

# LYNX WIN TOURNEY!

## Youth For Christ Program, Here



The "Singing Palermos," special representatives of Youth for Christ International, will appear at the First Methodist Church, January 14th.

## Deadline For Voters To Sign

The way people are registering at the County Tax office for a FREE VOTE in 1967, it makes one wonder if Texans just don't appreciate the chance to vote without paying a poll tax.

According to Tax assessor J. B. Cooke, less than 700 have registered to date. Hansford County has at least a potential of 2500 voters in this category, who should be registering if they want a vote in 1967.

Several important elections are coming up this year and when you think of only 700 persons being able to cast their ballots it makes one wonder about the outcome.

January 31 is the deadline for registering. If you have not done so, drop by the County Tax office today! You cannot vote if you do not register.

The poll tax requirement for voting was held invalid in February of this year by a three judge federal court. It based its ruling on the due process clause of the Federal Constitution. The court said this requirement was equivalent to a charge or penalty imposed on the exercise of a fundamental right, and it indicated that any charge for registration would be illegal. The United States Supreme Court affirmed the decision.

Immediately following the three judge decision the State Legislature was called into special session and it adopted a new registration act. The major change in the law was that registration with the County Tax Collector should be without charge.

Under the law passed in February voters will register annually, as they have previously done, during the period of October 1 through January 31. A temporary registration was allowed in March 1966, but this was a one-time provision only.

You do not have to pay a poll tax now, but you must register. The time to do this is now. To be eligible to vote in 1967 elections, you must go by the County Tax Office and register. Deadline date is January 31.

Everyone from the age of 21 years through 60 must register in order to vote. If you are over 60, you are exempt.

Although no State or National elections of importance are on the agenda now, there will be constitutional amendments, local bond elections, school board city aldermen etc., coming up in 1967, so it is of utmost importance that you register before January 31.

The Palermos have spent over twenty-five years as teen evangelists and are known and loved for their music, good nature, and ability to communicate enthusiastically with youth.

Billy Graham in the book, Life With the Palermos, said this: "It has been my privilege a number of times to be associated with Phil & Louis Palermo in evangelistic endeavors. In Youth for Christ rallies and other services across North America we have worked together in youth especially to our Savior. There is something refreshing different about the Palermos Brothers - - Heaven will be richer because of their faithfulness."

The Palermos participated in the Billy Graham Greater London Crusade. In March they will be going to Australia and the Orient, including Vietnam, at the invitation of Youth for Christ and missionaries.

Preceding the service, these Italian brothers will be serving their "Italian Spaghetti Special" at a supper in the Fellowship Hall of the church, beginning at 6 p.m.

A special invitation is extended to all young people.

This meeting is sponsored by local pastors through the Ministerial Alliance.

## Increase Of Polio Sparks Local Drive

Due to the tremendous increase in the number of cases of crippling Poliomyelitis in Texas the past three years, local medical societies throughout the state are calling for community-wide polio immunization programs. In spite of the ready availability of a safe, effective, inexpensive oral vaccine, the increase amount of polio in the state is alarming.

The State Health Department is asking that each county conduct a Polio immunization drive.

Hansford County has planned a Polio drive for January 18, 19 & 20. This county is the first one in the Panhandle to do this, and the third in the State, but according to one local physician, "we do not want to wait until someone in our county is crippled for life before we have an immunization drive."

The Home Demonstration clubs are sponsoring this drive in Spearman and Morse, and the American Legion ladies in Gruver. The drive is ENCOURAGED and will be supervised by the entire Hansford county Medical Profession. They recommend that everybody, young and old, even if you have had all three types-----have this booster if you have not had one the past year.

The trivalent polio virus vaccine will be given on a sugar cube, &

## BILL MILLER IS AT HOME

"Honest" Bill Miller, Editor of the Spearman Reporter, is back home after spending the last several months in the hospital.

Bill had a big Christmas with his family and friends and is enjoying just being home. The only thing to mar his holidays happened during one of the big bowl games: his color TV went out and no repairman was available. This is a catastrophe at the Miller home for Bill is an avid Football fan. Things are back to normal now however that is if the "boob tube" lasts through this next Sunday which is supposed to be the sportiest spectacle of all spectacles!

## Peoples Gas Co. Opens Office Here

Peoples Natural Gas, a division of Northern Natural Gas of Omaha, Nebraska, has purchased Rimrock Gas Company of Amarillo, a natural gas distribution system serving 27 irrigation wells in Northern Donley County.

The acquisition by Peoples is a part of the company's rapidly expanding program to bring well-served natural gas to High Plains irrigation farmers.

Expansion plans for Rimrock include additional capacity to serve another 325 irrigation wells in Donley, Hall and Breckinridge Counties.

Peoples Natural Gas will operate Rimrock under the Peoples corporate name with a local manager whose offices will be located in Clarendon. Harold Autry, presently of Tulsa, will move to Clarendon in February to open the new Peoples office.

Peoples Natural Gas has headquarters in Amarillo.

Peoples Natural Gas has also opened offices in Spearman.

Charles (Chuck) Ashill, formerly with Northern Natural Gas Company, is the local Manager and has his offices out in the Plains Shopping Center, Spearman.

John Henry is in Shattuck hospital this week after very serious surgery performed there Saturday morning.

Steve Hicks underwent emergency surgery in Hansford Hospital Monday evening. He is doing very well and will soon be up and around again.

## Pro Football Team May Be Possibility

A petition is being circulated in the golden spread area to find whether or not sports fans would like to see Amarillo have a pro football team playing football in Amarillo.

Amarillo is trying to get a pro football team and the people there want to know how much support Spearman and area would give the team.

Anyone interested in Amarillo having a pro team is urged to go by the Cattleman's Cafe in Spearman and sign the petition which has been placed there.

## Spearman Boys Win Panhandle A and M Tournament, Saturday!

In one of the most startling finishes in Spearman's history, Spearman won the boys division of the Panhandle A&M Invitational basketball tournament Saturday night. The Lynx overcame a 13 point deficit to defeat the Woodward team.

In fact, the Lynx were down 43-30 at the end of the third quarter. But, the Lynx battled back to a 46-46 regulation play deadlock, then outscored Woodward's Boomers 3-2 in the overtime period for a 49-46 victory.

This was one of the greatest tournament victories in the schools history. The Lynx had drawn a bye for the first round of this tourney, and met Alva in the semi-finals. The Lynx literally upset this fine Alva team, 54-50, then went on to

win first place! Both Alva and Woodward were favored to win first place, and several Oklahoma and Colorado teams were also outstanding in the field of teams.

The entire town is extremely proud of coach Simpson and his fine Lynx team. The Lynx started playing championship ball against Shattuck last Tuesday night, and continued winning through the A&M tournament.

Fans are urged to come out and back the Lynx in their remaining games this season!

## New Manager At Ideal Gro.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Frye and their four children will be moving in the next few days to Houston where Jerry will assume management of a large Grocery firm.

