

The Spearman Reporter

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MORE THAN \$600,000 IS DUE HANSFORD COUNTY

BIGGEST COUNTY FAIR IN TEXAS OPENS SEPT. 21-26

For the third consecutive year since 1931, O. L. "Ted" Taylor is secretary-manager of the Tri-State Fair, which will be held September 21-26 in Amarillo. Taylor has served the fair association in that capacity every year the late Wilbur C. Hawk was president.

When he was elected unanimously as president, Gene Howe, editor and publisher of the Amarillo News-Globe, who is known everywhere as "Old Tack", accepted with the understanding that Taylor again would be the sec-mgr.



"This year the Tri-State Fair has spent more money preparing for the exposition than ever before in the history of the association," Taylor declares.

"This expenditure has been justified by the over-increasing crowds that daily go through the exposition's free gates," continued Taylor.

Almost a month ago more than 4,000 catalogs of the 1936 exposition were mailed at the direction of the secretary mgr.

Those catalogs list cash premiums of approximately \$20,000 and they are all guaranteed for payment in full, so if anyone who did not get a copy of the catalog and is interested he or she may have one by writing to me, Taylor said.

HANSFORD COUNTY ENROLLMENT FOR CCC OCT. 1-15TH.

Any eligible young man between the age of 17 and 28 inclusive who desires to enter the Citizens Conservation corp of this state is urged to register with Mrs. J. B. Cooke at the Court house between the dates of Oct. 1 and 15th. Hansford has a large quota for the coming enlistment and relief officials are urging those eligible to enlist in various camps of the state.

HANSFORD COUNTY GETS MOISTURE OF INCH AND A HALF

Moisture amounting to approximately an inch and a half fell in Hansford county Thursday of last week. The rainfall covered practically every section of the county and was more or less general in Moore, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Carson and Ochiltree counties. The North Plains section of the county has been the favored spot of the Panhandle for the past two weeks, and with additional moisture, wheat drilling will begin within a short time.

The weather conditions have been more pleasant in Hansford county during the past ten days, with cooler days and nights that require the old reliable covers for comfort.

Many fields of feed that apparently were gone have revived since the rain, and will make some grain and excellent fodder.

ALVINO RICHARDSON WITH FORD SALES

Alvino Richardson has accepted a position with the R. W. Morton Ford Company of Spearman. Mr. Richardson has the dual duty

Dick Kiker... Is Not A... "Kicker."

Thru some sort of an error... the Spearman Reporter gave our neighbor Dick Kiker the reputation of a Kicker. It came about when we signed his name to a large school advertisement last week as "DICK KICKER". We hasten to assure the public that Dick is far from a Kicker... He is a very fine citizen, willing to co-operate in all civic affairs... and we apologize for placing the "c" in his name that changes him to a Kicker.

W. S. McNABB FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY 5TH.

Friends from Amarillo, Guymon, Peryton, Gruver and Canadian joined the large number of Hansford county friends and relatives of the former W. S. McNabb to pay their last respect to the memory of their departed friend, when funeral rites were held at the Union Church Saturday September 5 at 2 p. m.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Jim Richards, former Baptist pastor of Spearman, a friend of long standing of the deceased. Rev. Richards was assisted by Rev. A. F. Loftin, pastor of the First Baptist church of Spearman and Rev. W. A. Hitchcock, pastor of the Spearman Methodist church.

The choir sang "Rock of Ages, The Old Rugged Cross and Jesus Lover of my Soul," favorite songs of the deceased.

Out of town relatives were George Yoakum, Enid, Okla.; R. Yoakum, Woodward, Okla.; Earl Dawkins, Enid, Oklahoma; Mrs. Ramsey and son Ralph, Strawn, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNeil, Grafton, Texas; Clark McNabb, Ranger, Texas; James McNabb, Quanah, Texas; Elmer Inman, Childress, Texas; C. H. Adams and daughter Merline, Borger, Texas.

OBITUARY

Mr. Walter Scott McNabb was born near Mansco Lake, Eastland county, Texas on December 2, 1873. He departed this life in St. Anthony Hospital, Thursday about midnight, September 4, 1936.

His death was caused from internal injuries which he received

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Morse P. T. A. Friday September 11th.

The Morse and Pringle PTA are entertaining with a social honoring members of the old and new faculty of the two schools at the Morse school building Friday night Sept. 11.

Spearman Loses Sugar Game To Canadian Teams

Both the Smooth Mouth softball team and the girls' softball team were defeated Friday in the games played with Canadian. The fifty year olds all two of them in the contest lost their game by a score of 15 to 12. Canadian girls defeated Spearman girls 12 to 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Shockley of Peryton were visiting relatives in Spearman Sunday.

Hundreds of Happy? Children Make Journey Back to School

Four hundred and eighty happy children of the Spearman community made the annual trek back to their school duties Monday. The school officially opened with an assembly and program held in the high school auditorium at 9 a. m. Monday. Aside from the usual preliminary instructions as to classification and selection of studies, the program included songs, readings and talks. A large number of Patrons of the school were present for the opening program.

Students who are back in harness

ONE DEAD, NINE INJURED IN CAR ACCIDENT SUN.

One Spearman girl, Helen Jenkins was instantly killed and nine other passengers of three cars were more or less seriously injured, as a result of an automobile accident, which occurred 20 miles South of Spearman on highway 117, Sunday night at about 8:50 p. m.

Those injured were: Dakota Becker, of Spearman, minor cuts and bruises, nervous shock. Miss Becker was taken to the North Plains hospital at Borger where she received treatment and was discharged Monday morning.

Marion Palmer, Peryton, minor cuts and bruises, nervous shock. Mr. Palmer was carried to the North Plains Hospital at Borger where he received emergency treatment and was discharged Monday morning.

