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HAPPY NEW YEAR



Don Townsend and Brenda Winegar placing Good For You Bucks into the hopper.

4,280 "Good For You Bucks" were turned in at the First National Bank's Christmas program this year. Winner's of the program included: Robin Taylor, 321 S. Dressen, Spear-

man; Michelle Mahaney, 701 Wilbanks, Spearman; and JoAnn Bechtold of Booker, Texas. Each won 200.00.



Old Year's Scapegoats

The customary way to begin the new year was to unload all the old year's bad things onto some sort of scapegoat. All wickedness in parts of Scotland used to be transferred to a cat or dog which was driven from the house. The scapegoat by some Hungarians was the dummy, Jack Straw. Everyone who saw this effigy carried around the village thought of all their bad deeds disappearing as the figure was burned.

Auld Lang Syne's Sentiment

"Auld Lang Syne," which has become a popular song to be sung at New Year's goes back to the pagan times when they held hands in a meeting around a stone and sang this song. The song, itself, was not originally written as a New Year's song; in fact, it was in tune with the ancient belief that at the New Year, ancestors return to the family hearth.

P.O. Closed

The Spearman Post Office will be closed Thursday, January 1st to observe New Year's Day. As this is widely observed holiday there will be no incoming or outgoing mail.



Ringing in the New Year

Many European countries blow trumpets to the four corners of the world at New Year's. As the stroke of twelve nears, four trumpeters climb to the dominating tower of the town, then they play a hymn like Martin Luther's, "A Mighty Fortress is our God."

Sometimes a melody is arranged so that each trumpeter sounds a single note on his horn at one time. When the first note stops, the second begins, the third note follows the second, etc., until the whole tune is played.

Bells are muffled as they are rung in the British Isles before the stroke of midnight to show their grief at the old year's passing. Then, at the stroke of twelve, the bells are unmuffled to sound out clearly as they announce a new year with promises of happiness.

Obituary

Deana Mae Douglas
Deana Mae Douglas, 66, died Wednesday.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. today in First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Leland McCullough, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Douglas, born at Blackwell, Okla., had been a Spearman resident since 1935. She was married to Willoughby Douglas in 1936 at Perryton. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include her husband; her mother, Hazel Pomeroy of Laverne, Okla.; and a brother, Gerald Sparks of Laverne.



POSTMASTER Ray Robertson won the doll house in the recent Christmas drawing and will give the house to his grand-daughter Sage Annen, of Nazareth.



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year volume dropped to about 60 million, reflecting lower grain prices. The Perryton co-op has never had a losing year in the 27 years Allen has managed it.

Allen, 60 years old, succeeds Francis B. (Fritz) Gwin of Beloit, Kan., who had been chairman since 1981.

Allen serves on the board of the Texas Ag Council and on the advisory committee of the Farm Credit Council. He also serves on advisory committees to USDA Secretary Richard Lyng and Special Trade Negotiator Clayton Yeutter.

Allen has been a member of Farmland's board since 1979 and represents Farmland member local associations in Texas and New Mexico.

Farmland's board has 22 members who represent 19 states ranging from Indiana to Colorado and from Minnesota to Texas.

The Perryton cooperative has 5,000 members in Texas, Kansas and Oklahoma. It has 32 elevators in those three states and attracts wheat and milo from Colorado as well. Allen has managed the co-op since 1959.

Farmland serves 2,300 member local cooperatives, supplying them with feed, fuel and fertilizer and related items. It also operates a pork processing subsidiary Farmland Foods. Farmland's total sales in fiscal 1986 were \$2.7 billion.

Perryton's sales have exceeded \$100 million annually in the past. This



New Year's Mulled Cider

- 2 small eating apples
- 1 small orange
- 50 fl. oz. cider
- 1 stick cinnamon
- 6 cloves
- 2 tsp. ground ginger
- 2 oz. soft brown sugar
- 5 fl. oz. water

Core apples and cut the skin around the center. Insert 2 cloves in each apple; bake 20 minutes in moderate oven.

Gently heat the cider, but do not boil. Heat all other ingredients except the orange in another saucepan until sugar is dissolved; simmer gently for 5 minutes. Slice the orange and place the slices as well as the apples in a punch bowl. Strain in the spiced water and pour in the heated cider.

Count on a Happy New Year

As the clock strikes twelve and the bells ring out this New Year's Eve, they will no doubt sound the same as they have for many other New Year's Eves. But this year will be different—there will be completely new challenges and completely new opportunities.

One of the most important things about our country that makes it different than any other is the freedom that we enjoy. One of the challenges of this new year may be to keep from taking these freedoms for granted—to realize that they too can disappear unless we remember the way our freedoms were won and what they stand for.

Our founding fathers placed God as sovereign. They were not afraid to mention God's name many times. Now, while we feel very strong and independent, there is danger that we shall look onto ourselves and leave out God.

For happiness sakes, as we make our New Year's resolutions, let us resolve to make God first in our plans. We can count on a very happy New Year as we put God first and others next!

Noisy New Year's

In years past it was thought that to start the new year, last year's evil spirits had to be driven away. (This practice continues in some countries today.) The easiest way to do this, of course, was to create a fearful lot of noise. Today, even in countries who do not believe in evil spirits, the New Year is ushered in with the old custom of a lot of noise.



New Year's Party Pointers

Weather is unpredictable on New Year's Eve, so, unless you plan to ask guests to spend the night, it would be well not to send your invitations too far afield.

Don't start your party too early, as it must be in full swing at midnight.

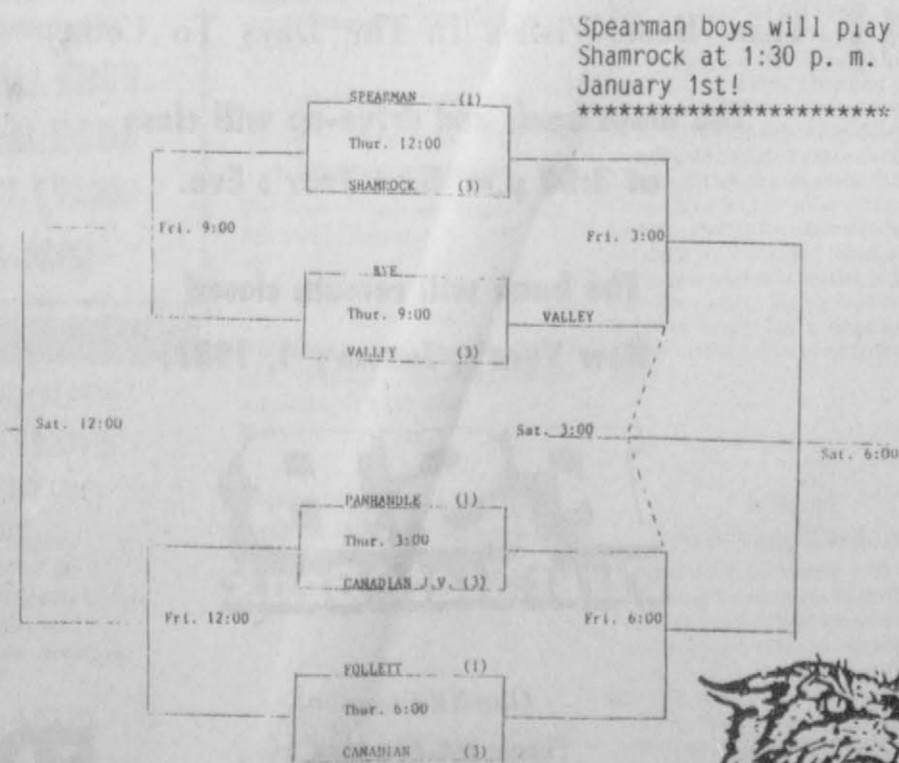
If you plan to serve a meal, make this clear on your invitation so guests do not arrive late and already stuffed.

