

## Hospital meeting moved to court room



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THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1978

## Thursday nite!

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of Hansford County Hospital district, will be held at the court house, Thursday, July 13th, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting was moved to the court house to allow the public seating room to hear the response to the questions submitted to the board on June 8.

The meeting will be open to the public, with the agenda reading as follows: Call to order. Reading of Minutes. Financial report and payment of bills. OLD BUSINESS 1. Pending Litigation-Dr. Abrams. 2. Building Committee-Report of completed work. A. Dish-washer. B. Non-inflammable anesthetics in operating room, delivery room and emergency room. 3. Response to questions submitted to board on June 8, 1978. ADMINISTRATORS REPORT: 1. Physician recruitment. NEW BUSINESS: 1. Medical Staff Appointments.

## 4-H Dress Revue Held



Judge R. L. McClellan stands with 4-H members after he presented their awards at the County Dress Revue held July 6. Back row, left to right: Susie Wood, Gruver, Most Fashionable; Mary Kenny, Spearman, First Place in her division; Stacy Poole, Morse; Kerri Holt, Spearman, Best Beginner; Linda Evans, Spearman, Second Place in her division. Standing beside Linda is LaVon Kunselman, who was modeling judge and Miss Hansford 1977-78.

The Hansford County 4-H Dress Revue held Thursday, July 6 in the First Baptist Church in Spearman, signaled the grand finale for some fifty youth participating in 4-H clothing projects this year.

Competition on construction and overall appearance of the handmade garments was tough and coming out on top in the Senior Division was Miss Karen Kenney of Spearman. Julie Farr placed second and received the Best Modeling Award.

Pam Porter of Spearman won 1st place and Best Model in level II of the Junior Division, with Cinda Novak placing second and Sherry Dixon of Gruver

placing third. Sara Avila and Lupe Calderon joined the group in receiving blue ribbons.

Winning 1st place in level I of the Junior Division was Miss Mary Ann Kenney of Spearman, with Linda Evans placing second and Stacey Poole of Morse Third, each girl receiving blue ribbons.

All participants in Level I of the Junior Division were blue ribbon winners. These included Anne Marie Jarvis, Carrie Guthrie, Rhonda Mathews, Redonna Moore, Jan Allen, Denise Rojas, Leticia Vela, April Patterson, Kim Scroggs, Rhonda Hall, April Abston, Mary Ann Evans, Sandi McLeod,

Kristi Wright, Julie Latta, Stacie Swan, Carlee Dixon and Teresa Tindell of Spearman; Robin Karlin, Madeline Bates and Donna Wood of Gruver.

Julie Farr welcomed the guests and Mrs. Dennis Nelson served as narrator as 34 4-H members between the ages of 9 and 19 modeled their handmade outfits to the background music provided by Mrs. Kent Depee.

On hand to present top awards to the contestants were County Judge R. L. McClellan, and reigning Miss Hansford County, LaVon Kunselman, as winners were announced by County Extension Agent Peggy Winegarner. Mrs. Jim Nichol-

son, Home Demonstration Council 4-H Chairman, presented favors donated by the H.D. Council to each participant.

Announcements and recognition of 4-H clothing leaders were made by Karen Kenney. Kerri Holt and Anne Marie Jarvis assisted in handing out programs and Pam Porter registered guests.

The Home Demonstration Clubs of Hansford County provided refreshments for the 100 parents, leaders and visitors attending the Revue.

Special awards were provided by Massad's and Sacks Third Avenue of Spearman.

## C.A. Gibner

The son of a country doctor, Mr. C.A. Gibner moved to West Texas in 1906, where his family made their home in Knox City and Haskell for several years. In 1917, Mr. Gibner, now president and chairman of the board of the First State Bank in Spearman, and his family moved to Hansford in Hansford County. He graduated from high school in Willis, Texas, and attended Byrnes Business College in Tyler.

Mr. Gibner's banking career began August 1, 1919, at the Guaranty State Bank of Old Hansford, which was located six miles west of present day Spearman. He worked as the bank bookkeeper, making \$30 a month, until December 1, 1919, when he moved to the First National Bank of Old Hansford. He moved to Spearman with that bank as the bookkeeper, making \$75 a month. His other duties included cleaning the brass spittoons and sweeping the floors.

In October, 1925, Mr. Gibner became cashier and managing officer of the bank, and he retained that title until September, 1930, when he moved across the street to become vice president of the First State Bank of Spearman. In 1935, the First State Bank purchased the First National Bank, and Mr. Gibner remained the vice president until 1952, when he was elected president.

Mr. Gibner says his years of banking have had their ups and downs, but all in all, they have been good years. When he joined the First State Bank staff in 1930, the deposits were \$154,000, and today the deposits of the bank are over \$24 million.

Community activities have been numerous throughout Mr. Gibner's life in Spearman. He has been a member of the Spearman Lions Club for 50 years and is the only charter member still active. He has served as president of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce and as mayor on two different occasions.

He received his 50-year pin in the Masonic Blue Lodge in 1973 and will have been a Shriner member for 50 years in November.

Mr. Gibner has been active in the banking fraternity outside of his own bank. He served as president of the Panhandle Bankers Association during 1933-34 and has served on the banking section of the Finance Commission of Texas two different terms.

Baseball is Mr. Gibner's favorite sport, and the Texas Rangers are currently his favorite team. He enjoys fishing and golfing in his leisure time.

Mr. Gibner related one incident that he said could be classified as a poor banking transaction, but one for the good of his town. During the depression a local citizen came into the bank to borrow \$25. Mr. Gibner hesitated on the loan because the man had been a troublemaker in the town for quite some time. When Mr. Gibner asked him what he needed the money for, the man told him he wanted to leave town. Mr. Gibner told the borrower he would lend him the money if he promised to leave town and never return. The man agreed and did not return for 25 years.

Mr. Gibner and his wife, Hazel, live at 719 S. Barkley in Spearman and have been most instrumental in the town's growth. The banking industry has been lucky to have such a dedicated worker for the past 59 years.

Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of articles we will be running on the First State Bank of Spearman celebrating their 61st year of banking.

Spearman will host a big swim meet this week-end! You are invited to drop by on Saturday and watch some of the finest swimmers in the U. S.

## ASCS Executive To Retire

Ellzey Vanderburg, county executive director of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, will retire July 21 after almost 25 years in the department.

Vanderburg said he has seen many changes since he came to work in the office in 1953 as a clerk. The department has had its name changed several times since then. It has been called the AAA, ACA, PMA, ASC and the ASCS, he said.

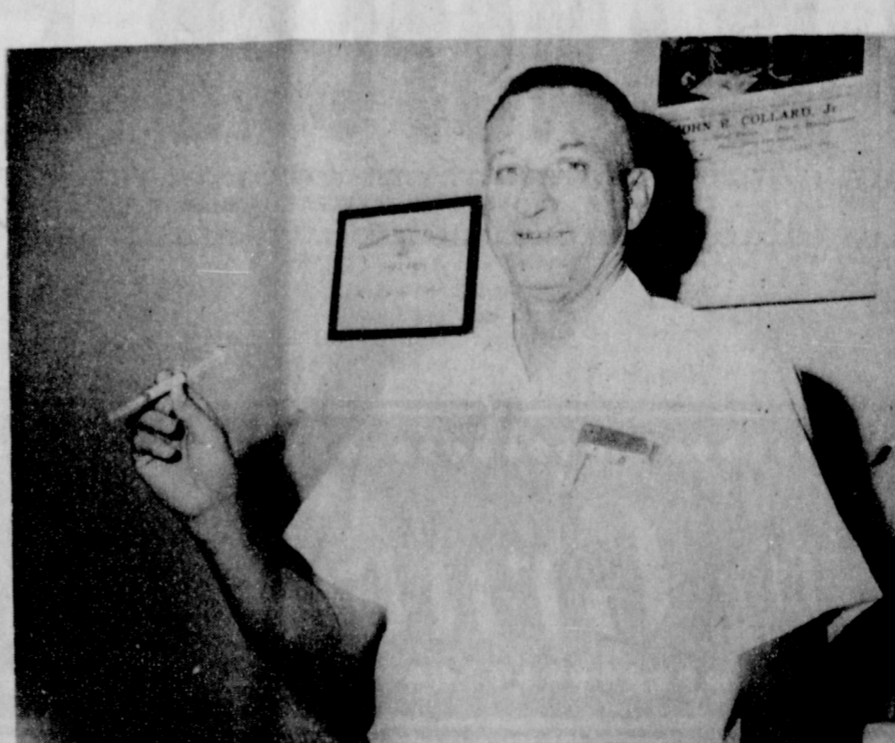
The agriculture office used to be in the courthouse, Vanderburg recalls. It has been at its present location at 223 Main for about 12 - 15 years.

He said he has been lucky in his years in the department in that he has had "a lot of really good employees." He said he probably couldn't have done it without his employees.

Vanderburg said when he first started attending district meetings, he was one of the youngest present. Now he notices he is one of the oldest.

After retiring, Vanderburg said he plans to have fun and travel. He's "not going to sit around and rot!" he said.

The farm program has changed about every four to eight years since Vanderburg has been in the department. He has seen years of the old soil bank, where crops were taken out of production for several years and farmers paid for it. He also



ELLZEY VANDERBURG

A needle full of penicillin for the man that has everything!

remembers the use of wheat allotment cards.

The farmers and other people in the area are easy to get along with and easy to wait on, he said.

Members of his office force tried to give him a surprise

party Tuesday, but he said he was warned by someone who apologized before hand for not being able to attend.

His employees honored him anyway Tuesday morning with cookies, coffee and gifts.

Vanderburg was given a trav-

el bag and a hypodermic needle with penicillin written on the side. He said the needle was "for the guy who has everything."

Vanderburg said that his replacement has not been named.

## Grasshopper Control Underway

A government program designed to help farmers control damaging grasshoppers was begun Monday morning in Hansford County with spraying to continue this week, said Garland Stewart, county extension agent.

Stewart says "If the weather cooperates, spraying should be completed before the grasshoppers begin laying eggs, which would curtail the project."

The program is a cooperative effort between landowners, state and federal government agencies to help exterminate the grasshoppers which have over-run the county. Stewart described the grasshopper situation as critical last week.

Stewart said that more than 80,000 acres will probably be sprayed in the county before completion of the project is completed. About 1,800 acres were sprayed in the southwest part of the county Tuesday. Roughly 22,000 acres were

sprayed in the northeast section of the county Monday.

Sprayer planes are at the Gruver airport to allow the sprayers to begin early.

Most of the spraying must be done early in the day because winds must be perfectly still and temperatures should be around 85 degrees for the spray to be most effective.

Stewart said the extermination efforts should be completed before the grasshoppers lay their eggs, around July 15, because the older grasshoppers would probably die soon anyway and the new crop of grasshoppers would be there to contend with next season.

The pesty insects are being sprayed with undiluted Malathion and the program is costing landowners about 55 cents for each acre sprayed, which is one-third of the cost of the program. The other two-thirds are being paid by the state and federal governments.

Fire broke out at the Phillips, Texas, plant Tuesday nite, 10 p. m. No injuries, and it was under control by Wednesday morning.

## Clean-Up Campaign Planned

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce and the City of Spearman will have their annual Clean-Up Campaign starting July 17th through July 21st according to Frances Loftin, Chairman of the Campaign. This year's Clean-Up will be aimed more towards the cleaning of alleys, highway property and vacant lots.

Mayor Ralph C. Blodgett has proclaimed July 17th through July 21st as Clean-Up Spear-

man Week. All residents are encouraged to take advantage of this week and place their trash in the alley. This trash will be picked up by the City and hauled away. Your full cooperation to help keep Spearman clean will be greatly appreciated. Be proud of your community. The only sure way to control mosquitos is to keep your weeds mowed. Let's all work together and have pride in our community.

PROCLAMATION  
"OFFICIAL CLEANUP WEEK"  
JULY 17 - 21, 1978

TO THE CITIZENS OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS:

WHEREAS, it is of the utmost importance that the City of Spearman be sightly and attractive to encourage future growth; and

WHEREAS, the success of this project would depend upon each citizen to participate; and

WHEREAS, it is to the benefit and betterment of each citizen to participate in this endeavor;

NOW THEREFORE I, C. Ralph Blodgett, Mayor of the City of Spearman, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby proclaim the week of July 17 - 21, 1978 as

"OFFICIAL CLEANUP WEEK"

for the City of Spearman, Texas, and do encourage all citizens to participate.

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

DONE in City Hall this eleventh day of July, nineteen hundred and seventy-eight.

C. Ralph Blodgett  
Mayor

# Happy *Anniversary*



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9-rtm

Alcoholic Anonymous Meeting 8 p.m. Friday, Home Demonstration Club building, 305 N. Bernice. Phone 659-3181 for information.  
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Al-Anon meetings 8 p.m. Friday Home Demonstration Club building, 305 N. Bernice in back room. Phone 659-3181 for information. Ask for Al-Anon.

