

# Lynx lose bi-district 20-3

The Spearman Lynx played their hearts out against a great Childress Bobcats team at Pampa Stadium Friday night, dominating the statistics, but lost the game 20-3. It just didn't seem possible that a team could build up 11 first downs, and hold their opponents virtually to no first downs, and still trail in the ball game, but this is what happened.

The Lynx literally ran the ball "over" the Bobcats the first half, but trailed at the end of the half, 6-3. The 3-point score came on a beautiful 26 yard field goal by Newton in the 2nd period. Early in the first quarter, the Lynx scored a touchdown and it was called back because of off-sides; then, the Lynx scored from the 2 yard yard, fumbled the ball, and Childress recovered to stop both touchdown drives. This cost the Lynx in momentum and with four fumbles lost and 6 penalties, a total of 10 turn-aways, the Lynx just couldn't overcome their opponents who had only 2 penalties and 0 fumbles.

The Bobcats showed a lot of class to even stay in the game after being dominated by the Lynx almost the entire first half. But the second half was a different story as they raced to 17 touchdowns, all as a result of Lynx miscues. The Lynx fumbled on the Spearman 32 in the second quarter, on the 25 in the third quarter, and on the 44 in the fourth quarter. All three led to Bobcat touchdowns. The Lynx so dominated the first half of play that Childress did not get

## SPEARMAN LYNXETTETS

Getting on into the fall,  
It is the roundball time;  
Readying for the action,  
Lynxettes are getting primed.  
State champs they were last year,  
Believing they can do it again;  
And with another super effort,  
Spearman Lynxettes will surely win.  
Keeping a list of five,  
Each senior hopes for glory;  
Tammy, Denise, and Cindy,  
Bolstered by Carrie and Lori.  
A half dozen juniors,  
Leave nothing yet to tell;  
Assess Christy, Connie, and Debbie,

Supported by Tracie, Beth Ann, and Jo Nell,  
Put in a pair of sophomores,  
Extra help from Connie and Tammy;  
Add in Paige the junior manager, and  
Ralph and Fern make up the family.  
Many others go on unnamed.  
Adding the program on other teams;  
Numerous players and coaches working hard.

Earning how to realize their dreams.  
Year in and year out,  
No others have shown such pride;  
Extra effort in all endeavors, has  
Earned them fame statewide.  
Take each game one at a time,  
The Purple Pride displayed is great;  
Enjoy another outstanding season,  
Spearman Lynxettes, '77 - '78.

## Style Show For Sunday

Santa Claus To Visit  
Also Merchants Exhibits In Cafeteria



These girls will be modeling in the style show Sunday. They are left to right Kim Reed, modeling for Reed's Shoes and Baker's Dept. Store, center Nita Baker, and Loree Morris, who will be modeling clothes from Baker's Dept. Store.

The Spearman Study Club in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce and local merchants are having a fall, winter and holiday fashion show Sunday, November 20 at 2 p.m. at the high school auditorium with refreshments afterward.

Merchants, other than clothing, will have booths and exhibits in the school cafeteria for patrons after the show. Santa Claus is also

expected to be present to visit with the children in the cafeteria.

Tickets for the style show are \$2.00. Those wishing to go to the exhibits only, the charge is \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children.

There are approximately 50 models for the six clothing stores involved in the show. They will be modeling women's, men's, teen-ager and children's fashions, along with accessories.



Temp and Mac Sheppard are shown here modeling boys wear from Cates Men & Boys Wear. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sheppard.

## Good Holiday Shopping Spree Indicated

Texas may be headed for their biggest Christmas holiday shopping spree ever if retail sales continue at their current pace, according to State Comptroller Bob Bullock who noted that optimistic outlook in connection with the mailing of tax rebate checks to Spearman and Grover, two of the 880 cities in the state to receive such checks in November.

The optimism is reflected in the share check to Spearman for \$7,456.35 which is up \$2,455.71 more than the payment for the same month last year. The total payments to Spearman so far this year amount to \$81,859.22, an increase of \$3,907.91 over payments to date in 1976.

The November share check to Grover in the amount of \$2,012.17 reflects a \$16,522 increase over the 1976 payment for the same month while total payments to date this year amount to \$19,231.92 which is a \$4,900 increase over the 1976 payments to date.

Bullock noted that the city

sales tax collections -- a prime indicator of the buying public's mood -- are up an impressive 22 per cent to date over last year, the biggest increase in recent years.

"This increase in retail sales reflects a growing confidence in the Texas economy which we feel will carry over into the holiday shopping period," Bullock said in his Nov. 15 announcement.

"If everything continues to go as expected, Texas merchants should have one of their best holiday sales seasons yet."

Bullock said that 880 Texas cities were mailed checks Nov. 15 totaling \$19.2 million as of November 15. This brings the total to date for the year to \$307.7 million, up from \$252 million for the same period last year.

City sales tax collections registered a 13 per cent increase in 1975 were up 14.5 per cent last year. The City of Houston will receive the largest of the November rebate checks -- \$4.3 million. That raises the city's total for the year to \$62.6 million up 19 per cent over last year. Dallas got \$2.1 million, San Antonio, \$958,000, and Fort Worth, \$705,748.

## Weather

November 9	43	23	1.12
November 10	56	20	
November 11	65	28	
November 12	70	35	
November 13	68	36	
November 14	73	35	
November 15	67	30	

Adult Education Classes will be held Wednesday, Nov. 23rd at 7:00 p.m.

## City Hall

The Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Spearman, meeting in regular session Thursday, November 17 in the City Hall, accepted a re-plot of Golden Circle Addition in Spearman. There were no boundary charges.

In other action on the agenda item covering discussion of trailer house regulations, a citizens' committee of six residents was appointed to work with the Planning and Zoning Commission on regulations for mobile homes in the city.

WEATHER BULLETIN  
Weather forecasters are forecasting high winds and extreme cold for the Spearman Grover area, to hit possibly late Saturday, or sometime Sunday. Check with weather bulletins for latest forecasts.

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## Union Thanksgiving Service is Monday

Spearman's Union Thanksgiving Service will be held on Monday, November 21 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. Everyone in the community and surrounding country-side are invited to participate.

The Rev. Archie Burress, pastor of the Union Church, will preach the thanksgiving sermon. All other ministers present will lead a part of the service. Debbie Connelly will give a thank talk. Special music will be provided by the "Portraits of Proof".

The thanksgiving offering will go to support various benevolent causes in Spearman and Hansford County.

The Rev. Russell Pogue, host pastor, announces that there will be no return gifts in the fellowship hall following the service. This will give people an opportunity of greeting friends and neighbors in a blessed time of fellowship, over a cup of coffee or juice. Attending this service will make preparation for family gatherings more meaningful.

## Bake Sale

The Sacred Heart Women's Guild will have a Thanksgiving Bake Sale. It will be at the Cutrate Thriftway Grocery Store in Spearman on Wednesday, November 23. The sale will begin in full swing at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is cordially invited to come by and look at the delectable goodies.

## Corn Theft Punishment Set

A truck driver from Buffalo, Tex., Teddy Teakell, 28, has been fined \$300, placed on five years probation and on a warrant return after his conviction for felony theft of corn earlier this year in Hansford County.

Teakell pleaded guilty at his arraignment in 84th Judicial District Court in Spearman, Thursday, Nov. 17 before District Judge Richard Countiss and the judge imposed the fine and other punishment conditions during the court proceedings. Violation of the conditions of probation could bring imposition of a prison term, it was pointed out.

Teakell was arrested in Buffalo on Saturday, Feb. 12, on a warrant from Hansford County and a tractor and semi-trailer loaded with grain was impounded as evidence at the time of the arrest.