For a buffet meal, plan food that is light and refreshing since Christmas has already brought the rich foods. Plan foods that are easy to handle, not sloppy food or thick meat slices that are difficult to cut.

Provide good, non-alcoholic drinks such as homemade punch with a touch of carbonated drink. Provide plenty of fun and good conversation and the alcoholic drinks won't even be missed—besides, there won't be a hangover on the morrow, and your friends can drive home safely.

58TH CANADIAN WILDCAT INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT
JANUARY 1-2-3, 1987

GIRLS



Spearman boys will play Shamrock at 1:30 p. m. January 1st!

LEANS ON BOTTOM OF BRACKET - HOME TEAM - WEAR LIGHT UNIFORMS
LEANS ON TOP OF BRACKET - VISITING TEAM - WEAR DARK UNIFORMS



"Citizen of the Year"

SPEARMAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CITIZEN OVER THE YEARS award

NOMINATION BLANK:

1. Name _____
2. Address _____
3. Individuals nominated for Citizen Over the Years should be cited for activities OUTSIDE THOSE DUTIES CONNECTED WITH HIS OR HER EMPLOYMENT.
4. Friend of those in need.
5. Citizen of the Spearman School District.
6. Above all must be of outstanding character, dependability and reliability.
7. Achievements and nature of service: (LIST and EXPLAIN in detail the achievements, nature of service, nature of participation and leadership; bearing in mind the following basis for judging.)
 - A. Contribution to community welfare
 - B. Participation in community affairs
 - C. Evidence of lasting contribution
 - D. Exhibition of leadership ability
 - E. Evidence of personal and business progress

Nominations must be submitted by letter or form only. No petition or phone calls will be accepted. Use the form from the newspaper or stop by the Chamber of Commerce, 211 Main, and pick one up. Please return your entry to the Chamber of Commerce office by January 30, 1986. The decision of the judges will be final. The award will be presented at the Annual Banquet, Saturday, February 7, 1986.

Please return your entry to the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 161, Spearman, TX, by Friday, January 30, 1986. A box will be available for your entry, if you would like to stop by the Chamber office, 211 Main. Recipients of previous awards are:

- "CITIZEN OF THE YEAR"
- 1956 Mrs. R. B. Archer, Sr.
 - 1957 B.J. Copeland
 - 1958 Oscar Donnell
 - 1961 Frank Massad
 - 1963 John R. Collard, Jr.
 - 1965 Sam Watson, Jr.
 - 1967 J.B. Cooke
 - 1969 Mrs. F.A. Greever & Jesse Davis
 - 1970 Mrs. Frank Davis & Bruce Sheets
 - 1971 Harry Stumph
 - 1972 Dean Weese
 - 1973 Charlene Bulls
 - 1974 L.L. Anthony
 - 1975 J.L. Brock
 - 1976 Dee Jackson
 - 1977 Frances Loftin
 - 1978 C. Ralph Blodgett
 - 1979 Jim McLain
 - 1980 Orvil Brummett
 - 1981 Jr. Lusby
 - 1982 Gene Cudd
 - 1983 Jackie Pearson

- 1984 Marsha Murphy
 - 1985 Judy Nelson
- "CITIZEN OVER THE YEARS"
- 1983 Rosa Lee Butt
 - 1984 Mary Lou Wysong
 - 1985 Frances Stump

The rotary club will present the Employee of the Year Award and the Spearman Chamber of Commerce will name the Citizen of the Year and Citizen Over the Years. Judy Nelson, last years Citizen of the Year will do the honors of presenting the 1986 awards.

Nominations will be accepted until 5:00 p.m., January 30, at the Chamber office. All nominations must be submitted by letter of form. No phone calls will be accepted. Get your nomination in today.

The Annual Banquet of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce will be Saturday, Feb. 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria. The guest speaker will be Mr. Kenneth Wyatt from Tulia.

3 More Days

Just 3 more days in 1986. Just three more days to make a deductible contribution to your Museum and at the same time reduce your income tax. The Museum asks for donations because it is the only means of support.

If you would rather give a donation to the construction of a replica of old Zulu it would be greatly appreciated. This 1875 Stockade could become a reality if only the money could be had. Check your estimated tax and write a check for the Museum today.

The Museum Board wishes to thank all who helped in any way in 1986 and extends Best Wishes for the New Year. May it be good to you.



Snow Cream New Year's Party

For an inexpensive New Year's party, have a snow cream party.

Fill a large pan with clean snow. Add sugar, vanilla flavoring, and milk a little at a time until you get just the right taste.

You can make orange ice or grape ice, etc. by opening a can of frozen juice (without water added) and stirring a few spoonfuls into snow until you get the taste you like.

Tibetan Taboo

An old Tibetan custom that might be well for us to revive is to have friends bring all the old year's debris to your New Year's party. It might be a book not worth reading, a bottle of liquor you want to stop drinking, an article of clothing that's immodest, etc.—or anything a person is too attached to for his/her own good. These articles then are all loaded onto a raft which is cut loose at midnight to symbolize a letting go of things.

Calendar for New Year

You will need 13 pieces of stiff paper. Punch two holes along the length of the paper. Find a magazine picture for each month.

Tie the pages together loosely so they can open easily with yarn.

On the top cover page you will write: "1987, A Happy Year For The Reagans" (or whatever family the calendar is made especially for). On the other side of the cover you will place January's picture. The next page will have January's calendar page and so on down the months. You can use another year's old calendar or draw your own calendar pages.

Strength for the New Year

"And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee; for my strength is made perfect in weakness..." 2 Corinthians 12:9.

Whipped up by the fierce hurricane winds, the stanch clipper boat, the finest of its kind operating between Liverpool and Melbourne, crashed 500 miles off course on the rocks of Hog Island.

The captain became ill and died, leaving first mate John Kenlon, only in his twenties, in command.

Most were ready to sit down and die but not John. He sent some hunting, some fishing, and others to build grass huts.

With no tools, no lumber and Australia, the nearest land 1800 miles away—it would be impossible for an ordinary raft to make headway.

John's mind was busy—there was plenty of sand, limestone and water. Iron ships could float—why couldn't a concrete one?!

For nearly a month, the men worked hard. It was a heavy, clumsy contraption, but the sails from the shipwrecked clipper were patched and hoisted.

