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THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1986

A CAPP Meeting will be held January 11th, 10:00 a.m. at the Gruver High School.

Beau Boulter will discuss the PCB situation concerning Hansford County.

Sesquicentennial Notes From Oslo Community

Hansford History by Joyce Johnson

In January 1914, Mr. Torris Knutson came from South Dakota to "sunny Texas" to look at the land. He didn't bring along an overcoat figuring he wouldn't need it. The first night he was here, a snowstorm came and piled drifts up to the bottom of the upstairs windows of the Lewis Johnson home where he was staying. Since the land was covered with snow, Mr. Knutson decided the only way to see what the soil was like, was to look at it in the Johnson's cellar. He liked what he saw and returned to South Dakota and brought back his family to live.

Make your plans now to attend House at the Stationmaster's House Museum. Saturday, January 11th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A room has been remodeled by Craig Hutchison with beautiful cabinets for displaying artifacts. Also, Saturday observe a Sesquicentennial Quilt Judging. An added attraction - State Mocking Bird will be present.

Also, make your plans now to attend the February 1, 1986 Sesquicentennial Celebration in the Gruver High School Auditorium at 7 p.m. The committee has planned an evening of very interesting entertainment.

Money is needed for the committee members; Phone calls, construction paper, paper for programs etc. Make checks to Sesquicentennial Committee and mail to the January Sesquicentennial Open Albert Graves, Box 83, Spearman, Texas 79081. or give to Albert. All proceeds go directly to the Sesquicentennial Committee.

J.W. "Buck" Buchanan Seeking Re-Election



State Representative J.W. "Buck" Buchanan of Dumas this week formally announces his candidacy for re-election in the Texas 88th Legislative District.

The North Plains native has a long record of service in agriculture, civic and youth work, and has received a number of awards for his achievements, locally and regional-

Buchanan is recognized as a leading authority on North Plains and Texas water resources and has worked in developing Texas water plans and legislation.

Representative Buchanan was elected in 1980 and again in 1982 and 1984 in his present tenure, but

had served 2 terms in the Texas House several years back. He serves on three permanent House Committees; they are Natural Resources, County Affairs and House Administration. He has been named by the House Speaker to serve on three interim committees to prepare recommendations on legislation at the next session in 1978.

"I believe that my experience to effectively serve the area. I will work to assure that the people of the 88th District have their needs heard and met in Austin."

Representative Buchanan devotes all of his time to his job as Representative in the District and in Austin and says of the office: "I have worked constructively in Austin for the Panhandle and I have worked to defeat legislation that served special interests or that increased State spending needlessly and carelessly. I am proud to have a record of being conservative and responsible, as my district expects me to be."

"I am asking your support and vote in the 1986 election on my record of serving the district," Buchanan adds. "I will be visiting over the district in the months ahead to keep abreast of the people's needs and wishes - and to ask and thank you for your sup-

Political advertisement paid for by Ken Morrison, Treasurer, P.O. Box 635, Dumas, Texas 79029.



What is this? This large portable vat came through Spearman this

past week. If you know what is

Mrs. Pope Gibner's Brother passes away

Mrs. Pope Gibner's brother, Mr. Louis Erwin, of Dallas, passed away Sunday, January 5th, at 1:45

Services were held at 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, January 7th in Dallas. Due to her health, Mrs. Gibner was unable to attend.

Mr. Erwin would have been 85 on January 27th.



Mrs. Lane Boyd gave the program at the Rotary Club recently. Mrs. Boyd is the Junior High

Counselor at the Spearman Junior High School.

EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE

gency Food Assistance, i.e. cheese, butter, and other commodities as they become available, a recent directive from the Texas Department of Human Services requires certification of your family income. Proof of income will be necessary.

Proof may be shown by:

1. Your SSI Award letter, form

2. Your Food Stamp form 1009 (pink or yellow copy).

3. Your Wage statements for the last three (3) months.

4. A letter from your employer stating your present wage or salary. 5. A letter from the Social Security Administration stating disability

If unemployed, a letter from your last employer stating your income at time of discharge and date of discharge.

Self-employed persons, i.e. farmers and others, will need a copy of 1984 Income Tax Statement and 1985 statement will need to be shown when

You may bring proof to the County Judge's Office Monday thru Friday from 8:30 a.m. till 5:00 p.m. and be certified prior to the January 15, 1986 cheese distribution.

Lynxettes Play in Canadian Tournament

The Spearman Lynxettes competed Thursday, January 2 in the Canadian Tournament against Panhandle.

The first quarter, Spearman trailed 10 to 13 and by half-time, the Lynxettes were behind six points with a score of Spearman 19, Panhandle 25. The third quarter, the Lynxettes were behind eleven points with a schore of Spearman 26, Panhandle 37. The Lynxettes made a come-back the final quarter, scoring fifteen points to Panhandle's eight points, but still finished the game four points behind Panhandle with a final score of Spearman 41, Panhandle 45.

Individual scoring for the Lynxettes included (F.G., F.T., F., T.P.(: Shannon Jenkins (6-5-5-17): Jill McLain (2-5-4-9(; Mary Lou Baker (2-0-1-4); Jennifer Yarbrough (0-2-1-2); Cayla Eaton (0-2-2-2); Julie Jones (0-2-3-2); Carrie Guthrie (0-2-2-2); Heather Murrell (1-0-1-2); Donda Pool (0-0-0-0); and Amy Runyan (0-0-0-0).

Friday, the Varsity Lynxettes played Follett for their second game of the Candian Tournament.

the Lynxettes led 12 to 7 at the end of the first quarter and 29 to 19 by half-time. The third quarter. The Lynxettes scored fourteen points to Follett's thirteen points, for a third

quarter score of Spearman 43, Follett 32. The Lynxettes won the game with a final score of Spearman 54, Follett

Individual scoring for the Lynxettes included (F.G., F.T., F., T.P.): Shannon Jenkins (2-9-4-13); Jill McLain (4-5-5-13); Amy Runyan (3-0-1-6); Heather Murrell (3-0-5-6); Cayla Eaton (1-3-3-5); Carrie Gutherie (2-0-2-4); Donda Pool (0-3-0-3); Julie Jones (0-2-2-2); Mary Lou Baker (0-2-1-2); and Jennifer Yarbrough (0-0-1-0).

