



# The Spearman Reporter

VOL. 71, NO. 34 THE SPEARMAN REPORTER, SPEARMAN, TEXAS 79081 THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1980

## Old Fashioned July 4 Proclaimed

Come one, come all to the Old Fashioned Family 4th of July entertainment being planned for Spearman residents by the YMCA, the Spearman Chamber of Commerce and the Retail Merchants Association.

Leading off the activities planned for Friday, July 4th, will be a mini-marathon at 9 a.m. There will be a 3 & 6 mile course and the marathon will begin at Plains Shopping Center. Prizes will be awarded in each age bracket. Entry fee is \$5.00 per runner. If interested, contact Kim or Stephanie Park at 659-3933.

Other family activities begin at 10:00 a.m. at the swimming pool park.

These include sack races, skillet toss, three-legged race, water balloon toss, inner tube relay, kite decorating and flying, & flag football.

There will be refreshments throughout the day. Several clubs will be having booths, which will be located in the swimming pool park area. Those having concessions include: YMCA, with Cokes, lemonade, hot dogs, and apple

pie; Rebekah's with baked goods; Women's Division of the Chamber with Sno Cones; Servitors with ice cream, and the Youth of the Assembly of God Church selling nachos and frito pies; Baker & Taylor Women will be selling hamburgers.

Climaxing all of this entertainment will be a free watermelon feed at 7:30 p.m. at the Rocket Slide Park.

Then at Lynx Stadium beginning at 9:15, winners of the days events will be announced, followed by the invocation by the Ministerial Alliance, and the National Anthem sung by Mrs. Manesha and friends.

Two 3 inch Aerial Flash Salutes will be fired to announce opening of the fireworks display.

Scene One will be the Star Spangled Horizon, with brilliant stars of red, white and blue; their colored trails of light intermingled and molded into a certain of beauty and splendor on the evening horizon.

Scene Two-all aerial shells will be fired.

Scene Three-American Flag-Old Glory in all her beauty and

### THERE IS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE AT THE OLD FASHIONED FAMILY FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION.

From contests, games, mini-marathon to lemonade, hot dogs and hamburgers to free watermelon and a gigantic fireworks display mark the Old Fashioned Family Fourth of July Celebration in Spearman. Do plan to attend.

Beginning with the mini-marathon at 9:00 a.m. at the Plains Shopping Center the activities get underway. Also, between 9:30 and 10:00 there will be registration for the contests at old Lynx stadium for young and old alike. The events include: SACK RACES at 10:00 with age grouping of 8 & under, 9-12, 13-17 and 18 & older, plus teams. SKILLET TOSS at 10:45 for those 13 & older (especially the ladies). THREE-LEGGED RACES at 11:30 for those 8 & under, 9-12, 13-17, 18 & older, teams. WATER BALLOON TOSS at 12:30 for ages 8 & under, 9-12, 13-17, 18 & older, teams. INNER TUBE RELAYS at 1:15 p.m. for ages 8 & under, 9-12, 13-17,

18 & older, teams. KIDS DECORATING CONTEST for those 12 & under and those 13 & older. YMCA kites will be on sale during the day for decorating or you may bring your own. There will also be a booth for you to touch up your kite for the contest, with water colors. Contest will be (1) Those judged best decorated on the ground, and (2) Those judged best decorated while in the air. FLAG FOOTBALL GAMES for teams composed of those 13 & Older.

## Fun Run

The Fourth of July Fun Run will begin at the Plains Shopping Center and is sponsored by the YMCA.

There will be two runs, a 6 mile run and a 3.3 mile run.

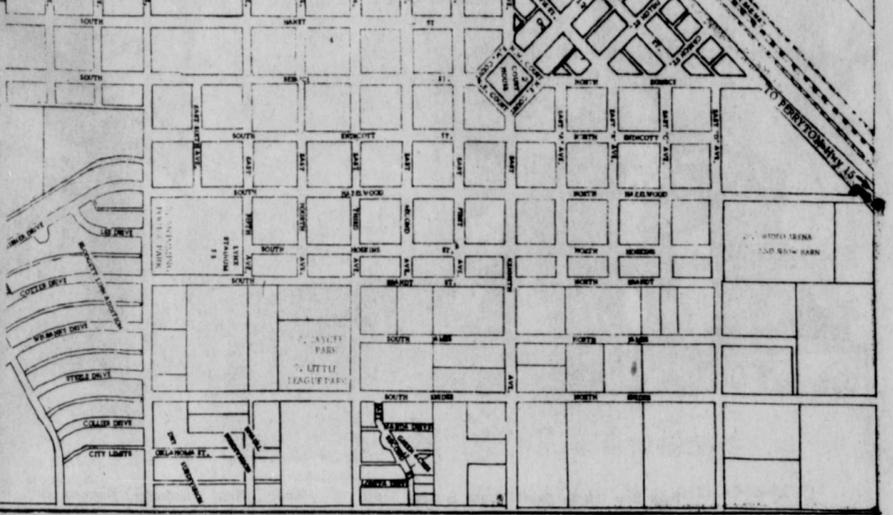
The runs will begin at 9 a.m. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. and will continue until 8:45.

Categories for women are: 0-20; 21-30; 31-40; and 40 up. Categories for men are: 0-18; 19-26; 27-34; 35-44; and 45 up.

Medals for the first three places will be given.

Entry fee is \$5.00 per person. For more information, contact Stephanie or Kim Brock at 659-3933.

Registration blanks may be mailed to Stephanie Brock, 206 Main, Spearman, Tx. 79081. Make checks payable to the Spearman YMCA.



Registration will be from 9:30 until 10:00 a.m. and up to 15 minutes before competition starts on any of the events. Prizes will be awarded for the contests just prior to the fireworks display (approximately 9:15-9:45 p.m.) at Lynx Stadium.

There will be a number of refreshment stands in Swimming Pool Park beginning at 10:00 a.m. Those participating include: YMCA, with Hot Dogs, Cokes and Lemonade. WOMEN'S DIVISION OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE serving Sno Cones. REBEKAH'S LODGE serving Baked Goods. SERVITORS providing home made Ice Cream. BAKER & TAYLOR WOMEN selling hamburgers and fixings. ASSEMBLY OF GOD YOUTH providing Nachos and Frito Pies. RHO RHO SORORITY will also have a body decorating booth during the festivities.

The SWIMMING POOL will open at 1:00 and remain until 7:30 p.m., for recreational swimming the full 6 1/2 hours.

FREE WATERMELON FEED will be at 7:30 at Rocket Slide Park, across from the high school. This is sponsored by the Spearman Retail Merchants Association.

FIREWORKS DISPLAY will begin at approximately 9:45 p.m. at Lynx Stadium, sponsored by the Spearman Chamber of Commerce.

## Spearman Couple Killed Near Lubbock

Joint memorial services for Bobby F. Everson, 32, and his wife, Judy Ann, 30, who were killed near Lubbock Sunday in a collision involving a dune buggy and a pickup truck, were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church of Spearman.

Rev. Russell Pogue, pastor, officiated with burial in Gruver Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Also killed in the accident was Daniel Benson, 17, of Lubbock, driver of the dune buggy in which the Eversons were passengers. Jerry Brock, 27, of Snyder, formerly of Spearman, was also a passenger in the dune buggy, was reported in serious condition in a Lubbock hospital.

The driver of the pickup involved in the collision at 8:30 p.m. Sunday, Thomas Cook, 36, remained in critical condition at Lubbock General Hospital. A. J. Hamlin, 43, of Woodrow, a passenger in the truck, was treated and released from the hospital.

A Texas Department of Public Safety spokesman said the dune buggy was westbound on a country road west of Wood-

row, about 10 miles south of Lubbock, and the pickup was eastbound when the head-on collision occurred.

Investigators said the dune buggy, a converted Volkswagen, apparently ran off the road and onto the right shoulder, then swerved back onto the roadway and into the path of the pickup.

Everson was born in Pampa and had resided in Spearman 13 years. He was employed by H & H Water Well Service and was a member of the Moose Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Everson were married in October 1967 in Spearman.

Mrs. Everson was born at Shattuck, Okla., and had resided in Spearman nearly all of her life. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Jim and Todd, and a daughter, Anissa, all of the home.

Everson is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Everson of Perryton; a sister, Mrs. Judith Peach of Perryton; and his grandparents, Mrs. Lilly Lawley of Pampa and R. E. Mathews of McLean.

Mrs. Everson is also survived

by four sisters, Mrs. Marilyn Harris and Mrs. Carolyn Haha, both of Canadian, Mrs. Donna Fallwell of Friona and Nikki Jones of Spearman, a brother, Joe Bob Jones of Canadian; and a grandmother, Mrs. Mae Leverton of Spearman.

## Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Jeff Jackson, Robert Martin, Marilyn Cline and daughter, Maurine Eiting, Mildred Chamberlain, Glen Mackie, Vernell Byrd, Patty Christie, Dixie Burch, and Kimberly Gross.

