

Snow Brings Additional Moisture To County

This & That



Around Gruver

Last week the editor expressed his pleasure that the Gruver Basketball girls were going to State, but he held out very little hopes for them. Perhaps he will feel better now. The girls and their sponsors left Gruver Monday afternoon, for the journey to Hillsboro. They spent the night in Samnorwood after playing the mighty Samnorwood Girls team. You have all read about their fine team, and the great record they have made. Well, the Gruver Greyhoundettes quietly went in and beat them. At the half the Gruver girls were leading by 9 points. After the intermission the Samnorwood girls came in, to win or lose. At games end the score was tied 27 to 27. In the overtime play Samnorwood scored once and Gruver scored twice to win 31 to 29. We still say we have a great team.

Well this is the great day, the exodus is on. The Gruver Greyhoundettes are on their way to Hillsboro. With them are Mr and Mrs Buster Cator, Mr and Mrs Ed Rafferty, and Mr Spivey. Mr and Mrs J M Ayres caught up with them Sunday to make the cars less crowded. To day a great group of Gruver citizens are following behind them. Some others will leave Tuesday. Gruver and Hansford county will be well represented in Hillsboro. Some few pessimists are sorrowing about our chances being slim. But we brought home a nice trophy last year, and we aim to bring one this year, so—on to Hillsboro.

Roads in this part of the county are in pretty bad shape owing to the varieties of weather we have been having. The snow has been cleared off of most of the roads, and people are getting to town. The people North of town do not seem to have too much trouble, both those in the extreme West are not faring so well. We talked to the Ben Harris' this morning, and they have not been to town for a week. But hope to make it in tomorrow. This part of our column being written Saturday morning.

Gruver has some new citizens. The other day Mrs. I. W. Ayres Sr. introduced us to Mr and Mrs R A McMillan and son Tony from Marietta, Okla. They were here for a short visit. But it so happened that they had just sold out their business in Marietta and were looking for a new location. Well they found it right here and will be moving to town this week. Mr McMillan will be associated with the Cutter Food Market. He will have charge of the meat market. We welcome them to our midst.

We had not seen Buster Schott since his return from Austin but we learned yesterday that he has been sick with a bad case of flu. He is doing o k now. Ward Spivey hurt his foot last fall and now he has hurt the same foot again. We understand that Mauchey Barkley feels able to make the trip to Hillsboro, but intends to go on from there to the clinic at Temple. Dan Shradar is still confined to his home, but is recovering nicely.

Mr and Mrs Marvin Shapley were among those who went to Samnorwood to see the game Saturday. We did not learn all who went with him. It was Marvin who woke us up at 2 A M this morning to tell us the news. Marvin is a loyal fan of all the Gruver teams. He is a pretty good player himself and knows a good team when he sees one.

Mr and Mrs Randolph McClinton returned home from Amarillo Saturday afternoon. They had gone to the Fat Stock Show, and were caught by the latest storm. Randolph wisely decided to stay in Amarillo until travel was safe. This is a good example for us.

Students from Wayland College were in the First Baptist Church of Gruver last Sunday morning. Two of them were

Lion Club Show Proves Success

Despite the antics of old man weather the Spearman Lions Club's Crippled Children's benefit show staged Thursday and Friday of last week at the High School auditorium proved a financial success. According to a report from Miss Hobbs, director, the total income from the show amounted to more than nine hundred dollars. Three hundred and fifty dollars came from advertising in the newspaper at a cost of \$40.00 netting the Club program \$310.00. One hundred and thirty dollars came from the popular baby contest, which was nearly all profits. Near \$500.00 was collected from admission at the door of the auditorium and thru sales of Lions.

The show itself pleased nearly a sell-out audience Friday evening. The first attempt on Thursday was more like a rehearsal, since only a few of the more hardy braved the snow and inclement weather. How they got there is unknown, but less than 30 seats were vacant at the Friday night performance.

Perhaps Tom Brennehan and his glamour Gals drew more applause than any other act, and Buddy Chain guitar player and singer with the barn dance crew, drew the individual applause lead according to comments of those attending.

In the very entertaining Barn Dance scene, the Senior Girl Scouts and their partners performed old time square dances, similar to those performed on last years booster trips.

R. W. Renner Announces For County Office

B. W. Renner, a well known and successful farmer and land owner of Precinct No. 3, Hansford county, has authorized the Spearman Reporter to make his official announcement for the office of Commissioner Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries to be held in Hansford county, Sat. July 24, 1948. Mr Renner has been solicited by his friends and neighbors to seek the office of County Commissioner, and believes that he can serve the county as a whole and his precinct efficiently if the voters see fit to give him the office he seeks.

Mr Renner has been a resident of Hansford county and Precinct No. 3 for the past 22 years. He has been a very successful farmer, and has always given of his time and talent to advancing the progress of the community in which he lives.

He declares that he will give the best of his ability and talent towards successfully conducting the duties of Commissioner if his friends and neighbors see fit to elect him.

Mr. Renner solicits the support and influence of all the voters of Precinct No. 3 in the coming Democratic Primary election.

Independent Team In Tournament

The excellent men's Independent team from Spearman was called on Tuesday night of this week, and given an opportunity to enter the AAU tournament at Port Arthur, Texas, this Friday and Saturday.

The Town Team is tied for 1st place in the North Plains AAU. Several people donated money for the trips expenses, and the team left Spearman in a cloud of snow, with almost enough money to keep ten players into the finals, as they plan to win the tournament.

The team will arrive in Port Arthur Thursday night, and begin playing their first game at 9:00 A. M. The boys have promised to wire the Reporter after every game.

Bridge Talley Cards, Score pads in pastel shades. All kinds of Office and School supplies, Typewriters, Reporter Office.