The Varsity Lynxettes played Valley Saturday, January 4 in the Canadian Tournament for the Consulation Award.

The Lynxettes trailed 11 to 16 at the end of the first quarter, but led 23 to 20 by half-time. The third quarter, the Lynxettes were ahead 34 to 27. The Lynxettes won the game with a final score of Spearman 46, Valley 44.

Individual scoring for the Lynxettes included (F.G., F.T., F., T.P.); Shannon Jenkins (6-6-2-18); Jill McLain (4-4-2-12); Carrie Guthrie (3-3-3-9); Julie Jones (0-3-1-3); Cayla Eaton (1-0-4-2); Heather Murrell (1-0-4-2); Mary Lou Baker (0-0-1-0); Amy Runyan (0-0-0-0); Donda Pool (0-0-0-0); and Jennifer Yarbrough (0-0-0-0).



HANSFORD COUNTY SESQUICENTENNIAL SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

JANUARY 11 - Stationmaster's House Museum Open

House & Quilt Contest

FEBRUARY 1 - Sesquicentennial Celebration

7 p.m. - Gruver Auditorium



This new fence was built around the James Brown home at 515 s.

Bernice in Spearman. Our Congra-

Distribution of cheese

There will be a Cheese Surplus this month. The cheese will be distributed on Thursday, January 15, 1986 at 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Remember that you have to meet eligibility requirements.

Hospital

Patients in Hansford Hospital are: James Marales, Mary Latham, Virgil Williamson, Byran Peddy, Nova Lee Walker, Tec Weaver, Vera James, and Margurita Jenkins.

Dismals were: Nova Lee Walker, Dixie Tracy, John Dement, and Adina tulations to James Brown for this fine improvement.

A meeting of the Hansford County American Heart Association will be held at the Community Building in Morse, Texas, Monday, January 13th, at 7:00 p.m.

Dr. C.Y. King, Cardiovascular Surgeon, of Amarillo, Texas, will be the guest speaker at this meeting. Everyone is invited to attend.

Markets

Wheat Milo

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Among The Neighbors

Guests of Tom and Helen Etter over the week-end were Karen and daughter, Julie, Countiss of Amarillo. They are former residents of Spearman and favored the congregation of the First Methodist Church with a musical rendition Sunday morning.

Readers of the Amarillo Sunday paper noted the picture of Lou Houk and that she had been promoted by the Tascosa National Bank to position of Loan Administration Officer.

Mrs. Howk is the daughter of Mrs. Wilma Clark and was a graduate of Spearman School. Her sons, Don, a student at Trinity University, and Wayne have been visiting Mrs. Clark during the holidays. Mr. Howk is an assistant principal in Amarillo school.

A first visit to the home of her grandparents was made by two weeks old Kaylie Dawn James. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny James of Childress who spent the week-end in the home of her parents, the Jimmy Greenes. Mrs. Greene returned from a several day stay with the James and brought grandson, Jimmy, home with her.

Mrs. Rhonda Overton returned Saturday from an extended visit in the home of her daughter, the Thompsons, on their ranch near Etophia, Texas. She spent New Years at her sons home at Port Arthur, Texas, where her four grandchildren were also guests. The entire trip was made by bus.

The Ray Robertsons made their New Years resolutions in the presence of daughter Brenda and Claude Annen and children of Dimmitt, their guests. Sybil and Billy Miller were also present.

Mrs. Jim Stevens returned to her home in Canyon after several days here with her parents, the H.J. Vernons. She relived many childhood memories by spending some time at the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack B. Fisher of Memphis transacted business and visited in Spearman and Gruver during the week-end.

The Johnny Gaithers were called to Visali, California Friday by the death of her mother. They expect to be gone about a week.

The Gaithers had had guests during the holidays; among them were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Gaither of Clovis, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Gammil and children of Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dossett enjoyed having their children during the holidays. They were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Dossett of Harlingen; Diana Vaughn and children of Lubbock; the Bernard Dossetts and John Hunts of Amarillo.

The Bill Whitfords, parents of Mrs. Bernard Dossett, were hosts to the Amarillo families also.

Scott Bullard returned to duty aboard the aircraft carrier "Nimitz" at Oceana, Virginia after two weeks leave visiting his parents, the R.W. Bullards and grandparents, The Don Hendricks.

Mrs. Joyce Armstrong of Higgins was also a guest in the home of her niece, Mrs. Nina Hendricks.

Mrs. Lois Miller returned to her home Saturday after a few days stay in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

Bodil Stackhouse met out-oftown friends for a pleasant weekend at Angel Fire and Taos, New Mexico. She was surprised by the scarcity of snow.

Mrs. Maudine Patterson had her son, John, of Houston for a couple of days this week. He was here to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Virginia Sparks.

To report locals, call 659-3468

ties account for 8,985 students - or 25

percent of the overall 1985 fall enroll-

ment. The seven county Dallas/Fort Worth area accounts for 5,081 students

or roughly 14 percent of the total. The

region includes Dallas, Tarrant, Collin,

Denton, Johnson, Ellis and Rockwall

Harris County - including Houston

and its suburbs - is home for 6,847

Aggies. That figure is down 3 percent

from last year, a statistic that falls in line

with the 3 percent decrease in the over-

Other counties with major population

centers from which Texas A&M students

are drawn are: Bexar County (San An-

tonio), 1,892 students; Travis County

(Austin), 556 students; Nueces County

(Corpus Christi), 514 students; and El

Paso County, 283 students.

all Texas A&M enrollment this fall.

