

# THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

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## Early History By Mr. J. N. Frazier

This week the Reporter prints the first of a series of old Pioneer stories telling of some of the experiences of settlers in the pioneer days of Texas. The happenings occurred mostly in Parker County, Texas, and they were written by J. N. Frazier, who is the father of A. H. (Hugh) Frazier of Gruver. The Reporter is indebted to Mr. Frazier and Mr. Roney of Spearman for these articles. We feel sure you will like them.

Later on in the series of stories that are to be published, the names of several relatives of present Hansford county people will appear.

### JOHN N. FRAZIER WRITES OF EARLY DAYS IN PARKER

Editor the Home News:—Just a month ago I was taken sick and thinking it might be of some pleasure to my old friends to hear from me through The Home News, I will state that I am improving, though very slowly—only able to be out a little while at a time.

If you will allow me space in your paper I will give you a little sketch of my first experience with the Indians in the early days of Parker county. In 1863 my father and family were living on the Clear Fork, the place that Jake Elam now lives on. About the last of February, 1863, Prof. Cain started a little school at Old Goshen. My father started me to school one beautiful morning. Just about the time the pupils had gotten there and the teacher had taken up school and everything looked smooth and serene, an express rider galloped up in front of the school room door and reported that there were a great many Indians in the country near F. T. Belknap and coming this way. In a few moments several patrons of the school arrived and decided to dismiss the school. My father was on horseback. He rode about half way home, got down and put me on the horse, so I soon got some distance ahead of him. We were about one-half mile from home. I had gotten about one hundred yards ahead of him, and about one hundred yards to my right I saw two Indians—one horseback and one on foot. They were some timber between father and the Indians, he could not see them. I called to him, "Yonder are some Indians!" Then they began to get their bows and arrows in shape, so I galloped back to meet father and told him I had seen two Indians. I got back behind the saddle and father jumped on the horse. When they saw us they left the horse, after unbridling him, so we went on home. Father soon got a few men together and went back to where the horse was. They trailed the Indians into a briar thicket and soon lost the trail.

The word was narrated that the Indians were in the neighborhood that night. There were several families collected at Uncle Steve Erwin's. All brought their horses and put them in a green wheat pasture, and left the women and children at the house while the men guarded the horses. The men in the party were Sam Stinnett, Henry Roberts, Steve Erwin and Jack Fidler. About midnight there came up a shower of rain. Steve and Henry Roberts started to the house to get some wraps and left Stinnett and Fidler in a fence corner. It was supposed that the Indians saw them leave and believing they were all the men, they laid down the fence on one side of the horses. One herd of them together and they met and stopped in about 70 yards of where Stinnett and Fidler were when Stinnett said: "Jack, now is our time; I'll shoot the one on the right and you the one on the left." At the crack of Stinnett's gun his Indian fell dead. Fidler had not yet fired his gun.

### Hart-Noel Nuptial

Friends of Opal Hart and Cecil Noel will be interested to learn of their marriage which occurred on May 18th, at Dalhart, Texas. The wedding occurred at the home of the Methodist Pastor, Rev. George Palmer of that city, attended by Mr. and Mrs. Jess Edwards of Spearman, friends of the contracting parties.

Both the bride and groom are well known here, being prominent in the social life of the young folk. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. O. C. Dowdy, who is one of the pioneer citizens of this county, who lives on her farm near Morse, Texas. Cecil Noel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Noel of Pampa, Texas, who have oil interests in that section.

The newly married couple plan to make their home on a farm Southwest of Spearman.

F. C. Sumrall moved his family to Spearman from Goodwell last week. They will remain here through the summer.

Mrs. Wim. Deck was a Spearman visitor Tuesday of last week.

### Regulations Special Purchased

To raise the standard in the State of Texas, agricultural department a set of rules that will be effective in the purchase of all cities in the State.

That this new regulation will be enforced, it is expected that the price of cream will be increased as the regulations are enforced.

Letter forwarded to the department, Wendt explains the regulations that will be effective in the future:

Creamerymen's Association should be formed and home demonstration material which detail the steps to produce No. 1 cream, receive this material within two weeks.

Regulations is from the State of Agriculture to raise the grades.

shall be defined as having not more than acidity and shall have objectionable flavors and shall not have less than 25 percent butterfat.

shall be a premium of not less than 25 cents per pound above the No. 1 cream.

shall be a difference of three cents per pound over the sweet cream above the No. 1 cream.

shall not be purchased unless the manufacturer receive a shipment which shall call upon the officer to pass on and if condemned by him shall be destroyed per thereof shall be with the loss sustained.

shall be required to cool by the use of spraying equipment or held for shipment and premises clean and sanitary condition and all times meet the requirements of the State Health Department in regard to sanitation.

L. Thomas, R. Eudaly, Extension Dairymen.

Quillen Archer, of last week visiting in his sister, Mrs. Bill Morton of Panhandle to Spearman.

of Shamrock was a visitor Monday of this week.

## Spearman Merchants Lose To Booker Sunday May 27th

With a score of 7 to 2, the Spearman Merchants ball team lost to Booker Sunday.

It was a good game and both Sheets and Riley pitched a good ball. Booker got the breaks throughout the game and likewise ended with the big end of the score. The local team will meet the Perryton team here Sunday.

Spearman	AB	R	H	O
Owens rf	4	1	1	0
Widom ss	4	0	1	3
Riley 3b	4	1	1	2
Cator 1b	4	0	1	2
Mitts 1b. c.	4	0	0	10
Lynch cf.	2	0	0	1
Roach cf.	2	0	0	0
Shell c. 1-b.	4	0	0	5
Vasey 2b.	4	0	0	1
Jacobs lf.	2	0	1	0
Sheets p.	1	0	0	0
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	35	2	5	24

Booker	AB	R	H	O
C. Devers 3b.	4	0	1	0
Cartwright ss.	4	0	1	0
Mitchell 1b.	4	2	0	14
Teeter p.	4	0	0	0
J. Devers rf.	4	2	0	1
Titinger cf.	3	2	0	1
Berkey cf.	1	0	0	0
Garten c.	3	1	1	10
McElroy lf.	3	1	1	0
W. Toliver lf.	3	0	1	0
Schuster 2b.	3	2	1	0
Adams 2b.	0	0	0	0
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	33	7	5	27

Battery, Spearman, Riley, Sheets, Shell, Mitts; Booker, Teeter and Garten.

Spearman 200 000 000—2  
Booker 010 300 00—7

## New Issue of Federal Mortgage Corporation

Houston, May 30.—A new issue of Federal Farm mortgage corporation bonds, bearing interest at the rate of three per cent per annum will be used in closing loans by the Federal Land Bank and Land Bank Commissioner, according to Albert C. Williams, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston and general agent of the Farm Credit Administration. The new bonds are dated May 15, 1934, callable in not less than ten years from date of issue and mature in fifteen years.

Prior to May 21, bonds of the first issue bearing 3-4 per cent interest, were used for closing loans.

Mr. Williams said that Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation bonds are issued in denominations of \$100, \$500 and \$1,000; are fully and unconditionally guaranteed as to both principal and interest by the United States government; are as readily marketable as United States government bonds. They are exempt from all Federal, State, municipal and local taxation (except surtaxes, and estate inheritance, and gift taxes); are lawful security for 15-day borrowings by member banks of the Federal Reserve System; are lawful investments, and may be accepted as security for all fiduciary, trust and public funds of which the deposit or investment is under the authority or control of the government and bear interest rates to provide the investor with returns comparable to those received on United States Government long term bonds.

