

Gross Farm Income In County \$20,371,000

For most Hansford County farmers, the past year turned out to be a better one than they had had for some time. The figures for the year, now compiled, show that gross receipts from the sale of crops, livestock and other farm products compared favorably with those in other parts of the country.

According to the findings, part of a national survey, local farmers had a gross income of \$20,371,000 in the year.

A considerable part of the gain was eroded, however, by a rise in operating costs.

The better showing was due, to a great degree, to the fact that the price of farm products, especially livestock, rose considerably during 1969. The ever-expanding appetite of

Americans for meat produced the best year for ranchers since 1966.

On the other hand, for farmers who rely chiefly on grain crops for their income, the gains were small. Despite the fact that housewives all over the country were paying much more for their market basket of food, the farmer got only a fraction of the increase.

Hansford County growers have made more progress in the last five years, nevertheless, than those in most areas of the nation, according to figures from the Standard Rate and Data Service.

Their gross income in the past year, \$20,371,000, was well above their 1964 total of \$12,920,000.

The increase in the five-

year period, 58 percent, compares favorably with the rise recorded by farmers and ranchers generally throughout the United States, 31 per cent. In the West South Central States, the increase was 52 percent.

These are gross figures, before taking taxes and other operating costs into account.

A breakdown of the cash receipts from the sale of farm commodities, based upon data from the Department of Agriculture, shows that, in Hansford County, approximately 51 percent of it was from the marketing of crops and the other 49 percent from livestock.

Added to this were government payments and imputed income in the form of home-grown products that were consumed on the farm.

Revival Starts Sunday

Rev. John DeFoore
Evangelist



Dr. B. T. Shoemaker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, announced this week that revival services have been scheduled beginning Sunday, October 4 through October 11th.

The Rev. John N. DeFoore will be the evangelist. He will bring Bible lessons at 10 a. m. each day and evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m. each evening.

On Friday, early services have been set for 6:30 p. m. so that everyone will have the opportunity to attend the football game.

Robert Clements, Music & Education director for the church, will be directing the music for the revival.

Rev. DeFoore is pastor of the University Baptist Church in Abilene and has served this capacity since 1967. He holds degrees from Mississippi College, B. S.; Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, B. D.; Th. M.; has done Ph. D. study at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland; and has also studied on the Continent and at Princeton and Union Seminaries in the United States. He served five years in the Armed Services during WW II.

Rev. DeFoore, who has been a pastor in Mississippi, Kentucky, Scotland and Alabama, was for five years a pastor and missionary in Alaska and was President of the Alaska Baptist Convention.

He has addressed many ministers groups, social and service clubs throughout the State of Texas, dealing with the problem of alcoholism and narcotics addiction.

The public is cordially invited to attend these revival services.

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Porter, Butt Are Winners

Interest is picking up in the football guessing game being sponsored weekly in this newspaper by Spearman Merchants and businessmen. A total of 141 entries were judged this week.

The first two contests revealed the majority of entries picked opponents to win over the Lynx. But when the powerful little club opened the season with two back-to-back wins, these predictions changed considerably. This week only 5 people out of 141 picked Wheeler over the Lynx. The score was Spearman 25, Wheeler 13.

As result of nine persons missing only one game, winning only one game, winners had to be selected on the basis of the tie breaker score.

Doug Porter wins the first place prize of \$10. He missed one game and guessed the tie breaker Spearman 27, Wheeler 13, only 2 points off.

Herbert Butt wins second place prize of \$5, by his guess of Spearman 26, Wheeler 7, a total of 7 points off.

Others to miss only one game were Jim Powell, Lindell A. Warren, Billy Pettitt, Vester Hill, Billy Hazelwood

and Katherine Anthony.

No one guessed the correct score on the tie breaker.

Ten guessed wrong on 2 games; 35 missed three; 48 missed four games; 18 missed on five; 17 guessed six wrong and 4 people missed seven.

The most missed games were Oklahoma vs. Oregon; Stinnett vs. Fritch and Boys Ranch vs. McLean.

Pick up entry blanks at the stores listed on the football page, or use the one in this newspaper. All entries must be deposited in boxes by 1 p. m. Friday.

City Budget For 1970-71

The Spearman City Council met Monday night and adopted a budget of \$562,128.75 for the 1970-71 fiscal year which begins October 1. This is an increase of \$56,000 from the past year's budget.

The new budget shows an increase in several of the categories of disbursements. Bonds & interest payments are up some \$10,000 over last year and will be for the next 8-10 years) while the City pays off City Hall and Street bonds. Manager Foshee was proud to announce that the City is now able to keep all bond funds on a current basis.

One item of considerable increase came under insurance. The city is carrying workmen's compensation this year where it did not last year. Employee's hospitalization premiums were increased some 2%, and because of the state Tort Claims Act, the city is now required to have general liability and property damage insurance which is a new expense.

New items in this year's budget includes a first payment of \$5,100 due soon for the purchase of new land adjoining the golf course; a new trash truck, a new police car, replacing some street signs and markers, and a new "comprehensive planning program" outline. This new program, which the city will go into soon, is required for matching Federal grants. Some \$5,000 has been set aside for this program. The City has applied to an agency to come in and make a survey of housing, streets, recreation facilities, etc., and compare the findings as to what will be needed in case of "future growth."

include the community building, swimming pool, summer youth program and \$1,000 more to the park fund, in addition to the regular utility assessment. Proposed in the new budget, also due to this income, is \$4,000.00 for improvements to the community building.

Last week the city received the final check for this fiscal year from city sales tax in the amount of \$15,617. This brought the year's total revenue from this source to \$57,000. The original estimate from sales tax revenue was \$40,000.

Plans for the coming year call for the installation of a Civil Defense warning system. City dads feel that there is a definite need for fire and one to set off the alarm for tornado, etc. to be an entirely different "sound." \$1,000 has been set aside to install a Civil Defense warning siren, one which will not confuse citizens with the fire alarm.

Another \$1,000 has been set aside to install another fire alarm in the vicinity of the Greene addition, east of the city. The one now installed at the city hall and out in the southwest part of Spearman is not always heard in the east part of town.

No one was present for the budget hearing Monday night other than Mayor D. E. Hackley, Manager Darce Foshee, Assistant Manager Robert Ragsdale, City Attorney Dick Countiss and aldermen Richard Holton, E. J. Callaway, E. J. Copeland, Jimmy Hicks and Bob Skinner.

Candidates In Gruver Oct. 8th

Republicans throughout the county are invited to attend a 10:00 a. m. coffee Thursday, October 8 at the Gruver Hotel coffee shop when Malouf Abraham and Bill Nix will be present to greet their friends for an informal visit.

"Oofie" Abraham is the Republican candidate for the office of State Senator. Bill Nix is the Republican candidate for State Representative.

The public is invited to attend.

Tax Statements In Mail

Hansford County Tax Assessor-Collector J. B. Cooke said Monday of this week his office mailed 4,818 tax statements which are now in the hands of payers.

Cooke said the total tax roll value for the county was \$33,132,415.00. The collectable tax on this amounts to \$574,523.20.

Along with tax statements to county residents, Mr. Cooke enclosed voter registration applications to people who voted last year. Cooke pointed out that "this is an application and MUST be signed and returned to this office before the person can be registered to vote." 2,579 persons registered last year.

If you do not receive one of these registration certificates, please call at the County tax office and register to vote. The deadline for this is January 31.

Three percent may be deducted from tax statements if paid in October, 2% in November, 1% in December. If paid in January the net amount is collected and starting February 1, penalty and interest is added.

Ballots Due Fri.

Chamber of Commerce members are reminded that Friday, October 2 is the deadline for deciding on directors who will steer the activities of the chamber this year.

Ballots were mailed to the membership some 2 weeks ago and everyone is asked to mark these and get them deposited in the box at the Chamber office by tomorrow, Friday.

Sunday's newspaper carried October 9 as the deadline date, but this was in error.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis and children spent the weekend in Seminole with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Burl McClellan and they all attended the Texas-Texas Tech ball game in Lubbock Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. McClellan are in the process of moving to Granbury, Texas.

Total revenue for the year is anticipated at \$240,628.75 for General Fund; (ad valorem taxes, trash collections, etc.); \$115,000 from the Utilities Fund (water, gas, sewer, etc.) and \$5,600 from the Park funds.

Ad valorem taxes this year will produce \$98,000.00 while the sales tax will bring in an estimated \$54,000.00.

The sales tax in Spearman has become an impressive source of revenue which has allowed the City to do many things it had not been financially able to do heretofore.

For instance, only five to eight thousand dollars a year was all the city could spend on street repairs up until this past year when sales tax payments began to come in. Last year streets and intersections were repaired and upgraded to the tune of \$28,000 which is the major portion of the year's take from sales tax.

In years past, \$900. was the amount budgeted to the Library and because of sales tax, this was raised to \$,000 the past year.

Other programs helped through sales tax income in-

All golfers are reminded that the scramble will be held every Tuesday night, at 6 p. m., at the Hansford Golf Course.

MARKETS	
Wheat	\$1.43
Milo	2.05
Corn	1.32
Soybeans	2.38
Oats	.70
Barley	1.00

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Ruby Barkley, Hiram Wilbanks, Wayne Cook, Will Douglas, Deana May Douglas, Lynnette Clark, Cora Babbs, Elias Flores, Ruth Maxwell.

Dismissed were Maxine Cline, Allen Pierce, Mary Trevino, Lillie Sloan, Esther Portillo.

16-Yr. Old Arrested

A 16 year old female was arrested in Spearman early Monday morning after passing two hot checks.

Sheriff J. B. Cooke said the girl was using counter type checks and signing the name

"L. R. Campbell". She passed two checks; one at T. G. & Y. and one at the Gift Box. Each was for \$5.00. She attempted to pass others, but was not successful.

The juvenile, married but not living with her husband, gave her residence as Baker Hotel. She was turned over, with restitution to her mother who came from Liberal, Kansas late Monday afternoon when the child was released from jail here.

LYNX MEET STRATFORD FRIDAY

Spearman's undefeated Lynx will put their record on the line at Stratford Friday night at 8 p. m. when they meet the hard-charging Elks. The Elks have a fine team and could be extremely tough on their home court Friday.

