

The Spearman Reporter

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IS SOAK ENTIRE SOUTHWEST THIS WEEK

Local Men Make Trip To Austin In Behalf Of Irrigation Work

Bill Broadhurst, W. S. McNabb and Alvino Richardson spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Austin, checking over reports and gaining additional information towards completing the Palo Duro Valley resettlement irrigation project.

The Hansford county men report their visit very successful, and possibilities of completing all the preliminary work on this resettlement project within ten days. At the present time a check on the water levels of the county is being made under the supervision of Bill Broadhurst. When this work is complete the survey will be forwarded to Austin, and when approved there will likely be sent to Washington for the final approval of the proposed irrigation project.

While every report and all work completed to date is very favorable towards the resettlement program, those working for the project would like for Hansford County citizens to help insure the success of the work already down by writing or wiring or writing Marvin Jones at Washington urging his support.

COUNTY AGENT'S NOTES

Realizing the impossible task of running contour and terrace lines for all the farmers of the county, when wanted, a series of demonstrations have been arranged at the farms listed below on the days specified, where instructions will be given individual farmers in operating the level, the target and running these lines.

Monday—June 1st—William F. C. Etling.
Tuesday—June 2nd—Emil Knutson.
Wednesday—June 3rd—R. C. Bennett.
Thursday—June 4th—L. F. Noe.
Friday—June 5th—R. D. McClellan.
Monday—June 8th: V. H. Ogle

If these meetings do not reach all the farmers, we will be glad to hold a demonstration for any community that will arrange the place and date and let us know. Please pass this information out to interested farmers in your district.

FOR SALE tea foot Angell one way. Cheap. See Virgil Wilbanks.

is the man for the office, but, all I ask of my friends in Hansford county is to hear him make his plea. To the farmers who have always had the cooperation of this paper, I am demanding that you attend this meeting if possible—not only because I take pride in working for my friend, but because know you should be interested in who represents this section in the state senate. When and if Senator Small comes to this city, I will insist that you hear his talk, and the plans he has to offer for your benefit. It's certainly time you FARMERS wake up to the fact that you must become interested in politics if you are to be successful in your other activities.

If I can pick our Senator as successfully as I did the leader of our softball association, we will have a bright future. I sure am taking all the credit for selecting Justice Oaks as chief mogul of our softball league—he is going to make the best record of any individual so far—he has already planned so many new features that will make our play more interesting.

To my Boss, Dave M. Warren owner of this paper, who is written in this article about his recent trip, Boss I sure have been getting a lot of compliments on your articles. If this keeps up, I will put you back on a salary.

E. R. HESTOR IS NEW CONOCO AGENT

Announcement was made this week that E. R. Hestor had purchased the equipment of Alvino Richardson, and had been commissioned the wholesale agent for Conoco products at Spearman. Mr. Hestor wishes to invite his friends and the general public to visit him at his new location, and pledges excellent service to those who desire to patronize his place of business.

Enrollment In CCC Is Urged By Officials

Mrs. J. Cooke, county welfare official urges those who desire to enroll in a CCC camp to register with her at the court house in the immediate future. This county can take applicants without limit, where applicants can qualify, namely, as a member of a family who are recorded on the relief rolls of this county. There has not been a date set for limiting the enrollment, and Mrs. Cooke asks that all who desire to enter a camp hold themselves in readiness to leave at any time after their application has been accepted. Hansford County sent 3 boys to camp in May so far.

Tournament Prizes Awarded To Players

Final results of the Spearman Lion club tournament were as follows.

Winner of the first flight, Elma Gunn; Winner of golf ball for lowest score of tournament, Elma Gunn, Mr. Gunn shot a 36 which is par on the Spearman course. Winner of second flight, Ernest Wilmet, Woodrow Gibner received a prize of a golf ball for first birdie in flight two. Carl Meek received a golf ball for the most birdies in flight 1. Carl Owens winner of the third flight but no player in this beginners flight registered for the prize of a golf ball for the first birdie reported in this flight.

The Mary Martha Missionary society of the Methodist church wishes to announce that they will have a bake sale next Saturday May 30 in the Spearman Press office.

C. V. Main, was a business visitor in Amarillo Thursday. Mrs. W. A. Hitchcock and daughters Ruth Florene and Carmendean visited with their daughter and sister Mrs. Brummett in Pampa last week. Miss Merita Von Brummett of Pampa is visiting her grandparents this week Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Hitchcock.

A. N. MEADOWS IS SLIGHTLY INJURED

A. N. Meadows sustained painful injuries Thursday evening of last week when he was struck by a car driven by high school students. The accident was unavoidable.

NO CENTER PARKING

New red painted signs warn the public that there will be no Center Parking in Spearman's business district. This new ordinance has teeth... at least the base of the signs have large nails that will puncture your tires if you attempt to run over them with your car.

Invitation Tournament Planned For June 6-7

Lloyd Campbell chairman of the Lion golf committee has sent letters to golf clubs at Perryton, Borger, Panhandle, Pampa, Amarillo, Hooker, Oklahoma, Texoma, Beaver, Guyton, Gruver and other nearby clubs, inviting members of the golf clubs to participate in an invitation golf tournament to be staged by the Spearman organization June 6 to 7th.

Three flights will likely be arranged for the invitation tournament, and qualifying rounds will be staged before June 1st, when registration must be completed.

