

The Spearman Reporter

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER, Hansford County, Thursday May 25th, 1955

Mystery Farm of County



The fifth of a series of Mystery Home pictures... The Mystery Farm will be placed in a hat, and the name drawn out will be given one year's subscription to the Spearman Reporter. Incidentally, we do not identify the picture until the owner calls for his photo or is contacted by a staff member. When the owner or operator of the Mystery Farm positively identifies the farm, we consider the identification as concluded.

Youth Program In Spearman Begins

Meeting held at the Spearman House, Tuesday of this week... The program will get underway Wednesday, June 1st... The program will be divided into several teams...

Tornado Sighted Sunday Night

The people of Spearman got a good scare Sunday night... A dark, ominous cloud was making up in the Northwest Sunday evening... The biggest hazard Sunday night was the traffic. People rushed out of their driveways...

Lions Club Presents Aluminum Canoe To Spearman Boy Scouts

The Spearman Lions Club presented a 15 foot aluminum canoe to the Boy Scouts... The canoe is the finest and best available today. The scouts will use the canoe when they go to Camp Ki-O-Wah next week.

Large 8th Grade Graduation

The Eighth Grade graduated 43 students Friday night... The Commencement program opened at 8:00 p. m., with Miss Mary Neims playing the Recessional.

May Start New Home Building Program Here

Unofficially we learn that a government representative has spent a few days in Spearman investigating the housing conditions and perhaps making some recommendations relative to FHA and GI loans.

Grand Parents!

Mr. and Mrs. John Berry are proud grand parents, as of May 16th, Lynn Michael was born to them...

New Lion Club Meeting Held Tuesday May 24

An exceptionally good lunch was served at the meeting... The club discussed the summer plans for the Lion club softball team...

Citizen Committee Ask For Sheriff's Badge - And Get It.

A citizens committee headed by Mayor C. A. Gisher and Bruce Sheets called on Hansford County Sheriff J. B. Cooke Monday morning of this week...

Oil And Gas Well News For Week

Humble Oil and Refining Co. are tearing down derricks at the Hale well this week in preparation to moving in a completion unit Monday of next week.

Whistle Will Be Blown, as Sometimes It Is Hard to Hear the Train

Whistle will be blown, as sometimes it is hard to hear the train... Sheriff Cooke urges the public to notify him, or the city officials, if a tornado is sighted in the area...

Vacation Bible School At First Christian Church June 3rd.

The First Christian Church Vacation Bible School will start May 23rd and continue through June 2. Classes are from 9 until 11 a. m. Theme: "Heroes of the Cross."

First Baptist Church May 30 - June 10

May 28th. All girls and boys who plan to come to our V. B. S. are urged to be at the First Baptist Church, Saturday, May 28th at 8:30 a. m.

Weather

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23	86	63	0.07
Total for Week			3.72
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10:00 - 12:00 Demonstration of Fire Arms by Remington Arms Company. Visiting Boys Ranch
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1:30 - 3:00 Meeting Called To Order
Jim Dimitroff, President
Welcome Address - Cal Farley
Program to be furnished by each of the Five States
Speakers to be announced
3:00 - 3:30 Drawing of prizes
3:30 - 4:00 Selection of next convention city.
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Gruber School Boys Win At Amarillo

Don Hart of Gruber earned the title of "best all around high school cowboy" yesterday at the Amarillo High School Rodeo at the Lakside Arena on Highway 287 east of Amarillo.

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FOR SALE - Foot Electro-lee Refrigerator. Priced Reasonably. Phone or see Vir Wilbanks, Spearman, Texas. No. 35 rt. The first postage stamp was issued in 1847.



THIS and THAT



Around Gruver

There will be a Memorial Service in the Gruver Cemetery on Memorial Day, May 30th. The time will be 5 o'clock in the afternoon. It will be sponsored by all of the Churches of Gruver. This is an occasion that we all should observe, so do your best to be there.

For the last few years, every time we have tried to have a Clean-up Campaign, it has rained. We are all mighty happy about the rain, and that should encourage all of us to clean up and beautify our town. So while the time for the official campaign is past, don't let that interfere. There are some very ugly spots that need cleaning up badly, let us get it done.

The other evening we went down to Mr. and Mrs. Dave McClain to make some pictures. We were hardly prepared for what we saw. You never saw so many children in one place at one time, and all of them belonging there. The McClains were having a family party. The three boys, Randolph, Herbert, and Ralph, were there with their children and grandchildren. Lucille and her family, Food was every where, and everyone was having a big time. We like to see families like that.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cooper are in Ojo Caliente N. M. where they are enjoying the springs. This is a health resort, and they are here primarily on account of Guy's health. We hope that they return home much improved.

We understand that Mrs. Clara Stedje is very ill in St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo. So far we have had no report of her progress.

Louise Knutson and her family are here from Alaska, where they have been doing missionary work. On their return they are going farther north to work about the Eskimos. Part of their reason for their visit is to attend the graduation at A. & M. College in Stillwater, Okla., where David will

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Spivey and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spivey have left here to make their home in Green River Utah. I. T. and his father are going in business there. We shall miss them, for they are fine citizens, but we wish them every success.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Pearson are very happy over the arrival of a new son in their home. Mother and son are doing fine. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Irwin flew to Missouri last week. Kenneth stopped over at Kansas City to attend to business, while his wife visited her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Walker are in California. They left last week, and will be gone for a month. They will visit Orville brother Marvel, and other relatives. They will come home by way of Green River to visit the Spiveys in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Taber attended the District Postmasters meeting in Amarillo last Saturday. Following the business session, they were entertained at a Smorgasbord at the American Legion Hall. They had a fine time.