Coach Anthony has made some changes, since losing one of his key men Friday night. It is understood that Quarterback Womble will be moved to halfback position, in place of Lyon. Lyon had a knee operation early this week and is out for football and will probably miss a lot of basketball. The fine senior athlete, was Spearman's leading ground gainer, and a real good prospect in basketball this year.

Beedy will be the new quarterback for Spearman with sophomore Latham being the No. 1 back-up back for the team. Latham ran well Friday night and is expected to see lots of action the remainder of this year.

The only other Spearman team in action this week will be the Thursday night encounter at Liberal when the

Spearman B team plays there at 7: 30. Coach Simpson and his team will be meeting a large, tough delegation, but they are expected to make a fine showing.

The new Spearman football team will be in action Friday at Stratford. That is, a new offense, with a new quarterback and a new fullback. No one seems to know how the new team will look, but the entire town is planning to follow these undefeated Lynx to Stratford Friday night and watch them in action.

Coach Anthony reminds football fans that the Quarterback Club meets at 8 p. m. each Tuesday night instead of 7: 30 p. m. All local football fans are invited to the quarterback club meetings. Highlights of the Lynx Friday games are shown (the entire game) plus other interesting football talk. Coach Anthony personally invites YOU to come out and attend the meeting.

See you at Stratford, 8 p. m. Friday night.

Judge Lee Speaks To Boy Scouts

A Scout Round-table was held at the Community Building in Spearman Tuesday night. Scout master Harry Stumpf had a large group of boys present, with Judge Johnnie Lee giving the program and making the awards.

Gary Goff and Scott Vernon received their Life Awards at the program Tuesday evening. The judge awarded several Scouts with merit badges, Life, Star, First, Second and Tenderfoot badges.

Those received badges were as follows: Life, Gary Goff and Scott Vernon, Star, Billy Close, Tex Kopke, Dee Jackson awarded First Class badges to Regie Robertson, Max Owens, Doug Cummings, and Jeff Beedy.

Second Class badges were awarded by Bob Larr, to; Scott Dewitt, Henry Bentley, Buddy Hopper, David Oakes and Scott Owens.

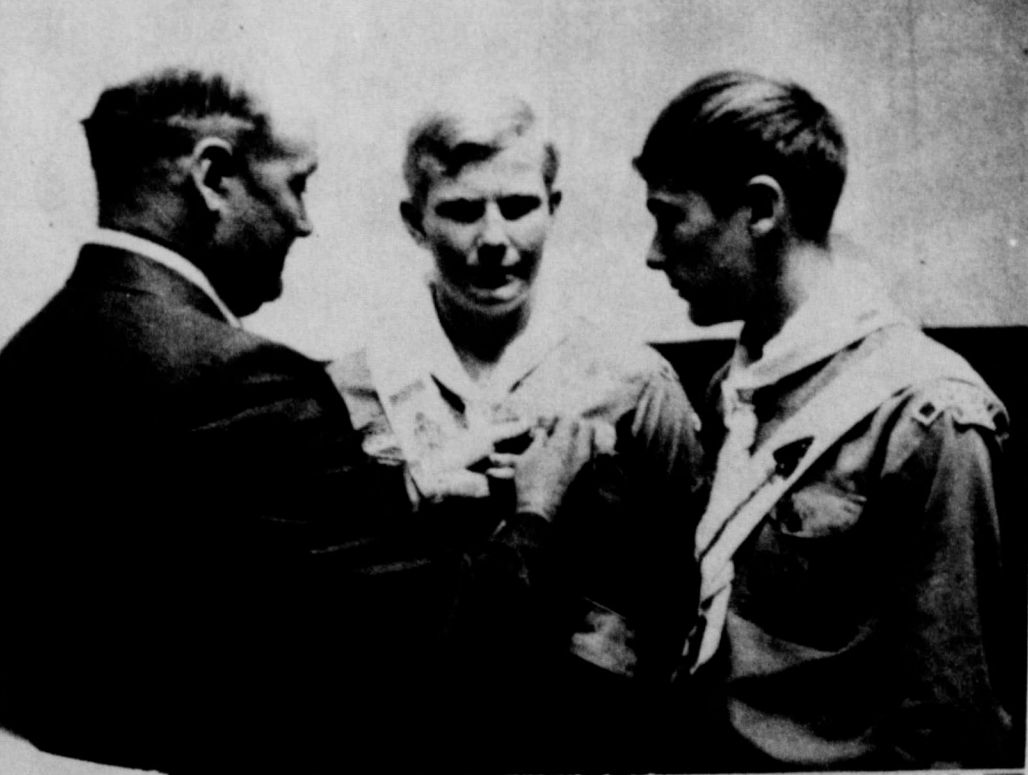
Tenderfoot badges were awarded to T. Bentley, M. Kopke, J. Moran, and L. Widener.

Thirty merit badges were awarded for the following: Billy Close, reading, pets, camping, machinery, and cooking. Scott Vernon Horsemanship, Theatre, citizenship in community, soil and water conservation, home repairs.

Billy Cooper, fishing, personal fitness, citizenship in community, Gary Goff music, canoeing, life saving, personal fitness, and swimming.

Tex Kopke, life saving, canoeing, cooking and camping. Rickey Hendrix, cooking and camping. Regie Robertson, personal fitness. Douglas Cummings, personal fitness. Stanley Rhodes, personal fitness. Glen

Scout Round-Table Held



Judge Lee pins the Life medal on Scott Vernon, as Gary Goff, also a new life scout, looks on. These boys are part of the fine Spearman scouting program, and Harry Stumpf, scoutmaster, is delighted to have a large group of boys this year. The Spearman Lions Club is sponsor of the local scout troop.

McAdams, First Aid. Allen Rhodes, personal fitness.

Judge Lee gave an interesting talk on scouting. He praised the local scout troop for what they stood for, and the fine citizens they are making in the community. He stated that we don't have any drug problem in Spearman and Hansford County, mainly because of such fine programs as our scouting program in the county.

Contest

Second, third and fourth grade students are invited to enter a Fire Prevention poster contest which is being sponsored by the Spearman Study Club.

Posters must be 14 x 22 inches. These will be judged and put on display in downtown stores during Fire Prevention Week, October 5 thru 9.

Prizes will be given to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

MEN NEEDED

Bob Driscoll, president of the Men's Bowling League, said today that "more bowlers are desperately needed for the 8 p. m. Thursday night league."

Driscoll invites any man interested in bowling to come out and sign up for the upcoming season's play. So far there are only three teams and several more are needed.

Driscoll said the league was out beating the bushes for at least 30 more bowlers.



Junior Salinas



Cheryl McCloy

excels in his Golf. His parents live at the Hansford Golf, and this gives Junior the opportunity to play often which has helped him to become one of the better players in the county.

Currently, he is a student council representative and active in the newly organized Fellowship of Christian Athletes association. He plans to attend college but has not decided on the school.

Cheryl McCloy, 17-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard McCloy, attended Morse schools for 10 years, transferring to Spearman her Junior Year.

Cheryl is a member of the National Honor Society; Future Homemakers; secretary-treasurer of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes; vice president of her senior class and a manager for the basketball team.

Her hobbies are cooking and sports—especially basketball. She has two older brothers in school at Texas Tech and plans to attend this school upon her graduation from SHS.

Frank Lemons and Susan Brillhart are outstanding students for the month of September.

Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brillhart of rural Spearman. She is very active in band, student council, Spanish club, National Honor Society and the Future Teachers of American organization. She plans to attend college.

Frank Lemons is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lemons of 1121 1/2 South Haney Street.

A member of the National Honor Society, Frank participates in all sports and last year was the "880" District champion in Track.

A very popular student in SHS, Frank is the president of the Student Body. An outstanding science student, his exhibits have won him many awards.

Mrs. Tommy Owens of Spearman attended an all day Brownie Scout training day, in Dalhart last Thursday.

Glen Mackie, Dr. Wesley Garnett, Chunky Blackburn and Kent Guthrie attended the Texas Tech-Texas U football game in Lubbock Saturday night.

HELPFUL HINTS FROM ME, TO THEE

By Vivian Warminski
Hansford Co. Home Demonstration Agent

The "World of Fashion" for fall 1970 is parading an exciting line of fabrics, including corduroy, reports Joanne Thurber, Extension consumer education specialist in textiles and clothing at Texas A&M University. Corduroy is a washable, all cotton pile fabric which is one of the sturdiest fabrics made. Also on today's market is Durable Press corduroy made with polyester fibers. Corduroy's long-wearing quality plus low cost make it one of the most economical fabrics for family use. Corduroy will spotlight the fashion scene in long pants, vest suits, jumpsuits and pants with long tunics. Corduroy is also great for sport coats as well as mid-length coats.

Corduroy is washable and easy to care for, but there are some guides to follow. Wash the garment often before it becomes too heavily soiled. Turn all garments inside out to avoid lint clinging to the pile. When machine washing corduroy, use mild detergents, warm water and a short cycle. When hand washing, squeeze suds through fabric and rinse by pressing water out; never wring or twist corduroy.

Group similar colors together whether machine or hand washing.

Corduroy garments can be dried in a dryer at a medium setting but should be removed while slightly damp. Hang on a hanger, smooth in shape and allow to dry thoroughly. When dry, brush in one direction to fluff up the pile. If pressing is necessary, use a steam iron, holding it slightly above the fabric on the right side. If using a regular iron, press on the wrong side with a damp press cloth.

Keep autumn green this year with fresh greens prepared for fall storing and freezing advises Vivian Warminski, county home demonstration agent.

Look for crisp leaves that are young and tender and free from blemish for best results. Also avoid coarse stems.

Wash greens through several waters, lifting the greens from the water to allow dirt and grit to sink to the bottom. Drain on a wire rack or shake gently in a towel. Store the greens in a plastic bag or in a vegetable drawer in the refrigerator.

To prepare for meals, cook the greens only a short time to retain the flavor and food value. Spinach and beet greens may be cooked with just the moisture that clings to their leaves. Cook only until they are wilted, then drain. Collards, kale and turnip greens need longer cooking, about 20 minutes in a medium amount of water.