MRS. IRA PEARSON SURPRISED WITH SHOWER

Mrs. A. F. Loftin, Miss Bernice Vernon and Miss Wren Loftin were hostesses to a surprise shower given Mrs. Ira Pearson at the home of her aunt Mrs. W. M. Glover. Mrs. Pearson received many beautiful and useful gifts. Lovely refreshments of punch and cake were served to Mesdames; Max Lackey, A. F. Loftin, J. H. Broadhurst, Bruce Sheets, J. D. Hester, Rex Sanders, Watt Huffstetter, Dennis Jones, J. B. Cooke Sam Gillispie, Roy Russell; Misses Alvino Caldwell, Jaunita Hall, Wren Loftin, Bernice Vernon, Ruth Buchanan, Lillie Hazelwood, Thome sending gifts were, Mesdames A. G. Brant, Burl Brockus, Earl Riley, Buena Vernon, D. W. Hazelwood, Clyde Hazelwood, Herman Reed, Bill Russell, Mrs. D. W. Holland, Mrs. Fred Hoobins and daughters and Miss Anna Lee Morton.

Judge Broadhurst was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday. Tom Phelps of Perryton was a business visitor in Spearman Tuesday. Mrs. S. E. Harbison and children were in Amarillo Thursday. C. V. Main, Dave Hester, O. C.

GOVERNOR ASKS FOR \$1,500,000 TO AID OLD AGE PENSIONS

Governor James Allred of Texas asked the Social Security Board today for \$1,500,000 to match state funds for the Texas Old Age Assistance fund.

Memorial Day To Be Observed May 30th

While no special memorial day program is scheduled for Spearman on Saturday May 30th, many citizens will observe the occasion by decorating graves in the Hansford Cemetery. Rev. Hitchcock of the Methodist church will bring a memorial day sermon to his congregation Sunday morning May 31.

Father of P. A. Lyon Buried At Denton, Texas

Funeral services for H. R. Lyon 89 year old pioneer of Denton, Texas were held Sunday afternoon at the Christian church of Denton. Interment followed in the Denton cemetery. Mr. Lyon father of P. A. Lyon and Mrs. A. F. Barkle of Spearman was one of the representative citizens of Denton county. He resided in Denton for 54 years, and was one of the outstanding leaders of North Texas. Friends from over the state gathered there Sunday to pay tribute and respect to the life of this good man. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lyon and Mrs. A. F. Barkle were at the bedside of their father a few days before death. Freeman Barkley, Reba Barkley and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Archer Jr., from Spearman also attended the funeral.

Raney, and R. E. Meek were in Canadian Friday.

Jake Lamb was a business visitor in Spearman Tuesday. Bill Brown and Leannor Pope have returned from Eagle Nest Lake where they have been fishing.

Victor F. Dunlap of Houston, Texas spent last week in the A. L. Easley home.

Mrs. E. S. F. Brainard of the Lazy B ranch near Spearman visited with Ada Marie Easley. Leo Easley was a Borger visitor Tuesday.

G. L. Korff of Capron, Okla. has moved his machinery from Spearman to Alva, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ganie of Stinnett were visiting her sister Mrs. Foster Hughes last week.

Ed. Vernon and Charles Davis were attending to business in Spearman Tuesday. Claude Smith was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Nine Second Interviews About The Rain

UNCLE JOHNIE O'LAUGH-LIN—"We have plenty of moisture and good prospects for some wheat—all we have to worry about now is weeds."

D. B. PEARSON—"Quite a bit of my wheat that I thought was dead is living up and may make seed."

JOHN COLLARD—"We will make a great deal more wheat than we expected too ten days ago."

R. V. CONVERSE—"If the weeds get bad in my wheat I plan to mow it and have it threshed."

DELON KIRK—"I am glad I did not trade my quarter section South East of Spearman for a suit of clothes."

BILL VASEY—"I am getting my combine and machinery ready to harvest some sort of a wheat crop."

J. I. STEELE—"Plenty of rain on the Palo Duro. Pastures are good."

UNCLE JOE CLOSE—"I will have more than a fourth of my wheat to harvest. Have some fine looking barley also."

REX SANDERS—"I still have some wheat that may make 15 or 20 bushels at harvest time."

ECK LEE—"Some of my poorest wheat looks good now—the best looking wheat suffered before the rains, and I do not believe will make so much as I first expected."

EDGAR WOMBLE—"We have received lots of moisture in the Morse and Sunray section of the county. Where wheat was gone a good season is available for a row crop."

VAN EARL STEED—"Two more days without rain and I would have plowed up my wheat at the home place."

E. R. HESTOR—"Looks like I bought out Viney Richardson at the right time. I figure on selling some of these boys' Conoco products to harvest their grain with."

CLAUDE PARKER—"Still have hopes of harvesting some wheat in Moore county."

ROBERT MEEK—"Some of the boys are sure getting conservative. Been hearing about 30 bushel wheat around on the streets."

DAVE HESTER—"I'm gonna gamble on the hail. I'll bet 80.00 against \$300.00 that it hails on my place before harvest."

COUNTY AGENT LESTER BOY KIN—"We will make a great deal more wheat than any of the wheat producers ever expected!"

SAM GILLISPIE—"For gosh sakes Bill, 'dad burnt' don't write up a glowing account of this rain. Wheat is already down three points."

LEE McCLELLAN—"Wish you would take a picture of one of my combines and publish it 'For Use In The Dust Bowl!'"

T. C. HARVEY—"Yes I have some wheat left near Gruver. It has not all left this end of the county."

GENE RICHARDSON—"These boys that are talking such big production now are due a big disappointment."

Editors Note—However, Gene is using this story to keep from placing a large hail insurance ad in the paper.

DILARD KEIMS—"It ain't gonna rain no more" Correction 'soon'.

