Chamber banquet Saturday

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet will be held Saturday, Janaury 27. at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria. The Celebrate Singers. under the direction of Travis Angel, will start the evening off with some toe tapping music.

The Ambassadors and Kelly Harper, Miss Hansford County. will be on hand to help welcome our guests. Reverand Russell Pogue is the Master of Ceremonies with Reverand Ed Freeman bringing us the Invocation.

Award will be presented for: Employee of the Year, by Rotary. Ed Garner. President: Women of the Year, by Womens Division of the Chamber of Commerce. Emma Collins. President: Citizen of the Year. by the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, Francis Loftin, Recipeint of last years award.

The delicious steak will be cooked by volunteers, the rest of the meal by the cafeteria staff. The Spearman FHA girls and Directors were: Jim A. McLain, President, Gerald Heinrich, First Vice Pres., Jim Shirley, Second Vice pres..

Mike Garnett, Treasurer, Jerry Gee, Immediate Past Pres.. Eddie Martin, Diector. Dick Hudson, Driector, Grady Mc Cormick, Director, L.E. Thomas. Jr., Director, Kent Guthrie. Director, J.L. Brock. Director. George Young. Director. Pat Dear. Director. Mary Lou Wysong. Manager. Gina Mc-Lain. President WDCC. The 1979 Officers and Directors are: Gerald Heinrich. President. Jim Shirley, First Vice Pres., Dick Elbert, Second Vice Pres. Bobbie Novak, Treasurer, Jim A. McLain. Immediate Past Pres. L.E.L. Thomas. Jr. Director. Kim Brock, Director, Eddie Martin, Director, Dick Hudson, Director, Grady McCormack, Director, Mike Garnett, Director. Robert Elliott, Director, Mary Lou Wysong. Manager. Emma Collins, President

The main feature of the evening will be the guest speaker. Edward O. Daniel, a humorist with a message, from will serve. The 1978 Officers Arlington, Texas. Tere is a very entertaining evening lined up for you on Saturday January 27 and we sincerely hope you will join in the festivities with us.

Ouigoing Chamber Prexy Reflects

After completing a year as YMCA acquired the Veterans President of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, I am reviewing the year to see what has been accomplished. In February of 1978 we had a goal setting seminar. Top priority of the goals was to seek a new motel. This, we achieved and will be completed in April 1979.

An agriculture committee was formed which decided to continue working with the Hansford County Jr. Livestock Show helping the young men and women of Hansford County that did not have an animal in the sale. This committee raised \$4,330.00 at the stock show by selling shares in a goat for

An airport committee was formed and now our new airport is started and will be completed in 1981. The Senior Citizens committee formed in 1978 raised over \$17,000.00 for the senior citizens who now have a newly acquired building which is running in full swing. Our ber as you have in the past.

Building for the use of the new YMCA. The "Y" will be open for use in the srping of 1979. Our committee framework has involved more people than ever before. The chamber has been directly involved in bringing in several new businesses and helping form new business in Spearman. The Ambassadors Club was formed in 1978 for the purpose of helping existing businesses, recruiting new business and industry, and promoting goodwill for our chamber and community When I took office as Presi-

dent. I made the statement "This will be an eventfull year." and that it has been. I am proud to say that I was a part of a very successful year for our chamber and community.

There are many things that need to be done in our community. These projects take money to develope. I know you will continue to support the cham-

Chamber President's Message

Gerald Heinrich

I look forward to serving as President of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce for the year of 1979. I accept this position with both pride and humility. Pride, because I am proud of this community in which we live and will be proud to work towards making it an even better place in which to live. Humility, because of the realization that the chamber members had enough confidence in me, a relative new-

comer, to elect me to this important position.

It is my hope that during this year we can equal or exceed the fantastic improvements that we made last year and keep that momentum going.

The requirements to making things happen is work and I hope that we can all work together and make this great town, "Spearman". an even better place for all of us. Gerald Heinrich, President 1979

From Your Chamber Manager Mary Lou Www

Last year, immediately following our annual banquet, we invited the members and nonmembers to a meeting to find out what were the most important projects that the Chamber of Commerce could do to make Spearman a better place in which to live and do business. Without good leadership and

dedicated people, willing to

work and acheive what was set

before them, these goals could

not have been accomplished. I was asked to write a positive new article about the chamber by a representative from the Spearman Reporter. I do no believe I could write a negative article this year, because the chamber has achieved more of its goals than I can

I look back and think, "Is this

for real"? It makes you proud to live in a community where people care about people. Think for a minute about all the things that have been started, the new motel, the radio-thon that raised the money for the down payment on the Golden Spread Center, the agriculture committee that sold over \$4,000.00 in shares in a goat for the young people that did not have an animal to sell in the show, the land acquired for the new airport, and the largest grant the Texas Aviation Commission has ever given. These are only a few of the goals that have been reached by many people doing things for people so that Spearman might be a better place to live and do business. This is your Chamber of Commerce at work. Making things happen. Mary Lou Wysong, Manager

Dinner To Honor O.C. Holt

The Holt Home Demonstration Club is having a Pot Luck Holt School House Friday, Jan- Commissioner at the party. uary 26 at 6:30. Everyone is

************* The Spearman FFA will have a chili supper, at the Ir. Hi Cafeteria, Tuesday night, February 6, 5:00 to 7:00 p. m. The public is invited to attend the pre-game chili supper, and tickets are available from FFA members.

invited to attend. O.C. Holt will be honored for his many years of service as Hutchinson County

Woodrow Gibner Honored

Thirty two years ago Woody Gibner took on a voluntary assignment as treasurer of the local Hansford County Salvation Army Service Unit Fund Drive. Now, more than a quarter of a century later he has retired from the post. He was honored in special ceremonies held at First State Bank in Spearman on Monday. Mr. Gibner was presented with a plaque commemorating him for his long years of service. The plaque was presented by Dale Maret, Amarillo based Salvation Army Fund leader.

Mrs. Jo Ann Hawkins was named by the committee to replace Mr. Gibner as Fund Treasurer.



WOODROW GIBNER, receives plaque from DALE MARET.



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THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1979

Rotarians Hear Kidney Foundation Rep Record Amount



1. W. WAINWRIGHT, ESCHOL BLANKENSHIP, AND BILL JACKSON, gave the program at t e regular Rotary meeting last Monday. Mr. Wainwright has a kidney transplant, Mr. Escaol Blankenship is chairman of the Kidney foundation drive for this area, and t e program is headed up by Mr. Jackson.

Bill Jackson of the Kidney Foundation of the Texas Panhandle spoke at the Spearman Rotary Club on Monday noon at Martin's Steak Garden. It is one of 52 affiliates of the National

Kidney Foundation. It is a volunteer health organization representing 44 countries in Texas. Through research, public information, public education, professional education, organ donor program, community service and patient service, it is working to find the answer to kidney disease.

The ultimate goal and mission of the National Kidney Foundation is the eradciation of diseases of the kidney and urinary tract. Lay volunteers working in tandem with health professionals are seeking the answers to the prevention of kideny disease while at the same time ensuring that those who are now suffering from kidney disease are receiving the

finest possible care. Diseases of the kidneys remain a major cause of illness and death in the United States. As in the instance of other major diseases, a concerted effort by the government, the private sector, and lay medical volunteers is needed to ease its

More than 13 million Ameri-******* cans suffer from diseases of the

kidney and urinary tract. About 54,000 die each year because of kidney disease. More than 42 Americans suffer from chronic renal disease and need an artificial kidney machine to stay alive. More than 14,000 patients are waiting for a kidney transplant--but only 4,000 will re-

ceive one this year because of

a shortage of suitable organ

Kidney and urinary tract diseases continue to be one of the major causes of work loss among men and women. Approximately 10% of American out-pateint's visits result from kidney and urinary tract pro-

The statistics are dramatic. but not nearly as dramatic as watching someone being dialvzed on an artificial kidney machine or knowning someone who has literally been given the "Gift of Life" by receiving a

J.C. Wainright of Amarillo was introduced. Mr. Wainright had received a kidney transplant in April 1978 after being on an artificial kidney machine for one year. He explained that he began haivng kidney trouble in 1965. There is a computer list of people needing a kidney in Dallas, and when a kidney is donated, the computer picks the best match of blood and tissue

Transplantation is the accepted therapy for kidney failure. Over 500 patients would benefit from a kidney transplant in Texas now. More than 100 persons in the West Texas area are in need of a kidney transplant. Uniform Donor cards were passed out, and most of the Rotary Club members signed up as donors. Anyone eighteen years of age or older can donate their kidneys by filling out a donor card.

Every dialysis treatment cost \$150 each. Some people receive three such treatments a week. It costs people on an artificial kidney machine about \$150,000 a vear.

There are two sources of kidneys for transplants--living relatives and cadaveric nonrelatives. With many advances that science has made in blood testing, tissue typing, and organ preservation, kidneys can be successfully transplanted from non-relatives.

Eschol Blankenship will be the chairman of "Gift of Life" campaign in Spearman during the month of March.

Ed Garner showed a banner sent from the Pattaya, Thailand Rotary Club and a certificate of appreciation reading in deep appreciation to the Rotary Club of Spearman. Texas for your

by Father R. Brennan, C.SS.R. Guests Monday noon were Bill Jackson and J.C. Wainright of Amarillo, Terry Pittman of Canadian, and Mike Schnell of

generous assistance to me Pat-

taya Orphange. God bless you

December 23, 1978 and signed

your help. It was dated

Members present were Carrie Marie Berry, Eschol Blankenship, J.L. Brock, Roy Bulls, John R. Collard, Jr., Robert Elliott, Pete Fisher, Ed Freeman, Ed Garner, Kerry Henton. John Hutchison, Ed Limbocker Jim McLain, Jack McWhirter, Larry Murphy. Coy Palmer. Jim

lor, Don Wirsdorfer and Tim Members absent were Kim Brock. Archie Burress. E.J. Copeland, Junior Lusby, and

Shirley, Lenis Simpson, Gary

Sims, Vance Snider, Jerry Tay-

Frank Oglesby. Spearman Rotary Club has adopted a 100% goal of attendance for the month of Febraury. Members were cautioned not, under any circumstance to be the one to spoil the reaching that goal. Members who must be away on a Monday noon, have abundant opportunites to make up their attendance at another Rotary Club meeting in a neighboring town the same week that they have to miss at

A total of \$1,794.65 has been reached for the Hansford County Salvation Army Service Army Service Unit Fund Drive. a record, as announced by Johnny Lee. Service Unit Committee Chairman.

