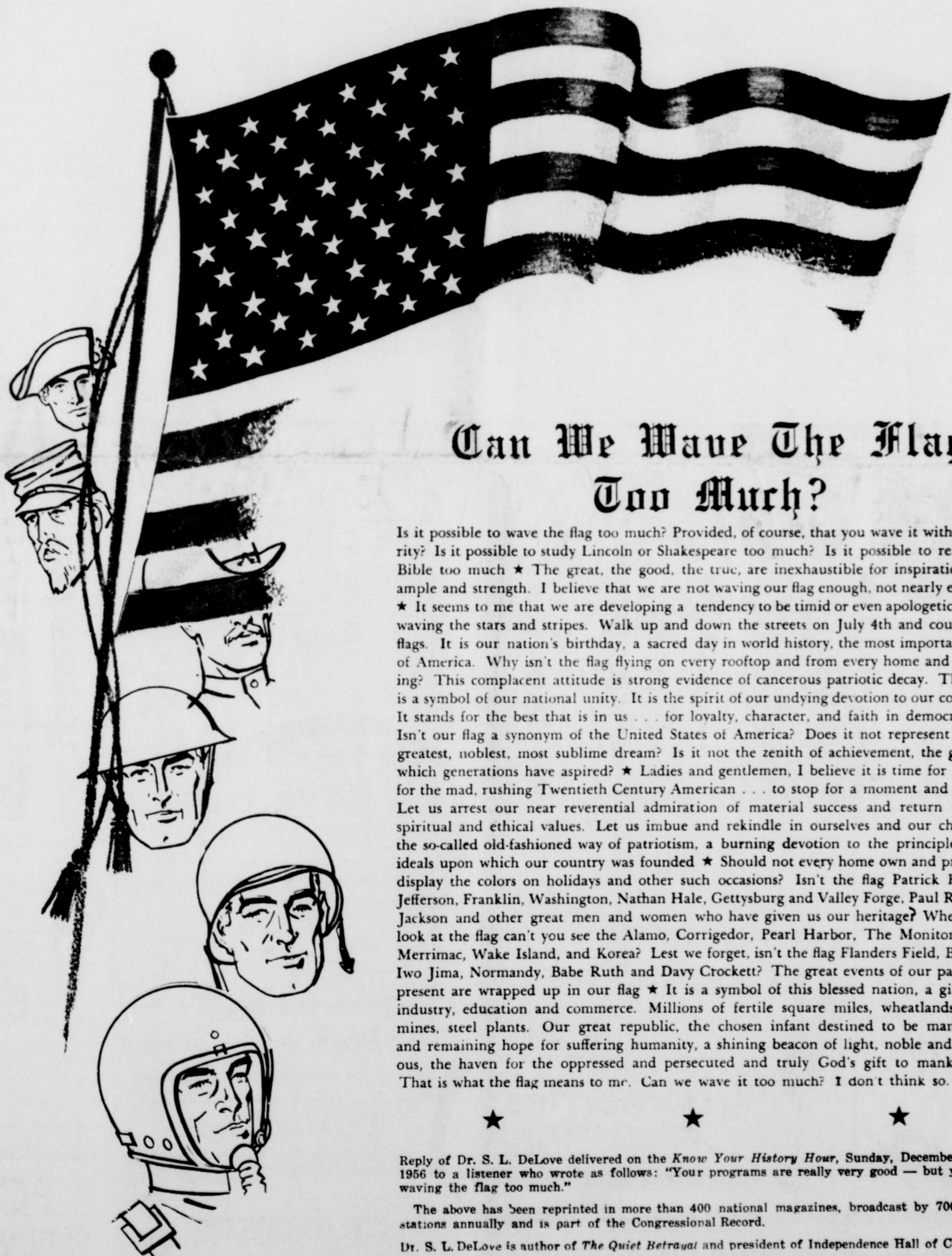


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Can We Wave The Flag Too Much?

Is it possible to wave the flag too much? Provided, of course, that you wave it with integrity? Is it possible to study Lincoln or Shakespeare too much? Is it possible to read the Bible too much? The great, the good, the true, are inexhaustible for inspiration, example and strength. I believe that we are not waving our flag enough, not nearly enough. It seems to me that we are developing a tendency to be timid or even apologetic about waving the stars and stripes. Walk up and down the streets on July 4th and count the flags. It is our nation's birthday, a sacred day in world history, the most important day of America. Why isn't the flag flying on every rooftop and from every home and building? This complacent attitude is strong evidence of cancerous patriotic decay. The flag is a symbol of our national unity. It is the spirit of our undying devotion to our country. It stands for the best that is in us . . . for loyalty, character, and faith in democracy. Isn't our flag a synonym of the United States of America? Does it not represent man's greatest, noblest, most sublime dream? Is it not the zenith of achievement, the goal to which generations have aspired? Ladies and gentlemen, I believe it is time for us . . . for the mad, rushing Twentieth Century American . . . to stop for a moment and think. Let us arrest our near reverential admiration of material success and return to the spiritual and ethical values. Let us imbue and rekindle in ourselves and our children the so-called old-fashioned way of patriotism, a burning devotion to the principles and ideals upon which our country was founded. Should not every home own and proudly display the colors on holidays and other such occasions? Isn't the flag Patrick Henry, Jefferson, Franklin, Washington, Nathan Hale, Gettysburg and Valley Forge, Paul Revere, Jackson and other great men and women who have given us our heritage? When you look at the flag can't you see the Alamo, Corrigedor, Pearl Harbor, The Monitor, The Merrimac, Wake Island, and Korea? Lest we forget, isn't the flag Flanders Field, Bataan, Iwo Jima, Normandy, Babe Ruth and Davy Crockett? The great events of our past and present are wrapped up in our flag. It is a symbol of this blessed nation, a giant in industry, education and commerce. Millions of fertile square miles, wheatlands, coal mines, steel plants. Our great republic, the chosen infant destined to be man's last and remaining hope for suffering humanity, a shining beacon of light, noble and glorious, the haven for the oppressed and persecuted and truly God's gift to mankind. That is what the flag means to me. Can we wave it too much? I don't think so.



Reply of Dr. S. L. DeLove delivered on the *Know Your History Hour*, Sunday, December 30th, 1956 to a listener who wrote as follows: "Your programs are really very good — but you are waving the flag too much."

The above has been reprinted in more than 400 national magazines, broadcast by 700 radio stations annually and is part of the Congressional Record.

Dr. S. L. DeLove is author of *The Quiet Betrayal* and president of Independence Hall of Chicago.



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Council Demands Answers From Telephone Company

Another Meeting Scheduled

A continuation of the February 29th discussion between the city council of Spearman and General Telephone Company, was held in the Farm Bureau meeting room Monday night.

Dr. Hackley, Mayor of Spearman, introduced the telephone officials, who presented their side of the program. This included an increase in the rates of all telephone users in Spearman, plus a rate increase to all rural users. Ironically enough, the city users were pretty well satisfied at this meeting Monday night, and many of them complimented the telephone company for their improved performance since the meeting in February. But, it was a different story from the rural users. They just aren't getting service for what they are paying for, the farmers and ranchers stated.

Telephone officials stated that due to cost increases, surtax, new contracts with labor, the new rate for Spearman is needed. Also, phone officials said that none of the rural areas paid their way, and this was more or less subsidized by the over-all telephone users.

The Telephone Company is making efforts to improve rural service, but rural people present for Monday's meeting stated they do not want the rate increase until the phone people prove to them that they are going to give better service.

Telephone officials have not convinced the city's legal representative, Attorney J.D. Helms, that the cost statement and net operating cost picture that they show in the prepared brochure for Spearman area is exactly a true picture. Apparently, the company did not show its profits on long distance calls. This came as quite a shock to those present at the meeting and the question was raised as to how the company could show an over-all profit of \$32,000 in this area, and not list and include profits on long distance calls. The literature passed out at the meeting applied only to profits on local calls. The reason the Company is asking for a rate increase is because they show such a low profit margin (\$32,000.)

Also, Attorney Helms wants the company to explain why it has picked Spearman for the only town in this area as a pilot program for increased rates. It was understood at the meeting, that the many other towns serviced by General Telephone

would not have rate increases. . . only Spearman would. Phone users Monday night said it should be just the reverse. The users who get the up-graded service first, should be the ones who pay the increase, said the majority. They felt that Spearman shouldn't have to pay until the service is up-graded.

Telephone company officials have again called for another meeting with users, and the city council.

