

Penalty and Interest Will Go On City Taxes If Not Paid Saturday

According to information from City Manager D. W. Holland, penalty and interest will be added to all city taxes if they are not paid on or before the fifteenth day of this month.

The city officials have been very liberal in the past, but they feel that in order to protect the credit of the city they must take this step.

McClellan In Race For Democratic Chairman

Lee McClellan, prominent local citizen who has served Hansford County citizens in many public service capacities has allowed his name to be placed on the ballot for election to the office of County Chairman.

In the opinion of the management of this publication no other individual of the county could represent the Democratic party more thoroughly and efficiently than Mr. McClellan. We feel sure from past experience with Mr. McClellan that should he be elected Democratic Chairman, he will handle the duties of the office as economically as possible, and in view of the fact that the Democratic Chairman and Executive Committee always makes the assessment on candidates and pays out the money for holding the elections and other expenses incident to the primary and run-off elections, Mr. McClellan will keep accurate account of the money expended and furnish any candidate a statement showing where the money has been spent.

We understand unofficially, that the Democratic Chairman does not draw any salary except as a member of the Democratic executive committee, and that he draws \$3. per meeting for the meetings held by the executive committee. Naturally the office is more of an honor than financial gain.

A vote for Mr. McClellan will place in office a man who has proven his worth in many instances in this county, all the way from serving the county as County Clerk up to the Red Cross Director for Hansford County.

Will You Solemnly Swear To Tell The... No I'm Mixed Up In Geometry

The above were approximately the words of Justice G. E. Oaks when he started to perform a marriage ceremony Monday morning at the court house. Mr. Oaks started in bravely on the ceremony, but glanced a bit too far from the book, and came near administering the oath of a juror. He stated that he finally got over and guarantees that the couple are properly wedded. Mr. G. E. Cotter of Gruver was the groom and Miss Dorothy Weldon of Oklahoma City was the bride.

Gruver Beat Local Ball Team Sunday

The Spearman Merchants lost a fast game Sunday to Gruver by a score of 3 to 1. It was a good game from start to finish.

The Gruver pitcher and Edwards and Sheets pitched a good game.

PLAY GUYMON HERE

Next Sunday the Guymon team will play the local team here and all interested in baseball are invited to come out and help the Spearman Merchants win.

Mary Martha Circle

Members met at the home of Mrs. R. A. Vaughn Wednesday afternoon for the regular meeting of the circle. The lesson was on "Life and Letters of Paul" and led by Mrs. C. A. Gibner, assisted by Mesdames Marvin and Charley Chambers. The hostess served delicious refreshments to the following: Mesdames R. E. Lee, Robert Douglas, C. A. Gibner, Marvin Chambers and Charles Chambers.

BUYS NEW CHEVROLET

Louis Bryan is the owner of a new Master coach sedan purchased from the McClellan Chevrolet Co. of Spearman.

On July 5th, Little Misses Edna and Mary Alice Campfield were joint hostesses to a number of little friends, celebrating their seventh and ninth birthdays, from four to six o'clock. Various games were played and enjoyed by the guests, after which the two color beautiful birthday cake was served with iced punch, to the following: Bobbie June Brant, Jewel Brandt, Margie Gerber, Morjorie Russell, Sadie Ruth Hoskins, Lora Ann Dodson and Claudine Powers. The little hostesses received many lovely birthday remembrances and birthday greetings.

Mrs. Olivette Nolan who is attending summer school at Canyon spent Sunday in Spearman with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Campfield and children plan to leave the latter part of the month for Chicago to attend the world's fair.

FOR GOVERNOR--Choose Your Candidate Rationally

An article coming to the desk of the Reporter from the TEXAS OPINION, a newspaper that is non-partisan, and that has made no effort to support any of the candidates for governor in the present race, presents a guide for choosing your candidate for governor. The paper presents the facts and then leaves space in a gubernatorial score card for the individual to choose his own candidate. It is interesting to this publication in view of the fact that the paper is supporting Senator Clint C. Small for Governor. To the best of our ability the management of this paper has prepared the score card, and we present our finding to the readers of the paper.

The first scoring on the card is the EDUCATIONAL background. West Texas' candidate for governor, Senator Small and Mr. Witt are both graduates of the Texas University and have received their law degree from this institution. These two candidates are graduates from the school with the highest affiliation and standing in the state of Texas.

Second scoring is PRIVATE SUCCESS. Senator Small rates as high as any candidate in the race, with the information coming from Martindale's Lawyer's Directory.

E. C. Greene Asks For Commissioners Office Precinct No. 2

E. C. Greene, prominent farmer of Commissioners Precinct No. 2, filed his name on the ballot for the office of Commissioner, at the urgent request of a number of friends and voters in that precinct. Mr. Greene states that he feels qualified to handle the duties of the office he seeks, and that he will pledge his friends and the voters of Precinct No. 2 untiring effort to serve them faithfully and honestly. Mr. Greene feels that the commissioner's office is one of the most important in the county, the commissioner's court having the duties of paying all bills and purchasing practically all the supplies of the county, and assessing the rate of taxation. Greene states that he will endeavor to conduct the court as economically as possible, and will ever try to lighten the load of the taxpayers, not only of precinct No. 2, but all over Hansford County.

Snap Dragon Club

The Snap Dragon Flower Club met July 9th at the home of Mrs. P. M. Maize. Topic for discussion was hints on canning and other interesting subjects were discussed, and we decided on each individual making a scrap book and bringing it to the meetings for inspection and discussion. At the close of the meeting, delicious refreshments were served to the members present.

Important Notice

All citizens who have made out applications for Hog Allotments are notified that the allotment papers have been checked at College Station and only await your signature before sending to Washington. You are urged to come to the court house in Spearman at your earliest convenience and sign these papers. Just as soon as the final papers are signed and turned in to Washington the sooner we will receive our Allotment Check.

Hansford County Hog Allotment Committee

MENTAL EXPERIENCE. In view of the fact that the Governmental experience and the Legislative relations are the strongest scoring points in the entire article we are giving you the exact quotations from the article, which was secured after careful survey of the entire field. Here they are:

Government Experience
SMALL: City—Has been mayor and city attorney; County—Has been county judge and county attorney; District—Has been district judge; State—Has served as state senator through the critical period of state history, is now Senator.

HUNTER: City—none; County—none; State—none.
ALFRED: City—none; County—none; District—Has been district attorney; State—two terms as Attorney General.

HUGHES: City—none; County—none; District—Has been district attorney at Dallas; State—none.
WITT: City—none; County—none; District—none; State—has served three terms in the Senate and two terms as Lieutenant Governor.

McDONALD: City—has been city attorney; County—none; District—none. State—has served as Attorney General and as Secretary of State.

Lee Francis Died Wednesday At Noon

Lee Francis, who is thought to be near the age of 48, died at Gruver Wednesday at 11:50 a. m., at the Gruver Hotel. Mr. Francis had worked at the hotel for some two months and left early Wednesday morning with the intention of highwaying it to Kansas. Later he was found out of Gruver a few miles unconscious and was brought back to town where he died a few minutes later.

Justice Oaks Gets Boost In Salary

Justice G. E. Oaks who also serves Hansford County as caretaker for the court house and the county property received a \$15. a month increase in salary as result of action of the Commissioners Court at their regular session of the court in Spearman Monday.

Mrs. Angus McKay Returns To Spearman

For the past two weeks Mrs. Angus McKay has nursed G. R. Wilson at Hot Springs, Arkansas, who was convalescing from a run down condition. Miss Mary Lee, daughter of Mr. Wilson spent the time in Hot Springs with them.

Government Will Buy Distress Cattle In Hansford County

County Agent Frank Wendt spent Wednesday and Thursday of this week in Lubbock where he is getting information relative to the government buying distress cattle in Hansford County. He stated the government was processing all purchases fit for human consumption, and killing and burying cattle unfit for human consumption. Mr. Wendt stated that many head of cattle of both classifications would be purchased in Hansford County.

Hansford County Designated For Primary Relief

Early this week the director of the Hansford County Relief Association received information that Hansford County was included with other counties named to come under the Primary Relief Class. Other counties where better conditions prevail were named secondary relief.

Think It's Hot This Year? You Are All Wet—It's Just Warm In Comparison With '33

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ASENTEE VOTING POSSIBLE NOW

County and District Clerk Jess Womble has the ballots for the coming July Primary, and those who know they will be absent July 28th can go to the clerk's office and register their vote on any day before Saturday July 28th.

Compliance Blanks For Wheat Allotment Are Ready For Washington

Compliance blanks showing that members of the Hansford County Wheat Production Control Association have complied with all the government requirements have been completed and shipped to Amarillo. The blanks will be checked and sent to Washington, probably during the week. County Agent Wendt stated Wednesday that he had hopes the allotment checks would arrive in Hansford county the later part of August or early in September.

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Lynn Pack, former citizen of Spearman who has been employed in Kansas the past year has opened a new meat market in Spearman in the Lon Hays building. Lynn is classified as one of the best meat cutters in the state, and declares he will serve his customers with the best in his line.

Local Druggist Injured In Fall From Ford Truck

J. D. Tumlinson, owner of the Old Corner Drug Store, sustained two breaks on his right leg Thursday noon when he fell from a Ford truck. Mr. Tumlinson was riding on the running board of the car and when the car turned a corner he lost his balance and fell. The breaks were just above the ankle.

REVIVAL BEGINNING FRIDAY JULY 20

The Young people of the Methodist church are sponsoring a series of revival meetings which begin Friday, July 20th and continues through July 29th.

Rev. Homer Vanderpool, noted evangelist, of Goodwell, Oklahoma will conduct the meetings, assisted by Charlie Morris, song leader and Cecil Tune, pianist, of Lamesa Texas.

OPEN AIR SERVICES

For the comfort of everyone it was decided that the services will be on the church lawn. Services will begin at 8:00 p. m. each evening.

Everyone is urged to attend. And to cooperate with the young people in making the meeting a success.

District Official Compliments Local Hog Allotment Men

According to a statement from the District Supervisor of County Agents of this section, Hansford county made next to the best record in the entire state in preparing information and completing Hog allotment papers. Out of 3918 hogs on which allotment claims were made only 21 hogs were eliminated as not being classified for allotment. The work of county agent Frank Wendt and the committeemen was highly complimented. When one learns that a nearby county was told to withdraw allotment claims on nine hundred hogs, one can readily see that the Hansford workers made an enviable record.

W. Y. Williams Died Friday At 3:00 P. M. At Farm Home

Another of the fast disappearing pioneers was called to his eternal home, when death claimed the life of W. Y. Williams last Friday afternoon at 3 p. m., July 6th, 1934. He died at the age of 80 years, 8 months and 21 days, being born near Terrell, Texas, October 15, 1853. Death came as the result of old age and weakened condition that he had endured the past year. The early part of Mr. Williams life was spent in Oklahoma, where he was married at the age of 39 years. He and his family moved to this county in the year of 1903 and have lived here since. Seven children were born to the union, of which five are living and are residing in the Blodgett community near the Williams home. Those living are: Mrs. Wm. Deck, Mrs. Vernie Kenney, Mrs. Edward Beck, Olin Williams and Miss Gladys Williams.

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Post Riders Had to Tote Miscellaneous Articles

From early Colonial times the post riders had been in the habit of carrying, in addition to the mails, a considerable amount of miscellaneous material for delivery from one to another of the farmers, villagers or storekeepers along their routes.

The fees for these extra services were what made the position of post rider worth while, for the government compensation for the mail alone was so small that without these additional amounts there was barely a living in it.

As the mails at the time the railroads began were badly organized and slow, and as the rates were high, and also as they made no provision for the transfer of parcels or valuables, it is readily seen how the public availed itself of the sure and rapid services of these railroad trainmen and how in a few years a considerable volume of business was found going by these private means.

Flamingos Do Not Breed in Florida Keys Section

For 100 years rumors have persisted that flamingos have at some time bred in Florida. John James Audubon, studying birds in the Florida Keys about 1840, tried hard to establish the fact that they nested in that region.

Since Audubon's time flocks ranging from 500 to 1,000 birds have been seen on several occasions in Florida bay. Smaller numbers have been reported many other times.

Undoubtedly from one or more of these places flamingos come to the coast of South Florida at rare intervals, usually during the winter or early spring months.

The Earth's Corona

The earth has a corona, a luminous glowing, gaseous envelope extending far in space, according to a professor of the University of Oslo, Norway. Spectroscopic studies indicate that the glow is due mostly to electrically excited nitrogen gas, which apparently exists at considerable density, even at heights as great as 550 miles above the surface of the earth.

Law Was Disobeyed

Did you know that for many centuries there were laws which said how much a person might eat? Edward the Third of England made one in the year 1330, by which his subjects were forbidden to "go in for" more than two courses at any one meal—except on certain special occasions.

First Bank Started

The first bank can be traced to ancient Rome, Greece, Egypt and Babylonia. In the modern sense of the term, the earliest bank is probably that of Barcelona in Spain, which was established in 1401.

Theater Seat Space Regulated

District of Columbia regulations require that all theaters or public buildings with fixed seats must allow a space of not less than 2 feet 6 inches from back to back of chairs, with an aisle width of not less than 4 feet—this width to be increased with the increased size of the hall.

SHEEP IN FORESTS MENACE TO GAME

Sheep are the source of all the hunters' troubles in the western national forests, declares the editor of Outdoor Life. In an editorial in that militant magazine, McGuire is launching a campaign to eliminate sheep from the national forests and put them back on private land where, as he says, "they belong."

He claims that the fight over sheep in the national forests is an out-and-out fight between sportsmen on one side and the stock interests on the other. "Sheep graze close, and they take the feed of deer and elk so that when winter comes, the game starves."

