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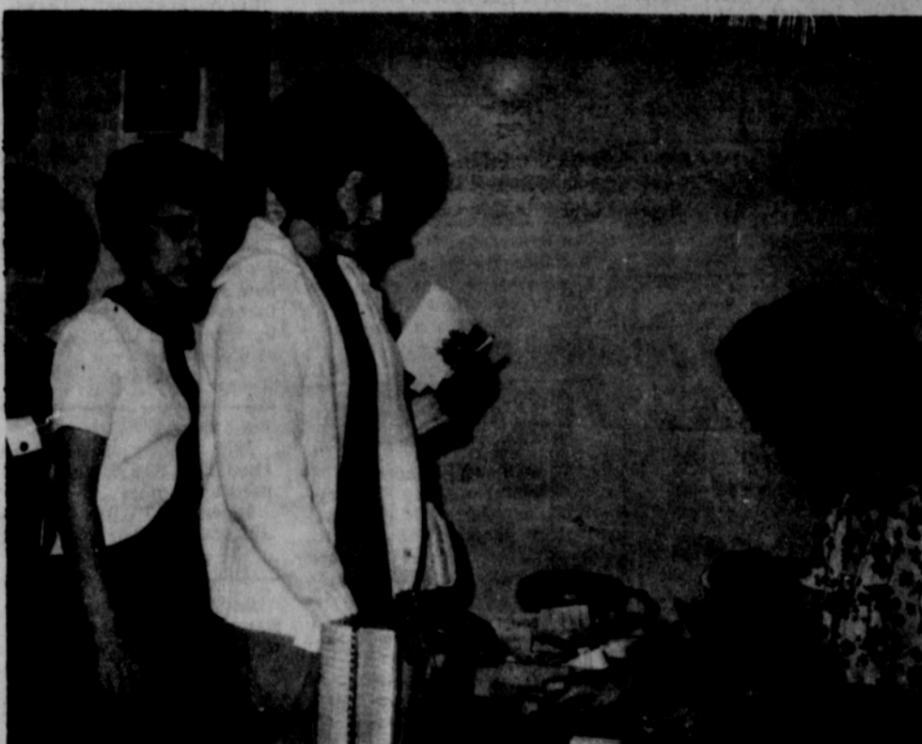
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**BEGINNING** -- Kelli Simpson began her 12 years of public school education as her mother, Mrs. Allen Simpson, enrolled her in the first grade Thursday morning. Classes begin Monday.  
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**FINISHING** -- The senior ring being purchased by Barbara Kitchens marks one of the high points in the senior for those in their last year of school. Peggy Devers handled the ring sale. Seniors registered and got their rings Thursday morning.  
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## Blodgett Will Act As Field Day Host

A Spearman man is a member of the High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway and will act as one of the host for the tenth annual field day at the agriculture research center on Sept. 8.

Ralph Blodgett of Spearman is the board member and will be on hand to show guests the seed processing laboratory at the station west of Plainview.

Other North Plains directors who will be hosts at the laboratory are Arthur Corse of Sunray, Cone Donelson of Stratford, Asa Willis of Texline.

Orville Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture will be the principal speaker for the field day and will speak at 5 p.m.

## Bowlers To Meet Here Thursday

Hansford County Men's Bowling Association will hold a meeting Thursday, Sept. 1 at 8 p.m. at Bowl Mor Lanes. All persons interested in bowling should attend.

## McClellans and Cudds Attend Convention

Two Spearman implement dealers attended the National Farm Power Equipment Dealers Association convention in Washington, D. C. recently.

Roy McClellan of R.L. McClellan & Sons and Gene Cudd of Hansford Implement attended the convention.

McClellan is a director of the Tri-State association.

The dealers took their families and were gone about 10 days, vacationing, on the way there and back.

## Regular Classes Start Monday; Faculty Includes 67 Teachers

Spearman schools begin classes Monday morning at 8:35 with 67 certified teachers on the teaching and administrative staff of the school.

There are 63 certified teachers and four administrators who hold teaching and administrative certificates.

Dr. Bill Reeves, Superintendent said the faculty this year has 21 new teachers and one new administrator. Reeves said this was an unusually large turnover for a faculty the size of the Spearman schools.

The new administrator is Kenneth McKay, High School Principal.