Right now the senior class of the Gruver High School are having a wonderful time on their trip. They will travel through Missouri, and Arkansas. Will visit Kansas City on their way home. Have fun kids.

Veterans' Questions And Answers

Q—I am thinking of paying my GI insurance premium once a year, in advance. If I pay my yearly premium, and suddenly need the money, would it be possible for me to get it back from VA?

A—Yes VA will refund you what ever amount has not yet been applied to monthly premiums.

Q—I attended college for four years under the World War GI Bill, and then went back on active duty. I have just been discharged from my second tour of service with a service-connected disability. Would I be eligible for vocational training under Public Law 894 for as long as is necessary for you to achieve complete rehabilitation?

A—Only if you are in need of training to overcome the handicap of your disability. If you need the training

you may train under Public Law 894 for as long as is necessary for you to achieve complete rehabilitation.

Q—If I take flight training under the terms of GI Bill, how will I be paid?

A—You will receive a monthly allowance from VA covering 75 percent of the established rate that non-veterans, taking the same course, are required to pay. The allowance will be based on the number of hours of instruction received during the month.

Q—A friend of mine is a paralyzed veteran eligible for a \$10,000 VA grant for a "wheel-chair house," especially adapted for his needs. Would he also be eligible for a regular GI home loan to apply on the remainder of the cost of his house?

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LESTER MUNDY INSTRUCTOR

Lester Mundy, a Junior student at WT College in Canyon will be an instructor at Camp Kiowa, Boy Scout camp near Lake Marvin. Lester, an Eagle Scout, has chosen Scout work as his profession.

He will return to WT in the fall.

Something To Think About

(Published weekly by the Spearman Church of Christ)

One day a poorly dressed and shabby-looking man walked into the Old Friendly Bank on the corner. This man had lived in the neighborhood years ago, and was then a very respectable citizen. He recognized some of the folks working in the bank, and a few of the patrons; none of them recognized him.

A well-dressed gentleman walked into the bank, picked up a check book and hurriedly wrote a check for a nice sum of money, handed it to the teller at the window, received his money immediately and left the bank.

The tramp also picked up a check book and wrote a check, walked over and handed it to the teller. The teller looked at the name, looked at the man, went back to the books, and after some delay came back and said, "Sir, we are sorry, but we cannot cash your check." The beggar said, "I used to do business with this bank." The banker replied, "Yes, you used to make regular deposits here and had a good checking account with us, but our books show that your account was closed twenty years ago. We cannot cash your check."

The account in Revelation 20 is too plain and understandable for us to miss — in the day of judgment we will stand before the great judge, and the book will be opened, our account will be examined, then comes the verdict.

What will yours be? Will your draft for eternal life be honored? Or will you find out too late that your account was closed years ago when you ceased to make deposits — when you became a "quitter"? Think on these things!

Paul Smith Minister

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — GRUVER

Bro. Bill Burton, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union 6:30 p. m.
 Preaching Service 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — SPEARMAN

Rev. C. N. Van Dyke, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Youth Meetings 7:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
 Wednesday: Choir Practice 7:30 p. m.

MORSE METHODIST CHURCH — MORSE

Rev. O. C. Evans, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Services 11:00 a. m.
 M. Y. F. 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD — SPEARMAN

Rev. W. V. Bentley, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Worship 7:45 p. m.
 Mid Week Services, Friday 7:45 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — GRUVER

Bro. Frank Reese, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
 1st Weds. Monthly Fellowship 7:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH — SPEARMAN

Bro. Aubrey C. Haynes, Minister
 Church School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Methodist Youth Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
 Womens Christian Society Wednesday 3:00 p. m.
 Mid Week Services, Wed. 7:00 p. m.
 Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST — SPEARMAN

R. Paul Smith, Preacher
 Bible Class 10:00 a. m.
 Preaching 11:00 a. m.
 Communion 11:45 a. m.
 Young Peoples Classes 7:00 p. m.
 Worship 8:00 p. m.
 Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a. m.
 Wed. Mid. Week Services 8:00 p. m.

MORSE BAPTIST CHURCH — MORSE

Bro. Ralph Renfro, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union 7:00 p. m.
 Worship 8:00 p. m.
 Mid Week Service Wednesday 7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST — GRUVER

James O. Wilburn, Minister
 Bible School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.
 Communion 11:45 a. m.
 Song Drill 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
 Mid Week Services, Wed. 7:30 p. m.
 Women Bible Study Thursday 2:30 p. m.

GRUVER METHODIST CHURCH — GRUVER

Rev. Cecil Ottinger, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Services 11:00 a. m.
 Methodist Youth Fellowship 6:45 p. m.
 Evening Services 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Choir Practice 8:30 p. m.
 Thursday W. S. C. S. 2:30 p. m.
 Wesley Circle, Thursday 10:00 a. m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH — SPEARMAN

Father Bernard J. Binversie, Pastor
 Mass 1st and 2nd Sundays 9:00 a. m.
 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays 11:00 a. m.
 All other Services announced at Masses.

