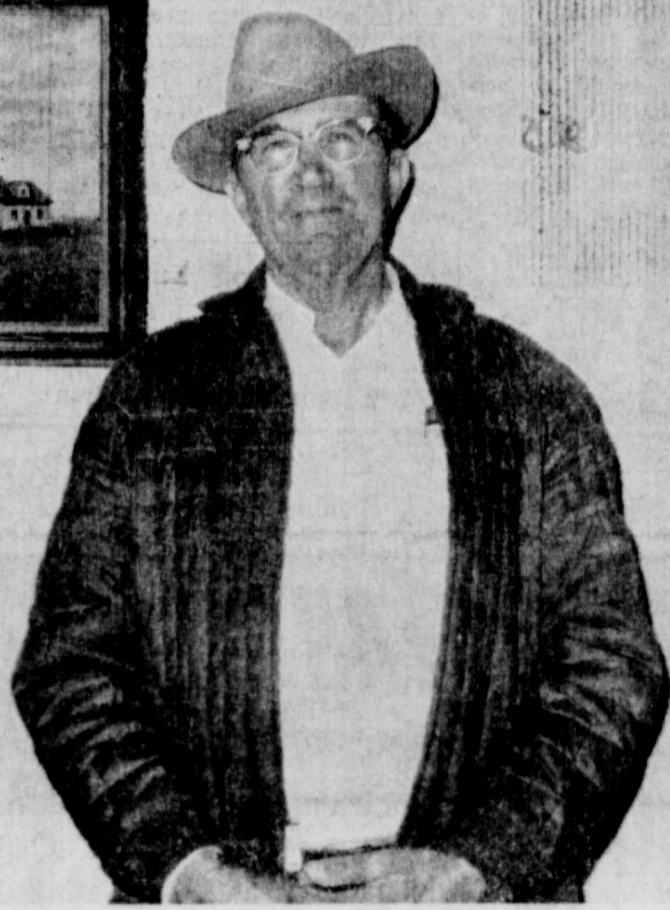


# The Spearman Reporter

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## Guy Fuller Is Artist For January Exhibit In Perryton Library

Guy Fuller, father of the late R.P. Fuller, was an early county commissioner of Ochiltree county and the old Fuller home (pictured above with Guy) is one of the scenes which he has on exhibit. Fuller, farmer and rancher, and long-time resident of Spearman, has been painting since 1958. He started to paint when Doctors advised him to slow down a bit, and take up a hobby. He actually started to paint a picture on his own (with some advice from his wife Blanche who is also a talented artist) when Mrs. Gwendolyn Lackey happened in and consented to become his teacher. His lessons have been with Mrs. Lackey, of Spearman, and he has been her only pupil.

The Spearman Art Class has planned an "open-house" honoring Mr. Fuller and his exhibit, and dates for this will be announced later. Plans originally called for this party to be next Sunday, but Fuller was admitted to Northwest Hospital in Amarillo last week end and underwent surgery on his knee Tuesday of this week. As soon as he can be up and around, he will be honored, and the public will be invited to the open-house. The exhibit will be hanging throughout January, and the public may view the work at any time the library is open.

## January 31 Is Deadline To Pay Your Poll Tax

480 Hansford County residents have paid their Poll Tax. This is out of a potential numbering around 3000. If you plan to vote in 1966 State and National elections, plus several County and City elections, Bond elections, etc., you must pay your Poll Tax by January 31.

If you are one of the many who just "never make it to the Court House" to get this vote-tax paid, perhaps you will find the form below will be handy for you! Clip this out, fill in all the information listed, send it with your \$1.50 to Sheriff J. B. Cooke, County Tax Collector.

POLL TAX ORDER FORM

J. B. Cooke  
County Tax Assessor-Collector  
Box 68  
Spearman, Texas

My Name Is \_\_\_\_\_

My Residence Address Is \_\_\_\_\_

My Age Is \_\_\_\_\_ I Have Lived In Texas \_\_\_\_\_ Years

I Have Lived In Hansford County \_\_\_\_\_ Years.

I Have Lived In \_\_\_\_\_ (town) For \_\_\_\_\_ Years.

I Was Born In \_\_\_\_\_ (state).

My Occupation Is \_\_\_\_\_

(signed) \_\_\_\_\_

(This affidavit must be postmarked on or before Jan. 31, 1966. Enclose \$1.50)

## Vietnam Veteran Wears Air Medal



Chief Warrant Officer Donald R. Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Scott, 1602 S. Dressen, Spearman, recently arrived at Fort Wolters for duty as a member of the staff of the United States Army Primary Helicopter School.

The 36 year old Army aviator came to Fort Wolters from Vietnam where he served with the 56th Transportation Company. He wears the Air Medal for Vietnam service.

Scott and his wife Cora Ann and two children Jerry, 10, and Carolyn, 8, have established residence at 1706 S. E. 11th street Mineral Wells, Texas.

## Kenneth Evans To Head Spearman Chamber of Commerce For 1966

At the first 1966 meeting of the Board of Directors for the Chamber of Commerce held last Thursday night Kenneth Evans was elected as President. Peyton Gibner Vice President, and Bob Skinner, Treasurer.

These new officers will be officially installed at a banquet for Directors and their wives to be held January 14. Harry Cowen, Manager of the Borger Chamber will install the new officers, along with new directors C. Ralph Blodgett and J. L. Brock.

## Memorial Rites For Vern Osborn Held January 11

Funeral services for William Vern Osborn, 71, were conducted Wednesday, January 11 at 1:39 from the First Methodist Church in Spearman. The Pastor, Rev. Wesley Daniel, officiated.

Mr. Osborn, a Spearman resident for the past 24 years, passed away January 2 in Hausford Hospital. He had been a resident of the Pioneer Manor Nursing Home since October, 1964.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery in Pampa, by Boxwell Bros. Funeral Directors.

Born in Tonkawa, Oklahoma, Mr. Osborn moved to Spearman in 1941, and was a prosperous farmer and rancher until his retirement several years ago. He was a member of the Spearman Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Floy, of the home a sister Mrs. Ruby Chapman of Ponca, City, Okla., a brother, James Ray Osborn of Billings, Okla.

pallbearers included: Woodrow Gibner, Andy Gorman, Jack McWhirter, J. D. Helms, Albert Mackie and J. W. Jenkins.

Honorary Pallbearers were: H. H. Shedek, Joe Smith, Everett Clement, Jesse Davis, Bill Kussell, Bob Vaughn, Clay Gibner and Claude Jackson.

## Local Weather Best In Nation

While most farmers and ranchers throughout the Golden Spread are anxious for a good rain or snow to perk up the slowly drying out of wheat crops, Hansford county farmers are still in good shape.

Ares folks have basked in the sunshine 10 to 15 degrees above normal temperatures for this time of year, wheat continues to grow, and tulips are 2 inches high in flower gardens!

A California visitor in Spearman last week end said he left the LA airport in 29 degree weather, reached Spearman that day where it was 63 degrees.

Most surrounding counties must have moisture soon or the dry land wheat will dry up, and wheat pasture which now holds an abundance of cattle, will be depleted.

Hansford County received more than an inch of moisture from rain and snow during the recent holidays. Soil throughout most of the county is still wet and will not be hurting for a while. Wheat got a good start, grazing is in good shape and some of the farmers are still using fertilizer.

## Mrs. Paul Loftin Passed Away Wed.

Funeral services for Mrs. Paul Loftin will be conducted Friday, January 14 at 10 a.m. in Cook Funeral Chapel in Austin, Tex.

Mrs. Loftin, who has been suffering with cancer for a long time, succumbed Wednesday evening of this week.

She was the former Miss Lois Hale, a teacher in the Spearman schools back in the late 1930s. While teaching here, she met and married Paul Loftin, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Loftin, in 1939. He was employed with the Spearman Reporter Newspaper until he went into Military Service during WW II.

They have lived in Austin for the past several years. She was a teacher in the Austin schools until her health forced her to retire.

Survivors, besides the husband include her father, two sisters, and one brother.

Mrs. A. F. Loftin, and her daughter, Mr and Mrs Fred Holt of Spearman, left for Austin today for the last rites.

IOOF TRAP SHOOT - SUN, January 16th - 25 targets, 16 yards \$2.75 - 25 targets Handicap \$2.75 - East end or runway Spearman Airport

## Gifford-Hill Western Manufactures First Pipe Tuesday Of This Week

The new \$500,000 pipe plant in headquarters of Gifford-Hill Western, Inc., opened its doors to a contingent of visitors Tuesday morning of this week, when ribbon-cutting ceremonies officially launched the beginning of operations for the plant.

The plant, with an expected \$240,000 annual payroll, was built by the firm to meet increasing demands for irrigation pipe according to officials. The firm is one of 15 associated Gifford-Hill companies.

The plant will produce 8-inch through 12-inch concrete pipe all year round. Field crews lay more pipe during the non-watering season than the plant can keep up with, so during winter months the plant will be going full swing.

Total personnel at the plant will number from as few as 25 to about 50 during peak underground irrigation installation periods.

There will be about six office workers and 12 plant workers in addition to the several field installation crews, spokesman of the firm said.

The plant, which was not scheduled for operation until early February, went through some test operations last week. Tuesday morning the first joint of pipe was made for the benefit of the many interested on-lookers.