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26-rtm

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32S-12tp

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**FOR SALE:** In Gruver, 3 bedroom house, partially furnished. Call 733-2315.  
30-rtm

**FOR SALE:** Three Bedroom two bath home on large lot. Excellent location, close to schools. Shown by appointment only. Call 3716 or 2524.  
27S-rtm

**FOR SALE:** Three bedroom two bath home on large lot. Excellent location, close to schools. Shown by appointment only. Call 3450 or 3802.  
32-rtm

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19S-rtm

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25-rtm

**NEW LISTING:** 1001 So. Dresden, three bedroom home, 1 1/2 baths, central air and heat, storage house, corner lot, top condition, attached garage. 659-3042.  
33S-rtm

**FOR SALE:** 2 Crawford addition lots with improvements. Call Dean Groves, 918-299-6251.  
31S-rtm

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+++  
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+++  
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+++  
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659-2601 [nights]  
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2 lots for sale in Shaull addition.  
33S-rtm

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**FOR SALE:** Bedroom suite, black vinyl couch, headboard and frame. 733-2647 or 733-2042, Gruver.  
34S-2tp

**FOR SALE:** 800 HD Moline Rebuilt, 2-V12702 GMC Rebuilt, J.&D. Industrial Engines, 659-3710, Hwy. 207 S.  
34S-8tc

**FOR SALE:** 12 x 50 Mobile Home with 32 x 16 addition. Frig and range included, two air conditioners, drapes and curtains, completely carpeted. Storage Building. Set on 50 x 190 ft. lot. 659-3504 or 659-3710.  
34S-4tc

**FOR SALE:** 1977 Chevrolet Caprice 4-door. Red with C.B. call 659-3434 or 659-2338. Car is only 10 months old. Will sell for \$5200, cost over \$7000 today!  
31S-rtm

**FOR SALE:** German Millet Seed, makes hay in 45 days. Farmers & Ranchers Supply, 733-2931, Gruver, Texas.  
21S-rtm

**FOR SALE:** 1975 Chev. Pickup. Clean. Loaded. Phone 659-3119, after 5 p.m.  
28S-rtm

**FOR SALE:** 1974 Cutlass Salon, Good Condition. Call 659-2025 or 659-2786.  
33-8tc

**FOR SALE:** 1977 Chevette, automatic and air. Call 659-2927  
24S-rtm

**CHAIN SAWS-Homelite, McCulloch, Stihl, for sale or repairs.** Porter Baker, 7th & Ash, Perryton, 435-2944.  
30-16tc

**Rawleigh Black Pepper Sale.** Call 659-2631.  
33S-4tc

**FOR SALE:** '74 Suzuki TM400, good condition. 1-75 Yamaha 400 Enduro, excellent condition. Both taken good care of and must sell. 659-3508.  
35-1tc

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35-2tc

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34S-3tc

**FOR RENT:** 3 Trailer Spaces, \$25 each. Located at 219 N. Hoskins and 220 N. Brandt. Call 383-9886.  
32S-rtm

## MOBILE HOME FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** Used 10x50 furnished Darby Craft mobile home, carpeted throughout, washing machine, evaporative air conditioner, built-in radio, wired for lot or traveling. Call 659-3434 (ask for Sandy) or after 5:00 p.m., 659-3038.  
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35-1tc

**GARAGE SALE:** Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Dinetto set, console stereo, G. E. Refrigerator, new; M-1 Carbine; many more. Starts at 10 a.m. til -- 117 N. James.  
35-1tc



**MAKE THE PRESENTATION--** Jim and Jackie Tiner, of Gruver, join the winning owner Verla Wilson in the La Mesa winner's circle after the Wilson's Captain Hatch easily defeated the field in the recent Spring Scotch Foursome Laddie Stakes. The Tiner's made the presentation of the handsome tea set to Mrs. Wilson. Mr. Wilson (second from right) and Jockey Joe Blackburn join in the happy occasion.

**GARAGE SALE:** Thursday and Friday, July 13 & 14, 8:00-5:00. Children clothes, miscellaneous. 522 S. Evans (rear).  
35-1tp

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**TRUCK DRIVER NEEDED.** Local hauling. Must have commercial license. Call 659-3642.  
35-rtm

**HELP WANTED:** Apply in person, Rogers, Sales & Service, Waka, Texas. Inside shop, manufacturing work.  
25S-rtm

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33S-4tp

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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35-rtm

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Ed Wheeler 659-2613, Office  
Jerry Gee 659-2951, Home  
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### WTSU Rush Activities Set

Formal Rush for West Texas State University is August 27-31.

If any young ladies are interested in going through Rush, they should contact Kristi Gressett at 659-2823.

Remember, going through Rush in no way obligates you to pledge a sorority. It enables each girl to see what fun being a part of these organizations can bring.

There is a deadline--so everyone interested should not delay this until the last moment. Please contact Kristi as soon as possible.

There are 5 excellent national sororities represented on the West Texas campus in Canyon: Alpha Delta Pi, Chi Omega, Delta Zeta, Kappa Delta, and Zeta Tau Alpha. Each is housed in its own individually decorated unit of the Shirley Hall dormitory. Each is involved in a variety of activities, such as formal dances, fraternity socials, Homecoming, alumnae teas, philanthropies, Greek Week, and intramural sports. A sorority is a combination of many different types of people

living in harmony through a special bond of friendship. Girls choose sorority life because they can feel at home with their sisters. Sororities build leaders.

Pledges are treated with friendly respect. Sneaks, kidnap breakfasts, and car-window painting are only a few of the fun things pledges do. Pledge-ship is a time to develop long-lasting friendships.

Sororities promote high scholarship, personal development of individual members, leader-



The first power-model dishwasher was developed by Mrs. W. A. Cockran of Shelbyville, Indiana, and completed in 1889.

### SPORTS SHORTS



In 1933, Arch Ward, sports editor of the *Chicago Tribune*, conceived the idea for a baseball All-Star Game. Although baseball owners resisted the idea initially, the first All-Star Game was played in Chicago's Comiskey Park that July.

Today the All-Star Game is one of baseball's most popular events. In what has become the nation's largest non-political election, the fans will again elect the starting lineups for this year's game to be played in San Diego on July 11.

The voting, underwritten by the Gillette Company's Safety Razor Division, runs until July 2. Ballots are free at retail stores featuring a Gillette All-Star display and at major and minor league ballparks.



Karen Kenny, Spearman, shows the ribbon she won for first place in the senior division during the County 4-H Revue July 6. Standing on the right, Julie Farr, Spearman, displays the ribbon she won for best model in the senior division of the contest (See related story Page 1)



Young 4-H members proudly show off the ribbons they won in the County 4-H Dress Revue July 6. Back row, left to right: Susie Wood, Gruver; Jana Pittman, Spearman, and Linda Evans, Spearman. Front row, left to right: Kerri Holt, Spearman, and Mary Kenny, Spearman. (See related story Page 1)

Receipts at the Texhoma Livestock Auction Co., Thursday, July 6, were 1439 cattle & calves. Quality of cattle plain. A much higher market on all classes of cattle. Buyers very aggressive. Stocker steers and heifer calves \$3,00 to \$5,00 higher. Feeder steers \$5,00 to \$8,00 higher. Feeder heifers \$8,00 to \$10,00 higher. No good heifer offered, all very plain. Packer cows \$2,00 to \$3,00 higher \$38,00 to \$40,00, extreme top of \$43,00. Cow & calf pairs \$400,00. Packer bulls \$40,00 to \$42,50.

Steer Calves 250# to 400# @ \$68,00 to \$73,75  
 Heifer Calves 250# to 400# @ \$55,00 to \$60,00  
 Feeder Steers 600# to 750# @ \$57,00 to \$60,75  
 Feeder Heifer 575# to 675# @ \$50,00 to \$52,00

For next Thursday, July 13, we are expecting 1500 to 2000 cattle of all classes. Be with us as buyer or seller each and every week.

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On the left, Pam Porter, Spearman, shows off the ribbons she won for First Place and Best Model in her division. In the center, Cinda Novak, Spearman, shows her second place prize. On the right, Sherry Dixon, Gruver, stands tall with her ribbon for third place rating. (See related story on Page 1)

# AUCTION SALE

TRACTORS - TRUCKS - COMBINES - MISC.  
**Sat., July 15, 1978**

Starting Time - 10:00 A.M. - Lunch on Grounds

LOCATION - From Darrrouzett, Texas, go south on FM road 2172 1/2 mile, south of railroad 1/4 mile west.

#### TRACTORS

- 1 1972 MF 1500, 4-wheel drive tractor with new 1800 engine with 1,800 hrs. 500 hrs on new engine
- 1 1966 MF 1100 tractor 4,000 hrs.
- 1 1967 MF 1100 tractor 4,000 hrs.
- 1 1950 IHC M Farmall tractor

#### COMBINES

- 2 1967 Gleaner combines C2, 20-ft. headers
- 2 Combine pickup reels
- 2 Platform transport trailer

#### TRUCKS

- 1 1976 Chev. pickup, 4-wheel drive, 4-speed, 3,700 miles
- 1 1969 Chev. 2 ton truck with hoist, 32,000 mi.
- 1 1968 Chev 2 ton truck with hoist, 57,000 mi.

#### MACHINERY

- 1 1976 Crust Buster, 40 ft., 3 bars (like new)
- 1 1973 Krause chisel with pickers, 22 ft.
- 2 1970 Krause offset discs, 18 ft.
- 1 1973 Lehman 4-row cultivator
- 1 Lehman 4-row cultivator (for repairs)
- 1 Caldwell disc bedder, 6-row (like new)
- 1 J.D. Spinner moldboard plow, 16-inch
- 1 1971 IHC 8-inch double disc grain drill
- 2 J.D. wheat drills LZ 10-10
- 1 J.D. wheat drill LZ 14-10
- 6 Birch double row planters
- 1 14 ft Miller rod weeder
- 1 21 ft Double tool bar with shanks & lister
- 2 Gauge wheels for tool bar
- 1 1972 Wetmore grinder & mixer
- 1 Hale 16 ft. stock trailer
- 1 1974 Heaston 30 ft. stack mover
- 1 Hyd. 16 hp power unit for stack mover
- 1 4-row Case shredder
- 1 21 ft. Mayrath grain loader with 5 hp gas engine

- 1 Cattle working chute
- 1 Gasoline portable electric welder 12hp, used less than 12 hours
- 2 Slide in truck stock racks
- 1 Slide in pickup stock rack
- 1 2-Wheel trailer
- 1 7ft. J.D. Mowing machine, 3-point
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- 1 Electric air compressor
- 1 Rollover calf working chute
- 1 Large lot of used truck tires & wheels

#### IRRIGATION

- 2 Morse fertilizer pumps for irrigation
- 125 2-inch irrigation tubes
- 3,000 ft. gated 8-inch pipe, 30-ft. joints
- 1 Lot of elbows and T's
- 1 Rockwell double disc clutch for 702 GMC engine
- 1 6-Cylinder Chrysler irrigation engine
- Large lot of irrigation socks

#### MISCELLANEOUS

- 1 Remington chain saw
- 1 Homelite chain saw
- 1 8 hp 36-inch cut, 3-speed riding lawn mower
- Large lot of repairs for C2 Gleaner combine
- 1 3-point Grader blade (shop made)
- 1 Front end scoop
- 1 Measuring wheel
- 1 Combine tire 18.4x26
- 2 18.4x34 Used tractor tires
- Large lot of hydraulic cylinders
- Large lot of lister shears
- 1 3-Point spray rig
- 2 Truck tarps
- 8 Sections rotary hoe (old)
- 1 Junk IHC truck
- 1 1,000 gal. water tank on skids
- 1 Portable bale elevator
- 1 Spray rig with 30-ft. booms, 500 gal. tank
- 1 Lot of chains & boomers 1 Saddle (like new)
- 1 Large lot of scrap junk iron

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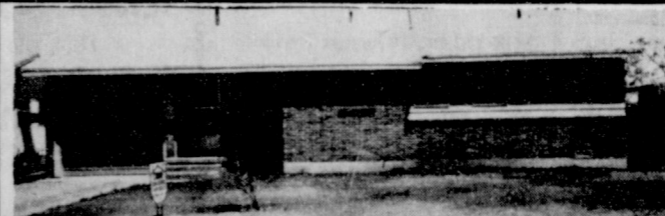
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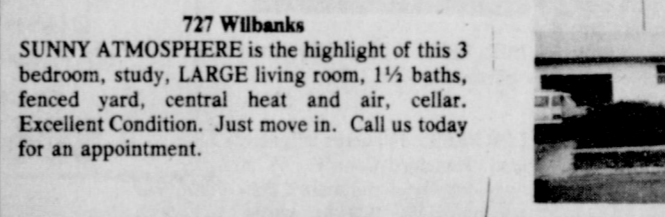
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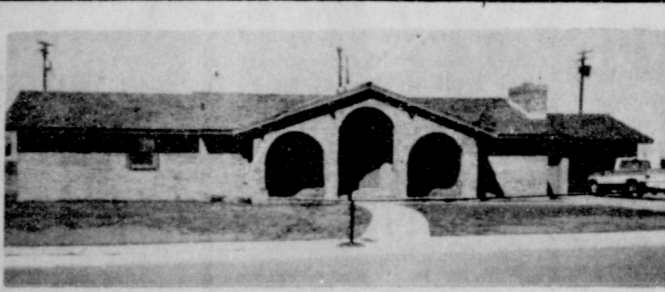
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 719 Steele  
 GOOD LOCATION. 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, storage bldg., large lot, carpeted, CLEAN, excellent condition. SEE THIS ONE TODAY. PRICED IN 20's.



