

LIONS PLAY GIRLS' BALL TEAM HERE AUG. 26

Spearman Will Entertain Panhandle Trapshooters Next Sunday, August 10th

ATTENDANCE IS EXPECTED

Club is Making Preparations to Entertain Visitors in Various Ways

WERS BIG TERRITORY

shooters Who Attend These Sets Live in All Parts of The Panhandle

Next Sunday, August 10, the Spearman Gun Club will entertain Panhandle Trapshooters Association. This will be the first meeting of this association held north of the Canadian river in Texas, and it has several very enthusiastic members from this section. W. Brandt is general manager of the local club and is assisting the work by S. Powers. The boys have been practicing of late, with the hope of giving a fair showing with the traps of state-wide reputation. Arrangements to all neighboring clubs have been sent out, urging trapshooters to attend the meet. It is thought that the attendance will be large, as the weather is expected to be fine for this sport. The "big shots" who will be expected to participate in the meet, will be D. W. Caldwell of Amarillo, who held the trap championship of Texas; D. L. McDonald of Amarillo, who has held several championships; J. O. Dudley of Floyd, who was runner-up for the championship of west Texas, but defeated by a close margin at Angelo recently; Jack Kershner, a winner of honors, and Francis of Bonzer, several champion of Oklahoma. The meet will be held at the club grounds north of the city. Shooting will begin at 2:30 or 3:00 p. m. and there will likely be preliminary shooting throughout most of the forenoon. Anyone is invited to attend the meet.

Phillips Agent Given High Rating On June Sales

M. Glover, local agent for Phillips Petroleum Company, has received a high rating in the monthly report of the company for the month of June. His rating was "Class A," which means that he sold more than 50,000 gallons of the famous Phillips kerosene during that month. Mr. Glover is quite sure he will receive a "Class AA" rating for July sales, but has not yet word from general offices to effect. Phillips Products are sold by Glover in a hustler. This reputation, backed up by constant advertising, is mighty hard to beat.

Mrs. Greever Chautauqua Program

Many friends throughout the section of the E. A. Greever, and especially those who the Victor records of "The Sea Twins Quartette," will be glad to learn that these fine and gentlemen will appear on and night on chautauqua at Dumas, August 10; at August 11, Beaver, August 12, and Guymon, August 13. Mrs. Greever is a sister of Mrs. E. A. Greever, and will be guests in the homes of C. B. Berner homes playing these towns. Hear one or more of these men in our neighboring towns the time well spent.

Callaway Family Will Return to Spearman

Callaway and son Jack Spearman the first of the week after business matters. Mr. Callaway stated to a reporter that he had closed out their store business in Turkey, and they have made their home in Spearman for the next few days. They have a nice home in west Spearman, and the best down in the Tur-

Went Out The Beer

Whitbanks and deputies of a quantity of home brewed beer, and destroyed it and the other equipment used in the manufacture. The proprietors could not be located.

Sees Nothing In Way Of Letting Contract For Paving Highway 117

A. E. Dyatt, resident engineer of the state highway department, was here from Amarillo Tuesday afternoon and had a conference with President Gibner and members of the highway committee of the local chamber of commerce. Mr. Dyatt states that he now sees nothing in the way or that will prevent the letting of the contract for paving highway No. 117 at the next meeting of the state highway commissioners, which will be held in September. The plans for all complete for letting the contract for building this road from the top of the cap rock in Hutchinson county, through Hansford and Ochiltree counties. The contract for building the road through the breaks in Hutchinson will likely be let separately but to the same concern, states Mr. Dyatt. The right-of-way, which will be 100 feet wide, carrying a roadbed 36-feet wide, will be secured at once, that everything may be ready for the beginning of work as quickly as the highway commissioners let the contract. It is the intention, stated Mr. Dyatt, to build the road on through Lipscomb county, also. Almost 20 miles of the road will be in Hansford county. The work of building what is known as unit one, which puts the road bed to grade and drainage, builds the culverts, etc., will first employ to quite a few laborers and a number of trucks. Unit two, the hard surfacing process, will follow after the grade has been put in proper shape by rains and useage.

Mrs. Gibner Resigns As Postmistress

Mrs. Hazel Lowe Gibner has tendered her resignation to the postoffice department at Washington as postmistress at Spearman, to become effective as quickly as her successor is appointed and inducted into office. A call for examination of those who wish to be appointed to this position is printed in this week's issue of the Reporter. Several applications have been sent in and the date of the examination will be set for some time in September, it is thought. Mrs. Gibner has been connected with the Spearman postoffice for seven years. Beginning as a clerk, she has served as assistant, acting postmistress, and as postmistress. Many changes have taken place in the office since she first began this work. The office was located in a small room at the rear of the Brandt & Company store in those days, and the daily mail consisted of one to three sacks. Four sacks of mail in one day was considered a rush. Now, from fifty to seventy-five sacks of mail are received daily, and the office is located in quite comfortable quarters, but still is short of lock boxes. The growth of the Spearman postoffice during the seven years Mrs. Gibner has been connected with it is a fair index to the growth of Spearman and to the Spearman country. Hazel, as she is known to her old time friends, will be missed from the Spearman postoffice. She has served well.

Tom McMurry Family Moved To Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McMurry and the children left on Monday morning for southwestern Colorado where they will make their home. Mr. McMurry has bought land out there, near the corner of Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and Utah. Their postoffice address is Lewis, Colorado. They will be neighbors of the C. B. Reeves family. Mr. McMurry are pioneers of Hansford county, and have helped develop it from the big ranch stage to its present status, as one of the great agricultural counties of north Texas. They have many friends throughout this section who will be glad to learn that they are quite pleasantly located and well satisfied in their new home. Other well known farmers of this section who have been attracted to southwestern Colorado during the past few months are Jess Hawkins, Clint Bennett and Jess Dougherty. C. B. Reeves has been out there a year or more, and the boys have named the community in which he resides "The Reaves Addition." Roy Maples has also bought land in that country. By the way, the country in which these people have become interested is right near the only point in the United States which is common to four state corners.

Youthful Hi-Jackers Made Ashamed of Themselves

B. F. Pendergraft, who on July 23, bought the lease on the Texas Service station of the Gill Brothers and took charge of same, was hijacked out of \$175 by two young men on Friday night of last week.

This quite unusual incident for Spearman attracted much attention. Mr. and Mrs. Pendergraft were alone at the station about 9:30 and were preparing to close the same for the night when two young men, about 19 and 23 years old, appeared at the door and reported that they needed some gas taken out to their car about three miles down the highway towards Stinnett. Mr. Pendergraft immediately began making preparations to take the young men and the gas to the stranded car, but to be on the safe side, dropped his bill book containing \$58 in a hiding place. They got in the truck, Mrs. Pendergraft going along also, and proceeded down the road. When about a half mile out one of the young men claimed that he had lost his hat. Mr. Pendergraft stopped the truck to look up, and was surprised when he heard the command to "stick 'em up." He didn't stick 'em up, but instead began shaming the young fellows, telling them of the miserable career ahead of them and of the certainty of coming to grief. He was joined by Mrs. Pendergraft and these good old people actually shamed the young men until they wanted to return the \$175 they had taken from Mr. Pendergraft. They left the truck and started across the country on foot. The young fellows claimed that they were out of money, could get no work and just had to do something. Mr. and Mrs. Pendergraft returned to their place of business none the worse for their unusual experience. Mrs. Pendergraft had her handbag containing \$20 on her arm while talking to the young fellows.

Felix Tackitt Bought Cecil Gro. and Market

Felix Tackitt, well known in business circles of Spearman, is now owner and proprietor of the Cecil Grocery and Market, located on elevator row. Mr. Tackitt bought this business from C. L. Cecil and took charge of the same on Friday of last week. He is an experienced grocery and meat man and no doubt will enjoy a good business. Mr. Cecil informs us that he will leave this week for the northwest, being compelled to travel around for a while for the benefit of Mrs. Cecil's health. He will go from here to Salem, Oregon, where he will visit with a brother. He states that Spearman will continue to be his home, and that he will return here as quickly as Mrs. Cecil's health will permit.

Making Preparations For Perryton Celebration

Chas. Whippo and L. P. Raley of the Texas-Louisiana Company, were here from Perryton Wednesday morning, looking after the interests of their company. The gentlemen state that their town is making great preparations for its birthday celebration to be held on August 21 and 22. This annual celebration at Perryton attracts many visitors from a wide territory, and Spearman will send a big delegation, as usual, to join in the merry-making.

