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Airport, Police Chief items occupy council

Spearman City Council took action on two priority items during a marathon session Tuesday, June 28, in City Hall, initiating action authorizing the city engineer, L. D. Burns, to begin work on plans for the Spearman Municipal Airport and beginning negotiations with one of five applicants considered for the position of Spearman Chief of Police.

Completing an executive session of five hours duration during which the applicants were interviewed and their qualifications discussed at length, Council moved to

begin negotiations with Steve Wisniewski of Albuquerque, N. M.

Among the qualifications presented for consideration by him was the fact that he is with the New Mexico State Police.

Council voted to withdraw an application for an airport planning grant and to have City Engineer L. D. Burns begin immediate work on an airport plan for the Spearman Municipal Airport.

Council began the session at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday and just about exactly six hours later had concluded the agenda for that session.

Jim Brown represented the Chamber of Commerce in this presentation of the framed "first dollar" to Jerry Younger, one of the owners of J&D Industrial Engine Service at 222 N. Bernice.



BULLETIN - Curly Hall was named as the Lion of the year at the annual ladies night banquet held in Spearman Tues. Details in Sunday's paper.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1977

What's his handicap? 2 Spearman boys Eagle scouts



Little Gerald Zane Hamilton, newly arrived son of Bill and Sharon Hamilton, doesn't appear to be enjoying mamma's efforts to arouse him. Sharon is employed at the Chamber of Commerce office and new proud papa, Bill, is the Golf Coach at the high school. We have been informed that small Gerald Zane hasn't received his golf clubs, yet, but that he does already claim possession of a football, baseball, and a glove. The golf clubs probably won't be long in coming.

Two Spearman High School students, Roger Keith Kennard, 15, and Scott Sherwood, 17, were honored as Eagle Scouts in ceremonies Tuesday night in connection with the Spearman Lions Club annual Ladies Night activities at the First United Methodist Church in Spearman.

Both are members of Boy Scout Troop No. 551 of Spearman which is sponsored by the Lions Club and each received the Eagle Scout pin from Scoutmaster Bob Farr who has taken over troop leader duties following the retirement of Harry Stumpf, the longtime troop leader.

Kennard is the son of LoVell Kennard of 210 S. Roland and Sherwood is the

son of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Sherwood of 701 Cotter Drive Kennard's father is a Spearman Police Officer and Sherwood's father is athletic director and head football coach for Spearman High School.

Both Eagle Scouts are juniors in SHS when school takes in this fall.

Sherwood was a member of troops in Liberal, Kan., and Dalhart, Kermit and Vega, Texas., before joining the Spearman troop.

Sherwood, active in church work as a member of the Church of Christ, combines his Boy Scout efforts and such other endeavors as active membership in the Fel-

lowship of Christian Athletes, getting involved in vocational agriculture projects such as showing a calf in the annual livestock show in 1975, 1976 and this year and placing in his class each time, as well as, in season, competing in school athletic team programs.

Quarterbacking the Lynx got him an Honorable Mention as a member of the All-District IAA Football Team, some recognition as a member of the Lynx basketball team and donning the spiked shoes for track events. In the latter, he ran the 100-yd., high hurdles and as an anchorman for the spirit relay team.

He has been voted Sophomore Class Favorite and Spanish Club Favorite.

Sherwood is the grandson of Mrs. Helen Sherwood and Mrs. Leta Skaggs, both of Panhandle.

Kennard, when not involved in Boy Scout duties, he has 27 merit badges to his credit, works for his father, helping maintain the family business enterprises, working with a Ft. Collins, Colo., wheat firm and as a ranch hand.

When he was has the time, Kennard manages to get in some fishing and hunting as a part of his camping pursuits and does a bit of bowling. But he didn't

divulge his scores.

A special honor for him will be the presence of his grandmother, Mrs. Alma Kennard of Spearman, when her grandson received his Eagle Scout pin.

Hospital News

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Fannie Hand, Ross Bull, Gordon Parrish, Raymond Sparks, Joel Lowes, Lynn Deen and Mari West.

Dismissed were Cecil Ralston, Bill Hutton, Gloria Tucker and daughter, Clydean Bolin and Quinn Underwood.

Commission meets

Meeting in regular session at 10 a. m. Monday, June 27, in the County Courthouse in Spearman, Commissioners Court of Hansford County acted on several agenda items.

The County will purchase a postage meter for \$733 to be used by the County.

Commissioners also approved weighers bonds for Wayne T. White and Kermit McKee.

Payments of claims was authorized.

The treasurer's report was received.

Commissioners also took under consideration as an item in the forthcoming budget a request for an assistant district attorney and secretary with Hansford County to pay 20 per cent or \$7,000 of the total cost with Hutchins County paying the other 80 per cent.

Happy days are here



These ladies appear to be enjoying themselves. They're actually "tendin' the store" for the Rho Rho fireworks stand in front of Horizon Oil on the Borger Highway.

County a leader in feeding cattle

The most recent fed cattle production information released by Southwestern Public Service Co. for its service area shows some important business statistics about Spearman, Gruver, and Hansford County.

For example, in the area covered by SPS, Hansford County is third in the number of fed cattle, ranking behind Deaf Smith and Castro in Texas and Texas County in Oklahoma.

Hansford County also ranks in the first six of the 34 counties in the SPS service area with seven cattle feed-

lots listed although one was shown as having no production last year.

Hansford County was third in the number of cattle fed last year, 300,000, with lot capacity as of the March 1, 1977, issue date of the information about 142,500 head. Deaf Smith and Castro were the only two counties of the 34 served by SPS to rank ahead of Hansford County in the number of cattle fed in 1976 and lot capacity as of the March 1 issue date.

Closest packing plants to Hansford County are the Swift Fresh Meat Co. in

Cactus with an annual slaughter capacity of 520,000 head and the Caviness Packing Plant at Dalhart with annual slaughter capacity of 95,000 head.

Markets

Wheat	\$2.07
Milo	\$3.00
Corn	\$2.02

Post Office to close July 4

The Spearman Post Office will be closed July 4, in observance of Independence Day. There will be no collections, deliveries or boxing of mail on this widely observed holiday.

In order to afford all Postal employees and Star Route contractors the opportunity to observe this holiday, there will be no in-coming or outgoing mail service.

Regular mail service will resume on July 5.

It's that time of the year again, when explosive bangs and hissing sounds of fire works can be heard in just about every neighborhood around town. This is a wonderful time of the year for the youngsters and an enjoyable time for the young at heart. The "little people" will enjoy the loud firecrackers and the Roman Candles while mom and dad prepare for the week-end activities, including the picnic and backyard bar-b-que.

The mothers and grandmothers will be busily preparing deviled-eggs and potato salad, etc., once again exhibiting the fact that mom's work is never done, but this time they'll work hurriedly and with pleasure, for this is a time that even the ladies derive delight from the relaxed activities of their loved ones.

Dad will enjoy this weekend, with a glass of lemonade or ice tea, and maybe forget, temporarily, the pressures of work and the worries of home. Some will be hooking up the boat and trailer for a trip to the lake, while others will be firing up the old bar-b-que pit.

But probably the happiest of all on this day of noise and color will be the youngsters. Out of all holidays, the 4th of July runs a close second only to Christmas to the little people. School is out, the happy days of summer are here, and even the adults are having fun. This can only

add to the pleasure of the kids. They'll run around in the dark for a week twirling their sparklers and shooting off their small fireworks, but nothing imaginable can compare in this world with the sparkle in the little fellow's or little ladies eye, when the big fireworks begin to go off.

Here's a wish from Spearman Reporter to have the most enjoyable 4th ever, and that everyone of you wake up on the 5th safe and sound.

Just because Texans produce more goods doesn't mean Texans have to produce more accidents.



Tops in cattle.
Tops in oil.
Tops in cotton.
Texans, in fact, are some of the most productive individuals in this country. We produce more sheep and lambs than anyone. Texans have more goats. More grain. The most mineral production. We are the leading producer of helium. We produce the most crushed stone, the most salt, the most sulphur, the most watermelons. We are second in the nation in the production of rice. We even rank third in portland cement production, fourth in wholesale and retail sales, and fourth in the value of our manufacturing. Texans are busy and Texas is booming. **Crashes in the big boom.** And while Texans are

spending long hours on the road to success, Texans are also spending long hours on the road. This big, booming state has more total street, highway and Interstate mileage than any other state in the nation. Some eight million Texas drivers are driving nine million motor vehicles over ninety billion miles a year. Sadly, too many of these Texans don't finish their journeys. In 1976, for example, while most Texans were busy making Texas productive, 3,230 of us didn't make it at all. That's how many Texans lost their lives on Texas highways. That's one person killed every 2 1/2 hours. That's 3.5 deaths for ev-

ery 100 million vehicle miles traveled. **That's a shame.** It's a shame that, although Texas traffic fatalities are at the lowest level in our history, Texas is still above the national average. It's a shame that Texans aren't taking greater pride in their own worth and their own lives. It's a shame that Texans aren't more careful. Please. Be proud. Be careful. Help us keep the roads to success safe. For your sake.



Texas Office of Traffic Safety

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Philanthropy Has Many Dimensions. Rodney Is One Of Them

The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation has plans for you. You can help you save dollars while you help save children's lives. Children like Rodney, who are born with the incurable disease cystic fibrosis, are depending on your help - for their hope. You can become a philanthropist and a lifesaver, through personal financial planning guidance available through the CF Foundation. Let us show you how to plan a lifetime income with accompanying tax advantages. For details, call your local Cystic Fibrosis Chapter, or contact: Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, 2379 Peachtree Road, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30326, (404) 262-1100, ext. 50.

