

# Lions club pancake supper 26th

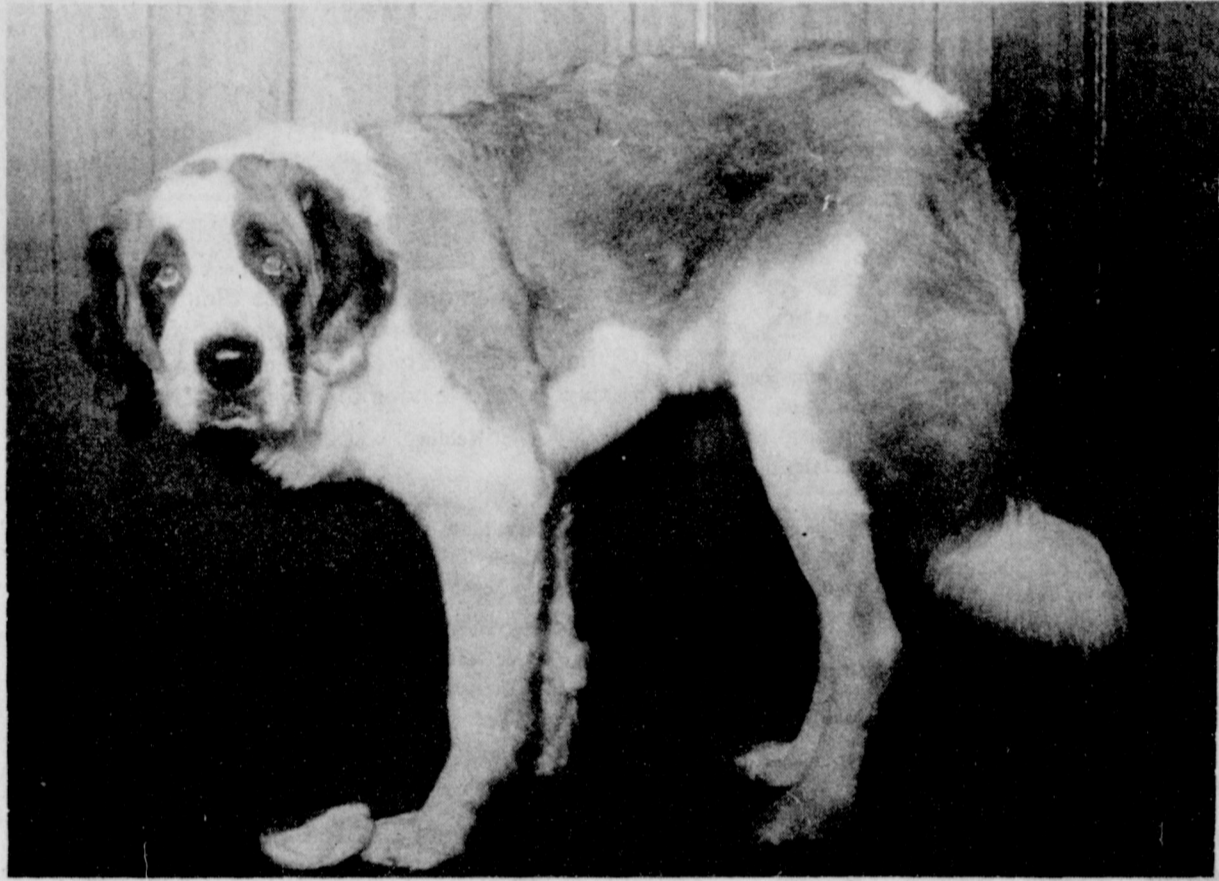


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WHAT'S THAT YOU SAY... A PANCAKE SUPPER? YOU BET I'M GOING! HAVEN'T MISSED A "LION'S" CLUB SUPPER IN YEARS!

### Acting Chief Commends Drivers!

Acting Spearman Police Chief Jimmy Jackson has commended Spearman motorists, noting that there have been very few mishaps as a result of the icy streets during the past week. Police records indicate only two mishaps involving cars that couldn't stop because of icy street conditions, and that these two caused only property damage and no personal injuries.

Two cars one driven by Scarlett Jackson of Spearman the other driven by Maria Lopez of Spearman slid into each other at Ave. B and Bernice...both cars running some damage. No police citations were issued.

In the second ice related mishap, a pick up driven by David Swann of Spearman at Highway 15 near Equity Elevators, causing damage to reach vehicle.

Spearman Police continue to investigate Hit and Run accidents: Sharon Sheets, 601 S. Haney told Police that unknown motorists apparently slammed into the door of her auto when it was parked at the Spearman Senior High School without indicating their responsibility. Police are still investigating.

Sergeant Jimmy Jackson was appointed Acting Spearman Police Chief by City Manager Lenis Simpson after Former Chief Steve Wisniewski left to take over the chief's position of Portales N.M.

Spearman City council members may look over several applications for the vacancy when they meet on Tuesday January 16th.

Lion Ray Ingle will be the General Director for the Spearman Lions Club Pancake Supper, which will be held January 26th, between 5 and 7 p.m., at the high school cafeteria, in Spearman. This is the night of the Spearman B team tournament, and the night that Perryton will come to Spearman to watch the lynx- and Ranger teams in action. It should be the largest basketball crowd of the year, and the Lions Club is preparing the biggest pancake supper in the history of the club, under the direction of banker Ingle!

Dick Elbert Boss Lion, will act as greeter for the pancake supper, and he has been instructed to be especially nice to all of the Ranger Fans who eat supper with the Lions Friday night, January 26th. Lions members plans to contact Bones Simpson, and see if we could feed the Rangers plenty of pancakes just before the game, and possibly these tall boys couldn't jump quite so high.

Lion James Cunningham will secure sausage, pancake mix, syrup and butter for the supper. Doug Connelly will secure plates, cups and napkins. Sausage cooks for the evening, will be Oscar Donnell, and J.W. Gibner both professional sausage cooks. Pancake cooks include Lions Clay Gibner, Earl Good-

heart, Everett Tracy, and Dick Hudson. In charge of the batter mix, will be Lion Pogue, known as the pancake and biscuit "King of Texas!" One of the most personable and attractive members of the club will serve as "head waiter" and he is known as Lion Claude Newell. Serving along with head waiter Newell, will be Doug Steger, who will be in charge of testing pancakes. Lion Martin Chandler, will make the coffee and prepare the drinks for the evening. Lion Chandler is known as one of the best drink mixers in the state! Drinks will consist of milk, water and coffee. Serving the drinks will be Lion Dr. R.L. Kleeberger. Lions Jack Oakes, Frosty Hickerson, and Gerald Heinrich will see that butter and syrup is supplied to all customers during the big Lions Club supper. They have both had plenty of experience at this type of thing, and your tables should be extra clean. In charge of washing the silverware will be Doug McLaughlin and Troy Sloan. On the clean-up detail in the kitchen will be three outstanding Lions; Lion Burl Buchanan, John Davey and Billy Miller.

For information concerning tickets, contact Lions Eugene Yarbrough or S.J. Hall! Make plans now to attend the Lions Club pancake supper, January 26th, 1979, 5 to 7 p.m.

## Killer Blizzard

## Board Studying Bond Sale

As a result of action taken by the Hansford Hospital Board of Trustees at its Emergency meeting on Tuesday January 2nd, at which time the Board instructed Bonding opportunities to finance a suggested ancillary nursing home and Hansford Hospital building improvements, representatives of the Fred Baker & Associates Bonding firm were in attendance at the Thursday meeting of the Hospital Board.