It worked! Two-hundred miles from Australia, they were rescued by a ship!

Impossible? By all man's might it seemed so! As your ship heads for a new year, has it been blown off course by your own doings or by others? Does it seem impossible to get on the right track? Nothing is impossible with God. Each day in the new year we can be assured of His strength. The secret is to do the very best we know how and ask Him each day to show us the way. Our weakness is made strong in Him!

English New Year

The people of England felt that the beginning of the New Year should be as you want the whole new year to be: "To have plenty of money in your pocket, dine well, rise early, pay your debts and lend nothing."



A Movable New Year

The time of the flooding of the Nile to the Egyptians was the beginning of the new year. The New Year was celebrated in Europe at different times anywhere between Christmas and March. When the Gregorian Calendar was introduced in 1582, January became the first month of a new year.



New Year Attractions

New Year's Day has become a public holiday in 125 countries. It is a day for most to recover from the excesses of the night before. Football has become a big attraction for New Year's Day in the U.S.A.



Novel New Year Party Invitations

Send a novel party invitation. Blow up a balloon and write the invitation on it with a colored felt-tipped pen. You may want to deflate the balloon and slip it into an envelope as a pre-party favor.

Best wishes for a year of much success.

Interesting New Year Superstitions

In Germany those who were anxious to try to peer into the future at New Year's, dropped molten lead into cold water and deduced shapes—a ship might mean a journey—a heart might mean a marriage. Eating black-eyed peas on New Year's was thought to bring good fortune by the Southerners of the U.S.A. The Swiss dropped some whipped cream on the floor, as they ate, to signify abundance. In Scotland, awaking to a brightly burning fire on New Year's Day meant prosperity in the coming year while a dull fire indicated trouble.

Few people now believe in these old superstitions, and the customs have generally fallen by the wayside; but nearly everyone wants to turn over a new leaf as a good start for the new year.

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Indian New Year

A custom for some North Amer-
 ican Indian tribes on New Year's
 Eve is to light bonfires, then scatter
 the dead ashes, and with great cere-
 mony relight their fires.

Miscellaneous

Firewood for Sale: Seasoned or Green
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 7-rtn

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 7-rtn

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Greek New Year's Cake—"Vasilopeta"

- 1 pkg. yeast
- 1/4 cup lukewarm water
- 1/2 cup milk, scalded and cooled to lukewarm
- 2 cups milk
- 1/4 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp. nutmeg
- 3 eggs, unbeaten
- 5-6 cups flour

Soften yeast in the lukewarm water and dissolve it in the 1/4 cup luke-warm milk; set aside. Bring the 2 cups milk to a boil, add shortening, stir in the sugar and salt; pour into large mixing bowl. Cool until lukewarm. Stir in spices, eggs and dissolved yeast. Gradually add flour, beating dough by hand to blend until thick but not dry. Cover bowl with light towel. Let rise in warm place for 1 hour. Turn dough onto lightly flour-ed board; knead down for moment or two.

Butter round cake pan; fill half full of dough. Put well-washed silver coin in dough for the lucky finder. Brush top with melted butter.

Let dough stand in warm place until it rises almost to top of pan. Brush surface with one egg yolk beat-en with 1 tablespoon water. Sprinkle dough with chopped almonds. Bake 350° for 45 min. or until golden brown. Cool on rack. Use pastry bag and tube or spoon to decorate with frost-ing made by creaming 2 tablespoons butter and gradually beating in 1 cup powdered sugar. Slowly beat in few drops of vanilla and enough heavy cream to make nice spreading consis-tency.

A Bit of New Year Wisdom

Charles Lamb wrote a bit of in-spiration for the New Year: "Every first of January that we arrive at, is an imaginary milestone in the turn-pike track of human life; at once a resting place for thought and medi-tation, and a starting place for fresh exertion in the performance of our journey. The man who does not at least propose to himself to be better this year than he was last, must be either very good or very bad indeed!"

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New Year's Breaking
 The noise of crockery breaking is
 added to the rest of the New Year's
 din in some Italian homes, as old
 household goods are thrown out to
 make room for new ones.

Weather

Date	Hi	Lo
23	56	29
24	44	34
25	50	28

Market

Wheat	\$2.20
Corn	\$1.85
Milo	\$2.70

Hospital

Patients admitted to the Hansford
 Hospital was: Louise Archer.
 Patients who were dismissed from
 the Hansford Hospital was Herman
 Elms.



More than 70 million decks of cards are sold each year in the U.S.

Notice to Bidders

Sealed proposals for the purchase of
 one thirty-four thousand, five hundred
 (34,500) GVW Truck Cab and Chassis
 with single rear axle will be received
 by the City of Spearman, Texas, at the
 office of the City Manager up until
 2:00 p.m., January 20, 1987, and then
 publicly opened and read.

The City reserves the right to reject
 any or all bids, to waive informalities
 and to accept the bid deemed to be the
 most advantageous to the City. All
 bids received after the above closing
 hour will be returned unopened.
 Specifications and bidding docu-
 ments may be secured from the office
 of the City Manager, P.O. Box 37,
 Spearman, Texas 79081.

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New Year's Gifts of Trade

Early on New Year's morning,
 tradesfolks in France send errand
 boys to the patrons with "seasons"
 compliments." A baker may send a
 brioche, a dairyman eggs, a fisher-
 man oysters, a butcher a chicken,
 and so on. In return for those pre-
 sents it is customary to give wine
 and money.

FRANK PHILLIPS COLLEGE
SPRING 1987

SCHEDULE OF OFF-CAMPUS CLASSES
FOR SPEARMAN

Course I. D.	Course
23003	Psych. 113.003-Intro to Psych
Time	Instructor
7-9:45 Mon. Night	L. Archer
Course I. D.	Course
28703	Bus. 173.003-Intro to Business
Time	Instructor
7-9:45 Thurs. Night	G. Guthrie

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BUTTER CHIPS 22 oz. Jar \$1.39
All Varieties
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Orville Redenbacher's
POPPING OIL 12 oz. Btl. \$1.59
Orville Redenbacher's
GOURMET POPCORN 30 oz. Jar \$2.49
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Kraft Reg. or Jalapeno
CHEEZ WHIZ 16 oz. Jar \$2.29
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HOT JALAPENOS 11 oz. Can \$1.29
Pace Med., Mild or Hot
PICANTE SAUCE 16 oz. Jar \$1.49
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CHILI AND BEANS 15 oz. Can 89¢
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All Flavors
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Assorted
PLANTERS SNACKS 5 1/2 oz. Can 99¢
Dry Roasted
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Duncan Hines Asst.
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TOWELS
2 Jbo. Rolls \$1

Presto
TRASH BAGS 20 ct. Box \$1.99
Presto
PLASTIC WRAP 200 ft. Roll \$1.39
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AHA News

Kansas, City, Missouri, December 17, 1986 -- A list of 1,495 cows have been afforded special recognition in the Total Performance Records Programs' Most Efficient Cow Report by the American Hereford Association in Kansas City. This latest report includes cows that have efficiently combined fertility and growth, the two traits of highest economic importance to the producer.