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 305-rtn

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 Sec. Cecil Biggers
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 31-rtn

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Miscellaneous FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Sears bicycle exerciser \$50.00. Call 659-2848.
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FOR SALE: Headache rack to fit 67 General motors pick-up. After 5, 659-3550.
 30-rtn
 Rawleigh Vanilla Sale, Janie Kunselmann, 659-2631.
 27-rtn

FOR SALE: Zenith color TV \$250.00. Call 659-2410.
 32-rtn

FOR SALE: 13 ft. Camper trailer, 311 Townsend, 659-2000 or 659-3668.
 33-2tr

GARAGE SALE: In our Car Port, Friday and Saturday, July 1st and 2nd. Many items, a 6' pool table, 5' air hockey table, clarinet, clothing, and miscellaneous. 306 Garrett, Gruver.
 33-1tr

SALE: Household goods, knickknacks, appliances and furniture. Priced to sell. Friday, July 1 and Saturday, July 2. 214 S. Dressen.
 33-1tr

GARAGE SALE: Friday, 9 till 6, Saturday, 9 till 11. Boy Scout Hall, back of Community Building.
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FOR SALE: 1973 LC350 Honda Cycle. Like new. Sofa three tables. Good condition. Call 659-3278 after 5 p.m.
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Real Estate For Sale

HANSFORD HILLS
 2 1/2 acres or 5 acres, restricted home sites available for building now. Located on Hiway 15.
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 32-rtn

Buildings and Lots Downtown Gruver. Also home for sale. Call 733-2136. If no answer ask for Norma Swink at G & G Foodliner.
 29-rtn

Country Living, Every Convenience. Three acres with four bedroom brick house with all the extras four miles from of Spearman. Call Bonnie Batman Real Estate 806-935-5038, Dumas, Texas.
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FOR SALE: Fully carpeted 3 bedroom home, 1 bath, utility, lots of storage. Call 806-733-2336, Gruver.
 30-rtn

FOR SALE: 320 A with 1/4 Minerals. One mile east of Spearman. Water Potentials, Underground water lines. Call 806-353-5240 Amarillo.
 31S-4tr

OFFERED BY: Emmett R. Sanders Realtor
 Price cut 10% for 3 bed room, 2 bath home, den & office, nice carpets, paneling, E. Kenneth St.
 Older 3 bedroom house with basement on 2 lots.
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FOR SALE: Two new 3 bedroom brick homes, closing costs paid by builder. Each house has double garage, refrigerated air, carpets throughout, built-in dishwasher, disposal, ranges, beautiful kitchen cabinets, marble vanity tops in baths. Emmett R. Sanders, Realtor, 659-2516, nights 659-2601.
 275-rtn

FOR SALE: 400 acres, irrigated, 8' well, underground pipe, immediate possession, well located (next to the golf course) at \$400.00 per acre. Exclusive. Contact Don Patton, Realtor, Home 806-537-3131, Panhandle, Texas. 295-8tr

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 1973 Trailer Home, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, to be moved.
 Vintage Mobile Home, 7 ft. x 14, 3 bedroom, 2 bath furniture, to be moved.
 1974 Mobile Home, 14 x 26, 2 bath, 3 bedrooms built-in kitchen, washer dryer, central heat and air, furniture, on 125 ft. fenced storage house on 10 x 40 storm cellar. 311 N. James.
 Commercial building on Highway 207 on 186 front lot.

Automobiles For Sale

FOR SALE: '62 Ford Fairlane, new tires and new clutch, Dean Groves, 302 E. 11th, 659-3027.
 27-rtn

FOR SALE: '73 Ford Station Wagon, power steering and brakes, air conditioned, radio radial tires. Call 659-3802.
 305-rtn

FOR SALE: 1970 Ford Maverick, excellent condition, new points and wheels. Call 2829 or 2842 after 6.
 33-2tr

FOR SALE: 1976 Lincoln Town Coupe loaded 31,000 miles call 659-3642.
 32-rtn

MOBILE HOME FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1976 Wayside Mobile Home. Small equity plus payments. Furnished or unfurnished. 733-5055, Gruver.
 31-rtn

FOR SALE: 14x65 3 bedroom, 2 full bath Trailer. 659-3532 after 6:30.
 275-rtn

FOR SALE: 1972 14X70 Falcon Mobile Home. 806-733-2891.
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FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Office Space, Cluck Building, Gruver, Texas. 733-2515.
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 265-rtn

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 33-rtn

Help Wanted

Northern Natural Gas Company will take applications for a clerk on July 1, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Apply at the Spearman District Office located 9 miles south and 7 miles east of Spearman on Highway 281. Involves preparation of reports and correspondence related to District activities. This includes typing, filing and arithmetic

functions. We offer an exceptional employee and arithmetic function. We offer an exceptional employee benefit program and challenging future. We are an equal opportunity employer and welcome applications from men and women of any race who can pass a physical.
 33-3tr

WANTED: Equipment operators for oil field service company. Truck driving experience preferred, but will train. Free hospitalization, time and a half \$800 plus. Contact 435-6588.
 225-rtn

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TO GIVE AWAY: Large part Bird Dog. 659-3392.
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Business Opportunities

Clip Newspaper Articles: Get \$1.00 to \$5.00 each. Details, send 35 cents and stamped, self-addressed envelope to Ramsey Enterprises, P.O. Box 15368, Fort Worth, Texas 76119.
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WORK AT HOME in spare time. Earn \$250.00 per 1000 stuffing envelopes. Send 25 cents plus stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Terry Lane Enterprises, P.O. Box 289, Hobart, Indiana 46342.
 33-8tr

LEGAL NOTICE

VETERANS EXEMPTIONS
 The Texas Legislature passed a law in 1976 which grants tax exemptions, by all taxing agencies in the State of Texas, to certain disabled veterans and to dependents of certain veterans.

In January of 1977 the Veteran's Administration Office in Waco, Texas sent notices to Veteran's having a compensable service connected disability exemption. It is the one that must be filed with the taxing agency from which you apply for exemption.

To be eligible for the disability exemption, the proper forms must be filed each year. For exemption of County and State ad valorem tax for the 1977 tax year, it is requested that the forms be filed in the Hansford County Tax Office before July 15, 1977.

For further information concerning these exemptions, call Helen Dry, Tax Assessor-Collector for Hansford County, 2371.
 32-4tr

Pringle-Morse School is now taking bids for four houses for sale. Bids will be opened on Tuesday, July 12, 1977. Contact Engine Weeks, 878-2519 or Roy Harris, 733-2507 for details. We reserve the right to refuse any and all bids.
 325-2tr

Care of Thanks

We deeply appreciate the flowers, food, and expressions of sympathy extended to us in our time of grief.
 The Family of Ruth E. Caldwell

Thank each of you for your flowers, memorials, and cards during the illness and death of our loved one. May God bless each of you.
 Mr. & Mrs. Richard Gaines
 Mr. & Mrs. O. K. Pendergrass
 Mr. & Mrs. Garland Tucker
 Mr. & Mrs. Allen Varzon

NOTICE: The WIFE organization is having a scrap iron drive. We want anyone who has scrap iron to donate to the WIVES, to call Marilyn Groves, 659-2283, De Ann Dunihoo 659-2913, or Mollie Turner, 659-2276. This will be used for the WIFE program to promote the price of farm products in the Hansford area!

Self-Service at Gulf

In keeping with a national trend for self-service facilities, Alton's Gulf at the corner of Dillon and Collard is announcing the opening of their self-service pumps in Spearman. Bill Harnish, manager of Alton's Gulf, announced that he has no-lead and regular Gulf gasoline available now and in the immediate future will have a diesel pump in service during regular business hours.

Customers can save gasoline on-lead and regular gasoline through self-service, he noted, pointing out that his new convenience for his customers is in keeping with self-service installations at major service stations throughout the country which have been completed in the past year.

In addition to his self-service operation, Harnish reported he will continue his full-service (under-the-hood checks, windshield cleaning, checking tires) operations at the pumps on the Collard side of the service station which includes no-lead, regular and premium Gulf gasoline.

The station honors both national bank charge cards as well as the Gulf Travel Card. Additional services provided at the service station include muffler installation, tune-ups and brake jobs.

Harnish and Mrs. Harnish are managers of the station owned by William Whitford. All are Spearman residents.

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Ed Wheeler 659-2613, Office
 or 659-2951, Home

Jerry Gee 659-3618

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Felony theft of automobile charged

Hansford County Sheriff R. L. McFarlin Monday, June 27, announced the arrest of Chip Garrett, 24, no permanent address, for felony theft of an automobile. Garrett appeared before Justice of the Peace J. P. Vernon on the charge, requested an attorney, and was turned over to the custody of the sheriff pending further court proceedings.

McFarlin reported Garrett, a former Spearman resident, obtained a 1971 model automobile from a local dealer on the basis that he wanted to try it out. When the car was not returned, a warrant was issued for Garrett and he was arrested in Canadian in possession of the automobile.

Taken before Hemphill County Judge H. L. Owens, bond of \$5,000 was set and Garrett was placed in jail pending transfer to Hansford County authorities. Garrett appeared before Justice of the Peace J.P. Vernon Monday on the charge, an attorney was appointed and bond was set at \$3,500. Garrett did not make bond and was returned to custody of the sheriff pending further court proceedings.

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Everett LeRoy States, the son of Christine States, Gruver, and Marvin States, Spearman, graduated from G.H.S. in 1959. He continued his education graduating from Northwestern University Oklahoma in 1967.

LeRoy is the Head Soccer Coach, Kaiserslautern American High School, Germany, which is the largest American school for military dependents outside of the USA. He has also initiated, developed, and instructed the Vocational Welding program there for the past five (5) years; as well as coach football, wrestling, and soccer. Coach States' RED RAIDERS went thru the season undefeated, capturing the CLASS III A. BLUE DIVISION SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP of Germany. Soccer is probably the most popular sport the world over and is fast gaining popularity in the USA. The RED RAIDERS played six conference games against other III A schools, two games against non-conference schools and one game against a German Youth Team. The season record was 7 wins 9 losses 2 ties, with 4 shut-outs and placing four team members on the All Conference Team.

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday Wishes for the month of July go to Todd Brock, Loyd Sparks, Nancy Williams, Andi Speck, James Cunningham, Bobby Bullis, Dick Countiss, Andi Davis, Speck, Pauline Jackson, Jeff Countiss, Audene Beck, George Franklin, Trudie Schneider, Bill Walker, Faye Cunningham, Linda Walker, Louis Lemons, Buck Davidson, Monte Beck, Ricky Shields, Sherisse Partridge, Steve Lesly, Virginia Reyes, Magda Lena Rivera, Brenda Bowling, Karen Pierce, Gay Patrice Pipkin, Johnny Jo Reach, and Donna Yarbrough.

Best wishes are also extended to Donna Sheets, Jolynda Bowling, Kay Reed, Loren Kunselman, Chris Woodington, Scott Russell, Kenneth Schaffer, Pat Patterson, Stephanie Floyd, Kenneth Friemel, Glenda Guthrie, Tracie Keetch, Gary Burke, Cindy Cook, Darrell McCoy, John L. Schaffer, Ron Clark, Don Hendricks, Albert L. Baker, Coya Eston, Ruthie McCoy, Tracy Bullis, Mary Ann Kenney, Marie Jones, Tom Latta, Dennis Nelson, Pat Steele, Linda Gross, Shanda Graham, Mark Avila, Orlene Martin, Vicente Garcia, Thomas Reed, Hester Crawford, Tal Jackson, and Lori McAdams.