VERNIE ROSSON—"I'm gonna make some wheat, and most everyone in our neighborhood will make some wheat."

FRANK DRESSEN—"Still got mighty good looking wheat just to the right on highway 117."

HOMER ALLEN—"Yes I am sure I will have enough wheat to harvest."

O. D. PARKER—"We have not received as much rain in the past but somehow my wheat was still alive before this last rain, and I will make a little production."

BURM BROCKUS—"It looks like Bill Russell and I will be able to attend the World Series again this year."

CARL HUTCHISON—"The rain has done a world of good."

MORE THAN FOUR INCHES FALL IN HANSFORD COUNTY

Rains which have fallen most ideally, beginning Saturday night and continuing Monday and Tuesday bring the total precipitation in Hansford county to above 4 inches for this week. Before the more recent rains the county had enjoyed a precipitation of two and one half inches on the 7th day of this month. The total for the month up to the present nears 7 inches.

The rains were not in the form of cloudbursts at any of the damage to bridges and structures was at a minimum while most of the moisture down into the fields the first of May were paddy with little subsoil.

Evidence of the heavy which fell steadily in from the middle of the thru Sunday and with on Monday and Tuesday, was on ever hand Tuesday.

Vacant lots were flooded with the water, while the edge of the city were over with many of the able.

Outside the city, the had taken on a different the first of the month the job with almost of rainfall and the week end complete.

Fields were thorough on every hand according to reports from various parts of the county.

Most sections did not much rain, over the did Spearman and the North, East, South, of the city lister rows in many places and in the low spots look like lakes. All fields benefited, though were in better condition the moisture kept.

South of Texoma of the drought the most five inches of heavy rainfall at reports stated that went as far south as

Thus far the only Southwest which is county, Colorado light rain was

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Governor Allred Speech

The following Governor of the was delivered August 19 1936.

Although the burdened with expenditures for relief, nial, schools, and de tions, the Texas go now operating on Governor James here today in review fairs.

Depression Expenditures "We all realize that

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Greever and John Redus have gone Eagle Nest Lake on a fishing trip. Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Catherine

Memorial Day Resolve by A. B. Chapin



IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AMARILLO DIVISION

M. H. SCHROEDER, complainant, VS. CITY OF SPEARMAN, ET AL. Respondents. No. 519 IN EQUITY ORDER

New on this 18th day of May, 1936, this cause having come on for hearing on the application of complainant as set forth in the bill of complaint filed herein for order for notice to all the holders of bonds, warrants and interest coupons of the City of Spearman, Texas, requiring such owners and holders to appear in this cause and file such claims, or claims, by intervention or otherwise, as such owners and holders may have against the City of Spearman, Texas, and complainant appearing by Harry O. Glasser, of said Oklahoma, Madder, Atkins, Phipps and Keffler, of Amarillo, Texas, and Block and Martin, of Wichita, Kansas, and the City of Spearman, Texas, by W. D. Cooke, its Mayor, Charles C. Chambers and Simon Caldwell, Commissioners, and D. W. Holliday, City Manager, and the court being fully advised in the premises finds that said application should be allowed, and it is so ordered.

THEREFORE ORDERED

That all persons having or claiming to have any interest in any part of the monies on deposit in the City of Spearman, Texas, or in the sinking fund or in the interest thereon, or in any additional interest or monies which may come into the possession of the City of Spearman, Texas, or in any of the legal or equitable taxing power of the City of Spearman, Texas, or any of the tax pledges made by the said City of Spearman, Texas, to meet the sinking fund or the outstanding indebtedness of said City, are hereby notified to appear in this cause on or before the 15th day of July, 1936, at 10 o'clock A. M., and to do so to be thereafter heard on their right, title or interest in any said taxing pledges or monies, in the presence of the Court.

It is further to give notice that the Court has assumed jurisdiction of said funds and property, and all persons having or claiming an interest therein, or who are officers charged with the administration thereof, are hereby notified to appear in this cause on or before the 15th day of July, 1936, to file their claims and to be thereafter heard on their right, title or interest in any said taxing pledges and monies, in the presence of the Court.

Order shall be published in the Spearman Reporter, general circulation newspaper of Spearman, Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1936, and copy of this order, together with a copy of the bill of complaint, shall be mailed, by registered mail, to each of the owners and holders of all interest coupons of the City of Spearman, Texas, at the address of such coupons, and the return of said coupons shall be made to the Clerk of this Court, Amarillo, Texas, this 15th day, 1936.

S. C. WILSON District Judge

HOLT NEWS

A large crowd attended the Holt Agricultural Association meeting at the Holt School house Friday night. Mr. Clyde Carruth county agent, Miss Lucille Chance home demonstrator and Mr. Raymond Jarvis of Pringle made splendid talks on the association work.

Delegates elected for county council were Mrs. J. E. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Jameson, Charlie Eason and Mr. Johnnie Lackey.

Visitors present were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jarvis, Misses Lucille Chance and Lory Graves and Mr. Clyde Carruth all of Berger. The next meeting will be on the 4th Friday night in June. The business men of Berger will be present.

Because of rains no services were held Sunday. Ben Lofzin will fill his regular appointment at Holt Sunday afternoon instead of last Sunday.

The Holt Community is rejoicing over the fine rains that we have received the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pondergraft and daughter Betty both left Wednesday for Edin Oklahoma a visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ownby, Nancy and Robert were shopping in Spearman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lackey and children H. H. Stephens and children Mr. and Mrs. Major Lackey and children Miss Opal Sparks, Mrs. J. C. Lee and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lackey and children all attended the 7th grade graduating services held at the Spearman school house last week.

