

Livestock Show Is March 19 & 20

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Youth Prepare For Livestock Show

County FFA and 4-H members are busy readying animals for showing at the annual Hansford County Junior Livestock Show to be held at the County Barn in Gruver this Friday and Saturday, March 19th and 20th. The two day affair will include the judging of swine, sheep, and cattle with each exhibitor allowed no more than one entry in each of the three divisions.

The Show schedule includes the Friday, March 19th Lamb Show which will begin at 2:00 P. M., to be followed by the Swine Show. Saturday, March 20th, the Steer Show is scheduled to begin at 10:00 A. M. to be followed by the Heifer Division of the Show. The Livestock Judging Contest is slated to begin at 1:30 P. M. Saturday and the Auction Sale will begin at 6:00 P. M. with the following order of sale including 1 lamb, 1 swine, 1 steer, and so on.

The Hansford County Stock Show Board of Director members include Dr. Tom Latta, Bob Ferguson, John Ames, Carl Cooper, Lynn Davis, Ed Dear, Mike Gamett, Jimmy Greene, Monty Harbour, J. C. Harris, Buddy Murrell, Sonny Patterson, Frank Pittman, Charles Reid, Phillip Renner, Troy Sloan, Raymond Walker, and Jerry Williams.

Advisors to the Board are the Vocational Ag Teachers in the County

including Herman Boone and Burt Williams, Spearman; and Oran Burton, Gruver. There is no County Agent at the present time but former County Agent, Joe VanZandt is expected to arrive March 18th to assist with the show.

The Concession stand will be under the direction of the 4-H Clubs in the County and is the only means of fund-raising that the 4-H has during the year.

Each exhibitor in the Show will be required to submit a completed record book which will be judged according to accuracy, completeness, and neatness. Cash prizes will be \$7.50, \$5.00, and \$2.50 for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places in both FFA records and 4-H records. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place ribbons will also be given as premiums in each organization.

Area residents are invited and urged to attend this two day show, the biggest County-wide event of the year.

CALF SHOW
Steers, which will be judged at 10:00 A. M. Saturday, must weigh at least 900 and not more than 1275 pounds on the date of the show with all steers being divided into four weight groups. A trophy will be awarded to the steer with the highest daily gain which will be computed from the date of weigh-in (September 13, 1975) until March 20. Only individual ribbon winners will sell in the steer auction with 75% of

the steers or 40 steers selling.

The number in each class will be determined on a percentage basis. Awards will include three showmanship awards, 1st - \$20.00; 2nd - \$15.00; and 3rd - \$10.00. There is an entry fee of \$3.00 per head.

Entries in the Cattle Show Cindy Patterson and Roy Harbour, Spearman; in the Heifer Division of the Show. In the Steer Division of the Show from the Spearman FFA are Mike Pack, Twane Friemel, Brent Comelley, Hereford; Lonnie Clemmons, Danny Dry, Jeff Hohertz, Jimmy Kenny, David Dear, Roy Harbour, and Kyle Nollner, Cross; Scott Sherwood, Maine-Anjou; Sam Boone and Danny Dear, Wimmental; Scot Martin, Angus.

Entries in the Cattle Show from the Gruver FFA include in the Steer Division, David Ames, Jimmy Finley, Buster Davis, Charolais; Quentin Hart, Dennis Henderson, Jimmy Griffin, Terry Gammon, Wade Dahl, Cross; Ricky Thompson, Gordon Moore, Bobby Hicks, Hereford; Eva Holt, Main-Anjou; Kenny Gammon, Limousin.

Entries in the Steer Division from the Spearman 4-H include Sandy Dry, Scott Strawn, Elden Allen, Darren Goodheart, Ron Clark, Carrie Clark, Stan Sherwood, Mary Ann Martin.

Entries in the Steer Division from the Gruver 4-H

include Rex Shook, Don Hamranft, Chris Cooper, Scott Henderson, Pamela Clawson, Rodney Dale Clawson, Todd Williams, Ty Williams, Marshall Cator, Durward Cator, Roy Don Gammon, Darla Ames, Tina Clawson and Chad Clawson.

Barrows and open gilts may be exhibited in the Market Hog Show with each exhibitor entering only one market hog in the show. All hogs must weigh within the range of 190 pounds to 250 pounds and will be shown in classes as breeds with four animals making a class. Breeds with as many as 8 hogs will be divided into a light and heavy weight class.

Seventy five percent of the swine will be sold at auction with a maximum of 50 hogs selling. Only ribbon winning hogs will be auctioned.

An entry fee of \$2.00 per head is charged. Showmanship awards will be given including \$20.00, 1st; \$15.00, 2nd; and \$10.00, 3rd. The Hog Show will be Friday afternoon.

Included as entries in the Swine Division from the Spearman FFA are Kirby Hargis, Aaron Brown, Arthur Carter, Robert Hagerman, Roger Riggins, Danny Dear, Tom Cordle, Ricky Alexander, Doug Steele, Duroc; Scott Sherwood, Danny Carr, Kelly Davis, Chester White; Joel Jackson, Sam Boone, Mitchell Smith,

Chuck Eaton, Larry Widener, David Pope, James Whitaker, Alan Uptergrove, David Lesly, Barbara Barrera, Raul Ortega, Mike Pack, Hampshire.

Other Spearman FFA entries in the Swine Division include Scot Martin, Terrell Evans, James Oltman, Yorkshires; Bo DeArmond, Tommy Limbocker, Dennis DeArmond, Eric Brown, Steve Donnell, Mike Slater, Poland China; David Dear, Denton Edwards, Richard Lesley, Mark Fox, Allen Shields, David Scroggs, Lonnie Clemmons, Florence Martinez, Cross; Tommy Limbocker, Dennis DeArmond, Eric Brown, Steve Donnell, Spotted; Greg Mills, Berkshire.

Those entered from the Gruver FFA in the Market Hog Division include Mark Fairbanks, Ricky Thompson, Chester White; Dennis Henderson, Rusty Washburn, Duroc; Gordon Moore, Kenneth Dahl, Brad Cluck, Tim Peddy, Charles Dahl, Eva Holt, Ricky Yanke, Toby Bagwell, Yorkshire; Rex Cadolph, Ricky Cazares, Crossbred.

Other Gruver FFA entered include Davin Winger, Rusty Gibson, Terry Gammon, Kenny Gammon, Spotted Poland China.

Those entered from the Spearman FFA in the Breeding Gilt Division include David Dear, Johnny Kenny, Mike Pack, James Oltman, Doug Steele, Barbara Barrera. Those entered in the

Breeding hogs Division from the Gruver FFA are Ricky Thompson, David Rotegeat, Toby Bagwell, and Eva Holt.

Entered from the Morse 4-H in the Hog Division of the Show is Russell Tiner. From the Spearman 4-H entries include Ken Prachar, Eadie Clemmons, Andrew Francis, Angela Francis, Steven Francis, Charles Zschiesche, Tracy Vemon, Dayton Edwards, Pat Steele, Suzy Steele, David Steele, Ron Clark, Carrie Clark, Jimmy Nicholson, Jeff Nicholson, Stan Sherwood, Wade Collier.

From the Gruver 4-H entries include Rhonda Jo Boone, Jody Bradford, Vana Bradford, Scott Henderson, Rodney Dale Clawson, Pamela Clawsen, Durwood A. Cator, Marshall A. Cator, Melinda Gammon, Roy Don Gammon, Melissa Gaye Britt, Darin Winger.

Entries in the Breeding Division from the Spearman 4-H include Charles Zschiesche, Pat Steele, Suzy Steele, Ken Prachar, From the Morse 4-H, Russell Tiner; and from the Gruver 4-H, Marshall Cator and Durwood Cator.

LAMB SHOW
Judging will begin for the Lamb Show at 2:00 P. M. Friday, March 19 at the County Barn in Gruver. Lambs must weigh 75 pounds the date of the show and cannot weigh over 120 pounds. Each exhibitor can show only one lamb with 75 percent of the lambs selling. A

maximum of 40 will sell and only ribbon winning lambs will be auctioned.

Three showmanship awards will be made including \$20.00, 1st; \$15.00 2nd; and \$10.00, 3rd. A fee of \$1.50 per head is charged.

Entered from the Spearman FFA in the Lamb Show are Jeff Gatrin, John Pearson, John Schaffer, Eric Brown, Hampshire; Ismael Vela, Robert Reed, Suffolk; Doug Steele, Cross; Barbara Barrera, Dossert.

From the Gruver FFA entries in the Lamb Show include Joe Fulfer, Ricky Thompson, Hampshire; and Wade Dahl, Crossbred. From the Spearman 4-H Clubs entries include Shelly Strawn, Scott Strawn, Joe Wade Wright, Jodie Zschiesche, Charles Zschiesche, Tracy Vemon, David Steele, Pat Steele, Suzy Steele, Brad Guthrie, William Britt Jarvis, Greg Odegaard, JoAnn Odegaard, James Mike Scroggs, and Chuck Smith.

Betsy Jones and Danny Jones are entered from the Morse 4-H in the Lamb Show.

In the Lamb Show from the Gruver 4-H entries include Denise Dory, Rhonda Jo Boone, Scot Dahl, Brenda Dahl, Kyle Williams, Suzanne Hart, Shelly Logsdon, Paige Holt, Gary Thompson, Tina Clawson and Chad Clawson.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to you for your support of our young men and women at the 1976 Stock Show. We invite you to come again to our 1976 Show and Sale to be held on March 19 and 20, 1976 at the Hansford County Agricultural Building in Gruver, Texas.

As you know our young people depend on you and your support to make their program a success. This is an opportunity for them to participate in an educational program, dealing entirely on the free enterprise system. It is their responsibility to purchase the animal and feed at their expense and to put forth the personal effort to care for their project animals.

We of the Hansford County Livestock Show Board feel that we have a good program and sincerely solicit your participation and support.

Thank you,
John Ames
Ed Dear
Jimmy Green
Dr. Tom Latta
Frank Pittman
Troy Sloan
Burt Williams
Herman Boone
Carl Cooper
D. A. Cator
Monty Harbour
Buddy Murrell
Charles Reid
Raymond Walker
Oran Burton
Lynn Davis
Mike Gamett
J. C. Harris
Sonny Patterson
Phillip Renner
Jerry Williams
Joe VanZandt

The auction sale will be held Saturday, March 20 at 6:00 p.m. in the Hansford County Agricultural Building, Gruver.

LIST OF BUYERS
1976 HANSFORD COUNTY STOCK SHOW

Anthony Electric
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Palo Duro Grain
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Pat Patterson
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R. C. Porter
Sandem Farms
Shapley Brothers
Slater Body Shop
Don Smith
Sparks Brothers Flying
Spearman Auto Supply
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Jack Strawn
Blanche Tabor
Tico
Jim Tiner
Bobby Thompson
Universal Motors
Van Roach Cattle Company
Pete Vemon
Boots Williams
Rex Williams
Sonny Windom

FIGHT CANCER

Countiss Will Rule On "Temporary Injunction" Thursday Morning At 10

Judge Richard Countiss presided over the hearing of Mrs. Ruth Gumfory vs. Dan Desimone and L. M. Womble, held in Spearman Monday afternoon. Nature of the suit was an injunction to stop Desimone and Womble from entering the commissioners race, precinct 3. The election for a commissioner of precinct 3 will be held May 3rd.

The lengthy hearing began at 2 p.m. and lasted approximately 4 hours. Mrs. Gumfory's lawyer contended that neither of these men (L. M. or Dan) had resided in precinct 3 for the required 6 months, nor in fact were they residents at all when they filed for the commissioners race.

Lawyers for the defendants, Womble and Desimone, claimed that Mrs. Gumfory was "improperly removing their name from the ballot." The lawyers claimed that this decision of whether a person is eligible to run in the precinct rests with the democratic chairman and the democratic county executive committee.

Highlights of the hearing included the testimonies of Judge Lee and 3 of the county commissioners. The commissioners testimony differed in that one of the commissioners could not remember which of the commissioners were present when the commissioners met for the meeting of March 8, 1976.

Also, a discrepancy arose when the legal description of the "new" precinct was not entered in the county record in Nov. 1974.

It was also not recorded whether the motion to re-district had passed or failed. On the purposes of the meeting of March 8, 1976, was to correct these deficiencies.

Subpoenaed for the plaintiff for the hearing included the present county commissioners, county judge, L. M. Womble, Dan Desimone, and editor Billy Miller. Miller testified under oath that the court had not caused to be published a legal notice of the re-districting order of Nov. 11, 1974, in any paper in the county. Judge Lee also testified that he was sure the legal notice had not been published 3 times as required by law!

Judge Countiss announced that due to the complexity of the issues, he would not render a decision until 10 a.m., this Thursday morning March 18th, in the county courtroom, Spearman, Texas.

HELP NEEDED
A volleyball Tournament will be held March 25, 26, & 27 to raise money for the K.I.D.S. program. The mothers will have the concession stand and all proceeds will go to the K.I.D.S. program. If you can make sandwiches (1 doz.) and cookies (1 batch) for this Tournament, call TRUDIE GOODHEART - 659-2121 or 659-2871 TODAY!!

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Barton Riley Services Today

Memorial services will be held Thursday, March 18 at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Gruver for Barton Gene Riley, 37, who died Tuesday morning in High Plains Hospital in Amarillo. Burial will be in the Holt Cemetery under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Hospital News
Patients in Hansford Hospital are Clarence Pettitt, Thelma Blevins, Eunice Richards, Doug Connelly, J. B. Lee, Edna Hays, Hattie Mackie, Vera Campbell, Maurine Erling, Bill Burger, Edna Briley, Ophelia Vela, Ila Buchanan, Willard Davidson, Rose Beck, Letha McBroom, Benita Puentes, and Mattie Davis.
Dismissed were Bertha Spoonmore, Tom Vader, Tammy Garcia, Maria Avila, Clayton Umphress, Tim Milburn, Carl Urban, Callie McKnight and son, Emma McGulirk, Susan Delk, Ruth Garrard, Teresa Scroggs and Adela Johnson.

MARKETS
WHEAT \$3.67
MILO 4.15
CORN 2.60

Rites Held For Shirley Talley

Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday at the First Christian Church of Stinnett for Mrs. Shirley Nan Talley, 45, who died Saturday in an Amarillo hospital.

Survivors include a daughter, Zontee Talley; four brothers, Litch Sparks, Jr. of Stinnett, and A. D. Sparks, James Sparks and W. E. Sparks, all of Spearman; three sisters, Mrs. Owassa Valdez, Mrs. Mary Ann Snodgrass, Mrs. Billie Jo Kelley, all of Bakersfield, Calif.
Casketbearers were Bruce Titus, W. L. Norman, Vance Johnson, Ed Williams, Fred Reed and Gene Scott.

Consumers Sales Sets Annual Meet

Consumers Sales Company has scheduled its 48th Annual Stockholders Meeting for March 25 at 7:30 p.m. in the Junior High Cafeteria in Spearman. The meal will be catered by Sutphens of Borger. The business meeting will be held after the dinner.



