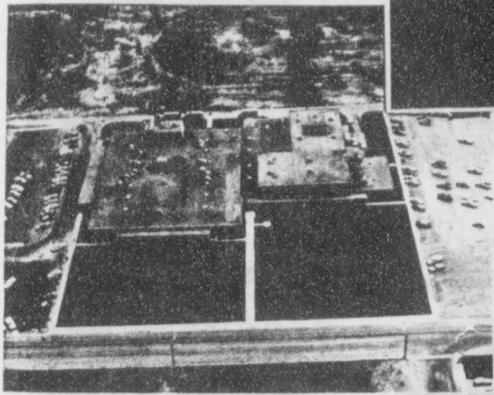


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School 'Daze' Sept. 2!

That apple should be on the teacher's desk here in Spearman, Tuesday, Sept. 2. That is when all classes begin. There will be some registration underway at the Junior high school on Sept. 2 but the major part of registration will have been completed. New students in town for kindergarten through grade four were registered Wednesday and Thursday mornings. Regular registration at these grade levels is set for Friday. The "in-service" schedule for all teachers is Aug. 26 - 29. --And to emphasize: classes convene Sept. 2.

Roden, Librarian; Terry Schneider, Math.; Worley Smith, D.E.; Minnie Weaver, Math.; Burt Williams, Voc. Ag.; Craig Zink, Band; Robert Hardy, VAC and Dorothy Wealch, Aide. Wanda Archer is secretary to the principal. At junior high, Principal G.W. Robinson starts the new school year with the following faculty: Margie Alford, Reading, Speech; Charlotte Angel, EL and Jr. High Music; Linda Blackmon, Homebound; Terry Crocker, Soc. studies, Coach; Earlene Gee, Soc. Studies; Mary Alice Gibner, Title I, Reading; Ellen Graham, Lang. Arts, Sci.; Herb Hager, Soc. Studies, Coach; Mallie Halton, E., Jr. High P.E.; Georgianne Hutchison, Art; Frank Lewis, LLD Prog.; Thomas May, E., Jr. High P.E.; Blunt McGee, Math; Pauline McGee, Lang.; Miriam Mercer, Lang. Art, Soc. Studies; Jerry Orr, Math; Edwin Percy, Sci.; Carolyn Sreogge, Math., Sci.; Velma Shoemaker, Lang., H.S. Art; Athalie Traylor, Library Aide; Juanita Tucker, Teacher Aide and Sheila Watley, Lang. Arts, Reading, Tennis Coach. Norma Holland is secretary to the principal. At the elementary school, the teaching faculty includes: Kindergarten, Mrs. King, Mrs. Cope; First Grade: Mrs. Benton, Mrs. Friemel, Mrs. May; Second Grade: Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Mayhew; Third Grade: Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Depee; Fourth Grade: Mr. Winegarmer, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Collinsworth; Title I Reading: Mrs. Hager; Migrant: Miss Morgan; Speech Therapy: Mr. Rambo and LLD: Mrs. Sims.



There are three new faces on the high school faculty according to Principal Eddy Clemmons. They are Claudine Clark, Home Ec.; Gary Rambo, health, P.E. and coach; Pam Perrott, Speech and Drama. The rest of the roster includes Travis Angel, Choir; Marshal Benton, English; Herman Boone, Voc. Ag.; James Collingsworth, Biology, Coach; Jimmy Duncan, Athletic Director; Stanley Freriks, Chem., Phys., Phy. Sc.; Kenneth Friemel, Health, P.E., Coach; Wanda Jones, Business; Lee A. Josephson, Home Ec.; Glenna McMullan, Spanish, Eng. I; Donnie Mitchell, Eng. I; Dwayne Mitchell, Eng., Speech, Com.; Larry Morris, W. Hist., Coach; Susan Morris, A. Hist., Gvt.; Claude Newell, Counselor; Fern Newton, Library Asst.; Ralph Newton, Math, Coach; Dorothy

August Busy Month For Sheriff's Dept.

After some quiet weeks, August is providing some busy times for the Hansford County Sheriff's Department with warrants out for felony theft suspects, one arrested for aggravated assault, one sought for forgery, one questioned on property damage and an ongoing investigation of a major "haul" from a Hansford County

ranch site. According to Sheriff R.L. McFarlin, Speartex Grain reported, Tuesday, the theft of tools and oil products valued at \$1,000. Thursday, felony warrants were issued for three suspects and according to Sheriff McFarlin, arrests are expected momentarily. The sheriff said an arrest is eminent in a forgery complaint

lodged back in May. Saturday, Aug. 16, Terry Arteberry was arrested for aggravated assault on a 22-year old woman. He was released on \$1,000 bond. Wednesday, members of the Moose Lodge thought they had a burglary case on their hands when extensive damage to the front door was discovered. However, a check revealed

nothing missing and further investigation by the Sheriff's department disclosed the damage had been done by a motor vehicle. A suspect is currently being questioned in this incident. Sheriff McFarlin noted that the most extensive investigation to date is the ongoing detailed check into the theft of goods valued at \$14,000 recently stolen from the Jim Alexander ranch located in the northwest sector of Hansford County. Four illegal aliens were taken in custody in the investigation of the theft of gasoline from vehicles but Sheriff McFarlin said his department opted for turning the quartet over to the border patrol for deportation rather than the time and expense of prosecution for the few gallons of gasoline involved. The sheriff noted that, even in the quiet weeks, there is one chore always facing the sheriff's department: worthless checks and the people who issue them. Such "hot" checks are on the upsurge and the sheriff felt it would intensify as the Christmas season approached even though inflation has aggravated the volume of offenses tremendously. Noting that some merchants are somewhat lax in qualifying tendered checks for fear of offending good customers, Sheriff McFarlin said his department will furnish cards to merchants stating that the information asked for when a check is issued at a point of purchase is a requirement of the Hansford County Sheriff's Department taking the onus of any unpleasantness off the merchant. He stressed that merchants should be very careful in two areas: one, they should not only LOOK at the check casher's drivers license but should put the number on the check and two: be very careful with out-of-state checks. A check accepted for less than \$200 on an out-of-state bank and returned marked "no account here" is impossible to recover. A bad check for less than \$200 is a misdemeanor offense and there is no extradition possible. "A customer can write a check on a Guyton bank at a local store for less than \$200 knowing it is worthless but if the merchant accepts it, it is impossible to bring that person back from Oklahoma. The only hope is to catch him or her in Texas," the sheriff explained. Despite all the handicaps legally attendant to recovering funds on worthless checks and despite the increase of such checks, the Hansford County Sheriff's Department has established a pretty good track record. In the first eight months of this year, the department has recovered some \$2,927.53 on worthless checks. During that same period of time, the sheriff's department has been instrumental in the collection of \$1,683 in fines and fees.

