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Sunday May 18, 1986

Athletic Banquet

The 1985-86 Spearman High School Athletic Banquet was held Tuesday May 13th. The Spearman High School Cheerleaders were responsible for the outstanding program.

The Invocation was given by Julie Jones. The Welcome Address was given by Miss Hansford - Linda Evans. Dinner was served by the Junior High Cheerleaders, and it was excellent.

The Awards for 1985-86 High School Athletes were as follows: Brett Davis was named as the Outstanding Offensive Football Player. The Outstanding Defensive Player was James Smith. The Most Improved Football Player was Scott Swan. The Fighting Heart Award went to Tim Willis. The Purple Pride Award for the Outstanding Sports Fan went to retiring High School Principal Eddie Clemmons.

The Outstanding Basketball Boys Awards went to the Most Valuable Player Thad Reid; The Fighting Heart Award went to Tim Willis. Tim also won the Fighting Heart Award in Football.

The Outstanding Lynxette Basketball Awards went to Shannon Jenkins and Jill McLain; The Fighting Heart Girls Basketball Award went to Julie Jones.

The Boys Track Award went to Chris York. The Girls Track Award went to Jill McLain and Heather Murrell. The Boys Golf Award went to Carson Womble and the Girls Golf Award went to Karen Head.

Girls Tennis Award went to Shari Vernon, with the Boys Tennis Award going to Carl Urban. Outstanding Rodeo Award went to Dean Greene. The Outstanding Cheerleader Award went to Linda Evans.

An organizational meeting for the Spearman Booster Club will be held at the Teachers Lounge, Spearman High School, Tuesday May 20, at 7 p. m. All sports fans are urged to attend!

Markets

| | |
|-------|--------|
| Wheat | \$2.69 |
| Milo | \$4.25 |
| Corn | \$2.60 |

Mail Clinic Held

On Wednesday May 14, 1986 the Stinnett and Spearman Post Offices held a mail clinic at the Hansford County Library. The meeting was presented by Janet Starnes, Customer Service Representative from Amarillo, with the assistance of Postmasters Litch Sparks of Stinnett and T. Ray Robertson of Spearman.

The workshop provided information for all mailers about postal products and services and how to apply these to your business to achieve greater mailing efficiency and profitability.

Some of the subjects covered were: Addressing envelopes correctly for the upcoming postal automation systems, Express mail, Zip 4, and the various classes of mail.

The workshop was very informative and helpful to all who attended.



There will be a Neighborhood Crime Watch Prevention Program, Thursday May 22, 1986, 7:30 p.m. at the Hansford County Home Demonstration Building. The featured speaker will be John Bradshaw, Regional Crime Prevention Coordinator, from Amarillo.

Mr. Bradshaw is truly an expert in all aspects of crime prevention and all interested citizens are urged to attend. Also, all blocks wishing to participate in the Neighborhood Crime Watch Prevention Program should have a representative at this program. The program is being sponsored by the Spearman Rotary Club.

Hospital

Patients in Hansford Hospital are: Kiff White, Lemmie Russell, Celina Sintas, John Kenney, Buster Schott, Tony Henry.

Dismissals were: Chet Pittman, Blanche Steffen, Grace Bennett, Leona Harris, Joyce Cummings, Carolyn Close.

Weather

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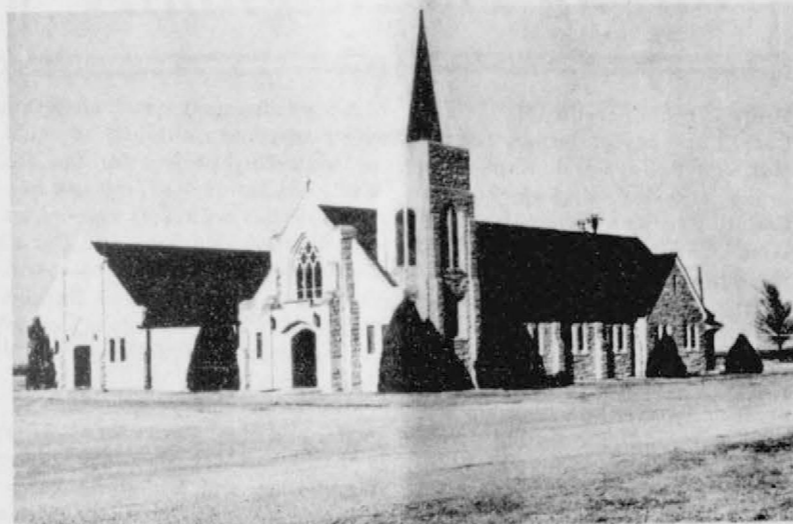
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High School Principal

Eddy Clemmons

Jr. High Principal, Ken Friemel, has been named to succeed high school Principal Eddy Clemmons, for the coming year. Eddie is retiring after serving in the Spearman school system approximately



The Oslo Community will have a Sesquicentennial Celebration, May 18, from 2-5 p.m.

There will be an exhibit show of art and crafts and some fine cooking and there will also be recipe books available for the gourmet cook.

The Children will be presented with a play directed by Melyn

Johnson.

So it is to your advantage and pure enjoyment that we invite you to attend the Celebration and come have a good time. Learn about the Norwegian and Swedish traditions and try some of their wonderful cooking.

Hansford County Farm Bureau

Hansford County Farm Bureau members can now buy infant car restraint seats at a special price from the manufacturer, and, in addition, be refunded the full cost, according to Delbert McCloy of Morse, county president.

"Car accidents are the leading cause of death for children under 5 years of age," said Delbert. "That is especially tragic when one realizes that most such deaths and serious injuries could have been prevented with a child-restraint seat."

Child-restraint seats are also required by law in Texas.

To encourage the use of such seats among Farm Bureau members who have small children, the Texas Farm Bureau is introducing the child-saver program.

Arrangements have been made with the manufacturer for Farm Bureau members to buy an infant

car seat for just \$20. The seat which normally retails for about \$60, can be kept or passed on to someone else when the child is older. Or, the member can choose to return it to the county Farm Bureau office for a full refund of \$20.

To obtain a Safe-T-Seat, members can pick up an order form at the county office at 307 W. Davis, Spearman. The order form is to be filled out and sent along with a check for \$20 to the manufacturer. The TFB will pay the difference, including shipping charges. The Safe-T-Seat will be shipped directly to the member.

The seat, a convertible model, is suitable for small children up to 40 pounds or 40 inches, meeting all federal standards. It is also approved for most commercial and general aircraft.

The number of safety seats will be limited to three per member. For additional information, contact the county office at Spearman.



CHRIS YORK

The outstanding Star Chapter Farmer for the year, is Chris York. The outstanding Star Chapter Farmer is the student who is the outstanding FFA member for the year.



KEITH CLARK

Keith Clark was named as the Star Greenhand, at the FFA banquet held here last week. The Star Greenhand is the outstanding freshman in FFA.