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 SUNNY ATMOSPHERE is the highlight of this 3 bedroom, study, LARGE living room, 1 1/2 baths, fenced yard, central heat and air, cellar. Excellent Condition. Just move in. Call us today for an appointment.



WHAT A HOUSE!  
 Nestled on a cul-de-sac, this beautiful home offers 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, sunken living room with fireplace, utility room, lots of storage, double garage, & large patio. Step-saving kitchen arrangement has continuous cleaning double ovens, cook-top, dishwasher, & disposal. Warm, rich ashwood cabinets complete this 'cook's' dream of a kitchen. From the beautiful double doors that grace the entrance, the woodwork and doors throughout are the same rich ashwood. Large master bedroom features two huge walk-in closets and unusually large luxurious ceramic tiled bath, THIS IS THE OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFE-TIME TO HAVE THE HOME YOU DIDN'T THINK YOU COULD FIND. Quality throughout. By appointment only.



CHARM AND GRACE  
 404 S. Drexler  
 Charm and grace pervade this spacious older home which offers 3 bedrooms (one bedroom equipped with Murphy bed), 3 baths, den, full basement, 2-car attached garage with electric door opener, 1-car detached garage, underground sprinkler system, central air-conditioning, curtains throughout and new cedar fence, dust-stopper windows. Lots of storage throughout the house, basement, and garages. The sunny kitchen has continuous cleaning double ovens, Corning cook-top, and built-in ironing board. The full basement has large game room, a bedroom, full bath, big cedar-lined closet, and large amount of other storage. This beautiful older home has been cared for and is in perfect condition and offers all the amenities for comfortable living. CALL TODAY FOR AN APPOINTMENT.



EXCELLENT LOCATION  
 1010 Drexler  
 Neat 3 bedroom, 1 bath, carport. Good condition. See it today.

# Telephone Bills Due To Decrease

OKLAHOMA CITY -- Most General Telephone Company of the Southwest customers will find decreases on their telephone bills dates after July 12, according to W.A. Leigon, vice president and general manager for the company with offices in Oklahoma City.

Leigon said the Oklahoma Corporation Commission recently approved a redistribution of revenues, resulting in a slight reduction in total annual revenues received by the company. The company sought several non-traditional changes as a result of Federal Communications Commission Docket 19528. The FCC ruling will ultimately make it possible for customers to purchase registered telephones from non-telephone company sources and directly interconnect them to the phone company network.

"As a result, the ruling has required us to reevaluate our service and charges, and to change them to be competitive," Leigon said.

"Extension rates, which in the past have subsidized other services, will be lowered under the rate changes in order to be competitive."

"Likewise, installations or changes of service charges wh-

ich have been subsidized by other services will be increased slightly to be more in line with actual costs to the company," he explained.

"The changes will mean most of our customers will share in a \$277,000 annual revenue reduction, mostly as the result of reduced installation and change of service charges."

He continued, "A redistribution of revenues was required to offset the reduction in extension rates. It was determined that charges for new installations or changes in service, which were not compensatory under the old tariff, should be increased rather than raising basic monthly service rates for all customers."

The new extension rate will be 85 cents per month for both business and residential customers. Old rates were \$2 for business and \$1.50 for residence.

The only other reductions in rates apply to Guymon customers who have Touch Calling telephones. Leigon explained Touch Calling rates in Guymon were slightly different than other cities since Guymon was one of the first General Telephone exchanges to receive this service. The change brings

charges in Guymon in line with rates in other exchanges where Touch Calling is offered.

Charges for new installation or changes in service will become effective July 12. At that time the five-part installation or change in service charges will change. A change in existing service will generally range from \$8.50 for both business and residence to \$29.25 for residence and \$47 for business, depending upon the amount of work required to make the change.

Likewise, new installation charges will generally range from \$38.35 to \$47 for residence and \$73.50 to \$84.75 for business, bringing charges for these services more in line with actual costs, he said.

A new charge, applicable only in Broken Arrow at this time, will be applied for picking up telephones after a customer discontinues service. This work previously has been completely subsidized by other services. Customers will receive information giving them details on the option of returning the instruments to designated drop-off points in lieu of paying a \$6 charge.

Leigon explained the instrument return charge is design-

ed to cover the cost of work that in previous years has been completely subsidized by customers who still have service after the disconnecting customer has left



By Jack House, The Director  
Teacher's Scotch Information Centre

### The Scots Guards

One of the most famous army regiments in the world is the Scots Guards. They mount guard on Buckingham Palace in London and appear on big royal ceremonial occasions all over Britain. Yet their origin is French.



King Charles VII of France established them as a regular regiment in the 15th century, and his Scots Guards consisted of 100 men-at-arms and 200 archers. The story of the

regiment is told by Sir Walter Scott in "Quentin Durward." The King's Scots Guards were closer to him than any of his French soldiers: 24 were "special protectors of the royal person" and another 6 were the King's "close bodyguard" on ceremonial occasions. Teacher's Scotch Information Centre suggests that maybe they were not as efficient as a monarch's or a President's bodyguard today, but they were better dressed.

### DO YOU REMEMBER?

Charlene Bulls, who is remodeling the old hotel in Spearman, has uncovered a mural-painting in the lobby of the old building. The painting was by a B. Foster. If anyone remembers when this was painted, please contact the newspaper, and we will inform Mrs. Bulls. A picture will be run in the Sunday paper of the painting. If you old timers remember anything about this, contact the paper.



KELLY SHAVER, pictured above, is the new Lions Club Sweetheart. Kelly will ride the float that the Lions will sponsor in the Spearman Celebration this month. In other business at the Lions Club Tuesday, Lion Gibner introduced his new executive vice president, Ray Ingle, and an old-time Lion, Bob Boxwell was also present for the noon meeting. The Club

had their largest attendance of the season at the Tuesday meeting, and no one could determine why the club set a record at the Tuesday meeting. Approximately 25 to 30 members were present. Boss Lion Dick Elbert stated that the club's finances were running along par for this time of the year, lots of bills to pay, and no money! But the club is looking for some

new projects to raise money in the future. Gordon Gross, from the Gruver Lions Club was also a visitor Tuesday. Plan to attend the meeting next Tuesday at Martin Steak Gardens! Join the club today!!!

"No pains, no gains." English proverb

Form 64 (State) (6-77)

Consolidated Report of Condition of " FIRST STATE BANK " (Legal title of bank)  
of Spearman, Hansford, Texas, 79081, and Domestic Subsidiaries (City) (County) (State) (Zip Code)  
at the close of business on June 30, 19 78. State Bank No. 1107  
Federal Reserve District No. 11

BALANCE SHEET		ASSETS		Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
1.	Cash and due from banks	C	7				3	355	1
2.	U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E			1	299	2
3.	Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E			2	790	3
4.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E			5	961	4
5.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E			NONE		5
6.	Corporate stock						NONE		6
7.	Trading account securities						NONE		7
8.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4				1	000	8
9.	a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10				13	593	9a
	b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses						305		b
	c. Loans, Net						13	288	c
10.	Direct lease financing						NONE		10
11.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises						240		11
12.	Real estate owned other than bank premises						NONE		12
13.	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies						NONE		13
14.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding						NONE		14
15.	Other assets	G	7				101		15
16.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)						28	034	16
		LIABILITIES		Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
17.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A			12	306	17
18.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C			10	334	18
19.	Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C			137		19
20.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C			2	002	20
21.	Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C			NONE		21
22.	Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C			001		22
23.	Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A			058		23
24.	TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)						24	838	24
	a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A			13	401	a
	b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C			11	437	b
25.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4				NONE		25
26.	Other liabilities for borrowed money						NONE		26
27.	Mortgage indebtedness						NONE		27
28.	Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding						NONE		28
29.	Other liabilities	H	9				062		29
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)						24	900	30
31.	Subordinated notes and debentures						NONE		31
		EQUITY CAPITAL		Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
32.	Preferred stock	a.	No. shares outstanding		NONE	(Par value)	NONE		32
33.	Common stock	a.	No. shares authorized		100,000	(Par value)			33
		b.	No. shares outstanding		100,000	(Par value)			34
34.	Surplus						500		34
35.	Undivided profits						734		35
36.	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves						1	400	36
37.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)						3	134	37
38.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)						28	034	38

MEMORANDA			
1.	Average for 30 calendar days ending with call date:		
a.	Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)	3	290
b.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)	1	917
c.	Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)	13	182
d.	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)	2	077
e.	Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)	25	234
f.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)	NONE	
g.	Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)	NONE	
2.	Standby letters of credit outstanding (as of call date)	NONE	
3.	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (as of call date):		
a.	Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	1	955
b.	Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	244	

I, FELMA B. EVANS, Asst. Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly {SWEAR} that this report of condition (including the information on the reverse side hereof) is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: FELMA B. EVANS (Signature of officer authorized to sign report)

Rex Sanders, Jr.  
C. A. Gibner  
Er. Is Pittman } Directors.

State of Texas County of Hansford, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of July, 1978.  
I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
My commission expires 1-31-79 Arbeta Nobles, Notary Public.

Place for official seal to be affixed by officer before whom acknowledged. Notary must not be an officer or director of the bank.

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CONVENIENCE STORES

PRICES GOOD July 13-15, '78

<p><b>BORDEN'S BUTTERMILK</b> 89¢ <small>1/2 GAL. CTN.</small></p>	<p><b>WYLER'S GRAPE SOFT DRINK MIX PKG.</b> 10¢</p>
<p><b>BORDEN'S YOGURT</b> 3 ASST'D FLAVORS 8 OZ. CTN. 89¢</p>	<p><b>SHURFINE BLACK EYE PEAS</b> 5 FOR \$1</p>
<p><b>DEL MONTE SPINACH</b> 4 FOR \$1</p>	<p><b>BORDEN'S ICE CREAM</b> \$1 19 <small>1/2 GAL. SQ. CTN.</small></p>
<p><b>BORDEN'S FRUIT DRINK</b> 69¢ GAL.</p>	<p><b>HOT DOGS</b> 12 OZ. PKG. 99¢</p>
<p><b>SHURFINE SLICED OR HALVES PEACHES</b> 4 FOR \$1</p>	<p><b>ARMOUR'S BOLOGNA</b> 89¢ <small>12 OZ. PKG.</small></p>
<p><b>GARDEN FRESH TEXAS WATERMELONS</b> \$1 49 EA</p>	<p><b>SHURFINE SLICED OR CRUSHED PINEAPPLE</b> 8 1/2 OZ. CAN 5 FOR \$1</p>

## Miss Hansford County Entries Deadline

**MISS HANSFORD COUNTY  
OFFICIAL PAGEANT ENTRY BLANK**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ request entry in the \_\_\_\_\_ Miss Hansford County Pageant to be held in Spearman, Texas, during the annual Hansford County Round-Up on \_\_\_\_\_

**Entries Must Be Received Before July 15, 1978**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:**  
Age \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_

Education \_\_\_\_\_  
Schools \_\_\_\_\_  
Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

Other Activities \_\_\_\_\_

Parents \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name) (Mail. Ad.) (Town) (Ph.)

Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name) (Mail. Ad.) (Town) (Ph.)

I agree to appear in the Beauty Pageant \_\_\_\_\_, to ride in the Parade, also attend a Tea and meet with the judges for an interview. I understand the contestants are judged equally on Beauty, Personality, Poise and Figure and will appear on stage in street dress and later in formals.

Xi Zeta Sorority members entertained prospective contestants for the Miss Hansford County Pageant for 1978. A coke party with delicious refreshments was held in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church, Thursday, July 6th at 6:00 p.m.

Entries are still being taken for the pageant, and all interested girls between the ages of 16 and 21 are asked to contact Judy Nelson at 659-3608 or 659-3424. The deadline for entries is Saturday, July 15, 1978.

There will be a luncheon for all contestants on July 20th at the country home of Linda Latta. On July 26th, there will be a dress rehearsal in the auditorium. On July 27th, at 9:30 a.m., there will be another dress rehearsal, and from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. there will be a tea for contestants and judges at the B & B Building.

The Pageant will be held in the Spearman High School Auditorium at 8:00 p.m., Thursday, July 27.

### Sparks Reunion Is Planned

Friends and neighbors are invited to attend the Sparks Reunion which will be held July 16 at the Home Demonstration Clubroom all day.

# Hansford Round-Up Planned for July 27-30

A rodeo, carnival, fiddlers' contest and dances will highlight the Spearman Rodeo and Hansford Round-Up slated for July 27-30.

Joy McCormack, member of the Hansford Round-Up Association, said the association finalized plans for the celebration June 29.

The theme for this year's parade will be "It's A Small World -- One Nation Many Countries", McCormack said. First place prize for the best float will be \$100, with \$75 for second place and \$50 for third place. The winner in the bike classification will be awarded \$15.