L.M. Patterson, Jr., Spearman, Tx., was represented by one cow on the elite list that requires each cow to meet a strict criterion. To be a member of this prestigious group, the cow must be four-years of age or older, must have had her first calf at 25 months of age or younger, have a calving interval of 370 days or less, and her calves must wear at least five percent above the herd average.

As the standards are so high, only one-half of one percent of the nation's registered Hereford cows can meet the eligibility requirements.

The 1,495 cows comprising the 1986 list were of a 30-state area and represented 332 breeders.

Frank Phillips News

Frank Phillips College announces the Dean's Honor Roll for Fall 1986. In order for a student to be placed on the Dean's Honor Roll, he/she must complete at least 12 semester hours and achieve a grade point average of 3.00.

Nita Gay Conway
Joe A. Cummings
Connie Gaye Dixon
Ande D Hager
Vicki Kay Hand
Jason K. Rodgers

Frank Phillips College announces the President's Honor Roll for Fall 1986.

Students must complete at least 12 semester hours and achieve a GPA of 4.00 before they can be placed on the President's Honor Roll.

Beckee A. Baker

"A child is one who thinks 20 shillings and 20 years can never be spent."
Benjamin Franklin

Head Injury

The Panhandle Chapter of the Texas Head Injury Foundation has opened their office in the Center for Community Health of Northwest Texas Hospital, 1200 Wallace Blvd. in Amarillo. The foundation chartered as a nonprofit public service organization strives to meet the urgent need to develop programs for public awareness and education, as well as support activities and legislation related to prevention and highway Safety to Reduce occurrence of head injuries and fatalities.

As a result of this effort the Texas Head Injury Foundation will sponsor the Designated Driver Program in Amarillo and the 26 counties of the Panhandle. Anyone needing Designated Driver Stickers in Poster, or more information may call: Karla rose 806-378-4686.



New Year's Centerpiece

Make an igloo scene for your New Year's centerpiece.

1. Cut out cups from white egg cartons. Turn the cups upside down on a piece of cardboard. Cut out openings for doors in the igloos.

2. Sprinkle the cups and surroundings with artificial snow, or spread glue on them and cover with sugar.

3. Carve some figures from Ivory soap bars, like polar bears, a sled, a husky dog, and so on. Or cut out Eskimo pictures, glue them on stiff paper and stand them up on your scene.

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Operation Christmas Greeting

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We wish all of our friends a Happy New Year. Instead of sending cards we have donated to the Hospital Auxiliary Fund for the benefit of the Hansford County Hospital and the Spearman Manor.

Floyd & Allene Close
Pearl Pierce
Woody & Lois Gibner
Floydean Gatlin
Tom & Helen Etter

Irvin & Susan Delk
Rosa Lee Butt
Freeman Barkley
John & Sammie Bishop
Woodville & Verna Jarvis
Knox Pipkin
Preston & Edith Smith
W.E. & Loydell Sparks
Jettie & Willard Davis
Marcus & Jo Larson

Robert & Margaret Novak
Dave and Helen Hand
Dave Hand Jr.
Nanalee Brown
Blanche Greene
Phil & Marguerite Jenkins
The Earl Novaks
Leroy & May Lee Smith

Georgia & Pat Holt
E.E. & Mildred Martin
Maudine Patterson
Bruce & Freda Sheets
Max & Dorothy Baggerly
Jim Strawn

Mr. & Mrs. Johnnie C. Lee
Anne & Rue Sanders
Allie Allen
Pat & Cathy Patterson
Jimmie & Vera Beth Hicks
Gene & Frances Cudd
E.J. & Jo Copeland
Mrs. Floye J. Largent

Siim & Mary Cates
Mr. & Mrs. Sid McAdams
Roy & Emma Lou Collins
Gus & Clementine Renner
Wynnie Allen
J.D. & Rubyjo Wilbanks
Troy and Frankie Sloan
Ed & Dorothy Haner
J.B. & La Mae Buchanan

Ab & Beula Abston
Robin and Leota Giblin
Eva M. Adkinson
Frances Kilgore
Virginia Cates
Dora Wombie
John & Virginia Trindell
Ray and Beth Phelps
Garland & Virginia Head
Eva Boyd

Ethel & Bernard Byers
Glen & Myrt Bohanan
Mary & Henry Cornelius
Doyle and June Jackson
Don & Lorene Kunselman
Leslie & Sharon Barkley
Raymond & Grace Kirk
Irvin & Betty Davis
Bernice V. Brown

Billy, Joann, Ashley,
Travis & Tracy Brown
Spearman Study Club
Mrs. Kiff White
Marian Shapley
J.W. Jenkins

Ira & Loree Harbour
Mary Fern Terry
T.C. & Doris Kitchens
Don & Gwen Smith
Carl & Peggy Archer
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Bill & Estelle Jackson
M.D. & Jo McLaughlin
Evelyn Hiller
Jimmy & Lois Shieldkinght
Juanita Logan

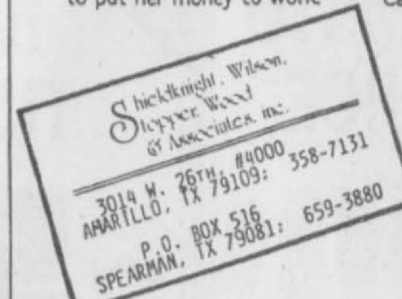
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Deta Blodgett

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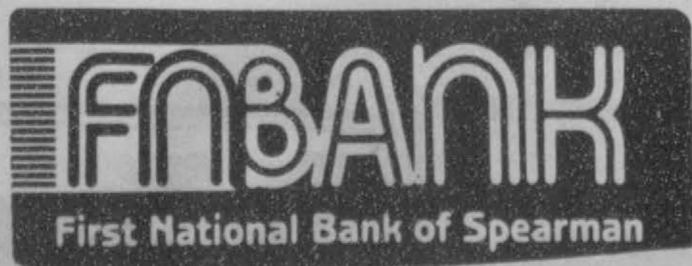
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Spearman, Texas

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Booster Club calls for Sportsmanship

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Sunday November 16, 1986

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Sunday, April 20, 1986

Mark Garnett, Jesse Lozano, Janna Pittman, and Shari Vernon will represent Spearman at Boys and Girls state this year. The boys state will be held the first week in June and the girls state will be held the 2nd week in June. Alternates for the boys and girls, include: Monty Beck for the boys, and Julie Latta for the girls. These outstanding students, and this project will require about \$250.00 per student to attend, or a total of \$1000.00. This money is usually made up by clubs and businesses in the area and if you would like to assist these students please contact Mrs. Hershel Jones at the high school in Spearman, or any of the students or school officials.

For the State of Texas many events are planned because this weekend has been designated Sesquicentennial Weekend; however, none will compare with the weekend planned by Janis and Rubyjo and citizens of Hansford County. Lets start with April 21st, Monday night at 7 P.M. After everyone has had a chili supper and then walked down the hall to the Spearman High School Auditorium. The doors to the Auditorium will open at 6 p.m.

