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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1983

# 4-H's 75th Anniversary observed in Austin

celebrating its 75th anniversary this year, and the initial celebration was kicked off at the State Capitol in Austin, February 16.

Between 300 and 400 4-H Club members and their volunteer adult leaders took part in special ceremonies in the Senate and House relating to the introduction of a resolution commemorating the 75th anniversary of 4-H.

Following the ceremonies, 4-H members and dignitaries of state government observed the planting of a ceremonial pecan tree on the capitol grounds near the north entrance to the building. Besides being the state tree, the pecan also is a symbol of the vitality and longevity of the 4-H program, says Karen Harruff and Jim Smith, County Agents with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Other special anniversary programs are planned in conjunction with the Texas 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M Texas 4-H Congress in Austin, July 19-22; and at many district and county activities through the remainder of

The first pre-4-H youth club in Texas was organized in Jack County 75 years ago, notes Jim Smith.

In 1908, the late Tom Marks, a part-time newspaperman in Jack County who also worked as an agent of the federal government in a position which corresponded to that of today's county Extension agent-agriculture, organized the first "Corn Club" for boys residing in his county. He enrolled 25 boys and demonstrated to them the best practices in corn production then known.

Each Corn Club youth also was required to exhibit the corn he produced, with judging to be done on the basis of yield, profit, a story about the youth's corn demonstration

project, and the exhibit itself. Marks earlier had attempted to involve a number of the Jack

County farmers in producing the most recently-released varieties of hybrid corn and had scheduled a corn show to demonstrate the results, but was disappointed when only a few adults took part in the educational effort.

As he reviewed what had happened, Marks decided that if he could not "teach old dogs new tricks, he would start with the pups" and thus began work with county youth through the Corn Clubs. He taught a number of farm boys corn production practices, and they followed up by exhibiting their results in Jack County.

The success of Marks' venture there triggered similar educational efforts in other counties and at the Texas State Fair in 1910 in Dallas. A feature of the first statewide rally for Corn Club boys at the Fair was a parade of 1,500 boys through the downtown section of Dallas, with each

youth carrying a stalk of corn. The present 4-H Club program in Texas is an outgrowth of these early Corn Clubs for boys, and Tomato Clubs fo girls, which were organized in 1912 in Milam County by Mrs. Edna W. Trigg, whose position corresponded to today's County Extension agent-home economics. Each Tomato Club member grew one-tenth acre of tomatoes.

Today's 4-H Club program encompasses a wide variety of educational programs and activities, which were undreamed of before the present Texas Agricultural Extension Service was organized. On May 8, 1914, the U.S. Congress passed the Smith-Lever Act, which provided for establishment of a Cooperative Extension Service as part of the land-grant university system in each state, Karen Harruff

points out. The Texas Legislature accepted provisions of the Smith-Lever Act on January 29, 1915, and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service came into being. The 4-H program is the phase of Extension educational activities. Presently, some 187,000 young Texans are involved in 4-H work.



FFA SWEETHEART PRESENTS-The FFA 1982-83 Sweetheart, JoAnne Odegaard, Sophomore, presents Kevin Slaton his trophy for the Reserve Cham-

pion Lamb at the recently held FFA Practice Show at the County Barn here in

# Georgia Holt services



Goorgia Helt

Georgia M. Holt, 58, died following a lengthy illness.

Monday in Hansford Hospital Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Holt Cemetary with Mark Tidwell of Canyon, and Skip Crabtree, of Stinnett Church of Christ, officiating.

At the Rotary Club meeting

Feb. 21, Henry Honea, aide to

Bill Sarpalius spoke on the upcoming legislation in the Texas legislature. Last week, Bob Davis, aide to Congressman Hightower again spoke to the club concerning legislation

for the constituents in this

Congressional district with

agriculture, oil, gas and de-

fense. His new sub-committee

assignments will be important

On Feb. 28, through the cooperation of the First State

Bank of Spearman, the pro-

gram will be on the modern

aspects of finance and the

Spearman membership as of

Feb. 1 is 17 members with

district attendance at 89.77%.

Officers of the local club are

Mike Schnell, president; Steve

Rogers, vice-president; Jack

McWhirter, secretary-treasur-

er; Robert Elliot, immediate

past president: Jim Benson.

director of club service; Larry

Trosper, director vocational

service; John Hutchison, di-

rector international service;

Allen Alford, director com-

munity service; Jim Benson,

club bulletin editor and Larry

Trosper, program chairman.

in all of these areas.

economy

Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home was in charge of

Mrs. Holt was born in Greer County, Okla. She had lived in Hutchinson County since 1930.

She was a charter member and past president of the Holt Extension Homemakers Club, and a member and past president of Women Involved in Farm Economics. She was a director of the

state board of Water, Inc., and was Hutchinson County Home Extension Homemakers club Woman of the Year in 1982. Mrs. Holt was an accomp-

lished artist and a member of the Arts and Crafts Guild.

She was active in 4-H work and instrumental in securing the building for the Hansford County Library

She married Nolan C. Holt in 1942 in Spearman.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Larry Holt of Spearman: a daughter. Linda Jarvis of Spearman; and seven grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Holt Cemetery, Route 1, P.O. Box 42-B, Spearman, Tx. 79081.

Sarpalius aide speaks

to Rotarians

# Lynx band gets "Superior" rating



DAVID SORGI--SOPHOMORE



JEFF GRESSETT--SOPHOMORE University of Texas Campus. **EXCELLENT RATING** 

The Spearman Lynx Band was rated "Superior" at the University Interscholastic League sanctioned solo and ensemble contest which was held last Saturday in Canyon

on the WISU Campus. The band was entered as a "Wind-Percussion Choir" and performed Chester G. Osbourne's "Connemara Sketches". The wind ensemble was judged by Alan Shinn of Texas Tech, who had very favorable comments about the band, awarding it a ONE, which is First Division meaning SUPERIOR

Two soloists earned Superior and Excellent Ratings on Solos at the event. David Sorgi was rated as "Superior" on his First Class Snare Drum Solo, "Apex" by Harry Marvin, Jr., and Jeff Gressett was awarded an Excellent Rating for his Tenor Saxophone Solo "Pastorale and Bouree" by Edward German. Jeff was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Cheryl Meek.

David's Superior Rating qualifies him for the State UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest which will be held May 28 and 30, 1983 in Austin on the

The Band is now in diligent preparation for the Concert and Sight-Reading Contest which will be held at Panhandle on March 29.

A clinic is being prepared to aid in the band's contest



GRAND CHAMPION DUROC-Byron Sutterfield displays his Grand Champion

Duroc at the recently held Spearman FFA Practice Show at the County Barn.

in the U.S. Congress. He loose in Spearman or Hansford spoke of the new appointments of the Senator and his concern County! That was a positive assurance from Hansford County

> Sheriff R.L. McFarlin, Mon-"An officer's worst problems are family fights, dogs and RUMORS!" Sheriff Mc-Farlin said. "We had an

incident 'way back in Decem-

ber that is still classified as an assault. "From this incident, rumor swept like wildfire and law enforcement gets criticized for doing nothing about it. The true fact is that we do check out even rumors to be on the

Department does so, too." So, Spearman women need not live in fear or dread because of this particular

certain side. The City Police

rumor about a rapist. "Of course," McFarlin added, "We have always urged our folks to take sensible precautions at all times. They should continue to do this at all

'One more thing: if a woman -- or a man -- hears or sees something suspicious, officers should be notified. If it turns out to be nothing, this is NOT considered a rumor. We consider this playing it safe. 'Rumor is irresponsible

repetition of hearsay without supporting facts. Some rumor mongers do not stop to think a rumor used as criticism of the 'system' might also cause a neighbor unnecessary fright." We questioned Sheriff Mc-Farlin about a rumor that

persists: that there is a rash of burglaries and break-ins and "the Law" is doing nothing about it.

"As of this conversation, every burglary out in the county has either been solved with the culprit behind bars or is being pushed to that point." McFarlin explained. "We have had no reported burglary that has not been investigated and 'worked' to a conclusion and I understand the city officers are just as diligent."

He pointed out that burglars do not leave a calling card nor sprinkle a trail. It takes time to strike a trail and it is this quiet time of hard, unglamorous investigation that leaves a critic here and there to say nothing is being done.