At 8 p.m. Monday, July 8, councilmen and citizens will meet to hear questions answered satisfactorily by the company as to their intentions on better service for city and rural users alike, and explanations as to why profits were not listed for long distance calling. One thing for sure, the city council will not budge until these questions have been settled.

homes. You might come home and find it burned down.

One man I know who is reaching the prime time of his life hasn't lost his get-up-and-go by a long shot! This is Chip Martin. Uncle Sam called his son, James to a 2-week National Guard camp right in the middle of harvest. His other son, Ed, will be discharged next week from his 2-year Army service. So Chip simply harvested their wheat by himself, and in his "spare" time kept 4 irrigation wells running. Many of his days began at 6:30 AM, and 10 PM saw him eating supper. Had a quick sandwich with him one day last week. First, he purchased a tube of Polly-Grip, then we sat down and visited over lunch for about 15 minutes. He was mud, from head to toe. He had managed to misplace his hat somewhere, and I noticed that his heavy hair revealed very few gray ones.

Chip reminisced that he helped build the first graded road over the north end of Hansford Hill with a mule-drawn grader, back in 1919. A look at the heavy machinery now cutting down

the hill and widening the road shows how things have changed! Things have changed. Chip hasn't, much! He can still work a young man down. When there's work to be done, he gets after it. On July 28, he will be 70 years old. His sons probably dread coming home. . . they will be locking forward to a rest from Army duties, and Pappy will have their work all laid out for them!

I can say these things about him with first-hand knowledge. He's my uncle, and a pretty good ole chap!

holt news

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rymer of Winona, Mo., were Thursday and Friday night guests of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pendergraft.

Mrs. Bertha Jenkins was honored with a Birthday Party Friday afternoon, June 28. Gifts were given to the honoree and refreshments were served to Mesdames Bob Tivebaugh of Claude, Myrtle Stephen of Spearman, Berda Holt, Wesley Jenkins, C. W. Kirk, Raymond Kirk, Phil Jenkins, Maude Rossion, Debbie and Dale Reger.

Mrs. Cyril Batton, and her sister Mrs. S.L. Williamson of Choctaw, Okla., attended the International Convention of the Church of God, at Anderson, Indiana, June 17th to the 23rd. Mrs. Batton's daughter, Freda LaFoe, who is a teacher-missionary from Tokyo, Japan, was also at the convention.

After the close of the convention, Mrs. Batton, Mrs. Williamson and Miss LaFoe started home, stopping at Burlington, Iowa to visit relatives for a few days, then through Missouri, stopping at the Lake of the Ozarks and at Granby, Missouri, where Miss LaFoe showed slides and gave a talk on the school and her work. Then, they stopped in Oklahoma to visit with relatives and Mrs. Williamson went to her home. Mrs. Batton and Freda returned home Saturday night. Miss LaFoe will visit friends and neighbors here until Friday, then she will go to Oklahoma City where she is scheduled to spend Sunday. She will speak in several states until September 1, then she will go to college in Nashville, Tenn., until January. She will return to Japan next March.

Mesdames Carrie Clement and Mildred Chamberlain of Spearman, Bertha Jenkins and Maude Rossion were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Maude Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carp of Pringle.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Close and daughter of Coleman, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Patterson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bynum and Shelli of Kress, Texas were Saturday afternoon callers of the Doyle Jacksons.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Holt attended the Funeral of Herbert Thompson Friday afternoon, June 28 at Mangum, Okla. He was 76 years old and the oldest brother of his family. He had lived in Greer county all of his life. He was a brother of Mrs. Claude Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman McCree of Big Springs, Tex. were Friday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Holt. They had visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lambert of Fritch and relatives in Lawrence, Kans., and in Berger.

Bride-Elect Complimented

The home of Mrs. Tommy Lovett was the scene of a lingerie shower honoring Kay Dean Jackson, Saturday afternoon, June 29. Kay Dean is the bride-elect of Mr. Choise Smith of Floydada.

Mr. Hal Sampson and Mrs. Jack Vanderberg served guests from the beautifully appointed serving table which was covered with a white lined cloth edged with white lace. Colors of white and yellow were carried out in the table decor with the centerpiece arranged from yellow daisies. The punch was yellow as were the daisies decorating the white cakes.

Kay Dean received many lovely gifts of lingerie from guests attending.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Tommy Lovett, Mrs. Hal Sampson and Mrs. Jack Vanderberg. Guests were Miss Janice Trindle, Mesdames Olo Crum, Britt Jarvis, George Jackson, Dave Hand, Lynn Cook, Pat Patterson and A.S. Gamble, mother of the bride-elect.

Mrs. Ted Scroggs recently had a visitor in her home her grandmother, Mrs. Connie Pancake of Keys, Okla.

TOPS Member Record 30 lb. Weight Loss

TOPS Anonymous meet at the City Hall Council room Friday night, June 28 for a regular meeting.

Twelve members weighed in, including 2 new members with a weight loss of 30 pounds for the past week.

Winner of the fruit bowl the lady losing the most weight in one week which was 6 pounds.

The membership voted to have only a local club and not be affiliated with the national TOPS Clubs.

In the waging of the contest to see which side can lose most weight in this month, Side Number Two is ahead 21 1/2 pounds.

The club has purchased Doctor's scales with the monthly dues paid by the membership.

TOPS Anonymous meets each Friday night at the City Hall, and anyone interested in being a member is welcome to come and join in the fun of losing weight sensibly and fun doing so.

Pvt. Swan Is Trained For Army Cook

FT. HUACHUCA, ARIZ. Army Private David A. Swan son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Swan, 304 S. Dresden St., Spearman, Tex., completed a cooking course June 14 at Ft. Huachuca, Ariz.

During the eight-week course, he was trained in meat cutting plus cake and pastry baking. He also learned how to prepare and serve food in Army mess halls and in the field.

House guest of Miss Julie Sanders is Miss Linda Covington of Abilene. She will spend about 2 weeks here, and Julie plans to return with her for a visit.



Let Me See . . . by Sybil

Mrs. Thelma Vaughn was among Spearman School teachers enrolled in a week's science workshop at Panhandle State College, Goodwell, the past week. Her professor was naming to the class the two known poisonous spiders, and failed to mention the Brown Recluse. When Thelma asked him about this one, he had never heard of such an insect (if that's what you would call the mean looking critter.)

She stopped in at the office that evening and picked up a copy of the newspaper we published picturing the spider and giving warning to the public of its dangerous and sometimes fatal bite. . . . Now Thelma has gone off to Norman for a month's visit with her daughter and family and will not be back before August. So it will be interesting to learn what she taught her professor about the new spider.

While I'm on the subject of bugs. . . I wish someone in-the-know would go by Claude Smith's and see the huge moth which has been making it's home on their patio. Claude says there were two of them at first. He and Cora have never seen anything like them before. Blackish in color, they have a 7-inch wing spread. He captured one and put it in a fruit jar, but it destroyed itself and beat off most of its wings. The other one is content to stay in a cool shady tree.

I've never noticed so many different kinds, colors and sizes of butterflies as I've seen the past 2 weeks in my backyard. Noticed a solid black one Saturday, I didn't

know they made black butterflies. . . but it was beautiful. I was able to observe it closely for several minutes. The only other color on it's black furry wings was four beautiful pale blue spots.

Mary Lou Wylson called me to see if I had left out some ingredients in the orange-pineapple sherbet recipe. Nope, that's all it has in it. She couldn't believe it would be good. Maybe by now she has raked up the courage to try it. It's delicious. Of course if you are not fond of orange-pineapple flavor, I would advise you to try something else.

Man, could I go into the

blackmail business! We had a meeting the other night of 1943 class members to plan for our 25th year reunion. Jimmy Linn, Irvin Davis, J.L. Pierce, Paul Hazelwood, all talked at length of their youthful capers. I think they might pay quite a lot to keep this information out of the hands of their sons and daughters.