Interesting Visitor From Holly Colorado

John W. Bland came from his home in Holly, Colorado, the first of the week for a visit to Spearman and the Spearman country. Mr. Bland is a bee man and sells honey in large quantities. He is a member of the bee commission of the state of Colorado. He was favorably impressed with Spearman and vicinity and spoke complimentary of this town and its high class, progressive citizenship. Mr. Bland was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. M. Clogston while here.

Price of Wheat Is Best Since Opening of Season

Wheat sold in Spearman on Wednesday afternoon for 72 cents per bushel, the highest price that has been paid since the opening of the present harvest season. Farmers are beginning to turn loose some of their grain but a majority of them are still holding out for a better price. Grain men will not hazard a guess as to whether the price will be up or down today.

Girl Scouts Will Take Subscriptions to Reporter

Arrangements have been made by the subscription management of the Reporter with the Girl Scouts of Spearman, whereby the latter will be authorized to take subscriptions to this paper.

The girls will be authorized to collect old subscription accounts as well as to accept new subscribers.

The Reporter believes in the Girl Scouts. This worthy organization should be encouraged in every way possible. Like all other organizations, the Girl Scouts need financial assistance. The Reporter is merely giving the girls an opportunity to earn money, which will, it is hoped, do away with the necessity of them asking donations.

The Girl Scouts will begin their work on Saturday morning. It is not their intention to bore or bother anyone. They will go about this business in a business-like way, and any courtesies shown them will be greatly appreciated by this paper, by their leader, Mrs. H. A. Nichols, and by their hosts of friends throughout the town and community.

J. R. Collard Attended Sterling Rally at Dallas

J. R. Collard returned Tuesday noon from Dallas, where he attended the big Sterling-for-governor rally, held there on Monday. Mr. Collard says this was the biggest and most enthusiastic political gathering he ever attended. The forces of Small, Young, Love, Mayfield and other defeated candidates for governor in the first primary election, now are uniting to defeat the Fergusons. Leaders of the Sterling campaign were frank in announcing their plans for aggressive work in the Panhandle, believing that the Clint Small vote represents the balance of power in the fight between Sterling and Ferguson for governor, stated Mr. Collard. Senator Park Parrish of Lubbock, who turned the state for Senator Clint Small in the first primary, was chosen campaign manager of the Panhandle district and will open campaign headquarters in Amarillo. The selection of Mr. Parrish was made at a conference of delegates from the various West Texas counties which sent representatives to the meeting. The 42 counties north of Lubbock and Childress will comprise the Amarillo district.

Greggs Sold Bakery to Davis and Wright

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Gregg last week sold the Gregg Bakery in Spearman to Messrs. J. W. Davis from Hale Center, and Paul Wright from Playview. The new owners took charge of the business on Friday of last week and Mr. and Mrs. Gregg left for Comanche on a visit to her parents. Davis and Wright are experienced bakery men and no doubt will continue the very successful and satisfactory business so well begun by Mr. and Mrs. Gregg about one year ago. Mrs. Davis, who is a niece of Mrs. Gregg, will assist in the sales department of the bakery.

Retail Merchants Committee Is Busy

The retail merchants committee of the local chamber of commerce is showing much activity of late. Sid Powers is chairman and members of the committee are Fred Brandt, Barney Sparks, W. S. Lockwood and Harry Dumas. This committee will look after the general troubles of the retailers of Spearman as well as assist in every way possible the work of other committees. Trade expansion, advertising, entertainment, etc., are matters that will receive attention from this committee. Chairman Powers announces that a meeting of this committee will be held the latter part of this week or early next week.

Hitchland Has a Postoffice

The Hitchland postoffice was opened on July 29, with Mrs. Len McComas as postmistress. The opening of this office will be a great convenience to the people of Hitchland and vicinity. They get their mail twice daily, once each way, on the Rock Island and the latter part of last week, to make their home in Spearman. Attorney Wolfe also delivers mail to them. This gives Hitchland mighty good mail service.

The Lions Roar Loud As Usual

The regular weekly noonday meetings of the Spearman Lions club were resumed on Tuesday of this week. This meeting was held at the Club Cafe and was attended by about 35 roaring lions. It was decided about four weeks ago that no more meeting of the club would be held until after harvest, and this was the first meeting since this order was passed.

The principal business transacted at Tuesday's meeting was the appointment of a committee to select a meeting place for the club. The meetings were being held in McLean hall, but this hall has been cut up into apartments, and the club must find another meeting place. Lions Fuller Irion and Preswit will find another meeting place for the lions.

A membership committee composed of Lions Brewitt, Russell and Brandt was appointed. The newly elected officers of the club were duly inducted into office at this meeting they being: R. M. Clogston, president; R. H. Brewitt, first vice president; Wm. E. McClellan, second vice president; A. F. Barkley, third vice president; O. Davis, secretary; P. G. Gibner, treasurer; W. W. Merritt, tall twister; H. A. Nichols, lion tamer. The board of directors is composed of Lions Fred W. Brandt, J. J. Daily and R. L. McClellan.

Will Demonstrate The Dempster Seeding Machine

The R. L. McClellan Grain Company will hold a demonstration of the Dempster Seeding Machine at the McClellan farm, one-half mile north of Spearman, on Friday and Saturday, August 8 and 9, beginning at about 1:30 p. m. each day. This machine is something new in the way of a grain drill, and these demonstrations will be interesting. The force at the McClellan Grain Company invites everyone to attend and see this wonderful machine in operation.

Hospital Patients Improving Nicely

Word comes from the Newman hospital at Shattuck that both Mrs. E. B. Dodson and Pat Barbour are improving nicely. Mrs. Dodson has been there three weeks receiving treatment for pneumonia and complications, and Pat is receiving treatment for injuries sustained in an automobile accident which occurred near Spearman last week.

Lawyer Locates Here

Attorney and Mrs. Philip Wolfe arrived from Grand Saline the latter part of last week, to make their home in Spearman. Attorney Wolfe has opened offices in the McLean building, for the practice of his profession.

Life of Christ to Be At the Lyric Theatre Thursday, August 7

"Christus" which is the Latin term for Christ, opens at the Lyric Theatre, on Thursday, August 7. The picture is on the same order as that which was presented in Amarillo recently. In the Passion Play at Amarillo, the life of Christ was depicted by a foreign cast who spoke in foreign tongue, making it difficult for one to understand and enjoy it as well as if it had been in English, while the picture itself was actually filmed in the old country. Thousands of people travel to Oberammergau to view the original Passion Play which is presented by a picked native cast every ten years in the little village of Oberammergau. To participate in this play is one of the highest honors a Bavarian can be said, since it is purely an act of worship and with little or no pecuniary gain to be realized from the play.

"Christus" opens with the birth of Christ in an humble manger. When he is born the old tumble down stable is diffused with a heavenly glow, and the Star in the East guides the shepherds to the new born Savior. Christ's early life is pictured in detail, where he amazed the sages with his profound wisdom. His Miracles are shown, and his betrayal by Judas who forsakes his friend for 30 pieces of silver.

The picture follows him from pure childhood to perfect manhood, showing his trial before Pilate, his crucifixion, His resurrection and His being raised from earth to heaven.

It is a picture for everyone to see and enjoy. Miss Louise Worley, talented musician of Shamrock, and Miss Mary Escher Cheshire, Speech Arts teacher, are producing the picture here.

Hitchland Will Vote On School Bonds Sat.

Common school district No. 15, Hansford county, the Hitchland district, will vote on the proposition of whether or not \$10,000 in bonds of the district shall be issued for the purpose of building a new school house, on next Saturday, August 9. Hitchland folks in Spearman Wednesday stated that they believed the bonds would carry by a big majority.

Laying Brick On New Telephone Building

The foundations for the new building which the Western Telephone Corporation is having erected in Spearman was completed and the work of brick-laying began on Wednesday. This will be one of the most complete telephone plants in the country when completed. The building will be modern in all respects, and built especially for a telephone plant.

Will Demonstrate A New Wheat Drill

The Spearman Equity Exchange is advertising a big demonstration of the Ohio Deep Furrow Wheat Drill to be held here Spearman on Thursday, August 14, one week from today. This wheat drill is something new, and the designers and builders claim it is the best drill ever made for this section. The designer, Harry Crowell, will be here on demonstration day, and wishes to meet the wheat growers of this section. For exact location of demonstration and other particulars, inquire at Spearman Equity Exchange.