UNION CHURCH — SPEARMAN

Rev. Calvin Springer, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Bible Classes, Sunday 6:45 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH — SPEARMAN

Bro. O. L. Bryant, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 p. m.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
 Youth Training Services 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Teachers and Officers Meeting 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday Mid-Week Services 7:45 p. m.

OSLO LUTHERAN CHURCH — OSLO

J. P. Knudson, Pastor
 Sunday Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Ladies Aid every last Thursday afternoon of each month
 Luther League on Sunday evening every three weeks.

McMillan Community Mission—McMillan School House

Pastor, Mrs. Ralph Fullbright
 You are invited each Sunday Morning
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Bible Study Classes 7:00 p. m.
 Praying Services 7:30 p. m.
 Mid Week Services, Thursday 7:30 p. m.



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Washington News Letter From Congressman Walter Rogers

May 20, 1955
 The People of The 15th District
FOUR MEETING
 I am pleased to report that the four meetings held in the 15th District on May 18, 19, 20 and 21, 1955, were most successful. The attendance was excellent and the discussions were most enlightening. It is my hope that these meetings will result in a better understanding of the problems of the 15th District and a more active participation in the solution of these problems.

SALK VACCINE
 The Salk vaccine argument, of course, continues. We hope to see it settled in time to make safe inoculation of many children in this nation possible for the polo season sets in. I am a member of the House Committee on Education and Forestry, and I am sponsoring a bill that will implement the President's suggestion that the vaccine should be made available to all children regardless of their economic status. I told you in a previous news item that the Congress has kept a close eye on the distribution of this vaccine and will not tolerate the exploitation of the American people through such a measure. Frankly, I had hoped that the vaccine program could be carried out without the exercise of jurisdiction over the subject by the Federal Government. However, the situation has developed to such a point that the Congress step to the picture and keep a tight rein on the handling of the program. It was recently pointed out that this Salk vaccine is the result of research for a large degree by a number of children contributed to the annual March of Dimes campaign. Certainly these children and their parents should be protected from exploitation at the hands of any unscrupulous individual or group of individuals. My committee hopes to coordinate the forces that should be concerned in getting this vaccine to the public with the greatest possible speed and to avoid unnecessary red tape and political backbiting of pressure groups.

Don't Name It
 U. S. Weather Observer Fred Brandt is back in harness and all is well for future weather reports. We were completely surprised to learn that Mr. Brandt attributes the rainfall that the country editor brought this area by going fishing, to his having left the state to visit his son at the Veterans' hospital. It's not like Fred to try and cheat the country editor, and perhaps he will have us print a retraction of his statement next week. Anyway he came into the Reporter office with the news that his trip was the wonderful rainfall we received while he was gone.

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THE SPEARMAN REPORTER, Mansford County, Thursday May 25th, 1955

It is possible that the rain gauge... it couldn't have been rusty since we had not had enough moisture to damage your (Fred Brandt) rain gauge since the government put it up some 12 months ago. Anyway, we choose to accept the more liberal measurements of the moisture, and because we do know that P. A. Lyon would not knowingly or wittingly misrepresent the situation, we offer this simple explanation. There was actually heavy rainfall in some places inside the city limits of Spearman than in others. Sunday evening just about dark this writer started out West of Spearman and met a heavy rain. We turned back since the lightning was so bad and Eddie Faye windows were down. We drove thru a real cloudburst in the West edge of Spearman by the Highway Railroad crossing, and it was almost dry at our residence.

NEXT THING TO NEWSY LETTER
 Dear Bill: to say I am enjoying the Reporter would be an understatement. It is the nearest thing I get to a long newsy letter from home every week. Please note our change of address, so I won't miss any news about the folks who live there, but whom I seldom see.
 Doris Kirk Maxey
 Mrs. Robert Meek of Phoenix, Arizona is visiting Mrs. Jane Meek and children. She made the trip at this time to attend Judy's graduation.
 Mrs. O. L. Williams and Miss Ella McGinty spent two days in Shattuck Oklahoma this week.
 Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey Haynes are in Lubbock attending the annual District Methodist conference.
 Jim Ownby had major surgery in a St. Louis, Mo. hospital last week. His daughter, a registered nurse, and her husband, a doctor, live there. His condition remains serious.

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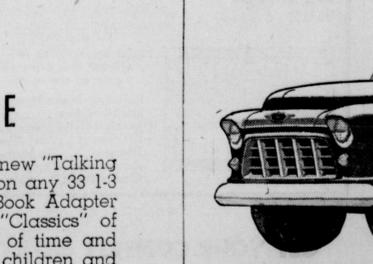
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V. F. W. Urges All Business Houses To Close Memorial Day

All of the merchants of Hansford county are urged to close their doors Monday, Memorial Day. This is a national holiday, and is set aside as decoration day at the cemeteries.

Reva McClain In Recital

Miss Reva McClain, violinist, played "The Love Song" by Schubert and "None But the Lonely Heart" by Tchaikovsky, in the recital at the Conservatory of Musical Arts in Amarillo Thursday May 19, at 8:00.

Holt H. D. Club

Mrs. Nolan Holt was hostess to the Holt Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon, May 20th, at her home.

Roll call was answered by members present giving the name of an official in government.

Mrs. Raymond Kirk, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Marvin Jones gave the program on "Hardy Summer Flowers: Zinnias, Marigolds, Petunias and Gladiolus."