Teakell and another defendant in the case, Buddy L. James, 30, of Chickasha, Okla., subsequently were indicted by the Hansford County Grand Jury for the 84th District March 22, 1977, for the theft of two loads of corn in January of this year from the Bernstein elevator in Hansford County. The corn had been consigned by the elevator to a feedlot in Bellflower, Calif., but never arrived at that destination.

Restitution by Teakell for 81,000 pounds of corn, the monetary value set at approximately \$3,000, it was reported locally.

City and County offices will be closed Thursday, Thanksgiving Day 1977

## Rook Services Held Thursday

Services were held November 17 at the First Baptist Church at 2 p.m. for Roy H. Rook. Mr. Rook died November 13 in Sheridan, Wyoming. He was born in Canadian but attended Spearman schools. He was a self-employed oilwell drilling contractor.

He was born March 26, 1929, and was preceded in death by his wife Loree.

Rev. Russell Pogue officiated at the services with burial in Hansford Cemetery under the direction of Boswell Brothers Funeral Home of Spearman.

Survivors include two sons, Steve of Sheridan and Danin of Gillette, Wyo.; his mother, Mrs. Lucella Rook of Perryton; three brothers, George and Victor, both of Spearman and Otto of Borger; two sisters, Mrs. Herry (Irene) McKinney of Amarillo and Mrs. Clarence Taylor of

## Markets

Wheat	\$2.51
Corn	\$2.13
Milo	\$3.25

## Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are LaRue Branstetter, Myrna Biggers, Harvey Urban, Sherry Sewell and daughter, Carolyn McLeod, Velma Roden, Marilyn Scroggs, Patricia Davis, A. J. Green, Leroy Knight, Rona Kelly, Jeffrey Gilbert, Ike Richeson and Everett Rosenbaum.



Dennis Nelson, on the left, Jay Naaman, and Mike McLain are pictured above as Mr. Naaman presents the Farmers Union charter to the local chapter. Both Nelson and McLain were nominated for president of the new Farmers Union in Hansford County.

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# Gold Star Awards Banquet Held

Sherman, president of West Texas State University, Canyon, to continue their leadership and to strive for new accomplishments.

And they received their Gold Star awards, the highest county honor offered in the 4-H club program, from District Extension Agents Sue Farris and Paul Gross. A boy and a girl from each of the 20 counties in Extension Service District 1 are eligible to receive the award each year for outstanding leadership, achievement and contribution to 4-H.

"You already have proven that you are leaders," said Sherman, speaking on the theme "Freedom to Be." He said the qualities recognized by the Gold Star award are qualities that will be needed in the Texas Panhandle, the state, the nation and the world in the years ahead.

He cautioned the youths to remember that the achievements for which they were being honored were not theirs alone. The game of life is a team game, he said, noting that team members who helped the youths achieve their Gold Star honors were represented by those attending the banquet.

"It is the team spirit that makes it possible to have the freedoms we enjoy," he said. "What we need are people who are doers and who will continue to be doers," he said, urging the youths to use that evening "as a stone upon which to continue to build your life."

The banquet guests were welcomed by Nick Craig of the Rita Blanca Electric Cooperative, Inc., one of the five member-owned electric cooperatives which sponsor the event. The other four are Deaf Smith, North Plains, Hall County and Swisher County cooperatives.

Toastmistress was LuAnn Kiser of Dumas, vice chairman of the District 1 4-H Council. Ty Williams of Gruver gave the invocation and Halee Reed of Spearman led the audience in the 4-H Motto & Pledge. Entertainment was provided by the Midnight Flyers, a country and western band of 4-H'ers from Hartley County. Band members are Garre Shepherd, Dale Burson, Terry Williams and Troy Williams.

Gold Star honorees, by county are: Armstrong -- Susanna

Goodin, Gene McBee, Carson -- Joanna -- Warminski -- Tracy Brown, Collingsworth -- Kay Coffee, Mark Fourmetin, Dalm -- Kelley Imbeck, Lee Field, Darr -- Micki Merritt, Steve Douglas, Donley -- Starla Mann, Dean Hawkins, Gray -- Cynthia Gage, Deb Crockett, Hansford -- Halee Reed, Scott Henderson, Hartley -- Sherry Wilson, Keith Adamson, Hemphill -- Shannon Lemons, Fred Jarnell, Hutchinson -- Anita Marie, Roby, Monty Dozier, Lipscomb -- Suzan Yauck, Sam Perry, Moore -- LuAnn

Kiser, Glen Ford, Ochiltree -- Linda Bransgrove, Kyle Beasley, Oldham -- Kristi Waters, Marvin Mode, Potter -- Kristi Reed, Laurene Bertrand, Randall -- Jeanne Parker, Neal Hinders, Sherman -- Annette Flores, Kurt Harris, Wheeler -- Kimberly Hathaway.

## Sixth Annual Arts In Action Show Set

Artists and craftsmen from as far away as San Diego, Calif., will converge on Amarillo Saturday, Nov. 19, for the Sixth Annual Arts in Action show and sale sponsored by the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce Fine Arts Council.

Over 100 artists will be exhibiting works ranging from traditional oil paintings to wooden puzzles. They will be coming from as far north as Larkspur, Colo. and Liberal, Kansas; from as far south as Victoria, Tx. and from as far east as Tulsa, Okla.

The two-day event, noon to 9 p.m. Saturday and noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday, will feature live entertainment. Among groups to entertain are the Amarillo High School Jazz Band, Square and Round Dance Association, Elementary Regional Orchestra, Sweet Adelines, First Baptist Fiddlers, Community Singers and Maverick Boy's Club.

Over 90 doorprizes created by the artists and craftsmen will be given away at the show and sale which features free admission. "About half of the individuals participating in the show and sale are from outside of Amarillo," according to Bill Broilner, show chairman. "The show is divided evenly between arts and crafts, a ratio we have tried to maintain since Arts in Action began six years ago."

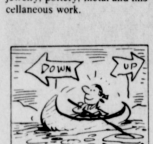
The artist's booths will be in the Civic Center Exhibition Area with entertainment in the Red Carpet area or lobby area of the auditorium. Some of the unusual arts and crafts to be exhibited and sold

include hand carved birds in a variety of hard woods; horse shoe nail art; arrangements of rare beetles, moths and butterflies; wooden belt buckles; originally designed doll clothes and handcrafted furniture.

Traditional art works will include oil paintings, watercolors, sculpture and drawings. Jewelry, pottery, wall hangings, photography, etchings, afghans, leatherwork and a host of other types of works will be displayed.

In preparation for the holiday season many participants will be showing Christmas ornaments and decorations.

The two-day event will climax with awards given in two major categories: arts and crafts. Within the arts category awards will be presented for the best oil painting, watercolor, graphics, photography and sculpture. In the crafts awards will be given for the best work in textiles, jewelry, pottery, metal and miscellaneous work.



The first white man known to have voyaged completely down the Mississippi was Robert Cavalier de La Salle in the 17th century.

## Insurance Corner

### Offsetting Higher Premiums

It's no secret that the cost of insuring your vehicle has been rising along with the rising cost of labor and replacement parts that go into repairing your auto. Despite the well-known increase in medical and hospital cost, by far the biggest factor in the increase in auto insurance is the cost of crash repair which is climbing twice as fast as bodily injury insurance. Studies have shown that if your new car were totally wrecked, it would cost four times as much to repair it as you paid for it.

Auto theft is also reaching crisis proportions. According to the FBI it reached the one million mark in 1975 and has doubled since 1960.

What can you do to offset the increase in insurance premium rates? One simple solution is to increase the size of your deductible. For example, increasing your comprehensive deductible from zero to \$50 and increasing your collision deductible from \$100 to \$250 would decrease premiums in both of these areas by 40%.