Congratulations also are extended to Kirk Davis, Ross Donahue, Earl Goodheart, Robert Reed, Joe Cole, Freddie Largent, Cindy Lesly, Michele Savage, Maria Estela Arjona, Mary McIntyre, DeAnn Dunnahoo, Carrie Clark, Ray Gressett, Charis Baker, Myrtle Ware, Alicia Langston, Traci Scribner, Jim Trink, Lee Sherry, Shilene Hays, Robert Graham, Kamala Ford, Frank Lemons, Mrs. Jack Whitson, Rex Ralston, Lucilla Hagerman, Bill Skinner, Sandy Dry, Danna Close, Bonnie Jones, Becky Crooks, Sherry Greene, Cary Collier, and Sherry Brand.

Home food preservation clinic set

Homemakers from across Hansford County will be gathering Thursday, June 30, 1977 at 1:30 p.m. in the Spearman Home Demonstration Clubroom for a training session on Home Food Preservation and Pressure Canning. Presentation on Canning, Freezing, Drying and Food Safety will be presented by the agent. All homemakers intending to put their pressure canners to use in the near future are encouraged to bring them in and have the steam gauge or indicator weight tested for accuracy. "If the steam gauge or indicator weight differs from the master testing gauge more than two pounds, it should be replaced as it is no longer reliable," says Miss Marrs.

Participants in the clinic are encouraged to bring samples of home preserved products including fruits, vegetables, jellies, pickles and preserves along with their special recipes for a 'show and tell' session and sharing of ideas. Door prizes will be given so make plans now to attend! Extension programs are open to all persons interested regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

Roundup wrap up meet set

A wrap up meeting of the Hansford Roundup '77 will be held Thursday, June 30, at 10:00 a.m. in the Chamber of Commerce office to discuss the 1977 Roundup and to make plans for next year. Each participating club or organization is asked to have a representative present and all bills and monies are to be turned in at this time.

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Manager attends SMU Institute

Mary Lou Wyszog, Manager of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce recently completed a week's Institute for Organization Management at Southern Methodist University. Nearly 200 voluntary organization executives from 12 states participated in this professional development program.

The Southern Methodist Institute is one of six annual, one-week sessions sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States at leading universities throughout the country. Other universities that host institutes are Notre Dame, Georgia, Colorado, Mills, and Delaware.

During the five-day session, participants spent 27 class-room hours in the Institute course of study, which is designed to assist voluntary organization executives in improving the knowledge and skills they need to upgrade their organization. The Institute curriculum includes such areas as management philosophy, economic issues,

government, law, organization structure, as well as contemporary subjects such as progressive levels of the program throughout his professional career. University professors chosen to serve as faculty are distinguished authorities in their fields. Additional courses are led by top-level Chamber of Commerce executives, making the faculty unique in its depth and range of knowledge and experience.

Plant Reunion July 3

Present and former residents at the Panhandle Eastern Plant, south of Hardesty, Oklahoma are invited to the Hansford Plant reunion scheduled July 3. Children, grandchildren and other relatives also invited, says Mrs. Ray Collins of Spearman. Persons attending the reunion are asked to bring a basket lunch and plan to stay all day.

Rebekah Lodge Meets

Spearman Rebekah Lodge #290 met in regular session Thursday, June 24 in the I.O.O.F. Lodge Hall with the following officers in their chairs: Noble Grand, Bernice McBride; Vice Grand, Dorothy Quinn; Treasurer, Mona Slater (who is also pro tem secretary); Junior Past Noble Grand, Evelyn King; Chaplain, Mac Shaull; Inside Guardian, Ruth Caro; Warden, Inez Holland; and Musician, Thelma Kenney.

The meeting was opened by Chaplain Mac Shaull by reading the prayer. Secretary Pro Tem Mona Slater gave the roll call of the officers and members present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Projects were then discussed. The auditing committee was appointed for the July audit. They are: Rose Cummings, Inez Holland, Dorothy Longley, and Dor-

thy Quinn. No members were reported ill. There being no further business, the Chaplain gave the benediction. The next meeting will be July 14.

Surprise shower honors Mrs. Tigrett

The Spearman Volunteer Fire-ettes met Thursday, June 23 at Wemble Park for a weiner roast. After the roast, they went over to the home of Mrs. Sherry Brand for a surprise baby shower for Mrs. JoBell Tigrett. It was a very casual affair in which they had a very enjoyable time. Those present were: Mesdames: Vicki Bullard, Sherry Brand, Beverly Ann Antalek, Sherry Antalek, and JoBell Tigrett. The next regular meeting will be July 2. "The Jazz Singer" starring Al Jolson was the first talking picture.



OSCAR MAYER ... MEAT OR BEEF SKINLESS FRANKS 1-LB. PACKAGE 99¢	OSCAR MAYER ... MEAT, BEEF OR GARLIC Sliced Bologna 8-OZ. PKG. 65¢	OSCAR MAYER ... MEAT OR BEEF Sliced Bologna 12-OZ. PKG. 98¢	U.S.D.A. CHOICE BUTCHER BLOCK BEEF Boneless Roast BUTCHER BLOCK BEEF BEEF CHUCK LB. 89¢	FRESH ... EXTRA LEAN Ground Chuck IN 3-LB. PACKAGES OR MORE: LB. 89¢
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WE'RE CELEBRATING

<p>DEAL WILL BE OPEN JULY 4th. 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.</p> <p>COCA COLA \$1.34</p> <p>CTN. OF 6 32-OZ. BTLS. PLUS DEPOSIT Canned Pop..... 12-OZ. CANS 7 \$1.00</p> <p>DEL MONTE TOMATO CATSUP..... 32-OZ. BTL. 82¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE FRENCH STYLE OR CUT GREEN BEANS..... 3 17-OZ. CANS 85¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE CREAM STYLE OR WHOLE KERNEL GOLDEN CORN..... 3 16-OZ. CANS 85¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE Sweet Peas..... 2 17-OZ. CANS 69¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE Garden Spinach..... 3 15-OZ. CANS 85¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE ... HALVES OR Sliced Peas..... 3 15-OZ. CANS 43¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE Fruit Cocktail..... 2 17-OZ. CANS 85¢</p> <p>VAN CAMP'S Pork & Beans..... 4 18-OZ. CANS \$1.00</p>	<p>LAY'S Potato CHIPS 10-OZ. BAG 69¢</p> <p>CAMELOT HAMBURGER or HOT BUNS PACKAGE OF 8 3 \$1</p>	<p>ENRICHED GOLD MEDAL FLOUR..... 5-LB. BAG 59¢</p> <p>KRAFT ... SALAD DRESSING MIRACLE WHIP..... 32-OZ. JAR 98¢</p> <p>KINGSFORD CHARCOAL BRIQUETS..... 20-LB. BAG \$2.49</p> <p>KRAFT ... ALL FLAVORS Bar-B-Q Sauce..... 18-OZ. BTL. 49¢</p> <p>CAMELOT ... HAMBURGER SLICED Dill Pickles..... 14-OZ. JAR 53¢</p> <p>MEADOWDALE Shortening..... 5-LB. CAN \$1.09</p> <p>MACARONI AND CHEESE Kraft Dinner..... 3 7 1/2-OZ. BOXES 79¢</p> <p>KRAFT ... JET PUFF Marshmallows..... 3 8-OZ. PKGS. \$1.00</p> <p>SWEETHEART ... 8-INCH White Plates..... CTN. OF 100 79¢</p> <p>VIVID ... 1-OZ. Cold Cups..... CTN. OF 100 78¢</p> <p>CHARMIN ... ASSORTED COLORS Bath Tissue..... 6-ROLL, 1-PKG. 76¢</p> <p>REG. OR DOUBLE STUFFED Oreo Cookies..... 15-OZ. BAG 81¢</p> <p>HUSKY Dog Food..... 7 15-OZ. CANS \$1.00</p>
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SHOP IDEAS... WHERE THERE'S MORE VALUE IN STORE

Summer youth director for church arrives



Mark Abbott

Fresh from a year spent studying in Spain, Mark Abbott, 21, son of a Methodist minister and nephew of another, has returned to Spearman to conduct activities as Summer Youth Director at the First United Methodist Church for the second

year. Young Abbott, invited back this year after a successful program last year, is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Merriell Abbott of Brownfield, Texas, and the nephew of the Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Abbott Jr. now of Sweetwater.

A graduate of Slaton High School, Mark is attending Oral Roberts University in Tulsa, Okla., where he will be a senior this year majoring in Spanish as part of his liberal arts education.

A high school friend who attend ORU got Mark interested in the Oklahoma facility. With three years behind him, Mark's comments are that "I like it. It's a real good school."

This summer in Spearman, as the director of the youth of the First United Methodist Church, Mark has two firm commitments this early in the session, a summer camp at Ceta Canyon, Texas, near Happy, July 18-22, and a return engagement of the

Last Psalm, from Garden City, Kan. The religious musical organization appeared here last year. The Kansas organization is scheduled to appear here July 10.

Abbott returned to the United States June 15 after a year in Spain, studying in Granada. One of the high points of his year abroad was attending an ecumenical session in the Spanish city.

While in Spain, he took advantage of the opportunity to tour portions of the country in which he was studying, including visits to Valencia and Barcelona.

His year in Spain was in connection with foreign student work supported by ORU in which students travel to countries abroad in furtherance of their studies of the language and culture of that country.

In Abbott's case, majoring in Spanish as he is, he got a firsthand introduction to the land where the language originated in the Castilian

form. He was impressed with his year overseas, noting that it will assist him in his studies at ORU. At the Tulsa school, Abbott has been President of Missions for the Spanish Club and Wing Chaplain under the Spiritual Life Department as well as a member of the National Honor Society.

In high school, he was a member of the Slaton High School Band where, for three years, the clarinetist made All-Region Band status. He also was a member of the student council and the NHS.

While studying in eastern Oklahoma, Abbott has ample opportunity to practice his hobby of bass fishing in the many lakes and streams in the region.

Upon completion of his work at ORU, Abbott has already decided to follow footsteps left by his father and uncle, he is planning at this time to attend Ashby Seminary in Kentucky and

the ministry work will be his ultimate career goal. In the meantime he is busy in Spearman lining up church activities for the youth of the church, such as assisting with Sunday services and other functions which require their participation during the seven weeks he will be here.

Servitors met

June 16

Servitors met Thursday, June 16 at the Home Demonstration Club Room at 7:30 P.M. with President Candi Delozier presiding over the meeting.

They had a Bake Sale on June 29 at Gordon's Drug from 7:30 a.m. till 10:00 a.m. They will also have one at Cut Rate from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 a.m. on the same day.

Their next meeting will be September 15 at the B & B Friendship Room. ***** Benjamin Franklin invented bifocal glasses.