Marcella Newcomb, Spearman, severe cuts and bruises on head and breast and back. Miss Newcomb's back and breast were badly scalded, apparently from water from the radiator. Dirt ground into her body lase indicated that Miss Newcomb might have been pinned under the car and driven for a few feet. She was given emergency treatment by Dr. Gibner and Mrs. Angus McKay, nurse. She is at the McKay home under the care of Mrs. McKay. Tuesday night she underwent a blood transfusion successfully.

Hazel Jenkins, Spearman, forehead wound and nervous shock. Miss Jenkins was given emergency treatment at Dr. Gibner's office Sunday night immediately after the accident. She is gaining strength, but has not recovered fully from the shock of the accident, and the knowledge of her sister's death. She did not learn of the death of her sister until Tuesday morning.

Hollie Palmer of Peryton, driver of the 1933 Ford car that was in the accident. Left arm cut badly both above and below the elbow, chin cut, left knee fractured.

Frank Teague, Peryton, minor cuts and bruises. Mr. Teague is reported fully recovered.

Wylie B. Wyatt, driver of the Plymouth car, and only passenger of this car, which was in the accident, slightly injured. Mr. Wyatt was able to help materially in removing the overturned Ford from under the car, and helped lead the injured in cars at the

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R. E. LEE OIL CO. MOVE RETAIL SALES TO NEW LOCATION

Retail Sales of Magnolia products in Spearman will be conducted from the new station built on the property housing the wholesale warehouse on highway 117. The retail station was moved from the old location near the city hall to the new retail station Monday of this week. Mr. Lee says he will be in a position to better service his retail and wholesale customers with both sales organizations concentrated on the same lot. Lee plans to carry a heavier stock of tires, tubes, batteries and auto accessories at the new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cecil and daughter Ruth of Canyon spent the week end with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hancock. Ruth remained here for the rest of the week.

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3,000,000th at Exposition Feted



Mary Ellen Twitty, a ten-year-old Dallas lassie, was feted by the Texas Centennial Exposition because she was the 3,000,000th visitor. Presents and free entrance into all the exhibits made the day a memorable one for the miss, who was driven through the grounds in the famous 3,000,000th V-8 Ford, now on exhibition at the Ford Motor Company's Exposition building.

County Agent Gives Important Information on AAA Progam

FUNERAL RITES HELD FOR HELEN JENKINS SEPT. 9

Funeral services for Helen Jenkins, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jenkins were held Wednesday afternoon at the Union church, conducted by Rev. Eulis Hill assisted by Rev. A. F. Loftin.

The large church auditorium was filled with classmates of the well loved schoolmate, and friends of the family from Spearman and the Holt community.

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SPEARMAN P. T. A. COMPLETES PLANS FOR SCHOOL YEAR WORK

The executive board of the PTA met with the president Mrs. McLain, to complete plans for the year's work. The lunch room project will be continued with the desire to furnish properly balanced hot lunches at the lowest possible cost to patrons. The cooperation of the parents is necessary in this undertaking.

A rest room is to be equipped for the high school girls. A committee with Mrs. Hoskins as chairman was appointed to work this out.

The membership drive was started Monday morning. We ask each parent to give us your support by joining the PTA immediately and attending the activities throughout the year.

Mrs. Loftin will be the leader of Mother Singers, who invite every one who likes to sing to join us in a half hour of singing each week. Beginning in October the practice period will be each Monday afternoon. At the same meeting a study group will be conducted by Mrs. Cone and her committee. The problems of parents relative to the pre-school child, The Primary Grade, The Adolescent Child etc., will be discussed in these classes. It is decidedly to your advantage to help put these projects into effect. We solicit your co-operation.

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NEW PROGRAM BRINGS LARGE CASH RETURN

According to information County Agent Lee Hansford county will benefit allotment of acre in the new Agr program of the Federal.

This information Hansford wheat realization that the new agricultural program will mean more them individually than the old lotment program, both in received in this county, the improvement of the tivity of the land which gram itself requires.

Briefly the program planned calls for the planned calls for the on some 328,000 a under cultivation. The age per acre allowa Hansford county will amount \$6.90 per acre in the new program. This does not mean that each farmer will receive that amount, no more no less. Every productive acre in this county has been registered on a working sheet and the county committee have gone over the working sheets and placed the per bushel allowance on each application for benefit payment. For example, 1 application and working sheet shown this writer, had a claim of 9.8 bushels per acre as the owner basis of bushels per acre. The county committee in reviewing this claim or application cut the productivity to 9.4 bushels per acre. Since the county average is 9.3 bushels per acre this Hansford county producer was given a rating of 101 per cent. Thus when the benefit payment is made to the owner he will receive a slight increase over the \$6.90 per acre average payment. However, the production voluntarily registered on the various working sheets over the county were so near the Federal Agricultural Allowances of 9.3 per acre that very little difference will be found in the payments as per acre basis to individual producers.

Taken as a whole the new program will bring more than \$75,000 more money into Hansford county than the old AAA program. Using 600 acres per section as an average for productivity, which according to County Agent is as close as one can surmise, and counting 90 acres as the 15 percent of the 600 acres the payment per section will amount to 90 at times the \$6.90 per acre allowance, which amount to \$621. per section. This amount is to be divided between the landlord and the

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Farmers should bear in mind the following facts with respect to compliance with the New Farm Program:

1. Sudan does not have to be plowed under to earn \$100 per acre as a soil building payment. It may be left standing on the ground as it grows for the dollar per acre. In fact it is the best practice, where there is sufficient sudan to protect the diverted acres, to leave it on the ground as a protection against blowing.
2. There seems to be a growing opinion that farmers may seed all the land in cultivation and still draw the benefit payments. Please be advised that if there is no diversion, and no soil building or conservation practice on the farm there can be no payment earned. Farmers should bear in mind that they are cooperating in a soil conserving and building program, and that it is for soil conserving and building crops and practices that they receive benefit payments. This program not only looks to the present, but to the maintenance of the soil fertility of this country for future generations.
3. Compliance will be checked on the new program at once. Farmers should stake and plainly label the boundaries for all practices.

