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Hansford Co. Library



## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

# Membership Drive Begins



EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATING CLASS, photo by C&B

Spearman's Chamber of Commerce will conduct a membership campaign next week, Gene Cudd, director advisor of the Membership and Finance Committee, announced this week.

The drive for new members and financial support will begin at 7 a. m. Thursday with a "kick-off breakfast" and orien-

tation of workers at Son's Restaurant.

Cudd said this week letters of invitation are being mailed to business firms and individuals who are not members of the chamber now. These businesses and individuals are being asked to invest in an organization that is working full time to create a better business climate and better living conditions.

Chamber members will make personal calls during the campaign.

## Memorial Day

### Services Thursday

Memorial Day Services will be held Thursday, May 30, in three cemeteries in Hansford County.

The services in the Gruver Cemetery will be at 9 a. m. Brother Lamson of Gruver will be the speaker.

The services in the Hansford Cemetery will begin at 10:30 a. m.

Flags will be placed on the graves of veterans during both services.

The Spearman VFW, the Gruver American Legion and Auxiliary are sponsoring the Memorial Day Services.

All day Memorial Day Services will be held at the Leib Cemetery near Morse Thursday. This annual affair begins with a basket lunch at noon. A program will be held in the afternoon. Rev. Harold Fleming of Morse will be the speaker. Mrs. Jim Womble of Morse, Mrs. R. L. Uptergrove of Spearman and Mrs. Ben Foster of Stinnett are serving on the program committee for the services.

Last week the directors of the chamber accepted a new budget of \$16,150. This included \$10,550 for administrative expense and activities and special funds of \$5,600.

Manager Earl Blankenship pointed out that a budget of this size would give the chamber funds to carry on the many activities needed to promote Spearman and the area.

Allen Searight, assistant director of the Texas Industrial Commission, and the industrial committee of the chamber will meet here June 19. The meeting is to discuss the feasibility of forming an industrial foundation for Spearman.

Such a foundation would work to secure industrial sites and have them available for sale to firms wanting to locate in this area.

Directors also discussed making a comparative study of the cost of living in Spearman and other towns. Also the buying habits of local people.

The board has invited Judge Johnnie Lee and Dr. D. E. Hackley to meet with the board to discuss the proposed home for senior citizens.

## 35 Teachers Are Rehired Here

Contracts of 35 Spearman school teachers were renewed and three new teachers were hired by the school board Tuesday night. Nine teachers are not returning next year and two are on unexpired two-year contracts.

Two-year contracts were extended to all teachers recommended and eligible for

such a contract. A teacher must be in the system two years before becoming eligible for the two-year contract.

After giving the contracts the board recommended that a study of the policy of giving two-year contracts be made and a policy of one-year extensions be considered after the expiration of contracts signed in 1963.

In action separate from the regular hiring of teachers the board extended Athletic Director Don Seymour's contract for two years at a salary of \$8,500 per year.

Teachers and the contract they received are: Mrs. Jack Crum 2; Dwain Summerville 2;

G. W. Robinson 2; Eula Goodall 2; Edwin Percy 1; John Hick-ey 1; Perry Coursey 2; James Pendergraft 2; Margie Alford 2; LaDwain Bowen 2; Fred Dawson 1; Charles Gill 2; Jerry Jackson 2; Wayne Jenkins 2; Barbara Patterson 2; Dorothy Roden 2; Hazel Simmons 2; Ann Sparks 1; Sam Watson 2; Dean Weese 2; Pat Wiens 1; Laura Lane 2; Dee Deere 2; Wilma Clark 2; Lois Hull 2; Thelma Vaughn 2; Mathilde Entrekin 2; Louise Archer 2; Fern West 2; Mikie Richeson 2; Ruth Whitson 2; Elva Lee Sheets 2; Dickie Robinson 2; Faye McKeown 1.

New teachers hired were assistant coaches Larry Dawson and Jerry D. Taylor. Norma Thorpe was hired as a commercial teacher.

Teachers who are not returning to Spearman this fall include Mrs. Tom Allen, who is retiring, Jerry Brace, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wheeler, Mrs. Quannah Rice, Mrs. Sally Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens and Mrs. Velma Roden.

Mrs. Charlie Theis and Mrs. Evalyn Fowler have one more year on two-year contracts.

Mrs. J. B. Higgins was hired as grade school lunchroom coordinator for nine and one-half

months per year. Her salary will be \$220 per month.

The purchase of furniture for the new home economics living room from Beedy Furniture was approved.

A policy of accepting only accredited summer school work and correspondence courses for high school and grade school was established.

## Tax Equalization Board June 24

The annual County Board of Tax Equalization will meet June 24, the County Commissioners decided Tuesday morning at their regular meeting.

As in past years the Commissioners Court will sit as the board of equalization. The session will open at 10 a. m. in the County Judge's office.

Prichard and Abbott was re-hired by the county to evaluate oil and gas properties for tax-ex.

The court also voted to donate \$300 to the Spearman Jaycees to help with the expenses of the annual county celebration.

## Officers Arrest Traveling Man

County law officers arrested a fugitive from Snider Tuesday.

Being held in jail here on a warrant from Snider is S. Nelson Adjutant. He was indicted in Snider for swindling with worthless checks.

City officers jailed two drunks and one traffic violation.

Adjutant was in Spearman gathering information for the city directory.



