(Four Pages Today) Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, Thursday, August 26, 1943

Price Five Cents

Third War Loan Quota Is \$501,500

Revenue Gas Bond Election Set For September 15th

Proposal Will Be Voted Upon By Taxpayers

\$51,000 Bond Issue Would Be Lien Only On Gas Properties

Special election on the proposal the city of Spearman to issue 1,000 worth of revenue bonds to rehase the properties of the earman Gas Co. was ordered wednesday, Sept. 15, by the commission at its regular eling Wednesday, Aug. 18.
Election will be held from 8 a. the city hall with a

s. Gene Cline as clerks. The proposition calls for the mance of \$51,000 of revenue did to mature serially over a

a term not to exceed 20 years the event foreclosure is neces-ry and that the holder of each of shall never have the right demand payment of said obli-tion out of any funds raised or be raised by taxation. Sallots are to earry this word-

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"Tor the issuance of gas system revenue bonds, and the mortgaging of the system and the pledging of the revenues and income of said system to the payment thereof."
"AGAINST the issuance of gas system revenue bonds, and the mortgage of the system and the pledging of the revenues and income of said system to the payment thereof."
Mayor E. C. Womble, Commission.

yor E. C. Womble, Commisbeers R. L. McCleilan and H. Heard, and City Secretary Leo acus have spent many months udying the gas proposition and getting it in shape to present the voters.

The election will be conducted mader the general election laws thich state that only qualified lectors, who own taxable proprity in the city and who have ally rendered the same for taxition, shall be qualified to vote.

Happy Birthday

ugust 28 Mrs. Jesse Davis

August 29
Mrs. J. E. Gunn
August 31
Noel Womble
Mrs. Ben Malze
Gene Richardson
September 2
Mrs. Alvino Richardson
Ledru Jacobs
Birthday va missada

Birthday we missed: August 24 Clarence Kern, jr.

Roy Jones Takes Intensive Combat Training Course

Second Lieut. Roy L. Jones of Spearman, now an air corps bombardier, has arrived at the army air base, Alexandria, La., and has been assigned to the hombardment group there for an intensive course in combat flying. Upon completion of this training period, he and his crew will be ready to take one of the far famed Flying Fortresses into actual combat.

The bombardment group which has the task of readying four-ensine bomber crews for overseas duty is is under the command of Lt. Col. William I. Marsalis, veteran filer recently returned from the North African front.

Listed on his staff and among his instructors are more than 200 officers and enlisted men who have seen action in the various theaters of war. These veterans direct crews through final phases of training under conditions that simulate actual combat.

August 31 and Sept. 1, Dennis O'Keefe, Margo, in "Leopard Man."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chambers here last week from Lub-book visiting with relatives and heir many friends. They are former residents of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wallace returned last week-end from Wheeler, McLean and Oklahoma City, where they had been visiting relatives during their vacation.

Have Daughter And Son In Service



Lt. Edna A. Bassell, A. N. C., Brooke General hospital, Ft. Sam



S-Sgt. Lee M. Buchanan, C. W. graduate of Spearman High school at the U. S. Gypsum plant at of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buchanan.

pose of assisting federal taxpay-

ers in the preparation of their "Declaration of estimated income and victory tax for calendar year 1943."

Plains wheat farmers forecast next year's yields and to take advantage of favorable seasonal conditions or to foresee and avoid soil erosion hazards when they plan for fall wheat sowings in an effort to meet expanded acreage goals set by the War Food Administration.

H. H. Finnell, research specialist of the War Food Administration.

U. S. Collector Temperature Coming Sept. 7 Drops To 54 A deputy collector of internal On August 18

Temperature is steadily dropping at Spearman with lows of 54 and 56 reported Wednesday and Thursday of last week. The low has been some higher the past

condition for planting wheat, ey are greatly worried about feed situation for stock for

this winter.

Temperatures and rainfall the

Just we			
Brandt	as follows:		
August	High	Low	Rain
17	82	61	.0
18	88	54	.0
19	100	56	.0
20	99	64	.0
21	103	66	.13
22	98	66	.0
23	100	69	.0
24		66	.00
With	September	almost	here
farmers	are expec	ted to	star

Showing At Ellis Theatre, Perryton

August 26 and 27, Diana Barry-nore, Robert Paige in "Frontier

more, Robert Paige in "Frontier Bad Men." August 28, Lloyd Nolan, Carole Landis, in "It Happened in Flat-bush."

August 29 and 30, Rita Hay-worth, Victor Mature, in "My Gal

August 31 and Sept. 1, Dennis O'Keefe, Margo, in "Leopard

Administration.

H. H. Finnell, research specialist of the War Food Administration Soil Conservation Service of Amarillo, extracted the formula from records on 901 wheat farms in soil conservation demonstration projects, and he said it has worked successfully "hundreds of times under a wide variation of seasonal and soil conditions."

Of all the factors influencing wheat yields, July rainfall and soil moisture at fall planting time are most important, Finnell said.

July Rain Is Factor

In the light of the Finnell formula, a generally favorable July rainfall in the West Texas High Plains has raised the prospects for the wheat harvest 11 months later. He pointed out that gen-

Delinguents Will Not Get The Reporter

Gift Subscriptions Sent To Two Boys In Military Service

Subscriptions Received.

W. A. Queen, Gruver.
Bernard Barnes, Spearman.
L. L. Hill, Texhoma, Okla.
Pfc. A. L. Prutsman, air depot

care postmaster, San Francisco, gift of his mother, Mrs. Nan

Prutsman.

Mrs. Leroy Cronise, Pantex
Village, Amarillo.

Anson Ward, Gruver.

Cpl. Jewel J. Ward, U. S. infantry, care postmaster, San Francisco, gift of his brother, Anson
Ward.

Pvt. C. Ralph Blodgett, air corps, Buckley Field, Calif., gift of his mother, Mrs. Deta Blod-

gett.
Walter Hardy, Eutaw, Okla.,
gift of his niece, Mrs. J. E. Wom-

The Spearman Reporter sub-scription list has been paid up extraordinarily good this month,

extraordinarily good this month, although the number received by Monday was slightly under most of the recent weeks.

Subscribers are asked to see that their subscriptions are paid up by the expiration date. Uncle Sam wants every newspaper possible to reduce the consumption of news print. One way that this can be done is to cut off every delinquent subscription—and that is the policy of The Reporter.

