

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

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ON'T NAME IT

By HONEST BILL

ggestion that came to the from one of the local read- to the effect that the big- fool joke that could be on the innocent pubic for the Spearman paper "only the truth" in this issue of April. Just to how absurd it would be April fool issues of the we are submitting below of advertising that would go along with that kind newspaper. The writer ac- ces the idea and a large of the copy from Van Raspberries edition of chiltree County Herald. could be the banks add.

ADVICE... Advice is free around ank, but that is the only is free. Of course, we wish a lot of free paper for scratch pads, figuring and sales slips, but we would have you use our checks than drawing money out bank.

in and avail yourself of free consultation service. sympathy with you and how sorry we are. We plenty of money and would get it out of the way to room for returns of the wheat harvest. If you need come in and try to get make you a loan—yes just

readers, here is the kind ad that Bill McClellan, Bob and Bob Crawford et al., put in one of these truths of a newspaper.

FOR THE GOOD OLD DAYS! member the good old days in country when we used to a horse and buggy, raise big crops and bumper yields of But who in the 'Sam Hill' them to come back. Can't raise feed for a horse now-

think of the difference in se. Why if you were driving, you wouldn't have to put anything for car license, no and oil bills, no tires to buy, pair charges to worry about- in tomorrow and let us you the latest gasoline bug- you might be able to unload one of our old or middle model. Our salesmen have a that they are your dreams true. As to their mechanical tion, why should we worry, your lookout if you are enough to bite. Let us tell how you can get one by the ent of a little down, and while the family is using the you can stay at home with nose to the grindstone mak- ing to meet the payments.

en take the ad for Walter both and Edgar Wombie—

ant a BIG Garden This Year. haven't been able to raise ing else so why not plant a garden and then if you can't one it'll be unanimous. May- the government will pay us le for not raising a garden. at don't be discouraged—buy and shovel at our store and k your back hoeing on a gar- and forget your other wor-

UPER SPECIAL CONTEST PRIZE OFFERED e are offering a special prize fur lined bath tub to the idual who can grow vege- that look as good as the res on the seed packages.

again, Butch Hale, Bruce ts, Seldon Caradine and the Fossil—

WE HAVE NO BANANAS t we have some very fine a oil and nearly everything that you would expect to find first class drug store.

DO WE CARRY DRUGS? Why we sure there is a drug de- ment somewhere. Oh yes, we ember, you go right past the ily department, past the big kling soda fountain, and turn h and pass the Doan's Kid- Pills Department, turn South go South thru the sports de- ment, dodge the marble ma- es to your left and go through small door in the rear that like a telephone booth and will find yourself in our pre- tion department.

he list could be carried on on, but I believe even you, reader, will agree that it not pay to speak the un- lished truth in newspapers.

on't try to stop thinking un- you have started.

ing a poor job well usually a better job.

EMERGENCY FEED AND SEED LOANS NOW AVAILABLE

Field Supervisor J. G. Dougherty of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Dallas, Texas, states that applications for emergency crop loans and feed loans are now being received by the Hansford County Loan Committee, with offices located at Court House.

In accordance with the Act of Congress authorizing the loans, and regulations issued by Gov. W. L. Myers of the Farm Credit Administration, loans will be made only to farmers who are unable to obtain elsewhere seed. Loans will not be made to applicants who can obtain credit in the amount needed from any other source, including the production credit association.

Any farmer who has the necessary security should apply to the production credit association first. If the association is unable to make him a loan in the amount needed the farmer will receive a statement to that effect and will be considered eligible to apply for a loan from the emergency fund.

The regulations provide that the largest loan to one farmer this year is \$500 and the minimum \$10, but no loan may be made in an amount greater than is actually needed to cover the cash cost of purchasing seed, fertilizers, supplies, feed, etc. Loans will be made for the purpose of summer fallowing, for purchasing feed for livestock; but not for the purpose of purchasing livestock or machinery, or for the payment of debts or taxes.

Loans will be made only to applicants who are cooperating with the Production Control Program of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

As in the past, the security for an emergency crop or feed loan will consist of a first lien on the crop financed or on livestock to be fed. A tenant must also give a first lien by getting the landowner to waive his claim in favor of the crop lien; but the landowner is in no way obligated for payment of his tenants' loans.

Checks in payment of approved loans will be issued by the Regional Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Dallas, Texas; and not by the field supervisor or the loan committee.

R. E. Burran Making Extended Trip South

Leaving Monday of this week, R. E. Burran is taking a very extended trip in the Southern states. He plans to go to Edinburg, Texas from here to visit his brother and business associate, Sid Burran. From there he will go to Atlanta, Georgia. All in all Uncle Rob plans to be gone about a month.

Those leaving with Mr. Burran to visit relatives in the valley were: Mrs. Lloyd Campbell, Mrs. Marvin Chambers and Warden Thompson.

JUSTICE MAUPIN OF GRUVER SENDS PRISONER TO JUSTICE OAKS OF SPEARMAN

Several of the youngsters of Gruver have continually disturbed the peace at Gruver. After fair warning and good advice, Justice W. E. Maupin finally brot the boys into court and fined the boys one dollar and cost. This amounted to \$12.00 and since the lads did not have the money Mr. Maupin agreed to take the fine on partial payments. One of them failed to produce the four dollars installment and elected to lay out the fine in Hansford county jail. Justice Oaks has had the boy helping him set out elm trees on the court house lawn. He allowed him \$3.00 per day for his services.

Seven Hundred Ninety Cars and Trucks Are Registered in County

Six hundred passenger cars, one hundred and fifty farm trucks, and forty commercial trucks had been registered up to noon Thursday of this week. Sheriff Wilbanks stated that the registration this year was a little ahead of the registration on the same date last year.

COMPLETING MEASURING WHEAT ALLOTMENT ACRES.

Only 67 contracts of the 680 wheat allotment contracts made by Hansford county wheat producers, were unmeasured at noon Thursday of this week. Five ment officials stated that all men doing the measuring had completed their work for this year, and they expected the remainder of the work to be completed by Saturday of this week.

Trade in Spearman

On the Gasoline Circuit by A. B. Chapin



SIX STAR CAST ACTS 'RUGGLES' NOTED COMEDY

The amusing account of what happens to a perfect English butler-valet when he is exposed to American ideas of Democracy is the plot and story of Paramount's "Ruggles of Red Gap," which comes April 4 to the LYRIC Theatre with Charles Laughton in the title role.

The picture, adapted from story, first published in the Saturday Evening Post, featured Mary Boland, Charlie Ruggles, Roland Young, ZaSu Pitts and Lela Hyams in support of Laughton.

"Ruggles" adventures begin when his titled master loses him to an American tourist and his wife in a poker game. On his first day in his new job, Ruggles takes his exuberant master out to view London's art galleries and winds up with him in a drunken spree.

Back to Red Gap, U. S. A., a crude but stimulating Western town of 1900's goes "Ruggles" with his American employers. And when his master introduces him to the society big-wigs of Red Gap as a Colonel of the English Army, Ruggles becomes the social favorite of the town.

"Ruggles" former master turns up in Red Gap to find a completely altered butler who engineers his lordship into a romance with a lovely American lady. Finally, Ruggles himself finds romance with the town's leading widow and becomes the town's leading restaurateur.

Maude Eburne and Lucien Littlefield, both veterans of the stage and screen, are prominently cast in supporting roles. Leo McCarey recognized through filmdom for his comedy work, directed Ruggles of Red Gap.

Lion Club Will Help Send Spearman Scout To National Jamboree

At the regular Tuesday luncheon of the Lions club it was discussed and decided to help send one Boy Scout from Spearman troop to the National Jamboree to be held at Washington next August. The Lions club plan to pay the initial installment of \$25. to send the boy and the balance of the expenses is to be made up within the scout organization by the time of the encampment.

Just who will be chosen to take this trip and represent Spearman will be decided during the next few series of encampments to be held between now and then, including the jamboree in Pampa for this council which will be held May 24 - 25. The boys will be judged by their merits and efforts during this period and the one rated the highest will win the coveted trip to Washington.

SINGERS MEET AT GRUVER

The Hansford Chapter of the Plateau Singing Convention met at Gruver Sunday in an all day meeting. A splendid dinner and much excellent singing is reported. The convention will meet in Gruver six months from Sunday.

Six Hansford Boys Leave For CCC Camps Soon

As soon as word can be received from Amarillo instructing them when to report, six Hansford county boys plan to leave for enlistment in the CCC camp work. The boys have registered and are awaiting further orders; they expect to report this Friday or thereabouts.

The five boys from Spearman are: Elmo Maize, Forrest McClellan, Vernie Caldwell, Bert Calahan, Irwin Wilson and Joy Black from Gruver.