District Court August 25

District court for Hansford county opens in Spearman on Monday morning, August 25. Judge E. J. Pickens will preside over the sessions of the court and Clem C. Cahoun will act as district attorney. The sheriff's department has been busy all the past week, summoning grand and petit jurors for the term.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Jackson and children Ferrilline and Evelyn Marie, and his father, Bill Jackson left on Tuesday morning of this week for Crisfield, Wichita and other points in Kansas. The older Jackson will visit with a daughter, Mrs. Roy Herman and a son, Vern Jackson, at Crisfield and Wichita while Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and the children visit with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Stephens in Topeka. They will visit with other relatives and friends in Kansas while away.

DATE OF GAME SET DEFINITELY

Manager of Girls' Team Wires From Wichita That Date Was Opened Lions Accept

LIONS HAVE BIG CLUB

Entire Membership of Local Club Has Applied For Place On The Team

That ball game between the Wallenstein & Raffman baseball team of Wichita and the local Lions club team will really be played. There can be no backing out or cancelling of the date this time.

The game will be played in Spearman on Tuesday, August 26, beginning at around 3:00 p. m. The first date arranged for between the local lions team and this girls' fast team from Wichita was cancelled for the very simple reason that Gage, Oklahoma, got their acceptance of the challenge into headquarters before the Spearman acceptance reached that place. Challenges were sent to several towns and Gage was the first to accept.

But that is all ancient history now. The Lions have everything arranged and the big game will be played on August 26. Manager Walter Beck, of the Lions Team, states that he is having some trouble deciding just whom he shall play on the team against the girls. He states that every member of the Spearman Lions club and several who are not members have applied for a position on the team. President Clogston and Secretary Davis report that the boys are paying up their dues and falling into line as never before. This ball game is going to be a wonderful thing for the Lions Club of Spearman.

Morse Citizens In F. W. & D. C. Wreck Near Vernon Sunday

Two men, the engineer and fireman, were killed and fifteen passengers were injured seriously early Sunday morning in a wreck on the Fort Worth and Denver railroad near Oklaunion, eight miles east of Vernon. W. L. Corn of Morse, well known farmer stockman, was listed among the injured. J. O. Guleke, a well known Amarillo lawyer who has many friends and acquaintances in Spearman, was on the train, but was not injured. Mr. Guleke was enroute to Dallas to attend the Sterling political rally.

Attended Meeting at Perryton Friday

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Collins and Miss Mildred Crawford attended the Women's Committee meeting of the Texas-Louisiana Power Co. held at Perryton on Friday evening of last week. This meeting is held at Perryton on Friday evening the purpose of gaining each of the women employees a better understanding of her work, and of public utility organization, the modern method of the use and care of appliances, and training in safety measures.

Oldham Family to Hugoton

Cal Oldham came home from Hugoton, where he is employed as a carpenter, to spend the week-end with his family here. As Mr. Oldham will be in Hugoton and vicinity for some time, Mrs. Oldham and the children packed up and went back with him, to remain until the beginning of the next school term.

CRACKER GETS 30 GALLONS HOPPERS TO THE ACRE

W. Tucker, rancher on the north side of Kenton, has solved the problem of harvesting grasshoppers. The market on the pest is especially good just now, and Tucker had to harvest them in order to insure his customary crop of alfalfa seed.

SATTIRE

How boys can travesty and satire the action of their elders, and do it in all seriousness. The current tree sitting endurance contests furnish an excellent example.

PAY AS YOU GO

Paul: "I'd go through anything for you." Pauline: "Let's start on your bank account."

MOST GIRLS WOULD WED

Marriage is the final ambition of 82 per cent of all girls up to the age of 35 in the business world according to a household research bureau which has been investigating the subject.

A STRAY PUP'S FRIEND

What does a stray pup amount to, anyway? What does it matter if a helpless animal is abused and tortured to make sport for a gang of thoughtless boys? Who would care?

Raise Better Wheat Through Better Seed

Low yields, poor quality and unsatisfactory crop returns are the usual penalties for impure, smutty and rye-mixed seed wheat. The right kind of seed may be considered as the first and most important production essential.

In buying seed wheat, know what you buy, do not buy it blindly. Pure or certified seed costs very little more than ordinary seed but insures far better returns.

PREVENT FIRES

Recent investigations show that more than one third of all forest fires can be traced to the carelessness of campers and smokers in the woods.

year into the heart of the wilderness to spend their vacations. For they are the ones who are accountable in no small degree for the havoc wrought by fires.

DALHART MEN TO BUILD BIG DAM

A group of progressive Dalhart citizens recently announced the purchase of several hundred acres of land in Rita Blanca canyon west of Dalhart and have started work on filling a gap in the old Blair dam that washed out in 1908.

The dam is to be made three feet higher, and it is planned to provide a spillway of sufficient size to prevent a recurrence of the disaster of 1908.

LIQUID, ALL RIGHT

The Mississippi banker asked a man who was trying to borrow money: "How much have you in the way of immediate liquid assets?"

At this season the great issue is, which group of sportsmen can lie most effectively—fishermen or golfers.

S. J. R. No. 7. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 11 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 11. In order to enable the Legislature to perform the duties set forth in the foregoing section, it is hereby declared all lands and other property hereto-

fore set apart and appropriated for the establishment and maintenance of the University of Texas, together with all the proceeds of sales of the same, heretofore made or hereafter to be made, and all grants, donations and appropriations that may hereafter be made by the State of Texas, or from any other source, shall constitute and become a permanent university fund.

Sec. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be voted on by the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1930.

S. J. R. No. 19. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

The Legislature shall meet every two years at such time as may be provided by law and at other times when convened by the Governor. When convened in regular session the first thirty days thereof shall be devoted to the introduction of bills and resolutions, acting upon emergency appropriations, passing upon the confirmation of the recess appointees of the Governor and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special messages to the Legislature; provided that during the succeeding thirty days of the regular session of the Legislature the various committees of each House shall hold hearings to consider all bills and resolutions and other matters then pending; and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor; provided further that during the following sixty days the Legislature shall act upon such bills and resolutions as may be then pending and upon such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special messages to the Legislature; provided however, either House may otherwise determine

S. J. R. No. 2. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Article V of the Constitution of Texas shall be amended by adding a new section to be known as Section 3a, to read as follows:

Section 3a. The Supreme Court may sit at any time during the year at the seat of government for the transaction of business at each term thereof shall begin and end with each calendar year.

S. J. R. No. 3. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Article V of the Constitution of Texas shall be amended by adding a new section to be known as Section 3b, to read as follows:

Section 3b. If the Constitution shall not have been previously amended so as to provide that the Supreme Court shall be open at a times, then, in that event the foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1930.

S. J. R. No. 4. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930

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S. J. R. No. 5. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Article V of the Constitution of Texas shall be amended by adding a new section to be known as Section 3d, to read as follows:

Section 3d. If the Constitution shall not have been previously amended so as to provide that the Supreme Court shall be open at a times, then, in that event the foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1930.

Farm Relief That Relieves

We have devised no means of raising the price of wheat, of stabilizing the market, or preventing the hot sun from drying out the corn, or of keeping the cinch bug from its destructive work, but we can offer farm relief.

In the good old days if a piece of machinery broke down it meant a half day wasted before the farmer could hitch up a drive to town and return with a new part. If he took in a load of hay and found the price had advanced, there was nothing to do but haul the load back home.

Nowadays the telephone eliminates the delay and losses. The farmer, the stockman, the fruit grower, can keep in touch with the shows and the latest market reports. The rural telephone is as valuable and as convenient to the farmer as to the modern business man.

And what a relief to the farm women who used to visit their neighbors once or twice a month in weather permitting, who never knew when bargain day came or where to do her shopping the most economically. The telephone is a real friend of hers.

It is one convenience that the farm home need not be without.

FRED LUSK, Local Manager

The Western Telephone Corp. of Texas

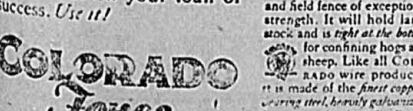


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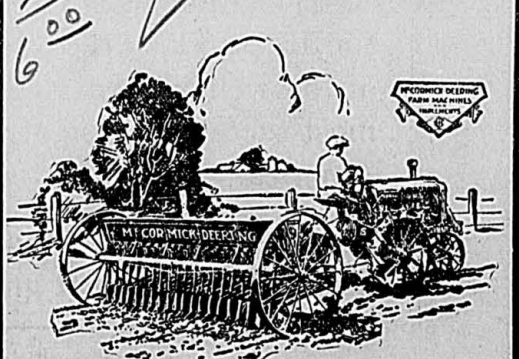


COLORADO Standard Fence is a general purpose stock and field fence of exceptional strength. It will hold large stock and is right at the bottom for confining hogs and sheep. Like all Colorado wire products, it is made of the finest copper-coated steel, heavily galvanized direct with Silver Tip Process.