Dismissed were Blue Hummingbird, Jack Armstrong, Guy Remy, Charlotte Martin and daughter, Pat White, Kayla Allaway, Claude Newell, John Robinson, Donnie Moyer, Mary Crites, Donald Rea, Donna Reams, Anna Pacheco, Fred Mans, Tim Woodington, Edith Cage, Sharon Witt and son, Virus Wilbanks, John Lackey, Teddy Whitefield, Kenneth Schaeffer and Edwin Limbocker.

## Jaycees Still Recruiting

Everything from slicing watermelon to Little League baseball came up for discussion at the Monday night meeting of Spearman's reactivated Jaycees.

It was the first regular session since a group of young businessmen reorganized the Spearman Junior Chamber of Commerce as a means of channelling the interest and efforts of the city's younger men into further development and progress of the city and increased opportunity and challenge to young men in business.

While discussions ranged a-head to such programs as Little

League play, plans were made to assist in slicing and serving free watermelon, July Fourth. The watermelon feast is planned for 7:30 p.m., the Fourth in Rocket Slide Park as a climax to the events of the day designed for hours of fun for the family, observing the date in the old-fashioned traditional way.

Jaycees will be assisting the Chamber of Commerce, the Retail Merchants Association and the YMCA to make the event a success.

A schedule of events and their locations will be found elsewhere in this edition.

The next regular meeting of Spearman Jaycees will be at 8

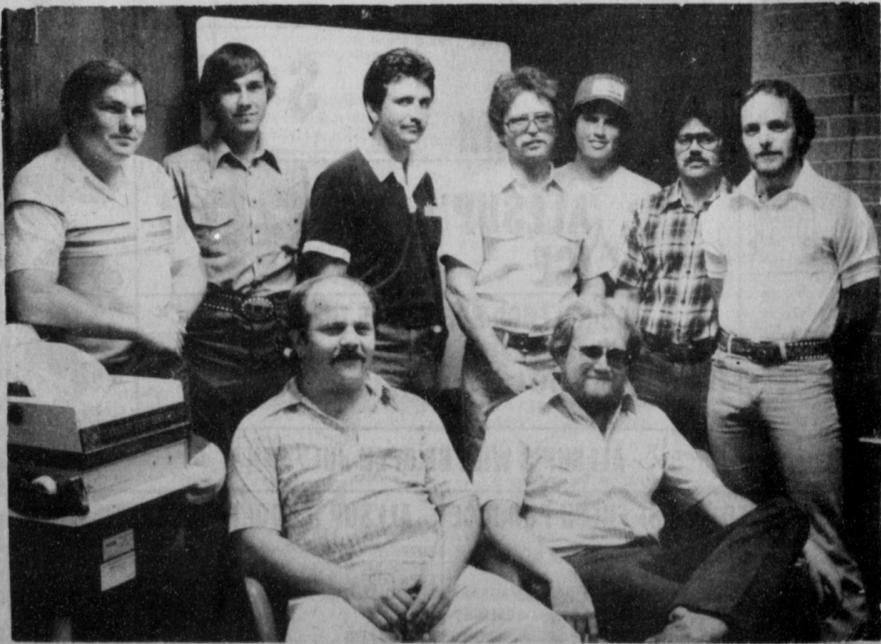
p.m., July 14 at B & B Farm Industries. Every young man in the area between the ages of 18 and 35 is urged to join this new Jaycees organization. A young man need not be in business to belong. The required age and an enthusiasm for Spearman are the only requisites.

Since its inception at the national level many years ago, members of the junior Chamber of Commerce in most communities across the nation have set enviable records of community service to young and old alike and came to be affectionately and universally dubbed "Jaycees."

In gratitude for services performed and as a challenge to young men not yet Jaycees, their program singles out a number of young men across the nation each year for signal honors. Size of the city nor the organization have no bearing on this recognition. It came solely on the merits of the young men nominated.

However, no greater tribute to Jaycees has been devised than one that came almost two decades ago as a simple answer to ask the question: "What do Jaycees do?"

"...They do a great amount of good and have fun doing it!"



JAYCEE REACTIVATION UNDERWAY -- At the first meeting to bring Spearman's dormant Junior Chamber of Commerce organization back to life, these men became the core of the new activity. Seated from the left, Ronnie Hoover and Mike Cudd. Standing from the left, Kerry Henton, Steve Donnell, Lenis Simpson, Larry Trosper, William King, Anthony Wilkerson and Verlin Winegarner.



The best float in the commercial division of the Dumas Dogie Days Parade came from Spearman. It was entered by the Baker and Taylor Drilling Company.

# Scouts & Leaders Return Home



Back Row left to right Dwight Sumner Scout master Troop 551, Shane Sumner, Greg Farr, Gary Thomas, Wayne Cummings Ass. Scout Master Troop 551  
Center Row left to right Andy Gonzales, Joh-

Kelley, Nick Wirsdorfer, Norman Hill, Noe Gonzales, Todd Martin.  
Front Row left to right Timmy Willis, Karl Bynum, Allen Mires, Coby Gamblin, Chad Guthrie

Fourteen boys and two Scout leaders from Spearman Troop 551 returned home from a week of scouting at San Isabel Scout Ranch in Colorado. The troop left Spearman Sat. 21st and traveled to La Junta, Colorado where they visited the Koshare Indian Museum. The Koshare Indian Museum is the home of the world famous Koshare Indian Dancers.

While in La Junta they also visited Bent's Old Fort which has been reconstructed as accurately as possible to its appearance in 1845-1846. On Sunday the boys arrived at the Scout Ranch prepared for a week of scouting experience. During the week the boys worked on merit badges and all boys attending

earned merit badges. The boys prepared their own meals for themselves and also for their Scout masters. A contest for the prettiest pine cone was held and Norman Hill was the winner. Best Roop campers of the week award went to Noe & Andy Gonzales. At an impressive ceremony Dwight Sumner Scout Master of Troop 551, Wayne Cummings Asst. Scout Master, Greg Farr, Gary Thomas & Nick Wirsdorfer were tapped out for the Order of the Arrow which is an organization for elite scout campers and is quite an honor to be elected to this organization in Scouting.

Dwight Sumner and Wayne Cummings were also admitted

into the Royal Order of the Black Eyed Donkey. This organization is for scouters over 21 yrs. of age. There are only four orders of this organization, three in the United States and one in London, England.

The boys also participated in an overnight back pack trip 5 miles to the Marian Mines in San Isabel National Park, while at the mines some of the scouts were sure they discovered gold. (fools gold)

The troop had one visitor during the week that was very interested & curious as to the activity in his domain. Although he never communicated personally with the boys. All 250-300 lbs. of his having

visited was quite visible by the paw prints left in the sand. The troop was honored at his visits but very glad the bear didn't visit them personally.

Before returning home the Troop traveled to Canon City to visit the Royal Gorge. Boys making the trip to Colorado were Chad Guthrie, Coby Gamblin, Allen Mires, Karl Bynum, Timmy Willis, Todd Martin, Noe Gonzales, Norman Hill, Nick Wirsdorfer, John Kelley, Andy Gonzales, Greg Farr, Gary Thomas, Shane Sumner, Scout master Dwight Sumner, and Assistant Scout master Wayne Cummings, also driving cars were Bob Farr, Webelo leader, and Jim Beeson Cub Master in Spearman.



The world's oldest existing Parliament is in Iceland. It was established in 930.

## NEWS OF ART

Edna Hibel Has Become Rockwell's Successor



"With Norman Rockwell dead, the crown of most popular and best-loved American artist seems to be passing to Edna Hibel," writes the *Chicago Tribune*. The value of her paintings, lithographs and plates bought by collectors in 1979 was nearly \$10 million, and the demand for her artwork continues to increase.

Miss Hibel, 63, paints characters and peaceful scenes which seem to have a universal appeal. Miss Hibel says "the essences that I have been trying to capture are those spiritual qualities in life that I value most highly."

The American-born artist's latest international exhibit, "A Celebration of Life," was arranged for Mainau Island in Lake Constance, Germany. The island is owned by an admirer of Miss Hibel's work, Count Lennart Bernadotte.

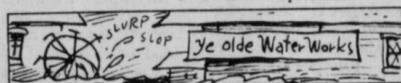
Miss Hibel is the only living American woman artist to have a museum devoted entirely to her work—the Hibel Museum in Palm Beach, Florida.



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1 cup mayonnaise  
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1 tablespoon lemon juice  
2 cups sliced celery  
2 cups stemmed green grapes  
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1 can (11 ounces) mandarin oranges, drained  
Boston lettuce leaves  
1 package (6 ounces) Pepperidge Farm Lightly Salted Goldfish Crackers

In a bowl mix tuna, mayonnaise, scallions, lemon juice, celery, grapes, pineapple and oranges. Chill. When ready to serve, line a salad bowl with lettuce leaves. Spoon in salad. Sprinkle with Goldfish Crackers. Sprinkle each serving with more Goldfish Crackers as salad is served. Makes 6 servings.