New teachers include Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Barkowsky,

Kitty Bowers, Frank Butcher, Jackie Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hawkins, Nancy Herndon, Edward Howk, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry King, James Allen, Vivian Morse, Lena Niven, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Orr, Joy Ralls, Allen Simpson, Minnie Weaver, George Wright and Margaret Ruttman.

Administrators returning are Elementary Principal Allen Alford and Junior High Principal James Pendergraft.

Faculty members returning are Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Allen, Larry Anthony, Louise Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Benton, Kay Bussard, Wilma Clark, Eddy Clemmons, Perry Coursey, Doris Crum, Dee Deere, Ma-

thilde Entrekin, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Felder, Eula Goodall, John Hickey, Frances Hudson, Lois Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Laws, Mr. and Mrs. Blant McGee, Nellie Payne, Edwin Pearcey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter, Mikie Richeson, Dickie Robinson, Dorothy Roden, Terry Schneider, Elva Lee Sheets, Walter W. Smith, Worley Smith, Charlie Theis, Thelma Vaughn, Sam Watson, Dean Weese, Fern West and Ruth Whitson.

## Farmer Found Dead in Car Near Cemetery

A Farnsworth man, Charles A. Thompson, 62, was found dead in his car Thursday morning on a road near the Gruver cemetery.

Sheriff's officers said the car had stopped and did not wreck. The cause of death was given as a heart attack.

Mr. Thompson was born in Hobart, Okla., but had been a farmer around Farnsworth for many years.

He is survived by his wife, Verlie; daughters, Mrs. Laura Uban of Midland, Mrs. Shirley Havlik of Amarillo, Mrs. Margaret Mercer of Perryton and Mrs. Ruby Burger of Spearman; sons, Charles of Klamath Falls, Ore., and Ralph of Ashland, Ore., a foster son, Glen Fredrickson, in the Army in Italy; a brother, John of Amarillo; sisters Mrs. Bertha Wilform and Mrs. Bessie McDivett of Amarillo and Mrs. Artie Taylor and Mrs. Ethel Fuchs of Pritch, and 13 grandchildren.

## Collard Is Recuperating From Crash Injuries

John R. Collard Jr., has been transferred from the Borger hospital to Hansford Hospital for treatment of injuries received in a plane crash north of Borger.

It is reported that Collard has a crushed vertebrae and a broken right hand.

Collard and his wife were in the single-engine Tri-Pacer Tuesday night attempting to make an instrument landing at the Borger airport when the accident happened.

He told relatives that he was making a long descent into the airport when suddenly he was on the ground. He said the plane actually taxied on the ground a short way before flipping over.

Mr. and Mrs. Collard had time to brace themselves be-

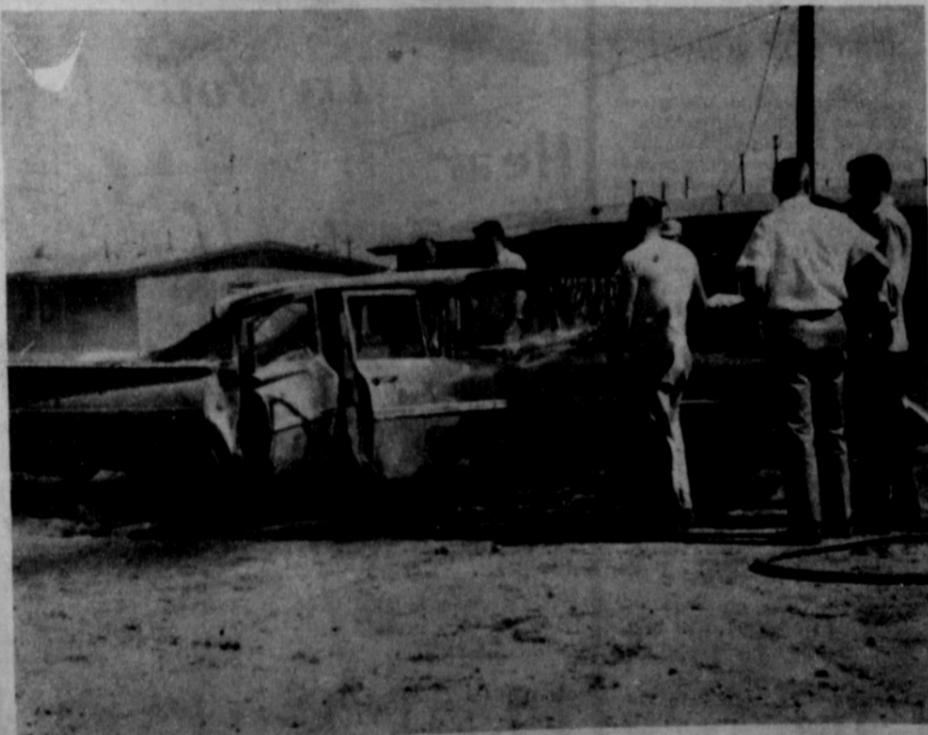
fore the plane flipped over.