TIME FOR ACTION (An Editorial)

In the opinion of this writer the time has come to call on our Congressman, Marvin Jones for aid.

The final wheat allotment checks for the 1935 harvest are not due in Hansford county until after harvest. Following the harvest certain requirements to prove up the allotment contract are filled out and when these have been properly checked and other delays overcome the Federal government issues the final allotment checks. The checks that were due here in October of 1934 arrived after the 1st. of the year. This year the need of money will be imperative in July. Why couldn't the government accept a form filled out as an abandoned harvest form, in lieu of the prove-up contract form, and issue the final allotment checks along in July so that Hansford farmers would not have to borrow of the government in order to seed their 1936 wheat crop. Many farms in the county will abandon the 1935 wheat harvest and ask permission to plant row crop. It seems that the government could readily relieve their employees of the work of making loans, and the producer could save a little by securing the last allotment check along in July. We would like to hear from some of the land owners and producers. See if we can get together, ask our Congressman aid and get this idea over.

DEPUTY GRAND MATRON VISITS SPEARMAN CHAPTER NO. 721

On Wednesday evening April 3, members of the O. E. S. Spearman were honored with a visit from their Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Lou Gommilion of Pampa. Mrs. Gommilion was accompanied by Mrs. Colvert, also of Pampa.

In the absence of the Worthy Matron Miss Vera Campbell, Associate Matron graciously presided.

After the exemplification of the degrees our Deputy brought to the chapter many helpful instructions. At the close of the services she was presented a lovely gift from Spearman chapter. Refreshments were served to 30 members.

READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Ryan and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Murphy were looking after business matters in Spearman Thursday.

TRADE IN SPEARMAN

Members of the Hansford County Commissioners Court purchased 23 elm trees for the court house lawn Monday of this week. The trees have been set out. Justice Oaks supervised the work.

CARSON COUNTY HAS 3.2 BUT HANSFORD GETS ER DOWN TO 2.1

This article is not about beer or vitamin k, but about Hansford wheat allotment administration personnel.

A boxed editorial appearing in the Panhandle Herald states that due to the fact the allotment personnel of Carson County had reduced the administrative cost to \$2 cents per acre, whereas the cost over the nation was 9 cents per acre, wheat producers of the county should take off their hats to the wheat officials, slap them on their backs and tell em how good they really are.

In Hansford County the same cost amounts to 2.1 cents per acre. Don't know why local producers should not tell A. E. Ferguson, president, C. C. Sealy V. president, W. A. Gillispie, secretary, W. E. Maupin, Treas., A. L. Thorson, R. V. Converse, J. Jones and W. F. C. Etling, that they are p-l-e-n-t-y good, to reduce the cost in Hansford to the lowered figure.

P. S.—when you slap these boys on their backs and congratulate them you might kinda grin at County Agent Lester Boykin—he might'ud had something to do with reduced expenses.

GOLF CLUB ELECT OFFICERS MON. NITE

Amid the wind and dust, about 20 interested golfers met at the court house Monday nite and officially organized the Spearman Golf Club. Plans were discussed for the coming season and the following officers elected:— Jimmie Jackson, President; Clay Gibber, Vice President, Lloyd Campbell, Sec. Bruce Sheets, Treasurer. and the following directors were also elected:— Bill Hutton, Lester Boykin, Cap Richardson, and Pope Gibber.

It was decided at the meeting to meet at the golf course early Sunday Morning and burn the weeds and rubbish collected up and down the creek. Everyone that can possibly help should plan on cooperating in this work.

Greens on the course are now in condition for play and if the weather permits, there will probably be a large number of golfers breaking in the course Sun.

Reporter Offers \$2.00 Each Week This Month In Classified Ad Section

Doubling the offer made the past two months, the Reporter will give away \$2 each week to the paper having the % character hidden in one of the classified ads. There will be one paper each week going to somebody in this territory that will have this figure in it. It may go in the city list, any of the routes, or to Gruver or Morse but it must be timed that same week, before the next issue comes out. Turn now to the classified ad section of the paper and see if you are the lucky one.

Last month there were two weeks when the dollar was not claimed, so this month the offer is doubled. In the March 14th issue, Jack Hancock received the 5-8 paper but did not bring it down. Last week it was Bill Deck on Route A that overlooked the character in his paper. Read the classifieds now.

FARMERS TO MEET IN GRUVER HIGH SCHOOL SATURDAY, APRIL 6

A meeting of interested farmers has been called for Saturday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. at the high school in Gruver. All farmers are invited to attend and take part.

Some of the subjects to be presented are the proposed erosion control plans, terracing, contour plowing, crop production loans, sub-irrigation for gardens, and boys 4-H club work.

COMMISSIONERS RELEASE MEN FROM PRECINCTS TO WORK ON HIGHWAY 88.

At the regular meeting of the Commissioners' court held at the court house Monday of this week Relief Administrator Halle called to the attention of the court the fact that the state supervision on highway 88 was costing more than the relief apportionment would justify. In order to keep the work in balance, Commissioners agreed to release all men of precinct work and stop these relief projects temporarily.

COMMISSIONERS PURCHASE 23 ELM TREES FOR LAWN

Members of the Hansford County Commissioners Court purchased 23 elm trees for the court house lawn Monday of this week. The trees have been set out. Justice Oaks supervised the work.

BOARD RE-ELECTS SCHOOL HEADS AT RECENT MEETING

Supt. A. H. Word, Principal of High School, W. R. Finley, Principal of Grammer Grades, John Morris, Elmer Gunn, Coach, Mrs. J. C. Tuttle, supervisor of the primary grades, were reelected to serve the Spearman Independent School district at a recent meeting of the Board of trustees.

Teachers to fill the various positions of the school system will likely be selected at an early meeting of the board.

With the exception of John Morris, the reelected administrative personnel of the local schools have been in charge for the past six years. Mr. Morris has been with the system for only two years. Supt. Word has held the position of Supt. for the past three years, and prior to that time he was principal of the school. Supt. Word has been with the local system for eleven years.

During the past three years the work at the school has made rapid strides of progress despite the unfavorable conditions. The school has added materially to the Library, placed public school music in the schools and made a number of improvements, that speak well for the faculty, especially in the face of the hard times.

That the faculty, which has been kept practically intact, during the past three years, deserves much praise, is apparent, when the patrons of the school realize that the administrative cost of the school has been cut in half during the past few years. Records at the high school office show that a budget of \$60,000 was used in 1930-31. This year's budget was for \$34,000. This includes the liquidation of bonded indebtedness for the school system, and this item is virtually the same each year, so that any saving is effected by administration of the school. Under the lower operating costs, the school has maintained the same standard of credits with the affiliated colleges of the state as here-to-fore. Any graduate from Spearman High school can enter the state institutions of higher learning without entrance examinations.

LOYAL EDWIN LANNERS DIES IN SPEARMAN

Loyal Edwin Lanners, 10 mo. old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lanners, west of Morse, died in the Angus McKay home here last Thursday from the result of complications of whooping cough and pneumonia. The little fellow had been suffering severely for several days and was removed to Spearman for Mrs. McKay to nurse earlier in the week.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Methodist church with Rev. H. A. Nichols officiating. Burial was in the cemetery at Texhoma.

Other children of the family have also been seriously ill, but are reported as improving at this time, one of them being able to return to school at Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Greever are the proud parents of a baby daughter born Thursday morning, April 4th, and named Billy Joan.

HEADLINERS

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

As we start into this golf, it is found that I have only three good golf balls to my name, it has always been a pleasure of mine to obtain these necessary pieces of paraphernalia by means of a very interesting contest with C. W. (Variety) Smith as to the efficiency and potentiality of our game. Notice is hereby served on all other golfers to lay off Smitty. I need the golf balls badly and He's mine for the first few weeks anyway. Please!

LYRIC THEATRE Spearman

THURS., FRIDAY, SAT., 4-5-6

"Ruggles of Red Gap"

Chas. Laughton, Chas. Ruggles, Mary Boland, Zasu Pitts

SAT. PREVIEW, SUN., MON.

"Flirtation Walk"

Dick Powell, Ruby Keeler, Pat O'Brien

TUESDAY, WED., THURSDAY

"Saint Louis Kid"

JAMES CAGNEY

Classified Ads

Classified Ads 2c per word first insertion, and 1c per word per issue thereafter. Spearman Reporter, Phone No. 10

ON THE WAY, another car fancy Imperial Valley new crop Alfalfa Hay at new prices. Scratch Grain Mixtures (whole and cracked), Starter, Laying Mash, Calf Meal, Yellow Corn, Milo Maize, Prairie Hay, Schumacher, Cotton and Peanut cake and meal Broiler Fattener, Lump and Nut coal, Oats, Barley and Field Seeds.

