

WINE SERIOUSLY INJURES PROMINENT FARMER

Workman On Paving Job Drops Dead of Heart Failure on Streets of Spearman

TIM HAD COME HERE FROM COLORADO SEVERAL MONTHS AGO; WORKED ON ROAD

W. Boydston, 37, dropped from heart failure on the streets of Spearman last Monday, after he had undergone an operation from a physician. Boydston came to Dr. R. T. Spencer's office just before noon and that it was hard for him to breathe. He had worked morning, but was advised by Spencer not to work for the day, due to the weakness of his heart. The man was returning to work at the noon hour, he suddenly dropped to his knees in front of Harbison Furniture Company, and was dead in a few minutes. The funeral home handled the remains. Funeral services were conducted from the Union Church in Spearman, at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed Greever officiating. Burial was made in the Hansford cemetery. The deceased is survived by the wife and one small son. For some time Boydston had been employed as maintenance man for State highway No. 117. In the past several days he had been employed on paving work on new city streets that are now under construction.

Dr. Spencer and Gower Will Attend Medical Convention

Drs. R. T. Spencer and J. E. Gower, of Spearman expect to attend the Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb and Hemphill counties medical society, that will convene in Canadian June 17. Important matters pertaining to the medical profession of this and other sections will be discussed at the meeting. The meetings are held monthly in one of the various counties in the society and men of the medical profession declare that they are of much benefit to them and help them in combatting diseases, as well as aiding them in making their various localities show a lower rate of sickness. Dr. Spencer is president of the society and Dr. G. K. Kengle of Perryton is secretary.

Representatives Here Attend Appliance School

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Collins and Miss Mildred Crawford of the local office of the Texas-Louisiana Power Company, attended a zone appliance school of the company held in Perryton Wednesday. Interesting topics on the practical uses of electrical appliances were brought to those in attendance by speakers of the company. Towns other than Spearman who had representatives at the school were Perryton, Higgins, Guyman, Follett, Darouzett, Forgan, Beaver and Tarouzet.

J. R. Collard Jr. Is Back From N. M. I.

J. R. Collard, Jr., son of J. R. Collard of this city returned this week from New Mexico Military Institute, where he has been attending school for the past term. This is young Collard's second year at the New Mexico school. He said he was well pleased with his work there and plans to return next fall.

WALLS OF COURTHOUSE ARE GOING UP RAPIDLY

Walls of Hansford's new courthouse are going up rapidly now. Brick work is well under way and it is expected by another week that the brick work will be coming up all around the contour of the building. Structural steel is being placed. All materials are on the ground and with continued fair weather it is expected that the new structure will near completion within the next 60 or 90 days.

Pete Vernon Buys Out Barber Shop Interest

Improvements on the barber shop recently owned and operated by "Curly" Sparks and Uel McCain, are being made by Pete Vernon, who recently purchased the interest of both men. Vernon is making his shop modern in every way.

Mrs. W. E. Pittman and daughter Virginia are visiting Mrs. Walter Good, Mrs. Pittman's daughter in Amarillo this week.

Miss Lois Morton has returned from Panhandle, where she taught home economics in the high school the past term.

Arthur Bernstein, from the city of the same name was in Spearman Saturday, attending to business matters and visiting friends.

John O'Loughlin recently returned from his California home, to spend the summer here looking after his extensive farming interests in Hansford and Ochiltree counties.

John Neilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Neilson, arrived home from A. & M. college Monday, to spend the summer vacation. John, a product of Spearman schools, is making a good record at A. & M.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kirkpatrick and children, Cathrine Jane and Donald, came from their home in Amarillo the latter part of last week for a visit with friends in Spearman. Mrs. Kirkpatrick will be remembered here as Miss Laura Andrews daughter of Mrs. Frank Andrews.

Attending Funeral Of Mother in Kansas City

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Prewitt and children, George and Louise, left Tuesday for Kansas City, being called there by a message, stating that his mother had passed away. Mrs. R. J. Prewitt, 77 years old, had been in ill health for several years and her death was not wholly unexpected. She died on Tuesday morning at 9:30, and will be buried in Kansas City. Complete funeral arrangements had not been announced when Mr. Prewitt left, pending word from other members of the family. Chas. Darnell is in charge of the local yards of the White House Lumber Company, during the absence of Manager Prewitt.

Farmer's Grain Corp. To Hold Conference

On Friday, June 5th, John Manley, vice-president and director from the southwest of the Farmers National Grain Corporation of Chicago, will meet in conference with the elevator managers of northwest Texas, Oklahoma and southeast Colorado, at Texhoma. On Thursday he will meet with the elevator managers in the Amarillo territory, including eastern New Mexico, and later at Plainview, with the South Plains managers. The purpose of these conferences is to acquaint the managers with the latest plans of the public details on the relationship of Farm Board agencies to the producers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thelmer O. Thompson of the vicinity of Gruver, were in the city Tuesday night, coming in to attend the show at the Lyric Theatre.

Little Girl Says "I Thank You" to Lions Club Who Helped Her Regain Health

Just the three small words, "I Thank You," meant more than volumes and the Lions Club knew it to be true, when Chlorine Rook stood before them Tuesday and expressed her heartfelt feelings for what the club had done for her that she might regain her health. A little more than a year ago, Chlorine could not walk. Now she can walk as good as anybody and plays happily with other normal children. The Lions Club is her benefactor. When Chlorine's condition was called to the attention of the Lions Club, they devised plans and sent her to Oklahoma City where she was put under the care of a specialist. Since she came from the hospital, she has steadily improved until now she walks as good as other children, and is very happy. At the regular meeting Tuesday it was decided to procure enough grass seed to plant in front of the Spearman public school, which will complete the work started by the club sometime ago in placing a sprinkling system to beautify the grounds. President R. M. Clogston, who presided, urged all members to be present at the next regular meeting, when the annual election of officers will be held. The picnic committee expects to report a date for an outing for the club at the next regular meeting.

COURT HOUSE WORKER BREAKS LEG SATURDAY

Claude Ellis Accidentally Hurt; Sustains Broken Bone Just Above Ankle

Claude Ellis, sustained a broken leg just above the ankle, last Saturday, when he was at work on the new courthouse building. A large timber used in placing the structure, slipped and fell, striking Ellis on the leg, breaking it instantly. The suffering man was given medical attention in the offices of Dr. J. E. Gower. He is up and walking about town and reports his condition as improving rapidly.

Will Attend Tech College Exercises

Sheriff and Mrs. H. L. Wilbanks will leave today for Lubbock where they will attend some of the closing activities of Texas Tech. and will bring their daughter, Miss Mary, home for the summer. Miss Mary has been a student in Tech for the past two years, and is making a good record.

Fred W. Brandt and Family Off to South Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Brandt and the children left Wednesday for a quite extended visit through southern Texas. They will visit at Chapel Hill, near Dallas, at Houston and nearby places, Galveston and other points of interest in that section before returning home. Miss Lois Bailey is assisting with the work at the Fred W. Brandt store during the absence of Mr. Brandt.

Paving Continues With Good Progress This Week

Construction work on Spearman's new paving project continued this week without interruption. Hard surface caliche is being laid on four blocks along Elevator Row. Brick is being placed on the ground for the outer surface. Wednesday a curb and gutter crew started at the outskirts of the city below Pater Elevator Co., and will work back to the intersection of Main Street, getting the ground ready for the first coat of pavement. Service stations and other businesses are virtually cut off and will continue to be for a few days.

Citizens Cooperating With Tax Equalizers

Citizens of the county who made their appearance before the county board of equalization Wednesday, offered their best cooperation in helping the board with tax matters, according to County Judge C. W. Wing, who sat with the board. Questions of raising or lowering various properties over the county were carefully threshed out by the board. Large companies whose improvements in the county justified the raising of tax valuations and who received raises accepted the boards findings without question, Judge King said. Besides Judge King, the board is composed of commissioners J. G. B. Sparks, C. C. Beck, J. P. Winder and Fred McKee.

Fire Destroys Old Les Cator Place Tuesday

Fire of an undetermined origin destroyed the home on the old Les Cator place, west of Spearman, at about 9 o'clock Tuesday morning. C. E. Deaner was running the place. The house had been built for many years. So far as could be determined, the buildings were not covered by insurance.

WARM WEATHER MAKES WHEAT MATURE FAST

Warm weather of the past few days, with the thermometer hipping up to 90 degrees, is causing wheat over the county to mature rapidly, according to many farmers who visited Spearman this week. Although the wheat in some fields is becoming colored by the sun, farmers are of the opinion that the warm weather will not cut the yield. In the west and southwestern portion of the county rain is needed in order to fill out the grain. If moisture falls within the next week are so, farmers say that a good average yield will be made.

Roy Maples Furnishes Newly Completed Home

Roy Maples, who has just completed a modern 7 room stucco home in the south part of the city, placed furniture in the new structure this week. Entire home furnishings for the new home came from Harbison Furniture Company of this city.

O. D. Riggs was a business visitor in the city Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Steele were in from their fine ranch home on the Palo Duro Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Richards left Monday for Crosbyton, Texas, where she will spend the week with relatives and old friends.

Mrs. C. R. Hazelwood and Mrs. Chas. Darnell attended the Decoration Day celebration at Lieb school house Saturday.