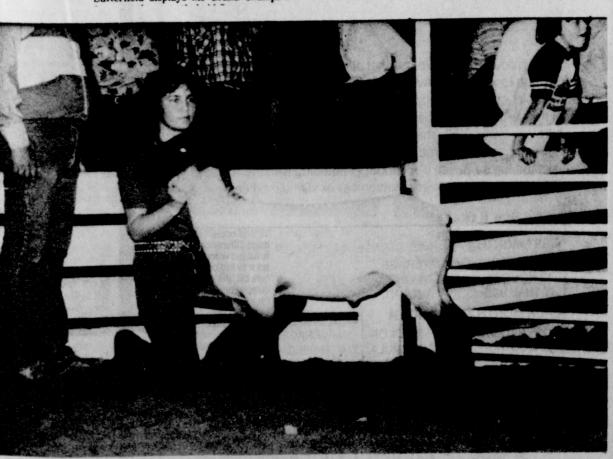
# **Blood** drive exceeds quota

Thanks to all the people of Hansford County for their support in our recent blood drive, we netted 106 pints.

We have a large number of people in our County that have used blood and this will help to replace some of it.

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Thanks again Edith Smith BPC for Hansford County



GRAND CHAMPION LAMB-Deana Turner is shown with her Grand Champion

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studied with K. David Van

Hoesan and subsequently she

has continued her bassoon

studies with Harold Goltzer.

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extensive experience. Her

credentials include one season

with the American Wind Sym-

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# Linden Woodwind Quintet in Borger concert Sunday Wendy Large, bassoon, holds both a Bachelor and



THE LINDEN WOODWIND QUINTET

nie performed as soloist with The Community Concert the Boston Pops Orchestra. Association will present the Having been a member of the Linden Woodwind Quintet in National Orchestral Associaconcert Sunday, February 27 tion for three years, Melanie at 3 p.m. in the Borger High plays with the Goldovsky School Auditorium Grand Opera Theatre, Musica Aeterna, Queens Symphony,

Members of the Linden Quintet are Melanie Hudson-Flute, Mitchell Kriegler--Clarinet, William Meredith-Oboe, Wendy Large-Bassoon and Richard Hein-Horn.

The Linden Quintet, a virtuoso ensemble formed in 1976, is setting a new standard in the performance of quintet literature. The group has been widely acclaimed in the music world for lively and tasteful transcriptions of an extraordinary range of music from Bach to current popular songs. Gaining both critical praise and audience appreciation for quality, enthusiasm and invention, the Linden Quintet for the first time provides a woodwind repertoire of the music people want

to hear. Melanie Hudson, flutist, received her Master of Music Degree from the Manhattan School of Music. Her flute studies have been with John Wummer, Andrew Lolya, and Tom Nyfenger. In 1969 Melatgart Ballet, the Netherlands Ballet, and the New York City Opera, as well as recordings for Columbia, DGG, Van-

guard, and CRI. Richard Hein, horn, was born in Seattle, Washington. He has studied with Richard Moore, Philp Farkas and Carmine Caruso, and received his Bachelor of Music from the Manhattan School of Music. He has played with the Baltimore Symphony, the New Jersey Symphony, the Seattle Symphony, the Chamber Orchestra of New England, the Brooklyn Philharmonic and the Eastern Opera Company. Richard has recorded with Grenadilla and EMI and is currently on the faculty of Brooklyn College.

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he studied with Harold Gom-

berg. Professional experience

includes the Westchester

Symphony, Virginia Opera

Company, New Jersey Sym-

phony, Bergen County Opera

Mitchell Kriegler, clarinet,

is a graduate of the Manhat-

tan School of Music where his

professional studies were

with Charles Russo. Mitch's

professional experience in-

cludes playing with the Grand

Opera of New York, the New

York Choral Society, the

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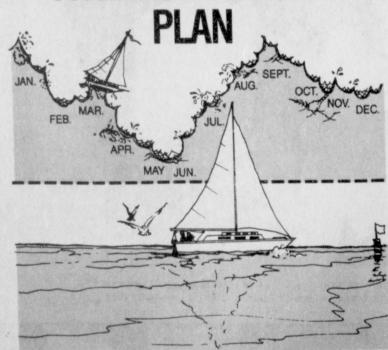


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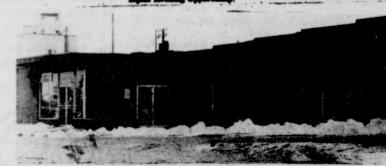
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1106 S. Bernice. 3 bedroom, brick office, 1% bath, sprinkler system, fence, ceiling fans, central air and Addebaran is overhead,

head, slightly to the north

and Pollux is overhead.

Sirius is halfway from

overhead to the south and

Betelgeuse is almost

directly overhead, slightly

south. Locate the North

Star as a guide--it's in the

Little Dipper (ursa

Minor), halfway to the

It's not a first magni-

tude star like the others,

but always visible in this

hemisphere. The only

other first magnitude

stars in the late February

sky are Rigel, southwest

of Betegeuse (in Orion)

and Procyon, just east of

Betegeuse.

north from overhead.

Capella is also over-

slightly to the west.

# Tax office bikinis out

collector-assessor's office were complaining of heat from the courthouse boiler room just below them, unrelieved by their air conditioners just a few weeks ago while, conversely, inhabitants of the top floor complained of a lack of heat in

Commissioners jokingly suggested bikinis in summer and mink in winter while making a serious study seeking a remedy. Experimental

YMCA members may

play for \$2.00 per hour court

fee. Fitness Center members

2. Hours are from 8:15 a.m.

Monday-Friday and each quar-

ter hour, closing at 9:15 p.m.

Saturdays court opens at 12:15

and each quarter hour, closing

at 6:15 p.m. Sundays court

opens at 1:15 and each quarter

3. Reservations are neces

sary. Please call the YMCA 659-2591. CALL IF YOU

HAVE TO CANCEL. Especial-

ly during the afternoons and

evenings it is important to call

if you cannot play since others

4. You will have until half

past the hour to claim the

court. If you do not claim the

court, someone else may play

court end at the quarter hour.

If there are no reservations for

the next hour, you may

contract to use the court by

6. If you bring a guest, who

is not a member, they must

pay the daily non-member fee,

plus the court cost to play racquet ball. (\$1 youth-\$2.50

7. Black soled shoes are prohibited. Tennis shoes only

ABREVIATED RACQUET-

1. Service is from the box on

BALL RULES

the court. Opponent must

stand at least five feet behind

the back line to receive volley.

2. The ball must hit the

front wall first on the serve and go beyond the back line.

3. The ball can hit the floor only once in a serve (if ball hits

the floor more than once it is a

point or on other volleys a fault

Fit or fat?

Do you have an ugly, extra five or ten pounds of fat

hanging around on your 'bod'' somewhere conspicuous? Do you get out of breath stepping up on curbs or

pushing a grocery cart loaded with "goodies"? If so, you

need to call or go by the

Y.M.C.A. immediately and sign up for the next aerobic exercise session. It begins on Tuesday, March 1st. Firm up that flab and (along with a

sensible diet) lose those un-

wanted pounds by exercising. You will become more grace-

ful, have a clearer complexion, and much more energy.

If you have ever gone on a very low calorie diet and then when you resumed eating normally, the pounds seemed

to jump right back on you, it

was because you had not re-set

your "set point". This is the mechanism your body has

which causes it to desperately try to recover every ounce of the fat you lost. The only way it can be re-set or lowered is

through exercising regularly.

Summer (along with shorts, sun dresses, and bathing

suits) will be here before you

know it. Be ready for it. If you have doubts about whether or

not you would like the class,

come visit one time free and see that it is a fun, non-boring

Classes are taught by

Wanda Archer and are held

Tuesday and Thursday nights

from 6:30 - 7:30 and Saturday

There has been some interest expressed in a mens' or coed aerobic exercise class. If

enough people want to have oe

of these classes, the "Y" will

consider offering it. Call the "Y" if you are interested. It would probably be Tuesday

and Thursday nights 7:30

8:00 or 8:15.

mornings from 9:00 - 10:00.

on the server.)

paying for another hour.

adults non-member fee.)