Jimmie Jackson Funeral Services Held Sat. March 6

Hundreds of friends of the likable and jovial Jimmie Jackson, were shocked and sorrowed at the sudden death of this 65 year old Hansford farmer, which occurred at the home of a friend. Mr and Mrs Cap Richardson, on Wednesday evening March 3rd, Mr Jackson died as result of a heart attack which occurred after spending the evening with his friends in laughter and social visiting. Mr and Mrs Jackson had started home but bad weather turned them back. Jimmie died a few minutes after the couple returned to the Richardson home.

Funeral services were held at afternoon March 6, conducted by Rev. W. G. Barr, pastor of the Methodist church. Interment was in the Hansford Cemetery with the Masonic Lodge in charge of services at the Graveside.

Jimmie had been a resident of Hansford County since August of 1932, and he virtually numbered his friends by the people he became acquainted with. He possessed an unusually pleasing personality, and his presence and conversation was like a ray of sunshine on a cloudy day. His cheerful smiling face and lovable character will be missed by his many friends.

We extend the sympathy of the Reporter and family to Jeffrie in her loss, and feel that we can express the sympathy and love of all her friends in this hour of grief.

Obituary

James Newton Jackson was born May 12th, 1882, at Versailles, Indiana, and departed from this life March 4th, 1948, at the age of 65 years, 9 months 22 days. He was united with the Methodist Church at the age of 11 years. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson.

Jimmie's earlier life was spent in various cities, however he considered Dallas, Texas, his home. He was married to Jeffrie Ruth Lackey on Oct. 31st, 1927 in Dallas.

Jimmie and Jeffrie moved to Hansford County in August, 1932 and have made their home on the Old Lackey farm, South West of Spearman since that time.

He is survived by his wife, Jeffrie, and numerous nieces and nephews. His parents, three brothers and one sister, having preceded him in death.

Jimmie was a happy-go-lucky fellow and loved and appreciated his friends and neighbors, both young and old, more than anything else in the world.

Roy Wilmeth Mares Win At Amarillo Thurs.

Two Mares owned by Roy Wilmeth, foaled in 1937 placed 2nd and 3rd at the fifth annual quarterhorse show staged as a feature of the Amarillo Fat Stock Show Thursday of last week. The mares were: Red Ann and Red Sue. Mr. Wilmeth placed at the show last year with horses, and his father, Walter Wilmeth, has won many prizes with the fine Quarterhorses raised on the Wilmeth ranch. Several Spearmanites braved the snow and 20 degree weather to attend the Quarterhorse show, including of course, Roy Wilmeth owner of the prize winning mares.

Roy Wilmeth was elected the director of the Panhandle Livestock Association and director of the Panhandle Quarter Horse Association, both of which were organized at the cattlemans convention.

HAM SHOOT

The following shooters won hams at the HAM Shoot Sunday afternoon. Although shooting conditions were bad, judging from the high scores that were made, these guys were hungry.

Sid Beck Jr., T. T. Duncan, Irvin Davis, Albert Mackie, Lufe DeArmond, Bob Thom, Hall Jones, Richard Holton, Elmon Jacobs, Bill Jackson and Billy Brandt all won hams.

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Gruver Girls Team Still Winning



The Gruver High School girls team, coached by L. T. Spivey, at last reports, were favored to crash into the finals of the state Hillsboro, Texas. The team defeated West Columbia 24 to 19 yesterday in their opener, and will play again today and Saturday night in the finals unless we miss our guess. Incidentally the Gruver team beat Samnorwood last week by two points, and Samnorwood, up until then were considered the best outfit in the state. Gruver led them 9 points at half time, but only beat them 2 points in an overtime thriller.

Buster Schott Announces For Reelection

Buster Schott, Commissioner for Precinct No. 4 has authorized the Spearman Reporter to announce his candidacy for reelection to the office of Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in Hansford county Saturday July 24, 1948.

Mr. Schott has served his friends and neighbors faithfully during the time he has been in office, and feels that the record of his past service is the best recommendation he can have for future votes and cooperation. The Commissioners' court is in the process of supervising an extensive highway improvement program in Hansford county and Mr. Schott feels that he has gained considerable valuable experience during the time he has served his precinct. He wishes to assure one and all that he is emphatically favorable to all possible road improvements that can be made in Hansford county.

Mr. Schott has asked the vote and influence of his friends and neighbors in the July 24th, Democratic primary.

THANKS

I wish to take this means of thanking each and every one of you who took part in any way in producing our show FUN FOR YOU. It was really gratifying to know that so many good people in Hansford County were willing to spare their time and talent in helping put this show over. I realize that under the circumstances, it was very inconvenient for everyone to come out and work as you did.

Especially do I want to thank the School Board, and other school authorities for the use of the auditorium, and to the custodians of the school, thanks so much for your time.

To the many patrons who braved the weather to come out to our show, and to the many, many others who bought tickets and advertising. After all it was you who made the show a success, and the Fund for Crippled Children has been increased by more than \$300.00 from the staging of the show.

Vester P. Hill
President, Spearman Lions Club

College Program

West Texas State College Dramatics Club will give a program at 1:30 P. M. Tuesday, March 16 in the High School auditorium. There will be a small admission charge of 15 to 20c. All of the public is invited. The program is sponsored by Superintendent Ballengee and the Junior class, and features a girls sextet and a talented pianist as a special musical attraction.

Mrs. H. P. Bailey Dies March 10th

Mrs. H. P. Bailey, 74 years old and a long-time resident of Spearman passed away Wednesday March 10 in the Sanford hospital, Perryton, Texas. Mrs. Bailey was taken to the hospital at the first part of this week, and passed away about 1:40 P. M. Wednesday afternoon.

Funeral services are tentatively set for Friday March 12 at 2:30 P. M. in the First Methodist Church and will be conducted by Rev. Wm. G. Barr. The body will be in state from 10:00 A. M. to 1:00 P. M. at the home, and one hour before service time at the church. The casket will not be opened after the service. Interment will be in Hansford Cemetery.