Tuesday's production, which was slowed down due to the number of visitors, totaled 179 joints (6 feet long each) of 12 inch lock-seal pipe. This is a short production, for when the plant goes into full operation, some 500 joints per day will be rolling off the assembly line.

Gifford-Hill Western plans a formal open-house party for the plant. As has been the custom in the past this open-house will last the better part of a week, and will feature a well known celebrity. Because this is the busiest season for the company, and due to the fact the weather at this season of the year is so unpredictable, the formal opening will not come until early Spring. Dates for this will be announced later.

## Square Dancers Planning Lessons

The Spearman Do-Si-Do Square Dance club held their regular Tuesday night dance January 8, with more than four squares enjoying the calling of Robert Addison and Aaron Love, with guest callers Ray Halsey and Archie Lowers.

Out of town guests were from Lamas, Stinnett, Stratford and Perryton. The Ochiltree Square Dance club captured the banner or the largest number in attendance.

The next dance will be January 22 in the Community building. The public is invited.

Beginners lessons for all interested in learning how to square dance, will begin in February. Forty one of the members of the club, or call Mr. Jack Gilbert.

## Gruver-Spearman Road Improvement

Hansford County commissioners entered into agreement with State Highway department this week for the widening of Texas 289 and farm-to-market 289 connecting Spearman with Gruver.

County Judge Johnnie Lee said the 13 miles of highway would be widened to 36 feet and that paving lanes on hills would also be constructed.

The project calls for widening the three bridges in the road to 36 feet.

Judge Lee stated that the project would be financed by state and federal matching funds but that Hansford County would have to acquire the right of way to implement it.

He said the removal of fences, telephone poles and the like would be paid for by the county and state on a 50-50 basis.

Personnel at the new North Plains Division office at Spearman include: Jim Burks, Division Manager; Mack Mauldin, Sales Engineer; Carroll Meeker, Accountant; Jon Cranford, Dispatcher; and Wayne Shaw, Inventory Control.

Horace Ring, plant foreman, is in charge of making pipe.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Baggerly, his mother Mrs. Lou Baggerly, and her mother Mrs. Harry Beagle, both of Beaver, motored to Oklahoma City over the week end to see the original Broadway cast perform in "Hello Dolly."

## Mrs. Jarvis Celebrates Her 92nd Birthday Saturday, January 8th.



MRS. EFFIE JARVIS, resident of Pioneer Manor Nursing Home in Spearman, celebrated her 92nd birthday Saturday, January 8. She is very popular with both nurses and Spearman citizens. Lots of friends visit Mrs. Jarvis, which helps keep the twinkle in her eyes. Born in Denton County Texas, near Krum, in 1874, Mrs. Jarvis came to the Panhandle in 1904, where they settled in the Leib community near Morse. Mr. Jarvis made the trip out here in 1902, purchased land and fixed a dugout, and sent for his wife an family the following year. They came by train to Channing, then across the remaining miles by wagon. The family lived in their sunken-rod home until 1912, when they built a home at the site. This old home-stead still stands. Mrs. Jarvis was very active in the community. She was the organizer for church services held in the Leib school house when the circuit preacher would come through. She taught a Sunday School class, and was always ready and willing to do her part as a good neighbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis were residents of Coon Memorial Rest Home in Dalhart when he passed away in December of 1962. Mrs. Jarvis then lived with Mrs. Susie Dacus in her Amarillo Home, then moved to the Spearman Manor in October of 1964.

Many of her old neighbors called on her Saturday, brought gifts and spent the time visiting. These callers were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lieb, Mrs. W. M. McCloy, Mrs. Jack Johnson Sr., Mrs. Ella Parks, Mrs. Pess Henderson and Mrs. Lex Board, all from the Leib and Morse community.

Mrs. Jarvis' sons are: Raymond of Borger, Woodville of Spearman, and Billy of Gruver.

## School Supt. Asks Parents Help On School Census Now Underway

Spearman School Superintendent, Dr. B. E. Reeves, is asking the cooperation of parents during the month of January, in securing the annual census for the school.

The census, prescribed by law, is used as a basis for distribution of funds to schools by the Texas Education Agency and to plan and project the needs of local school programs.

Students born after September 1, 1948, and on or before September 1960, fall into the scholastic category. All children falling into this category must be enumerated during the month of January.

Parents of handicapped children are urged to bring this fact to the attention of the school principals in order that adequate planning can be made to take care of their needs.

A letter and census blank will be sent home with each student now attending school this month, and must be returned on the date called for. ONE census blank for EACH child must be filled out. If there are 3 children in one family, there will be 3 blanks filled out.

For all students who will be six by September 1, 1966 and beginning public school for the first time, there must be a census blank filled out and returned to the school superintendent's office. A blank for these students can either be requested by an older brother or sister, obtained at the principal's office or the superintendent's office. It is very important that each of these children in the Spearman Independent School district be enumerated; therefore if you know of a child that will be six, please urge all parents to enumerate them.

Dr. Reeves said, "parents cooperation in this venture will be appreciated, since it is of prime importance that each parent or guardian make certain that all children who will be six on or before Sept. 1 through 17 years of age are enumerated."

## Rummage Sale For Scout House Fund

A few years ago the local Girl Scout organization was given a residence building for their meeting house. The house had to be moved, and was placed on a lot just in front of the Union, Church on Endicot street.

Since that time, very little work has been done on the building, as funds for this type remodeling have not been available.

This Saturday, January 15, the Girl scouts are having a rummage sale in the building next to Smith variety, on main street. The proceeds from this sale will go to the scout house.

If you can help this organization by donating items to be sold, please call one of the following ladies: Mrs. James Pendergraft 2872; Mrs. Marcus Larson 2004, Mrs. Wade Tackett, 2154 They will pick up your merchandise.

Go to the sale Saturday, from 9:4 o'clock.

Mrs. Helen Fisher and Charles Pat Cates spent Sunday in Pampa visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buchanan and family.

Mrs. Herschel Ooley and Mrs. Richard Ooley recently took a day off and visited with Mrs. David Turner of Gruver.

Mrs. Bernard Barnes and Mrs. Laura Barnes were recently in Hutehison, Kansas visiting with the Chester Barnes family.

## Dr. Winfred More Speaks Here, 20th

Dr. Winfred Moore, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Amarillo, will be guest speaker at the First Baptist Church in Spearman on Thursday, January 20 at 7:45 p.m.

The local church is host for the area brotherhood meeting and banquet to be served at 7 p.m. The meal will be \$1.25 per plate.

Dr. Moore will be speaking on "Personal Soul Winning." The public is cordially invited.

Mary Ellen Barkley from Texas Tech spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Barkley.



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**Agency Announces  
 New Housing  
 Loan Program**

Farmers Home Administration is now accepting loan applications from rural families who need to improve their housing. Robert J. Holloway, the agency supervisor for Hansford county said today.  
 Funds may be used to finance homes, building sites, and essential farm service buildings. Under the new program private capital will provide the bulk of the funds with the farmers home administration making the loans and guaranteeing the repayment of principal and interest to the investors.  
 Mr. Holloway said that loans are available to families living on farms and in rural areas in-

cluding towns of 5,500 population to construct, improve, or repair rural homes and related facilities, or farm service buildings, or to provide water for farmstead and household use.  
 Families needing credit to improve their present housing may use loan funds to add bathrooms, central heating, modern kitchens, and other home improvements, as well as to enlarge or remodel farm service buildings and put in related facilities such as yard fences, driveways and sidewalks.  
 A farmer may borrow funds to provide buildings for his use or for the use of his tenants and laborers.  
 A rural resident may use loan funds to buy a previously occupied house, or to buy a site on which to build his home, or to build or repair a home on land he owns.  
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**Linda Webb's  
 Homemaking Notes**

Almost every type of cookware and bakeware now offers the advantage of nonstick cooking with no-scor cleaning. Several new colors are being introduced, including mint frost, almond, ginger and Swiss chocolate. New additions to the list of electrical cookware are: an automatic corn popper, deep-fat fryers, frying pans with waffle irons round and rectangular, griddles, and combinations sandwich toasters waffle irons.

Marking the first departure from kitchen ware in the spray steam and dry iron with soleplate coated with "Teflon" TFE non-stick finishes. This feature provides several advantages—it prevents troublesome starch and lint build up and the formation

of rough edges causing fabrics to snag. It eliminates the problem of heat-sensitive fabrics, fabric finishes, and plastic laundry bags sticking to the soleplate. On the non-electrical list are a number of newcomers. An attractive ten-piece set of glass ovenware is available in aqua and white. The set includes a deep rectangular loaf pan, rectangular baking pan, an oval casserole with lid around cake pan, and two round casseroles with covers.

A server cradle with walnut handles is included in the set. Other new pieces being offered are many sets of metal cookware and bakeware, Dutch ovens, egg poachers, ice cream scoops, egg beater, cheese shaver, pizza pan & cutter, drip catcher, turners, and even a dog dish coated with "Teflon".

Although many people have used cookware coated with "Teflon", we still receive many questions on proper care. So to insure long wear and efficient performance we recommend the following methods on care.

