

Palo Duro Camp

# Cowboy camp meeting June 16

Come join us for an OUTDOOR CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE! The third Palo Duro Cowboy Campmeeting will be June 16-19 and will be 1 1/2 miles east of Gruver, at the rodeo arena. There are many family activities planned, including a team roping with buckles and

bibles for the winners. We will all be camping outdoors and eating family style with all meals provided. There is no charge, but contributions will be greatly appreciated.

The camp will open Thursday evening with supper and worship

service. The cowboy theme will be spiritually led by Ed Robb, Methodist Evangelist from Marshall. Jimmy Cooper, 1981 World Champion Cowboy, from Monument, New Mexico, Lonnie Satterfield, youth leader, from Wichita, Kan., and B.C. "Happy" Hopper will be the Music Minister from Reeds Spring, Mo.

We have lots of activities planned for all four days, so don't miss a minute. Fellowship and singing around the campfire are sure to be favorites. If you play an instrument be sure and bring it.

For further information contact Keith or Merry Bateman, (806) 733-2252 evenings or Harley Murrell (405) 338-5349 evenings.



This slugger makes it safe to first base ... One of the many programs sponsored by the Hansford County Activity Center is Coach pitch

baseball. The Activity Center is currently having a membership drive. Their goal this year is \$40,000. Anyone can donate or buy a membership.

PALO DURO COWBOY CAMPMEETING  
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THURSDAY JUNE 16TH

- 6:30 P.M. - SUPPER
- 7:30 P.M. - SINGING
- 8:00 P.M. - EVENING SERVICE
- AFTER SERVICE CAMP FIRE FELLOWSHIP

FRIDAY JUNE 17TH

- 6:30 A.M. - BREAKFAST
- 9:00 A.M. - BIBLE STUDY
- 11:00 A.M. - MORNING SERVICE
- 12:30 P.M. - LUNCH
- 1:30-5:30 - FREE TIME
- 5:30 P.M. - PRAYER TIME
- 6:30 P.M. - SUPPER
- 7:30 P.M. - SINGING
- 8:00 P.M. - EVENING SERVICE
- AFTER SERVICE CAMP FIRE FELLOWSHIP

SATURDAY & SUNDAY JUNE 18TH & 19TH

- 6:30 A.M. - BREAKFAST
- 9:00 A.M. - BIBLE STUDY
- 11:00 A.M. - MORNING SERVICE
- 12:30 P.M. - LUNCH AND BARREL RACE
- 1:30-5:30 - TEAM ROPING (ENTRY FEE: ATTEND EVENING SERVICE)
- 5:30 P.M. - PRAYER TIME
- 6:30 P.M. - SUPPER
- 7:30 P.M. - SINGING
- 8:00 P.M. - EVENING SERVICE
- AFTER SERVICE CAMP FIRE FELLOWSHIP-SATURDAY ONLY

MEETINGS END AFTER SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES

The Hansford

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YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER

Sunday, June 12, 1988

## JTPA representative at courthouse June 14

Chris Aylett, area representative for the JTPA (Job Training) Program will be at the Courthouse on June 14 from 1 to 4 p.m. He will take applications for the program, which helps economically disadvantaged people who qualify.

In order to determine your eligibility for the JTPA program, we are mandated to verify certain eligibility items. In order to speed up the process of application, please bring the following documents with you at the time of your application.

Birth certificate, social security card, driver's license or state issued I.D., current utility bill or

rent receipt (to prove residence), verification of last six months income;

Written statement from a friend, or relative (not living in your home) stating your name, address, and names of each person living with you. Please be sure that the person writing the statement signs and dates it.

There are times when alternate documentation will be accepted -- these will be determined on an individual basis.

Should you have any questions or need any further information, please contact Aylett at 417 S. Amherst, (806)435-5396 in Perryton.

## Golden Poet Award

# Lowder receives poetry award

Aleen Lowder, of Spearman, has been awarded a Golden Poet Award for 1988. Lowder's entry in the 13th annual poetry contest is entitled, "The Blizzard". The Golden Poet is awarded from the World of Poetry organization. It is the highest honor the World of Poetry organization ever bestows on a poet.

According to the poetry organization the Golden Poet Award is to poets what the Academy Award is to actors.

The official presentation of the awards will take place at the Fourth Annual Poetry Convention on Aug. 27, in Anaheim, Calif. Scheduled to entertain at the convention are entertainers Phyllis Diller and Red Skelton.

Although Lowder will not be able to attend the presentation ceremony she is grateful to receive the recognition for her work.

By profession she is a retired school teacher of 44 years. She graduated from Panhandle Agricultural and Mechanical College with a degree in music. She has taught music, kindergarten, and first grade in Dumas, Sunray, Patton Springs and in Oklahoma and Colorado.

Lowder's first teaching job was in a one room school called Liberty. The school is located west of Boise City, Okla. She has three sisters. Three of the four women were teachers.

"We used to get together and laugh about teaching school for

over 100 years. Between the three of us we literally have," said Lowder.

Her love for poetry originated early in her life. "At age five, I was always coming up with some kind of verse," Lowder remembered. Over the years she has not kept up with all of her poetic works. But she hopes to someday publish a book for her family of all the poems she has kept.

She has three children, Byron Lowder of Canyon, Sally Thomas of Spearman, and Marilyn Hart of Gruver. Lowder has six grandchildren, one great grandchild and beamed with pride as she spoke of them. She has lived in Spearman for five years.

### THE BLIZZARD By Aleen Lowder

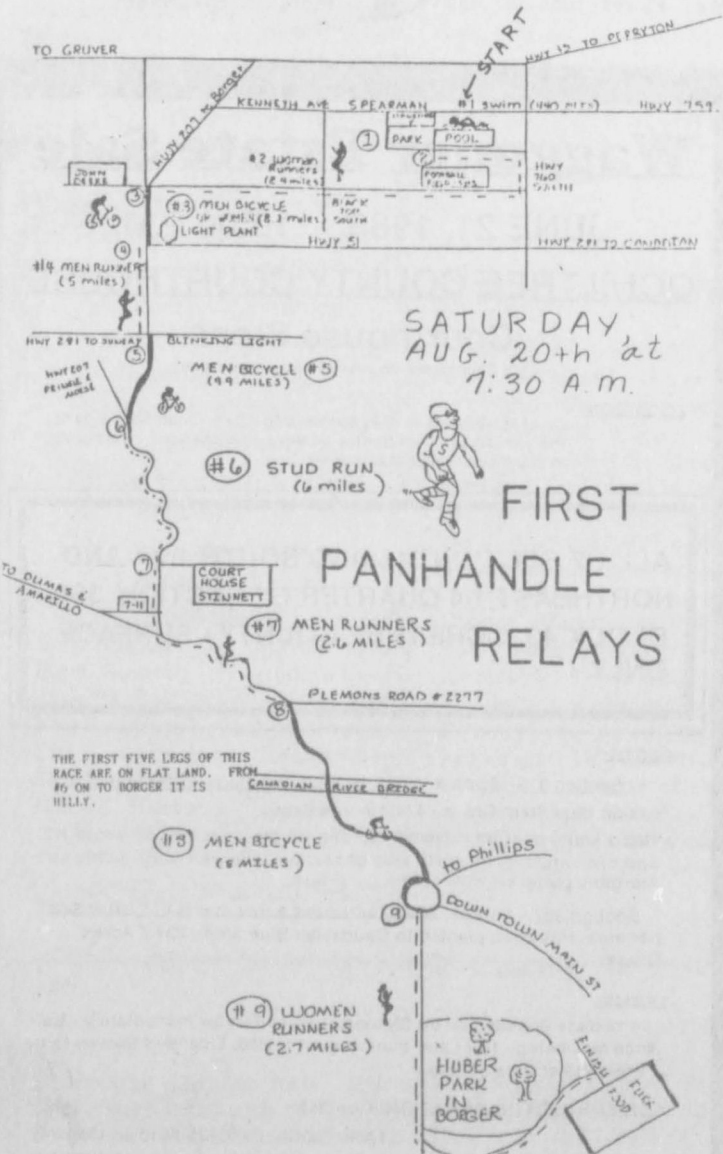
The snow came softly at first,  
Then a giant wild wind  
Like a mighty dragon  
Covered our world with  
A cold frozen blanket of white.  
Schools were dismissed  
Businesses closed  
Traffic stopped.

