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see "Duke" is a dog and for six and one-half years has been the of his blind master, Jack English. Each working day he guides sh to the time clock and thru the huge plant to the bench in the turgical department where his master is employed as an inspector. a few weeks ago Duke's working hours were spent on the hard t floor. Then, William Fowler, general manager of the plant, d the special bed for the ever faithful dog.

ing the war, Mr. English worked for several war production eveloping the skill that he uses now on the Timken inspection uper-sensitive touch, coupled with the electronic devices now in use, enable English to hold his own in one of the world's t roller bearing plants.

A Banquet Is Well Attended

e future Farmers of Amer-Spearman Chapter, had an anding banquet at the high l gymnasium Friday night, about all the FFA boys and dads turned out to enjoy the ous dinner of tomato juice ll, baked ham, string beans, able salad, candied yams, t pickles, hot buttered rolls, ream and cake. The total er of FFA boys present was and the guests register rang total of 43.

start things off right, Fred an-up in savings, were, professor of music at Spearman High, led the group in ng "Home on the Range" and "aria." While the girls were ing in the food, Donna ford, Mary McLain and Nane sang "Now Is The Hour", "Want A Girl". President Haden then started the of- opening of the program by ng on Roy Nollner to pre- the FFA Creed. This was fol- l by reports from the follow- ficers: Kenneth Pope, Mon- bour, Dwayne Stewart, Bannister, Joel Lee Lackey, Floyd, Bill Hull, Claude on, Claude Sheets, Marcus s, and a final word by the or Mr. Dan O. Douglas.

a feature of the evening Mrs eth Nollner, student of Spearman High, was crowned as "FA queen of the Spearman t."

H. R. Hartman, Supt. of man Schools, had all of the boys introduce themselves, hen their fathers, Mr. Hart- then introduced all of the s.

Zack Jagers, County Agent ansford County introduced st speaker who gave the ad- to the FFA boys. He was other than the popular J. B. a Jay" Lynn of Radio Sta- KONG, Amarillo, Texas.

His entire speech was dir- to the boys and their s, who make their living g. He emphasized the fact en like him are working n their city jobs. Just try- make enough to some day arm. He also emphasized portance of FFA work in ng boys the love and work o soil.

de Jay also brought along oving, sound pictures for anquet: One of them was a color picture of ducks. Picture recorded the actual s made by geese, and all of ducks, and showed the n slow motion flights. The picture was a "Behind nes in Radio" It featur- electrician and the many required to run the radio ms in the nation.

course this address by the uly J. B. Lynn was the out- ing feature of this program. lectures were very appropri- the occasion.

Dan Douglas, Vocational iture teacher, and all of sociates are to be comp- d on this out-standing ban- This was one of the finest and Son banquets ever

# Senior Play Saturday Night

Special Working Conditions for 'Seeing-Eye'



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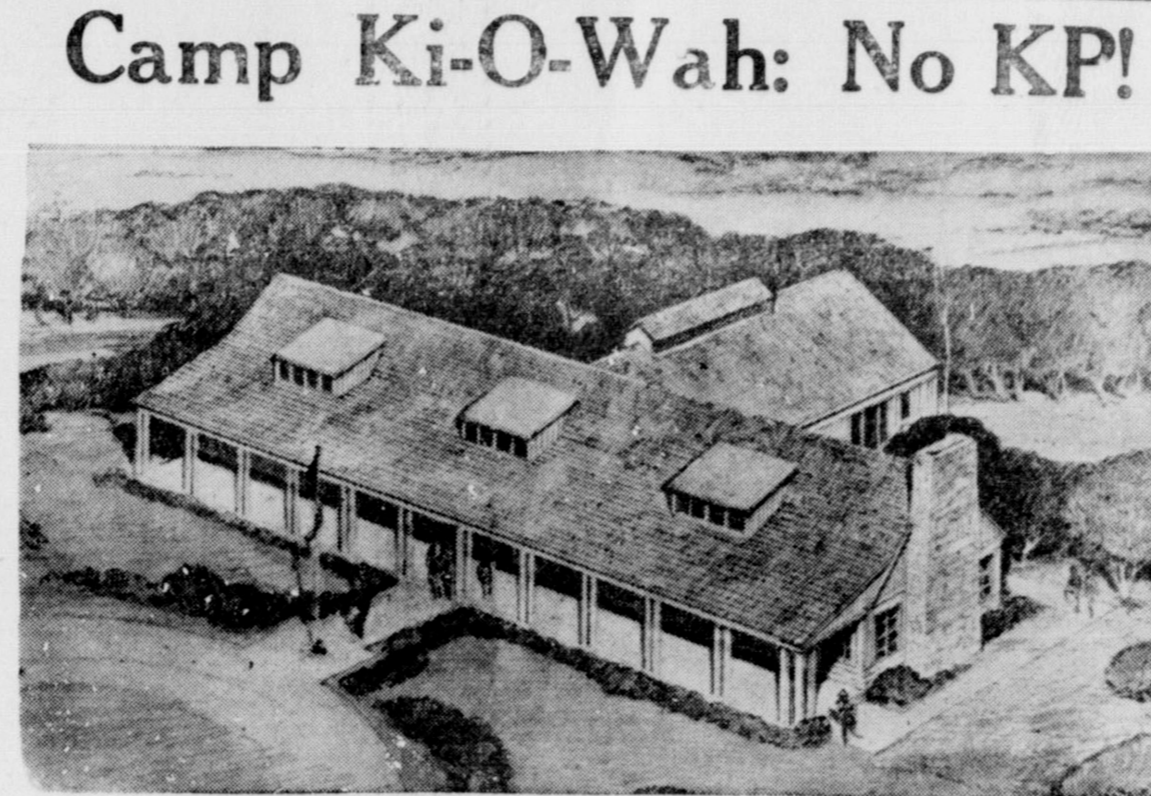
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## New Church

A half a dozen lots in the proposed M. Glover addition to Spearman just south of the Hansford Hospital have been purchased by the Catholic Church of Spearman, and the building of a home for Father Benversie, who now

## Camp Ki-O-Wah: No KP!



Above is pictured the beautiful new Camp Ki-O-Wah located at Lake Marvin. Camp Ki-O-Wah is owned and operated by the Boy Scouts of the Panhandle Area. Features of the camp are a cedar dining hall to seat 200 per meal

lives at Berger will begin soon. Father Benversie (called Father Bennie) for short visited in Spearman this week, and is anxious to get moved to Spearman and begin his work.

The lots purchased for the home and church are on the extreme West end of the new addition to Spearman and will be next to the paved High way 117.

All facilities for cooking, food storage and waste disposal will be completely new. Scouts from Troop 51 of Spearman will be happy to learn that there will be no K-P duty necessary with the new installation.

## "Amazing Gracie" Will Feature Excellent Drama By High School Seniors

What Makes Gracie Amazing? Come out and see Amazing Gracie Saturday evening April 2, and find out. That's the night of the Senior play, "Amazing Gracie", and that's the night you will remember as the most hilarious and entertaining one you've spent in years. Don't miss it.

The seniors, under the very able direction of Mrs. Zack Jagers, have gone to no limit to produce a grand play this year, and we think when you see it you'll agree.

Tickets are now being sold by Dannie Burleson, and Nella Beth Nollner. Prices are 50c and 35c.

When a play can make an audience laugh in Act One, scream in Act Two, and literally roar in Act Three, it is undoubtedly a comedy success. Such a play is Amazing Gracie. The characters are all hilariously funny from Gracie herself who invents whoopers from nothing, turns herself into twins, and, throughout the play, completely charms her audience, to Farina Fudd, the hillbilly maid who is a wild flower from the Ozarks.

