



The Spearman Reporter

Hansford faces record pheasant crop

Also army of hunters!



... his numbers are up!

For Hansford County and five grain-growing neighbors, experts are predicting the biggest harvest ever for a "home-grown" item that has no market place, no market price, yet brings thousands of dollars into the area economy each year...

The ringneck pheasant! The experts are members of the Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife who just completed a bird count in advance of the pheasant hunting season which opens on the High Plains Dec. 11.

The pheasant only became a High Plains "crop" some 12 years ago. That was when a few unsuccessful nimrods pushed a little further north from their

usual shooting grounds and were astounded to find this land thin in wild cover was bounding in the highly prized game birds.

The reason was about the same TP&W people gave for predicting a bumper propagation this year: cover crops doing well and providing near perfect nesting and growing conditions for the birds.

A TP&W official said there was another possibility: that there were more pheasants here last year than hunters flushed out making for a large propagation population. --And there were no complaints from visiting hunters last season about a lack of prey!

As previously mentioned, pheasant-hunting fanciers did not give Hansford County and the High Plains a thought until the few who ventured returned to their home country with quite a collection of birds.

--Then the hunter migration began!

Two seasons ago, the local Nursanickel Motel was checked and that facility alone had 23 out-of-state hunters and 44 from down state during the course of the season.

--These people bring in "new" money.

The routine economy of a city, a county, an area, operates on a circulation of monies from the various payrolls that are a permanent part of economic life. In cycles, sums of this money moves from firm to firm and person to person.

When the hunters come in appreciable numbers, the pay for motels, gasoline and oil, food, ammunition and other goods and services and this is NEW money never before circulated here!

facilities go after conventions.

--Meanwhile, back at the butt of the gun, pheasant hunting this season should be a cinch for even the neophyte. TP&W people say that in times of plentiful population, pheasants travel in bunches or "nides." A nide of pheasants is like a "gaggle" of geese or a "pride" of lions.

This is born out by drives along country roads when a passing vehicle flushes large number of beating wings. One local hunter told of seeing large coveys or nides but remarked pessimistically:

"Dec. 11, I can go out on that same road and I'll see only one bird -- and he'll be the stunt flyer of the family!"

Rules remain the same as last year.

Hunters are allowed two cock pheasant per day and four in possession. Shooting hours extend from a half-hour before sunrise to a half-hour after sunset. Heads and feet must remain on the kill until the hunter reaches home.

The season is Dec. 11 through 26.

Happy Hunting and...

--Be careful! Y' hear?

Robert Morton, Jr. Dies In Denver

Memorial services were held for Robert W. Morton, Jr., of Denver, Colorado, on Tuesday, November 23, 1982, in the Stone Chapel at Moore-Howard Mortuary in Denver.

Bob was the son of Robert W. and Hazel Wright Morton, pioneer residents of the Panhandle area. He was educated in the Spearman schools, West Texas State University and finished at Denver University. He served in the armed forces in World War II.

Bob is survived by 3 sisters, Lorene Powell and Lois Lemons of Panhandle, Texas and Betty Rutledge of Seaside, Oregon and two nieces and two nephews.

New gas rates for rural customers

AUSTIN, TEX., Nov. 23--The Railroad Commission has allowed new gas rates for customers of High Plains Natural Gas Co. in the unincorporated areas near Higgins, Canadian and Mobeetie, as well as the unincorporated areas of Hansford and Ochiltree counties.

With the change, a monthly bill for 10 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas will increase by \$1.64 in all the affected areas except the environs of Mobeetie. There, a bill for the same amount of gas will increase by \$1.25.

The rate change, effective

Oct. 22, will affect 178 customers in Ochiltree and Hansford counties, 185 customers in the environs of Canadian, 24 customers in the environs of Mobeetie, and 18 customers in the environs of Higgins.

The Railroad Commission has the authority to approve rates for gas service in unincorporated areas of Texas. Proposed gas rates for these areas are examined in light of the company's operating efficiency and the rates that have been approved by the nearby city governments.

Ernest Riddle Services Held

Memorial services were held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church for Ernest S. Riddle, 73, of Spearman, who died Friday. The Rev. Bruce Chesser, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Riddle was born in Cooke County. He married Gladys Adams in 1932 at Hollis, Okla. He retired from Diamond Shamrock in 1974 after 21 years of service.

He moved to Spearman in 1977 from Sunray. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a

daughter, Maralene Stevens of Arvada, Colo.; two sons, Wayne Riddle of Liberal, Kans., and Kenneth Riddle of Indianapolis, Ind.; a sister, Thelma Gray of Springfield, Ore.; a brother, Jim Riddle of Austin; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Storytime at Library

This Friday, December 3, the Hansford County Library will hold a "Storytime" for children ages 4 to 5 years old.

Storytime will begin at 10:30 a.m. and last until 11:00 a.m.

Two draw auto theft convictions

The Hansford County Sheriff's Department had two investigative cases upheld by court trial decision and had two returned prisoners released on bond pending their trials.

James Thomas, Spearman, was convicted of auto theft and sentenced to two years in the Texas Department of Corrections at Huntsville.

Joseph Long, Big Spring, was given a five year probated sentence and required to make restitution after he was convicted of auto theft.

Larry George Rosencrans, Grand Junction, Colo., returned from Oklahoma City as a suspect in theft of oilfield equipment here, made \$5,000 bond and was released from Hansford County jail while awaiting trial.

Lige Hughes, also returned from Oklahoma as a burglary suspect, made \$5,000 bond, too, pending court action.

Sheriff R.L. McFarlin reported a quiet holiday weekend so far as the activity of his department was concerned. He said that, currently, there were a number of investigations underway.

Surplus cheese will be given away

Government surplus cheese will be available Dec. 8, for distribution to low income families. The cheese will be available from 9:30 to 4:30 Wednesday, Dec. 8, at the Golden Spread Center, 14 S. Haney, Spearman.

There will be applications to fill out if families are eligible.

There is no charge for the cheese to those who qualify.

The cheese distribution is under the direction of Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation.

Following is a schedule of guidelines so that you may determine if your family is eligible for this surplus cheese.

| FAMILY SIZE | ANNUAL NON-FARM | FARM |
|-------------|-----------------|----------|
| 1 | \$ 5,850 | \$ 5,012 |
| 2 | 7,775 | 6,637 |
| 3 | 9,700 | 8,262 |
| 4 | 11,625 | 9,887 |
| 5 | 13,550 | 11,512 |
| 6 | 15,475 | 13,137 |

Add \$1.925 for each additional member in a non-farm family and \$1.625 for each additional member in a farm family.

| | ONE MONTH | \$ 417 |
|---|-----------|--------|
| 1 | \$ 487 | 553 |
| 2 | 647 | 688 |
| 3 | 808 | 823 |
| 4 | 968 | 959 |
| 5 | 1,129 | 1,094 |
| 6 | 1,289 | 1,094 |

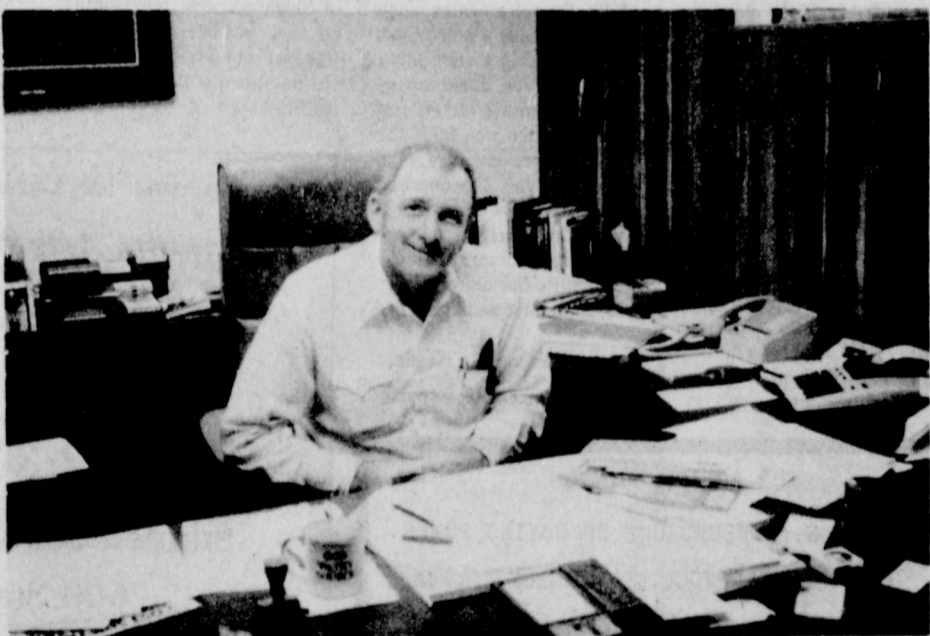
Add \$160.00 for each additional non-farm member and \$135.00 for each additional member in a farm family.

Effective date: April 19, 1982



Cecil Biggers, a lawyer in Spearman for the past 8 years, recently moved into his new office located at 18 S.W. Court. The

office was formerly occupied by the Hansford Agency.



Burl Buchanan of the Hansford Agency, is shown above in his new office located at 16 S.W. Court. He is in the

newly remodeled office, formerly the office of the late Dr. R.L. Kleeberger.