Mrs. Dan Burleson is reported some better at this writing.

D. A. Jackson left Friday for Mangum to transact business there and visit with relatives.

Sam Archer was one of the Spearman Senior graduates Thursday night.

Mrs. P. H. Jameson was shopping in Stinson Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dillow and children were shopping in Berger Saturday afternoon.

Major Lackey made a business trip to Spearman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Lamb and daughter were shopping in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stephens were shopping in Spearman Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burleson and children were Friday noon guests of his parents in Pampa. They were accompanied back home by their daughter, Dany, who has been there.

Mrs. H. H. Stephens and daughter were shopping in Spearman Saturday.

BLODGETT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hooper were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Summ Wednesday.

Mrs. Claude Jackson is visiting her mother Mrs. George Slavin.

Ralph Blodgett attended the farewell party for the Seniors Tuesday night given by their room mothers Mrs. Bob Archer. A lovely time was reported.

John King transacted business in Amarillo Thursday and spent Thursday night with his mother and father and Grandmother Waldstad in Pampa.

Mrs. Jannie Haun took her baby girl to Shattuck Saturday to have her tonsils removed.

L. W. Austin and family from Tulsa are looking after their farm interests here.

Mrs. Austin and daughters were guests in the Blodgett home Monday and Tuesday.

Cecil Crawford and W. Austin, were transacting business in Peryton and Spearman on Monday.

Bill Miller returned Wednesday from Pilot Point, Texas where Mr. Miller went after his family they have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Miller's people.

GRUVER NEWS

The Gruver School closed Friday May 22, following a very successful nine months. The teachers left Friday and Saturday to spend the vacation months with relatives and in going to school.

L. B. Dudley of Big Springs transacted business in Gruver.

A number of out-of-town people attended the commencement exercises Friday night.

Mrs. Frank Fleck and Mrs. Cecil Holt were Spearman visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallinard family Mr. and Mrs. Shapley and family Mrs. Shapley and Mr. and Mrs. Ealing attended the commencement Wednesday at Panhandle A. and M. college.

A number of the Gruver ladies met at the church and quitted a friendship for Miss Jo Cowser who is to become the bride of Hugh Russell of Robstown in July.

Mrs. W. W. Richeson and Miss Bonita Chandler entertained their Sunday school classes with parties Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis moved to Gruver Friday from Pampa Mr. Lewis is working for D. E. Dilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Bennett of Amarillo have moved to the winter place south of Gruver. Mrs. Bennett is the daughter of the late J. P. Winder.

Mrs. V. H. McRee and Edwina Gibson transacted business Berger Saturday.

Edwina Gibson and W. W. Winder of the Perryton Co. spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Winder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beck moved to Spearman this week.

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PRESENTING THE PUPILS OF MRS. A. F. LOFT

- In Lilac Time Jewell Brandt
Approach of Spring Florene Harbison and Jean Tice
Uncle Jeb With His Fiddle Roy Lee Uptergrove
Robins Lullaby Elinor Faye Womble
Morning Prayer Anona Hull
Home On The Range
Rose Petals
The Elfs Story Billie Jo Sparks
Spooks Ola Jean Rosson
Avalanche Marguerite and Geraldine Stephens
The Camel Train Marguerite Stephens
Minuett Rita Roach
Little Dutch Dance
Under The Mistletoe
A Dream Story Bettie Hester
June Larkspurs
May Zephers Dela Beth Uptergrove
Arbutees Nadine Hardin and Joyce Dulaney
Shower Of Stars Vera Beth Hoskins
Fairy Wedding Geraldine Stephens
Yellow Butterflies Joyce Dulaney
Dance Of The Rose Buds
In A Gondola Nadine Hardin
Valse Caprice Ruby Jo Simmons
Military March Florene Harbison and Jean Tice

New Home and New Equipment for Spearman Recreation Club

We are glad to announce that we have secured three brand new billiard and pool tables, and are moving to the large new McLean Building. The new home will hold official opening Monday of next week. Come visit us Monday, be at home here.

SPECIAL FEATURES FOR MEMBERS

Members of the Spearman Recreation club will have the privilege of FREE shower baths, reading room and writing facilities. We plan to subscribe for some of the most popular magazines such as the Popular Mechanics, National Geographics, daily papers and will also have available some of the popular novels for members. A writing desk will be available for members with stationary FREE.

YOU ARE WELCOME

Whether you want to play pool, billiards, snooker or any of the games, you are always welcome at the Spearman Recreation Club. The other features of the club are available to members at any hour of the day. Yours for a cleaner, more alert group of young people, who can secure wholesome amusement and recreation at —

Spearman Recreation Club

BEN BECK

CARL OWENS

ANNOUNCEMENT ...

This is to inform my friends that I have taken over the operation of the Conoco Wholesale in Spearman.

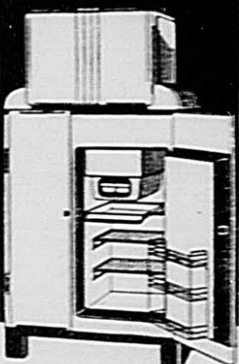
You are well acquainted with this nationally known petroleum products, and I want to assure you that you will receive REAL service at this location.