Season cooked greens with butter and garnish with hard-cooked egg or lemon slices. To vary the flavor, add crisply fried bacon, minced onion, green pepper or mint leaves. Mixing stronger flavored greens with mild tasting ones also adds variety at mealtime. For color in tossed salads, mix lightly shaded greens with darker ones.

To prepare for fall freezing, wash the greens thoroughly. Remove diseased or insect-damaged leaves plus larger tough stems, trimming as for fresh use.

To blanch greens, use boiling water. Allow two minutes for kale, chard, turnip greens, beet greens, mustard greens and spinach; one and a half minutes for spinach with very tender leaves; three minutes for collards.

Cool promptly in cold water, drain and package, leaving a half inch head space. Freeze at the lowest possible temperature

(0 degrees F. or below if possible) to insure maximum quality.

School Lunch Menus

MONDAY Oct. 5
Creamed Chicken/Mashed Potatoes
Buttered Leaf Spinach
Dill Pickle Spears
Citrus Fruit Cup
Honey-Peanut Butter Blend
Hot Rolls Milk
High School Meat Choice
Beef Cubes with Gravy

TUESDAY Oct. 6
Hamburger-Mustard Potato Gems-Catsup
Chopped Lettuce and Tomato
Dill Pickle Slices
Lemon Gelatin Salad
Orange Cake Milk
High School Meat Choice
Tuna Salad Sandwich

WEDNESDAY Oct. 7
Beef Casserole
Seasoned Green Beans
Combination Tossed Salad
Strawberry Shortcake
Bread Milk
High School Meat Choice
Golden Fried Fish-Tarter Sauce

THURSDAY Oct. 8
Corn dogs-Mustard Seasoned Pinto Beans
Potato Salad
Cole Slaw-Sour Cream
Peach Hayles
Cornbread Milk
High School Meat Choice
Tamales

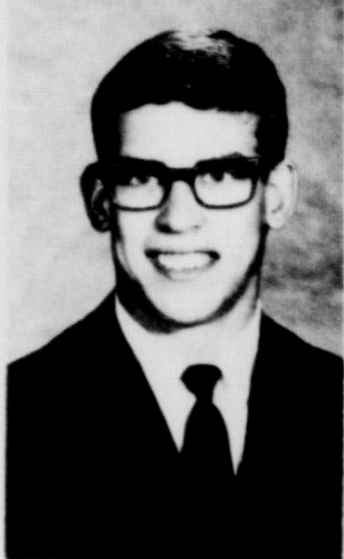
FRIDAY Oct. 9
STUDENT HOLIDAY
TEACHERS WORK DAY

PAULA HIGGINS ENROLLS AT LCC

Paula Higgins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Higgins of 1005 Dresden, has enrolled as a freshman at Lubbock Christian College.

Paula is a 1970 graduate of Spearman High School. White in high school she served a president of the Library Club. She received the Psychology Award, the Library Award, and a Shorthand Award. She is an English major.

Lubbock Christian College is a small, private, senior college offering BA and BS degrees in 16 majors and has a 32 per cent increase in enrollment over last year.



Frank Lemons



Susan Brillhart

Students Named "Outstanding"

Mrs. Kenneth Evans, president of the Spearman Study Club, announced this week that the club will continue its project of naming the boy and girl of the month throughout this year.

These students, seniors in Spearman High School, are "outstanding" young men and women are selected for this honor by a special committee of teachers.

The Study Club honors them by displaying their pictures in the show case at SHS, with write-ups in

the local newspaper, and at a special banquet at the end of the school year.

Selected as Boy and Girl for the month of August was Junior Salinas and Cheryl McCloy.

Junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Servando Salinas of Spearman, was the recipient of the Rowan Award last year and was one of the Spearman boys selected to attend Boy's State at Austin.

Although he has been active in football and basketball, the sport he really

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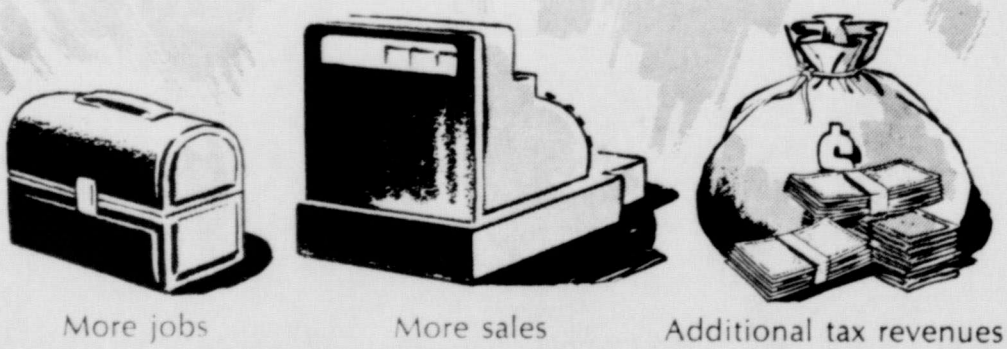
High-intensity lamp, with flexible "goose neck," puts bright light right where you need it!

Chatham thermal blanket in washable rayon/polyester/cotton. Large 72x90" size; assorted colors.

Cannon towel set, including bath towel, hand towel, and face cloth. Fashionable solid shades, in thick, thirsty cotton terry.

1200 trading stamps
Gold Bond in Pampa — Buccaneer in Amarillo. Use them to exchange for valuable gifts!

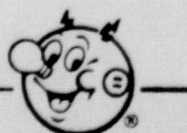
Everybody benefits when new industry comes to town



Our Area Development Department is ready to help

New business and industry mean new jobs . . . additional tax revenues . . . new dollars spent locally for goods and services. Attracting new business operations calls for teamwork. Local citizens interested in industrial development can count on the full cooperation of our Area Development Department. This department works closely with chambers of commerce, industrial foundations and other groups interested in community and industrial development. We want to do our part to help the cities and towns we serve grow and prosper. We think it is not only good business, but part of our citizenship responsibility.

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WEST FRANCIS AND GRAY STREETS PAMPA, TEXAS



Winners Named In Football Games

Some 55 boys ranging in age from 8 through 13 years, showed up at Lynx Stadium last Saturday morning to participate in the first Punt, Pass and Kick football program ever sponsored in this city.

Joe Trayer Ford company, along with Ford Dealers of America, sponsored the competition this year and furnished trophies to the first three winners in each age group.

Coach Larry Wilson, co-ordinator for the program, judged the competition, awarding points to each boy according to the distance and accuracy of his punt, pass and kick. Wilson was assisted by 15 members of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

It was a very well-organized program and was much enjoyed by all the boys who participated.

Wilson said there were lots of good football boys competing, and scores were mighty close.

Winners in each age group will have the opportunity to participate in regional competition this Saturday at 9:30 a.m. at Kids Incorporated. Several boys plan to attend.

The best score in the entire field of 55 entries, was Mark Cunningham's 433 points. He is the 11-year old son of Supt. and Mrs. James Cunningham. Mark's closest opponent was Roger Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Jones. Roger competing in the 13-year old class, scored 432½ points.

First, second and third place winners in each age group are pictured. Figures given is each boy's total score.



10 YEAR OLD WINNERS, L to R: John Pearson, 302½; Mark Hays, 280; Scott Boyd, 267½.



12 YEAR OLD WINNERS, L to R: Roger Weaver, 363; Kent Hargis, 340 and Toby Kuehl, 310½ points.



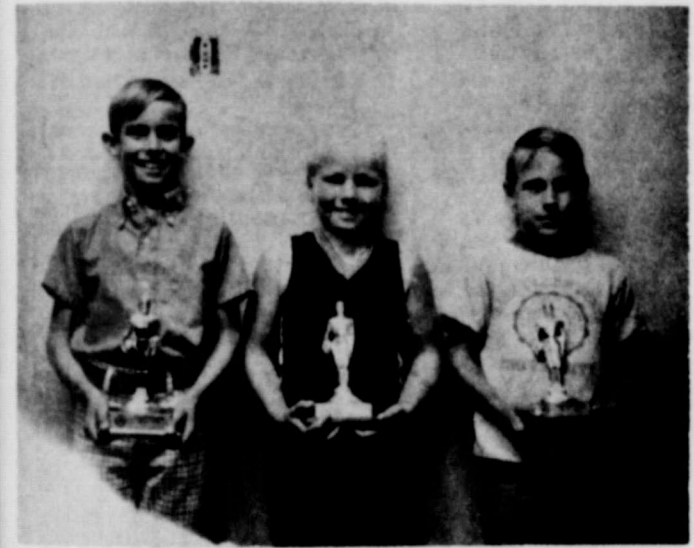
8 YEAR OLD WINNERS in the Punt, Pass & Kick competition shown L to R: Rodney Hull, 249½ points; Steve Biddle, 185; Jimmy Nicholson, 133.



11 YEAR OLD WINNERS, L to R: Mark Cunningham, 433; Jim Jones 352; and Allen Hull, 343. Cunningham scored highest of all competitors.



First & Second place winner in the 13-year old division were Roger Jones, left, with 432½, and Jeff Beedy with 387½. Jones won second place in the entire field.



9 YEAR OLD WINNERS, L to R: Danny Dear, 270; Kirby Hargis, 267½; Greg Hazelwood, 264.



TOMMY HANER won third place in the 13-year old competition. He scored 371½ points.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Love visited in Fritch over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hall.

Phillip Grange was admitted this week to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. W. W. Richeson was admitted to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo September 24th.

"YOU NAME IT"

by Billy Miller

I enjoyed the Scout Roundtable meeting at the Community Building Monday evening. This is the main reason that Spearman is such a fine community. Never have I seen so many fine boys and their parents. And Harry Stumpf is doing an excellent job as scoutmaster. Judge Lee mentioned that sometime in the near future the Scouts would be taken out North of Spearman to the old rifle pits. I know exactly where the pits are located and in fact I have dug up some empty pistol shells, an old US Army cooking pan, and a bunch of army buttons which came from the old uniforms that the troops wore while camping in the rifle pits. The rifle pits are located 9 miles North of Spearman. The troops, under General ... were camped at this location during the winter of 1860. These troops were there because of the Indian problems and were connected with General Custer's command. Apparently, they lived in caves, as several of the old caves are still there. This could be some real diggings for the Scouts, but the pits are located on private property and no one except those authorized are allowed in the area. And, of course the public can understand why. However, I am sure that the landowners will be glad to let the Scouts spend an outing, digging and gathering treasures from this historical spot. Judge Lee has written Washington for information, and we will have a good story on these famous rifle pits in our paper in the near future.

