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THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 1975

School Enrollment Up At Spearman

Spearman school officials announced Tuesday morning that the enrollment was up at the Spearman school system. At the close of school last year, there were 1021 students in the Spearman school system. As of Tuesday morning at the 7 a.m. board breakfast, the school board announced that to date 1031 students had registered.

In the regular board breakfast, the main topic of discussion, was the first grade. Some parents had called school board members concerning the number of Spanish students in one of the first grades. Allen Alford, elementary principal informed the school board that these 91 first grade students were put into four classes, and were put there after they were interviewed, etc., and there was no intention of putting too many Spanish students in any one class. However, some Anglo parents have called school board members, concerning the fact that the classes should be more equally distributed. The board instructed Supt. Cunningham to instruct Allen Alford to equalize the number of Spanish and Anglo students in the first four classes. Mr. Alford stated that he would comply with the board's wishes, and in no way did he mean to discriminate against any of the Anglo or Spanish children.

In other business Tuesday morning, the board toured the entire Jr. high and elementary system. Also, the board visited the high school football complex, where they tried out the loud speakers, and toured the new facilities at the football field. The entire system makes one "swell with pride" for the school and the fine job that the school board and teachers are doing at our local school system.

The classes by numbers are as follows: Jr. H-328; Elementary - 373; High School - 330.

Conducting Survey

Spearman Cable TV System is conducting a survey of Spearman residents to see if they are interested in having the Dallas and Fort Worth Channels 11 & 39 on the local system.

They are asking that you either mail your replies to Spearman Cable TV, 308 Main or call 659-3363. See the ad in this paper for further details.



Max Smithey and his UNITED bunch were hosts to over 1000 at their breakfast in Perryton, Saturday morning...

Attention-- Pie Eaters!

The Hansford County Historical Survey Committee, a non-profit organization, is sponsoring a pie-eating contest to benefit the Stationmasters House Museum. The contest will be held at 2:00 P.M., Saturday afternoon on September 27, at the Spearman swimming pool park. Entry forms are now to be found at the Hansford County schools and at several stores and businesses in the county. The deadline for entry is September 24.

Trophies will be awarded for the most money raised and the most pies eaten in four age categories: 6-10, 11-14, 15-18, and 18 and over. The money raised from the pie eating contest will go towards making necessary repairs of the museum building.

FOOTBALL AT TEXHOMA THURSDAY 7 P. M. The Lynx will scrimmage the Texhoma Red Devils at Texhoma 7 P. M. on Thursday. 52 players and coaches will make the trip. The JV will journey to Perryton Friday at 3:30 for an hour scrimmage against the Rangers.

There are only 80 seats left at the Lynx Stadium reserved seat section, so all of you fans be sure and rush down to the business office today and get your reserve seats!

To all of our friends. After 55 gallons of coffee, 2,850 eggs, 3,750 slices of bacon, 2,600 biscuits, 14 gallons of milk and endless amounts of butter and jelly, we want to take this opportunity to say thank you for making our first Wheat-heart Celebration breakfast

a rousing success. Please accept our thanks for allowing all of us to be a part of our five Panhandle regions. United Supermarkets Perryton, Texas The Gibson Family Hardesty, Oklahoma Spearman & Gruver



Council Discuss System

The City Council met in regular session Monday evening at City Hall. Tec Scroggs, Sewer & Water Superintendent, was present to discuss with the council the permanent equipment needed to meet the requirements of the ETA. No action was taken Monday night with councilmen tabling the requirements until the budget hearing in September.

City manager Ed Thompson discussed the plan works for the next 90 days on the gas system in Spearman and stated that \$20,000 would be needed for supplies and manpower during this period. The council gave permission for this work to be done and to be paid for during the coming fiscal year.

In reviewing the work that has already been done on the gas system, Thompson stated that the city was saving a good deal of money since many bad leaks had been corrected in the system and anticipated a larger saving after the next 90 days plan of work. The system is being converted from the old low pressure put into service in 1928 to a medium pressure system of 15 pounds.

Mark Neff, assistant city manager, discussed with the council the anticipated need of an outside grant consultant and was instructed to meet with a consultant to discuss fees, contract, etc. and hopefully have him present at the next city meeting.

Mayor Palmer called an executive session to discuss accounting methods and litigation. No action was taken on these matters.

Motion was made and carried that city attorney J. E. Blackburn to settle the suit with High Plains Natural Gas Co. for the sum of \$500. The suit had originally been for the sum of \$3,000.00 which the city had withheld from payment to the gas company because of an overcharge.

A discussion was held on the PRPC Planning and Zoning Symposium to be held in Borger and Canyon.

The Council also discussed incidents that have taken place at the dances that have been held recently at the Community Building.

September meeting dates were set for the 15 & 22.

In a meeting Tuesday afternoon, the council voted to ban the use of the Community Building for dances except for those already scheduled.

A special thanks to Max Smithey and everyone at United in Perryton for the fine breakfast Saturday!



The prize winning Spearman Lions Club float, and the beautiful Lions Club Queen, Denise Desimone were terrific at Perryton...

Community Building Closed To Dancing!

In an emergency session held at the city hall Tuesday afternoon at 1 p.m. the council voted to close down the Spearman community building to all dances, except the ones now scheduled. This all came about as a result of some fighting that began at the dance Saturday night, and continued all day Sunday with several men injured. The fighting really "got started" at the dump grounds according to one witness.

He said several men, beat-up another man. The brothers of this man heard about it and began hunting the ones who were responsible.

They found a man who they apparently thought was the responsible party, and hauled him out in the country Sunday beating him severely and taking a knife to him, cutting him up badly.

The city attorney Chunky Blackburn stated that these men had been filed on, and that the council felt that the dances had to be stopped in Spearman.

Another witness stated that most of the people attending the dances in Spearman were from "out of town" and that the dances just had to be stopped.

Ken Schneider Is Open Class Scrambles Winner

The Championship series of Spearman Scrambles was held on the W. O. Groves farm south of Spearman Sunday afternoon.

One local rider, Ken Schneider, won the open championship. Other local riders were Kurtis Bynum who won 2nd in the 100 cc class, and Kirby Hargis in the 100cc class and Kent Hargis in the 125 cc class.

Don Bell and Mary Lou Dwyson were on hand representing the Chamber of Commerce who donated the championship trophies. The trophies were presented to the champions by Miss Cecelia Randall.

Joe Bynum, one of the promoters of the races here, said that following the different class they had a 5 lap father and son mini-bike race. There were 5 teams entered and trophies were awarded to winners.

HELP THE MUSEUM EAT A PIE OR TWO

Gruver Men Arrested

Three Gruver men were arrested by Hansford County Sheriff's officers, and Gruver Chief of Police Jim Ratliff this week. Corbin Lee Kibler, Timmy True Been and Jimmy Beasley were all arrested on 2 charges: possession of marijuana and possession of a dangerous drug. Possession of marijuana is a misdemeanor, and possession of a dangerous drug is a felony. Been and Beasley are out on bond, and Kibler is being held in jail.

In other activity this week, sheriff's officers answered a disturbance call last night, and found a woman with a pistol had fired 4 shots, some of the shots striking a car. She was residing in the motel North of Smokey Huse in Spearman. A minor fender-bender car wreck was reported in Spearman at 8:45 a.m. Thursday morning.

County Commissioners Met

Hansford County Commissioners met in regular session Monday, August 25. Bills were approved and Sheriff R. L. McFarlin was authorized to hire a deputy to replace Clint Dodd, who resigned recently. The new deputy is Robert Dennis.

Judge Johnnie Lee stated that the contract for the portion of Highway 51 to be built in Hansford County should be let Sept. 17. Commissioners have worked for many months to gain right-of-way, etc. for this proposed highway.

MARKETS

WHEAT	\$5.90
MILO	4.75
CORN	3.21

Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Clarence Pettrix, Vera Wroten, Pauline Fox, Ella Leat, Edith Womble, Lorraine Pollard, Bebie Jackson, Nihal Thu and daughter, Sam Lewis, Ruby McCullough and Horton Pater.

Dismissed were Hattie Mackle, Joe Day, Debra Gilbreath and son, Elwans Eaton, Cecelia Randall, Margaret Womble, Ella Parlo, Alesia Octavo, Sue Sterling and son and Robert Graham.

WANTED

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 Dan Farles, W. M.,
 Ceril Barron, Secy.

SERVICES

Hansford County Planned Parenthood
 26 S. Haney
 659-2483
 Spearman
 Mon.-Fri.
 8:00 A.M. to 12 Noon
 305-rtm

Custom fertilizing and Any type of farming
 W. B. Barnes
 659-3638

KIRBY SALES & SERVICE
 of Spearman, 912 S. Bernice. 659-2797.
 30-rtm

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting every Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. at the Girl Scout Little House, 22 S. Endicott. Call 3394 or 2782 for information. 48-rtm

MARY KAY COSMETICS
 Call 659-2119. Malolah Fullbright.
 32S-rtm

BUILDING, REMODELING, ROOFING, Call 659-2118. 31-22tp

Sewing Machine Repair. All makes and models. 408 E. Kenneth. 659-2415. 38S-rtm

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 34S-18c

PORTABLE DISC ROLLING, BALLARD'S, 935-5229, Dumas, Texas. 39-16c

GRADER: Dozier and Drag Line work, call: Lee Roy Mitchell, Gruver 733-2394. 28-rtm

Miscellaneous For Sale

FOR SALE: 230 foot of Cedar Stockade Fence, pre-assembled. 6 foot high with 2 gates. 3 years old in good condition. 659-2779. 41-3tc

FOR SALE: Suzuki 500 street motorcycle. \$350. Call 659-2350. 41-3tc

FOR SALE: 1963 Ford Galaxie. Call 2652. 41-2tp

3 Family Garage Sale. Furniture, Clothes, Toys, Games, Dishes. 1002 Dressen. Friday and Saturday. 9:00 o'clock. 41-1tc

GARAGE SALE: August 29-30, 806 Womble, Gruver; 4 bar stools; Singer sewing machines, electric and treadle; air conditioner; record player and records; linens; ceramics and ceramic molds; electric appliances; jelly jars; decorative models; clothing; and items too numerous to mention. 41-1tc

