

# THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

Twenty-Fifth Year

Spearman, County Seat of Hansford County Texas.

Thursday, March 23, 1933

Number 16

## RE-ELECT HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS FOR SCHOOLS

### MEMBERS OF EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTED SAT

League Selects Leading Citizens For Year's Work. At a meeting of the Tax Payers Association of Hansford county held at the court house in Spearman, Friday March 18, the executive and public expense committee of said league, consisting of J. E. Gerber, J. I. Steele, J. L. Wilbanks, A. J. Wilbanks, A. J. Wilbanks, R. L. Wilbanks, R. V. Verse, George M. Whitson and H. S. Wood.

### RICHARDSON MADE CONOCO DEALER

Alvino Richardson, of Gruber, was checked into the Continental Oil Company here Monday, and will be the agent for Conoco products here. Mr. Richardson has had much experience in the oil business, having been connected with the Continental Oil Company at Gruber for the past two years. He is now staying in Spearman at the home of his mother, Mrs. Fannie Richardson, but plans to move his family here later in the week.

### LOCAL BOYS SIGN FOR MILITARY TRAINING

Bob Howard, Gene Cline and Bert Wilson local Spearman boys signed up this week with Lieutenant J. E. Gerber, recruiting officer for military training. The boys will leave on or about the first of June for Denver, Colo. where they will be stationed at the 1st Cavalry Military Training Camp.

### WIND BREAKS BIG PLATE GLASS SUN. MORNING

The terrific wind and sandstorm broke the big plate glass window in the building occupied by Wilson Funeral Home in Spearman Sunday morning. The building is owned by R. W. Morton who has had extremely hard luck with his plate glass windows this year, this one being the third he has had broken.

### CITY OFFERING LOWER IRRIGATION RATES

At a recent meeting of the city commissioners it was decided to offer lower irrigation rates this year than last to encourage gardening and beautifying of homes in the city. Last year the minimum charge on the irrigation rate was \$5.00 for the first 10,000 gallons and a charge of 25c per additional 1,000 gallons used above the minimum allowance. This year the city contract is offering the first 10,000 gallons for the minimum price charge of \$3.00 and additional 10,000 gallons at 20c each. Those desiring this service are required to sign special contracts available at the city hall. This carries an ad giving more detailed information about the rate.

### TRUSTEE ELECTION

Morse Independent School District will hold its annual trustee election on the first Saturday in April. The election is under the supervision of Mrs. J. A. Robinson.

### Blodgett News

Mrs. J. M. Blodgett, Mrs. R. Blodgett and Ralph Jr. were business visitors to Amarillo Tuesday. Miss Hazel Lowry returned home Saturday from Darrozzett and Follett, where she has been visiting the past week. Wesley Garnet visited in Spearman last week. Mr. and Mrs. Will Deck and family visited her mother, Mrs. N. Y. Williams Friday. Miss Gladys Williams visited the past week with her sister, Mrs. Will Deck. Mr. and Mrs. John Sims and Miss Hazel Lowry were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Reed. Mary Beth Austin is able to be up and in a few days we hope to see her back in school. Mr. and Mrs. John Kenny were visitors to Spearman Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Nobles were Spearman visitors Saturday. Wheat in our community is beginning to look real pretty; but we are all needing rain so bad that if it doesn't rain or snow real soon it won't be pretty and green long. Mrs. J. M. Blodgett, Mrs. Ralph Blodgett and Ralph Jr. were in Spearman Saturday. We will have Sunday School Sunday and singing Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hooper. If anyone wants a real good German Police watch dog see Earl church. Mrs. H. Pearey, Mrs. John Kirby and Mrs. Clyde Harbour were visitors to the Happy Hour Club in the home of Mrs. Harry Sheddick Thursday afternoon. Lloyd Prutsman visited with home folks this week end. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harbour were Spearman visitors Saturday.

### Plan Big Free Musical Hour At Tice Building Saturday

Despite the violent West Texas rain that drenched the citizens of the county with dust Saturday, a large crowd of local people were present at the Tice building to listen in on a program of old time fiddle music and string instruments. This Saturday a set program is planned with the possibility of 25 artists taking part in a two or three hours program. Every person in this trade territory who can play any kind of a stringed instrument is urged to come to Spearman and take part in the program. The old fiddlers will be given plenty of time to warm up and will play singly and in groups. The Saturday program will be under the direction of Mr. Schubert who thought of the idea for the entertainment of the general public. This Saturday the Tice building is cleared and seats will be provided so all can enjoy the entertainment.