This information has been brought to you as a public service by John R. Colvard, Jr., your one stop answer to complete business and personal insurance protection. Life, home, auto, group insurance, and profit-sharing plans. See John R. Colvard, Jr., 405 Davis St., Telephone 659-2501.



Scott Henderson and Halee Reed - Gold star winners

AMARILLO--Thirty-seven outstanding boys and girls from the Texas Panhandle were honored, challenged and presented awards here Saturday night, November 12, at the annual 4-H Gold Star Awards Banquet. For their achievements, the youths were honored by more than 350 parents, government officials, Extension leaders and other supporters who gathered for the banquet at the Hilton Inn. They were challenged by Max

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Titles are "Texas, America's Fun-ter," "Law West of the Pecos," "Missions of Texas," "Festival Time in Texas," "Beaunity Texas," and "Transportation, America's Lifelines."

"A Litter MESSAGE," a colorful slap at litterers, is scheduled for release in late 1977.

To obtain a descriptive listing of the films, or to make arrangements for borrowing, write: D-10 Film Librarian, Department of Highways and Public Transportation, P.O. Box 5064, Austin, Texas 78763; or call 475-263. Allow at least three weeks for delivery.

## Explorer Post

An organizational meeting to form a new high-adventure Exploring post in Spearman will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 22 at the First Christian Church.

Exploring, a division of Scouting, is a recreational activity and is open to young people who are at least 15 years old.

Spearman High School students who are interested in high-adventure programs are invited to attend the meeting with their parents. Details of planned trips to Philmont Scout Ranch and Explorer Base in Cimarron, N.M. and the Sommers Wilderness Canoe Base in northern Minnesota during the summer of 1978 will be explained.

The post will be sponsored by the Moose Lodge of Spearman.

# Happy Thanksgiving Day!

We will be closed Thursday, November 24 in observance of Thanksgiving Day ....

We extend our full support to the Spearman Lynx...

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## GO GET 'EM TEAM!

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**SERVICES**  
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 Regular Meeting Monday, Nov. 28, 7:30 p.m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome. Short Program.  
 Light Refreshments  
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FOR SALE: Attractive 3 bedroom home on 7 1/2, corner lot, nearly new carpet, drapes, gas range and cabinets in kitchen, single garage with large workshop, storm cellar below, nice lawn, good location. Emmett R. Sanders, Realtor. 659-2516, nights 659-2601 51-rtm

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**EMMETT R. SANDERS REALTOR 659-2516 659-2601 (nights) 52-rtm**

House and four lots for sale: 1,000 sq. ft. in house. Bath and 1/2, nice kitchen, central air and heat, carpet throughout house, aluminum siding and a 6' wood-fence. 608 Richardson, \$22,500.00. Call collector 316-276-3012 or can call 733-2589 on Nov. 21st and 22nd. 1-2tc

**Miscellaneous FOR SALE**  
 GARAGE SALE: Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 21-22, 9 a.m. across from football field in Gruver. Childrens, clothes, toys, household items, appliances, etc. 1S-1tc  
 CRUSHED ROCK & GRAVEL at Cooper-Woodruff on Sanders. Will deliver. Call Ray McCammond, 659-3393. 1S-rtm  
 FOR SALE: 30-30 Winchester, lever action. Phone 659-2787. 1-2tc  
 FOR SALE: Maple top leaf Harvest table; an Ethan Allen headboard, twin size, a bed frame; soft contact lens sterilizer. Call 659-2627 after 4. 1-2tc  
 FOR SALE: Console Stereo, excellent condition. Call 659-3691 after 5:30. 1-4tc

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## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our gratitude and appreciation to our friends of the Morse community who helped in so many ways during our time of sorrow at the loss of our baby and grandbaby, Adam Christopher, 2 1/2 months.  
**Bill & Vicky Weakley Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Weakley, Sr.**  
 We wish to thank our friends for the cards, flowers, food and other acts of kindness shown to us at the death of our father, N.L. Nelson.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Nelson  
 I wish to thank everyone for the prayers, cards, and lovely flowers I received while I was in the hospital.  
 Dorothy Luady

I want to thank all my friends for the prayers, cards and calls while I was in the hospital here and in Amarillo.  
 Mary Sparks

**E.K. Snider** will be at **BAKER HOTEL** in Spearman, for **SECOND TUESDAY NIGHT EACH MONTH**, with extra day or more as required to see Customers with Questions about Insurance. Ask about my **EKS-BMA CHILD LIFE INSURANCE SPECIAL!** Easier to buy and keep for **GRANDKIDS**, than it was for their **OWN CHILDREN**. As sure as **SUN UP** to be **NEEDED ONE TIME!! BOUGHT YOUNG, EASY TO OWN!** 46S-rtm

## Too Late To Classify

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**Northwestern Fur Co. Colorado City, Texas**  
 1S-8tp

## LEGAL NOTICE

The City of Spearman, Texas will accept bids for a group insurance hospitalization policy for its employees until 7:30 p.m., November 29, 1977. Specifications for the policy may be obtained from the City Manager at City Hall, Box 37, Spearman, Texas. Posted this 18th day of November, 1977 at 3:00 p.m.  
 Mark Neff

## Bowling News

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 Brock Insurance 27 13  
 Farm Bureau 24 16  
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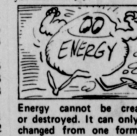
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Berry Grain	28	16
Northern Natural	26 1/2	17 1/2
Lyric Theater	25	19
Spearman Auto	15 1/2	28 1/2
B&B Farm	11	33
North Plains	10	34
High Men's Series	50	370
Ladd Gafford	574	
Gary Farries	555	
Charlie Greenwood	547	
High Women's Series	551	
Shirley Greenwood	498	
Rita Reed	498	
Jewel McCalman	479	
Norlan Women's Game	220	
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Gary Farries	204	
High Women's Game	205	
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McLellan Grain	14	30
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**RECEIVING**

Name	Rec. Yds.	Rec. Yds.
Reid	1	10

**PASSING**

Name	Att.	Comp.	Int. Yds.
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**SCORING**

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Newton	1	3

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### Assiter Elected To Institute Board



Tim Assiter

Mr. Tim Assiter of B & B Farm Industries, Spearman, was elected to the Board of Directors of the Texas Plant Food Institute earlier this month during the organizations annual convention in McAllen. Texas Plant Food Institute (TPFI) is a trade association with over 550 members who manufacture, distribute and apply commercial

fertilizer throughout Texas. The Texas Plant Food Institute through its staff and membership is generally recognized as the official voice of the fertilizer industry in Texas. The organization primarily devotes its efforts to the more efficient use of commercial fertilizer and related products by farmers and ranchers in Texas. Members of this organization receive the latest available information in fertilizer blending techniques, modern and efficient methods of application and safer means of handling and applying pesticides. This ongoing educational benefit provides a professional position from which the TPFI member may offer sound and professional recommendations to his farmer customer back home and thereby provide that customer the opportunity for optimum production capabilities. Mr. Assiter has been affiliated

with the Institute for 5 years. He and his wife Janie, live with their daughter in Spearman.

### Rho Rho Sorority Meets

Rho Rho Sorority met Thursday, November 10 in the home of Mrs. Jackie Pearson. Meeting was called to order by President Hazel Shieldknight. Roll was called and the treasurer's report was given. Various committees gave their reports. Mrs. Milly Lesly reported on the Hansford County Round-Up and told of the events for the celebration. Also discussed was insurance for the club. The sorority has donated a gross of flags for Veterans' Day which they had paid for. Secret sisters of the past year were revealed as the members

tried to guess if the identity was right; only a few named the correct ones. New secret sisters for this coming year were drawn. The program was given by Mrs. Lebra on "Career and Marriage". She showed a film which dealt with the topic. Delicious refreshments were served to members. Mesdames: Hazel Shieldknight, Linda Blackman, Donita Lusby, Marsha Pipkin, Debra Brown, Debbie Clement, Teresa Hargis, Lisa Pipkin, Jane Kendra, Marilyn Cline, Delinda McLaughlin, Jody Rex, Kari Schumann, Jolinda Hutchison, Karen Blodgett, Candi Boswell and daughter, Janie Henton, Milly Lesly,

Penne Ralston, Cindy Schneider, Susan Pearson, and Diana Phillips by hostess Jackie Pearson. The next meeting will be November 22 in the home of Mrs. Janie Henton.

