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Hansford Men Buy Local Ford Agency

Jurors Given For November District Court

84th Court Term Will Open In Spearman On Monday, Oct. 30th

Hansford county's term of the 84th district court will convene in Spearman, Monday, October 30th, 10:00 a. m., with Judge Jack Perryton presiding. District Attorney W. L. McConnell also of Perryton, will be in charge of criminal cases.

Fred Hoskins, district and counselor has announced the petit grand jurors as follows:
List of Grand Jurors to appear for service Monday, October 30, 1944 at 10 a. m.
L. J. Cator, Homer Allen, A. L. Jackson, Frank Fleck, J. H. Davis, J. Church, Frank James, W. L. Russell, Wm. F. D. Eiling, Emil Stowson, Robert Alexander, W. Groves, Pearl Dixon, Carl H. Pearson, J. S. Caldwell, Geo. F. Saffard.
Petit Jurors to appear for service Tuesday, Oct. 31, 1944, at 10 a. m.
First week list, No. 1—B. J. Max, J. A. Bruce, Joe L. Novak, J. Jensen, G. J. Brandvik, W. Hutton, P. F. Hawkins, I. L. Harris, E. B. Brockus, Pete Cator, P. Wallin, H. H. Crooks, H. M. Debeck, E. D. Vanderberg, Delon L. M. Buchner, Clarence Johnson, H. L. Boyd, L. R. Gamstelder, R. E. Brooks, Hallnes, Virgil Mathews, S. T. Doer, E. G. Garrett, J. W. Davis, B. Lee, J. F. Cator, S. T. Hanson, Harold Brillhart, D. W. Hart, Gusta Lieb, Aubrey Peddy, M. W. Layton, H. J. Collier, V. P. Hill, O. Womble, John Bishop, Ches. Garrett, J. C. Clidek, R. R. Allbright.

To appear for service Nov. 6, 1944 at 10 a. m. Second week, list No. 2—A. L. Jacobs, J. R. Richardson, F. O. Crawford, O. E. Vaughn, J. Britten, F. K. Banister, J. W. Paul, Paul Roach, V. E. Rosson, F. Mitts, Claude Stowe, Elvin Carlo, A. W. Evans, Frank Kirkman, J. E. Vernon, M. L. Williams, Oscar Archer, Fred Cooper, Cooper, Cecil Crawford, Carl Crawford, T. H. Etter, L. K. Barrett, J. D. Wilbanks, J. M. Peters, Carl Hull, Wesley Garnett, R. Jackson, Mack Dorch, Jesse French, Henry Roper, Carl Kizer, L. S. McLain, J. E. Sluder, A. Ellsworth, Alvin Cator, C. Holt, Browning Higgs, Ray Phelps, R. P. Hingergard.

Hot Music Is Lion Program Tuesday Noon

Lion H. L. Heard was in charge of the program at the noon meeting of the club Tuesday. Lion Heard provided an attractive program when he presented his son, Robbie, at the piano and Donald Locke, who played the trumpet. H. L. Wilbanks was voted as a new member of the club. Two visitors, Russel and Cartwright, contractors for the highway work, were guests of H. L. Heard. A committee composed of Zack Rogers, Eugene Richardson and Bobba Heard was appointed to collect \$70.00 expense money incurred in staging bond drives.

Hansford County Water Project Under Study

According to information carried in an Associated Press story from Austin, Texas, Hansford county's proposed lake which is planned and ready for immediate approval before the war, is now under consideration as one of more than a dozen such projects in the state of Texas.

It is a known fact that most all preliminary work on the proposed Hansford county project is completed. All surveys have been completed and Amarillo friends of Hansford county believe the project will receive high priority when reconversion work is begun following the war. Our representative, Gene Worley, has kept in touch with this project, and will protect this county when the time comes for work of this nature.

Pvt. and Mrs. Sam Van Cleave announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Sue, born at the North Plains hospital in Borger, Sept. 24, and weight 8 lbs., and 10 inches long. Pvt. Van Cleave is stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark.

R. W. Morton Sells Local Ford Agency After Thirty Years Continuous Service

Oldest Youngest Dealer



R. W. MORTON

Here he is. The youngest oldest Ford dealer in the Panhandle of Texas...

Speaking from the standpoint of energy, good will and tenacity, our Hansford county Bob Morton is truly the YOUNGEST, despite the fact that he is the oldest—Has Been—Ford dealer in the Panhandle of Texas.

Announcement has been made in another news story in this issue of the Reporter of the sale of the R. W. Morton Ford agency to Lynn Boykin and Browning Higgs.

Bob entered the automobile sales business when a man did not have to own more gadgets than a hospital to find out what was wrong with an automobile. He started his business career selling the famous Model T Ford, and most purchasers had access to bailing wire to make needed repairs. The repair parts were few and sold mostly for two bits each.

Despite such a favorable background Bob roamed the territory of Moore, Sherman, Hansford and Hutchinson county all during the year of 1912, and was able to sell only one Model T Ford. He does not recall who he sold his first Ford car to, but remembers it was a doctor in one of the four counties he serviced.

Morton moved to Hansford county in 1920 opening up the Hansford agency in a very pretentious 25x100 sheet iron building. Bob built the first corner brick building for his growing Ford agency in 1923, and completed his building program in 1927 when he built the brick buildings from the corner to the Ike Klutts building just south of Womble Hardware Co.

If you recall that Ford completed his first factory in 1903 and really did not make any appreciable headway in the manufacture of the cheap cars until 1909, you will realize that our Bob Morton has quite a record for continuous business in the Panhandle of Texas.

Mr. Morton recalls that 1926

Methodist Church Is Redecorated Inside And Outside Building

Members of the Methodist Church will worship back in the church auditorium this Sunday. The church has been redecorated inside and out, and is very attractive.

Plans are underway for building a new church building as soon as materials can be secured, and the present church building will be used as an educational annex to the main auditorium.