Mr. Frye has been Manager of Ideal Grocery store in Spearman for three years, and with the Ideal company for 13 years.

Bob English will be the new manager of the local store. He assumed his duties this week.

Mr. and Mrs. English will move here from Borger as soon as they can find a house to rent.

Mr. English managed the Texhoma Ideal Store for four years then the Company moved him to the Borger store in training for his job at Spearman.

Bob said he desperately needs a three bedroom house so he can move his wife, Carolyn and his two children Bethene Marie, age 4 and Robert Shawn, age 8 months, to Spearman. "We are real proud for the chance to come to Spearman. We love a small town and hope to be here for a long time," English said.

## MR. CLAUDE SMITH RECOVERING WELL

Mr. Claude Smith, who underwent serious major surgery in Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo last week, is reported doing very well.

Mrs. Smith said she expected him to come home the latter part of this week.



New students at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee, a branch of Oklahoma State University, have completed enrollment for the spring semester, to pursue post-high school studies. They are, left to right: Keat Nickles, Spearman.

Texas, refrigeration; Cynthia Zemp, Perry, secretarial; & Barry Beckwith, Balke, industrial electrical maintenance. Registration closes January 14.

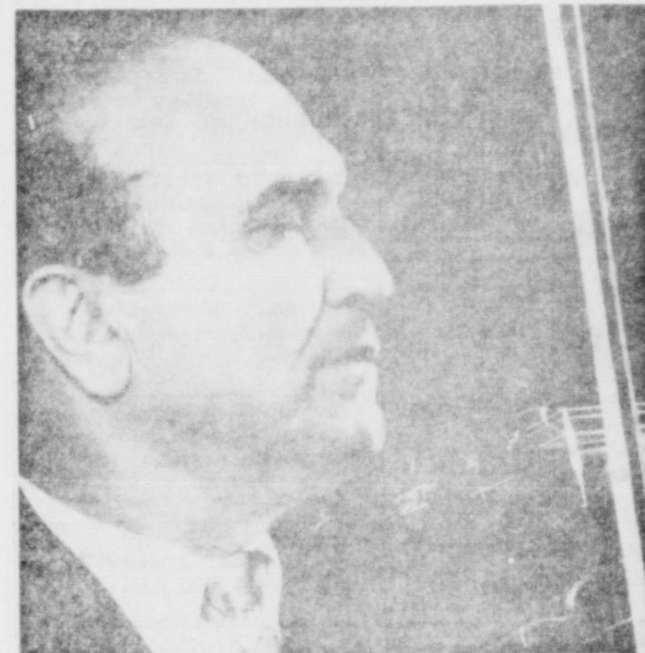
Keat is the 23 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nickles of 212

## City Policeman Will Be Deputy

City Policeman R. L. McFarlin Jr. has resigned his position on the city police force to accept a job as deputy sheriff of Hansford County.

A patrolman here since July 27, McFarlin's resignation becomes effective February 1.

Police Chief Lelan Wood has announced his office is accepting applications for a patrolman. With McFarlin's resignation, the force is reduced to Wood, and two patrolmen: Bill Martin and Randal Nichols.



## Rubinooff and His Violin Signed For Concert Here

Spearman residents were assured today of a musical highlight on March 20, when RUBINOFF AND HIS VIOLIN, internationally famous popular concert artist, appears at High School Auditorium, here under sponsorship of the Spearman Lions Club. It was announced by Jack Oakes, president.

"We feel indeed fortunate in being able to bring such a great artist to Spearman," Jack Oakes, president, said today in making the announcement. "and we are all aggressively determined to make this one of the outstanding events of the season."

Pointing out that special committes and ticket selling locations would be announced soon, the local chairman urged all organization members "and others interested in civic betterment" to join in making the concert a huge financial success for the benefit of Spearman Lions Club.

RUBINOFF AND HIS VIOLIN, a long favorite American combination, is wellknown to millions both from his current concert appearances... nationwide, radio broadcasts with Eddie Cantor, television guestings, and his motion picture engagements. This tour is heralded as a concert "in tune with the times."

They have a 33x100 foot greenhouse full of tomatoe plants which are now bearing delicious fruit.

This is their first year experimenting with tomatoe plants in the hot house, and although growth has been by trial-and-error according to Mrs. Chase, they have learned a lot from this crop. As soon as the present crop of fruit is exhausted, they will plant it all up and start over. They also plan to enlarge the greenhouse.

Mrs. Chase was in Spearman Monday and found several good customers. It is really a rare, delicious treat, to eat fresh vine-ripened tomatoes this time of year.

## PEP Meeting Here Monday

There will be a meeting to discuss the Panhandle Economic Program (PEP) Monday, January 16 at 3:30 p.m. in the Home Demonstration club room in Spearman.

Mr. James Murphree, Area Extension Farm Management Specialist and Coordinator of PEP will be there to explain PEP and its relation to Hansford County.

Also at this meeting new officers of the Hansford County Program Building Committee will be elected and plans made for the year.

After the meeting several farmers will be asked to assist the County Agent in approving production guidelines for certain crops that have been developed on area basis. These guidelines will be adapted to Hansford County and mailed to appropriate farmers in the county in the near future.

## Church Honors Interim Pastor

A coffee honoring Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Bussey was held Sun. night, Jan. 8th following the evening worship.

Members of the church honored the couple with coffee and cookies.

Rev. Bussey is serving the church as interim pastor for the next two months.

The famed musician will bring here for his concert the fabulous Stradivarius violin which, insured for \$100,000, is reputed to possess the most beautiful tonal qualities in the entire world; and a brand new program of famous favorites loved by people everywhere, such as Warsaw Concerto, Chopin's Polonaise, Debussy's Clair De Lune. These compositions will have their premier performance as violin solos arranged and played by the maestro.

Tickets will be available soon.

## Fresh Tomatoes January Treat

Fresh tomatoes in January... the kind that you just go and pick fresh off the vine!

This has been achieved by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chase who live north-west of Spearman on the Hardisty road.

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## FHA Asks Help On New Project

The Spearman Future Homemakers are beginning a new project, New Eyes For The Needy.

This is a non-profit organization and its purpose is to provide better vision for the poor all over the world.

Some of the articles needed are metal frames in any condition, unbroken plastic frames, with or without lenses, sunglasses, soft cases, hearing aids, and precious metal scraps as old watches, broken or outdated jewelry (including costume), dentures with bits of gold, damaged silver, etc.

Anyone wishing to contribute may contact Ruth Riley at 634-2364 or Mrs. Frances Hudson, teacher, at 630-2153.