### Bazaar Dec. 3

The Christian Church will have their Christmas Bazaar December 3 and until that day they will have craft work days every Wednesday. All members are invited to come and participate.

## New Ag Agent Settles In

Garland Stewart formerly of Hereford in Deaf Smith County and now of Spearman in Hansford County spent his thirtieth birthday getting settled in at the County Courthouse in Spearman after his selection earlier in the week by the County Commissioners to be the New Hansford County Agricultural Extension Agent. A native of Dalhart, he grew up in and around Tipton, Texas, where he finished his high school education before moving on to Panhandle State University in Goodwell, Okla.

He spent one year there before enlisting in the U.S. Navy for four years where he was an electrician in the aviation branch after completing his boot training in San Diego. He had some shore and sea duty. He is a graduate of PSU with a major in animal science with a meats and nutrition option. Married, his wife is named Celesta, and they are the parents of a girl, Ana Carol, who is 22 months of age and a boy, Shawn Travis Stewart, who was three weeks old Nov. 17. He and his family are mem-

bers of the Church of Christ and he noted that he will be moving his family from Hereford to Spearman in the next few weeks. Commenting on his new work, Stewart said that he like the Panhandle and when the opening in Hansford County came up, he made application. Prior to his moving to Spearman, Stewart had been for three and a half years the assistant agricultural extension agent for Deaf Smith County. His hobby, when he has time, is twisted sculpturing.

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A more crucial question: Is anyone striving to heal society? The Church is! It has always been quick to diagnose men's spiritual ills and ready to make available the remedies God has prescribed.

Obviously, however, society isn't one person but many. Its cure will progress as we get the patients and the doctor together.



- Sunday  
Luke  
22:66-71
- Monday  
Matthew  
3:13-17  
Deuteronomy  
18:15-19
- Tuesday  
Matthew  
17:1-9  
Jeremiah  
33:14-17
- Wednesday  
John  
13:12-20  
Isaiah  
42:1-7
- Thursday  
Acts  
10:34-43  
1 Samuel  
2:1-10
- Friday  
Philippians  
2:5-11  
Isaiah  
45:18-23
- Saturday  
Colossians  
1:12-19,  
2:9-10  
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Gina Davis is shown here in one of the outfits she will be modeling for Sacks 3rd Ave. in the Sunday Style Show.



Tammy Donahue will also be modeling for Sacks 3rd Ave. in the Sunday Style Show. She is shown here at the local store in one of the fashions.

### Library Board Meeting

The Library Board met on Monday, November 14 at 3:30 P.M. at the Library.

Members present were James Cunningham, Mary Alice Gibner, Mrs. P. A. Lyon, Mrs. R. E. Lee, and Librarian Rita Curtis. The total book circulation for the month of Oct. was 1,813, with adult circulation totaling 1,346 and children 467. Five new library cards were issued and forty new books were processed.

The new microfilm reader and the new 16 MM projector are now at the Library and ready for use. The projector may be checked out.

Librarian Rita Curtis discussed the four-day Basic Library Skills Institute which she attended at Bryan, Texas in Oct. She considered the institute very worthwhile and felt the wealth of information made available there will be most helpful to the Library in Spearman.

The display case in memory of Mrs. Frank Davis is now in place at the Library. Each month there will be a different private collection on display in the case. Mrs. Davis' cup & saucer collection and some of her handwork are on exhibition during Nov. Next month, Mrs. J. R. Stump will show her collection of Nativity Creches. The Library plans to have a Collector of the Month in addition to the Artist of the Month. The meeting adjourned at 4:30 P.M.

The next meeting will be December 12.

### Peggy's Pointers



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## Texas Hospitals Can Not Comply With Proposed Guidelines

The Texas Hospital Association (THA) today released the results of a statewide survey of hospitals. The survey indicates that well over 90% of the hospitals in Texas cannot now comply with the proposed "National Guidelines for Health Planning."

This survey was conducted by THA to determine if Texas hospitals are currently in com-

pliance with the proposed "National Guidelines for Health Planning" that were published in the Federal Register by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare (DHEW). O. Ray Hurst, President of THA, said, "This survey indicates that if these guidelines are finalized as published, most of the hospitals in Texas will be forced to drastically reduce ser-

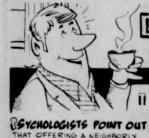
vice or close. In this day of outstanding medical advances it is tragic that our federal government wants to deny our citizens quality health care in the local community."

The survey results indicate that the impact of these proposals will fall most heavily on the smaller hospitals (100 beds and under). Over 96% of these smaller hospitals would be closed because of annual occupancy below 80% if the proposals are carried to their ultimate end. Almost 96% would be forced to close the obstetrical unit and send mothers-to-be to distance facilities for delivery.

Hurst went on to say "we can't believe that our elected officials will permit the bureaucrats to deny health care to our citizens. However, this could happen based on these proposals unless the public joins with hospitals and physicians to oppose these drastic limitations of beds and services."

THA is the Austin based trade association of over 70 hospitals and health care institutions in Texas.

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### Rho Rho Has Initiation

Formal initiation for the Rushes of Rho Rho Sorority was held Saturday evening, November 5 at the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church. It was for members and their husbands.

The theme was Italian with candles and bread sticks on the tables. Refreshments of lasagne, garlic bread, salad, and home-made ice cream were served by hostesses. Mesdames: Debra Brown, Jolinda Hutchison, Eulalia Mires, and Karl Schumann.

After the initiation they had a skit entitled "Queen For A Day". Last spring's rushesses presented the skit. They were Mesdames: Marsha Murphy, Teresa Hargis, Candi Boswell, Jolinda Hutchison, Karen Blodgett, and Janie Henton.

Mrs. Denise Cape sang and played the guitar for entertainment.

Those present were Messrs and Mesdames: Charles Sheldahl, Monty Blackman, Craig Schumann, John Hutchison, Bob Pearson, Vernon Pipkin, Glen Blodgett, Bob Bowell, Jim Brown, Joe Clement, Randy Hargis, Kerry Henton, Butch

Lasater, Richard Pipkin, Phillip Renner, Gary Taylor, Dennis Cline, Danny McLaughlin, Doc Pearson, Robert Phillips, George Rex, and Carlos Kenda.

### HD Club News

Holt Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, November 15 in the home of Mrs. Britt Jarvis. Meeting was called to order by Vice President Mrs. Michael Holt.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Agent Miss Jana Pronger invited all the members to a festive foods exhibit November 17 at 1:30 or at 7:30 at the Southwestern Public Service Building in Borger.

The annual Christmas Party for members and their husbands was planned. It is to be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones with each member bringing a dish on December 19 at 6:30.

The program was given by Mrs. Verlin Beck. Each member was given the necessary supplies to make pine

cone turkeys adorned with feathers.

Members present were Mesdames: Verlin Beck, Fred Holt, Michael Holt, Jon Jarvis, Phil Jenkins, Raymond Kirk, Richard Kirk, W. D. Berner, Monty Blackman, Nolan Holt, O. C. Holt, Marvin Jones, Randy Kirk, Lloyd Poole, Larry Porter and guest Miss Jana Pronger.