Hobart Dick, clerk at the Spearman postoffice, Mrs. Dick and Master Benny Fred, are away on their annual vacation this week. They will visit with relatives near Waco, and will make a short trip into Old Mexico before returning to Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keith drove to Beaver, Oklahoma, last Saturday to meet Mrs. B. F. Shipp his aunt, who resides at Coldwater, Kansas. Mrs. Shipp is eighty one years of age and is very spry for one that has seen so many years. Mrs. Shipp will make an indefinite visit at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith.

W. A. VAN CLEAVE IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION AFTER ANIMAL ATTACKS HIM LATE WEDNESDAY

Spearman Men On Long Session Federal Court

Bill Russell and Star Harbison are tied up on a long and prolonged session of federal court at Amarillo. Three weeks ago, Harbison was subpoenaed for Federal Grand Jury service. At intervals he has been permitted to return home, but was called back again this week for duty. Bill Russell has already served two weeks on the Federal Grand Jury. He left again Thursday morning where he was called by the court. In all likelihood, the men will be kept for duty at least two weeks longer.

Spearman Sluggers Will Play Tyrone Here Sunday

Manager Pittman will take his Spearman sluggers into conflict with the fast nine of Tyrone, Okla., next Sunday on the local home ground. Tyrone is reported to have a strong team and the local boys are planning to pit their best strength against them.

"Egg" Mayor Ousted



This is Mat Wagner, whose recent election as mayor of Winona, Minn., was annulled when he was convicted of violating the state corrupt practice act by distributing eggs for one cent a dozen when the retail price was 18 cents.

Go On Vacation Trip To Rocky Mountains

A. H. Word, Billy Jarvis and Woodville Jarvis left on Saturday for a quite extended trip through the Rocky mountain states. They will visit many places of interest in the west, including Yellowstone National Park. They expect to be away about three weeks, returning here in time for harvest.

Moving to Stratford

John L. Beck and family are moving this week to a farm near Stratford. Mr. Beck recently traded Spearman property for this farm and has a great wheat crop on it this year. Their many friends regret that this estimable family have seen fit to move away from Spearman, but wish them much happiness and prosperity in their new home.

Chicken Pox Is Raging

A number of children, and several grown folks, of the city are suffering with chicken pox. The complaint seems to be of a mild form and, except for a slight inconvenience, is not causing any trouble. It is well that the children have chicken pox during vacation, state many of the parents.

T. I. Harbour, prominent wheat raiser of the Medlin country in north Hutchinson county, was in the first of the week after repairs for his tractors and harvesting machinery. Mr. Harbour states that his wheat is hardly up to standard this year, but that he will have a fair yield. His crop is needing rain again, but in other sections no rain is needed, he states.

Operation Performed By Dr. R. T. Spencer, Who Says He Believes Man's Life Can Be Saved

The squeal of a small pig that he was pushing back with a shovel to keep in an inclosure, almost cost the life of W. A. Van Cleave, prominent farmer who lives 14 miles southwest of Spearman, when he was attacked by an enraged sow late Wednesday afternoon. Without warning and with the ferocity of a mad lion the animal sunk her fangs into Van Cleave's body. He fell to the ground with part of his vitals torn away and fortunately wreathed himself out of the pen or else he likely would have been torn to shreds by the maddened animal. Walter Gillispie, farmer living near by, rushed Van Cleave to Spearman by automobile, where he was taken to the office of Dr. R. T. Spencer for medical attention. A very delicate and serious operation was performed on Van Cleave and in order to offset any chances of lock jaw, he was given a serum by Dr. Spencer. Although he was suffering with intense pain Thursday, Van Cleave was resting fairly well at his home. Unless unforeseen complications set up, Dr. Spencer declared that the man had a chance for recovery.

The farmer had no knowledge of the animal's attack. He was feeding his hogs and had a gate open to the enclosure of the pen. One of the small pigs made an attempt to get through the gate. Van Cleave who had a large spade in his hand and was partly stooped over, pushed the pig back with the spade. It gave a sudden squeal. The sow had apparently been interested in eating nearby, threw herself in the air with raised bristles and buried her treacherous teeth into the man without the slightest warning.

Dr. Spencer, who told of the accident, issued a warning to everyone to be careful at this time of the year in feeding and handling hogs. An enraged hog, he said is a dangerous animal and strikes with the swiftness of a snake, when angered at this time of the year.

GEORGE H. HILL PAYS COMPLIMENT TO CITY

Is Astounded at Rapid Development This Section Is Now Making

George H. Hill, of Roswell New Mexico, official for Nunn-Warren Publishing Company, voiced his astonishment at the rapid development Spearman and this section of the country is making. It was Mr. Hill's first visit to the North Plains for a number of years, when he arrived in the city Wednesday.

In conference with J. Dave Cameron, editor-manager of the Spearman Reporter Mr. Hill said that he was always glad to visit this section of the country and expressed his confidence in the future growth of Spearman and the entire North Plains area.

Mrs. J. C. Todd Joins Her Husband Here

Mrs. J. C. Todd arrived Tuesday from Pecos, Texas, where she joined her husband here. Todd came here several weeks ago as manager of the Panhandle Power & Light Company's new irrigation project in the Palo Duro Valley, 5 1/2 miles west of Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. Todd will make their home at the country place bought by the company, immediately adjoining the irrigation tract.

NEW STREET GRADER FOR CITY IS HERE

Streets Now Will be Kept in Better Shape Says City Manager Sampson

Spearman streets will be kept in better shape, says city manager R. C. Sampson. Thursday the new grader arrived and was immediately put to work smoothing down the rough streets in many parts of the city.

For a long time the city had needed a modern street grader. Old methods used in the past failed to do efficient work. The new grader is of the most modern type to be found, Sampson said. It will be kept operating regularly in keeping the streets up in good shape.

Boring First Helium Gas Well



The first well in America in search of helium gas is being sunk in the San Fernando valley near Los Angeles by A. F. Mercer, who is seen above examining matter brought up by the test drill.

WOMEN HAVE NARROW ESCAPE; CAR BURNS

Away Spill Brings Two Borger Men to Physician For Emergency Treatment

Meroy Dempsey and Hank Darnell, both of Borger, were given aid treatment for cuts and lacerations in the offices of Dr. J. E. Gower at Spearman early Monday morning, following an accident 3 miles southwest of the city on highway 117, when a small coupe in which they were riding, overturned as it rounded a sharp curve. The car burst into flames almost before the two men were thrown free of it, and was completely destroyed. Darnell suffered a severe cut on the head and a slight burn on his arm. Dempsey was less seriously hurt, and received minor cuts and bruises.

According to the story told by Gower by one of the men, they were driving at a high rate of speed on the highway and failed to see a curve. The car turned completely over, barely throwing the men free when it was enveloped in flames.

Gibner and Clogston To Attend Bankers Meet

C. A. Gibner and R. M. Clogston, heads of the First State Bank and the First National bank of Spearman expect to attend the Panhandle Bankers convention to be held in Amarillo June 9. Gibner, who is secretary of the organization said that a large number of bankers from over the Panhandle would be present. A number of prominent speakers from other states are also slated to appear on the program.

Boy Scouts on Camping Trip To Palo Duro

Troop No. 2 Boy Scouts of America, Spearman, went out on the Palo Duro on a camping trip the latter part of last week, returning Sunday evening. Halsey Hulbert was in personal charge of the outing and both he and the boys report a wonderful time on the trip. Other interesting trips are planned for the Scouts during the vacation period.

NEW SIDEWALKS ARE BEING LAID IN CITY

Gaps on Main and Crossings on Bernice Street receive Needed Attention. Gaps in the sidewalks along main street were receiving needed attention this week. Breaks between them were being filled and extended. A new sidewalk crossing on Bernice street was also being laid. In wet weather pedestrians were very much inconvenienced by many breaks in the sidewalks. Citizens declare their approval of such improvement and the convenience as well as a better appearance it will add to the city.

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THIS ISN'T RIGHT!

We fail to see for the life of us, why people living in a small city get such a big "kick" out of the fact that they go out of town to buy merchandise. It seems to take on the shape of a malady with some women in every small city to go "out of town shopping."

If some woman is able to boast the fact that she bought a dress, hat or pair of shoes at so and so's place in a larger city, she seems to think that it exalts her social position and estimation in the sight of her associates.

We do not blame the women alone for this mistake for we go on record here as saying it is a mistake—just as many men are guilty of the act. Men likewise, have just as much vanity as women. We know of some men who never fail to make an apparent casual remark that "I got this suit at the Bo Bosh Shop in Pödukk."

Of course, there are certain exceptions that we must make allowances for. People who are difficult to fit in shoes and in some instances, clothes, there can be no serious objections to them going where extreme sizes and styles are carried in a larger city. But even in those cases, the home merchant can buy what you want if he is but asked to do so.

No man or woman in the city of Spearman, who is in business or who is depending on this city and county for his or her success, should buy anything out of Spearman if there is any possible way at all of buying it in Spearman.

Spearman Merchants carry just as good merchandise as can be found in any city. If something goes wrong with what you buy from them they are here to make it right. Spearman Merchants are just as reasonable in price on their merchandise as other cities. If you are looking for something "cheaper," you can likely find it at other places than Spearman. And if you buy it, you'll get something "cheap" that you will find to be unusually expensive in the long run.

Let none of us have that guilty feeling that we're spending our money out of town for things that can be bought in Spearman. We don't think it right, and we believe you will see the same way if you will only give it some thought yourself.

A GOOD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

You can't get around the fact that the City of Spearman has an efficient chamber of commerce as any city in Texas or any other state.

