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Bi-District Site, Time Still Pending

The time and place of the Bi-District game of the Spearman Lynxettes and Abernathy will probably be pending until Saturday, Spearman school officials said Wednesday.

Abernathy school officials are out of town and a meeting cannot be arranged until then.

Lynxette Coach Dean Weese said Wednesday he would prefer to play the game March 3 in the West Texas Field House in Canyon. However, all of the details will have to be worked out.

Two practice games have been arranged for the next two Saturdays. Saturday, Feb. 22, the Lynxettes will go to Plainview to meet Trent, a class B school near Abilene. The game will be played at 7 p. m.

The following Saturday the girls will play the Wayland College Queen Bees in Lynx gym at 7 p. m. The Wayland B team features some of last year's top high school players from over the nation.

Trent is rated as the second place B team in the state. It has won one and lost two games to the top rated class A team in the state.

School officials said there would be no Gruver-Spearman game if Gruver wins its district. Both coaches thought the game would have an adverse effect on their teams.

The regional tournament will be played on Friday, March 6, and the state tournament will be the following Friday and Saturday in Austin.

Pettitt Files For Mayor

A third candidate filed for Mayor of Spearman this week. Clarence Pettitt, a automobile garage owner, placed his name on the ballot for the April election.

Earlier, cafe owner Otto Holland had filed for a place on the ballot in the Mayor's election, then Hansford Hospital Administrator Bob Vaughn filed for re-election as mayor.

Only one has filed for alderman. E. J. Copeland, manager of Equity, has filed for re-election. The other alderman, Claude Owens has declined to run again.

The deadline for filing for city offices is March 7.



LAST ONES--Pat Pattison goes high to put in some of the last points he will score for the Spearman Lynx. Pattison scored 25 points in his last game for the Lynx. Spearman won 43-32.

Lynxettes Capture 1-AA District Title

Spearman's Lynxettes rose to majestic heights Tuesday night as they took the District 1-AA district championship by beating an outstanding White Deer team 70-48.

It was a frustrating night for White Deer Coach Ronnie Mills as the Lynxettes ripped his defenses to shreds.

As has happened at other crucial times, steady Helen Greever broke the game open with accurate shooting.

White Deer came primed to stop the Patterson-Wilde scoring machine. They ignored the high accuracy record held by Greever and let her run free. The senior forward wrecked that defense by hitting six field goals and three free shots for 15 points.

White Deer could not contend with the three shooters on one end and the points rolled up. When the Does went after Patterson and Greever, they fed Wilde under the bucket for points. The tall and talented

pivot girl stuffed in 12 field
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Jaycees Add Hootenanny

Another big entertainment feature has been added to the Jaycee-Harlem Stars basketball show planned for Saturday night, March 7.

The Jaycees are planning a Hootenanny of folk music to be held in conjunction with the game. Talent from all over the Panhandle is being invited to participate in the musical show.

Jaycee officials say there will be music before the game, at the half and after the basketball comedy game.

Jaycee cage coach David Hutto was optimistic this week after his team had two good workouts. The addition of several younger players to the squad have given it more punch.

Band Concert Is Tonight; Four Groups Participate

Approximately 400 band students of the Spearman Public Schools will present their annual Band Concert at 7:30 p. m. tonight in the High School Auditorium.

The mass of musical students is divided into four bands directed by Sam Watson, school band director and his assistant, Mrs. Laura Lane.

The concert will be opened by the Beginners Band. This group will play three numbers: "Chorale", "Eastport March", and Majorie Waltz."

In the Grade School Band

program there are three numbers and a Gay Nineties Medley. The numbers are "The Crusaders March", "Chorale and March", and "Morning Bells Overture". The medley is "The Sidewalks of New York" and "Daisy Bell".

Five numbers make up the program for the Junior High Band. This group will play "Empire State Salute March", "Themes from Gunsmoke", "Dayeneu", "Some Folks", and "Mexican Sundae".

A wide variety of music is included in the High School

Band program. The selections are "La Roquina", "Slavonic Folk Song Suite", "Procession and Interlude", "Second American Folk Rhapsody", "Lawrence of Arabia", "Green Leaves of Summer", and "Beaded Belts".

Mac Crawford heads the High School Band as President. He is assisted by Vice President Bill Blackburn, Secretary-Treasurer Mary Ellen Barkley, Librarian Helen Collard, and Managers Lynn Gibner and Mike Shedeck.

Junior High Band Officers are Jock Lee, President; Charles Shieldknight is Vice President and Susan Uptergrove is Secretary-Treasurer. Linn Robinson, Catherine Lyon and Debbie Hazelwood are Librarians.

Six members of the High School Band were selected for the All-Regional Band. They are Bonnie Driscoll, Lynn Gibner, David Knox, Patsy Kingsley, Pat Massad and D'dee Collard. Bonnie Driscoll is a member of the All-Area band.

Tickets are 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for students and may be purchased from any band student or at the door. The money will buy senior bank jackets.

The High School Band has five more events to enter this Spring. It will be in the Interscholastic League Solo and Ensemble contest on March 21, the Berger Band Contest April 2, the Interscholastic Concert and Sight-Reading Contest April

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Local Street Damage Below Other Towns

The cost of patching and repairing the snow damaged streets in Spearman has been estimated between \$4,000 and \$5,000 by city engineer L. D. Burns of Dumas.

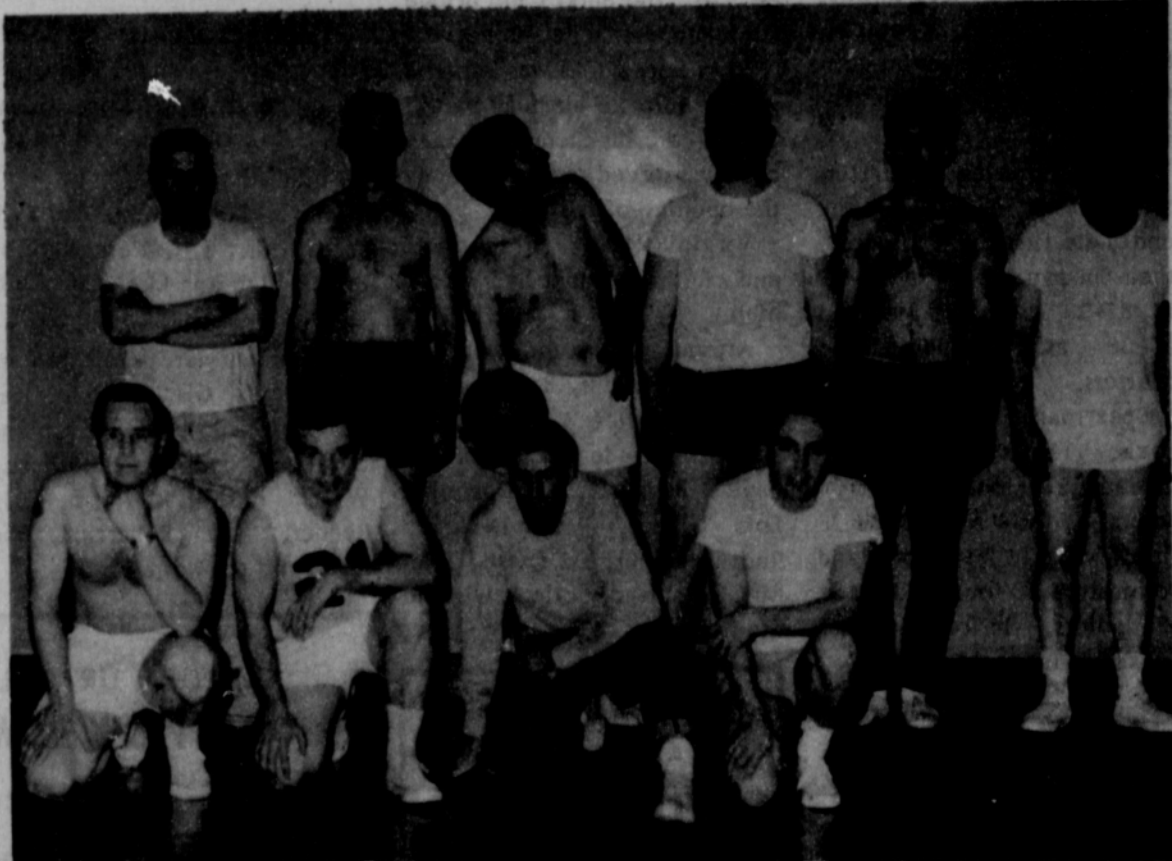
Burns and City Manager Ken Conrey inspected the damaged streets Tuesday. After the inspection, Burns, who acts as engineer in several towns, said Spearman's streets had less damage than several other area towns.