GRADUATION -- exercises Monday night saw 92 Spearman eighth graders complete their grade school careers. Shown at the program are (l-r) the Rev. Waid Griffin, Supt. James Bramlett, Principal J. D. McKeown, honor students Lynn Garnett, Melinda Pearson, Salutatorian David McClellan, Valedictorian Linda Spoonmore and Principal Alton Alford. C&B Photo

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## EDITORIALS

### Chamber Crisis

Is the Chamber of Commerce going to continue to work for Spearman's growth, or is it going to die of loneliness and non-support?

It seems that the only time many people here get interested in the Chamber of Commerce is when it is in danger of passing away. In the past four years the Chamber has been faced with two do or die situations. Now it is facing a third. The situation is-will enough firms and individuals pay their rightful amount of dues to keep the organization going.

At one time the minimum dues for membership as a business was set at \$60 per year. This minimum was set by businessmen who felt that any business that could not invest \$5 per month in helping Spearman grow was in such bad financial shape that future growth was of little concern to them. This minimum failed to hold because some firms refused to pay that much and like a starving man, the Chamber took baloney when it could not get steak.

This breach of the dues wall brought other refusals on the grounds: "He's just as able to pay full dues as I am and I'm not going to pay any more than he does." Therefore, the Chamber came up under-financed and like any under-financed business its work of trying to promote Spearman was seriously hampered.

In the first two times the Chamber was in danger, and we are told it has happened many times before, the gripe about the Chamber was that it was doing nothing. Many said they would come back with support when the Chamber went to work. It has gone to work and now some of the same ones who wanted work, are against the Chamber because it is trying to run the town, tell everyone how to run their business, spending too much money and asking everyone to do too much work.

The Chamber is starting its belated membership drive next week. The people of Spearman who want the town to grow and improve will have to make a decision. Are we going to continue using our time and money to try and make a better town and drag the backsliders along or are we going to sit down with the do-nothing group and watch the town stand still and go backwards like some want it to do?

### Gunfighters

Somewhere in Spearman or this area there are some people who do not know the days of shooting up towns for fun and excitement have passed into the television tubes. Even the movies have dropped the scenes from their standard scripts.

The people who are still doing the shooting may be old enough to remember when the cowboys shot up towns, for the damage being done is certainly not little boys with BB guns. Someone using .22 caliber and higher powered guns is shooting out mercury vapor street and alley lights in this area. Also, the firearms are being used on irrigation equipment and even tractors in the fields.

Electric company people have found .22 caliber and larger caliber slugs and hulls imbedded in buildings and lying on the ground around where light fixtures have been destroyed. At Waka a slug as large as a 30-30 or 30-06 was dug out of an elevator after it had passed through a fixture. At Gruver a .22 caliber bullet went into a bathroom of a home and recently in Spearman at 2 a. m. some mercury vapor lights were shot out and a glancing bullet was found beside a house.

These incidents are not the work of young kids who are just careless. Young kids are not out at 2 a. m., not do they have the automobiles that will let them escape from the area at high speeds. People who have heard the shooting in most cases have heard the cars leaving.

Maybe as parents or individuals you are not too concerned about having to pay a fine or cost of light fixtures if you are caught. However, how concerned will you be when and if one of those glancing slugs hits a person.



It Takes Work To Stay There

Other Editors'



Calm Opinions!

### Destroying Another Freedom

The Supreme Court ruled this week that cities and states do not have the legal right to remove "sit-in demonstrators" from privately owned places of businesses.

The Supreme Court, in a decision which may be as historic as the 1954 school desegregation case, overturned the convictions of sit-in demonstrators in five major cases.

Each of these demonstrators was a Negro. Each was fined \$1 and sentenced to 30 days in jail under a city ordinance making it an offense for any person to go or remain on the premises of another after being warned not to do so.

The Supreme Court, in a split decision, said that this was racial discrimination and could not be allowed under the Constitution.

The Supreme Court decision is being hailed in the liberal press as a victory for desegregation and as a blow for freedom of Negro citizens to enjoy the full rights of American citizenship.

Perhaps it is. We would not deny the Negro his full rights. But what about the rights of the private owner of property?

This Supreme Court decision says, in effect, that a proprietor of a store cannot call upon the city police or the state officers for help in removing unwanted persons from his store. The Supreme Court says that the cities and states do not have the legal right to pass or enforce laws that would make it an offense for any person to go or remain on the premises of another after being warned not to do so.

It then falls upon the proprietor to get unwanted persons out of his store the best way he can. If he is strong enough maybe he can throw them out by physical force. Maybe he can use a club or gun. The problem is his alone, under this decision.

The Supreme Court, in its eagerness to wipe out discrimination, left the door open to lawlessness. Suppose a group of unwashed white individuals entered Neiman Marcus Zodiac Room and demanded service. Their presence would certainly be offensive to most of the other customers of the Zodiac Room.

It would appear that the Neiman Marcus people would have the right to refuse service and ask that these individuals leave.

Not so, under this court decision. Neiman Marcus cannot discriminate. They must serve everyone that comes in. If there is a city ordinance against remaining on private premises after being asked to leave, it is unconstitutional and cannot be enforced.

Is it not constitutional for an owner of a business to be able to choose his customers? Cannot he sell to whom he pleases, and go broke in the process if he so decides?

The owner of the cafeteria in downtown Birmingham, Alabama, who decided to go along with the desegregation demanded by the Negro demonstrators, found that when he opened his place to Negroes, the whites stayed away and he was running an all-Negro cafeteria.