### ELBOW THROWN OUT OF PLACE MONDAY

Bobby Crawford Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Crawford was painfully injured Monday of this week when his elbow was thrown out of place. Bobby was riding down a cellar door on his tricycle when he lost control of the velocipede and ran into a fence post, and the collision caused the injury. He is recovering rapidly at this time.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL ENDED SUNDAY

J. Porter Sanders, minister of the Church of Christ ended a two weeks' series of evangelistic services Sunday night at the Union Church in Spearman. During the two weeks many people heard this talented speaker deliver his gospel messages, and will regret the closing of the meeting. However, he may be heard each Sunday at the morning and evening services at the Church of Christ.

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the ordinance of the City makes it unlawful for animals or fowls of any kind to run at large within the city limits and provides a fine of not less than \$5.00 for the violation thereof. The above ordinance will be fully enforced. W. D. COOKE Corporation Court Judge.

### REV. W. D. WITT WILL PREACH SUN.

Rev. W. D. Witt of Borger will preach at both morning and evening services at the Baptist church in Spearman next Sunday. The church is temporarily without a pastor since Rev. J. H. Richards left March 1st. Rev. Witt has supplied for the church previous to his Sunday services, and those having heard him will not want to miss his sermon this Sunday.

### HITCHLAND TRACK MEET Friday, March 21st

Rural schools of Hansford County will hold the annual interschool athletic meet at the Hitchland school beginning Friday March 31st, and continuing thru-out the day. Dinner will be spread on the ground at noon and everyone is urged to bring a basket of food. The program is as follows: Spelling, 9:00 a. m. Picture Memory, 10:00 a. m. Story Telling, 11:00 a. m. Noon, basket dinner 12:00 p. m. Musical events 1 p. m. Track Events 2 p. m. Playground ball 3 p. m. Declaration, one act plays and awarding from 3 p. m. to 7:30.

### LEO DACUS NOW EMPLOYED BY CITY

Leo Dacus has been employed by the city of Spearman as the new meter reader, and "handy man" at the city hall. He was hired to take the place of Jess Daughte, former meter reader who has New Mexico. Read the Advertisements.

### Old Hansford News

A large crowd enjoyed the party at the D. B. Thorne home Saturday night. Mr. Combs and daughter of Canyon spent several days this week in the Curtis Lowe home. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pieris and little daughter Betty spent Saturday night in the Chester Mitt home. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mitt spent Tuesday visiting in the Elmer Myers home of near Gruber. Mesdames C. W. Hendricks and O. J. Williams were hostesses to the Glad Club last Wednesday in their home. Eight members were present. After an interesting discussion of the Bible was given, refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames P. M. Maize, C. R. Oldham, Pat Neilson, Mattie Sheets, G. C. Mitt, Ben Maize, and the hostesses, Mesdames Hendricks and Williams. Potato planting got under way at the Electrified Irrigation farm this week. Gladia Caldwell spent the week end visiting Hazel Thorne. Audrey Edge left Monday for Oklahoma to be at the bedside of his mother who is very ill. Mrs. D. B. Thorne spent Monday in the Edge home. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitt visited in the Hendricks home Thursday night. Alvin Richardson was attending to business in the valley one day this week. Robert and Alvin Cator, Miss Opal Delbrugge, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Williams were Tuesday night visitors to the Chester Mitt home.

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### County Operating Commissary for the Needy

Hansford County is operating a commissary at the court house in Spearman to help provide food stuff for the needy. The county has purchased a quantity of food stuffs and have placed it in one of the rooms where it is carefully checked out to the needy. In order for those requiring help to get provisions, they are required to sign a relief contract, whereby they agree to pay for the groceries with work at 12-12c per hour, coming under the relief program. Before additional supplies are obtained, work coming under the contract must be completed and approved by those in charge of the work. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dressing and two children of Mr. and Mrs. Garner's visited in Boise City last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Garner are under care of Mrs. Bundy cancer specialist of that city. Subscribe for the Reporter.

