

Mystery Missile Falls Near Spearman Men, 3:30 Friday!

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1970



Left to right: MR. AND MRS. HULL, MR. AND MRS. JOHNNY LACKEY, MRS. SHEDECK....



Left to right: BETSY FORTIER, MARSHA WRIGHT, JESSIE ASHBY, DR. VIRGINIA BREWER...

Follow-Up, After 23 years



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Local Men Drown In Oklahoma

Two young Spearman men drowned Sunday in Knowles Lake near Beaver, Okla. The body of John Mark Pearson, 18, was recovered about 6:20 p.m. Sunday by Beaver County sheriff's officers and Oklahoma Highway Patrol troopers. Oklahoma Highway Patrol Trooper Frank King said Pearson apparently became entangled in moss when he attempted to swim the lake, located 30 miles northeast of Beaver in the central Oklahoma Panhandle. Others in the party attempted to rescue Pearson, and David Scroggs, 20, drowned in the attempt. Scroggs' body was not found until late Monday afternoon. Hansford County Sheriff's

officers from Spearman and other law officers searched the lake all day Monday before recovering Scroggs' body late Monday. Services for John Mark Pearson were held Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the First Assembly of God Church. The Rev. David Nuckels, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors of Spearman. Mr. Pearson was born in Spearman and had been a lifetime resident. He married Delinda Scroggs in 1978. Survivors include his wife; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Muri Pearson; three brothers, Edwin, David and Calvin, all of Spearman; two sisters, Mrs. Teresa Scroggs and Mrs. Linda Arnold,

both of Spearman; and grandmother, Mrs. J.M. Pearson of Gruver. Services for David Vance Scroggs, 20, were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday morning in the Apostolic Faith Church. Rev. Jacob Regier of Perryton, officiated. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors of Spearman. He was born in Perryton and was a 1977 graduate of Spearman High School. He was employed by Baker & Taylor Drilling Co. here. Survivors include his mother, Frances Scroggs; his father, James Scroggs; a sister, Deata and a brother, Mike and grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scroggs, all of Spearman, and grandmother, Mrs. Donald Wilcox of Burlington, Ks.

New Band Director Hired

The Spearman School Board met in regular session at the high school Monday evening. All board members were present but Chalmers Porter and Kent Guthrie, who were busy harvesting. The board read and approved the minutes of the June 11, 1979 meeting. The business manager gave his report, and the board approved payment of the bills. In old business the board discussed the budget for 1979-80, and Supt. Cunningham announced that a new band director, Craig Zinck, of Clayton, New Mexico, had been hired for Spearman. Mr. Zinck comes highly recommended by former Spearmanite Charles Traylor. In new business, the board accepted the resignations of Jan King, Larry Prather, Mrs. Larry Prather and Susan Pearson. New teachers hired are: Mr. Thomas May, elementary, Jr. high, P. E. and Asst. coach; Mrs. Thomas May, elementary; Craig Zinck, band director; and Supt. Cunningham is still hunting a Speech-Drama teacher, and a homemaking teacher. Cindy McClellan is the new LLD teacher.

SLOW PITCH TOURNAMENT HERE THIS WEEKEND

An invitational slow pitch tournament will be held here Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Fourteen teams are entered from Perryton, Borger, Dumas, Guyton and Spearman. The first game will begin Friday night at 7 p.m. There be 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place trophies, individual trophies to the 1st place team, most valuable player trophy, and a trophy to the player with the most home runs.

Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Rhonda Coleman, Joan Coventry, Vernell Byrd, James Smith, Jewel Brandt, Joe Bynum, Mary Lee, Luisa Ochoa, Tex Davis, Edward Cook, Ben Woodington, Jo Ella Jones, Hattie Hoggatt, Ben Vaughn, Ethel Cookston and I.W. Ayres. Dismissed were Will Douglas, Janet Scarborough, Nikki Jones, Pam Ftence, Mark Canada, Ricky Dowdy, Lewis Frantz, and Ramona Garcia.

Some 23 years ago, 20 couples from Hansford County journeyed to Denton, Texas, to take a physical examination. All of these couples were 55 years or older, and all had raised their families and were living in private dwellings within Hansford county. The purpose of the study was to check the bone structures of these senior citizens and to come back some 20 years later and compare the bone structures. Tuesday of this week, 12 people from the Spearman-Gruver area returned to the Home Demonstration building where a group of scientists from Denton took X-rays of bones, blood tests, etc. to compare what has taken place in the last 23 years, mainly concerning bone structure. The study was referred to as "follow up!" Dr. Virginia Brewer, Betsy Porter, Martha Wright and Jessie Ashby, four real "charming ladies, made up the follow-up team! Equally charming, was the 12 persons who came back to be examined for the program, including Mr. and Mrs. Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lackey, and Mrs. Shedeck. We want to thank Texas Women's University, and all of the persons connected with this research program. We feel that this is a much-needed program, and will certainly benefit our Senior Citizens as well as our younger groups!

Commissioners Meet

Hansford County Commissioners held the board of equalization Monday morning and met with no problems with mineral values in the country, according to County Judge Roy Lee McClellan. The commissioners also approved the bond for newly appointed county attorney John Hutchison. They discussed the redistricting of the county but delayed action on this until the next meeting scheduled for July 23.

According to McClellan, the redistricting must be done by population which necessitates the redistricting of Spearman in precinct 2 and 3. The districting must have populated areas contiguous with outlying precincts. Commissioners approved salaries of previously hired road employees and deputy clerk. They authorized payment of \$2516.62 for air conditioning of the Home Demonstration Club Room with money coming from

revenue sharing funds. They passed an order to allow the tax assessor-collector, county judges and commissioners who wished to go, to attend a tax meeting in Austin July 12 and 13. The meeting concerns the new tax law and county officials need to familiarize themselves with requirements, implementation, etc. of that law. They passed an order to recess the Board of Equalization and to reconvene the Board at 10 a.m. Aug. 27 for valuation of real and personal property.

OUR BEST WHEAT STORY

The best wheat story of the current harvest is the one about the farmer that said his custom combiners stole 3 bins of wheat, he put up 3 truck loads for seed, and his volunteer crop made 76 bushels per acre!

Bloodmobile Here July 18

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Spearman at the Sacred Heart Parish Hall, July 18 from 10 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. The quota for this visit for blood donations is 125 pints. For an appointment call Hazel Stumpf, 659-2109, Spearman or in Gruver call Fran Maupin, 733-2564 or Rosie Cator, 733-2317.

Hargis To Receive \$6,000 Scholarship



Kirby Hargis, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hargis, 1106 Wilmeth, Spearman, Texas is to receive a \$6,000 scholarship from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo at the State FFA Convention to be held in Lubbock, July 11-13, 1979. The scholarship will be presented during the Stars of Texas awards program beginning at 7 p.m. July 12. Kirby will use this scholarship to study agriculture in the college or university of his choice in the state of Texas. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will award more than \$300,000 in scholarships to FFA members in the state of Texas this year. Kirby was selected to receive this scholarship from more than 40 applicants in Area 1 of the Future Farmers of America Association. Kirby's FFA supervisors are Herman Boone and Burt Williams.

MARKETS

Wheat	\$4.04
Milo	\$4.85
Corn	3.15
Soybeans	6.61
Barley	2.32

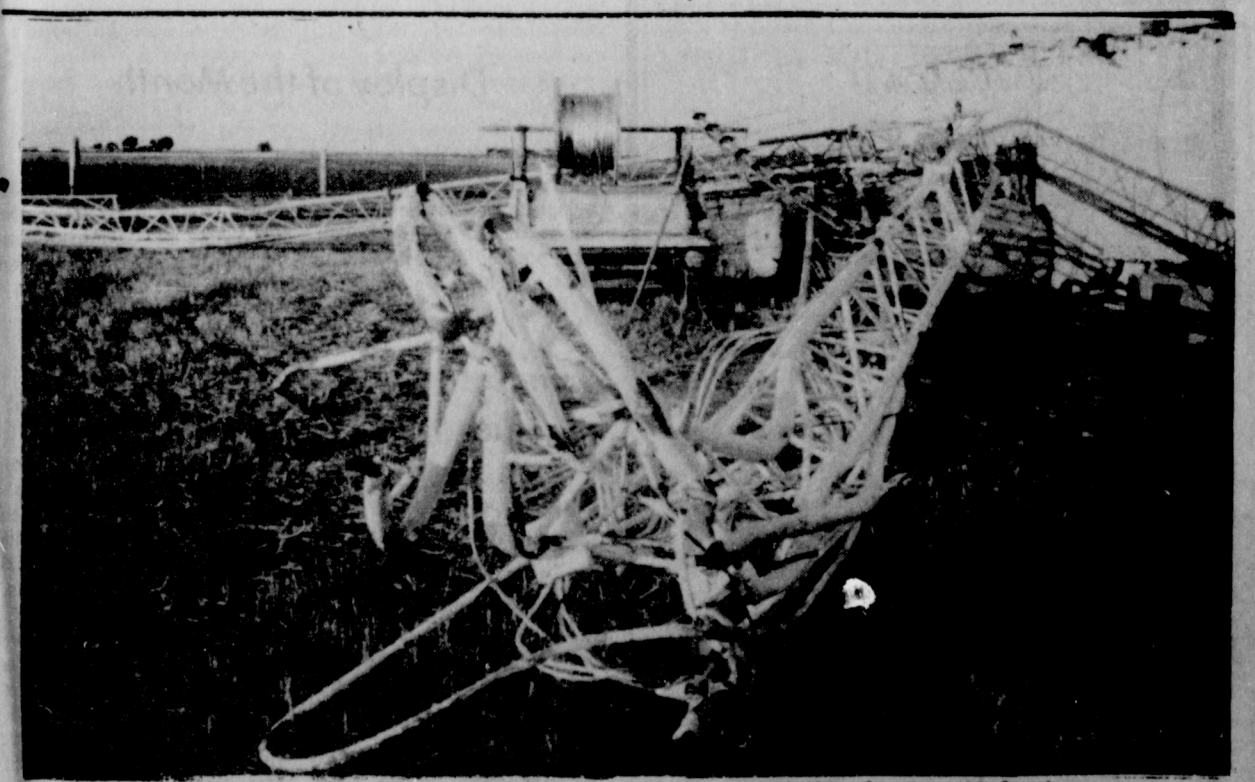
Later than normal, bumper wheat harvest continues

The wheat harvest of 1979 continues this week, with approximately 40 per cent of the wheat still in the fields. This is much later than normal for harvest in our county, due largely to the cool and wet spring weather we had this spring. This cool and wet spring weather along with all the snow in the winter combined to produce an unusually good wheat crop, especially for dryland farmers in the area. This is probably the best dryland crop this county has experienced in many years. With yields high and prices

up considerably over this time last year, it would seem that farmer's were having things go their way for a change, but problems have arisen at elevators, with many full and overflowing with the bountiful crop. Perryton Equity has been unable to get railroad cars to haul their grain. This firm and others in the area are using trucks to transport the grain to terminals. Some wheat is on the ground in the county, but the situation here is not as bad as in Ochilree County where they were estimating 1,000,000 bushels on the ground last week with many

more bushels yet to be harvested. The Equity has leased 20 cars from Thrall Manufacturing company of Chicago for a period of five years at a cost of \$40,000 per car and is considering purchasing more cars since the railroad is just not keeping up. Wheat is on the ground at McKibben, Morse and Holt Equity Elevators in this area, but not on the ground in Spearman. A spokesman at the Equity here said they had no place to go on the ground and that they were getting very little transportation for the wheat crop being harvested.