Why? First because J. W. Ratekin, secretary of the organization with his wisdom of organization plans and the building of trade and commerce, knows more about his business and has done more and is doing more for Hansford County than all the other secretaries put together since Spearman was organized as a city. This is a pretty far-fung assertion, but previous records compared with the past year and a half will prove such a statement.

Another reason why Spearman Chamber of commerce is accomplishing things is because of the absolute loyalty of her president, W. W. Merritt, her officers, directors and members of the organization.

If you had never thought much about what your chamber of commerce is doing, read the monthly bulletin issued for that organization by J. W. Ratekin.

A good chamber of commerce, such as Spearman has is the backbone and the motive force that keeps the spirit of progress moving and keeps a city growing. Every citizen should be proud of our chamber of commerce and should use his influence and efforts in helping it to build Spearman.

FORWARD AND BACKWARD

Many wheat fields in Kansas will not be harvested unless prices for the grain advances. Landlords will allow the fields to stand. This is the viewpoint of a prominent agriculturalist of the Sunflower State. Is this acreage restriction? Speaking of cotton, Commissioner McDonald of the Department of

Agriculture advises Texas growers to convert their carryover cotton into mattresses. This, he said, would keep last year's cotton off the market and perhaps stabilize the price of the new crop of 1931. Are the farmers mattress-makers? —Waco News-Tribune.

Buy It in Spearman.



A monument is to be erected in France to the memory of Isabel Romee, mother of Joan of Arc. On May 31 French and American mothers will carry to the base of the hill at Reul de Sarte the clay model, shown above, of the memorial which is to be erected later. There is a movement on foot in France to name Mother's day after Madame Romee.

To Fly Over Pole



Lieut. Com. Edward H. Smith, United States coast guard, who is to be the only representative of the United States on the Graf Zeppelin when she makes her forthcoming trip over the North pole.

Further Restriction Of Aliens Favored

Houston, Texas, June 4.—"The present American administration is bending its every energy to the work of protecting the rights of our citizen workers from the invasion of foreign labor," Secretary of Labor William N. Doak stated in a recent address here. He continued in part:

"There is to my mind no doubt that laws further limiting the number of immigrants should be enacted. This seems to me to be necessary in the interest not only of our native citizens but of those who have come here from foreign lands and who, after fully complying with the requirement of our laws, have earned rightful residence in our country . . ."

"It is more than regrettable that there have been and still are some immigrants allowed to come to us who seemingly are not at all concerned with improving their own conditions and upholding our institutions, but who cherish and seek to put into effect an entirely different purpose. I am glad that of such immigrants there are comparatively few. There is no place here for those who would come with an intention other than to make and to keep their homes on

School Makes Early Day Pioneer Art Exhibit

Austin, Texas, May 4.—An exhibit of articles relating to early pioneer life in Texas has been arranged in the University of Texas library by Mrs. Mattie Austin Hatcher, University archivist, from gifts made to the library by Mrs. Allie Cockrell Belcher of Austin.

An old blue-back speller, an old fashioned album, chutles used in early Texas days, and scraps of home-spun woven during pioneer times are shown in the collection. A hand-woven counterpane, made during the Civil War by Mrs. Heard of Fayette County, is also displayed.

In addition to these Texasana, Mrs. Belcher has presented the University library with valuable file of Geographic Magazine and World's Work, and with posters of the World War.

a plane with our own standards, and to work with us along the lines of national endeavor. It is a self-evident protective proposition that those who do not sincerely embrace our principles should be made to return to the places from which they came."

Hens Temperamental

Husbandman Says

O. L. Willham, Animal Husbandman of the Panhandle Agricultural Experiment Station, is inclined to believe that they are. He has just completed a four year study of the reactions of laying hens to temperature fluctuations. In an interview Willham says, "Although hens show temperamental characteristics just like high-strung people it is a notable fact that those individuals which are inclined to be good workers pay less attention to what goes on around them are not so sensitive to discouragements."

His investigations, covering a period of four years, made use of about 100 pullets each of which had a record of 200 or more eggs per year. Taken the year around the daily fluctuations of temperature did not affect the laying of high producing White Leghorns very much. It was found, however, that they were more sensitive to temperature changes after a period of high production.

During a period of steady rise or decline of temperature the hens seemed to adapt themselves to changes very well but they became sensitive to the daily fluctuations of temperature after a marked change either upward or downward in the general trend of the season.

Willham concludes that very often the falling off of production which has been attributed to low temperatures is as likely to be caused by other factors, such as feed and care. A report of this study may be obtained by requesting Panhandle Bulletin No. 28 from the Experiment Station at Goodwell, Oklahoma. Further studies regarding climatic conditions such as humidity, wind and rainfall which may affect the comfort of the hens and thereby influence production are in process and probably will be reported later in the year.

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Opening of New Golf Course Postponed To June 14 so Ole Tack Can be Present

The Tackless Texan of Anamorous scribe, philosopher, humorist and not altogether self, has promised that he will be present at the dedication of the new golf course, June 14.

The dedication was to have taken place on Sunday, June 7, but it is possible for Tack to be on hand because of a tournament in the Plains Country presently in progress.

Ole Tack will come from Amarillo with Sikes and Merriam, who will be in all stages of an exhibition for those present.

Tack has promised to start the new golfers off right by them an exhibition of his form.

The event is an open day and is invited to come to the dedication. According to Max, president of the course, it will not be without entertainment features, and near golfers from the surrounding country are invited to come to the dedication. Invitations are being sent to members of golf clubs, Guyton, Hooker, Borger, Daihart, Libera, and Hardesty.

A new nine hole course is now being laid out and local golfers expect it is going to be one of the best courses of its kind on the Plains.

Lawns and greens are in excellent condition to be played on.

SPEARMAN WHAMS GRUVER FOR A 4 TO 1 DRUBBING

Locals Get Off to Good Start in First Frame and Hang Up Three Runs

The Spearman ball club, due to the superb hurling of Nicklaus, handed the Gruver team a 4 to 1 drubbing on the local's home lot Sunday afternoon.

Nicklaus who pitched superb ball to Beck for Spearman had everything in his favor. At only one time was he in any danger and that was in the ninth inning, when a two base hit with two men on chalked up a run for the visitors.

In the first frame, Shradler, Gruver hurler got off to a bad start and Spearman swatted him for 3 runs.

The game was a good one from every angle with plenty of good fielding. Few errors were made during the game. George Shives was the umpire.

Include Mrs. Lelaine Davis Skelly, director, home economics, Texas College of Arts and Industries, Kingsville; Mrs. Cone Johnson, Tyler; Prof. D. Soates, agricultural engineering, and Ernest Langford, architecture, of the college of house planning; and S. E. Asbury, division of chemistry, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, in "Untold Texas Stories."

The general theme of the program this year will be "increasing the profit, comfort, culture, influence and power of every farm family." As in former years, there will be divisions of the program especially suited to the different groups of men, women, boys and girls. These will include lectures and demonstrations on such general topics as clothing, house planning, furnishing and beautification, feeding the family, cultural values in living, livestock and live-stock products, poultry raising, field and orchard. Plays, community singing and motion pictures are being planned to supplement educational features.

Chevrolet Plans Million Demonstrations in Month

A national demonstration campaign, with a goal of one million demonstrations during the month, has been mapped out for June by the Chevrolet Motor Company.

The campaign is in line with Chevrolet's previously expressed opinion that the potential buying capacity of the country is unlimited and requires only intensive sales effort to develop a satisfactory volume, according to H. J. Klinger, vice-president and general sales manager.

The past four months for which registration figures are complete shows that Chevrolet sixes have led the domestic passenger car market.

During the month of June, every one of the 35,000 Chevrolet dealers, sales managers and salesmen will be required to fill an assigned quota of demonstrations, appraisals and sales.

The campaign is unique in that the objective is directly aimed at increasing demonstrations, and that special recognition will be given salesmen who fill their demonstration quota.

During the month the campaign will be strongly supported by dealer window displays, campaign buttons, wind-shield stickers, special advertising literature and helpful guidance from the factory.

"Time and experience have proven that sales are made directly in proportion to the number of convincing demonstrations and this fact was never more true than in the case of the 1931 Chevrolet car. The smooth six cylinder power of this car, together with its beauty of line and wide range of selection makes it unquestionably the great American value of the year," Mr. Klinger said.

MILE-A-MINUTE MARTY



Tech Will Have Largest Grad. Class

Lubbock, Texas, May 4.—Texas Technological will graduate the largest class of its six years existence June 8, when 251 students will be awarded diplomas.

Commencement exercises begin June 6 and extend over a three day period. Dr. Thomas O. Walton, president of Texas A and M and Dr. Ivan Lee Holt of St. Louis, will deliver the commencement addresses.

Read the Reporter every week.

Warning Is Issued Against Fraudulent Scales Inspectors

AUSTIN, June 4.—Retail merchants are warned by M. S. Frazee, weights and measures chief of the department of agriculture, that imposters are traveling over the state charging a fee for inspection of weighing and measuring devices.

According to reports made by accredited inspectors for the division, these men have represented themselves as authorized state inspectors of weights, demanding the right to tests scales. Usually they found something wrong with the scales, and charged a fee for making adjustments.

Accredited state inspectors are not permitted to accept a fee either for inspections or for repairs. They do not, however, make repairs, except in cases where only minor adjustments are needed which take only a short time, and in any event are not allowed to accept a fee for their services.

Official inspectors carry identification cards countersigned by state officials and stamped with the state seal.