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By virtue of an Execution and  
Order of Sale issued out of the  
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Judicial District of Texas, in and  
for Bexar County, Texas, on the  
28th day of December, 1966, by  
the Clerk thereof, in the case of  
TEXAS SECURITIES CORPORA-  
TION vs. W. E. GOULD ET AL.,  
and being numbered F-165,786 on  
the docket of said Court, and to  
me, as Sheriff, directed and de-  
livered, I will proceed to sell the  
hereinafter described tracts of  
land to the highest bidder for  
cash, between the hours of 10:00  
o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock  
P.M. on February 7, 1967, it be-  
ing the first Tuesday of said  
month, at the Courthouse door of  
Hansford County, Texas, in said  
City of Spearman, Texas; said  
tracts of land having been levied  
on by me on the 3 day of Janu-  
ary, 1967, and to be sold to  
satisfy a judgment rendered in  
the above described cause on the  
20th day of August, 1965, and re-  
corded in the Minutes of said  
Court in Volume 64, pages 132-135.  
Said judgment was in favor of  
Plaintiff, TEXAS SECURITIES  
CORPORATION, against the de-  
fendant W. E. GOULD, for the  
sum of \$5,629.72, together with  
interest on \$4,202.72 thereof at  
the rate of 8% per annum and  
with interest on \$1,427.00 thereof

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at the rate of 6% per annum  
from the 20th day of August,  
1965, until paid, and all costs of  
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GOULD and wife, ALICE S.  
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Estate of Othar C. Bruce, De-  
ceased, and all parties claiming  
under said parties since the  
filing of Plaintiff's Notice of Lis  
Pendens with the County Clerk  
of Hansford County, Texas, on  
October 29, 1964 at 8:30 o'clock  
A.M., of certain liens securing  
Plaintiff's debt upon the follow-  
ing described property, to-wit:

thereof at the rate of 8%  
per annum and with interest on  
\$285.40 thereof at the rate of 6%  
per annum from August 20, 1965,  
to date of sale.  
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AND SEAL OF OFFICE** on this,  
the 3 day of January, 1967.

**J. B. COOKE**  
Sheriff, Hansford County,  
Texas. 6-3tc

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## City Council Met Monday

Several matters of business was  
on the agenda at the regular meet-  
ing of the city Council Monday  
night.

The December report was heard  
in this order:

City Court: 64 cases were tried  
and a total of \$735.00 in fines assessed.  
Total fines collected was \$477.00  
(the difference being paid by themes  
written on traffic safety, jail time  
suspended, etc.)

Police Report: 57 traffic tickets  
were issued, 9 drunk driver and  
two for DWI. 7 accidents occurred  
during Dec. with vehicle damages  
amounting to \$2,585.00.

Fires 8 calls were answered and  
two practice drills were made.  
Animal Control: 17 dogs were pic-  
ked up during December. Ten were  
held over from the previous month.  
21 were destroyed and 6 were paid  
out of the pond.

City Patrolman R. L. McFarland  
resigned last week effective Feb-  
ruary 1. Police Chief Lelan Wood  
announced his office is accepting  
applications for a patrolman. With  
McFarlin's resignation, this leaves  
two City Policemen on duty. Bill  
Martin and Randal Nichols.

The Council passed an  
ordinance Monday evening prohib-  
iting trailer houses in the future  
from locating in zones A and B.

The Mayor and Councilmen's salar-  
ies were set, the same as always:  
\$10. per each regular meeting, \$5.  
for each special meeting.

The council set the dates for the  
City election for the first Tuesday

in April for the election of three  
aldermen. Terms expire for Jimmy  
Hicks, Bob Skinner, and E. J. Cal-  
away Jr.

Councilmen now serving include:  
Bob Vaughn, Mayor. Aldermen:  
Jimmy Hicks, E. J. Copeland, E. J.  
Callaway Jr., Bob Skinner and Ric-  
hard Holton.

## County Court Meeting Mon.

County Commissioners met in reg-  
ular session Monday afternoon in  
the Judges chambers.

Other than routine business, the  
Commissioners approved the delin-  
quent tax roll, approved all county  
officials' bonds, approved Judge  
Boyer's appointment of the County  
auditor Weldon Green. Fixed salar-  
ies of all county officials and  
employees. These are the same as  
last year, with no raises being  
given.

The court also approved a Jury  
of View to open a county road up  
by Hitchland.

## NEW PARCEL POST RATE

New rates and a new system for  
identifying parcel post zones will go  
into effect on January 15th as pro-  
vided in legislation signed into law  
by President Johnson on September  
20, 1966. Postmaster Jacobs pointed  
out.

The rate increase will be a rate  
about 10 cents a parcel. Starting  
July 1 the law provides for a ser-  
ies of size and weight increases on  
packages mailed between first class

offices. The Spearman post office  
is a second class office but will  
advance to that of first class effec-  
tive July 1, 1967. The size and  
weight increases will be in five  
annual steps, the last coming on  
July 1, 1971.

The use of ZIP Code will make  
it easier to mail packages after  
January 15, the local Postmaster  
stated. ZIP Code in the recipient's  
address will enable the sender or  
a mail clerk to quickly determine  
the proper zone, and thus the rate,  
for the postage. The zones will be  
based on the distance a parcel trav-  
els between the 552 sectional cen-  
ters in the country.

By consulting a simple chart, the  
zone can be readily identified be-  
cause the first three numbers of the  
ZIP Code represent the sectional  
center. This replaces a method in  
which a directory often had to be  
consulted to locate the proper zone  
for each of the nation's 33,000 post  
offices.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Boyd  
and Donna visited in Skellytown  
Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Baggerly  
returned recently from Dallas  
where they attended the White  
Merchandise Sale.



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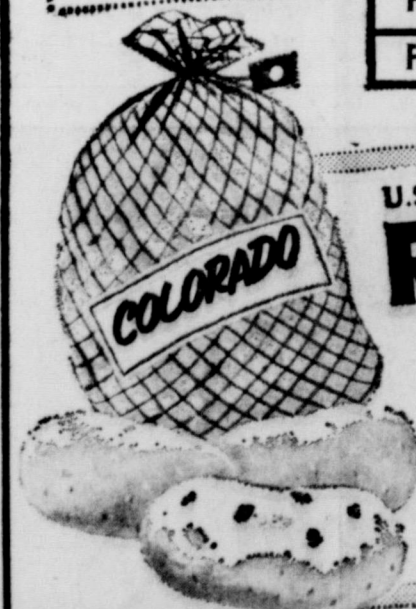


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HUNT'S Tomato Paste	2 6-Oz. Cans	29c
HUNT'S Tomato Juice	2 6-Oz. Cans	29c
HUNT'S Pork and Beans	8 300 Cans	\$1.00
WILSON'S BAKE-RITE SHORTENING	3-Lb. Can	59c
IDEAL ENRICHED FLOUR	5-Lb. Bag	39c
WITH CHEESE OR MUSHROOMS Hunt's Tomato Sauce	2 8-Oz. Cans	29c
HUNT'S Italian Tomatoes	3 303 Cans	69c
HUNT'S Tomato Paste	12-Oz. Can	29c
HUNT'S Fruit Cocktail	5 303 Cans	\$1.00

SHANK PORTION 1 lb.	55c	BUTT PORTION 1 lb.	59c
Fully Cooked Center Cut Ham Roasts 2 to 3-lb. Average	1 lb. 98c	Fresh Picnic Style Pork Roast	1 lb. 35c
Tender Center Cut Pork Roast	1 lb. 39c		

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Red Potatoes 10-LB. BAG 39c \$3.69**  
**TEXAS  
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## Yucca Scout Council Met January 31 Is

Yucca Girl Scout Council of Directors meeting, on January 5 at Denneys in Guyton. Mrs. Dean president presided.

