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Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 5 and 6, 1930

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We are giving away 5 Gallons of
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Free lunch will be served to all who attend. Valuable prizes will be given away. In addition to prizes contributed by merchants, Raney and Crawford will give away five grand prizes.

Wednesday, February 5 we will hold a school on Oliver Hart-Parr Tractors and Oliver Nichols and Shepard Combines.

Thursday, February 6, we will show a complete line of Oliver Hart-Parr Tractors, Oliver Nichols and Shepard Combines, Oliver Implements and Superior Grain Drills. This event is being held to further acquaint you with the Oliver Hart-Parr Tractors, Oliver Nichols and Shepard Combines, Oliver Implements and Superior Grain Drills.

During this school we will sell to the highest bidder at blind bid auction 1 Superior Grain Drill and 1 Oliver 180 tooth section harrow and tractor hitch.

Come early, have lunch and enjoy the two days with your friends and neighbors.

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We are giving away 1 48-pound
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Raney & Crawford Oliver Day

International Sunday School Lesson

By DR. J. E. NUNN

FOR FEBRUARY 2, 1930

General Topic—Putting God's Kingdom First.

Scripture Lesson—Matt. 6:5-13, 16-21, 31-33.

And when ye pray, ye shall be as the hypocrites: for they stand and pray in the synagogues and in the corners of the streets, that they may be seen of men. Verily I say unto you, they received their reward.

But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thine inner chamber, and having shut thy door, to thy Father who is in secret, and thy Father who seeth in secret shall recompense thee.

And in praying use not vain repetitions, as the Gentiles do for they think that by their much speaking, they shall be heard for their much speaking.

Be not therefore like unto them: for your Father knoweth at all things ye have need of, before ye ask him.

After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed by thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, as in heaven, so on earth.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts,

as we also have forgiven our debtors.

18. And bring us not into temptation. But lay up for yourself treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth consume, and where thieves do not break through nor steal;

21. For where thy treasure is, there will thy heart be also.

31. Be not therefore anxious, saying What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Where-withal shall we be clothed?

32. For after all these things do the Gentiles seek; for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need for all these things.

33. But seek ye first his kingdom, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Golden Text—Seek ye first his kingdom, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.—Matt. 6:33.

Time—The Sermon on the Mount was preached in midsummer of A. D. 28, in the second year of Christ's ministry.

Place—The Horns of Hattin, a hill southwest of Capernaum, on the west shore of the Sea of Galilee.

Introduction
"A prayer sweetened by the

temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

19. Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon the earth, where moth and rust consume, and where thieves break through and steal; name of Father, makes me confident of getting all I ask."—The Venerable Bede.

"Christ commands us to pray briefly, because he knows that our minds are easily led into wandering thoughts."—Cyril of Jerusalem.

"We pray for our Father's honor, dominion, service; and then for our own preservation, pardon, protection."—Griffith.

The Lord's Prayer "teaches: 1. Our dependence upon God—gives; 2. Modesty in request—bread; 3. Trustfulness—this day; 4. Brotherhood—us, our."—Geo. Dana Boardman.

"Why do you lay up where you may lose; and where, if you do not lose, you cannot always stay?"—Augustine.

"And let me know my Father reigns, And trust his tender care."—Anne Steele.

The Model Prayer
"The Model Prayer" is a most fitting designation of the one recorded here: "After this manner therefore pray ye." That is, it may be regarded as an outline; suggestive, rather than a set prayer.

On the other hand, it is so perfect and complete that at times we find it entirely adequate, voicing our whole heart's cry and need.

"Thy Father Who is in Heaven" "Pray to thy Father who is in secret." Perhaps there is some thought here of the dark Holy of Holies in the temple, consecrated to the secret Presence of the Almighty. Note the token of individuality, "thine inner chamber," "thy door," "thy Father," emphasizing the personal nature of true prayer.

We are, of course, to enjoy prayer with others, and Christ elsewhere speaks of the presence of the Father where even two or three are not together in the name; but they meet to no purpose in social prayer unless each by himself has become acquainted with God in solitary prayer.

"And thy Father who seeth in secret shall recompense thee." "Openly" is omitted from the most ancient manuscripts, and so from the modern translation. God's most blessed reward for secret prayer is a secret recompense, the consciousness of fellow ship with the Father, the constant presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives. There are open rewards also, but they are as nothing compared with this.

Vain Repetition. v. 7
"And in praying use not vain repetitions, as the Gentiles do." The heathen, all that are not Jews.

"Use vain repetitions" is one word in the Greek, properly to stammer; then to babble or prate, to repeat that same formula many times, as the worshippers of Baal and of Diana of Ephesus (1 Kings 18:26; Acts 19:34) and the Romanists with their pater noster and aves.

—Marvin R. Vincent. A conspicuous illustration is the Buddhist prayer wheel, containing printed prayers whirled around by hand, every revolution counting as a repetition of the prayers inside the wheel.

"For they think that they shall be heard for their much speaking." Christ does not forbid the repetition of prayers that are born of earnestness and not of empty formalism, and we are to remember his parable of the widow who wore out the unjust judge by her passionately reiterated appeals. Neither is Christ forbidding long prayers, if they are real prayers; he is only forbidding prayers that are false, unreal.