Surviving relatives include one daughter, Mrs. C. C. McCarty, of Oklahoma City, three grandchildren, Carol, Michael, and Donald, Brothers, F. D. Prandt, Wallis, Texas; Hal Prandt, San Angelo; E. A. Prandt, Houston; O. A. Prandt, Houston; W. M. Prandt, Hutchinson, Kans.; and F. W. Prandt of Spearman, Sisters, Mrs. W. T. Ewing, Wharton, Texas; Mrs. Jim Miller, Brenham, Texas; and Mrs Roy Willis, Chapel Hill Texas.

Albert Jacobs Submits Name For Reelection

Albert Jacobs, present Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of county has authorized the Spearman Reporter to carry his announcement for reelection to the office he holds, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in Hansford county Saturday July 24.

Summarizing information given this newspaper by Mr. Jacobs, we would place more emphasis on THANKS to the citizens of Precinct No. 1 for their cooperation and aid than any other feature Mr. Jacobs wishes to emphasize.

The present Commissioner wants to let the people know he appreciates their vote and confidence in the past, and desires to inform them that he will conduct the office in the future, as he has in the past, with no special favors, with fairness to all.

He believes that he has been able to gain a large amount of valuable experience in his past service, and knows that he is familiar with the large expansion program for highways in this county. He feels that he will be able to serve one and all to mutual advantage if elected to the office he seeks.

He requests the vote of all citizens and expresses his thanks in advance for their support in the Democratic primary.

New 1948 Model OLDSMOBILE Is On Display

Oldsmobile, America's oldest motor car manufacturer, recently publicly announced its finest new model in 58 years of production—the 1948 Series '98' Futuramic Oldsmobile. While the Futuramic line embodies the best in design and construction developed by Oldsmobile over five decades it also points the way toward a new GOLDEN ERA in automotive travel, in the opinion of S. E. Skinner, vice-president of General Motors Co. and general manager of Oldsmobile.

Brand new styling from bumper to bumper, the series 98 Futuramic Oldsmobile offers many new noteworthy developments, such as an entirely new body design with graceful streamlined and futuristic lines, increased front and rear vision through curved glasses, wider seats, and more luxurious upholstery and interior trim than has ever been available in the Oldsmobile price class before.

Production of the full 1948 Oldsmobile line has been under way for several weeks, and the retail delivery of the new cars will commence immediately, according to Mr. Skinner.

W. M. Glover, local Oldsmobile dealer has a new 1948 Futuramic Oldsmobile on display in Spearman.

Cates Grocery And Market Will Open Sat. March 13th

A very attractive and efficient grocery store and Market will open for business in the McLain building, Saturday March 13. While it is not a brand new store in one sense, it is a greatly enlarged and modern store. Lucian Cates who purchased a small stock of groceries less than a year ago, has moved the stock plus virtually a two car load shipment of staple and fancy groceries into the McLain Building, formerly occupied by Boxwell Bros. Co. Mr. Cates is an experienced groceryman, having worked with the Old Maestro, Slim Cates while Slim owned the Cates Grocery and Market in Spearman. Slim and J. C. Cates are partners with Lucian in the new grocery store. Lucian spent several years in the capacity of managing the Ideal Food Stores in the Panhandle Area and is familiar with the Panhandle markets and the needs of Panhandle people.

The store is truly very attractive with practically all the food items on display and plainly marked for the customers.

Mr. Cates invites his friends and new customers to visit the new store.

Ed Vernon Asks Reelection To Prec. 2 Office

Commissioner Ed Vernon of the Kimball Precinct has authorized the Spearman Reporter to announce his candidacy for reelection to the office he now holds that of Commissioner Precinct No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held in Hansford county Saturday July 24, 1948.

Mr. Vernon has worked faithfully in his precinct and feels that he has reflected the will of the voters in conducting the business of the office he holds. Vernon and other members of the present Commissioners' court have spent a large amount of valuable time and some personal money in their endeavor to improve the roads of the county and forward a program of improvement in highways of this county. The present officials of the court were successful in negotiating favorable agreements with the Texas and Oklahoma highway commissions and are entering into a period of supervision of constructing many miles of highway in Hansford county.

Ed believes that his friends and neighbors want him to serve another term and complete the work that has begun in his precinct and therefore is submitting his name for reelection. He asks the vote and influence of all citizens of his precinct in the coming Democratic primary election.

C. of C. Speaker Here March 19

Senor Roberto de la Rosa, 29 year year old native of Old Mexico, will be the guest speaker here March 19 for the Annual Banquet of the Spearman de la Rosa was secured by S. E. M. Baleinge through Wedgeworth, President of Pampa C. of C.

Of course the Banquet of SPEARMAN night of March 19 is limited members of the C. of C., the afternoon at 2:30 P. M. the high school auditorium will address the members of the Spearman and the public and all are urged to be present at this brilliant speaker. Full of latin wit, with the US well and Mexican Company.

Also, he is a very musician as you will before the address is given.

Attend Funeral Of Harris Company Uncle In Kansas

Mrs. Maude Smith Hardware and Furn. Co. Richard attended the funeral service for an Uncle Mr. W. H. land, Kansas, the funeral services were March 6 in Ashland, byterian church at

Hansford County's deepest snow since 1944 estimated from 11 to 12 inches by Weather Observer F. W. Brandt, tied up activities in this area for the past 7 days, and makes prospects for normal travel rather doubtful for another three weeks.

As result of the storm, members of the Seismograph crew in Hansford county have temporarily transferred their headquarters to Muleshoe, Texas, where conditions are dry enough to do their class of work. Harold Jennings, manager of the crew stated Monday that there was not a bottom to any of the land in this area, and he would have to change his work until weather conditions permitted the crew working. He anticipates returning to this section in April, and will be here to enjoy the Spearman Celebration.

Conditions for the past two months have been difficult for cattlemen, and present conditions make it a burden to get hay and feed cattle.