Bob Davis, one of the representatives presented proposed figures for the sale of bonds based on the current \$68,548, 765.00 Assessed valuation of Hansford County. Davis noted that a fifteen year pay out of the bonds would necessitate a 19 cent tax rate. He added that a 20 year pay out would require a 16 one half cent tax structure.

Davis told the Board that should the Board contemplate seriously the additional building program for a nursing facility that the project could not be advertised for bids until approval was forthcoming from the State licensing Committee and after the Certificate of Need had been approved.

The Board took no specific action on the report from the Amarillo based firm but has sought apparently information from various firms concerning the expected cost of the project in question.

The proposed Nursing Home that would serve not only geriatric patients but which in essence would be an extended care facility would be built under current plans in conjunction with the local Hospital facilities. The proposed remodeling and improvement program would include Kitchen remodeling well reportedly as Laboratory improvements.

Elections would be necessary to approve the suggested expansion program along with the tax structure necessary for the Bonds to finance the project.

EVERYTHING in the area has been cancelled for today, including the Jr. High tournament!

### Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Moses Lomeila, Shane Vela, Rose Beck, Vida Jones, Chisty Hendrick, Darrell Keith, Pate Grigsby, Margie Barkley, Teresa Bynum, Linda Garcia, Darwin Hanson, Jack Hanson, Robin Keetch, Nikki Jones, Geneva Pope, Charles West, Nigell Kelso, Ruth Garner, Wilford Haworth, and Lela Apple.

Dismissed were Cindy Jones, Brandon Baker, Mark Hendrick, Viola Graves, Stanley TeBeest, Edward Cook, Londa Barber, Garland Head, Misty Fisher, Jerry Garcia, Tammy Garcia, Gerald Garcia and Norma Eaton.

SPEARMAN VS. SUNRAY 7th grade boys Spearman 26-Sunray 23	
Pearson	3
Sutterfield	8
Tucker	5
Meek	2
Reed	0
Guthrie	0
Haden	4
Gamblin	0
Hat	0
Hagerman	0
Nava	2
Turner	0

SPEARMAN VS. SPEARMAN 7th & 8th grade boys #2 Spearman 29-Spearman #2 31	
Pearson	10
Sutterfield	8
Tucker	0
Meek	4
Reed	0
Guthrie	2
Haden	0
Gamblin	0
Hagerman	0
Nava	2
Turner	0
Schubert	0
Laird	0
Jarvis	0
Bulls	0
English	0

In the Jr. high tournament, the Spearman 8th grade girls won their way to the finals, along with the Gruver

SPEARMAN VS. MIAMI 8th grade girls Spearman 34-Miami 10	
Gibner	10
Ooley	2
Reed	2
Young	11
Jan Davis	5
Paul	4
Sullivan	0
Rylant	0
Bowling	0
Sheets	0

SPEARMAN VS. MIAMI 8th grade boys Spearman 26-Miami 31	
Underwood	6
Francis	6
Goodheart	8
Thomas	2
Randall	4
Queen	0
Torres	0

SPEARMAN VS. STRATFORD 8th grade boys Spearman 18-Stratford 19	
Underwood	2
Francis	8
Goodheart	0
Thomas	0
Torres	0
Randall	4
Queen	4

SPEARMAN VS. STRATFORD 8th girls Spearman 20-Stratford 19	
Gibner	4
Ooley	2
Reed	2
Young	6
Jean Davis	2
Jan Davis	2
Paul	2
Sullivan	0
Rylant	0
Bowling	0
Sheets	0

8th grade boys. The Gruver 8th grade boys beat Perryton 35-28 in their semi-final game Friday evening.

SPEARMAN VS. SUNRAY 7th grade girls Spearman 21-Sunray 32	
Baker	8
Crawford	5
Elbert	0
Ivey	0
Mires	1
Ross	4
Taylor	2
Sexton	0
Nelson	0
Novak	0
Brown	0
Scroggs	0
Phelps	1
Sargado	0
Reyes	0
Espinosa	0
White	0
Welch	0
Russell	0
Heinrich	0
Melner	0

SPEARMAN VS. SPEARMAN #2 7th & 8th grade girls Spearman 7th 24- Spearman 8th 14	
Baker	8
Crawford	10
Elbert	0
Ivey	0
Mires	0
Ross	2
Taylor	0
Nelson	0
Novak	0
Brown	0
Scroggs	0
Phelps	2
Salgado	0
Reyes	0
Espinosa	0
White	0
Welch	0
Russell	0
Mathews	0
Sexton	0

### New Utility Bills March 1

Spearman Water and Gas customers will see a "new look" in their monthly utility bills beginning in March.

City Manager Lenis Simpson said that it had been hoped that the new bills would be printed and ready for their first mailing earlier but delays in printing have required the new target date.

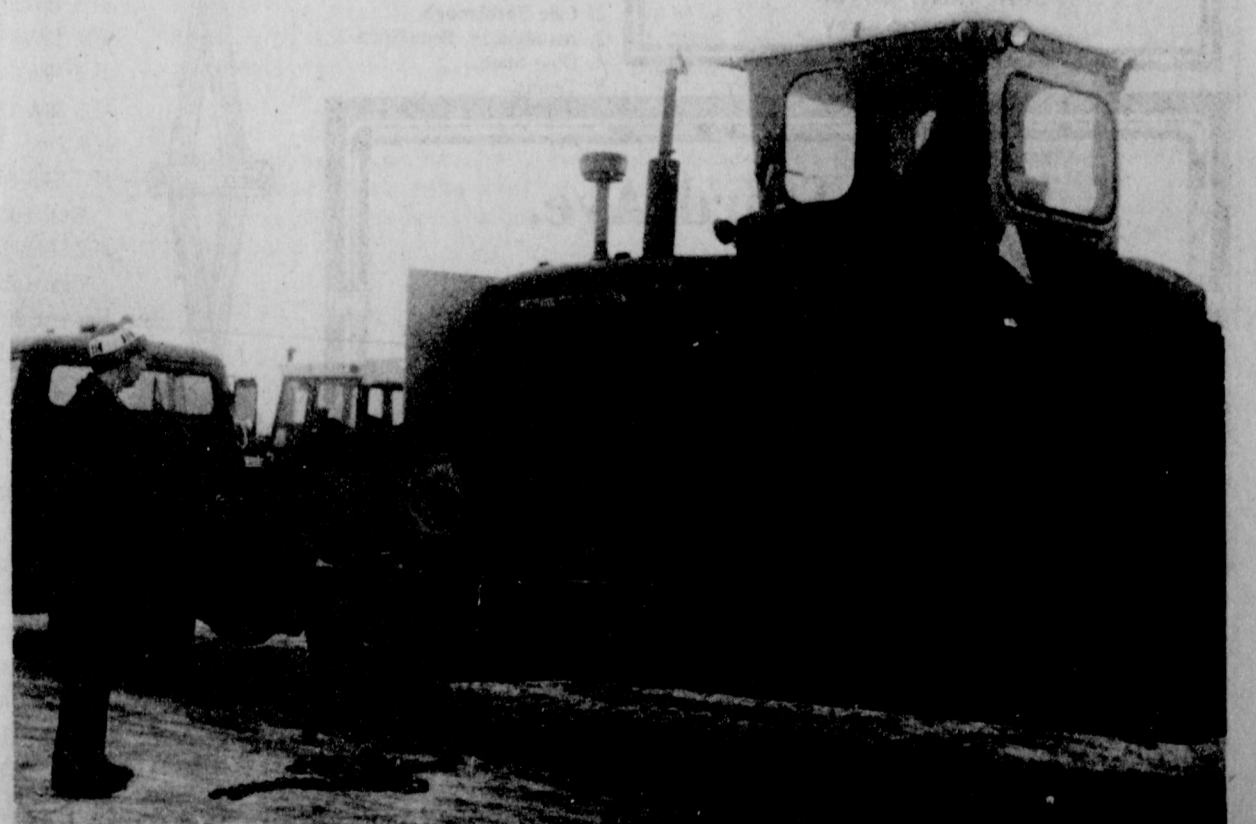
The local City Official also reports that a new IBM System 32 Computer goes into operation around Feb. 1, at City Hall, and will take over all fiscal and Budgetary activity. Simpson said that the new hardware will have more flexibility and function than the one currently in operation, and will give a constant update on gas consum-

ption, as well as handling payroll budgeting and accounting and other fiscal matters.