The men found the damage to be in both old and new streets, just any place the moisture was able to break through the surface and get into the base material.

Conrey said now the city is trying to keep the holes filled with caliche until the weather gets warm enough for permanent patches to be made with asphalt.

He said the temperature needed to be 50 or above most of the day for the asphalt to set into a permanent patch. If it is done in colder weather, the city will be washing money.

Conrey said the city has been planning extensive sealcoating of streets this summer and it has not been decided if the city crews will do the permanent patch work or if it will be let in the sealcoating contracts.



JAYCEE 'STARS--These are just a few of the Spearman Jaycees who will compete against the Harlem Stars March 7. Kneeling left to right, Jim Davis, Bill Partridge, Bill Douglas, and Robert Adamson. Standing, Billy Miller, Wayne Chapman, Dr. Damon Gregg is still trying to get his shot away, David Hutto, Hersh Secrest and Sonny Windom.

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Lynxettes . . . G-Men End Long Search

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goals over her fall defender. She added four free shots for 28 points.

The little bomber, Phyllis Patterson, has played great basketball for two years, but she has never been better than Tuesday night. She ran the offensive show like a general, dribbled and handled the ball like a magician, and scored from the floor and foul line. She hit eight field goals and seven free throws for 23 points.

Reserves Susan Hutchison and Barbara Wilde got in the game only for a couple of minutes. They each shot once and scored two points.

It was a tough night for the defenders. It took great play by guard Kathi Pattison, Sharon Close and Joan Hackley to stop the White Deer offense.

The Does came to Lynx gym determined to tie the district race by beating the Lynxettes and at the end of the first quarter the Does were ahead 15-13.

In the second quarter Close, who had been in bed ill Monday, came up with some of her thefts of passes, the defense forced the Does away from the basket for their shots and Hackley and Pattison began controlling the rebounds and the Lynxettes were on their way.

Guard Robbie Ownbey turned in some fine work in the second half as she guarded Cindy Hubbard, the Does top point maker. Hubbard had 24 points on five field goals and 14 free throws.

Guards Bethany Donnell and Sharon Cook got in the game late to turn in strong defensive play.

In the scoring by quarters White Deer led 15-13 at the end of the first eight minutes, then Spearman took over with a 37-23 halftime lead and 56-36 at the end of three quarters.

Spearman scored 28 field goals, 14 free shots, committed 21 fouls and had 70 points. White Deer made 16 field goals, 16 free shots, and committed 13 fouls and made 48 points. In free shots the Lynxettes made 14 of 18.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE-Four 50 foot lots facing Collard Street, Block C, Collard Real Estate.

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A man who left this area in a chartered airplane with a pocketful of money will probably return at the taxpayers expense.

Donald Ray Kidd, wanted here on a theft charge, has been arrested by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in St. Petersburg, Fla., on a warrant from this county.

The FBI has been looking for Kidd for the past two years on the Hansford County warrant.

Kidd is charged with theft of over \$2,300 in money and a pick-up truck.

The man allegedly took a check for more than \$2,300 from Erlis Pittman. The money was given to the man to give to his employer for custom cutting.

According to officers the man then left in a pick-up he was driving, went to Perryton, chartered a plane to Dallas and disappeared.

Sheriff Cooke said a man was picked up earlier in Oregon on the warrant, but he turned out to be the wrong man.

Mrs. Hicks Is Party Honoree

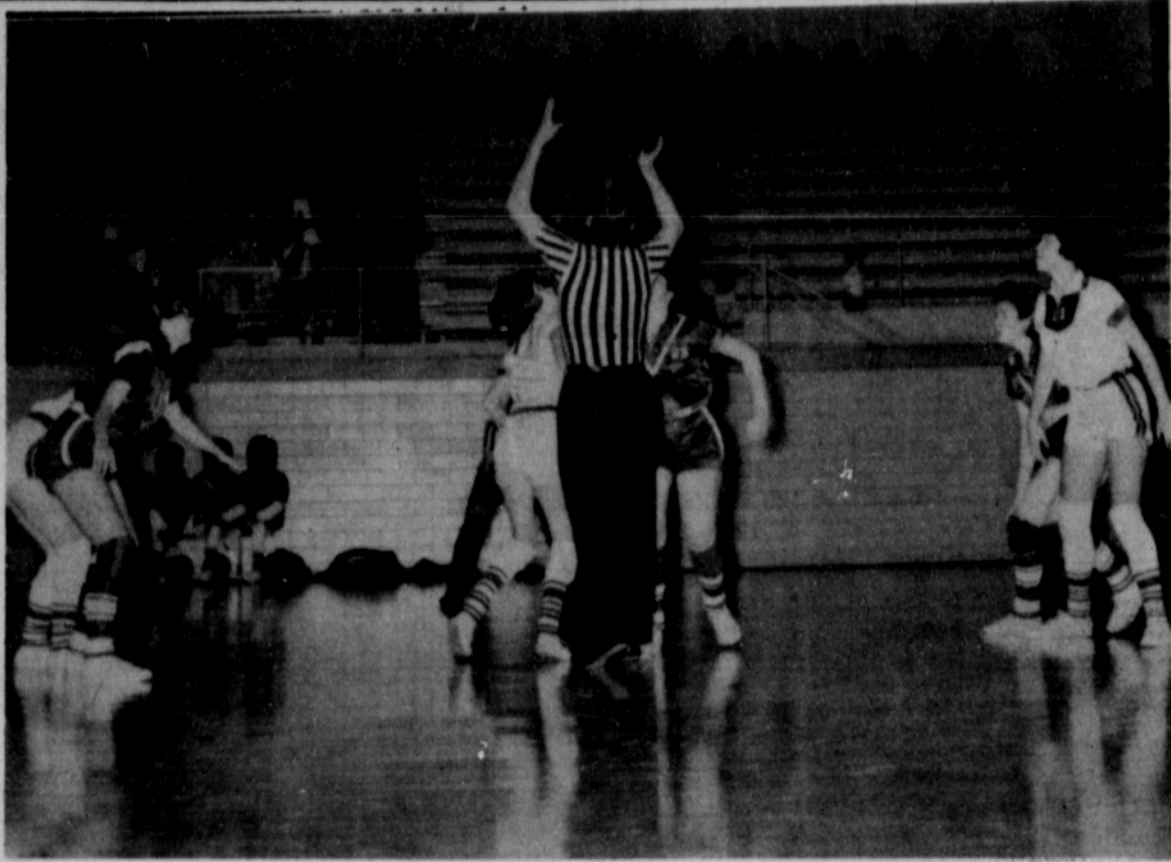
Mrs. Richard Holton was hostess to the Short Club Bridge Club Feb. 18 in her home.

Vera Beth Hicks was honored with a surprise birthday party. After the luncheon, birthday cake was served and all enjoyed the opening of the gifts.

Virginia Head had high score and Ruth Skinner had second high.

Attending were the honoree, Vera Beth Hicks, Barbara McClellan, Helen Watson, Helen Etter, Gertrude Jones, Dorothy Faye Baggerly, Pat Donnell, Lois Gibner, Virginia Head, Ruth Skinner, 2 guests, Joan McClellan and Lucile Lewis and the hostess.

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GONE--The ball went out of the picture as Lynxette Phyllis Patterson and a White Deer Doe jump a tie ball. Vicki Wilde and Susan Hutchison wait for the tip.

Mike Skinner Photo

Lynx Win Third Place By Defeating White Deer

Big Pat Pattison closed out his high school basketball career Tuesday night by leading the Spearman Lynx to a decisive 43-32 win over the White Deer Bucks.

Pattison scored 25 points against a gang defense and played a strong defensive game.

The lanky post man put in 11 field goals and 3 free shots for his 25 points.

The victory gives the Lynx third place in the district race. The Lynx beat every team in the district at least once, ex-

cept the champions, Stinnett. The Lynx broke with the starting whistle and were never slowed. They led 16-5 at the end of the first quarter, 22-9 at the half, 32-25 at the end of three quarters.