The proceeds of loans closed by the Federal Land Bank and the Land Bank Commissioner have been disbursed in bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation since March 26, except for funds needed to pay taxes and certain other items for which creditors cannot accept bonds," Mr. Williams said.

### Rev. A. F. Loftin Completes Year's Work At Baptist Church

Rev. A. F. Loftin who came to Spearman from Carmen, Oklahoma has completed his first year's work in Spearman, and will preach his anniversary sermon at 10 o'clock on Sunday at the Baptist church in the morning. Rev. Loftin is holding a meeting at Holt this week and asks that this publication announce the regular services at the Baptist church.

### Former Pastor To Hold Revival At First Baptist Church

Former pastor of the First Baptist Church, J. H. Richards will hold a series of revival services at the local Baptist church, beginning the second Sunday in June, which is June 10th. Rev. Richards is now located near Waco, where he has his daughter Mac Richards and son Dawson in school at Baylor University.

Misses Lorene, Lois and Betty Jean Morton visited in Dumas over the week end. Betty Jean stayed a longer visit with relatives.

## 600 Citizens Attend Annual Stockholders' Meeting At Morse

Some 600 Hansford county citizens gathered at Morse, Texas, Tuesday, May 29th to attend the annual meeting of the stockholders.

While the crowd gathered the music of the Morse band was enjoyed. The day was officially opened by the welcome address by Supt. J. B. Speer and response was made by Mr. R. A. Fuller. Rev. E. J. Norman spoke the invocation and the meeting was in order. Minutes were read and approved and the roll call answered.

The keynote address was made by Mr. E. N. Puckett of Enid, Oklahoma who came to Morse for the occasion by airplane. The response to his talk was made by County Attorney and Lawyer of The Union Equity, of Enid Oklahoma. The audit report of the Spearman Equity Exchange was heard from Auditor Robert Douglas of Spearman.

Other talks were made by Mr. W. B. Dennison, President of the Perryton Equity Exchange and Mr. Woodward, manager of same. In the business session the matter of electing two members on the board to fill the positions vacated by retiring members W. M. Deck and T. I. Harbord was discussed, but due to the fact that a quorum of members not being present (lacking two) it was agreed that under the custom and by-laws that they should continue in that capacity through necessity for the ensuing year. After other minor business was dispensed with the meeting adjourned.

A big free barbecue was served at the noon hour, having been prepared by Masters of the Art George N. Reed and Joe Close.

## Farm Credit Unit Does Tremendous Business

As the Farm Credit Administration rounds out its first year's work Production Credit Commissioner S. M. Garwood reports that the farmers' production credit associations, which were organized last winter and began to do business in volume in April, have handled about \$44,500,000 of spring financing.

"The associations have advanced \$27,300,000 of this amount," Mr. Garwood said, "and the balance of \$17,200,000 has been allocated to the accounts of borrowers. Most of the balance goes to farmers who are getting their loans in a series of payments during the season, so they will have the money when they need it and meanwhile save on interest charges."

"Most of the loans made this spring have been for crop production," Mr. Garwood continued, and while the spring seasonal demand for crop production loans has now passed its peak, the gradual increase in the size of loans indicates that farmers and stockmen are turning their attention to livestock loans and loans for general farming purposes.

"The extremely low cost of money this spring is very encouraging to new agricultural financing. The production credit association have been able to reduce the interest rates on new loans to 5 per cent; and this factor is enabling many farmers to get loans who up until now have postponed the purchase of needed work-stocks, horses, equipment, machinery, repairs and improvements."

### Mrs. T. P. Tackitt Honored Wednesday

Mrs. D. M. Jones entertained the Ladies Home Missionary Society and several other ladies in her home on South Hazelwood Street, Wednesday afternoon, May 23rd.

The occasion was a surprise for her mother, Mrs. T. P. Tackitt, who is visiting here from Utah.

While the honoree was admiring the beautiful roses brought to her and visiting with friends, a box containing many lovely and useful gifts was placed in her lap.

After an hour of conversation and visiting, refreshments consisting of iced grape juice and cake were served to the following: Mrs. W. D. Cooke, H. A. Nichols, Robt. Meek, R. W. Morton, R. L. McClellan, J. D. Hester, A. P. Barkley, P. A. Lyon, L. A. McClellan, John Bishop, J. E. Womble, Redus, W. R. Finley, L. M. Buchner, John Longley, R. F. Dennis, James Sparks, John Gossett, T. P. Tackitt, L. C. Hengdrix, H. E. Campfield and the hostess, Mrs. D. M. Jones. Children present were: Donnie Buchner, Chester Jones and Dixie Ruth Buchner.

Mrs. J. S. Caldwell and Mrs. Leslie Smith were unable to attend but sent lovely gifts.

The guests departed after wishing for Mr. and Mrs. Tackitt, their daughter Juanita and son Allen a pleasant and safe return to their home in Utah. They plan to leave Tuesday morning.

## Mr. Noe Don't Know He May Win The Big Hansford Lie Contest

I. F. Noe, only Republican left in Hansford County may be the winner of the Hansford County lie contest, and he didn't even enter. The thing that makes his chance of winning the contest so convincing is the fact that he tells his story for the truth. Here it is:

"A few weeks ago when there had not been any rain in this country for so long that the turtles in Palo Duro creek had expired for lack of moisture, my boy found a little mud puddle about 20x25 feet upon the bank away from the creek bed, where he heard a terrible splash. He found out the puddle was full of water, mud and fish. The boy rushed up to a neighbors house a mile away, borrowed a garden rake and brought home fifty-five cat fish, all measuring about 12 inches in length. Henry Reid of Morse heard about the place and finished the day by bringing back a big bran sack full of fish.

In view of the fact that there had not been any water there about for so long, I calculate that the high winds of the few weeks prior to the date the fishing was staged, picked up the fish and landed them in the slight mud hole where they were caught."

The above are just about the words used by Mr. Noe in relating the above instance.

## Relief Work Limited As Enter Harvest Season

Relief work, which local people had hoped would open up this month in order that more work could be done on highway 88 projects, has been limited to minor projects such as sewing and gardening.

## 261 Scouts Attend Camp-O-Rall At Near To Nature Park

Some twenty troops of the Adobe Walls Council gathered at Near To Nature Park on Monday and Tuesday of this week for the Annual Camp-O-Rall. Approximately 261 Scouts and Scout Masters were in attendance. The Spearman troop took first place in fire building.

The two days were made up of swimming, hiking and general outdoor sports.

## Father Of Local Teacher Dies At Perryton Hospital

French Lawrence, 58, father of Miss Verna Lawrence, teacher in the Spearman High School, died of pneumonia at a Perryton hospital Thursday night, May 24th, 1934. He was a prominent citizen and successful farmer. He located in Ochiltree county in 1907, coming there from Missouri. He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Misses Verna, Okla Mae and Ruth, also by his brother, Eeton Lawrence of Perryton, and other brothers and sisters who live in Missouri. Burial was held in the Ochiltree cemetery.

## Lions Met With Scouts At N. T. N. Park

Spearman Lions Club members held their regular Tuesday noon meeting with the Spearman troop of Boy Scouts at N. T. N. Park Monday night. The Lions were the guests of the Scouts and viewed the Scout program for Monday evening. A bountiful picnic lunch was served on the camp grounds.

## Wheat Allotment Board Asks Farmers

Jay Jones, President of the Hansford County Wheat Allotment Board, stated that farmers having excess acreage of wheat were urged to have the excess amount already plowed up before the wheat inspectors measure the land. As it only means that the wheat land must be measured again after the wheat is plowed up and if the excess is previously plowed up before the inspectors measure the land one measuring will suffice.