Five Get Sentences In Court

In the most recent session of court, members of the Hansford County Sheriff's Department saw convictions in five cases with which they had been involved. Bob Griffin, was sentenced to five years for burglary and fined \$500. The sentence was probated on condition that restitution would be made. Lewis McIntosh, Woodward, Okla., drew a three-year sentence for felony theft by check over \$200. This sentence was probated with restitution as a stipulation. Connie Nix, Lakewood, Colo., drew a six months probated sentence and a fine of \$240. Here again there was agreement to make restitution. James Griffith, address listed simply as New Mexico, was

tried for hindering secured creditors and sentenced to two years with the sentence probated and restitution arranged. Michael Leno, Lufk, Wy., was returned to Hansford County to face a probation revocation hearing. He had drawn a probated sentence for involvement in a burglary at Gruver some time ago. His probation was revoked and he was remanded to the state penitentiary at Huntsville to serve his three-year prison sentence.

City of Spearman

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PROCLAMATION

"JERRY LEWIS TELETHON DAY"

TO THE CITIZENS OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS:

WHEREAS, muscular dystrophy and related neuromuscular diseases afflict thousands of our fellow citizens throughout the nation, many of them children; and

WHEREAS, the programs of basic and clinical research, and medical services maintained by the Muscular Dystrophy Association represent the only concerted effort to find the causes and develop effective treatments for these crippling disorders, and to provide patients with free medical care; and

WHEREAS, the annual Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon carries the good news of these vital services to patients coast to coast and is a primary source of nationwide public support for these life-extending programs; and

WHEREAS, recent new insights into the nature of human muscle and of neuromuscular disease have raised realistic hope for significant further progress in the fight against neuromuscular disease in the foreseeable future.

NOW THEREFORE, I, C. Ralph Blodgett, Mayor of Spearman hereby proclaim Monday, September 1, 1980 as

"JERRY LEWIS TELETHON DAY"

in Spearman, and urge that all citizens of this city join in support of the work of the Muscular Dystrophy Association by contribution to the Jerry Lewis Telethon -- so all those who wait to be set free from the burdens of neuromuscular disease may have their dream fulfilled.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the City of Spearman, Texas.

DATED the twelfth day of August, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty.

C. Ralph Blodgett
C. RALPH BLODGETT



Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Hugh Bell, Floy Largent, Vida Jones, Jeri Sunday and son, Nancy Shaner and Daughter, Kathy Goodwin and daughter, Janice Mayfield and daughter, Michelle Davis, John Pimperton, Vernell Byrd, Rhonda Buynum and son, and Rose Beck.

Dismissed were Steven Knox, Kelly Garrett, Lorane Kunselman, Eddie Rojas, Carla Cook, and Anselmo Vela.

School begins Monday, August 25, 1980 in Gruver.

Aides are Mrs. Uptergrove, first grade; Mrs. Brack, second; Mrs. Patterson, third and fourth; Mrs. Percy, Title I Reading; Mrs. McMullan, LLD and Mrs. Duncan, Migrant. Mrs. Dickie Allen is the school nurse for kindergarten through grade 12. Mrs. Clemmon is secretary to Elementary Principal Allen Alford. NOTE TO ALL TEACHERS: If that Sept. 2 apple is not shiny, take heart! School students everywhere have been known to spend the whole year apple-polishing.

WEATHER

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8-14-80	88	72
8-15-80	89	66
8-16-80	94	64
8-17-80	93	62
8-18-80	92	64
8-19-80	92	69
8-20-80	90	66
8-21-80	91	61

Police Activity For Week

The Spearman Police Department activity for the week of August 15 thru August 21, 1980 included the following:

OFFENSE REPORTS:
1. On August 17, 1980 Ms. Allena Gould reported that while her 1978 Dodge was parked in the 600 Block of Avenue D, person (s) unknown had broken the drivers door window.
2. On August 16, 1980 The Double C Feedlot Services reported that person(s) unknown had apparently with BB Guns had damaged the windshield and drivers door window of a 1979 Mack Truck while the truck was parked in the 600 Block of Avenue D.
3. On August 21, 1980 a local Spearman Resident was arrested on charges of Public Intoxication as observed when officers responded to a reported Motor Vehicle Traffic Accident.
4. On August 21, 1980 Mr. Michael Brown reported that he had observed an individual

operating a Motor Vehicle in a reckless manner. Information was obtained on the vehicle and Mr. Brown filed a Citizen Complaint.
TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS:
1. On August 15, 1980 in the 200 Block of South Townsend an accident involving a vehicle driven by Mr. Angel Rodriguez and a parked vehicle owned by Cordova Zadien occurred. No injuries were reported.
2. On August 15, 1980 in the Spearman high School Parking Area an accident involving a vehicle driven by Mr. John Weakley and a parked vehicle owned by Mr. Jerry George occurred. No injuries were reported.
3. On August 16, 1980 Mr. Bill Turner related that while his 1978 white over wine Pontiac LeMans was parked in the 100 Block of Main Street it was struck by a vehicle, which failed to stop and leave information. The vehicle which left the scene was possibly white in color and

will have damages on the left side.
4. On August 21, 1980 in the 800 Block of 8th Street an accident involving a vehicle driven by Mr. Kenneth Schaffer and a vehicle driven by Mr. Charley Hoggatt occurred. No injuries were reported.
If any citizen has any information regarding the above incidents and/or accidents they are asked to contact the Spearman Police Department. All information and the identity of the citizen can remain confidential.
Ronald D. Robinson
Chief of Police

MARKETS

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Milo	\$5.20
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Corn	\$3.15



Insurance Corner

TOURNIQUETS ARE OUT

What would you do if, as a result of an accident, an arm or leg began to bleed profusely? Apply a tourniquet, right? Wrong!