Junior High Honor Students Named Here



Bonnie Jarvis



Tiffany Womble



Nora Garcia



Daryl Hawkins



Nancy Ivey



Jami Maize



Cacy McGill



Mitzi Pearson



Tammy Butcher



Peggy Mendenhall



Maria Gomez



Rhonda Stumpf



Laci Lasater



April Graham



Haley Lair



Michelle Cook



Rebecca Rosales



Sunshine Smith

8th Grade Honor Students - 1985-86

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|--------------|------------------|--------|
| Vladictorian | Bonnie Jarvis | 96.666 |
| Salutarian | Daryl Hawkins | 95.866 |
| | Cacy McGill | 95.600 |
| | Peggy Mendenhall | 95.533 |
| | Laci Lasater | 95.366 |
| | Michelle Cook | 94.666 |
| | Tiffany Womble | 94.433 |
| | Nancy Ivey | 94.166 |
| | Mitzi Pearson | 94.133 |
| | Maria Gomez | 92.900 |
| | April Graham | 92.533 |
| | Rebecca Rosales | 92.100 |
| | Nora Garcia | 91.633 |
| | Jami Maize | 91.433 |
| | Tammy Butcher | 91.333 |
| | Rhonda Stumpf | 90.800 |
| | Haley Lair | 90.300 |
| | Sunshine Smith | 90.133 |



Jr. High Principal

Kenneth Friemel - Principal

HANDS ACROSS AMERICA

May 25, 1986



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Texas native Kenny Rogers, an award-winning country-western star, has announced that he will return to his home state to take part in the Hands Across America event May 25.

Rogers, a native of Crockett near Houston, is a national co-chairman for Hands Across America, the nationwide effort to raise at least \$50 million for domestic hunger and shelter programs.

"I'll be in the West Texas desert and I'll be bringing a number of friends with me," Rogers said. "I hope to see a lot of fellow Texans there."

He will be standing along Interstate 40 in the Panhandle near the New Mexico border, hoping to attract participants to the line from both states.

Texas has the largest section to the 4,000-mile cross-country route which will link the nation in a symbolic gesture of support for America's millions of hungry and homeless citizens on May 25. The Texas line, which stretches across the northern part of the state from Texarkana to west of Amarillo, is nearly 650 miles long, much of it through sparse populated areas. Special events are being planned along the route to entertain those who travel to join the line outside urban areas.

A scene at the Athletic banquet here Tuesday night.



Among The Neighbors

Proud grandparents this week are Carroll and Joyce Harper. Lee Bob Harper left Goodland, Kansas Saturday and the Kansas Sherman County Fair with the trophy for the Grand Champion Steer and also for the Grand Champion Showmanship Award. Enjoying the show with him were Tony and Lee Harper. The other son, Quentin, didn't show his steer at Goodland, but plans to show at Perry, Oklahoma the coming week-end. Other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cluck.

Mrs. D.O. Reynolds and Dallasene were well aware of the Mother's Day week-end welcoming family members. From Waka were Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Cudd and Mike. Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Reynolds and son, Kelly, came from Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nay from Richardson; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ray Reynolds and family of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lemons and Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Holt attended the funeral of Mrs. Nell Lemons in Panhandle Monday. Mrs. Lemons was the mother of Louis and the aunt of Mrs. Holt. She was 97 years old and the last of her family of seven. Also attending the services were sons of the Louis Lemons, James of Alabama, and Frank of Missouri.

A bountiful meal, good fellowship lovely weather combined to make Mother's Day perfect for the Bill Whitfords Sunday. Sharon and Bernard Dossett with Jeff came from Amarillo and also John and Christi Hunt. Bill and Jody Harnish with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Harnish and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dossett of Spearman shared the day with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Winegarner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Winegarner and Children, Verlan Winegarner and Brenda O'Brien visited the Winegarner's grandmother over the week-end. She lives in Campo, Colorado but is seriously ill in the hospital at Springfield, Colorado.

The banal mother-in-law jokes are not for Martha Latham. On Tuesday she and the all-day painting class being held in her studio were surprised by the arrival of her daughter in law, Hazel from Sunray. It happened that Tuesday was Martha's birthday, and Hazel brought a car load of salads for a luncheon for the entire group. Martha's two small grandchildren came along to assist in the surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robertson spent Mother's Day in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Annen, in Nazareth.



Dean Greene receives the Rodeo Award

*A life of sharing, caring
A love of endless giving together*

In the spirit of Christian joy, we and our parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baloglou, request the honour of your presence at our marriage on Saturday, the twenty-fourth of May, nineteen hundred and eighty-six at three o'clock in the afternoon at First Baptist Church in Spearman, Texas.

You are invited to join in worship and witness our vows. If you are unable to attend, we ask your presence in thought and prayer.

Reception following

Shelley and Chris



Carl Urban receives the Tennis Award



Julie Jones receives Basketball Girls Fighting Heart Award



James Smith received Outstanding Defensive Award for Football

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Tennis

On May 24th and 25th, Spearman's Open Tennis Tournament will begin. The Place will be at the Spearman High School's Omni Courts. All proceeds and concessions to benefit Spearman Chamber of Commerce.

The Cost will be \$8.00 per single event, \$16.00 per doubles team. Limit 2 events per person. Starting time is 8:30 a.m. May 24th.

Minimum age is 14 years old and Entry Deadline will be May 22nd, at 9:00 p.m.

Class Divisions will be Men's singles, Men's doubles, Women's singles, Women's doubles and Mixed doubles.

Please send entries with check payable to Spearman Chamber of Commerce, to Jeff Beedy 723 W. 7th, Spearman, Texas 79081.

Please be sure to include Name, address, Doubles partner(s), event and Name, Telephone and seeding information.

Tournament Directors are Jeff Beedy (W-(806) 659-3701, H-(806) 659-3847) or Scott Beedy (W-(806) 659-2518, H-(806) 659-3885)



Shannon Jenkins and Jill McLain were named the outstanding Lynxette basketball girls Tuesday nite.

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TOPS CHAPT # 1245 TOPS TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY. We Meet Thursday at 7:30 at Boys Beauty Salon, 310 W. 4th.

Panhandle Crisis Center 101 S. W. Forth, Perryton, Texas 79070, 806-435-5013. Help is available at no charge for domestic violence and sexual assault. Call Panhandle Crisis Center, receive support during a difficult time. Counselors on call 24 hours a day. Call for help.
19-rtn-nc

The Golden Spread Center, Inc. will host its' Annual Sustaining membership meeting May 18, 1986 at 2:00 p.m. 14 South Haney, Spearman, Texas, all members' are urged to be present.

