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are presented exactly as they were announced at the homecoming last Fri. We think you will enjoy this souvenir edition of the Gruver Statesman!

YOU WERE THERE! The front page stories

Homecoming Queen for 1986

You might be interested in knowing the method used in selecting the Homecoming Queen. Three candidates are chosen by the members of the Varsity and Jr. Varsity Football teams. These three candidates are

Again we would like to introduce to you the Gruver High School Homeoming Queen candidates for 1986.

then voted on by the entire high school

student body.

Jill Garrett, daughter of Wayne and Lou Garrett, is escorted by Tim Stedje, son of Mike and Judy Stedje. Cami Shapley, daughter of Tony and aNetta Shapley, is escorted by Steve

Duncan, son of Gene and Frances

Dala Shapley, daughter of Marian Shapley and the late Rex Shapley, is escorted by Loyd Cator, son of Bill and Dorothy Cator.

And now the Homecoming Queen for 1986 is Dala Shapley.

Roses for our royalty and the queen's crown are provided and presented by the Gruver High School Varsity Cheerleaders.....Tracy Logsdon, Jodi Martin, and Quincy Tomlinson.



Alumni Queen Candidate Class of 1936 Ernestine Spivey Watkins with Ross Walker



Queen Candidate Jill Garrett

Chauffered by Slavin Sparks Our first queen candidate, Jill Garrett, was riching on a Ford Mustang donated by David Bergin, and chauffered by Slavin Sparks, a junior. Jill, a senior at Gruver High School, is the 17 year old daughter of Wayne and Lou Garrett. She is a delightful five

family are active members of the First Baptist Church. Jill has attended Gruver schools for twelve years. Her many activities during high school include being a member of the G H S Band for three years, serving as a twirler her sopho-

more and junior years. Also for three

years Jill has been a member of the

feet, five inches tall, with blonde hair and charming blue eyes. She and her Lady Greyhounds Basketball and Track teams, qualifying for the Regional Track Meet as a member of the mile relay team her sophomore and junior years. She was a member of the G H S Choir her freshman year, and was a member of the cast in the musical "Snoopy", playing the role of Peppermint Patty. Jill served as a junior varsity cheerleader during her sophomore year and is presently a member of the varsity cheerleading squad for Gruver High School.

Jill's hobbies include cooking, reading, and playing the piano. She plans to attend Texas Tech University and pursue a degree in elementary education.



Alumni Queen Candidate Class of 1946 Bessie Mae Tomlinson Roberts with Tommy Joe Bergin.



Alumni Queen

Queen Candidate Dala Shapley Chauffered by Jerry Martin

Our third queen candidate, Dala Shapley, is riding on an M G Roadster donated by Don and Peggy Dillow, and chauffered by Senior Jerry Martin. Dala, the 17 year old daughter of Marian Shapley, and the late Rex Shapley, is a vivacious five feet seven inches tall beauty, with sparkling brown eyes and brown hair. She is a member of the United Methodist Church.

Queen Attendant Jill Garrett, Queen Dala Shapley, and Queen Attendant

Cami Shapley. Homecoming 1986.

Sept 19, 1986

Dala, a lifetime resident of Gruver, has attended Gruver schools for twelve years. She has been a vital member of her class by serving as class president her sophomore year and vice-president her freshman and junior years. She has been active in Harmony Club for four years and has been elected to serve as secretary for this year. As a freshman Dala was a

member of the choir and acted as Wood lock in the musical presentation "Shoopy". In her sophomore and junior years she was chosen as Class Favority, and she is presently serving as the Parliamentarian of the Future Honemalouse Chaerica. Dala served G H S as a very capable cheerleader for three years. A four year member of the Lady Hounds, Dala, in her junior year was bestowed all-district honors with the team winning the District Championship. For two years she was a district winner and regional qualifier in tennis doubles.

Dala

Shapley

Some of Dala's favorite pastimes are reading, and spending time with her family and friends. She plans to study mathematics at Texas Tech University after graduation from Gruver High



Devonna Wilson Harris with Loren

Class of 1956

Alumni Queen Class of 1966 Judy



High School halls decorated for Homecoming by the Cheerleaders.



