

The following members were present: Mesdames Bill Hutton, Lewis Meers, John Berry, H. P. Bailey, R. E. Lee, J. B. Caldwell, Heydon Hensley, Paul Loftin, F. J. Daily, Woodville Jarvis, Elma Gunn, and Misses Wren Loftin, and Mary Gantt.

MRS. R. E. LEE HOSTESS TO SOCIETY

Mrs. R. E. Lee was hostess to the Mary Martha Missionary Society Dec. 7.

Members came early for a quilting and at three o'clock the president called the house to order.

The opening number was a song "Take My Life and Let It Be."

Mrs. R. E. Lee was in charge of the lesson and was assisted by Mrs. Sansing.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Hall Jones, Will Miller, Bruce Sheets, Eddie

McCauley, Freeman Barkley, John Berry, Clay Gibner, Bob Douglas, Gene Richardson, Joe Hatton, R. B. Archer, Jr., John Allen, Raymond Kirk, two new members Mrs. O. C. Holt and T. D. Sansing and the hostess Mrs. R. E. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell returned to Spearman Tuesday after a 10-day visit with Mr. Campbell's parents. Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Campbell of Grenola, Kansas. Mr. Campbell has been seriously ill for the past few weeks, but has shown a marked improvement the past ten days.

FOOD SALE

Saturday Dec. 10, Spearman Hardware building. Beginning at 12:00 noon. Sponsored by the Mary Martha Missionary ladies.

PATRICIA MORSE HONORED WITH PARTY

Miss Patricia Morse entertained a number of her small friends on her third birthday Nov. 28. She received a number of presents and games were enjoyed during the afternoon by these guests, Marilyn Crawford, Verlin Beck, Andy Jo Burleson, Phyllis Bennett, Jimmy Edd Rogers, Vanell Close, Mary Beth Newcomb.

Three blue candles decorated a big birthday cake which was cut and served with fruit salad, to the guests at the close of the party.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY CIRCLES MET IN JOINT SESSION WEDNESDAY

The three circles of the Baptist Missionary society met in a joint business session at the church parlour Wednesday afternoon. The circles will meet in the regular group session Wednesday Dec. 14.

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20TH CENTURY STUDY CLUB

Members of the 20th Century Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Bill Gandy for the regular meeting Thursday Dec. 1, with twelve members present. Mrs. R. V. Converse was in charge of the study lesson "Mussolini and Italy". The lesson proved very

interesting with many participants. Present were Mesdames John Allen, R. V. Converse, George Buzard, Delon Kirk, Robert Douglas, Will Miller, E. C. Womble, P. A. Lyon, Raymond Jarvis, Paul Roach, C. E. Campbell, W. R. Finley and the hostess Mrs. Bill Gandy.

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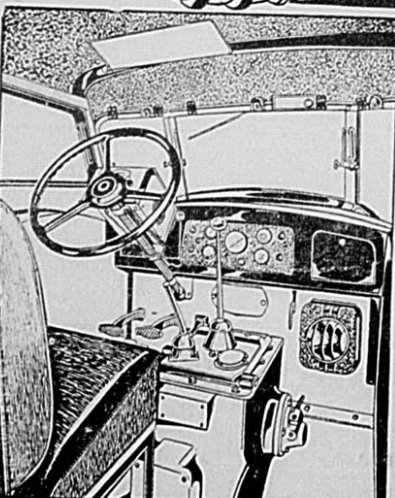
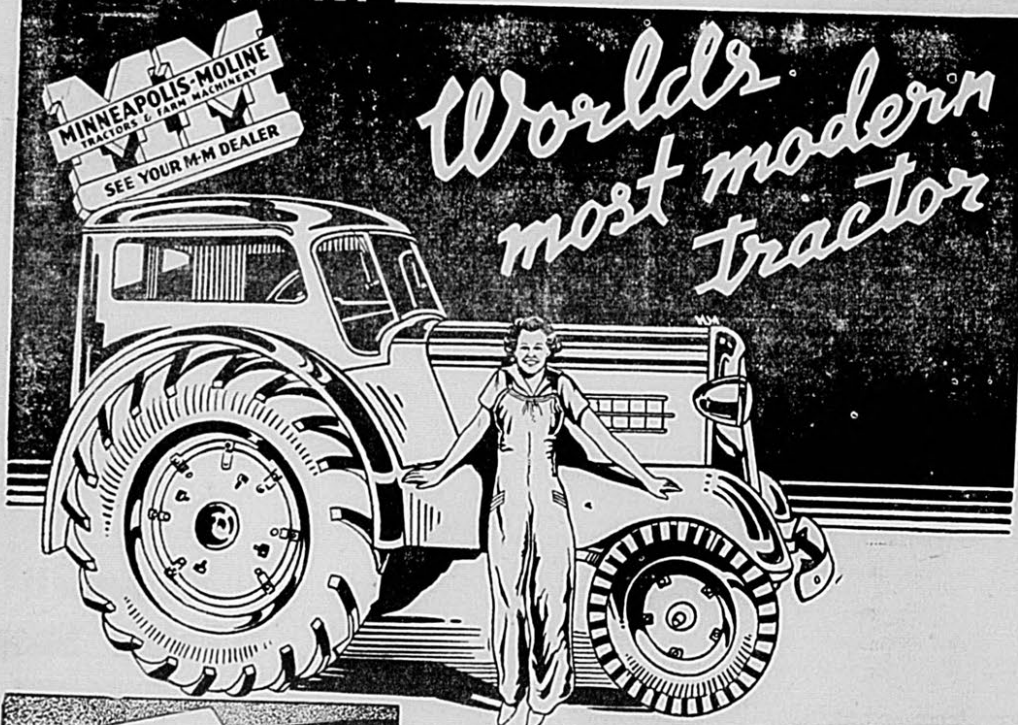
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