

# Airport planning commences

Spearman City Council Tuesday night, June 28, during its regular session moved to withdraw an airport planning grant application and authorized L.D. Burns, engineer for the City, to prepare an airport plan for the municipal airport because of timeliness.

At this time, expansion and utilization of the existing location is to be scrutinized to determine how it will be acceptable for funding at whatever time City Council wants to start such work. Funding from private, City and State sources is available.

Mayor Ralph Blodgett and City Manager Mark Neff both noted that the Federal Aviation Administration had recommended the City take another approach to the situation, pointing out the plan accompanying the grant application was too comprehensive and would prove time consuming in connection with processing the application.

The FAA opinion was that if it could be done without federal participation and is

that important to Spearman and the surrounding communities it would be advisable to proceed in the manner the City decides to take.

City officials Wednesday notified Burns of the Council action and preparation of a new plan for the municipal airport is to commence immediately.

City officials are to base further decisions on the recommendations presented by Burns and others involved in the planning work.

It was pointed out that the comprehensive plan which accompanied the grant application did not cost the City any unnecessary money.

Among the proposals recommended for the future municipal airport is one providing the capability of handling small business jet aircraft along with such support facilities as would be in keeping with the recommendations to be made by Burns.

No deadline for receipt of such recommendations by Burns was incorporated in the authorization motion but no more than a few weeks is

expected to elapse before the City begins to receive some preliminary information for discussion and action.

The second priority matter taken up by Council Tuesday, part of a five-hour executive session devoted to such activity, was the review of applicants for the position and consideration of appointment of a chief of Police for Spearman to take over after the resignation of Robert Wheeler who took a similar job in Olney.

At the conclusion of the executive and in open session, a motion was approved unanimously by Council that negotiations begin with Steve Wisniewski of Albuquerque, N.M., for the Spearman job.

The second of five applicants to appear for screening before Council, Wisniewski has accepted and reports for duty July 15.

Council Tuesday night also passed at this time on appointing a Municipal Court Judge.

In other Council action: Neff was authorized to purchase a tractor-mower from North Plains International, Inc., for \$5,649.

Following adoption of the authorizing resolution, Neff was authorized to make arrangements for \$18,500 in interim financing for the on-going Economic Development Administration in Spearman through the First State Bank.

Council also listened to a Spearman couple who appeared to obtain clarification of City Ordinance No. 421 under which provisions their dog had been picked up and placed in the pound. The explanation of the ordinance and the circumstances surrounding the action by the City was acceptable to all concerned and the situation amicable resolved.

July meeting dates set for July 12 and 26.

The Mayor led the Pledge of Allegiance and gave the invocation to open last Tuesday night's lengthy session.

The post office will be closed Monday.

## All stars named

Coaches for the All Stars, Spearman Little League, named the following boys to participate in the Little League play-offs this year: Byron Suterfield, Calvin Pearson, Ricky Torres, Felix Sandaval, Billy Pat Underwood, Darren Goodheart.

David Tucker, Rory Shepard, Troy Queen, Jan Hartsell, Mark Guthrie, Pat Tucker, Gregg Meek, John Cook.

First alternate is Billy Ray Haden, 2nd Alternate is Mack McLain.

The Spearman All Stars will play at 8 p.m., July 18th at Dumas against North Randall County.

The coaches for the All Stars are Albert Clark and Larry Bowen. Both coaches stated that they will start work-outs Tuesday evening, July 5th.

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## Lynx win yet another Trophy



Panhandle Regional Director for Easter Seals, Jim Reeves (left) and Huntsville area Regional Director, Susan Simmons (right) presented this trophy to Coach Sherwood who accepted on behalf of the Lynx football team, for being the top AA team in the State to participate in the Easter Seal "Lily Day" fund drive for crippled persons.

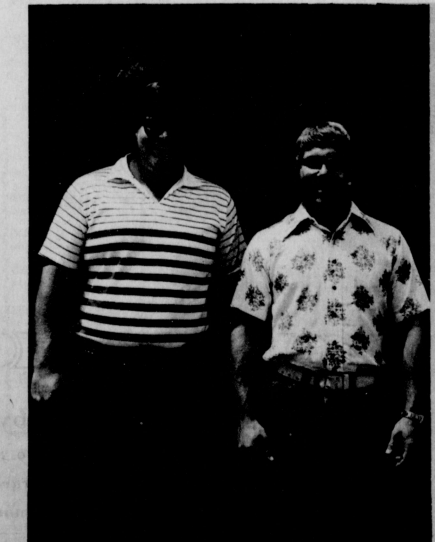
The Spearman Lynx have added yet another trophy to their growing list of achievements. This time the trophy was for helping the handicapped children and adults of Texas. The team, through their participation in the annual "Lily Day" activities in the Spring, raised \$485.53, and were named winners in the AA division by William E. Russell, Executive Director of the Easter Seal Society of Texas.

"The Spearman team has participated in this event for two years and has won this trophy both years, and we are very pleased that they have won again," said Jim Reeves, Panhandle Regional Director for Easter Seals.

"The efforts of these boys is indicative of the responsible adults of tomorrow who will continue to support the needs of those less fortunate than themselves. I think this town can be very proud of its team both on and off the field, and I would hope each citizen would take the opportunity whenever possible to congratulate the boys and their coach."

Coach Sherwood had Terry Latham and Bo DeArmond, co-chairman of the "Lily Day" Drive, at the newspaper office to accept the trophy, but the Easter Seal Representatives were running late, and the boys had to return to work. Coach Sherwood accepted the trophy on behalf of the football team, from Jim Reeves, Panhandle Regional Easter Seal Director, and Susan Simmons, Easter Seal Regional Director from the Huntsville, Texas area.

Coach Sherwood spoke on behalf of the school saying that the "Lily Day" Fund Raising Drive was a good thing, and that the school was proud of these young



Bo DeArmond (left) and Terry Latham (right) were this year's Co-chairmen for the Easter Seal "Lily Day" fund drive for crippled children and adults, this past Spring. Bo will be attending Oklahoma Northwestern University on a football scholarship and Terry will go to Amarillo College where he will study Computer Science.

athletes. He added that a lot of the girl athletes helped in this effort.

The Hansford Plainsman is proud to add its voice, to that of all Spearmanites, once again, in saying "You did good Lynx. We are proud of all of you."

## 2 PD members resign

The resignations of two members of the Spearman Police Department, Sgt. Lowell Kennard and Patrolman Chuck Rigdon, have been officially accepted by the City. It has been announced.

Selected during this past week, both men cited personal reasons for their action.

Mayor Ralph Blodgett and City Manager Mark Neff announced that residents of Spearman should not be unduly alarmed about the situation because the City is not without adequate police protection.

Applications are being taken by the City.

## Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Fanny Hand, Gordon Parrish, Raymond Sparks, Maria West, Alicia Rios and daughter. Dismissed were Ross Bulls, Glen Deen, Tiffany Goodrich, Jyniece Lee, and Joel Lowes.

## Hutchison is new president



John Hutchison was installed as the new Rotary President, in a joint supper meeting with the Perryton Club, held in Spearman Monday evening. Pictured left to right, are Kenneth Mackay, retiring President Jr., Lusby, John Hutchison, and the Perryton Rotary Club president. (name not available).

## New police chief experienced

Steve Stanley Wisniewski, a native of Pampa and a graduate of West Texas State University in Canyon where he received BS and Master of Education degrees, is the new Spearman Chief of Police and takes over his duties July 15.

Selected from among the five finalists who appeared this past week for screening before City Council, Wisniewski is a U.S. Marine Corps veteran of service between 1967 and 1969 as a squad leader in Vietnam. He also has a Naval Achievement Award as well as a Purple Heart which he received for wounds received in action.