Officials of the church are in hopes that a large attendance will be recorded next Sunday in honor

of the largest volume from standpoint of sales he has enjoyed during the thirty years he has been in business. That year Morton sold more than 400 Ford cars. He recalls a few of his early sales of cars back in 1913, when it was considered a record if an agency in the Panhandle sold as many as 10 cars. Among those he sold were cars to Dr. J. W. Hale, of Dumas, brother of Mrs. C. L. Dowdy of Morse, Texas. He says Old Man Medlin of Hansford County, E. A. Greever of Ochiltree county and Bud Cox were among the early buyers.

At the peak of his business Morton employed some 25 people in the business. This called for ten mechanics on the assembly line for repairs, three to five salesmen and the office force, and parts force.

Bob turned over the reins of the business to the two younger Hansford men Monday morning, October 2nd, but he is hovering around nearby to help out the kids when they get into deep water.

He has made an enviable record in business in this county, and he numbers his friends and customers by the hundreds. He will probably cuss the editor of this paper for telling a lot of the private deals he has made, but the writer cannot help informing our readers that Bob always wrote off a debt when his customer died. He says that if a man could not pay it while he was alive and kicking, just as well not expect his widow to be burdened with the debt. As a matter of fact he is just soft-talking, and will bluster and talk big, but he can't hide a kind heart, regardless of his big frame and rough talk.

Morton will continue to take care of his farming and cattle business, and has not sold any of his business property. He has reserved at least one building for his private office. Of course he does not need it for anything except a loafing place to entertain friends, but he is too old and set in his ways to tell him how to run his life for the next 65 years.

Revival Meeting At Community Church Oct. 5

Revival Services will begin at the Gruver Community Church under the auspices of the Methodist Church Thursday night, Oct. 5th, and continue through Sunday night, October 15th. Rev. J. H. Sharp, Pastor of the San Jacinto Methodist Church of Amarillo, will deliver the sermons. Services will begin at 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Schooler and girls visited relatives in Buffalo, Okla., this week end.

116 Readers Pay Paper During Sept.

Twenty Eight Are Recorded For Last Week

RENEWAL SUBSCRIPTIONS (Last week in September)
C. W. Windom, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

J. G. Brandvik, Gruver, Texas
Mrs. Homer Cluck, Gruver.
R. H. Greene, Gruver
E. D. Clements, Rt. A, Spearman.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS
M. R. Stowe, Waka, Texas
L. E. Biggs, Gruver
Jack Harbour, A. R. T. 2-c, San Francisco, Calif. (gift of father, Clyde Harbour)
Browning Higgs, Spearman
Lynn Boykin, Spearman
Elsie Porter, Panhandle, Texas
Frank Porter, Lubbock, Texas (Gift of mother Mrs. R. L. Porter)
W. I. Robinson, Spearman
John Pipkins, Spearman
N. W. Clayton, Spearman
George Sargent, Stinnett, Texas
Don Terry, Stinnett
Mrs. Henry Ainsley, Amarillo, Texas, (gift of mother, Mrs. E. E. Walker)

Pvt. Cecil Reynolds, Camp Robinson, Ark. (gift of brother, Orlando Reynolds)
Pvt. Orville Fullbright, Camp Wolters, Texas (gift of John Pipkins).

The Spearman Reporter set a new record for renewal and new subscribers for one month when 116 people had paid their subscription. Last weeks subscription record with 13 renewal subscribers and fifteen new subscribers brought the September total to 116 subscribers who paid up during that month. This is the all time high for September of any year and the best list recorded except during a contest.

The management is exceedingly grateful to the readers for their prompt attention to notices which are sent out each month. We believe you had rather pay promptly than to let your subscription drag along and perhaps miss a few copies of the paper.

Of course we cannot emphasize too often the fact that we MUST be paid in advance for the paper. It is not a matter of being hard boiled, or dunning our readers. It is simply the only business way to handle a newspaper, and during this shortage of paper, we want to know if you are to pay for the paper before we can afford to send it to you.

Please continue to pay your subscription promptly, and do not hesitate to let us know if you want your name dropped from our list of readers.

Personals

Mrs. John Noel and Jimmy returned from Tahoka where they had visited a few days with Mrs. Noel's mother.

Mrs. Jessie Tompkins and Alda Jo Sutherland visited in Stinnett and Borger this week-end.

Jack Taylor was ill the past week, but is able to be out again.

Mrs. Guy Shields of Pacadena, Calif., is visiting with relatives in Spearman. Mrs. Shields is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maize.

Marvin Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smith, is quite ill with heart trouble. He was in North Plains hospital several days the past week, but is at home with his parents at present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Buchanan and Burl were visiting in Spearman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cator and Vic Ogle of Gruver were on business in Spearman Monday.

Willie Lackey of North Hutchinson county was a business visitor in Spearman Monday.

Mrs. Charles Cox and little son, Charles, Jr., are here from Brownsville, Texas, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maize and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cator and Children of Sunray were in Spearman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Othar Bruce and children were Perryton visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Noel made a business trip to Springer, New Mexico, Monday.

R. E. Lee Sustains Burns About Face And Hands From Explosion

R. E. Lee sustained painful burns about the face and hands Thursday of last week, when butane gas trapped in a steel filing cabinet in his office was ignited. Mr. Lee explains that butane gas being heavier than air will pocket in any likely enclosure. When he connected his butane for the winter he realized that there was a leak, and corrected the leak. He aired out the office some 30 minutes and thought all was in the clear, but when he lit a match to ignite the stove the trapped gas exploded in his face causing the painful burns.

Eck is in the unhappy position of admitting he is dumb or advertising to the public that butane is dangerous. He cheerfully admits his own error and emphatically declares his favorite sales commodity is as safe as any form of commercial gas. We gladly give butane gas this commercial plug in our news story. Of the hundreds of users of this gas in Hansford county we have never had occasion to publish an account of an accident from anyone else. It's the same old story, the man who should know more about butane than anyone else in the county just got a bit careless, and we are happy to report is not seriously injured. His vanity is considerably marred, since his handsome features are deplorable looking. Eck assures us that he is not nearly as badly hurt as his looks indicate.