### County Court Suspended to Friday 25th

County Court which convened Tuesday of this week to set on the Taylor vs. Deaner case was suspended until Friday until proper witnesses could be had on hand. It was necessary to get a man to act as Judge in this case due to the fact that County Judge Broadhurst was one of the attorneys.

### MRS. DOROTHY ANN KIRK BURIED HOLT CEMETERY

Funeral services for Mrs. Dorothy Ann Kirk, were held Sunday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben Holt, 17 miles south of Spearman, Rev. H. A. Nichols of Spearman officiating. Interment was held in the Holt cemetery, with B. G. Roberts, Joe Close, W. T. Coble, P. H. Jameson, Edd Close and J. D. Hester acting as pall bearers. Mrs. Dorothy Ann Kirk, 82, widow of the late J. N. Kirk, of Hutchinson county, died in an Amarillo hospital Saturday afternoon, March 18th, at 5:20 o'clock, following several months of illness. Mrs. Kirk and her family were pioneer North Plains ranchers and were prominently identified for the past 35 years with the development of this section of the Panhandle. She was a member of the Methodist church and since early girlhood has been a sincere Christian worker. She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. B. C. Holt, Mrs. B. A. Jenkins, both of Spearman; Mrs. L. Sharp, Paducah, and Mrs. James Owens, Los Angeles; and four step children. They are W. F. Harris, Morse; Mrs. C. J. Crawford, Goldthwaite; Mrs. Sallie Penner, Weatherford, and D. B. Kirk, of Spearman. Walter Jackson of Amarillo was a Spearman visitor on Monday of this week.

### MRS. A. CURTIS IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Auburn Curtis has been in a Borger hospital since the last part of last week where she was carried when suddenly attacked by convulsions, caused by uraemic poisoning. She was returning to her home at Borger Saturday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wilbanks, when she became seriously ill enroute home. She was rushed to the hospital, upon their arrival in Borger, and physicians stated that they had little hope for her recovery. However, at this writing her condition has greatly improved. CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our kind friends in Spearman for their sincere sympathy and tokens of love bestowed upon us during our recent bereavement, which deprived us of our father, J. O. Adams. Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Collins

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Mrs. W. H. Forbes of the Gruber P. T. A. announces that this organization will serve a dandy chicken dinner for 25c. at the Interscholastic school meet Saturday. The dinner will be served in the school building, and for those who do not care for a dinner a short order service will be maintained serving hamburgers, pies cakes and coffee.

### JOHN DEERE COMPANY ANNOUNCES NEW PLAN

Mr. E. C. Womble, our implement dealer, has just returned from a meeting of the John Deere dealers held in Amarillo last Friday, where the John Deere wheat, corn and cotton plan was announced and explained by the sales manager of the company. The John Deere Plow Company realizing the abnormally low prices now being paid for farm products has announced a plan whereby the farmer buying John Deere equipment this spring is assured a higher scale of prices on wheat, corn and cotton, than the present market. Mr. Womble is impressed with the liberality of the plan and commended the John Deere Plow Company for the substantial allowances which it is authorizing him to make his farmer customers on the sale of John Deere implements purchased during these unprecedented times.

### LOCAL MARKET

Below is given the local market in Spearman on Thursday March 23. Wheat on Thursday 25c. at ter reaching a high during the earlier part of the week. Oats, per bu. 16c. Barley, per bu. 16c. Cream, per pound 12c. Heavy Hens, per pound 7c.

## Lions Minstrel Tuesday Nite

You'd Better Be Ready, and Don't You Be Late When They Open the Lions Show Tuesday Night at the Auditorium. And we don't mean maybe. You will miss the best amateur entertainment you will have an opportunity to see and hear this year if you fail to dig up a dime or twenty cents and step out to hear the Cast Iron Quartet, with Messrs. Andy Hoskins, Amos McClellan, and the twins, Honey Boy Land, and the twins, Amos McClellan and Rastus Lyons, as they render up that heart rendering, yet emotional and pathetic tune "Somebody Loves Me, But It's Not the Weather Man." This is but one of

