

Lay Witness Mission Being Planned Here

The First United Methodist Church is planning a Lay Witness Mission, October 12-13-14.

A lay witness mission is people meeting people to share the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

It is people sharing what Christ has done in their lives and what he continues to do.

It is people taking time to listen to others and to demonstrate the love God has poured into their hearts through the Holy Spirit.

It is people sharing with other people the hunger, the joys, the sorrows, the discoveries of their lives.

It is lay persons communicating to others what Jesus Christ means to them and how the good news makes a difference in daily living.

It is people coming at their own expense to live for a weekend with other people in an experience of witnessing, fellowship and prayer—all centered around Jesus Christ.

A Lay Witness meeting is a weekend happening in which a team of lay persons come to a local church to share their faith in Christ.

They are ordinary people, men, women, and youth who have encountered the living Christ. The lay witnesses travel at their own expense to tell others what Christ means to them. They are not laymen playing preacher. They are not perfect people, but people who have been awakened to God to the thrilling possibility of living all of life in Christ.

They are growing Christians who are learning how to witness, how to pray, how to find ministry and meaning in small groups and how to put their faith to work in the vital issues of life. They are involved in the work of their own local churches.

The leader of the mission is called a coordinator, Mr. Tom Johnson, from Lockney, Texas, is the Coordinator for the coming Lay Witness Mission.

Lay persons share with others through a variety of encounters, their personal experiences of trying to live a Christian life. They share more than "suc-

cess" stories, they tell honestly of struggles and heartaches as well as victories and joys. They speak personally in many one-to-one encounters. They share in small groups and they listen to others. They come to receive as well as to give. The central focus is on personal commitment to Christ.

The mission begins on Friday, all day Saturday, Saturday evening and Sunday morning. The witnesses return home Sunday afternoon.

The visiting lay witnesses stay in homes as guest of local Church members.

The youth will have their own activities. There will be several youth witnesses.

Visiting witnesses will come with an attitude of love and acceptance. They will witness by listening as

well as by speaking. They will not pressure anyone, but will try to communicate love and understanding to everyone. They do not come just to give answers, but to share honestly what God has done and is doing in their lives. There is no undue emphasis on the unusual or spectacular. The lay witnesses do not try to create an emotional atmosphere.

Lay Witness Missions are for everyone interested in conversion, commitment, and authentic discipleship. The mission will give the congregation an opportunity to evaluate their commitment to Christ and the church and to rededicate their lives.

The church invites people of all denominations to join them in this Mission.

Gas Contract Approved By City Council

At the city council meeting Monday evening, Sept. 24, 1973, minutes of the September 10, 13, and 17 meetings were read and approved.

The council discussed the position of assistant city manager, and made a choice, subject to approval. This selection will be released in next week's paper.

Attorneys for High Plains Natural Gas Co. were present to discuss the gas contract which has been under council consideration for some time. The council approved the contract at this meeting.

Dr. R. L. Kleiberger

was re-appointed City Health Officer.

Swimming pool bids were discussed, with October 8 being set as the deadline for bids.

Mr. Garrison, supervisor of the city dump ground, had his contract extended for a 6 month period.

Council members voted to fence the recently purchased land adjacent to the golf course.

There was a call for bids for a 1974 police sedan cruiser.

October meeting dates were set for the 8th and 23rd, the latter date being on a Tuesday instead of the regular Monday date.

Direct Dialing To Begin Saturday, October 6

Installation of Direct Distance Dialing equipment at Spearman is nearing completion and will be placed in service beginning Saturday, October 6 at 1:00 P. M., according to Paul Farrar, District Manager for General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

"We are looking forward to the activation of Direct Dialing because so many custo-

mers have expressed a desire to have it, and we recognize the community needs it," stated Farrar.

The new service is called "One Plus Dialing" since it is only necessary to dial "1" plus the area code (if different from your own) and the seven digit number to complete the call.

The timing and billing information will be automatically recorded.

Operators at Guymon will handle all assistance and special calls such as person to person, credit card, and collect.

Just prior to the establishment of this new service, One Plus Direct Distance Dial instructions will be distributed to all customers giving complete information.

Farm Accident Injures Farmer

Milford Lambright, who farms 21 miles south of Spearman, was critically injured Tuesday afternoon when he was caught up in a combine while harvesting corn on the Herman Blanton farm.

Lambright, 44, was in critical condition in the intensive care unit of Northwest Texas Hospital after he underwent surgery on both legs. His left leg was amputated. He was first taken to North Plains Hospital in Borger and later transferred to the Amarillo Hospital.

Don Bell, another farmer helping in the harvest, said a Mexican farm laborer who spoke little English came running up to him at 4 p. m. and told him that Lambright was trapped in the machine. Bell found the victim trapped to his waist in the combine. He said the machine became slugged with corn and corn stalks and Lambright was clearing stalks away from the fingers of the machine when the machine suddenly lurched forward, catching his pants near the ankle and pulling him in up to his waist. Lambright was trapped more than an hour as men worked to free him. Rescuers had to use welding torches to cut through machine parts and free the injured man.

Casket bearers were R. L. McFarlin, Robert Masingill, Everett Vanderburg, Dr. R. L. Kleiberger, Lee Phillips, John L. Brown, R. D. McClellan and Guy Fuller. Personal Escorts were O. V. Walker and William Martin.

Memorial Services Held For J.B. Cooke Monday

Funeral services for J. B. Cooke, 67, sheriff of Hansford County, since 1945, who died Friday afternoon at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo, were held at 2 p. m. Monday, in the First Baptist Church here.

Officiating was Dr. Winfred Moore of First Baptist Church in Amarillo. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers of Spearman.

Sheriff Cooke's tenure as sheriff was unmatched in the Panhandle and possibly in Texas.

He had been in failing health for several months and had undergone major surgery at a Houston hospital recently. He suffered a massive stroke Tuesday.

He came to Spearman with his family in 1921 and has lived here ever since. He graduated from Spearman High School and attended Texas Tech and in 1928 was married to Miss Jimmy Richards of Spearman.

He began work in the tax office for Sheriff Hix Wilbanks in 1932 and later took on duties as a field deputy before seeking the office of sheriff in 1944, when Wilbanks decided not to run. Throughout his long service Sheriff Cooke had

opposition in only two campaigns.

A graduate of the Texas Police Academy, he had attended numerous FBI schools and other special courses. He had twice served as president of the Five State Peace Officers Association.

He was a Mason, a member of First Baptist Church and for 35 years a member of the Spearman Lions Club.

Surviving are his wife, Jimmy; a son, Don R. Cooke, of Alamo, a daughter, Vida Cooke of Wichita Falls; a sister, Mrs. Jack Dennis of San Antonio and three grandsons.

Selden Hale of Amarillo gave the eulogy at the memorial service.

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Markets

WHEAT	\$4.70
MILO	4.20
CORN	2.45



McFarlin Sworn In As County Sheriff

L. McFarlin was sworn Monday afternoon as the Sheriff of Hansford County. He succeeds J. B. Cooke, who had served this county as sheriff from 1945 to his death Friday in an auto hospital.

McFarlin, 33, becomes youngest sheriff in Hansford County. He was selected by Hansford County Commissioners Monday morning after several applicants.

He was officially sworn at 2:30 p. m. Monday ceremonies in Hansford County Courthouse.

McFarlin was chief of police in Canadian from August 1970 until January of this year when he rejoined the Hansford Sheriff's office as a deputy.

He had been a Hansford County deputy from 1967 until he moved to Canadian. He previously served as a policeman with the Spearman Police Department in 1966 before joining the Sheriff's office.

McFarlin said Monday he planned no changes in the Hansford Sheriff's office at the present time.

He is a member of the Texas Police Chiefs Association and the Texas Sheriffs Association.

McFarlin is a native of Dumas and was graduated from Dumas High School. He has attended Garden City Junior College in Garden City, Kansas and Frank Phillips College in Borger.

He and his wife Kay have two daughters.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in Hansford Hospital include Nettie Phelps, Edythe Curlee, James Norton, Edna Hays, Maria Hermsillo, Ward Spivey, Connie Trevino, Dorothy Davis, Stella Rivera and daughter.

Dismissed were Sammie Bishop, Oscar Donnell, Judy Hergert, Russell Townsend, Craig Cooper, Dolores Beville, Louis Smith, Ral Salsman, R. D. Busby, Wilma Clark, Pete Herrera, Julie Kile, Ty Seigler, Herb Butts, Virginia Rooney, Benny Cauldill and Elsie Byrd.

Mrs. Garland Head and Delinda spent Saturday morning in Amarillo shopping.

George Buzzard Buried Wednesday

Funeral services for George Buzzard, 73, a Spearman resident since 1930, who died Monday at Spearman Hospital, were at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday at First United Methodist Church.

Officiating was the Rev. Daniel, pastor. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Henson Funeral Home, Guymon, Okla.

Mr. Buzzard, born at Drem, Okla., was a farmer and

rancher. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

He married Clara Koehel in 1922 at Carrier, Okla.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Jimmy (Lois) Shieknight of Spearman and Mrs. Pat (Georgia) Holt of Gruber; two sons, Lloyd and Frank, both of Spearman; a sister, Mrs. Myrtle Nushbaum of Enid, Okla.; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Lynx Ready For Stinnett Rattlers

Coronation Begins At 7: 30 p. m.



PURPLE PRIDE

The Spearman Lynx will be ready to shake the Rattlers and Roll at Lynx Stadium Friday night. It is homecoming, and the Lynx school officials couldn't have picked a better time, or a better team, to have homecoming. The Rattlers are a "fantastic" team, and are leading the 1-A race so far,

and they not allowed any team to score on them this season. On the other side of the ledger, the Lynx "came to life" last week and surprisingly out-classed Sunray for the entire game, in their 24-0 win. And, we must congratulate Mike Tucker for his beautiful touchdown run of 20 yards. Mike faded back to pass, couldn't find

a receiver, and his blockers came to his rescue, and he dashed 20 yards for Spearman's 3rd touchdown. It was a beautiful play, and we also want to mention the defensive line on their "goal line stunt" at Sunray. Sunray had a 1st down on the 1 yard line and after three attempts, the Lynx intercepted the ball and prevented the Sunray score. And, the offense was just as brilliant. We received a call at the Reporter on Saturday, asking us if we realized that we "had the best coach in the district." We said, he isn't the best coach in the district, he is the best coach in the State! And we are referring to Coach Sherwood and his entire staff.

Friday night the Spearman Lynx Band will have a big surprise for everyone. They will be wearing their new purple and white uniforms. We did not run a pic-

ture in this paper, because we want you to see the Lynx Band Friday night. They will be the most "beautiful band in the world." Be sure and watch the half-time performance.

There will be many other homecoming events this week, and you are reminded once again to attend the big bonfire Thursday night, just East of the high school tennis courts. The old bonfire location is now the site of the new track. And, speaking of the new track, work is progressing on the new track, and while you are here for homecoming, drop by and take a look-see.

This newspaper extends a special invitation to the Greyhound fans to attend the Spearman-Stinnett game this Friday night. The Hounds will be "open" this Friday, and we sure want them and their fans to come to Spearman for homecoming!

Homecoming Activities Begin With Bonfire

Homecoming activities for Spearman High School will get underway at 7 p. m. Thursday with a snake dance beginning at the community building, going down Endicott and Gibner Drive, and turning left at Blodgett Drive, continuing down Cotter Drive to 11th Street and on to the bonfire site across from the Presbyterian Church. The freshman and junior class and the sophomores and seniors are in competition to see who

can accumulate the biggest stack of wood, etc. for the bonfire.