To put it briefly, you'll say AMAZING GRACIE was the funniest play you've ever seen.

So don't forget, it's at the high school auditorium at 7:30 P. M. on Saturday night, April 2, 1949. See you then.

## Shrine Club Is Organized

Some twenty odd members of the Shrine (Khiva Caravan) of Amarillo, all residents of Hansford County, organized the Hansford County Shrine club at an open meeting held at the Hansford court house Friday evening March 25.

John R. Collard, Jr. was elected President, J. C. Harris of Graver was elected Secretary - Treasurer.

President Collard immediately appointed a committee to draw up a constitution and regulations for the club. Mickey Westerfield of Graver was chairman of the committee with Richard Shedeck and Richard Holten as members. At the Friday night meeting included Membership committee, Dan Shrader, Pope Gibner and Virgil Wilbanks. Entertainment committee: C. A. Gibner, Strawberry McCauley and R. P. Hendergraft.

The club will meet two times each month. One meeting will be a "stag" meeting and the other a social meeting with wives of Shriners to be guests. The next meeting of the club will be held at the Community building Friday evening April 8th.

## More Families Moving Here

Pat Ryan, Secretary of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce is the most popular man in town as result of the influx of families who are to work on the four New Gulf Oil Wells in Hansford and Ochiltree counties. Mr. Ryan has tried manfully to locate room and furnished apartments for the large number of people who are anxious to make Spearman their home for the next year at least, as result of the expansion campaign for oil. Mr. Ryan is anxious to locate some one who can provide furnished apts. Perhaps there can be some solution of the problem, but to date it is more or less a headache for Mr. Ryan who delights in locating new families in Spearman, but is unable to locate places for the people to live. It is estimated that the average crews working on the large gulf wildcat wells will be in the neighborhood of 15 families with perhaps as many single members of the crews. This places roundly ahead of the town of Spearman a quite a responsibility on the Secretary of our Chamber of Commerce.

Crews for two wells near Morse and one well in Ochiltree county near Waka would like to locate in Spearman. It would add just about a hundred population to our city if all the people connected with these three wells could be located in Spearman. These people are high salaried folk who want to live with the kind of people that make up the population of Spearman.

Give Mr. Ryan a ring if you can come to the aid of your co-citrymen.

The increased activities in connection with the industrial work of this section entails the necessity for more caution in driving. The heavy traffic of heavy trucks thru Spearman daily means that one and all should practice care in their driving within the city limits and on the highways of our county.

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## City Will Help Re-Top Pavement In Spearman

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The City Commission, in order to aid the public in the campaign to re-top the streets, voted to re-top all of the intersections, and all of the CITY PROPERTY. This is a big item to the property owners. It will mean a great burden off the property owners' shoulders, not having to pay for the intersection. As a matter of fact, there is approximately 90,000 yards of paving put in, and the City has 20,000 yards of their own to re-top.

The cost of the re-topping for a 50 foot lot, with curb and gutter already in the lot will be \$40.

The cost for you property owners who do not have curb and gutter, will be \$31.20 per 50 ft. lot.

This re-topping is a double-seal coat. With the original base now on the streets, this re-topping should last from 8 to 10 years, with the normal street traffic we now have.

The contractor on the re-topping job will raise some of the intersections so that they will drain. Although most of the intersections are draining satisfactorily, some of them will be raised to facilitate better draining.

For the many new home owners who have built their homes since the last paving campaign, and they do not have any type of paving, but they do want new paving the cost to them will be approximately \$125.00 per lot for the paving, and the curb and gutter will cost \$75.00. The City Commission expressed their opinion that all new paving should have curb and gutter. New paving will be double topping.

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## Barbecue! Rain or Shine

C. A. Gibner, chairman for the Barbecue committee for the annual celebration, announced Friday evening that more than 4000 pounds of barbecue with all the trimming would be prepared for the expected alltime crowd that will attend this year's celebration. Gibner plans to serve the large crowd in the massive double quonset Hut being built by R. L. McClellan and Son. The large building is 120 X 180 feet and it is estimated that the crowd can be handled without any difficulty, regardless of the weather.

Gibner insisted that the people of Spearman tell the world that the barbecue and celebration will be staged rain or shine, and let one and all know there will not be any postponement this year.

This suggestion met with the approval of the entire committee and Directors at the meeting last Friday night. . . . so it is suggested that all begin telling friends that we will have a parade and all the events of the celebration rain or shine, cold or hot. Gibner plans to organize the new feeding hut so that the paper plates and scraps can be deposited in large containers, and make the work of the committee less difficult.

## Broadbeck Show To Be Here For Celebration

At a meeting of the C. of C. Directors and Celebration committee Friday evening, Secretary Pat Ryan was instructed to sign a contract with the Broadbeck Shows of Kansas to provide rides at the celebration here Friday and Saturday April 22 and 23. The show will not bring an arival features, but will limit the entertainment to modern rides. The show will begin here on the night of April 21.

## Oil Showing In Kathryn No. 1.

"Oil fever hit Spearman and Gruber this afternoon (Wednesday), when a Gruber man exhibited a bottle of oil and said it came from the Phillips No. 1 Kathryn et al wildcat test in Sherman county.

The man said the test had been acidized and swabbed and that oil shot 30 feet into the air. He said the oil was "all over" the bottom part of the derrick.

It was reported the pay formation was at 5,450 feet.

Gulf during the past two weeks has staked three wildcat locations in Ochiltree and another in Hansford county.

An earlier report confused this well with the Gulf Oil Company No. in Hansford county.

The test was reported swabbing about half water and half oil and acid. The report said a further check would be made in plugging back to 5400 feet. Best showing was said to be at 5,350 feet.

The wildcat is located in section 8, block 3B, GH&H survey, in southeastern Sherman county."

Above article copied from todays Amarillo News-Globe.

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## Lions Club To Have Carnival

The Spearman Lions Club will bring to Spearman one of the most outstanding Colossal, carnival shows in the world. It will be an inside carnival, with the Lions members running the whole show themselves. At a cost of over \$400.00 for equipment only, the gigantic carnival will feature side shows, Bingo games, Doll throwing, and all types of side attractions.

The committee for arranging this carnival is headed by John R. Collard Jr. Mr. Collard states that the exact date of this carnival has not been decided because it was not known whether the community building would be available for the carnival.

The main purpose for this carnival, is to raise money to help pay for the street signs which will be put up in the near future, by the Lions Club.

## District 1-B Meet April 1

The district 1-B Interscholastic League Meet will be held in Stinnett High School, Friday April 1, 1949. The Spearman Lynx Gruber Greyhounds, and the Morse Mustangs will represent Hansford County at the meet ing.

The following schedule will feature the League meeting: Typing 9:00 Each School's typing teacher to help judge. Spelling: 9:00 Ready Writers: 9:00 Number Sense: 9:00 Tennis: Boys Singles (First Round): 9:00 Girls Singles (Finals) 10:00 Boys Doubles (Finals) 11:00 Girls Doubles (Finals) 12:00 Boys Singles (Finals) 1:00 Shorthand: 11:00 Debate: 11:00 Declaration: 11:00 Extemp. Speech: 11:00

Track Preliminaries in 100 yrd. dash and in the 220 yard dash. Finals Begin at 1:00 P. M. Volleyball Schedule: First round games: Stinnett has a bye; Gruber vs. Stratford at 12:00 noon; Morse vs. Spearman at 1:00 p.m. Sunday has a bye. These games will be played off in the evening.

