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Tractors Arrive

Lawmakers in the Nation's Capital are awaiting the visit of scores of farmers beginning Monday. The long tractorcade has arrived and are settled "in" near Washington while arrangements are being made for delegations of the American Agricultural Movement to meet with various Legislative groups in the City and on Capitol Hill. The 1900 mile trip was made almost without incident, many of the travellers maintaining an almost festive mood throughout the many days of tiring travel. The Hansford County delegation has apparently had little few problems and at last report each member of the local entourage were in good health and optimistic about their chances of success in Washington.

A number of AAM Organizers have been in Washington ahead of their Tractorcading Colleagues setting up meetings with various Agriculturally oriented officials. The meetings are expected to last at least a week.

AAM spokesmen have stated that a lot of attention will be directed to Congressmen representing Urban areas. Congresswoman Shirley Chisholm is reportedly a particular target of the group...as well as Senator Muskie of Maine.

A meeting has been scheduled with Mrs. Carol Tucker Foreman, heading up the USDA Food Stamp and School Lunch programs, that meeting is set for Thursday at 2:30 P.M.

It would appear that not only the "Eyes of Texas" but the eyes of the entire nation may be focussed on Washington and the Farmers this next week.

American Agricultural Movement supporters will try to prevail on Congress and others to implement the Farm Bill which if implemented in its intended fashion will help to increase farm prices somewhat.

Baptist Bound For Brownsville Laymen In Baptist Pulpit



Fourteen local Baptists embarked on their Annual "Brownsville Mission Tour"

Friday morning. Hundreds of pounds of clothing, food, supplies, toys and other necessities were loaded into pick-ups, trailers and vans for the nine hundred mile pilgrimage to Mexico... "South Of The Border"

Sunday, February 4th is Layman's Day at First Baptist Church in Spearman. Kent DePee, First Baptist Brotherhood Director says that a number of the laymen of the Church will be participating in various aspects of the Three Services of Worship. The Rev. Mr. Russel Pogue, Minister of the Church is leading a contingent of First Baptist Members on the annual Missionary pilgrimage to Brownsville, Texas, and the Baptists Missions sponsored by the First Baptist Church there in Matamoros, Mexico.

John Douglas Davey, local News and Advertising businessman will preach at the 8:30 A.M. Service, while Joe Montgomery, formerly of Spearman, and a Customer Specialist with the General Telephone Co., in Wheeler Texas will speak at the 11 A.M. Service. Each of the speakers will be assisted by other Baptist Laymen. A number of Laymen from First Baptist will speak at the 7 P.M. Service, and according to Kent DePee will be sharing their personal testimony with the evening congregation. Laymen's Day is an annual event at First Baptist Church.

Enchilada Sale To Benefit Renteria Child



Paul Henry Renteria, 4 year old son of Jessie and Esmeralda (Nava) Renteria of Gruver, has leukemia. A fund has been set up to help the family with expenses. Donations can be made at the First State Bank and local stores in town.

An enchilada sale will be held by friends of the family to raise funds. It will be held on Feb. 17 at the Home Demonstration Club Room and a booth will be put up at Cut Rate. The sale

starts at 11 a.m. Prices will be \$5.00 a dozen and \$3.00 for 1/2 dozen.

People wishing to make orders ahead of time may call 659-2611 or 659-2845. The enchiladas will be sold either warm or cold. If you wish to buy them cold you can get them at Cut Rate. They will be sold warm at the Club Room.

Your cooperation for this worthy cause will be gratefully appreciated.

Morse Bingo Party Planned

A Bingo party will be held Saturday, Feb. 10 at 7 p.m. at the Morse Community Building. This is a fund raising project for the Community

Building. All ladies are asked to bring a cake or a pie for bingo prizes. Everyone is invited to attend.

Girls B-Team Wins Tournament New Deputy Named!

The annual Spearman JV basketball tournament was held this past weekend, January 25-27. The tourney featured some of the top basketball teams in the Panhandle area. Seven teams, Dalhart, Perryton, River Road, Miami, Spearman 9th, Sunray and Spearman JV, entered the tournament. But as you know only one can come out the champion.

In the Spearman B-team girls first game, they played Sunray at 9:00 a.m. Thursday. The JV Lynettes came out on top 48-44 in a real thriller. Nancy Wilson led the team with 18 big points, Kamal Ford had -7, Ginny Morris -5, Tammy Maize -5, Kindra Ivey -5, Bonnie McCloy -4, Stacey Cook -1, Jackie Reed -1, Teresa Cudd -1, and Jana McCoy -1.