Before using non-stick cookware, wash with warm soapy water and rinse with hot water. It is suggested that all utensils

& particularly bakeware — be oiled before using for the first time to condition the non-stick surface. This may be done by wiping the surface with salad oil. The one exception is the angel food cake pan. It should not be greased because the cake batter must cling to the sides of the pan during baking.

As a rule, it is not necessary to grease the "Teflon" finish to prevent foods from sticking. Most people find, however, the fats and oils are desirable in frying or baking as they contribute flavor and aid in browning. Pans for baking butter cakes, cupcakes, or mixes that contain fruit or lots of sugar should be greased before every use. Cake pans may be floured.

The basic procedures for cooking with utensils finished with "Teflon" are the same as for other types of utensils. Avoid extremely high temperatures. Empty pans should not be left on hot burners or in heated ovens at temperatures above 450 degrees F. The finish may discolor rapidly. Foods burn in non-stick pans just as they do in ordinary pans, but burned foods are as easy to remove

as other foods. Scratches seldom affect the non-stick property of the finish. Damage is usually a matter of appearance, not of performance. The coating will not peel off, nor will a scratch open wider. If you don't have a "light touch" use spoons and other utensils made of nylon, rubber, wood or metal with "Teflon". A dull-edged table knife may be used when cutting food in crockware coated with "Teflon".

Clean utensils with hot, sudsy water. Water from the faucet will rinse away most visible residue, but a thin layer of food or grease may cling to the surface and eventually build up & cause the finish to stain or lose its release properties. Periodically, the finish should be scrubbed with a plastic or rubber scrubber, or stiff sponge. They may be washed in automatic dishwasher. Without affecting the finish, although certain metals on the outside of the pan may become dull.

Most Teflon finishes, especially light pastel colors may stain with continued use. This is normal and within limits, does not affect the per-

formance of the pan. While it is not possible to remove all stains, consider the able success has been obtained by Lewis Research Lab. of Englewood, N. J.

In some cases, stains may be lightened or removed by following procedure. Mix two tablespoons of baking soda and one-half cup of liquid household bleach with one cup of water. Boil this solution for five or ten minutes in the stained utensils. After this treatment, and dry the utensil, then wipe it with salad oil before using again.

Widespread dark staining of "Teflon" finishes usually indicate that the utensil has been consistently overheated or inadequately washed. THE LAST NOTE: This is the season when we complain, if the house isn't as hot as it was in the summer when we complained about the heat.

**DOES MEET FOR JANUARY**  
 The Order of Eastern Star met in the Masonic Lodge for a stated meeting on January 7. Mary Brock, Worthy Matron

and Preston Scott, Worthy Patron presided. After the business they adjourned to Fellowship Hall for refreshments furnished by Mrs. Lawrence Wilbanks and Mrs. Jim Evans.  
 Attending were 16 officers, Pro Tens, 4 members and visitor.

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### Students Have Another Exchange Student In Spearman Next Year

The local committee of the American Field Service for International Foreign Scholarships, Sunday afternoon to discuss the Spearman having another Foreign exchange student for schools next year!

For the first time, an exchange student has been attending Spearman Schools this year under these auspices. He is Geir Overland, who lives in Mr. and Mrs. Jack McWhirter's home.

His talented young man has mainly made a place for himself in the hearts of Spearman students, and especially Mr. and Mrs. Jack McWhirter. It has been a pleasure for all concerned to have him make Spearman home for the past year. And, this year draws quickly to a close, the time has come to see another exchange student will be the same opportunity next year.

Any family interested in being a "host" family next year, is asked to notify Mrs. J. R. Keim, Mr. Jack McWhirter, immediately.

The only qualification for the sponsoring family is: parents must be at least 37 years of age. Family is not responsible for student's expenses.

Last Year some 3000 young men from foreign countries were placed, because applications were not made.

February 15 is the deadline for application blanks turned in. These blanks are available at the local committee handling this, so notify one of these Spearman people and ask for

one if you are interested.

Mr. McWhirter said, "if you want to spend a wonderful year of experience and reward, invite one of these exchange students to come live in your home." He also stated that the bad part of the bargain is yet to come, when they would have to give Geir up, to return to his home in Norway.

### 20th Century Club Given Award For Community Help

A general meeting of the Twentieth Century Club was held January 6 in the home of Mrs. Deta Blodgett. Assisting with the hospitalities were Mrs. Spoonmore and Mrs. Chevalier.

The table, covered with a white cloth held a beautiful arrangement of Yellow and white mums. Silver and crystal completed the setting.

Mrs. Chevalier, presided at the coffee service.

A new member, Mrs. Bill Reeves was welcomed.

Mr. J. D. Helms gave the program. He told about his trip to Sweden, Norway, Denmark and West Germany.

The Club received a Certificate of Merit Award from the General Federation of Women's Clubs in cooperation with the Sears Roebuck Foundation for their Community improvement

program, an art auction to raise funds for a library building.

An election of officers was held. Mrs. C. U. Pope was elected president, Mrs. C. J. Renner, Vice-president, Mrs. Jack McWhirter, secretary, Mrs. Lloyd Buzzard, treasurer, Mrs. J. R. Keim, parliamentarian and Mrs. T. D. Sansing, historian.

Attending were Mesdames F. J. Hoskins, an honorary member and Bill Reeves, John Allen, George Buzzard, J. W. Davis, Woodville Jarvis, P. A. Lyon, Sr., Jack McWhirter, E. D. Mundy, C. U. Pope, Olin Sheets, Chalmers Porter, Carl Archer, Lloyd Buzzard, Frank Davis, Guy Fuller, Nolan Holt, O. C. Holt, Dwight Hutehison, J. R. Keim, G. R. Kilbore, C. A. Kleeberger, C. J. Renner, J. R. Stump, W. J. Masie, th hostesses and the guest speaker.

### Oslo News

Sunday School and Church next Sunday at the usual time both at Spearman in their new Church Fellowship hall, and at Oslo.

Pastor James Otterness of Odessa, Texas will conduct Evangelism workshop Saturday January 15 at Beautiful Savior Lutheran in Amarillo. This will be very beneficial to those attending.

Mr and Mrs Robert Yanke and Bonita were dinner guests Sun. at the Clarence Yanke home.

Mr and Mrs Hix Spivey and family had as their guests Sun. afternoon, the J H Spiveys of Guymon and Mr and Mrs Gordon Stedje and Barbara.

Mr and Mrs Dwayne TeBeest were dinner guests at the Gerald TeBeest home in Guymon. The little sons of Dwayne were dinner guests with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Reuben TeBeest at the cafe in Guymon. Mr and Mrs Bill Johnson and

Mr and Mrs Jimmy Johnson visited over the weekend in McAlister, Okla. with Mr and Mrs Doug Hackett. Christy and Eric stayed with their grandparents.

Mr and Mrs James Stedje called at the Clarence Johnson home on Sunday evening and later at the Clifford Stedjes.

Mr and Mrs Elmo Dahl and boys visited Mrs Jennie Hill in Guymon Sunday.

Visiting in the Elmo Dahl home Friday evening were: Mr and Mrs Robert Yanke, Mrs Bonnie Schaeff and children from Guymon and Mr and Mrs Clifford Stedje and Steve.

Little Melanie Schaeff of Guymon spent the weekend with Becky Cordes.

Cottage Bible studies have begun for our church groups in Oslo and Faith. An interesting study of Romans is in progress. Everyone is welcome to the six different study groups.

### Arts And Crafts Guild Meeting

Mrs. Guy Fuller was hostess to the regular Friday afternoon meeting of the Arts and Crafts Guild China painters enjoying the afternoon painting included Mesdames: Deta Blodgett, Clay Gibner, P. A. Lyon, Freeman Barkley, W. L. Russell, J. E. Womble, Kiff White, Joe Dan Bryan, Joe Trayler, Nolan Holt, Sada Hoskins, Ray Phelps and Ned Turner.

Officers were elected for the new year. Mrs. Blodgett is President; Mrs. White is Secretary and Treasurer and Mrs. Ned Turner is Reporter.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Trayler.



City Mayor, R. E. Vaughn welcomes Gifford-Hill Western Officials:

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## Wagon Train Reviews Treaks And Accomplishments Of Year

The Rolling Plains Mule Train had quite an eventful year in 1965, appearing before 3 million people, and appearing often on television. They've had write-ups in several national magazines and were televised from coast to coast. The train originated here in Spearman and is represented by twenty towns, from Texas, Oklahoma, California, Florida and Colorado.

Following is a brief summary of their 1965 accomplishments:

January - 1. Twenty members went to Oklahoma City to meet with directors of the Cowboy Hall of Fame, Executive VP Glenn Farris and Director Dean Krunkle. They were there 9 days and were honored with a banquet in the Howard Johnson Dining Room. With a special permit, they drove through several towns with a loud speaker telling about the Train and the opening of the Hall of Fame.

2. Travelled to Ft. Worth for the Fat Stock Show with 28 mules, 4 of which were hitched to Pres. Grant's personal carriage which was a tallyho. The men rode mules while 20 women dressed as pioneers, rode in the tallyho. They were the only club to ever enter the Will Rogers Colliseum and while there, they dined with Dean Smith and James Drury.