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TOM CARRUTH HAS PICTURES OF THE STONE MOUNTAINS

Having read the paragraphs about stone mountain monuments that appeared in the "Panhandler" column of this publication last week, Tom Carruth came in with some interesting pictures to show the editor of the paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Carruth and family spent two weeks vacation near the famous stone mountain near Gainesville, Ga., the Georgia city that suffered the great disaster by a cyclone last year.

Carruth has pictures of the work that has been completed of the memorial monument. He also has photo's of the completed monument as it will be ten years hence when the monument is completed. The pictures are very interesting.

Mr. Carruth also has a large book with illustrated pictures showing the devastation of the Gainesville, Ga. cyclone.

The Carruth family spent more than a month visiting relatives in the neighborhood of the stone mountain. They spent two days picnicking and exploring around that vicinity.

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EDITORIAL

HIGH POWERED CARS ON HIGHWAYS

Spearman citizens, jarred into thinking because of the tragic car accident of last Sunday evening, are all of a similar opinion—namely that the modern car has too much speed, and too much power. The Sunday night accident, from all accounts, appeared to have been caused because the driver of a car, having driven over the recently graveled road, could not determine just where the center of the road was located, and perhaps drove too close to a passing car that he met. This is only a surmise based on current accounts of the car accident heard on the streets of Spearman. Regardless of how the car wreck happened, it serves to make all citizens of this section stop and THINK. We readily realize that we have more power and speed than we need in our modern cars. Some are solving this problem by placing governors on their cars that will moderate the speed. We should all try to be a bit more careful.

One thing that should receive some attention is the fact that freshly graveled highways make driving at night difficult. The highway between Stinnett and the Hansford county line is certainly a difficult drive at night. A driver cannot determine the edges of the pavement, because a narrow strip on each edge is covered with gravel.

SPEARMAN DAY AT TRI-STATE FAIR

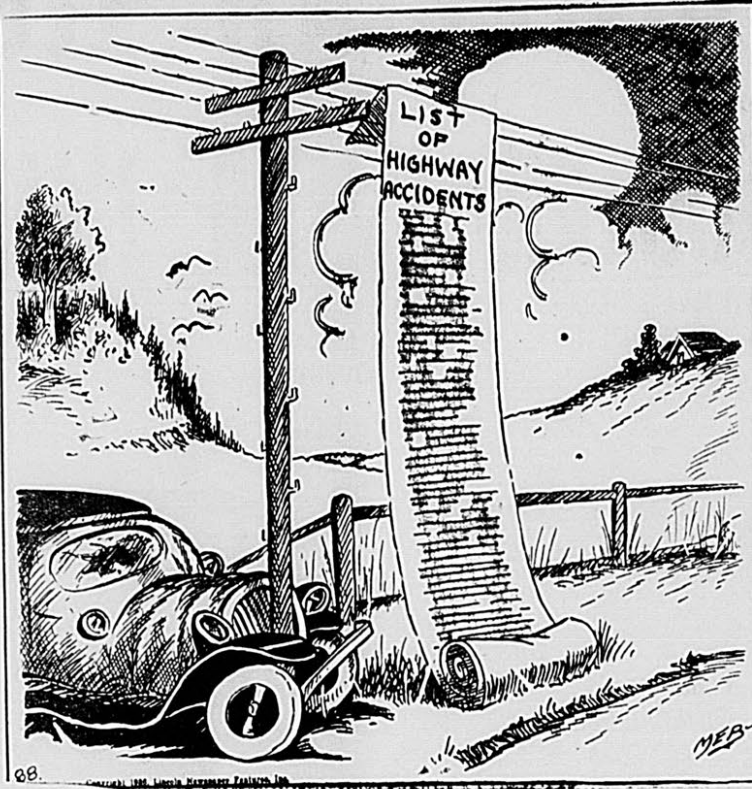
For the first time in a good many years, Spearman will attempt to stage a motorcade and special showing at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo. The movement is to be sponsored by the Spearman Lion club assisted by the Spearman Music club. The school band will be in attendance, and other features will be worked out. The officers and directors of the Lion club are asking for suggestions from Hansford county citizens. Please see or write Bill Miller for any suggestion you might have that would help make the day a success.

DEMOCRATIC VICTORY IMPERATIVE

It is generally conceded that the American public face a grave crisis in the forthcoming national election. In a more or less hazy manner the average citizen realizes that the great program of recovery must go forward. But it is doubtful if even the Democratic voter realize how much depends upon the reelection of our great president and a congress that will back up his program. To illustrate the importance of this election we are printing below the list of laws that will die in 1937 unless—???

Jan. 30—Authority to devalue dollar.
Jan. 30—Use of devaluation "profits" as stabilization fund.
March 3—Use of Government securities as backing for Federal Reserve notes.
March 31—Appropriations for Civilian Conservation Corps.
April 1—Federal Housing Authority's power to make loans for modernization of homes.

State Department to negotiate
Department of oil
age rate from 2



WIDER CONCEPTION

Farmers and business men alike are viewing the present agricultural program through greater understanding and appreciation of what it really means to all people, as a result of the district meetings being sponsored throughout the state by the Texas Agricultural Association, through the assistance of the Extension Service of A. and M. College.

Certain quarters have criticized the Department of Agriculture for its policy of crop regulations or curtailment. Dr. R. H. Montgomery, nationally-known agricultural economist and native Texan, makes this point clear and most logical in his addresses at these various farmer's meetings and before the civic clubs of the state. He draws a logical parallel between agriculture and industry. He shows where and how successful industries have been practicing basically the same policy in regard to production for a hundred years.

Coming right down to home, he uses the oil industry as an example. He shows how that oil producers limited their production to demand, drawing from wells only a fraction of their potential flow, because they saw that unrestricted production was demoralizing the market for oil. By following a program of proration, oil men were able to obtain even better prices for their product right through the depression than they had received before. Few criticize the oil industry for thus protecting itself against an over-supply.