Police Report

INCIDENTS REPORTS

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spoke, the officer noticed that his speech was slurred and that his breath smelled of alcohol. Another officer arrived at the scene and took custody of the subject and the other officer went into the store to obtain information from the clerk that had called. The clerk advised the subject had insisted on using telephone. The subject then laid his head on the counter and refused to leave the store when asked. The subject was then advised he was under arrest and was transported to the Police Department for processing. After booking procedures were performed, the subject was released to his employer on a \$100.00 cash bond and was advised to appear before Judge Jones on Monday, November 29, 1982.

On Sunday, November 28, 1982, at 6:10 a.m. an officer observed a 1976 Chevrolet pick-up pulled over to the side of the road on Highway #207 South by Excell Chevrolet/Olds Inc., with the motor running. The officer approached the vehicle and observed a subject passed out in the seat of the vehicle. The officer attempted to wake the subject at this time, the subject began to fight with the officer and was subsequently handcuffed. The subject smelled strongly of alcohol and was belligerent. The subject was transported to the Police

Department for booking procedures for Public Intoxication. The subject was released to his father on \$100.00 cash bond and advised to appear on Monday, November 29, 1982 before Judge Jones.

ACCIDENT REPORT

On Monday, November 22, 1982, at 11:55 a.m., this Department received a telephone call advising that there had been a two vehicle accident at 800 W. Seventh Street (just north of the Dairy Queen.) The caller advised there were no injuries. An officer was dispatched to investigate. The officer observed the two vehicles involved, a 1977 Buick Electra and a 1979 Ford Ranger pick-up. With further investigation, it was learned that the pick-up had been southbound on Highway 207 and had signaled a right-hand turn with the intentions of turning into the Dairy Queen parking lot. The Buick was eastbound at the intersection of Seventh Street and Highway 207 and assumed the pick-up was turning onto Seventh Street, therefore proceeded to pull into the intersection. When the Buick pulled into the intersection, it pulled into the path of the pick-up,

causing the collision. There were no citations issued and both vehicles were driven from

the scene by the owners, no wreckers were needed.

D.J. Alberts
Chief of Police

Blackman elected Chamber president

Monty Blackman, C.P.A. with Brown, Graham and Co. has been elected President of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce for 1983. Other officers elected are First Vice President, Robert Elliott, manager Texas-New Mexico Power Co.; Second Vice President, Bob Pearson, Bob Oil & Gas Leasing Co.; Treasurer, Judy Nelson, Co-owner JG's, Inc.

These new officers will officially take office on January 1, 1983. The new directors are Bob Pearson, Anthony Wilkerson, Mike Cudd and Brice McRee; hold-over directors are: Judy Nelson, Robert Elliott, Mike Schnell, Jim McLain, Frances Loftin, Monty Blackman, Doug Steger and Elbre Hickerson. The out-going directors are: J. Lusby, Butch Baker, Ray Ingle and Robert Queener.

Hospital News

Patients at Hansford Hospital are Gene Leatherman, R.E. Sanders, Pura Mendoza, Elodia Bravo and daughter, Stephanie Bynum, Barbara Cook, Mary Tremmell and Jeff Melton. Dismissed were Anita Rios, Amella Hull, Worley Smith, Anson Ward, Wayne Moore, Ellen Babbis, Maria Chaborria, S.W. Robertson, Hazel Gibner and Glenn Mackie.

MARKETS

| | |
|-------|--------|
| CORN | \$2.60 |
| WHEAT | 3.32 |
| MILK | 4.25 |



CHRISTMAS LIGHTS GOING UP Monday, courtesy of Texas-N.M. Power Co. Many of the local stores are already decorated for Christmas and the holiday season. Be sure and visit local stores and participate in the Spearman Bucks drawings.

Dear Friends:

Dear Friends: This letter is a first for me: Guy Saunders daughter-in-law Guyon Saunders wife. The six Saunders kids' Momma My most treasured titles. However, this letter is simply from me: Mary Frances Saunders, who has a story to tell: It's about my discovery. It's here in Amarillo, Texas. It's for all the people of the Panhandle.

I call it "The Lord's Safe Place" (a "tie a lock") for all who enter from the world. In this wild, weary, wonderful world, peopled by all of us, all need a "safe place", now and again. Yes, we need it to refresh and regroup so that we then can re-enter the world: re-newed!!

The 55-year-old Catholic Diocese of Amarillo, Texas is the guardian of this discovery. Let me share some details with you. First, it has a name: "The Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center".

It was Bishop DeFalco's dream: a retreat center for the families of the Texas Panhandle, its chapel dedicated to the Holy Family. It has become a reality through the efforts of Bishop Leroy T. Matthiessen, who considers this to be his sacred privilege. It's a gentle giant rising out of the Plains and soon will open to welcome all of us.

Three Redemptorist Fathers will be the spiritual caretakers. They have pledged themselves to this mission. They are Fathers Charlie Schraub, Bob Curry and Andy Meiners. Dreamers and Dedicated Doers make things happen. Prayers guard and guide the way.

Just Plain Money-keeps all real!! So, this is my "first" fund-raising letter. The entire concept of this special "safe place" has captivated me!!

Your funds are so very necessary!!! Will you help??? Help. Lots and Lots? Will you call and or write me? Let me show you - take you - tell you much more?

Sincerely, Mary Frances Saunders "We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give." Winston Churchill P.S. Facts for Funds:

All contributions will be joyfully received! and each of you will be remembered in prayer by "our" Redemptorist Fathers.

In recognition of special gifts, a living prayer Memorial Books is being designed and crafted by Suzanne Lindquist, a local artist. Donors of large amounts will have their names and date hand engraved on copper sheets, in a copper living daily prayer Memorial Book.

Two categories will be memorialized: 1) Memorial gifts of \$500 up to \$50,000 for such items as the faceted glass windows, pulpit, bells, candlesticks, crucifix, the lifesized bronze Holy Family, the Marian Shrine--the Chapel itself.

2) The Bishop DeFalco Foundation, starting at

\$1,000, the formation of an irrevocable trust will begin. Interest of which will go forever toward programming, promotion and on-going maintenance. Whatever you decide to give--please: Mail to: Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center 2100 N. Springs Amarillo, TX 79107

Town and Country Extension Homemakers Club Meet

The Town and Country Extension Homemakers Club met November 16, 1982 in the home of Janie Kunselman. Cora Queener, President, presided over the meeting. A devotional was read by Janie Kunselman. Roll call was answered to "a diet you have tried." Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. A treasurer's report was given by Dixie Smith.

Discussion was held on the Christmas party which is to be held on December 11, 1982 at Pat Cudd's home. The party is to be for members and their husbands. A list was passed around to sign up for food to bring to the Christmas party.

Lisa Pipkin reported that she had received some information

on selling stainless steel knives. This will be discussed at a later date.

The Christmas luncheon is to be held December 14 at the home of Penny Ralston. Everyone is responsible for bringing a dish of food. This will be our next meeting.

Patty Sheppard gave an entertaining program on Phyllis Diller's "Housekeeping Hints." The program was enjoyed by all.

Members present were: Julie Adams, Pat Cudd, Denise Harbour, Janie Kunselman, Lisa Pipkin, Cora Queener, Dixie Smith, Peggy Winegarner, Sammy Goehring, and Paula Foster.

Caring for quilts

COLLEGE STATION--With fall at hand and winter on the way, quilts and comforters will be in the limelight as they are taken from storage and put to use.

"Before using a quilt, check its condition, fiber content and age. An heirloom quilt, for example, should not be used on the bed where people will sit or pull on it," explains Dr. Peggy S. Owens, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Start with the least complicated and damaging method when cleaning quilts, Owens advises. Airing will remove any musty smell acquired during storage. To remove dust or surface soil, vacuum with an upholstery tool. Cover the quilt with fiberglass screening--but don't vacuum directly on the quilt.

Stain removal is unwise on older quilts because it weakens the fibers. Dry cleaning solvents remove oily stains but are usually too harsh for older quilting fabrics, the specialist warns.

"Wet cleaning must be done carefully. Do not machine-wash or dry or line hang a quilt. Soak in a bathtub using a very dilute detergent solution. Rinse several times to remove detergent. Then support the weight of the wet quilt to prevent strain on fabric and stitches. Dry on a bed sheet outside," Owens advises.

Repair any damaged areas to prevent further deterioration. Store quilts flat or rolled. To protect from dust and light, use

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Notice to all 4-H livestock exhibitors

The Board of Directors of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce voted to sponsor the Miss Hansford County Pageant that is held in conjunction with the Hansford Roundup in May. Jackie Pearson and Judy Nelson were appointed co-chairpersons for this annual event.

The Xi Zeta Sorority has sponsored the pageant for the last three or four years, but voted this year to not sponsor it again.

Xi Zeta has done an excellent job with the Miss Hansford County Pageant and should be commended for a job well done on this worthwhile county project.

Entry cards and fees for the following livestock shows are due in the County Extension office by December 3, 1982: Houston, Fort Worth, San Antonio and El Paso.

If you need entry cards or have any questions, please call the office 659-2136 or 733-2901.

Mrs. Rhoda Overton spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her daughter and son-in-law in Utopia. She reports a nice Thanksgiving with family and friends.