In the wheat fields it is thought the sub-soil moisture has penetrated to about as deep a depth as ever before in the history of wheat farming in this section. Some believe that despite the bad start and the heavy layer of straw from last years wheat crop that a little better than normal production can be had in wheat this year in Hansford county. However, that depends entirely upon weather conditions during the growing period for wheat.

Old man weather played havoc with everything in Hansford County this week, but hardest hit possibly, was the school systems throughout the county. In a brief conversation with City Manager 'Good Neighbor' Dacus', Mr. Ballengee, Supt. of the public schools dismissed Spearman's schools Wednesday noon, because 'Mr. Dacus advised that the gas pressure was too low. Due to the District 9 State Teachers Association meeting in Amarillo Friday, Mr. Ballengee wisely decided to dismiss school until next Monday, March 15.

The weather and market is printed below.

Date	HI	Low	SNOW
2	31	20	0.05
3	30	21	
4	20	15	0.65
5	18	1	0.22
6	37	12	
7	35	8	
8	40	9	
9		25	

On March 6th it was 12 degrees below zero, and on March 7th it was 8 below.

Market Report

Wheat	\$2.13
Barley	\$1.70
Oats	\$1.90
Milo, cwt.	\$3.45

O. T. Ryan Visits Spearman School

Mr O. T. Ryan, area supervisor of Vocational Agriculture visited in Spearman schools this week. He inspected the Vocational of the Spearman High School, and praised the work of Mr. Gunter and Supt. E. J.gee on their excellent progress.

Mr. Ryan

SOCIETY NEWS

Clubs - Parties - Socials

Dahlia Flower Club Met March 1

The Dahlia Flower Club met in its first meeting this year in the home of Mrs. O. L. Williams March 1. A very interesting program on Early Planting was given by Mrs. H. H. Crooks and Mrs. Garrett Allen. Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames: H. H. Crooks, E. D. Archer, Daniel Sheets, Paul Roach, Harry Shodeck, J. E. Womble, Fred Hoskins, F. J. Daily, Zack Jaggers and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Paul Roach, March 15.

Blodgett News

John Kenney and J. M. attended the Fat Stock show last week.

Mearl Beck took a load of furniture to Fort Worth for Mr. Floyd and brought back a load of lumber for the B. and B. E.levator.

Mrs. W. Y. Williams and Mrs. W. M. Deek are visiting Miss Nadine and Thadline Deck and Miss Helen and Maxine Kenney in Amarillo over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Converse, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McJunkin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kenney and J. M. were Spearman shoppers Saturday.

J. M. and Mrs. Kenney visited Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Conrade and baby in Borger Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Blodgett has her house wired and fixtures installed for electricity. Mr. Dick Allison did the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Uptergrove are sporting a new chevrolet.

Guests Enjoy Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jones entertained with a dinner party Wed. March 3 honoring their son in law, Larry Selfken of Perryton. Guests enjoying the evening included Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jones, Mrs. Mae Jones, Mr. Hershel Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Steffen, Mrs. Emma Steffen, of Perryton, and the host and hostess and family.

Four Popular Babies Win Contest Here

Miss Janyth Wilmeth and Mr. Charles Lynn Martin were first place winners in the baby contest held in conjunction with the show "Fun For You" presented by the local Lions club Thursday and Friday of last week. Second place winners were Miss Hester Sue Beck and Mr. Rickey Steinkoenig. First place winners received silver cups and second place winners received silver spoons.

Funds received from the popularity Baby contest went to the crippled childrens fund.

A Mr. Bridges, who is a mechanic for the DeArmond garage was rushed to an Amarillo hospital this week in serious condition. As this article is written, no further news of Mr. Bridges has been obtained.

Happy Birthday

- March 11
 - Ed Wilbanks
 - Jimmy Davis
 - Carolyn Cator
 - T. T. Spivey
- March 13
 - Rex Sanders
 - L. W. Rosenbaum
 - Dan Bachmann
 - Dean Davis
 - A. N. Meadows
- March 14
 - Henry Dacus
 - Mary Madden
- March 15
 - T. H. Moon
 - Dr. J. C. Jones
- March 16
 - Fred Sanders
 - L. D. Pierce
- March 17
 - Jerry Sparks
 - Jewel Brandt
 - H. J. Hart

Seek Offices

Subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary to be held in Hansford County, July 24, 1948.

For Representative
124th Legislative District:
WILLIAM CRAIG
Re-Election
For Commissioner
Precinct No. 1
ALBERT JACOBS
Re-Election
For Commissioner
Precinct No. 2
ED VERNON
For Commissioner
Precinct No. 3
B. W. RENNER
For Commissioner
Precinct No. 4
BUSTER SCHOTT
Re-Election
For County and District Clerk
F. J. HOSKINS
Re-Election

Hospital NOTES

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson has been quite ill this week in Sanford hospital.

Mrs. Robert Meek is also in the Sanford hospital this week, but is not seriously ill.

White Dust Storm Hits Hansford Every Week Now

If your paper is late this week, its because it's so darn cold in Spearman the metal in the Linotype (the machine that sets the type) is frozen, and the gas pressure is low, and at times the machine just won't run.

The Blizzard which had been raging since Tuesday afternoon, slacked up, and the sun came through for a short time. The official moisture at 8:00 A. M. Wednesday morning was 24 inches blowing snow, and 20 inches moisture content.

So far as we can learn, there wasn't any large cattle losses, if any, and in four cuts to the Amarillo papers yesterday, the reporter informed the regional papers about the weather.

In Dallas the drizzling rain changed to sleet and snow at 9:00 P. M. last night, and here in Spearman an all time March low record was broken, when the temperature dropped to an un-official 7 below 0. We were unable to contact Fred Brandt this morning, but reliable sources inform us that a record for March was broken last night. In Amarillo the lowest temperature ever for March was 3 below in 1903.