We may be on the verge of the best harvest in years. I think the prices will be so much better than they have been recently. The corn is all turning out about as expected and is especially good considering the extremely

hot dry summer we had. Next year, should be a real good maize year, since this year was so hot and dry.

Did we have a Chamber of Commerce meeting Tuesday morning? You bet we did, and believe it or not, a good crowd of merchants were on hand to discuss some upcoming events for the Chamber. We are going to have a Big Monster Sale in Spearman on Halloween. That's right, the Spearman merchants are going to really put on the dog for this big event. Watch for merchants advertising their monster sale. Be ready to see these merchants dressed as Halloween monsters on October 31. Plan now to shop Spearman every day and especially on Monster Day, Oct. 31. And, the Chamber will give away their dressed beef halves Halloween night at the carnival.

INTERESTING BUS TOUR BEING PLANNED

Members of the Twentieth Century Club are attempting to secure a charter bus to Amarillo October 8 to tour the Speech & Hearing Center, Amarillo Garden Center and the Canyon Art Gallery.

So far not enough have signed up for the bus so any one interested is asked to call Mrs. Ed Garner by Monday, Oct. 5 at phone 3216.

The bus fare and luncheon ticket will be \$9.81 total. The bus will leave from the courthouse in Spearman at 9 a.m. and return about 6 p.m.

After touring the Speech & Hearing Center, luncheon will be at the Country Club before going on to the Canyon Art Gallery.

Everyone welcome.

Virus Wilbanks is now home from the hospital in Amarillo where she underwent surgery on a leg.



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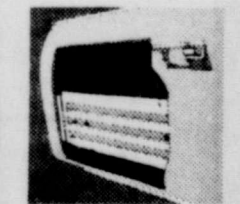
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Let Me See by Sybil...

In this column last week I mentioned that Jesse Davis had become a "static" by falling in his bath tub and injuring his back. I am glad to report this week that Jesse is out of the hospital, up and around and back on the job. I also wish to declare that Jesse Davis is NOT one of those "Silent Majority" members---that group which makes up 98% of our population---the group you NEVER hear from. We never hear from the

Silent Majority. We only hear from--and read about--the other 2% of our population. The 98% are the good, loyal citizens who go day in and day out abiding by the law, working to make this a better place in which to live...enjoying life but never stopping long enough to express an appreciation, to give a pat on the back for encouragement or to offer a simple "thank you" to his fellow man.

I don't care for the "silent majority." They'll sit and rock and play the fiddle and just let Rome burn down. But that 2 percent, the only ones you read about--and hear from--man, they let you know about it...and it's all bad. Maybe it's the old adage--"Bad news travels fast, good news doesn't travel at all."

Here at the newspaper, for instance, we do hear from the 2 percent-ers. And it's usually bad. I get to thinking THEY are the majority, but in the long run one of the 98-ers come through and I change my mind.

Church pastors hear from the 2%. School teachers hear from the 2%. Sheriff J.B. Cooke hears from the 2%. All public servants hear from the 2%-ers. When will the 98%-ers start speaking up?

Jesse Davis and I talked at length about the silent ones

this week, and we both decided it was high time for people with "appreciations" ----to speak up. His confinement in Hansford Hospital prompted this. Mr. Davis wrote me a letter, and it read like this: "Dear Sybil, I love to read your column in the paper each week and rarely ever miss one. This week I found my own name, and it was a real surprise and a pleasure too. Thanks for the nice things you said. Speaking of nice things to say, I wish you would take time out and visit our local hospital and do a story about it. We in Hansford County should know more about the way things are run out there, and how efficient! I think you should see their modern equipment, from the kitchen, through the nurses station, to the office...and only then could you really appreciate how lucky we are to have such a good place."

Well, Jesse, I've toured our Hansford Hospital many times, and I know through personal experience that the staff and all the latest modern equipment are top notch. We sit here and watch our student Vocational nurses complete their training here in this hospital and take their state board exams and make higher grades than any other school in the State!

I stood in the halls at the hospital recently and watched every nurse on the staff say a tender, loving good bye to a little mongoloid baby who was being turned over to welfare officials.

I've strolled the dark corridors at night, while the life of at least three of my own relatives slowly ebbed away and felt strengthened by the fact that they were being cared for by "people who care."

I heard one of our local physicians tell his patient "I pray for you every morning."

I stood at the bedside of one of my closest relatives as he breathed his last breath and watched the Doctor and nurse shed tears from love, not just sympathy.

In the larger hospitals patients are just numbers. At our own Hansford Hospital patients are people. Anyone who has ever been a patient there is simply amazed at the personal care and attention given by nurses and doctors and the entire Hospital staff.

It is true the staff is aided by the latest equipment, but the most important thing is--they know what they are doing. And this, added to the fact that they CARE, is a combination that cannot be matched, anywhere.

Thank you Jesse, for coming out from among the Silent Majority and deciding to let your feelings be known. I keep hoping more people will join you in giving credit where credit is due.

holt news

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Griffin of Erick Oklahoma were Friday nite guests of Vernie Rosson of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ottaway of Tyrone were week-end guests of friends Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pendergraft.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jenkins attended Sunday afternoon the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Hill in the citizens Hospitality Room in Pampa from 2:00 to 4 o'clock. A large crowd was present.

Fair in Amarillo. The group of forty people attended the afternoon matinee at 2 o'clock.

Those going from Spearman were, Mr. and Mrs. L.S. McLain, Altha Groves, Vera Campbell, Mmes. Ethel Ellsworth, Marie Sparks, Thelma Kenney, Sadie Hoskins, Mildred Chamberlain, T.D. Sansing, Ruth Caro and Sam Graves. Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holt, Mrs. Bertha Jenkins and Maude Rosson of the Holt Community, from Gruver were Mr. and Mrs. Gay Fletcher, Mmes. Margie Barkley, Edna Cluck, Vivian Lyle, Ann Cooper, Vivian Green, Etta Beck, Vera Finley, Elizabeth Spivey, Myrtle Bernstein, Alice Hawkins, C.A. Davis, Naomi Dozier, Mattie Layton, Alma Gruver and Charlene McClellan also Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richardson of Pringle.

After the show the group toured the Fair. Then ate dinner at Furr's Cafeteria. All enjoyed the Show very much, also visiting with the many old and new friends on the bus. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison and family of Stinnett were Friday night callers of the Travis Regers. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Reed

of Spearman enjoyed ice cream and cake Sunday afternoon with the Ira Harbours, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson also visited the Harbours in the afternoon.

Mrs. Valla Leffett of Pampa is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Harbour. Mrs. Harbour has returned home from a stay in the Hansford County Hospital of Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Jackson and boys were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Patterson and family.

LAD RECEIVED SLIGHT INJURY IN BICYCLE HAP

Richard Hagerman, 10-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Hagerman of 708 Cotter Dr., was treated at Hansford Hospital Friday evening for a slight head injury.

The youngster rode his bicycle off his sidewalk into the path of a car driven by Maria Jo McWhirter. He received a small laceration on his head when he was knocked off his bicycle. The accident happened just prior to the football game.

He was treated and released. Another minor accident was reported by City Police Friday evening following the football game.

The accident occurred in the 300 block of N. 5th Street. Vehicles involved included a 1970 Ford driven by Rev. Kenneth Johnson, and a 1964 Dodge wagon driven by Laura Mae King of Morse.

Estimated total damages were \$200.00.

the MORSE Code

Mrs. Annie Clifton and Mrs. M. W. McCloy left Thursday for a visit with the Carson McCloy family near La Junta, Colorado.

Mrs. Besse Henderson returned Saturday from Phoenix, Arizona. Memorial rites were conducted earlier in the week for her nephew and his family.

Mrs. Perry Dixon and Monty were in Amarillo Sunday to meet her parents who were returning from a stay in Houston.

Saturday guests in the Allen McCloy home were Mrs. Elaine Peterson of Trinidad, Colorado and Mrs. Walter Hesse of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Finch have recently moved their mobile home to a site in Morse.

Some of the local residents attending the Tri-State Fair and the additional programs in Amarillo include Mr. and Mrs. H.B. Parks and Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Poole, the Lynn Davis family, the Bob Willis, and the Tom Dortik family.

Johnny Holland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Holland of Spearman is enrolled in the college located at Pueblo, Colorado.

BIRTHS

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harnish are the parents of a baby boy, Marshal Lance born at Ochiltree General Hospital in Perryton, Sept. 22. He weighed 8 lbs. 13 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitford, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Zeke Harnish, all of Spearman.

Lt. and Mrs. Glen Keim announce the arrival of a daughter born in Okinawa September 17. Kerry Anne Keim weighed 7 pounds 10 ounces at birth.

Grandparents living in Spearman are Mr. Jack Crum, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Keim and great-grandmother Mrs. Garrett Allen and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Keim.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Love of Jennings, La. are the parents of a son born Sept. 28. He has been named Henry Aaron and weighed 9 lb. 5 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Love of Spearman.

Pringle PTA To Meet Mon.

Monday, October 5 opens the year for P-TA meetings at the Pringle School and this will be one of the most important meetings of the season.

A very special program on DRUG ABUSES will be presented at 7:30 p.m. by James Freeman of Amarillo. Everyone is urged to attend and the public is cordially invited.

Also at this meeting, PTA officers for 1970-71 will be installed. Mrs. Jimmy Shields will serve as president. Other officers include Mrs. Jack Tollison,

program chairman; Mrs. Carrol Pack, secretary; Mrs. Thane McCloy, treasurer; Mrs. Gene Monden, hospitality; Mrs. Austell Burris, finance; Mrs. Marge Ziegelguber, membership; Mrs. Don Dees, publicity. Mrs. Jack Crowl is publication chairman.

Mrs. Turner Hosts Arts & Craft Guild

Mrs. Ned Turner was hostess for the September 18 meeting of the Arts and Crafts Guild. Present were Mmes. Deta Blodgett, Fred Daily, Pope Gibner, Nolan Holt, P.A. Lyon, Fred Hoskins, Joe Traylor and the hostess. There was no meeting on September 25.