Mrs. Collard was only bruised and shaken up. She was released from the hospital early Wednesday morning.

They stayed with the plane from 11:30 p.m., Tuesday until daylight Wednesday. They they walked about a mile where an oil field worker picked them up and took them to the hospital.

The couple had been to the Wyoming Masonic Grand Lodge in Rock Springs, Wyo. They had filed a flight plan for Spearman at Akron, Colo., but bad weather forced them to try for the Borger airport.

Since he had not closed the flight plan, a search was being organized Wednesday morning when they reported to the hospital.



**FIRE** -- Spearman firemen extinguished the flames in a 59 model car at the J.L. Pierce home on South Brandt Friday afternoon. The interior of the car was gutted by the blaze. The car was owned by Cecil Wright.  
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Pen pals will love to receive letters that have been written on Hallmark stationery from the Hansford Plainsman.

# Kerbel Says Szymakowskis Has All-Americans Potential

Dave Szymakowskis is an artist and perhaps nobody appreciates his talents more than Joe Kerbel, head football coach here at West Texas University.

Last season the Junior art major painted Kerbel a picture he hopes to see many times in 1966.

The picture has Szymakowski leaping high to snare a Hank Washington pass, then threading his way between defenders to add six points to the Buffaloes' score.

"He has All-American potential," says Kerbel flatly. "His speed and ability to get open make him extremely hard to cover. David is a dedicated athlete and I expect him to continue to improve."

It wasn't until the last game of the season, against Texas Western, that Szymakowski made his starting debut.

When the final gun sounded,

Szymakowski had set two new school records for passes caught (8) and yards gained on passes (183). He also sewed up the split end assignment for 1966.

This season Kerbel believes he could better both these highs plus set many more.

Ken McCullough, Buffalo assistant coach, shares Kerbel's high regard for the talented Pennsylvanian:

"He's the best receiver I've ever seen," says McCullough. "Dave's got great hands and good speed, but what impresses me most about him is his desire to improve. If he keeps this attitude there's no limit to his potential."

Complementing Szymakowski's deep scoring threat will be talented two-year letterman Ted Wheeler and Mike Bailey, a promising Junior flanker.

"Wheeler will line up at right end in our pro split-T offense," says Kerbel. "This is his last season with the Buffaloes and he keeps telling me he's going to make it his finest."

Should Wheeler's forecast hold true he'll become the most prolific pass receiver in West Texas State's history. He needs just 14 receptions to break Jerry Richardson's four year mark of 54.

"If Ted plays this Fall like he did in Spring training he shouldn't have any trouble setting a new record," beams Kerbel. "He really came into his own. He's also a fine blocker."

Rounding out a receiving corps Kerbel calls "The strongest overall that we've seen at West Texas State," is Mike Bailey, a transfer from North Texas State.

Tall (6-3) and rangy, the Junior flanker caught 23 passes for 245 yards and three touchdowns as a North Texas State sophomore. Four of these catches, including a touchdown pass, came against West Texas in a 1964 cliff-hanger won by the Buffs, 21-13.

Returning to insure space-age excitement in 1966 is Hank Washington, a field general Kerbel ranks second to none.

Washington, the Buffaloes' Missileman, broke four season and three single game records in directing the Buffs to a 6-4 season in 1965. This year Kerbel feels the big (6-3 1/2 and 205 pound) quarterback could become an All-American.

His 1965 statistics support this prediction.

Last season Washington was the nation's 12th leading passer, hitting on 119 of 243 passes for 1,403 yards. He needs just 83 more completions and 1,023 yards to set West Texas career marks in those departments.