The directors for the league meet are L. H. Brotherton, Athletics; Declaration, O. D. Brown, Extemp Speech, and Ready Writers, Mrs. Zack Jagers; Spelling (3 divisions) Mrs. Hazel Broods; One met Play, only one ntry, Mrs. Highsmith; Slide Rule, G. H. Ellison; Number sense and Short-hand, Mrs. Icie Walker.

## Auction Sale Here

A large advertisement carried in this issue of the Reporter by Boxwell Brothers Furniture store informs the public they will have an opportunity to buy from the large \$50,000.00 stock of furniture and appliances "at your own price." The company plans auction sales beginning at 1:30 and 7:30 p. m. daily Friday and Saturday of this week.

## C. of C. Banquet To Be Held April 7th.

All members of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce are urged to attend and bring a friend to the Membership and business meeting of the organization to be held at the Methodist church annex Thursday evening April 7th. The program begins at 7:30 p. m. and the ever popular "Uncle Jay" of Radio Station KGNC will be the guest speaker for the banquet.

There are 65 members of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, and it is suggested that each member bring a friend, who might become a member.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller over Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Tony Grillo and son Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. Woodie and son Jimmie and Mr. Woodie all of Dumas.

## Waldorf College Choir Will Be At OSLO

Pictured above is the Waldorf College capella choir of Forrest City, Iowa, which will present a concert of choral music at the Lutheran church in Oslo.

The personnel of the choir is made up of students in attendance at the only four year Junior College of the Evangelical Lutheran Church. The young people are Juniors and seniors in high school, and freshmen and sophomores in college. They are selected from a student body of some over 300 by means of "try-outs" in the fall of each year.

Prof. Odvin Hagen has been director of the choirsters for nearly 20 years.

In black robes and white satin surplises the choir makes a striking impression as they "present a Christian message expressed in song." They come here well commended, having received high praise from discerning critics.

## Baseball Meeting

There will be a baseball meeting Friday night, April 1, at the Court House, for all interested in the Blue Socks Baseball team. A practice schedule as well as the playing schedule will be discussed.

All interested players, and fans are invited to the meeting.

# RAIN!

The following is the weather report for the past week:

Date	High	Lo	Rain
22	65	29	
23	77	33	
24	66	38	
25	45	27	
26	53	33	0.37
27	66	29	
28	71	37	
29	41	35	0.45
Total			0.82

MARKET REPORT

Wheat	\$2.63
Barley	\$1.00
Milo	\$2.00
Oats	.90
Rye	\$1.00

NEW ARRIVAL  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dewep, of Perryton, are happy over the arrival of a new son born March 27. Clinton Gall weighed 9 lbs. 8 oz. Mrs. Dewep is the former Miss Ethel Fullbright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fullbright, Spearman.

Local Parrot Banding  
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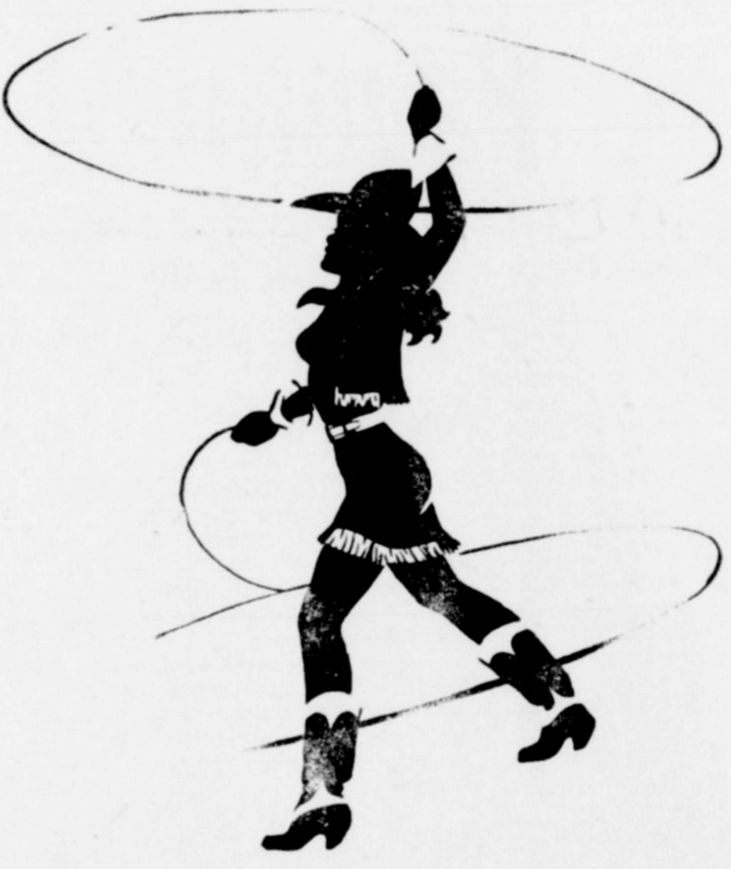
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See You At The Spearman Celebration



April 22 & 23

The Spearman Reporter

This & That



AROUND GRUVER

There are still too many cases of measles around. We need someone to promote a vigorous health program in the county to prevent outbreaks like these.

We learned too late for publication last week of the serious illness of Mrs. Tilly Poston. Mrs. Poston has been in an Amarillo hospital for some time and so far is not doing very well.

Both Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey Jr. and the Bill Ettings had to take children to hospitals last week. We hear however that both children are back in their respective homes, and on the way to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Hart went to Shattuck Okla. last week to visit Mrs Hart's brother who is seriously ill in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rafferty were visitors in Amarillo last week. While the ladies were shopping Ed was having glasses fitted. We are glad to say that the troubles with Ed's teeth is clearing up.

The Margaret Marchman Society of the Gruver Baptist Church last week entertained the W. M. S. with a banquet. The main dish consisted of Glazed Baked Ham, with Candied sweet potatoes and all the other trimmings.

Mrs. Mary Fletcher and her daughter and son in law, Mr. and Mrs. McClure left for El Paso Wednesday. They will be gone about a month. They will attend Mrs. Fletcher's grand-daughter's wedding, and will also visit her brother in Arizona.

A large number of Gruver people were in Amarillo last week for two musical events. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rafferty and Mrs. Jim Cator went earlier in the week to see "The Barber of Seville."

Thursday morning a large delegation from the Gruver Baptist Church left for Abilene to attend the Training Union Convention. This convention will have about four thousand young people and two thousand or more adults in attendance.

The new Gruver Park is beginning to take shape. A load of trees and shrubs have been placed around the park ready for planting. The work will be done some time this week.

B remedy for Carrot Yellows If carrot tops have many small young leaves which appear to be underdeveloped and are yellowish or reddish in color it is probably due to a disease known as "carrot yellows." Carrot yellows, explains A. A. Granovsky, professor of entomology at University of Minnesota, is a virus disease, transmitted by a species of leafhopper which spends the winter in weeds and in spring and summer moves to carrots. In addition to bushy, yellowish tops, carrot yellows show up in woolly, underdeveloped roots. Yellowish-infected carrots are hard and have an off-flavor characterized as a bitter taste with an astringent effect which clings to the mouth for some time. Best way to prevent carrot yellows and to control leafhoppers is to dust carrots with a 5 per cent DDT or spray with DDT using one of the treatments of 50 per cent DDT wettable powder.