"As in Heaven, So on Earth." "Thy will be done, as in heaven so on earth." "God's will is that we should do justly, and love mercy, and walk humbly with our God. It is done in heaven by the angelic host. These, we are told, keep his commandments, harkening unto the voice of his word. God's angels do his will contentedly and unquestioningly. Whatever it is, they do it zealously, swiftly as the hurricane, vividly as the lightning. And they do it harmoniously; there are no jealousies among the angels. Christ's life and death are the eternal model of how God's work should be done, alike on earth and in heaven."—F. F. Farrar.

"Lead Us Not Into Temptation." "And lead us not into temptation." This is a prayer for God's leading. "You are in the world of temptation and you have never passed this way before. How can you avoid anxiety? How many souls tremble at the shadow of tomorrow! Your Father will be the same tomorrow as today. Take his hand and boldly say 'Lead us: lead us not into temptation.'"—Rev. James A. Francis, D. D.

"There must be some great blessing in temptation. It is to the soul what storms are to the tree, fixing its roots deeper in the soil."—Fannie Casseday Duncan. Why, then, do we ask God not to bring us into temptation. Because we dread it, we fear the power of Satan, we know our weakness, we pray that God will not bring us within the reach of any temptation without at the same time providing a means of escape from it.

"Treasures Upon the Earth." v. 19
"Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon the earth." This precept does not forbid us to accumulate wealth, honors, possessions, but forbids us to treasure them, set our heart upon them, obtain them at the cost of the higher life, use them for ourselves alone.

Our attitude toward a very slight possession may make it a "treasure upon the earth," while many a person has owned vast wealth and yet made it a means of securing treasures in heaven.

"Treasures in Heaven." v. 20
"But lay up for yourself treasures in heaven." "Such treasures are laid up by active faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. We lay up treasure of love in heaven, the outflow of generous piety in loving assistance to the needy. Such treasure is laid up in our support of mission work. And then there is treasure in heaven. We have lost loved ones who have gone before; and so with much thought of them, and of God, and of the dear Saviour, our conversations are in heaven."

"Treasure in heaven is lasting treasure! The man who has given his heart and his life to Christ, who has set his affections upon things above, is in no fear of losing his riches. The man who has laid up treasure on earth loses it all when he dies; but the man whose treasure is laid up in heaven looks forward to an inheritance incorruptible and unfading and which fadeth not away."

The Heart Is With The Treasure
"For where thy treasure is there will thy heart be also." "If we lay up treasure in heaven; live pure, useful, Christian lives, our hearts will be where our treasure is; we shall love God, and good men, and the noblest things. If we lay up treasure upon earth, alone, live only for selfish and worldly purposes, our hearts will also be with our treasure; we shall love things and men unworthy our affection, and become incapable of appreciating or enjoying what is better than ourselves."—A. D. Mayo.

"Consider The Lilies." v. 28
In regard to worldly possessions avarice, which we have just considered, is the special temptation

of the rich, and anxiety, which we are now to consider, is the special temptation of the poor. "Jesus warns us against anxiety. Of course he does not forbid foresight and prudence; but he would keep us from that carelessness and worry which destroy our peace and hamper our usefulness. He points us to the birds, to show that the heavenly Father will provide necessary food. He suggests the folly of anxiety which can shorten but can never lengthen the life of man. He bids us 'consider the lilies of the field' in their beauty, in order to assure us that the heavenly Father will clothe those who trust in him. It is indeed a confidence, dependent upon the care of the heavenly Father which banishes anxiety."—Prof. Charles R. Erdman.

"Seek First His Kingdom." v. 33.
"But seek ye first his kingdom, and his righteousness." Other things may be sought, but sought secondarily. Our main aim must be to promote the reign of God—that is, God's righteousness—in our own hearts and in all the world. First things first, and these are the first things.

Special Lessons.
"This verse 33 is in a sense the summing up of the whole lesson of this Sermon on the Mount up to this point."—Prof. Benjamin B. Warfield.

"Think what would have happened to the world if men had not been so busy putting bread and butter first!"—Rev. William Thomason Hanzsche.

"Banish forever from your minds that religion is subtraction."

It does not tell us to give things up, but rather gives us something so much better that they give themselves up."—Henry Drummond.

HORSES AND "HORSEPOWER"
The origin and significance of the term "horsepower" probably is lost to the average motorist who speaks so glibly of the power developed by his car.

The horsepower unit was formulated in 1780 by James Watt, inventor of the steam engine, shortly after the product of his genius had proved its ability to replace the horses previously used at mills, mines, breweries and distilleries of England. Watt described one horsepower as the effort of a horse moving at two and one-half miles per hour and raising a weight of 150 pounds by means of a rope passed over a pulley, the effort being equal to raising 33,000 pounds one foot high in one minute.

Talkies are proposed as a means of increasing church attendance. Another good suggestion is the addition of golf instruction and putting green.

OVERTASKED
First Maid: "So you don't like to work for highbrows?"