Thanks!
The Spearman High School Chapter of the Fellowship Of Christian Athletes would like to thank the people of Spearman for their great support in our recent light-bulb sale.

District Champs Pace Super Team

Area American Legion Posts To Be Honored



Roger Jones

Roger Jones, was named as the "Player of the year" on the entire super team. Roger is a Sr. and is going to Texas Tech, Lubbock.

District champions Pampa, Canyon, Spearman and Childress, the latter boasting the only repeater from a year ago, each landed one first-unit player on the 1976 Amarillo Globe-News Super Boys' Basketball Team announced today. District 3-AAAA player of the year Brian Bailey represents Pampa. John Johnson is Canyon's selection, super team player of the year Roger Jones represents Spearman, while Ivan Johnson, a three-time super team pick, is Childress' representative. Bailey averaged 19.2 points a game while leading Pampa to a 9-1 march through loop play and to the 3-AAAA title. Bailey averaged 14.3

points a game for the season which ended 26-6 for the Harvesters.

Johnson, a 6-4 senior considered one of the finest scoring post men in Canyon history, sparked the Eagles to a 26-7 season that ended with a 48-41 bi-district loss to eventual Class AAA state champion Odessa Ector. Johnson fractured a bone in his foot midway through the season but still managed to score 16.5 points on a balanced club and grab nine rebounds a game.

Jones, a two-time first all-state team linebacker, was devastation all season long for the Lynx as he guided into the playoffs for a second-straight year. He averaged 28.7 points and 19 rebounds a game for Spearman's 16-10 ball club.

Childress' Johnson, a 6-2 do-it-all player, was the sparkplug as the Bobcats advanced into the cage playoffs for the sixth-straight season. Childress topped Spearman, 66-64, for the bi-district title when Johnson hit a 16-footer with only three seconds remaining. He averaged 21 points and 11 rebounds a game for the season.

Tascona's Mike Lorenc, a 6-0 senior who scored nearly 13 points a game and was one of the area's top defensive players, rounds out the first five.

Picked to the second unit were Perryton's Russ Reagan and Amarillo High's Mike Smith, both outside players, and Quail's Gary Wischkaemper, Dimmitt's Jim Birdwell and Borger's Jason Welch. Smith and Welch are juniors, the rest are seniors on the second unit.

Sophomore-of-the-year laurels went to Hereford's 5-11 whiz Kelly Kitchens. Vega's boys' and girls' basketball coach Eddie Gipson gained the coach-of-the-year honor. Gipson's boys were picked to finish fifth in District 3-A in pre-season polls, yet they advanced to the Region 1-A Tournament and compiled a 26-10 season record.

Mike Lorenc, Tascona—Lorenc averaged 12.8 points a game during the regular season. Tascona topped a 14-13 record. He averaged nearly 14 points during District 3-AAAA play and was deadly from the 15 to 20-foot range. His season-high 30 points came in a big win over Amarillo High in second-half play of the district schedule. An outstanding defensive player, a unanimous 3-AAAA bi-district pick and a two-year starter. Coached by David Carlfield.

1976 PANHANDLE PLAINS SUPER CAGE TEAM

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BRIAN BAILEY, Pampa—The District 3-AAAA player of the year although only a junior. He averaged 14.3 points for the season, 19.2 points a game during 3-AAAA play. At his best under pressure, he hit a season-high 26 in Pampa's final regular-season game, a 66-64 win at Borger. The 6-4 guard averaged more than 5.5 rebounds a game and led the team in assists with more than 85 for the year and hit more than 45 per cent from the field. Also a unanimous all-district choice. Coached by Robert MacPherson.

RUSS REAGAN, Perryton—A three-year starter, he averaged 18.3 points, seven rebounds and four assists, despite getting a late start in basketball. He quarterbacked the football Rangers into the playoffs last fall. Picked under pressure, shot 43.2 per cent from the field, 64.7 per cent from the line, had a high game of 28 points against Levelland and was over 25 points six times. Coached by Allan Simpson.

MIKE SMITH, Amarillo High—A 6-2 junior guard, Smith averaged 21.1 points in District 3-AAAA play, took in the league. He scored 14.8 points per game for the season and was deadly from the 16-foot mark. He averaged 11.5 rebounds a game and led the team in assists with more than 85 for the year and hit nearly 50 per cent from the field for the year. Coached by Gary Abramovic.

INSIDE PLAYERS

ROGER JONES, Spearman—A two-time all-state linebacker and a three-year basketball regular for the Lynx, Jones averaged 28.7 points and 19 rebounds each of the last two years. Averaged 21 points, 19 rebounds, six assists and two blocked shots a game. Hit 41.3 per cent from the field and 66 per cent from the line. Aggressive, a great leader and at his best under pressure. Coached by Ed Moore.

JOHN JOHNSON, Canyon—Led Canyon to a 26-7 season that ended with a 48-41 bi-district loss to Odessa Ector, the eventual AAA state champion. Averaged 16.5 points, nine rebounds and two assists, all despite playing the last half of the season on a foot with a broken one in it. Shot 32 per cent from the field, 70 per cent from the line. Considered the best-scoring inside player at Canyon in the last eight years. Coached by S. B. Kendrick.

GARY WISCHKAEMPER, Quail—One of the area's finest all-around basketball players, a capable scorer from inside or outside (he averaged 22 points while sinking 46 per cent from the field), a strong rebounder (he averaged nine rebounds a game) and a solid defensive player (he steals a game). Led the Quails to a 31-4 record and into the playoffs. A four-year starter, a pressure player who sparked Quail into the playoffs from one of the state's toughest Class B districts. Coached by Bill Wilson.

JIM BIRDWELL, Dimmitt—All-state tournament pick while helping Dimmitt win the 1975 state AA title. A pressure player, a great leader and a 42 per cent free-throw shooter. Averaged 21 points, eight rebounds and five assists a game in Dimmitt's 31-2 season. Played the high post spot most of the time for the Bobcats. Coached by Kenneth Cleveland.

JASON WELCH, Borger—The leading scorer in District 3-AAAA with a 17.2 average for the year. Led Borger's 25-7 team in rebounding with 9.2 boards a game. A 34 per cent free-throw shooter and 64 per cent shooter from the line. A deadly shooter from 15 feet and closer. Coached by Duane Hunt.

KELLY KITCHENS, Hereford—Averaged more than 14 points a game during the season, more than 17 in District 3-AAAA play. Hereford finished 15-16 overall, lost a playoff 51-40 to Plainview for the district's first-half title. Coached by Barry Arwine.

COACH OF THE YEAR

EDDIE GIPSON, Vega—Coach Gipson's boys' team, with only two starters returning, was tabbed for a fifth-place finish in District 3A, but the Longhorns finished 26-12 and in the regional tournament instead. The Horns won the district cage title for only the third time in history, then dethroned Peterburg, 44-42, for the bi-district crown and a regional playoff ticket. Eventual regional finalist Criswell defeated Vega, 54-37, in the regional semifinals.

REMEMBERING...

By BILL D. BROOKS

Country Store Treats

The country store near our home was an interesting place for many reasons but I liked the way it was built. The owner had traveled around the country and gathered up rocks from every place he had been — from every state in the union but three. He had built his store with those rocks. He never tired of taking us around the building, pointing out various rocks, telling us an interesting story about where each came from, what it was or maybe about someone he had met on that particular trip.

A covered porch graced the front of the building and under its cool shade were benches where old folks passed the time. They would delight us with stories about the old days and sometimes show us tricks. Once a man showed me how he could cut off his finger, put his hand in his pocket and make the finger grow back on. That one was a little tough to figure out.

The parking place in front was paved with rusty bottle caps. They had been thrown out there for years and had completely covered the ground. When a car or horse came along they would make a certain chinkling sound. It was a nice sound, I think much nicer than concrete or asphalt makes today.

When we went to the store we would sometimes get (if we promised to be good for a whole week) a nickel to spend on a treat of our choice. The choice was never easy but our attention would be on the candy counter or the shelves that held stacks of comic books or toys. We

would spend a little time thumbing through our favorite "funny book" but we didn't always buy. I usually selected something from the candy counter (my pudgy little body would have given you the clue). A nickel chocolate bar was pretty good sized in those days but a dime bar would practically feed a whole family. The choice was difficult because one had to look at everything

several times to make up his mind.

Mother would become impatient after it took us so long to make up our minds and say we were leaving whether we bought anything or not. We would quickly have to decide and make our purchases. On the way home I would decide I had made the wrong choice and start wishing I had gotten the same thing my brother had. I'd try to get him to trade with me. "Nothin' doin'!" would be his reply. I'd beg him until he would finally give in and trade but it was usually on the condition that he got to keep his prize, baseball card or whatever. Of course I would have to give him my whole treat, prize and all. I wasn't too smart in those days.

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T-Bone STEAK
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Beef Ribs
37c LB.

Loin Tip Steak
\$1.29 LB.

Round Steak
\$1.19 LB.

Stew Meat
77c LB.

Roast
89c LB.

Pikes Peak Roast
\$1.09 LB.

Arm Roast
83c LB.

Loin Tip Roast
\$1.09 LB.

Ham or Chicken Salad
Only 98c LB.

Lettuce
Remains 29c EACH

7 - Bone Chuck Roast
77c LB.

ROUND STEAK Roast
\$1.09 LB.

Roast
83c LB.

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\$1.39 LB.
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Revival Services Scheduled



Kenneth Irwil

He was a good oil-field driller. He was an even better paint and dry-wall contractor. But he is now at his very best as a full time worker for the Lord Jesus Christ. He is pastor

of Temple Baptist Church, Temple, Texas. He was saved and called to preach from the Fellowship Baptist church at Perryton, Texas. Rev. Kenneth Irwil will be preaching nightly March 22nd through the 26th, at the Fellowship Baptist Church of Spearman. Come and hear this man of God who will bless your heart and soul. 7:30 p.m. 11th and Archer.

Missionary Ladies Meet

The Union Church Missionary Ladies met Tuesday, March 9th at the Union Church to make quilts for missionary needs.

Those present were Mesdames: Archie Burrell, Harold Bowen, J. T. Pond, J. W. Pipkin, John Schubert, Hoots Martin, Jesse Francis and Bernard Barnes. Next meeting will be March 23rd at the church.

Courtesy Honors Recent Bride

The home of Mrs. Louis Schnell was the scene of a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Jay Holland, the former Amy Renner. Calling hours were from 2:30 to 5:00 P. M. March 13th.

Liz Davis registered the guests at a registry table draped with white linen and featuring the bride's book and a nosegay of sonys tearoses and baby's breath.

The serving table was laid with an imported cloth of embroidered linen and lace. Table appointments were silver complemented by a centerpiece of sonys tea roses and baby's breath accented with two lighted tapen. The brides chosen colors of peach and white were featured and dainty cookies, punch and coffee were served to the guests by Debi Daniel and Sheila Watley.

Lynna Renner and Diane Maxwell assisted the honoree with opening gifts.

A corsage of sonys tea roses was presented to Mrs. Holland by hostesses, Jo McLaughlin, Sylvia Robertson, Marva Hohertz, Elaine Floyd, Bernice Brown, Mary Brown Mary Brock, Muriel Boyd, Lo Ree Booth, Virginia Head, Adelaide McWhirter, Joyce Lackey, Barbara Patterson, Betty Davis, Dickie Allen, Verna Gail Kelm, Barbara Schnell. Mrs. Holland was honored to have as a special guest Jay's grandmother Mrs. May Belle Lawrence of Perryton.

Other out of town guests included Mrs. Wilford Lance and Mrs. Paul Corbin of Perryton, Mrs. Donnie Eccles and daughter of Beaver, Mrs. Ralph Higgins, Mrs. Joe Mansk Mrs. Betty Bugner of Guymon; Mrs. Ralph Renner, Mrs. Jimm Ross and Mrs. Paul Craig and Miss Cindy Eggleston of Texoma; Mrs. Gary Davidson of Stillwater and Mrs. Mark Thomason, Richardson, Texas.

Our Heritage of Faith

notes from Faith Lutheran Church

March 20th is an important day at Faith. We are having a Sunday School Teachers Workshop from 2:30 to 4:30. Oslo is invited too. This is for all who are interested in teaching and not just for those who are teaching now. We will try to find our purpose in teaching, to realize its' great importance and learn some tools and methods to help us teach. I believe it will be a valuable two hours. Be sure to come!

March 21, Faith will have a congregational roller skating party in Perryton. The time will be from 3:00 to 5:00 and the cost will be one dollar per person. We hope all will come to this event and bring the kids. It should be good fellowship.

The 24th Lenten Service will have a chancel drama on the second word of Christ, Luke 23:43 which is, "Truly I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise". There will be a short message in addition to the drama. It is important that during Lent we make a special effort to reflect upon what Christ has done for us. The time is 8:00 every Wednesday for Lenten Services until Holy Week of Easter.

This past week Barbara Oltman and Ann Ward attended the Spring Convention of Luther Leagues of the Panhandle Conference in Lubbock. Bruce and Linda Loewenbagen went also. Ann Ward was elected Vice-President for this coming year.

If you have no home of worship we sure do invite you to Faith. In today's world it is vital to have an active relationship with God. Church is this place where you can grow and share this relationship. Please come regularly. Worship service is at 9:30 and Sunday School is 10:30.

Bi-Centennial Fashion Show Set

The Spearman Study Club will be hosting a Bi-Centennial Fashion Show and Luncheon on Saturday, April 3rd at the Spearman High School Cafeteria. The buffet luncheon will begin at 12:30. Members of the Study Club will be serving various delicious salads, casseroles, hot rolls, tea and coffee.

The fashion show will consist of Spring and Summer fashions for 1976 along with several lovely dresses and hats from the early days when Hansford County was being settled. The newer fashions will be furnished by some of Spearman's well known merchants. Dresses and hats from the earlier years will be furnished and modeled by some of Spearman's own lovely women.

This fashion show is to help raise money for the Hansford County Museum and other Study Club projects. Everyone is sure and get your tickets early because there is only a limited number the Club can sell. Tickets will only be sold at the door if there are any left over. You may buy your tickets from any Study Club member or at the Little Lynx Shop. Tickets are on sale for \$3.50 starting March 3rd.

There will be a drawing for door prizes which will also be furnished by Spearman merchants. If any other information is needed on the fashion show or tickets, you can call Eulalia Mires, Hester Crawford or Trudy Schneider.

Truck Driver Dies in Crash

A 22 year old Amarillo truck driver, Jay Dee Buck, of 506 Nelson, Amarillo was killed in a one-vehicle rollover about 1:30 a.m. Tuesday 10 miles south of Gruver on Texas 136.

Investigating officer John Sims of the Texas Highway Patrol said Buck was northbound in a cattle truck when the driver lost control of the vehicle, which left the roadway, went into an embankment on the west side of the road and overturned.