"We worked quite a bit on improving Washington's passing in Spring drills," says Kerbel. "Hank has no trouble hitting his targets, it's just that he fires such hard passes that our receivers have trouble catching them. He really smokes that thing."

With the tempering of Washington's mighty sword and the arrival of two precocious Sophomore running backs (Gene "Mercury" Morris and fullback Albie "Double-Oh" Owens) to go with 1965 returnees Ron-

nie Mankin, James Cowell, Tom Moody, and Brian Deady, the Buffaloes could fashion an awesome one-two punch.

Defensively the Buffs return nine starters from the stingy "Unfriendly Society" that set school records for fewest yards allowed rushing both for one game and season.

Kerbel's arsenal is well-stocked, the Missileman's ready to resume his assault on Buff passing records and the Unfriendly Society should continue to make life miserable on rival running backs and receivers.

This all points to an interesting 1966 season, a sky full of footballs and space-age excitement at its finest.

## Circle Meets in Loft'n Home

Mrs. A.F. Loftin was hostess Wednesday for the Alma Reed Circle of the WMU of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Luther Berry presided and the circle program was brought by Mrs. Fred Holt. The study is of major cults.

Present were Mmes. Ray Moore, Don Denham, Berry, Jim Fowler, Holt, Eddie Gates, and the hostess.

## Gift Shower Is Given for Miss Cris Lobo

Cris Lobo, exchange student from Brazil who is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. John Wilde and Barbara, was honored with a lingerie and gift certificate shower Thursday evening at the Farm Bureau building.

Hostesses for the courtesies were Mrs. D.E. Spoonemore, Linda Spoonemore and Mrs. Jack McWhirter.

Girls from all four classes in high school used the social hour for getting acquainted with Cris and making her welcome to Spearman.

Punch and cookies were served to the honoree, Sharon Mauldin, Nancy McCullough, D'Dee Collard, Sandra Schuffeldt, Melinda Pearson, Pat Massad, Margot and Kate Kilgore, Carla Archer, Terry Hudson, Barbara Wilde, and the hostesses Linda Spoonemore, Mrs. D.E. Spoonemore and Mrs. Jack McWhirter.

Cris received several gifts from girls who were unable to attend.

A medium orange usually yields 1 to 2 tablespoons of grated rind and about one-third cup of juice.

Children's socks will wear much longer if they are darned on the bias. Darning on the bias allows the darning to "give" during walking.

## Other Editors Say—

### ENDORSEMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE

Recently, this editor had opportunity to sit down and discuss certain vital issues with newly-nominated Dee Miller, seeking election to the office of U.S. Representative of the 18th Congressional District of Texas.

The conversation took place within a few days after the 30 county chairmen of the Democratic Executive Committee met and voted Mr. Miller as the nominee. As a result of this meeting, and further investigations into the character and integrity of Mr. Miller since that time, we are editorially endorsing Dee Miller's candidacy for Congress from the 18th District.

Mr. Miller presents the public image of being a clean-cut young American who has youth, ability, personality.

We were able to find an almost universal opinion among some of the more experienced attorneys around the area, that Dee Miller is capable, energetic, personable, and hard working.

Miller, working with his Campaign Chairman Attorney a lot of energy at his disposal to tackle whatever job he goes about. Although he hasn't been in politics long enough to establish political allies, he certainly has made many friends among former classmates who have voluntarily stepped forward to support him in his candidacy.

Mr. Miller, along with his twin brother, were star athletes at Borger High School not too many years ago. A law school graduate, he has held the District Attorney's post at Amarillo long enough to establish the image of a hard-working young prosecutor doing a capable job.

Jewett Huff, who has offices in the First National Bank Building in Amarillo, is planning an active schedule of campaigning which he hopes will carry him through each and every town in the 18th Congressional District. He has assured us that Hall County and Memphis will be among his stops.

Democratic Party elders feel that Dee Miller is the up-and-coming politically-moderate young man who deserves the solid support of Democratic voters at the polls in November.

What of the future? Should Hall County have a Democratic or a Republican in the House of Representatives replacing Congressman Walter Rogers? In losing Mr. Rogers, the Texas Panhandle is losing a lot of seniority. Ability is important but in Washington in the House of Representatives, seniority is also important.

