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## Larry Holt, Clarence Renner

 elected to Co-op board here!\begin{abstract}

| Vic Kyler and his stage band, plus a champion- ship saxaphone quarter from Spearman High School entertained the largest Cpnsumers Sales $\mathrm{CO}_{0}$ in the co-op's history at the Jr. High Thursday nite. Highlight of the evening members to the board. Clarence Renner was reelected, and Larry Holt was a new member el- ected to replace Newell Allen, who has served or three years, and asked Dick Hudson <br> Dick Hudson, manager of the co-op along with Duke Roberis were given and entertainment. Master of ceremonies was The invocation for the evening was given by John Trindle. Representatives of Farmiand Industries Vemon Lewis and R. C. Lewis gave a very interesting talk, complimen- ting the Spearman Conting the Spearman Con- sumers Co-op for their fine progress and service unity for the past several years. It was atso learned that the beautiful new co-op station building will |  |
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Pittman Seeks City Alderman Post

## Beedy Announces For Councilman



Brad Beedy


Bill Pittman


opinion known.

## Messer's Department

## Store Opens

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## Offers dry goods as well as the latest styles for men, women, and children and the "tweeners" and "teeners" In the meantime, get acIn the meantime, get ac quainted with the Messers, uainted with the Messers them to "old Broadway" in

 downtown Gruver.Hansford County 2nd In Wheat Production

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## Christian Church

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## Absentee Voting

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Announces Candidacy




## Calendar Of

Events

MONDAY, MARCH 29
Rotary Club - Martin's Steak Gatden
Dahla Flower Club - Home of Mrs. Garrett Allen
Weilght Watchers - Home Demostration Weight Watchers - Home Demonstration Club Room
Lion's Club - Plains Restaurant Short Bridge Club - Homee of Mrs. Tom Etuer
Book Review Club - Home of Mrs, John Berry Book Review Club - Home of Mrs. John Berry
Ladies Dinner Bridge Club - Home of Mrs. Troy
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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31
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Steven Slater
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Happy Homes Home Demonstration Club - Home of Mr. Jerry Younger
FRIDAY, APRIL Arts \& Crafts Guild -
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& \text { Mrs. Pat Cates }
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fisher, recently returned
from Houston where he was one of the judges of the
Mis Texas Teen-ager Pageant. Thin
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Mme.. Fred Holt, P. A. Lyon, Lawrence Anthony and Ed Gamer are shown here as whey istened to Boy Ranch public Information Manager Louit Hendricks, as he gave
the program for the Twenticth Century Club meeting in the Deta Blodgett home Thursday


Twentleth Century Club Memben, Mmet, C. A. Kleeberger, O. C. Hott, John Brown,
Terry Curtis, and Frank Davis are thown here at the Twentictic Century Club meeting


Members attending the special Twentieth Century Clubp program Thunday are left to
ight Mmes. Olin Sheets, C. U. Pope, and Woodville Jarvis.

## TO THE VOTERS OF THE

## SPEARMAN DISTRICT

As a candidate for a position on the Board of Trustees of the Spearman Independent School District, I would like to board.

I have lived in Spearman most of my life. My wife, Glenda and I have two children, Mark and Carrie Ann, who are presently attending Spearman Elementary School. I am cur rently serving on the board of the First United Methodist Church and the board of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce. I own and operate a business here in Spearman, as well as farm and ranch land, therefore $I$ am quite aware of our in
creasing tax burden and will of course be concerned with our tax dollars.

I believe that we in Spearman are very fortunate in that we have a school system that is second to none. I have no cones to pick", just a desire for our children to receive well rounded quality education. If elected, I will conobjective mind trying always to use logical reasoning to determine how I will vote on issues as they arise, with the goal of our children's welfare and education foremost in mind.
Let me close with a reminder to please execute your privi ledge to vote on Saturday, April
port will be greatly appreciated.

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## Cookies For Boys Ranch


#### Abstract

Speaman wernent the Sun- tury Club honored Texas   of tome-baked cookles to tote bon of Cal Farley Boy Ranch.    with a can of home-bakes cookice. That goal was realized because every member of the club ydd member of the Club did her part, and a litte bit The cookes were pre-- sented to guats speaker, sented to guest speaker, Mr. Louit Hendricks, Public Information Man- agee at Boys Ranch, and auntor of "No Rule or Gultelines $a$ bilography of Cali Fariey, founder of Boy Ranch. Mr. Hendirick reported on the innumeable accomplisthenens of Boys Ranch since its inceptin  prepared by Channel 4 . hot nowng everyday life at Boms Ranch. M. Hendich reported nt   by channelt 4 , stow prepar everyany life at Bown   The on aise mose of thelf food mik thelr boric the met  learn mecharical and asar- pentry york, and prepare pentry work, and prepare and serve the meass sn the dining room. Each boy         humanitatran hopes and dreams are lving  tho Itve and work wheren and in the boys themstives and     when the Hass brary brary, This meeting took phace at the home of Deta atiod,    film presentation, and to Mr . Douce Presidident, those members 


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"We are getting up a convoy" according to instructor Clande Newell at Spearman High School! This group of bus drivers (26 in all) participated in the driver trainillg, a course in school bus safety education, conduct-
ed at the Spearman Iligh School, by schooi counselor Glaude Newell. This course is approved by the central education agency, and Texas Dept, of Public Safety. This group of fine school bus drivers also were briefed



CONS IMERS CO-Op prestident Mike Garnert top left, John Trindle, Mike Holt, C. J. Renner, Newell
Allen, and Ray Phelphs head the Spearman organization.