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28-2tc

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Garage Sale

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28-3tp

Card of Thanks

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Ed Williamson

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Thad Reid receives Most Valuable Boys Basketball Player Award



Carson Womble receives Golf Award



Kris York receives a Track Award

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FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE
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REPUBLICAN
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER**
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City discusses Municipal Swimming Pool

City of Spearman
May 13, 1986
Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting

The City Council of the City of Spearman, Texas met in Regular Session in Council Chambers of City Hall, 30 S. W. Court, on May 13, 1986. Mayor C. Ralph Blodgett presiding. Aldermen present: Wilson McClellan, Ed Garner, Burl Buchanan, Mike Cudd. Alderman absent: Jim Nicholson. Staff present: Jim Murray - City Manager, Cheryl Gibson - City Secretary, Joe Raper - Police Chief, Ronnie Antalek - Fire Chief, Ed Williamson - EMS Director. Visitors present: Doug Bartosh - Manager of River Basin SCS, Monnie Edwards - Manager of Spearman Soil Conservation Service, Mike Crow - Outside Plant Supervisor for GTE, George Young - KRDF, Robert Queener.

At 8:00 p.m. Mayor Blodgett declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by City Manager Jim Murray and followed by the Invocation given by Ed Garner.

Consideration of the Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting held on April 22, 1986.

Motion was made by Garner to approve the minutes of Regular City Council meeting held on April 22, 1986, as written. Second by Buchanan. Motion Unanimously carried.

Consideration and review of the final Floodplain Management Study Report prepared by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Monnie Edwards and Doug Bartosh, representatives of the United States Soil Conservation Service, presented a final report on the City of Spearman's Floodplain Management Study. No action was taken.

A update report on the Installation of the New Electronic Switching Station in Spearman by the Operations Manager of General Telephone.

Mike Crow, Outside Plant Supervisor for GTE, was present and gave an updated report on the Construction of the New Electro-

nic Switching Equipment Station in Spearman. He stated that the Target Date for Conversion of the Station is November 1, 1986, but that completion was going very well and an earlier date for Conversion was possible. No action was taken.

Public Hearing concerning an application by the City of Spearman to the Texas Department of Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Grant for improvements in the Community.

A Public Hearing was held concerning an application by the City of Spearman to the Texas Department of Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Grant for improvements to the City's Water Distribution System. City Manager Jim Murray gave a report on the proposed sights where improvements will be made if the grant is accepted. No action was taken.

Consideration of Resolution #7-86 A Resolution providing the placement of 'No Parking' signs on a portion of State Highway 207 and providing for an effective date.

After discussion was held, motion was made by Garner to adopt Resolution #7-86 a Resolution providing the placement of 'No Parking' signs from the intersection of West 7th street with State Highway 207 to the South City Limit of such intersection of both sides of State Highway 207. That the 'No Parking' zone shall go into effect upon the placement of the proper signs. Second by Buchanan. Motion Unanimously Carried.

Consideration of the appointment of a Representative for the City of Spearman to serve on the Board of Directors of the Panhandle Emergency Medical Services.

Motion was made by Buchanan to appoint Michele Davis as the New Representative for the City of Spearman to serve on the Board of Directors of the Panhandle Emergency Medical Services.

Second by Cudd. Motion Unanimously carried.

Consideration of a Contract between the City of Spearman and the YMCA for the operation of the

Municipal Swimming Pool.

Motion was made by Garner to accept a contract between the City of Spearman and YMCA for the operation of the Municipal Swimming Pool with the new rate of admissions as follows; Children Under 12 - Daily Rate \$1.00, Children 12-18 - Daily rates - \$1.50, and Adults - Daily Rates - \$2.00

Season Passes are as follows; Children under 12 - \$40.00, Children 12 - 18 - \$50.00 and Adults \$60.00.

Family Passes - Family members listed living in Household only - \$150.00

Seconded by McClellan. Motion Unanimously carried.

Consideration of accepting the Special Commissioners Award for The Condemnation for a portion of James Martin Property.

Motion was made by Buchanan to accept the Special Commissioners Award for the Condemnation for a portion of James Martin property in the Amount of \$46,000.00 subject to the approval of the Federal Aviation Administration. Second by Garner. Motion Carried, McClellan abstaining.

Consideration of monthly fire, ambulance, police, municipal court, and animal control reports.

Motion was made by Cudd to approve the monthly fire, ambulance, police, municipal court, and animal control reports. Second by McClellan. Motion Unanimously carried.

Consideration of Monthly bills payable, current cash position, and revenue expense report.

Motion was made by Cudd to approve the monthly bills payable in the amount of \$520,311.37, current cash position, and revenue expense report. Second by Garner. Motion Unanimously carried.

Other
No action was taken
Adjourn

Motion was made by Garner to adjourn. Second by Buchanan. Mayor Blodgett declared the meeting adjourned at 9:18 p.m.

Mayor C. Ralph Blodgett
Attest:
Cheryl Gibson, City Secretary

continuous blast lasting approximately three (3) minutes.

Another form of warning used by the city is the Cable TV Warning System. With this system the city can interrupt regular programing and provide necessary information over Cable Television. During the course of a severe thunderstorm the city will keep the public informed by means of this system and provide emergency messages in the event a warning becomes necessary.

In the event of a power failure the city will utilize warning lights and sirens on the city's emergency vehicles to provide warning to the public. During threatening weather, City emergency vehicles will use their emergency lights and sirens for Warning Purposes Only. If, during a severe thunderstorm, you observe a police car, ambulance, or fire truck driving down you street with red lights and sirens on, Pay Attention! This may be the only warning you receive of an approaching tornado.

Keep you FM radio tuned to KRDF-FM 98 in Spearman during severe weather. The city will provide KRDF with emergency information concerning the Spearman area during warning situations.

When the danger has passed the City will give one short blast on the outdoor siren at City Hall. This will be the signal that all is clear, the city will also utilize Cable TV for this purpose. In the event of power failure, emergency vehicles will be utilized for this purpose.

WHAT TO DO DURING A TORNADO:

Take cover immediately when a tornado warning is issued. A tornado warning means that a tornado has been detected in or near the community.

Do not attempt to flee from the path of the tornado in a car or other vehicle. Over half of the deaths recorded in the Wichita Falls tornado in 1979 were attributed to people trying to escape in motor vehicles.

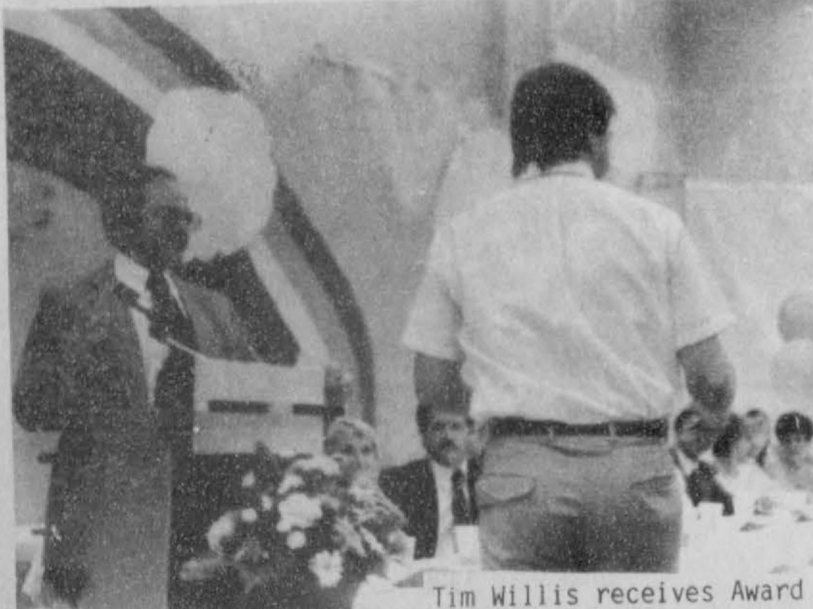
Abandon cars or mobile homes and seek shelter elsewhere. Automobiles and mobile homes afford the least safety during a tornado. If you are in a car when a tornado approaches, get out and head for the nearest ditch or depression if