"Too many people do not realize that a tourniquet shuts off the blood supply. If it's left on too long, gangrene may set in and amputation may be necessary," says the director of health and safety for Scouting/USA. Safety authorities discourage the use of tourniquets except as a last resort or when supervised by first-aid experts. According to the experts, "More people have been lost from a tourniquet applied poorly or left on too long than from

not having one at all." By applying pressure at the injured spot you can stop almost any bleeding. Even the most severe bleeding can usually be arrested with a large compress - a handkerchief or a piece of shirt - held firmly on the artery until the blood clots and the wound can be bandaged.

However, such measures should never be taken with head wounds, because pressure may force pieces of a fractured skull into the brain. Instead, have the victim lie comfortable with the head slightly raised until medical help arrives.

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Agenda

AGENDA
TUESDAY AUGUST 26, 1980
8:00 P.M.

1. Pledge and invocation
2. Consideration of approval of minutes of regular city council meeting of August 12, 1980 and special city council meeting of August 19, 1980.
3. Opening and consideration of awarding bid for a true lease financial method for the municipal airport T-hangers.
4. Opening bids for construction of four (4) six (6) unit T-hangers and one alternate six (6) unit.
5. Consideration of Stephens management consultants, Inc. comprehensive wage and salary survey.
6. Consideration of resolution #7-80 authorizing the mayor to submit a grant application to the Texas aeronautic commission for 1981 fiscal year.
7. Consideration of resolution #8-80 authorizing the mayor to submit a grant application to the Texas aeronautic commission for 1982 fiscal year.
8. Consideration of resolution #9-80 authorizing the mayor to submit a pre-application grant to the federal aviation administration for fiscal year 1982.
9. Consideration of resolution #11-80 concerning general telephone quality of service.
10. Discussion of community public service's electrical rate structure.
11. Consideration of appointment of city health officer.
12. Consideration of emergency purchase from passavant corporation for one rotor assembly for the waste water treatment plant.
13. Other
14. Adjourn

Jim Murray, City Manager

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board at City Hall on August 22, 1980 at 3:00 p.m.
Donna Thomas, Secretary

Presbyterian Church News

Sunday Church School classes for everyone are provided at the First Presbyterian Church every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. They also furnish teachers who are dedicated to the task of making the Bible come alive to you with practical help for living as a Christian in the last quarter of the twentieth century.

"How Do You Look?" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday, August 24 at 11:00 a.m. Mrs. Glendon Etling will be playing the organ for the service.

The Session will meet on Wednesday, August 27 at 8:00 p.m.

There is a warm, Christian welcome awaiting everyone who attends any of the services and activities of the First Presbyterian Church.

The Lay Renewal Prayer group will meet at the main, 1100 S. Barkley, on Wednesday, August 27 at 7:30 p.m. Betty Freeman will be teaching.

We urge everyone to enroll in the CHANGE THE WORLD SCHOOL OF PRAYER to be held September 8-9-10 at the First Christian Church. There is a registration blank on the bulletin board in our narthex where you may sign up.



Seminar For "Women In Small Business"

AMARILLO--Registration is now open for a seminar especially designed for the woman who owns or wants to own a business.

The "Women In Small Business" seminar sponsored by TSTI-Amarillo's Technical Office Training program, will deal with many topics including "Developing a Business Plan", "Marketing and Advertising", "Selecting a Location", and "Financing a Business."

A pre-seminar workshop on Saturday, September 27, will begin at 9 a.m. and continue through 3 p.m. at the Texas A&M Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West.

Seminar classes will meet every Thursday from 6:00 to 9:30 p.m. beginning October 2 through December 13. Two Saturday sessions will also be held. All classes will meet at the Texas A&M Center.

Fee for the seminar is \$50.00. Textbook and materials will be extra.

Application information should be requested from the Technical Office Training program on the Texas State Technical Institute Amarillo Campus.

Soil & Water Districts Association Meet Set

The Panhandle Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts will have their meeting August 27, 1980 at Sutphens Restaurant in Borger.

Austel Burrus, member Hutchinson County SWCD will be the master of ceremonies for the morning session.

Registration begins at 9:30 to 10:00.

Speakers for the meeting include Foster Whaley, State Representative of Pampa introducing Congressman Jack Hightower, and Carl Spencer, executive director, Texas State and Soil and Water Conservation Board of Temple.

Willard McCloy, president, Panhandle Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts will be the master of ceremony of the afternoon session.

Afternoon speakers include Frank Gray, Member, Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, W.Q. Richards, Area I Director, Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

Foran Is New Head

PRPC--Amarillo construction executive Bill Foran is the new head of the Texas State Board of Health. He is the first layman to serve in that capacity in its 71-year history.

"I am real pleased that Governor Briscoe had enough faith in me to appoint me to the vice-chairmanship of the board two years ago," Foran observed. "And I am just as pleased that Governor Clements wanted me to serve as chairman."

Foran's duties include the review of activities of one of the state's largest agencies. The board of health has a \$200 million dollar budget and 5,000 employees. It oversees diverse areas such as water and sewer plans, off-shore oyster beds, and sanitary landfills.

"One of the main issues we will be dealing with over the next couple of years is nuclear waste," Foran says. "We are going to be setting up licensing procedures and inspection routines for those waste sites. That is going to be a real challenge."

Another challenge for Foran is the monthly meeting of the board. He is one of two health consumers. Other disciplines represented include hospital administration, medicine, nursing homes, pharmacy, chiropractic, veterinary, optometry, dentistry, and osteopathy.

"I'm really looking forward to dealing with those professionals," Bill Foran says. "A lot of

my background is in sanitation engineering, so it is not as if I am a stranger to the field. I hope I can bring some fresh perspectives and come away with new ideas."