Next, the JV girls played against Miami 38-28, behind the shooting of Nancy Wilson who burned the net for 18 points. McCloy scored 8 points, Ford -5, Maize -3, Eller -2, and Morris -2.

The JV Lynettes then advanced to the finals. They came up against Perryton, who beat Dalhart Friday. The Lynettes won the championship by soundly defeating the Perryton JV 38-13. Spearman held them to 13 points. 11 of which were scored at the freethrow line. The JV girls played a tough defensive game and allowed 6 points in the first three quarters. Again the Lynettes were led by the scoring Sophomore Nancy Wilson. She hit the basket for 17 points of 19 possible. Others helping to win the championship game were Ford with 9 points, Kenney -4, Eller -3, Morris -2, M. Reed -2, and Cook with 1.

So, the Spearman girls B-team won the Spearman Tournament by defeating Sunray, Miami, and Perryton. Their record is now 18-1.

The Hansford County Sheriff's Department has been brought to full strength by the appointment of Tim Fisher as a Deputy Sheriff. Fisher joined the local County's law enforcement Department on Wednesday afternoon. Sheriff R. L. McFarlin noted that his office is now at full staff. Fisher previously served as a Spearman Patrolman. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fisher of Spearman.

Springer In Revival

Bro. Calvin Springer will be leading revival services at the Union Church beginning Sunday, Feb. 4 through Feb. 11

The evening services are scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Bro. Springer is well known here, and Rev. Archie Burress of the church and the congregation issue a cordial invitation for everyone to come and join them.

ANNUAL CUB SCOUT FATHER-SON CAKE BAKE will be held Tuesday, February 13 at the County Barn. The judging will start at 7:30 with Ed Dear Auctioneer.

Mrs. Harbour Fund Set Up

A fund has been set up to help with medical and living expenses for Mrs. Connie Harbour and her two daughters. Mrs. Harbour is in Houston undergoing surgical and chemotherapy treatment for cancer. Contributions may be made to Bob and Sue Lamb, Stinnett.

BASKETBALL

Lyax - 69
Wildcats - 82
Lynettes - 75
W. Girls - 59

Drama Class To Present Play

The Spearman High School Drama Class will present "The Madwoman of Chaillot" by Jean Giradoux February 5, 1979 at 7:30 P.M. in the High School Auditorium. General admission is \$1.00.

The play is a kind of poetic and comic fable set in the twilight zone of the not-quite-true. At the Cafe Chez Francis, a group of promoters plot to tear up Paris in order to unearth the oil which a prospector believes he has located in the neighborhood. These grandiose plans come to the attention of The Madwoman of Chaillot who is ostensibly not normal in her mind, but who is soon shown to be the very essence of practical worldly goodness and commonsense. She sees through the crookedness of the prospector and insists that the world is being turned into an unhappy place by thieves and those who are greedy for worldly goods and power. At a tea party attended by other "mad" women of Paris, she has brought together a representative of the despoilers of the earth and wreckers of its happiness, and has condemned her to extermination. In a scene which mounts into the realms of high poetic comedy, she sends the

culprits, lured by the scent of oil and undreamed-of riches, into a bottomless pit which opens out of her cellar. The exodus of the wicked is accompanied by another and more beautiful miracle: joy, justice and a love return to the world again.

The cast of characters include: The Waiter-Jerry Ross; The Little Man-Tommy Rodgers; The Prospector-John Weakley; The President-Paul Welch; The Baron-Ken Weakley; The Street Singer-Debbie Greene; The Flower Girl-Teresa Morrison; The Ragpicker-Mary McIntyre; The Deaf-Mute - Jackie Reed; Irma - Jan Oakes; The Shoelace Peddler - Regins Loomis; The Broker - Mary Ann Martin; The Street Juggler - Kevin Kirk; Dr. Jadin - Robby Schaffer; Countess Aurelia, The Madwoman of Chaillot - Kelli Bynum; The Policeman - Kelly Mahanay; Pierre - Kelly Davis; The Sargeant - Ken Prachar; The Sewer Man - Kent Sparks; Mme. Constance, The Madwoman of Passy - Kindra Ivey; Mlle. Gabrielle, The Madwoman of St. Sulpice-Shelley Mitchell; Mme. Josephing, The Madwoman of La Concorde-Rhonda Morrison.

The class cordially invites you to come out and see their play Monday, Feb. 5.

Guess Who's A Winner!

Been wondering who won the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department "Exotic" Out House?? Just who is the lucky person who perhaps has become the unique owner of the most sophisticated "outhouse" in the Panhandle? What lucky culprit will have all the modern advantages while still being able to reach back into the bygone years when mother nature beckons? Who'll enjoy TV...keep in contact with the "outside" world by means of a "walkie talkie"...read a 1908 Sears and Roebuck Catalogue by the gleaming light of a built in Chandelier...keep oneself warm with a gleaming black pot bellied stove from yesteryear.... keep track of time by watching the hands of a beautiful brass inlaid clock....and enjoy the REGAL benefits befit a monarch perched on a stunning glass "you know what"????