Kenneth Allen, general manager of the Perryton Equity, flew to Washington Monday to meet with the Interstate Commerce Commission to see what can be done about the lack of transportation for grain. 4-Tex Grain spokesman Harriett Hutchison said that they had been going to the ground with wheat since the first part of last week. She estimated that they had 60,000 bushels on the ground and that the harvest in their area was in the last phase. They are getting very few cars to ship grain as is the situation all over the Panhandle.



The Spearman Cable TV Tower, crumpled to the ground at 3 p. m. Tuesday afternoon. Workers hang a guy wire on the large (tall) antenna, and got it out of balance, and it crumpled to the ground. A temporary antenna has been installed in place of the original antenna.



Scene 25
Cruella De Vil, the human heavy, eyes the photos of two prize Dalmatians in this scene from Walt Disney's feature-length cartoon comedy, "101 Dalmatians." Adapted from the Dodie Smith novel, this is the hilarious story of an ultra villainous woman who steals Dalmatians for the wonderful fur coats they make. The color by Technicolor film is re-released by Buena Vista.



"Skinhead" McGinnis (PETER BOYLE) and Tony Pino (PETER FALK) argue about the stolen money from "The Brink's Job," a new Universal release.

August Wedding Is Planned



Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morrison are proud to announce the engagement and approaching wedding of their daughter, Rhonda to Tim Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Harper. The couple is planning an August 18 wedding. The bride-to-be is a 1979 graduate of Spearman High School and the prospective bridegroom is a 1975 graduate of Spearman High School and is presently employed by H & H Water Well Service.

Bride-Elect Is Honored

Cindy Gressett, bride-elect of Tom Sinclair, was honored with a Bridal Shower Saturday, July 7 in the home of Mrs. Albert Clark.

The table, covered with a white linen cloth, was decorated with a white killian daisy and yellow baby's breath floral arrangement in a tall glass vase. Also included on the table were silver appointments from which the guests were served assorted cookies, punch and coffee by Christy Collier and Carrie Clark. The Bride's Book was also on the table for the guests to register.

Cindy was presented with a killian daisy corsage surrounded with baby's breath adorned with miniature gold wedding rings. Cindy's mother and Tom's mother and grandmother were presented with daisy mum corsages adorned with baby breath and yellow ribbon.

The hostesses also presented Cindy with a Kitchen Center.

Special guest were Cindy's mother Mrs. Ray Gressett and Tom's mother Mrs. Bert Sinclair of Shallowwater and his grandmother Mrs. L. B. Sinclair of Lubbock.

Hostesses for the shower were Mesdames Albert Clark, Pat Jackson, Bob Meek, Garland Head, Jack Hamilton, J. E. Blackburn, Butch Lassiter, Pat Patterson, Bob Collier, Billy Miller, Bill Strawn and Sid McAdams.

Old Hansford Ext. Club

The Spearman Home Extension Club met in the home of Mrs. B. J. Garnett Friday, July 6. The secretary, Mrs. A. D. Reed, gave the Treasury Report. Mrs. Garnett gave the devotional which was a reading of Scriptures from the Bible. Business was discussed and the committee report given.

The demonstration of the program, given by Adalyn Barnes, was "Review of Programs; Economy Inflation and Management." It was a very interesting and enlightening program.

The ladies also discussed the latest styles in clothing and material and what they liked about them.

Those present were Mmes. W. V. Hull, A. D. Reed, Bertha Tarbox, Viola Hutton, Adalyn Barnes and Altha Groves.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Peggy's Pointers

Peggy Winegarner
Co. Extension Agent (H.E.)

GET EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES READY FOR CANNING

Get canning equipment and supplies ready--harvest and preservation season for garden fresh fruits and vegetables is just around the corner.

WHY CAN

Canning is one of the oldest methods of preserving food. Proper canning insures safe food by processing food with high heat and protecting it with an airtight seal. Heat destroys harmful bacteria and other microorganisms that cause food spoilage.

Also, heat inactivates enzymes that could cause undesirable changes in flavor, color and texture.

CANNING METHODS

Two processing methods to use in home canning are water bath and steam pressure.

The acidity of the food is the chief factor in determining which method to use.

STEAM PRESSURE CANNER

For low acid foods such as meat, poultry, fish and vege-

tables, use a steam pressure canner--a heavy pan with a rack and cover which can be clamped down to make it tight.

The cover is fitted with a safety valve which will blow out if the pressure gets too great, a petcock to drive air out and a pressure gauge.

Keep all these parts of the pressure canner clean and in working order. Use directions for testing gauges once a year. Food needs 10 pounds of pressure for processing to insure that food reaches the recommended temperature.

If the rubber gasket becomes hard, soak it in boiling water and stretch it to keep steam from escaping.

WATER BATH CANNER

For high acid foods such as tomatoes, fruits and pickled vegetables, the appropriate equipment is a water bath canner.

This could be any large pan with straight sides, a cover and a rack to keep jars from resting on the bottom of the pan, thus allowing water to move freely around the jars.

Use a pan that is deep enough to allow the jar tops to be covered on the two inches and have space to gently boil.

Large soup kettles could serve as water bath canners.

USE MASON JARS

No matter what method of canning, use only standard, mason jars made especially for canning.

These usually have the name of the manufacturer on the side and are heat tempered to withstand steam pressure during processing and vacuum after cooling.

Also, they are mechanically shock resistant.

Never use jars with nicks or cracks.

LIDS

There are a number of lids on the market. The most common type is the two piece flat metal lid edged with sealing compound and held in place by a metal screw band.

OTHER EQUIPMENT

Other equipment to have on hand ready for the canning season is:

-A jar lifter that can grip the container will help when handling the hot jars.

-Tongs for removing lid and screw bands from the hot water are helpful.

-A saucepan is needed for heating the lids. The size will depend on the number of jars.

-A wide mouthed funnel and a cup-like ladle for pouring liquids and filling jars will help keep the jars clean and facilitate the filling process.

If the top of the jar is unclean, then the jars will not seal properly.

This equipment is essential to proper food canning.

For further home canning information, bulletins are available at the County Extension office.

Lingerie Shower

Honors

Bride-To-Be

Cindy Gressett was honored with a Lingerie Shower, hosted by Christy Collier, in her home Sunday afternoon, July 8.

The table, covered with a gold and yellow cloth, was decorated with a white daisy floral arrangement. The guest were served cake, punch and nuts by Christy and Carrie Clark. The Bride's Book was also included on the table for the guests to register.

Cindy's corsage was a yellow daisy corsage adorned with miniature black lingerie.

The hostess gift was a gown and robe.

Special guest was Cindy's sister Kristi Gressett of Canyon.

Farewell Party

Honors

Hesters

Jimmy and Beth Hester were honored with a going away party at the Swimming Pool Park Sunday, evening, July 8. They will be leaving this week for Canyon where Jimmy will be on the High School Faculty and Coaching Staff.

Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Lopez of 1509 S. Drake, Perryton are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Gloria Olivarez Lopez to Raymond Ladd Roberts of Amarillo. Parents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Roberts of Amarillo.

The wedding is planned for July 21 at 2 p.m. in St. Mary's Catholic Church of Amarillo.

Gloria is a 1975 graduate of Perryton High School and attended Clarendon Junior College. She is presently employed by Southwestern Public Service in Amarillo.

Raymond is a pre-med student at West Texas State University and is employed at Albertson's.

You are invited to a

bridal shower honoring

Sheila Cochran

bride-elect of Lynn Chappell

Tuesday, July 17

from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

723 Gibner Dr.

Hostesses: Mmes.

Gaylord Cook	Ernest Archer
R. B. Archer	Jerry Orr
Carter Crawford	Ben Upchurch
Tim Barkley	Jack Carroll
Hoyt Biles	Albert Clark
Freddie Largent	

35-2tc

Arts & Crafts Guild News

The Arts and Craft Guild met Friday, July 6 at the Cattleman's with Mrs. C. A. Gibner as hostess.

Those attending were: Mmes. P. A. Lyon, Sr., Nolan Holt, Pope Gibner, Bruce Sheets, Ned Turner, Joe Traylor, Kiff White, Sr., and Guy Fuller.

The next meeting will be Friday, July 13 in the home of Mrs. Pope Gibner.

In honour of the
Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary
of
Mr. and Mrs. Ned Turner
their children and grandchildren
request the pleasure of your company
Sunday afternoon, July fifteenth
Nineteen hundred and seventy-nine
between the hours of three and five
in the Fellowship Hall
Church of Christ
Spearman, Texas

No gifts please

Display of the Month

The collector of the month at the Hansford County's Library is Vi Kjos. Vi has been collecting poodles for about six years. Her poodle display includes glass, corched, stuffed and

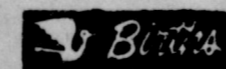
toy poodles.

Vi and her husband are from North Dakota. They are custom harvesters and have been coming to Spearman for the past seven years.

Gladiola Flower Club Meets

The Gladiola Flower Club had a Family Picnic at the Swimming Pool Park Thursday, July 5. Everyone enjoyed a meal of fried chicken, home made ice cream and all the trimmings.

Those attending the picnic were Messrs. and Mmes. Wallace Berner, Lloyd Buzzard, Kenneth Evans, Garland Head, Don Kunselman, Marcus Larson, Ray Martin, Claude Newell, Ray Ingle, Newell Allen, Betty Jean Davis, Rose Cummings, and a new member Nan Nicholson.



Steve and Debbie Benton, along with Salina, age 2, announce the arrival of their daughter and sister. Meredith Diane arrived July 3 at 3:25 a.m. weighing 9 lbs. 8 1/2 oz. And was 21 1/2 in. long.

Meredith's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Benton and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cage of Spearman. Her great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Odey of Spearman; Mrs. Eddie Cage of Decatur, Tx. and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Benton and Sam Gossett of Sayre, Okla.

The Children of
Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lackey
request the pleasure of your company
at a reception in celebration of the
Fiftieth Anniversary
of their marriage
on Saturday, the fourteenth of July
nineteen hundred and seventy-nine
2:30 to 5 o'clock
Holiday Inn East
J-40
Amarillo, Texas

Help Keep Our
City Weed-Free
We urge you to join
with your city officials in
keeping the weeds on
your property mowed
and, or sprayed. Each
land-owner is responsible
for the control of weeds
on his or her property.
The City
of Spearman

WANTED ADS

CAPROCK MONUMENT CO.

Dealers of Georgia Granite, Georgia Marble, Colored Granite, & Brims.

represented by

BOXWELL BROS. FUNERAL HOME 519 S. EVANS 659-3802

Hansford County Planned Parenthood 265. Haney 659-2483 Spearman Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m. to 12 noon 30S-rtm

SERVICES

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

Fee Wee's Plumbing Service Roto-roooter, Acoustical Ceilings. Blown Insulation in walls and ceilings. Appliance Service, used appliances for sale. 659-2811 or 659-3781. 20-rtm

NEW STEAM SHAMPOOER with brushes Rental \$8.95 per day. Available at 716 Cotter Drive after 4:00 p.m. and Saturdays and Sundays. Call 659-3437. Regular Steam Rinse & Vac Shampooer, \$5.95 per day at Gordon's Drug and after 4:00 p.m. and Saturdays and Sundays at 716 Cotter Drive.