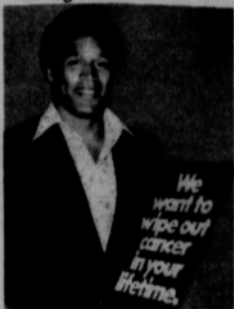
Sims said the driver was pinned in the vehicle and apparently died of a broken neck injury.

At least 15 head of cattle were also killed in the mishap. Sims said a total of 76 head of cattle were in the truck.

Funeral services for Buck are pending with Boxwell

Brothers Funeral Directors of Spearman.

The truck belongs to Robert Harrison Livestock Hauling of Amarillo.



"Fighting cancer is a team effort," says O. J. Simpson, the Buffalo Bills' famous running back. "We're all members of that team, along with researchers and doctors and volunteers, working to wipe out cancer in our lifetime. So be sure to give generously to the American Cancer Society. They need your help to win!"

Commemorative Coins On Sale

The second commemorative coin series of Hansford County are now on sale according to Mary Lou Wytson, manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

There will be a limited edition of the 1976 serial numbered medals which are certain to grow in prestige and value thru the years. Only 75-24-karat gold on .999 fine silver, 15 .999 fine silver, 500 antique silver and 300 antiqued bronze medals have been struck. The first individual gold coin will be numbered 51; the first individual silver coin will be numbered 101; the first individual antiqued silver and antiqued bronze will be numbered 251. The present owners of the first (1974) issue, serial numbered coins, have exclusive right and owner ship of all future issues if they so desired. All other orders will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

The gold coins sell for \$50.00; silver, \$25.00; antique silver numbered \$5.00; antique silver unnumbered \$4.00; bronze numbered \$3.50; bronze unnumbered \$2.50.

The sets of coins include the 4 coin set starting at number 11 for \$100.00.

Women's Division C of C Meeting

The Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce met Monday, March 15th in the Library Club Room for their monthly salad luncheon and business meeting.

Belle Crawford led the invocation. President, Mrs. John Sutterfield presided over the meeting.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Notes of appreciation were read from Dr. and Mrs. James Thomas and from Dr. Abrams and his family for the reception for Dr. Abrams.

Belle Crawford discussed the Equal Rights Amendment to be voted on by the legislature and urged everyone to write to their State Representative to veto the amendment.

Members present were Mesdames: Russell Townsend, E. L. Collins, E. J. Callaway, Belle Crawford, Celestine Thompson, L. F. Hand, Jim McLain, Ronnie Schaefer, John Sutterfield, C. D. Riggins and Dorothy Roden.

Next meeting will be April 19th at the Library Club Room.

Hansford Lodge Meets

Hansford Lodge #1040 A. F. & A. M. hosted a Fellowcraft Degree Friday, March 12th in the Hansford Lodge Hall.

Dan Faries, Worshipful Master presided over the meeting.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to members present after the Degree.

Next regular meeting will be March 22nd in the Lodge Hall.



Oscar-winner Cicely Tyson urges everyone to get in the fight against cancer with a generous donation to the American Cancer Society. "A world free of cancer is everyone's dream... and it can come true... if we all help," says the talented actress.

ATTENTION

Farmers

Stockmen

PANHANDLE LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO.

Would like to announce a change in sale date. Auction will be held every Friday, starting March 5th, 11:00 A.M. C.S.T. If you have any consignments or need information on special sales, contact Bill Blackmore, 338-3378, H.W.Y. 54 NE Guymon. Home phone 49-2583.

Hansford County Livestock Show

To Be Held In Gruver

At The County Show Barn

March 19th & 20th

Sale Time's 6:00 P.M. SATURDAY

We hope each of you will come out and help the F.F.A. & 4-H Youth of Hansford County make this the biggest show ever

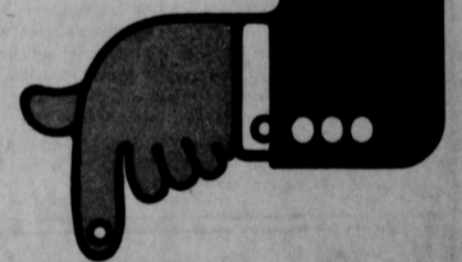
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To Trust because they tell you what you should know even when you don't want to learn it.

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To Be around when they're needed. As we are always for our Circle of Friends.



SPEARMAN, TEXAS 79081

Livestock Show Is March 19 & 20

Your merchants on this page urge you to attend the big Livestock show in Gruver this week-end... at the show barn.



Penn's Sixty-Six Service Station

Wade Penn - Owner

If you're particular about your car, then you should be particular about getting it serviced. People throughout this area go out of their way to stop in at Penn's Sixty-Six Service Station, because they know that these friendly attendants are completely familiar with all models and makes and can handle anything from a tune-up to minor repairs, brake, muffler and shock service. They also feature Phillips 66 Products. The next time you're in the area, stop in at Penn's Sixty-Six Service Station, the service station that "cares" for you and your car. They are located at 301 Cedar, in Borger, phone 273-2471. We, the editors of this 1976 Consumers Message, would like to call the attention of the driving public to this fine service center. And we suggest that you stop in soon for a taste of the best in automotive service.

Morris Equipment Company

Leroy Morris - Owner

When you look for micrometer-close precision . . . look to the Morris Equipment Company, the Dumas area's leading auto machine shop. Located at 602 North Dumas in Dumas, phone 935-3830 or 935-4107, this competent firm will handle any auto machine job you may have. Whether you need to have your valves resurfaced, a crankshaft balanced, or just have a brake drum turned . . . this is the place to go! Most of the area's leading repair shops, new car dealers and independent service stations have been using the services of these skilled professionals for many years, and the fact that the job is always done right brings repeat customers back again and again. If you're into do-it-yourself auto mechanics, or if you just want the best possible job done on your engine, be sure to specify the Morris Equipment Company for ALL of your auto machine work. The editors of this 1976 Consumers Message suggest that our readers contact them first!

Charlie's Service Station

Wilbur Cole - Owner

In the Borger area, which service station STILL gives the kind of service that keeps customers coming in again and again? Charlie's Service Station located at Stinner Hwy., phone 273-7151 has been a "full service" station for years and their customers know it. Featuring only quality Shamrock products, this is one firm which refuses to be in the gasoline business just for the profit if it means sacrificing customer service. You can be assured of a friendly greeting, a clean windshield, under-the-hood service, and the lowest possible price at the pump that the wholesale demands will allow. Drive on into Charlie's Service Station and have your tank filled. We can't promise that the gas will be less expensive than anywhere else . . . nobody can do that anymore. We DO think you'll notice a big difference in service, though, and as the authors of this 1976 Review we urge all of our readers to give this station a chance to show you what the word "service" really means.

Roy Ryan Real Estate

Roy Ryan - Owner

When you're looking around today's tough, critical real estate market for the best place to put your money, trust Roy Ryan Real Estate to help you find the home or property that YOU want! With their office located at 1545 S. Dumas Avenue in Dumas, phone 935-6877, if no answer phone 935-4678, this respected broker has more to offer in terms of listings and services. Whether you're looking for a building site, a new home, an older house or vacation property . . . this is the one to see FIRST. With some realistic prices and some diligent effort, Roy Ryan Real Estate can AND will find just what you're looking for. They have access to property throughout the state and can assist you in every conceivable manner. When it comes time to sell your existing property, this reliable broker will get more for you. Trust them with ALL of your real estate matters. As the editors of this 1976 Consumers Message we heartily suggest that YOU contact this well-known firm for ALL of your transactions.

Independent Machine Incorporated

George & Jerrall Smith - Owners

Manufacturers, automotive men and industrial concerns have long known that, when it comes to machine work, if it requires precision . . . it requires the Independent Machine Inc. at 1530 N. Main St. in Borger, phone 274-6511. As specialists in machine design, engineering and production, this competent firm can handle most any problem that requires the skill and precision only a top notch machinist can offer. Their work is the standard of the industry and leading businesses which depend on quality will not settle for anyone less! They feature 24 hour emergency service and realize that "down time" is money out of your pocket. This is one service-oriented business that ALWAYS strives to get your equipment back in service in the shortest time possible. As the editors of this 1976 Review, we would like to take this opportunity to salute the fine business practices of this reputable machine shop and urge anyone needing machine work to contact the Independent Machine Inc., first!

Custom Marble Products

Owner - Hoyt Taylor

If you've been admiring the beauty of marble when used in building, but were not sure if you could afford it, let the experts at Custom Marble Products in Dumas at 201 N. Dumas Avenue, phone 935-2585, explain the many practical, reasonable priced uses for CULTURED MARBLE. These men are well experienced in their field and can suggest many different ways to enhance and beautify your property with just the right application. You will find that you will always receive friendly, helpful assistance from this firm. This can be noted by the ever increasing number of people that make it a point to do business with them. From this 1976 Review, we, the writers, make the suggestion that anyone interested in simulated stone contact Custom Marble Products for confident service.

Morton Lumber Company

"Do It Yourself Headquarters"

"Bill Carson - Owner"

The Morton Lumber Company located at 211 North Cedar, phone 273-6261, are suppliers of a complete line of lumber, building supplies, builder's hardware, and tools. This "BUILDING SUPERMARKET" has long been considered to be the Do-It-Yourself Headquarters and it is one of the leading dealers in lumber and building materials, and offers you a complete "One Stop Building Service." MORTON LUMBER COMPANY has been an important factor in the expansion, growth, and development of this community, and the policy of this firm has always been a determination to supply the highest grade of lumber and building materials at a reasonable price. Contractors and the public in general have learned that whatever they desire in the lumber or builders supply line, including floor coverings, and counter tops, can be obtained from this firm. The compilers of this 1976 Review are pleased to assure our readers that at the hands of the MORTON LUMBER COMPANY, they will receive the best of service, and they extend a personal invitation to the people of this section to call at their office at any time to discuss proposed building plans.

Helen's Discount Hobby Shop

Helen C. Stafford - Owner

Looking for a new hobby? Need supplies for your present hobby? The hobby headquarters in this area is Helen's Discount Hobby Shop, located in Dumas at 915 Bliss, phone 935-4007. Here they feature a complete line of hobby crafts, paint and unfinished furniture. This shop also has just what you need to make your own wallets, purses, moccasins, belts and accessories. They feature a fine selection of top-grade leathers, leather working tools, dyes, patterns, kits and much, much more. You may select a starter kit, which contains everything needed to get started in this fascinating hobby, and make your first project. Leather goods make wonderful gifts and there's considerable profit available for those who are interested in selling the fine items they make. The editors of this 1976 Consumers Message suggest that you make Helen's Discount Hobby Shop YOUR headquarters for all your hobby and leather working needs!

"The Most Modern Lounge In Borger"

The Madrid Club

"A Friendly Club
Where Friends Meet"

Here is where service and friendliness go hand in hand. They serve the best set-ups, wine and the coldest beer at all times. They are located at 422 North Main in the heart of downtown Borger, with parking in the rear, phone 273-9058. The Madrid Club is an entirely different kind of place, one where comfort, friendly service and a pleasant atmosphere mean pleasure and enjoyment. It is a place where you can go with the fullest assurance that you will receive every attention, and where you will thoroughly enjoy yourself in their newly decorated atmosphere. This place has long been known to the citizens of this area; known well enough to be a guarantee that when you visit the Madrid Club you are certain to receive every courtesy and have a pleasant time. They always endeavor to maintain their place in a manner agreeable to all and while you're there you can enjoy pool, football and other games. We, the editors, of this 1976 Consumers Message suggest you treat yourself to a good time at the friendly Madrid Club.

Big B Tire Store

Dayton Perry - Owner

At the Big B Tire Store at 218 S. Main in Borger, phone 273-5461, you can select the exact tire for your needs and mileage requirements from the area's finest assortment of world famous Bridgestone & Michelin tires. This is one brand name that has served motorists for years and their reputation as being a leader in the industry has spread far and wide. With a model for every passenger car, truck, sports car, trailer, recreational vehicle and all types of farm and industrial equipment, this well known manufacturer has established leadership in the field. You shouldn't buy ANY tire without stopping at the Big B Tire Store and looking over the complete line of Bridgestone & Michelin tires. They also have a fine selection of retreads and good used tires, with plenty of miles left on them. We, the editors of this 1976 Review think you'll get a better tire AND a better deal.

Lee Freeman Real Estate & Auction Service

"We Sell Your Way"

(At Auction Or Private Treaty)

Lee Freeman - Broker & Auctioneer

Do you have real estate, a surplus of merchandise, equipment and machinery, or livestock that you would like to sell? Call Lee Freeman Real Estate & Auction Service, one of the area's best known auctioneers and have your entire stock liquidated in a professional (and profitable) manner. Located at 1122 S. Maddox (Box 453) in Dumas, phone 935-2419, this respected auctioneer WILL get a fair price for all of your goods. Many people in this area have had the pleasure of attending an auction held by this reputable man and they know that both the buyer and seller will be well represented. This outstanding auctioneer will give you an accurate appraisal of any amount of property you have, and his suggestions for setting up an auction to dispose of it. Estates, antiques, cars, machinery and most anything else can be sold quickly and efficiently when you have this bonded auctioneer conduct the sale. The editors of this 1976 Consumers Message remind you that everyone likes to go to an auction held by Lee Freeman Real Estate & Auction Service.

Dumas Cattle Feeders, Inc.

Division of Western Beef, Inc.

Howard Diedrichsen - General Manager

Joe Irwen - Assistant Manager

"Custom Feeding & Financing"

When it comes to the business of raising cattle for profit, the average rancher just doesn't have the facilities to make a decent living without the help of the Dumas Cattle Feeders, Inc. Located 4 miles north on Hwy. 287 in Dumas, phone 935-5541 or 935-5531, this reputable feed lot specializes in the fast weight-gaining operation that turns a BETTER profit for YOU. The small rancher just can't afford to do this by himself due to fluctuating feed prices and lack of time to devote to the business of custom cattle feeding. Because they buy their feed in huge quantities, the Dumas Cattle Feeders, Inc. is in a better position to furnish your stock for market and secure the best price for you. Do your ranching the modern, convenient way by having this reliable feed lot "do the work for you"! The editors of this 1976 Consumers Message suggest that ALL area ranchers contact this livestock feeding specialist to get MORE from your stock.

Borger Redi-Mix Concrete Company, Inc.

"Leon Howell - General Mgr."

Bill Whitford is the manager at Spearman & Perryton. The BORGER REDI-MIX CONCRETE CO., INC., at So. Florida and Wilson in Borger, phone 273-2874 features high quality ready mixed concrete. For quick deliveries and the best in materials you can do no better than call this firm. In Perryton, call the Perryton Ready Mix located on Loop Rd. 143 and Hwy. 15, phone 435-5250, and in Spearman call the Spearman Redi-Mix located just off the Airport Rd., phone 659-2323. They can be depended upon to have your concrete on the job when it is needed. Their consumers are not slowed down on a construction job through failure of this firm to deliver promptly. Dependable service is as important as maintaining a high standard of quality. They realize this and make it a special point to fill your order promptly. Whatever you build, be sure to get concrete that is mixed properly by calling the BORGER REDI-MIX CONCRETE CO., INC., phone 273-2874; the Perryton Ready-Mix, phone 435-5250; or the Spearman Redi-Mix, phone 659-2323. In this 1976 Review, we, the composers, feel we can highly recommend this firm to our many readers.