A dream comes true



Teddy Vela

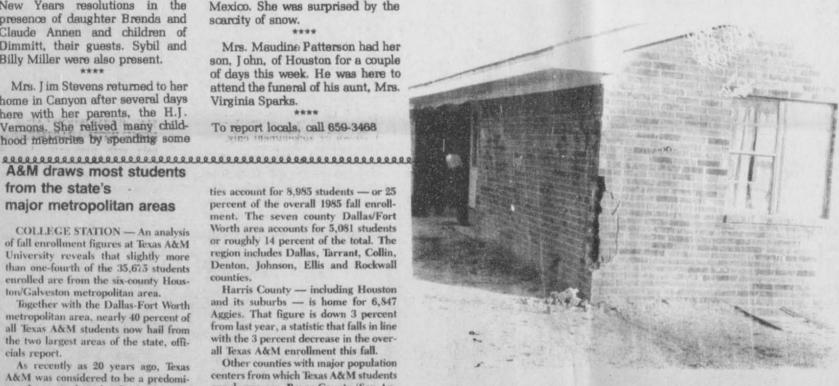
When young men and women graduate from High School, the parents know that they'll soon be leaving for college; so the parents start remenicing about the times when their young adults were just beginning school. Sometimes these young people will come home every two weeks or every month or every holiday. It seems that all the students from the Class of 1985 have already started college, all except for one ...

Teddy Vela, 19 year old son of Guillermo and Aurora Vela, was planning to go to Panhandle State University in Goodwell, OK. He had had a fine Junior year in football, and as a Senior his football year was great. He was voted All-District Center. The scouts for P.S.U. came to watch a couple of football games of the Lynx, and they noticed a certain #65 and they offered him a football scholarship. Everyting was going to smooth. Then approximately two weeks before Teddy was to leave to P.S.U., he came into contact with Hepatitis, which was real bad and he was hospitalized. Teddy's dream of attending college and the works was put aside--for now. He was then informed that he could go to P.S.U. in the beginning of the second semester, what a relief!! So as of this Friday, January 10, Teddy Vela will be among all those students that are offered scholarships and can go to college.

It took some effort and a lot of family love and backing for this "dream" to get started. Now it will be up to Teddy. Let's hope that there are not any students who give up on their dream to attend college just because they couldn't go in the first semester!!

8th Grade Girls Lose Thriller!

It was heartbreak time at Panhandle this week as the 8th grade girls lost to Panhandle 39-37. April Graham scored 2 points, Nora Garcia scored 4 pts; Mitzi Pearson hit 2 pts; Tina Villareal made 2 fouls; Laci Lasater hit 11 points; Tiffany Womble scored 16 points and Sushine Smith hit 2 for the fine Lynxette



The Church of Christ Orphanage was damaged Saturday night by a hit and run vehicle.

Several bricks were knocked

loose when a vehicle skidded into the southwest corner of the building located at fifth and Archer.

from the state's major metropolitan areas COLLEGE STATION - An analysis

A&M draws most students

of fall enrollment figures at Texas A&M University reveals that slightly more than one-fourth of the 35,673 students enrolled are from the six-county Houston/Galveston metropolitan area. Together with the Dallas-Fort Worth

metropolitan area, nearly 40 percent of all Texas A&M students now hail from the two largest areas of the state, officials report.

As recently as 20 years ago, Texas A&M was considered to be a predominantly agricultural school, drawing most of its students from rural com-

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From January through September, 1985, a total of 38 children, ages 0-4, died in automobile accidents. This is a 63% reduction from the same time period in 1984. As tragic as it is to lose a child, the needless harm to our children continues to exist. There were an additional 275 children, ages 0-4, who received severe disabling injuries in automobile accidents in the first nine months of 1985. Of that number, 193 children were not buckled with safety belts or in a safety seat. If you need information on a child safety seat loaner program near you, call the toll free number of the Texas Department of Health's "Safe-Riders" program at 1-800-252-8255.

As a result of public officials recognizing the value of wearing safety belts and mandating their use, the Texas Board of Insurance reduced insurance rates by about 5%. This decision issues a clear challenge to everyone. To maintain that reduction in insurance rates and lifesaving benefits, Texans will have to buckle up and continue to show a reduction in fatalities and the severity of

This is the third in a series of articles about Horizontal Gaze Nystagmus, which refers to an involuntary action wherein the eyeballs exhibit varying degrees of jerkiness" after drinking alcohol.

In Dallas, the veteran police sergeant was headed for the police garage. He had just completed a 10-hour shift and was ready to get off and relax. Suddenly, a couple of blocks ahead, he saw a slow moving car cross in front of him. The car was being followed by a patrol unit with its red lights on and its siren wailing. The sergeant made a turn and fell in behind the patrol unit, which managed to get the suspect's car stopped after another couple of

The young patrolman politely asked the driver to get out of the car, but the driver refused and simply looked at the officer without saving a word. After a second request was ignored, the officer opened the car door and demanded the driver to get out of the car. The driver began to grumble and complain, but reluctantly stepped from the car. During the conversation between the driver and the officer, the driver talked reasonably well and made good sense in what he was saying. He walked okay and was not overly unsteady, and although the smell of an alcoholic heverage was present, it was not as strong as you might suspect with someone who was really loaded. All this prompted the young officer to say to the sergeant, "I don't know what is wrong with this guy. He don't seem to be sick, and I don't think he is drunk, so I guess I'll just have to let him go."

The sergeant told the officer, "Let's see if there is any nystagmus present in his eyes." The sergeant instructed the driver to watch the small pen light as it was moved back and forth in front of him. The driver's eyes could not follow the light smoothly and there was a pronounced jerking of his eyes at approximately 45 degrees. Also, there was a distinct jerking when the eyes reached their maximum limit to either side. These identifiable features of nystagmus are definite signs of intoxication.

The sergeant told the officer to arrest the driver for DWI and take him to the station for a breath or blood test. The sergeant casually predicted that the suspect's blood alcohol concentration (BAC) would be somewhere around .15 to .18. The suspect voluntarily agreed to take an intoxilyzer test which registered his BAC at .16. A person with a BAC of .10 or higher is legally intoxicated in Texas.