the many features of the Lions Club Minstrel show which will open for their pre-view showing at the high school auditorium Tuesday March 28th. "Kingfish" Wendt, master of ceremonies, with all the dignity of a Presiding Elder, and the intense sincerity of a crap shooting alley nigger, will crack the whip over the assembly of colored peep, as they sing their song and do their specialties. Bones Miller and Hambones Johnson, a couple of Louisiana yallar niggers imported into Spearman from the swamp country, are the end men, and these poor unsophisticated country nig-

gers don't know the war is over, or beer is a legal drink. They keep the scolarly "Kingfish" in hot water thru-out the show, since that learned gentleman is always willing and anxious to help a brother in distress. That tantalizing, harmonizing, mesmerizing, hypnotizing, Dew Drop Duo, being none other than Amos McClellan and Andy Hoskins will give two special songs (no encore) the boys are paid ten thousand for each song. Then there are a couple of unimpeachable or anonymous characters that have refused to reveal their identity. One of them is a large portly handsome nigger

a serious countenance, that has insisted on delivering a sermon to the congregation. The other is a young nigger who burns up the floor with his feet and aint yet ever asked for mercy or insisted on stopping the dance music. Of course the show would not be complete without some real mass singing, and when the entire "aggregation" led by the Cast Iron Quartet, aided and abetted by the Dew Drop Duo, turn loose on the "Dark Town Strutters Ball" and "Alexandra's Rag Time Band," the rafters of the auditorium tremble like a California earth quake was visiting Spearman. The boys have several up town

nigger songs including, "You'll Get By," "Fit as a Fiddler," and "You Little So and So." However, the real volume is turned loose when the 72 members of the cast get warmed up and sing "Oh Dem Golden Slippers," "Underneath the Harlem Moon," and "Polly Wolly Doodle All Day." In addition to the characters already mentioned, "Haltosis," Judge Ollie Broadhurst, Jasper Collins, Big Boy Whitson, Elisha Lee McClellan, Old Black Joe Brandt and others will help make the Lions Minstrel worth the admission price. Make all your preparations to attend Tuesday night 8:00 p. m.

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## REVOLUTION

A couple of weeks ago a Senate committee in Washington was warned that there would be a revolution in America if the farmer did not get immediate relief from their difficulties.

We don't agree with this point of view. All the indications are that the revolution in America has already begun and that it will go on regardless of the question of farm relief.

Of course, what the gentleman in Washington was talking about was the kind of revolution we read about, in Russia and Spain and in South America, where an armed force seizes the government and proceeds to reorganize it at the bayonet.

What we are talking about is revolution in the American style which consists of changing the methods and operations of our government by what the constitution calls "due process of law".

We have been going through revolution after revolution after a fashion, ever since the armed revolution of 1776, which won us our national independence. Our whole scheme and system of government is as different from anything which was imagined by the gentleman who framed our constitution as the difference is from cheese.

The Supreme Court, sometimes by judicial amendment, we have amended that document and its applications into something that Franklin, Washington, Adams and Madison and the rest would never recognize.

That is going on now, as a result of the widespread distress and the multiplication in the number of debtors, may easily amount to another series of radical changes in our entire governmental law scheme. The people are in a mood for changes. The resistance of the creditor class to the demands of debtors for relief is weaker than it has been at any previous time. The debtor class today includes not only farmers but industrial workers, business men and great corporations.

In the light of this state of affairs it is natural to expect that Congress will respond by carrying the new concepts of the functions of government into fields of which the founders of the Republic never dreamed. If they do, it will, in essence, amount to a revolution; but it will merely be another revolution, American style, in the long series of revolutions through which we have come successfully.

## LEGAL

### SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an order of Sale issued out of the 84th. District Court of Hansford County, Texas, on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1935, by the Clerk thereof on a judgment rendered in said court on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1935, in favor of plaintiffs, City of Spearman, for the benefit of The Real Estate Land Title and Trust Company, Trustee, and The Real Estate Land Title and Trust Company, trustees, individually, against the defendant, George N. Reed, in Cause No. 163, and to me as Sheriff of Hansford County, Texas directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales on the FIRST Tuesday in April, A. D. 1935, it being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of Hansford County, Texas, in the City of Spearman, the following described property, to wit:

Situated in Hansford County, Texas, and being Lot No. Five (5) in Block No. Ten (10), of the Original Town of Spearman, Texas, as shown by the plat there of recorded in the Deed Records of Hansford County, Texas.