Second Maid: "You bet I don't. I worked for one pair of them—and never again! Him and her was fighting continually, and it kept me running back and forth between the keyhole and the dictionary all the time."

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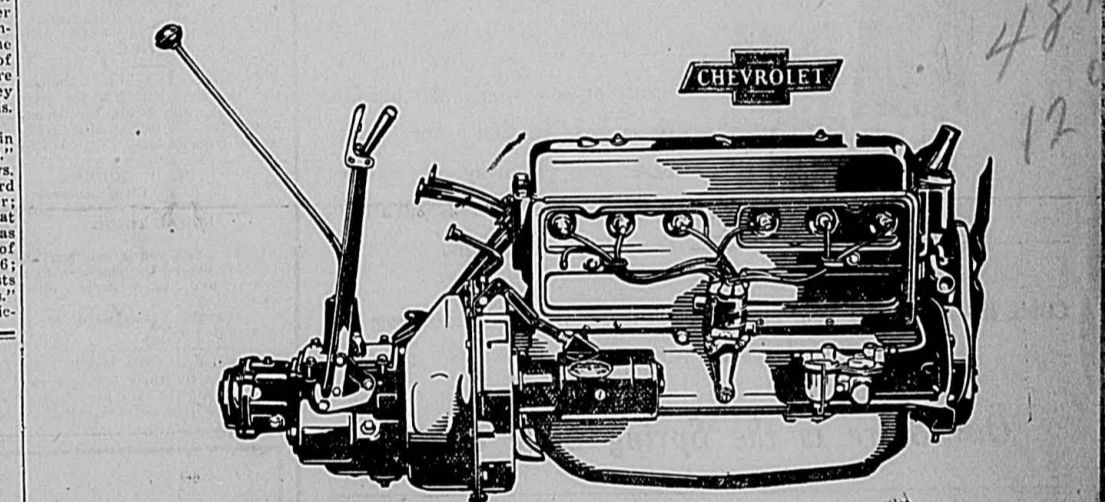
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Political Announcements

Those whose names appear below have authorized the Spearman Reporter to announce their candidacy for the nomination for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary elections

of July 26, 1930.

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This charge covers the insertion of announcement in every issue of The Reporter up and including the dates of the first and second primaries and the names of the nominees until the general election in November.

For County and District Clerk: J. E. WOMBLE, OPAL MILLER

For County Treasurer: BARNEY SPARKS

For Tax Assessor: OSCAR MCLEOD, BILL WHITSON

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: H. L. WILBANKS

Long skirts, a friend fears, will increase accidents on crowded highways, because the women will not be able to dodge oncoming cars with such agility. But on the other hand it is certain that men drivers will have their minds on their business, so the situation is not changed in the least.

Saturday Night

By O. K.

The writer of these lines has been "bawled out" so often and so vociferously during the two weeks last passed, we hardly know where to begin. Let's see now: That game of basketball between the Perryton and Spearman high school teams really was a pretty good game so we are later informed. We are anxiously awaiting the call of J. L. McCarty to come to Dalhart, and will be there if the weather will permit.

Frozen water pipes have caused more trouble in Spearman during the recent cold snap than flies do

in the summer-time. Gradually everything is being brought back to normal and the water pipes will be put down deeper in the ground, from 24 inches to 30 inches. Then, we won't have such cold weather again in twenty years or more.

We regret very much our inability to attend the Wonder District Association held at Guymon on January 20. The weather was just too bad, and looked as though it would get worse every minute. We are anxiously awaiting the call of J. L. McCarty to come to Dalhart, and will be there if the weather will permit.

The decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission in the matter of granting the Santa Fe permit to extend the Spearman branch on to a connection with its proposed Amarillo-Las Animas line, will be awaited with much interest by residents of the north plains country. Making a favorable report for the Santa Fe doubly important is the fact that the Amarillo-Las Animas line may not be built if permit to build the Spearman-Dumas extension is not granted. Thus, that tremendous empire lying between the rich valleys of the Arkansas river, in Colorado, across the virgin prairies to the treacherous old Cimarron, in northwest Oklahoma, and on across the fertile plains and fine wheat fields in north Texas, to the Canadian is affected by the building of this 50 miles of railway. And the building of this little line will be very inexpensive, compared to a big per cent of the remainder of the proposed line.

This writer would like to see Coach Jarvis take his first string basketballers to the district meet at Canyon on February 21 and 22, and to the Sixth Annual Tri-State meet at Dalhart on February 27. Then, next year, why not hold a basketball tournament at Spearman.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Hereafter, no goods will be delivered to any employee or charged to the city of Spearman, Texas, without a written order, signed by the City Manager.

By order of the City Commission. T. W. HOLMES, City Manager.

NOTICE

By order of the City Commission the time limit for the payment of city taxes, Spearman, Texas, for this period only, is extended from January 31st, 1930 to February 15, 1930.

T. W. HOLMES, City Manager.

USUAL THING

"Why didn't you interfere when the cook chased the waiter with a cleaver and the waitress yelled murder?" "I thought it was an ordinary cabaret feature."