Reservations for the

the remaining 45 minutes.

are usually on a waiting list.

hour, closing at 5:15 p.m.

it seems a few inches of insulation resembling a sheepskin stuck up to dry, has become a cure.

Of course, it will be summer before Helen Dry's staff can tell a marked difference but those who work on the top floor have been opening windows to "tap off" some of the heat easily reaching their area. It will take all the seasons of a complete year to adequately determine the full impact of the remedy undertaken but

YMCA Racquetball Court Rules

opportunities to put the ball in

the server, the side out is

5. On the second fault by

6. On side out the opponent

7. Server continues until

two faults (or as long as points

takes over serving the ball.

are scored.)

The server has two

nsulation is being considered. By the same token, it will take about the same period to evaluate energy savings by use of the insulation.

Queried about costs, one county commissioner -- who wished to remain anonymous for obvious reasons -- com-

"At this point bikinis would have been less expensive and a more interesting experiment!'

8. Double fault (side out) is

on the serve, when the ball

hits the front wall, sidewall or

the ceiling, before the ball hits

9. Single fault when the ball

hits three walls (including

ceiling) before hitting the

10. Game is 21 (by two.)

the front wall.

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#### February's Sky **Jobathons** At the end of this month, at eight p.m., one

Media colleagues in can see several major radio and television, beplanets shining brilliantly ginning last summer in in the winter sky. Deneb lowa, have begun airing is in the north, Regulus programs designed to find (part of Leo) is in the east. jobs for the unemployed.

President Reagan has recorded a message for use on such programs as the trend sweeps the country; he spoke live on one of the earlier pro-

Some of these programs have found jobs for hundreds with one broadcast. One format is to give job seekers thirty seconds to describe their skills. Employers can telephone the station--and do.

Newspaper want ads are the best source for finding jobs and qualified

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fees" and "tax".

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Israel: Sharon resigns as

#### gressman, (D-III): 'The staggering dimensions of unemploy-

(Moore), and Glen Nelson (Deaf Smith)

ment, Social Security and the deficit demand that we give a wondering nation some hard answers this spring...

No two people ever thought alike, and it takes some individuals a life-

Dan Rostenkowski, Con- Ariel Sharon, former Defense Minister of Israel after he resigned:

"There was a reshuffle of portfolios, and that's the end of the pro-

> Church services are still being held every Sunday--just like they were when you were

Brent Scowcroft, head of the Commission on Stategic Forces:

である。

'I'm hopeful the commission will reach a consensus, but I am not at the point of saying whether that will be possible."

In our opinion, enjoying the beauties of life. and living and helping others, bring genuine

#### happiness. taught to go regularly. time to find that out. Tax called by any other An increase in state fees is an increase in state taxes. Both increases have the same result: more money for the government and less TAKE A VACATION ... money for the taxpayer. In a recent news article Lieutenant Governor Hobby was quoted saying "The new buzz word is 'user fees'. It used to be 'revenue enhancement' - anything but 'tax'. What difference does it make? It's dollars and we need Taxpayers also "need dol lars very badly" and we think the buzz word should be "cut WHEATHEART TRAVEL, INC spending" rather than "user 7 S.W. 3rd. Perryton Office Plaza Perryton. TX All Texas Taxpayers better get prepared for more state taxes. When our elected offi-435-9646 cials start disguising their actions we've had it! Don't be fooled. Those people are going Whether you travel by air, land to raise our tax bills unless we or sea - Remember - Our taxpayers tell them NOW we Services Are Yours very truly, Waggoner Carr

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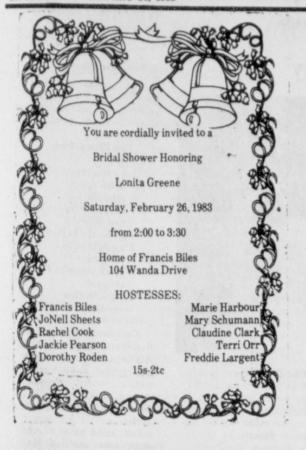
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**CONTINGENCY DAY** This time of the year most of

us are busy getting our financial records together for income taxes. This creates an ideal time to hold a financial contingency day. During financial contingency day, you review all household financial matters, update needed information and set goals for the coming year. The primary reason for holding this annual financial round-up is to gather all the information that would be needed if a death or accident should occur during the year. So annual contingency day can save work and heartache in the event of a family crisis situation.

Use this check-list in planning the agenda items for your contingency day meeting with

1. Review and revise net worth statement.

2. Establish financial goals for the coming year.

3. Revise the household budget. 4. Decide how assets and property should be handled in

case of the death of a family member. 5. Check wills to see that they are up to date.

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6. Prepare or review a letter of last instruction. This letter irorms survivors of matters meding attention.

7. Re-calculate survivors' in ome and expenses in case ofa death in the family. Make ou a tentative budget for survivors. It is important for survivors to know all sources ofincome they can depend on.

n a sense, an annual hasehold contingency day is like an annual meeting of a exporation, and should be ensidered just as important. EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS CONDUCTED BY THE EXAS AGRICULTURAL EX-ENSION SERVICE SERVE EOPLE OF ALL AGES RE-ARDLESS OF SOCIO-CONOMIC LEVEL, COLOR, EX, RACE, RELIGION, IANDICAPPED OR NATION-

### Rainbows & Ranglers"

The Rainbows & Ranglers quare Dance Club of Spear nan will have their regular dance on Friday, Feb. 25, rather than Sat., Feb. 26, because of the Jaycee's Snow nobile Ball. It will be at the Y.M.C.A. building at 8:00 p.m. Our own callers will be call-

At the last dance, a guest caller, Larry Barton, from Pampa, did a fun job of calling. Four squares of dancers had a good time. Guests were: Jack & Juanita Kemper of Spearman, Judy Parsley of Pampa, Sid and Ada Newberry and Chuck and Florene Fletcher, all of Borger.

# Arts & Craft **Guild Meets**

Mrs. Blanche Fuller was hostess for the Arts & Craft Guild meeting Friday in her

Attending were members, Mmes. Garrett Allen, Fred Daily, Fred Hoskins, Deta Blodgett, Joe Trayler and a guest, Mrs. John Berry. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Fred Hos-

## New Arrival

kins, Feb. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lee Knox of Odessa are proud to announce the birth of their son Lee Isaac Knox on Feb. 3, 1983 at Odessa.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B.T. Lusk of Plainview and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Knox of Spearman.

#### Mrs. Trayler's collection on display Mrs. Joe Trayler's collection countries. There are many colors, designs and shapes.

of chocolate cups and cups and saucers will be on display at Hansford County Library through March.

Mrs. Trayler has been collecting cups and saucers for about 40 years. The exquisite, dainty cups on display come from England, France, Japan, Germany, China, and other

#### Students get Bridge Club spring break

The Senior Bridge Club met Friday at the Golden Spread Center with Ora Sanders as

Members attending were Mathilde Entrekin, Viola Graves, Alice Lackey, Addie Novak, Emma Seitz, Ruth Baker and two guests, Myrtis Ball and Willie Wallis.

Mathilde Entrekin had high score and Myrtis Ball had

# Storytime Friday

at

# Hansford Library

Fiday, Feb. 25 at Hansford Library from 10:30 to 11:00

This is the last session for this period, but the storytime for pre-schoolers will start again in 2 weeks.

#### 

the Women's Volleyball League each Monday night at the Junior High School gym. Teams represent Buster's Dusters, Thriftway, First State Bank, Agco of Spearman, Interstate Savings and Hergert Pontiac GMC. The lineup for Monday, February 28 is 7:45 p.m. First State Bank vs Agco of Spearman; 8:30 p.m. Interstate Savings vs Thriftway; and 9:15 Hergert Pontiac GMC vs Buster's Dusters.

# C of C Women's Division meets

The Women's Division of The verse "Art of Giving" the Chamber of Commerce was read by Dana before met February 16, 1983 at 12 turning the program over to noon at the Cattlemen's Resguest Jackie Pearson. Jackie turant. The meeting was called went over highlights of the to order by President Dana work to be done for the Miss Schnell. The minutes were Hansford Pageant. This pagread by Nancy Graves for the eant will be Friday May 27, January meeting. These were 1983 before the Saturday accepted as read. June Sexton Parade and Celebration. gave the treasurer report and

The meeting of 16 members also, this was accepted. included a new member, In the absence of Karen Helen Melton, who we wel-Haruff, Dana spoke of the comed. Dana Schnell adnomination for the "Woman of journed the meeting.