4H Club News Rates First Page This Week

Our meeting was called to order by our last year's president, and the motion was made and seconded that we elect officers for the coming year. Craig Hutchinson was elected president for another year; W. Rosenbaum, vice-president; and Clarence Kern, sec. treas. Our president appointed L. W. Rosenbaum to make a talk on the raising and recognizing of good meat animals, to be given at our next meeting.

On September 28th, the Sears' Pig Show was held near the R. L. McClellan Grain Co. Mr. Wells, County agent of Ochiltree County, acted as judge of the exhibition, which was as follows: First prize, Alvin Kaufman; Second prize, L. M. Patterson; Third place, Clarence Kern; and Seventh place, Billy C. Jackson. We were very sorry that Raymond Wallin was unable to bring his pigs to the show.

On September 29, the Gilt and Boar entries were held at Amarillo. On Friday morning the boys went out to the pig show and looked over the Gilts and Boars of the Sears Roebuck & Co. At noon, Mrs. Stevens, the manager of the Sears, Roebuck & Co. store at Amarillo, had planned to give us a banquet in town, but after considering the time that would be lost in going back and forth, a luncheon was given us at the Merchants building at the fair-ground, which was very nice.

The Pig Show opened at 2:00 p.m. Friday. The gilts were judged first and Alvin Kaufmann's gilt of Hansford county placed seventh out of 26 counties represented.

In the Boar division, Craig Hutchinson of Hansford county was placed thirteenth with the boar he entered in the show.

O. P. A. News

Remember that your new "A" coupons are worth four gallons of gasoline.

In the old "A" books eight coupons, each worth three gallons, were validated each three months.

In the new books six coupons, each worth four gallons, will be validated each three months.

Acting Food Rationing officer Opal Wood of the district OPA has announced that additional stamps for processed foods and meats have been validated for October.

Blue stamps, M-5, N-5, P-5, Q-5 and R-5 will be used for purchasing processed foods beginning October 2. On the same date red stamps H-5, J-5 and K-5 will be valid for meats and fats. All stamps will be worth 10 points each, giving a total of 50 points for processed foods and 30 points for meats.

Another shoe ration stamp will become valid November 1. In addition, both of the currently valid shoe coupons — airplane stamps 1 and 2 in War Ration Book III — will overlap the new stamp and will continue to be good indefinitely.

Newsletter From Cong. Worley Tells Of War-Time Washington

Catches Eight Coyotes In Less Than Ten Day Hunt

Dennis Jones, Hansford county's best hunter and trapper, brought in four coyotes Thursday of last week. This was four of eight he had caught in less than ten days under the terms of a contract with Cecil Crawford. Cecil offered Dennis \$60.00 to set his trap he caught two sheep first. The wolves had eaten most of the sheep before he checked his traps. Using the sheep for bait he reset his traps and was able to catch 8 of the wolves. Cecil has learned a little about trapping, and is continuing the campaign to exterminate the marauders.

Rainfall For September Is 1.28 Inches

Total rainfall for September amounted to 1.28 inches, according to the records of Weather Observer, F. W. Brandt. The moisture fell on seven days of the month, but the bulk came in one rainfall last Wednesday, amounting to .98 inches. Other dates included .065 inches Sept. 5, .004 Sept. 11, .003 Sept. 23, .010 Sept. 24, and the rainfall of last Wednesday recorded as .020 Sept. 27th, and .078 Sept. 28th.

Precipitation which fell Sunday night and Monday morning amounted to .40 inches, starting the new month off with a fairly good moisture record. Last year September rainfall amounted to 1.88 inches. However, the moisture in October was only .50 inches. In 1941, the October rainfall was 6.75 inches and the October rainfall for 1942 was 6.47. Normally speaking, October is a comparatively dry month, however the rain chart shows there has never been an October without a small amount of moisture. Back in 1921 only .12 inches were recorded, and last year .50 inches of moisture was the third driest of any year during the last 58 years.

For the first 23 days of September the maximum temperature averaged 85 degrees, the minimum temperature was around 60 degrees. The last seven days of the month the maximum temperature dropped to below 70 degrees and the minimum to about 55 degrees.

DATE	hi	low	rain
September			
26	81	54	
27	73	59	0.20
28	60	50	0.78
29	78	40	
30	86	41	
October			
1	60	52	mist
2	57	42	0.33
3	—	42	0.07

Total for week 1.33

Happy Birthday

- October 2 Loretta Andrews
- October 4 R. E. Latham
- October 7 John Van Cleave
- October 9 Sherrin Mowery
- October 10 Virginia Barkley
- October 11 D. W. Hart
- October 11 Clyde Higgs
- October 11 Mrs. Dana Hazelwood
- October 12 Mrs. Sophia Mowery
- October 13 Clara Jean Ooley
- October 14 Ens. John R. Collard, Jr.

Rev. Waldrop Will Preach Here Oct. 8

Rev. Wm. B. Waldrop, Baptist pastor from Amarillo, Texas, will be guest preacher in the pulpit of the local Baptist church at the morning and evening services Sunday, October 8th.

Rev. K. E. McKneely was guest pastor last Sunday, Oct. first.

Mrs. Rals Richardson left for San Francisco, Calif., last week, where she visited a few days with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Jenkins, who returned with her to Spearman.

The announcement made on September 28th by the War Food Administration regarding the release of practically all types of farm machinery from rationing controls is of great interest and importance to our section of the country. The farm items released from rationing and other distribution controls are: combines, corn binders, manure spreaders, mowers, side delivery rakes, hay loaders, pickup hay balers, wheel tractors, grain drills, potato planters, potato diggers, silo fillers, irrigation pumps, power sprayers, garden tractors, well water systems, power pumps, farm milk coolers, sheet metal water well casing, and farm scales.