Jimmy Kirkland scored nine points for the Lynx, then Ronald McDonald, Johnny Crawford, Ken Shufeldt and Mac Crawford each had two points. Loyd McWhirter had one.

Spearman hit 18 field goals, seven of 10 free shots, committed 17 fouls and made 43 points. White Deer had 12 field

goals, eight free shots, 11 fouls and 32 points.

Cal Johnson was White Deer's top scorer with seven points.

Besides Pattison this was the final game for seniors Mac Crawford and Burton Williamson, also. Returning for next season will be Larry Butts, Ronald McDonald, Jimmy Kirkland, Ken Shufeldt, Johnny Crawford, Loyd McWhirter and Bob Phillips.

Morse Gives 2 Contracts

The Superintendent and Coach at Morse have been given new contracts with raises in

pay. The board extended the contract of Supt. John Brumley for two years and Coach James Lannier was given a one year extension.

Mrs. Porter Is Hostess

Mrs. Chalmers Porter was hostess to her bridge club Feb. 18 in her home.

Mrs. Glen Mackie had high score, Mrs. J.R. Keim had second high and Mrs. Don Knox won the traveling prize.

Attending were guests, Mmes. Irvin Davis, Glen Mackie, Ken Conrey and Everett Cain and members, Mmes. Herb Butts, W.L. Bell, J.R. Keim, C.J. Renner, Ray Robertson, Don Knox and the hostess.

The board called the school board election for Saturday, April 4 at the Morse school. Mrs. Pete Cator will serve as election judge and Mrs. John Brumley and Mrs. Walter Schick will be clerks.

Absentee balloting will begin March 16 and close March 31. County Judge Johnnie Lee will be the absentee ballot judge.

Three board members have terms expiring. They are R. C. Womble, Jim Womble and Wil-lard McCloy.

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Scout Troop 51 To Reorganize

Spearman Boy Scout Troop 51 will be reorganized this Sunday in a meeting at 2 p. m. in the High School Auditorium.

Area director Tom Peabody of Guymon will be here to help get the troop reorganized.

All boys, parents and adults interested in this troop are invited to the meeting.

Band . . .

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9, the Spearman Celebration Parade April 18 and the Tri-State Music Festival in Enid, Okla., for four days beginning April 29.

The Junior High and Grade School bands will compete in the Area Interscholastic League Contests early in May.

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Miss Hazel Holt Is Honored with Shower

Miss Hazel Holt, bride-elect of Roy Kenneth Slyter of Sharon, Kansas was honored with a bridal shower Feb. 15 from 3 to 5 in the Hospitality Room of the First State Bank. Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Carl Archer, Perry Coursey, Ray-

mond Kirk, Dwight Hutchison, Ray Moore, Phil Jenkins, Medlin Patterson, Wayne Hutchison, Major Lackey, Marvin Jones, Stanley Garnett and E. E. Vanderburg.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth centered with an arrangement of pinkroses and flanked on either side with pink tapers in silver holders. Silver and crystal completed the setting.

Mmes. Jim Davis and Dick Doyle presided at the serving table and Mrs. Perry Coursey registered the guests in a white leather bound brides book. Susan Holt assisted her sister in opening her gifts.

A white orchid corsage was presented to the honoree, a white gladiola corsage to her mother, Mrs. Fred Holt and white carnation corsages were presented the grandmothers, Mrs. B. C. Holt and Mrs. A. F. Loftin.

Coffee, tea, cake, nuts and mints were served to approximately 50 guests.

Club Meets In Womble Home

The first spring meeting of the Dahlia Flower Club was held Feb. 17 in the home of Mrs. Jesse Womble.

Mrs. Frank Davis, president, conducted the business meeting. Roll call was answered with "My Birthplace."

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess to Margaret Shedeck, Coise Gates, Mattie Davis, Margaret Cook, Deta Blodgett, Edith Sheets, Carrie Clement, Ethel Hester and Myrtle Davis.

The next meeting will be March 2 in the home of Mrs. Earl Riley.



VALENTINE GIRLS---Helen Watson and Pat Dear were crowned Valentine Girls by the two Spearman Chapters of Beta Sigma Phi Saturday night. Shown at the coronation are (left-right) Mary Brock, Sam Watson, Helen Watson, Pat Dear, Edward Dear and Joyce Lackey.

PLAINSMAN PHOTO

Helen Watson, Pat Dear Are Sorority Valentine Girls

Rho Rho and Xi Zeta Upsilon Chapters of Beta Sigma Phi at the annual Valentine Ball Saturday evening in the Community Building. honored their Valentine Girls

Pat Dear was Valentine Girl for Rho Rho Chapter and Helen Watson received the same honor from Xi Zeta Upsilon Chapter.

in the international contest for Valentine Girl of Beta Sigma Phi.

A large red heart with "Helen and Pat" in white lettering was featured on the stage where a combo presented music for the evening. Other Valentine decorations were noted throughout the room.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Porter and baby of Amarillo spent Tuesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore.

Pat Dear was crowned by Joyce Lackey and Helen Watson was crowned by Mary Brock, last year's Valentine Girls. Both women received bouquets of red roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mullins and Mrs. Lee Keys returned Monday after spending the weekend in Ponca City

The two women were entered

Like many other insects, wasps and bees have three tiny eyes between their two large eyes.



Mrs. Richard McFarland

Miss Bertha J. Entrekin Weds Richard McFarland

In a ceremony performed in the Olsen Park Church of Christ in Amarillo, Miss Bertha Jane Entrekin, daughter of Mrs. Matilda Entrekin, became the bride of Richard McFarland of Amarillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McFarland, Bill Haymes, minister, officiated at the

ceremony.

Bill McFarland, brother of the groom, was best man and Edith Carson, sister of the bride, was matron of honor.

After the ceremony a reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McFarland.

When you see a woman enter a beauty salon looking like a wreck and an hour or so emerge with a greatly improved appearance, you have to appreciate the talents of today's cosmetologists and hairdressers.

After all, they have to meet a challenge about every 15 minutes and while every customer may not be ecstatically happy with their work, most of them realize that today's beautician is a highly professional and expertly trained individual whose main purpose is to make every customer look as good as possible.

Today's beautician attends all the meetings she can to learn how to give her clients fresh adaptations of the latest trends, she is well versed on what is new in makeup and jewelry and she takes numerous trade journals with latest hair styles and beauty trends to keep her ideas fresh and up to date.

And, all this is available in our locale at a modest price, really, if you consider what some New York City women pay for a visit to the beauty salon of the famous Mr. Kenneth.

Where a coiffure in Spearman may cost from \$2. or \$2.50, Mr. Kenneth gets \$25., no less, and you may never see him.

I heard of one woman from Amarillo who was in New York

City and made arrangements for an appointment at Mr. Kenneth's Salon. The surroundings were extravagant and the maid service was elegant to say the least, but some woman on the staff did her hair and for her \$25. she didn't see Mr. Kenneth at all.

If you are a basketball fan, you've no doubt been amused this season by the antics of tiny D'Anda Close and Deann Weese, the pep squad mascots who whirl and clap with glee while the cheerleaders are leading yells.

I've noticed that even a few very serious-minded referees have been won over by a smile and giggle from these two little dolls who thoroughly enjoy their role in the spotlight.

Little Jimmy Nicholson, who is not quite two, is a big fan of the two pint-size cheerleaders.

I'm not sure if he really is aware of the little girls for their feminine charms or whether he'd just like to join them in their free-run of the basketball court at halftime. He sure begs to go where they are though, whatever his reason.

I just caught a glimpse this week of little Kelly Dawn Fisher, the new daughter of Zack and Texie Fisher. Someone brought to my attention that



COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL--members are (l-r) Sylvia Parks, chairman; Patricia Henderson, girls' vice-chairman and District council delegate; Rebecca Hutchison, secretary; and Janice Trindle, treasurer. Not pictured are Delbert McCloy and Alan Dixon, also council members.

the little girl not only has some wonderful grandparents, but two of her great-grandmothers, Mrs. J. H. Buchanan of Spearman and Mrs. Margie Barkley of Gruver were named "Mothers of the Year" a few years ago before Zack and

Texie were married. Little Kelly is probably kin to no less than 2,000 of the 6,000 people in the area when you count the Buchanans, the Barkleys, the Clines and all the families who have married members of these three large families.

