

DON'T NAME IT

By HONEST BILL

"Honest" Bill Miller of the Spearman Reporter, formerly of the Panhandle Herald, has decided to pay \$5 to the person turning in the biggest lie story during the year.

After seeing the way that Tack's mother-in-law won the prize, Amarillo, it is doubtful whether Bill can convince the people of Spearman that the cards aren't stacked in his contest.

What is that old saying about a profitor not lacking any honor except in his own home diggins?

Seems that my "boss" Dave Warren of the Panhandle Herald either doubts if I should assume the title of "Honest" from the mments he makes in the Panhandle Herald.

In case you didn't read it. Old time costs ask on the Amarillo News-Globe. I read that a columnist of a newspaper or proper was about 105 reporters all range to be up in one package.

From the above notes it becomes the duty of this columnist to pare something (supposedly) certain. Without any real fort of construction would like just tell you about these notes.

Half Won—In case you do not know, "Half Won" was my 3-door "Half Won" was wrecked looked disreputable, unkept, uth, unclean, unsanitary, unsary.

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Mrs. Joe Perry Asks For County Treasurer Office Of This County

Mrs. Joe Perry who has been a well liked and loyal citizen of Hansford county for more than six years, has authorized the Spearman Reporter to announce her candidacy for the office of County Treasurer of Hansford County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 28, 1934.

Mrs. Perry has been a truly splendid citizen of the county during her tenure of residence in Spearman. She has been affiliated with many of the civic movements of the city and county and has done a great deal of work in the Red Cross organization of Hansford county.

Mrs. Perry feels she is thoroughly qualified to handle the duties of the office she seeks and reports to this publication that she has had some training along the line the duties of the office will require.

She asks that the publication present her appeal for vote, but states that she will endeavor to see every voter before the election date.

Five Years Suspended Sentence Given In Wheat Burglar Case

Clyce and Clarence Hughes, charged with burglary of wheat bins in Hansford county were given five year suspended sentences on plea of guilty to charges, in District Court Tuesday of this week.

TO THE CITIZENS OF HANSFORD COUNTY

In a spirit of friendly good will toward all the residents of Hansford county, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county judge.

Nothing of strife or personal antagonism shall enter into the campaign that I propose to make. And if I am elected by you, ballot, I pledge a clean, unbiased, unprejudiced administration of the office, for the upbuilding of county-wide progress and prosperity.

churning. Cows because my cows need to be taken to a pasture every day and returned home at night. If I should do the work myself I would have another job like churning. I am not hunting for a job. The boy scouts want to make some money to buy uniforms. Why not organize a Boy Scout Milk-Cow Corporation. I will accept applications from Boy Scouts for the job of taking cows to pasture. I will contract to cow owners to take their cows to pasture and bring them back "contented." The boys will get their uniforms, the cows will get more milk, the wheat pastures near town will be benefited, and the writer will get out of more work. What could be more pleasant?

Better Times—Due to the rather brisk wind that accompanied a large cake of real-estate from Kansas, the writer reserves the right to comment on Better Times until a future date.

Simon Caldwell—Everybody knows Simon. He stays down at the Consumers Sales Company about 16 hours out of the 24. This is because he is an executive and does not come under the NRA hour regulations. Anyway, he must have plenty of time to do some thinking cause he sure has some good old Hoss Sense reasoning in regards to the present National condition. I can't give you his ideas, it would take up too much space, and I might make an error, but the next time you gas up at Consumers, take time out to gas with Simon.

This column is about 2 columns long now. Will save the comments on Main Man on Roosevelt and NRA until next week. Watch for them.

TO THE MOTHER-IN-LAW (By Bob Taylor) (The Famous Orator of Tennessee)

Your Majesties: I have always great charity for the mistakes of Adam, because he had no mother-in-law to curb him. If she had been there the forbidden fruit would not have been eaten. All the world would have been paradise; the women would still be dressing in sunshine, and the men would still be clad in climate. All the ills we now endure are the fruits of sin; all sin is the out-growth of the first transgression and the first transgression was committed because there was no mother-in-law in Eden to forbid it. Satan would have kept his distance if Adam had been a son-in-law; and even after man had fallen, the Lord saw that he was prone to fall still lower, and so he provided the third person, singular. (Continued on Back Page)

\$7.20 PER PERSON A WEEK ON NEW RELIEF PROGRAM

A new relief "set-up" for Hansford County will go into effect here Friday. All C. W. A. work will cease and an emergency program providing aid along the lines of original relief plans will take its place.

Under the new plan only persons on the relief rolls and having a "case" record will be given work. They will be given work to meet their budgetary needs, which may not exceed 24 hours weekly at 30 cents an hour, or \$7.20 per week. One employable person for each family on relief may be given work.

MRS. S. B. HALE SUSTAINS INJURY IN CAR ACCIDENT

Mrs. S. B. Hale is at Shattuck, Oklahoma Hospital recovering from injuries sustained in a car accident which occurred late last Thursday evening. Aside from a badly shattered knee cap, Mrs. Hale is reported as recovering from the injuries very rapidly. According to Mr. Hale, attendants at the hospital report the knee cap broken in five places. A special operation was performed Tuesday of this week, and the knee cap was wired back into its proper position, and later when the knee cap begins to knit, the wire will be removed and the knee placed into a cast. Other injuries included body bruises and cuts.

The accident occurred when Mrs. Hale failed to see a barricade placed in front of a deep ditch on Highway 117. The ditch had been dug since Mrs. Hale had traversed the road, and she apparently failed to see the road barricade in time to swerve to the right or left. The car crashed through the barricade and headed into the ditch, some five feet deep. The car was badly damaged in the accident.

E. K. Snider Makes Trip To Dallas Meet

E. K. Snider, bandmaster, poultryman, inventor and the best Life Insurance man in this section of the state returned Monday from a week end visit to Dallas, where he attended the Annual meeting of B. M. A. agents. Mr. Snider ranked fourth in January, of all insurance men with the B. M. A. Company.

Delon Kirk Attends Motor Tune UP School

Delon Kirk spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Amarillo where he attended a special Motor Tune-up School, sponsored by the E. S. Cowrey Electric Co.

Miss Orene McClellan Is Made Home Demonstration Agent at Crockett

Miss Orene McClellan, who has been engaged as a special agent of the government the past few months, in preparing information on rural homes, has been appointed a home demonstration agent, serving with the state organization. Miss McClellan will take up her work as home demonstration agent of Houston County, with offices at Crockett, Texas.

SCOUTS HOLD COURT OF HONOR AT P. T. MEETING TUESDAY

Boys and Girls night at the regular meeting of the Hansford P. T. A. held at the School auditorium Tuesday night, proved to be one of the most interesting meetings this organization has ever held in the county.

The first part of the program was under the direction of Mrs. Delon Kirk, who presented the Prairie Girls club in a little dramatic skit representing a meeting of the club. After quite a bit of gossip relative to some service work the club had performed, the club members decided on an impromptu program. Martha Delon Kirk gave a reading, as did Dixie Ruth Buchner, Elizabeth Ann Miller and Elsie Ruth Porter, gave piano selections. The entire club sang as the closing number of their part of the program.

Boy Scouts of Morse and Spearman presented the boys share of the program. Following an impressive march in troop formation headed by the "colors" the scouts were seated for a Court of Honor. The court was composed of Bill McClellan, W. R. Finley, M. V. Murry, J. E. Womble, Charles Chambers and Scout Executive C. A. Clark.

The following scouts were advanced to the grades indicated: W. L. Russell from Tenderfoot to 2nd class, Joe Boyce, Oscar Archer and Carl Archer from 2nd class to 1st class; Wayne Kelly, Walter Godman of Morse, and Paul Buchanan of Spearman from 1st class to star scouts. Robin Giblin of Morse was advanced from star scout to life scout.

The following received merit badges at the court of honor: Irvin Wilson, Joe Womble, Carl Archer, Wayne Kelly, Bob Durham, Robin Giblin, Paul Buchanan.

Following the court of honor Scout Executive C. A. Clark presented the charters for Morse and Spearman to J. E. Womble and Supt. Speers of Morse.

LIONS HEAR GIRLS' QUARTET AT NOON LUNCHEON TUESDAY

Lion members were favored with several vocal selections from the High School Girls Quartette at the noon luncheon Tuesday. The membership of the quartette are: Doris Kirk, Allene Gill, Soprano; Wren Loftin and Jean Lyon, Alto.

The program was sponsored by Lion Sam Gillispie. In addition to the musical selections, Scout Executive "Tiny" Clark made an excellent talk on the work of the scouts in the Adobe Walls Council. The speaker outlined an aggressive campaign for scouts and scouter.

Lion Bill McClellan stated that plans for the Lions Negro Minstrel were well underway, and that the Boss Lion, Frank Wendt, was in Dallas this week securing special equipment and information to insure the annual program a success.

Visitors at the noon meeting included the four girls, members of the quartette, Mr. Clark and Curley Davidson of Amarillo.

All But Three Wheat Allotment Contracts Have Been Liquidated

All but three of the more than one thousand wheat allotment contracts forwarded to Washington by the Hansford County Wheat Allotment Board, have been approved and paid to wheat growers. These three await minor changes before the payments are made. This is rather a good record and speaks well for the efficiency of the local workers.

W. A. Cone Attends Radiator Meeting

W. A. Cone spent three days of last week in Wichita, Kansas, where he attended a special school for Radiator men. Mr. Cone states he gained some new ideas for his business.

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Old Hansford News

Among those present at the C. J. Todd home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wilbanks and family, Bro. and Mrs. M. V. Murry and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitts and Miss Grace Mitts attended the Berger celebration Thursday. J. A. Ward is reported very ill at this writing. We all hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. S. B. Hale carried Mrs. Hale to Shattuck Saturday where she will undergo an operation this week. The operation is necessary to treat injuries sustained in a car wreck last Thursday. Mrs. Elmer Myres and son Percless spent Sunday in the G. C. Mitts home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Williams accompanied Mrs. R. V. Turner to her home in Borger Wednesday. C. W. Hendricks who has been seriously ill is greatly improved at this writing, and is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lowe and children visited in the Hendricks home Sunday afternoon. Miss Grace Mitts was a Perryton visitor Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Maize and Miss Lucille Maize visited in the Hendricks home Sunday afternoon.

Commissioners Order Election To Determine Status of 3.2 Beer

In response to a petition signed by 107 Poll Tax Payers of Hansford County, the Hansford County Commissioners Court ordered an election to be held on Saturday March 31st, to determine whether or not 3.2 Beer will be legalized in Hansford County.

Election judges for the various voting boxes in the county have not been appointed yet. The election will be governed by the regulations for regular election of the county.

GRUVER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McClure and daughter Marcelle of Norman, Oklahoma spent Monday night in the Gay Fletcher home. They were en route to Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fletcher and family spent unday afternoon with her parents in Hitchland. Mrs. Ralph Bort and Mrs. G. L. Thoreson at Hitchland last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bort and Browning Higgs motored to Pampa Sunday and visited in the J. C. Ritchey home. Mr. and Mrs. Vic McRee and daughter Joan were Guyton visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shapley returned home last Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives in Idaho.