Pipkins have new grandson

Mrs. John Pipkin returned home Thursday from a three week's stay in Cape Cod, Mass. where she visited her daughter, Pauline Mayes and family. While she was there the Mayes welcomed the birth of a new son, Cary Edward, born June 17 in Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. He weighed 7 lbs. 10 oz. and was 20 inches long. He was welcomed in the home by his sister Tracy, 10 years old, and brother Tommy, 8 years old.

Proud parents of the young man are Tom and Pauline Mayes. Maternal grandparents are John and Edith Pipkin of Spearman, maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Myrtle Fullbright and Mr. Knox Pipkin, also of Spearman. *****

The scientist who discovered that blood actually circulates through the body was William Harvey. He examined the veins on his own body.

BEDDY SALE TO CONTINUE

Brad Beedy informed the newspaper that his sale will continue until he can sell to the bare walls, if possible, before moving to his new 15,000 square foot building. Mr. Beedy stated that this has been the biggest and best sale in history. He went ahead to say that he still has many fantastic bargains in the store, and urges everyone to drop by and look at the many pieces of furniture still on sale.

Masonic installation slated

A joint installation of officers of Hansford Masonic Lodge No. 1040 and Gruber Masonic Lodge No. 1326 will be held at the Masonic Building in Spearman July 9 beginning at 7:30 p.m., it has been announced.

Past Grand Master of Masons in Texas John R. Colard, Jr. of Spearman will be the installing Master for the open installation ceremony. Phil Jenkins will be Install-

ing Marshal. Hansford Lodge No. 1040, A.F.A.M., Officers to be installed are: Carl E. Batton, Worshipful Master; Dwayne Smith, Senior Warden; Don Wirsdorfer, Jr., Junior Warden; Tommy Sowell, Treasurer; Jerry E. Gene, Secretary; Ricky Riggins, Senior Deacon; David McIntyre, Junior Deacon; Cecil R. Biggers, Chaplain; Jack Whitson, Senior Steward; and S. E. (Dick) Hudson, Junior Steward. A social hour will follow.

Happy Anniversary

Happy Anniversary wishes go to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ray Scribner, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Close, Mr. and Mrs. F. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dry, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Friemel, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Alfred, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. David Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Woolley, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Garnett, Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Ruyes, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Remy, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Shieldknight, Mr. and Mrs. Tim York, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCoy, and Dr. and Mrs. Jack Lee.

James Beck services held

Funeral services were held July 28 at Eldi, Okla. for James M. (Jim) Beck at the Willow Road Christian Church with the Rev. Richard Duckworth officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery, with the Ladusau Evans Funeral Home in charge.

Beck was born April 17, 1921 in Carmen, Okla. and died in his home Thursday, June 16 after a long illness. He graduated from Spearman High School and served in the Air Force. He moved to Eldi after World War II. He taught in the Voth Tech School at Ft. Cobb from 1969 until 1972 when he returned to Eldi to teach in the Voth Tech.

Beck received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Oklahoma State University. He had been a home builder in the Eldi community for 20 years before teaching. He was a member of the Willow Road Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife Aileen of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Stanley (Combe) Wright of Junction City, Kan.; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Gary (Donna) Graham, Norman, Okla.; two stepsons; David and Doyle Jones of Hennessy; three stepgranddaughters; his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.K. Fendergrat of Spearman; his sisters, Wanda Long, Winters, Calif., Edith Wells, San Diego, Calif., Bonnie Wilber, North Highland, Calif., Betty Gaines, Spearman, Tex.; three brothers, Eldon and W.L. Beck, Vacaville, Calif., and Bill Beck, North Highlands, Calif.

Arts & Craft Guild Met

Arts and Crafts Guild met Friday, June 24 in the home of Mrs. Sada Housley. Delicious refreshments were served to members, Mesdames: Garrett Allen, Dora Blodgett, Joe Traylor, Ned Turner, Nolan Hock, Pops Gibner, and P. A. Lyon, Sr. The next meeting will be July 1 in the home of Mrs. A. Lyon, Sr. For a short period from 1835 to 1837 United States government was out of debt.

WINDY

WINDY... CHUCK WAGON... FULLY COOKED

Boneless Hams
HALVES ... 3 TO 4-LB. AVERAGE
\$1.39
LB.

PORK STEAKS
PORK SHOULDER ... BLADE CUTS
98¢
LB.

SLICED BACON
HICKORY SMOKED
\$1.29
1-LB. PKG.

SLICED BACON
HICKORY SMOKED
99¢
SLAB CUT ... BULK PACK

PORK ROAST
BONELESS PORK ROAST ... BOSTON CUTS
\$1.09
LB.

FISH FILLETS
CLIPPER ... PRE-COOKED
3¢
PAGE

FISH FILLETS
MRS. PAULS ... LIGHT BATTER
\$2.99
PKG.

FISH FILLETS
BLUE BOY ... BREADED, PRE-COOKED
\$2.99
PKG.

WIN UP TO \$1,000 CASH...

PLAY CASH KING

'1,000 WINNER
MRS. WAYNE JORDAN
LIBERAL, KANSAS

'1,000 WINNER
PAUL HUFF
BORGER, TEXAS

'1,000 WINNER
DORITA MCGUIRE
PAMPA, TEXAS

'1,000 WINNER
DORNA SMITH
ALVA, OKLAHOMA

'100 WINNERS:
Donna Coker ... Woodward, Ok. | S. M. Lollar ... Borger, Texas
H. W. Shepard ... Dumas, Tx. | Ora Trisler ... Shaftuck, Ok.
Clyde Campbell ... Hugoton, Ks | Ethel Woodbury ... Fairview, Ok.
Catherine Greer ... Borger, Tx.

ODDS CHART

Good Old American Values BOOM!

FRESH DAIRY FOODS FROM IDEAL

KRAFT AMERICAN SINGLES **CAMELOT MILD LONGHORN CHEESE**
\$1.43 **\$1.48**

16-OZ. PKG. **16-OZ. PKG.**

KRAFT ... PHILADELPHIA Cream Cheese **8-OZ. PKG. 53¢**

CAMELOT OR FAIRMONT Cottage Cheese **24-OZ. CTN. 79¢**

MEADOWDALE Margarine **QUARTERED 3 1-LB. CTNS. \$1.00**

Half & Half **39¢** **HYDE PARK ... REG. OR CHIVE Sour Cream** **20Z. 41¢**

MEADOW GOLD ... ALL FLAVORS ICE CREAM **\$1.09**

1-GAL. ROUND

BANQUET FRIED CHICKEN **\$1.89**

1-LB. BOX

BANQUET DINNERS **49¢**

11-OZ. PKG.

MEADOWDALE ORANGE JUICE **12-OZ. CANS 85¢**

MEADOWDALE FRENCH FRIES **5-LB. BAG \$1.28**

SPARKLING CRUSHED ICE **16-LB. BAG 57¢**

RED-RIPE Watermelon **7¢**

GREAT FOR YOUR OUTDOOR PICNIC ...

WASHINGTON Bing Cherries **59¢**

CALIFORNIA ... CRISP GREEN **CALIFORNIA ... RED SWEET**

LETTUCE **27¢** **ONIONS** **25¢**

IBERBERG HEAD

CALIFORNIA Santa Rosa Plums **59¢**

IDEAL FOOD STORES

SHOP IDEAL FOR SUPERLATIVE SAVINGS, 7-DAYS A WEEK... WE WELCOME FOOD STAMP CUSTOMERS.

Facts about beef referendum

Did you know that there are 10,000,000 vegetarians in U.S. and that the number is increasing at the rate of 1,000,000 per year.

Did you know that many headline-seeking doctors and newspaper columnists are claiming that beef is bad for your health—causes heart disease, colon cancer and overloads the kidneys?

Did you know that many consumer activists believe cattlemen are getting rich and are saying, "Food is for people, not for profit." Did you know that half of the people in the U.S. are eating only one third of the meat that nutritionists recommend for good health? There is a real opportunity to increase demand for beef in the U.S. and strengthen prices.

Did you know that a few cattlemen knew in 1973 we were headed for a big WRECK but most of us didn't know it until it was too late, because we did not have adequate distribution of the information to cattle producers?

Did you know that the Beef Research and Information Act was developed by cattlemen, is to be financed by cattlemen and run by cattlemen—a cattlemen's program all the way? It took industry leaders 36 months of hard work (from appointment of the initial study committee to referendum), including many battles with labor unions, consumer activists and a few "agricultural leaders".

Did you know that the 68 members of the Beef Board, which will administer the program, will all be cattle producers nominated by cattle producer organizations (including general farm organizations) and that no one other than cattle producers may serve on the Board?

Did you know that the collection rate will be only 30 cents per \$100 of value added by requesting it and furnishing proof (copy of sales invoices or copy of cancelled check) of how much he contributed?

Did you know that the Secretary of Agriculture will only serve as a "referee" to assure that the Beef Board operates within the intent of the Act? (In the Cotton Program that has been operating 10 years and the Potato Program that has been operating five years, not one producer has been fined or sued. And no suits against beef producers are anticipated. Enforcement collected from producers are passed on to the Beef Board.)

Did you know that there are several safeguards to assure that the funds are wisely invested? (1) The Order is very specific on types of investment—research, education, promotion, producer information and foreign market development.

(2) The Beef Board will be composed of cattlemen, who will make sure that their money and their neighbor's money is wisely invested. (3) Any producer who feels that his money is not wisely invested may request a refund, and that amounts to a "Money Back Guarantee".

(4) If producers grow unhappy with the program, they can terminate it—the Secretary must call another referendum upon request of 10% of the number of voters in the initial referendum.

Did you know that the primary purpose of this program is to increase profits for cattlemen—and that a handful of vocal "agricultural leaders" are opposing it, even though they declined to testify at the public hearings or to meet with cattle industry leaders when invited and when they could have had input in shaping the program?

Did you know that 119 state and national beef and dairy organizations are supporting this program and that only four organizations (Farmer Union, NFO and Meat Promoters of South Dakota and Tennessee Farm Bureau are opposing it)?

Did you know that the requirements for passing the Beef Referendum are the

most stringent for any commodity referendum ever held? (Fifty percent of those registering must vote, then two-thirds of those voting must approve.)

Did you know that this is likely the last opportunity cattlemen will have to vote on a national beef referendum to expand markets, increase prices and improve profits?

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DISASTROUS BLAZE -- Although no lives were lost thanks to the timely action of passersby, law enforcement officials and the Gruver and Spearman Fire Department, fire in the early morning hours Sunday, June 26, left the Dale Gable Family with no home, no possessions and just the clothes on their back.

Fire leaves family homeless

Harrowing was the experience of a Gruver woman and her two children whose home was destroyed by a fire early Sunday morning.

Mrs. Dale (Gloria) Gable and two children, Tanya and John, were fortunate indeed that they were able to escape the burning home located approximately five and one half miles east of Gruver.

