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Palo Duro Will Be in State Plan

The Palo Duro Creek Dam in Hansford County will be put in the Texas Water Plan, the County Judge and Commissioners learned last week.

Judge Johnie Lee said the court met with the water engineers in Austin and after about two hours of discussing the dam, the engineers said it would be added to the Texas Water Plan.

Lee said the court took maps and all the other information they had on the project, only to find the engineers knew more about the project than is known locally.

The court also met with the State Farm-to-Market Road Planning Committee and learned that Hansford County will possibly get more FM roads next year.



ALL REGIONAL BANDSMEN--These nine Lynx Bandsmen will be in the All-Regional band in Shamrock Saturday. They are (front, left) Toni Hudson, Janie Beck and Pat Massad. (Standing, left) Larry Campbell, Jim David Crawford, Steve Baggerly, Danny Knox, David Holland and Randy Watson.

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Panhandle Has Vast Economic Potential

Residents of the 26 Panhandle counties have only scratched the surface of the economic possibilities in the area's rich agri-business industry.

This information was given to about 225 persons attending the Panhandle Economic Program meeting in Borger Monday afternoon.

The meeting was called to present the results of an 18-month agriculture economic study made by James Murphy, Farm Management Specialist for the Texas Extension Service.

Murphy's findings were published in a 200-page report and in the meeting he could only touch on the high points of the economic possibilities for the 26 counties.

Murphy spent 18 months interviewing business leaders and compiling information before the report was put together.

Dr. E.M. True, Assistant Dean of Agriculture at Texas A&M, said two similar studies have already been put into effect in the Blacklands of North Texas and in East Texas.

The programs work if the people are willing to work. True said since 1961 the program had increased cotton production by \$53 million in 18 blackland counties and this was done on decreasing acres.

In 40 East Texas counties the program increased income by \$31.3 million in one year.

Murphy stressed the study only shows the possibilities, any action must be taken by each individual county and the people living in the counties.

The value of the study depends entirely upon how it is

used, he said. There are tremendous potentials for the Panhandle, but it will have to happen in the counties.

He said the biggest problem he has found is complacency among the people of the area.

He said rapid changes are
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9 Bandsmen In Regional Band Concert

Nine Spearman High School band members will be performing in the All-Regional AA Band Concert in Shamrock Saturday night.

Bandsmen selected in tryouts Saturday at Panhandle are: Pat Massad, B♭ clarinet; Janie Beck, Bass Clarinet; Toni Hudson, baritone saxophone; Danny Knox, cornet; Steve Baggerly, cornet; David Holland, French horn; Larry Campbell, baritone; Jim David Crawford, trombone and Randy Watson, bass.

Three of those selected, Pat Massad, Janie Beck and Toni Hudson, were named to first chair positions in their sections.

The band members will go to Shamrock Friday for rehearsals Friday and Saturday before performing Saturday night.

Dean Killion of Texas Tech will be the director of the All-Regional band.



The amount of money waved in the faces of those attending the Panhandle Economic Program meeting in Borger Monday was rather frightening.

It was something like looking at the national budget. It was just so much money that it is hard to comprehend the effect it would have on this area.

Of course the big road block in getting all this money is that it is going to take lots of work and planning by the people living in the area. It is such a big program that no single group or few individuals can make it work.

It will require cooperation from farmers, merchants, bankers, agriculture specialists, business specialists, economists, labor specialists and promotion

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Lawyers Expect More Local Teams In Tourney Controls on Water

There will be some new water laws controlling the use on underground water. This was the opinion of local lawyers attending the Northeast Panhandle Bar Association institute here Saturday.

Maurice Bullock of Midland spoke to the lawyers concerning the rights of a landowner not in a water district. He said under Texas law and court rulings, a landowner could produce and use water from under his own land in any way he wishes, as long as he does not deliberately harm his neighbor.

Bullock told the group that

over the state there is movements starting to get more regulations on the use of underground water.

Frank Booth, executive director of the Texas Water Rights Commission of Texas spoke to the group on the proposals to administer water rights in Texas.

James H. Stanley, District Judge at Pecos spoke to the lawyers on Depletion, Proration and other Potentials in Water Problems.

Ralph Shank of Dallas injected oil into the meeting with a talk on oil pooling problems.

After the meeting one local lawyer predicted more regulations and controls over the use of water would be forthcoming.

Contract Let For Overpass

The contract for building the overpass over the Rock Island railroad was let this week by the Commissioners' Court of the county.

The contract went to Ferrier Bros. Bridge Co., of Seymour. The low bid was \$20,960.05. The only other bid was from Gilvin-Terrell of Amarillo for \$24,175.55.

This overpass will be built on the county road that goes west from the intersection of the FM road and highway 136 north of Morse.

It will do away with the dangerous hairpin turn in the road where it crosses the railroad. The railroad goes

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"I DON'T KNOW... whether I'm in safe hands or not! Bev Hearndon seems to be thinking as Santa snuggles him in his arms. Bev is the son of Lt. and Mrs. Bev Hearndon. Mrs. Hearndon teaches in Spearman and Lt. Hearndon is stationed in Viet Nam.

-Plainsman Photo



CHRISTMAS HOME TOUR--The new country home of Dr. and Mrs. E.E. Novak will be one of the seven homes to be shown in the Spearman Study Club Home Tour Sunday, Dec. 11. Tickets are \$1.00 each and the homes will be open from 2 until 5 p.m.

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Charity Class Christmas Supper Held

The Charity Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church, taught by Mrs. W.W. Weaver, met in the country home of Mrs. Doyle Jackson for a salad supper and Christmas party and gift exchange Monday evening at 8 p.m.

Christmas decorations were carried out in the party rooms with candle centerpieces at each table. Handmade gifts were exchanged by those attending and several Christmas games were played during the evening.

For the program, Mrs. L.M. Patterson, Jr., showed china

A selfish person is someone who misses all the fun of fighting and occasionally losing out — to the baser instincts.—Jean Flynn

1st Naturalization Law

Congress passed its first naturalization law in 1790.

painting and displayed some of her china.

Attending were Mmes. Burl McClellan, J.D. McCoy, John Brown, Ed Dear, L.C. Craig, Verlin Beck, Walter Woolley, Jerry Ralls, Dale Hawkins, J.D. Helms, Eddie Gates, Ted Widener, Billie Harris, A.C. Greene, Eldon Smith, a guest, Mrs. Patterson and the hostess. The teacher, Mrs. Weaver, was unable to attend.

God Bless Us,—Everyone!



Burglars, Thieves Hit Twice in Morse Area

Burglars and thieves struck twice in the Morse area last week, according to Sheriff J. B. Cooke.

Some hardworking thieves took about \$300 worth of copper wire from a Panhandle Eastern Pipeline communica-

tion line. The thieves took down about 3600 feet of wire from poles.

Burglars also broke into Long's Grocery in Morse. They took three watches and a pair of field glasses.

An Editorial

No editorial embellishment is needed for the following program for combatting "crime and chaos in our land," set forth in a recent issue of the F.B.I. "Law Enforcement Bulletin." The author was J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the Bureau.

"I sincerely believe:

"That we must reawaken in every citizen a fierce devotion to supremacy of law and equal justice;

"That we must forever renounce the idiocy that associates glamor and heroism with lawbreakers;

"That all criminals must be brought to the bar of justice for realistic handling, not merely maudlin sympathy;

"That means must be provided to defeat the enemies within our borders who are puppets of enemies from without;

"That we must insure by every lawful means that differences are resolved in the courtroom, not in the street;

"That we must adamantly insist that each individual is held responsible for the natural and probable consequences of his acts.

"Let the hoodlum, the racist, the demagogue, and the exponent of anarchy know that the great, quiet power of this Nation lies in her law-abiding citizens, and they will stomach no more. The choice is ours. The time is now."

Precisely because he holds these views, the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation has been Number One on the Hate Parade of the bubbleheads and eggheads, Communists, and mobsters for many years. Together, the Hoover-haters exercise tremendous influence. They have destroyed a lot of good people in our time.

The fact that they haven't been able to get J. Edgar Hoover is cause for thanksgiving. And reason for hope.

—The Graham Leader

Big Job, Time Short

BOSTON, Mass. — A 12-year-old boy recently wrote to the Boston Museum of Science: "Please send me complete information on the universe. I need it by Friday."

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Lynxettes Lose to Tyrone; Three Starters Miss Game

With three starters out, the Spearman Lynxettes lost to Tyrone, Okla., 69-60 there Tuesday night.

Guards Nancy McCullough and Jeanette McAdams were on the bench and forward Linn Robinson was not able to attend the game. McCullough is the backboard of the Lynx-

ette defense and McAdams is another starter. Robinson is the third forward in the starting threesome.

Forwards Barbara Wilde and Marsha Shieldknight poured in the points for Spearman, but the inexperienced Lynxette guards were no match for the powerful Oklahoma six. Tyr-

ron is a state contender each year.

Spearman trailed 13-15 at the end of the first quarter, 26-33 at the half and 42-47 at the end of three quarters.