Foran's tenure on the Health Commission is specially significant to the Panhandle and to the Panhandle Health Systems Agency.

"We are real proud of Bill Foran," said Eddie Melin, the agency's director. "It means the Panhandle health industry will have an influential voice in the public health field. It's the first time a consumer has been president of the board. I hope it means the Panhandle point of view will get a good hearing downstate. Mr. Foran has served as chairman of the Panhandle Health Council," Melin continued, "and is certainly aware of the status of our delivery system and the problems of accessibility and availability of care in some of our rural areas."

America's moped population has just passed the one-million mark, a 20-fold increase from 1975 when just 50,000 mopeds were on U.S. roads. Everyone expected this fun, two-wheel motorized pedal vehicle to capture the U.S. imagination, but the energy crunch clinched the matter. Mopeds average 135 miles to the gallon!

Gray County Rodeo

The Fourth Annual Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo was completed August 16th with some 213 contestants participating. These youth were in competition for a total of seventy-two belt buckles which were awarded to the top winners.

All-Around Award buckles were given to the top boy and girl contestant in each age group. These winners were: (Ages 9-11) Boys - Kelly Miller, Woodward Oklahoma and Girls - Leslie Leggett, Pampa; (Ages 12-14) Boys - Greg Stephenson, Amarillo, and Girls - Andrea Archer, Spearman; (Ages 15-18) Boys - Greg Gabel, McLean, and Girls - LaJona Taylor, Pampa.

Event winners in the Girls (Ages 9-11) include: **Barrel Racing:** 1) Leslie Leggett, Pampa; 2) Bobbie Parish, Pampa; 3) Lolly Campbell, Wellington. **Pole Bending:** 1) Lolly Campbell, Wellington; 2) Sherri Bullock, Pampa; 3) Sherri Bullock, Stratford. **Boys (Ages 9-11) winners include:** **Barrel Racing:** 1) Kelly Miller, Woodward, Oklahoma; 2) Joe Farrar, Clarendon; 3) Justin Lane, Stratford. **Calif Riding:** 1) Lee McCasland, Wheeler; 2) Willie Cross, Pampa; 3) Sean Rapstine, Pampa. **Breakaway Roping:** 1) Kelly Miller, Woodward, Okla.; 2) Drew Thomas, Wheeler.

Winners in the Girls (Ages 12-14) include: **Barrel Racing:** 1) Donna Martin, Spearman; 2) Andrea Archer, Spearman; 3) Deena Lane, Stratford. **Pole Bending:** 1) Deena Lane, Stratford; 2) Melissa Miller, Woodward, Okla.; 3) Andrea Archer, Spearman. **Goat Tying:** 1) Bonnie Stewart, Sunray; 2) Andrea Archer, Spearman; 3) Dayla Hash, Canadian. **Boys (Ages 12-14) winners were:** **Ribon Roping:** 1) Hadley Reed, Spearman; 2) Lee Lowrey, Pampa; 3) Kevin Fisher, Memphis. **Breakaway Roping:** 1) Kevin Fisher, Memphis; 2) Wendell Shultz, Pampa; 3) Cody Foster, Memphis. **Steer Riding:** 1) Robbie Bullock, Stratford; 2) Hadley Reed, Spearman; 3) Bill Hollowell, Skellytown.

Girls (Ages 15-18) winning events include: **Barrel Racing:** 1) Barbara Luthi, Perryton; 2) LaJona Taylor, Pampa; 3) Paige

Luthi, Perryton. Winners in the boys (Ages 15-18) include: **Bareback Bronc Riding:** 1) David Darnell, Amarillo; 2) Steve Bolden, Elkhart, Ks.; 3) Glenn Eggleston, Pampa. **Bull Riding:** 1) Kevin Langley, Pampa; 2) Tate Baker, Amarillo; 3) Marlin Burns, Pampa. **Calif Roping:** 1) Greg Gabel, McLean; 2) Luke Stephenson, Guyton, Okla.; 3) Todd Freeman, White Deer. **Ribbon Roping:** 1) Greg Gabel, McLean; 2) Mark McDowell, Shamrock; 3) Lyndon Marrow, Perryton.

Winners in the Team Roping held Saturday afternoon were: Greg Stephenson and David Whitacre, both of Amarillo.

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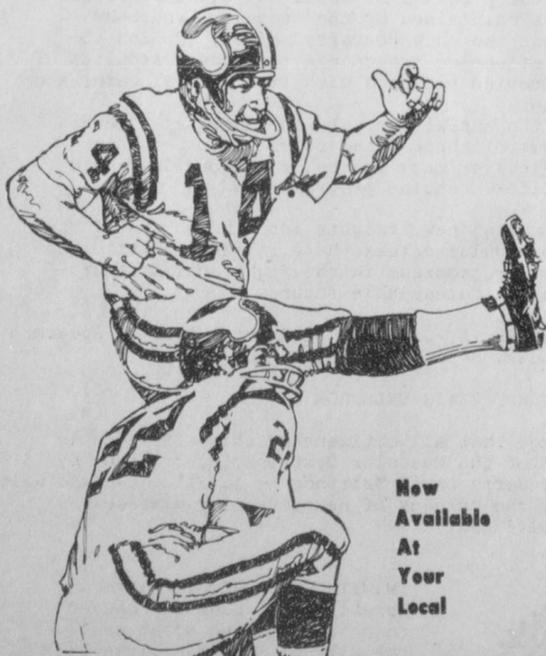
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CARD OF THANKS

We want to say Thank you to all our friends for the cards, telephone calls, visits, flowers and other gifts while I was in the hospital here and at Amarillo. Also thank you for all your prayers. Thank you to Dr. Manese and the Hosp. Staff, and to our fine ambulance crew. May God Bless each & everyone of you.
Cecil Tucker & Family

GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE: Two family moving sale. Couch, odds and ends, and clothes. 720 Cotter Drive. Tuesday and Wednesday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
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41S-1p

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the governing body of the City of Spearman will meet at 8:00 p.m. on the 26th day of August, 1980, at its regular meeting place at City Hall in the City of Spearman, Texas, for the purpose of considering the attached Agenda.