R. L. PORTER GRAIN & SEED CO.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Model S.L. Frigidaire, one third down, or one third in trade, balance \$5.10 per month. N. M. Wade, Route A. Spearman.

FREE ROAD MAPS

If you are going to make a trip ask at our station for the proper road map, giving much information about the roads, distances, climatic conditions, hotels and tourist cabin rates, point of interest on trip. This is furnished through the free Conoco travel bureau service. Before you leave on your trip let us check your car. **CONOCO SERVICE STATION**

YOUR EVERYDAY NEEDS—In the grocery line may be filled at Burran Bros. with the assurance that you will get the very best grade of staple and fancy groceries at reasonable prices. Our Fresh Vegetables are the best to be had. Phone 71. We Deliver.

BURRAN BROS.

SEE ME

If you need electrical wiring done Let me figure with you on installing some extra convenient outlets where you need them most in your home. Estimates gladly furnished. Expert radio repairing. Just call 190. **W. O. SWAIM**

EVERYTHING FOR THE — Consumer, Quality Groceries, Feed, Tri-State Chick Starter and Growing Mash, Bulk Oats.

SPEARMAN EQUITY EXCH.

OLIVER FARM IMPLEMENTS We now represent the famous line of Oliver Farm Machinery. May we point out to you that we are fully prepared and equipped to handle all repair work on your farm machinery, cars, and trucks. Let us figure with you.

CITY MACHINE SHOP

SEED! SEED! SEED! Now is the time to make preparations for seeding your land to row crops. We have your wants in this line and will sell guaranteed products at a live and let live price. **Spearman Grain Growers Inc.**

PHONE "66" for jiffy tire service. **USE PHILLIPS "66"** for high test gasoline. **USE PHILLIPS "66"** for dependable lubrication. **PHILLIPS SERVICE STATION** Slim Windom, Prop.

THE KITCHEN GARDEN

Is an investment in food. To make your investment a success, you must have the proper tools and equipment to care for and cultivate it. See us for all garden tools, water hose, seed, etc.

WOMBLE HARDWARE

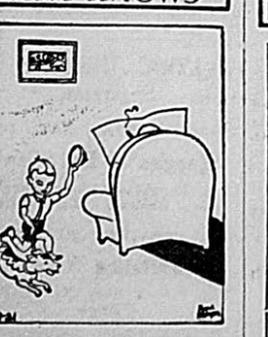
QUALITY PRODUCTS Are found in all CHAMPLAIN gas, oil, greases, tires, Tubes and batteries. We stock a complete line of McQuay-Norris piston rings, bushings and bearings. Our service is always of the same high standard as the products we represent.

CHAMPLAIN SERVICE STAT.

R. E. LEE OIL COMPANY For a complete line of MAG-NOLIA products. Current Bulk Prices: 5 gal. and up, Costal Crude Lubricating Oil, 35c. gal.; 5 gal. and up, Paraffin Base, Dewaxed Oil, 46c. gal.

R. E. LEE OIL COMPANY

PAPA KNOWS—



"Pop, what is prestige?" "Pair of stiffs." © Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.

LOST—One greyhound, blue female, small. Carl Brant, Berger, Texas, Phone 122, Box 1341.

THE LEADER

In the low priced field, the 1935 Chevrolet again stands out in the automobile world. If you have not as yet witnessed the beauty and riding comfort of this new car, let us demonstrate and convince you. We are the authorized dealer in the famous Goodrich line of tires and tubes.

MCCLELLAN CHEVROLET CO.

HOME OF FOOD BARGAINS We strive to offer you the best quality foods at the most reasonable prices. It is with this aim and the assurance of the most courteous and conscientious service that we solicit your business. **Phone 3—We Deliver F. W. BRANDT & CO.**

GENUINE ELECTROLUX

The Electrolux gas refrigerator is the quickest and most economical method. See us about the new models and terms allowed. Cheap to operate. Absolutely no noise.

PANHANDLE GAS & ELEC.

BROOM CORN SEED NOW AVAILABLE

We made the best buy in the state in making a large purchase of broom corn seed. We can sell this seed at wholesale at approximately the price we are offering it to Hansford producers. Come in at once and let us know if you will need this seed, even if you do not make the purchase immediately, since we plan to place the seed on out of county market in the near future if Hansford producers do not take it off our hands. **Spearman Grain Growers, Inc.**

Beware

Of these so-called car load shipments of gasoline and oil. We buy our products in bulk quantities to assure you of the best quality fuel and lubrication at the most reasonable prices. We also feature FIRESTONE Tires, Tubes and accessories and are prepared to offer you efficient and satisfactory service at all times. **CONSUMERS SALES CO.**

GET YOUR MAGNETO REPAIR WORK NOW

We are asking farmers who anticipate magneto repair work to bring in their work at this time, and the repairs will be made and the magneto delivered later when you are ready to use the magneto. This will help us, and it will save delay for you. **DELON KIRK BATTERY SHOP**

GARDEN SEASON

We have stocked a large supply of bulk garden seed to take care of all your needs in this line. All varieties and all kinds. See us for all Case farm machinery or repairs. De Lava Cream Separators. **R. L. McCLELLAN GRAIN CO.**

SPRING GARDENERS

I have a complete stock of bulk garden seeds for your Spring gardens and will meet or beat any and all mail order catalogue prices. See me first before you buy. **E. K. SNIDER PRODUCE**

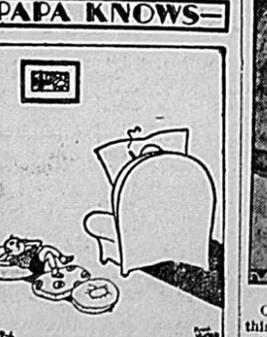
SPRING GARDENS

Mean an investment in Spring Kitchen Foods. Proper equipment assures you of best results and least work for but little more cost. Quality goods priced right. **SPEARMAN HARDWARE**

WITH SPRING AND THE SPRING FEVER

Comes the urge to paper and paint. Don't resist any longer. You can secure the paint and paper at the Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Yard at such reasonable prices that you will hardly miss the money. **Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.**

PAPA KNOWS—



"Pop, what are icicles?" "Winter's beard." © Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.

MORSE NEWS

Joyce Womble & Leota Harbour Lewis Harbour and Robin Giblin were in Gruver on business Tuesday evening. Harry Mortimer was struck in the head with a baseball bat Friday evening, but is all right now except for a knot on his forehead.

T. I. Harbour and A. E. Henderson were in Stinnett on business Monday morning. They attended the Lieb Cemetery Association meeting in the afternoon. The father of J. D. Amend has been seriously ill.

Virginia Hatcher won first place in girls junior declamation and Bub Durham won first place in boys senior declamation. Robin Giblin and Vaughn Hill were in Spearman during the week-end. Lewis Harbour spent the week-end in Spearman.

The Seniors are beginning work on their play. They plan to give it April 19. Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Harbour and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harmon.

Robin Giblin won first place in the half mile and second place in high jump.

Louise Noe won first place in girls singles in tennis Wednesday afternoon.

Bub Durham, John Gillispie, Dorothy Ann Cocke, Kathryn Ann Womble and Louise Noe played tennis in Spearman Wednesday.

The teachers of Morse school tried a new schedule Monday in order to dismiss school at 3:15. However the plan was a failure.

Dorothy Ann Cocke and Joyce Womble won third place in spelling at Spearman.

Bub Durham has missed the last two days from school due to illness.

Bub Durham won first place in ready-writing at Spearman. Joyce Womble spent the week-end with Beatrice Hays at Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Womble and son A. J. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lowe this week-end.

Clyde Miller, who is attending college in Canyon, spent the week-end at home.

Joyce Womble, Marciel Womble and Mary Sue Roberts spent Thursday night in Spearman in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Womble.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Womble, and Robin Giblin returned from Fort Worth last Wednesday.

Mentus Lieb was absent from school Monday. John Lanners, who has been absent for quite a while, returned to school today. His brother, Louis, is still absent.

Mr. Dillon is at Amarillo. He has been very ill. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lanners mourned the death of their little son who died Thursday evening. The baby was buried at Texhoma after the funeral at Spearman Friday.

The Morse High School students took part in an annual track meet at Morse April 1, 1935. This track meet prevents April fool tricks.

The following were chosen as the best athletes in each division: Junior Girls—Kathryn Ann Womble, first; Joyce Womble, second; Marciel Womble, third. Junior Boys—Ben Gillispie, first; Reece Norman, second; Willard McCloy, third.