This is an example of a drunk driver that would have been 'let go" if no one had known how to check for nystagmus in DWI suspects. This was a suspect that can "hold his liquor" and convince inexperienced officers that he is not drunk. However, nystagmus has no tolerance and can be detected by an experienced officer, no matter how well a person can "hold his liquor."

(Source: Billy Grammer, Lieutenant, Dallas Police Department, retired.)

The police officer approached the driver's window and asked to see his driver's license. The driver flipped open his wallet and spoke into it: "Kirk to Enterprise, Kirk to Enterprise ... beam me up quickly, Scotty.



The piano was invented by an Italian harpsichord maker called Bartolommeo Cristofori, to remedy the harpsichord's inability to play soft, "piano" in Ita-lian, and loud "forte."

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My family, my friends, and many of the citizens of Hansford County have supported me and voted for me during my term of office. I wish to thank them for their support.

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Texas A&M was one of the first universities to offer an extensive job placement service to its students," said Louis Van Pelt, director of the center. "Each year, more than 5,000 registrants ise our office for assistance in finding employment. We also have a large number of interviewees for teaching positions - at one point last year, we arranged for as many as 600 in a matter



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Jennifer Turner hit 4, and the entire 9th grade Lynxette team played outstanding as they blasted Panhandle 32-20. Londie Bradley made 12 points; CArly Shieldknight hit 4 pts; Meli Floyd made 3 pts; Margie Evans made 2 pts; Jan Crawford, Patty Younger, Melissa Beck, Krisin Dunmihoo, Michelle Graham, Kathy Vanlandingham: Christa Sims and Laura Umphress rounded out the Freshman team. The 32-20 win is a tyapical game of the fine Freshmen team!

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Some people say the New Year's resolutions - like diets - are made to be broken. If that were the case, a resolution to lose weight would be doomed.

But if you're serious about becoming fit and shedding extra pounds, it dosen't have to be that way. Applying some goal-setting techniques can help you fulfill this New Year's resolution.

A goal states specifically what you want to have, get, do or be. It's not enough to say you want to change the way you eat and exercise. What and how do you want to change? Do you want to snack less? Get daily exercise? Feel better and have more energy?

Avoid setting your goals according to the values of others. Your friends may want you to lose weight for appearance sake, but perhaps your real concern is improving your health. You'll have a better chance of reaching goals that are based on what's most important to you.

Put your weight and fitness goals in writing. This will help you move from having a vague wish for the future to making a committment.

Set both short-term and longterm goals. Reaching short-term goals will give you a feeling of success as you move along and contribute to your long-term goal. So, for example, if your short-term goal is to get some exercise every day this week, accomplishing that will help you reach your long-term

State your goals positively and visualize yourself having already achieved each goal. For instance, to my life.

Finally, set some target dates for reaching your goals - but be realistic. The goal of fitting into a size smaller clothing may not be a realistic one for the next week, but could be a goal for six months from now. Target dates can create a challenge within you and help you think and act with a sense of

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Mention marble to most people and they picture stately buildings or intricately carved statues of gleaming white presiding with incomparable dignity over their surroundings.

While that might be the most visible use

of marble, it's just one of many, according to A.L. Gay, Jr., president of The Georgia Marble Company. The century-old company, which quarries Géorgia's "white gold," is the largest marble company in the world.

Traditionally we have produced marble for architectural, sculptural and memorial uses," Gay explains. "While we continue to produce the highest quality marble in the world, new technologies have increased the demand for industrial marble, better known as calcium

The list of uses for calcium carbonate is seemingly endless: paper, cosmetics, textiles, adhesives, animal feed, steel plastics, paint and children's crayons. It can even be found in the seats, instrument panel, tires and glass of your car.

The primeval events which formed marble also explain its chemical value. Approximately 600 million years ago huge reefs were formed on the ocean floor by the deposits of the shells and bones of trillions of tiny sea animals. These masses were compacted into limestone by the pressure of thousands of feet of sediment which gradually covered the reefs.

Intense heat and pressure later changed the limestone's molecular structure into rare marble and a series of upheavals forced the marble to the earth's surface. One of the most generous deposits is in north Georgia.

With this perspective of hundreds of millions of years, the last few thousand years when marble has been shaped to meet the needs of man seem compara



tively brief. Marble has traditionally been prized as the finest building and

goal of making exercise a habit.

instead of "I would like to get more exercise," your goal might be better stated "I am walking for 30 minutes each day after work, and it's adding relaxation and exercise

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sculptural material, as evidenced by its use in religious buildings and the houses of royalty. In America, the capitol is filled with marble structures, ranging from the sleek beauty of the recently built National Air and Space Museum to the translucent grace of the Lincoln

While geological events may be responsible for the unique beauty of marble, the tiny, mineral laden sea life of which it is formed give it significant industrial

Marble can be found underfoot not only in some of the most beautiful buildings in the world, but in terrazzo tiles and, in the form of calcium carbonate, in the backing and padding of carpeting.

Earla June Spencer and Bryan E. Jenkins were united in marriage. December 20, 1985 with Reverand Steve Rogers officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spencer, the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene I enkins all of Spearman.

Bridesmaids were: Jill and Gina Hail, cousins of the bride. Best man was Steve Jenkins, cousin of

> 7th GRADE GIRLS LOSE AT PANHANDLE

The Spearman 7th grade girls lost to Panhandle 31-14. Kyla Nelson hit 2 points; Cam Butts. April Wilkerson did not score; Misty Savage hit 3 points; Btandi Schneider hit one point; Bonnie Thompson, Cindy Elliot hit two points; Cindy Elliott hit 2 points; Haley Shieldknight. Malen Shave, did not score; Cindy MeHon hit 4 points; Jana Hawkins, Stephnie In nis. Ginber Sasser, Beverly Burton did not

Community disaster plan aids redevelopment and reduces future losses

COLLEGE STATION - During the emotionally-charged days following a major hurricane, local governments are often so swept up in pressing issues that redevelopment occurs in high risk areas without proper planning, says a Texas A&M University researcher who studies community response to disasters.