## Keyes Collector's Show & Sale set

The Keyes Lions Club will sponsor their annual Collector's Show and Sale, March 5 and 6 at the Keyes Junior High Auditorium, Keyes, Okla. Hours will be from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday

the Year"

Their will be antiques, bottles, insulators, glass, date nails, handicraft, baked items and all collectibles on display.

There will be door prizes, refreshements and a guard on

This is an excellent time to buy, sell or trade. For table reservations call 405-546-2941 or 405-546-4681.

There will be a salad supper served at 5 p.m. Saturday in the Keyes lunch Room.

One from China is the rice

design. Grains of rice are

placed on the cup prior to

glazing, and the rice forms the

long-time residents of Spear-

Spearman school students

will enjoy a spring break

March 3 and 4 from classes.

Easter for local students.

This is the last holiday until

Mr. & Mrs. Joe Trayler are

design on the cup.

Everyone is invited to the show and sale.

# YMCA NEWS

**Bridal Shower Honoring** 

TINA BAKER

on February 25, 1983

at 7:00 p.m.

at the Hospitality Room of the

First State Bank

HOSTESSES

Rita Reed

Gift Selections at the Gift Box

15S-2tp

Monday, February 28, at 7:30 p.m. teams wishing to participate in this league for men and women are to be at the high school cafeteria for a clinic. To be eligible to play, you are asked to contact your church representative. The league will be strictly recreational. There will be no spiking the ball, blocking the ball or

Dara Faries

Joyce Frost

Stacy Lesley

Reba Benge

Beverly Wagner

League play is scheduled for Mondays, beginning March 7th. Games will be played at the cafeteria at the high school. If you are interested in playing, you may contact: United Methodist, Mollie Hol-

ton; First Baptist, Jerry Don

overhand serve.

Davis; Faith Lutheran, Steve Krug; Church of Christ, Mary

**Penny Thomas** 

Jessie Faries

Nikki Swenn

Laurie Ross

Reba Ooley

Schumann; First Christian, Pamela Foster; Assembly of God; Jimmy VanLandingham; Union, Edith Cage.

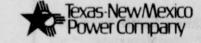
The YMCA Board of Directors, at it's February meeting, decided to establish, for the YMCA-Church League only, a special rate for participants. If participants hold a current YMCA membership the cost will be nothing, if not a member of the YMCA a charge of \$5 per non-member will be charged.

If you have any questions, please call Jim Benson at the YMCA, 659-2591.

# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

In accordance with the regulations of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Texas-New Mexico Power Company announces the Company's intent to change rates for its entire Texas operations. The effective date of such change is March 4, 1983. All classes of customers will be affected by said proposed changes. It is estimated that the rate change will produce an increase in gross revenues to the Company of \$13,032,225, or a 4.24% increase over

A complete copy of the requested rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Austin, and with all cities which have retained original rate jurisdiction served by Texas-New Mexico Power Company. You may inspect a copy of the filing during normal business hours at each business office of Texas-New Mexico Power Company in



#### STATEMENT OF INTENT TO CHANGE RATES

General Telephone

Company of the Southwest, accordance with the Rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates in effective Texas March 18, 1983.

The proposed changes in rates will affect all customer classes and are designed to increase the Company's gross intrastate revenues by approximately 15 percent annually.

A complete set of schedules has been filed with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and is available for public inspection in each of Company's Business Offices in the State of Texas. A Company's rate filing has also been sent to the Mayor's Office of affected Municipality.

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Jim Turner

Jim Turner, new Equity manager, is the

newest Lions Club member. He joined

National science, math

Northeast digs out after

Reagan: Israel needlessly

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tests scores slip.

major snowstorm.

delaying withdrawal.

Mobile, Ala. schools.

the club at the Tuesday meeting.

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- chopped 4 green onions,
- chopped
- 3 eggs, beaten soy sauce

Cook rice as label directs. Heat 2 tablespoons salad oil in a large skillet. Saute pork until tender, about 8 to 10 minutes, turning frequently; remove. In same skillet, in 2 tablespoons salad oil, saute garlic, onions and green onions until golden. Add eggs; cook, stirring, until just set, but not dry; remove.

In same skillet, in 2 tablespoons salad oil, toss rice until hot. Add 3 to 4 tablespoons soy sauce, pork, egg mixture; blend well. Serve with soy sauce.

\*Makes 6 servings.

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Poetry is simply the most beautiful, impressive, and widely effective mode of saying things.

# **Child Development Class** has 'Pre-School Day'

The Child Development Class of Mrs. Daniels at Spearman High School, are having a "pre-school" day a week for a few weeks. Mrs. Daniels' class talk to the pre-schoolers, play with the pre-schoolers, and cook some "goodies" for the pre-schoolers. The young pre-schoolers

seemed to be enjoying them-

selves when this photo for the

story was taken. The members in Mrs. Daniels class are Paul Lopez, Makala Weakley, Trenda Nuckles, Cindy Ivey, Moose Brinson, Steven Francis, Julio Vasquez, Eddie Rojas, James Potter, Sondra Younger and Margie Galvan. Each one of the students did something for this assignment, they either played with the children, talked with them, read them stories, or cooked them something.

The pre-school children were Sammy Renteria, Rebecca Howard, Cody Baskin and Lori Byers.

So both the high school students and the pre-schoolers learn from this experience. How? Well, the high school students how to care for 3 and 4 year olds. They learn how to play, what to say, what to cook and so forth. The pre-schoolers, have a "preview" as to just what a teacher in Kindergarten will probably do. For example, coloring pictures, reading them stories, and so forth. So as you can see, it is a



"YOU COLOR THAT SIDE, I'LL DO THIS ONE-Paul Lopez, SHS Child Development student, seems to be telling his "pupil", Sammy Renteria to color one side of the picture, while he does the other. Others in the picture include Makala White-SHS student, with Rebecca Howard, and Trenda Nuckles with Cody

# Golden Gleams

She that with poetry is won

Is but a desk to write upon.

-Samuel Bulter.

In poetry there is always

When you get in a hurry, that is a good time to be sure that you do not move too fast.

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Faith and patience are great assets and wonder-

fallacy, and sometimes -Walter Scott.

ful aids if you have them when you need them. \*\*\*\*









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# Coach Lanter

Larry Lanier, Athletic director at Spearman high school was guest speaker at Lions Club this Tuesday. Larry gave an optimistic, and elegant speech. First, he thanked everyone in Spearman for making his stay in Spearman so satisfactory. He stated that his wife and children were enjoying living here so much, and that they were busy in clubs, scouting and that his kids were receiving an excellent education at the Spearman school system.

Larry spoke on the fine football and basketball season that we have had at Spearman high school thus far this year. And, we would like to thank Larry and the school for such an excellent season. Our girls almost pulled out another district championship, and the boys had a good football season in spite of the injuries this year.

In his speech, he stated that if the trend continues and school enrollment continues to decline that Spearman would probably drop to Class 2A in 1984. He reminded everyone that the track, tennis and golf will be getting underway soon.

p.S. We plan to make a new priture of farry with his tom farry with his tom farry fantry hat the

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# JoAnne Odegaard is FFA Sweetheart



JOANNE ODEGAARD

The FFA-Future Farmers of America-each year choose a young lady, outstanding in many fields, academically and athletically-to be their FFA Sweetheart. The 1982-83 FFA Sweetheart is JoAnne Odegaard.

JoAnne is the 15 year old daughter of Roger and Elaine Odegaard. JoAnne is very active in the FFA, the FHA-Future Homemakers of America, the Student Council, Sophomore Representative. JoAnne is also active in the musical group of CELE-BRATE. JoAnne is active in the Rodeo Club. She was elected as the Sophomore 1982 Homecoming Attendant.

JoAnne is a Sophomore. We extend our congratulations to JoAnne for having been chosen as the 1982-83 FFA

# Watercolor workshop planned

Local artists will have an opportunity to study with Stefan Kramar in a Watercolor Workshop the week of March 14-18 at Hansford Library. Daily classes will be from 9 to 12 mornings, 1:30 to 4:30 afternoons. There will instruction for beginners as well as advanced artists, demonstrations, and individual assistance and critique.