One imposter, it was found, threw scales off balance by placing buck shot on the bottom of the scale, out of sight, holding it in place with a wad of chewing gum. He then charged a fee for putting the device back in balance.

Reporter Want Ads Get Results—Just Try One

If Telephone Rates Were \$10 a Month

A telephone would still be low in cost for the person who had one when an emergency arose.

A telephone call may save a life or bring help in many other critical moments.

Why take chances, when it costs only a few pennies per day?

The Western Telephone Corporation of Texas
FRED LUSK, Local Manager

RT COURSE WILL DRAW BIG SPEAKERS

Age Station, Texas, May 4. Numerous speakers of state and national prominence are scheduled to appear on the general program of the twenty-second annual Short Course during the beginning July 27 at the A & M College, announced by H. H. Williamson, vice-president and state agent of the Extension Service, discloses. Authorities expect an attendance in the neighborhood of that of last year, about 4,000. Increased dormitory facilities at the college will be available to care for visitors and excursion rail will be offered, it has been announced. Both the Missouri Pacific and the Southern Pacific will offer rates of one cent each way and round-trip of two-thirds the one way will be offered by other lines.

Among the speakers who have been invited to appear on the general program are: E. F. Moore, vice-president and general manager, American Cotton Cooperative Association, New Orleans; L. J. Taber, master, National Grange, Columbus, Ohio; Hon. Congressman A. F. Lever, with the Federal Farm Board, Columbia, S. C.; J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, Austin; J. B. Thomas, vice-president, Texas Electric Service Company, Fort Worth; Col. C. S. Holland, chairman, agricultural committee, Texas Bankers Association, Houston; William J. Tucker, executive secretary, State Game and Oyster Commission, Austin; President T. O. Walton, Texas A & M College.

A feature of the program for women, as outlined by Miss Mildred Horton, state home demonstration agent, Extension Service, will be a series of talks and demonstrations on new uses for cotton by Miss Catherine Cleveland of the Cotton Textile Institute, New York. Other speakers on the general making program announced

"I Never Fly Recklessly," Boasts Hawks, Speed King

The world's greatest salesman of speed, Flier Frank Hawkes, has taken a day off from flying to protest that he does not want to be a demon, that he is never reck-

UPWARD STEPS

THE LEVEL OF BUSINESS RECOVERY

With all the inevitability of a rising tide, Business is making its way, step by step, to a level of genuine and unshakable recovery. Much of the improvement is due to the enterprise of such progressive business institutions as affiliate themselves with our Bank.

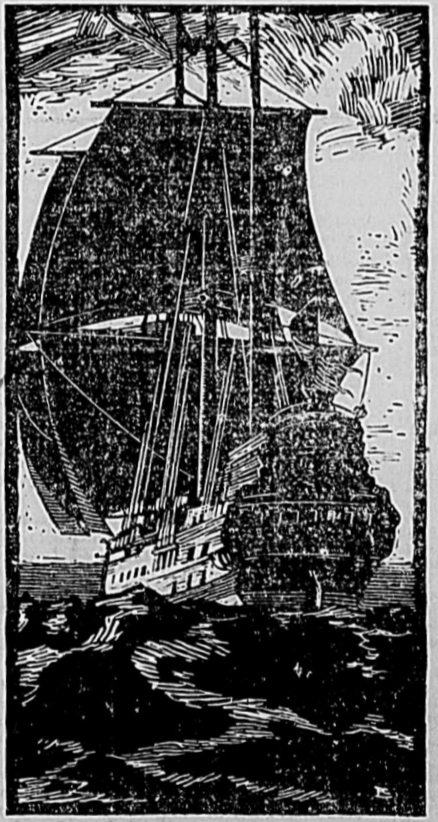
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The Pike's Peak Tests Proved: Germ-Processed Oil Reduces Motor Wear 76.4% over other popular oils tested...

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Travel with a Conoco Passport! . . . Send an outline of your proposed motor trip or let us help plan your trip. Get a Conoco passport, individually marked road maps and other travel helps . . . all FREE! More than 30,000 motorists used this service in the season just past. . . . CONOCO TRAVEL BUREAU . . . Denver, Colorado

IT IS WELL TO CLAIM... BETTER TO PROVE

TOPNOTCHERS

by KET



CONNIE MACK STARTED HIS ILLUSTRIOUS CAREER AS MANAGER IN THE MAJOR LEAGUES WITH THE PITTSBURGH NATIONALS IN 1894 WITH PITTSBURGH 1895 and 1896 and JOINED THE PHILADELPHIA AMERICANS IN 1901. WON WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIPS in the years of 1910, 1911, 1913, 1929 and 1930. WON AMERICAN LEAGUE PENNANT in the following years 1902, 1903, 1910, 1911, 1913, 1914, 1929 and 1930.



Connie Mack
CORNELIUS ME GILLICUDDY

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Letters from the people are always welcomed by the Spearman Reporter. But by no means will any libelous or other matter of such nature that might reflect unjustly on the character of any firm or individual be printed. And furthermore, articles in this column are not to be construed as the editorial voice or policy of the Spearman Reporter. All letters sent the Reporter must be signed before printed and their publication left to the option of the management.

WHAT ABOUT GRAIN

At the meeting of the Grain Dealers Association at Amarillo, recently, I observe the Grain Dealers declare "That the present system of futures trading, which they said so accurately registers supply and demand and minimizes the wide fluctuations in price levels, the Grain Dealers commended such practices and stated they intend to support these methods."

I must admit that our local grain dealers are, as a matter of fact, a necessity in handling the farmers grain as are also the railroads as a means of transportation. But I do object to the grain dealers posing as the friends of the farmers, when they commend the system of futures trading, which they erroneously claim so accurately register supply and demand and minimize the wide fluctuations in price levels.

To my mind the facts do not bear them out in making such a claim. By futures trading, they undoubtedly mean to refer to the work of the Board of Trade. As I see it, the Board of Trade, in dealing in futures is simply betting their money on what the price of grain will be next week, next month or next year. If this is true, and I believe it is, then the so-called Board of Trade, is the biggest gambling institution in the world. Since our grain dealers commend this principle, it must be because this price fixing, by the board of trade enables them to feel more secure in the prices they are paying the farmers.

Does the action of the Board of Trade accurately register the supply and demand and minimize the wide fluctuations in price levels, as claimed by the grain dealers? A careful study of the market reports in the daily papers, to my mind does not bear them out in making such a statement. The market reports rather indicate, that one day the Bulls control the market, and the next day the Bears are in control. So we can readily see, that instead of these gamblers so accurately registering the supply and demand of grain on hand, it merely discloses whether the Bulls or the Bears are in control of market prices. How long must the farmers be duped? Just as long as the gamblers are permitted to control prices. What is the remedy? The Federal authorities should declare the board of trade a gambling institution and put it out of business. Can the Federal Government do that? It can, unless the underworld is stronger than the government. Judge A. E. Townsend.

Plea For Children Of "Neglected Age"

American mothers are again under attack for neglecting their children. Almost all of them, it develops, are guilty, and Dr. Frank Howard Richardson of the American College of Physicians is leading the assault against them. They take good care of their children up to the age of 12 or 18 months, he says, and then leave the little tots to their own devices until about the time they enter school.

"Along toward the end of the first year or year and a half, children enter a period which has come to be known as the 'neglected age,'" he writes in the Woman's Home Companion. "Parents should remember that care and oversight must be continued to keep the child from drifting into a condition called, for lack of a more descriptive title, malnutrition. While the lack of calories per food is but one of the causes of malnutrition, nevertheless food is frequently at fault in one way or another."

"Fortunate is the child who passes through the pre-school age without the development of some one of the faults and vices of posture that we see so commonly even among little children. The most marked of these is the 'fatigue posture.' This is characterized by prominent shoulder blades, flat chest, protuberant abdomen, knock-knees and flat feet, together with the tired expression of the face, that together are almost sufficient to justify the diagnosis of malnutrition without going any farther."

It is an unfortunate fact, however, that while it is almost criminal to try to cure that fatigue posture before straightening out the malnutrition that brought it about, the faulty posture frequently remains even when the child's weight has come up to or beyond that expected for his age and height. In such instances a definite crusade is necessary if the child is to regain the correct posture through the weariness that accompanied them. The modern idea is that exercise, to be effective for permanent improvement, must be enjoyed.

SUNDAY THEATRE

It is significant of public reaction to the statute under which Sunday presentation of theatrical entertainment has been made legal, that the citizens in many Texas cities were not aware that a violation of the law. With the advent of the motion picture, the larger communities have persistently ignored the law, and, even where theatre owners have been prosecuted, penalties inflicted have usually been nominal.

The statute itself is approximately sixty years old. Two decisions of the Court of Criminal Appeals reflect its age. Professional baseball, originating in Texas in 1888, post-dated the law. Effort was made, however, to prosecute for playing Sunday baseball under the Sunday theatre statute. The court held that the parks could not be constructed as theatres and that the law specifically applied to the latter. Hence, Sunday baseball was legal and Legislatures have persistently refused to report out of committee bills to prohibit it. The motion picture was born since the law was passed, but it could not and baseball's convenient loophole, the court ruling, that regardless of the type of performance, it was still a Sunday theatrical exhibition.

Not all Texans, of course, will agree with this bill, which has been twice passed; it was killed the first time by Dan Moody's veto. There is sentiment both for and against Sunday exhibitions, but the statute has the merit of providing for local option. At all events, proponents of Sunday amusement have taken the right path in seeking to eliminate a law they did not like. Laws should be repealed if obnoxious, not violated.—Dallas News.