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Heather Murrell receives Track Award

| STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF HANSFORD COUNTY RECONCILIATION WITH DEPOSITORY BANKS AS OF May 1, 1986 | | | | |
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| FUNDS | Book Balance 5/1/86 | Outstanding Checks | Outstanding Deposits | Book Balance 5/1/86 |
| JURY GENERAL | 8,609.40 | 3,489.46 | | 5,119.94 |
| Road & Bridge, General | 147,006.70 | 29,347.04 | | 117,659.66 |
| Precinct No. 1 | 35,769.39 | 5,602.68 | | 30,166.71 |
| Precinct No. 2 | 44,073.07 | 5,396.87 | | 38,676.20 |
| Precinct No. 3 | 47,146.75 | 1,104.29 | | 46,042.46 |
| Precinct No. 4 | 48,360.31 | 1,150.38 | | 47,210.93 |
| Road & Bridge, Precinct | 8,282.03 | | | 8,282.03 |
| No. 1 Improvement | 3,161.58 | | | 3,161.58 |
| No. 2 Improvement | 854.75 | 1,333.33 | | 1,488.08 |
| No. 3 Sinking | 4,751.40 | | | 4,751.40 |
| No. 4 Sinking | | | | |
| Revenue Sharing | 6,246.34 | | 750.00 | 6,996.34 |
| SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS | | | | |
| FUND | BALANCE 5/1/86 | RECEIPTS | DISBURSEMENTS | BALANCE 5/1/86 |
| JURY GENERAL | 8,709.70 | 29,700.48 | 29,460.78 | 8,949.40 |
| Road & Bridge, General | 114,639.60 | 259,708.39 | 327,343.29 | 146,904.70 |
| Precinct No. 1 | 29,294.80 | 130,038.90 | 122,540.41 | 36,793.29 |
| Precinct No. 2 | 22,035.17 | 156,364.18 | 133,525.28 | 44,874.07 |
| Precinct No. 3 | 40,598.49 | 142,110.17 | 125,541.86 | 47,166.80 |
| Precinct No. 4 | 20,619.80 | 154,263.67 | 126,623.16 | 48,260.31 |
| Road & Bridge, Precinct | 5,212.14 | 51,293.11 | 48,223.22 | 8,282.03 |
| No. 1 Improvement | 3,078.39 | 19,667.21 | 19,576.02 | 3,169.58 |
| No. 2 Improvement | 2,972.43 | 25,206.32 | 28,000.00 | 854.75 |
| No. 3 Sinking | 2,059.94 | 15,941.46 | 13,240.00 | 4,751.40 |
| No. 4 Sinking | | | | |
| Revenue Sharing | 13,927.31 | 16,518.54 | 24,199.51 | 6,246.34 |
| HANSFORD COUNTY INVESTMENTS: | | | | |
| Jury #1 | 15,000.00 | | | 15,000.00 |
| General #2 | 121,000.00 | | | 121,000.00 |
| Precinct #1 #8 | 45,000.00 | | | 45,000.00 |
| Precinct #2 #9 | 95,000.00 | | | 95,000.00 |
| Precinct #3 #10 | 91,000.00 | | | 91,000.00 |
| Precinct #4 #11 | 80,000.00 | | | 80,000.00 |
| Fund #12 | 43,000.00 | | | 43,000.00 |
| Fund #13 | 15,000.00 | | | 15,000.00 |
| Fund #14 | 25,000.00 | | | 25,000.00 |
| HANSFORD COUNTY INDEBTEDNESS: | | | | |
| Fund #15 | 25,000.00 | | | 25,000.00 |
| Fund #16 | 52,000.00 | | | 52,000.00 |



Tim Willis receives Award

Tornado Season

With tornado season upon us again, it is important that we refresh our memories about the types of warning the City of Spearman uses during an emergency and the correct action that should be taken when warning is given.

Every tornado is a potential killer and is capable of great destruction. Tornadoes can topple buildings, roll mobile homes, uproot trees, hurl people and animals through the air for hundreds of yards, and fill the air with lethal, windborne debris. Sticks, glass, roofing material, lawn furniture all become deadly missiles when driven by a tornado's winds. Since a large number of these tornadoes strike suddenly and with little or no warning, knowing what to do before and during a tornado could save your life.

During severe weather, the city uses two primary sources of information in determining a need to issue a warning. First, the National Weather Service is Amarillo provides the City with information on watches, warnings and tornado activity. They track storm movements by radar and often times are able to determine a storm's ability to form a tornado well before one is formed. Secondly, the City relies on police, fire, sheriff's units, and volunteer weather watchers to monitor its movements, and observe clouds which exhibits potential for developing a tornado. Many times these people are able to spot a tornado well before it is detected on radar. This can provide the city with a great deal of time to issue a warning and allow the public a little more time to seek a place of safety.

If a tornado is sighted which is a potential threat to this community, the City will activate the outdoor warning siren located at City Hall. When activated this siren will give a

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| | | | |
|--|--|--------------|----------------|
| | COKES NEW - 12-PACK | SAVE \$1.50 | \$3.49 |
| | KINGSFORD CHARCOAL | SAVE 70¢ | \$2.69 |
| | BOUNTY PAPER TOWELS | SAVE 30¢ | 69¢ |
| | UNITED HOMO MILK | SAVE 57¢ | 88¢ |
| | HUNT'S BARBECUE SAUCE | SAVE 60¢ | 69¢ |
| | PACKER TRIM BONELESS BEEF BRISKET | SAVE 40¢ LB. | 89¢ LB. |
| | ALL PURPOSE RUSSET POTATOES | SAVE 50¢ | \$1.49 |

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Pentecost Sunday

PENTECOST SUNDAY
Assemblies of God Believe in the Baptism in the Holy Spirit

The Assemblies of God is the largest Pentecostal denomination in the world with some 12.2 million believers in 110 countries--and is opening new churches at the rate of one a day.

The denomination is Pentecostal, a word which refers back to the baptism in the Holy Spirit which originally occurred on the Day of Pentecost in the Bible, Acts 2. On that original Pentecost day some 120 believers were baptized in the Holy Spirit as evidenced by the accompanying sign of speaking in an unknown language ("tongues").

Since that day, the numbers of Pentecostal Christians have increased dramatically, recent surveys indicating there may be as many as 100 million Pentecostal believers in the world.