Night came,  
The ferocious dragon collapsed  
The snow stopped  
I looked up  
There was a moon and  
A sky full of stars--  
It seemed as if I heard God softly  
say  
"See, I'm still in charge."



ALEEN LOWDER

## 1st Panhandle Relays



see related entry form p. 3

## Local man killed near Rolla, Kan.

An accident involving a Spearman man occurred near Rolla, Kan. June 8. Tommy Lynn Flores, 19 was killed while moving some large oil field frac tanks. Apparently, the large tanks snapped a highline wire. Unknowing of the highline, Flores apparently touched the tank.

The accident is under further investigation by Kansas State authorities.

Flores was employed by Naco Oil Field Service of Spearman. He was married to Rosa Olivarez and had one daughter, Kaysha.

## Commodity distribution on June 15

June 15 will be commodity surplus distribution day. The governmental commodities will be distributed at the Hansford County Courthouse from 1 to 5 p.m.



Dick Gillaspie [left] is shown here opening the door of this new car for Lynn Parks [right] who has just received the new 1988 Chevrolet Corsica. Parks, a resident and farmer of Morse, entered the "Great American Key Hunt" sponsored by Proctor and Gamble and Chevrolet. The contest started in April of last year and lasted until October. Participants found game pieces on specially marked packages of Proctor and Gamble products. The game pieces were keys which could be taken to Chevrolet dealers and hopefully attached as a winning key. Parks' key was not matched at a dealership, but

he entered the "Second Chance Giveaway", in which he mailed in several game pieces to the sweepstakes last August. Parks noted, "After mailing in the game pieces in August, I forgot all about the contest until I received a letter on Christmas Eve telling me I had won something. At that time, I didn't know what I had won. Then in January, I was notified that I had won a car." Parks was allowed to choose the color of the car and the dealership. Parks chose Gillaspie Chevrolet-Olds in Spearman to be the dealership that would deliver and service his new car.

# Signs of the times...

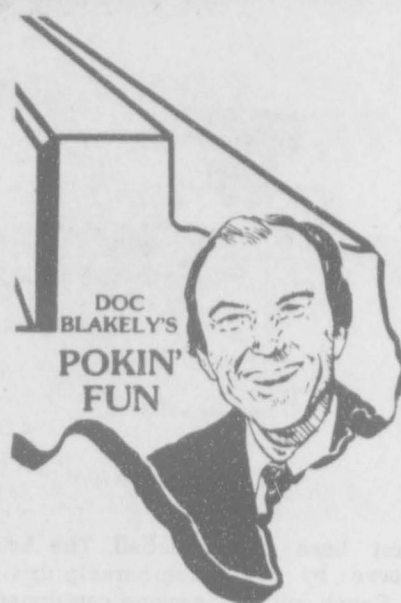
At 32, he was considered a Wall Street Whiz Kid, managing bonds for a large brokerage firm. At 33, he was offered another job and without thinking twice, he took it. His mother bragged, "My son's a big shot. He's cutting such deals." He was chopping wood.

"I'm an inventory control specialist for an automotive firm," said a fellow in his early forties. He worked at night for a used car dealer guarding the hub caps.

Practically every industry has gotten "lean and mean." Big business has gone on weight watchers.

Still, people keep their sense of humor about it. A fellow told me, "My wife and I are lean and mean alright. I've lost weight and she just continues to be herself."

"We lost 1/2 of our family work force," a woman told me gleefully. When I asked how she could be so



happy about that, she replied, "I fired my mother-in-law."

An old-timer offered a young fellow a lifetime job, then wheezed, "My life, not yours."

The young guy replied, "I'll take it if you pay by the week."

Employee mobility in search of a better job has become the working rule. Network newscasters change jobs so often you no longer have to switch channels.

And now with the "liberated person," even the guys are quitting to take care of the baby. I heard a guy recently cooing, "Daddy gonna take care of you, baby." You hear all sorts of things in a hotel bar.

Loyalty between employers and employees has developed the corporate family philosophy based on memory training. The boss says, "I'm in charge and don't you forget it."

That's all changed. Now, employees use the expense account

and say, "Forget the boss. Charge it."

No matter what kind of business we have, nowadays it's the chicken - egg question. Which came first? Employee infidelity or lack of management allegiance? The answer is being debated by lawyers for both sides who are being paid well to explain in court why things are not as simple as they really are.

An independent businessman summed it up for me. He owned the business and was the only employee. "I've got a wonderful boss," he told me. He is a sign painter. Signs on sides of buildings, storefront windows, billboards, anything. His large panel truck has ladders and paint buckets hanging on the outside. Naturally, signs are painted all over it. The largest one reads: "Advertise, damnit. Advertise or we'll both go under."

## Letter to the editor

Dear Editor,

Here I am again, hopefully not boring people with the plight of the Hansford Activity Center (formerly the "Y"). My last letter to the Editor informed everyone in Hansford County that the response to the yearly sustaining membership drive had to be good, in order to keep the Center in existence; that

the funds were there to stay open about 2 more months. I received many favorable comments from people who had no idea the Center was so near closing. Every one of those who commented have given money generously. Most had children or grandchildren in the Center's youth programs. One young mother told me her older child had

been involved and while they were watching a ball game the other night they told each other they wanted to be sure that their younger one, who would be old enough to participate next year, would have the same opportunity.

If you have been overlooked and haven't been contacted by a worker - call me at 659-3519 and I will be

happy to come pick up your check (which is tax deductible) or mail it to me at 403 S. Barkley and I will see that it gets to the Center.

Spearman is capable of keeping these programs for our children going. Please, please help us!

Thanks,  
Wanda Archer

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## Storage of Spare Cylinder for Gas BBQ Grill Can Create a Hazard

Consumers who own a gas barbecue grill and store a spare propane cylinder near or within the gas grill are creating a serious fire hazard, Sunbeam Leisure Products Company, Neosho, MO, has warned.

Storage of the spare cylinder on the lower shelf of cart-style grills or within the cabinet of enclosed shelf models could result in fires involving property damage and/or personal injuries.

The problem is not limited to any particular make of grill or cylinder and does not involve a product defect. Today's gas grills are very safe when used as the manufacturer suggests, the company pointed out. It is the manner in which the spare cylinder is stored that creates the potential hazard.

When the grill is in use, the heat from the gas burners could significantly raise the temperature of the area underneath the burners. A safe temperature and pressure are maintained in the operating cylinder because of the flow of propane through the valve and components.

However, the pressure within the spare cylinder may increase due to the temperature rise, and propane gas could release from the safety release valve into the area. The flame of the burners could ignite the propane being released,

causing a fire.