NOTICE Wallace Monument Co., Monuments, Curbings, Grave Covers Local Representative LEONARD JAMESON 659-3406 20-rtm

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

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

KIRBY SALES & SERVICE* New & reconditioned vacuum cleaners. 912 S. Bernice. 659-2797. 19-rtm

CUSTOM HAY Baling-16 x 18 bale. Jerry D. Virden, Box 595, Gruver, Texas. 733-2236. 27-rtm

Need After Harvest Clean-up? Need Your Office Carpet Cleaned? Rent the pro or let us clean it for you. FREE Estimate For steam cleaning, call 435-5289 or 659-2952. Willis Friesen 34-rtm

Hay Baling and Stacking. 806-669-6610; 806-669-2961. 35-25p

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1977 T-Bird. Excellent Condition. Call 659-3691 after 5:00 p.m. Weekdays. 34-rtm

FOR SALE: 1970 Delta 88 & 2 mattresses & box springs. Call 659-3993 or come by 726 Steele Drive. 34-4tp

FOR SALE: 1976 Boanza 14 x 70 two bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, all appliances included. 3805 after 2 p.m. 35-4tc

FOR SALE-1978 Pontiac Bonneville, 14,000 actual miles, power, air, cruise, AM-FM & 8 track. Call 2415. 35-4tp

FOR SALE:Dishwasher, Trash compactor and Bar with stereo & 8-track player Call 3404. or 2614. 31-rtm

FOR SALE-1976 Buick Electra, 4 door, load-ed, 24,000 miles, new set of Michelins, phone 659-3791 or 2001. 34S-rtm

FOR SALE: 1967 Oldsmobile in good condition, has new starter, will make a good working car. Call 659-3051 or can be seen at 30 S. Dressen after 5 p.m. 35-2tc

FOR SALE-1 used refrigerator, 1 used electric range, asking \$150.00 each., 1 9' x 12' rug, all in good condition, Call 659-2657 35-2tc

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE 1009 S. Haney, 1 p.m. Friday, July 13 and all day, Saturday, July 14. 35-1tp

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE, 3 bedroom, nice southwest location, 2 baths, refrigerated air, fireplace, den, utility room, built-in dishwasher and disposal, covered patio, fenced yard, toolhouse and shop building. Shown by appointment only, Emmett R. Sanders, Real Estate Broker, 659-2516, nights 659-2601. 34-rtmOnly

FOR SALE: 2 Bdrm house carpeted, fenced built in range, dishwasher disposal. Call 3521 or 3502 34S-4tc

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, stucco house, 523 W 3rd. Chuck Steele. 659-3510. 32-rtm

FOR SALE by Owner Clean 3-bedroom home, 1 1/2 baths, living-room, large kitchen, single car garage, fenced back yard with nice lawn. 727 Cotter Drive, 659-2620. 33-rtm

FOR SALE: 1114 S Haney - 3 bedroom, 1 bath with garage and fenced yard. Priced to sell. 100% financing available to qualified applicant. Call Century 21 GOLDEN SPREAD REALTY 438-4444 Perryton, Texas.

FOR SALE BY OWNER spacious, 3 year old home, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, double car garage, fully carpeted, central heat, refrigerated air, garbage disposal, dishwasher, built in range and oven. Generous closets and storage. Very clean. 716 Steele Drive 659-3622 or 659-3317 33S-rtm

FOR SALE: Two bedroom home wood burner, fenced-in Back Yard; New front lawn, half furnished. 706 Cotter Drive. Call 659-2132. 27-rtm

Mayfield Real Estate 1012 Linn Dr 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths fenced yard. John Mayfield -Broker 435-6528. Salesperson Ruby Lair 659-3436 or 659-2188. 34S-rtm

FOR SALE: Nice 3 bedroom home, storm cellar, fenced yard, carpeted, central heat and air plus humidifier, shown by appointment only, Emmett R. Sanders, Realtor, 659-2516, nights 659-2601. 31-rtm

FOR SALE BY OWNER-3600 sq. ft home with 4 bedrooms, (isolated master), 3 baths, 2 woodburners, 2 living areas. Also has large storage building, garden area, many trees and shrubs. Many other interesting features, 714 Gibner Drive, phone 659-2429. 35-rtm

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 3 Bedroom home, living room, kitchen, 1 bath, one car garage, patio, storage building, fenced yard, fruit trees. Call 659-2518 or 3506. 32-rtm

TAKING SEALED BIDS on choice 1/4 section land, 1 & 1/4 miles west of Waka, 1/4 mile north of highway. REA and natural gas to irrigation well with new pump. Possession in 6 months. Owner reserves right to accept or reject any or all bids. 101 S. Endicott, Spearman. 34StcOnly

HELP WANTED

TRACTOR DRIVER NEEDED Top wages. Call 659-2947. 35-rtm

WANTED Farm Summer Help tractor driving and irrigation, High school or college age preferred. Good Pay. Call 733-2809. 35-2tc

The City of Spearman is accepting applications for a Street Superintendent. Apply at City Hall. 35-2tc

HELP WANTED: Part time secretary and bookkeeper. Call McKibben Equity. 659-2194. 34-rtm

WANTED

YARD MOWING, contact Jamie Heinrich- phone 659-3848 or 3839. 32-8tc

WILL DO lawn mowing and edging Darren or Damon Goodheart. 659-2121 or 659-2871. 24S-rtm

Will do hay hauling, Contact Phil Paul, 659-3592. or Carey Bridges. 659-2065 28S-rtm

WANT TO PURCHASE: 500 gallon over-head gasoline tank, Phone 659-2336.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 1 Bedroom furnished house. Call 3893. 34-4tc

FOR RENT: Trailer Space. 319 S. Endicott. Call after 5 659-3636.

CARD OF THANKS

Rho Rho chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, would like to take this means of sincerely thanking everyone who favored us by buying their fireworks from our stand. This is our main way to receive money. It was a great success but wouldn't have been except for all the wonderful people who bought from us. Thank you all very much. Corr. Sect.

I would like to thank all my friends for their many acts of kindness and their concern shown for me during my recent stay in Hansford Hospital, for your prayers, cards, flowers, gifts, visits and telephone calls and a very special thank you to Dr. Manese and the entire hospital staff for the excellent care I received. Mary Arnold

We want to thank everyone who helped make our Golden Wedding Anniversary a success. Thanks for coming, and for the many cards, prayers, gifts, pictures, flowers and work in serving the guests and the lunch for the family at the Home Demonstration Club Room. We will treasure the memories of your friendship forever. John and Sammie Bishop

CORRECTION In the '59 class reunion story in Sunday's paper the name of Jo Sutherland Grubbs was listed as Jo Sutherland Grubbs. We regret this error. *****

There are people in the world who hate to pay anyone for anything. *****

Politicians who appeal to your selfish interests are seeking your vote. *****

- ★ Carports
 - ★ Patio Covers
 - ★ Awnings
- WRITE OR CALL: Only Aluminum Industries 114 West 1st Guyton, Okla. 73942 Phone 338-6966
- After 6:00 p.m. phone Howard Moyer 338-6170

Metric Mix-up Case Solved; Saves Car Customers Cash

AUSTIN--A Houston rental car customer recently found himself in the midst of a potentially costly mileage disagreement, reports the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA). Whether it should have been called a metric mix-up or simply a case of kilometer confusion, an observant TDA weights and measures inspector helped resolve the problem with nothing lost except a little time.

AUSTIN--Texas grain farmers should be on the lookout for certain unscrupulous grain buyers whose only concern is to reap illegal profits for themselves, warns the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown says the Department receives reports each harvest season of farmers being cheated after accepting payment from "turn-row" buyers based on falsified scale tickets. This often occurs after the producer allows a buyer to load his trucks in the field directly from the harvester, with the agreement that he will take the grain to a weighing station, then pay the farmer for the net weight listed on the scale ticket.

However, some buyers supply their own false weight tickets, which indicate far less than the actual weight of the grain. The result, of course, is lost dollars for the producer and unearned profits for the buyer.

"Turn-row selling, or selling directly from the field, is a perfectly acceptable way of doing business, and the majority of buyers are legitimate," Brown said. "Those who aren't hurt not only the farmer, but also the honest buyers whose reputations are damaged. "The best way for farmers to protect themselves is to know the persons they are dealing with, or take steps to ensure that all grain is accurately weighed, and all scale tickets are authentic," he said.

Brown noted that farmers especially should be suspicious of turn-row buyers

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Weather Tips

Of all subjects which interest the average individual, weather is the most universal, with which practically everyone is concerned.

It's surprising, however, how little most people know about the subject. If one will take the time, he can learn simple rules which are valuable in predicting the weather.

All you need to apply these rules is a barometer and a wind vane, which will tell you the direction the wind is blowing. Here are several:

If you have a high and steady barometer, and the wind is from the south-west or the northwest, the weather will probably be fair with little temperature change for a day or so.

If the barometer is high and falling rapidly and the wind is from the south or southeast, you will probably have increasing wind and rain within twelve to twenty-four hours.

If you have a high barometer, falling rapidly, and the wind is between the southeast and the northeast, the wind will increase and rain will come within twelve hours, in most cases.

If you have a low barometer, rising slowly, and the wind is from the south to the southwest, you will soon have clearing weather and it will be clear for several days.

If you have a low barometer which is rising rapidly, and the wind is from the west, it indicates the weather will be clearing and colder.

Education is not complete if all that the student gets is a trained mind. *****

Millions of husbands try to remake their wives and few succeed. *****

Politics being what they are, you can expect government to be what it is. *****

The problem began after the customer returned his rented automobile at Houston Intercontinental Airport and received a bill for the calculated mileage. He thought the indicated mileage was far above what he had actually driven, and felt that perhaps the odometer was not functioning correctly. After a quick call to the Houston district office of the TDA, an inspector was dispatched to investigate the problem.

A visual check revealed that the car's odometer was registering in kilometers instead of standard miles, even though the rental company's charges were based on miles.

The reason for the excessive mileage soon became clear. A kilometer is equal to just over one-half mile, therefore the odometer recorded almost two digits for each mile the customer drove. His bill would have totaled almost double what it should have.

The agency not only adjusted the customer's bill, but mailed refunds to each of the previous customers in the United States who had been overcharged.

Checking automobile odometers is not one of the major duties of the Texas Department of Agriculture, notes Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. However, the Department is responsible for enforcing accurate commercial weights and measures in all areas.

who offer prices which greatly exceed going market rates.

In Fashion Jacketed sundresses for daytime or dining out are very popular with the working miss.

An attractive autumn sonata features a 100 percent cotton, velvet-lined waistcoat with a tweed, panel front dirndl. The blouse is a garbo bow-tie in a small print.

Texas Food and Fiber

Texas Department of Agriculture Reagan V. Brown, Commissioner



THE FARMERS and ranchers of Texas face many serious and unresolved problems, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown, but they are by no means alone.

"At a recent gathering of the commissioners of 15 southern state departments of agriculture, our discussions confirmed that many of the difficulties faced by Texas agriculture are much the same as those that other states are up against," Brown said.