Funds collected in the drive will be used to pay for The Salvation Army's service to the underprivileged in Hansford County through the current fiscal year.

The committee, composed of business and civic leaders, car-

ries out a year-around program to help people with emergency needs. In the name of The Salvation Army whom it represents, the committee pays for food, lodgings, utilities and such basic necessities that families or individuals may require in a temporary crisis.

Members of the committee are: J.C. Lee, A. Alford, J.W. Gibner, C.A. Gibner, E.R. Sanders. Mrs. Dickie Allen, Mrs. Esie Mathews, R.L. McFarlin, A. Ellsworth, R.L. McClellan, Jo Ann Hawkins.

-pancake supper

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

Dick Elbert Boss Lion, will act as greeter for the pancake supper, and he has been instructed to be especially nice to all of the Ranger Fans who eat supper with the Lions Friday nite. January 26th. Lions members plans to contact Bones Simpson, and see if we could feed the Rangers plenty of pancakes just before the game, and possibly these tall boys couldn't jump quite so high. Lion James Cunningham will secure. sausage, pancake mix, syrup and butter for the supper. Doug Connelly will secure plates, cups and napkins. Sausage cooks for the evening, will be Oscar Donnell, and J.W. Gibner both professional sausage

cooks. Pancake cooks include

Lions Clay Gibner, Earl Good-

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

For information concerning tickets, contact Lions Eugene Yarbrough or S.J. Hall! Make plans now to attend the Lions Club pancake supper, January

26th, 1979, 5 to 7 p.m.

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Henry L. "Lou" Gallegly,

Gallegly said the Program

1979 Seal Coat Program--2

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Commissioners To Save \$2400.00 Annually! Fusion

Timely action this past Monday by Hansford County Commissioners Court will probably save County taxpayers around \$2400.00 annually.

Acting on a recommendation the Commissioners voted to instruct the County and District Court to present a lease agreement for reproduction equipment in the County clerk's Office.

Hansford County Judge R.L. McClellan said that the lease agreement will save the county approximately \$200.00, monthly in terms of expenses for the equipment. The current equipment in use was purchased in 1957 and according to the County Official in a costly and expensive item to maintain.

Program.

High Plain's bid of \$1,440,530, was the lowest of five received by the Commission, including Interstate, U.S. highways, and Farm and Ranch to Market Roads.

McKee said the seal coat--an additional asphalt surfacing material--improves riding comfort and safety and assists in guarding the road bed from moisture. The seal coats will be applied during the summer months of 1979, or weather permitting, some time between April 15 and September 1, 1979.

SDHPT Supervising Resident Engineer in Dalhart, will direct the seal coat work.

includes the following work:

Hansford--FM 760, from SH 51 to FM 759, 7.9 miles, \$40,660.

Hansford--FM 2349, from the Sherman County line 6.9 miles to FM 1262, \$37,065. Hansford--FM 759, from the

Pancake supper

GMAC To Celebrate 60th Anniversary

AMARILLO, TEXAS General Motors Acceptance Corporation will celebrate its 60th Anniversary on January 24, 1979. A pioneer in the field of financing cars and trucks "on time." GMAC conducts its operations from over 390 branch offices in the United States, Canada and

in 18 foreign countries. A wholly-owned subsidiary of General Motors Corporation, the company employs more than 11,6000 men and women who service nearly 18,000 General Motors automotive, TEREX, Diesel Allison and Frigidaire dealers. GMAC pre-

sently has over 51/2 million retial, lease financing and wholesale accounts outstanding totaling almost \$23 billion.

Mr. James W. Gidcumb, manager of the Amarillo, Texas GMAC office at 3501 So. Georgia stated that since its incep-'tion in 1919, GMAC has finan-

ced over 80 million cars and trucks for customers of General Motors dealers and over 130 million cars held by franchised

GM dealers in inventory The Amarillo, Texas branch has been a member of the business community here for more than 49 yeara nd currently

has 18 employes on its payroll.

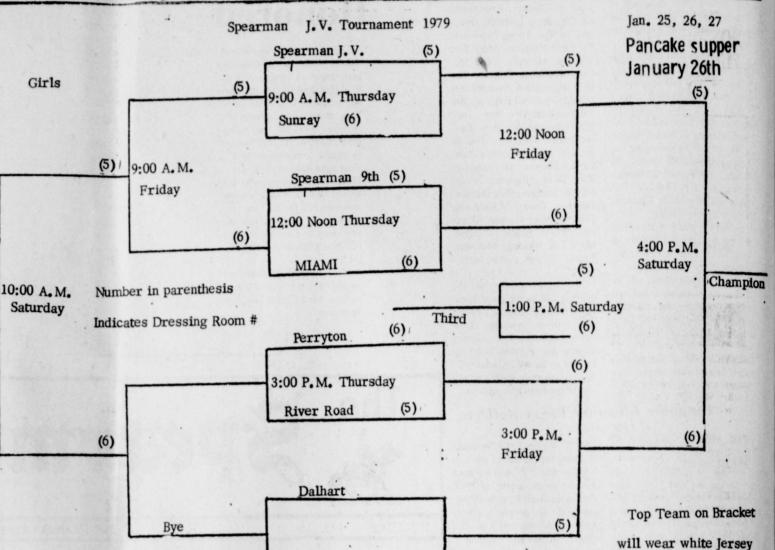
colored blouse cinched with a wide, stitched belt over a pencil slim black skirt It services 37 GM dealers and is responsible for over \$39 million of retail and wholesale receiva-

bles outstanding.

sed in many spring and summer outfits. An attractive two-

piece costume is shown in cot-

ton poplin with a full, putty-



The annual Spearman J. V. basketball tournament will get under way this Thursday, and the tourney will feature some of the top basketball teams in the Panhandle area. Both boys and girls team in the above bracket will be here for the week-end tournament, which will begin on Thursday. A special feature of the tournament, will be the Lions Club pancake supper, Friday night, January 26th!

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All persons having claims against said estate now being administered are hereby required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED January 22, 1979.

WILMA SPEARMAN FRANCIS, Executrix

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facilities at the Spearman Senior High School are just about complete. A tour of the \$100,000.00 addition this week by the Reporter staff and comments by School Superintendent James Cunningham suggests that students and faculty will be utilising the additional quarters within several weeks.

The new rooms will provide approximately 4200 square feet of additional space for the choir and for art students.

The choir facilities are treated with functional accoustical materials providing the local Senior High School with one of the finest choir practice rooms available anywhere. A new Baby Grand Baldwin piano and a new upright Baldwin will serve as a complement to the new addi-

The new art facilities will be put into complete use hopefully when a new art teacher is secured possibly for the last quarter of the school year.

The school Board and administration can be justifabley proud as they provide such outstanding facilities keeping pace with progressand growth.

BOND DISCONTINUED

Treasury has announced plans to replace the Series E bond, first issued in 1941 and sold to the smallest investors, with a Series EE bond in denominations ranging from \$50 to \$10,000. The face amounts of Series E bonds range between \$25 and \$100,000

ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. Who won the Bob Hope Classic?

2. Who won the Grand Prix Masters tennis tournament? 3. Roger Stauback quarterbacks for what team?

4. Who quarterbacks for the Pittsburgh Steelers? 5. Dave Cowens is playercoach for what pro basketball

Answers to Sports Quiz

John Mahaffey. 2. John McEnroe over Arthur

- Dallas Cowboys.
- 4. Terry Bradshaw. Boston Celtics.

AUSTIN -- Governor William Reporting Service; Dr. Wilson

P. Clements and Californiabased tax reformer, Howard Jarvis, are among speakers scheduled for the Texas Farm Bureau's state-wide leadership conference Jan. 31-Feb. 2 at the Austin Hilton.

Invited to attend are county Farm Bureau presidents, and members of Young Farmer & Rancer. Commodity, and State Affairs committees. About 600 persons are expected.

Other speakers include TFB President Carrol Chaloupka. House Speaker Bill Clayton, TFB Executive Director Warren Newberry, and E.B. Harris, president emeritus of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, as well as commodity experts in agriculture, government and

private business. The conference begins at 1 p.m., Jan. 31. County presidents, young farmers and ranchers, and commodity leaders will meet in separate and joint sessions on the first day of the conference. The State Affairs. or legislative, conference will be held on the afternoon and evening of Feb. 1, and will

conclude at noon on Feb. 2. Chaloupka will open the conference with a talk on Jan. 31. Harris will be dinner speaker that evening. Jarvis will address the group luncheon on Feb. 1. Governor Clements will speak at the legislavtive dinner that evening. House Speaker Clayton will speak on the finai morning of the conference. Newberry will give the conference wrap-up just prior to adjournment at noon that day.

County commodity committees represented at the conference will hold separate meetigs for the seven commodity divisions in the TFB: beef. cotton. diary, citrus, rice, peanuts, and

Commodity conference speakers include Hollis Hatfield. John Hoseman. Bruce Hawley, all of the American Farm Bureau Federation staff: Mike Wallace. McAllen. executive vice president. Texas Citrus Mutual; Wilbert H. Walther. Austin, statistician in charge of the Texas Crop and Livestock

Farm Bureau Conference Planned

Boaz, Laredo, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Dr. Sam Winkelman, Austin, staff veterinarian of the Texas Animal Health Commission; and Don Watson. College Station, Agriclural Stabilization and Conservation Ser-

County Farm Bureau State Affairs Committee members will go to the Capitol on the afternoon of Feb. 1 to meet with their respective legislators. The legislators have been invited to the legislative dinner Feb. 1.