Lovely refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Wayne Hutchison, Fred Holt, Raymond Kirk, Phyllis Jenkins, Marvin Jones and O. C. Holt.

The next meeting will be June 5th with Mrs. O. C. Holt as hostess.

Phyllis Pattison Camp Counselor

Phyllis Pattison, Junior in High school, will leave June 4th for Spokane, Washington, to spend the summer as Counselor of a private Youth Camp operated by Mr. and Mrs. Don Wabbling as a hobby.

Phyllis is the daughter of Mrs. Helen Pattison. She will be Counselor of nature and drama to the 20 campers who are there for the summer.

The Wabblings operate their camp on the family plan, giving each camper the home environment plus the classes taught by counselors.

Phyllis will spend a week with her aunt, Miss Arlene Pattison, head of Household equipment department at Washington State College at Pullman. Miss Pattison has a summer home on Newmarket lake, near the Ranch where Phyllis will be teaching.

She will receive her room, board and a small salary while at the camp. She will have charge of directing skits and stunts, a definite part of the summer program.

Phyllis will return to Spearman about August 28.

Hansford Soil Conservation District No. 148

Mr. Dave Schick of the Morse Community, a Cooperator with the Hansford Soil Conservation District, had excellent results with dry land maize by farming on the contour in 1954.

Mr. Schick produced an average of twenty bushels of grain sorghum per acre on a hundred acres. Some of the other dry land farms in the vicinity did not make enough maize to harvest.

He was assisted in laying out contours as part of his conservation farm plan by technicians of the Soil Conservation Service. His next operation was preparing the soil and laying off later rows on the contour. In this manner he saved most or all of the rain fall which fell before planting time.

Mr. Schick believes contour farming is a simple conservation practice that conserves water and definitely pays.

The recent rains which have been received should have a good season in the ground for a grain sorghum crop, by planting on the contour and conserving the water which may fall from now on through the summer should help produce a good grain crop this fall.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday: 9:45 A. M. Church School - There's A Class For Each Member of The Family.

11:00 A. M. There will be no Morning Worship Service as the Pastor is at Annual Conference in Lubbock, Texas.

6:30 P. M. Methodist Youth Fellowship Services.

7:30 P. M. There will be no Evening Worship Service as the Pastor is at Annual Conference in Lubbock, Texas.

Wednesday: 7:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting.

If you need the Pastor while he is at the Annual Conference in Lubbock, Texas, call the First Methodist Church in Lubbock, Texas, or get in touch with P. A. Lyon, Sr.

Aubrey C. Haynes, Minister.

Rainbow Initiation

Jo Southerland and Mickey Davis were initiated into the Order of Rainbow for Girls at the regular meeting held last week.

OSLO NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jensen had their sale of farm equipment in Tuesday.

Pastor and Mrs. John Maakestad and children have been visiting in this community Sunday night in our parish hall they showed beautiful slides of the natural beauty of Alaska, the congregation of which he was pastor in Fairbanks for five years and the mission station to which they are going at Shismaref, Pastor Maakestad will preach in our church next Sunday at 11:00 a. m.

Pastor and Mrs. John Maakestad and children, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knutson and Kathryn, and Miss Marie Stedje visited on Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. David Knutson and daughter at Stillwater, Okla. They were present to see David graduate from the cadet department of A. & M. College as second lieutenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wabbling and Miss Marie Stedje visited on Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. David Knutson and daughter at Stillwater, Okla. They were present to see David graduate from the cadet department of A. & M. College as second lieutenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jensen had their Sunday dinner in the Pete Dahl home.

Bobby McFadin, Glen Ward, Louise Knudson and Dorothy Stedje are the young people for our congregation who are accompanying the Gruber High School seniors on their trip to Arkansas. They left Saturday morning, May 21, and expect to be back Sunday May 29.

The Terry Huse family had Sunday dinner in the Gordon Sterje home.

Mrs. Jean Jones and Kathy of Guyman had Sunday dinner in the James Stedje home.

Mrs. Clara Stedje has not been very well lately. But we hope she will soon be back again to normal health.

Happy Homes H. D. Club

The Happy Homes Home Demonstration club met May 5 with Mrs. Bert Sheppard. The president called the meeting to order and called for an excellent "An appropriate salad for a holiday occasion."

All business was dispensed with and Mrs. Barnes gave a demonstration on Salads.

Mrs. Barnes brought the mystery box Mrs. Sheppard won it. There were seven members present at this meeting.

On May 19, the club again met in regular session in the home of Mrs. Bill Wilson. Mrs. Sheppard read the two-fold purpose of the club.

Roll call was answered with "What my family like to do best outdoors." Council report was given by Mrs. Bernard Barnes, who was elected as the club's nominee for delegate to the State meeting.

Mrs. Sheppard brought the lesson on outdoor cooking, and plans were made to have an outdoor breakfast in the near future.

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the hostesses to 7 members.

Wedding Plans Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Hollingsworth of 210 Ellwood Boulevard Anton, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jo Alice, to Rodney Dean Clawson son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clawson of Gruber.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Anton High School and Texas Technological College with a B. S. in Home Economics and is now employed by the Gruber Public School. Mr. Clawson is a graduate of Gruber High School and Attard Panhandle A. & M. College and is now engaged in farming at Gruber.

Wedding vows will be exchanged on July 8, at the First Baptist Church in Anton.