W. D. Jones Drilling Company

(A Division of High Plains Drilling, Inc.)

Jerry Thompson

When you need a well on your new homestead, for your development project or for your irrigation system . . . call the better drilling contractor: W. D. Jones Drilling Company! They have a reputation for finding water almost ANYWHERE. With their office located on North Dumas Avenue, phone 935-2132 (night calls Jerry Thompson 935-5928 or Jim Jones 935-5491), this reputable firm has been serving the needs of homeowners, agriculturists and businesses for many years. Their high-yield, sand free wells are in service throughout the region and their satisfied customers stand as the best recommendation of their work. They will be pleased to show you their referral list of completed jobs. They also feature a complete machine shop, specializing in pump and gear head repairing and are dealers for Floway pumps. This fully licensed and bonded contractor specializes in quick and accurate drilling. The faster that they can get your well installed and producing . . . the less it's going to cost you. As the editors of this 1976 Consumers Message, we think you'll like the service W. D. Jones Drilling Company has to offer AND the results you get.

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Fuzzy's Radiator Service
Kenneth M. Jones Owner

Independent repairmen, fleet operators and other automotive experts rely on the Fuzzy's Radiator Service at 204 W. 1st in Borger, phone 273-5911 for all of their radiator repair work. With such recommendations, this quality-conscious firm is the obvious choice for the man who needs cooling system repairs on his truck or tractor since the best costs no more, who go elsewhere? Your car's cooling system is a complex assembly. It MUST be functioning properly or costly damage can result. By having the experienced professionals at the Fuzzy's Radiator Service clean and service your radiator regularly, you can eliminate most possibility of mechanical failure. We, the writers of this 1976 Review, urge you to make an appointment with this qualified firm in the near future. When it comes to your truck or tractor's cooling system, we think you'll find that worry-free driving costs very little.

Bulla's Jewelry
John A. Bulla Owner
"Graduate Watchmaker"

A jeweler in the old fashioned tradition, Bulla's Jewelry's first concern is the satisfaction of his customers. Located at 106 West 6th Street in Borger, phone 273-5271, this respected firm deals in all types of diamonds, watches and fine jewelry. Their service, selection and quality merchandise is unbeatable and you'll enjoy shopping where your business is appreciated. Bulla's Jewelry is also one of the area's leading watchmakers and repairmen. With years and years of experience, this dedicated craftsman can repair most any watch or clock on the market including the new electronic watches. In compiling this 1976 Consumers Message, we, the editors, would like to make mention of this outstanding firm and heartily recommend them to ALL of our readers.

Bippes Enterprises Appliance Repair

Fast, reliable service on all brands of major appliances. That's what you get whenever you call Melvin Bippes of Bippes Enterprises. This respected service company features a factory-trained, in 13 major brands, and a completely equipped technician to quickly and accurately deal with any problem you may be having with your washer, dryer range, refrigerator or dishwasher. You can count on consistently accurate diagnosis of the problem and a speedy repair. With shop facilities located at 402 Miller in Dumas, phone 935-3336, this leading shop features authorized service on most major brands including GE, Hotpoint, Whirlpool, Maytag, Kitchen Aid, Tappan, Corning and Jennaire. Their fast, dependable service is famous throughout the area and they are the recommended service technician of many retail stores. They carry the largest stock of parts north of the Canadian River. The writers of this 1976 Consumers Message would like to recommend this outstanding appliance repair shop.

Friday, March 19 & Saturday, March 20

The merchants on this page urge you to attend the Livestock show in Gruver, Texas this week-end.

Fortress Cove Marina
Lobin Pigg - Harbor Master

One of the very best spots for a season of enjoyable boating in the Sanford area has got to be the Fortress Cove Marina west of the city, Sanford, phone 865-3391. This well known marina features excellent port and harbor facilities for even the largest pleasure boats, and it's the most convenient way to get the most out of your boat. Ideally situated, this marina allows you to enjoy your boating a lot more with an absolute minimum of trouble. There's a complete repair shop nearby, so that you can have any minor problems corrected BEFORE you start out. They also have an excellent snack bar (and lounge) to refresh yourself. Shamrock Marine gas, oil and accessories and other services are also available for your convenience. Make the Fortress Cove Marina YOUR boating headquarters. The writers of this 1976 Review think you'll be glad you did.

M & M Roofing Co.
Harold Morrow - Owner

Located at 322 W. College in Borger, phone 274-5089, the M & M Roofing Co. is well known as one of the area's leading roofing contractors. Their years of experience and their many fine completions serve as their best references. When you call this company to "talk roofing" you can be assured that you've made the wisest decision. As specialists in ALL TYPES of roofing, this prominent firm can handle new roofing as well as repairs. Some of the other services performed by this outstanding contractor include: siding installation, hand-split shakes, gables and downspouts, colored rock and waterproofing. Whenever you need roofing of any type . . . whether it's new construction or re-roofing . . . call the professionals: the M & M Roofing Co. As the editors of this 1976 Review, we think you'll like their service AND the results.

Borger Carburetor & Electric Service
Syble Gregory - Owner

With much emphasis on energy conservation in driving and all of the concern with pollution, it makes sense to keep YOUR car's engine functioning properly at all times. One of the best places in town to satisfy both of these requirements is the Borger Carburetor & Electric Service the tune-up specialists. Located for your convenience at 114 W. 7th in Borger, phone 273-631, these skilled professionals will adjust, tune and precisely calibrate the ignition and carburetion system of your automobile for maximum performance, economy and the fewest possible emissions. You'll be amazed how smoothly your car will run and your tank won't seem quite so thirsty. The Borger Carburetor & Electric Service also can handle any auto electric repair or replacement as well as carburetor service on any car or truck. The writers of this 1976 Review think you'll appreciate the quality of their work.

Borger Linen & Uniform Supply Co.
Roy Moody - Manager

The Borger Linen & Uniform Supply Co. is located at 305 N. Main in Borger, phone 273-3747 or 274-2812 for service. They offer a complete rental of linen and towel service for cafes, drug stores, grocery stores, beer and beauty shops and industrial uses. This firm has prospered because they are of real service to the community. In many businesses, clean linens are a small item. Hospitals and doctors' office especially must provide linens which are germ free and absolutely clean. Other types of businesses may be able to depend on definite delivery of clean linens. They have accomplished these two all important points in serving their customers. They provide absolutely clean linens on a regular delivery schedule. Call them today and give them a try. You'll never again worry with your linen supply problems. The writers of this 1976 Consumers Message propose you contact this reputable well-liked linen service company.

WE WANT TO WIPE OUT CANCER IN YOUR LIFETIME

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

Rupert Jameson Well Drilling & Repair

For domestic or irrigation wells of any diameter and any depth, call RUPERT JAMESON WELL DRILLING & REPAIR for better service. Located at 702 Miller Ave., in Dumas, phone 935-5447, this reliable firm can find water, drill the well, and install a pumping system to meet your specific requirements. Years of experience and hundreds of productive wells guarantees your satisfaction. Whether it's a simple water well for the new homeowner, or a big producing well for a busy industrial site, you can be sure that ANY services performed by RUPERT JAMESON WELL DRILLING & REPAIR will be of the highest quality! They wouldn't have it any other way. With complete service, from site selection to pump installation, you can put your complete trust in the hands of this qualified contractor. Their capable crews will put that personal touch on your job, and you can be assured of a dependable source of water for many years to come! The editors of this 1976 Consumers Message suggest that you give them a call today!

Wagon Wheel
Bennie Hill - Owner
Anna Annis - Manager

Stop on in at the Wagon Wheel and say, "Howdy!" to the friendliest folks in town! Because of its handy location on the Sunset Hwy. in Sanford, phone 273-9105, this true-western bar has become the favorite spot for "hands" of all ages. At this authentically-decorated night spot, you'll be treated to your favorite country-western sounds AND that famous western hospitality. No one is a stranger long at this friendly club. From the moment you walk in the Wagon Wheel you're treated like a king! People from throughout this section have come to regard this fine western bar as their "home away from home" because of the friendly atmosphere and great service. The writers of this 1976 Consumers Message urge ANYONE who HASN'T tried the authentic western atmosphere and the great drinks at this unique spot to give them a try . . . "pardner!"

Bowers & Son Roofing
E. L. Bowers and Dean Bowers - Owners

For residential and commercial roofing work, knowledgeable businessmen and homeowners in the Dumas area have come to depend on Bowers & Son Roofing to get the job done right. Located at 408 Spruce in Dumas, phone 935-2596, this reliable concern has been fixing and building roofs of all types for many years. Whether it's a hot tar built-up or a composition roof, this is one firm which can handle it. They are also experts in the hand-split cedar shakes. No matter what you need in the way of roofing . . . this well known contractor can take care of it. Does the roof on your home require repair or renovation? Call this respected firm and have your entire home re-roofed for a lot less than you think. Call Bowers & Son Roofing and make arrangements to have those much-needed repairs attended to . . . expertly! The editors of this 1976 Consumers Message wish to make particular mention of this reputable roofing contractor.

Saunders Electric
Bill Saunders - Owner

Recognized in the local area as the leaders in their field, Saunders Electric are specialists in ALL phases of electrical work, including residential, commercial and industrial installations. With their office at 115 East 10th in Dumas, phone 935-2181, this prominent firm can install, maintain or repair ANYTHING ELECTRICAL. Leading businessmen and industrialists in the region recognize this competent firm for their past record of perfect installation and their admirable safety record. Call the pros today and find out just how easily you can have your electrical problem solved by this qualified firm. The editors of this 1976 Consumers Message would like to make prominent mention of this respected contractor and urge businessmen, homeowners and industrial people alike to contact Saunders Electric for ANYTHING that requires the BEST in electrical work.

Wylie Motors
Mr. Wylie Owner

For many years, automobile dealers considered the "used car" business a sideline to selling new models. The friendly guys down at Wylie Motors at 111 W. 9th in Borger, phone 274-4444, totally reject this theory. They specialize in used cars exclusively, and, right now, they're dealing with a lower profit margin than anyone in an all-out effort to help their customers beat the current gas shortage by offering great deals on good, used economy cars, 100% written warranty, 3,000 miles or 90 days on top quality cars, mechanic on duty 8:30 - 6:00. The kind of business that this respected firm does is the main reason for their large "family" of repeat customers. People return again and again when they need an automobile because they know that integrity, quality and value are passwords at this fine used car dealer. Buy the safe way! Stop in at the Wylie Motors and look over the tremendous values in quality used automobiles. The authors of this 1976 Review recommend this fine firm for better cars AND better values.

Bob's Western Wear
Bob Lewis - Owner

Ranchers, stockmen and other hard-workin' people in the Borger area have come to depend on Bob's Western Wear for ALL of their clothing and saddlery needs! This fine western store is located at 615 N. Main and they carry a very complete selection of western-styled apparel for everyone. Drop in or call 273-2741. The working men of this region generally buy their Levi's here because they know that they can always find just the right size in the cut that they prefer. Featuring Tony Lama Boots and Bradford Straw and Felt Hats in a variety of styles, Indian Garments and distinctive leather goods are also featured at this fine shop. For the horseman, they stock an outstanding array of custom-made saddles and accessories, so that both YOU AND YOUR HORSE will look and work YOUR VERY BEST! The writers of this 1976 Review suggest that you shop where the cowboys do: Bob's Western Wear!

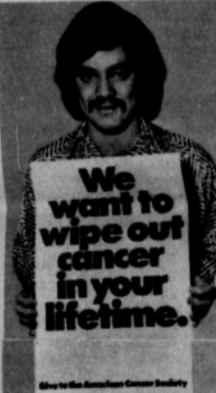
Todd's Auto Parts
Frank Todd - Owner

When you need a hard-to-find part for your car, check with the area's leading auto parts store first. Todd's Auto Parts located at 624 Main Street in Sunray, phone 948-5304 features parts for ALL cars and offers the kind of service that makes repeat customers out of everyone. Todd's also caters to the farmers with parts and accessories for their needs. Whether you need a factory replacement item, or custom accessories for your car, this is one parts house that is NEVER, "fresh out"! Got a foreign car? Why pay exorbitant prices at the "specialty parts" store when Todd's has replacement parts and accessories for nearly all foreign cars? The same courteous, efficient service is featured, of course. In compiling this 1976 Review, we, the writers, feel no profile of trade leaders of this community would be complete without prominent mention of this outstanding parts house.

Hansford County Livestock Show
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Gruver, Texas

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Students Place In Track Meets

Spearman High School students have participated in track meets in the past few weeks.

In the Boys Ranch Track Meet, Paul Comegys won 2nd place in the 330 H. Hurdles with 42.2; Roger Jones was 3rd in the High Hurdles with 16.0; Bo DeArmond won 5th place in Shot; David Steele was 6th place in high hurdles with 16.7; John Reneau had a 6th place in the 220 yd. dash in 23.9. In the 9th Grade Division, Todd Brock won 6th place in the 440 yd. dash.

At the Sunray Track Meet, Paul Comegys won second in the 330 high hurdles with 42.4; and

Roger Jones won second in the high hurdles with 15.8; David Steele took 5th place in high hurdles with 16.3; John Reneau was the 4th place winner in the 220 yd dash with 23.5; Eric Brown was 6th in the 880 yd. dash with 2.16.

The 440 yd. relay team of Billy Sellers, John Reneau, Rick Morris and Mike Pack took 4th place with 46.3.

At the Girls Track Meet held in Canadian Debbie Greene won first place in the triple jump with 34'; and 4th place in Long Jump with 15'10"; and Carla Harper won 4th in the 80 yd. hurdles with 11'8".

Jr. High Students Named To Region Band

On Saturday March 13, 25 Spearman Jr. High Band Students tried out for the Class C Jr. High All Region Band at Gruver. There were approximately 210 students make the band and 4 students selected as alternates. The students who made the band are as follows: On Alto Sax, Dawn Bridges and Vicki Kyles; on Baritone Sax, Leisa Merrill; on Tuba, Kevin Kirk and Greg Hazelwood 2nd alternate; on Trombone, Stan Sherwood and Randy Stafford; on Alto Clarinet, Patri Short; on Clarinet, Deanne Baker and Connie Eberedge; on Comet, Chris Bodoy, Wayne Meek, and Kyle Beedy 2nd Alternate; on

Snare Drum, Jamie Bulls; on French Horn, James Pierce and David West 1st Alternate; on Flute, April Percy 1st Alternate; and on Baritone, Suzy Steele and David Hall.

The concert for the All Region Band is scheduled on Saturday March 27 at 7:30 P. M. at the Gruver High School Auditorium. The concert will be free to the public.

