## Landslide Puts Reagan in



## White



## Reagan - Bush

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## Lynx Meet Boys RanchTeam


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games to see this in action.
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Fall Home

## Tour

 The Spearman Study Clubwill be hosting a Fall Home
Tour on onsinay. November thh,
from $2: 00.5: 0$ p.m. The tour
will consist of 2 country homes
and 3 homes in town
 The two country homes be-
long to Dr. \& Mrs. Glenn
Blodgett and Mr. \& Mrs. Joe T. Blodgett and Mr. Mrs. Gles. Goenn.
Venneman. If you like big spacious sooms, lots of storage
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is on the Hardesty highway past
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marked with flags. marked with flags.
The three homes in town
belong to Mr. \& Mrs. B.T. belong to Mr. \& Mrs. B.T.
Shoemake, 1011 Linn Drive; Mr. \& Mrs. L.C. Owens, 1017
Wilmeth Drive; Mr. \& Mrs. Wilmeth Drive; Mr. \& Mrs.
Terry Schneider, 120 Wanda Drive.
Shoemakers' home was built in Lubbock and then moved
here before adding the den are here before adding the den area
on back. It is as beautiful on the
inside as it is on the outside. You will enjoy the warmth that

## Outstanding 4-H'ers Honored



NOTICE: Due to the fact that almost our entire staff in Spearman is down with the flu, and our Gruver editor had to leave because of sickness in N. M., we will have returns in next weeks paper!


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You will really be amazed at this

There is at least one whole generation of Americans who do not know what a "landslide" victory is in an election .- until Tuesday night when Ronald Reagan headed for the White House at about a 4-to-1 margin over in cumbant Jimmie Carter.
Carter conceded at nine oclock central time and the national election night audience turned to radio in communities across the land be cause that medium was giving local, grass roots returns where the tube was not.
Hansford County was no exception. With three "cliffhangers" developing, there was a white-heat excitement both at the courthouse where returns were being tabulated and in hundreds of homes where voters were listening. This was one election where the majority of voters did not stay at home all of Election Day The vote-counting process was slowed at the courthouse because at least 75 percent of the registered voters turned out casting some 605 ballots at that one Hansford County box The tight fight developed between "Chunky" Blackburn and John LaGrone for the district judge bench. This involved returns from the three counties comprising the judicial district and Ochiltree County was slow with totals and that left constiuents of both candidates gulping a diet of strong coffee and fingernails. At 1 a.m., Wednesday, the trend in the three counties projected Blackburn the winner but that victory definitely was not a landslide. The two other tight fights were between Ron Slover and Jack Hightower early on and between R. C. Porter and "Buck" Buchanan. The Porter-Buchanan race was hard to mark a trend because it involved returns from 10 Panhandle counties and returns were not mov ing that fast, Tuesday night.
(The unusually large turn out plus the difficulty in county split tickets was the reason for slow returns all across the nation.) With two boxes left to be counted in Hans ford County, here is the way returns were tabulated at 1:30 a.m., Wednesday morning The Reagan -Bush ticket had polled 758 ballots to 289 for the Carter-Mondale ticket At that hour of the morning, Ron Slover was was trailing incumbant Jack Hightower by a scant 84 votes at 760 to 676
Bill Sarpalius had established an almost 2 to-1 lead over incumbant Bob Price with 997 to 448 in Hansford boxes.
R. C. Porter had a slim lead over Buchanan, 571 to 559 but this was just one county in the 10 -county bailiwick the two were seeking to represent.
Blackburn was leading LaGrone in Hansford at that hour, 1104 to 313. At that time, Hut chinson County still had one large box unreported as did Ochiltree County
Fate of the proposed constitutional amendments was almost lost in the excitement of a landslide nationally and close races nearer to home
In Hansford, this was the county for the changes sought with the amenement number in parentheses, the pro vote first and the ad verse count second.
$\begin{array}{llll}\text { (1) } 851-478 & \text { (2) } 420-801 & \text { (3) } 587-645 \text { (4) }\end{array}$ 787-516 (5) 430-810 (6) 841-413 (7) 837431 (8) 502-686 (9) 855-420.
Most significant defeats were the single taxing entity for counties and the right to limited appeal for the state in criminal cases.
While Reagan was making history with one of the rare landslides in presidentia election history, Jimmie Carter was also making history as a loser. He is the first elected incumbent since Herbert Hoover to be voted out of office after only one term. After the concession and victory speech the national media was rampant with es, the national tha was speculacions over the pos he assumes the the Reagne ship of state,
It must be remembered that all returns enofficial at this point but there seems little doubt in the presidential contest with Reagan garnering votes almost $5-$ to-1 in the determinate electoral college. Here home it would seem Blackburn is the dis trict judges and due to slow rerns acros the area, th press time.
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Double Ring Ceremony
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Mrs. Tommy Lymn Cardin

Hansford County in Top 10 Weight Control News


## Women and Cancer

Years ago, one of the most
famous ads urged women to
reach for a special brand of reach for a special brand of
cigarette instead of a sweet.
Today. the American Lung
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The myth that smoking and
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has been swall smaller waistlines go together
has been swallowed by many
women, say the Christ people. say the Christmas Seal king, there mome people quit smoweight gain. Changes in the
body's metabolism can occur because the body does not consume as much oxygen. But quitenin is completely individual
experience. A substantial number of people lose weight after
kicking the cigarette habit says the lung association. People who decide to take control of
their lives by quitting smoking
also determine to alter unheal. thy eating habits as well. Feminists are beginning to
look at the fatness issue as a special plaguue for women, as an
example of a double standard example of a double standard,
that make women, expecialy,
teel being slim and being feel being slim and being
attractive are forever linked.

## Trees

 Trees furnish us with shade
and shelter, and give character to our homes and boulevards.
They purify our air and water and reduce noise pollution and
home energy consumption Trees also serve astion. willing
models for budding young models for budding young
artists; their branches as new horizons. for small boys to
explore.
In honor of the metres In honor of the role trees and
their products play in our lives,
the week of October 19 has been the week of October 19 has been
designated as National Forest
Products Week Products Week.
Texans have additional rea. sons to particicate in this
observance. Texas forests produce lumber for our houses and
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pers, stationery and packaging
materials; and chemicals materials; and chemicals for our clothing, foodstuffs
of industried
The list of products made derived from trees is almost ces are finite and shrinking rapidly.
According to the Texas Forets Service, over half a million
acres of Texas forests have been lost to highways, shopping centers, subdivisions and recre-
ational lakes since 1965 . This acreage loss puts increased
pressure on remaining forest
lands. If everyone will conserve paper and other forest products
and encourage others to do the same, our forest resources can
be extended; but additional action is needed.
Production on Texas' remain-
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creased asso, if rising demands creased also, if rising demands
for forest products are to be met.
Private landowners can get
forest management assistance
to improve their woodisnds trom improve their woodland ers and from private forestry consultants, as well.
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