"There is no question that the continuing loss of valuable farmland to erosion and urban development must be stopped if we are to maintain adequate food and fiber production," he said. "And we must take steps to protect the family farm, and stem the exodus from our farms and ranches."

Probably the most troubling aspect is the environment of uncertainty in which farmers and ranchers must operate. Brown commented, "The government is more closely tied to agriculture than at any time in the past, but it is extremely difficult to plan ahead when the rules keep changing," he said. "With environmental rules and farm programs that change from year to year, and uncertainties over fuel and other vital supplies, our farmers find it virtually impossible to maintain orderly production plans."

In fact, if we are to prevent a food disaster in this country, and this is a real possibility, we must change our whole attitude toward agriculture," he said.

Since the South comprises one of the nation's most important agricultural producing and exporting sectors, the group took steps at the meeting which will ensure that the viewpoint of Southern agriculture is made clear at the federal policy-making level.

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Watch Out For Rabies

Public awareness of rabies prevention is important due to the large increase of confirmed cases in Texas this year, says Layton Barton.

Rabies cases doubled during the January-March period of this year compared to the same period a year ago.

Rabies, one of the oldest and most feared diseases, is a natural disease of dogs, cats, bats and wild carnivores, points out the County Agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

All warm-blooded animals are susceptible since the disease is transmitted by a bite which introduces the virus-bearing saliva, explains Barton.

The virus may be present one to three days before the onset of clinical signs. Since there are no "typical" cases, animals exhibit a wide range of symptoms. Therefore, any unexplained central nervous system disorder should be regarded as possibly being rabies, cautions Barton.

Clinical rabies in man and most animals is essentially 100 percent fatal. There is no specific therapy once the disease's course has begun.

Take proper precautions

when encountering an animal suspected of being rabid, warns Barton. An apparently healthy animal that is not a stray that bites a person should be confined and observed by a veterinarian for 10 days. Immediately kill a stray that bites. Since the brain is needed for diagnosis, don't kill the animal by injuring its head.

Immediately clean all bites and scratches thoroughly with soap and water since this is the most effective rabies preventive. Then contact your doctor for further treatment.

Protect all pets through a rabies vaccination program. Livestock should also be protected in areas where rabies is prevalent in wildlife.

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Promptly pick up and humanely dispose of all stray animals. Also, warn children to stay away from strays or other wild animals, adds Barton.

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F	7/13	6 vs 4	2 vs 5	3 vs 1
M	7/16	5 vs 3	4 vs 1	2 vs 6
F	7/20	4 vs 5	3 vs 2	1 vs 6
M	7/23	5 vs 1	6 vs 3	2 vs 4
F	7/27	4 vs 3	1 vs 2	5 vs 6
M	7/30	2 vs 5	3 vs 1	6 vs 4
F	8/3	4 vs 1	5 vs 3	2 vs 6
M	8/6	3 vs 2	1 vs 6	4 vs 5
F	8/10	2 vs 4	5 vs 1	6 vs 3
M	8/13	5 vs 1	5 vs 6	6 vs 4
F	8/17	4 vs 5	6 vs 3	6 vs 2

MEN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Day	Date	7:15 Game	UMPIRES	8:45 Game	UMPIRES
T	7/10	2 vs 6	1-5	1 vs 5	2-6
Th	7/12	3 vs 6	7-2	7 vs 2	3-6
T	7/17	4 vs 8	7-1	7 vs 1	4-8
Th	7/19	6 vs 4	5-2	5 vs 2	6-4
T	7/24	2 vs 3	6-8	6 vs 8	3-2
Th	7/26	8 vs 5	4-1	4 vs 1	8-5
T	7/31	6 vs 7	2-8	2 vs 8	7-6
Th	8/2	7 vs 4	3-5	3 vs 5	7-4

Clinic Planned

Get canning equipment and supplies ready—harvest and preservation season for garden fresh fruits and vegetables is just around the corner.

Thursday, July 12, at 2:00 p.m. in the Spearman Home-maker's Clubroom you can have the gauge for your steam pressure canner tested for accuracy. Latest research for home preservation of foods will be discussed and bulletins will be available.

The La Casita Room of the Gruver State Bank will be the site for a similar session on home food preservation, Thursday, July 19 at 2:00 p.m.

Extension programs are open to all people regardless of race, color, national origin, sex or religion.

For more information, contact Peggy Winegarner, county extension office (659-2030 or 733-2901).

"TEXAS" Attendance Higher This Year

Canyon--At the end of the second week, attendance at the musical drama, "TEXAS" for the first two weeks was higher than in 1978. Triangles had been awarded to people for coming the greatest distance to see the show from Thailand, Japan, Singapore, India, Arabia, Austria and Kuwait.

Craig Skaggs, who has made many friends for "TEXAS" with his genial program sales, brought a cake several feet square to the fourth of July show reading "Happy Birthday America" and served it to staff and crew and visitors.

A doe and a fawn joined the cast on two occasions, ambling onto the grass between the stage and the cliff, and remaining for some time in the lights, watching the audience and the show.

One evening, the buggy horse slipped out of his harness and climbed up the cliff.

And in all the excitement, the cast went its steady way. "Inviting you all to come to 'TEXAS'!"

There have been no shortages of gasoline in the Texas panhandle, and New Mexico, just 100 miles away, is advertising that gas there is plentiful.

For tickets write P. O. Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015 or call 806-655-2181. It is well to make reservations in advance. A good selection of seats is available except for some Saturdays.



GENA ROWLANDS stars as Peter Falk's supporting wife in Universal's "The Brink's Job," in which Falk "masterminds the crime of the century."

Terry Pittman receives honor

Terry Pittman of Canadian, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pittman of Perryton, and formerly of Spearman, was recently named as one of the Outstanding Men of America by its board of advisors.

The honor is based on outstanding professional achievement, superior leadership ability and exception service to the community.

Karl Johnson Gets A&M Honor

COLLEGE STATION -- Karl E. Johnson of Morse has earned "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University.

The undergraduate honor is awarded to students who excel academically at Texas A&M, the state's land-grant and sea-grant institution responsible for providing not only excellence in academic programs but extension and research in agriculture, engineering and other practical needs throughout the state.

He is employed with National Life Insurance in Canadian, and is married to the former Donna Hardy. The couple have two children, Krista and Scott.

A biographical sketch and record of accomplishments of Pittman will be included in the 1979 edition of Outstanding Men of America.

Recipients of the Distinguished Student honor must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.

Johnson, Box 95, is a senior agriculture economic major.

Presbyterian Church News

Starved for real love? Lonesome? These needs can be filled if you would just come to the First Presbyterian Church, 11th and Cotter Drive.

There is a Sunday Church School class that just meets your spiritual needs every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

The Rev. Carter McKemy will be expounding from the Word of God at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday July 15 at 11:00 a.m. Myrt Bohanan will be the lay person assisting in the worship service.

Presbyterian Women's Association will meet at the church on Wednesday, July 18 at 9:30 a.m. Julie Felder will be the hostess. Dorothy Fae Baggerly will lead the Bible study in the Gospel of Mark.

Come and participate in real love at the First Presbyterian Church.

Social Security News

The social security trust funds that pay retirement and disability benefits to eligible workers and their families and survivors benefits to the dependents of deceased workers are in sound financial shape, according to the 1979 annual report of the Board of Trustees.

The Board of Trustees, headed by Treasury Secretary W. Michael Blumenthal, projects an increase in the social security retirement, survivors, and disability insurance trust funds from \$30.5 billion at the end of 1979 to more than \$42.5 billion by the end of 1982. Beginning in 1981, income to these trust funds is expected to exceed outgo each year until well into the next century.

Social security income will total \$106.4 billion this year compared to \$107.6 billion in expenditures. That deficit will gradually turn around so that in 1981 income is projected to be \$140.3 billion and outgo \$135.2 billion - a surplus of \$5.1 billion.

The report projects that the retirement, survivors, and disability insurance trust funds will have sufficient income to meet the cost of benefits and administration until about year 2030.

Accepted By Academy

Jim Brandvik of Dumas, Texas has been notified of his acceptance to the New Mexico State Police Academy at Santa Fe and will begin intensive training there July 15.

Jim has served as a patrolman with the Dumas Police Department since February 1978. Before that he worked as a deputy with the Hemphill County Sheriff's Department in Canadian.

Jim submitted his application to the New Mexico State Police several months ago and was one of 40 men selected out of 700 applicants to train at the academy.

Orientation will be held for family members on July 14.

Jim's wife, Kandy, and son Christopher will join him in New Mexico upon completion of the 3 month training period.

Jim's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brandvik of Gruver.

4-H Fashion Revue Final



Mary Kenney, Stacy Poole, Karen Kenney, Kerri Holt, Anne Marie Jarvis, Stacie Swan---top winners in the Hansford County 4-H Fashion Revue July 10th.

The Hansford County 4-H Fashion Revue held Tuesday, July 10 in the First Baptist Church in Spearman, signaled the grand finale for the youth participating in 4-H Clothing projects this year.

Competition was on construction and overall appearance of the handmade garments.

Karen Kenney of Spearman placed first in the Senior division and will represent Hansford County at the district competition with her 100 per-

cent wool ensemble.

Mary Ann Kenney of Spearman won 1st place in level II of the Junior division, with Susan Davis of Morse placing second and Stacy Poole of Morse placing third. Mary Kenney won the modeling award in this division.

Winning 1st place in level I of the Junior division was Kerri Ann Holt of Spearman, with Anne Marie Jarvis placing second and Stacie Swan third, each girl receiving blue ribbons. Kerri Ann Holt received the award for Best Model.

Receiving red ribbons in this division were: Marty Depee and Leticia Vela of Spearman and Carol Poole and Kthy Poole of Morse.

Stacy Poole welcomed the guests and Lonita Greene served as narrator as eleven 4-H members between the ages of 9 and 19 modeled their handmade outfits to the background music provided by Mrs. Kent Depee.

Mrs. Mike Garnett served as judge for best model and assistant County Extension Agent Peggy Winegarner in presentation of

awards. Announcements and recognition of 4-H clothing leaders were made by Mary Kenney. Carol & Kathy Poole assisted in handing out programs and Julie Farr registered guests.

The Hansford County Extension Homemakers Council provided refreshments for the parents, leaders and visitors attending the Revue. The Council also provided favors for each of the participants.

Cunningham Among Outstanding Educators

Dayton, Ohio--The Institute for Development of Educational Activities, Inc. (I/D/E/A/), the educational affiliate of the Charles F. Kettering Foundation, announced today that Mr. James A. Cunningham, Superintendent Spearman Independent School District, Spearman,

Texas, has been selected as a member of the prestigious I/D/E/A/ Academy of Fellows. Mr. Cunningham has been chosen as one of 650 outstanding American educators to receive this honor and will participate in a week-long seminar to be held at Stephens

College, Columbia, Missouri this coming July.

During the week a faculty of nationally prominent educational leaders will address the Fellows and meet with them in small groups for the purpose of coping with issues and problems of education in the '80s.