Wilde scored 35 points on 10 field goals and 15 free shots. Shieldknight scored 19 points on nine field goals and one free shot. Sandra Shufeldt had one and Cathy Mackie had five points.

Shufeldt played most of the three quarters on defense after McAdams sprained an ankle early in the first quarter.

Caryolyn Hampsten of Tyrone hit 36 points.

Coach Dean Weese said Tyrone has a fine, experienced team and the Lynxette's young inexperienced guards just could not stop them.

Lynx Top Tyrone Five

With a new man taking over some of the scoring and defensive load, the Spearman Lynx beat Tyrone 51-39 there Tuesday night.

Sophomore Benny McCullough hit 11 points for the Lynx and did what coach Allen Simpson called a good job defending the Tyrone post player.

McCullough hit five field goals and one free shot. He missed a bunch of free shots that cut his point production.

Carl Close tied him for top scoring honors with 11 points on four field goals and three free shots. Charles Shieldknight had 10 points on five field goals.

Carroll Day had seven points and Gary Farles had eight points on eight free shots. Mike Hendricks scored four points.

Spearman led all the way after having a 14-9 first quarter lead. The Lynx were ahead 29-14 at the half and 42-30 at the end of the third quarter.

In the fourth quarter Coach Simpson emptied the bench and let all of his traveling squad see action.

mental purposes. "Orders will be accepted on a first-come-first-serve basis and shipped prepaid," Cloud said.

Applications and guide sheets for planting and care of windbreaks can be obtained from the Director, Texas Forest Service, College Station.

Food Lack of Latins

Although Latin America has increased its food production 16 per cent in the last five years, the rise has barely kept pace with population growth, Senator Jacob Javits of New York reported in the Senate.



"OH BOY SANTA!"--Jimmy (center) and Dennie Farren came with their granddad, Paul Farren to see Santa and Keith and Kerry (in his father's arms) Adamson arrived with their dad, Robert. Santa talked to lots of Spearman youngsters Saturday while on his annual visit here.

-Plainsman Photo

Home Tour Set Sunday Afternoon

The public is invited to the third annual tour of homes Sunday, Dec. 11 sponsored by the Spearman Study Club. The hours will be from 2 until 5 p.m.

Seven homes are included in this year's tour which was planned during the Christmas season so holiday decorations and refreshments could be enjoyed by those attending.

Homes on the tour will be those of Mrs. Sandra Ladd, Mr. and Mrs. Kiff White, Dr. and Mrs. E.E. Novak, the Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis and Mr. and Mrs. John Trindle.

Refreshments will be served

at the home of Mrs. Ladd in Waka.

Tickets will be on sale at any of the homes on the tour or can be purchased in advance from any club member. They will sell for \$1.00 each with proceeds going toward club projects.

Contract . . .

(Con't. from page 1.) through a deep cut where the overpass will be built. This will cut the cost of construction.

The Rock Island Railroad has agreed to pay part of the cost.

Construction is due to begin in 20 days and the work is to be completed in 60 days.

Pittman Enroute From Korea

Sp4 Terry Pittman is enroute home from Korea after 13 months of duty there as a cook in the Army, his father, T.J. Pittman, said this week.

Pittman went to Korea after completing cooks' school. He will be stationed at Fort Hood after 30 days leave here. He has five more months on his tour of duty.

WEALTH FROM VIOLIN

Fritz Kreisler, the violinist who died in 1962, is reported to have earned \$3 million during his career.

CALLING ALL AMERICANS!

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Local . . .

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ment are Dalhart, Adrian, Channing, Darrouzett, Booker, Follett, Stratford and Hartley.

The championship games will be played Saturday night. The girls play at 7:45 p.m. and the boys at 9 p.m.

Spearman's Junior High teams will be on the road tonight for games in Booker. The first game will be played at 4:30. It will be the seventh grade girls.

The freshman boys play here tonight. They play Guymon, Okla. at 6 p.m.

Spearman's B-team will play here Friday night. They meet the Gruver B-teams.

Whisky-Fed Fire Razes 3 Buildings

JAMESTOWN, Calif. — Flares, fed by century-old timbers and much newer exploding whiskey bottles. Tuesday night destroyed a third of this gold rush town's main street.

The fire started in the rear of the Nugget Saloon. Other structures ruined were the Flanders building and the Rocca Hotel building, each more than 100 years old.



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Farewell Party Is Given for Dorothy Cator

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith honored their daughter, Dorothy Cator, with a farewell party Saturday night in the Farm

Bureau building. Mrs. Cator left Sunday to join her husband in the Panama Canal Zone.

Visiting was enjoyed by everyone present.

Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mmes. Chester Mitts, Spec Cator, D.A. Cator and boys of Gruver, Elrick Wilson and girls of Perryton, Orville Fullbright, John Pipkin, Allen Pierce, Loyd Carroll and Anita. Daniel and

Archie Smith and Vernon Pipkin and the honoree, Dorothy Cator.

Malcolm Kirkland, who is in the Air Force and stationed at Medina AF Base at San Antonio, was recently promoted to Staff Sgt. He has been Flight Commander for the past several weeks. He will graduate from Officers Training School Jan. 4.

Family Living Professor Will Speak at P-TA

The Spearman P.T.A. will meet Dec. 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Auditorium. Mrs. Jerry Ralls will present

the Christmas program.

Mrs. Bryan Edward, professor of home and family living at Texas Tech, will talk to parents on teen age conduct.

Mrs. Edwards will instruct the junior high and high school students Dec. 12 and 13 on teen age codes of conduct. Special sessions will be held for adults if desired.

Shop at home this Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith and family had dinner in the Spec Cator home Sunday before taking their daughter Dorothy to meet the plan in Amarillo to fly to the Panama Canal Zone. She will join her husband who is stationed there with the Air Force.

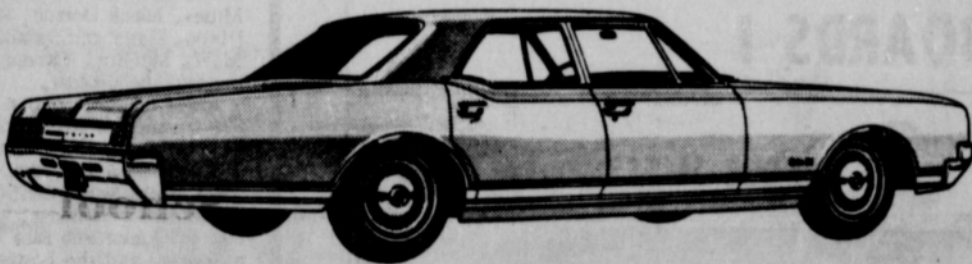
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Lt. Crawford Writes from Viet Nam

Lt. Mike Crawford, a helicopter pilot in Viet Nam for the past six months, writes of Thanksgiving week in that country. Mike is currently based in a very swampy area; the fact that the army mess-hall is built on an old cemetery did not bother the service men's appetites on Thanksgiving day. They were served a delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Even the weather was fine.

On Friday, the monsoon rains started again with a violent downpour. This deluge had some rather unpleasant results on a recreation room that the company had built. This room, about twenty feet square, had walls constructed of sand-bags and bamboo matting; the roof was made of rubber ponchos, the floor of more bamboo matting. The furniture was built of rocket and ammunition boxes and rusty nails. The only tools available were two ball-peen hammers. Mike commented that several four-letter words, spoken with accents from every part of the United States, were also used while the furniture was in the making.

After an eight-hour deluge, Mike's fox-hole, adjacent to the recreation room, filled with water. It broke through the floor and formed a spring that bubbled until the rains lessened. He said the two bright spots in the week were the sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner and the fact that the tents where his company now sleeps don't leak.

Attend The Church Of Your Choice Sunday



—Weekly Opportunities For Worship—

Apostolic Faith Church Robert Girouard, Pastor

9th & Dessen
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Children's Church 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Thursday:
Prayer Service 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Night Service 8:00 p.m.

Assembly of God Church Rev. Roger Rounsaville

403 N. Bernice
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday C.A.'s 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ Charles Milner, Minister

121 S. Haney
Bible Class 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:35 a.m.
Teen Age Class 6:00 p.m.
Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
Daily Television on Channel 3, Mon. thru Fri. 10:15 a.m.

First Christian Church Rev. Dayle Schnell

29 S. Bernice
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Meetings 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Choir Practice 7:30 p.m.

Fellowship Baptist Church Rev. Roy Meksch

11th & Archer
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

Union Full Gospel Church Rev. George R. Bollinger, Pastor

1st & Endicott
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Classes Sunday 6:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Pentecostal Church

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

First Methodist Church Rev. Wesley Daniel, Pastor

407 S. Haney
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
M.Y.F. 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Women's Society of Christian Service Wed. 3:00 p.m. and 9 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.

Waka Church of the Brethren Lawrence Lehman, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
Choir Practice Wed. 7:30 p.m.

Oslo Lutheran Church Pastor, Edward Swanson

18 mi. N.W. of Gruver
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
(includes adults)
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.