At the time of his interview in Spearman, Wisniewski, 30, was a special agent for the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad and commissioned as a State Police Officer by the State of New Mexico. As such, his duties included the investigation of all criminal activities occurring to the railroad and its property. Investigation of sabotage and apprehension of illegal aliens also were part of his duty requirements up to and including management level operations.

Prior to employment by the railroad in 1975, he was a patrolman for the City of Canyon Police Department doing general investigative and traffic duty before being assigned to the Potter-Randall Metro Intelligence Unit, based in Amarillo, as the Canyon representative. He investigated organized criminal activities dealing with narcotics, auto theft, gambling and many others. He was in charge of all deterrent activities toward prostitution before being recalled to Canyon to serve as patrol sergeant where he was responsible in a supervisory and

administrative capacity in the planning, organizing and direction of the department.

Some of his duties were the promotion of public relations by giving lectures and programs to schools and civic groups, assisting the Chief of Canyon Police in planning the annual budget, reviewing and interviewing applicants, planning programs, formulating and proposing policy and procedures and acting as liaison between other departments and the district attorney's office.

He is knowledgeable in many types of police equipment.

For a year he was also a park ranger at Panhandle National Grasslands at Lake McCallan.

His professional and civic activities include membership in the Texas Law Enforcement Intelligence Units Association, Tri-State Peace Officers Association, New Mexico Law Enforcement Associations and the Fraternal Order of Police in New Mexico.

He and his wife, the former Kathy Rene Walser, and their infant son, Chad, are members of the Baptist Church.

In addition to his WTSU background, Wisniewski, a graduate of Fairbairns High School, Texas, has completed over 500 hours of training at the Panhandle Regional Law Enforcement Academy in Amarillo in various phases of law enforcement, has attended a course on Organized Crime in Texas given at the Texas Department of Public Safety Law Enforcement Academy in Austin and holds an Advanced Law Enforcement Certificate and Instructor's Certificate from the Texas Commission of Law Enforcement Standards and Education.

Weather	
June 22	96 66
June 23	92 63
June 24	84 63 .04
June 25	85 62
June 26	92 57
June 27	98 65
June 28	98 68

Markets	
Wheat	\$2.02
Corn	\$1.96
Milo	\$2.95

**SVFD captains named**

Spearman Fire Department members Thursday inaugurated a new tradition of the balloting elected Lewis Littlejohn and Robert Cochran as captains. The vote counting was part of the business conducted during the weekly meeting of the SVFD during its family night gathering.

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## Lion of the Year



Curly S. J. Hall was named as the outstanding Lion of the year at the Lions Installation banquet held Tuesday evening in Spearman. Roger Kinard, and Scot Sherwood received their Eagle Scout badges at the banquet, and Cecil Biggers was installed as new Boss Lion.

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A five-man wheat milling and purchasing team of experts from Chile will be in Texas July 4-5 looking at types and qualities in view of continuing increased purchases, according to Dwight Hamilton, Oley, Chairman of the Texas Wheat Producers Board, host of the group while in the State. Chile depends on imports for over 60% of its wheat needs which are increasing at the rate of 2.4% a year. This year 50% of their requirements, or 25 million bushels, was imported from the United States, an amount equal to 35% of the total Texas wheat crop, according to Hamilton.

While in Texas the foreign group will study export facilities at the Port of Houston and leadership of the Texas Department of Agriculture and confer with production and marketing wheat leaders on current and future marketing problems and opportunities.

Wheat producers in Texas and other wheat producing areas jointly through the Board and Commissions maintain full-time development and trade liaison offices in Latin America through Great Plains Wheat, Inc., U.S. sponsor of the trade mission. After leaving Texas the group will visit harvest areas in Kansas, Nebraska and North Dakota as well as Minneapolis and Chicago Bids of Trade, government officials in Washington, D.C., and trading company leaders in New York City.

Members of the visiting group include: Mr. Teofilo Grob, managing Director, Sociedad Industrial (Milling Associates) Mr. Juan Zavala, Vice President, Corporacion de Millinos de Chile (Milling Associations) Mr. Manuel Gomez, Manager, Wheat Department, Moines Mont Blanc Mr. Hernan Urdarraga, Empresa Corporacion Agricola (ECA-Government) Mr. Alvaro De La Fuente, Regional Grain Marketing Specialist, GPW/Caracas

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There are a few things to keep in mind that will help avoid having the holiday spoiled by illness.  
Depending on where you're going, you may need some vacation shots. Tetanus, certainly for anyone who expects to include some out-of-door activities. Typhoid, if your journey includes areas where the water supply is uncertain. Ask your doctor about these, and possibly other immunizations.  
The American Medical Association suggests that you remind yourself to use common sense about your vacation diet. Many a family trip has been spoiled by too many roadside hamburgers and soft drinks. A sound rule while driving crosscountry is to eat lightly. Be cautious about heavy, rich meals, particularly if you're not accustomed to such fare at home.  
Know what sort of climate you will encounter at your vacation spot and dress accordingly. It can get cold in the mountains at night, even in midsummer. Good walking shoes are important to the travel wardrobe.  
If you wear glasses, take along an extra pair. Or at least a copy of your prescription. If you're taking a regular medication, make certain of your supply before you leave.  
And, finally, don't overdo it. Almost no one other than a trained athlete is ready for 36 holes of golf or five sets of tennis under a boiling sun. Schedule your vacation to allow daily rest periods. Do most of the driving in the morning hours and stop for the day in early or mid-afternoon.  
Your vacation should be a holiday for rest and relaxation. It should not be a grind about heavy, rich meals, particularly if you're not accustomed to such fare at home.  
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### LEGAL NOTICE

**VETERANS EXEMPTIONS**  
The Texas Legislature passed a law in 1976 which grants tax exemptions, by all taxing agencies in the State of Texas, to certain disabled veterans and to dependents of certain veterans.  
In January of 1977 the Veteran's Administration Office in Waco, Texas sent notices to Veteran's having a compensable service-connected disability. This form is the one that must be filed with the taxing agency from which you apply for exemption.  
To be eligible for the disability exemption, the proper forms must be filed each year. For exemption of County and State ad valorem tax for the 1977 tax year, it is requested that the forms be filed in the Hansford County Tax Office before July 15, 1977.  
For further information concerning these exemptions, call Helen Dry, Tax Assessor-Collector for Hansford County. 237-32-42c

**ANY OLD BATTERIES????**  
Let W.J.F.E. clean up your farm of old batteries to raise money for their Washington City. Call 659-2913, 659-3027, or 659-2776.

**NOTICE-THE WIFE** organization is having a scrap iron drive. We want anyone who has scrap iron to donate to the Marilyn Groves, 659-2283, De Ann Dunihow 659-2913, or Mollie Turner, 659-2276. This will be used for the WIFE program to promote the price of farm products in the Hansford area

When the Liberty Bell cracked in 1835 it was tolling for the death of John Marshall.

**ED WHEELER REAL ESTATE**  
Homes - Farms - Commercial  
Large lot with nice two bedroom home in front, nice one bedroom house in the back. Double garage with efficiency in the rear. One year rental on one bedroom house paid at time of sale.  
Four unit apartment complex. Two, two bedrooms and two, one bedroom. Good rental property.  
One three bedroom, one two bedroom older homes.  
28 Hazelwood, 3 bedroom, single bath, frame, nice livable house, priced to sell.  
1029 Drensen, 3 bedroom, brick veneer, good carpet, excellent storm cellar, extra nice home.  
730 Cotter, extra nice 3 bedroom, large den, fireplace, carpeted throughout, nice yard, patio, storage building  
735 Cotter, 3 bedroom, asbestos siding, corner lot, storage building, nice home.  
Ed Wheeler 659-2613, Office 659-2915, Home 659-3618  
Jerry Gee 659-3618



### Dahlia Flower Club Met

The Dahlia Flower Club met Monday, June 27 in the home of Mrs. Jewel Turner. Jewel Turner presided over the business meeting in the absence of Hollie Riley.