3 Family Garage Sale. 117 N. Endicott. Furniture, clothing and electrical appliances. Begins Thursday. 41-1tc

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 825x100 Front feet lots. All Utilities, South Front, Glover Terrace. 37-rtm

FOR SALE: 3 Bedroom 1 1/2 baths, central heat, stove, dishwasher, single garage, utility room, 710 Steele Drive. Call Mayfield Real Estate Perryton 435-6528 or call Ruby Lair 659-2188. 37-rtm

FOR SALE: Three Bedroom house; Two baths and den. Call 659-2196. 38-4tc

FOR SALE: 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, corner lot, SW Spearman. Call 733-2005. 37S-rtm

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Semi-private trailer space, \$30.00, Call 659-2404. 37S-rtm

FOR RENT: Trailer Space Phone 659-3000 after 5 p.m. 39-rtm

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NEEDED: Truck drivers to pack enilage. Also 2 Front-End Loader Operators. Call 659-3642. 40S-rtm

HELP WANTED: For inside workers and machinist. Apply in person at Roger's Sales and Service, Waka, Texas. 16-rtm

HELP WANTED: Apply in person. Allsup's Convenient Store. 41-rtm

WANTED

CUSTOM SILAGE CUTTING: 2 cutters and 7 trucks. Call either Clois or Reagan Baker. 3642. 40S-rtm

WANTED: Custom Combining Com, Milo, 4 Late model Gleaners. 406-438-2458. 40-8tc

WANT TO BUY: 105 John Deere Combine; Larry Johnson, Phone 915-655-1752. 38S-rtm

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE: Spearman Car Wash, for health reasons, Call Faye Gillispie, 659-2896 or evenings and Sunday 733-2855. 40-rtm

TO GIVE AWAY

KITTENS: To Give Away. 659-2165. 41-2tc

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MOBILE HOMES For Sale

New 2 & 3 bedroom mobile homes priced at \$10,000, completely furnished. No down payment, set on lot in Spearman. We have lots for sale or rent. Call Russell Beckwith, 274-4795, Borger, Tx. 37-rtm

FOR SALE: 71 Model 14x73 Patriot Mobile Home. \$7,500 call after 8:00 P.M. 659-3508. 39-rtm

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each and every one for their visits, phone calls and cards sent to Mabel Campbell, a special thank you to the doctors and nurses at Hansford Hospital, and for the cards and concern about her since she has been at Canadian. May God Bless each one.

Mabel Campbell
 Medlin & Maudine Patterson
 J. H. Campbell, Jr.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our Dear Mother and Grandmother, Kate Gray, who went to be with her Saviour Aug. 26, 1971.

Today the sun shone bright and clear
 Around your cottage door;
 And the flowers that you loved so well
 Are blooming as before.

But life for us is not the same
 Since God called you away;
 A happy smiling face is gone
 And we miss you every day.

We're lonesome, but what peace and hope
 God's promises can bring;
 Oh grave, where is thy victory
 And death, where is thy sting?

Eyes have not seen, ears have not heard
 Or the heart of man conceived
 What heavenly mansions are prepared
 For those who have believed.

God grant us strength that we might walk
 That straight and narrow way;
 May we be humble and have faith,
 To meet each dawning day.

When life on earth for us shall end
 And the Saviour we shall see
 By Grace we pray we'll meet your Mother
 And live eternally.

Greatly missed by Frances Sim, Mary Schroder and Grandchildren.

Legal Notice

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Sealed proposals for constructing 5.744 miles of Gr., Str., Flex. Bs. and One Cse. Surf. Tr. From SH 207, E. To Junction FM 281 & FM 780 on Highway No. SH 51, covered by SS 166(2) in Hansford County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 a.m., September 17, 1975, and then publicly opened and read.

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4-H Organization Meet

Young people between the ages of 9-19 with a desire to learn more about their world have an opportunity to do so through 4-H.

Everyone interested in joining 4-H with agricultural or Home Economics projects at Spearman will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 2, 1975 at the County Agricultural Building. Parents are urged to attend with their youngsters as their support is vital for 4-H project work. Project groups will be organized as interest demands following the organizational meeting.

Project subjects may include home environment, sheep, swine, food and nutrition, show calf, personality development, clothing and Veterinary Science.

ROTARY BULLETIN HERSHEL OOLEY WAS CAPTAIN OF GREAT LYNX TEAM OF PAST

Our program today will be Candy Boxwell. She will be telling us about the up coming Cystic Fibrosis Dance-A-Thon to raise money for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

Our speaker last week was Richard Ware of the Amarillo National Bank. He spoke on the financial outlook for the United States for the next two years. This was a very informative talk from a man who knew his subject very well.

Last week we had a total of 21 people present, 16 members and 5 guests. Our guests were: Dick Countris, Woody Gfner, Bob Boxwell, Richard Ware of Amarillo and Arthur Waight of Borger. Percentage of members present 69.57%.

Absentees, August 18, 1975: Chet Wise, Peyton Gibner, Dr. D. E. Hackley, C. D. Riggins, Elzey Vanderburg, Coy Palmer and Archie Burren.

We have the following classifications to be filled: 1. Florist, 2. Clothing Merchant, 3. Barber, 4. Law Enforcement, 5. Welder.

Do you know someone that may fit one of the above? As a trading center, our community can benefit if merchants and professional men will show the spirit of VOCATIONAL SERVICE.

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Where there is one employee there are employee relations and there is a chance to inspire others with the Rotary ideal. A small town where imagination is put into jobs by the inspiration of employees will not lose its bright-

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HOW'S YOUR SAVVY ON SYMBOLS?
 Can you name this one? It's the sign of the people who work with the pretty, practical plant pictured, which is in the same botanical family as hollyhocks and okra and can be used for salad oil, cattle feed, furniture and some of the most fashionable apparel anywhere.

ANSWER: It's Cotton Incorporated. The symbol that makes up the cotton producing industry.

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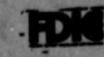
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MARKET DATA:

POPULATION: Spearman 4,000 Gruver 1750
County population 6,700
Trade territory 35,000
Irrigation, oil, gas, cattle:
One of the richest per capita incomes in the world. Maize, wheat, corn all under irrigation.

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The Spearman Reporter won the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas Award in 1968.

The Gruver Statesman won the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas Award in 1973.

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Both awards were presented in grateful recognition of leadership in representing vocational agriculture and future farmer programs to the people of Texas through careful planned newspaper publicity.



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BITS OF THIS AND THAT

by Nita Stewart
Well, school started last Monday, and a lot of folks were out Saturday doing last minute shopping. Nita Bynum with Kelli Anne and Karl went to Berger to shop for shoes. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beck and their two daughters of Perryton went to Amarillo Saturday to finish up their shipping. Mrs. Beck was telling us where the shops in Amarillo the bought 25 pounds of sugar for \$8.46. It's hard to believe but I saw the price on the sack.
Billy Beck's brother-in-law, Larry Duffey, was seriously injured in a truck accident. We are taking donations here at the station for Larry. He has six children and needs every bit of help he can get. I imagine. They are also taking donations at Bill's Fina service. Larry has extensive injuries and is paralyzed, so if you want to donate no matter how small, come by my station or Bill's Fina. Every little bit will be greatly appreciated.

Billy Phelps and his family just returned from a fishing trip to Red River where Billy said "They just did what they wanted to do and no television, radio or newspapers." They just relaxed and enjoyed themselves. After leaving Red River, they stopped at Santa Fe where they saw the Indian Dances and so forth which they all enjoyed.

Kenneth Smith (Smitty) spent the week end in Pampa visiting his son and family and all his friends, and Smitty has lots of friends.

Edna Hays went to Gruver Saturday returning to her job Sunday afternoon. She had supper in Guymon.

Sunday Jay Mason and Curtis Hays stopped by on their way to Amarillo to register in Amarillo College. Curtis will be going to trade school here and is going to take Diesel Mechanics, Jay is going to take a business course.

Also going to Amarillo College are Joe Womble and Kim Boone. Good Luck to all of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy were in Sunday on their way back to Texhoma. Sure was nice to see Mrs. Murphy again and to meet Mr. Murphy. They will be moving back to Spearman the end of the year.

I'm beginning to think Gary Gilbreath doesn't know what his baby's name really is. Gary told us they had named the baby Robert Jeffery. Then Sunday when they came in with the baby, who is a darling, Debbie Gilbreath said they had decided on Jeffery Wayne. So may be with luck we will get the little fellow's name right yet.

What great people we have living in Spearman. Saturday night we had an out of state car that needed a fuel pump so we got busy and called Billy Phelps of Hergert Pontiac, Buick and GMC who was nice enough to come down and fix the car. Then Sunday once again we had to find help for a couple of fellows

from Oklahoma who were having trouble with their steering so we got busy and contacted Jimmie Shieldknight who gave us his mechanics name and Glen Gray was nice enough to come out and give up some of his time on Sunday to help these men. Many thanks to all of you for helping us out over the weekend.

Loye Randall went to St. Anthony's Hospital Sunday to have surgery on his knee. Loye will be in the hospital about a week and off work for six to eight weeks. We wish Loye all the best in the world and he will be missed by everyone at Ideals.
Good Luck, Loye.

Have you ever seen a red old bear. Well, I have haven't you Myrtle? Stay happy W. B.

Visiting in the home of Addie Novak Sunday was Addie's niece and family Lanora and Derald Taylor and Larry and Carolyn of Pampa, Texas. Lanora Clark Taylor lived in Spearman with Addie one summer when she was a young girl.

Nice meeting you all.

Scott Janzen and Mike Slater spent the weekend fishing at Lake Schultiz in Oklahoma.

We're sure going to miss David Fowell who has moved to Amarillo to work. Stop by David, whenever you are in town and good luck to you.

Elizabeth and Cindy Sims left Tuesday for Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Sure was good hearing Earl and Hollie Riley on KBMFM interviews Tuesday morning. They talked about the Wagon Train, how it got started and such. They are planning a trip to Pennsylvania by wagon Train. Sure sounds like fun.

Nice meeting Albert Graves, Viola's son. Albert went to school here in Spearman.

Had a nice visit with Don Schell Tuesday. Hadn't seen

Don for sometime. Come back again soon, Don.

God Bless.

FHA NEWS

The FHA held a picnic for the incoming Home Ec I students Friday, Aug. 22. Thirty girls attended the picnic. Activities, including 3 legged races, eating and singing around the fire were enjoyed by all.