Faith Lutheran Church Pastor William Hill

11th & Bernice
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Services 11:00 a.m.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Rev. James C. Gurzynski

Sunday Masses 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday evening
Sunday Mass 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday 10:00 p.m.
First Baptist Church

123 S. Bernice
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Training Union 5:30 p.m.
(Oct. 1-Apr. 30)
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
(May 1-Sept. 30)
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
(Oct. 1-Apr. 30)
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
(May 1-Sept. 30)
Wed. Evening Prayer Hour 8:00 p.m.

First United Presbyterian Church Rev. Lewis Koerselman

1021 Cotter Drive.
Sunday Church School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Study Group 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Choir Practice 7:30 p.m.

School Menus

MONDAY, DEC. 12
Meat Sauce-Spaghetti
Buttered Spinach
Blackeye Peas with Bacon Bits
Chopped Onion
Mixed Fruit Cup
Cornbread-Butter Milk
High School Meat Choice
Seasoned Beef on Bun
TUESDAY, DEC. 13
Cottidogs-Mustard
Scalloped Potatoes
Seasoned Green Beans
Mexican Slaw
Seedless Raisins
Cinnamon Rolls
Bread Milk
High School Meat Choice
Fish Sticks-Tartar Sauce
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 14
Chili-Crackers
Seasoned Pinto Beans
Combination Tossed Salad
Peach Halves
Chocolate Chip Cookie Bars
Bread Milk
High School Meat Choice
Grilled Cheese Sandwich
THURSDAY, DEC. 15
Chicken Fried Steak
Mashed Potatoes
Seasoned Green Peas
Mandarin Orange Jello
Birthday Cake (December)
Break Milk
High School Meat Choice
Barbecue on Bun
FRIDAY, DEC. 16
Hamburger-Mustard or
Chicken Salad Sandwich
Potato Gems-Catsup
Tomato Slice
Dill Pickle Slices
Purple Plums
Brownie Bars Milk

Mrs. A.J. Curtis of Denver spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley made a business trip to Amarillo on Monday. While there they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith and children.

Sew a piece of stiff canvas underneath each corner of a rug when they persist in turning up. This holds the corners down.

Holt News

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kirk spent several days last week visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Art Kirk at Marble Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lever-ton of Odessa were Thursday night guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson. They, also visiting other relatives in Stinnett.

Carroll J. Richards of Viet Nam arrived safely in the USA. He visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jenkins. Mrs. Jen-kins is in the Shattuck hospital and recuperating as well as can be expected. Carol J. spent the weekend with his family in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Teve-baugh of Claude, and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jenkins were Sunday guests of Mrs. Bertha Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jack-son spent the weekend visiting relatives in Mangum, Okla.

Mmes. Mildred Chamber-lain of Spearman, Maudie Henderson of Pringle and Ber-tha Jenkins were Friday night dinner guests of Maude Rosson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Up-tergrove of Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gaines at-tended the Masonic Grand Lodge in Waco this week.

Mrs. Lowell Brooks and Bob of Amarillo were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Grace Jenkins of Spearman and also visited other relatives.

Mrs. Bob Tevebaugh of

Dorcas Class Will Send Gifts To Servicemen

The Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met for their monthly busi-ness meeting at the church Tuesday, Dec. 6. Joan Chis-um was hostess and served cof-fee, cokes and coffee cake. The business session was con-ducted by the president Melba Rook and opened with prayer by Joann Eaton.

The class project was dis-cussed and further plans were made to send several Baptist children to camp. The class will prepare food baskets for those in need for Christmas. The Christmas social was plan-ned and names of Baptist ser-vicemen were taken. Each one present will send a card or gift of their choice to servicemen of the church. The Lottie Moon Christmas offering plan was presented by the teacher, Donna Helms.

Those attending were Mrs. La Rue Branstetter, Joann Eat-on, Frankie Brandt, Wanda Ad-amson, Kitty Cook, Deloris Guthrie, Donna Helms, Melba Rook and the hostess, Joan Chi-sum.

Claude and Phil Jenkins ac-companied their mother, Mrs. Bertha Jenkins Monday to Temple where she will enter Scott & White Clinic Tuesday morning to tests and observa-tion.

Bowling Beat

PIN BENDERS LEAGUE 11-18-66			
TEAM	WON	LOST	
Harvey's Aerial	30	14	
Lee Oil	26	18	
McClellan Gr.	26	18	
Brock Ins.	25	19	
Bowl Mor	24	20	
Hansford Co. Mt.	21	23	
#1	18	26	
Vernon	6	38	
HIGH TEAM GAME			
Brock Ins.	490		
Bowl-Mor	470		
Brock Ins.	451		
HIGH TEAM SERIES			
Brock Ins.	1328		
Bowl-Mor	1243		
Lee Oil	1238		
HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME			
Anne Sanders	170		
Jo Larson	169		
Patty Spoonemore	165		
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES			
Tommye Floyd	477		
Patty Spoonemore	460		
Anne Sanders	456		
STRIKE OUT LEAGUE			
TEAM	WON	LOST	
Corner Service	38	10	
Ideal	36	12	
Behne Electric	28	20	
Lusby's Cats	22	26	
B&B Sales	20	28	
Berry's Cleaners	20	28	
Gruver Lumber	18	30	
Hansford Imp.	10	38	
TEAM GAME			
Corner Service	904		
Ideal	878		
Behne Elec.	833		
TEAM SERIES			
Corner Service	2636		
Ideal	2503		
Behne Electric	2358		

Mrs. Gandy Is Bridge Hostess

Mrs. W.H. Gandy was host-ess Dec. 5 for the Blue Mon-day Bridge Club.

High score was held by Mrs. Gwenfred Lackey.

Attending were Mmes. Deta Blodgett, E.D. Clement, F.J. Daily, Pope Gibner, J.E. Womble, R.W. Morton, L.S. McLain, Gwenfred Lackey and the hostess.

Card of Thanks

We are deeply grateful for the many kind remembrances shown us during our recent be-reavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Baggerly and family

Mrs. Don Hendricks and Mrs. Deta Blodgett were in Shamrock Sunday where they attended a tea given by the Eastern Star honoring Mildred Girhart, District Deputy of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutchi-son spent Thanksgiving with her son and family, the Mel Oldhams of Sapulpa, Okla.

INDIVIDUAL GAME	
Tommie White	223
Dan Faries	211
Jerry Frye	209
INDIVIDUAL SERIES	
Tommie White	625
Dan Faries	572
Richard Burke	560

Calendar of Events

THURSDAY, DEC. 8	Rho Rho Christmas luncheon at 12:30 -Mrs. Ray Martin
FRIDAY, DEC. 9	Spearman HD Club annual family din-ner and gift exchange at the clubroom.
	Arts & Craft Christmas party at the HD Clubroom at 2:30
SATURDAY, DEC. 10	OES Family Party at Masonic Hall at 6:30 p.m.
SUNDAY, DEC. 11	Home Tour-Sponsored by Spearman Study Club from 2 to 5 p.m.
MONDAY, DEC. 12	Dahlia Flower Club Christmas Party at 2:30 . at Frank Davis home.
TUESDAY, DEC. 13	Lions Club
	Town & Country Christmas Party at Larry Hays home at 1 p.m.
	Music Club meet at Pioneer Manor for caroling, Mrs. Tom Sutton, hostess
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 14	Discussion club meets
THURSDAY, DEC. 15	20th Century Club Christmas party at 2:30 p.m. at HD Clubroom.
	B&PW Christmas Party at Farm Building at 7:30 p.m.
	Family Christmas party for Happy Homes HD Club at clubroom.
STEPHENVILLE.	One student from Hansford County are en-rolled for study at Tarleton State College.
John Knudson, freshman, is	majoring in general agricul-ture. Located in Stephenville, Tarleton had a record regis-tration of 2,013 students for the fall semester of 1966.

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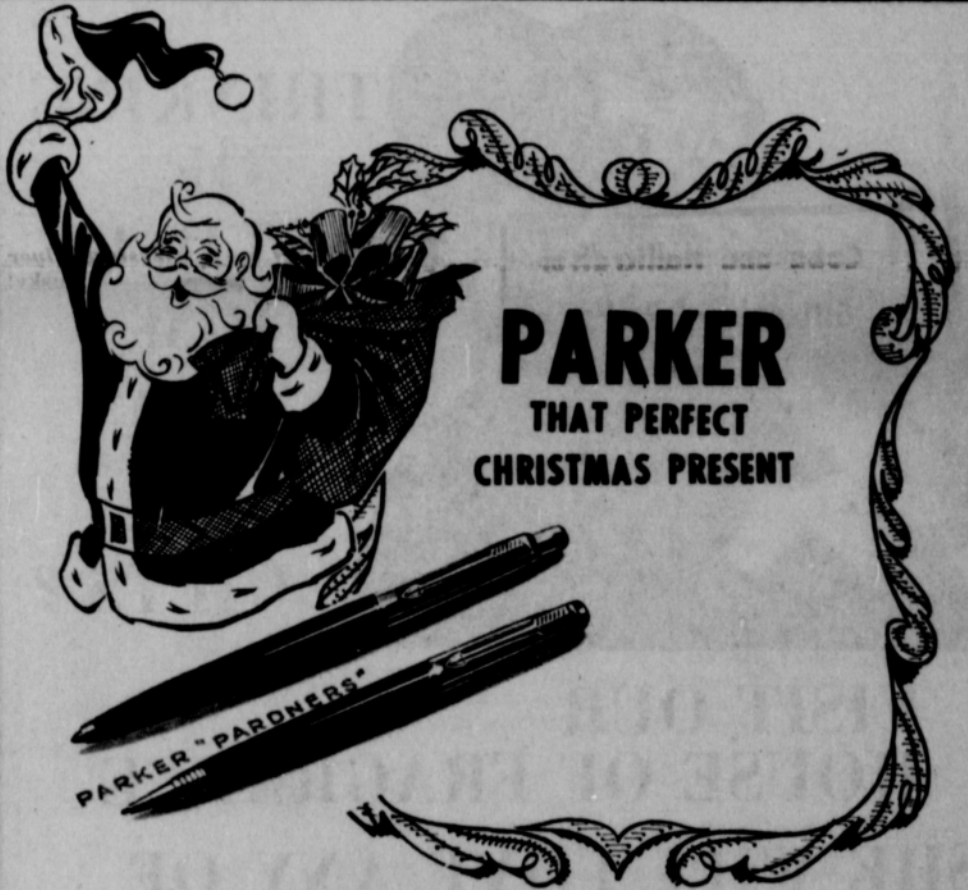