THE PENTECOSTAL EXPERIENCE OF THE BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT IS ONE OF THE SCRIPTURAL DOCTRINES TAUGHT AND PRACTICED IN ASSEMBLIES OF GOD CHUR-

CHES. THE EXPERIENCE WAS COMMANDED BY OUR LORD JESUS. THE EXPERIENCE SHOULD BE NORMAL IN THE LIFE OF EVERY CHRISTIAN* THE ASSEMBLIES OF GOD BELIEVE.

INITIALLY* THE BAPTISM IS EVIDENCED BY THE SIGN OF SPEAKING IN OTHER TONGUES AS THE SPIRIT GIVES UTTERANCE. WHEN IT IS RECEIVED, IT INCLUDES THE RECEPTION OF POWER FOR LIFE AND SERVICE AS WELL AS THE GRANTING OF SPIRITUAL GIFTS FOR THE WORK OF THE MINISTRY OF EVERY BELIEVER. (Luke 24:49; Acts 1:4,8; 1 Corinthians 12:1-31; Acts 2:4)

A nearby Assemblies of God Church extends an invitation to you to visit the church and find out more about the baptism in the Holy Spirit. You are invited to worship, learn, share, pray, fellowship, believe, and grow with us. Come soon!!

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
401 N. Bernice St.
Spearman, Tx.

FRIDAY, MAY 23

CHEESEBURGER/BUN
SHOESTRING FRIES
SALAD BAR
JELLO/FRUIT MILK

Elementary & Jr. High
May 19-23

MONDAY, MAY 19

STEAK FINGERS
PATATOES/GRAVY
WHOLE KERNEL CORN
HOT BREAD/HONEY MILK

TUESDAY, MAY 20

FISH STICKS
GREEN BEANS
SCLOPPED POTATOES
RED JELLO MILK

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21

PIZZA BURGER/BUN
MIXED VEGETABLE
FRENCH FRIES
DICED PEACHES MILK

THURSDAY, MAY 22

BEEF BURRITOS
PINTO BEANS
CHOPPED SPINACH
PUDDING POP MILK

FRIDAY, MAY 23

CHEESEBURGER/BUN
FRENCH FRIES
SHREDDED LETTUCE
ONION/PICKLE
COOKIE MILK

High School Menu
May 19-23

MONDAY, MAY 19

CHICKEN PATTIE/BREAD
SALAD BAR
POTATOES/GRAVY
BANANA PUDDING MILK

TUESDAY, MAY 20

PIZZA BURGER/BUN
FRENCH FRIES
SALAD BAR
DICED PEACHES MILK

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21

STEAK FINGERS
POTATOES/GRAVY
SALAD BAR
HOT BREAD
HONEY MILK

THURSDAY, MAY 22

CHRISPIITOS
SALAD BAR
PINTO BEANS
CHEESE STICKS
PUDDING POP MILK



Linda Evans is Outstanding Cheerleader



Eddie Clemmons receives Purple Pride Award

Tornado - continued
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there is no better shelter immediately available.

If you are at home or at work, stay inside, away from windows and exterior walls, until the storm is over. The safest place in a home during a tornado is in the basement. If there is no basement, take shelter in a bathroom, a closet or under a heavy piece of furniture on the lowest level. Small rooms, such as closets or bathrooms in the center of a home or building offer the

greatest protection from flying objects. Such rooms are also least likely to experience roof collapse. Do not waste time opening windows or doors in an attempt to lessen the likelihood of damage from changes in atmospheric pressure. This theory is no longer considered valid. Tornadoes do their destructive work through the combined action of their strong rotar winds and the impact of windborne debris. In the most simple case, the tornado's push the windward wall of a building inward, the roof is lifted up, and other walls fall outward. You may waste valuable time opening windows and get caught by the tornado.

If a tornado strikes during school hours, teachers should keep children away from windows and seek shelter either in a designated area or in interior hallways. Concerned parents should not attempt to go out in the storm to pick up their children at school.

There is very little one can do about the property damage caused by tornadoes, but with early warning and proper action lives can be saved!

Hometown News

Sgt. 1st Class Jordan L. Jeffcoat, son of Susie Sursa of 521 Stewart St., Stinnett, Texas, was presented the Air Assault Badge upon graduation from the U.S. Army's air assault school at Fort Campbell, Ky.

Trainees learned to rapidly and safely exit a helicopter from a variety of difficult situations, whether descending into tree tops or lowering themselves or injured soldiers down sheer drops.

Jeffcoat is an equal opportunity advisor with the U.S. Army Garrison.

His wife, Marquette, is the daughter of Walt and Gearldine Meyer of 501 Austin, Borger, Texas.

He is a 1965 graduate of Stinnett High School.

Sunrise Oilfield Supply

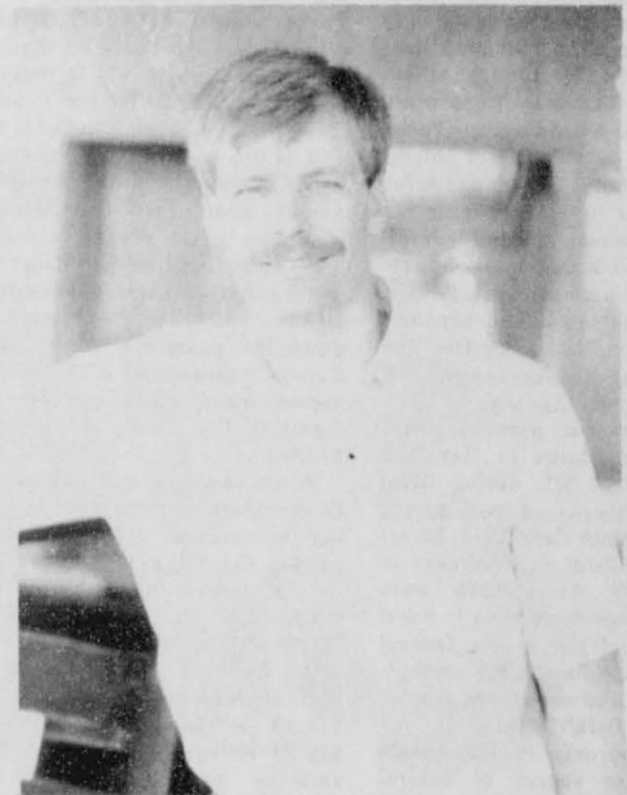
Sunrise Oilfield Supply is pleased to announce the opening of their newest Oilfield Supply store. Located at 121 South Country Estates Road, Liberal, the store features an in-house pump shop and hydraulic hose sales and service, along with a full line of Oilfield Equipment. Rick Dawson, area manager; Scott Butler, store manager; and Cindy Naylor, Administrative assistant, will serve the producers and drillers in the Southwestern Kansas area.

Dick B. Delano, President,

States: "We feel there is more quality production yet to be found in Southwest Kansas causing Liberal to be the Hub of Oilfield activity in Kansas and we want to be there to help make it happen."