Board members were in and all Board personnel in a reorganization.

Jack Williams, Perryld Committee Chairman on activities of Field and asked for approval neighborhood chairmen council. The next committee meeting will be Tuesday February 2nd.

Scout leaders Workshop held on January 13th at Christian Church in at 9:30. All leaders of Juniors and Cadette urged to be present. Shop will include all afts, success stories & Clinic. A baby sitter available for those having children.

M. R. King, Liberal of the Camp Committee report on the Girls planned for the of 1967. These camps e three weeks at Bolls State Park near a Waterfront Camp at nell south of Perryton week Primitive Camp Scouts near Eagle Mexico. Cookie sale Council will begin the January.

P. Hull, Guyton has yved by the National organization for the ld Adviser and will is capacity in the Yucca. Mrs. Hull will att-

end a Job Training course for Camp Directors at Excelsior Springs, Missouri, January 8th thru 20th.

Mrs. John I. Elliott, District Chairman of Liberal made a report on a Region 9 brochure interpreting Girl Scouting in the Southwest. The material presented by Mrs. Elliott included the troop meetings, neighborhood meetings, troop camping and other Girl Scout activities.

## Get Your Auto Inspection Now

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, reminded Texas motorists today that most vehicles have not yet been inspected for their 1967 vehicle inspection sticker.

"The inspection period is two-thirds over and only about one-third of the vehicles have been inspected," said Garrison. "This means that during the 14 weeks remaining before the April 15 deadline for inspections, more than twice as many persons each week must have their car inspected to avoid long lines forming at the end of period."

In urging motorists to have vehicle inspected at an early date, Garrison pointed out that official inspection stations are easily identified by the standard sign displayed at or near the service entrance of the garage.

He advised that inspection stations are being urged to request permission to inspect any vehicle brought into the garage for repairs or regular service.

"In this way," Garrison pointed out, "time will be saved for the motorist as well as for the inspection station."

"And if you have not had your vehicle inspected, take it to one of the 5,500 authorized inspection stations for a 'check-up' and start the new year off

right with a safe vehicle."

## Antique Show And Sale To Be Jan. 13 - 15

Visitors to the Tri-State Show and Sale, January 13, 14 and 15, will have the opportunity to view an outstanding art treasure. To be exhibited is an extremely valuable 18th century enameled and gem studded 22-inch ceremonial plate which is set with large oblong transparent engraved rock-crystal insets. Outlining the plate are brilliantly colored enamel-on-metal decorative motifs of green foliage and bright fruit in a magnificent Della Robbia design studded with emeralds and rubies. Fanciful male and female figures of applied enamel (possibly Hungarian in design) each holding a crown-like device of silver studded with gems form the outer rim. Italian in origin, the plate was originally owned by a distinguished Spanish family which fled to Guatemala in the 1930's.

The Friday, Saturday and Sunday Antique Show will be open from 1 to 10 p.m. on the first 2 days and from 1 — 5 p.m. on Sunday in the Commercial Exhibit Building on the Tri-State Fair Grounds in Amarillo, Texas. Visitors will use the 10th Street entrance. There will be 20 antique dealers from the Tri-State area in the show.

Various booths will contain lovely antique porcelain produced by the world's finest factories, elegant silver, figurines, copper and brass decorative items, choice pressed glass, sparkling cut glass and the rich colors of beautiful art glass. There will also be a large showing of antique furniture.

Westerners will find an item they have long been familiar with, barbed wire is one of the newest and most popular of collector items. There will be more than 60 varieties of wire at the show.

Mrs. Schubert is Happy Homes Host. The Happy Homes Home Demonstration Club met January 5 in the home of Mrs. F. B. Schubert.

Mrs. Schubert conducted the business meeting when plans for the new year were made. The devotional was given by Wanda Schubert and roll call was answered with "My New Year's Resolution for H.D. Club."

Attending were Adalyn Barnes, Rose Cummins, Patty Sheppard, Doris Jean Pinkin, Wanda Schubert, Trudy Goodheart, Vaye West, Norma Jo Curtis and guest Mary Mayben.

Methodist WSCS Circles Met Wed. Susannah Wesley Circle met January 4 at 9:00 in the church parlor of the First Methodist church.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Richard Baxter. The program, "Epiphany" was presented by Mrs. Wesley Daniel.

The W.S.C.S. benediction closed the meeting.

Hostess, Mrs. Robert Adamson, served refreshments to Mesdames Richard Baxter, Burl Buchanan

George Collard, Wesley Daniel, Don DeArmond, Winfred Lewis, Ray Martin, Larry McIntyre, Don Reed, Bert Sheppard, John Trindle and Ray Messer.

Mary Martha Circle of the First Methodist church also met in the church parlor January 4.

Mrs. Bruce Sheets opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. Roy Jones conducted the business.

The program "Martha, Modern Day Parable" was given by Mrs. Wesley Daniel. Mrs. Daniel used "Gold, Circumstance and Mud Gift of the Wise Children" by Rex Knowles.

Mrs. Daniel closed the meeting attended by Mesdames Roy Jones, W. H. Tarbox, P. A. Lyon, Sam Patterson, Bruce Sheets and the hostess, Mrs. Andy Rhodes.

## Exchange Student Tells Of Custom In Her Country

The Twentieth Century Club met in general meeting January 5 at the Hospitality Room at 2:30.

Mrs. C. U. Pope conducted the business meeting. Members were encouraged to write Representative Bill W. Barton to ask him to support legislation that Gov. Connally recommended for the program of traffic safety. Letters should be addressed to State Rep. Bill Barton, Capital Station, Austin, Texas, 78700.

The program was in observance of Friendship Day. Mrs. J. R. Keim introduced the guest speaker, Miss Cristina Lobo American Field Service student from Brazil. Miss Lobo showed pictures and talked on the customs of her country, family life and club life.

Mrs. R. C. Fisher read the club constitution and Mrs. D. E. Spoonemore presented a short history of international clubs.

The meeting was adjourned by members reading the club collect.

Hostesses were Mesdames Joe Trayler, Carl Archer, W. J. Masie, and John Allen. Members attending were Mesdames Fred Holt, J. R. Keim, Wesley Garnett, George Buzzard, Lewis Koerselman, R. C. Fisher, J. R. Stump, C. U. Pope, Olin Sheets, O. C. Holt, Guy Fuller, H. H. Chevelier, Woodville Jarvis, G. R. Kilgore, Johnny Lee, P. A. Lyon, Deta Blodgett, J. T. McWhirter and the guest speaker Miss Lobo.