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Brownies Make Christmas Gifts

Brownie Scout Troop No. 34 met Dec. 5 at the Scout house. The girls finished making Christmas presents for their parents and made plans to go

Christmas caroling. Attending were Susie Bowers, Becky Brown, Kate Crawford, Valarie Ellsworth, Susie Gregg, Cindy Hamilton, Margaret Hill, Jan Mason, Stephanie Reed, Tammy Rook, Janice Sims, Marie Snider, Colleen Smith, Karen Tope, Lisa Nichols and the leaders Mrs. Melba Rook, Mrs. Alene Crawford and assistant Mrs. Nichols.

Mrs. Cecil Crawford recently returned home from WTSU at Canyon where she completed several nine weeks courses required for a provisional Lifetime Teaching Certificate.

WOMEN TELLERS

Seven out of 10 bank tellers ing to census figures, compared with less than five out of 10 a decade earlier.

Members of the OES attending a meeting honoring Elnita Jezet, Worthy Grand Matron of Kansas, which was held in Liberal Dec. were R.C. Holland, Don and Nina Hendricks, Deta Blodgett and Ceril Batton.

SALT WATER NEAR

No point in Florida is more than 70 miles from salt water.

Morse Code

by Mrs. Earl Henderson

The Morse HD Club met Thursday, Nov. 30 in the home of Mrs. Jack Crowl. Mrs. Frank

Lewis gave the devotion. Several members brought Christmas gift ideas that had made. Present were Jack Johnson, Sr., M.W. Cloy, Tom Dortch, Francis, Ella Parks, Besse Hen and the hostess. The next ing will be a luncheon of 15 which will be a Christmas party.

Due to the Morse Must being in the finals in the ray tournament, the bridge party was put off until Dec. Hosts will be Messrs. and Mmes. H.B. Parks and Ly Davis.

David and Molly McQu missionaries from Ireland been visiting in the home Mrs. Mack Dortch the past week. They are with the Evangelism Fellowship. T visited in the school and to the lower grades in the rooms. He also spoke at the morning and evening service Sunday at the Community Chapel. He conducted a fellowship in the home of Desmond Kelly's Sunday ing.

Several football fans from Morse attended the San Antonio Tascosa game in Amarillo urday afternoon. Attending were Mark, Doug and Mot McCloy, Wade Parks, Al Henderson, Bill Tilton, B and Johnny Tension, H.B. Parks and Earl Henderson.

A Sarah Coventry Party held in the home of Mrs. nie Clifton by Mrs. Frank Refreshments were served Mmes. Mack Dortch, Pearl Dixon, Gene and Susanne, M.W. McCloy, Harold Fl ing and the hostess.

Maye Board hosted a Fall 220 Cosmetics party given Mrs. Alice Peddy of Gruve. This was also Tuesday. Present were Myrtle Reid, Cell Garsfelder of Stinnett, Mrs. Bea McQueen and Rita We of Gruver and the hostess.

The mother of Mrs. Erli Pittman, Mrs. Windsor, passed away Nov. 28 and was buried Nov. 30 at Liberal, Kansas. The service was in the First Methodist Church there. Mrs. Windsor had made her home in the Coon Memorial Home in Dalhart for some time. She was 88 years of age.

Mrs. Desmond Kelly and Mrs. Mack Dortch took David and Mollie McQuilkin to Amarillo during their stay. They visited Mrs. Grace Foreman and Mrs. H.L. Gay.

Allen McCloy, a student Leveland Junior College received a broken back from a fall while participating in a P.E. Rodeo class at the school. He was riding a bull when the accident happened. Monday of this week, a loud speaker and phone were to be set up so that he could go ahead and participate in his class work. The doctors thought that he might be able to be put in a brace by Christmas.

Sylvia Parks and Doug McCloy returned Saturday from Chicago, having been to the National 4-H Congress for the past week. Sylvia was sponsored by Westinghouse and Doug by Sears Roebuck Foundation.

Hansford

Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are J.W. Williamson, Mary Cone, Ethel Davis, Bill Miller, W.W. Weaver, A. Mobley, John Jasper, Venita Martin, R.B. Anderson, Evelyn Holt, L.H. Searcy, Charlie Love, Elsie Trolinder, Nola Lewis Crandall.

Dismissed were Delmer Taylor, Leonard Mackey, Cecil Thompson, Jeri Grange Rebecca Butcher, Belle Crawford, Mary Frances Nollner, George Buschman, Joe Day, Pamela Martens and daughter Paula Wallace, Vickie Michler, Verna Gail Keim and Skipper Robertson.



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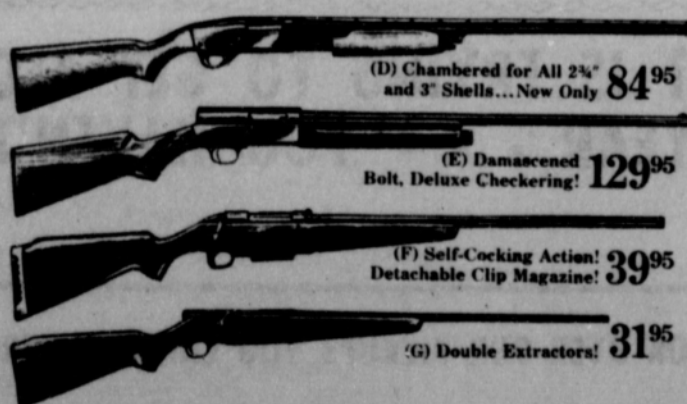
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1966

Annual Yule Party Held

The Rolling Plains Wagon Train held their annual Christmas dinner and party in the dining room of the Cattleman's Cafe Thursday, Dec. 1.

The tables were laid with white and decorated with red candles and holly carrying out the Christmas motif. Large Christmas balls hung from the ceiling and a large decorated Christmas tree lent an air of festivity to the scene. A complete turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served.

Approximately 50 attended the dinner and gift exchange. Out of town members were from Binger, La Verne and Fargo, Okla., Borger, Gruver, Stinnett and Pampa and a good group from Spearman.

Phone calls, letters and telegrams were received from Gruver, Estelline, Burbank,

Cal. and several other points. The next meeting will be Feb. 2.

Dinner Held

Mr. and Mrs. F.K. Banister and Chad Boxford and Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Banister and family of Steamboat Springs, Colo. were guests of honor at a post-Thanksgiving dinner at the Cecil Crawford home.

Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. Kenneth Evans and family, Jack Hamilton and family, Archa Morse, Sam Henderson, Tommy and Cindy, Jim Neely, J.D. Miller, Pete Vernon and Terry; Mmes. Lizzie Benningfield, Joe Novak and Mrs. Bob Deuel and daughter Rhonda of Altus Air Force Base, Okla.; and Miss Cheryl Montaigne of New York.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Collard, Jr., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolyne Susanne, 3315 S. Eddy Street, Amarillo, to Ronald C. Long, 440 E. Seventh Street, Springfield, Colo., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Long of Springfield. Wedding vows will be exchanged December 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the First Methodist Church of Spearman. The bride-elect is a teacher in the Amarillo Public Schools. She is a graduate of West Texas State University where she was a member of Delta Zeta Sorority, Alpha Chi, Sigma Tau Delta, Kappa Delta Pi, and Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. The prospective bridegroom is a teacher in the Vilas Public Schools in Colorado and is a graduate of Panhandle A & M College.

Open House Set Sunday At Windy Acres Farm

The fifth annual Christmas open house will be held at Windy Acres at Pringle from 2 until 9 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 11 with Mrs. Maudie Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carp as hosts.

Everyone is invited to attend this annual get together to renew old acquaintances and make new ones. Santa Claus will be there to meet the children and favors of candy and chewing gum will be passed out. Refreshments of coffee,

punch and cookies also will be served.