For the regular City Council meeting Agenda to be held Tuesday, August 26, 1980, 8:00 P.M.

ITEM 1. CONSIDERATION OF THE MUNICIPAL GAS SYSTEM LIABILITY INSURANCE.
Jim Murray, City Manager
I certify that the above notice was posted on the bulletin board of City Hall on August 22, 1980 at 3:00 p.m.
Donna Thomas, Secretary

Regan - Bush Rally in Pampa Bar-B-Que a dutch treat 7:00 p.m. in Brown's Auditorium John Connally & Bill Clements will be guests
Everyone is encouraged to come August 27

Voltaire was said to have consumed 50 cups of coffee a day.

Motorists Urged To Be Careful

AUSTIN--The Texas Department of Public Safety has urged motorists to be "exceptionally careful" during the long Labor Day weekend because of the increased volume of traffic which can be expected.

Colonel Jim Adams, director of the DPS, said "Labor Day, the last holiday of summer, becomes the last holiday-period-for far too many Texans and many more have their holiday ruined by a traffic accident.

"Our Statistical Services Division of the DPS, has predicted that 45 persons may die during this 78-hour period. In order to

Be Careful On Labor Day

Major C.W. Bell, Regional Commander of the DPS said "The Texas Department of Public Safety is preparing to save lives and prevent injuries on the Texas highways this Labor Day. Are you planning to do the same?"

"If a Labor Day trip is on your schedule, plan ahead. Know your route and where the turn-offs are located. This is especially important on the interstate highways. Turning suddenly from the wrong lane, or trying to get back to a missed turn-off can be fatal. What the grim total will be this weekend depends on each driver, each passenger and each pedestrian

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Veteran anchorman Ed McMahon will join host Jerry Lewis for the eighth straight year on the supershow, which will again be broadcast live from the Space Center of Del Webb's Hotel Sahara in Las Vegas. More than 200 "Love Network" stations coast to coast and in Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and Guam will air the Labor Day special. The show will also be seen in Canada.

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STEAM BLANCHING VS WATER BLANCHING

Blanching is an operation in which a raw food material is immersed in water at 190-212° F or exposed to live steam. The objectives sought in blanching are not always the same, but vary according to the maturity and type of vegetable used.

Blanching is done for one or more of the following reasons:

- a. Inhibition of enzymes which can cause undesirable changes in flavors, color and vitamin content.
- b. Expel respiratory gases before canning.
- c. Added cleaning measure.
- d. Soften products for ease of filling.

As previously mentioned there are two primary blanching methods, namely water and steam. Both of these methods can be utilized in the home.

Water blanching can be done by simply placing the food directly into boiling water. To facilitate ease of transfer the food can be placed in a metal basket or cheesecloth bag.

Timing begins when the food is placed into the water, not when the water comes back to a boil. This is critical; foods blanched too long will have an undesirable texture, while too short a period will lead to the development of off-flavors and premature color changes. Follow Extension and USDA publi-

cations for blanch time recommendations.

Some people prefer to use steam blanching since the loss of water soluble vitamins is reduced. Devices for steaming can be varied in design and material, but basically consist of some type of rack which will hold the product in active steam above actively boiling water.

The roaster method is one excellent way of steam blanching. First distribute the food on cheesecloth to cover an area approximately that covered by the roaster lid. Place the lid over the food and fasten the ends of the cheesecloth together on top of the cover. Place this assembly over its lower container in which water is actively boiling to generate the steam needed.

A colander with legs or a steamer rack also can be used to hold food above boiling water in a covered pan. It is even possible to perforate an aluminum foil pan to improvise a rack for steam blanching. Steaming requires about two more minutes of blanch time than water blanching requires.

Remember that altitude affects blanch time at elevations around 2500 feet. Add 1/2 minute at 5,000 feet. A full minute should be added for water blanching and 1/2 minute for steam.

When blanching is complete place the products in ice water immediately to halt the cooking

process. The time in ice water should be approximately equivalent to time in boiling water.

Orientation And Planning Session

Eta Alpha Chapter, The Delta Kappa Gamma Society, International, an honor society for women teachers, met Saturday, August 16, in Spearman at the Home Demonstration Club Room for an orientation and planning session. The group enjoyed informal fellowship and a salad luncheon.

Dorothy Roden, the new president, presided and appointed committee chairmen. Plans and programs of work were presented by the program chairman, Mrs. Dugan Wilson. A report from Alpha State Convention which was held in Lubbock in June was given by the president. Formal initiation will be held in Perryton on September 13.

Members answering roll were from Booker: Mrs. Fred Gustin, Mrs. Irene Hollister, Mrs. A.M. Lemons, from Darrouzett, Mrs. Clifford Beck, Mrs. Roberta Pugh, Mrs. Jerry Robertson, and Mrs. Vesta Newman, from Gruver, Mrs. Carlie Knight and Mrs. James Hoy, from Spearman, Mrs. Wilma Clark, Mrs. Dick Hudson, Miss Dorothy Roden, Mrs. W.W. Weaver, from Perryton, Mrs. Jess Brownlee, Mrs. Ray Castle, Mrs. Joe Champion, Miss Darlene Day, Doug Fishkin, Mrs. Violet Igou, Mrs. Albert Knox, Mrs. Nellie Knox, Mrs. Robert Langford, Mrs. Boyce Scott, Mrs. Dugan Wilson.

Bridge Club

The Short Bridge Club met at Bulls Inn August 19, 1980. The hostess was Doris Ellison. Others attending were; Helen Etter, Francis Cudd, Mary Cornelius, Barbara McClellan, Rosalie Butt, Two guests; Judy Nelson, and Ann Flowers & the hostess Doris Ellison. Hi was won by Helen Etter, second won by Francis Cudd, traveling was Judy Nelson. The next hostess will be Helen Etter.

Double Ring Ceremony Unites Couple



Double ring wedding vows were exchanged by Deanne Baker and Terry Latham at 1:00 p.m. August 16 at the First United Methodist Church of Spearman.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Latham, all of Spearman.

Reverend Scott Latham, Willmore, Kentucky, brother of the groom, officiated at their ceremony.

