

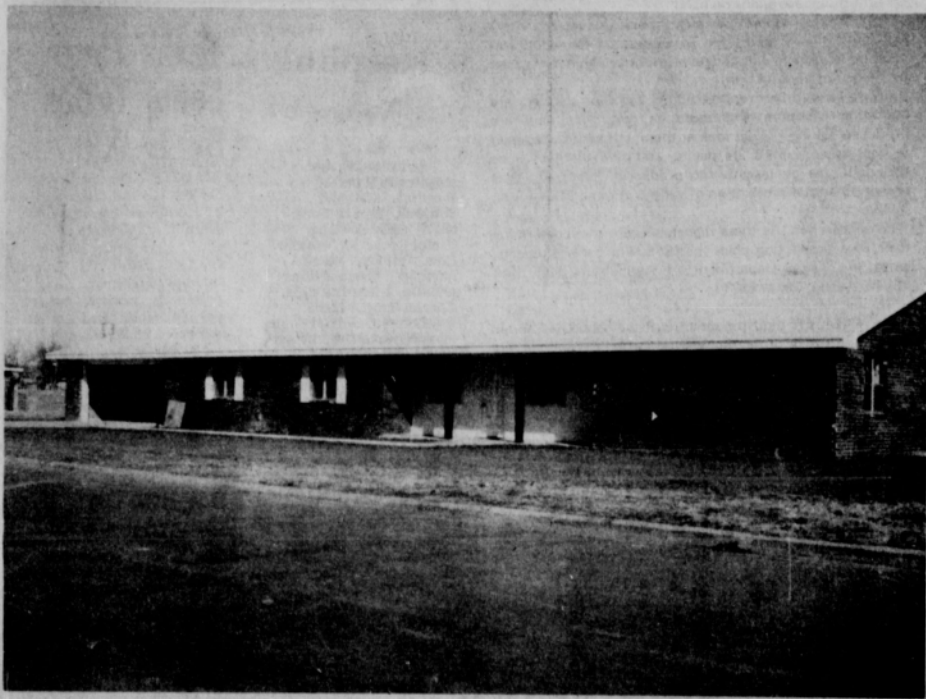
# The Hansford Plainsman

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## Open House and Dedication of Children's Home Set



Open house and dedication of the new Spearman Children's Home has been scheduled for Sunday afternoon, February 2. Cecil Burch of the High Plains Children's Home in Amarillo, along with other dignitaries, will be present for the occasion.

These activities will mark the culmination of a project of the local Church of Christ. They have built this beautiful new home at a cost of \$86,000.00 which includes carpet and applian-

ces. The home is a 6 bedroom home, has 3 bathrooms, living room, spacious den, kitchen with dining area, utility room, pantry, basement, 2 car garage with storage space in the garage.

Lowell Brooks of Amarillo is the builder of the new facility. Work was begun on the building about six months ago with a completion date set for January 1. The bad weather earlier in the month caused some delay but the houseparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Biles and

family moved in over the weekend.

Ladies of the church were busy last week making curtains and draperies for the home.

Bill Osborne, who will be the pastor at the local church, will also be here for the dedication and will fill the pulpit Sunday morning, February 2 for the first time. He was pastor of the local church until two years ago when he moved to Guyton.

A spokesman for the church said that they would have children in the home shortly after

the open house. They will be able to house eight children along with the Biles family at the home.

Mrs. R. B. Archer and her sons, Dan of Perryton and Carl of Spearman, donated the land for the home which is located in the 400 block of S. Archer.

Everyone is invited to attend the open house and dedication and view this beautiful facility that the members of the Church of Christ have built here in Spearman.

## Portion Of County Under Scabies Quarantine

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, on Wednesday (Jan. 22), lifted the quarantine for psoroptic cattle scabies from portions of El Paso county, Tex., and imposed quarantines for the same disease on portions of Childress, Swisher and Hansford counties.

Portions of El Paso county had been under quarantine since Dec. 4, 1974, when a scabies infestation was discovered among 6,000 head of cattle at the Biles & Ellis Feedlot near Fabens, Tex. Officials of USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) said the infection has been eliminated and the quarantine is no longer needed.

APHIS officials said quarantines were imposed in the other three Texas counties when scabies infestations were discovered among 300 head of cattle owned by Billie Joe Rathwell in Childress county; among a herd of cattle owned by the Harmon Cattle Co., in Swisher county; and, among cattle owned by the Palo Duro Cattle Co., in Hansford county. The Childress and Swisher county infestations were found in cattle on wheat pasture; the Hansford county outbreak was in a feedlot.

Dipping of the cattle in a USDA-permitted pesticide has begun. Until the cattle are found free of scabies, no animals can be shipped interstate from the infested premises in the quarantined areas.

Scabies quarantines also remain in effect on portions of Cochran and Moore counties, Texas, and on Otoe and Saline counties, Nebraska. These quarantines will be removed when all infested and exposed cattle have been inspected and treated, thus eliminating the need for restrictions on interstate cattle shipments.

APHIS officials point out that scabies infestations are detected most frequently during the winter months and cautioned cattlemen throughout the southwest and midwest to remain alert for signs of this skin disease of cattle.

Scabies is caused by tiny, parasitic mites that puncture the skin of cattle and feed on the body fluids released from the wounds--causing infested animals to lick, rub and scratch themselves to relieve the intense itching. Heavy infestations cause large, crusty "scabs" to form on the skin, hence, the name "scabies."

Although the whole-

ness of the meat is not affected, the disease causes financial losses because the cattle gain weight more slowly and at the same time require more feed. Equally important economically is the fact that embargoes are often imposed by some states on cattle shipments from infested areas, thus decreasing the number of markets available for feeder cattle.

The Directors and Employees of The North Plains Electric Cooperative, Inc. invite you to an open house honoring

**EARL WAIDE**  
Retiring Manager

at the Cooperative office building, Perryton, Texas on Sunday, February 2, 1975 from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m.

No gifts, please Highway 83 North

The directors and employees of the Cooperative are inviting everyone to attend an open house at the North Plains Electric Cooperative building on Sunday afternoon, February 2, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. honoring Earl Waide, the retiring manager. Waide is retiring February 1, after serving as manager of the Cooperative thirty

years.

The directors want it clearly understood that this is not only for members of the Cooperative but for the public in general and everyone will be welcome. It is hoped that many of his friends and business associates will drop in to congratulate him on his retirement.

## Longtime Resident Dies Friday

Frank Lee Davis, a longtime resident of Hansford County, died Friday morning at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo after a 21-day hospital stay. He was 80 years old.

Mr. Davis was born August 27, 1894 in Palo Pinto County of Texas. He moved with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis to Gray County in 1896. He moved to Pampa in 1912 and started Davis Electrical Company in that city in 1920.

In 1931 he moved to a farm near Spearman where he farmed until his death.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Spearman.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle, one daughter, Marjorie Curtis of Denver,

Colorado, a brother, Lester L. Davis of Pampa and two grandchildren.

The funeral has been tentatively set for 2 p.m. Monday at Duenkel Memorial Chapel in Pampa. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery there.

## Groves To Show

### Israel Slides

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groves of Spearman will be showing slides of their trip to Israel Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Waka Church of the Brethren.

Everyone is invited to attend.

## Sports Roundup

The Spearman boys and girls won both of the varsity games against Canadian at Lynx gym Friday night.

The girls won a thriller 61-58. Janyth Lackey scored 23, Michelle Shuman scored 22, and Carla Harper 16 for the best balanced scoring of the year for Coach Newton. The Lynx boys won a barnburner also, 58-55. Porter scored 11, Jones 17, Brown 6, Harper 6, Brummett 16 for the Lynx.

Kelly Simpson was high scorer for the Lynx B team game, with 10 points as they lost to the Wilkcats 40-22. The Lynx B team boys won their game 62-35.

The Spearman teams will play at Boys Ranch next Tuesday. The girls will meet the Canyon Eagles team in the first game, and the boys will follow. Boys Ranch and the Lynx are now in a tie for first place in district play.

Earl Goodheart announced this week that he has purchased Burton's TV effective January 1, 1975.

Earl has been a resident of Spearman the past fourteen years. He worked for Cummings Refrigeration for several years, before taking over the local management of Spearman Cable TV four years ago.

Earl is very active in civic affairs, he is assistant scoutmaster, treasurer of the Lions Club, a member of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, and a member of the Little League board.

He and his wife Trudy are members of the First United Methodist Church. They have two sons, Darren 9, and Damon 6, both students in Spearman schools.

Earl is a qualified serviceman and stated that he will maintain all of

## Scouts Selling

### Calendars

Cub Scouts still have two-year planning calendars for sale. They are \$1.25 each. If you would like to have one, you may call 9092 or 9614.

## Board Lets Contract

The Spearman School Board let the contract on the Jr. high and grade school buildings Thursday evening in a special called meeting. Contractors will begin as soon as it is feasible to do the repair work without interfering with school operations. Work will probably start in early May.

The entire school remodeling program will consist of the following: the old cracker-box gym, in the grade school building will be rebuilt into two large classrooms. A new door will be installed on the S. E. portion of the new class rooms.

All second story classroom floors in the old grade school will be redone. New ceiling will be put in every classroom in both building; or each ceiling will be reworked and painted to new standards.

A new hot water heating system, instead of the old steam-heating system, will be installed. The Jr. Hi gym floor will be replaced.

The cafeteria will be enlarged to double size, and a new serving line will be added in the cafeteria to double the speed of serving students.