He then demanded a federal law, and federal marshal enforcement, to make white people come into his cafeteria and eat. Thus far he hasn't gotten this desire.

But the way things are going, it may not be long until he does.

Individual freedom is fast evaporating in this country.



### Cook-Out Honors Tommie White

In honor of Tommie White's birthday, a cook-out was held Sunday evening at the White home.

The group visited and played croquet.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Bob Parris, Bobby Archer, Ray Pracher and Mr. Don Roberson, D. A. Cator and Patty Pracher.

There will probably be many millions of words written concerning Senators Fullbright and Clark and their proposal for establishing a rubber stamp congress to nod approval of the President's actions.

It is a sickening and horrible thing to realize that some of our best educated and most powerful lawmakers in congress have such ideas. It would not be quite so bad if one did not realize that these men are elected by a majority in their states and more and more people look to the executive branch for action on all problems.

Just stop and think a few minutes about who it is that gets "cussed and discussed" everytime a national problem comes into the spotlight. During the Cuban goof-up, the wheat referendum, or any other federal problem did you hear one word about Walter Rogers, John Tower or Ralph Yarborough not doing anything or making the wrong decisions. No, all the talk was about Kennedy.

Our Constitution places most of the decision making in the hands of Congress. They have the power to keep the executive branch in control. A strong and working group of lawmakers that can think above getting re-elected can see to it that the President carries out the wishes of the majority.

In the past history of our gov-

ernment there have been great statesmen in the House and Senate who influenced the direction of the nation as much or more than the President. Today, there are few if any, besides Byrd of Virginia, that cause much commotion when they speak in the Senate. Who could name six representatives who have any great nationwide influence?

With this situation existing in Congress and a large percentage of our lawmakers just sitting on their thumbs or trying to get more federal pie for the folks at home, it is little wonder that many feel congress is outdated.

However, the answer to the problem is not in taking power away from Congress, but in electing men to the offices that will fight to keep the government in the hands of the people.

What we need is men or women who can look at the mistakes of the past in this country and the world and guide the nation away from these pitfalls. And the biggest pitfall that has been proved a failure the most often is one man rule.

### Shift to Free Market Needed

The nation's wheat farmers did not like the rigid control and high price support program they were offered, and they rejected it. Under the circumstances it seems that their dislike for the program must have been stronger than the voting percentage against it for many must have considered the choice one between two evils - bad program or no program.

In this case the wheat farmer may be likened to a person who is being lifted high in the air. He doesn't like it and demands to be dropped. It is too far to the ground. He wants to be let down easily.

Before the referendum was held administration campaigners were busy trying to convince the farmers that they had a choice of being lifted higher or dropped. There is disappointment now among the promoters of stricter controls of agriculture. Some of their reactions to the farm vote show a little vindictiveness. The typical theme is that the farmers have voted against a support program and that their wishes should be respected by leaving them without a program.

We doubt that the wheat farmers expressed a general wish for sudden abandonment of supports or to be left with nothing but the remaining plan of guarantees of \$1.25 a bushel for 1964 crop wheat for those who comply with voluntary acreage restrictions. Charles B. Shuman, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, expressed what probably is the opinion of many of the farmers who voted against the program offered them.

He saw a need for "some kind of transitional program to prevent dumping of surpluses on the market, take some land out of production and establish price supports somewhere in between where they are now and what they would be next year without any legislation. The government is responsible for this surplus, therefore the government should protect farmers during the period while it is being worked off until we get where we are going, which is back to the market system.

After the political meaning of the rejection of increased control of wheat farming is given due reflections in Washington, it is possible that both the administration and the Congress may be inclined to see the situation in that light.

There is danger to the nation's economy and political life in ever-increasing government controls. There also is danger to the economy and the political system in dumping the wheat farmers. What they need and what the country needs is a transition program by which a return to a free market system can be made.

# County Agent's Report

Isn't it amazing how well we bear up under other people's troubles.

## WATERING GRAIN SORGHUM

We are going into the grain sorghum season now and many of you will be watering heavily before too long. You might be interested in knowing how much water this crop used per day during the growing season and each stage of growth in the critical period. Below is a chart which explains this.

1. Planting to 7 leaf state about 30 days uses .1" per day.
2. 30 days to 70 days this includes the boot and bloom stage. Water used gradually increases from .1" to .35" per day in critical stage which is the boot and bloom stage.
3. From bloom to maturity the water used decreases from .35" to .1" per day.
4. After grain is mature and while drying for harvest the water use is about .075" per day.

Use this chart to determine when you should water and how much water to apply.

The chart below might be useful in knowing how much water you are applying. You will need to know approximately how many gallons your well is pumping, then divide the No. of acres irrigated per set into the acre inches per hour. This will give you the depth of water in inches applied to each acre in the set one hour.

Gallons Per Minute	Acre Inches Per Hour
450	1.00
500	1.12
550	1.23
600	1.34
650	1.45
700	1.56
750	1.67
800	1.79
850	1.90
900	2.01
950	2.12
1000	2.23

Divide acres irrigated per set into acre inches per hour that applies to your well. This will give you how much water will be applied to each acre in that setting.

Example:

800 gallon per minute well= 1.79 per inches per hour. 4 acres per setting 4 divided into 1.79=.45" inches applies to each of the 4 acres in one hour.

### PROGRAM BUILDING GROUP

The 70th study group of the Hansford County Program Building Committee will meet Tuesday, June 4 at 8:00 p. m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank in Spearman. This group will discuss the problems and opportunities of youth in the county.