Background on key legislative issues will be covered at the conference by Pat Smith, director of TFB's State Affairs; and Bill Bownds, assistant director. The top legislative goal for

the TFB this year is passage of enabling legislation for implementing agricultural land tax

The \$25 series E bond to be discontinued.

Iran's prime minister reportedly fears coup danger.

F-15 jet "fly-in" to show U.S. Saudi support.

Oil workers reject pact offer, postpone strike.

Roth, Kemp plan new tax

U.S. ships enter Black Sea "show the flag."

German research links some beer to cancer.

Texas Leads Nation In Revenue From Leases

State Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong said today a state lands, and \$8 million for survey of states which receive oil and gas rentals of state income from lease of state leads shows Texas led the nation last year with almost \$400 million in oil and gas royalties, bonuses and rentals.

Armstrong, as chairman of a Western States Land Commissioners committee on fair return for use of public lands, prepared the survey for presentation at a meeting of the commissioners tomorrow in Reno, Nev.

Texas received \$261 million in oil and gas royalties from as 1973," Armstrong said. production on state-owed lands last year, \$6 million in other mineral royalities, \$93 million in

companies to obtain leases on lands.

Other states with major revenues from oil and gas production on state lands were Alaska, with \$180 million in roylalty. rental and bonus imcome; California, with \$97 million; and Louisiana, \$201 million.

"Our royalty income in Texas has more than quadrupled in the last five years, while royalty income in California and Louisiana is at about the same figure rain!

"This is a reflection not only of the increased oil and natural gas exploration in Texas and bonuses paid by oil and gas incrasing gas procies, but also

of our decision to raise our state royalty from 16 3/3 per cent to 20 per cent to make certain our state education system benefitted fully from the increased industry profits.

'These 1978 revenues to the Permanent School Fund boosted the total for the endowment to \$1.9 billion, and we expect to hit the \$2 billion mark next month. Income from the Fund, which last fiscal year totaled \$109 million, accounts for about 4 per cent of the state's cost of the public school system."

No Rain

An Indian had attended services one Sunday morning. The sermon had been very loud in spots and the Indian, though a good Christian, was not greatly impressed.

Later, when asked how he had liked the sermon, he said: "High wind, Big thunder, No

Retail sales show slight December gain.

ON FACTORY ORDERS

New orders received by the nation's factories rose a weat 0.3 percent in November, the government reported. It is an indication that business confidence in the economy's ability to expand may be eroding.

SCHLESINGER ON OIL

Energy Secretary James R. Schlesinger has urged Americans to head off the threat of shortages by reducing oil consumption until production in Iran resumes. He said there is no immediate supply prob-

BILINGUAL EDUCATION

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare's Office of Education has announced 149 awards totaling \$16 million to colleges and universities for the support of two types of bilingual education training programs.

Committee women resign over Abzug firing.

U.S. approves sale of lower-priced drugs.

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Hightower Chairman Of Texas Democrats

(Washington, D.C.) Congressman Jack Hightower of the 13th Congressional District has been elected the Chairman of the Texas Democratic Delegatin for the 96th Congress.

"Although. Texas has lost a sizeable amount of seniority with the retiring of George Mahon, Bob Poage. Olin Teague. Omar Burleson, and others, we have gained new members who are agressive and innovative in their ways, and they too are dedicated to serving the best interests of Texas. We will be a force to be reckoned with." Hightower said after this election.

"The stronghold of Texans. with its 20 Democratic members. meets weekly in a regular forum to discuss pending legislation that is of importance to each member's district and to the state as a whole. Collectively members of the Texas delegation serve on every major committee in the U.S. Congress and are considered to be one of

the most effective and cohesive delegations in the Congress. I am gratified to have been chosen to lead them," Congres-

Hightower, who serves a 33 county area of Texas, is fresh from another major appointment, being named to fill the traditionally Texas seat on the House Appropriations Committee vacated by retiring Congresmsman George Mahon of Lub-

JOBLESS RATE UP

The jobless rate edged up for the first time in five months in December, but 1978 showed strong employment gains, the Labor Department said.

INFLATION FIGHTER

Urban leaders were displeased when inflation fighter Alfred E. Kahn told them the country cannot afford now to reduce unemployment and rebuild the cities.

Rep. Close Receives sman Hightower said. **Appointments**

> AUSTIN--State Rep. Bob Close (R) of Perryton has been Constitutional Amendments Committee and has also been Natural Resources committees cture and procedures of a by House Speaker Bill Clayton. concention for the revision of

would serve in these capacities during the next two year of the 66th Legislature. term in the House. Last session.

sources and Constitutional Amendments committees. res proposing amendments to or calendar in accordance with

revisons of the Texas Constitution and ratification of pending named as Vice-Chairman of the amendments of the Constitution of the United States. This committee also has jurisdiction appointed to serve on the Local over measures proposing to and Consent Calendars and establish the organization, stru-

The nine-member Local And Consent Calendars Committee has jurisdiction in determining Rep. Close, an attorney by whether or not bills are in fact profession, is serving his 3rd local or, in the opinion of the committee, will be uncontested. he served on the Natural Re- This committee shall make up the calendar for periods designated by the house for the The nine-member Constitu- consideration of local and untional Amendments Committee contested bills, placing bills on has jurisdiction over all measu- second and third reading on htis

their readings and numbers.

The eleven-member Natural Resources Committee has jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to the conservation of the natural resources in Texas, irrigation, the development and preservation of forests, and the regulation of the lumber industry. The committee has jurisdiction over the Department of Water Resources and the creation, modification and regulation of water supply district.

ON WAGE INCREASES

President Carter has decided not to ask Congress to postpone scheduled increases in the minimum wage in 1980 and 1981, administration officials said.

CONSUMERS BORROWING

Consumers borrowed money at near-record levels in November as they used credit cards instead of cash for pre-Christmas purchases, the Federal Reserve reports.



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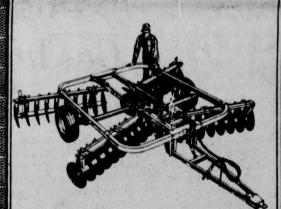
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Scenes like this may become somewhat numerous in the next several weeks as Spearman City work crews repair broken water mains. The mains, in many cases have frozen as a result of the protracted cold spell. The thawing process sometimes results in a break.

Committee Members Named

Hansford County Commis sioners have named a County Historical Survey Committee. Those renamed as well as the new members are as follows. Helen Boyd, Nell Evans, Fred Groves, Clemintine Renner, Ruth Shaver, S.J. Hall, Juanita Pierce, Johnnie Lee, John Hut-

Frances Kilgore, Lois Shieldknight, Dixie Tracey, Helen Etter, Jack Oakes, Joyce Lackey. Jenny Blankenship, Ruth Gumfory, Melba Rasor, Mrs. Tom Dorth, Mrs. H.B. Parks, Christine Brandvik, Eva Lee Barkley, Freeman Barkley, Honorary Members: Gertie Archer Gid Nobles.

Positive Proof The most impressive testimony for tolerance is a golden wedding an-

niversary. -Times, Marshalltown, la.

Local Tractors In Carter County!

Local units of the National American Agricultural Movement tractorcade are in Carter County and have joined forces with members of the Georgia State Contingent in Atlanta Georgia.

The "Route2" group which "tractorbarked" from Amarillo January 15th have been joined by numerous American Agriclture Supporeters from S.E. Missouri. The two groups from the Midwest hooked up at Memphis Monday night and then set off for Atlanta on

Godfrey, Chalmers Porter and the other members of the Hansford County group say all is well and that part from weather problems no serious impediments have occurred. The group says it is looking forward eargerly to a Grand March on Washington the weekend of the Second of

Some 175 Tractors are int he group representing Texas and Missiouri... part of the 450 vehicle brigade from the Mid-

History Book Meeting Well Attended

The History Book meeting was held at B & B Farm Industries' Hospitality Room, in Spearman, Friday. A committee was gathered to copy addresses at the Court House. If you are interested in helping, please

A Logo, drawn by Mrs. Nolan Holt, was chosen by the committee. The logo will be on the outside of the envelopes and on the letterhead. A letter will be sent out inviting anyone who has ever lived in Hansford County to submit a story. There will also be a description of how the stories should be written and each household will be allowed 500 free words. A complete description of the

book was given by Fred Groves. A large turnout was gladly received by the committee.

Those attending were Mmes. Irvin Boyd, Harry Stumpf, Dee Allen, Dick Kilgore, Bruce Reardon, Tom Sutton, Fred Hoskins, H.M. Shedeck, Gary Evans, W.L. Maupin, Ed Vernon, H.L. Boyd, Ray Brandvik, N.F. Renner, Nolan Holt, Willis Randall, J.L. Pierce, Ray Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. J.L.

Denman, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris, Ruby Saltness, Allen Pierce, S.J. Hall, Jennie Blankenship and Fred Groves.

The next meeting will be held Friday, Jan. 26 in Gruver at the Golden Age Center (the old Veteran building). at 2:00 p.m. All interested persons are urged to attend. The committee is eager to get the Book started and needs plenty of support and assistance of the community.



Leave it to the boys! Little 6 pound two and one half ounce Jerry Rincon captured the Hansford Hospital "First Baby of the Year" honors! The infant son of Fredda and Rosalinda Rincon of Morse saw the light of day at 3;35 P.M. January 17. Dr. Mario Manese was the attending obstretician.