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# PELICULAS MEXICANAS "El Vuelvo De La Ciguena"

La Pelicula Mexicana para este Domingo, El 27 de Febrero, se llama "El Vuelvo De La Ciguena". Dice en el retrato de la Pelicula, "Este es nuestro Bebe, Juntos lo hicimos mejor!"

Los actores y actoras son Jose Alonso, Pedro Armendariz, Gloria Marin, Guillermo Orea, Fernando Balzaretti, y la presentacion estelar de Rosalia Valdes.

La Oficina del Triato Lirico de Spearman se abre en los Domingos para las Peliculas Mexicanas, a la 1:30 para que compren sus boletos. La Pelicula, despues, se comienca a las 2 de la tarde en punto. La Oficina se abre a las 7 de la noche para las Peliculas Americanas. Despues la Pelicula Americana se comienca a las 7:30 de la noche.

Los Adultos-los que tienen 12 a 100 anos-pagan \$3.50 cada quien, los jovenes-los que tienen 6 hasta 11 anospagan \$2.50 cada quien, y los chiquititos-los que tienen 1 mes hasta los que tienen 5 anos--pagan nada. Esto es lo que pagan cuando van para las Peliculas Mexicanas en los Domingos y para las Peliculas Americanas todos los Jueves, Viernes, Sabados y Domingos. Si van a ver una Pelicula Americana en los Lunes y Martes, todos-desde los que tienen 6 anos hasta los que tienen 100-nomas pagan \$2.00

cada quien. El Triato Lirico de

Spearman esta sierado todos los Miercoles, porque los trabajadores y los patrones tambien les gusta tener una dia de

La Pelicula Americana para la semana del 27 de Febrero hasta el primer dia de Marzo se llama "Trail of the Pink Panther". Esta Pelicula es una pelicula para toda la familia. Es de un gato colorderosa. A muchas gentes, especialmente a los jovenes. Pueden ver para esta Pelicula Americana el Lunes o el Martes, y cada quien en su familia hasta el que tenga 6 anos pagan \$2.00 nomas. Pero, esta Pelicula si que va estar buena!!

La Pelicula Mexicana para el Domingo que viene-el 2 de Marzo-se llama "Dias De Combate". Si quieren saber mas de que se va tratar esta Pelicula, este Domingo, el 27 de Febrero, prendan su radio en 98 FM en Spearman, y pongan muy buen cuidado porque el Senor y la Senora, Juan y Maria Antonia Avila les van a decir de que se trata la Pelicula que va salie el 2 de

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The FHA-Future Home makers of America-each year choose an SHS outstanding fellow to be the FHA Beau. The 1982-83 FHA Beau is Cole

Cole Ivey is the 15 year old son of Jim and Kay Ivey. Cole is very active in activities. He is the Sophomore President. He is in FFA-Future Farmers of America. Cole is active in

the FCA-Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He is a member of the United Methodist

Cole was introduced to all that attended the FHA

Sweetheart Banquet. We extend our congratulations to Cole for being selected as the 1982-83 FHA Beau. Cole is a Sophomore

### Little League Summer Camp

Little League Baseball takes pride in announcing the opening date for its eleventh Annual Summer Camp Program on the beautiful and historic Baylor University

The first of three two-week sessions begins on June 19. Applicants will be accepted for all three sessions on a first-come basis until they are

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# SHS Enjoys FHA Week

BY: Teresa Tindell

February 7-12 was National F.H.A.-Future Homemakers of America-Week.

The members of the Spearman High School's FHA chapter were very busy that week with their activities involving this occasion. One of their projects was making and delivering Valentine Cookies for the Golden Age Center. The members then had a Coke Party on Wednesday, Febru-

The highlight of the week came on Saturday night, Fe

bruary 12. The Annual FHA Sweetheart Banquet was held. The FHA Beau, Cole Ivey was introduced.

Thes year the Sweetheart Banquet was formal. The theme was "Color My World". The entertainment for the Sweetheart Banquet was by Lea Ann Gibner, Buddy Pool, Greg Meek and Mary Ann

The speaker at the Sweetheart Banquet was Judy Nelson. The FHA members had worked really hard and everything was a big success!!

# Student Book Fair at Junior high

A student Book Fair will be held at Spearman Junior High, February 28-March 2. The following week, March 7-10, "Back to School Week", another student Book Fair will be held for the students of the Spearman Elementary School. Students will be able to browse and purchase new educationally approved paperbacks appropriate for their age and interest level. Books will be on display in the libraries of each school. The Book Fairs will be open during regular school hours. On March 10, the Elementary Book Fair will be opened during "Back to School Night," from 7-9 p.m.

Ms. Vickie May, Librarian, Spearman Elementary and Junior High Schools, invites all students, parents and visitors to attend the fairs. A

Book Fair will encourage a student's interest in reading and in building home libraries. Reading is a habit and having a home library encourages the development of that habit. Also, books make excellent and inexpensive gifts.

The Book Fair display will include new paperback books, posters, puzzles, records, and talking books from many major publishers ranging in price from 39 cents to \$5.95--wonderful books to read or to give as gifts. All reading interest will be represented, including classics, fiction, biographies, adventure stories, science, nature, crafts, mystery, and reference books.

Ms. May stated that the Educational Reading Service, a professional book fair company, would be the supplier for the Book Fair materials.

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-Journal, Cleveland.

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# **GTE** seeks increased rates

southwest asked the public Utility Commission of Texas today (Feb. 11, 1983) for \$85.5 almost half of which the company says is due to changes dictated by various governmental actions.

E.L. "Buddy" Langley. President of General Telephone, said the request is being made because earnings have fallen to 9.5 percent from 12.5 percent authorized last year, which was never obtained; interest coverage, critical to the company's bond rating among financial agencies. has fallen to 2.68 and poses a danger of having the company's A-rating downgraded to a BBB; and the dramatic impacts of deregulation of the industry and the restructuring of prices mandated by governmental ac-

"All of these factors require us to either raise rates or cut back our service improvement and modernization program. Langley said. "As distasteful as raising rates is, we prefer this rather than reducing these programs which our customers have told us they expect.'

"During the 12 months covered in our filing, we reduced our companywide work force the equivalent of approximately 700 employees in an effort to reduce costs, but we have reached the point we cannot reduce much more without adversely affecting service." he continued.

"As a public utility we do not have the option of curtailing expansion and investment during the periods of recession and high interest rates. We have the obligation to have facilities to meet our customers' needs when they request them. Therefore, we can only, proceed with prudent programs and seek permission from the state commission to

raise our rates. We reallize our customers expect quality service and it is our objective to provide it. It is unfortunate that this costs

EARNINGS REDUCED The company president said earnings have been reduced despite stringent budget controls and productivity increases due primarily to the new "Our customers and regula-

tors have told the company they expect the most modern telephone system available, he explained. "During the period covered in our filing. we spent over \$321 million in Texas to meet our commitments to improve service and to modernize. Our modernization program is in high gear and we want to continue this momentum. But it is essential that we receive adequate revenues if we are to do so."

Langley said that while inflation has not been as dramatic as in the past, it has continued to drive prices up 'Our cost to build telephone plant continues to be higher than past costs. In September 1981, our investment was \$1,561 per customer line. For a 12 month period, we added 33,385 customer lines at a cost of \$7,918 per line. The effect was to raise our investment \$199 per line from the level that was used in setting the rates we now have in effect. BOND RATING CRITICAL

The telephone executive pointed out that the company was not able to finance internally the millions of dollars required for the service improvement and modernization program. During the period covered in the filing, the company financed \$150 million in common stock, preferred stock and bonds.

'As we continue our modernization program, we will require a tremendous amount of external financing and our bond rating is extremely critical to our customers as well as to us." he said. "The rating agencies look very closely at our interest coverage and we do not look good in this important category. We need our net income to be at least three times our fixed charges or interest expense.

'During the period covered in our financial information, our interest coverage fell to 2.68 and that trend is still downward." he said.

'We do not have the AAA rating which Texans are hearing so much about these days, but have an A- with the possibility of dropping to BBB if we do not receive the required revenues.