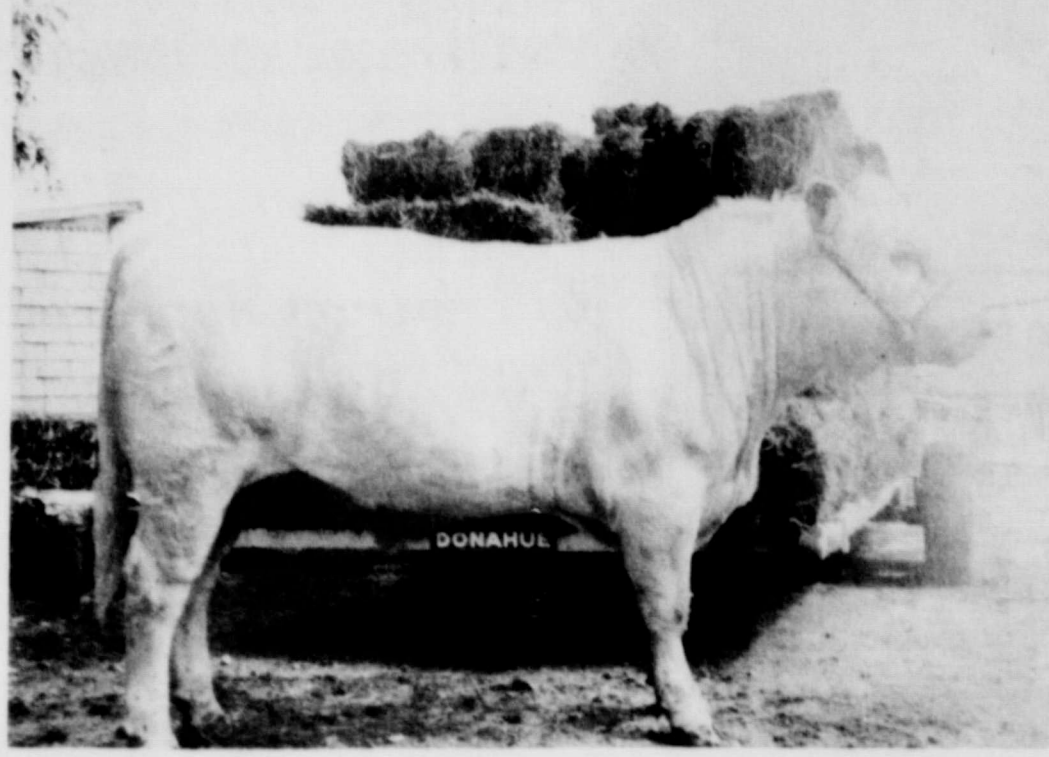
The Homecoming Queen and King will be crowned in ceremonies at Lynx Stadium beginning at 7:30 p. m. Friday evening, Sept. 28. Billy Paul Hazelwood and Kathy Brown have been chosen king and queen. The queen will be escorted by Hazelwood and Randy Fewell, both seniors. The senior attendant, Peggy Floyd will be escorted by Bobby Bulls

and Mike Cook, seniors. Junior attendant Becky Wheeler will be escorted by seniors Jerry Boatwright and Randy Denham and the sophomore attendant Rajan Martin will be escorted by seniors Cody Alexander and Lonnie Lusby. Freshman attendant Pam Rylant will be escorted by senior Adrian Ramera and junior Mike Tucker.

After the football game, between Stinnett and Spearman, a dance will be held in the Community Build-

ing. The dance is being sponsored by cheerleaders, Beckee Daniel, Gina Bulls, Kathy Brown, Teresa Booth, Resa Riggins, and Kim Daniel, and the junior and senior classes of Spearman High School.

The musical group "Friends" will be playing for the dance which is scheduled to begin at 10 p. m. and end at 1 a. m. Cost is \$3.00 per person or \$5.00 per couple.



GRAND CHAMPION AT TRI-STATE FAIR—Robert Dahl of Gruver owner of Palo Acre Farms, showed this junior yearling bull Edgecreek Kinnaber Genic to the grand championship Tuesday during judging at the fair. Dahl, took the grand championship banner Tuesday at the State Fair of Kansas in Hutchinson before going to Amarillo. A heifer, shown from Dahl's herd, Greatview Judy, was second best heifer. Other winners from Palo Acre Farms included Greatview Judy, senior champion, and reserve senior champion GB Kinnaber Miss Thiemann 2nd, exhibited by Brenda Dahl.

Cystic Fibrosis Launches 'Breath Of Life' Campaign

Cystic fibrosis is NOT a vague, obscure or rare disease. It affects one in every 1,500 babies, the result of both parents carrying the gene for C/F. It affects the entire body--particularly the lungs and digestive system. So far, it's incurable.

When a group of parents of C/F children formed the National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation seventeen years ago, they knew very little about cystic fibrosis. Even the name "cystic fibrosis" was new, the disease wasn't recognized medically until the late 1930's. What those parents did know was terrifying--C/F children usually died before they were old enough for elementary school.

Today that beginning has grown into a national organization which raises funds through the BREATH OF LIFE CAMPAIGN in local communities. There are over 300 chapters and branches of the National Foundation to advise and help parents and administer local programs and fund raising.

There are more than 100 C/F Centers where not just C/F patients, but children with asthma, chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis and childhood emphysema can be diagnosed and treated using the most sophisticated methods know. The National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation supports the research of scientists throughout the world, who seek a

cure or control for C/F. Today C/F infants have a good chance at longer and more productive lives--for many are living into their teens and beyond into young adulthood, the result of improved medical care and expanded research. Children with other lung diseases whose symptoms are similar to C/F respond very favorably to much the same treatment. Their suffering is alleviated, and many times cures are effected.

Though there is still no cure for cystic fibrosis, today there is REAL hope, based on the realities of more public understanding, more advanced research and better care. Interest in the study of genetic diseases has grown to significant proportions in the scientific community, and C/F research can only benefit from this heightened interest, as it is considered a model for genetic disease due to its complex nature.

But with this progress, the need of six million children who struggle to breathe grows larger, and with it, the need for more volunteers and more funds.

Every one can help. The job cannot be left solely to dedicated parents of C/F and lung-damaged children. The cause is great enough to engage the attention and support of men and women everywhere who care about children--and lung diseases. Donations may be made to

the First State Bank, Spearman, to the North Texas Chapter National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation or the donation of a baked item for a bake sale at either Cut Rate or Ideal Grocery, Saturday, September 29, 1973. Mrs. L. W. Rosenbaum, is Chairman of the local campaign.

New Deputy State Conservationist

Van K. Haderlie of Reno, Nevada, has been selected as deputy state conservationist for the U. S. Soil Conservation Service in Texas, SCS State Conservationist Edward E. Thomas said today.

Haderlie succeeds M. J. Spears who is now state conservationist for Arkansas. Haderlie has been assistant state conservationist for SCS in Nevada for the past year. He began his SCS career in 1954 as a soil scientist in Billings, Montana, then progressed to district conservationist and area conservationist in Montana.

In 1972, Haderlie received a Master's Degree from the University of Montana. He is a native of Wyoming and has a B. S. from Utah State University.

Haderlie is married and has 8 children. His wife, one daughter, and 5 sons will be moving to Temple with him. One daughter is in Utah attending Brigham Young University while a third daughter is married and lives in southern Nevada.



PURPLE PRIDE... is ready for the homecoming game this Friday night. Tiny-Tim Yarbrough is one of the many Lynx fans who are full of the "PURPLE PRIDE" this year...

Punt, Pass & Kick Competition Set

Local youngsters, will be "dusting off" the footballs and loosening up their throwing arms soon for the 1973 Punt, Pass and Kick competition.

This year the local level of PP&K will be sponsored by Joe Trayler Ford in conjunction with participating Ford Dealers in the area.

Nationally PP&K, now in its 13th year, is co-sponsored by the National Football League and the Ford Dealers of America. Since it was started in 1961, the program has attracted more than 9,350,000 youngsters--and participation this year is expected to top the 1,200,000 mark.

Participants in the Punt, Pass and Kick program compete only against others their own age. Any youngster 8 through 13 years of age, accompanied by a parent or guardian, may register to compete in PP&K at any participating Ford Dealer. There is no entrance fee and no body contact during competition. No special equipment is needed and participation does not impair a youngster's amateur standing.

Scoring is based on accuracy and range with one point added for every foot of punting, passing, and kicking distance, and a point subtracted for every foot off a center line.

Twelve national finalists will compete for the National championships in their age group during the half-time of the Super Bowl Game in Houston, Texas, January 13, 1974. Winners

will have their names permanently enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio. Their trophies will be presented by Football Commissioner Pete Rozelle.

Registration for the 1973 Punt, Pass and Kick competition, sponsored locally by the Joe Trayler Ford Dealer, continue to roll in. The contest is open to any youngster eight through 13 years of age.

Any youngster meeting the age requirements, who can punt, pass or kick a football--or who'd like to try--will want to compete. Participants complete only against others their own age, and their is no body contact.

No special equipment is needed and participation does not impair a youngster's amateur standing. Each youngster will compete in three categories--punting, passing and kicking. Judges will score one point for each foot the ball travels on the fly, minus one point for each foot the ball lands to the right or left of the center tape.

Youngsters, accompanied by a parent or guardian, may register for PP&K at Joe Trayler Ford in Spearman. There is no entrance fee.

The PP&K competition will be held September 29 at 9:00 A. M. at the Lynx Football field.

Trophies will be awarded in each age group. Coach Greg Sherwood is conducting the contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Love visited Sunday afternoon in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hall and daughters, Sherri and April at Berger.



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COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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- NUTTER BUTTER Nabisco Cookies... 12 1/2-OZ. PKG. **53¢**
- HYDROX VANILLA Sunshine Cookies... 26-OZ. PKG. **48¢**
- PINE SOL Liquid Cleaner... 15-OZ. BTL. **69¢**
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- PILLSBURY Crescent Rolls... 3 8-OZ. CANS **\$1.00**
- IDEAL Buttermilk... HALF GALLON **51¢**
- FAIRMONT Whipping Cream... 1 1/2-PINT CTN. **41¢**

Rising Level Of Education Locally

Many people in Hansford County would be unable to qualify for the following because they lack the ability to read and write.

The vast majority of local people would be quite capable of doing work of this kind because they have had adequate training. They live in an area where the level of education has been on the rise in recent years.

The median amount of schooling being attained locally, according to the latest Department of Commerce statistics, is 12.1 years, as compared with the 1960 median of 11.8 years.

There still remain, however, a sizeable number of local residents who have reached adult age without having acquired sufficient proficiency in reading, writing and arithmetic to hold down the advertised job.

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S REPORT by Bill Hobby

AUSTIN--Cities and counties operate in partnership with the state, deriving their powers from the state Constitution and statutes.

Three of the nine constitutional amendments you will be asked to vote on this November 6 deal with the powers accorded these local units of government.

In its effort to provide for the conservation and development of our natural resources, the state is empowered to create conservation and reclamation districts. With the rapid growth of our cities, the number of these districts designed to deal with urban problems has grown quickly.

Amendment 4 would require that a copy of a bill to create a conservation and reclamation district be submitted to each city and county affected. Then, the cities and counties would have the chance to file their approval or objections with the governor, lieutenant governor and speaker of the House of Representatives.

Since the Texas Gulf Coast is often the target of hurricanes and tropical storms, residents usually have a difficult time insuring their

property unless their area is adequately protected by sea walls or breakwaters.