This Thursday morning the sun is shining like blue blazes and H. C. Winborn of Amarillo says clear skies will prevail on Thursday and Friday, but do not take any chances with this snow until July.

Niagara Falls Low
Niagara Falls is only half the height of the great falls of the Yellowstone river in Yellowstone National park

Safety First Slogan
The slogan "safety first" was originated in a steel plant more than 35 years ago

McClellan Krause Co. Is Speedee Dealer In County

In a news story carried last week the country editor gave the credit for dealership of the new Modern Speedee cultivator to McClellan Oliver company. This was an error, since the dealer for this modern farm implement is the McClellan Krause Co. The ad department of the paper department was a little more careful and gave the dealership to McClellan Krause company where it belongs.

The new cultivator cultivates wheat and other small grain. Leaves top soil cloddy. Conserves moisture. Kills wild flax or any other young short root weed. Stops weed germination on summer fallowed land.

Teachers Meet

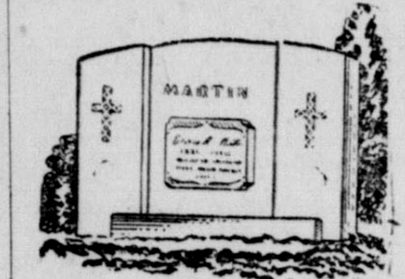
All teachers are expected to attend the District 9 meeting to be held in Amarillo Friday.

The teachers meeting will feature many discussions on current school problems, and will be a reunion for all teachers of this area.

Superintendent Ballengee will be the official delegate to the convention from Hansford. Mr. Ballengee is a member of the Neurology committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutton were Amarillo visitors Tuesday of this week.

Tom Sutton was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.



A family plot should be graced with the shrink-like beauty of a monument which will be everlastingly a tribute to those at rest. We have many classic style to suggest and will work with you on custom design.

J. H. NICHOLS

PHONE 22 SPEARMAN

Editor and Mrs. W. J. Miller are visiting down State this week, and the remainder of the staff is responsible for putting out this "so-called paper". We expect Mr. Miller back Saturday.

SNOOPER

Ruth Jones, we hear you are going steady. Could the answer be Leap Year?

Nell, who is this boy you're seen with who has the Indiana haircut? Could it be little Vestal Prater?

Has everyone noticed the noon hour in the gym. Reminds you of lovers lane.

Bobbie Jean what has happened, going over with Kiff then spending the night with Frankie.

Rita Crain, who is this Junior boy you were seen with in Perryton Sat. night? Could his initials be B. H.?

Jeanene, where are these mysterious letters coming from? It is nice Narrel has a sense of humor, isn't it.

We notice Sonny tripping off down the hall behind Mona Beth was she mad Sonny? As the old saying goes: True love never runs smooth.

Bobbie Jean what has happened to your romance with Gruver? Could it have been caused by Bob C.

See why were you so hesitant about asking that certain ex-senior to the prom?

What is this rumor we hear about Mary Lou and Don? We didn't know it was so serious?

Margaret W, we're hearing tales on you. Couldn't be Marshall all you're always talking to in English could it?

Elma, why keep it a secret who your hubba hubba man is? May be it would help to let it be known.

Nancy Lee who is this E. M. who has been coming to see you? Margaret Reed, we didn't know you were so chummy with Henry, we thought it was Cecil.

Monty C. and Doris Jean, we hear you've been having some spats. That's no way to carry on a romance.

Frankie White and this ex-senior sure are getting thick. Could this mean something?

Miss Flores was seen at Church with a very handsome man on Sunday night. Keep it up.

HOW TO KILL IT. ATHLETES FOOT GERM IN ONE HOUR.

If not pleased your 35c back Ask any druggist for this strong fungicide, TE-OL. Made with 90 percent alcohol, it Penetrates Reaches and kills MORE germs faster. Today at

SPEARMAN DRUG

Agricultural Notes

The REA has approved \$295,000 for 164 miles of electric line to serve 447 rural consumers and for system improvements in Kaufman county, and \$126,000 for 93 miles of line to serve 167 rural homes in Clay county.

The amount of wheat either shipped or apparently available for shipment by both government and commercial firms so far in this fiscal year is 374 million bushels.

The slogan for the 1948 spring clean up effort is "clean-up" Don't burn up."

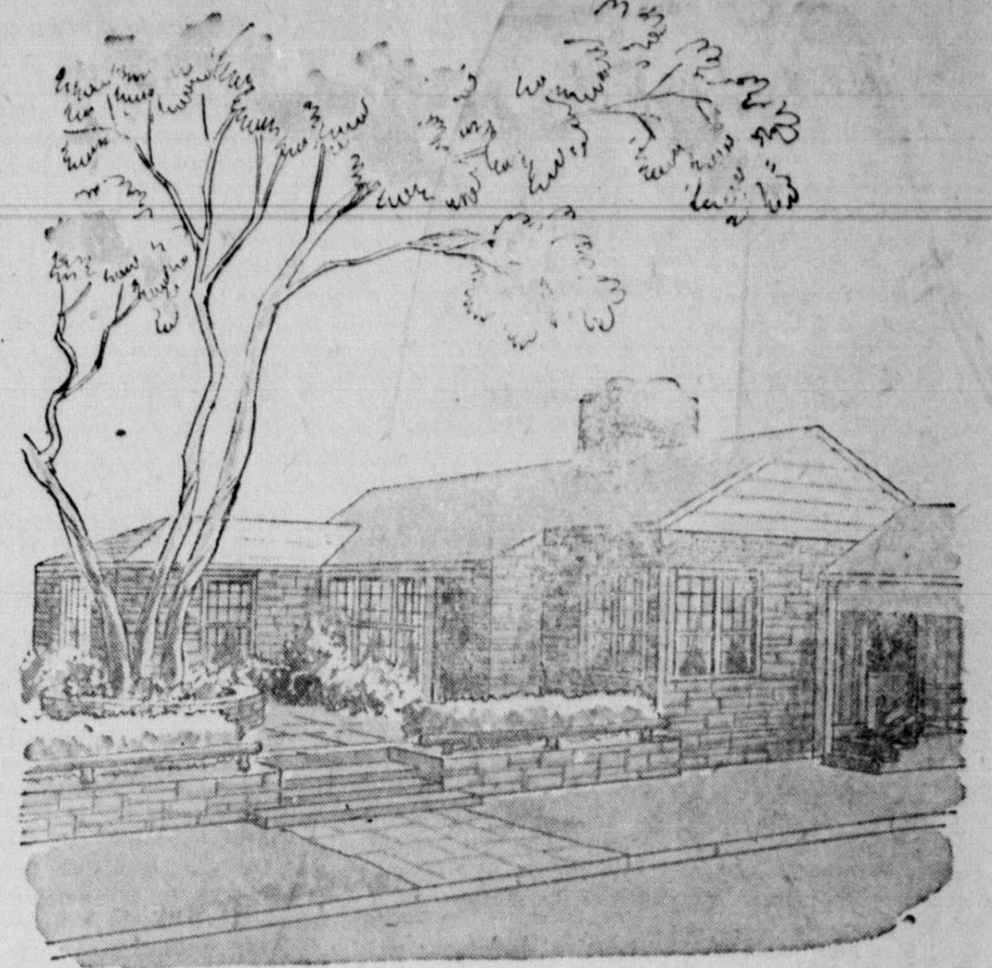
Cash receipts from farm marketing total about 2.6 billion dollars in January, slightly less than December, but 16 percent above January, 1947, and a record for the month.