He continued, "Customers may feel a lower rating does

they are affected two ways. First, the interest we have to pay increases with a lower rating and our customers pay the interest. Second, many investors are precluded from investing in companies with lower than an A rating.

Langley said other financial indicators that are reviewed by rating agencies which have been declining are return on common equity, the percent of construction dollars generated by internal funds, and the return on rate base.

**DEREGULATION IMPACTS** Deregulation mandated by the FCC is causing changes in rules and policies, methods of operations and the pricing of services, according to Langley.

"One of the most noticeable changes to customers is the continued shifting of prices so that each service becomes cost-based. These changes modify the previous goal of universal service. They also move toward ending the subsidization of local rates by other services which have been deregulated and must become more competitively priced," he explained.

He emphasized that modernization has a substantial effect on the price of service.

'You can't hide depreciation, the method used by businesses to recover invested capital. Our method is somewhat different from other businesses since it is mandated by the FCC in concert with the State Utility Commissions.

"Depreciaton rates are prescribed by the FCC every three years and 1983 is the year for represcription of depreciation rates for General Telephone."

"If it were not for the need for modernization, captial recovery and expensing of station connections, our request would be much lower. About 48 percent of our request is for capital recovery and station connection expensing," he said. SERVICE-MODERNIZATION

'We said we would improve service and we have," Langley stated. "During 1982 we have seen positive evidence of the service improvement program we implemented. We are meeting all of the commission

This is not to say we do not still have several areas that give us concern but we have identified our problem areas and have corrective programs in action. That is one reason it is so important that we continue our service improvement pro-

During 1982 the company's modernization program included the replacement of 10 offices with the most modern switching equipment available. Plans for 1983 include the addition of 2 offices and the replacement of 13 offices, all with electronic switching equipment. By the end of 1984, 19 additional offices will be serving customers with electronic switching, making this type of service available to almost 50 percent of the

company's Texas customers. OTHER ALTERNATIVE 'The only alternative to seeking new revenues is to cut back investment which would slow our modernization program," Langley explained. We went through that alternative in 1978-79 when we did cut back to keep local rates low. Customers and the company shared the grief from that mistake. We do not want to repeat it," Langley emphasised.

"Our policy is that we are willing to provide whatever service is in the public interest as long as we are properly compensated."

He also pointed out that when the economy turns down, the telephone industry experiences several adverse

"Although we have experienced a downturn in growth, activity does not necessarily decline.

'Customer service activity is what requires work-hours and controls our forces. Therefore, we see a negative trend through lower revenues because we have slower growth. but we cannot significantly reduce our installation force and reduce expenses."

He pointed out that the company has made major strides in productivity and expense control. All areas which are controllable are monitored very closely by senior management.

'However, these efforts are

not enough. Our modernization program and the outside forces such as dereuglation. inflation, lower earnigs and the need for financing give us no alternative but to ask for higher rates if we are going to give customers the quality of service they want.'

**NEW SERVICE SOUGHT** Langley said the company's filing includes a proposal for the establishment of an optionservice, starting in the Metropolitan areas where large calling scopes and large variances in customer usage, along with available technology due to rapid growth in recent years, makes the ser-

"We are seeking to establish optional measured service, to be made available later this year in our Dallas and Houston Metropolitan service areas and in other locations as soon as economically feasible. This service would provide access to the local and long-distance network and unlimited incoming calls for a lower monthly access fee. Additional charges would be based on usage of the local

network to make calls. "This service will allow customers to better control the amount of their monthly telephone bill." he said Because thier total bill each month would be based on how much they use the service. For those who need telephone service for security, pruposes and who do not use the phone very much, this service would make it possible for them to control their bill.'

#### MORE FORECLOSURES

Agriculture Secretary John Block said recently the farm economy will probably remain depressed enough this year to force the federal government to foreclose on another 800 to 900 pro-

#### MILITARY & TRAVEL

U.S. News & World Report said the Pentagon provided more than \$2 million in VIP domestic travel service and related entertainment for members of Congress in 1982. During the year, 35 senators and 111 House members took trips aboard planes operated by the Air Force's 89th Military Airlift

Reagan's peace plan rejected by PLO leaders.

# McClellan is officer of County Judges Association

County Judges Chemical Abuse Service System voted to proceed in two critical areas of alcoholism services during its Jan. 27 meeting. Both issues center around funding for programs in the region.

The first measure was a resolution to ask the Texas Commission on Alcoholism (TCUA) to begin purchasing services from the Panhandle Alcoholic Recovery Center (PARC). The judges' group is the governing body for the

The resolution calls on the alcohol commission to reimburse the judges' group at the rate of \$40 per day per client serviced in the recovery facility. That money would be used to pay for the treatment for 10 of the 30 clients at the PARC. The new funding plan would replace money that will be lost due to the lapsing of a grant from the TCA this September.

The second resolution calls for the county commissioners' courts in the Panhandle to increase their annual allocation to the PARC from ten to twenty cents per capita. If all 25 counties participated fully in that plan, an extra \$35,000 per year would be raised for the operations of a detoxifica-

The possible detoxification center for the Panhandle was uppermost in the minds of the judges during the meeting. An implementation committee headed by Judge Jack Powell of Dumas recommend that a detoxification center be created in Amarillo as soon as

After the judges formally agreed to pursue Powell's recommendation, he explained that the Texas Commission on Alcoholism would make about \$75,000 abailable for the first six months' operations, but that the judges would have to raise the second six months

The judges also agreed that cities in the region should be asked to participate in the funding of a detox center. The judges will appoint information teams to visit with various city commissions about the center in the near future.

#### **FARMERS & SIGNUPS**

Many of the nation's grain farmers, offered a tradeoff deal of surplus grain for not sowing their own crops, were reported interested in the government's newest farm gimmick, but total signups were being kept secret in fear some of them might try to "outsmart the system.

Mubarak asks U.S. to force Israel to withdraw troops.

Mid-January jobless claims lowest since 1981.

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# **GTE** modernizes & improves service facilities

PERRYTON--Major modernization and service improvement programs in Spearman and throughout the state are a part of General Telephone's need for increased rates, according to Bob Meyers, operations manager for General Telephone

"Over a twenty-four month period about one-half million dollars will be spent by the company in Spearman for switching office equipment and local facilities, as a part of the company's program to provide Spearman customers with improved local and longdistance service," Meyers

Meyers said during 1982, the company installed additional switching equipment and cable facilities in Spearman to provide for continuing growth in the area. In addition, long-distance equipment which is more modern and can more accurately bill and process our long-distance calls has been installed to improve long-distance service. Longdistance lines are checked daily on a routine basis to

trouble on the circuits.

Another significant improvement in our long-distance service will be the new electronic switching system presently being installed in Guymon, which switches most of the long-distance calls in the

Panhandle of Texas and Oklahoma. This equipment is expected to be operational in

service improvements in the last few years and we are excited about the new local and long-distance networks to be placed in service the next few months. We recognize the importance of reliable communications in the Panhandle area and are planning and providing the best systems available." said Meyers.

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# HURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1983 PSU to present "Snoopy

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the Music Department

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The cast includes many of

he characters from the

Charles Schultz famous comic

trip. PSU performers include

oma, as Sally Brown; Kandy Newton of Fritch, Texas, as Lucy; and Val Pearson of Tishomingo, Oklahoma as Peppermint Patty. Also in the

Tisa Adams of Keyes, Okla-

cast are Zane Newton of

Spearman, Texas, playing

Woodstock; Jeff Shaffer of

Laverne, Oklahoma, as Linus

and Steve Bailey of Hugoton,

Kansas, appearing as Charlie

Brown. Due to a conflict, with only five rehersal dates before

the first performance, and no

understudy cast members, the part of "Snoopy" will be

played by director, Bill Schlitt.

It's all there.

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of the Winter Festival ation at PSU. Schlitt, director of the al comedy said, "We're excited about this show. will be one of the first in the country. It is laying to packed houses w York City." Schlitt on to say, "Many of great Peanuts situaare recreated in the Linus waiting for the Great Pumpkin, Lucy and her

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> is a show the whole family will enjoy. It is a lot of fun with good music and good laughs. "There are also some very poignant, very touching moments," commented Schlitt. "I suppose that's one reason why the comic strip has always enjoyed such universal appeal."