VISITORS FROM ASH HOLE COUNTRY, WASHINGTON, NEAR ST. HELENS  
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Allen Pierce reports that nieces of Eva Pierce, from near Mt. St. Helens visited in Spearman recently. They were, Clara Bills, and Kay O Leary. They live in Olympia, Calif. and Pasco, Washington.

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**FRIDAY JULY 4th**

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GRAPES	LETTUCE	HOT LINKS	1/2 LB. HAM
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		BBQ CHICKENS	POCHITO
		BBQ BRISKET	BEER BATTERED
		SANDWICH	COD FISH
		BBQ SPARE RIBS	CHILI PER PINT
		SOUTHERN FRIED	CHICKEN FRIED
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## LEGAL NOTICE

### LEGAL NOTICE

Hansford County Commissioners Court will receive bids until 4:00 P.M., Friday, July 11, 1980 on one Copy Machine for the District and County Clerk's office. Bids will be opened July 14, 1980 at the regular Commissioners Court meeting.

Specifications are available at the County Judge's office or the County Auditor's office in Hansford County Courthouse.

Delivery date is to be no later than September 1, 1980.

The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Roy L. McClellan  
Hansford County Judge

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## NOTES, COMMENTS

Goodness is not a comparison.  
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It's very hard not to fool yourself about yourself.  
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Health is a pretty important item when you've lost it.  
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An optimist is usually an individual who feels good.  
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Nature is a great teacher, if you care to take lessons.  
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A friend is someone who doesn't expect any favors.  
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Get away from your work regularly--and come back regularly.  
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The best way to get a day's work done is to work a full day.  
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Larger debts sometimes force one into larger earnings.  
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The trouble with vacations is that most of them end too soon.  
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People who never make mistakes are poor companions.  
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Small-town hot shots are the world's greatest attractions.  
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Small town society often gets as rotten as big town corruptions.  
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There comes a time when anything can be a nuisance.  
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It is good that most of us never know what other people think of us.  
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Compliments cost little and yet produce excellent returns anywhere.  
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The man who earns what he gets will be under obligation to no man.  
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The best way to get your share of the wealth is to work hard for it.  
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Few men think other men deserve their successes.  
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The individual who looks ahead and plans ahead will be the one to get ahead.  
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Have you tried going to church and leaving your problems there each Sunday?  
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A good town is that way because people who went before made it that way.  
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One of these days everything will be known but we do not expect to be around for the revelation.  
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The pant suit continues to be a favorite for traveling. The new two-button shaped jacket and pleated trouser with straight legs are complemented with a man-tailored blouse.

## State Acquires Unique Archaeological Site

The State's ability to trade its public lands for other lands has resulted in a unique archaeological acquisition, according to Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong.

Announced today was a trade under which the state has acquired the largest and most significant Caddo Indian village archaeological site in East Texas.

The site, according to Armstrong, has been of prime interest to state archaeologists because of systematic looting and destruction while it was in private hands. He said it will now be protected and studied in an orderly, scientific manner under state ownership.

Under state law the site, including all of the known Caddo burial mounds along the Red River in Bowie County, will be under the supervision of both the General Land Office and the Texas Antiquities Committee which manages archaeologically valuable discoveries on public lands.

Armstrong said the 64.5-acre tract containing the Caddo mounds was traded for six small, unmanageable tracts owned by the state which had equal farming value.

The newly acquired acreage will still be leased for farming, but the lessee will agree not to disturb the mounds and will protect them from treasure hunters. Eventually careful excavation of the mounds and village site may reveal a great deal more about these early Texas residents than we now know, Armstrong said.

"I am particularly pleased that we were able to accomplish this trade," Armstrong said, "because the tracts we traded off were not financially advantageous to the state, but the Caddo site represents some of our richest and oldest Texas heritage."

## Deadline For Applying For Federal Transportation Aid Set

**AMARILLO** -- Deadline for applying for federal funds for public transportation capital and operating assistance have been announced by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (S.D.H.P.T.) Amarillo District Planning Office.

William Harvey, S.D.H.P.T. Amarillo District Planning Coordinator, said applications for Section 18 funds must reach the district office by September 30, 1980, for Fiscal Year 1979 funds and by September 30, 1981, for Fiscal Year 1980 monies.

Harvey said the formula grant program is being administered by the S.D.H.P.T. Applications are being accepted at the district level, then reviewed by S.D.H.P.T. officials in Amarillo and Austin before then being submitted to the Urban Mass Transportation Administration for approval.

A total of \$107,000, is available in the Amarillo District for FY '79 and \$124,000, for FY '80. The money is available for state agencies, local public bodies, nonprofit organizations and other operators of public transportation services in rural and small urban areas.

The funds are allocated in non-urbanized areas on a project-by-project basis. Applicants' activities may involve coordinated human service transportation, but each must have a "public transportation" element, Harvey said.

The federal share may not exceed 80 percent of the net cost on operating expenses and not more than 50 percent of net capital costs or deficit.

Harvey said the S.D.H.P.T. Amarillo District includes the following 17 counties: Armstrong, Carson, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Gray, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Potter, Randall, Roberts and Sherman.

Statewide, federal Section 18 funds total \$1.2 million for fiscal 1979 and \$3.7 million for fiscal 1980.

Interested applicants may contact William Harvey by writing the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, P.O. Box 2708, Amarillo, Texas 79105.

## Hearings Set On Windfall Profits Tax

Dallas--"Senator Bentsen's idea to exempt royalty owners from the so-called Windfall Profits Tax is right on target," said the president of the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association (TIPRO), L. Frank Pitts. Pitts commended the Senator for scheduling a Senate Finance Committee field hearing to examine the impact of the new excise tax on small royalty owners. Bentsen announced earlier the hearing will be held on July 17, 1980, at the 18,000-seat University of Texas Special Events Center in Austin.

In a letter to the Senator, Pitts stated, "On behalf of the 4,300 members of TIPRO I commend you for your efforts to bring the ear of Washington to Texas to examine the impact of this ludicrous tax that is tragically affecting so many Texans. These hearings will provide hundreds of affected royalty owners who could not travel to Washington, such as retired couples and small farmers and ranchers, the opportunity to express to the committee the hardships placed on them by the tax," stated Pitts.

The hearings will be convened as the Senate Finance Subcommittee on Taxation and Debt Management, with Bentsen presiding. They will focus on the Bentsen legislative proposal to exempt royalty owners from the Crude Oil Windfall Profits Tax Act of 1980. Other senators who may join Bentsen in the hearings include Senator David Boren (D-Okla.), Senator Robert Dole (R-Kans.) and Senator Russell Long (D-La.)

"We appreciate your concern for the hundreds of thousands of Texas royalty owners whose income has been drastically

reduced by what in reality is an excise tax on Texas mineral rights," Pitts stated, "and we hope that royalty owners from every part of Texas will travel to Austin to listen and participate firsthand in these hearings."

## Best Of Press

*So They Say*  
They say that love is blind. That explains all the groping in the dark.  
-Exhaust, Tulsa.

*Needs a Coat*  
When a gal sneezes it's a sign she's catching cold. When she yawns it's a sign she's gotten cold.  
-Mainsheet, Baltimore.

*They Ought*  
Some of those who press their divorce suits ought to take them first to the cleaner.  
-Virginia-Pilot, Norfolk.

## Dial 659-????

Spearman residents who have been accustomed to dialing only the last four numbers of local phone numbers will have to add the prefix 659 in order for calls to go through.

According to General Telephone Service, changes in equipment to meet current and future telephone services needs make it necessary for all Spearman telephone customers to dial ALL SEVEN DIGITS.

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4 bedroom, 1 1/2 story stucco home, nice condition, near grade school; storm shelter basement; large corner lot, ideal for large family, low budget. Shown by appointment exclusively.  
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**Old Hansford Gun Club News**

Friday, June 20, club members met and voted on the name of the club. The president, Joe Robinson, called the meeting to order and Coletta Walker, secretary, gave an account of the expenses incurred to date. The club insurance was discussed, voted upon, and accepted. The first sign-up was started and thirty members were signed up. The dues for one year were set at \$15.00 for each individual over 17 years and \$20.00 for husband and wife to join together.

Young men and women under 17 will be admitted free to club membership if their parents are members.

Members decided to encourage membership in National Rifle Association, and an extra fee will be charged every non-NRA member during a sanctioned NRA match.

There was a discussion held concerning the next range to be set up and the vote was in the majority for a small bore (.22) rifle silhouette range. It was also decided to set up the small bore (.22) short range pistol course. The range is the same for the hunter's pistol and small bore pistol silhouette match. The only difference is the thickness of the animals. A new range would be necessary for the .22 small bore rifle silhouette range. The total distance is the same (100 meters) but the ranges in between are different for the .22 rifle silhouette course. Several men were selected to begin cutting out the new animals and preparing the stands.

Sunday, June 22 was a great day for a shooting match. The Willie Seitz Caliche Pit is a good place for a range because the wind appears to be deflected somewhat. There were approximately 30 shooters and several other gun clubs were represented as the results showed. Most of the new club members were shooting the range for the first time and the scores reflected the newcomers to the sport of pistol silhouette shooting.