The Agriculture study group will meet June 6 at 8:00 p. m. in the Community room of the First State Bank in Spearman. This group will discuss agricultural problems and opportunities in Hansford County.

### WHEAT STREAK MOSAIC

I sent in two more wheat samples recently and wheat streak mosaic symptoms were found. Robert W. Berry, area plant pathologist, said that both specimens looked like Wheat Streak Mosaic. The wheat was from Joe Novak and Robert Novak Farms.

Best way to control Mosaic is to plant late and keep your field and fences clean of volunteer wheat.

### MORSE BOY WINS HONOR

Allen McCloy, 4-H member from the Morse Jr. Leader 4-H Club, has won the State Fair Award of Honor. Allen will be honored at a banquet at the State

## Spearman Girl To Receive Degree

Among Baylor University students who received their bachelor of music education degree at spring commencement May 24 was Carol Ann Jarvis Jacobs of Spearman.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Woodville Jarvis of the Leib Community.

More than 650 students received degrees, including 571 bachelor degree; 23 bachelor of laws; 65 master degrees, four doctor of education degrees; and five doctor of philosophy degrees. Commencement ended Baylor's 118th year.

Speaker at graduation exercises was Ben Wooten, Baylor trustee of Dallas, who has long been active in church and civic work in Texas.

### THERE'S A DIFFERENCE

You can tell a man's nationality by watching him examine an auto. A Britisher looks at the upholstery, a German checks the engine, an Italian sounds the horn and an American starts right off arguing about the price, according to Parade magazine in the Star-Telegram.

From one pigeon of the old world known as the rock dove, man has developed more than 200 kinds of domestic pigeons, according to the Book of Knowledge.

Fair of Texas this fall. Allen submitted a 4-H record book of his accomplishments which won him this award.

### CONFUSING

Dana: "Why is your car painted red on one side and green on the other?"

Rickey: "It helps when I bump into someone's fender. You should hear the witnesses contradict each other!"

## Rebekah Lodge Meets May 24

The Rebekah Lodge met on Thursday, May 24 in the Lodge Hall. A short business meeting was held after which Lodge Deputy Jackie Hall held a school of instruction. The Lodge closed in form and refreshments were served. Those present were: Noble Grand, Dorothy Longley; Vice Grand, Cara Lee Frantz; Rec. Secty, Mary Tanner; Treas. Mildred Chamberlin; Pro. Tem Chaplin, Lou Ethel Ellsworth; Past N. Grand, Hazel Wilbanks; and Lodge Deputy, Jackie Hull. Hostesses for refreshments were Hazel Wilbanks, Gladys Richardson and Ethel Hester.

## Mrs. Hull Hosts HD Club May 24

The Spearman HD Club met Friday, May 24 in the home of Mrs. Virgil Hull. President Mrs. W. A. Ellsworth presided over the meeting. Lula Deck gave the devotional and roll call was answered by "A Teacher You Remember and Why". Mrs. Richard Reimund gave the program titled, "Health and Personality of Your Child". Attending were Mmes. Richard Shedeck, W. H. Tarbox, Carl Hughes, B. J. Garnett, Lula Deck, Claude Jackson, Richard Reimund, one visitor, Mrs. Dick Barnes, and hostess Mrs. Virgil Hull.

### TEACHER REQUIREMENT

All but seven states in the United States require a bachelor's degree for elementary school teachers.

## HOLT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jenkins and Kathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kirk spent the weekend in Ft. Worth. Phil attended a Mason meeting, then on Sunday morning they all attended the Commencement Exercises at the Masonic Girls College in Ft. Worth.

Mmes. Birda Holt, Bertha Jenkins, Olive Pendergraft and Maude Rosson were Friday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lambert at Sneed Camp. The Lamberts are moving to Crane soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Lamb and children of Post were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb of Spearman. The Ervin Lambs are moving to Springer, N. M.

Mrs. B. C. Holt, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holt and Susan attended the commencement exercises of Hazel Holt at WTSC Sunday at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gaines of LaVeme, Okla. were Saturday night guests of the Richard Gaines.

Mrs. Ceril Batton recently visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Sims and family at Altus, Okla. Mrs. Batton attended the graduation exercises of her granddaughter, Marilyn while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis were Sunday guests of the Norman Swinks at Perryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Chisum and Danny of Stinnett were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson.

Mildred Chamberlain of Spearman was Sunday night guest of Mrs. Bertha Jenkins.

## Summer Art Class To Be Held

Mrs. Willis Sheets announced this week that she will have summer art classes on Tuesday nights at 7:00 p. m. in the old City Hall building. There is room in the classes for beginners. Anyone interested may contact Mrs. Sheets.

### LIGHTNING CALCULATOR

The first astronomer to come close to estimating the speed of light was a Dane named Ole Roemer, working in Paris nearly three hundred years ago. Roemer calculated, in 1676, that light travels at the rate of approximately 192,000 miles per second. Recent experiments pinpoint it at 186,270 miles a second.

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## McLean Rodeo Begins Wednesday, June 5

McLean kicks off its annual 66 Roundup Rodeo and Horse Show celebration next Wednesday afternoon, June 5, for a four-day run.

Festivities open at 4 p.m. Wednesday with a parade through the city, featuring riding clubs from all across the Panhandle, then continues through the following Saturday.

In addition to the parade, the Old Settlers Reunion is to be held Wednesday, with registration at Lovett Memorial Library.