Tickets for "Snoopy" will be available at the door and are riced at \$3.50 for adults and \$1.00 for students and children. Persons wishing to reserve tickets may call the Music Department, (405) 349-2611 EXT 260 and pick them up the evening of the perform

Zane Newton plays "Woodstock"



Pictured above are members of the cast of "Snoopy" rehearsing for their upcoming presentation on the Panhandle State University campus. Left to right are: Zane Newton, Tisa Adams, Joff Shaffer, Steve Bailey, Kandy

Newton, and Val Pearson. "Snoopy" will be performed February 24 and 25 at 8:00 p.m. in Hughes Strong Auditorium and at 2:00 p.m. on February 26 as part of the Winter Festival activities.



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# Servitors met in Winegarner home

of Linda Winegarner on Feb. 17, 1983 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order by Beckee Baker, pres.

Prayer was given by Denise Donnell. Club Pledge was led by Beth Brown. Introduction of guests: Pat Cudd, Sheila Chappell, Lisa Keetch.

Roll Call was answered to "Helpful Household Hint." Committee Reports:

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**SATURDAY** 2/26/83

was taken to Michelle Mahaney and Jeannie Laughlin, our two new mothers. Also to Stephanie Brock and Kay Snider because of illness.

Kathy Archer, corresponding secretary, received a thank you note from Cheryl Brown, the state Jr. Director, for our contribution to her traveling funds. We also received a resignation from

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Department Reports: ART: Tour of the Hansford County Museum was cancelled until the next meeting to allow more time on judging of genius kits. The tour will be rescheduled. It was decided to donate \$25 to the Hansford

County Red Cross. OLD & UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Eva Mae Reger was nominated and elected by

Third Vice President since Patti resigned. New members were placed on committees and departments by Beckee. Michele Davis will arrange a visit to Perryton's Montessori School in the near future.

NEW BUSINESS: Our annual Volleyball Tournament will be March 24, 25, and 26 for men and women. Cheryl Gibson, finance chairman, asked for volunteers to assist her in planning the tournament.

Our first annual Mini-Fest has been rescheduled for April 16 at the County Barn. Members were reminded of various booths and exhibits they will be responsible for. Each member was also asked to make one homemade craft item for the Arts and Craft

The Genius Kits were passed out by the Art Department to each member to be completed by the next meet

ing.
The raffle was made by Gaye Woolley and won by Cheryl Gibson.

Our program was a film and question and answer session on Girls Town. Mr. Robert Wilson, administrator of Girlstown at Borger, was our speaker.

Our next meeting will be March 17, 7:00 p.m. at the First Christian Church.

Members present were: Kathy Archer, Beckee Baker, Beth Brown, Michele Davis, Denise Donnell, Kitty Edwards, Cheryl Gibson, Mary Harbour, Janie Kunselman, Deanne Latham, Jan Morgan, Francis Pipkin, Eva Mae Reger, Kay Snider, Peggy Varnon, Sheila Watley, Linda Winegarner, Peggy Winegarner and Gaye Woolley.

Meeting was adjourned.

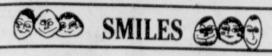
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1 30	Gymnastics: USGF Single Elimination Championship	Alfred Hitchcock Victory Garden	The Jetsons Flash Gordon	Row'	ABC Weekend Special American Bandstand	Westerners Wild Bill Hickcock	Movie: The Gunfight at Dodge City	Gilligan's Planet New Fat Albert Show	Movie: Treasure	News/Sports Weather Big Story
12 30	Basketball:	Oklahoma Gardening Market to Market	So You Got Troubles Dance Fever	Movie: 'Raintree	Popl Goes the Country	Movie: 'Gunfire at Indian Gap'	" " " "	Blackstar NCAA Basketball:	of Sierra Madre'	News/Sports Weather Newsmakers
1 30	"	Over Easy " Sneak Previews	Wild Kingdom " I Dream of Jeannie	County'	Nashville Music Classic Country	Broken Arrow	Movie: 'Abbott and Costello in the Foreign	Notre Dame at DePaul		News Update Health Week Evans and Novak
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Hindsight

"If you had your life to live over," the prominent octogenarian was asked by reporters, "do you think you'd make the same mistakes again?"

"Certainly," said the old man, smiling reminiscently, "but I'd start sooner."

Report: abortion rate leveling off.

MX commission given more time.

Report says political repression in world widespread. **SATURDAY** 2/26/83

Wrong Nickname When William was getting ready for college he told

the family, "I wish you all would stop calling me 'Big

'Why?" they asked. "College names sometimes stick, and you know I am going to be a doctor.'

Ten killed as cable car crashes in Alps.

Hinckley tries to commit suicide again.

Gas prices lowest in three years.

**ABOUT** YOUR

Lemon helps remove odors of onion, garlic, seafood, etc. from hands.

Add grated Parmesan cheese to the top of a tossed green salad for a nice change.

Now is the time to check all leftover garden pesticides and discard all that are banned by law.

Do you have trouble with steaks curling up when you try to grill them. Score the fat with a sharp knife at close intervals--this works for me.

Do you have leftover breakfast coffee? Pour it into a vaccum bottle and you can have hot coffee for your morning break.

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7 30	" Winterworld Series	USA/Mobil Track and Field Champ- ionships	Diff'rent Strokes Silver Spoons	Movie: 'Cannery Row'	T.J. Hooker	NCAA Basketball: Lamar at McNeese St.	Solid Gold	Wizards and Warriors	New Jersey at Atlanta	News/Sports/ Weather
8 30	NCAA Basketball: Ohio State at Michigan	Shirley Bassey Show	Mama's Family " Teacher's Only	" " " " "	Love Boat	# # #	NCAA Basketball: Ohio St. at Michigan	Movie: 'Zorro, the Gay Blade'		News Update Freeman Reports
9 30		Fawlty Towers " It's Your Move	Family Tree	Movie: The Seduction'	Fantasy Island	Superstars " NCAA Basketball:	11 11 11	# # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # #	TBS Weekend News	News/Sports Weather
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1 1 30	NCAA Basketball: Wake Forest at Maryland	Sign Off		Movie: 'McVicar'	'Rooster Cogburn'	Rock Church	Solid Gold Musical Countdown	" "	Movie: 'The Naked and the Dead'	News/Sports Weather Money Week
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0	Future Sport " NCAA Basketball:	Outdoor Oklahoma	Day of Discovery Larry Jones Ministry	" Movie: 'Star Wars'	Big Blue Marble Kidsworld	Kenneth Copeland	Mass for Shut-Ins Chicagoland Church Hour	Herald of Truth First Baptist Church	Lost In Space	News/Sports Weather Evans and Novak
9 30	Ohio State at Michigan	Life On Earth	World Tomorrow Oral Roberts	" " " "	Grizzly Adams	Let God Love You Larry Jones Ministry	Tarzan "	Sunday Morning	Lighter Side  Movie: The Molly	News Update Cooking/Ken Newsmaker Sunday
1000		Nature of Things	Baptist Church	Movie:	Tarzen	Jimmy Swaggart	Rawhide "	" "	Maguires'	News Update Health Week Sports Week end Review
11 30	Road to	Nova "	Jimmy Swaggart	Baby'	This Week with David Brinkley	Dr. James Kennedy Religion	Cisco Kid Lone Ranger	Waltons	" " "	News/Sports Weather Crossfire
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2 30	Virginia	Masterpiece Theatre		Movie: 'The Postman Always Rings Twice'	Amateur Boxing	" " "	Melody of 1938'	Doral-Eastern Open Golf		News Update Media Watch Big Story
3 30	Basketball:	Six Great Ideas	SportsWorld	" " " "	Wide World of Sports	Wagon Train	Movie: 'Smoky'		Man From At- lanta: Ted	News Updat Health Week Evans and Novak
4 30	"	French Chef "Hidden Places	:	Movie: 'Caveman'	# # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # #	Movie: 'Apache Rose'		CBS Sports Sunday	Turner News Jacques Cousteau	News/Sports Weather Newsmaker Sunday
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# DEADLE

The major action taken by trustees of the Spearman Independent School District (SISD) at the regular board meeting Monday night was to call an election to fill three positions on that board.

The election was set for April 2.