A new classroom will be added between the cafeteria and the hallway joining the Jr. high and

grade school.

There also will be air conditioning added for the comfort of the students. And new hardware for the doors will be added.

The entire program will be done exactly as voted on by taxpayers. The remodeling program will put the two schools up in top shape for the students, as well as insure the comfort and safety of the students and teachers.

The board is meeting this next week to let contracts for the new football stadium, rest rooms and ticket booths for the football field. The board has done away with pre-stressed concrete bleachers and will install steel bleachers. The field will include new lights and many new and modern conveniences for the students and fans.

## VICKI & ROYALHEIRS TO PERFORM

Rev. Archie Burress of the Union Church has announced that Vicki & The Royalheirs will be at the church Sunday evening, January 26 at 6:00 p.m.

This very popular gospel singing group has sung here before and several times in the surrounding area.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend Sunday evening, says Rev. Burress.

## Sloan Speaks At Weed Science Meet

Troy Sloan appeared on the opening program Tuesday, January 21 of the Southern Weed Science Society Meet at Memphis, Tennessee. Sloan spoke on weed control in no-till or minimum till in grain sorghum and wheat.

He represented the Grain Sorghum Producers Association.

Appearing in the opening session with Sloan were Mr. Hal Straube of Stauffer Chemical Co., Dr. Fred Cooke of the Mississippi Agricultural Experiment Station and the Society president, Mr. W. G. Westmoreland.

The Society is composed of State and Federal research and extension workers, various agricultural industry personnel, growers and other interested parties from the thirteen Southeastern and Southwestern states and Puerto Rico.

Sloan presented a speech on the problems of chemical control in grain sorghum and wheat, and the need for more control of water grass, with less chemical effect on the following crops in a rotation program, and a need for a more reliable chemical under various weather conditions.

## Goodheart Buys Burton's TV

The services that have been performed by the company in the past. The new business will be in the same location with the same phone number.

At the present time his staff consists of two high school students, Debra Setliff and Dean Byrd.

He plans to attend some training schools in the near future. Burton Schubert, who has operated Burton's TV for the past twelve years, sold the business in order to go into farming full time.

The grand opening of the new business is being planned for February 14 and 15. There will be some red hot specials, door prizes, etc. Watch this newspaper for details for the big grand opening of Earl's TV at 106 E. Kenneth.

Earl's TV will continue to sell RCA and Zenith TV's, stereos, radios, tape players, tape decks, CB radios. Another service at Earl's TV will be making 8 track tapes. They have blank tapes and will make 8 track tapes from your records, etc.

Earl said that he welcomes old and new customers and promises to maintain the same efficient service that has been provided by the company in the past.



NEW MERCHANTS IN SPEARMAN-Mr. and Mrs. Earl Goodheart purchased Burton's TV effective January 1, and the name of their business is Earl's TV. They have scheduled a grand opening soon and invite everyone to attend the opening and drop in to see them at any time.



# Coordinator For Volunteer Services Is Speaker

Eta Alpha chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met January 18 in the home of Mrs. Douglas Fiskin in Perryton. Tyler Tindall, Coordinator for Volunteer Services of the Amarillo State Center for Human Development was the guest speaker. Mr. Tindall outlined the services available at the Center and the Satellite School programs located throughout the Texas Panhandle.

He stated that the program in Amarillo is unique in that it deals primarily with the mentally retarded on a "day-care basis" rather than a residential care basis. Only one other similar center exists in Texas, that being in Beaumont. However, a similar center is soon to be opened in El Paso.

In outlining the services of the Amarillo State Center, Mr. Tindall described the developmental program for the different age groups, emphasizing that the goals and objectives are different for each individual. The present developmental program includes pre-school readiness, socialization and interaction activities, motor development, pre-vocational training, and structural physical activities.

Two relatively new programs are the Work Activity Center and the Respite Care Unit. At present there are 42 mentally retarded employees at the Work Activity Center being paid to work on a contract basis. The Respite Care Unit provides residential living for any mentally retarded citizen of the Texas Panhandle in an emergency or crisis situation for up to 30 days. This program enables parents of mentally retarded to have excellent care for their child at a very nominal cost.

In conclusion Mr. Tindall emphasized that the mentally retarded person is "more like you" than "different from you" and that the whole philosophy of the Amarillo Center and its twelve Satellite School programs located throughout the Texas Panhandle is "Help someone to help

himself". Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Douglas Fiskin, Mrs. Joe Champion, Mrs. Henry Bechtold, Mrs. O. W. Nowlin, Mrs. Tom Knighton, Mrs. James Love, and Mrs. Boyce Scott.

Other members attending from Perryton, Booker, Follert, Spearman, Darouzzett and Gruver were Mrs. Barbara Bain, Mrs. Clifford Beck, Mrs. J. W. Bockelman, Mrs. Don Clark, Mrs. Thelma Davis, Mrs. B. L. Hance, Mrs. Jeffrie Hoy, Mrs. Irene Hollister, Mrs. Frances Hudson, Mrs. Violet Igou, Mrs. A. M. Lemons, Mrs. Karie Price, Mrs. Roberta Pugh, Mrs. Ray Robinson, Miss Dorothy Rodin, Mrs. Floyd Stepp, Mrs. Thelma Vaughn, Zady Belle Walker, Mrs. W. W. Weaver, Mrs. Clyde Yearly, Mrs. Tom Bergin, Mrs. Ray Castle, Charlie Knight, Mrs. Lucy Munday, and Mrs. Violetta Mahood.

**Sorority Plans Valentine Ball**

Rho Rho Sorority met Thursday, January 23rd in the home of Mrs. Phillip Renner.

President Mary Lou Pittman presided over the meeting.

Discussion was held on the Valentine Ball to be held February 15th at the Perryton Club.

Mrs. Dennis Nelson gave the program on Literature.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Renner to members, Mesdames: Dennis Nelson, Mary Lou Pittman, Jack Lassater, Clark Mires, David Collins, Phil Sanders, Vernon Pipkin, Charles Shieldknigh, Mike Davis, Jim Evans, Ronnie Lusby, Jim Eakin, Linda Hoover, Timmy Barkley and Ken Reeves.

Next meeting will be February 13th in the home of Mrs. Clark Mires with Mrs. Craig Schumann bringing the program on travel.

Goldfish originated in China.

# John Deere Film To Be Shown

Hansford Implement and Gruver John Deere Service Center will be host for a breakfast and film showing for farmers in the county. Tuesday, January 28, 1975 at 7 a. m. at Martin's Steak Garden in Spearman.

Breakfast will be served at 7 a. m. with the John

Deere Farming Frontiers film following. The film program is devoted to the latest developments and research in agriculture.

Gene Cudd, owner, issues a cordial invitation to all of his customers and interested farmers to attend.

# HD Club News

The Old Hansford Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, January 21st in the Home Demonstration Club Room.

President, Mrs. Elzey Vanderburg presided over the meeting.

The devotional was led by Mrs. Harold Howenter. Jerry Kyle, Safety Instructor of Northern Natural Gas Company gave the program on safety entitled "Time Out For Safety".

Refreshments were served by hostess, Mrs. Harold Howenter to guest Jerry Kyle and to members, Mesdames: Gordon Parrish, L. W. Rosenbaum, Irvin Dell, V. S. Kelm, Elzey Vanderburg, H. M. Shedeck, Virgil Floyd, B. A. Byers, and Roscoe Nelson.

Next meeting will be February 4th with Mrs. B. A. Byers as hostess.

The Town & Country Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, January 21st in the home of Mrs. Omar Sutton.

Mrs. Dan Ralston presided over the meeting.

Home Demonstration Agent, Nelle Evans, gave the program on Texas Women.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Sutton to members, Mesdames: Dan Ralston, David Collins, Charles Shieldknigh, Carl Kunselman, Bobby Everson, Bill Watson, Joe Close and guest, Nelle Evans.

Next meeting will be February 4th in the home of Mrs. Jerry Younger.

The Holt Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, January 21st in the home of Mrs. Larry Holt.

Vice President Mrs. Britt Jarvis presided over the meeting.

Secretary Mrs. Raymond Kirk read the minutes of the previous meeting.

Roll Call was answered to "My Goal to Improve Myself This Year".

Mrs. Larry Porter gave the program on "Applique and Embroider for Shirts and Blouses".

The club decided to sponsor a Community 42 party Friday, January 31st at the Holt School House. Everyone is asked to bring sandwiches, salads or dessert.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Holt to members, Mesdames: O. C. Holt, Richard Kirk, Marvin Jones, Britt Jarvis, Doyle Jackson, Larry Porter, Phil Jenkins, Wallace Berner, Nolan Holt and Raymond Kirk.

Next meeting will be February 4th in the home of Mrs. Marvin Jones.

# License Plates To Sell In Gruver

Personnel from the Hansford County Tax Office will be in Gruver Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, February 18, 19 and 20 to sell 1975 license plates.

The plates will be sold in the Gruver Clinic from 9:00 A.M. to 12 Noon and from 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.

# Waka PTA News Girl Scout

Waka PTA met Monday January 20 at 7:30 in the school cafeteria with the theme "A Commitment to Act" - Cultural Arts. This proved to be a most interesting meeting as Rev. and Mrs. Joel Peters, Perryton Trinity Presbyterian Church, gave highlights on their native country India. Many pictures and articles were shown which added much to the phase of the program Cultural Arts.