## Bridal Shower Honors Miss Pauleddie Hester

Miss Pauleddie Hester, bride elect of Larry Plank of Dallas, was honored with a pre-nuptial shower January 7 in the home of Mrs. Deta Blodgett. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hester.

The chosen colors for the shower were pastel blue and white. Miss Hester's corsage was a white glameila and Mrs. Hester's corsage was white carnations with blue trim. A white spider mum corsage with blue trim was sent Miss Hester's grandmother, Mrs. B. F. Womack at Pioneer Manor.

The serving table was laid with a white embroidered linen cloth. A permanent arrangement of white and blue roses and delphiniums with a silver candelabra of blue candles, centered the table.

Dainty white cake squares decorated with blue flowers were served by Janie Kirkland. Coffee was served from a silver service by Mrs. Lynn Cook.

In the entry, the registering table had a corsage of pastel blue daisies and white spider mums place on an imported lace hankiechief. The hankiechief was a gift from Mrs. Jess Womble. Guests were registered by Mrs. Keith Meddock.

A lovely arrangement of large white mums and spider mums was placed on the coffee table in the living room.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Cy Ainsworth, Linda Collins, Marvin Kunkle, Allen Ricketts, Loydell Hollar, Ed Mundy, Jack Whitson, Don Hendricks, Lawrence Wilbanks, Jess Womble, Albert Mackie, Owen Pendergraft, Archa Morse, Irvin Davis, Merle Washington, Allen Pierce and Deta Blodgett.



Miss Melinda Pearson has been chosen Girl of the Month for January by the Spearman Study Club which honors some girl in SHS each month.

Melinda Pearson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Megeet of Borger and St. Petersburg, Fla. She is a senior in high school and has attended school here since the first grade. She is a member of the National Honor Society and Future Teachers. She is active in both band and choir and is a member of the Minstrels and the Girls Quartet. She was named Outstanding History Student in her junior year. An active member of the First Baptist Church, Melinda plays the piano for an adult Sunday school department and is a member of the Youth Choir. In the 1966 Miss Hansford County Beauty Contest, she was second runner up. Miss Pearson plans to attend Texas Tech and major in history and education.

## Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital Margaret Britton, Steva Hicks, Edna Smith and daughter, Patsy Hart and daughter, Clarence Russell, Gertrude Neely, R. E. Vandevo, Petty Browne, Otto Gammill, Phillips Cook, Fatty Spoonemore.

Patients Dismissed: Ken Prachar, Mrs. Elsie Trolander transferred to Pioneer Manor, C. W. Ainsworth, Venita Martin, Albert Ring, Minnie Chase, Wayne Davis, Olivia Salinas and son, Nelva White and daughter, Gloria Mauricio and son, Molly Akers and son, Ray Phelps, Martha Pattison, Barbara Sheets, Alma Remy, Mrs. Leo Frazier, Diane Frazier, Mike Floyd, Gertrude Neilson, Sylvia Wilcox, Lola Dear and son.

New Babies: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Akers, Jr. are the parents of a baby boy born at 1:55 p.m., 1-2-67, weighing 7 lbs. 8 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mauricio are the parents of a baby boy, born January 3, weighing 9 lbs. 4 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dear are the parents of a baby boy born January 7, at 8:05 p.m. weighing 8 lbs. 15 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith are the parents of a baby girl born January 7, at 8:34 p.m. weighing 6 lbs. 10 oz.

A baby girl was born to Mrs. Patsy Hart, January 9 at 7:31 a.m. weighing 5 lbs. 8 1/2 oz.

## Willy Workers Have Meeting

The Willy Workers 4-H Club met for their regular monthly meeting, Thursday, January 5, in the HD Club Bldg.

President Lee Ann Uptergrove presided. The 4-H pledge was led by Donna Montgomery. The pledge of Alligence was held by Amy Brillhart.

Rhonda Nelson was elected as Secretary to replace Amailea Baker.

Mrs. John Trindle gave the program "Money Management".

Linda Webb HD agent gave a lecture on "Cleaness and Good Posture".

Those present were Tressa Oaks, Vicki Garcia, Lee Ann Uptergrove, Amy Brillhart, Donna Montgomery, Rhonda Nelson, Delinda Head Mrs. Trindle, Mrs. C. E. Brillhart, and Miss Webb.

## Spearman 25 Years Ago

THE YEAR . . . 1942 the nastiest on every REPORTER read "To Hell With The Japs."

County Judge A. F. Barkley gave out routine information for county school teachers pertaining to action to be taken in case of air raids.

Drills were practiced in the schools. Herbert Hughes in Gruver and Bruce Sheets in Spearman were working hard to meet the county's Red Cross Goal of \$775.00 . . . and in line with the defense program the government asked the full cooperation of every farmer in two important programs.

The first was the scrap metal program. Every piece of scrap metal in the county was needed and farmers were urged to sell it all at once! The second thing farmers were asked to do was overhaul all their farm machinery at once. This was necessary so that needed parts could be obtained, for parts would not be available later in the summer . . . .

Truckowners in the county were made to register every truck so the government would know the status of the trucks in case of need for emergency usage. Also due to the emergency in transportation, the Highway department needed information on each bus, truck, tractor, trailer and etc. in the county where each one was located in the county and could best be made available in emergency. Air raid warning units began work of organizing Volunteer personnel throughout the county manned twelve observation posts. The government expected much from many volunteers.

OUR COUNTRY WAS AT WAR

Pasturized milk was made available to all grocery stores for the first time. Undulant fever reported in the county numbered 10 cases. NOW people could drink safe, healthy milk. In order to conserve tire delivery cars, those grocery stores would make one delivery per day to customers. F. W. Brandt, R. E. Burran, J. M. Cates and Son, C. H. Holton, W. L. Russell and Dick Kiker Grocery stores.

Homer C. Reed, soldier son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Reed was home at Camp Leonard Wood, Mo. Wayne Reed Aviation field visited home twice for 2 days.

Marion Glover cashed in on his five work as a band booster and persuaded Bandmaster Byron to allow him to go with him to El Paso to the Sun Bowl. C. A. Gibner, Rex Sanders, J. D. Amend and Harley Alexander went to New Orleans to attend the Sugar Bowl

name. J. D. Hester, R. E. Meek and O. V. Walker were appointed to serve as the Tire Rationing Board for the County. Hansford County's allotment for January was 8 tires for passenger cars, motor cycles and light trucks, 7 tubes for the above, 40 truck and bus tires, 33 truck and bus tires.

Dwight Hutchison was stationed at Wichita Falls Air Base and was able to be home for a few days. The First State Bank published their quarterly report condition with total Assets amounting to \$214,933.68.

A manufacturer introduced the new shade of hosiery, "To Hell with the Axis." As a means of conserving dyes for the war effort, hosiery had been simplified & color lines were reduced. Lucky Strike cigarettes changed the color of their packages (when you could buy them at all) Lucky Strike Green had gone to war!