Rates are \$2 a year in Hansford and adjoining counties; \$2.50 a year elsewhere.

a year elsewhere.

Anson Ward of Gruver came to

Anson Ward of Gruver came to The Reporter Monday and paid up for two years, although his subscription was not out until Sept. 1. That is the spirit The Reporter likes—a subscriber who acts like he is going to be with us a long time. He also subscribed for his brother, Cpl. Jewel J. Ward, who is in the Pacific area. J. Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tice, and Ruth Jane Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Van Cleave, returned with them. They are all employed in an airplane plant in Los Angeles.

Gas Books Ready For Rural Schools

Gas ration books and other data concerning the operation of Miss Betty McKay has been visiting friends and relatives in Spearman since August 19. She will return to her training at Harris Memorial hospital in Fort Worth, Aug. 30. Miss Mildred McCay will return with her to buy gas for the operation of the buyses.

In Next Year's Wheat Crop

AMARILLO, Aug. 19—A simple formula has been developed that will help Southern High Plains wheat farmers forecast Plains wheat farmers forecast

siderably above normal, and, in some localities, approaching an all-time record.

This condition, the research spe-cialist pointed out, coupled with

the further accumulation of

cialist pointed out, coupled with
the further accumulation of a
soil moisture supply between now
and sowing time, will have much
to do with giving the crop a
good start which will enable it
to weather the hazards of uncertainty natural to the spring,
growing season.

His long experience in erosion
control research and use of soil
conservation practices has led
Finnell to accept this formula as
a reasonably accurate way of
forecasting next year's wheat crop
on the basis of this year's known
conditions:

Multiply the number of inches
of July rainfall by 2 1-3.

Divide the number of inches
of depth of soil moisture penetration at wheat sowing time
by 3.

Add these two values together and subtract 614.

This Geis Average Expected

July Rainfall Held Factor

Enjoying Trip Through Carlsbad Caverns



Col. Thomas H. Bowes, super-

Col. Thomas H. Bowes, super-intendent of the Carlsbad Cavl has made a number of trips erns, Mrs. Raymond Jarvis and through the caverus and enjoys son, Tom, of Stinnett, Mack Lugenbyl of Stinnett, Mrs. Helen first one.

Common School **Budgets Worked** On By Barkley

Common school budgets were being prepared recently by Judge

Hitchland budget was for \$2-622.50 compared with \$2,461.46 for the past year. Kimabil was for \$3,576; year ago, \$3,596.30.
Budgets for the past year for

Budget Hearing Set For Today

Thursday, Judge A. F. Barkley

No visitors showed up Monday for the budget hearing, indicat-ing lack of interest or time of Hansford county residents.

expected yield per acre in bushels

of wheat; and, he added, the "chances are two to one that this average will be within three bushels of the actual yield har-

vested."

If a crop failure, or an extremely low yield is indicated, wind erosion dangers are greatly increased. Preparing and seeding the land, without getting a good cover of wheat to protect the soil, will leave fields subject to severe wind erosion during the winter and early spring "blow season."

"Since the efficient use of soil and moisture resources in the

and moisture resources in the production of essential crops is of great importance to the na-tional interest in wartime, tak-ing advantage of favorable sea-

sonal conditions to increase pro-duction is just as important as

avoiding a waste of seed and labor where conditions are so unfavorable as to predict an al-most sure failure." Finnell said. Example Given

(Continued on PAGE FOUR)

1943 Acreage Measurements Required Now

Urgent warning was sent to Hansford county farmers this an, AAA committee, to turn 1943 acreage measurements to e county office as quickly as ssible and sign this year's per-

under this year's program, and the amount of what raised.

"We expect applications for payment right away and many will be submitted for approval by October I," the chairman said.

ed last week, include cotion, one cent per pound; wheat, 8.5 cents per bushel; and rice, 3.2 cents per barrel. Original rates announced earlier in the year placed the cotton payment at 1.1 cents per pound and wheat at 9.2 cents per bushel.

Rates of payment on rice and for computing payments, carried

percent of the farms in the county have been measured, 225 out of 651 farms.

J. M. Miller, Roy Womble and Mr. and Mrs. McCloy of Morse were in Spearman on business Wednesday.

Hansford Goal 183 Pct. Over Quota In April

County Is Assigned 60 Pct. Above High Sum Raised In Spring

Hansford county quota for the

Hansiord county quota for the fairness of county quota for the ginning Thursday, Sept. 9, has been set at \$501,500.

The official quota was received by D. D. Moore, county finance chairman from Nathan Adambs, state finance chairman.

The high quota almost sheeked

The high quota almost shocked local workers, as it was an in-crease of almost 60 per cent over the \$317,400 sold in April during the second war loan drive.

\$178,000 for that drive and it is believed that the high over-sub-scription must have been a rea-son for the excessive quota set in this drive, which is 183 per cent

raised from individuals, includ-ing farmers and ranchers, and business firms and employes. "Although the quota is regard-ed as excessive, all we can do is to get to work and do the best we

meeting the quota."

Gray county's goal is \$1,380,-000, compared with \$630,000 in April. The county raised \$860,-000 of bonds in April.

Some other county goals are: Carson, \$582,000; Moore, \$326,000; Lubbock, \$4,618,000; Hale \$1,991,-000

000, more than four times its April quota. A Borger story said that the Hansford quota is \$624,-000, but it must have been lowered at Dallas since information was sent to Dallas to R. L. Grimes, district chairman for four counties.

Redemption Urged Of Invalid Stamps

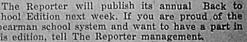
Effective September 1 through-out the United States 100 gallon bulk coupons, Form OPA R553A, and old types of "B" and "C" cou-pons, Forms OPA R-527A, R-528, R-528A will not be valid for trans-fers of gasoline to consumers. Any ration holder whose ration

measurements are required, wailin said figures were needed on
wheat. Only the estimated acreage of remaining crops is necessary in filling performance reports.
According to AAA records, 35
by mail, and should be done bemay be done either in person or by mail, and should be done be-fore Sept. 1.

Those who have the new type-books (accordian plaited pages) need not surrender them.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hill of Tex-homa were in Spearman on busi-ness Thursday.