The answer?? None other than John Douglas Davey, your roving news editor and Sales Manager! That's right...our

fearless newsman...was at a loss for words...written or spoken...when Fireman Ronnie Burke called the Reporter office and informed the staff that one of their very own had purchased the lucky ticket drawn on Wednesday afternoon!

At last report Publisher Billy Miller, AKA "Poison Pen" was stealthfully trying to "coerce" his amiable News Editor to "give up" his new and prized possession! Seems that "Poison Pen" had thoughts about those coming retirement years and was considering using the "Posh little Pottie" as his retirement home away from home.

Needless to say some "Media negotiating" is underway!

In any event congratulations to the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department for another successful venture!

You'll now know where the News Editor can be found.... sometimes!



"Career Awareness Day" was held this past week at Spearman's Kindergarten classes. The young students, taught by Miss Harris and Miss Sweeney heard Mrs. Peggy Winegarner County Extension Agent tell about various "Community Helpers"

Film To Be Shown Sunday

A film "World Of The Seance" will be presented at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 4 at the First Christian Church here. The film has a beautiful presentation of the way to salvation. It is Biblical, it is convicting and it is entertaining, quite a combination.

The public is cordially invited to the showing.

BULLETIN

Sheriff's Officers and Local Police were continuing their intensive investigation into the fatal shooting of 41 year old Daryol Lyan Keith at 419 S. Brandt at 5:50 P.M. Friday. A 20 gauge shotgun was used in the incident. An Autopsy has been ordered.



It wasn't exactly a Christmas present but it was received with expressions of glee and whatever other expressions Spearman City employees sometimes give vent to! It was the new IBM computer that has arrived at City Hall and is now being put in use. Mary Lou DeArmond, Wilma Goff and Donna Thomas look over their new "TOY" !!!

Insurance Corner

LITTER-ALLY UNSAFE

Litter isn't merely ugly - it's unsafe. Land pollution goes beyond being an eyesore; it's the "match" that lights thousands of home fires each year, costing homeowners and insurers an estimated \$140 million in fire losses. In addition, litter is a highway hazard and a danger to boating and swimming.

In the home, litter starts approximately one out of four fires. On the highway, litter causes untold numbers of accidents. In Connecticut alone, over a three-year period, 621 auto accidents were caused by cars swerving to avoid objects on the road.

The situation has become so bad in Los Angeles that helicopters and television cameras have been put to work to keep expressways free from hazardous debris. The helicopters maintain surveillance and dispatch emergency patrol equipment to clear roadways. Keep America clean - and you'll keep it safe too.

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.

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- CALENDAR OF EVENTS**
- MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5**
Brownie Troop #99 - Scout Hut
Boy Scout Troop #551 - Community Bldg.
Boy Scout Troop #558 - Fred Groves' Shop
Rotary Club - Martin's Steak Garden
Eastern Star Chapter #721 - Hansford Lodge Hall
Spearman Study Club -
Blue Monday Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Bill Seitz
- TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6**
Brownie Troop #101 - Scout Hut
W.I.F.E. - County Barn
Lion's Club -
Spearman Ministerial Fellowship Meeting - Presbyterian Church
Short Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Tom Sutton Baker & Taylor Women's Association Executive Meeting - Home of Marsha Shaver
Town & Country Home Extension Club - Home of Janie Kunselman
Holt Home Extension Club - Home of Randy Kirk
Old Hansford Extension Club - Home of Ruth Reardon
- WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7**
Cadet Troop #120 - Scout Hut
C.W.F. - First Christian Church
Marsha Key Study Group - First Baptist Church
Lily Hunley Study Group - First Baptist Church
Susannah Wesley Circle - Methodist Church
Mary Martha Circle - Methodist Church
- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8**
Cub Scout Den #1 - Home of Linda Beeson
Brownie Troop #129 - Scout Hut
Preceptor Epsilon - Martin's Steak Garden
Rho Rho Sorority -
Twentieth Century Club -
Rebekah #290 - IOOF Lodge
Xi Zeta Sorority - Home of Verna Strawn
Hi-Lo Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Faye Lynch
- FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9**
History Book Meeting -
Arts & Crafts Guild -
Spearman Home Extension Club - Home of Altha Groves
Girl Scout Troop #42 - Scout Hut
- SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10**
Saturday Night Bridge Club
Webelos - Fred Groves' Shop

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Jamie's Jabber
by Jamie Casdorph

Well, looks like another dreary weekend is fixing to catch up with us again! All I hear about is how bad the weather is deciding to get on our supposedly relaxin' weekends. How come when the weather decides to do something bad it does it on my time of rest? The only time I like snow is, if it keeps me from going to school or I'm getting to ski on it! But I guess awful winters are all in the life of being a TEXAN! Frankly, I think I could enjoy the nice sunny beaches of Florida every time winter rolls around! Nevertheless I guess since I live here I have to put up with it!