The next regular meeting will be January 3 with the meeting place to be announced at a later date.

Meeting for their Thanksgiving Luncheon was the Happy Homes Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, November 15 in the Home Demonstration Club with Mrs. Fontella McKee serving as hostess.

Following the luncheon President Fontella McKee presided over the business meeting. She also gave the devotional entitled "Seasons of the Soul".

Roll Call was answered to "My Favorite Christmas Idea". Final discussion was held on the Family Christmas Dinner to be held Thursday, December 15 at 7:00 at the Home Demonstration Club Room.

Each member was given the necessary supplies to make pine cone turkeys adorned with feathers.

Members present were Mesdames: Fontella McKee, Joyce Byers, Gwen Younger, Betty Morrison, Adalyne Barnes, Rose Cummings, Nan Nicholson and guests Mrs. Peggy Winegarner and Mrs. Norma Jean Mackie.

The next meeting will be January 5 with the meeting place to be announced later.

### Historical Survey Committee Meets

Hansford County Historical Survey Committee, Inc. met in regular session Friday, November 11, 1977 in the Station Master's House Museum. The meeting was called to order by president Fred Groves.

Members present were Clementine Renner, Grace Lyon, Ruth Shaver, Johnnie Lee, Helen Boyd, Fred Groves and guest Mrs. Janitta Pierce.

Minutes of the October meeting were read and approved; treasurer's report was read and approved.

A report was given that it will cost \$250 to replace the historical marker which was taken from Old Farwell.

*Mr. and Mrs. Rue Sanders request the honour of your presence at the wedding reception of their daughter Julie Anne and Mr. Raymond Duik Adams on Saturday, December third nineteen hundred and seventy-seven at three-thirty o'clock Sanders Ranch Home Spearman, Texas*

Discussion was held on fund-raising projects for the museum. Mentioned were bus tours of historical markers and places of interest in Hansford County and a quilt show.

The case which is to contain historical artifacts to be placed in the Gruver State Bank is being refinished. The next meeting will be on December 9.

### Wedding Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Schaefer are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Melanie, to Mr. Jack Barr of Amarillo. The wedding was performed November 5 in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Melanie is a Spearman High School graduate and is employed at Sebring Men's Hair Styling. He is a sales representative of Avant-Video of Texas.

The couple are making their home at 5700 Canyon Drive in Amarillo.

### Golden Spread Club Board Meets

Golden Spread Club board met Wednesday, November 16 at 6:00 p.m. at the First State Bank. Those present were Freeman Barkley, Bob Boswell, Orville Brunnett, Mildred Chamberlain, Ed Freeman, Mark Nett, and Theima Scott.

Orville Brunnett, the president of the board, presided over the business and opened the meeting with prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasury showed a balance of \$284.07.

It was announced that Karen Countess would arrange for extra educational programs. Rosalie Butts will continue to arrange for hosts and hostesses for each of the dinner meetings.

Future activities of the organization include a dinner meeting on Tuesday, December 6 at 6:00 p.m. with the Baker & Taylor Women acting as hostesses.

Mark Nett will supply an educational program.

There will be a Christmas Crafts class on Tuesday, December 13 at 2:00 p.m. with Martha Batton as the instructor.

The Christmas dinner will be held on Tuesday, December 13 at 2:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium.

At 4:00 p.m. the gym will open for gift exhibits by the Spearman merchants and Santa Claus.

Tickets for the style show and tasting tea are \$2.00 each. For the exhibits and Santa only they are \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children.

The main purpose of this Christmas Style Show and Exhibit is to let the public see what Spearman has to offer in the way of gifts.

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held on Tuesday, December 20 at 6:00 p.m. with the Baker & Taylor Women acting as hostesses. All three of these activities will be held at the Home Demonstration Clubroom.

Golden Spread Club is an organization for all senior citizens fifty-five years of age or older without discrimination as to sex, race, religion, ethnic background, or political affiliation. It is a charitable, educational, and social organization.

### FGBMFI Speaker Named

Hal Sacks will be the speaker for the Full Gospel Businessmen's Fellowship International Chapter meeting on November 28, 1977 at Martin's Steak Garden. The meal will be at 6:30 and the meeting will begin at 7:30.

Sacks is a film producer, formally educated in electrical engineering, theatre and language, and has twice diversified years of "on location" television and film production experience.

His background includes achievements as a producer, director, engineer, program host and television design consultant. Among the numerous credits Mr. Sacks brings to this present position with American Video-Cinema, Inc. are the Emmy Award and the Motion Picture Association of Southern California's Best Family Film Award of 1975.

He was born and raised in Orthodoxy, Jew in southern California, more than seven years ago, experienced a personal encounter with his Messiah, Jesus Christ. He experiences his daily relationship and walk with God as a vital link to the activities and success of his profession. He now resides in Dallas, where he has taken up permanent residence.

There will also be an election of officers.

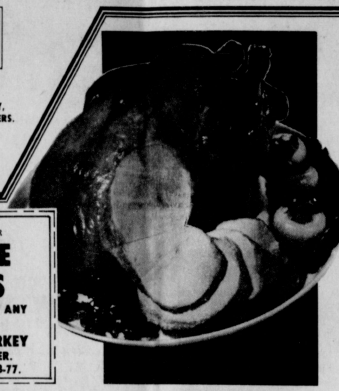
The meeting is open to the public. Any interested persons are cordially invited to attend.



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**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1977**  
Rotary Club - Martin's Steak Garden  
Blue Monday Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Viola Graves  
Ladies' Dinner Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Troy Sloan  
Las Amigas Home Demonstration Club - Home Demonstration Club Room  
**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1977**  
Tuesday Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Bill K. Jackson  
Lion's Club - Martin's Steak Garden  
Union Church Missionary Ladies - Union Church  
Home Demonstration Council - Home Demonstration Club Room  
Xi Zeta Sorority - Home of Mrs. Glenda Guthrie  
Rho Rho Sorority - Home of Mrs. Janie Henton  
Town and Country Home Demonstration Club - Home Demonstration Club Room  
**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1977**  
Marantha Bible Study  
Marsha Key Study Group - Baptist Church  
Lilly Hundley Young Women - Baptist Church  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1977**  
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**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1977**  
Arts and Crafts Guild  
Spearman Home Demonstration Club

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Golden Spread Club members enjoyed their regular meeting at the H. D. Club in Spearman this week.

**Golden Spread Club Meets**

Golden Spread Club enjoyed a steve supper on Tuesday, November 15 at the Home Demonstration Clubroom served by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First United Methodist Church. There were forty-three women and eleven men in attendance.

and Pearl Pierce.

The blessing on the food was given by the Rev. Edward D. Freeman and dinner music was supplied by Connie Steger.

There were nine tables of forty-two, dominos, pitch, and bridge.

Future activities of the club include a dinner and game evening with a short educational program on Tuesday, December 6 with the Baker & Taylor Women as hostesses. There will be another Christmas craft day on Tuesday, December 13 at 2:00 p.m. with Martha Batton as instructor. The Baker & Taylor Women will also serve the Christmas party on Tuesday, December 20 at 6:00 p.m. All three of these activities will be held at the Home Demonstration Clubroom.

Golden Spread Club is a social and educational organization for senior citizens who are fifty-five years of age or older without discrimination as to sex, race, religion, ethnic background, or political affiliation.

Two photographers came and took pictures of the group Tuesday evening, Bob Bundy and Doug Steger.

**Gift Bazaar To Be Held**

There are many customs in many places which go with the approaching holiday season and one of the more important ones in Spearman is the annual December Gift Bazaar at the First Christian Church in Spearman, an activity of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the church, who produce any number of handcrafted items and baked goods which fit in nicely with Christmas gift requirements.