Senior Girls—Leota Harbour, first; Frances Knox, second; Dorothy Ann Cocke, third.

Senior Boys—Robin Giblin, 1st; John Gillispie, second; Bruce Womble, third. The first prize winners each received a quarter, presented by Supt. Speer.

A. R. and D. E. Meek from Wheeler were visiting relatives in Spearman Thursday.

Cape of Gray Broadtail



Clerical in its simplicity of line, this handsome cape of gray broadtail can be worn equally well with a suit, coat or dress. The wide collar with an inverted box pleat effect is very flattering.

BLODGETT NEWS

Mrs. J. J. Haun has returned from the Shattuck hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is doing nicely at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Patterson called at the John Kenney home Saturday.

Mearl Beck recently made a trip to Raton New Mexico after coal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hooper visited in the Blodgett home Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Austin and girls Mary Beth and Helen were called to Mangum Okla. last week on account of serious illness of his father Doctor C. W. Austin.

Bro. H. A. Nichols filled his regular appointment at the school house last Sunday.

Mrs. John Kenney and little J. M. returned home last Tuesday from the Perryton hospital where J. M. has been suffering from a broken leg.

J. J. Haun made a business trip to Okla. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Uptergrove and family left Monday for Okla. to visit with his father who is ill.

Recent dinner guests in the J. J. Haun home were: Mr. and Mrs. Eelza Neese and family of Carmen, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Uptergrove and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Horn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Haun, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neese, Miss Glenna Sue Killian, Mr. Booker Kizziar, Mr. Loyd Neese and Mr. Mc Garth.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sims were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney and family.

Mrs. H. Prater spent the week end visiting with Mrs. Virgil and Mrs. Lawrence Wilbanks.

Miss Ruth Patrick is spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. Ralph Blodgett.

Sam Powell returned home Saturday from an extended visit to Tulia, Texas and other points south.

A brother of George Niese is visiting with him this week.

The Blodgett Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Nellie Wilbanks Monday, April 1. Foundation patterns were finished and checked.

Various styles of collars, belts, and dress materials, also color chart of spring and summer shades suited to the individual, were given by Miss Ludwick, Home Demonstration Agent.

Club proceedings were carried on in order. Roll Call was answered by each member giving the home and garden improvements she has done.

Mrs. W. M. Deck was elected as our new President filling the vacancy of Mrs. Austin who resigned.

A covered disk luncheon was served at the noon hour to the members.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Perry Hawkins.

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett, Miss Ruth Patrick, Mrs. J. M. Blodgett, Ralph Blodgett and Odie Gowen, were Spearman visitors Sunday. Mrs. J. M. Blodgett visited in the home of Mrs. A. D. Reed and Mrs. J. C. Sanders.

Mrs. Ed Brainard visited in the Blodgett home last week.

J. F. Sims attended the Auction Sale in Spearman Monday.

Ralph Blodgett Odie Gowen, George Niese Darwin Tinker, and Mearl Beck went fishing on the J. A. King ranch Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett and Mrs. Virgil Wilbanks recently attended a pattern school at Stinnett. They report an enjoyable trip.

Mrs. O. G. Collins returned from Fort Worth Wednesday, after an extended visit with her mother. O. G. drove to Ft. Worth Sunday for her.

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

Resolutions Passed at Recent Meeting of Northwest Teachers

As the Northwest Texas Conference for Education has fully finished the second Conference, and whereas the fine spirit of helpfulness, and encouragement pervaded the Conference, be resolved by this Conference

banks and appreciation be extended to:

The West Texas State College and all of its organizations that have our stay pleasant in Canyon or splendid entertainment.

The Canyon Chamber of Commerce for their splendid interest and help.

Each speaker who appeared for their efforts to help the members of the conference become better informed teachers and laymen.

The Churches for their spirit of cooperation.

The Amarillo News Globe for its splendid publicity provided during the Conference.

That all those who so kindly directed their homes to us while we were here be extended our sincere thanks and appreciation.

That we commend the program which was arranged on very efficient program committee.

That we express our gratitude to members of the Eight District Parent-Teacher Association for their interest and cooperation during the closing sessions of the conference.

That we express our appreciation for an endorsement of the wide program of Curriculum Revision which has been issued by the State Board of Education and the State Department of Education.

That we also express our confidence in teachers of this section of state because of their splendid attitude toward an active participation in curriculum study.

That we urgently favor request legislation which would apportion state school funds on the basis of average attendance rather than on per-capita basis, because this would reimburse schools for work actually done rather than work that should be done.

That an immediate survey be made of the needs of school districts in the drought area by the Federal Emergency Relief Administration and that prompt action be taken to aid school districts to maintain a normal length school term.

That we oppose any effort

from whatever source, which would attempt to divert any part of the money from the available school fund to any other governmental agencies.

10. That we commend and express our appreciation to the present Legislature and to the Texas State Teachers Association for their efforts to safeguard the permanent school fund of the state.

11. That we favor legislation which would place the certification of teachers in the hands of the State Board of Education and the State Department of Education.

12. That we urge the legislature to consider and make provisions for a satisfactory plan of teacher retirement or teacher insurance.

13. That we heartily commend our Governor for his stand against crime and that we request all citizens and officers of that law to lend their active support to such a program and that our schools continue their efforts to help eradicate crime.

14. That this conference reaffirm its belief in the value of the teaching profession as the most effective agency for the development of worthy citizenship, and that any unfair discrimination in the salaries of teachers in the public schools and teacher training institutions be looked upon as unjustifiable.

15. That we endorse the plan of organization and administration of the Northwest Texas Conference for Education.

16. That copies of these resolutions be placed in the hands of the press and of interested individuals and organizations.

Signed: W. B. Irwin, Perryton, Chairman; A. M. Meyer, Canyon; W. C. Perkins, Shamrock; L. H. Rhodes, Dalhart; Mrs. Annie Daniel, Pampa.

John Seybold, 71-year old farmer of Liberal, Kansas, has sued a spiritulistic medium for \$7,500 which he spent on a ghost bride she was to provide for him.

John Chapman, a farmer near Sparta, Georgia, paid a traveling specialist \$250 for a pair of ten-cent store spectacles.

"Teach economy. That is one of the first and highest virtues. It begins with saving money."—Abraham Lincoln.

Some are good as gold on Sunday, but go off the gold standard on Monday.

Punishment of Drunk Driver More Severe

Public and Courts Begin to View Accident Problem With Alarm

The intoxicated driver and the tipsy pedestrian are both playing definite roles in the upward trend of highway accidents throughout the country. As reported in a previous article of this series, in from 7 to 10 per cent of all drivers and pedestrians accidents alcohol is a factor, according to the National Safety Council. These figures, based on police and state reports are undoubtedly low, the Council says, because of difficulties encountered in actually determining whether the suspect is under the influence of liquor. The actual figure is unknown at the present time.

It is known, however that drinking drivers and drinking pedestrian accidents have increased greatly throughout the country during the past year. A study of special reports from 27 cities and towns, recently made by the Council, bears out this conclusion.

Reports, with the exception of two, cover a ten months period, comparing the 1934 record with that of 1933.

Cities Report Vary

The cities selected vary greatly in size, are widely separated and their experience probably furnishes a fairly satisfactory index of the drunken driving accident increases throughout the country as a whole.

The conclusions are based primarily on the heavy increases in drinking drivers arrested that is arrests in which the driver had been drinking or was obviously drunk. Such arrests have increased in nearly all of the cities, with greatly varied percentages. Increases of 40 to 50 per cent are not infrequent and in some cases they are much higher. In Cleveland and Chicago, for example, the drinking driver arrests have mounted several hundred per cent, which may indicate greater vigilance by the police as well as an increase in liquor influence.

In Boston the drinking pedestrian is considered a greater problem than the drinking driver, with a ratio of victims at the time of reporting of two to one. In that city there has also been a heavy suspension of drivers licenses in traffic cases involving liquor.

Los Angeles, too, reports a big increase in pedestrian accidents involving liquor.

Public Waking Up
Decreases for the ten-months

period were reported by the following cities: Baltimore 50 per cent; Wilmington, Delaware, 12 per cent (accompanied by an increase of 66 per cent for auto deaths of all kinds); Los Angeles, 17 per cent; New Haven, Conn., 7 per cent.

Practically all cities reporting increases report also that the public is waking up to the constantly growing importance of the problem, and that courts are tightening up by dealing out jail sentences now in cases which six months ago would have resulted in fairly light fines.

Green Wool Coat



This coat by Chanel is made of bright green wool. Its handsome lines give elegance to the form, and the high-low treatment at the waist makes it suitable for large women as well as small.