CAT'S EYE

By Wm. A. Wilbanks
I am making my debut as a columnist and it surely is going to take the effort on my part and even more than that from the readers. They will have to fill

their souls with forgiveness, pity, sympathy and dish it out to me in unlimited quantities after I get started and get caught up for libel or something worse.

There is an old saying about a cat that curiosity killed, that has made me choose the name for this column, "Cat's Eye." He must have had an "all seeing eye." On

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS—By John Hix



MRS. WINNIE JANE CROOKS LIVED UNDER FOUR FLAGS IN ONE STATE—LIVING IN TEXAS, SHE WAS UNDER THE LONE STAR STATE, UNITED STATES AND CONFEDERATE FLAGS AND AGAIN UNDER THE UNITED STATES FLAG.

A CANADIAN GAS BUOY WAS FOUND ON THE SCOTTISH COAST, HAVING TRAVELED 2000 MILES

TWO BLIND MEN WALKED 750 MILES FROM ROUEN TO LOURDES

Mr. Car Owner

Here is what Race Drivers with Life and Victory at Stake have decided about Tires



FOR twenty-one years the Indianapolis two and a half mile circular brick track, surrounded by a concrete wall to keep the cars from dashing off, has been the crucible where at white heat automobiles and tires have been tested. Thousands of men have risked, and some have sacrificed, their lives, and manufacturers have spent millions of dollars to the end of making better automobiles and better tires.

Louis Schneider and mechanic on Saturday won this race in a heavy 8 cylinder car. He made an average speed of 96.629 miles per hour—on the straightaways and in passing cars he touched 140 miles and better. He drove on 6.00-20 Firestone High Speed Tires with racing treads. He had no tire trouble.

He used Firestone Tires because Firestone experts and engineers have through twenty-one years taken this race as a challenge to tire making. From this race they have developed these vital improvements which have given to Firestone Tires the world leadership in safety, mileage and endurance.

1. **Gum-Dipping.** Tires had to be stronger and able to stand the heat of a hot red-brick track at high speed. Firestone met this by developing and perfecting the dipping of cords through a rubber solution to insulate each fiber of every cord to overcome heat and give the cord greater strength—and 58% greater flexibility. This is the Patented Gum-Dipping Process used in the making of every Firestone Tire.

2. **The Balloon Tire** was developed by Firestone to permit greater speed with comfort and safety by increasing road grip and absorbing shocks. It was made possible by the added strength and flexibility given by Gum-Dipping. In the 1925 race, some of the drivers tried the then new Firestone Balloons. The others stuck to high-pressure tires. Peter de Paolo on Firestone Balloons made a world's record. All the prize winners came in on Firestone Balloons—Now the balloon tire is everywhere the standard.

3. **Double Cord Breaker.** The higher-powered cars and the step-up in speed demanded still more tire toughness. At one hundred miles an hour, the circumference of a tire increases by more than 10%, and this, added to the centrifugal force, tends to throw off the tire treads. Firestone met this by developing the Patented Double Cord Breaker which gives a 56% stronger bond between the tread and the tire body and also gives a 26% greater protection against punctures and blowouts.

These are some of the great lessons that Firestone has learned on this racing track. And so the men whose lives and fortunes depend on knowing tires always buy Firestone Patented Gum-Dipped Double Cord Breaker High-Speed Tires.

There were 72 entries. Of these, 40 survived the elimination trials—and every one of them was on Firestone Tires. And every tire was bought and paid for.

We give you the benefit of all the lessons Firestone has learned from these races. You can get from us all the strength and safety in tires that the racing drivers buy.

The Gold Standard of Tire Value



World's Records

—Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires hold all world's records on road and track for safety, mileage, speed and endurance.

—for twelve consecutive years they have won the 500-mile Indianapolis Endurance Race.

—were on the winning cars in the Pike's Peak Race where a slip meant death.

—were on the G.M.C. Truck, carrying a two-ton load, that hung up the coast-to-coast endurance record.

—were on the Studebaker car which on a board track in Atlantic City in 1928 went 30,000 miles in 26,326 minutes.

—on 125 buses of the Washington Electric & Railway Company, ran 3,674,266 bus miles during 1930 with only 13 tire days.

—on 150 trucks of the Safeway Stores, Inc., ran 1,500,000 miles in one year without one single hour of delay on the road.

Take advantage of our liberal trade-in plan. Avoid the risk of blowout, accident or delay. Prices on these World's Record Tires are the lowest in history. Come in Today.

Ladies' Rest Room Consumers Sales Co. Ice Cold Pop

it was over, but knowing that I am very "close mouthed" she decided to let me in on it if I wouldn't let anyone know about it until it was over. I knew that Butch Hale could keep it so I decided to let him but I was too late. Opal Cline had been told, so she decided that Butch should have a secret to keep and she told him. I decided I should let someone have a good secret to keep, but I found that I was the last one who had received the secret. Herbert Campbell, Gladys Van Burkleo, Bill Burran and others were kept in the same secret. Isn't it surprising how secrets keep—traveling.

Dawson Richards is operating a miniature irrigation project on the lawn of the Baptist church passed there at noon today and he offered to give sons in "Plain and Fancy" school. I knew there was a catch on the while.

Herbert Campbell, Gladys Van Burkleo and Vera Campbell were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merritt Sunday. There is one thing you can say about Herbert. He is a very fine "eater out" for his size and Gladys is no slouch, either.

Bernyce Burran came in the office Saturday all excited. She had been told that Myrtle Balentine and Raymond Keith were going to get married Saturday when he got off from work. They told her not to let anyone know about it until



Just Arrived—
1931 WALL PAPER PATTERNS...
See Them Today
FREE illustrated catalogue—come in and get yours now.

GOLF

NOW is the season when fair days and fine fields permit you to indulge to the limit in your favorite pastime. You'll enjoy the game more and play it better with our better sports goods equipment—fox golf, tennis, baseball, hunting and angling.

PHONE 44—SPEARMAN

Womble Hardware

Play the Game Better
---Enjoy it more with

GOLF OUTFITTING

from

Cambell's

We've a new shipment of Golf Knickers that are knockouts. You'll like the new colors, the snap and the fact that a pair of them will make you look like a real Golfer. Come in today and pick out the pair that you want. They're priced very reasonable.

ATTEND GOLF OPENING DAY, JUNE 14

NOW THE GOLF SHOE YOU HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR—

The FRIENDLY FIVE GOLFER Is here. Sturdy, two color, moccasin toe, rubber cleated soles, cant-slip heels. A great value for sport and Golf. Why pay more when you can buy a shoe like this for—

\$5.00

Cambell's STORE

Golf Balls---
Guaranteed 3 for - - - **\$1.00**

**Ches and
Conference
Meeting**

Zone of the Perryton West Texas Conference at the Methodist Church, Spearman, Texas, Wednesday evening at eight p. m. in six automobiles, and drove to the edge of the caprock and there boarded a truck which hauled the bunch to the bottom of the canyon over a road that a mountain goat would fear an accident.

A weiner roast was next in order, including all the trimmings such as pickles, marshmallows, pork and beans, buns etc. After everyone had satisfied their hunger games were played until a late hour.

Among those present were: Misses Bernyce Burran, Vera Campbell, Gladys Van Burkleo, Olivette Hancock, Willie Helen Lamb, Lorene Morton, Eva DeArmond, Opal Cline, Mrs. J. B. Cooke, Mrs. Lois Kirk, Messers: Tom Wynn, Loyd Copeland, Herbert Campbell, Arthur Kirk, Bill Burran, A. W. Shirley, Chas Ing, Butch Hale, Arnold Wilbanks, Raymond Kirk, Bill Kirk, J. B. Cooke and Norris Meek.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kirk
Entertain With Picnic**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kirk entertained a number of young folks with a picnic at their ranch in the Canadian breaks last Thursday.

The picnicers left Spearman Thursday evening at eight p. m. in six automobiles, and drove to the edge of the caprock and there boarded a truck which hauled the bunch to the bottom of the canyon over a road that a mountain goat would fear an accident.

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W. M. S. Has Call Meeting

The W. M. S. met in call meeting, May 29, at the home of Mrs. C. D. Foote, as our regular meeting was omitted. The meeting was opened by prayer by Mrs. H. A. Nichols. The scripture lesson was given by Mrs. H. P. Bailey, after which we had our business session and was dismissed by Mrs. A. F. Barkley, to meet June 3 with Mrs. J. D. Hester. Twelve were present.

Women's Council

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church held a very interesting meeting last Thursday afternoon, after which an hour was spent in quilting. A short program was rendered which was enjoyed by all. Then a surprise was given Mrs. Womble, who is leaving for Mineral Wells. Dainty refreshments were served to the following:

Mesdames: Cone, Cook, Allen, Carruth, Batson, Sheets, Dressen, Briley, Olin Womble, Shives, Gene Hill, Jacobs, J. M. Blodgett, Ralph Blodgett and Jesse Womble.

One of the largest corporations in Texas has issued a general order to all district managers and more government printed envelopes. The active heads of the organization did not know it was being done until called to their attention, and the above order was issued forthwith. This example could be followed with profit by every business man. The government has no more business selling printed envelopes than it has groceries, drugs or dry goods, and if enough encouragement is given along this line, it could result in taking over many other lines.

McLean News.

Miss Hazel Gay of Morse is spending the week visiting with relatives and friends in Spearman.