"People tend to redevelop even more rapidly after a hurricane," said Dr. Philip Berke, an architectural research scientist. ries prompted by Hurricane Gloria. "Local authorities have the authority to manage development, but people urgently want back into their homes, businesses want to start selling their goods and water systems need to be restored. With these pressing issues, long range plans and orderly reconstruction often is tabled."

Because of these pressures, he said, communities need to prepare in advance for natural disasters. Communities that are best prepared seem to come through a disaster with less chance of loss of life and less total damage to highways, water systems and residential development, Berke said.

Berke believes both federal and local governments should be more concerned with reducing future losses than with financing the same kinds of development in the same low-lying, high-risk

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the groom. Candlelighter was Jeff Spencer, brother of the bride, and ringbearer was Jarrod Hail, cousin of the bride.

Guests were seated by Shannon Scroggs, cousin of the bride, and Paul Lopez Jr.

The couple will be making their home in Ft. Worth where Bryan is stationed at Carswell Air Force

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Winter Driving Tips:

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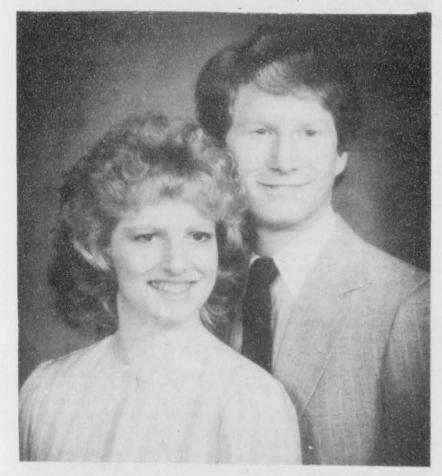
Leave enough room between you and the car in front of you to make an emergency lane change. Watch for tail lights of the vehicle two cars in front of you. Be prepared to slow down or stop if necessary.

When waiting at a red light, wait a few seconds before proceeding on a green light. The driver coming through the intersection may be speeding up to beat the red light.

Leave your headlights on low beam when approaching other vehicles at night. If the approaching car has its headlights on bright, glance to the right side of the road and avoid looking directly at the oncoming lights. This will prevent you from becoming momentarily blinded.



Engagement announced



Mr. and Mrs. Louis Long of Optima, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolyn Long, to Phillip Paul, son of Joe Paul of Dallas, Texas and Waunita Paul of Amarillo, Texas. The bride-elect is a graduate of Guymon High School in 1981 and West Texas State University with a bachelor of science in nursing in 1985. She received her RN Degree in Septem-

ber of 1985 and is currently employed by Dr. Bob Hillert MD. F.A.C.C. in Dallas, Texas. Her fiance graduated from Spearman High School in 1981 and attended West Texas State University. He was a member of Kappa Alpha Order and is currently employed by Cains Coffee Co. in Dallas, Texas. The couple will be married at 2 p.m. February 15, 1986 at St. Peters Catholic Church in Guymon.

Shakespeare bibliography finds a new home at Texas **A&M University**

COLLEGE STATION - Folks in Aggieland are making much ado about something - becoming the new home to the World Shakespeare Bibliography and its 80,000 computerized entries of authors who have written or been writ-

ten about because of the Bard. The resource center, headquartered at Penn State University for almost 20 years, is responsible for the annual Shakespeare bibliography published by the Folger Shakespear Library in

Since moving to Texas A&M University in August, the four-member bibliography staff has been busy arranging its computer files and thousands of books, articles and printed pieces of information pertaining to Shakespeare, his work and its depiction in film and on



Lynn Stedje, Mae Lynn Johnson, and Barbara Stavlo, and John Hutchison presented the program at the Rotary Club, Monday of this

Stedje, Stavlo and Johnson dis-

cussed the proposed PCB waste dump north of Gruver. Readers are reminded that a meeting concerning PCB, will be held at the Gruver High School, Saturday, January 11th at 10:00 a.m.



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Grazers love chicken Dipsters with sauce.

Part of what makes holiday gatherings so much fun is the food. Even if you have no time to cook, you can dazzle guests with excellent chicken finger food. Just heat up Swanson's Plump and Juicy Chicken Dipsters and serve them with an easy yet elegant Curried Chutney Dip like the one below.

Grazers—those people who like to eat a little here and there rather than a whole meal—love chicken Dipsters. Swanson's Dipsters are all chicken meat, not minced chicken, cut in small pieces and quickly fried in vegetable oil. The bread crumb coating is very crispy and the Dipsters can be heated in a conventional or a microwave oven. That's just one of the reasons they star as holiday party food.

CURRIED CHUTNEY DIP FOR CHICKEN

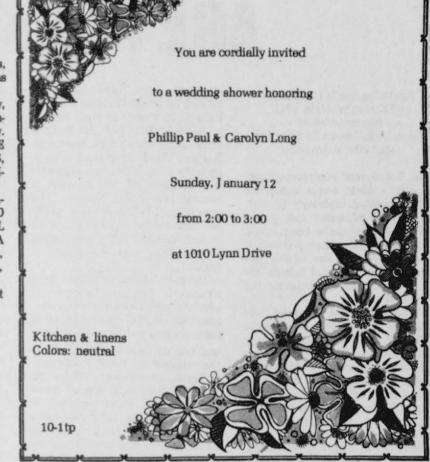
1/2 cup prepared mango 1/2 teaspoon soy sauce

1/2 teaspoon curry powder 1/4 cup sour cream

1. In covered blender container or food processor at high speed blend chutney, curry powder and soy sauce until smooth.

2. Transfer mixture to small bowl; add sour cream and stir until well mixed. Makes 2/3 cup.

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ARE PGBs REALLY HARMLESS?

Are PCBs Really Harmless? by Thomas W. Hale, PhD, Pharmacologist Texas Tech University School of Medicine at Amarillo

In the current controversy concerning a toxic waste dump for polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), we should minimize the potential dangers of these compounds. The issue is more than political; it bears greatly on the health and welfare of animal and human life for a wide area surrounding the proposed site.