If the Democrats can elect Dee Miller this November and he "has what it takes" to get elected again two years from now, although many realize no freshman congressman is going to set the world on fire his first two years, then the Panhandle of Texas could well look forward to establishing seniority in U.S. House of Representatives within a short time.

We hope Mr. Miller wins the election for we feel the party will be able to develop this young man into a valuable asset for his district, his state and his nation. We wish him luck, and we intend to give him the most effective support we can toward making a start on the job by voting for him at the polls in November.

—The Memphis Democrat

## Hansford

### Hospital News

Patients in the hospital this week are Ray Brown, Tressle Maize, Bill Miller, Johnnie Martin, Mercedes Rivas & son, Edith Sheets, John R. Collard, Jr., R.D. Stephenson, Sr., Ella McGuiney, Peggy Cook, Linda Torres, Elsie Mathews, Elwana Eaton, Ray Oliver.

Dismissed were Dr. R.D. Stephenson, Jr., Janice Ward, Barbara Campbell, Melva Seitz and daughter, Dorene Campsey and daughter, Byron Groves, Kathy Crawford, Michelle Scott, Arden Lewis, Wanda Estes, J.L. Hurter transferred to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

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## Sept. 18-24 Is Designated Highway Week

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The Governor called attention to the theme of Highway Week, "Better Highways Save Lives...Time...Money." He said the purpose of the observance was to remind the citizens of Texas of the value of highways today and the importance of even better highways in the future.

"One of our state's most impressive achievements is the 87,000-mile Texas highway system, a system second to none," Governor Connally said. He said history has shown that highways pump business, industry, tourism, jobs--and hence prosperity--into a community and, indeed, the whole state.

"The need for good--and better--highways will increase in future decades of unprecedented growth and economic development," he said, adding that "if we are to have a system to match that promise, we must plan now."

Governor Connally said future demands on Texas' outstanding highway system will be enormous.

"The task ahead is clear-cut. Destiny won't wait. We must meet the challenge of the future," he said.

In Texas, Highway Week is sponsored by the Texas Good Roads Association, a citizen movement dedicated to better highway transportation for all Texans.

The observance will be marked with luncheons, dinner meetings, and ribbon-cutting ceremonies to focus public attention on present and future highway needs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pipkin and Richard and Bryo, and Mrs. Swanson of Perryton went to Amarillo Thursday and met the Pipkin's daughter, Mrs. Larry Stokes, had dinner and went to Palo Duro Canyon to see "Texas".

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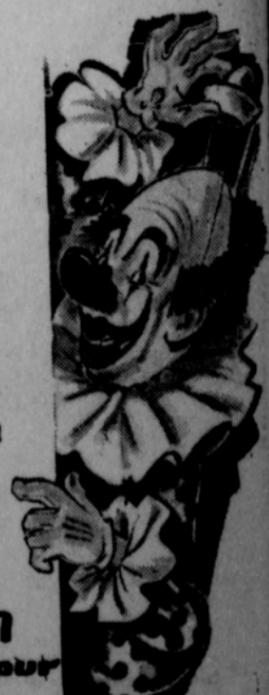
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**7-Buck Bill Is Invitation To Rodeo**

Officials of the Texas Department of Corrections have completed their investigation into what at first appeared to be a massive counterfeiting ring operating in the Walls Unit. They're producing \$7 bills in the print shop of the Department at Huntsville, and it's all legal. However, the money isn't the kind that can be used as cash. Instead, the bill is being used to promote the 35th Annual Texas Prison Rodeo.

Basically, the 7-Buck bill is a "Return Invitation Note" to The Prison Rodeo of Texas and is being distributed to persons who purchase tickets to the 1966 Prison Rodeo series held here each Sunday in October.

Since the Prison Rodeo's 7-Buck bill is larger in size than Uncle Sam's official paper money, it is doubtful that anyone will try to cash it.

On the other hand, the clever slogans appearing on the bill will make it an interesting conversation piece.

As an invitation to the "Wild-est Show in Texas," there are two important signatures on the front of the bill: "U. R. Welcome" and "Will U. Joinus."

Prison Rodeo officials say that anyone who wants a supply of these 7-Buck bills will find them available at each performance of the Rodeo.