Sunday, January 12, 1986

On January 2, 1986, at approximately 10:30 P.M., Danny Howell of Spearman came into the Sheriff's Office and reported the theft of a safe from his residence, containing \$20,000.00 in cash. Through investigation and determination - working around the clock and driving approximately 1500 miles of County Roads in Hansford and Hutchinson Counties, Sheriff R.L. McFarlin, Jr. and Deputy C.L. Martin arrested Stanley J. Buster of Spearman, and recovered \$600.00. Further investigation revealed that subject Steven Joe Howell, also of Spearman, was involved in the theft. Upon further investigation, it

was learned that there was a third party involved, Robert Lee Bodey of Stinnett. On Tuesday, January 7, 1986, Sheriff McFarlin, Deputy Martin and Chief of Police Utah Bentley of Stinnett, recovered the safe, which had been buried in a dirt cellar at Bodey's residence.

Stanley Buster was arraigned in Justice of the Peace, J.P. Vernon's Court, and bond set at \$10,000.00. Robert Lee Bodey was arraigned before Justice of the Peace, Wynema Christian of Hutchinson County, and bond set at \$1,500.00. Warrants have been issued for Steven Joe Howell, who is still at large.

Spearman Teachers make 100!

Spearman teachers scored 100 percent on the recent TECAT test. Only about one-third of the states 1,073 school districts had this rating. Panhandle districts having 100 percent passing rates include Perryton, Spearman, Shamrock, Stinnett, Stratford, Booker, Canadian, Claude, Channing, Sunray, Muleshoe, Follett, Nazareth, Panhandle, Darrouzett, Estelina, Hedley, Lefors, McLean, Miami, Textine, Turkey-Quitaque, Vega, Wellington, Wheeler, White Deer, and Wildorado. GOOD JOB TEACHERS!

1986 Santa

The Spearman Retail Merchants kicked off their Holiday Season with their annual Christmas Gift to You. This is their way of saying "Thank You" for your support during the past year.

Registration began on Friday, Nov. 28th and drawings will begin on Monday, December 8th, and continue through Friday, December 19th.

The Merchants will be giving away nearly \$2,000.00 worth of gift certificates to be redeemed at the participating merchants. Be sure to register whenever you shop in Spearman with the following merchants:

- Country Stitches
- Lady Fair
- Anthony Electric
- Consumer Sales
- Hi-Plains Auto
- Spearman Auto Supply
- Spartex Grain
- Cutrate Thriftway
- Earl's T.V.
- Beedy Furniture
- Kid's Stuff
- J.G's
- Evelyn's Beauty Salon
- Co.O.'s Supply
- Davis Chevron-Gulf
- Hickerson Jewelry
- Interstate Savings & Loan
- ChaLor's
- Sack Third Ave.
- Boyd's Family Shoes
- Cinderella Beauty Sal
- Prairie Chalet
- Cates Men & Boys Wear
- Rexall Drug
- Jenny Lynn's
- Gordon's Drug
- Hansford Implement
- First State Bank
- Spearman Super Service
- Hotel Royale
- Gillaspie Chev. Olds.
- Fuller's Jewelry
- Hi-Plains Conoco
- B&M Automotive
- Adela's Flowers
- Knacke Shoppe
- Blackburn's Flower Basket
- Desk Set
- Pizza Hut
- The Bunk House

As a result of this discussion the Booster Club is going to have a hospitality suite for visiting coaches and referees. The women of the Booster Club will meet Monday Dec. 1st to discuss meals for the Junior High Tournament coming up December 4th.

The Booster Club will begin making pictures of the players at 8 a.m. Monday for Booster Club buttons.

President Johnny Crawford stated that the Lynx Paws have arrived and will be on sale at the Tuesday night game when Spearman host the Perryton Rangers here. The Paws will be sold for \$2.75 each which is cost. The club does not intend to make any money off of the Lynx Paw.

Approximately \$2,000 has been put into the scholarship Booster Club fund for this year. New members are urged to join this Booster Club which is possibly the outstanding athletic club in the state. It is dedicated to the welfare of our athletes and student body.

They had their "Carol of Lights" at 5:00 p.m. on the Court House Lawn on Wednesday, Dec. 3rd. "Celebrate X" entertained also Santa came with candy for the Little Ones!

There will be Free Saturday Matinees on Dec. 13th & Dec. 20th - sponsored by the Moose Lodge! The Show on December 13th will start at 2:30 - 5:00 p.m. and features the 3 stooges short stories and My Little Pony. On December 20th the show starts at 2:30 - 5:30 p.m. and features Care Bears, Part II & Dream Chaser.

So don't forget to register, cause if you don't register you can't win.

Remember the show dates and enjoy your Christmas shopping while the kids enjoy the movies.



A small one awaiting Santa Claus.

1986 NEW YEAR 1986



Our first New Year Baby has arrived. His name is Shaun Michael Graham son of Mike and Bonnie Graham. Baby Brother to Joshua Adam.

Randy and Deborah Stafford of Fort Supply, Okla. are proud to announce the birth of their daughter. She was born Jan. 15, 1986 at 6:40 a.m., weighed 8lbs. and was 21" long. Her parents named her Megan Rachelle Stafford. Megan is joined by an older brother, Eric and an older sister, Alisha. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Wilson Jr. of Fort Supply and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Stafford of Spearman.

Shaun was born on Jan. 14th at 2:01 p.m. and weighed 6 lbs. 8 3/4 oz. He was 21 inches long.

Congratulations to Mike and Bonnie Graham.

Sunday, March 9, 1986

PCB deposit site topic of discussions

Hansford County people were wondering when Guymon, Goodwell and Texoma Citizens would wake up to the danger of a PCB Landfill near their town. Rep. Glen English ask the Environmental Protection Agency Tuesday to hold a public hearing in Oklahoma on plans for a Texas landfill for PCB contaminated soils.

Guymon as possible sites for a public hearing on the proposal. Judy Fossett, English's press secretary, said Guymon fire officials have sent the EPA a letter saying that agency would be the closest emergency response team to respond to a spill of hazardous substance at the landfill site. EPA's decision concerning

ANR's proposed landfill has been delayed until possibly as late as May, in order for the EPA to have time to gather more information about the proposed monofil. The EPA lacks information concerning ground water, soil and the site. Jim Sales of the EPA said further testing and sampling needs to be performed.

English said because Guymon, Goodwell, and Texoma were closer to the proposed landfill than any Texas City, a public hearing should be held on the proposal in Texas County Oklahoma.

"While I recognize the proposed site is located in Texas, the potential impact would appear to be greater in Oklahoma," English said in a letter to Dick Whittington, regional administrator for the EPA. "For example, the city of Guymon is the closest municipality of sufficient size to have a response team for hazardous waste spills."

American Natural Resources, a subsidiary of Coastal Corp., has filled an application with the EPA for construction of the landfill for soil contaminated with polychlorinated biphenyl, or PCB. The soil would be trucked from pumping stations throughout the Southwest.