The Corporate Headquarters for Sunrise Oilfield Supply Company are located in Wichita, KS. The toll free number is 800-362-1187. Sunrise has eight other supply stores in Western Kansas and the Texas Panhandle, with Tubular Services in Edmond, Oklahoma.

Congratulations Jeff



Jeff Beedy

Gillaspie Chevrolet-Olds, Inc. is pleased to announce the Association of Jeff Beedy to our courteous and friendly Sales Staff.

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Joe Close will host a CAR CARE Clinic at Gillaspie Chevrolet starting May 20th.

Federal Spending in Hansford County

Fiscal 1985

Direct federal spending in Hansford County increased by 49.3% from \$13,970,000 in fiscal 1984 to \$20,858,000 during fiscal 1985 according to a report recently released by the Department of Commerce. The federal government's fiscal 1985 began on October 1, 1984 and ended on September 30, 1985. Direct federal spending nationally increased from \$731.2 billion dollars in fiscal 1984 to \$788.9 billion during fiscal 1985 or by 7.9% while direct federal spending in Texas increased by 12.3%. Direct federal spending includes all expenditures made by the federal government except for federal loans and federally guaranteed loans, interest payments on the national debt, foreign assistance programs, and expenditures by the Postal Service, the Central Intelligence Agency and the National Security Agency.

Per capita (per person) direct federal expenditures in Hansford County were \$3,201, during fiscal 1985 having increased from \$2,174 or by 47.2% since fiscal 1984. Direct per capita federal expenditures in Texas during fiscal 1985 were \$2,798, or 7.4% more than in fiscal 1984. National per capita federal expenditures in fiscal 1985 amounted to \$3,289, and were 6.3% greater than during fiscal 1984.

Direct payments to individuals were a major source of federal spending in Hansford County during fiscal 1985. There amounted to \$7,278,000, during that year. Of this total, \$5,327,000, consisted of retirement and disability benefits for individuals. These include Social Security retirement and disability pension payments, retired civil service and military pensions, veterans' benefits and allowances and expenditures for medicare. The remaining \$1,951,000 in direct payments to individuals were mostly

those other forms of federal assistance for individual which are usually termed "transfer payments" or "entitlements". These include food stamp assistance and aid to dependent children.

Direct payments to individuals have been the largest single item in the federal budget since 1971. These accounted for 44.2% of all direct federal spending during fiscal 1985. Direct payments to individuals were 42.2% of federal expenditures in Texas during in fiscal 1985 and 34.9% of direct federal spending in Hansford County during that period. Retirement and disability payments nationally increased by 5.9% from fiscal 1985 to fiscal 1984 while other transfer payments increased by 10.6%. Retirement and disability payments in Hansford County increased by 4.7% over the period while other transfer payments in the county increased by 17.8%.

There has been and continues to be considerable controversy regarding increases in defense spending by the federal government. Total federal defense expenditures were \$209.7 bill during fiscal 1985 or 10.1% greater than those of fiscal 1984. Defense spending in Texas had increased by 14.0% from \$14.29 billion in fiscal 1984 to \$16.29 billion during fiscal 1985. Defense spending in Hansford County had increased to \$70,000, in fiscal 1985 or by 2.9%.

Not including grant funds which account for a substantial portion of total federal spending, other departments of Agriculture, Commerce, Housing and Urban Development, Interior, and Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency disbursed \$12,715,000 in Hansford County during fiscal 1985. The federal government does not provide a breakdown of these

figures on a local basis.

Other federal spending in Hansford County during the fiscal year included \$322,000, in grant awards. Specific details on all local grants were not provided. However, the largest sources for grant funds in most counties are the Departments of Agriculture, Education, Health and Human Services, Housing and Urban Development, Labor, and Transportation.

While the total of direct federal spending in Hansford County is substantial, as noted, it does not include another important source of federal money in the county: federal loans and federally guaranteed loans. These are not included in direct federal spending figures because, as loans, it is presumed that these funds will eventually be repaid to the federal government.

Federal loans and federally guaranteed loans encompass a variety of programs. These include emergency farm disaster loans, rural electric loans and loan guarantees, Small Business Administration loans, student loans for higher education, community development loans, many of the various housing loan programs, as well as others.

Direct federal loans in Hansford County were \$10,470,000 during fiscal 1985 while federally guaranteed loans in Hansford County was 71.8% greater in fiscal 1985 than during fiscal 1984. Nationally, the total of federal loans declined by 14.6% during the period reflecting the Administration's efforts to reduce or limit federal lending activity.

The total of direct and indirect federal spending in Hansford County was \$33,314,000, during fiscal 1985. It is apparent that federal spending provided a major source of funds for the economy of Hansford County during that time.

SPEARMAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

DATE: May 24 and 25, 1986

PLACE: Spearman High School's Omni Courts

BENEFACTOR: Tournament proceeds and concessions to benefit Spearman Chamber of Commerce

COST: \$8.00 per single event, \$16.00 per doubles team. Limit 2 events per person. Starting time 8:30 a.m. May 24.

MINIMUM AGE: 14

ENTRY DEADLINE: May 22, 9:00 p.m.

| | A | B | C |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Men's singles | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Men's doubles | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Women's singles | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Women's doubles | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| Mixed doubles | ----- | ----- | ----- |

Name: -----

Doubles partner(s):

Address: -----

Event ----- Name -----

Telephone: -----

Event ----- Name -----

Seeding information:

Send entries, with check payable to Spearman Chamber of Commerce, to:

Jeff Beedy
723 W. 7th
Spearman, Texas 79081

Tournament Directors: Jeff Beedy
W - (806) 659-3701
H - (806) 659-3847

Scott Beedy
W - (806) 659-2518
H - (806) 659-3885

Museum News

The Stationmaster's House Museum Board met in regular session May 12th at the Museum, at 2:00 P.M. Helen Boyd presided.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read. Rubyjo gave the financial report.

The upcoming Hansford County Roundup Days was discussed. Again this year the Museum board will be serving coffee and cookies for all the Old Timers at the Ford Agency. The Jaycoes will furnish free barbecue tickets to the persons coming to Hansford County before 1911. Come out and meet your old friends-- some you may not have seen since last year.

Craig Hutchison is now working on display cases for the north room of the depot. There will be a slight difference from the ones he made before. Before too long the whole depot will be put in order. We think you will like it.

Have you bought your donation raffle ticket on the Sesquicentennial Commemorative Rifle? If not, stop by the Museum and see the beautiful gun on display there. The tickets are \$5.00 each or three for \$10.00. The design is one of a kind and will not be repeated. In fact, there are only 15,000 manufactured. You might be the lucky one! The rifle will be given away at our Gun Show later on in the year.

Members present at the meeting were Helen Boyd, Rubyjo Wilbanks, Juanita Pierce, Gus and Clementine Renner.