Randy Janzen drove the truck the girls rode in. Sponsors were Miss Jan Turnbough and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hudson.

Those attending were: Tami Farr, Tammy Rook, Diane VanZandt, Lonita Greene, Gerri Maize, Donna Goff, Tammy Robertson, Dalene Godfrey, Le Ann Biles, Dennis Ware, Ronda Collins, Crystal Carson, Leslie Greene, Margaret Hill, Debbie Greene, Pam Largent, Sherrie Cook, Connie Vemon, Kelli Harper, Tammy Baker, Tammy Bynum, Bethann Flowers, Alena Gould, Jolyn Bruck, Jamie Thomas, Jamie Morley, Tracy Keetch, Trena Cook, Tina Cochran.

Get Acquainted Party Honors Vietnamese Families

A get-acquainted party was held Sunday afternoon, August 24th in the Sacred Heart Parish Hall in Spearman for the families of Dr. Vong and Dr. Thu who are now residing in Gruver. The registration table was laid with a white lace cloth and was accented by a money tree centerpiece, which was presented to the families following the party. Guests were registered by Mrs. John Vemman. The serving table was laid with a blue cloth and was accented by an arrangement

of summer flowers. The table was set with crystal appointments and refreshments of lime punch, cookies, mints and nuts were served to those present by Miss Sara Jaramilla and Miss Mary Ann de Jose. Hostesses, The Sacred Heart Women's Guild, presented Mrs. Vong a pink carnation corsage. The Thu family was unable to attend due to the fact Mrs. Thu was in the hospital giving birth to a new baby girl, however, Dr. and Mrs. Vong and their three children were present.

Care Urged In Labor Day Trips

AUSTIN--Careful trip planning can make Texas Highways safer over the upcoming Labor Day holiday weekend, the Texas Safety Association advises. According to TSA, the last holiday of the summer season is, for many motorists the occasion to pack three days of vacation into one final automobile outing. This "last chance" mentality may prompt motorists to try to drive too great distances in too little time. The result is often a deadly combination of driver fatigue and excess speed. TSA urges motorists to plan their trips realistically over the holiday, allowing

enough time to get to and from their destinations while driving at posted speed limits. It's also a good safety policy to take a rest break or change drivers every two hours, as drowsiness can be temporarily remedied by coffee or fresh air. The Texas Department of Public Safety predicts that 42 lives will be lost on Texas Highways from 6:00 p.m. Friday, August 29, through midnight Labor Day, Monday, September 1. Texas Safety Association feels a little more planning and concern on the part of the Texas driving public can reduce this figure significantly.

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The Spearman Girl Scout troop needs leaders for 4th grade troops and 5th grade troops. Also assistants for other troops and an Assistant Neighborhood Chairman are needed. Troops meet at the Scout House for 1 1/2 hours after school once a week. Troops will begin meeting September 15th. Any civic minded ladies interested in helping lead these young girls are asked to contact Mrs. Johnny Crawford at 659-2074 before September 15th. Also two to three new leaders are needed before a new brownie troop for second graders can be formed.

College List Is Planned

The Reporter will publish a list of students who will be leaving soon or have left for college and would appreciate the cooperation of readers in supplying us with information on these students. Each year there are young men and women who go far and wide in pursuit of higher education. We are not just interested in those going to college for the first time but in all students from Spearman and the area who are attending college. This is interesting reading to find out who is going where and we would like to publish as complete a list as possible. If you have a son or daughter leaving for college call 659-3526 and let us list them in the story.

Jolinda Lee Receives Degree

COLLEGE STATION--Jolinda Lee of Spearman received her undergraduate degree from Texas A&M University. Lee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie C. Lee. She has earned her degree in educational curriculum and instruction. TAME has a record 854 degrees awarded at summer commencement, including 508 undergraduates, 264 master's and 82 doctorates.

Barbara Farr Receives Nursing Degree

Barbara Farr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Farr was among approximately sixty students capped Monday, August 18th in a ceremony held in the Psychiatric Pavilion of Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing. Low Wallace, author of Ben Hur, was a Union General.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Sterling are the proud parents of a baby boy born Friday, August 22nd at 4:30 A.M. John Michael weighed 7 pounds 3 ounces at birth. John Michael has a 17 month old brother, James Karl, III at home. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lovingood of Spearman. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Karl Sterling of Memphis, Tenn.

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REMEMBERING...

By BILL D. BROOKS

STILTS

Our family usually went into town once each week. On one such occasion a friendly merchant gave each of us kids a free ticket to the Shriner's Circus coming the next week. It was the first circus I had ever been to and

I was very impressed with all the goings on. One performer stood about twenty feet tall and walked around with long pants and stiff legs. Dad said it was just a regular sized man walking on stilts. I was amazed and decided that when I grew up

I would like to be a tall man in the circus.

Soon after that, some kids came over to see us one afternoon and we decided we should all have a pair of stilts. We took one-by-fours about six feet long and nailed blocks of wood about a foot and a half from one end of each to serve as foot pieces. The foot pieces were braced with leather straps taken from old harnesses. The tops of the main pieces were rounded slightly with a hatchet and a wood rasp for hand grips. Most of us had never been on stilts before but we were all game to try. We learned quickly and before long were walking everywhere, having a big time.

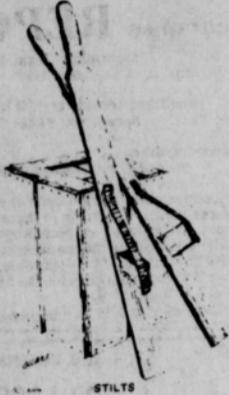
We had races on them and contests to see who could take the longest step and who could reach the highest. One kid could even jump rope while two of us turned it for him. I couldn't. We couldn't think of much else to do until someone suggested that we make some taller stilts.

Everyone set to work making taller ones. The height they were made depended upon how brave the maker was, or thought he was. Tommy Johnson took

the longest boards he could find to make his. You usually got up on a fence or box to get started on stilts. Tommy got up on the roof of the house! "Yore crazy, git down offa there," everyone yelled. But he was determined to display his bravery. He stood on top of the house with the stilts on the ground, leaning against the edge of the roof. He took the tops in his hands and we all held our breath, gawking up at him, wondering if he would really do it. As he stepped out on one of the stilts, it broke at a knot hole and down he came.

The zinnias in Mom's flower bed broke his fall but the stilts smashed through a window. All the grownups came running to see what all the commotion was. Mom spied her broken zinnias first thing and consequently, was not overly concerned about Tommy's welfare. In fact, for a while it seemed as though she would have rather seen him broken than her flowers.

His pride was injured more than anything, but he bragged to everyone that he could have done it if the stilt hadn't broken. He never tried it again, though.



STILTS

Fall Field Day Set At Etter

Bushland, TX - Plans for a fall field day at the North Plains Research Field at Etter have been announced by Dr. John Shipley, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station researcher who directs research at the site.

Thursday, September 4 at 1 p.m., is the time and everyone interested in latest developments in agricultural research is invited. The theme of the field day will be "Greater Profits Through Irrigation Water Management". The Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the USDA Agricultural Research Service will cooperate in the event. The Texas A&M Research Field is located one mile east and a half-mile north of Etter.

According to Dr. K. B. Porter, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Research Director at Bushland, the first part of the program will be a question and answer session on new research at both Bushland and Etter. Persons attending the event will have the opportunity to visit with nine scientists from the USDA Center at Bushland about research on wheat and small grains, weed control, forage crops, sunflowers, insect control, sugar beets, fall grazing, animal health and irrigation water management.

The program will continue with a tour of the Research Field at 3 p.m. Tour stops will include water response studies with

grain sorghum and corn. Irrigation size is varied and timing of application is based on stage of plant growth, calendar dates and soil water potential measured by tensiometers. Visitors will be able to

take a close look at regional grain sorghum and corn variety trials each consisting of 50 different hybrids. Other stops of interest will be grain sorghum and sunflower planting date studies.

In addition to discussion and tour, publications of recent research will be available. The most recent, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station MP 1202, summarizes three years of research on water response of irrigated grain sorghum. Yields from 4, 8, 12 and 16 inches of properly applied seasonal irrigation water were 4130, 5410, 6190 and 6790 pounds of grain per acre on pre-plant irrigated land. Each additional four-inch increment of water increased yield 2020, 1280, 780 and 600 pounds of grain per acre, respectively. Where irrigation water is extremely limited relative to acreage of grain sorghum, near maximum water use efficiency, or pounds of grain sorghum per acre-inch of water, can be achieved by applying a single irrigation at either the boot or heading stage of growth.

"The economics of water use has been studied at the North Plains Research Field since it was established in 1964", Dr. Shipley stated. "We have developed a backlog of information that can improve profitability of irrigated farming".

Women who retain their maiden names after marriage are called Lucy Stoners.

Farm Bureau Head Speaks Out On Grain Shipment Boycott

WACO--Boycott of grain shipments to Russia by U. S. maritime unions is a "self-serving gesture that stabs American farmers in the back," the president of the state's largest farm organizations said.

Carol Chaloupka, head of the 175,000-member Texas Farm Bureau, said the unions are not as concerned about protecting American consumers as they are with forcing exporters to use American ships and sailors.

"Their patriotism stops at the pocketbook," the farm leader said. "The Dalhart cattle and grain producer said the principle of freedom to market is at stake."

"Farmers have won legitimate markets around the world by being competitive," he said. "The maritime unions, on the other hand, have priced themselves out of work. Now they want to use the boycott

weapon to capture jobs." Chaloupka said the Russian grain sales this year have amounted to less than one-tenth of the amount of grain that is available for export.

"U. S. grain exports to Russia over the past four years averaged only 3.2 percent of all U. S. farm exports," he said. "The 1972 sales, which triggered the export dispute, amounted to only 7 percent of total farm exports that year," he added.

"Farmers must export to stay in business," the Farm Bureau leader said. "In the past year, we exported about two-thirds of our wheat and rice, more than a third of our cotton, and about one-fourth of our feed grains. On the national average, the production of one acre in four is sold abroad."

The farm leader said exports are not only essential for farmers, but good for

consumers as well. "Our large farm export business enables us to have volume production and lower per-unit costs," he said. "This results in lower prices to American consumers."