The landfill would be placed in Texas near the Oklahoma border. Edwards suggested Panhandle State University in Goodwell or

Sunday June 8, 1986



Our new 1986 Miss Hansford County, Jill McLain stands between Little Miss Stephanie Bynum and Junior Miss Charity Roller.

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Sunday, May 11, 1986

Sesquicentennial Locals Join Texas Wagon Train

After two years of planning and anticipation, and four months of trying to "GET GONE", Martha Clawson, wife of Max, Gruver, Texas, an active member of the Rolling Plains Mule Train, Spearman, Texas, the Texas Wagon Train Association, Irving, Texas, The American Donkey and Mule Society, Denton, Texas, and the Southwestern Donkey and Mule Society, Kennedale, Texas, will be leaving Monday, May 12, 1986, to join the Sesquicentennial Wagon Train that departed Sulphur Springs, Texas, January 2, 1986, touring and circling the great state of Texas.

Devers, Booker, Texas, will be engaged for the trip. Other Rolling Plains Mule Train members participating in this trek around Texas, include: Clyde Devers, Booker, Tx.-J. W. and Dort Jines, and grandson Shorty, Perryton, Tx.-Otto Mongold, Pampa, Tx.-"Hood" Southern, Hooker, Oklahoma--and Eugene Robinson, Booker, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley, Spearman, Texas, 2 of the founders and only surviving "active" Charter Members of the rolling Plains Mule Train, plan on "catching the Wagon Train at Hereford, Texas, May 15, 1986.

Her two mules, Molly and Dolly, will be left at home during this journey, and a much larger team, Mutt and Jeff, and a covered wagon belonging to Clyde

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Earl, who currently operates the "SOUND TRACK" for the Mule Train, adds much to all of the parades in the area; with his clever quips, and keen sense of

humor. He has been wagon master since 1964, and his lovely wife, Hollie, has served as secretary-treasurer for the organization since that time. Hollie will also leave her team and wagon at home this trip, but she and Earl will be among the Wagon Train participants, joining the Texas Wagon Train at Hereford, Texas, through Amarillo, and points East.

SEE YOU THERE!!!!

Sunday November 9, 1986

Veterans Day

"Memorial to Hansford County Servicemen who gave their lives in service to their country."

"It is most fitting that the citizens of Hansford County, Texas, honor their loved ones who gave their lives so that freedom might not die. And it is on behalf of all your fellow Americans that I express the nation's pride and enduring gratitude for the supreme sacrifice they made."

Richard M. Nixon
May 30, 1970

These words are inscribed on the Veterans Memorial located on the Courthouse Lawn, in Spearman. We salute the following servicemen who gave their lives so that we could enjoy freedom and our American way of life:

WWI

Sullivan R. Spivey

WWII

C.P. Archer
P.D. Brockus
Charles Castleman
Mikeal Daugherty
Caylor Davis
Clarence Gill
Walter Hart
Felix Pierce
J.A. Russell
Jesse Ralston
Harlon Roper
Leroy Sheets
R.B. Smith
Gunder Stalvc
IRA Tomlison
T.J. Utly
ADLee Wright

Korean War

Many served in the Korean war but by the grace of God all returned home safely.

VIET NAM

Lynn Buzzard
Thomas Gibner
Samuel B. Cornelius
Maj. USAF MIA
Billy Thomas
Bobby Williams

President Reagan has proclaimed November 11 as Veterans Day and has called upon all Americans to recognize "the valor and sacrifice of our veterans."

This year's Veterans Day theme is "A Grateful Nation Remembers," and the President has urged Americans to reflect on the great achievements of those whose sacrifices preserved the country's freedom and its way of life. "Veterans Day gives all Americans a special opportunity to pay tribute to all those men and women who, throughout our history, have left their homes and loved ones to serve their country," the President said in his proclamation.

"With a spirit of pride and gratitude, let us recall their heroic accomplishments and thank them for their unselfish devotion to duty. They are indeed worthy of the solemn tribute of a grateful nation," he said.

The President has called on Federal, State, and local government officials to display the U.S. Flag and to encourage and participate in patriotic activities nationwide and to support the observance of Veterans Day with suitable commemorative expressions and programs.

In the 33rd annual observance at Arlington National Cemetery, the tradition of honoring the unknown soldier on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month will begin with the Presidential Wreath Laying Ceremony.

It was at that hour on November 11, 1918, that the world celebrated the end of World War I hostilities, a day that later became known as "Armistice Day."

Various Veterans Day observances will be held throughout the nation at many of the Veterans Administration's 109 national cemeteries.

Tax Time

The Stationmaster's House Museum Board invites you, the public to be a part of your County Museum. To do this a tax deductible donation will help make this possible. At this time of the year many people are striving to reduce their income tax. Time is running short when this can be accomplished. Ask your accountant how much you can give to help yourself and the Museum. Any donation, large or small, will be greatly appreciated. Remember it is tax deductible.



The curlew can fly non-stop for more than 2,000 miles. Since most of the bird's flight is over water, he doesn't have much of a chance for a breather—especially since the curlew can't swim.

Veteran's Day Program

Varsity Gym - 10:00 a.m. - November 11, 1986.
Flag Ceremony - Boy Scout Troop #551
Pledge of Allegiance
Texas Flag - "Honor the Texas Flag, I pledge Allegiance to thee, Texas, One and Indivisible."
National Anthem - Spearman High School Band - Dena Kidd Director.
Color Guard Dismissal
Welcome - Larry Butler - Superintendent
Speech - Dick Waterfield
"God Bless the USA" - Jr. High Choir - Bobbi King - Director
"Espiritu Del Alamo" - Spearman High School Band - Dena Kidd - Director
"Hooray for the USA" - "Yankee Spectacular" - 6th Grade Choir - Bobbie King - Director
"Arms of Freedom" - "Battle Hymn the Republic" - Celebrate X - Johnny Miller - Director
"Battle Cry of Freedom" - Jr. High Band - Dena Kidd - Director
"From Sea to Shining Sea" - "America Is" - Lynx Chorale - Johnny Miller - Director
Benediction - John Scott
"America the Beautiful" - Jr. High Band and Choir - High School Band and Choir
Flag Folding - Boy Scout Troop #551
Taps
Flags furnished by: Rho Rho Sorority, Jaycees, Xi Zeta Sorority, Rotary, Lions Club, and Extension Homemakers
Sponsored by: Extension Homemakers Council
Public is Invited

Hospital

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Carrie Russell, Dora Olivarez, Bill Russell, I. L. Harris, Loraine Davidson, Joe Garcia, Francis Williams, Josephine Gruver, Mary Sedgwick, Debra Russell, Dena Mae Douglas, Jesus Villegas, David Arrington, and Lonnie Bullard.
Dismissals are Judy Garipey, Gloria Knox, Leland Cook, and Dorothy Haner.

Master Masons' and Wives

Hansford County Master Masons' and their wives are cordially invited to join with the Spearman Chapter No. 721, Order of Eastern Star at a dinner honoring our Master Masons' Saturday evening, Nov. 15th at 6:30 p.m. in the Spearman Masonic Lodge on East 11th Street.