According to the editor, the forest service doesn't get in fees from sheep ranches enough to pay the cost of administration. Instead, the public gets erosion and floods, destruction of seedling forests, starvation of elk and deer, coyotes and bears branded as "predators," and a poisoning policy that is hated by every sportsman.

Struck the Wrong Note

A rather harassed looking man entered a gramophone shop and inquired for some modern light music, preferably dance records. "Very well, sir," said the assistant, "I understand perfectly. By the way, sir, didn't you purchase some records of operatic music here last week?"

"That's right," said the customer miserably; "but my wife doesn't care for them—she wants something really snappy."

Hindu Girls Protest Dowry

Threat of 20 Hindu Amlil girls in Hyderabad, India, to kill themselves or become Moslems as a protest against the dowry system, under which their parents must pay large sums to prospective bridegrooms, may cause abandonment of the system. The men of the Amlil community are leading members of government services and professions, and are considered as great matrimonial "catches."

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Canada's "Treeless Prairie"

Within a generation the "treeless prairie" has all but passed into the limbo of forgotten things in the great spaces of the Canadian Northwest. Since the beginning of the century the Dominion department of the interior has given away considerably more than 100,000,000 trees to farmers.

Bold English Bandits

Driven from urban activities by the new police flying squad, in London, auto bandits are raiding farms near the city. Crops worth thousands of dollars have disappeared within two weeks. One farmer has lost thousands of cabbages. The raiders go from London in trucks at night, park in a country lane, seize all the produce they can and sell it in London markets.

Artificial Butterfly

A young Austrian scientist is attempting to create an artificial butterfly. By dropping chemicals on models of paper and gelatin he watches them spread into many-hued lines and rings, in the hope that he will be able to duplicate the pattern of real insects. His object is to learn how nature paints butterflies with intricate designs in tints that no chemist has been able to match.

Confidence Deserved

"Do you expect to be elected sheriff again?" "Yes," answered Cactus Joe. "After a man has been shot at and missed as often as I have he gets the admiration of his community for his luck if not for his sense."

Three Pair

"So you use three pairs of glasses, professor?" "Yes, one pair for long sight, one for short sight and the third to look for the other two."

Up-to-Date

"Why does Bob remind you of your new car?" "Because he has an automatic clutch."—Kansas City Star.

A Peck of Oysters Per Capita Annual Harvest

The taking of oysters from American coastal waters constitutes the most valuable fishery of the United States and one of the greatest of the world. About 30,000,000 bushels are harvested in a year in this country or about a peck for every person. About 90 per cent of these are procured on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts, says the Detroit News.

A single female oyster produces 16,000,000 eggs in one spawning. Most of the oyster eggs are never fertilized and are therefore lost. Many of those that are fertilized are eaten by larger creatures or never find a place to settle and are swept out to sea or smothered in mud or sand on the ocean bottom.

The rate of growth of the oyster varies widely and depends on the temperature and food content of the water, and the time of its birth. In Long Island sound it takes an oyster about four years to grow four or five inches long, but in southern waters it grows to eight or ten inches or even more. When crowded together oysters assume abnormal shapes such as the "coon oysters" of the South, and eventually the mass becomes so dense that preceding generations are smothered.

The only method of increasing the oyster supply in the United States that has been at all successful is that of catching the young free-swimming oysters at the time when they are just ready to "set" and then transplanting them where they will develop best.

Shakespeare's Vocabulary Far From Present Supply

Shakespeare's vocabulary was the greatest in history. It was remarkably rich and exhibited most of the language resources of his time. Prof. Albert Cook in his "Study of English" says that Shakespeare employed about 21,000 words; others say 15,000 or 24,000. But our language today has ten times as many words as in Shakespeare's time. Our prodigious advance in science has added such a wealth of technical words to the language that a writer who covers many fields of human activity probably uses more different words than Shakespeare did.

The average well-educated man uses from 6,000 to 8,000 different words; how many more he knows is difficult to determine; and the average person, it is estimated, employs about 4,000 words—possibly more. Take the men who build radios, automobiles, electrical appliances, and mechanics in railroad shops. It is conceivable that they may have at their command several hundred, maybe a thousand words that have to do with technical phases of their experiences.

Cloth From Spider's Webs

Many years ago there was a factory in France which made gloves out of thread spun by spiders, which were specially reared for the purpose. The factory failed, not because it was impossible to make the cloth, but because it cost too much to rear the spiders! If they were kept together they fought and killed each other, and so separate compartments were needed for them. And when you think of how many spiders it would take to make enough thread to weave a glove, you'll know how many compartments were needed. Spider's webs are still used for something else besides catching flies, however. There is a surveyor's instrument called the theodolite, and this instrument needs a very fine line drawn across its lens. The thread of a spider is only one-thirty-thousandth of an inch thick, and so it is used for this purpose.

London's First Gas Lamps

On January 28, 1808, Pall Mall burst into unwonted splendor at dusk, when for the first time in any city gas was used in street lighting. Great-grandfathers owed the boon to an enterprising German named Winsor. The prejudice against the innovation was all but universal, and cartoonists drew comic pictures of unoffending citizens being choked by the new illuminant. Sir Walter Scott, who was in London at the time, wrote about the madman's scheme for lighting the town with smoke, and even Sir Humphrey Davy gave it as his opinion that it would be as easy to bring down a bit of the moon to light London as to succeed in doing so with gas.

Exhibit Recalls Porcelain Find

At Meissen, Germany, a permanent porcelain exhibition has been created in the Albrechtsburg in which Johann Bottger, trying to produce gold for King August the Strong, stumbled on to the secret of making porcelain. In one small banquet room a table is set with the famous coral-red porcelain with the dragon mark, which was manufactured exclusively for the Saxon royal house until the end of 1918. The "Bottger room" has mural paintings showing the inventor at his labors, and a showcase contains the materials used in making porcelain.

Meteor and Meteorite

A meteor is "a sudden luminous phenomenon, as of a star or bright body in rapid motion through the air, produced by a small mass of matter from the celestial spaces striking the air with planetary velocity, and suffering heating, dissipation, or combustion." A meteorite is "a fallen meteor; a mass of stone or iron that has fallen upon the earth from space." In other words, says Literary Digest, a meteor remains a meteor unless it falls upon the earth; in which case it is called a meteorite.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Spearman Reporter is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries.

For Representative Legislative District No. 124
B. L. ROGERS (Farnsworth) re-election

For District Attorney
W. L. McCONNELL

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
H. L. WILBANKS re-election

For County Judge:
J. H. BROADHURST re-election

C. W. KING
ROBERT MEEK

For County and District Clerk:
J. E. WOMBLE re-election

FLOYD C. SUMRALL
J. B. COOKE

DAN SHRADER.
FRED HOSKINS

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

BARNEY SPARKS.
MRS. J. B. PERRY.

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
F. W. MAIZE
HENRY KEITH

C. P. (Claude) JACKSON

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
E. C. GREENE

CORRECTION

In the issue of July 5th, the Reporter carried a news item stating that Horace Hamilton of LaPorte, Texas, a brother of Mrs. L. S. McLain, had been killed in an accident. This is an error. Mr. Hamilton was not in an accident.

NOTICE

It is my intention to see every voter in Hansford county before the July Primary, to present my appeal for your vote. If I fail to see you personally, it will be because I am unable to locate you. I sincerely ask your consideration. J. B. COOKE
Candidate for County and District Clerk.

NOTICE TO PERSONS ON HANSFORD CO. RELIEF ROLL

Upon instructions embraced in a resolution passed by the Texas Relief Commission June 27, 1934, notice is hereby given to the effect that persons physically able to work who are offered employment at the prevailing wage scale in the locality wherein the work is to be performed, and who refuse to accept without good cause, shall not be furnished relief.

The following instructions are issued to all citizens of Hansford county, to-wit:
Any person or persons offering employment to others, whether on relief rolls or not, will inform the local county relief board chairman in writing immediately when employment is refused. Such advice to the county board chairman will include, when possible, the work-seeker's full name, address, employment offered and wages offered.

When any person has been offered employment and has refused it, under the conditions above stated, the County Relief Board of Hansford County is prohibited from giving either direct or work relief to such person.

This pronouncement is published under direction from the Texas Relief Commission, whose membership requests the universal cooperation of the people of Texas in support of this action which is directed at the displacement of persons on relief who refuse to accept work.
Adam R. Johnson, Director.

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REWARD FOR DRILL BIT We will pay a reward for a well drilling bit that was lost on the highway west of Spearman. Phone 48, Robert Wilbanks. RUGS AND MATTRESSES We have a complete stock of rugs and mattresses priced to please you. Come in and see our new furniture. MAIN FURNITURE CO. NOW IS THE TIME TO REPAIR Your harvest over you have time, and we hope money to make needed repairs on your home and outhouses. Check with us for reasonable prices on lumber and building material. FOXWORTH-GALBRAITH LUMBER CO. JUST RECEIVED New shipment battery set radios. We have prices and sizes to meet the needs of any customers. If you use a Philco, either electric or battery set, you have the best on the market. See us. DELON KIRK BATTERY SHOP GAS AND OIL FOR your tractor plowing, spark plugs and automobile accessories for your truck and passenger cars at CONSUMERS SALES COMPANY The best of service and quality merchandise. GOOD GULF SERVICE Just the kind you appreciate in hot weather. If you plan a trip this summer make arrangements to get Gulf Courtesy Cards. Avoid embarrassment if your funds run low. GULF SERVICE STATION Chas. Chambers Agent P. S.—Be sure to put on G-3 Goodyear Tires before you start on your vacation trip. NEED A NEW TRACTOR FOR PLOWING? We Have the Answer CASE TRACTOR An Economical Power Farming Unit. R. L. McLELLAN GRAIN CO. LIFE INSURANCE Provide your beneficiary with \$50.00 per month for 31 months, and \$500.00 burial expenses. Policy at low cost. See E. K. SNIDER, Agent GENUINE ELECTROLUX The Electrolux gas refrigeration is the quickest and most economical. See us about a new one. Terms allowed.—Panhandle Gas & Electric Company. SUITS CLEANED AND PRESSED We clean, press and deliver a suit of clothes for 75c. Other work in the same ratio to these charges. Phone us and we will come for your work and deliver it at your door. CAMPBELL TAILOR SHOP Phone 113 MECHANICAL SERVICE We have the equipment to do any kind of a job you may need. 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Harbison, candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer. APARTMENTS I have two nice apartments for rent. Reside for information. Mrs. E. R. W. 20. Expert Shampoo and Wave Room 216. BUYERS FOR WHEAT We have buyers for county wheat lands. Is for sale see us in Hansford county. McNABB LAND CO. Phone 132 WHERE PRICE AN MEET When you trade the finest grade of that money will insist on first quality even if we have to NEW SYSTEM J. E. WOMBLE Candidate for County and District Clerk I will appreciate your vote and influence. DAN SHERRILL Candidate for County and District Clerk Your vote and influence appreciated. FRED J. HOSKINS Candidate for County and District Clerk I will appreciate your influence. Mrs. Lee Chambers daughter Billie Lee the home of Mr. & Mrs. Cooke. Mrs. Chambers from San Antonio is the bedside of her husband Cooke, who has been BIG CREAMY MILK Only 15c at Sparke's. We serve you in cold drinks, sodas, drugs and drug sundries. 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WHAT HAPPENS IN SEVEN MINUTES

Have you ever thought? The human population is approximately 72 million. 72 million people die every minute. 72 million people die every minute on a street or road accident.

Industry Busy

Means of hunting and harvesting goes on. The 1933 recreational economies of the Whaling industry interesting figures: In 1931 the whaling industry was valued at \$2,874,000.

Humane Association

Humane association of various societies, held in Ohio, in 1877, began an organization for the protection of animals and the initial work of the society was to regulate the abuses in connection with the railroads.

Star of Stars

In the constellation of one of the variable stars known as Mr. Wilson observed that the heat of this star between 2,900 and 4,100 degrees and the brightness decreases 225 times during its variation.

Let in Finland

Believed to be the only nation which has abolished all unnecessary laws. The law has abolished horns, street car bells, hand organs and theaters, newsboys and side-walks and a Sabbatarian calm day, even in the heart of the city.

District of Columbia Is Governed by Commission

The government of the District of Columbia is administered by a commission of three members appointed by the President of the United States. Two of the commissioners are residents of the district, and their term of office is three years; the third commissioner is a United States army engineer, whose term continues according to the pleasure of the President.

A committee of the senate and a committee of the house are in practice the lawmaking bodies for the district. The chairman of the house committee on the District of Columbia is often called "the mayor of Washington."

The District of Columbia is not a state, or a part of any state, and the governmental theory on which residents there are denied suffrage is that the National Capital is maintained for the whole nation as a sort of corporate enterprise like the central office of a stock company, and that its residents, being citizens of other states, may vote at their homes.

Sailors' Snug Harbor

Capt. Robert Richard Randall established Sailors' Snug Harbor for worn out sailors. It was opened August 1, 1853, and today is one of the richest foundations in the United States. Its holdings are said to be valued at more than \$30,000,000.

A Quiet English Village

Who says the English countryside is absolutely ruined? West Ashton, in Wiltshire, is proud of its simplicity. It has no railway station, no "pubs," no policemen, no crime and none but voluntary unemployment.

Effect of California Earthquake

According to the report of the commission appointed to investigate the origin of the San Francisco earthquake, there was a displacement along a very extensive and well marked fault line that extends for several hundred miles to a slight angle with the coast line.

Early Weather Forecasting

The federal meteorological service was organized as a part of the signal corps of the army in 1870. Weather predictions were issued as early as February, 1871, and at once became a popular feature of the service.

PUBLIC OPINION AND THE BANKS

By F. N. SHEPHERD Executive Manager American Bankers Association

WHILE banking today appears in a wholly distorted light in the eyes of some, the more reasoning elements in our population undoubtedly have a less jaundiced view than would appear from certain irresponsible orators, often posing as spokesmen for that indefinite quantity called "the mass" of our people.