## FINE TOMATOES ALREADY

A reporter from this paper plucked and ate the last tomato from a vine grown in a bucket in the window of County Clerk J. E. Womble's office.

The history of the tomato is indeed an interesting one. Early in Spring when Mrs. Womble was reporting some house plants she obtained the soil from her garden. In doing this she must have picked up a tomato seed that had remained in the soil during the winter. Soon a tomato plant flourished in one of the flower pots and it was transplanted in a bucket and allowed to continue its growth, until now it has had full sized ripe tomatoes on it.

"The incident isn't unusual a bit," says George Wilson who operates a green house in Perryton. "I have a few tomato vines in my green house that have produced as high as 30 pounds of tomatoes each this year," he added.

## D. V. B. School Attendance Nears The Two Hundred Mark

Attendance of the Daily Vacation Bible School sponsored by several of the churches of Spearman is nearing the two-hundred mark at the third day of the session. The school will continue throughout this and next week. A picnic will be held Thursday and the graduation night will be Friday evening.

## Consumers Sales Company Stockholders Met At Court House Monday

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Consumers Sales Company was held at the court house in Spearman on Monday of this week. The managers report of the business was heard and approved. A quorum of the stockholders not being present the board of the directors of the company were unchanged.

Reports of the past year's business revealed that business had been exceptionally good considering adversities of conditions.

## Rev. A. F. Loftin In Meeting At Holt School

Rev. A. F. Loftin, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Spearman, is conducting a series of revival services at the Holt Community this week. Services are held each evening at 8:30. Some seven conversions had been made up to Tuesday night of this week.

## Emil Knutson Buys Deisel Type Tractor From Spearman Firm

What is likely the largest farm power tractor that has ever been shipped to Hansford County was purchased last week by Emil Knutson from Spearman Hardware. The tractor is the latest type McCormick Deering Deisel type tractor, capable of pulling ten listers. The tractor burns the lowest grade fuel and Mr. Knutson expects to use the large power unit to an advantage on his large wheat acreage.

## Paul Pittman Accepts Position With The Merritt Dry Goods

Paul Pittman, brother of E. Pittman of Spearman, has accepted a position with Merritt Dry Goods Company, and will assist Mr. Merritt with the duties of the store. Paul has been employed at Burl's Cafe until he resigned to take the position with the Spearman popular Dry Goods firm.

## Womble Hardware Sells Nearly Two Car Loads John Deere Tractors

According to A. L. Barkley, member of the Womble Hardware firm, their company have sold more than a carload and a half of the popular John Deere Tractors this season.

## Ten Spearman Cubs Initiated Saturday At Perryton Meet

Ten Cubs from the Spearman Lions Club trod the rough and rugged road path that was first blazed by Daniel, of the Lion Den fame, or at least that was what the candidates for initiation were told when they were greeted by the crack Perryton Initiation team.

Prior to the initiation of candidates, Lions from Perryton, Follett Spearman and Higgins met at the Black Hotel for a banquet and impromptu program. This section of the night's entertainment was featured by dealing misery to Tail Twister Bill Miller who was assigned to bring the ten Spearman candidates to Perryton properly shackled and subdued. Miller arrived in Perryton with plenty of rope but without the candidates, who outwitted him.

In addition to the ten candidates from Spearman, four were initiated from Perryton and one from Follett.

## Cream Buyers Attend School At Perryton

E. K. Snider, J. M. Cates and Albert Jacobs attended a special school of instructions held at Perryton last Friday, for the purpose of familiarizing cream buyers with the new tests and rules governing buying cream in the State of Texas. Twenty-two cream buyers from over this section of the Panhandle attended the school.

## RELIEF CASE WORK

Miss Lucille Buchanan and Mrs. May Jones was busy Monday of this week on case work in the communities of Oslo, Gruver and Hitchland. Case work consists of making a survey of the needy citizens of the county who are on or should be on the relief rolls.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE PICNIC SUNDAY

Members of the Epworth League from Perryton, Waka, Booker and Spearman met with the league at Gruver Sunday afternoon and went from there to Palo Duro Creek on the Lindsay place for a picnic.

Several delegates from the Spearman League will be sent to Young People's Assembly which convenes at Abilene soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gould of Hollis, Oklahoma are visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gould.

Mrs. Joe Combs of Hollis, Oklahoma is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Tice this week. Beattie Bryant Tice who has been attending school at Hollis accompanied Mrs. Combs and will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Tice, during the summer months.

## HITCHLAND NEWS

The Hitchland boys went to Adams last week to play baseball. The score was 5 to 7 in favor of Adams. The same team will play the local team here next Sunday.

A nice crowd attended Sunday School Sunday.

Fifteen ladies attended the last meeting of the circle to quilt. How many will be present this week?

A number of people from this community attended the Murphy funeral in Guymon last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes from Colorado Springs are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. A. P. Atkins.

Ernest Dogly has taken over the management of the Knight Oil Station. It will be a modern service station in every respect when opened up.

Mrs. W. N. Fletcher and daughter Mrs. Winder Vega, Texas, and two grand daughters stopped for a short visit in Hitchland while enroute to Hooker, Oklahoma on a visit.

Several of the Hitchland young folks spent the evening in the country home of Bud McClanigan Sunday. Singing and guitar music furnished the entertainment.

C. A. and George Hitch was in Hitchland Monday on business.

Mrs. Etta McComas and Mrs. Susie James were Spearman visitors last week.

Miss Gene Britton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Britton returned from college to her home in Spearman. She has been attending college in Abilene, Texas.

Miss Wilma Pearson left last week for her home in Norman, Oklahoma.

Ted Daugherty is now working in Burl's Cafe in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Womble of Morse were Spearman visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Chambers and Mrs. Wilson Weed and little daughter returned to Spearman last week end. Mrs. Chambers had spent several weeks visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis of Mercedes, Texas and Mrs. Weed has visited friends in San Antonio.

Fifty two ladies responded to the invitation sent out by O. G. Collins to attend the Kelvinator school held last Tuesday at the American Legion Hall, with Mrs. Warren of Amarillo in charge. Many tasty dishes were made, and Mrs. Warren gave instructions on how to lay the table and serve a three course meal. Everyone enjoyed the school and at the close of the meeting a delicious frozen desert with Vanilla Wafers was served.

Mrs. J. E. Gerber has moved to her home in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper of Enid, Oklahoma visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Deaner. Mr. Cooper is Mrs. Deaner's brother.

Warden Thompson of Eldorado, Oklahoma was a business visitor in Spearman Friday of last week.

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**Inernational Sunday School Lesson**

By DR. J. E. NUNN

General Topic:

**JESUS IN THE SHADOW OF THE CROSS.**

Scripture Lesson: Matt. 26:31-46.

31. Then saith Jesus unto them, All ye are offended in me this night; for it is written, I will smite the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock shall be scattered abroad.

32. But after I am raised up, I will go before you into Galilee.

33. But Peter answered and said unto him, If all shall be offended in thee, I will never be offended.

34. Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, that this night, before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice.

35. Peter said unto him, Even if I must die with thee, yet I will not deny thee. Likewise said all the disciples.

36. Then cometh Jesus with them unto the place called Gethsemane, and saith unto his disciples, Sit ye here, while I go yonder and pray.

37. And he took with him Peter and the two sons of Zebedee, and began to be sorrowful and sore troubled.

38. Then saith he unto them, My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even unto death: abide ye here and watch with me.

39. And he went forward a little, and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, not as I will, but as thou wilt.

40. And he cometh unto the disciples, and findeth them sleeping, and saith unto Peter, What could ye not watch with me one hour?

41. Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.

42. Again a second time he went away, and prayed saying, My Father, if this cannot pass away, except I drink it, thy will be done!