A large body of scientific data suggests that life-long exposure to PCBs or their contaminates may ultimately prove harmful.

PCBs are a group of chlorinated hydrocarbons that were first introduced into U.S. industry in 1929. Their physical properties of chemical stability, low volatility, and nonflammability led to their widespread use in electrical capacitors, hydraulic and lubricating fluids, and transformers. Some estimates are that by 1970 over a billion pounds of PCBs had been produced and sold in the United States.

By the 1960s, with development of assays for PCBs, it became apparent that these compounds were classic environmental pollutants because they were widely distributed in sediment from oceans, in lakes and finally in human fat tissue. Because of the extreme chemical stability of these

compounds, their enormous affinity for fat tissue in mammals, and because they are destroyed only to a limited degree in mammals, these compounds typify biomagnification. That is, they tend to build up in the food chain of all mammals and progressively accumulate in humans and other species. The insecticide DDT is another pesticide that builds up in the food chain to such a degree that it has almost destroyed the eagle population in the U.S.

Three industrial accidents have occured in the past 18 years in which human foods were contaminated with PCBs -- one in Japan in 1968, another in Michigan in 1973, and one in Taiwan in 1979. Since the outbreak of 'Yusho Poisoning' in Japan, where over 1000 people were poisoned with rice oil contaminated with PCBs, interest in these compounds that persist in our enviroment has been mounting. Most of our knowledge of acute and chronic PCB toxicity has been derived from these poisonings. Contamination of dairy cattle feed in Michigan in 1973 spread the compounds to a large number of humans. A number of studies concerning the transport of PCBs into human breastmilk resulted from this contamination.

A good deal of the difficulty in studying these compounds has been determining the poisonous component. Unfortunately, most PCB fluids contain a wide variety of

polychlorinated hydrocarbons. The difficulty is to decide which component is most and least toxic. For instance, the PCB oil in Japan contained a significant amount of PCDFs, also called polychlorinated dibensofurans, which are many times more toxic than certain PCBs. Therefore, the potential toxicity of the PCBs must likewise include estimates of the toxicity of the "minor" components such as the PCDFs as well.

Because of the potential danger of these compounds, there are no reliable data on the disposition of PCBs in humans. In other words, we don't know exactly what goes where and how fast it disappears. Animal studies have demonstrated clearly that the PCBs can be absorbed orally, from pulmonary circulation, and by penetration through the skin. Distribution throughout the body is rapid, but the PCB is finally stored for long periods in fat tissue. Because the PCBs are metabolized very slowly. they have the potential to stay in the human body (and accumulate) for many years. Blood levels (and many of the symptoms) from the Yusho poisonings in Japan have remained detectable for over 9 years and probably are still detectable. We should further remember, that although the blood level may be small, much higher levels exist in the fat tissue, and only small amounts ever penetrate to the blood stream where they are

detected. In other words, just because the blood levels are low, doesn't necessarily mean that the levels stored in various parts of the body are similarly low.

Studies in animals have demonstrated that the acute toxicity of PCBs is rather low when administered as a single dose. However, after a latent period of 5-6 months of continuous exposure a wide variety of symptoms begin to occur.

In humans, fetal toxicity is of particular concern. Two of the lapanese mothers had stillbirths. and almost all of the exposed mother's offspring had abnormal skin pigmentation. Therefore, PCBs are obviously transported to the fetus. Many of the infants from this group were small for gestational age when born. A number of studies in animals have demonstrated a significant degree of spontaneous abortions and birth defects after chronic exposure to PCBs. At the present time, we do not know the degree of transport of PCBs to fetal tissue, nor the amount required to produce significant teratogenisis (birth defects) during the early stages of fetal development. Although small in comparison to the mother, the amount of PCBs in fetal circulation may be large in comparison to the fetus. As with many drugs, exposure to PCBs during the early stages of development may find the fetus particularly vulnerable.

Several PCB mixtures have been

shown to be carcinogenic (cancer causing) in laboratory animals. Therefore there is potential for concern in human populations exposed over long periods of time. Studies thus far suggesting a possible link between PCBs and cancer have been limited by small sample size and exposure to other carcinogens in our environment (such as smoking). One study by the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health found no relationship between PCBs and cancer. At the same time, this study was critized because it only reviewed 15 years following exposure. Many substances (particularly asbestos) are latent carcincogens, and may require as many as 20 to 30 years to induce cancer. KNOWN TOXIC EFFECTS OF

PCBs IN LABORATORY ANIMALS: Hepatic Cancer, Spontaneous abortions, Stillbirths, Acneform skin lesions, Liver enzyme changes, Ocular lesions, Damage to pericardium.

A number of other biological changes have also been noted in humans and animals following chronic exposure to PCBs. The blood level of triglycerides (fats) strangely increases, whereas other important blood proteins that control fat metabolism tend to fall (High Denisity Lipoproteins) which could lead to enhanced arteriosclerosis (hardening of the arteries) after a number of years.

In summary, the potential toxi-

city of the polychlorinated biphenyls (and their contaminates) must be examined from two different aspects. First, what is the potential damage from an acute single episode exposure. And secondly, what is the potential toxicity from a chronic life-long exposure such as from a polluted environment.

When viewed as a single episode or an acute exposure, we presently consider their toxicity to be rather limited. However, when viewed as environmental pollutants, all mammals who live in that environment become chronically

increasingly contaminated with these compunds. Because the PCBs typify biomagnification and are metabolized to only a limited degree, all species exposed will inevitably continue to amass larger

concentrations during their lifespan. Therefore, in contrast to their acute toxicity, their subacute and chronic biohazard appears to be of much greater concern. Although at present, we do not have enough data to positively correlate years and the degree of exposure, to risk of disease, the insidious buildup of these compounds in human beings throughout a lifetime of exposure could prove to be perilous.



Jodie Harnish on the left. receives a check for the Hansford County Empty Stocking Fund from

Edgar Womble president of the Spearman Rotary Club.