F. N. SHEPHERD

Anti-social acts on the part of some bankers formerly have been the subject of spectacular exposures, but I can say without reservation that they were in no way typical of the acts and attitudes of the vast majority of their fellow bankers.

The Bankers Today

The bankers who are in charge of our banks today represent men who withstood the temptations and avoided the economic pitfalls of the great boom. If they had not they would not be there, or their banks would not have been able to survive the rack and ruin of the economic hurricane.

How irrational this is, when we reflect that not more than three or four per cent of our entire population suffered personal loss because of what any banker did or neglected to do, whereas literally millions of bank depositors did not lose a single cent as a result of banking difficulties and really owe a vote of confidence and thanks to their own bankers who were true to the highest conceptions of their stewardship and brought their institutions and their customers safely through the greatest business disaster the world has ever seen.

EXAMINATIONS FOR TRUST INSTITUTIONS

New Move by Federal Banking Authorities Welcomed by Banks and Trust Companies, Says Bankers' Organization

FEDERAL examination of trust departments is the latest development in banking supervision and trust companies and banks operating trust departments are welcoming this development because it fills a long-felt want, it is stated by the Trust Division of the American Bankers Association.

Despite the growing importance of American trust business in recent years examining officials have never given to trust departments the attention paid to commercial banking departments, this authority points out. Now the Federal Reserve System, in conjunction with the Comptroller of the Currency, has undertaken to bring

More than 300 people have paid their subscription to the Spearman Reporter the past thirty days because they wanted to take advantage of the half price BARGAIN. THE REPORTER ONE YEAR FOR ONE DOLLAR.

The Eyes of Texas are upon the Panhandle in the Governor's Race

With a large number of the really large newspapers of the state supporting Senator Clint C. Small for Governor, and with indication of a favorable vote for the WEST TEXAS CANDIDATE in the South and East portion of the State, political stationers all over the state are looking to the Panhandle vote to decide whether or not WEST TEXAS will seat a Governor at Austin for the first time in the history of the State.

Virtually solid backing of Clint C. Small is assured over the Panhandle area, but the propaganda of some opponents, namely working the old last minute trick of reporting that Small does not have a chance to get in the run-off, could prove disastrous to West Texas hopes of placing a West Texan in the Governor's chair.

The Panhandle of Texas supported Senator Small approximately 85 per cent in the election four years ago, and unbiased reports coming to Spearman from the entire Panhandle section indicates a stronger support this year.

Do not be deceived by last minute propaganda. West Texas is for Senator Small and you will not waste your vote. If the Panhandle gives Small the vote he deserves, you will be proud that you have helped elect the

Next Governor of Texas

SENATOR CLINT C. SMALL

This advertisement paid for by Hansford County friends of Senator Clint C. Small.

MAZE A MINUTE SCIENTIFACTS BY ARNOLD

Advertisement for malaria prevention featuring illustrations of people and text: 'MALARIA'S HIGH TOLL! MALARIA IS RESPONSIBLE DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY FOR 40% OF THE DEATH RATE IN INDIA.' Also includes text about coal and trout.

Michigan CAR REGISTRATION

New passenger car registration showed another favorable showing for the University of Texas Bureau of Motor Vehicle Registration. The State had a total of 5,599 registrations in April, and 3,760 in May 1933, a 57 per cent increase respectively. In past years there has been a decline in sales from April to May. Total sales during the first five months of this year were 21,768, compared with 15,768 in the corresponding period last year, a 38 per cent increase.

Cartoon titled 'MUTT AND JEFF - Jeff' showing a man and a dog. Text: 'MUTT, I'M SCARED STIFF TO GO DOWN UNDER THE SEA! THOSE SHARKS MIGHT EAT ME UP ALIVE!' 'MUTT, BUT NOTHING TO BE AFRAID OF! IF A SHARK COMES NEAR YOU, JUST GIVE HIM A KIND WORD AND A LUMP OF SUGAR.' 'SUGAR?' 'YES, SUGAR!'

Killing of Edward Rippey Hunter Slings Mud and Wife Described. And Makes Miracle Man Promises In Talk

I will try to give you a short sketch of the murder of Edward Rippey and wife. I am not positive of the date, but I think it was in '65 or '66. My father and myself were hunting horses on Rock Creek and called at the home of Mr. Rippey. While there Mrs. Rippey related a circumstance that had happened a short time before. Mr. Rippey and some neighbor men went out in the timber to cut some crib logs. Mrs. Rippey was to prepare their dinner and bring it to them. When the meal was ready she took the dinner bucket in one hand and her double barrel shotgun on her shoulder and started to the work hands. While on her way she was accosted by a band of Indians. She took her stand in a clump of post oak trees for protection and defied them to come any nearer. She said they tried to persuade her to come out; that they would not hurt her. She told them to leave and not come any closer or she would kill two of them, and they left. Mrs. Rippey said they could speak very good English. This was her own statement. Shortly after this the good lady died.

Mr. Rippey married again and I think was living on the same place. He had a wolf trap set near the house. Early in the morning he left home to see about the trap and while on his way was attacked by a band of Indians. Mrs. Rippey started towards the house and called to his wife to bring the gun. She got there in time to see them kill her husband. The good wife was also killed by the side of her dead husband. At the house there was left one small boy and a little girl. The boy started up the doors, got the gun and as the Indians came near he would point the gun through a small crack and they would back off. The children said the Indians would yell and curse the boy, but at last the little boy's courage and pluck caused them to leave.

I am certain this occurred in April 1869. On Sunday morning at eleven o'clock Uncle Pleas Tackitt was to preach at Cartersville. He had just taken the stand, read a chapter and announced his text when a runner galloped up to the church. Uncle Pleas stopped and asked the young man what was up and he told him. Uncle Pleas hollered out that the Indians had killed Mrs. Rippey and his wife, and for everybody to go home and see about their shotguns and six-shooters. I don't remember whether the Indians scalped Mr. Rippey and wife or not, but I think they did.

JOHN N. FRAZIER.

More History Of Pioneer Days In Parker County

In the winter of 1865, I cannot give the month, but it was cold weather. Late one evening a band of twenty-five or thirty Indians made their appearance in the Goshen church neighborhood, on the West side of Uncle Sol Haines' field. Two of Uncle Ben Gilliland's boys had been out on the prairie afoot and were coming through the field when they discovered by the Indians, who let the fence down and gave the boys a chase through the field but by a close call the boys got to the house and made their escape. I do not know which one of the boys it was (but I guess one was Doe) and that hard run is what made him bow-legged.

The Indians next made their appearance in what is now the Opal community. The Goshen people soon got several men together and gave them a chase; they were joined by the Opal people and soon succeeded in overtaking the Indians and had a considerable little fight. Among the Goshen men were Uriah Perkins, Light Tackitt, John Hill, John Stacks, John Morris, Thomas Allen. Wise county men: Frank Holden, Negro Sang, Andy and Jack Gore, Poik Matthews, Elmore Blackwell, and others. The men had to withdraw on account of the darkness. A heavy snow fell after dark and the Indians camped for the night. The next morning Capt. Geo. Stevens with his scouts got on the trail of the Indians and it is stated that they found the bodies of three Indians, supposed to have been wounded in the fight in the north part of the county. Uncle Uriah Perkins contended at the time that he knew he killed one Indian on a big yellow horse, who seemed to be leader. Mr. Perkins told the men that he was going to put a stop to him, so he pulled down on him and he did not show up any more.

JOHN N. FRAZIER.

The West Texas Memorial museum founded at Big Springs has grown to a very sizeable concern attracting hundreds of visitors weekly.

J. W. Johnson of San Angelo, 64 years a cowboy, drives a horse and buggy to San Angelo daily. He is among the last in the country to use a horse and buggy as his regular mode of travel.

Tom F. Hunter of the Wichita Falls contingent of aspirants to the governor's office in Texas, devoted much of his time to "mud-slinging" tirade against Senator Clint Small, the Panhandle's candidate for governor, and Attorney General Jimmie Allred, life long foe of Furgusonism. Many comments were heard on the fact that he did not refer to the present administration or their candidate for governor, McDonald from Wichita Falls.

Hunter devoted much time to the terrible burden that the farmers of Ochiltree county pay in ad valorem taxes. The figure which Tom Hunter claimed to be the state average is very different from what is paid on Ochiltree county farm lands. Here is just what the state ad valorem tax amounts to in this county. Farm lands are assessed at from \$1.50 to \$7.50 per acre. The state tax rate is 77c and cannot go higher than 79c under the state constitution. At this rate the state ad valorem tax on the highest priced acre of land in Ochiltree county is less than 6c per acre. In addition there is a homestead exemption of 200 acres, the man with 320 acres only paying taxes on 120 acres and the man with a section farm paying on 440 acres. This is quite different from the figures quoted by Hunter.

The rich oil man from Wichita falls is full of promises of what he would do if elected governor, there is no question but what he is indeed a miracle man. After hearing his speech hear Saturday evening, there is no question but what Texas will be a "Utopia" if Hunter is elected governor. Hunter run true to the old type politician, giving utilities, and corporation and chain stores hell, and using that old worn out campaign spiel of "down with taxes" at every opportunity.

In past campaigns state candidates have ignored the Panhandle, but they are coming in flocks this year. This is Hunter's second trip into the Panhandle. The fact that Hunter and other candidates are working so hard to break into the small vote in the Panhandle is an admission that they consider the Panhandle as a territory which appreciates what its state senator has done, and that it is a territory which intends to do everything in its power to elect him governor. The Panhandle will not be misled by Hunter and other candidates. Our voters know that Clint Small is the ablest man in the race, that he refrains from making extravagant promises, and that when he is governor of Texas, he will see that the Panhandle gets equal consideration with other parts of the state. Small is frank and honest enough to tell the voters that the ad valorem tax cannot be abolished overnight, but that he believes that it can be reduced 25 per cent with the program which he sets forth in the platform. Ochiltree county and the Panhandle voters are intelligent they are too smart to fall for the bumcombe and demagogery that is expounded by some of the candidates, they know that what a man promises and what he does, or what he is able to do, after getting into office are oftentimes extremely different, they want sincerely in campaign promises the same as they want sane and efficient government, and for that reason, the big majority of Panhandle people will vote for Clint Small on July 28. —Ochiltree County Herald.

PRINGLE NEWS

Mrs. W. H. Parks and daughter, Mrs. Ida Marable and two children of Marlin Wells are visiting relatives and friends in the Pringle community.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davenport of Amarillo spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Knudsen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Burns and Miss Ona Stith were shopping in Borger Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. R. H. B. Allbright and wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Burns and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warren were luncheon guests of Mr. O. C. Stith and daughter Ona, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warren left Tuesday for their farm in Lamb county, to be gone for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Chisum carried Earlene to Pampa Tuesday afternoon to consult a physician.

C. E. Lieb made a business trip to Spearman Tuesday.

Mrs. O. W. Jarvis has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. P. Pilgreen and daughter, C. E. Lieb and sons Chesta and Mentus and Miss Connie Gambern were luncheon guests of Mr. W. M. Lieb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Forester, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Forester and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman and Coy Pendoll of Arnett, Oklahoma were visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lieb and other relatives recently.

A family reunion was held at the A. L. Parks home Sunday. Judge Aynsworth was visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odie Board Sunday.

William Windom of Clifton is visiting relatives in Pringle this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Braly and daughter visited in the McCloy home Wednesday.

Baptist Encampment

The Canadian Baptist Encampment will hold its meeting this year at its new site about one and a half miles east of Miami on Federal Highway 60, which is paved nearly from coast to coast, with room, water and shade trees in abundance. The session will open Monday evening, August 6th and will close the following Sunday night.

The program has been completed and will be published and distributed at an early date. Dr. W. F. Fry of Lubbock will be Camp Pastor and will speak twice daily. Big Chief Gardner, G. S. Hopkins and Mrs. B. A. Copas, state leaders and directors of B. T. S., Sunday School and W. M. U. activities, respectively, will conduct daily conferences. S. J. Strickland will have charge of the music. Dean and Mrs. Z. T. Huff of Wayland College will supervise the recreational activities including swimming, golf, play ground ball, horse shoes, and other games. Rev. Spurgeon Richardson, returned missionary from Africa, will appear regularly on the program. Dr. J. B. Lawrence, of the Home Mission Board, Rev. and Mrs. Aaron Hancock, Indians and missionaries to the Indians, of Shawnee, Oklahoma and representatives of the college and other denominational interest will address the crowds. Misses Edna Pennington and Lola Sewell will play the pianos.

This encampment provides an opportunity for an inexpensive restful and recreational vacation close to home and under the most wholesome moral and religious influence. No beer, no dances, no legrading picture shows, etc.

For information regarding camping equipment or other matters, write Judge W. H. Sewell, President, Follett, Rev. E. M. Dunsworth, Business Manager, Route 1, Pampa, Texas, Rev. J. G. Holder, Shattuck, Oklahoma is chairman of the program committee and Rev. M. G. Murphy of Higgins is Director of Publicity.

First Allrubber Separator Adds Battery Power

The first battery separator made exclusively of rubber is now in production in the Firestone Battery Factories at Akron, Ohio and Los Angeles, California. It is considered as great an advancement in batteries as the balloon tire was in the tire industry, for it is not affected by heat, cold or acid, and yet so porous it increases power flow. It is used in the Firestone extra power battery.

The Allrubber Separators are made up of millions of tiny balls of rubber joined together in such a way as to give extreme porosity, allowing quick flow of power. They have much longer life under adverse conditions—in fact they last the life of the battery. Separators of rubber have long been the goal of the battery industry. A number of separators have been brought out combining rubber with fiber, wood and fiber, wood and rubber, etc. and though some obtained long life, they were considerably less porous and thus gave less starting power, especially in cold weather.