The winners in the upper classes were all from out of town. The shooting is scored as follows: B Class-0-7 hits, A class-8-15, AA Class-16-21, and AAA Class 22-40.

Terry Tillery from Stratford took match trophy with 28 knocked down silhouettes. Terry is in AAA class and came to help get the match off to a good start. There were no AA class shooters and Bartlett from Perryton won first in A class with 19 hits. B class trophy went to a Perryton shooter and top lady trophy went to Janis Tillery (Terry's wife) with a score of 10.

The unclassified group of shooters contained most of Spearman-Gruver new club members. Royce Mathews took first with a score of 13 while Danny Carthel took second with a score of 12. The third place trophy was contested between two shooters for a short period of time until a third came along and upset the whole shooting match. This shooter started late and...well, ask a club member about the details.

The results were that Sue Sterling out-shot over half of the men and walked off with the third place trophy.

The match was enjoyed by all, and the third Sunday of every month at 2 p.m. is the designated time. Challenge is there, the interest is new and the time to learn is now with the rest of the beginners.

Ken McClellan is the vice-president of the club and can get you signed up as a new club member. In Gruver, Joe Robinson or Raymond or Coletta Walker will fill you in on the details of joining the club.

**FHA, CCC Lower Interest Rates**

WASHINGTON, June 12--Interest rates on housing and farm loans made by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Farmers Home Administration and crop loans made by the Commodity Credit Corporation have been reduced in response to the nation's rural credit needs, Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland said today.

Changes in rates on CCC loans become effective immediately, changes in housing loans will be effective at the close of business June 13 and new rates for farm loans will be effective at the close of business June 16.

The interest rate on all 1980 crop commodity loans made by CCC is lowered from 13 to 11 1/2 percent. However, the interest rate on CCC farm storage facility and drying equipment loans will remain at the 13 percent rate.

Interest rates for Farmers Home Administration economic emergency loans to farmers were lowered to 11 percent for real estate and to 11.5 percent for production loans. Both had been 14 percent.

Mortgage interest rates on low-to-moderate single-family homes were lowered to 11.5 percent and rural rental housing interest rates went to 10.75 percent. Both had been 13 percent.

Regular Farmers Home Administration farm real estate loans will carry a new interest rate of 11 percent while regular farm operating loans will be at 10.5 percent.

Interest rates for actual loss disaster emergency loans will remain at 5 percent as prescribed by law.

Interest rates for the Farmers Home Administration program for "limited resource" farmers will remain at 5 percent for real estate loans and 7 percent for operating loans.

Interest rates for loans guaranteed by Farmers Home Administration will continue to be negotiated between borrower and lender. These include loans for business and industrial development, for housing for persons with above-moderate incomes and for some farm loans.

**4-H recordbook workshop planned**

All Hansford County 4-H youth wishing to turn in recordbooks for judging are encouraged to attend the recordbook workshop Thursday, July 10 at 9:30 a.m. in the County Extension office.

Recordbooks must be completed and turned in by 5:00 p.m. July 16 to the County Extension office to be eligible for County judging.

Call Peggy Winegarner at 659-2030 or 733-2901 for more information.

**Red Cross Bloodmobile In Gruver July 15th**

The Red Cross Blood-Mobile will be in Gruver July 15th at the Baptist Church Activity Building from 9:00 A.M.-2:30 P.M. The Hansford County Red Cross Blood-mobile chairman is Mrs. Preston Smith of Spearman. The Gruver chairman is Mrs. Ruby Lea Mitchell.

It takes approximately 45 minutes to 1 hour to give blood, so you may call for an appointment. Spearman residents may call Mrs. Harry Stumpf at 659-2109 and those in the Gruver community can call Rosalie Cator at 733-2317 or Fran Maupin at 733-2564. There will be a booth at the 4th of July celebration in the City Park where you can make an appointment.

**Sunray Cheerleading Clinic Set**

SUNRAY, TX. -- A one-day cheerleading clinic is scheduled for Tuesday, July 8, at the Sunray Community Center. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. and classes start at 10:00 a.m.

Participants in classes K through 4 will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m. The older groups will complete their work at 4:00 p.m.

Each girl is asked to bring a sack lunch. Punch and cookies will be provided by the Twentieth Century Study Club.

Let the people think they govern and they will be governed.

-William Penn.

**YMCA News**

**WATER EXERCISE CLASSES TO BEGIN JULY 14**

Beginning Tuesday, July 14 Cindy Schneider and Gina Davis will be working with ladies on water exercises between 9:15 and 10:00 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays for four weeks. Water exercise is a fun and enjoyable way to condition, using the effects of water resistance as a toning element. The cost of eight lessons is \$10 per person. Call the YMCA to enroll.

**ANOTHER SEASON OF BASEBALL, TEE BALL, SOFTBALL ENDING**

Tonight (Thursday) will mark the end of another season for the ball season for most of the boys and girls ages 6-12 who participated from Spearman and Gruver in the Hansford County League. The girls ended their program Monday, June 30.

The next stage will be picking an all-star team from the boys ages 9 - 12 who will compete in the K.I.D.S. Invitational Tournament in Guymon on July 17-18-19.

So many coaches, parents and volunteers helped with the program, plus many businesses who sponsored the teams that it was a most successful year. Credits should be given for a job well done.

In Spearman the coaches and sponsors included: Boys tee ball coaches were Kevin Bynum for the Dodgers and Spearman Auto Supply as sponsor; the tee ball Astros were coached by Keith Martin and George Rex. Girls tee ball Cards were coached by Linda Beeson and Judy Tindell, sponsor was An-

thony Electric. The Blue Sox tee ball girls team was coached by Gail Thomas and Cindy Schneider and sponsored by The Bunkhouse. Girls softball teams were the Tigers and Panthers. The Tigers were coached by Donna Yarbrough and Sharon Pearson, sponsor WY-Tex. The Panthers were coached by Sharon Swan and Kathy Beck, sponsor was Anthony Electric. The boys Major Leagues were the Dairy Queen Dudes coached by Jim Ivey & Kevin Russell. The Astros were coached by Bo DeArmond and Chief of Police Robinson and sponsored by Hickerson Jewelry. Many thanks to you all.

Another unsung heroine is Janice Mayfield and mothers of team members who, during the weeks of ball programming kept the concession open. A special thank you to you all. A job so well done.

**Swim Lessons begin Monday, July 7**

The second session of swimming lessons will begin July 7. Registration for lessons will be on Saturday, July 5, between 11:00 and 12 noon just outside the swimming pool entrance in the park. Lessons will be Monday thru Friday, July 7 - 18. Youth 4 & up may enroll in the lessons. Cost for the 10 lessons will be \$8.00 per child.

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Second, foods, especially frozen ones, will cook unevenly in metal pans deeper than three-fourths of an inch.

Another important reason is that a metal container or a dish with metallic trim may cause arcing, a lightning-like effect causing sparks that can damage the pan or pit the walls of the oven.

Arcing is less likely with substantial amounts of food -- at least two cups in the pan -- because moisture-carrying foods primarily attract the microwaves.

Use metal skewers as long as only the ends are exposed. Remember that arcing will occur if metal touches the oven at any point.

If metal twist ties are used on cooking bags or frozen loaves of bread, sparks from arcing may ignite the covering of the ties and melt the plastic bag.

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**Arts & Crafts  
Guild Meets**

The Arts & Crafts Guild met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Gibner with co-hostess Marina Gauder, on Friday, June 27. Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Guy Fuller, Pope Gibner, P. A. Lyon, Sr., Bill Russell, Joe Trayler, Ned Turner and Bruce Sheets. The next meeting will be Friday, July 11 in the home of Mrs. Bruce Sheets. The Guild will not meet Friday, July 4th.

**Open Tennis  
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Alpha Mu Psi is sponsoring an open tennis tournament July 11th, 12th & 13th. The men's doubles & women's doubles tournament will have A, B & C divisions. Participants must be high school age or older, & the entry deadline is July 9th. Call 733-2860 or 733-2219 to enter.

**Most Merchants  
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**Wedding Announced**

Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Reed of Spearman, Texas wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Kimberly Ann, to David Wayne Lewis, son of Mr. and Lowell Randall of Dumas, Texas. The ceremony was held in the chapel of the First United Methodist Church of Spearman on Friday, June 27, 1980 at 3:00 P.M. The Reverend Tom Fuller officiated.

**Presbyterian Church News**

We salute you United States of America on your 204th birthday on Friday!  
You will enjoy being in a good Bible study every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church.  
The Rev. Carter McKemy will be preaching at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday, July 6, at 11:00 a.m.  
Presbyterian Women will meet on Wednesday, July 9 at 9:30 a.m. at the church. Patty Spoonemore is the hostess and will lead devotions. Helen Etter will lead the Bible study lesson.  
There is always a warm, Christian welcome awaiting you at the First Presbyterian Church.