I hear that the tractorcade is going to hit some bad weather this weekend also. I hope that it doesn't interfere with their plans. I sure am hoping that the trip to Washington is going to be worth all that it took for the farmers to go through to get there! I hear that they have had much help along the way and much support so even if they don't get what they worked so hard for, it's nice to know that the American people are there to help! (maybe I should say the farm people all are sticking together for a victory!)

None can eat without the farmer, but they aren't thinking of that right now when all the food they want is available on the grocery counter! I mean, they aren't thinking about how much work and expense it took someones farm to raise the beef they are buying, or how much it cost to raise the wheat for the bread they eat. I guess that I never thought to much about it either till here lately with the tractorcade and strike! I hope that more people are starting to notice, also! I know that my opinion don't mean just a whole lot but I thought I would mention them anyway!

Home and family class at school is carrying their egg "baby's" around with them this week and it's really a sight to see! The object of this is to acquire the responsibility of caring for a child or at least learning that it entales a lot of responsibility. What is so funny about this project is that the students name their "babies" and keep them with them all the time, EXCEPT when they hire a "babysitter" which costs five cents an hour! Already though there have been some casualties, Andy Francis's baby was in an accident and ended up with a crushed head! Andy went through the proper procedures for a funeral, casket and all, this inscription was on the tomb "Eggbert C. Omelet, Born January 30, 1979; Died January 30, 1979. Exciting life but a short one!" At least the eggs are making creative writers out of the majority! Maybe Andy could go into business writing inscriptions for other unfortunate eggs! Another incident involving an egg is the kidnapping of David Ortega's baby egg. I understand that this kidnapping was a conspiracy involving no less, two teachers! The ransom for this charming baby egg is one dollar! I hope that David gets his egg baby back! Maybe I can bring more news about the BABYEGGS next week!



An accordionist, it has been said, is the only one who can successfully play both ends against the middle.

Faye's Daze

I heard over the Amarillo radio station this morning that January 1979 was the coldest January on record. I sure won't argue with them. February isn't starting off to great either, as far as I can tell.

I am constantly amazed at the people who come in here without coats during this kind of weather. When I go out, I wrap up like "Nanook of the North," sweater, jacket, coat, scarf, gloves, etc. I don't think Don Schell even owns a coat because he just goes around in his shirt sleeves, as if it were warm weather. Several women have come in with no coats on too.

Our boss has the flu, and besides all that he has had a telephone installed by his bed. We may have to disconnect ours if we get this paper out. He gives us calls very frequently, like ever ten minutes. He doesn't even have time to be sick.

John Davey, of our staff, won the "Outhouse" that the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department, gave away yesterday. They called here and left the message and when I told him he thought I was kidding him, but sure enough I wasn't. This was a fund raising job for the Fire Department and the prize is surely the most luxurious out-house ever built, complete with black and white television set, CB radio, etc.

Oh oh, there goes the phone again, see ya!

Extension Clubs

Happy Homes Extension Homemakers Club met in the home of Rose Cummings. The meeting was called to order by President Adalyn Barnes. Council Report was given by Nan Nicholson. The Devotional was from Matthew 22:37-39 given by Rose Cummings.

There will be Creative Parenting Program on April 16 from 9:30-12:00 at the Club Room.

Recommendations for 1979 were accepted by the club members as read.

The new score card was explained and discussed.

Happy Homes will have the mini program for February Council.

Nan Nicholson gave a program on 4-H and the projects that the 4-H'ers are doing.

Refreshments were served to Nan Nicholson, Wanda Reed, Nancy Ingle, Adalyn Barnes, and Joyce Byers by hostess Rose Cummings.

The next meeting will be in the home of Nan Nicholson on February 15.

Library Books from your Library

New books at the Library are: **Proteus** by Morris West. A heroic man's battle against terrorism.

Affairs of the Generals by Hans Hellmut Kirst. A novel of intrigue within the Third Reich.

Ballerina by Edward Stewart. A richly authentic novel of the ballet.

Bendigo Shafter by Louis L'Amour. A new pioneer tale set in the Indian Territory of the West.