No Hurry Even those most eager to go to Heaven postpone the trip as long as possible. -Herald, Bristol, Va.

Texaco: new oil discovery off west coast.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Vi Whitson for Thanksgiving weekend were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Nagle of Albuquerque.

Dr. Keith Elected President Of ACS

Dr. H.B. Keith of Newman Memorial Hospital has been elected as the president of the American College of Surgeons at their annual state convention.

The group, whose membership includes 403 surgeons in the state, met in Oklahoma City on November 11-12th.

Dr. Keith received his medical degree from the University of Oklahoma and then completed his residencies in both General and Thoracic Surgery. He has been a member of the medical staff of Newman Memorial Hospital and Newman Medical Center clinic since 1963. He currently served on the board of directors of PSAO and is President of the NW Oklahoma County Medical Society.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guillermo Vela for the Thanksgiving Holiday Dinner were Jose Luis and Dolores (Vela) Moreno and Ramon, Barbara (Vela) and Juanito Reza--all of Spearman.

Just in time for Christmas shopping.

Stinnetts Arts & Crafts Sale

Dec. 4 & 5

Sat. 9 - 6 p.m.

Sun. 12:30 - 5 p.m.

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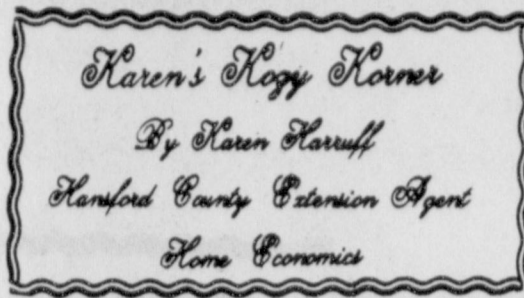
Stinnett Senior Citizens will benefit.

Guess who's 27!



Luv ya,

Dad, Mom, Melissa, and April



FIREPLACE CLEANING AND CARE

Cleaning a fireplace tends to be a "dirty" job, but it is not difficult. Proper cleaning and care can put your fireplace in good condition for months of wintertime enjoyment.

A fireplace that is used only occasionally will probably not need cleaning for years. But if you use it frequently and burn resinous woods--such as pine, spruce, or fir--a flammable creosote deposit may form on the inside of the chimney, making annual cleaning a "must."

CLEANING CHIMNEY INTERIOR

Check your unit with a flashlight to determine the condition of the chimney walls. If they appear "furry" and flake off when brushed, they should be cleaned before the fireplace is used.

If you do the job yourself, be sure to cover the hearth with plastic to protect the house from soot. It is also a good idea to place a plastic dropcloth inside the fireplace, and to fasten another piece to the opening by using duct or masking tape.

Cleaning equipment can be simple and inexpensive. For a single story house, lower a long-handled broom from the roof to dislodge the sticky deposit. If the house is more than one story, use a cylinder of chicken wire, or fill a burlap bag with rock and straw suspended on a rope. Carefully lower and raise the device up and down to dislodge accumulations on the walls of the chimney.

CLEANING FIREPLACE FACE

Overloading your fireplace can cause a black, sooty stain on your fireplace face. For brick, stone or other masonry products, there are two solutions to remove stains.

- 1. For ordinary stains: 1/2 cup vinegar or acetic acid 1/8 cup detergent 1 gallon water 2. For tougher stains: 1 - 2 cups trisodium phosphate 1/2 cup household bleach 1/8 cup detergent 1 gallon water



Harold and Nancy Ridgeway of Perryton, Texas, would like to announce the birth of their son, John David, born Thursday, November 11, 1982 in Ochiltree General Hospital.

Delivered at 11:53 p.m. John David weighed 8 pounds 10 ounces and measured 21 1/2" long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson of Waka, Texas. Great Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of Spearman, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harmon of Cheyenne, Oklahoma, and a great great grandmother, Mrs. Jeanette Thompson of Van Nuys, California.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bocox of Perryton, Texas. Great grandmothers are Mrs. Nellie Jackson of Pryor, Oklahoma and Mrs. Vicki Ridgeway of Purcell, Oklahoma.



Apply either solution with a stiff bristly scrub brush. Rinse well with clear water, dry completely, and then apply a clear masonry sealer to prevent penetration of stains.

Always wear gloves and protective clothing to avoid skin irritation.

Be cautious of an older or poorly constructed chimney. In this case it is best to have a professional do the job with modern suction equipment. Prices will range from \$25 to \$125 and more.

A professional could be called for any chimney cleaning job, but this is a task that can be done by any agile, determined "do-it-yourselfer".

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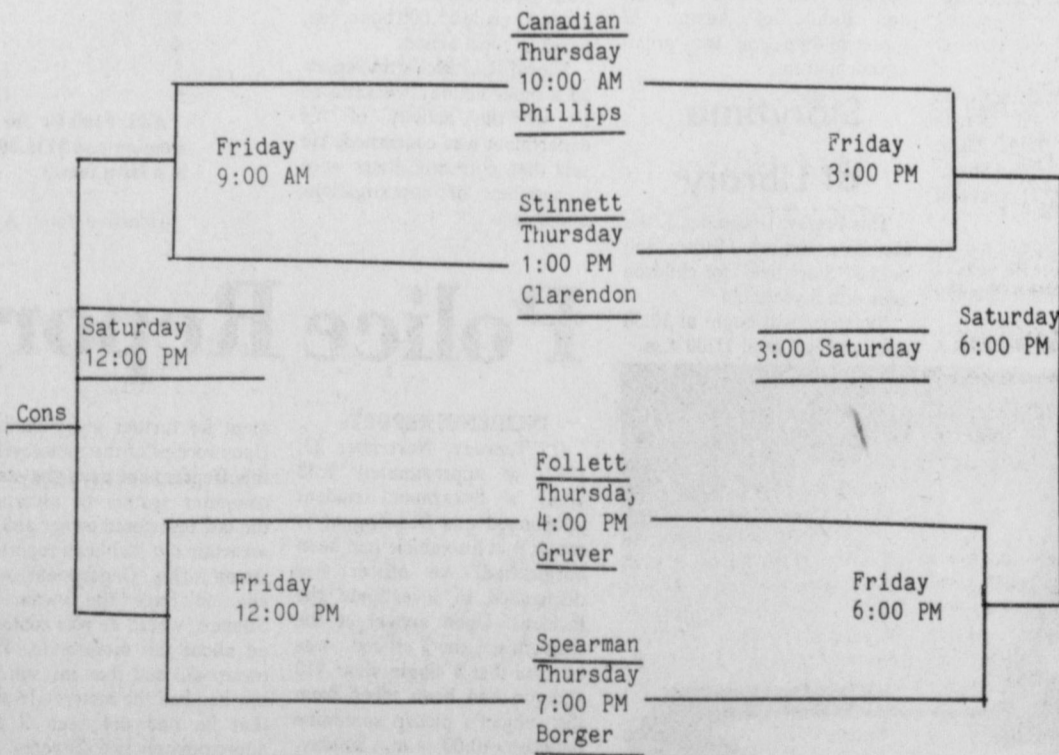
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3-4c

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4-2tp

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4-4tc

FOR SALE: AKC English Bull Dog puppies. Champion sired. Ron Gibson. 659-2019.
4-2tc

FOR SALE: 1977 Camaro, excellent condition, loaded, black and gold metal flake paint, black interior, asking \$4,500.00. will negotiate. See at 21 S. Brandt or call 659-2404.
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SEALED BIDS will be received until 5 p.m., Friday, December 10, 1982, at the Hansford County Judges Office, Spearman, Texas, for items of excess equipment including typewriters, Calculators, Paper Punches, car radio, 24 volt vehicle heater, Motorola Transmitter & Receiver Base Station, Washer and Dryer, Hospital Bed Frames, Wall Mirrors, Lavatories, Double Sink, Ledger Covers, Secretary's Chair, Refrigerated Water Fountains, Light Fixtures, Single Bed Springs, TV Stand, Metal Stub Ballot Boxes, Typewriter Copy Holder, IHC CUB CADET Tractor with Mower and Blade, 22 Magnum Mossberg Rifle, and other items.
A Complete List and Description of all items may be obtained from the county Judges office or the County Auditors office; and all items may be inspected at the Sheriff's Office.
These items are being sold to make room for records that are required to be kept.
The County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Bids will be opened at the regular Commissioners Court Meeting, Monday, Dec. 13.
Roy L. McClellan
Hansford County Judge.
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING SPEARMAN ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on Monday, December 13, 1982, at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers of City Hall located at 221 Sanders. The purpose of the public hearing is to consider the following zoning variance:
1. Request for a temporary variance to place a drilling rig in the approach sloap of Runway 2 of the Spearman Municipal Airport.
Any interest party may attend the open meeting to speak for or against the proposed zoning variance. For more information call 659-2524.
/s/ Donna Thomas
City Secretary