Several clubs and organizations plan activities for Saturday, she said. Some of the projects include a dunking board, arts and crafts sale and a cake walk. Any club wishing to have a money-making project during the celebration should call the Chamber of Commerce, said McCormack. The fee is \$15.

The Hansford Round-Up Association needs volunteers to sell tickets at the carnival, said McCormack. The small percentage the Round-Up receives from the carnival profits will be used to finance prizes for the parade and fiddlers' contest, she said. If anyone wishes to

sell ride tickets during the carnival he should call the Chamber of Commerce.

Events planned for the celebration are: All week, Carnival; Thursday, Miss Hansford County, 7 p.m. in the High School Auditorium; Friday, a Teen Dance from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Community Building; Saturday, Sidewalk Sale begins at 8:30 a.m., Dedication of Senior Citizens Golden Spread Center 9 a.m., Old Timers Reunion 9:30 a.m. at Joe Trayler Ford, Parade begins at 10:30 a.m. (the parade forms at 10 a.m. at the Shopping Center), Barbecue scheduled for 11:30 a.m. with American Ag cooking, Fiddlers' Contest and Street entertainment-Courthouse Square, Dedication at the Stationmaster's House Museum, Rodeo slated to begin at 8 p.m., Rodeo Dance 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Community Building; Sunday, The Rodeo is scheduled to continue beginning at 3 p.m.

"This year is going to be the best Round-Up yet! So come on out and join the fun," McCormack urges.

Some people once believed that they could cure a fever by tying seven knots in a camel's hair.

Lenis Simpson reported on

### Golden Spread Club Board Meets

Golden Spread Club Board met on Friday, July 7 at 6:00 p.m. at the Golden Spread Center. The meeting was called to order by Orville Brummett, president, and opened with prayer by the Rev. Edward D. Freeman. Those present were Bob Boxwell, Orville and Colleen Brummett, Rosa Lee Butt, Pete Fisher, Ed Freeman, Thelma Scott, and Lenis Simpson.

Thelma Scott's minutes and treasurer's report were read and approved and bills were ordered paid.

One more social evening of the Golden Spread Club will be held at the Home Demonstration Clubhouse on Tuesday, July 18 at 6:30 p.m. It will still be held there because the tables and silverware have not yet arrived and carpenters are working on the remodeling of the Center. Golden Spread Club Board members will act as hosts and hostesses.

The garage door that has been removed is still for sale. Interested parties are asked to contact Bob Boxwell. The ceiling has been insulated. It was decided to install two attic fans.

progress on government grants. They have been sent in and the board that acts on them will meet on Wednesday, July 12 at the Amarillo Senior Citizens Center.

Tickets are still on sale on the Amana Radar Range, and may be purchased from any club member or board member.

The grounds have been moved. It was ordered to have the phone hooked up. Next meeting of the board will be on Monday, July 17 at 6:00 p.m. at the Golden Spread Center.

### Hospital

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Chester Mitts, Willie Vasquez, Emma Lopez, Marietta Davis, Jackie Smith, Ricky Dowdy, Mattie Layton, Blanche Taber, Freeman Barkley, W. W. Cypert and Michael David.

Dismissed were Oscar Rojas, Coyt Lee Tigrett, Jr., Betty Jane Offutt, Eva Pierce and Ethel Cookston.

"We are all insane, anyway. Note the mountain climbers." Mark Twain

### Swim Team News

The Spearman Swim Team traveled to Cimarron, Kansas this past Saturday for a meet. They competed against 7 other teams from the West Kansas Swim League, scoring 58 points.

Individual results: Chuck Rigdon, Boys 13-14, 50 Free, 2nd; Gary Thomas, Boys 13-14, 50 Free, 5th; Tuwana Byrd, Girls 13-14, 50 Free, 4th; Stacey Thomas, Girls 13-14, 50 Free, 6th; Jane Ann Wirsdorfer, Girls 8 & under, Backstroke, 4th; Curt Davis, Boys 13-14, Backstroke, 4th; Jane Ann Wirsdorfer, Girls 8 & under, Butterfly, 2nd; Chuck Rigdon, Boys 13-14, Breaststroke, 3rd; Teresa Meiner, Girls 11-12, 200 Free, 5th; Tuwana Byrd, Girls 13-14, 200 Free, 2nd; Stacey Thomas, Girls 13-14, 200 Free, 3rd; Freestyle Relay, Boys 13-14 (Curt Davis, Greg Farr, Gary Thomas, Chuck Rigdon), 2nd; Medley Relay Boys 13-14 (Curt Davis, Chuck Rigdon, Gary Thomas, Tracy Vernon), 3rd.

The Swim Team wants everyone to come by the pool this Saturday and watch the meet for a few minutes. The meet will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end around 6:00 p.m. There will be between 250 to 300 swimmers coming to Spearman from Kansas, Oklahoma and Perryton.

### Shower Honors Mrs. Goodman

A wedding shower honoring Mrs. Keith Goodman (nee Karen Tope) was held July 6 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Don Reed.

Hostesses were Rita Reed, June Kelp, Betty Uptergrove, Melba Rook, June Day, Jewel McCalmon, Wanda Reed, Reba Hunter, Belinda Benavidez, Virginia Fowler, and Stephanie Reed.

The serving table was laid with a white lace cloth over yellow satin and centered with an arrangement of white and yellow silk flowers which was presented to the bride by the hostesses. Refreshments of pineapple punch, white cake decorated with yellow, and coffee were served from a crystal punch service, silver coffee service and crystal serving trays.

Miss Sharon Tope registered

the gifts, and Miss Stephanie Reed registered guests on a round table with a yellow silk daisy spray across the book.

The honoree was presented with a corsage of white daisies, white baby's breath and gold rings tied with yellow ribbons. Her mother, Mrs. Avo Tope, was presented with a smaller corsage of white daisies, baby's breath tied with yellow ribbons.

### Gladiola Flower Club To Meet

Gladiola Flower Club met Thursday, July 6 for a family picnic at the Swimming Pool Park at 7:00 p.m.

Those enjoying the festive evening were members and their husbands; Messrs and Mesdames: Irvin Davis, Marcus Larson, Lloyd Buzzard, Don Kunselman, Garland Head, Claude Newell, Wallace Berner and Ed, Tom Sutton, and Gordon Cummings.

The next meeting will be July 20 in the home of Mrs. Claude Newell.

### Arts & Crafts Guild News


Arts and Crafts Guild met Friday, July 7 in the home of Mrs. Deta Blodgett.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by members, Mesdames: Bruce Sheets, Ned Turner, P. A. Lyon, Sr., Clay Gibner, Bill Russell, Aileen White and Deta Blodgett.

The next meeting will be July 14 in the home of Mrs. F. J. Daily.

### Story hour date changed

Starting August 1, Story House at the library will change back to Tuesday instead of Friday. The times will be the same.



**Ronie McClellan**  
has joined the staff at the  
**Cinderella  
Beauty Salon**  
with Helen Whitaker  
and  
Noreen Sutton

Open Monday -- Friday  
in the  
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Jill McLain displays the trophies she won during the International Model and Talent Association and Cinderella Pageant competitions recently held in Denton. Jill received first place for her tap and jazz dances in the 9- to 10-year-old category and third on her novelty dance. She won fourth alternate in the Miniature Miss Division of the Cinderella Pageant and is eligible to compete in the international Cinderella Pageant.

**Karl Johnson Honored At A&M**

College Station - Karl E. Johnson, Box 95, Morse, majoring in agricultural economics, has earned "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University. The undergraduate honor is awarded to students who excel academically at Texas A&M, the state's land-grant and sea-grant institution responsible for providing not only excellence in academic programs but extension and research in agriculture, engineering and other practical needs throughout the state. Recipients of the Distinguished Student honor must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.

**Rotary Club Outlines Programs**

Ed Garner, newly installed president of the Spearman Rotary Club, outlined programs and plans for the future of the Club at the regularly Monday noon meeting of Rotary on Monday, July 10 at Martin's Steak Garden.

Members present were Carrie Marie Berry, J. L. Brock, Roy Bulls, John R. Collard, Jr., E. J. Copeland, Robert Elliott, Pete Fisher, Ed Freeman, Ed Garner, Kerry Henton, John Hutchison, Junior Lusby, Jack McWhirter, Jim McLain, Larry Murphy, Frank Oglesby, Coy Palmer, Lenis Simpson, Gary Sims, Jerry Taylor, Don Wirsdorfer, Steve Wisniewski, and Tim Woodington.

Members absent were Archie Burress, Edwin Limbocker, and Jim Shirley.

Guests present were visiting Rotarians Gilbert Mize, Kenneth McKay, and Walter La-Master of the Perryton Club and Dr. Chung Yang.

It was announced that there would be a Club Assembly on Tuesday, July 25 at 7:30 p.m. at John R. Collard, Jr.'s office.

New officers and chairmen of committees are: Board of Directors, Ed Garner-president, John R. Collard, Jr.-vice-president, Don Wirsdorfer-secretary-treasurer; Director responsible for Club Service, Larry Murphy; Director of Vocational Service, Gary Sims; Director of Community Service, Coy Palmer; Director of International Service, Jack McWhirter.

**HELLO WORLD**



Attendance, Junior Lusby and Edwin Limbocker; Classification, Frank Oglesby; Club Bulletin, Ed Freeman; Fellowship Activities, John R. Collard, Jr.; Magazine, Don Wirsdorfer; Membership, John Hutchison; Membership Development, John Hutchison; Program, Robert Elliott and Roy Bulls; Public Relations, Ed Freeman; Rotary Information, John Hutchison; Sergeant-at-Arms, Steve Wisniewski; Employer-Employee Relations, J. L. Brock; The Four-Way Test, Archie Burress; Trade and Professional Relations, J. L. Brock; Rural-Urban, J. L. Brock; Audit and Budget, Kerry Henton and Lenis Simpson; Youth Services, Jim McLain; Interact, Tim Woodington and Jerry Taylor; Safety, Lenis Simpson; Senior Citizens, Pete Fisher; Youth, Jim McLain; Recreation and

**Red Cross Bloodmobile Here July 27**

Make your plans now to give a bit of blood--say a pint--July 27th when the American Red Cross Bloodmobile will visit Hansford County, setting up at the Parish Hall of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church from 10:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

Time reservations may be made by calling in Spearman, Hazel Stumpf, 659-2109, or Susan Delk, 659-2917; and in Gruver, Mrs. W. L. Maupin, 733-2564, Mrs. Bob Crawford, 733-2740, or Mrs. Dave Arrington, 733-2983.

The American Red Cross always needs a steady supply of blood donors but never so very much as during summer months and the winter holiday season. The summer of 1978 is no exception since a certain number of highway, boating, camping, and household accidents are predictable.

The Wichita Regional Red Cross Blood Program is campaigning this summer for the "Rare Bird"--that's an extra thoughtful person who will take time from a busy summer schedule of work and play to donate blood. The Red Cross is hoping to attract "Rare Birds" in large numbers.

Chances are that you will never know the recipient of your blood, but you can bet your tail feathers that that person is in some really physical trouble.

The procedure for donating blood is quick and harmless--the entire process taking usually less than an hour--including enjoying refreshments following.

Certainly giving blood is nothing particular to crow about but somehow you can strut a bit livelier afterwards--knowing that you may be saving a life.

Hopefully you will never have to lead any of the blood but be sure that someone who needs it will get it by giving yours July 27th!

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**Home Food Preservation Clinic Planned**

Planning a big harvest from your fruit trees and home garden? If so, you may have questions concerning procedure, safety, quality, good seals and spoilage.

A Home Food Preservation Clinic is planned for you Thursday, July 20, at 1:30 p.m. in the Spearman Home Demonstration Clubroom, according to County Extension Agent Peggy Winegarner.

If some of your home canned products have obvious problems, bring the jar and contents with you and find out causes for the problems.

Publications on canning, freezing, drying, jellies, jams and preserves will be available. Bring the lid for your pressure canner if you would like to have the steam gauge tested.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

**Library Board Meeting**

Hansford County Library Board met in regular session on Monday, July 10 at 3:30 P.M. in the Library Board Room.

The following members were present: James Cunningham, Mrs. P. A. Lyon, Mrs. J. R. Stump, and Librarian, Rita Curtis.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer's Report was discussed and approved.

The Librarian reported a circulation of 3,495 for June. The library set an all-time high circulation record for a single day on June 20th. 400 items were checked out that day.

Total attendance at the library programs during June was 258. The meeting was adjourned at 4:10 P.M. The next Board meeting will be on August 8 at the library.

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**Fresh Fruits & Vegetables**

<b>California Peaches</b> RED ROSY LB. <b>59¢</b>	<b>California Nectarines</b> DELICIOUS LB. <b>69¢</b>
<b>Juicy Cantaloupe</b> VINE RIPENED LB. <b>23¢</b>	<b>Salad Tomatoes</b> RED RIPE 4-CT. PKG. EACH <b>49¢</b>

**California Lettuce**  
CRISP, GREEN HEADS  
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RED RIPE  
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ASSORTED FLAVORS  
1/2-GAL. CTN. **98¢**

FAIRMONT Sherbet.....  
1/2-GAL. CTN. **98¢**

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14-OZ. CTN. **78¢**

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**Presbyterian Church News**

Because of the hot weather and the aerial spraying for grasshoppers, the outdoor service and family picnic and recreation have been postponed.