Mrs. Gable first became aware of smoke issuing from the bathroom area sometime between 1:00 a.m. and 1:30 a.m. Sunday morning.

At the time, she managed to take first the Gable's 2 year old son John out to a playpen in the yard and return for their daughter Tanya who was asleep in another part of the house.

She took the child also to the play pen and returned once more to attempt to get help through their CB base station.

Finally, realizing that no one was responding, Mrs. Gable returned to the yard and took the children to the highway where she hoped to flag down a motorist to aid them. Fortunately, two Gruver youths who were on the main highway returning from Spearman noticed the blaze and came to their rescue, going to Gruver to report the fire to the local Police Chief Jim Ratliff who turned in the alarm.

Mean while, Deputy Sheriff Tommy Messer also noted the blaze from the Spearman-Gruver highway and came to the spot where Mrs. Gable and the children were and also turned in the alarm for aid.

Four units from Gruver responded and two from Spearman but the blaze had assumed inferno proportions by this time and the frame house owned by John Allen of Spearman burned completely to the ground. Sunday a fire in the adjoining garage to the north, was

kindled from the smoldering embers and the Gruver Fire Department again responded. Mr. Gable was not at home at the time of the fire.

The family spent the remainder of the night with the

to be here **Deakin rites held**

E.K. Snider, a Spearman resident from 1924 until 1941, and a commuter to Spearman from Lubbock and Canyon, during the week for many years to service his BMA policyowners, will be in Spearman for a few days for his usual EKS-BMA Insurance Service. He will be here beginning Tuesday, June 28 at 9 a.m. at the Baker Hotel.

For further information you may call the Baker Hotel.

Jerry Duncans in Gruver and are in the process of trying to start anew. Plans are being laid to aid them and a fund has been set up at the Gruver State Bank to give them financial help.

Surviving are a sister, Ethel Deakin, a longtime school teacher in Spearman Schools, and several nieces and nephews.

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SPEARMAN'S ENTERTAINMENT CENTERS

LYRIC THEATRE

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4-H's to vie for Horsemanship honors

Ten 4-H'ers from Hansford County will be among 250 youngsters competing for a berth on the top 20 list of winners at the District 1 4-H Horse Show Tuesday, and Wednesday, June 28 and 29, according to County Extension Agent Jim Kuykendall. Winners of that district event will compete in the State 4-H horse show in Houston July 27-30.

The 4-H'ers are: Halsee Reed, Spearman, Hadley Reed, Spearman, Andrea Archer, Spearman, Roger Buchanan, Spearman, Scott Henderson, Gruver, Todd Williams, Gruver, Jon Gannett, Spearman, Jennifer McLain, Spearman, Melanie Kenney, Spearman, Ty Williams, Gruver.

They are competing in halter,

showmanship and performance classes against representatives of 20 other Panhandle High Plains counties. Site of this year's horse show is the Bill Cody Arena in Amarillo.

James Heird, of Shallowater, Texas, will serve as official judge for the 1977 contest.

Superintendent will be Gaines Franks, Potter County Extension Agent.

The quota of entries is based on the number of active 4-H members with horse projects in each county, Kuykendall said.

The 4-H program in the state is administered by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University, System.

Golf Scramble!

The Hansford Golf Club has begun a scramble open for all golfers every Tuesday evening, beginning at 6:30. There was a new pot started Tuesday allowing participants a chance for offered prizes. These prizes are presented in the form of gift certificates to be redeemed at the golf pro shop. They vary in sizes which are awarded to each member of the first place team is awarded a gift certificate.

A slight fee of \$1.00 is charged to club members for entry into the scramble. Non-members also participate, paying \$1.00 entry fee, plus a nominal green fee of \$1.00.

Tiny Gressett invites you golfers and offers to come out. You don't have to be a pro to enjoy these scrambles. At these prices, anyone can learn to play golf.

The Hansford Golf Club is also having a Ladies' Day. Ladies' Day will be held every Monday morning at 9:00 a.m. There is a small entry fee of 25 cents. All members are invited for an additional green fee of \$1.00. Carolyn Gressett invites everyone of you ladies out to join in some golfing fun.

Also depending on the number of participants in the scramble, Teams are formed with three to four members on a team, also depending on the turn.



T G & Y will have an explosive sale this week-end. Manager Jerry Brock said he is going to clear the store out.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

I'm getting ill reading material that some people are publishing about the Beef Referendum. Though I'm sure that they mean well, they are missing the entire point of the program by their nit-picking or by their failure to interpret the facts correctly from the published Beef Research and Information Act.

Their main gripe seems to be that this is a government program we are going to pay for. The government has very little to do with it in reality. Leaders in the cattle industry initiated this program and have developed it from the ground level up. The cattle industry will control the funds, determine how they are to be spent, and nominate individual cattlemen to serve on the Beef Board.

Next week, cattle producers will vote in the national beef referendum. At stake is a comprehensive plan to strengthen domestic and foreign markets, step up research on production problems and improve communication throughout the beef industry. This plan is known as

the Beef Research and Information Plan.

This self-help plan was designed by cattle producers to benefit cattle producers. It will be funded by a 30 cent per \$100 deduction on all cattle sales. The buyer will deduct this amount when an animal is purchased. Only the final buyer (packer) will send money to the Beef Board.

This is an automatic check-off program. However, you do have the right to a full refund if you do not wish to participate.

The Beef Board will be comprised of 68 members nominated by state, national and local producer organizations. This board of cattlemen will administer the funds and contract for needed programs.

These will include consumer education, production and nutrition research, marketing research, foreign market development, beef promotion, public relations and sales promotion.

If the Beef Referendum passes, the funds will finally be available to respond to adverse publicity about beef and cattlemen. If defeated, cattlemen can go back to what they have been doing for years, sitting in the coffee shop and griping about consumer boycotts, government intervention, and complain that something ought to be done to counter these charges.

I believe the time to act is now. I urge all local cattle producers to vote "YES" in the beef referendum. This is a great opportunity if we are ever going to take charge of our industry and do something positive to improve our balance sheets.

As far as I can see, this is a cattlemen's program and as a cattlemen I pledge my full support. I plan to vote "YES" in the Beef Referendum, July 5-15.

Sincerely,
Allen McClay
Box 86
Morse, Texas 79062

Judging school & contest set

The Five State Judging School and Contest, sponsored by the Panhandle State University Collegiate 4-H, will be held Monday, July 18. The school and contest will start at 8:30 a.m. and will be held at the University farm.

The divisions for the contest will include FFA individuals and FFA teams; Senior 4-H individuals and Sr. 4-H teams. Senior students must be 14 years old and junior 4-H must be under 14 years old.

Judging will consist of two classes of swine, beef and sheep and two sets of oral reasons. Trophies will be given to first place winners in each division and rosettes will be given to the first teams and individuals in each division. Results of the contest should be ready by 3:30 p.m.

The judging school will be in the morning before the judging contest and the grooming demonstration after lunch. Lunch will be sold at the college farm.

For further information

contact Steve Williams, Texas County Extension, Guyton, Oklahoma 73942 or Dr. Kenneth Woodward, Department of Animal Science, Panhandle State University, Goodwell, Oklahoma 73939.

Fireworks Stand Open June 27

Members of the Rho Rho Sorority will be selling fireworks Monday, June 27 thru Monday, July 4. Hours on June 27 thru 29 will be 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Hours from June 30th on will be 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Their fireworks stand will be set up in front of Horizon Oil and Gas Company on the Borger Highway.

Rho Rho would appreciate your business and encourage people to come out and patronize. Proceeds go toward the various community activities that Rho Rho Sorority supports.

County youth to attend seminar

More than 150 Texas 4-H members, including Alma and Anita Walker and Carol Spears from Hansford County will be among the almost 6,000 teenage 4-H'ers from 44 states participating in Citizenship '77 leadership and citizenship programs at the National 4-H Center in Washington, D.C. from June 5-August 27. The programs are a week in duration, with Texas groups attending June 19-25 and July 10-16.

This weeklong living experience in the nation's capital is designed to help young people from 14 to 19 years of age to understand the structure and function of our system of government, the heritage of our country's development and the individual roles that citizens of all ages will play in our nation's future and the dynamic process of change.

Using the Nation's capital

as a "classroom", the program each week includes a day on Capitol Hill to meet with members of Congress and see government in action. The youth will also take part in field trips to historical and cultural sites, including the Kennedy Center, Arlington Cemetery, the Nation Cathedral, the Beltsville Agricultural Research Station, the Mall area, the White House, Mr. Vernon and Alexandria, Virginia.

In seminar sessions at the National 4-H Center, the young people will discuss elements of citizenship and ways in which skills and knowledge gained during the week can be applied to 4-H programs at the local level.

Contemporary issues will provide a focus each week for consideration and debate. Key topics of discussion while Texas 4-H groups are in Washington will include

ships from private corporations and foundations.

Citizenship '77 is conducted by the National 4-H Council in behalf of the Cooperative Extension Service of the state land-grant universities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

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Deputy Leaves

The resignation of Doug Davis as a deputy for the Hansford County Sheriff to take a similar job with the Gray County Sheriff was announced Monday, June 27, by Hansford County Sheriff R.L. McFarlin.

Monday was the last day for Davis as a deputy for McFarlin.

Davis, a native of Pampa, will begin work for the Gray County Sheriff Friday, July 1.

His duties there will be the same as he performed for the Hansford County Sheriff. Davis is a graduate of Pampa High School and was a helicopter crew chief in U.S. Army Aviation for three years. Married to a Pampa girl, he and his wife have two children, a girl and a boy.

In commenting on his affiliation with the Gray County Sheriff's Department, Davis said, "I want to express my gratitude to the training I have received while a deputy for Sheriff R.L. McFarlin and the Hansford County Sheriff's Department. I feel Hansford County people are fortunate to have such a efficient sheriff."

During his seven months in Hansford County, Davis has added to his knowledge through courses taken while a deputy. He has certificates signifying training in Police Science from Ft. Bragg, N.C., Identification School and Panhandle Regional Law Enforcement Academy at Amarillo College and Law Enforcement Seminar at Dalhart, put on by the Drug Enforcement Administration.

McFarlin has not announced a replacement for Davis.

We Join in Saluting the Farmers This 1977 Wheat Harvest

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Our Heritage of Faith

notes from Faith Lutheran Church

Holy Communion for the month of July will be celebrated on the first day of the month, July 3rd, instead of the usual second Sunday. This change has been made due to the fact the Pastor Andersen will be out of town for both the second and third Sundays of the month. Pastor Andersen will be on one week of vacation and then will spend one week in a Continuing Education Class in Denver, Colorado. The Continuing Education Class will be conducted in music for the church worship service.