Levied on this 25th day of February, A. D. 1935, as the property of the defendant, George N. Reed, to satisfy a judgment in the sum of \$349.15, together with costs of suit, for indebtedness owing on Certificate No. 41 for improving Main Street abutting said property, decreeing a foreclosure of the special assessment and mechanic's liens upon said property as against all the defendants, George N. Reed and wife, Pearl Reed, the White House Lumber Company, and the First State Bank of Spearman, Texas.

H. L. WILBANKS,  
Sheriff, Hansford County, Texas.

Check really ought to be made on the radiator. This is a good one and ought to be convincing. Wash often the living up to his eyes.

## International Sunday School Lesson

By DR. J. E. NUNN

General Topic: JESUS OUR EXAMPLE IN SERVICE.

Golden Text for the Quarter: "Jesus of Nazareth with the holy Ghost and with power; who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of devil; for God was with him."

Special Theme: JESUS THE SERVANT OF JEHOVAH.

Scripture Lesson: Isa. 42:1-4.  
1. Behold my servant, whom I uphold, mine elect, in whom my soul delighteth; I have put my spirit upon him; he shall bring forth judgement to the Gentiles.  
2. He shall not cry, nor lift up, nor cause his voice to be heard in the street.  
3. A bruised reed shall he not break, and the smoking flax shall he not quench; he shall bring forth judgement unto the truth.  
4. He shall not fail nor be discouraged, till he have set judgement in the earth and the isle shall wait for his law.

INTRODUCTION  
The twelve lessons of the quarter with the exception of the temperance lesson, are all taken from the first six chapters of Mark. They place before us very vividly Jesus as a most diligent worker, going about, "doing good" giving himself in sacrificial service to others.

THE LESSONS OF THE QUARTER

The topics of the twelve lessons together with the golden texts are as follows:

Jan. 1: John prepares the way for Jesus—Mark 1:1-11.

Golden Text: Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Mark—1:3.

Jan. 8: Jesus begins his work. Mark 1:12-20.

Golden Text: The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye and believe the gospel.—Mark 1:15.

Jan. 15: Jesus at work.—Mark 1:21-45.

Golden Text: My father worketh hitherto, and I work.—John, 5:17.

Jan. 22: Jesus forgiving sin.—Mark 2:1-12.

Golden Text: The Son of man hath power on earth to forgive sins.—Mark 2:10.

Jan. 29: Jesus and the Sabbath.—Mark 2:13-36.

Golden Text: The sabbath was made for man and not man for the sabbath.—Mark 2:27.

February 5: I have chosen the Twelve.—Mark 3:7-35.

Golden Text: I have chosen you and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit.—John 15:16.

Feb. 12: Jesus teaching by Parables.—four kinds of hearers.—Mark 4:1-20.

Golden Text: Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples.—John 15:8.

Feb. 19: Jesus teaching by Parables.—The growth of the kingdom.—Mark 4:21-34.

Golden Text: The earth shall be full of knowledge of the Lord, as that the water cover the sea.—Isaiah 11:9.

Feb. 26: Jesus shows his power.—Mark 4:35—5:20.

Golden Text: For I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto against that day.—2 Tim. 1:12b.

March 5: Jesus giving life and health.—Mark 5:21-34.

Golden Text: The Lord hath great things for us; whereof we are glad.—Psalms 126:3.

Mar. 12: Jesus ministering to the multitude.—Mark 6:1-56.

Golden Text: The Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.—Matt. 21:28.

Mar. 19 The effect of alcoholic drinks.—Prov. 23-29-32.

Isa. 28:1-4; Dan. 5:1-4.

Golden Text: At the last it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder. Prov. 23:32.

SPECIAL LINES OF STUDY AND TEACHING.

We may consider again with interest and profit some of the individual characters that have come before us in the different lessons of the quarter: John the Baptist, Herod Antipas, Herodias, Peter and Andrew, his brother, James and John, the son of Zebedee, the Capernaum demoniac, four friends of the paralytic, Gadarene demoniac, Jairus and the lad with the itouch.