This action is in line with the WFA policy of constantly examining all of its wartime regulations and removing them as soon as they are no longer essential, Judge Marvin Jones stated.

One of the problems confronting the farmers and ranchers of the Texas Panhandle this fall will be the supply and availability of protein feed for cattle during the winter months. Due to the interest in this question, I have taken the matter up officially with the War Food Administrator, a native of the Panhandle and familiar with our problems, has supplied the following information:

"The supply will be about the same as it was last year. War Food Order No. 9, which was the order put into effect last spring setting aside 20 per cent of the production of oilseed meal for distribution at the direction of the War Food Administration is still in effect and will be continued. This order was the one that was asked for by the livestock producers, and gave good results.

In the states of Oklahoma, Texas, and New Mexico, the certificate plan used last spring has again been requested by the producers and is also in effect.

This program worked well after it was inaugurated last spring, and we are confident it will do the same this year. However, we are keeping in close touch with the situation."

Announce Coming Examination Post Office At Morse

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to fill the position of fourth class postmaster at Morse, Texas.

The examination will be held at Spearman, Texas.

Receipt of applications will close on October 12, 1944.

Salary: \$748. The current salary will be temporarily increased by 15 per cent, the amount not to exceed an average of \$15 a month, by authority of an Act of Congress.

The date of examination will be stated on admission cards mailed to applicants after the close of receipt of applications, and will be about 15 days after that date. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which this examination is announced and who are at least 21 years of age, but not yet 65 on the date of the close of receipt of application for this examination. Application blanks and full information about the requirements of the examination may be secured from the post office for which this examination is announced, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Applications must be on file with the Commission at Washington, D. C., on the date specified above.

Showing At The Ellis Theatre, Perryton

October 3-4 Brad Taylor, Ruth Terry Virginia Brissac, Lalabel and Scotty in "Sing, Neighbor, Sing."

October 5-6 Bette Davis, Claude Rains, Walter Abel, Richard Waring, George "Mr. Skeffington."

October 7 Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette, in "Mexicale Rose." Also Preview 11:45 p.m. Mary Lee, Ruth Terry, Cheryl Walker in "Three Little Sisters."

October 8-9 Benny Goodman and Band, Linda Darnell, Lynn Bari, Jack Oakie, James Caldwell, Allyn Joslyn, in "Sweet and Low-Down."

October 10-11 Vera Hrubu Reiston, Richard Arlen, Erick Von Stroheim, Otto Kruger, in "Storm Over Lisbon."

Morton Sells After 30 Years In Business

Boykin And Higgs Keep Large Stock Of Repair Parts

Announcement was made last week that Lynn Boykin and Browning Higgs, two county young men had purchased the R. W. Morton Ford agency. The Morton Agency is one of the three oldest Hansford county business firms in continuous operation in this area. Mr. Morton has dealt with Hansford county car owners since 1912, when he had Moore, Hansford, Ochiltree and Hutchinson counties representing the Ford Motor company. Up until 1920 the Agency was located at Dumas. At that time Mr. Morton moved to Hansford county.

Browning Higgs and Lynn Boykin are well known in Hansford county. Browning is the son of a Hansford county pioneer family, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Higgs having lived at Gruver, Texas, for many years, until a few years ago when they moved to Amarillo. Lynn Boykin is the son in law of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Higgs, and the husband of the very popular Rose Higgs who worked at the bank in Amarillo for a number of years.

Both young men bring to the experience in the car business. They declare they will give the county a first class Ford Agency. They have purchased a large stock of repair and replacement parts to service Ford and other car owners in this county, and plan to open a complete repair shop with two mechanics about the middle of October. Accessories for automobiles, trucks, and I. C. requirements are not in stock.

The transfer of business was effective October 1, 1944.

Funeral Services Held Monday For Albert Ross Hull

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 3:00 P. M. at the First Christian church for Albert Ross Hull of Buena Park, California, who died at his home Sept. 28, 1944 at the age of 75 years. Rev. C. F. Bastion officiated, assisted by Rev. John E. Eldridge of the Spearman Methodist church. Interment was in the Hansford cemetery.

Albert Ross Hull was born at Carthage, Missouri, November 23, 1868. He passed to his eternal reward September 28, 1944. Age 75 years and ten months. Brother Hull was living at Buena Park, Calif., at time he passed away.

Brother Hull was united in marriage to Malinda Lidora Dawson in January 1887. To this union five children were born. All are living. They are: O. C. Hull, Orcutt, California; Mrs. Bessie Todd, Drumright, Okla.; Carl W. Hull, Spearman, Texas; H. C. Hull, Shafter, Calif.; and N. F. Hull, Buena Park, California.

Brother Hull had two brothers, Jim and Frank who preceded him in death. He has one sister living at Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Besides the above he has twenty grand children and fifteen great grand children with a host of friends are left to mourn his passing away.

Brother Hull was converted and baptized in Payne County, Oklahoma, in 1894 and lived a Christian life. When he moved to the Panhandle near Booker, Texas, he placed his membership in the Booker church. Later he moved to Spearman, and was one of the Charter Members of the church here. Helping to organize the church, he was an Elder. Brother Hull always thought of his Lord and his church first. The Church and community in which he lived are better by his example.

"Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me:
And may there be no moaning
at the bar
When I put out to sea.

"But such a tide as moving
seems asleep,
Too full for sound and foam,
When that which drew from out
the boundless deep
Turns home."

Harvey Shapley, A. H. Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleck, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ayres, all of Gruver, were among those shopping and transacting business in Spearman.

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RESULT JUDGE A. F. BARKLEY

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When you get that letter that will be waiting for you, don't limit your gift to what is suggested in the letter.

The Germans and the Japs would like for us to believe that this war is almost over.

Why the enemy propagandists are working over us to give us into a false sense of security.

We let them down now—if we let them down in our jobs just because of good news from Europe—our fight men will be endangered not only by the enemy in front...



PLEASE DON'T FORGET About My Eyes!