The battery of today must have greatly increased power. It is estimated that 600,000 cars were equipped with radios in 1933, and 1,000,000 more will be sold in 1934. More than a million cars now have hot water heaters which require electric power to operate. Gas and oil gauges, cigar and cigarette lighters, double stop lights, windshield defrosters, double horns and many other appliances are found on the modern cars. The 1934 cars have larger generators—30 ampere capacity instead of 20 ampere.

The Firestone Extra Power Battery with the Allrubber Separator furnishes more and quicker starting power—at zero it gives 30 per cent more starting power. It is especially superior for cars operating in severe service, and for commercial cars and light trucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sebaugh of Wichita, Kansas, spent the past week visiting Mrs. Sebaugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gay of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gay and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sebaugh spent Thursday in Amarillo visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gay's two daughters, Zelma and Merlin Gay. Both the Misses Gay are in training at the St. Anthony Hospital at Amarillo.

A jury Friday convicted Charles B. Richardson, former Olney mayor and prominent oil operator for the slaying of his son, Elga, 20, and sentenced him to 99 years imprisonment.

Reports at the close of last week indicated that 10,000 head of cattle had been tested for tuberculosis in the accrediting campaign in Curry county, with only about 24 reactors reported.

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at Gruver, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1934, published in the Spearman Reporter, a newspaper printed and published at Spearman, State of Texas, on the 12th day of July, 1934.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$56,268.76
Overdrafts	161.46
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	677.71
Banking House	7,300.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00
Cash in bank	1,518.84
Due from approved reserve agents	102,865.13
TOTAL	\$170,291.90
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	6,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	4,599.64
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	3,150.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	124,645.16
Time Certificates of Deposit	4,652.31
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	2,244.70
TOTAL	\$170,291.90

State of Texas, County of Hansford:—We, P. B. Higgs, as President, and A. R. Bort as 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 6th day of July A. D. 1934.

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Roosevelt was once asked, during a discussion of relative value, to name three things he would consider most essential to the world should be marooned on an uninhabited island. His answer was most significant when he said: "First, my family. Second, my newspaper. Third, my gun."

His home town newspaper came second in the list. His family speaks volumes for that and it is not altogether strange that a person of Roosevelt's perception of values should make such a selection.

A community newspaper is essentially a serial history, combined, of the people and the territory which it serves. Through its columns the community's progress—or regression—is unconsciously portrayed. It makes the community's problems its own problem; a sympathy exists between publisher and reader which is entirely absent in urban publications. Its spirit of fraternalism extends to closer relations between the advertiser in the home town and those whom the advertiser serves. His paper is so much one of better bargains and cut prices, of friendship, cemented by years of constructive community association. His paper is a message from one friend to another and it is the function of the community newspaper to extend and to further the cultural, educational and social life of its community, in addition to the publication of news. It holds as a sacred obligation the advancement of all projects designed for public welfare and it opposes with equal determination that which is detrimental. It is the clearing house for opinion, expressed by expert and reader alike.

A community newspaper occupies a traditional place in the existence of its home town parallel in importance to the school and the church. It is an instrument for the realization of pioneering effort to improve the element of national life. The spirit of enterprise is engendered by the familiarity with the news of its family of readers; its flexible editor permits the same reportorial treatment of the news of twin calves born to Bill Jones' cow as is given to the news of world wide importance. And the same discrimination compels the absence of columns which directs unfavorable attention to a member of its circle.

Every community newspaper needs you—you need it.

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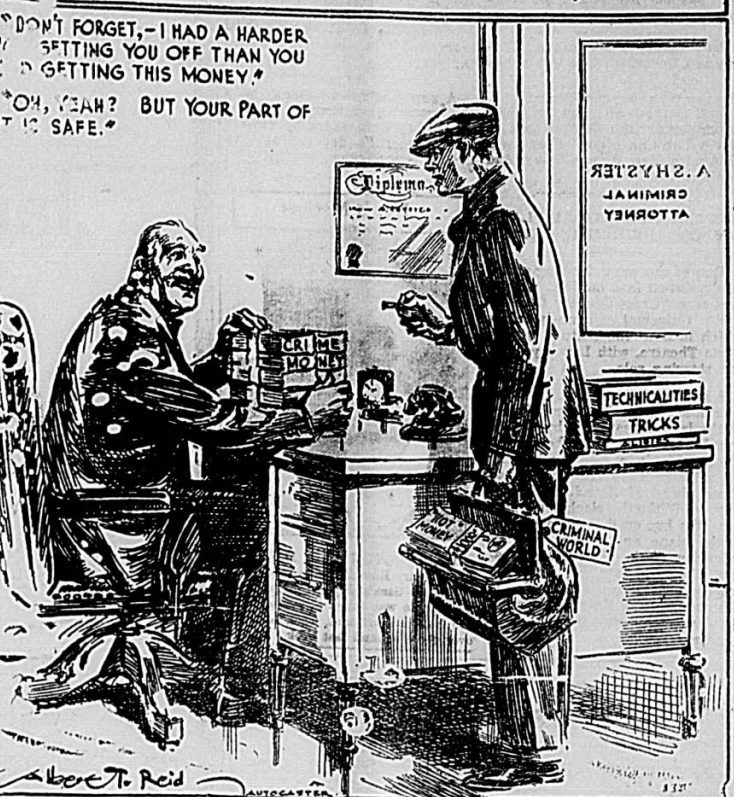
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CAR REGISTRATIONS GAIN

New passenger car registrations in Texas made another favorable showing during May, according to University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Seventeen counties representing all major sections of the State had a total of 5,599 registrations, against 5,429 in April, and 3,760 in May 1933, gains of 3.1 and 50 per cent respectively. In past years there has usually been a decline in sales from April to May.

Total sales during the first five months of the year were 21,768, compared with 13,276 during the corresponding period last year, a gain of 64 per cent.

You want the BEST WANTS ADS SO DOES YOUR NEIGHBOR



This Week In Washington

A piece of news which the cables carried the other day is causing more mental perturbation in Administration circles than even the unpaid war debts. That is the statement officially made that in Great Britain unemployment has been reduced to the point where it was five years ago. Recovery according to the tables, began in Europe early in 1932 and has continued without serious interruption since. Whether it had not already started in America at the same time, and whether it might have not progressed as rapidly here as there had been no experimental efforts to stimulate it, is what is worrying some of the President's advisers.

Not that they admit that there is anything to the idea, but they are terribly afraid that the Republicans will pick up the theory that the New Deal has hampered, instead of stimulated economic recovery, and adduce so many facts in support of it as to make a convincing campaign argument out of it. And nobody in Washington forgets for a minute that this is campaign year.

"Outs" Must Have Issue
 In all fairness it ought to be made clear that unless the Republicans do find some definite, positive issue between now and the beginning of the Congressional campaigns in September, they haven't any chance at all of capturing the lower house of Congress or the Senate. Their chance of an opposition majority is slight at best; but if the only campaign arguments they are able to put forward are the stale pleas of the "outs" to be put back "in," based upon nothing constructive but merely upon dislike of the New Deal program, then they will capture mighty few seats in either house.

It would not be a novelty if they did even gain control of Congress. That has happened more than once in our political history—but never when there was as good a politician and popular personality as Mr. Roosevelt in the White House.
 In 1890, for example, the greatest opposition landslide in our history occurred. Benjamin Harrison had been elected President in 1888, with a strong working majority in both houses of Congress behind him. But in 1890 the combined Democrats and Populists captured 85 Republican seats in the House of Representatives.
 In Taft and Wilson Reigns
 In 1910 President Taft had a Republican Congress, elected with him in 1908, turn sour on his hands and go Democratic. In Woodrow Wilson's second term, the Congress elected in 1918 was dominated by the Republican opposition. But in these and all the other instances of a mid-term upset in the complexion of Congress there was a definite issue before the people upon which they were thoroughly aroused. No such issue has as yet shaped itself. So while the President's friends concede that they are not greatly scared of losing control of Congress, they have a feeling, which many old political observers with Republican leanings share, that there is not, at the present moment, enough political acumen and smart leadership in the Republican party to do much damage.

There is, however, a good deal of money on the Republican side. Campaign funds are going to count heavily this year in most districts. Here, again, the feeling in Washington is that the distribution of immense sums of Government money in various forms of welfare activity, such as the PWA, CWA, CCC, FERA and the farm benefits and bonuses will go a long way to make voters friendly to the administration, and presumably to the Democratic party.

Congress Faces the Voters
 Doubtless all the beneficiaries of Federal spending are grateful to Mr. Roosevelt—but Mr. Roosevelt is not running for reelection this year. It is congress that has to face the voters, and mingled with the feeling that Congress has been nothing more than a rubber stamp which the President used to make his personal actions legal and Constitutional, is a good deal of dissatisfaction in many agricultural sections over the way some of the recovery projects worked out.

Farm prices in general have gone up, but prices of goods that farmers have to buy have gone up farther and faster. The N.R.A. has done a better job in its field than has the A.A.A. That has

caused a lot of disgruntlement. Nobody yet knows how far and how deep that kind of dissatisfaction extends.

Busy Political Summer
 The drought has offset much if not most of the gains for the farmers as a whole—the most severe drought in all history, authorities say. Probably nobody will seriously blame the drought on the government, but it has beyond doubt created an undercurrent of discontent which may express itself at the polls, in the states affected. And if it should result in a definite food shortage elsewhere which seems not at all improbable, it may affect voters all over the country.

Then there is the great bloc of inflationist voters, lineal descendants of the Populists in 1890 who wrecked the Harrison administration and all but wrecked the Republican party. Some of these are sure to ask embarrassing questions of their Representatives as to why they let "Wall Street" stand in the way of monetary inflation, by either the silver or the greenback route, when they had the power in their hands.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilbanks and Wm. A. Wilbanks visited in Hollis, Oklahoma over the weekend.

Miss Lois Morton is spending the week visiting friends in Panhandle, Texas.

NOTICE OF SALE BY THE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HANSFORD.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale dated June 28, A. D. 1934, issued out of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas at Amarillo, on a Decree rendered by said Court on the 8th day of June A. D. 1934, in favor of Hal Cooper, plaintiff, and against Karl B. Weber, in the case of Hal Cooper plaintiff, vs. Karl B. Weber, and others, defendants, No. 374 in Equity, in said Court, I did, on the 29th day of June, 1934, at Nine (9) o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described real estate situated in the County of Hansford, State of Texas, as the property of the said defendant, Karl B. Weber, to-wit:

The North half (N 1-2) of Section No one Hundred Eighty-Five (185), all of Section No. One Hundred Eighty-Six (186) and the South half (S 1-2) and Northeast quarter (NE 1-4) of Section No. One Hundred Eighty-Seven (187), all in Block Two of Ten (10) o'clock A. M. and Four (4) o'clock P. M., on said day, at the front door of the Court House of said Hansford County, I will offer for sale and sell, at Public Auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Karl B. Weber in and (2), G. H. & H. R. Co. Surveys, Hansford County, Texas.

And on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1934, between the hours to said property. Said property to be sold under the foreclosure of a Deed of Trust dated April 17, 1930, executed by Karl B. Weber and recorded in Volume 15, pages 283 to 285 of the Records of Real Estate Mortgages and Deeds of Trust of said Hansford County, Texas, and is to be sold free, clear and discharged of all rights, titles, interests, claims and demands therein and thereto of each and all of the defendants of said suit, to-wit: Karl B. Weber, Kate E. Weber, Lorena K. Rogers, and her husband, James W. Rogers, Ervon (sometimes spelled Irvin) S. Weber, Leland S. Weber, Eugene S. Weber and Merlin S. Weber, being the former wife and children of the defendant, Karl B. Weber, J. P. Burgess and E. O. Northcutt.

Dated at Amarillo, Texas, this 29th day of June, 1934.
 J. R. WRIGHT,
 United States Marshal.
 First published No. 32—4 times.
 By W. F. Lampe, Deputy

MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Ought To Use Cakes Of Ice Next Time



By BUD FISHER

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gruver visited in the Guy Cooper home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Leitner of Amarillo were Spearman visitors Thursday of last week.

Mrs. C. E. Kiker and children have been visiting friends and relatives in Amarillo and Canadian.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kinney of the Blodgett community were shopping in Spearman Saturday of last week.

Miss Jewel Harbison is spending the week in Amarillo visiting Miss Emma Lou Leitner, of that city.

Mrs. Evelyn Berner and children left Spearman last week for Booker to make their home.

MEET THE 11 YEAR OLD BOSS

Perhaps the most of you who read this article have seen and heard Gene Hunter, 11 year old artist, member of the Hefner now playing an engagement in Spearman. Most of you have fallen in love, (girls especially) with the attractive 11 year old lad. Truly he has a voice that is unusual and his work as a dancer and entertainer is a real feature of the Hefner show. However, the majority of you readers did not know that Gene is part owner of the show, and that he takes a real business interest in seeing that the show goes over big. Gene and A. C. Hefner are owners of the show. To tell you the truth this paper manager figures Gene to be the real business man of the owners. A. C. has not even been around town hob-nobbing with the folk, and Gene knows every fireman, truck driver and business man in the city. He took a trip around town Wednesday, and where he knew people that had not been attending the show regular, he took occasion to invite them out to the show.

With all his talent and business acumen, Gene is just BOY above all his other traits. He spends a big part of his spending money on the very things that your boy and my boy would buy... and you ought to see his wardrobe... it's plum cram full of cow boy clothes, mexican costumes, and here and there a bit of practical clothing that indicate the influence of his mother who is accompanying on his show trip. Gene has about half the boys of the town around the tent on afternoons, and they have regular Tom Sawyer - Huck Finn court. He has lived in Dallas, Texas most of his life, and he is getting a

real kick out of the wide open spaces of the West, where he has plenty of room to run and jump, swim and play cow boy.