Red Cross Course Begins In Gruber

A Red Cross Course will be taught from Monday May 30 till June 3 and again on Monday June 6 from 8 - 11 A. M. in the Gruber Home Economics Department by a Red Cross qualified instructor.

The 18 hour course is open to all school students and all adults in the community. The course is a portion of the summer work under the Home Economics Teacher, Miss Jo Hollingsworth.

If you are interested please present in the Home Economics Department Monday May 30 at 8:00 A. M.

More Than 60 Diseases Of Poultry Diagnosed In Texas

College Station, May—More than 60 diseases of poultry have been diagnosed by research scientists in Texas during the past two years.

This is the number of diseases among some 11,637 chickens, turkeys and other avian submitted by farmers to state diagnostic laboratories at Gonzales, Center and College Station from 1952-54.

The diagnostic service is part of continuing research into poultry diseases. Laboratories are operated by the Department of Veterinary Medicine of Texas A. & M. College and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Pullorum, hemorrhagic disease, infectious bronchitis and coccidiosis were the diseases most frequently found among chickens submitted.

In turkey, fowl typhoid, hepatitis, enteritis (not-specific) and botulism were the most common. Many of the other reported diseases are rarely found.

"Other avian" included quail, pigeons, guinea fowls, ducks, canaries, pheasants, game cocks, geese and parakeets.

A complete summary of the diseases recognized during this period are given in Progress Report 1759, which is available from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

Warm Weather Puts Egg Quality On The Skids

College Station, May Warmer weather can put egg quality on the skids unless producers take a few precautions, warns F. Z. Beamblossom, extension poultry marketing specialist.

High temperatures and low humidity are two of the greatest enemies of good egg quality. For producers who sell on grade, a drop in quality means lower prices. Sold ungraded, a drop in quality means decreased consumer demand.

Keep the eggs clean. Beamblossom says. Use clean, dry nesting materials and keep the birds confined on wet days to avoid mud-tracked nests.

Step up the number of times each day eggs are gathered, preferably to two or three times daily. A wire basket allows air

Mrs. Fisher Hostess

The Hansford Home Demonstration Club met May 9, with Mrs. Pete Fisher in the regular business session. Mrs. Fisher was elected parliamentary and Mrs. J. T. McWhorter was appointed year book chairman after Mrs. Anna Rosenbaum and Mrs. L. W. Rosenbaum resigned their positions. Due to the absence of Miss Gibbs, the Agent, Mrs. Fisher gave the demonstration for the meeting. It was a "nutritional salad for the summer." Refreshments were served to seven members.

Brush Control . . . Never Ending Fight

Jack County, May—Brush control is a never ending fight in Jack county," says Ralph Wolfe who lives in the German community. We've used more than 12 different methods of control within the past 12 years."

Latest method to go to test in the county is the "bazooka," an injection type gun used in treating mesquite and oak trees. Range specialists report the bazooka needs more testing to find its proper place in the field of brush control.

Mechanical means employed in recent years include the ax, saw, bulldozer and cable, bulldozer and chain, burning and the latest method, tree injector.

"Building followed by goats to keep the sprouts grazed down probably is the most popular method of oak tree control in the county," says J. W. Halsey, county agent. "Coal oil still does a good job on mesquite."

Test plots where chemicals were applied from the air indicate that the airplane may have a place in Jack county's brush control program, Hulse adds.

Miss Wilson Gets \$200.00 Scholarship

El Paso, Ernestine Faye Wilson, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson, Gruber, has been named recipient of a \$200.00 Memorial Fund scholarship at Texas Western College for the 1955-56 school year.

Miss Wilson, a 1953 graduate of Gruber Independent High School, will major in music at Texas Western College.

LOST—Our Blue Parakeet bird has escaped. Anyone locating the bird are asked to return to Hubert Sloan. No. 25 2t

Loading Hens Are Expensive

College Station, May A hen that lays 250 eggs a year only eats 25 to 26 pounds of feed more than one that doesn't lay an egg.

This evidence enough why producers can't afford to feed a non-producer, says E. D. Parnell, professor of poultry husbandry at Texas A. & M. College.

A four pound non-laying hen will eat about 56 pounds of feed a year, while the same bird that lays 250 eggs yearly will consume about 31 pounds.

Feed costs make up 60 percent or more of the total cost of producing eggs, says Parnell. By culling closely, producers can cut feed costs per dozen eggs and help maintain their profits, he adds.

On along the roost at night with a flashlight and check the health signs of hens in production. Look for enlarged combs and wattles with a bright red color. They feel soft and waxy.

The hen's abdomen should be enlarged, but still soft and pliable. And her public bones should be wide apart, with the vent loose, moist and dilated. A good layer has loose, soft and pliable skin.

If a bird fails to meet these standards, put her in a crate and examine her again in the daylight. If she doesn't pass the test, call her.

New Bulletin On Grain Storage Available

College Station, May One farm-stored grain is dried to same moisture limits, certain practices should be followed to assure quality during storage. This statement keynotes a new bulletin by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The publication, Maintaining Quality of Farm Dried and Stored Grain, makes these recommendations on insuring the quality of stored grain:

1. When drying is completed, reverse the fans to pull air down through the grain.
2. Check the grain temperature at least once each week.
3. Check the grain content of the grain monthly.
4. Aerate as often as is necessary.
5. Check insect activity at least twice monthly and fumigate when required.
6. And, keep records on grain temperature and moisture contents.

