

# HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS



ATTEND STATE CONVENTION--Hansford County Farm Bureau was represented by 6 delegates at the Texas Farm Bureau's 40th annual convention held Dec. 2-5 in Abilene. Pictured at the registration table are, first row from left: Mrs. Aubrey Rator, Mrs. Elmo Dahl and Mrs. W. L. Johnson. Second row from left: Mr. Aubrey Rator, Mr. Elmo Dahl and Mr. W. L. Johnson.

## Local Delegates Attend State Farm Bureau Meet

Among the more than 1,500 Farm Bureau members attending the Texas Farm Bureau convention Dec. 2-5 in Abilene, were MR. AND MRS. AUBREY RATOR, MR. AND MRS. ELMO DAHL AND MR. AND MRS. BILL JOHNSON, delegates from Hansford County Farm Bureau.

A total of about 900 delegates, representing the majority of the 209 organized Farm Bureaus in Texas, were present at the 40th annual meeting held in the Abilene Civic Center. The convention adopted state policies for 1974 and recommendations on national issues.

Delegates registered Sunday, Dec. 2, before participating in the evening's activities which included a Vespers Service, Discussion Meet and Talent Find.

On the agenda for Monday morning was the president's annual address, delivered by J. T. Woodson of Gober, and a special address on the energy crisis by guest speaker John C. Whitaker, undersecretary of the U. S. Department of Interior. A Ladies' Luncheon was held at noon.

Monday afternoon was devoted to special conferences on Community Services, Livestock, Dairy, Rice, Natural Resources, and Wheat and Feed Grains. That evening 13 district nominees competed for the title of state Farm Bureau Queen.

Tuesday's activities included a voting delegate breakfast, the administrative report delivered by TFB Executive Director Warren Newberry, and the financial report brought by TFB Secretary-Treasurer Bill Reid. Conferences of Field Crops, Research and Education, Services, Poultry, Farm Labor and Cotton were held Tuesday afternoon.

In conjunction with the awards program on Tuesday evening, those attending the convention were entertained by Jeannie C. Riley of "Harper Valley PTA" fame, and a five-piece country and western band, The Home-steaders.

The convention business session began Tuesday afternoon and continued through Wednesday. The last order of business was the election of directors and the TFB president. The president for 1974 is Red Woodson of Gober, Texas. Carol Chaloupka of Dalhart, Texas was elected as Vice-President.

The annual Christmas party for Owens Sales and Snider & Pearson employees and their husbands and wives was held Thursday, December 13 in the hospitality room of the First State Bank.

Those present enjoyed a delicious meal, a gift exchange and playing cards and dominoes.

The Holt Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, December 18 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Jackson for their annual Christmas party for members and their husbands.

Those present enjoyed snacks brought by each member and enjoyed playing cards and dominoes.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. Britt Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holt, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Berner, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Jackson and Terry.

Next business meeting will be January 15 in the home of Mrs. Mike Holt.

Spearmen Chapter #721, Order of the Eastern Star held a farewell party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Leland Wood Tuesday evening at the Masonic Hall.

The serving table was decorated in the Christmas theme, with sandwiches, chips and dips, cake and punch and coffee being served.

Gifts, including a beautiful picture and the praying hands were presented to the honorees.

The remainder of the evening was spent in fellowship. We wish to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to this couple for their tremendous interest, work and contributions to our chapter and our lovely order.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Faries, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hand, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hendricks, Deta Blodgett, Minnie Jones, Millie Craig, Louise Sampson, Lynanne Maize, Jerry Gee, Ceril Batton and the honorees.

The Teenage Class of the Apostolic Faith Church had a taffy pull Sunday, December 16 after church in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Berner.

Members present exchanged white elephant gifts.

Members present were: Sharon Bernard, Carolyn Byers, Cindy and Denise Berner, Terri Messner, Steve

Southern, Bill Baker, and Charles Ware from Liberal, Kansas.

Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Greever, Mrs. Benny Byers, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and Jill, Rev. and Mrs. Winston Barker and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Berner and Ed.