This is the first organization of any Class C Jr. High All Region Band. Of the 90 band participants selected from the 210 who tried out, these students from Spearman Jr. High are to be commended for their hard work and determination to make the All Region Band.

70 Register For Kindergarten

Children who have enrolled in kindergarten for the 1976-77 school term are Shannon Denise Baxter, Melissa Kay Beck, Rodney Beck Brooks, Kay Lena Beeson, Bradley R. Bell, Patricia Ann Bellows, Stephanie Jo Bogie, Melissa Dawn Bullard, Richard Christopher Castillo, Jeffrey Shawn Cook, Christiana Louise Cooper, Julie Ann Countris, Janet Diane Crawford, April Dawn Davis, Clinton Lefe DeArmond, LaDon Drummond, Kristin Dunfloo, Margie Evans, Anissa Michelle Evenson, Mili Floyd, J. Travis Garnett, Gregory Allan Gilbreath, Troie Mechelle Gr ham, Sherril Lea Hall, Stephen Lyle Hamilton, Mickel Chad Hargrove, Robert Howter, Larry Danni Irbeck, Chance Jackson, Joy Lee Kizzlar, Misha Leigh Lesly, Beatrice Lozano, Daniel Lopez, Trampas Longley, Kelly Dean Lotz, Jennifer Martin, Bonnie Colleen McCormack, Clay Messer, Robbie Lynn McFarlin, Victor Mendoz, Dennis

Wayne Monk, William Joseph Morrison, Brenda Lee Moyer, Jennifer Teresa Nelson, Pedra Ochoa, Dolores Ochoa, Rosa Marie Olivarez, Gina Ronae Orttinger, Antonio Martin Pacheco, Jr., Clinton Branch Patterson, Ginger Ann Peason, Lisa Marie Ring, Ismael Rios, Rebecca Rosales, Carly Briggette Sheldahl, Bobby Gene Shrader, Olga Soto, Crista Maelynn Sims, Shawn Sims, Lance Albert Swan, Jeffrey Lyn Smith, Tracy Lynn Thompson, James Warren Tindell, Matthew Tucker, Jennifer Christina Turner, Kathy Renee Vanlandingham, Marilea Vela, Parry Younger, Timothy Eugene Yarbrough, Anna Marie Zamora.

Elementary school principal Allan Alford asks that any parents who have not registered their children to come by the elementary school and do so in order that plans may be made for the fall term. Any child who is five years old before September 1, 1976 is eligible for kindergarten.

IRS News

Dallas, Texas--The use of the wrong tax table in computing income tax this year is causing many North Texas taxpayers to understate or overstate their tax liability, according to A. W. McCannless, Dallas district director of the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Taxpayers with incomes under \$15,000 who do not itemize deductions generally take their taxes from tax tables which are numbered according to the number of personal exemptions claimed on a return. Some pages of the 1975 tax instructions contain more than one tax table, and the tax official said that this is apparently causing the confusion.

"Table three, for example, starts on page 26 of the instructions which accompanied Form 1040 this year," Mr. McCannless said. "But table three carries over to page 27, where table four begins. Quite a few people are finding that they must go to the next page of the tax tables to find their tax, and inadvertently report the tax from the higher numbered table.

Officials at the IRS' Austin service center reported that they received over 22,000 returns using the wrong tax table during the week ending March 6. IRS employees at the service center are correcting this error on taxpayers' returns, but Mr. McCannless pointed out that the delay caused

by such mistakes can often be as great as five weeks. Taxpayers expecting refunds, therefore, should double check their computations in order to receive their refunds in the shortest possible length of time.

Gifford-Hill Receives Contract

Dallas, Texas--One of the largest dollar volume contracts in Gifford-Hill-American's 30-year history was secured on March 8, 1976, according to Jim Bailey, G-H-A Sales Manager.

The \$6.5 million contract is for Waurika, Oklahoma, Lake Water Conveyance Facilities, and includes 45 miles of 42" pretensioned and prestressed concrete pressure pipe. The 42" pipe interconnects Lake Waurika with Lake Ellsworth and will supply water to Lawton, Ft. Sill and the Duncan, Oklahoma areas.

The overall \$16,672,740 project, under the direction of the Tulsa District of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, attracted interest from all parts of the United States. The successful contractor is Macomb Contracting Company of Fraser (Detroit), Michigan.

The delivery of the pipe, which will be manufactured at both the Lubbock and Grand Prairie plants, will begin in June, 1976 and is scheduled for completion in June, 1977.

Gifford-Hill-American, Inc. is jointly owned by Gifford-Hill & Company, Inc. of Dallas and Ameron, Inc. of Los Angeles, Calif.

Girl's Golf Team Wins At Panhandle

PANHANDLE--Carla Harper sliced through the wind and cold Monday here to card a 92 and lead Spearman to a first round triumph in the District 1-AA girls' golf tournament here.

Miss Harper scored a 45-47 for the defending state Class AA champions. Spearman totalled 452 eight shots ahead of the Dalhart "A" squad.

Hosting Panhandle finished at 472 on its own country club course. Dalhart's "B" team had 494 and Phillips 564.

Following Miss Harper for medalist honors were Renee Combest (108) and Allison Cox (112) both of Panhandle.

The district's second match is set for Saturday in Spearman. 1976 DISTRICT 1-AA GOLF TOURNAMENT RESULTS Held at Panhandle March 15, 1976

- GIRLS
1. SPEARMAN "A" 452
 2. DALHART "A" 460
 3. PANHANDLE "A" 472
 4. DALHART "B" 494
 5. PHILLIPS "A" 564
- SPEARMAN "A"
- Carla Harper 47-45-92
Willetta Shelton 57-58-115
Terrie Bowen 61-60-121
Stephanie Floyd 66-58-124
Jamie Morley 69-66-135
- TOTAL 452 (Spearman Med. Playen)
- Jana Buchanan 60-57-117
Sherrisse Partridge 62-72-134
DALHART "A"
Debbie Tow 64-54-117
Kay Carter 86-65-131
Lolly Gossett 59-55-114
Cindy Crawford 61-52-113

- Paula Hunter 58-59-115
TOTAL 460
- PANHANDLE "A"
- Renee Combest 56-52-108
Trena Cockrell 62-61-123
Alison Cox 58-54-112
Kay Meaker 73-66-139
Carolyn Thomas 64-65-129
TOTAL 472
- DALHART "B"
- Lauri Root 63-60-123
Cindy Gallegley 62-57-119
Helen Blackburn 62-64-126
Shiela Downing 59-67-126
Jo Ann Field 78-74-152
PHILLIPS "A"
- Debra Rankin 74-74-148
Judy Stark 71-67-138
Sharon Bennefield 70-76-146
Stacy Clemmons 69-63-132

Spelling Bee Winners Named

Connie Eberedge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Eberedge of Spearman, was the winner of the Hansford County Spelling Bee which was held Thursday, March 11 at Spearman Junior High School. She topped all entrants in the 7th and 8th grade division. Debbie Padilla was the runner up in that division. Debbie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Carrizosa of Spearman.

In the 5th and 6th grade division, Oralia Ochoa was pronounced the winner and Lea Ann Gibner was runner-up.

Oralia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Ochoa, Sr. of Spearman. Lea Ann is the daughter of Mary Alice Gibner and Peyton Gibner of Spearman.

The winner of the Hansford County Spelling Bee is eligible to enter the 28th regional competition to be held in Amarillo on April 24.

Have you checked and cleaned the outside exhaust of your clothes dryer lately? A clogged exhaust lengthens drying time--and increases energy consumption.

Results of the Pampa Tournament held March 5, 1976.

TEAMS ENTERED

1. Amarillo 372 for 1st
2. Boger 402 for 2nd
3. Caprock 413 tie for 3rd
4. Palo Duro 413 tie for 3rd
5. Tascosa 445 for 5th
6. Spearman 462 for 6th
7. Pampa 488 for 7th
8. Dalhart 489 for 8th
9. Sanford-Fritch 508 for 9th
10. Canyon 576 for 10th

HOW SPEARMAN PLAYED IN TOURNAMENT

Carla Harper 87
Willetta Shelton 57-56-113
Stephanie Floyd 65-60-125
Terri Bowen 70-67-137
Sherrisse Partridge 67-72-139

TOTAL 462 (Carla, tied for 2nd place medalist with 87 but lost the play-off to a Boger girl.)
Jamie Morley (played as singles) 80-66-146



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Chuck Steaks 79¢ (LB.) (7-BONE CUTS, BEEF CHUCK)

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Cube Steaks \$1.09 (EXCELLENT FOR QUICK MEALS) (16-OZ. LB.)

MATURE BUTCHER BLOCK BEEF

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MATURE BUTCHER BLOCK BEEF

Slow Meat \$1.09 (EXTRA LEAN) (16-OZ. LB.)

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Golden Corn 4 \$1.00 (16-OZ. CANS)

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Help Your Easter Seal Society

Most people know the Easter Seal Society of Texas is concerned with crippling. But not many people know the many different forms of disability can take besides those most often symbolized by crutches. The problem is partly due to the development of Easter Seals as a society for helping crippled children to walk. Then, because of this early emphasis

and the ready identification it provides, the society's seals (used to symbolize its services in its annual appeal to the public) usually depict children with crutches or braces. Nevertheless, less than half of the society's case-load nationally are children under 16 and less than half of its services are in the medical-paramedical area. In fact,

the society offers 36 services nationally besides physical and occupational therapy. Screening, evaluation and therapy for speech and hearing disorders are the services Easter Seals provides most frequently.

Just as important as meeting a crisis is identifying and treating infants and young children with developmental delays or birth defects. Physicians send children they suspect of having perceptual problems to Easter Seals for evaluation and therapy. In addition, Easter Seal audiologists and speech pathologists conduct screening programs in grade schools.

Perceptual-motor disorders not only require physical, occupational and speech therapies, but often social and psychological counseling to overcome learning and adjustment problems. Identification of specific learning problems prepares a preschooler for successful

entry into public school. Training for activities of daily living (ADL) consists of using devices and equipment set up to teach personal independence. In some Easter Seal centers there is a special room designed as a "model apartment"—sometimes having a bed with a rope attachment so the patient can pull himself up; a closet of clothing redesigned with fastenings and other features to ease dressing problems; a bathroom with grab bars; a kitchen with cupboards at reachable heights, a mixing bowl with a suction base to prevent slipping and special kinds of potato peelers and can openers. The equipment can be purchased or built by the patient at home.

When an Easter Seal center is not so elaborately equipped, frequently its therapists, nurses or social workers visit the rehabilitated person at home to help with these adjustments. Transportation and loan of equipment like wheelchairs and walkers are still other Texas Easter Seal services. Some societies

provide transportation for wheelchair-bound persons to medical and rehabilitative services. Others also offer regular outings for shopping and recreation. But working to make public transit systems accessible is a major, long-term goal of Easter Seals.

In its role as advocate for the handicapped, adaptive housing is a special interest of Easter Seals. Easter Seal societies work with contractors, architects and municipal housing authorities to assure that they understand the importance of making new or remodeled buildings usable by all of the public. Public education and information for the handicapped themselves, such as guide books to accessible facilities in particular cities, are other aspects of this advocacy role.

So the next time you hear someone say Easter Seals teaches crippled children to walk, remember...it's a lot more than that. The whole person—restored or developed to his or her fullest potential for doing what he or she wants to do—is the goal of rehabilitation.

And, to Easter Seals, that means a lot of different programs and different people to bring lots of kinds of help in Texas.

In the U. S., today 10 million people suffer from speech and hearing impairments, six million are mentally retarded, two million are victims of stroke and two million have epilepsy. Also, 500,000 suffer from multiple sclerosis, 200,000 from muscular dystrophy and 100,000 from spinal cord injuries. Every year 100,000 babies are born with defects that will force them to use crutches, braces or wheelchairs all of their lives. Find out from your Easter Seal Society what you can do to help in its program of rehabilitation for some of these people.

Postal Service Protects Citizens

"U. S. citizens are protected from unscrupulous mail-order schemes from abroad by a powerful tool of the U. S. Postal Service's consumer protection program. It's referred to as the foreign mail-stop order," Postmaster Ray Robertson said today.

"In the 104 years since Congress outlawed mail fraud and the 86 since another statute gave the Postmaster General the power to stop the mail in false advertising schemes," Postmaster Robertson said, "many international and domestic firms using the mails to promote illicit schemes have been subjects of mail-stop orders."

Although the vast majority of mail order firms are honest and reliable, schemes from abroad to exist and include products claiming powers to enlarge breasts, remove wrinkles and reduce weight without diet or effort.

"Postal Consumer Protection Week, which we have just observed, serves as a reminder that the Postal Service stands ready to help its consumers, Postmaster Robertson said. "But we need assistance. An alert public is a major factor in keeping the schemes out of the mail."

The most prevalent international mail deception is the bill-for-services-rendered scheme. The technique usually involves a promoter soliciting large companies or professional for a listing in a previously unpublished international medical, tele or business directory. Resembling a bill, the solicitation appears to be a bonafide request for payment for a listing already purchased. It may or may not contain notification that the material is a solicitation. If included, this information

may be too obscure to meet the Postal Service's very specific requirements for its conspicuous display. The crux of the promoter's scheme hangs on the hope that the recipient will not recognize it as a solicitation and process it for payment as a bill. It sometimes works. One corporation discovered that it had paid a mock bill for three years. For this firm and others, the money is gone and there is no practical recourse.

While the promoter awaits anticipated returns, the Postal Service may have already become aware of the scheme and be in the process of legally blocking it.

After investigating the operation, the Postal Inspection Service secures an affidavit to affirm the solicited company's position that the bill is an attempt to elicit a remittance by deceptive means. Armed with the affidavit, the Consumer Protection Office files a petition with the Postal Service Judicial Department. The Judicial Officer, representing the Postmaster General, reviews the petition and, where he determines that it presents adequate evidence of violation of the postal misrepresentation statute, issues a foreign mail-stop order to return to sender all subsequent U. S. Mail addressed to the firm in apparent response to the scheme.

Although reports of falsely advertised products and services from abroad appear to be on the decline, Postmaster Robertson said, "mail solicitations suspected of being attempts to elicit money by deceptive means should immediately be reported to me or the local postal inspector."

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City Receives Sales Tax Check

AUSTIN—Comptroller Bob Bullock said Monday that a total of \$75.5 million was rebated to cities for city sales tax collected in the 1975 Christmas quarter, compared to \$64.2 million for the 1974 Christmas quarter.

"All the merchants said during the Christmas season that sales were up over 1974," said Bullock, "and they were right. Based on city sales tax figures, there was a 17.5 percent increase."

Bullock mailed checks totaling \$52.8 million to 837 Texas cities and towns Monday, representing their March city sales tax allocations.

The Comptroller said the March, February and January allocations to the cities represented the tax collected by merchants from October through December.

Merchants remitting the penny per dollar tax on a quarterly basis had to file their returns by January 31. The biggest March checks went to Houston, \$11.1 million; Dallas, \$6.1 million; San Antonio, \$3.4 million; Austin, \$1.7 million; and El Paso, \$1.7 million.