The rodeo, which lays claim to being the best amateur rodeo in the Panhandle, begins Wednesday night and will be held nightly through Saturday, starting at 8 p.m.

## Football Parents Organize Club

Approximately 28 families of high school football players met in Womble Park Friday May 24 for a picnic and discussion of the coming football season. The parents present decided to organize a Football Parents Club. Meetings will be held once a month to view films of previous games and to have discussions with the coaches. Officers elected were President-Dean Clement, Vice-President-Ott Crawford, Secretary-Ruth Morris, Treasurer-Joe Cochran. Officers are to be assisted by Coaches Don Seymour and Fred Dawson.

The first meeting of the new club will be June 17 at 8:00 p.m. in the Home Demonstration Clubroom. All parents with boys on high school teams are urged to attend.

## Morse Community Organize Program For 1964

In a Junior Leader's 4-H club meeting last week in the Morse Community Building, the Community Improvement Program for 1963 was organized. The following committee chairmen were selected; Mrs. Earl Henderson-Health & Safety; Gene Brothers-Ways & Means, also Telephone; Willard McCloy-Park; Mrs. Dixon-Clean-up; Mrs. M. W. McCloy-Education; Robin Giblin-Gas; Mrs. H. B. Parks-Rural Directory and Publicity; Mrs. Wilson McCloy-Religious. Chairmen are to select other members for their committee, and notify the publicity chairman of their goals by July 1st.

The Junior Leader's Club decided to recommend to the other community organizations that the \$100 prize money for first place in the 1963 Community Improvement Contest be divided with \$50 going to the Park Fund and \$50 to the Community Building Fund.

New members present for the meeting were Judy Reiswig and Don Kelly, Bobby Womble, Alva Henderson, Mary Lanners, Philip Flemming, Doug McCloy, Peggy Giblin and Danny Womble are also new members but were not present.

Cowboys will be competing in two go-rounds for a total purse of \$2,400, plus a \$225 trophy saddle to each event winner.

The events, with a purse of \$400 in each, include saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping heading and heeling and bull-dogging.

There also will be a girls barrel race. Contestants will vie for a \$15 jackpot, plus awards to the three top riders.

Stock contractor for the rodeo is Ratjen Brothers Rodeo Co. of Happy, Texas. Rodeo announcer will be Nat Flemming of Wichita Falls, and the clown will be Richard Walters of Amarillo.

An AQHA-approved horse show and cutting horse contest are scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday, June 8, and an old fiddler's contest will be held at 2 p.m. the same day.

Dancing is planned in the American Legion Hall all four nights.

## BOWLING BEAT

### PIN BENDERS LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Lee Oil	79½	60½
Lyon Insurance	79½	60½
McClellan Grain	75½	64½
Bowl Mor	73	67
Gruver Motors	69	71
First State Bank	65	75
The Malls	60	80
Wagon Wheel	58½	81½

### HIGH TEAM SERIES

Lee Oil	1375
Lyon Insurance	1333
McClellan Grain	1314

### HIGH TEAM GAME

Lyon Insurance	488
Lee Oil	482
McClellan Grain	467

### HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES

Buena Lyon	537
Velma Sanders	477
Evelyn Kingsley	475

### HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME

Buena Lyon	207
Velma Sanders	194
Gwen Smith	190

This ends the season's play for Pin Benders League. The tie for first place between Lyon Insurance and Lee Oil Co. will be played off as soon as a time can be set.

The following prizes have been awarded: Third place team, McClellan Grain; Individual Series, First Place-Buena Lyon-588, Second Place-Lois Pearson-545; Third Place-Anne Sanders-529; Individual Game, First-Buena Lyon-235; Third-Lou Chapman-204; High Team Series-Bowl Mor-1468; Low Man Series-Ruth Skinner-287; Most improved average-Helen Shapley-7 pins.

Lyon Insurance and Lee Oil Co. bowled off the tie for 1st place Tuesday morning. Lyon Insurance won 1st place and Lee Oil 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl McClellan, Linda Vanderburg and Jim Davis were in Memphis Sunday where they visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis. Other visitors in the Davis home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis, Sharlu, Teri, Carl Pat and Danny of Gainesville.

## Rho Rho Group Has Installation

Rho Rho Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. Charles Habberthur May 23.

Mrs. Joel Lackey, president, presided at the business session. Officers installed for the new year were President-Mrs. Don Floyd, Vice-President-Mrs. Burl McClellan, Secretary-Mrs. Louis Schnell, Treasurer-Mrs. Jett Mason, Corresponding Secretary-Mrs. Ken Conrey.

Two programs were given at this meeting. Mrs. Burl McClellan's topic was "The Art of Living" and Mrs. Bobby Nollner's topic was "Amateur." This was the last regular meeting of the year.

Attending were Mmes. Joel Lackey, Don Floyd, Burl McClellan, Jim Fox, Lawrence Brown, Louis Schnell, Jimmie Crawford, Bobby Nollner, Bill Harris, Lee Niemeyer, Brad Beedy, Sonny Windom, Leo Fields, Edward Dear, Kenneth Conrey and the hostess.

### ACADEMIC DRESS

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### JUST A MINUTE

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At the close of 1962 there

## Enlistment Meeting Held May 22

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There were twelve members and one guest attending.

were nationally almost 15 million people receiving about a billion dollars a month in old-age, survivors, and disability insurance benefits.

## Cards of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to our many friends who expressed their sympathy through calls, cards, flowers and other ways at the death of our husband and father. May God bless each of you.