President Mrs. David Wilson, gave highlights and plans for the basketball tournament kitchen menu and work schedules. The tournament is to be January 23, 24, 25 with 8 teams represented.

A new family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reid and girls, were introduced. They recently moved to our community.

Mrs. Richard Burger, Cultural Arts Chairman, announced the winner of the Art Contest. The winner's entries will compete on the district level. The theme of the contest was "America The Beautiful".

Winners were: Literature Division - Intermediate - 4 - 6 Grades - 1st - Gina Flach; 2nd - Lois Cook; Junior High - 1st - Bruce Stinson; 2nd - Criselda Vela. Visual Arts - Intermediate - 1st - Velma Shaw; 2nd - Karen Dowdy; 3rd - Denny Brewer, Junior High - 1st - Terry Buschman; 2nd - Bruce Stinson.

All of the entries in this contest were on display. All of the children are to be commended on their fine work.

The next meeting will be on "Founders Day" February 17 with Mrs. Herman Wiebe, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. George Waggie and daughter from Hominy, Oklahoma surprised her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Longley as week-end visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Swan and children from Gruver visited Sunday in her parents home. The families spent an enjoyable day visiting.

Brownie Troop #120 met Thursday, January 23rd at the Girl Scout House with leaders, Mrs. Junior Hansen, Mrs. Raymond Flores and Jamie Thomas.

The girls made valentines for their parents and took a short hike.

Refreshments were served by Sondra Younger to member, Sarah Avila, Qynn Brown, Kelli Crawford, Irma Flores, Cindy Hansen, Cynthia Hendrick, Angie Herring, Julie Kell, Teresa Miesner, Kim Nelson, Shenell Phelps, Tonya Sexton, Tracy Taylor, Tammy Welch, Makala White, Nita Baker, and Traci Stewart.

Next meeting will be January 30th in the Scout House.

Junior Troop #3 met Wednesday, January 22nd in the Girl Scout House with leader, Mrs. Curtis Davis.

The girls worked on one project and discussion was held on another project.

Refreshments were served by D'Ann Cummings to Laurie Swann, Marietta Davis, Teresa Morrison, and Kellianne Bynum.

Next meeting will be held January 29th at the Scout House.


# Bi-Centennial Cookbook Available

Hansford County Bi-Centennial cookbooks sponsored by the Twentieth Century Club are now available and may be purchased from Mrs. Harold Shaver at 1100 Townsend or from Mrs. Bobby Smith at 1110 Townsend.

The cookbooks are \$3.00 each and all proceeds will go toward the establishment of a Hansford County Museum.

The cookbooks may be purchased also at the Chamber of Commerce, Hansford Library, or Mrs. Gary Evans, 209 Cluck, Gruver, phone 733-5057.

It is colder at the antarctic than at the arctic.



## Insurance Corner

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Endowment insurance is essentially a savings plan with insurance to protect the savings program against premature death. The semi-compulsory nature of the premium serves as an incentive to savings and is probably the main reason for the purchase of this type of contract.

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### Bridge Clubs

The Duplicate Bridge Club met Tuesday, January 21st in the home of Mrs. Bob Skinner.

High score was won by Mrs. R. L. McClellan, second high by Mrs. J. W. Gibner and the traveling prize by Mrs. Elsie Mathews.

Delicious refreshments were served by the Lassaters to members, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sheets.

Next meeting will be February 24th in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers.

Mrs. John Berry was hostess for the Bid-A-Bit Bridge Club Thursday evening in her home.

Mrs. Gertrude Archer had high score and Mrs. Gwenfred Lackey had second high.

Attending were members, Mmes. Archer, Lackey, W. L. Russell, R. E. Lee, Leonard Jameson, VI Whitson, Faye Lynch and the hostess.

Dried herbs are more concentrated than fresh ones. Texas Department of Agriculture home economists recommend using about 1/4 teaspoon of a dried herb for two cups of vegetable, adding it at the beginning of cooking. With fresh herbs, increase the amount to about 3/4 to 1 teaspoon for 2 cups of vegetable.

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30-rtm-T

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting every Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., at the Girl Scout Little House, 22 S. Endicott. Call 3394 or 2762 for information.  
45-rtm

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Spearman  
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FOR SALE: 1974 250 Yamaha. Take up payments. Contact Mrs. Jim Archer, 3360.  
10-2tc

FOR SALE: Trailer, 10 x 56, Call 733-2609, Gruver.  
8-rtm

FOR SALE: Three-bedroom double-wide trailer with fenced lot, patio and storage building. Phone 435-2089.  
7-rtm

FOR SALE: 1600 feet of 10 inch aluminum pipe, 30 foot joints, gated on 40 inch rows. Call 659-2947.  
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FOR SALE: Fire wood. Corner Service Station in Spearman, Texas.  
515-rtm

**BIRD DOGS...** 1 Irish Setter male, registered, trained; 1 English Setter female, registered, started; 1 Pointer, well trained, 6 years old. Day 435-6135, night 435-4967.  
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### FOR RENT

FOR RENT: One trailer court lot in Crawford Addition - any size trailer. Contact Buster's Dusters. Nights call Steve or Randy Hendrickson, 659-3648.  
85-4tp

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, 303 Davis, 659-3792.  
3-rtm

FOR RENT: Small furnished apartment for couple or bachelor. Deposit. Bills paid. Call 2082.  
10-rtm

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### REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE-3 bedroom home, 1105 Townsend, fully carpeted, central heat and air, patio, storm windows, outside metal storage building, completely fenced, west front, nice part of town. Maximum financing available. Call 659-3436 or 435-5020.  
52-rtm

FOR SALE: Nice brick home near elementary school, 17 rooms plus utility and double garage. 2 baths, carpets, central heat and air, fireplace, lots of storage, tool shed, patio, fenced yard, 100 ft. lot. Shown by appointment. 659-2309.  
50-rtm

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom brick house, one bath, new carpet throughout, 718 Cotter Drive, Don Denham, 659-2836

House for Sale: 3-Bedroom brick. Call after 6 p.m. 659-3694.  
475-rtm

### HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: For inside workers and machinist. Apply in person at Roger's Sales and Service, Waka, Texas.  
16-rtm

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75-rtm

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105-rtm

Man to work in service station. Apply in person - Lucky Corner, SE of Spearman.  
105-4tp

HELP WANTED: Baby sitter one day per week in my home 6:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Call 3423 between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m.  
105-3tp

### TO GIVE AWAY

TO GIVE AWAY: White male kitten. Call 659-2257 after 6 p.m.  
95-3tc

**ATTENTION:** It's tax time again. If you need books caught up, or tax forms filed, Call MINDAY DAVIS At 733-2015 TODAY!

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the food, cards and prayers while Gene and Cindy were in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Jenkins and family

A good way to save gasoline is to simply relax! Tense, aggressive drivers who are chronic lane changers must constantly shift between the accelerator and the brake. A more even driving pattern can save 30 percent or more in gasoline--and it's easier on your nerves.

## Baptist Study Group Met

The Baptist Women Study Group met Wednesday, January 22nd in the home of Mrs. Lowell Denman.

Mrs. Denman presided over the meeting. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. A. F. Loftin. The Prayer Calendar was read by Mrs. Woodville Jarvis.

Mrs. Mable Edwards was in charge of the program of Current Missions.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Carl Kizzlar. Members present were Mesdames: Woodville Jarvis, Glen Hiller, R. E. Vaughn, Mable Edwards, A. F. Loftin, Carl Kizzlar, Lowell Denman, and Altha Groves.

Next meeting will be January 29th in the home of Mrs. L. L. Anthony.

## B&T Women Meet

The Baker & Taylor Women's Association met Tuesday, January 21st at 9:00 A.M. in the Pierre Building for their regular business meeting.

President, Mrs. Roy Bulls presided over the meeting. Discussion was held on having a project to help with the Hansford County Museum Fund.

Members present were Mesdames: Ed Garner, K. C. Loftin, J. C. Jackson, Mack McCormack, Bobby Parler, Bob White and Roy Bulls.

Next meeting will be February 18th in the Home Demonstration Club Room with Mrs. Harold Shaver presenting the program.

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# Farm-facts

A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

Compiled From Sources Of The Texas Department of Agriculture John C. White, Commissioner

**Be On The Lookout... Fertilizer Concern... Sheep and Lamb Feeding Declines... Second Lowest In 20 Years.**

Figures that should help you to decide what and how much to plant are to be released this week. Included will be the crop intentions planting report on a national and state level. This will involve planting projections for major crops including grain sorghum, cotton, corn and other crops. Study it closely; it should give you an insight into what farmers will be planting this year.

Also study the grain stocks in position report, which is expected to be released this week. That will show you the amount of various grains on hand.

Still another report you might want to look at closely will be the 1974 report for Texas crops. This report was recently issued and will update previous preliminary reports on Texas farm production.

These and other reports about farm production are becoming of more and more interest. Not only are producers taking a closer look at them, but agribusinessmen as well as consumers are paying attention to them since they will give an insight into production plans and thus prospective total production of various commodities during 1975.

Producers can use these reports to help them determine their own production plans for 1975. For current reports, write the Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

**FERTILIZER** industry spokesmen are concerned about the amount of fertilizer that will be needed to produce this year's crops.

An increase is expected for feed grains including corn and grain sorghum. Although a decrease in acres is anticipated for cotton, it is not expected to be enough to offset other increases.

The inventory of fertilizers has also been decreased compared to previous years.