A lifelike nativity scene is the focal point of the decorations but there are many other new additions to the decorations this year.

Assisting the hosts will be Mmes. Louvenia Thompson and Laverne Parks of Morse, Henrietta Johnson of Dumas, Arnetta Womble of Fritch and Edna Ownbey, Jean Chisum, Clenna Lee Watson and Ruth Chisum of Stinnett.

Study Club Makes Plans For Christmas Home Tour

The Spearman Study Club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. James Pendergraft with Mrs. Don DeArmmond as co-hostess.

Judy Martin, president, presided at the short business session at which time the home tour to be held Sunday, Dec. 11 from 2 to 5 was discussed. Road signs are to be placed on the highway directing the public to the homes being shown in the country. Tickets will be \$1 each and may be purchased at any home being shown. Refreshments will be served at the Ladd home in Waka.

D'dee Collard was chosen as the girl of the month.

The program "What Christmas Means to Me" was a discussion, with all members taking part. This was followed singing Christmas carols, led by Margaret Adamson and accompanied by Margaret Evans. Attending were Margaret

Adamson, Peggy Boatwright, Patty Sheppard, Jo Larson, Judy Martin, Karen Countiss, Kay Vernon, Donna Baxter, Linda McLain, Margaret Evans, Lois Shieldknight, a guest Martha Coursey and the hostesses.

Party Honors Mrs. Davis

Mrs. Frank Davis was reminded that she was having another birthday when friends and relatives came Sunday to help her celebrate.

A sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Batson, came Friday and spent the weekend at the Davis home. On Sunday her other sisters, Mrs. Clyde Batson and Mrs. Lloyd Batson, a niece, Miss Macie Batson and Estelle Butnell, all of Pampa, came and all enjoyed dinner together.

Dahlia Club

Party Scheduled

The Dahlia Flower Club Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Davis at 2:30 on Dec. 12.

Give small cooked shrimp a spicy marinade; use the flavorful seafood with avocado for a luncheon salad.

Give small cooked shrimp a spicy marinade; use the flavorful seafood with avocado for a luncheon salad.

Creamed turkey benefits from the addition of curry powder and toasted almonds.



Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Lynn Stumpf

Photo by C&B

Close - Stumpf Vows Read

A double-ring ceremony held Sunday, Dec. 4 at 2 p.m. at the Edna Ellis Chapel of the First Christian Church in Perryton, united Miss Carole Lynne Close and Phillip Lynn Stumpf. The Rev. Leal M. Smith of Perryton officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lelan Close and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stumpf, all of Spearman.

Miss Cedell Anderson was the bride's only attendant. She wore a pastel blue silk street length sheath dress and her corsage was of miniature pink carnations.

Carl Close, twin brother of the bride served the groom as best man.

The bride chose for her wedding a white wool street length dress and her bridal bouquet was of pink carnations and stephanotis, carried atop a white Bible, a gift of the groom. She wore a white pillbox hat to which was attached a short wedding veil.

Mrs. Close, mother of the bride, was attired in a brown knit dress with beige accessories and her corsage was of white roses.

The groom's mother, Mrs. Stumpf wore a beige knit suit and her corsage was also of white roses.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink and American Beauty roses flanked on either side with white candles in silver holders. A silver service and crystal punch bowl completed the setting with a three tiered wedding cake topped with a bride and groom.

Presiding at the table were Mrs. Lynn Cook, Miss Cedell Anderson and D'Anda Close. The guest book was kept by Kayleen Cooper.

For going away the bride wore an American Beauty 2 piece knit with pink trim and her corsage was lifted from the bridal bouquet.

Both are 1966 graduate of Spearman High School and the groom is employed by National Auto Parts.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home at 307 S. Dressen.

Wedding Plans Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Vaughan of Burkburnett announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marilyn Vaughan to Robert Alfred Hartman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hartman of Denton.

Miss Vaughan is a senior at North Texas State University and Mr. Hartman is a graduate of North Texas State University and is presently employed at Retail Credit Co. in Denton. He is a former resident of Spearman, his father was the superintendent of the Spearman schools for a number of years.

The wedding will be on January 28 at 4 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Denton. The couple will live in Denton.



Day by Day

by Day McClellan

Did you know that Pope Julius, about the year 349 A.D., fixed December 25 as the date of Christmas? Two years later, after agreement on this date had been reached among church officials, some in favor of fixing the date in January or March, it was decreed that Christmas should be celebrated on December 25.

And, from that day until this, Christmas has arrived every year several weeks ahead of the time when most of us would have everything in readiness.

I appreciate the holiday recipes that have been arriving in the mail the past few days. We're planning to use them in the Christmas edition, Thursday, December 22, at the latest, so please send your favorites in by the December 15 deadline. I'll appreciate your cooperation sincerely.

Christmas is such a joyous season. Its sights and sounds instantly transform the heart into that of a child. Christmas is a lifting of the spirit, a quiet happiness in the heart, a treasure chest of memories of other Christmas seasons and of people you love, whether they are with you or not.

Christmas offers many lovely experiences not the least of which is the opportunity or "excuse" for giving. The ability to give, however small the gift, is a privilege. An even higher one is to share. That is one of the profound meanings of this and every Christmas.

Let's be sure we search for a little of the real magic of Christmas this year. It'll mean more than all the other joys we experience and the best part is, it'll last all year.

These tasty thimble cookies are very pretty to serve during the holidays. They are equally as good filled with tinted powdered sugar icing as with a dot of jam or jelly.

THIMBLE COOKIES

2 cups sifted flour
1 1/2 tsps. baking powder
1/2 tsp. salt
3/4 cup shortening
2/3 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
1/3 cup corn syrup
1 egg
1 egg yolk
1/2 tsp. vanilla
1 egg white, slightly beaten
2 tbsps. water
1 1/2 cups nuts, finely chopped

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cream shortening. Add sugar gradually and cream until light and fluffy. Add syrup; blend thoroughly. Add egg, then egg yolk, beating well after each addition. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with milk. Chill dough. Roll into 1" balls. Dip in slightly beaten egg yolk and water mixture and roll in nuts. Place about 1" apart on ungreased baking sheet. Bake at 375 degrees 5 minutes. Remove from oven. Make depression with thimble in top of each cookie and dot with jam or jelly. Return to oven and bake 10 minutes longer. Makes 72.

D'deeCollard Is Named December Girl of Month

D'dee Collard has been selected as girl of the month of December by the Spearman Study Club. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Collard and is a senior in high school this year.

She is a member of the First Methodist Church and its M. Y. F. of Spearman and has been active in the Girl Scouts and band since grade school. She is a member of the National Honor Society, the National Thespians Society, and the National Forensic League, which she has served as secretary both her junior year and this year.

She has been a member of the All-Region Band three years and the Tri-State Band one year.

She received the Mathematics Award as a Freshman and the Mathematical Association of America Award as a Junior. She had the lead in the children's play as a sophomore and was in the junior play.

D'dee was a member of the girls' debate team that won the Texas Tech tournament and placed second in the region two years ago, and was also a member of the State Champion girls' debate team in 1966 and received with her colleague the Debate Award that year. This same debate team has won the Alamo Heights High School debate tournament this year.

She has also received a Letter of Recommendation from



Miss D'dee Collard

the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

D'dee plans to enter Trinity University in San Antonio next fall with a tentative major in biology.

Turn creamed fish into a pie plate; cover with strips of pastry arranged in lattice fashion. Bake in a hot oven. Delicious for lunch or supper with a crisp salad.

The Plainswoman

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1966

Miss Close Is Honored With Pre-Nuptial Shower

Miss Carole Close, bride elect of Phillip Stumpf was honored Saturday evening, Dec. 3 with a bridal shower held in Fellowship Hall at the First Christian Church from 7 to 9 p.m.

The honoree was presented a corsage of pink and American Beauty roses and her mother, Mrs. Lelan Close and the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Harry Stumpf were each presented white rose corsages. The grandmother, Mrs. Linda Shelton of Borger was presented a pink rosebud corsage.

The color scheme of pink and American Beauty was further carried out in the table decorations. The serving table was laid in white with a centered arrangement of pink and American Beauty roses. On either side of the arrangement were white candles in silver holders. A silver service completed the setting. Presiding at the serving table were Mrs. Lynn Cook and Jeanie Simmons who served dainty white

cake squares decorated with pink rosebuds, hot spiced tea, coffee and mints.

Guests were registered by Kayleen Cooper.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mmes. James Sparks, Bill K. Jackson, Don E. Smith, G. N. Vernon, W. E. Sparks, Gayle Brown, Owen Pendergraft, Irvin Davis, Louis Lemons, Johnnie Close, Maude Rosson, Herb Butt, Dave Edward Hand, Loydell Hollar and Ernest Wilmeth.

Past Matrons and Patrons Honored by Eastern Star

The Order of Eastern Star met Friday evening, Dec. 2 at the Masonic Hall with Nina Hendricks, Worthy Matron, presiding.

After the opening and business session, twelve past matrons and patrons were honored by being presented in the East and given loving cups engraved with the Eastern Star emblem.