Other industries do the same thing. The steel mills, for example, reduced their production to only about twelve per cent of capacity during the depression, for the logical reason that there was no demand for their output at profitable prices. Textile, shoe manufacturers automobile makers, they all follow the same policy.

Yet when farmers attempt to do the same thing that successful industries have done for a century, they are criticized for it. They are expected to produce to the maximum of their efforts, to drain their soil of its worth to glut the market with their products at ruinous prices simply because they have always done it. This is the beginning of a new era for American agriculture. Farmers are realizing, finally that to enjoy the normal fruits of their labor and investments, they must follow some system of regulation to see that they do not produce more than they can sell.

Business men are seeing the point too, because they realize that unprofitable farming means unprofitable trade for the nearby towns. They are realizing that a broke farmer is worth no more to a city than a bankrupt factory or business.

These district meetings are doing a great work in furthering this new understanding among farmers & business men. Every farmer owes it to himself and his industry to do all he can to make them successful.

—From Farmer's Banner

st from 4 to 3 and one half per cent.

Sept.—Permission for interstate compacts by states for limiting oil production.

Dec. 31.—Authority of Department of Agriculture to set quotas for sugar imports.

Dec. 31.—Federal authority to pay farm benefits to

The Panhandler

(Editors note—This column is carried from the Panhandle Herald, written by the owner of the Spearman Reporter. It is another travel narrative of our Boss "D. M. W.")

The Panhandler visited several days in Hade county, Mo., last week. This is the native land for the Panhandler, and it was no great pleasure to go back there at the time—at least, from the weather standpoint.

Mrs. Irene Conner, formerly with the Herald, agreed to work a few days so The Panhandler could make the trip. Because of district court, horse races, opening of school and other things it was necessary to go either last week or put the trip off until next year.

It had been 15 years since the writer was in Missouri during the summer months. During that visit in July, 1921, The Panhandler said that he never expected to visit the state again during the warm months. But he relented and found that the weather was even warmer than it was that summer a long time ago.

Crops are in poor shape all the way to southwest Mo. In just a few instances will one see any green corn. Most of the corn has been cut for fodder. A trip in two fields showed bunnies nearly larger than one's thumb. One man a native of Dade county, said it was the driest weather in 60 years. All high temperature records have been broken, and farmers are going to need the assistance and guidance of the Federal government as never before.

The best place to enjoy yourself in the summer months is right here in the Panhandle. You have the cool nights and some warm days, but in most other sections of the country you have both warm days and nights, enough to wear down the strongest of persons. A great percentage of people had outdoor beds, particularly in the rural sections of Okla. and Missouri.

Below is how the Greenfield (Mo.) Vedette wrote about the weather in last week's issue.

Fair and Continued Warm

Disheartened by the repeated failure of forecasts of drouth breaking rains, weather observers of this region have nailed the above flag to the mast, evidently intending to stick it out on that line all summer, if it takes the last drop of water in Sac river. Occasional scattered showers bring little relief, stock water is very scarce and with no pasture the problem of wintering stock has caused many farmers to throw their stock on the market at a loss. A good jumper can leap across Sac river even down near its confluence with the Osage. Turnback is nearly dry, and the creeks of the county are weed patches. Such of the citizens as have not sold out and gone to California seem to be taking a philosophical view of the situation avoiding heat prostration and interested in discovering just how long this sort of thing can last. Probably in a few weeks we will be beefing about too much rain interfering with our business and the fall celebrations.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 95th Judicial District Court of Texas in and for Dallas County, on the 10th day of August, 1936, in the case of Home Owner's Loan Corporation versus H. B. Towse and wife, Bess Towse (being one and the same person as Lula Bess Coshoot Novelty Company, a Towse and Lula B. Towse) and Corporation No. 21827-D, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 21 day of August A. D. 1936, and will between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in October A. D. 1936, it being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Hansford County, Texas, in the City of Spearman, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which H. B. Towse and wife, Bess Towse (being one and the same person as Lula Bess Towse and Lula B. Towse) and Coshoot Novelty Company a Corporation, had on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1934, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All of Lot Number Six (6) in Block Number One (1) of the McLain Subdivision of Out Lot Number Thirty-Seven (37) lying adjacent to Spearman, Texas, as shown by map or plat thereof, of record in the Deed Records of Hansford County, Texas, to which reference is here made.

Said property being levied on as the property of said above named persons and will be sold to justify a judgment amounting to \$1,883.74 against H. B. Towse with interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum from the 15th day of June, 1936 in favor of HOME OWNER'S LOAN CORPORATION, and costs of court and the further costs of executing this writ.

Given under my hand this 21 day of August, A. D. 1936.
H. L. WILBANKS,
Sheriff, Hansford County, Texas.

FOR SALE—2,000 bu. Black-hull seed wheat, 8 miles east and 3 south of Sunray—See V. W. Wilbanks. 3t

FOR SALE

Slightly used Hot water heater. Bargain Rate. Also circulator heater. See I. P. Baggerly 2t

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Tucker of Grimes, Oklahoma, were visiting with Mrs. Tucker's mother, Mrs. Alice Jones and family and Mrs. May Jones a few days last week.

OSLO NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Te Beest and son and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dahl and family were dinner guests at the H. M. TeBeest home Sunday.

The Oslo young people's Lutheran League met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Sogn Sunday night.

Bernhard Reinertsen went to Morse, Texas Sunday afternoon. He will be principal of the high school department.

Mr. Orville De Lay called at the H. M. TeBeest home Sunday evening.

Miss Ruth TeBeest spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Dahl.

Miss Jo TeBeest and Henry Moon attended the show at Guymon Saturday night.

Gus Olsen and daughter, Marcela, and on Burton and Marvin were Gruver visitors Saturday afternoon.

Miss Tena Lee Caudle attended the show at Guymon, Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. Matt Sogn was a Guymon visitor Saturday.