**Mrs. Loftin Is**

**Class Hostess**

Mrs. A.F. Loftin was hostess for the Fidelis S.S. Class meeting Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Paul Conner, president, called the meeting to order and made plans for the new year beginning Oct. 1. A nominating committee was named for selecting new officers. A social hour followed.

The next meeting on Sept. 13 will be with Mrs. W. W. Smith.

Attending were Meses, Dot Jenkins, Mathilda Entekin, Smith, Conner, Loftin and Miss Altha Groves.

**Mrs. Garnett**

**Leads Study**

The Betty Morris Circle met Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. Abby Ownbey for mission study.

Mrs. Herb Howe presided and the opening prayer was given by Mrs. Bob Baley.

The study, "Panama, The Land Between" was brought by Mrs. Wesley Garnett.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Marshall Walker. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the hostesses to members, Meses, Arthur Adkison, Herb Howe, Wesley Garnett, Bob Baley and Marshall Walker.

**Mrs. Uptergrove**

**Is Hostess**

The Kezzia Mae Circle met with Mrs. R. L. Uptergrove. Mrs. G.R. Kilgore presided at the business and also gave the lesson on major cults.

Attending were Meses, Lena Stephenson, Resocoe Nelson, L.L. Anthony, Kilgore and the hostess.

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## Water Study Suggested By Candidate Bob Price

A suggestion that the Texas Water Development Board take the lead in the formation of an Interstate Water Compact Commission to study the long range water needs of the west and southwest was made Wednesday by Bob Price.

Price an 18th Congressional District candidate, made the suggestion at the Board's Canadian River Basin hearing in Amarillo.

"Since the Board has found it not feasible to transport water from East Texas to West Texas and Congress has refused to include this area in the Lower Colorado River Basin Project Study I believe the compact to be the most logical step," Price stated.

He pointed out the success the Interstate Oil Compact Commission has had as a voluntary, non-federal organiza-

tion in conserving the nation's petroleum supplies.

Price added: "The Board has expressed the need for 'active and vigorous leadership' in getting Congress to include West Texas in the Colorado River Project."

"If elected, I pledge my support to this action or to attempts to get the necessary Congressional approval for an interstate compact commission."

The Pampa rancher-businessman also urged immediate action on the Board's proposal that the 36,000 shallow depressions (playa lakes) in West Texas be modified to conserve and utilize rain water which falls in the area.

Price also urged further studies into the possibilities of recharging the underground water table either with water transported into the area or with local surface supplies.

## Juanita Kemper Is Hostess For Rho Rho

Juanita Kemper was hostess Thursday at the Home Demonstration club room for the second meeting of the season for Rho Rho Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

Judy Martin, vice-president, presided in the absence of the president, Linda Davis.

The program, "Definition of Happiness" was presented by Beth Fox, assisted by Kay Nollner.

Plans were made for a rummage sale September 10 in the old Jim Neely building.

Strawberry shortcake and spiced tea were served to Jeanette Allen, Toni Archer, Dodie Beedy, Beth Fox, Delores Guthrie, Glenda Guthrie, Ola Mae Henry, Judy Martin, Kay Nollner, Beverly Sparks, Verna Strawn, Lil Turner, Peggy West, Judy Wilmeth and the hostess, Juanita Kemper.

## Teachers Step Lively Just To Keep Up

In a news release this week, Dr. B.E. Reeves, Superintendent of Spearman Public Schools states that knowledge doubles every 15 years, and keeps teachers busy.

"What motivates teachers in their drive for heightened skills and greater understanding?"

"For one thing the sum total of human knowledge is doubling every 15 years. The teacher has to step lively just to keep up."

"Yesterday's curriculum in math, science, social studies, languages is old hat for today--and impossible for tomorrow."

So says Beatrice M. Gudridge, assistant director of information for the National Education Association.

"Then there is the increased mobility of the population. If a teacher is to be effective in his classroom he must under-

stand the variegated strands of culture and regional differences that make up America today."

"The typical middle-class teacher, for example, is simply not fitted, without special training to cope with the youngsters of an up-the-down staircase environment. New federal legislation is making this kind of training possible."

"Another reason teachers try so hard to fight off academic obsolescence is the nature of the child who sits in their classrooms."