Pickering Lumber Co. H. L. Dumas, Manager Spearman

GOOD EQUIPMENT MAKES A GOOD FARMER A BETTER FARMER

McCormick-Deering Deep Furrow Wheat Drill



Full car load just received. 14-discs, 20 inches in diameter, 12-inch spacing.

Grain box is now all steel. This is the drill you have been wanting all these years.

Call and See Them—They are Here Now!

SPEARMAN HARDWARE

The McCormick-Deering Line Phone 35—Spearman

Dr. Powell, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, will be in Spearman, at offices of Dr. Powell, on Wednesday, August 27. Glasses fitted and tonsils and adenoids removed.

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its order of business by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of membership.

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Mrs. T. A. Baley came from her home in Childers last week and is a guest in the home of her son R. L. Baley.

Mrs. Virgil Floyd, efficient bookkeeper and all-around helper at Thomason Brothers, is again at her post of duty after a two-weeks very pleasant vacation.

Mrs. Lee Jenkins was brought home from St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo on Tuesday of last week, where she has been for the past two weeks, under the care of specialists.

Gordon Brant is the quite efficient cold drink mixer at the Hale Drug store. He is a brother of A. G. Brant who has charge of the cleaning and pressing department at Campbell's Men's store.

Miss Zelma Gay returned home Tuesday from St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo, where she spent the last three weeks, while recovering from an operation for appendicitis. She is getting along fine at the present time.

Mrs. R. H. Prewitt drove over to Canadian last Sunday to visit with friends and relatives and to meet her husband, R. H. Prewitt, who was returning from Kansas City, where he attended the funeral of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas of Beaver City, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Walker, in west Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Milton and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley of Alva, Oklahoma, were Saturday guests at the Geo. C. Mitts home out west of town.

Mrs. Elsie Davis is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Mitts, out west of town, coming from her home at Morse the first of the week.

Donald Major, son of S. A. Major, of San Marcos, arrived on Saturday of last week to visit indefinitely with his uncle, M. Major, in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Morrison are the proud parents of a nine-pound girl, born on Thursday, July 31. The young lady has been named Mary Nell.

The three-year old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mackie, who live on the Gray Sparks farm five miles west of town happened to a painful accident on Wednesday, when she fell from a concrete floor and broke her right thigh. The break was quite critical, as revealed by the X-ray in the offices of Drs. Spencer and Gibner. The little girl is improving nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dumas and his father W. F. Dumas, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones spent last week on a pleasure trip out in Colorado and New Mexico. You can save money if you read the ads in the Reporter.

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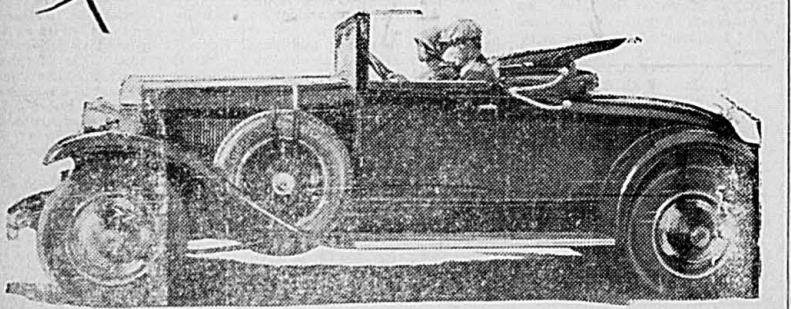
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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

By the Secretary

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce, will be just as effective as members make it. The duty does not end with the payment of dues. The payment of dues is merely a contribution toward the promotion of an institution through which all can work for a bigger and better community. You then have the privilege and duty of suggestion, criticism, advice and work. The work of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce never will be finished. No successes merely open the door to bigger avenues of effort. The Chamber of Commerce work is ended is a city swallowed by an earthquake, completely destroyed from end to end by fire, blown away by storm or dead from dry rot inside.

The biggest men in large cities were born in little towns. Most of the big ideas that have become originated in community building in the smaller cities.

If you have an idea regarding the future growth and development of Hansford county don't conceal it. Don't be ashamed of our city and community. Five out of six of these ideas may not be practical, but the sixth may develop into an item of community building of inestimable value.

It is the service through your Chamber of Commerce that you can get the most out of life as a citizen. Older persons tell us as they begin to look toward the setting sun that material gains, money and success, shrink into insignificance unless the owner of these blessings has also friends and neighbors and the pride that comes from knowledge that he has done his part as a citizen and has made his town and county a little better for having lived in it.

Every family in Spearman should take a personal interest in the beautification of their city; in planting trees, shrubs and other ornamentals around their homes. Spearman, located in the heart of the wheat belt is expected to make a fine showing to the thousands of visitors that will come to or pass through Spearman after our new Highway No. 117 is built and open

to travel. We have many nice, beautiful lawns and flower gardens, but we want to double them. Pretty shrubs, trees, and well-kept lawns have a good moral influence and give our visitors a good impression of our city.

The City Commissioners are to be commended for the interest they are manifesting in the paving program for Spearman, which will help to more firmly place our city on the map. A well paved city efficiently lighted by a white way will give Spearman a vast amount of good publicity to many visitors who will come here when Highway No. 117 is completed.

The methods of present day business have been revolutionized. Farming methods must also be revolutionized, and made more profitable. We must build for tomorrow and not only for today. Ten years hence, through taking advantage now of present opportunities to plant the idea of general diversification in the minds of Hansford county farmers, and of a future program of expansion and additional industries in the minds of the representative business men. We have not so far, made the most of the opportunities at hand. But we are on the right road. The big problem is, to take farming a profitable and solid business in Hansford county. On this depends everything else.

It has become a fixed habit among many good and well-meaning farmers, to plant all available acreage in wheat, trusting blindly to the "good luck" of fate, or the whim of a rare circumstance to shower upon them an avalanche of golden shekels. It is seldom, indeed, that miraculous riches follow along the course of those who gamble with nature and hold no "trick" cards up their sleeves, and stake all on one crop.

It is the first command of nature that economic laws must maintain a normal equilibrium. Agricultural conditions in Hansford county are abnormal and not balanced with natural necessities, which every day in the year demands. At the end of the production season (the wheat harvest) there is a standstill of further production for several months between one harvest and another. All alike must suffer during these months of inactivity and absence of productive effort.

Hansford county should have a well-balanced productive activity

throughout the year, bringing in a constant month to month revenue to the city and farms of the county. This is an ancient and natural law—the law of work and industry, of creating of thrift, which forms the cause that brings about contentment and prosperity.

Spearman and Hansford county have a wonderful future. They will continue to grow, and the measures of that growth will be the energy and faith of the people who live here. Their working organization is the Chamber of Commerce and it is the duty of every business man and citizen to become a member.

At a meeting of the Street Committee of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday morning many important matters were discussed and a fine program outlined for accomplishment. This committee is a very important one of the Chamber of Commerce and is one which will be responsible for bringing around many good things for Spearman which will be in evidence at a later date.

The work of the Retail Merchants Committee of which Sid Powers is Chairman, is planning good activities for a later date, in bringing to the attention of the buying public the importance of trading at home where the dollars are re-spent, which is either a direct or indirect benefit to everybody. It is the part of wisdom for everybody to give serious thought when spending their dollars and keep every one of them at home when possible.

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and acquaintances here.

The Street committee of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday morning at which time several important matters came up for discussion. Among them was traffic regulations in Spearman. It was pointed out that many joy riders make a race course out of Main street and streets in the residential section, especially in the late evening or at night. Many make a practice of driving from one end of Main street to the other repeatedly, which helps to congest traffic and seriously interferes with people who come here to trade in getting about from one side of the street to the other. It was also suggested that the U turn should be cut out, which also interferes with traffic and also creates a danger

of some one getting seriously injured.

The marking of streets and numbering of houses was discussed as well as a weed cutting campaign, and having all junk, such as wrecked cars and other things which mar the beauty of Spearman hauled away. It is expected that some action by the city commissioners will be taken at an early date to overcome all these important matters, and remedy them in some manner.

School time will soon be here and it is hoped that the speed ordinances will be enforced and all speeding on the streets checked, for if it is not remedied there will be a serious accident some day which could be avoided if such precautions are taken in advance.