Since 1876, our Constitution has permitted cities and counties to levy taxes to construct these tidal barriers. Originally, the Constitution required a majority of two-thirds of the taxpayers residing in an area to approve such a taxing authority. In 1932, this was changed to require two-thirds approval of those actually voting on the issue.

Amendment 5 would further change this requirement to a simple majority of the resident taxpayers voting in such an election.

In the period after the Civil War many Texas cities and towns spent large amounts of money and went heavily in debt. Tax rates also increased sharply.

The 1876 Constitution restricted the permissible rates and purposes of local as well as state taxes. Amendment 8 would require all incorporated cities, towns, and villages to levy such ad valorem taxes as are necessary to pay the principal and interest on general obligations which may be issued,

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The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN--This morning's mail to the Attorney General's Office included a letter from a woman in one of our small Texas towns, who complained that her 81-year-old mother-in-law had been misled by an insurance company promotion which was designed to look like a Medi-care mailout.

The printed material did state that the health insurance for which Social Security recipients can qualify (Medicare) does not cover all costs of all care and treatment procedures, and seemed to imply that the insurance company had a working agreement to pick up where Medicare leaves off.

The U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, which administers the Medicare program for the federal government does not have a working arrangement with any private insurance company. And both federal and state laws prohibit the deceptive trade practice of misrepresenting that there is any governmental endorsement of a private business venture.

The Consumer Protection Division of the Attorney General's Office took note of the complaint, then referred it to the State Board of Insurance for investigation or whatever action that agency might deem necessary.

The State Insurance Commissioner has the legal authority to call a hearing on any complaint of an insurance company activity if he determines that it may be a violation of the board's regulations of advertising practices.

In a little more than a year, these hearings on deceptive advertising practices have resulted in some 40 cease-and-desist orders having been issued by the commissioner.

Misleaders about Medicare have accounted for some of the hearings, since the state requires that insurance companies offering a form of coverage designed to supplement Medicare make it "clear and conspicuous" that that is all their insurance does. They must disclaim any affiliation with the federal government and Social Security.

To prevent other possible frauds upon the consumers, the advertising of any insurance plan must state the "negatives" in a given policy, as well as the benefits offered. For instance, if a policy precludes benefits for a preexisting illness for two years from the date of the issuance of the policy, the advertising should show

that. If the policy includes in-hospital benefits, such as "\$25 per day for each day in the hospital," but those daily benefits are not payable until after the first three days, the potential policy buyer should be put on notice.

Most insurance companies which operate in Texas do follow the state law and Board of Insurance guidelines meticulously.

But if any consumer does have a complaint about a deceptive insurance advertising practice, he or she should register that complaint with the State Board of Insurance or with the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division of office in Austin, Dallas, San Antonio, Lubbock, Houston, or El Paso.

In addition to the administrative hearings procedure for halting any fraudulent practice, the individual consumer also has an avenue for legal action under the 1973 Deceptive Practices-Consumer Protection Act.

Under this new law, a consumer may file suit himself, for triple damages and attorney's fees, if he and his attorney believe they have a cause for legal action.

Another section of the 1973 act gives consumers the right to file a class action suit, under which they possible could collect single damages and attorney's fees.

But a suit may not be brought for purposes of harassment. If the trial judge determines that that was the reason for suit, he can order the consumer plaintiff to pay court costs and attorney's fees to the defendant company.

The files show that most deceptive advertising practices, however, are brought to a halt as soon as we inform the subject of a consumer complaint that the practice is considered misleading.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Yarbrough and children, Jennifer and Timmy Sunday was his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Yarbrough and children, Richard, Susie, Tina, Debbie, and Ray and their granddaughter, Julie Raye Childress, all from Canadian and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martinez and sons, Joey, Kenneth Billy, and Frank, all from Stinnett.

"Voltaire" was not the famous French philosopher's real name. He was really Francois Marie Arouet. Voltaire being an anagram of Arouet, I. J. or Arouet the younger.

Support The Aggies..... Come To The PSC \$10,000 HOMECOMING CELEBRATION

Oct 11, 12, 13, Goodwell, Okla.
EVENTS

- THURSDAY, OCT. 11
1:00 & 2:30 - Oklahoma City Symphony (Children's Concerts)
8:00 p.m. - Oklahoma City Symphony Concert
- FRIDAY, OCT. 12
7:00 p.m. - "O" Club Queen Crowning & Bonfire
- SATURDAY, OCT. 13
9:00 - 12:00 a.m. - Alumni Registration, Red Lounge
9:00 - 12:00 a.m. - Campus Open House
9:00 - 12:00 a.m. - Organizational Activities
1:30 p.m. - Homecoming Parade
3:00 p.m. - Aggie Princess Pageant, Hughes - Strong Aud.
5:00 - 7:00 p.m. - Barbecue, tent east of Student Union
7:00 p.m. - Pre-game activities
7:30 p.m. - PSC Aggies vs. Northwestern
9:30 p.m. - Two Dances, Student Union
10:30 p.m. - Special entertainment

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare, in a recent statement, declared that there are 19 million adult Americans who are totally or functionally illiterate and another 7 million elementary and secondary students who have severe reading problems.

A national effort is being made, under a Right to Read program aided by Federal funds, toward correcting the situation.

In Hansford County, an estimated 446 men and women, equal to 13.1 percent of the adult population, fall into the functionally illiterate category.

The proportion is smaller than in some areas of the country but larger than in others. In the United States the average is 15.5 percent and, in the State of Texas, 22.0 percent.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zschiesche over the weekend were her sister, Mrs. Dennis Krueger and three daughters from Hamilton, Texas.

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- RIB STEAK
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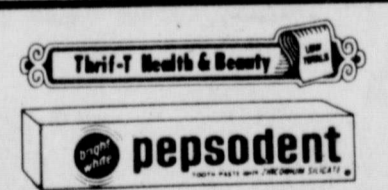
FARM-FRESH FRYER PARTS

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- PICK THE CHICK
- PLUMP TENDER FRYER PARTS AT A THRIF-T PRICE! **79¢** LB.
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 - PLUMP, JUICY Fryer Thighs.....LB. 79¢
 - TENDER, MEATY Fryer Legs.....LB. 79¢

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THRIF-T Frozen Foods

REG. \$1.25 LOTION SHAMPOO
Head & Shoulders 7-OZ. BTL. **\$1.18**

Birds Eye Awake

REG. \$1.89
Home Permanent **99¢**

ORANGE BREAKFAST DRINK
3 12-OZ. CANS **\$1**

REG. \$1.19 DENTURE CLEANER
Efferdent Tablets.....PKG. OF 24 **99¢**

Mrs. Smith's Pies 44-OZ. PKG. **99¢**

REG. 79¢ DENTURE ADHESIVE
Effergrip Cream.....1 1/2-OZ. TUBE **59¢**

MEAT IN TOASTER
Canelot Waffles 5-OZ. PKGS. **25¢**

FOR WOOD PANELING AND CABINETS
Scott's Liquid Gold 16-OZ. CAN **\$1.28**

CRUMB CAKE 16-OZ. PKG. **89¢**

FOR COUNTER TOPS
Scott's Cleaner 16-OZ. PKG. **\$1.49**

GREEN GIANT WHOLE KERNEL
Golden Corn 16-OZ. PKG. **39¢**

COUNTRY STYLE
Pork Spareribs LEAN & MEATY **\$1.09**

- WINCHESTER Super Dogs.....12-OZ. PKG. **65¢**
- BLUE MORROW COOKED, BREADED Beef Patties.....LB. **99¢**
- WINCHESTER IMITATION Chunk Bologna.....LB. **55¢**
- PORTION PACK Gorton's Perch.....22-OZ. PKG. **99¢**
- CAMELOT BAKED BEANS OR Potato Salad.....24-OZ. CTN. **69¢**

WASHINGTON EXTRA-FANCY Red Delicious APPLES 4-LBS. \$1.00

U. S. NO. 1 COLORADO Russet Potatoes.....10 LB. BAG **89¢**

FLORIDA LARGE Avocados.....3 FOR **\$1.00**

FANCY BARTLETT PEARS 4 LBS. **\$1.00** | CALIFORNIA VALENCIA ORANGES 4 LBS. **\$1.00** | CALIF. VINE-RIPENED CANTALOUPE 3 FOR **\$1.00**

Burgers Honored With Golden Anniversary Party



The children of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Burger honored their parents with a golden wedding anniversary celebration Sunday, September 16, with a reception held at the family home three and a half miles southeast of Waka.

Their anniversary date is September 19 and they were married on that date in 1923 at the home of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Stump. His parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Burger.

All four of the children were present. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. David Burger of Perryton, Mr. and Mrs. Arlyn Heusinkveld of Wichita, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Arnold of Dayton, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Gurley of Perryton.

Grandchildren present included Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burger and Jennifer of Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wicker, Jerry, Julie and Todd of Berger; Mr. and Mrs. Monte Black, Christie and Will of Spearman; Jerry Burger, Phillips University at Enid, Oklahoma; Mr. and

Mrs. Davy Lee Gurley and Danny Gurley, Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heusinkveld of Wichita, Kansas; Louise Heusinkveld of Norman, Oklahoma and Skipper and Sara Arnold of Dayton, Ohio.

The table was set with a gold satin cloth overlaid with white lace-edged net. The centerpiece was an electric fountain surrounded with assorted gold chrysanthemums and greenery.

The five-tiered cake was decorated with gold and white roses and was served with gold punch. Favors were gold rings tied with gold and white ribbon.

Granddaughters served at the refreshment table, the guest book and the gift table. Sons and daughters greeted the guests.

There were approximately 200 guests calling during the afternoon, coming from six states, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Iowa and Ohio.

Other than relatives there was one guest who was present at the wedding fifty years ago. This was Mrs. Esther Hammitt of Dalhart.

Watkins-Shoemaker United In Amarillo Ceremony

Patricia Gail Watkins and Benjamin David Shoemaker were united in marriage at 7:30 p.m., September 15, 1973 in the San Jacinto Baptist Church of Amarillo. Rev. B. T. Shoemaker, father of the groom, and Rev. B. L. Davis, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins of Amarillo and Rev. and Mrs. B. T. Shoemaker of Spearman.

The altar was decorated with candelabras entwined with greenery and white cushioned mums and the kneeling bench was accented with greenery and mums, tied with blue ribbons.

Traditional wedding music was played by organist

Miss Claudia Corley, Ed Schubert, music and youth director of San Jacinto Baptist Church, sang "Lord's Prayer" and "Walk With Me".

Maid of honor was Anita Watkins, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Judy Grantham and Karen Solomon of Amarillo. Melanie Watkins, sister of the bride, was candlelighter.

Best man was Robert Moore of Lubbock and groomsmen were Bob Shoemaker of Dallas, brother of the groom, and Sport Weddell of Amarillo.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal length dress with chapel train of white myramist over white satin, trimmed with imported lace. Her gown was made by her mother. Her bridal bouquet was a cascade of white carnations and stephanotis atop a white Bible.

The attendants wore floor length dresses of royal blue myramist over blue satin and were trimmed in blue and white lace. They carried nosegays of white carnations and blue cornflowers.

The bride's mother wore a formal length pink gown, and the groom's mother wore a formal length light blue gown. Both mothers wore corsages of light pink cymbidium orchids.

The reception was held in fellowship hall of the church. The serving table was laid with a white cut lace cloth over royal blue. The wedding cake was white decorated with blue bells and roses. Punch was served from a punch bowl belonging to the bride's grandmother. Silver candelabras with royal blue candles and the bride's and bridesmaid's bouquets were used as the centerpiece.

Miss Claudia Corley served the cake and Miss Jayne Newton served the punch. Misses, Ellen Davis, Jodie Newton, Virginia Gunn and Jessie Solomon also assisted.