The young show owner has just completed a contract with the Yellow Cab Company, broadcasting over the Columbia net-works thru the winter months. He is signed up for the coming winter and is only with the Hefner show during the summer months. Gene attends school at the public schools in Dallas and will start his work in the 8th. grade next school year. In addition to Gene the Hefner show carries the most talented cleanest and most congenial personnel it has been the experience of the management of this newspaper to meet in the tent show business.

The SPEARMAN REPORTER Will pay 5c. per pound for clean cotton rags.

The many friends of Mrs. Geo. Buzzard will be glad to learn she is improving at this writing.

POPULAR GIRL BAND TO APPEAR ON LOCAL STAGE

By special arrangement with the American Legion Post the Lyric Theatre will present the Melody Maids, Texas' premier girl band, in a presentation of their distinctive musical ideas. They will be on the stage Friday, July 13th. The band, conducted by Mrs. Henry Bussey, features Ruby Hutchinson, Jerry and Dickie May, captivating Violin Trio, a charming vocal trio, and other entertainers.

The Melody Maids were returned here by special effort of the Legion Post and the Lyric Theatre to meet with the fast growing demand for superior entertainment.

"20th" CENTURY GRAND FILM COMEDY

John Barrymore, distinguished member of Broadway's Royal Family, reveals a rare genius as a comedian in the role of the temperamental producer, Oscar Jaffe, in Columbia's "20th Century," which opens Saturday at the Lyric Theatre.

In a comedy as fast as its title, Barrymore proves a deft farceur, the like of which has seldom been equalled on stage or screen.

Miss Lida Mae Walker and Herman Lemons of Amarillo spent Sunday at the R. W. Morton home.

Mrs. Johnnie Lamond and children were in Spearman Tuesday of this week, from their home at Guymon, Oklahoma.

C. E. Campbell made a business trip to Texhoma on Monday of this week.

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Paul Clark of Gladewater, Texas was a Spearman visitor over the week end.

Mrs. Garrett Allen and children left today for the Central part of North Carolina where they will visit with Mrs. Allen's father and mother.

BUS CRASHES INTO AIRPLANE IN 'CROSS COUNTRY CRUISE'

One of the most startling crashes ever seen in a motion picture occurs in "Cross Country Cruise," the Universal comedy-drama which is now the feature at the Lyric Theatre, with Lew Ayers in the starring role.

A giant passenger bus, in which a criminal is fleeing from officers of the law, careens at breakneck speed along a road in the desert, when suddenly an airplane bearing the officers lands in the road ahead of it and blocks the way. Without slackening its pace, the bus crashes headlong into the plane and hurtles into an irrigation ditch. And Alan Dinehart, the murderer, is not the only passenger on the bus, for it also carries June Knight, whom he has forced to accompany him as a hostage.

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Nineteen cars of a Santa Fe freight train were derailed last Tuesday at Tolar, 50 miles west of Clovis, N. M. It was the third train wreck at that point within the year.

A new Chevrolet Sedan with the wrong number and 41 quarts of whiskey were seized by officers of the sheriff's department in Clovis, New Mexico, Saturday.



WASHINGTON... Maj. Gen. John Henry Bussell, is the new head of Uncle Sam's Fighting Marines. This photo was taken at his desk in the Navy Department, when he took over the command last week.

TO THE VOTERS OF HANSFORD COUNTY: Pledging my honest effort to serve the best interest of the entire county if elected your County Judge. I will appreciate your support. I have been doing business in Hansford County for the past twenty nine years, and you can look up my record for honesty and ability. Sincerely, ROBERT E. MEEK

COMING to the VOTERS of Hansford County With an urgent request for your vote and influence in the coming Democratic Primary July 28th. I realize you have the choice of five very capable men in casting your ballot for this office, and will therefore appreciate your vote and influence very much. It is my honest belief that I can handle the duties of this office as efficiently and capably as any man who is seeking your support. I have never asked for office in Hansford county, and feel that my experience and past record justifies making this request for your vote and influence. Dan Shrader candidate for County and District Clerk

A Vote For Attorney Gen. James V. Allred for Governor Will help place in the Governor's office the man who has the admitted confidence of approximately 450,000 Texas Voters. A man who has one of the most constructive plans for Texas Rehabilitation Texas Relief Law Enforcement Tax Collections Campaign Lieutenants of rival candidates for Governor have Frankly admitted that Allred has made distinct inroads into territory once believed "SOLID" for another candidate. Generous receptions given him everywhere by Texas voters and his consistent victories in "straw vote" polls conducted in widely separated sections of the state indicate Allred will lead in the coming primary election. cast your vote for ALLRED and you will cast your vote with the aparent majority of voters of voters

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WILBANKS, Sheriff. NOTICE see you personally, and will endeavor appeal for your of you individually. B. COOKE County and District Clerk.

NOTICE see you personally, that I will appreciate influence at the primaries July 28th. S. E. Harbison, can- election to the office

ange from \$4 and up. Leave name at Sparks 2nd Hand Store.—Borger Mattress Factory, Borger, Texas.

See The New Tri-Shelvdor Electric refrigerator at the Spearman Hardware. Sold under our personal guarantee.

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SPEARMAN HARDWARE TO BE SURE Place your subscription to the Spearman Reporter while you can secure a double duty dollar. Of- fer closes July 1st.

ANNOUNCEMENT I have been selected authorized

Columbia's Queen

NEW YORK ... Pauline Revere (above), descendant of Paul Revere, has been selected by faculty members as the most beautiful girl at Columbia University ... an honor which completely "floored" the young freshman.

J. E. WOMBLE Candidate for County and District Clerk I will appreciate your vote.

DAN SHRADER Candidate For County and District Clerk Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

FRED J. HOSKINS Candidate For County and District Clerk I will appreciate your vote and influence.

Mrs. Lee Chamberlain and little daughter Billie Lee are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cooke. Mrs. Chamberlain came from San Antonio to be at the bedside of her father Mayor Cooke, who has been seriously ill.

BIG CREAMY MALTED MILKS Only 15c at Sparks Confection- ery. We serve you with any need in cold drinks, cigars, tobacco, drugs and drug sundries.

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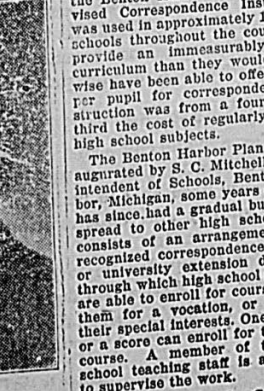
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Vote for Judge John H. Sharp of Ellis County



JOHN H. SHARP For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to succeed Judge Greenwood who is not a candidate. He is now a member of the Supreme Court Commission and has filled this position with honor and distinction. He is well qualified for the position.

agent in Spearman for Singer Sewing Machines. I keep a liberal supply of replacement parts and repairs on hand at all times. Phone 124 for your needs or for your needs or a demonstration of the Singer Machine.—Mrs. Oran Kelly.

JUDGE J. H. BROADHURST Candidate for Re-election COUNTY JUDGE Hansford County, Texas FOR SALE:—Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, large size. A good one at a bargain.—Mrs. D. M. Jones.

CORRECTION In the issue of July 5th, the Reporter carried a news item stating that Horace Hamilton of LaPorte,

Upon instructions embraced in a resolution passed by the Texas Relief Commission June 27, 1934,

CLARATUMEM



FROM THE FAMOUS RADIO PROGRAM

Texas, a brother of Mrs. L. S. McLain, had been killed in an accident. This is an error. Mr. Hamilton was not in an accident.

NOTICE It is my intention to see every voter in Hansford county before the July Primary, to present my appeal for your vote. If I fail to see you personally, it will be because I am unable to locate you. I sincerely ask your consideration. J. B. COOKE Candidate for County and District Clerk.

NOTICE TO PERSONS ON HANSFORD CO. RELIEF ROLL

Upon instructions embraced in a resolution passed by the Texas Relief Commission June 27, 1934,

Casey Comes



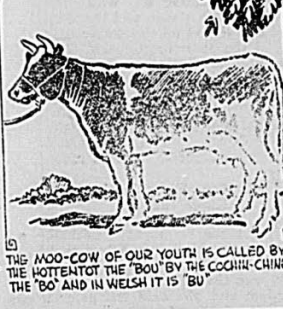
BROOKLYN ... Charles "Casey" Stengle (above), former outfielder with Brooklyn and big leaguer of other days, is the new manager of the Brooklyn Nationals, succeeding Max Carey.



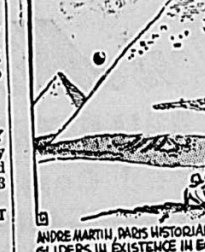
IF IT IS, ANOTHER DAY ... BOYS, IF YOU'RE READY WE'LL GET UNDER WAY FOR A LITTLE MORE FACT-FINDING.



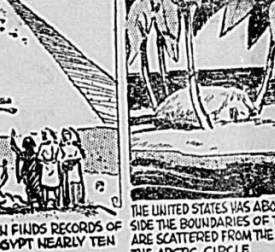
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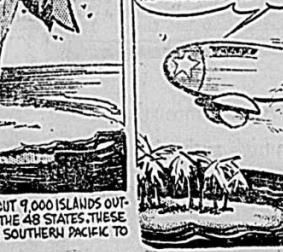
THE MOO-COW OF OUR YOUTH IS CALLED BY THE HOTTENTOT THE 'BOU' BY THE COCHIN-CHINESE THE 'BO' AND IN WELSH IT IS 'BU'



ANDRE MARTIN, PARIS HISTORIAN FINDS RECORDS OF GLIDERS IN EXISTENCE IN EGYPT NEARLY TEN CENTURIES AGO.



THE UNITED STATES HAS ABOUT 9,000 ISLANDS OUTSIDE THE BOUNDARIES OF THE 48 STATES. THESE ARE SCATTERED FROM THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC TO THE ARCTIC CIRCLE

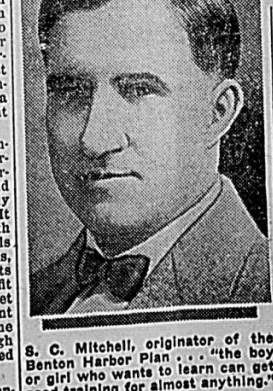


NOW FOR HOME-GUESS THAT'S ONE OF UNCLE SAM'S ISLANDS JUST BELOW US.

With School Over, Problems of Cost And an Adequate Curriculum Remain

Harried School Boards May Be Aided By Recent Development in Instruction Methods

A RECENT development in high school instruction methods promises to become a major educational factor as, with school over for the summer, school boards in hundreds of communities ponder the financial problem of opening them again next fall and keeping them running with an adequate curriculum through the winter. Last winter, with hundreds of schools closed or offering curtailed programs because of lack of funds, the Benton Harbor Plan of Supervised Correspondence Instruction was used in approximately 100 high schools throughout the country to provide an immeasurably wider curriculum than they would otherwise have been able to offer. Cost per pupil for correspondence instruction was from a fourth to a third the cost of regularly taught high school subjects. The Benton Harbor Plan was inaugurated by S. C. Mitchell, Superintendent of Schools, Benton Harbor, Michigan, some years ago and has since had a gradual but steady spread to other high schools. It consists of an arrangement of recognized correspondence divisions, or university extension schools through which high school students are able to enroll for courses to fit them for a vocation, or to meet their special interests. One student or a score can enroll for the same course. A member of the high school teaching staff is appointed to supervise the work. The International Correspondence Schools have played a leading part in developing the Benton Harbor Plan, while the University of Nebraska has adopted the principles of the Plan to enable small cities of the state to offer courses their funds would not otherwise permit. Through arrangements with these and other similar institutions, students are able to study supervised correspondence courses ranging from trig-



S. C. Mitchell, originator of the Benton Harbor Plan ... "the boy or girl who wants to learn can get good training for almost anything."

At the Benton Harbor High School. The first group to study under supervised correspondence instruction.

ometry and mechanical drawing to advertising and agriculture. Apart from the struggle schools are having with their budgets, many prominent educators hold that correspondence instruction offers one of the most promising means of adapting the curriculum to the individual pupil. Walter H. Gaumnitz, a Senior Specialist of the U. S. Office of Education, has said, "Perhaps the best answer to the query of whether high school instruction by correspondence is feasible is that this procedure is already in wide use and the movement is constantly growing ... larger numbers of high schools are experimenting with these courses, and the educational literature is giving more and more attention to the movement." A. W. Castle, Director of Extension Education for the State of Pennsylvania, has said, "high school correspondence courses seem to offer great possibilities in solving some of our most pressing and most difficult administrative problems."

notice is hereby given to the effect that persons physically able to work who are offered employment at the prevailing wage scale in the locality wherein the work is to be performed, and who refuse to accept without good cause, shall not be furnished relief. The following instructions are issued to all citizens of Hansford county, to-wit: Any person or persons offering employment to others, whether on relief rolls or not, will inform the local county relief board chairman in writing immediately when employment offered by such citizen-

is refused. Such advice to the county board chairman will include, when possible, the work-seeker's full name, address, employment offered and wages offered. When any person has been offered employment and has refused it, under the conditions above stated, the County Relief Board of Hansford County is prohibited from giving either direct or work relief to such person. This pronouncement is published under direction from the Texas Relief Commission, whose membership requests the universal cooperation of the people of Texas

Use Your Best Judgement In Casting your vote July 28th. We hope your Candidate will win—And USE YOUR BEST JUDGMENT IN BUYING YOUR GROCERIES AND we feel your judgement will bring you to the store in Spearman where you will find a large stock of staple and fancy groceries, fresh vegetables and fruit, and a store personnel that will meet you with a smile and take pleasure in seeing that you get the most careful attention and service—NAMELY W. C. Bryan & Sons We Deliver Phone 216

DANCE to the MELODY MAIDS at the LEGION HALL, 10 to 1:30 Friday, July 13th

Your Vote and Influence Will Be Appreciated so says the candidate who wants this favor from you in the coming July Primary. He means it. YOUR TRADE AND INFLUENCE IS GREATLY APPRECIATED so says the management of this store—and WE MEAN IT. OLD CORNER DRUG STORE

Drive the 1934 Chevrolet The proof is in the Driving What A Record —We recently advertised in the Reporter of a local 1934 Chevrolet truck on a daily run with 15,000 miles getting 17 miles per gallon and using no oil between changes. LISTEN AT THIS! —This same truck now has 27,000 miles and is still getting 17 miles per gallon and using no oil between changes. —Can you afford to overlook this amazing record when purchasing your new car or truck? We can furnish the proof. —See us for dependable used cars. McClellan Chevrolet Co. Inc. Gruver Motor Co., Gruver

International Sunday School Lesson

By DR. J. S. NUNN

THE PLAN OF THE LESSON.