The program was given by Frankie Walker on "Prophecies", made over 500 years ago, which was written in 1440. Many of the prophecies have come to pass.

Roll Call was answered by supermarket news. Cora Smith gave the Pledge of Allegiance and the Collect.

First specimen went to Mrs. Denman with an Easter Lily and the first arrangement went to Mrs. Bishop with Day Lilies.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by members, Mesdames: Annie Allen, Louise Archer, Martha Batton, Myrna Biggers, Sammie Bishop, Deta Bloodgett, Clara Bazzard, Cies Denman, Marie Edwards, Nelle Evans, Mae Floyd, Sada Hoskins, Alma Remy, Margaret Shedde, Cora Smith, Jewel Turner, Ora Sanders, Frankie Walker and visitor Mrs. Morris from Grand Junction, Colorado, the sister-in-law of Alma Remy.

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### Bridge Club

The Duplicate Bridge Club met Monday, June 27 in the home of Mrs. Bill Strawn. High for the men went to S. B. Sheets and high for the women went to Ann Flowers.

Members present were Messrs and Mesdames: Roy Flowers, Bill Strawn, S. B. Sheets, Jack Lassater and Mesdames Dennis Nelson and Albert Baker. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Latta.

The next meeting will be July 25 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker.

Meeting Tuesday, June 28 in the home of Mrs. Woody Gibner was the Short Bridge Club.

Mrs. Barbara McClellan won high; Mrs. Elizabeth Holton, second high; and Mrs. Betty Green, the traveling prize.

Members present were Mesdames: Max Baggerly, Henry Cornelius, Tom Etter, Garland Head, Richard Holton, Roy L. McClellan, Woody Gibner and guest Mrs. Wilton Green.

The next meeting will be July 12 in the home of Mrs. Richard Holton.

### Henderson serving externship

Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine second-year student Robert C. Henderson II is serving a summer externship at Westgate Hospital in Denton.

The externship program enables osteopathic medical students to work in the various fields of medicine during the time they are not in classes.

Henderson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Henderson of El Paso. He received a master of theology degree from Southern Methodist University, a bachelor of arts degree from McMurry College and was graduated from Perryton High School.

TCOM is the state's only college of osteopathic medicine and is under the governance of the North Texas

### State University Board of Regents.

Henderson is married to the former Genette Cudd of Spearman. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cudd.

### Book Review Club Meets

Book Review Club met Tuesday, June 21 with Mrs. C. A. Gibner, hostess, at Martin's Steak Garden.

Mrs. Sada Hoskins gave the review on "Tisha" as told to Robert Specht. It is a true story about a woman teacher in the 30's in the Alaskan wilderness.

Those present were members, Mesdames: Clay Gibner, Sada Hoskins, Tom Etter, Frank Heffner, John Berry, E. J. Copeland, O. C. Holt, and Joe Traylor.

The next meeting will be July 26 in the home of Mrs. Joe Traylor.

### Twin boys arrive in Albuquerque

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Addison are the proud great grandparents of twin boys born June 14 at a hospital in Albuquerque, N.M. Jason Benjamin weighed 3 lbs. 13 oz. and Christopher Allen weighed 4 lbs. 2 1/2 oz.

Parents of the twins are Regina and Ernie Banon of Albuquerque.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Farrar and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Banon, all of Albuquerque.

### Hansford Lodge Meets

Hansford Lodge #1040 A.F.&A.M. met Monday, June 29 at the Hansford Lodge Hall for a regular business meeting.

Fifteen members were present. Delicious refreshments were served by Jack Whitson.

The next meeting will be July 11.

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The alligator is the only animal whose upper jaw is movable.

### Hart-Adkins vows exchanged

Sacred wedding vows were repeated at three o'clock Friday, June 10, 1977 in the Community Bible Church of Gruver, Texas, by Tanya Hart and Billy Don Adkins. The Reverend J. W. Duke, pastor of the First Christian Church of Gruver, read the double ring ceremony before a lighted cross, greenery entwined double candelabra holding white tapers, and an arrangement of white gladioli, daisies, and blue carnations flanked by triple white candlesticks holding white tapers.

Candles were lighted by Engate, Adkins, Rotan, Texas, brother of the groom, and little Bill Shipley, nephew of the bride from Sinton, Texas. They also lighted the two small tapers from which the large one was lighted upon the completion of the vows.

Lisa Nelson, cousin of the bride from Gruver, sang "Evergreen" accompanied by Mrs. James Dorman at the organ and Mrs. Bill Womack at the piano, who also played traditional wedding music.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Butch (Renée Casdorff) Locke, Stratford, and the bridesmaid was Miss Beth Holt of Gruver. Serving as best man was Buddy Shipley, uncle of the groom from Gruver, and Perry Lamb of Gruver, brother of the bride, serving as groomsman. Ringbearer was Sidney Shipp, nephew of the groom, and the flower girl was Kerri Lamb of Strasburg, Colorado. Ushers included Johnny Shipp and Kelly Lamb.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father, Keith Lamb, who conveyed the love and happiness of the two mothers, Mrs. Lamb and Mrs. Charles Adkins of Rotan, Texas, in the uniting of Tanya and Billy Don.

The bride's dress was a simple creation of silk jersey, the only adornment of which were dainty re-embroidered daisies around the neckline. The continuous back panel on the gown flowed gracefully into a chapel train. The waist length veil cascaded from a pill box chapeau embroidered with pearls and iridescent sequins. She wore the traditional something old, a diamond ring belonging to her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Homer Cluck; something new, a wrist watch, a wedding gift from her groom; something borrowed, the veil worn by her older sister, Mrs. Bill (Janis Hart) Shipley; and the blue garter. She also placed a sixpence in her shoe. Her bouquet was of tallman roses and stephanotis.

Her attendants wore identical gowns of blue organza over blue satin, floored with pink nosegays of lily of the valley. The dresses were designed with scoop necklines accented with deep ruffles and blue satin ribbons at the waist.

Following the benediction at the close of the vows, Mesdames Cluck, cousin of the bride from Gruver, sang

"The Lord's Prayer". Reverend Duke read the passage from Ruth "Entrant me not to leave thee..." as the bride and the groom lighted the one candle from the two small tapers to signify their pledge of unity.

Special guests, who were seated in places of honor pews marked with large blue bows, included the bride's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Homer Cluck, and her aunt, Mrs. Mae Bretz; and her paternal grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Hart of Gruver and Warren Hart, father of the bride from Clarendon, were escorted into the sanctuary by Kelly Lamb and Johnny Shipp.

Mrs. Perry (Loni Bills) Lamb registered the guests and also served at the bride's table at the reception which followed in the Fellowship Hall of the church immediately after the ceremony. The bride's table was covered with an heirloom cutwork cloth over blue which has been traditionally used in the Cluck family receptions. The three-tiered wedding cake decorated with orange blossoms and a miniature bride and groom was served by Mrs. Bill (Janis Hart) Shipley and Mrs. Jim (Linda Miller) Lamb, sister and sister-in-law of the bride. Three long blue tapers cast a warm glow on the silver service from which punch and coffee were served.