Four homes on Bernice street last week were entered while residents were not in. The young boy didn't take anything, but did a lot of prowling and messing up. Eggs thrown against the walls, coffee poured into sugar bowls, drawers opened, items strewn everywhere. People should lock their

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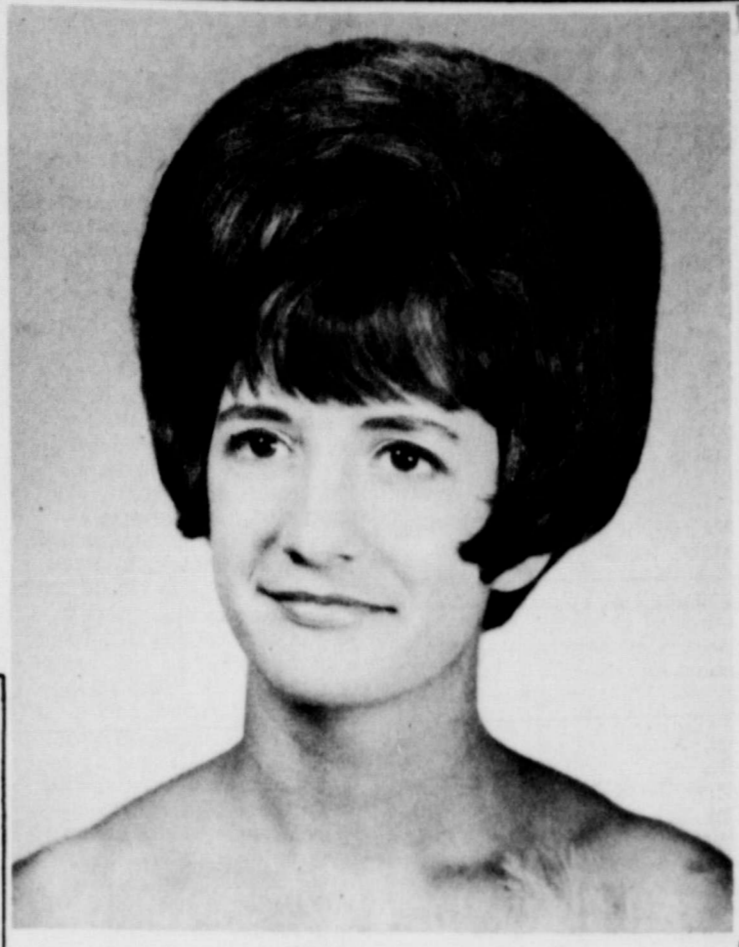
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Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hand announce the engagement of their daughter Barbara Sue, to Jim Bengston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Galen Bengston of Hutchinson, Kansas. Miss Hand is a graduate of Fort Hays State College, Hays, Kansas where she was a member of the Alpha Gamma Delta social sorority. She is now teaching Senior English at Hutchinson High school. Mr. Bengston is a graduate of Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia, Kansas, where he was a member of Alpha Kappa Lambda social fraternity. He is employed with Sears Roebuck. The couple is planning a fall wedding.



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An outdoor flag ceremony opened Day Camp for the Junior Girl Scout Troop 34 each day this past week.

Each day offered something new to the Scouts; Monday was decoupage day and was topped off by a hike to the park where the girls sanded the benches which have been put up in the Scout house backyard. Tuesday, the girls made pictures of felt, material scraps, and ric-rac on burlap. The girls also planned for Wednesday's hike by assembling first-aid kits, and the girls also decided to purchase red bandanas for their gypsy badges. Brenda Thomas, Debra Davis, Marcie Larson, and Sheryl Gibson, who are all members of Jo Larson's troop taught the girls from troop 34 some new songs. On Wednesday, the troop went

to Gibner ranch for a hike, and studied insects, laid trails, heard outdoor tales, and hiked several miles.

Assisting the girls daily was Toni Delozier, and others who assisted during the week were Mrs. Harold Fickling and Dean, Mrs. Bob Crawford, and Mrs. George Rook.

Girls attending were: Kate Crawford, Annie Fickling, Stephanie Reed, Karen Tope, Tammy Rook, Collette Smith, Coleen Smith, and two girls who flew up to Juniors last Wednesday, Becky Brown and Susie Gregg. Visitors included Bryan and Phyllis Crawford, Kevin Rook, and the leaders are Mrs. Alene Crawford, Mrs. Melba Rook, Barbara Fickling and Toni Delozier.

Ora Ashley, former Spearmanite now living in Portland, Ore. was in town this week visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Camp of Westville, Oklahoma were here last week visiting with her family, the Claude Stoves. They all visited in Midland over the weekend with the Willie Cox family.



APPRECIATION --- James Lair, left, appeared before Lions Club Tuesday noon to present a sponsor's certificate and words of appreciation to the Club for helping financially with the most successful Little League Baseball year which has just ended. More boys participated in the Little League program this year, making the largest turn-out since its organization. Lion Foshee accepted the certificate for the Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMullan and their families spent Sunday enjoying an outing at Lake Fryer.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Smith, parents of Hubert Smith, are here visiting with them in their home. They came for the arrival of the new baby.

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The serving table was covered in a pale orchid cloth and centered with a candelabra arrangement surrounded with dainty garden flowers and pink clusters of net.

The honoree was presented with a rattler, tied net and satin bows, as a corsage-gift for the baby-to-be. Her mother, Mrs. Olin Sheets, and Mrs. O.R. Blount were both presented with similar corsages.

Many lovely anticipation gifts were received by Mrs. Blount.

Spearman women attending the shower included Mesdames Bob Archer, M.E. Jaegers, Joe Trayler, Daniel Sheets, Ned Turner, Arthur Green, Olin Sheets and Miss Nancy Archer.

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Telephone Company Settles

SAN ANGELO--Settlement between General Telephone Company of the Southwest and Communications Workers of America, representing an 18.5 percent increase in wages and benefits, was reached Friday (June 28), according to Owen N. Rabourn, director of personnel and chairman of the company negotiations committee.

The settlement will cost the company \$3,700,000 over a three-year period and contained no significant changes from the company's final proposal of last Monday; however, wages will be retroactive to June 9, according to Rabourn.

The contract will expire June 27, 1971, except for pension plan benefits to be discussed in 1970.

"We feel that it is a very fine settlement considering the company's responsibilities to customers, employees and shareholders," Rabourn said.

L. Gray Beck, who will become president of General Telephone Company of the Southwest on July 1, issued this statement

immediately following the settlement:

"We are extremely pleased that we were able to reach an agreement without inconveniencing our customers.

"More money is involved in this settlement than in any previous one in the company's history. The new contract together with the new 10 percent surtax will increase the company's operating expenses substantially.

"As in the past, the management of General of the Southwest will do their utmost to absorb or minimize the effect of these increased costs by improving operating efficiencies and providing better

tools and training programs which will improve employee production. However, it appears to us that pricing of telephone service will be a necessity in light of these developments.

Rabourn said the contract includes wage increases of 73 cents per hour, full base medical coverage for employees only, four weeks vacation after 20 years, and double time worked on holidays.

The 4300 employees covered by the new contract include 1300 employees of the former Southwestern States Telephone Company

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Home From Vietnam

PFC. Gerald Harnish, 22-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Harnish, returned last week from Vietnam to enjoy a 42-day R & R leave at home. Harnish, who has spent the past 11 months in Vietnam, volunteered for six more months of duty in that country. He has been in the service since March, 1967. An Army Engineer, he has been in charge of a big asphalt plant near Qui Nhon, which is the source of all paving material used in and around villages and on roads in that area. Harnish said he had 2 more years to serve in the Army, and stood the chance of having to spend the rest of this

time in Germany or Korea. "I had rather go back to my familiar post at Qui Nhon for six more months, than spend this time elsewhere overseas," he said.

Hughes' Enjoy Indian Fiesta

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hughes attended the Indian Pow Wow in Pampa Sunday, June 30. This is the annual Bar-B-Q Fiesta of the Southwest Indian Organization. Chief Marland Hays opened the meeting and presided over the affair. To open the meeting, the Lord's Prayer was offered in sign language. Mayor Jim Nation of Pampa gave the welcoming speech to guests and members, at the 1:00 PM Bar-B-Q. Master of ceremonies was Gerald Sims. Bob Price spoke to the many members and guests attending the meeting. Among the dignitaries of the various Indian nations represented were Chief Overton James, Chickasaw tribe; Harry Belvin, Choctaw; Muskrat, Cherokee; Dode McIntosh, Creek; and other leaders from the Kiowa and Apache nations. Adam Pratt presented the Indian songs and war drums and the closing program was given by the Kiowa, Apache, and Blackfoot Society Dancers from Fort Cobb, Oklahoma.