John McAlister Gives Program

The Kimberly Study Club met Feb. 14 in the Hospitality Room of the First State Bank with Mmes. Claude Pearson and Kenneth Pope as hostesses.

The program titled "Soil Conservation" was presented by John McAlister.

A short business session followed, conducted by Mrs. Claude Pearson in the absence of the president, Mrs. Doyle Jackson.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Carroll Ladd, David Wilson, Bob Parris, the speaker, John McAlister by the hostesses.

The next meeting will be March 6 at 2 p. m. This will be a style show at the Lady Fair at Plains Shopping Center.

Miss Batson Joins WAC's

Spearman had its first volunteer for the Women's Army Corp in many years this week.

Miss Lola Batson left Monday for WAC recruit training at Fort McClellan, Ala. She will be in recruit training for eight weeks.

After completing recruit training she will be transferred to Fort Benjamin Harrison near Indianapolis, Ind., for Personnel School training. She said this will include training in the operation of office machines and machine accounting equipment.

Miss Batson has been employed as a waitress in Miller's Cafe for the past eight months.

The 18-year-old recruit said she hoped to go to Europe for duty after completing the Army schools.

Donna Conrey Gives Program

Marilyn Niemeyer was hostess Thursday to Rho Rho Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

Day McClellan presided in the absence of Elaine Floyd, president. Charlotte Harris met with the group for the last time before leaving to make her home in Las Vegas, Nev.

Donna Conrey, assisted by Bobbie Novak and Ruth Ann King, presented the program on different aspects of public speaking.

Cream puffs and coffee were served to Linda Davis, Bobbie Novak, Deloris Healer, Donna Conrey, Pat Dear, Ruth Ann King, Charlotte Harris, Beth Fox, Barbara Haberthur, Barbara Schnell, Kay Nollner, Caulene Mason, Ola Mae Henry, Day McClellan and the hostess, Marilyn Niemeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clement and her mother, Mrs. C. M. Gatlin of Mobeetie returned Saturday morning from Minco, Okla, where they had attended the funeral of Mrs. N. J. Overton. Mrs. Overton was a sister of Mrs. Gatlin and was Mrs. Clements aunt.

Community Concert Begins Drive for New Members

Community Concert renewal week opens Feb. 24. The purpose of this year's drive, as in other years, is to accept renewal memberships from past subscribers and to enroll new members for a series of concerts to be given in the Berger High School Auditorium.

More than ever before, good music has become a vital factor in the artistic growth and self-esteem of our country. Concerts by world famous artists and musical attractions add prestige and distinction to the cultural and social life of our community.

The Community Concert Association is a practical, cooperative and economical plan on a membership basis. A complete family, regardless of size, may attend the entire season for \$21.50. Or individual adult memberships are \$8.00 and students \$4.00.

One of the concerts already planned for next season is "Schory's Percussion Pops Orchestra." The remainder of the concerts will be picked im-

mediately after the campaign by the governing board and officers.

The campaign will be closed on Saturday, March 7 and no further applications for memberships can be accepted thereafter (except people who move into the community after March 7). Those who wish to join must do so before the campaign's close as no tickets will be available to single events.

For more information please contact either Mrs. Rue Sanders or Mrs. Joe Traylor.

Amy Renner Is Honoree

Amy Renner was honored on her 10th birthday with a party at the Farm Bureau Clubroom Friday, Feb. 14 given by her mother, Mrs. C. J. Renner.

Guests came dressed as TV or movie stars and a prize for the best costume was won by Sheila Patterson.

After the honoree opened her gifts, various games were played.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cokes and a birthday cake beautifully decorated in the ballerina motif were served to Sheila Patterson, Patricia Schnell, Lezlie Nollner, Elizabeth Hohertz, Marla McWhirter, Lisa Hutchison, Kari Lou Hays, Julie Sanders, Camille Baggerly, Lee Watson and the honoree.

Party Honors Two Birthdays

Miss Janie Kirkland was hostess Sunday night, Feb. 16 to a surprise party honoring Kathi Pattison and Jimmy Kirkland on the occasion of their sixteenth and seventeenth birthdays respectively. The party was held in the Larry Hays home where the guests played games and the honorees opened their gifts.

Guests were served cake, strawberry sundaes and punch. The birthday cakes were in the shape of hearts, with one decorated in red and the other in white. Mrs. Hays made the cakes.

Twelve guests attended.

Loyce Keyser is in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo where she is scheduled to undergo surgery today.

Hicks and Heads Host Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Head were hosts to the Saturday Night Dinner Bridge Club Feb. 14 at the HD Clubroom.

J. K. Hicks had high score for the men and Betty Porter had high for the women. Pat Cates and Marilyn Niemeyer had low scores.

Attending were guests Messrs. and Mmes. Edward Dear, Lee Niemeyer and Chalmers Porter, and members present were Darlene Linn, Pat Cates, Messrs. and Mmes. Bill Ballenger, Richard Holton, Bob Skinner, Kenneth Conrey and the hosts.

Time For Fun Party Feb. 24

The Spearman Home Demonstration Club will be hostesses for the "Time for Fun" party at 7 p. m. Feb. 24, in the Home Demonstration Clubroom.

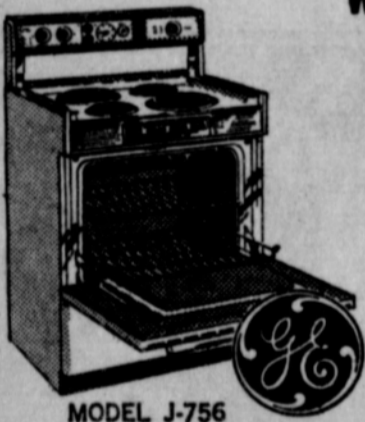
Mrs. Chip Martin is in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo where she recently underwent surgery.

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WSCS Members To Attend Meet

The Susannah Wesley Circle of WSCS met Feb. 12 in the parlor of the First Methodist Church.

Dorothy Groves conducted the business meeting. Donna Bowen led the Lord's Prayer. Plans were made for Coise Gates and Dorothy Groves to attend the workshop in Amarillo, Feb. 27 and 28 on "Latin American Relations."

Coise Gates continued the study assisted by Mrs. Sansing. The benediction was given by Mrs. Gates.

Attending were Margaret Adamson, Ruth Bailey, Marie Beck, Donna Bowen, Dorcas Collard, Coise Gates, Dorothy Groves, Sherry Partridge, Patty Sheppard, Frances Williams, Margaret Stubblefield and one guest, Mrs. T. D. Sansing.

Jack Vanderburg, a student at Texas Tech, spent the weekend with his parents, the Everett Vanderburgs.

Mrs. Keim Is Hostess

The Home Science Dept. of the Twentieth Century Club met Feb. 13 in the home of Mrs. J. R. Keim.

President, Mrs. Carl Archer, presided at the business meeting. The cancer drive to be held in April which the club plans to assist with was discussed.

Mrs. Frank Davis introduced the speaker, Kenneth Conroy, city manager, who spoke on "Pure Water and Public Health" and showed slides pertaining to the subject.

Attending were Meses. Carl Archer, Lloyd Buzzard, Frank Davis, Guy Fuller, Fred Holt, Nolan Holt, Dwight Hutchison, Wayne Hutchison, Marvin Jones, G. R. Kilgore, C. A. Kleeberger, C. J. Renner, J. R. Stump and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Garnett were in Amarillo Saturday where they attended the annual Production Credit meeting.

Rebekahs Have Valentine Party

Rebekah Lodge No. 290 met in regular form Feb. 13 at the IOOF Hall at 8 p. m.

After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed. There was a valentine box and secret pals exchanged valentines. The table was covered with a white cloth decorated with red hearts. Red and white cinnamon hearts, cake, coffee and punch were served to Caro Lee Frantz, Dorothy Longley, Helen Condo, Ethel Black, Juanita Boxford, Reba Phillips, Corrine Hughes, Wanda Golightley, Zina Longley, Inez Holland, Ruth Caro, Deanna Kinney, Thelma Kenney and Nirra Mae Hughes.