Back To School Edition Will



School Edition next week. If you are proud of the Spearman school system and want to have a part in this edition, tell The Reporter management.

Firms having merchandise to sell to patrons, students and the teachers should find the edition beneficial, as well as those wishing to create good will among trose groups in the community.

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R. V. Converse Says . . .

If all of this uncertainty about what the administration is going to do about the cattle situation is what the administration is going to do about the cattle situation is not cleared up soon it will be too late to save us from a major calismity in the livestock industry. Some think it will take tough steak in Washington to convince some of the dreamers that there is really a serious situation in the read outlook, but when Washington commences to chew on steak that does not respond it will be too late. Many of the boys are not buying the cattle they would if the feed situation was different and many of the farmers who usually pasture cattle on their wheat through the winter are not taking on any cattle for fear that they cannot get sufficient feed during the winter season. There is much wheat already drilled and if we were to have a good rain in this section there would not be cattle enough here to keep the wheat grazed off and much of it could head out this fall if not grazed.

The Russian bear has really The Russian bear has really stretched out a paw and dragged in much that Hitler thought was his for keeps. Hitler's bubble is about to burst in his face and when it does all Germany will realize that dreams are often fine things to talk about but are seldom realized.

Politics is commencing to get mixed up with everything these days and election is over a year in the future. What will things

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Santa Fe Promotes Tucker To Coast

The appointment of Clarence R. Tucker, assistant general manager of the Santa Fe Western Lines to the position of assistant general manager of the Coast Lines, was announced in Amarillo this week by G. C. Jeffris, general manager.

Tucker, one of the youngest of-ficials on the system to attain the important post as assistant gener-al manager has had jurisdiction over the Southern District of the Western Lines, with headquar-ters in Amarillo.

ters in Amarillo.

He succeeds to the position on the Coast Lines vacated through the retirement of F. J. McKle, because of ill health. McKle served the railroad for more than 43 years, and was well known in the Panhandle territory where he was superintendent of the Plains division with headquarters in Amarillo from 1921 to 1928. In the latter year he was promoted to the assistant general managership of the Coast Lines. He continues to have interests in the Panhandle and with Judge H. E. Hoover has some wheat land near Spearman.

Mrs. Albert Jacobs and Mrs. J. M. Cates attended the "Free Na-tions" Theocratic assembly of Je-hovah's Witnesses at Amarillo, August 20, 21, and 22.

look like when the boys who are look like when the boys who are in commence to defend their po-sitions and the boys who are out commence to tell us where it would have been better if they had been at the steering wheel? The Townsend crowd has been growing and gaining more power. growing and gaining more power They have even made Roseevell conscious of their existence and in order to get away from their influence he has come out with an idea that it would be nice to enlarge social security so that ev-en the farmers could pay into the jack pot fund.

A new phrase just heard is "Raise chickens and eat."

Yours, R. V. CONVERSE.

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We have the best stock of parts we have had for several months— Don't accept inferior parts for your Chevrolet.

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We just got in a shipment of Gates Premium Line Car tires. Sizes 5.50×16 to 6.50×16 .

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W. E. McClellan Spearman

Rationing Calendar To Sept. 3

War Ration Book I
Sugar: Stamp 14 beca.me valid
August 16, expires Nov. 1. Nos.
15 and 16, for canning, product five pounds each through Oct-ober 31. Shoes: Stamp No. 18 good un-

October 31, inclusive. War Ration Book II

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Blue Stamps (Canned fruit, canned vegetables, fruit juices, soup, frozen food, catsup, etc.) R, S, and T became valid August 1, now expire on September 20. U and V become valid on September 1 and expire October 20. Red Stamps (Meat, canned meat, butter, margarine, lard, cheese, butter, margarine, lard, cheese,

Red Stamps (Meat, canned meat, butter, margarine, lard, cheese, canned fish, fats, oil and canned milk): X became valid August 22; Y becomes valid August 29; and Z becomes valid September 5; all expire October 2.

War Ration Book III

Brown Stamps become valid for meats on September 12.

Gasoline
(Gasoline coupons must be en-

Gasoline coupens must be endorsed on the front immediately upon receipt. Car owners still holding old type "B" and "C" gasoline ration books should exchange for new mileage ration sheets of coupons between August 23 and September 1).

No. 7 "A" coupons now good for 3 gals. each through September 21. 'B" and C" good for 3 gals. each, "D" good for 3 gals. each, "D" good for 15 good for 3 gals.

ber 21. 'B" and C" good for 3 gals. each. "D" good for 1½ gals. each. "D" good for 1 gal. each. "R" and "TT" good for 5 gals. each. "B", "C", 'E", & "R" issued for 3 menths with any coupons left over valid for further use.

Tire Inspection

'A" book holders must have second official inspection by September 30; "B" book holders, third inspection by October 31; and "C" book holders, third inspection by August 31; "T" book holders, second inspection within 6 menths of last date of inspection or every 5,00 miles, which-ever comes first. Speedometer ever comes first. Speedometer reading should be written in on record.

Kelly Knight and husband, Allen Knight to J. C. Harris, section 303, block 2, G.H.&H.
Ry, Co., 640 acres. Consideration pledging of such revenues and the pledging of such revenues and such as a such revenues and such as a such as a such as a such as a such as a

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COUNTY OF SPEARMAN

To the resident, qualified, property taxpaying voters of the City of Spearman, Texas:

Take notice that an election will be held in the City of Spearman, Texas, on the 15th deepen.

Lake notice that an election will be held in the City of Spearman, Texas, on the 15th day of Spearman, Texas, on the 15th day of September, 1943, on the proposition and at the place more particularly set forth in the order of election adopted by the city commission on the 18th day of August, 1943, which is as follows:

Resolution and Order
By the city commission of the City of Spearman, Texas, calling an election on the question of the issuance of revenue bonds of said city in the amount of \$51,000.00, for the purpose of securing funds with which to acquire a gas plant and distribution system serving the city of Spearman and its 15th.

whereas, the city commission deems it advisable and to the best interest of the City of Spearman to acquire a gas, plant and distribution system serving said city and its inhabitants and territory adjacent to said city; and whereas, it is considered to be to the best interest of the city that such system be financed by the

Warraniy Deeds

Grace C. and Chas. Reming of Los Angeles, Calif., Chase B. and Vera M. Grant, Frances M. and John D. Robbins of Van Buren county, Mich.; Gordon K. and Alta M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and Martin M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, Mich.; Gordon K. and M. Grant of Wayne county, M. Grant of Wayne c

lamended, and in no wise supported by an ad valorem or other tax on property in the city; and Whereas, the city commission deems it advisable and proper that the question of the issuance of such revenue bonds and the pledging of such revenues and the mortgaging of said system be submitted to the qualified electors of said city;

bution system serving the city of Spearman and its inhabitants and territory adjacent to said city: mortgaging said system, and pledging the revenues of said system for the payment thereof.

mentioned in will.