The best way to remove scorch stain from clothes is to rub the spots as soon as they are made with dilute peroxide. For linens, use a piece of cut onion.

Wallpaper can be made washable as soon as it is put up by going over it with sizing and covering it with clear shellac.

The 1947 pig crop in the United States totaled 84,138,000 head, an increase of about 1 percent over last year.

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What Genuine AUSTINSTONE Gives You!

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Consult YOUR Architect



Ted and Bill McClellan at McClellan Oliver Company

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Your Bank is Your Friend



AND CAN ADVISE YOU WHEN IT IS WISE TO GO IN DEBT

Many families face this question. It is wise to borrow only when a loan serves a real need, when it is in the borrowers capacity to repay, and when rates are economical.

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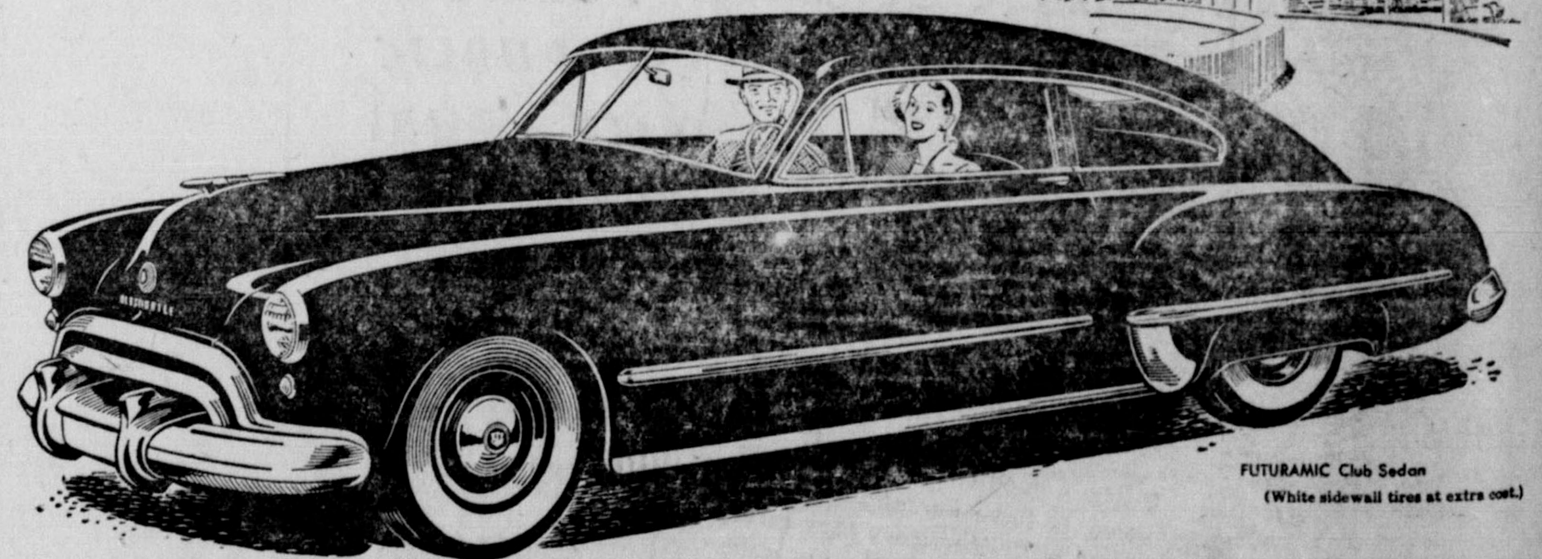
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Spearman, Texas

While there has been very little discussion in regards to a state bonus for G I's in this county, the discussion has been strong in other Panhandle counties. Our former Publisher of the Spearman Reporter, David M. Warran of Panhandle has opposed a state bonus editorially. His argument is that a bonus should be a Federal obligation. In answer to Mr. Warren's editorial comment a very good friend of this writer, Sam Graham, formerly of Panhandle has the following to say.

Dear Mr. Warren:

I have been getting a kick out of some of your editorials, especially on your stand against Texas paying a bonus to veterans. You may be taking a sensible stand on it so far as finances go, but there are other sides to it, too.