Capt. Billy Jarvis was on the West coast supervising the servicing of flying fortresses. His exact location was a military secret. There was plenty of activity on the west coast and the air corps was getting ready for action.

Paul Robertson was injured in a truck collision during a blackout at an Army camp somewhere in the west coast.

Spearman pilots were being urged to join the Civil Air Patrol. Automobile stickers went on sale at all Post Offices. You had to have one in order to buy gas, tires, oil. The sticker was a green stamp with a Liberty Bell design.

The year of 1941 ended with the heaviest fall of moisture ever officially recorded in the county covering a period of some 23 years of official records and measured a total of 26.27 inches. This week 25 years ago the temperature plunged to a 9 below zero.

Miss Virginia Wilmet of the Spearman Hardware was responsible for the most patriotic and attractive show window. She laid out a USA using background of red, white and blue paper.

P. A. Lyon Jr. enlisted in the naval reserve. After completing his college work, he would be transferred to a training school of the navy with an opportunity to earn a commission.

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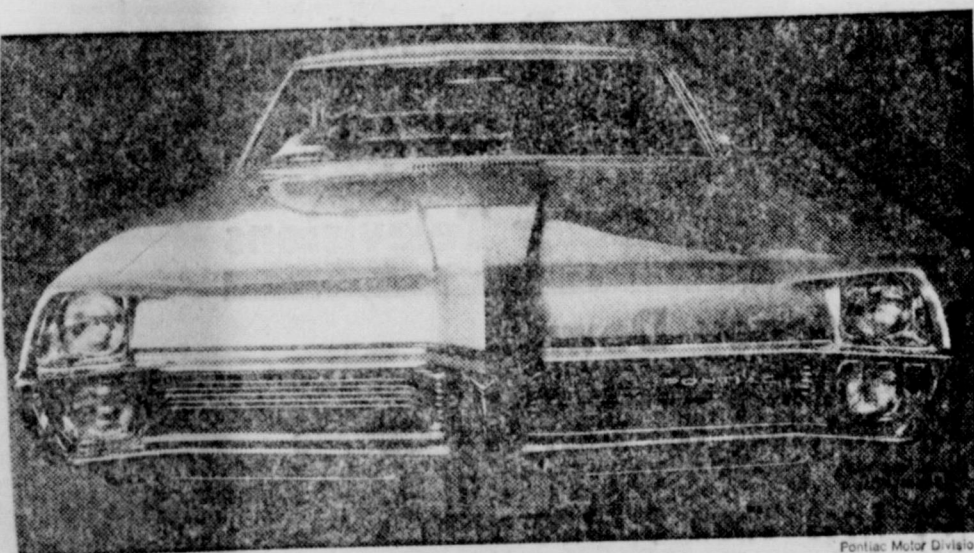
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### Bradley Chisum Enjoyed Party Leaders Thurs.

Mrs. Jerry Chisum helped her husband celebrate his 7th birthday with a party January 6. The boys enjoyed games and favors of Batman masks. Cake, ice cream and coke were served. Attending were Charles Milner, Nollner, Micky Gates, Jamie Wicks, and Mike Bodey.

### Royal Service WMU Meeting

Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met for their monthly Royal Service meeting, January 4 at the church. Betty Uptergrove conducted the business meeting and the call prayer was lead by Mrs. Pat Mahan.

The program, lead by Mrs. Donna Sims, took members on a tour of the Philippine Islands to see how they carried out the Great Commission in evangelism. Those assisting were June Jackson, Jane Ayers, Barbara Reger and Barbara Mahan. Then they were taken on a tour to El Paso, Texas to look at the work of a Spanish Speaking House. Leading were Florence Wicks and Magda Garnett. The program ended in Hong Kong with Anita Hays and Mrs. A. F. Loftin. They found the printing press busy printing thousands of copies of the four gospels and the book of Acts. Twenty-eight were present for the "Great Commission."

### Initiation For Five Jan. 27th

Order of Eastern Star met January 6 at the Lodge Hall with Nin Andrews, Worthy Matron and Doradricks, Worthy Patron. John R. Collard, Jr. member of the Temple Eve Foundation and F. A. Shapley of Gruver, member of the Masonic Educational Committee, were recognized as new members of the Grand Chapter of Texas OES.

A call meeting will be held January 27 at 7:30 for the purpose of initiating five candidates. A salad supper will be held February 3 at 7:00 in honor of the Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Chapter of Texas OES. Everyone is invited to attend the salad supper. Mr. and Mrs. A. Shapley and Elsie Mae Gid of Gruver, Mrs. Cecily of Gruver and Mr. R. C. Holland of Abilene. Thirteen officers, four towns and five members were sent.

Mr. Bruce Sheets has returned after spending a week with daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hill, in Dallas.

### Hansford Club Meets Jan. 9th

Mrs. F. S. Ayers was hostess January 9 for the Hansford Home Demonstration club held at the clubroom.

Mrs. Ayers, president, conducted the meeting and Mrs. Parrish gave the devotion. Roll Call was answered with "My resolution for the new year." Yearbooks were filled out and plans were made for the new year.

Mrs. Ayers served refreshments to Mesdames Herb Howe, L. W. Rosenbaum, Glen Mackie, Virgil Floyd, Gordon Parrish, A. D. Parsons, Harry Shedeck, Stella White, Rescoe Nelson, Hartley Simmons and guest Mrs. Rosenbaum visiting here from Wyoming.

### Mrs. Daniel's Reviews Book

Xi Zeta Upsilon Sorority of Beta Sigma Phi met January 5 in the home of Mrs. Thomas Litter. The business meeting was conducted by president, Joyce Lackey.

Barbara Schnell had the program and introduced Mrs. Wesley Daniel who gave a book review.

Attending were Betty Brown, Marva Hohertz, Joyce Lackey, Ruby Lair, Day McClellan, Barbara Schnell, Nelda Sheets, Mona Beth Windom, Dody Beedy, Beth Fox, Kay Nollner and the hostess.

### Denham's Honored By Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fowler honored Mr. and Mrs. Don Denham with a surprise birthday party, January 6.

Miss Chris Lobo provided the group with entertainment by showing her films and talking with them.

Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mesdames Walter Woolley, Eldon Smith, Buddy Benton, Glen Hiller, Penny Galtner, Miss Lobo, Connie Fowler, the honorees and host and hostess.

### Club Meets In Sheppard Home

The Spearman Study Club met for their first meeting of the year in the home of Mrs. Bert Sheppard January 9.

Judy Martin, president, conducted the meeting and Mary DeArmond lead in the Junior pledge. Melinda Pearson was selected as the girl of the month for January.

Mrs. Sheppard gave a report on "Operation Healthy Babies." The club is planning to participate in the Mother's March for the March of Dimes.

The club will honor the 20th Century Club with a luncheon January 16. It will be held in the Home Demonstration Clubroom and will begin at 11:30 a.m. Miss Linda Webb presented the program on credit titled "My Family Versus Money."