Mr. Victor Barris, a resident of Pioneer Manor Nursing Home since April, 1967, celebrated a very famous birthday. On the 4th of July, he was 91 years old. Born in south western Missouri, he has lived the past 30 years in and around Gruver, where he was a farmer for many years, and later on worked as a cement mason. He was married in 1900 and he and his late wife enjoyed some 60 years together. She passed away eight years ago. Mr. Barris has three sons and two daughters, 11 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. His sons are Henry, Wayne, and Glen. A daughter, Mrs. I.W. Ayres, Jr., lives in Gruver and his other daughter, Mrs. Betty Lockmiller resides in Amarillo. Mr. Barris is a very active, and well person. He enjoys company and although completely deaf, it is easy to visit with him.

successful in reducing stocks and strengthening market prices for the 1969 crop of wheat. For 1969, a farmer may divert up to one-half his acreage allotment and will receive 50 percent of the county loan rate times the allotment acres diverted, times the projected yield. Farms with 1969 allotments 21.7 acres or less will be able to divert the entire allotment for payment. Payment will be contingent upon a conserving use of diverted acreage. Other features of the 1969 wheat program will be much the same as those for the 1966 crop. Farmers signing up in the voluntary program can qualify for price-support loans and purchases, domestic marketing certificates, payments for diverting acreage below their allotments, and alternative cropping options. If a farmer signs up in both the wheat and feed grain programs, one option can be substitution between wheat and feed grain acres. Another option is the overplanting of allotment acreages by one-half, with wheat from excess acres to be stored under bond. Barley will again be excluded from the feed grain program in 1969. Because barley supplies are currently not excessive and are not expected to be, inclusion of that commodity in the regular feed grain program is not justified. A farmer will again be able to substitute wheat for barley, oats and rye if he so requests and he has a history of production of these crops in 1959-60. However, conditions for substitution of wheat for barley, oats and rye will differ somewhat from 1967-68. With the allotment reduced to the 1966 level and with acreage diversion required under the wheat program, diversion of a comparable part of the barley, oats and rye base acreage will also be required as a condition of substitution for 1969. This is similar to the 1966 program. Required diversion from barley, oats and rye will be 15 percent of the base-- somewhat less than the required diversion from these commodities in 1966. A farmer can become a 1969 wheat program cooperator by signing up in the program; remaining within his allotment; devoting to conserving use that acreage designated as his regular conserving base, plus the acreage represented by the approximate difference between the 1968 and 1969 allotments, as well as acreage diverted for payment; planting within his acreage allotment for any other allotment crops on the farm; and remaining within the wheat allotment on any other farm in which he holds an interest.

erly of the Pampa social security office. A recent change in the law allows widows, 50 or older, who are unable to work because of a severe disability, and whose husbands worked long enough under social security, to receive reduced monthly benefits. This new change also applies to women who were divorced from their husbands at the time of his death, but had been married to him at least 20 years and were still being supported by him when he died. Under the new law, a widow may be considered disabled, if she has an impairment so severe that it would ordinarily prevent her from working. Vocational factors such as age, education, and previous work experience are not considered.

To be eligible, Weatherly said a widow must be at least 50 years of age and have a severe disability that started either before her husband's death or within seven years after his death. An exception is made if she received benefits as a widow with children. In this case, disability may begin at any time up to seven years after her payments as a widow ended. The amount of the benefit depends on what her husband's retirement rate would have been had he been 65 at the time of his death, and how old the widow is when she starts getting checks. A full widow's benefit payable at age 62 is 88 percent of her deceased husband's retirement benefit.

What's Going On In HANSFORD County

THIS WEEK July 5-TOPS meeting in City Hall-8:00p.m. All persons interested in Taking Off Pounds Sensibly are invited. July 9-Ladies Swimming Time-5:00 p.m. July 11-Ladies Swimming Time-9:30 a.m.

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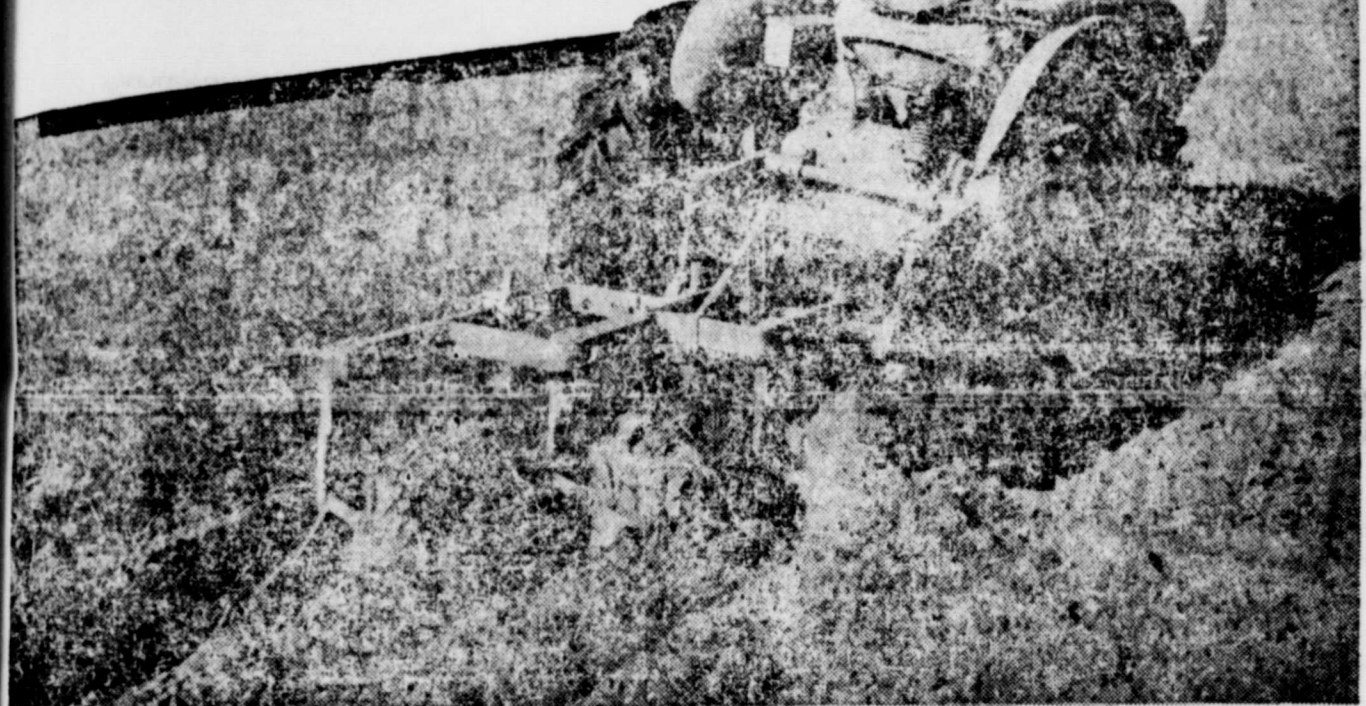
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Allotment Cut 13 %

Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman announced today the 1969-crop wheat program. It features a smaller national allotment of 51.6 million acres. The reduced 1969 allotment, Freeman said, will make it possible to strengthen farm prices and to reduce our carryover by around 100 million bushels. Freeman also said he is establishing an export target of 750 million bushels for the 1968-69 marketing year, and predicted that 1967's export goal of 750 million bushels will be exceeded. Final official figures will be available early in July indicating shipments during the 12 months ending June 30, 1968. Reaching our export target for 1967 represents a major achievement, he said. When we announced last year that we would shoot for this figure, many people felt we had set an impossible goal. But through the hard work of exporters, members of sales missions, USDA trade promotion specialists, USDA officials, and many others, we are reaching it. He noted, however, that the 750 million bushel export target for 1968-69 will be even more difficult to meet in the face of heavier world supplies. The 1969 wheat allotment is the same as for 1966-- down 13 percent from the 59.3 million acres in effect for the 1968 crop year. Diversion payments at the maximum rate authorized by law will be offered to farmers for planting less than their acreage allotment and diverting this land to conserving uses. The Secretary noted that his decision follows closely the recommendations of the USDA Grain Advisory Committee and those received at 10 field hearings conducted by ASCS officials in early May. Price support loans on 1969 crop wheat will continue to be available at a national average of \$1.25 per bushel. Total price support equal to 100 percent of parity (as of July 1, 1969) will be available on 43 percent of the co-operating farm's projected production on its allotted acreage. This compares to 40 percent in 1968. Domestic marketing certificates will make up the difference between parity and the loan rate. Freeman said that with normal yields, production from the 1969 allotment should total about 1.3 billion bushels-- compared to 1.55 billion bushels anticipated from the 1968 crop. He said this should bring about a sizeable reduction in carry-over stocks by mid-1970. Wheat growers, Secretary Freeman said, can help achieve the 1969 goal by signing up in the voluntary program and by diverting to conserving use, for payment, an additional acreage below their allotment. The total acreage reduction target is about 18 percent, the Secretary declared. The Secretary emphasized that program participation plus voluntary acreage diversion below allotments are key factors. It will be up to the wheat growers, themselves, to take these actions if they want the program to be fully suc-

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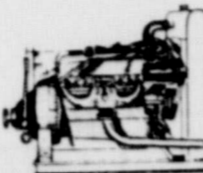
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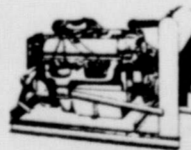
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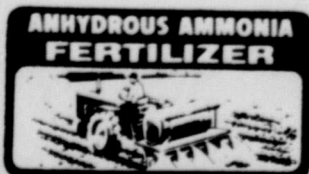
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Mr. Robert Paul Hazelwood, Assistant Vice President of the First State Bank, will graduate on July 26 with a credit major from the Southwestern Graduate School of Banking, Dallas. Hazelwood has been attending the Bank-

ing School for the past three summers. He will enroll for his final term July 14.