Teacher for the class is Mrs. Bill Watson and assistant teacher is Mrs. W. R. Greever.

The Women's Division of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce held their regular monthly meeting December 17, in the Hansford Library meeting room. Hostess was Mrs. R. E. Lee, who had the table decorated with Christmas cloth and napkins.

The meeting was called to order by Susie J. Hand, President. Others present were: Kackie Rupprecht, Dorothy Roden, Faye Palmer, Alta Fisher, Jimmie Riggins, Altha Townsend, Emma Lou Collins, Mary Lou Woyson, Virginia Fowler, and Elwana Davis.

A discussion on plans for decorations at the upcoming annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet was held.

Also, the final order for the Trash Receptacles, a project which the Women's Division has promoted to help have a cleaner Spearman, was placed.

The new officers for the coming year has also been accepted and approved.

They will be announced at a later date.

The next regular meeting will be held January 21, 1974 MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

### BRIDGE

Mrs. R. E. Lee was hostess for the annual Christmas party for the Hi-Lo Bridge Club Wednesday evening in her home.

The home was beautifully decorated in the Christmas theme. Members enjoyed delicious meal and a gift exchange.

Mrs. Faye Lynch won high score and Mrs. W. H. Gann had low score.

Attending were Meses. J. Berry, Leonard Jameson, Preston Scott, Vi Whitson, Faye Lynch, W. H. Gandy Gertrude Archer and the hostess.

Mrs. R. C. Porter was hostess for her bridge club Tuesday, December 18.

High was won by Mrs. Do McLain.

Members present were Mesdames: Joel Lackey, Irvin Davis, J. R. Keim, Ted Gofrey, Don McLain, Bill K. Jackson, Tom Sutton and R. C. Porter.

Next meeting will be January 15 in the home of Mrs. Don Smith.

### Funeral Services In Pampa Dec. 24

Mrs. Lester Stewart of Pampa, sister-in-law of Mrs. Bob Burke, passed away December 21 in Highland General Hospital in Pampa.

Services will be Monday at 2 p. m. in the First Christian Church in Pampa.

### Funeral Services Held For Harold Saltzman

Funeral services were held Monday, December 24, for Harold Saltzman, 49 of Gruver, at 2:00 P. M. in First Baptist Church there.

The Rev. John Denton officiated and burial was in Gruver Cemetery by Boxwell Bros. of Spearman.

Mr. Saltzman, died at 11:15 P. M. Friday at Hansford Hospital. He was born in Hereford and had been a resident of the Gruver area since 1956.

He was a farmer, stockman and a veteran of World War II. Mr. Saltzman was a member of the First Baptist Church of Gruver.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Ellen; two sons, Tommy of the home and Alan of Chicago; one brother, Roy of San Diego, Calif; his mother, Mrs. Iva Saltzman of Hereford and two grandchildren.

### Dorothy Quinn's Dill Pickle Recipe

Dorothy Quinn was in the office Wednesday and wants to share a new recipe for pickles with all our readers.

Drain off juice, dump 1 quart sliced dill pickles in bowl, add 3 cups sugar, 2 tablespoons vinegar. Let set until sugar melts. Drain off juice into pan, heat with 4 tps pickling spice. Pour back over pickles and let stand 12 hours. Eat.

### Boy Scout News

Den #3 met Thursday, December 20 in the home of Mrs. Willie Taylor for their Christmas party.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Dave Hand and Mrs. Taylor.

The boys played bingo and exchanged gifts.

Present were Jeff Laird, Preston Taylor, Scott Stawen, David Tucker and Joel White.

The next meeting will be January 3 in the home of Mrs. Taylor.

### Girl Scout news notes



Cadet Troop #190 met Wednesday, December 19 in the Scout House with leaders, Mrs. Jack Moran and Mrs. Billy Close for their Christmas party.

Each girl brought a separate course of their Christmas supper.

The menu consisted of cornish game birds, corn, green beans, green salad, home-made bread, deviled eggs, appetizers, Cokes and caramel apples.

Girls present exchanged gifts and then worked on clean-up details.