Chaloupka said that farm exports of \$21.6 billion in the past year produced an agricultural trade surplus of \$12 billion--which enabled the U. S. to have an overall favorable balance of \$2.2 billion for fiscal 1975.

The TFB president said bumper crops this year assure Americans of adequate food supplies or reasonable prices.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture on Aug. 11 estimated that wheat production is up 19 percent over last year, corn production up 26 percent, and feed grains up 25 percent over 1974. Chaloupka said it is ridiculous to blame grain exports to Russia as the cause of higher food prices.

"We sold very little grain to Russia last year, yet food prices increased by 14.5 percent--and more than three-fourths of that increase took place after the food left the farm," he said.

Ever wonder what soy protein is like? It depends on how it is processed, Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, said. One form--textured protein--is made by extrusion, spinning or other structuring technology. The textured protein is flavored, colored, then formed into slices, chunks, chips or cubes.

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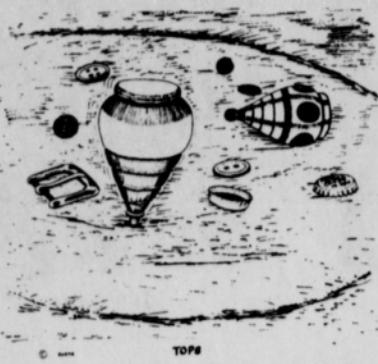
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TOPS



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It always happened the same way, one person would bring his top to school with him one day. That would trigger it and the next day the school grounds would be literally covered with kids playing tops. The tops were made of wood then and could be bought in any dime store for a few cents. There were different shapes and sizes with different types of points. Some had sharp points and some had round points that resembled balls. A string came with them with a knot in one end and a loop in the other. The loop was usually removed and a button or cork lid was used in its place to hold the string between your fingers.

The game was usually played by drawing a circle on the ground about three feet in diameter. Stakes were placed in the ring by each player. The stakes were small objects or trinkets, such things as bottle caps, buttons, marbles, steel balls and sometimes even coins if the teacher wasn't looking. Tops were spun into the ring

to try and knock out the stakes (you won as many as you could knock out). When a top quit spinning, it usually rolled out of the ring but not always. The rule was that no player could reach into the ring to retrieve his top, it had to be bought out by placing more stakes into the ring or knocked out by another top. If another player knocked your top out he had the option of keeping it, if he was a rat; giving it back, if he was a really good friend; or selling it back to you for stakes, if he was like most. The game ended with recess, the winner easily recognized because of his bulging pockets full of stakes.

The games sometimes got wild because the tops were thrown very hard. It was a favorite thing among some to try to split their opponent's top if it got stuck in the ring. This was done by throwing the top hard enough and hitting the other top just right, splitting it right down the middle. I knew a guy once that really enjoyed breaking other's

shapes. One boy I knew drilled two holes through his and when it spun it made a whistling sound. I ruined two good tops trying to get one to do that.

Tops were fun to play with and fun to watch. It was one game where size and strength didn't matter. It was truly a game in which all could compete and for the price of just a few old bottle caps at that.

tops. He had a giant top called a "Lumberjack". It was so big he had to use some trout line for a cord. To make matters worse he drilled out the center and poured it full of lead. With that top he was the terror of the school ground.

Kids usually changed the looks of their tops in some way. Designs were sometimes painted on them. Points were filed to different

GARAGE SALE

Submitted by: Claude Essary, Author unknown)

Of all man's creative and noble endeavors and the challenges they entail The one I cherish nearest my heart is shopping the neighborhood sale.

Such an assortment of goods to behold that it seems to be a mirage. Some on the patio, some on the porch, but the good stuff's in the garage.

Garage Sales are thick all around us on every day that's sunny. With people selling things they don't need And making lots of money.

I can browse and dicker, putter and talk, I can shop til my face turns blue. I may have a purpose or I may have none, But every Garage Sale is new.

I may come home with a thimble, or a tractor to do my mowing. But whether I buy a thing or not, The fun was in the going.

Some day I'll have a Garage Sale myself. Right now I'm making the plans. I'm sorting away all sorts of goodies... anything I get in my hands.

There'll be silver spoons, vaudeville tunes, and rocking chairs by the score TV sets and basketball nets, dresses and clothing galore.

Oh, they're not things I really need, and the sale will be a pleasure. The people who buy, whatever they buy to them it will be a treasure.

When I finally reach the Pearly Gate and Saint Peter greets me at dawn, He'll say, "Turn right at the Golden Street, there's a Garage Sale going on."

Texas No. 1 In '74 Export Of Livestock

AUSTIN--Texas remained a leading state in livestock exportation in 1974. Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has reported. Statistics from the USDA show the state to be the number one exporter of beef-breeding cattle in the U.S., having sold 13,450 head in 1974.

Texas hog producers placed the state second in exports of breeding swine, shipping 3,055, only 168 fewer than the first-ranking state of Illinois. In the sales of dairy breeding cattle, the state was eighth with a total of 2,275.

White attributed the increase in exports from Texas to intensive marketing activities by the livestock industry.

"The Texas Department of Agriculture has stepped up efforts to bring in more foreign buyers," White said. "The Livestock Directory which the Department publishes has stimulated many sales."

Brahmans ranked highest in number exported from Texas with a total of 3,991. Santa Gertrudis, Herefords, and crossbreeds were other major choices of foreign buyers.

Texas supplied almost one third of the Charolais cattle shipped from the U.S.

Principal breeds of swine sold from Texas hog farms were Duroc, Yorkshire, Hampshire, and crossbreeds. Dairy cattle breeds exported from Texas included Holsteins, Jerseys, Brown Swiss, and Guernseys.

More Moving to the Country

AUSTIN--Retirees and young people are moving back to the country, reversing a 30-year trend, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reports.

Citing USDA figures for the nation, Commissioner White stated that between 1970 and 1973, population in small towns and cities grew by 4.2 per cent, while urban areas increased only 2.9 per cent.

Some reasons for the growth of nonmetro counties are increasing numbers of retired persons, improved job opportunities created by

establishment of industries in suburban and rural areas, expansion of state colleges, and increased recreation activity. In addition, the birthrate seems to be higher outside of cities.

Outmigration is slowing down in heavily agricultural areas, White stated.

In 1974 there were over 2.7 million persons 14 years of age or older doing farm work in the U.S., about 34,000 above 1973.

HELP THE MUSEUM EAT A PIE

SHRIMP REMOULADE

- 3 cans (4 1/2 ounces each) shrimp
- 3 garlic cloves, cut fine
- 1/3 cup horseradish mustard
- 2 tablespoons catsup
- 2 tablespoons paprika
- 1/2 teaspoon cayenne pepper
- 1/3 cup tarragon vinegar
- 1/2 cup olive oil or other salad oil
- 1/2 cup finely chopped green onions,

tops included

Drain shrimp. Crush garlic in a bowl and stir in all ingredients, except shrimp. When thoroughly blended, add the shrimp. Marinate in the refrigerator two hours or longer, stirring occasionally. Serve on small portions of shredded lettuce or other salad greens. Makes 6 to 8 servings. (Note: Canned shrimp remoulade is perfect make-ahead party food. Provide party picks and assorted crackers.)

AUCTION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1975 1:00 P.M.

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Real Estate

Real estate consists of Lot 8, Block 38, original town of Spearman, Hansford, TX and a practically new metal shop building. All real estate will be sold following the sale of shop equipment.

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Shop Equipment

- 1 Sun diagnostic machine complete with all accessories.
- 1 Souix valve grinding machine, Model #645.
- 1 Bear front end aligning machine with all accessories, Model #240.
- 1 Saylor-Beall air compressor, Model #705.
- 1 Star Machine & Tool Co. brake relining equipment with all accessories.
- 1 Ammco Safe-Turn brake drum lathe, Model #3000.
- 1 Ammco Safe-Arc brake shoe grinder, Model #2000.
- 1 Hunter wheel balancer, Model #1258.
- 1 Bear wheel balancer, Model #382.
- 2 Sun voltage-ampere testers, Model #VAT-20 and #VAT-28.
- 1 Graymills Clean-o-matic parts cleaner.
- 2 Gray Porto-matic air jacks, Model #BF-100.
- 1 Blackhawk hydraulic jack, including hydraulic pump, Model #ES-11.
- 1 Lot of Chicago pneumatic air wrenches.
- 1 Raybestos supply cabinet.
- 2 Snap-on upright tool cabinets.
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- 1 Electric welder.
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Mrs. Nghia Thu beams at the Thu's new arrival, Glenda Anh-Thu Le, born Sunday at the Hansford Hospital in Spearman. Welcome to this old world new arrival eighteen inch, 5 pound 14 ounce Glenda Anh-Thu Le who arrived at 3:15 P.M., Sunday, August 24 via the Hansford Hospital in Spearman to be the center of attention from her father, Dr. Thu-Huv-Le and the mother, Nghia-Nguyen as well as two sisters, Ai Thu and Anh Thu and her brother Thong. Add to the list of VIGs (Very Important Grandmothers) Mrs. Kha V-Le and Mrs. Kien X Nguyen, both of Washington, D. C.

Co Has High Market Rating

NEW YORK--In a new survey of business, covering every section of the country, Hansford County stands out as a stronger market than most. With local families earning more and spending more in this past year than in other communities of its size, the area is given a high rating for business activity. The facts and figures have just been released in a copyrighted report, entitled "Survey of Buying Power," issued by Sales Management,

the marketing publication. It gives comparable data for each county in the United States. Hansford County consumers, it shows, were in the marketplace in the year in greater strength than had been expected, in view of the economic doldrums that prevailed nationally. Because of this, local merchants were able to chalk up a sales volume of \$15,102,000. On the basis of population solely, this was more than might have been anticipated.

If that were the only consideration, retail stores in the area should have accounted for no more than .0025 percent of the country's total, since the local population represents that proportion of the national. The results were better than that, however, with local stores getting .0027 percent of the national. What made it possible was the fact that most families in Hansford County and bigger incomes than before, although much of the gain was wiped out by rising prices. The survey shows that net earnings of local residents,

after payment of taxes, amounted to \$20,591,000, topping the prior year's \$19,837,000. This was equivalent to a median after-tax income of \$9,288 per household, with half of the families earning more than that and half earning less. The relative standing of one community to another, with respect to purchasing power and business vitality, is shown through an "index of sales activity." Hansford County is given an index rating of 108, which is 8 percent better than the national average.