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LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF SALE OF OIL AND GAS LEASE
The City of Spearman, Texas, will receive sealed bids, until the 14th day of December, 1982, at 7:30 p.m., for paid-up Oil and Gas Lease on the following described lands, to wit:
15/16 of the minerals in and under a portion of Section 66, Block 4T, T.&N.O RR. Co. Svy., Hansford County, Texas, more or less fifteen (15) acres.
The primary term of the lease may not exceed ten (10) years. The lease may provide for pooling.
Bids will be received by the City Manager at City Hall, 221 Sanders, Spearman, Texas, until 7:30 p.m., December 14, 1982, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.
If a bid is sent by mail, it must be sealed in an envelope and marked thereon "Bid for Oil and Gas Lease" and date of sale, and place inside another envelope and plainly addressed to the City of Spearman, P.O. Box 37, Spearman, Texas 79081. Bidding conditions and documents and further information may be obtained from the City of Spearman at the above address.
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More than 1,700 4-H'ers from every state, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico will gather for the 61st National 4-H Congress, Nov. 28 - Dec. 2, at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago. Forty-six Texans will be in the delegation.
With the theme, "4-H Pathways To The Future," the week-long educational program features workshops, assemblies, field trips and recognition events, says Jim Smith, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.
Delegates were selected by the Extension Service for outstanding achievement in 4-H projects. During the week, 279 scholarships totaling \$259,000 in educational grants will be awarded in some 40 4-H project areas.
In workshops focusing on personal development, delegates will discuss with experts such topics as computers, grooming, handling emergencies, health and nutrition, stress, positive thinking, decision making and selling yourself. Delegates also will meet with 700 leaders of business, industry and education who will be attending the annual event in the Windy City. In addition, eight outstanding 4-H alumni will be honored in the National 4-H alumni recognition program.
Delegates will tour the Museum of Science and Industry, The Chicago Board of Trade, Sears Tower, Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Chicago Tribune, Chicago City Hall, Feder-

al Reserve Bank of Chicago, Chicago Fire Academy, International Academy of Merchandising and Design, Playskool Inc., and Continental Illinois Bank and Trust.
Young men and women from 49 states and Puerto Rico will model their ensembles at the National 4-H Fashion Revue hosted by Simplicity Pattern Co., Inc. on Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. in the Hilton's Grand Ballroom. On Thursday morning, delegates, leaders and guests will participate in jazzercise and recreation sessions.
The ninth National 4-H Photo Exhibition, sponsored by Eastman Kodak Company, will be on display throughout the Congress in the Continental Room of the Hilton. The show features 250 black-and-white and color prints by 4-H members. Also on display will be 100 posters from members in 40 states.
The Congress will conclude Thursday night with the naming of the six presidential award winners, the annual banquet and a farewell dance.

After all participating businesses have drawn then the Chamber will draw these names for the days winner.
Employees may not register at the store where employed. \$100 a day will be given away for 10 days. Dec. 6 thru Dec. 17. On Dec. 20, seven names will be drawn for \$100 each.
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Registration for the Christmas Spearman Bucks begins Friday, Nov. 26.
Each business provides their own container for coupons.
The first drawing will be Dec. 6. The Chamber office will call each morning (Monday thru Friday) for the name drawn.

Post Office has stamp-collecting items

The Postmaster today invited holiday shoppers to consider several stamp collecting items available at the post office for their gift-giving lists.
The Postmaster said that the post office has the ninth edition of "The Postal Service Guide to U.S. Stamps", as well as the 1982 Mint Set which contains all 29 commemorative and special stamps issued during the year.
The 280-page "The Postal Service Guide to U.S. Stamps" is priced at \$3.50 (the same as last year) and contains full-color reproductions of all U.S. stamp issues and the most current values assigned to each one. The book, designed to provide interesting philatelic information for both the novice and the experienced stamp collector, also includes many stories and philatelic articles about the stamp subjects and designs.
The 1982 Mint Set, priced at \$6.50, is the latest in a series of annual sets of commemorative and special stamps released by

the Postal Service each year prior to the holiday season. The cover of the colorful set features a montage of artwork related to the stamps inside.
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Groundwater declines cited by water official

COLLEGE STATION--Continuing expected declines in Texas groundwater were pinpointed in discussions at Texas A&M University recently by Tommy R. Knowles of the Texas Department of Water Resources.

For the first time since the devastating drought of the 1950s, pumping of water in the 1980s is exceeding the recharge ability of the state's aquifers, Knowles said.

Current groundwater use is about 10.8 million acre feet a year, while the recharge capability is approximately 5.1 million acre feet. At this rate, the wells will be dry someday in the not-too-distant future, or the water will be unfit for use since some salt is creeping into the water supply at present, he warned.

Knowles added that water usage in the future should be geared to the rate of recharge, and the quality of the water should be monitored.

He listed as largest sources of underground water the seven major aquifers of Texas, which produce large quantities in large areas. These are supplemented, he said, by 17 minor aquifers, which produce large water quantities in small areas.

The major aquifers, he added, include the Ogallala Formation which serves the High Plains, extends into other states, and has an extremely limited recharge; the Trinity Sands Group; Edwards Limestone and Trinity; Edwards-Balcones Fault Zone; Carrizo-Wilcox Sands; Gulf Coast Sands and Alluvial and Bolson Deposits.

Many areas have been experiencing declines in groundwater, Knowles said, calling attention to the need for more comprehensive surface water management. Projections indicate that by the year 2030, groundwater availability will be about 7.6 million acre feet, with more surface water being needed to assure a sufficient amount of water for population and industry growth in Texas, and for agriculture.

Groundwater declines are being experienced in the El

Paso area; the Winter Garden area; Southeast Texas, especially in Harris County where subsidence is also a major concern; Angelina, Trinity, Erath and Kleberg Counties; the High Plains; and the area around Dallas-Fort Worth, as well as other areas, Knowles reported.

Knowles was lead-off speaker for a program segment on "Managing Groundwater Resources" at the 1982 Water for Texas Conference. The conference was sponsored by the Texas Water Resources Institute, a special unit of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Sta-

tion.

Dr. Neville P. Clarke, director of the Experiment Station, said more than 250 people registered for the conference. Included were 50 representatives of river authorities; 30 legislators; 40 business leaders; 20 officials of city government; 25 media representatives, League of Women Voters officials, State Soil and Water Conservation District Boards, Texas Department of Water Resources personnel, along with federal water authorities.

Dr. Jack R. Runkles is director of the Texas Water Resources Institute.

PRDC new loan guarantee program hearing Dec. 7

Representatives of businesses and lending institutions in the Spearman area will hear about the Panhandle Regional Development Commission's new loan guarantee program December 7.

The development Corporation was organized in August and recently received its charter from the Small Business Administration. It is governed by a 9 member board of business people from across the region.

The Spearman area is represented by Pat Waters of Canadian, Jerry Davidson, Sunray, and Tommy Detrixhe, Higgins. The board is chaired by Russel Sahm of Amarillo.

The purpose of the corporation is to give a small business owner an additional place to look for loan guarantees after he has gone through community resources. In a typical case the borrower must have 10% of the proposed loan amount in cash. Then the borrower must be able to get a commitment for the additional 50% of his or her project cost from conventional lenders. After that the Regional Development Corporation Board enters the picture.

The corporation's professional staff will research the loan applications and will refer those that meet SBA criteria to the

Board. If the Board approves, a loan for the additional 40% will be arranged.

Vicki Jacobs, director of the PRDC will be in Spearman for the ribbon cutting session. She will be appearing at five other Panhandle cities during December to talk about the program.

Bergin named regional agronomist

DEKALB, ILL.--T.J. "Doc" Bergin of Gruver, Texas, has been named Regional Agronomist for DEKALB-PFIZER GENETICS in the Southwest region, according to Jerry Conner, vice president and national sales manager.

DEKALB-PFIZER GENETICS is the new seed production and marketing firm formed by the recent partnership agreement between DEKALB AgResearch, Inc., and Pfizer Genetics.

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Christmas Open House at Local Flower Shops

Blackburn's Flowers, 322 S. Dressen, Spearman, is having their Christmas open house Sunday, Dec. 5 from 2 to 5 p.m. Mrs. Blackburn stated that she has fresh roping, wreaths, centerpieces of fresh greenery and silks, and she will have a door prize.

She invites everyone to attend Sunday.

Callaway's Flowers, Hwy 207, is having their Christmas open house all this week. They invite you to come out and view their many Christmas items.

Immunization Clinic Set

An immunization clinic offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases will be held Dec. 6 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Spearman Elementary School, 511 S. Townsend.

Protection is against polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, and mumps. There will be no charge.

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Industrial Development Depends On Local People

COLLEGE STATION--If communities expect to attract industry, it will depend on the local people.

That message came through loud and clear at a recent Rural Industrial Development Workshop at Texas A&M University.

About 80 percent of all industrial development and growth is due to the efforts of local community leaders, said Jack Jones, community development specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, which sponsored the workshop.

Industrial development can generate jobs, increase personal income and the local economic base, and improve the environment and quality of life, Jones said.

Yet, many communities really don't want to grow and will block any efforts toward development, said Dr. James Copp, professor of sociology and rural sociology at Texas A&M.

"Small communities are surprisingly self-directing; they control their own fate," Copp said. "Many communities don't grow because local leaders don't have their 'act' together. Sometimes community leadership consists of the 'good ole' boys' who don't want 'new blood' in their group."

"What happens or doesn't happen in a community hinges around local leaders," Copp emphasized. "Community attitudes and the direction taken by community leaders must be in general agreement if a community is to prosper."