C. F. Mahan was transacting business in Spearman Saturday, preparatory to the harvest rush.

**Believe Vacationists Will
Be More in Number In 31**

Automobile vacation travel during the summer of 1931 will be even greater than during previous years, if indications now in the hands of the Conoco Travel Bureau, Denver, may be taken as a criterion. Requests for the services of this motor tour planning service are far ahead of 1930, according to a statement of the Bureau director. Nearly a fifty percent increase in the number of travelers asking for tour plans and maps has been reached during the first four months of this year over a corresponding period in 1930.

An estimate based on the figures compiled to date by the Conoco Travel Bureau indicates that of the 26,000,000 automobile owners in the United States not less than one-half will this summer take motor vacation trips of some nature. The trips will range from week-end jaunts to tours totaling several thousand miles.

"There is a definite swing toward the carefully planned vacation motor tour," says E. S. Karstedt, chairman of the board of directors of the Conoco Travel Bureau. "In offering the services of our bureau to the public to plan every detail of the automobile trip, furnish maps, etc., we find a rapidly increasing response. A staff of over a score of trained people is required in our Denver headquarters to route tours, mark maps, issue information and attend to the myriad details of help-

ing the American motorist to see America and enjoy it."

Karstedt further states that the growing response to the no-cost services of the Conoco Travel Bureau is largely due to effective newspaper advertising. "We are advertising this service in newspapers more widely this year than last," he says, "approximately 400 newspapers are carrying our advertising messages to more than 10,000,000 readers."

"In our advertising we are urging the motorist to take a motor vacation. We stress the scenic beauties and historically interesting spots of America and endeavor to create and urge to see them. In addition we outline our tour-planning service and tell of the Conoco Passport which entitles the holder to special courtesies at service stations along the road."

"The greater part of this advertising is just now appearing, but early returns assure us that many thousands of motorists will respond. It seems certain that there

will be a considerably larger number of motor vacationists this year than last."

It is said that rattlesnakes appear to be more numerous this year than usual. Boys and picnic parties should be careful while passing through tall grass or weeds not to come in contact with one of these vicious gentlemen. One should be especially cautious while in the breaks adjacent to some lake. There ought to be a liberal bounty for every dead rattlesnake. They are not fit to live in a civilized community. A campaign of extermination should be waged against them.—Lynn County News.

The county road gang which is at present grading the road south toward the State line is reported to be making very good progress. Some delay, however, has been occasioned this week by having to overhaul one of the county tractors. When this stretch of road is finished to the Texas State line

connection with the Texas road will give a direct route to Spearman, Texas.—Hardesty, (Okla.) Times.

Rev. LEE S. DRASHENBERG and his Gospel Workers will conduct their evangelistic meeting through another week AT PERRYTON Services Both Night and Noon Good Male Quartett and Big Choir COME OUT AND HEAR THE GOSPEL

—NO. SE-5—

Servel Hermetic REFRIGERATOR

- Unit Used—HS-10B
 - Food Storage Capacity, Net—5 cu. ft.; food shelf area 9 sq. ft.
 - Ice Cube Capacity—No. cubes, 65; lbs. ice, 6
 - Exterior Dimensions, Over all—Height, 55 1/8 inches; width, 25 7/8 inches; depth, 26 inches
- The standard models have doors hinged on right side, but available with doors hinged on left side without any additional charge.

Spearman Hardware

Oklahoma Wheat Pool Elevator Corporation

A subsidiary, owned and controlled by the Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma Wheat Growers Associations; the Southwest arm of the great Farmer's National Grain Corporation, with headquarters in Chicago. These organizations are pure co-operatives, and their fundamental purpose is to render service as cheaply as concerns running for profit, and through volume to gain a measure of control for the producers in the price-making machinery of the Chicago Wheat Pit.

We hold it self-evident that farmers are not able to exert an influence on the market except through control of marketing machinery, and by marketing machinery we do not mean small country elevators, which are merely delivery points, but control of the large distributing agencies in the terminal centers.

Our General Manager is Vice-President and member of the Executive Board of the Farmers National Grain Corporation. With the Farm Board withdrawing active support to the market, the job of staving off world prices is left to the Farmers National.

Help get the grain gamblers off your back by selling your grain to Farm Board agencies, and watch us grow.



Are YOU a Citizen of THIS Community?

THE people who really want our community to prosper support local business with their patronage.

They trade at home. They are interested in local progress, in local improvements and in local safety through sound measures of protection.

We are qualified to render a service of protection to the people of our community, by providing dependable insurance for their exacting requirements.

Ansford Abstract Company
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Keep Foods Better At Lower Cost

Frigidaire

See the New One and you'll get a new conception of Better Electric Refrigeration.

NOW ON DISPLAY—EASY TERMS

JOE PERRY

LOCAL DEALER

Morton's Garage

Spearman



How to Make Your Picnic A Success

Choose a calm, clear day. Find a quiet and picturesque spot. Work up an appetite. THEN dig into those priceless sandwiches made with that inimitable Mity-Nice Sandwich Bread. Our sandwich loaf has home-baked flavor, firm texture, crisp golden crust.

SANDWICH LOAF 15c

Quality Bakery

"A HOME INSTITUTION"

FOOD SPECIALS

Friday and Saturday

- SOUR PICKLES, No. 10 53c
- PAN TREE TOMATOES, 3 cans 25c
- PAN TREE CORN, 3 cans 25c
- RAISINS, 2 pounds 19c
- PINK SALMON 15c
- PRESERVES, 4 pound glass 98c
- CORN MEAL, 24 pounds 75c
- PURE SORGHUM, 1/2 gallon 45c

Spearman Equity

PHONE 27 WE DELIVER

NORTH PLAINS FARMER-STOCKMAN

Devoted to the Agricultural Interests of Hansford and Adjoining Counties



The Farm Filosafer Says

They tell a farmer to raise more chickens, produce more cream—to diversify. How in heck can a farmer sell stuff like that when a truck load will glut the local market?

They urge us old farmers to "live on the farm—produce what you eat," and raise the dickens with us if we fail to buy a load of groceries every time we come to town.

The farm board says we've got to cut down on our supply of farm products before they'll ever go up. If we'd quit lending money to Russia to produce cheap wheat and other farm products to ship into this country that ought to help a little bit.

President Hoover's cabinet says we're over the depression and its time for prosperity again. We figured as to how that propaganda would start cropping out since it ain't very far off to another presidential election.

Farmer's Prayer:
Give us this day our daily Bread
(at \$1.50 a sack—wheat 35c a bushel)

Forgive us of wearing patched pants
(Even tho cotton is 8 cents a pound)

Lead us not into believing all the bunk we hear
(For the white collared guy has to do something for pasture)

Deliver us from Hoover in 1932
(Let's elect Will Rogers)

And we hope that you'll stay with us
(For it seems that nobody else is)—Amen.

White Clover Grows Well On R. V. Converse Farm

R. V. Converse of this county has planted several acres of white clover this season and says that it is growing off in good shape.

In studying soils of different states, Converse made the discovery that soil in Hansford county compares favorably with some of the largest white clover producing sections in Michigan, Illinois and other states.

The clover, he says, is a very hardy plant and does not require as much water as alfalfa. It also makes a better pasture for livestock, he says.

TREATMENT OF FREEZE DAMAGED SHRUBBERY

Goodwell, Okla., June 4.—F. P. Eshbaugh, Horticulturist of the Panhandle Experiment Station, makes the following statement.

"Much damage was done to trees and shrubs over a large part of Oklahoma, Kansas and northern Texas. Arbor vitae were killed outright in many places, and in other they were frozen to the main stems. Privet, roses, althea, barberry and honeysuckle were badly frozen. Some were killed to the ground this season while heretofore they had withstood our winters nicely. An unusually warm February with a mild March encouraged growth which was caught in zero weather the last week of March. The normal temperature mean for November to March at Goodwell is 39.9 degrees. The 1930-31 mean temperature for this period was 40.1 or slightly warmer than normal. However, February was five degrees above normal and March 6.6 degrees below normal, with April 3.0 degrees subnormal.

"In bringing the shrubs and trees back to a healthy growing condition all dead wood should be sheared off as soon as possible. The arbor vitae are slower to recover and must reorganize their growing system before they will green up again. Some of them were hit so severely that it is doubtful if they will recover their normal shape without some assistance. George R. Phillips, State Forester, says regarding arbor vitae "it would seem to me best to leave the plants as they are until you get some indication of how much of the wood will send out new shoots. It is possible the tips will not do this, so in order to get sunlight into the new shoots it is advisable to shear off the tips. When the young growth gets under way and is out two inches or so it may be advisable to shear a little in order to keep it dense or a well formed tree will be re-established.

Eshbaugh does not feel that the freeze experienced this spring with such disastrous results need cause some beautifiers great worry. This happened to be one of those dead seasons which serve to undo the idea of winter hardiness, yet it may not have another like it in a long time."

DIVERSIFICATION IS PAYING ONE FARMER

Litch Sparks, Successful Dairy Operator Planted More Than 200 Acres Row Crop

Diversification with a variety of row crops, is proving successful on Litch Sparks' farm west of Spearman. This year, Sparks has in over 200 acres of row crops, consisting of maize, kaffir corn, cane and higeria.

Feed is the main problem that Sparks has to look after on his modern dairy. With more than 50 high grade milk cows, the proper kind of feed must be had in order to keep them producing milk at their best.