Pre-wedding music was presented by Mrs. Bob Meek, pianist, and Mrs. Bill Strawn at the organ. Special selections were "A Time for Joy" and "That's the Way" by Mrs. Gary Woolley.

Greeting and registering the guests was Miss Brooke Baker,

cousin of the bride, from Papillion, Nebraska.

In the sanctuary, aisle markers were of blue satin bows and streamers. On either side of the church altar were three-branched candlebra with greenery and blue candles. White baskets holding flower arrangements of white spider mums and blue carnations also decorated the altar.

The bride was escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father. She wore a formal length gown of white organza and chantilace with an attached chapel train. The fitted chantilace empire bodice featured a Queen Anne neckline adorned with seed pearls. The cathedral sleeves were constructed of chantilace and buttoned at the

wrist with pearl buttons. Rows of chantilace ruffles adorned the hem of the dress and were caught up at the back waistline with a satin bow. Her chapel-length veil was edged with lace and held in place with a coil of lace adorned with seed pearls.

The bride carried a white lace covered Bible adorned with a bouquet of white roses and blue carnations with white lace streamers. She presented a rose from her bouquet to her mother and to the bridegroom's mother.

For the traditional something old the bride wore the rings of a dear friend, something new was her dress, something borrowed was a pearl necklace and she wore a penny in her shoe.

Maid of honor for the bride was Miss Jeannie McClellan of Spearman. Her sisters, Miss Denae Baker and Miss Nita Baker of Spearman were bridesmaids. The attendants were dressed in floor length blue organza gowns. They were fashioned with a fitted v-neck bodice and a ruffle on the bottom of the skirt which came up the front and was caught at the waistline with a fabric rose. An organza ruffled capelet completed the ensemble. Each attendant wore a wrist corsage, tiny flowers in her hair, and carried a parasol of blue organza and edged with ruffles.

Best man was Mr. Frosty Hickerson of Spearman.

Groomsmen were Mr. Kent Hargis, Henrietta, Texas and Mr. Bo De Armond of Spearman. Ushering guests were Mr. Jim Jones, Spearman, and John Holman, Canyon, Texas.

The bridegroom wore a white cut-a-way tuxedo with white ruffled shirt and white bow tie. The best man and groomsmen were attired in light blue tuxedos with dark blue trim. Their white ruffled shirts were trimmed in light blue. The ushers wore the same light blue tuxedo with a ruffled blue shirt.

The fathers wore black tuxedos with blue ruffled shirts. All men of the wedding party wore white carnation boutonniere as did the grandfathers.

The mother of the bride wore a floor length gown of blue quiana knit. The bridegroom's mother chose a peach floor gown of quiana knit. Both wore white carnation corsages. The

grandmothers also wore white carnation corsages.

A reception was held following the ceremony in Fellowship Hall of the church. The bride's table was centered with a tiered pillared wedding cake on a mirror, circled with blue tulle, iced in white and topped with a nosegay of white frosting roses with blue accents. Cupid angels separated the layers and white roses with blue accented each layer of the cake. Completing the arrangement were a silver punch bowl and silver coffee service on either side of the cake with silver trays holding mints and nuts. Serving at the table were Mrs. Don Konecne, Cheyenne Wells, Colorado, aunt of the bride, Miss Jana Buchanan, Miss Brenda Boyd, Miss Miss Patty Short, all of Spearman.

The groom's cake was a double tiered chocolate cake adorned with chocolate roses on a tray circled with brown tulle. A basket of baby's breath and silver tray with chocolate mints completed the groom's table. Serving were Mrs. Carl Smalley aunt of the bride, Cheyenne Wells, Colorado, and Miss Martha Hudson, cousin of the bride of Papillion, Nebraska.

Scrolls tied with blue ribbons and blue satin rose bud rice bags were passed to the guests by Miss Shadlee Cott and Miss Wendy Cott, Rangely, Colorado, and Miss Kandy Cott and Miss Kim Cott, Ulysses, Kansas, all cousins of the bride. Attending the gift table were Mrs. Norell Wilson and Miss Kim Wilson, cousins of the bride from Lubbock, Texas.

For their wedding trip to New Mexico the bride chose a three piece ensemble of white with accents of navy with a white corsage.

The couple will make their home at 1106 Haney Street in Spearman. The bridegroom is employed at Tanspetco, Inc. and the bride is employed by Brown-Graham and Co.

Out of town guests included Mrs. Ruth Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cott, grandparents of the bride all from Cheyenne Wells, Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Latham of Bridgeview Resort, Oklahoma, grandparents of the bridegroom. Also attending were Dr. and Mrs. don Hudson and Nick, North

Platte, Nebraska, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Don Baker, Shane Baker, Brooke Baker, Barbara Dunlap, Marta Hudson all from Papillion, Nebraska, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smalley and family and Mrs. Don Konecne, Cheyenne Wells, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cott and family, Ulysses, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cott and family, Rangely, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burrows, Lori and Rachel, Mrs. Larry Hagler and children, Hugoton, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carley, Neil Carley, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cott and family, Mrs. LaDonna Eshnaur and Kathleen, Garden City, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Githens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Seeding, Mrs. Louis Seeding, Perryton, Texas, Carl Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey McCurdy, Amarillo, Texas, Mrs. Norrel Wilson and Kim, Lubbock, Texas, Mrs. Bill Bearce and Wood Cott, Manter, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. James Madison and Mark, Amarillo, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Martin and family, Stinnett, Texas, James D. Dow and John Glenn Melott, Snyder, Texas, and Jon Palson, El Paso, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Collins, Childress, Texas.

Pre-wedding festivities included a candle light rehearsal dinner hosted by the parents of the groom at Cattleman's Restaurant. The table was decorated with blue satin ribbon runners and white silk flowers. Attending were members of the wedding party and the grandparents.

The morning of the wedding a brunch for the bride, her attendants, relatives and friends was held on the lovely patio of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. McClellan. Mrs. McClellan and the maid of honor, Jeanie McClellan were hostesses.



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Andrews Family Has Reunion

A large group of the late Lou & Hattie Andrews family gathered recently for the 23rd Annual Family reunion.