Water Mains React To Weather

Spearman City Manager Lenis Simpson commented today that a number of streets would requrie permanent repair following the recent surge of broken water mains.

An un vally large number of water mains have broken due to Official noted that he anticipaed delayed. any serious water problem for the ruling would be made by the damage that occured to modiffied downwards. streets as a result of the digging

Gas Increase Ruling Delayed

weather sustained in Spearman sion had advised Spearman city in January. As quick as City manager Lenis Simpson that the crews are able to repair one ruling concering a petition from broken main caused by the High Plains Natural Gas asking thawing of the pipes, another for an increase in rates amountseems to give way. The City ing to around 26% has been

a considerable amount more to Earlier, Simpson and City break... but did not contemplate officials had been advised that any customer. He added that January 18th. No apparent reathe mains were constructed in son was given for the delay but such a way that water could be apparently there is still a glimdiverted into other pipes to mer of hope for Spearman Gas fulfill city water needs. The customers that the rate increase main concern said Simpson was requested will be somewhat

The Commission told the City required to reach the damaged official locally "to expect a decision in the near future."

the persistent below freezing The Texas Railroad Commisweather sustained in Spearman sion had advised Spearman city

Gas customers will see a 5 cent per thousand cubic foot increase tacked on to their next gas bills. City council members approved the hike in a December meeting anticipating some upward in-

> Favorite "Hymn" Teacher asked all the childdren to write down the name of their favorite hymn.

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Come on, Mary, write it down," coaxed the teacher.

crease early in Janaury.

little Mary. So little Mary blushingly vrote. "Johnny Brown."

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North Plains Electric plans major construction program

North Plains Electric Cooperatie. Inc. Friday announced its intentions to undertake a major construction program which carries a price tag of \$5.97 some 26 miles of transmission launch the project. line in Ochiltree County and Hansford County.

the purpose of the project is three-fold. First, the assoicated distribution line will provide service for anticipated growth in the area. Secondly, it will the increased usage that customers demand. Thirdly, the

Beware Of Ice Ponds

As winter's cold forms a layer usually very thin," Proctor conof ice on ponds and lakes, tinued. children are filled with visions of their northern and western neighbors enjoying winter sports. The novelty of ice, because ice conditions are alhowever, lures many youngers to their death.

"Ponds around here seldom freeze thick enough to support the weight of even small children," Warren Proctor, district the sun, refreezing after thaw- tailwater pits in Hansford Couconservationist with the USDA ing wind, and changing water nty located near roads that Soil Conservation Service (SCS) levels under the ice. in Spearman, said.

The most dangerous ponds, curb the natural curiosity in he stressed, are those that children, Proctor suggested that freeze fairly thick in areas around the edges.

"Usually the down-wind edge of the pond will freeze first, and the ice may support a large person for several feet from the taught rescue techniques. edge in that area. But, over deeper water and on the upwind side of the pond, the ice is device attached to a long rope

North Plains Electric board of directors approved to submit a loan application to the REA. Initallially, the cooperative will million. The project includes use its own general funds to

Construction is covered in a another 57 miles in adjoining two-year work plan that begins this year and runs through Vesta Orr. manager of North 1980. First work to be done, Plains Electric, explained that while the cooperative waits on REA approval of the loan, will be engineering surveys and line

Twelve miles of 115 kv transmission line and 14 miles of 69 provide for existing service and kv line is in the offering in Ochiltree County Another 29 miles of 69 kv and 28 miles of new project will improve service 115 kv transmission line will be laid in the Hansford County.

There is no really safe ice

thickness for skating, according

to the National Saftey Council,

ways changing. For example,

support more weight than four

inches of "old ice" that had

children be made aware of the

dangers of thin ice. He has

warning posters available free

"Some pond owners keep

a life ring or other floatation

of charge for this purpose.

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Realizing how hard it is to over.

Also, children should be Corn

four inches of new ice can plywood to distribute your

been subjected to the effects of gently." There are numerous

Wheat

Soybeans

substation are planned in Ochi-Itree County near Buler and Farnsworth, respectively. Another substation is planned for relocation near Spearman.

North Plains Electric anticipates that the 191 miles of associated distribution line will provide service to an additional 512 new consumers. Presently. the cooperative serves from 4,200 to 4,500 customers systemwide. Of the 512 new customers, Orr said that 15 to 18 per cent will be in Ochiltree County.

The transmission line will conform to REA specifications and will consist of single pole structures carrying three energized wires and one grounded static and is simsilar to existing

said. "If you must go onto the

ice to help a drowning person,

be sure to use a large board,

ladder, or pole, or sheet of

weight. If none is available, lie

prone on the ice and slide

could be hazardous if frozen

MARKETS

\$3.06

3.65

2.45

approved and preliminary work is complete, the cooperative will be taking bids from general

FAMOUS SMILE ... Farrah Fawcett-Majors displays her dazzling good ooks in "Somebody Killed Her looks in "Somebody Killed Her Husband." The Columbia Pictures release, which co-stars Jeff Bridges handy at the pond. A long pole can also be used to rescue



BEARDED BRIDGES ... Jeff Bridges is a toy salesman, who falls head-over-heels for Farrah Fawcett-Majors, in the entertaining mystery. "Somebody Killed Her Husband." Set in midtown Yew York, where a cunning killer is

Once the REA loan funding is constructors.



and marks Farrah's starring motion picture debyt, opens the Theatre. victims of broken ice," Proctor

on the loose, the Columbia Pictures release opens _____ at the _____ Theatre.

Editor Blasts American Ag.

Calls Members "Lunatic Fringe"

In an editorial in the Canadian Record Janaury 18th, The . newspaper refers to members of the American Agriclture movement and participants in the Washington Tractorcade as being on the "Luna-

tic Fringe". Members of the Hansford County group told the Reporter, Plainsman and Statesman that they were sending the

editor in Canadian a reply citing the accomplishments on the part of American Agriculture during it's first year of operation. Here is their reply!

1. The American Agriculture Movement has wholly or in part been responsible for these changes in agriculture:

Raised the price of wheat from approximately \$1.90 to \$3.00 per bushel.

3. Brought to the attention of the USDA the fact that imported meat was being used in the school lunch program; subsequently it has been withdrawn.

4. The change in the target price on wheat from \$2.90 to \$3.40 is a direct result of A.A.M. action (\$.50 x 117,500, 000 bushels equals \$85,750,000 in Texas alone). The change in target price on wheat (.50 cents per bushel) yielded each Hansford County farm an average of \$2292.00.

5. Is making the consumer realize the gravity of the situation in agriculture.

6. A.A.M. by educating the consumer on the financial situation of the American rancher and drawing attention to beef imports at both national borders, has prevented a boycott on meat by the American con-

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Has exposed the fact that chemically contaminated produce is imported with misleading labeling, indicating it could have been grown domestically.

8. Is involved in exposing President Carter and his Administration as promoting a Cheap Food Policy. Example - the grain reserve will be used to lower grain prices as he has used the meat imports to lower livestock prices.

9. Caused the investigation by government and other officials into foreign purchase of American farm land.

10. Caused Secretary of Agriculture Bergland to reconsider and make milo deficiency payments; increase farm storage payments from twenty cents to twenty-five per bushel; and to extend haying and grazing to

11. Emergency farm credit bill 12. Politicians taking stands on

agriculture

Caused existing farm groups to be more responsive, demonstrated that an individual still has a voice in government, increased awareness by everyone

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Pungent' Asked for a one-word definition of Edgar Allen Poe, a student promptly volunteered: "Dead." -Tri Supply, Philadelphia.

Bang' Reputation is a large bubble which burst when you try to blow it up your-

-Globe, Atchison, Kan.

Annual Chamber Banquet

The Spearman Chamber of award presented on January Commerce annual banquet will 27th at the annual membership be held, Saturday, January 27, Banquet of the Spearman 1979 in the Spearman High Chamber of Commerce. Nomin-School Cafeteria at 7:30 P.M. ations are to be submitted to the

Director of Community Rela- Forms are available in this tions for the Fort Worth office of Newspaper or the Chamber of Bache, Halsey, Stewart, Inc., a Commerce office. brokerage firm. Mr. Daniel is a The Spearman award goes former Professor of History at back to 1961 when the award Texas A & M and Howard that year was won by Mrs. R.B. Payne. He is a feature speaker Archer Jr., Last year's award for Associated Clubs of America was won by Spearman Alderand comes to us highly recom- person Frances Loftin. mended. He is a humerour The Chamber said that indivispeaker with a message, but duals who are nominated should you will have to sift around to have displayed involvement in find it while laughing.

next week for \$7.50 each so call rion would be unselfish sharing the chamber office and make of one's time and capabilities your reservation today.

Spearman's Citizen of the year will be named and the

The Speaker for the evening Spearman Chamber of Comis Mr. Edward O. Daniel of merce in Writing or Via the Arlington, Texas. Mr. Daniel is proper form by January 22nd.

activities outside of their parti-The tickets will go on sale cular employment. One critefor the betterment of the community. Other criteria include "friend to those in need...concer for one's fellow persons,

Leukemia Victim

Paul Henry Renteria, 4 year old son of Jessie & Esmerelda (Nava) Renteria, was found to have leukemia in early December. He is being taken to Lubbock three times a week for chemotherapy.

Fund Set Up

A fund has been set up at the First State Bank to help the family with the expenses. Donations may also be made at Gruver Drug.

The surest way to enjoy life is to provide your own security by saving a little every month.

The scope of a man's mind is accurately indicated by the type of honor that he cherishes.