Let us review some of the special teachings about Christ that we find in the different lessons:

In lesson 1 we find that Jesus was the Messiah foretold in prophecy.

In lesson 2 we find that Jesus was tempted as other men, but overcame the devil.

In lesson 4 we find that Jesus is the only Savior from sin.

In lesson 6 Jesus sends men forth to win the world.

In lesson 9 Jesus can calm all the storms of life.

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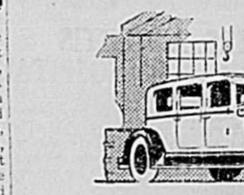
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L. M. and Preston Shives families moved to their new home in Kansas early this week.

Supt. J. B. Speer and A. E. Henderson, of the Morse Independent School Board was a Spearman visitor Tuesday of this week.

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## COUNTY MEET TO BE HELD AT GRUVER SATURDAY

Saturday, March 25th, promises to be a great day for the students of Hansford County schools, for on that date the annual Interscholastic League meet is to be held at Gruver. The students of the three high schools of the county have been working diligently for the past several weeks preparing for the contests in athletic and literary events. Competition will be keen, and to the enthusiast who are looking forward to the meet can be promised a real test of skill and prowess. This is the first year for the meet to be held in Gruver, and the good people of that city have been making plans for some time to have a big day. They are expecting large attendance and are extending a very cordial welcome to the students of Morse and Spearman and to all in the county who are interested in interscholastic work.

Below is the official schedule of the meet as announced by Director General, C. A. Cryer of Gruver:

**SATURDAY MARCH 25,**  
8:00 a. m. Boys and Girls Debate.  
9:00 a. m.

- A. DECLAMATION**
- High school.
    - Senior girls
    - Senior Boys
    - Junior girls
    - Junior Boys
  - Tiny tots story telling.
    - girls
    - Boys
  - Ward school
    - Senior girls
    - Senior Boys
    - Junior Girls
    - Junior Boys
  - Sub Juniors
    - Girls
    - Boys

- 10:00 11:00 A. M.  
B. Picture memory  
C. Music Memory  
D. Arithmetic.  
11:00 to 12:00 noon  
E. Spelling  
F. Extemporaneous Speaking.  
G. Essay writing  
H. Tennis. Boys and Girls, doubles.
- (1) Boys and girls singles  
1:00 P. M.  
Girls Volley Ball. (b) playground ball (boys and girls.)  
3:00 P. M.  
**SENIOR TRACK**  
120 yard hurdles, 100 yard dash, 880 yard run, 220 yard low hurdles, 440 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 1-mile run, 1-mile-relay.

- FIELD EVENTS**  
Pole vault, broad jump, discus throw, high jump, shot put, javelin throw.
- JUNIOR FIELD EVENTS**  
50 yard dash, 100 yard dash, 140 yard relay, Pull up, high jump and jump.

## COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS

The Hansford County Council of parent-teachers associations met at Morse Saturday. Delegates from Spearman and Gruver were present. The theme for the program was Interscholastic League Work. This was ably discussed by Mr. W. A. Gillispie, principal of the Morse schools. He also explained the method to be used in determining the all-round school championship for Hansford County this year. Mrs. Phoebe K. Warnier, who was to have spoken at this meeting, was unable to be present. It is hoped that she can be with the council at a future date.

Officers for the year 1933-1934 were elected as follows:  
President, Mrs. L. F. Noe, Morse  
Vice President, Mrs. Sid Clark, Spearman.  
Secretary, Mrs. C. A. Cryer, Gruver.  
Treasurer, Mrs. R. M. Frances, Gruver.

## COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

Program, Miss Ethel Deakin, Spearman  
Publicity, Mrs. T. K. Batton, Morse  
Health and Child welfare, Mrs. Roy Wemble, Morse  
Extension, Mrs. Forbes, Gruver  
Education, Mr. W. R. Finley, Spearman  
Recreation, Mrs. J. C. Tuttle, Spearman

Following the program the Morse ladies served sandwiches, cake and tea. The next meeting is to be held at Spearman, May 15.

**P. T. A.**  
Mrs. J. C. Tuttle, Miss Erma Crittenden and Miss Ethel Deakin represented the Spearman parent teachers association at the county council which met at Morse Saturday.