The City of Spearman received a check in the amount of \$15,526.46. Gruver's check for the last quarter of 1975 was \$3,563.49.

Health Tips Texas Medical Association

1901 North Lamar Austin Texas 78701

Some medical experts say people in the U. S. could prevent half of their personal health problems by taking good care of themselves. Other research shows people can add between 7 and 11 years to their lives by following seven simple guidelines.

This year untold numbers of people will abuse drugs ranging from caffeine to heroin, the Texas Medical Association says. More than \$10 billion will be spent on alcohol alone. About 79 million people will be overweight. Approximately 80,000 people in the U. S. will die of lung cancer—much of it caused by smoking.

Many people seem to get along fine consuming moderate amounts of food, alcohol and some other drugs (such as the caffeine in coffee). Trouble looms when people start over-indulging.

One study shows a definite link between daily habits and life span. The research, which began in 1965, shows men can add 11 years to their lives and women seven years by following these seven suggestions.

Get the right amount of sleep. Men need about eight hours a day; women need about seven hours. Individual requirements vary.

Eat a good breakfast daily.

Eat three meals a day

at regular times and avoid snacks.

Exercise regularly. Keep your weight within recommended levels. Drink alcoholic beverages moderately (a maximum of two drinks a day). Don't smoke cigarettes.

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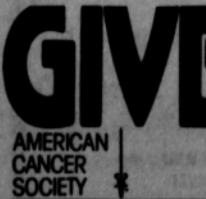


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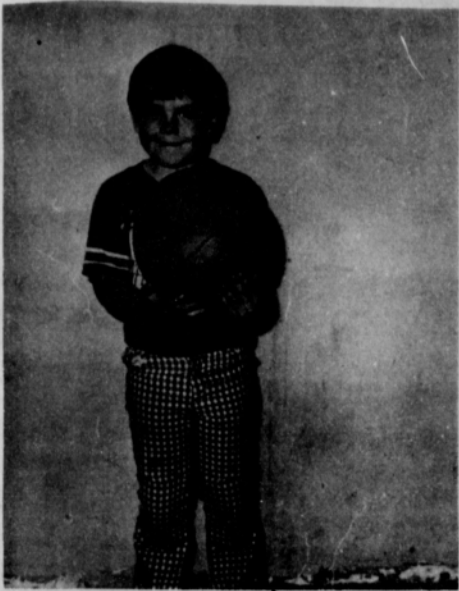


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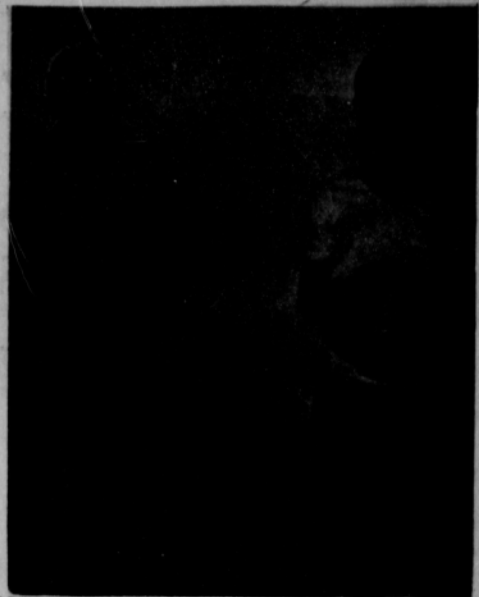
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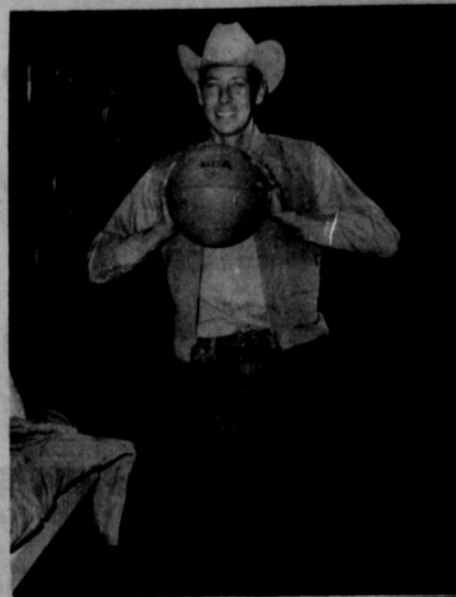
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Bobby Nollner

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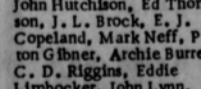


The Spearman Rotary Club met Monday, March 15th at Martin's Steak Garden.

President, Roy Bulls presided over the meeting. Bill Fairley, who is associated with the KHIVA Shrine in Amarillo and presented a film entitled "Ricky" on aid to children in the Shrine Cripple Children Hospital.

Members present were Carrie Marie Berry, Roy Bulls, Junior Lusby, John R. Colvard, Ed Gamer, Don Windsorer, Jack McWhirter, Don Herzert, John Hutchinson, Ed Thompson, J. L. Brock, E. J. Copeland, Mark Neff, Peyton G. Ibrner, Archie Burrest, C. D. Riggins, Eddie Limbocker, John Lynn, Jim Brown and L. E. Thomas.

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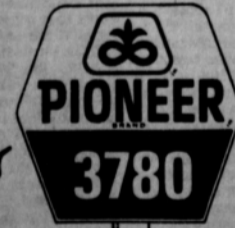
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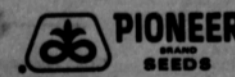
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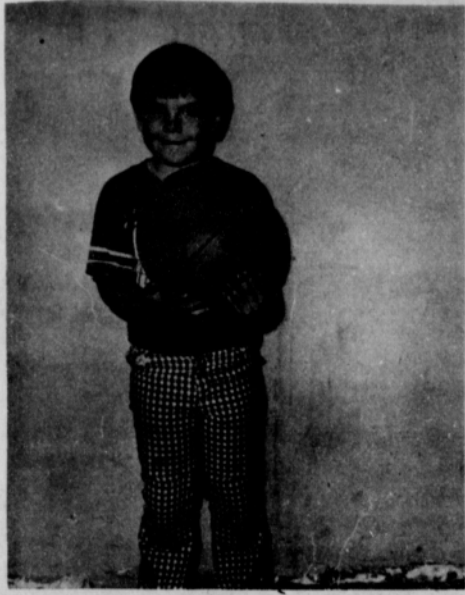
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K.I.D.S. Free Throw Competition Winners



Mat Tucker

The K. I. D. S. Free Throw Competition was held Saturday afternoon, March 13th at the Community Building. The Second Grade and Below competition on the low basket went as follows: First Competition - Sherry Vernon over Tonya Stowens, Cayla Eaton over Lynette Dunaway; Second Competition - Sherry Vernon over Cayla Eaton, 6 to 9 and Trina Gordon over Kathy Love, 2-0; the Third and Final Competition was won by Trina Gordon 3

to 2 over Sherry Vernon. The Second Grade and Below boys competition went as follows: Allen Mires over Damon Goodheart, and Terry Phillips over Timmy Willis; The Final competition was won by Allen Mires 9 to 6 over Terry Phillips. On the preschool competition Mat Tucker won over Ray Dunaway 8 to 3. The Second Grade and Below Girls Champion Trina Gordon was beaten by the Second Grade and Below Boys Champion Allen Mires, thirteen to one.



Trina Gordon-Allen Mires

The 3rd and 4th Grade Girls Competition on the top basket went as follows: Nita Baker over Andrea Mires, Cindy Hendrick over Sheila Schneider, and Kelli Crawford over Leslie Gordon; Second Competition - Cindy Hendrick over Nita Baker, 11 to 10, and Kelli Crawford over Traci Stewart 13 to 5; The Final Competition was won by Kelli Crawford in a play-off against Cindy Hendrick. The 3rd and 4th Grade Boys Competition on the top basket: First Com-

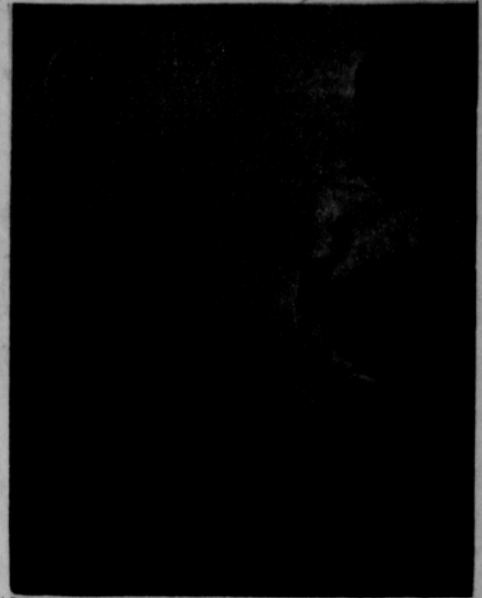
petition - Greg Meek over Kyle Lewis; Second Competition Greg Meek over Ross Donahue 16-15. The play-off between the 3rd and 4th Grade Girls Champion, Kelli Crawford and 3rd and 4th Grade Boys Champion, Greg Meek was won by Greg Meek 17 to 13. The 5th and 6th Grade Girls Competition: First Competition - Janet Reed over Stacy Thomas, Johnnie Eaton over Jonna Bell, Jeri Damell over Vonnie Gordon; Second Competition - Johnnie



Greg Meek-Kelli Crawford

Eaton over Janet Reed 9 to 6, Jeri Damell over Janet Sandoval 6 to 1; The Final competition was won by Johnnie Eaton over Jeri Damell 8 to 3. The 5th and 6th Grade Boys Competition: First Competition - Chuck Rigdon over Dennis Randall, Billy Underwood over Ben Dunaway, and Jimmy Snider over Darren Goodheart; Second Competition - Chuck Rigdon over Billy Underwood 13 to 9; Final Competition Chuck Rigdon over Jimmy Snider 10 to 6.

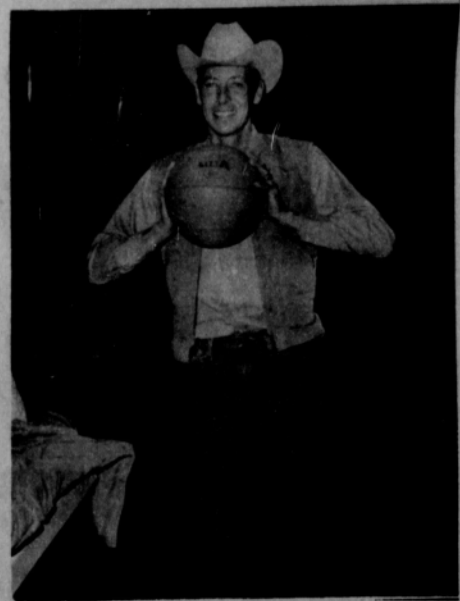
5th and 6th Grade Boys Champion, Chuck Rigdon won the 5th and 6th Grade Championship over Girls Champion Johnnie Eaton with a score of 14 to 10. In the Women's Competition: First Competition - Teresa Barkley over Judy Evenson, Joanne Eaton over Sheryl Meek, Nancy Phillips over Annette Littlejohn, and Carla Tucker over Gladys Dunaway; Second Competition - Teresa Barkley over Joanne Eaton 17 to 4, and Carla Tucker over Nancy Phillips 13 to 11; The Final Competition was won by Teresa Barkley over Carla Tucker 18 to 14. Nancy Phillips and Teresa Barkley were the only ones in the entire competition to sink ten baskets straight. In the Men's Competition: First Competition - Bobby Nollner over Sonny Nollner, Bob Meek over Bill Rome, Eugene Yarbrough over Earl Goodheart, and Lee Phillips over Gary Faries; Second Competition - Bobby Nollner over Bob Meek 15 to 14, and Eugene Yarbrough over Lee Phillips, 9 to 4; The Final Competition was won by Bobby Nollner over Eugene Yarbrough



Chuck Rigdon-Johnnie Eaton



Teresa Barkley-Carla Tucker



Bobby Nollner



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The Texas Highway Patrol investigated four accidents on rural highways in Hansford County during the month of February, 1976, according to Sergeant C. E. Henderson Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in one person killed and one person injured. The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first two months of 1976 shows a total of nine accidents resulting in one person killed and three persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for February, 1976, shows a total of 416 accidents resulting in 17 persons killed and 243 persons injured, as compared to February, 1975, with 435 accidents resulting in 12 persons killed and 199 persons injured. This was 19 less accidents, five more killed, and 44 more injured in 1976 at the same period of time.

The 17 traffic deaths for the month of February, 1976, occurred in the following counties: Two each in Bailey, Castro, and Hutchinson; and one each in Dickens, Knox, Lubbock, Parker, Terry, Wichita, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Swisher, and Wheeler.

Help Needed For Concession Stand

A volleyball Tournament will be held March 25, 26, & 27 to raise money for the K. I. D. S. program. The mothers will have the concession stand and all proceeds will go to the K. I. D. S. program. If you can make sandwiches (1 doz.) and cookies (1 batch) for this Tournament, call TRUDIE GOODHEART - 659-2121 or 659-2871 TODAY!

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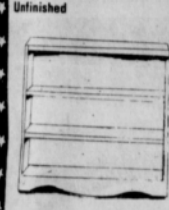
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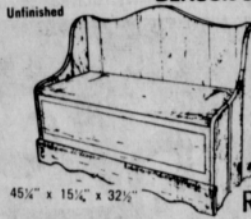
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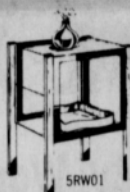


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Cost Of Accidents High Locally

For the average Hansford County resident, what are the chances of going through an entire year without having an accident of some sort?

Are local people more likely or less likely to be involved in a traffic accident or a home accident than those in other communities?

According to the latest government statistics, covering the entire country, local residents are more accident prone than the average.

The findings are based upon data compiled by the U. S. Public Health Service, in connection with its annual vital statistics survey, and upon reports from the National Safety Council.

Covered were all accidents in which Hansford County people were involved, wherever they took place, including those that occurred while driving while at work, in the home, or while swimming, boating or hunting. Not included, however, were local accidents affecting non-residents.

Taking into account the Government's last three annual reports, it appears that there has been an average of 5 fatal accidents per year in the county. Motor vehicles were responsible for 3 of them.

In terms of population, the annual toll in the area was at the rate of 77 fatalities per 100,000 people during the three-year period.

It was a somewhat higher rate than was found in most other communities in the United States, where the average was 55 per 100,000. In the West South Central States it was 67.

The National Safety Council's latest figures show a big drop in the overall death toll from accidents, resulting in a saving of 11,000 lives in the past year alone. Some 9,300 of them were due to a decrease in motor vehicle deaths, attributed in large part to the fact that people did less driving and kept their speed down.

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Essay Contest

Winners Named

Glyna Beatty, student in Stratford High School, Stratford, Texas, won the \$250.00 scholarship given by the North Plains Water Conservation District, Dumas, Texas, for the best essay on "Why the Importance of Water Conservation."