Overload by Arthur Hailey. The author of *Airport* has written a new novel about crisis in the world of electric power production.

Lauren Bacall by Myself by Lauren Bacall. Autobiography of the famous star's life with Humphrey Bogart and after.

Heir to Kuragin by Constance Heaven. Romantic suspense in the Russian Caucasus.

Record Albums:
"Barbra Streisand's Greatest Hits, Vol. 2"
Crystal Gayle, "When I Dream"
Eric Clapton, "Backless"
Al Stewart, "Time Passages"
Also, several new classical recordings.

Boy Scout

Cub Scout Den #1 met Thursday, Jan. 25 in the home of Linda Beeson. The Flag Ceremonies were performed by Rodney Williams, Donnie Hamilton, and Carl Urban.

Rodney Williams completed 12 achievements which earned him a Wolf Badge. Lane Loomis completed 1 achievement, Kevin Nelson - 2 achievements, Alan Beeson - 1 achievement.

Judy Nelson, assistant leader, took the boys pictures which they decoupage on a plaque to take home.

The boys were reminded of the upcoming Father-Son Cake Bake and to have their cakes there by 7:00 p.m. for the judging.

The Den also had a skating party in Borger, Saturday, Jan. 27. The boys attending the party were Kevin Nelson, Alan Beeson, Mike Countiss, Timmy Yarbrough, Rodney Williams, Jeff Williamson, Carl Urban, Nick Wirsdorfer and Donnie Hamilton. They were accompanied by Jim and Linda Beeson and Kim, and Winnie Carol Urban and Christy.

Presbyterian Church News

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. with a friendly, warm teacher with a well prepared, interesting Bible lesson.

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Every Christian Is Called to Be an Evangelist" is the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday, February 4 at 11:00 a.m.

Spearman Ministerial Alliance will meet at the First Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, February 6 at 9:30 a.m. with Carter McKemy as host.

There will be a Major Mission Fund Training Session on Thursday, February 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Lubbock.

Like the love of God in the familiar hymn, the caring cell of the First Presbyterian Church has a "love that will not let me go."



When buying lamb chops remember that ribs chops are likely to be more tender than shoulder chops.



Engagement Announced

The engagement of Jeanne Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Celestine Thompson of Perryton and the late Mr. Lincoln Thompson, to Max E. Gunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gunn of Brownfield is being announced. The wedding is scheduled for 3 p.m. April 24th at the Church of Christ Chapel in Lubbock.

Mr. Gunn is employed by the Department of Public Safety at Lubbock, where they will make their home after the wedding.

Spearman

FFA Chili

Supper

Tues Nite

Feb. 6th

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Legal Notice

In accordance with Article 2544, Texas Revised Civil Statutes, the Commissioners Court of Hansford County will select an official depository for both County funds and certain School funds handled by the County for the biennium 1979-1981 at their regular meeting on February 12, 1979, 10:00 A.M. in the Deliberation Room in the Hansford County Courthouse, Spearman, Texas.

Roy/L. McClellan Hansford County Judge

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20-rtn

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

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MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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: Stand By Electric Generators. Call Charles D. Smith, Perryton. 435-3781. 95-rtn

Reduce safe & fast with GoBese capsules & E-Vap "water pills" Spearman Drug. 12-5tp

FOR SALE: 1973 Mercury, 2 door, low mileage. 659-3875. 12S-1tp

SACRIFICING 1976 Silver Pontiac Grand Prix. 2800 miles. Loaded. Call 733-2180. 12-2tc

FOR SALE: 44 square yards of yellowish gold shag carpeting. Good condition, one piece covers 15' x 17' \$75 for all of it, call 659-3972 after 4:00. 11-3tp

FOR SALE: 3 Bed Room Double Wide Mobile Home. 1 1/2 Bath. Utility Room. Call 659-3292. 8S-rtn

FOR SALE: 1975 Mazda Pickup, rotary, mag wheels, air, roll bar, stereo. Phone 733-2330. 11-8tp

FOR SALE: MINOLTA 101 copy Machine. Very Good Condition Contact Brock Insurance Agency 659-2514. 11S-4tc

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FOR SALE: Fisher silver glass pioneer skis 175CM. Tyrolia bindings. Size 6 % boots. Excellent condition and priced to sell. John's 659-3833. Call anytime. 12S-1tp

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Only 3 Residential Lots left. Extra deep. Excellent neighborhood. No flood problems. 1100 South Archer. All utilities in. Now is the time to buy. Sold separately or together. Call 659-3021 or write Box 522, Spearman. 12S-rtn

FOR SALE: 3 Bedroom Home, corner lot, workshop and storm cellar. Call 2795. 12S-4tc