Mr. Hazelwood has been employed with First State Bank for nine years, and recently was named to the assistant vice-president position.

More than 510 bankers are enrolled in the 1968 session of the Southwestern Graduate School of Banking. Registration, Sunday, July 14, will open the two-week Session on the SMU campus.

The School offering courses to executive personnel from both large and small banks, has a curriculum that includes study in bank management, credit administration and trusts.

The two-week Session of courses emphasizes the study of basic policy, management problems and the development of a broader understanding of the economy. Study is continued through the year by Extension work and Thesis preparation.

The School is co-sponsored by the Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas Bankers Associations, the Dallas, Fort Worth, and Houston Clearing Houses and SMU. Director of the School is Dr. Richard B. Johnson, professor of Economics at SMU, and Director of "The Assemblies for Bank Directors."

Dean for Bankers is B. Finley Vinson, President of the First National Bank of Little Rock, Arkansas. Mr. Vinson was first associated with the School as a student, graduating in 1961, and formerly served as Faculty Chairman of the School's Freshman Class. The faculty is composed of more than 125 nationally-known bankers, lawyers, economists, and educators.

Mr. Willis W. Alexander, vice-president of the American Bankers Association, will give the opening address on Monday evening, July 15, 1968.

Mr. Hazelwood plans to attend graduation exercises.

Misitors in the Ben Upchurch home have been Mr. and Mrs. John E. Garrett of Annona, Texas and John Ed Garrett of MacAllen and Dale Maston of Austin.

Bloodmobile Unit To Be Here July 11

The Red Cross Bloodmobile unit will be in Spearman from 9 a. m. to 2:30 p. m., Thursday July 11. This is the only scheduled blood-drive this year for Hansford County. All citizens are urged to go to the First Baptist Church in Spearman some time during these hours and donate a pint of blood.

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Arts & Craft Guild Meets

Mrs. Bruce Sheets was hostess to the Arts and Crafts Guild Friday afternoon, June 28, in her home.

Refreshments were served to guests and they enjoyed an afternoon of painting.

Members present were mesdames Ned Turner, Guy Fuller, Fred Daily, P. A. Lyon, Sr., Joe Trayler, C. A. Gibner, W. L. Russell, Sada Hoskins and hostess, Bruce Sheets.

The July 5th meeting will not be held this Friday. Mrs. W. L. Russell will be hostess in her home for the July 12th meeting.



WINNERS---The Jets Major League team won first place this year with a season record of 13 wins and 2 losses by defeating the Indians in a decision make-up game Monday night. Members pictured are: bottom row L to R Regie Robertson, Scott Owens, Timmy Harper, Randy Davis, William Jones, Ned Davis, Bradley Healer, Back row: Randy Denham, Randy Hargis, Ronald Hall, Rex Linn, Randy Schell, Lonnie Lusby, Roger Jones. Coaches, Don Denham and Tommy Owens.



LITTLE LEAGUE ALL-STAR TEAM was selected Monday night. Tournament work-outs began Tuesday preparing for District play which will be here July 15-17. Bottom row L to R: A. J. Rex, Billy Cooper, Chris White, Kim Archer, Tim Harper, Mike Tucker, Randy Denham. Top, L to R: Eddie Graham, Martin Hendrick, Gregg VanBuskirk, Randy Schell, Rex Linn, Billy Hazelwood, Mike Cook, Randy Hargis. Coaches, Tommy White, Ed Dear, Don Henham. Not pictured is Carl Dean Robinson.

The Little League All-Star District Tournament will be played in Spearman, July 15, 16, and 17.

Teams participating include Spearman, Gruver, Dumas, Canadian, and Sunray.

Dumas drew a bye for the first game on the 15th. Sunray will play Canadian at 7 p. m. on this date. The winner of this game will play Dumas at 6 p. m. on the 16th, and Spearman meets Gruver at 8 p. m. The winner of the Gruver-Spearman game will play the winner of the Dumas game at 7 p. m. on the 17th. This tournament information was received Tuesday by Perry Coursey, tournament director.

Ed Dear is head coach for Spearman's all star team. He is being assisted by Don Denham and Tommy White.

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AUCTION NO. 1

MONDAY JULY 15, 1968 10:00 A. M.

DESCRIPTION:
of Section 30, Block 4T, and NW 1/4 and all that portion of the 1/4 lying North of the NT&SF Railroad in Section 40, Block 4T, Hansford County, Texas, containing 821.86 Acres.

LOCATION:
Approximately 2 miles Northeast of Spearman, Texas on Hwy. 15.

TIME:
10:00 A. M. Monday, July 15, at land site.

SESSION:
All bids will be given the day of the auction with the successful bidder or bidders having full advantage of any farming that is done prior to the auction.

NOTICE:
This land is surrounded on all four sides by good irrigation wells with every indication of an ample supply of irrigation water available under this tract of land.

REMARKS:
One-half of the minerals will go with the land. There is a gas producing well located in Section 30 at this time, that is producing between 66 and 67 million cubic feet of gas per year. One-half of the production will go to the successful bidder or bidders in Section 30.

ACREAGE:
This is a wheat base of 504.3 acres on the total tract of land.

AUCTION NO. 2

FLOYD VANDEBURGH AUCTIONEERS

TUESDAY, JULY 16, 1968 10:00 A. M.

DESCRIPTION:
of South 1/2 of Section 12 TWP 5 North, Range 18 East, Texas County, Oklahoma, containing 320 acres more or less.

LOCATION:
Approximately 2 1/2 miles South of Tyrone, Oklahoma.

TIME:
10:00 A. M. Tuesday, July 16, 1968 at land site.

ACREAGE:
This is a wheat base of 157.4 acres with a conserving base of 7 acres.

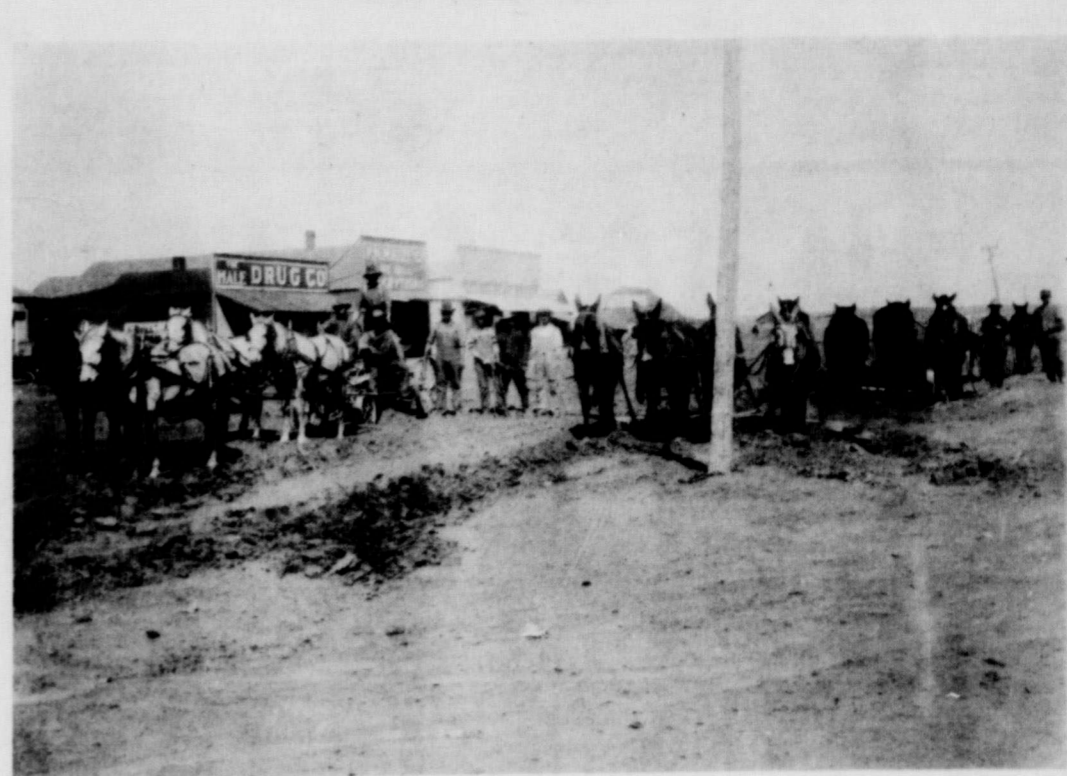
REMARKS:
This land will be offered Surface Only with 1/2 of the minerals or minerals separately with the owners having the right to decide which way it will sell. This land is leased at the present time to Edwin A. Cox, Dallas Texas, and expires March 21, 1971. You can see the recent interest in these minerals by the lease that was made on March 21 of this year. This should give you some indication as to their value.