Ada McLain was given special recognition for having served in 1937-38, she being the first of the group honored to serve in this capacity. Minnie Jones was also presented in the East and given special recognition for her untiring service to the chapter. Both were presented corsages from the chapter.

The theme "Wise Old Owls" was carried out in the program and the decorations. Coy Palmer presented the program which included piano selections and vocal numbers of past

years. After the meeting, refreshments were served in the dining room by the hostesses, Minnie Jones, Virus Wilbanks and

Joyce Lackey. The serving table was laid with a white cloth and centered with a tree branch and owl arrangement. Dining tables also had flower arrangements highlighted with owls.

Present were 12 officers, 6 pro tems, 10 members and six visitors. Out of town visitors included Mrs. Creacy of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Miller, Mattie Latham and Rebecca Westerfield, all of Gruver.

A family Christmas party is planned for Saturday evening Dec. 10 at 6:30. All women are to bring a gift for a woman, the men are to bring a man's gift and children a child's gift. All Eastern Star members of this area are invited. Each family is to bring a covered dish.

Homemaking Notes

by Linda Webb
Home Demonstration Agent

I want to publicly congratulate Sylvia Parks, 4-H member from Morse, who recently won a national award in the 4-H Electric Award program. She has won a \$500 scholarship from Westinghouse Corporation, who sponsors the 4-H Electric Awards Program.

Sylvia has worked very hard the past few years to win just such an award, and her perseverance has now paid off handsomely.

To my knowledge, Sylvia is the first National 4-H winner from Hansford County, but may she not be the last.

When did you last check your food supply? Do you know what food items you have on hand.

It's a good idea to keep an ample stock of staple foods such as flour, sugar, salt, meal, baking powder, shortening, regularly used seasonings and canned milk or non-fat milk.

Equally important to have available: frozen or dried foods from each of the four food groups. This should prevent extra trips to the store and assure you that your family will have a good diet from one pay day until the next.

If a large portion of your food allowance is spent on perishable foods as soon as the money is available, it may be difficult to stretch your food supply until another pay check. However, if you plan your meals in advance and stock your shelves for emergencies, you should be able to serve nutritious meals most anytime.

Now that winter is on its way to our area, stockpiling for weather emergencies should be done soon.

THE STRANGER AT THE DOOR

Some strangers who come to your door are well meaning people with legitimate business. The Better Business Bureau gives these cautions when answering the door.

1. Do not let anyone into your home until his or her intentions have been definitely established. If alone, this is not always advisable. One might say, "I think I will call my neighbor in—she might be interested in what you have to offer."

2. Beware of persons who claim to be making a survey or representing themselves as government officials wanting information.

3. Beware of "free offers" and ask the sales person to write down the free articles you are to receive, signing his name. Usually there are strings

attached.

4. Read carefully anything you are requested to sign and suggest that the representative come back after you have discussed the matter with a member of the family. What you think is a receipt or statement could be a contract to purchase.

5. Beware of statements that you were the winner of a contest or "selected for advertising purposes."

6. If the caller is rude or discourteous call the police.

7. If in doubt about the integrity of a firm call the Better Business Bureau before buying.

For the family with plans for a new dishwasher—

Make a quick survey of the market before you decide. Dishwashers, like automatic clothes washers, operate with a series of wash-rinse cycles. After a prerinse, high pressure sprays of hot water and concentrated detergent strike dishes from all angles to scrub food off. The dishes are then rinsed and re-washed many times over, followed by hot air drying. All good automatics wash dishes clean, provided an adequate supply of sufficiently hot water is available and the proper amount of detergent is used.

However, various makes and models offer numerous "extras" at varying prices. Convenience features which should be checked and evaluated before making a final selection and purchase, include:

Heating elements: to boost the water temperature and speed drying.

Capacity—Usually expressed in terms of place settings ranging from 6 to 17; larger sizes permit once-a-day washing in many families.

Dispensers—some release the correct amount of detergent into each wash cycle, and others automatically inject a wetting agent "conditioner" during the final rinse, to eliminate spotting due to hard water.

Special cycle—To suit all needs, choices include "gentle" for fine china and crystal, "heavy-duty" for utensils, and "regular" for average loads. Some models have a rinse-and-hold cycle for rinsing dishes to be washed later with a full load; a rinse and dry cycle to wash dust from stored dishes; and a drying only cycle to warm plates.

Filters—To eliminate hard rinsing dishes in advance, there are special filters and drains to trap and flush away food particles.

Insulation—There may be supplementary insulation and related improvements to reduce sound so that even pots and pans can be washed quietly.

Sherry Perks Sauce

Make a medium white sauce using butter, flour and clear chicken broth; perk up the flavor with a little sherry (any kind) and golden raisins and blanched but not toasted almonds. Serve with smoked beef tongue.

Save Old Noodles

When you have canned chow mein noodles left over, put them in a small jar, cover them tightly and store in the refrigerator. Heat briefly in the oven before serving as a garnish for practically any creamed dish.

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Patsy Kingsley Has Part In LCC's First Musical

A Spearman student, Patsy Kingsley, appeared in the chorus of LCC's first musical "110 In The Shade." The musical, based on the hit comedy "The Rainmaker", was present-

ed Dec. 1-3 in the Lubbock Christian College auditorium. Miss Kingsley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.F. Kingsley. She is a 1965 graduate of Spearman High School, where

she was active in band, chorus, Future Teachers of America, Future Homemakers of America, basketball, and was a class officer. A sophomore music major, Miss Kingsley was a candidate for 1966 LCC homecoming queen. She was freshman class favorite. She was a 1965 band queen attendant and was freshman class secretary. She is a member of Theta Rho, women's social

BRITON 1ST DRUMMER

Austin B. Grant of Salisbury, England, was the first drummer in the Salvation Army.

club, and is a member of the Meistersinger chorus and Music Masters. She is secretary for the 1966-67 Royal Blue Band.

Parks, McCloy Give Report On 4-H Congress Trip

The following is a report by Sylvia Parks and Doug McCloy about their trip to Chicago and the 4-H Congress there:

The entire trip to Chicago for National 4-H Club Congress held new and exciting experiences for us. There were 36 winners from Texas—three of whom were national winners. We left Dallas Nov. 25 at noon. After 21 hours of riding the Santa Fe Chief, 36 young people and 4 chaperones had become well acquainted.

Upon arriving in Chicago, Sylvia learned that Westinghouse, the sponsor of the 4-H Electric Program, had invited the six national winners to tour their plant in Joliet, Illinois. She literally stepped off the train and into the car for this tour. Our time became very limited. We spent the afternoon at the Westinghouse plant, which was interesting, and returned to Chicago in time for the "Get Acquainted Party" that night. It was impossible to get acquainted with 1600 4-H'ers in one night, but we got a fairly good start.

After a few precious hours of sleep, we attended the Central Church in Chicago, which was a special 4-H service. Dr. Kenneth Hildebrand spoke on "Allegiance to Excellence." Special music was presented by Aurora West High School Senior Concert Choir.

The opening of Congress came after lunch Sunday. Mrs. Mary G. Roebing, chairman of the board, Trenton Trust Company, presented an address "Pursuit of Excellence—A Personal Satisfaction." That evening we attended church services at the Chicago Sunday Evening Club. Dr. C. Jerry Walker presented a message entitled "Don't Fence Me In."

On Monday and Tuesday mornings 4-H'ers were invited to breakfast honoring the Automobile Leadership, and Community Beautification winners. These breakfasts were sponsored by The Firestone Tire and Rubber Company and the Sears-Roebuck Foundation. At each table were Julie Andrews Christmas Albums. This was the first time we had eaten a baked potato for breakfast. It was delicious with gravy and dried beef.

We attended several other luncheons and dinners honoring various programs. On each occasion, we were royally entertained and presented with favors.

The highlight for Sylvia was the dinner honoring the Elec-

tric Awards Program. She felt as if she were a queen. Westinghouse presented her with an exquisite brown orchid. She had the honor of sitting at the head table with the five other national winners and T.H. Kenton, Jr. and D.D. Danforth, Vice Presidents of Westinghouse Electric Corporation. After a delicious dinner, we were presented our \$500 scholarships. All State and National winners received transistor radios. Westinghouse treated us royally.

On Wednesday we visited the International Livestock Exposition. The 4-H National Winners had a parade before the rodeo began.

Dr. Carl C. Byers presented an address "Pursuit of Excellence—Focus on You". The state delegations discussed and evaluated Dr. Byers remarks and submitted questions for explanation.

Thursday was the close of 4-H Club Congress. That night we had a banquet honoring the national winners in each awards program. Silver trays were presented to the two top winners in Citizenship, Leadership and Achievement in behalf of President Johnson. After the banquet, a final farewell party was held for the 1600 delegates from the United States, Puerto Rico, Canada and international visitors.

Congress was a new experience—an inspiration to pursue excellence in all things. It was an honor to represent Texas and the United States as a state and national winner. We can't take all the credit for this achievement, had it not been for the assistance of the people of our community, our 4-H leaders, agents, friends of 4-H and especially our parents, this trip would never have been awarded to us. A special 4-H "thank you" to you for making this once-in-a-lifetime trip a reality.