Mrs. John Shapley visited the home of her sons Jake and Willard Shapley this week. Little Ted Evans has been on the sick list the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Honor Ormond who have been making their home in Panhandle the past several months have moved back to Gruber. Mr. Ormond is connected with the Hansford County Motor Co.

Mrs. Jake Shapley has been on the sick list the past week. Wilson Settle of Holecob, nephew of Mrs. Guy Fletcher spent Friday in the Gay Fletcher home.

Sid Brown of Chilhowee, Mo. came in last Saturday and has accepted a position at the J. H. Gruver ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gruver and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cooper and daughter were dinner guests in the E. C. Barnes home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cooper and daughter and Mrs. Eugene Barnes attended to business in Shattuck, and visited with relatives in Perryton last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Barkley and daughter Lera May left last week for Dallas to have Lera May throat operated on. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dietrich and daughter is helping take care of chores during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McClellan and family of Spearman visited with relatives here Sunday. The Gruver P. T. A. will have its regular meeting here March 20. A very interesting program has been planned. Theme, "The Happy Family, Music, Band, Parents and Their Children" by Mrs. Arther Evans, Reading, Willie Mae Wilson, "Loisire Within the Home", Mrs. Harley Alexander, Special. Miss Makegins Seniors.

Mrs. Antra Ward and sons visited in the J. A. Ward home last Saturday while Antra took Mr. Ward to Amarillo to the Dr. W. Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Hortenberger of Perryton visited in the Antra Ward home Friday.

Mr. A. C. Witt of Perryton visited in the home of her brother Jack Clark, Little Donna Ann returned home with her. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jones of Spearman visited in the Wade Tackett home Sunday.

Mr. Wade Tackett and Ted McClellan attended to "business in Amarillo last Sunday. Word received from Robert Shapley who was operated on at Muskogee, Okla, for appendicitis is to the effect that he is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnes visited in the Homer Cluck home Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Woods returned last week from Ellenwood and other points in Kansas, where they have been visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleck and daughter Jean left last Friday for this winter. Emporia and other points in Kansas where they will visit with her mother and sister and his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dietrich and Guy Cooper and Herman Barkley were visitors in Spearman last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Wilmeth, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Dave McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McClellan and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Higgs and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gruver were among those from Gruber who attended the fat stock show in Amarillo last week.

Mr. Ralph and Wayne Reynolds of Goulety, Okla. former students of Gruber High School are visiting in the home of their brother Paul Reynolds this week.

IMPORTANT NOTICE GIVEN PARENTS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

Under the provisions of the state school laws it becomes the duty of each independent school district to register all pupils of school age, 6 to 18 years old during the month of March and April. For each scholastic in the district the state allots a sum of \$16 per scholastic. It is this fund supplemented with local taxes that provides for the education of Spearman children. The school census is being taken this year by Sam Gillispie, as an economic measure, in order that no additional expense be attached to gathering this information. Mr. Gillispie and the school board of the Spearman Independent school district asks that all citizens of the district cooperate in securing the registration of every child in the district of school age. The extent to which all citizens cooperate insures the success or failure of this fund.

When your children bring home the proper form to be filled out you will render your community a service and the taxpayers an economy if you will promptly fill out the blank and forward it back to the school officials.

MICOU NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Morse and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lambert visited Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Banister, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kiker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Morse and Don and Pat Bennett were Sunday dinner guests at Cecil Crawford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jenkins were Sunday callers in the Howerton home. Mr. and Mrs. Arch Morse visited Sunday night with Marshall Lambert's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Broadhurst Still in Serious Condition

According to information of Judge J. H. Broadhurst, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Broadhurst who are under medical care at a hospital at Clayton, New Mexico, are in more or less serious condition. Mr. Broadhurst has shown rather rapid improvement during the past week, but Mrs. Broadhurst has not yet regained complete consciousness. The two were seriously injured in a car wreck some two weeks ago while enroute from Clayton, New Mexico to their home at Gruber. The car they were driving was turned over several times, and Mr. and Mrs. Broadhurst lay in the cold weather and snow storm until aid came to their rescue. Aside from the shock and injuries sustained in the wreck, both were injured by exposure.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION TO BE HELD APRIL 7TH.

According to information embodied in a notice placed in the Post Office and the Court House, an election of school trustees to serve in the Spearman Independent school district will be held on Saturday April 7. O. C. Raney, P. M. Maize and R. E. Meek have been appointed election judges.

RADIO BROADCAST COMING MARCH 22nd.

What is expected to be one of the most pleasing entertainments in Spearman this year is scheduled at the High school auditorium next Thursday night March 22nd. Members of the Methodist Missionary Society will present a radio broadcast. The program will be varied and many new features are promised the public. Admission is only 10c.

F. W. MAIZE ASKS FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 1

F. W. (Fini) Maize, who has been a citizen of Hansford county for 34 years, has asked that the Spearman Reporter announce his candidacy for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 28.

Mr. Maize considers himself well qualified to handle the duties of the office he seeks, having had many years experience in road work, both county and state. He seeks the votes of his friends throughout the district on the basis of rendering real impartial service to the taxpayers of this road district.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS' BANQUET FRIDAY EVENING MAR 16TH

A banquet sponsored by the Hansford County Young Democratic Club Friday evening of this week promises to be one of the major social functions of the season. The P. T. A. Ladies are preparing the banquet and the entertainment committee has arranged for several talented speakers and entertainers.

Judge E. J. Dickens will deliver the key-note address. M. C. Reimshneider of Morse will give a piano selection. Mrs. H. A. Nichols will give a reading. Bl Burran, Wm. A. Wilbanks an Herbert Campbell will execute a vodvil skit, and Miss Marga Ligham will render a violin solo o Fritz Kreisler's "Frasquita."

Everyone is invited to attend the banquet. Tickets for sale may be secured from Bill Burran Bruce Sheets, Butch Hale and W. A. Wilbanks.

MARCH 17TH. LAST DAY TO SIGN FOR HOG-CORN CONTRACTS IN TEXAS

Word that March 17 has been appointed as the last sign-up day in Texas for the corn-hog campaign has been received by Frank Wendt, county agent for this county. Contract signing has been going on as fast as it could be taken care of by the agents as fast as possible, but March 17 is likely to be a rush day in county agents offices all over the state. Reports from Washington indicate that 450,000 contracts have been signed in the corn belt alone where great interest is being taken in this effort of the government to reduce production and to raise prices for the farmer's main cash crop.

DISTRICT FOOTBALL CHANGES ARE MADE AT MIAMI MEETING

Supt. A. H. Word returned the first of the week from a football conference with executives in this District of interscholastic football. Prior to mapping out the division lines and sections for 1935 football contests, an executive organization to govern the play was formed. F. W. Sawyer of Canadian was made Chairman, and Supt. A. H. Word was made First Vice President of the organization.

In the re-alignment of sections and provisions of play, the results as scheduled for the next season of football indicates a little bit of politicking. For some reason or other the powers that be decided to divide up the old original Section I, and the next champions, namely the Spearman Lynx, have lost Dalhart, Dumas and Stratford from our bi-section play and in their place we have such weaklings as Shamrock, McLean and Clarendon. You football fans remember, we first played Dumas for bi-sectional honors, then Panhandle and so on down the line. Now we play the Panhandle division or Section 2 right off the reel, (fact is just as soon as we win from Perryton.

Here is the new schedule as divided into 4 districts. Section I, Spearman, Gruber, Perryton, Folett. Section II, Panhandle, Groom, White Deer, Claude, Section III, Miami, LaFors, McLean, Clarendon, Section IV, Canadian, Wheeler, Shamrock, Mobeetie. Section I plays Section II for bi-sectional honors. Section III plays Section IV for bi-sectional honors. Sectional championships must be played by Nov. 17. Bi sectional must be played by November 24th, and District games on December 1st.

Plan Reorganization Of Elevator at Gruber

Directors of the Wheat Pool Elevator at Gruber held a meeting at the Hansford County Motor Company Monday of this week to discuss plans and reorganization under a new plan of operation. Directors present included Fred McRee, C. D. Cooke, T. C. Harvey and R. D. Tomlinson. Other directors not present at the meeting include Harley Alexander and Coy Holt.

Married At Church Sunday March 11th.

Frederick H. Pratt and Mrs. L. M. Keahey were united in marriage at the First Christian Church Sunday with an impressive ceremony by Rev. A. H. McClure. Both the contracting parties are well known here having spent the past several years of their lives in this county. Mrs. Keahey is the mother of Mrs. Homer Allen. Mr. Pratt has been employed on the farm of R. W. Morton for several years.

### Classified Ads

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#### BATTERIES AT \$4.95

Special prices on Champlin Batteries \$4.95 and up. We handle the Champlin line of tires and tubes. Gasoline at 15c per gallon. Bring your batteries to us for recharging.—Champlin Service Station.

#### UNITED STATES TIRES

See us for genuine values in United States tempered rubber tires and tubes. As low as \$4.50 for 4:50-20 tire.—McClellan Chevrolet Co.

#### FRESH VEGETABLES

We have at all times a large supply of fresh vegetables. Phone us your grocery wants.—F. W. Brandt & Company.

#### GATES TIRES AND TUBES

We are now handling Gates line of Tires and Tubes. Also a full line of McQuay Norris Motor Accessories and Prest-O-Lite Batteries.—Delon Kirk Battery and Electrical Shop.

#### BARGAINS

M. J. B.:—"The Quality Coffee of America," Special price Friday, Saturday and Monday. Also special price on quart Salad Dressing and quart Sandwich Spread.—New System Grocery and Market.

#### GARDENING TIME IS NEAR

Make our store your headquarters when in need of garden tools, hose and lawn sprinklers. Replace your broken water hydrants at Womble Hardware Company.

#### CANDIDATE FOR RELECTION

J. H. BROADHURST  
For the Office of County Judge.

#### JUST RECEIVED

A shipment of newest furniture. Come in today and see the new goods. Exceptional bargains in living room and bedroom suites. All prices reasonable.—Main Furniture Company.

#### WASHING AND GREASING SPECIALIZED

We use the check chart put out by the manufacturer of your car, requiring five different kinds of greases for lubrication. Money back guarantee.—Phillips Service Station, "Slim" Window, Phone No. 66.

#### IMPROVED MARQUIS SPRING WHEAT

Dry land Northern Barley, oats, yellow corn, barley chop, mill feeds, chick grain, scratch mixture, starting mash at reasonable price. Also cake, lump and nut coal, tankage, stock salt, etc.—Porter Elevator.