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EVIDENCE CLOSET EMPTIED --- Sheriff's officers had clean-up day Wednesday when they loaded a pickup full of confiscated beer and liquor. Accumulated over a period of time, the "hot" booze was taken to the junk yard and destroyed.



THIS EQUIPMENT BUILT THE FIRST ROAD UP OLD HANSFORD HILL, EAST, INTO SPEARMAN.

Gilliam To Be Stationed At Idaho AFB

Airman Charles C. Gilliam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Gilliam of Spearman, Tex., has been graduated from a U. S. Air Force technical school at Amarillo AFB, Tex. He was trained as an administrative specialist and has been assigned to a unit of Strategic Air Command at Mountain Homes AFB, Idaho. The airman is a graduate of Spearman High School.

Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Sparks have their grandchildren visiting in their home this week. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mundy of Flubanna, Texas.

Mrs. Jack Taylor returned Tuesday from a trip to Six Flags, the State Capitol, HemisFair and the Alamo. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Andy Snowden near Weatherford. He traveling companion was Mrs. Odessa Painter of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Langley of Palm Springs, Calif. have been here the past week visiting her mother, Lola Mae Cator, and his mother, Mrs. W. L. Langley, of Gruver. They are both teachers with the Palm Springs school system and are on their way to Colorado for a vacation before returning to their home. Ginger was in Hansford Hospital a few days suffering from injuries received in a fall from a horse.

Pvt. David Swan has been home the past two weeks visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swan. He reports to Fort Carson, Colorado for further duty. Also visiting in the Bill Swan were their nephew and family of Amarillo, the Delbert Tennis family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sutton had visitors last week in their home, her sister and family, Lt. Col. and Mrs. J.D. Gahagan and children of Washington, D. C.

Panhandle State College Library Certificate Approved For OPSC

The State Department of Education has recently announced that Panhandle State College has been approved for the school Library Certificate program. Twenty-four hours of Library Science plus the regular courses for teacher certification will be required for the Library certificate.

Library courses required and offered at Panhandle State College are: Organization of Library Materials, Reference Materials (Seminar), Book Selection (Seminar), Documents, periodicals and pamphlet materials (Seminar), School Library Administration, Young people's Literature (Seminar), Audio-Visual Education, and Children's Literature.

All eight of these courses are 3 hours credit. For further information, contact the Head Librarian, Panhandle State College, Goodwell, Oklahoma 73939.

The G. I. Bill helped educate 116 Congressmen.

Road construction work on the Spearman-Gruver highway is progressing this week as workmen cut down hills, remove telephone lines and fences and proceed with widening to 44 ft. bridges and pavement along the 15-mile stretch. The road work will not be completed until next spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bigelow and son Charles of El Reno, Oklahoma have been in Spearman visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Trolinger. They also visited with her sister, Mrs. Carl Hughes.

Mrs. Nan Prutsman returned home this week from a 10 day visit with relatives in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Prutsman, Los Angeles, have been visiting here with her, as well as her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Worrell of Wichita Falls.

Miss Karen Mollar of Pampa, niece of Mr. Eldon Smith, is in Spearman visiting with the Smith family.

The first road up Old Hansford Hill was built around 1918 by these horse-drawn graders and slips, pictured above. The road was the only entrance into Hansford from the east and was made by merely knocking down the

Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Crawford have moved to Spearman where he will be interim pastor for Union Church until the congregation can secure a full-time pastor. Rev. Crawford is an evangelist.

Bruce and Freda Sheets spent Sunday visiting with relatives in Woodward and Bruce's mother, Mrs. Delia Sheets in Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pipkin went to Amarillo Sunday to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stokes, and brought their grandson, Chris home with them for a week's visit. He is 13 months old.

Living Spanish-American War veterans number 12,000 all over 80.

high places. Constructed in the gully just north of the first hill, (going west), it was rather steep, and drivers all carried rocks in their cars for the purpose of plugging each wheel for the cars all died about half-way up the hill.

This unpaved road was used until about 1936 when the present paved highway was constructed during the depression by WPA workers.

When the town of Spearman was established and houses and buildings began to move to the new town site, movers found it impossible to go up the graded road, and took a route which led south of the cemetery. This took them out on the flats (at the old Doc Haney place) and avoided as many hills as possible.

Now the road is once more being re-done and the type of equipment being used is a far cry from that pictured above.

Men in the picture could not be identified, but some of the local citizens recognized the team of horses on the left as those owned by Wiles Burgess.

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Spearman

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Plank of Enid, Okla., visited over the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hester.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore and David of Blue Island, Ill., have been here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bowen.

Mrs. Ann Gilmore of Amarillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Stewart, was in Spearman Monday visiting with her family.

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DOWNTOWN SPEARMAN



MINOR LEAGUE WINNERS---The Sox, coached by Dee Allen and Dale Sutton won 15 out of 16 games this year. Second place team was the Braves with a 11-4 season. The Yankees came in third and the Pirates were fourth. Sox members pictured are: (Front, L to R) David Cummings, Merten Pearson, Mike Bodey, Jim Jones, Jeffrey Hohertz, Billy Snider (bat boy). Back row (L to R): Bernard Byers, Gary Burke, Scotty DeWitt, Larry Bowen, Jimmy Tope, Elden Allen, Steward Sutton. Not pictured are: Kent Hargis, Ernie Sandavall, Raymond Arjona, and Mark Hays.

WEDDING VOWS READ JUNE 14 FOR ARLENE SCHIBLER, LONNIE HUBERT

Miss Delores Arlene Schibler and Lonnie Hubert Williford were united in marriage, Friday evening, June 14, at 8:00 PM in the country home of the bride's parents.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman H. Schibler of Mathis, Texas and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Williford also of Mathis.

Rev. Don Vlasak, pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church, officiated for the double ring ceremony before the worship setting at the fireplace. Baskets of white gladioli and greenery centered by a silver candelabra entwined with greenery and bearing white tapers, decorated the scene.

Steve Schibler, brother of the bride was candlelighter. Tommy Engler was organist.

Descending from the spiral staircase, the bride was given in marriage by her father. She was attired in a floor length gown of candlelight peau de soie overlaid with chantilly lace. The gown with an empire waistline and long sleeves of lace ending in petal points also had a detachable train of

peau de soie and chantilly lace. Her veil of illusion and lace fell from a small lace pill box. She carried a bouquet of white carnations centered with a removable Glamelia which she wore for her going away corsage.

The tradition of something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue was carried out. For something old and borrowed, the bride wore her Grandmother Dahl's wedding bracelet and cross. She had a penny in her shoe.

The maid of honor was Doris Holleman of Corpus Christi, Texas. She wore a formal length gown of blue satin with a lace bodice and carried a nosegay of white carnations.

David Schibler, brother of the bride was best man. A reception was held after the ceremony. Patty Schibler, sister of the bride registered the guests.

The couple will reside in Mathis, Texas.

The Davis Seitz have as a guest in their home, Carol Seitz of Mobeetie, Texas.

Counselor Presents Workshop

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Laws were in Abilene the past week where they presented a workshop demonstration to some 50 teachers and principals on Project Career Development.

They also presented this same workshop at Abilene Christian College to graduated and undergraduates.

Mr. Laws, Spearman school counselor for the past few years, has resigned to accept a position at McMurry College in Abilene as Admissions Counselor.

The Laws family will move from Spearman about July 10th.

Mrs. Marcella Brown and her daughter and husband, Judy and George Thompson of Sands Springs, Oklahoma were here visiting with relatives Saturday. Mabel Edwards and Mat Grigsby had a hamburger fry for them Saturday night with all the Berner family from Spearman attending.

Cool Air Relieves Plains

The first heat wave of the year baked the Panhandle region with 100-plus temperatures this past week.

Spearman had its hottest June in 40 years with a high of 108 degrees two days in a row. The record was also the hottest day of the year, replacing a 99 degree day recorded earlier in the month.