**New Arrivals**

Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Steger announce the birth of a son, Nathan Douglas, at 11:21 a.m. on June 19 in Hansford Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 2 1/2 ounces.  
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Trindle of Spearman and Dr. and Mrs. N. C. Steger of Borger.  
Great Grandparents are Josie Trindle of Kingfisher, Okla., Mrs. Bertha Coppin, Mr. & Mrs. E. M. Steger of San Angelo and Mrs. R. V. Fluit of Booker, Texas.

**4-H Fashion  
Seminar Set**

Wardrobe Planning will be the main program topic for the Tri-County 4-H Fashion Seminar Wednesday, July 2 in Spearman.  
The seminar will be held from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. 4-H youth enrolled in clothing projects in Hansford, Sherman and Hutchinson counties will participate.  
Becky Saunders, Area Clothing Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will teach a new concept in wardrobe planning with emphasis on fall fashion.  
Participants will receive professional tips on poise and modeling from Mrs. Marti Garnett of Spearman.  
The seminar is free and open to all youth, parents, tenders and friends regardless of race, color, national origin, sex or religion.

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**Peggy's Pointers**

Peggy Winegarner  
Co. Extension Agent (H.E.)

Drink plenty of liquids to stay cool during hot summer months.

Drinking plenty of liquids is important because when you perspire, water, vitamins and some minerals such as salt are lost from the body. This causes you to feel tired and lack a hearty appetite.

So, drink a glass of fresh, cool water several times a day.

Sweet beverages and frozen desserts may help to cool you down but may cause you to feel hotter later.

Try these tasty, refreshing drinks to stay cool this summer:

--Serve a glass of broth mixed with tomato juice, a dash of hot sauce and a celery stirrer over ice. This tomato drink is high in sodium but low in calories.

--Tea-based punches flavored with fruit juices and left over syrups from canned fruits make tasty coolers to keep on hand for long, hot summer days.

Experiment with a variety of fruit juices.

--Buttermilk in equal parts with fruit juice makes a pleasant cooler or shake. The buttermilk contains sodium along with the extra fluid. Try pineapple or orange juice to enhance the flavor. Add sugar if the cooler is not sweet enough.

--Mix freshly squeezed lemon or orange juice with water or lemon-lime carbonated beverages for a summertime treat. Use artificial sweeteners or low calorie carbonated beverages to restrict calories.

--Another choice might be the commercially available sports drink which has diluted solutions of glucose, sodium chlor-

ide (salt) and other salts, citric acid and artificial sweetener.

A homemade salt solution made of one teaspoon salt to six quarts of water would have about the same effect as the sports drink in preventing heat exhaustion and heat stroke during vigorous exercise and profuse sweating.

Although the aroma of charcoal-cooked meat is mouth-watering, the meat itself can become dry and tough if not cooked properly.

Follow these suggestions for cooking meat on the grill:

--Select cuts of beef or pork that are well-marbled or baste less tender cuts with butter or your favorite marinade.

--Use tongs to turn the meat. Avoid the use of forks which pierce the meat and allow juice to escape.

Cook slowly on an even bed of coals. Slow cooking helps to retain moisture and prevent burning.

--Leave the skin on poultry. It acts as a natural "baste" and prevents drying.

--Turn fish only once. It cooks quickly and may fall apart if disturbed often.

--Heat link sausage and weiners just until heated thoroughly.

--If the meat is done, but you and your guests are not ready to eat, wrap the meat in foil and place on the warming shelf of the grill or move the coals to one side to prevent over-cooking.

To prevent peeled peaches for canning from turning brown, either drop them in hot syrup or in salt water. Use one teaspoon salt to one gallon of water.

**4-H fashion revue set**

The 1980 Hansford County 4-H Fashion Revue will be held Tuesday, July 8, in the First Baptist Church, Spearman.  
4-H youth from Spearman, Gruver and Morse will display their skills in clothing construction, modeling and fashion coordination.  
Judging will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.  
A fashion show for all par-

ents, leaders and friends will be held at 2:00 p.m. in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church, with awards and refreshments following.

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FOOD STORES

# Farmers, Ranchers Suffering From Old Ailment

COLLEGE STATION-- Farmers and ranchers are suffering from an old and persistent ailment--the cost-price squeeze.

Net agricultural income in Texas is expected to decline to about \$1 billion this year despite higher cash receipts, points out Dr. Carl Anderson, economist in marketing with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. That would put it at the 1978 level.

Cotton growers, cow-calf operators, sheepmen and dairy farmers will likely fair somewhat better than wheat, milo, corn and soybean farmers, swine producers and poultrymen, speculates the economist.

Anderson foresees production costs this year jumping up around 12 percent, with fuel, fertilizer and interest expenses leaping much higher. Although this rise trail last year's big jump, cash receipts may increase only 4 to 6 percent. With the cost of pumping water skyrocketing, Texas farmers will be especially hard hit since production from irrigated farms represents about 60 percent of the state's total crop sales.

While money is generally available for farmers to borrow, the greatest concern is the cost of that money and the income that it might generate, says Anderson. With the current cost-price squeeze, farmers and ranchers will be hard-pressed to repay high-cost loans.

All this is putting a growing number of agricultural operators in financial stress, particularly young farmers and those depending heavily on credit capital to run their farming business.

It's also changing the financial potential of operators using a lot of credit compared with more conservative farmers that depend less on credit and more on debt-free capital. When the rate of inflation exceeds the cost of money, it generally pays to borrow money to expand your operation.

Inflation boosts the net worth of assets which helps support weak cash flow statements. But interest rates higher than inflation shifts the financial situation in favor of the operator with a large proportion of equity in his business and little debt.

The cost-price squeeze places a premium on financial manage-

ment skills of farmers, contends the economist. Some operators will reduce their dependence upon credit capital to minimize financial risk by reducing replacement livestock and machinery purchases. Farm expansion will also slow down and marginal cropland may revert to grassland for grazing livestock.

High cost of money tends to cut down on cash leasing agreements and increases crop-share renting arrangements, adds Anderson. However, prolonged inflation strongly favors landowners relative to tenant operators. Farming systems using the least amount of inputs for maximum returns and minimum tillage practices gain more rapid acceptance.

Pressures from the cost-price squeeze also encourage forward pricing. More producers decide to contract for an agreed price upon delivery. Hedging in the futures market is an alternative for some individuals who understand this forward pricing strategy. It is easier to finance an operation when assured a reasonable price for at least a part of the expected crop or livestock production. High money costs also encourage farmers to sell at

harvest time to avoid storage and interest costs.

A possible "plus" from tight and expensive credit is that producers take a stronger interest in marketing, notes the economist. Year-round marketing strategies become essential, and there is an increased tendency to shift some of the financing burden to the marketing agency. Emphasis is on a total production-marketing system that is cost-effective.

With the overall supply-demand relationship for farm commodities affecting farm prices regardless of production costs, producers will need to look at different enterprises in the years ahead, suggests Anderson. With reasonable efficiency, diversification of enterprises may substantially reduce the possibility of financial disaster resulting from long periods of low prices and income for a given enterprise. The old saying, "Don't put all your eggs in one basket," is still worthy of consideration.

Soviet says Olympic boycotters can still attend.

## July Fare

### Can It Be?

Not too many years ago a good ice cream cone cost five cents. How long ago? Well, until and slightly after World War II. Until a decade ago, cones at 15 cents were widely available.

Today at one famous national ice cream shop, cones begin at 65 cents, for the small, and the double-dipper (the old ten cents cone) cost more than a dollar! The question is--can any cone, even with two dips, be worth more than a dollar?

### 74 Percent

A recent poll by the Opinion Research Corporation of Princeton, N.J., found that 74 percent of all Americans believe one should be permitted to hold a job whether or not he or she belongs to a union.

On the basis of that finding, a vice president of the National Right To Work Committee appeared recently before the Democrat Party platform committee and appealed to members to write a platform in line with the majority American viewpoint.

Of course, there was little chance Democrats would do so, such is the influence of organized labor, traditionally, in the biggest major party. But the poll, and the mere appearance of a champion of this viewpoint before the committee is historically significant.

Eventually, over a period of years, it may be that no American will be forced to join any organization or lose his or her job--which is not the way it should be, but is, today, in most states.

most parts of the country by the end of the month. The first blackberries ripen in the more southerly states. Plums, pears, cherries all appear. Watermelons and corn on the cob come in.

Any month with all these edible debuts can't be all bad. Look for the

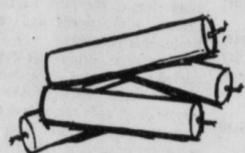
best from mother nature this month, and enjoy 1980's harvest--especially local produce not produced with too much soda and chemical help.

The people are the part of the state which does not know what it wants.

-G.W.F. Hegel.



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# Wheat harvest winding down

The wheat harvest in Hansford County is just about over. Custom cutting crews have already moved on.

Official yield figures cannot be ascertained until all the grain is in. Unofficial estimates say dry land yields are just about what growers anticipated just before cutting began. These same unofficial tallies say irrigated crop yields are somewhat down and this is credited to the unseasonable hot weather just before and during harvest.