## CHURCHES

### Church of Christ

Program for the week beginning March 18th.  
Bible School 10 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m.  
Young People's Bible Class at 7:00 p. m.  
Preaching 8:00 p. m.  
Mid-Week Bible Class Thursday 8:00 p. m.  
"Why We Exist As a Church" will be the subject that Brother Murry will present in our hearing next Lord's Day. There should be a reason for the existence for every organization. It should have some objective. It should be of service to man. We are commanded to be "always able to give a reason for the hope that we have within us," to anyone who asks us.

This is the service that you will not want to miss. It is one that every Christian should hear.

Then at the evening service the subject will be, "Why We Do Not Use Instrumental Music in Worship." This is the one subject that most people think that the Church of Christ is "narrow minded" about. But why not come out and hear our reasons concerning this topic? You should always be willing to consider both sides to any question. We are willing to hear any scriptural reasons that can be produced to uphold the use of instruments in the worship. We have always been ready to hear any proof that is from the Bible. What we want is the truth, and that is what we are persuaded that we have concerning this music question.

You will find a sincere welcome at the Church of Christ at every service. We invite you to be with us.

### Assembly of God

Sunday School 9:45.  
Morning Worship 11 a. m.  
Junior Christ Ambassadors at 3 p. m.  
Christ's Ambassadors 7 p. m.  
Evangelistic Service 8 p. m.  
Prayer, praise and waiting on God Tuesday 8 p. m.  
Bible Study Friday 8 p. m.  
We extend a cordial welcome to you to worship with us.

#### BULK GARDEN SEED

Save money on your garden seed by buying them from us in bulk quantities.  
—Burran Brothers.

#### SAVE ON GASOLINE

We sell gasoline for 15c per gallon. Also handle a full line of Firestone Tires, Batteries and Accessories. — Consumers Sales Company.

#### COME TO BRYANS FOR

Everything you need in fresh vegetables. We also have frozen fresh strawberries.

#### VIGORO FOR PLANTS

For better success use Vigoro for your garden, lawn and house plants. We sell it in the bulk or packages. — Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company.

#### FREE THEATRE TICKET

Save your tickets given with each purchase and we will give a theatre ticket with each dollar worth. Represents 25 per cent reduction on your drug store purchases.—Hale Drug Company.

#### TIRE SERVICE

Phone 133, when you have tire trouble. It is time to change your oil from winter grade to lighter oil. See us today.—Conoco Service Station, Jack Hancock.

J. E. Womble, candidate for County and District Clerk will appreciate your vote and support.

#### GENUINE ELECTROLUX

The Electrolux gas refrigeration is the quickest and most economical. See us about a new one. Terms allowed.—Panhandle Gas & Electric Company.

Drop into Sparks Confectionery for cigars, cigarettes, smoking tobacco, toilet articles, playing cards and magazines. Already ready to serve you.—Sparks Confectionery.

#### TIME TO PAPER AND PAINT

We have a new stock of wall paper, and it is priced low. Also Sherwin-Williams Paints.—White House Lumber Company.

#### CANDIDATE FOR CLERK

J. B. COOKE  
Will Appreciate Your Support and Influence.  
Shipment of Spring Dresses

We have received a big shipment of Spring Dresses. Grand finale of our Big 9c Sale will be a special on prints.—Smith Variety Store.

#### METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Morning Service 11 a. m.  
Boys and Girls World Club after Sunday School.

# FRESH BULK GARDEN SEED SNIDER PRODUCE COMPANY

Intermediate League 6 p. m.  
The young people of the church will have charge of the entire evening hour beginning at 7:45. This is Young People's Anniversary Day. We will expect all the young people to be present—for it is your day. We will expect the adults too—for you will be a contributor to the success of the meeting. Let's look forward towards making it a great hour for God and Church.

Last Sunday we had another great treat—in the talk or address of Miss Yoder our County Red Cross Nurse and the song by Mrs. R. E. Lee accompanied by Mrs. A. H. Word, on the piano. We surely appreciate these addresses and special musical numbers—they are inspiring and helpful. Each Sunday morning we will have some layman or laywoman to bring a brief message preceding the sermon. There is another treat in store for Sunday morning.

A number of Sunday School workers attended the district meeting at Perryton Tuesday morning. Dr. Rippey of the General Educational Board of Nashville, Tenn., and specialist in the Adult department of the Sunday School was the chief speaker. Those from here got a great inspiration from this address. Many local churches will conduct or have conducted Sunday School classes during the year. We will have a standard school here.

Let's not forget the kingdom extension program which will close on Easter. We should read "Trumpets" a great missionary book written by Bishop A. J. Moore and Stanley Jones—the greatest living missionary. The pastor has about five copies left—some forty have been sold. May we have a world wide vision in

carrying the Gospel to all peoples of the earth.

A welcome awaits you at the services of the church Sunday. We appreciate so many of our good friends who attend so regularly the services of the church. To all we extend an invitation to worship with us.

H. A. NICHOLS, Pastor.

### "Carolina" Opening At Ellis Theatre Sunday and Monday

One of the finest pictures of the season comes to the Ellis Theatre on Sunday and Monday, March 18th and 19th at which time the vehicle "Carolina" will be shown.

It has an all star cast, headed by Janet Gaynor and Lionel Barrymore. It includes Robert Young, Richard Cromwell, Henrietta Crossman, Mona Barrie Stephens and Russell Simpson, among others.

In this story that concerns rejuvenation of a decadent Southern family, Miss Gaynor has her seventeenth characterization and Lionel Barrymore portrays a still new type of role after having established himself as the screen's outstanding character actor.

With this picture several short reels will be shown one will be a colorone revue featuring Rubi-noff and his orchestra.

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BARLEY SEED  
R. E. Roberts Grain Co.  
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### THE OLD CORNER DRUG STORE

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### County Council Held Third Meeting Saturday

The third regular meeting of the Hansford County Council met in the high school building Saturday, March 10th. The president, Mrs. L. F. Noe opened the meeting with a few welcoming remarks and turned the meeting over to the program chairman, Miss Ethel Deakin.

The first number on the program was a vocal solo by Mrs. Robert Douglas "I'll take you home again Kathleen" followed by a piano duet by Fern Gower and Vera Beth McClellan. Mr. W. R. Finley gave an interesting talk on the objectives and values of our Inter-scholastic meets. He emphasized the fact that it should be for many rather than for a few, and mentioned the large number of entries in preliminaries and the recent tournaments for second teams to illustrate the fact that we are trying to reach these objectives to train and benefit a large number of children rather than to specialize on a few talented pupils with a trophy as our goal.

A reading "My Teacher's Dress" by Little Sue Lusk was enjoyed by all, and Mrs. J. C. Tuttle conducted a short recreation period.

Miss Edna Yoder, Red Cross Nurse, gave an interesting report of her work in the county and gave many helpful suggestions for follow up work.

The last number on the program was two songs, sung by the high school girls quartette. The musical numbers on the program were under the direction of Mrs.

A. H. Word and were greatly enjoyed. During the business meeting the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. L. F. Noe. Vice-Pres., Mrs. Sid Clark. Sec.-Treas., Mrs. H. A. Bort. Chairman for the various committees were elected as follows: Publicity, Mrs. Jess Womble. Program, Mrs. Frank Wilson. Child Welfare, Mrs. Alva Henderson.

Extension, Mrs. P. A. Recreation, Mrs. Elmo lan. Education, Supt. J. B. Refreshments consisting of wiches, salad cookies and were served by the class in Home Economics. The next meeting of the will be held at Gruver Saturday in May.

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# International Sunday School Lesson

By DR. J. S. NUNN

## Scripture Lesson—

### General Topic— JESUS RESPONDS TO FAITH

Matt. 15:21-31.

1. And Jesus went out thence, and withdrew into the parts of Tyre and Sidon.

2. And behold, a Canaanitish woman came out from those borders, and cried, saying, Have mercy on me, O Lord, thou son of David; for thy daughter is grievously vexed with a demon.

3. But he answered not a word. And his disciples came and besought him, saying, Send her away, for she crieth after us.

4. But he answered and said, I was not sent unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel.

5. But she came and worshipped him, saying, Lord, help me.

6. And he answered and said, It doth not meet to take the children's bread and cast it to the dogs.

7. But he said, Yea, Lord: for even the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their masters' table.

8. Then Jesus answered and said, Thou wilt. And her daughter came and went up into the sea of Galilee, and she was healed.

9. And Jesus departed thence, and came unto him that had been healed of the dumb, and sat there.

10. And there came unto him multitudes, having with them the lame, blind, dumb, and many others, and they cast them down at his feet; and he healed them.

11. Insomuch that the multitude wondered, because he would not have the lame seeing; and they cried the God of Israel.

12. And he said, Ask and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; for ye say, Seek, and ye shall find; and it shall be opened unto you: for ye say, Spring and summer of A. D. 29, the third year of Christ's ministry.

13. The sea of Galilee, and its northern shores on both sides. The region of Tyre and Sidon in Phoenicia.

14. The Pharisees and scribes from Jerusalem had assailed Jesus' orthodoxy, because he was not observant of the unimportant outward rules of their faith (15:1ff).

15. Answering them he pronounced a "heart-righteousness"—rather than a righteousness of forms. Matthew appropriately follows this with the incident of a Phoenician mother; a woman who had little or nothing of what these Pharisees and scribes regarded as religion, but who had something far better: that heart-righteousness, manifested in her devotion, motherhood, in her reverence for Jesus, and in her faith for him.

16. The Parts of Tyre and Sidon.

17. And Jesus went out thence, and withdrew into the parts of Tyre and Sidon.

18. The Sea of Galilee, a region which gave to that sea one of its names (Matt. 14:34).

19. Again he sought rest on the crowded clamoring for healing and from the cautious Pharisees and Pharisees, rest which he had sought in vain by crossing the northeastern side of the sea, into the parts of Tyre and Sidon.

20. These two great commercial cities represented Phoenicia, immediately north of Palestine, and which was the great seat of the Baal worship whose iniquities wrought so much evil in the days of Jezebel and Ahab and their successors. This was Christ's only excursion into heathen territory (except that he was taken to Egypt when an infant).

21. The Woman of Canaan, v. 22

It seems likely that this woman ready had considerable knowledge of Jesus and his message; perhaps an incipient faith in him. Mark 3:8 tells that people from her neighborhood had been among those who gathered about him in

the early days of his ministry.

A mother's cry for help for an afflicted child is the most appealing of all human or brute pleas.

Her daughter is not only mentally deranged, but cruelly so (Moffatt).

Her desperation is shown in the fact that she persistently followed Jesus along the street, repeating her supplications (ver. 22).

Even to the Twelve—and they knew the infinite tenderness and sympathy of their Master!—his refusal seemed inexplicable.

Preserving Prayer

To us who know the sequel, and who know better than the woman did, perhaps better than the Twelve, the heart of Jesus and his ways, his putting off the woman's request presents no great problem; any more than does the delay in answering the call of the Bethany sisters in their desperate anxiety (John 11:6).

Such a severe case of mental sickness as this could be cured only by an extraordinary healing wonder; and that would need to be supported by extraordinary faith.