Beaver—Biggest Rat of All Because he is the greatest engineer and architect in the animal kingdom, the fact that the beaver is a member of the rat family frequently is overlooked. But he is the biggest rat of all, frequently getting up to 60 pounds in weight. These amazing engineers, who were given teeth for saws, go down stream from their home and build a dam. This backs up deep waters which hide the entrance to their home and give them a good pool in which to hide from their enemies and to nail fish. The beaver lives on the bark of trees he gnaws as he cuts them down. He stacks up a woodpile for the winter and when cold weather comes he feasts on it.

Magnetite as Ships' Ballast American ships which plow through Pacific swells now are weighted down with magnetite ballast made from a rocky iron ore instead of the more customary pig-iron ingots and scrap steel. According to the department of interior, chief reason for the change originally was wartime necessity. When ships were being built and launched so quickly that there wasn't enough scrap and ingots to go around, it was found that magnetite mixed with concrete was a substitute just about as good and in fact even cheaper. Most of the ore is obtained from California and Nevada hills.

Thaddeus Kosciuszko arrived in America from Poland in the summer of 1776. He found employment at Philadelphia in construction of fortifications against the expected attack by the Delaware. This gained him his commission from congress as an engineer in the continental service, with pay of \$60 a month and the rank of colonel. He fought for six years with the American army, and fortified West Point. Kosciuszko first suggested for a national military school the spot where West Point now stands.

Cotton in Bags Consumption of cotton for bags mounted to 820,000 bales in 1943, owing largely to increase in wartime packaging requirements accompanied by curtailments of imports of burlap from India. With burlap once more available and the use of paper increasing, the consumption of cotton for bags dropped to 440,000 bales in 1946. Although cotton faces continued competition from burlap and growing competition from paper, says the bureau of agricultural and industrial chemistry, bags are expected to represent the largest single end use of cotton by 1950, with an estimated consumption of more than a half million bales.

Study Blood Smears More than 6,000 blood smears from wild birds were obtained by scientists from the California division of fish and game and the Hooper foundation of the University of California, in an effort to get information helpful in their studies of encephalitis.

U. S. Workers Turn Poetic District of Columbia employees of the federal government, including physicians, audit clerks, marine engineers, typists, personnel technicians and topographic draftsmen, have banded together in publication of "Poetry From the Potomac." The volume comprises more than 300 poems by 37 workers. Since its founding in July, 1944, the federal poets' organization has published a bi-monthly magazine of its own. The poems are on subjects ranging from the atomic bomb to summer rain.

Figuring Navy Time Time in the navy is figured on the 24-hour day with the time expressed as a four-figure group. The first two figures denote the hour and the second two figures denote the minutes, beginning with midnight which is represented by 0000. For example, 0800, means 8 a. m. or eight hours and no minutes after midnight, while 1630 would be 4:30 p. m., or 16 hours and 30 minutes after midnight.

Inflation of Tires It's the air in the tire that carries the load. No tire can give satisfactory service unless it is the correct size and type, and correct air pressure is maintained. Every tire represents a fine balance of forces created by the air pressure within the tire and the resistance of the cord body and other component parts of the tire to this air pressure. Whenever the air pressure is either greater or less than that recommended, this balance is upset and the result is premature failure due to abnormal stresses and strains set up within the tire.

Catbird, Singer Catbird ranks third as a singer among the mimic thrushes, being excelled only by the mockingbird and the brown thrasher. He is about nine inches in length, with slate gray plumage. This bird ranges from Ontario south to Mexico and west into the Rocky mountains. It winters in the southern states, Central America and Cuba.

Russia's Cost of Living A pound of butter, costly as it is, requires only 48 1/2 minutes of the American worker's time. A Russian must work 10 hours, 42 minutes to earn a pound of butter. The worst suit costs the American three days of labor. It costs the Russian more than three months of hard work. An American worker but 10 minutes to earn a quart of milk. The Russian worker has to labor an hour and 18 minutes for the same drink.

Helicopter Fleet Rotar fleet of navy helicopters will be the largest in the world when aircraft now on order are placed in service. Forty-six new HO3S observation helicopters purchased by the navy will bring to 88 the number of rotary-winged aircraft of all types available for use by fleet and shore-based units for rescue, transport and observation missions. The HO3S has a maximum rate of climb of 1,200 feet per minute at sea level.

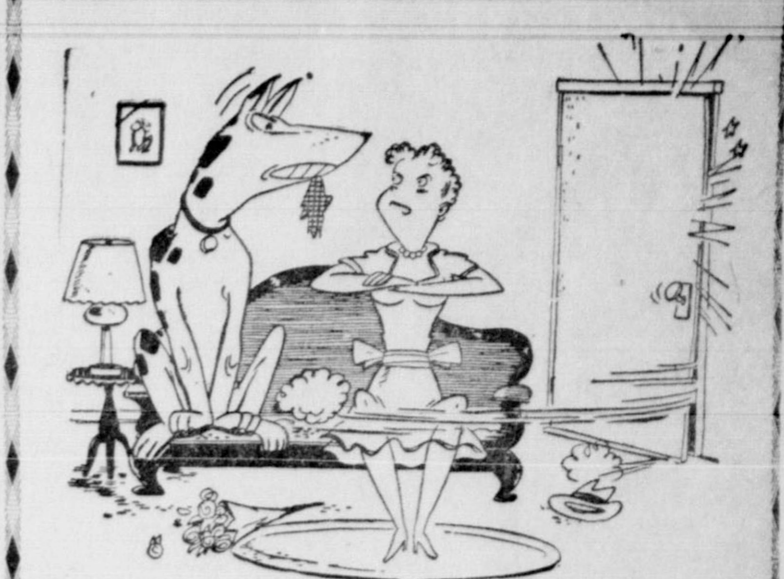
Cotton Thieves Each year American cotton farmers are robbed of more than 250 million dollars by tiny cotton-eating insects. If the money taken in out of cotton by insects over the past 20 years were divided equally among all cotton growers, each farmer would have enough money to buy a new automobile. Proper insect control measures by cotton farmers can do much to eliminate this tremendous loss.

Giant Pea Shooter More torpedoes have been launched into a man-made lake at Morris dam, Calif., by a giant pea shooter than were used against the Japanese during World War II by navy carrier torpedo planes. Launched at the underwater ordnance test range, torpedoes of every conceivable shape have been fired during tests to improve structure, accuracy, and ballistic design. The torpedoes are fired by a 300-foot air launching tube.

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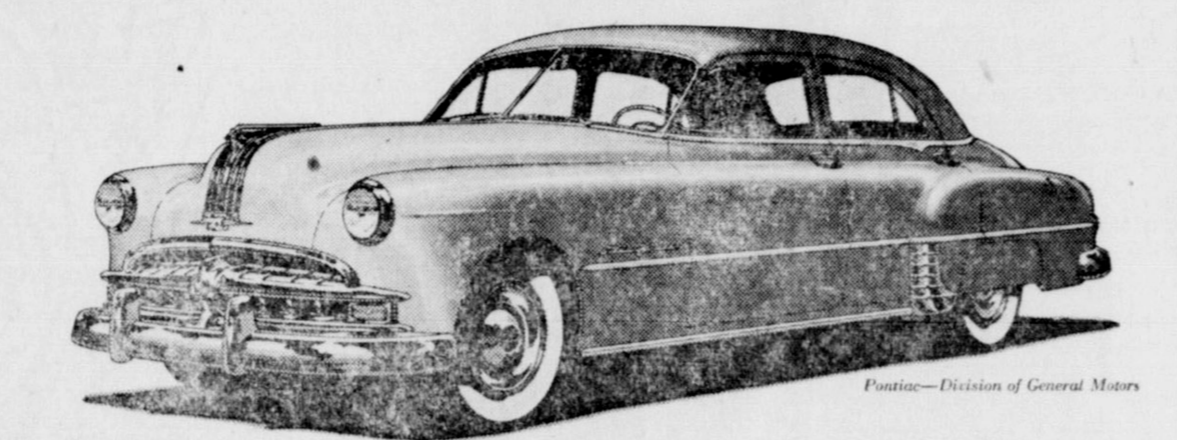
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Oil Well Requirements For every thousand feet of well drilled in the United States 11 tons of steel "oil country goods" are required. This includes drill pipe, line pipe and casing. Last year the oil industry's 200 million feet of drilling required 2,299,000 tons of these types of tubular products.