TSA Alerts Drivers As Schools Open

AUSTIN--Labor Day is not only a holiday and long weekend, but it mark the beginning of school in most Texas cities. The Texas Safety Association offers these pre-Labor Day reminders to motorists who will suddenly be encountering flocks of youngsters headed for their classrooms: Observe all school zones and speed limits. All zones are marked, and

many have flashing signals. These are usually in operation only during the peak periods of public traffic, but children are frequently around schools and playgrounds long after school is out. Watch for school buses, and never pass a bus from either direction when it is stopped to receive or discharge children. Remember, too, that loaded school buses must stop for

all railroad crossings, so don't "tail-gate" a school bus. Going to school and proceeding on their own are new experiences for many youngsters, which cause them to be confused and unaware of traffic. Motorists must take the initiative to watch out for children in case they forget to watch out for themselves. Bicycles with juvenile

riders will be everywhere, and very few of these youngsters know traffic laws and patterns as well as drivers do. Be especially cautious when passing bicyclists, as a bicycle is no match for an automobile, and remorse is a hard companion. The Texas Safety Association wants drivers to "slow up so the children can grow up."

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF HANSFORD COUNTY SPEARMAN, TEXAS

RECONCILIATION WITH DEPOSITORY BANK AS OF AUGUST 1, 1975

Funds	Book Balance	Outstanding Checks	Outstanding Receipts	Bank Balance
Jury	7,872.96	296.23		8,169.19
General	13,964.34	12,192.60		26,156.94
Courthouse & Jail	8,876.74	504.63		9,381.37
Cemetery	295.02			295.02
Road & Bridge, General				
Precinct No. 1	15,484.71	2,413.80		17,898.51
Precinct No. 2	28,303.46	2,210.79		30,514.25
Precinct No. 3	29,979.55	2,029.18		32,008.73
Precinct No. 4	60,293.49	1,108.15		61,401.64
Road & Bridge, Sinking				
Precinct No. 1	16,969.15			16,969.15
Precinct No. 2	4,172.19			4,172.19
Precinct No. 3	1,500.70			1,500.70
Precinct No. 4	1,932.04			1,932.04
Road District 2	825.87			825.87
Social Security	21.58			21.58
Revenue Sharing	12,200.84	550.00		12,750.84

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Funds	Balance May 1, 1975	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance Aug. 1, 1975
Jury	9,396.31	87.39	1,610.74	7,872.96
General	16,053.52	83,078.17	85,167.35	13,964.34
Courthouse & Jail	8,262.29	10,443.41	9,828.96	8,876.74
Cemetery	236.76	58.26		295.02
Road & Bridge, General				
Precinct No. 1	61,727.79	3,395.95	49,639.03	15,484.71
Precinct No. 2	42,958.13	4,272.32	18,926.99	28,303.46
Precinct No. 3	46,743.89	4,260.20	21,024.54	29,979.55
Precinct No. 4	30,126.72	44,192.76	14,025.99	60,293.49
Road & Bridge, Sinking				
Precinct No. 1	16,857.30	111.85		16,969.15
Precinct No. 2	8,000.69	70.63	3,899.13	4,172.19
Precinct No. 3	7,044.67	56.03	5,600.00	1,500.70
Precinct No. 4	1,466.79	465.25		1,932.04
Road District 2	624.67	201.20		825.87
Social Security	21.47	8,603.55	8,603.44	21.58
Revenue Sharing	10,195.65	23,718.00	21,712.81	12,200.84

OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Hansford County Road District 2, Fund 17	\$10,000.00
Hansford County Precinct No. 3, Fund 10	\$15,000.00
Hansford County Revenue Sharing Fund 25	\$52,500.00
Total Indebtedness	\$77,500.00

INVESTMENTS

Hansford County Precinct 4, Fund 15	\$25,000.00
Hansford County Road District 2, Fund 17	\$24,500.00
Hansford County Revenue Sharing Fund 25	\$52,500.00
Total Investments	\$102,000.00

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The Gibson family of Hardesty served 55 gallons of coffee, 2850 eggs, 3750 slices of bacon, 2600 biscuits, 14 gallons of milk, along with butter and jelly to the breakfast crowd at United Supermarket parking lot Saturday morning at the Perryton Celebration. This should answer the skeptics who doubted if people would get up that early in the morning for a free breakfast. It was a big success and United Supermarket people are to be commended for adding so much to the Celebration.



GUESS WHO is serving-up the eggs and bacon at United's big breakfast?



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Nelle's News by Nelle Evans

We will be reorganizing our 4-H clubs in a few days. All youngsters in the Gruver area will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 28 in the County Building. Parents are encouraged to come with their youngsters as parent support is vital. Youngsters in home economics and livestock projects will all meet for the first meeting.

The same applies to Spearman on Tuesday, September 2 at the County Agricultural Building.

We also need Volunteers to help teach 4-H project groups. In home economics this involves meeting 4-5 times with 6-8 girls to learn subject matter in foods, personality development and home environment. There are excellent new project books available and teacher guides as well.

Thank goodness we haven't had too many calls this year about food not sealing. But with more homemakers canning food at home now, "spillage knowledge" is necessary.

Three common causes of spoilage of home canned foods are inaccurate pressure canners, incorrect processing temperature and improper cooling of jars. Checking the pressure canner once a year to be sure it is accurate is a first step. The weighted gauge does not require testing.

Always exhaust the pressure canner 10 minutes after flow of steam from the petcock begins even if the canner book says it isn't necessary. Keep pressure accurate. Less than 10 pounds of pressure won't kill bacteria in vegetables and meats. Make adjustment for high altitude in areas 2,000 feet above sea level. This means adding 3 minutes to a processing time of 20 minutes or less and 6 minutes if more than 20 minutes in our area.

If using a waterbath canner have the water boiling when jars are placed in the canner. Water should be one inch or more above the top of all jars throughout entire processing time, and it must be kept at a rolling boil. This is a necessity to make the jar seal.

Check the time table carefully for whatever product is being canned, and be sure to add recommended time for high altitude areas. We do have excellent publications available if you need one.

It's important to cool jars properly after processing is finished. The jars should come out of the pressure canner when the gauge registers 0 degrees F, or when processing time is completed for the water bath. They should be placed at least one inch apart and left uncovered until cool.

If jars have not sealed they may be reprocessed if done within 24 hours of the original processing.

by Joe VanZandt

Nursery grown specimens usually transplant easiest and can be handled during any month of the year if proper care is provided. A publication available at the county Extension office that should be helpful in selecting trees is MP-1151, "Trees for Texas Landscapes." We are busy getting our 4-H program started for this year. If you know of any new prospective 4-H members, have them come by the County Extension office in the Courthouse basement or call 659-4136 or 733-2901.



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These ladies drove over from Dalhart for a "UNITED" breakfast!

FARM AND RANCH NEWS

By Joe Van Zandt

The Amarillo Tri-State Fair is just around the corner and will be here shortly. I plan to put up a booth again at the Fair to display crop and horticultural products grown in Hansford County. I will be putting this booth up the afternoon of September 13. If you have some crop or garden products that would make good exhibit material, please give me a call at either 659-2136 or 733-2901.

The Fall Field Day at the North Plains Research Field at Etter will be next Thursday, September 4 starting at 1 p.m. The theme of the field day is "Greater Profits Through Irrigation Water Management." The research field is located one mile east and 1/2 mile north of Etter. If anyone would like to have a ride over there, give me a call.

The little cool front we had Monday morning was the first one we have had in a longtime. It seemed to give a little hint that Fall wasn't far around the corner. The hot days last week certainly used up a lot of soil moisture. Several wheat farmers have been waiting for the weather to cool off some and be more favorable to the young wheat plants than this hot dry weather the last 10 days. Trees are sometimes considered "nature's air conditioners." They can make a significant contribution toward reducing air conditioning costs and making the home environment more attractive and livable during hot summer weather.

Trees not only reduce the temperature, often by 10 to 15 degrees, but also cool the area by raising the humidity with water vapor released through their leaves.

Now is a good time to analyze your landscapes and determine whether additional trees should be added. The most essential period of the day to have shade is from noon till late afternoon. During this period heat buildup is the greatest and shade from trees can be most beneficial. Trees placed where they can provide shade during this period should have first priority.

In the haste for shade, homeowners often select the fastest growing tree species available. This is usually a mistake, since most fast growing trees are plagued with insect or disease problems, weak wood or other ailments which usually terminate their life in just a few years. With appropriate care, many of the more desirable trees will grow at a reasonable rate while becoming increasingly valuable with age.

Deciding which trees are best suited for your needs requires careful consideration. Take a critical look at your neighborhood or community to see which trees have been doing well over an extended period with very little special care. Consult nurserymen and visit the County Extension office to obtain information that can help you make your decision. Recently our Extension Horticulturist recommended the following trees for our area: Kentucky Coffee Tree, Chinese Pistachio, Bradford Flower Pear and Soapberry. You might have difficulty locating one of these trees but they are adapted to this area and should prove more hardy and easier to grow than some of our current trees that require regular care for insects.

When your list of possibilities has been approved to a few, let your personal likes and dislikes help make the final decision.

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42 Texas Fatalities Predicted For Labor Day

AUSTIN--State Public Safety Director Wilson E. Speir today estimated that Labor Day Weekend traffic in Texas will claim 42 lives.

The holiday period extends from 6 p.m. Friday, August 29 through midnight Monday, September 1. During a comparable period last year, Texas traffic killed 51 persons.

"Traffic will be particularly heavy near recreational areas such as beaches, lakes and campgrounds. Aactually, in these situations, motorists need to be extra watchful for children playing and other pedestrians. Also, persons towing recreational vehicles and boats should be mindful of extra stopping distances and other problems unique to trailers," Speir said.

The DPS director called on motorists to cooperate in law enforcement efforts to hold speeds down during the holiday, noting that "excessive speed is still our top accidents problem."

He also urged motorists to work with officers to eliminate the serious threat posed by drunk drivers.

In an effort to reduce the toll, Speir said extra DPS troopers will be on duty statewide. He said troopers

and local officers will be especially watchful for speeding, reckless and drunk drivers.