Sunbeam suggests the following safety practices for consumers who have spare propane cylinders:

(1) Discontinue immediately storage of spare cylinders on, near or within a gas barbecue grill;

(2) Store such cylinders outdoors and away from direct sunlight;

(3) Store cylinders in areas that are not used for recreation, especially away from areas where children play;

(4) Whenever a propane gas cylinder is being filled, be sure the supplier does not over-fill it;

(5) Whenever a cylinder is disconnected from the grill and is stored as outlined above, always install a P.O.L. safety plug in the cylinder valve outlet. These plugs are supplied with most gas grills, or are readily available from L. P. gas dealers.

Sunbeam also cautions consumers not to store any other flammable materials or pressurized containers near or within the gas grill because of the increased temperatures.

Consumers requesting additional information may call Sunbeam Leisure's toll-free number, 1-800-458-8407 between the hours of 8 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. Central Daylight Time, Mondays through Fridays.

## Obituary

Tommy Lynn Flores

Tommy Lynn Flores, 19, died Wednesday.

Services were held June 11 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Spearman with the Rev. Patrick Walsh, S.A., pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home. Rosary services were held June 10 in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, with the Rev. Patrick Walsh, officiating. Mr. Flores was a native of

Spearman. He married Rosa Olivarez in 1986 at Spearman. He was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Kaysha Flores of the home; his parents, Homer and Bernice Flores of Spearman; a brother, Tim Flores of Spearman; his grandfathers, Pablo Torres of Spearman and Eligio Flores of Alice; and his grandmother, Elodia Flores of Spearman.

How to never  
mow, rake, bake,  
water, prune, scrape,  
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drip-drip-drip  
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## Waggoner Estate Sale

JUNE 21, 1988 - 10:00 P.M.

OCHILTREE COUNTY COURTHOUSE

Courthouse Steps

(Or Courtrooms, in case of inclement weather)

LOCATION:

Go 21 Miles South on Hwy 83 from stop light on South Main & 24 St. Perryton, Texas - Then North 1 1/4 Mile on Caliche Road - Will Put You in Southwest Corner of Waggoner Land.

ALL OF SECTION 318 AND SOUTH 1/2 AND NORTHEAST 1/4 QUARTER OF SECTION 387, BLOCK 43, OCHILTREE COUNTY - SURFACE ONLY.

FACTS:

Section 318 - Approx. 168.6 Acres Cultivated - CRP Planted, Caucasian Blue Stem Grass - 471.4 Acres Grass. Has a set of poor improvements, one windmill, located on south 1/2 and one windmill, on north side of section. One well with electric submersible pump on west side.

Section 387 - Approx. 245.3 Cultivated Acres that is in CRP at \$40 per acre. Has been planted to Caucasian Blue Stem, 234.7 Acres Grass.

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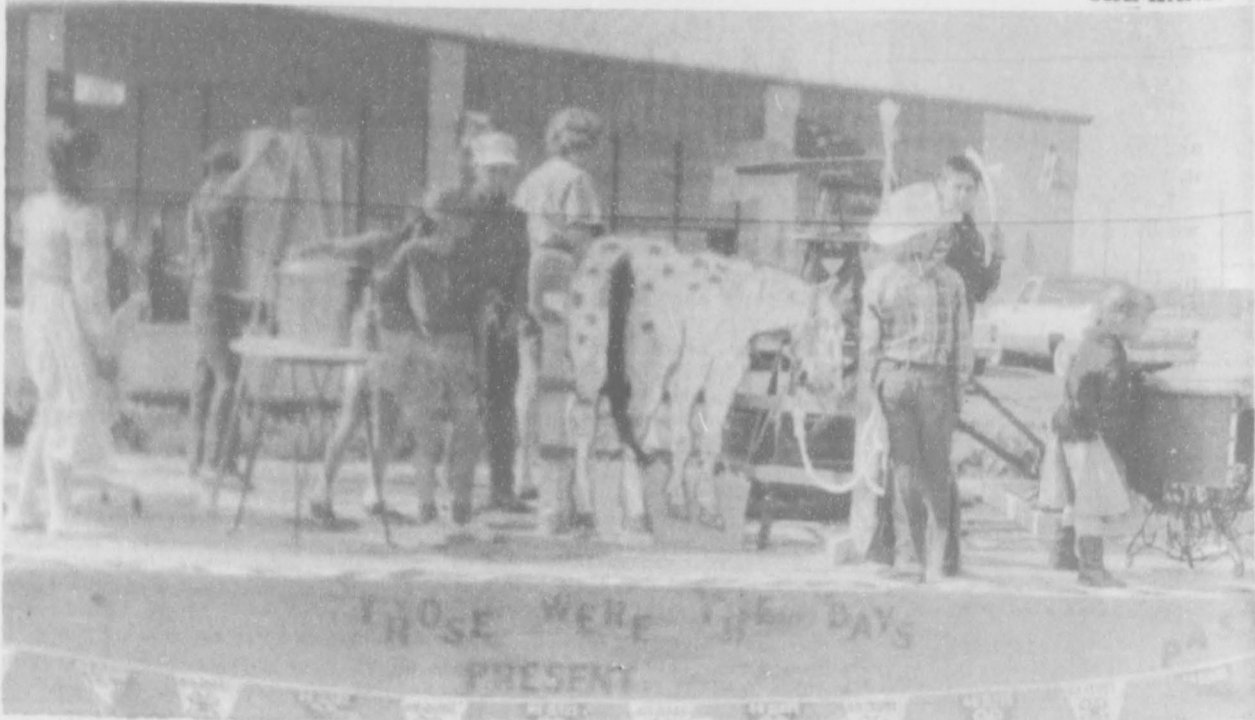
Immediate Possession on Closing - 10% in Escrow Immediately - Balance at Closing - Not Later than August 1, 1988. Licensed Survey to be Furnished at Date of Sale.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Contact

TARK COOK, (806)435-2610 or 435-2042  
or JOHN MAYFIELD, Receiver (806)435-5701

Estate of Etta Waggoner & G. L. F. Waggoner Estate.

NOTE: Every effort has been made to assure the accuracy of the information with guarantee of authenticity. Any announcements made day of sale supercede all other announcements or advertising.



The second place float, during the Hansford Round-up, went to the 4-H Club. For their efforts they received \$75. The Parade took place last

Saturday in Spearman. The 4-H Club's float was titled "those were the days Past Present Future."



The third place float, during the Hansford Round-up, went to the Rho Rho Sorority. The prize for the third place float during the Hansford Round-up Parade

was \$50. The Rho Rho's float was titled "Those were the days of the Wild Wild West."

"Paying for College"

TSTA guide gives information

Economic hard times and dwindling family savings may keep many graduating Texas seniors from the college ranks this fall, but it doesn't have to, according to the Texas State Teachers Association.

TSTA says that strained family budgets, coupled with the rising costs of college tuitions at state universities, have caused enrollment to dip among middle and lower income groups. Additionally, federal aid programs for college students have also been cut during the past few years.

The association this week announced a new guide for students and families, "Paying for College," which outlines various assistance programs, including scholarships, grants, low-interest loans, work programs and private funding sources.

TSTA President Charles Beard said that many families are forfeiting college opportunities by assuming a student isn't needy enough or outstanding enough to qualify for assistance.

"We don't want our student's hopes for the future compromised needlessly," Beard said. "Financial aid is harder to come by, but it hasn't disappeared."

The president said a middle-income family might meet the financial criteria if, for example, two or more children plan to attend college at the same time.

Financial "need" is the difference between the amount of money the family can contribute and what it actually costs for a year's tuition, room, board, transportation, books and spending money at a specific college.

TSTA's free brochure suggests private sources, including most

local TSTA associations.

"Our interest in students doesn't end with high school graduation," Beard said.

For a free copy of "Paying For College," write TSTA Communications, 316 W. 12th Street, Austin, Tx. 78701.