Miss Willie Brashears, who has been visiting at the Clarence John son home these last three weeks left for her home in Denton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hill and family were Spearman and Gruver visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Sogn and daughter, Marie were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Sogn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O' Dahl, Sunday, August 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Olsen and daughter Camilla called at the John O Dahl home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dahl called at the Reuben Te Beest home

back there are in a hopeless situation. Generally, the people do not spend as much to live as they do in the Panhandle. Farming is not on such a pretentious scale.

Much is being printed in papers about the old age pensions. An income of \$15 a month to persons 70 years of age will do much to relieve suffering of older people without adequate savings.

Gasoline is 17 cents a gallon, three cents lower than in the Panhandle. The state tax is only three cents compared with Texas' four cent rate. In some places the cheapest gas was only one cent a gallon lower than the standard gas. One cent of the Missouri tax goes to old age pensions, schools and eleemosynary institutions. The state highway department pays

Thursday.

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Billy Johnson attended the at Guymon Saturday night. Leonard Hill made a trip Sunray and Dumas Friday week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Reinertsen, Eveline and Bernard, Marie Stedje, Marie James and O. Knutson were dinner guests at the Knutson home Sunday.

Clifford Stedje and Billy son attended the show at Guymon Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Louise Butler Perryton is the teacher of Oslo school this year.

Emma and Leonard Hill called at the John O'Dahl home Saturday evening.

The High school students Oslo who will attend school Gruver this year are: Emma Selma Hill, Betsy and Selma Tena Lee Caudle, Marcela Genevieve Olsen, Burton O. Billy Johnson, Johnnie Jack Jones and Clifford Stedje.

Raymond Caudle attended show at Guymon Saturday evening. Russell, and George son visited in the John O home Sunday afternoon.

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Spearman firms give the people of this district superior service and quality merchandise and their prices are very reasonable.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Holt had as their Saturday dinner guests Mr. Clyde Carruth of Stinnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis were shopping in Spearman Monday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jenkins.

Mrs. C. A. Batton and daughter Flodell and Mrs. Arthur Williams were shopping in Spearman Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fite and daughter Helen were shopping in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

O. C. Holt left Monday afternoon for his home in Hereford.

D. B. Kirk was in Spearman Saturday visiting.

DR. POWELL—Eye, Ear, Nose and throat specialist will be at Dr. Gower's office Wednesday September 16th. Glasses fitted, Tonsils and adenoids removed. Have your children examined before school starts.

Frazier Continues With More Indian Stories

After a rest I will try to give you another short sketch:

At the close of the war there lived a family by the name of Bowman in a picturesque valley on Deep Creek. Besides being a farmer, the head of the house was a physician by profession. He also owned a large bunch of fine horses which miraculously enough he had brought safely through the trying period of the war. The horses had been consigned to the careful judgment and expert horsemanship of Miss Sallie Bowman, a courageous young daughter about 18 years old.

The young lady ranged her herd about the valley and sometimes when it was considered safe to do so, ventured on to the higher prairie for the grass. She usually rode a fleet horse, being at all times apprehensive of being chased by Indians.

On the day of the occurrence about to be described, March 7, 1868, Miss Bowman was mounted on a horse of high speed qualities and she felt perfectly confident that she could out-distance any pursuing savages. She had gone with her herd 1 1/4 miles from her home and fresh tracks later discovered on each side of the Creek made by her own animal and those of the Indians, indicated that the Creek had been the starting point of her pursuit by the Indians. Presumably the latter had come upon her from the opposite side of the Creek while she was watering her horse.

Down the bank toward her dashed the red-skins and she wild with fright, wheeled and turned her horse in the direction of home. Over the prairie sped the frenzied girl turning now and then to gaze on the rapidly gaining demons whom she knew would give her no mercy. A fallen tree lay across the way, a clear leap of twenty feet would be required to bound it, yet over it without disturbing a leaf the animal went on the mad dash for life—wide chasms were spanned without a pause, hills were climbed and valleys skimmed over; but all in vain.

The deplorable climax came within view of the home of a neighbor named Jones. Mrs. Jones stepped into the yard and viewed a scene which froze her to the spot. Three giant red demons were bearing down upon a defenseless girl fleeing for her life. Two treacherous arms were thrust forward two gun reports rent the air and Miss Sallie Bowman reeled in her saddle and rolled to the ground dead. The shots were fired so close that they caught her clothes on fire. The bunch of fine horses which had been guarded by the young girl were taken by the Indians. Miss Bowman was buried in the Deep Creek cemetery, her grave marked with a nice monument contributed by the citizens of that community.

GRUVER NEWS

On Friday evening, August 28 Mr. and Mrs. Francis and family were honored with a reception given at the Baptist church under the sponsorship of the W. M. S. The Francis family left the following Monday to make their home at Canyon.

Punch, poured by Mrs. V. F. Turk and Mrs. E. G. Garrett and cookies were served to the guests.

A little program composed of the following numbers was presented:

Reading, Josephine Gross; Piano Solo, Helen Ruth Gruver; Vocal Duet, Phyllis Fletcher and Peggy Garrett; Reading, Peggy Garrett.

Mr. Francis was presented with a chest of silverware from the Sunday school by L. E. Morrison. A friendship quilt was presented by Mrs. Estelle Harmon. A number of other nice gifts were received.

Gruver regrets to lose this fine family and we wish them luck in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Reed and sons and Miss Margaret Gross returned from Guyton Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. N. Fletcher returned to her home in Gruver after an extended stay with her mother at Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Roy Mr. and Mrs. Broadhurst and Patsy returned Wednesday from a vacation trip to Colorado.

On Wednesday afternoon Sept. 2nd Mrs. E. F. Bennett entertained with a garden party at her beautiful country home in honor of Mrs. Hart a recent bride.

A varied musical program was rendered by Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Rafferty, Mrs. Jimmy Cator, Mrs. Bennett, and Mrs. Alexander.

Mrs. Jimmy Cator poured the punch at a beautiful decorated table.

About forty ladies enjoyed the afternoon and declared Mrs. Bennett a charming hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Alexander and family have moved into the big Harris house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Renner are the proud parents of a 9 pound baby girl born Sept. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Turk and family returned Saturday from a vacation trip to Carlsbad cavern.