Fertilizer industry spokesmen did not indicate what prices might be for 1974, but a U.S. Department of Agriculture study shows a 10 to 15 per cent increase in price is in the offing over the prices of 1974.

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## Hospital News

The following are patients in Hansford Hospital: Margaret Shedeck, Daren Goodheart, Lilly Bowling, Victor Rook, Jett Mason, Cora Atchley, Deoria Rauscher, Maria Molina and son, Mary Lou Ellis, Charles Troll, Linda Leatherman, Arnold Bogle, Maude Alexander, Lynett Henry, Mary Sparks, Harbert Clark, Andy Gonzales, Ruby Milledge, Juliet Boyd, Ora Mae Heath, Eunice Pugh, Mary Brown, Clarence Pettitt, Oscar Morris.

Dismissed were: Mary Fern Terry, Melody Schumann, Wayne Ellsworth, Ruby Tyler, Oleta Yancey, Jean Holland, Patricia Sparks, Evelyn Mackey, Mary Hoyle, Ruby McDanel.

## Texas Farm Labor Drops By 17,000

AUSTIN--The Texas farm labor force numbered 273,000 in late October, down 17,000 from a year ago, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White announced recently.

Family workers totaled 177,000, while hired workers numbered 96,000.

Nationally farm labor was down three percent, totaling 4,651,000 workers.

White said Texas farm workers, including farm operators, family members working 15 hours or more a week without receiving cash wages, all family members and hired help, averaged 35.1 hours a week.

Of these, farm operators worked the longest hours, averaging 40.7 hours.

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### Maxwell-Pond Vows Read

Wedding vows were exchanged January 10 at 2:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Baptist Church in Perryton by Tom Maxwell and David Pond. The Rev. W. A. Frerking, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Buss Maxwell of Perryton and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pond of Spearman.

The ceremony was performed at the altar which featured a 15 branch candelabra with bouquets of white mums and pink daisies at each side.

Diane Cook, of Hardesty, Oklahoma played traditional music on the organ and sang "We've Only Just Begun" before the ceremony. Other vocal selections were "Love Story", "Twelfth of Never", "Whether Thou Goest", "Wedding Prayer", and "Follow Me, Color My World".

Miss Debbie Langoff was maid of honor. Barbara Kille was the candlelighter and Pam Kite of Canyon registered the guests.

Monte Pond of Lubbock, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were David Maxwell, brother of the bride, and Gary Bartz of Spearman.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of silk faced organza with a re-embroidered lace high rise bodice with full sheersleeves accented with a band of lace at the cuff. The princess style skirt was bordered in lace with a chapel length detachable train. She wore a princess cap which was attached to a chapel length veil which was bordered with lace. The bridal bouquet was of white and pink carnations with pink and blue streamers.

The groom graduated from Spearman High School in 1973 and attended Texas Tech.

The bride wore the traditional something old, something new, and something borrowed and something blue. For something old she carried a blue lace handkerchief which had been used by her two older sisters in their weddings and had been given to her mother by her father 29 years ago. Something new was pearl earrings, a gift of her sister, Vicki, and for something borrowed she had a hair comb that the groom's mother used in her wedding, which was given to her by her father, something blue was a garter.

The maid of honor wore a floor length dotted swiss baby blue gown fashioned with puffed sleeves. She carried pink, blue and white carnations tied with pink and blue ribbon. The candlelighter's gown was a baby pink floor length gown and she wore a white carnation corsage.

The mother of the bride wore a floor length baby blue gown and the groom's mother chose a floor length baby pink gown. Both wore corsages of white and pink carnations tied with blue ribbons.

The reception was held in the church immediately following the ceremony. The serving table was laid with a linen cloth and was highlighted by the bridal bouquet and a three-tiered wedding cake trimmed with touches of pink and blue and topped with bells.

Missy Collins and Vonda Shipman served the cake, punch, and pink and blue mints and nuts to the reception guests.

For the wedding trip the bride chose a blue and gray pantsuit.

The young couple is at home at 818 E. Drake in Perryton where the groom is a stocker at United Super Market.

The bride is a 1974 graduate of Perryton High School where she was a member of Phi Eta Pi.

The groom graduated from Spearman High School in 1973 and attended Texas Tech.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lackey and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cummings of Spearman, David Harbour of Stinnett and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bettis of Amarillo.

### Wedding Shower Honors Couple

A wedding shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. David Pond was held Monday, January 20th at 6:30 P.M. in the Hospitality Room of the First State Bank. Mrs. Pond is the former Toni Maxwell of Perryton.

Guests were registered by Patricia Pond, sister of the groom, at a table laid with a white linen cloth and accented by pink carnations in a bud vase.

The serving table was laid with a pink cloth with a white net overlay and was accented by an arrangement of pink and blue carnations, flanked by two pink candles. The table was set with silver appointments and refreshments of tea, coffee and cookies were served to those attending by Mrs. Floyd Dry.

The bride was presented a pink rose corsage and Mrs. J. T. Pond, mother of the groom, was presented a corsage of white spider mums.

Mrs. Pond was assisted with the gifts by her husband, David.

Hostesses were Mesdames Ray Lackey, Virgil Floyd, Chalmers Porter, Orville Fulbright, B. J. Garnett, Floyd Dry, Monty Harbour and Bernard Barnes.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Ted Pond of Stinnett and Patricia Pond of Amarillo.

### Spanish Club Plans Supper

The Spanish Club of Spearman High School will be having a Taco Supper Friday, January 31 at the junior high cafeteria from 5 until 7 p.m.

Cost of the meal is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

### Calendar Of Events

- MONDAY, JANUARY 27
  - Junior Troop #76 - Girl Scout House
  - Den #1 - Home of Mrs. Burton Schubert
  - Rotary Club - Martin's Steak Gardens
  - Hansford Lodge #1040 A.F. & A.M. - Hansford Lodge Hall
- TUESDAY, JANUARY 28
  - Den #2 - Home of Mrs. Dwight Sumner
  - Den #3 - Home of Mrs. Gene Jenkins
  - Lion's Club - Martin's Steak Gardens
  - Tuesday Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Joel Lackey
  - Spearman Music Club - Home Demonstration Club Room
  - Union Church Missionary Ladies - Union Church
  - Home Demonstration Council - Home Demonstration Club Room
  - Book Review Club - Home of Mrs. Bruce Sheets
- WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29
  - Junior Troop #83 - Girl Scout House
  - Mary Martha Circle of the U.M.W. - First United Methodist Church
  - Baptist Women Study Group - Home of Mrs. L. L. Anthony
- THURSDAY, JANUARY 30
  - Den #5 - Home of Mrs. Earl Hillock
  - Den #6 - Home of Mrs. Clifton Longley
  - Brownie Troop #120 - Girl Scout House
  - Jaycees - County Barn
- FRIDAY, JANUARY 31
  - Brownie Troop #65 - Girl Scout House
  - Den #4 - Home of Mrs. Larry Cross
  - Arts & Crafts Guild
  - Community '42 Party - Holt School House
- SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1
  - Pinochle Club - Home of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Maupin



Spearman resident Kandy Vaughn underwent the process of registration as she, along with other students, signed up for spring classes at WTSU this last Friday and Saturday. Miss Vaughn is a Senior honor student in the field of accounting. She is the daughter of Mrs. Thelma Vaughn of Spearman.

### U.M.W. NEWS

The United Methodist Women met Wednesday January 22nd at the First United Methodist Church for their monthly dinner and annual Call to Prayer and Self-denial Program.

Chairman, Mrs. Russell Townsend presided over a short business meeting.

Mrs. Dennis Nelson was in charge of the program. After a short resume of the Call which is inspired by special mission needs focused on prayer and the deeper spiritual life, the group entered the sanctuary to the strains of soft organ music played by Mrs. Bill Strawn as background music throughout the entire program.

Mrs. Strawn also accompanied Mrs. Dick Cousins as she sang so beautifully the hymn, "In the Garden". Mrs. Nelson gave the devotional on "Meditation", taken from the scriptures with Mrs. Kent Guthrie giving the response with the central thought being to open ourselves to God's

spirit. The program closed with a silent prayer session at which time the group focused their thoughts on the question, "What Am I Wanting To Live For Or Die For", leaving the love gifts on the altar and quietly leaving the sanctuary.

Those present at the meeting were Mesdames: Russell Townsend, F. B. Schubert, Roy Jones, George Buzzard, Stan Hudson, Dennis Nelson, Monty Blackman, Bill Strawn, J. B. Buchanan, T. D. Samsing, R. E. Lee, John Trindle, P. A. Lyon, Harry Shedeck, Kent Guthrie, Jack Lasater and Dick Cousins.

Next meeting will be February 26th at the church.

### "42" Party Set

A Community 42 party will be held Friday, January 31st at the Holt School House. Those attending are asked to bring sandwiches, salads or a dessert. The party is being sponsored by the Holt Home Demonstration Club.

### Mrs. Bulls Gives Program

XI Zeta Upsilon met Thursday, January 23rd in the home of Mrs. Bobby Archer.

Vice President, Mrs. George Jackson presided over the meeting.

Notice was received of an area convention to be held in Amarillo at the Hilton Inn in March, 1975.

The Social Committee reported on the Valentine Ball to be held February 15th at the Perryton Club. All members interested in attending should contact Mrs. Bobby Archer before February 3rd.