"I know you older folks are busier than you ever were before. But I've only got one pair of eyes—and if you don't help me take care of them, you and I may both regret it some day."

It's a fact that many people are too busy—and too worried to take the simple precautions that help conserve eyesight.

- 1 Do all reading, studying, sewing or game-playing close to a good light source... 2 Avoid glare from bare bulbs... 3 Avoid shadows... 4 Have eyes examined regularly.

When the war is over we are all going to have Better Light for Better Sight.

COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

Give Generously to Your Community War Chest!

Legal Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS: TO: Arne Arneson, Jacob Amundson, Engebret Arnegaard...

Harley Alexander, Plaintiff, vs. Arne Arneson and all of the other five named persons living, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives...

GREETINGS:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's Petition at or before 10 A. M. of the 11th day of November, 1944...

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed on the 16th day of September, 1944.

The file number of said suit being No. 472. The style of said suit is a fol-

RECEPTION GIVEN FOR TEACHERS

The reception for the teachers of the Spearman Public Schools, which was in the form of a tea, held in the high school building Friday evening, September 23rd...

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Billie Jean Hughes celebrated her 9th Birthday Saturday afternoon, Sept. 23rd, with a party given by her mother and assisted by Mrs. Woodie Davis and Mrs. Clive Hughes.

GRUVER MUSIC CLUB

The Gruver Music Club met for a business session September 12th at the Community Church. The course of study adopted for the year is "Twentieth Century Music" by Bauer.

the year is "Twentieth Century Music" by Bauer. Those present were: Mercedes A. R. Bert...

BUY WAR BONDS

man, Texas, this 16th day of September, 1944.

JUST OPENED

SEWING MACHINE AND VACUUM CLEANER REPAIR STORE

Representative In Spearman On 2nd and 4th THURSDAYS EACH MONTH at Spearman Drug Company

Have parts and repairs for all makes and models. Cooper Sewing Machine Repair Co. 119 N. Frost Pampa, Texas



In just 10 minutes they'll need your help

Back home, the headlines read—60 U. S. Planes Lost.

The full news account may mention that 600 airmen were shot down with them. But nowhere will you find mention about how many of those men landed alive and are now in enemy prison camps.

Actually, about 60 per cent of all American airmen shot down over enemy territory survive—as prisoners of war.

Some prison camps are devoted exclusively to airmen. But these camps are little different from the others. In all, the men behind the barbed wire live the same empty life.

That's why War Prisoners' Aid was formed. It provides the wherewithal to buy for prisoners of war the things that will help them hold on to their sanity during those empty

days of waiting. Books, Games, Athletic equipment. Make-up kits for amateur theatricals. Musical instruments.

It takes money to buy these things. More and more money as more and more of our men wind up in prison camps. The only way War Prisoners' Aid can get that money is through your contribution to your local community drive.

Give generously to your Community War Fund Representing the National War Fund

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DR. J. E. JONES
WEDDING
OKLAHOMA
 The wedding of Dr. J. E. Jones and Mrs. Weigel was held at the Park Methodist church here last evening. The bride, Mrs. Weigel, daughter of Mrs. William Richard of this city, and Joseph of these blossoms was worn in her hair.

The bridesmaids were gowned in dresses made similar to the matron of honor's, only in pink and they carried bouquets of lavender and purple asters tied with lavender ribbon. They also wore matching arrangements in their hair.

Traditional white satin featuring a basque bodice, trimmed in lace, sweetheart neckline, fingertip length sleeves in lace and a full gathered skirt extending into a train was the choice of the bride. Her finger-tip veil of illusion fell from a coronet of lace outlined with seed pearls and orange blossoms and her bouquet was of tuberoses, entered with white Camahena orchids, and showered with lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Weigel, mother of the bride, selected a model of blue chiffon and lace with matching accessories and her corsage was a white purple throated orchid. Mrs. Jones, mother of the bridegroom, was unable to be present.

A reception was held following the ceremony, in the home of the bride's parents at 2045 Myra St., Riverside, for members of the families, wedding party and intimate friends. The bride's table, overlaid with a miniature lieutenant (j.g.) the bride's family, was placed over white satin and held an arrangement of white asters and gladiolus, balanced by crystal candelabra holding lighted white tapers. A three tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature lieutenant (j.g.) and his bride was placed at one end and the cut glass punch bowl at the other end. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Percy Thigpin and Mrs. William Guy Smith. Mrs. L. W. Lassey kept the bride's book. Throughout the ceremony, music was rendered by Mrs. Edgar R. Taylor, pianist.

Later in the evening, Lieutenant and Mrs. Jones left on their wedding trip to Oklahoma City, Okla., the bride travelling in a two piece brown suit with brown and white accessories and a corsage of white orchids. After September 25, they will reside in Purcell, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Jones is a graduate of Robert E. Lee high school, this city, and attended Stetson University, DeLand, where she was a pledge of the Alpha Xi Delta sorority. She also attended the Jacksonville College of Music and has travelled extensively. Mrs. Jones is also a pledge member of the Panhellenic Association.

Lieutenant Jones is a graduate of Central High School, Kansas City, Mo., and attended Chrichton University, Omaha, Nebr., for three years. He also attended St. Louis University of Medicine for one year, and is a member of the Phi Beta Pi, national medical fraternity.

BIRTHDAY PARTY
 Little Miss Alda Jo Sutherland celebrated her fourth birthday by having a number of her little friends gathered at her home for a party.

Drop the handkerchief and other games were played and enjoyed. The honoree received many lovely gifts. Refreshments of angel cake and jello were served with a Hallowe'en party favor to the following youngsters: Dora Kate Taylor, Nancy Archer, Sue Sutherland, Bonnie Cathran, Sue Archer, Yvonne Mitts, Norma Lou Archer, LeRayne Mitts, Jimmy Frank Sutherland and Melvin Mitts and the honoree. Those sending gifts were Mrs. T. H. Taylor, Mrs. I. R. Tompkins, Dorothy and Jimmy Noel.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to each and everyone for their kindness and sympathy shown at the passing of our beloved father, A. R. Hull, also for the many beautiful flowers.