Mr. Davis accepts Outstanding Offense Award for Brett Davis

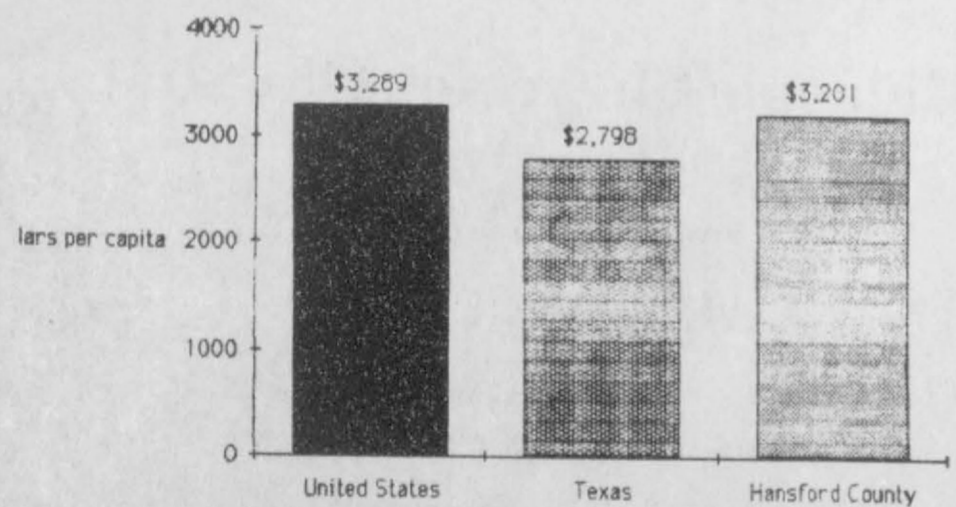


Tim Willis receives Basketball Boys Fighting Heart Award

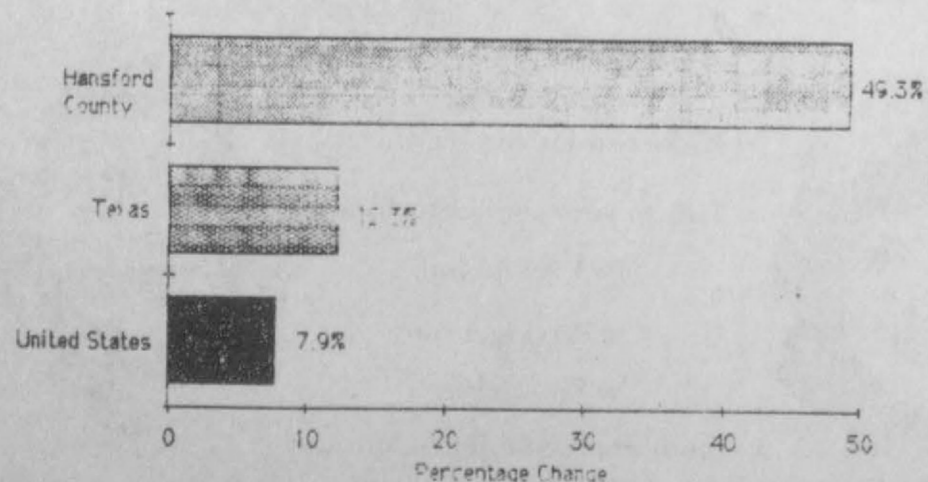


Thanks to Gerri Maize and head Cheerleader Linda Evans for the outstanding banquet Tuesday night

Per Capita Federal Spending - Fiscal 1985



Changes in Direct Federal Spending Fiscal 1984 to Fiscal 1985



Shari Vernon receives Girls Tennis Award



Heather Murrell and Jill McLain receive Track Award

| AMBULANCE REPORT FOR APRIL 1986 | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| DATE | INCIDENT LOCATION | PATIENT DELIVERED TO | TYPE CODE | TOTAL TIME |
| 4-01-86 | HANSFORD MANOR | NO TRANSPORT | STANDBY | 16 MIN |
| 4-02-86 | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | HIGH PLAINS BAPTIST | BLS 2 | 4 HRS 26 MIN |
| 4-03-86 | 204 TOWNSEND | VA-AMARILLO | BLS 1 | 6 HRS 07 MIN |
| 4-05-86 | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | ST. ANTHONY'S | ALS 2 | 4 HRS 56 MIN |
| 4-05-86 | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | GOLDEN PLAINS-BORGER | BLS 1 | 2 HRS 30 MIN |
| 4-11-86 | 500 BLK HWY 207 | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | BLS 1 | 58 MIN |
| 4-11-86 | 500 BLK HWY 207 | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | BLS 1 | 58 MIN |
| 4-11-86 | 500 BLK HWY 207 | NO TRANSPORT | - | 58 MIN |
| 4-11-86 | 204 TOWNSEND | NO TRANSPORT | - | 32 MIN |
| 4-17-86 | 204 TOWNSEND | GOLDEN PLAINS-BORGER | BLS 2 | 3 HRS 32 MIN |
| 4-17-86 | NURSNICKEL HOTEL | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | ALS 2 | 1 HR 08 MIN |
| 4-18-86 | HANSFORD MANOR | HIGH PLAINS BAPTIST | BLS 1 | 5 HRS 05 MIN |
| 4-22-86 | HIGH PLAINS BAPTIST | HANSFORD MANOR | BLS 1 | 5 HRS 10 MIN |
| 4-23-86 | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | ST. ANTHONY'S | BLS 1 | 4 HRS 54 MIN |
| 4-26-86 | RODEO GROUNDS | STANDBY-12:00 P.M. PERFORMANCE | 3 HRS 33 MIN | |
| 4-26-86 | RODEO GROUNDS | STANDBY-7:00 P.M. PERFORMANCE | 3 HRS 40 MIN | |
| 4-28-86 | 321 BARKLEY | HANSFORD HOSPITAL | ALS 1 | 1 HR 23 MIN |
| AMARILLO RUNS | | | | 6 |
| COUNTY RUNS | | | | - |
| LOCAL RUNS | | | | 4 |
| OTHER RUNS | | | | 2 |
| NO TRANSPORT | | | | 5 |
| TOTAL TIME | | | | 48 HRS 15 MIN |
| MANHOURS | | | | 118 HRS 11 MIN |
| YTD MANHOURS | | | | 474 HRS 20 MIN |



PROCLAMATION

"DON'T MESS WITH SPEARMAN, KEEP TEXAS BEAUTIFUL WEEK"
MAY 19 - 26, 1986

TO THE CITIZENS OF SPEARMAN, TEXAS:
WHEREAS, it is of the utmost importance that the City of Spearman be sightly and attractive to encourage future growth; and
WHEREAS, it is to the benefit of all citizens to participate in a cleanup campaign for the betterment of their own property; and
WHEREAS, the success of this project would depend upon each citizen to participate; and
NOW THEREFORE, I, C. Ralph Blodgett, Mayor of the City of Spearman, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby proclaim May 19 through May 26, 1986, as

"DON'T MESS WITH SPEARMAN, KEEP TEXAS BEAUTIFUL WEEK"
in and for the City of Spearman, and do encourage all citizens to participate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the City of Spearman, Texas.