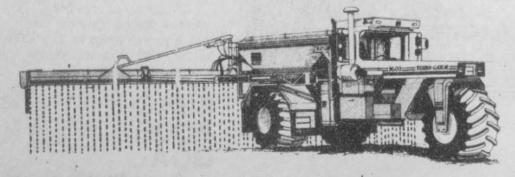


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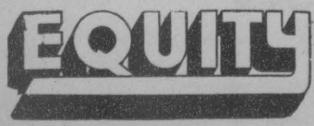
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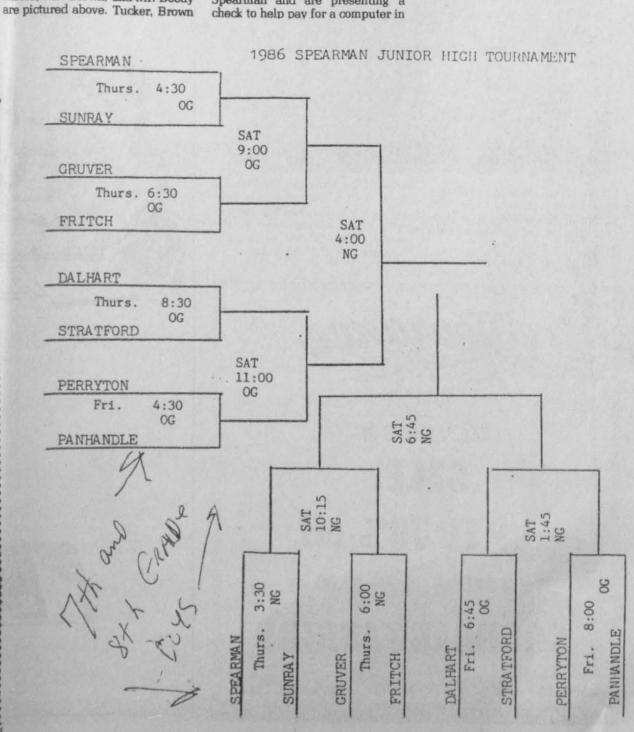
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Big Bird (Ada Joyce Stedje) gives Janie Kunselman a big kiss. The two will be featured in the Hansford County Sesquicentennial Celebration this year.

Also Janie Kinselman annouces that the Sesquicentennial Band is rehearsing and will be ready to present their 1st Musical in Gruver in the near future.

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Amarillo native and a 1977 graduate of West Texas State University. She was formerly employed by Mesa Petroleum Co. as administrative assistant to the president. Plank and her husband, Daryl, have one daugh-



Ada Joyce Stedje looks at the state bird. Ada Joyce made this costume of a mockingbird to be

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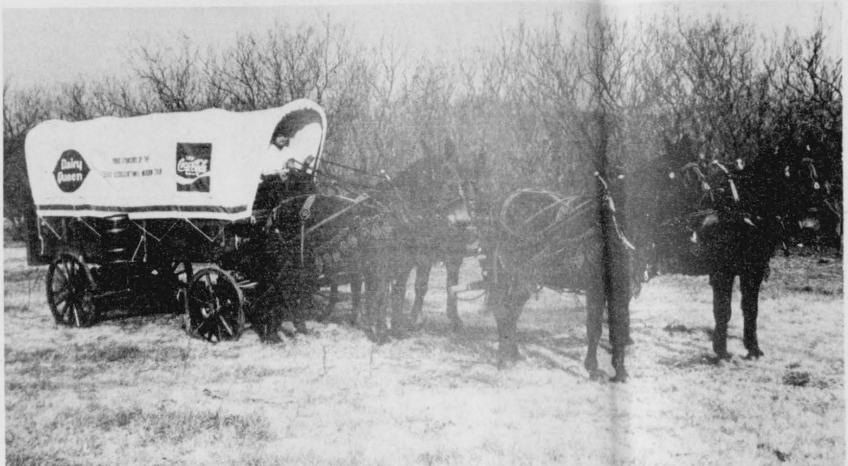
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Dairy Queen and Coca-Cola promotional activities will be donated to the Children's Miracle Network Telethon.

Texas Dairy Queen and Coca-Cola have teamed together, hitching their respective corporate wagons to the "star" of the Texas Sesquicentennial celebration -- the "Circle Texas" wagon train.

As co-sponsors of the Texas Wagon Train Association, and joint sponsors of one of the lead wagons in the train, Dairy Queen and Coca-Cola are re-emphasizing their collective and long-standing commit-

ment to the people of Texas. "These two companies have been part of the Texas lifestyle for more years than most of us can remember," says Richard Thayer, president of the Texas Dairy Queen Operators Council. "Long before there were fast food establishments on every corner in Texas, there was Dairy Queen. We've grown up with this State, and we're proud to be part of its heritage. And look at Coke," Theyer continues, "Coke is such an inbred part of the Texas culture, people use the trade name as a generic description of all soft drinks." "Because of our 'Texas Connection' we felt it was encumbent upon both of our companies to support this historic event in a show of appreciation to all the

citizens of Texas," Thayer adds.

There's no question that the citizens of Texas who live along the 3,000 mile wagon train route will appreciate the Dairy Queen/Coca -Cola Sesquicentennial wagon. supplied by White Diamond Enterprises of Glen Rose, Texas, the wagon is an all-weather, steel-rim wheel Prairie Schooner which will be drawn by a four-up team of black draught mules.

The wagon will be decorated with the co-sponsor's identification marks in compliance with the regulations of the Texas Sesquicentennial Association, and colorful harness pom-poms will adorn the team during all Desquicentennial

In addition to the Sesquicentennial wagon, Dairy Queen and Coke have contracted with White Diamond for all of the services necessary to support the wagon throughout its six month journey. A camp manager, a cook, a wrangler and several teamsters will provide food and lodging for Dairy Queen/ Coca-Cola personnel as well as bedding and feed for all of the animals

"White Diamond was chosen as

our supplier because of their previous experience in civic events and their outstanding performance in parade participation," Thayer

"It's a big job, but we're proud to be a part of this exciting event," says Peggy White, president of White Diamond. "We'll be supplying a motor home that sleeps six, a horse trailer and six outrider horses, a shuttle van to transport our client's personnel, a camper and trailer for the crew, a pick-up truck and a back-up team of mules for the wagon."