Cancellation of power of attorney made by Nelson W. Willard of Cook county, Ill., May 1, 1930, and Oct. 26, 1937, to John H. Keefe and Robert D. Lutton made Aug. 11 and filled Aug. 16.

George M. Whitson to George M. Whitson it, William J. Whith Son and Jack H. Whitson, 40 acressout of section 154, block 47, Can. Oct. 26, 1931, to G. E. Oakes, quitelaim and 105; filled Aug. 16.

R. J. Shive of Kay county, Okla., to G. E. Oakes, quitelaim deed, lot 1, block 59, Spearman Consideration \$10; filled Aug. 18.

B. W. and Velma H. Renner to J. R. Renner, section 296, block 2, G.H.&H. Ry. Co. Consideration \$10; filled Aug. 18.

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of shall never have the right to demand payment of said obliga-tion out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

be raised by taxation.

2. That said election shall be held at the City Hall building, within said city, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to-wit:

pointed managers thereof, to-wit:

O. C. Raney, predising judge,
J. D. Hester, assistant judge,
Mrs. Sid Clark, clerk,
Mrs. Gene Cline, clerk.

3. That said election shall be
held under the provisions of and
in accordance with the laws governing the issuance of municipal
bonds by cities, as provided in
the General Laws of the State of
Texas, and only qualified electors,
who own taxable property in the
city and who have duly rendered
the same for taxation, shall be
qualified to vote.

The ballots for said election

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:
"For the issuance of gas system revenue bonds, and the mort-gaging of the system."

tem revenue bonds, and the mort-gaging of the system and the pledging of the revenues and in-come of said system to the pay-ment thereof."

"Against the issuance of gas

Against the issuance of gas system revenue bonds, and the mortgage of the system and the pledging of the revenues and income of said system to the payment thereof."

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leav-ing the other as indicating his 4. That a copy of this resolu-

4. That a copy of this resolution and order, signed by the
mayor of said city and attested by
the city secretary, shall serve as
proper notice of said election.

5. The mayor is authorized and
directed to cause this notice of
election to be posted at three public places within said city, one of
which shall be at the City Hall
and one of which shall be at the
place designated for holding said
election, for at least fifteen (15)
full days prior to the date of
said election.

6. The mayor is further authorized and directed to cause this
notice of election to be published

notice of election to be published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said city, on the same day in each of two

successive weeks, the date of first publication to be not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date of said election.

Passed and approved this the 18th day of August, 1943.

(Seal) E. C. WOMBLE,
Mayor, City of Spearman,

Attest: LEO DACUS.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE: Duplex, 5 rooms to Richardson, Spearman.

STRAYED OR STOLEN - One yearling steer, from V. E. Ro farm one half mile south farm one half mile south of Spearman, branded Bar L on left hip, bar left of L. Pay \$10 reward for return or information on re-turn, Vernie Rosson. 36-1tp

FOR SALE: 8 piece dining room suite. 1 30-gallon water heater. Mrs. Roy Womble, Morse, Texas.

FOR SALE: Six room modern stucco house with basement. Gar-age and trees. See A. N. Mea-

LOST: 4-year-old white face cow. branded "J" on right shoulder and "G" on left jaw. Bud Jackson. 36-2tp

LOST OR STRAYED: One steer about 800 pounds, brand back of left shoulder similar to inverted "V." J. C. (Pete) Cluck. 34-4tc

FOR SALE: 1930 model D John Decre tractor on rubber, one 3-foot International one-way. Phone F13, Box 211, Gruver, Texas.

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Adelaide Shedeck---Jack McWhirter Wed At Home Of Bride's Parents

The candle-light wedding of ack McWhirter of the Amarillo ir Field took place Friday on ugust 20, at 9 p. m. in the home t the bride's parents, Mr. and frs. Harry M. Shedeck, of Spear-McWhirter of the Amarillo

Rev. J. E. Eldridge, pastor of the Methodist church in Spear-nan, performed the double ring

permony.

Decorations were of pink, orchigand white gladioli, pink asters, and baby breath.

Music for the occasion includit "I Love You Truly," played by Miss Lesta Lee Sharpe of Folett and "Oh Promise Me," sung y Miss Sharpe accompanied by Miss Catherine Tatum of Phillips.

The maid of honor was Miss. The maid of honor was Miss Itona Shedeck, sister of the orde, who wore a soft blue wool riess with a corsage of gladioli.

Bill McWhirter, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man.

The mother of the bride wore a dress of navy blue sheer crepe.

a dress of navy blue sheer crepe. Her corsage was of red gladioli. The bride wore a navy blue crepe dress with matching accessories. She carried a white Bible belonging to a club sister, Miss Billle Quinn of Amarillo. For semething "old" she carried a white silk handkerchief belonging to her mother, that is a souvenier of France from World War L Her corsage was of pink roses. Her corsage was of pink roses. Mrs. McWhirter is a graduate of the Spearman High school with



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MRS. JACK McWHIRTER

part in the band, F. H. T. Club, and other school activities. She was Personality Queen of S. H. S. for 1940-41. After graduation from high school, she attended Wayland college, Plainview,

from high school, she attended Wayland college, Plainview, where she was known as an active member of the band, chorus, Y. W. A., and Gamma Delta Social Sorority. Then she attended W. T. S. C., Canyon, where she was a member of Delta Zeta.Chi. Pfc. McWhirter, son of Mr. John McWhirter of Claude, is a graduate of the Claude High school with the class of 1940. He attended W. T. S. C. where he was a junior at the time of his induction into the armed forces. On the W. T. campus he was outstanding as a member of the Agriculture. on the W. I. campus ne was out-standing as a member of the Ag-gies, Type High, Alpha Chi na-tional honor society, Epsilon Be-ta social fraternity, and is listed in "Who's Who" of American Colleges and Universities.

leges and Universities.