Saturday evening was spent snacking, playing games and much enjoyable visting.

Some 60 members were together at noon on Sunday for much delicious food.

A business meeting was conducted by President Leonard Jameson. Marvin & Louella Andrews were unanimously elected as officers for 1981.

High light of the afternoon was a hilarious Skit - "A Fashion Show" presented by "Comon Tator" Jackie Womble & her "Sprouts" other members of the Womble Family. No one has ever seen fun until they see that cast perform. Now we hope they are practicing for another show.

Younger ones enjoyed swimming while all enjoyed several more hours of visiting as well as looking at the scrap book of pictures & clippings filed over the years.

Prizes were awarded to H.L. Haney for being the oldest Kelby 2 week old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mac McClellan as youngest and to Charles New-

comb traveling the greatest distance. Conroe, Tex.

Those present were Harve Haney, LaJunta Colo. Mr. & Mrs. Loyd Haney, Tanya & Chad, Prichett Colo. Brenda Coupece, Grauada, Colo. Dale Haney, Aurora Colo. Mr. & Mrs. Jack Walker, Homeny Okla., Marvin & Lavilla Andrews & Mathew, Guymon, Okla.

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Billy & Lonetta McClellan, Mac, Brenda & Kelby McClellan, Richey, Bommie, Tahy & Karen Thompson from Sunray,

ix. The 1981 reunion will also be held in The Memorial building in Gruver, Texas.

Rho Rho Has Surprise Party

Thursday night, August 7 was the evening of Rho Rho's annual Surprise party. Members were picked up around 11:00 p.m. and escorted out to Schnell farm on the creek. A wagon was used as a serving table for the homemade ice-cream, cookies, and brownies.

The members enjoyed roasting marshmallows around the bonfire. Helping Karen Schnell, Social Chairman, were her husband James, her son, Clint, and her committee members.

Those attending were: Marilyn Cline, Candy Boxwell, Karen Schnell, Stephanie Brock, Karen Blodgett, Susan Pearson, Gayle Smith, Michelle Beedy, Linda Brown, Gina Davis, Teresa Hargis, Janie Henton, Delinda McLaughlin, Sheri McWhirter, Lisa Pipkin, Jody Rex, Linda Sanders, Brenda Shield-knight, Dixie Smith, Kim Vanderburg, and Gaye Woolley.

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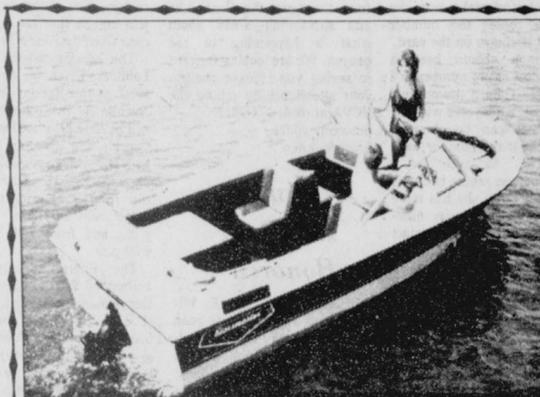
To celebrate fall, the theatre in the Palo Duro Canyon will have a new show opening on August 29 and running through September 14. It will be the third edition of "STARS", dance and song and sound and light exploding and gliding on the stage against the magnificent cliff of the theatre in the Canyon, presented by the Lone Star Ballet Inc.

Tractors will form the background for the western number. The use of clowns and their antics will be the basis for another. The fantasy on a child's story this year will be "Beauty and the Beast."

And by request, the company will repeat the Can-Can from the famous Offenbach show about a Paris cafe "Gaiety of Paris" (Gaité Parisienne.)

Guest stars from the Ballet Companies of New York, Utah and Los Angeles will join the company and will present numbers of their own.

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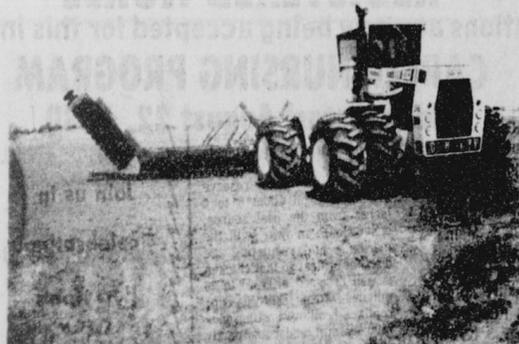
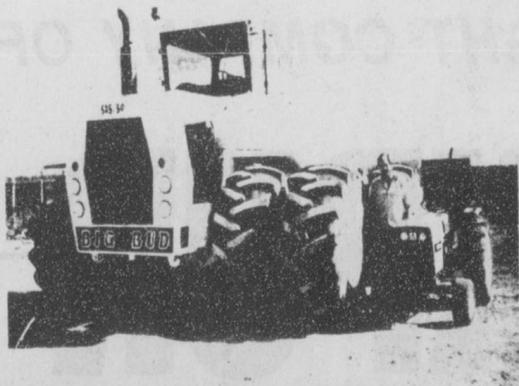
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Golden Spread Center News

Fifty people enjoyed a bounteous covered dish dinner at the Golden Spread Center Tuesday, August 19, at 6:30 p.m. Before the meal early arrivers were tested for diabetes. Later arrivers had their blood pressure taken. Both of these were done by Joan McClellan. Members of the Twentieth Century Club provided part of the meal. Golden Spread Club hosts and hostesses were Cleo and Lowell Denman and Bertha and Don Spoonmore. It was the forty-first wedding anniversary of Richard and Evelyn Kingsley and the group sang, "Happy Anniversary" to them. Prayer on the food was given by Russell Pogue. Chalmers Porter, Republican candidate for the state legislature, was present. People enjoyed an evening of dominoes, forty-two, pitch, and skip-bo. Table games will be enjoyed by all who come out on Monday and Friday afternoons from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. There is a pool table and there are games of every kind and description and there are staff people who will play any game you want to play or teach you a new one.

Members of the Spearman Rotary Club will be present at the Golden Spread Center on Tuesday, August 26, to put on a hamburger fry to serve homemade ice cream to Golden Spread Club members and to stay around and play table games. Serving will start at 6:30 p.m.