Second place winner of a \$150.00 scholarship was Stephanie Riffe, Stratford High School student.

Third place and a \$50.00 scholarship was won by Terry Bilbrey, also a Stratford High School student.

The awards will be presented to these students at the meeting of the Sherman County Commiteemen in Stratford, Texas, Tuesday, April 6, at 7:30 p.m.

Hansford Hospital Auxiliary Meets

The Hansford Hospital Auxiliary met Monday evening at Martin's Steak Garden with Edith Smith, president, presiding.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the treasurer's report was given.

Helen Etter gave a report of membership and hours of work.

The chairman of the nominating committee, Helen Etter, stated that all officers will be retained for another year. Officers are Edith Smith, president; Helen Etter, Vice President; Clementine Renner, secretary; and Buena Lyon, treasurer.

The Bloodmobile was discussed. It will be here on August 12 and a goal has been set for 150 pints of blood.

Barbara McClellan was appointed courtesy chairman.

Attending were Sue Woolley, Judy Hergert, Mary Brown, Alva Garner, Edith Smith, Maylynn Schubert, Buena Lyon, Helen Etter, Rosaloe Butt, Barbara McClellan, Hazel Stumpf, Johanna Kleeburger, Elsie Mathews and Clementine Renner.

Farm Bureau Queen Contest Set

The Hansford County Farm Bureau is looking for entries for their annual Queen Contest to be held in Spearman on April 30th.

The winner will compete in the District Contest to be held in Amarillo this summer.

The purpose of the contest is to give recognition to our beautiful farm and ranch girls.

It is anticipated that through the institution of this contest these girls and others will become better acquainted with Farm Bureau.

Eligibility requirements

are the girl must be between the ages of sixteen through twenty-two years old, must be the daughter or sister of a Farm Bureau member and must never have been married.

The girls will be judged on appearance, poise, personality and their answer to the question "Why You Are Glad Your Family Belongs To Farm Bureau"

For further information, contact Mrs. Wayne Garrett, Mrs. Elmo Dahl or the Farm Bureau in Spearman.

4-H Food Show Winners Named

AMARILLO -- Deaf Smith County 4-H'ers took top honors in the District 14-H Food Show here Saturday (Mar. 13), winning first in two of the four food classes for seniors, plus having one second place senior and four top junior wins.

Collingsworth and Potter Counties each also had a first place senior win. The four top seniors, who will compete in the state 4-H food show in June at Texas A&M University, are Peggy Popwell of Collingsworth County; Carla West, Deaf Smith County; Chris Cummins, Potter County; and Rhonda

Hagar, Deaf Smith County. Named as alternates were Bekki McCormick, Moore County; Elaine Webb, Gray County; Geni Welty, Deaf Smith County; and Jenny Cyhle, Donley County.

The four top juniors of each of the four food classes were named but they will not compete beyond the district level.

In the junior division, Deaf Smith captured top honors by having one junior named among the top four in each of the four classes. Carson and Moore Counties followed close behind with three winners each.

Over 150 4-H'ers from

20 Panhandle counties vied for honors in senior and junior divisions. The district show was the second phase of competition, with entrants having already won in county contests earlier in the year. Only the top seniors of the four food classes will go on to the third and final rung of the ladder which is the state 4-H food show. There, they compete with winners from 13 other districts of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

All winners at this year's district food show received 4-H award ribbons, and senior division champions were presented miniature

silver bowls by the Morris on Milling Company. Senator Max Sherman of Amarillo, and J. R. Durham, sales representative for Morrison Milling Company, San Angelo, presented the awards.

Entries were divided into four classes: breads and desserts, main dish, side dish and snacks and beverages.

Sixteen home economists with experience in Extension Service food project work were judges for the event. Theme was "Heritage Foods."

Members of the 1976 District Food Show Committee were County Extension Agents Elaine Houston

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of Gray County, chairman; Sherry Harder of Deaf Smith County; Alby Peten of Moore County; Cynthia Manning of Donley County; Blanche Chisum of Sherman County; and Nellie Evans of Hansford County.

Victi Henderson of Hansford 4-H won a Red Ribbon in the Breads and Desserts Senior Division, Karen Kenney of Hansford 4-H was awarded a blue ribbon in the Breads and Desserts Junior Division.

Pamela Clawson of Hansford 4-H was one of the top four winners in the Snacks and Beverages Junior Division.

Julie Farr of Hansford 4-H was awarded a blue ribbon in the Main Dish Junior Division.

Cindy Ivey of Hansford 4-H was awarded a blue ribbon in the Side Dish Junior Division.

Republican Women Plan Meeting

Two Amarillo attorneys will present the program for Hansford County Republican Women, March 19th, Friday, at 1:00 P. M. in the El Vaquero Restaurant in Gruver, Texas. Don Reavis, Congressional District Chairman for President Ford Election Committee and James Brandon, Congressional District Chairman of Texas Citizens for Ronald Reagan will discuss their candidates and the presidential primary to be held May 1, 1976. Don Reavis is one of the four delegates for Gerald Ford and James Brandon is one of the four delegates for Ronald Reagan that will be on the ballot in the May Primary.

This will be a "Dutch Treat" lunch at the El Vaquero and all members are urged to attend and guest are welcome. If you are interested in either candidate for President be sure to come.

Weather

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MARCH 10	69	34	
MARCH 11	69	47	
MARCH 12	61	24	
MARCH 13	56	16	
MARCH 14	62	26	

Marvel Steed Memorial Scholarship Fund Set Up

Mr. and Mrs. Pope Gibner recently were notified that the Home-making teachers in the Amarillo Independent School District have set up a scholarship fund in honor of their daughter, Marvel Jo Steed. The scholarship will be entitled "The Marvel Steed Memorial Scholarship in Home Economics." It will be awarded, upon nomination by a teacher's committee from Amarillo High School, to a student from Amarillo who attended Fannin Junior High School and graduated from Amarillo High School,

and who is to major in Home Economics at Texas Tech University. It will be a one-time scholarship. Hopefully, there will be a recipient this year. If not, it will be awarded when an individual qualifies for the honor.

Checks should be made payable to Texas Tech University with the designated use (in the lower left-hand corner) "Marvel Steed Memorial Scholarship in Home Economics." Contributions will be acknowledged by Texas Tech University. All contributions may be sent to Mrs. Ann Derrick,

Homemaking coordinator, Amarillo Independent School District, 910 W. 8th, Amarillo, Texas 79101, before April 23rd.

Nominations For Outstanding Women

The West Texas State University Women's Program Committee is planning a Bicentennial Luncheon on the campus on April 24, 1976 from 11 to 1. The focus of the luncheon will be to acknowledge the part that women have played in the development of the Texas Panhandle.

As part of this celebra-

tion of women's contributions, the committee will honor a number of women who, besides filling the time-honored roles of mother and homemaker, have distinguished themselves by outstanding business, professional, or volunteer service.

In order that they may know of women who are currently making such significant contributions, they are requesting nominations from citizens and organizations throughout the Panhandle. Your help is asked in nominating any deserving woman, 18 years of age or above, and a resident of one of the top 32 counties of Texas. The nominee does not have to be a graduate of WTSU.

Nomination forms may

be obtained by writing West Texas State University, Box 455, Canyon, Texas 79016. The deadline for receiving nominations is midnight, April 5.

Texas Tech Plans Europe Summer Study

LUBBOCK--Summer in Vienna! That will be the program for students 20 who enroll for a Texas Tech University summer study program in Austria with travel opportunities to other European countries. The program will be conducted under the auspices of Texas Tech's department of German and Slavic languages in cooperation with the Institute of European Studies of Chicago.

The program is not limited to Texas Tech students now enrolled. It does require that all participants will have completed successfully two semesters of German. Each will be enrolled in two courses for a total of six semester hours of credit. One of the courses, taught in English, will deal with Austrian life and literature. The second will offer intermediate or advanced spoken German. Students fluent in German may elect an independent research project in Austrian or German literature.

Although the program will have its base in Vienna, students will have travel opportunities.

They will depart June 14 on a jet for Paris. The final week of the program, July 31-Aug. 5, is set aside for independent travel. The return flight will leave Paris Aug. 6.

The program includes field study tours and excursions to important historical and cultural sites in and around Vienna and a weekend visit to Prague, Czechoslovakia.

The program has been organized by Dr. Thomas Bacon of the German faculty in cooperation with Ann Morgan, director of the university's Office of International Programs. Prof. Bacon designed and directed similar foreign study programs at Fuman University before joining the Tech faculty.

"Vienna is a grand city," Bacon said, "the former residence of Hapsburg emperors. It has magnificent palaces, opera and theater houses, museums and enchanting parks."

"An extremely important outpost for the free world -- at the crossroads of East and West," Bacon said, "Vienna reflects a culture marked by the blending of inhabitants of strikingly different backgrounds."

Bacon said that students will live in Viennese homes and attend classes in the Kinsky Palace in Vienna.

The cost, \$1,595, includes transportation from Lubbock, tuition, and room and board except during the days set aside for independent travel.

A maximum of 20 participants will be accepted, Bacon said. Further information may be obtained by calling Bacon at area code 806: 742-4154 or by writing him in care of the Department of Germanic and Slavic Languages, Box 4579, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Tex. 79409. Deadline for applications will be 5 p.m., March 15.

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1st Year Brownie Troop #42 were presented 1 year pins at the Girl Scout Mother-Daughter Awards Ceremony Friday evening. Shown front 1 to r Linda Evans, Angelica Gaither, Kim Younger, Mary Ann Evans, Alicia Langston and Becky Hamilton. Back row, 1 to r, Rhonda Hall, Shelia Brand, Dianna Martin, Carlee Dixon, Cheryl Coleman and Shannon Vernon. Leaders are Carole Hall, Joyce Cummings and Georgia Gaither.



CADET TROOP #3 members are shown here with their leader, Mrs. Curtis Davis, left and Thelma McBroom, Marietta Davis, and Judy Schrader. These girls received awards Friday night in the ceremony held at the Hansford Library

Reducing Risk Of Heart Attack

The way to a man's heart may be through his stomach, but the route is fraught with peril. There are nearly 700,000 fatalities in this country every year from heart attacks, said Adele McGinty, Director for Weight Watchers in West Texas, who noted that "poor eating habits and excess pounds can contribute significantly to heart disease."

In connection with "Heart Month," now being celebrated by the American Heart Association to alert the public to how they can reduce the risk of heart attack, Mrs. McGinty, in citing Heart Association literature, observed that life expectancy can be shortened for those who are markedly over their normal weight.

The American Heart Association points out that:

1. Men in their middle years who are significantly overweight have about three times the risk of a fatal heart attack compared with those of normal weight.
2. Obesity also heightens the possibility of high blood pressure or diabetes.
3. Since most people reach their normal adult weight between the ages of 21 and 25, fewer calories are needed after that to maintain normal weight.

Dr. William H. Sebrell, Medical Director of Weight Watchers International, has stated that "Regrettably, people in their 30's and 40's tend to eat as much as they did when they were in their 20's. This, coupled with a diminished physical activity, can mean that the body will store excess calories as fat."

"There are no short cuts to weight reduction," a fact that is being stressed by the American Heart Association.

"People should avoid so-called 'crash diets', said Dr. Sebrell, who added that "they invariably omit nutritious foods that are

vital to good health. "And even when extreme reducing diets are successful, they produce only temporary results. This is because the individual does not develop a pattern of eating designed to keep his or her weight at a normal level."

Dr. Sebrell cited an American Heart Association report that there still is no "ironclad proof" that reducing known risks of heart disease will prevent heart attacks.

"However, most scientific evidence points that way, and at the very least reducing the risks - and obesity is a major one - can contribute to general good health," Dr. Sebrell said.

K.I.D.S. Donations Being Received

Many interested individuals and business people have contributed to the K. I. D. S. program in the last few weeks. The money is being used to adapt the Community Building so that it may be used for basketball, and for other activities the K. I. D. S. will be participating in.

Those who have donated include Baker & Taylor, Tim Woodington, J. G. Parrish, Gordon's Drug, Spearman Chamber of Commerce Youth Committee, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Guthrie, Excel Chevrolet, Mark Neff, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson, Mrs. Eleanor Reed, the Town & Country H. D. Club, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Buskirk, Local Outreach Dept. First Christian Church, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Don McJain, Mr. and Mrs. James Tarwater, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sparks, Mrs. Chet Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gamett, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Nollner, Mrs. Jane Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny White, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Miesner, Mr. and Mrs. Price Hayes, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herring, Mrs. Irene



JUNIOR TROOP #120-Top row, 1 to r, Janie Flores, assistant leader, Sandra Younger, Shenell Phelps, Traci Stewart, Christi Dossett, Cindy Hansen and leader Joy Hansen, back row, 1 to r, Irma Flores, Cynthia Hendrick, Tammy Welch and Tonya Sexton. Not pictured is Treasa Miesner. Girls received a variety of awards as well as all received a membership star at the recent Award Ceremony.

Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Archer, Speartex Grain, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Goodheart, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Littlejohn, Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart, XI-Zeta, I. O. O. F.,

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Purpose of the meeting is to hear the report of business to date and to elect two members to the Board of Directors for a 3 year term. Terms will expire for C. J. Renner and Newell Allen.

Present Board members are: Mike Gamett, Ray Phelps, John Trindle, Newell Allen and C. J. Renner.

Dated this 19th, Day of February 1976.

Mike Gamett, President
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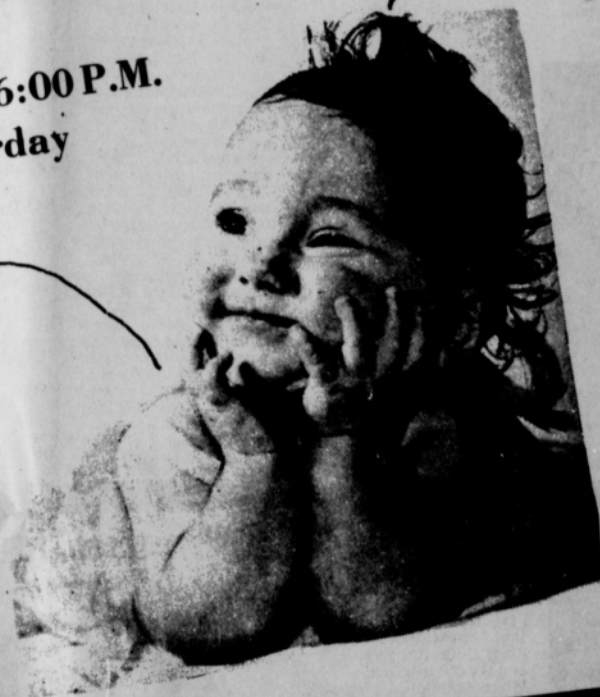
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Girl Scout Award Banquet Held

The Girl Scout Troops Mother-Daughter Awards Ceremony was held Friday, March 12th from 7:00 P. M. till 8:00 P. M. in the Library Club Room.