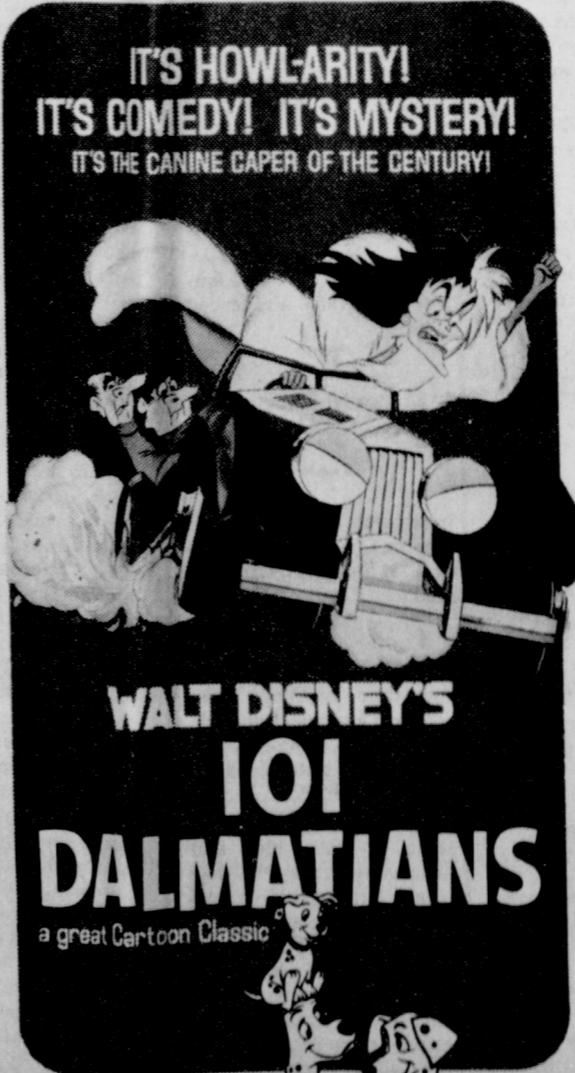
The Academy of Fellows is the oldest, continuing in-service program for school administrators in the nation. The Fellows Program has provided in-service training for over 6,000 participants from North America and overseas.

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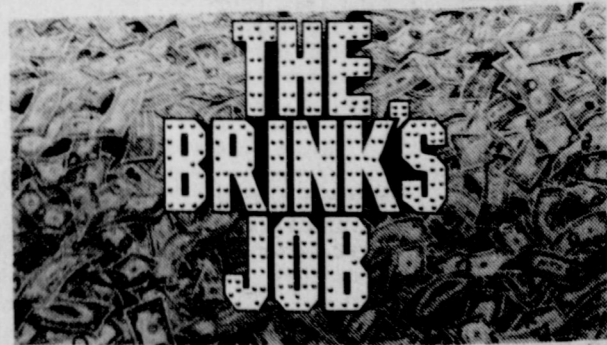
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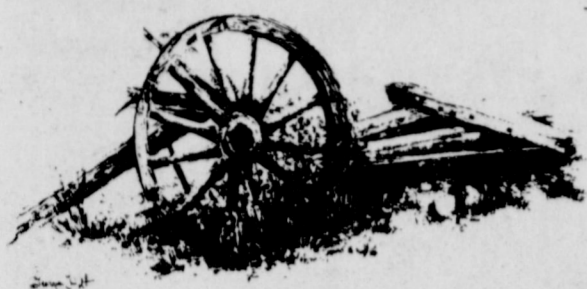
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History Book Deadline Nears



The deadline for submitting your family story to be included in the Hansford County History Book is July 18.

A spokesman for the Hansford County Historical Commission said that approximately 339 stories have been turned in as of Friday. A telephone committee is now in operation contacting people who have not yet turned their history in. Every effort is being made by the Commission to see the Hansford County has an interesting and complete history book, so if you have not turned in your story, won't you please do so?

You may submit a story for 500 words or less free of charge. If more words are needed they are 10 cents a word. Pictures

may also be submitted with your story.

The books will sell for \$35.00 and \$1.75 sales tax.

Memorial and tribute pages are also being sold. As of Friday, 15 special pages have been sold. Cost of a memorial page is \$150 for a full page, \$80.00 for a half page and \$45.00 for a fourth page.

For further information contact Ruby Saltness, Stationmaster Museum in Spearman, or any other commission member.

It is expected that the book will go to press about the first of 1980. Committees are working on the overall history of the county at the present time.

Bullock Cutting Down On Estate Paper Work

AUSTIN--State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday said he has authorized a simple declaration form for certain beneficiaries to use in lieu of an inheritance tax return for estates less than \$200,000.

Bullock said the declaration of no tax due from Class A beneficiaries will replace the additional step of filing a more complicated return and having the Comptroller's Office issue a no tax declaration.

A Class A beneficiary is defined as a person most closely related to the deceased person, including the surviving spouse, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, parents and grandparents of a deceased person are also included in the definition.

"The new form is an effort to cut down on the amount of paperwork for small estates on which no Texas inheritance taxes are due and make our inheritance tax division a little more efficient and responsive at the same time," Bullock said.

Estates which have a gross value of less than \$200,000 are exempt by law from state inheritance taxes for Class A beneficiaries. Beginning, September 1, 1982, this figure will be increased to \$250,000, and to \$300,000 on September 1, 1985. Preliminary estimates show that nearly 80 percent of the more than 50,000 inheritance tax returns sent to the Comptroller's Office each year could be handled with the one-page declaration of no tax due.

The new form is being made available in all county courthouses and through Texas attorneys. It is also available from the Comptroller's Inheritance Tax Division as well as the Comptroller's field offices located throughout the state.

Inheritance taxes paid to the Comptroller during the last fiscal year amounted to \$77.9 million.

Give a little love to a child, and you get a great deal back. -John Ruskin.

Grants Available For Energy Audits

DALLAS, TEXAS - Schools, hospitals, units of local government and public care institutions in Texas will have an opportunity to share in \$1,227,633 in federal funds available under a matching grant program, it was announced today by G. Dan Rambo, Regional Representative for the U.S. Department of Energy.

The program is being conducted by the DOE regional office in Dallas and the Texas Governor's Office of Energy Resources.

Under the first phase of the grant program eligible institutions may apply for funds to conduct an energy audit of their facilities to increase energy efficiency. This would be achieved through improved maintenance and operations procedures and through identification of energy conserving opportunities through capital improvements.

Under a later phase of this program, funds will be made available to eligible institutions for in-depth engineering analyses and capital improvements.

The Texas program is part of a nationwide effort to reduce energy consumption and associated costs in the nation's public institutions.

Watt's Ahead For Electric Power?

Though there may be a fuel shortage, there's no shortage of ideas on how electricity will be generated in the years ahead.

In addition to conventional fuels to fire the steam boilers that turn the turbines that generate electricity, there's uranium—currently the least expensive method of generating electricity by nuclear power.

What else is ahead? According to the experts at the Edison Electric Institute, a lot.

• Coal gasification (gas from coal) and liquefaction (liquid fuel from coal). So far, not economically feasible.

• Magnetohydrodynamics. Very hot, high pressure gases are blown between magnetic poles to generate electricity. Technology not expected to be perfected until about the year 2000.

• Solar energy. Science still seeking economical ways to capture the sun's energy, store it and change it into electricity.

• Solar satellite and solar farms. A satellite would collect sunlight 24 hours a day,



There's no shortage of energy ideas.

beam it to earth by microwaves where it would be transformed into electricity. With costs and other problems, it's not expected to be a reality until the 21st century.

• Geothermal energy. Although it's relatively clean, needs no additional fuels and is believed to have long-lasting reserves, energy production from this source will require more advanced technology to be economically feasible.

• Wind power, the oldest energy source. The wind might have some rural uses but is not expected to make any significant contribution to national electric power production. There are too many uncontrollable problems.

Best Of Press

'Sfact' Don't find fault...Find a remedy. Anybody can complain. -Pathfinder, Fort Wayne.

Good Old Days? If Patrick Henry thought taxation without representation was bad, he should see it with representation. -Outpost, Key West.

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Charter Bus To "TEXAS" Planned

Mrs. Sam Graves of Continental Bus Lines in Spearman announced this week that a charter bus is available to "TEXAS" in the Palo Duro Canyon on July 27.

The cost is \$20.55 for adults and \$18.05 for children under 12. This includes the bus fare and ticket to the drama.

Anyone wishing to make the trip is urged to call Mrs. Graves at 659-3446 as soon as possible for reservations. She will need a certain number of people to sign up in order to have the bus reserved. Departure time is usually around 4 p.m.

Spearfish, S. Dak., experienced a phenomenal 49° change in temperature in January 1943, when the thermometer rose from minus 40° F to 45° F in two minutes.

Self-Reliance

The surest place to find a helping hand is at the end of your own arm. -Globe, Mason City, Ia.

What Source?

It's asked what our political seers are gazing into as they make their weird predictions—a broken crystal or an empty fifth? -Dispatch, Richmond.

Somehow

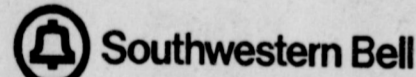
It must be said that the taxpayer is numbered about the fittest. Under the toughest conditions, he manages somehow to survive. -Grit.

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas effective August 3, 1979.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish a 6.09 percent increase in the company's intra-state revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.



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Sheriff Posse To Hold Annual Queen Contest

The Texas County Sheriff Posse of Guymon, Okla. will be holding their annual Queen Contest, July 27 & 28 in the Guymon Rodeo.

All girls age 17 and under as of Jan. 1, 1979 are eligible. A supper will be given for the

queen's contestants at K-Bob's at a later date.

Prizes of a saddle, 2, 3, and 4 places will be given savings bonds.

Contestants will be judged on ticket sales, poise, personality, appearance and horsemanship.

Entries may be mailed or called in. Deadline is July 10. Contestants should mail their name, address and age to Myrtle Costner, 1516 N. Academy, Guymon, Okla. 73942, or call 405-338-7521, 338-6714, 338-2366, 338-2546.

Country Armyworms In Home Landscapes

Armyworms can completely defoliate plants in the home landscape unless control measures are taken, points out Layton Barton, County Agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

When fully grown, armyworms are about two-inches long and are green or brown in color with various markings. There are true, fall, yellow-striped and beet armyworms.

Several generations occur each year, with more distinct groups in spring and summer. A life cycle can be completed in about seven weeks but can range from less than six weeks

to several months, depending on temperature, food and other environmental factors.

Control armyworms when plant damage is excessive or when their numbers are large, suggests Barton. Preventive treatments aren't justified because attacks are sporadic. Early detection by frequent plant inspection is important.

Recommended insecticides are carbaryl (Sevin), chlorpyrifos (Dursban), diazinon (Spectracide), malathion, methoxychlor, and trichlorfon (Dylox).

Follow all directions on the label, reminds Barton. Not all insecticides are labeled for all plants attacked by armyworms.

Texas Tech Offers Pre-Nursing

LUBBOCK--Students interested in a nursing career may take course work toward their goal at Texas Tech University.

The College of Home Economics has offered a pre-nursing program since the early 1950's.

Although Texas Tech does not have courses in nursing arts, it does offer regular college-level courses required in all nursing schools, both for collegiate and diploma programs.

The College of Home Economics offers 32 semester hours of pre-nursing courses and usually a little more than a year is needed for students to complete all of them.

Two programs are available to students who come to Texas Tech for pre-nursing: first, the student may take one or two years of academic courses prior to transferring to a college or

university offering a degree in nursing; or, second, the student may prepare to qualify for admittance to one of the two-year diploma programs in a hospital school of nursing.