Todd Brock, Tracie Keetch and Christy Collier informed the newspaper that they were doing an outstanding job keeping the clock and books for the Jr. High tournament.

### Markets

Wheat	3.04
Milo	3.65
Corn	2.45
Soybeans	6.12



Six Hansford County tractors were loaded onto flatbeds this week for transportation to Amarillo. The six will be part of a large tractorcade that will leave Amarillo Monday for the long drive to Washington! Members of the American Agricultural Movement spearhead the drive.

**Insurance Corner**  
COMMERCIAL CREDIT INSURANCE

If you operate any kind of a business such as manufacturing, wholesaling, distributing, etc., take a good look at your "Accounts Receivable." Is that figure uncomfortably large? Is it large enough to cause you worry?

If you are, or have ever been in this type of situation, commercial credit insurance could be your answer. Think of your operation if you are, say, a manufacturer. You start with raw materials, make something out of them, and sell the final product to your customer. In other words, title to the merchandise is transferred to your customer. It then turns into an account receivable--the final result of everything you've done before that. It also becomes your MAXIMUM investment.

because your profit is in it! But something else goes up as well as your investment--your risk! This is where commercial credit insurance comes in...it guarantees the value of the account receivable. Just like fire, theft, and liability coverage, it protects your company against serious loss. Since this type of loss directly concerns income, the importance of commercial credit insurance cannot be overemphasized.

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 659-2501.

**Presbyterian Church News**

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. with an interesting Bible study lesson designed to meet your spiritual need.

"Andrew" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday, January 14 at 11:00 a.m. Martha Batton and Richard Bennett will be ordained as elders and Mrs. Batton and Mr. Bennett and Helen Etter will be installed as members of the Session. Miriam Mercer will be publicly recognized as church treasurer.

Presbyterian Women's Association will meet on Wednesday, January 17 at 9:30 a.m. at the church. Eddie Largent will be the hostess. Julie Felder will lead the first lesson in the study of the Gospel of Mark. January 18-25 is the Week of

**Prayer for Christian Unity.**

Palo Duro Union Presbyterian Church will meet at the First Presbyterian Church of Lubbock January 19-20. Dr. Ransom Rice, fraternal worker to Korea, will speak at the opening dinner at 6:00 p.m. on Friday. The meeting will continue until about 3:00 p.m. on Saturday. Helen Etter is the delegate and Danny Womble is the alternate.

The First Presbyterian Church is a loving, caring fellowship that is genuinely interested in the real person you are. Wouldn't you like to be a part of such a fellowship?

**CONGRESS & CHINA**

Rep. Clement J. Zablocki, D-Wis., chairman of the House International Relations Committee, contends there is little that Congress can do to block President Carter's new China policy. He suggests that critics concentrate instead on doing the best they can for Taiwan under the circumstances.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	JAN 1979
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
28	29	30	31				

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- MONDAY, JANUARY 15**  
Brownie Troop #99-Brownie Hut  
Boy Scout Troop 551-Community Bldg.  
Boy Scout Troop 578-Fred Groves's shop  
Ladies Dinner Bridge Club  
Las Amigas Home Demonstration Club  
Rotary Club- Martin's Steak Garden
- TUESDAY, JANUARY 16**  
Brownie Troop #101-Brownie Hut  
Lions Club  
Tuesday Bridge Club- Kathleen Sutton's  
Town & Country Home Demonstration Club  
Old Home Demonstration Club- June Jackson's  
Old Hansford Home Demonstration Club
- WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17**  
Cadet Troop #120  
Spearman Presbyterian Women  
Marsha Key Study Group-First Baptist Church  
Lilly Hunley Group-First Baptist Church  
Pheleo Circle- First Christian Church  
Susannah Wesley Circle- Methodist Church  
Mary Martha 'Circle- Methodist Church
- THURSDAY, JANUARY 18**  
Serendipity Home Demonstration Club  
Den #1 Cub Scouts-Linda Beeson's  
1st Year Brownies-Brownie Hut  
Grand Slam Bridge Club- Sharon Cook's  
Square Dance Club- County Barn
- FRIDAY, JANUARY 19**  
Arts and Crafts Guild  
Girl Scout Troop #42- Girl Scout Hut
- SATURDAY, JANUARY 20**  
Webelos- Fred Groves's shop

In 1836 there was a surplus in the United States Treasury of over \$28 million!

**W.I.F.E. Meeting Held**

W.I.F.E. met at the County Barn, Tuesday, Jan. 9th for their monthly meeting, with Barbara McClellan presiding. The minutes from the December meeting were read and approved and business discussed.

Barbara read a letter to the group, from June Saylor, State President of W.I.F.E. that included the testimony she had given before the Steering Committee, which met on December 8th.

A report was also given concerning the delay of a publication the women had subscribed to. The reason was for the delay that the name has been changed to "TODAY'S WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE" and everyone should be receiving their issues soon.

Information was also received that a new W.I.F.E. Chapter had been organized at Whiteface.

The time for the next meeting has been changed for a trial period of about three months. It will be Feb. 6th at 10 p.m.

Those attending were: Ginger Turner, Georgia Holt, Barbara McClellan, Helen Boyd, Bobby Novak, Molly Turner, Sonya Godfrey, Patti Spoonmore, and Jean West.

**ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ**

1. Name the winner of the Gator Bowl.
2. Who was named NASCAR Driver of the Year?
3. Who won the Penn State, Alabama clash?
4. Name the first team to upset the Duke Blue Devils this season.
5. Guillermo Vilas is known in what sport?

**Answers to Sports Quiz**

1. Clemson 17, Ohio State 15.
2. Cale Yarborough.
3. Alabama 14, Penn State 7.
4. Ohio State.
5. Tennis.

**Young People Need To Plan Estates, Too**

It's not only the mature who need an estate plan. They are essential for young people, too, especially young couples.

According to Peggy Winegarner, County Extension Agent for Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the lack of an estate plan could cause unnecessary expense for the surviving spouse with minor children.

In case of the death of one spouse in a young couple with small children and all community property with no will or estate plan, half the estate goes to the children, and that is where legal expenses begin to pile up.

Mrs. Winegarner explained: "The surviving spouse would then find it necessary to go through the courts at considerable cost for access to the children's share, even though it is to be utilized for their benefit."

Unmarried single adults should have an estate plan, also, even though Texas law declares their estate will go to the parents in the event of death.

"If the extra estate is not needed by them it unnecessarily increases the estate tax load upon the death of one parent," the agent pointed out. "A properly developed estate plan on the part of the child would avoid the incurrment of extra taxes."

The estate needs of the young is only one of the facts which will be covered in depth at the Hansford County Financial Security and Estate Planning Program, January 25, in the Hospitality Room, First State Bank, Spearman.

Registration begins at 7:00 p.m.

Area experts in estate planning, law and taxes will review federal and state death taxes, liquidity and how to provide it, reducing estates and through gifts, wills and trusts, who needs them and what they do and the problems of property ownership in other jurisdictions.