In 1980 Lutherans all over the world will celebrate the 400th anniversary of the first printing of the Book of Concord. The Book of Concord has through these past four centuries become a symbol of Lutheranism. This book contains what Lutherans believe to be the primary and basic parts of the Christian faith. In the Book of Concord is the statement which has become a trademark of Lutheranism and which formed the basis for Martin Luther's changes within the church. That statement is that we are "justified by faith alone through grace." These words were put together in this order for a definite purpose. For it is through the grace of God that He sent His Son, Jesus Christ, as our Savior and it is through His grace that we are given the capacity for faith. And the words "faith alone" relate to such passages in the Bible as Luke 7:50 when Jesus tells a sinful woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace." It is in fact only her faith that has saved her. She did some good deeds and showed a great deal of love for Jesus but this is not what saved her. These things are signs of her faith.

And so as we move closer to celebrating the 400th anniversary of The Book of Concord and organized Lutheranism we need to remember that it is not important in itself but is only a sign of the faith that we carry with us each day of our lives.

If you have no home church or would like to visit with us at Faith as we worship and live as a community in faith, we invited you to do so. Sunday morning worship begins at 9:30 a.m.

Texas has increase in collections

Comptroller Bob Bullock reported Friday that Texas recorded the largest increase of any state in sales tax collections last year, except for those states that increased their tax or broadened its base.

Spurred by increased consumer spending and intensified collection efforts, Texas

sales tax collections totaled \$1.5 billion in calendar 1976, an 18.3 percent increase over 1975, Bullock said. Bullock's report, which is contained in the Comptroller's June Financial Statement, is based on a nationwide study of consumer taxes by the Federal Tax Administration.

"What it shows," Bullock said, "is that only those five states that raised their sales tax or extended it to previously excluded items registered a bigger percentage increase in collection than Texas."

"This points up to what we've been saying all along -- that the Texas economy is

as strong as an acre of wild onions," he said.

Texas ranked sixth among the 50 states in increased tobacco products tax collections last year and 19th in motor fuel revenue collections, the Federation study shows.

Tobacco products tax collections for 1976 totaled \$281.7 million, up seven percent over the previous

year. Motor fuel tax revenues also were up seven percent for a total of \$420.7 million in 1976.

The Financial Report shows that state spending reached \$531 million in April, raising current fiscal year expenditures to \$4.48 billion. This is two percent ahead of last year.

State revenues for April were \$582.8 million, bringing

the fiscal year-to-date total to \$4.4 billion -- up ten percent over the same period a year ago.



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City Summer Sports

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 6 - July 16
AAU Track, ages 6-17, 9:00 a.m. Mondays thru Fridays (boys and girls)

June 10 - July 8
Basketball, 8:00 p.m., Tuesdays and Fridays, Varsity Gym

June 15 - July 8
Childrens Programs (low organized games) High School Cafeteria, Monday thru Friday, 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

June 16 - July 22
Women's Volley Ball 8:00 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays Old Gym

June 20 - July 18
Adult Tennis, 8:00 p.m., Mondays
1st Tournament June 20, 8:00 p.m., (Men and Women's doubles)
2nd Tournament, June 27, 8:00 p.m., (Men and Women's singles)

July 5 - Aug. 5
Weight Lifting, 6-10 p.m., Field House, Monday thru Friday (all ages)

July 11 - July 15 (1 week)
Tennis Clinic, Coach Steele, 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 (all ages, must furnish own tennis racket and balls), Mondays thru Fridays

July 18 - July 22 (1 week)
Golf Clinic, Coach Hamilton, 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 (all ages, must furnish own golf clubs), Mondays thru Fridays

Aug 1 - Aug 5 (1 week)
Gymnastics Clinic, Miss Mollie Holton, Old Gym, (boys and girls, grade school and junior high ages), Mondays thru Fridays

New programming slated on AC's radio station

Amarillo College's radio Sunday evenings. These broadcasts, for the second straight season, will highlight 39 concerts by the Chicago Symphony and Chorus.

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YOU NAME IT FROM THE DEN OF POISON PEN

Sure did enjoy making Harold Hudson's column last week. I sure didn't know that I said all of the things that he quoted me as saying, but it sure did sound good anyway. He mentioned that he didn't think that the folks

suffering from the \$2.00 wheat. But, we will come back and come back soon! And, I want to remind you folks in Ochiltree that our oil companies in Hansford County don't take out with anything close to the amount of money raised in Ochiltree County for the new YMCA building program. That is probably the truth, as we are all

that you folks in Ochiltree feel the same way! But, I am proud of your YMCA drive, and the \$700,000 that you raised. We have several kids from Spearman and Gruver who journey to Perryton regularly and participate in the YMCA. And, your paper has done a tremendous job in promoting this worthwhile program. I join in saluting your paper, and your people

who raised the money. We all plan to participate in the use of the facilities. And, that will be good for your community!

Me and Claude Norvell had to go to Colorado last Saturday on some business, and while there, we stopped at the dog races in Pueblo. I never had so much fun. It doesn't require any intelligence to figure out which dog will win, and naturally I almost broke the track before Claude finally pulled me away from the ticket window! The best part of the story, was the fact that the Claude didn't win a race. He just got mowed out on the big race, the one he did come close. "Well, he counts only in horse shoes!"

Alton's Gulf Service station is now entering the self-service market in Spearman. So, go by over the 4th of July and check out these new pumps. The Wall Street Journal reports that more service stations are closing up, victims of the price conscious consumer who wants cheaper gasoline and doesn't mind pumping it himself. So congratulations to everyone at Alton's Gulf. Glad to see you in the new competitive market!

At a meeting of some 25 Texas mayors a while back, these city officials discussed common problems and when it came to listening to a single largest problem facing them, they said "community apathy" was it! Not only city officials, but school, county and civic club presidents agreed. We about everyone else involved in civic affairs would say the same thing.

I have been wanting to do a feature story on Carmon Laird. She is about the most enthusiastic

And, be sure and check all of the advertisements in the Spearman and Gruver papers this Thursday. We have some dandy information on sales, and bargains that you can find in the area! If you merchandise missed printing an ad this week, we can still get you Saturday, in time for the 4th of July week!

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Views of Panhandle Editors

The Preacher's part called for the minister to walk on stage, pretend to get shot and say, "My God, I've been shot!"

He found the "My God" part a little on the prone or sacrilegious side, so the minister formulated a plan of his own, unknown to the director of the play. "I'll just say, 'Mercy me, I've been shot,' and take no chances," he thought to himself.

The play's director also had plans he hadn't revealed — to shoot the preacher right in the heart with a ripe cranberry from a pellet gun — to add realism.

The preacher came out, heard the report of a gun, and said, "Mercy me, I've been shot!" Then he looked down and saw the spreading red stain on his white shirt. "Truly planned, he said, 'My God! I really have been shot!'"

Sandstorms are disagreeable to everyone. Talk to any old timer and you'll find out that they find sandstorms just as disagreeable now as they did 50 years ago.

The one that hit here this week was about average. That big lumberjack that rolled in from the west and crashed into the side of a downtown building was a bit unique only because it was unique only because of what spilled out following the crash: one oyoite, two jockrabbits, a quarter mile of barbed wire, one judge, and two hippies in a Volkswagen with one of the hippies still clinging to the dome.

James Roberts in Andrews County News

'SIZZLING HOT WEARABLES VALUES'

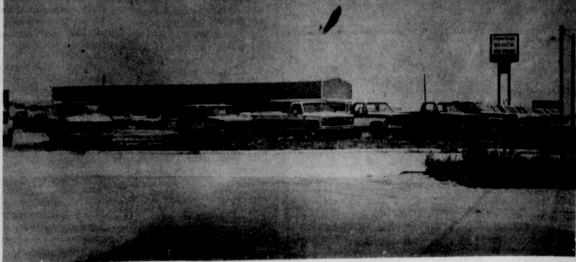
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The U.S. News and World Report magazine carried a story in the latest issue concerning the top 100 counties in the United States, ranked by per capita personal income, using figures obtained from the Internal Revenue Service. There were 13 Texas counties in this list, including 9 from fairly close-by in the Panhandle and South Plains. Ochiltree County was not among them, and neither was Hempall or Lipscomb or Roberts or Moore or Hutchinson counties, all of whom we had considered to be pretty rich counties.

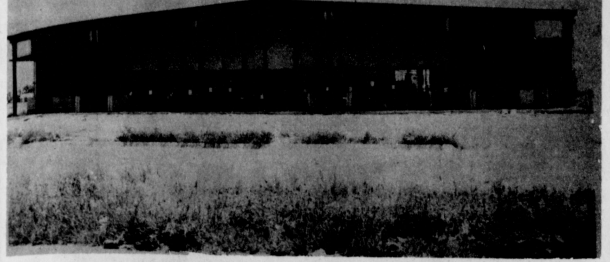
The county with the highest per capita income is Loving county in Texas with \$18,982 annual income for every person in it. There are more all well than people in Loving county and apparently most of the people who live there get some income from oil production. But this is the only really oil county on the list of the top 100 counties of the nation as far as per capita personal income goes. The Panhandle counties are those heavy with irrigated farming, which make and make a lot more return than we had thought. Sherman county, with Stratford the county seat, ranked seventh on the list with average income of \$13,142. Farmer county, Frisco, was 11th, with \$11,715; Armstrong, Claude was 26th with \$9,377; Hansford, Spearman, was 36th with \$8,883; Dallas, Dalhart, was 56th with \$6,646; Carson, Panhandle, was 86th with \$4,254; Castro, Dimmit, was 71st with \$4,247; Deaf Smith, Edwards, was 73rd with \$4,235; and Hartley, Claymore, was 84th with \$4,083 per capita income.

Our friend Billy Miller of the Spearman Reporter has been telling us all along that he lived in a much more prosperous county and city than we do and it is beginning to appear that Billy is right. But we doubt if the folks over at Spearman and Gruver and in Hansford county could come up with anything close to the amount of money raised in Ochiltree county for the new YMCA building program. They may have more money than we do, but they don't turn loose of it as easily. We are still surprised that Ochiltree county didn't rank anywhere on this list of high income counties. We are also surprised that Andrews and Denver City and Sandoval and other oil areas didn't make the list. Maybe the oil companies take out the wealth instead of spreading it around. Maybe we have heard so many times, the only way to keep any of that oil money that is being pumped out is to tax it before it leaves.

Harold Hudson, Ochiltree County Hoaxard



Hergert's is slashing prices to clear out some of this large inventory. Their loss is your gain.



The Beedy "Dream" is coming closer and closer into being a reality. Brad and Dodie are hoping to be into their new building sometime in September.