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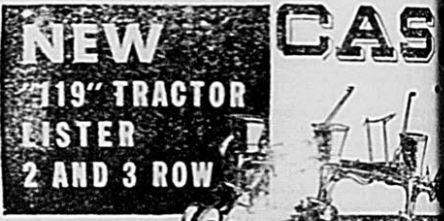
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Bruce Sheets, Parker and Miss Elsie Ruth Porter were business visitors in Amarillo Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buchanan of Borger were visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buchanan this week.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HANSFORD

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE issued out of the 108th District Court of Potter County, Texas, on the 16th day of April, 1936, on a judgment of foreclosure in cause No. 12135, rendered in said Court on the 24th day of March, 1936, in favor of S. B. Archer and against H. S. Durham J. P. Burgess, C. B. Davis, H. C. Coffee, R. L. Durham, Rachel Burgess, E. W. Miller, J. R. Colard, J. L. Guest, H. F. Shelton, V. Lee Matney, White and Kirk Inc., Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Company, City Bank and Trust Company, North Texas and Santa Fe Railway Co., and Guaranty Trust Company of New York, and placed in my hands for service, I, Hicks Wilbanks, as sheriff of Hansford County, Texas, did on the 5 day of April, 1936, levy upon:

The North One-half (N1) of the Northeast One-fourth (NE1-4) of Section Thirty one (31), Bk. 5-T, T. & N. O. Ry. Co., containing 80 acres and located about three and one-half miles East of the Southwest corner of Hansford County, Texas; and on Tuesday, the second day of June, 1936, at the Court House Door of Hansford County, Texas, in the city of Spearman, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M., I will sell said property at public auction for cash to the highest bidder.

WITNESS my hand this 5 day of April, 1936.

HICKS WILBANKS
Sheriff of Hansford County, Tex.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Spearman Reporter is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries. For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:—

H. L. WILBANKS re-election
ALVINO RICHARDSON

For County Judge:—
A. F. BARKLEY

For County and District Clerk:—
FRED J. HOSKINS re-election

For County Treasurer:—
MRS. MAY JONES
MRS. S. E. HARBISON re-election

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
F. W. MAIZE re-election

For Representative 124th Dist.:
MAX W. BOYER
B. L. ROGERS re-election

For Senator 31st District:—
CURTIS DOUGLAS

For Commissioner precinct No. 2:
VIC OGLE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
GUS OLSON

For District Attorney:—
W. L. MCCONNELL

NOTICE

All water consumers of this city are warned that they must sign up for irrigation rates on or before May 20th, if they are to receive this special concession. Consumers cannot secure this rate after the above date, May 20th.

D. W. HOLLAND
City Manager

FOR SALE

1 half bed Simmons with 2 mattresses, 1 Nash car, 1 ice box, 25 pounds, 1 round table, 3 gas stoves. Electric light fixtures. See Mrs. Tumlinson.

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We need a clear conception of the specific work which we have to do here in time and on earth. Jesus had a definite work to do in time and on earth. He had not a moment to waste for, "Cometh night when no man can work."

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday will be Memorial day, the services Sunday morning will be in keeping with the day. Special music by the choir.

Max Boyer Elected President of Perryton Lion Club Tuesday

Perryton, Texas—May 28—County Attorney, Max Boyer of Ochiltree County was elected president of the Perryton Lions club at the regular meeting of the club last week.

Burl Brockus Appointed Local Relic Chairman

Fifty dollars in prizes are being offered by the Old Relic Committee of the Panhandle Centennial Celebration at Pampa June 2-3-4-5 for the best old relics.

Farm Credit Administration Helps Farmers

Payment of over \$3.9 million in State and County Taxes has been removed from the thousands of farmers' delinquent tax lists and helped to reduce farm tax sales in 1935 to half the 1933 level.

Farmers Use Judgement

The Farmers are using better judgment than formerly when they buy implements. They know that the servicing dealer is his best guarantee of satisfaction.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pearson left for Oklahoma City this week. Mr. Pearson expects to go to school at Norman this summer.

LOCALS

were in Borger on Business Saturday night.

R. D. Chamberlin was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday. Mrs. Barnhill and son James were guests in the home of Mrs. A. A. Britton.

Miss Ruth Hitchcock has returned home from her school at Stratford.

Miss Elsie Harbison is now the assistant Telephone operator.

Mr. Rob Burran and Bill were in Amarillo Sunday.

Rev. A. F. Loftin and Wren were visiting in Pampa Tuesday.

J. D. Tomlinson is working at Dick Kiker's store this week.

Miss Jewel Harbison is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Bryan in Perryton this week.

Miss Mary Gantt has returned to her home in Canyon where she will spend the summer.

Elma Gunn and his mother left this week for Hedley to visit friends and relatives. Mr. Gunn expects to go to school in Canyon from there.

Miss Elsie Harbison returned to Amarillo from Springfield Mo. Wednesday and visited several days in the home of Inez Lightner she returned to her home in Spearman Friday.

Paul Jones of Amarillo is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Campbell left Saturday for an extended vacation at Nigura Fall and Ada. They plan to drive a new Chevrolet.

Mrs. S. Harbison and Mrs. Hazel Sparks Perryton visitors Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Ooley a seven pound boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mitter Miss Johnny Russell visited sister Mr. and Mrs. McCarty Perryton Sunday.

Chester Jones plans to visit San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nova Saturday for Youkon, Okla. to visit relatives.

Mrs. Perry Hawkins and Fred Linn were shopping in Pampa Monday.

Miss Opal Sparks spent Sunday with Miss Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Verity Pampa are moving back to Perryton this week.

Rev. Eulis Hill and Mrs. Hill were visiting in Borger Sunday.

Joe Raney of Tires Amarillo New Mexico is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Raney.

Mrs. Lee Jackson and son, Bob of Gumption and daughter, Mrs. Howard E. Curtis and small daughter of Omaha, Nebraska, were dinner guests of Mrs. O. C. Raney Friday of last week.