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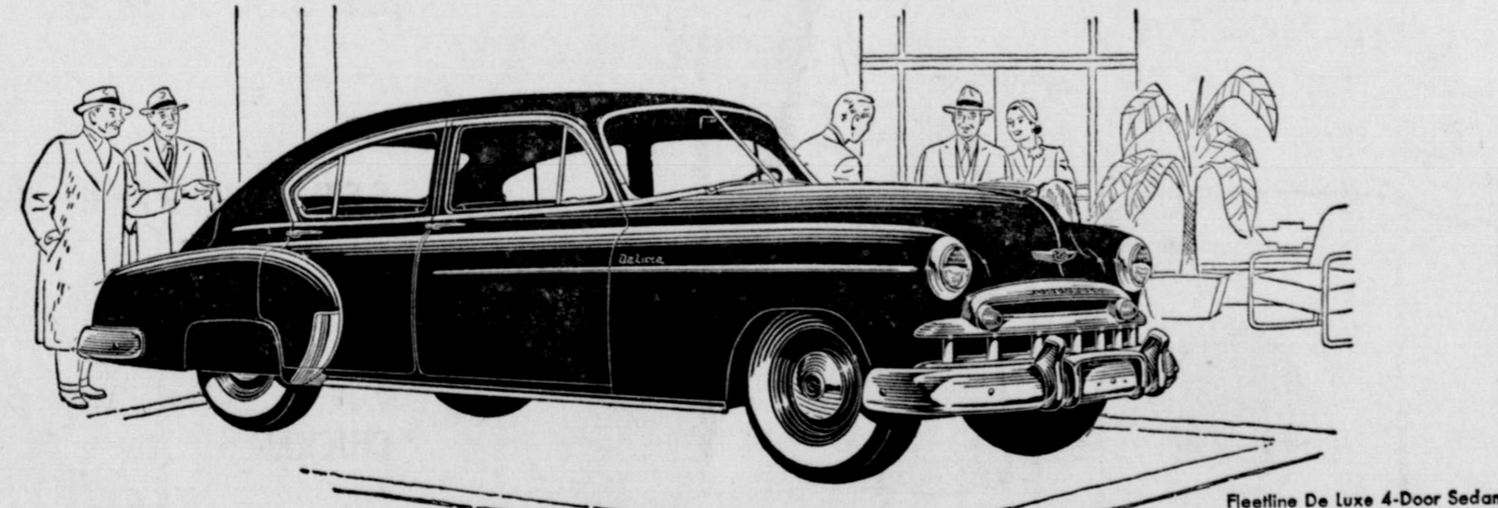
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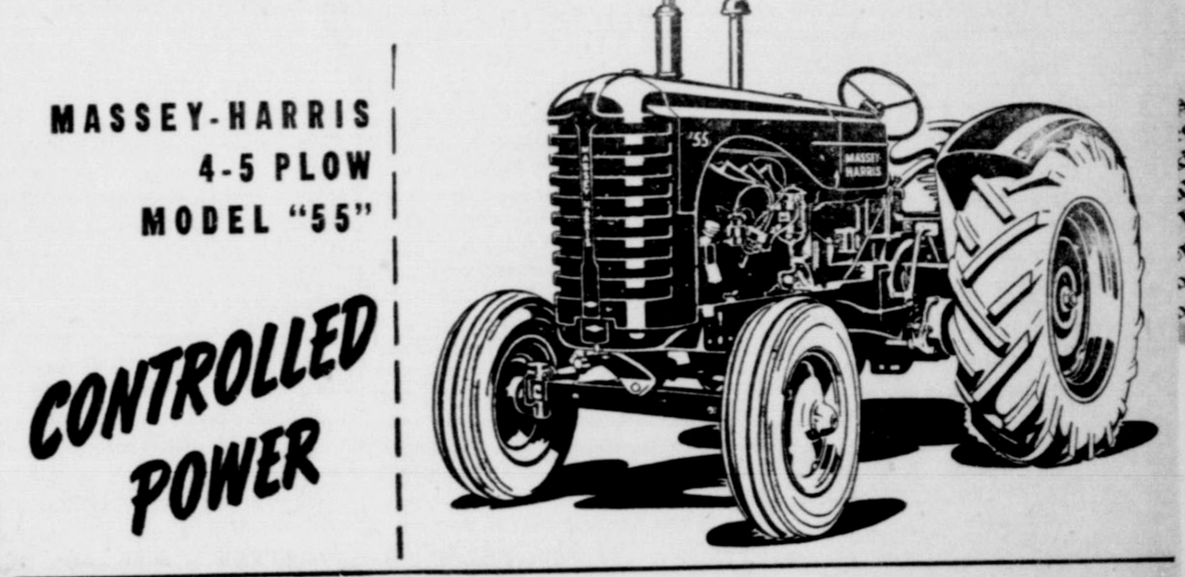
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SOCIETY NEWS

Clubs Parties Socials

Church Ceremony March 15

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Honored With Pink And Blue Shower

Mrs. Harold Reed was honored with a Pink and Blue shower Friday March 25 in the home of Mrs. W. A. Ellsworth...

Garden Design Is Topic For Study At Delphinium Club

The Delphinium Flower Club met March 25th in the home of Mrs. Jim Neely with Mrs. Vester Hill President presiding.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a white satin gown, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline...

Mrs. Rue Sanders of Spearman attended her sister as Matron of Honor, and Dr. Harriett Perry of Kansas City was bridesmaid.

James L. Skaltzky of Kansas City served as best man and groomsmen was Dr. Sedar also of K. C. William Butler and Dr. Sedar were ushers.

Miss Mary Lou Higgs of Amarillo, cousin of the bride played "Clare de Lune", "Liebertraum" and the traditional wedding marches preceding the wedding vows.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Elmo McClellan wore dusty pink street length dress with black accessories and a white orchid corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple were honored with a reception in the home of the Groom's parents...

Out of town guests for the wedding included: Mr. and Mrs. Elmo McClellan of Gruver Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Rue Sanders and son Mike of Spearman; Miss Mary Lou Higgs, Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McClellan Jr. and Sandra Kay of Gruver.

The groom attended Westport High School and Kansas City Junior College; Missouri University and is a graduate of Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery on March 11th.

Mr. Johnnie Lackey was honored to surprise party last Thursday evening March 24. The occasion was his birthday, and Mrs. Lackey served a turkey dinner with all the trimmings.

Those present included Messrs. and Mesdames. Lester McLain; Carl Hull; Vester Hill, Allen Pierce; Mrs. Helen Bastion and Mr. Carl Crepps; Misses; Carol Hull; Beverly Bastion; Nell Beth Nollner. Donna Lackey and Joe Mack Hill.