Speakers will include Lou Stanislaw, Planning Consultant - Amarillo, Gary Turner, Trust Officer - Borger, Ed Hinshaw, Attorney - Panhandle, and Jack Oakes, Accountant - Spearman.

Time will be allowed for questions and observations from the audience. There is no registration fee. The program is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service with the cooperation of the Family Living Committee. The program is open to all regardless of race, color, national origin, sex or religion.

**TUESDAY NIGHT MIXED**

Schn, Wid,	13	3
Baker & Taylor	10	6
Hansford Imp.	9	7
Ideal	9	7
A-1 Automotive	8	8
Groves Weld,	6	10
Channel 6	6	10
North Plains	3	13
<b>HIGH TEAM SERIES:</b>		
Hansford Imp.	1966	
Schneider Welding	1926	
A-1 Automotive	1818	
<b>HIGH TEAM GAME:</b>		
Hansford Imp	707	
<b>HIGH MEN'S GAME:</b>		
Schneider Welding	665	
Ideal	660	
<b>HIGH MEN'S SERIES:</b>		
Charles Elliott	589	222
Lynn Cook	545	216
Tommy Reger	513	211
<b>HIGH WOMEN'S SERIES:</b>		
Jewel McCaoman	518	211
Shirley Greenwood	481	191
Diane Elliott	480	190



Former Spearman Police Chief Steve Wisniewski, his wife Renee and son Chad were honored by City colleagues with a "farewell party just before leaving for Portales N.M.

**GEBO'S HOME-FARM & RANCH SUPPLIES**  
DUMAS 501 N. Dumas

**OIL BOOKING SALE**

Order early and Gebo's will save you on all your oil purchases. All you do is place your order by January 20. You need pay only 1/3 down with the balance due when you pick up your order. Orders must be picked up by March 15, 1979. These specials good only on drum and case orders.

OIL	QUANTITY	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
Cato Non-Det 30	24/1 qt.	\$10.49	\$9.99
Cato Non-Det 40	24/1 qt.	\$10.49	\$9.99
JT-8 15W50 Oil	24/1 qt.	\$16.70	\$14.99
JT-8 15W50 Oil	1/55 gal.	\$129.95	\$114.99
JT-8 10W40 Oil	24/1 qt.	\$16.70	\$14.99
JT-8 10W40 Oil	1/55 gal.	\$129.95	\$114.99
JT-8 30W Oil	24/1 qt.	\$16.40	\$14.49
JT-8 Ferg Trans	1/5 gal.	\$13.60	\$12.60
JT-7 SAE 80/90 Gear Lube	1/2 gal.	\$8.55	\$7.49
JT-7 SAE 90/90 Gear Lube	1/35 lb.	\$18.35	\$16.35
JT-7 SAE 90 Univ. Lub	1/2 gal.	\$5.59	\$4.99
JT-7 SAE 90 Univ. Lub	1/35 lb.	\$12.39	\$11.39
JT-7 SAE 40 Univ. Lub	1/2 gal.	\$5.59	\$4.99
JT-7 SAE 40 Univ. Lub	1/35 lb.	\$12.39	\$11.39
JT-7 Universal Transdralic	1/2 gal.	\$6.29	\$5.59
JT-7 Universal Transdralic	1/5 gal.	\$15.55	\$13.99
JT-7 303 J.D. Transdralic	1/2 gal.	\$6.09	\$5.59
JT-7 303 J.D. Transdralic	1/5 gal.	\$14.95	\$13.49

OIL	QUANTITY	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
JT-7 303 J.D. Transdralic	1/30 gal.	\$74.45	\$64.45
JT-7 303 J.D. Transdralic	1/55 gal.	\$131.95	\$112.95
JT-7 I H Transdralic	1/2 gal.	\$5.98	\$5.49
JT-7 I H Transdralic	1/5 gal.	\$14.30	\$12.95
JT-7 I H Transdralic	1/30 gal.	\$69.50	\$59.95
JT-7 I H Transdralic	1/55 gal.	\$123.95	\$104.95
JT-7 AW/AL 20 Hydraulic Oil	1/2 gal.	\$4.95	\$4.49
JT-7 AW/AL 20 Hydraulic Oil	1/5 gal.	\$12.39	\$10.99
JT-7 Lithflex Tube	cases of 10's	\$5.25	\$4.49
JT-6 Mystik Grease	cases of 10's	\$8.25	\$7.25
Harvest King Drip Oil	1/5 gal.	\$9.40	\$7.95
Harvest King Drip Oil	1/55 gal.	\$67.50	\$57.50
Champlin Deluxe 30	24/1 qt.	\$11.98	\$10.98
Champlin LPG-30	24/1 qt.	\$10.95	\$9.99
Champlin LPG-40	24/1 qt.	\$10.95	\$9.99
Champlin S-3 30	24/1 qt.	\$12.20	\$11.20
Champlin LPG-30	1/55 gal.	\$83.95	\$78.95
Champlin LPG-40	1/55 gal.	\$83.95	\$78.95
Champlin S-3 30	1/55 gal.	\$93.95	\$88.95

**Sale**  
From January 15 through February 15

**Gold Lance Class Rings**  
of Precium  
(a sterling-palladium alloy)

Now **\$64<sup>95</sup>**

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Spearman, Texas  
2-4 WEEK DELIVERY

**Sacks Third Ave. Storewide Sale**  
Sale starts Monday, January 15

10 to 50% off on all items in the store from brass to glass, crafts to clothes, pewter to silver, sheet to towels.

Store Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
Monday thru Saturday

203 Main Spearman, Texas 659-3350

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 519 S. EVANS  
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Hansford County Planned Parenthood  
 265. Haney  
 659-2483  
 Spearman Mon.-Fri.  
 8 a.m. to 12 noon  
 305-rtn

### SERVICES

**SERVICE:** Pits cleaned, wet or dry. Dragline or loader. Also, dozer, grader, carry-all service. LeeRoy Mitchell, 806-733-2384, Grover, Texas, 79040.

**PEE WEE'S PLUMBING & Appliance Service.** Roto-rotoer. 659-2811 or 659-3781. 26-rtn

**KIRBY SALES & SERVICE** of Spearman, 912 S. Bernice. 659-2797. 30-rtn

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS** from Gordon's Drug & Largent Rentals. Specials Dec. Thru Jan. Steam Rinsevac \$4.95 per day. Call 2141 Gordon's Drug after 7 p.m. & Sunday, 716 Cotter Drive, 3437.

**NOTICE**  
**Wallace Monument Co.**  
 Monuments, Curbing, Grave Covers  
 Local Representative  
**LEONARD JAMESON**  
 659-3406  
 20-rtn

Alcoholic Anonymous meeting 8 p.m. Friday, Home Demonstration Club building. 305 N. Bernice. Phone 659-3181 for information.

Al-Anon meetings 8 p.m. Friday, Home Demonstration Club building. 305 N. Bernice in back room. Phone 659-3181 for information. Ask for Al-Anon.

Now Hauling Manure from Caprock Pens #1 & 2. Check my low Prices before you trade with anyone.  
 Call or see Clois (Billy) Baker. 659-3642. 51S-rtn

**CARPET SHAMPOOING:** Dry foam method. Vinyl Repairs. Free estimates. Call 435-4305 after 5 p.m.  
**LESTER LEATHERMAN**  
 Perryton, Texas 52-rtn

**CATTLE HAULING**  
 Call Fred Van Buskirk - 2680 or Willis Randall - 2041.

### MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** 1976 Camaro, low mileage, AM-FM 8 track stereo. Power steering, pwer brakes. Call 659-3182, after 6.