Candidates for the school board positions may file at the school office in the high school building during regular office hours from now until March 2.

One incumbent school board member, Charles Shieldknight has filed for re-election.

An election judge, alternate and clerks for the election have not been named as yet. They will be appointed well in advance of voting day, April 2 and this does not affect candidate filing.

The chief emphasis here is there are only eight office days to file before the March 2 deadline.

Terms are ending for Tom Latta, secretary to the board and for members Dennis Nelson and Charles Shieldknight.

At press time, none of the three had filed for re-election but neither had they made any announcement declining to run for another term.

In other action following the routine approval of minutes of the previous meeting, bills and accounts were approved for payment and the resignation of one staff member was accepted.

Abbie Reyes had tendered her resignation for board acAction regarding the upcoming elections filled out the agenda.

Remember the deadline for filing for school board is March 2.

ON REPRESSION

The State Department said recently political repression around the world continued on a broad scale in 1982, with a number of non-democratic governments-both friendly and unfriendly -routinely denying the most fundamental human

There are two things that should happen to everyone in this life. They should serve on the school board and have a Texas Aggie for a son-in-law.

Eubie Blake, ragtime musician dead at 100.

**Comment On Sports** 

BASEBALL \* \* \*

By Pete Fritchie

SARASOTA, Fla. -- Baseball is here again in Florida. The White Sox train in this coastal city and open their Grapefruit League schedule against the Detroit Tigers Monday, March 7.

Pitchers are already training and all players will be working out by March 1. After a week of practice, exhibition games continue until the first week in April.

Looking back on last season, the defeat of the Milwaukee Brewers by the St. Louis Cardinals revealed the Brewers' weakness in pitching at the end of the year. (Curiously, the Tigers, who were supposed to be sound except for pitching in 1982, led the American

Sharon will stay on in Israel's cabinet.

League in pitching last season!)

The world champion Cardinals have opened camp in St. Petersburg. They share their home playing field there with the improved New York Mets. The Cards play the Sox in Sarasota on March

The White Sox play fifteen home exhibition games this season, the last on April 3 against Pittsburgh--which trains in nearby Bradenton. The Sox host the Pirates and the Kansas City Royals three

times each, teams which train north and south of here on Florida's west coast. Eighteen Major League teams train in Florida.



Rev. Bruce Chesser and the Baker kids remind you that this large pile of snow has melted at the First Baptist Church and you are welcome to attend Sunday.

# THURSDAY

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Miami: \$9 million in gold stolen from jewelry house.

Wholesale price decline 1 percent in January.

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7	30	Gymnastics: USGF Single Elimination Championship	Sneak Previews Enterprise	Fame "	Love'	Condo " Amanda's	I Spy	Movie: 'The Return of the Pink Panther'	Magnum, P.I.	NCAA Basketball: Indiana at Michigan	Prime News
0	30	NCAA Basketball: Wake Forest at North	All Creatures Great and Small	Gimme A Break Cheers	Movie: 'Caveman'	Too Close for Comfort It Takes Two	700 Club	" " "	Simon & Simon	" " "	12 12 14
0	30	Carolina "	Mystery!	Hill Street Blues	" " "	20/20	Star Time	News "	Knots Landing	TBS Evening News	Freeman Reports
n	30	NCAA Basketball: UCLA at USC	MacNeil-Leh- rer Report Business Report	News "Tonight Show	Movie: 'Barbarella'	News Rockford Files	Another Life	Charlie's Angels	News Quincy	All In the Family Movie: 'The Drums'	Sports Tonight Crossfire
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7	30	NCAA Basketball: Nebraska at Oklahoma	-6	Letterman "NBC News Overnight	Movie: 'Making Love'	" " "	I Married Joan My Little Margie	More'	Three Guns for New York'	Movie:	People Now With Bill Tush

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7	NFL Theatre: Super Seventies	Washington Week/Review Wall Street Week	Powers of Matthew Star	Movie: 'Final Conflict'	Benson New Odd Couple	I Spy	NBA Basketball: Chicago at Philadelphia	Dukes of Hazzard	Movie: 'George!'	Prime News
8 30	Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV	Oklahoma Week in Review Lawmakers	Knight Rider	" " "	Movie: 'The Warriors'	700 Club		Dallas "		" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "
9 30		Jack Edens With	Remington Steele	Movie: 'Diner'		Star Time	News "	Falcon Crest	TBS Evening News	Freeman Reports
10 30	ESPN SportsCenter	MacNeil-Leh- rer Report PBS Late Night	News " Tonight Show "		News " Rockford Files	Another Life	Soap "Charlie's Angels	News Movie: 'Embryo'	All In the Family Movie: 'Nicholas	Sports Tonight Crossfire
11 30	"	Sign Off	SCTV Network	Movie: 'It Rained All Night the Day I Left'	Nightline	Burns & Allen  Jack Benny Show	Saturday Night	" " "	and Alexandra'	News America Screams
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ally known musical group, will appear at Spearman Union Church, 31 S. Endicott, on March 2nd. The concert will

begin at 7:30 P.M. Over the past 23 years THE SPURRLOWS have produced high quality music in the form of 10 albums with Word, Inc., over 30 choral books for churches, concerts with Youth for Christ, Jesus Festivals, Billy Graham programs, and have ministered in thousands of churches all across America. More recently, they have become a part of a new concept called FESTIVAL OF PRAISE, a musical of praise and worship involving a 40 voice traveling choir. Organ-

ized by Thurlow Spurr, internationally know creator, producer and musical director for the PTL Television Network, THE SPURRLOWS appeal to all ages. Their message is as timeless as the Word of God. They have been seen many times on national television specials such as the Bob Hope Show and their own award

winning Christmas Special. They have appeared in a full length motion picture, in over 500 national conventions, and in world premiers of four musicals. Twice they have had the distinction of being the invited guests of the President of the United States at the White House. They have

preformed for more high school and college students than any group in recent history, and have long been recognized as innovators in

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THE SPURRLOWS are a group of young men and women keenly dedicated to the goal of renewal of the individual within the church. The singers and musicians come from all parts of the United States, and they blend their talents and ministries as one. Their musical style is smooth and soft, yet exciting as it covers a broad range of selections.

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really matter. The public is invited to share in this time of

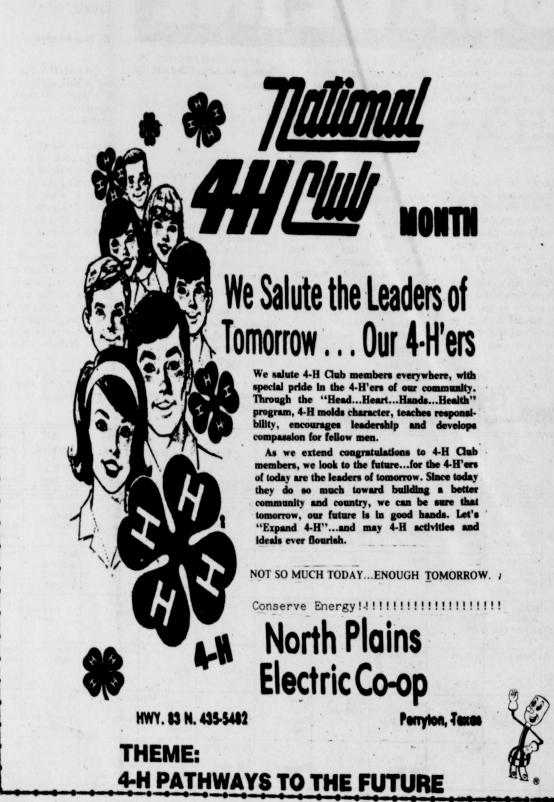
#### MX COMMISSION

A presidential commission struggling to find a basing system for the MX missile acceptable to both Congress and the Pentagon was given an extra month recently to search for a consensus about the embattled program.

Rep. Udall says he is not a 1984 candidate.

Trucker's leader says strike over.

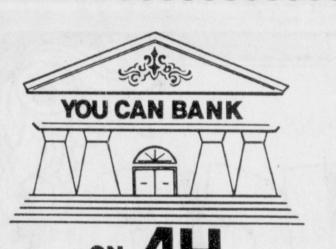
Japan: video games may cause crime wave.





Monarch Pass.

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