Following the wedding was a reception, at which sandwiches, punch, and a three tiered wedding cake were served. Miss Lesta Lee Sharpe presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Carl E. Jessee of Levelland, college roommate of the bride, cut the cake after the first piece was cut and served by the bride.

Mrs. Sam Van Cleave of Los Angeles, Calif., presided at the guest book.

Ilowers. After the opening of many nice gifts, the girls went in a group to the show. Present were Verna Lee Gibner, Marvel Jo Gibner, June Edwards, Betty Jo Pierce, Winifred wards, Betty Jo Pierce

Angeles, Cain, presided at the guest book.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Allen and Verna Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rosenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Van Cleave,

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Van Cleave, Rev. and Mrs. Eldridge and Ern-est Sheets.
Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill McWhirter, Miss Sue Curice, and Dan Larison of Amarillo, Mr. John McWhirter of Claude, Miss Catherine Tatum and Miss Vivien Rook of Phillips, Mrs. Carl E. Jessee of Levelland, Miss Lesta Lee Sharpe. Follett, and Lesta Lee Sharpe, Follett, and Mrs. Sam Van Cleave of Los An-geles, Callf. , Mrs. McWhirler will return to Amarillo with Mr. McWhirter.

WALKER CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. GANDY he Blanche Rose Walker Cir he Blanche Rose Walker Cir-cle met Wednesday, Aug. 18, in the home of Mrs. Gill Gandy. Mrs. W. D. Cooke led the lesson, which was taken from the book of Isiah. Present were Mesdames Fred J. Hoskins, J. Gill, W. D. Cooke, Fred Brandt, Jess Ed-wards, Sam Van Cleave, and the hostess, Mrs. Gandy.

Mrs. Ray Ownbey of the Prin-gle Community was shopping in Spearman Monday.

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ADELAIDE SHEDECK GIVEN
PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

Miss Adelaide Shedeck was honored with a pre-nuptial shower Wednesday, August 18, in the home of Mrs. Al Britten. Mrs. Virgil Floyd and Mrs. Dennis Ford were co-hostesses.

The decorations were carried out in the bride's chosen colors of blue and white. Blue streamers were hung from the candlelabra to the center of attraction, a bride dressed in blue.

The group played several games and gave the honoree household hints and advice before presenting her with many useful and beautiful gifts.

Her colors were also carried out in the refreshments. Blue cupcakes, white ice cream, and punch and sandwiches were served to the following: Mesdames H. A. Sloan, John Kenney, Ben Maize, Hix Wilbanks, Clint Bennett, J. C. Cluck, Deta Blodgett, Carl Hutchison, Dee Jackson, Ted Rosenbaum, A. D. Morton, and Carl E. Jessee of Levelland, Misses Lesta Lee Sharpe of Follett, Veda Hutchison, Leona Shedeck and the honoree.

Those sending gifts were Misses

ree.
Those sending gifts were Misses
Willie and Ina Mackie.

DELPHINIM FLOWER CLUB MEETS AT PHELPS HOME

The Delphinium Flower Club net in the home of Mrs. Ray Phelps Monday, August 23. Mrs. M. S. Chambers led the lesson, "Good News for Jelly-makers," Mrs. Chambers also won the first prize for the best flower arrangement.

Present were: Mesdames M. S. Chambers, Sid Clark, Vester P. Hill, Joe Hatton, H. L. Wilbanks, and the hostess, Mrs. banks, Phelps.

QUILT CONTEST WON

BY ALICE YANEY

The Homemakers' H. D. Club held the drawing for the quilt Saturday, August 21, at the Spearman Drug Co, Alice Yancey was the winner.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN VELMA RUTH FOX

Mrs. Phebe Fox surprised her daughter, Velma Ruth, with a birthday theater party Wednesday, Aug. 18. The girls were served ice cream and devil's food and angel food cake. The room was decorated with beautiful cut flowers. After the opening of many nice gifts, the girls went in a group to the show.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR LED
BY GERALD BRILEY
The Christian Endeavor met
last Sunday night with Gerald
Briley, president, presiding.
Gwendolyn Davis led the devotional, and Bill Keahey led the
lesson on "The Beatitudes: What
They Mean to Me." Those assisting in the lesson were Idella
Close, Sybil Birdwell, Jean Hill,
Gwendolyn Davis, Gerald Briley,
Pat Becker and Brother Bastion.
Next week Sybil Birdwell will
lead the devotional and Idella
Close will have charge of the
lesson, All young people of high
school age are cordially invited.

First Christian Church

First Christian Church

10 a. m. Sunday school. Come,
let us reason together. A special
welcome and invitation extended
to all. Floyd Hull, superintendent. 11 a. m. Holy Communion.
As did the church in the beginning under the guidance of the
Holy Spirit, so we also meet upon the first day of each week to
break bread, until He comes
again. 11:15 a. m. Sermon, "God's
Purpose as It Relates to Real
Life." 8 p. m. Christian Endeavor. 9 p. m. Sermon, "The Universal Christ." Following the evening sermon, there will be a baptismal service. C. F. Bastion, pastor.

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What The Folks In Service Are Doing

Av./s Lowell Robertson, 82nd Coll. Tng. Det., Squadron E, Flight 2, Mount Pleasant, lowa, wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Robertson, that he is in beautiful territory, where it is neither too he nor too cold nor windy. He says he has gained a let of weight. Lowell is doing very well in his work, and expects to start flying soon. Lowell graduated from Spearman High in 1943. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps Reserve several weeks before he graduated.

Sgt. and Mrs. Al Richards are s Lowell Robertson, 82nd

before he graduated.
Sgt. and Mrs. Al Richards are
in Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Richards
is the former Miss Farene Odom.
She went to Seattle about five
weeks ago from Gruver, after her husband was transferred there from the Amarillo Air Field. Sgt. Richards is now on the rifle range, but expects to be sent to a gun-ners school soon.

ners school soon.

Pvt. Ledru Jacobs, Co. A.A.S.FR.T.C., Camp Maxey, Texas, is in Spearman on a 15-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Dude Hart received a cablegram Tuesday morning from their son, Wilbert morning from their son, Wilbert Hart, saying, "All is well and safe. Keep smiling." This was the first sord received from him since July 24. They think that perhaps he is in England.