## PRIMARY REPORT

Both sections of the second grade B have just begun a new reader. Everyone is very interested and doing nicely in all the work.

We hope little Eloise Tennyson will be well and back in school.

We lost one of our pupils last week, Betty Shives, who moved to the third grade A.

The pupils of the third grade A guests at a bird program given by the third grade B Friday afternoon. They enjoyed the program very much, and wish to say

that the third grade B is doing some very nice work. Visitors in the third grade A last week were: Mrs. E. S. Uptergrove, and Mrs. H. H. Crooks. Donita Harmon has been absent several days because of illness.

## GRAMMAR REPORT

The county meet is to be held at Gruver Saturday. The pupils going to Gruver from the fifth grade in picture memory are Dorothy Day, Annie Grace Sheets, Dennis Kerns and L. M. Womble. Doris Cook will go if one of the pupils mentioned is not able to go. Arnold Richardson will represent our school in sub-junior declamation.

Dorille Clark, Dorothy Day and Dennis Kerns are practicing spelling, and two of these pupils

will represent our school next Saturday.

## GIRLS TENNIS

The girls who are interested in tennis have been practicing enthusiastically for the Interscholastic League Meet Saturday.

They can beat any of the teachers in school except Mr. Gunn and that's something. Since the weather is warmer, they have played on the outdoor courts, which Roy Wilmeth and Vernie Black so laboriously fixed up.

Mildred Neilson will play singles, and Edna Buchanan and Jean Lyon doubles in the county meet.

## SENIOR GOSSIP

Saturday the Seniors hope to win many honors at Gruver.

Mildred Neilson will play girls singles in tennis. Edna Buchanan and Jean Lyon will play doubles.

There are several boys in the Senior class who are coming out for track and will represent Spearman High School in the meet. We are expecting you to win, boys, so don't disappoint us.

Vivian Close and R. B. Archer are the Senior Declaimers and we are expecting them to "bring home the bacon".

The Seniors received their class rings last week, and they were very glad to get them.

It seems as if some of the local teachers would like to win the championship of Brazil in tennis. What about it Mr. Jarvis? Did you win or did the game end in a tie?

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## FRESHMEN LYNX NEWS

Friday night, March 17, at 7:30 o'clock the freshman class was delightfully entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archer. About thirty-three freshmen, one Sophomore, and one Senior were present. After several games were played and three jig-saw puzzles were worked, we were served with banana pudding and hot chocolate by Mrs. Wendt and Mrs. Archer. At 11:15 we left, happy and contented with the night. The entire freshmen class wishes to express our thanks and appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Archer for our good time in their home.

## SOPHOMORE REPORT

Another Sophomore has decided to leave Spearman High School. Georgia Shives is moving to Wichita, Kansas. We hope she will like her new home.

Elmon Jacobs, Richard Holton, Oran Ross Kelly and Lady Maurine Archer are Sophomores who will represent our school at Gruver next week.

## JUNIOR NEWS

Who said there was a depression on? He is just wrong, as the Juniors are going to prove. Despite being financially embarrassed, we are going to show the Seniors one grand time next month. Everyone had better put padlocks on the doors of their house as Bob is the chairman of the committee that is going to gather up the "cats".

## CHICKEN CONTEST CLOSING SATURDAY NIGHT

We wonder when Dick Vernon and Mr. Jarvis will get to be champs in checkers.

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## DR. POWELL, EYE, EAR, THROAT SPECIALIST

Dr. Powell, Eye, Ear, Throat Specialist, will be in Gower's office in Spearman, Wednesday, March 29. Glasses fitted and aural examinations removed.

## MR. AND MRS. ED HITCH OF DODD CITY, KANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hitch of Dodd City, Kansas, Chas. Waters, Abby Hitch and Gene Hitch of Gruver, Oklahoma, visited with their sister Mrs. Sid Clark, Thursday.

## JOHN R. SCHUBERT, FINDORF SCHUBERT AND JOHN H. WALKER

John R. Schubert, Findorf Schubert and John H. Walker and W. Grever went to Amarillo on Canyon Wednesday of this week. John Walker and W. R. Grever reentered school in Canyon attending the week end at home. Miss Nova Schubert returned home with her brother Wednesday evening and will visit indefinitely with her parents.

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