For a wedding trip to Cochise, Colorado the bride wore a white 2 piece pant suit with royal blue pullover.

The couple is at home at 1901 Howard #4 in Amarillo.

The bride is a graduate of Amarillo College, majoring in Secretarial Administration. She is now employed as legal secretary for the firm of Sanders, Miller and Baker.

The groom is a graduate of Spearman High School and attended Amarillo College and is presently a service technician for Monroe Calculators of Amarillo.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Garnett and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rhodes, all of Spearman.

Club Members Enjoy Luncheon

The Jonquil Flower Club met Friday, September 21 in the home of Mrs. John Trindle for their end of the year luncheon.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Trindle and Mrs. Garland Head.

Mrs. Alva Garner, President, called the meeting to order.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A short business meeting

was held and fines were paid.

The group voted to continue the Jonquil Flower Club another year.

The Jonquil Flower Club will hold with the Halloween Carnival again this year.

Mrs. Trindle won the arrangement vase and Mrs. Head won the specimen vase.

Mrs. Trindle displayed a centerpiece of garden flowers and Mrs. Head displayed an egg plant specimen.

New officers to take office in March are President - Mrs. C. E. Ball, Vice President - Mrs. John Trindle, Secretary - Reporter - Mrs. Pete Fisher, and Historian, Mrs. M. D. McLaughlin.

Members present were Mesdames: Everett Tracy, M. D. McLaughlin, Carl Archer, Ed Garner, Lavanda Watson, C. E. Ball, Pete Fisher, Herb Butt, Garland Head, John Trindle and guest, Mr. John Trindle.

Donna Volden Is Shower Honoree

Miss Donna Volden, bride-elect of Ed Goodrich was honored with a bridal shower in the Sacred Heart Parish Hall, September 22.

Corsages of white carnations with blue ribbon were presented to Donna Volden, shower honoree, Mrs. Wardell Volden, mother of the bride-to-be, and Mrs. Howard Goodrich, mother of the prospective groom.

Miss Barbara Farr presided at the guest book and Misses Tammy and Julie Farr assisted Miss Volden in opening her gifts.

The serving table was covered with a Madeira lace cloth. A deep blue and white flower arrangement served as the centerpiece and was flanked on each side by two candles in silver candle holders with blue flowers at the base, carrying out the bride-elect's chosen colors. Pine-apple punch and white frosted cake, decorated with tiny blue flowers, was served by Misses Debbie Volden, Ann Bort, and Brenda McCord.

Approximately forty guests were in attendance or sent gifts to the shower which was hosted by Mesdames: Andrew Bort, Bob Farr, Fran Maupin, Kenneth McKay, Jim Miller, Joe T. Venneman, Agnes Armstrong, Don Schmeier, Grace Bennett, Ynesse Williams, Lorene Cline, Bertie Sturman, Ida Lowry, Gus Renner, Elken Red, Rose Bratton.

Mrs. Eugene Yarbrough and children, Jennifer and Timmy and her mother, Mrs. Aaron Love visited in the home of Eugene's parents with his mother, Mrs. Aubrey Yarbrough at Perryton Friday afternoon.

Rosemary Burkhart Joins Musical Sorority

Rosemary Burkhart of Spearman a sophomore voice major at West Texas State University at Canyon has become a member of Mu Phi Epsilon, an international and professional music sorority for women students. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Burkhart of Spearman.

Election to the sorority is based upon scholarship, musicality, character and personality. Those eligible for membership are music majors and must be candidates for a degree and have attained second semester standing. Graduate students are also eligible.

Some of the projects for the 1973-74 year are music therapy projects in the area, presentation of musicals and sponsoring outstanding musical events throughout the year, assisting the Department of Music in University programs and affiliating with the Amarillo Alumnae Chapter.

Youngblood's Return From Short Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Youngblood and Trichelle returned Sunday from a

short vacation trip. They visited in Pecos, Texas with her mother, Mrs. Alvin Lloyd and his mother, Mrs. W. L. Youngblood, in Alpine, Texas with his aunts and uncles, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fallis and Mrs. Lora Dragoo both from Alpine, and Mr. and Mrs. John Miles from Cresson, Texas and his cousin, Mrs. Earleen Welch from Lisle, Ill., and in Midland with her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. David Lloyd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lloyd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lloyd and family, all of Midland and Mr. Joel Lloyd from Odessa, Texas.

B&T Women Plan Chili Supper

The Baker & Taylor Women's Association is sponsoring a chili supper Friday, September 28 before the homecoming football game between Stinnett and Spearman here. The supper will be held at the Spearman Junior High Cafeteria.

Chili, beans, cheese sticks and homemade desserts will be served. Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for children. Tickets may be purchased from any Baker &

Taylor wife or at the supper that evening. Proceeds from this supper will go toward the purchase of toys for the deprived children of Spearman.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wednesday through Monday were their daughter, L. and Mrs. Tommy Robinson from Del Rio, Texas and visiting Friday through Sunday was her sister, Mrs. Betty Hale from Melena, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pearson and Mrs. Richard Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. L. Womble spent last weekend in Lubbock where the Wombles visited with their son, Edgar and their daughter, Suelien, who are attending college there.

Rhoda Overton returned Monday from a visit with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Overton and children at Fort Arthur, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Thompson and children at Vanderpool, Texas. Her trip was quite enjoyable.

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Immunization Clinic Set For Monday

An immunization clinic will be held the first Monday of each month in the nurse's office at Spearman Elementary School from 2 to 4 p.m. This clinic is held in conjunction with the Texas State Health Department. Any child who needs vaccine can receive it at this time at no cost.

Junior and high school students must have permission slips signed by parent or guardian.

Elementary and pre-school children are to be brought to the clinic by parents.

Notices are being sent to those students who are in need of immunization.

The first clinic will be held Monday, Oct. 1.

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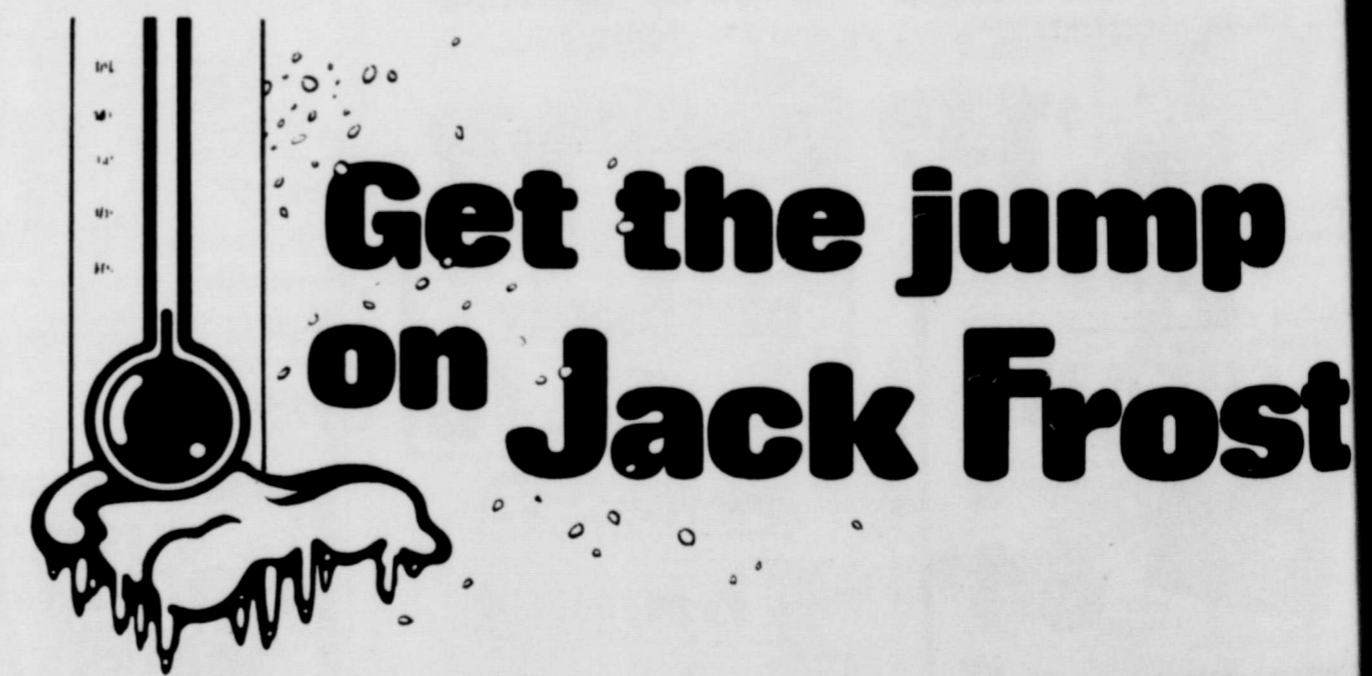
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FARM & RANCH NEWS

By Joe Van Zandt

County Agricultural Agent

Anyone having a set of... Farmers are especially urged to check their wheat every few days because the fall armyworm has a reputation for wiping out an entire field in a few days' time.

is \$10.00 per scale. Our office number is 659-2136. Wheat producers should be making regular inspections of wheat fields this fall. Our Area Entomologist, Bill Clymer, has issued a notice for wheat producers to be alert for fall armyworms and possibly greenbugs this fall.

If the infestation is rather uniform throughout the field, it will be necessary to spray the entire crop. However, if the larvae are migrating from grass and weeds in fence rows or from adjacent crops, a chemical barrier can be applied to reduce migration into unfested fields.

The full grown caterpillar is from 1 to 1 1/2 inches long and varies in color from light brown or green to black. There are several lines extending down the back and on the sides of this insect. The larvae have a prominent white inverted "Y" shaped suture on the front of the head.

In checking a few wheat fields last week some greenbugs were found in fairly large numbers. If they build up to cause economic damage remains to be seen. Nevertheless a close watch should be kept on wheat fields for signs of insect damage.

A dirty air cleaner can cut engine performance drastically.

Since a tractor or combine engine takes in about 9,000 gallons of air for every gallon of fuel it burns, it's important that the air cleaner be serviced regularly.

In dusty conditions, dirt can ruin an engine in less than a day's work, if the air is not filtered.

Proper care of the air cleaner results in better economy and insures longer engine life. An efficient air cleaner removes dust particles that grind away engine parts such as cylinders, rings and bearings. A clogged air cleaner will choke the engine, causing loss of power and excessive gas use.

After about every 10 hours of engine operation, the oil bath air cleaner cup should be removed and supplied with new oil. Scrape the dirt from the bottom of the cup and wash in kerosene or solvent before refilling.

Dry paper filters on newer tractors function much like air filters on automobiles. These filters can be blown out a couple of times with an air hose, but be careful not to puncture them.

Clean and replace often when working in dirty conditions. Farmers should follow the instructions in the operator's manual for detailed procedures on servicing air cleaners.

Bowling

SCATTER PINS LEAGUE

Table with columns: Week of Sept. 17, 73, STANDINGS, W, L, Equity, Baker & Taylor, Redi Mix, Anthony Elec., Bill's Radiator, Hansford Feedyard, Kate's Fina, Excel Chevrolet, HIGH TEAM SERIES, Equity, Bill's Radiator Ser., Baker & Taylor, HIGH TEAM GAME, Equity, Baker & Taylor, HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES, Joyce Frost, Kate Farris, Penny Thomas, HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME, Penny Thomas, Joyce Frost, Kate Farris.