Mr. and Mrs. McRee and daughters were in Borger Sunday. They were witnesses of the car accident on the highway between Borger and Spearman.

The Gruver schools opened Monday morning. Supt. Wilson made a speech. All the teacher made a short talk.

Miss Frankie Brooks of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents in Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Holt transacted business in Amarillo Saturday.

HOLT NEWS

The regular Sunday night singing was attended by a large crowd Sunday night. Many special numbers were presented to the approval of the attentive crowd.

Lovers of good music, be present next Sunday night and help us. Charlie Rosson extends an invitation to everyone to attend.

The Holt school children were glad to enter the Spearman school Monday morning. They are all proud of their bus driver Mr. Russell Baker.

The entire Holt community was grieved Sunday night to hear of the terrible accident which occurred west of here on the pavement. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins and family spent most of their life in the Holt community and we extend our deepest sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stephen, by and children returned Thursday afternoon from a weeks vacation with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stephen and her mother Mrs. W. Dr. Grey in Reed, Oklahoma and to other relatives in Reed, Vinson's Mangum, Oklahoma.

B. C. Holt and son Nolan, Mrs. Scott and daughters were shopping in Borger Thursday afternoon.

Messrs Joe Close and Joe Campbell transacted business in Borger Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson and Uncle Dick made a business trip to Borger Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Close were shopping in Spearman Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. with Danny were Saturday dinner guests of Dan's parents in Pampa. They were accompanied home by their daughters who have spent the past two weeks with their Grand parents.

Cecil Kirk left Tuesday morning for a few days trip to Oklahoma.

Mr. O. C. Holt of Hereford, was a Sunday and Monday guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Holt.

Russell Baker returned home Friday evening from a weeks visit with his father-in-law and brother-in-law in Edmond, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson and daughter Georgie Marie and Bonnie Lee visited with Mrs. Thompson's father Mr. D. A. Jackson who is a patient in the hospital at Amarillo.

Jack Eubanks left Friday afternoon for his home in Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scott were shopping in Spearman Friday afternoon.

Messrs Otis and Medlin Patterson and son Johnnie were transacting business in Spearman Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mr. Charlie Davis returned home Friday evening from

a weeks visit with relatives in N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn and son Grodon and daughter Nell moved Sunday morning to the D. B. Kirk farm.

Russell Baker transacted business in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

Claude Jackson motored to Amarillo Sunday morning to visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owenby and daughter were shopping in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jameson Mrs. Bill Jones and Joyzella Scott were shopping in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

Two Men Are Charged With Aggravated Assault

Albert Burleson and Carl Vassells are in the Stinnett jail held under charge of Aggravated Assault by Hansford county authorities, awaiting the action of the Grand Jury of the 84 District court.

Frank Hardin, Spearman Sinclair gasoline dealer has returned home and is reported improving, since an operation performed Monday at the St Anthony's hospital in Amarillo, in which his right eye was removed.

Injury sustained by Hardin is alleged to have been caused by a beer bottle thrown by Carl Vassells Sunday afternoon.

According to witnesses to the affray, it is alleged that Albert Burleson and Carl Vassells had an argument with Haines Douglas in the local retail Sinclair station. It appears that Mr. Hardin was present and prevent the argument into a fight. However, that Vassells struck and Mr. Hardin then (Vassells) out of the leson and Vassells have entered their been persuaded to dealer) and had started to the station. According to information available the two thought better of the are alleged to have car at the edge of loaded their arms with tles, and started a Mr. Hardin was hit the bottles. His injury Burleson is under suspended sentence at the

PRICE LEVEL FOR FARM PRODUCTS SHOWS INCREASE

The general level of prices received by farmers in August was the highest in six years the Bureau of Agriculture Economics disclosed last week in a report.

The index on August 15 was 124 compared with 115 for July and 106 for August a year ago.

Prices of wheat, corn, dairy products, chickens and eggs were up.

Group indexes of the bureau show that prices received by farmers for grain were up 20 points during the last month, truck crops up 19 points and dairy and eggs 6 points and meat animals up four points.

Texas prices of importance are: Wheat, \$1.08, corn \$.83; oats, \$.41; barley, \$.61; Cotton \$.123-cotton seed, \$.30, ton; hogs \$8.80 (milk) \$36, head; horses \$62, head; mules \$98, head; hay \$7.80 ton; eggs, 18.5c doz.; wool,

DON'T NAME IT

By HONEST BILL

From Tack's col. Amarillo News Globe.

Have we a lot of windjammers here in Amarillo who monopolize all the speaking?

Anyway, Honest Bill Miller up at Spearman has written an article about Amarillo. He says we have a whole lot of good folks here in this city, but that when there are public meetings in the Panhandle and the whole Panhandle participates, the loud fast talkers from Amarillo don't let the other boys hardly get a word in sideways. He says lots of people stay away from any such

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in the time of our deep sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Lee Jenkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Church and Max were callers in the Blodgett home Sunday night.

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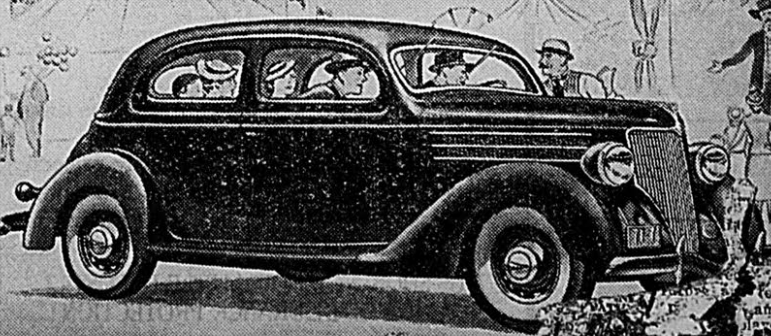
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SPEARMAN MUSIC CLUB

The Spearman Music club will meet with Mrs. Lee Tuesday Sept. 15 at 4: p. m.