A preview of their offerings this year will be seen in the annual display at the Gift Box which will be open by Monday, Nov. 21, it has been announced, with the bazaar set for December 3.

In the meantime, the women of the church have kept busy preparing all manner of handcrafted items and baked goods with this year's emphasis on a handcrafted rug, macrame, purses, baby quilts, tote painting, oil and water color painting, afghans, handmade Christmas Tree ornaments, Christmas stockings and dolls, Barbie doll clothes, wire and bronze sculpture resembling and plants.

And for the baked goodies, the homemade cookies, cakes and pies can be ordered from Betty Jean Davis at 659-3188 or Betty Jo Vernon at 659-2903.

**Mrs. Lackey and son honored**

A baby shower was held Tuesday, Nov. 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the hospitality room of the First State Bank honoring Mrs. Glen Lackey and son, Dale Irwin.

Hostesses were Veleta Bowen, Kathy Brown, Kim Vera, Kathy Bowen, Terry Bova, Darlene Farris and Belinda Brividge.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth centered with a grey stock. Refreshments of cake, green sherbert punch, peanuts, and mints were served by Veleta Bowen.

Darlene Farris registered the guests.

A good time was enjoyed by all.

**October Wedding Held**

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall W. Hardin of Amarillo wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Fara to Larry Williams, son of Mrs. Frances Williams and the late Kenneth Williams of Spearman.

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# Thanksgiving as Meaningful Today as For Pilgrims



20 years ago 22 people



today 56 people

AMERICAN AGRICULTURE'S Super efficiency is graphically illustrated by the two pictures prepared by the Texas Farm Bureau. One American farmer produced enough food for only 22 people 20 years ago (table at left). Today one American farmer produces food for 56 people (table at right). The state's largest farm organization staged the pictorial comparison (in large color photos) for exhibition in the Food & Fiber Pavilion at the recent State Fair of Texas in Dallas.

Thanksgiving has as much meaning today as it did for the early Pilgrims, according to Carrol Chaloupka, president of the Texas Farm Bureau. "The colonists had reason to be thankful for the first harvest. It would see them through the winter," Chaloupka said. "Today, Americans never have to worry about not having adequate food. It's available in abundant supply and dazzling variety at every supermarket in the land, and at reasonable prices." The Dalhart beef and grain producer said. "American consumers are the beneficiaries of the most efficient and productive food ma-

chine the world has ever known - American agriculture," the farm leader said. "The teamwork of scientists, educators, agribusiness people and farmers and ranchers is responsible for the miracle of American agriculture." Chaloupka said the farmer's output per man hour has increased by some 330 percent in the past 20 years. This compares with an overall increase of about 160 percent in all manufacturing industries, he explained. "The super efficiency of American agriculture has done much to hold down the cost of living for all Americans," Cha-

loupka said. The farm leader said another example of the farmer's increasing efficiency is the fact that one farmer produced food for 22 people 20 years ago, and today one farmer produces enough food for 56 people. He pointed out that U.S. farm exports of some \$23 billion annually help Americans buy essential imports, such as petroleum products.

**Food Psychology**

DON'T WAIT FOR FRIENDSHIP TO COME TO YOU. GO OUT AND GET IT. FOR EXAMPLE, NEW FAMILY MOVING INTO THE NEIGHBORHOOD MAY FEEL ABOUT MAKING FRIENDS IN A NEW TOWN. MAKE A POINT OF WELCOMING THEM.

## Hightower Comments On Farm Strike

In response to the growing interest in the call for a strike by farmers on December 14 of this year, Congressman Hightower issued the following statement from his Wichita Falls, Texas office. "The 'farm strike' has gained a lot of attention in this area and the rest of the nation. It is a dramatic method of pointing up a very serious problem we face in agriculture today. The American farmer now have their backs to the wall. Their cost of production has increased over 24 percent since 1970. Their income level is far below what it was in 1970 and that was not a year of high agricultural prices. Farm families are seeking their life's work going down under the burden of increasing debts that have been added on and on in order to try for that better year, next year.

As the Congressman and as a friend of many, many farm families, I cannot tell farmers and ranchers to strike or not to strike. That is a personal business decision and must be weighed by the dictates of their own circumstances. I would not attempt to suggest to these families what action they should individually take, anymore than I would try to tell them when, what and how much they should plant. They and they alone know the pluses and minuses the action would have for the farm family's situation. If the strike can raise commodity prices to the producer, good...that is what we want. I have fought for higher prices in the new farm bill. Each cent of target price for wheat has a budget exposure of \$20 million. One cent of corn target is worth \$54 million in tax dollars and one cent of grain sorghum exposure comes in at \$8 million. To hear some of the urban Congressmen and consumer advocates, that is money coming out of the mouths of poor starving people and going to millionaire farmers. Those of us

surplus. All of this will take time. We are not going to see this surplus go away over night in spite of the new export activity we have seen the past few weeks. Many of our farmers have run out of time. The strike process will require

sacrifice on the part of the people involved. If it accomplishes its objectives the entire economy will be strengthened. I hope one of the results of this action is a sounder American agriculture.

## Grass Roots Opinion Important

WASHINGTON, November 15, 1977 - The dividing lines between America's political parties are slowly dwindling, says a nationally noted political analyst. Congress is more inclined to look at national issues from a practical standpoint, often responding to the demands of grass roots interest groups. Richard M. Scammon, head of the privately funded Elections Research Center of Washington, D.C., in a telephone interview with Citizen's Choice, a national citizen's legislation action organization, said constituents are having a greater influence on congressional decisions. This trend, he continued, signals an emergence of a non-ideological political system where party affiliation is playing a diminishing role.

Because of the viewpoints of the constituents are gaining importance in the congressional decision making process, letters to congressmen from people in their home districts are very important, he said. But, Scammon added, with the emerging change, there are some important rules to be followed. Citizens in many organized form allow government intervention to continue when they refuse to give and take. People have got to be willing to abandon some of their pet programs if they are serious about stopping the growth of government. Without this give and take, he said, the trend toward bringing more people into the political process may be counter-balanced.

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## Thanksgiving Poems

**Editor's Note:** The following poems were written by 4th grade students in Spearman Elementary School. These are from Mrs. Whitson's class. I like Thanksgiving because it is a holiday. Food is so very good. We like turkey. For churches, and schools, and towns and countries. Willie Vera

The Pilgrims sailed the ocean  
The Pilgrims sailed the sea.  
The Pilgrims hit the Plymouth Rock  
The Pilgrims liked the country.  
The Pilgrims met the Indians.  
The Pilgrims were thankful for Thanksgiving.

I'm thankful for the pilgrims who made home in America.  
The Indians and Pilgrims taught us the ways of sharing.  
Of feasting and of caring.  
I'm glad that we have Jesus, and moms and dads and brothers too.  
I'm thankful for this Thanksgiving.  
With plenty of food and kindness too.

I'm thankful for Thanksgiving and thanks for the pilgrims too, and church and our grade school.  
For all the things we can do for my mother and dad, and sister and good kin folks. They all show kindness in so many ways.

Thanksgiving is fun and games. And feasts of turkey and thanks to the Lord.  
But have you ever stopped to think why the pilgrims started it all?  
Eric Martin

Today is Thanksgiving. My grandma is coming. Aunt Mona cooks the turkey. I wish Thanksgiving come more often.  
But then we need to think, Christmas comes so quick. Old Santa needs time too.

I'm thankful for the food we eat, and all the people too.  
My family says, "Thank you God".  
We love our fine country, and the things we're allowed to do.

I'm thankful for the Pilgrims landing at Plymouth Rock. Without their good lessons America would not be the same. Today we give thanks.