TUESDAY NIGHT MIXED

Table with columns: Week of Sept. 11, 73, STANDINGS, W, L, Falkner & Witt, Sp. Auto Supply, Behne & Reger, England & Sheets, Cates Men & Boys, Gordon Drug, Bowl Mor Lanes, Owens Sales, HIGH TEAM SERIES, Behne & Reger, Sp. Auto Supply, England & Sheets, HIGH TEAM GAME, Gordon's Drug, Behne & Reger, Sp. Auto Supply, HIGH MENS SERIES, Tommy Reger, Dan Faries, Pete Carrell, HIGH MENS GAME, Jerry Lovinggood, Tommy Reger, Dan Faries, HIGH WOMENS SERIES, June Lee, Barb Reger, Anita Falkner, HIGH WOMENS GAME, June Lee, June Lee, Barb Reger.

TUESDAY NIGHT MIXED

Table with columns: Week of Sept. 18, 73, STANDINGS, W, L, Falkner & Witt, Gordon's Drug, Gifford-Hill, Cates Men & Boys, Sp. Auto Supply, Behne & Reger, Bowl Mor Lanes, Owens Sales, HIGH TEAM SERIES, Gifford-Hill, Falkner & Witt, Gordon's Drug, Falkner & Witt, HIGH MENS SERIES, Dan Faries, Tommy Reger, Leo Falkner, HIGH MENS GAME, Leo Falkner, Don England, Ralph Lee, HIGH WOMENS SERIES, June Lee, Anita Falkner, Patsy Gates, HIGH WOMENS SERIES, June Lee, June Lee, Teresa England.

WEDS. MIXED DOUBLES

Table with columns: Standings, W, L, Lucky Corner, #6, Bunkhouse, wardrobe.

Table with columns: Sp. Cable TV, Cates Men & Boys, Sp. Jewelry, Sp. Super Ser., HIGH TEAM SERIES, Bunkhouse, Wardrobe Cleaners, #6, HIGH MENS SERIES, Millard Tucker, Tommy Reger, Verlin Behne, HIGH WOMENS SERIES, Sheryl Meek, Gwen Smith, Janie Hand, HIGH TEAM GAME, Wardrobe Cleaners, The Bunkhouse, #6, HIGH MENS GAME, Tommy Reger, Millard Tucker, Millard Tucker, HIGH WOMENS GAME, Sheryl Meek, Gwen Smith, Sheryl Meek.

From The Faith Lutheran Church

A family night centered on signing will be held by Faith this Sunday evening, September 30, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Music of all types will be sung so that there will be something for each one that comes. Sandwiches, chips, cookies & drink will be served for the refreshments. Bring the whole family & enjoy the evening. Tuesday, October 2 Pastor will be in Spearman. Confirmation Classes meet as usual: 7th grade from 5 - 6:30 with the 8th Grade from 7-8:30 in the Church. How wondrous is the treasure which has come to us through the ages in the Word of God. It is in trust given to us that we may pass it on to those who come after. Be faithful in your Christian Life to the God who has given you life; & seek to help others to also have the peace & joy which can only come through our faith in Christ. We invite you to worship with us at Faith Lutheran. Morning Worship is at 9:30 with Sunday School following at 10:30. Junior Choir practices from 11:15 to 11:45 to complete our Sunday morning schedule.

CITY OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 1973-1974 GENERAL FUND

Table with columns: ESTIMATED REVENUE, ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, Administration, Police Department, Fire Department, Health & Sanitation, Street Department, Community Building, Swimming Pool, Ambulance Service, Civil Defense, Parks & Recreation, Bonds & Interest, Warrants, Equipment Reserve, Improvement Reserve, General Contingencies.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 10th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1973.

/s/ Dr. D. E. Hackley Mayor

TEST: Janie Hand City Secretary

PARK FUND CITY OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 1973-1974

Table with columns: ESTIMATED REVENUE, ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 10th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1973, /s/ Dr. D. E. Hackley Mayor, TEST: Janie Hand City Secretary

CITY OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 1973-1974 SYSTEMS FUND

Table with columns: ESTIMATED REVENUE, ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES, Systems Office, Systems Warehouse, Bonds & Interest, Equipment Reserve, Contingencies, PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 10th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1973, /s/ Dr. D. E. Hackley Mayor, TEST: Janie Hand City Secretary

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Brownie Troop #76 met Friday, September 14 in the Scout House for their first meeting of the year.

They took a penny hike and had refreshments of cookies and kool-aid.

Members present were Cindy Burton, Debbie Burton, Penny Cummings, Jed Darnell, Jan Davis, Jean Davis, Lori Diffey, Sonya Ooley, Lana Paul, Janet Reed, Yvonda Scroggs and Becky Watts, and leaders, Mrs. Jim Davis and Mrs. Bill Watts.

Brownie Troop #76 met September 21 in the Scout House. Refreshments of cookies and kool-aid were served. The girls made tapa place mats and drew designs on them.

Clean up job slips were drawn by each girl for the meeting.

Those present were Cindy Burton, Debbie Burton, Penny Cummings, Jan Davis, Jean Davis, Lori Diffey, Sonya Ooley, Lana Paul, Janet Reed, Yvonda Scroggs, Becky Watts, and leaders Mrs. Jim Davis and Mrs. Bill Watts.

Junior Troop #155 met Monday, September 24 in the Scout House for their first meeting of the year.

The girls discussed plans for the fall.

Girls present were Brenda Boyd, Melinda Cook, Lisa Douglas, Bethene English, Kelly Lusk, Melissa Robertson, Kelly Sanders, Toni Shields and leader, Mrs. R. L. McClellan.

Ferrell's Enjoy Colorado Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ferrell just returned from a trip to Colorado Springs, Colorado where they visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and son, Garland Ray.

While there they all visited the Mollie Kathleen Mine and went down 1000 ft. in a real gold mine. They visited the 7th and 10th levels and saw a beautiful display of fluorescent minerals on the 7th level. Over 200,000 people have enjoyed the trip through the mine since it was re-opened a few years ago. There has never been an accident in this mine.

The guide relates the legend and lore of Cripple Creek, the worlds greatest gold camp. They also visited Royal Gorge, Colorado and drove and walked across the worlds highest suspension bridge, height 1055 feet above the Arkansas River.

They had a wonderful time while visiting and sight seeing but think it is very nice to be home again.

On October 1, 1973, the following rates will become effective:

Table with columns: GAS--Minimum (first 3000 cu.ft.), Each 1000 cu.ft. thereafter, WATER--Minimum (first 3000 gals.), 4000-to-10,000 gals., Over 10,000 gals., TRASH

Table with columns: Residential--Single Family \$2.00/month, Apt. or mobile home park where owner pays bill \$5.50/month for one container plus \$2.00/month for each additional container used, Apt. or mobile home where occupant pays bill \$2.00/month, Business-Picked up twice/week, Each business using container \$5.50/month for one container plus \$2.00/month for each additional container used, Business-Picked up three times/week, Each business using container \$7.50/month for one container plus \$2.00/month for each additional container used, Business-Picked up five or six times/week, Each Business using container \$10.50/month for one container plus \$2.00/month for each additional container used

All Business places picked up outside the City limits of Spearman \$8.00/month

All residents in Spearman that have access to the trash containers will be billed at the above rates. This means that if you have not been being billed in the past, as of October 1, 1973, the trash charge will be on the bill.

The City of Spearman

HOME COMING



MAJORETTES

Left to right: Leann Uptergrove and Janyth Lackey.



TWIRLERS

Rhonda Nelson
Kathy Garner Debbie Sheppard
Donna Boatwright





SPEARMAN CHEERLEADERS

Junior Beckee Danials
Junior Gina Bulls
Senior Kathy Brown - Soph. Teresa Booth - Senior Resa Riggins
Freshman Kim Danials

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	<p><i>Hansford Feedyard</i></p>	<p>J. L. BROCK INSURANCE AGENCY</p>	<p><i>Joes Exxon & CYCLE SHOP</i></p>
<p><i>White House Lumber Co. OF SPEARMAN</i></p>	<p>Reed's Family Shoes</p>	<p>Baker Hotel Mr. & Mrs. Sam Graves</p>	<p>EQUITY ELEVATORS</p>



**Lynx
'73**

SPEARMAN LYNX

No.	Name	Pos.	Wt.
10	Timmy Harper	B	144
11	Mike Tucker	B	152
20	Donnie Davis	B	148
21	Phillip Archer	B	145
22	Mark Fox	B	151
30	Adrian Barrera	B	155
31	Mike Cook	B	156
32	Cary Collier	B	141
33	Ricky Morris	B	132
40	Roger Jones	B	158
41	Randy Denham	B	143
42	Butch Sheaffer	B	132
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Waka P-TA Has First Meet

"We Have A Commitment" is the theme for the first meeting of the year for the Waka P. T. A., Monday 7:30 P. M., September 24. Bro. Bob Sifrit opened the invocation followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, group singing led by Mrs. Margaret Thompson. The T. A. song was sung. Mrs. Alvin Buschman, president explained the Commitments we'll have in our programs for the year--"Our children's Health"--"Teaching Children Sense of Responsibility"--"Sharing Good News"--"Cultural Arts"--"Fun Living"--"Our Children's Safety"--"Continuing Education"--"Develop Music Appreciation".

The budget was given by Mrs. Bob Parker, treasurer. Membership tags stating "We Have A Commitment" were pinned on 48 members under the direction of Mrs. Helen Jones and Mrs. M. A. Lightfoot.

Yearbooks were passed out by Chairman, Mrs. Herman Wiebe. Supt. Jones introduced our new faculty member Miss Sharon Sween, who teaches kindergarten and music.

President Buschman gave highlights on plans for the forthcoming District 19 workshop to be held in Waka, October 2. She urged the attendance of all members.

Following the business session a good time was had by all when ice cream and cookies were served by the Social Committee--Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wiebe; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stump; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burger; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Buschman.

County Women Attend THDA Annual Meet

Three local homemakers attended three days of workshops and special events Tuesday through Thursday (Sept. 18-20) in Waco during the Texas Home Demonstration Association's 47th annual state meeting. Delegates from Hansford County included Mrs. Fontella Tension of Spearman, Altha Groves of Spearman, and Mrs. Lewis Henderson of Gruver.

They were among more than 700 members of Texas Home Demonstration Clubs throughout the state.

Local delegates attended workshops on citizenship, family life, 4-H, health, cultural arts, recreation, safety and publicity, as well as special workshops dealing with their primary areas of responsibility in Home Demonstration Club activities. Addressing the association as keynote speakers were U. S. Rep. Omar Burleson (D-Tex) of Anson, the Rev. Peter McLeod of the First Baptist Church in Waco, and Mrs. Florence W. Low, assistant director for home economics with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Burleson spoke on "National Family Living" and McLeod discussed "Home--A Beacon Light" in a speech titled after the convention theme. Mrs. Low outlined "Present Trends in Family". Home demonstration clubs, numbering 1,397 in Texas with more than 20,000 members, are sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A. & M. University System and the U. S. Department of Agriculture cooperating. Clubs are part of the Extension educational effort to bring the latest information on homemaking to all families in Texas.

Hair Care Tips Is Program Theme

The Town and Country Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, September 18 in the home of Mrs. Bill Watson.

President, Mrs. Jerry Hayes presided. Mrs. Leo Faulkner gave the program "Hair Care Tips" which included tips on shampoos, hair conditioners, and hair sprays and how to use a blow dryer and curling iron.

The devotional was the Lord's Prayer recited in unison by all club members.

President, Mrs. Hayes, passed out telephone relays to remind members of meetings and activities.

Roll call was answered to "The Most Valuable Help I Can Give My Club". Members volunteered to help with the Bake Sale in which proceeds will go to the Cystic Fibrosis Fund.