The groom's table was appropriately draped with a blue denim tablecloth accented with two red bandana napkins. Mrs. Mike (Sandy Adkins) Smith, sister of the groom, served the groom's cake and Mrs. Mart (Darlene Taylor) Hart of Amarillo was also chosen to serve at the groom's table.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's mother, Mrs. Judy Adkins, at the El Vaquero Restaurant in Gruver at six o'clock Thursday evening, June 9th. The white linen was enhanced by amber candle holders and the centerpiece was a large arrangement of daffodils and feathered bells with white wedding bells attached to either end.

Out-of-town guests included Warren Hart, Canadian, Texas; Mrs. Dean Shipp and Denise, Friona, Texas; Mrs. Charles Shipp, Rotan, Texas; Mrs. Glen Buchanan, Midwest City, Oklahoma; Mrs. Don Hackley, Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith, Grand Cane, Louisiana; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lamb, Texoma, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Lamb, Strasburg, Colorado.

Pre-nuptial courtesies were a lingerie shower hosted by Mrs. Archie Nelson and Lisa and a miscellaneous shower at the A. R. Bert's.

Following a short honeymoon in New Mexico and Colorado, the couple will be at home at Caprock #2 north east of Gruver where the groom is employed.

"To teach is to learn twice." Joseph Joubert

### New sign at museum

The Hansford County Historical Survey Committee, Inc. met in regular session Friday, June 10 at 1:30 at the Station Master's House Museum with the meeting called to order by President Fred Groves.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report was read and approved.

John Hutchison explained that the tax exempt status of the museum should allow the museum a 5% discount from the merchants.

An antique clock from the Old Harlan Building has been donated to the museum by Mr. and Mrs. G. R. (Dick) Kilgore.

A new sign for the museum was installed outside the structure. A special thanks to Mrs. Buster Hendricks for doing the artwork (lettering) on the sign that was installed in front of the museum.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned. Members present were John Hutchison, Grace Lyon, Gwendolyn Lackey, Ruth Shaver and Fred Groves. The next meeting will be July 8.

### Plant Reunion July 3

Present and former residents at the Panhandle Eastern Plant, south of Hardisty, Oklahoma are invited to the Hansford Plant reunion scheduled July 3. Children, grandchildren and other relatives also are invited, says Mrs. Ray Collins of Spearman. Persons attending the reunion are asked to bring a basket lunch and plan to stay all day.

### Fireworks Stand Open June 27

Members of the Rho Rho Sorority will be selling fireworks Monday, June 27 thru Monday, July 4, Hours on June 27 thru 29 will be 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Hours from June 30th on will be 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Their fireworks stand will be set up in front of Horizon Oil and Gas Company on the Borge Highway. Rho Rho would appreciate your business and encourage people to come out and patronize. Proceeds go toward the various community activities that Rho Rho Sorority supports.

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# Announcing

## Dr. Robert J. Phillips

is announcing the opening

of a

### FAMILY PRACTICE CLINIC

TUESDAY, JULY 5th

The clinic will be located at

## 702 South Roland,

## Spearman, Texas

Phone 659-2556.

CLINIC HOURS ARE:

9 - 12 A.M. 2 - 5 P.M.

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Wednesdays & Saturdays

open for half a day (9 - 12)



Peggy Woodington and Judy Hergert selling baked goods for the Servitors Club at Gordon's.



Thriftway Grocery Store was the site of a baked goods sale for the Servitors Club with Rita Holmes and Linda Winegarner doing part of the selling.

**False SS agent in area**

The Social Security Administration District Office in Amarillo has received reports from the public that they are being contacted by a man who is falsely representing himself as an employee of the Social Security Administration, reports Jim Talbot, District Manager. "He uses the disguise of one of our employees and tells the people that if they are receiving Supplemental Security Income, they are now required to pay eight dollars a month just to receive SSI," says Talbot. "Those who are on SSI are in no way obligated to pay a fee for receiving these benefits."

Federal employees are required to carry proper identification and Talbot urges the public to ask for identification before giving information to anyone. It is a federal offense for a person to falsely identify himself as a federal employee.

"If anyone in the Panhandle area is contacted by someone alleging to be an employee of Social Security and asking for money, please contact me at this office," said Talbot. "It will be especially helpful if we can be given a name or auto license number or any other piece of evidence that might aid the FBI."

**July 4 holiday at hand**

With the exception of law enforcement personnel who will be on call for emergency or other duties, a long holiday weekend is in store for many Spearman residents who work in city, county and federal jobs or in certain financial institutions which will be closed Monday in observance of the nation's birthday.

Otherwise, business is to be conducted as usual for most places in Spearman, with the exception of business which might be closed in observance of the occasion.



DeAnn Duniho explains to a bread-buying customer, where the wheat dollar goes. The WIFE ladies had set displays in three of Spearman's grocery stores to let the consumers know how much of their bread purchase was going for wheat.

**WIFE tells about wheat**

Those busy little WIFE women were at it again. Wednesday morning they set up stands at three of the grocery stores here in Spearman and started handing out pennies. Every customer that bought a pound and a half loaf of bread received a four cent refund from WIFE to demonstrate how much of their purchase actually went to the farmer. Along with the four cents the ladies also handed each bread buying customer a fact sheet show-

ing the following breakdowns: There were also some other interesting facts on the sheet. If a farmer gave his wheat away today, and its value was deducted from the price of a 35.3 cent one pound loaf of bread—the bread would still cost 32.5 cents! For each 70 cents change (up or down) in the price of wheat, the value of wheat in a loaf of bread changes 1 cent.

**WIFE's drive for scrap iron donations is in full swing.** They have already collected two truck loads and are hoping for more. The ladies are going to wrap the drive up by the end of next week in preparation for their up-coming trip to Washington D.C. The WIFE ladies have decided to accept an invitation from Senator John Tower that they return to Washington before the Farm Bill comes out onto the Congress floor. The ladies will return to D.C. July 10th.

**WIFE GETS THE BREAD DOLLAR?**

- \$.13 Production (farmer)
- .05 Assembly (local and terminal elevators, broker)
- .32 Processing (miller and baker)
- .36 Wholesaling & Transportation (railroad, trucker, wholesaler)
- .18 Retailing (local grocer)

Of Each \$1.00 Consumer spends for Bread

**HOW A LOAF OF BREAD IS SLICED:**

- Cents 22.3 Baker-wholesaler
- 4.3 Grocery store
- .6 Flour miller
- 2.3 Farm milk
- 2.8 Farm wheat
- 3.0 Other
- 35.5 Cents paid by Consumer

**Massad's Summer SALE**  
STARTS TUESDAY, JULY 5

**LADIES BLOUSES**  
CHOICE OF DOUBLE KNITS & BLENDS  
1/3 OFF TO CLEAR

**PURSES** 1/3 OFF

**LADIES SPRING & SUMMER DRESSES**  
MISSSES & JUNIORS  
ALL TO CLEAR 1/3 TO 1/2 OFF

**SHOES** 1/2 PRICE

**Bathing Suits**  
ALL GOOD BRANDS  
TO CLEAR 1/3 OFF

**SHORTY Pajamas & Gowns**  
COTTON & POLYESTER BLENDS  
TO CLEAR 1/3 OFF

**PANTS**  
ALL DOUBLE KNIT  
TO CLEAR 1/3 OFF

**Long Dresses** TO CLEAR 1/3 OFF

**STRAW HATS** SUMMER 1/3 OFF

**SHORTS** TO CLEAR 1/3 OFF

**HALTERS** MARKED TO CLEAR

**SPORTSWEAR**  
ALL MISSES & JUNIORS  
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**MARKED TO CLEAR**  
\*Check our \*White Elephant \*Table

**MASSAD'S**  
DOWNTOWN SPEARMAN

**FINAL CLOSE OUT ON 1977**

**ZENITH**

Making room for '78 merchandise now arriving

**EARL'S T.V.**  
106 E. KENNETH SPEARMAN 659-2121

# Artist of the Month



It was announced that Mrs. Garrett Allen will be the Artist for the month of July. Mrs. Allen's artwork will hang in the Library this month. Her needlepoint is very beautiful. She has been doing needlepoint for over 12 years and has made many afghans. Mrs. Garrett also china paints. She has resided 2 miles south of Spearman since 1929, helping her husband to

plow out the original sod. She has four children, all of which live in Spearman: Mrs. Verna Gail Keim, Mrs. Schnell, Don Allen, and Dee Allen.