Copies of the bulletin, L-235, which goes into each of the points in detail, is available from the local county agent's office.

Imperfect Snake

"I want to exchange these snakeskin pumps," a woman in a crowded shoe store told the salesman. "They are imperfect—see the scratches."

The clerk agreed and brought another pair out. "But those are imperfect, too," said the lady. "A few minutes later the man returned with eight pairs of shoes. The customer found a flaw in each pair. "They're all imperfect," she finally said.

"Madam, the salesman said wearily, "I'm not perfect, you're not perfect. How can you expect a snake to be perfect?"

FOR SALE: Lined Texas Certified Seed

60, at \$5.25, Redtop 15.25, Redtop 15.25, ask for quantity prices. Mercer, Box 12, Silverton, Texas.

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ical to control the pests all summer, entomologists say that 50 to 75 cents worth of toxaphene or chlordane will kill the red bugs on the average home lawn for about seven days.

Such a scheme is suggested to anyone planning an occasional picnic, party or other out-of-door activity. Or apply the insecticides to areas where the family sits or plays in the yard.

One pound of five percent of either of the insecticides applied to 1,000 square feet of lawn area is recommended by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The dusts are available from most feed, drug and grocery stores.

Sulfur has long been a popular chigger killer but toxaphene and chlordane are more effective, say entomologists.

Screw-Worm Season Is Here

College Station, May—Branding, dehorning, castrating and other seasonal livestock jobs may open the way to screw-worm infestation unless effective controls are used.

Stockmen are advised to be on the alert for these costly insects and to treat all fresh wounds on livestock, infested or not.

One application of EQ-235 smear should do the job, says C. F. Garner, extension entomologist. Large wounds may require a second treatment. EQ-235 contains lindane which gives a lasting killing effect.

Apply the smear directly to the wound, then put a small ring around the opening.

Screw-worms increase rapidly once present. If headed off from the start, a lot of trouble and needless loss can be avoided, Garner says.

Jade is a green material found in talc, or magnesium silicate

BEES having off-color yolks usually can be traced to bees that have eaten cottonseed products. Such eggs are appearing in Texas retail markets and are objectionable to consumers. Most cases of such eggs are traced to bees having access to cottonseed or other feeding operations where a cottonseed product is being fed or bees may be eating cottonseed or cottonseed hulls used as nesting litter.

A bee that lays 250 eggs a year eats only 25 to 26 pounds of food more than one that lays no eggs. There's no profit in feeding non-producers.

Detailed information on maintaining quality in stored grain is offered in a new publication just released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Ask your local county agent for a copy of H-212.

Chiggers may not cause a lot of damage but they can take the pleasure out of picnics and out-of-door activities. A pound of five percent dust of either chlordane or toxaphene applied to 1,000 square feet of lawn will control the pests for a week.

Stockmen are advised to be on the alert for screw-worms. Fresh livestock wounds should be treated with EQ-235 smear. One ap-

plication may do the job. Linde dene gives the smear a lasting killing effect.

Former delegates to National 4-H Club Camp, Washington, D. C. will be honored guests at camp ceremonies on June 26. The Silver Anniversary of National 4-H Camp is being observed.

Kindergarten Closes May 13

On September 13, sixteen youngsters accompanied by their mothers, met to enroll in Kindergarten, namely: Carla Archer, Bruce Bailey, Glenn Blodgett, Mansel Bryan, Gary Cates, Dorcas Eileen Collard, Jim David Crawford, Larry Crooks, Cynthia Davis, Gary Ellsworth, Lynne Garnett, Lynda Gunn, Jerry Holton, David McClellan, Roy Franklin Russell and Bill Skinner.

After enrollment we played games, sang songs, and listened to a story, then went home with our mothers.

The next day we were on our own, and thereafter the entire neighborhood seemed to be filled with voices and happy laughter as the children tripped out for their recess.

We were happy to have Brenton Haworth join our class on Oct. 1st, coming from Kansas.

After being dismissed for three months (due to my illness) classes were resumed Feb. 1st, at this time, we were glad to welcome

three new members: Murphy Allen, Catherine Lyons, and Melinda Pearson.

With twenty pupils we have maintained a high average attendance despite an epidemic of mumps and various other illnesses.

During our 51 months of classes we have learned many songs, nursery rhymes, did dramatizations and other interesting things.

We did various kinds of hand work: free hand drawings, cut-outs, coloring, clay modeling, spot painting, some finger painting, water coloring and block painting. We did numbers, had stories or talks each day, regarding health, obedience, kindness, manners and safety. We also had a series of nature stories.

We planted seeds and learned "In the heart of a seed, buried deep so deep, a dear little plant lies fast asleep."

We had a valentine party, many beautiful valentines were exchanged.

On Easter we went to the park and enjoyed an egg hunt.

We also dyed eggs and came up with some startling results mixing our colors. One feature they all looked forward to, was the birthday party. Every child has been honored on their birthday with a party, complete with candles, cake and ice cream. The one celebrating a birthday is a King or Queen and has the privilege of choosing an attendant. They are then duly crowned, and with

royal escorts, reign for a day in regal splendor.

Yes, we have had a good time. We have learned to work and play as a group, to share as well as to receive.

We've had wonderful help from the mothers, furnishing birthday cakes, bringing treats to the children, and many other things too numerous to name. For these and for your splendid cooperation in helping to make this year so pleasant, we are deeply grateful.