Panhandle Relays, from p. 1

COME JOIN THE PEOPLE OF SPEARMAN, STINNETT, AND BONGER FOR THE FIRST EVER ANNUAL PANHANDLE RELAYS!!!

DATE: SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

TIME: 7:30 A.M. - LATE REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 6:00 - CLOSING AT 7:00. REGISTRATION WILL BE SET UP AT THE SWIMMING POOL PARK. WE WOULD LIKE ALL REGISTRATIONS TO BE IN BY AUGUST 15TH, IF POSSIBLE.

PLACE: SWIMMING POOL PARK - 7TH AND HAZELWOOD IN SPEARMAN. RACE WILL END AT HUBER PARK IN BONGER (HOPEFULLY THE SAME DAY!!!)

ENTRY FEE: \$10.00 PER PERSON - \$90.00 PER TEAM. T-SHIRTS WILL BE GIVEN TO EACH TEAM MEMBER.

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO 1ST, 2ND, AND 3RD PLACE IN EACH HEAT OF THE RACE; 1-1, 2-1, AND 3-1 PLACE MEDALS TO EACH MEMBER OF TOP THREE TEAMS.

RULES:

1. ALL ENTRANTS MUST BE 13 YEARS OR OLDER AND MUST SIGN THE DISCLAIMER ON THE ENTRY AGAINST INJURY LIABILITY.
2. EACH TEAM MUST HAVE AT LEAST TWO FEMALE PARTICIPANTS; ONE FEMALE STARTING THE RUNNING EVENT AND ONE FEMALE ENDING WITH A RUNNING EVENT.
3. MOTOBIKES NOT ALLOWED.
4. STARTING TIME WILL BE AT 7:30 A.M. NO LATECOMERS WILL BE REGISTERED AFTER 7:00.
5. TEAMS MUST FURNISH OWN EQUIPMENT, AND OWN TRANSPORTATION TO RELAY STATIONS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL EITHER JOE ARCHER - 806-659-3519 OR THE HANSFORD ACTIVITY CENTER - 806-659-2591.

SEND ENTRIES TO:  
HANSFORD ACTIVITY CENTER  
P.O. BOX 4  
SPEARMAN, TX 79081

MAKE CHECK(S) PAYABLE TO: HANSFORD ACTIVITY CENTER

NAME OF TEAM CAPTAIN \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

- TEAM NUMBERS: (HAVE EACH MEMBER SIGN - THIS IS ALSO THE RELEASE FORM) T-SHIRT SIZE 3-M-L-XTRA-L
1. SWIMMER (400 YDS.) \_\_\_\_\_
  2. FEMALE RUNNER (2.4 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_
  3. MALE BICYCLER (0.3 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_
  4. MALE RUNNER (5 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_
  5. MALE BICYCLER (0.9 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_
  6. MALE RUNNER (6 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_
  7. MALE RUNNER (2.6 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_
  8. MALE BICYCLER (0 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_
  9. FEMALE RUNNER (2.7 MI.) \_\_\_\_\_

WE, THE ABOVE, DO WAIVE AND RELEASE THE HANSFORD ACTIVITY CENTER FROM ALL CLAIMS OR DAMAGES ARISING FROM OUR PARTICIPATION IN THE RACE. WE CERTIFY WE ARE PHYSICALLY FIT TO COMPETE IN THIS RACE.

Vinita, Okla.

Residents travel to graduation

Some area residents recently traveled to Vinita, Okla. to celebrate the high school graduation of Liz Ownbey. She is the daughter of Jimmie and Susan Ownbey formerly of Spearman.

Those attending from the Panhandle were Bodil Stackhouse, Jenna V. Ownbey, Lisa, Rocky, Suzanne, Sally and Ruston Popejoy all of Amarillo and Harriett and Craig Hutchison of Spearman.

After graduation Liz and her grandmother, Bodil Stackhouse went to Maui, Hawaii for further celebration. They will be joined there by Lisa and Rocky Popejoy, Anna Huthison and Ora Lee Blackburn both of Spearman.

Ownbey will be a freshman at the University of Oklahoma in the fall. She was chosen to participate in the President's Leadership Class there.

Perryton FmHA

Office hours change

Beginning last Monday, the business hours for the Perryton Farmer's Home Administration (FmHA) office changed to 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The office does close daily from 12 noon to 1 p.m. for lunch.

Open office day, where the supervisors are in the office and no appointment is needed to meet with them, is still every Monday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The office is located at 6 S.W. 3rd in Perryton, Tx.

Your presence is requested at an OPEN HOUSE and SHOWER honoring Kristi and Will Jarvis Saturday, June 18 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Earl E. Novak 718 Gibner Dr. Spearman, Texas Families Welcome

HOSTESSES  
Bobbie Novak Myra Berner  
Marti Garnett Audine Beck  
June Barkley Fay Holt  
Nell Patterson Cathy Patterson  
Charolette Jackson Toni Archer  
Charlotte Pearson Molly Turner  
Mary K. Harbour Linda Latta  
Judy Nelson

Sheriff's blotter

James Byron Heddings, age 24, was sentenced to three years probation to make restitution for forged checks in the local area.

Samuel Nitscke, age 24, was arrested for criminal mischief in the obstruction of County property. He is out on \$1,000 bond and will appear in County Court on June 20.

According to R.L. McFarlin, County Sheriff, in the past few years farm burglaries have been increasing. These burglars usually hit newly constructed metal barns. Although no one near Spearman has been hit recently, a farm burglary southeast of Sunray was reported last Tuesday. McFarlin urged farmers to be aware that the farm burglaries may be starting up again.

RED RIVER FISH FARMS

stocking catfish, bass, hybrid bluegill, and fathead minnows for your lakes and ponds. Wednesday, June 15, we will be in Gruber at Continental Grain 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; and in Spearman at Spearman Equity 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. containers with oxygen provided for transporting fish. For more information, call (915)529-4277, Abilene, Texas.

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# Letter to the editor

Dear Editor:  
I was recently presented with a request to petition the Federal Communications Commission with regard to an alleged movement to remove religious broadcasting from radio and television. I had seen a similar form letter several years ago and thought I remembered reading that there had been some misinformation involved in this well-meaning drive to protect the rights of religious broadcaster. I asked the FCC for information and received the following letter.

channels.  
Early in 1975, the FCC began to receive mail which indicated that in many parts of the country there were rumors claiming the petitioners of RM-2493 had called for an end to religious broadcasting and that the Commission was going to prohibit religious programs on radio and television. Such rumors are false. Additional mail and telephone calls came in from people who thought that Mrs. Madalyn Murray O'Hair, a well known atheist, was a sponsor of RM-2493, or had separately proposed that the FCC consider limiting or banning religious programming, and that she had been granted a federal hearing to discuss this matter. Those rumors are also false.

No federal law or regulation gives the FCC the authority to prohibit radio and television stations from presenting religious programs. The Communications Act (the law that established the FCC and defines its authority) prohibits the Commission from censoring broadcast material and from interfering with freedom of speech in broadcasting. The Commission cannot direct any broadcaster to present, or refrain from presenting, announcements or programs on religion, and it cannot act as a judge of the wisdom or accuracy of such material. Broadcasters -- not the FCC or any other government agency -- are responsible for selecting the programming that is aired by their stations.

We hope the preceding paragraphs will help to correct any and all misinformation about FCC policies on religious broadcasting. Over the past ten years this agency has received over 16 million pieces of mail on this subject. Every effort has been made to advise the public of the action taken on RM-2493. The laws and the Commission's policies on broadcast of religious programming have

See "LETTER", p-6



EVA MARIE HOLT EDMONDS

## Holt-Edmonds vows exchanged

Doctor Eva Marie Holt and Doctor Patrick Leo Edmonds were united in holy matrimony at 4 p.m. on the afternoon of Saturday, June 4, in the home of the bride's parents, west of Gruver. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Holt are parents of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. John Edmonds of Mexico City, Mexico are parents of the groom.