There is a Sunday Church School class for you every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. with an interesting, well-prepared, practical Bible lesson.

"Good and Evil Grow Side by Side" is the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday, July 16 at 11:00 a.m.

Golden Spread Club for all people fifty-five years of age and older will have a pot-luck supper and social evening on Tuesday, July 18 at 6:30 p.m. at the Home Demonstration Clubhouse.

Presbyterian Women of the Church will meet at the church on Wednesday, July 19 at 9:30 a.m. Mary Cornelius is the hostess. Dorothy Baggerly will lead devotions and the Bible study, "The Replacement."

There is a warm, Christian welcome awaiting anyone who tries the hospitality at any of the services or activities of the First Presbyterian Church.

Sister of Local Men Dies

Mrs. Sylvia Ruth Gipson, 42, died Thursday, July 6. Services were at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in Perryton Church of God. The Rev. Roy Burpo, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Ochiltree Cemetery under the direction of Good Samaritan Funeral Service of Booker.

Mrs. Gipson was born at Perryton. She married Everett Gipson in 1952. Survivors include her husband; two sons, Winston and David, both of the home; three daughters, Bernita Elder of Elko, Nev., Deborah Vitela of Woodward, Okla. and Delorse Tharp of Perryton; two sisters, Mrs. Raymond Scott of Perryton and Mrs. Clinton Johnson of Graham; seven brothers, Loyd Sword of Perryton, Frank Sword of Canadian, Arvid Sword of Wheeler, Earl Sword of San Antonio, Charlie Stumpf of Perryton, Harry Stumpf and Dean Stumpf, both of Spearman.

**Daily Team Roping Set**

The Adobe Walls Roping Club will have a daily team roping Saturday, July 15, at Oscar Archer Arena here. The roping will begin at 8 p.m. The cost is \$40.00 for 5 head, pro after 2.

For more information contact Gary Taylor, 659-3968.

**Engagement Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Carm Romano announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Carol Joy, to John Mark Stavlo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Stavlo of Gruver, Texas. The wedding will take place on July 22 in San Jose, California.

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# Morse-Pringle To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Fifty years ago, two Panhandle towns, Morse and Pringle, were established with the building of the Amarillo-Liberal line of the Rock Island railroad.

On Wed., August 2, these communities will stage a 50th birthday celebration at Morse complete with a parade, program, old timers reunion, Little Flapper contests, games, baseball game and a barbecue at noon in the community park.

The festivities will start at 9 a.m. with a pioneer reunion at the Community Building. Parade seats will be provided there for the pioneers. The oldest married couple present will be recognized.

Gene Dixon, chairman of the pioneer reunion, has asked that pioneer couples pre-register if possible by sending name and wedding date to Gene Dixon, Box 37, Morse, Texas 79062.

The parade, under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd Poole, will form at the post office. Entries will be judged and prized awarded during the program.

Two contests, Little Miss Flapper for girls in grades one through four, and Tiny Miss Flapper for preschoolers, will be held and winners announced at the program. Contestants may ride the Miss Flapper parade float. Mrs. Loreta Cook is in charge of these contests.

A barbecue will be held at the community park at noon with plates costing \$1 each. Following the noon meal, games for all ages, under the direction of Barry Stevens, will be held.

A baseball game featuring the Sodbusters vs. the City Slickers will conclude the day's activities.

In 1900 the area surrounding the present sites of Morse and Pringle was open range with no paved roads and no fences, just wagon trails and half dugouts dotting the countryside serving as homes for the early pioneers.

Four rural school houses were used both for educational purposes and social gatherings. They were Lone Star, located southwest of what was formerly Natures Park; Lieb, which still stands midway between Morse and Pringle; Centerville, located west of Pringle two miles north of the present Jack Johnson place; and Alpha, which stood west of Pringle on the Logan lane.

The Alpha school emerged from Parksdale, which was located west of Pringle and named for the late W.H. Parks. The school at Parksdale was established in 1905 and remained until 1913 when it became Alpha.

The school house at Alpha was built by W.P. Roberts with the help of local people. This building was moved to Pringle when the first term of school was held there in 1929.

In the spring of 1902, a meeting was held in the home of W.M. Lieb for the purpose of organizing and making preparations for the building of a school near the old Lieb post office. Plans were made and the lumber was hauled by wagon from Channing.

Because of bad weather, progress was slow and completion was not until April of 1903. A two-month term of school was held that spring.

Part of Lieb consolidated with Pringle and part with Morse in 1929. The Lone Star school building and the one from Centerville, which was built in 1909, were moved to Morse where they were used for school facilities until a new building was completed in 1930. The Centerville district was also split with part going to Pringle and the remainder to Morse.

H.S. Durham, H.C. Coffee and J.P. Burgess, all Amarillo men, were promoters of the townsite of Morse in 1928. The building of the Amarillo-Liberal line of the Rock Island railroad in 1929 and the permit received by Santa Fe railroad in November of 1930 to construct a line from Spearman to a connection with the Rock Island tracks at Morse was the stimulus for a big celebration held in the town.

Among the dignitaries present were Lewis Nordyke, who made the main address; Wess Izzard and Gene Howe, newspapermen from Amarillo, and a number of high ranking railroad officials of both lines.

A barbecue and lot sale were held along with the parade in which Bones Hanks, driving a team of mules, and Roscoe

Parks and H.I. Gay, acting as clowns, were featured.

A rodeo was held in the afternoon and an airplane, something new to most people, was available to offer rides to the public.

Pringle was named for William J. Pringle, who had the townsite surveyed in 1928. A post office was established there on Sept. 13, 1929, with Benjamin J. Cook as the first postmaster.

Cook was followed by Willie C. Chisum in 1930 and Richard M. Dulin in 1935.

The post office was discontinued April 15, 1946, with the mail thereafter sent to Stinnett.

Operating with crude facilities, the first term of school was held at Pringle in 1929-30. Each child brought his own water and lunch, along with feed for his horse, if he happened to be riding a horse.

Students traveled to school the best way they could, sometimes by horseback and sometimes by walking.

Maud Weatherford taught the first school at Pringle in the old Alpha building.

The first brick school was approved on March 14, 1932, with J.C. Chisum as architect. Mrs. Anna Lou Derring and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Lovell were employed as teachers. C.J. Tyler was hired as custodian.

With the consolidations of the school districts mentioned above, plus the addition of Neilsen, Holt and Lackey in later years, Pringle established a first-rate grade school serving a wide area.

School was held there through the spring of 1977 when the voters of both the Pringle and Morse school districts voted to consolidate the two districts with the school being located in Morse and now known as the Pringle-Morse school.

Shortly after Morse was established, several business located there. Among them were four lumber yards, a drug store and pharmacy, two grocery stores, three wholesale stations, four grain elevators, a dry goods store, a newsstand, newspaper and printing shop, a doctor, telephone exchange, a barber and beauty shop and a

cleaning establishment.

According to the first issue of the Morse Monitor, March 27, 1929, the future of the town appeared to be bright with headlines reading, "Rock Island now constructing line from Morse to Dalhart," "Santa Fe to extend line to Morse," "Morse becoming center of railroads and state highways," "Many new business are locating; see great future ahead."

Other notes taken from early editions of the Monitor include items concerning the establishment of the first post office, April 24, 1929, listing Mrs. Etta Powers as the first postmistress followed by Mrs. H.C. Coffee.

The newspaper also mentioned the organization of a Sunday School with the first congregation gathering in the large store room in the Panhandle Lumber Company's office and later moving to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Coffee.

After the school buildings were moved into town, Sunday School was held there with the first group of teachers being Mrs. A.J. Womble, Mrs. Bob Balentine, Mrs. Earl Hickle, W.L. Cotton and Mrs. Coffee.

Rev. A. E. Fowler, a Baptist from Fort Worth, who was in Morse visiting his daughter, was the minister to deliver the first sermon. Each Sunday a different pastor representing various denominations filled the pulpit thereafter.

School, under the direction of C.W. Turman, was held in the buildings moved from Lone Star and Centerville, until the completion of a new building in 1930.

The first teachers were J.B. Speer, superintendent; W.A. Gillispie; Mrs. J. B. Speer and Miss Hattie Cambern.

Mention is made of the school's first football team in an early edition of the Morse newspaper dated Nov. 27, 1930.

The Mustangs closed the season with five wins and three losses, playing against Stinnett, Plemons, Gruver, Spearman and Dumas.

Boys making up this early day team were Woodrow Forester, Gordon Parks, Willie Ray Gay, Earl Madden, LeRoy Sheets, Ollie Roy Stevenson, Alton

Mowery, Henry Davis and Fred Womble.

Also listed on the team were Lewis Harbour, W. Holmna, Harrison Cambern, Branch Sheets, Fredrick Forester, Mike Balentine, Frank Womble and Horace Tompkins.

Organization of the Morse Chamber of Commerce was in 1930 with Roy Womble heading the organization. Fred Kreigner, who directed the band at Lieb for many years, organized a community band at Morse in 1930 with Alva Henderson elected as president and Willis Lackey as secretary.

Other members of this early day band were Ralph Forester, Woody Forester, Fred Womble, Frank Womble, Fredrick Forester, Bruce Womble, Clyde Miller, Mack Dortch, Earle Hickle and Cecil Webb.

Another interesting note gleaned from the files of the Monitor is the mention of a bank to be established in Morse. Evidently, from the printed record, all but a few shares of stock in the bank had been placed by December of 1930, and stockholders were rushing completion of the bank papers in order to begin construction by the middle of January.

A congratulatory letter from the late Dr. G.P. Gibner of Spearman appeared in one copy of the paper commending the town on securing such a bank. Also, in the same issue of the paper, there was an announcement that Morse would have natural gas within six weeks.

What happened to the proposed bank and why did it take almost 40 years to secure natural gas for Morse? Where did the businesses go and the predicted bright headlines for Morse? The answer can be found in two phrases: the dirty 30s and the depression that followed.

Businesses closed, people moved away, but a remnant held on. Then in the 1940s, Mike Balentine drilled an irrigation well and in the 50s a few other farmers did likewise.

Then, irrigation came in full force to this area and seemed to be part of the answer to the problems of the farming communities.

J.E. Castleberry, editor of the Morse Monitor, probably could have told people this 50 years ago, for he wrote in his opening column: "Hansford County has a wonderful and abundant water supply; it is underlaid with a veritable ocean of water."

Two years ago, Morse and Pringle staged a bi-centennial celebration that drew a crowd of about 400 people.

On Aug. 2 of this year, the two communities will have a combined birthday celebration. Everyone is invited to attend.

Community planning committee members coordinating plans include Tom Dortch, chairman, Betty Womble, Susan McCloy, Marvin Jones, Bobby Tolleson, Jerry Womble and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Poole.

## Comptroller Rep To Visit Here

AUSTIN-- State Comptroller Bob Bullock announced he is sending a representative from his Amarillo Field Office to Spearman on Wednesday, July 19 to assist local taxpayers and answer questions about state taxes.

Bullock said Enforcement Officer John Lindsey will meet with local taxpayers at the County Judge's Office in the Hansford County Courthouse from 10 a.m. until noon.

"If Spearman-area merchants, or anyone else for that matter, have any questions about state taxes or need help in preparing tax forms, Mr. Lindsey will be there to assist them," Bullock said.

"We're trying to cut the red tape in this office and we believe these face-to-face sessions with taxpayers help do just that," Bullock added.

Bullock reminded those taxpayers who are unable to meet with his representative on July 19, that they can still get their questions answered quickly by calling his toll-free tax information number in Austin. That number is 1-800-252-5555.

The Amarillo Field Office, headed by Claudia Stravato, serves the 26 counties of the Texas Panhandle.

## No Citation Given For Accident

Minor damage was reported after a traffic accident involving two Spearman women occurred Monday afternoon, according to police reports.

Spearman Police Chief Steve Wisniewski said Nancy Ford McIntyre and Grace Butcher were involved in the incident at Barkley and Kenneth. No citations were given.

A complaint against a tenant was filed Monday by Francis Sim of 317 S. Archer. Wisniewski said her complaint involved a tenant at 211 S. Roland who had allegedly kicked out a door and storm door.

Mrs. Gary Harnish allegedly drove a pickup into an unleaded fuel pump at the M & M Grocery Monday morning, according to the police report.



The Lascaux caves in France contain paintings made 15-20,000 years ago.