Growers on irrigated land that thought they had 60 and 70 bushel yields going for them report 40 to 50 bushel gathering.

Again, an overall yield for the season cannot be forthcoming until all grain is in. An official at one elevator estimated that, at noon, Tuesday, the harvest in Hansford County was two-

thirds complete.

Cutting crews in the fields now are growers or local crews gathering the last of the grain.

Overall, growers have been thankful that yields appear to be as bountiful as they do considering the weather of the past few weeks preceding harvest. The weather posed one detriment to cutting not believed to ever have been a part of the history of harvesting wheat. The heavy winds of storms gathered debris then dropped it into fields as their force subsided.

As reported in another REPORTER story, "clean-up" men were used to move through the wheat fields ahead of machines and remove any storm-tossed debris that might be dangerous to mechanicals.

As soon as an official record of the harvest is made, it will be reported here.

provide sufficient revenue for the current year's debt service and provide operating revenues equal to those of the prior year.

Graeber pointed out that some confusion exists due to the calculation and wording of the "Notice of Tax Increase." For this reason, many jurisdictions have chosen to run explanatory advertisements adjacent to the notice required by law.

"It is important that taxpayers be aware that the percentage of increase shown in the notice relates to be jurisdiction as a whole. A specific individual's taxes may increase at a greater rate, may remain the same, or may decrease," Graeber noted.

"The tax bill on an individual piece of property will depend upon the value of the property less any exemptions, multiplied by the jurisdiction's assessment ratio and tax rate," the SPTB official added.

In jurisdictions throughout Texas, compliance with truth in taxation will follow this sequence:

--After the board of equalization certifies the jurisdiction's total assessed valuation, the tax assessor will calculate the maximum tax rate and publicize it by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the jurisdiction.

--If the governing body chooses to adopt a tax rate which does not exceed the calculated rate, it may do so at any meeting. Other items of business may be

on the agenda but the tax rate should be adopted as a separate item from the jurisdiction's budget.

--If the governing body determines that a rate which exceeds the three percent limit be adopted, the members must give notice of a public hearing on the intent to adopt a higher rate. The jurisdiction must publish a notice no smaller than one-quarter page of a standard-size or tabloid newspaper, and must set the date of the public hearing at least seven days from the date the notice is published.

The date, time and location of the public hearing must be stated in the notice. The date must be on a weekday and not a public holiday. The hearing must begin after 5 p.m. and before 9 p.m. The location must be in the public building in the jurisdiction's boundaries.

Names of all members of the governing body, showing how each voted on the proposal to raise the tax rate and indicating those absent, must appear in the notice.

As an option, the jurisdiction may mail the notice by first-class mail to each registered voter. If published in a newspaper, it cannot be in the section with legal notices and classified ads.

--At the public hearing, the discussion of the tax rate should be the only item on the agenda. Taxpayers should be given ample opportunity to express their opinions and discuss the

issue with members of the governing body.

At the conclusion of the hearing, another record vote must be taken for the purpose of a second public notice. In addition, the officials must orally give the date, time and place of the meeting to adopt the tax rate. The second notice will be identical in form to the first except it will include a statement that "a public meeting to vote on the proposed increase will be held on \_\_\_\_\_"

The second notice must specify a date which is not sooner than the 3rd day after the public hearing and not later than the 14th day. If the meeting to adopt the higher tax rate is not held within 14 days after the public hearing, then a new public hearing must be held and notice properly given.

--At the final meeting, at which the vote to actually adopt the tax rate is taken, other items of business may be on the agenda. Again, however, the vote on the tax rate must be separate from the vote on the jurisdiction's budget.

Why should there not be patient confidence in the ultimate justice of the people? Is there any better or equal hope in the world?

-Abraham Lincoln.



## Notice Of Tax Increase Required By Law

AUSTIN--During the next two months a number of local governments throughout Texas will be publishing newspaper advertisements titled "Notice of Tax Increase."

The notices, which include the percentage of proposed tax increase, are required under the state's "Truth in Taxation" statute. They are intended to insure that taxpayers have notice that a jurisdiction's tax revenue is likely to increase,

and that they have a right to appear at a public hearing to speak either for or against the increase.

According to Kenneth E. Graeber, executive director of the State Property Tax Board, the notice is required whenever a jurisdiction proposes to adopt a tax rate which is three percent or more above a maximum tax rate calculated by the jurisdiction's assessor. This maximum tax rate is a rate which would



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**Rotary Club News**

Eschol Blankenship, president elect of the Spearman Rotary Club gave the program at the June 30 meeting. Eschol, together with Robert Elliott and John R. Collard, attended a District Assembly for officers of local clubs, in an annual training event and updating of Rotary progress. The assembly was held at Waylon Baptist College in Plainview on June 21, 1980.

The report included updating the club on various Rotary International projects, among them:

**COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP** provided to sophomore and junior college students who attend universities of their choice on other countries than their own and become ambassadors of good will for the home country. The panhandle district of which we are a part does very poorly in submitting college students into this program. Attention for 1980-81 should be increased.

**PAUL HARRIS FELLOWSHIP** is an in-house fellowship of those contributing \$1,000 or more to Rotary Foundation. In this district, Big Springs is the leaders, as one widow of a Rotarian donated \$50,000 to the Paul Harris Foundation, giving credit to that club. Spearman is doing really well in Paul Harris Fellows, way above the district average.

**CAMP RYLA** which is a unique Rotary Youth Leadership Assembly, held each year for high school students, for the youth of this district. It has top leadership from Texas and surrounding areas, who help teach the young men the precepts of the free enterprise system. It is such an excellent program other Rotary Districts are taking a look, with the idea of duplicating it in their home districts.

**JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT** is going strong, through the leadership of Rotarians in Midland. It was suggested that this fine program would be an excellent one for the Clubs in the district to organize in their communities.

**DIABETIC CAMP** in the district has really done an excellent job. This year, for the first time, local clubs were asked to help subsidize the camping program through a per member of club donation. Also, for those who could afford it, families were asked to pay \$50 per child to attend. However, no one was turned away for lack of funds.

**YOUTH EXCHANGE** is a program of high school youth attending school in another country or a club hosting a youth from another country. This district has not really gotten benefits from this program as few are exchanged. Youth stay for a span of a few weeks, to a school year to a full calendar year.

**GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE** is a little-known program of Rotary International. It is one in which businessmen and professional exchange in business and industry. It is not well-known in the Panhandle area, but is used more in the giant industrial areas of the United States and other major industrial centers throughout the world.

**CLUB PROJECTS AND MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT** were shared times by those attending. Many of the projects used by clubs to raise funds for their sponsoring adult and youth activities throughout the communities were discussed. Some included art exhibits, farm and general auctions, etc. Membership development is a key problem in the district, according to Blankenship. So often, young men on the way up in a business join the Rotary Club and in a few months to a year are transferred to another location. Consequently, the membership of Rotary in the Panhandle area is about the same from year-to-year.

Blankenship has as his number one priority in 1980-81 year to increase the membership of the local Rotary Club.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** A Rotary Board meeting will be held tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m., in John R. Collard's office. Committee chairmen are to have the outlines of programs and activities of his committee ready at the meeting.

**ELVIS PRESLEY HONORED** MEMPHIS, TENN. -- Almost three years after Elvis Presley's death, the city plans to build a park and erect a 9-foot, bronze statue of the singer. City officials hope the 8,000-square-foot park will be ready on the third anniversary of his death.

**Swim Team News**

The Spearman Swim team traveled to Ulysses, Kansas this past Saturday for a meet with teams from Ulysses, Guymon and Perryton. As in the past weeks there was improvement by all the members of the team. As we can see from the results this group is very competitive for the number on the team.

Marietta Davis, Girls 15-18 500 Free - 3rd; Girls 9-10 Free Relay - 2nd; Chris Strawn, Boys 8 & Under 33 Free - 6th; Marri Schaffer, Girls 9-10 66 Free - 3rd; Jane Wirsdorfer, Girls 9-10 66 Free - 4th; Adrienne Speck, Girls 9-10 66 Free - 6th; Denise Rojas, Girls 11-12 66 Free - 6th; Kim Elbert, Girls 13-14 66 Free - 3rd; Teresa Meisner, Girls 13-14 66 Free - 6th; Jeff Jackson, Boys 13-14 66 Free - 4th; Ken Bullard, Boys 13-14 66 Free-6th; Stacey Thomas, Girls 15-18 100 Free - 2nd; Curt Davis, boys 15-18 100 Free - 3rd; Haley Shieldknight, Girls 8 & Under Backstroke - 4th; Adrienne Speck, Girls 9-10 Backstroke - 5th; Denis Rojas, Girls 11-12 Backstroke - 5th; Jeff Jackson, Boys 13-14 Backstroke - 3rd; Ken Bullard, Boys 13-14 Backstroke - 4th; Curt Davis, Boys 15-18 Backstroke - 4th; Teresa Meisner, Girls 13-14 Butterfly - 5th; Haley Shieldknight, Girls 8 & Under Breaststroke - 4th; Jane Wirsdorfer, Girls 9-10 Breaststroke - 4th; Stacey Thomas, Girls 15-18 Breaststroke - 3rd; Marietta Davis, Girls 15-18 Breaststroke - 5th; Jane Wirsdorfer, Girls 9-10 100 Free - 2nd tie; Carly Shieldknight, Girls 9-10 100 Free - 2nd tie; Marri Schaffer, Girls 9-10 100 Free - 3rd tie; Adrienne Speck, Girls 9-10 100 Free - 3rd tie; Teresa Meisner, Girls 13-14 200 Free - 2nd; Kim Elbert, Girls 13-14 200 Free - 3rd; Jeff Jackson, Boys 13-14 200 Free - 3rd; Stacey Thomas, Girls 15-18 200 Free - 3rd; Curt Davis, Boys 15-18 200 Free - 2nd.