"When you consider the logistics of providing food, shelter and feed for six months, and all the details that must be ironed out, it makes you wonder how the pioneers ever made it across the country. It's truly amazing," White declares.

Because many Dairy Queen and Coca-Cola personnel are expected to participate intermittently in the wagon train, as it passes through more than 120 different cities and towns, White Diamond is also providing two surreys and outrider accomodations for local promotion of the event.

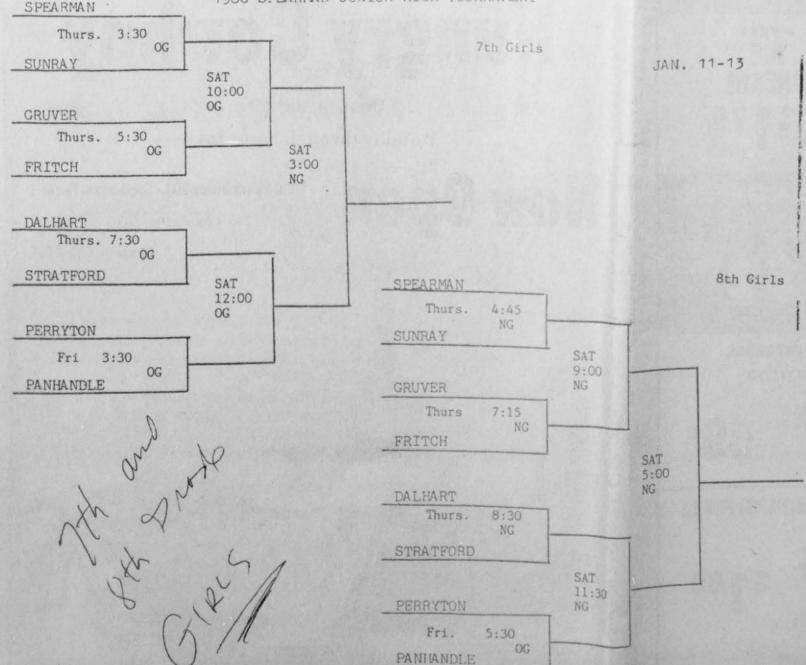
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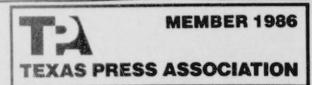
Train creates a number of opportunities for Dairy Queen and Coca-Cola," Thayer points out. "We're just now putting the finishing touches on a promotional program that will benefit many Texas citizens. Since the details have not yet been formally announced, I can't be specific except to say that 100% of the proceeds will be donated to the Children's Miracle Network Telethon, and will be distributed among children's hospitals throughout the State of Texas."

'We're also planning to videotape many of the wagon train activities to air on the Telethon between May 31 and June 1, on Texas television stations."

When asked about the philanthropic motivation behind tying the Texas Sesquicentennial the Children's Miracle Network Telethon, Thayer siad, "We may not all be cowboys, but we are all Texans, and Texas spirit of unselfish cooperation is what made this State great. We're just trying to insure that the Texas spirit will continue

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Ancient hunters

Archeologist Thomas Hester says native Americans left behind chipped flint points and knives and the remains of butchered ice age

The earliest Texas culture was part of the "Clovis complex." It"s named for the Clovis fluted spear tip, which was used to hunt mammoths. Archaeologists found an important site of this period near the town of Miami in the Texas Panhandle.

Around the year 8800 B.C., ice age hunters shifted their focus to large Bison and tipped their spears with smaller flute points, known as "Folsom." A major kill site of this period is bonfire shelter in Val Canyon Wall and butchered them in a sheltered area below.

Between 7000 and 8000 B.C., the Ice age ended. The Paleo-Indians began adapting to an environment with plants and animals more familiar to modern Texans.

A critical location near Austin is the Wilson Leonard Site. That's where the "Leanderthal Lady" was found. Experts say the remains are the most intact human skeleton ever found from that era.

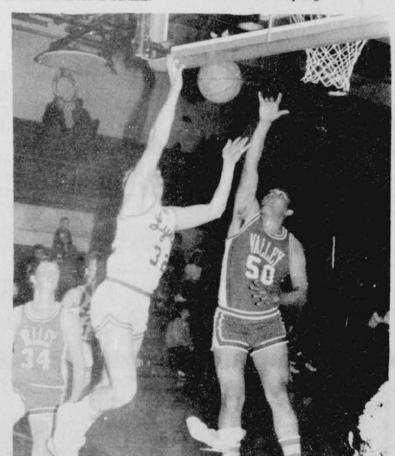
By 6500 B.C., the old Paleo-Indian traditions began to wave and regional cultures developed. This newer pattern is called "archaic."

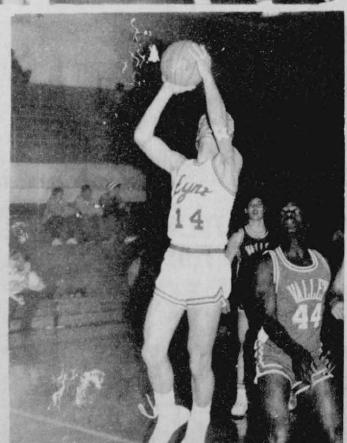
Hester says the period is distinguished from the Paleo-Indian by new kinds of projectile points and grinding tools.

In central Texas, the ancient hunters and gatherers emphasized hunting deer and bison.

In what would become south Texas, hunters and gatherers occupied two different zones.

Along the coastal strip, all types of fish were available in bays. In the interior of South Texas, there was less mesquite brush than today and the landscape had more streams and springs.







Although the Lynx lost 48-56 to Valley in the finals of the Canadian Tournament. Everyone is extremely proud of the Lynx. The

Spearman Boys and Girls teams will host Stratford here Friday night.