Fight to the Finish

Spearman, Texas. Where is Spearman, Texas. Well, you have to be going there to get there. But, once you do get there, stop and take a look around. It's not all that bad. Spearman has a lot to offer if you just take a couple of minutes to find it.

I have noticed one thing that bothers me, and this is strictly my opinion. You may agree or disagree, but that's what makes this country work. I've noticed what I would call "apathy", and it alarms me. For instance, as someone you know, I've taken up a new sport-Golf. Now, I'm just a poor working man like most of the rest, and I certainly am not able to just go out and buy anything I

survives on the most part from the taxes it collects. The businesses in a town pay most of the taxes. If a business makes more money, chances are it will expand. If it expands it will pay more taxes. More taxes will allow our community to do a better job.

Now, I'm sure that we all realize that businesses in a smaller town like ours, can not buy on a large scale like those in a sprawling metropolis like Amarillo. Not being able to buy in as large quantities as the bigger businesses, won't allow our business owners to get as good of wholesale prices, and necessitates that they charge a little more for what they sell. I am one person that thinks it can't hurt to pay a little more for something in his own town, supporting his local business people. I do realize that these inflated times have made our budgets tighter, and I also realize that \$2 wheat has hurt the agricultural businesses. This is a problem that we'll have to deal with. I can also understand that being able to buy something at a much better price in a large city, will sometimes make the difference between having that something, or not having it. But I feel that if a person can afford to pay a few extra dollars for an item, and get it in his home town, then it's his duty to try and support his local town. If paying more for it will mean that you can't have it, then by all means, look around and get it where you can afford it. But, driving all the way to Amarillo to buy things just for the sake of saving that all-mighty dollar, when you

could afford to buy it here, may not be the wisest choice in the long run, if you think about it. If you spend more money in Spearman, the local proprietors will spend more money, and it could mean the difference, between having a run down, empty main street, and a nice clean, thriving main street.

You think about it. When it won't bankrupt you, spend a little more here. I think you'll find that a good feeling will come from it. Frequent these local people and get to know them. They're pretty good people-our local businessmen-and they're wondering if they'll be able to stay open another year. Go in and buy something from them, and keep them going. They are the ones that are keeping your town going. I think if you do, you'll acquire a little more civic pride.

will be from 5.57 cents per copy, on the average, to 6.80 cents.

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The Postal Service is required by law to annually lift the preferential rates another step toward "full rates".

The difference between the revenues produced by the phased rates and those that would have been received

ed if the full rates were in effect is paid to the Postal Service from Congressional appropriations.

Ladies day

The Hansford Golf Club had their Ladies' Day Monday, June 27th. Those who participated were Buena Lyon (Low Net), Ann Sanders (Low Gross), Shirley Greenwood, Carolyn Gressett, Juanita Logsdon, Ida Edwards, and Jean Holland.

Little league results

The Little League season finished with the Jets having 9 wins, 2 losses and one rainout. The Dodgers came in with a possible tie for first place with 7 wins, 3 losses and 2 rainouts. The Astros came in a strong third place. In the minor league the Sox placed 1st, Cardinals 2nd and Pirates 3rd.

The coaches will vote on the All-Stars this week and

the results will be released to the paper. Practice will start after July 1.

A special thanks goes to all the volunteers that worked to make the baseball program possible for the kids. Your support will be appreciated when the All-Stars play in the tournament in Dumas. The time and date will be announced later.

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Phased postal rates rise

Phased postal rates rise July 6 for second-class publications, books, records and non-profit mailings, the U.S. Postal Service announced today.

In the sixth annual step, the phased increases for most publications are 21 percent higher, on the average, than the existing rates; the Postal Service said.

Letter mail and several other classes of mail are not affected.

For the typical weekly news magazine the increase

4th of July Specials

Baby Beef	Tender Corn Fed Cut, Wrapped & Frozen	73¢ Lbs.
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Sirloin		\$2.09 Lbs.
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Chuck Steaks	Charcoal Sliced	\$1.45 Lbs.
Bacon	(from our own smokehouse)	\$1.09 Lbs.
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3. SKY ROCKETS CONTAINING MORE THAN 6 OZ. FILLER

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WE ALSO WISH TO REMIND YOU TO BE EXTRA CAREFUL AND USE PRECAUTION WITH ALL EXPLOSIVES

The City of Spearman

JUST HOW CONTROVERSIAL IS THE BEEF REFERENDUM?

Organizations 'FOR'

1. American National Cattlemen's Assn.
2. National Livestock Feeders Assn.
3. National Live Stock & Meat Board
4. American National Cowbellies
5. Livestock Marketing Assn.
6. Livestock Laws Reform Comm.
7. National Livestock Dealers Assn.
8. National Livestock Producers Assn.
9. National Milk Producers Federation
10. United Dairy Industry Assn.
11. Associated Milk Producers, Inc.
12. U.S. Beef Breeds Council
13. Purebred Dairy Cattle Assn.
14. American Hereford Assn.
21. American Hereford Assn.
22. American Int'l. Charolais Assn.
23. American Maine Anjou Assn.
24. American Polled Hereford Assn.
25. American Red Brangus Assn.
26. American Shorthorn Assn.
27. American Simmental Assn.
28. Beefmaster Breeders Universal
29. Holstein-Friesian Assn. of America
30. Int'l. Brangus Breeders Assn.
31. No. American Limousin Assn.
32. Red Angus Assn. of America
33. Santa Gertrudis Breeders Int'l.
34. Alabama Cattlemen's Assn.
35. Arizona Cattle Feeders Assn.
36. Arizona Cattle Growers Assn.
37. Arkansas Cattlemen's Assn.
38. California Cattle Feeders Assn.
39. California Cattlemen's Assn.
40. Colorado Cattle Feeders Assn.
41. Colorado Cattlemen's Assn.
42. Florida Cattlemen's Assn.
43. Georgia Cattlemen's Assn.
44. Hawaii Cattlemen's Council
45. Idaho Cattle Feeders Assn.
46. Idaho Cattlemen's Assn.
47. Illinois Livestock Assn.
48. Indiana Beef Cattle Assn.
49. Iowa Cattlemen's Assn.
50. Kansas Livestock Assn.
51. Kentucky Beef Cattle Assn.
52. Louisiana Cattlemen's Assn.
53. Maryland Cattlemen's Assn.
54. Michigan Cattle Feeders Assn.
55. Minnesota Beef Producers Assn.
56. Minnesota Livestock Feeders Assn.
57. Mississippi Cattlemen's Assn.
58. Missouri Cattlemen's Assn.
59. Missouri Livestock Feeders Assn.
60. Montana Cattlemen's Assn.
61. Montana Stockgrowers Assn.
62. Nebraska Livestock Feeders Assn.
63. Nebraska Stockgrowers Assn.
64. Nevada Cattlemen's Assn.
65. New Mexico Cattle Growers Assn.
66. New York Beef Cattlemen's Assn.
67. No. Carolina Cattlemen's Assn.
68. No. Dakota Cattle Feeders Assn.
69. No. Dakota Stockmen's Assn.
70. Ohio Cattlemen's Assn.
71. Oklahoma Cattlemen's Assn.
72. Oregon Cattlemen's Assn.
73. Pennsylvania Cattlemen's Assn.
74. So. Carolina Cattlemen's Assn.
75. So. Dakota Stockgrowers Assn.
76. So. Dakota Livestock Feeders Assn.
77. Tennessee Livestock Assn.
78. Texas Cattle Feeders Assn.
79. Texas & SW Cattle Raisers Assn.
80. Utah Cattlemen's Assn.
81. Virginia Beef Cattle Assn.
82. Washington Cattle Feeders Assn.
83. Washington Cattlemen's Assn.
84. W. Montana Stockmen's Assn.
85. W. Virginia Cattlemen's Assn.
86. Wyoming Cattlemen's Assn.
87. Wyoming Stock Growers Assn.
88. Arizona Beef Council
89. California Beef Council
90. Colorado Beef Board
91. Idaho Beef Council
92. Illinois Beef Ind. Council
93. Iowa Beef Ind. Council
94. Kansas Beef Council
95. Michigan Beef Ind. Comm.
96. Minnesota Beef Council
97. Montana Beef Council
98. Nebraska Beef Ind. Foundation
99. No. Dakota Beef Comm.
100. Ohio Beef Marketing Prog.
101. So. Dakota Beef Council
102. Washington St. Beef Comm.
103. Wyoming Beef Council
104. Empire St. Coun. of Ag. Orgs.
105. W. Va. Assn. of Ag. Ind.
106. Wisconsin Fed. of Cooperatives
107. American Dairy Assn. of Michigan
108. American Dairy Assn. of Montana
109. American Dairy Assn. of So. Dak.
110. American Dairy Assn. of Wisconsin
111. Capitol Milk, Inc.
112. Cent. Ohio Coop Milk Producers
113. Dairymen, Inc.
114. Goddess-of-the-Rockies Milk, Inc.
115. Idaho Dairyman's Assn.
116. Ind. Coop. Milk Prod. of Michigan
117. Lehigh Valley Milk Producers
118. Maryland Coop. Milk Producers
119. Maryland Va. Coop. Milk Prod.
120. McDonald Coop. Dairy
121. Michigan Milk Producers Assn.
122. Mid-America Dairyman's, Inc.
123. Midwest United Dairy Ind. Assn.
124. Montana Empire Dairyman's Assn.
125. SE United Dairy Ind. Assn.
126. SW United Dairy Ind. Assn.
127. Western Dairyman's Assn.
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Vote 'YES' in the Beef Referendum, July 5-15

The Beef Development Taskforce

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Organizations 'AGAINST'

1. Farmers Union
2. NFD
3. Meat Promoters of So. Dakota
4. Tennessee Farm Bureau

The Anthony Electric Building in the Plains Shopping Center looks complete once again, with the new front top.



WIFE-LY GATHERING -- U. S. Sen. John Tower of Texas, standing at right near the table, is participating in a discussion with the WIFE delegation from Spearman, Gruver and other areas of Hansford County during the recent trip to Washington, D. C., to confer with the appropriate officials about the plight of the wheat farmer who is reaping financially less from his wheat farming efforts.

Cattlemen Using Beef Referendum "Hotline"

Registration in the first national Beef Referendum began this week and Texas cattle producers are doing their "homework" before voting, according to the chairman of the Texas Beef Development Taskforce (BTD).

J.D. Sartwell, a rancher from Austin County and chairman of the state BTD, reports excellent response to a toll-free Beef Referendum "Hot Line." "We are getting dozens of calls each day from interested cattlemen," he says. "The vast majority indicate they favor the program, after getting their questions answered."

The most frequent questions, with Sartwell's answers, include: "WHO CAN VOTE?" "Anyone who owned cattle during 1976 is eligible to register and vote," he says. "This includes 4-H or FFA students who may have owned only a few head. Each producing entity—whether an individual, a family, partnership or corporation—is entitled to one vote. But they must register first."