FOR SALE: House in Gruver, 508 S. Cluck St., 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, big backyard. Call 405-338-3528, Guymon. 11S-2tc
11S-2tc
11S-2tc/only

FOR SALE: 6 lots zoned for mobilhomes, on paved streets, good location, south of Kenneth Street. Emmett R. Sanders, Realtor. 659-2516, night 659-2601. 11-rtn

HOUSE FOR SALE: Call 659-3696 after 3 p.m. Tuesday thru Friday, anytime, Sat., Sun., and Mon. 11S-4tc

FOR SALE: Brick 3 bedroom house with garage, central heat & air & storage, 1010 S. Barkley, call 659-2390. 10-6tc

FOR SALE: Small tract just west of Spearman, surface only, contains 31.7 acres. Call for details. Emmett R. Sanders, Realtor. 659-2516, night 659-2601. 11-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

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FOR RENT

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CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends of Pate and mine, I wish to say a special THANK YOU, for your kindness during his illness and death. The flowers, food, cards, visits and attention, meant a lot to us.

The nurses at the Hospital and Dr. Manese, were wonderful and Pate had the best of care.

Dinner at the church prepared by our local ladies, was delicious and was appreciated by Pate's and my family very much.

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Major pruning on shade trees should be done during the winter months while the trees are dormant. However, before you start whacking away at your favorite tree or shrub, make sure you have a justifiable reason for pruning, cautions Layton Barton, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Barton points out that there are a number of reasons for pruning. First and foremost is to maintain a strong framework for the future development of the tree. Other reasons are to reduce the size or to keep the tree within specific bounds and to remove dead, diseased or weak growth as well as broken limbs and rubbing branches. Another reason for pruning is to improve the size and quality of flowers and fruit. A final reason is to balance the top growth with the root system at transplanting time.

Unless pruning can be justified for one of these reasons, it is better to place the shears and saw in the shed and obtain the desired exercise by spading the flowerbed.

Some of the general principles that will apply when pruning shade trees include the removal of all dead or diseased wood, broken limbs and weak growth. Also, long, unsightly branches should be shortened or removed as they offer too much resistance to the wind and are frequently subject to storm damage.

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1-16-79

Schneider Wld.	15	5
Ideal	13	7
A-1 Aut.	12	8
Hansford Imp.	11	9
Baker & Taylor	10	10
Graves Wld.	9	11
Channel 6	6	14
North Plains	4	16

HIGH TEAM SERIES:

A-1 Automotive	2019
Hansford Imp.	1959
Schneider Welding	1956

HIGH TEAM GAME:

A-1 Automotive	735
Ideal	705
Schneider Welding	677

HIGH MEN'S SERIES:

Tommy Reger	708
Jim Mercer	535
Ken Schneider	535
Lynn Cook	531

HIGH WOMEN'S SERIES:

Shirley Greenwood	530
Rita Reed	515
Cindy Schneider	490

HIGH MEN'S GAME:

Tommy Reger	257
Tommy Reger	234
Tommy Reger	217

HIGH WOMEN'S GAME:

Rita Reed	198
Shirley Greenwood	189
Shirley Greenwood	181

TUESDAY NIGHT MIXED
1-23-79

Schneider Wld.	19	5
A-1 Aut.	15	9
Ideal	14	10
Baker & Taylor	13	11
Hansford Imp.	12	12
Graves Wld.	12	12
Channel 6	7	17
North Plains	4	20

HIGH TEAM SERIES:

A-1 Automotive	2093
Schneider Welding	1925
Ideal	1901

HIGH TEAM GAME:

A-1 Automotive	732
Ideal	732
Schneider Welding	663
A-1 Automotive	700

HIGH MEN'S SERIES:

Tommy Reger	574
Charles Elliott	547
Terry Graves	513

HIGH WOMEN'S SERIES:

Shirley Greenwood	567
Jewel McCalman	517
Rita Reed	512

HIGH MEN'S GAME:

Tommy Reger	243
Terry Graves	192
Tommy Reger	189

HIGH WOMEN'S GAME:

Shirley Greenwood	227
Diane Elliott	204
Jewel McCalman	183

TUESDAY NIGHT MIXED
1-30-79

Schneider Wld.	23	5
A-1 Automotive	19	9
Ideal	17	11
Baker & Taylor	14	14
Hansford Imp.	14	14
Graves Wld.	12	16
Channel 6	7	21
North Plains	6	22

X-rays were discovered by German physicist Wilhelm Conrad Roentgen in 1895.