On Thanksgiving Day, I hear folks say  
Pass the turkey, pass the dressing, pass the pumpkin pie  
If everyone else can have some why can't I?  
Mom told me "I could have some but not to eat it all I told her "To be on the basketball team you have to be big and tall.  
She said "Your father was on the basketball team and he was 4 foot 3,  
and I was on the basket ball team and I was, I am skinny as can be."

I am thankful for turkey and Thanksgiving Day and Pilgrims too.  
My mother and dads and sisters and all the good churches and schools.  
And our America.

I am thankful for Thanksgiving With plenty of good food. And lots of games and fun.  
My family enjoys its good living.

I'm thankful for the Pilgrims And what they did for me. And how it was on Thanksgiving Day  
I'm thankful for the food we eat on Thanksgiving Day.  
And I'm thankful for our good country.

I am thankful for Thanksgiving and the Pilgrims.  
We eat and give thanks. For all that we have.  
Our love is shared By those all around.  
I'm so thankful for Thanksgiving. Because we can live in a Christian world.  
We eat and live and work the way we like,  
and thank God for all this in our daily life.

Thanksgiving is the best day. And it's the 24th of November. And all my family like it too.  
I'm thankful for Thanksgiving and Thanksgiving is my day. I think it is the best for fun and food.

I'm thankful for Thanksgiving Day, and for our freedom of ways.  
I'm thankful for my father and mother, and my three brothers.  
I'm thankful for our turkey, and I'm also thankful for my happiness.

I am thankful for Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is a time for love. We can share our food and fun. Today we see our families. Come together for feast and prayers, and we are thankful for celebrating Thanksgiving.

I'm thankful for so many things. Thanksgiving is my favorite day.  
For lots of fun and food. When my cousins come and stay.  
for the rest of the day.

## Embargoed Mail Can Move By Air

The U.S. Postal Service reminds the mailing public that although surface mail to many areas is still embargoed due to the East and Gulf Coast dock strike, air mail service is available for those who must move their mail.

An embargo imposed by the Postal Service October 2 on surface mail to Europe, including the Soviet Union, Greenland and Iceland, Africa, South and Central America, the Caribbean Islands, including Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, and the Middle East is still in effect. This means mail moving by ship to these destinations will not be accepted at post offices.

Air mail moving from the United States to these destinations or mail coming to this country by air from these areas is not affected. The Postal Service stands ready to handle mail by air to and from these destinations.  
Surface mail to Canada, Mexico and Cuba and destinations in the Pacific is not affected. Military Mail is also not affected.

## School Menu

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21**  
Corndogs - Mustard  
Macaroni-Cheese Casserole  
Buttered Carrots  
Tossed Salad - Dressing  
Appleauce Cake  
Yeast Batter Bread - Butter  
Milk  
**High School Choice**  
Beef Casserole  
**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22**  
Turkey & Gravy  
Cornbread Dressing  
Candied Sweet Potatoes  
Cole Slaw  
Cranberry Sauce - Opt.  
Fruit Salad w/Topping  
Bread - Opt.  
Milk  
**High School Choice**  
Sausage  
**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23**  
student holiday  
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**IN-SERVICE DAY**  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24**  
THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY  
**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25**  
THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

## Hendrick Enlists In Air Force



Martin W. Hendrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hendrick of Spearman, Tx, enlisted in the United States Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program on November 15, 1977 according to Sergeant Fry, Local Air Force Representative.  
Martin graduated from Spearman High School in 1974 and

has attended Clarendon Jr. College. He will depart on January 11, 1978 for Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Texas where he'll undergo a six-week course in basic military training. After which, he will attend a sixteen-week technical training course at Eglin AFB in Florida for Printer Systems Operator.

Martin cites the training and educational opportunities as his reason for "going Air Force".  
For more information about Air Force opportunities, contact Sergeant Fry by calling 806-376-2147 (collect) or stop by his office in the Herring Plaza Bldg. at 3rd and Pierce in Amarillo.

## Local Families In Higher Brackets

NEW YORK, Nov. 12 - A survey of income levels and income distribution, covering all areas of the country, shows that in Hansford County, appreciable gains were made by most families in the past few years.  
The progress is attributed, largely, to the fact that more married women were working, bringing home second paychecks. Part of the added cash, however, went to meet the steadily rising cost of living.

With the increase in family earnings, there has been a gradual movement into higher income brackets. Some families, who had been at the \$8,000 to \$10,000 level before, have graduated to the \$10,000 to \$15,000 spot. Others have climbed still further.

The upward shift has been taking place across the board, with the result that the proportion of local families remaining in the very low income groups is now smaller than ever.  
The facts and figures are brought out in a new report issued by the Marketing Economics Institute. It indicates how income is distributed in each area.

In Hansford County, it shows, some 77.7 percent of the households had incomes of \$8,000 or more in the past year.  
That was a larger proportion than was found in the United States as a whole, 71.5 percent. It was 68.1 percent in the State of Texas.  
What the study sought to provide was a better understand-

ing of the buying power in each community, beyond that revealed by its average income figure alone.  
It shows that the average proportion of families with very big incomes compensating for a larger proportion with low incomes, or whether earnings are better distributed.

The breakdown figures for Hansford County indicate what the spread is in the area and where local families stand on the income ladder.  
Listed with incomes of \$8,000 to \$10,000 are 51.1 percent of the households. Between \$10,000 and \$15,000 are 23.4 percent. Those earning \$15,000 to \$25,000 constitute 22.5 percent of the households. Some

19.7 percent have incomes in excess of \$25,000. The rest are below \$8,000.

## Bond Sales Reach 73% Of Goal

September sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Hansford County were reported today by County Bond Chairman C. A. Gbner. Sales for the nine-month period totaled \$65,512.00 for 73% of the 1977 sales goal of \$90,000.  
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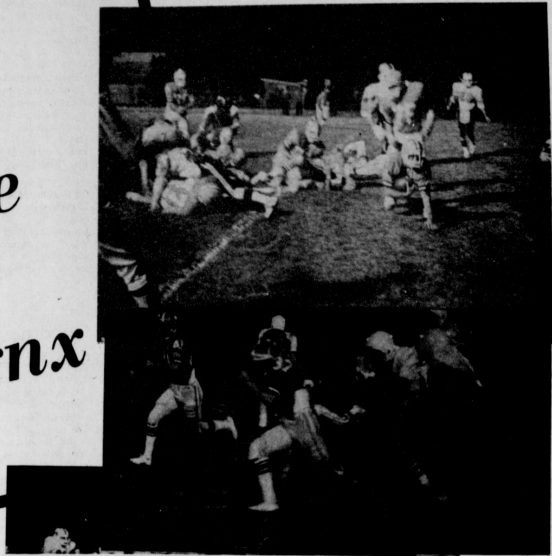
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11 Mark Franklin	QB	156	63 Kirby Hargis	G	161
12 Dayton Edwards	QB	143	64 Benny Rodriguez	G	157
13 Scott Sherwood	QB	166	65 Edward McIntyre	G	162
20 Casey Bodey	HB	160	67 John Reneau	G	179
23 Billy Sellers	HB	154	68 Johnny Kenney	G	170
28 Hector Trevino	HB	165	70 Clay Reed	T	215
30 Mike Bodey	FB	171	71 David Cummings	C	169
31 Zane Newton	HB	168	73 Steve Goff	T	154
33 Pete Garcia	FB	173	76 Florencio Martinez	G	177
37 Billy Snider	FB	138	77 David Ortega	T	179
40 Tommy Barber	HB	167	78 Todd Brock	T	178
41 Gary McCallman	E	156	80 James Whitaker	E	165
42 Kyle Nollner	E	142	81 Scot Martin	E	163
45 Sam Boone	HB	168	84 Chris Bodey	E	187
50 Raul Ortega	C	176	85 Jimmy Ladd	E	183
52 Twane Friemel	T	209	86 Kyle Beedy	E	149
55 Cary Bridges	C	183	87 Jim Jones	E	187
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# Husband, Wife Team Up In Law Enforcement Here

The only husband and wife team in law enforcement activities in Hansford County is now on duty with the husband, Johnny Pate, a member of the Gruver Police Department, and the wife, Shirley Pate, a member of the Hansford County Sheriff's Department where she is the office deputy.