Copp listed these indicators of a good or bad climate for industrial development in a

community: the Chamber of Commerce office, the C. of C. manager or executive, interlocking memberships (community leaders serving in various capacities), makeup of the Industrial Development Foundation, and the number of absentee leaders. An overabundance of absentee leaders can be the "kiss of death" to community efforts in industrial expansion, said Copp.

Communities with an Industrial Development Foundation usually grow and develop at a faster rate and often reflect a more single-minded attitude toward growth, he added.

Another speaker, Raymond Bost with Delta Steel Buildings of Dallas, offered several guidelines for community leaders interested in constructing speculative buildings to attract industry. "Don't build a building smaller than 20,000 square feet and make sure it has an eave height of at least 20 feet," Bost said. "And don't add a lot of extras. Make sure the building will accommodate a sprinkler system to support the sprinkler system." Bost added that the entire building should be insulated.

He said that his company could construct such a building for about \$8 per square foot (without a concrete slab).

Bost pointed out that most speculative buildings are usually occupied within six or seven months after completion.

Dr. Charles Madden with the Texas Engineering Experiment Station at Texas A&M University told workshop participants that both communities and businesses have various needs

that must be considered in an industrial development program. He cited community needs as employment, tax base, consumers, economic activity, amenities and stability, and listed business or industry needs as labor, markets, transportation, utilities, buildings, financing and stability of rules.

"Local communities usually cannot provide every need of a business or industry, and no single firm can give a community everything it needs," he emphasized.

Community leaders must analyze supply and demand factors and assess market opportunities before implementing marketing plans to attract an industry, he said.

Madden also encouraged

community leaders to take the initiative in attracting a new business or industry. "If your phone hasn't rung in three years, maybe it's time for you to start calling prospects," he said.

TFB

DALLAS--Export financing is the key to short-term economic recovery in agriculture, the president of the Texas Farm Bureau told delegates to the TFB's 49th annual meeting here Monday.

Carrol Chaloupka, wheat, feed grain and livestock producer from Dalhart, said four things are necessary in the long run for agriculture and the

nation as a whole to overcome the current recession. These were:

(1) Farmers must cut production in line with demand.

(2) Agriculture must find a way to increase farm exports.

(3) The nation must complete the economic recovery program begun two years ago.

(4) These things must be solved in a way that will "strengthen and maintain our political and economic system."

The TFB farm leader said the most important action that must be taken is to increase exports of grain, cotton and rice.

He said grain exports could be increased from the current 5

billion bushels to 6 billion bushels a year by developing a credit program that would make short-term credit available to countries who need our products and can pay for them eventually, but who at present have neither the money nor credit.

"This could be accomplished through a U.S. government guarantee of principal and interest for loans from commercial sources to finance food imports," he said. "It is not necessary that government provide the money. The loans would be supplied by commercial banks with the government guaranteeing the loans."

He said the blended-credit program recently announced by the administration obviously had this in mind.

However, he said, the announced program would not be large enough to do the job that is needed. To increase grain exports by a billion bushels

would take credit guarantees of from \$3 to \$4 billion, he explained.

Chaloupka said the government program not only needs more funding, but should be expanded to include additional crops. Commodities now under discussion include corn, wheat, soybean, vegetable oils, tallow, cotton, eggs, poultry and lumber, he said.

"Why not include pork, high-quality beef and variety meats?" he asked.

The TFB leader said exporters have learned that selling meat abroad is not easy. While all farm products are affected by unfair trade barriers, meat is confronted by additional problems of health and sanitary regulations, he explained.

On an optimistic note, he said that export of pork has greater potential than expected.

He said high-level government negotiations are needed to open markets.

"The Japanese consumer should be as free to choose the kind of meat he wants as the American consumer is in his choice of a car," he said.

Chaloupka said that the combination of reducing production by 10 to 15 percent and increasing exports to 6 billion bushels of grain should bring reasonable balance to supply and demand.

"With lower interest rates and inflation of 3 to 6 percent, all of us in agriculture should be feeling much better," he said.

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Calendar of Events

The Spearman High School are getting ready for their long-deserved vacation--Christmas Vacation, which will officially begin December 23 and last until January 2nd. The main activities for the Spearman High School are basketball games. There are approximately 41 games of basketball to be played in 15 days, with 4 tournaments in between! So all those in athletics are gonna be as busy as a Beaver building his home, while those in athletics and academics will be busy with ACT tests. All-Region Choir and the Christmas Concert!! Following are the activities for the SHS.

- DECEMBER 2, 3 & 4**--The annual Spearman Varsity Lynx and Lynettes Invitational Tourney. The annual Gruver Jr. Varsity Tournament will be played these days also. The Jr. Varsity and Varsity Lynx and Lynettes have an excellent chance of winning a trophy!!
- DECEMBER 6**--The Freshman Lynx will host the Freshman Dumas Demons beginning at about 6:30. The Freshman Lynettes will travel to Dumas to face the 9th Demonettes beginning at 6:30 or so.
- DECEMBER 7**--The home debut of the Jr. Varsity and Varsity Lynx and Lynettes. The game will be against the Stratford Elks and Elkettes A & B Teams.
- DECEMBER 9, 10 & 11**--The Sanford-Fritch Varsity Invitational Tourney. The Lynx and Lynettes have a chance of bringing home a Trophy.
- DECEMBER 11**--The ACT Tests will be given here at the Spearman High School. The All-Region Choir Concert will be held at West Texas State University Campus.
- DECEMBER 13**--The Freshman Lynx will face the River Road Wildcats at River Road beginning at 6:30 or so. The Freshman Lynettes will host the River Road Wildcats at the Lynx Little Gym beginning at 6:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 14**--The second home game for the Varsity and Jr. Varsity Lynx and Lynettes. The game will be against the Sunray Bobcats. The JV Lynettes and Bobcats will start the series at 4 p.m. at the Varsity Gym.
- DECEMBER 16, 17 & 18**--The Lynx and Lynettes Freshman teams to play in the Dumas Freshman Tourney.

- DECEMBER 17**--The Jr. Varsity and Varsity Lynx and Lynettes will host the Stinnett Rattlers and Rattlerettes A & B Teams beginning at 4 p.m. at the Varsity Gym.
- DECEMBER 19**--Travis and Charlotte Angel's Music Department will hold their annual Christmas Concert--more details in a later issue.
- DECEMBER 20**--The Freshman Lynx will travel to Dumas to play Dumas beginning at 7 or so. The Freshman Lynettes will host the Dumas Freshman beginning at 7 or so. The Varsity and Jr. Varsity Lynx and Lynettes will travel to Stratford to meet Elks and Elkettes beginning at 4 p.m.
- DECEMBER 21**--The Lynx and Lynettes Jr. Varsity and Varsity will travel to Gruver to meet up with the Gruver Greyhounds and Lady Greyhounds. This will be the last before Christmas Holidays.
- DECEMBER 23** - January 2--Christmas and New Year's Holidays!! Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!!

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TFB awards presented

DALLAS--Awards for the annual county Farm Bureau public relations, safety and membership were presented during the Texas Farm Bureau state convention here this week.

The 10 counties receiving public relations awards for their scrapbook entries included Ellis, Tom Green, Coleman, Fayette, Frio, Colorado, Llano, Lampasas, Van Zandt and Gillespie counties. Receiving honorable mention were Bexar, Dawson, Johnson, Karnes and DeWitt counties.

Fayette County Farm Bureau received the safety award. The award is presented to the county Farm Bureau judged to have put on the best safety education program for the past year.

Special membership awards were given in four membership-size categories for the largest gain in membership, the highest renewal percentage, the most new members and the longest continuous gain.

Winners in the largest gain in a county were Camp, Starr, Howard and Harris counties. Receiving awards for the most new members were Camp, Starr, Tarrant and Harris counties.

LaSalle, Archer, Llano, Lampasas and Nacogdoches counties were presented awards for the longest continuous gain, while highest renewal percentage awards went to San Augustine, Mason, Scurry and Wilson counties.

The honor district award went to District II in South Central Texas for the largest membership gain and having every county gain for a Farm Bureau district. David Fochner of Boling is state director for District II.

District II includes Austin, Brazoria, Brazos, Chambers, Colorado, Fayette, Fort Bend, Grimes, Harris, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller, Washington and Wharton counties.

Counties recognized for continuous gain in membership were: 35 years--Lampasas; 30 years--Young, Matagorda, Caldwell; 25 years--Taylor, Bexar, Guadalupe; 20 years--Eastland, Bell, Travis, Polk, Dimmitt, Brazoria, Chambers and Colorado.

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Spearman Varsity Tourney

The Annual Spearman High School Invitational Tournament will be held this Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 2, 3 and 4, 1982, at the Lynx Varsity Gym. The teams entered in the Annual Lynx and Lynxettes Tourney include the Canadian Wildcat teams, Phillips Blackhawks and Blackhawkettes, Stinnett Rattlers and Rattlerettes, Clarendon Broncos and Bronkettes, Follett Panthers and Pantherettes, the Gruver Greyhounds and Lady Greyhounds, and the Borger Lady Bulldogs, of course, the Lynx and Lynxettes and special invitation to the Spearman JV Lynx.