Maybe our Lord saw that the woman's faith needed to be cultivated made stronger. The delay and our desperation often effect that.

If I do not find my Lord's hand as I reach out in the dark, I must reach still farther. Hopelessness compels to larger hope.

The same story and lesson are told in Jacob's wrestling in the night at the ford of the Jabbak. (Gen. 32:22-32.)

Christ's Ministry To the Jews v. 24

"But he answered and said, I was not sent unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel."

That was Christ's second test of the woman's faith, and it seemed to shut the door still more firmly in her face than did his silence.

"The whole activity of Christ on earth shows him as sent to the lost sheep of Israel. Within the boundaries of Israel he was born and within the boundaries of Israel he died. With the one exception of the journey here recorded, he never in his maturity left the Jewish land. His twelve disciples were of the Jewish faith; his friends were inhabitants of Jewish homes; his enemies were not the Romans, but his own, to whom he came but they received him not. For his teachings he sought no other audience than the men and women of the Jewish villages. In the fulfilling of his earthly ministry Christ confined himself to Jewish limits. But as we study the words of our Redeemer, one thing gradually grows very clear. It is that he anticipated a ministry that should be wider than these Jewish limits."—Rev. George H. Morrison.

D. D. And one of the events that makes it clear is the event we are now studying.

## Delayed Blessings

It is often so. If with hearty confidence in the Lord's wisdom and mercy we continue to ask, we shall at last receive whatever he sees to be the best for us, and besides may be improved in piety by the delay. The hearer of prayer is not less designing our good when he withholds or defers than when he hears while we are yet speaking. (Broadus.) He (Jesus) knew what was in this noble woman's heart, and he wished to bring it out—so that generation after generation and century after century should see it, and admire it, and learn its lesson. He very much needs a shining example of living faith to set over against the dead formalism of these traditionalists; and here it is—He tested her to the utmost, because he knew that at the end he could say, "O woman, great is thy faith! be it unto thee even as thou wilt!"

The Faith of the Multitude v. 31

"In so much that the multitude wondered." What must it have been to be an eye witness of such a scene of healing and of worship; what an education for the apostles! What a stay for their Master in trying days after their Master was taken from them?"—C. H. Spurgeon.

"And they glorified the God of Israel." After every exhibition of God's mercy exultant thanksgiving and profound adoration. Far too often we speedily forget the divine kindness, or take it carelessly for granted. The faith and gratitude of this multitude, especially if it was in large part a Gentile throng should stir us to faith and rejoicing.

The Sign of the Prophet Jonah. Matt. 16:4.

A group of skeptical Pharisees and Sadducees joined in demanding that he should prove his authority by some wonderful sign from heaven. But Christ condemned as evil and foul all such testing of God. He promised them one stupendous token of his deity in the future, "the sign of Jonah," his resurrection after three days in the grave similar to Jonah's appearance after three days in the body of the sea monster; but he would work no miracle to satisfy idle curiosity or at the requirement of those who would not believe after all the miracles he had already worked among them.

"One who will not believe in Christ in view of his resurrection is self-condemned; his condition is hopeless, his unbelief is fatal."—Prof. Charles R. Erdman.

When liquidity returns to stocks, the hope is that it will not be in the form of water.

## UNITED STATES ARMY RECRUITING STATION

Sgt. Robert E. Foraythe, in charge of the Amarillo Recruiting Station has just received orders to accept applicants for enlistment in the army. Age limits are from 18 to 35. An eighth grade education is required. All applicants accepted at this office will be forwarded to Denver, Colorado for completion of enlistment. From there they will be forwarded to Ft. Warren, Wyoming. Enlistments are for Infantry only.

May I suggest that the advantages of an enlistment in the U. S. Army are many for young men who are ambitious and willing to start at the bottom and work. The Army not only offers opportunities to learn certain trades, with good pay and allowance while learning, but also affords opportunities for self-improvement physically, educationally and financially.

## Farm Credit Corporation Ready For Applications

Applications for production loans to farmers and stockmen in Oldham, Deaf Smith, Randall, Potter, Carson, Hutchinson, Armstrong and Hansford counties are now being received by E. L. Shelton, secretary-treasurer of the Amarillo Production Credit Association. According to Mr. Shelton all loans will be made on a business basis and according to the security furnished by the applicant.

"The loans that will be made in this county and the other seven counties served by the Amarillo Association must be good loans and loans that are collectible if the association is to continue as a permanent service to farmers in this and other communities, as intended," Mr. Shelton said.

"Fortunately not all farmers in this county need credit," he continued, "but for those who do the association stands as a business organization—not as a charity institution. Loans may be obtained for periods of 3 to 12 months by any eligible deserving farmer or stockman who needs credit and has security, but if a farmer or stockman is eligible for credit it must be extended on a business basis."

Each applicant has to state in his application what property he is offering to secure the loan, Mr. Shelton said. Security for these loans will consist of first liens on crops, livestock and other personal property on which a lien, or chattel mortgage may be taken to secure the loan adequately. The lien may be taken on property already in possession of the borrower. It is not intended that

production loans shall be secured principally by mortgage on real estate. Where this type of security is taken it will be regarded only as additional collateral.

Mr. Shelton said that the charge on production loans would be as low as possible in keeping with business credit. A small fee is charged to inspect the property offered as security by the applicant, but usually no charge will be made for inspection if the loan is not granted.

The minimum amount that can be loaned to any eligible borrower is \$50.00. The interest rate is 3 per cent above the discount rate of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, and charged only for the actual number of months the loan is outstanding. The present discount rate of the Federal Intermediate

Credit Bank is 3 per cent, which would make the interest rate to the farmer-borrower 6 per cent per annum.

Loans may be obtained for general agricultural purposes including the cost of growing, cultivating, or marketing crops; and for the production of livestock and dairy and poultry products.

Most of the loans will run from three to twelve months, and are to be due and payable at the time when the crops and livestock financed are sold.

Each farmer or stockman borrowing for the first time automatically becomes a member of the Association, since each is required to own voting stock in the association equal to \$5.00 for every \$100.00 or fraction thereof he borrows. The stock may be

purchased with a part of the loan proceeds. It is the only voting stock in the association and may be purchased only by borrowers each having only one vote regardless of the amount borrowed.

A farmer or stockman who becomes a member of the association does not have to stand good for the loans of the association or the debts of other borrowers. The stock carries no double liability.

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If it's O. K. for Uncle Sam to sell printing, why not extend a good thing and insist that he add to his line and thus serve a much larger number of postoffice patrons? Why not add a grocer's apron to the printer's apron Uncle Sam now wears? Why not sell breakfast food, evaporated milk, butter, shoes, drugs, dry goods, clothing, etcetra, over postoffice counter. Unless Uncle Sam quits the printing business, printers should obtain signatures from postoffice patrons to a petition demanding that the postoffice department sell not only printing—that accommodates only a limited number of customers—but other products. Think of the saving in price that would be possible through enormous volume and frequent turnovers. And Uncle Sam is lucky; he doesn't have to pay taxes.—News, Magdalena, New Mexico.

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## TRANSPORTATION IS VITAL

Away back in Thomas Jefferson's administration the Government of the United States, realizing that they could not build a unified nation without means of communication and transportation between its different parts, began a program of highway building over the Alleghenies. The state of New York fearing the diversion of all commerce of the newly opened West to the ports of Baltimore and Philadelphia, set itself to work to provide water transportation, by digging the Erie Canal from Buffalo to the Hudson River at Albany. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania cut a canal from the headwaters of the Ohio to the Delaware. Maryland had earlier built a canal to connect the Ohio watershed with that of the Potomac.

When the steam locomotives were developed and railroads began to be built, again it was the province of the Government to encourage the development of this mode of transportation; and most of the main line railroad mileage in the United States was constructed with the aid of public funds, federal, state and local. And the newest form of transportation; the airplane, has been brought to its present state of efficiency and safety largely by Government aid.

We think that the development, perfection and maintenance of means of transportation and communication is one way of spending public money which not only meets with resistance from taxpayers who have to provide the funds, but furnishes the most lasting and valuable asset to the nation and its component units. We approve of all the programs of highway improve-

ment and extension, and we approve also, of the way in which the Federal Government, through the R. F. C. is helping the railroads to improve their systems.

There is nothing that appeals to the imagination of the efforts of the railroads to provide swifter, more comfortable travel. The new streamlined, air conditioned trains which several lines are beginning to put into operation, suggest that the railroad is not obsolete. It never will be. It can provide services with either the motorcar nor airplane can give. We do not think any of these has reached perfection, any more than anything else is perfect. We believe it is in the public's interest to help further improvement and development of all of them.

## THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

As the year 1934 wears on toward the general election next November, at which every member of the House of Representatives must go before the voters again and one third of the Senators find themselves facing the same urgent necessity, politics in its more practical aspects becomes more and more engrossing.

The Administration is lending a helping hand to its democratic supporters in the lower House. Naturally, Mr. Roosevelt doesn't want to have any of his legislation defeated in the House. But likewise he does not want to throw any stumbling blocks in the way of loyal democratic members who feel that to vote with the Administration might endanger their chances of reelection in their home districts. So the word has been passed out that all members are free to vote as they please on any measure, so long as they see to it that not enough of them vote in opposition to put the President in the hole.

Letting Down the Bars  
"Vote the way that it will do you the most good with your constituents next Fall," is the message they have all received. This is expected to result in an apparently strong sentiment among Representatives for more favorable action in regard to the soldiers bonus, for example. Members from Districts where the vet-

erans' vote is well organized will feel free to vote for more liberal treatment of the ex-service men, first cautiously making certain that there are enough votes that will be cast on the other side so that their apparent defection will not result in anything the President doesn't like being done.

That is merely one phase of practical politics, as it is played in Washington. It doesn't mean a thing except that the gentlemen in Congress want to stay in Congress, and if they can get re-elected by making every class of voters in their respective districts think they have their interests at heart, they will go the limit to put that idea over.

To be sure there are other considerations that actuate a high proportion of members of Congress, and the inference should not be drawn that they are working for their own pockets all the time, any considerable percentage of them.

New Party Proposed  
On the other side of the political fence there are beginning to be heard more rumblings of an approaching storm which may put the old Republican party completely out of the picture and lay the foundation for a new line-up. One of the most astute of Washington's political observers, has come out boldly for the formation of a new party which he would call Constitutional Democrats, as opposed to the present Democratic party, which he terms Socialist Democrats.

Probably neither the name nor the scheme will get very far, and nobody thinks that Mr. Lawrence expects his plan to be adopted. But the attention that is being paid to the idea itself, of trying to line up those who still believe in the rights of the individual as superior to the rights of the state, in some form of effective opposition to the tendency to regulate and control all human activities by a paternal government, indicates the possibility that a new bloc if not a new party may be built around a nucleus of forward looking Republicans and conservative Democrats.