The following program will be presented: A talk on David Guion and Oscar Fox by Mrs. H. P. Bailey; Piano number—Arkansas Traveler—Guion by Mrs. Meers; Vocal—Rounded up in Glory, Fox by Mrs. Gibner; Group singing directed by Mrs. A. F. Loftin

DELPHINIUM FLOWER CLUB

The Delphinium flower club met Monday Sept. 7 at the home of Mrs. Marion Glover.

The lesson was on "Color in the Garden, true Berries and Foliage" Mrs. Chambers gave an article on "Autumn Glory" and Mrs. John Bishop gave an article on Gadden Highlights. These articles were enjoyed very much by the following.

Refreshments were served.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley and daughter Jaunita Ann spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Brown.

Mrs. Bernice White and sons Bobby Jo and Jon of Kilgore are visiting in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burran.

Mrs. W. A. Atherton and daughters Mrs. Gost and Mrs. Clarke of Allison spent the week end in the home of their daughter and sister Mrs. Dick Kiker.

Gus McLain who has been visiting in the home of his brother returned to Norman Oklahoma.

Woodrow Gibner and Reuben Deering went to Oklahoma City with him where they will attend Hills Business college.

Mrs. Robinson and daughter Flora Bell returned to their home in St. Louis Friday. Mrs. Robinson's sister Mrs. Joe Perry returned home with her and will spend the winter there.

Mrs. George Buzzard and children returned home Sunday from Enid where they have been visiting for the past three weeks in the home of Mrs. Buzzard's parents Mr. and Mrs. Koechen.

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tenant according to the terms of the rental contract. Each individual operating a farm will have an opportunity of earning an additional \$90. per section by complying with the terms of the soil building contract of the Federal government, which is offered at the same time the conservation contract is made with the individual operating a farm. This would bring the total per section in this county to an average income of \$711 per section. An estimate of 550 sections in the new program would bring the total income to this county in the form of benefit payments to \$391,050.00.

Of course these figures are not exact as no one knows just how much the state and federal government will allow as the base acreage. The number of acres submitted by the Hansford county officials am't. to 328,000 ac. This figure would indicate 550 sections in the county, under cultivation and entering the new agricultural program.

Payment of the above benefits can and will likely be made soon after they are earned and the compliance records are all reviewed and approved. Payment for this year will likely be speeded up because all compliance papers will be sent to the state office audited and paid by state officials.

In addition to the above amount that might be called due and payable to Hansford county farmers, the wheat producers have another little bill they can depend on getting from Uncle Sam in the near future. This amounts to \$246,508.92. It is the 21c per bushel allowance under the terms of the old AAA contract, ruled unconstitutional by the Supreme court, and is for payment of compliance of the 1935 wheat production program.

Should the payments of these two bills be made to the farmers of this county before Christmas, and there is a good possibility of this being done, it would turn loose a sum of \$637,558.92 to liquidate debts and continue farming operations.

BLODGETT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mahan were callers at the Blodgett home Saturday morning.

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett, Ralph Blodgett and Mrs. J. M. Blodgett were Perryton shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Deck were in Shattuck last week having their daughter's tonsils removed. Ralph Wilson is working for Mearl Beck.

Ralph Langford returned to his home at Nickerson, Kansas Saturday after spending the summer with his aunt Mrs. J. M. Blodgett. He intends entering a music school in New York this winter.

Ralph Blodgett spent Sunday evening in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Church and son were visitors at the L. W. Austin home Sunday evening.

Sam Powell was a caller in the Austin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Simm were callers in the Sam Powell home Sunday night.

Nearly everyone from the Blodgett community attended the W. S. McNabb funeral Saturday, we sincerely grieve the loss of this good man.

The Blodgett Home Demonstration club meets Sept 21st in the home of Mrs. W. M. Deck.

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scene of the accident. He reported for work at the Phillips Co. in Borger Monday morning.

William Arnold Wilbanks, publisher of the Potter county news of Amarillo, cuts and bruises on forehead and arms. Mr. Wilbanks suffered severe shock and was not rational for some 20 hours after the accident. He is reported well on the road to recovery.

Mrs. William A. Wilbanks of Amarillo, large scalp wound across back of head body bruises and cuts. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wilbanks were given emergency treatment at Dr. J. E. Gowers office when they arrived. Dr. Gower was assisted by Mrs. Angus McKay, nurse. The young Amarillo couple were carried to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilbanks, parents of W. A. Wilbanks.

The entire community was shocked when news of the accident arrived in Spearman. Vic McRee, Ford dealer of Gruver was the first to reach the scene of the crash, and Mr. McRee assisted by those not seriously injured was able to lift the Ford car and release those pinned underneath. Mr. McRee had room in his car to bring only four of the victims of the accident to Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. Luke Carr came a few minutes after Mr. McRee had left and brought the remaining members of the accident party to Spearman, one car load having been carried to Borger by a car prior to the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Carr.

According to a statement of Wylie B. Wyatt, driver of the Plymouth car headed towards Borger, his car and the Ford car driven by Hollie Palmer were the first to crash. He stated that a jerked off from his car was skidded on three wheels some 120 steps down the highway before it came to a stop. He stated that the Ford car was thrown into the car driven by William A. Wilbanks enroute towards Borger causing the Wilbanks car to skid into the ditch on the right hand side of the road. Apparently the Ford overturned after it had crashed with the Chevrolet Coupe driven by Mr. Wilbanks.

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ated in Calif. with the U. S. Marines, two sisters Mrs. Alma De Armond and Miss Hazel Jenkins (one brother John Henry passed away several years ago) she is also survived by a number of relatives and a host of friends. The writer feels that if Helen could speak to you in your grief she would choose Tennyson's great poem.

"Crossing The Bar"
Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me!
And may their be no moaning of the bar
When I put out to sea.
Twilight and evening bell
And after that—the dark
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark.
For Tho' from out our bourne of time and place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my pilot face to face,
When I have crossed the bar.