3. The Train was voted by the Chamber of Commerce as the outstanding club in Hansford County.

February - Travelled to Guymon for the opening of the Old Time Dances. Their 5 piece band went to play for the dance.

March - They were on Cotton John's TV show with their band for a 30 minute program, telling of coming events.

April - Travelled to Guymon for a 3 day trip to be in the celebration, parade and rodeo.

June - Travelled to Oklahoma City for the grand opening of the Cowboy Hall of Fame. Were there 20 days and personally met John Wayne who was the featured star.

July - Went to Muleshoe for the unveiling of 'Old Pete' the only statue to a mule in the world. Trophies were awarded to Mrs. Mina Rinehart of Borger and Mrs. Rena Miller of Woodward as the best dressed women. The Train's women were honored at up in Life magazine.

August 1 - Travelled to the XIT Celebration in Dalhart for 3 days.

2. Attended celebration in Peryton.

3. Attended Top of Texas Rodeo Celebration in Pampa and won 1st place trophy in the parade and were given a banquet by the Rodeo Association and Chamber of Commerce.

September 1 - Won 1st place trophy at the Will Rogers Celebration in Higgins.

2. Won 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prizes in the parade at Elks Rodeo and Celebration in Woodward, Okla.

October 1 - Went to the Cedar Brakes Trail Ride from Dublin to Waco for the Fat Stock Show and Rodeo and were gone 9 days.

2. Beaver Parade and Celebration for 3 days.

3. Represented in the parades at Borger, Stinnett and Spearman.

The organization was recently contacted by George Sellenberger of Moline, Illinois, editor of Furrow Magazine put out by the John Deere Company informing them of a featured story they will have in the May and June issue this year. There will be a two page coverage with 6 pictures, 3 in color.

Plans are now being made for a trip from here to Cheyenne, Wyoming for Frontier Days celebration which will last a full week the last of July with 3 parades. This celebration is considered the Granddaddy of them all, and this will be its 70th annual celebration.

In the 1966-67 issue of Texas Almanac, Rolling Plains Mule Train of Spearman is listed as a tourist attraction.

This mule train was organized as a hobby and for pleasure. It is a non-profit organization and each member pays his own expenses. The only thing they have to sell is good will.

Dr. Isaac Van Grove, former musical director of the Chicago Opera Co., is in charge of the Opera Department, with Juan Woodruff Van Grove staging all productions. Duane Cline, with Mrs. Cline, will be in charge of sets, lighting, costumes and make-up. Mr. Cline has a Masters Degree in Theater from Northwestern University and is now working on his doctorate at Yale University. Working with such highly trained faculty members is a valuable experience for any young musician.

The scholarship covers full tuition for all class and production work, room and board for the six weeks. It is possible to register for private lessons in voice, ballet, piano or additional instruments for an additional fee.

The applicant must be a singer who is a resident of Texas or attending school in the state; between the ages of 18 and 25 years, inclusive; a member of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs or will agree to become one if chosen for the scholarship; the applicant must submit a tape recording of one number from opera or operetta, and one art song.

Application and tape should be elastic classification - (High school or College, Freshman, Sophomore, Junior or Senior), and must include a letter of recommendation as to musical ability, scholarship standing, and character. A list of recent musical activities should also be included.

Application and tape should be sent to the Scholarship Chairman, Mrs. Sonne Umherson, 2100 37th Street, Snyder, Texas, 79549, and must be post-marked not later than February 15, 1966.

For any additional information write to Mrs. Umherson at the above address.

**Kenneth Taylor Navy Volunteer**  
 Kenneth Taylor, 22 year old son of Mr and Mrs. Mark Taylor of rural Spearman, will be inducted into the US Navy the 24th of this month, in Oklahoma City.

Kenneth, who has been attending college at Alva, Oklahoma, volunteered for the Navy and signed up for six years. He graduated from Ponca City, Oklahoma high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Taylor, employees of Lee McClellan, have been Spearman residents for the past four years.

**Music Club Offer Opera Scholarship**  
 The Texas Federation of Music Clubs announces a full scholarship to the Inspiration Point Opera Workshop at Eureka Springs, Arkansas, for the summer session, June 21 to July 30, 1966.

This camp, which limits its enrollment to 100 students with a staff of 15 to 20, specializes in the production and performance of opera by young students.

## GA's Have Study About Missions

The Gladys Hopewell G A's met January 5 in the First Baptist Church.

Debra Smith called the meeting to order. The program for the month on Navajo and Pueblo Indians was planned. The group made signs encouraging everyone to subscribe to Tell Magazine.

Mrs. Melver was in charge of the devotional period. Reta Simmons read the prayer calendar. Nancy Anderson lead in prayer for missionaries and Mrs. Melver dismissed with prayer.

Attending were Nancy Anderson, Donna Walls, Debra Smith, Rita Simmons and counselors Mrs. Ted Widener and Mrs. Royce Melver.

The Winnie White G A's met in the First Baptist Church January 5th for a planning meeting. The meeting was called to order by Jan Gates. Group singing of the G. A. hymn was followed with the prayer calendar reading by Brenda Thomas. Mrs. Denham lead in prayer and gave the devotional. The Prophets Tell About Missions.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Denham.

Refreshments were served by Katharina Kelo to Jan Gates, Sharon Cratz, Karla Prvan, Rita McMahon, Brenda Thomas, Barbara Golightly and Mrs. Don Denham, counselor.

## Methodist WSC Circles

Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service met the first Methodist Church January 5 for a general prayer of the Epiphany Services.

Mrs. Grimes, president, presided at the business session. Mrs. Bill Strawn, hostess, served refreshments to Mrs. Pope Gibner, R. E. Lee, Daniel, Ray Martin, P. A. Sr., H. M. Shedeek, George, Sid Beck Jr., James, Richard Baxter, John, Bert Sheppard, Robert, Doug Grimes, Bill, Kenneth Williams, Jim, and one guest, Mrs. Ray.

Ladies of the Women's Society of Christian Service will have their annual Ground Hog at noon January 29 in the hall of the First Methodist Church. The price of the dinner is \$1.50 for adults and .75 for children under 10 years of age.

**WITHOLDING ON TIPS**  
 The new medicare bill requires employers to withhold Social Security and Federal income taxes from all tips reported to them by their employees. An employer, however, does not have to match the employee's security contribution.

A good tip, according to Treasury department, is to withhold on tips this year.

Virgil Rosson of Fallbrook, Calif., and his sister Jean of VanNuys, Calif., visited over the past week and met their uncle, Vernie Rosson, their aunt, Mrs. Maude Rosson, and their cousin, Eric. They had been to Erick, Oklahoma where they attended funeral services for their father, Tom Rosson who was killed the Jan. 3 in a truck accident.

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### what's going on at

## Pioneer Manor Nursing Home

Residents at Pioneer Manor a member of the First Christian Church, some join the many other friends in grief over the passing of Mrs. Osborn, Mr. Osborn, who passed away early Sunday morning in Hansford Hospital, had been in residence at the home since it first opened in October, 1964. He was 71 years old.

It is a comforting thought to know, that in this life which holds misfortune and much un-  
happiness, that there will surely follow on sorrow's heels, days of sunshine and happiness once again. And this past week at the home, along with a note of sadness, there has been "happy news" as well.

Another new resident moved in last Thursday. She is Mrs. Constance B. Pancake. Mrs. Pancake, 70 year old mother of Mrs. Jenn Bonhanan of Spearman, came here from her home in Leed, Oklahoma. She was reared around Chandler, Oklahoma, and has lived in the Oklahoma Panhandle since 1895. Mrs. Pancake has reared a family of 5 boys and 2 girls. She has always been

## Holt News

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gaines were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gaines of Phillips. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fiedler of Big Fork Montana returned home Tuesday after spending two weeks with her parents, the C. W. Kirks.

Vernie Rossen of Spearman and C. B. Dodson of Dalhart attended funeral services in Erick, Okla., January 6 for Mr. Rossen's brother.

Virgil Rossen of Fall Brook, Calif. and Jean Witt of Van Nuys Calif., Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kirk and Maude Rossen were dinner guests of the Owen Pendergraft Saturday evening Sunday. Virgil and Jean caught a TWA flight from Amarillo to Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bynum and daughter of Kress, Texas were Sunday afternoon callers in the home of her sister, the Doyle Jacksons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson were Monday night guests of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Bob Phelps and family of Forgan, Okla.

decorated and a delicious meal was enjoyed.

The invocation was given by Margaret Kirk.

Sylvia Wilcox was master of ceremonies and introduced in coming and outgoing past and affiliated Noble Grands.

Attending were Mesdames, Thelma Kenny, Deanna Kenney, Margaret Kirk, Sylvia Wilcox, Thelma Scott, Mildred Chamberlain, Gladys Richardson, Hazel Wilbanks, Virus Wilbanks, Inez Holland, Ruth Caro, Rose Cummings, Frankie Durvee, Ethel Black, Ina Mae Hughes and guests from Perryton Lodge No. 225, Mesdames Pearl Allen, Roberta Moulton, Lucille McDonald, Elmore Harness, Winnie Elder, Alice Kohler, Alice Moore and Bobby Hall.

## What's Trumps?



LADIES LUNCHEON  
Jackie Mathews was hostess January 6 for the Thursday afternoon ladies luncheon bridge.