I sincerely hope I'm giving the child back to you parents and to a first grade teacher a little better prepared to embark on that journey we call "Schools days."

Sincerely, Mrs. J. E. Womble

C. Y. F. Encampment

The Christian Youth delegates from the Christian Church will leave Monday May 30 for the annual Youth encampment at Ceta Glen, eighteen miles from Happy Texas.

Too Many Drowning Thus Far In '55

College Station, May—The number of drowning fatalities in Texas streams and lakes is running far ahead of last year.

"Folks can't afford to forget their rules for water safety," cautions the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Committee. "The opening of swimming pools, along with the call of the streams, rivers and

lakes, places added emphasis on the necessity of safety in the water."

Of the 80,000,000 people who are expected to go for a swim this year, some 7,000 will drown.

Many drownings are caused by over-confidence, the committee says. "Too often people who have little swimming knowledge venture into deep water to show off their partially-developed skills and end up in trouble."

Select a safe place for swimming, preferably one supervised by a life-guard, the committee advises.

Don't go into deep water unless you are a seasoned swimmer, and then don't stay in too long.

Before diving be sure the water is deep enough and free of obstructions.

Never swim alone. Don't enter the water when tired or overheated, and wait at least two hours after eating to take a dip.

And, know how to save a drowning person and how to apply artificial respiration.

The committee's final advice to the aquatic-minded: think first of safety and then enjoy your swim.

Social Security Representative To Be Here June 1st.

A representative from the Social Security Office in Amarillo will be in Spearman, Wednesday,

June 1st. He can be contacted at the Court House at 1:00 p. m.

This representative can furnish any information or assistance which would be available at the District Office in Amarillo. He will receive applications for retirement or survivors insurance

under the Social Security Act; applications for original, duplicate, or change of name social security cards; and applications for employer identification numbers for new employers or employers recently becoming liable for making social security returns.

Any farm worker or self-employed farmer wishing information on the new provisions of the law applicable to farmers are also invited to contact this representative.

Typewriters for the Graduated Spearman Reporter.

Fish is good eating and contributes generously to nutritional needs. Only about seven species of fish are well known to the average person, but there are about 200 varieties sold in the United States plus about 40 varieties of shellfish.

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WEEK'S NEWS



ATTRACTIVE DAYTIME DRESS—Grace Kelly who is costumed with Bing Crosby and William Holden in "The Country Girl" is shown above in a smart daytime dress of white linen with full puffed skirt. This outfit has a Chinese coolie influence.



MAPPED TACHENS EVACUATION—Vice Admiral Alfred M. Pride, Commander of the U. S. Seventh Fleet, with Captain O. D. T. Lynch (right), plane commander of the fleet, planning the evacuation of Taipei aboard the cruiser USS Helena.



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Beautiful 10 Room Home Of Mr. And Mrs. Guy Cooper Of Gruver Is Mystery Home.

It was generally a coincidence that the mystery home this last week turned out to be the beautiful 10 room home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cooper of Gruver. The week before, the home published was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper, and the background history of Guy Cooper is largely the same as that of Fred Cooper. The facts in the case are that we do not know these homes and have no control whatever about who's home will be printed next. We have over 48 pictures here ready to print, and we do not know but about 6 of the homes. We have looked at all of them. The beautiful home pictured in the paper the past week was

built by Mr. and Mrs. Cooper about 5 years ago. The home place is located on a half section owned jointly by Darrell and Guy Cooper. The home is a model of beauty and comfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper are the parents of three lovely girls, all of whom are grown young ladies. The elder daughter is married and is Mrs. Durwood Bell of Texas. M. M. Fearie Cooper is the talented and well liked employee at the Gruver State Bank. The youngest daughter, Betty Ann is a student at W. T. S. C. of Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper were married in November of 1928. Mrs. Cooper is the former Ann Barlow of Perryton, daughter of the late Henry Barlow of Perryton.

Guy came to where Gruver is now located with his parents

when they moved to the section where Gruver was built back in 1917. He has lived in this area all the years since first coming to Gruver.

Guy and Darrell operate the Cooper Estate and additional land that each owns individually and collectively. They farm some 6 and a half sections of land and own and operate about 3 sections of grass land. Like others of this area the Cooper Brothers specialize on cattle and wheat. The ordinarily handle between 500 and 1000 head of cattle annually, but at this time their herd is down to less than 400 head.

Just as a matter of record we quote you the last three paragraphs out of last week's newspaper, since they apply to Guy Cooper the same as they applied to Fred Cooper.

The Cooper family is a well respected family in Hansford county. Two brothers of Guy, Fred and Darrell, farm and operate the Cooper Estate, and are well known as cattle-wheat operators.

Mrs. J. H. Cooper, mother of the late Mrs. Cooper, makes her home in Gruver, and is available to any of her boys . . . and they take advantage of her. She is well liked not only by her family but all over the North Plains where she has lived.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES JOHNSON, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration were granted to me on the estate of Charles Johnson, deceased, by the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, on March 7, 1955, and that I qualified as administrator of said estate on March 9, 1955. All persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment of such indebtedness to me. My Post Office address is Spearman, Texas, and my residence is Spearman, Hansford County, Texas.