Sue and Paula Howard

I want to thank everyone for the cards, visits, flowers, gifts and many kind deeds that were bestowed upon me while I was in the Hansford Hospital, St. Anthony Hospital, and since my return home. Special thanks to Dr. Gregg and the nurses. Your kindness will always be remembered.

Mrs. Thelma Scott



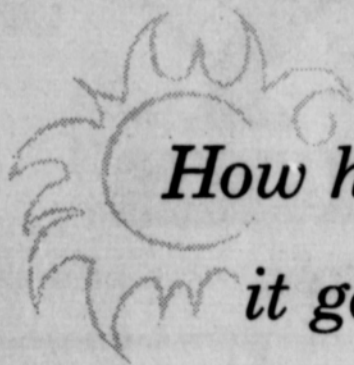
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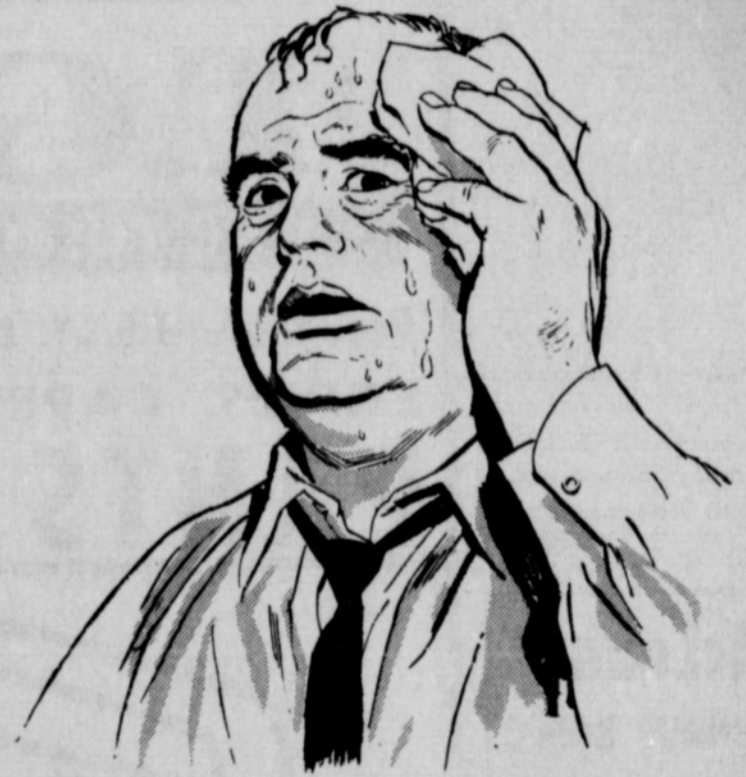
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Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Thursday Fast and Prayer Service  
9:30 ..... 3:00

Thursday Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
**Assembly of God Church**  
Rev. Vance Barker, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
Rev. Luther M. Berry, Pastor  
Morning Service ..... 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Evening Prayer Hour 7:30  
Wed. Choir Rehearsal ..... 8:45 p.m.

**Fellowship Baptist Church**  
W. S. Herring, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Preaching Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

**First Christian Church**  
Rev. W. Graham Pugh, Minister  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Meetings ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Choir Practice ..... 7:30 p.m.

**Church of Christ**  
Glen Crowe, Minister  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Wed. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

**Pentecostal Church**  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
5th & Hazelwood

**Union Full Gospel Church**  
Rev. George R. Bollinger, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Bible Classes, Sunday - 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

**First Methodist Church**  
Brother J. Wald Griffin, Minister  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
M. Y. T. ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Women's Society of Christian  
Service Wednesday ..... 3:00 p.m.  
Choir Rehearsal ..... 7:30 p.m.

**First United Presbyterian Church**  
Home Demonstration Club Room  
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Sunday Church School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Adult Class meets at  
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Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Study Group ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Meeting in homes of members  
as announced  
Wed. Choir Practice ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Meets in home of members  
as announced

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church**  
Father Edward Kieran  
Sundays ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Catechism Classes ..... 11 a.m.  
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Mon., Tues., Fri. Sat. - 8:00 a.m.  
Holy Days of Obligation 7:30 a.m.  
First Friday of Month ..... 7 a.m.

**Oslo Lutheran Church**  
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Robert L. Cordes, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
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**Art Show**

**June 1st**

Faye Bell of 307 West Fourth Street, Liberal, Kansas, is scheduled to show her paintings in the Art Gallery of the No Man's Land Historical Museum beginning June 1, and continuing throughout the month. Mrs. Bell has studied with Mrs. Jean Vanderwork of Adrian, Texas, Lloyd Angle of Liberal, Dord Fitz of Amar-

illo, and Leon Smith of New York City. She has exhibited in Liberal, Hooker, the Fitz Gallery in Amarillo, and the Burr Gallery in New York City. The current show will include portraits, abstracts, realistics, and some wood sculpturing.

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There are two Hansford County residents who are receiving degrees from Texas Christian University at Fort Worth, Wednesday evening, May 29. There will be approximately 640 students graduating.

John Tucker Cluck of Gruver, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cluck is a candidate to receive a B. S.

degree in finance. Mary Francis Vernon of Spearman is a candidate to receive a B. S. degree in office administration. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Vernon of Spearman.