Subject: God's Constant Care.
1. Elijah by the Brook Cherith.

1 Kings 17:1-7.

2. Elijah at Zarephath. 1 Kings 17:8-24.

3. Elijah on Mount Carmel. 1 Kings 18.

4. Elijah in the Wilderness. 1 Kings 17:1-7, 19:1-8.

Scripture Lesson: 1 Kings 17:1-7, 19:1-8.

1. And Elijah the Tishbite, who was of the sojourners of Gilead, said unto Ahab, As Jehovah, the God of Israel, liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but according to my word.

2. And the word of Jehovah came unto him saying,

3. Get thee hence, and turn thee eastward, and hide thyself by the brook Cherith, that is before the Jordan.

4. And it shall be, that thou shalt drink of the brook; and I have commanded the ravens to feed thee there.

5. So he went and did according to the word of Jehovah; for he went and dwelt by the brook Cherith, that is before the Jordan.

6. And the ravens brought him bread and flesh in the morning, and bread and flesh in the evening, and he drank of the brook.

7. And it came to pass after awhile, that the brook dried up, because there was no rain in the land.

1 Kings 19:1. And Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and withal how he had slain all the prophets with his sword.

2. Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, So let the gods do to me, and more also, if I make thy life as the life of one of them by tomorrow about this time.

3. And when he saw that he arose, and went for his life, and came to Beersheba, which belongeth to Judah, and left his servant there.

4. But he himself went a day's journey in the wilderness, and came and sat down under a juniper tree; and he requested for himself that he might die, and said, It is enough, now, O Jehovah, take away my life: for I am not better than my fathers.

5. And he lay down and slept under a juniper tree; and, behold, an angel touched him, and said unto him, Arise and eat.

6. And he looked and behold, there was at his head a cake bak-

ed on the coals, and a cruse of water. And he did eat and drink, and laid him down again.

7. And the angel of Jehovah came again the second time, and touched him, and said, Arise and eat, because the journey is too great for thee.

8. And he arose, and did eat and drink, and went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights unto Horeb the mount of God.

INTRODUCTION

A towering, weird figure is Elijah. We always think of him when the word prophet is used. He stands first in the list of the earlier, as distinguished from the later, or literary, prophets. His name means "Jehovah is God," and for this truth he valiantly contended; and also for undeviating righteousness, and so he is the prototype of John the Baptist, great advocate of austere morality.

JEZEBEL

The trouble began with the marriage of Ahab, King of Israel, to Jezebel, daughter of Ethbaal, King of Tyre. Ahab was a weakling, Jezebel strong and bad. Her name has become a synonym in every language for a vicious woman. She had been a priestess of Astarte, the female divinity of Baalim. She soon established her own religion. The worship of the Lord Jehovah was proscribed, and the great persecution began.

Elijah Dares Ahab. 1 Kings 17:1

The first picture we have of Elijah is where he appears before King Ahab with God's message that because of the idolatry of the court and the faithlessness of the people, a terrible drought is to come upon the land. We can readily understand how Elijah's prophecy brought down upon his head the hatred and vengeance of the court, and of Jezebel in particular. The queen's only thought now was the destruction of the man of God.

Elijah By the Brook Cherith. v. 3

We next see the prophet hiding in a ravine of the Jordan Valley, whither God had sent him from the hands of his enemies, as well as to preserve him from the suffering of the drought that had come on apace. There in the gully of the Cherith Elijah found a little water and fresh greenness; and the ravens brought him bread and flesh in the morning, and bread and flesh in the evening.

Elijah At Zarephath. 1 Kings 17:18-24

The drought became more severe; even the pools in the brook Cherith dried up; the trees withered and the ravens ceased to flock to their branches. The prophet was directed to journey farther northward, to Zarephath, on the Mediterranean coast, between Sidon and Tyre. Whether the Sidonean women knew that the gaunt, half-starved traveler before her was Elijah, the famous prophet from the south we are not told; but she had a mother's heart and listened to his cry of distress. Unknowingly, she saved him the saviour of herself and her son.

"The barrel of meat shall not waste, neither shall the cruse of oil fail, until the day that the Lord sendeth rain upon the earth." This is one of the most familiar pictures in the Bible. Elijah's faith in God's providence so multiplied the widow's handful of meal and few remaining drops of oil that they lasted until the better days.

Elijah On Mount Carmel. Elijah's challenge was entirely fair:—The God who should answer by fire, consuming the sacrifice upon his altar, should be acknowledged the true God. The people agreed to the test. The priests of Baal offered him the specified sacrifice. Then for hours they called upon their god to consume the sacrifice with fire out of heaven. But no fire fell.

At the time of the evening sacrifice, 3 p. m., Elijah came near and offered aloud and fervently his prayer to Jehovah, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. He prayed for three things to be made known at once: That Jehovah is the God of Israel, that Elijah is his servant; and that Elijah's work was directed by God.

No sooner had Elijah's prayer risen from his lips than the fire, as lightning from an unclouded sky fell upon the burnt sacrifice, utterly consuming it with the wood and the stones and the very dust and heaped up the water that was in the encircling trench. This supernatural display was God's signature to Elijah's work. The slaughter of the false priests followed. The prayer for rain was effectual and the long drought was broken before Ahab reached the city of Jezreel, eighteen miles away.

Elijah Flees From Jezebel. 1 Kings 19:1-1.

That scene on Mount Carmel had brought Ahab into submission to Jehovah. Queen Jezebel, however, was the ruling spirit of the kingdom and she held the people to their apostasy, to Baal, swore with an awful oath (ver. 2) to take the life of our prophet. Elijah knew Jezebel; knew that she was worse than Baal or a dozen devils; and so he fled.

fled for his life, way down thru the southern kingdom, to the ancient city of Beersheba; and then farther southward. At the close of a hard day's journey he threw himself on the ground under a broom tree and prayed to die: "I've had enough of it, Lord, take away my life!" He regarded his life's mission as a failure; his people hopelessly lost to Jehovah and righteousness.

God's Tender Care For Elijah—vs. 5-8.

What did God do to get Elijah out of his slough of despond? Despondency is a pretty common disease and it is well to know God's remedy. In this case it was of two kinds, physical and spiritual. And the physical came first; He was fed and he was put to sleep. Doubtless in the excitement of those terrific events in Samaria and of his long flight southward he had eaten little and slept scarcely at all. Anyhow he was dead tired. Jesus fed and healed. God gives his beloved sleep. After Elijah had enjoyed a good long nap, he was awakened by an angel who had ready for his refreshment a jar of water, and a cake, all hot from the glowing stone on which it had been baked. Then he went to sleep again. Then breakfast. Then he started for the mount of God. A good night's sleep and a good square meal are in most cases spiritually invigorating; help cure the religious blues; and start one upon the quest for God, and to do something for God and for someone in need of help or sympathy:—A divine receipt for the blues.

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Another writes a friend saying:—

"The records show he (B. L. Rogers of Ochiltree) voted for the best interest of the people in general, on practically all measures.

"I hope the people of your district will return him in order that he may complete the program started in behalf of the Farmers, Stockmen and Small Business Men throughout the State."

"The people of your district should appreciate the fact that he refused to be dominated by the "Special Interest Lobby."

Neighbors, friends and business associates who have known him for sixteen years in Ochiltree county ask that you send

B. L. ROGERS For Second Term

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**T. O. James Died At
 Des Moines, New Mexico**
 Word was received early this week that T. O. James of Des Moines, New Mexico passed away at his ranch home Sunday, July 8th, 1934. Mr. James was well known throughout this section of the country, having been one of the early surveyors to first survey the lands in Sherman and Hansford counties, over forty-five years ago.
 Mr. James had been failing in health for the past two years, suffering from cancerous condition. He underwent treatment from the finest specialists in America without avail. He recently was sent home from Scott and White Hospital of Temple, Texas, where his condition was pronounced incurable.
 Mrs. G. W. Williams, Johnesse, Mrs. Mattie Lee Williams and daughter Nancy Lou from Bovina, Texas visited with friends in Spearman during the early part of the week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Claude Powers and family visited in Amarillo on Sunday.
 Chas. Patton, son of Bob Archer, is in Amarillo taking treatment for his throat.
 Mrs. R. L. White and Miss Alice Hazelwood returned Saturday from a several days visit with friends in Bovina, Texas.
 May her motto be ours: "In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy path."
 Miss Eulalie Moore of Canyon, Texas visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. H. E. Campfield, in Spearman last week.

**Stinnett Mail Leaves
 Spearman Hour Early
 On New Schedule**
 Information from Postmaster W. J. Whitson is to the effect that the Stinnett mail which formerly left Spearman at 1 p. m., leaves Spearman at 12 noon under a new mail schedule. Patrons are asked to observe this change in schedule.
**Airmail Postage Cost
 Radically Reduced By
 New Government Order**
 Airmail postage rates have been reduced to a flat charge of 6 cents per ounce, according to information from Postmaster W. J. Whitson. The former rates were 8 cents, for the first ounce and 13 cents an ounce for additional weight.
 Chas. Patton, son of Bob Archer, is in Amarillo taking treatment for his throat.

Judge J. H. Broadhurst

Running for second term for the office of
County Judge and Ex-Officio School Supt.

for which office none of the other candidates are asking for re-election or second term.

Let me take this opportunity to say that perhaps I have made many mistakes during the past two years in the conduct of my office, but I have made an honest effort to handle the affairs of the office in a manner in which I believed the citizens would wish it done. There has been scarcely a day passed since I have been in office but that from one to many persons have been in my office asking for some sort of legal advice and you who have been in my office know that I have gladly advised and tried to be of assistance to every one alike to the best of my knowledge.

Having studied law as a profession I felt like I was better equipped for the office than my opponents at the time I first went into office, I can truly say that I have learned a great deal more since being in this office and I honestly believe that I am better equipped to fill this position than either of my opponents.

If you believe that fairness, courtesy and efficiency entitles one to the democratic custom of a second term, I will appreciate your vote.

J. H. Broadhurst

MRS. S. E. HARBISON

County Treasurer who has served the citizens of

HANSFORD COUNTY

the past two years is asking the voters of county for a SECOND TERM.

Mrs. Harbison bases her appeal to the voters on the usual Democratic custom of returning their support to the office they hold for a second term.

Mrs. Harbison has served the citizens faithfully and pledges to the voters the same careful service in the future as in the past.

Rest assured your vote will be greatly appreciated by

MRS. S. E. HARBISON

candidate for re-election to the office of

**County Treasurer
 Hansford County, Texas**

Indian Meaning of Lake Erie—"Lake of the Cat"

Very little is known of the Erie tribe of Indians, for they had ceased to exist as a nation before the white men penetrated to the western country in any numbers. They are represented as having been a powerful and war-like tribe, although comparatively small in numbers.

Some 800 years ago they incurred the enmity of the Iroquois or Five Nations, and were practically exterminated by the latter in a long war.

Father Hennepin, writing in 1684 of certain missionaries, alludes to the Erie:

"These good fathers were great friends of the Hurons, who told them that the Iroquois went to war beyond Virginia or New Sweden near a lake which they called Erige or Erie, which signifies 'the cat' or 'nation of the cat,' and because these savages brought captives from the nation of the cat in returning to their cantons along this lake, the Hurons named it in their language Erige or Ericke, 'the lake of the cat,' and which our Canadians, in softening the word, have called Lake Erie."

Charlevoix, writing 35 years later, says of the lake:

"The name it bears is that of an Indian nation of the Huron language which was formerly seated on its banks and who have been entirely destroyed by the Iroquois. Erie, in that language, signifies cat, and in some accounts this nation is called the cat nation. This name probably comes from the large number of that animal formerly found in this country."

Declares Hibernation Is Not "Sleep of Righteous"

Hibernation has its dangers and its hardships, according to an authority in the Missouri Farmer. It is not a "sleep of the righteous" or a warm winter nap. There is nothing warm about it. The hibernating animal is cold to the touch and is a good counterfeiter of death itself. There is often a clenching of the jaws and a general tension of muscles. There is no apparent movement. Breathing is almost imperceptible; the heart barely beats; the blood scarcely flows; and the senses are all deadened. Meanwhile, a gradual wasting of the body goes on in order to support life in this low state.

He is not having an enjoyable and snug snooze, as many suppose. He does not yawn and turn over in a warm bed to close his eyes again in pleasant slumbers. He is just surviving until the warm spring days arrive. The ordeal is a brave one. During the cold and dark hours of winter he has only one thing to live for: his faith in what is almost a resurrection in the far-off spring. And this reminds us of ourselves when we are passing through the dark days, or when we wonder if this life is all.