Markets

Wheat	\$2.17
Milo	\$2.60
Corn	\$1.60

SPEARMAN STUDY CLUB'S SIXTH ANNUAL ANTIQUE COLLECTABLES ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW AND SALE

The Spearman Study Club will host their Annual Antique, Collectables, Arts and Crafts Show and Sale on November 8th and 9th, 1986. Times are 9 to 6 on Saturday, the 8th and 10 to 5 on Sunday, the 9th. The show will be held at the Spearman High School Cafeteria.

Members of the Spearman Study Club are: Trudie Schneider, Linda Close, Virginia Young, Francis Biles, Barbara Collier, Paula Butler, Patty Sheppard, Eulalia Blankenship, Martha McCree, Marilyn Wilson, Claudine Hardy, Pat Sutterfield, Donna Trantham, and Sharon Sutton.
The public is invited to the show with no admission charge.

New Year's Disguise

A cute disguise for an act at a New Year's party is the "Dwarf." A small child rests his hands in a pair of boots placed on a table. The child wears a false beard and moustache. A taller person stands behind the child, his arms over the child's shoulders.

A curtain is drawn so that only the child's head, the arms and boots show. A cape is thrown around the "Dwarf's" shoulders. The child's arms are clothed in a pullover to look like the "Dwarf's" body.

A New Year's story is told as the big arms make the gestures.



JV Wins

Can the Varsity and the Junior Varsity play together as a team? That seemed to be the question on everyone's mind going into the final game of the season here Thursday night. The Lynx answered that question by gaining over four hundred yards in total offense, 22 first downs, and 4 interceptions against the Highland Park Hornets. The defense in return held the Hornets to 73 yards on the ground and 102 yards passing.
The Lynx opened the game by forcing the Hornets to punt on their first possession after the kick-off. Being lead by Jeff Gustin, Alan Beeson, Brett Davis, and Mark Garcia, the Lynx marched 67 yards on their first set of downs for the TD. The score came on a 21 yard pass from #10 Brett Davis to #81 Kevin Nelson. Point after failed.

Following the kick-off #28 Alan Beeson intercepted a Hornet pass on the 48 yard line. Davis connected on his second and third passes of the game. The second to #88 Tim Woolley for 7 yards, and the third to #80 Keith Benson for 10 yards and the second touchdown of the game. #40 Jeff Gustin added the extra points going around the left side. Highlights for the remainder of the second quarter was a pass interception by Alan Beeson and a 18 yard pass reception by #80 Keith Benson. The Hornets scored on an intercepted pass and kicked the extra point at the close of the the half.

The Lynx offensive line played a big part in Thursday's game. On one side #64 Norman Seroggs and #74 Matt Tucker opened the holes for the running backs. On the other side this job was handled by #80 Keith Benson and #78 Scott Swan. This excellent job of blocking allowed Mark Garcia and Jeff Gustin to power their way 65 yards and the third Lynx touchdown. The score coming on a 14 yard run by Garcia. Davis kicked the extra point and the Lynx lead by 14.

During the Hornets short possession Tucker and Swan dumped the quarterback for a 9 yard loss, and then Brett Davis intercepted a Hornet pass and returned it to the 29 yard line. The Lynx's downs expired deep in Hornet territory. The defense forced a punt and the Lynx again took over in good field position. Davis connected with Tim Woolley for a 25 yard pass and to Kevin Nelson on a 20 yard completion. Garcia picked up 11 yards and Brett Davis went across the goal line from the one. The kicked extra point was good, giving the Lynx a commanding 21 point lead.

In the 4th quarter #12 Shawn Cook dumped the Hornets for an 8 yard loss before forcing them to punt. From the 31 yard line #40 Delwin Whitmire rushed for 25 yards along with a 15 yard penalty that put the ball on the Hornet 31 yard line. #31 Scott Wilkerson and Delwin Whitmire gained 2 yards each before the Lynx were dropped for a big loss. Then #83 Pete Saenz went through the left side of the line for a 36 yard touchdown. Extra point failed. With 8:40 left in the game the Hornets star player took the kick-off and returned it 72 yards for the touchdown, extra point was good on a kick, and Spearman's lead had been cut to 13 points. With 4:42 left in the game the Hornets on a fourth down conversion faked the punt. The Hornets found a brick wall consisting of #22 J.G. etl and #77 Tony Pacheco that stopped the try for the first down. Pete Saenz gained 7 yards and Delwin Whitmire busted loss for 21 more, that was called back due to a penalty. Saenz picked up the first down on a 17 yard run. #88 Jerold Blan added another 12 to the 6 yard line. #40 Delwin Whitmire scored across the left side for a 6 yard TD. Extra point failed. The Hornets scored the final score of the game on a 13 yard pass with the extra point conversion failing. The Lynx totally devastated the Hornets in a 40 to 21 victory to end the gridiron season.

Strange New Year Attire

New Year's in the old Scottish Highlands used to be celebrated by the leader of a group of men dressing up in a cow's hide. As he ran around the village, the rest of his group would strike at his hide. The whole group would go around each house three times, banging on the walls and demanding to be let in. When the door was opened, the group was given refreshments and the leader gave the head of the house a piece of skin from a goat, sheep, or deer, called a "beast-stripe" which was wrapped around the tip of a stick. The stick was set on fire and each household member breathed in the fumes as a talisman against witches and demons.

This beast-stripe was called the "hogmanay" which was also the name of the pieces of oatcake the children begged from their neighbors.

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WIFE Teen Center Raffle winners

Texas Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE) will have an informal meeting in Sunray at the Sunray COOP Grain Office Meeting Room on Friday, January 2 at 3:00 p.m. WIFE members from Dalhart will be discussing WIFE's objectives and purposes and invite anyone interested in agriculture to come and join us.

There is a need for input from food and fiber producers in shaping agricultural policy; including the impact of monetary and trade policy on agriculture and the importance of agricultural commodities affecting domestic producers. WIFE members are very involved in legislative process concerning agriculture and observing the markets and their impact on commodities they produce.

We believe in the "family farm" concept for the production of this nation's food and fiber. COME and join us and help to promote the "family farm".
Elva Reeves, 1987 Texas State President Dalhart Texas

Winners of the Teen Center raffle were Johnny Williams, Gruver, Tx., \$100.00 gift certificate donated by Saks Third Avenue and Willie Lee Jones, Spearman, Tx. \$600.00 ring donated by Fuller's Jewelers.

The Teen Center would especially like to thank Kelly & Johnnie Fuller, owners of Fuller's Jewelers, for donating the ring and Kay Vernon, owner of Saks Third Avenue, for donating the \$100.00 gift certificate.

We also want to thank the Spearman Reporter & KRDF for the wonderful publicity.

JG's, Western Blue Stamp Store, Fuller's Jewelers, Lady Fair, Saks Third Avenue, & Dr. & Mrs. Tom Latta were kind enough to sell tickets at their businesses. We owe a big thanks to them.