I look at it from a draftee's standpoint, because I was rejected as an enlistee and drafted by the state of Texas. Also no two states of the 48 drafted alike, each state created their own obligations, because the national draft lottery was merely a publicity stunt, and the draftee law was federal, but states created their own racket in handling it.

As for the Federal government giving us a bonus, that could be done very easy. But our state representatives in Washington appropriated a few million dollars to the Veteran Administration and let them distribute it any way they want, so that the political vets gets the gravy, and needy vets lick the pan or sell pencils on the street.

Since you are a high-up Democratic political leader, I'd like to ask you, why the Senate and Congress warned retired officers that their disability was going to be investigated? Was it not to give them a chance to get their records in order, so they could pull a few strings and make their disabilities legal so they could continue to draw \$550. a month? We enlisted men while in service were always getting surprise inspections but you never heard of a field getting an inspection without the post commander getting a notice so he could get his house in order.

You say we vets get free hospitalization etc., but that the government is bending over backwards to help every veteran. I tried to get in the local hospital last summer when I had the THIRD ulcer in my left eye, the first two happened in the battle of New Mexico, and though I was an emergency case, there were too many patients who have political pull for their non-service disabilities, so they had no room for me. They did the next best thing, and that was to authorize a local doctor treat me, and it took only two weeks for the authorization to run legal channels. Thanks to nine treatments by another doctor, my

eye was healing up by the time the Veterans Administration made up their stupid mind that I needed attention.

I correspond with veterans in Massachusetts Mass. has paid two \$100.00 bonuses, Indiana, Pa., Ga., Calif., Oregon, and Texas, and I have a pretty good idea what the states and federal government aren't doing for veterans. It all adds up to this: If the state doesn't want to pay out any money, and thus keep it for state credited lobbyists and bureaus in Austin, the governor or some one with a little spine in his system, should demand that state representatives in Washington should use a little power to see that the tax-payers money they appropriate to the Veterans Administration is distributed fairly to those that are deserving and in need of it.

According to an article in recent Reader's Digest, it is a matter of only a few years, until veterans and their family will be the majority of the taxpayers, that is if they don't starve to death in a land of plenty, or all get killed in the next war. And this article warns us that we will have to pay ourselves. But if we don't get a part of what we are rightfully entitled to, the country will go bankrupt as bureaucracies will have all the money and the vets won't have anything to pay taxes with.

Arizona has veterans from more states than possibly any other besides California. Most of them are here for health reasons. And though the Vet. Adm. is supposed to be federal, it is easy to see the local personnel openly show resentment at having to handle cases from another section or state. So once again the state is falling down on their obligation. Not only that, I knew of a federal

employee who was drawing 100 per cent medical disability and his salary per month was twice as much as my years pension.

I admit I am a sorehead, but you know in the army we were FORCED to attend a lecture once a week to listen to all the things we were fighting for and what all the administration was going to do for us and the world. And now that the war is over though G I Joe is nothing but, and he should take his dime and give the government back a nickel to help make up billions to send to Europe to make it safe for Uncle Joe and Communism.

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but when a country gets mixed up in them, they must pay the price in more ways than one.

SAM GRAHAM, 1813 East Thomas, Phoenix, Arizona February 25, 1948

Editors Note: Sam Graham grew up in Panhandle, Texas, and is a graduate of their local high school. He left Panhandle for military service.

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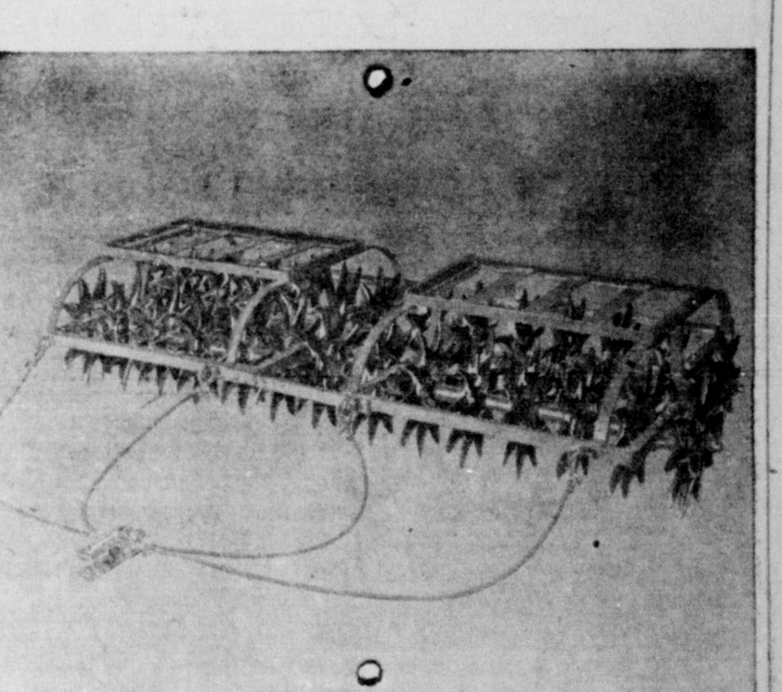
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1. Crosswalks should be clearly defined at all intersections in urban areas and pedestrians prohibited from crossing streets between crosswalks or, where the signals are in operation, against the signal.

2. Walking in the roadway in both urban and rural areas should be prohibited when sidewalks are provided.

4. When it is necessary to walk in the roadway at pedestrians should be required to carry a light and walk facing traffic.

6. Crossing highways where there is heavy traffic should be permitted in rural areas only at points where the pedestrian has a clear and unobstructed view of the highway for at least 300 feet in all directions

7. Pedestrians crossing intersections at designated crosswalks under signal, if provided, or where no signal is in operation, should have the right of way over or left

The final criterion to be used in judging whether or not pedestrians should dispute the roadway with an automobile is this—there is no equal competition between a 150 pound pedestrian and a 3,000-pound automobile!