The team has no meet this week. The next meet will be at Guymon on Saturday, July 12th.

**"Con Job Of The Century"**

Congressional candidate, Ron Slover, while taking his campaign to the Borger and Pampa area, took another slam at the Carter Administration's "Windfall Profits Tax" bill. Slover, an outspoken critic of the \$227.8 billion dollar tax bill, said current events indicate the people in the oil and gas producing states are considerably more intelligent than the Washington bureaucrats give them credit for.

He cited two examples which he says helps show that the so-called "Windfall Profits Tax" bill, can in fact, be repealed. Slover said "The action taken by the U.S. Senate Finance Committee, to offer some resource to small royalty owners, is the first official step in combatting the largest single tax bill ever created in United States history." The other action is that taken by Texas Governor Bill Clements, to file suit on behalf of the citizens of Texas. According to Slover, Clements stated that the suit will definitely be filed, and he knows a minimum of 100,000 Texas taxpayers would agree to be a party to the suit.

Slover said every Texas citizen will be financially affected during at least the next ten years, if we allow the oil and gas tax base to be eroded, and lost forever for local and state tax uses, then went on to say that creating huge federal taxes, is not an incentive for people to find additional oil and gas.

Slover was told by Governor Clements that the so-called "Windfall Profits Tax" bill, as it exists today, will take six and one-half billion dollars per year from the people of Texas, for the next ten years. Slover referred to the "Windfall Profits Tax" bill as the worst piece of legislation to ever come out of Congress, and stated it was undoubtedly "The con job of the century."

Reporter: "What shall I say about the two peroxide blondes who had the fight at the baseball game last night?"

Editor: "Why just say that the bleachers went wild."

**The Test**  
Man (getting a shave) Barber, will you please give me a glass of water?  
Barber--What is the matter, a little hair in your throat?  
Man--No I want to see if my neck leaks.

**Veteran's News**

Arlington National Cemetery, restricted for burials for the past several years because of lack of space, is now available to honorably discharged veterans whose remains have been cremated.

The more liberal use of the nation's most prestigious national cemetery is possible because of the recent opening of the first section of what will eventually be a 50,000-niche columbarium.

Located in the southeast section of the cemetery, the columbarium has a 5,000-niche section available now for the urns of veterans and certain members of their immediate families.

Veterans discharged under less than honorable conditions are not eligible for burial in the columbarium, according to U.S. Army officials who operate the cemetery.

Use of the columbarium is free and the usual VA burial expense allowances are available for veterans electing this method of burial.

Full information concerning the use of the columbarium is available by telephone at (202) 695-3250, or by writing the Director, Casualty and Memorial Affairs, TAGO, Independence Ave., S. W., Washington, D.C. 20314.

The Veterans Administration will pay for transportation of the remains of veterans who die in a VA hospital from the place of death to final destination. Also available through VA is a burial allowance. The person making arrangement for burial should apply for VA burial allowance through the nearest VA regional office.



Bus service is a critical lifeline to rural America. The industry provides a vital and essential express and freight service to those communities and to tens of thousands of farms throughout the country.

**Operation Motorcade begins July 3rd**

The Texas Department of Public Safety will conduct "Operation Motorcade" for the 1980, 4th of July. It will begin 6:00 PM, July 3rd and end midnight July 6th, 1980.

The most tragic part of a National Holiday, such as the 4th of July, is the wasteful loss of human life upon our highways. The Department of Public Safety predicts 47 persons will die in fatal traffic accidents during this period in Texas.

The two most dangerous things the driver can do is speed and drink. Each driver should be aware of both the condition of the road and vehicle, as well as his personal condition before he gets behind the wheel. Drive as if your life depends on it - because it does!

The Texas Department of Public Safety urges each and every driver to do his part this

holiday period by "Driving Friendly" and practicing defensive driving to stay alive.

**Social Security News**

The U. S. Department of Health and Human Services is seeking comments from any interested group or individual on the 1980-81 Home Energy Assistance Program before adopting final regulations. According to Howard L. Weatherly, manager of the Pampa Social Security office, the Energy Assistance Program provides block grants to states to help low income households meet the rising cost of heating their homes. Written comments received by June 30, 1980 will be considered, Weatherly said. Comments should be sent to the Commissioner of Social

Security, Department of Health and Human Services, P.O. Box 1585, Baltimore, Maryland 21203.

The Office of Family Assistance of the Social Security Administration administers the Low Income Energy Assistance Program, although grant monies come from general federal revenues, not from social security taxes.

The regulations reflect significant policy changes from last year's low income energy assistance program:

- States will be required to screen out households not affected by rising heating costs to avoid payment to persons who do not need energy assistance.
- Households that receive direct energy assistance payments cannot be required to turn them over to other persons.
- Funds not used by a state will be reallocated to other states that need additional funds.

The new regulations require states to give priority to households with lowest income and households with elderly or

handicapped members. If they wish, states may elect to have the social security administration make direct payments to supplemental security income households. However, payments will not be made to SSI recipients who live in Medicaid institutions, to children living with their parents, or to those living in someone else's household when they do not pay their full share of household expenses.

States will be able to tailor programs to distribute energy assistance funds to meet the needs of their residents. Within the regulations' guidelines, states will establish their own eligibility requirements, payment levels and payment methods. States must seek public participation in designing their programs.

Harold Brown, Defense Secretary:

"The more we and our allies must spend on oil, the less we can afford to spend on defense."

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**FOIL** 37 1/2 SQ. FT. **75¢**

**MILNOT CANNED MILK** 13 OZ. **39¢**

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**FRENCH'S MUSTARD** 24 OZ. JAR **69¢**

**MORTON ICE CREAM SALT** 4 LB. BOX **39¢**

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**SANTA ROSA PLUMS** LB. **49¢**

**SUN GRANDE NECTARINES** LB. **49¢**

**YELLOW OR ZUCCHINI SQUASH** LB. **39¢**

**LONG GREEN SLICERS CUCUMBERS** 2 FOR **39¢**

**YELLOW NO. 1 MILD ONIONS** LB. **19¢**

**ECA Course Completed**

On Tuesday night, June 17, three gentlemen from the Texas Department of Health traveled to Spearman from Canyon to give the final exam for the ECA course held in Spearman. The test was in two forms. EMT Renewal and ECA Exam. Along with the written exam, students were required to test at three skill stations. Skills tested were: CPR, infant, adult, and obstructed airway; traction splinting; use of a Hare traction splint; mechanical aids to breathing, use and operation of oxygen, oral airways and bag mask valves.

Those completing the course from Spearman were Steve Slater, EMT renewal; Ronnie Bullard, E.M.T. Renewal; Vicky Bullard, EMT renewal; Ron Antalek, EMT renewal; Mike Davis, EMT renewal; Wardell Volden, EMT renewal; Nina Hendricks, EMT renewal; Juanita Pierce, EMT renewal; Cathy Cook, ECA; Robert Cochran, ECA; Four completed from Booker: Bill Conley, EMT renewal; bob Hood, EMT re-

newal; Larry Messner, ECA renewal and D.J. Richardson, EMT renewal.

Results were received from the state late last week, and all passed the written exams.

The H & S Emergency Medical Service would like to thank Dennis Brassfield of Sunray for coming to Spearman and instructing this course.

**BULLETIN:** Bonnie Vernon Gibbs, announces the arrival of a new girl, **AMANDA JO GIBBS**, born at Womens Hospital in Houston, Tuesday afternoon, July 1, at 1 p.m.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vernon. Great Grandparents are Allen and Eva Pierce.

The new girl weighed 7 lbs. 5 oz. and was 19 inches long.

**Good Question**  
Why is it that a person who snores never has insomnia?  
-Herald, Bristol, Va.

**Fertilizer Users Warned: Protect Your Eyes!**

The same agricultural chemicals that are essential in keeping Texas a leading producer of wheat and grains can also cause painful injury - even blindness - if they reach the eyes. To avoid this tragedy, the Texas Society to Prevent Blindness, on the eve of National Farm Safety week, July 25-31, urges farmers to always wear eye protection when using chemical fertilizers, particularly anhydrous ammonia.