THE HULL FAMILY.

No rain has fallen here as yet, but much of the wheat which has been sown is up.

Amy Knutson spent the day at her home here. She was called on Emma and Marie Winger home near Gruver.

Stedje from Pampa here.

These sending gifts were Mesdames Noel Womble, W. O. Swain, H. L. Heard, W. L. Russell, C. A. Robbertson, Roy Russell, Jessie Riley, Edgar Womble, and Misses Grace Main, Evelyn Reynolds and Ada Jackson.

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The soldier who lays down his life in combat deserves the assurance that his loved ones at home are properly cared for. He wants to know too, that the families of his fighting allies are getting our aid; and that we're going to keep right on establishing entertainment units for him near wherever he fights. The money you give our War Chest does all those things for you!

Be a giver and a doer: don't just think about it! That extra nickel, dime and dollar you contribute will go a long way to give our boys peace of mind and a sense of integrity.

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THE broad lands of Europe and Asia, freed of the oppressor, can now be planted again. The farmers in Russia and Poland and other ravaged countries can raise food to banish the specter of starvation... if they get the seed.

You can help them make their fertile acres fruitful once more. You can bring them new hope, new faith, and a chance to grow their daily bread. You can help—with your gift to your local War Fund this year.

Through this fund, not only is seed provided for fellow farmers, but a host of other kindly things are done for our own and our allies all over the world.

This once-a-year war drive provides such vital necessities as books and sports equipment for prisoners of war; entertainment for millions of Ameri-

can boys through the U. S. O.; medicines and surgical equipment for our fighting allies; aid for struggling China; help to men of the merchant marine who often lose all their possessions to the hungry oceans.

The money you give will yield many-fold. Give once—and you give to many organizations engaged in sowing good will. The need this year is very great. Won't you try to increase the amount you gave last year?

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JUNIOR NEWS

Spent a very long time getting their pictures at the proofs Wednesday of this week.

With IV we are beginning to get off all our required points the first semester so we'll have more time for other activities the second semester.

Really enjoying this course. We have organized a Dramatic Club and plan to do many enjoyable things this year.

We seem to have forgotten nearly all the algebra we learned in Sophs, so Algebra II is a bit for us.

Physics is going to prove interesting this year with reports scattered here and there and Civics best of the time.

The Chorus Class is getting just fine and has already had many valuable things.

Physical Education is the Seniors' favorite spot, both boys and girls.

JUNIOR NEWS

The Juniors, after a couple of weeks of organizing, have finally gotten off to a good start. We had several class meetings and in these elected officers and room mothers. The officers are: Craig

Hutchinson, president; Jones, vice president; Sparks, secretary; Don Cooke, reporter. Mothers are Mrs. W. M. Glover and Mrs. J. B. Cooke.

We also were shown an assortment of the Senior rings to pick from. The class decided on one type and decided to get our order in so as to get the rings by early spring. After all the essential business had been taken care of the class decided to go on a picnic to Lake Fryer on Friday, Sept. 22. We had a very good time while we were there, the only trouble was that it was so far we had to come back before we had a chance to do much beside swim a little and eat. The class wants to thank Billy Jack Glover and Jimmy Shieldknight for transportation and Mr. Smizer for chaperoning us in the absence of our sponsor, Miss Duren.

Miss Marcella Olsen, who is employed in her profession, that of a nurse at Canyon, Texas, came to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olen, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. K Hill went to the Hill's sister who has been critically ill.

Miss Emma Hill is substituting for Mrs. Santa Lewis at the Hill home during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mren have been fortunate to secure a bright, new looking car to replace their old one.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson took turns last week at substituting as bus driver to the Oslo school while the teacher, Pastor Hjortholm, was having the radiator on his car repaired at Guy-men.

BY PAT BECKER

The Band Sweetheart Contest was launched last week with a big success. Signs and boxes were distributed throughout the town. A plan has been put into effect to have special practices, one day the brasses and one day the reeds. Tuesday, Sept. 26, we are going to decide about our shoes, uniforms, and other matters of importance. The band is making good progress, and under Mr. Smizer we hope to continue doing so.

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FOR HIM
Greatest moral builder in the service is the USO entertainment. Help them to carry on the wonderful job they're doing for our boys. Give to the WAR FUND!



FOR OUR ALLIES
Britain, France, Russia know the ruthlessness of this bloody war! Can we fail war victims in these countries—and others—which have born the brunt of the fight? Open your heart—and give generously to the WAR FUND!



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They look for medicines and vitamins... to help them save their wounded, their ill, and their plague-stricken victims.

They look for seed... to plant the fallow earth once more... to eke out their famine rations of grass and weeds and ersatz, sawdust bread.

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Out of the cradle of liberty they pray that there will come the inspiration to build anew... with new rights, new freedoms, new opportunities for themselves.

They have suffered long, and they are weary. We

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The things they need... food and clothing, medicines and vitamins... and hope for the future... are all made possible by your contribution this year to your Community War Fund, representing the National War Fund.

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OUR MEN IN SERVICE

Oliver Wallin, who was in action the 10th of France, arrived in New Orleans last week and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallin, told them in part of his adventures, which were the most exciting of his life. He told them of his left leg just above the knee and a part of his hand. Oliver seemed to be in good health otherwise, and happy for his parents to

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NALL

Buy \$2,000.00 for tire certificates, because you had to have certificates before you could buy tires, and the only way to get certificates was to buy them from the eastern brokers and buy them. Of course when the war is over the certificates will be worthless, or strictly blue sky, but

NALL

Had the guts to throw \$2,000.00 to the wind, also the intestinal fortitude to buy last winter for this summer's sale \$50,000.00 worth of tires and hold them for harvest. But, I'll tell you brother, I saved farmers thousands of bushels of wheat they wouldn't have cut, because they would have been grounded with some of their equipment, if NALL hadn't gazed into the crystal ball, then had the nerve to act.