In addition to these efforts the Texas Department of Public Safety will also work with the news media in its "Operation Motorcade" accident awareness program. This program is designed to provide motorists with current information on accident dangers during the holiday period.

IRS NEWS

1975 is International Women's Year and women are asking questions regarding their rights to social security benefits on their own work record.

Social Security Insurance Coverage furnishes additional security to the working wife. A popular theory has been that a working wife does not need social security coverage on her own work since she could qualify on her husband's work record. While it is true that a wife can qualify for benefits on her husband's record, she has rights on her own record not available to the non-working wife.

A wife who has acquired insured status on her own

record may receive retirement, medicare, or disability benefits on her own record when she attains retirement age or becomes disabled. The fact that her husband may still be employed full time will not affect the amount of her check. Her dependent children may qualify on her record even though their father is working and contributing to their support.

A wife who has acquired insured status on her own record has additional security in knowing that should she become divorced she could still rely on social security in her retirement plan.

A working wife has the knowledge that in case of her death her dependent children will receive monthly benefits to partially replace her lost earnings.

Also father's monthly benefits are now available for her husband if he has her children under 18 or disabled in his care. Of course if he continues to work these benefits may be affected by his earnings. If he earns more than \$2520 his benefit will be reduced \$1 for each \$2 he exceeds that amount. His earnings do not affect the children's check.

Save On Intrastate Toll Calls

A one-minute rate for all hours and all days, and special calling periods with up to 40 per cent savings over day time rates for customer dialed station-to-station long distance calls placed within Texas can help telephone customers save on toll calls even though all rates have been increased, according to L. L. Porter, traffic director for General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

Porter said the rates General Telephone charges customers for intrastate long distance calls were increased Aug. 11 when Southwestern Bell placed new rates in effect. He explained that Bell operates most of the long distance facilities in Texas and establish statewide rates.

"Even though all of the intrastate rates have increased, customers can save money by taking advantage of the new one-minute rate which is in effect at all times," Porter said. He explained that prior to Aug. 11 intrastate calls were charged for a minimum of three minutes plus charges for each additional minute except between 11 p.m. and 8 a.m. when the one-minute rate was in effect. Under the one-minute rate, customers

are charged for each minute or fraction of minute they talk.

He continued by saying the day rate in effect from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, is the highest dial it yourself rate in effect. However, he added, the day rate is lowered 40 per cent for additional savings when the call is dialed by the customer under the night calling period in effect from 11 p.m. until 8 a.m., Monday through Friday, all hours on Saturday and until 5 p.m. Sunday.

Porter pointed out that rates for operator assisted calls have one rate regardless of the hour or day. Operator assisted calls include collect, credit card, third number billing, operator dialed station-to-station, time and charges and person-to-person.

Many Cattlemen In Financial Trouble

COLLEGE STATION---Livestock producer facing financial problems due to current low market prices should take a close look at the Emergency Livestock Credit Act of 1974.

Just over a year old, the Act provides for emergency financial help to the producer whose business has a good chance of success if it can survive the current liquidity crisis.

"Recent changes have been made in the Act that make it more palatable to both the borrower and lender," points out Dr. Wayne Hayenga, project leader in farm management for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

These changes are as follows:

1. A "line of credit" is permitted, whereas the original Act permitted only a single loan.
2. Anyone with a "substantial operation" in breeding, raising, fattening or marketing is eligible (one who devotes at least 25 per cent of his time to, derives at least 25 per cent of his income from, or has at least 25 per cent of his capital invested in livestock operation).
3. The Act is extended until Dec. 31, 1976.
4. The loan period can be extended to seven years, with possible renewal for three years.
5. The guarantee by the Farmers Home Administration is increased from 80 per cent of the cost of the loan to 90 per cent of the loan principal and interest.

Graduate Extension Enrollment

A representative from Oklahoma State University will be on campus Monday, September 1, to enroll students in the graduate extension courses. The classes will be held on the Panhandle State Campus.

Enrollment will be held at 2:00 p.m. in 127 Hamilton Hall. The regulations under which credits may be earned through extension study and applied toward a masters degree will be discussed at the time of enrollment.

Oklahoma State has subdivided its education department and courses are now listed as ABSED, which refers to Applied Behavioral Studies Education, and CIED, which refers to Curriculum Improvement Education.

Course descriptions of the courses which will be offered this Fall Semester in the Oklahoma State University's Graduate Center at Panhandle State are: ABSED 5583, Group Guidance, Monday from 7:20-10:00 p.m. in 108 Hamilton Building. Prerequisite is the consent of the instructor.

A study of group dynamics theory and group guidance technique applicable to orientation, homerooms, classrooms, clubs, and other group situations.

Three semester credit hours may be received for this course: ABSED 5962, Elementary Statistical Methods in Education, Monday from 5:30-7:10 in 309 Hamilton Building. Prerequisite is graduate standing. Presents opportunity to master the elementary statistics and methods needed by teachers.

Also designed to prepare students for advanced work in educational statistics. Two semester hours can be obtained from this class: CIED 5053, Fundamentals of Curriculum Development, Monday at 4:45-7:10 p.m. in 127 Hamilton Hall. Prerequisite is graduate standing and consent of the instructor.

A systematic analysis of general curriculum development using a model which stresses principles and criteria for the selection and organization of instructional activities and materials. Three semester hours credit are offered for this course.

6. The line of credit has been increased from the previous \$250,000 to \$350,000 per loan.

7. Secondary financing of the guaranteed portion of loans may now be made by the Federal Financing Bank, thus increasing the marketability of the securities to the lender.

Emergency Loans Available To Stockmen

COLLEGE STATION---Nearly four out of 10 cattlemen are in "bad" to "moderate" financial trouble. Those in "bad" shape (about one out of 10) probably won't survive financially, according to a survey of 300 bankers across the nation.

And these leaders say that almost 20 per cent may not survive another year of calf prices equal to those of April-May, 1975, reports Dr. John A. Hopkin, Stiles professor and head of Texas A&M University's Department of Agricultural Economics.

Hopkin presented these facts as part of a report to the American National Cattlemen's Association Board of Directors at its recent mid-year meeting in Denver. He made the study in cooperation with lending institutions in the U. S.

"The Texas Agricultural Extension Service and ANCA should encourage continued heavy culling of cows in order to halt the increase in cows and total cattle numbers," says Hopkin, who is chairman of ANCA's Council of Economic Advisors. "Such culling should be done while supplies of competitive meats are down."

Although agricultural leaders will have access to sufficient funds to finance agriculture, some cattlemen will have difficulty qualifying for adequate credit, warns Hopkin.

Many cattlemen have obtained or will obtain needed liquidity through refinancing of real estate. But Hopkin recommends that ANCA join with universities and lending institutions in informing cattlemen and bankers of the merits and mechanics of the revised Emergency Livestock Loan Program. Producers may obtain more details from the Farmers Home Administration or local Production Credit Associations.

Also, he warns, it is unlikely that cattle numbers and price fluctuations will be eliminated, and financing programs should consider cash flow requirements of individual operations over the entire cycle.

Even though Americans are eating record amounts of beef, the industry is still in trouble, says Hopkin. He attributes the conflicting currents that are causing this to high prices of feed and other supplies and record numbers of beef cattle, with larger numbers currently moving to market off grass. Until this large inventory of beef animals is worked off, cattlemen can expect relatively low profit margins, says Hopkin.

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Food Stamps May Be Exchanged

Food stamp recipients will be able to exchange old food stamps for new ones after the old stamps expire on August 31, 1975, the U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) announced today.

Until Aug. 31, food stamp recipients may use their old stamps in authorized retail food stores. After that date, recipients will be able to exchange the old stamps at local food stamp offices designated by state agencies. The exchange will be dollar for dollar, new food stamps for old.

USDA introduced the new food stamp series on March 1, 1975. The new \$1, \$5 and \$10 denominations replace the 50¢, \$2 and old \$5 stamps.

The amendment to the Food Stamp Program regulations will be published in the Federal Register of Friday, Aug. 22 and will be effective immediately upon publication.



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	Grain	Straw	
30	19 lbs.	3 lbs.	22 lbs.
40	25 lbs.	5 lbs.	30 lbs.
50	31 lbs.	6 lbs.	37 lbs.
60	38 lbs.	7 lbs.	45 lbs.
70	44 lbs.	8 lbs.	52 lbs.

NOTE: Add 30% to total removal figures when grazed.

Replacement alone may not be enough.

When phosphorus is applied to soil, only a portion can be taken up by the first crop following application . . . only 20% to 33% in most soils.

So, where your soil is low in phosphorus you must apply higher rates than the removal shown above. Application of three to five times the actual removal may be necessary to reach your desired yield goal.

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Catch up on phosphorus this fall.

Chances are good that you didn't apply all the phosphorus fertilizer your soil needed during the last two seasons. If so, catch-up time is now. It is important that you return to a good phosphorus fertilization program this fall if you are to avoid severe wheat yield reductions caused by depleted phosphorus levels.

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Mid-America & National Parks

by Maude Rosson

The Continental Trailways Bus Tour of Amarillo, Texas for the Mid-America and National Tour, met at the Holiday Inn 1-40 August 3, 1975 at 8 o'clock for a sixteen day tour. Twenty-nine people present for the tour were: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Love, Glenna Deal; Mrs. Nita Conrad & John; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams; Mr. and Mrs. John Moyer, of Amarillo; Mrs. Anne Fries of Wellington, Texas; Mrs. Zula Matthews of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Lilly Phillips of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boydston of Vega; Mrs. Jenkie Campbell, Mrs. Irene Osborn, Mrs. Eddalee Haggard, Mrs. Mary Helen Boston of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Anglin of Carlsbad, N. M.; Fronye Close, Alta Morse, Mildred Chamberlain and Maude Rosson of Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hughes of Guymon, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Austin, the Escorts; and Bill Wiegand the bus driver of Amarillo.

The group were mostly a variety of retirees. The first day was spent in getting acquainted. Nearly every morning a devotional was given, songs were sung, many told jokes and their experiences in life.