Sparks is an energetic farmer who preaches and practices diversification. Not only does he say it is absolutely necessary in the operation of a modern dairy, but declares that the only hope of the farmer of the North Plains is a plan of diversification.

Sparks says that he can see the evil of one crop and further says that before this country shall enter into its full measure of prosperity, farmers must plant crops other than wheat alone.

Many farmers of the county are coming to the same conclusion as that of Sparks. Hansford county soil, they aver, will produce many kinds of profitable row crops. This county has already proven itself to be well adapted to the production of livestock as well as a good dairying country for the production of raw milk and butterfat.

Huge tracts of land in this county, now under cultivation for wheat only, must eventually be cut up into smaller tracts and farmed more intensively, with other crops for the best development of Hansford County, Sparks says, which is also the consensus of opinion of other farmers in this section.

A soil survey for Hansford county will not cost the citizens anything. It will be to the interest of every farmer to sign the petition that is being circulated at the present time.

HARVESTING EXPECTED TO BEGIN EARLY IN JULY

Wheat Is Now Heading Out And Is Well Advanced For Time of Year

Farmers are making preparations now for the 1931 wheat harvest. All machinery is being put in shape to handle the crop as quickly and systematically as possible. Granaries are being worked over and in some cases, new ones are being built.

Farmers say that the crop is well advanced for this time of year and many of them expect to begin harvesting in the early part of July.

Wheat over the county generally is in normal condition. Most of it is headed out or beginning to head out. The stalk is of medium height with comparatively little fodder, which is claimed will help considerably with holding the yield up.

Various estimates have been given as to the amount of wheat per acre that likely will be produced in the county this year. Farmers who know a field of wheat when they see it and are able to tell pretty well this early, say that this county will produce an average crop, providing nothing unforeseen hinders it.

Rain during the past two weeks, which fell over the entire county, followed by cool weather, is helping to keep the wheat up to its full growth in fruiting and filling out.

In the south and east part of the county, more rain has been reported and wheat has a greater possibility for a better yield than in some other localities.

Farmers are shaking their heads rather unfavorably, at the present low price quotation of wheat. However, it is believed that the price will be up enough to justify the work they have put in on this crop and will bring them a fair profit for their labors.

Mrs. W. L. Barkley and Mrs. Bert O. Cator were in from their ranch homes on the headwaters of the Palo Duro, near Morse, Saturday of last week, visiting with friends and trading.

Diversification Being Practiced In Texas, Says Agr. Report

Agriculture in Texas generally, seems to be on a sounder basis, according to a bulletin issued June 1, by the agricultural development department of the Santa Fe Railway Company. The report says:

General agricultural conditions throughout Texas are very favorable. Diversification is noticeably being practiced to a greater extent than at any time heretofore.

Continued cold weather during early May delayed normal progress of the 1931 cotton crop, but dry weather in the latter part of the month enabled growers to make headway in catching up with field work. However, many sections still are ten days to two weeks late. Grass and weeds are bad in the wet areas. The best progress has been made in the Gulf Coast sections, where cotton chopping is well advanced, and stands are good. In other sections progress has been slow to fair with spotted stands. Considerable replanting is under way in northern and western sections. Warm weather is needed to bring the crop to normal. Underground moisture conditions are excellent in

most areas and insect damage has been negligible. A substantial decrease in cotton acreage is apparent except in the western counties where the acreage is about the same as last year.

Small grains are in excellent condition with indications pointing to a record crop. Oat yields will amount to 100 bushels per acre. Rice acreage in coastal areas will show a substantial increase. Most fields are seeded and up to a good stand with conditions favorable for a heavy production. Potato production in Eagle Lake and East Texas sections is showing a large increase over that of recent years. Vegetable movement from East Texas is now well under way and will continue brisk during June.

Although the condition of winter wheat in the Texas Panhandle-Plains section is somewhat spotted, due to dry weather and various other causes, a large crop, equal to or greater than that of 1929—the high record year—is expected. Recent rains in the plains counties helped the crop

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CLUB GIRLS GO IN FOR TREE PLANTING CAMPAIGN

Wellington, June 4.—Two hundred Chinese elms from the Experiment Station at Chillicothe and about 200 seedlings from the four-year-old trees at the River Crest Country Club have been distributed to 411 club girls, home demonstration club women and five schools, according to the report of Miss Paralee Brock, home agent of Collingsworth county. In addition the 80 club girls have planted 60 vines, 106 shrubs, 85 trees and 76 beds of flowers and they have cleaned their yards 132 times.

Harvest will be in full swing by June 25. Ranges are in good condition. Moisture and stock water are abundant and many animals are fat. A record number of grass fat sheep have moved to markets.

Farmer Sells Syrup At Good Price

Crockett, June 4.—A public will pay a premium for superior products if it is assured of getting what it pays for. The experience of a county farmer who can sell his syrup for as much as 15¢ per gallon on the retail market, C. E. Anderson who lives near Crockett, has learned to make a grade of uniform quality that is sold with a special label and printed a guarantee that the syrup must please the customer or money will be refunded. Anderson has replaced his buckets out of 10,000 which had only slightly while on a merchant's

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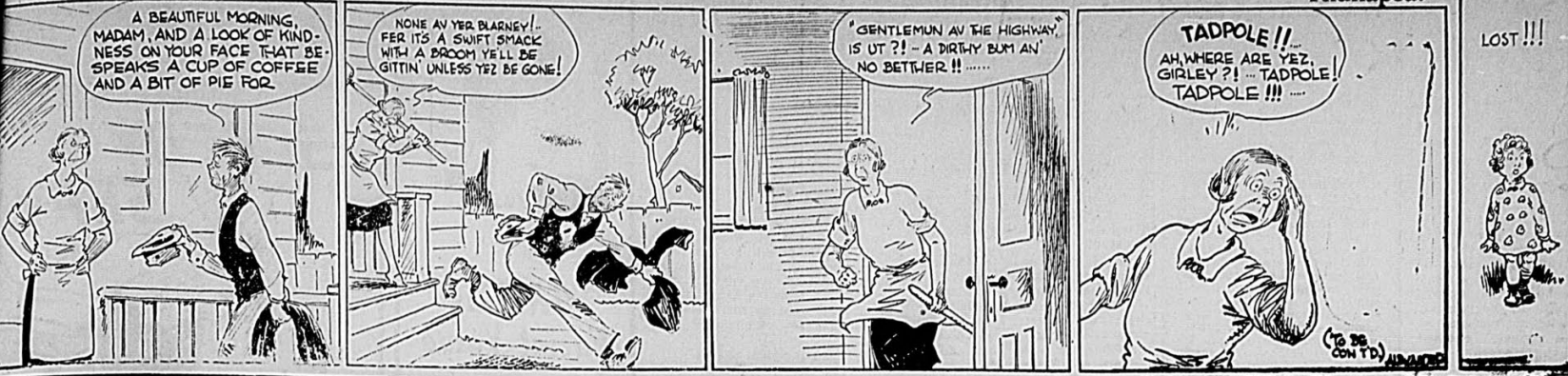
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NEY OF THE FORCE

By F. O. Alexander



ational Sunday School Lesson

By DR. J. E. NUNN

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

Topic:—Jesus Crucified. Lesson:—Luke 23:33.

When they came unto which is called the Calvary, they crucified him. One of the thieves said to the other, 'I have done wrong, but I have not been crucified with him. Let us be hanged here with him.'

A tardy relief. The heart of many a hardened sinner has been broken in contemplating that the Saviour went through this ordeal.

'Words From the Cross.' v. 34 'And Jesus said, Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do.' This is the first of the seven 'Words from the Cross,' probably spoken during the agonizing first stages of fastening the Saviour to the cross. This utterance shows that our Lord, at a time when most men shrieked and cursed, was engaged in prayer, not for himself, nor even for his dear ones, but for his enemies; and more than that, that he was finding in their ignorance of what they were doing an excuse for their terrible deed.

Jesus On the Cross—Mocked and Derided. vs. 36-39

The writers emphasized the fact of sin and the spiritual anguish of our Lord by recording the scoffing which he had to endure. The rulers taunted him with accusations of failure: 'He saved others, let him save himself.'

The Thief on the Cross—'Saved By Grace' v. 43

To one of the robbers, however, something happened. While the other was railing on Jesus he suddenly bursts into speech.

Introduction

To gain a clear idea of the event, the crucifixion, it is important to compare and contrast the accounts of all four Gospels. Because of the excitement of the terrible hours each Gospels reported the certain particulars that had happened; so these several Gospels differ, but are not in conflict. There is some confusion as to the order of events, but minor details, is perfectly clear.

Crucifixion

Crucifixion is of all deaths the most horrible, and possibly the most painful. The Jews did not like crucifixion; the Romans had to have got it through the centuries. The crucifixion was a very firm set in the ground, the victim was then with extended arms tied to the cross, to which his hands were attached. Then by means of ladders ropes he was raised to a position that his feet would be attached to a foot from the ground. A cross-bar was then either nailed to the upright. Then the dying man was placed between the two uprights, and his feet were stretched down and either spiked through with one long nail or separately nailed to the cross. As the unfortunate victim laid hand until death came as

World Expert Says Farm Crop Outputs Must Be Regulated

AUSTIN, Tex., June 3.—Delegates to the International Chamber of Commerce meeting in Washington, D. C., who advocated controlled regulation of farm production expressed views coinciding almost exactly with purposes of the Olsen acreage reduction bill, J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, pointed out today.