Hospital News

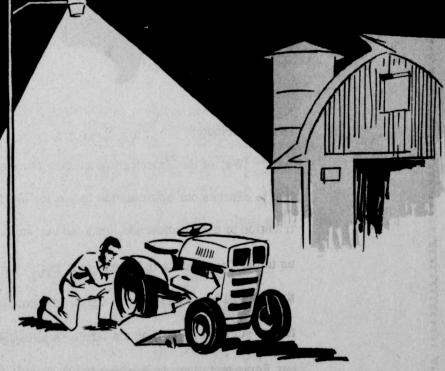
Patients in Hansford Hospital are Kaylee Shook, Cecelia Randall, Margaret Shedeck, Earla Spencer, Irma Galvan and daughter, Frank Martinez, Jr., Kim Venneman, W.W. Cypert, Jim Strawn, JoDell Tigrett and daughter. Yvette Monk and Onieta Stewart.

Dismissed were B.J. Grayson, Mike Asbill, Robert Wright, Wilma Lackey, Chris Hiller, Lela Apple, Amy Tucker, Pearl Shapley, Joyce Connelly, Marvis Collins, Mildred Daily, Rosalinda Rincon and baby boy, Caroline Murphy. Linda Barrera, Aniceto Anchondo, Shelly Hinton, Debbie Schmeher, Pat McQuiary, W.W. Weaver, Billy Joe Lee, Amada Hiller and Lori Deakin.

It never occurs to some that others have sense enough to manage their own affairs.



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Engagement Announced Chairpersons For Mental



Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamelton of Spearman announce the engagement of their daughter Cynthia La Vonne to Ronny Burrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Burrell of Canadian.

The couple plan a March 17th wedding in the First Christian Church of Spearman.

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expect from one another, and

when to expect it. God and

members of the church love

each one just as they are.

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gregational meeting.

Presbyterian Church News

Presbyterian Men will have their monthly prayer breakfast on Thrusday, January 25 at 6:30

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. How much do you understand of the Bible? Our Sunday Church School classes are a golden opportunity to really get a good understanding of God's Word.

"Jesus Heals" is the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday, January 28 at 11:00 a.m.

Following the morning church worship service there will be a congregational meeting to receive the reports of the officers and organizations of the

Health Needed Chairpersons for the May drive for mental health will be recruited around the state during the next two months. The drive will benefit the programs of the Mental Health Associa-

The Mental Health Association in Texas is a voluntary citizens' organization dedicated to promoting mental health while working on behalf of the mentally ill and their fami-

Because emotionally distrubed persons cannot speak for

Arts & Crafts **Guild News**

The Arts and Crafts Guild met in the home of Mrs. W.L. Russell, Friday, January 19. Those attending were Mrs. Nolan Holt, Mrs. Guy Fuller, Mrs. P.A. Lyon, Sr., Mrs. W.H. White Deer. Gandy, Mrs. Ned Turner, Deta Blodgett, Mrs. F.J. Hoskins, Mrs. Joe Trayler, and Mrs. Garrett Allen, and hostess Mrs. W.L. Russell. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Joe Trayler, Friday January 26th.

Square Dance Club News

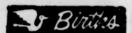
The Spearman Spinners Square Dance Club met Thursday. January 18th at the county barn. They had two square for dancing with Paul Lopez calling. Hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Nollner and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lopez. The next dance will be Thursday, February 1st at the county barn

Spearman Spinners are beginning square dance lessons Fri. Jan. 26th at 8:00 P.M. at the County Barn. Paul Lopez will be the instructor. Anyone interested in taking lesson's is urged to be present.

For more information call 659-3526 or 659-2840.

themselves, the Association serves as their advocate. Members monitor existing mental health services and seek needed services. Children's and community services are the Association's highest priorities.

Since the organization is nongovernmental, its entire support must come from contributions, such as those collected in the May drive.



Mr. and Mrs. Mike Short (the former Linda Reneau of Spearman) of White Deer are the proud parents of a baby boy born Jan. 7. He weighed 7 lbs. 15 oz. and was 22 inches long at birth. He has been named James Michael.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Selma Reneau of Spearman and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Short of

Hansford Shrine Club Met

The Hansford Shrine Club met Thursday evening, January 18 at Clay Gibner's ranch. Mr. Gibner and Jim Shirley hosted the meeting and dinner with Loyall Turner and John D. Sutterfield doing the cooking.

The business included election of officers which included President-Jim Shirley, Vice President- John D. Sutterfield and Secretary- Ceril Batton. Installation of these officers by Past President, Noble Pope Gibner. followed.

An enjoyable evening was had by all with good fellowship. delicious food and great hosts. There wer 23 Nobles from Spearman and Gruver and a visitor, Ray Etter from India Temple in Oklahoma City atten-

A called meeting is scheduled for 3:00 p.m., Sunday, Janaury 28th at the Khiva Temple in Amarillo for installation of all Khiva Temple officers and



Jamie's Jabber

by Jamie Casdorph

I bet you all have been wondering where my column has been here lately. Well, you know how once a year you have to take this thing called Inventory? I bet you have guessed it now; I've been busy for the past week taking Inventory here at the Reporter. I never knew or guessed it would take so long! At least I'm finished for a year! Not much has happened during the week I didn't write, so maybe you didn't miss too much! (I think I'm the only one who missed it).

I went browsing in Beedy's the other day with my mother, I think I should have staved in the car I found too many things that I wanted! They have some of

the prettiest furniture. They had a bedroom set that I wanted so bad! It's the antique style with the crystal glass pulls on the drawsand the big round mirror on the dresser! They also had matching marble top night stands it was really nice! I wish I was rich and had a nice house to put that furniture in. They had some gorgeous livng room sets, also. My taste is too expensive for my budget so I'm not going to try to describe anymore furniture (makes me want it worse).

Girl Scout News

First year Brownies met at the Brownie Hut, Thursday, January 18. The girls worked on getting their badges. Refreshments were served by Cindy Elliott to Tricia Shedeck, Lori Bynum, Joy Kizziar, Pam Ring, Pam Dean, and leaders Carolyn Ring and Ruth Kizziar. The next meeting will be at the Brownie Hut Thursday, January 25th with Pam Dean furnishing refreshments.

Girls Scouts Troop #42 met Friday Janaury 19th at the Grils Scout Hut. THe girls worked on their Active Citizen Badges. Shelia Brand served refreshmens to Angela Gaither, Mary Ann Evans, Kathy Love and Georgia Gaither.

The next meeting will be at the Girl Scout Hut Friday, January 26. The Troop has invited the 3rd grade Girl Scouts to the meeting which will be an International Tasting Tea including foods from different countries and a skit performance. Mary Evans will furnish refreshments.

Bridge Clubs

The Grand Slam Bridge Club met Thursday, January 18th in the home of Linda Blackman for lunch and their monthly bridge game. Those attending were Joy McCormack, Ann Flowers, Linda Blackman, Mary Ann Lasater, Linda Venneman and guests Gwen McLain, Gwen Smith, Lorene Kunselman and Karen Reimer. High was won by Gwen Smith, second high by Ann Flowers, and traveling by Linda Vennaman. The next meeting will be Thursday, February 15th in the home of Irene Baker.

The Blue Monday Bridge Club met Monday Janaury 22. The meeting, hosted by Gwenfred Lackey, included a luncheon at Martin's Steak Garden and bridge in her home. Those attending were Mmes. Bill Gandy, Bill Sietz, Deta Blodgett, Vester Hill, Sam Graves, Major Lackey, Gwenfred Lackey and

guest Bill Whitson. Ns. Major Lackey won higha r second high was won by Mt. Gwenfred Lackey.

The next meeting will be hosted by Mrs. Bil Seitz, Monday, February 5th.

Kizziar Infents Services Held

Graveside services for Laura May and Michelle Lynn Kizziar, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kizziar of Spearman were held at 3 p.m. Monday at Hansford Cemetery with the Rev. Archie Burress, pastor of Union Church officiating.

The infants were stillborn Saturday at Highland General Hospital in Pampa.

They are survived by their parents, their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kizziar, Jr. of Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fonner of Mattoon, Ill.; three great-grandmothers, Mrs. Alma Kizziar and Mrs. Cora Nichols, both of Spearman, and Mrs. Velma Fonner of Villa Grover, Ill.; and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Dell of Mattoon, Ill.

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We, of the American Ariculture Movement, would like to express our appreciation to you for making the contribution to the Tractorcade Fund, so our men can represent us in the Tractorcade to Washington, D.C. We are hopeful that we will be able to tell the nation our story of concern for its survival as well as the farmer's situation, and that our Representatives in Washington, D.C. will see fit to make it possible for the agricultural man to realize a margin for his commodity (at the market place, not by government subsidies) large enough so he may operate as any other business.

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Canyon, Texas...January 19, seen "TEXAS". They were 1979...In the land of the high sky, the staff of "Texas" is getting ready for the summer. Auditions, printing, ordering and repairing are under way, in preparation for the 1979 season: June 20 through August 25, nightly except Sundays. Work for the season has

started at the Pioneer Amphitheatre in the Palo Duro Canyon State Park where "Texas" plays. This goes on all winter since these buildings are high up on the side of the canvon where the creek never rises.

The last stage of the recent building program has begun: enlargement of the men's rest room and dressing room and new housing for the electrical system. These are projects of the Texas Parks & Wildlife Department. Bradley Builders of Amarillo are the contractors.

This new construction supplements the privately funded improvements of the past three at the County Barn in Spearyears: a new entrance to the theatre, additional permanent bers are urged to attend and all seats, a new exit from the seating area, permanent side stage buildings and new sets and scenery, and backstage

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stirred by the story - excited by the movement - surrounded by the music echoing from the cliffs which form a sound chamber in the clear air. They have felt the refreshing breeze of the caprock - the same altitude as the plains of Colorado - and basked in the sunshine which shines here as frequently as it does in Arizaona nd colors the canyon with thousands of hues as the shadows lengthen.