Mrs. Roy Bulls gave the program on Entertaining and Hobbies. Delicious refreshments

were served by Mrs. Archer to members, Mesdames: George Jackson, Bob Meek, R. L. McClellan, Bobby Hobertz, Brad Cousins, Roy Dears, Don Floyd, James Lair, Tom Latta, Don McLain, Jim Nicholson, and Joe T. Venneman. Next meeting will be February 13th with Mrs. Don Floyd as hostess.

Frequent visits to a doctor or prenatal care clinic during pregnancy can help prevent low-weight, or premature babies, according to the March of Dimes.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET TONIGHT - SATURDAY -

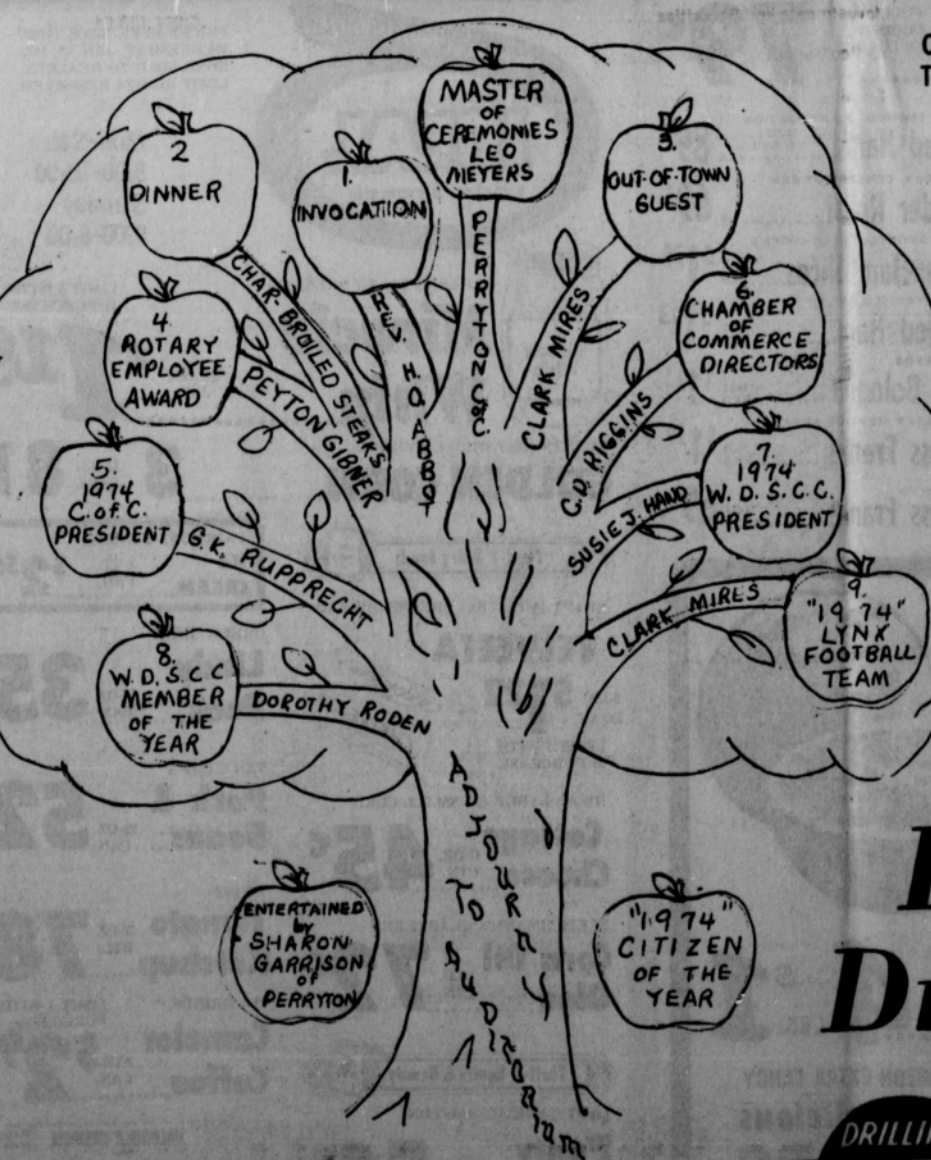
This is a busy week-end for the Spearman area. Tonight at 7:30 p.m. the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet will begin. Last year one of our employees was named as the citizen of the year, and we at Baker and Taylor are looking forward to seeing who the new "Citizen of the Year" will be. We at Baker and Taylor are always ready to help with any and all community activities. Tomorrow, January 26, the coin auction will begin. The auction will start at 3 p.m. at the county barn in Spearman. Thirty sets of coins will be auctioned... You are urged, and invited to attend the big auction. Funds will be used to aide the Spearman Chamber of Commerce in promoting Hansford County... We want Hansford County to "GET BETTER."

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## Fixing Fresh Citrus Segments Is Simple

AUSTIN—Preparing fresh citrus segments is simple when homemakers follow the steps suggested by Texas Department of Agriculture home economists.

First, chill whole grapefruit or orange thoroughly. With a straight-bladed sharp knife cut a slice from the top. Then cut off peel in strips from top to bottom or remove it round and round in one long spiraling cut. Always cut deep enough to remove white membrane.

Go over the fruit again, removing any remaining membrane. Now cut along the membrane of each section from outside to the core. Tilt the knife outward and roll the whole section out one at a time. Section fruit over a bowl to retain juices.

The result will be whole segments, free of membrane, that can be stored in their juices in the refrigerator, used as garnishes or heaped on lettuce leaves for a fresh citrus salad.

The outer colorful peel of citrus fruit has its own special uses. The peel contains tiny oil sacs that are full of subtle and distinctive flavor. When it is grated and used in place of synthetic citrus flavorings, the result is a fresh-as-fruit taste. Fresh grated peel can be frozen in sealed plastic bags or glass jars for quick and easy use.

To grate peel, wash and dry the fruit. With two quick downward strokes, remove the outer colored layer only. Slivered peel is obtained by scoring the peel into quarters and removing it with the fingers. With the tip of a spoon, scrape as much of the white membrane as possible. Stack two or three pieces at a time on a cutting board and cut into very thin strips.

Citrus shells can be filled with fresh citrus sections or other fruits for an attractive salad. To make them, cut oranges or grapefruit in half crosswise. Cut out meat with curved grapefruit knife and scrape clean with a large spoon. Edges may be notched with kitchen shears or a paring knife. For scalloped edges, outline a pattern with a coin and cut

around the pattern. To prevent tipping, cut a small slice from the bottom of the shell. Shells store well in the freezer if they are sealed in plastic bags.

A picnic ham is the front shoulder cut of pork, cured in the same manner as ham, exported by Texas Department of Agriculture home economists.



SEASON FOR CITRUS SALADS—Segments of Ruby Red grapefruit and oranges make a refreshing winter salad. Agriculture Commissioner John C. White recommends buying Texas citrus now while it is at its peak.



### HOT SAUCED CITRUS SALAD

- 4 medium oranges
- 2 medium Ruby Red Grapefruit

Arrange sections on lettuce leaves. Top with sour cream dressing.

#### Sour Cream Dressing

- 3/4 tsp. salt
- 2 Tbsp. frozen orange juice concentrate
- 1/4 tsp. sugar
- 1/4 tsp. hot sauce
- 1 Tbsp. lemon juice
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
- 1/2 cup sour cream

Blend ingredients and serve on citrus salad. Yield: 6-8 servings. For additional recipes write Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Tex. 78711.

... waste pieces of cheese that have become dried out and hard, say Texas Department of Agriculture home economists. Pieces can be grated and kept refrigerated in a glass jar for garnishing vegetables, soups and other dishes.

Take advantage of special features that may be on your washing machine. Be sure to use the "suds-saver" if you have one, that will allow you to re-use hot water for several loads.

## ASC Warnings Spell "Caution"

Learning the seven danger signals of cancer may be the most important part of your education according to the American Cancer Society who uses the number game to impart the importance of the latest facts and figures.

Citing the fact that the seven danger signals spell c-a-n-c-e-r, the ACS emphasizes the warning signals included c-change in bowel or bladder habits; a-sore that does not heal; u-nusual bleeding or discharge; t-hickening or lump in breast or elsewhere; i-ndigestion or difficulty in swallowing; o-bvious

change in wart or mole; n-agging cough or hoarseness.

According to the ACS, cancer strikes one out of every 4 Americans in two families out of three for a total of about 650,000 more people every year. Further are the shocking figures that cancer kills more women ages 30-54 than any other cause of death, more Americans in two years died in World War I, II, Korea, and Vietnam combined; more school children than any other disease, and nearly 350,000 men, women and children each year which places

cancer the second leading cause of death in the U. S. A.

Cancer costs an estimated three billion dollars annually but with early detection, diagnosis, and treatment cancer can be cured. ACS figures bear this out with one out of three cases being cured today. One out of two could be cured if diagnosed and treated in time and a total of 109,000 men, women, and children could be saved this year alone with early diagnosis and treatment.

No age group is immune to cancer for young and old, men and women can all be threatened by cancer. In men, lung cancer has increased 96 percent in a 15-year period which includes the latest information concerning the dangers of smoking. Cancer is still increasing as a cause of death among men. Breast cancer is the lead-

ing cause of all cancer deaths among women with a staggering 329,000 new cancer cases during 1974. Twenty one thousand new cases of leukemia have been diagnosed in children during the same year.

The American Cancer Society urges you to learn the seven warning signals--and to see your doctor if you develop a warning signal.