**FOR SALE:** 3 Bed Room Double Wide Mobile Home. 1 1/4 Bath. Utility Room. Call 659-3292. 8S-rtn

**FOR SALE:** 1976-350 Honda. Good condition. Call 2506. Reasonable. See at 103 S. Barkley. 2S-rtn

**FOR SALE:** 1972 Chrysler 4 door. Loaded. Also 1965 Ford Falcon 2 Door. Call 659-3684 after 5:00 P.M. 8-rtn

**FOR SALE:** Firewood, Burton Schubert 659-2667. 47S-rtn

**SAVE!!** \$300.00 to \$1,000.00 on your Cedar Shingles or Shakes. No Delivery Charge. Write Lakeside Wholesalers, Drawer L, Fritch, Texas 79035 or Call 806-857-2411. 2S-10c

**FOR SALE:** 1976 - 350 Honda. Good condition. Call 2327 anytime. Reasonable. See at 103 S. Barkley. 2S-rtn

**FOR SALE:** 1976 Chevette, low mileage, deluxe interior, op rack, Michelin tires, CB radio, good mileage. Call 806-733-2384. 51-rtn

**SACRIFICE - Hand Made Saddle.** 15" Padded Seat fully hand tooled. 659-3121. 3S-rtn

**FOR SALE:** 1976 Suzuki 500. Excellent condition. Call Claude Sheets, Jr., 659-2085, 610 E. Kenneth. 4S-8c

**Hay for Sale:** Cadan 99B, Sorghum-Sudan Grass Hybrid. Approx. 700 bales baled by Claude Sheets. \$2.00 per bale. Contact Terry Curtis 659-2732 Call after 6. 12-2tp

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** Residential Lots, 115 ft. wide. Extra deep. Excellent neighborhood. 1100 Block S. Archer. All utilities available. Too good to pass up. Call 659-3021 or write Box 522, Spearman. 50-rtn

**FOR SALE** approximately 1 1/2 acres on corner of Kenneth & FM 760. Property has partially framed 25 x 30 shop, now has sewer, and is reduced in price. Call 659-3867 or 659-3880. 49S-rtn

**FOR SALE By Owner:** 3 bedroom home in Morse. Central heat & air. Large fenced Back yard. For Information Call 806-364-2658. 9-2tc

### WANTED

Want to buy silver dollars, silver and coin collections. 806-274-3718, 274-4351, 274-6274. 6-8tc

### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF G.M. NICHOLS, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary were issued on the Estate of G.M. NICHOLS, Deceased, No. 1567, now pending in the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, on January 2, 1979, to CORA NICHOLS, whose residence is 214 S. Snider, Spearman, Hansford County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate now being administered are hereby required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. Dated January 8, 1979.

**CORA NICHOLS, Executrix**  
 J.E. BLACKBURN  
 P.O. Box 38  
 Spearman, Texas 79081

**ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE**

**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF G.N. VERNON, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration for the Estate of G.N. Vernon were issued on January 8, 1979, in Cause No. 1566, pending in the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, To: Jan Bannister. The residence of such independent administratrix is Mc Culloch County, Texas. Her post office address is P.O. Box 1096, Brady, Texas 76825. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED This 24th day of January, 1979.  
 John L. Hutchison  
 Box 506  
 Spearman, Texas 79081  
 Attorney for Estate

### NOTICE

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### Peggy's Pointers

**Peggy's Pointers**  
 A brand new year full of activity has begun. Synthetic suedes in their ever increasing popularity have intrigued my curiosity and now am ready to share the unknown with you!  
 If your club or organization would like a program on sewing techniques, use and care of synthetic suedes, feel free to contact me at the County Extension office. \*\*\*

### LESSEN WEAR ON STAIR CARPET

Holiday traffic may have caused noticeable wear on your carpeted stairs. The edge of stair steps take the heaviest blows. To protect the carpet, here are two recommendations:  
 1) Install the carpet with an extra foot of length folded under against one or two risers at the top of the stairs. Then, make a shift downward an inch or two when the carpet on the stair edges needs a rest. Be clever and have the shifting done just before--not after--the carpet looks worn.  
 Several shifts are possible before the day arrives for new carpet. As these shifts are made, the excess carpet at the foot of the stairs will fold under against the lowest riser.  
 2) Use an underlay of carpet cushion--heavier than the type recommend for other areas or double thickness of lighter cushions--with particular attention to the stair steps and edges. \*\*\*

### BWARE OF MAIL ORDERS

offers--when spending a check, write the company's address on it. That way, when the check is cashed and returned, you'll have a record of where you sent your money.  
**GLASS SCREEN ON FIRE-PLACE**  
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## County Now Second In State Barley Production

**AUSTIN--**Hansford County climbed to the second place position among barley producing counties in the state this year, producing six per cent of Texas' 1,080,000-bushel crop, the Texas Department of Agriculture, Told the Plainsman today.  
 Total production for Hansford County was 65,000 bushels.  
 Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service records showed a 68.2 per cent decrease from the 1977 crop, which hit

3.4 million bushels.  
 The decline was primarily due to prolonged drought over the state.  
 "The crop got off to a good start, helped along by August, 1977, rains," commented Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. "But rapid depletion of available moisture caused stands to deteriorate shortly after the crop was up, and continuing drought conditions from October to May caused prospects to decline.

"Only 40,000 acres of barley were harvested this year," he continued, "even though 110,000 acres were planted. Yields were cut from 40 bushels per acre last year to only an average 27 bushels per acre."  
 The top 10 barley producing counties included: Parmer, first; Hansford, second; Young, third; Deaf Smith, fourth; Pecos, fifth; Sherman, sixth; Randall, seventh; Wilbarger, eighth; Moore, ninth; and Castro, tenth.

## Water Meters Lose FmHA Loans Reach Record High

City Utility crews have had their hands full in recent days answering calls from area residents as a result of broken water meters. Lenis Simpson, City Manager says that there have been an "excessive amount" of meters that have "lost their bottoms" as a result of the hard freeze.  
 The City Manager explained Apparently some "lids" were left open causing the water

inside the meter to freeze and when the consequent expansion took place (water expands when frozen) the "bottoms" dropped out.  
 In any event work crews have been attempting to rectify the bottomless water meters. That is...before another freeze sets in!  
 The woes of being a city manager...in the middle of winter!

**TEMPLE, TX--**The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), the rural credit agency of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, reported that its loans for rural development in Texas during the fiscal year (FY) 1978 reached a record high of \$525 million -- 43 percent above the FY 1977 level, according to W. H. (Bill) Pieratt, State Director.  
 Of the \$525 million, 98 percent of which are loans repayable with interest, over \$345 million are farm loans. Housing loans accounted for almost \$96 million, over \$50 million went for community facilities improvements and more than \$33 million were used for business-industrial financing.  
 State Director Pieratt said that 1979 will surpass this year's record amount of farm loans through the government agency. FmHA will be the last resort for many producers who cannot obtain funds elsewhere, Pieratt said. Bankers expect the 1979 interest rate for farmers to average about 10 1/2 percent, the most that can be

## Fire Department 1978 Report

The Spearman Fire Dept. wishes you a happy new year and hopes that each of you will aid in keeping the 1979 fire runs as low as those in 1978.  
 From January 1978 to January 1979 the Dept. responded to 35 calls for help. Eleven calls on auto accidents or fires and one plane crash with a wash down of fuel. Two elevator fires resulted in the year and three mobile home fires. Two house and two business fires. Only one false alarm was reported and four structure fires required the Dept's attention.  
 The largest number of fires were reported in December (6) and July (5). All of the remainder of the months had only 2 or 3 fires. Only one area of our reporting received no attention in 1978 and this was under industrial fires.  
 This report compared to 1977 (69) and 1976 (58), declares a

50% reduction in responses and we wish to thank you in helping to save property and life in YOUR life prevention activities. Without you and your awareness of unsafe conditions, our records would reflect much heavier loss.  
 We wish you and yours a happy and prosperous new year.