Observe Silver Wedding Anniversary

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Pvt. J. E. Gerber, Jr., who has been attending an Illinois university, is home on two weeks' furlough visiting friends and relatives in Pampa, Spearman, and Lubbock.

Eus. Chester McCarty, stationed in New York, visited a few days in Spearman with his wife and children and other relatives. He will report at San Francisco the 5th.

McCluskey General Hospital Temple, Texas

Sept. 30, 1944
Among the patients arriving at McCluskey from Letterman General Hospital by train convoy was: Cpl. George R. Garzer, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Park, Gruver, Texas. Garzar was stationed in New Guinea as cook with the Air Corps and was injured in an explosion when three field stores blew up.

P. T. A. NEWS
The first regular meeting of the Spearman Parent-Teachers Association will meet Tuesday, October 10th at 3:30 in the grade school study hall. Everyone is invited and urged to attend. The program will consist of music and the following talks: "Purpose of P. T. A.," Mrs. Sid Clark; "Home and School Team Work," Mrs. Ray Skinner; and "Do Parents Love Teachers?" Mrs. W. O. Sheets.

Seaman 2-c and Mrs. William Bexford announce the birth of a son, born at Northwest hospital in Amarillo, September 23rd.

Mrs. Buster Mitts and children of Stinnett were in Spearman this week end.

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Mrs. Kirk, Jr., wore a shoulder bouquet of yellow rose buds and Mrs. Kirk, Sr., wore one of white carnations. The gift table was brilliant with many lovely gifts of silver. Judge A. F. Barkley was Master of Ceremonies and throughout the evening soft music both vocal and instrumental was enjoyed. Those taking part in the program were:

Barbara Daily, Jean Hill and Wilson McClellan—violin numbers; Pat Becker—trombone solos; Rosanne Porter—saxophone solos; Verna Lee Gibner and Carolyn Wilmet—piano solos; Mrs. Thomas H. Etter, Nancy Lee and La Nelle McClellan—vocal solos; Mrs. C. A. Gibner and Mrs. J. B. Cooke—vocal duet; Mrs. F. J. Daily and Mrs. Frank Allen were piano accompanists.

Oslo News

Morning worship at Oslo Lutheran church next Sunday, Oct. 8, 18th Sunday after Trinity, will begin at 11:30 a. m. Sermon Theme: Because Love is the fulfillment of the Law, We Need A Savior Who is God.—Matt 22:34-46. The Sunday School will begin at 10:30 a. m. The confirmation class will meet at the church at 10:00 a. m. Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Oslo Church met at the Emil Knutsen home last Thursday afternoon. The program topic was the Eighth Commandment, and was presented by Mrs. Hjortholm and Mrs. Gordon Stedje. At this meeting the ladies also tied a quilt for the fall bazaar. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Emil Knutsen.

Miss Tompkins, the Hansford County Home Demonstration agent, gave a demonstration of the various uses of soy bean flour at the Gordon Stedje home last Friday afternoon. Lunch was served to the ladies were present by the hostess, Mrs. Gordon Stedje. Some of the articles made during the demonstration were sampled by the ladies during lunch.

A 4-H club was organized at the Oslo school by Miss Tompkins last Friday afternoon. Camilla Olsen was chosen as the president and Violet Hill was elected secretary-treasurer. Marie Sogn is the vice-president. The first project was basket weaving.

Classified Ads

NOTICE: Classified, display advertising and news columns close about noon every Tuesday. Please arrange for advertising early; also bring in your news items promptly. 33-tfb

NOTICE: Medlin Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Dosssett on Oct. 6th. The second meeting on Oct. 20th, will be in the home of Mrs. Jesse Edwards.

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One 1941 LINCOLN ZEPHYR, custom interior, radio, heater, overdrive, five U. S. Royal Master tires, with puncture proof tubes; 35,000 actual miles. See LYNN BOYKIN at Ford Agency. 42-3tc

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FOR SALE: Wesco tabletop oil range; one 41 model battery set Philco radio; one large size Coleman gasoline iron; all in good condition. J. W. Pike, Pringle, Texas. 41-p12

FOR SALE: One late model kerosene heater; one coal heater; priced right. See Mrs. H. A. Sloan. 41-3tp

FOR SALE: The improved Deluxe Red Chief seed wheat. Won first prize at the Kansas State Fair One half mile west and 3 and half south of Guyton, Oklahoma. Dick Enns. 40-3t;

STRAYED: Whiteface two year old heifer, branded open 9 on left ribs. Notify E. D. Clement, Spearman, Texas. 41-p2t

STRAYED: One cow to Shapley farm north of Gruver, owner can have same by proper identification and pay 3 months pasturage and advertisement bill. 41-p3t

SHEEP FOR SALE: 450 good ewes, bred to black Face Buck, will start lambing Oct. 1st; also have some bucks for sale. Sid Underwood, Mobeetie, Texas. 41-p3t