District 15 of the American Cancer Society is to hold a workshop for District 15 beginning at 9:00 A. M., Friday, January 18 to plan strategy for the 1975 Cancer Crusade. Anyone interested in attending is urged to contact Hansford Unit president Judge Johnny Lee. The meet will be held at Howard Johnson Motor Lodge, 3205 Interstate 40-East (T-Anchor Blvd.).

4-H FOUNDATION BOOSTS YOUTH WORK--The Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation was formed in 1961, and since that time public support for 4-H has grown and flourished throughout the state. The foundation garners private support for 4-H, points out a 4-H and youth specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It works on a cooperative basis with the Extension Service and is governed by a board of 26 trustees who are leading Texas business executives. The 4-H foundation sponsors many leadership and awards programs on a year-round basis.

### Market

WHEAT	\$3.77
CORN	\$2.64
MILO	\$4.05

## STATEMENT of CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 1974

### ASSETS

First Mortgage Loans .....	17,344,408.82
All Other Loans .....	1,855,997.91
Real Estate Owned .....	-0-
Loans and Contracts Made to Facilitate Sale of Real Estate .....	-0-
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank .....	133,100.00
Cash on Hand and in Banks .....	286,986.64
Investments and Securities .....	5,094,198.61
Office Building, Less Depreciation .....	651,465.86
Furniture, fixtures, equipment and leasehold improvements, less depreciation .....	75,282.10
Land Purchased for Development .....	-0-
Investment in Subsidiaries .....	-0-
Deferred Charges and Other Assets .....	131,315.01
<b>TOTAL ASSETS .....</b>	<b>25,552,734.97</b>


### CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES

Savings Accounts .....	22,278,578.57
Advances From Federal Home Loan Bank of Little Rock .....	1,000,000.00
Other Borrowed Money .....	300,000.00
Loans in Process .....	6,151.18
Other Liabilities .....	871,532.56
Specific Reserves .....	10,906.41
Permanent Reserve Fund Stock .....	255,200.00
General Reserves:	
Legal Reserve and/or Federal Insurance Reserve .....	617,783.67
Reserve for Contingencies .....	-0-
Other Reserves .....	8,854.43
Surplus or Undivided Profits .....	203,730.15
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES .....</b>	<b>25,552,734.97</b>

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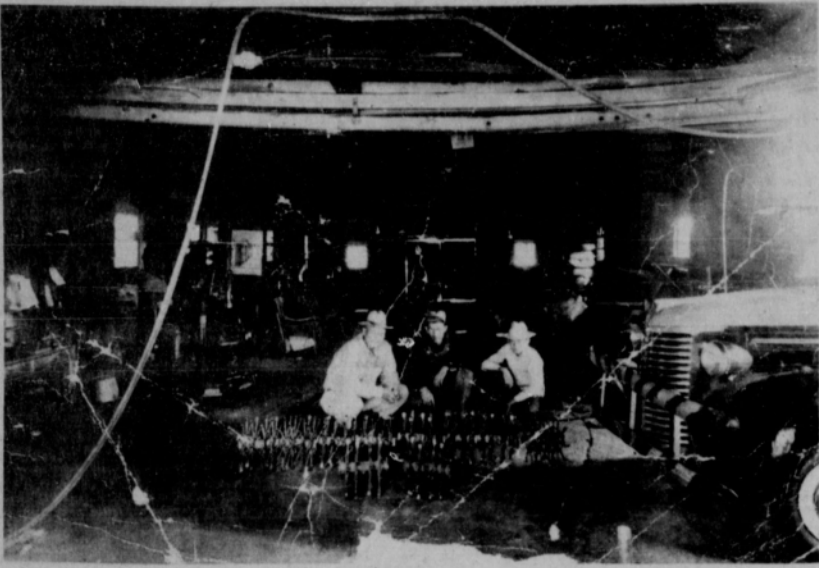
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Pictured above in his Petersburg, Texas manufacturing plant is W. A. Dowdy, J. D. Dowdy and Murrell Dowdy. This picture was made in 1949, and the first rotary hoe is pictured in front of the Dowdy's. Mr. Dowdy invented this first rotary hoe in 1947, and sold millions of them to farmers throughout the world. He had 11 employees working in the plant at Petersburg at one time.

## W. A. Dowdy Invented Rotary Hoe In 1947

As time goes by in our farming communities, we tend to forget our pioneer fathers and mothers who made so many inventions that helped revolutionize our way of living today. Such a family was the W. A. Dowdy family of Petersburg, Texas. Mr. Dowdy invented the Rotary Hoe in 1947, in his small factory in Petersburg, Texas. Mr. Dowdy had two sons, J. D. Dowdy and Murrell Dowdy. Murrell now lives in Spearman, Texas, and resides at 910 Townsend Street. J. D. Dowdy and Murrell were both inventors and have made quite a mark in our past history. J. D. was given the highest civilian award in the history of Reese Air Force Base when

he invented a jet burner to be used on jet airplanes. It is still the one in use today. Murrell built the first portable ensilage truck in the Panhandle area. But we want to salute the senior Dowdy, who invented the rotary hoe.

The first rotary hoe was invented for the cotton country. It was invented as a crust buster, and a machine to help stop sand from blowing. When Mr. Dowdy came out with his first rotary hoe he had three rows of spikes on the hoe, later he went to 4 and then 5. Today, on modern rotary hoes there are upwards of 8 or 10 spikes, or possibly even more. For years the rotary hoe has helped control our farming in the Hans-

ford County area. And with the irrigation era, the rotary hoe has most certainly been our most valuable tool. It has helped increase production, helped hold moisture in our soil, and has enabled farmers to control weeds in many cases.

It is with pleasure and honor that we salute this fine family for their contribution to our way of life in the Panhandle area. Mr. Dowdy passed away in 1965, and J. D. has also passed away. But their contributions to the farming community, and to the jet-air age will be remembered by all of us.

Once again, thanks to the Dowdy's for everything they have done to make our country a better place in which to live.

shredded lettuce-Dressing  
Chopped Onion  
Milk Slices  
Brownies  
Milk

### Dunkin' Munchkins Sale Planned

The Senior High UMY of the First United Methodist Church will be selling Dunkin' Munchkins again on Saturday, February 8, in the downtown area and at the shopping center.

These are very delicious and the UMY group obtains them from Amarillo. They will be on sale for \$2.00 a bucket.

The group sold them last fall to make money for their ski trip and the proceeds from this sale will also go for the ski trip.

Anyone wishing to give an advance order may call any member of the UMY or their sponsors Mr. and Mrs. Burl Buchanan.

### Scout Banquet Speaker Named

His message is timeless, but his language is flavored with contemporary phrases: his warmth, humor, and understanding indicate a very human guy. And so he is, Dr. Tom Haggal of High Point, N. C. is a minister who can communicate with both teenage rebels and conservative gray-suited businessmen.

It was announced today that Dr. Haggal will be in Pampa, Texas on February 7, 1975 at 7:00 p.m. to address the Adobe Walls Area Council - Annual Recognition Banquet to be held at the Coronado Inn. The Bank Notes, a singing group from Booker, Texas, will provide musical entertainment. The covered Silver Beaver Awards will also be presented. In addition to his heavy nationwide schedule of speaking engagements, Dr. Haggal is heard daily from coast to coast on the syndicated radio program, "Values for Better Living."

place cards for the banquet and played at the park. Refreshments of cookies and cakes were served by Byron Sutterfield to members, Toby Phillips, David Tucker, Tracy Longley, Jeff Laird, and Den Mother Mrs. Longley. Next meeting will be January 30th in the home of Mrs. Clifton Longley.

Den #3 met Tuesday, January 21st in the home of Mrs. Gene Jenkins. The boys worked on their achievements and played pivot pool.

John Cook, Danny Close and Bryan Jenkins have earned their Wolfe Badges. Refreshments were served by Bryan Jenkins to members, John Cook, Jimmy Lee, Danny Close and Den Mother, Mrs. Gene Jenkins.

Next meeting will be January 28th in the home of Mrs. Jenkins.



Government Life Insurance dividends totaling a record \$335,600,000 will be paid during 1975 to veterans who have kept their World War I, World War II and Korean Conflict insurance policies in force. Director of Waco VA Regional Office, Jack Coker, pointed out that this is the first time dividends will be paid on Korean Conflict insurance policies.

This year's total is \$31,800,000 more than the amount paid in 1974. The dividend is payable only on participating policies which are currently in force. These are identified by the letter "K" in front of USGLI (World War I) policy number, the letter "V" in front of NSLI (World War II) numbers and the letters "RS" or "W" in front of VSLI (Korean Conflict) policy

numbers. Coker reported that the NSLI dividend amount would be \$307,500,000. This dividend will be paid to 3,720,000 World War II policyholders. An average of \$83 per insured will be paid on the anniversary date of each policy. In 1974, the average dividend was approximately \$75.00.

The USGLI dividend of \$22,000,000 will be paid to 130,000 World War I policyholders. The average individual dividend is \$169 as compared to \$156 in 1974.

A dividend of \$6,100,000 will be paid to 566,000 VSLI (Korean Conflict) policyholders. An average dividend of \$11 will be paid to each insured, their first dividend under this program.

The dividend amount for individual insureds is determined by the plan of insurance, amount of the policy, age of the insured, and the length of time the policy has been in force. Amounts may vary from a slightly over a dollar to several hundred dollars. The increase in dividends over 1974 is due chiefly to the higher interest earnings on the insurance funds.