43. And he came again and found them sleeping, for their eyes were heavy.

44. And he left them again, and went away, and prayed a third time, saying again the same words.

45. Then cometh he to the disciples, and saith unto them, Sleep on now, and take your rest: behold, the hour is at hand, and the Son of man is betrayed into the hands of sinners.

46. Arise, let us be going: behold, he is at hand that betrayeth me.

**Golden Text:** He went forward a little and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass away from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as thou wilt.—Matt. 26:39.

Time: Thursday, April 6, A. D. 30; the day before the crucifixion.

Place: Bethany, Jerusalem, the Mount of Olives.

Parallel Passages.—Mark 14; Luke 22, John 13:1-35, 14:1-18; 27.

**LESSON CONNECTION**

The larger lesson embraces the entire twenty-sixth chapter of Matthew, 75 verses in all. In the introductory paragraphs there are seven distinct fingerboards pointing to the cross:

First.—The prophecy of Jesus.—vs. 1, 2.

Second.—Plot of the Sanhedrin.—vs. 3, 5.

Third.—The anointing of Mary.—vs. 6, 13.

Fourth.—The Bargain of Judas.—vs. 14, 16.

Fifth.—The preparation of the Passover.—vs. 17, 19.

Sixth.—The designation of the betrayer.—vs. 20, 25.

Seventh.—The Institution of the Lord's Supper.—vs. 26, 30.

From the upper room where the Passover was observed and the Lord's Supper instituted Jesus and the Eleven near the midnight hour went out to Gethsemane at the foot of the Mount of Olives where the shadow of the cross hovered still deeper and darker about him.

**The Smitten Shepherd. v. 31**

"It is written, I will smite the shepherd," v. 31. The Shepherd himself was speaking. He had called himself the good Shepherd. He knew his sheep. He will be true to them to the end. He was also the Shepherd fulfilling. He knew his Bible. He quoted it to himself. Therefore he foresaw the Shepherd smitten. He had predicted it time and again. He had guided himself for the ordeal. Only thus could he save men from their sins. And yet he beheld the Shepherd surviving. The smiting would not destroy him. He knew and said that he would be raised up from the dead. And beyond his physical resurrection he saw the Shepherd leading his flock again. He would go before them into Galilee, v. 32.

**Jesus in Gethsemane.**

"Then cometh Jesus with them unto a place called Gethsemane, v. 36. From the Upper Room Jesus and the Eleven went out of the city and across the Brook Kidron and up the slope of Olivet a little way till they came to a place called Gethsemane. As they came to the entrance of the garden Jesus said unto eight of his disciples, 'sit ye here while I go yonder and pray.' Leaving eight apostles at the garden entrance Jesus entered the enclosure taking with him 'Peter and the

two sons of Zebedee," v. 37. As the four penetrated the deeper shadows of the garden Jesus "began to be sorrowful and sore troubled." He shrank naturally from the bitter cup. There was however much more than the physical dread and suffering. He could have endured that with stoic courage as myriads of others have done. But none other ever carried the stupendous moral weight of the world's sin. His sorrow was a sorrow of soul. Hence he said to the three closest to him, "My soul is crushed with anguish to the point of death; wait here and watch with me."—(Weymouth.) They could not go with him farther into the darkness. Let them abide just where they were. But also let them keep guard for soon the enemy would appear.

**Jesus Praying in Gethsemane.**

"Not My Will, But Thine Be Done."—Luke 22:42.

Out from the denser dark of the garden Jesus came back to where he had stationed Peter, James and John. He had bidden them to watch with him. Alas he found them sleeping. v. 40. Then the Master gave counsel which has come to us with equal force: "Watch and pray that ye enter not into temptation." The counsel was attended with compassion for Jesus said, "The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak." What a mantle of love he casts over the watchers who sleep on duty.

Back again went Jesus alone into the darkness. A second time he poured out his soul in prayer.

v. 42. The fetters of the flesh had now become weaker and the spirit emerged definitely toward triumph. "My Father, if this cannot pass away, except I drink it, thy will be done!" He returned to the three disciples and found them asleep again "for their eyes were heavy." He went once more and finally into the shadow of solitude. The same prayer was expressed in exactly the same words that he had used before. But he arrived at the stage of complete victory. The preliminary battle of Calvary was fought on Gethsemane. It was in the garden even more than on Golgotha that the divine sacrifice was made in the supreme resignation of Jesus to the atoning purpose of God.

**Jesus Ready For the Sacrifice. v. 46**

"Arise, let us be going: behold, he is at hand that betrayeth me."—v. 46. Deep as the darkness was within the garden and dense as the night shadows hovered about them there was a more dismal hour ahead of the little company. But at last Jesus was ready. Never did any other one show such consummate courage. Never did any other stand so grandly to make the supreme sacrifice. It was no time for his followers to sleep. "Arise," said he. "let us be going!" And they must have been startled as he added, "Here is my betrayer close at hand."—(Moffat.)

**"Thy Will Be Done"**

"Not as I will: the sound grows sweet

Each time my lips the words repeat

'Not as I will'; the darkness feels More safe than light when this thought steals

Like whispered voice to calm and bless

All unrest and loneliness."—Helen Hunt Jackson.

**THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON**

Curiously enough the most interesting political event under discussion in Washington at this writing is nothing that the Administration or Congress or anyone else had anything to do with. It is the drought in the wheat and corn belts.

The drought is political in its effects, because it has apparently done what the Administration has been attempting to do by political methods; that is, reduce the supply of grain to avert a surplus and raise the price. Instead of operating through the political machinery of AAA, Nature took a hand and brought about a crop shortage by the old reliable short-cut method. Physical evidence of the drought was brought to President Roosevelt by the air route. The dust storm which darkened the sun on the Atlantic Coast, with grains of grit from North Dakota and the rest of the prairie States forming a cloud over the East, left plenty of dirt on the roof and porticoes of the White House itself.

**Two Views of Dust Cloud**

There are two ways of looking at the dust cloud and what it may signify politically. To one group of political thinkers it is a cloud no bigger than a man's hand, such as Elijah saw of old. To those so minded, it signifies the beginning of the end of the Agricultural Administration program. To be sure, the wish is doubtless a great measure the father of the thought, but those who do not like the principle of the AAA are not all of them, by any means, the President's political enemies. Many of them think it was a program wish-ed on him by enthusiasts. These people believe that the President

now, after a year in office and experience with every known variety of planners, schemers and meddlers, to say nothing of the trickery, chicanery and skulduggery of national politics as it played here, is not so inclined to listen to uplifters or nation savers or other folk who have sure-fire remedies for all that ails us.

The folk who talk that way are perfectly willing to agree that the United States was producing much more wheat and corn than they could find a market for in the present restricted state of world commerce. They are in agreement with world principle with the theorem that marginal lands ought to be taken out of cultivation, so as to reduce the annual surplus to reasonable bounds. And they are all glad to see a chance for the farmer to get more for his product. They just don't like some of the means adopted by the AAA to bring those desirable ends about.

**How People Reason**

There are other enthusiasts here who think the drought is another piece of "Roosevelt luck," which has come to be an everyday expression at the capital. They say, in effect: "Look! The President was trying to raise the price of wheat and corn and wasn't getting away with it. His gold policy didn't do the trick, and he's been hunting everywhere for some other way to do it, when along comes Old Man Drought and does it for him. That's pure Roosevelt luck, for it won't be long now before everybody will forget that it was the drought that did it. They'll give Roosevelt all the credit, because it happened in his Administration."