We are not satisfied to be right unless we can prove others to be quite wrong.  
 -William Hazlitt.

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charged individuals by national banks. State banks, due to a state usuary clause, may charge no more than 10 percent.  
 New farmers, depending on their particular situation, may have problems getting financed. The FmHA interest rate of 8 1/2 percent looks good to producers, even though they would rather stay with their local banker or Production Credit Association office.  
 Pieratt said that although FmHA funds come from the federal budget, most FmHA customers repay loans. "So far our losses have been extremely light," he said. "Farmers have stayed in there. It's the characteristic of Texans to pay their bills."  
 Hershel Ooley and the gang at Spearman Super Service informed the local newspaper that the Cowboys would beat Pittsburgh in the Super Bowl.



January 12, 1979

Mr. David Rogers  
 606 Collier Drive  
 Spearman, Texas 79081

Dear David,

When I saw you the other day, you mentioned that your Homeowner's insurance would be coming up for renewal next month, and that you wanted to see what our agency might be able to do for you.

We've just received notice from Allstate that effective January 15, they will be deviating 25% on their Homeowner's policies. We think you will find this makes their prices very competitive so why not stop by at your convenience, and let us figure with you.

When you see your brother, you might want to mention to him that we have a new lower rate available on Farmowner's insurance as well. I'm sure that he will want to check with us when his current policy runs out.

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# Hansford Second In Wheat Production!

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1-7-79	21	12	
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1-10-79	30	15	

AUSTIN--Hansford County remained the second-largest wheat producing area in the state this year, despite a 55.6 per cent reduction in harvest in

the county, the Texas Department of Agriculture has reported.

Total production was 2,175,000 bushels. Statewide production totaled 54 million bushels, down 54 per cent from the 117.5 million-bushel crop last year.

"As with other grain crops this year, weather was an important factor in the production decline," commented Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. "The lack of rainfall in most wheat-growing areas cut back both grain production and grazing."

"Other factors, however, were also involved. Participation in the federal set-aside program no doubt had some effect, as well as other decisions by some farmers to cut back their production this year. Total

planted acreage had dropped from 6.3 million acres last year to 5.7 million acres in 1978."

Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service records indicate a five-bushel-per-acre reduction in average yields due to the drought and insect problems, down to 20 bushels per acre.

Included in the top ten producing counties were: Deaf Smith, first; Hansford, second; Wilbarger, third; Collin, fourth; Sherman, fifth; Moore, sixth; Castro, seventh; Grayson and Hartley, tied for eighth and ninth; and Carson, tenth.

relations, military and veteran affairs, privileges and elections, and youth affairs.

"We need to insure that agriculture, environment, oil and gas, parks and wildlife, and water and conservation retain their priority ranking on the Natural Resources Committee to which I was appointed," Price said.

Appointed as vice chairman of the Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Price said, "It is important that we develop sound legislation that would be beneficial to the residents of our district, the State of Texas, and the nation as a whole."

"I intend to do my best to represent the conservation viewpoint held by the large majority of Panhandle citizens. We want less states spending and less government interference in our daily lives, and I plan to take an active part in bringing about these results," Price said.

"I welcome the advice and assistance of all citizens in my job as State Senator and I invite anyone to write or stop by in person if he or she has suggestions on how to improve our state government."

## Price Appointed To Key Senate Committees

AUSTIN... Senator Bob Price, Republican from Pampa, attended the swearing in ceremony of many of his colleagues in the Texas State Senate Chamber as the Legislature convened for the 66th Legislative Session Tuesday.

Senator Price was appointed to three key Senate Committees. Price will serve on the Economic Development, the Human Resources, and the Natural Resources Committees, as well as the Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water.

"In terms of the interests, concerns, and well-being of my constituents, and the State of Texas as a whole, these Committees are important Senate Committees," Price said.

"The Economic Development Committee deals with banking, commerce and industry as well as insurance and transportation."

"The Human Resources Committee pertains to public health, labor and management

## IRS News

Taxpayers who keep good records during the entire year will be better prepared to file a complete and accurate tax return, the Internal Revenue Service said.

By keeping good financial records, the taxpayer can not only substantiate expenses, income and itemized deductions listed on his or her tax return but also be aware of certain deductions that might otherwise be overlooked.

Taxpayers are not required to keep any particular types of records, but they must retain all receipts, cancelled checks, bills, and other written documents to prove their expenses.

These records must be kept for at least 3 years from the date that the return was due or filed or 2 years from the date that the tax was paid, whichever occurs later.

Some records should be kept even longer, the IRS advised, such as property records which should be retained as long as they are useful in determining the basis of the original or replacement property. In addition, copies of past tax returns can help the taxpayer prepare future returns.

For additional information on recordkeeping, taxpayers can order the free IRS Publication 552, "Recordkeeping Requirements and a Guide to Tax Publications," by sending in the order blank found in the tax package.

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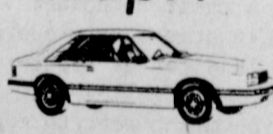
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**Jamie's Jabber**

by Jamie Casdorff  
I've decided that this here weather of ours just isn't going to clear up. Just as it starts to melt we get some more snow or it freezes up again! I guess I must be a little wierd. I like snow for two Reasons: It's pretty and I Love to SKI! But I hate to drive on the darn stuff!  
As you all have probably noticed I haven't been writing to much in my column, but I have been **so busy!** I'm beginning to get caught up so maybe you'll see more of my column than usual. I still am going to do boys fashions so hang in there for that, with this weather and all I'm just not very active as a Reporter. (Can't stand the cold!)

In school nowadays the halls are decorated with the cutest basketball signs! I must say our cheerleaders have done a great job in supporting the particular Lynxettes! One sign in particular sticks in my mind it has Railroad tracks with a large purple locomotive at the end with these words printed on the Tracks; "NoBody Messes with the Purple Machine!" The Cheerleaders also pasted star bursts upon a sign with these words; "Blast off to a victory!" unfortunately by the end of the day all of the starbursts had mysteriously disappeared from that sign! There really are some cute signs but you would have to see them to get the complete meaning Good Job Cheerleaders!

The Senior Chapter of Future Homemakers of America met in regular session January 10, at Spearman High School with President Billy Sellers presiding. Thirtyfive members attended. Plans are being made for the Sweetheart Banquet to be held on February 10, and for the Secret Granny and Gramp party March 5. Committees for each are: Sweetheart Banquet committee: Shari Fox, Christy Collier, Billy Snider, Debbie Greene, Billy Sellers, Michell Graham, and Angela Lesly. Members signing up for the party for

secret grandparents are: Margie Schubert, Patti Short, Kathie West, Barbara Oltman, Joyce Cummings, and Jamie Thomas.

After a discussion of the Area I FHA meeting to be held in Lubbock March 9-10 the meeting adjourned.

**SPORTS BULLETIN:**

The Spearman Lynx joined the Perryton Rangers in taking the lead in District 1-AA basketball Tuesday nite by soundly defeating the Boys Ranch Roughriders 69-52.

NEWTON	15
Martin	14
Whitaker	9
Beedy	6
Shields	14
Ortega	5
Hager	2
Eaton	2

Burnham	8
Wood	11
Martin	4
Ammons	6
M. Burnham	0
Fletcher	0
Ayres	0
Barkley	6

**Boy's Ranch Report On Chet Neely**

Please consider this a progress report on Chet from July 31 to November 30, 1978.