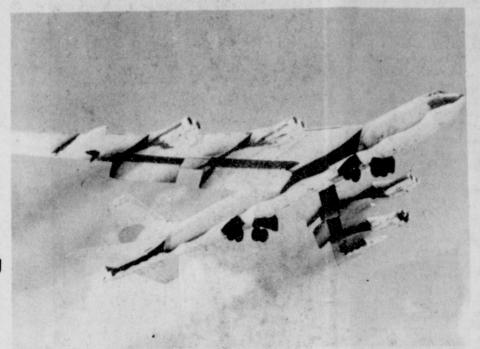
For tickets and information about the show in the grandeur of the canyon cliffs, write "Texas", Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015 or call 806-655-

Explorers Going To Florida

There will be an orgainzational meeting of Explorer Post 502 Thursday, Jan. 25 at 7 p.m. man. All current Explorer memyoung persons 14 to 21 are invited to come and join.

Various trips, i.e. Florida, Bahamas, Philmont, and the Canada canoe trip will be

Parents are invited.



HQ SAC, Offutt AFB, Neb., January 15, 1979 -- Strategic Air Command (SAC) bombers will fly a new low level training route in Kansas, Colorado,

FB-III fighter-bombers will fly Oklahoma and Texas, beginthe training route at subsonic ning January 20. The route will speeds along a center line of an be used until January 10, 1980. eight mile wide corridor at The giant eight-engine B-52 altitudes ranging from 600 to Stratofortresses and swingwing 1,500 feet above the ground. The route will be used to

measure precision bombing. navigation training and elec tronic countermeasure activity. Aircraft do not carry bombs sites. Radar bomb scoring this point the aircraft will begin (RBS) equipment will be located its final simulated bomb near also a member of the Masonic near Minneola and Plainville, Plainville, Kans., turning Kan., and La Junta, Colo. southwest near Lucas, Kans. These sites, using radio and Near Russell, Kans. the aircraft radar signals, measure the ac- will start to climb to highter curacy of simulated bomb relea- altitude and exit the route ses and simulated launching of northeast of Jetmore, Kans. short range attack missiles The Strategic Air Command Stowell Services

(SRAMS). conducts low-level bombing and navigation training to assure bomber crews are kept combat ready at all times. The routes are changed periodically to provide unfamiliar targets and First Christian Church in Pamradar returns. Populated areas pa for Charles W. Stowell, 86, are avoided as much as possible who died Friday. He was the and all routes are coordinated husband of the former Faye with the Federal Aviation Ad. Kirk of the Holt Community. ministration.

route, designated Military Training Route IR-526, will etery with Masonic graveside begin descending from high services conducted by Lodge altitude near Bird City, Kans. They will begin the low level portion of the route south of Wilmore, Kan. and moved to Yuma, Colo., and proceed on a Pampa in 1924. He married simulated bomb run towards La Faye Kirk in 1923. Junta, Colo. The aircraft will turn southeast and cross the pusher in oil fields of Okla-Oklahoma panhandle into Texas homa, Kansas and Texas. He south of Guymon, Okla. West of was employed on the Colbe-Higgins, Tex., the aircraft will Heywood in Hutchinson County turn north and fly to a point and was on the first two wells east of Liberal, Kans., and turn which eventually supplied Pamnortheast and begin another pa with gas. simulated bomb run near Minneola, Kans. After this simulated bomb run the aircraft will postal employee and served 26 turn northwest, fly to a point years in the Pampa post office. east of Shields, Kans., turn

held Monday

Services were held Monday at

Dr. Bill Boxwell, pastor, offi-Aircrews flying this training ciated at the 10:30 a.m. services. Burial was in Holt Cem-

Mr. Stowell was born in

He was a driller and tool

From oilfield operations, Mr. Stowell moved to a position as a Stowell was a member of the

on these training flights. All north, fly to a point east of Canadian Mineral Gem and Getting Ready For "TEXAS" SAC Bombers To Fly New Route scored by ground based scoring sharp turn to the southeast. At First Christian Church and a veteran of World War I. He was Lodge 966.

Survivors include his wife: one son, Charles of Tucson; two brothers, W.H. of Nashville, Tenn. and E.L. of Tahlequah, Okla., and two grandchildren.

BIBLE VERSE

and strength, a very present help in trouble."

1. Where is this verse found? 2. By whom was it believed to have been written?

3. Where may it be found? 4. How many Psalms are

Answers To Bible Verse

3. Psalm 46:1. cian to be set to music. rected to his Chief Musi-2. By King David and di-I. The Psalms.

Golden Gleams

A man that studieth revenge keeps his own wounds green.

-Francis Bacon.

Neglect will kill an injury sooner than revenge. -Owne.

SUPPER

January 26th

Basketball Schedule

Jan. 23-Canadian, T

Jan. 25-27-SPEARMAN TOURN.

Jan: 26-Perryton, H Feb. 2-River Road, T

Feb. 6-Dalhart, H Feb. 9-Canadian, H

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These facilities along with 191 miles of associated distribution line is required for the Cooperative to provide service to an additional 512 new consumers that it will be serving and to improve service conditions and reliability of service to the existing consumers. The transmission line will conform to R.E.A. specifications and will consist of single pole structures carrying three energized wires and one grounded static and is similiar to existing facilities owned by the Cooperative.

Any person having questions reguarding these proposed facilities 21, 1979.

Legal Notice

Roy/L. McClellan

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. Hansford County Judge

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Knox Pipkin is honored on his 86th birthday with reception

with a reception on his 86th birthday in the fellowship hall of the Union Church in Spearman. Held on January 14, friends and relatives called between 2 and 4

The register table was covered with a white antique cloth, and was centered with a yellow arrangement of baby mums. A portrait of Knox when he was 16 years old was displayed on the table, and copies of his favorite sugar cookie receipe were handed out. Presiding over the table were his granddaughters, Orlene Martin of Spearman and Yvonda Stokes of Amarillo.

The serving table was laid with an ecru linen cloth, and an arrangement of yellow and bronze mums served as centerpiece. The cake was decorated with yellow flowers and brown leaves, and was served to guests, along with punch, nuts and mints.

Sugar cookies, made by Knox, and coffee poured from a silver coffee service, were also served. Assisting at the table were his granddaughters, Velrick Wilson, Joan Graves, Dorothy Cator, Valinda Dodson, and Gaye Pipkin.

His other granddaughters, Anita Rolston of Fairwell, Betty Clifford of Canada, Pauline Mays of Boston, Massachusetts, and Colette Shotts of Lubbock were unable to attend.

Floral arranagements, gifts, and cards from friends decorated the room. On display were early pictures and snapshots of the family from 1910 until the present day.

Knox came to the Panhandle at the age of six, along with five sisters, a brother, and his parents, from Tennessee. The family brought with them 50 head of cattle. Knox's father had made a trip to the Panhandie earlier, and pur-chased two sections of lang on Tolleyhome, where they lived a

When Know was 15 years old, his family moved to Pampa,

Knox Pipkin was honored and he stayed behind. Working on ranches along the Canadian River, when he was 16 he began putting up hay at the J. A. King

> In 1915, he married Ocie King at her family's home, the King ranch, on the Canadian River. Their first home was five miles northwest of Pampa. In 1919, Knox and Ocie and their family moved to their present location in the southwest part of Ochiltree County.

This spring he will have lived in the home 60 years. It was originally a one room school house purchased from Cedar Bluff school district for \$100, and moved to its present location. Several additions have been made since that time.

Knox and Ocie celebrated their 50th anniversary on September 5, 1965. In 1972, Ocie died of cancer. Since that time he busies himself making his sugar cookies, pecan or apple pies, and he has become known as the "Cookie Man."

Knox drives his own car, and attends church regularly. He gives the Lord credit for a good life and all the blessings he has enjoyed during his 86 years.

Approximately 124 friends and relatives attended the reception. Hosting the occasion were his children and spouses, Mr. and Mrs. John Pipkin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pipkin, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith, all of Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fullbright of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Miller of Woodward, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burrow, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graves, and Mr. and Mrs. Elrick Wilson, all of Perryton.

Attending from Spearman were Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pond, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilde, Mrs. Helen Dry, Mrs. Aloka Bentley, Mrs. Darlene Plerce, Rev. and Mrs. Archie Burress, Mrs. Mary Schumann, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, Donna, Diana, and Shawn, Adelyn Barnes, Joyce Lamb



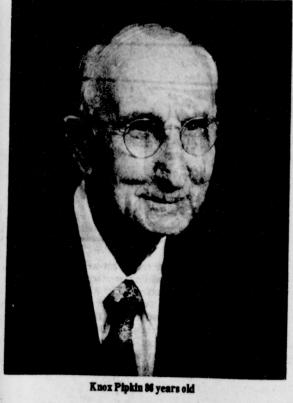
Knox Pipkin 16 yrs. old

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McCellan, Mr. and Mrs. Eck Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Brummett.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Richard

Jennings, Mae Floyd, Mr. and Vera Beth Hicks, Lee McCellan, Judice, Rev. and Mrs. Harrol Mrs. Wally Berner and Ed, all Mrs. Major Locky, Mr. and Nora Hicks, Eddie Martin, Mr. Mrs. L. B. Readon, Ray Phelps, and Mrs. James Riley, Francis Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Byers, and Mrs. Ora Lee Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stokes, Blackburn.

Pipkin, Mrs. E. A. Greener, Johnie Luthie, Donald W. Lee and DeVonna, Mr. and Mrs. Graves, and Rev. Walter Axtell, Mrs. Opal Scroggs, Mr. and Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Jona Mrs. Vernon Pipkin, Coty and Jazen, Rev. and Mrs. Steve Dodson, all of Gruver; Mr. and Mikka, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smart, Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Regier, Walter LaMaster, Mrs. Scroggs, all of Waka; Mr. and Pipkin, and Elizabeth, Mrs. Spencer Whippo, Mrs. Sam Mrs. Benny Buschman, Mr. and



Waterbury and Michael, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Coon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wooster.