## Local men participate in NIRA finals

Two Gruver men representing two Oklahoma University rodeo teams were participants in the recent College National Rodeo Finals held in Bozeman, Montana, June 13th through the 22nd. Bart Thoreson, a member of the Panhandle State University Rodeo team, Goodwell, Oklahoma, and George Enloe, a member of the Southeastern State University Rodeo team, Durant, Oklahoma, were both active members of their respective rodeo teams. SSU ranked 1st in the Central Plains Region competition this year going into the Finals and PSU ranked 2nd in the same Regional competition. The Southeastern State University team rode off with top honors at the NIRA for the second time in a row at the Bozeman, Montana competition. SSU had picked up about \$4,400 in scholarships for winning 1st place in the Region competition and another \$4,000 was added for the Men's First NIRA team. The final clincher for the National title Saturday really came on the completion of the rodeo by Jerry Beagle atop one of the toughest bulls at the Bozeman Rodeo which earned him a score of 82, the highest scored ride at the 1977 CNFR and locked up the team championship for Southeastern and the NIRA world bull riding championship for the 140 lb., 23 year old Beagle.

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# Instant Market News Available

"What can I get for my grain?"

That's the question on the minds of farmers as the hot, dry weather of recent days sparks a scramble for combines and storage space during this season's winter wheat harvesting for more information, he may contact market news coordinator Mike Walton at the Texas State Department of Agriculture in Austin at AC (512) 475-2744.

If a farmer would like a national grain summary, he may dial (202) 447-8233 in Washington, D.C. The 2-1/2 minute report provides national trends on grain prices, demand and supply situation, movement and export activity, as well as pertinent information from overseas.

All the phone reports are available around the clock, and all calls are at the caller's expense.

These are the numbers to call in Texas: Amarillo... (806) 352-7411; Corpus Christi... (512) 0911; El Paso... (915) 533-1514; Lubbock... (806) 763-3285; Spur... (806) 271-4505; Vernon... (817) 552-7541. If a producer is looking for more information, he may contact market news coordinator Mike Walton at the Texas State Department of Agriculture in Austin at AC (512) 475-2744.

## Hansford county dress revue

Thirty 4-H members across Hansford County are busily stitching and ripping in preparation for the 1977 Hansford County 4-H Dress Revue to be held Thursday, July 7, at the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church in Spearman.

Individual judging of the garments as modeling of the garments will begin at 9:30 a.m. with modeling practice for the evening show scheduled for 11:00 a.m.

Contestants will present a style show Thursday evening at 8:00 p.m. for public viewing of garments and creative sewing exhibit. Contestants will receive awards for top garments and Best Model in each of three divisions. Entertainment and refreshments will be provided for your enjoyment.

Everyone is invited to make plans now to attend the 1977 Hansford County 4-H Dress Revue, July 7, at 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Spearman, as 4-H contestants present "Fashions On The Go!"

## 4th of July scramble

There will be an 18 hole Golf Scramble, Monday, July 4th. Tee-off time will be at 1:30 and the entry fee will be \$5.00. Depending on the number of entries, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places will probably receive prizes. Non-members will be charged a green fee, but are cordially invited. Come out to the Hansford Golf Club and enjoy the fourth with a good game of golf.

## First Presbyterian Church News

There will be a Family Camp July 2-4 at Camp Chimney Spring for families of any size and age, a time well planned for fun and inspiration.

There is a Sunday Church School class for every age group every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. Carter McKemy will be preaching at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday, July 3 at 11:00 a.m.

There will be a Family Camp July 4-9 at Camp Chimney Spring for families of any size and age, an unstructured time for families to do their own thing. Warm, friendly, Christian fellowship awaits all who attend the services and activities of the First Presbyterian Church.

## William Porter on Holy Land tour

William C. Porter, Route 2, Spearman, Texas is one of sixty-three students participating in "Wheaton '77" Holy Lands-1977 sponsored by Wheaton College. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Porter.

Centered in Jerusalem, the program offers 12 hours credit in Biblical studies on the undergraduate level or graduate level. The focus of the study tour is the correlation of Biblical, theological, archaeological, historical, and cultural dimensions of the Old and New Testament worlds.

After an initial three weeks on Wheaton's campus, students fly to Greece for a week's study of early Christianity. Major locations visited by the Apostle Paul will be studied, including Athens, Corinth, Philippi, Berea, and Thessalonica. In Turkey they will examine Ephesus and other selected sites where both the Apostles Paul and John ministered.

A four-week program in Israel with the American Institute of Holy Land Studies will concentrate on Jerusalem, as well as include visits to significant areas and Biblical sites in the Holy Land. This period will also provide exposure to the contemporary religious, political, and cultural life of both Israeli and Arab peoples. The program will conclude with a four-day stop in Rome to study the expansion of Christianity in ancient and modern Rome. Wheaton College is a co-educational Christian liberal arts college located 25 miles west of Chicago.

## Gable family shower slated

Members of the Alpha Psi Sorority are sponsoring a shower for the Gable family who lost everything in a recent fire. The shower of gifts, household, personal, and children's items has been set for 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Friday, July 8, at the LaCassia Room of the Gruver State Bank.

The Gables have two children, Tanya, age 3, and John who was a year old June 30th and these two lost all of their playthings, clothing, and necessities.

Colombus made four voyages to America.

Napoleon crowned himself Emperor of France.

Lancaster, Pennsylvania was capitol of the United States for one day.

Napoleon was morbidly afraid of cats.

John Adams was first president to occupy the White House.

### Insurance Corner

### Unscheduled Property Coverage

Although the contents of your home are covered for loss up to 50% of the face value of your home-owners policy, this refers to "unscheduled" property such as: furniture, clothing, stereos, TV's and the like. Some items won't be protected sufficiently by your home-owner's unscheduled property coverage. Pay particular attention to jewelry, furs and other valuables. Most standard homeowners policies sets limits like these:

- Jewelry, watches, precious stones and furs - \$500 in the aggregate (total loss). Money, bank notes and coin collections - \$100.
- Manuscripts - \$1,000.
- Securities, letters of credit, deeds, bills and stamp collections - \$500 total.
- Boats, boating equipment and trailers - \$500.

You can get additional coverage for practically all such items through scheduled personal articles floaters, either in a separate policy or as an endorsement to your present policy.

This information has been brought to you as a public service by John R. Collard, Jr. your one stop answer to complete business and personal insurance protection. Life, home, auto, group insurance, and profit-sharing plans. See John R. Collard, Jr., 405 Davis St., Telephone 659-2511.

### Fire victims aid set up

The Dale Gables, whose home was completely gutted by fire Sunday, are to be "at home" in a trailer located in the 600 block of Cator (across from Otto Gammill's home). The only furnishings are a refrigerator and stove. If you have a dining set, beds, or other furnishings and equipment please contact Mrs. Dee Miller, 733-2664 (or at the Library, 733-2191) or Mrs. Jim Stuck, 733-2852.