Among many Texas colleges awarding nursing degrees a sampling includes West Texas State University, North Texas State University, The University of Texas at Austin, and Incarnate Word, San Antonio.

Many of the students who completed courses at Texas Tech and then attended Lubbock's Methodist Hospital School of Nursing commend the Tech program. "The science courses at Tech are good and the nursing arts at Methodist Hospital provide a strong background for a career in nursing," Donald S. Longworth, dean, College of Home Economics, says.

Effective 4-H Leadership

An effective 4-H leader is an adult or teen leader who makes it possible for 4-H'ers to get together as a group to learn and do things that would not be possible for them to do alone.

The good 4-H leader offers security, suggestions and support. He or she doesn't dictate, determine and direct all activities of the group, emphasizes Peggy Winegarner, County Agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Individual members must be the doers and learners.

4-H teaches "learning by doing," so leaders should remember that mistakes are learning experiences for 4-H'ers.

The 4-H "Leader" is really a "helper," and "leadership" is "helpership," points out Mrs. Winegarner. As 4-H'ers grow and develop, they too can become helpers as outward expressions of their caring and sharing for others. The time that a leader gives the 4-H members can make the world a better place to live and will be multiplied many times over through each 4-H'er who helps others.

As a 4-H volunteer leader you will help coordinate 4-H project activities for a small group of 4-H'ers.

The first and most important step is to get your group together so that members can plan what they would like to do in the project. You can help them to do this by calling the meeting and providing a place to meet. Younger 4-H'ers will

need more guidance for their planning, but regardless of the age group, it's important for 4-H'ers to make their plans themselves.

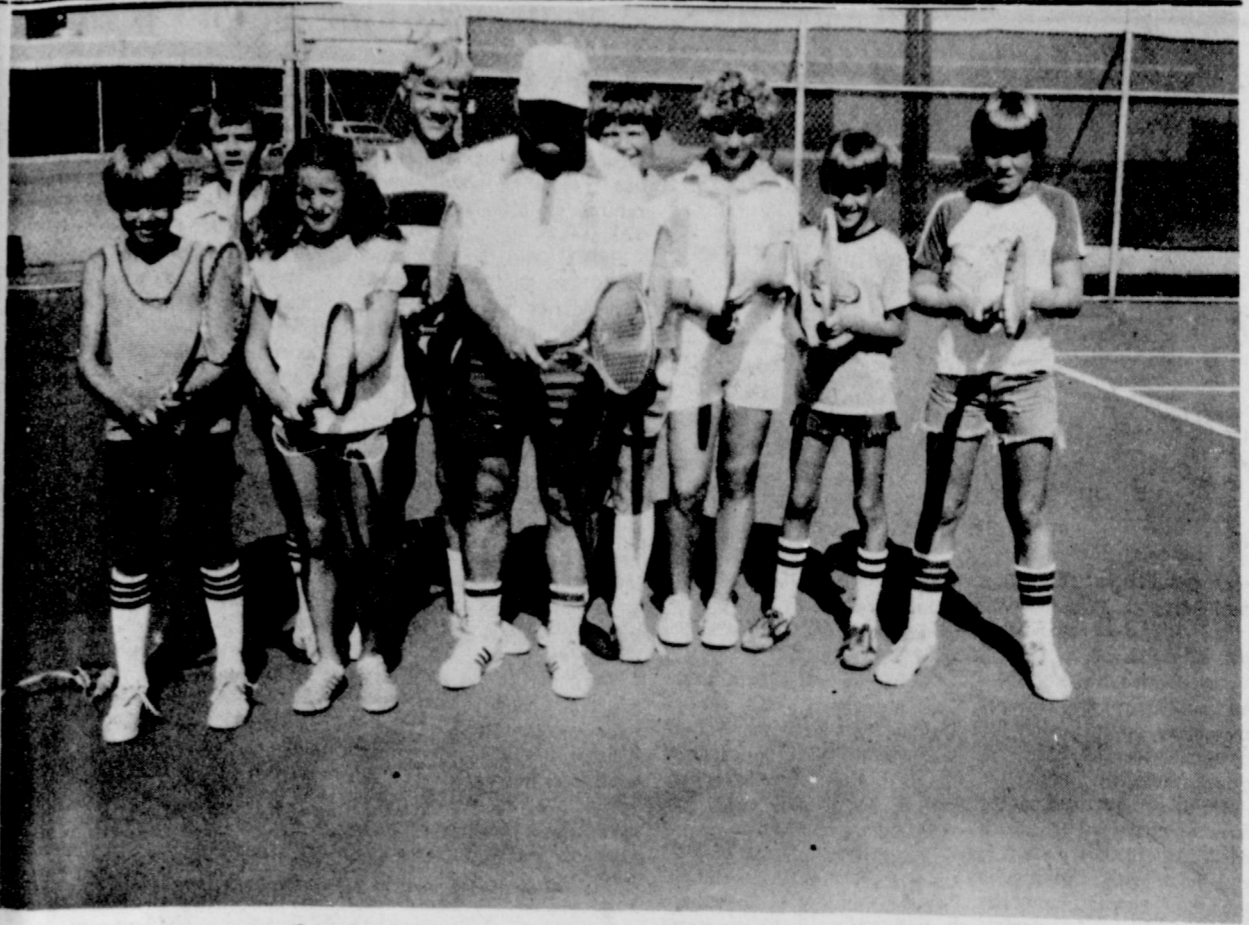
After a general plan for the project is developed, you and the group should decide what will be needed and what other leaders will be needed to help you and your group. 4-H parents and other adults will be willing to help if you can request specific help. Some kinds of assistance you may need are refreshments, meeting places, transportation, speakers and tour leaders.

Although planning takes a little time, it will make the rest of the project much easier and more productive, contends Mrs. Winegarner.

Involvement is the key to happy 4-H'ers. Let 4-H'ers themselves do everything they possibly can to develop their plans and carry out their projects. Remember, they'll learn much more if they do it themselves.

Every meeting should be fun as well as educational. Parties, picnics, refreshments and other activities keep 4-H'ers enthusiastic and active. Often these can be combined with educational activities with just a little creative planning.

The 4-H program offers limitless possibilities because it involves so many different projects. It's exciting to think of the important effect you as a 4-H leader can have on 4-H boys and girls by helping them to develop into good citizens.



PERRY COURSEY, AND his tennis class in Spearman, has been very successful this week!

NOTICE OF HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS FOR 1979

The SPEARMAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT hereby announces that all persons are entitled to receive an exemption of \$5,000 from the market value of their residence homestead for the purpose of school taxes. In addition, all persons who are 65 or older or under a disability for purposes of payment of disability benefits under Federal Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance are also entitled to an additional exemption of \$10,000 from the market value of their residence homesteads for the purpose of school taxes.

To qualify for these exemptions, an application must be filed with the school district tax office by July 16, 1979. Application forms are available at the school tax office located at: 403 E. 11th Street, Spearman, Texas.

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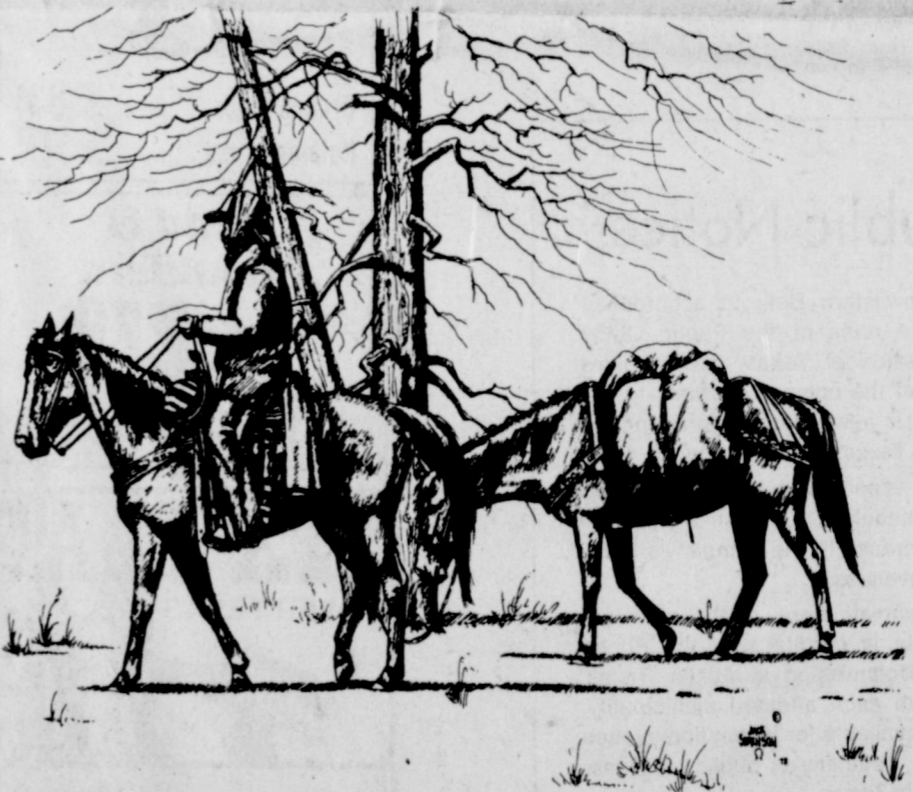
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FROM THE DEN OF POISON PEN

We had quite a week-end in weather this past week-end. Early Monday morning, several local people saw a severe cloud go North of Spearman about 5 a.m. They all saw a twister in the cloud, and sure enough, the power was knocked out at 5 a.m. and stayed out for about an hour. The storm caused some havoc in the Perryton area, and Mike Cudd said that he and his family huddled in the hallway of their home near Perryton (about 3 miles West) and he said limbs, bales of hay, and everything was being blown about his farm. The storm just barely missed Spearman! We are glad that no one lost their home in the near twister, and hope that everyone can get their wheat finished cutting this week!

Claude Newell, the local Kirby Kid, quit working last Monday, and said he was not going to work until Skylab fell to the ground! I guess Claude was afraid he would turn on a Kirby cleaner, and not hear the fragments falling! We had a part of a Russian Skylab fall near Waka a few years ago, and I can't remember who the man was that heard the thing falling and called me to make pictures of it. If you are reading this column, please call us so we can look up the story on the falling skylab near Waka a few years ago!

Stop the press! We just remembered who the guy was that almost got hit by the falling Skylab! It was James Umphress, and his wife is looking up the story so we can run it in the paper! Be sure and watch for the James Umphress Skylab story in this paper!

I wanted to watch Molly Holton and Shelia Watley in the Perryton tennis tournament over the week-end, but somehow I had a terrible time Saturday, and had to stay around the shop off and on all day! Shelia is the new tennis coach for the Spearman Lynx and Lynettes!

OFFICERS AND STAFFS OF STATE WHEAT ASSOCIATIONS from throughout the commercial wheat producing areas of the Nation met this past week in Idaho to assess the current wheat production, marketing, supply, demand and price situation and to attempt to evaluate "where we're headed" in all of these plus government program decisions which may affect them. Joining the producers were representatives from the Secretaries of Foreign Agri. Service Administrator, Deputy ASCS Administrator, Senior VP of the Chicago Board of Trade, International Grain traders and Rail Road officials. Many facts were put forward, viewpoints expressed and finally, recommendations made. Some are recounted here.