There may be something in that. Human nature is funny. If it likes a man—and everybody likes Mr. Roosevelt—it will give him credit for everything good and put all the blame for whatever is bad on someone it doesn't like, like Mr. Hoover, or Wall Street or the Japanese Menace or something.

Warden Thompson of Eldorado was a business visitor in Spearman Friday of last week.

Little Sally Tally of Mangum, Oklahoma is visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merritt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Noel returned to Spearman Monday night after a visit with relatives at Pampa.

Mrs. J. E. Gerber and children left for Pampa Wednesday afternoon for a week's visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Gladys Williams was visiting and shopping in Spearman on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arliss Duncan of Pampa were Spearman visitors this week.

**NOTICE**

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HANSFORD

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 30th day of May A. D., 1934, at 10 o'clock A. M., the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, Texas, will convene at the office of the County Judge, in Spearman, Texas, and there sit as a board of Equalization to receive the assessment lists and books of the Tax Assessor of said Hansford County, for inspection, correction, equalization and approval; to correct errors in assessments, and equalize lands, and tax renditions, as provided by law, GIVEN under my hand official seal, at office in Spearman, Texas, this 17th day of May A. D. 1934.

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No. 3339  
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Western Building & Loan Assn. Vs.  
**G. KELLEY STOUT, ET AL**  
In the 31st Judicial District Court in and for Gray County, Texas.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 31st Judicial District Court of Gray County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 7th day of March, 1934, in favor of the said Western Building & Loan Association of Pampa, Texas, and against the said G. Kelley Stout, A. M. Gore and Walter S. McNabb, Numbered 3339, on the docket of said court, I did on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1934, at 10 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of lands situate in the County of Hansford County, Texas, and belonging to the said Walter S.



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Witness our hands this 4th day of May, A. D., 1934.  
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By Peter B. Kyne  
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Eden Valley creek you're going to be the most hated man in this county."

"But I'm not going to deprive Forlorn Valley of Eden Valley water. I've assured you of that already."

"Oh yes, you are. You'll have to, if not for your own sake then for the sake of Lorry Kershaw. I'm going to let you in on a secret—now that Babson is my enemy. He plans, after organizing the irrigation district, to tap Eden Valley creek at the head of the Handle, up in the public domain, lead the water west through the public domain and down through a natural reservoir in the hills off to the west; thence into Forlorn Valley."

"But, Joe, it would be silly of Forlorn Valley to tap the stream up in the Pan. I have a splendid dam site and it is to my interest to see the dam erected there. In that way Miss Kershaw and I, with our ranches upstream from this dam, will always be assured of an abundant supply of irrigating water."

"Exactly. But if Forlorn Valley taps the stream above your ranches, Miss Kershaw, you, and the Mountain Valley Power company will be out of luck. Then, too, the reservoir of the Mountain Valley Power company would never have sufficient water to fill it, and your company would be deprived of the ability to manufacture power."

"I don't know the law in the premises, Joe, but this is what I plan to do. I'll attend that mass meeting, listen to what is said and, if it appears to be the sense of the meeting that an irrigation district shall be formed and the water supply secured from Eden Valley creek up in the Handle, I'll tell the people to forget all that bother and expense, that I'll put in a dam on the Mountain Valley Power company's property at my own expense, provided they will enter into contract to purchase water from me and provided, of course, that we can come to terms. My plan is economically sound, and I think they'll be glad to entertain it."

"I hope so, Nate, but before you commit yourself in public I suggest that you make certain of your rights. If I were you I'd consult some eminent firm of attorneys whose specialty is water law."

"I shall, I suppose I can find the right lawyers in San Francisco."

The following morning Tichenor was in San Francisco and, acting upon the advice of his attorney, he sought the offices of Messrs. Brooks, Gagan, and Brooks. Gagan received him and listened without interruption while Nate outlined the situation.

"I know all about that Eden Valley proposition, Mr. Tichenor," he then announced. "A Mr. Silas Babson, of Valley Center, interviewed me on the subject recently, but he did not retain us. In fact, certain aspects of the advice I gave him

appeared to conflict with his own opinion of the situation."

"Well, he's liable to be around later to retain you, although I hope to restrain him by employing peaceable and profitable measures. Meanwhile, I haven't any business for you, save to outline for me the legal rights of Miss Kershaw and the Bar II Land and Cattle company in the premises. I'll pay your fee for that, so please fire away."

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"I was quite certain of that before I called upon you, but merely desired to have an expert verify my suspicions. A non-riparian community—Forlorn Valley—is about to form an irrigation district on the strength of a promise of the state water commission that it will allocate to the proposed district the storm, flood, fresher, or so-called waste waters of Eden Valley creek. Miss Kershaw and I make beneficial use of all the overflow waters of Eden Valley creek every spring, and no waters are waste waters until after they have flown over our lands. The irrigation district proposes tapping the creek near its source in the public domain and appropriating the flood or waste waters before such waters have flown over our lands."

"Now, if this is done the value of our ranches will be very much depreciated, because we will be denied the natural irrigation of a great many thousand acres of rich meadow lands each spring. The Constitution of the United States guarantees its citizens against seizure and appropriation of their property without due process of law and adequate compensation. Hence, any state law that contravenes that right is unconstitutional."

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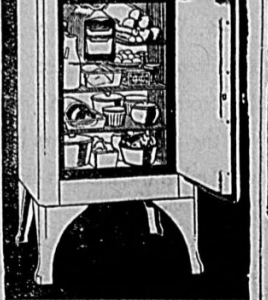
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**For County and District Clerk:**  
J. E. WOMBLE re-election

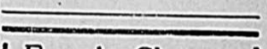
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DAN SHRADER.  
FRED HOSKINS

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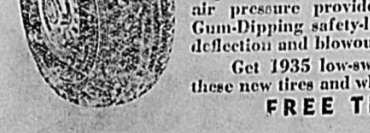
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31. Then said Jesus unto them, All ye be offended in me this night; for it is written, I will smite the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock shall be scattered abroad.

32. But after I am raised up, I will go before you into Galilee.  
33. But Peter answered and said unto him, If all shall be offended in thee, I will never be offended.

34. Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, that this night, before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice.

35. Peter said unto him, Even if I must die with thee, yet I will not deny thee. Likewise said all the disciples.

36. Then cometh Jesus with them unto the place called Gethsemane, and saith unto his disciples, Sit ye here, while I go yonder and pray.

37. And he took with him Peter and the two sons of Zebedee, and began to be sorrowful and sore troubled.

38. Then saith he unto them, My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even unto death: abide ye here and watch with me.

39. And he went forward a little, and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, not as I will, but as thou wilt.

40. And he cometh unto the disciples, and findeth them sleeping, and saith unto Peter, What could ye not watch with me one hour?

41. Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.

42. Again a second time he went away, and prayed, saying, My Father, if this cannot pass away, except I drink it, thy will be done.

43. And he came again and found them sleeping, for their eyes were heavy.

44. And he left them again, and went away, and prayed a third time, saying again the same words.

45. Then cometh he to the disciples, and saith unto them, Sleep on now, and take your rest: behold, the hour is at hand, and the Son of man is betrayed into the hands of sinners.

46. Arise, let us be going: behold, he is at hand that betrayeth me.

**Golden Text:** He went forward a little, and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass away from me: nevertheless, not as I will, but as thou wilt.—Matt. 26:39.

**Time:** Thursday, April 6, A. D. 30; the day before the crucifixion.  
**Place:** Bethany, Jerusalem, the Mount of Olives.