### \$100 REWARD offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person or persons breaking windows in the former TG&Y Building.

CONTACT THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

### First State Bank

Monday, July 4th LEGAL HOLIDAY

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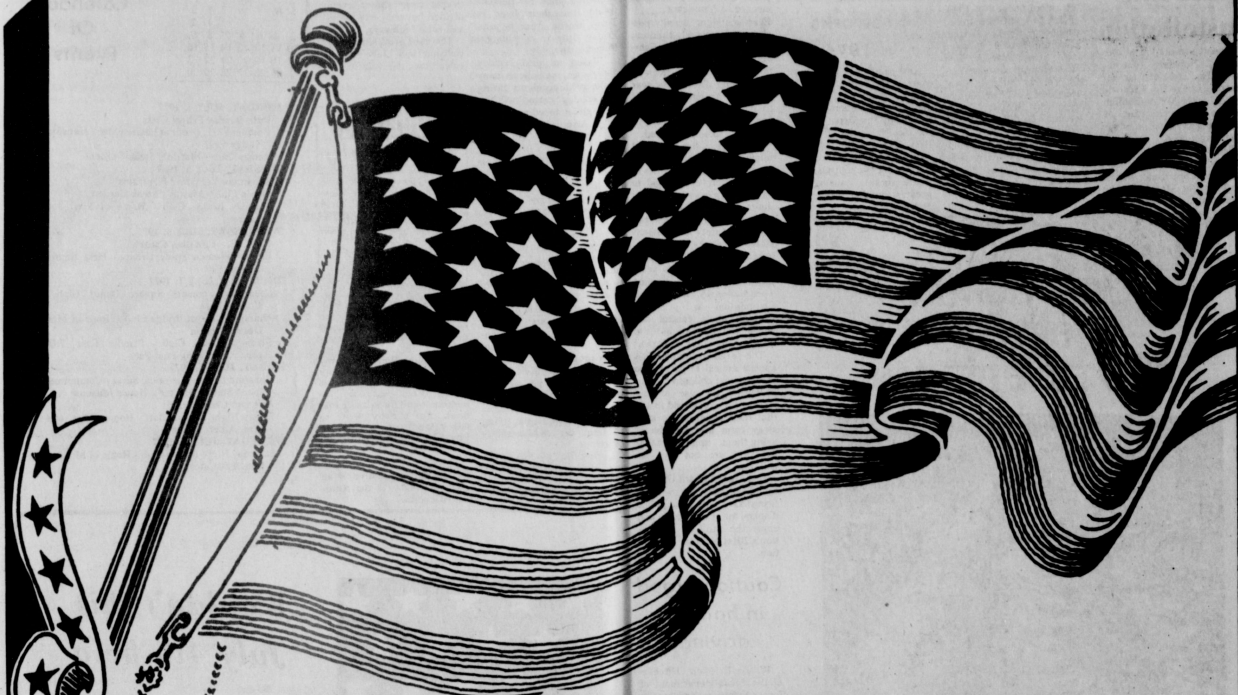
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# JULY 4<sup>th</sup>

## A Time to Repledge Ourselves . . .

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**ANNIVERSARY**

## Masonic installation

A joint installation of officers of Hansford Masonic Lodge No. 1040 and Gruber Masonic Lodge No. 1326 will be held at the Masonic Building in Spearman July 9 beginning at 7:30 p.m., it has been announced.

Past Grand Master of Masons in Texas John R. Colard, Jr. of Spearman will be the installing Master for the open installation ceremony.

Phil Jenkins will be installing Marshal.  
Hansford Lodge No. 1040, A.F.A.M., Officers to be installed are Ceril E. Batton, Worshipful Master; Dwayne Smith, Senior Warden; Don Wirsdorfer, Jr., Junior Warden; Tommy Russell, Treasurer; Jerry E. Gee, Secretary; Ricky Riggins, Senior Deacon; David McIntyre, Junior Deacon; Cecil R. Biggers, Chaplain; Jack Whitson, Senior Steward; and S. E. (Dick) Hudson, Junior Steward.

A social hour will follow.

## 9 blinded by fireworks in 1976

Last summer in Texas nine youngsters were blinded by carelessness with fireworks, reported from a survey conducted by the Texas Society for the Prevention of Blindness. 89 responding ophthalmologists also treated 34 persons for eye injuries, with bottle rockets causing the greatest number of eye loss and damage cases.

Fireworks, even the small ones, are still a needless menace to Americans. Even sparklers, usually purchased for small children, burn at 4500 degrees Fahrenheit, leaving a steel core hot enough to sear flesh or set clothing afire. A five year old San Antonio girl was treated for severe eye damage from just that cause in 1976, the Society reported.

Ironically, the greatest number of accidents were reported in the major cities of Texas, where it is illegal to have fireworks within the city limits.

The Federal Consumer Products Safety Commission stated fireworks caused approximately 4,750 hospital recorded injuries last year; more than half the victims were under 15 years. The Commission is presently working on a control law which will ban all but the smallest fireworks in Texas.

The Texas Society makes a special appeal to parents to see to it that children are not permitted the use of any form of fireworks, and to see that their children are kept away from anyone who is using them. Remember that fireworks are not toys for children.

Celebrate the 4th of July, by all means, but without fireworks. Attend a public display, sit at a distance and enjoy the thrill of our nation's 201st birthday celebration.

Colonel Wilson E. Speir, estimated that 51 persons would lose their lives in Texas traffic from 6 p.m. Friday, July 1, to midnight Monday, July 4.

"Based on past holiday experience, we believe many of the traffic accidents during the holiday period will involve either speeding or drinking. Also, it is likely that a high percentage will occur late at night or within a few hours after midnight," Speir said.

"Hopefully, motorists will drive defensively and be thoughtful while behind the wheel. I sincerely believe that if they would keep the principle of courtesy and concern utmost in their minds that it would make for a safe holiday," the DPS director added.

To deal with the problem of reckless drivers, the DPS will be utilizing all its manpower in a strong enforcement program. In addition, Department of Public Safety Troopers will be working with local enforcement agencies throughout the state, as well as the new media, trying to keep the public safety conscious.

During the July 4 weekend last year, 55 persons were killed in Texas accidents. Department of Public

Safety records indicate the deaths were almost evenly divided between city streets and rural highways.

The most prevalent type of collision last July 4th involved only one vehicle.

## COOKING Brilliantly



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## Calendar Of Events

- MONDAY, JULY 4, 1977  
Ruth Sunday School Class  
Chapter #721, Order of Eastern Star - Hansford Lodge Hall  
Rotary Club - Martin's Steak Garden
- TUESDAY, JULY 5, 1977  
Spearman Volunteer Fire-Ettes  
Lion's Club - Martin's Steak Garden  
Tuesday Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Joel Lackey
- WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 1977  
C. W. F. - Christian Church  
Baptist Women Study Group - First Baptist Church
- THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1977  
Spearman Spinners Square Dance Club - County Barn  
Thursday Dessert Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Dennis Nelson  
Gladiola Flower Club - Family Picnic, 7:00 p.m., Swimming Pool Park
- FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1977  
Hansford County Historical Survey Committee, Inc. - Station Master's House Museum  
Arts and Crafts Guild  
Friday Night Bridge Club - Home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker
- SATURDAY, JULY 9, 1977  
Saturday Night Bridge Club - Home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Cates



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## Caution urged in holiday driving

Wilson E. Speir, Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, reported today that the DPS Statistical Services estimates a large number of persons will die in traffic accidents during the upcoming Fourth of July holiday. Speir said, "Deaths so far during 1977 are running higher than expected due to excessive use of alcohol and speed."