Cleveland and Bryan  
Those with long political memories are recalling what happened to the Democratic party in 1898 when it was hopelessly split over Free Silver and other Populist issues; so completely split that a powerful faction, headed by none other than President Cleveland, refused to follow the party's candidate, Mr. Bryan, and put their own "gold Democrat" candidate in the field to contest for the Presidency. That marked the end of the old party control, and a high percentage of those who had called themselves Democrats became adherents of the Republican party in the course of the next few years.

Now, these old-timers say, the Republican party is in the same fix. The "Old Guard" is completely discredited. The public believes that two many men got rich because of their political affiliations, or that too many rich men had the say in the party's affairs. Any new political lineup must leave the "Old Guard" out completely, in the position that the Gold Democrats were in forty years ago come next Presidential election.

The opposition to the revolutionary program of the Administration to be effective, must be built on new lines that will admit anyone, whether he has previously called himself a democrat, a Republican or a Progressive Independent. The name Republican will have to be discarded, these folks say.

Looking To Mid-West  
Those who feel that way and among them are some who are always factors to be reckoned with in National Politics, are looking away from the two coasts for leadership and trying to find

a figure in the Middle West where between Pittsburgh and Denver, who can be put forward as a symbol around which to rally those who dislike the present of things. Some of the suggested and seriously discussed are those of Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, and his brother, Governor La Follette of the state; Senator Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota, and Senator W. Norris of Nebraska. To who object to those names having rather too radical a notation, the names of Arthur Capper of Kansas, are suggested.

So far this is mostly talk, but it may come to something as to just what sort of leadership the individual above the crowd, the government might be able to accept and what sort of program or statement of policy might be framed that would appeal enough to that sort of people to start something moving toward the formation of a new party.

Probably there is much talk about a war between Japan in the spring, because of the fact that the Japanese are sending flowers to the United States.

It seems that Samuel Johnson is to stay in Greece until well. And all the United States asked him to come for his medicine.

Experimental scientists are finding that mosquitoes are not material, professor, for the dying.

Virginia proposes to do something by making its own. The Old Dominion State was never noted for its industry.

"The Lost Patrol" Is Striking  
Scenic backgrounds of unusual and awesome beauty to be more noteworthy of the "Lost Patrol," new O. Radio picture, showing Ellis Theatre, Saturday, 17th, in which Victor J. Boris Karloff, Reginald D. Wallace Ford play the roles.

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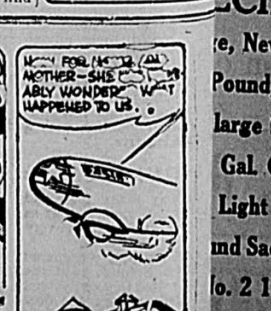
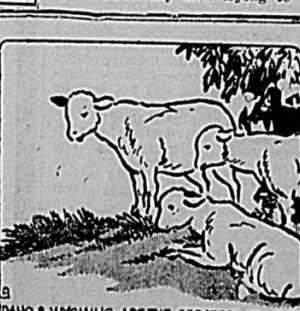
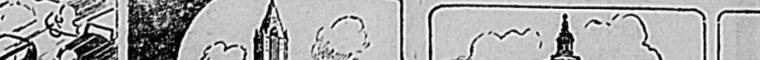
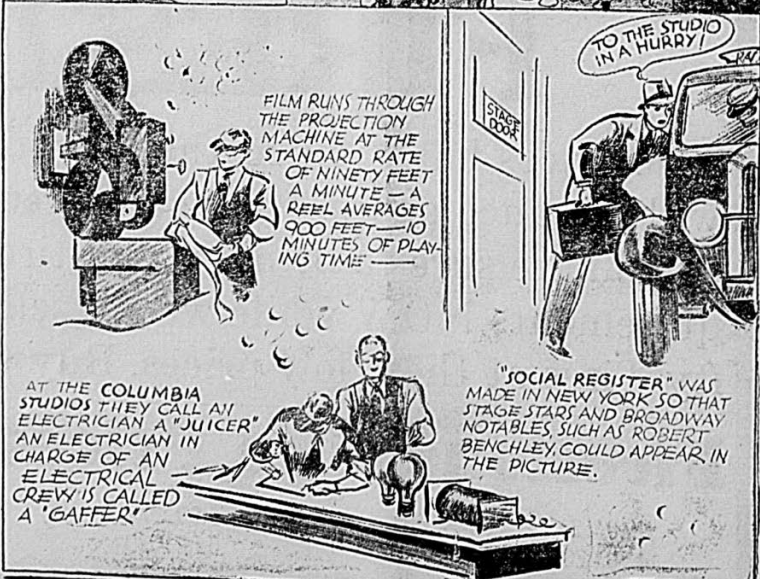
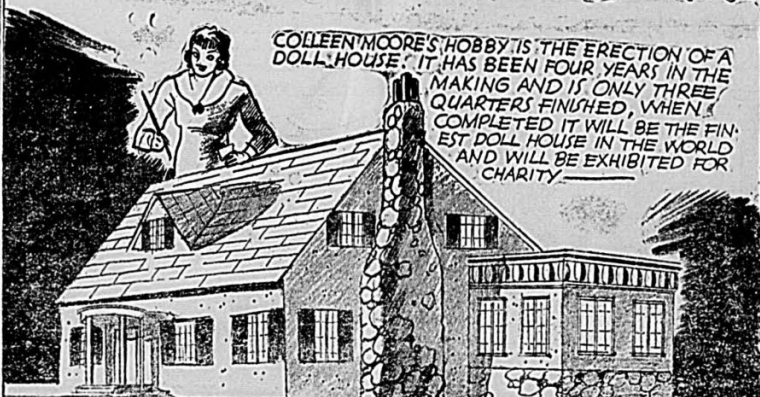
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# Men Grocery Stores Serve Citizens Of This Community

Trading Center of County

Burrans Bros. store is known for the fine quality of food and the large adequate stock of groceries that are kept in stock. They also handle cured meats and a supply of feed.

Spearman Equity Store is owned by farmers throughout this trade territory and the lowest prices on quality foods are always found at the store. The Equity store of Morse is a branch of the home store here and the two stores by buying in large quantities find it possible to offer exceptionally low prices. A full line of feed stuff is handled by the store here.

### ROLLED OATS BREAD—

Add 2 cupfuls of boiling water to 1 cupful of rolled oats and let stand 1 hour. Add half cupful molasses, half tablespoonful salt, 1 tablespoonful butter or shortening, 1 yeast cake, dissolved in half cupful lukewarm water and 5 cupfuls flour to the oats. Beat thoroughly, let rise, beat again, and turn into buttered bread pan. Let rise again and bake in a moderately hot oven.

After the first rising, 1 cupful of chopped nuts or 1 cupful of prunes cut in pieces may be added. Or half cupful of each may be used.

## Some Tested Receipts

Appetites sometimes flag in the springtime and it is necessary to provide something different and

tasty for the school child's lunch. A new bread sandwich will turn the trick.

### HAM AND CELERY LOAF—

Dissolve 1 package of lime flavored gelatin in one and three-fourth cupfuls hot water, add fourth cupful vinegar and unless ham is salty add half teaspoonful salt. Let it stand until slightly thickened, then add 1 cupful of finely chopped boiled ham, 1 and half cupfuls finely chopped celery, 1 tablespoonful scraped or finely minced onion and 2 sweet pickles finely chopped. Put into a loaf, mold until set. Use slices between buttered bread for sandwiches, or make into individual molds, wrap in waxed paper and place in basket to be eaten with bread and butter.

juice or any kind of fresh or canned fruit juice

### HONEY SANDWICHES—

Beat together until thick and smooth, half cupful strained honey and fourth cupful soft butter. Spread between slices of unbuttered bread. For a garnish dip flat sides of nut meat halves in honey and press firmly on side of sandwich.

### PRUNE CHEESE SANDWICHES

Mix together 1 cupful of chopped raw or steamed prunes, 1 tablespoonful soft butter, half cupful cottage cheese and a sprinkling of paprika. Mix well and spread on graham or whole wheat bread.

### RAISIN SANDWICHES —

Grind together one box seeded raisins and 1 box desiccated coconut. Moisten with a little lemon

## FOOD SPECIALS

COOKIES, POUND 20c

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25 Oz. can only 17c.

FREE CUP AND SAUCER  
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3 POUND PKG. TEXAS  
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We Deliver



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- SPEARMAN EQUITY EXC.
- SPEARMAN CASH GROCERY
- F. W. BRANDT & CO.
- BAGGERLY GROCERY

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- SUGAR, 20 POUNDS \$1.00
- 7-DAY COFFEE, POUND 22c
- BLACKBERRIES GALLON 39c
- CORN 4 Cans 25c
- CRACKERS 2 Lbs. 21c
- K. C. BAKING POWDER 25c Oz can for only 17c

- WHITE EAGLE SOAP ONE BAR 2 1-2 c
- SPINACH, NO. 2 can 10c
- Peanut Butter, quart 23c
- PEACHES, WHITE SWAN No. 2 1-2 can 17c.
- HEAD LETTUCE 5c

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Everything You May Need In GROCERIES WITH THE HIGHEST QUALITY AND THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. GIVE US A TRIAL



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## SAVE Money On Your Groceries

—When housewives can find first grade food at prices no higher than they would pay for inferior brands it is only natural that they do their shopping here—Honest values wins us increasing patronage weekly. TRY US.

Burrans Bros. Grocery

## Let us help you cut your FOOD BUDGET

There Is No Doubt That You Can Cut Your Food Budget By Trading At W. C. Bryan & Son Gro.-Mkt.

### SPECIALS

- SOAP, Palmolive Per Cake 5c.
- Pork and Beans, Med. can 4 for 25c.
- MARKET Sausage, pure pork lb. 10c
- Compound, 3 lb. cart. 25c
- Pork Roast, pound 15c.

- Specials
- New Texas, Pound, 2c.
- large bunch 5c.
- Gal. Can 35c.
- Light Crust, and Sack \$1.95
- o. 2 1-2 can 15c

### SPEARMAN CASH GROC.

Phone 187



CURED MEATS FOUNTAIN SERVICE SCHOOL LUNCHES Of Lunch Meats & Cheese 'The School House Grocer' Fancy and Staple Groceries

### WARN FARMERS ON PLOWING UP OF CONTRACT WHEAT

A warning has been sent out by the Wheat Section Production Division warning against abandonment of contract acreage without inspection.

Before a contract signer plows up any wheat for the purpose of planting another crop on the same land, the land involved should be examined by a representative of the County Allotment Committee and official permission should be given by the committee to the cooperators in writing, authorizing him to plow up said wheat. If this procedure is not followed the cooperators may have some difficulty in getting the adjustment payment.