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HANSFORD HOSPITAL NEWS

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Mrs. Jones Is HD Hostess

The Holt Home Demonstration Club met Feb. 17 in the home of Mrs. Marvin Jones.

Mrs. Raymond Kirk presided at the business session. Roll call was answered with "My Hobby".

Mrs. Kirk gave the program on Tole Painting and showed some of her work to illustrate her talk.

Attending were Meses. Nolan Holt, Phil Jenkins, Fred Holt, Ray Moore, Raymond Kirk, and two guests, Meses. Ceril Batton, and Owen Pendergraft and the hostess.



As the Valentine Dance was canceled Feb. 8 due to the hazardous amount of snow still remaining on the ground, the Do-Si-Do Club will endeavor to make up for it this Saturday, Feb. 22 with Evlis Young at the caller's station. Everyone is invited to attend. The refreshments are great this season and the programs, masterpieces. We are proud of our officers and their efforts in working to make this winter's dances a success.

A bit of information to persons planning their vacations: There are at least 83 vacation camps exclusively designed and operated for square dancers. These institutes also accommodate weekend vacationers as well. If information is desired, any officer of the Do-Si-Do Club would be happy to obtain information and brochures for you.

Plans for the Lucky 13th National Square Dance Convention scheduled for July 23-25 at Long Beach, Calif. grow daily more stimulating. Imaginative ideas for increasing fun in every department at the convention are pouring forth from the hundreds of dedicated workers in California and all across the square dance land. This gala is designed for the whole family. All square dancers planning to

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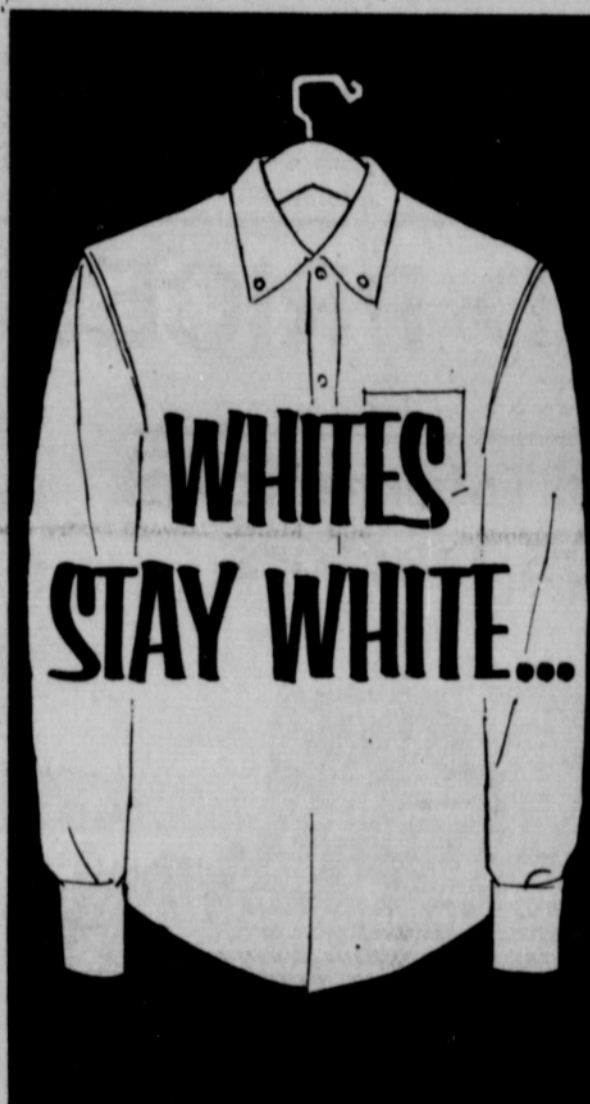
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Hansford Farm News

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Small Feedlots Will Pay Profits If Managed Right

What is the present status of smallscale farmer-feeding operation on the Plains? A brief look at trends of the past decade might suggest large-scale feedlots in this region will soon have all the business.

Not necessarily so, according to Area Extension Livestock Specialist Dixon Hubbard. He says a close-look at the relationship of costs to return for the small-scale feeding operation indicates the opposite might be true. It's well known on-the-farm feeding has worked for the Corn Belt cattle feeder for many years--and it's still working, he points out.

One reason small feeding operations might look to be on the way out is because the large feedlots in Texas and other western states have persuasive percentages on their side. On January 1, 1960, about 19% of all cattle on feed were in the 11 Western states--Texas included. Twelve years later the figure had risen to 27%. The growth of cattle feeding in the West is due primarily to the rise of a relatively few operations but each with a huge feeding capacity.

In the Midwest, for example, there are many feeders, but usually lot capacity is small in comparison to areas such as the High Plains. For example, in 1961, Texas had only 254 feedlots. But capacity of over 80% was 1,000 cattle or more. Not only that, but less than half the feedlots had 95% of the cattle. As a contrast, in Illinois, over 35,000 farms marketed fed cattle during the same period. But less than 1% turned over 500 head or more annually.

The question, says Hubbard, is why can't the Plains' feeder make money feeding small groups of cattle if the Corn Belt

feeder can?

The large feedlot operators in the Plains and other western areas attribute their growth directly to large-scale operations. Large capacity and effective, fully utilized, high-quality facilities are a basic and accepted fact of a successful large-scale feeding operation.

However, the big operator's real strength comes from knowledge of the cattle business and great bargaining power. They are big enough and smart enough to bargain effectively. This is something the typical small farm feeder usually cannot do. But in some areas small farm feeders have combined their efforts by livestock pooling--both buying and selling--to overcome the disadvantage of buying and marketing small groups of cattle.

Cost and return figures for the average farmer-feeder appear to weigh heavily in favor of the larger operators--at first glance.

Based on a nationwide average of 68 head fed by the "average" farmer-feeder between 1955 and 1960, costs per 100 pounds of beef cattle produced were \$19.16 for feed, \$4.52 for other capital, and \$1.77 for labor according to USDA estimates. This gives a total cost per hundred pounds gain of \$25.45. Returns, including credit for manure, averaged \$24.29, leaving the farmer with a net deficit of

\$1.16 for every hundred pounds of beef cattle produced.

On the surface it seems a losing proposition for the small feeder. However, it's often a different story when the methods by which the smaller feeder operates are analyzed.

One of the biggest advantages the small farmer-feeder has is his versatility. Generally his capital invested in cattle and feeding facilities is small in contrast to amount of money the commercial feeder has tied up. If the price-cost squeeze loosens, the small feeder can get into the feeding business quickly--and vice versa. The large commercial feeding operator usually must feed cattle consistently to keep his overload costs paid.

Typically, the small opera-

tor buys his cattle in the fall and runs them for several weeks on grass stalks, wheat pasture, and other crops. Though such feed shows up in cost figures, the value would be lost in most cases were it not for the cattle feeding operation.

Later in the season, the farmer moves the cattle into an otherwise unused lot that was probably constructed at low cost. Once again, the lot shows up as an expense item, but without the cattle it would stand idle.

The labor farmer-feeders use during the winter feeding period is in the same category as the lot and pasture. How else could he sell his high quality labor year-round time from harvest to spring planting? Also, if the operation is looking

for a way to keep high-quality labor on the farm year-round, cattle feeding might serve to make this possible.

These same calculations hold true--in part--for other items such as land and equipment. The result is small-scale cattle feeding on many farms can mean a profit of \$4 up to \$9 per hundredweight gain if forages, lots, building, equipment, and labor are assumed to have no other productive use, according to USDA economists.

Despite the growth of the large scale feeding enterprise, the farmer feeding a small number of head is apt to remain in strong competitive position. Cattle feeding, Hubbard adds, might offer him a means to turn many of his resources into cash income.

Short Course On Swine Is Planned

A four-day swine short course will begin in Spearman March 9, it was announced this week by Spearman Vocational Agriculture teachers Jerry Jackson and David Laurie.

The course will be taught by Joe Tocquigny, a specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency.

The course will be held at 7 p.m. each evening. During the dates of the short course Tocquigny will be available to assist students with individual problems and provide on-the-farm instruction.

Persons interested in the course should write or contact High School Principal Frank Cockrell or Jackson or Laurie. An enrollment fee of \$2 will be charged.

Tocquigny says the course will be adjusted to the interests of the persons enrolled. He expects to cover such subjects as selecting and breeding, feeding and feeding requirements, management, disease and parasites, housing and equipment and marketing.