"Operation Motorcade" is designed to focus attention on the added dangers of death in holiday travel. Traffic fatalities will be counted by the DPS throughout the Fourth of July period. These totals will be announced three times daily in order to keep safety foremost in the minds of the drivers.

Major C.W. Bell, DPS Region 5 Commander of Lubbock, said, "Most traffic accidents are made tragic by the fact that they could have been avoided. Too often the best driver lets his attention wander, and the result is a fatal accident."

The Texas Department of Public Safety's Region 5 will have all available uniformed officers on patrol during the Fourth of July holiday. There will be an increase in surveillance over the heavy holiday traffic, with special emphasis on apprehension of the drinking drivers and speeders.

"The most important effort in reducing traffic accidents must come from the individual driver, and the joys of a long and happy life are the rewards for safe holiday motoring," concluded Major Bell.

## Baptist Women Meet

Baptist Women Study Group met Wednesday, June 29 at the church for work day.

The ladies enjoyed lunch at noon and made quilts all day. Reverend Russell Pogue used some very delicious biscuits for the luncheon.

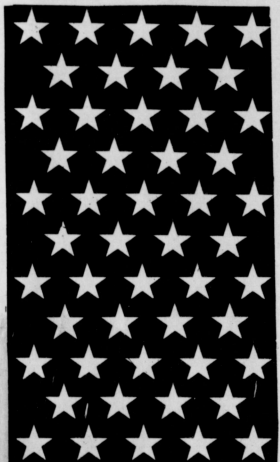
Members present were Mesdames: Joe Novak, Glen Hiller, Mable Edwards, L. L. Anthony, A. F. Loftin, Russell Pogue, Johnny Wagner, Lonnie Hiller, Arthur Adkison, J. L. Denman, Ed Hattison, Carl Kirziar and Miss Altha Graves.

The next meeting will be July 6.

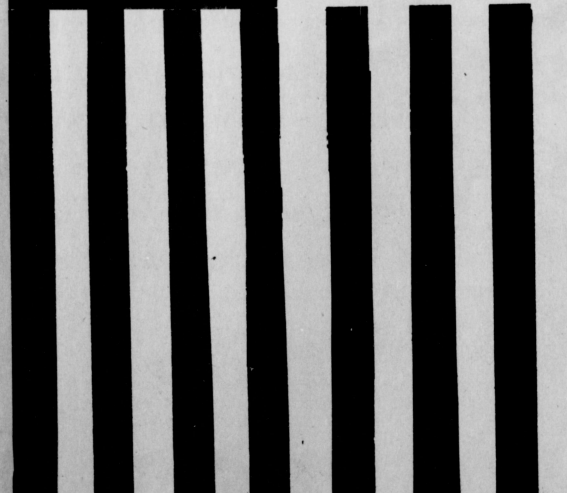
## DPS 51 fatalities estimates

The Texas Department of Public Safety today warned that an unusually high number of traffic accidents and fatalities are likely to occur during the July 4th holiday weekend.

The head of the DPS,



Wouldn't this July 4th be a good time to pause a moment and remember what a privilege it is to live in this country?



# EQUITY

## Happy Birthday

### James Cunningham

**Welcome to the Half Century Club**



### Peggy's Pointers

Pressure canning and freezing, the most popular method of home food preservation today, were the main topics discussed as twenty-one interested homemakers from throughout Hansford

County gathered in the Home Demonstration Clubroom for a refresher course on Home Food Preservation and Pressure Canner Testing Clinic, Thursday, June 30, 1977.

Participants received information and bulletins on Canning, Freezing, Drying and Food Safety as presented by County Extension Agent

Peggy Marrs.

Door prizes consisting of jar lifters, freezer bags and freezer cartons were presented to Aurora Vela, Ethel Byers, Ruth Garner and Mrs. E.A. Murphy.

This event is sponsored by the Family Living Committee under the direction of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Committee mem-

bers participating included Fontella McKee at the registration table with Kari Schuman and Lucille Schadt testing the pressure canners. Other committee members present were Sherlene Hayes, Elene Green and Ethel Byers. \*\*\*\*\* Travelers Cheques help protect against loss or theft of funds.

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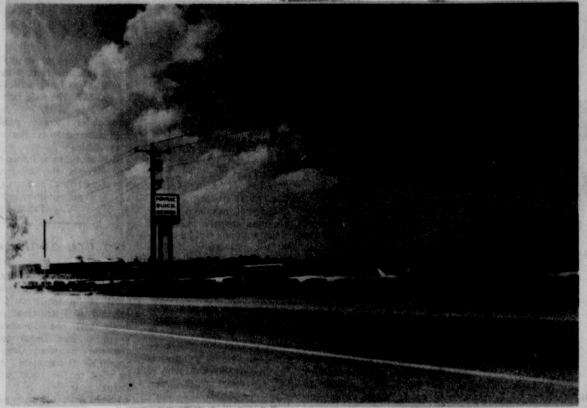
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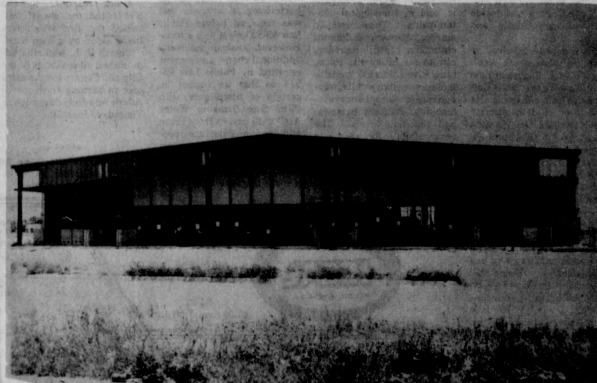
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# Spearman Reporter

We print everything but stamps and money, and if it don't rain, we may start doing that...



Hergert's Pontiac Buick has accumulated 3 1/2 acres of cars and trucks. They currently have the largest inventory of any in their past history.



The Beedy "Dream" is coming closer and closer into being a reality. Brad and Dodie are hoping to be into their new building sometime in September.

### Help avert holiday fatalities

Habeas Corpus literally means, "you may have the body."

The pony express was established between San Francisco and St. Joseph, Missouri on April 3, 1860.

The Fourth-of-July holiday period was the deadliest 3-day weekend of last year. Fifty-five traffic related deaths were recorded in Texas. Statistics also show July to be the heaviest traveled month of 1976. Mindful of the long weekend and increased travel, Governor Dolph Briscoe asked Texans to rally to face the problem of traffic accidents. Said Briscoe, "Texans pride themselves on their sense of individual responsibility. If they are properly informed of a problem, it is my conviction they will respond positively and quickly. The fatality rate on our streets and highways during the Fourth-of-July holiday must be considered a critical problem facing all Texans. Any real solution depends on each of us taking full responsibility for his own

behavior being the wheel," said the Governor. Briscoe's Traffic Safety Representative, Ken Nevil, said if motorists would not rush they would have a much better chance of survival as they travel. "Interstate accidents have increased by 45 percent over last year. This is due to several factors including increased travel, disregard for speed limits, heavy alcohol use and the like. Frequently, drivers concentrate on their holiday fun rather than the heavy responsibility of maneuvering an automobile. As drivers, we must anticipate the unexpected and be prepared to react. We must rely upon good judgement and skills. But, we must be compassionate in our driving. The basic rules are: leave early enough for trips,

limit the use of alcohol, maintain moderate speed and keep totally alert to potential traffic hazards. The traffic accident problem requires everyone's help, collectively and individually. If we drive as a team, together we could reduce the death toll," concluded Nevil.