The Arts and Crafts Guild will meet October 2 in the country home of Mrs. Garrett Allen.

LAST WEEK TO ORDER PECANS

Anyone interested in ordering pecans for holiday baking, is reminded that this is the last week to do so.

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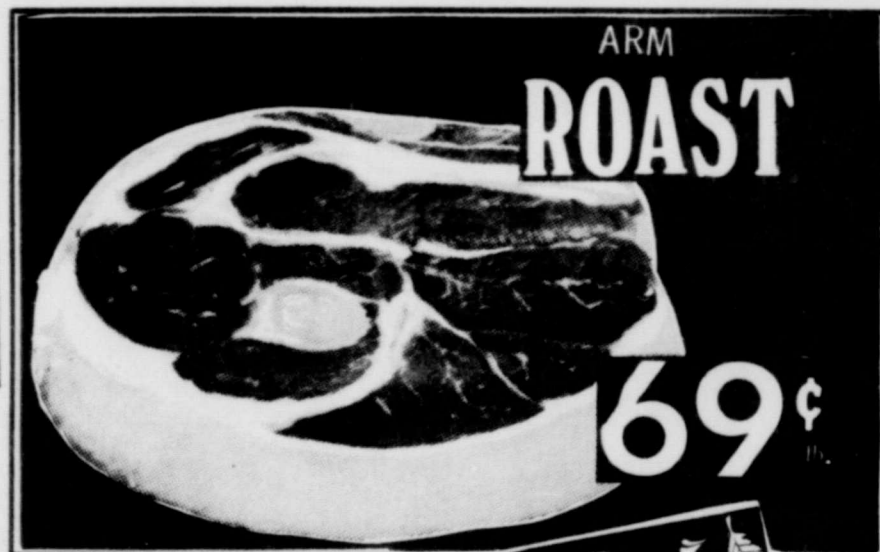
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1970**

Sept. 19	Lamar Tech	Beaumont	7:30
Sept. 26	Wichita U.	Canyon	8:00
Oct. 3	East Carolina U.	Canyon	8:00
Oct. 10	N. Illinois U.	DeKalb	7:30
Oct. 17	North Texas State	Canyon	8:00
Oct. 24	New Mex. State U.	Canyon	8:00
Oct. 31	U.T. Arlington	Arlington	7:30
Nov. 7	W. Michigan	Canyon	2:00
Nov. 14	Bowling Green U.	B. Green	1:30
Nov. 21	U. of So. Miss.	Canyon	2:00



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September 11	Sunday	Here	8:00
September 18	Canyon	There	8:00
September 25	Wheeler	Here	8:00
October 2	Stratford	There	8:00
October 9	Gruver	Here	8:00
October 16	Phillips	There	7:30
October 23	Stinnett	There	7:30
October 30	Dalhart	Here	7:30
November 7	Boys Ranch	Here	7:30
November 14	Panhandle	There	7:30



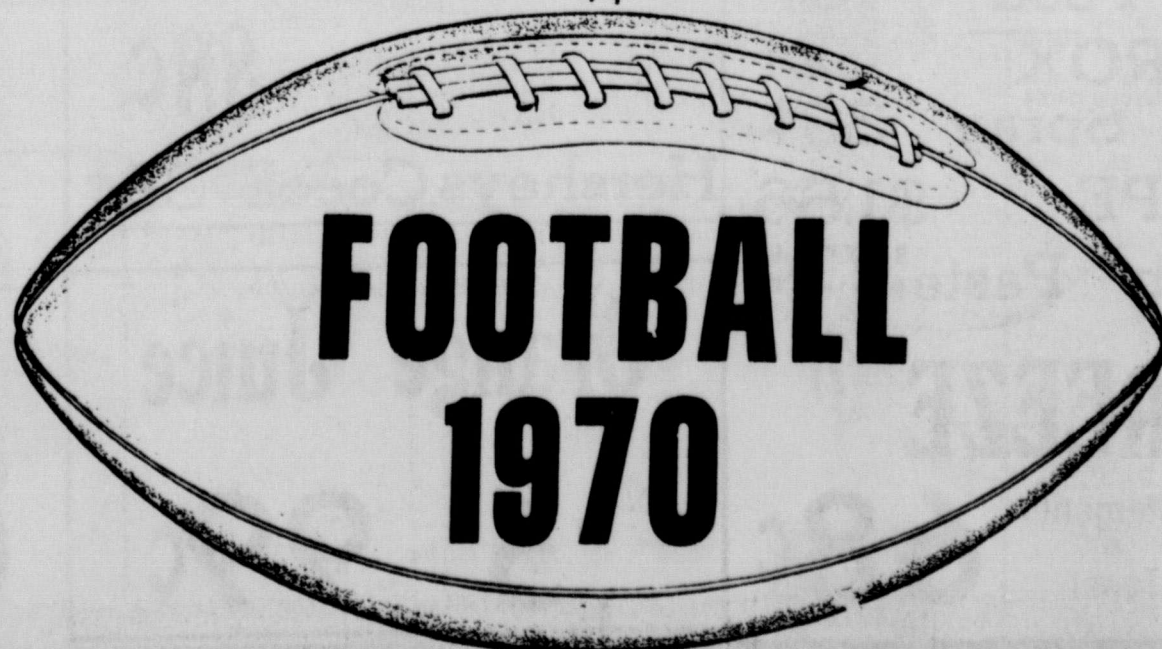
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1970 Football Schedule**

Sept. 26	W. N. M. U.	T-7:30
*Oct. 3	East Central	T-8pm
*Oct. 10	Langston	H-8pm
*Oct. 17	Northwestern	T-2pm
*Oct. 24	Cameron(PN)	H-8pm
*Oct. 31	Central	T-2pm
Nov. 7	Ft. Hays(Hmc)	H-2pm
*Nov. 14	Southeastern	H-8pm
*Nov. 21	Northeastern	T-2:30

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- Regular 12's **KOTEX** 39¢
- Puss-n-Boots Fish-Tall Can **Cat Food** 15¢
- Bleach Half Gallon **CLOROX** 32¢
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AREA STUDENT ELECTED COLLEGE CLASS OFFICER—Pictured are the Junior class officers at Panhandle State College. These officers were elected at the first annual class meeting held last week. Pictured L-R Richard Hopson, Texoma President; Mary Lamb, Bolise City, Secretary; Charlotte Carter, Oklahoma City, Treasurer; and Carl Kunselman, Spearman, Vice President.



Washington Report

From Congressman
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On September 11th I met in Paris for one hour and forty minutes with NGUYEN MINH VY, Deputy Chief of the North Vietnamese delegation at the Paris Peace Talks, for the purpose of exploring possibilities for peace in Southeast Asia.

The North Vietnamese negotiator was firm in his position that it is the United States who is the aggressor in Vietnam, and that American troops must be withdrawn before peace could be achieved. I, in turn hammered home several points in the clearest terms: First, the United States is fighting in Vietnam to preserve the freedoms of the Vietnamese people and to enable them to choose their own form of government free from outside influences.

Second, President Nixon, the Congress, and the American people will not accept anything less than an honorable resolution to the conflict. Third, a standstill cease-fire agreement would provide an excellent basis on which to revitalize the Paris Peace Talks. Fourth, unless the North Vietnamese word indicated thought, word and deed that they were interested in seeking a peaceful solution to the war, the nations of the world would become convinced that North Vietnam was using

the Paris talks merely as a propaganda forum rather than a negotiating base.

Much of my remarks centered on the Prisoner of War issue. I have introduced legislation on the subject, written letters, held meetings, and explored every path open to me in this country, and I hoped that by personally confronting the North Vietnamese with the issue I could achieve an understanding which could lead to the better treatment and earlier release of our captured county men.

The North Vietnamese representative advised me there are a number of Americans who have been captured, but that they are being humanely treated by their captors and are allowed to correspond with their families.

I questioned the accuracy of his statements in no uncertain terms and offered to go to Hanoi and personally verify the conditions of imprisonment. I also informed him the North Vietnamese were very ill advised to deal with what the American people considered kooks and social outcasts on the prisoners of war issue and that if they were truly interested in resolving this matter they should try dealing with representatives of the American people such as myself.

On that note I asked him specifically about information concerning five men I flew combat with in Korea. All that is known about them is that three are confirmed prisoners and two are listed as missing in action. While he did not promise any information about the five, he took their names and other information regarding the men that I had prepared in advance of the meeting.

At the conclusion of the meeting I informed NGUYEN MINH VY that if he were interested in exploring the matter of my going to Hanoi I would hope to communicate with him further and that I would even consider the possibility of returning to Paris for a second meeting.

Looking back on the meeting, it is difficult to determine precisely what gains, if any, were made. The North Vietnamese, although extremely cordial and polite, are very tough unyielding negotiators. Accordingly, I feel compelled to pursue this faint possibility with good faith. It may prove to be but another blind alley, but then again, it may prove to be the crack in their resistance to our peace overtures. In this connection, I cannot help but feel encouraged by the fact that the latest proposals put forth at the Paris talks by the North Vietnamese contain certain similarities to several of the points I had stressed so vigorously at my meeting with VY the week before. The tone if not the substance of the proposals were much less harsh than any the Communists had dropped on the conference table for some time. For the first time a cease-fire has been mentioned in explicit terms. And, the Communists indicated they would be willing to begin immediate negotiation of the release of prisoners if the U. S. would agree to withdraw all its troops by June 30, 1971.

While these proposals are not acceptable in their present form, it must be noted that the Communists seem to have relaxed somewhat their previously totally inflexible positions. Perhaps my efforts were not completely in vain.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Love and Frankie visited with her mother, Mrs. Ella Shaw and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Love in Buffalo, Okla. over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mundy spent last weekend in Kim, Colorado with their son Lester and his family. While there they made a tour into the mountains to view the fall foliage.

Loans Available

Hansford County is one of several counties eligible to receive emergency loans from the Farmers Home Administration, FHA State Director Lynn Futch had advised that loans are available to eligible farmers and ranchers through June 30, 1971.