THE CURRENT CHANGING WHEAT DEMAND, SUPPLY & PRICE SITUATION did not develop overnight or by any one single cause. Some of the factors leading to the \$1.50 price increase over a year ago, the strong demand and release of the grain reserve, include:

1. The world consumed a record amount of wheat in the 1978/79 marketing year--410 million tons--15 billion bushels.
2. China's return to the market.
3. Russia's inability to supply satellite countries--increasing U.S. demand in these Eastern European areas.
4. Poor crops in some exporting countries--ie, India and Pakistan.
5. Logistic problems in moving to and through ports in Canada and Australia.
6. Continuing increase in consumption in many areas where U.S. export market development is being conducted.
7. May satellite crop monitoring information from Russia of a possible drop in total grain production from 237 million tons in 1978 to a low of 170 in 1979--lowered by later information in June to 155 million tons.

So far this is simple information about crop conditions. It has not at this point generated any reported additional wheat sales).

THE 411 MILLION BUSHEL 3-YEAR WHEAT RESERVE released May 16 by the national average price paid to farmers reaching the established triggering point of \$3.29 has resulted in the release by producers of 12.5% or 51 million bushels. Farmers continued astute "orderly marketing" coupled with continued rumors of strong demand is pushing the farm price toward the established 175% of loan rate--\$4.11--point of the Secretary announcing a recall of the 3-year reserve loans.

AS THE ESTABLISHED \$4.11 LOAN RECALL point is approached the market has faltered and increases slowed. To the extent they continue in this pattern or drop or escalate may depend on some actual indication of a true strong demand as evidenced by some actual orders for delivery being placed by domestic or foreign buyers. Current regulations call for the loans to be repaid within 30 days after any recall order--no provisions for going back under loan if prices then drop. In as much as harvest of a 1.9 to 2 billion crop is underway, there is problems with both rail & truck movement, and a 960 million bushel carryover of wheat on hand, the state and national wheat grower groups, with strong concurrence and support from the related industries, are making several recommendations to the President and Secretary of Agriculture.

1. That the 30-day loan recall period be extended to 120 days to allow more orderly movement of the reserve into the market and prevent a "fire sale" price depressing situation.
2. That in the same recall announcement that there also be an increase in the loan rate and target prices for wheat and the opening of a new wheat reserve, (at the new higher entry, release and recall levels), that old reserve wheat may be moved into the new reserve and it also be opened for 1978 & 1979 crop wheat.

It is firmly believed that the level of prices in the next few weeks and especially in the longer run will be directly related to the extent to which these or equally effective government actions are taken, and farmers response to them.

RELATED TO THE ABOVE IS THE 1980 WHEAT PROGRAM PROVISIONS. Due to the current demand, supply, and price situation, many are assuming that it would be desirable to have no set-aside for 1980. Some government officials and most producers want to maintain some semblance of a set-aside (at least 5%) in order to maintain the current program in tact. To do otherwise will dismantle losing the NCA and current cropping practices history. It would mean also that the current \$3.40 target would automatically revert back to \$3.05 (plus a small cost of production adjustment--maybe to \$3.10). This would reduce farm income protection by at least 30 cents a bushel.

A NEW LEGISLATED "INTERNATIONAL FOOD AID WHEAT RESERVE" OF 400 MILLION BUSHELS continues to be actively sought by the Administration. The Texas & National Association continues to oppose any government owned reserve.

LEGISLATION CALLING FOR A 7% INCREASE IN THE TARGET PRICE FOR 1979 (only) has cleared the House Ag Committee. TWPA & NAWG are asking that it be amended to include the 7% increase for each of the current farm program years 1979,80 & 81--7% each year and an amendment assuring that in the event of no set-aside that the target be maintained at least at the current \$3.40 level. Since deficiency and disaster payments are related to the target level, all these changes would strengthen those income protection provisions.

WESTERN WHEAT ASSOCIATES, the producers market development arm in Asia, also held a 2-day summer board meeting in Idaho preceding the NAWG sessions. W.R. Moore, Jr., Texas' representative to WWA also participated in setting direction for export expansion programs in the months ahead.

MEANWHILE BACK AT HOME BASE, since our last letter June 1, Jim has completed calls on all grain elevators leaving new posters, desk material and appealing for stronger check-off efforts. The Farm Bureau has carried a full page feature with pictures and cut lines about the producer Boards foreign market development work, particularly in connection with a Japanese Trade Team's visit here during which FB staff and wheat council officers were invited to participate.

The Texas Grain & Feed Association had a paragraph in its membership letter to all grain elevators urging support of the Wheat Board & Association programs through the check-off and membership activities, saying, "The TGFA is convinced that the TWPB multiples ten fold every dollar collected and that they do a great job developing new markets for our grain." Similar accolades were expressed about the Association work and leadership in Austin & Washington. Jim briefed the Executive Officers of the First National Bank, Amarillo on the wheat situation, after a similar KVII-TV program and speech to the Downtown Kiwanis Club. Ballots were mailed to all producers for the election of three Producer Board members for a six-year term--due to be returned by July 12.

Jim accompanied a four-man Ecuadorian Wheat Industry Team to Houston and a visit to wheat export Houston this Wednesday for a Thursday & Friday program.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Even at today's higher wheat prices, wheat is a bigger bargain in world markets than it was in 1972 when it was a \$1.27 per bu. to the farmer. Then Russia and other buyers could get one ton of \$60 per ton export wheat for one ounce of \$60 per oz. gold. Now one ounce of \$285 per oz. gold buys 1.75 tons of \$160 per ton export wheat.

REMEMBER: THE FARMER CANNOT BE EXPECTED TO FEED ANYBODY'S CHILDREN--AT HOME OR ABROAD--UNLESS HE CAN FEED HIS OWN!

Contrary to popular belief, the porcupine cannot shoot its quills at attackers.



Left to right, James Umphress, Bill Hutton, Roland Thurmon, and Bill Douglas inspect the object that fell from the sky near them last Friday at 3:30 p.m.

A double sonic boom, and the sound of an old World War II airplane crashing, was what Bill Douglas and James Umphress heard at 3:30 p.m. Friday. The two were working on a Shamrock lease, 6 miles North of Waka, when the bombardment started.

The extra loud, double sonic boom was heard in Spearman, but the ensuing "whirring" of a crashing airplane was not heard, except near the location where the 89 lb. piece of steel crashed into the ground.

The two men saw a large cloud of dust fly into the air, but never did find the scene of the crash, until Monday evening, when Roland Thurman, came upon the object buried 24 inches in the ground. Roland was walking out a maize row when he found the satellite part. The piece of steel dug a 24 inch deep hole, and apparently was white hot, as it hit the ground. The dirt in the hole, was burned black, and had the appearance of a campfire location. The piece of steel, was 27 inches long, 7 inches wide and 2 inches thick. Each end was burned, and there was a machined-hole in the middle of the piece, where it apparently had been bolted to some other part.

This same freakish thing happened at Pratt, Kansas,

Gate, Okla., and Adrian. The government has since identified the pieces as parts of a Russian spy satellite.

Others speculate that this is a part of the missile that was fired from Kwajalein, in the Pacific on Friday.

The U. S. Air Force and the Federal Aviation Administration have launched an investigation today to determine the origin of the four chunks of metal found in the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandles and near Platte, Kansas.

The white-hot slabs of metal hurtled to earth Friday in a screaming dive, one-shaped like a cigar and weighing 150 lbs., hitting near an oil well crew about 3:30 Friday near Pratt. This was the same time the one hit near Waka, where the Spearman men were. Several oil field men in the area near Waka thought that road crewmen were blasting the caliche pits nearby, because of the many sonic booms made by the falling object.

been identified as part of a Russian spy satellite.

The fourth piece, of course was the one that fell near Waka.

Kenneth Long, an Oklahoma farmer, said the space fragment zoomed earthward and slammed into the ground digging about a four-foot deep hole. The one near Waka, was about 2 feet deep.

Many area residents near Spearman reported hearing a boom noise followed by one or two more sonic booms, about the time the metal hit the ground Friday afternoon. This large piece of white-hot steel could have started a fire or destroyed about anything that it hit.

EDITORS NOTE: Today, July 12, 1979, the Skylab will be falling somewhere in the U. S. In August of 1970, a large part of a Russian missile fell between Waka and Spearman, barely missing the cities of Gruver, Perryton and Spearman. The eye-witness account is printed above, taken from the Sept. 3rd issue of the Spearman Reporter.

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Farmers Must File Priority Request For Natural Gas

Martin L. Chandler, County Executive Director of the Hansford County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee, today reminded farmers, food processors, food distributors and other agricultural concerns desiring protection against natural gas curtailments to file a written priority request with their supplier no later than July 15, 1979. The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), originally designated June 15 as the last day for this requirement but extended it by one month.

"Users of interstate natural gas have been certified by the Secretary of Agriculture to be protected up to the full requirement against curtailment", Chandler said.

- Intended end user and volumes of natural gas needed
 - Natural gas purchases for most recent 12 months for which records are available
 - Documentation to support calculation of needs
 - Standard industrial classification (SIC) code numbers such as 01 for crops and 02 for livestock, and
 - Signature swearing or affirming to accuracy of the request.
 - Suggested that local natural gas suppliers be contacted concerning procedures for obtaining agricultural priority.
- "If additional assistance is needed, our state and county offices will soon have information regarding eligible 'Essential Agricultural Uses' as well as a suggested format for filing", the ASCS Official said.

BIBLE VERSE

"Men judge by outward appearance, but I look at a man's thoughts and intentions."

1. Who was the author of this statement?
2. To whom was it spoken?
3. What is the interpretation of it?
4. Where may it be found?

Answers To Bible Verse



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Screwworm Regulations Affect Livestock Shipments

Since Texas has been designated as a recurring screwworm infestation area by the USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, producers must follow certain precautions when shipping livestock.

All livestock moving from Texas have to be examined and certified as screwworm-free within 72 hours before shipment, says Layton Barton, County Agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. This is done by a state or federal inspector or an accredited veterinarian before crossing state lines.

Prior to entering Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, South Carolina, Tennessee, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and U. S. Virgin Islands, livestock must be sprayed or dipped with pesticides at the point of origin of interstate movement.

USDA-approved pesticides, include Co-Ral (coumaphos) 25 percent wettable powder used as a 20 percent to 25 percent spray, dip or wound treatment; Co-Ral emulsifiable insecticide used as a 20 percent to 25 percent spray or wound treatment; and Korlan 24E used as a 45 percent to 50 percent spray or wound treatment. The latter should not be applied to beef cattle within one week of slaughter.

Inspectors may withhold certification if they suspect a screwworm infestation and if animals can't be adequately treated to prevent spread of the infestation.

Livestock movement into states other than those listed above differs slightly, says Barton. In addition to inspection and certification, livestock must be free of open wounds. If an animal is screwworm-free but has open wounds, it must be

treated with an approved pesticide. Any animal in a group may not be moved interstate until it is free of screwworms. Remaining animals may be moved only if they have been sprayed or dipped with an approved pesticide, adds Barton.

It's easy to voice an opinion before one knows much about the subject involved.

Non-essentials take up too much time in life but why be different from everyone else?

Fishermen are coming home with the usual astounding stories about the large ones--that got away.