C. A. GIBNER
Administrator of the Estate of Charles Johnson, Deceased.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

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in Hartley, Hutchinson, Moore, and Deaf Smith Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M. May 18, 1955 and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No Write or request are intended to be in conflict with the provisions

June Plantiflous Include Dairy Prod., Broilers, Fryers, Citrus

College Station, May—Milk and other dairy products are "feature foods" on the June plentiful food list. June is Dairy Month, too. The number of broilers and fryers reaching market age during the month are expected to be greater than in several months, keeping a favorite spring time meat on the plentiful list, says Mae Belle Smith, extension specialist in consumer education. Other abundant meats on the USDA's monthly report include beef, and such fish as canned tuna, halibut and frozen fillets of halibut, ocean perch and cod.

Miss Smith says stocks of fresh and processed lemon products, lemonade concentrate and lemon juice, are at exceptionally high levels.

FDR held his first "Fireaide Chat" in 1953, King George VI died February 6, 1952.

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Two Incoming IFYE Delegates To Texas

College Station, May 20 Incoming International farm Youth Exchangees, Miss Anna-Lea Nansen of Sweden and Ramazan Atli of Turkey, will spend a part of the summer living with Texas farm families. Miss Nansen will be in the Houston area and Atli in Ochiltree county.

According to A. H. Karcher, Jr., assistant state 4-H leader, Atli is expected to arrive in Perryton on May 22, and will depart in late July. Miss Nansen is tentatively scheduled to spend the period from August 10-September 27 in Texas.

Outgoing delegates from Texas are Cecil Reiser of Ochiltree county who will leave about June 1 for Iran and Miss Lou Buchanan of Harris county who is already in Wales.

Atli is 24 years of age and has lived on a 3,700 acre farm all of his life. Cuttings about 2,000 acres and wheat 1,000 acres are the principal crops grown. Some livestock, cattle and sheep are also produced on his home farm.

He is well acquainted with mechanized farming for 19 tractors provide power on the farm. He is interested in extension work, especially 4-H club work, and in securing information on cotton and livestock and large scale poultry production.

He is a Moslem; speaks Turkish but understands English. He has studied law for two years at Istanbul University.

Miss Nansen has lived on a 25 acre farm where the main crops are corn, potatoes and grass. Some livestock are also kept. She is interested in gardening, farm organizations and getting information on mechanized farming.

She has had experience in the Swedish 4-H club organization as an instructor for young people and school children. She is a Protestant and is a local newspaper reporter. Her hobbies and recreational interests are journalism, music and literature.

The IFYE program was started in 1948 and is handled by the National 4-H Club Foundation and the Agricultural Extension Service of the participating states.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lloyd Price and children of Blytheville, Arkansas, are here visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sparks, Joyce Ray and Glenda Butt, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Milam of Dallas, all attended the Square Dance Jamboree held Saturday night in Lamar, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oakes and three children of Bell Gardens, California, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLain are moving from Pampa to a farm north of Graver.

Word has been received from Dr. Spiller, formerly of Spearman, that he has been called back into Army service and has been assigned a tour of duty in Austria.

Jimmie Hester attended the funeral of an old friend with whom he had hunted a lot, Ralph Pitt, at Artesia, N. M., Thursday. Mr. Pitt passed away after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Lester Howell and Mrs. Gertrude Reinhardt are attending Ladies market in Dallas. They work for Jim Neely, Ready To Wear.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Glover of Evant, Texas visited in Spearman from Sunday through Wednesday of this week. The Glovers are former long-time residents of this city, and friends are always glad to see them come "home."

Mrs. Lelan Close is in a Pampa hospital suffering from diphtheria. She is much better this week.

Mrs. Bill Jones is a surgical patient in an Amarillo hospital since Monday.

Pastor and Mrs. O. L. Bryant made a trip to Austin this week to bring Timmy home for the summer. We welcome Timmy back into our midst.

Albert Tucker is in the Veterans Hospital in McKinney Texas, undergoing observation. In news from Al this week we will have a serious back operation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Martin entertained friends Monday evening at a back yard ice cream supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Steinkoenig and boys from Berger visited her parents the Jess Wombles on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Calvin Springer are spending two weeks in Rockdale, Texas visiting their parents and other relatives. They will return this week end.

Miss Lucille Turley, County Librarian, will tour Europe this summer with a group of teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crowder are on a three weeks vacation. They will visit Oregon and Washington and return via California to visit their son David, who is stationed there with the Army.

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SCHOOL IS OUT

All students returned to school Monday morning to receive their report cards—except the Seniors. Arrangements were made to mail theirs to them before they went on their Senior trip.

Mr. Helen Dettigan will spend the summer in Gunnison Colorado, working on her Masters degree at Western State College. Kathy and Pat will spend the summer in Gunnison with their mother. Phyllis will ride as far as Denver with her family and take the train from there to Spokane, Washington.

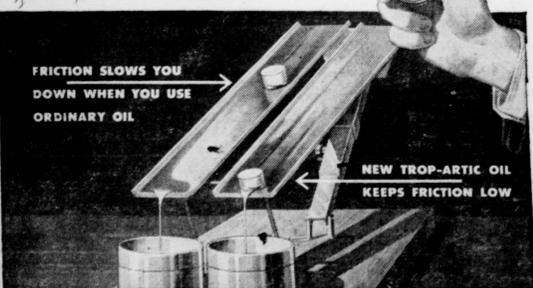
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