Designations are based on the damage resulting from severe drought this spring and summer. Also certain counties suffered from hail and wind storms as well as tornadoes. All the farmers and ranchers have suffered losses, and the lack of feed and pasture is affecting livestock producers.

Hansford County farmers and ranchers may apply for loans at the Ochiltree County Farmers Home Administration office located at 408 Amherst, in Perryton. The County Supervisor also had an office period the first and third

Tuesdays of each month in the Hansford County Courthouse.

Local Women Enjoy Trip Thru Southern States

Mrs. Ed Mundy, Mrs. Joe Novak, Mrs. Claude Owens and Mrs. Beula Jones returned home last Saturday evening from a 10 day trip through the southern states to Radford, Virginia where they visited Mrs. Jones son and Mrs. Mundy's daughter Myrl and Lorene Jones. They traveled through Oklahoma City, Memphis Tennessee, Hot Springs, Arkansas, Chattanooga, Tennessee to Radford. On their return they came back through Kentucky and Arkansas. A very enjoyable trip was reported by the four ladies.

Richard Pipkin, a WTSU student, spent the week end at home with his parents, the John Pipkins.

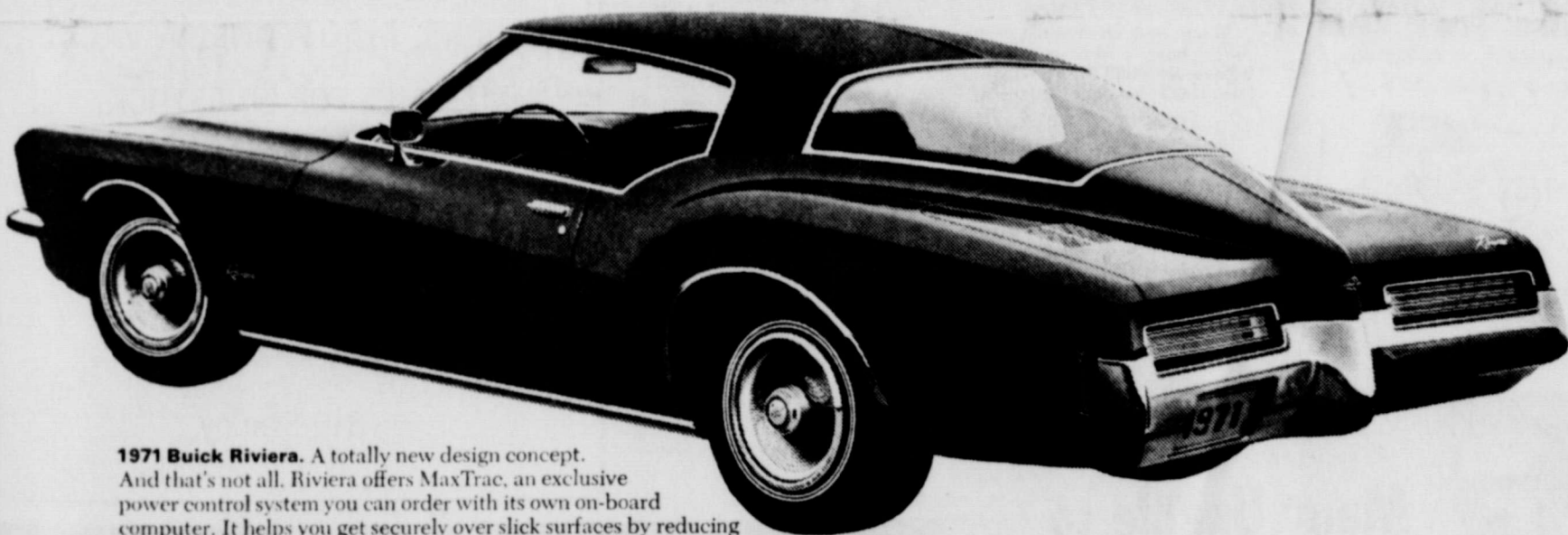
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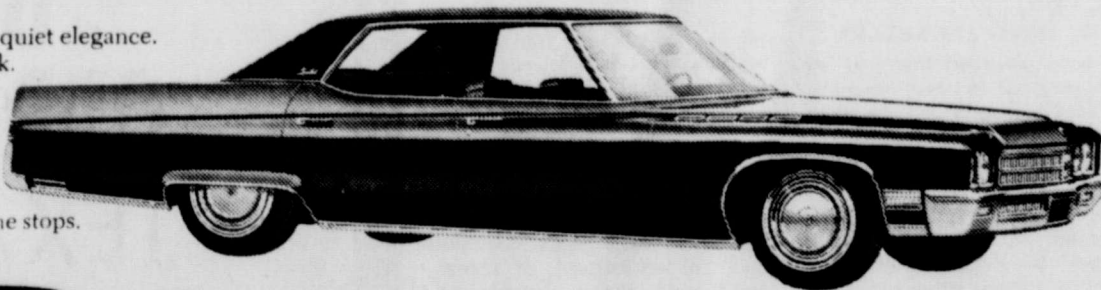
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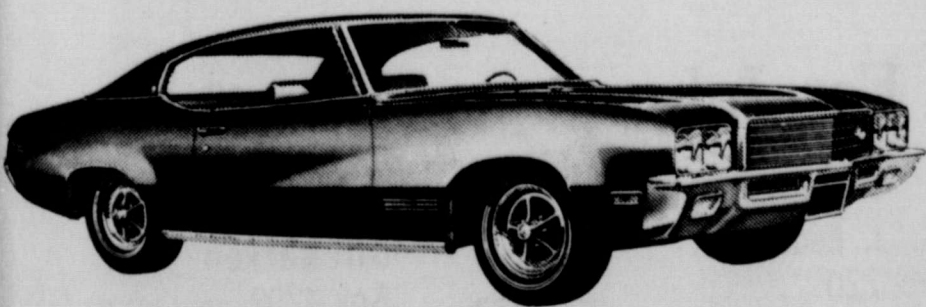
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Three family Garage Sale-household items, clothing, Maternity clothes, baby clothes and accessories, Friday & Sat, October 2 & 3 rd. Open at 9 A.M. each morning 609 S. Bernice, 2T-

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LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City of Spearman, Texas, until 8:00 P.M., Monday, October 12, 1970 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser with the following specifications: Eight Cylinder, 1971 Model, 4 Door Sedan; Color-White Minimum Horsepower 250-Not to Exceed 365 Cubic Inch Displacement-for use with regular grade gasoline Radiator-Heavy Duty Battery-Heavy Duty, 70 AMP, 66 Plate 45 AMP, Alternator Oil Filter-sufficient for size of engine Transmission--3 speed, automatic, heavy duty Heavy Duty Springs--front Heavy Duty Shocks--front Stabilizer Bar Heavy Duty Axle--front and rear Heavy Duty Brakes Wheels--15 inch wheels, 7x60 X 15; 4 Ply, Black tubeless tires Speedometer--Factory calibrated to 2 per cent accuracy Front Seat-Heavy duty springs, cushion, extra foam pad Rear Seat--Heavy Duty Seat Upholstery--Vinyl Windshield--Tinted glass Floor Mats--Heavy duty, front and rear Seat Belts--2 for front seat, retractable type Instrument Panel--Padded Heater--Fresh Air heater and Defroster Sun Visors--2 Spotlights--1, left side with clear lens Mirrors--1 inside mounted, 1 outside mounted on left side Lights--Backup lights Radio noise suppression kit Windshield Wipers--two speed electric with washer Factory air conditioner Unit must not be a "Compact" or small size vehicle The factory sticker designating the special equipment on this car shall remain with car, and the City shall have the right to inspect this car before being accepted, and reject same if not in compliance with the specifications. Bidder is requested to quote bid on trade in of 1967 Ford Police Car. Bidder is requested to quote delivery date. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids or waive any informality in the bid or accept any bid regardless. By order of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Spearman, Texas, this 28th day of September, 1970. Dr. D.E. Hackley Mayor ATTEST: S/ Robert Ragsdale City Secretary 45T-40T-c

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Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS I want to thank everyone that sent flowers, and cards to me and for the visits while I was in the hospital. Thanks again. Jesse Davis

Rummage Sale Fri.

Rho Rho Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority will hold a rummage sale Friday, October 2 in the old Spearman Hardware building. The sale will open at 9 a.m.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of Morse Ind. School will open bids for heating and air-conditioning to be installed in existing building. Bid to be opened at 8:00 P.M. on Tuesday Oct. 13, 1970 at the Morse School. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from the Superintendent's office at Morse School. School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. 45T-2tc



Many Unable to Find God?

By DAVE LLEWELLYN I have observed that you are very religious in every respect--for, while most of you are likely affiliated with some religious organization, you demonstrate yourselves exceedingly tolerant of all others.

Indeed, among you it seems proper to support the causes of all organized religion.

Presbyterian, Jehovah's Witness, Catholic, Baptist, Methodist, Greek Orthodox, Christian Scientist, Lutheran, Anglican--all of these and dozens, probably hundreds, more benefit from your generosity, to propagate their beliefs more extensively. Not willing to be partial to the established organizations and perhaps overlook the true faith, you have provided recently increasing financial assistance to astrology, Buddhism, Scientology, Bahaim, and even tasteful forms of spirit worship and witchcraft.

The reality of your deep-felt interest in gods is inescapable.

Fail to Find God!

But, as I have watched you worship your various gods, I have noticed a peculiar practice. Many of you move from church to church, from temple to cathedral to chapel to coven to coven to sensitivity group--and back and forth. And some of you, who once worshipped, now sit at home and do nothing at all.

It seems that you have a strong desire to serve God but you cannot find Him. Many have stopped looking. The one, therefore, whom you have desired to know I proclaim to you.

The God who made the world and all things in it is the Lord of heaven and earth. He does

Our Heritage of Faith... Food for thought...

Surveys which were taken recently among university students revealed a shameful ignorance of the simplest facts about the Bible. This is in stark contrast to prominent people of even a couple generations ago, who regarded a man as ignorant if he were not fairly familiar with the Word of God. Literature and public statements abounded in quotations from the Bible. Presidents, prime ministers, penologists, and educators, even though they might not have regarded the Bible as divine, testified freely that the well-being of the world depends upon the knowledge and practice of its ideas.