Miss Ethel Deakin and Dean and Colleen Kottel Guymon Oklahoma daughters of Mrs. J. H. Deakin.

Miss Helen Eastwood Woodward, Oklahoma is a daughter of Miss Ruby Ruth Keen.

Miss Opal Cline and Miss Ine Owen were week-end visitors in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vest were guests his mother's home from Lipscomb.

Mr. and Mrs. C. were business visitors in Pampa City last week.

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04. Of this amount the allocated and unallocated share of the revenue subject to expenditures for old age assistance in this state was \$1,524,774.68. I think that we may very conservatively say that on July 1, 1936 there will be the sum of approximately \$2,146,000.00 state money alone available for old age expenditures.

Conclusion

I want to make this brief recapitulation: During my administration we will have paid \$3,000,000 for a Centennial; the public school of Texas; the highest per capita apportionment in the history of the state; every debt of the Available Free School fund has been paid; we have increased appropriations for rural aid by \$2,000,000 per year; we have since September set aside \$2,731,000 toward the interest and sinking fund payments of state's bonded indebtedness; we have maintained the normal governmental expenditures at a high level than during the preceding biennium. We have maintained the most efficient highway construction program in recent years; and we are going to end this fiscal year with a relief bonded indebtedness not to exceed \$13,000,000 and in the absence of the Confederate Pension Fund, which by the constitution must sustain itself with a cash balance of more than \$3,000,000.00 when the Highway and Investment Funds and the Available Free School Fund are considered collectively. During this same period of time we have witnessed the reduction of the maximum ad valorem tax rate of 77 cents to 62 cents. This I believe is a financial condition of which Texas may well be proud.

State Has Cash Balance

Omitting from our calculation the Confederate Pension Fund, which necessarily must care for itself, and which necessarily will pass out of existence within a few years to come, if the General Revenue Fund, the Available Free School Fund on the basis of the original per capita apportionment, and the total cash assets of the Highway Fund might be balanced against each other at the end of the fiscal year, the state would have a cash balance in all funds of about \$4,700,000. Since the per capita apportionment has been increased by the State Board of Education last Saturday about \$1,600,000 of this cash balance will be reflected in the additional payments which the state will make to the school children of Texas, but even after that payment has been made there will yet remain a cash balance in all funds of more than \$3,000,000.

A Real Achievement

This I think, is a significant factor in the realization that we have this year maintained governmental expenditures at a higher level than at the year preceding, and that we have increased the rural aid, provided for the Texas Centennial begun the retirement of a bond issue absorbed a per capita apportionment debt and reduced the state's ad valorem tax rate from 77 cents to 62 cents. Out of the expenditures that have been made during the past year in the face of a tax saving and a cash balance the state will for years to come enjoy the benefits to be derived from numerous permanent structures such as additions to the institutions of the state because more than a million dollars have gone toward building permanent eleemosynary buildings.

Relief Bonds

I think this state may well be proud of the fact that during the last decade the total bonded indebtedness incurred by the state has never exceeded \$20,000,000. This bonded indebtedness as you all know was incurred by a referendum of the people of Texas in 1933, when unemployment and human suffering was at its height and the state felt it necessary to contribute to the burden of direct relief.

State Carries On

When I began my administration, \$15,000,000 worth of relief bonds had already been issued leaving a balance of \$5,000,000 to be spent from Jan 15, 1935. During the time that this \$15,000,000 was being issued the state was the constant recipient of funds contributed by the national government to the problem of direct relief in Texas. This federal aid was discontinued on December 1, 1935, and now for about six months the state has maintained its direct relief program alone.

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I think it is particularly significant with reference to the Available Free School Fund that the unpaid apportionment for 1934 was absorbed the current per capita apportionment was increased to the highest figure in the history of Texas, and there will remain a cash balance at the end of the year; and it is made even more significant by the realization that the state ad valorem tax rate for school purposes was decreased last year from 77 cents to 62 cents. This reduction in the school tax rate resulted in the reduction of state ad valorem tax rate for all purposes from the constitutional maximum of 77 cents to 62 cents which the people of Texas labored at the beginning of my administration to the sum of 62 cents or a saving of 15 cents on the total rate.

Greatest Highway Program

A consideration of the State Highway Fund is always difficult because of the necessity of taking into consideration contracts which have been let and sums of money which have been pledged, but which have not yet been expended at the end of the fiscal year. I think, however, that we may reasonably anticipate a cash balance in the Highway Fund at the end of the fiscal year of about \$7,000,000. This does not mean a sum of money subject to existing pledges. To this sum may be added the sum of \$3,000,000 in the investment fund for the purchase of warrants which, Confederate obligations necessarily State obligations necessarily have been balanced actually represents additional assets in the State Highway Fund. Taking this sum of money into consideration, the balance in the Highway Fund and the Investment Fund at the end of the fiscal year will be about \$10,000,000. This estimate

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exists a deficit an exact balance August 31, 1936 of only approximately \$8,800,000. I particularly call attention to the fact that our fund which in the beginning had a deficit of \$6,385,000 the normal expenditures of the government have been conducted at a higher level than for the year preceding, a \$3,000,000 appropriation has been made under the Texas Centennial an additional \$2 million appropriation has been made for rural aid and a charge of \$2,731,000 for relief bonds, with an increase in the general revenue deficit of only slightly more than \$2,000,000. Had it not been for the Centennial appropriation and appropriation for the additional rural aid appropriation, the deficit on August 31 would have been reduced from 6 million dollars to approximately 3 and one half million dollars and if it had not been necessary to set up 2 million dollars for the payment of relief bonds, the general fund would have had a deficit of only about 1 million dollars and if the non-recurring appropriations for permanent buildings for our educational and eleemosynary institutions of about 1 million and a third had not been made the General Fund would enjoy at the end of the current year a small cash surplus.