The first game will be between Canadian and Phillips at 10 a.m. on Thursday--this is in the girls bracket. The loser will play in the Losers bracket and the winner will advance to the Semifinals in the Winner's bracket. The loser of the game will have to win in order to play for Consolation on Saturday at 12 Noon. The second girls game will begin at 1:00 p.m. between Stinnett and Clarendon. The loser will then play on Friday at

9 a.m. and the winner at 3 p.m. on Friday. The 3rd game in the girls bracket has Follett taking on Gruver at 4 p.m., the loser will play at 12 noon on Friday and the winner at 6 p.m. The final game in the girls bracket has the Lynxettes taking on the Borger Lady Bulldogs beginning at 7 p.m. If the Lynxettes win they will then play in the Semi-final game at 6 p.m. on Friday, if they win the Semi-final game, they will try for the Championship Trophy beginning at 6 p.m. on Saturday, December 3. If the Lynxettes lose in the Semi-final, they will then play for 3rd Place beginning at 3 p.m. But if the Lynxettes lose their first game, they will play at 12 Noon on Friday, December 2, the Lady Lynx then must win on Friday in order to play for the Consolation trophy which will be played on Saturday beginning at 12 Noon. **NOTE FROM SPORTS DESK: The Lynxettes have so much experience that they can win the Championship Trophy!!**

The first boys game will be between Canadian and Phillips beginning at 11:30 a.m. on

Thursday, the loser will play at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, the winner will advance to the Semi-finals and play at 4:30 p.m. The second boys game will begin at 2:30 p.m. between Stinnett and Clarendon. The loser will play at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, the winner will play at 4:30 p.m. The 3rd boys game will begin at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday between Follett and Gruver. The Lynx have a BYE in the first game, so they automatically move to the winners bracket in the Semi-final game against the winner of the Follett-Gruver game, this Semi-final game will be played at 7:30 p.m. The loser of the Follett-Gruver game will then take on the Spearman JV Lynx team at 1:30 on Friday. IF the Lynx win the Semi-final game, they will then play for the Championship beginning at 7:30 p.m. But IF the Lynx lose, they will play at 4:30 on Saturday for the 3rd Place game at 4:30 p.m. The JV Lynx will have to beat the loser of the Follett-Gruver game in order to play for Consolation, and with the talent the JV Lynx have they just might do it.



8th Lynx Lose

The 8th grade Lynx traveled to Canadian and came up empty-handed, losing 44 to 27. The 8th Lynx played well. Their Coach is Coach Rutherford.

Those on the 8th grade Lynx team are Allen Mires, Mark Garnett, Scott Taylor, Jesse Lozano, Dusty Hill, Ray Saldivar, Daniel De La Rosa, Wade Burgess, J.W. Hardy, Monte Beck, Trevor English and Allen Gardner.

The 8th Lynx are getting ready for the Dumas 8th grade Demons. The game will be played at the Lynx Little Gym beginning at about 5:30 or 6. Go on over to the Lynx Little Gym and check out the 8th Lynx in action!!

JV Lynx & Lynxettes to compete at Gruver JV Tourney

The Spearman Jr. Varsity Lynx and Lynxettes will be traveling to Gruver to play in the Gruver Jr. Varsity Tournament to be played this weekend, December 2, 3 and 4--Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

In the girls bracket, Sunray has a BYE--meaning that they will move to the winners bracket and play at 3 p.m. against the winner of the Perryton/Stinnett game. The loser of the Perryton/Stinnett game will then move to the Consolation Game since they will have a BYE on Friday. The Consolation game will begin at 9 a.m. At 3 p.m. the Dalhart JV girls will face the Booker girls on Thursday, the winner will advance to the Semi-finals against the winner of the Spearman/Gruver game. The Semi-final game will be played at 6 p.m. on Friday, December 3. The final game of the night will have the host team, Gruver, taking on their arch-rivals, the Spearman JV

Lynxettes on Friday--don't forget the game will begin at 6 p.m., don't miss it. The winner will advance to the Semi-final game and play the winner of the Dalhart/Booker game. The winner of the Semi-final game will then be in the Championship game to begin at 3 p.m. on Saturday, December 4. The loser of the Semi-final game will play for 3rd Place beginning at 12 Noon. The loser of the JV Lynxettes and Lady Hounds will play at 12 Noon on Friday against the loser of the Dalhart/Booker. Then the winner of the 12 Noon Friday game will be in the Consolation game to begin at 9 a.m. The Spearman JV Lynxettes have a lot of talent on their squad, they could very easily come home with the Championship Trophy, or 2nd Place and could also bring home the 3rd Place Trophy!! Go on over to Gruver and check out the action!! Cheer on the JV Lynxettes to victory!!

On the boys bracket there will be 4 solid games. The first game will begin at 10:30 a.m. The game will be between Gruver II and Sunray. The winner will advance to the Semi-final game and the loser will play at 10:30 a.m. on Friday in the losers bracket.

The second game of the day will be between Perryton and Stinnett beginning at 1:30 p.m., the winner will advance to the Semi-final game and play the winner of the GruverII/Sunray game at 4:30 p.m. The loser will play against the loser of the GruverII/Sunray game at 10:30 a.m. and then the winner of this game will advance to the Consolation Game beginning at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday. The Championship game will begin at 4:30 p.m. on Saturday and the 3rd Place game will begin at 1:30 p.m. Dalhart and Booker will play against each other beginning at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday. The winner will

advance to the Semi-final game, the loser to the losers bracket. The final game of the night in the boys bracket will have the tough Spearman JV Lynx going up against the host team, the Gruver JV Hounds at 7:30 p.m. The winner of this game will then go up against the winner of the Dalhart/Booker game at 7:30 p.m. on Friday. The winner of the Semi-final game will then advance to the Championship game to be played at 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, and the loser will advance to the 3rd place game beginning at 1:30 p.m. The loser of the JV Lynx/Hounds game will then play at 1:30 p.m. on Friday against the loser of the Dalhart/Booker game. The winner of this game will then play for the Consolation trophy beginning at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday. Make sure and go to Gruver, cheer on the JV Lynx to victory. They have enough talent to bring home either the Championship, 2nd Place and even 3rd Place Trophy!!

7th Lynxettes Lose by 1 in Double OT!

The Spearman 7th grade Lynxettes played one of the best games played in 7th grade history!--sort of speak. The 7th Lynxettes, coached by Coach Richard Trantham with Robbie Heinrich and Nita Baker showing the girls a thing or two. The 7th Lynxettes went into double overtime before they were beaten by 1 freethrow with 1 second to go!! There was a full house. I mean it was so packed it seemed that folks were piling up on each other, there were plenty of fans that were standing on the sides. This was a great game, just simply outstanding!!

The game at the half was in favor of the 7th Lynxettes 16 to 11, both teams playing their hearts out!! Coach Trantham's players for the game are Mary

Lou Baker, Michelle Sandoval, Beverly Ruiz, Kari Schneider, Michelle Sumner, Sandy Hill, Lynette Williams, Wanda Winger, Stacey Nitsche, Kim Jenkins, Tina Breeden, Dina Turner and Gina Bartz. They all played at one time or another and they all did a **spectacular job!!**

The first overtime came with 2 seconds to go and the Canadian 7th Wildcats had a chance to win the game with 2 freethrows, they were both missed and the 7th Lynxettes could not beat the buzzer to score. So this set up the first overtime.

Both teams wanted to win, Canadian because it was against Spearman, and the 7th Lynxettes because it was their first game, they had a sort of like a "sell-out" crowd, and

they have the talent!! Both teams Defense played excellently well. If you did not go to the game, then you missed a dandy of a game--and that is no "jive talk" neither!! The Canadian girls scored first on a freethrow making one of two, the score with 1 minute left was 38 to 37, then the 7th Lynxettes fouled again, the Canadian girls made another freethrow making the score 39 to 37, the 7th Lynxettes weren't in a desperate attack, they went down court and Mary Lou Baker took an off-balance shot, ripped the net, tied the score at 39. Then time ran out again, sending the game into the second overtime of the night!!

Once again the Defenses were playing extremely well, actually unbelievably well, be-

cause they had already played a couple of hours worth of running up and down the court. **NOTE FROM SPORTS DESK--Basketball is a sport that a tie cannot occur in. There must be a winner even though both teams deserve to win, either a winner by 2 points or 1!! In this case the better team lost, in most fans opinion!!** Once again, as it had been during the game, the Canadian 7th Wildcats took the lead by scoring a fieldgoal--**NOTE FROM SPORTS DESK: There are two ways to score in basketball, a field goal means that the ball is shot from the field and it is worth 2 points. A free throw is when a person is fouled they must go to the line and shoot the ball, this counts 1**

point on a successful try, if the ball goes in. The 7th Lynxettes put the ball up and scored their field goal for the quarter, tying the score once again at 41. Time was running out at this point, then a Canadian 7th Wildcat was fouled, she had a 1 and 1--meaning if she made 1 shot, she would have a chance for another. There was 1 second to go in this overtime. The first free throw was--good. What a rip!! The second was missed, the 7th Lynxettes tried to outrun the 1 second, but were not successful. The final score was 42 to 41 with the Canadian 7th Wildcats winning. It was a terrific game and none of the 7th Lynxettes or their Coach should be ashamed, because

everyone in that gym was proud of each and everyone of the 7th Lynxettes!!