Question Box By ED WYNN The Perfect Fool

Dear Mr. Wynn: I bought a home in the country from a real estate agent who told me it was a two-story house with modern improvements. When I went to see it I discovered it didn't have any improvements and there was no second floor at all. What did the agent mean when he said it was a two-story house?
Truly yours,
IMA SAP.

Answer: The agent was right in telling you it was a two-story house. As you say all the rooms were on the ground floor, that is one story, and there aren't any improvements in the house, that's the other story.

Dear Mr. Wynn: I read in the papers today about a man who was crazy about golf. While he was playing a game with his wife she talked all the time, which interfered with his game. It seems his ball landed in a bunker and he had a very difficult shot. His wife kept talking to him. He could not stand it any longer. As she was in the bunker with him he turned and hit her with the driving iron. He was arrested and sent to jail for six months. Do you think that is right?
Yours truly,
POLLA C. HOLDER.

Answer: You'd get ten years in jail.

Dear Mr. Wynn: I am a man of forty years of age. I met a woman my own age at a party last week. I took her home and on the way I told her that her teeth were like "stars." I have called her up on the telephone, but she won't talk to me. What do you think is wrong?
Yours truly,
IMA PUFFER.

Answer: It seems to me the reason he got six months was not because he hit his wife, but he hit his wife in a "bunker" with a "driving iron." There's the whole story in a nutshell. He used the wrong club.

CONOCO USING NEW ADVERTISING STUNT

One of the most unusual and dramatic ways ever conceived to exploit the use of newspaper advertising has been adopted by the Continental Oil Company. A novel contest has been inaugurated whereby during the coming Spring months cars and trucks will be seen on the streets and highways of some forty states plastered in hodge-podge compelling fashion with reprints of Continental's newspaper advertisements.

In addition to the circulation of ten million that Continental Oil Company gets for its advertising by using 1,363 daily and weekly newspapers, Continental's advertisements through this unique stunt will do double duty this Spring.

The unique appearance of Continental cars and trucks not only serves to call attention to the Conoco campaign now running in newspapers, but also reminds Conoco salesmen of the tremendous number of car owners who read about Conoco products throughout the year in their newspapers.

It is estimated that more than 3,000 cars and trucks will participate in the stunt. Aside from these company-owned and operated vehicles, it is expected that a good percentage of the 22,000 Conoco dealers will likewise participate.

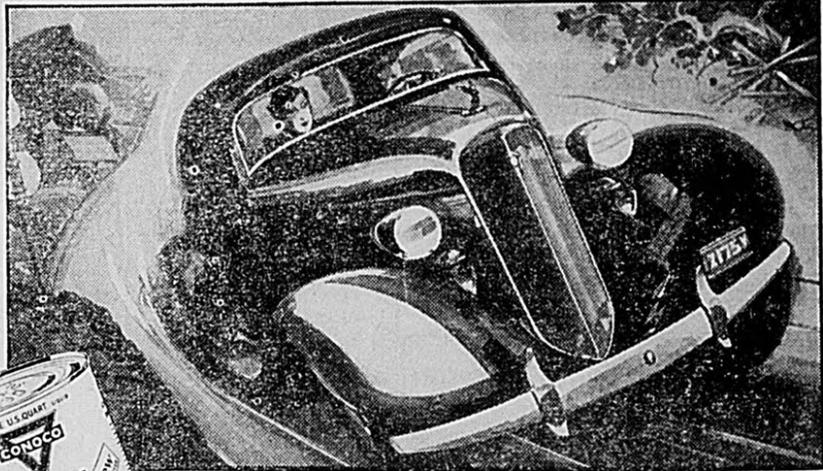
Continental is one of the country's largest users of newspaper advertising and gives this medium a large share of the credit in achieving an increase of 60.4 per cent in sales of Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil since April 1934.

Continental this year is celebrating its sixtieth anniversary. It began operations in Ogden, Utah, in 1875. From a small distributor of Kerosene and lubricants long before the advent of the motor car it has grown into one of the nation's leading oil companies.



The First "Alloyed Oil"

—for better lubrication of today's high-speed, alloy-steel motors!



Alloyed by the Germ Process

Just as the metallurgist adds small amounts of other metals to make special alloy steels, so we add small quantities of a concentrated oily essence to highly-refined, paraffin-base motor oil. This Germ Processing, discovered and patented by Continental scientists, gives Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil lubricating qualities no other oil has.

YOUR MOTOR is built of parts made of special alloy metals. Car manufacturers and metallurgists worked together to produce metal alloys strong and durable enough to withstand the greatly increased pressures and temperatures of the modern motor.

Oils, too, must withstand these pressures and temperatures and they must have extra oiliness and film strength to do it. Yet oils generally have no more oiliness and film strength than they had ten years ago. And many new refining methods now used to make oils free from carbon and sludge have lowered instead of increased oiliness and film strength!

Continental, pioneering as it has pioneered for 60 years, has developed the first alloyed oil—Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil! It is custom-made for high-speed, alloy-steel motors. It has 2 to 4 times the film strength of straight mineral oil, as tests on the Timken machine have proved! It has more oiliness than any oil has naturally. It penetrates and combines with metal surfaces, forming a permanent lubricating film—the "Hidden Quartz". It is a pure, clean oil, free from carbon and sludge troubles. It gives extraordinary mileage as well as motor protection, as proved by the Indianapolis Destruction Test.

Say "O.K.—Drain"—fill with Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil and you will have the finest lubrication you can buy!



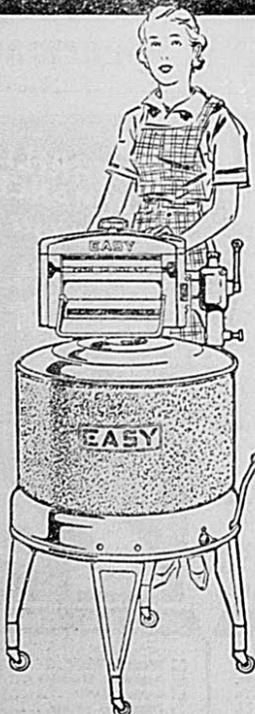
They took a planned trip and enjoyed it.



"The Conoco Travel Bureau in Denver sent a complete free plan for our trip—marked road maps of every state and travel booklets and hotel and camp directories. They also sent excellent information on where to fish."

"We stopped at Conoco stations along our way for many helpful, free services. You can apply at any Conoco station for a plan for your motor trip."

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It costs only **5¢ A WEEK**
To do your laundry at home with an **EASY Washer**

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The EASY pays for itself in lowered laundering costs and reduced wear and tear on clothes. It is an investment that will return your original outlay in 12 to 24 months, not to mention the saving of youth and energy that cannot be measured in dollars and cents. Investigate the EASY today and let the force of electricity take over your washday labors.

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GIGANTIC MUSICAL
DRAMA COMES TO
LYRIC THEATRE SUN.

A picture heralded as a thrilling revelation in musical spectacles comes to the Lyric Theatre Sunday with the First National production of "Flirtation Walk". There is an all star cast headed by the inimitable songster, Dick Powell, charming Ruby Keeler playing the romantic lead opposite him, and Pat O'Brien in the role of a hard-boiled army sergeant.

There are two great specialty numbers that are said to outdo anything ever presented before for originality and novelty. One is an authentic Hawaiian Love Feast with its traditional unique native dances performed by sixty Hawaiian beauties and as many men. Age old folk songs are sung to the rhythmic beat of gourd drums in a setting of a moon-lit coconut grove and a rippling lagoon. Dick also sings a Hawaiian number to the accompaniment of Sol Hoopii's famous native orchestra.

The second big specialty is the presentation of West Point's Hundredth Night Play by members of the cast in which there are more beautiful girls. In this number Powell sings three catchy original songs by the famous song team of Allie Wrubel and Mort Dixon. These include "Mr. and Mrs. Is the Name," the title song, "Flirtation Walk" and "No Horse No Wife, No Moustache."

NOTICE

In the matter of the Guardianship of Edith Olive Smith, Robert Edward Smith and Harry Smith, Minors. No. 177 in the County Court of Hansford County, Texas.

To all persons interested in the above minors, or their estates: You are hereby notified that I have on this 4th day of April, A. D. 1935, filed with the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, an application for authority to make an oil, gas and mineral lease to Magnolia Petroleum Company, lessee, covering an undivided 1-4 interest belonging jointly to the above named minors, covering the following described land situated in Hansford County, Texas, to-wit:

North 1-2 of Section 1, Block 46, P. W. Henderson Survey, containing 320 acres of land, more or less; the interest owned by each one of said minors being an undivided 1-12th interest therein, or an undivided 1-4 interest therein jointly.