Financial Improved Despite Appropriations

It would seem therefore that if revenue collections for the year beginning September 1, 1935 were about equal to the revenue collections for the year preceding, that the State's general revenue deficit at the end of the current year on August 31, 1936 would have reached a point of at least \$14,000,000.00. It is with becoming pride, I think that the state now anticipates a deficit on

Largest Rural Aid

In connection with the rural aid appropriation which I have just mentioned, I want to call attention to the fact that for the biennium beginning September 1, 1935, the Legislature appropriated the sum of \$10,000,000 of \$5,000,000 annually, which represents an appropriation of \$2,000,000.00 per year more than had ever been appropriated for rural aid before.

Highest Per Capita Apportionment

I now want to call your attention to the Available Free School Fund. At the end of the fiscal year 1934, there remained an unpaid balance of about \$2.00 per capita apportionment of \$16.50 that had been made by the State Board of Education for the year preceding the end of that fiscal year. This fact becomes significant when it is remembered that there are in the state about 1,558,000 scholastics included in this apportionment. During 1935 and paid during the current year the per capita apportionment has been maintained at 17.50 or an increase of \$1.00 per capita. The liability remaining from the unpaid per capita apportionment of 1934 has, during my administration been absorbed and paid. In addition the new \$17.50 per capita apportionment will by the end of the fiscal year be entirely paid in cash, and there will remain in the Available Free School Fund a balance of about \$350,000. On Saturday May 16, the State Board of Education, meeting in Austin increased the per capita apportionment from \$17.50 for the current year to \$18.50. This increased per capita apportionment affects the destiny of about 1,558,000 scholastics and will absorb about \$1,600,000 of the cash balance that would otherwise have remained in the Available Free School Fund. If the cash balance at the end of the year should increase beyond our expectations it will be distributed in the form of a reduced ad valorem tax rate for the year 1936 or will be distributed by an even higher per capita apportionment than that which has already been made. With reference to the apportionment that was made last Saturday, and which will be paid in cash, I call the attention of the people of Texas to the fact that it is the highest per capita apportionment ever made in the history of the State.

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SOCIAL EVENTS of the WEEK

MISS ELIZABETH SPIVEY OF GRUVER GRADUATES

Miss Elizabeth Spivey of Gruver, a member of the 1936 graduating class of the West Texas State Teachers College, will receive her bachelor degree from this institution May 28, 94 students compose the graduating group. Miss Spivey was a member of the Home Ec club and of the YWCA.

5 RULES FOR CONTRACT

1. Pick up your cards as dealt. You will be ready to bid ahead of the others.
2. If your hand is rotten mention it. It will help your partner.
3. Walk around the table when you are dummy and tell the people how many tricks they should catch.
4. Occasionally ask what trumps are. It shows that you are still interested in the game.
5. Instead of playing bridge give a real party, go to the show. There you may annoy more people.

MRS. FOSTER HUGHES IS HOSTESS TO DELICIOUS DOZEN SEWING CLUB

Mrs. Foster Hughes was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Delicious Dozen sewing club of Gruver. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the guests: Blanton, Blandy, Gene, Bill Lowe, Walker, Paul, G. G. Gools, Elvin Garrett, Darrell, Tyler, Woodall, and one of the hostesses, Mrs. Jess Walker of Tex. The hostess Mrs. Foster Hughes and Mrs. Carl Hughes assisted the hostess.

DAHLIA FLOWER CLUB MEET JUNE 1st

Mrs. F. J. Daily will be the hostess to the Dahlia Flower Club on June 1st at one o'clock. All of the members are to come as they are going to the baskets.

TRINKETS GIVEN FOR MISS PEGGY HIGGINSON

Miss Peggy Higginson of Edmonton Alberta Canada was entertained at the home of Miss Janell Womble with an informal tea at four o'clock Monday May 25th. The house was decorated with roses, and colors of pink green and white were carried out. After the tea, games were played. Those present, Misses Peggy Lawson, Sible Lackey, Betty Morrison, Doris Jean Russell, Ann Donaldson, Betty Morton, Patricia Lester, Leota Hull, Verna Gail Veta Hutchison, Buena and the hostess Janell.

WESTER HILL HOSTESS SOCIETY

Wester Hill entertained the Bridge Club with a Centennial at her home Friday evening. Color Motifs of red and blue were carried out. Refreshments were served to the guests: S. B. Hale, R. Morrison, J. D. Hester, Holland, Bill Whitson, E. Womble, and the hostess Mrs. Wester Hill. Mrs. Holland won the game and Mrs. Dr. Dailys was the guest of the club.

MEMBERS OF CANYON IS NEW DEPOT AGENT, AS MR. ... IS TAKING HIS VACATION.

SNAPDRAGON FLOWER CLUB MET WITH MRS. GEORGE BUZZARD

The Snapdragon club met at the home of Mrs. George Buzzard on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Rex Sanders and Mrs. J. E. Gerber assisted in leading the lesson. The topic of the lesson was Canary Birds. Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames, Buzzard, Charley Riley, Earl Riley, P. M. Maize, H. H. Crooks, Rex Sanders, Frank Hardin, W. S. McNabb, and J. E. Gerber.