Mrs. Sheppard served refreshments to Mesdames Joyce Lackey, Jo Larson, Judy Martin, Kay Vernon, Barbara Pendergraft, Marilyn Wilson, Margaret Adamson, Mary DeArmond, Sandra Ladd, Lois Shieldknight, Frankie Sloan, Donna Baxter, and guests Mary Ann Wright and Linda Webb.

### Arts and Crafts Meet Jan. 6th

Mrs. Clay Gibner was hostess January 6 for Arts and Crafts Guild.

This was their regular meeting and election of officers. Elected were Mrs. Jess Womble, president; Mrs. F. J. Hoskins, secretary and treasurer and Mrs. P. A. Lyon as reporter.

Members attending were Mesdames Freeman Barkley Kiff White, P. A. Lyon, Joy Traylor, Guy Fuller, F. J. Hoskins, Bruce Sheets, W. L. Russell, Ned Turner and the hostess.

Mrs. Hoskins will host the next meeting, January 13.

### Mrs. Hill Hosts Blue Monday Club

Mrs. Vester Hill was hostess January 9 for the Blue Monday bridge club.

Mrs. Gwenfred Lackey won the high score for the day. Attending were Mesdames Deta Blodgett, J. E. Womble, Pope Gibner, F. J. Bailey, Bill Gandy, R. W. Morton, L. S. McLain and Gwenfred Lackey. Mrs. Lackey will be the next hostess on January 23.

### Bridge Club Entertained In Porter Home

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Porter entertained their couple's bridge club January 7 in their home. High scores went to J. L. Brock and Mrs. Billy Miller. Mrs. Garland Head won the nine high pot with an eight high hand.

Attending were guest Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brock and members Mr. and Mrs. Billy Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Head, Mr. and Mrs. Don Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robertson and the host and hostess.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Head for New Year's were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Floyd spent New Year's week-end visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Roney. Dee Jackson, M. D. McLaughlin and Ned Turner are spending a week-fishing in Guaymas, Mexico.

## Texas Teachers Salaries Fall To A New Low

Texas ranking among the 50 states in average salaries paid to classroom teachers has fallen to a new low, the Texas State Teachers Association announced Wednesday (January 4, 1967).

The annual salary of a classroom teacher in Texas, according to new statistical data, is \$6,025 compared to the national average of \$6,621. The \$796 deficit places Texas in the 33rd rank among the 50 states.

Last year, Texas ranked 29th in the nation. But the state dropped to 33rd because other states moved ahead with improved teacher salaries.

Texas fares worst in the new rankings with average salary increases granted in 1966. For Texas this amount was only \$95.

This puts Texas 49th in this category. Only Wyoming with a \$46 average increase, is lower.

The rankings were prepared by the Research Division of the National Education Association and published in Estimates of School Statistics 1966-67.

TSTA has a proposed teacher pay increase platform in its 1967 legislative program.

If the Texas Legislature approves the pay increase proposed this year according to a TSTA leader, the new boost would "just barely" bring Texas up to the present national average "and no higher."

The official Dr. Joe B. McNeil Superintendent of Wichita Falls Schools and Chairman of TSTA's Legislative Committee, said the TSTA program envisions an average increase in Texas classroom teachers' salaries of \$775 in the minimum salary schedule for Texas classroom teachers.

"Compare TSTA's \$775 average increase with the difference of \$796 in our present salary schedule and the national average and you can see that TSTA's program is indeed a must," McNeil stated. "At best," said McNeil, "the TSTA pay program is an interim measure preparatory to action on salaries we hope will be granted two years from now."

A study committee set up by an act of the Legislature in 1965 is expected to recommend higher salaries for Texas teachers in 1969.

"Texas can't wait until 1969 for action and we think the Legislature knows this," McNeil said.

"The TSTA program," he added, "is an interim measure needed now to prevent our present shortage of 5,000 teachers from becoming a deeper crisis."

### Mrs. Guthrie Bridge Host

The Undecided Bridge Club met January 5 in the home of Mrs. Lawton Guthrie.

High score went to Mrs. Jimmy Linn and second high went to Mrs. Bill Strawn. Mrs. Bob Meek won the travelling prize.

Attending the luncheon were Mesdames Bobby Archer, Richard Countiss, Danny Jackson, Jim McLain, Bobby Mathews, Steve Mathews, James Maxwell, Bob Meek, Bill Strawn and guests Mrs. Jimmy Linn and Mrs. Dee Allen.

### Pipkins' Home From Travels

Mr. and Mrs. John Pipkin returned last Wednesday from a three week visit in Canada and New York during the Christmas holidays.

They visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Clifford, in Ingersoll Ontario for 10 days. Mrs. Pipkin said it snowed all the time they were there but never below 20 degrees. Spearman had colder weather than this! They enjoyed the white Christmas there very much, and liked

Canada a lot. The roads were kept very clean and highway travel was never a problem.

But New York was another story and the Pipkins didn't like it at all. New York is a very dirty, congested place and the people were very unfriendly, something Texans cannot tolerate. But they did enjoy a good visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mayes who live in Rochester, N.Y.

### Cosmetologist Gives Program

Members of the Alpha Delta Kappa met in regular session Thursday, January 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Wanda Jones. Eula Goodall and Fern West were co-hostesses.

Lois Keyser, local Cosmetologist, presented a program on trends in hair styling and care, carrying out the lesson theme of Self Improvement.

Nellie Payne was a guest for the program, and members present included Dee Deere, Martha Coursey, Elva Lee Sheets, Charlie Theis, Louise Archer, Ruth Mary Whitson, Mathilde Entrekun Doris Crum, Lillian Smith, Barbara Patterson and the hostesses.

## Chamber Committes Will Meet

Three committee meetings are on the agenda for the Chamber of Commerce for January.

The Agriculture committee will meet at 9 a.m. January 12 in the Chamber office. At this time the program of work, set up earlier this year at a community meeting, will be discussed and plans made accordingly.

The Agriculture committee includes N. F. Renner and Troy Sloan co-chairmen, Billy Boatright, Wesley Garnett, Chalmers Porter, Don E. Smith, F. W. Thomas, Irvin Davis, and Jerry Hawkins.

The Board of Directors will meet at 10 a.m. January 19. At this time the votes will be canvassed for the newly elected members and plans made for the installation ceremonies.

The Civic Improvement committee will meet January 26 at 10 a.m. Burl McClellan and Ed Dear are co-chairmen for this committee.

### Square Dancing Course Begins

The Spearman Do-Si-Do square dance club will sponsor a salad supper January 14 at 7:00 in the Community Building.

After the supper, an introduction of square dancing will be given by Robert Adamson. A door prize will be given and anyone interested is invited to attend.

Further information may be obtained by Robert Adamson, 2693, after 5 p.m. or from Mrs. Gene Sparks 3490.

### Little BoPeep Is Party Theme

Mrs. Jerry Ralls entertained her daughter, Joni with a party to celebrate her 7th birthday.

The theme Little BoPeep was carried out. Cake and punch were served and each guest received a jump rope.