"If he is a middle-class child, he has been exposed to books, television, magazines, films, and other learning experiences almost from the time his eyes began to focus. He knows more than any child entering school ever knew in previous times."

"And programs like 'Head Start' are giving underprivileged children some of the same early learning advantages."

"Teacher must jump to keep up with these five-and-six year olds, not to mention their savvy older brothers and sisters."

"But perhaps a major reason behind this overwhelming drive for more education is that teachers themselves are a young breed nowadays. Of the women teachers now in service, 30 percent are under 36 years of age. And a whopping 61 percent of the men teachers in service are under age 36."

"Thus a substantial per cent of the Nation's current teaching corps has 30 years of service ahead of it...and it is obvious these teachers are bent on making those 30 years a lifelong search for wisdom."

## Mrs. Jones & Mrs. Gibner Host W.S.C.S.

A general meeting of W.S.C.S. of the First dist Church met at the at 9:30 for the regular meeting with Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Pope Gibner, hostesses.

Mrs. Bert Sheppard, called the meeting to reports read and year were passed out for the year.

A most interesting program was brought by Miss Lynn Massad, telling of trip to the Holy Land, using slides to illustrate talk.

Present for the meeting Mmes. Jim McLain, Richard Baxter, P.A., Sr., Roy Jones, Pope C Ray Martin, H.M. She T.D. Sansing, R.E. L. Winfred Lewis, Burl Burt Sheppard and the hostess, Miss Massad.

Guests over the week Mrs. Mable Edward and Mrs. Roy Lester and daughter of Oklahoma, City Monday evening friends gathered for a backyard party. Enjoying hamburgers the Lesters, Mrs. Edw. Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Jen Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Gr of Amarillo, Waynon wards and family the B Weants of Gruver and Mrs. W.E. Sparks and Becky.

Mrs. Willie Mathis and daughters, Betty and Patricia and Mrs. Mary Mor Amarillo, Mrs. Morrison daughter, Rebecca, and grandmother, Mrs. Esthert have returned from weeks vacation in California. In Williams, Calif., were among the five guests at a gathering in the of the girls' great-grandmother, Mrs. A.W. Bull They also visited several relatives while in California.

## Miss Massad Tells of Trip To Holy Land

Mrs. Cecil Crawford was hostess for the Spearman Book Club when they met Tuesday evening in her home.

The program was brought by Miss Jennie Lynn Massad who gave a very interesting story of her trip last April, to the Holy Land. She used slides to further illustrate her talk.

A salad plate was served by the hostess to members, Mmes. R.E. Lee, C.A. Gibner, F.J. Hoskins, O.C. Holt, E.J. Copeland, Miss Vera Campbell, guest speaker, Jennie Lynn Massad and her mother, Mrs. Frank Massad.

Cy Ainsworth spend the first of the week in Oklahoma City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strawn returned this week from Bovina where they attended the Bull Town Day celebration. While there Mrs. Strawn and daughter Shelly were members of her sisters wedding party on August 23.

Mrs. R.H. Gray and her sister, Mrs. Clyde Lehenbauer of Berger returned Monday from a trip to Arkansas where they visited their mother, Mrs. H.R. McGurk at Cove.

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Emerging from an underwater tunnel at a speed of 38 feet per second, past startled passengers aboard the Caddo War Canoes, is Six Flags Over Texas' newest ride, the Run-A-Way Mine Train. Built at a cost of \$1,000,000, the exciting ride, which just opened, is situated in the Boom Town Section of the famed historical-theme park located midway between Dallas and Fort Worth.

**NEW \$1,000,000 RIDE PREMIERES AT SIX FLAGS**

Arlington, Texas: The most ambitious and expensive attraction ever built at Six Flags Over Texas, the Run-A-Way Mine Train, was unveiled at the famed historical theme park located midway between Dallas and Fort Worth.

Situated in the Boom Town Section of the 115-acre park, the ride, costing \$1,000,000, opened after more than a year of research, development and construction.

Covering about an acre of wooded grounds along the banks of Johnson Creek, which flows through Six Flags, "The Run-A-Way Mine Train" tracks extend in a twisting pattern for 2,484 ft.

A capsule version of the trip begins when passengers are taken for an excursion through the "Great Southwest Mining Company's" property in ore cars.