On March 23 the Junior G. A. Girls had their regular weekly meeting. They visited Mother Reed and Mrs. Jackson.

Those present were: Florence Citek; Kay Howell; Edith Ann Ooley; Ruby Faus; Clonetta Jones; Dora Kate Taylor; Annie Riley Mary Sue and Belva Sparks.

Leathercraft Project For Pringle HD Club

The Pringle Home Demonstration club met on March 25 in the school lunch room with 12 members answering roll call.

Mesdames present included: Charles Thompson; Joe Reiswig; Joe Hagan, A. L. Parks, Annie Clifton, Jack Johnson; Earl Henderson; H. B. Parks; Jim Womble; Mack Dorich; D. M. Womble; Jack Johnson Jr.

The next meeting will be March 31 at 7:30 p.m. in the Morse school auditorium. Mr. and Mrs. Dalley of Berger will be guest speakers.

The Homemaking Department of the high school has two new magic chef cook stoves, these were installed by R. E. Lee Oil Co.

The Homemaking Department also has a new Kelvinator refrigerator and a new Dormeyer electric food mixer.

Mrs. Jenkins Hostess To Holt H. D. Club

The Holt Community Home demonstration club met March 22 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Phil Jenkins.

The club voted to adopt a French family as one of the years projects. The lesson on a place for Every Member of the family in the Living Room, was given by the Agent Mrs. Dorothy Sommers.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Fred Holt on Tuesday April 5 at 2:30 p. m.

Personals

Tommy Jarvis of Amarillo visited relatives in Spearman over the weekend.

J. D. Wilbanks and Elmo Latham were on business in Arkansas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pate Fisher of the Cut Rate grocery were in Amarillo Monday buying additional equipment for the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buchanan of Hooker, Okla. visited in Spearman Sunday evening after attending the Shapley Golden Wedding celebration in Gruver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kiff White, Tommy and Frankie spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Mrs. J. D. Wilbanks and Mrs. Elmo Latham attended the "Barber of Seville" opera in Amarillo Friday night.

Mrs. Sam Henry returned home Sunday after several days visit with friends and relatives in Lubbock and Odessa.

Home Allen visited relatives in Miami over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutchinson and Mrs. Roxy McManus returned this week from a two weeks vacation at Mineral Wells Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kelm and son left last week for Onida South Dakota where they will be most of the summer.

Hattie Marie, small daughter of Mr and Mrs. Johnnie Venneman is improving after an ear and throat infection.

Mr and Mrs. Zane Hall of White Plains visited in Spearman over the weekend.

Mrs. Jesse Womble has been a patient in the Hansford Hospital the past week, Mrs. Womble has been quite ill, but is improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Richardson returned the past week from a month's vacation and visit in the Valley. They made a visit to Mexico while there.

Mr and Mrs. Joe Womble of Amarillo were weekend guests here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Steinkoenig and Ricky of Berger visited here over the weekend.

Bill Lynch of Lubbock visited relatives here the past weekend.

Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor of the Methodist Church in Stratford visited friends in Spearman Thursday of last week.

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WORKERS CONFERENCE

Canadian Baptist Association FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Gem, Texas April 5, 1949

10:00 Praise in Song 10:10 Devotional 10:25 The Vacation Bible School, Needs, Values, Ships 10:45 How to promote a Vacation Bible School 11:05 The Auxiliaries and Their Values to Our Church Mrs. C. A. Casseleman 11:20 Sermon 12:00 Lunch 1:00 W. M. U. and Board Meeting 2:00 Period of Prayer for Revival 2:20 Report on the Training Union Convention Hughes

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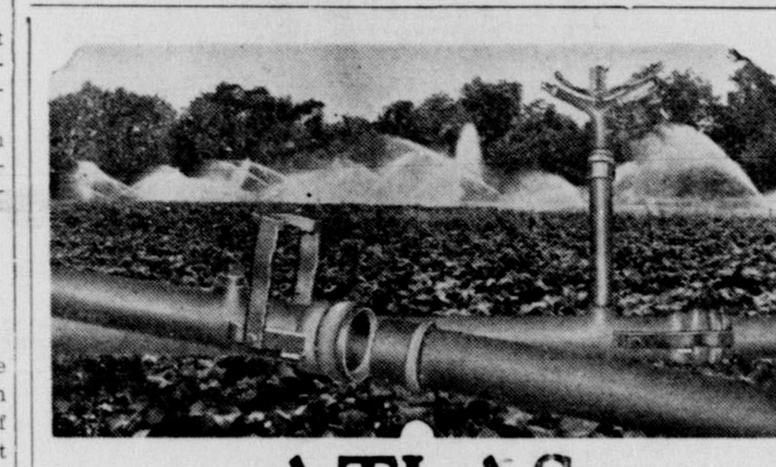
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**OF TEXAS**

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows:

A suit in trespass to try title, for title and possession, rents, damages, removal of cloud, writ of restitution, general and special relief, of and concerning the South Fifty acres of the Southeast One Hundred acres of Section No. 84, in Block 4-T, T & NO Ry. Company, situated in Hansford County, Texas;

Plaintiff alleging statutory trespass to try title and pleading the ten year statute of limitation in support of his title; as more fully shown by the plaintiff's petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. If this citation is not served within 90 days from issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court, at

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ATTEST: Fred J. Hoskins  
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## Obituary

**McLeod Wilson McCloy** was born in St. Louis, Missouri January 7, 1871 and passed away in Spearman, Texas March 20, 1949 at the age of 78.

He was an associate member of Reformed Presbyterian church in Fresno, Calif. and very active in the Methodist church, Morse Texas. The deceased served as superintendent of Lieb and Pringle Sunday school for years, and as adult teacher in the Sunday school at Morse.

Mr. McCloy came to Hutchinson county in 1905 from Erick Okla. purchasing one section of land. By perseverance, hardships and steadfastness, he had accumulated vast holdings in North Hutchinson county and southwest Hansford county, as well as interests in extensive ranch holdings in New Mexico. With his sons, he continued in business, until his hospitalization, two months ago. He was the first to sow wheat in Hutchinson county, a field of 35 acres. Also, he was among the first to ship cattle to Kansas City, driving overland to Guymon or Texhoma.

He married Lorena Hunler of Kadake, Ill. on October 17, 1905. To this union one daughter was born, Mayone. Later he was united in marriage to Leslie Briley on May 17, 1916. Four sons survive this union.

Left to mourn his passing is his widow; one daughter Mrs. T. Trumbull of Blaine, Wash.; sons: Wilson of Nara Visa, N. M.; Villard, Carson and Thane of Morse, Texas; Brothers, R. S. of Fresno Calif. R. C. of Hermet, Calif.; and J. K. of Medford, Ore. One sister Mrs. Henry Hopkins of Manhattan Kansas, and a host of other relatives and friends.

## Card of Thanks

Words cannot be found to express our gratitude and sincere thanks to our many friends who slip in any way during the sickness and death of our loved one or all the cards, letters and flowery you sent, and for your graciousness while Mr. McCloy was in the hospital, we say to each of everyone of you, May God bless you.

Mrs. W. M. McCloy and family of the W. M. McCloy.

## Oslo News

There will be services at the Oslo Lutheran Church next Sunday at the usual hours - 10:00 and 11:00. Choir practice Thursday night at 8:00. Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Terry Huse with Mrs. R. W. Cooksey as co-hostess Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Schibler and son, David, have moved to their new home at the Hansford Phillips Plant.

Clement Fredeson and Dean Jensen from LeLand, Iowa are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Christofferson. Clement is a brother of Mrs. Christofferson.