"Are the fish thick here?" "Well, not too thick, sir," answered the native. "We have to use this lake partly for navigation."

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Universal had to order hundreds of pounds of technicolor make-up for use on the faces and arms of more than 350 extras working in technicolor sequences in the \$1,500,000 talking picture, "Broadway," which comes to the Lyric Theatre Wednesday.

The elaborate Paradise Night Club set, which is a riot of color, was photographed in technicolor, with hundreds of hired whoopee makers cavorting in evening clothes.

The task of applying the special make-up to the multitudes of ex-

tras fell upon the shoulders of Jack Pierce, make-up expert 15 years, and his assistant, Lashin, aided by four additional make-up technicians. The job completed in two hours.

Glenn Tryon, Evelyn Brent, Merna Kennedy and Robert Ellis head the large roster of featured players. Dr. Paul Fejos directed Carl Laemmle, Jr. was the producer.

The grocer had just given Ethel a banana, which was accepted silently.

"Well, what do you say to nice man?" prompted the mother.

"I thay skn it."

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Allen M. Wilbanks, Jr., widely known in the Texas Panhandle as banker and oil man, will leave here today for Presidio, Texas, where he will enter the banking business.

Mr. Wilbanks has been in the oil business here the past three years. Before coming to the city he was with banks at Perryton and Ochilsee.

Accompanying Mr. Wilbanks and his family to Presidio, will be his son-in-law, Walter Deason, and the latter's family. Mr. Deason will also enter into business in Presidio.

Mr. Wilbanks will be connected with the Presidio Valley Bank, a newly organized institution. He has been active in its organization and is a heavy stockholder.

Presidio is at the point of entry to Mexico of the new Orient railroad line.—Amarillo Daily News.

Editor's Note: At the January meeting of the board of Directors of the Presidio Valley Bank, when two more directors were added, making the directorship seven in place of five, Mr. Wilbanks was made a director of the institution, and also vice-president.

Mr. Wilbanks is also the local representative of the Presidio Lumber Co., having received his appointment Wednesday, and on the same day sold a lot for spot cash, which indicates an unusual salesmanship ability.—Presidio Journal.

Remains of six men without head said to be the original ancestors of the human races were found in Asia. So it seems that the human being inherits this trait.

PUTS ALL HUSBANDS IN THREE CLASSES

There are only three kinds of husbands in the world and it is a question whether any of them are handy to have around the house, according to Richard Connell, in The Country Home. Connell classifies them under the headings of Alpha, Beta and Gamma and rates himself as an expert in the latter class.

"The Alpha husband is growing increasingly rare in North America," says Connell. "He not only can but cheerfully does wash and dry the children and dishes, promenade with the pup, put down the new linoleum, fix the furnace, chop ice for the sarsaparilla and rig up devices for closing windows on cold mornings."

"The Beta husband likes to putter around the house, but he likes to putter at what he likes to putter at. If his bent is toward carpentry, he will fill the house so full of shelves, cabinets and other specimens of his art that the only guests who can visit there will be midgets. This type of husband is often to be found in the cellar making something in a crock. Usually it explodes before anyone can drink it, which is fortunate."

"Then there is the Gamma husband, who is about as useful around the house as a pea-shooter in the next war. To this group I belong."

The American people are said to be very forgetful, but they can always recollect the deductions to be made from their income on their tax returns.

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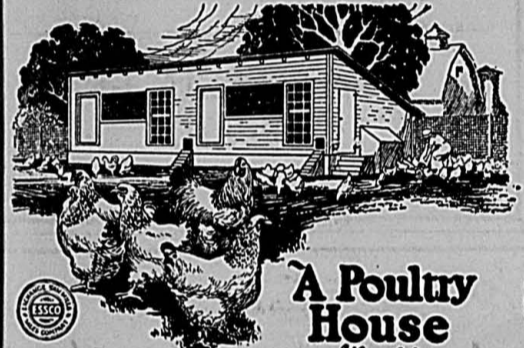
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ARTICLE XIX

Editor's Note—This is another story in a series of 52 stories on poultry raising written by the well known national poultry authority, Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis. The entire series will appear in this paper. Our readers are urged to read them carefully and clip them out for future reference.

WHEN NATURE "MOTHERS" THE EGGS

Don't Leave the Whole Job to Your Hens if You Use Nature's Method of Hatching—Careful Following Out of Simple Rules Insures a Maximum Degree of Success.

The question which is best, hen or incubator, has been discussed pro and con almost as much as that prime favorite of old time high school debating societies: "Which came first, the chicken or the egg?" The real solution of the problem depends largely on circumstances. For a number of reasons, the commercial poultry raiser is forced to use the incubator. For the owner of the average back yard or farm flock, however, it is a purpose that hens will serve a much smaller utility. Unlike the commercial breeder, he can usually afford to wait until hens are broody—and the problem of securing enough broody hens for his entire hatch is not very often encountered.