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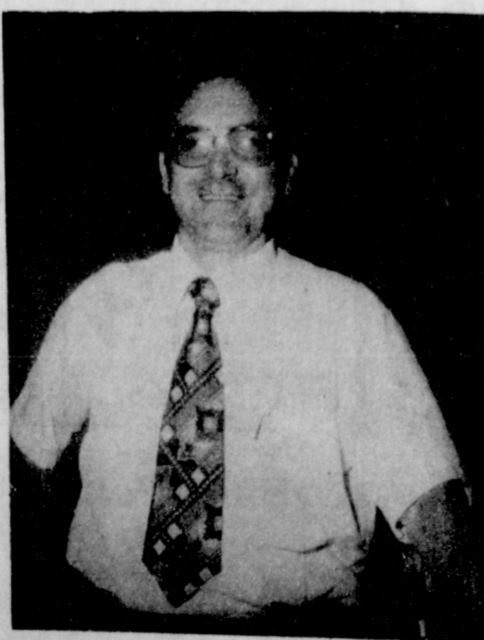
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# Hadley Reed to Compete in State 4-H Horse Show

Hadley Reed, local 4-Her, qualified to compete in the State 4-H Horse Show July 26 - 29 in San Antonio during the District 1 Horse Show held last week in Amarillo, said Garland Stewart, county extension agent.

The District 1 Horse Show was held July 6 - 7 in the Bill Cody Arena in Amarillo with twenty counties in the top of the Panhandle participating.

Participating in the show from Hansford County were Travis Patterson, Hadley Reed, Mark Garnett, Jennifer Umphress, Jon Garnett, Scott Henderson, Andrea Archer, Shannon Vernon, Roger Buchanan, Cole

Umphress and Will Jarvis. Travis Patterson won third place in the registered mare halter class for mares younger than five years. Hadley Reed won ninth for registered mares five years old and older.

Mark Garnett won third place and Jennifer Umphress won sixth place in the grade mare halter class in the show. Jon Garnett won third place for his registered gelding.

Hadley Reed won fifth place for western horsemanship and Scott Henderson won sixth place for reining.

Hadley Reed also won fifth place in judged roping and

participated in an invitational roping at the district contest.

In the County Horse Show held recently, Jon Garnett won first place for halter class geldings. Second place went to Andrea Archer and Carlee Dixon won third place in this division.

Hadley Reed placed first in the halter class mares in the county show with Travis Patterson coming in second and Jan Allen winning third place in the contest.

For performances in the county show, Jennifer Umphress won first place for showmanship with Hadley Reed taking second

and Jon Garnett winning third place.

Winning first place in the Western Pleasure division was Mark Garnett. Hadley Reed won second and Scott Henderson won third.

First place for Western Horsemanship in the county contest went to Hadley Reed with Scott Henderson taking second and Cole Umphress coming in third.

Scott Henderson placed first in the reining category.

First place in the pole bending category went to Shannon Vernon with second place going to Tiki Jackson and third place going to Roger Buchanan.

Andrea Archer won first place in the barrel racing competition while Jan Allen came in second and third place went to Shannon Vernon.

High point boy for the county contest was Hadley Reed and high point girl for the competition was Andrea Archer.

## Pre-Counseling Set at FPC

Students who wish to take part in the pre-counseling program at Frank Phillips College during the week of July 31 - Aug. 4 may still do so.

The following materials should be on file in the registrar's office: pre-registration application, high school transcript, completed forms and ACT scores.

Pre-counseling requests will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis.

With the information concerning his pre-counseling appointment time, the student will also be sent a packet of information cards to be completed and brought to the counselor at the time of his appointment.

Tuition and fees must be paid in the FPC business office at the time of pre-counseling and pre-registration.

## Small Fire Extinguished in Record Time

The Spearman Volunteer Fire Department answered a call in the alley of 109 N. Endicott Monday afternoon. The call came in at 2:15 p.m. The first unit was on its way by 2:22 p.m.

It was a small rubbish and fence fire and was controlled in less than a minute and completely extinguished at 2:30 p.m.

According to Fire Chief Ronnie Antalek, there was only slight damage.



"In language clarity is everything." Confucius



"A fool sees not the same tree that a wise man sees." William Blake

# Sheriff Warns Merchants About Out-of-Town Checks

Local merchants "should be especially careful" about accepting checks from out-of-town banks, warns Sheriff R. L. McFarlin.

McFarlin made the statement following the arrest of two out-of-town women who were charged with bogus checks.

Mary Schooling, Waka, was arrested Monday and Gloria Evans, Perryton, was arrested Tuesday.

McFarlin said the women were ordered to make restitution for the checks and pay all court costs. They have both been released, he said.

There are warrants out for the arrest of several others in connection with false checks, he said.

Clinton Keith Goodman, 18, of Spearman was arrested July 6 and fined \$200 in Justice of the Peace Court for the use of abusive language. He was fined another \$100 for contempt of court.

J. J. Morgan, 43, of Spearman was arrested July 7 for public intoxication. He has been released on bond.

Ramone Carmona was arrested July 8 and was returned to Ochiltree County where three warrants had been issued for his arrest.

Ronald DeJager, 23, of Spearman was arrested and charged with hindering arrest. He is out

on a \$500 bond, the sheriff said.

Two employees of the Sheriff's office are enrolled in a 24 hour course in Search and Seizure at Frank Phillips College in Borger. McFarlin said that Chief Deputy John Mull and Deputy Dave Floyd were attending the course from July 11-13 to help upgrade their schooling.

## HANSFORD LODGE INSTALLATION SET

Hansford Lodge No. 1040 AF & AM will hold its installation of officers, Saturday, July 15. The meal will be served at 7 p.m. Installation will follow at 8 p.m.

Those to be installed are Worshipful Master Dwayne Smith; Senior Warden, Don Wirsdorfer, Jr.; Junior Warden, Rick Riggins; Treasurer, Roy Lee McClellan; Secretary, Cecil Batton; Senior Deacon, Cecil Biggers; Junior Deacon, David Burnett; Chaplain, John R. Collard, Jr.; Senior Steward, Jack Whitson; Tiler, Dick Hudson.

All Master Masons and families are urged to attend.



By Mrs. Dan Gerber

Do you know that this year marks the 50th Anniversary of Gerber baby foods? It was in 1928 that the first five strained varieties—carrots, peas, prunes, spinach and vegetable soup with beef—were first offered.

Today parents take commercially prepared baby foods pretty much for granted. But before they were widely available, straining vegetables and fruits for a baby was a time-consuming, messy chore.

Now, thanks in part to the availability and convenience of the many baby food varieties, babies are among the best nourished people in our society.

## Welding Classes Set At FPC

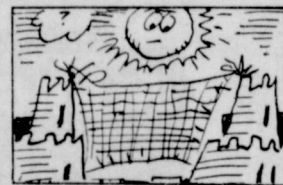
Full-time welding classes at Frank Phillips College will begin July 17. Students may register at any time until the above date.

The welding technology program at FPC consists of six quarters of classroom and technical training, at the end of which the student completing the required courses may receive an Associate of Applied Science degree in welding technology.

A seventh quarter, special welding and pipe and plate fabrication II, is optional.



The smallest mammal is the pygmy shrew, which is only 1 1/2 inches long without its tail, and weighs only one-eighth of an ounce.



The ancient Peruvians believed they could catch the sun by stretching a net between two towers.

# Gas Company Rate Hike Delayed

The Texas Railroad Commission Monday ordered a 120-day suspension of the effective date of a rate hike sought by High Plains Natural Gas Co. in eight Panhandle towns.

The increase of approximately 15 cents per thousand cubic feet, over and above rate increases granted in recent franchise renewals was delayed until a hearing can be conducted by the commission.

## SPVD Answers Farm Call

The Spearman Volunteer Fire Department answered a call to the old Walker place, 4 miles northeast of Spearman early Tuesday morning. An old shed that two Spanish men were living in was fully involved when the fire department arrived.

The call came in at 8:11 a.m. and the first unit was on its way at 8:17. Three units went to the scene and the fire was under control at 8:39 a.m.

The shed was destroyed, however, some of the men's belongings were saved.

## Robert Reed Enlists In Navy

Robert A. Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Reed of 1014 South Dressen has enlisted in the NAVY's Delayed entry program. Bob will be an 1978 graduate of Spearman High.

Bob will be departing for Orlando, Fla. on 20 July where he will attend Recruit Training. Bob will be attending the NAVY's class "A" school for Engine-man (Diesel Engine Repair) at Great Lakes, Ill. Robert enlisted in the NAVY through the Pampa Office.

Anyone liking more information can call Don Taylor, ENC collect at 665-5932.

## HOT SUMMERS . . . A WAY OF LIFE IN THE SOUTHWEST.

When the temperatures soar, air conditioning provides comfort and relief from scorching southwestern summers. But it's not without a price. Electric bills are higher when the outside temperatures reach 100-plus day after day. Hot summer days cause your air conditioning system to work harder keeping your home and family comfortable. Is it worth it? Most of you will probably agree that it is. To help keep air conditioning costs as low as possible, set your thermostat at 78°, clean or replace the filter each month, close drapes during the day, and be careful to shut all doors and windows tightly when your air conditioner is operating.

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### "PUBLIC NOTICE"

"Pursuant to TEX.REV.CIV.STAT. ANN. art 1446c paragraph 43 High Plains Natural Gas Company hereby gives notice of the Company's intention to raise the rates of the unincorporated portions of the counties of Hansford, Ochiltree and Lipscomb, effective July 19, 1978 to:

#### MONTHLY USE

0 - 499 MCF	63¢ plus city gate rate/ intracompany charge
500 - 1200 MCF	58¢ plus city gate rate/ intracompany charge
Over 1200 MCF	53¢ plus city gate rate/ intracompany charge

The city gate rate/intracompany charge is established by the Railroad Commission of Texas. It is currently 111.56¢/mcf plus 90% or less 100% of the amount by which High Plains' weighted average cost of gas is more or less than 85.80¢/mcf.

Information concerning the proposed change can be obtained from the High Plains Natural Gas Company office at 109 South Main Street, Canadian, Texas, phone (806) 323-6464.

Any affected person may file written comments or a protest concerning the proposed change with the Director of the Gas Utilities Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Drawer 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 at any time within 15 days following the postmark date of this notice."

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### June Vows Exchanged

In an early evening wedding June 10th double ring marriage vows were exchanged by Sandra Gail Ross and Larry Don Watlington at the altar of the First Baptist Church of Gruver with Don Ross, brother of the bride, assisted by the Reverend John Denton, minister of the Gruver Baptist Church, officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ross of Gruver and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Watlington of Colorado City.

The chancel scene where the nuptials were exchanged beneath an archway was flanked by spiral candelabra with four candelabra marking the aisles. Arrangements of spring flowers over the bapistry and on the registry table highlighted the decor. Family pews were marked with large satin bows.

Nuptial selections were offered by Mrs. James Dorman at the organ and Mrs. Richie Fletcher at the piano who also accompanied Stan TeBeest of Canyon and Cindy Goodson of Amarillo as they sang "You Light Up My Life" as the candles were lit by Angela Ross of Perryton, niece of the bride, and nephew of the groom, Ty Watlington, of Colorado City. Other vocal selections included a duet "Dear Father", a solo "Colour My World" sung by Mr. TeBeest and "The Lord's Prayer" by Miss Goodson.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride chose a traditional style gown of white organza and re-embroidered Chantilly lace, designed with a fitted bodice featuring a high neckline edged with a delicate lace collar and long, straight candestick sleeves sprinkled in matching lace and coming to lace petal points over her hands. The bodice, covered with an intricate design of lace roses, terminated at the Empire waist line which was defined in lace swept to back fullness, forming a chapel-length train. The entire hemline and train were completely encircled in a wide baroque pattern of lace. Her matching two-layer silk illusion veil was caught to an

elegant fingertip length and she carried a dreamboat bouquet of blue daisies and yellow roses. The radiant bride carried out bridal traditions with her wedding dress as something new; carrying a handkerchief of her mother's for something old; her blue garter; a diamond necklace she had borrowed from her aunt, Mrs. Buck Ragsdale of Goodland, Texas; and in her shoe she wore a lucky sixpense with the date of her birth, the gift of Mrs. Alma Gruver.

Miss Lee Westerfield of Weatherford, Oklahoma, served as maid of honor with Mrs. Linda Farr of Brownfield, Texas, and Mrs. Sherry Morris Crowley of Ridgeway, Colorado serving as her attendants. Each was attired in a blue polyester organza dress designed with a bustled back and each carried a nosegay of white daisies and yellow roses.

Serving as best man was Charles Ray Watlington, brother of the groom, with Terry Haggerton and Ricky Spann, both of Colorado City serving as grooms-men. Ushers were Jim Petty and Allan Maroom, both of Colorado City; Ronnie Ross, brother of the bride from Perryton; and David Waldrep of Midland.

Suzanne Ross of Perryton, niece of the bride served as flower girl. Nephew of the groom, Heath Watlington of Colorado City, was the ring bearer, carrying a satin pillow belonging to recent bride, Sherry Crowley.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church following the ceremony with the bride's table laid with a white tablecloth with a blue overlay of lace. Centering the table was a silver candelabrum with white candles and a floral arrangement of blue and white daisies with gypsophalia greenery.

The three-tiered wedding cake, made by Mrs. Oliver Wallin, was decorated with yellow daisies. Punch was served from a silver punch service. Presiding at the bride's table were Janice Ross, Dixie Watling, and Lorna Haggerton.