Clyde Miller, U. S. Navy, care postmaster, San Francisco, is doing fine and writes that he enjoys. The Berostra, It always.

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Clyde Miller, U. S. Navy, care postmaster, San Francisco, is doing fine and writes that he enjoys The Reporter. It always means a letter from home to him. I and relatives in Spearman.

EASTERN STAR OBSERVES ROBT. MORRIS BIRTHDAY

Spearman Chapter No. 721
O.E.S. observed Robt. Morris
birthday Friday night with a
lawn party at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Fred J. Hoskins. Members of the chapter and their
families were invited.

families were invited.

A basket lunch was served to and enjoyed by Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Daily and daughters, Barbara Jean and Elaine; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Shiñley and daughter, Gwendolyn; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Dude Hart; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Crooks and daughter, Joy, Mrs. Elma Gunn and mother, Mrs. England; Misses Dorothy Daniels and Mary Sparks; the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Frod Hoskins and children, Mrs. Dick Kilgore, Misses Sada Ruth, Winifred, and Joan,

Olin Chambers, F 1-c, Seabees,

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutchison re Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutchison re-ceived a cablegram last week from M-Sgt. Wayne V. Hutchi-son, bomb squadron, care post-master, San Francisco, Calif., saying that he was having a grand time on a seven-day leave. He is in Australia. Cpl. Jewel J. Ward, U. S. in-fantry, has written his brother, Anson Ward, that he would like to see China. He is believed to

to see China. He is believed to have been on Guadalcanal the past several months. He and a friend formerly worked together in Amarillo and laughingly said they would "meet in Burma." A few weeks ago they met in Guadalcanal. In order that Jewel

Sada Ruth, Winifred, and Joan,

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Prutsman of San Benito, Texas, were here the past week yisiting with Mr. Prutsman's mother, Mrs. Nan Prutsman. He is expecting his call to the service any day.

Wrap fish and seafood in waxed paper and store in or directly beneath freezing unit. Use as quickly as possible.

Store eggs in moist-cold compartment or in covered dish to prevent loss of mois-ture and vitamins through porous shelt. Do not wash eggs before storing as it removes natural protective coating.

MOON CIRCLE MEETS

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WITH MRS. TICE
Mrs. Dave Tice was hostess to
the Lottle Moon Circle Wednesday, Aug. 18. Mrs. Robert Baley
presided in the absence of the
chairman, Mrs. W. M. Glover.
Miss Altha Groves gave the opening prayer and a song by the
members followed. The lesson
was a Bible study beginning with
II Chronicles, 12 to 24 chapters.
The meeting closed with the benediction by Mrs. Baley.
Those present were Mesdames
Ed Hutton, Jay Gould, Altha
Groves, Dana Hazelwood, D. B.
Kirk, L. Hughes, Mrs. Baley and
Mrs. Tice.

Mrs. Tice.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. D. B. Kirk with Mrs. Ed Hutton as leader.

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Spread tender-skinned fruit on lower shelf of refrigerator to prevent bruising.

Do not wash or stem berries. Spread out on shallow dish or put in colander to pre-vent mold. Avoid bruising.

Ground fresh meat should be wrapped and frozen if not to be used day of pur-chase. It spoils more rapidly because of finely divided fibres. Wash, drain and place vegetables in crisper. Refrigerate as quickly as possible to prevent vitamin loss.

Never store bananas in refrigerator. They keep better at room temperature.

Store quick-frozen foods in freezing unit. Do not try to refreeze thawed foods. Never pour milk or cream back into bot-tles. Keep in covered jar or pitcher.

Keep opened cans of condensed or evapo-rated milk under refrigeration the same

Keep butter in covered dish away from foods with strong odors.

Store cheese in covered container to prevent drying. A thin coat of butter on cut edge also helps.

Remove paper coverings from all foods, except frozen foods, before storing.

Keep leftovers and all liquids covered to protect flavor and vitamin content.

Wrapped bread and coffee in tight container will stay fresh longer if kept in refrigerator.

Always keep main food compariment at right temperature—40° is safest.

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Polio Scare Is Worrying Many People

Although Spearman and Hans-ford County apparently so far have avoided having any infan-tile paralysis cases to date, the citizenship generally is somewhat littery for fear the disease may get started.

get started.

During the past week there has been more effort made than usual to keep the city as clean as possible so that flies and filth may not be a contributing factor. Parents in many instances are keeping the children more at home. One church leader said that this was evident at services at his congregation. Also, many parents are said to be keeping the children away from picture shows and public gatherings.

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Some persons have the opinion that the disease will drop rapidly when cooler wheather comes around the middle of September. The Reporter has been asked to use its influence to get the opening of school postponed.

However, the newspaper feels that this is a subject that should be handled by the school board, superintendent and health department.

Over at Dalhart the owner of two picture shows several weeks ago asked the children to stay away and that when the infantlle paralysis epidemic was over that he would give a free show for them for their courtesy. Evidently, this promise did not work as the scare has been on for several weeks and the show could not be given.

Children kept on attending in the hospital for some time, he was given a medical discharge. He was given a medical discharge the was given a medical discharge. He was given a medical discharge. He was given a medical discharge the was given a medical discharge. He was given a medical discharge the was given a medical discharge the was given a medical discharge the was given a medical discharge. He was given a medical discharge the was given a m

not be given.
Children kept on attending Children kept on attending shows and the manager last week issued a statement to the press that he was not pleased with having so many children gathered having so many children gathered at one time in his theaters. He evidently did not want any blame attached to his business, should an epidemic get started in his

community.

The disease apparently is spreading in several other counties in the Panhandle. Another death was reported from Wheeler county. Downstate the disease has reached epidemic stages in the larger cities.

Helen Lyle Weds Chester Smith

The marriage of Miss Helen
Lyle, daughter of Mr. Carl Lyle
of Gruver, and Mr. Chester Smith
of Amarillo which took place
June 12, 1943, has just recently
been announced. The couple were
married in Panhandle and after
spending a few days in Pampa,
returned to Amarillo.
Mrs. Smith graduated for

returned to Amarillo.

Mrs. Smith graduated from the Gruver High school in 1937 and attended a business college in Amarillo. At present she is working for the McDonald Auto Supply Company in Amarillo.