As far as results are concerned, one method is as good as the other if proper methods are employed. First of all, considerable care should be exercised in the selection of hens used for hatching eggs. The following points are very important. The hen should have a well developed broody inclination; should be even tempered, free from nervousness and not too offensive when approached while setting. A yearling or two-year-old is more dependable than a pullet; never use pullets if you can avoid it. Use only hens that are large enough to thoroughly cover the desired number of eggs with a little to spare. Use only healthy, vigorous hens, in good flesh and having bright eyes and red combs.

Everywhere there seems to be a struggle to find some worthy purpose to which one can dedicate his efforts and thoughts. Some people strive passionately to uplift the unfortunate inhabitants of far away places. Others seek to find ways of improving the community. And still others indulge in a large amount of idealistic talk that has no specific or practical application. This human urge to find some issue or movement worthy of support leads to ridiculous performances at times, but it is essentially one of the finest traits in human nature. The desire to make life something besides a narrow, self-seeking period of existence is not to be condemned only in its unintelligent expression.

In Spearman as in all other communities we have many people who would like to do something worth while in general social uplift or enlightenment. But unfortunately they do not always know what to do and so seek reforms that are of questionable value. Herein lies the need for intelligent leadership. An individual or small group in a community or an institution can take advantage of this human desire to do something worth while and lead the mass of people on in the direction of better living, higher culture, more intelligent citizenship. In the main, thus, all communities are the same. There is the will to do something worth while for the town among the great mass of its citizens. But in the character of leadership they have there is a vital difference. So wherever you may live you have unlimited opportunities to accomplish worth while things. If you have the requisite intelligence, the initiative, the ability to inspire others with your own ideals, you will find a large following pliable to your influence.

To my mind, the ideal nesting material is clean fine straw or hay. It is difficult to shape a nest with long coarse straw. Leaves are sometimes used for nests and are

quite satisfactory. Having provided the hen with adequate nesting facilities, the next consideration is to provide proper food and exercise. The hen should be permitted to leave her nest occasionally to eat and exercise, but must not be allowed to stay off the eggs until they get chilled. Feed her equal parts of wheat and corn on the ground or in a pan near the nest, but feed no mash. Provide plenty of pure, fresh water, grit and charcoal. The sitting hen will usually leave her nest once a day for feed and water. If she does not, take her off and close the nest so she cannot get back too soon. If she stays away too long, take her gently away from the food and put her back on the nest. If the weather is rather cool, she should not leave the eggs more than 10 or 20 minutes. In mild weather she may stay away somewhat longer.

Visit your hens regularly while they are sitting and watch them closely. If a hen is a good sitter, she will sick right on the job and give you very little trouble, but some hens are restless, mash the eggs by moving about or mash newly hatched chicks. Chicks should be taken from such hens as put in an incubator or under some other hen. Always remove empty shells. Otherwise they may slip over other eggs and smother chicks struggling to get out of their shells. Also whenever an egg is broken during the earlier stages of hatching, remove it. If its contents are smeared over other eggs, wipe them clean with a wet cloth and return them to the nest at once. Use only lukewarm water for this purpose. Make necessary examination of nests while your hens are eating to avoid disturbing them.

Needless to say, thorough sanitation of nests and coops is necessary. The coop or building in which hatching is done should be thoroughly disinfected at least once each week. The nest should not only be kept clean as suggested above, but the hen should be thoroughly dusted with lice powder before hatching is started and again on the seventeenth day.

LEADERS NEEDED

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general relief.
Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Spearman, Texas, on this the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1930.
(Seal) J. E. WOMBLE,
Clerk, 84th District Court
514. Hansford County, Texas.

NOTICE IN PROBATE

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice, in the County of Hansford, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days, exclusive of the first day of publication before the return hereof, and that you post the said notice for ten days, in the three most public places in your county, one of which shall be at the Court House Door, and no two in the same city or town, and that you deliver to Ward G. Spivey and Elizabeth Z. Spivey heirs at law of W. G. Spivey, in person, at least ten days before the return date of this writ, exclusive of the day of service (to each a copy) copies of the following notice:
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To all Persons Interested in the Estate of W. G. Spivey, deceased:
You are hereby notified that Mary Ward Spivey has on this 15th day of January, A. D. 1930, filed in the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, an application for the Probate of the last will and testament of the said W. G. Spivey, deceased, and for letters testamentary of said estate, which application will be heard by the said County Court on Monday, the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1930, at the Court House of Hansford County, Texas, in the City of Spearman, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.
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3rd day of February, A. D., 1930. A. D., 1930.
Given under my hand and seal of office, in the City of Spearman, Texas, this 15th day of January, (Seal) J. E. WOMBLE,
Clerk of the County Court of Hansford County, Texas.



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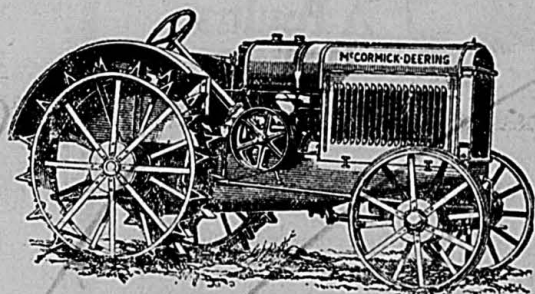
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OUR OPINIONS

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Who is there in the community who hasn't a very close friend with whom he can spend an evening arguing economics, politics, business matters, and every other subject capable of a disagreement of opinion?