High scorer for the afternoon was Mary Kathrine Parris and low score went to Sheryl Meek.

Attending were Mary Kathrine Parris, Sheryl Meek, Toni Archer, Karen Countiss, Delores Guthrie, Charlene Jackson, Gayla Matthews, Verna Strawn, Judy Wilmoth, and guests Glenda Guthrie and Nelva White.

BLUE MONDAY  
The Blue Monday bridge club met January 3 in the home of Mrs. Bill Gandy with Mrs. F. J. Daily as hostess.

An afternoon of bridge was enjoyed with Mrs. Womble winning high points.

Attending were Mesdames Deta Blodgett, Vester Hill, Pope Giber Sam Graves, Gwendolyn Lackey, R. W. Morton, Jess Womble, Delon Kirk and Bill Gandy.

COUPLES BRIDGE  
Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Guthrie hosted the Wednesday night couple's bridge club in their home January 5.

High couple for the evening was Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Nollner

## 25 Years Ago In Spearman

THREE HANSFORD COUNTY BOYS SELECTED FOR DRAFT  
All Hansford is invited to participate in a party to be staged Tuesday morning, January 14th, at 9:15 a.m. on the court house lawn at Spearman, honoring three selectees who will leave immediately following the party for service in the national army.

The three young men selected to represent Hansford county as the first contingent chosen for one year active service were Glen Odus Hiller and Lloyd Martin Stavlo from near Gruver and C. D. Haines of Spearman.

The Spearman High School band will be present to furnish music for the occasion and Judge A. F. Barkley and F. W. Brandt will make short talks. The party is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

TWO INCHES OF SNOW ADDS TO WHEAT PRODUCTION  
Two inches of snow falling Sunday night started the 1941 moisture record with a 20 inch moisture balance. The snow was followed with colder, foggy, misty weather.

R. L. McClellan Jr. and Miss Vera Beth McClellan spent the holidays with their parents, returning to Texas Tech Tuesday of this week.

NEW EQUIPMENT IN H. E. DEPARTMENT  
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## Russian Films Tell Of Visit

The Spearman Study Club met January 10 in the Home Demonstration Club room with Mrs. Doug Grimes and Mrs. Bert Sheppard as hostesses.

The topic of the program was Americanism Day.

Mrs. Evans introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. R. E. Lee, who gave an interesting and inspiring talk on her visit to Russia and showed a film made while she was there.

The serving table, from which pound cake with lemon sauce and coffee was served was covered with a white cloth.

Attending were Mesdames R. E. Lee, Bill Partridge, Kenneth Evans, Sandra Laird, Don DeArmond, Marcus Larson, Curtis Francis, Bert Sheppard, Troy Sloan, Ray Martin, Joel Lee Lackey, Richard Baxter, Robert Adamson, Doug Grimes and Jimmie Shieldknight.

Noble Grand Banquet, 8th.

Spearman Rebekah Lodge No. 290 held its annual past Noble Grand banquet in the banquet room of the Pioneer Restaurant January 8.

The tables were beautifully

## TEL Class Had Monthly Social

The T. E. L. Sunday School class of the First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Dan Jackson for their December meeting and Christmas party.

Mrs. Jones opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. Hack read a Christmas poem. A gift exchange was enjoyed and special gifts were presented the teacher Mrs. Fewen, assistant teacher, Mrs. Martin and going away gift was given Mrs. Snowden.

The meeting adjourned with prayer by Mrs. Baley.

Enjoying the party in the beautifully decorated home were: Mesdames Fred Fewen, Carl Kizil, W. L. Mackie, Lena Stephenson, Robert Baley, D. W. Hazard, Lera Langston, W. E. Tucker, J. L. Wagon and the hostesses.

## Baptist W. M. U. Circles

The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met January 5 for their society program and business meeting.

Mrs. Ray Devers presided at the business session where committee reports were given and statistics were read for the months of November and December.

Patsy Gates presented a program "Indians of New Mexico" and those on the program told how the Indians lived, worked worshipped and told of their feelings for the white man's religion.

Assisting were Barbara Hewy Archer describing the Apaches, Peggy Archer describing the Navajos and the Pueblo Indians were represented by Frances Kilgore.

For the first meeting in 1966 there were 24 members present.

Mrs. W. T. Grigsby of Amarillo was a luncheon guest of her sister, Mrs. Wesley Jenkins Monday.

of 2619 Shell, Midland, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sharlot Faye to Carey L. Poland, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Poland of Route 1, Winnaboro, Louisiana. Miss Nelson, a 1965 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School, is presently employed by Tull's Drug of Midland. Her fiancee, is a graduate of Crowley High School, is employed by LeTourneau, Inc. of Vicksburg, Mississippi. The wedding vows will be exchanged at the Delwood Baptist Church of Midland, March 12 at 5:30 P. M. with the Rev. Eugene Gauntt officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and family are former residents of Spearman and are well known in this city.

## Wedding Shower For Bride-Elect

Miss Joan Greene, bride elect of Eldon Vernon was honored with a bridal shower December 30 in the Hospitality Room of the First State Bank from 7:30 to 9:00 p. m.

The color scheme of blue and white was used in table decorations and corsages. Miss Greene was presented a blue and white carnation corsage centered with a miniature bride and groom. Her mother, Mrs. Everett Greene and her grandmother, Mrs. F. C. Greene and the mother of the groom-to-be, Mrs. G. N. Vernon were presented fairs m corsages in white.

A floral arrangement of blue and white graced the serving table which was laid with a white linen out-work cloth over blue. Presiding at the table were Miss Wanda Sue Greene serving the punch from a crystal bowl and Mrs. Dick Doyle serving the white cake squares decorated with blue bells. Coffee was served from a silver service. The guests were registered by Mrs. Kent Guthrie.

Miss Greene gave her hostesses gifts of nut choppers. Hostesses were Mesdames, Wesley Gernett, F. K. Banister, Herb Butts, Everett Clement, Kent Guthrie, Lester Hewell, Dick Doyle, Wesley Jenkins, Hall Jones, Bob Farris, and Cecil Crawford.