**Parallel Passages:**—Mark 14, Luke 23, John 13:1-38, 14:1-18; 27.

**LESSON CONNECTION**

The larger lesson embraces the entire twenty-sixth chapter of Matthew, 75 verses in all. In the introductory paragraphs there are seven distinct fingerboards pointing to the cross:

- First.—The prophecy of Jesus.—vs. 1, 2.
- Second.—Plot of the Sanhedrin.—vs. 3, 5.
- Third.—The anointing of Mary.—vs. 6, 13.
- Fourth.—The Bargain of Judas.—vs. 14, 16.
- Fifth.—The preparation of the passover.—vs. 17, 19.
- Sixth.—The designation of the betrayer.—vs. 20, 25.
- Seventh.—The Institution of the Lord's Supper.—vs. 26, 30.

From the upper room where the Passover was observed and the Lord's Supper instituted Jesus and the Eleven near the midnight hour went out to Gethsemane at the foot of the Mount of Olives where the shadow of the cross hovered still deeper and darker about him.

**The Smitten Shepherd. v. 31**  
"It is written, I will smite the shepherd." v. 31. The Shepherd himself was speaking. He had called himself the good Shepherd. He knew his sheep. He will be true to them to the end. He was also the Shepherd fulfilling. He knew his Bible. He quoted it to himself. Therefore he foresaw the Shepherd smitten. He had predicted it time and again. He had guided himself for the ordeal. Only thus could he save men from their sins. And yet he beheld the Shepherd surviving. The smiting would be unto death. But death itself could not destroy him. He knew and said that he would be raised up from the dead. And beyond his physical resurrection he saw the Shepherd leading his flock again. He would go before them into Galilee, v. 32.

**Jesus in Gethsemane.**  
"Then cometh Jesus with them unto a place called Gethsemane. v. 36. From the Upper Room Jesus and the Eleven went out of the city and across the Brook Kidron and up the slope of Olivet a little way till they came to a place called Gethsemane. As they came to the entrance of the garden Jesus said unto eight of his disciples, "sit ye here while I go yonder and pray." Leaving eight apostles at the garden entrance Jesus entered the enclosure taking with him "Peter and the

two sons of Zebedee." v. 37. As the four penetrated the deeper shadows of the garden Jesus "began to be sorrowful and sore troubled." He shrank naturally from the bitter cup. There was however much more than the physical dread and suffering. He could have endured that with stoic courage as myriads of others have done. But none other ever carried the stupendous moral weight of the world's sin. His sorrow was a sorrow of soul. Hence he said to the three closest to him, "My soul is crushed with anguish to the point of death; wait here and watch with me."—(Veymouth.) They could not go with him farther into the darkness. Let them abide just where they were. But also let them keep guard for soon the enemy would appear.

**Jesus Praying in Gethsemane.**  
"Not My Will, But Thine Be Done."—Luke 22:42.

Out from the denser dark of the garden Jesus came back to where he had stationed Peter, James and John. He had bidden them to watch with him. Alas he found them sleeping. v. 40. Then the Master gave counsel which has come to us with equal force: "Watch and pray that ye enter not into temptation." The counsel was attended with compassion for Jesus said, "The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak." What a mantle of love he casts over the watchers who sleep on duty.

Back again went Jesus alone into the darkness. A second time he poured out his soul in prayer. v. 42. The fetters of the flesh had now become weaker and the spirit emerged definitely toward triumph. "My Father, if this cannot pass away, except I drink it, thy will be done." He returned to the three disciples and found them asleep again "for their eyes were heavy." He went once more and finally into the shadow of solitude. The same prayer was expressed in exactly the same words that he had used before. But he arrived at the stage of complete victory. The preliminary battle of Calvary was fought on Gethsemane. It was in the garden even more than on Golgotha that the divine sacrifice was made in the supreme resignation of Jesus to the atoning purpose of God.

**Jesus Ready For the Sacrifice. v. 46**  
"Arise, let us be going: behold, he is at hand that betrayeth me."—v. 46. Deep as the darkness was within the garden and dense as the night shadows hovered about them there was a more dismal hour ahead of the little company. But at last Jesus was ready. Never did any other one show such consummate courage. Never did any other stand so grandly to make the supreme sacrifice. It was no time for his followers to sleep. "Arise," said he, "let us be going!" And they must have been startled as he added, "Here is my betrayer close at hand."—(Moffat.)

**"Thy Will Be Done"**  
"Not as I will; the sound grows sweet  
Each time my lips the words repeat  
Not as I will; the darkness feels  
More safe than light when this thought steals  
Like whispered voice to calm and bless  
All unrest and loneliness."—Helen Hunt Jackson.

**THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON**  
Curiously enough the most interesting political event under discussion in Washington at this writing is nothing that the Administration or Congress or anyone else had anything to do with. It is the drought in the wheat and corn belts.

The drought is political in its effects, because it has apparently done what the Administration has been attempting to do by political methods; that is, reduce the supply of grain to avert a surplus and raise the price. Instead of operating through the political machinery of AAA, Nature took a hand and brought about a crop shortage by the old reliable short-cut method. Physical evidence of the drought was brought to President Roosevelt by the air route. The dust storm which darkened the sun on the Atlantic Coast, with grains of grit from North Dakota and the rest of the prairie States forming a cloud over the East, left plenty of dirt on the roof and porticoes of the White House itself.

**Two Views of Dust Cloud**  
There are two ways of looking at the dust cloud and what it may signify politically. To one group of political thinkers it is a cloud no bigger than a man's hand, such as Elijah saw of old. To those so minded, it signifies the beginning of the end of the Agricultural Administration program. To be sure, the wish is doubtless a great measure the father of the thought, but those who do not like the principle of the AAA are not all of them, by any means, the President's political enemies. Many of them think it was a program wished on him by enthusiasts. These people believe that the President

now, after a year in office and experience with every known variety of planners, schemers and meddlers, to say nothing of trickery, chicanery and skulduggery of national politics as it is played here, is not so inclined to listen to uplifters or nation savers or other folk who have sure-fire remedies for all that ails us.

The folk who talk that way are perfectly willing to agree that the United States was producing much more wheat and corn than they could find a market for in the present restricted state of world commerce. They are in agreement with world principle with the theorem that marginal lands ought to be taken out of cultivation, so as to reduce the annual surplus to reasonable bounds. And they are all glad to see a chance for the farmer to get more for his product. They just don't like some of the means adopted by the AAA to bring those desirable ends about.

**How People Reason**  
There are other enthusiasts here who think the drought is another piece of "Roosevelt luck," which has come to be an everyday expression at the capital. They say, in effect: "Look! The President was trying to raise the price of wheat and corn and wasn't getting away with it. His gold policy didn't do the trick, and he's been hunting everywhere for some other way to do it, when along comes Old Man Drought and does it for him. That's pure Roosevelt luck, for it won't be long now before everybody will forget that it was the drought that did it. They'll give Roosevelt all the credit, because it happened in his Administration."

There may be something in that. Human nature is funny. If it likes a man—and everybody likes Mr. Roosevelt—it will give him credit for everything good and put all the blame for whatever is bad on someone it doesn't like, like Mr. Hoover, or Wall Street or the Japanese Menace or something.

Warden Thompson of Eldorado was a business visitor in Spearman Friday of last week.

Little Sally Tally of Mangum, Oklahoma is visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merritt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Noel returned to Spearman Monday night after a visit with relatives at Pampa.

Mrs. J. E. Gerber and children left for Pampa Wednesday afternoon for a week's visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Gladys Williams was visiting and shopping in Spearman on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arliss Duncanson of Pampa were Spearman visitors this week.