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Men wore whiskers and boots, wide hats, chewed tobacco, spit on the sidewalk and cussed. Beer was 5c and the lunch free. Laborers worked 10 hours a day and never went on a strike. No tips were given to waiters and the hat-check grafter was unknown.

No one was ever operated on for appendicitis or brought glands. Microbes were unheard of. Folks lived to a good old age and every year walked miles to wish their friends Howdy!

Today, you know—Everybody rides in automobiles or trains, plays golf, shoots craps, plays the piano with his feet, goes to the movies nightly, smokes cigarettes, drinks hooch, blames the H. C. of L. on his neighbors, never goes to bed the same day he gets up, and thinks he is having a h-1 of a time. These are the days of suffragettes, profiteering, rent hogs, excess taxes and prohibition. Yet—life is still very much worth living.

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Bright lights are now removing much of the disagreeable part of necessary night work on nearly one million farms, about 500,000 of which have individual electric light plants, find the research department of the National Association of Farm Equipment Manufacturers.

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A church dignitary announces that the modern girl is not in the least indiscreet or shocking. Unquestionably this will anger a great many of them.

DINING ROOM, FAREWELL
The dining room promises soon to be as rare as a "best parlor." Even in the finest homes the breakfast alcove is replacing it.—The Country Home.

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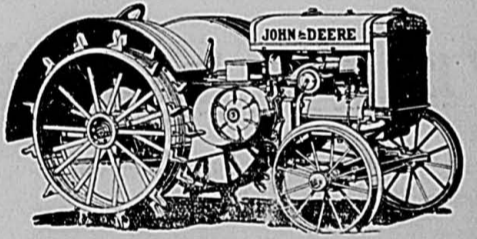
This will take care of them for two months.

POLL TAX

Both men and women are required by law to pay poll tax. January 31 is the last day on which poll tax may be paid, without penalty attached.

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Churches and Society

B. Y. P. U.

"Black Gold," what is it? Come to B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening at 6 p. m. and see. Everyone is urged to be there as we are starting a contest. Groupe No. 1 with Marga Chammass as captain, will give the program Sunday evening.

Missionary Society

The Ladies Missionary Society met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chas. Chambers. Eighteen members were present. The lesson for the afternoon was a report on foreign mission and the council mission bulletin. Tuesday

the society will serve the Lions Club luncheon. The date of the play, "Wanted: A Man," will be announced within a few weeks. The meeting next week will be at the home of Mrs. J. H. Buchanan.

W. M. U.

Owing to illness in the home of Mrs. Chas. Hitt the T. F. L. social was had at the home of Mrs. C. O. Collard, with Mrs. R. L. Baley, Mrs. J. E. Gower and Mrs. C. O. Collard acting as hostesses. The evening was spent playing a number of interesting games and contests. We were very glad to have two new members added to our list, they were Mrs. Whitley and Mrs. J. O. Tuton. A special invitation is extended to all who care to attend our meetings. The White Elephant appeared on the scene and after a major operation was relieved of approximately \$14.00. Owing to the slow rate of speed which elephants travel he didn't make the complete round

Monday and Tuesday and will finish the job this week. The ladies will meet with Mrs. W. M. Glover next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. After business affairs were attended to a dainty plate luncheon was served to the following: Mrs. L. F. Noe, Mrs. D. P. Tice, Mrs. Whitley, Mrs. J. O. Tuton, Mrs. R. H. Prewitt, Mrs. Fred Brandt, Mrs. Hobart Dick, Mrs. D. W. Holland, Mrs. Rex Sanders, Mrs. J. M. Thompson, Mrs. A. L. Rippey, Mrs. W. M. Glover, Mrs. Carl Hutchison, Mrs. John Gill, Mrs. Robert Wilbanks, Mrs. C. O. Collard, Mrs. R. L. Baley and Mrs. J. E. Gower.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker and the children Frances Anne and Bill Junior passed through Spearman Wednesday on their way to Amarillo. They stopped here for a few hours visit with relatives and old friends. Mr. and Mrs. Walker are in the cattle and ranching business near Boise City, Oklahoma.

Miss Ethel Delbriggie came from Oklahoma City last Sunday and will make Spearman her future home. She will stay with her sister, Mrs. Bob Archer and has enrolled in the Spearman High School, being a member of the Junior class.

Little Miss Alvino Caldwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Caldwell, has been dangerously ill with the flu the past week but her nurse, Miss Johnson of Amarillo, reports that her condition is slightly improved this Thursday morning.

Word was received at the Reporter office the first of the week that Mrs. Percy Smith of Gruver who is in the hospital at Shattuck is recovering nicely from an operation performed about three weeks ago. She will return to her home at Gruver the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richards and Mrs. J. H. Richards left Monday for Austin for a weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Bernyce Burran is spending the week in Amarillo, a guest in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burran.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Barbour and Mrs. Herman Barbour came from Dalhart this Thursday morning for a short visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Barbour and to attend to business matters.