Such application to make said lease will be heard in the courtroom in the Courthouse of Hansford County, Texas, on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1935.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of April, A. D. 1935.

EDITH M. MURPHY,
Guardian of the estates of Edith Olive Smith, Robert Edward Smith and Harry Smith.

HAINES, Boys Sports
BROWDER, Girls Sports
SCHER, Senior Reporter
BENKINS, Junior Rept.
WALLACE, Soph. Pept.

Spearman Wins County Meet, Morse Second

Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock the first of the 1935 Hansford Interscholastic League. The change in the events of previous years eliminated many conflicts and confusion. During the afternoon and evening all contests except declamation and singing were discontinued making it possible to play ball Friday afternoon and track and tennis matches were postponed to Wednesday afternoon. It should be gratifying to the patrons of the Spearman schools to note that the schools won first place in library and athletic in both school and high school. A detailed report of the meet follows:

GRADE SCHOOL

Literary Events
Spelling, Grades IV and V—Spearman, Gerber and Jones, first, 15 points; Gruver, Higgs and Ogle, third; Morse, Mortimer and Roberts, second, 10 points.
Grades VII and VIII—Spearman, Kern and Tice, first, 15 points; Gruver, Hart and Mulkin, second, 10 points; Morse, Womble and Dorch, third.
Ready Writers—Spearman, Sheets, first, 15 points; Gruver, Cluck, third; Morse, second, 10 points.
Arithmetic—Spearman, Kern and Sheets, first, 15 points; Gruver, Hart and Higgs, second, 10 points. Morse, third.
Picture Memory—Spearman, Sheets, Snider, Lamb, Mizar and Deering, second. Gruver, No contestants; Morse, Roberts and Ryan, first, 15 points.
Music Memory—Spearman, Tice and Hoskins, first, 15 points; Gruver, No contestants. Morse, Womble and Roberts, second, 10 points.
Choral Singing, Spearman, 1st, 10 points; Gruver Team, third; Morse Team, second, 15 points.
Story Telling—Spearman, Hutlin, first, 10 points; Gruver, Tomlinson, third; Morse, Womble, second, 5 points.
Declamation
Sub-Junior Girls—Spearman, Womble, first; Gruver, McClellan, second; Morse, third.
Sub-Junior Boys—Spearman, Cook, first; Gruver, Fletcher, second; Mortimer, Morse, third.
Junior Girls—Spearman, Colleen Kelly, first, 10 points; Gruver, McClellan, third; Morse, Cooke, second, 5 points.
Junior Boys—Spearman, Snider, first, 10 points; Gruver, Tomlinson, third; Morse, Gillispie, second, 5 points.

SECOND THIRD GRADES

We are glad to report that a boy and a girl from our room won first place in sub-junior declamation in the county meet. They were Elinor Womble and Frank Cook.
We are especially proud of the new picture belonging to the primary department and we wish to thank the P. T. A. for having it framed for us.

SEVENTH GRADE

Some of our members who entered in the various contests won first and second places. They are: Dennis Kern in choral singing, arithmetic, spelling and baseball; Annie Grace Sheets in arithmetic and ready writers contest; Jeanne Tice in spelling, music memory and choral singing; Vera Beth Hoskins in music memory and choral singing; Doris Cook in choral singing; Charles P. Archer in baseball, also Everet Green, Lynn Burleson, Ernest Wilmoth, Bruce Douglas, Leon Yates, Verlin Towe, Melvin Crawford, and Orville Fulbright. Verlin Towe, Everet Green and Orville Fulbright ran the relay from our room.
The girls who helped win baseball are: Wanda Looney, Ida Mae McLeod, Floydene Hays, Julia Kern, Dorcille Clark, Louise Novak and Norma Hall. Mary Ann Sparks helped win choral singing.

SENIOR PLAY TO BE PRESENTED APRIL 19

Work began on the senior play Monday. The following seniors have been selected to represent their class in the senior play this year. Gertrude Barkley, Woodrow Gibner, Helen Browder, Robert Douglas, Adalyn Daugherty, Lady Archer, Elsie Reed, Oran Ross Kelly, Richard Holton, Alvino Caldwell, Omar Cotter and Elsie Mackie. They will present a three act comedy, "In the Light of the Moon, April 19."

THIRD GRADE

We are very glad to report that one of our pupils Patricia Hutton, won first place on the Tiny Tot Story Telling at the county meet last Friday.
We are still working very hard. We have made a map of Texas and its products. We have also written some letters to the third grade children in Alberta, Canada, and are hoping to receive some letters from them some time soon.
Rev. A. F. Loftin and Brother Parker left early Thursday morning for Pampa to attend a B. T. U. and Sunday school convention of this 10th district. Rev. Loftin is chairman of the committee to draft the by-laws and constitution for this organization. The meeting continues until Friday

LOOK WHO'S HERE

JAUNITA LAMB
Juanita transferred from Holt school to S. H. S. in the sixth grade in 1929. Her major is mathematics. She paid for all the apparatus broken by the students in the chemistry class of 1934. Her favorite subject is playing the typewriter. She loves to read poetry—can you believe it? She likes to travel and delights in attending bank night picture shows. She makes the Honor Roll regularly. Juanita and Mary are the other twins of the Senior class. They go together like bread and butter. Juanita is jolly and the best pal I ever had. I can't write more about her without getting personal.

WOODROW GIBNER

Woodie Pills Gibner is a native son of SHS, entering in 1924 in the primary grade. His major is math. He was vice-president of the junior class. Pills warmed the bench in basketball several years. He had better luck as a tennis player, as he and Ruben won the doubles in the recent county meet. He likes tennis best. Pills is ambitious to be a crooner. Bing Crosby is hereby warned to look to his laurels as Woodie is warming up in the Boy's Glee Club and will offer some lively competition soon. He has been in a number of plays and is a member of the cast for the senior play. This play acting is in furtherance of this crooning ambition. Also Pills collects the addresses of good looking dames. For why, I can't imagine. His hobby should be easy to satisfy, as history, not to mention the movies, is full of the names of good looking women. You will oblige him greatly by supplying all these names you may know, or better still by sending him a dictionary of girls names.

ROBERT DOUGLAS

Robert transferred to Spearman schools from Waco during the seventh grade in 1931. He is the youngest member of the senior class, being 15 years old. His major is math-science. He is ambitious to become a chemist and will very likely attain his ambition; for he is steadfast in his purpose. Robert was a member of the successful debating team in the county meet. He received a medal. His favorite sport is tennis. He makes the Honor Roll as a matter of habit and has been a brilliant student. His friends sometimes call him Bob. Do you know any other Robert called Bob? He is a member of the cast for the senior play.

ELSIE MACKIE

Elsie Mackie is a native of North Carolina. She entered S. H. S. in the seventh grade in 1930. She has majored in Home Ec. and math. She can "sew a fine seam" and cook food that she can eat. Home Ec. certainly took, in her exposure to it. Elsie yearns to soothe the fevered brow of the sick, so she will become a nurse. She made one of the highest grades in the home nursing course this year. She has been a permanent fixture on the honor roll. She has been Home Ec. Reporter, secretary of the Home Ec. club, member of the Glee Club, member of pep squad, member of the cast for the senior play, and the friendliest girl in senior class. She loves to read sad stories.

SPONSORS PRESENTED IN ASSEMBLY TUESDAY

Tuesday morning, April 2, the entire student body met in the auditorium for assembly. Mr. Word made announcements concerning the results of the interscholastic league meet held here Thursday and Friday. He summed up the points made by each school and had the winners of first places in all events come to the front of the auditorium.
Sam Patterson, captain of the 1934-35 football team made a short speech of appreciation of the football sponsor and coaches before presenting the sweaters, which were bought by members of the squad and Mr. Word and Mr. Finley.
Adalyn Dougherty, sponsor, made a speech of acknowledgement upon being presented with a purple sweater, identical to those of the football boys.
Mr. Gunn, coach, and Mr. Morris, assistant coach, showed their appreciation of the beautiful suede jackets with purple letters, by short speeches.

GIRLS CHECK IN BASKETBALL SUITS

Monday afternoon, April 1, the basketball and volleyball girls met in the science room at 3:15 for the final meeting.
Mr. Morris appointed a committee for the purpose of organizing a letter club and drawing up a constitution and by-laws.
A basketball party and a pie supper are being planned.
Watch for announcements concerning the pie supper which will be for the purpose of raising funds for sweaters.
After the meeting adjourned, the basketball suits were checked in and cleaned up in preparation for spring basketball, which will begin at the first of the last six weeks.