HIGH TEAM SERIES:

A-1 Automotive	2010
Schneider Welding	1975
Channel 6	1909

HIGH TEAM GAME:

A-1 Automotive	715
Schneider Welding	689
A-1 Automotive	673

HIGH MEN'S SERIES:

Charles Elliott	624
Jim Mercer	526
John Holman	496

HIGH WOMEN'S SERIES:

Shirley Greenwood	584
Diane Elliott	527
Marsha Shaver	504

HIGH MEN'S GAME:

Charles Elliott	209
Charles Elliott	208
Charles Elliott	207

HIGH WOMEN'S GAME:

Shirley Greenwood	240
Diane Elliott	202
Marsha Shaver	186

Study Groups Met

The Marsha Key Study and Lilly Hunley Study Group met together Wednesday, Jan. 31 at the First Baptist Church. The ladies packed boxes of clothing, bedding and other necessities. These things will be taken to Brownsville for use in the River Ministry. A group of people from the church will be leaving this weekend to take these things and spend a week donating their time helping at the mission.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by all including guests Glen Hiller, Lowell Denman, Steve Baker and Russell Pogue.

Those members present were Mary Baker, Anita Anthony, Cleo Denman, Mabel Edwards, Altha Groves, Evelyn Hiller, Sada Hoskins, Addie Novak, Verna Jarvis, Alma Kizziar, Viola Hutton, Imogene Pogue, and Mary Ruth Connelly.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, Feb. 7 at the Church for a general meeting of the two groups.

Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Clifton Harbour, Jacklyn Archer, E.S. Riddle, Elvin Donoho, Kate Farris, Mike Skinner, Angela Bynum, Ellen Babbs, Ophelia Vela, Edna Briley, Cynthia Pierce, Lorie Perez, Vance Collier, Jessica Williams, Virginia Croley, Ruby Heath, L.A. Williams and Oliver Spears.

Dismissed were Ricky Dowdy, Virginia Sparks, Dennis Harnden, Harold Frost, W.W. Cypert, Cindy Dowdy, Daryol Keith, Josephine Schneider, Wayne Cook, Nancy Ivey, and Flossie Boyd.

'42 Club Meets

The '42' Club met in the George Jackson home for their January meeting. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kent Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oakes, and Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson. The next meeting will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin in February.

Bridge Club

The Tuesday Bridge Club met Tuesday, Jan. 30 in the home of Mary Brock. High was won by Charlotte Pearson, second high by Betty Jean Davis and Low by Mary Brock.

Guests attending were Charlotte Pearson, Verna Strawn and Gwen Smith. Those members present were Rosa Lee Butt, Gwen McLain, Kathleen Sutton, Betty Jean Davis, Estelle Jackson, Mary Brock, Joyce Lackey, Frances Cudd, and Lorene Kunselman.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Feb. 13 in the home of Rosa Lee Butt.

Couples Duplicate Bridge met for their monthly meeting in the Albert Baker Home Monday, Jan. 29. Those members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lasater and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sheets. The next meeting will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers, Monday, Feb. 26.

High was won by Bill and Verna Strawn.

Mrs. W. L. Russell was hostess for the Bid-A-Bit Bridge Club Thursday evening in her home.

Mrs. Russell had high score and Mrs. Verna Gail Keim had second high.

A delicious dinner was served to members, Mmes. R. E. Lee, Frank Hefner, Vi Whitson, Carrie Marie Berry, Faye Lynch, and guests Mmes. Thelma Scott and Verna Gail Keim.

Girl Scout News

Brownie Troop #99 met Monday, January 26 at the Scout Hut. The girls made Butterfly Note Holders out of construction paper, pipe cleaners, clothes pins and pom-poms. Those attending were Melissa Bullard, Julia Countiss, Jan Crawford, Sherry Hall, Vickye Hamilton, Misha Lesley, Beatrice Lozano, Kathy Vanlandingham, Patti Younger and leader Vicky Bullard. The next meeting will be Monday, Feb. 5 with Melissa Beck furnishing refreshments.

Brownie Troop # 129 met Thursday, Feb. 1 at the Scout Hut. The girls decorated the hut for Valentine's Day. Refreshments were served by Lori Bynum. Those present were Pam Ring, Pam Dean, Lori Bynum, Joy Kizziar, Lisa Love and leaders Carolyn Ring and Ruth Kizziar. There also to assist the leaders was Betty Love.

Brownie Troop #101 met Tuesday, Jan. 30 at the Scout Hut. The girls said their Promise and then sat on the floor and painted a Summer Mural. Those present were Lori Eaton, Gina Bartz, Angela Dennis, Rhonda Ross, Laura Umphrees, and leader Sandra Eaton.

CWF To Host Missionary

The CWF will host Mrs. Verla Sutton, a former missionary to China and an ordained minister Wednesday, Feb. 7 at the First Christian Church at 6:30 p.m. There will be a salad supper, and the missionary will then speak.