## Former Resident Will Be Married

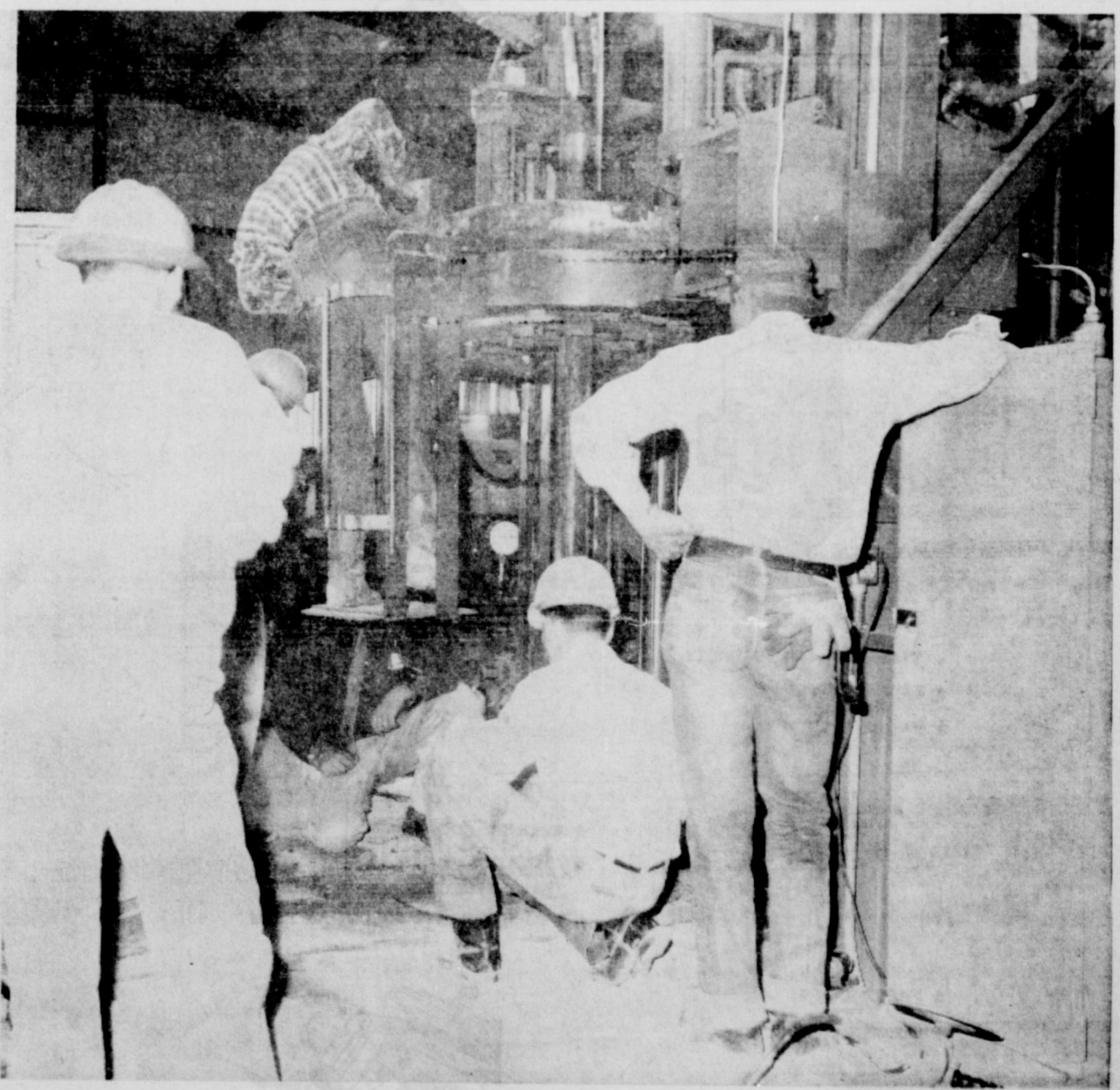


Mr. and Mrs. Hansel T. Nelson

## Noted Increase In Animal Rabies Since Early Fall

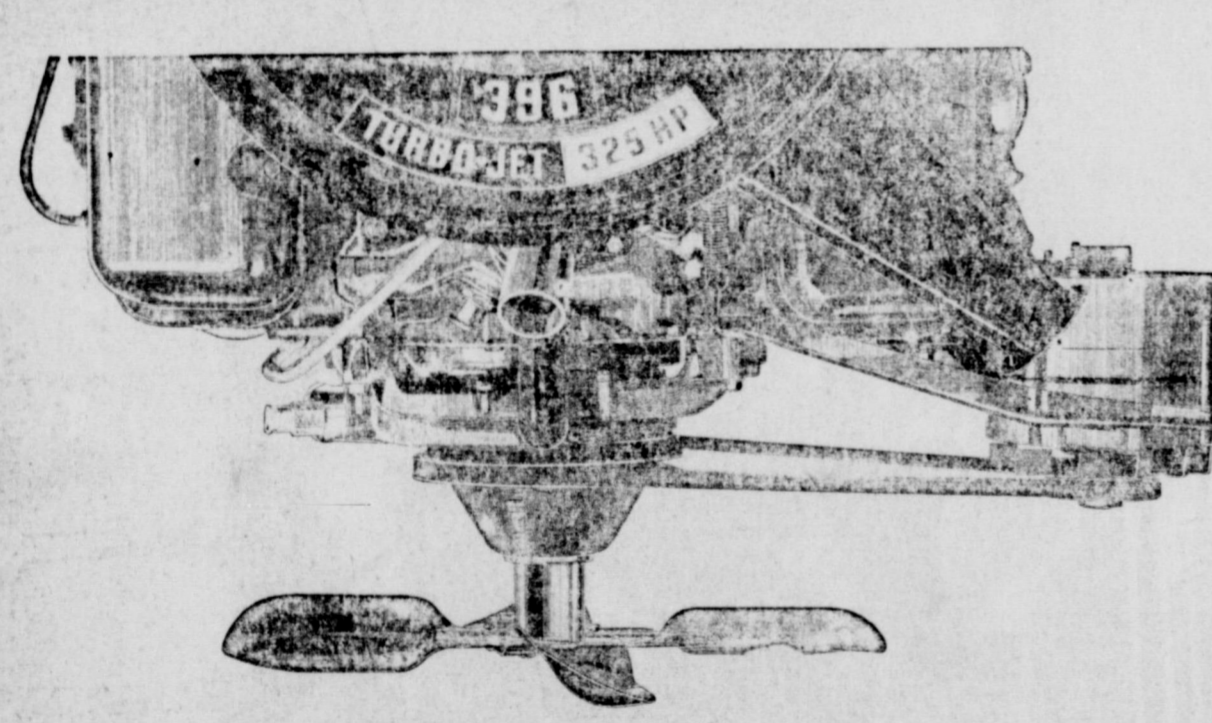
renewed emphasis by state health authorities is being placed on animal vaccination against rabies after a definite upswing in this virus disease has been noted since early fall.

Dr. J. E. Peavy, State Commissioner of Health, said there is definitely an increase in animal rabies cases in many parts of Texas since September. And in



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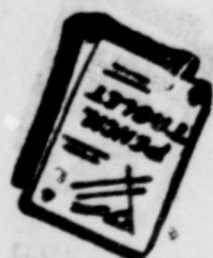


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- ★ MARKING PENS AND INK

**SPEARMAN REPORTER**

## Pfc. R. J. Novak To Leave Korea

Pfc. Robert J. Novak, 21 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Novak of Spearman, notified his parents last week that he would soon be on his way home to the States.

Novak, who has been stationed at Camp Page in Korea for the past year, is with the Signal Corps. He expects to leave February 10 for the States.

## Lt. Perry Sheets Begins Training

Perry Sheets, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sheets of Spearman, began his basic training with the U. S. Army on January 4 at Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

Perry, who graduated in Aug. from Texas A and M. as a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, volunteered for the service and received a First Lieut. commission.

Following his basic training, he will be stationed near Chicago for two years.

Before entering the armed forces, Sheets was associated with Robins Animal Clinic at San Antonio.

Lt. Sheets, his wife Sharon, and Children Carolyn and Lee, reside at 242 Wellesley Blvd., San Antonio, Texas. His wife is the former Sharon Novak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Novak of Spearman.

## Jane Allen Is Vice President

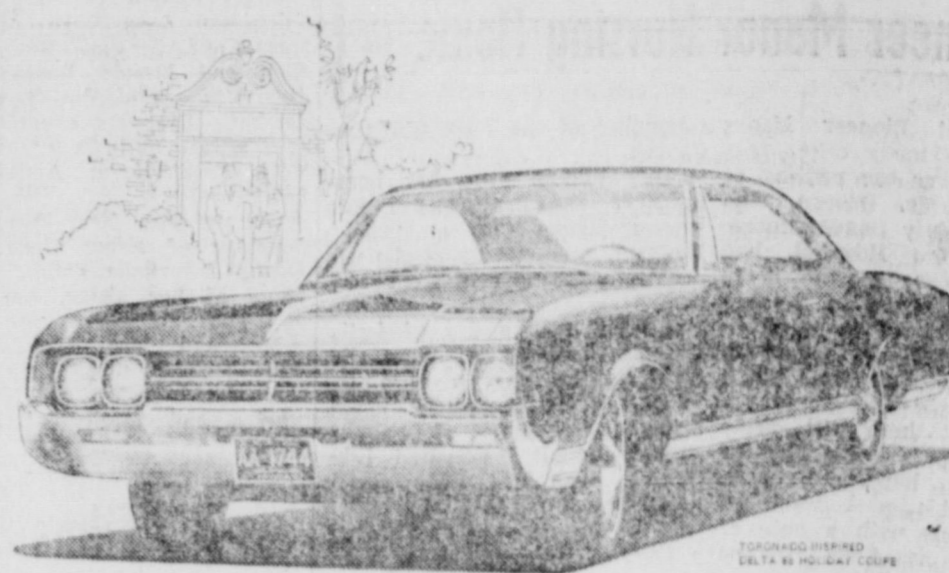
Jane Allen, sophomore at Goodwell A and M College, has been representing our fair city very well on the Goodwell college campus this year. She is taking part in various activities.

Jane, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of rural Spearman, has recently been elected Vice President of the Water Safety Instructor Club.

Otis Sanders Jr., Director of Public relations at the college said, "We are proud of the students that are attending our college from the Spearman area. Please send us more."

Abbye Ownby was recently in Porterville, California to visit her brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kirk and to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary. Sue Roberts from Hobbs, New Mexico is here to live with sister and family Mr. and L. C. Owens.

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**PLANNING DEVELOPING SCIENCE LAB.**  
 A new romance is starting in science lab under the direction of Mr. Barker. The romance involves turtles, Horace and a Friday, January 7 at 2:05 p.m. Hortense met Horace in an aquarium for a frivolous end. Horace was a bit bashful but our own Hortense was forward. She chased poor Horace all around and among the aquatic plants. Horace's (turtle mentality) isn't very as we found out.  
 us next week to find out about the adventures in love life of Hortense and

**THEA CLASS WILL "MIRACLE WORKER" FEBRUARY 12TH.**  
 A drama class in the speech department of Spearman high school have announced that they completed arrangements Samuel French, Inc. of New York for a local production of "Miracle Worker" by William

This enormously successful New York stage play, from which was made the equally successful motion picture, has been described as "ever enthrallingly interesting, one of the greatest inspirational, true-life dramas in all the history".

The two central characters, Helen Keller as a child and her compassionate tutor, Annie Sullivan, which were played in both the Broadway and Hollywood versions by the remarkable young actress, Patty Duke and Anne Bancroft, will be portrayed locally by Donna Ownbey and Cloetta Fullbright.  
 The production will be under the personal direction of Mrs. Frank Porter. Assisting on the technical staff are Clay Schnell, Ronnie Burke and Randy Colard.

An exciting, true-life drama, "The Miracle Worker" tells the story of the child, Helen Keller, born deaf, dumb and sightless and of the herculean efforts of her compassionate tutor, Annie Sullivan, to help Helen make a place for herself in the frightening world about her. The Drama Class' presentation of this outstanding stage and motion picture success will take place on Feb. 12 at 7:30 at the High School Auditorium.