By contrast, it is no mere coincidence that in a day of growing ignorance of the Word of God there is a mounting tide of immorality, lawlessness, and deterioration of such once-stable institutions as the home, school, and civil government. When the one firm foundation for social well-being and civic righteousness is discarded, everything worthwhile is swept away with it.

It is highly ironic that the Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, which decreed that Bible reading in the public schools is outlawed, should himself hold an open copy of that very Book at the inauguration of the nation's chief executive for the purpose of administering the oath of office. It reminds of the Communist who, when he was asked as to whether he was an atheist, replied with great emphasis, "Thank God, I am!"

John G. Whittier could well have been describing our day and its world-wide search for knowledge when he wrote,

"We come back laden from our quest, To find that all the sages said, Is in the book our mothers read."

Prayer

O God, we have "heaped to ourselves teachers and turned away from Thy truth." Forgive our neglect of that one blessed book that is able to make us wise unto salvation. In Christ's name, Amen.

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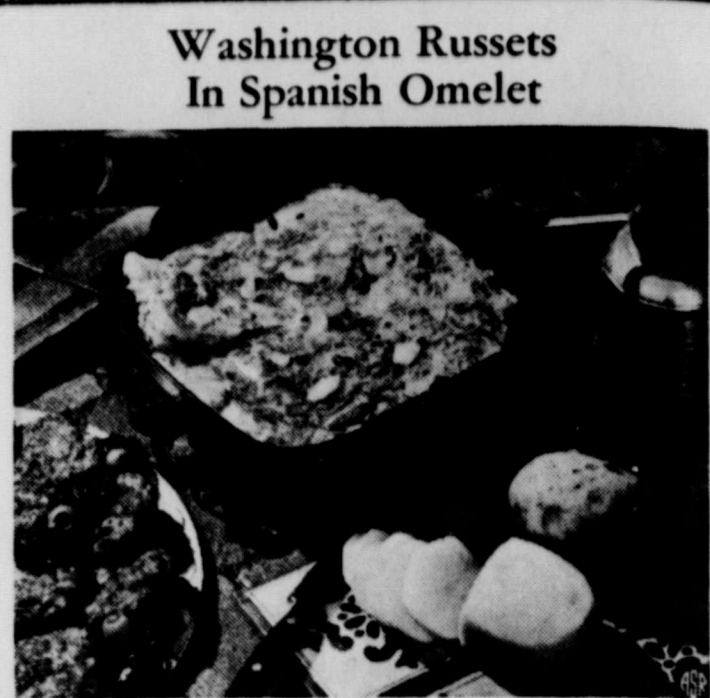
When your child and a neighbor's have a serious quarrel, remember that the neighbor also thinks his child is right.

Acts of kindness should be unconditional--except where kindness to the hair is concerned. Clairol's Kindness Protein Conditioner replaces oils in limp, lifeless hair and adds bounce and elasticity. It does its most professional job when combined with heat from a hair dryer.

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The National Council on Alcoholism, 2 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10016, reveals that 6,500,000 Americans are now victims of this tragic condition. Contribute generously to the council which is conducting a nation-wide fight on alcoholism.

For a free button that says, "try a little kindness," send your name and address to Consumer Relations Dept., Clairol, 345 Park Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022.



Washington Russets In Spanish Omelet While the fresh harvest of Washington Russet potatoes is in abundant supply, treat your family to this nourishing and inexpensive Spanish Potato Omelet. It's ideal for brunch or a late supper accompanied by fried country sausage or thick rashers of bacon and broiled tomatoes. Or, serve the omelet cold as they do in Spain at their tapas or "appetizer hours" before the late evening meal. Washington Russets are an all purpose potato grown in extremely fertile plains of the Columbia River Basin.

Spanish Potato Omelet (Tortilla de Patata)

2 pounds Washington Russet potatoes 1 1/2 teaspoons salt 1/4 cup olive oil 1 medium onion, chopped 5 eggs Peel potatoes and slice thin. Heat oil in 10 1/2-inch skillet. Add potatoes. Sprinkle with 1/2 teaspoon salt. Cook over moderate heat 10 minutes, turning occasionally. Add onion. Cook 10 minutes longer, turning occasionally, until potatoes are tender and golden brown. Beat eggs lightly with remaining 1 teaspoon salt. Pour off excess oil from potatoes. Four eggs over potatoes and cook about 3 minutes or until eggs are set. Shake pan back and forth to keep omelet from sticking. Cover skillet with inverted flat plate and turn out omelet. Using a spatula, carefully slide omelet back into skillet. Cook just till underside is done. Cut into wedges to serve. Makes 6 servings.

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Hansford Co. Reunion Held In California

Sunday, September 20, 1970 marked the 12th annual reunion of former Hansford County residents now living in California when they met with their families and guests in Lacy Park, San Marino. Sixty-one attended.

The day started with a basket lunch spread on three long picnic tables. Many comments were made of the variety of food prepared for the occasion. Activities of the afternoon was a practice football game, picture taking and bicycling around the spacious park by the younger generation.

Those attending included: Gene & Wanda VanCleave, Dana Janie, Johnny and Kathy Dyer of Woodland Hills; Harry & Betty Faus, Mark & Anthony of Canoga Park; Krist and Phyllis Levitch, Barbara, Karen and Kristy of Hacienda Heights; Don and Gladys Bennett, Santa Paula.

Linda Newcomb, Jim, John, Jeff & Janet of San Bernardino, Lola Newcomb, Larry Newcomb & Ron; Joan Shephard, Mike, Ken and Jim all of West Covina.

John & Doris VanCleave of Sunland; Marilyn Buck and Gregg of Monrovia, Bill Newcomb, Bobby & Becky of Norwalk.

Dick & Beth Auten, Rick, Mitch & Todd of Tujunga, Dan & Neva Blake of Arcadia; Ken Thompson, Craig, Dean and Laura of Lancaster, Sam & Thora Jean VanCleave and granddaughter, Brenda Morgan of Bell, Chuck & Linda Newcomb of Azusa.

Ron and Marcella Helzer and Grace Newcomb of Monterey Park, Glen and Audrey McComas, Aundry Michele, Jack and Kimberly Roe and Jeff Connor all of Carlsbad, Calif.

Gov. Approves Grant For Panhandle Counties

Governor Preston Smith today approved a planning grant of \$18,885 to the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, Amarillo, for updating its regional law enforcement plan and expanding its program to include all 25 counties of the Panhandle State Planning Region.

The grant was made on recommendation of the Texas Criminal Justice Council, which advises the Governor on administration of funds received from the U. S. Department of Justice under the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968.

It was one of eight planning grants, totaling \$146,933, recommended by the Council at its regular monthly meeting. Also recommended were 11 action grants, totaling \$108,942.

Judge Joe Frazier Brown, executive director of the

Criminal Justice Council, said the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission would use the grant to employ a fulltime regional criminal justice coordinator to serve all 25 counties of the region. Professional criminal justice planning assistance will be rendered to units of local government, helping them to plan projects which are compatible with the Criminal Justice Plan for Texas.

Local funds applied to the planning program will be \$2,210.

Counties in the Panhandle State Planning Region are Dallam, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hartley, Moore, Hutchinson, Roberts, Hemphill, Oldham, Potter, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, Deaf Smith, Randall, Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Farmer, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe and Hall.

Values to Hold



Worlds to Explore

2nd Year Brownie Troop 149 met Thursday afternoon September 24 in the Girl Scout Little House with leaders, Mrs. Roy Flowers and Mrs. E. W. Kibler.

Troop members worked on construction paper craft and played games. Jan Flowers served refreshments to Shannon Bowling, Pamela Dry, Debbie Eller, Connie Etheredge, Jane Flowers, Tammy Freeman, Terrie Owens, Debbie Perkins, Joan Reed, Mellissa Robertson, Karen Southern and Ivonne Sullivan.

2nd Year Brownie Troop 155 met Friday afternoon September 25 at the Girl Scout Little House with leaders, Mrs. Wayne Ellsworth and Mrs. Larry Hays.

The girls worked on Paper Art with construction paper.

Brenda Boyd served refreshments to D'Anda Close, Sabre McCoy, Bethene English, Donna Bruce, Bridgett Cannon, Barbara Ellsworth, Joanne Hays, Dana Smith and Margie Schubert.

Mrs Mansel Bryan Shower Honoree

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Mansel Bryan was held Saturday evening September 26 in the Hospitality Room. Guests were registered by hostesses as they arrived. The registry table was covered with a white cloth, centered with an arrangement of yellow and white mums in a crystal container.

The honoree, her mother Mrs. Sam Powell of Perryton and the groom's mother, Mrs. Joe Dan Bryan of Spearman, were presented with beautiful orchid corsages. The bride's chosen colors were white and yellow and the decor of the room carried out this color scheme.

The serving table was laid with a white cloth centered with an arrangement of white and yellow mums in a crystal bowl, accented with wedding bells and tapers. Hostesses served hot spiced tea from the silver service, with party cookies, nuts and mints.

Mrs. Lynn Kemper assisted the honoree in opening and displaying her gifts.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Mmes. Gertrude Archer, Richard Shedeck, Reuben Hindenart, B. J. Kemper, Willis Sheets, Marcus Larson, Sam Wyson and Herman Boone.

Recent Bride Honored With Gift Shower

A bridal shower honoring Sharon (Tope) Mauk was held Saturday afternoon September 26 in the First Baptist Church in Spearman. Hostesses for the affair were Mmes. Carl Archer, Glen Hiller, Frank Mach, Lawrence Dossett, R. E. Bradford, S. W. McAdams, L. J. Kelp, Buck Tucker, L. C. Craig, M. W. Walker and Leroy McCalmont.

Guests called between the hours of 2:30 and 4:00 and were registered in the bride's book by Miss Rhonda Jones. The registry table was decorated with a vase of rose buds. The decoration of the room was in a blue and white color scheme, chosen colors of the bride.

Corsages were presented to Mrs. Mauk and her mother Mrs. Avo Tope. The bride's corsage of white pompom mums was accented with bells and lily of the valley. Mrs. Tope's corsage was white pompom mums.