Several people from the community went to Amarillo Sunday afternoon to hear Walter F. Meyer of the Lutheran Hour radio program. Those who went were pastor and Mrs. J. P. Knudson, John David and Louise, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Christofferson, Mr. Otto Nygaard, Noran Nygaard, and Harold Stavlo.

Dorothy Sorn was a guest of Kathryn Knudson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Collier, Mrs. Terry Huse, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Pastor and Mrs. Knudson visited Mrs. Emil Knutson Wednesday afternoon.

## Discovery of New York

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## HANSFORD HOSPITAL

### Visiting Regulations

#### FOR ALL VISITORS:

The following regulations for all visitors in the Hansford Hospital were instituted for the comfort and efficient care of the patients and as far as possible, for the convenience of all visitors. These regulations are in accordance with those recommended by the Texas State Dept. of Health and the Texas State Medical Association.

These regulations are primarily for the good of the patients, so that adequate time will be allowed for the proper and necessary care and treatment of the patients before visitors arrive.

All visitors are kindly asked to observe these regulations-in-so-far as humanly possible. You as a visitor, may, at some time or other, be a patient in this hospital, and will then appreciate the same consideration as we now ask you to give to the person you are visiting.

1. Visiting hours are:
  - 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.
  - 2:00 P. M. to 4:00 P. M.
  - 7:00 P. M. to 8:30 P. M.
2. Only two (2) visitors per patient will be allowed in the hospital room at any one time.
3. Visitors are asked not to remain in the hospital during the night, except in the case of mothers staying with infants or small children, or in case of relatives remaining with persons in danger of death.
4. Children under 14 years of age cannot be allowed to visit new mothers or surgical patients. No exceptions will be made except for very good reason.
5. All visitors are asked to be as quiet as possible entering or leaving the hospital and during their visit with the patient. Loud talking will not be tolerated, nor will loudly playing radios be allowed in the patient's room.

Please cooperate with us.

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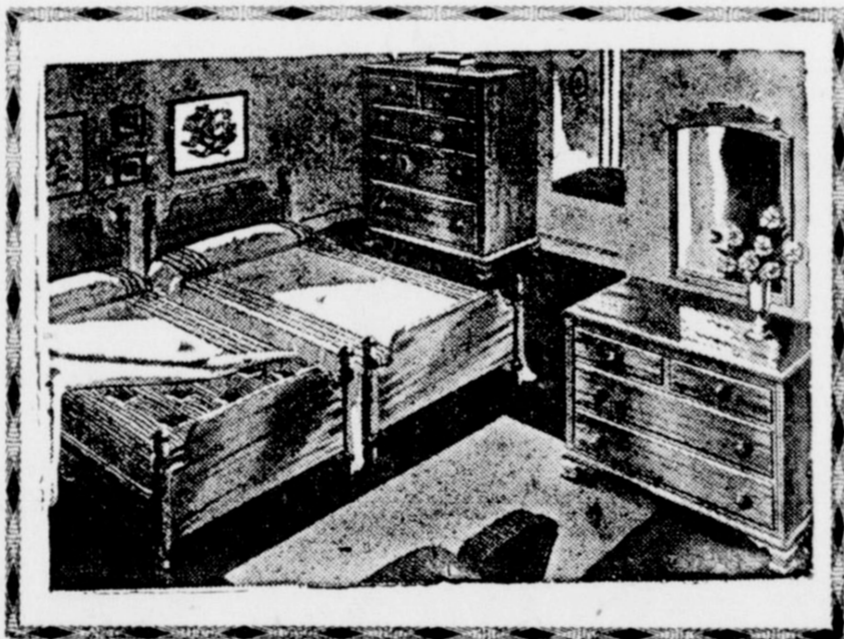
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### HANSFORD CITIZENS FACE BIG DEBT ACCORDING TO W. T. C. OF C. CHART

West Texas counties of this state paid nearly two hundred dollars more for operating expense of the National government in 1948 than the entire nation paid in 1940, according to a Public Expenditure and Taxation chart prepared for West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

If the National indebtedness were equally divided according to population, every man, woman and child in Hansford county would owe \$1,917.00 according to the chart released. The budget of current estimate of annual running expense for 1948 would clip another \$320.00 from each man woman and child in Hansford County, if the estimates of the charts based on current expense and last population figures is right. Thus before you can count that you have anything of your own, you must figure out about \$2,000.00 for each member of your family that is pledged to pay back the debts incurred by the national government you selected. Then figure out \$320.00 per year or more of the government continues to play Santa Claus to the people. If your annual earning after paying income tax will leave you anything to put aside for a rainy day, you better sock it away cause we shore are having lots of rain.

As matters stand at this time the Hansford county share for liquidating the present U. S. budget is \$890,560.00. The back debt, or Hansford county's share of the back debt of the nation amounts to \$5,335,011.00.

If you think you can dance with out paying the fiddler, you are mistaken. Unless we people quit calling on the Federal government for special services, we will wake up bankrupt some of these days.

#### SPEARMAN ATHLETE WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Forty High school athletes chosen from a number of West Texas schools gathered in West Texas State Teacher's College at Canyon last week to compete in basketball for an athletic scholarship offered to the ten best athletes each year by the College. Of this forty, four had been invited for Spearman. They were Kiff White, Jr., P. K. Banister, Wally Cayton and Sonny Windom.

Among the ten selected, was Sonny Windom.

#### Veterans Land Bill Passes Vote 27-0

AUSTIN, Texas, Mar. 21 State Senator John Bell of Cuero held the usual distinction this week of having successfully guided the same piece of legislation through both branches of the legislature in a two year period as he Senate sent his veterans and Bill to the House with its 7 to 0 vote of blessing.

While serving as a representative in 1947, Bell carried the legislation, originally conceived by Ascom Giles, Senate Land Commissioner, to easy passage in the lower house but it failed to receive Senate consideration.

This week, Bell who has been elected to a Senate post, saw his measure win unanimous Senate approval with a few amendments. He said he hopes for passage approval in 45 days.

The measure now moving through the House legislature trend bill, enables many Texas veterans of World War II to acquire farm and ranch homes through the state with small down payments and long time financing.

The legislation, as it cleared the Senate provides: Maximum financing of \$7,125, on a \$7,990 purchase; Optional purchase of land acquired by the state or privately owned land.

Purchase to be secured by a year or more down payment with 3 years on or before at 3 percent interest.

Disabled veterans to receive 90 percent priority; Assures veteran of all mineral rights acquired; Prohibits transfer of property for three years from purchase; Does not require residence on property.

#### Pampa Roping Club Rodeo June 10-12

The Pampa Roping Club has set the date for their annual rodeo for June 10, 11, and 12. There will be three shows with 100 rounds. Pat Wartman of Fort Kansas has been contracted to furnish the stock for the rodeo. The rodeo will be held at Recreation Park in Pampa.

Along with the events of the rodeo, bareback and saddle bronc riding, bull riding, bull dogging, roping and double mugging, there will be a girl Sponsors Contest. This will also be held at the show a "Calf Scramble" for boys 8 to 15 years old. First prize in this contest will be a reformed calf weighing about 200 pounds.

There will be a kid pony show on Friday night June 10. All kids from 6 to 16. With 100 performances set for Saturday at 2:30 and 8 P. M. All entries for the rodeo must be in by 6 P. M. Friday June 10, for further information, write to H. B. Taylor, Jr. Box 18, Pampa.