Other out-of-town guests were Ernest Sluder, Mrs. Randy all of Lubbock. Mrs. Carl Scroggs, Jean

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Miller, Woodward, Oklahoma: Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gilliam, all Chris and Krystal, Amarillo; of Pampa; Heath and Britton Present from Perryton were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cator, Loyd Shotts, Velrick Wilson, Joan

> Definition Experience: knowing a lot of things you shouldn't

-Gazette, Sabula, Ia.



Clay Gibner received his 50 year Scottish Right award in Spearman, Monday night.



Jimmy Davis received his 50 year Blue Lodge Masonic pin in services here Monday night. Both awards were made by John R. Collard, Jr.

Damage

Early estimates place damage

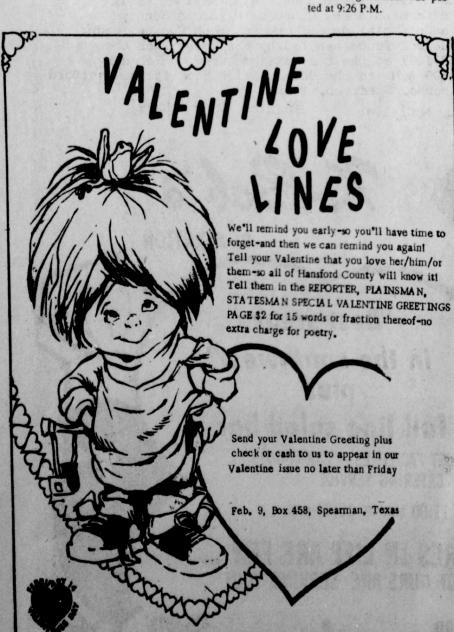
Fire chief Ron Antalek reports that the cause of the second blaze was probably due to faulty heater controls on a gas heater. An earlier fire and explosion had apparently been caused by a gas leek in an overhead heater.

God's Corner owner George Collard was reportedly in Borger attending a Church service at the time of the second fire and had to be summoned by phone to advise him of the fire.

Firemen had the second blaze under control by 7:24 P.M., and total extinguishment was posted at 9:26 P.M.

Heavy

at approximately \$30,000 or even higher at Gods's Corner on Davis street in Spearman following a second fire within 72 Hours at the local business. Damage could have gone much higher however except for the alert response of the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department. A Spearman patrol officer observed the blaze at 7:09 Sunday evening and within two minutes of the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department were on the scene.





HOLLYWOOD "TAPS" FARRAH FAWCETT-MAJORS FOR BIG SCREEN STARDOM

girl will become a symbol of her ime while scores of others pass wunnoticed? What did Garbo. Harlow, Lombard and Monroe have that other pretty faces and head-swiveling figures didn't?

The contemporary answer to that question will flash on screen on _1/24 _ at the _LYRIC __ Theatre, when Farrah Fawcett-Majors plays her first motion picture starring role in "Someoody Killed Her Husband." The Martin Poll Production, presented by Melvin Simon, for Columbia Pictures release teams Farrah with Jeff Bridges as a pair of romantic New Yorkers. sho, in search of an unknown killer, are plunged into a dangerous labyrinth in midtown Manhattan.

On the strength of a succession of TV commercials, magazine covers, a popular TV series. a poster everyone wanted, a distinctive hairdo and a 24 karat smile. Farrah Fawcett-Majors has become the reigning "golden girl' of the seventies. The next logical step was screen stardom, but she admits, she took her time to find a vehicle which genuinely excited her.

The blend of laughter and suspense in Reginald Rose's screen-play - and the role of Moore whose priggish about to file for a divorce ended that search.

describing the role. "She's smart, she's spunky and even when she's trapped with a homi-cidal maniac in a department store after closing time, she keeps her sense of humor.

daughter of James Fawcett, an oil field contractor, and wife Polly. She went to W.B. Ray High School in that city and a picture of her now remains posted on the school's main bulletin board. Since her spectacular rise to popularity and fame. the school yearbooks with her picture are kept under lock and key in the library because all but a few have vanished as collectors items.

Upon graduation from high school. Farrah enrolled at the University of Texas in Austin. her haird During her freshman year, she products.

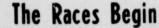
most beautiful girls among the more than 12,000 women on campus. The winners' pictures were sent to a Los Angeles agent and Farrah began receiving offers to come to Hollywood. For three years she turned down the bids to concentrate on her studies in art and physical education at Texas U. Particu-larly absorbed in abstract painting and sculpture. Farrah says, "I was rewarded to discover what I could create from a piece of clay with my hands and my imagination.

The offers from Hollywood finally proved too enticing and Farrah determined to try for a film career. On the West Coast, she began as a model, but film companies were quick to spot her potential and she made a brief appearance in Claude Lelouch's "Love is a Funny " She made a series of guest appearances on Screen Gems productions, including the television film, "The Feminist and the Fuzz," and had a featured role in "Logan's Run." which starred Michael York and Jenny Agutter.

Shortly after arriving in Los Angeles, Farrah had met actor Lee Majors. They were married five years later to the day of their second date. She has aphusband is done in just as she's peared with her husband in 'Owen Marshall. Counselor at ded that search.
"I like Jenny," says Farrah.

Law" and his "The Six Million
Dollar Man." After making her initial impact on scores of television commercials, Farrah then won national popularity as Jill Munroe, "a California girl with covergirl looks" on ABC-TV's "Charlie's Angels." That series Farrah Leni was born in established her as a superstar. Corpus Christi. Texas. the (Her face adorned 48 magazine covers in one year.) In a Ladies Home Journal magazine survey 1,000 girl students from the first grade through the twelfth grade were asked who they would most like to be. The overwhelming choice was Farrah Fawcett-Majors.

Just prior to starring in "Somebody Killed Her Husband," Farrah became a topflight business executive. In the Spring of 1978, the Farrah Fawcett division of Faberge. Inc. launched a complete line of her hairdressing and cosmetic



The presidential nomination campaigns begin this month. There will be more activity in the Republican Party (the outs, with many scrambling for the nomination) than in the Democratic. But the Democratic Party may soon be the scene of a challenge to an incumbent chief executive.

Senator Bob Dole (R-Kan) is one of the most interesting Republicans to watch. He has been campaigning a year already, has thus far been in New Hampshire eight times, already has a political action committee functioning and believes he can win.

Ronald Reagan is the accepted leader in delegate votes committed. Other possible candidates include former president Gerald Ford, George Bush of Texas, John Connally of Texas, Senator Howard Baker of Tennessee, Governor James Thompson of Illinois and others. Jack Kemp of New York and Philip Crane of Illinois, both congressmen, and Senator Lowell Weicker (Conn.) are considered long-shot hopefuls.

On the Democratic front, the possibility exists that Senator Ted Kennedy will vie with President Carter but an increasing number of pros doubt this. More likely to challenge is another Catholic candidate--Governor George Brown of California. Kennedy and Carter have no personal animosity and Kennedy knows well that Carter, if elected again, might be able to nix his chances in 1984. Brown has less to lose--though he also has little chance to win the nomination in 1980.

The first presidential primary is only a year away--in New Hampshire. The biggest question to be answered in this time is the identity of the G.O.P. nominee. The biggest news event in the period would be replacement of Carter by another Democrat on that party's ticket, which seems highly unlikely.



The year of the snowdrift! 1979 will long be remembered in years to come with perhaps many a tall tale being told Grandchildren about "way back in '79! Frank Massad won't soon forget his snow shovelling chores ! Looks mighty lonely behind the white stuff !



FLOORED...The search for an elusive killer challenges Jeff Bridges and Farrah Fawcett-Majors in "Somebody Killed Her Husband." Columbia Pictures entertaining mystery, which marks Farrah's first starring movie role. _LYRIC_

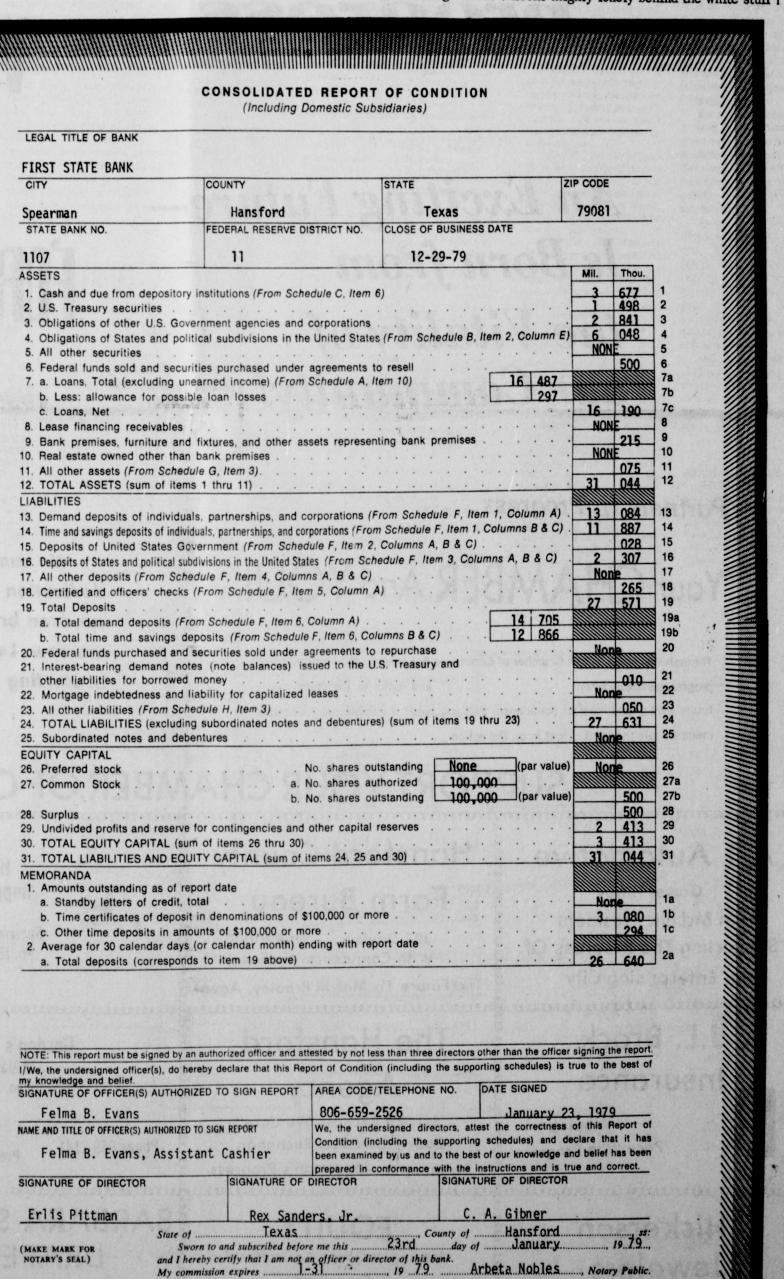
If rock salt is used to safe-

guard walks, don't rake the shrubs. Sand is much safer to

salt and snow near plants or adults who have dry skin and for chapped or windburned



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Lynxettes close to first half championship!