The intense heat and strong winds played havoc with pasture land which earlier had been termed as "lush." The country side looked as if a blow torch had been waved across the previously green grass and weeds.

Typical of Panhandle weather, on the heels of the heat wave, came a cool front bringing temperatures which prevailed in the middle 80's with minimums in the low 50's. Cloudy skies brought rains to many areas, but none fell in Spearman.

The week's weather chart follows:

Date	Hi	Low
June 26	83	47
June 27	100	57
June 28	108	70
June 29	108	74
June 30	105	61
July 1	86	64
July 2	78	58

Total rainfall for month of June, 2.54 in.

Total for year, 9.20 in.

Science Students Return

Mark Massie and Vicki Rosenbaum, Spearman High School students, returned this week from a special science institute conducted at New Mexico State University, Las Cruces.

Miss Rosenbaum, 16-year old junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rosenbaum, attended the two week school on a scholarship won at the Amarillo science fair.

Massie, 14-year old sophomore son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Massie, made private application and was accepted to the school on this basis.

Spearman HD Club Meeting

Mrs. B. J. Garnett was hostess for the Spearman Home Demonstration Club, Friday, June 21.

Mrs. Claude Jackson presided over the business meeting. The club voted to sponsor a girl in attending 4 H Camp.

"Safety In the Home" was the theme of the program presented by Mrs. A. D. Reed.

Members present were mesdames: Frank Davis, E. S. Uptergrove, Virgil Hull, A. D. Reed, Claude Jackson and the hostess Mrs. B. J. Garnett.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Frank Davis, August 9.

Forger In Jail

Rex Ralph Higley, 22-year old man from Fritch, Texas, is in jail this week in lieu of a \$1500.00 bond awaiting action of the Grand Jury.

Higley, who was apprehended Saturday in Amarillo by Hansford County Sheriff, J. B. Cooke, is charged with passing a forged check on June 24th to Jim Neely's Mens Store.

Accepted For Dental Training



Miss Kay Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill K. Jackson, R. 1 Spearman, has been notified that she is accepted as a member of the freshman class at the University of Texas, School of Dental Hygiene at Houston. She will begin classes September 16. Kay graduated from Spearman High School in May 1968, where she was a member of the Honor Society, Choir and F.H.A. She is 18 years old.

She has been employed the past two years by Dr. Earl Novak.

After completion of the 2-year Dental school in Houston, she will be a licensed Dental Hygienist.

Holiday Death Patrol

While the drivers of Texas are making plans for 4th of July trips and outings, the Texas Department of Public Safety is getting ready for "Operation Motorcade," a five-day vigil of tabulating and reporting traffic deaths in Texas, stated Captain J. W. Blackwell, in charge of the Highway Patrol for this district.

Captain Blackwell said that "Operation Motorcade" will be placed in effect from 6:00 PM Wednesday, July 3, and continue through 11:59 PM Sunday, July 7, 1968. It is estimated that 98 lives will be lost during this five-day period.

In order to increase surveillance over the heavy holiday traffic, additional Department of Public Safety personnel are being assigned to augment the Highway Patrol. These patrolmen have been instructed to be alert for and direct their enforcement efforts toward those violators that most often cause an accident. Every effort will be made to remove drinking drivers from the highways.

"Since police traffic surveillance cannot cover the entire street and highway system in Texas every minute of the day, the big hope is safe driving rests with the individual motorist," Blackwell concluded.

The Myron Self family have just returned from their vacation in Dallas, Big Spring and Midland. They now have as guests in their home, the Raymond Jenkins family of Brownfield and Clyde Self from Hobbs, Myron's brother.

Mr. Ira Tindell was rushed to North Plains Hospital in Borger Saturday night apparently suffering from a heart attack. However, he is doing fine according to his wife, and has been undergoing tests this week.

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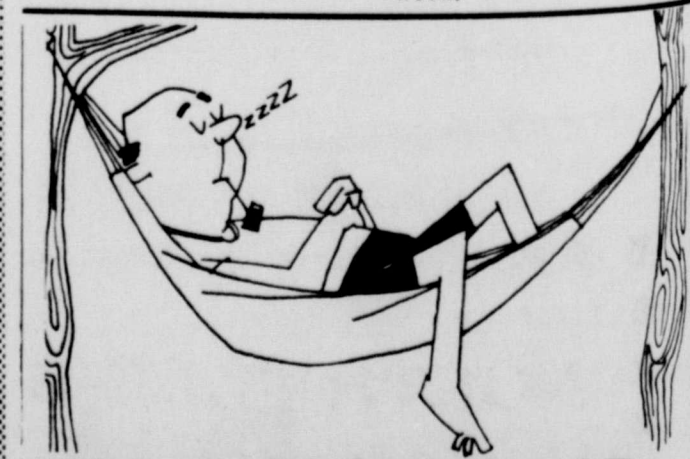
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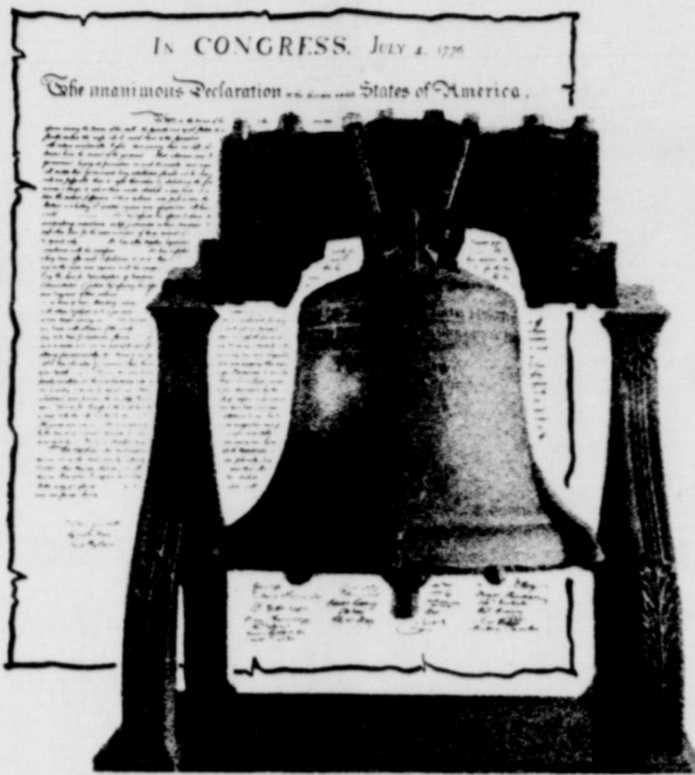
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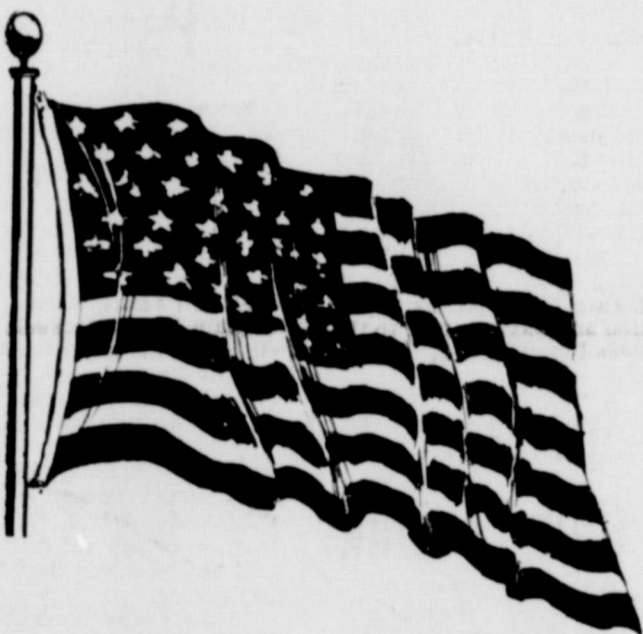
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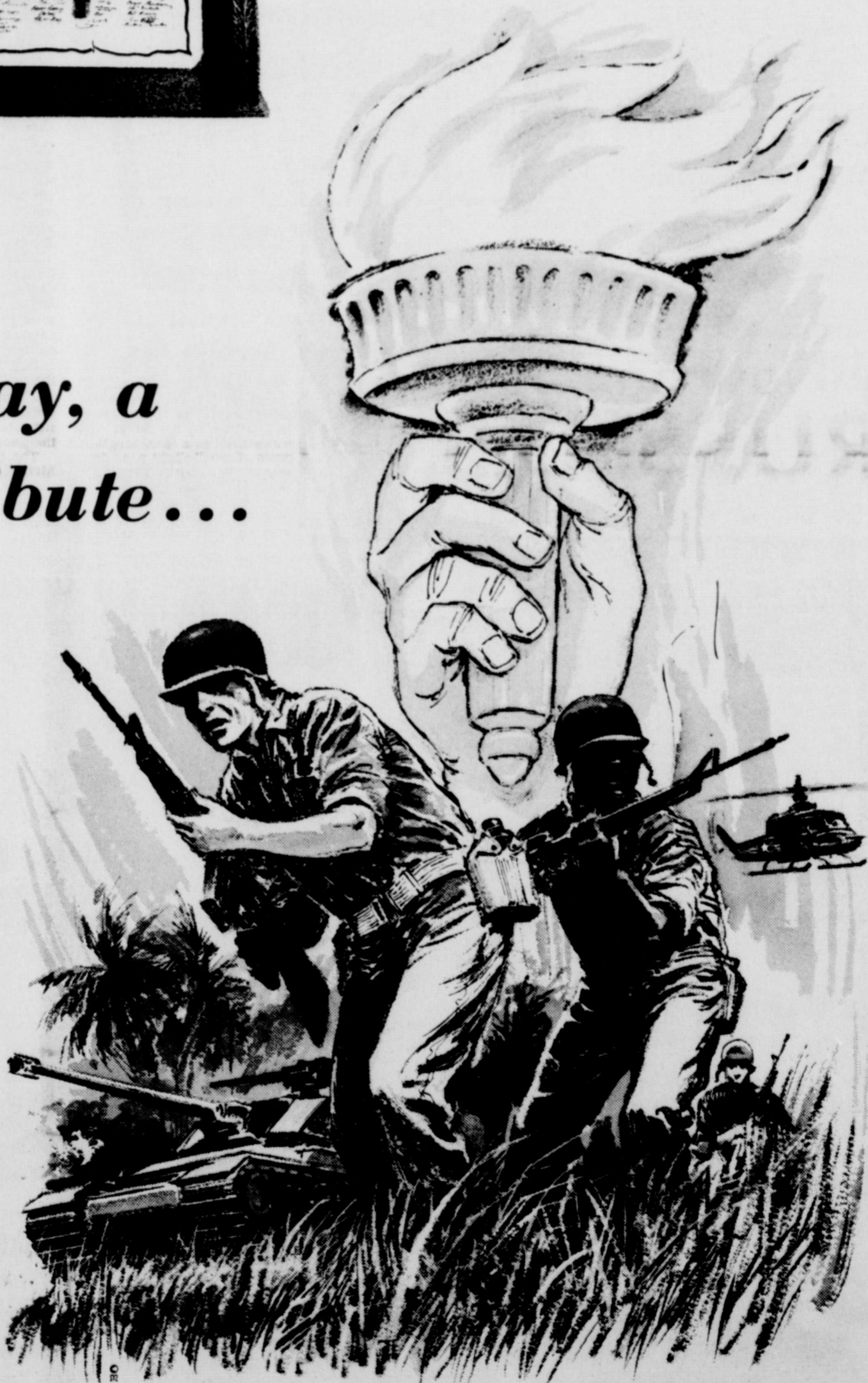
On this day, we pause in remembrance and gratitude, as we salute our veterans. Proudly, we honor all who so valiantly served their country, in defense of freedom, and those who, with equal valor, serve today.