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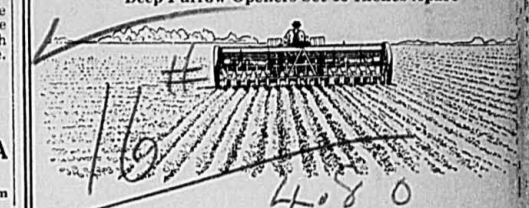


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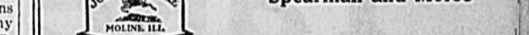
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CARD OF THANKS

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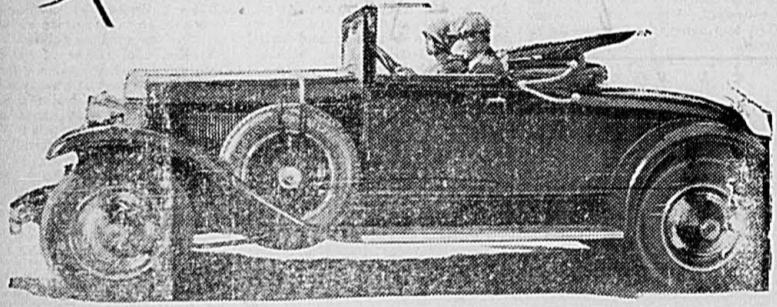
Mrs. T. A. Baley came from her home in Childers last week and is a guest in the home of her son R. L. Baley. Mrs. Virgil Floyd, efficient bookkeeper and office helper at Thomason Brothers, is again at her post of duty after a two-weeks very pleasant vacation. Mrs. Lee Jenkins was brought home from St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo on Tuesday of last week, where she has been for the past two weeks, under the care of specialists. Gordon Brant is the quite efficient cold drink mixer at the Hale Drug store. He is a brother of A. G. Brant who has charge of the cleaning and pressing de- partment at Campbell's Men's store. Miss Zelma Gay returned home Tuesday from St. Anthony's hos- pital in Amarillo, where she spent the last three weeks, while re- covering from an operation for appendicitis. She is getting along fine at the present time. Mrs. R. H. Prewitt drove over to Canadian last Sunday to visit with friends and relatives and to meet her husband, R. H. Prewitt, who was returning from Kansas City, where he attended the fun- eral of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas of Beaver City, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Walker, in west Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Milton and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley of Alva, Oklahoma, were Saturday guests at the Geo. C. Mitts home out west of town. Mrs. Elsie Davis is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Mitts, out west of town, coming from her home at Morse the first of the week. Donald Major, son of S. A. Major, of San Marcos, arrived on Saturday of last week to visit indefinitely with his uncle, M. Major, in Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Morrison are the proud parents of a nine- pound girl, born on Thursday, July 31. The young lady has been named Mary Nell. The three-year old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mackie, who live on the Gray Sparks farm five miles west of town happened to a painful accident on Wednes- day, when she fell from a concrete floor and broke her right thigh. The break was quite critical, as revealed by the X-ray at the of- fices of Drs. Spencer and Gibner. The little girl is improving nicely at this time.

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It Just Begins The service of this institution does not end with the usual receiving, safeguarding, and paying out of money. In fact it just begins with these functions. HERE IS THE PLACE TO COME when you want a traveler's Check, a letter of credit, informa- tion on investments, out of town concerns, etc. Isn't there something we can do for you today? First National Bank of Spearman Capital and Surplus \$30,000.00

COME to this bank as often as you like with your Banking Problems This bank's policy is to make you Welcome Every time you come First State Bank of Spearman



HERE'S THE TIRE for that vacation tour!



Jimmy Davis At Champlin Service Station

PLANNING a trip? Want to have every mile of it free from dangerous blow-outs and roadside flats? Then come in today and get your share of our mid-summer bargains in tires! The prices in the box at right are our sale prices on genuine Goodrich Cavalier Tires! They're another proof that we will not be undersold!

Goodrich Cavalier

DEMONSTRATION of the New FAMOUS OHIO DEEP-FURROW WHEAT DRILL will be held near SPEARMAN inquire at Equity Exchange THURSDAY, AUGUST 14 Beginning at 2 P. M. The Famous Ohio Deep-Furrow is a real tractor drill. This drill was designed for the builders of the well known Angell One-Way Plow by the most successful designer of deep-furrow drills in America. This drill has many new features that are needed by the wheat growers of this section. Harry Crowell, designer of this drill and C. L. Moore, field representative, will be present Demonstration Day. Remember the Day and the Hour BE SURE-SEE THE DEMONSTRATION! Spearman Equity Exchange ELEVATOR ROW SPEARMAN

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

By the Secretary

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce, will be just as effective as members make it. The duty does not end with the payment of dues. The payment of dues is merely a contribution toward the promotion of an institution through which all can work for a bigger and better community. You then have the privilege and duty of criticism, advice and suggestion. The work of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce never will be finished. New successes merely open the door to bigger avenues of effort. The only place where the Chamber of Commerce work is ended is a city swallowed by an earthquake, completely destroyed from end to end by fire, blown away by storm or dead from dry rot inside.

The biggest men in large cities were born in little towns. Most of the big ideas that have become national in community building originated in the smaller cities.

If you have an idea regarding the future growth and development of Hansford county don't conceal it. Don't be ashamed of our city and community. Five out of six of these ideas may not be practical, but the sixth may develop into an item of community building of inestimable value.

It is the service through your Chamber of Commerce that you can get the most out of life as a citizen. Older persons tell us as they begin to look toward the setting sun that material gains, money and success, shrink into insignificance unless the owner of these blessings has also friends and neighbors and the pride that comes from knowledge that he has done his part as a citizen and has made his town and county a little better for having lived in it.

Every family in Spearman should take a personal interest in the beautification of their city; in planting trees, shrubs and other ornaments around their homes. Spearman, located in the heart of the wheat belt is expected to make a fine showing to the thousands of visitors that will come to or pass through Spearman after our new Highway No. 117 is built and open

to travel. We have many nice, beautiful lawns and flower gardens, but we want to double them. Pretty shrubs, trees, and well-kept lawns give a good moral influence and give our visitors a good impression of our city.

The City Commissioners are to be commended for the interest they are manifesting in the paving program for Spearman, which will help to more firmly place our city on the map. A well paved city efficiently lighted by a white way will give Spearman a vast amount of good publicity to many visitors who will come here when Highway No. 117 is completed.

The methods of present day business have been revolutionized. Farming methods must also be revolutionized, and made more profitable. We must build for tomorrow and not only for today. Ten years hence, through taking advantage now of present opportunities to plant the idea of general diversification in the minds of Hansford county farmers, and of a future program of expansion and additional industries in the minds of the representative business men. We have not so far, made the most of the opportunities at hand. But we are on the right road. The big problem is, to make farming a profitable and solid business in Hansford county. On this depends everything else.

It has become a fixed habit among many good and well-meaning farmers, to plant all available acreage in wheat, trusting blindly to the "good luck" of fate, or the whim of a rare circumstance to shower upon them an avalanche of golden shekels. It is seldom, indeed, that miraculous riches follow along the course of those who gamble with nature and hold no "trick" cards up their sleeves, and stake all on one crop.

It is the first command of nature that economic laws must maintain a normal equilibrium. Agricultural conditions in Hansford county are abnormal and not balanced with natural necessities, which every day in the year demands. At the end of the production season (the wheat harvest) there is a standstill of further production for several months between one harvest and another. All alike must suffer during these months of inactivity and absence of productive effort.

Hansford county should have a well-balanced productive activity throughout the year, bringing in a constant month to month revenue to the city and farms of the county. This is an ancient and natural law—the law of work and industry, of creating of thrift, which forms the cause that brings about contentment and prosperity.

Spearman and Hansford county have a wonderful future. They will continue to grow, and the measure of that growth will be the energy and faith of the people who live here. Their working organization is the Chamber of Commerce and it is the duty of every business man and citizen to become a member.

At a meeting of the Street Committee of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday morning many important matters were discussed and a fine program outlined for accomplishment. This committee is a very important one of the Chamber of Commerce and is one which will be responsible for bringing around many good things for Spearman which will be in evidence at a later date.

The work of the Retail Merchants Committee, of which Sid Powers is Chairman, is planning good activities for a later date, in bringing to the attention of the buying public the importance of trading at home where the dollars are re-spent, which is either a direct or indirect benefit to everybody. It is the part of wisdom for everybody to give serious thought when spending their dollars and keep every one of them at home when possible.

Our Guests—When you meet a stranger on the street or in a foreign car speak to him. It is done in other cities with splendid results. Our guests must be treated fairly and made to feel they are truly welcome, the impression we make on them will be instrumental in bringing their friends

and acquaintances here.