DATED the Seventh day of May, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-six.

C. Ralph Blodgett
MAYOR C. RALPH BLODGETT



Tops News

TOPS #TX1245, Spearman meet in regular session, Thursday, May 15 at 7:30 with Leader, Marion Rogers calling meeting to order. Wayne Biggs and Ivan Allen were voted inspirational Angel for last month. Ivan Allen was awarded the Basket and led the TOPS Pledge. Voting for the Awards Night was done based on Enthusiasm, Self-Improvement, Congeniality and Loyalty of the members. Ivan Allen gave treasurer report and meeting was adjourned.



Coaches at the Annual Spearman High School Athletic Banquet Tuesday night.

Dear Texas Taxpayers,

Recently Dr. Skip Casey, San Angelo Central High School principal, stated the following in the March 1986 issue of Texas Coach:

House Bill 72 is the bill that disenfranchised the voters of Texas by creating an appointed state school board, forced an increase in local school taxes in a majority of the state's school districts, dramatically reduced the power of the local school board, and created a system of merit pay that effectively destroyed the morale of the educators of the state.

We feel that there are many things that should be studied closely by the leadership of our state and action be taken to correct the problems created by House Bill 72, the educational reform act. Listed below are some of these things.

- *Career Ladder-After completion \$100 million per year from state taxes \$200 million per year from local taxes
- *Teacher Testing-Already spent \$29 million total \$4.7 million in the development, scoring, and administration of the test \$1.3 million involved in the retaking of the test on June 28 \$2 million in escrow for the publisher's protection from lawsuits \$21 million in teachers' salaries paid for test taking instead of classroom instruction
- *Future Teacher Testing-\$48 million total projected cost \$27 million in development, scoring, and administration of the test \$21 million in teachers' salaries paid for test taking instead of classroom instruction
- *Unemployment (Because of test scores) ??? Local Tax Dollars
- *New Accountability System More paperwork has been added which adds nothing to the enrichment of the students' learning but merely takes away instructional time with the teacher
- *"No-Pass, No-Play" Length of the six weeks penalty period is unfair to the students
- *Appraisal System-State mandated for 1986-1987 Local taxes are funding the system
- *Student Exit Level Test \$5 million for development

We would appreciate your help and support in trying to change some of these things. It is in the best interest of Texas citizens to be informed about these things and make changes where necessary.



Scott Swan received Most Improved Football Player Award

Do You
A tournist is a person who thinks a farmer wouldn't care if someone took a dozen ears of corn.
-News, San Francisco.

They Are
Some of the best boy scouts are girls.
-The Blujacket.



NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH
A Community Approach to Crime Prevention

This short article will tell you how the Neighborhood Watch program works and how to organize and maintain a successful Watch in your area. Neighborhood Watch was created by law enforcement officials to obtain citizen involvement in discouraging and preventing residential crime. The program uses citizen involvement to secure homes and personal property and to report any suspicious activity to the police. Since its creation approximately ten years ago, it has brought a dramatic drop in the local residential crime rate.

How neighborhood watch works
Neighborhood Watch operates to educate participants in the principles of deterrence, delay, and detection. The program depends on a communication network organized with three levels of participants — the resident, block captains and co-captains, and a local law enforcement representative. Vigilante actions are in no way condoned by the Neighborhood Watch program. No one is asked to take personal risks or be a hero.

Organizing a program
• Visit your neighbors and tell them you are interested in discouraging crime in the neighborhood. Ask for help toward this goal.
• Organize a neighborhood meeting. Contact your local law enforcement representative to address the group or e present to answer questions.
• Some police departments require neighborhood to qualify for the pro-

gram by having a specified percentage of participants.
• If the group decides to organize a Neighborhood Watch program, block captains and co-captains should be elected.
• Block captains should prepare a watch map listing names, addresses, telephone numbers, and license plate numbers and vehicle descriptions for each residence on their block. Copies should be distributed to each household.
• Many police departments have crime prevention officers available to perform a security survey on each residence in the neighborhood. Participation in Operation I.D. may also be required or encouraged.
• Once the police department's requirements are met, block captains should erect street-size Neighborhood Watch signs at each entrance to the neighborhood or block. Local police agencies can be contacted to furnish signs, but in some areas participants have to furnish their own.

Program duties
Since awareness and involvement are the keys to a successful program, keeping interest high and continuing the group's crime prevention education must be a primary focus of all participants. Specific duties include:
Block Captain/Co-captain
• Schedule periodic group meetings (at least every six months), and encourage each homeowner to attend.
• Act as a liaison between homeowners and the police.

• Invite your crime prevention officer to address the group and show films on such topics as home security, rape prevention, child molestation, and crimes against the elderly.
• Coordinate home security surveys and Operation I.D.
• Keep the watch map date current.
• Disseminate any special information to the group such as crime patterns in the area, homeowners that are on vacation, or attending a function listed in the newspaper such as a wedding or funeral.
• Distribute newsletters to members.
• Organize and coordinate auto patrols in rural areas where houses are not close together.
• Coordinate with the Law Enforcement Explorer Scout program if it is available in your area.
Resident
• Attend the program meetings and read the newsletter.
• Secure your home and personal property. Follow the recommendations from the security survey and participate in Operation I.D.
• Be alert to suspicious activity and report it immediately.
• Have your newspaper stopped and mail picked up when away.
• Inform your neighbors and block captain if you plan to be away so that special attention can be given to your home.
Neighborhood Watch is a proven crime reduction program. But, like any self-help activity, its success depends upon you and your neighbor.

There will be a Neighborhood Crime Watch Prevention Program, Thursday May 22, 1986, 7:30 p.m. at the Hansford County Home Demonstration Building. The featured speaker will be John Bradshaw, Regional Crime Prevention Coordinator, from Amarillo. Mr. Bradshaw is truly an expert in all aspects of crime prevention and all interested citizens are urged to attend. Also, all blocks wishing to participate in the Neighborhood Watch Crime Prevention Program should have a representative at this program. The program is being sponsored by the Spearman Rotary Club.

Citizens interested in the Spearman Neighborhood Watch Crime Prevention Program are urged to complete the following form and mail it to:

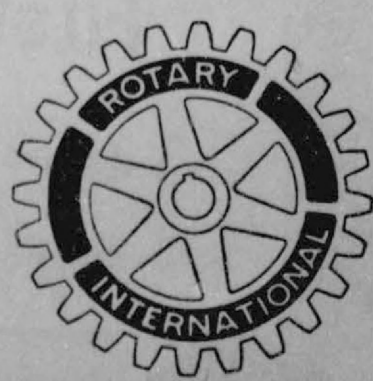
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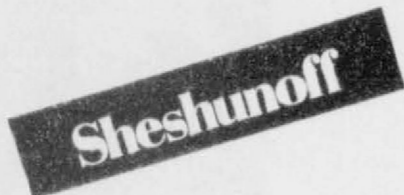
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Are you interested in being a block captain or helping in any other way? YES _____ NO _____

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