The wedding vows were solemnized before the massive fireplace which was centered with a large basket of philodendron ivy. White tapers in candelabra and side baskets of yellow and white daisies, white stock, and gladioli spikes completed the altar arrangements. Jim Terry, minister of Gruver United Methodist Church, read the ceremony.

Serving their sister as honor attendants were Kristi Holt of Gruver and Mrs. Phil (Beth) Tripp of Omaha, Neb. Kristi wore a floor-length strapless gown with ruffles accenting the bodice and hemline. Beth wore a Directoire style gown with ruffles on short puffed sleeves and hemline. Each carried a long-stemmed yellow rose.

Kaylee Holt, niece of the bride,

and Nicki Edmonds of Chouteau, Okla., niece of the groom, were flower girls. Their ruffled dresses with V-necklines and puffed sleeves were fashioned by Kristi Holt. All the attendants dresses were of royal blue tissue taffeta.

Bradley Holt, nephew of the bride, carried the matched rings on a white satin pillow created especially for the occasion by his mother. Brian Edmonds, nephew of the groom of Muskogee, Okla. lighted the candles. Jeff Edmonds of Chouteau was best man. John Edmonds of Muskogee was groomsman. Both are brothers of the groom. All men of the wedding party were in traditional black tuxedos with pleated shirts and black furnishings.

For her wedding, Eva Marie chose a formal gown of white bridal satin styled with a deep sweetheart neckline, and tapered dropped waist. The basque bodice was highlighted with iridescent sequins and pearls outlining applied organza blossoms. More sheer blossoms flowed down the sleeves to the tapered wrists. The bouffant skirt fell in deep petal points then flowed into a chapel train centered with large plastrons of pearl and sequin floral appliques. A wide band of deep organza ruffles outlined the train and skirt.

The bride's headpiece was a circlet of baby's breath and yellow roses. She carried a Colonial nosegay of yellow and white roses and baby's breath. Eva Marie also followed the tradition of wearing a blue garter, a six pence in her shoe and a strand of freshwater pearls borrowed from Kristi.

Mrs. Lon Godley of Hardesty, Okla. was pianist for the occasion. Kristi Holt was accompanist as Mrs. Godley sang "To You" and "Her Ring". The processional was "Ode to Joy". After recital of the vows, Mrs. Godley sang "The Lord's Prayer". Recessional was "Trumpet Tune."

The bride's table laid with a Chantilly lace cloth, featured a three tiered cake adorned with cushion arrangements of daisies and ivy. Banana punch was served from a Baroque punch service. Mixed nuts and yellow rose bud mints were in silver trays. A tall silver epergne filled with yellow roses and daisies, white snapdragons, baby's breath and tapers centered the table.

The groom's table, laid with a beige Chantilly lace tablecloth was highlighted with a Baroque coffee service, mixed nuts and a square German chocolate cake topped with a multitude of miniature toy farm animals symbolizing Pat's profession of veterinary medicine. The cakes were made by Mrs. Oliver Wallin of Gruver.

Serving at the reception were Sheryl Holland, Laura Shimanek, Kerry Lindenburg, former classmates of the bride at Oklahoma State University. Also serving were Christy Howard, sister of the groom, and Ann Edmonds, Brenda Edmonds and Debbie Edmonds, sisters-in-law of the groom. Assisting in the house party were Mrs. Lloyd Buzzard, Mrs. Frank Buzzard and Mrs. Nick Holt, aunts of the bride.

Registering guests for the occasion was Mrs. Kevin Holt, sister-in-law of the bride. At six o'clock, the Holts hosted a

# Mother Knows Best

By Marie Rama

## Snacking Savvy

My pediatrician tells me that the questions most frequently asked are about food. We all want our children to be happy and healthy, and the latter largely depends on food intake. Guidelines about meals are generally well-known, but sometimes the role snacks play is confusing.

How often should we provide toddlers, for instance, with mini-meals? What should we offer?

Knowledgeable mothers regard snacks in terms of nutritional supplements -- providing active little bodies with additional amounts of protein, calcium, vitamin C and iron. Most toddlers need about 400 calories daily in addition to mealtime intake. Two or three between-meal feedings a day generally work this out. The main thing to remember -- avoid empty-calorie snacks and foods loaded with sugar, salt, fat. Offer your baby "the right stuff" -- nutrient-dense treats such as cheese, whole wheat bread, fresh fruit, orange juice, a tiny sandwich, a little custard or other pudding.

**Q. Jenna, age three, loves any kind of fruit juice when she's thirsty. Is there nutritionally a "best juice?"**

A. Sure. Pure 100% orange juice is one of the best natural sources of vitamin C, which helps build healthy gums and strong teeth. Vitamin C also helps with wound repair -- making those skinned knees and elbows heal faster. Orange juice also contributes B vitamins; vitamin A, which benefits eyesight; and folic acid, which helps prevent anemia. Iron deficiency anemia is the most common nutritional problem in the U.S., and vitamin C helps avert this condition because it aids in increasing iron absorption. Other natural juices, such as apple juice, are largely sugar and water, and in a sense just empty calories. Orange juice, for



instance, offers 60 mgs of vitamin C to the small cup or 4-ounce servings; the same amount of apple juice has only 1 mg -- while the calorie count is the same. Best of all, little ones always love sunny Florida orange juice for thirst or as a "pick me up."

**Q. My son Stevie, three, is eating less at dinner time. He loves snacks, but I'm afraid that with too much between-meal feeding, he'll eat even less at the table.**

A. No matter. Stevie's mealtime slowdown is normal at the toddler stage. During infancy, your baby probably tripled his weight and grew about 10 inches. For the next two years, he gained about 9 pounds and grew only about 6 inches. Stevie's current slower growth is reflected in his diminished appetite. Also keep in mind that the toddler's small digestive system can't handle much at one feeding, and at this age he's too antsy to sit at the table for long. So while you don't want to give your son free access to the cookie jar, by all means give him a snack when he's ready. Just make sure that what Stevie eats or drinks are nutritious supplements to his mealtime consumption -- as well as food that he enjoys.

For free information on toddler nutrition, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Mother Knows Best, Suite 1900, 40 West 57th Street, New York, NY 10019.

# IT'S A FACT!



It was a medical first: In 1928, the English bacteriologist Sir Alexander Fleming discovered the germ-killing power of a mold called *Penicillium*. In the early 1940s, a group of English scientists isolated penicillin, a product of this mold. It became the world's first antibiotic drug.

A first in the treatment of a medical condition affecting some 41 million Americans -- hay fever -- is an antihistamine that doesn't cause drowsiness. Called Seldane, from Merrell Dow, the drug relieves the symptoms of hay fever without the sedating effects of conventional antihistamines. It's now available by prescription only.



Could you not tarry one hour?

Dr. Larry Lea prayer clinic  
Sunday, June 12 through June 15  
meeting 6:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Texhoma United Methodist Church at  
3rd and Main, Texhoma, Ok.

This is an area wide event and all the public is invited to attend

SUMMER...

# Clearance Sale

## Kids' Stuff & Lady Fair

ALL spring & summer fashions  
reduced 30 - 50% off.

Begins 9 a.m.