The Street committee of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday morning at which time several important matters came up for discussion. Among them was traffic regulations in Spearman. It was pointed out that many joy riders make a race course out of Main street and streets in the residential section, especially in the late evening or at night. Many make a practice of driving from one end of Main street to the other repeatedly, which helps to congest traffic and seriously interferes with people who come here to trade in getting about from one side of the street to the other. It was also suggested that the U turn should be cut out, which also interferes with traffic and also creates a danger

of some one getting seriously injured.

The marking of streets and numbering of houses was discussed as well as a weed cutting campaign, and having all junk, such as wrecked cars and other things which mar the beauty of Spearman hauled away. It is expected that some action by the city commissioners will be taken at an early date to overcome all these important matters, and remedy them in some manner.

School time will soon be here and it is hoped that the speed ordinances will be enforced and all speeding on the streets checked for if it is not remedied there will be a serious accident some day which could be avoided if such precautions are taken in advance.

ATHLETE SOON REGAINS HEALTH BY NEW KONJOLA

Baseball Player Suffering From Rheumatism and Other Ailments Finds Prompt Relief



MR. JACK M. LONG

"For over two years I suffered from rheumatism," said Mr. Jack M. Long, 511 Burnett street, Ft. Worth. "My legs and back were affected so much that I could not carry on my work as a baseball player. Finally I was forced to remain in my room for three months. I had attacks of indigestion and my kidneys gave me no end of trouble; the pains in my back were terrible. I was forced to rise many times nightly and became very nervous.

"I tried many remedies without result when a friend recommended Konjola. After taking seven bottles, I was able to resume my work in the K. I. C. League as a ball player. The rheumatic pains have completely vanished and my stomach is in perfect condition. My kidneys are again normal and I do not have to rise at night. The pains have left my back and my

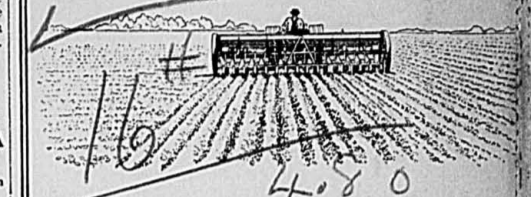
nerves are strong. Konjola restored me to perfect health.

Although many men and women state that one or two bottles brought relief, it is recommended that six or eight bottles be taken to obtain the best results.

Konjola is sold in Spearman at Hastings Pharmacy, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

Prof. and Mrs. R. L. Snider turned on Sunday from New Oklahoma, where he has just attended upon the summer sessions at Oklahoma University. Prof. Snider is much proud of the progress the ball boys are making on Spearman's fine high school building. He will spend the remainder of the vacation period in Spearman, making ready for the beginning of the next school term.

John Deere-Van Brunt 16-Disk Drill with 14-Inch Deep Furrow Openers Set 10 Inches Apart



You Can Avoid All Losses from Faulty Seeding

There are no bare spots due to faulty distribution of seed when you use a John Deere-Van Brunt Single-Disk Grain Drill.

It is the drill for accurate and uniform planting at even depth. It has the adjustable gate force feed, metal tubes and closed disk boot delivery, special tilting lever, and other features that insure the unexcelled work for which it is so widely known.

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There are many features of this drill we want to show you at your first opportunity to call on us.

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in a gala role more magnetic and appealing than in "Gold Diggers of Broadway"—as the sweetie of the dub prize fighter, portrayed by Joe E. Brown.

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We have purchased the Gregg Bakery in Spearman and will continue the business as heretofore run by Mr. and Mrs. Gregg.

We earnestly solicit the business of the people of Spearman and vicinity, and shall strive to merit the same.

Try Our Bakery Products. You Will be Pleased

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Spearman, Texas

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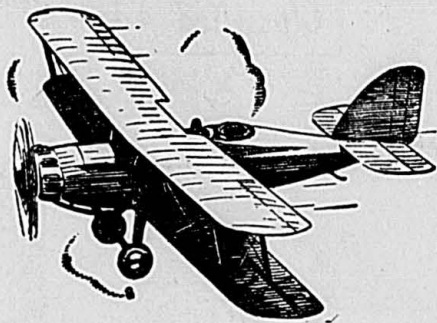
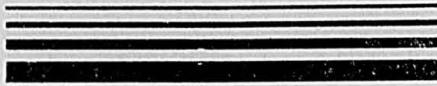
OUR MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE HAS BEEN A HUGE SUCCESS

We are well pleased with the results of our Mid-Summer Clearance Sale which began on August 1 and will continue until August 16. Our patrons and friends of Spearman and surrounding country are coming in this sale and taking advantage of the great reduction in prices which we are offering. This is a genuine sale of high class merchandise. We were simply, over-stocked, and decided to reduce our stock by giving our friends and customers advantage of bargains they never before received in Spearman. The lines are still complete in every detail and the sale continues until Saturday, August 16. Come in today; buy Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Caps—everything to wear—while these low prices prevail.

MEN'S OVERALLS Men's 8 oz. Test Overall triple stitched, full cut \$1.49 ³⁰ / ₁₀₀ Double Pocket, coat style, triple stitched work shirts, only 64c	LADIES WASH DRESSES 79c and Up BUY YOUR WINTER BLANKETS NOW 66x 80, part wool, double blanket for only \$3.19 A Real Value
SILK HOSE All silk hose here at great reduction. 89c to \$1.69	Men's Suits Suits by Stein-Bloch, Society and Marx & Haas. \$12.95 to \$39.95
10 YARDS TOWELING Clearance Sale Price \$1.00	

W. L. RUSSELL

Dry Goods Groceries Market



Take Off—

Each year, each month, each day, yes, each hour we are, as a community, embarking on a flight---but whither.

With pride in our community as our pilot, we will fly straight and true along the course of progress, and alight without mishap in the port of greater prosperity.

To make the returns of our flight all that they should be, each and every one of us must not alone feel that pride in our community, we must act it. Do, with our hands and our brains, our daily tasks so carefully and so thoroughly that our community may be proud of us.

Our Interest in the Welfare of this Community Prompts us to Sponsor this Message to the People of Spearman and Vicinity.

Womble Hardware ✓	Jackson Tire Shop ✓	Service Cleaners ✓	Spearman Equity Exchange ✓
Snider Produce ✓	McNabb Land Company ✓	W. L. Russell, Dry Goods, Groceries ✓	First National Bank ✓
Spearman Motor Company ✓	Hill Brothers Grocery & Market ✓	Harbison Furniture Company ✓	Jitney Jungle, Groceries ✓
First State Bank ✓	Stone-Merritt & Company ✓	Thomason Brothers, Dry Goods ✓	White House Lumber Company ✓
Panhandle Lumber Company ✓	Mizar Truck Line ✓	Smith Variety Store ✓	Sparks Confectionery ✓
Pickering Lumber Company ✓	J. R. Collard, Real Estate and Loans ✓	Raney & Crawford, the Oliver Line ✓	Scott Brothers, Grain and Coal ✓
Wilson Funeral Homes ✓	Spearman Hardware ✓	Hastings Pharmacy ✓	W. C. Bryan & Son ✓
Hansford Abstract Company ✓	McClellan Chevrolet Co., Inc. ✓	R. L. McClellan Grain Co., Inc. ✓	Jno. L. Beck & Son, Builders ✓

Investigation Of The Texas Records

The Federal Government is gathering from the homes of Texas a report of the birth and death which have occurred during the past 12 months. The reports are to be arranged by counties and checked against the certificates actually filed.

Texas is the only State in the Union with an adequate law for birth and death registration, whose records are not recognized by the U. S. Census Bureau. If the investigation now being conducted by the Census Bureau, it is estimated that 30 per cent of the births and deaths have been registered. Texas will be admitted to the Registration Area, and her records recognized, as is the case in 46 other States in the

Union. Although South Dakota has no adequate law, and her records up to this time have not been recognized, a test has been made in that State, and it is believed that South Dakota will be shown to have reached the necessary standard.

A report of a birth or death made to the Federal Government is not a legal registration, but a simple notification, so that the legally filed records may be checked. Any birth, to be legally registered must have the signature of the medical attendant on the record, must be filed with the Local Registrar and sent to the State Bureau of Vital Statistics at Austin.

The law places the responsibility for registering births on the medical attendant, who is liable to a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$50.00, if he has not filed a record at the time of the birth. Any person who wishes to bury a dead body, violates the law if the body is buried before a public record of the death is made, but as the system is new in Texas, and is

not yet thoroughly understood, any birth or death which has not been previously filed, should be registered immediately, if it is the desire of those concerned that such record be counted in the test being made by the Federal Government, which test will begin about August 1st.