Blue Cross Meeting Held

Mr. Joe Bridges, Regional Director for Blue-Cross from Lubbock discussed the changes that are to be made in Blue-Cross Insurance effective April 1 at a meeting Feb. 10 in the Farm Bureau Meeting Room.

For Blue Cross members that didn't get to hear Mr. Bridges at that time due to the bad weather, he will speak at Pringle Feb. 27 at 7:30 p.m. to the Hutchinson County members. Hansford County members are invited to attend.

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County Agent's Report

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DATES TO REMEMBER

March 2-An irrigation management meeting will be held in Spearman.

March 16-is the day set for the Hansford County Fatstock Show. This has been changed from Friday, March 13. The show will be in Spearman.

CLUB PROGRAMS

I am scheduled to present a landscaping program to the five Home Demonstration Clubs during the next two weeks. Below is the club and date I am to meet with them.

Feb. 18-Town and Country; Feb. 20-Happy Homes, Feb. 24-Hansford Club; Feb. 27-Morse Home Demonstration Club; Feb. 28-Spearman Home Demonstration Club.

MUSTARD CUTS YIELDS

Recent studies at the Southwestern Great Plains Field Station indicate that a single tansy mustard plant per square foot in dryland wheat fields reduced yields by about 10 percent.

Agronomist A. F. Wiese and Assistant Economist J. S. Wehr-

ly of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station staff conducted the studies and developed a guide farmers can use to determine whether control of tansy mustard will be profitable. Tansy mustard is the most common weed over much of the Texas dryland wheat producing area.

It has been known for some time that the weed did not compete with wheat for moisture when controlled with 2, 4-D ester. The recent studies thus pinpointed the damage caused by the weed in dryland wheat.

The scientists suggest that farmers watch their wheat fields in February or March, count the weeds--on a square foot basis--and make an estimate of potential wheat yield. Then by taking the 10 percent damage for a single weed per square foot and varying it up or down depending on weeds counted and using an assumed value of \$1.75 per bushel for the potential yield and figuring the cost of applying a half-pound of chemical per acre at \$1.50 (custom rate), farmers can determine whether control of the

weed would be profitable, Wiese and Wehrly explain. The half-pound of 2, 4-D ester should be applied after the wheat is fully tillered but before vigorous spring growth begins usually between Feb. 15 and April 1, the scientists emphasize. With one weed per square foot and a potential yield of only 5 bushels of wheat an acre, control would not pay. But if the yield were 20 bush-

Kite Flying Precautions Should Be Observed

It might be said that in the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of kite-flying. This may also apply to some girls and older men. All this makes it appropriate to focus attention again on the basic rules of safe kite-flying.

"Electric power lines, television antennas, and busy highways are three of the biggest hazards to kite flyers," Charles Gilliam, local manager for Community Public Service Company, said in an appeal for caution directed to youngsters and parents alike.

"One of the most important rules," Gilliam declared, "is

never to fly kites where there is a possibility of their getting tangled in electric power lines."

Other "don'ts" include: don't use metallic cord or wire for kite string, don't use metal in frame of kite, don't pull on string or climb a power pole to loosen a kite snagged in electric wires, and don't fly a kite over television antennas.

To help publicize the safety rules that are so all-important to kite-flying, Community Public Service Company has provided safety rule posters for school bulletin boards.

an acre. On fields with a potential yield of 20 bushels an acre and a weed population of 4 per square foot, control would increase profit by \$12.50 per acre. The scientists conclude that if a farmer does his own spraying, the cost could be considerably less than \$1.50. It also would be profitable to treat fields with lower potential yields or weed numbers than when higher spray costs are required.

With one weed per square foot and a potential yield of only 5 bushels of wheat an acre, control would not pay. But if the yield were 20 bush-

els, the profit would be \$2.00

New Terracing Plan Being Introduced Here

New terracing techniques are being introduced to farmers in the Texas Panhandle. Many farmers who need to terrace their land because of erosion or water loss will be interested in some new terrace layout and construction methods offered by technicians of the Soil Conservation Service.

A system of terraces run parallel to other is fast gaining popularity among farmers who have seen them in operation. While these parallel terraces are fairly new to the Texas Panhandle they have been thoroughly tried and proven in other parts of the state.

Parallel terraces have many advantages. For one thing, they eliminate point rows. This is a big advantage to High Plains farmers who use 6 and 9-row equipment. Crop Damage is greatly minimized when all turning is done on turn rows at the end of the field. Another big advantage is that it facilitates supplemental irrigation between terraces. When all rows run the entire length of the irrigation run, furrow irrigation can be accomplished by laying gated pipe along the ends of the terraces. Each row can then be expected to carry the furrow stream all the way through.

In general, when parallel terraces are installed, a waterway must be provided in all significant depressions across the slope. This provides for excess water disposal at points where water would normally collect and break across the rows. In some cases farmers have gone to the expense of eliminating some minor depressions by filling them in before the terraces are laid out. In more extreme cases they have even gone so far as to level land between parallel terraces. Often this expense is well justified. Leveling between terraces on land with 0.5

to 2.0 percent slopes greatly improves moisture distribution and penetration. More timely tillage practices are possible and crop growth is more uniform as a result of uniform field drying.

Where leveling is too expensive, some improvement in moisture distribution can be made by constructing terraces from the lower side. In this case the fill material for the terraces should be taken from a thin layer as much as one-third to one-half the distance downslope to the next terrace. This will give some leveling of slopes between terraces.

Not all fields can be terraced parallel. Some fields have slopes which break in several directions, or even have several isolated little knolls within the field. It can be readily seen that terraces could not be made parallel on these fields. Even so, there may be cases where a portion of the terraces could be made parallel, and the rest of the field terraced with conventional terraces.

Each field needing terraces will have to be individually evaluated as to its suitability for parallel terraces. For more information on parallel terracing, farmers can contact the local office of the Soil Conservation Service.

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Mrs. Collard Gives Card of Thanks Club Book Review

The book "Take My Hands" by Dorothy Clarke Wilson was reviewed by Dorcas Collard Monday night, Feb. 17 when the Book Club met in the C.J. Renner home.

Refreshments were served to Dorothy Faye Baggerly, Johanne Blodgett, Dorcas Collard, Pat Donnell, Helen Etter, Lois Gibner, Faye Lynch, Barbara McClellan, Verna Lee Schnell by the hostess.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends who were so kind and sympathetic during the illness and death of our loved one. A special thanks to Dr. Gregg and Dr. Gober and the nurses for their services, to those who sent cards, flowers and food, and to all those who sat with him.

May God richly bless you all! The family of John Wiles Burges

BOWLING BEAT

STRIKE OUT LEAGUE

TEAM	WON	LOST
Blodgett & Linn	13	3
Southwell	9	7
Sparks	7	9
B&B Sales	7	9
Swydens	7	9
Lee Oil	5	11

HIGH TEAM GAME

Blodgett & Linn	890
Blodgett & Linn	876
Southwell	857

HIGH TEAM SERIES

Blodgett & Linn	2577
Southwell	2503
Sparks	2421

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME

Doug Greer	224
Doug Greer	212
Dan Faries	206
Doug Greer	608
Ab Gamble	583
Dan Faries	576

SHARE CROPPER

2-17-64

TEAM

TEAM	WON	LOST
Riley Bros.	20	18
First State Bank	18	10
Gruver State Bank	15	13
Northern Natural	14	14
Heath Food	13	15
B&C Pump	10	18
Gregg Medic's	9	19

HIGH TEAM GAME

Riley Bros.	890
Gregg's Medics	871
Northern Natural	861

HIGH TEAM SERIES

Riley Bros.	2473
Frist State Bank	2467
Gruver State Bank	2435

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME

McQueen	231
Miller	218
Evans	214

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES

Tucker	587
Dear	582
Tucker	573

SCATTER PIN LEAGUE

2-13-64

TEAM

TEAM	WON	LOST
Equity	59	17
Floyd's Locker	51	25
Miller's	47	29
Anthony Electric	41	35
Swyden's	36	40
Bowl Mor	30	46
Burton's Radio & TV	26	50
West Cosden	14	62

HIGH TEAM GAME

Miller's	768
Equity	726
Anthony Electric	704

HIGH TEAM SERIES

Miller's	2110
Equity	2070
Anthony Electric	2048

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME

Darlene Pierce	210
Jane Meek	187
Jane Meek	182

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES

Jane Meek	531
Helen Dry	482
Darlene Pierce	473

THE WAY I SEE IT

Robert Cordes, Pastor
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It is a well known fact that people can see things happen and come away without being able to describe what they saw. Either they were not watching closely or they failed to "take in" what they saw. Sometimes there is so much taking place that all of life's activities is jumbled together and the worthy things become lost among the little, unimportant things.