Thursday, June 9



Everyone is invited

to the 40th Anniversary

Reception honoring

Walter & Ruth Coates

Sunday, June 19

from 2 to 4 p.m. at

the First State Bank

Given by their children

No Gifts Please



## Free Hearing Test

HIGH PLAINS HEARING ASSOCIATION in conjunction with GOLDEN SPREAD CITIZEN CENTER located at 14 S. HANEY will offer Free hearing tests this Tuesday, June 14, from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

All walk-ins welcome or phone for appointment by calling 659-3521.

Test will be conducted by Lyle Wassell H.A.S.

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**\$182.73 per month** buys 1985 14x52 2 bedroom mobile home, \$1000 total down payment, 11.75 APR for 144 months ask for Art 806-376-4694. S32 7t

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**FOR SALE:** Nice small 3 bedroom home. Fenced, carport, close to school. Great rental property or starter home. 1010 Dressen. Call 1-669-9765, Pampa. S18-rtm

**ABANDONED HOMES** - Take over payments on 2 and 3 bedroom homes. **Qualify by phone.** (806) 381-1352. Call collect. S46-rtm

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**For Rent**

**FOR RENT:** 2 bedroom, furnished trailer, Call 659-3017 or 323 Townsend. S32-2tp

**TRAILER SPACE FOR RENT:** Fenced yards, underground utilities, concrete walks and patio. Close to high school and swimming pool. Call 435-6640 or 435-5080. S19S-rtm

**FOR RENT:** One bedroom house, also one bedroom apartment. Call Gus McLain 659-2274. S32S-4tp

**LOST**

**LOST:** One large white female dog, great pyranese, reward call 659-3265.

**HELP WANTED**

**HELP WANTED:** Collection clerk must have some experience salary and hours flexible. Call 659-3311 between 9 and 5 to set up interview. S32-2tp

**GET PAID** for reading books! \$100. per title. Write: PASE- B3134, 161 S. Lincolnway, N. Aurora, IL 60542. S32-4tp

**HELP WANTED:** Looking for person to ride pens at Caprock #2. apply in person between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. S32S-2t

**HELP WANTED:** Looking for man to work in feed mill, Caprock #2. Apply in person between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. S32S-2tc

**DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE HIGH CALIBER PERSON**

Sales career position with management opportunities in growing organization. Intensive training program. Starting income to \$3,200. per month. No experience necessary. Outstanding group insurance and retirement benefits. Relocation not necessary. For confidential personal interview, call (806)435-9448 or write Manager, P.O. Box 602, Perryton, TX 79070. S32S-4tp

North Plains Electric Co-op is now accepting applications to fill the position of warehouseman. Applicants for the position, must be in good physical condition and able to perform strenuous work. Only those interested in full time employment should apply at the cooperative headquarters, Hwy. 83 N. Perryton, TX. All applications must be received by 5 p.m. Wednesday, June 15, 1988. EOE.

**SALES HELP NEEDED**  
Advertising salesperson needed to work in surrounding area. Apply in person only, at The Spearman Reporter 213 Main Spearman, Tx Office hours: 8-5, Mon. - Fri.



J.P. Doodles

**L & M Body Works**  
1501 Hwy. 15  
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Tailpipes - \$29.95  
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**LIFE IS YOUR MOST VALUABLE POSSESSION.**  
PASS IT ON.  
Of all the riches you could leave to your family, the most precious is the gift of life. Your bequest to the American Heart Association assures that priceless legacy by supporting research into heart disease prevention.  
WE'RE FIGHTING FOR YOUR LIFE  
**American Heart Association**  
Texas Affiliate

**Garage Sales**

**GIANT GARAGE SALE:** Arts, crafts, needlepoint, cross-stitch, glassware, picture frames, antiques, no clothing, 508 S. Roland. Tuesday, June 14 - 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. S32S-1tp

**CLASSIFIED RATES**  
Regular... Per Word-\$0.13  
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**DEADLINES**  
To place or cancel ads  
Friday - 12:00 p.m. ... Sunday edition.  
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The Spearman Reporter reserves the right to reject, edit, revise and properly classify all advertising submitted for publication. The Spearman Reporter also reserves the right to cancel any advertisement at any time.  
**THE SPEARMAN REPORTER**  
213 Main, P.O. Box 458  
Spearman, Texas 79081

**SALES REP...**

A multi-million dollar 50 year old National Lubrication Company needs a Sales Representative to call on Commercial and Industrial Accounts in the SPEARMAN area. High Commissions. Product training provided. Life/Health Insurance available. No inventory required. For personal interview call 1-800-443-1506 or send resume to: HYDROTEX - DEPT. 2127-F, P.O. BOX 560843, DALLAS, TX. 75356 S31S-S32-p

**CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to express our deep gratitude to all of our friends and neighbors whose expressions of sympathy in the form of food, flowers, visits and prayers were such a comfort to us at the death of our beloved mother, grandmother and sister. We especially wish to thank Drs. Viola and Sangalang, and the staff and nurses at the Hansford Manor and Hospital for their dedicated care. God bless each of you.  
The family of Ella Parks  
S32S-1tp

**THE BIGGEST HITTER**

**Survey Updates Newspaper Lead Over Direct Mail**

The direct mailing fad, which once even ranked second to newspapers in ad readership, is on-the-slide. Newspapers, on the other hand, are increasing their lead in readership and effectiveness over all media.

- 54% read newspaper inserts, as compared with only 42% who read direct mail circulars.
- 77% say newspaper inserts are more valuable for shopping, as compared with 10% who prefer mail.
- 74% believe newspaper inserts are "easier to find when you want them," as compared with only 15% who chose direct mail in this category.
- 80% say newspaper inserts "offer a more complete assortment of ads" than does direct mail.

(SOURCE: Suncoast Opinion Surveys, of Florida)  
Prepared by Texas Newspaper Advertising Bureau (TNAB)  
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**NEWSPAPER INSERTS wallop mailers**

**SERVICES**

**REPAIR** on vacuum cleaners and appliances. Call 659-3301. S19S-rtm

**CUSTOM CUTTER**, two combines, 24 ft. headers, custom farming, plows, sweeps, row crop 60' rows. 733-2797 S32S 3tp

**Registered family home** will babysit, Monday - Friday, day or evenings, age 2 yrs and up. Reasonable rates includes nutritious snacks and meals. Call Julie Ortega at 659-2300. S32S 2tp

**Need yards to mow** for the summer. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call 659-5162. S31 4tp

**ROUND BALE HAULING**  
**\$3<sup>00</sup> for one mile**  
**Mike Skinner**  
**659-2129**

**For Sale**

**FOR SALE:** Smith & Barnes vertical Grand Piano, at least 63 years old. Needs some work. \$150. 322 Hazelwood, Spearman. S32S-4tp

**FOR SALE:** 1976 Oldsmobile Regency 98, \$650 or best offer, call 659-2301. S32 3tp

**FOR SALE:** 1980 14 x 80 Town & Country Mobile Home. 3 Bdrm - 2 Bath. Call 659-3629. S32S-1tp

**FOR SALE:** 1982 Buick Wildcat, very clean, fully loaded, daytime call 659-2036 after 6 p.m. call 659-2497. S32-2tp

**FOR SALE:** 1977 Pontiac, 4 dr \$700. 659-2049 between 7 & 10 p.m. S32-3tp

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*He who loves money shall never have enough. The foolishness of thinking that wealth brings happiness! The more you have, the more you spend, right up to the limits of your income, so what is the advantage of wealth - except perhaps to watch it as it runs through your fingers! The man who works hard sleeps well whether he eats little or much, but the rich must worry and suffer insomnia.*

There is another serious problem I have seen everywhere - savings are put into risky investments that turn sour, and soon there is nothing left to pass on to one's son. The man who speculates is soon back to where he began - with nothing. Trust in your money and down you go!