All producers must be fully impressed with the fact that they must not use the land withdrawn from wheat production for any purpose that would have the effect of creating or contributing to commercial surplus of any other agricultural product. This is the subject of regulation No. 26, adopted on August 31, 1933, by the agricultural adjustment administration. To emphasize again its substance and purpose, it is repeated here:

**Regulation No. 26**  
Use of Contracted Acreage—It shall be deemed a violation of this contract for a producer who has executed a contract to shift food crops, grown for home consumption on the farm or feed crops grown for the production of livestock (or livestock products) for home consumption or use on the farm, to the contracted acreage, thereby releasing other land on the farm for the planting of crops for sale or for feed for the production of livestock products for sale. The contracted acreage of 1934 and 1935 shall not be used to feed or to produce feed for any cattle, beef cattle, hogs, sheep or poultry kept for sale or for the sale of their products.

**Approved Practices**  
On August 22 the Administration approved the following practices for the use of the contracted wheat acreage:  
1. Let the land lie unplanted.  
2. Summer fallow the land.  
3. Plant the land to permanent pasture.  
4. Plant the land to meadow crops.  
5. Practice weed control on land.  
6. Plant forest trees for winter-break or farm use.  
7. Plant soil improvement crops on the land, for plowing under. These practices are advocated for the wheat growing region as a whole. It is left to the individual producer to decide which one or ones he prefers to adopt.

If the contract signer does not handle his withdrawn wheat acreage in one of these seven approved ways, but handles it in some other way, the burden of proof will be on him, and it might be that his adjustment payments would be delayed, or that he might not be able to get them at all. Therefore, all contract signers should be urged to adopt one of the seven approved practices which the administration has set forth.

### The Play "Ramona" Hazel Hurd's Next Week's Feature

To an overflowing house the Hazel Hurd Players produced "The Wolf of the North" at the Lyric Theatre last Monday night. The enormous crowd coming out to see this the third appearance of this company on their 8 weeks engagement here is proof of their mounting popularity.

"Next Monday night the dream-play "Ramona" will be presented. It is one of the latest successes of Herschell Weiss, and is taken directly from the novel, with the unfolding of the dream, the characters come to life as the characters in the famous novel.

Fred Tryman will take the "Grandpa" part and his wife Hazel will play the part of Ramona.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

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

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

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

**FLOYD C. SUMRALL**  
**J. B. COOKE**

**For County Treasurer:** MRS. S. E. ARBISON re-election

**BARNEY SHARPS.**  
**MRS. JOE RRY**

**For Commission Precinct 1:** F. W. MAIZE

### Rev. James Rayburn In Revival Service

Dr. James Rayburn, evangelist, is holding a series of revival services at Stratford, Texas. Dr. Rayburn is known nationally and conducted a most successful revival in Spearman two years ago.

### CARD OF THANKS

Words are inadequate to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the sympathy, many kindnesses, gifts and financial assistance given us during our recent bereavement. May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon you fine citizens.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Birdwell and family.

### OLD HANSFORD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crumrine attended the Birthday Celebration March 8th at Borger.

Haines Douglas returned to Spearman Saturday from El Paso, Texas, where he has been convalescing in the Baptist Sanatorium there for several years.

Mr. C. W. Hendricks who has been seriously ill suffering from erysipelas is much improved and is able to sit up again.

Mr. J. A. Ward has been taken ill the past week with a trouble that is diagnosed by local physicians as erysipelas.

Mr. C. J. Todd was attending to business matters in Spearman Monday of this week.

### If You Smoke Too Much Watch Your Stomach

For quick relief from indigestion and upset stomach due to excessive smoking and drinking try Dr. Emil's Adla Tablets. Sold on money back guarantee.—Hale Drug Co.

### "OH BOY—OH BOY"

What a Show

### Hazel Hurd PLAYERS

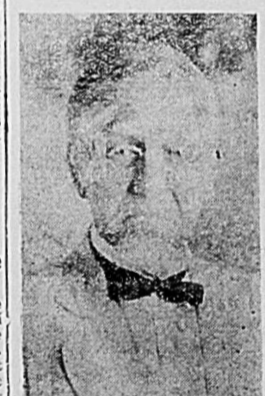
—Present—

### Herschell Weiss' Big Dream Play

### "Ramona"

This play is taken directly from the novel and as the story unfolds in a beautiful dream, the characters come to live as in the book.

A Novelty—A Story and Lots of Good Comedy



FRED, in another Crackerjack old "Grandpa" part.

### WE WON'T PLAY A A BETTER ONE



HAZEL, as "Ramona" as sweet sweet a part as she ever played.

### Lyric Theatre

Monday Night March 19th

SPEARMAN

### Advance

Within a few hours of his return to the Fox Movietone following a month's absence abroad, Director John Blystone was handed an important assignment by Jesse L. Lasky. It was the direction of "Coming Out Party," a story of the debutante racket which will feature Frances Dee, Gene Raymond, Allison Skipworth, and Nigel Bruce.

The story is an original one by Becky Gardiner and Gladys Unger and was transferred for the screen by Miss Unger and Jesse L. Lasky, Jr. It comes on Tuesday and Wednesday to the Ellis Theatre at Perryton.

As a general thing, when a man finds a place that he calls a paradise on earth he wants to get out and go places.

Barnum said there was a sucker born every minute, and so far as anybody knows birth control has not been established since Barnum's day.

### Notice To Land Owners

TO MRS. ALICE F. CAMERON AND H. E. OGLE, non-resident land owners:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned jury of Freeholders acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, Texas, will on the 16th day of March, 1934, proceed to lay out and survey a road commencing at the NE corner of Section No. 11 in Block No. 2, Grantee S. A. & M. G. Ry. Co., Thence South one mile to the S. E. Corner of said Section 11, Thence West 1/2 mile to the S. W. Corner of said Section 11; Thence South along the west line of Section No. 10, Block No. 2, S. A. & M. G. Ry. Co., to the S. E. Corner of Section No. 9 Block No. 2, P. F. S.

Thence West along the South line of said Section 9 Block 2, P. F. S., to its S. W. Corner at which point it will intersect State Highway No. 88, and terminating at this point; and which may run thru or along the section lines of certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

Witness our hands this 28 day of February, A. D. 1934.  
A. H. FRAZIER  
H. L. BORT  
R. D. TOMLINSON  
G. W. FRANCIS

### ELLIS Theatre

Perryton, Texas

THURSDAY - FRIDAY  
March 15-16

Sally Rand and Carole Lombard in  
"BOLERO"

Savage rhythm, the passionate Bolero rhythm to which George Raft as the dancer who trod on broken hearts to reach fame.

Saturday, March 17th

"THE LOST PATROL"  
with Victor McLaglen  
Bam's Karloff

Scenes actually set in Mesopotamia. A tremendous drama of Elevens Men Abandoned Amid Hostile Arabs.

SUNDAY - MONDAY  
March 18-19

"CAROLINA"  
starring  
Janet Gaynor and Lionel Barrymore

Janet Gaynor, in her seventeenth stellar portrayal since her rise to fame in "7th Heaven," Lionel Barrymore in a role that surpasses his former characterizations.

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY  
March 20-21

"COMING OUT PARTY"  
Frances Dee, Gene Raymond, Alison Skipworth

Look behind the scenes and see what really goes on at a coming out party.

### HOW ONE MAN LOST 22 POUNDS

Mr. Herman Runkis of Detroit writes: "A few lines of thanks from a rheumatism sufferer—My first bottle of Kruschen Salts took all of the aches and swelling out of my joints—with my first bottle I went on a diet and lost 22 pounds and now I feel like a new man."

To lose fat quickly and safely take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast every morning—an 8oz. bottle lasts 4 weeks—Get it at any drug store in America.

If not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle—money back.

TO L. L. MATNEY, JANNIE BABBITT, J. P. HOKE, C. C. PATTEN, D. J. MCGUINEY, J. G. NOEL AND NELSON W. WILKINSON WHO ARE NON RESIDENTS OF HANSFORD COUNTY.

You are hereby notified that the undersigned jury of view, acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' court of Hansford County, Texas, will on the 16th day of March, 1934, proceed to lay out and survey a road commencing at Morse, Texas, and running parallel and adjacent to the P. & S. F. RY. from Morse, to McKibben switch, in said County, which may run through certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road when you may appear before us and be heard and may present us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

Witness our hands, this 15, day of February 1934.  
Sid Lackey  
Coy Holt  
Ed Rafferty  
I. V. Ayers  
JURY OF VIEW

### NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

City Tax on male dogs of one (\$1.00) dollar and two (\$2.00) on female dogs were due and payable January 1, 1934. Hereafter all dogs found running at large will be caught and impounded, and

FREE RINSE GIVEN  
WITH EACH SHAMPOO AND  
WAVE SET  
Color to Suit Complexion of Hair.  
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Phone 68

DR. F. J. DAILY  
DENTIST  
X-RAY  
McLain Building Phone 156  
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owner will be required to pay to the Pound Keeper the sum of (\$5.00) before securing the dog from the Pound Keeper.  
If the dog cannot be caught it will be killed by the Pound Keeper without further delay. This is in accordance with City Ordinance Number Eleven, on File in City Ordinance Book.  
All dog owners please take notice, and buy your dog tax for 1934, and hereafter keep your dog on your own premises.

Given under my hand this 28th day of D., 1934.  
W. D. C.  
Attest:  
D. W. HOLLAND  
City Secretary



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 In Movie "BOLERO" starred with George Raft and Carole Lombard  
**See Sally in Her Original "Fan Dance" at Ellis Theatre, Perryton, Texas**

**GRUVER NEWS**

**ate Last Week)**  
 Lee and Emil Knutson drive back new cars for Ford County Motor Co. on way to Chicago, Oklahoma City where he will get a new Ford for him-  
 Mrs. A. R. Bort and line Rosch spent Saturday in Dallas.  
 Mrs. M. F. Barkley and Lera Mae left Monday where their daughter will undergo an operation.  
 Mrs. Guy Cooper had dinner guests Sunday her rs. H. C. Barlow and Leonard, her sister and rs. J. D. Copeland and Misses Clara, Lucy and of Perryton. Mr. and is Barnes. Mr. and Mrs. ch and daughter Elaine and Mrs. Guy Gruver Mary Jo Gruver.  
 Mrs. Silas Dozier and Dozier and Mr. and Mrs. r and daughter, visited last Friday.  
 Mrs. J. A. Dozier and Miss Era and Mrs. Char- and children were sts in the I. W. Ayers lay.  
 H. Gruver is on the is week, but is better ing.  
 Mrs. G. K. Wilmeth visited in Texhoma on  
 Mrs. Clinton Wilson free today for Amarillo where visit with relatives and cattlemen's convention.  
 Mrs. S. H. Woods re- the last Tuesday from and other points in large book they have been vis- olatives this winter.  
 ar Howard was a vis- mon last Tuesday.  
 as Phillips and Mr. er were dinner guests ith Mary Lou and Higgs.  
 and Bob Brooks were ctors in Hardesty on last week.  
 Mrs. Frank Fleck and er Jean, will leave on Emporia and other ansas for a visit with Mrs. W. B. Hart and rs. C. H. Winder and na Beth transacted Amarillo Saturday.  
 Mrs. Price Miller re- Wednesday from City where they were a bedside of her sister ition is greatly im- rs. Jeffries remained ughter their.  
 Mrs. Orville Walker y spent Saturday night  
 Mrs. Harold Bort and