Payments will be made throughout the year on the anniversary date of the individual policies—the month and day the policy was issued. The first checks were mailed January 1, 1975.

The dividend will be paid automatically based on the option previously selected by the insured.

VA officials stressed there is no need to contact the agency regarding payment.

A golfer phoned his favorite opponent and told him their next match would have to be postponed.

"My doctor advised me to give up golf," he explained.

"Why didn't you ask me first?" asked his opponent. "I could have saved you a doctor's bill."

### HIGH SCHOOL CHOICE

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29  
Prito Pie  
BBQ Turkey  
Potato Salad  
Pinto Beans  
Sweet Pickle Chips  
Applesauce Cake  
Cornbread-Butter  
Milk

### HIGH SCHOOL CHOICE

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30  
Hot Tamales  
Fried Chicken  
Mashed Potatoes  
Blackeye Peas  
Celery Sticks  
Raspberry Dessert  
Bread  
Milk

### HIGH SCHOOL CHOICE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31  
Beef Casserole  
Hamburger-Mustard or Ham Salad Sandwich  
Potato Sticks-Catsup  
Buttered Corn

### BOWLING

#### MONDAY NITE SCATTER PINS 1/20/75

	WON	LOST
Equity	58	14
Co-op	48	24
Allsup's	41	31

Anthony Electric	38	34
Baker & Taylor	35	37

#### Spearmen App-lance

Burton's TV	19	52
Excel	16	55

#### HIGH TEAM GAME

Equity	1833
Co-op	1828
Allsup's	1792

#### HIGH SERIES

Judy Black	516
Sheryl Meek	499
Joyce Frost	481

#### HIGH IND. GAME

Judy Black	211
Millie Craig	193
Rita Reed	185
Sheryl Meek	185

### Boy Scout News

Den #2 met Tuesday, January 21st in the home of Mrs. Dwight Sumner.

The boys worked on their place settings and invitations for the Blue and Gold Banquet in February.

Refreshments were served by Jeff Hand to members, Joe Gomez, Greg Farr, Jeff Nicholson, Shane Sumner, Den Chief David Hall, Den Mother, Mrs. Dwight Sumner and Guest Den Mother, Mrs. Jim Nicholson.

Next meeting will be January 28th in the home of Mrs. Sumner.

Den #6 met Thursday, January 23rd in the home of Mrs. Clifton Longley. The boys worked on their

## General Telephone's Construction Budget Set

General Telephone Company President L. Gray Beck today announced plans to spend \$109.7 million during 1975 to expand and improve telephone facilities in its operations in Arkansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas.

Beck said this equates to more than \$150 per customer served by the company.

The telephone executive pointed out the 1975 construction budget is the lowest in several years and is much lower than earlier projections due to inflation, inadequate earnings and a drop in expected growth.

"These current conditions were drawn into sharp focus as the final 1975 budget and its related projects were examined," the telephone company president said. "At the same time, our most optimistic estimates for the year showed that with our present rate structures and the dogging regulatory lag (the time between the added costs and the granting of new rates to support these costs), our revenues would not be sufficient to support our original projected construction expenditures."

"As a result, during the last quarter of 1974 particularly, we studied and re-evaluated our 1975 construction budget. The budget is now designed to enable us to maintain acceptable service and hopefully a financially viable position that benefits both the customer and company," Beck stated.

He continued, "Only through fair and reasonable rates and constant surveillance of operating costs can we properly finance our projected growth. If we are to remain viable, we must receive an adequate rate of return on our investment. If not, we have no alternative but to evaluate our service and keep construction costs at a level commensurate with earnings. Of course we intend, even in the face of the present economic situation, to keep service at a high level." If the general economic conditions continue to deteriorate we will have to adjust our construction budget accordingly, Beck added.

The largest portion of the telephone construction budget is \$47.5 million earmarked

for central office equipment (COE). This includes providing One Plus and/or Zero Plus Dialing to 34 exchanges. By the end of the year, 98 percent of the company's customers will have One Plus Dialing and 70 percent will have Zero Plus Dialing.

Other equipment additions include 45 projects to provide automatic number identification of 1- and 0- dialed calls for billing purposes for one and two-party customers, making this service available in 50 percent of the company's offices.

Another part of the central office equipment budget includes the addition of five computer operated switching facilities to new or existing offices in larger service areas, and the installation of four smaller electronic offices in smaller exchanges.

Beck said both types of the new offices provide faster, more accurate service while offering new services as well as being adaptable to offer services for the future. The equipment processes large volumes of calls at high speeds while providing greater flexibility in adjusting to changing communications needs.

These offices automatically perform self-checking functions, pinpointing trouble or potential trouble that normally goes unnoticed until service is interrupted.

A new electronic office being constructed in Bryan will be the company's first toll office operated by electronic equipment.

Another major portion of the budget amounts to \$29.9 million to cover facilities located outside the central offices. Of this amount, \$27.6 million is designated for growth and modernization which includes expansion and updating of long distance and extended area service facilities and buried and underground cable.

Beck said other parts of the budget include \$2.9 million for land purchases and construction of new buildings and building additions.

Other items in the overall construction budget total \$39.3 million for private automatic branch exchange (PABX) equipment, telephones, labor and materials to connect the customer's telephone to

service lines, vehicles, furniture and fixtures, and tools and work equipment.

The company president said a gain of 72,000 telephones is expected during 1975, bringing the estimated year-end total to 1,194,800.

### Allsup's Has Management Seminar

Allsup's Convenience Stores held a two-day Management Seminar at the Holiday Inn in Clovis, New Mexico this past Friday and Saturday, January 17 and 18. Approximately 70 people attended including store managers and area supervisors from 42 stores located in New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma. Also attending were home office staff from Clovis, New Mexico.

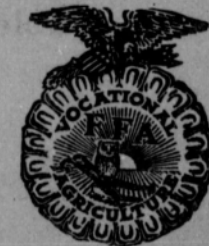
The Seminar began Friday with registration, a banquet, and a talk from owner and President of Allsup's Convenience Stores, Lonnie Allsup. Saturday the company Managers were divided in three groups, with each group attending discussions on Inventory Management, led by Lonnie Allsup, How to Manage People, led by Harv Stewart, Director of Training, and Customer Relations, led by Asst. Director of Training, Al McAllister.

### School Menu

MONDAY, JANUARY 27  
Roast & Gravy  
Buttered Rice  
Green Beans  
Tossed Salad-Dressing  
Peanut Butter Blend  
Hot Rolls-Butter  
Milk

### HIGH SCHOOL CHOICE

Breaded Steak  
TUESDAY, JANUARY 28  
Burritos  
Whole Potatoes in Cheese Sauce  
Green Peas  
Fruit  
Chocolate Chip Cookie Bar  
Hot Rolls-Butter  
Milk



# CONGRATULATIONS!

We take this opportunity to salute the members of the organizations in Hansford County.

We also would like to express our Congratulations To each exhibitor in the Amarillo Livestock Show.

## First National Bank

Perryton, Texas



# Fifty-two Families In County Use Food Stamps

Fifty-two of the one hundred forty-two families living below the poverty level in Hansford County are now making use of the food stamp program. These families purchased foods, prepared for human consumption only, at six authorized stores in Hansford County.

Only citizens and aliens legally admitted for permanent residence are eligible. Although students are eligible to participate if they qualify, foreign students normally cannot qualify because they are not admitted for permanent residence. Aliens in the country illegally are reported to the Immigration and Naturalization Service when the caseworker becomes aware of their presence.

The food stamp program is formulated to provide low income families with a nutritious diet. All families of identical size receive the same dollar value of food stamps. However, the price paid for the food stamps varies with the net income of the family. The net income is derived from deducting various expenses from the gross income of the family. Some of these expenses are federal withholding, Social Security, mandatory school expense (including tuition), certain medical costs in excess of \$10 per month, child care expense when necessary for the mother to accept employment and shelter expense in excess of 30% of the income.

The food stamp program has proved to be an effective way for low income households to increase their food purchasing power. The United States Department of Agriculture studied the impact of food stamps on three rural counties in 1970. These were the findings: (1) On the average, low income households more than doubled their food purchasing power if they received food stamps. The 3,200 participating households paid \$1,085,500 for food stamps and received \$2,254,500 worth of bonus stamps. (2) Economic returns to farmers increased from \$1.04 to \$1.17. (3) Food retailers, food wholesalers and wholesale suppliers had to increase their output as bonus stamps provided more buying power. (4) Purchases with food stamps represented from 5 to 10% of the total sales of those stores authorized to accept food stamps. (5) New economy was generated from \$250,000 to \$1.5 million. (6) The increased economic activity made a total of 130 new jobs potentially available in the three counties.

STATE-WIDE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Before the state-wide food stamp program was approved in 1972, twenty-eight Texas counties had food

stamps. The program which these counties were operating was retained but with several changes.

Administrative costs for the state-wide program are paid by the State of Texas. Previously, the counties were responsible for these costs. The state-wide program is administered by the State Department of Public Welfare. The United States Department of Agriculture pays for and redeems the food stamps.

Certified households receive an Authorization to Purchase (ATP) card each month in the mail. The ATP cards specify an amount of the stamps and how much money, if any, they must pay for them. The ATP card and the necessary cash is then redeemed for food stamps at the local Post Office.

A variable purchase plan is included in the state-wide program. This allows households to purchase less than their full food stamp allotment.