So that the sufferings of Jesus may come to us with meaning, and the joys of what the Lord has done with our sins shall lift our souls, churches observe Lent. Lent is not a period of "giving up" something or denying yourself some favorite thing. Rather Lent is a period of self examination. We examine our own lives in light of

God's Word. Then we examine what God has done in His Son Jesus. Thus when we arrive at the great church festival Easter, our hearts literally burst with joy even as Christ burst the bonds of death.

In this busy life, O God, spare us from the folly of giving scant attention to matters of the soul. In this day we are often not impressed by great events. So Lent is a time when we ask God to rescue us from indifference to the great drama of salvation prepared by God's Son being sent into this planet.

I Corinthians 1:17 reads: "...lest the cross of Christ be emptied of its power." Make us care about the matters of life and death, O God. Keep ever before us the power of the cross---the Savior that used it as His sacrificial altar---that we may "take in" the substitutionary death offered for creatures such as us.

May Lent help you be drawn closer to Christ... "lest the cross of Christ be emptied of its power."

Mrs. Cummings Is Hostess

Mrs. Gordon Cummings was hostess to the Happy Homes HD Club Feb. 13.

Louise Mullins presided at the business meeting. Roll call was answered by "The first thing I notice about a person." The devotional was given by Rose Cummings.

The new cookbook chairman will be Margaret Evans.

The program on "Self-Improvement" was given by Patty Sheppard.

The mystery box was won by Dorothy Groves and the auction box was bought by Rose Cummings.

Attending were a guest, Alice Turnbull and members, Margaret Adamson, Rose Cummings, Margaret Evans, Dorothy Groves, Maylynn Schubert, Louise Mullins, Patty Sheppard, Vaye West and the hostess, Nell Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore of Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Doyle of Gruver have been to Red River skiing.

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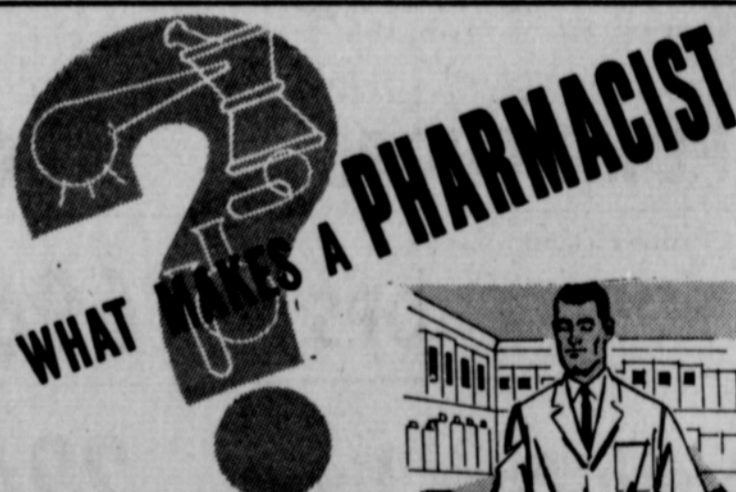


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Lawmakers' Report

The income tax cut, hungry cattle and unworkable farm programs were the subjects discussed this week by this area's Washington lawmakers in their weekly newsletters.

Senator Ralph Yarborough says the income tax cut will mean \$407 million a year in income for Texans when it becomes fully effective. This does not include the corporation tax reduction.

The Senator said taxes are high in this country from the expenses of World War II, the Korean Conflict and the Cold War which are still upon us. But the taxpayer needs a break after supporting the Free World for decades.

The bill will go into effect over a two-year period, two

thirds this year and the remaining one third in 1965. There are some 1,500,000 persons with very low incomes now paying some kind of income tax to the federal government who will go off the tax roles altogether.

A couple with two children who earn \$3,000 per year have been paying \$60 in income tax. They will owe nothing. The same couple with no children will have their tax reduced from \$300 to \$200 per year. A single person with an income of \$5,000 a year now averages \$819 in tax a year, the cut will save him \$147 per year.

Yarborough says the bill has loopholes and gimmicks, but if the lawmakers had waited for a perfect bill, there would have been no hope for a tax cut this

County Receives TB Free Title

Dr. R. G. Garrett, Executive Director of the Texas Animal Health Commission, announces the reaccreditation of Hansford County as a Modified Accredited Tuberculosis Area.

County Agent, Mr. Robert D. Adamson, has received the certificate which is good for six years.

This commission wishes to express its appreciation to the people of Hansford County for the splendid cooperation extended to its representatives while work was being conducted in Hansford County; and requests the further cooperation of the citizens of the area to maintain the tuberculosis status of the county.

year.

Representative Walter Rogers reports that he worked closely with the Texas National Guard, the Army and Air Force Reserve in arranging the hay drops to feed the cattle in the Panhandle during the snowstorm.

Rogers says the Army and National Guard, along with the Air Reserve are eager to help in such projects and understand the seriousness of the situation.

Congressman Rogers credits the hay drops with helping keep livestock losses far below the figures of 1957.

Senator John Tower, Texas' Republican Senator, doubts the workability of President Johnson's farm program as outlined in his recent message to Congress.

Sen. Tower says the President recommends that Congress amend the agricultural law to:

Raise the income of wheat farmers; avoid increases in the cost of the wheat program, keep the price of wheat at a level that will not increase the price of bread and enable the United States to discharge its responsibilities and realize the benefits of the International Wheat Agreement.

Sen. Tower says it would "require a magician to accomplish all this, in the order given, without resorting to regimentation on one hand or a move to-

ward more freedom for the farmers on the other."

The opposition senator says the past history of the Administration indicates it is not in favor of more freedom for the farmer.

Sen. Tower says he will support some of the overall farm legislation and oppose other parts. He did say he would support the removal of marketing restrictions from the sale of domestically produced sugar beets during 1964.

He will also support "any program designed to allow more freedom for our farmers and ranchers."

Blue and Gold Banquet Monday

The annual Blue and Gold Banquet for Cub Scouts of Pack 78 will be held Monday night, Feb. 24 in the grade school cafeteria. The banquet is for Cub Scouts and their parents. Robert Adamson will provide the entertainment for the evening with a puppet show.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sloan were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mrs. Turner Is Guild Hostess

Mrs. Ned Turner was hostess to the Arts and Craft Guild Feb. 14 in her home.

Enjoying an afternoon of china painting were one guest Mrs. W. B. Seitz and members, Mmes. F. J. Daily, Pope Gibner, C. A. Gibner, F. J. Hoskins, P. A. Lyon, Nolan Holt, Freeman Barkley and the hostess.

The next meeting will be Friday, Feb. 21 in the home of Mrs. Kiff White.



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TERMS: CASH

Each tract will be sold separately. Sealed bids are to be submitted prior to sale time to Linn & Helms, Box 38, Spearman, Texas, along with a cashier's check for 5% of the bid, payable to Linn & Helms, escrow agent. After all bids are opened, bidders may orally raise their bids. The highest bidder, if accepted, will enter into a contract of sale and place 10% of the selling price in escrow. Sellers may reserve the right to reject any and all bids. For additional information call 659-2568, Spearman, Texas, or

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Apostolic Faith Church
Mrs. E. A. Greever, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
Thursday Fast and Prayer Service
9:30 3:00

Assembly of God Church
Rev. Vance Barker, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p. m.

Church of Christ
Charles Milner, Minister
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship 11:00 a. m.
Worship 7:00 p. m.
Wed. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a. m.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p. m.

Fellowship Baptist Church
W. S. Herring, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Sunday Evening Service 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Evening Service 7:30 p. m.

First Christian Church
Rev. W. Graham Pugh, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Youth Meetings 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Choir Practice 7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church
Rev. Luther M. Berry, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a. m.
Training Union 5:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p. m.
Wed. Evening Prayer Hour 7:30
Wed. Choir Rehearsal 8:45 p. m.