**RAFT CREATOR OF CHARLESTON**

Five years before America went "Charleston" mad, George Raft introduced it to American and European stage and cabaret audiences.  
 And now the famous dancer is a motion picture star, and is about to introduce America to another sensational dance, titled the "Bolero." It is shown in Paramount's "Bolero," coming on Thursday and Friday to the Ellis Theatre, at Perryton, in which Raft is starred with Carole Lombard, Sally Rand, the Fan Dancer, and Frances Drake, featured.  
 Raft first saw the Charleston executed by a little negro lad in a Southern State. Raft who was on a vaudeville tour at the time, was much impressed by the eccentric, side-kicking routine.  
 Later, in New York, he worked out a stage presentation for a

**HITCHLAND NEWS**

Thursday the circle met with Mrs. A. P. Atkins.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lewis spent the week end in Borger on business.  
 J. E. Harbaugh and L. R. McComas were in Liberal the last of the week for supplies.  
 Mrs. Homer Timmons and children are at home from Goodwill School for the week end.  
 George Hitch was in town on business Saturday.  
 Brother Wells preached a real sermon at the church Sunday afternoon.  
 Josie Wiggins, Susie James and Rex Cline spent the week end at the Frank James home.  
 Mrs. Ralph Bort and Mrs. Gay Fletcher and children of Gruver were visiting at the A. L. Thoreson home last Friday.  
 We wish to compliment Mrs. Lewis and her music class for the real music rendered at the church Sunday.  
 Jackie French was brought home from the hospital Sunday and is doing nicely as could be expected.  
 O. E. Chenault and family and Gay Fletcher and family, of Gruver spent Sunday at the Harbaugh home.  
 Most of Hitchland's citizens are at the county seat this week attending court.  
 W. T. Willis and son Eli, of Dumas, are visiting at H. D. Lewis', Mr. Willis is Mrs. Lewis' father.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond James are week end visitors at the W. B. Cline home.  
 If you have a bent for making money you will never be broke.  
 The reason peace worries in Europe is that war is only suspended by accord.

**MORSE ITEMS**

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Forester left Thursday for Temple, Texas, where Mrs. Forester will enter a sanitarium.  
 Jack Noe took a carload of cattle to Kansas City Tuesday.  
 Morse people attending Borger's celebration Thursday were: Robin Giblin, H. I. Gay, Bill Gay, Gordon Parks, Pat Balentine, Mike Balentine, Louise Noe, Hazel Gay, Roy Stevenson, Bub Durham, Leota Harbour, Joyce Womble, Lewis Harbour, Vaughn Hill, Horace Tompkins, Harold Kelly, Desmond Kelly, Stanley Kelly, Wayne Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Womble, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Womble and family, T. I. Harbour, Woodrow Forester and Fritz

**Green, Wayne Kelly, and Hazel Gay.**

Mr. and Mrs. Fedric took their small son to Amarillo Sunday for medical treatment.  
 Rev. W. H. Forbes acted as school superintendent in the absence of Frederick Forester who was suffering with a minor injury to his foot. There 50 at Sunday School. This is a slight but encouraging increase.  
 The Y. P. A. met Sunday and had as its visitor Mrs. L. F. Noe, a strong supporter of the organization.  
 Desmond Kelly and Henry Reid went to Spearman Monday.

**Rev. Forbes, Baptist Pastor of Gruver preached here Sunday.**

Mike Balentine went to Dalhart Monday.  
 Recent cases of measles in the neighborhood are James Speer, Emily Ryan, Dorothy Ann Cocks, Roberta Kelly, Edith Batie, Benton Batie, M. C. Niemenschneider, and Billie Board.  
 Those attending the party given Saturday evening to the Young People's Association by Miss Lorna Stock were Francis Noe, Elizabeth Noe, Woodrow Forester, Bub Durham, Roy Stevenson, Una Coffey, Kathryn Ann Womble, Bill

**RIG THEATRE**

**Borger, Texas**  
**FRIDAY - SATURDAY**  
 March 16-17  
 PAUL MUNI in "HI, NELLIE"  
 with GLENDALE FARRELL, RED SPARKS and ROBERT BARRAT  
**SUNDAY - MONDAY**  
**TUESDAY**  
 March 18-19-20  
 JANET GAYNOR  
 —with—  
 LIONEL BARRYMORE  
 —IN—  
 "CAROLINA"  
**Wednesday - Thursday**  
 March 21-22  
 Kay Francis in "MANDALAY"  
 With Richard Cortez, Warner Oland, Lyle Talbot and Ruth Donnelly.

**Mr. Farmer!**

—We are asking a favor of you. It will only be a short time before magnetoes must be repaired and placed in shape for work. Each year we have a rush on this class of work at the beginning of the Spring season. Our replacement stocks are depleted, and often your work is delayed. THIS YEAR we are asking you to bring in your magnetoes NOW and let us complete the repair work, place the repaired magneto on our shelves and have it ready when you need to begin work. In this way you will not be expected to take the magneto out of the shop until you need it, and you will not have to pay for the magneto repair until you get the magneto. It will enable us to do better work, and not be rushed for time.

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**Delon Kirk**  
 SPEARMAN, TEXAS

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—Unclean, wasteful and expensive methods of cooking will soon be over like the "Horse and Buggy" days, as the American public becomes educated to the fact that

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# THE LYNX NEWS

Published Weekly News Of The Students By The Students.

## JUNIOR NEWS

The Juniors have been enjoying the Spring weather the last few days and hope that it continues.

Most of them passed the six weeks examinations, and there were many on the honor roll. Those on the A honor roll are Lady Archer, Elsie Reed, Martha Reimer, Omar Cottler, Willard Davis, Robert Douglas and Elmon Jacobs.

Those on the B honor roll are Gertrude Barkley, Mary Brandt, Sylvia Harmon, Velira Hollingshead, Carrie B. Nesbit, Beth Wilbanks, Woodrow Gibner, Jake Jacobs and Charles Newcomb.

## WONDER WHY

Vernie Black looks so down hearted? Tom Walker can spell so well? Alleen Parker likes sour pickles? Billie sings "You're gone, lose your Gal"? Bill and R. C. Sampson could be so different and still be brothers? Bob Howard likes the name Ruby so well? Kathryn Sealey likes nursing class? Ruby Moss can not decide between certain boys? Evelyn Matthews is always chewing gum? Leroy Sheets always helps Jean get her English lesson? many trips to Gruver? Frances Hollingshead and Novlene Parker change boy friends? Alleen Vera Beth McClellan makes so Wren Loftin smiles all the time? Gill thinks Perryton is such a good town to be from? Fred Holt takes things so seriously now?

## THE ENGLISH IV CLASS

Members of the English IV Class are looking far into the future. They are preparing themselves to be Senators. Representatives, and maybe even the President of the United States. Such ambitions have been prompted by the study of parliamentary rules. Several drills have been conducted in class. Some of the boys especially Tom and Fred, are taking special interest, for they have hopes of being elected President of the Freshman class of whatever college they attend this fall.

## VOLLEY BALL

Last Monday afternoon the girls who are interested in volley ball had a meeting with Mr. Morris and decided to start practicing the following afternoon. About eighteen girls have been reporting for practice. They are also learning to play team work. They have had several work-outs with the boys and have learned a few things from them.

## LYNX PLAY IN TOURNAMENT

Saturday morning the Lynx journeyed to Stratford to play in their tournament. They played the McAlister Eagles from McAlister, New Mexico, in their first game. The Eagles won by a score of 27-32. The Lynx sprang in the lead when the whistle blew, and made eight points before the Eagles scored. After their first spurt the Lynx slowed-up a bit and were nosed out of the win by a narrow margin. This eliminated the Lynx from the tournament. At two o'clock Saturday the Lynx played Tulla an exhibition game. Tulla won 24-27. This tournament concluded a very successful season for the Lynx.

## GIRLS GLEE CLUB

The Glee Club is practicing diligently in spite of the fact that many of the girls have colds and sore throats. They are planning to furnish entertainment at some of the commencement exercises. The girls' quartet sang two songs at the county council meeting last Saturday.

## CLOTHING

The Home Economic II girls are looking forward to wearing a new dress of their own making in the near future. Some of us are remodeling dresses. In doing this there are several things to take into consideration. In the first place we must decide whether the material is worth being made over; second whether it is good enough to warrant buying new material to use on it; third if the dress is worn only at the sleeves and neck it may very easily be remodeled; and fourth if the material is good but out of fashion it may be ripped, freshened or re-dyed, and remade completely. Others are engaged in making tailored dresses out of new material. Some things they have to consider in buying material are durability, suitability, of design and color to personality and figure, laundering possibilities, and cost.

A tailored costume should be simple, neat, and attractive. The portion, and interest may be followed in choosing the design for a tailored costume as for any other. Tailored finishes and decorations such as bound or worked buttonholes, set in pockets, pleats, tucks, outside stitching etc. are employed. This type of costume lends itself more favorably to the heavier or the varied textile fabrics. Our class meets each morning from 8:45 - 10:15 and we cordially invite our mothers and our friends to visit us at any time.

## THE IMPORTANCE OF SERVING FRESH FRUIT

The Home Ec I class has been studying the last few weeks on the importance of a nourishing and satisfying breakfast for each member of the family. The time between the evening meal and breakfast is already the longest time in which our bodies are without food and should not be further lengthened by going without breakfast.

Of course the usual breakfast menus of most families is fresh fruit.

In the first place, due to the juiciness and acid taste of most fresh fruit, they serve as appetizers, for the food that is to follow. This is especially necessary at breakfast since the body has rested during the night and has exercised little between the hour of rising and morning meal. Another more important reason for serving fresh fruit is that they are very rich in the material which keep our bodies in good trim. First of all the sweet taste which some fruits have due to the fruit sugar dissolved in their juice. This natural sugar is much more healthful than the granulated sugar so commonly used on our tables. Also more fruits contain acid which stimulates the appetite and has an alkaline effect upon the body. It is commonly believed that acid foods produce acids in the body and are the cause of "acid stomach" but this is not true. The greatest value in fresh fruits lies in the minerals and vitamins which they contain. Minerals, as everyone knows, are important in the development of various parts of the body, bones, teeth, and blood and are necessary in each body cell.

Vitamins, in general, help to make us grow, prevent diseases, and prevent defective teeth. Citrus fruits especially are rich in vitamin C, which is easily destroyed by heating, drying and aging. The body needs a fresh supply of this vitamin each day. It is valuable in preventing scurvy, a disease affecting the blood vessels, skin gums and teeth.