Republican Women Host Luncheon $\begin{array}{lll}\begin{array}{ll}\text { The Republican Women } \\ \text { of Hansford County met }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Brandon, Reagan District } \\ \text { Chairman from Amarillo; }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Nadine Gtegg and Charlene } \\ \text { Lacy, Reagan District Co- }\end{array}\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{lll}\text { of Hansford County met } & \text { Chairman from Amarillo; } & \text { Lacy, Reagan District Co- } \\ \text { March 19th for a 1 } 1: 00 \text { P. M, } & \text { and Don H. Reavis, Ford } & \text { Chaimen, both from Amar- }\end{array}$ luncheon at the EI Va quero District Chairman from illo, were also guests for in Gruver with James C . Dalhart, as guest speakers. illo, were als
the meeting.

## ATTENTION

## Farmers <br> Stockmen

PANHANDLE LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO.

Would like to announce a change in sale date. Auction will be held every Friday, starting March 5th, 11:00 A.M. C.S.T. If you have any consignments or need information on special sales, contact Bill Blackmore, 338-3378, H.W.Y. 54 NE Guymon. Home phone 349-2583.

Jim Brandon stated that votes to cast for four of the
Ronald Reagan was doing Ronald Reagan was doing delegates and that the voter
much better than some re. ports showed and noted that Reagan or all Ford delegates. because of some prior pre- The vote can be split, votcinct caucuses thatit was anticipated that Reagan Ford and two delegates for would receive 36 delegates Reagan for example. from lowa; 38 delegates In Mr. Reavis' support of from the state of Washing- Gerald Ford for president, ton: 19 delegates, A laska; he pointed out that as Pre18 from Nevada; and 36 delegates from Oklahoma -with hopefully all of South
Carolina! Carolina!
Jim Brandon said, "when
Reagan took office Reagan took office in 1967
as governor of California, as governor of California, with a deficit of 194 mil Iion dollars and when Reagan left office in 1975 thete was a surplus of 500 million dollars."
The number of individuals on welfare roll in California decreased by 400,000 . Individuals on welfare were offered jobs in the free enterprise system and after the second offer was refused by an individual they were then dropped from the welfare roll. The truly needy received a $4 \%$ increase in Benefits." Mrent. Brandon also stated
Ment that the Rea gaul support caine from the grass roots and not the party machinery. It is the first time Texas Republicans can direetly elect their delegates to national corfventions as prior to this it was done at the state convention. Don Reavis, Ford Chairman, stressed the importance of solid support of the . nominee that emerged from he National Convention in Kansas City in Aujust, Don also instructed his audience
that in voting in the May 1 that in voting in the May 1
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mark last week. As to the embargo on grain, Reavis said that George Meany and the Democratic Congress were to blame. The Labor organizations were allowed so very much power from the past Democratic Congresses that when Meany said we will not load the ships, he had the power to stop the shipmen
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The program was conclud The program was conclud swers period. Twenty seven guests and members at tended the Friday meeting.

| CROSS WALK PATROL SCHEDULE <br> March 29, Morning, Orlene Martin; Aftemoon, Carol Stumpf. <br> March 30, Morning, Winnie Carol Urban; <br> Afternoon, Gladys Dunaway <br> March 31, Elaine Odegaard, Morning; Glend Guthrie, Afternoon. <br> April 1, Vicky Bullard, <br> Morning; Marilyn Groves, Afternoon. <br> April 2, Morning, Carmen Laird; Afternoon, Mrs. Roy Saldavar. |
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## Irwin Named Chairman of Credit Conference

| GRUVER, TEXAS.-. <br> Kenneth Irwin, President of the Gruver State Bank, Gruver, Texas, was recently elected Chairman of the Bankers Agriculthural Credit Conference. the joint sponsouship of the Texas Bankers Association and the Department of Agricultural EcUniversity. It is planned by bankers for bankers, primarily in the West Texas area. The primary thrust of the conference is to provide the latest used to develop and formulate loan policies for zricultural and agri- | búsiness loars. The conference is structured to obtain the latest developments and thinking on legislative and economic conditions that can influence agriculture and banks serving the agri- cultural ind ustry. ${ }^{2}$. cultural industry. Wry the Department of Agricultural Economics, acts as coordinator of the conference, and it is held the fist week-end in December of each year December of each year at Texas Tech. Other Conference Directors are Gene Mclaughlin, President, Securty State Bank \& Trust Company, Ralls; O. R, Stark, Jr.: President, First National | Bank, Quitaque; Jchn Wright, President, Fist State Bank, Abllene; Thad McDonnell, Prealdent Levelland State Bank, Levelland; Pierce Mliler, Jr., Vice President, San Angelo National Bank, San Angelo; Kenneth L. Burgess, President, Olton State Bank, Olton; and Gene Phillips, President, Firat National Bank, Panhandie. <br> Never Truer <br> The American Cancer Society still stands behind its slogan, "We Want to Wipe Out Cancer in Your Lifetime." Your contribution can help make it come true. |
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