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Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Women's Society of Christian Service
Wednesday 3:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p. m.

First United Presbyterian Church
Everett H. Cain, Jr., Pastor
11th and Cotter Drive
Sunday Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Study Group 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Choir Practice 7:30 p. m.

Pentecostal Church
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
5th & Hazelwood

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
Rev. Fr. Fred Hyland
Sundays 10:00 a. m.
Catechism Classes 11:00 a. m.
Week Days
Mon., Tues., Fri., Sat. 8:00 a. m.
Holy Days of Obligation 7:30 a. m.
First Friday of Month 7:00 a. m.

Spearman Lutheran Mission
Farm Bureau Bldg., -Spearman
Robert Cordes, Pastor
Worship Services 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.

Union Full Gospel Church
Rev. George R. Bollinger, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
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Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p. m.



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4-H News

The Happy Hearts 4-H Club met with the Jolly 4-H'ers and 4-H Pals clubs in the HD Clubroom Feb. 11. The meeting was called to order by vice president-Susan Holt. The ritual and prayer was led by Rebecca Hutchison. Janice Trindle gave the report of the last council meeting. The program was given by Robert Adamson with a very interesting and informative talk on electricity and where it comes from. Girls attending were Arbeta Tackitt, Susan Holt, Janice Trindle, Judy Womble, Cathy

Mackie, Rebecca Hutchison, Connie Trindle, Bonnie Vernon, and leaders, Mmes. Dwight Hutchison and John Trindle, and Robert Adamson.

Wesley Garnett entered Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo last Wednesday for a checkup and was released on Friday.

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School Menus

- MONDAY, FEB. 24
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 French Fried Potatoes
 Sliced Tomato, Pickles
 Peach Halves
 Brownie Bars
 Milk
- TUESDAY, FEB. 25
 Fried Chicken
 Mashed Potatoes
 Seasoned Green Beans
 Cranberry Salad
 Ice Cream Bars
 Bread
 Milk
- WEDNESDAY, FEB. 26
 Chili Burger or
 Pimento Cheese Sandwich
 Vegetable Soup
 Dill Pickle Spear
 Fruit Cup
 Cinnamon Rolls
 Milk
- THURSDAY, FEB. 27
 Barbequed Wieners
 Sauce-Buns
 Buttered Corn
 Mandarin Orange Jello
 Oatmeal Cake
 Milk
- FRIDAY, FEB. 28
 Hamburger, Buttered Bun
 Mustard or Tuna Salad
 Sandwich
 French Fried
 Sliced tomato, onion, pickles
 Spicy Apricot Cobbler
 Milk
- SATURDAY, FEB. 29
 Tamales
 Baked Beans
 Combination Green Salad
 Peach Halves
 Hot Rolls
 Honey-Butter
 Butter
 Milk

Day of Prayer Observed Here

Approximately 38 women and 7 children met at the First Christian Church, Feb. 14 for a World Day of Prayer Service. Women of various denominations in Spearman met to join in prayer with people throughout the world. The theme of the service was "Let Us Pray." After the service the First Christian Church served refreshments in Fellowship Hall. The Presbyterian Church will host the 1965 World Day of Prayer.

Mrs. Deck Is HD Hostess

The Spearman Home Demonstration Club met Feb. 13 in the B.J. Garnett home with Lula Deck as hostess. In the absence of the president and vice-president, Mrs. B.J. Garnett presided at the business session. The club will sponsor the next "Time for Fun Club" at the clubroom Feb. 24. Each club member is to turn in 3 recipes for the cookbook to Mrs. Frank Davis. Mrs. B.J. Garnett gave the program "Self Improvement". Attending were Mmes. Richard Shedeck, Claude Jackson, Carl Hughes, Richard Reinund, B.J. Garnett and the hostess.

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Potatoes 10 lb. bag 49¢

Tender crisp cello pkg.
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Cinch Layer
Cake Mix 2 for 35¢

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Gainesburgers 43¢

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Mrs. Mary Gillispie returned home with her son Ben of Arnett, Okla., Monday to spend a few days.

Royal Service Program Held

A Royal Service Program was held Feb. 12 at the First Baptist Church by the W. M. U.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" directed by Marie Berry. The business meeting was conducted by Wren Holt. Minutes were read by Mrs. Alma Bradford and the treasurers report was given by Dorothy Woolley. The prayer calendar was read by Edrie Jones followed with prayer by Marie Berry.

The standing chairmen gave their various reports.

The program "The Chaplain and His Work" was presented by Betty Thomas assisted by Barbara Howe, Betty Fancher, Mary Ruth Connelly and Peggy Archer.

My Neighbors



The closing prayer was led by Wren Holt.

Attending were Mmes. Wren Holt, Frances Kilgore, Peggy Archer, Betty Fancher, Mary Ruth Connelly, Marie Berry, Edrie Jones, Betty Thomas, Hazel Loftin, Eva Adkison, Alma Bradford, Lila Williamson, Addie Novak, Dorothy Woolley, Barbara Howe, Pat Denham and Mrs. Bill Marler.

THE MORSE CODE

TRAP SHOOT

Morse Lions Club will sponsor a trap shoot Sunday, Feb. 23 at Morse. Practice rounds will begin at 1 p. m. with the shoot scheduled for 2 p. m. Prices will be \$2.00 per man per round with ammunition furnished.

Prizes awarded will be 10 or 12 pound turkeys, 5 pound canned hams or 8 pounds sliced bacon.

Everyone is invited to participate.

JUNIOR LEADERS 4-H CLUB

Morse Junior Leaders 4-H club met Wednesday in the school auditorium. Philip Fleming led the opening ritual and Patricia Henderson conducted the business session.

The program was presented by Deryl Renfro of the North Plains Water Conservation district. He spoke on "How Plentiful is our Underground Water Supply?"

County agent Robert Adamson announced the county eliminations will be April 4 at Spearman with the district contests slated for April 25 in Canyon.

DISTRICT TOURNEY

The high school teams traveled to Follett four nights last week to participate in the District I-B tournament. The Morse girls won their last game of the tournament as well as the season by defeating Higgins 50-45.

The junior high will have games here on Thursday and Friday nights. Bivins will play here Thursday and Plemons on Friday. Both games are scheduled for 6:30 p. m.

TEACHERS ATTEND

Almost all of the teachers in the Morse school system are attending an in service training class for the new math courses that are scheduled to be taught next year. Classes are held each Monday at Stinnett and will run for 10 weeks.

Women Invited To Give Recipes

The Hansford County Home Demonstration Council is inviting each and every housewife in the county to help them compile a County-Wide Cook Book.

Print or type your recipes and send them in as soon as possible. The deadline is March 15. Contact a member of the Home Demonstrations Clubs or send them to: County Home Demonstration Agent, N. W. Court, Spearman.

HOLT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jenkins of Lubbock were weekend guests of the Phil Jenkins and Mrs. Bertha Jenkins.

Messrs. and Mmes. Ben Stewart of Stinnett and Richard Gaines visited Monday with Bob Gaines in the hospital at LaVerne, Okla.

Mrs. Maude Rosson was given a surprise birthday party Sunday afternoon Feb. 9 in her home. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Owen Pendergraft, Richard Gaines, Glenda and Peggy, B. C. Holt, Bertha Jenkins, Raymond Kirk, Phil Jenkins and Kathy, Wesley Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reger and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kirk.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reger were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison and Jamie of Stinnett.

A birthday party was given Mrs. Annie Harris at Morse Sunday afternoon, Feb. 16. Gifts were received by the honoree and refreshments were served to Mmes. Maye Board, Vera Anderson, Lorene Williams of Morse, Bertha Jenkins, Berda Holt, Olive Pendergraft and Maude Rosson.

Hazel Holt of Sharon, Kans. was given a bridal shower Sat. Feb. 15 in the Hospitality Room of the First State Bank in Spearman.

Mmes. Don Chisum of Stinnett, Ira Harbour, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson and Doyle Jackson visited over the weekend with Lynn Leverton, who is in the North Plains Hospital in Borger.

Doyle Jackson sprained his ankle Sunday morning while feeding cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Thane McCloy and Allen McCloy went to Oklahoma City Monday. They plan to return Tuesday or Wednesday.

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