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while driving on the highway near Herford, Texas, some two weeks ago.

Mr. McNabb left Eastland Co. and homesteaded in Greer county, Oklahoma in 1894. In 1903 he moved his family by covered wagon to Hansford county and settled near the town of Hansford and has been a resident of this county since that date.

Mr. McNabb led a very active life taking a keen interest in things in general and especially in politics, being a life long democrat. His business interests were lands sales, banking, conservation.

In the earlier history of Hansford County Mr. McNabb served as county clerk of this county for four terms.

The very fact that Mr. McNabb spent 34 years of his eventful life in and around Spearman bespeaks the fact that he believed in and loved his home town. It was here his children were born and here his remains will rest until that Great Day shall call the dead out of the tombs.

Some 40 years ago Mr. McNabb met and married Miss Birtie McNeil. To this happy union two children were born, a son, Warren and a daughter Viola.

Those left to mourn the untimely death of our fellow townsman are his wife, his son Warren, his daughter Mrs. Bill Whitson, both of Spearman, Texas, his mother Mrs. N. A. McNabb of Strawn, Texas, four grandchildren, Ann, and Craig Davidson, Neil and Nan McNabb, four brothers, Jim McNabb of Quanah Texas, Lee McNabb of Hollis, Oklahoma, Jess McNabb, Graham Texas and Clark McNabb of Ranger, Texas. Besides these close kin there are many dear loved ones and a large circle of friends who are scattered over Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Our fellow-townsman said often that it was his wish that he might die while busy.

Doubtless some of the lessons of "thrift" came to Mr. McNabb while being made a Mason in Hansford Lodge No. 1040. He was made a Mason at Old Hansford a number of years ago. He fell asleep last Thursday never again to grasp the "Working tools of Life."

(This Was His Creed)
Let me live in my house by the side of the road.
Where the race of men go by—
They are good, they are bad, they are weak, they are strong,
Wise, foolish—so am I.
Then why should I sit in the scornful seat,
Or hurl the cynic's ban?
Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
And be a friend to man!

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one of the larger specimens. A. E. Ferguson

The writer had planned to add another title to the long lists of achievements, that he is gradually completing in the model life he is living for the next four years.

This title was to have been the Hansford county No. 1. dove shooter. In the past four days the writer has done right well in the field of dove shooting, and was kinda bragging about shooting 22 during two days hunting. Along comes John Bishop, Burl Brockus and Fred Lynn. These gentlemen report the limit of dove fifteen each, in two hours time . . . that is not such a terrible record, but here is their emphatic claim for glory and No. 1 Hansford honors.

"We had 6 doves" (John Bishop speaking) "and had piled them in a neat pile. It had been a bit difficult to hunt up the birds we shot so the next bird that came along flew over the pile of doves I landed him within six inches of the kill. This gave us an idea so we drew a six foot circle around the pile and would not shoot without we could land the dove within the six foot circle. We killed the limit." Observe that I have placed the above story in quotation marks. It is from Bishop and he and his two pals are either the best dove hunters in this county or John is a fit candidate for the Hansford No. 1 liars honors.

Earl Madden is to blame for this writer breaking one of his life long resolutions . . . he has lost a brindle bull dog, weight 60 pounds. Earl wants the dog back, cause this pup is like Earl, he's a fighter. The writer would not consider trying to get this bull dog back, but for this fact the story has been circulated around town that this writer had killed Earl's dog. It is a gross error. My boy Billie informed me that our dog Bob had whipped the filling out of Earl's dog, and I did not have any occasion to kill that little insignificant sixty lb. dog . . . and I do not have any occasion to pick a fight with Earl Madden . . . He might could make a better showing with the Miller family than the bull dog did with our fighting dog, Bob. So you folks hurry out and help me find this bull dog . . . I may have to argue it out with Earl and I sure do not have any ambition to become Hansford's county's No. 1 prize fighter.

Arrangements are being made for the District Meeting of the Agricultural Association in Pampa, September 14th.

Farmers day will be celebrated the 14th. Farmers families are invited to attend all over the Panhandle. The program will start at 10 a. m. and last all day. The program will consist of music, singing, several speakers, and a business meeting. The program will be held at the Pampa Hotel. The program will be held at the Pampa Hotel.

Business men are invited to attend a Joint Business and Service Club meeting Tuesday the 15th. Hear an address by Earl Madden.

CARD OF THANKS

Let this message express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the large number of friends of this section, who were so kind and considerate to us in our recent sorrow. Truly we did not realize the world was so full of kind loving people.

Mrs. W. S. McNabb, Mr. and Mrs. Warren McNabb, and children Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Whitson, Carrie and Ann Davidson.

Church of Christ

Bible Study 10 a. m., preaching 11 a. m.; Communion, 11:45. With cooler weather is here, therefore, it makes the "to hot" excuse out of date, so lets go to church next Sunday.

Deber Murry has decided to stay a few weeks longer and solicits the presence of every member next Sunday.

Come, and bring some one with you. The presence of strangers is highly appreciated.

THE BLOOD of Jesus Christ?

To the Teachers of our school: Most cordially do we invite you to all of our church services. A happy welcome to all.

And to the homes of sorrow—God bless you and sustain you in these tragical hours is the prayer of the Baptist church and all of the other churches of this city.

"Earth hath no sorrows that Jesus cannot heal."

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilbur returned home Saturday from Ponca City where they have been visiting their daughter and family for the past week.

Miss Lillian Anderson of San Angelo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Campbell last week. She returned home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Bruce Sheets, L. B. Campbell, Clay Gibner and Miss Lillian Anderson were shopping in Perryton Tuesday.

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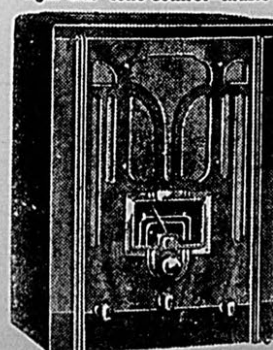
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