Visitors are invited to attend.

Lion's Like Librarian!

Spearman's charming Librarian, Rita Curtis told Spearman Lion's Club Members Tuesday that there are now 15,000 Volumes available for check out at the growing Spearman Library.

Last year, noted Ms. Curtis, 25,000 books were checked out. Other services were also provided, including tapes, records, films, and Art Reproductions. Another service is the Paper Back Book Exchange...a very popular area of service locally.

Lion's Club Pancake Patriarch Ray Ingle presented his initial report concerning last week's successful Pancake and Sausage supper. Ingle noted that Gross Proceeds to date had reached \$1000. Several Hundred area residents were treated to the Lion's Pancakes in spite of the inclement weather for the second consecutive year.

Who's our local weather prognosticator anyway? Are you sure he's a Lion???

Guests included Harley Cornelison, Robert McWhirter, Jeff Beedy, and Bobby Snider.

Lion Russell Pogue presided and reported on the recent District meet in Amarillo. A suggestion was presented for the Lion's to consider an annual Chamber presentation in keeping with Rotary's "Employee of the Year."

Ralph Blodgett Named Chairman

Mr. C. Ralph Blodgett was today named Chairman of a Bike-A-Thon in Spearman by Reuben D. Duke, President of the Lone Star Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

He will be conducting the Bike-A-Thon to raise funds which will support research and care for children affected by cystic fibrosis, severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis and other related lung-damaging diseases.

Cystic Fibrosis, an incurable genetic disease, is inherited by one in every 1500 babies born in the United States. Both parents carry the recessive gene for CF and number among one in twenty persons in the U.S. who may be carriers, usually without knowing it. With improved therapy and constant research, many CF patients are now living into early adulthood.

"Most people do not realize there are millions of children affected by lung-damaging diseases, and by participating in our Bike-A-Thon, you can help these children who can't take breathing for granted," said Mr. Duke.

Florida Trip Awaiting Scouts

A week of sailing and snorkeling in the warm, crystal-clear waters of the Florida Keys is awaiting young men and women in the Adobe Walls Council this summer.

A July 22, departure is scheduled from Amarillo Airport for a trip to the Boy Scout of America's Florida Gateway High Adventure Base, south of Miami, Florida. Return will be July 29.

Sixteen spaces are available on the trip. Members of the Adobe Walls contingent will board two 43-foot sailboats and spend six days exploring more than 100 miles of coral reefs, sunken wrecks and under-water formations. Included is fishing, snorkeling, night sailing, fresh seafood and plenty of sun and sea breezes. Those who take the trip will learn to sail and snorkel.

Members of the group will live aboard the 43-foot boats at sea and will be responsible for sailing them, under instruction.

For more information, call the Adobe Walls Council office at 669-6845 in Pampa. Deadline for signing up for the trip is March 1.

Even The Publisher's Got It!

It's going around whatever it is! And no one seems immune. Especially when a Newspaper Publisher comes down with it! Whatever it is, "Fu"...the bug "it" has hit quite a number of people across the area.

Medical officials say that quite a few patients at the Hospital apparently have "it".

School officials however report that absenteeism due to illness is running "close to normal" for this time of the year.

Maybe it only hits Publishers and people like that!

WEATHER

DATE	HI	LO	PREC.
1-26	36	21	.17
1-27	25	06	.12
1-28	28	02	
1-29	24	12	
1-30	24	02	
1-31	34	-1	
2-01	48	17	

Firettes Bake Sale Planned

FIRETTES BAKE SALE will be held February 14 at Thriftway from 9:00 a.m. until they are all sold. The cakes will be specially decorated for Valentine's Day. Anyone wishing to special order a cake for Valentine's Day call Roni Hutton, Vicky Bullard, or Kathy Slater.



MAINTENANCE PERSON
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Northern Natural Gas Company will take applications on Thursday, February 8, 1979, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 3:30 P.M. for regular full time maintenance person. Apply at the Sunray Office, 3 miles south of Sunray, Texas. Typical job duties are; assisting with overhauls of large internal combustion gas compressor engine, maintenance of vessels and towers, all phases of pipelines repair, and some rotating shift work relieving regular operating crew during vacations or illness, etc. Pre-employment test will be given for the maintenance person job on Friday, February 9, 1979 at 7 P.M. and Saturday, February 10, 1979 at 9:00 A.M. at the Spearman High School in Spearman, Texas for all persons that have completed an application. Northern Natural Gas Company is a major diversified energy company offering an attractive salary, and has an excellent benefit program. Equal opportunity employer.

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