Households receiving monthly ATP cards will have four purchase options -- all, three-quarters, one-half or one-quarter. Stability of the household's income and preference determine whether they receive the ATP card on a monthly or semi-monthly basis.

An ATP card may be used one time, regardless of what option within the variable purchase plan the household chooses. This card is valid only for the month indicated on the card. The state-wide food stamp program promises to put more Texas-produced food on more Texas tables.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Any person receiving a welfare check, who does not make much money or who is disabled may be eligible to participate in the state-wide food stamp program.

Other persons possibly eligible for food stamps include those who work part-time, are employed or those who get small Social Security payments or some kind of pension check.

Individuals and households may apply for food stamps but all applicants must have cooking facilities in their place of residence in order to qualify. Cooking facilities do not have to be of the conventional type. An individual with no stove but a hot-plate will meet this particular requirement.

An individual is anyone who does not live in a boarding house or an institution. A household is a group of people, not necessarily related, living in one economic unit sharing common cooking facilities or for whom food is customarily purchased in common. A single individual can also comprise a household.

WHAT FOOD STAMPS BUY

Retail grocery stores certified by USDA may accept food stamps for the purchase of most food and food products. Items which cannot be purchased with food stamps include alcoholic beverages and tobacco.

Grocers redeem food stamps through banks or authorized food wholesalers. Local banks, in turn, send coupons to the Federal Reserve Banks.

CERTIFICATION PROCESS

All persons interested in applying for food stamps should take the following information to the nearest food stamp office. The food stamp office is located in the Hansford County Courthouse in Spearman.

1. Identification (Social Security card, driver's license, etc.).
2. Proof of the household's total income (latest paystubs, pay envelopes, pension award letter).
3. Rent receipts or house payment book and utility bills.
4. Bank books or other papers to show any savings.
5. Medical bills.
6. F-16 Claim Identification card for those receiving unemployment insurance.

During the application process, all able-bodied household members between the ages of 18 and 65 must register to work. The only exceptions are those responsible for dependent children under 18 or for incapacitated adults; students enrolled at least half-time in any school or training program recognized by a federal, state or local government agency; and those working at least 30 hours a week.

The work registration forms are completed at the food stamp office and then forwarded to the local Texas Employment Commission.

All jobs offered by the employment office must

meet certain requirements, such as paying a minimum wage, providing safe working conditions, and being reasonably close to home. If an applicant should refuse work that meets these requirements, he would no longer be eligible for food stamps.

Persons out of work due to a strike or lock-out are also required to register for work but are not required to work at plants subject to a strike or lock-out. They are, however, required to accept employment in positions not subject to strike or lock-out.

According to Texas Department of Agriculture home economists, sirloins with a long, flat bone are slightly more tender than others and have the largest portion of tenderloin.

## ON WALL STREET

Bob Hill  
Lentz, Newton & Co.,  
Amarillo

A Saudi Arabian by the name of Adnan Khashoggi, who helped Northrop Corp. recently win a \$750-million contract to supply Saudi Arabia with jet fighters, would like to own another bank. This one is in San Jose, California. He already owns 98% of one bank near San Francisco and 84% of another but the combined assets of those two banks are rather small, only \$150-million. Thus far, Khashoggi is thought to be acting on his own, not fronting for Saudi Arabian dollars which

that country is earning from oil revenues at such a rate, it is having a tough time just trying to figure out what to do with all of its money.

Khashoggi, who is reportedly worth more than \$80-million, has offered to pay a 12.5% premium for a new issue of the bank's stock to be sold privately to him. The offer has split the bank's board of directors as some directors point out that a partial takeover of the bank by Khashoggi would pave the way for him to acquire absolute control of the bank at bargain prices, once his head is in the tent. Community relations are also getting into it. The president of the Jewish Federation of Greater San Jose has threatened to close his account if the Khashoggi

deal goes through.

Khashoggi's offer means an infusion of over \$14-million into the bank's capital, but the bank has no plans for embarking on any projects requiring anything like that amount of money. The question of what will happen now will be decided by the shareholders soon. In order for the proposal to be accepted, two thirds of the shareholders must approve the deal and then the Comptroller of the Currency must give his blessing. That approval will depend on the financial standing of Mr. Khashoggi, his banking record with the other banks which he owns and the men he selects to be his directors and bank officers. The flood of money from the Middle East is just beginning and the banking system of the

U. S. will be a favorite spot for Arab dollars to be invested, not as bank depositors but as bank owners. Since the banking system of this country is one of the best assets the American people have, it should be jealously guarded, especially as to the moral caliber of the individuals involved.

## Jaycee Corner

The Spearman Jaycees met in a joint meeting with the American Cancer Society Thursday, January 23rd in the Hospitality Room of the First State Bank.

It was decided that the school will give out Bike-

A-Thon certificates at school assemblies. A date will be set at a later date to give out trophies.

Cancer Society members present were Mrs. Comfort Winders, Mrs. A. R. Bort, Mrs. Ted McClellan, and Mrs. W. L. Maupin, all of Gruver, Mrs. Gus Renner, Freeman Barkley and Judge Johnny Lee, all of Spearman, and Jerry Alexander of Amarillo.

Jaycee members present were Fred Groves, Rusty Tindell and Dwayne Smith. The Jaycees will meet January 30th in the County Barn.

In terms of disposable income, the average income of farm people lags seven percent behind that of non-farm people, said Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

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250.00	750	15:1	7.5:1	1.5:1
100.00	2,250	5:1	2.5:1	1:1
50.00	7,500	1.5:1	1:1	0.5:1
25.00	22,500	0.5:1	0.5:1	0.2:1
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Skinless Franks... 1-LB. PKG. 129¢

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Skinless Franks... 12-OZ. PKG. 69¢

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## TEXAS TALK

By Vance Snider

**KILLING MERIT** — is the term used to describe the qualifications of cattle for slaughter. Generally, there are three points considered in determining the grade of a steer for slaughter. They are: conformation, finish and quality.

**CONFORMATION** — is the build or shape of the steer. In this determination, bone structure is secondary since the contours of an animal are controlled primarily by the size and shape of the muscles. A good conformation is important in grading beef since it usually means a higher dressing percentage, more of the higher priced cuts and a better meat-to-bone cutting percentage.

**NEXT WEEK** — Finish, quality, and what the "perfect" steer looks like.

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These speech students, Beth Sheets, Diane Van Zandt, Pam Rylant, Teresa Dortch, back row; and Frosty Hickerson and Mark Sheets participated in Friona tourney earlier in the month. Don Cooper, not shown, also participated.



SECOND RUNNER-UP sweepstakes trophy winner at the Dalhart Speech Tourney Jan. 11 was the Spearman High School Speech Dept. Shown here are Teresa Dortch, second in persuasive speaking, Gina Hutchison, who reached the finals in prose reading, Lonnie Clemmons, finals in informative speaking and Mark Sheets, first persuasive speaking.

### Speech Students Score High In Tourneys

The Spearman High School Speech Department attended a speech tournament on January 4 at Friona.

Teresa Dortch placed first in persuasive speaking. Beth Sheets won third in informative speaking. Reaching the finals of semifinals in individual events but not placing were: Don Cooper, Persuasive speaking; Frosty Hickerson, Poetry Reading; Mark Sheets, Persuasive speaking.

Pam Rylant and Diane VanZandt won all of their preliminary rounds in Debate and advanced to the quarter-finals before losing to Muleshoe.

A also attending the tournament were: Steve McKay, Charles Price in Debate, Gina Hutchinson in Poetry Interpretation.

Spearman High School Speech Department won

the second runner-up sweepstakes trophy at the Dalhart Speech Tournament on January 11th.

Reaching the finals in individual events: Prose Reading, Lonnie Clemmons, Informative Speaking. Placing in the individual finals were: Mark Sheets, first, persuasive speaking; Teresa Dortch, second, persuasive speaking; Don Cooper, third, persuasive speaking.

Two debate teams lost only one round of the preliminary debates but missed going into the semifinals by speaker points. They were: Pam Rylant and Diane VanZandt and Susan McKay and Mark Sheets.

Other entries were: Frosty Hickerson and Diane VanZandt, Poetry Reading; Steve McKay and Charles Price, Debate.

### Hwy. Dept. Films Available

NOTICE OF FILMS AND SLIDE SHOWS AVAILABLE via the Texas Highway Department's Educational Film Library in Amarillo.

The latest film, "WAR ON WET WEATHER ACCIDENTS", attacks the problem of wet weather driving on our nation's highways. Rain becomes pearls on a rose petal, yet rivulets of danger on the highway. Hazards of other cars and roadside structures become almost invisible obstacles during severe rain storms. The WAR ON WET WEATHER ACCIDENTS, a 16 mm, sound and color film of 25 minutes length, touches on a few methods of research being conducted in Texas to combat wet weather accidents and offers excellent advice about what you, the driver, can do in order to drive more safely on wet roads.

You are invited to schedule a showing of this film and other films listed below. In order to do so, please contact MRS. MILDRED S. STARR at the Texas Highway Department, P. O. Box 2708, Amarillo, Texas 79105. Or call Mrs. Starr at area code 806, 355-5671, Ext. 40. Some audio-visual equipment is available at the Highway Department and may be requested from Mrs. Starr.

The following films, all 16 mm, sound and color, are available: "THE MISSIONS OF TEXAS" -- Narrated by actor Ricardo Montalban, designed to stimulate interest in Texas mission history. Explores 10 of the ancient Spanish missions where visitors can walk in the past to

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