The cars are propelled through a series of lifts up to 35 feet

high by pulleys and gravity. The train, gathering speed, reacts as if it is out of control, reaching a maximum speed of 38 feet per second.

The train races across a bridge through open cuts, crossing over and under the tracks where the two narrow-gauge steam engines regularly travel. It passes through a hotel lobby, dives down a shaft into a 150-foot-long curving tunnel built underneath the water and emerges in the middle of the "Caddo River" domain of the Indian War Canoes. From there, the cars glide gently back to the depot.

Some interesting facts and figures are that a force of slightly under 2 G's is exerted as the train races through the curving 150-foot-long tunnel under the water; each train consists of five ore cars capable of carrying six passengers each or 30 passengers per train. Construction of

the ride involved 2,000 yards of poured concrete, 165,000 feet of reinforced steel, 35,000 feet of electrical wire and conduit, 350 telephone poles for supports and piling, 110,000 square feet of redwood, cedar and pine lumber. Some 443 electrical connections are contained in the console to operate the ride. The loading depot contains 30 tons of air conditioning for the comfort of passengers waiting to board the train. About 150 kw's (150,000 watts) of electrical power per hour are consumed by the ride (equivalent to the amount of power used in one hour by 30 three-bedroom homes).

Six Flags' operating schedule for the remainder of the 1966 season is that the Park will be open seven days a week through September 5; thereafter, until closing on November 27, the Park will be open on Saturdays and Sundays only.

**Lynx and Guymon Tigers Battle on Even Terms**

Spearman's larger Lynx found the Guymon Tigers to be even larger here Saturday morning, but battled them on about even terms.

Guymon pushed across three from the 10 yard line and Guymon pushed over two in the same situation.

It was a very controlled scrimmage with the coaches working closely with both teams.

After it was over Lynx boss Coach George Wright said he

was "pretty well pleased with the defense, but the offense was not able to move the ball as well as he liked."

However, the coach said the boys hit well and had good spirit.

Three starters were missing from the contest for the Lynx. Bobby Smith, defensive left corner and offensive halfback was on the sidelines along with fullback and linebacker Jerry Holton and defensive end Joe Vanderburg.

Wright said his passers were still not finding their receivers too good. He said there were receivers in the open several times that the passers failed to find.

At times the Lynx line could not keep the larger Tigers off of Sheldknight and he was having to rush his throws.

**City Spraying For Mosquitoes Following Rains**

With the advent of the rainy season and a new crop of mosquitoes, city spraying machines have gone into action to keep the insects under control.

City Manager Darce Foshee said the city spray trucks were at work Tuesday, then again Friday. Foshee said he had the crew also working Friday.

We are going to stay after the mosquitoes as long as necessary to keep them under control.

He said he knew of no cases of encephalitis in the area, but since the rains have produced so many breeding places for mosquitoes, the city will continue to spray.

**Country Home Scene of HD Club Meeting**

The Happy Homes H.D. Club met on Thursday in the country home of Mrs. Vaye West.

Rose Cummings called the meeting to order and the devotional was brought by Margaret Evans. Council report was given by Adalyn Barnes. Rummage sale is to be held at the Russell building on Main street on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 16-17.

The program "a report from the National H.D. Convention was given by Dorothy Groves.

Present were Cummings, Evans, Groves, Barnes, Wanda Scubert, Maylynn Schubert, Rita Reed and the hostess Vaye West.

**'Neat' Burglar Takes \$1,000 from Gruver Firm**

A very neat burglar entered Gruver Lumber Company in Gruver Thursday night and took approximately \$1,000 in cash and checks from the firm.

Sheriff J.B. Cooke said the money and checks were hidden in the firm. Sheriff Co-

oke said the burglar seemed to know where to find the money.

Cooke said the burglar took the moulding from a window and set the glass on the ground beside the window before entering the building.

**Mrs. R.E. Lee Hosts Club**

Mrs. R.E. Lee was hostess for the first meeting of the

Bid-a-Bit bridge club on Thursday evening with a dinner in her home.

Hi score was held by Gwenfred Lackey and second high by Mrs. Lee.

Attending were Mmes. Win-

fred Lewis, Omar Cotter, Bill Russell, Vi Whitson, Leonard Jameson, Gwenfred Lackey, one guest Mrs. Preston Scott and the hostess Mrs. Lee.

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