Mr. and Mrs. Louis Flowers of Perryton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pamela Sue, to Jay Scott McMullan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMullan of Spearman. The wedding will take place on August 18 at the People's Chapel in

Perryton. Miss Flowers is a 1977 graduate of Perryton High School and is presently employed at the Perryton Satellite School as a teachers aide. Her fiancé is a 1977 graduate of Spearman High School and is employed by the General Telephone Co.

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Public Notice
Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will begin at 9 a.m. on July 24, 1979, in the offices of the Texas Public Utility Commission in Austin, Texas, on a proposal by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. to make certain changes in the format of selected Texas telephone directories. The principal proposed changes are: (1) to separate business and residential listings in the white pages, with residential surnames listed once in boldface type followed by the alphabetical listing of the individuals' given names in regular type; and (2) to add, in addition to the "white pages" business and residential listings and the Yellow Pages business listings, a third set of "blue pages" listing the numbers of selected governmental and public service agencies. Inquiries may be addressed to the Texas Public Utility Commission, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, Texas 78757.

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Our Politicians

It's astonishing that in the present oil crisis, not one major political figure in Washington has had the courage to publicly call for heavy pressure on Israel to give back all occupied Arab lands, including the west bank, and make what the Arabs' consider their holy city, Jerusalem, a free, international city.

That could end the oil crisis. In effect, 220 million Americans are experiencing an oil crisis, an economic hardship, to support Israeli expansion by some 3,000,000 Israelis. That's a sober reflection of the power of the Israeli lobby in the U.S.

Saudi Arabia warned Washington very specifically in 1978 that if we didn't adopt an even policy in the Middle East and use our influence to force Israel to give back occupied Arab lands, and free Jerusalem, there could be no peace or progress in the oil war. The Arabs are retaliating for our continued support of Israel and Camp David's splitting of Egypt from the Arab bloc.

What a price every American driver, and taxpayer, is now paying for this one-sided U.S. policy!

JACK SORENSON

WESTERN PAINTER

... "A great feeling for individuality in his paintings, for painting horses and animals. He should have a great future in this field." Fred Tipple, Curator of Santa Fe Industries, Chicago, Illinois art collection (which contains works by Moran, Blumenschein, Burningshaus, Leigh, Cassidy, Hennings and Couse.

... "This young man is destined to be one of the greatest western painters of our time." Dord Fitz, owner and director of the Fitz Gallery, Amarillo, Texas.

... "A hard working artist who lives what he paints." Kenneth Smith of Ole Town Art Gallery, Irving, Texas.

... "He can enjoy other artists work without imitating them." Jerry Webb of Webb Galleries, Amarillo, Texas.



To celebrate its 62nd anniversary, the bank will present an art show of the works of Jack Sorenson of Amarillo, from July 10 through July 20. Sorenson is a western painter, already enjoying national acclaim. Personnel of the First State Bank cordially extend an invitation to each of you to come in and view the paintings.

WEBB GALLERIES

2219 GEORGIA
AMARILLO, TEXAS



THIS VAN, owned by Verlin Behne of Spearman, was wrecked over the week-end. No-one was injured in the accident, which occurred near Spearman.

ABOUT YOUR HOME

By April Rhodes

When baking homemade bread, brush the top with vinegar before baking for a shiny top.

If your home isn't air-conditioned and you've had several days of rain, leave a small light burning in the closet to keep it dry.

Make cutting corn off the cob easier by standing the cob in the hole of a tube cake pan. Kernels fall into the pan and the cob won't slip.

When camping or picnicking, help keep America beautiful by placing all trash in the area's trash cans or take it to the nearest roadside trash containers.

Mildew has become a problem in areas where excess rain and hot and humid weather persists. Use straight household vinegar on a cloth to remove mildew from wood and refrigerator gaskets. A chlorine solution can be used on white material.

Dog Days

Dog days usually begin in July and can last until September, especially in the South, so August is the month with the most dog days.

History shows that people living in more southerly latitudes sometimes lack the industry of people from more northerly climes, and therefore dog days logically have a slow-down effect on many.

They are often sultry, humid and extremely warm. If one can find no other excuse to escape work, the existence of dog days is a good one.

Drowning Time

Each year thousands drown because sensible precautions are not followed.

The following rules are suggested:

1. Use supervised pools with young children.
 2. Stay ashore in heavy weather.
 3. Keep children out of boats not equipped with life-preservers, or without swimmers aboard.
 4. Teach children to swim early.
 5. Use excessive caution when fishing from a boat after dark, especially in strange waters.
 6. Always carry extra life-preservers in boats.
 7. If you are deathly afraid of water, stay away from it.
- Many people can float

indefinitely without any effort if they will hold their head back so that only the nose is above water. The feet may extend downward almost vertically but if one will be careful to keep his head back, he can sometimes float for hours in this position. Knowing this could save your life.

Golden Gleams

Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old he will not depart from it. -Proverbs 22:6.

A child tells in the street what its father and mother say at home. -The Talmud.

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Odds stated are good for thirty days after promotion begins. Odds will be revised weekly thereafter to reflect prize status available and will be posted in participating stores.

Odds Effective July 1, 1979

1st Prize	1 in 1,000,000	2nd Prize	1 in 100,000	3rd Prize	1 in 10,000
4th Prize	1 in 1,000	5th Prize	1 in 100	6th Prize	1 in 10
7th Prize	1 in 1	8th Prize	1 in 1	9th Prize	1 in 1
10th Prize	1 in 1	11th Prize	1 in 1	12th Prize	1 in 1
13th Prize	1 in 1	14th Prize	1 in 1	15th Prize	1 in 1
16th Prize	1 in 1	17th Prize	1 in 1	18th Prize	1 in 1
19th Prize	1 in 1	20th Prize	1 in 1	21st Prize	1 in 1
22nd Prize	1 in 1	23rd Prize	1 in 1	24th Prize	1 in 1
25th Prize	1 in 1	26th Prize	1 in 1	27th Prize	1 in 1
28th Prize	1 in 1	29th Prize	1 in 1	30th Prize	1 in 1
31st Prize	1 in 1	32nd Prize	1 in 1	33rd Prize	1 in 1
34th Prize	1 in 1	35th Prize	1 in 1	36th Prize	1 in 1
37th Prize	1 in 1	38th Prize	1 in 1	39th Prize	1 in 1
40th Prize	1 in 1	41st Prize	1 in 1	42nd Prize	1 in 1
43rd Prize	1 in 1	44th Prize	1 in 1	45th Prize	1 in 1
46th Prize	1 in 1	47th Prize	1 in 1	48th Prize	1 in 1
49th Prize	1 in 1	50th Prize	1 in 1	51st Prize	1 in 1
52nd Prize	1 in 1	53rd Prize	1 in 1	54th Prize	1 in 1
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58th Prize	1 in 1	59th Prize	1 in 1	60th Prize	1 in 1
61st Prize	1 in 1	62nd Prize	1 in 1	63rd Prize	1 in 1
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67th Prize	1 in 1	68th Prize	1 in 1	69th Prize	1 in 1
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103rd Prize	1 in 1	104th Prize	1 in 1	105th Prize	1 in 1
106th Prize	1 in 1	107th Prize	1 in 1	108th Prize	1 in 1
109th Prize	1 in 1	110th Prize	1 in 1	111th Prize	1 in 1
112th Prize	1 in 1	113th Prize	1 in 1	114th Prize	1 in 1
115th Prize	1 in 1	116th Prize	1 in 1	117th Prize	1 in 1
118th Prize	1 in 1	119th Prize	1 in 1	120th Prize	1 in 1



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Texas Department of Agriculture Reagan V. Brown, Commissioner

HONEY-GINGER SAUCE

- 1 1/2 C. mayonnaise
- 1/4 tsp. ginger
- 1/2 tsp. curry powder
- 4 tsp. honey
- 1 T. lime juice

Blend all ingredients and chill for one hour before serving. Sauce may be topped with chopped pecans, if desired. Use as a dip for fruit and turkey kabobs or can be used as a dressing for fruit, chicken or turkey salad. Yield: About one cup.

Suspension of Diesel Priority A Threat to U.S. Food Supply

AUSTIN--The recent decision to suspend the priority of farmers to receive 100 percent of their fuel needs "further threatens the nation's food supply. The suspension could create chaos in Texas, with dollar losses in the millions," Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown said recently.

The special rule issued by the U. S. Department of Energy gave priority in the allocation of all fuels to farmers, Brown said. That rule was suspended June 22, after pressure from the truckers' strike.

"At the time of planting, the farmers were assured that they would receive all the fuel they needed," Brown said. "Now billions of dollars are tied up in crops in the fields, some of which are rotting right now because of the truckers' problems."

Don't Pass Up Turkey Items

AUSTIN--Consumers who pass up various processed turkey items in the supermarket "because they're different," are missing out on an economical and nutritious summer meal maker, advises the Texas Department of Agriculture Home Economist. "Turkey is now being processed into some unusual items," says Fran Gerling. "Turkey ham really does taste like the more familiar pork product and can be used in similar recipes. Processed turkey breast is available in loaf form or sliced and is great for summer meal planning."

Other turkey items available include turkey bologna, pastrami, salami and turkey franks.

"This is a critical stage in food production," Brown continued, "especially for fresh produce. I don't believe that Washington officials understand the serious threat to the nation's food supply that recent problems have created. We are nearing a food disaster if legislation and regulations do not enable farmers to do their jobs."

Brown said that even with the allocation, farmers were having trouble getting all of the fuels needed for production and harvesting. "Without it, we are facing complete chaos as farmers struggle to complete the season. The needs are going to double within the next few weeks."

"Without fuel, there will be no harvest," Brown warned.

Be on Lookout for So-called Bargain Stolen Herbicides

AUSTIN--So-called "bargain" herbicides may really be stolen goods, warns Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown.

Brown said thefts of herbicides are up this year in Texas and asked farmers to buy the weed killers from reputable dealers only.

Though some herbicides are sold for \$6-\$10 a gallon, those used on row crops range from \$20-\$70 a gallon.

"Farmers may find a bargain," said the Commissioner, "but may not get the product they think they are buying. Anyone who steals is also likely to water the product or contaminate it in some way. The only way you can be sure of getting what you pay for is to buy from a reliable dealer."

You are looking at every Whirlpool Appliance and RCA television that is not on sale during July

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For additional recipes, write Commissioner Reagan V. Brown, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

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The Hansford County Bank, an unincorporated Bank was organized on April 17, 1917, at Old Hansford and did business as an Unincorporated Bank, until July 10, 1917, when the assets were transferred to the Guaranty State Bank of Hansford.

Statement of condition as of July 10, 1917

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts.....	\$18,782.19
Overdrafts.....	27.98
Expense.....	1,753.95
Furn. and fixtures.....	655.00
Bank building.....	535.76
Cash.....	3,340.73
Sight exchange.....	21,859.99
Interest in depositors guaranty fund.....	\$47,698.30

LIABILITIES

Capital stock.....	25,000.00
Surplus.....	7,000.00
Interest & discounts.....	371.67
Deposits.....	15,326.63
	47,698.30

TOTAL RESOURCES FOR THE JULY 1977 bank call \$24,727,176.53

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To drop in at The Bank and see the Jack Sorenson Western Art Show July 10 through July 20.