"WHO WILL ADMINISTER THE PROGRAM?" "A 68-member Beef Board will administer the \$30 million to 40 million raised each year," says Sartwell. "These Board members will be cattle producers nominated by existing producers' organizations in each state."

"HOW WILL THIS PROGRAM BENEFIT CATTLE PRODUCERS?" "Beef research, education, promotion and foreign market development will be the stimulus needed to put the cattle business back on a profitable basis," he says. "This program will increase beef consumption and help stabilize market conditions which will benefit cattlemen and consumers alike."

"Nutritionist say the average American is eating only half of the meat needed for a good health," Sartwell adds. "Through nutrition research and consumer education, consumers will improve their diet and beef producers will get their fair share of any increase."

"IS IT A GOVERNMENT PROGRAM?" "No," declares Sartwell. "This is a producer program all the way—financed by producers and administered by produ-

cers. The role of the Secretary of Agriculture is limited to that of a referee—to assure that the program is administered according to the intent of the act, which is to help the beef industry."

"CAN I GET A REFUND PROMPTLY?" "Yes, any producer who is not satisfied that the funds are wisely

invested can request and get a refund within 60 days after the request is made," answers Sartwell. "This amounts to a Money-Back Guarantee."

Registration for the Beef Referendum began June 6 in more than 2,000 county ASCS offices across the U.S.

Cattle producers have until Friday, June 17, to register for the Referendum. Actual voting will be July 5-15 at the ASCS offices.

Texas cattle producers with additional questions can call, toll-free, 1-800-682-4106 for additional information on the Beef Referendum.



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 LB.

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Youth compete in AAU meet

The Amarillo Downtown Kiwanis Club sponsored an A.A.U. Track Meet, Saturday, June 25, at the West Texas State University Track in Canyon, Texas. Spearman which is sponsored by the City Summer Recreation Program, was well represented and turned in some fine performances. The field is not lighted and as track meets do, they run slightly behind schedule. The last running event was held about 11 p.m. by the light of the moon and several car headlights.

The following events were won by Spearman young people:

- Midget Division
- 50 Yard Dash
- Jodie Zschiesche
- Kelli Crawford (tie for 6th)
- High Jump
- Greg Meek - 3rd
- Byron Sutterfield - 4th
- 440 Yard Relay
- Billy Haden, Greg Meek, Byron Sutterfield, Pat Tucker - 6th
- Intermediate Division
- 880 Yard Run
- Jay Comegys - 3rd - 2.15.4 his personal best
- Pole Vault
- Kirby Hargis - 2nd
- 120 Yard High Hurdles
- Scott Martin - 2nd 14.6 his personal best
- 2 Mile Run
- Stan Sherwood - 6th
- Junior
- 440 Yard Relay
- Scott Alford, Wayne Meek, Rory Sheppard, Pat Tucker - 4th
- Discus
- Jimmy Haden - 6th

AAU Junior Track Meet Set

This year the West Texas A.A.U. Junior Olympic Track and Field Championships will be held at Bulldog Stadium, Borger, Texas on July 9, 1977. Preliminaries for the running events and the finals for the field events will begin at 9:00 a.m.

This Meet is sanctioned by the West Texas A.A.U. Association and is sponsored by the Borger Chamber of Commerce. Sears, Roebuck & Co. is the National Sponsor of the Junior Olympics Program.

This phase of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States is designed to encourage age-level competition between both boys and girls up to 18 years of age. The Program includes a variety of sports and is conducted each year throughout 58 District Associations of the A.A.U. and involves in excess of 100,000 A.A.U. volunteer workers.

In the year 1976, millions of youngsters competed in some phase of the A.A.U. Junior Olympics Program.

Long Jump
Wayne Meek - 4th
Senior Division
440 Relay
Layne Stephens, Jim Jones, Twane Friemel, Scott Sherwood - 1st
Long Jump
Jim Jones - 1st
Pole Vault
Jim Jones - 2nd
High Jump
Twane Friemel - 4th
120 Yard High Hurdles
Scott Sherwood - 2nd
Oppa Division
Pole Vault
John Holman - 3rd 14.6

Those participating in the meet were the following - Jody Zschiesche, Cindy Ivey, Timmy Willis, Rhonda Hall, Stephanie Friemel, Scott Sherwood, Kenneth Friemel, Jim Jones, John Holman, Scot Martin, Kirby Hargis, Coby Gambin, Stan Sherwood, Jay Comegys, Kelli Crawford, Scott Alford, Jimmy Haden, Mike Dixon, Wayne Meek, Rory Sheppard, Pat Tucker, Byron Sutterfield, Billy Ray Haden, Jeff Hand, Greg Meek, Andrea Mires.

Parents who provided transportation were: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Friemel, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Haden, Mrs. Allen Alford, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Meek, Mrs. John Sutterfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore, Mr. Al Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Sherwood.

The next track event will be in Borger, July 9th.

OLYMPIC TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS
BULLDOG STADIUM
BORGER, TEXAS
JULY 9, 1977
SANCTIONED BY WEST TEXAS AAU
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ELIGIBILITY - Age as of January 1, 1977 determines the division in which each will compete. Each contestant must be currently registered with the AAU and the registration number must be shown on the entry form. Each entry must be signed by the parent or guardian.

Entries must be postmarked not later than midnight July 2, 1977. Mail entries to P.O. Box 911, Borger, Texas 79007. Entry fee will be 50 cents for each individual.

RULES - AAU rules will govern this meet. A competitor may enter only one age and one relay. A competitor may enter a total of three events, including relays and field events.

FACILITIES - Bulldog Stadium, Borger High School - 6 lane 440 yd. all-weather track - dressing facilities available (clothing and equipment should not be left unattended). Short cleats for artificial surfaces or flat shoes will be required for all running events. Long jump and high jump. Throwing area for Shot and Discus is concrete surface.

A warm-up area will be provided on a practice field located at the northeast corner of the stadium. A staging area will be located between the warm-up field and the track. ALL COACHES, PARENTS, SPECTATORS AND CONTENTANTS NOT COMPETING WILL BE RESTRICTED FROM THE TRACK. An adequate loud speaking system will be installed to cover the warm-up area so that contestants will know when to report for their event. Heat and lane assignment will be made the day of the meet.

AWARDS - Medals will be awarded to the first three places in each event.

PRELIMINARIES - SIX BEST TIMES TO THE FINALS in running events, as necessary. No preliminaries in the 800 yd. run, mile run, 330 yd. hurdles, 400 meter hurdles, 1 mile race-walk, and 2 mile run. No preliminaries in field events.

Preliminaries for running events will begin at 9:00 a.m. Finals for field events will begin at 10:00 a.m.

QUALIFYING - FOR REGION - Top 2 in each of the selected events in Intermediate (14-15) and Senior (16-17) Divisions will qualify to compete in the Region IX and Championships to be held July 23 at Gregory Portland near Corpus Christi, Texas. All qualifiers for Region IX must supply the Meet Director with proof of age 10 days prior to the meet.

Swim team competes in Kansas

The Spearman Swim Team traveled to Colby, Kansas last Friday and Saturday for a meet with 15 other teams. This meet was a Junior Olympic meet and was open to any team in the Missouri Valley AAU.

The team over all performed very well and improvement was seen in those that swam. This meet was one of very difficult competition, and each individual did well. We can be proud of the progress of this young team. Gey Thomas was the only one to place. He placed 6th in the 30 yard Freestyle for boys 11-12. Tuwana Byrd did make Missouri Valley "B" qualifying time.

Those making the trip were Teresa Miesner, Robbie Heinrich, Stacy Thomas, Tuwana Byrd, Marissa Davis, Donna Wirsdorfer, Gary Thomas, and Kirk Davis.

The team has this week and next week to prepare for their next meet which will be Gaymon, Ok. on July 9th.

Tourney in Spearman July 1-3

SPEARMAN OPEN ENTRY BLANK July 1-3, 1977

NAME _____ PHONE _____
 ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____
 ENTRY FEES ENCLOSED _____ ENTER ME IN THE FOLLOWING (use abbreviations)
 EVENT _____ EVENT _____ EVENT _____
 PARTNER _____ EVENT _____ (limit of three events)
 PARTNER _____ EVENT _____

Include seeding information on the back of this form.

EVENTS PLEASE CHECK
 Men's Adult Sing.
 Men's Over 30 Sing.
 Men's Over 30 Doub.
 Women's Adult Sing.
 Women's Over 30 Sing.
 Women's Over 30 Doub.

FEES ARE: \$5.00 - Singles \$10.00 - Doubles
 18 Boy's Sing.
 18 Boy's Doub.
 16 Boy's Sing.
 16 Boy's Doub.
 14 Boy's Sing.
 14 Girl's Sing.
 14 Girl's Doub.
 Mixed Doubles
 18 Girl's Sing.
 18 Girl's Doub.
 16 Girl's Sing.
 16 Girl's Doub.
 14 Girl's Sing.
 14 Girl's Doub.
 Husband and Wife Doub.

PLEASE LIST PARTNER IN EACH DOUBLES EVENT.

The Second Annual Spearman Fire cracker Open Tennis Tournament will be held July 1-3 in Spearman and deadline for entry is no later than 7 p.m. Thursday, June 30.

All matches will be played at the Spearman lighted courts at Spearman High School. There will be an

entry limit of three events.

Trophies will be awarded first and second place winners.

All entries are to be sent to Teresa Barkley, P.O. Box 714, Gruver, Texas 79040, accompanied by checks for each event.

Fees are \$5 for singles and \$10 for doubles.

Entry blanks can be obtained at Cates Men and Boys West in Spearman, the Dairy Queen in Gruver or Spearman or use the entry blank printed in this paper.

Tee-age events will begin at 8 a.m. July 1.

Adult events will begin at 9 a.m. July 2. Mixed doubles and husband and wife doubles will begin at 5 p.m. Saturday.

All matches will be two out of three sets with nine points tie break at 6-all. The Van No-add system will be used through the semi-finals. A 30-minute default will be in effect with players held responsible for checking times of their events.

Teresa Barkley, Sheila Watley and Chuck Steele are the tournament directors this year.

A concession stand will be open all during the tournament for the convenience of patrons and players.

In announcing the tournament, it was stressed that the partner in each doubles event must be listed.

4th of July scramble

There will be an 18 hole Golf Scramble, Monday, July 4th. Tee-off time will be at 1:30 and the entry fee will be \$5.00. Depending on the number of entries, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places will probably receive prizes. Non-members will be charged a green fee, but are cordially invited. Come out to the Hansford Golf Club and enjoy the fourth with a good game of golf.

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