Howard Neilson arrived the first of the week for a months visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Neilson. Howard is associated with the Texas Power and Light Company of Texas and New Mexico.

MORSE NEWS

Messers Henry Reid and Orville Young made a business trip to Dalhart Wednesday.

H. C. Coffee went to Amarillo Monday to attend the Santa Fe and Rock Island railroad hearing. Joe Cotten, who was with the Panhandle Lumber Company here last summer returned last Wednesday to resume his position with the company.

Mrs. E. L. Stevenson and babies went to Amarillo Wednesday on the "Californian" to visit a few days with her parents.

A. L. Parks returned Friday from Mineral Wells where he has been with his brother, H. B. Parks. H. B. is not doing well. Roscoe Parks and Russell Marable went to Mineral Wells Sunday to see him. Mr. Marable will return by the way of Dallas to bring his wife and children home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Moody Womble, a 11 1/4 pound boy, on Monday, January 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reid went to Dalhart Sunday on the train by the way of Liberal, Kansas. They returned in their car which had been left there earlier in the week.

W. D. Tenny, District Manager for the Panhandle Lumber Company was in town on business Wednesday.

C. L. Overton, John Deere mechanic for Henry Reid, went to Amarillo Monday to attend a John Deere Tractor School.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fairry spent the week end in Amarillo.

Howard Anderson of Amarillo, was in Morse on business Saturday.

Miss Mary Coffee came over from Perryton, where she is attending high school, to spend the week-end with her parents.

Joe Kimple of Amarillo was in town Monday, on business.

Rev. Norman filled his regular appointment in Morse Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Jones of Spearman visited with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Parks, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Dortch made a business trip to Spearman Saturday.

TELEPHONE PROVES INVALUABLE TO THIS FAMILY

Not long ago a young man, who lives in one of the towns served by our Company, decided to move to another part of town. All of the local employees were busy repairing lines and resetting poles blown down in the recent snow storm but when the young man called in and asked that his telephone be changed to his new home, a lineman was brought in off of the storm break and immediately moved the telephone.

Only a few minutes after the lineman had completed his job and left, the young housewife, who was standing on a box storing fruit in the pantry, fell and struck her head against the wall.

She was able and had presence of mind enough to drag herself to the telephone and call her husband. When her husband reached home he found his wife unconscious, in which condition she remained for some time. If that telephone had not been moved and reconnected with the switchboard the accident could easily have proved very serious and perhaps fatal. Don't be without your telephone for a minute. If you are moving this spring let us know in plenty of time to make the change. —Western Telephone Corp., Fred Lusk, local manager.

Miss Lillie Hazelwood, well known and quite efficient sales-lady at Smith's Variety Store, is enjoying a short vacation. She is visiting with relatives in and near Texhoma, at Amarillo, Plainview and elsewhere.

J. E. T. Kephart was here from Alva, Oklahoma, the latter part of last week attending to business matters. Mr. Kephart owns considerable land in this section of the country.

Hiram and Henry Wilbanks and Frank Allen will return the latter part of this week from Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they have been the past three weeks on a rest and vacation.

Word comes from Mineral Wells that Mrs. Virgil Wilbanks who has been real seriously ill for the past several weeks is improving nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbanks are spending the winter at Mineral Wells.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carnes on Friday, January 24, a baby daughter. The little lady has been named Dona Faye.

E. N. Nickens and R. E. Burran attended to business matters in Amarillo Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jot Horton and the children returned Sunday from a months visit with relatives at Sherman. Mr. Horton also attended to business matters in Dallas.

W. W. Merritt, manager of the Stone-Merritt and Co. store here, was a visitor to Mangum, Oklahoma last week. He returned to Spearman Friday accompanied by Mrs. Merritt, who has been spending the past two months in the home of their daughter at Mangum, and by Miss Dorothy Blake of Oklahoma City. Miss Blake is a niece of Mrs. Merritt's and will visit here indefinitely.

Bill Kirk and Bill Kirkland were up from north Hutchinson county Monday attending to business matters.

"Broadway" New Talkie to Be Shown at Lyric Is Big Hit

A top-price Broadway revue and a New York play hit rolled into one at the price of a motion picture—such is "Broadway," the Universal super talking and singing production which opens at the Lyric Theatre Wednesday night, February 5.

Bargain sales in entertainment are something new, but that is literally what such an all-sound production as "Broadway" gives to the theatre-goer. After seeing the film, it is easy to believe that Carl Laemmle, Jr., spent \$1,500,000 to make it.

"Broadway," to begin with, was a sensational play which kept New York itself on edge for almost two years. The action of the play has been faithfully reproduced in the picture, not only with full dialogue, but with two outstanding characters of the original production playing the parts which they made famous throughout the country.

In addition, everything which could not be shown on the stage has been added to the picture; all the exterior scenes which so materially enhance the vivid drama of the story, and, more notably still, the Paradise Night Club itself, around which revolved so much of the action, but which could only be spoken of, not seen, on the stage.