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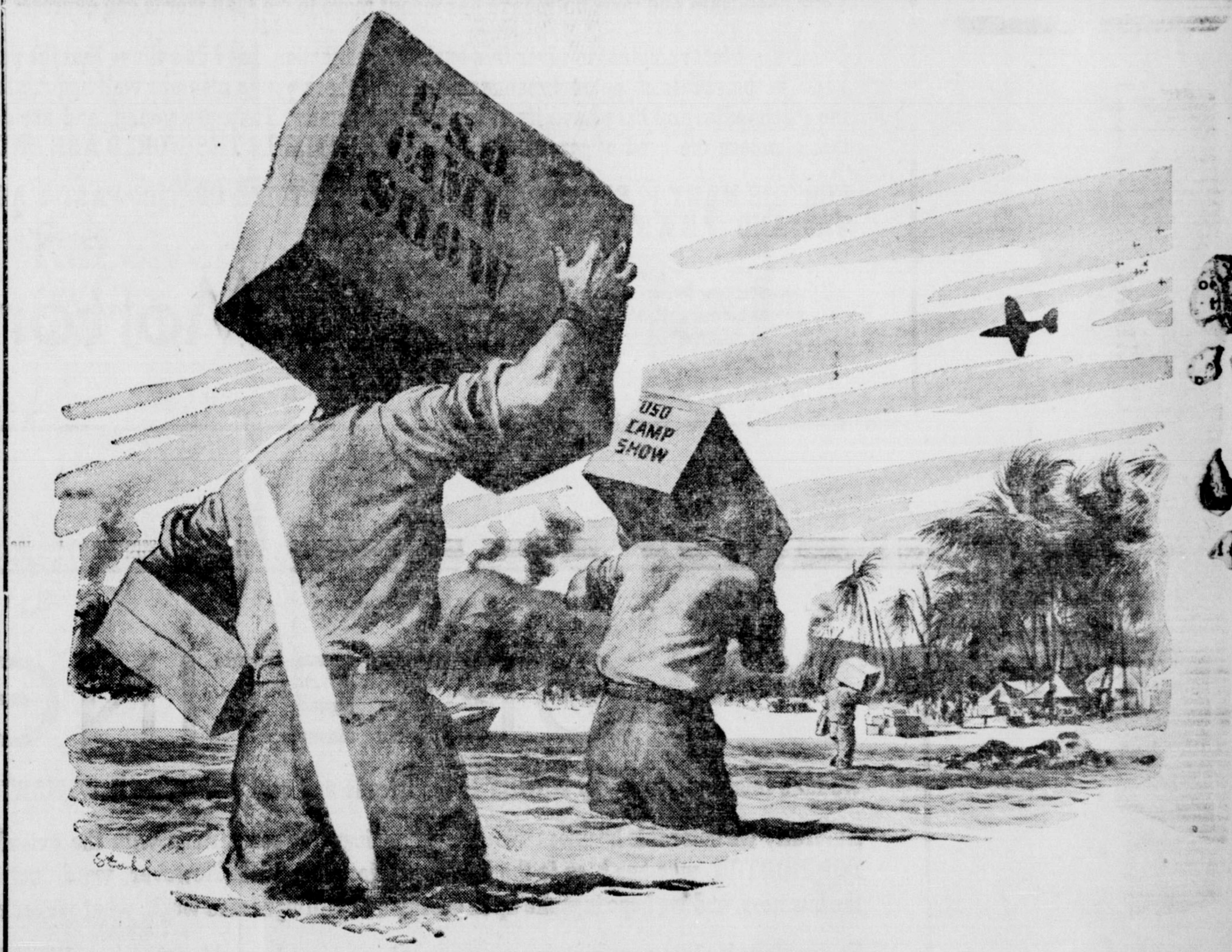
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They're ready for Act II. They've pushed the enemy back a few miles. Here comes Act II. Here comes the U.S.O. Camp Show!

Our boys NEED this show. They need it desperately, like starving men need food. For an hour or two they'll go back to America... back to Broadway, Hollywood, Main Street... back a thousand miles from this beachhead. They need to laugh, to forget.

They NEED it, understand?

Thanks to the folks back home, U.S.O. Camp Show units have played in every combat zone, often immediately behind the front lines. More than 90 units are playing the "Foxhole"; more than 80 units appear regularly at camps and hospitals in the western hemisphere.

It costs money to operate the world's biggest theatrical circuit. Even though most stage and screen stars donate their services without charge, it still costs a lot of money to send hundreds of

other performers. Every cent must come from part of the money you give to your local community drive.

Your gift helps in other ways too. It serves our men in enemy prison camps, sends relief to suffering victims of war, serves our own fighting men and our allies on every front! Through the agencies of the National War Fund it carries new life and new hope throughout the war-torn world!

Give once for all these. There are many war needs to cover. Give now—at least two day's pay. Give all you can.

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This will inform the public of this and adjoining counties that I have sold the R. W. MORTON FORD AGENCY to a couple of Hansford county young men, effective Oct. 1, 1944.

I would indeed be ungrateful if I did not take this occasion to thank the good people of this area, who have been friends and customers of the R. W. Morton Frd Agency since January of 1920. Many of the present customers were customers of this business when it was at Dumas, covering several counties of the North Panhandle since 1913.

Your friendship and your patronage has meant more to me than words can express.

Naturally I feel reluctant to sever this business connection, but I do believe that the public will have **FIRST CLASS SERVICE** in the efforts of the new management. Both these young men are well acquainted with the problems of this area of the Panhandle, and both have lived in Hansford county. They are young, and are determined to give the customers of this business the kind of service the **FINEST PEOPLE IN THE WORLD ARE ENTITLED TO.**

FOR THE MANY PLEASANT BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS OF THE PAST I AGAIN EXPRESS MY APPRECIATION AND THANKS.

R. W. Morton

GREETINGS

We take this occasion to say **HOWDY** to the friends and customers of the R. W. MORTON FORD AGENCY.

Naturally we enter this business with a few handicaps, in comparison with the extended experience of our good friend **BOB MORTON**, who has been in the Ford Agencies since 1912. However, we do not come without some knowledge of the business, and we hope to make up in energy and willingness to work, what we lack in experience.

Fortunately for this new business management, we have been able to secure a **HIGH PRIORITY** rating, and at this time hundreds of items for our **STOCK ROOM** are enroute to Spearman. We hope to earn the reputation of stocking all the replacement and repair parts that anyone in the **FORD BUSINESS** have on hand, or that will be needed for any model Ford car.

WE HAVE EMPLOYED TWO MECHANICS and KNOW that we will be in a position to offer Ford and other car owners of Hansford county and surrounding territory a complete Repair service.

COME IN AND VISIT WITH THE FORD MANAGEMENT. WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT YOU WANT AND EXPECT OF YOUR HANSFORD COUNTY FORD AGENCY.

Lynn Boykin—Browning Higgs

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