**NOTICE**

**STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HANSFORD**  
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 30th day of May A. D. 1934, at 10 o'clock A. M., the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, Texas, will convene at the office of the County Judge, in Spearman, Texas, and there sit as a board of Equalization to receive the assessment lists and books of the Tax Assessor of said Hansford County, for inspection, correction, equalization and approval; to correct errors in assessments, and equalize lands, and tax renditions, as provided by law, GIVEN under my hand official seal, at office in Spearman, Texas, this 17th day of May A. D. 1934.  
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**STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF GRAY**  
No. 8339  
Western Building & Loan Assn. Vs.  
**G. KELLEY STOUT, ET AL.**  
In the 31st Judicial District Court in and for Gray County, Texas.  
WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 31st Judicial District Court of Gray County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 7th day of March, 1934, in favor of the said Western Building & Loan Association of Pampa, Texas, and against the said G. Kelley Stout, A. M. Gore and Walter S. McNabb, Numbered 3339 on the docket of said court, I did on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1934, at 10 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of lands situate in the County of Hansford County, Texas, and belonging to the said Walter S.

Witness our hands this 4th day of May, A. D., 1934.  
A. P. Wallin,  
W. L. Harris,  
D. L. McClellan,  
Emil Knutson,  
I. W. Ayers.  
First published No. 24—4 times.

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By Peter B. Kyne  
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Eden Valley creek you're going to be the most hated man in this county."

"But I'm not going to deprive Forlorn Valley of Eden Valley water. I've assured you of that already."

"Oh yes, you are. You'll have to, if not for your own sake then for the sake of Lorry Kershaw. I'm going to let you in on a secret—now that Babson is my enemy. He plans, after organizing the irrigation district, to tap Eden Valley creek at the head of the Handle, up in the public domain, lead the water west through the public domain and down through a natural reservoir in the hills off to the west; thence into Forlorn Valley."

"But, Joe, it would be silly of Forlorn Valley to tap the stream up in the Pan. I have a splendid dam site and it is to my interest to see the dam erected there. In that way Miss Kershaw and I, with our ranches upstream from this dam, will always be assured of an abundant supply of irrigating water."

Exactly. But if Forlorn Valley taps the stream above your ranches, Miss Kershaw, you, and the Mountain Valley Power company will be out of luck. Then, too, the reservoir of the Mountain Valley Power company would never have sufficient water to fill it, and your company would be deprived of the ability to manufacture power."

"I don't know the law in the premises, Joe, but this is what I plan to do. I'll attend that mass meeting, listen to what is said and, if it appears to be the sense of the meeting that an irrigation district shall be formed and the water supply secured from Eden Valley creek up in the Handle, I'll tell the people to forget all that bother and expense, that I'll put in a dam on the Mountain Valley Power company's property at my own expense, provided they will enter into contract to purchase water from me and provided, of course, that we can come to terms. My plan is economically sound, and I think they'll be glad to entertain it."

"I hope so. Nate, but before you commit yourself in public I suggest that you make certain of your rights. If I were you I'd consult some eminent firm of attorneys whose specialty is water law."

"I shall, I suppose I can find the right lawyers in San Francisco."

The following morning Tichenor was in San Francisco and, acting upon the advice of his attorney, he sought the offices of Messrs. Brooks, Gagan, and Brooks. Gagan received him and listened without interruption while Nate outlined the situation.

"I know all about that Eden Valley proposition, Mr. Tichenor," he then announced. "A Mr. Silas Babson, of Valley Center, interviewed me on the subject recently, but he did not retain us. In fact, certain aspects of the advice I gave him

appeared to conflict with his own opinion of the situation."

"Well, he's liable to be around later to retain you, although I hope to restrain him by employing peaceable and profitable measures. Meanwhile, I haven't any business for you, save to outline for me the legal rights of Miss Kershaw and the Bar II Land and Cattle company in the premises. I'll pay your fee for that, so please fire away."

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"I was quite certain of that before I called upon you, but merely desired to have an expert verify my suspicions. A non-riparian community—Forlorn Valley—is about to form an irrigation district on the strength of a promise of the state water commission that it will allocate to the proposed district the storm, flood, fresher, or so-called waste waters of Eden Valley creek. Miss Kershaw and I make beneficial use of all the overflow waters of Eden Valley creek every spring, and no waters are waste waters until after they have flown over our lands. The irrigation district proposes tapping the creek near its source in the public domain and appropriating the flood or waste waters before such waters have flown over our lands."

"Now, if this is done the value of our ranches will be very much depreciated, because we will be denied the natural irrigation of a great many thousand acres of rich meadow lands each spring. The Constitution of the United States guarantees its citizens against seizure and appropriation of their property without due process of law and adequate compensation. Hence, any state law that contravenes that right is unconstitutional."

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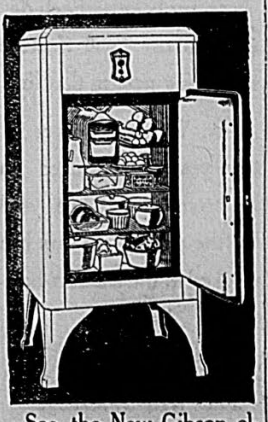
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Mrs. J. C. Tuttle left last week for Canyon to attend W. T. S. T. C. this summer.  
J. P. Richards made a trip to Elkhart, Kansas Thursday of last week and brought back a combine.

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W. L. McCONNELL

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

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J. H. BROADHURST re-election  
C. W. KING  
ROBERT MEEK

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J. E. WOMBLE re-election  
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DAN SHRADER.  
FRED HOSKINS

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MRS. J. B. PERRY.  
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Gum-Dipping soaks the high stretch cords in liquid rubber and saturates and coats the millions of fibers inside the cords, counteracting destructive friction and heat. It provides greater adhesion between the plies of the tire, and between the Gum-Dipped cord body and the tread.

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FIRESTONE HIGH SPEED TIRES  
—for fifteen consecutive years have been on the winning cars in the 500-mile Indianapolis Race.  
This Means Blowout Protection  
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This Means Non-Skid Safety and Traction  
—for three consecutive years have been on the 131 buses of the Washington (D. C.) Railway and Electric Company covering 11,357,810 bus miles without one minute's delay due to tire trouble.  
This Means Dependability and Economy  
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CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Boys Girls World Club immed. after Sunday School. Intermediate League 7 p. m. Evening Worship 8:30. Senior Young Peoples immed. after church service. Both W. M. S. Wednesday after noon. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study Wednesday 8:15 p. m. Last Sunday was a good day in every respect. The Sunday School and other services were well attended. The Leaguers of this Union met on the Palo Duro Sunday afternoon. A fine program was rendered by the local league. Some plans were made to attend the Summer Assembly at McMurry College at Abilene which will begin Monday, June 4th. Several leaguers from here will attend also the pastor and wife. We wish every leaguer would attend if possible. The officers and teachers are expecting 500 young people to attend the Assembly. Sunday June 10th will be Laymen's Day. F. C. Sumrall, associate District Lay Leader, will have some laymen on that program who will bring messages that will be inspiring and helpful. Judge Bailey of Dalhart, is the District Lay Leader. This has been a great day in our local church for the past three years—and we expect no less this year. Let's look forward to that day with great faith and expectations for a spiritual outpouring. The services will be at the morning hour. We extend to all every hearty welcome to all of our services Sunday. H. A. Nichols, Pastor.

Snap Dragon Club

The Snap Dragon Flower Club met last Monday at the home of Mrs. McNabb. A very interesting meeting was enjoyed by ten members. The subject being birds, many fine articles were read, one especially, "Keeping up with the Jones" was very good. Beautiful colored pictures were shown of the nest building of such birds as the Baltimore Orioles, Kingbirds, Robins and Waxwings. Our next meeting will be Monday, June 11th, at the home of Mrs. Fay Klutz. Mrs. R. V. Converse will be leader. Roll Call, "How to keep cut flowers". The subject, "How to grow Pansies from seeds and slips." The club is happy to announce that grass seed has been sown in their flower garden.