Chet has been in excellent health since our last letter to you. Other than an occasional headache, Chet made it through the flu and cold season without any severe problems.

Chet has once again achieved a fine first quarter grade level, math being the only area in which he will need to increase his efforts. His grades for the first quarter were as follows: "A" in English, "B" in history economics, "A" in religion, "C" in math, "B" in physical education, "A" in music, and a "B" in electronics. Chet continues to receive fine comments from his teachers regarding his efforts and skill level, such as: "Excellent young man", "Very attentive in class", "Would like to see him in more advanced courses", "He is one of my key musicians", "Chet is a real asset to my class." Chet continues to be industrious and conscientious about his studies. He usually completes assignments on time. However, he does occasionally have problems in this area, usually stemming from poor scheduling of his time as he takes on too much of a

work load.

Chet has been employed almost five years at the farm. His ratings continue to be excellent. His leadership skills and continued superior performance have allowed him to move up to a foreman position and to be currently making just under the maximum salary paid at the Home. This is not easily done and is a real credit to his efforts and ability. Chet has recently received an offer to work on a ranch in South Dakota next summer. Chet is seriously considering this possibility and we also feel it is a fine opportunity for him. If this opportunity materializes, we will inform you as soon as possible. This may be a nice opportunity for Chet to gain some experience in farming and ranching outside of Boys Town, as well as an opportunity to work for a different employer.

Some specific areas we are working on with Chester are showing a concern for others and developing more advanced leadership skills by teaching him how to help others through the strengths he possesses. Chet is a strong and respected leader and thus a natural teacher. He is learning to encourage others by giving compliments and appropriate criticism. Our manager system, which allows the youth to take a position of responsibility within the home, is one way Chet is getting some practice developing these skills.

Chet is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Dossett & the Late Jim Neely.

*Langhorn Bond*, FAA Administrator:

"Soon, most airline passengers will travel their entire trip under positive air control."

*Clement J. Zablocki*, Chairman of the House International Relations Committee:

"We're going to see what we can do to salvage what the President has done (to Taiwan)."

**New Gas Rates**

As of January 1st, Spearman City Gas patrons began paying an additional 5 cents per one thousand cubic feet for their gas. The new rate went into effect following city hall action when it could not be determined exactly how much of an increase the Texas Railroad Commission would allow High Plains Gas company. The Gas company had petitioned for what would amount to a 26% over all increase in rates. The Commission is scheduled to make it's determination known by January 19th. If the city has underestimated the increase if allowed by the Commission the City will probably proceed and pass the actual increase along to it's customers: however if the city has underestimated the increase if allowed by the Commission City will probably proceed and pass the actual increase along to it's customers:

however if the city has overestimated the Commission's action then customer's bills will be adjusted accordingly.



**Sly Husband**  
Mert: "I'd like to get a divorce. My husband and I just don't get along."  
Gert: "Why don't you sue him for incompatibility?"  
Mert: "I would, if I could catch him at it."

**At Last The Truth**  
"Are you listening to the news, dear?"  
"No, I heard the news, I'm listening to the meaning of the news."  
"What does he say?"  
"He says he doesn't know what it means."

**Windfall!**  
"The bank just returned your check dear," groaned the young husband.  
The bride beamed. "Isn't that swell? What'll we buy with it this time?"

**Reminders**  
Burke--What's those names written on your calendar? "Lois" on the 2nd; "Madge" on the 5th; "Julia" on the 20th and "Geraldine" on the 20th? What is the idea?  
Watson--Those are my ailment days.

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of their 50th wedding anniversary. Hosting the occasion in the Alcupulco Room at the Villa in Amarillo were their children: Bill Harris of Gruver, I.L. Harris, Jr. of Denver, Jim Harris of Amarillo, Curtis Harris of Longview, Texas, Alice Cone of Amarillo and Marie Gould of Spearman. The couple were married at Clarendon, Texas on December 29th 1928. They have lived in the Gruver area since 1935 and have fifteen grandchildren.

### Spearman Music Club Meets

Spearman Music Club met Tuesday, January 9 at the First Baptist Church for their International program with the theme, "A Journey into the Classical B's" featuring music by Bach, Beethoven and Brahms.

Mrs. Dean Leighnor, president, presided at the business meeting. Plans were finalized for the Founder's Day program on Tuesday, January 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church, and the Sweetheart Dinner on February 13 at Martin's Steak Garden.

Each number on the musical portion of the program, included an organ and piano duet by Mrs. Marvin Jones and Mrs. Rue Sanders. "Sheep May Safely Graze", Mrs. Paul Reimer sang "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring", accompanied by Mrs. Rue Sanders. Mrs. C.C. Steele played a violin solo, "Arioso", accompanied by Mrs. Rue Sanders.

Beethoven numbers included an organ and piano duet, "Minuet in G" by Mrs. Dean Leighnor and Mrs. Carl Kunselman. Mrs. Kim Mercer played "Moonlight Sonata" as a piano solo and Mrs. Paul Reimer played "Sonata #10" as a piano solo, "Intermezzo Op. 118, No. 2" played by Mrs. Rue Sanders. Hostesses, Mrs. C.C. Steele and Mrs. Jim Mercer served refreshments to guests Mrs. Marvin Jones, Mrs. Andy Watley, and Mrs. David Stauffer, and members Mesdames Mike Glass, Carl Kunselman, Dean Leighnor, Jim Mercer, Paul Reimer, Rue Sanders, Ronnie Schaefer, Charles Steele, and Bill Strawn.

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### Annual Chamber Banquet

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce annual banquet will be held, Saturday, January 27, 1979 in the Spearman High School Cafeteria at 7:30 P.M. The Speaker for the evening is Mr. Edward O. Daniel of Arlington, Texas. Mr. Daniel is Director of Community Relations for the Fort Worth office of Bache, Halsey, Stewart, Inc., a brokerage firm. Mr. Daniel is a former Professor of History at Texas A & M and Howard Payne. He is a feature speaker for Associated Clubs of America and comes to us highly recommended. He is a humorist speaker with a message, but

you will have to sift around to find it while laughing. The tickets will go on sale next week for \$7.50 each so call the chamber office and make your reservation today. Spearman's Citizen of the year will be named and the award presented on January 27th at the annual membership Banquet of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce. Nominations are to be submitted to the Spearman Chamber of Commerce in Writing or Via the proper form by January 22nd. Forms are available in this Newspaper or the Chamber of Commerce office.

The Spearman award goes back to 1961 when the award that year was won by Mrs. R.B. Archer Jr.. Last year's award was won by Spearman Alderperson Frances Loftin. The Chamber said that individuals who are nominated should have displayed involvement in activities outside of their particular employment. One criterion would be unselfish sharing of one's time and capabilities for the betterment of the community. Other criteria include "friend to those in need...concern for one's fellow persons.

### 1978 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD

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Please return your entry to the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 161 Spearman, Texas by January 22, 1979. A box will be available for your entry if you would like to stop by the Chamber office, 303 Main. Recipients of previous "CITIZEN OF THE YEAR" awards are: 1956. Mrs. R.B. Archer, Sr.; 1957. E.J. Copeland; 1958. Oscar Donnell; 1961. Frank Massad; 1963. John R. Collard, Jr.; 1965. Sam Watson, Jr.; 1967. J.B. Cooke; 1969. Mrs. E.A. Greever & Jessie Davis; 1970. Mrs. Frank Davis & Bruce Sheets; 1971. Harry Stumpf; 1972. Dean Weese; 1973. Charlene Bulls; 1974. L.L. Anthony; 1975. J.L. Brock; 1976. Dee Jackson; 1977. Frances Loftin.