## Christian Science Church

"Substance" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 18. The Golden Text is: "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and not be afraid; for the Lord Jehovah is my strength and my song; he also is become my salvation." (Isiah 12:2.) Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "To make known to the sons of men his mighty acts, and the glorious majesty of the kingdom." (Psalms 145:12.) The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Substance is that which is eternal and incapable of discord and decay. Truth, Life, and Love are substance, as the Scriptures use this word in Hebrews: 'The substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.' Spirit, the synonym of mind, soul or God, is the only real substance. The spiritual universe, including individual man, is a compound idea, reflecting the divine substance of Spirit." (page 468.)

## Snap Dragon Club

The Snap Dragon Club met at the home of Mrs. Faye Klutts on Monday afternoon March 5th. An interesting and enjoyable program was given. All members present taking a part in the program. Two new members were voted into the club. The next regular meeting will be next Monday, March 19th, at the home of Mrs. L. A. Richardson, in the McLain building, with Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Perry joint hostesses.

## Belle Bennett Society

Twelve members of the Belle Bennett Society met at the home of Mrs. F. M. Maize Wednesday afternoon for the regular meeting. The devotional was given by Mrs. Redus and the study on "Christian Social Relation" was read by Mrs. O. L. Williams. Mrs. H. A. Nichols gave a paper on Stewardship.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W. L. Matthews Wednesday afternoon March 22nd.

## NOTICE

The Hansford County Relief office has a surplus of smoked pork, canned beef, lard, butter and other food commodities to be given to families who have not enough food to provide for their needs. Families who are able to provide sufficient food are urged not to ask for said food as they will be refused. This food is to be given to families on the relief rolls. E. B. DODSON, Relief Admin.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

A. F. LOFTIN, Pastor

**DO YOU KNOW?**  
That the total church membership of all denominations in the South in 1926 was 17,558,165. The eight ranking denominations are as follows:  
BAPTIST, all bodies 6,652,941  
Methodist, all bodies 4,127,408  
Roman Catholics 2,897,592  
Presbyterians 805,695  
Disciples of Christ, 613,436  
Lutherans, all bodies 445,759  
Episcopalians, all bodies 405,227  
Church of Christ 320,341  
All Others 1,289,806

**DO YOU KNOW?**  
That in the Southland that Baptist outnumber by 1,350,000 the nearest denomination to them in members? There are over four million white Baptists in the South today. From 1920 to 1931 Baptist baptized 2,420,658. This gives for that length of time a total net gain in membership of 983,218. Average of over 550 baptisms per day for twelve years. There are over 23 million unchurched people in the South. What a field for Evangelism. Over one half of the population of the South do not know God and Christ as Father and Lord and Savior. Baptists of the South number 7,999,270 in 1933.

Come to church Sunday morning and Sunday night and we will preach to you as best we can from helpful scriptures. Sunday school 10:00 a. m., church worship, at 11:00 a. m., B. T. S., 7:00 p. m., Church worship 8:00 p. m.

"All the New Testament is the law of Christianity. The New Testament will always be the law of Christianity."

## WORSHIP WITH US.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL AND B. T. S. CONVENTION

The Sunday school and B. T. S. Convention was one of the best in the history of its existence. Every church in the Canadian association with one or two exceptions was represented. The music and the devotionals and the addresses were on a high order. And the message by Dr. Mitchell, First Church, Dalhart, thrilled our souls—made us feel that we MUST "redeem the time."

Many thanks to the Reporter! You helped make the day a glorious success by giving the meeting such large publicity in your columns. (And what a good dinner you did miss!) The "Hot dog Supper" prepared by our local folk was enjoyed by some 70 young people from the different churches of the association. "Weuns got acquainted with youns" during the lunch hour. Lots of good fun! Time and place for the next annual meeting of the convention will be decided later. Next Workers' Conference of the association will be with Booker church April 10th.

## Shower Given For Mrs. Everett Overton

A lovely shower was given Mrs. Everett Overton Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. V. Murry. After a very pleasant afternoon refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames, Colleen Busby, Raymond Traylor, Billie Vassey, C. J. Todd, Adrain Moore, Dassel Sheets, Eldridge Sheets, Roy McComas, Claude Sheets, Clarence Clark G. C. Wilbanks, C. B. Ashford, C. U. Pope, Mary Weed, Roe Crawford, L. G. Andrews, Tom Allen, R. D. Howell, J. B. Tower, J. C. Hall, Paul Roach, A. M. Wilbanks, P. O. Murry. The guest list also included Misses Loretta Wilbanks, Fannie Sparks and Joyce Wilbanks.

## Mary Martha Circle

Members of the Mary Martha Circle met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Miller Wednesday afternoon for the regular weekly meeting. Devotional was led by Mrs. Charles Chambers. The lesson was on "Spiritual Cultivation" and was conducted by Mrs. M. S. Chambers. After a short social hour the ladies departed for their homes. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. N. Richardson.

## Bid - A - Bit Club

Members of the Bid-A-Bit Club were delightfully entertained with a St. Patrick's Day Bridge Luncheon given by Mrs. C. D. Foote at her home Wednesday at 12:30. After the luncheon came games of contract bridge at which Mrs. Merritt was awarded high score prize. Guest prizes were given to Mrs. Robert Clogston and Mrs. James Pate, both of Elkhart, Kansas. And a prize of a potted flower was given as "cut prize" to the player at each table, being awarded to Mrs. Bill Vassey, Mrs. T. E. Johnson and Mrs. J. D. Hester. Members present were: Mesdames, W. W. Merritt, J. M. Lackey, T. E. Johnson, R. E. Lee, Bill Vassey, D. W. Holland, Wm. J. Whitson, J. D. Hester, L. B. Campbell, and the hostess, C. D. Foote. Miss Lucille Maize was a luncheon guest.

## NOTICE

Spearman Independent school warrants Nos. 2190 to 2200 are payable. Present same at office in high school building and check will be issued.

## ORDER OF TRUSTEES

For Sale: Three row Emerson lister with planting attachment and power lift. O. D. RIGGS, Waka, Texas.

## FOR SALE

Pure Rhode Island Red Eggs, and setting Hens. Mrs. R. P. Kern, Spearman, Tex.

## STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB

Mrs. Buck Noel was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter Club last Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was spent quilting on a star quilt. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames, Kiff White, Earl Ooley, Jess Edwards, W. A. Van Cleave, Tom Allen, Larence Dossett, C. D. Riggs, Walter Gillespie Web Sheets, Bryan, O. L. Williams, Kenneth Williams, and Misses Ruth Jane Van Cleave, Maxine Allen, Rachel Smith and the hostess, Mrs. Buck Noel.

We were glad to welcome Mrs. Bryan as a new member.

## Don't Name It

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lar, and named her mother-in-law, to be his guardian angel and watch him day and night. But it has been the habit of malicious men from time immemorial to speak disrespectfully of the dear old spectral angels and to refer to them as the embodiment of tyranny and the personification of terror.

I once heard a man who said that his principal possessions in the world were an appetite and a mother-in-law, and that he had never been able to satisfy either. A crowd of boys dragged a cannon down to the river one Fourth of July and began to celebrate the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence by firing across the stream. A man came running with his hat off and his hair floating in the air, shouting at the top of his voice: "Stop shooting boys; for the Lord's sake stop shooting!" "Why do you wish us to stop shooting?" asked the boys; and with a voice trembling with fear, he shouted back at them: "My mother-in-law got drowned there yesterday and I am afraid you will raise her."

I have frequently heard it said of sad and subdued-looking men, as I have passed along in life, that they were suffering with a bad case of mother-in-law. It has come to pass almost everywhere that if the maternal ancestor of the wife even suggests to the husband in the tenderest tones of voice and most affectionate language that he ought not to do a thing, he is sure to do it, out of fear of public opinion; or if she urges him to do a thing, he leaves it undone to prove to the world that he is not "bossed" by his mother-in-law. All this abuse and all these vicious attacks on the mothers of our wives are mean and contemptible, and a direct reflection upon our wives themselves. The sweetest and purest and best woman I ever saw except my mother and my wife, is my mother-in-law. Her life has been a sacrifice to the comfort and happiness of her children, and so it is with most mothers-in-law. In nine cases out of ten it could be appropriately and truthfully said that she is suffering from a bad case of son-in-law. If a man is unkind, or even neglectful of his wife, he is pretty sure to hear from the mother-in-law, that is right. If he fails to provide for his family, she has a right to look at him over the top of her spectacles and make the king's English crack like a cowhide around his ears; if he wantonly spends his evenings away from his own fireside and comes home with snakes in his boots, she has a right to "stick her nose in his business" and her fists in his face, and it is her divine right to lay down the law to him.

I think it is a glorious thing for society that weak-minded and glibly men are afraid of their mothers-in-law. Otherwise many a home would be turned into Hades, and many a sweet gentle spirit would be crushed; many a family of little children would suffer, and many a son-in-law who now walks in the "straight and narrow path" would be a worthless vagabond in the gutters and slums of the earth.

The mother-in-law is the conservator of peace, and not its disturber, as many bad men would make it appear. She is the Goddess of Liberty enlightening the little world within the four walls of home. She is the Minerva of the hearstone; Jove is enthroned upon her brow, and the Furies of the son-in-law who transgresses the law of Jove. For then the righteous Furies wake up and leap like forked lightning into the face of the transgressor, and he is left in the condition of the man who went out West. News came back to his father: "Your son is dead." The old man telegraphed immediately, "Send me his remains," and received this reply: "They ain't no remains; a cyclone struck him."

But to the man who does his faithful duty to his family, his country, and his God, the mother-in-law is a "thing of beauty and

a joy forever." She nurses his children and cares for them, she stays with them at night while he and his wife are at the party; she nurses him when he is sick and makes him swallow his medicine on time, and cuts off all communication with the outside world till he is well again. If his creditors become too numerous and annoying, she stands guard at the door and hedges it about with fire and brimstone. She is the cornerstone of the church and the leader of the "Ladies Aid Society"; she is the president of the "Busy Bees" and the recording secretary of the Daughters of the Revolution; she is the grand regent of the "Daughters of the Confederacy" and the sponsor of the "Grand Army of the Republic"; she presides over all sewing circles and knits socks for the circuit riders, she is the secretary of war in every neighborhood and the commander-in-chief in every home; she is the foundation of civilized society, for society could not exist without families, and there could be no legitimate family without a mother-in-law; she

is the grandmother of orators, poets, scholars, heroes and statesmen. Then let us cheer our mother-in-law and be tender with her; let every husband fall at her feet and shout: "Great is Diana of the Ephesians!" Let us give her praise and honor and glory, for in dealing with her "discretion is the better part of valor."

My advice to every bachelor is to get a mother-in-law; and to every widower, to get two mothers-in-law. Take up the white man's burden, old boys; take up the white man's burden; join the happy band of benedicti and learn to sing swell lullabies and "Home Sweet Home."

God pity the homeless and childless and mother-in-lawless man! He does not know what the twining of tender arms means; he has never felt that rapture which fills the heart of the father and husband and son-in-law when he crosses the threshold of home and hears the sweetest voices of welcome there. The laughter and songs of little children, blood of his blood and flesh of his flesh, have never been tangled with his life. He is a living dis-

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