### Moody Building Formal Opening

Canadian, Texas, Special: THE MOODY BUILDING will have its Formal Opening Saturday, July 15th from 1 until 5 p.m. at Canadian. This is the restored historic Moody Hotel, the first fireproof hotel built in the Panhandle. Col. Robert Moody opened the Moody Hotel in November, 1910 when he was 72 years of age—an age when most people are retiring. The legendary Colonel Moody came to this country from England and to the Panhandle in the 1870's. He owned over 60,000 acres of land, founded several banks and was considered the richest man in the area. He was also the grandfather of Robert R. Young, the New York Central financial magnate.

This 3 story red brick hotel was Moody's monument and the meeting place for cattlemen, "drummers" and the top social events of that time. It contained about 20,000 feet of floor space plus a basement and the original cost was \$40,000—a fortune in those days. However as the years past the Hotel business dwindled and Moody closed it's doors about 20 years ago. This once famous proud building became run down and unwanted and an eye sore.

However, in 1977 the Malouf Abraham Company purchased the property, sold the top story to Sansing and Nies, and they

started a restoration program which took about 15 months to complete at a cost of a half million dollars—12 times the original cost. The Abraham Company took over the second floor for their offices and converted the first floor into a Mini-Mall with a Coffee Shop on the corner and shops and offices. The first floor is now red tiled with a redwood fountain at the end of the Mall. An elevator has been installed and one of the outstanding features of the interior is the 3 story elaborate oak staircase that has been restored to it's original beauty. The exterior has been modernized with beautiful stucco panels and copper awnings. However the old red brick with it's ornate corners and stone trim is as it was. The owners knew that the only name for the building was to call it The Moody Building. So now Robert Moody's soul can rest at peace, knowing that once again his monument has become the center of activity again and a show place for years to come. Everyone is invited to come and see this beautiful structure.

The Moody Building has been designated as a Historical Site by the Texas Historical Commission and a plaque will be erected in a few months telling the history of Col. Moody and the building.

The groom's table was covered with a white tablecloth with an overlay of blue lace. The silver coffee service and the groom's cake completed the decor. Presiding at the groom's table were Brenda Lunsford and Charisa Ann Gregory, cousin of the groom, who also officiated at the registry.

For her going-away costume the bride chose a two-piece blue dress complimented by a blue daisy and yellow rose corsage lifted from her bridal bouquet. The couple will live near Colorado City where the groom is engaged in farming.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. R. C. Cross, grandmother of the bride from Floydada; Mrs. Charles Mann and Mrs. O. W. Watlington of Colorado City, grandmother of the groom.

Other out-of-town guests attending were from Snyder, Midland, Plainview, Colorado City, Lubbock, Perryton, Brownfield, Fort Worth, Amarillo, Canyon, Dallas, in Texas; Weatherford and Guymon in Oklahoma; Goodland and Ridgeway, Colorado.

## Aids Available For Telephone Customers

The ability to use the telephone to talk to friends, business associates or schoolmates is taken for granted by most, but not by General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

There are thousands of people with temporary or permanent disabilities which prevent them from using the telephone. Unless their needs can be met by matching their existing physical abilities with existing equipment, they may not enjoy a luxury most people consider a necessity of life...talking on the telephone.

Matching needs and equipment often takes the expertise of General Telephone's special engineering section and other people throughout the company, according to Don Prigmore, vice president of marketing and customer service, and Frank Mallory, vice president of network engineering and construction.

Many situations must be evaluated individually but most needs can be met with minimum costs, Prigmore said. Mallory added that for all practical purposes, all needs can be met when cost is not a factor.

However, most disabilities that make using the telephone difficult can be overcome without the assistance of special services engineering.

For example, probably the most commonly used equipment is for the hard of hearing. A simple control button on the handset allows the user to adjust the volume of the incoming voice, thus allowing someone to use the phone who might otherwise have difficulty.

Less commonly known is the telephone that allows the user who cannot speak above a whisper to increase his/her voice volume so it can be heard at the other end of the line.

For those with loss of hand

functions there are a variety of dialing tools and handset holding devices.

If hand functions are completely lost, there is a mouth stick which can be used to actuate buttons on specially designed equipment.

The severely disabled need a method for summoning help when unattended and there is a variety of equipment that may solve such problems.

Another comparatively common service provided by the telephone company is school-to-home telephone service which allows a student physically unable to attend class to participate in all classroom discussion via telephone.

For the blind, there is Braille identified equipment.

General Telephone has installed in high activity areas coin telephones which are accessible to people in wheel chairs or the unusually short person. Some

coin telephones in busy locations also have hard of hearing volume controls.

Both vice presidents emphasized that they do not want to stimulate false hopes for anyone. Not every situation can be solved quickly and sometimes it is costly, but special services can make an important difference in a person's life. And General Telephone is willing to help.

### FOOD for THOUGHT



#### An Agricultural Concern Of Interest to Everyone

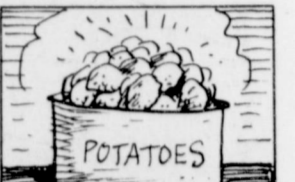
While fewer farmers become more efficient in growing food, more people become less efficient in selling it.

Farm productivity has increased at about 3 percent per year due to efficient mechanization and improved agricultural

practices. Productivity at retail food stores has decreased 1.3 percent a year during the same time.

The drop has been due to increased services, such as longer operating hours and conveniences like delicatessens and bakery shops in food markets. These are designed not only to attract consumers from other food stores but away from fast food outlets which are receiving an increasing share of food expenditures.

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# DON KNOTTS PINS ON HIS TIN STAR AS THE SHAKY SHERIFF OF DISNEY'S "HOT LEAD AND COLD FEET"



**MAT HOT LEAD 1-A** ©Walt Disney Productions  
**SHARP-EYED SHERIFF DON KNOTTS** keeps his cool in tough surroundings in Walt Disney Productions' wild western comedy, "Hot Lead and Cold Feet." Jim Dale (in a triple role), Karen Valentine, Jack Elam and Darren McGavin as the mayor, also star in the color by Technicolor film. Robert Butler directed for producers Ron Miller and Chris Hibler. Buena Vista releases.

It's been a while since Don Knotts wore a tin star. Meanwhile law and order didn't suffer a bit. Whenever Knotts pins on his sheriff badge, the bad guys laugh and slap their knees. Everybody knows he's the shakiest gun in the west. Even when Knotts was Barney Fife on the old Andy Griffith Show he never fooled a soul.

Well, the skinny little feller with the itchy trigger finger is behind the badge again. This time he plays the Denver Kid, deputy sheriff of a mean-dog frontier town who is engaged in a running shoot-out with an antiquated gun-fighter named Rattlesnake, in Walt Disney Productions' "Hot Lead and Cold Feet."

"I'm the law in that town, so you can see the kind of shape it's in," Knotts said. "I know I wouldn't want to live any place that would have me for a sheriff."

"But seriously, it's a comedy role with a good deal of substance. I've been trying to get away from that 'nervous' character everybody knows."

Knotts began facing some straight acting in his brand of comedy a few years ago when he played a dim-witted bank robber

in Disney's "The Apple Dumpling Gang." Under a multiple-picture contract with the studio, he played a safecracker's sidekick in "No Deposit, No Return," a football coach in "Gus," and a butter-fingered race car mechanic in "Herbie Goes to Monte Carlo."

"I have to be careful though," Knotts admitted. "I keep trying to do something more dramatic on the stage, and the minute I walk on people start laughing. Frankly I find that tiresome, but I'm not going to give back the money."

The fact is that Knotts grew up wanting to be an actor, not a comedian. "My mother loved the movies and she always took me with her," he said. "For the first seven or eight years of my life I practically lived in the dark, watching movie after movie."

"That was when I knew I wanted to be an actor. A comedian I didn't know about yet, but an actor I did."

As time went on, Knotts drifted toward comedy. He became a boy ventriloquist, working up an act featuring a mail-order dummy and material derived from Edgar Bergen, Jack Benny, Fred Allen and other top radio comedians of the day. Eventually he created his own comedy style, for many years based upon a jittery, befuddled character.

"The nervous man was one joke, really, and all the jokes were written around him," Knotts said. "I wanted to be able to do other characters. I found that I was a better visual comedian than a verbal one, and I enjoyed doing pantomime and reactions and stuff like that."

Offscreen Don Knotts is a much different bird than the fumbling cuckoo he often portrays. He is quiet, easy-going and well-organized. His hobbies are reading and golf.

"I don't tell anybody my handicap," he said, commenting about his game. "I'm the biggest liar that ever was, depending on who I'm playing."

"At home I loaf and read. I have a pool table and I get on my feet once in a while and pick up a cue. Mostly, though, I just hang around the house."

Knotts' co-stars in "Hot Lead and Cold Feet," a comedy western about two look-alike brothers who become rivals in a do-or-die

## SKInformation

by Linda Allen Schoen

With warm weather, thoughts turn to barbecues, tennis, swimming and a gorgeous tan. After all, a beautiful tan is a sure sign of healthy glowing skin. Right? Wrong! The sun is one of the chief villains of summer. It is the primary cause of premature aging and skin cancer. It also has a tremendous drying effect on the skin.

In our teens and twenties, the sun appears to have only tanning effects. But by the thirties, sun damage — which is cumulative and irreversible — becomes apparent.

Harsh ultraviolet rays break down elastic fibers causing skin to sag and crease. Skin thickens, dries and becomes leatherlike. Skin cancer and hyperpigmentation may also develop.

Compare sun-exposed portions of your body — face, hands — with those parts almost never exposed. Note the difference in smoothness and appearance.

Start now to protect your skin by using a good sun screen. Products containing PABA are very effective. Reapply when it has been diluted or rubbed off by swimming, sand or perspiration.

Use a cream, lotion or oil after bathing and before bed to counteract dryness. Neutrogena Sesame Seed Body Oil is an especially good lubricator. Unlike a bath oil, it is light and non-greasy and can be applied directly to the skin. To lock in moisture, apply it after bath or shower while skin is still damp.



## August Wedding Is Planned

Announcement has been made of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of Lee Westfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Westfield of Gruver to Michael Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harcel Smith of Weatherford, Oklahoma.

Lee, who is a 1975 graduate of Gruver High School, has attended Southwest Oklahoma State University at Weatherford. Her fiancé is a 1978 graduate of Southwestern Oklahoma State University.

Vows will be exchanged at the Gruver United Methodist Church August 12th.

## Texas Medical Association Health Tips

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Consumers purchasing sunglasses may be blinded by fashion and price appeals. But overlooking safety considerations could damage their eyes, the Texas Medical Association says.

Buyers may get eye strain, altered depth perception, a distorted view of surroundings, and a chance for physical injury if they purchase the wrong kind of sunglasses. The American Society for the Prevention of

Blindness recommends holding the sunglasses at half an arm's length and looking at an object with strong horizontal and vertical lines. If the lines waver when you move the glasses sideways, up and down, then the lenses are distorted. Also check to see that the lenses are of equal color and density or they can cause eye strain due to altered depth perception. Any altered view of surroundings could contribute to accidents.

Colors can be altered if the lenses are an odd shade. Gray or smoke color, followed by green or brown tints, are recommended. TMA says other colors do little or nothing to cut glare. One color, intended to sharpen contrast and detail, lets in more than 75 percent of available light. This special shade of yellow sometimes is used by skiers and hunters to help them see under dull or hazy conditions, according to literature from the Bausch and Lomb lens company.

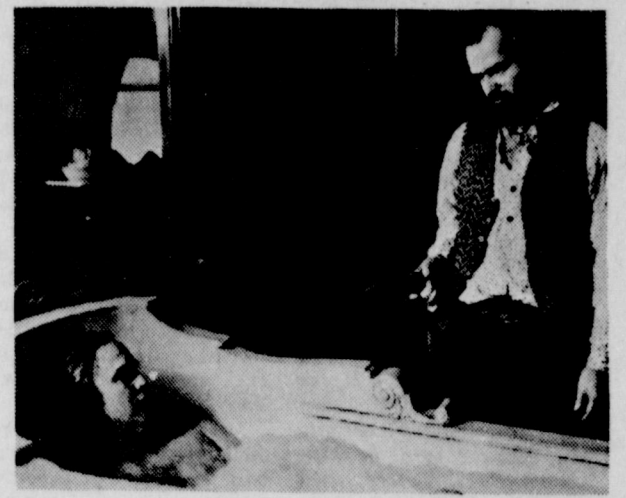
How much light a lens lets in is one of the most critical factors to consider when purchasing sunglasses. The society recommends that no more than 30 percent of light should pass through the lens. Bausch and Lomb says sunglasses do not provide adequate protection if a person can look in a mirror and see his or her eyes very well while wearing the glasses.

Some people favor wearing glasses that get darker in sunlight and lighter under dim conditions. An Austin optician says these lens may need to be changed after about three years because they tend to stay dark as they get older. People with thick lenses may not be able to wear the special glasses at all because the amount of coloring in thick lenses may make the glasses too dark all the time. Wearing dark lenses when they are not needed can decrease vision so much that people can fall or have other accidents.



The ancient Romans thought it bad luck to clasp their hands near a sick person.

## Inspired Casting Pairs Nicholson With Brando



**Still MB-2** Marlon Brando is somewhat at a disadvantage to gun-pointing Jack Nicholson in this scene from their starrer, "The Missouri Breaks," which will open July 12 at the Holiday Drive-In through United Artists release. Elliott Kastner and Robert M. Sherman produced; Arthur Penn directed and Thomas McGuane wrote the film.