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The Spearman Lynxettes moved closer to a district first half championship as they blasted Canadian at Canadian Tuesday night, 58-31 behind the shooting of Tracie Keetch, who burned the nets for 28 points. The game was supposed to be a close contest, with former Spearmanite "Coach Jim Kirkland" and his Canadian girls have a 3-0 record, until last night. Actually Coach Kirkland did a fine job with his smaller Wildcat girls, and it wasn't too much of a surprise for the big and talented Lynxettes to grab a win at Canadian. Collier scored 4 points, Green 9, Comegys 2, Shaver 2, Burke 2, Flowers 4, Keetch 28, Shell 6, and S. Green 1.

In the boys contest, a real "barn-burner" took place as the scrappy Lynx, now out of the first half of the district 1-AA race, lost a heart breaker to Canadian 51-47! The Lynx trailed as much as 13 points, but almost caught the Wildcats in the last quarter. Newton had a tremendous night with 18 points, followed by Whitaker with 9, Martin 8, Beedy 2, Shields 7, Ortega 3.

Both the Lynx and Lynxettes are geting ready for "Perryton and Pancakes" this Fridaynight, as they play host to the Rangers, "who ain't no strangers" to the Lynx and Lynxettes. It will be homecoming for the Lynx and Lynxettes and also homecomeing for the Perryton coach, "Bones" Simpson. Plan to come out and watch Perryton Friday night and eat Pancakes!

Ground Hog Day

The American Association for the observance of "Ground Hog Day" will soon be preparing for the advent of Feb. 2.

The ground hog is perhaps our most famous weather prophet, but, unfortunately, not the most accurate to be found. The theory is that if the ground hog sees its shadow, it retires for another six weeks of sleep, but according to the legend, if the sky is cloudy, it remains outside, with the assurance of an early

January Dates

The last half of January contains, perhaps, as many important birthday anniversaries as any other like period of the year for Americans.

tucky.

Douglas MacArthur, perhaps the ablest strategist of World War II, was born on the 26th at Little Rock, Arkansas. (The 26th is also Michigan Day, the 29th Kansas Day.) William McKinley, 25th President, was born on the 29th at Niles, Ohio, in

Thomas Paine, who gained fame and popularity writing in the cause of the American revolution, was born in England on the 29th in 1737. (He lost some of his popularity when he attacked prevail-

Franklin Roosevelt was born on the 30th, at Hyde Park, New York, in 1882--the only President ever elected to four terms



Does a red sunset actually tell us anything about tomorrow's weather? The old saying is frequently heard about a red sky at the end of the day-that it means clear, cold weather.

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ing religious beliefs.)

(the nation's 32nd).

actually over some point westward yesterday--probably several hundred miles. If the sun sets red, that

means dry dusty air is toward the west, between the viewer and the sun-hence the red color. If the air to the west is dry and dusty and is moving toward the viewer, it will be overhead in the coming hours. Hence, chances are the weather will be fair in the immediate future.

The reason for assuming a red sunset means cold weather lies in the fact that clearing weather usually follows the passage of a cold front. In the winter months, most of the fronts are cold and thus, more often than not, a clear weather sign occurs behind a cold

Arafat's Warning

Although Yasser Arafat's recent warning that 1979 would be the year the U.S. loses its hold in the Middle East should not cause panic, the Palestinian guerrilla leader's words deserve consideration.

President Carter somewhat courageously championed the idea of a Palestinian homeland initially because it was right and demanded by circumstances. This country, after all, almost single-handedly created Israel, the Jews' homeland, in 1948.

The question for the U.S. today is whether to continue to allow a militant, aggressive Israel regime to veto U.S. Middle East policy, even when in the best interests of the American people. That has been Washington's political course for more than twenty

Yet experts are almost all agreed that until the Palestinian problem is solved the volatile, dangerous Middle East situation will remain precarious. What Washington should have done, in this country's own interests (and Israel's too, in the long run) was to have insisted Israel return practically all Arab land and agree to establishment of some kind of Palestinian homeland, in return for guaranteed security and a peace treaty. Washington, of course, would long ago have done this had it not been for the effective, intimidating power of the Jewish lobby in America.

Continued deference to Israel risks U.S. loss of its oil interests in the Middle East. It risks eventual alienation between Arabs and Anwar Sadat, whom President Carter pressured into deserting the Arab solid front at Camp David. It risks the undermining of Saudi Arabia by Moslem fanatics -- as Iran was

Arafat may soon be able to help jeopardize or destroy U.S. interests in many Arab countries; his warning should be taken seriously, in fashioning a truly balanced Middle East policy, not subject to Israeli veto (through U.S. Jewish political power).

This is in both Israel's, and America's, best long-term interests. President Carter shouldn't hesitate to use every carrot and stick in his diplomatic bag to require Israeli compliance--as long as U.S. taxpayers are sending that country billions in military and economic aid every year, as we have done for so long -at such cost and risk.

Baker unsure of supporting SALT treaty.

House: charges ACTION with illegal activities.

Railway union contract tentatively approved.

tube baby born. Shah leaves Iran on extended vacation.

Scotland reports third test-

Soviets veto U.N. resolu-

tion condemning Viets. Woodcock nominated as China ambassador.

Britain sends Northern Ireland gasoline to offset strike.

latest cancer report.

Begin calls for resumption of peace talks.

plague sought in Wyoming.

Wholesale price index

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8-Popular pigment 9-Linear unit

11-Belgian city 14-English cathedral

19-Had being

20-Boat blade

24-Make fit

25-Card game 26-Oahu fare

32-At a distance 34-Period

35-Informed

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13-See the

23-Greek island

22-Teeth

27-Name

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38-Stray

light 30-Con

33-Make light of

Courage He who fears to venture as far as his heart urges and his reason per-

mits is a coward.

Strange Conceit is a strange disease. It makes every-

one sick except the fellow who has it. -Tribune, Chicago.

B.J. Crewley's HOROSCOPE

AQUARIUS--Many Intel sign of Aquarius. They are usually original in their ideas and opinions. Lucky day for the Aquarian is Saturday,

AQUARIUS -- Jan. 20 to Feb. 18--Watch for items on sale this week. You could encounter some really great buys. You can also save money by stocking up on food items that are priced lower than usual.

PISCES -- Feb. 19 to March 20-- A sensible health program is a must for this year. Discipline yourself to include proper diet and exercise in your daily program. You will feel much better when you do. ARIES -- March 21 to April

20-You feel as though you have reached the calm after the storm as youngsters settle the storm as youngsters settle down and start doing all the things they should. The turbu-lance from the past now seems like only a bad dream. TAURUS -- April 21 to May 20--If you are bored with pres-

ent surroundings, change your routine. Try reversing your schedule. You end up with a new outlook when you get out of the old rut.

GEMINI -- May 21 to June 20-- A dead-end type of destiny doesn't appeal to you, so you get on the stick and start planning for a really good future. You find great joy in life now that you face reality.

CANCER -- June 21 to July 22--Limit your social and civic involvement. Taking on too much puts you on a mery-goround where you find yourself doing nothing very well. Be-come involved more deeply in two or three.

LEO -- July 23 to Aug. 22--Read to find out more about a project in which you have recently become interested. There is a wealth of reading material available about

your favorite subject. VIRGO -- Aug. 23 to Sept. 22-Lack of communication within the family circle may upset you. Don't be alarmed. Happier days are ahead. Be gracious and willing to listen

LIBRA - Sept. 23 to Oct. 22-You have a major chore to complete. Don't waste time. Set aside a certain time period busy. The task will be completed more quickly than scorpio -- Oct. 23 to

Nov. 22-You are greatly renow on cheering those around you and by helping friends who need help.

SAGITTARIUS -- Nov. 23 to Dec. 22-- Pay off debts as soon as is practical and take care not to build up new ones. Start a savings account for a special trip or other dream. Even small amounts add up. CAPRICORN -- Dec. 22 to

Jan. 19--If time seems to be dragging and you find yourself bored, undertake a new creative project. Handcrafts can be especially enjoyable. Making gifts can be pleasurable.

Prohibition

fective in the United States in January, 1920-fifty-nine years ago. It was a noble and idealistic experiment, and a hopeless one. It sought to legislate morals and personal

Younger citizens find it hard to believe Congress ever voted a ban on alcoholic beverages, and that thirty six states (three fourths of the forty-eight), quickly ratified the

As many had warned, the experiment was a failure. Bootleggers and gangs sneaked booze illegally into "speak-easies" and the result was gang wars, bad booze, corruption and a widespread breakdown in law

The 21st amendment of 1933 repealed the 18th, effective with the ratification of thirty six states, again, on December 5th, 1933.

HEART MONTH SET

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