Library Notes

The library announces the acquisition from Washington, at the instance of Congressman Marvin Jones, of the following new books.

1. Annual Report of the American Historical Association, 18 volumes: 1920 to 1930.
2. The Code of the Laws of the United States, 1935.
3. Washington, The National Capitol, by H. Caemmerer.
4. Congressional Directory, 1933 to 1935.
5. Treaty of Peace with Germany 1919.
6. Congressional records.
7. Declaration of Independence and the Const. of the United States of America.
8. Miscellaneous technologic bulletins of the Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Jones was very kind to take this interest in our library. In a recent letter he says, "This is a fine undertaking, and I shall be happy to render you any possible service in your efforts to build up a collection of books." The Library board assures Mr. Jones that it is deeply grateful for this helpful co-operation.

Every person in the county is cordially invited to use the library facilities and to take an individual part in the building up this important community asset. It belongs to the public.

As Sam Houston reminds us: "The benefits of education and of useful knowledge, generally diffused through a community, are essential to the preservation of a free government."

MUSIC CLUB MET WITH MRS. R. E. LEE

The Spearman Music club had a call meeting Monday May 25 to transact business of the club. Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames, H. P. Bailey, Bill McClellan, F. J. Daily, Bill Hutton, Robert Douglas, A. F. Loftin, F. Hoskins, and the hostess.

MARY MARTHA MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET WED

Mrs. G. L. Boykin was hostess Wednesday May 27 to the Mary Martha Missionary society. Eleven members were present. The World Outlook lesson was given. The discussions were led by Mrs. Marvin Chambers, Robert Douglas and F. J. Daily. Meditation was given by Mrs. Pope Gibner. Devotional by Mrs. George Buzzard. Lovely refreshments were served to mesdames, Marvin Chambers, Bruce Sheets, F. Daily, C. A. Gibner, Pope Gibner, Gene Richardson, L. B. Campbell, George Buzzard, Robert Douglas, R. E. Lee and the hostess.

Mrs. Eagle Moore and Mrs. J. A. Moore have returned from Eldorado, Oklahoma where they have been visiting relatives.

LUNCHEON FOR PEGGY HIGGINSON

Miss Ann Davidson was hostess Wednesday to a host of her friends in honor of Peggy Higginson. Games were played after the lovely three course luncheon was served, the color scheme of pink, green and yellow was very prettily carried out.

Miss Higginson received many lovely gifts. She is returning to her home in Edmonton Alberta, Canada. Those present were Mesdames, Buena Vernon, Doris Gene Russell, Verna Gail Allen, Janell Womble Leota Hull, Patricia Snider, Mary Haun, Peggy Higginson and the hostess.

ALTHURIAN CLUB

Mrs. H. B. Towe was hostess Thursday afternoon May 21 to the closing meeting of the Althuriarian Study club. The lesson was led by Mrs. Rex Sanders the subject was the Texas Centennial. Mrs. C. Hitt, Mrs. Wilson Weed and Mrs. W. A. Cone assisted with the lesson. A handkerchief shower was given Mrs. Towe as she is leaving soon. Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames W. A. Cone, Eagle Moore, A. G. Brant, F. J. Cheney, Wilson Weed, Rex Sanders, C. A. Hitt and the hostess Mrs. H. B. Towe. The next meeting of this club will be next September.

BELLE BENETT SOCIETY

The Belle Bennett Missionary society of the Methodist Church met Thursday May 27 at the church for their regular meeting. The lesson was the world outlook led by Mrs. Sid Clark. Mrs. O. L. Williams led a topic on Stewardship. Those present were Mesdames; J. H. Buchanan, Sid Clark, R. L. McClellan, O. L. Williams, W. A. Hitchcock, H. P. Bailey, J. Bishop, G. Bergance, and Mrs. L. W. Mathews.

The Belle Bennett is having Guest Day next Wednesday and the Mary Martha will join in for this meeting at the church.

THREE BAPTIST CIRCLES MET WITH MRS. TOWE

The three circles of the First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. H. B. Towe Wednesday afternoon. A large number of all the circles were present.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harbour are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Archer on their ranch in New Mexico.

DONNA NELL BROADHURST WAS HOSTESS TO SEW AND SEW CLUB

Thursday afternoon the Gruver Sew and so Club met in the home of Mrs. Broadhurst. The day was spent quilting and making other needle work.

A big dinner was enjoyed by 19 club members and several children.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Doris Weber who wishes every club member to be present June the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drmon teachers in the Crasbyton schools visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Martin. Vernon Martin is attending a training school for ass't county agents in Ralhart this week.

Mrs. Mary Cox of Lubbock is a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Martin.

APPROACHING MARRIAGE

Announcement has been received this week of the approaching marriage of Miss Lillie Stinson of Dallas to Douglas Clements of Wynnboror. Dr. David L. Stinson will give the bride away, and Mrs. David Stinson nee Mac Richards of that city will be Matron of honor.

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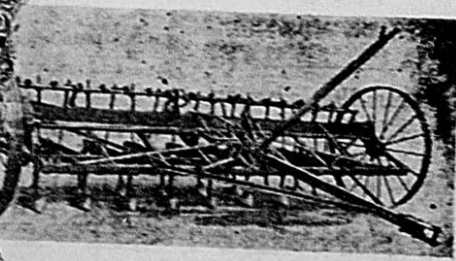


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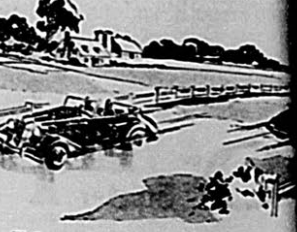
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