The 7th Lynxettes will travel to Dumas on December 6 and play against the 7th grade Demonettes beginning at 4 p.m. Don't miss this game if you don't have too!!

BUSH IN AFRICA
LUSAKA, ZAMBIA -- Vice President George Bush said recently that the U.S. government would "labor on" until all foreign troops were withdrawn from southern Africa so the territory of Namibia could become independent.

OSA supports peaceful solution for Falklands.

7th Lynx Lose 'Thriller'

The 7th grade Lynx, coached by Coach Dan Shaver, played an excellent game, but lost by 2 stinging points!! According to Coach Shaver, "The fellows played great. We could have won the game, but we missed a couple of shots. As a matter of fact, there was about 1 minute to go, we were down by 8 points and we came back. I'm proud of these guys, they play great!!"

So Coach Shaver was real pleased with his bunch of players. The leading scorer was Justin Ooley with 11 points. Justin is a very good ball player, a good athlete for that fact. Alan Beeson and Brett Davis both had 6 points a piece--these were 3 of the starting five, the other 2 starters were Kevin Nelson and Timmy Woolley. Coach Shaver said that each week there will be different players, since there

are about 20 or 30 players on the 7th grade team.

The other players were Tony and Jesse Herndon, Carl Urban, Will Black, Steve Moore Junior Ochoa, Chris Lopez and Norman Scroggs.

The 7th Lynx played a great ball game, losing by two points, 31 to 29. They are now getting ready for Dumas. The game will be played at the Lynx Little Gym, this will be the first home game for the 7th Lynx to begin their season. Go on over to the Little Gym and check out the Lynx 7th grade. The Monday night football game is between the New York Jets and the Detroit Lions--the Jets will probably win by 10 points, and anyways, the basketball games aren't that long, so go on over to the Lynx Little Gym and see the real kind of action!!



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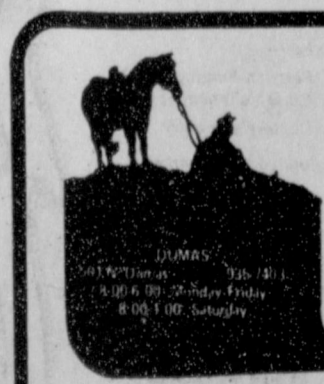
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Bob Hunnicutt of Channing, bronze sculptor artist is well known for his Western art work. Bob won "Best of Show" with an original hobo sculpture at the 10th annual October Winkler County Art Festival, competing with 200 other Western artists. The #1 Hobo Series is owned by Ralph Blodgett. Bob now only won the best in bronze but also won the coveted award of "Best Of Show". Showing with Bob will be Danny Gamble, an accomplished painter of Western scenes and Western art from Canyon. Danny and Bob have shown their art work at B & B Farm Industries, Spearman; First National Bank, Perryton; and also in many shows in the area including Gruver, Borger, Canadian, Booker, Kermit, Post, San Angelo, and shows in New Mexico.

Spearman High School Tournament

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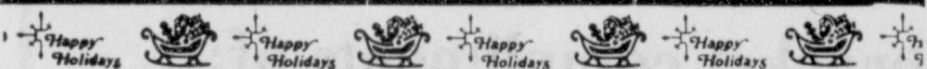
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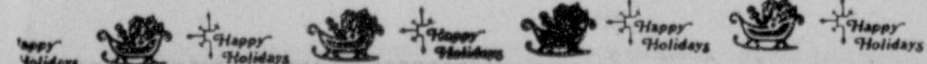
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| DATE | TEAM | JYG | JVB | VG | VB | STARTING TIME |
|-----------------|--------------------------|-----|-----|----|----|---------------|
| NOV. 30 | Stinnett | X | X | X | X | Th 4:00 |
| DEC. 2, 3 & 4 | Gruver JV Tourney | | | | | |
| DEC. 2, 3 & 4 | SPEARMAN VARSITY TOURNEY | | | | | |
| DEC. 7 | STRATFORD | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| DEC. 9, 10 & 11 | Fritch Varsity Tourney | | | | | |
| DEC. 14 | SUNRAY | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| DEC. 17 | STINNETT | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| DEC. 20 | Stratford | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| DEC. 21 | Gruver | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| JAN. 4 | GRUVER | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| JAN. 6, 7 & 8 | Canadian Varsity Tourney | | | | | |
| JAN. 6, 7 & 8 | Perryton JV Tourney | | | | | |
| JAN. 11 | * BOYS RANCH | X | X | X | X | H 6:00 |
| JAN. 14 | * Canadian | X | X | X | X | Th 4:00 |
| JAN. 18 | * River Road | X | X | X | X | Th 6:00 |
| JAN. 21 | * PERRYTON | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| JAN. 25 | * DALHART | X | X | X | X | H 6:00 |
| JAN. 28 | * Boys Ranch | X | X | X | X | Th 6:30 |
| FEB. 1 | * CANADIAN | X | X | X | X | H 6:00 |
| FEB. 4 | * RIVER ROAD | X | X | X | X | H 4:00 |
| FEB. 8 | * Perryton | X | X | X | X | Th 6:00 |
| FEB. 11 | * Dalhart | X | X | X | X | Th 4:00 |

*District Games

Stork Makes 3 Double Deliveries

The stork, with the able assistance of Dr. Ken Evans and Dr. Robert Keith of Newman Memorial Hospital in Shattuck, Oklahoma, made three double deliveries in less than a twenty-four hour period beginning at 8:06 p.m., November 16, 1982. That time marked the birth of Andy Scot Keidel who was followed a minute by his brother, Brian Alan Keidel. The babies weighed 5 lbs. 9 oz. and 5 lbs. 14 oz., respectively. This first set of twins are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Keidel of Buffalo, Oklahoma.

The excitement continued at 7:21 and 7:26 a.m. on the morning of the 17th when Erin and Eric Girton, weighing 6 lbs. 1 oz. and 5 lbs. 1 oz. were born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Girton of Gage, Oklahoma.

The third time around broke the pattern of boys only when Kristi Sue and Timothy Wayne Montgomery made their appearance at NMH shortly after noon at 12:55 and 12:56. These babies were born weighing 4 lbs. 12 1/2 oz. and 4 lbs. 8 oz. They are the daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Montgomery of Elk City, Oklahoma.

While some moments were a little hectic and excited, the staff had been prepared to receive their double deliveries because all three mothers had received pre-natal care at NMH. Without the latest equipment 50% of the births of twins are not diagnosed until delivery. However, the readings of ultrasound scans available at the hospital had alerted physicians and parents to expect the double births. Although Erin

and Eric Girton were transferred to Wichita, Kansas, following their birth, for more intensive nursing care, all mothers and babies are reported doing well. Because of good pre-natal care the higher risk of early delivery, low birth weight, and growth retardation were avoided in all these cases. Further, the availability of ultrasound and other testing helped physicians determine the best time to both the babies and their mothers for delivery. The stork has made progress.

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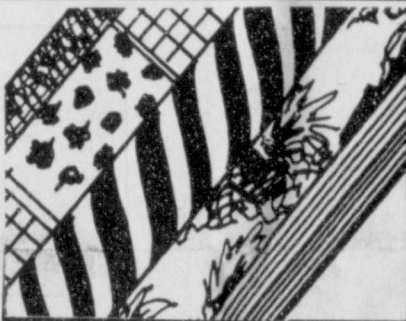
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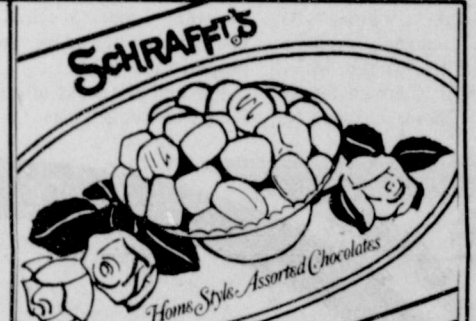
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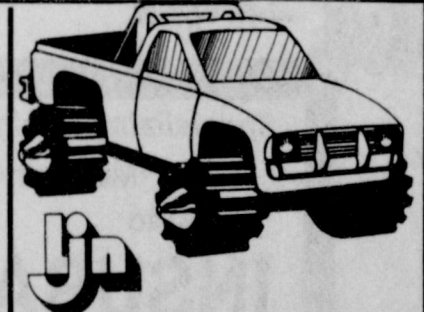
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1980-YMCA First Full Year

A rush of women joined the new wave of exercise by joining the YMCA's Fitness Fantasia, an aerobic dance program began in February 1980. Classes in the morning and evening were offered and have continued year around since then at the Hansford County YMCA. This was just one of the new programs added in 1980 by the YMCA. A new slimnastics program was offered women as an alternative to aerobics during the summer at the swimming pool. The swim team came under the auspices of the YMCA by board action, boxing became a full fledged program, as a boxing ring was added, together with workout equipment and a three to four day-a-week workout schedule. January brought the first youth basketball program for boys and girls, with cooperation from the coaches at Spearman Schools held clinics for the new volunteer coaches. Youth flag football and cheerleading were added in the fall, with about 135 boys and girls participating.