Members voted to have all future meetings in the Home Demonstration Club Room due to an increase in membership.

Hostesses for meetings will serve in alphabetical order.

Mrs. David Collins received the surprise package

and Mrs. Jerry Holton received the white elephant. Following adjournment, Hostess, Mrs. Bill Watson served homemade cinnamon rolls and coffee to Mesdames: Joe Close, David Collins, Leo Faulkner, Jerry Hayes, Larry Hays, Jerry Holton, Monte Lusby, Vernon Pipkin, Charles Shieldknight, Jerry Younger and guest, Mrs. Mike Davis. Next meeting will be October 2 in the Home Demonstration Club Room.



Airman McAdams Sent To Chanute AFB For Training

Airman Donald G. McAdams, son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. McAdams of 1025 S. Townsend, Spearman, Texas, has been assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., after completing Air Force basic training.

During his six weeks at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Texas, he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

The airman has been assigned to the Technical Training Center at Chanute for specialized training in aircraft maintenance.

Airman McAdams is a 1973 graduate of Spearman High School.

Symphony Concert October 11 at PSC

Among the more exciting activities of the Oklahoma City Symphony Orchestra are the concerts for young people from three years through high school ages.

The Oklahoma City Symphony will present a young People's Concert in Goodwell at Panhandle State College on October 11, 1973 at 1:00 and 2:30 p.m. in Hughes-Strong Auditorium.

Last year several thousand youngsters heard the Symphony in various concerts for youth held in Oklahoma City and in cities and towns throughout the state and region. Oklahoma City's itinerary alone included Civic Center Music Hall Young People's Concerts, and secondary school concerts. The Orchestra also gave performances in surrounding school areas.

The Young People's Concerts are co-sponsored by the PSC Student Senate, First National Bank of Texas, First State Bank, Boise City, First State Bank, Elkhart, City National Bank of Guymon, Brier & Hale Music Co. of Liberal, The First State Bank of Stratford, First State Bank of Keyes, First National Bank of Guymon, First National Bank of Hooker and Gruver State Bank are also co-sponsoring the concerts.

Included on the Symphony's tour schedule this year are four concerts in four Indian Schools--made possible through a grant by the National Endowment for the Arts.

The 45 minute Young People's Concerts provide youngsters the opportunity to develop good concert behavior and music appreciation, the conductor often directs various members to give instrumental demonstration.

Tickets for the Young People's Concerts are 50¢ and are available by calling 405-949-2611, Ext. Tickets on a first come, first serve basis.

PSC PLANS \$10,000 HOMECOMING CELEBRATION

A \$10,000 Homecoming Celebration is being planned by the Student Senate of Panhandle State College. It was announced today by the 1973 Homecoming Steering Committee. The celebration, largest in the history of the college, will be held October 11, 12 and 13, and includes a number of new and expanded events.

Students of PSC will organize three caravans and converge on area cities Friday, September 21, to advertise their upcoming event, as well as sell Homecoming Buttons which will serve as tickets of admission to all events slated on Saturday, October 13.

The caravans will leave the campus at 1 p.m. with one traveling to Guymon, Hooker, and Tyrone; another to Perryton, Gruver, and Spearman; and a third to Texhoma, Stratford Boise City and Elkhart. Accompanying the caravans will be the PSC Cheerleaders and Pom Pom girls, student entertainment groups, students and faculty. Units of the Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas Highway Patrol will escort the caravans.

The price of the button will be \$5.00, but represents a savings of \$1.50 over general admission or gate prices.

Events covered by the purchase of a button include: Alumni Registration and Coffee, the Aggie Princess Pageant, a Barbecue, the PSC vs. Northwestern Football game and pre-game and half-time shows; two dances, a special entertainment Big Show, which will feature George Stevens, a nationally acclaimed comedian and stage star.

Other events planned for Homecoming are: three performances of the Oklahoma City Symphony on Thursday, October 11. Two afternoon performances at 1 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. will be children's concerts, followed at 8 p.m. that evening with an adult concert. Admission for the concerts will be a separate charge of \$2.00 per person.

On Friday, October 12, the PSC "O" Club Queen Crowning and Bonfire will be held at 7 p.m.

Also scheduled as free events on Saturday, October 13, will be a campus open house and campus organization activities, and the Homecoming Parade. The parade, which will begin at 1:30 p.m. will be held in downtown Goodwell, and area clubs and organizations as well as schools are invited to participate.

In order to boost the parade, the steering committee will award cash prizes to winning riding groups, decorated bicycles, and floats. First place prize in the float division will be \$250, second place \$150, and third place \$75, plus plaques as well as a chance to compete for a huge traveling Sweepstakes Trophy.

Deadline for all parade entries is September 28, and entry forms are available by calling 349-2611 Ext. 268 or Student Senate Office, Panhandle State College, Goodwell, Oklahoma 73939 or dropping by the office in the Student Union Building between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. on weekdays.

Persons wishing to purchase Homecoming Buttons may call or write to the same address.

Jack Lewis, President of the PSC Student Association, urged all area residents to support the college by purchasing the buttons and wearing them between now and homecoming. "The students are sincerely trying to organize the largest celebration this campus has ever known, but it can only be successful with public support and attendance," Lewis concluded.

Scout Seminar Big Fall Event

Some eight hundred Boy and Girl Scouts from the Texas Panhandle will take part this fall in the Scouting event of the year.

The program will be conducted by eighty scientists, engineers and technicians from the Pantex Plant (Mason & Hanger-Silas Company, Inc.--Sandia Laboratories--Atomic Energy Commission, Amarillo Area Office.) It will include films, lectures, demonstrations, lab work, and many more activities.

An optional special is a two day New Mexico Field Trip to Albuquerque, Sandia Base, Kirtland AFB, Atomic Energy Museum, and Los Alamos.

One of the Scouts who has attended the AEMB meeting in the past was Life Scout Robert A. Wood of Pampa, Texas. When asked what he thought about the Seminar he stated, "It was fantastic! The field trip was especially interesting--we learned many things about atomic energy and saw it put to use."

Kim Hoover, a First Class Senior Girl Scout, commented about the meeting, "I really learned a lot about atomic energy, and the most exciting part was the field trip. It was fun meeting all the Scouts from other towns."

The Seminar will be held on four Saturdays--October 13, 20, 27, and November 3. Deadline for registering to attend this seminar is October 5, 1973.

Life Scout Robert Wood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Wood of 2220 N. Sumner, Pampa, Texas. Robert is a Junior Assistant Scoutmaster in Troop 4, a member of the Order of the Arrow, and has a general operators license for a ham radio.

Senior Girl Scout, Kim Hoover, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hoover of 2323 Duncan, Pampa, Texas. She is a First Class Girl Scout, a member of Troop 2, a leader in Training, a Water Safety Aide, and has held many offices in her ten years of Scouting.

September 18 by the Lubbock County judge and representatives of the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board as required under the Texas Commodity Referendum Law.

Don A. Nelson of Tulla was elected to his first term on the 12-member board; A. W. (Dub) Anthony of Friona; John Glibreath of Hart; and E. C. Whitten of Edmonson were reelected. There were seven candidates for the four places.

The board administers a fund contributed by grain sorghum growers for education and research, insect and disease control and promotion of grain sorghum products. There are six agriculture commodity groups who have programs under the Texas Commodity Referendum Law, Commissioner White said.

New Directors Named To TGSPA Board

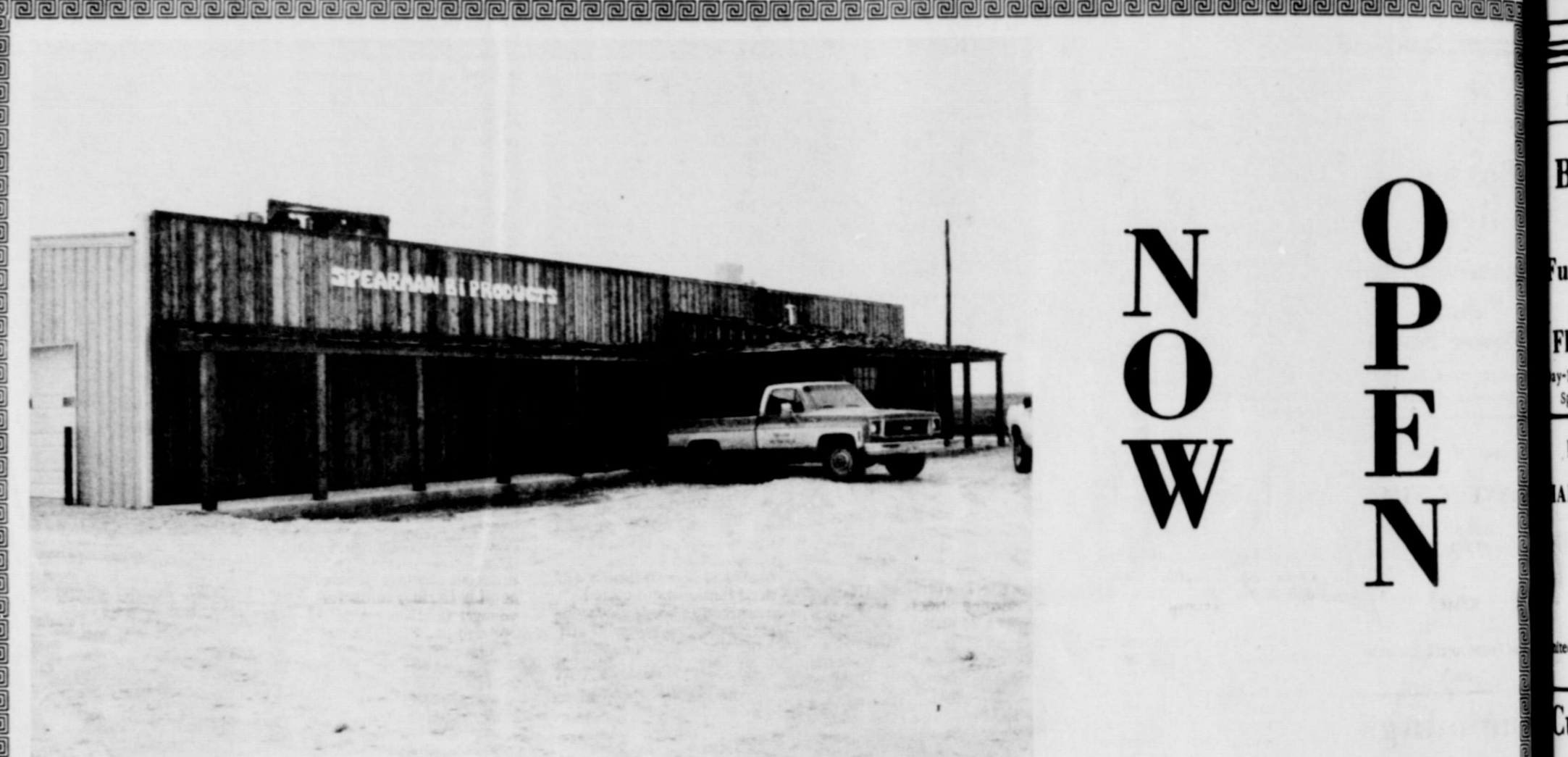
AUSTIN--Farmers in 29 Texas High Plains counties reelected three directors and elected one new director to the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board to serve six-year terms.

Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White certified the election results in which 791 votes were cast. The results were canvassed

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The new Spearman Bi-Products building is pictured above. Located on the Gruver highway, the new business has a total crew of 5 men already working. Rick Riggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Riggins, is in charge of the used cow business. Others employed are Warren Burgess, David Chapa, Ruben Rojas, and Joe Mascarenas. This newspaper joins in welcoming this new cattle-associated plant to Spearman. We especially want to compliment the beautiful western wood finish on the new building. It is just outstanding!