**EDITORIAL** By Carla Archer  
 If our nation went to war, what would you do? This is a loaded question, but one with a variety of answers. Men are not the only ones involved in a war; women play important roles, too. Weeping over a sweetheart or husband on the front is one way to avoid the real issue. If these women are really concerned with the conditions met by the men who are fighting, there are ways in which they can improve them.

Packing boxes with needed supplies, working in war offices as secretaries, or training to be nurses, are only a minute fraction of services. Also a few encouraging words in a letter can be invaluable by giving the men moral support.

Boys will be drafted soon after they have reached the required age. They will be doing their part in the war. For those unable to fight, there would be many job openings for farmers, factory workers & business men.

Have you given consideration to the part you would play in a war crisis? Only as a nation working together can we defeat an invading force.

**WHAT WOULD YOU DO WITH AN EXEBEC?**  
 (An Exebec is a small three-masted ship once common in the Mediterranean.)  
 Geir Overland .. Drag main in it, then throw it in the trash  
 Linda Smith .. Throw it away  
 Susan Uptergrove .. I don't know  
 Kate Kilgore .. Probably nothing  
 Qua Crum .. Try to get rid of it.  
 Mrs. Patterson .. I wouldn't do anything with it because I don't know what it is!  
 Connie Fowler .. Wear it  
 Debbie Standerfer .. Set it on my bed  
 Toni Morgan .. Eat it (always hungry)

**BETHANY DONNELL IS WEEK'S SCIENCE STUDENT**  
 Bethany Donnell, the science student this week, is working on embryonic development. The purpose is to develop a rat embryo in a rabbit. She has done research since Sept. and gets her information from Life Magazine, Biology Study. Bethany has been in science four years and likes it very much. When she graduates, she plans to attend Texas U.

**FFA BOYS TO SHOW ANIMALS IN AMARILLO**  
 The FFA boys will be showing about 40 pigs and three calves at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show. They will leave with their animals a week from Friday.  
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## Art Class Starts New Semester Mon

A new semester begins Monday night, January 17, for the Dord Fitz art class which meets each Monday night in the Farm Bureau building at 7 p.m. The class includes students from Spearman, Perryton and Gruver area.  
 Fitz is recognized by the top New York Artists as one of the outstanding teachers in the Art world. Each year his students have the opportunity to study with a New York Artist; no other group in the United States has this privilege.  
 Mr. Fritz received his master degree under Phillip Guston, an artist recognized as one of the best by the critics. He was head of the Art department in the University of Kentucky several years before moving to his ranch at Higgins. He has taught in this area for 15 years. His method of teaching is to allow each person to follow his or her own style, yet be able to paint visually as well as in the abstract. Students are taught to appreciate all paintings, as well as their relationship to poetry, music, science, religion, etc.

Each semester new students enroll in the beginners course. Mr. Fritz believes that anyone who is interested can learn to paint and has developed a method to prove this.  
 Members of the class welcome any visitor; to come and observe or ask questions.

**March Of Dimes Has Aided Five Local Children**  
 January is March of Dimes month, and the usual fund-raising benefits will be getting underway shortly.  
 County Chairman, Mrs. Virgil Mathews has her committees appointed, and with the assistance of Ed Dear campaign Chairmen.  
 Hansford County is expected to once again lead the State in donations to this worthy cause.  
 Last year the County Ranked first in Texas in per-capita donations.

January 23 the merchant's auction will be conducted at the School Auditorium. Last year this auction raised nearly \$2,000. An art auction is being planned, which will feature oil paintings, tape ware and various objects d'art, created by area artists. The date for this will be announced later.

**Miss Dee Brunner Shower Recipient**  
 A bridal shower complimenting Miss Dee Brunner of Lubbock, bride-elect of Joe Michael Bryan was given January 8 in the hospitality room of the First State Bank.  
 The honoree chosen colors, cranberry and white were carried out.  
 The serving table, covered with a white lace cloth, held an arrangement of spider mums and cranberry colored roses. Noted on the registration table was an arrangement of cranberry colored rose buds.  
 Refreshments of individual decorated cake squares, nuts,

**School Lunchroom**  
**SCHOOL MENU**  
 Monday, January 17.  
 Oven fried sliced steak  
 Mashed potatoes  
 Seasoned green beans  
 Carrot sticks  
 Pineapple pudding  
 Bread  
 Chocolate or plain milk  
 Tuesday, January 18  
 Cubed chicken egg noodles  
 Buttered corn  
 Seasoned green beans  
 Cabbage-pickle relish slaw  
 Honey Peanut Butter spread  
 Hot rolls-butter  
 Chocolate or plain milk  
 Wednesday, Jan. 19  
 Hamburger, mustard  
 Western beans  
 Lettuce tomato salad  
 Dill Pickle slices  
 Lemon Gelatin with fruit  
 Gingerbread  
 Thursday, Jan. 20  
 Beef Stew, crackers  
 Cheese slice  
 Buttered corn  
 Celery Sticks  
 Steamed prunes  
 Applesauce Cake  
 Bread  
 Chocolate or plain milk  
 Friday, Jan. 21  
 Hot dogs chili sauce or tuna salad sandwich  
 Seasoned Blackeye Peas  
 Buttered Potatoes  
 Butter cake chocolate frosting  
 Chocolate or plain milk

**Camp Film Shown In Wilmeth Home**  
 Mr. Spike White of College Station, owner of Kanakuk Kamp for girls at Bronson, Missouri showed movie made at the camps last summer on Friday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilmeth.  
 Enjoying the movies were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mathews and Karon, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Womble, Danny, Edgar and Wally Windom, Stephen Hicks, Mark Massie, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brummett, Dalynn and Terri, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tracy and Richard and Mr. and Mrs. Wilmeth and Ernest.  
 Everyone enjoyed the movies. The parents found it exciting watching for their youngsters to appear and the youngsters were thrilled to see themselves in the movie.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Womble and children and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy and Richard were dinner guests of the Wilmeths following the movie.  
 New Years dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jenkins were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Weant and children, Mr. and Mrs. Weyman Edwards and sons and Mrs. Mable Edwards.

ments and coffee were served. Mrs. E. J. Cepelanc presided at the silver service.  
 Mrs. Nolan Holt and Mrs. Willis Sheets registered the guests.  
 A corsage of white rose buds was presented the honoree and Her Mother, Mrs. Brunner was also pinned with a corsage.  
 Out of town guests were Mrs. Mildred Hintergardt of Gruver and Mrs. William Brunner of Lubbock.  
 Hostesses for the courtesy: Mesdames Gertrud Archer, Freeman Barkley, Cecil Crawford, Guy Fuller, Deta Blodgett, W. L. Russell, James K. Hicks, Willis Sheets, Nolan Holt, Virgil Mathews, E. J. Cepelanc and C. A. Gibner.  
 Approximately thirty five guests called.

**Hospital Report**  
 Patients in Hansford Hospital are:  
 Moya Myers, Virgil Mathews, W. S. Jones, Willie Mathis, Lahnis Cook, and son, Martha Coursey and son, Sherry Anderson and son Joe Day, G. O'Connell, Jessie Thompson, William Alvin Ellworth, Leonard Jameson, Charles Kerbo and Angie Sheets.  
 Patients dismissed were: Edith Curley, Rose Marie Crowl, Linda Vera, G. I. Brown, Willie Lois Edwards, Frank Cook, Opal Jones, Greg Taylor, Theron Messer, Myrtle Parsons and Louis Mathews.  
 Babies born in the hospital the past week:  
 Mr and Mrs. Perry Coursey are parents of a son, Christopher Givens, who weighed 8 lbs. 8 and a half ozs. and was born at 12:10 p.m. January 6.  
 Mr & Mrs Lindsey Anderson are parents of a 6 lb. 7 1/2 oz. son, Lawrence Gene, born at 12:09 p. m. January 7.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cook are parents of an 8 lb. 4 oz. son, John Fitzgerald born at 1:10 a. m. January 8.

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 Parents and school children will be selling the candy as soon as it arrives.  
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**County 4-H News**  
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 Katherine Reeves led the club in singing "Yankee Doodle." Rebecca Hutchison, Junior Organization leader, gave a demonstration on Batter rolls, to the following girls: Linda Ricketts, Phyllis Randall, Susie Sell, Valerie Uptergrove, Rhonda Jones, Dixie Sheppard, Jayne Massie, Brenda Thomas, Paula Hazerman, Gloria Lopez, LaMeta Gaither, Susan Gates, Janice Gates, Sharon Hamilton, Karon Hamilton, Delinda Head, Pam Oakes, Kathrine Reeves, LeAnn Smith, Deborah Smith, Nancy Anderson, DeAnn Shieldknight Darla Weston, Nanette McIntyre, Donna Reed, and guests: Mrs. D. Reed, Mrs. Massie Mrs. Dwight Hutchison, Mrs. John Trindle and the Agent, Miss Webb

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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF**

# FIRST State Bank

OF SPEARMAN, HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS, 79081

State Bank No. 1107 Federal Reserve District No. 11  
 at the close of business on December 31, 1965