The Washington dispatches quoted Alfred Falter, chairman of the Polish delegation, and Dr. H. L. Russell, former dean of the college of agriculture at the University of Wisconsin, as saying agricultural production must be adapted to demands. Falter declared the needs for regulation was 'imperative' according to the dispatches.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

The State of Texas, County of Hansford. To: C. C. Shield, Jeffie R. Jackson, S. E. Green and John M. Whitson, non-resident land owners of Hansford County, Texas; You are hereby notified that the undersigned jury of free-holders acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, will on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1931, proceed to lay out and survey a road commencing at the S. W. corner of Section No. 152, in block No. 41, Orange T. & N. O. Ry. Co., and thence east on section lines along the south lines of sections Nos. 152 and 151 to a point where such road will intersect State Highway No. 117 and terminating at said last mentioned point; and which may run through or along the section lines of certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, Texas, at the office of the County Clerk until 2 p. m. of June 15th, 1931, for the furnishing and equipment of the new Hansford County Court House, Spearman, Texas. Plans and specifications have been prepared by Townes, Lightfoot & Funk, Architects, Amarillo, Texas, which include Court Room furniture, steel furniture, and other miscellaneous items.

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The State of Texas, County of Hansford. To: Mrs. I. B. Blodgett, Mrs. Estaline Pitter, and C. W. Carson, Jr., non-resident land owners of Hansford County, Texas; Notice is hereby given that the undersigned jury of free-holders acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, will on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1931, proceed to lay out and survey a road commencing at the N. E. corner of Section No. 1, in Block No. 1, H. & C. Ry. Co., and running thence south on section lines a distance of two miles to the S. E. corner of Section No. 26 in Block 'R' B & B, and terminating at said last mentioned point; and which may run through or along the section lines of certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

For Street Wear

This neat little suit in silk crepe with double-breasted jacket makes a very attractive outfit for street wear.



R. V. Converse, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

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WAKA NEWS

By Beatrice Becker

Rev. O. F. Fieler concluded his series of lectures and sermons Monday night. The attendance at these services has been well and have been enjoyed by everyone. A Communion Service was the feature of Monday night's meeting. Afterwards Mr. Fieler awarded prizes to Miss Ruth Stump who found the most Bible references quickets and most correctly, and to Messrs. Grant Becker and W. H. Forbers for winning in a picture guessing contest. In the picture guessing contest, a card was flashed on the screen with a number of pictures on it. The contestants were to guess at the number. There were thirty six pictures on it and the two winners guessed thirty-five and thirty-seven.

Rev. Fieler is well pleased with the meeting and wishes to express his thanks and appreciation to all who attended and helped make it a success.

Mr. W. L. Lawson of near Guyton, brother of John Lawson attended the communion service at the Brethren church Monday night.

The 4-H Clubs of Ochiltree County will have their annual overnight outing Wednesday and Thursday, near Horse Shoe Bend, south of Perryton. The 4-H clubs of Waka, Lonetree, Ochiltree, Perryton and McMillen will participate in this event.

A weiner roast was given Tuesday night by the young boys who lost in a contest conducted by Rev. Fieler.

R. E. Carley of Goodwell, Oklahoma spent Sunday visiting with his sister, Mrs. J. P. Berry.

Mrs. R. E. Carley of Goodwell visited her aunt, Mrs. L. W. Lawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Burger are the proud parents of a 6 1/2 pound baby girl, born Saturday.

The Waka 4-H Club will have their regular business and social meeting at the school building Thursday night. The social committee has arranged an interesting program and refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Becker and family were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Butler Sunday.

Mr. E. R. Stump visited his sister's grave at Boise City, Oklahoma, decoration day and others at Griggs and Guyton, Oklahoma.

A number of people from Waka attended the decoration day services held at the Ochiltree Cemetery Sunday afternoon.

John Glassey was a business visitor to Spearman Monday.

Notice Eastern Star

Easter Star will meet in regular session Friday night, June 5, at 7:30. Initiation and installation of officers will be held. All members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

VELENA ALLEN, W. M.

Gives That Demure Look



Roberta Gale, young Radio Pictures featured player, looks very demure in this gown of silk crepe with lace cap sleeves and inset at neck.

Mrs. J. E. Womble and children and Miss Ida Douglas left Monday for Mineral Wells where they will stay for a short visit.

Mrs. Fred Twyman and little daughter Peggy Jane were here this week visiting with Mrs. Grace King.

Miss Evelyn Schneider of Perryton was a business visitor in Spearman Wednesday.

Farm Service by Bank

A farm service department was inaugurated a year ago by a bank in Olympia, Washington, and a farm advisor appointed. Close cooperation has been maintained with the state college extension service. Work in dairying is carried on in conjunction with the Dairy Herd Improvement Association. Also a pasture contest was held in cooperation with the four banks in the county which offered prizes amounting to \$100. Work in poultry was carried on in cooperation with the Co-operative Poultry Association and assistance was given in organizing an economic conference for the benefit of berry growers. The farm advisor of the bank is active in the Agricultural Council of the county composed of farm and other organizations interested in agricultural development, and also in the Farmers' Market. Six hundred farm business analysis blanks were distributed while farm account books and poultry record books were also provided to farmers and have been helpful in starting many farmers in keeping business records.

Want Ads

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FOR SALE—Good team heavy work mules, worth the money. Spearman Hardware. 2522p.

PLENTY OF choice Sudan seed at \$7.50. Other field seeds and bright yellow milk for chick feed. Porter Elevator. 2621p.

1929 CHEVROLET truck for sale at bargain. See Pete Vernon. 2621p.

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"If I ever have a Columbus monument in advertising, it will be for the discovery that the advertising of instant benefit to merchant and customer is in the daily newspaper of known circulation."

"When times are hard and people are not buying, that is the very time advertising should be

heaviest. You want to get people in to see what you have. You must advertise to do that. If there's one thing the quitter should let alone it's advertising."

By 1888 he had begun the advertising policy of full page space, a step that was followed all over the nation. When he opened his New York store in 1896, he immediately used the newspapers and rapidly attained the same position for the metropolitan store that he had won in Philadelphia.

With the leadership of this newspaper in this community, it is the only effective way for merchants to reach the people and obtain wide spread results. This newspaper is not selling space alone; it wishes the advertising to be prepared in the best manner possible so that it will have real reader interest.—Childress Daily Index.

Read the Reporter every week.

Look!

What You Save Friday and Saturday

SPUDS, per peck	25c
ORANGES, medium, per dozen	17c
MUSTARD, per quart	18c
APRICOTS, per gallon can	59c
CHEESE, per pound	17 1/2c
TOMATOES, Fresh, per pound	10c

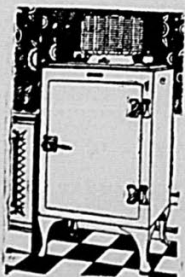
Jitney Jungle

Save a Nickle On a Quarter



Just imagine!

We thought we couldn't afford one



Terms As Low As
\$10.00
Down
24 MONTHS
TO PAY

GENERAL ELECTRIC ALL-STEEL REFRIGERATOR

Join us in the General Electric Hour—NBC Network—Saturday 1 P. M.



The General Electric Refrigerator is not an expense. A family in the most moderate circumstances can afford one. For the actual experience of General Electric owners proves that the savings made possible through its use repay the cost of a General Electric in two years time.

The most important savings are due to food protection made possible by the constant, dry cold. Spoilage is prevented. Leftovers are utilized. Foods can be bought in quantities—on special bargain days—at lower prices. In health, and in savings of time and labor, the dividends are just as tangible.

Buy the refrigerator with the Monitor Top—a symbol of saving. Sealed within is the entire simple mechanism—permanently oiled. Beautiful cabinets are all steel—porcelain lined—easy to clean—and exceptionally roomy.

Drop in today and let us show you in dollars and cents how your General Electric will pay for itself.



Get This Facial Value

Keep your face youthful this Summer. We are now offering a course of regular \$2.00 facials—6 for the low price of \$7.50.

Special attention given to permanents and all beauty work.

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FOR APPOINTMENT

MRS. V. O. DAVIS

BARKLEY STREET

Mrs. Dick Tice of Spearman underwent an operation for appendicitis, performed by Dr. May in the May Hospital at Perryton last Thursday. At this writing she is doing very nicely.

Mrs. R. A. Vaughn day for Texoma, make an extended friends and relatives.

Buy It in Spearman

SPEEDY SERVICE

But Very Careful

We put ourselves out, in order to give you service. We haul everything. Just give us order and we'll do the rest.

Mizar Truck Line

Spearman-Amarillo

Phone

Wash Dresses



A perfectly adorable group of frocks for many needs. You'll marvel at their exquisite workmanship, smart styles, and lovely colorings. Prints, Voils, Piques and other sheer summer materials as designed by Mary Dean and Nelly Don. For Street and Home Wear.



Each . \$1.95

These are Real Values

Thomason Brothers

THE QUALITY STORE

EST. 1904

Enjoy a KELVINATOR

these warm days

It costs you less now and will

Cost You Less in the Long Run!

- 1.—World's Fastest Freezing
- 2.—Greatest ice-making capacity.
- 3.—Frost-Chest has below freezing temperature.
- 4.—4-way cold (4 different automatically regulated temperatures in the same refrigerator.

You Waste Time, Energy and Money on Old Methods . . . Use a Kelvinator.

"No Kelvinator Has Ever Worn Out" . . . 1914 - 1931

Harbison Furniture Co.

SPEARMAN'S EXCLUSIVE FURNITURE STORE

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