Anyone desiring to file a record of an unregistered birth or death, should remember that the law makes it the duty of the Justice of the Peace in the Justice Precinct, and the City Clerk in the City of 2,500 or more, to act as Registrar of Birth and Deaths. In those precincts or cities where the Justice of the Peace or City Clerk has failed or refused to act, the county or city authorities have suggested some individual to act in his place, and a list of these individuals may be secured, either from the city or county authorities or from the State Bureau of Vital Statistics.

MR. AVERAGE FARMER BROADCASTS

Station YRBL—Yours For Better Livestock—broadcasting, Mr. Average Farmer at the mike.

I hate to be talking always about the hot dry weather, as everyone knows just how hot and dry it has been. Everyone doesn't seem to know, however, just what effect this hot dry weather has on the dairy herd production.

The summer is not yet ended, but it should have ended several weeks ago as far as the dairyman is concerned. He should have forgotten about summer early in July and told himself that it was the middle of winter to him, and that he would treat his cows accordingly, as far as feeding goes. Hot weather is hard on cows that are expected to give milk, but hot weather without sufficient feed is almost unbearable. They show the effects, too. Have you noticed it in your herd? If not, you are not one of the many dairymen who expect their cows to stand up enough energy during the winter and spring to carry them through the summer with a full milk pail.

Cows should now be receiving practically the same ration they will get all winter: ground corn barley, or hominy, 200 pounds;

ground oats, 200 pounds; wheat bran, 100 pounds, and mixed meal, 100 pounds. Every cow should receive a goodly portion of this mixture, while the cows that are producing one pound or more of fat daily should be given one pound of grain daily for each three or four pounds of milk.

Station YRBL—Yours For Better Livestock—signing off. Good-bye.

THE FARMER IN BUSINESS

A co-operative association for the marketing of Wisconsin livestock at terminal has just been formed. This organization will handle some \$30,000,000 worth of livestock consigned to terminals by shipping associations located throughout the state.

The farm co-operatives enter the field of big business. This is merely one of the many co-operatives located in the country whose annual volume of business runs into seven figures. There is the tobacco pool, the wool pool, the fruit growers associations of the West, and other such great organizations.

In other words the farmer has been steadily working into big business for himself, and in many of these enterprises he has made an outstanding success. Those who charge that co-operative action among farmers is visionary, an impossible dream, would receive much enlightenment by learning what farm co-operatives are now doing.

Of course the fact remains that the farmer is not handling a sufficiently large part of his output to control marketing conditions, but he is now making a success of his co-operative enterprises and

need merely expand them in time so that he has more to say about the methods by which his products reach the consumer.

The time will eventually arrive when present farm co-operative agencies will seem small and will probably end then that part of our farm relief program will be solved.

Saw a man burning an ice cream freezer yesterday. It reminded me of the time before corporate greed had cornered the ice cream business. Every place that served ice cream made it on the premises. Each refreshment parlor served its own distinctive ice cream. Each had a different flavor, some raw, some were cooked, some had a little cream in it and some had none. The law governing ice cream had not begun to function in those days and no one paid attention whether it had eight percent butterfat or eight percent. With all due respect to the law which governs butterfat content and weight per given bulk of ice cream, we at hanker for a dish of the home made ice cream with its liberal allotment of cream turned in a freezer until it stuffed up like angel food cake.—Claude News.

Foreign Outstanding in value

This new Frigidaire only \$157.50

Porcelain-on-steel inside and out in beautiful glacier-gray

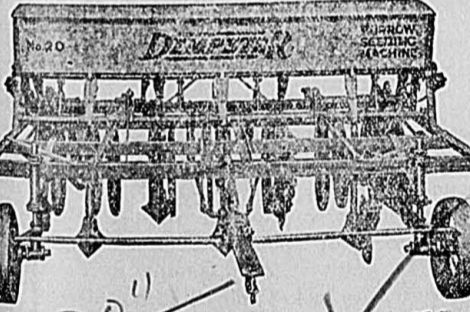
Here is a Frigidaire in a strikingly beautiful glacier-gray Porcelain-on-steel. It has shelves that are elevated to a convenient height. It has rounded corners and roomy food storage space. Most important of all, the mechanical unit is completely enclosed—the design that has made Frigidaire famous for efficiency, long life and low operating cost.

Equipped with the "Cold Control" this Frigidaire freezes ice and desserts with incredible speed. It is extra powerful yet remarkably quiet. Call and see a demonstration. Select your own terms. As little down as you wish to pay. Balance arranged to suit your convenience.

Joe Perry

PROTECTS Your SEED —your CROPS—your PROFITS

The Dempster Special Later-Type Furrow Seeding Machine is one of the most amazing developments in grain drill history—a boon to profitable farming—saves seed—assists germination—conserves moisture—assures bigger yields. Average increase in profit on fifty acres paid for machine on farms where authentic comparative tests were made this year.



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1-2 Mile North of Spearman on

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Something New in Seeding Machinery.. Don't Fail to see this Demonstration

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The Case Line Elevator Row—Spearman

A New Motor Oil Is "University Tested"

Preliminary to placing its new motor oil on the market, The Texas Company arranged what is believed to be a most unusual road test. It was conducted entirely by University professors. The test was arranged in order to get an absolutely independent and unbiased opinion on what the new Texaco Motor Oil would do in the engine under every possible condition.

At 8:30 o'clock on the morning of April 8th, 1930, thirteen stock cars representing eleven of the most popular makes, including practically all types of automobile engines, left Lawrence, Kansas, the approximate geographic center of the United States, bound for distant universities in Florida, North Carolina, Maryland, Georgia, Maine, Oregon, Arizona, Massachusetts, New York, California, Washington and Montana.

Each car had been filled with a weighed quantity of the oil under test and the crankcase, oil filter, engine head and entire lubricating system sealed.

The cars were routed to thirteen of the leading universities over trails which would include all extremes from desert heat to the cold of snow-covered mountain passes. All conditions of road were encountered varying from the level stretches of smooth concrete to the rugged hills, rough detours and unpaved roads thru some sections of the western and mid-western states.

The cars covered from 1,500 miles to a maximum of nearly 2,500 miles before reaching their university destinations.

Physical tests, both at the start and at the completion of the run, included gravity, viscosity, carbon residue, pour test and dilution. The engines were taken down at the points of destination, carbon scraped and weighed, and a thorough examination made of the cylinder walls and other parts affected by lubrication.

Among those participating in the tests were many well-known engineering authorities. None of those participating had anything but a strictly technical interest in the results.

The findings of the university professors emphasized many different points and present certain outstanding points of superiority.

This new oil appears to combine to an admirable degree all of the three important qualifications, a tough, apparently crack-proof body, carbon-free purity, and low pour point, which are so essentially desirable in an automotive engine lubricant.

It is believed that no other oil has ever been subjected to such an all-inclusive, practical and absolutely impartial test of its qualities.

THE RIGHT SPIRIT

If you hold a penny close to your eye it will obscure your entire view of the universe. Likewise if a business man sees only the dollar expended for every project, he will lose his perspective on the ultimate possibilities of his business.

This natural human failing—this inability to see things in their larger significance—stands in the way not only of individual prosperity but of general community progress. Men who are constantly looking only for immediate profits are incapable of building either an active enterprising business or a progressive high spirited community.

One must occasionally spend money for things that have no immediate value in order to realize the greatest ultimate value possible.

In this respect Spearman is fortunate. The majority of our local business men are interested in the welfare of the town, and are willing to devote money and effort to every project designed to make ours a more active and more satisfying community in which to live. We have a large number of citizens who can and frequently do say: "Well, this won't mean much to me or my business directly, but it will unquestionably help the town and anything that helps the town helps me indirectly."

We commend this sort of spirit and hope that it is sufficiently contagious to permeate the entire community in the near future.

After all the farmers might as well accept the advice to raise more bees. It is used to being stung by almost everything he raises.

Count Foreign

Campbell-Ewald 60" @ 35 = 21

CHEVROLET ANNOUNCES DE LUXE WIRE WHEELS

60" at no extra cost



Chevrolet again adds extra value to the Chevrolet Six! Those who prefer may now have any passenger model equipped with beautiful de luxe wire wheels—at no additional cost!

Designed especially for Chevrolet, these wheels incorporate many important features that have won favor on cars much higher in price.

The ornamental hub caps are unusually large, and are finished in sparkling chromium plate. The bolts that hold the wheel in place are located inside the hub—thus assuring a smarter, more clean-cut appearance. The spokes are short and sturdy—the wheel construction is extremely rugged. Moreover,

there is an unusually large number of spokes—for extra strength and durability!