Always have a little cash on hand in the currency of the country you're in for tipping and small purchases, but carry most of your money in American Express Travelers Cheques. Should they be lost or stolen, American Express protects your fun by refunding missing Travelers Cheques, usually on the same day. And if you discover missing Cheques after ordinary office hours, you can obtain emergency refunds at Holiday Inns in the United States and Canada, and Avis offices in Europe.

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The unanimous Declaration

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

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DELICIOUS LOCAL DISH

**Devers is director of Singers**



Bill Devers

Bill Devers, 33, musical director of the Hereford Chamber Singers and the 65-voice Hereford Youth Choir, believes our motto, "Human Relations thru Music," can foster a world-wide spirit of camaraderie and peace.

Bill has been involved in music for many years, receiving a B.M.E. degree in 1966 from West Texas State University in Canyon, Texas. He served as student director under the late Dr. Houston Bright, W.T.S.U. Choral Director and Composer-in-Residence.

Much of Bill's time each year is spent directing Choral Clinics and adjudicating various contests around the state.

Although Bill enjoys directing primarily, he has found time occasionally to sing in a professional Barbershop quartet for the last 13 years; participating in the musical drama, "Texas," in the Palo Duro Canyon Amphitheater; and in 1976 toured England for two weeks in the W.T.S.U. England Choral.

Bill is presently director of Choral Music at LaPlata Junior High School, Hereford, Texas.

His wife Elva is the accompanist for the Chamber Singers who, although beginning with the modest expectation of sharing their love of good choral music with the people at Hereford, they were soon performing in Amarillo, in our State Capitol building, and in San Antonio. Then the membership was invited to join the WTSU Choral for a concert tour in England. This summer the group travels through the "Iron Curtain" for a representative tour of Romania. Being local residents from all walks of life, with very limited time for rehearsal, it is remarkable that the Hereford Chamber Singers give quality performances consistently. A spokesman for the Texas Choral Directors Association declared that they were "the finest (non-professional) choir I have ever heard".

So from a humble beginning, the Hereford Chamber Singers are truly international performers and have become one of the major cultural resources of the area.

Bill is a graduate of Spearman High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Devers, 1015 S. Roland.

**Slo-pitch tourney at Borger**

A men's slo-pitch tourney will be held July 8, 9, and 10th in Borger, Texas. The tourney will be a double-elimination affair and all teams in the area are invited to enter.

The games will be played at Hubert Park and Carl T. Lewis fields. Entry fee will be \$50.00. The deadline for entering the tournament is July 4th! Team trophies will be given for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th places. Individual team trophies will be given for 1st place teams. There will be a 1 hour time limit on each game. Balls will be furnished by the Borger men's softball league.

Teams interested in entering the tournament should contact NORMAN FORBES, Sports Editor, Borger News Herald. You may call 1-806-273-5611, or send entry fee to Borger Men's Softball League, P. O. Box 505, Borger, Texas 79007.

James A. Parley's middle son is a sophomore.

**City water supply safe**

Ted Scroggs, City of Spearman Water Utilities Superintendent, has released a statement assuring the public that the Spearman water supply is safe in the wake of recent confusion concerning reports of high fluoride and nitrate levels in some public water supplies in the Texas Panhandle.

Here is the statement: In regards to recent confusion concerning reports of high fluoride and nitrate levels in some public water supplies, please be informed that:

Public Law 93-523 (The Safe Drinking Water Act) was signed into law by President Ford on December 16, 1974. The act directed the Environmental Protection Agency to adopt national drinking water regulations that would be applicable to all public water supplies.

This was eventually accomplished with final primary regulations set maximum contaminant levels for a number of organic, inorganic, and microbiological contaminants. These include arsenic, barium, cadmium, chromium, lead, mercury, nitrate (as nitrogen), selenium, silver, fluoride, endrin, lindane, methoxy-chlor, toxaphene, chlorophenoxys, turbidity, coliform bacteria, and radiation levels. The responsibility for sampling and monitoring results falls directly on the owner of the water supply system; with enforcement powers coming

primarily from the Texas Department of Health Resources on the State level, and secondarily the EPA on the Federal level.

At the present time, the only laboratory in the state of Texas, certified to run all the required tests for chemical analysis in the Texas Department of Health Resources lab at Austin. Consequently, it may be a year to eighteen months before all water supplies can be checked to determine if they actually are in compliance or not. Presently the City of Spearman is waiting to hear results of analysis of water samples sent to the State laboratory in May 26, 1977.

The one area in which the more attention seems to be centered for our county, is the fluoride concentrations in our water supply. Records of analysis of samples from the past two years indicate that Spearman's water supply is in compliance with limits set by EPA, as well as all other chemical and bacteriological analysis that was required before Public Law 93-523 went into effect. However, analysis for many additional chemicals are now required by Public Law 93-523 so that we cannot be certain of compliance with "The Safe Drinking Water Act" until results from these additional analysis are received. We do wish to assure the public, however, that our water supply is safe, and that if any of the analysis do show

that our water exceeds any of the maximum contaminant levels as set forth in Public Law 93-523 (The Safe Drinking Water Act), we will immediately make public such information as soon as it is available.

Authorized to be issued by the officials, the statement was signed by Ted Scroggs, Water Utilities Supt., City of Spearman

**No fire damage**

A trash fire on the Craig Hutchinson farm two miles south of Spearman on FM 760 did no structural damage and the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department and the Hansford County Sheriff's Department responded to the 10:37 a.m. alarm.

Involved were tree boughs, some fence posts and the trash which was being burned in metal containers.

Quick response by the SVPD and the sheriff contained the fire which was being aided by a high wind. Sheriff R. L. McFarlin admonished all residents of the City and County to take extra care in burning trash, particularly on windy days such as Thursday, July 30.

Forty-eight guns, one for each state, constitute a national salute.

**Cost of car upkeep in county**

With many Hansford County residents preparing to take off on vacation jaunts in their cars, the matter of cost becomes a prime consideration.

The changes are detailed in a report released by the American Automobile Association, which surveys the national situation every year or two. It finds that inflation has left its mark everywhere. The net effect, for two people traveling together this summer, is that they will have to spend about \$15.50 more per day for necessities than they did in 1974.

On the basis of the AAA figure, Hansford County vacationers must count on daily budget of about \$68 per day for essential needs. Despite the bigger expense, auto travel has been on the rise and local gas stations have benefitted from it. Their receipts last year amounted to \$2,778,000, as against their 1974 total of \$1,805,000.

**City Summer Sports CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- June 16-22 Women's Volley Ball, 8:00 p.m., Tuesdays & Thursdays, Old Gym
- July 5-Aug 5 Weight Lifting, 6-10 p.m., Field House, Monday thru Friday (All ages)
- July 9 AAU Track Meet, Borger
- July 11 3rd Tennis Tournament, Men & Women's Doubles
- July 11-15 Tennis Clinic, Coach Steele, Monday thru Friday
- July 18 Adults-10-12 a.m. School ages- 8-10 a.m. (Will end with a tournament)
- July 18-22 4th Tennis Tournament, Mixed Doubles
- July 18-22 Golf Clinic, Coach Hamilton, 8-12 a.m., meet at High School
- Aug 1-5 Field House (All ages) M-F Gymnastics Clinic, Mrs. Mollie Holton, Old Gym, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, Monday thru Friday, (boys and girls, grade school and junior high ages)

**Post Office to close July 4**

The Spearman Post Office will be closed July 4, in observance of Independence Day. There will be no collections, deliveries or boxing of mail on this widely observed holiday. In order to afford all Postal employees and Star Route contractors the opportunity to observe this holiday, there will be no in-coming or outgoing mail service. Regular mail service will resume on July 5. There are 12 silver buttons on the front of a policeman's coat.

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