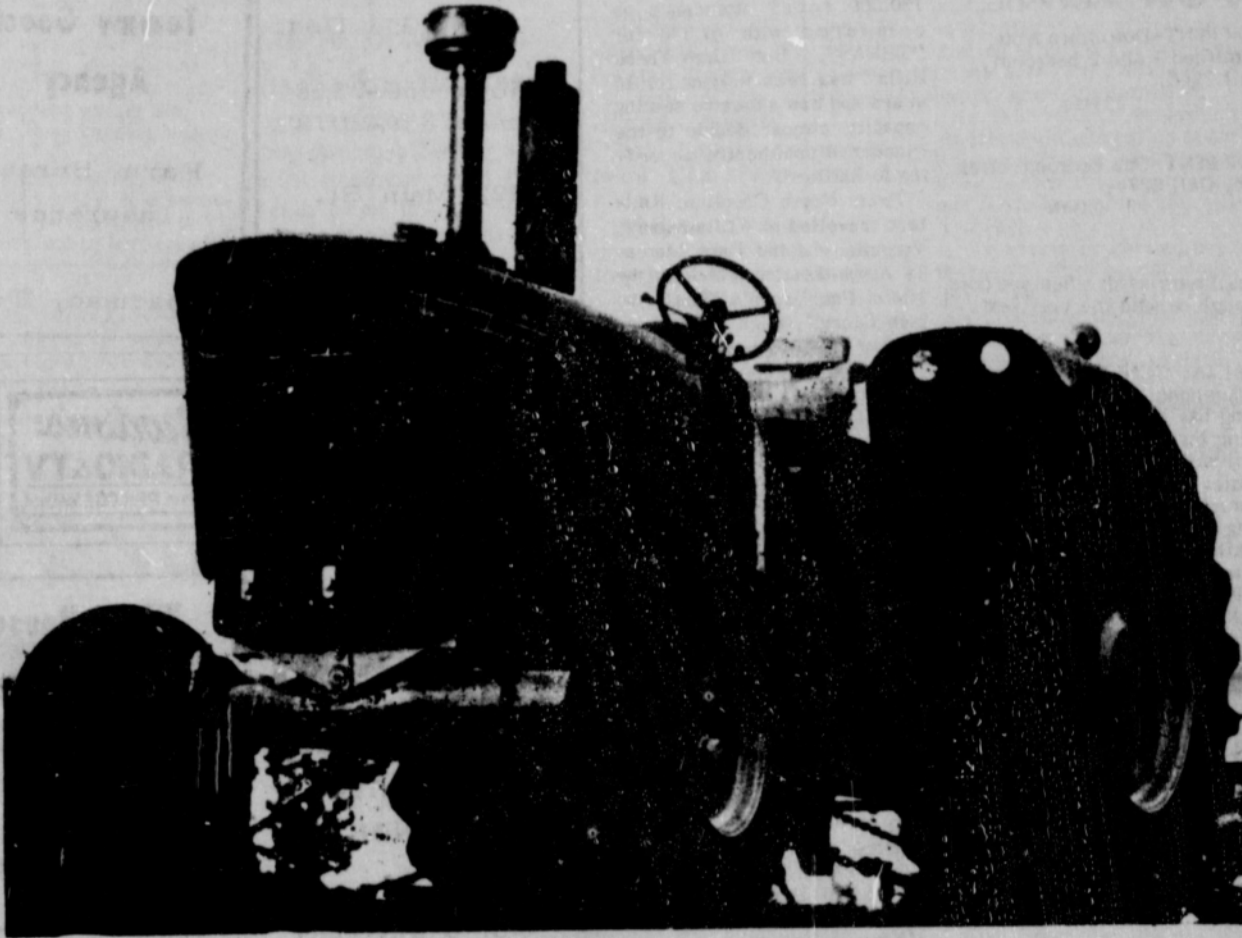
US Revises Figure For Texas Peanuts

WASHINGTON —An Agriculture Department report said Texas peanut production will be off about 29 million pounds from a forecast of 399 million made a month ago.

It said Texas sugar beet farmers would produce more than the estimate made a month ago.

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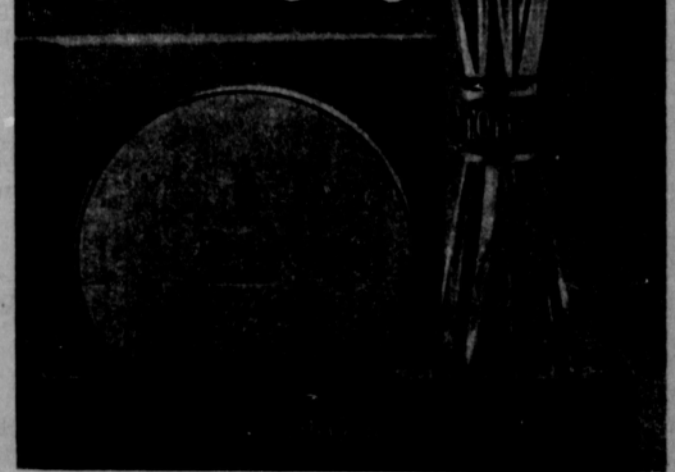
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"A new suit is the most useful gift a boy can receive, and one he appreciates so much," Ranch founder Cal Farley said. "Our boys wear the same ones every Sunday at services in our non-sectarian chapel, on their Saturday town trips and on school trips away from the Ranch. By the end of a year, the suits are pretty well worn out and in most cases, fit rather tightly. We are still able to purchase a coat and pair of slacks for \$25, at a special rate to the boys."

Anyone desiring to make this a memorable Christmas for a young man at Boys Ranch can do so by mailing their contribution to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas 79105, or by taking the gift to the Ranch office at 600 West 11th Street.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — A man shoved a gun in the back of Glen Mowery, station manager of the Poor Man's Oil Co. and ordered him to open the safe. Another man stood at the door. The Poor Man's Oil Co. was soon \$200 poorer.

Court Rules No Payment In Suit

A District Court Jury in Dallas ruled no payment in the damage suits Jack Berry of Sunray had against Robert Ownbey of Spearman, the Rock Island Railroad and Gene and Gordon Taylor of Sunray, according to Mrs. Robert Ownbey.

Berry was one of the men hurt in the train-tractor wreck at Capps Switch on Feb. 7, 1964. Ownbey and the Taylors were on the tractor, also.

The jury said Berry was damaged \$12,300, but then denied payment because he was also negligent, Mrs. Ownbey said.

DUTCH FIRST TO BREW

The first spirits made from grain in America were distilled on Staten Island in 1640 by the director general of the Dutch Colony of New Netherlands.



By Vern Sanford

There's one lure you'll find in almost every fisherman's tackle box. That's the spinner lure. It comes in various forms and just plain spinners. It is no secret why spinners are so universally popular. Day in and day out, season after season, a spinner will catch more fish, more consistently than any other lure.

One day I asked a friend of mine who owns a sporting goods store what one lure he would recommend to a man who knew nothing about fishing.

"This one," he said, showing me an Abu Spinner. It's the Garcia lure with the solid metal body, a treble hook dressed in a bucktail on one end and a revolving chrome spinner at the line end. Evans calls theirs the Shyster. Dave Hawk calls his the Champion.

But the principle is the same. "Why this one?" I asked. "Because all you have to do is throw it out and reel it in to catch fish," he explained. "It won't catch as many big fish as some other lures, but it will catch more fish."

Old-time fishermen know that the spinner is one of the oldest of all artificial baits. Very likely the first spinner was a bit of shell.

Anyway, the greatest compliment you can pay the spinner is that it has stood the test of time. Other baits have come and gone, but the spinner continues unequalled in its fish catching ability.

Although it is true that spinners will catch fish when simply thrown out and reeled in, they will catch more fish in the hands of the skilled angler. He knows how to

vary his retrieve and presentation to conform to present conditions and seasons.

For example, one time he might let the spinner-bait sink to the bottom before starting it back. Another time he might reel it briskly just under the surface. Maybe he will jerk it occasionally, to make it simulate a crippled minnow. Or perhaps he might reel it fast, on top the water, where the spinner churns the surface.

Sometimes even the fly-rod fisherman adds a tiny spinner in front of his dainty fly. This to get more flash and action to his bait. Trollers frequently add a spinner in front of their wobbling baits, to add to their appeal. Lately, spinners have been used as forerunners to plastic worms.

Spinners themselves are available in many sizes, from the tiny creations not much bigger than a drop of water, to large ones the size of a half-dollar. These are attached to a shaft by means of a piece of metal that revolves around the shaft. Each shaft has an eye by means of which it can be attached to a line or to another lure.

Commercial spinner baits are basically of two designs. One is the straight-shaft spinner with the metal body and a shaft running horizontally through it. There's a hook and bucktail on one end, the spinner and line eye on the other.

Second design has an offset spinner. This one is built on a V-shaped piece of wire. On one leg is the hook and bucktail or rubber skirt; on the other is the spinner. The line eye is at the apex.