SENIOR NOTES

The county meet is water under the bridge. The Seniors did themselves proud. The following won medals: Alvino, Robert, Richard, Elsie, Elmon, Paul, John Woodrow and Ruben. The one act play cast won a pennant for the trophy case. Richard won the lion's share of the little bronze plaques and a certain someone was collecting and proudly displaying them while Richard continued winning them. Pampa will be seeing the lucky winners soon. May luck continue to smile on our contestants.
We are reporting on essays in English IV this week.
Our Economics class has been turned into a round table discussion of dust storms, prospects of a war, money and the gold standard and other current events in World Economy. All of which adds interest to the text.
Practice for the Senior play, "In the Light of the Moon," began Monday. It is a splendid play. For once in our school lives we weren't even tempted to play truant on April 1. The "duster" was no April fool prank, but a sad reality like its predecessors.
Two robins may not make a spring, but Sam Patterson in a straw "katy" on the main "drag" last Saturday is a sure sign that spring is with us.
Adalyn is the proud possessor of a purple sweater as the sponsor for the football team.
Typing studies are taking a daily ten minute speed test, hence, at the end of three weeks a graph will be made to see if we are like the fabled turtle or the hare.
We learned the requisites for success in occupation class Monday. The seven elected by popular vote of the class are: Honesty, cleanliness, health and dependability, willingness and thriftiness, courteousness, friendliness, and strength of mind and character.

JUNIOR NEWS

Now that spring is here and we are looking forward to the vacation days, we find it very hard to keep our minds on our books.
At a recent class meeting the juniors decided to set the date for the Junior-Senior banquet for April 27. Several committees have been appointed to carry out different problems. We plan to have the mothers prepare the "eats" for the banquet.
The county meet was a real success. Several of the juniors represented our school in different events.
There have been several absent the last few days.

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 Children's Meeting 3:00 p. m.
 Young People's service 6:30 p. m.
 Evangelistic Service 7:45 p. m.
 Prayer Meeting Tues. 7:45 p. m.
 Bible Study Friday 7:45 p. m.

When the great plants of our Have turned out their last finished work; When the merchants have sold their last yard of silk And dismissed the last tired clerk; When our banks have raked in their last dollar And paid the last dividend; When the Judge of the earth says "Close up for the night." And asks for a balance. WHAT THEN?

When the choir has sung its last anthem, And the preacher has made his last prayer. When the people have heard their last sermon, And the sound has died out on the air; When the Bible lies closed on the altar, And the pews are all empty of men, And each one stands facing his record; And the great Book is opened, WHAT THEN?

When the actors have played their last drama, And the mimic has made his last fun, When the film has made its last picture, And the billboard displayed its last run; When the crowds seeking pleasure have vanished, And gone out in the darkness again—

When the trumpet of ages is sounded, And we stand up before Him. WHAT THEN? When the bugle's call sinks into silence

And the long marching columns stand still, When the captain repeats his last orders, And they've captured the last fort and hill, And the flag has been hauled from the mast head, And the wounded afield checked in, And a world that rejected its Savior, Is asked for a reason, — WHAT THEN?

—Selected. The above searching lines are calculated to make a thinking person, think! When the bugles call sounds and the great angel announces that time shall be no more— Reader, if you are not saved, WHAT THEN?

Kenneth Baker, Pastor

Methodist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Preaching 11 a. m.
 Leagues 6 & 7 p. m.
 Evening Services 7:45
 Both W. M. S. meet Wed. afternoon.

Prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday night. Our attendance has held up well during the last few Sundays. Sandstorms did not keep but a few from the services. It seems like we are to have a great many of them therefore let's get used to them and not stay away from the Sunday Services.

The Sunday School is forging right ahead and gaining new members nearly every Sunday. Senior league had a fine group present last Sunday night keep the good work going. Church School Day will be soon. We want to make this day so interesting that it will be long remembered. Easter will soon be here the greatest day in the church's calendar. Let's look forward for a great blessing between now and Easter.

A welcome awaits all who will come and worship with us. H. A. NICHOLS, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday Morning, Jesus The Peerless Teacher-Preacher. "And they were astonished at His teachings: for His word was with authority." Luke 4:33.

In order for a teacher's teaching to be truly great three things must be obtained: a great occasion; a great theme; a great personality. It was a great occasion when Jesus appeared teaching; He had The Great Theme, and no other personality has ever approached Him. Study this passage with me. There is much in it. Sunday Night, B. T. U. meeting at 7:15, Preaching at 8:15. Please notice the time and govern yourselves accordingly.

Come in large numbers to Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Wednesday Night, "Family Night" i. e. Teacher's meeting, Prayer Meeting, and Choir Pract. The Lord's Supper will be observed by the church at the morning hour.

Mrs. Clay Gibner and daughter are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lowe, and with other relatives and friends at Colorado, Texas. Mrs. Buri Brockus and Miss Gwendolyn Young left Tuesday for a visit in Kansas City.

Christian Church

Attendance last Lord's Day 132. Our goal for next Lord's Day, 135.

Let us all be on time for Bible School. It is believed that we had 140 last Sunday, but you are not counted for the register if you are late. We want to have 135 people on time next Sunday. Do your part.

The Beaver Christian Endeavor will be with us next Sunday evening. They will conduct the Christian Endeavor program for the evening. There will be special music and high point talks on present day Christian living. Adults as well as young people are invited to attend this service.

Let us all attend the Workers Conference at Perryton next Mon. and Tuesday. This is the first time that we have had the opportunity to have national workers in this part of the country. We are having about ten state and national workers for this conference. It is really an opportunity that we can't afford to miss. And don't forget the youth's banquet on Tuesday evening.

Our regular services: Sundays: Bible School 10:00; Communion and preaching 11:00; junior, intermediate and senior Christian Endeavor 7:00; evening worship 8:00.

Wednesdays: prayer meeting 7:45; choir practice 8:45. Thursdays: Ladies Council, 2. Fridays: junior choir practice, 8:00. Everyone is welcome.

Eulis H. Hill, minister.

CELEBRATES FOURTH BIRTHDAY TUESDAY

On Tuesday evening, April 2, little Miss Fern Cooper celebrated her 4th birthday anniversary. A happy group of little friends gathered in her home and enjoyed games. Mrs. Cooper was assisted with the games by Mrs. Geo. Tyson, Mrs. Guy Gruver and Mrs. R. D. McClellan.

After the lovely gifts were admired, refreshments of birthday angel food cake, baked by Fern's aunt, Mrs. E. C. Barnes, and jello was served to the following little guests: Misses Martha Tyson, Elaine Dietrich, Mary Nell and Melba Jean Morrison, Francis Alexander, Wortha Fern Reynolds, Corine Ferguson, Floydene Vernon, Joan McRee, Maxine Cooper, Bobby Sue Renner, Betty Ruth McClellan, Velma Harris, Messrs. Billy Ed Vernon, Glen and Ray Harris, Billy Lee McClellan, Gordon Gross and Bobby Ferguson. Mrs. Eugene Barnes, Mrs. Geo. Tyson, Mrs. Guy Gruver, Mrs. Geo. Dietrich, Mrs. Leo Morrison, Mrs. Ben Harris, Mrs. Arnold Ferguson and Mrs. R. D. McClellan.

Some are funny in the attempt to be serious.

MISS TENNIE EUDY AND WALTER ELLEDGE WED

In the local Baptist parsonage Tuesday afternoon was performed the ceremony which made Mr. Walter Elledge and Miss Tennie Eudy man and wife. Rev. A. F. Loftin pronounced the binding words.

Although they live at Waka, this young couple are quite well known here and have many friends in this community. Mr. Elledge is manager of the Consumers Oil Co. at Waka, where he has a large acquaintance. Mrs. Elledge has recently been employed in Perryton, but has many friends and relatives in the Waka community.

Happy hour club.

Despite inclement weather, a large number of the members of the Happy Hour Club gathered at the home of Mrs. H. M. Shedeck for an all day meeting on Wed. March 27.

Members present were Mesdames, Author Robertson, Archa Morse, Johnnie Close, G. C. Newcomb, R. C. Bennett, F. K. Banister, Cecil Crawford, Don Bennett, Dick Kiker, and the hostess. Two guests, Mesdames Charles G. and A. G. Brandt were present.

Mrs. Johnnie Close and Mrs. F. K. Banister were honored with tea towels and handkerchief showers.

A delicious covered dish lunch was served at noon. Quilting and sewing was the work of the day.

HOLT NEWS

Sunday school was attended by a small crowd Sunday afternoon. Singing was attended by a large crowd Sunday night.

Bro. Dish and John F. Taylor of Borger attended singing at Holt Sunday night.