The sequences laid in this scene alone are worth far more than the price charged for the entire picture, for, in a setting much more lavish than anything hitherto seen on the screen, a full revue is presented, complete with a chorus of beautiful girls and marvelous music.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Klutts and Lawrence Wilbanks visited Friday and Saturday in Amarillo with Henry Klutts who is in the hospital there. They also met Mrs. Lawrence Wilbanks who was returning from Butler, Oklahoma. She was called there a week ago on account of the serious illness of her father. Her father is much better at this writing.

V. O. Davis, Ted McClellan and Dawson Nichols drove to Oklahoma City last Thursday. Mr. McClellan and Mr. Nichols to attend the convention of the Chevrolet One Hundred Car Club which was held there Friday, and Mr. Davis to attend to business matters. They returned home Sunday.

CAUSE AND EFFECT

Little Boy: "A penn'orth each of liniment and liquid cement please."

Chemist: "Are they both for the same person, or shall I wrap them up separately?"

Little Boy: "Well, I dunno. Muvver's broke 'er teapot, so she wants the cement, but fawver wants the liniment. 'E's what muvver broke 'er teapot on."

Doctor: "There's the original prescription. I can't imagine how you made that mistake in putting it up!"

Druggist: "Humph! I must have mixed your signature with the other ingredients."

NOTICE IN PROBATE—WRIT

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly pub-

lished for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of notice in the County of Hansford State of Texas, and you are cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of first day of publication before return day hereof:

NOTICE The State of Texas, To all Persons interested in the Estate of Elperie Ter Borg Deceased:

Notice is hereby given, that Clarence Winder, has filed in the County Court of Hansford County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of Elperie Ter Borg, deceased, as for letters testamentary, to be sued to him, which will be filed at the next term of said court commencing on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1930, at the Court House thereof, in the County of Spearman, in said county, which time all persons interested in said matter may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Herein fail not, under penalty of the law, and of this Writ made return.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in the City of Spearman, in said County the 23rd day of January A. D. 1930.

Attest: J. E. WOMBLE, Clerk County Court, Hansford County, 182.

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1/2 Price	Leather Coats	Was \$13.50	Now \$7.75
	Leather Coats	\$10.00	\$5.00
1/4 OFF	Leather Coats	\$ 8.50	\$4.75
	Leather Sheepskins	\$11.00	\$5.75
	Moleskins	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
	Leather Jackets	\$12.50	\$6.95
	Wool Coat Sweaters	\$9-\$8	\$4.00
		\$7.50	\$3.50
		\$5.00	\$2.50
	Overcoats:	Was \$27.50	Now \$18.75
		\$22.50	\$15.00
	Lace Boots:	\$10.00	\$ 7.50
	Work Shoes	\$5 to \$4.75	\$3.50
		\$4 to \$3.50	\$3.00
	Winter Underwear	\$6.00	\$4.40
		\$5.00	\$3.75
		\$2.50 to \$2	\$1.60
		\$1.50	\$1.15
	Slip-on Sweaters	\$5.00	\$3.75

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\$\$\$ Day \$\$\$ Monday, Feb. 3rd

POLLY ANNA PRINTS 32 inch, fast color, good patterns, Dollar Day, 2 1/2 Yds, \$1.00	OUTING GOWNS Ladies outing gowns, pink or blue stripes, Dollar Day, Each, \$1.00	MEN'S CAPS Good styles and patterns, values to \$1.75, Dollar Day, Each, \$1.00
PERCALE 36 inch, plain or fancied, guaranteed fast color, Dollar Day, 4 Yds., \$1.00	HOUSE DRESSES Many pretty styles and materials, all sizes, Dollar Day, Each, \$1.00	MEN'S UNIONS Winter weight, ribbed, white, \$1.50 values, Each, \$1.00
GINGHAM Kalburnie, 32 inch, plain and checks, Dollar Day 5 Yards, \$1.00	DRESS SHIRTS A dandy assortment of patterns, values to \$1.75, Dollar Day, Each, \$1.00	DRESS SOX Men's silk and rayon dress sox fancy patterns, Dollar Day, 3 Pairs, \$1.00
TOWELING Turkish and crash, in bleached or brown, Dollar Day, 5 Yards, \$1.00	Men's Pants One lot about 20 pairs for work or dress. Assorted wool and part wool in sizes 29 to 42, waist. Mayfield Wooled Mills and Rodeo Makes. Priced regular at \$2.95 to \$5.90. Choice this lot at Special, pair \$3.29	Sweaters, Lumber Jacs One lot mens and boys sweaters road values, Dollar Day, Each, \$1.00
One-Half Price	Bed Blankets Genuine Nashua plaid cotton blankets, made of soft, fleecy, combed cotton, size 70 by 80 inches, double. Weight 3 1/2 pounds to the pair. Pretty Plaid patterns. Regular \$3.75 value. Special, pair \$3.29	SheepLined Coats Men's navy blue corduroy, sheepskin lined coats, with large Wombat collars, 36 inches long, all around belts, 4 pockets, warm and serviceable. Regular values \$9.75 to \$10.75. Sizes 36 to 46, Dollar Day, One-Half Price
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