The group arrived in Colorado Springs, Sunday afternoon, visited the Garden of the Gods, where

we say many interesting rock formations of red sand stones. Next visited the United States Air Force Academy Cadet Chapel. All Cadets are urged to attend religious services in the Cadet Chapel or at a church of their choice. Holy Day services and other services of special religions are scheduled so that Cadets of all faiths, may carry out their obligations.

It took five years of planning and four years of construction to finish the Cadet Chapel. It is a beautiful place.

About five miles out of Cheyenne, Wyoming, passed Little America, the largest Filling Station in the world. It has fifty pumps.

Tuesday night a Gray Line sight seeing tour was made in Rapid City, South Dakota and all attended, the Amphitheatre beautiful hills, Passion Play. It reconstructs the last seven days of the life of Christ. Thirty acres of land have been developed to serve as the home for this great production and it is located in the city of Spearfish, South Dakota. The amphitheatre can seat about 6,000 people.

The group, on Wednesday, took a 121 mile Gray Line tour of the Black Hills escorted by Jim Kristensen. He was very comical and kept the bunch laughing. He will long be remembered. Mount Rushmore is a

National Memorial Shrine of Democracy, where the heads of four great United States Presidents are sculptured in solid granite on a mountain side. The presidents are George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln and Theodore Roosevelt.

The faces are carved to a scale of men 465 feet tall. The head of Washington from chin to top reaches as high as 60 feet. The figures were cut with drills and dynamite. Gutzon Borgum designed the memorial and supervised most of its work. Gutzon died in 1941 when the memorial was nearly finished. His son Lincoln, who had helped with the work, completed the task. The drillers were suspended over the face of the mountain in swing seats. The time spent in actual construction was six and a half years. This memorial is 25 miles south west of Rapid City and three miles from Keystone, South Dakota. The Black Hills actually are mountains, including Hamey Peak, the highest point between the East Coast and the Rockies.

South Dakota is often called The Sunshine State because of its sunny climate. It is noted for coal, gold, silver and other minerals. The principal river is the Missouri, which crosses the middle of the state. On the Black Hills tour, a stop was made at Needles Eye. It is very tall and looks very much like a needles eye. From there went through a tunnel which was 250 feet long and had about two inches clearance on each side for the bus to go through, also went through five other tunnels which was very exciting.

The group enjoyed a Buffalo lunch at Sylvan Lake. McGovern had eaten there, when on his campaign running for president. Traveling along, stopped at Custer Battlefield Monument, which is in the North West part of Wyoming and is a memorial dramatic climax of the Indian Wars. Then saw the Devils Tower, Wyoming, a National Mon-

ument which was proclaimed by Theodore Roosevelt in September 24, 1906. It is a gigantic stumpy like formation rising some 1200 feet above the Bell Fourche River.

On Friday August 8, traveled the Beartooth Scenic highway to the North East entrance of the Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming. Jim Jensen was our escort across the Yellowstone National Park. The group saw lots of snow on the mountains, glaciers and along the highways. It became a National Park in the United States in 1872, and is about two thirds as large as Connecticut. It lies on a plateau about 8000 feet above sea level. It is surrounded by mountains, the Grand Tetons are on the south and the highest mountain is Electric Peak which is 11,155 feet. Great forest of lodgepole pines, spruce and Douglas fir cover about four-fifths of the Park area. Many different kinds of flowers and grass grow in the valleys. There are many animals including elk, deer, antelope, mountain sheep, buffalo, moose, bear and many kinds of birds and fish.

The group spent two nights, one at Mammoth Motor Inn and one at old Faithful Inn, which wasn't very far from Old Faithful Geysers. It erupts about every hour. It shoots silvery cascades 120 to 170 feet in the air and each display lasts about four minutes. The Geysers send up about 10,000 gallons of water at a temperature of about 200° F. There are many other geysers, the Giant Geysers is known as the largest in the Park. There are many more attractions in the Park such as the Midway and Lower Geysers Basins. There are board walk trails and side roads that lead to the Fountain Paint Pots which is a pool of boiling clay of different colors, saw the colorful Morning Glory Pool, the Tower Rainbow Falls, Minera Terraces, Lower Falls of Yellowstone River, Castle Geysers, White Dome, Golden Gate, Yellowstone Lake which covers about 139 square miles.

The Continental Divide elevation is 8391 feet, and the Golden Gate Canyon is very beautiful. There are over two million visitors a year at the Park. The group left the Park through the south entrance.

Sunday August 10th, traveled to Grand Teton National Park, where two nights were spent at Jackson Lake Lodge in Moran, Wyoming. The cottages were beautiful but there were many pet gophers running around. The people liked them because they had been there for many years. The Teton Range is a rugged group of Rocky Mountain peaks south of Yellowstone National Park in Western Wyoming. The Range lies in the beautiful wilderness of Grand Teton National Park, which covers an area of 148,200 square miles. John D. Rockefeller, Jr. was the largest single benefactor who spent millions of dollars and unlimited patience, efforts in buying land and safeguarding it until the National Park Service could take over. The group, with an experienced guide, toured 85 miles of the Tetons. A stop was made at the Episcopal Chapel of the Transfiguration near Moose, Wyoming. The worshippers in the Chapel have an inspiring view, through a spacious plate glass window of the Teton Peak which rises to an elevation of 13,766 feet. The Snake River winds its way through the Teton Valley. The Jenny Lake, Jackson Lake and Colter Bay Marina are very beautiful. There are many wild flowers such as the Golden Balsamroot. The Jack-in-Hole is very common for over a hundred species of birds, such as the mountain Blue Bird, the great Bald Eagle, the Trumpeter Swan.

There are many wild animals, the elk, deer, moose, bear and buffalo. Saw many buck and rail fences which shows that western character of the Jackson Hole.

The Grand Teton National Park is one of the Tour Highlights, where beauty surrounds it. In Jackson Hole, Wyoming saw an arch of Elkhorns, also in Wort Hotel saw 2,032 Silver Dollars imbedded in the world famous Silver Dollar Bar.

The next night was spent in Salt Lake City, Utah, where the Mormons, under the leadership of Brigham Young settled in Salt Lake Valley in July 1847. It is the capital of Utah and was mainly built of Utah granite and marble. The

tour group attended that night, The Promised Valley, it is a dramatic story of the Mormon Pioneers, told in dialogue, songs and dancing. It was presented by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The group, with an experienced guide, saw Brigham Youngs home, the State Capital, University of Utah, beautiful residential sections, the Salt Palace, the Convention and Sports Center, the Famous Mormon Tabernacle Choir and Organ. This is the Peace Monument, the Seagull monument and Mormon Temple, and the Internal Peace Gardens.

A tour was made of Colorado National Monument, it is an example of erosion. The colorful sandstone towers and spires rise from the floor of monument canyon and it is one of the impressive sights along the twenty-two miles of Rim Rock Drive, which is near Grand Junction, Colorado. One night was spent there at the Holiday Inn. Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Harris of Olathe, Colo. met her mother Mrs. Fronye Close of Spearman, that night for a visit.

After leaving Grand Junction, followed the Black Canyon of the Gunnison River to the deepest scenic Black Canyon National Monument. The walls of the canyon are colorful and rise 3,000 feet at their highest point.

Three nights were spent in Durango, Colorado. The group rode about a two hour train from Durango to Silverton, Colorado, which is 45 miles. Traveling along the scenery was beautiful. All returned to Durango by Grayline bus.

The next exciting tour was made to Mesa Verde, near Cortez, Colorado, which is the Cliff Dwellers National Park. It is a huge-stepped tobeiland interlaced with colorful canyons, with thick pinon and juniper woods. The Cliff Dwellers are pitted with wide mouthed caves. The Cliff Dwellers Indians were called Anasazi. They had a lot of handicraft skills, and ver little to do with. The Pit Houses were

shallow holes in the earth covered with sticks and mud, which served as shelter after gradual move to the mesa tops. They used wood beams to support the roofs. The Pueblo Indians sometimes visits the cliff dwellings that their ancestors may have built.

Sunday afternoon August 17, arrived in Albuquerque, N. M. Two hours were spent in old town Albuquerque shopping and visiting the many shops.

The farewell dinner was at La Hacienda Dining Rooms, old town Plaza. After the dinner, all met at Santa Rosa Room at the Holiday Inn for a farewell party.

After an early breakfast, the tour group left Monday, August 18, for Amarillo. All good things must come to an end. Two of the passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boydston got off at Vega, Texas and the rest came on to Amarillo.

The Tour covered between 3350 and 4000 miles. In sixteen days a group gets well acquainted and learn to love each other. It was a wonderful time and becomes a part of our treasured memories.

After all, wherever a person might go, there's no place like home, so all were happy to return home.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Russell for two weeks were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Parrish of Seminole, Oklahoma.

SCS Has Wildlife Packets Available

The Hansford Soil and Conservation District is again cooperating with the Texas Forest Service in an effort to get wildlife plantings in the District.

Wildlife packets are available which contain 150 Seedlings - 50 Russian Olive, 50 Honey Locust thomless and 50 Red Cedar. The packet of 150 seedlings is \$7.50.

If you want other plantings you can get them at the rate of \$5.00 per 100 seedlings. Other seedlings available are Austrian Pine, Chinese Elm, Oriental Arborvitae, Osage Orange, and Ponderosa Pine. These seedlings are for wildlife habitat or wind breaks plantings and are not ornamental plantings. Please place your order with the Soil Conservation Services Office.

We are located in the basement of the courthouse in Spearman. Phone 659-2330. Place orders by October 10, 1975. We will send your order so all can be shipped at one time and this will save freight. Send your order in as soon as possible.

Mrs. Don Jones and Wanda spent last week visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. R. Morrison and Bill Morrison at Pampa. Also visiting in the Morrison home were Mrs. Jones' aunts Mrs. W. J. Close of San Diego, California and Mrs. Dale Low and Mrs. Sam Bowen of Miami, Texas.

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\$5.00 Barrels	\$5.00 Barrels
\$5.00 Poles	\$5.00 Poles
\$5.00 Goat Tying	\$5.00 Goat Tying
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\$7.50 Steer Riding	\$7.50 Shetland Broncs

14 yrs. and under - Breakaway Roping \$5.00
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First, Second, and Third place buckles will be given in each event.