A variety of attractive new colors

In addition to this de luxe wire wheel equipment, Chevrolet now makes available a wide choice of new color combinations on all models—colors that are rich and distinctive.

You are invited to come in—NOW—and attend the first showing of six-cylinder Chevrolet models with these striking new colors and wire wheels.

Sport Roadster.....\$555	Club Sedan.....\$665	ROADSTER or PHAETON	Sedan Delivery.....\$595	1 1/2 Ton Chassis...\$520
Comch.....\$565	Sedan.....\$675	\$495	Light Delivery Chassis.....\$365	With Cab.....\$625
Coupe.....\$565	Special Sedan.....\$725		Roadster Delivery.....\$440	Prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich. Special equipment extra
Sport Coupe.....\$655	(6 wire wheels standard on Special Sedan)			

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Announcement

I have purchased the Cecil Grocery and Market, located on elevator row, Spearman and have taken charge of the same. I intend to keep on hands at all time all kinds of Fresh Meats, Cured Meats and a line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, second to none in freshness and quality. I intend to sell for cash at the lowest price possible.

My Prices on Fresh Meats Will be of Interest to You. Call and See.

Felix Tackitt

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A Week of Real BARGAINS!

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AUG. 9 to 16 Inclusive

- SALT, Bartons Iodized, 2 boxes 21c
- OATS, Chest O Silver, 2 packages 53c
Contains a good Premium of Silverware
- CHEERIO Washing Powder, 2 pkgs. 14c
- Sir Walter Raleigh Smoking Tobacco, 2 cans .21c
- PUFF RICE, 3 boxes 26c
- SWEET CORN, Santa Fe, 2 cans 24c
- SWEET PICKLES, in bulk, per dozen 17c
- STRAINED HONEY, gallon, regular \$1.50 .. 99c
- PEARS, Santa Fe Bartlett, gallon 58c
- PORK & BEANS, Van Camps, large size ... 19c
- PINE APPLE, Crushed Hawian, gallon 89c
- GREEN BEANS, Farm King Cut, No. 2 can .. 11c
- CALUMET BAKING POWDER, 5 lb. cans . \$1.00
- CAMAY SOAP, 4 bars 24c

EXTRA SPECIAL

- 36-inch Pillow Tubing, per yard 18c
- Table Damask, 58x54 74c
- 6 Spools Thread 23c

Spearman Equity Exchange

Elevator Row Spearman

Churches and Society

Women's Missionary Union

The W. M. U. met with Mrs. Allen on Wednesday afternoon with thirteen members present. Mrs. Hutchison had charge of the program. The subject of the lesson was "Foreign Missions," and it was very interesting.

The election of officers for the coming year, which begins on September 1, was held at this meeting. All the old officers were reelected, with the exception of Mrs. Hitt, who is now a mail carrier. Mrs. Hutchison was elected to her place as vice president. Our officers are: Mrs. R. L. Baley, president; Mrs. C. L. Hutchison, vice president; Mrs. Fred Brandt, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. J. E. Gower, reporter. Several standing committees will be appointed next week.

Mrs. Allen served a very refreshing lunch, consisting of punch and cake.

The ladies will meet with Mrs. C. O. Colloid next Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. Rippy will lead the bible lesson.

At the Baptist Church

Last Sunday was a good day at the Baptist church. The crowds are holding up exceptionally well through the hot summertime, and this fact is greatly appreciated by the pastor and his most earnest

helpers. We have one of the finest young people's organizations in the country, there being 48 present at the meeting last Sunday evening. Still there is room for others. If you are not a member of the B. Y. P. you should be. One of the most pleasant features about our church work is the way our financial matters are handled up. Every member of the church is urged to be present next Sunday as we are to reorganize the Sunday school and elect new officers for the coming year. Don't fail to be there. Visitors have a cordial welcome.—Pastor.

Methodist Church

We had a good day last Sunday. The Sunday school is still holding its own and we are very proud of that fact. Prof. Snider is back now and will be before his big adult class Sunday. Let each member of this class be here and give him a warm welcome. Not only the members but there are many who ought to be present who are not attending Sunday school elsewhere—you come too. Let's have at least 25 present. Services as follows: Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 11, and evening worship at 8:30. If you like to sing come and join in with this congregational singing. The pastor will occupy the pulpit at both hours. All visitors and strangers are invited to worship with us. A hearty welcome awaits you.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the pastor will preach at Medlin school house. We invite all the citizens of that community to be present at that hour. We are delighted with the progress made

in our programs. Our objective for the closing of the conference year is a 100 per cent report on all lines. The pastor is meeting with success in getting the conference claims or the benevolences of the church. Each member will be seen by him—those who have not already been seen. Members, attend church and make a stand for right and help us make a successful conference year—you will feel better by having done so.

H. A. NICHOLS, Pastor.

Missionary Society

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. D. Foote. Fifteen members were present. After a short business session and report for study, which was led by Mrs. A. Lyon, the ladies enjoyed delicious refreshments. The society will meet with Mrs. E. Gerber next Wednesday afternoon.

Entertained For Mrs. McMurry

Lending interest to the social life of Spearman on Thursday, July 24, Mrs. M. B. Wright and Mrs. J. A. Miley, as joint hostesses, honored Mrs. T. S. McMurry with a delightful evening at bridge and bunco. Small trucks loaded with cards bearing Mrs. McMurry's new home address were used as table decorations. At the close of the evening a two-course luncheon was served.

The guests included were: Mrs. Edgar Womble, Mrs. A. F. Barkley, Mrs. H. P. Bailey, Mrs. Fred W. Brandt, Mrs. J. D. Hester, Mrs. R. W. Huffstutter, Mrs. W. S. Mc-

Nabb, Mrs. W. J. Whitson, Mrs. R. W. Maples, Mrs. Perry Hawkins, Mrs. P. M. Maize, Mrs. R. E. Meek, Mrs. F. L. Morgan, Mrs. H. L. Wilbanks, Mrs. Jack Hodges from Denton, Mrs. S. B. Hale, Mrs. R. W. Morton, Miss Lorene Morton, Mrs. T. S. McMurry.

Family Reunion at Morse Followed by Picnic

A reunion of the Mitts family, and several friends occurred at Morse on last Sunday. The relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Miller in Morse in the forenoon, those present being Geo. C. Mitts and family; Mrs. S. A. Mitts, mother of G. W. Mitts; Mrs. Frank Mitts and children, Allen, Gene and Audson; E. B. Miller and family; Mrs. Elsie Davis, Misses Lucile Buchanan and Bessie Cator were guests of the happy party.

Girl Scouts Meet Tonight

A meeting of the Spearman Girl Scouts will be held at the Methodist church tonight, Thursday, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. Important matters are to be discussed and business attended to. All members are urged to attend.

Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Collins had as their guests last week-end, Miss Selma Schow of Dallas.

Ray Keith of the Keith Plumbing Company, and Miss Myrtle Balentine were visitors to Amarillo Saturday, returning Sunday.

Democratic Executive Committee Meeting

The Hansford county democratic executive committee is chairman, met on last Saturday, August 2, for the purpose of carrying out the duties of the committee in connection with the primary election and certifying results. The same to the proper officials, convention to elect delegates to the district and state convention was held. Only three members of the executive committee attended Saturday's meeting, they being Fred W. Brandt, chairman; P. Lyon and Harve Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. H. Clogston came from their home in Wichita, Kansas, and were guests in the home of their son R. H. Clogston of Friday last week. They were accompanied by another son, Clarence, and Mrs. Clogston also entertained at the same time. Mrs. W. Chandler and their sons James, Jerome and William Woods, of Holy, Colorado. The elder Clogston is a prominent attorney in Wichita, while Mr. Woods is cashier of the First National bank of Holy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Womble joined the tourist brigade on Monday morning, heading for Alamogordo, New Mexico, where they will be at the home of his mother for several days. They will visit points of interest in both New Mexico and Colorado while in the state. Mr. Richardson is attending to the duties of the county and district clerk's office during the absence of Cleve Womble.

Thomason Brothers' SPEARMAN TEXAS

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Changing conditions and changing prices have justified us in putting into effect, a new price policy. For the past sixty days we have been busy readjusting prices downward in every department of the store. For example, all shoes that we have been selling for \$8.50, we marked \$7.98, all shoes that were marked \$6.50 and \$6.75, we marked \$5.98. Other similar changes we made throughout the store. These low prices are now in effect, our August Sale Prices will be based on this new low price policy.

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AUGUST 8th