Although there are many different shapes and designs of spinners, the two most basic and popular are the Colorado and the Willow Leaf.

The Colorado is teardrop shaped while the Willow Leaf is long and narrow.

The thin spinner runs through the water with less resistance and consequently less flash, but it has its place in the angling scheme.

In swift water, for instance, the larger Colorado spinner may turn too violently, twisting the line and causing too much flash. This instance would call for the Willow Leaf. But in still waters, the Colorado spinner is better.

If you prefer two spinners on a bait, use the Willow Leaf design. Two Colorado spinners create unnecessary drag and resistance and twist the line even if a swivel is used.

Spinners also come in many colors. They are made from various materials such as stainless steel, nickel, brass and copper. Most popular are the chrome shine and the hammered brass.

Although a spinner creates a flash in the water, this is only part of its appeal. Additionally, it causes vibrations, which attract some fish. So with a spinner you are creating two distinctive motivations which cause fish to strike—flash and vibration.

It wasn't too long back that a spinner was simply fished in the conventional manner, cast out and reeled in. This caused the lure to travel some two to four feet under the surface.

But many fishermen have learned to put the spinner deep. They allow it to plummet to the bottom before starting it back. Or they put it right on the bottom and retrieve it with an up-and-down jigging motion. This lifting the lure up and allowing it to flutter back down keeps the spinners barely tick-tocking.

At times it also pays to skitter the spinning lure along the surface, perhaps over submerged moss or weeds. This can be affected by reeling in the moment the lure kisses the surface and holding your rod tip almost straight up. Thus the spinner will fan the water as the lure skims across the surface.

Beauty of the spinner-type lure is that it can be used effectively in many different ways. . . and it catches fish.

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Governor Connally Names December 11 Safety Sunday

AUSTIN—Governor John Connally said today in proclaiming Sunday, December 11 "Safety Sunday" in Texas that useless infliction of human injury is "an abuse of God's most precious gift—life itself."

The Governor also called attention to the fact that 3,028 persons were killed and 186,062 injured on Texas streets and highways in 1965 "despite an intensive and continuing campaign by both official State agencies and citizen-support groups."

"Safety Sunday" is sponsored each year by the Texas Safety Association, S. Ross Carr of Houston, TSA President, said purpose of the observance is to focus public attention on the moral obligations and responsibilities of vehicle drivers to protect their own lives and the lives of others. It is observed each year during one Sunday in December to give further emphasis to the need for accident prevention during the Christmas-New Year's holiday season.

In his proclamation, Governor Connally said: "It is essential that every Texas driver realize that safety for himself,

NAME DIDN'T STICK
For thousands of years alcoholic beverages were known as "water of life."

his loved ones and his friends, as well as other drivers and passengers is a matter of moral responsibility, and that useless infliction of human injury is an abuse of God's most precious gift—life itself."

Witcher Enters Army Training

Bobby Witcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Witcher left this week for six months Army training. He will take the training at Fort Ord, Calif.

He is a graduate of Spearman High School and attended Oklahoma Baptist University.

Large Drop Seen In Pecan Harvest

AUSTIN (Spl) — The Texas Crop Reporting Service said in its November report that Texas pecan producers will harvest 23 million pounds this year.

Cary B. Palmer, statistician in charge, said the yield would be only 37 per cent of the 62 million pounds produced last year.

Mike Morris Selected To Attend OCS

Army Pvt. Mike Morris has been selected to attend Officers' Candidate School, according to information received here.

His mother, Mrs. Harold Morris of Fairview, Okla., learned last week that he has been named the outstanding recruit of his Brigade at Fort Hood.

Mrs. Morris said the Brigade Commander had recommended him for West Point on the basis of his record as a recruit.

Morris is a graduate of Spearman High School and attended Texas Tech one year before being drafted in September.

Grammar No Bar To Police Report

LOUISVILLE, Ky. —An accident had been reported and the state trooper was asked by car radio if the victims had reached a hospital.

John Bockey, a bystander, heard the officer give this reply:

"They haven't arrived, er . . . er . . . they haven't arrived, they haven't got there yet."

Send in holiday recipes to The Plainsman today for the special Christmas issue.

Panhandle . . .

(Con't, from page 1.)

taking place in agriculture, especially in the area north of the Canadian River. In the last few years the area has developed into irrigated farming and cattle feeding area.

Since 1960 feeding has increased 300 percent in the Panhandle. There is another \$20 million available in livestock feeding. Better forage practices on ranch pastures and grazing forage crops could increase income some \$35 million.

Murphy said the Panhandle was losing \$20 million a year in wasted water from both underground and surface sources.

Another \$8 million is lost on the misuse of land. He said there is some six million acres of land being misused in the area.

He pointed out that double cropping of irrigated land could increase income some \$50 million.

There is tremendous economic potentials in increasing production, but Murphy pointed out that if the current production of farms was processed in this area, their value would be increased \$350 million.

He said better management practices are needed on farms. Poor planning on income taxes and estate taxes cost farmers and landowners some \$30 million each year.

The specialist pointed out that agriculture needed more production cost studies. He said producing irrigated wheat can be just a break-even crop without proper management. Because farming is such big



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business, every farmer should be sure he is getting maximum production and maximum net profit from each dollar invested.

Murphy said just seeding the proper number of plants per acre for the amount of water and fertilizer used, will greatly increase net profits.

He said improper use of fertilizer in the area cost millions each year.

Representatives from the ASCS, Soil Conservation Districts, Vocational Agriculture, Farmers Home Administration, Texas Parks and Wildlife, and Texas Extension Service pledged their support in helping counties implement the PEP program in any county.

There is a county planning committee in each county and it will take this program and begin working to implement the parts of it that can help the county.

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'Texas' Is Among Nation's Favorites!

By Lorena Miller
(of the Canyon News)

"They are all wanting to know more about our 'TEXAS', says Raymond Raillard upon return from a recent manager's conference at the Institute of Outdoor Drama in Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

Raillard is executive vice president of the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation, located in Canyon, which was responsible for the successful production of the drama 'TEXAS' last summer in Pioneer Amphitheatre at Palo Duro Canyon.

Raillard was among 51 representatives from drama and planning groups in attendance at the manager's conference. Ten of the 22 operating dramas of 1966 were represented. The planning groups present were from the states of Wisconsin, Texas, Ohio, North Carolina and Georgia.

A highlight of the conference was an address by Volt Gilmore, former director of the US Travel Service. Gilmore gave outlines of the operation of the agency and indications of the areas and methods of cooperation between the outdoor drama field and the department of commerce.

Raillard said that next summer the US Travel Service will distribute literature concerning 'TEXAS' to eleven foreign countries. During the 1966 summer productions some 53 countries were represented by guests at the local production. "All of the outdoor dramas reported successful seasons and many broke previous attendance records," said Raillard.

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lard. The local production 'TEXAS' was second in attendance only to 'Unto These Hills' at Cherokee, North Carolina.

The North Carolina show had 120,000 total attendance as compared with 61,338 for 'TEXAS'. But 'Unto These Hills' has been playing for 16 years and has a theatre seating capacity almost double to the Pioneer Amphitheatre according to Raillard.

From North Carolina, Raillard travelled to Williamsburg, Virginia and the Lake Matoka Amphitheatre, which is the site of Paul Green's 'The Common Glory' which holds a record of 20 years production with over a million visitors.

Raillard then traveled to Washington, D. C., where he visited the National Association of Travel Organizations to express appreciation for their selection of 'TEXAS' as number one attraction in the 'top twenty'.

In conclusion Raillard commented that he wore western regalia while on his tour of the east and did not see another Stetson hat until he returned to the Governor's Conference in Dallas.

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE CITY OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS, TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY, SPEARMAN, TEXAS.

Pursuant to a Resolution duly adopted on November 7, 1966, by the City Council of City of Spearman, Texas, Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City of Spearman, Texas, to enter into a Cooperation Agreement with the Housing Authority of the City of Spearman, Texas, and further;

Notice is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty (60) days from November 10, 1966, the City Council of the City of Spearman, Texas, will consider the question of whether or not it will enter into a Cooperation Agreement with the Housing Authority of the City of Spearman, Texas. A copy of the proposed Cooperation Agreement is available for the inspection of the public at the office of the City Clerk during business hours.

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specialists. The first big step needed is to promote the great economic possibilities that are available in the Panhandle. We must change the image of our Panhandle. Too many people in Texas and the nation look upon this area as a dirty, windblown area that is either too hot or too cold. The rest of the country does not know the potential of this area. Just the job of increasing the value of our current production through processing and better marketing will require many people with special training, capital for investments, and people to fill the many new jobs that such expansion would make. We cannot get all of the needed people and capital, as long as people have a misconception of our area.

It is time to get the county planning committee to work. We must not be last in taking advantage of the information that has been made available. Some counties are going to move and those who shelve the ideas for a year or so, will be that far behind. The size of the program is vast and will require many hours of study and planning. It cannot be jumped into if it is to be successful.

We have had two big aids to increasing growth of our town and county this week. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce study and the PEP program.

We are going to get help on what we can do, but it is left up to us if we do anything and take advantage of what we have here.

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