The university will confer more degrees this spring than it did during the entire first 48 years of its history. From 1873, when it was founded as "AddRan Male and Female College" at Thorp Spring, through the school year of 1920, the university conferred 597 de-

grees. Dr. Harry H. Ransom, chancellor of the University of Texas, will give the commencement address and receive an honorary LL. D. degree.

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**CUT RATE GROCERY**



Mr. and Mrs. Andy Gorman of Boise City, former residents of Spearman, visited over the weekend with Mrs. W. L. Mackie.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Snider and children visited with her mother, Mrs. George Heaton at Briscoe Sunday.

WAITING—for the opening of the local swimming pool are (upper photo) Sharion Close (left) and Phyllis Patterson. They watch as James McElreath (left) and Ardell Black give the pool a coat of paint in preparation for the opening. In the hot summer sun, (lower photo) the girls share a refreshing cold drink with their friends, the painters. Pool manager Sam Watson said this week that the pool will open about June first.

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**Leroy Mitchell**

**Weds Miss Phillips**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phillips of Friona announce the marriage of their daughter, Marian June to Leroy Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Mitchell of Gruver.

The ceremony was performed May 2 in the Mitchell home in Gruver with Rev. A. G. Purvis officiating. The bride wore a two piece white dress.

The bride is a spring graduate of Friona High School. The groom attended Gruver schools. The couple is now at home in Gruver where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mullins and Margaret and Mrs. Mullin's mother, Mrs. C. H. White of Ponca City, went to Goodwell Monday to attend the graduation exercises at A&M. Their son Roger received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in English and was also commissioned a 2nd Lt. and was one of five to be honored as Distinguished Military Graduates.

Among the Spearman residents attending the funeral of Mrs. Nancy White, mother of Kiff White, in Miami Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Allen, Mrs. Mabel Edwards and Mrs. W. A. Ellsworth.

Mrs. Hall Jones returned last week from a two weeks stay in N. M. where she visited her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Flaherty at Aztec and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Windom in Albuquerque. Her mother, Mrs. B. J. Winger of Ulysses, Kansas accompanied her on the trip.

**Miss Novak Honored At Bridal Shower**

Mary Ellen Novak, bride-elect of Keith Chesser of Gruver, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday May 18 in the

country home of Mrs. J. R. Morris, west of Gruver. Hostesses were Mmes. B. W. Renner, Oscar Lee, D. Perkins, Rod Washburn, H. O. Bateman, Pauline Winger, D. G. Cluck, Roy Riley, L. A. Williams, Coleman Green, Joyce Duncan, I. W. Ayers, Pike Cluck, Weldon Green and J. R. Morris.

The serving table was laid with a cutwork linen cloth centered with a 3 tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. Crystal and silver appointments completed the setting. Presiding at the table was Pam Cooksey. The honoree was presented with a corsage of white carnations highlighted with wedding bells. The groom-to-be's mother, Mrs. Karl Morstain of Gruver and the honoree's mother, Mrs. Robert Novak were presented white carnation corsages.

Approximately 50 attended and many sent gifts who were unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sheets went to College Station last week and brought back their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Perry Sheets and daughter Carolyn who are visiting in their home and in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Novak. Mrs. Perry Sheets will graduate with the 1963 class of Spearman High School. Her husband will arrive Friday to be present at the wedding of his sister-in-law, Miss Mary Ellen Novak to Keith Chesser, which will be held Saturday morning at the Methodist Church.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Patients in Hansford Hospital this week are Deana Barnes, Lester George, Edith Dessaint, Luke Tatum, Cloy Walker, James Hollar, Jenna V. Ownbey, Violet Hornsby, Hix Wilbanks.

Dismissed were Myrtle Blodgett, Maurine Etling, Mary Allen, Dorcas Collard, Charlotte Harris, Noel Keith, Lolly Jennings, Judy McBride, Lilly Mae Chase and E. R. Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Keys left Tuesday for Oklahoma to spend Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Remy left Tuesday afternoon for Tulsa where they will visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kendrick and daughters. Tim Lackey rode as far as Hennessey enroute to Enid to spend some time with his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mullins and sons and Mrs. C. W. White, mother of Mrs. Oscar Mullins, all of Ponca City, spent the weekend with the Mullins. Mrs. White stayed for the graduation of Roger Mullins from Panhandle A&M Monday and for the graduation of Margaret Mullins from SHS Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Barker and Vic went to Crowell Friday to attend the graduation of his brother from Crowell High School.

Mrs. Geneva Caldwell, Mrs. Marella Taylor and Mrs. Ann Caldwell went to Canyon Friday to bring Marilyn Caldwell home, Marilyn and her mother both attend school in Canyon.

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# THE MORSE CODE

Memorial Day services will be held at the Leib cemetery Thursday. This is an annual event with a basket dinner being served at noon and a program held in the afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Womble of Morse, Mrs. Ben Foster of Stinnett and Mrs. R. L. Uptergrove of Spearman are serving on the program committee. Rev. Harold Fleming of the Morse Community Church will be the speaker.

James Murphrey, landscape specialist from Amarillo, met with members of the Morse Community Park committee Tuesday at the Community building. Purpose of the meeting was to draw final plans for the Community park that has recently been started as one of the Community Improvement projects.

The plan was drawn to cover a three year period. The park committee anticipates completion of the project within that time.

Morse Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Roy Roper Thursday afternoon. Foods III class of 4-H taught by Mrs. Roper presented a demonstration on "Barbeque Chicken." Members of this class present were Jan Roper, Suzanne Dixon and Sylvia Parks.