THERE IS STILL TIME

There is still time to buy and plant shrub or shade trees; in fact this is a very good season to transplant young trees to the home landscape from either the nursery or the woods—Says Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A. & M. College.

A tree with a relatively smooth bark is a good choice, as the smooth bark usually means that it is rapidly a growing tree. Most trees grow faster if they're taken while young and when the trunk is not larger than an inch or two in diameter.

In taking the tree, take up as much as possible of the root system. Nearly all trees which drop their leaves in winter can be taken up bare-rooted, but the root should not be allowed to dry. Miss Hatfield suggests that the root system be covered with wet straw, leaves or wet sacks to keep it moist until re-set in the ground. Cut split or damaged roots back to the undamaged parts

The place where the tree is to be planted should be to the woods.

Among the trees which are easy to transplant with bare roots and which make good growth are box elder, ash, pecan, walnut, elm, cedar elm, cottonwood and hackberry.

Pruning at least half of

the top growth and picking off about half of the remaining leaves will help the plants to establish themselves Miss Hatfield says.

The Spring garden situation is running a little behind schedule in soil preparation due to the recent unfavorable weather the past 30 days, says J F Rosborough, extension horticulturist of Texas A and M College, and most gardeners have not been able to get their soil ready at the right time. January's weather brought soil temperatures down pretty low, and in many localities the soil is extremely wet.

At the first chance, when the sun warms up things a little, the soil should be plowed into beds; wait several days, then rebed to increase warmth of the soil and to erate the soil through plowing.

SQUIBBS???

It's amazing how the goal of some college boys vanishes at the end of the football season.

Anyway, the fellow who is always at the foot of the class should make a good chropodist.

You can always borrow money at the bank if you can produce ample evidence that you don't need it.

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"The Czech People Have Now Set Their Feet Firmly on the Road to Freedom and Democracy."

That headline was splashed across the first page of one of the largest newspapers in the world today after the communists took over the Czechoslovakian government. The paper, as the reader may have guessed, is published in the Soviet Union. Its name is Pravda, which means truth.

This particular communist achievement has an ironical twist. Czechoslovakia was largely the creation of an American with a passionate faith in representative government, Woodrow Wilson, and its Constitution was patterned after ours. Its president, Eduard Benes, is a democrat with a complete distrust of the communist ideology. He fought as long as he could against the red onslaught. But in Czechoslovakia, as in other countries, the communist technique proved sound. No one knows just what proportion of the Czech people really want communism, and it hardly matters. For the communists were superbly organized and disciplined and the opposition was weak and divided, devoting much of its energies to internal quarrels. Thus, this communist victory was much like those which have gone before -- except, in Czechoslovakia, there was no need for much force of arms. But no doubt that the arms would have appeared and been used had Clement Gottwald, the Communist leader, though them necessary.

If, as many believe, we are actually involved in a cold war with the Soviet Union, the melancholy fact is that we aren't doing well. According to an AP summing up, since the war the communists have extended their rule to nations, some of them of the highest strategic importance, with an area of about 650,000 square miles and a total population of over 110,000,000 people. The most aggressive of the czars were never that successful. And the communists haven't even begun to satisfy their ambitions. They are actively at work in Turkey, Greece, Italy, France and elsewhere. Whenever they obtain control, all opposition is purged by decree. And, as in Soviet Union itself, individual dissidents have a habit of disappearing. In other words, communist suppression of its enemies is complete and final. Every precaution is taken to prevent the seeds of rebellion from sprouting.

The Russians and their satellites jubilantly regard the conquest of Czechoslovakia as one more very important achievement in the organized effort to sink our European aid program. But there is many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip and that program is moving steadily toward completion. Every conceivable viewpoint has been heard. Some believe that the European governments themselves could do much to make major aid by us unnecessary but this group, whatever the merits of its stand, is a small group. Perhaps the most remarkable plan of all is that suggested by third-party presidential candidate, Henry Wallace. He wants the whole program turned over to the United Nations, despite the fact that Russia could sabotage it completely with a veto—a power she has used on innumerable proposals presented to the U. N. in the past. And even dismissing this, we would put up practically all the money and supplies, at the same time losing control over what happened to them. What seems to be a rather general reaction to the Wallace idea was expressed by the Portland Oregonian, when it said, "Americans, we think, are not softheaded enough after the last war and the daily example of Soviet expansion to shell out tax money to finance communist coups in countries which may be kept free."

There has been deep concern over whether Europe is really trying to help herself. Some telling evidence of deficiencies in this regard has appeared. Yet, Walter Kerr of the conservative New York Herald Tribune reported from Paris on February 21 that, "The countries of western Europe -- with millions of men, women and children eating far less food than they ate before the war -- are making a valiant effort to do their part in the European recovery program."

In any event, due largely to the gruelling work of two distinguished Americans, George Marshall and Arthur Vandenberg, the aid plan has taken form. What Time terms a "statesman like compromise" seems to have been reached. The initial appropriation will probably be cut from six billion to five billion, but the period in which it is to be used has been cut comparably, from 15 to 12 months. The reason for this was to give the next Congress an opportunity to examine the actual operating results of the first year of ERP. On the other main point of dispute -- who is to administer the plan -- the compromise provides for a committee, administered by an officer of Cabinet rank, with a 12-man advisory board consisting of members from outside the government.

No one at the top has said that the plan is sure-fire. Some of its strongest backers, such as Will Clayton, Marshall's chief assistant, have frankly admitted that it may fail. The feeling is that it is a calculated risk which must be taken for the reasons that the alternatives are too grim.

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Del Monte

Pumpkin

No. 2 Can 15c

Corn Meal

5 lbs. 43c

Quality Meats

Bacon 55c lb.
Longhorn 45c lb.
Gold Crown

Lunch Meat 45c lb.
Frozen Armour's FRYERS

Sausage 45c lb.
Choice Quality 79c lb.
Sack

Pork ROAST 46c lb.
Armours Hams

Half or Whole 55c lb.



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