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By order of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Spearman, Texas, this 24th day of September, 1973, /s/ Dr. D. E. Hackley, Mayor ATTEST: /s/ Janie Hand, City Secretary 45-46c

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS: Sealed Bids will be received by City of Spearman hereinafter called the Owner, at City Hall, Spearman, Texas, until 8:00 P. M. on the 8th day of October, 1973, for the construction of a swimming pool and appurtenances. Plans and Specifications and other Contract Documents are available from the Owner or they may be obtained from the office of Pascal P. Paddock, Engineers, P. O. Box 12463, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 7312. A deposit of \$35.00 will be required upon receipt of plans and specifications, all of which will be reimbursed upon return of plans and specifications in good condition within one week after bid date. With each bid, there must be furnished a properly executed copy of the Affidavit of Non-Collusion, properly notarized. In order to receive consideration, each Bidder shall accompany his bid with a certified or cashier's check on a solvent bank, or a bidder's bond, made payable to the Owner in the amount of 5% of the amount bid, as a guarantee that upon award of the Contract, the Bidder to whom award is made will enter into a written contract with the Owner to perform the work called for in the Plans and Specifications and shall furnish the required construction bond, maintenance bond and material and labor payment bonds within 10 days after the acceptance of his bid. The deposit will be retained by the Owner in case the Bidder to whom award is made shall fail to enter into said Contract and furnish the required bonds provided in the Specifications within the time required. Bids will only receive consideration when submitted on the Bid Form supplied by the Owner and with no changes or interlineations or qualifications and no alternates will be considered which are not specifically called for. Every item on the Bid Form shall be filled out and all information called for therein shall be supplied including the list of equipment which each Bidder proposes to supply and on which is bid is based, as well as the Experience Record, as called for. Experience Record shall be completely filled out, giving date of project, description and address, and amount of construction contract. All of the equipment which each Bidder proposes to furnish shall be illustrated and described by manufacturer's literature and/or line drawings completely illustrating the equipment proposed, with all dimensions, character of materials, etc. proposed. A performance curve prepared by the manufacturer shall be provided for the pump which is to be furnished, showing relationship of head to quantity of water pumped, horsepower required and the efficiency of the unit for all conditions of the entire range of operation for the impeller proposed to be used. Each bid with Affidavit of Non-Collusion and Experience Record, which is attached to Bid Form, list of equipment upon which bid is based and any other data required by the Specifications shall be submitted in sealed envelope addressed to the Owner, bearing the Bidder's name and address and the notation at the top of the envelope: "Bid for Swimming Pool Development."

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Rural FHA Credit Service Reach 4 Million In 1973

Credit services in rural housing, farming and community facilities through the Farmers Home Administration of the Department of Agriculture reached more than 4 million citizens in fiscal 1973, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture William Erwin announced here. Loans totaled \$3.75 billion in FHA programs that supplement credit available to rural people from private sources. In summing up for the year ended June 30, the Secretary reported record benefits in all lines of rural development served by FHA. Highlights of the report: RURAL HOUSING--\$1.86 billion in loans insured by the Farmers Home Administration enabled 125,000 families of low and moderate income to move into better, more modern homes in rural towns and the countryside. The program helped 116,700 families to buy or improve houses with loans totaling \$1.735 billion. It also provided \$106 million of loans to build 8,500 units of apartment and other rental housing in rural communities. The showing exceeded the previous year's record of 112,000 individual homes and 3,800 rental units provided through \$1.6 billion loaned in FY 1972.

Rural housing credit is made available through FHA when other sources of home financing are not available in rural towns of up to 10,000 population as well as the open country. The program has generated a sharp rise in rural homebuilding since fiscal 1969, when a \$500 million rural FHA program produced 55,000 loans. The upsurge last year in rental housing represented progress in meeting a particular need of senior citizens in rural communities. Most units produced through the rural program were in garden-type apartment projects designed with the safety and convenience of elderly residents in mind. They also helped to relieve a shortage of rental housing in rural towns for younger families not yet in position to buy individual homes.

The rural housing program includes loans for development of improved homestead areas which are lacking in many rural communities. It also supports the development of housing on the "self help" plan whereby low-income families perform much of the work in building new homes for themselves.

FARM CREDIT--Farm credit through the Farmers Home Administration totaled \$1.4 billion in FY 1973, for a 73 percent increase over the previous one-year record amount of \$81.8 million loaned in FY 1972. Farm families numbering an estimated 785,000 men, women and children were served by FHA farm credit programs the past year. A large percentage of the loans were made in conjunction with credit supplied by other lenders who joined with FHA in serving the total requirements of farm families. Other lenders accounted for \$300 million of farm ownership credit and \$188 million of operating credit. These resources, added to the \$1.4 billion channeled through the agency, raised the impact of FHA farm credit services to nearly \$2 billion for the year.

FHA farm ownership loans totaling \$408 million were made to 15,492 families to buy, enlarge or improve family-operated farms. Operating loans to more than 50,000 families provided \$454 million for equipment and supplies that figure in farm production. Emergency loans totaling \$557.7 million were made to 128,000 borrowers to restore farm operations damaged by natural disaster. Loans were also made under farm credit programs to improve the use of soil and water resources, build irrigation systems, establish recreation and other nonag-

ricultural enterprises on family farms, and for tribal purchase of scattered tracts of land in Indian reservation areas. COMMUNITY FACILITIES--The FHA-administered program to finance modern water and waste disposal systems in the rural United States reached a new high level in FY 1973 when \$429 million was channeled into 1,629 projects. About 300,000 families will benefit directly from the new or expanded water, sewer and trash disposal systems serving town and country areas, where most of the nation's need exists for bringing water and sanitation services up to modern standards. Since its inception in the late 1950's the community facilities program has brought about 5,500 water systems and 2,000 waste disposal systems to rural areas. Small watershed improvements also received nearly \$20 million of financing through the Farmers Home Administration in FY 1973. The record activity of the past year brought to \$11.7 billion the total of loans outstanding with the Farmers Home Administration. It is estimated that more than 12.6 million rural citizens now benefit from the better housing, farms and community services made possible by the programs.

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Cobb Named To Legislative Council

State Representative Dean Cobb of Dumas has been appointed to the Executive Committee of the Texas Legislative Council at the organizational meeting of the Council in Austin Friday.

The Executive Committee is composed of the Lieutenant Governor, who also serves as Chairman of the Council, the Speaker of the House, and 3 members of the Legislature. The Legislative Council is charged with the responsibility of investigating departments agencies and offices of the state, making studies and the gathering of information for the use of the Legislature. The fifteen member Council also oversees many of the interim activities of the Legislature between sessions.

"This is a unique opportunity of service within the legislative process. Through my appointment to the Council and specifically to the Executive Committee, I hope to be able to exert additional influence in representing my district," said Cobb.

Representative Cobb's district is composed of the top ten counties in the Texas Panhandle.

Gem & Mineral Show Is Oct. 6

The Canadian River Gem & Mineral society will host their 13th Annual Show, October 6-9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. and October 7, 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m. in the M. K. Brown Memorial Auditorium, 1000 North Summer, Pampa, Texas.

Hourly door prizes of gemstone jewelry will be

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**U.S. SENATOR
JOHN G.
TOWER**

President Nixon has just delivered a new and urgent message to the Congress on must legislative action for the remaining few months of this year. While the Congress has made some progress this year, too much time has been devoted to such matters as the Watergate affair, and it is now time for us to get all this behind us and get on with the job we were elected to do.

I certainly agree with the urgency which the President

placed in his message to the needs for immediate action to overcome our developing energy shortages. There already has been considerable talk about the possibility of rationing in some areas of energy usage, such as heating fuels and even gasoline for our automobiles. As I have stated a number of times previously, we are in a very serious energy crunch, and are likely to continue in this crunch over the next two or three years. As the President said in his message to the Congress, the gap between America's projected short-term energy needs and our available domestic supplies is widening at a rate which demands immediate action.

I am in complete agreement that we cannot wait for the necessary legislation which is now pending in the

Congress to stimulate the energy supplies. Action must come on these essential bills before the Congress adjourns this fall.

Over the long term, the prospects for adequate energy supplies are very good. I have an unending faith in the American people and our system to come up with the necessary technology to meet our growing needs. But in the meantime, we must now mobilize the government, the industry and the American people to avoid even more severe shortages and problems over the short term.

I have already introduced or sponsored four essential pieces of legislation which I feel will go a long way in meeting this short term challenge. And I am pleased to announce to you that my bill to remove the authority from the Federal Power Commission to fix the price of natural gas will be heard by the Senate Commerce Committee on October 10th and 11th. This is one of the first essential steps needed toward the exploration and discovery of vast new sources of natural gas to meet our immediate needs.

A free market price for natural gas will not result in great, new profits for the gas industry, but it might allow industry to obtain a price which will encourage exploration activity. F-P-C regulation has resulted in eighteen years of confusion, uncertainty and unrealistically low gas prices. We already are importing liquefied natural gas at twice the price allowed by the Federal Power Commission for our own producers. As a result of this activity by the government, there simply has been no incentive for the industry to explore for new

sources of gas. While deregulation might result in an increase in the price of natural gas over the short term, that increase should be modest—and the price still would be lower than important supplies.

In addition to the encouragement of the search for more natural gas, it is essential that the government encourage the industry to find additional sources of crude oil. In this area, I have introduced legislation to encourage more exploration for oil to meet our long-term energy needs. This bill would provide a 12 and one-half per cent tax incentive for funds used to explore for and develop new petroleum resources in this country.

The National Petroleum Council estimates that the rate of investment in petroleum exploration and production activities will have to double the present rate over the next 12 to 15 years just to maintain our present degree of energy self-sufficiency. In addition, it is estimated that another 70 billion dollars will be required for tankers, gas transportation, refining and port facilities.

Thus it is obvious that something must be done to encourage more investment in exploration if we are to meet our basic needs. I feel strongly that a tax incentive is one major move we can make to meet this need.

Other critical legislative needs now facing us are the final disposition of the Alaskan pipeline question, and the authority to construct and operate deepwater port facilities to handle our increasing imports of foreign oil.

Hopefully, the Alaskan

pipeline controversy will be settled shortly. The Senate-House Conference Committee is meeting this week to iron out differences in the two bills passed recently by both Houses of Congress. There are no major differences in the two versions, and hopefully the conferees will be able to agree on the bill within a short period of time.

My bill to construct superports to handle the increasing import of crude oil is now in the Senate Interior Committee. A hearing on this legislation was held in July, and hopefully that committee will soon take action on this important matter.

Baptist Convention Names Executive

Dr. James H. Landes, pastor of First Baptist Church, Richardson, has been elected executive-secretary of the 2-million member Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Dr. Landes, 61, was approved Tuesday morning as the successor for the retiring Dr. T. A. Patterson by the 192-member BGCT Executive Board, meeting in Dallas.

The Executive Board represents about 4,000 Southern Baptist churches across Texas.

The Richardson pastor's name was presented to the board by Dr. Jimmy Allen, pastor of First Baptist Church, San Antonio and chairman of a 14-member nominating committee.

Dr. Landes is expected to take office upon Dr. Patterson's retirement on December 31. Dr. Patterson has served for 13 years, a record for continuous service in the office since the Texas Baptist

Convention was organized in 1848.

As executive secretary of the Texas Baptist Convention, Dr. Landes will serve as administrative head of the missionary, benevolent and educational ministries coordinated by the Executive Board.