Many programs continued, as seasonal regulars for the members of the YMCA, including: Men's basketball, women's volleyball, men's and women's softball leagues, Fruitcake Revue II, youth baseball - softball - tee ball - boxing and the fitness center, as well as the open gym and game room for all ages. Renovation of the YMCA building continued into June 1980, with as much work as the budget would allow. By the time work ended the fitness center and youth center were completed and renovation of the rest rooms, gym area and reception office were finished as well. A question often asked is where does the money come from and where does it go. The YMCA is locally autonomous and must be self-supporting. A community must support the local YMCA for there are no provisions for any funds from the National organization, as National is only there as a consultant and a provider of program development and re-

search. The first full year of operation by the YMCA brought in \$35,535 dollars from community support, including contributions from individuals and the sororities for the first T-Bird Ball; \$24,573 from youth, adult, family and fitness memberships; \$31,233 from program fees, including the Fruitcake Revue, sponsor fees for teams and the like; other revenue was \$1,963 and restricted funds of \$343 for a total of \$94,092. Costs for operating the YMCA were: \$25,958 for operating programs; \$36,962 for management and building costs; \$11,823 was paid in for principle & interest on a loan for construction/renovation taken out in 1979 and restricted funds together with miscellaneous expenditures of \$4,267 for an operating cost of \$75,086. Construction and renovation allocated by the board from the general fund in 1980 amounted to \$18,951. Some programming and membership/constituency figures are: During 1980 the YMCA had 149 different teams

and classes and those who participated came 31,115 times to those teams and classes. There were 1,997 services during 1980, which included the number of times the game room was open, the gym was available, the fitness center opened, etc. Attendance at the building related activities was 21,607. The number of members and those youth who paid a non-member fee to participate in activities numbered 1,339 for the year 1980. The Hansford County YMCA is a Tex as Corporation and legally operated by a Board of Directors, composed of 24 elected members from the YMCA membership. The members of the board are elected for three-year terms, with 8 rotating each year. The Board of Directors elects the officers of the board at its April meeting, following election of the new board members. Next week we'll learn about other programs of the Y, locally and nationally and internationally and look at 1981.

Use common sense when buying toys

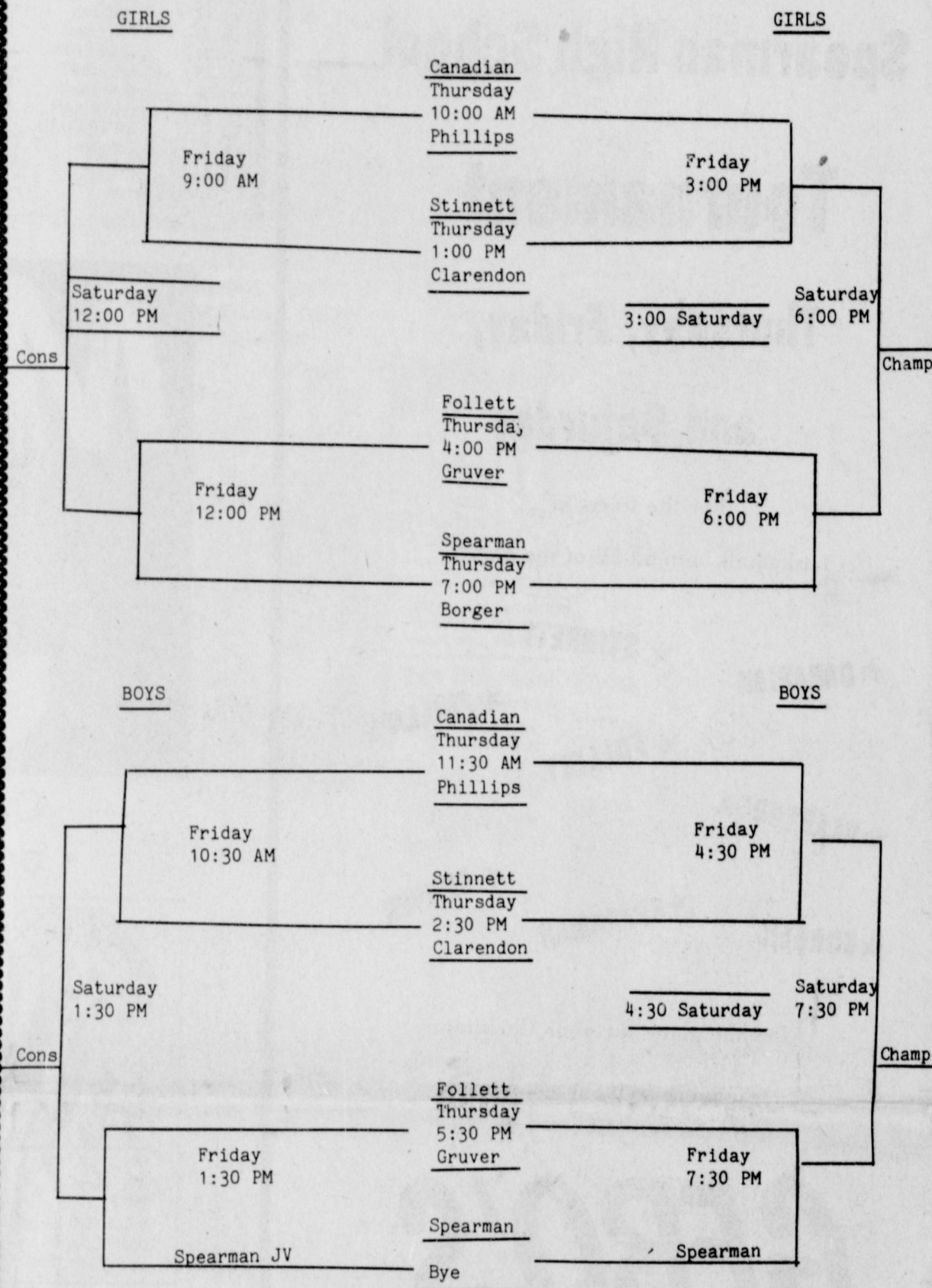
The day after Thanksgiving marks the traditional opening of the Christmas shopping season. Many shoppers will be searching high and low for just the right toys that they hope will light up the eyes of their youngsters on Christmas morning. The Texas Society to Prevent Blindness urges shoppers to use common sense in selecting gifts for the special children in their lives. Some types of toys can pose serious injury hazards to children, and particularly to the young eyes they are intended to light up. Prevent Blindness reports that over 4,200 Americans ended up in hospital emergency rooms last year as a result of toy-related eye injuries and that nearly 70% of the victims were under the age of fifteen. "Most of these injuries were caused by commonly available toys," said R.E. Margo, M.D., state medical chairman for the Society. "These include toy

guns, projectile toys, self-propelled and flying toys, slingshots and even such relatively 'safe' toys as dolls and stuffed animals." Particularly alarming, according to Margo, is the fact that over half of these injuries were caused by bows and arrows, BB guns, pellet guns and other air, gas, or spring operated guns. "Weapons such as these, when handled as toys, can obviously be extremely dangerous," Margo said. "There are two prime safety factors that should be considered in selecting toys," Margo continued. "First, is the toy appropriate for the child's age. And second, how much adult supervision will be required, and available, when the child uses the toy. It is also very important that a child be instructed on how to use the toy properly and safely." Prevent Blindness offers the following suggestions to help

shoppers choose safe toys for their youngsters this holiday season: *Look for toys made from shatter proof and flame resistant materials. *Avoid toys with sharp edges, points, nails, or screws that are exposed or can be easily exposed. *Check for rigid interior frames or springs that can easily puncture soft outside fabric or plastic coverings. *Remember that all projectile, flying and self-propelled toys can be dangerous. *Be sure to consider the child's age and physical coordination when selecting toys. Margo concluded by saying, "A little forethought and good judgement can help make this a safer and happier holiday for all our young Texans." The Texas Society to Prevent Blindness is an affiliate of the National Society to Prevent

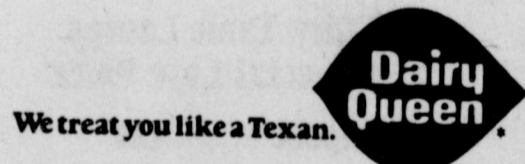
Blindness, the oldest voluntary health agency nationally engaged in sight conservation through a comprehensive program of community service, public and professional education, and research. **Family Pride** Many a man is proud of his father and mother merely because they are the parents of a fine fellow like himself. -Beacon, Philadelphia. **It Really Does** There isn't much to see in a small town-but what you hear makes up for it. -Inquirer, Cincinnati. Output drops, wholesale prices rise.

Spearman High School Invitational Tournament December 2, 3, 4, 1982



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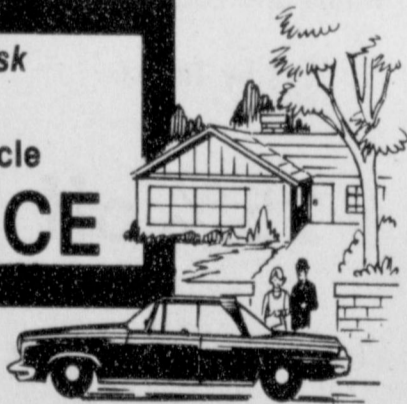
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