Mr. Smith is employed at Pantex Ordnance Plant.

The couple is now at home at 1808 South Filmore Street in Amarillo.

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Oslo News

Morning worship at Oslo Lutheran church next Sunday, Aug. 29. Sunday after Trinity, will begin at 11:30 a. m. Sermon theme: He that is Faithful in the Least will be Faithful in that which is More. Luke 16:10-17. The Sunday school will begin at 10:30. This is the last Sunday of the Sunday school year. Everyone should be present to turn in his or her book. The Luther League will meet at 9 o'clock on Sunday evening. The place will be announced at services. H. C. Hjortholm, pastor.

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vesting the bean crop. She may go back for the November pick-

ing.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Hill went to Kansas City for a brief vacation trip on Friday of last week.

Marie Stedje returned last Sunday from her vacation trip to Albuquerque, N. M. She was away for about a week.

Mrs. Stedje called on Mrs.

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Hiortholm at the passanger last

away for about a week.

Mrs. Stedje called on Mrs.
Hjortholm at the parsonage last
Sunday afternoon. Later that afternoon, Leona, Louise, Amy and
Kathryn Knutson called. They
came to congratulate Mrs. Hjortholm on her birthday. They did so
by singing the birthday song,
"Happy Birthday to You."
Mr. and Mrs. John Spivey and
their son, Hix and their daughter, Ada Joyace, were dinner
guests at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.

guests at the home of their daugh-ter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stedje last Sunday. Pastor and Mrs. Hportholm call-ed at the Oscar Dahl home on Wednesday of last week and at the Pete Dahl home on Thursday, On that day they storped at the Pete Dahl home on Thursday. On that day they stopped at the Frank Lierman home for a few minutes on their way home. The visit there was cut short by ap-pearance of rain clouds. It was learned later that only a light shower fell. Mrs. Lierman's fath. learned later that only a light shower fell. Mrs. Lierman's father, John J. Dahl, has been staying with her for the past week while James Dahl was away working his land north of here.

Pastor Hjortholm returned from Norge, Okla., where he went to conduct services last Sunday, that evening. It has been

to conduct services last Sunday, late that evening. It has been

Personals

Misses Pearl Robertson and Rita Jo Kiker visited in Ama-rillo with Miss Dickie Kiker over the week end. Dickie has been attending a junior college and taking subjects for nurse's train-ing. She has now started her actual training and work in Northwest Hospital.

S. W. Robertson has returned home from Mulvane, Kan., where he underwent a minor operation. He has developed strept throat, but is improving and expects to be at work soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell of Madison, Kansas, formerly of Spearman, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutton this

Miss Orene McClellan left to-Miss Orene McClellan left to-day for her home in Dallas where she is the county home demonstra-tion agent. She has been visit-ing with friends and relatives here since Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilmeth and Mrs. Agnes Windom were and Mrs. Agnes Windom were in Amarillo on business Mcnday. They also brought Miss Orene McClellan here from Amarillo.

Maxine Kenny and Norma Jo Maxine Kenny and Norma Jo Allen arrived in Spearman Sunday from Los Angeles, Calif., where they have been visiting several months. Maxine visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bennett and Norma Jo visited with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vernon. They reported a very nice time and said they saw several movie stars, including Betty Grable, Jane Withers, Lena Horn, and Wats Waller.

Mrs. B. F. Briley, mother of Bert E. Briley, passed away in the home of her daughter in Jackson, Miss., Wednesday, Aug-ust 18. Mr. Briley left Spearman Thursday and arrived in time for the funeral which was Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Wilt of Alene, Okla., Airs, Bertt Wilt of Alene, Okla,, sister of M. E. Smith, is critical-ly ill in a hospital at Alva, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Smith recently visited her.

The Liens Club hopes to begin its meeting Tuesday, Sept. 7, according to President R. N. Jones. He wishes to get some organization to serve the luncheon and believes that arrangements will be made this week.

Art Turner was in an auto-mobile accident near Fritch about ten days ago and his car's left fender was smashed. He says he lender was smashed. He says he has driven a car since 1914 and this was the first accident he was ever in and blamed it because he was driving too slow.

Jesse E. Smith, seaman second Jesse E. Smith, seaman second class, who is taking radio training at San Diego, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smith, that he hopes to get a leave to visit home soon. He has been in service since Feb. 17. He wrote that he hoped to go to Camp Callan to see J. E. Gerber Jr.

Mrs. S. T. Morris, the former Miss Estelle Garnett, returned to Spearman from Jacksonville, Fla., where her husband is sta-tioned, Thursday, Aug. 18, Sho Fla., where her husband is stationed, Thursday, Aug. 18. She will remain here with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Garnett, until the opening of the school term at Texas University, which she will attend this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley enter-tained with an eight o'clock din-ner Tuesday evening in honor of their old school friends, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Prutsman.

very dry for a long time in that section of Oklahoma. The crops, which promised so well, have been badly burned.

Walter Gillespie is home after a few weeks in the Veteran's hospital in Amarillo where he has been for medical treatment.

July Rainfall

(Continued From PAGE ONE)

"As an example of the application of the formula," the research specialist said, "suppose the July rainfall was 3 inches and the soil was moist 42 inches and the soil was moist 42 inches are two to one that the yield harvested the following year will range somewhere between 1134 and 1734 bushels per acre. "Suppose the July rainfall was only 1½ inches and the soil was moistened only to a depth of 15 inches, by the same formula an average yield of 2¼ bushels would be expected, or the chances are two to one that the yield harvested the following year will range somewhere between 1134 and 1734 bushels per acre. "Suppose the July rainfall was only 1½ inches and the soil was moistened only to a depth of 15 inches, by the same formula an average yield of 2¼ bushels would be between 0 and 514 bushels.

These effects do not hold good, Ralph Bort and children, Gruver; Ralph Bort and children, Gruver;

bushels,

'These effects do not hold good,
however, above 5 inches of July
rainfall and 60 inches of soil
penetration," Finnell reminded,
"for the reason that excessive
quantities of moisture are not
utilized by the crop with the
same efficiency that moderate
supplies are used."

Farmers can't do anything to
increase the July rainfall, Finnell said, but they can use soil
conservation practices to store
more of the water in the soil.