"In the soil, anhydrous ammonia means abundant crops, but in the eye it means trouble," says Bobby Williams, TSPB Safety Chairman. "It is one of the most damaging substances that can affect the eye." Within seconds of contact, it begins destroying cells and tissues. That is why chemical type safety goggles with hooded vents and a rim that fits closely around the eye area are a must for anyone working with or near this potent fertilizer.

"Should the chemical get in the eyes, the emergency first

aid treatment is to flush them immediately and for at least 15 minutes with fresh water. Salves and ointments should never be put in the eyes; they tend to complicate first aid and later medical treatment."

Prevent Blindness urges everyone working with anhydrous ammonia to have a 5 gallon tank of fresh water attached to the applicator and nurse tank to flush the eyes immediately should contact occur.

The Society has also produced a film called "For The Rest Of Your Life" that demonstrates the dangers as well as safe handling procedures and eye and face protection recommended for those working with the anhydrous ammonia. It is available for loan without charge. Write Prevent Blindness, P.O. Box 13400, Houston, 77019.

The Texas Society to Prevent Blindness is an affiliate of the National Society to Prevent Blindness, the oldest voluntary health agency nationally engag-

**USDA Provides For Grain Re-Inspection**

If you have your grain inspected and certified by an official agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and are not satisfied with the results, you may request a re-inspection or appeal inspection no later than two business days after the original inspection certificate is issued.

That word comes from Jerry Cotter, director of the Dallas Regional Federal Grain Inspection Service, the USDA agency responsible for official inspection in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arkansas.

The Amarillo Grain Exchange, Inc. in Amarillo and the Plainview FGIS field office are

the only official inspection offices of the Federal Grain Inspection Service that can provide official inspection in the high plains area, said Cotter.

"You can request official inspection on grain shipped into port elevators from the FGIS field office at the port location."

A new fact sheet, "You Can Appeal Grain Inspection Results," is available to help producers and shippers find out how they can apply for an appeal.

Copies of the fact sheet are available from the Amarillo agency at 1300 South Johnson, 79101 or by writing to Southwest Regional Information Office, USDA, 1100 Commerce, Room 5C40, Dallas, Tex., 75242.

**Definition**  
Car sickness: The feeling you get when the monthly payments are due.  
-Rocket, Hawthorne, Nev.

**Definition**  
Cranberries: Grapes with high blood pressure.  
-News, McAlester, Okla.

**Spearman Open Tennis Tournament Set**

**SPEARMAN OPEN**  
**ENTRY BLANK**  
July 31 - Aug. 3

**LOCATION:** Spearman High School Tennis Courts

**DETAILS:** Play in the Junior Division will begin Thursday, July 31, at 9:00 a.m. and continue Friday if necessary. If we are unable to play on Thursday because of weather, we will begin on Friday, August 1, at 9:00 a.m. The Adult Division will begin Saturday, August 2, at 9:00, and continue through Sunday. Feel free to call and find out if you are one of the first matches, but do it no earlier than Wednesday. (Sheila Watley 806-659-3970)

**ENTRIES:** You may enter as many as three events, but only two age divisions. If you enter three events be prepared to play your matches back to back. If there are not enough entries in one age division you will be put in the next division. The tournament director will have the last decision in placing players in "A" or "B" divisions. Please send any seeding information that you might have.

**FEE:** Entry fee is \$4.50 per person per event.

**RULES:** No-ad scoring will be used to the Semi-finals. 9 point tie breaker will also be used at 6--6.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE ENTRY BLANK BELOW AND SEND WITH ENTRY FEE NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, JULY 29.

Sheila Watley  
727 Wilbanks  
Spearman, Texas 79081

ENTRY BLANK

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
BIRTH DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

**ADULT DIVISION**

- Singles**  
Men "A" \_\_\_\_\_  
Men "B" \_\_\_\_\_  
Women "A" \_\_\_\_\_  
Women "B" \_\_\_\_\_  
Men 35 & over \_\_\_\_\_  
Women 35 & over \_\_\_\_\_

**Doubles Partner**

- Men "A" \_\_\_\_\_  
Men "B" \_\_\_\_\_  
Women "A" \_\_\_\_\_  
Women "B" \_\_\_\_\_  
Men 35 \_\_\_\_\_  
Women 35 \_\_\_\_\_  
Mixed "A" \_\_\_\_\_  
Mixed "B" \_\_\_\_\_

**JUNIOR DIVISION**

- Singles**  
Boys 18 under \_\_\_\_\_  
Girls 18 under \_\_\_\_\_  
Boys 16 under \_\_\_\_\_  
Girls 16 under \_\_\_\_\_  
Boys 14 under \_\_\_\_\_  
Girls 14 under \_\_\_\_\_  
Boys 12 under \_\_\_\_\_  
Girls 12 under \_\_\_\_\_

**Doubles Partner**

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### Texas Health Care Costs Contained

Austin--"Texas health care costs were contained and the goal for 1979 was met!" So stated the Texas Voluntary Cost Containment Committee (TVCCC) during its meeting in Austin.

"The Texas Voluntary Effort (TVE) has again been successful in decreasing the rate of rise in the cost of health care in the state," stated the Committee. "In 1978, savings in Texas amounted to \$105.7 million. 1979 estimates indicate that similar savings have been generated. These savings, coupled

with those of past years, amount to nearly \$400 million and are currently being realized by citizens throughout our state."

With these impressive results, Texas continues to be a national leader in the Voluntary Effort. The Committee attributed such success to the unselfish and determined effort of numerous health care agencies and organizations in the state and the dedication of those they represent.

During its meeting, Committee members unanimously re-

committed themselves to voluntary restraint and to yet another highly ambitious goal during 1980. The TVCCC is determined to continue the effort to "holding the line" of health care cost increases despite the dramatic impact of the inflationary factors of today.

The TVCCC was formed in 1977 and is composed of representatives of major health, business, insurance, and state government groups in Texas to effectively deal with the problem of rising health care costs.

### Wisniewski Named Police Chief At Roswell

Steve Wisniewski, former chief of police here, has accepted the position of police chief with the City of Roswell, N.M. Wisniewski, who has been chief of police in Portales, N.M. for the past 19 months, will take over his duties in Roswell July 14.

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mous choice of the three-member City Council police committee. The Mayor L. C. Stiles said the new chief will have the power to hire, fire, promote and demote as he sees fit to make the department into a first-class operation.

There are 100 billion stars in our galaxy, but from the earth only about 6,000 can be seen by the naked eye.

### Thomas Receives Law Degree

LUBBOCK--Texas Tech University's School of Law conferred Doctor of Jurisprudence degrees upon 124 graduates at 1980 spring commencement exercises.

Among them was Larriet Elaine Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thomas of 425 Santa Fe Drive, Borger. Thomas graduated from Texas Tech in 1977 with a degree in business finance. She will practice with the Wagoners, Cobb, Burrows & Snuggs law

firm of Lubbock. Houston attorney Leon Jaworski was featured speaker at the ceremony.



The original tales of Mother Goose--before the nursery rhymes--were moral tales warning of the dangers of curiosity and trespassing.

### Don't Play With Fireworks, They Are Not Toys

As the Fourth of July draws near and doctors gear up to the grim yearly task of treating the thousands who will be injured by fireworks on Independence Day related festivities, the Texas Society to Prevent Blindness makes its annual appeal to all Texans: "Don't Play With Fireworks. They are Not Toys."

"The message is directed particularly to parents," says Clymer L. Wright, Jr., Society president. "Most fireworks injuries occur to young people under the age of 20. Many of these are teenagers who think it's smart to make a game of fireworks. One accident reported to the Society last year involved two young men from Beaumont who had a 'rocket fight' that blinded one and seriously impaired the vision of the other. Another boy in Houston needed surgery to save his sight after a 'friend' shot a bottle rocket at home."

"Nor are these isolated instances," he added. "In 1979 an estimated 8,028 Americans were treated in hospital emergency rooms for injuries from fireworks. Over 1,600 of these were eye injuries and tragically, that was nearly a 15% increase from the year before."

"This is not the whole picture either," he went on, "because there is no way to estimate how many other injuries were treated in doctors' offices, at home, or by direct hospital admission."

"Bottle rockets are consistently the main culprit," he noted. "They have blinded young people from Houston to El Paso. Sky rockets and roman candles, even something as seemingly harmless as a sparkler, have also caused their share of injuries and, ironically, most often at home where a child should be safest."

"The Texas Society to Prevent Blindness urges everyone

to enjoy the beauty and excitement of fireworks at one of the many licensed public displays around the state," he said. "To do otherwise is to risk serious injury for fireworks are dangerous explosives and no amateur should play around with them."

The Texas Society to Prevent Blindness is an affiliate of the National Society to Prevent Blindness, the oldest voluntary health agency nationally engaged in preventing blindness through community service programs, public and professional education and research.



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### PUBLIC NOTICE

Riding two-wheel motorized vehicles in City Parks is prohibited. Property located East of the Spearman High School is available for these vehicles to be driven on. The City of Spearman requests persons wishing to ride motorcycles to use the property that is provided for this purpose and not the City Parks. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

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