ELLIS Theatre Perryton, Texas

THURSDAY - FRIDAY May 31—June 1st EARL CARROLL'S

"Murder At the Vanities" featuring the most beautiful girls in the world. A Broadway Musical Show with the most baffling mystery story.

Saturday, June 2nd "CITY LIMITS"

Starring Frank Craven, pretty Sally Blane and Ray Walker. The Screen Play was written by George Wagner with William Nigh handling the direction.

SUNDAY - MONDAY June 3 and 4

"THE THIN MAN" Adapted from Dashiell Hammett's latest and best seller novel, was directed by Col. W. S. Van Dyke. The cast is headed by William Powell and Myrna Loy and includes Porter Hall, Nat Pendleton, Minna Gombell and William Henry.

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY June 5 and 6 Jimmy Durante and Lupe Velez in "STRICTLY DYNAMITE"

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BANK NIGHT

Wednesday night someone will receive a \$25 bank account. Attend our show.

Church of Christ

Where you are always welcome. Bible Study 10 A. M. Preaching 11 A. M. Young Peoples' Class 7:30 p. m. Preaching 8:30 P. M. The subject to be discussed at the 11 o'clock service is "No room in the Inn." Subject for the evening service will be "Signboards on the Road to Hell." Everyone is invited to come and worship with us. Last Lord's Day the house was packed at the morning service, also a comfortable houseful greeted us at the evening service. The religious waters are muddy, there is much confusion, come let us go up the stream to the fountain head, back to the New Testament, where it is just as clear as God could make it. There let us study together. I preach at Lone Star at 2 p. m. You are also invited to be there. Come for Sunday School, come early and bring your friends. W. V. Murry, Minister.

Holt H. D. Club

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. C. A. Patton May 25th. Sixteen members and several visitors were present. The house was called to order by Mrs. Frank Davis, and the minutes read by Mrs. Ruth Baker. The demonstration was "value of canning budget and a 4-H pantry," on which Mrs. Davis gave a very interesting and valuable talk. Each member was called on to name some new vegetable they were growing in their garden, and were given a recipe how to serve it. Mrs. P. H. Jameson was selected to go to short course at College Station, which will be held in August. Brother Loftin gave us an interesting talk on health which was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by all. Delicious refreshments of cake and lemonade were served. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. B. A. Jenkins, June 8th, at 2 o'clock. The demonstration will be yeast breads. We urge that each member try to be present. Claude Powers of Spearman, accompanied by his brother Emory Powers of Perico, Texas, left on Sunday for Albuquerque, New Mexico where they will visit with their brother, D. H. Powers.

Mrs. Guy Reed of Gruver has spent the past week in the home of Mrs. Angus McKay who is a trained nurse. Mrs. Reed's condition is much improved at this writing.

Mrs. D. W. Hazelwood and children, Mrs. J. A. Riley and Miss Lillie Hazelwood spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Texhoma, Oklahoma.

Notice to our Patrons

We wish to announce that we have secured Mr. W. H. Wright, an expert pastry man who will have charge of making and baking all cakes, pastries and novelties in our bakery. Each day the bakery will feature something new in that line.

Mr. Wright has over fifteen years experience to his credit in this line and for the past four years has worked in the Dalhart bakery.

We Deliver Paul Wright, Manager

Quality Bakery

WHY IT PAYS TO MARKET COOPERATIVELY

(By Dixie Ruth Buchner) The best foundation for business is cooperation. Since the agricultural industry has been operated by machinery instead of teams, the increase in production has become so great, cooperative marketing is a necessity, and is the only method whereby the farming can be successfully carried on. The principles of cooperative marketing are not new. They date as far back as 1827. They were successful in the venture started by the Rockdale Society of Equitable Pioneers; and have been kept alive by wide-awake farmers ever since and are appreciated more fully each year. Farming has reached the point now through cooperation, where it is one of the most important industries, making the world realize more fully that her food supply must be secured from the farms. The farmer owned and farmer operated Union Equity Cooperative Exchange bases its success largely on rendering a service to the local farmers and marketing their grain, after conditioning and blending it at a saving which would otherwise be lost to the local organization and in this way also be lost to the farmer.

The progressive farmers who stand by the cooperative marketing plan, realize the need of pure seed, thereby producing a high grade product that is sure to bring the best possible price at marketing time. The greatest advantage in a farmer owned and farmer operated cooperative in a local market is the well known fact, that it places all members in a more independent position regarding how much they can or must take for their products. Another reason that we should sell cooperatively through a convenient local marketing place, is that each member can hold a given amount of stock, thereby receiving his dividends each year, where otherwise his products would be putting dividends into the speculators' pockets.

It has been said that "cooperation is christian principles practiced in business." This is indeed a wonderful thought. When we really stand by our cooperative marketing, we are helping our neighbor farmer as we can help him in no other way. Our good prices must be his good prices. Our best agricultural interests must likewise benefit him.

Cooperation throughout the United States has enabled the Blue Eagle to Spread Peace and Prosperity, where such a few months ago, despair walked.

So it is with our agricultural industry; we must cooperate so it will enable us to produce better food for our country, and bring our farmers a more stable price for their products, putting them in a position whereby they will not only help the world in general, but it will bring about conditions whereby the farmers can really help themselves.

We cannot help the agricultural industry when we market our products carelessly. At the same time we cannot help ourselves unless we do try to produce the best possible products and receive the highest prices for them.

Last but not by any means least, we must cooperate so the farmers will really pull together for the good of all, knowing by experience that "United we stand, divided we fall!"

Mrs. Wayne Wallace of Rotan, Texas, is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pittman, of Spearman.

Miss Erma Crittenden returned after finishing the school term to her home at Clarksville, Texas.

ORDER OF EASTERN STARS

Installation of new officers and a memorial program will be held at the regular meeting of the Eastern Stars, Friday night. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. C. C. Chambers, W. M.

Mrs. N. F. Lufkin who has spent the past several weeks visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Mathews of Spearman, left Monday by bus for her home in Galveston, Texas.

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SOAP FLAKES, five pound box 27c
JERSEY CORN FLAKES, 3 boxes for 27c
SHORTENING, Eight Pounds for 59c
CORN, FOUR CANS FOR 35c
PEARS, GALLON CAN 39c
MACKEREL, THREE CANS FOR 25c
Arnholz Tea, 1-4- pound, 15c package 10c
BAR-B-Q COFFEE, one pound for 21c
K. C. BAKING POWDER, 10-ounce can 5c



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NOTICE

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ORDER OF TRUSTEES.

Miss Virginia Buchanan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia is able to be up again.

Rig Theatre Borger, Texas

Friday-Saturday

June 1 and 2 "Merry Wives of Reno" Margaret Lindsay, Donald Woods, Guy Kibbee, Glenda Farrell, Hugh Herbert and Frank McHugh.

SUNDAY - MONDAY T U E SDAY June 3, 4 and 5

"Tarzan and His Mate" Johnny Weissmuller is back again! One of his greatest pictures with Maureen O'Sullivan.

June 6 and 7 "UPPER WORLD" with Ginger Rogers, Warren Williams and Mary Astor.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith and children drove to Hooker, Oklahoma Tuesday of this week to attend to business matters.

Mrs. Leslie Cook and her daughters spent the past week end visiting relatives at Fairview, Oklahoma.

Mrs. L. S. Mc... will leave for... where Mrs. Mc... T. S. T. C.

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