The Flag Ceremony was conducted by Brownie Troop #65.

Guests and members were welcomed by Girl Scout Neighborhood Chairman, Mrs. Celestine Thompson.

The following leaders presented the following awards to troop members: Mrs. Charles Hall, and Mrs. Bill Galtner, leaders of 1st year Brownie Troop #42 presented 1 year pins to members: Sheila Brand, Cheryl Coleman, Linda Evans, Angela Galtner, Rhonda Hall, Becky Hamilton, Dana Irlbeck, Alicia Langston, Carlee Dixon, Diana Martin, D'Lynn Orr, Shannon Vernon, Kim Younger, Tammy Ring, and Mary Ann Evans.

Mrs. Bruce Womble, leader of second year Brownie Troop #65 presented membership stars and Girl Scout Disc to members, Kelly Groves, Stephanie Hays, Janise Kyler, Jeannie Laird, Tisha Pearce, Rosa Pierce, Genny Womble, Lee Barnes, Ann Barnes, Karla Latta, Donna Martin, Cristie Black and Michelle Wright.

Mrs. Curtis Davis, leader of Cadet Troop #3 presented

Child Care Badge and Chef Badge to Darla Moyer, Tonya McBride, Judy Shrader, Thelma McBroome and Rita Ring. She presented Marietta Davis the following badges: Child Care, Chef, Cadet Swimmer, Health Aid, Active Citizen, Backyard Fun, Home Health & Safety, Foot Traveler, Personal Health, Sign of the Arrow and Sign of the Star.

Mrs. Junior Hansen and Mrs. Raymond Flores, leaders of Junior Troop #120 presented the following awards: Cynthia Hendrick - Hospitality, Pet, and Art in the Round; Irma Flores - Hospitality, Cook, My Home, Cyclist, Personal Health, and Story Teller; Shenell Phelps - Hospitality, House Keeper, Collector, and Pen Pal; Tonya Sexton - Hospitality, Art in the Round, Water Fun, House Keeper, and Backyard Fun; Cindy Hansen - Hospitality, Pets, Cook, Housekeeper, Backyard Fun, Home, Health and Safety, and Rambler; Traci Stewart - Hospitality and Cook; Tammy Welch - Hospitality, Pets, Cook, My Home, Housekeeper and Health Aid; Sondra Younger - Hospitality, Cook, Housekeeper and Health Aid; and Teresa Miesner - Hospitality and Housekeeper. Also all the members received a membership star.

Junior Troop #76, whose leaders are Mrs. Tommy



SECOND YEAR Brownies received membership stars and Girl Scout Discs at the recent Awards Ceremony. Shown here are Lee Barnes, Stephanie Hayes, Michelle Wright, Karla Latta, Genne Womble, Kelly Groves, Leader Mrs. Bruce Womble and Ann Barnes. Other members of Troop #65 not shown are Donna Martin, Tisha Pearce, Rosa Pierce, Janis Kyler, Christie Black,

White, Mrs. Ralph Bynum and Mrs. Jim Davis, awarded the following badges: Sonya Ooley - Personal Health and Musician; Myra Brisco - Personal Health and Musician; Janet Reed - Personal Health; Teri Thomas, Musician, Personal Health, My Flag and Outdoor Cook; Nikki Rylant - Personal Health, Musician and My Flag; Karen Tarwater, the newest troop member received her membership pin; Rebecca Evans - Musician, Personal Health and My Flag; Yvonda Scroggs - Personal Health and Musician; La Tonia Phelps received Musician, Personal Health, My Flag, Housekeeper, My Home, Pets and Water Fun; Angela McCain received Musician, Personal Health, My Flag, My Home, Books, Drawing and Painting, Backyard Fun and Magic Carpet; Jan Davis - Musician, Personal Health, My Flag, Collector, My Camera and Pets; Debbie Burton - Musician, Personal Health and My Flag; Cindy Burton - Musician, Personal Health, and My Flag; Jean Davis - Musician, Personal Health, My Flag, Collector, Pets and My Camera; Lori White - Musician, Personal Health, My Flag, Outdoor Cook, Water Fun, Housekeeper, Home, Health and Safety, and My Home; Lana Paul - Musician, Personal Health, My Flag, and Water Fun; and Penny Cummings was awarded Musician, Personal Health, My Flag Outdoor Cook,

Water Fun and Housekeeper badges.

All seventeen Junior Troop girls earned the Junior Girl Scout Sign of the Star, which is given in recognition of their extra efforts in fulfilling seven requirements concerning camping, citizenship, service and other activities. The girls who received this Sign were Penny Cummings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cummings; Lori White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy White; Jean and Jan Davis, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jim O. Davis; Debbie and Cindy Burton, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Young; Angella McCain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bynum; Lana Paul, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Paul, and LaTonia Phelps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phelps.



Junior Troop #120 met Friday, March 12th in the Girl Scout House with leaders, Mrs. Junior Hansen and Mrs. Raymond Flores. A party was held for Girl Scout Birthday. Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by members, Irma Flores, Cindy Hansen, Cynthia Hendrick, Teresa Miesner, Shenell Phelps, Tonya Sexton, Tammy Welch, Sondra Younger, Traci Stewart, and Christi Dossett. The troop will meet Thursday, March 18th with Junior Troop #65 for fly-up ceremonies.



These members of Troop 76 received various awards at the recent Scout Awards ceremony. They are back row, 1 to r, Debbie Burton, LaTonia Phelps, Karen Tarwater, Cindy Burton, Lana Paul, Lori White and Rebecca Evans. Front row, 1 to r, Penny Cummings, Nikki Rylant, Angella McCain, Jean Davis, Jan Davis and Yvonda Scroggs. Leaders are Mmes. Tommy White, Ralph Bynum and Jim Davis.

HD Club News

The Spearman Home Demonstration Club met Friday, March 12th in the home of President, Alpha Groves.

Miss Groves opened the meeting with the devotional entitled "How Habits Can Work", and read scriptures from Mark 7 and 9.

The club prayer was then said in unison.

Roll Call was answered to "My Favorite Clothes and Why".

Discussion was held on the County Livestock Show to be held March 19th and 20th in the Gruver County Barn. Plans were made to furnish sandwiches and sloppy joes for the show.

Home Demonstration Agent, Nelle Evans gave a very interesting program

Revival Planned

on Spring Fashions. Refreshments of coffee, fruit bread and cookies were served by Miss Groves to members, Mesdames: B. J. Garnett, Colleen Shedeck, W. H. Tarbox, and Agent, Nelle Evans.

Next meeting will be April 9th in the home of Mrs. Colleen Shedeck.

Revival services are planned for March 21 thru March 28 at the First Assembly of God Church.

Rev. H. L. Wampler will be the evangelist. Sunday morning services are at 11 a.m. and evening services at 7 p.m. Services Monday through Friday will be at 7:30. Pastor Nuckels and members of the church extend to each of you an invitation to attend any or all of these services.

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Boy Scout News

Den #4 met Thursday, March 11th in the home of Mrs. Floyd Close with Den Mothers, Mrs. Lynn Cook and Assistant D'Anda Close.

The boys worked on their achievements and a special project. Refreshments were served by Nick Wirsdorfer to members, Anthony Surgeon, Jesse Moore, Cole Ivey, Bob Cook, Bryan Gray, and mascot Shawn Cook.

Next meeting will be March 18th in the home of Mrs. Floyd Close with Jesse Moore as hostess.

Den #3 met Friday, March 12th in the home of Mrs. Jim Davis for their last meeting of the year. The boys worked on their achievements. Jeff Vanlandingham

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completed work for his Wolf Badge. Refreshments of peanut-butter cookies and punch were served by Doug Murrow, to members, Terry Phillips, Steve Womble, James Davis, Chad Guthrie, Den Chief Toby Phillips and Den Mothers, Mrs. Jim Davis and Mrs. Bruce Womble.

Help Needed For Concession Stand

A volleyball Tournament will be held March 25, 26, & 27 to raise money for the K. I. D. S. program. The mothers will have the concession stand and all proceeds will go to the K. I. D. S. program. If you can make sandwiches (1 doz.) and cookies (1 batch) for this Tournament, call TRUDIE GOODHEART - 659-2121 or 659-2871 TODAY!

Diabetic Training Center Opens May 30

Camp Sweeney Diabetic Educational Training Center for diabetic boys and girls (6 through 16 years of age) will open for the 27th year of operation May 30, 1976 with three-three week sessions as follows: May 30 to June 19, June 20 to July 10 and July 11 to July 31. Camp Sweeney is located 9 miles east and 1 mile north of Gainesville, Texas on 338 acres of beautiful rolling timbered hills with three dormitories for boys and three for girls; a non-denominational chapel; a modern hospital; a 30 acre lake for boating, fishing and water-skiing; a sanitary swimming pool, tennis courts, recreational pavilion, target range and 20 gentle saddle horses. Under the supervision of a specialized medical staff, dietitian and counselors, these children are taught their proper diet with regulated exercise, how to take their own urine tests and give their own insulin injections. Of major importance, through this group association with other young diabetics, they realize they are not alone with their disorder and with proper knowledge and instruction they can LEARN HOW TO LIVE with their lifelong companion-DIABETES.

Diabetes is hereditary, incurable and increasing yearly. It is the 3rd killer of diseases and ranks 3rd as the cause of blindness. Medical authorities estimate one-fourth of the world's population carries the diabetic gene and some 5,000,000 cases of diabetes are in the United States of which more than 500,000 are children. Camp Sweeney, operated and maintained by Southwestern Diabetic

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Littlejohn Gives Sorority Program

Xi Zeta Upsilon met Thursday, March 11th at Martin's Steak Garden with Mrs. Jim Davis and Mrs. George Jackson as hostesses.

Mrs. Bob Meek presided over the business.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the treasury report was given.

Founders Day will be April 22nd.

The service committee made their report.

The club will submit the names of Mrs. Myrtle Davis and Mrs. Gertrude Archer to the West Texas State University Women's Program Committee as entries for outstanding women of Hansford County.

Fire Chief, Charles Littlejohn gave a very interesting program on the K. I. D. S. program.

A nomination committee was appointed for next year's officers.

Members present at the meeting were Mesdames: Bob Meek, Ray Martin, Ed Zschiesche, Bob Hohertz, Bobby Archer, Dick Countiss, Jim Davis, Ed Dear, Don Floyd, Kent Guthrie, George Jackson,

Tom Latta, R. E. Lee, Bill Strawn and Joe T. Venneman.

Next meeting will be March 25th in the home of Mrs. Bob Meek with Mrs. James Kenney as co-hostess and Mrs. Jim Davis presenting the program.

Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peary were hosts for their bridge club Saturday, March 13th.

High score was held by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark, low was held by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers and the traveling prize was won by Roy Flowers.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by guests, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sheets and by members, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Mc Garraugh, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Peary.

Next meeting will be April 9th in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark.

Skating on ice is possible because the weight of the body melts the ice and the skater really is travelling on a film of water which freezes again as the weight is removed.

Laird Locke Retires

Laird V. Locke retired from Exxon Company, U. S. A., on March 1 with 30 years of service.

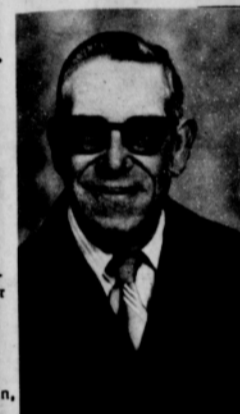
He was assigned to the position of operator and located in Spearman, Texas, which is a part of the Oklahoma City District, Midcontinent Production Division.

First joining Exxon Pipeline Company in Cisco, Texas, in 1946, he later transferred to Exxon USA production assignments in the Pembroke Field located near McCamey, Texas, and Ft. Chadbourne near Winters, Texas. He moved to Spearman in 1957.

His hometown is Moran, Texas.

A retirement dinner was recently held in his honor. The dinner was in Perryton.

LAIRD LOCKE



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Waka Church Plans Family Night

The Waka Church of the Brethren invites you to their "Family Night" on March 21, 1976, at 7:30 P. M.

The Spearman Music Club will present the program after which refreshments will be served to all.

Social Security

People can get a report of the earnings credited to their social security record free of charge by calling or writing any social security office, according to Howard L. Weatherly, social security branch manager in Pampa, Texas.

"You don't need to pay anyone to help you get a statement of your earnings," Weatherly said.

"Just ask any social security office for a 'Request for Statement of Earnings' post card. Fill in your name, address, date of birth, and social security number. Sign, stamp, and mail the card. Social Security will send you

a statement of earnings credited to your record free of charge."

Earnings credited to the worker's social security number build retirement, disability, survivors, and Medicare protection for workers and their families.

The amount of monthly social security payments is based on the worker's average earnings over a period of years.

The Social Security Administration is an agency of the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare. The Pampa social security is at 1541 North Hobart Street. The phone number is 689-3381.

Arts & Crafts Guild News

The Arts and Crafts Guild met Friday, March 12th in the home of Mrs. Bill Gandy.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Gandy to members, Mesdames: Garrett Allen, Deta Blodgett, F. J. Dally, Nolan Holt, F. J. Hoskins, P. A. Lyon, Joe Trayler and Ned Turner.

Next meeting will be March 19th in the home of Mrs. Clay Gibner.

Mrs. Clarence V. Jugh and her daughter, Jeannie Howard of Amarillo were recent overnight visitors in the home of their sister and aunt, Mrs. Helen Fisher. While here they also visited other relatives. The Howard's are being transferred to Mississippi.

Sandy Clements and children of Dumas were Sunday visitors in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Helen Fisher.

Mr. Monroe Buchanan has returned to Spearman from an extended stay in Alaska.

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5. CARROT Uniform Spacing, also will plant Lettuce, Turnip, Cabbage, Endive, Onions, Tomatoes, and other fine seeds.
6. BEETS 3 1/2" Spacing, also will plant Ostr. Swiss Chard.

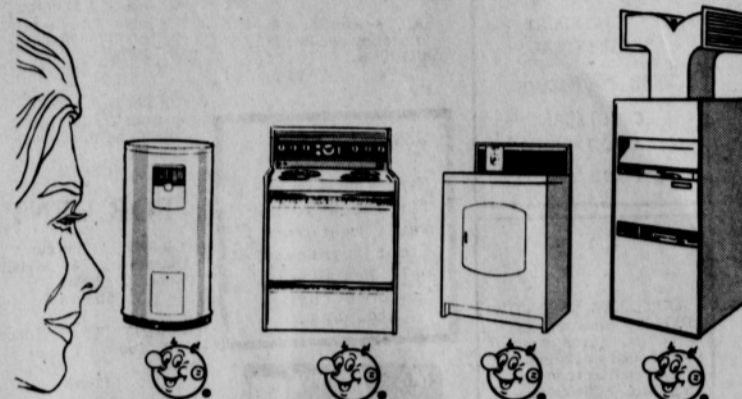
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