Will success spoil Jack Nicholson? His friends think not, but that doesn't mean that they aren't excited and impressed with his first Academy Award win as Best Actor for "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest."

Currently starring with Marlon Brando in Elliott Kastner's presentation of "The Missouri Breaks," which will open July 12 at the Holiday Drive-In, Nicholson had become one of the best known and most respected Oscar contenders ever since he won his first nomination for "Easy Rider." He subsequently picked up four more nominations for "Five Easy Pieces," "The Last Detail," "Chinatown" and "Cuckoo's Nest."

Pairing Nicholson with two-time Oscar winner Marlon Brando was an inspired bit of casting by producers Kastner and Robert M. Sherman and director Arthur Penn. Nicholson portrays Tom Logan, an easygoing, yet dangerous horse rustler, who matches wits with Brando, seen as Lee Clayton, a cold-blooded "regulator" hired by an outraged rancher to rid the range of horse thieves and other riffraff. The characters are the creation of screenwriter Thomas McGuane. An Arthur Penn film, "The Missouri Breaks" is a Robert M. Sherman Production released by United Artists, a Transamerica Company.

Jack Nicholson's first feature film was Roger Corman's "The Cry

Baby Killer." He did 11 pictures with Corman in the 1960's, among them "Little Shop of Horrors" and "Hell's Angels on Wheels." Then he starred in a pair of Westerns, "The Shooting" and "Ride the Whirlwind," before expanding creatively into writing. He wrote "The Trip," starring Peter Fonda, and "Head," starring The Monkees.

On camera, Nicholson has also starred in "Carnal Knowledge," "The King of Marvin Gardens," and MGM's "The Passenger."

Jack Nicholson grew up in Neptune, New Jersey, leaving there for Hollywood when he was 17. He went through a variety of jobs in the glamor town just to live, but finally got his foot in the door of showbusiness when he got a job in the cartoon department of a major motion picture studio. From there he went into daytime television. And then came Corman, and Nicholson was off to the races.



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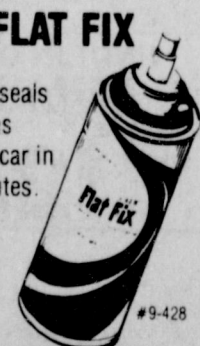


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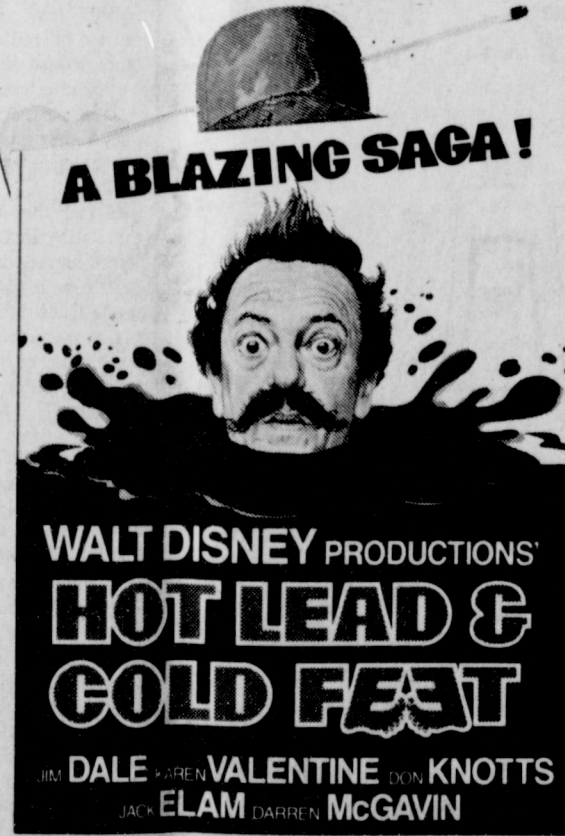


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# Economists Look At Beef Situation

COLLEGE STATION—Rising prices of beef in the supermarket result from a complex world economic situation which spans several years, and short-term answers really won't help the consumer in the long run, an analysis by three agricultural economists at Texas A&M University concludes.

America's beef producers are being caught in the middle as they begin to emerge from the beef industry's "worst depression since the 1930's," the economists said. These views are included in a position paper prepared by Dr. John A. Hopkin (cq), head of the TAMU department of agricultural economics; Dr. Donald E. Farris, professor of agricultural economics, and Dr. Ernest E. Davis, Extension livestock marketing specialist.

Prior to 1973, the countries that now make up the European Common Market (EC-9) were the largest beef importing area of the world, the economists noted. Developments in these countries resulted in a beef import embargo and dealt a crippling blow to south American and Australian beef producers.

This clogged traditional channels of international trade, and the only place left for the surplus beef was the U.S. market. When the U.S. import quota limit was reached, the heavy surplus caused the international beef market to collapse.

As a result, 24-can cases of 12-ounce cans of beef sold at only \$10 a case in international trading. This price covered transportation of cattle and

processing costs, but left nothing to pay the producer for the cattle and processing costs, but left nothing to pay the producer for the cattle.

Despite the excellent bargains on the international market, Japan, Russia and the EC-9 allowed fewer imports during 1974-77, far below their 1973 rates when international prices were much higher.

"At the same time," the TAMU economists said, "they maintained very high prices within their own markets and thereby held their per capita beef consumption at low levels."

The resulting depression was felt by nearly all beef exporting countries and by importing countries where markets weren't tightly protected.

"In the U.S., the Meat Import Act of 1964 provided an upper limit on imports, but we were still by far the largest beef importer," the economists noted. "Very little of the record U.S. production could be exported. As a result, U.S. consumers had record beef supplies and producers had low prices coupled with record high feed costs."

actions to restrict imports," the economists stressed.

Because of such foreign restraints on consumers in other countries, the authors recommended "that the U.S. Meat Import Act of 1964 be amended to include a counter-cyclical quota."

Such a quota, they explained, "is one that automatically decreases when U.S. supplies are heavy and increases when supplies are short." Such a plan would likely allow all of the available imports to enter for the next three years, while American cattlemen rebuild

"Political or administrative decisions to change the quota are less satisfactory than a system that changes under a known set of rules," the economists said.

Federal price controls such as were attempted in World War II and in 1972-73 have proven ineffective, but "most disruptive" to the industry, they said. The economists characterized the beef industry as highly competitive with large numbers of competitors having relatively free entry at every level in the system.

"Anytime there have been good profit possibilities, it has always stimulated expansion and new investors," they noted. There has been little chance to protect markets, or new technology with patents, they pointed out.

"As a result, there is no evidence of any long-term profits within the industry. On the other hand, there is substantial evidence of very low profits in

cattle production since 1952."

They said many producers have been able to stay in business only because of land appreciation which provided increased debt capacity, income from sale of crops, or off-farm employment.

They said the excess competition stems from two main factors. Improved technology has provided a steady increase in beef output, and federal farm programs have encouraged farmers to divert agricultural resources out of crop production into beef production.

"The acreage control programs for crops invariably channel some additional resources into beef production," the economists explained. As a consequence, consumers have been offered more beef than they were willing to buy at prices that would cover total production costs.

Because many of their production costs are fixed costs, the economists said, cattlemen have been slow to shift to other agricultural activities.

Price recovery which the cattlemen must have to get back on a sound financial basis appears likely during 1978-81 "unless there is government interference with the market system," they said.

At the same time, the three predicted, American consumers should have supplies at least as high as the 1973 levels of 110 pounds per person.

Under unrestricted market conditions, prices for beef similar to those of 1973 seem most likely, with temporary fluctuations above and below those

levels, the economists said. "Even so, these prices will be lower than those paid by consumers in most other areas of the world."

COLLEGE STATION—Consumers, concerned over recent increases in the price of beef at the supermarket, need to look closely at the situation facing cattlemen before cheering government proposals to import more beef and force retail meat prices down, economists and marketing specialists at Texas A&M University caution.

"Short-term action to hold down beef prices now would result in less domestic beef being available during the 1980's," the TAMU economists warn in a position paper analyzing the present cattle situation.

The paper looks at the domestic and international situation, the outlook through 1980, the relative positions of consumers around the world, the effects of inflation, the demand for beef, and the effects of supply upon producer income. It was prepared by Dr. John A. Hopkin (cq), head of the department of agricultural economics; Dr. Donald E. Farris, professor of agricultural economics, and Dr. Ernest E. Davis, Extension livestock marketing specialist.

President Carter's move to relax the beef import quota as a means of helping control inflation came as a surprise "to many who have watched the beef industry suffer a four-year worldwide depression," the TAMU economist said.

Recent increases in retail beef prices "were a market reaction to a complex set of forces; but mainly the result of a four-year reduction in cattle herds caused by adverse economic and weather conditions," the economists stated. "Retail beef supplies and prices in the U.S. have been regulated by market forces with relatively little government control. If the rules of the impersonal market are to apply in periods of burdensome supplies as occurred in 1974-77, then it follows that they should be allowed to apply when supplies are shorter and prices are higher," the economists stated. Because of the time required to breed and fatten cattle for slaughter, and the effects of prices which encourage or discourage herd expansion, beef production runs in cycles averaging just over 11 years. When prices, weather or other conditions make cattle raising unprofitable, beef becomes less available.

It is difficult, the TAMU economists said, to accurately project future availability because cattle production is very sensitive to the availability and price of feed grains, as well as other factors.

Even with such fluctuations, which are not limited to the U.S., the American consumer spends less of his after-tax income on red meat than most other consumers around the world, the economists said. And the American consumer gets higher quality and greater convenience for his dollar, they said.

Noting that the recovery of the cattle industry from "its worst depression since the 1930's will be reflected in a rising Consumer Price Index," the economists said that "the basic cause of inflation obviously is in other sectors of the economy." The share of disposable income spent for beef in the U.S. in 1977 was only 2.13 percent, the lowest in more than 20 years, they explained.

The demand for beef, the TAMU economists said, "depends mainly on personal income or the consumer's buying power." They cited studies in Texas and California which showed that with each 10 percent increase in income, the average American increased beef consumption by about 10 percent, but that a 10 percent increase in beef prices caused only a six or seven percent decrease in beef consumption.

The average consumption of red meat by each American was 195 pounds in 1974, the economists noted. This was more than any other country except Australia, New Zealand and Argentina. In addition, the average U.S. consumer ate 50 pounds of poultry.

Surveys taken in capital cities of the world Nov. 2, 1977 and March 1, 1978 showed that only Mexico City, Ottawa, Canberra, Brasilia and Buenos Aires paid less for beef in the retail store. Last November, for example, a pound of chuck roast which sold in Washington for \$1.09, cost \$1.58 in London, \$3.11 in Rome, \$7.87 Tokyo, and 43 cents in Buenos Aires, one of the major beef exporters.

"U.S. Consumers get one of the world's best beef bargains," the TAMU economists said. "An important part of this bargain, however, represents a 'subsidy' of American beef

consumers by cattle ranchers and farmers, who have had chronically low income for 2 1/2 decades except for 1972 and 1973."

In an open market, the economists explained, prices fluctuate in response to changes in supplies. When cattle reach the proper maturity and weight and are sold, supplies are heavy and prices are low. For the next several years prices are higher as herds are being rebuilt and supplies are lower. The prices must be higher during this time to cover costs of restocking and encourage an increase in future supplies, the economists explained.

In 1973, cattlemen experienced sharp increases in grain and feed prices and a simultaneous worldwide drop in beef prices. Since then, the economists said, the world beef industry has been in its worst financial condition since World War II.

With little or no profit incentive from 1974-77, there was an unusually high slaughter of cows in an attempt to cut losses.

"As prices advance in 1978, there is no need for producers to sell productive heifers or cows, if they have feed," the paper noted. Thus, the available supply of beef for hamburger or manufacturing is sharply reduced around the world.

"It is characteristic of the

cattle cycle that beef marketings must be reduced for two to four years while the production

capacity is being rebuilt," the three economists said.

# Health Tips

Texas doctors are joining plans for a massive immunization drive aimed at boosting protection levels more than 90 percent of the population.

The Texas Medical Association (TMA) says this large-scale effort is needed to protect persons from diseases which, in their most serious forms, can cause death, crippling, blindness or brain damage.

The U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare estimates that approximately 25-40 percent of U.S. children are not immunized against one of seven preventable, dangerous diseases.

In an article in the July issue of Texas Medicine, the TMA monthly journal, Clinton Craven, M.D., of Austin, asks doctors to monitor patients' records and encourage persons to get needed immunizations for diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, measles, rubella and mumps.

TMA urges persons not to wait for a postcard from their physicians but to update immunizations now. Check with

your physician or local health department to find out what doses are needed and sometimes required for admission to school or summer camps.

TMA says summer is a good time to update immunizations because children generally healthier in summer and immunizations would not be prevented because of ongoing illnesses.

Summer immunizations also will provide more protection against diseases which occur most often in the winter. Dr. Craven, a member of TMA's child and adolescent health subcommittee, encourages summer immunizations when many children already are being examined for school, camp or athletic requirements.

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