Spider Not an Insect

A spider is not an insect, but an arachnid. The phylum Arthropoda, or jointed invertebrate animals, has three principal classes, insects, arachnids and crustacea. The class arachnida includes such familiar creatures as spiders, order Araneida; scorpions, order Scorpionida, and harvestmen, or daddy-long-legs, order Phalangida. True spiders are distinguished from insects by possessing four (instead of three) pairs of walking legs, and by having the body divided into only two main divisions separated by a narrow waist: a cephalothorax, bearing the legs, mouth parts and eyes, and an unsegmented abdomen, which is short and rounded and bears two or more spinnerets at the posterior end, for spinning silk threads. Spiders are predacious and have poison glands near their jaws, some being able to inflict bites painful or even dangerous to man. The young develop without a metamorphosis, such as is typical of insects.

Named St. Lawrence River

The St. Lawrence river received its name from the fact that Jacques Cartier christened one of the little bays on the north shore of the gulf, St. Lawrence. He entered the bay on the tenth of August, 1535. It was the day of the Feast of St. Lawrence. The name spread gradually to the whole gulf and river. St. Lawrence was a deacon of the early Christian church who was put to death by order of the Roman Emperor Valerian. It is said that when he was ordered to hand over the church's money, he went around and gathered together all the poor among whom he had been in the habit of dividing it. He was buried in the Catacombs.

"Army Marches on Its Stomach"

Frederick the Great is thought to have originated the saying "An army, like a serpent, goes on its belly." The duke of Marlborough is the reputed author of this: "No soldier can fight unless he is properly fed on beef and beer." Cervantes in "Don Quixote" states "The stomach carries the feet." An old French proverb has it that "The broth makes the soldier."

The Word "Horsepower"

The term horsepower was originated by James Watt to show the amount of power a horse exerted in drawing water, because Watt was trying to sell his steam engine invention to British mine owners to pump water out of mines and he wanted to explain in some vivid way what the engine would do.

COWS OF TOMORROW JUST MILK MACHINES

The cow of tomorrow will be lucky if she ever gets a look at the green fields, observes a Los Angeles correspondent in the Detroit News.

The production of milk has been reduced to a very mechanical operation and the cow's life will consist of an amble three times a day from her stall to a revolving milking platform and then back to her stall. The animal is kept so immaculately clean that her sisters of the fields would not be able to recognize her.

It is the latest method of producing milk and is based on the observations of a group of scientific men who have given much thought to the subject and the new method has been in operation for a time at one of the plants of a well-known company specializing on super clean milk for baby's use.

The cow is released from her stall and she walks along a tile-coated corridor to a revolving platform which accommodates 50 animals. As the platform revolves the animal is washed and then dried in a current of warm air and given other attentions to assure her perfect sanitary cleanliness. After this she is milked by machinery.

By the time the great turntable makes a complete revolution the operation has been completed. The cow is automatically released and she steps from the moving platform and back to her stall. Her drinking water is sterilized and her food is analyzed and electricity supplies a substitute for the deficient sunlight.

Speed of Light Is Over 186,000 Miles a Second

The speed of light is something over 186,000 miles a second and there are 3,000 seconds in an hour. This explains why light velocity is not measured with a stopwatch and why most people will consider it practically instantaneous, as the ancients did.

It was not until 1676 that the Danish astronomer Roemer discovered that light, while it had a tremendous speed, was not instantaneous. He did not have apparatus to measure time in hundred-thousandths of seconds as Michelson did, or for that matter even anything like a modern stopwatch. Roemer had to depend, therefore, on long-period estimates of time, in weeks and months, to get great accuracy in mere seconds. And he had to use distances measured in millions of miles. Actually, Roemer discovered the fact that eclipses of the satellites of the planet Jupiter did not occur at the regularly predicted times. The eclipses occurred earlier or later than the calculated times depending on whether the earth and Jupiter were on the same or on opposite sides of the sun. The discrepancy was due to the interval of time necessary for the light to travel across the earth's orbit, a distance of nearly 186,000,000 miles.

The second determination of the velocity of light was made by Bradley in 1728. He did not work with the planets of Jupiter, but discovered the phenomenon called aberration in which certain stars seemed to shift their position at various times. He explained the aberration by taking into account that light has a finite velocity and the motion of the earth in its orbit about the sun.—New York Herald Tribune.

Telephones in India

India, with a population of about 55,000,000, has only 57,000 telephones in use, or one to 6,300 of its people, according to a recent commerce report. This backwardness in the 50 years of telephone development since the introduction of 235 instruments in 1883 is due chiefly to the poverty of the masses. About 250,000,000 persons have an annual income too small to pay for the rental of a telephone. Another difficulty in the way of telephone expansion is the fact that there are 220 separate languages in British India.

BRIEF BITS

Inspiration is an express train of thought.

It's better to be dressed up than dressed down.

A gasbag is often punctured by a pointed remark.

When a woman looks her age she tries to overlook it.

The average backer of horses learns his lesson bet by bet.

People who live in modern flats have no room for complaint.

Silk stockings usually give a girl a good run for her money.

Not very many men dress neatly, but still there are a tidy few.

A 50-Foot Wind Tunnel

At the national physical laboratory at Teddington, England, a high-pressure wind tunnel has been built, says the Technology Review. It is 50 feet long, has an internal diameter of 17 feet and is about 2 1/2 inches thick. In this 350-ton steel drum a 60-mile wind can be created in air that is compressed at 350 pounds pressure.

She Should Know

"Peggy has good cause to be vain of her beauty, but she isn't."
"How sweet! But how do you know she isn't?"
"She told me so."

Beagle Hound Has Nerve to Battle Any Wildcat

The beagle hound has had a rough row to hoe. He started as the offspring of a little, low and a big, tall dog, and the result was not very pretty to look at, observes a writer in the Detroit News. Out of this beginning came the beagle with straight legs, symmetrical body, kindly eyes, a record for friendliness unbroken by years of hard work, and a disposition that will in the years to come make him the sweetheart of every country where working dogs are used.

A beagle's main occupation in life is hunting rabbits. He has nerve enough to tackle a wildcat and is extensively used for that purpose in California. The beagle can master any trick that any other breed can be taught to perform, his physical capabilities considered. He will sleep in bed with the youngsters or out in the snow, uncomplainingly. He will watch a home with the certainty of an infallible burglar alarm.

When mealtime comes he'll take what's offered him and like it. He'll go into a battle that he's sure to lose and come out cut and bruised, but without a whimper.

The beagle will work from morning till night without food and drop dead game undamaged at your feet. In America the beagle is 15 inches or under in height. In England he may grow to 16 inches without losing caste. In both countries, in districts where hunting is carried on, he is almost all the dogs wrapped up in one package. In short, he performs all the functions of a dutiful lapdog without losing any of his many accomplishments as an ambitious and expert field animal.

Mound Builders Furnish One of Greatest Puzzles

A long sought but never found link between the celebrated mound-building Indians of the Ohio valley and another race of mound builders who lived in what is now the state of Louisiana, is in possession of the Smithsonian Institution. It is an almost intact clay pot, uncovered in the construction of a city park in Marksville, La. One side of the clay relic has a design typical of the southern mound builders. The reverse side has a design associated with the culture of the mound builders of the Ohio valley.

The mound builders were a race of people which preceded the nomad-type Indians which the first white man found on this continent. It has long been impossible to establish a link between them and the known Indian tribes. When they first came to America, or when and how they became extinct is still a mystery.

Hawaii's Population

Discovering Hawaii in 1778, Captain Cook took a long guess and placed the population at 400,000. In 1823 American missionaries estimated there were 142,000 inhabitants. The first census in 1832 showed the population to be 130,313. By 1878 the number of natives had dwindled to 40,088. In 1910, the total was 26,041 and by 1925 it had dropped to just above the 20,000 mark. Against the day when pure native blood will no longer run in the islands, Hawaii is preserving a living record of its ancient culture and customs. A fanal village has been built in the heart of the Waikiki district where from time to time native Hawaiians go through the ceremonies of their ancestors.

History of Hungarians

Little is known of the history of the Hungarians previous to their appearance in Europe in 884. They are generally believed to be the descendants of the Scythians, and to have come from regions about the Caspian sea. They first settled along the Middle Volga, but, having been pressed westward, they in 889 crossed the Carpathian mountains under Almos, and under the further leadership of his son Arpad they conquered the ancient Pannonia and Dacia of the Romans; and this, their new country, was in the year 1000 formed into a regular kingdom by Stephen.

Committee for the Nation

The Committee for the Nation is an organization of business men who are interested in securing the adoption of certain government policies and legislation which they believe to be for the good of the nation. In spite of its name, however, this committee has no official connection with the United States government. It was formed during the first part of the year but became active only with the beginning of the present administration. It had an original membership of 100 persons which has greatly increased.

Pulitzer Prizes

One doesn't compete for the Pulitzer prizes. The poetry award, according to the will of the late Joseph Pulitzer, is made for the best book of verse by an American author published during the year. Usually the publisher submits to the committee awarding the prizes what he considers the best book of verse he has published during the current year. The committee then is the judge, and the awards are announced some time in the spring.

The Spearman Reporter One Year For One Dollar

To the People of Hansford County

In asking your vote and influence in this coming election, for the office of COUNTY and DISTRICT CLERK, I feel that having served you in this capacity for a number of years, and being familiar with all the duties of these offices makes me better qualified than ever before to serve you.

Since I have been serving you in this office it has been my sincere desire to give you honest, efficient service, and the help, kindness and consideration, the good people of this county have shown to me have meant more to me than I am able to tell you in mere words.

And if you will kindly consider my qualifications and my past record as your Clerk, and as a citizen of your county, and can lend me your support, I shall greatly appreciate it.

I thank you,

J. E. Womble

Normal Times: The normal form of the... of the fed... of the political sub... the securities... private corpora... forms of money... represent ac... in other words... the past that was... requirements. In... immediate possessor... personally ren... either inherited... the nature of a...

Whale Tongue: The whale, though huge... the killer... of the ocean, and its... of cetacean which... of teeth in both... a writer in the Mon... hunt in packs... than a match for... of sperm whale... an Antarctic explorer... the whale's side. Two... attack its jaws until... assunder. They then... which will fre... as much as four tons... prey to die. The... that he has seen... to twelve killers come... and leap six feet out... to discover wheth... were basking on it. If... would dive under... the ice, and collect... If they were of com... would soon be... in numbers, but they... they worthless and thus... complete immunity from...

Man as a Fireman: In 1733, that Ben... published in his paper... Gazette, the first of... on fires in the city... their causes and origins... the need of organized... combating them. The... forming a company" re... establishment in Decem... Philadelphia's first or... volunteer firemen—the... company, with Franklin's... Volunteer fire com... their own for almost a... half. Even after Phila... to be a great metropol... property holders were still... these semisocial organi... anonymous history. It was... that civic reformers... in establishing a paid... department.

Leprosy in Hawaii: These are charged with the... of leprosy in the Hawaiian... was unknown there before... 1822, no less than 4,000... reported on the islands... the disease by segregat... in the famous leper set... Molokai were only par... tial, although much has... the way of relief. It... nearly all parts of Cen... North America, and in certain... South America. That it... geographic boundaries is... the fact that there have... in Louisiana and Cali... New Brunswick.

Hair Worms: These are objects of curiosity... those who know their hab... to people unaccustomed... them. The life-history of... is by no means com... known that the eggs are... and that the young... their lives as free mov... which enter the bodies... insects, which in turn are... After a time they are... of the fish's stomachs are... After this, little is known... are found as parasites in... of various kinds, such as... grasshoppers, crickets, etc... and polonias.

Voodoo Has Disappeared From Haunts of Negroes
Voodoo, or hoodoo, as most of the ignorant negroes called it, was a mixture of witchcraft and primitive religion that held a sizable proportion of our black people in its grip for many years and up almost to recent times, declares a writer in the Chicago Tribune. Voodoo has disappeared from many places where it once was a flourishing evil. Here and there in isolated regions of the south it is said that Voodoo rites still are practiced under cover; but though the bulk of the negro population has been educated away from this form of savagery, many of the superstitious beliefs of voodoo still are clung to by the black people.

Voodoo meant everything to the negro of the south. It was first of all his religion, and it included conjuring, sorcery, the making of charms and effigies, the casting of spells, the healing of the sick, and the raising of the dead. Throughout the south the druggists of the cities and the towns always kept on hand adequate supplies of snake-root, sassafras, lodestone, brimstone, asafoetida, resin, and bluestone, to sell to the conjuring doctors and the voodoo priestesses for the making of charms. It would require a large book to begin to tell of all of the strange practices of the priests and priestesses of voodoo. No man or woman ever has lived who has had a complete understanding of this strange institution's many ramifications. The lucky rabbit foot and the breast bone of a chicken are a part of voodoo, just as was the worship of the serpent and the drinking of goat's blood.

Irish Terrier Is Ready for Any Kind of Battle
The Irish terrier is one of the most rugged of all terriers. And he seems thoroughly aware of this attribute. While generally good-tempered with humans, he is ever ready for trouble if the challenge is made. Stout hearted and game to the death, he asks no quarter. He stands ever on guard between his master and all that threatens him. Active, lithe and quick in movement, with great animation, he is sturdy and strong in substance and bone structure, void of clumsiness and possessed of speed, power and endurance.

Its speedy legs, moderately long and well set from the shoulders, are perfectly straight with plenty of bone and muscle, and free from feathering. They are covered with hair similar in texture, but not so long as that on the body. Both the fore and hind legs move straight forward when traveling; the elbows working clear of the sides. Beneath the dense wiry coat is another coat of finer and softer hair of different color, known as the undercoat. The outer coat, more harsh on the back than on the sides of the body, lies so close that it does not alter the outline of the body.

Horse Speediest Animal
No animal is known to have exceeded the speed attained by the horse. Instantaneous photographs of one famous specimen showed the full length of one complete stride of about 26 feet. In the stride of the fastest racers the hind quarters and limbs are raised considerably higher than the shoulders, and from this relatively great height are brought downward and forward, widely separated from each other, to avoid striking the fore legs. The hare has not in reality the speed of the dog. The dog, on the other hand, does not attain the speed of the horse. The giraffe is said to run at the rate of 15 yards per second under the most favorable conditions. The elephant going at the rate of two yards a second, carries a weight approximating that carried by six horses.