Mrs. H. B. Parks gave the program topic "A Healthy Personality for your Child."

The club discussed a portion of the Community Park for a project, but due to the small number of members present, tabled the matter until the June meeting.

Mrs. Jack Johnson was elected as the Morse club nominee to the state convention.

Morse Lion's club met at the Morse Cafe for a breakfast Thursday morning. This will be the final meeting until fall.

The Lion's club discussed the

plans for the Community park and voted to contribute \$150 to the park fund.

A Dollar-A-Month club has been organized in the Morse Community. Purpose of this club is to maintain and improve the Community building. This fund will be administered by the Board of Directors of the Community building.

Each person wishing to join will sign checks for \$1.00, one payable each month.

Socials will be given for members. Membership cards or pins will be distributed later.

Anyone desiring to join this club should contact Gene Brothers at the Morse Equity.

Grant and Linda Miner and family are vacationing in California. They left the day school was out and plan to be gone about two weeks.

Mack Dorth, Dean Leib, H. B. and Wade Parks, Earl and Alva Henderson spent the weekend fishing near Elk City, Okla.

The father of Mrs. Willard McCloy, Mr. Ferguson, is in critical condition again in a hospital in Truth or Consequences, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. McCloy left Friday to be with Mr. Ferguson.

The Junior Leader's 4-H members plan to attend church together this next Sunday night. A committee met with the chairman of the Church Participation committee, Mrs. Wilson McCloy, and selected the Baptist church to attend. All 4-H members, both of the Junior Leader's and Morse Community clubs, are urged to meet at 7:50 p. m. in front of the Baptist church Sunday night, June 2.

This is in connection with National 4-H Sunday and is one of the goals adopted by the Church Participation committee in connection with the Community Improvement program.



BEN UPCHURCH- (left) receiving a 20 year service pin from L. Duane Bartee, Area Conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service. -Photo by Wayne Chapman

## Local SCS Employee Completes 20 Years

Ben Upchurch, technician with the Spearman Soil Conservation Service was honored with a surprise dinner Saturday night.

The dinner was given by the local Soil Conservation District in behalf of the many Hansford County farmers and ranchers assisted by Upchurch. Glendon Etling, Chairman of the SCD in presenting an engraved watch stated he spoke for all the SCD's Cooperating Farmers and Ranchers in thanking Ben for his long and excellent service.

Attending the dinner at Sutherland's Bar-B-Q in Phillips were: SCD Supervisors-Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Etling, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mr. R. V. Converse; Dallasene Reynolds, SCD Cler. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kinsley; SCS Employees-Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson, and Mr. and Mrs. John McAlister.

Wayne Chapman, Ben's immediate supervisor read a Letter of Commendation, which expressed the Soil Conservation Service appreciation. Duane Bartee, Area Conservationist presented Ben his 20 year Service Pin at Pampa last week. Ben moved to Spearman in

1948 from Dumas. He began his work with the Department of Agriculture in 1943. He and his wife Marion are both active in Scouting. Ben is also coaching a little league team this season.

The Upchurch team also includes Cary Ray 9, Glenda Ann 12, Keith 11, and Gail 14. Gail is graduating from the eighth grade this year.

## Gruver News

The Gruver Co-operative Kindergarten, under the direction of Mrs. Bill Duncan, recently completed another school term. The group celebrated the final day by having a picnic. The following mothers, Mmes. Spradlin, Warren Hart, Don Hart, Sonnie Riley, Smith, and Billy Byrd served the picnic lunch.

The 1st grade celebrated the final day of school by traveling via school bus down to the library and touring it.

The swimming pool is now open. Hours are 2-4 p. m. and 7-9 p. m. It is closed all day Wednesday. James Dorman and Bill Duncan are in charge.

The eighth grade class went bowling in Guymon after graduation. Sponsors were Messrs. and Mmes. Alfred White, True Leatherman, Truman Hindergardt, C. C. Heath, Jr., J. B. Martin, Aubrey Rasor, Hack Johnson, and Mr. Vance Morris and Mr. Bort.

Mrs. John Bishop has returned home from Canyon where she has been with her mother who is in ill health.

## Party Honors Mrs. Wheeler

A farewell coffee in the home of Mrs. Edward Dear honored Mrs. W. W. Wheeler Saturday, May 25.

Mrs. Wheeler and her family will move to Kelton soon where they have bought a farm and where Mr. Wheeler will teach.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mrs. Dear and Mrs. Travis Davis.

Attending were Mmes. Beverly Sparks, Deloris Healer, Barbara Pendergraft, Martha Latham, Betty Brown, Nan Ballinger, Thelma Vaughn, Lois Hull, Wilma Clark, Nickie Cotter, Helen Yeary and the hostesses, Pat Dear and Elvira Davis.

## Housewarming For Mrs. Harper

A housewarming Friday, May 24 at 1015 S. Bernice, honored Mrs. Carroll Harper.

Hostesses for the occasion were Gertrude Jones, Mary Kathryn Parris, Pat Francis, Betty Hazelwood and Girtha Gamble.

Each guest brought a gift for the new home which the Harpers have just moved into.

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Refreshments were served to Mert Bohanan, Jean Close, Ann Stone, Ola Sparks, Lucile Lewis, Helen Etter, Leona King, Ann Atchison, Frances Woods, Marguerite Nelson Ann Fullbright, Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Borger and several others sent gifts who were unable to attend.

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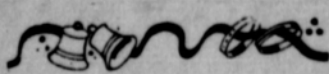
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