Nina Hendricks will drive the Golden Spread Center's vanibus on Wednesday, August 27 from 9:00 a.m. to noon, picking up the sixty-plus bunch and taking them shopping, on errands, and to meet appointments. People needing transportation should call the Golden Spread Center (9-3521) on Tuesday and get your name on the list.

All new arts and crafts will be introduced at the Golden Spread Center on Thursday, August 28. You can work on arts and crafts from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. There will be a break at noon for a covered dish luncheon.

Social Security representative from Pampa will be at the Golden Spread Center on Thursday, August 28 from 10:00 a.m. until noon and will see people on a first signed in, first served basis. You can sign in at the Golden Spread Center, which opens at 9:00 a.m.

Golden Spread Center, located at 14 S. Haney, is a community focal point on aging where persons fifty-five years of age or older as individuals or in groups come together for services and activities which enhance their dignity, support their independence and encourage their involvement in and with the community of Spearman. As part of a comprehensive community strategy to

meet the needs of older persons, Golden Spread Center programs take place within and emanate from this facility. These programs consist of a variety of services and activities in such areas as education, creative arts and crafts, recreation, advocacy, leadership development, employment, health, nutrition, social work and other supportive services. Golden Spread Center also serves as a community resource for information on all programs for the aging, for training professionals and lay leadership and for developing new approaches to aging programs.

Social Security News

A person's social security number is the key to his or her lifetime protection under social security, according to Howard L. Weatherly, Branch Manager of the Pampa Social Security Office.

All earnings that a person has over his or her working lifetime are recorded under that number; and if an incorrect number is used, that person may not receive proper credit for all his or her earnings.

People should take their card with them when they get a new job and make sure the employer copies the number just as it is shown on the card.

A person should keep a record of his or her number in a safe place. Then if the original card is lost, a new card with the old number can be obtained easier than if the number were not known.

If a person ever becomes award that he or she has more than one social security number, he or she should contact any social security office right away. The people there will help get the situation cleared up so that the person gets full credit for all earnings.

It is against the law for a person to use someone else's social security number. It is also against the law to give false information when obtaining a number. Penalties include a fine or jail sentence or both.

It is a good idea for a person to check his or her social security record every 3 years or so to make sure earnings are being correctly reported. This is especially important if a person changes jobs often.

A postcard form 7004 is available for this purpose and can be obtained at any social security office.

For more information about social security numbers, contact the Pampa Social Security Office located at 125 South Gillespie. The telephone number is 669-3381.

People concerned about finding tasteful gifts for mothers-to-be or new babies can send a Mothercare gift certificate from Mothercare, P.O. Box 3881, N.Y., N.Y. 10163.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr. Miller: Tourism in the Panhandle has become an increasingly important factor over the last ten years. Palo Duro Canyon was first the scene of camping and outdoor recreation. Then came the "TEXAS" drama which has been viewed by over a million people since its beginning.

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We would like you to help us begin the season with a gala occasion and support what has the potential of becoming an extension of the "TEXAS" season. Please be our guest, along with any guest you might choose to bring, to the opening of "STARS". We plan to begin with a reception at the Villa Inn, I-40 at Grand, from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Friday, August 29th. Immediately after the reception you will go with a group of community leaders by bus to the beautiful Pioneer Amphitheatre for a special dinner and performance of "STARS".

We think you will be delighted with the evening and will be excited about telling people from throughout the Panhandle and surrounding areas about what is happening in the canyon. We are looking forward to seeing you. Please confirm your attendance by calling the BCVA at (806) 374-9812. Sincerely yours, Scott Sutphen

Wisian, Sr. Has Been Honored

DENVER, CO.—Elroy E. Wisian, Sr. of Spearman has been honored as one of the outstanding agents of National Farmers Union Insurance Companies, according to company President Raymond F. Novak of Denver.

Wisian qualified for the Mile High Club, one of the company's highest sales honors. It is the first time he has qualified for the club.

Qualification for the Mile High Club is based on service to policyholders and sales production during the past 18 months.

Wisian has been a Farmers Union agent since 1978.

Pediatricians point out that parents needn't worry about table manners in babies just learning to feed themselves. Children tend to want to eat more expertly, more neatly all by themselves, they want to graduate from fingers to spoon and from spoon to fork, as soon as they feel equal to the challenge.

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Class of '70 Plans Reunion

The Class of '70 will be celebrating their 10 year class reunion Aug. 30. It will begin at 12:00 noon with a family picnic at the Swimming Pool Park. Each family will be responsible for their own lunch. At 7:00 in the Catholic Parish Hall there will be a catered banquet by Sutphen. Any friends and relation wanting to come by for a visit are welcomed.

Public Hearing On Alcohol Fuels

A public hearing will be held on the U.S. Department of Agriculture's proposed regulations implementing provisions of Title II of the Energy Security Act which authorized biomass energy and alcohol fuels loans and loan guarantees. Deputy Agriculture Secretary James H. Williams announced.

The proposed regulations will determine how the Farmers Home Administration, the credit agency of the Agriculture Department, will carry out certain parts of the Act, which was signed into law by President Carter on June 30, 1980.

The hearing will be held in Lubbock, Texas, on August 29, 1980, at the Holiday Inn, 6624 Avenue H. Two other hearings will be held prior to that date in Georgia and Iowa. In order to gain the widest possible public participation, the hearing will run from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.; and from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

The Energy Security Act authorized \$600 million for the Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Program of loans and loan guarantees to alcohol fuels and other biomass energy projects over the next two years (FY 1981 - 1982). USDA funds will be used to assist energy projects which use agricultural or forestry products or residue. USDA has responsibility for projects up to 15 million gallons of capacity.

The proposed regulations appeared in the Federal Register on Tuesday, August 5.

Anyone wishing to participate in the public hearing should contact the Office of Public Participation, Room 118A, Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250, telephone 202-447-2113.

USDA will also participate in similar hearings to be held in the near future by the Department of Energy concerning DOE regulations for financial assistance to biomass energy projects.

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