The Pomeranian
Originally much larger, the Pomeranian has, through years of careful selective inbreeding, been reduced in size and fixed to the miniature type. Classification by weights places him in two groups; above or below eight pounds. Under the standard, allowable colors are white, black, blue or gray, brown, sable, shaded sable, red-orange, fawn, and parti-colors. Fancliers claim him an excellent pet, a cleanly house dog and useful as small guards. His affection for the master has often been known to be so great in some individuals of the breed, that they refuse mating or even association with other animals.

Shoes Weather Prophets
Because poorly tanned leather shrinks as the humidity increases before a rain, shoes are true prophets of wet weather. As the shoes shrink, they pinch the wearer's feet. An authority says that the school of involuntary weather prophets, who predict the approach of a storm because their feet hurt, could be eliminated if the leather in their shoes was properly treated. When persons suffer bodily fatigue, mental irritability or general discomfort without apparent cause, their shoes may be to blame.

Chinese Invented Spaghetti
Macaroni, spaghetti and similar "pastes" are considered by the general public as a typical and peculiarly Italian food, and Italy is probably entitled to the credit for her early appreciation of their virtues and her fidelity to them after adoption. But the history credits their invention to the Chinese and their European introduction to the Germans.

A FEW SMILES

Oh, Mister Farley!
A—Why the hole in your door?
B—That's for circular letters.

Time Saver
"Do you get much time for motoring?"
"No; they just fine me."

Can He Take It?
"You must admit I have horse sense."
"Well, it isn't human intelligence."

Another Error
"I hear she married beneath her."
"Yes, he plays a very wretched game of golf."

Dad May Know
"What's the feminine of bachelor, dad?"
"Lady-in-waiting, my son."

Thirty Below
"Tom, all the pipes are frozen!"
"Well, thank goodness they can't leak now."

Old Crab
Asco—How is old Dubson's credit?
CutaJar—It's no good. He always pays cash for everything.

Modernistic Fellow
"That fellow owes me fifty dollars."
"And won't he pay it?"
"He won't even worry about it."

Favorite Actress
Catherine—What is her new play about?
Kathryn—About ten gowns in three acts.

Noisy
"Josephine had a quiet wedding, didn't she?"
"How could she? She had to be there, didn't she?"—Pathfinder Magazine.

WHERE 70 WEALTHY MEN WILL NOT TALK

Seventy wealthy and learned men are secluded in a monastery at Coalville, England, vowed to silence for life.

Situated in the heart of Charnwood forest, Leicestershire, Mount St. Bernard's monastery is the only Trappist abbey in Britain, and its monks include doctors, musicians and business men. Only for prayers and hymns do they break their vocal silence. Conversation is the greatest sin that can be committed at the monastery. Signs are used, even to the extent of cracking jokes.

The monks rise at 2:30 a. m. and sing Matins and Lauds until 6:30, when they take a bowl of tea and bread. The next meal is at noon, when lentil soup and vegetables with milk or coffee are consumed. The third meal, at 7 p. m., is similar, but more sparing than lunch. Meat and fish are forbidden. The monks retire at 9, having spent the intervening hours in agricultural work, prayers and meditation.

18-Year-Old Rose Found
Hutchinson, Kan., has a "last rose of summer" that has survived eighteen years and is still intact, says the Topeka Daily Capital. A cemetery caretaker at Hutchinson recently was breaking up concrete taken from an old building and applying it to a road when a rosebud, in perfect state of preservation, fell from a piece of the cement. The bud had been encased in the concrete eighteen years ago. It retained its original color and even a faint odor still lingered. Small twigs, branches and leaves also encased with the rose were as green as though they had just been cut.

Read Print Through Nickel
Nickel has been made in such thin sheets that it is possible to read print through five thicknesses of the metal placed a few millimeters apart. These nickel sheets were displayed at a Royal Albert hall, London, during a recent exhibition. The thin sheets were made by electro-depositing nickel upon copper and then plating copper upon nickel—a nickel sandwich. The copper was then dissolved away, leaving the nickel. Copper was required on both sides to equalize the stresses caused during the dissolving of the copper, which might have ruptured the nickel film.—Scientific American.

American Girl Taller
Stateliness, as well as curves, is becoming a distinguishing characteristic of the American girl, statisticians have discovered. The average woman of today, they announce, is three inches taller than the girl of 1893. Diet, rather than style is responsible, according to an expert. Specifically, he attributed the development to an improved knowledge of diets enjoyed by modern girls, which has contributed to the lessening of nervous disorders.

Neighbors' Fault
Wife—I wonder why we can't save anything?
Husband—The neighbors are always doing something we can't afford.

No Change
"Well, dad, I just ran up to say hello."
"Too late, son. Your mother ran up to say hello, and got all my change."

The Correct Answer
"When is the best time for a girl to marry?" she asked.
"When her father is making enough to support a son-in-law," he replied.

More than 300 people have paid their subscription to the Spearman Reporter the past thirty days because they wanted to take advantage of the half price BARGAIN. THE REPORTER ONE YEAR FOR ONE DOLLAR

REVIVAL

At the METHODIST CHURCH
sponsored by
The Young People of the Church
conducted by
Rev. Homer Vanderpool
Evangelist of Goodwell, Okla.
Assisted by Charlie Morris, song leader, and Cecil Tune, pianist, of Lamesa, Texas.

Open Air Services
on the church lawn will be held each evening at 8:00 P. M.
Everyone urged to attend. And to cooperate with the young people in making the meeting a success.
Begins Friday July 20th --- continues through July 29th.

Lynn Pack's Market

NOW OPEN

We wish to announce to the public the opening of Lynn Pack's Market, under the management of Lynn Pack, an experienced meat cutter. It will be the custom of this market to handle only the finest grade of fresh and cured meats at prices you can afford to pay. Visit our market for the finest of meats.

Located in Hays building, next to Floyd Hays Barber Shop
Will Appreciate Your Business
"The Home of Better Meats"

CHURCHES

Church of Christ

Program for the week beginning Sunday, July 15th.
 Bible School 10 a. m.
 Preaching 11:00 a. m.
 Young People's Bible Classes 7:30 p. m.
 Preaching 8:30 p. m.
 Mid-Week Bible Classes 8:30 p. m., Thursday.
 You are invited to come and worship with us.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Preaching 11 a. m.
 Intermediate League 7 p. m.
 Preaching 8:30 p. m.
 Senior Young People 9:15 p. m.
 Both W. M. S. meet Wednesday afternoon.
 Prayer Meeting-Bible Study on Wednesday night.

The harvest is about over now and there should be a decided increase in the church attendance and all departments of the church move upward. Quite a number of people attended services Sunday who had been absent for some time—get back regularly in the services now, member, for you need the church and the church needs you.

Presiding Elder Hinds brought a good message Sunday night to the satisfaction of all who were present. He held the conference immediately after the sermon of the evening. The reports were fair—but the financial report was left open for ten days in order for the church to bring up a full report to date—it can be done and we are expecting everyone to do his part.

The young people are sponsoring a meeting which will begin the 20th of this month. This doesn't mean that the adults have no responsibility—but it means that each and everyone is expected to do what he can to make it a big success. The preacher employed to lead in this campaign is a "live wire," in the person of Homer Vanderpool of Oklahoma. He is college pastor at Goodwell, Oklahoma. He has had great success as pastor since coming to Goodwell, in reaching the young life in the town and college. We invite

all denominations to cooperate with us in this campaign.

We invite you to worship with us Sunday in all of the services of the day.
 H. A. Nichols, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH

"That in all things He might have the preeminence." Col. 1:18

CHRIST'S PLACE IN THE WORLD'S LIFE.

The poet expressed it this way: Then stayed His fervid wheels, and in his hand He took the golden compasses prepared In God's eternal store to circumscribe This universe and all created things.

"He that cometh from above is above all," is the way the bible describes it. "ABOVE ALL" in the midst of chaos there emerged a figure that became the center of all things. We will study about Him Sunday morning.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON
 The Stratton Quartet from Borger, together with other singers will be with us for an afternoon singing.

SUNDAY NIGHT
 Just plain Gospel Preaching will be the order of the evening.

AN APPEAL TO ALL BAPTISTS
 Most earnestly do we request your presence with us in all the services of the church Sunday.

Singing Sunday Afternoon 2:30 At Baptist Church

Everyone is invited and especially urged to attend the singing that will be held at the First Baptist Church in Spearman next Sunday afternoon July 15, at 2:30. Music lovers from all over the Panhandle are invited to bring their musical instruments and to render special selections at that time.

Among the musicians that will be present are: Bob Straton of Borger who will present a special trio from that city, the Melody Trio radio entertainers will be present and other noted musicians and musical organizations of the Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dietrich and Elaine and Miss Olive Williamson visited in the home of Mrs. Milo Blodgett and Mr. and Mrs. Archie King, Sunday evening. Mr. Dietrich's mother, who was visiting in the King home, returned home with him for a few weeks visit. Mrs. Blodgett and Mrs. King are sisters of Mrs. Dietrich.

Old Hansford News

Mesdames Wayne Wallace and Walter Good were Valley visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitts and James Williams attended the Anvil Park Rodeo at Canadian the Fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mitts and Mrs. Oran Davis visited in the Hendricks home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Williams and sons and Joe Williams visited in the Hendricks and Mitts homes on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitts were plum hunting Sunday.

Joe Williams who has been visiting in the O. J. Williams home for several weeks returned to his home at Godley, Texas Tuesday.

J. A. Ward was a Spearman visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hale were shopping in Spearman Tuesday.

Mrs. Ben Maize and daughter visited in the Hendricks home one day last week.

Jack Jacobs spent Sunday visiting Lewis Mitts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Robinson have moved to Spearman.

Hitchland News

Miss Susie James is visiting in Spearman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cline are moving to Hitchland, where they expect to make their home.

Misses Etta McComas, Ester Price and Mildred James were Guymon visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. French are the proud parents of a 9 1-2 pound baby girl, born July 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thoreson were Guymon visitors Sunday.

Arthur Thoreson is driving a new Chevrolet six.

H. D. Lewis purchased a new Chevrolet last week.

John Baker left for Arkansas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Cline were business callers in Guymon Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our thanks to the neighbors and friends who so faithfully gave us their sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during our recent bereavement. May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon each of you.

Mrs. W. Y. Williams and family. Mrs. E. E. Kenney and family.

Mrs. Ralph Trower of Amarillo was a Spearman visitor Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Wendon Benton and daughter, Miss Dorothy, will leave Monday by car for Nashville, Tennessee, to visit with friends and relatives at that place.

John O'Loughlin, son of Charles O'Loughlin of 210 Palisades Avenue, Santa Monica, California is visiting at the home of his uncle, Johnnie O'Loughlin, southeast of Spearman.

FOR SALE:—One Emerson one-way in good shape. See me at my farm 8 miles south and one east of Spearman.—H. M. She-deck.

LOST: International Tractor head, east of court house. Please leave at my place.—James R. Taylor. 1tp

The SPEARMAN REPORTER Will pay 5c. per pound for clean cotton rags.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and family were the dinner guests at the M. F. Barkley home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnes made a business trip to Perryton Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph McClellan visited in Spearman Tuesday.

Miss Iris Lieb was a Spearman visitor Wednesday of last week.

Stomach Gas

One dose of ADLERIK quickly relieves gas bloating, cleans out BOTH upper and lower bowels, allows you to eat and sleep good. Quick, thorough action yet gentle and entirely safe.

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Bankers Mortgage of Topeka

and will bid on any other building and loan stock.

Address: Box 10, care Spearman Reporter

to arrange for interview. Give all your information in first letter.

Making a Direct Appeal To the Voters of Hansford County

Nearly all the voters of Hansford County have been solicited by me for their vote and influence in the coming July Democratic Primary Election. It is difficult for me to say anything different from

what I have said to each of you individually, namely that I feel qualified to serve the citizens of this county in discharging the duties of the office I seek.

Place a Young Man In the CLERK'S OFFICE

Again I call your attention to the fact that I have been a life-long citizen of Hansford County, and have never before asked for public office. Practically all my experience since reaching maturity has been along the line of the office I seek. Give me an opportunity to serve you and I will pledge that no past County Official has ever tried

harder than I will to serve you. I have been in public office as a deputy under Sheriff H. L. Wilbanks, and many of you are familiar with the fact that I have always endeavored to be courteous and accommodating, and am always anxious to accommodate the customers of the office in which I work.

Place Your Vote With J. B. COOKE

Faithful Service, Qualified Training
 Courteous Treatment and Above All a candidate who will ever appreciate your vote and effort in the coming July Democratic Primary.

J. B. COOKE

Candidate For County and District Clerk

Your Vote and Influence is Respectfully Solicited in the Coming July 28 Democratic Primary

I sincerely believe that I am well qualified to discharge the duties of the office I seek, and am basing my appeal to the voters of Hansford county on the following logical appeal.

1. I need the position and income of the office I seek to maintain my home and family.
2. I have lived in Hansford county 7 years and have never asked the voters for and consideration or for any office.
3. I feel my past record in Government work and civic work in Hansford County, namely Red Cross work and other civic endeavors, will acquaint the public of the entire county of my willingness to attend to the work of the office I seek in a courteous and efficient manner.
4. I pledge to the voters, that if they see fit to give me this office, I will work faithfully in the very smallest of details to please the entire public and keep the records correctly.

In concluding this appeal for your vote, I wish to thank all of you in advance who vote for me, in the coming election. I sincerely appreciate the generous cooperation of all the people of the county in the public and the civic work I have been engaged in, whether you favor me with a vote or not.

MRS. J. B. PERRY

candidate for
County Treasurer
 Hansford County, Texas