Members present were: Jonell Moran, Jamie Morley, Jamie Thomas, Tracie Keetch, Sue Close, Sherrie Cook, Joyce Cummings, Rhonda Morrison, Tammy Baker and leaders, Mrs. Moran and Mrs. Close.

Guests present were Jody Moran and Jeannie Close.

Next meeting will be January 2 in the Scout House.

Junior Troop #43 met Tuesday, December 18 in the Scout House with leader, Mrs. Melvin Swann.

The club welcomed a new member, Teresa Morrison. Stacy DeWitt brought leeches and candy canes, Tammy Weaver brought punch and Teresa Morrison brought fudge for their Christmas party.

Girls exchanged gifts and played games. D'Ann Cummings brought her record player and the girls listened to Christmas music.

Members present were: Kellianne hymyn, Stacy DeWitt, Tammy Weaver, Tonja McBride, D'Ann Cummings, Laurie Swann, Marjetta Davis, Rhonda Croff, Mitzie Hazelwood, Denae Baker and Teresa Morrison.

Guests present were Kirk Davis and Billy Hazelwood.

The next meeting will be January 8 in the Scout House.

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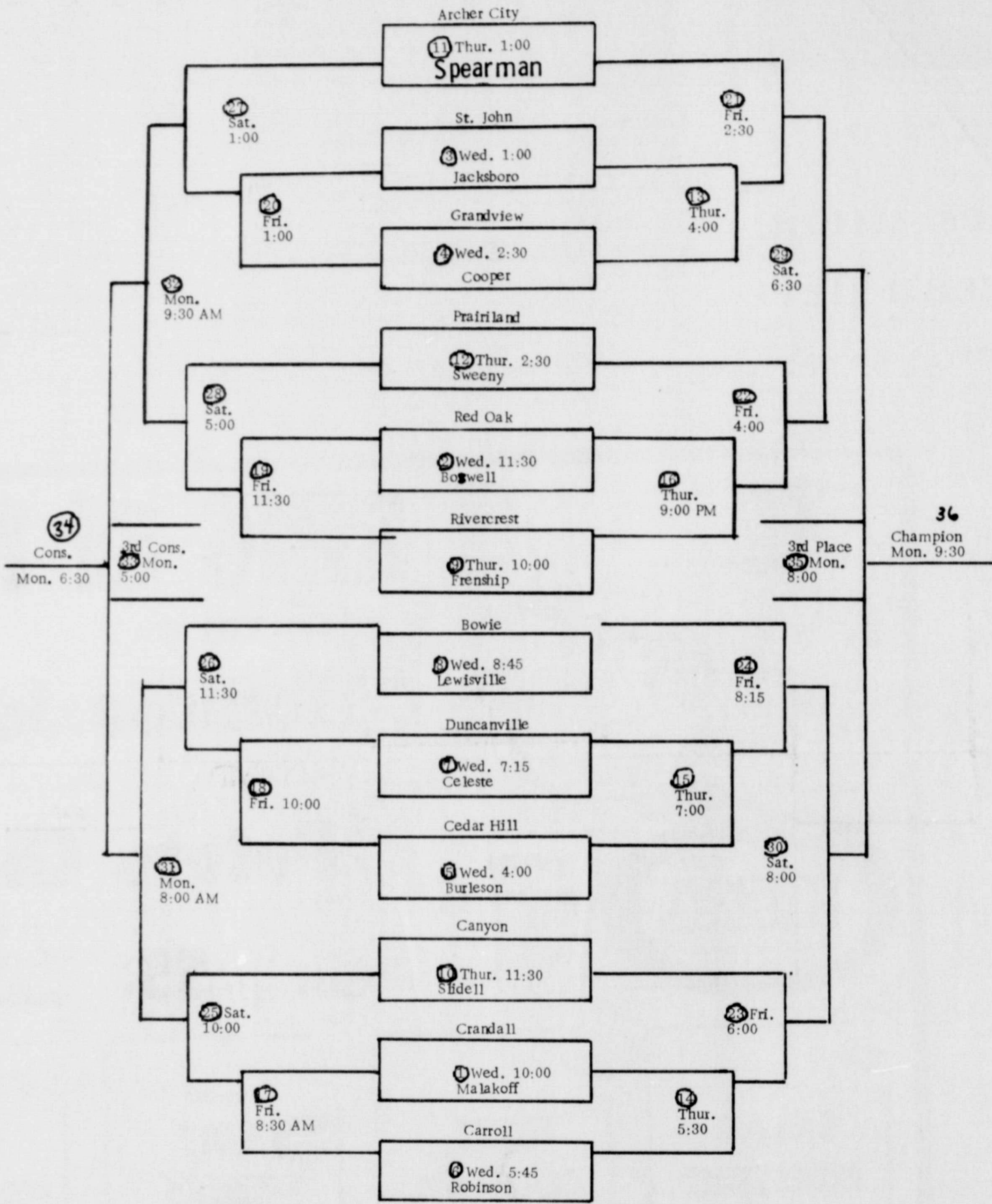
WE WILL CLOSE AT 8 P.M. NEW YEAR'S DAY