*Do you want to be truly rich? You already are if you are happy and good. After all, we didn't bring any money with us when we came into the world, and we can't carry away a single penny when we die. So we should be well satisfied without money if we have enough food and clothing. But people who long to be rich soon begin to do all kinds of wrong things to get money, things that hurt them and make them evil-minded and finally send them to hell itself. For the love of money is the first step toward all kinds of sin. Some people have even turned away from God because of their love for it, and as a result have pierced themselves with many sorrows.*

Then Jesus said to His disciples, "It is almost impossible for a rich man to get into the Kingdom of Heaven . . . For the cares of this life and his longing for money choke out God's Word, and he does less and less for God. He that trusts in riches will fall."

So my counsel is: Don't worry about things - food, drink, and clothes. For you already have life and a body - and they are far more important than what to eat and wear.

Taken from Eccl. 5, I Tim. 6, Mt. 6, 13, 19, Mk. 10, Pr. 11, The Living Bible.

## Among the Neighbors

By Helen Fisher

Four couples that have been traveling companions on many trips recently returned from more than two weeks touring parts of the southeast. The Richard Holtons and Ralph Blodgetts, Gene Cudds and Max Baggerlys flew to Atlanta, Ga. then drove to many places of interest.

In Plains they stopped at the Carter Centers, and to Savannah, Macon, through South Carolina, and North Carolina. This section of the country is rich in sites of noted historical interest and was extremely interesting to the group. The beautiful scenery and foliage delighted them.

They enjoyed the beach at Emerald Isle, N. Car. for a week also.

Beth and Ray Phelps returned late Monday from a ten day visit down state. They spent several days in the home of their son and family, Howell Phelps, in Austin, Dallas was next for them as they spent some time with their daughter and son-in-law, Janice and Craig Thornhill.

While there they enjoyed a short visit with former Spearman resident Patti Simmons Kennedy and her mother, Hazel Lortz.

Fleeing the 100 degree weather, they came home only to find Spearman sweltering in 100 degree weather.

Perry and Midi Sheets visited in the home of his parents, the Daniel Sheets, prior to the Sheets reunion. They attended some of the activities connected with the Hansford Round Up.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haner were his brother, Bill and Ed Haner from Friendswood, Tx. The Ed Haners met them at the Amarillo Airport and both couples drove to Las Animas, Colo. where

the brothers had lived with their grandparents many years ago.

They located their old homestead and the grave sites of their grandparents, then drove to old Fort Lyon, east of Las Animas. The brothers were successful in locating the grave of their father in the Fort Lyon National Cemetery. He was a musician 1st class in the U.S. Navy and was interred there in 1918.

After enjoying the scenery and contacting local people who had known their relatives, they returned to Spearman. The Bill Haners remained here for several days.

Mrs. Vera Langston is relieved to report that her son, J.C. Langston is recovering from bypass surgery. He is with his brother at Seymour for his convalescence. She visited him at his home near Crowell after he suffered complications resulting from the surgery, and had to return to the hospital.

The reunion of the Claud and Nannie Sheets family was held last weekend from Saturday through Tuesday breakfast at Roman Nose in Oklahoma.

The attendance fluctuated between 80 and 85.

A variety of activities provided entertainment for every member, and those who planned and supervised all the games, water activities, sports, contests which challenged and entertained all the age groups and generations were certainly appreciated.

Those attending from Spearman were the Gene Cudds, Daniel Sheets, Ladd Sheets, the Claude Sheets, Jr. with Ann; the Mark Sheets with Russell; the Mike Cudds and three boys and S.B. Sheets.

An interesting reunion recently was that of Willie and Neoma Wilkerson with his son, W.L. Dowdy, whom they had not seen in 40 years.

The Wilkersons drove to Woodland, Cal. for the reunion which was the result of many years of searching. William, a son of the

Wilkersons, of Houma, Lous. had succeeded in tracing the missing brother.

In addition to meeting the son, they also met his wife, Diana and a 19-year old granddaughter, Susan.

W.L. Dowdy learned that he has four brothers, one sister and two step brothers. Two of which, Anthony and Marvin, live in Spearman. Others live in Garland, Lewisville, Houma, La., Bryan Center, Michigan and Raton.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wilkerson toured Northern California after the visit.

Recent guests of Max and Dorothy Baggerly were her brother, Lloyd Beegle and his granddaughter, Dawn Gruenwald. They are from Milwaukee, Wis.

This weekend the home of the Baggerlys is overflowing with all their family.

Camille and Mark Williamson, Kristen and Matthew of Hereford, Becky and Steve Baggerly, Shana and Stacy of Guymon, and Karen Baggerly of Lubbock are all here to help the Baggerlys observe their 40th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Caia Hester is back at home after a very pleasant visit in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hester in Lubbock.

The highlight of her visit was attending the piano and dance recital for her granddaughter, Heather.

Mrs. Hester is justifiably proud of another achievement of the 12-year old Heather. She was one of 125 chosen out of 4000 students for membership in the Honor Magnet Society.

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### LETTER

been publicized in newspapers and magazines (including TV Guide and Time), in religious publications, and in meetings of religious groups. Because these false rumors still persist, any assistance you can provide by telling your friends and neighbors what the facts are will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,  
Barbara V. Moran  
Consumer Assistance & Small Business Division Office of Public Affairs

I certainly hope this doesn't discourage anyone from writing to government officials or sponsoring businessmen concerning issues which involve American family values and Christian values. If anything, we need much MORE volume in standing for the traditional value system of fear of God and respect for the Bible which are an inherent part of our nation's foundation. It just seems we didn't have all the facts in this particular case.

Sincerely,  
John Scott



The brown Indian muntjac, or barking deer, barks like a dog when excited. The buck is 30 inches tall and has two-tined antlers, about four inches long.

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# FARM EQUIPMENT AUCTION

**Gus Birdwell Estate**  
Due to the death of Gus Birdwell, the following items will be offered for sale.  
LOCATION: 1/2 mile west of blinking light intersection on Hwy. 15 at Old Western Ag site in Spearman, TX  
FRIDAY, JUNE 17 - 9 a.m. (Note early starting time)

ON THIS SALE THERE WILL BE NO RESERVES OR BUY-BACKS AND FULL PROCEEDS TO BE GIVEN TO SPEARMAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT.