### Ring of Life Badges.

The Cubby Bear, which is given each month to the den with the highest attendance, was won by Den #1 and taken home by Timmy Yarborough. The "Ouch Game" and "Blow the Cup on a String" Relay game were played by the boys. Refreshments of Cookies, Punch, and Coffee were served. The next meeting will be The Father and Son Cake Bake, Feb. 13th at the County Barn at 7:30 p.m. Ed Dear will be the auctioneer. The theme this year will be "Sports."

### Girl Scout News

Brownie Troop #99 met Monday, Jan. 8 at the Brownie Hut. The girls learned the Brownie Laws and reviewed the Brownie Pledge. Each girl told about what she did over the Christmas Holidays and what they got for Christmas. Those present were Melissa Beck, Melissa Bullard, Julia Countiss, Jan Crawford, Sherry Hall, Vickie Hamilton, Misha Lesly, Colleen McCormack, Jennifer Reimer, Cathy Vanlandingham, Patti Younger, and Leder, Vicky Bullard, and assistant leader, Hester Crawford. Refreshments were served by Cathy Vanlandingham. The next meeting will be Monday, Jan. 15th at the Brownie Hut, with Patti Younger serving refreshments. Brownie Troop #101 met Tuesday, Jan. 9th at the Brownie Hut. The girls said their Brownie Pledge and then went outside to make a snowman and had a snowball fight. The Leader, Sandra said she didn't intend to get in to it but the girls had different ideas. A good time was had by all! Refreshments were served by Wendy Hill. Those present were Wendy Hill, Lori Eaton, Gina Bartz, Rhonda Ross, Kristy Bynum, Julia Godfrey and Leader, Sandra Eaton.

The Susannah Wesley Circle met Wednesday, Jan. 10th at the Methodist Church. They had a study on the 1st Chapter of 1st James. Those members present were Mme.: Jack Lasater, Tom Latta, Dennis Nelson, Bert Sheppard, Ray Martin, Dick Countiss, Jimmy Shieldnight, Jim Eakin, and Kenny Coates.

### Golden Spread Circle Meeting Held

Golden Spread Center Board meet on Wednesday, January 10 at 5:00 p.m. at the Center. The meeting opened with prayer by the chairman, Orvil Brummett. Thelma Scott read minutes of the previous meeting and outstanding bills were read and ordered paid. There was lengthy discussion of insurance on the center building and the bus-van. Lloyd Gilley is now the janitor for the center. Unless the weather is bad, the regular covered-dish supper and evening of table games will be held on Tuesday, January 16 at 6:00 p.m. There will be no outside hostesses so each one attending should bring their contribution to the supper. Board members present were Colene and Orvil Brummett, Rosa Lee Butt, Mildred Chamberlain, Frances Loftin, Thelma Scott and Lenis Simpson.

### Library Meeting

The Library Board met in regular session Jan. 8th at 3:30 p.m. in the board room with the following members present; Chairman James Cunningham, Mrs. R.E. Lee, Mrs. J.R. Stump, Mrs. Larry Murphy, Mrs. P.A. Lyon Sr., Mrs. G.R. Kilgore, Mary Alice Gibner, and Librarian, Rita Curtis. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and treasury report was presented. Librarian, Rita Curtis reported circulation of 1,414 books for the month of December- 1113 adult books and 301 Children's books. Fifteen pre-library cards were issued and 108 new books were processed. Librarian presented yearly report for 1978. The library reviewed an oil painting on a western theme by Mike Sorenson, as a memorial gift in memory of Peyton Gibner. This painting is now on

### H & H Union Annual Meet Set

The Annual Meeting of the H & H SCHOOL EMPLOYEES FEDERAL CREDIT UNION will be held Monday, January 22, 1979, at the Borger Middle School Cafeteria, in Borger, Texas. Refreshments will be served at 7:00 p.m., with the Business Meeting beginning at 7:30 p.m. Drawings will be held for a total of \$200. All school employees of Hansford and Hutchinson counties, and members of their families, are invited to attend. Thank you very much. Sincerely, Mrs. Stanley Freriks, Treasurer

### Waka P.T.A.

The Waka P.T.A. met Jan. 8th at 7:30 p.m. The theme for this meeting was "What's Your Talent?" The meeting was called to order by the president, Lois Buschman. Prayer was said by Lesley Stinson. The U.S. Flag salute was led by Randy Henson and the Texas Flag salute was led by Teresa Blain. Group singing was led by Mrs. Bob Ramsey. Pianist was Mrs. Dean Leeghnor. The minutes were read by Sec., Kenneth Word. The treasurer, Joe Randolph gave the treasury report. A "Thank You" note was read from Tim Buschman for \$250 scholarship furnished by the P.T.A. to help on his college education. It was reported that about 10 people completed the C.P.A. course by the Red Cross. Feb. 5th has been set for the Parliamentary courses at 6:30 at the school. Marsha Murphy will teach the course. The motion was made and seconded to pass the amendments and changes in the constitution that had been read at the previous meeting. The Waka Basketball Tournament will be Jan. 18, 19, and 20. The work schedule for the kitchen and concession stand were passed out. This tournament each year is a big success and a good money making project for the P.T.A. because of the combined efforts of many parents and interested persons of the community. On March 5th, Mrs. Bill Surratt, the District President, will present a school of information for P.T.A. leaders at 3:00. It is planned to invite leaders from Gruver and Pringle-Morse. The Third and Fourth Grades presented the skit "Rinderella." Marsha Murphy had charge of the cultural arts program. The theme was "Look Out Your Window." First places in poetry went to Dorothy Summers, Elizabeth Salinas; Donna Word, Penny Caison, and Russ Savage. Second places in poetry went to Denny Brewer, Patsy Blain, Denise Brewere, and Donna Summers. In the picture group firsts went to Martin Garza; Randy Henson; Donna Word; Teresa Blain and Donna Summers. In pictures, second went to: Dorothy Summers; Adrien Garza; Debbie Summers and Russ Savage. Third place to: Divina Hernandez. The group saw a film "The Kansas City Civic Ballet" as part of the cultural arts theme. The meeting was adjourned with good refreshments furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Buschman, Mr. and Mrs. Reynaldo Garza, Debbie McGill, and Mr. and Mrs. John Daniel. The next meeting will be Feb. 12th, with the social committee: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caison, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Flores, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brinkley.

You are invited to a baby shower  
for Debbie Thomas  
Sunday, January 21, 1979  
from 2 to 3:30 p. m.  
in the Red Room of the  
First Baptist Church

Hostesses:  
Ramona Sims Linda Hiller  
Evelyn Hiller Barbara Sharp  
Eva Reger Cindy Reger  
Peggy Newsom Faye Wirsdorfer

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### Knox Pipkin To Celebrate 86th Birthday

Friends and relatives are invited to a reception honoring Mr. Knox Pipkin on his 86th birthday. The reception will be held Sunday, January 14 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Fellowship Hall of the Union Church, 21 S. Endicott in Spearman. No gifts please.

Miller, Woodward, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burrow, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graves and Mr. and Mrs. Elrick Wilson, all of Perryton.

### Wilmeth's Paintings On Display

Ernest Wilmeth II is the Artist of the Month at Hansford Library during January. He has ten recently completed oils and watercolors in the exhibit. Be sure and go by and see the latest works of this native of Spearman.

Merle Beck has been released from the hospital in Shattuck and is now in the Senior Village Nursing Home in Perryton.

## CATES ANNUAL JANUARY

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### DONKEY Basketball

Sponsored by the  
Morse Lions Club  
Monday Jan. 15th,  
7:00 P.M.

Pringle-Morse Gym at Morse

All are invited to come participate  
with the Lion Club Members