Miss Carolyn Jones and Mrs. Ronnie Sell served guests from the refreshment table. The table was laid with a blue cloth with white lace overlay. Centered on the table was a candelabra holding white tapers entwined with smile, greenery and blue ribbons. Cake squares decorated in the bride's colors, and punch, nuts and mints were served.

Judy Owens assisted the bride in opening and displaying her gifts.

PUBLIC INVITED TO COMMUNION SERVICE OCT. 8

The congregation of the First Presbyterian Church in Spearman cordially invites the public to be present and participate in World Wide Communion Sunday, October 4.

The Reverend John S. Orey, Pastor of Trinity Presbyterian Church at Perryton, will be administering the communion elements at the 9:00 a. m. worship service.

Mrs Reed Hosts Spearman Club

Mrs. A. D. Reed, Sr., was hostess Friday September 25 to the membership of the Spearman Home Demonstration Club.

A report from the HD Council meeting was given by Mrs. B. J. Garnett. Plans were made for the upcoming Annual HD Meeting and assignments were made as to what each should bring. Mrs. Frank Davis took pictures for the club during the meeting.

Mrs. B. J. Garnett will be hostess for the October 9th meeting, in her home.

Attending were Mmes. E. S. Uptengrove, W. H. Tarbox, H. H. Crooks, Joe Smith, W. V. Hull, W. A. Schubert, B. J. Garnett, Claude Jackson and Richard Shedeck.

Silver Tea Will Benefit Library

A Silver Tea, hosted by the Dahlia Flower Club, will be held October 5th in the home of Mrs. Deta Blodgett. The public is cordially invited to attend the Tea between the hours of 1:00 and 5:00 p. m. The proceeds from the silver collection will be used to buy a reading table for the Hansford Library reading room. Arts and crafts, made by Dahlia Flower Club members, will be on display for viewing of guests.

4-H LEADERS MEETING HELD

The first Junior Leaders meeting of the year was held September 28 at 4:15 in the Junior High Cafeteria. The meeting was called to order by Michele Mackie. Two new members Sharon Byers and Vicki Crawford were present.

The meeting day was changed to Tuesday at 4:15.

The officers were elected. Michele Mackie president; Wanda Greene vice president; Barbara Farr secretary and treasurer; Marty Razor council delegate; Toni Delozier reporter.

The club decided to have an executive committee which will plan the year's programs. This committee will consist of the president, vice president and secretary.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

MORSE P-TA HOSTS COUNCIL FRIDAY

The Morse PTA will be host to the Hansford County Council on Friday October 2, at 9 a. m., at the Morse School. All council delegates and interested members are urged to attend. Local presidents will be asked to give a report of their work thus far. Refreshments will be served.

Hands Attend Funeral Of Relative in Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hand returned Sunday from Batesville, Ark. where they attended the funeral of his brother-in-law Otto L. Green. Mr. Green was killed by a bull at his farm home there. He was 77 years old.

Services were held Friday.

Mr. Green is survived by his wife, Lucille Hand Green.

Mrs. Garrett Allen has recently returned home from a weeks visit with relatives in Seagrove, North Carolina. Mrs. Allen went to N. Carolina to attend the King family reunion. Dee Allen, Barbara Schnell and Verna Gail Keim also attended the reunion and Mrs. Allen returned home with her three children.

GSPA LAUNCHES MEMBERSHIP WEEK OF OCT. 1

The Grain Sorghum Producers Association will launch its 1970-71 membership drive the week of October 1. Each farmer within the area will receive a membership application for convenience in paying his dues and a postpaid envelope will be enclosed, with the membership notice.

Elbert Harp, Executive Director of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association, stated that because of the work of the association this past year, many accomplishments have been made that will and already have affected the price and income of the grain sorghum producer. In reviewing the association's work, some of the projects that will be the most helpful to the farmer are:

1. Reversal of CCC's order to call in 1967-68 re-seeded grain by January 15, 1970.

(RESULTS - Restored strength in market prices last fall.)

2. USDA and congressional agreement in early summer to relate grain sorghum to corn according to nutritional value.

(RESULTS - Up to 15¢ CWT. increase in loan and support price is pending in new legislation.)

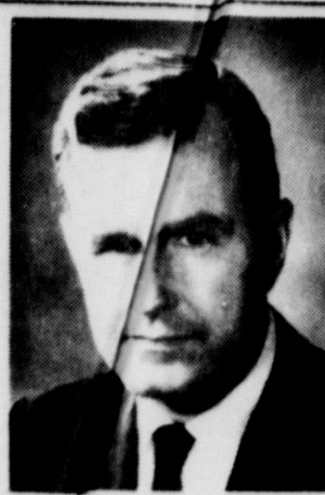
3. Strong representation for grain sorghum in National Farm Coalition and several congressional committees.

(RESULTS - Representing the best interests of grain sorghum producers to all pertinent legislative groups in Washington, D. C.)

4. CCC's decision to increase their resale price by 7¢ per CWT. beginning October 1, 1970.

(RESULTS - The market should be 7¢ higher than it would have been otherwise.)

"Because of the accomplishments we feel like the Grain Sorghum Producers Association deserves the support of every grain sorghum farmer within the area. We are still not satisfied because there is still much work yet to be done in behalf of grain sorghum. We hope that each farmer will promptly mail in his 1970-71 dues to help carry on this important work," Harp stated.



PAMPA AFFAIR HONORS BUSH

Congressman George Bush, Republican candidate for the U. S. Senate, was in Pampa Monday night where he was honored at a Texas-style hamburger supper at 6:30 p. m.

The supper was open to residents of all the north plains counties. The affair was one of several being held across Texas to enable Congressman Bush to meet and talk with people from areas that are seldom visited during a campaign.

Bush represents Texas' 7th Congressional District (Houston.)



Slander, Unlimited

In the heat of political debate, Lawmaker A calls Lawmaker B a crook. B is not a crook. Could he make A pay damages for slander?

No, because the law grants a special immunity to all legislators, both state and federal. No matter what slanders they utter, within the legislative chamber, they cannot be held liable in court.

This may seem to be rank favoritism. But the rule is meant for the benefit of the public at large, not for the benefit of the legislators themselves. It frees



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them to do a better job, unhampered by the lurking fear of legal liability in case they happen to say something wrong.

For similar reasons, immunity is granted also to officials of the judicial and executive branches of the government. Take this case:

A judge, while questioning an arrested man, scolded him as a liar and a disgrace to the community. As it happened, the man was guilty of nothing at all. After being released, he sued the judge for slander.

But the court dismissed his claim, on grounds of the judge's special immunity. The court said: "How could a judge exercise his office if he were in daily fear of an action being brought against him?"

However, the less important the occasion, and the less important the official the less reason there is to grant him immunity.

Consider a case which grew out of a local council hearing on bus service. One of the council members, angered by a complaining citizen, denounced him wrathfully as a fraud. The charge was made simply out of malice, without the slightest basis in fact.

When the victim filed suit for slander, the councilman claimed immunity as a "lawmaker." But the court turned down his defense and held him liable. The judge said that at this lower legislative level, protecting an official was not as important as protecting an innocent person's good name.



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A-B-C-D Spells Fire

That's right, anyway you look at it, A-B-C-D does spell fire because today all fires are placed in one of those four classifications.

What is a Class A Fire?
Basically, it is one involving ordinary combustibles such as wood, cloth, paper, rubber and some plastics.

What is a Class B Fire?
Such fires involve flammable or combustible liquids, flammable gases, greases and similar materials.

What is a Class C Fire?
Fires of this nature involve energized electrical equipment.

What is a Class D Fire?
Pertains to those involving certain combustible metals such as magnesium, sodium, potassium, etc.

Why classify a fire?
Because as man and his technology progressed, he began to be confronted with a variety of fires, many of which could no longer be contained by the primary extinguishing agent known as water.

What are the extinguishing agents?
Dry Chemicals, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Powders and Foams.

What means is used to employ these agents?
Many However, you should be concerned with the portable fire extinguisher which is often referred to as "the first line of defense" against fire.

In which fires is Water used and why?
Class A only. Because it is a cooling, soaking and penetrating agent.

On which fires is Dry Chemical used and why?
Class B and C for a regular Dry Chemical extinguisher; however, there is a Multi-Purpose Dry Chemical with which you would be more concerned and this can be used on Class A, B and C fires. Because it is a flame interrupting and, in some cases, cooling agent.

On which fires is Carbon Dioxide used and why?
Class B and Class C. Because it cuts off air and leaves no residue.

On which fires is Foam used and why?
Class A and Class B. Because it is a smothering and blanketing agent.

On which fires is Dry Powder used and why?
Class D only. Because it is a smothering and coating agent.

How do you know which extinguisher to use?
Every one is prominently marked as to its type and the class or classes of fires upon which it can be used.

Does Underwriters' Laboratories test extinguishers?
Yes, they are primarily tested for their ability to operate when needed, but they are also rated for their efficiency. Look for the UL label on the extinguisher.

Remember, know your extinguishers and the fires upon which they can be used. It's all on the label, so read it well before the fire strikes; there won't be time later.

FARM BUREAU HELPS CURTAIL FIRE LOSSES

Fire Chief Robert Ragsdale and Bill Johnson, president of the Hansford County Farm Bureau, urge Hansford County citizens to pay special heed to the observance of NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION WEEK, October 4-10.

"We ask that everyone develop good fire safety habits including care with matches, smoking, good housekeeping to rid the home of rubbish and proper use of electrical appliances and extension cords," the chief said.

"Fires killed more than 12,100 persons and cost more than \$2.4 billion in the last year," Johnson said the fall and winter months are the most vulnerable times of the year for rural fires. "When fire occurs on farm or rural property, damage is three to six times greater than in the average city fire," the Farm Bureau president added.

Farm Bureau has two programs designed to help curtail fire losses. The county Farm Bureau, in cooperation with the Texas Farm Bureau, sponsors the attendance of local volunteer firemen to the annual Firemen's Training School each summer in College Station. More than 800 firemen have attended under Farm Bureau sponsorship during the past seven years. Attending from Hansford County this summer was James H. Brown of Spearman.

The state and local Farm Bureaus also pay \$75 to fire departments for fighting rural fires on Farm Bureau insured property.

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