Lastly, we want to thank all the people who bought tickets for our raffle and made it a success.

KRDF was very generous to have the Hansford show about our Teen Center and have the drawing on the air Dec. 22. Dr. Tom Latta, Jerry Don Davis, Paige Pittman & Monty Beck took time out of their busy schedules to appear on the show.

If there is anyone we haven't mentioned, we apologize for any oversight. Without all these people we couldn't have accomplished our goal.

Year-end News

An insurance industry spokesman today urged restaurants, bars and hotels in Amarillo and surrounding communities to adopt a program designed to reduce the serious drinking and driving problem during the holiday season.

"Our organization will be sponsoring the Designated Driver Program in Texas this holiday season and we would hope the liquor servers would provide free non-alcoholic beverages to the person who may be designated to drive friends who are drinking alcoholic beverages to their homes or elsewhere," according to Jerry Johns, president of Southwestern Insurance Information Service, Inc.

"Hundreds of restaurants, bars and hotels in Texas are making the offer of complimentary non-alcoholic beverages to such a person and we would encourage such establishments in Amarillo to do likewise," he said.

The Designated Driver Program is not designed to discourage drinking but only to make people aware that an alternative to drinking and driving does exist, Johns explained.

"The number of drinking drivers increases significantly during the holiday season," he added. "It has been estimated that 3 in 10 motorists on the road weekend nights between 10:00 p.m. and 2:00 a.m. are legally drunk."

"A recent survey revealed that 33 percent of those responding admitted they had driven after drinking alcoholic beverages during the past year," he said. "Others in the survey were asked if they had taken some action during the past year to prevent someone from driving while intoxicated and 35 percent said they had."

The study also pointed out that 42 percent of all male drivers reported driving after drinking compared with 24 percent of all female drivers, Johns explained.

"If the hospitality industry in Amarillo actively supports the Designated Driver Program we predict that a meaningful reduction in alcohol related injuries and deaths in this city could be achieved," he reported.

Over 30,000 Designated Driver stickers have been distributed to the hospitality industry in Texas and hundreds of these businesses are offering complimentary non-alcoholic beverages, Johns said.

The attractive stickers are red, white and blue and state "I'm a Designated Driver" with the international sign discouraging drunk driving, Johns continued.

"The hospitality industry in Amarillo would be doing everyone a public service if they were to support such a program and provide such a service to their patrons," he concluded.

"Say No"

"Do you want to know how to say 'No' and still be able to keep your friends?" Sharon Scott, a licensed professional counselor and president of Scott & Associates, a Dallas based firm offering training and consulting to schools will be coming to Spearman Jan. 22-23. She will conduct workshops with Jr. High & Sr. High students & will speak to parents on night.

Be watching for further details in the next few weeks. Ms. Scott is a dynamic speaker and we feel fortunate to have her coming to Spearman!

Adolescent Treatment Program

Cildress General Hospital is proud to announce they are opening an Adolescent Treatment Program for Chemical Dependency. The unit will initially accommodate eight young people between the ages of 13 and 18. The unit will be called "New Horizons." The staff for the program has already been recruited and is busy preparing for the opening and dedication ceremony which will take place January 5, 1987.

For those parents, loved ones, and school teachers who need information regarding admission criteria, please call 817-637/6379.

The dedication ceremony is at 10:30 A.M. on January 5, following the ceremony will be guided tours of the unit. There will be two one-hour informational seminars held in the afternoon titled Philosophy, Program Design, and Admission Criteria for New Horizons. This will begin at 1:15 p.m., followed at 2:30 p.m. by a seminar titled Why Is Alcoholism and addiction called a family disease?

The dedication ceremony, tours, and informational seminars are open to the public and we wish that all interested parents, teachers, health professionals, Etc. please attend. The program design for this unit will appeal to many people because of its clear-cut approach to the disease of alcoholism.

The assessment and evaluation process of new Horizons will determine if alcoholism and chemical dependency are the primary issues.

Servitors Club

Servitors Club recently helped a needy family here in Spearman by buying them \$200.00 worth of clothes and food for Christmas.

Servitors is a service club that does many worthwhile projects for the community. They raised money during 1986 by hosting a softball tournament and selling cokes at the County Fair.

In 1986 Servitors donated to the Red Cross Girlstown, Golden Spread Center, PTA, and four of the Texas Federated Women's Club Scholarships as well as several district scholarships.

Other Servitors projects include donations to the Hansford County and school libraries. They also participate in meals-on-wheels, take cookies and fruit to teachers on beginning in-service day, take Christmas cards for Hansford Manor residents to send out, and present a \$200.00 scholarship annually to a Spearman Senior girl. Also, they helped with the two Sesquicentennial programs donated a picture to Hansford Manor, and cleaned up the downtown concrete park.

As one special project they hosted a Chili Supper in April, the proceeds went to help the Teen Center.

Servitors have had several interesting and informative programs this year. They have had a Polynesian supper and a program on Hawaii and a fajita supper and demonstration.

Several members have also done interesting programs. They are looking forward to 1987. They have many new projects and interesting programs planned.

Charter members are Lyn Woolley and Linda Winegarner. Past presidents include Candi DeLozier, Rene Wisniewski, Stephanie Brock, Michele Davis, Beckee Baker, Jan Howard, and Linda Cummings.

Servitors officers this year include Peggy Winegarner, President; Cheryl Gibson, first Vice President; Peggy Varmon, Second Vice President; Leslie Cazares; third Vice President; Jan Howard, Recording Secretary; Tina Lozano, Corresponding Secretary; Laura Mackie, Treasurer; and Linda Cummings, Parliamentarian.

Other members are Cindy Avila, Kerri Harris, Tina Rex, Brenda Shieldknight, Tina Tucker, Kim Vera, Linda Winegarner, Lyn Woolley, Ronda Rutherford, Carmen Mireles, and Johnnie Fuller.



We wish you health and happiness all days of every year.

Those that are determined to be inappropriate for treatment at New Horizons will be properly referred to a Facility that specializes in the needed treatment.

The cost of treatment at New Horizons will approximately 19,000 for a 42-day stay. This fee will include the Physician's fees and Family Program costs. Most major group health insurance plans will pay 80-100% of treatment costs. Confidential verification of benefits will be provided at no cost after the assessment and evaluation process.

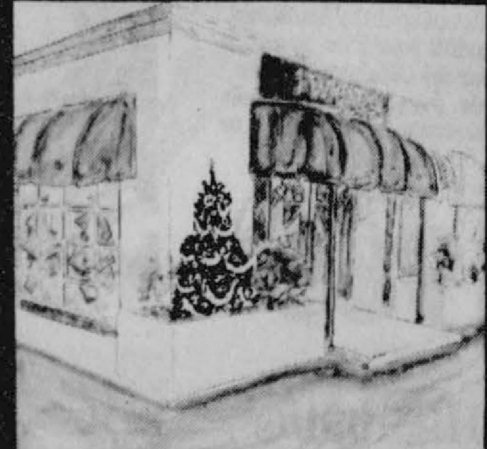
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