### News Letter From Representative Bill Craig.

AUSTIN, Tex. Mar. — On March 16 the House Education committee sat from 7:30 p. m. until 5:45 a. m. hearing the proponents and opponents of the Gilmer-Aikin proposals for changes in the State educational system.

Before the 21 committee members met it appeared that the battle line was already finely drawn with 10 members for it and 10 against. Your representative had co-authored the Gilmer-Aikin House bills for which the Senate bills were substituted; therefore my vote was cast in favor of sending these measures to the floor of the House for their consideration rather than to a sub-committee of five members, three of which were opponents of the bills. Had the sub-committee been the destination of these bills a determined effort might have been made to kill them. It was felt that measures of such great study and far reaching importance should have the consideration and action of the House in their final disposal. As this is being written, opponents of these bills are planning various strategy to amend or kill them on the floor of the House. An attempt may be made to send Senate Bill 116, the money or Economic Index feature, to the committee on Revenue and Taxation. This might have been the place for it instead of the Education Committee in the first place. Another suggested proposal would be to resolve the House into a "Committee of the Whole House" and study the entire background of which these particular bills were formulated and caused to be proposed. Many accusations have been made about our present administration which would be well to have some substantiation in the form of facts.

To find out just who is proposing this economic index method of financing the school bill and where the tax will fall the heaviest is causing no little consternation among the members of the house who would like to have some clarification on this subject. This Economic Index, the proponents say, does not set your tax rate but it does tell the County how much money they must contribute not to exceed one dollar and fifty cents on the 100 dollars evaluation.

Much controversy and differences of opinions exists on abolishing the elective office of State Superintendent of Public Schools and the change in appointing to electing State School Board Members. It is believed that the 19-10 division of the House Education Committee is fairly indicative of the sentiment of the House as a whole and that a bitter and prolonged fight is in store before any school program is enacted.

The majority of the Classroom Teacher Associations and School Administrators in the District have gone on record as favoring Senate Bill 115, 116, and 117, as have many other civic organizations and individuals. Many people concerned with the school problems of administration and finance have given their approval to these bills because they will give Texas a better school system.

On March 21 Representative Hann of Dallas moved to send Senate Bill 115 to the committee on State Affairs for further study. The motion was defeated by a vote of 75 to 55. I think the main purpose of the motion was to determine the strength of these measures in the House. However, it is my opinion that this was not a true test.

Senate Bill 63, the Minimum Standards Bill, will probably be up for consideration before the Senate this week. I voted for this bill because this bill does not deny anyone the right to select whatever kind of practitioner he desires. It expressly provides that no medical doctor shall serve as a member of the Board. It expressly exempts and chiropractor, osteopath, naturopath, medical doctor or other practitioner who has been in practice for as long as one year. It expressly exempts student now studying any branch of the healing arts of who have graduated after having studied under the G. I. Bill of Rights.

All that this bill is intended to do is to require any practitioner to sufficiently school himself before he begins to treat the human body regardless of the treatment he advocates. The requirements in this respect are not as strenuous as those pertaining to the legal profession in this State. I do not believe that it is wrong to require all practitioners to fulfill the requirements of this bill before they offer themselves as practitioners of the healing arts.

Indonesia is rich in Indonesia, formerly the Netherlands East Indies, comprises the islands and peoples of the great archipelago between India and Australia. This is one of the world's fabulously rich areas of tropical agriculture. Its constantly renewed volcanic soil and even hot humid climate produce two, three or more crops per year.

### Irrigation and Pruning School Is Well Attended

Thursday March 24th was a big day for farmers in Hansford County interested in irrigation. An irrigation school was held at County Agent Zack Jagers office. Experts on irrigation were R. Y. Thurman who discussed Geology, Wells, Pump Efficiency, Planning Irrigation layouts, soil moisture, methods of applying water, and had slides showing irrigation practices. R. R. Lancaster discussed irrigated pastures, fertilizers, legumes and crop rotations. Knox Farr district extension service agent, took over management of the program in the afternoon.

The following attended the irrigation school: D. A. Jackson, C. A. Castleman, Buster Kirk, Dave Hester, D. M. Willis, Nolan Holt, Clyde Thompson, Jesse Knudson, Delon Kirk, Carter Crawford, and George Freeman.

In the afternoon, J. F. Roshorough Extension Horticulturist of Texas A. and M. College, Adriaene head of Horticulture department of A. and M. College demonstrated all types of pruning methods. The Pruning school was held at the Allen Pierce farm.

The following attended the pruning school: Mrs. J. Curtis, Reverend Knudson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hays, Ike Baggerly and Mrs. Merle Washington others arrived after the pruning demonstration had begun.

### F. H. A. attend area Meeting

On Saturday March 26, 1949 a good representation from the Spearman Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America, with the sponsor Mrs. Lovelady, went to Canyon. This was the spring meeting of the area at which time the various chapters meet and discuss their accomplishments for the year.

The Spearman chapter is composed of girls who are advancing the home making work both in our local community and in state and the nation. This chapter felt honored because it was one of the eight that contributed to the business session Saturday morning. The topic that was discussed by this chapter was given by Mary Ruth Pool. The subject was "Good Home and Family Life for All".

Saturday afternoon a style show was given in the college auditorium by the girls of various schools. Syble Dillon participated in this. This costume was made of green, blue, and white and was worn with red accessories.

Some 1200 or 1500 girls were present at this meeting and as our school and department made a favorable showing our community should be proud of this work. A state wide meeting is to be held in Dallas May 6 & 7 for this group and our Home Making department plans to be represented.

### Ben Venneman Dies Sunday March 27

Word has been received this week by Johnny Venneman of the death of his uncle Ben Venneman who died suddenly on Sunday March 27 at the age of 81 years. Mr. Ben Venneman lived in Waldorf, Maryland.

Mr. Venneman was a former Hansford County citizen, having lived here from 1902 until 1920. He will be remembered by many for his work in the court here, and also for holding the elections at Kimball. Mr. Venneman was said to have never missed holding these elections all the time he lived here.

Besides his wife and son Ben in Waldorf, he is survived by the following relatives in Hansford county: Mrs. Joe Venneman; Johnnie Venneman; and Mrs. J. M. Stewart.

**Wake and Midway**  
The United States flag was hoisted over Wake Island on July 4, 1898, by Gen. F. V. Greene, commanding second detachment Philippine expedition. It is on the direct route from Hawaii to Hong Kong. The Midway Islands, owned by the United States, are a group in the North Pacific, 1,200 miles northwest of the Hawaiian Islands.

**Honor Harvard**  
John Harvard, founder of the oldest university in the United States, was baptized in Southwark cathedral, which contains a chapel dedicated to his memory. The church is located at the south end of London bridge.

**Alaska's First Dial Phones**  
Alaska's first dial telephone system was opened on Kodiak island, off the territory's south-central coast. The exchange was dedicated with a three-way conference call linking Kodiak, Chicago and Washington, D. C., over a 4,800-mile circuit, the longest civilian telephone hookup ever made across the North American continent.

**Pilgrims Used Copper**  
When the Pilgrims landed on the shores of Massachusetts in 1620 they had among their most cherished possessions gleaming copper utensils, brass candlesticks, flower pots and other objects made from the red metal and its alloys to make the interior of their homes both decorative and comfortable.

**Where Cotton Is Grown**  
More than 40 per cent of the world's cotton is produced on only 3 per cent of the world's land surface. The United States cotton belt, which includes North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona and California, is the most highly specialized agricultural region in the world.

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### Benefit Baseball Game Huge Success

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The Blue Socks beat the High School team 11 points, but the game was well played.

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