**ASSETS**

Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection (Schedule D, item 7)	1,339,044.85
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	854,875.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	648,137.25
Securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U. S.	225,095.80
Other loans and discounts (Schedule A, item 10)	6,130,034.15
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	115,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
Other assets (item 6 of "Other Assets" schedule)	1,945.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>9,324,133.05</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (Schedule E, item 4)	5,448,916.74
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (Schedule F, item 6)	1,773,942.50
Deposits of United States Government (Schedule E, item 5 and Schedule F, item 7)	54,542.65
Deposits of States and political subdivisions (Schedule E, item 6 and Schedule F, item 8)	1,005,803.05
Certified and officers' checks, etc. (Schedule E, item 10)	43,124.41
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS (items 13 to 19)</b>	<b>\$8,326,329.35</b>
(a) Total demand deposits (Schedule E, item 11)	\$6,071,759.88
(b) Total time and savings deposits (Schedule F, item 12)	\$2,254,569.47
Other liabilities (including \$ NONE mortgages and other liens on bank premises and other real estate)	110,000.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>8,436,329.35</b>

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

(c) Common stock—total par value	200,000.00
No. shares authorized 2000	
No. shares outstanding 2,000	
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	387,803.70
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>887,803.70</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>9,324,133.05</b>

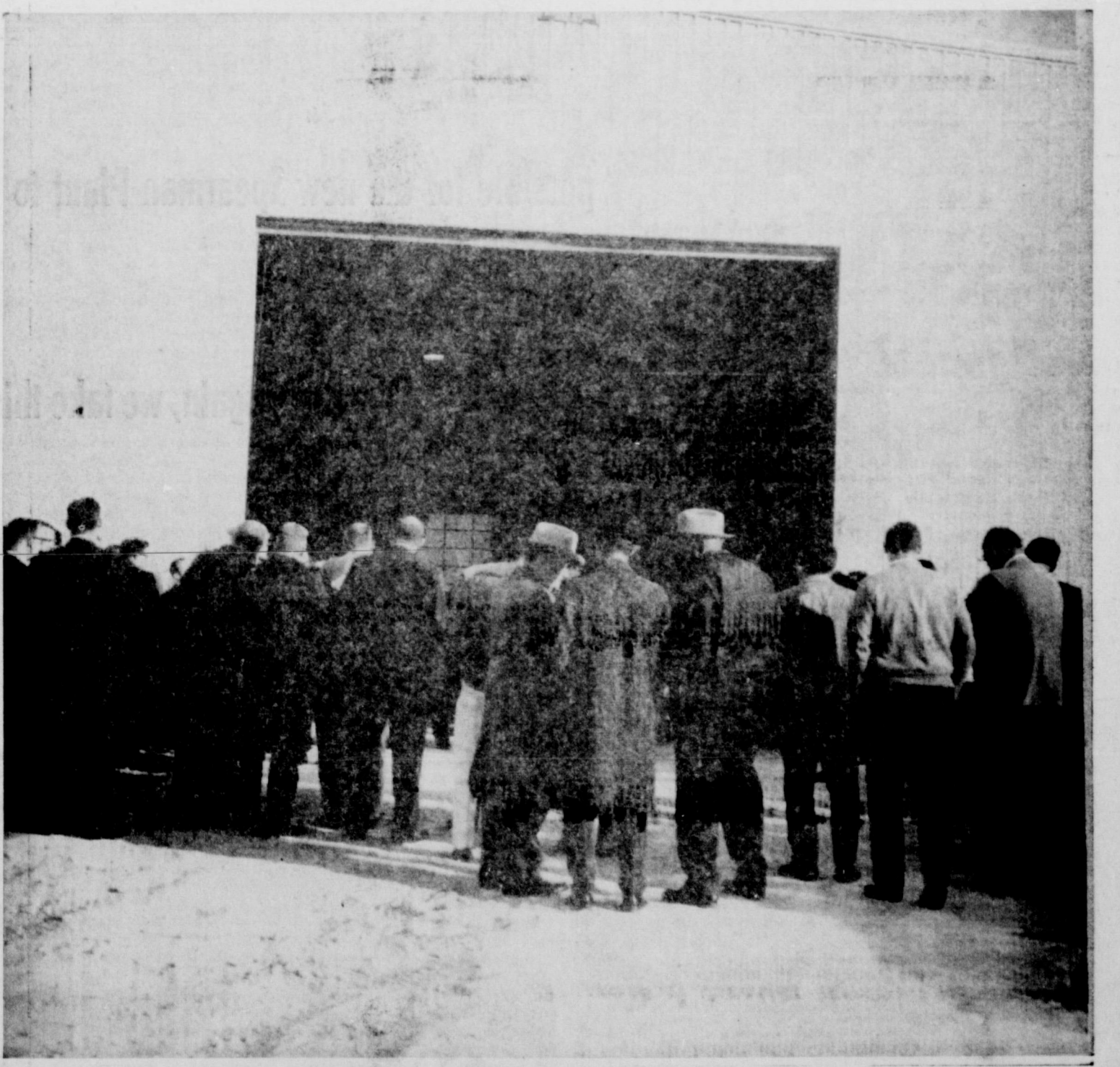
**MEMORANDA**

1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 7,908,351.84
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 6,034,309.67

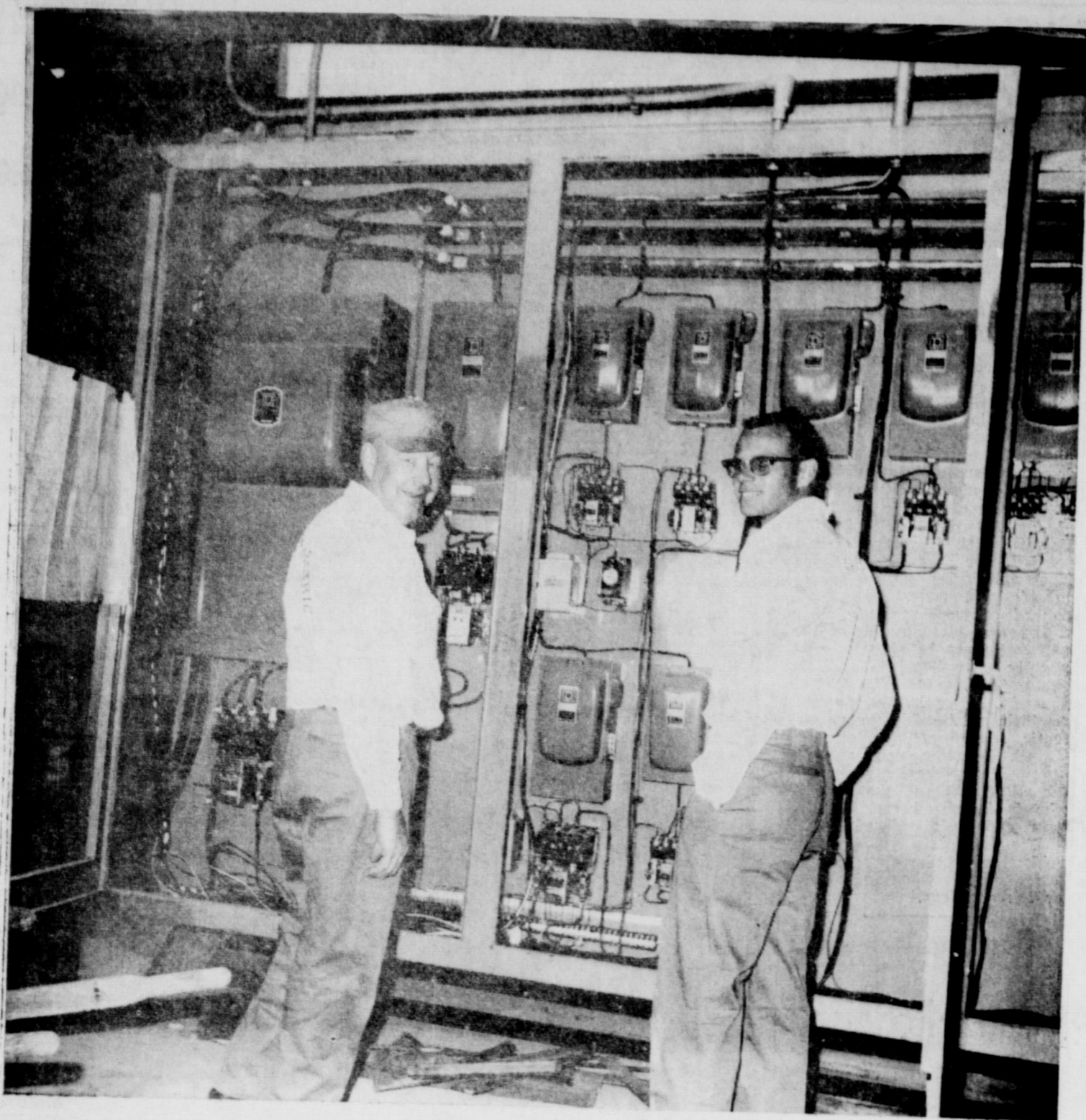
I Freeman Barkley Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that this report of condition (including the information below and on the reverse side hereof) is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Freeman Barkley, Cashier  
**CORRECT - ATTEST**  
 C. A. GIBNER  
 H. B. HART  
 REX SANDERS  
 DIRECTORS

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF Hansford  
 Sworn and subscribed before me this 11th day of January, 1966, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
 My commission expires 6-1-67  
 ELAINE M. EARNST  
 Notary Public, Hansford, County, Texas



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