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| <p><b>TRACTORS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - 1979 INTERNATIONAL 1486, 1415 hrs.</li> <li>1 - 1979 INTERNATIONAL 1486, 2900 hrs., Dual hyd., 340 &amp; 1000 PTO</li> <li>1 - 1976 INTERNATIONAL 1486, 4641 hrs., triple hyd., 1000 PTO</li> <li>1 - 1973 CASE 1370, 2901 hrs.</li> <li>1 - 1970 CASE 1070, 2400 hrs.</li> <li>1 - 1979 INTERNATIONAL 1586, 3521 hrs., triple hyd., 1000 PTO</li> <li>1 - 1979 INTERNATIONAL 1586, 4802 hrs., dual hyd., 1000 PTO</li> <li>1 - MOLINE G1350</li> <li>1 - MOLINE UB</li> <li>1 - MOLINE Wheatland G-6</li> <li>1 - MOLINE Wheatland G-704 on L.P.</li> <li>1 - MOLINE - GB</li> </ul> <p>Several MOLINE &amp; CASE tractors for parts.</p> | <p><b>FARM EQUIPMENT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 - 250 gal. plastic tractor saddle tanks</li> <li>1 - 25 h. HOEME chisel</li> <li>1 - 14 h. JEFFERS chisel</li> <li>1 - 14 h. HOEME chisel</li> <li>1 - 14 h. SERVIS shredder</li> <li>1 - VAN BRUNT drill (high wheel)</li> <li>2 - 14 h. JOHN DEERE tandem disc (old)</li> <li>1 - 8 section 3 pt. rotary hoe</li> <li>1 - VAN BRUNT drill</li> <li>1 - 36 ft. CRUSTBUSTER spring tooth harrow</li> <li>2 - 30 h. CRUSTBUSTER spring tooth harrow</li> <li>6 - SECTIONS drag rotary hoe</li> <li>4 - SECTIONS drag rotary hoe</li> <li>1 - IMPLEMENT carrier</li> <li>1 - 2 bar NOBLE drag harrow</li> <li>1 - TOOL BAR 3 1/2 in. x 3 1/2 in.</li> <li>1 - 4x4 TOOL BAR hitch bracket</li> <li>1 - PG 210 - 10 h. shredder, hyd.</li> <li>1 - 6 row JOHN DEERE cultivator</li> <li>1 - 30 h. HY-D-HANDY rodweeder w/hyd. (needs wheels)</li> <li>2 - 3 pt. BOOMS</li> <li>1 - 17 h. IHC 120 one way</li> <li>1 - 20 h. FLAT BED 5th wheel trailer</li> <li>1 - HOMEMADE stock trailer</li> <li>1 - 20 h. GT 8" grain auger</li> <li>1 - 30 h. SPEED KING 6" grain auger</li> <li>1 - GILMORE-TOTOF grain dryer</li> <li>2 - TRAILERS w/Overhead hoists</li> <li>2 - MAYRATH grain drill fill augers</li> <li>1 - 36" JOHN'S GREENLINE spring tooth harrow fold up on hyd.</li> <li>1 - 28'x10' DONAHUE pipe trailer</li> <li>1 - 16 h. RANCH KING gooseneck grain trailer</li> <li>1 - 18 h. JOHN DEERE 220 double offset disc</li> <li>1 - 18 h. KRAUSE offset disk</li> <li>1 - 12 h. TUCKER speed mover</li> <li>1 - 30 h. GOOSENECK flat bed trailer</li> <li>1 - 20 h. GOOSENECK cattle trailer (needs floor)</li> <li>1 - 10 h. RHINO blade on hyd. (nice)</li> <li>1 - HESSTON stack hand, 30</li> <li>1 - FLATBED trailer, bumper hitch</li> <li>1 - SPEED CO. post hole digger (new)</li> <li>1 - LOT hyd. cylinders</li> <li>1 - 5x7 TOOL w/7 shanks &amp; sweeps</li> <li>1 - SHANK Ripper</li> <li>1 - TRACTOR Loading Ramp</li> <li>1 - M&amp;M 3 pt. drill</li> <li>1 - IHC 760 offset disc</li> <li>1 - HESSTON Stack Mover, Model 30</li> <li>1 - ARK VALLEY tandem disc</li> <li>2 - KRAUSE K2 one ways</li> <li>1 - 20 h. SCHAFFER one-way</li> <li>1 - 40 h. SCHAFFER chisel</li> <li>3 - JOHN DEERE grain drills</li> <li>1 - 14 h. LAND PLANE</li> </ul> | <p><b>IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - lot sprinkler aluminum pipe, 30 ft. lengths</li> <li>1 - lot 6 in. flow line aluminum pipe</li> <li>1 - lot 7's, elbows, 45's, different sizes</li> <li>1 - lot 5 in. flow line aluminum &amp; gated pipe</li> <li>4 - 12" x 8" hydrant caps (bonnets)</li> <li>3 - 8" x 8" aluminum sprinkler pipe</li> <li>1 - lot 1 1/2" aluminum sprinkler pipe</li> <li>1 - lot 6" black plastic pipe, 7 1/2" wall, all lengths</li> <li>1 - lot 3 1/2" black plastic pipe, 3/8" wall, all lengths</li> <li>1 - lot 8" black plastic, 30' lengths, gated on 30"</li> <li>1 - lot 8" aluminum pipe, gate on 30"</li> <li>1 - PIPE TRAILER</li> <li>1 - lot PVC 1 1/2", 160 PSI</li> <li>2 - FULL ROLLS 1/2" drip line</li> </ul> <p>Numerous gearheads, various ratios (good &amp; bad) 40-50 engines, numerous kinds, some running, but mostly for parts.</p> <p>4 - MOLINE engines</p> <p>2 - TAIL WATER pump &amp; engine</p> | <p><b>MISCELLANEOUS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - lot ELECTRIC MOTORS</li> <li>1 - lot SUCKER ROD (windmill)</li> <li>1 - lot CATTLE PANELS &amp; GATES</li> <li>1 - lot CLAMPS, SHANKS</li> <li>1 - lot RIMS and TIRES</li> <li>1 - lot CINDER BLOCKS</li> <li>1 - lot CHAIN</li> <li>1 - lot HYDRAULIC hose</li> <li>1 - lot LP hose</li> <li>1 - lot 1/2" DRIP LINE</li> </ul> <p><b>TANKS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - 300 gallon FUEL TANK</li> <li>5 - 3000 gallon LP TANKS on skids</li> <li>3 - 2500 gallon LP TANKS on skids</li> <li>1 - 8000 gallon STORAGE TANK</li> <li>2 - 1000 gallon LP TANK</li> <li>2 - 500 gallon LP TANK on trailer</li> <li>1 - 2000 gallon STORAGE TANK</li> <li>2 - 45 gallon LP TANKS</li> <li>4 - 20 gallon LP TANKS</li> <li>2 - 1000 gallon TANK on trailer</li> <li>1 - 30 gallon LP TANK</li> </ul> <p><b>SHOP EQUIPMENT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - 8" VICE on good metal table</li> <li>1 - STIMMEL winch</li> <li>1 - forged CUTTING TORCH and gauges</li> <li>1 - HYDRAULIC PRESS, 14 ton</li> <li>1 - SKITH'S arc welder</li> <li>1 - SHOP GRINDER</li> <li>1 - CHICAGO 12 speed heavy-duty DRILL PRESS</li> <li>1 - 150 lb. ANVIL</li> <li>1 - CHAMPION drill press</li> <li>1 - SHOP TABLE w/VICE</li> <li>1 - WELLS metal band saw</li> <li>1 - BRONCO 40 HP grinder</li> <li>1 - SHOP VICE</li> <li>1 - CUTTING TORCH CART</li> <li>1 - WELDING TABLE</li> <li>1 - CONTINENTAL 4000 lb SHOP HOIST</li> <li>2 - TIRE CRANAGER machines w/Tire tools</li> <li>1 - lot 4" DRILL STEM</li> <li>1 - lot 17" CASING</li> <li>1 - lot 10" CEMENT COLLAR pipe</li> <li>1 - lot 18" CEMENT COLLAR pipe</li> <li>1 - lot 24" CEMENT COLLAR pipe</li> </ul> <p><b>VEHICLES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - 1982 CHEVY Silverado, dually (77,177 mi.)</li> <li>1 - FORD MUSTANG (62,386 mi.)</li> <li>1 - 49 CHEVY TRUCK w/hoist</li> <li>1 - 1980 DATSON King Cab Pickup</li> <li>1 - GMC 1500 Pickup (43,895 mi.)</li> <li>1 - 1974 CHEVROLET Lev Pickup</li> <li>2 - IMPERIAL cars (need repair)</li> <li>1 - IHC Pickup</li> <li>1 - LTD FORD car</li> <li>1 - CHEVY station wagon</li> <li>1 - TRUCK WINCH</li> <li>1 - CHEVY Half-ton pickup (1980)</li> <li>1 - PLYMOUTH car</li> <li>1 - 16' HOUSE TRAILER (old)</li> </ul> |
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