On This Day, a Solemn Tribute . . .

we pause with pride in our hearts to pay solemn tribute to those departed heroes who gave their lives that the light of freedom may shine eternally. May we be worthy of their supreme sacrifice . . . and may the memory of their heroic deeds inspire us.

Let us dedicate ourselves to the cause that all which was so nobly won shall vigilantly be preserved. To our honored dead, let us pledge to guard and to cherish the priceless heritage of freedom. Thus let us pledge our thoughts, words and deeds to the high purpose of keeping America forever strong . . . to be forever free.



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Wife Of Namesake Inquires Of City

The Chamber of Commerce was recipient of a letter this week from a Mrs. Thomas G. Spearman, wife of the man for whom the town was named. The letter, addressed to the Chamber of Commerce, Spearman, Texas, in The Panhandle, is printed below:

Dear Sirs:
The town of Spearman was named for my husband, Thomas Clark Spearman, in about 1920. When I saw it last, it was nothing but a sign board announcing the sale of lots. I have lived in California for 50 years and recently met someone who was born in Spearman. I would love to hear about the town, and how it has grown.

A map laid out before the town was started, had one of the streets named "Bernice" for me. No doubt this has been changed as that was not a good name for a street.

I will be glad to receive news and information about Spearman. From what I hear, it is quite a wonderful town.

In case you don't know, my husband died 10 years ago at the age of 71. He was born in Chicago, and built with Mr. Gannon, the cut-off railway from Waynoka to Spearman, a branch of the main line.

When I was there, houses on rollers were being rolled into the town from out-lying farms and ranches.

Mrs. Thomas G. Spearman
9221 Knowlton St.
Los Angeles, Cal. 90045

Robert Spoonemore and family are visiting with his family, the D. E. Spoonemores. Robert is on his way to Grapevine, Texas where he has taken a position in the school system there.

News From The Pioneer Manor



birthdate down as 1878, but Mr. Barris says he will be 91! He is very active, and has a real sharp mind. Story and picture appears elsewhere in this newspaper about him.

On Friday, Myrtle Bernstein of Gruver visited at the Pioneer Manor with her mother, Mrs. Mary Brandvik, Bertha Shapley called on her Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gode George of Perryton called on Mrs. Lillie Lewis Friday.

Mrs. Oran Kelly of Farnsworth and her daughter, Mrs. Colleen Yeary of Perryton visited Friday with Mrs. Bertie McNabb.

Mary Kettlewell enjoyed visitors Sunday from out of town. They were Mr. and Mrs. V. Kettlewell, and Rev. and Mrs. John F. Blue, Vonda Keim, Mrs. Charlie West, Holly Riley and Keese Richardson were among the many visitors calling last week on Tressie Maize.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nivens visited Tuesday with Maude Dorman.

Mrs. Billy Jarvis, and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boyd

Tuesday.

Mrs. A. D. Reed, Mrs. Velma Beck, Mrs. J. L. Brock, Mrs. L. S. McLain and Debra Brock visited Tuesday with all the residents at Pioneer Manor.

Mr. White, Owner of Pioneer Manor is beginning to feel much better. He was over Monday of this week visiting the patients. Mr. White is still unable to work due to the car accident in November of last year when he suffered a severe head injury. He is now living at his Pampa home.

CORRECTION

In a story last week naming new officers for the Business and Professional Women's Club, Mrs. Sammy Bishop was named 2nd vice president. This was in error, for Linda Thompson was recently elected to this office.

At the installation ceremony, Mrs. Bishop stood in for Miss Thompson who was unable to attend.



Hospital

Patients in Hansford Hospital are: Maude Bryan, Ethel Davis, Will Douglas, Rock McLeod, Ray Converse, Sr., J. D. Johnson, Nellie Meeks, Ramon Pacheco, Frank Porter, Lester Spire, J. L. Trolinder, and Aloha Bentley.

Dismissed were: Susie Hand, Betty Masters, Thomas Townes, Pearl Mulanax, Sue Humphrey, Betty Langston, Estella Lopez, Brent Womble, Carolyn Bailey, Elbert Lindop and Blanche Lamb.

Old Time Ice Cream Social

To honor all new members, The Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development is sponsoring an old-time ice cream social. The outing will be held at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, July 18th at the Little League baseball park.

So plan to come, bring a freezer of ice cream, along with all your family members, and enjoy the evening. Bring a blanket to sit on and plenty of insect repellent!

There will be musical entertainment, softball, volleyball, washer pitching contests and fun for everyone.

Mrs. Myrtle Russell returned home Monday after a long weekend visit with her son and family, the Thomas Russells of Amarillo.

NOTICE TOPS CLUB
The regular meeting scheduled Friday night at 7:30 p. m. will be held in the hospital room at the First State Bank. Because the City Hall conference room is not available. The meeting starts at 8 p. m.

Sunday supper guests were her sister's family, Mrs. Dale Moore, daughter, Kathi, stayed a longer visit with them. Spoonemore's mother, Mrs. Sue Enns of Gayton is visiting in their home.

Mrs. Pete Vernon has been in Greeley, Colorado her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Banister, took her grandson, Brent, home. He had been visiting in Spearman the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thomas and Dianne were in Lubbock over the weekend visiting their son and his wife, Mrs. Delbert Thomas.

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