In an advisory capacity, he will work with the administrators and presidents of the nine schools, four children's homes and eight hospitals owned and operated by Texas Baptists and undergirded by the annual Cooperative Program budget.

Dr. Landes, a native of Lewisville, Ark., has pastored the Richardson church since

1968. He was president of Hardin-Simmons University, a Baptist school in Abilene, from 1963-66, and pastor of churches in Eagle Lake, Bryan, and Wichita Falls, Texas; and Birmingham, Ala.

He was graduated from Ouchita Baptist College in Arkadelphia, Ark.; and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Honorary doctorates have been conferred upon Dr. Landes by Howard Payne College, a Baptist school in Brownwood; Baylor University, also Baptist, in Waco; and Midwestern University, Wichita Falls.

Dr. Landes has served his denomination as president of

the BGCT, 1960-62; member of the Executive Board, 1956-64; chairman of the Executive Board, 1958-60; and its first vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention, 1971-72.

Landes and his wife, the former Irene Pearson of Fayetteville, Ark.; have one daughter, Dr. Ruth Pitts of Richardson, Texas, a teacher in the Richardson schools.

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 - A. They will then start judging the calves at 11:00 A.M. Any calves to be entered in the show "must" be in the yards and shaped to sell by "eleven" (11:00) A.M.
 - B. Calves arriving after that time will be shaped and sold that same afternoon in the order of the consignment number.
 - C. All breeds of cattle will be judged together in competition as follows: Places 1st, 2nd, and 3rd for the steer calves and the heifer calves weighing estimated 450 lbs. average of less. Same 3 places for the yearling and feeder heifers.
 - D. A grand champion load and a reserve champion load will be selected from those that place, regardless of size or breed. The sale order will be arranged, selling first the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion loads, followed by the loads that place. The balance of the loads will then be sold in the order of the consignment number.
 - E. All mixed cattle will be sold the same afternoon following the carloads. Therefore bring in whatever you have and they will be sold that Friday, the same as every Friday.

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NEWS FROM YOUR HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT

by Nelle Evans

Remember the Heart Seminar in Perryton on Friday, September 28 from 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at the Perryton High School Auditorium. What you learn may save your life. Coming up in October will be a quality handwork workshop. You may learn how to knit, crochet, do hairpin lace, broomstick lace, crewel, needle point, hooking and quilting. You will need to have your own yarn and equipment with which to learn. More details will follow as the time approaches.



Saturday night will be the Hansford County 4-H Awards Banquet. Around 100 4-H'ers will receive awards for work done in 4-H this past year. Redecorating is something that most homemakers enjoy doing. One relatively inexpensive way to redecorate is with the use of mirrors.

An extra benefit of mirrors is that they visually enlarge narrow areas appear wide, tall walls short and dark areas bright. Remember mirrors are not limited to use on walls. Use them on ceilings, furniture and other objects in a room. For example, try a mirror-topped table to reflect the objects it displays. Let your imagination be your guide. The home demonstration club women are selling pecans again this year. Now is the time to give your order to a member, so you will be ready for holiday baking. Thanksgiving is only 2 months away and you know how close that makes Christmas.

You may also call our office 659-2030 and order your pecans. They are good!

Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Patterson attended Tuesday, in Amarillo. The Loretta Lynn Show at the Tri State Fair. Appearing with her were Ray Griff, Kenny Starr, Randy and Sandi Burnett, Don Bolinger and the Coal Miners. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson and Doyle visited Wednesday, her sister Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baade of Enid. Mrs. Baade is very ill and is in the Methodist Golden age Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robertson of Pringle and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kirk attended Wednesday afternoon in Amarillo at the Tri State Fair Coliseum, the Lynn Anderson Show and the Statler Brothers. Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell and family of Fritch were Thursday afternoon callers of relatives, Mrs. John Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Patterson. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gai-

nes transacted business in Amarillo Thursday and attended the afternoon show of Lynn Anderson and The Statler Brothers at the Tri State Fair Coliseum.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pendergraft and Maude Rosson were Saturday shoppers in Amarillo, also toured the Tri State Fair, which was very interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dearling of Kerrville, Texas are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Berner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCarty of Wichita Falls, Texas spent several days visiting relatives, Mabel Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. Pate Grisby of Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jenkins.

Mrs. Jessie Thompkins recently accompanied Alta Morse of Spearman to Stratford to visit her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Buster Mitts. Alta went to Denver and spent a week visiting her daughter and family. They returned to Spearman, Tuesday.

Waka To Host Dist. 19 Workshop

Plans are laid and in readiness for the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers Dist. 19 Annual Workshop at Waka, Oct. 2 with registration starting at 9:00 a.m. All general meetings will be held in the church of The Brethren with the noon meal being served in the school cafeteria. The luncheon tickets will be \$2.50.

The meeting will be under direction of Dist. 19 President, Bill Lee, Berger. A slide presentation on "We Have A Commitment to Our Children" followed with a panel discussion.

McLain's Enjoy Long Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McLain returned recently from a trip that took them to Yellowstone and the Grand Tetons. They went by camper. They enjoyed Old Faithful, and Ada says it bears its name well, and she said the Tetons were really beautiful from the sky lift. They drove through Montana, where copper is used extensively in cookware, gifts and jewelry. The scenery in Idaho was out of this world. The coloring of the mountains made you think of Spanish skirts.

In Washington they stopped in Spokane and Seattle. They camped near Seattle at Puyallup, Oregon. The river runs through the little town and the gardens and orchards were filled with luscious vegetables, berries, apples and peaches. They visited Mt. Ranier. It looked like a big ice cream cone with cream dripping off. From a scenic point up on the mountain using their field glasses they could see people coming down, others going up the mountain. It was snow covered and one group was about to reach the summit. The rolling hills were high and covered with wheat, called Hammer Head Wheat, and is used in making Macaroni and Pasta.

At Bremerton, Washington, a U.S. Naval base, they went on board the U.S.S. Missouri, which was the ship on which the Japanese surrendered to the U.S.

From here they went to Vancouver, B. C. Canada by ferry, which was quite fascinating. Among the number of cars, campers, buses, etc. on the ferry, a semi truck filled with oil was on its way to the Islands. They found this to be a most enjoyable trip. They went up on deck and had lunch at the Cafeteria and it was interesting to look out of the picture windows and see the other Islands and the other ferries.

They first went to the Northern part of Vancouver to watch the salmon fishing, gradually working their way south to Victoria where they viewed the Bchart Gardens. They said they were unable to find words to describe the beauty of these gardens. At 6 p.m. a program was put on at the open air amphitheatre by distinguished Canadian singers and a Scottish Bag Pipe Band.

Leaving Vancouver they drove South on Hwy. 1 where at all times they could view the ocean. They visited Hearts Castle in California. The McLains were especially interested in the library on the third floor and found some 6000 volumes had been turned over to other libraries in the state where others could use the.

They visited Lester's relatives in Santa Maris, Calif., his cousin Raymond and Nellie McLain, who took them to Solvang, Calif., a town completely Danish. The government requires all building to be of Danish architecture and all foods are of Danish recipes.

From here the McLains visited Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Gerber, former Spearmanites who are residents of a Retires Peoples Complex at Paradise, Calif. and they really enjoyed their visit. The Gerbers were so happy to see old friends, The McLains learned J.E. Jr. is doing Visual Education work in Dallas and Margie is in Lubbock with some Educational Department.

They visited Reva and Calvin Draper in Simi-Valley, California. Reva was once our Home Economics teacher here. They visited Don and Gladys Bennet near Simi-Valley, and his mother, Mrs. Miller was visiting the. Don is a brother of the late Jennine Crawford and Mrs. Buster (Maxine) Benister, and Mrs. Miller is their mother. All are former Spearmanites.

The McLains headed home tired but happy in having enjoyed a long end of summer vacation.

Arts & Craft Guild Met In Gandy Home

The Arts and Crafts Guild met Friday, September 21 in the home of Mrs. Bill Gandy.

Members present were Mesdames: Bill Gandy, Fred Daily, Sada Hoskins, C. A. Gibner, Garrett Allen, and P.A. Lyon, Sr. The next meeting will be September 28 in the home of Mrs. Nolan Holt.

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/s/ Dr. D. E. Hackley
Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ Janie Hand
City Secretary

Shidler Homecoming To Be Held Oct. 5-6

The 13th Annual Homecoming of the Shidler Alumni Association will be held October 5-6.

The Annual Homecoming is held for all former students and teachers of Shidler and the Shidler area schools. These area schools are: Carter Nine, DeNoya, Webb City, Bryan, Grainola, Forker, Burbank, Apperson and Kaw City.

Your alumni dues are \$2.00 per person per year. If you plan to attend you may pay your dues at any of the homecoming activities. There will be a table set up at each function for this purpose. If you cannot attend, please mail your dues to the secretary. This enables us to carry out homecoming each year.

Friday afternoon, October 5, the Homecoming Assembly will be held in Ward Auditorium at 2:00 P. M. District Attorney Sam Harris, Jr., Grove, Oklahoma, will give the address. Harris is a graduate of the class of 1948. A parade will begin downtown at 3:00 P. M.

Chili and soup will be served by the ladies of the Methodist Church from 5:00-7:00 P. M. This will be in dining hall of the Methodist Church.

Friday evening the Shidler Tigers will be playing Perkins at 8:00 P. M. Following the ballgame, coffee and doughnuts will be served to all former students and teachers in the high school cafeteria.

Saturday morning, October 6, there will be a golf tournament at Lakeview Golf Course. Details will be available Friday night at the coffee.

Registration will begin Saturday at 11:00 A. M. in the high school building. A noon meal will be served in the school cafeteria by the Shidler Home Demonstration Club Ladies. The business meeting will be held at 2:00 P. M. with President Jim Jackson presiding. A dance will be held from 9:00-11:00 P. M. at Jump's Roller Rink, Fairfax. Music will be by the Mark Four's. Only the alumni, their spouse or date may attend the dance.

There are four classes having reunions this year: Class of 1963, Class of 1962, 1953, and Class of 1948. Reunion dinners have been planned in connection with these reunions and graduates and former students of these Shidler classes have been notified.

Alumni officers for 1973 are: Jim Jackson, Oklahoma City-President, LeRoy Punched, Ponca City-Vice President, Joyce (Shelton) Davis, Shidler, Sec., Mary (Rowe) Overlease, Shidler, Historian.

We urge each former student and teachers of District #11 to attend.

TSTA Urges Vote For Amendment 1

The Texas State Teachers Association is urging its 157,000 members to vote for passage of constitutional Amendment No. 1 on November 6. Amendment No. 1, if approved by a majority of Texas voters, would authorize annual sessions of the Legislature and a pay raise for its members, from the present \$4,800 per year to a constitutional limit of \$15,000 per year.

TSTA support for the amendment was recommended by its legislative committee and approved by its executive committee, governing body of elected representatives from the 20 TSTA district organizations.

L. P. Sturgeon, executive secretary, noted that TSTA has a long record of support for past proposals for legislative pay raises. "Legislative decisions have a vital effect on Texas citizens," Sturgeon said. "Texas should have full service from its lawmakers, and these men and women should have reasonable pay for their work. Their present pay does not permit them to work without financial sacrifice."

Under Amendment No. 1, legislators would be required to work longer. The legislative sessions in odd-numbered years would be increased from 140 to 180 days, and a 60-day session would be added in even-numbered years for budget making.

Theme for TSTA's campaign for support of the amendment is: "Annual sessions - adequate salaries - responsible Texas government. Vote for Amendment 1 on Tuesday, November 6."



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