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	<b>Pepsi</b> 55¢ Plus Deposit
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b> 32-OZ. JAR <b>52¢</b>	<b>FRUIT COCKTAIL</b> 4 15-OZ. CANS <b>\$1</b>
<b>FRUIT DRINKS</b> 3 46-OZ. CANS <b>\$1</b>	<b>CHEESE PIZZA MIX</b> 2 14½-OZ. PKGS. <b>88¢</b>
<b>FLAVORED MIXERS</b> 4 28-OZ. BLS. <b>93¢</b>	<b>Mixed Nuts</b> 13-OZ. CAN <b>64¢</b>
<b>Cake Mixes</b> 28-OZ. BOX <b>78¢</b>	<b>Sliced Pineapple</b> 20-OZ. CAN <b>38¢</b>
<b>Brownie Mix</b> 14-OZ. BOX <b>91¢</b>	<b>Maraschino Cherries</b> 4-OZ. JAR <b>55¢</b>
<b>THRIFF PRICED PARTY FAVORITES FROM THE DAIRY CASE!</b>	<b>THRIFF PRICED PARTY FAVORITES</b>
<b>EGG NOG</b> QUART CTN. <b>68¢</b>	<b>CHEESE</b> 16-OZ. PKG. <b>\$1.14</b>
<b>CHEESE</b> 16-OZ. PKG. <b>\$1.14</b>	<b>Kraft's Cheez Whiz</b> 8-OZ. JAR <b>68¢</b>
<b>Cream Cheese</b> 2 72¢	<b>Dip 'n Snack</b> 2 78¢
<b>CRESCENT ROLLS</b> 9-OZ. CAN <b>28¢</b>	<b>QUARTERED OLEO</b> 1-LB. PKG. <b>38¢</b>
<b>Canned Biscuits</b> 5 12-OZ. CANS <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>Chocolate Milk</b> 2 CTN. <b>67¢</b>
<b>Bath Tissue</b> 4-ROLL PKG. <b>38¢</b>	<b>Golden Corn</b> 4 17-OZ. CANS <b>\$1</b>
<b>Green Beans</b> 19¢	<b>Sweet Peas</b> 4 15-OZ. CANS <b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Camelot Spinach</b> 27¢	<b>Sauer Kraut</b> 2 14-OZ. CANS <b>47¢</b>
<b>Pear Halves</b> 59¢	<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> 5 15-OZ. CANS <b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Tomato Sauce</b> 14¢	<b>Whole Oysters</b> 81¢
<b>Realemon Juice</b> 75¢	<b>SAVE 10¢ ON 32-OZ. BTL. OF DOWNY FABRIC SOFTENER WITH THIS COUPON:</b>
<b>Chips Snacks</b> 10¢ OFF	<b>Downy</b> 32-OZ. BTL. <b>59¢</b>
<b>Folger's Coffee</b> 50¢ OFF	<b>Downy</b> 16-OZ. BTL. <b>69¢</b>
<b>Maxwell House Coffee</b> 45¢ OFF	<b>Downy</b> 8-OZ. BTL. <b>79¢</b>

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