As such, she has jurisdiction over the civil division of the sheriff's realm which includes a

little dispatching, some secretarial and bookkeeping work and serving civil papers.

The Pates returned to the county on November 12 after completing six weeks of basic training in law enforcement at Amarillo College. They were the only couple, it is believed, to have been enrolled in the most recent course.

Prior to her employment by Sheriff K. L. McFarlin some 22

months ago, Shirley was a secretary in the private business sector but when the opening arose in Spearman, "I took it" is the way she describes her transition into law enforcement.

Johnny moved into the law enforcement sector by way of basic Air Force training and then fast food outlet management, having managed Dairy Queen outlets in Stratford, Tyler and Spearman.

She is a native of Stratford and he is from the Tyler area in East Texas. They are graduates of John Tyler High School in the Rose Capital of East Texas.

Members of the First Assembly of God Church in Spearman, they maintain their residence in Gruver where the other member of the family is Tessa, their five-year-old daughter.

McFarlin noted that his office deputy is being utilized in the office from 7 a. m. to noon and is out from 12 to 3 p. m. serving papers and other assignments connected with civil affairs of the department.

Shirley's father is deceased and her mother, Mrs. Barbara Hawkins, lives in Stratford. Johnny's parents have been divorced but his mother, Mrs. Melba Abbott, is a resident of Tyler.

## Mrs. Mackie Honored On Birthday

Friends and Sunday School Class members of Mrs. W. L. Mackie surprised her with a gift shower Tuesday, November 15 at 3 p. m. at her home. Mrs. Mackie was observing her 85th birthday.

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## Waka PTA News

A Panel Discussion on T.V. Violence was presented at the regular meeting of the Waka P.T.A. on Monday evening, Nov. 14, 1977 at the Waka School. Joe Collinsworth, leader for the evening, organized the discussion with panel members being Margaret Thompson, Rev. Dave Stauffer, Lesley Stinson, Mary Schooling, and Lois Buschman with Marilyn Wilson acting as Moderator.

The 1st and 2nd grades provided the entertainment with a skit.

The business meeting preceded the Panel and Skit with Mrs. Alvin Buschman presiding. Jerry Bowling opened with prayer and the American and Texas flag pledges were led by Tanja and Jolynda Bowling.

Mary Schooling reported on the rummage sale, thanking everyone for their part in making it a success.

Coach Collingsworth reminded everyone of the Spring Creek Basketball Tournament scheduled for Nov. 18-19 & 20th.

Supt. Robinson announced that school would be dismissed for the Thanksgiving Holiday on Tuesday, Nov. 22nd at 2:00, with In-service for teachers on Wednesday.

The State P.T.A. Convention to be held in Dallas on Nov. 15, 16, & 17 will be attended by Supt. Robinson as Waka representative.

Social time followed the meeting with Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Parker, Mr. & Mrs. David Wilson, and Mr. & Mrs. Roy Montgomery as hosts.

## Winegarner Named to "Who's Who"

WTSU - Vertan C. Winegarner, a West Texas State University junior from Spearman, has been named to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities for 1977-78.

Winegarner was selected from among 135 WTSU nominees for his leadership in academic and extracurricular affairs, citizenship and service to WTSU, and potential for future achievement.

Nominated by Sigma Nu fraternity, Winegarner has served that organization as pledge class president, pledge trainer, pledge marshal, commander, and was named best pledge, best member and most inspirational member.

He has been a representative and the secretary for the Intrafraternity Council, which submitted his name. Other honors include being nominated for Greek Man of the Year, playing a leading role in "The Tempest" and being awarded the Merit and the Residence Hall scholarships.

The elementary education major resides at 821 S. Henry.

## Bridge Club

Mrs. Gertrude Archer was hostess for the Bid-A-Bit Bridge Club Thursday evening in her home.

Mrs. Thelma Scott had high score and Mrs. Faye Lynch had second high.

Enjoying a delicious dinner and bridge were guests, Mmes. Bill Gandy, Thelma Scott, and members, Mmes: Carrie Marie Berry, Nina Hefner, Mabel Jameson, Vi Whitson, Faye Lynch and the hostess.

## United Presbyterian Church News

Fascinating Bible stories skillfully told at the level of comprehension of the pupils make the Sunday Church School of the First Presbyterian Church such an enjoyable experience. There is a class for everyone, regardless of age, every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

"Sadducees Then and Now" is the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon on Sunday, November 20, at 11:00 a.m. at the service for the public worship of God. The children's choir, under the direction of Miriam Mercer, will sing, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come."

Presbyterians will join with

other parts of the Body of Christ in Spearman in the union thanksgiving service at the First Baptist Church on Monday, November 21 at 7:30 p.m.

You will enjoy the warm, Christian fellowship when you attend the services and activities of the First Presbyterian Church.

Presbyterian Women did a superb job of cleaning on Wednesday morning and took down old drapes and hung new ones in the sanctuary. Thank you for a job well done.

## "42" Club Meets

'42 Club met Tuesday, November 15 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson.

Mrs. Glenda Guthrie won high score for the women and George Jackson won high score for the men.

Those present were members, Messrs and Mesdames: George Jackson, Bob Hohertz, Clark Mires, Kent Guthrie and guests Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Archer and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dixon.

The next meeting will be December 7 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin for dinner.

Mrs. Alta Morse is visiting her daughter Beverly Duell in Longmont, Colo. Mrs. Morse is recuperating from a broken arm she sustained at her home here several weeks ago. She is expected to be back home after Thanksgiving.

## Thanksgiving Bake Sale Set

The Sacred Heart Women's Guild will have a Thanksgiving Bake Sale. It will be at the Cutrae/Thriftway Grocery Store in Spearman on Wednesday, November 23. The sale will begin in full swing at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is cordially invited to come by and look at the delectable goodies.

## Xi Zeta Has Exemplar Luncheon

Xi Zeta Upsilon of Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday, November 10 in the home of Mrs. Mary Dixon for their Exemplar Luncheon.

The Exemplar Ritual was held.

New members were Mesdames: Laquita Evans, Mary Ann Lasater, Phyllis Collins, Eulalia Mires, and Lynn Renner.

After the lunch the opening ritual was held.

Roll call and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A reminder was made that the Christmas luncheon would be held at Martin's Steak Garden on December 9 at 11:30.

They discussed the upcoming ski trip to Taos, New Mexico on February 3, 4, and 5.

They finalized plans for the chili supper.

The business meeting was adjourned.

Those present were members, Mesdames: Linda Latta, Mary Dixon, Mary Mathews, Charlotte Jackson, Verna Strawn, Cynthia DeArmond, Glenda Guthrie, Scarlett Jackson, Cheryl Meek, Judy Nelson.

## Cub Scout Leaders To Meet


Spearman Cub Scout leaders will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 22, at the First Christian Church to recharter Cub Scout Pack 578.

All Cub Scout packs and Boy Scouts troops must recharter once a year. Jim Vanlandingham is cubmaster for the pack this year and pack committee members include Faye Wirsdorfer, Roy Bulis, John Colliard, and Juanita Tucker.

The pack recently participated in the third annual Cub Scout Pushmobile Derby in Pampa with more than 450 other Cub Scouts from all over the Adobe Walls Council.

The Pack is sponsored by the First Methodist Church of Spearman.

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