Attending were Kim Smith, Jan Fowler, LaVonne Kunselman Sherry West, Kindra Bryan and Jana Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stokes of Amarillo spent Sunday here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Pipkin. Other dinner guests in their home were the Rev. and Mrs. Elvin Swansen of Perryton.

### Dorcas Class Have Meeting

The home of Mrs. Robert Brandt was the setting for the regular business meeting for the Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church, on Monday, January 10.

Mrs. Donna Helms gave the devotional, and Mrs. Melba Rook presided over the business meeting.

A hanketchief shower was given for Ann Frye and Doris Holderman, two members who are moving away.

Refreshments of Coffee, Coke and coffee cake were served to Ann Frye, Melba Rook, Joan Chisum, Rose Cummings, Deloris Guthrie, Barbara Sampson, Doris Holderman, Donna Burks, Donna Helms, and the hostess.

### Town & Country Club Meeting

Mrs. Louise Hawkins hosted the meeting of the Town and Country Home Demonstration Club in her home January 3.

Mrs. Hawkins conducted the meeting with roll call answered with "My New Year's Resolution for H.D. Club." The devotion was given by Nedra Hays. One new member joined the club and members welcomed Diane Maxwell.

Plans for the new year were made and the new year books were filled out.

Refreshments were served to Sherry Anderson, Barbara Bell, Nellie Buchanan, Nedra Hays, Mary Lovett, Diane Maxwell, Jan Rinker and the hostess.

Visiting over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atchison were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haar, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Haggard, of Perryton.

Mrs. William Pierce of Eugene, Oregon, and Mrs. Foster Babbs of Barter visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Babbs.

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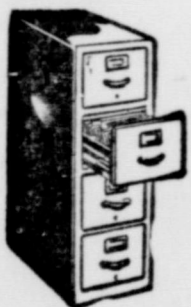


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## School Census Forms Are Out

School census forms have been sent out through students this month and the completed forms are to be returned as early as possible, and not later than January 31. All children who will be six and under eighteen years of age on September 1, 1967, must be enumerated. Parents of students who will begin school for the first time September 1967, and who do not have other children in school, have been asked to contact either the superintendent's office or one of the school principal's offices to obtain a census blank.

There is a law under consideration now in the Texas Legislature to make kindergarten a permissible part of the Texas Public School System and should it pass five year old children will be eligible to begin school. For that reason the Spearman Independent School District sent out forms to be used in the case of five year old children. These forms are available at the superintendent's office for the parents of children who do not have older brothers or sisters in school. Dr. Reeves, superintendent of schools, will appreciate anyone who knows of a six year old child that was missed informing his office of same. Telephone 3233 or 433 East 11th Ave.

## Troop No. 82 Elect Patrol Leaders Thursday

Troop No. 82 Junior Brownie girl scouts met January 5 at 3:30 in the scout house with leaders Patty Sheppard and Ann Shelton.

New officers were elected. For the Angel Patrol Rene Asbill was elected Patrol Leader, Cheryl Gibson Asst. leader and Debbie Simmons Scribe.

In the Mustang Patrol, Sheryl McCalman was chosen Patrol leader. Debroch Shelton Assistant leader and Linda Hamilton as Scribe.

Those beginning their badge work at this meeting included: Rene Asbill, Cheryl Gibson, Debbie Simmons, Debbie Sheppard, Stacy Pendergraft, Angela Craig, Julie Callaway, Debbie Shelton, Linda Jordan, Debbie Gregg, Sheryl McCalman, Gina Bulls, Linda Hamilton, Carmala Burch, and Sheila Cockran.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Uptergrove were in Sayre, Okla. this week attending the funeral of Mr. Uptergrove's brother-in-law, Willie Morris, 88 years old.

## HOLT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Harbour transacted business Saturday in Dumas and were luncheon guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sloan. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson were Thursday shoppers in Amarillo.

Clyde Thompson of Blair, Oklahoma was week-end guests of his daughter Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Holt.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jackson was her nephew Mr. and Mrs. Tim Thompson, who teaches in the Guymon school.

## School Lunch Menus

TUESDAY, JAN 17, Tomato Meat Loaf, Blackeye Peas with Bacon Bits, Buttered Potatoes, Carrot Sticks, Citrus Fruit Cup, Honey-Peanut Butter Spread, Hot Rolls-Butter Milk.

WEDNESDAY, JAN 18 Corn-dogs-Mustard, Macaroni and Cheese Casserole, Seasoned Green Beans, Cabbage, Pickle Relish Slaw, Spicy Apple Cobbler, Bread Milk. HIGH SCHOOL MEAT CHOICE - Braised Liver.

THURSDAY, JAN 19, Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Seasoned Green Peas, Cherry Congee Salad, Yeast Doughnuts Bread Milk. HIGH SCHOOL MEAT CHOICE - Tuna Salad Sandwich.

FRIDAY, JAN 20, Hamburger-Mustard or Fish Sticks-Terter Sauce, Vegetable Beef Soup, Dill Pickle Slices, Lettuce-Tomato Salad, Strawberry Shortcake Milk.

## SHS To Host Speech Tourney

Several speech students were participants in a special invitational tournament at Phillips University, Enid, Oklahoma on Dec. 11. Because of previously scheduled events however, some students were unable to attend. Only one debate team made up of D'ees Collard and Gary Bengie entered. They won three out of four debates. This team, in competition with forty big schools, ranked fifth in the tournament. Jack Lee rated Superior in Boys extemp.

In Dramatic Interpretation, Donna Ombrey ranked fifth.

Cloetta Fullbright placed second in Poetry Interpretation.

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## No Book Will Be Excluded

The American Library Association has published its belief in the basic policies which govern the services of all libraries. The library Bill of Rights affirms that in no case should any book be excluded because of race or nationality or the political or religious views or race or nationality of the writer. The rights of an individual to the use of a library should not be denied or abridged because of his race, religion, national origin or political views. As an institution of education for democratic living, the library should welcome the use of its meeting rooms for socially useful cultural activities and discussions of current public questions. Such meeting places should be available on equal terms to all groups in the community regardless of the beliefs and affiliations of their members.

## SHS Has Answer To Tijuana Brass

The Precious Few, Spearman High School's answer to the Tijuana Brass, have added a new player. Danny Robertson, cornetist has joined them to give the band more versatility. This versatility was shown during their latest performance at the Spearman-Shamrock basketball games. There was one drawback, however. Half of the trombone section, Jim David Crawford was working and could not make it, leaving the other trombonist David McClellan to carry the load and try to balance the three cornets. This will be rectified and the next time the band plays, it will play at full strength.

## Fashion News

Knits are both versatile and stylish this winter. Add a skimming ribbed sweater to accent that skirt or slacks outfit. The sweater dresses have also made the scene this winter. Knitted in various stitches and styles there is one for every girl. They are very practical and would be a hit in any girls wardrobe. This winter be in style, be in knit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Moran of Pampa visited Tuesday, in the home of their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Don Deham.

# JANUARY SALE

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