Mr. Pennington and son of Lamont, Okla., attended singing here Sunday night.

Mrs. J. R. Kirk returned home Saturday afternoon from Houston and Mission, Texas, where she has been a guest of her sister in Mission and her son in Houston. This entire community is glad to have Mrs. Kirk home again. She has been away for the past four months.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson and daughter Winnell, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell and sons Junior and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lackey and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stewart and son, Dwayne and daughter, Miss Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rosson, Mrs. C. A. Batton and daughter, Flodell, Mrs. M. M. Smith and daughter Esther Anna, Mrs. Etha McCaskey and son Bobby, all from this community, attended the revival meeting at the Baptist church in Spearman last Wednesday night.

The Holt community was glad to hear that Medlin Patterson won the \$20 and Mrs. J. B. Patterson Jr. won the \$5 prize at the mer-

chants drawing Saturday. Claude Jackson took Ella Rose back to Mangum Friday morning to see Dr. Border about her ear. He reported it doing as well as could be expected. They returned home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ottaway and son, Bobby, and Gerald Grey of Tyrone, Okla., were Friday afternoon visitors here. They were accompanied home by Miss Vera Helen Ottaway, where she spent the weekend.

Mrs. J. B. Patterson is on the sick list at this writing. Mrs. Etha McCaskey, Mrs. C. A. Batton, Miss Flodell Batton, and Esther Anna Smith were shopping in Borger Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pendergraft had as their guests Saturday afternoon and Sunday, Mr. Pennington and son of Lamont, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson. Mrs. Charlie Rosson, Mrs. Owen Pendergraft and Cecil Kirk motored over to Borger Saturday to meet their mother, Mrs. Kirk.

Miss Josephine Tevenaugh of Oklahoma City, was a Wednesday night and Thursday guest of her sister, Mrs. Russell Baker. Russell Baker made a business trip to Oklahoma City last Tuesday.

Cecil Kirk returned home Tuesday afternoon from his ranch in Mexico.

W. H. Jackson and son Merrill and Junior Campbell transacted business in Spearman Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burleson and children spent the week end with their parents in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceril Batton of Waka visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Batton Sunday morning.

John Stewart Miss Clementine Venimen and Mrs. Venimen of the Kimbal community were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell were shopping in Borger Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rosson, Mrs. M. M. Smith, Mrs. Etha McCaskey and son Bobby, Esther Anna Smith, Mrs. C. A. Batton

and daughter, Miss Flodell, Mrs. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lackey and children, all attended the singing convention at Gruver Sunday. Everyone reported a splendid dinner and some real singing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lee and daughters, Misses Ruby and Wanda, were shopping in Borger Friday.

Mrs. Felton May of Spearman is in a bad condition, suffering from heart trouble. Mrs. Dan Burleson and sons Andy Joe and Danny visited her Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stewart were in Borger Friday. Mrs. Mason Scott and children left last Wednesday for Mangum and Martha, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson, Doil and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephen and daughter Billy were shopping in Spearman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fite and daughter Helen were shopping in Spearman Monday afternoon. Messrs. Dan Burleson and Russell Baker made a business trip to Oklahoma City Monday to take a truck load of cattle. They returned home Tuesday night with a load of Alfalfa hay.

Alton May of the Medlin community was a Monday and Tuesday guest of his sister, Mrs. Dan Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scott and children returned home Tuesday afternoon from a week's visit with relatives and friends in Mangum and Martha, Okla. They attended the birthday dinner Sunday of Mrs. Scott's mother, Mrs. M. A. Cunningham. She was 70 years of age.

H. H. Stephen and Dan Jackson transacted business in Spearman Tuesday morning.

Claude Jackson made a business trip to Spearman Tuesday morning.

MICOU NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Strickland spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Johnnie Close home. They left Monday to take up their duties on a ranch near Plemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Novak and family left Sunday for an indi-

finite stay in Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Archa Morse spent the week end with the Cecil Crawfords.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shedeck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Archa Morse and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Close visited Sunday of last week in the Joe Close home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Wade are the proud parents of a baby boy born March 17. He has been named Larry A.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lambert and children visited Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Close.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bennett spent Sunday in the W. Y. Williams home. Pat Bennett spent the week-end at home.

Miss Eula Owens recently visited with home folks. She is attending College at W. T. S. T. C.

Those from this community who attended the Monday sale at Spearman are Ed Howerton, R. C. Bennett, Archa Morse, Bus Banister.

MARY MATHAS

The Mary Martha Mathas society met at the home of R. A. Vaughn Wednesday week. Mrs. Robert Dyer, in charge of the study lesson, proved to be one of the most interesting. A pre-Easter study members were delighted.

Mrs. H. A. Nichols, their present again after her lovely refreshments were served to Mrs. Van Earl, Tom Johnson, Mrs. R. C. Charles Chambers, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Bobbie, Mrs. H. A. Nichols, Mrs. L. H. Williams, Mrs. L. M. Mrs. George Buzzard, hostess, Mrs. Vaughn. They will meet with Mrs. A. A. ton next week.

R. E. Burran, manager of Burran Bros. grocery store, left the first of this week extended vacation and went from here to El Paso, Texas, and will go from Atlanta, Ga., visiting along the route.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE	
First National Bank	
of Spearman in the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 4, 1935.	
ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$ 11,800.00
Overdrafts	—
United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	48,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	16,500.00
Banking house	5,000.00
Furniture and fixtures charged off.	—
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	11,000.00
Cash in vault and balances with other banks	50,000.00
Total Assets	\$138,300.00
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits, except United States Government deposits, public funds, and deposits of other banks	\$122,000.00
Time deposits, except postal savings, public funds, and deposits of other banks	1,000.00
Public funds of States, counties, school districts or other subdivisions or municipalities	—
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	—
Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments.	126,369.02
Total Deposits	126,369.02
Capital account:	—
Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share	\$25,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided profits—net	546.34
Total Capital Account	28,546.34
Total Liabilities	\$138,300.00

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April, 1935.

P. A. LYON, Notary Public

CORRECT—ATTEST:
 L. B. CAMPBELL,
 FRED W. BRANDT,
 R. L. McCLELLAN, Directors.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

First State Bank

at Spearman, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1935, published in the Spearman Reporter, a newspaper printed and published at Spearman, State of Texas, on the 4th day of April, 1935.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$ 37,623.86
Loans secured by real estate	4,288.89
Overdrafts	213.25
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	74,274.13
Other bonds and stocks owned	950.00
Banking House	6,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,500.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	178,508.99
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	3,150.00
Stock and/or assessment Federal Deposit insurance Corp.	487.37
TOTAL	\$309,496.49
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Total Capital Structure	25,000.00
Surplus Fund	6,500.00
Undivided Profits, net	5,091.07
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	261,597.17
Time Certificates of Deposit	11,114.40
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	193.85
TOTAL	\$309,496.49
GRAND TOTAL	\$309,496.49

State of Texas, County of Hansford: We, J. R. COLLARD, as President, and Harry E. Cayler, as Asst. Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. R. COLLARD, President.
 HARRY E. CAYLER, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of April, A. D. 1935.

VERA CAMPBELL,
 Notary Public, Hansford County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
 C. A. GIBNER,
 P. B. HIGGS,
 H. B. HART, Directors.

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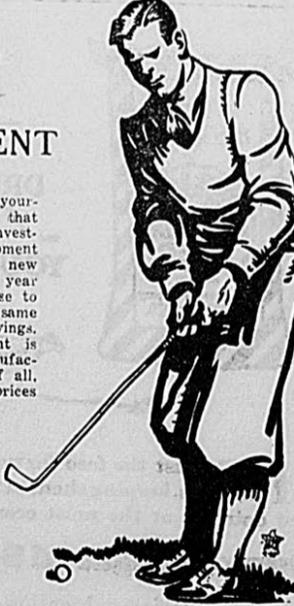
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OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

First State Bank

at Gruver, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1935, published in the Spearman Reporter, a newspaper printed and published at Spearman, State of Texas, on the 4th day of April, 1935.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$ 1,000.00
Overdrafts	—
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	—
Banking House	—
Furniture and Fixtures	—
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	—
TOTAL	\$1,000.00
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	—
Surplus Fund	—
Undivided Profits, net	—
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	—
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	—
Time Certificates of Deposit	—
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	—
TOTAL	\$1,000.00

State of Texas, County of Hansford: We, P. B. HIGGS, as President, and A. R. BORT, as Asst. Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

P. B. HIGGS, President.
 A. R. BORT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of April, A. D. 1935.

DAN SHRADER,
 Notary Public, Hansford County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
 P. H. WESTERFIELD,
 H. B. HART,
 HOMER ALLEN, Directors.