Should Consider Factors

"Although the two factors of

"Although the two factors of July rainfall and fall soil moisture July rainfall and fall soil moisture store account for only 41 percent of the total influence of factors determining the wheat yield, this is a sufficiently large proportion of the total of what it takes to make a crop," the research specialist said.

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"There is no reason why wheat growers should not begin to take these factors into account in planning their crop management. Although such other factors as wind erosion, the date of planting, and the spring rainfall enter definitely into the increase or decrease of wheat yield, the amount of soil moisture present at sowing time is by far the most important single factor, exercising more than one-fourth of the total weight of all factors effecting the yield of grain."

Finnell said that a practical method of determining available soil moisture is to bore into the soil with an augor or to sink a posthole digger until the layer of soil too dry to ball up in the hand is reached; then measure the depth to which moisture has penetrated. This measurement, he explained is sufficiently accurate to be used in the formula.

As to the rainfall records, an actual measurement in the im-

As to the rainfall records, an actual measurement in the im-mediate locality is more depend-able; however, the Weather Bumediate locality is more depend-able; however, the Weather Bu-reau record at the nearest weath-er station can be used with a reasonable degree of accuracy providing it has been observed that the rains were approxi-mately equal in size and number during the month in both localiduring the month in both locali-

making a forecast," Finnell challenged, "and see how it comes out before accepting this method, and bear in mind that method, and bear in mone out of three results one out of three results may be expected to fall outside the range calculated. The two to one odds are not high but where the necessity for gambling it admitted, it is better to have two to one odds in your favor than none at all. Advance information about your crop production possibilities. your crop production possibilities can be used to increase war pro-duction with safety against ero-sion hazards."



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Ralph Bort and children, Gruver;
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Park and family.
Gruver; Mr. and Mrs. J. F.
Womble, Spearman; Mr. and Mrs.
Dave Hester, Spearman; and Charlie Riley, Spearman.

B.T.U. GROUP WILL HAVE PARTY FRIDAY

The Intermediate B.T.U. of the Baptist Church is having a party at the home of Fred J. Hoskins Friday night, August 27, at 8:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend the party.

Personals

Fred Hoskins, county clerk, is-Fred Hoskins, county cierk, issued marriage licenses to Harbert A. Clark and Mrs. Margaret Hembree on August 18; Elmo Rue Sanders and Anne Elizabeth Mc-Clellan on Aug. 23.

Mrs. A. O. England of Long-view, Texas is visiting her daugh-ter, Mrs. J. E. Gunn. Mrs. Eng-land has been in Spearman for two weeks and will remain for several weeks to come.

Miss Joye Close of Borger, for-Miss Joye Close of Borger, for-merly of Spearman, has been vis-iting during the summer with her cousin, Vernon Close, near Canadian, and will visit a few days in Spearman before return-ing to Borger for school.

Mrs. Carl Hutchison and Miss Veda Hutchison left Tuesday for Albuquerque, N. M., where they are spending several days with Mrs. Hutchison's sister, Mrs. C. E. Blue.

Mrs. Ernest Corsen and two Mrs. Ernest Corsen and two sons, Philip and Ernest, of the Phillips Booster Plant in north Hutchinson county, are visiting relatives in Leeton, Mo., for two

Miss Lesta Lee Sharpe of Fol-lett and Mrs. Carl E. Jesse of Levelland visited the past week with Leona and Adelaide Shedeck. They returned home Satur-

Miss Garland Caldwell, senior nurse at Scott and White in Tem-ple, is home on vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter and family returned the first of the week from Boulder, Colo., where they spent a week with Chalmers who is in the Navy, but is being sent to Colorado University.

Tallest tribe in the world has been found in Africa's Belgian Congo. The men average six feet



Gruver News

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kunkle have moved from here to Tus-con, N. M.

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Word was received that Mr.

Word was received that Mr.

and Mrs. Harold Orman are the
proud parents of a baby boy
born the first of the month. Both
Mr. and Mrs. Orman are former
residents of Gruver. Mrs. Orman was the former Miss Margaret Gross.

man was the former Miss Margaret Gross,
Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McClellan and Annie Ruth entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dick Merrill and family and Miss Francis Alexander Sunday, August 15.
Mrs. J. W. Garrett has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shapley, and her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Garrett. Her home is in Lamed, Kan.

Kan.
Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gross trans-

air, and Mrs. O. J. Gross trans-acted business in Amarillo the first of last week. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stoker have moved to Borger where Mr. Stok-er is now working in the rubber plant.

rs. plant.

Mrs. Bill Etling, Mrs. Ted McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleck,
Bonnie Ruth and Jean, Mrs. I.

W. Ayres, Jr., Mrs. Carl Lyle,
and George Paul Odom were at
Shattuck, Okla., Wednesday of
last week for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kaufman and family have been vacationing in Colorado where they
have been canning some.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Hughes a
and family were shopping in Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday
of last week,

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Howard
moved to Borger the last part
of the week. He has accepted
a position at the rubber plant,
am. and Mrs. Lelan Close and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lelan Close and children, Lela and Joye, former residents of Spearman, have re-cently moved to a new residence in Borger. Their new address is 1101 Hedgecoke.

Blodgett News

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett enjoy visit from her sisters and families the past two weath families the past two weath were Mr. and Mrs. Wellie Fa and children, J. W. and bay the part of the part Mrs. Ralph Blodgett enjoy

Perryton Equity Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Blodgett and Mr.

Kenney called in the J. F. Saturday.

Home last week.

Mrs. W. M. Deck visited in Astrillo with her daughters. Not and Thadine, last week.

Mrs. Deta Blodgett and K.

John Kenney canned corn They day and Friday.

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Miss Ada Mirie Easley v. Miss Ada Mirie Easley visiting in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Stanley Haun and a new the Miss of the Miss Stanley Haun and a new the Miss of t home Friday. They came after tractor. Edd Beck and Lonnie Ray Ke ney hauled lumber from east Te

as last week. Edd expects to b a new chicken house and Mearl Beck was in Spearme

Meari Beck was in Speams Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Clos Anita, and Joe Mack were is Spearman Sunday. Mrs. Verna Kenney spent Thursday afternoon visiting Mrs. John

Kenney. Mrs. Deta Blodgett transac business in Perryton Saturday. Mrs. Ruth Nitschke and daugh-ter, Bortha, were shopping in Spearman Monday.

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