Contestant's Name _____ Age _____

Address _____

"We, the Parents and/or guardians, herewith give consent for participation of the contestant named on this entry to compete in the Spearman Roping Club Little Britches Rodeo, September 13, 1975, at Spearman, Texas and do hereby release the Spearman Roping Club and/or its agents, from any and all liability or damages whatsoever that may occur to said contestant, or contestant's mount while in competition in the above named rodeo or while enroute to or from said place."

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Joint Wedding

Anniversaries Slated

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. James P. Gilliam will be honored with a reception to celebrate the occasion of their forty-fifth and fortieth wedding anniversaries on Sunday afternoon, August 31st from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. The reception will be held at the Pampa Country Club.

Edwin and Anabel (Gilliam) Simmons were married on September 7, 1930 at Gruver, Texas. Jimmy Gilliam, brother to Mrs. Simmons,

and his wife Beatrice (Hart) Gilliam were married on the same date in 1935 at Pea Ridge, Arkansas. Mr. Simmons is a local C. P. A. and Mr. Gilliam works as a mechanic for Pampa-Chrysler-Dodge.

Hosting the reception will be children of the two couples, Paul Simmons, Pampa; and Leslie Gilliam, McAllen; Eltha King, Pampa; and Bertha Lefler of Alvin, Texas. Friends of the honoree couples are invited to attend.

Personal Shower Honors

Yume Trinh

A Personal Going-T-O-College shower honoring Yume Trinh was held Friday, August 22nd from 3:30 till 5:00 P.M. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. The shower was sponsored by the Baptist Women.

Yume will be attending West Texas University in the fall.

The registration table was laid with yellow organdy cloth with a white underlay and was accented by a bud vase of white daisies and the guest book.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth and accented with an arrangement of dark purple cosmos. The table was set with crystal appointments and refreshments of punch, cookies, nuts and mints were served to those attending by Mrs. Roy

Wilmeth. Miss Trinh was assisted with her gifts by Mrs. Glen Hiller and Mrs. Roy Uptergrove.

Miss Trinh was presented a purple orchid corsage and Mrs. Uptergrove was presented a white camation corsage. Miss Trinh received a liberal offering of money and many personal gifts.

Gertrude B. Archer and Darlene Pool visited Master Sergeant and Mrs. F. O. Venters of Hahn Air Force Base near Frankfurt, Germany. While they were there they visited in Holland, Belgium, France, Austria and Switzerland. Mrs. Venters is the former Sue Archer, daughter of Mrs. Archer and mother of Darleen Pool.

Farewell For Vavrochs Slated

There will be a farewell party for the John Vavrochs, at 7:30 P.M., Saturday, August 30 at the Community Bible Church in Gruver. Reverend Vavroch will be the Minister of Music and Assisting Pastor for the Twin City Bible Church in Urbana, Illinois. John and Sharon and their children, Anthony, Heidi, and Adam will be leaving Monday for their new home in Illinois.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the farewell for the Vavrochs this Saturday night.

Bridge Clubs

The Duplicate Bridge Club met Monday, August 25th in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lasater.

High score was won by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker. Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by guests. Mr. and Mrs. Kent Guthrie and by members, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Lasater. Next meeting will be September 22nd in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Nelson.

The Ladies Dinner Bridge Club met Monday, August 25th in the home of Mrs. Troy Sloan.

High was won by Mrs. Bill K. Jackson, second High was won by Mrs. Sid Evans and the traveling prize was won by Mrs. Wilson McClellan.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Sloan to guests, Ann Marie of Bussels, Belgium and Mrs. Wilson McClellan and to members, Mesdames: Bill K. Jackson, Don DeArmond, Sid Evans, Glen Mackie, Jim Evans and Joel Lackey.

Next meeting will be September 15th in the home of Mrs. Don DeArmond.

Dahlia Flower Club Met

The Dahlia Flower Club met Monday, August 25th at 3:00 P.M. at Martin's Steak Garden.

President, Mrs. F. J. Hoskins presided over the meeting. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the treasurer's report was given.

Roll Call was answered to "Current Events". Mrs. Olin Sheets was in charge of the program and presented Miss Linda Crawford of Gruver, who told about the Stationmaster's Museum and the fund raising pie eating contest to be held September 27th.

Following the program, Mrs. Sheets presented Miss Crawford a purple African violet potted plant.

Mrs. C. W. Smith won first place with her specimen and Mrs. Mable Edwards won first with her arrangement.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by guests, Miss Crawford of Gruver and Mrs. Beny Waters of Abemathy, who is visiting in the home of Mrs. J. W. Walker and by members, Mesdames: H. M. Shedeck, Ceril Batton, Virgil Floyd, Mable Edwards, F. J. Hoskins, Deta Blodgett, Ned Turner, J. W. Walker, A. F. Loftin, C. W. Smith, Earl Riley, Olin Sheets, Garrett Allen and Home Demonstration Agent, Nelle Evans. Next meeting will be September 8th at 3:00 P.M. in the home of Mrs. H. M. Shedeck.

Arts & Crafts Guild News

The Arts and Crafts Guild met Friday, August 22nd in the home of Mrs. F. J. Hoskins.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Hoskins to guest, Vera Campbell and to members, Mesdames: Joe Trayler, Garrett Allen, Nolan Holt, F. J. Daily, C. A. Gibner, P. A. Lyon, Bruce Sheets and W. L. Russell.

Next meeting will be August 29th in the home of Mrs. Nolan Holt.

Rotary Club News

The Spearman Rotary Club met Monday, August 25th at Martin's Steak Garden with President, Roy Bulls presiding.

Candy Boxwell presented the program on Cystic Fibrosis and discussed the Dance-a-thon to be held in September as a fund raising project for the Cystic Fibrosis foundation.

Guests present were Kerry Henton and Candy Boxwell, both of Spearman, and Steve Gross and Arthur Waight, both of Borger.

Members present were Carrie Marie Berry, Roy Bulls, Junior Lusby, John R. Collard, Ed G. Amer, Peyton Gibner, Don Wirsdorfer, Jack McWhirter, Don Hergert, Pete Fisher, Ellzey Vandenburg, John Hutchison, Ed Thompson, Archie Burress, E. J. Copeland and Mark Neff.

Rotary will not meet September 1st because of Labor Day. Next meeting will be September 8th at Martin's Steak Garden.

Eastern Star Has Meeting

Chapter #721, O.E.S. held a family picnic at the Swimming Pool Park Sunday, August 24th from 4:00 - 6:30 P.M. in honor of Rob Morris, founder of the Eastern Star.

Chicken with all the trimmings, home-made ice cream and cake and good fellowship was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Uptergrove and Allan and their guests, Jim and Junior Trinh, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wilbanks and their guest, Ms. Oma Lee Brillhart, Mrs. Wilma Clark, Mrs. Judy Black, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Russell, Kevin and Kayla and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Parrish, Mrs. Louise Sampson, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hudson, Mrs. Deta Blodgett, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Collard, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Palmer.

Next Eastern Star meeting will be September 1st at the Hansford Lodge Hall.

Shower Postponed

The Baby Shower planned for Mrs. Nghia Thu originally set for Thursday, August 28 with guests to call at the home of the Ted Eyns between the hours of 4:00 to 5:00 P.M. has been postponed. The arrival of a precious 5 pound 14 ounce baby girl at 3:15 P.M., Sunday, August 24 prompted the change in the Show-er date. A new date will be set as soon as Mrs. Thu and their daughter are home and will be able to attend.

Hansford Lodge Meets

Hansford Lodge #1040 A.F. & A.M. met Monday, August 25th in the Hansford Lodge Hall with Dan Faries, Worshipful Master presiding.

Eighteen from this district and one from Amarillo attended the Texas Master's Degree in the strip mines of Chaney, Kansas Saturday, August 23rd following a chicken barbecue.

Work in Fellowcraft Degree will be held September 4th at 7:30 in the Hansford Lodge Hall. All Fellowcraft Masons are invited. There will be practice for the Degree August 27th and September 3rd.

Host, Jack Whitson served cold cuts, peach preserves and ice cream to on guest from Borger #672 Lodge, Texarkana, Texas and to members present.

Next regular meeting will be September 8th at the Lodge Hall.

The officers of the Spearman Chapter of FHA held an officer meeting in the home of Tami Farr Aug. 19th. It was held to plan the picnic for the incoming Home Ec I students.

Those present were Tami Farr, Lonita Greene, Gerri Maize, Leslie Groves, Tammy Rook and the FHA advisors, Mrs. Frances Hudson and Miss Jan Tumbough.

Our Heritage of Faith

notes from Faith Lutheran Church

It is our privilege to welcome to our Parish and to the community of Spearman, our interm family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Loewenhausen. They are going to be spending the year in our area. They come from Racine, Wisconsin. Mr. Loewenhausen is in his third year of study at Wartburg Theological Seminary, Dubuque, Iowa. After his year here in Spearman, he will return for his final year of study. They will be living at 205 Lonita Drive.

Sunday, September 7 at 6:30, the Faith congregation will have a pot luck supper to welcome our interm family. This will give us a fine opportunity to become acquainted with Bruce and Linda. A supply of staples to help fill their kitchen cupboards is going on at present to be ready when they come this Friday.

The Panhandle Conference Luther League will have their fall convention at Oslo, Gruver, Texas on September 13-14. You are to bring sleeping bags for this as they plan to use the Oslo Church for that. The service on Sept. 14 will be in charge of the youth. The program starts on Saturday with the noon meal. The Vietnamese doctors from Gruver will have a presentation on Saturday afternoon at 1 p.m. We hope many of our youth will take the opportunity to attend.

The Panhandle Conference Church Convention will be held at Slaton on Saturday, September 27 from 10-4 p.m. The yearly business meeting of the conference will be conducted at that time. Our Council members are voting delegates to this convention.

We are very thankful to the many who have donated in one way or another to get our new parsonage ready for occupancy. Without the assistance of each, it could not have been done. That continued support will be needed as our program continues. The church is only as alive as the members who belong.

If you have no church home, we invite you to worship with us. Morning Worship each Sunday at 9:30 with Sunday School at 10:30.

CORRECTION

CORRECTION: The Happy Homes Home Demonstration Club will meet September 4th in the home of Mrs. Dwight Sumner instead of

the home of Mrs. Charles Bartz. Also, Mrs. Jim Nicholson's name was inadvertently omitted from the list of those present at the August 21st meeting.

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