Queen Candidate Cami Shapley Cauffered by Ty Seagler

Passing in review on a Ford Mustang donated by Mark and Pat Irwin and driven by Ty Seagler, a junior, is our second queen candidate, Cami Shapley. Standing a petite five foot, three inches, Cami is the 17 year old daughter of Tony and LaNetta Shapley. She has blonde hair and captivating hazel eyes. Cami and her family attend the United Methodist Church where she is a member of the choir, and serves as president of the United Methodist Youth.

Cami has been a member of Harmony Club for four years, serving as treasurer two years and is now vice-president of that organization. She was a G H S choir member her first two years in high school and played the role of Sally in the musical Snoopy" her freshman year. She was also a member of the band for one year. During her freshman year Cami was voted Class Favorite by her peers, and also represented her class on the Student Council. She was elected secretary-treasurer of the Juclass. Basketball and track have kept Cami very busy for three years, and this year seems to be no different. For the past two years she has represented our district in the regional track meet at Levelland by competing in the 100 meter hurdles, and last year was a member of the mile relay. Cheerleading has occupied Cami's time and energies. As a freshman she served as a junior varsity cheerleader, and in her sophomore and junior years, she was a member of the varsity squad, serving as head cheerleader last year. Cami's hobby is spending time with her family. Her newest interest is that of being an aunt. She plans to attend Texas Tech University.



Alumni Queen Candidate Class of 1986 Sharon Reynolds with Steven Fry.



Alumni Queen Candidate Class of 1976 Tami Miller with Kenneth Dahl.



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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE

CONTACT: Sam Gruver

GRUVER VFD

TO HOLD NVFC/FIELD & STREAM TURKEY SHOOT SWEEPSTAKES

Gruver VFD will sponsor a Turkey Shoot as part of a national event promoted by Field & Stream Magazine and the National Volunteer Fire Company Association. The 3rd Annual Turkey Shoot Sweepstakes will be held:

Date: November 16, 1986 Location: Box 82 Gruver, TX 79040

This program, which has been honored by President Reagan, features a National Sweepstakes in addition to the customary prizes. Underwritten by Field & Stream Magazine and many other Corporate Sponsors, this year's Grand Prize is a one week trip for two to Cabo San Lucas, Baja Mexico. Winning marksmen automatically qualify for the National Drawing. In addition, Corporate Sponsors have provided merchandise for the fire company to raffle. For instance, Panasonic has given a "Mr. wisk" Wet/Dry Electric Shaver, the Berkley Company has donated Trilene Fishing Line and Stetson has donated cologne. Nikon Sport Optics is running a raffle offering Nikon scopes and binoculars to lucky winners and Crosman is donating an air gun to fire departments interested in holding Crosman Junior Shooters Events.

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Engagement Announced



Beth Ann Holt

announce the engagement of their daughter, Beth Ann, to Dr. Philip Wayne Tripp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur N. Tripp of Guymon, Okla-

A November 29, wedding is planned in the Gruver United Methodist Church.

Miss Holt graduated from Panhandle State University with a bache-

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Holt of Gruver lor of science degree in business education. She is a self-employed free-lance court reporter in Amarillo.

Dr. Tripp received a bachelor of science degree in animal science from Oklahoam State University. He recently received his D.V.M. from the OSU College of Veterinary Medicine. He practices at Oaklawn Park race track in Hot Spring, Arkansas.

Baby Shower

A baby shower was given Sept 20 honoring Mrs. Mike Grotegut in the home of Mrs. John Armes.

The serving table was laid with a white lace cloth over blue, centered with a beautiful crystal bowl filled with a lovely assortment of lavender and white roses complimented with lavender salvia and lavandula & miniature yellow daisies, donated by Joyce Harper of Spearman.

The table was complimented with a crystal punch bowl, pastel china coffee service and colorful yellow and blue napkins.

Coffee, punch, nuts and cake with tiny yellow & blue booties, adorned the cake & mints, all were served to the honorees & guests.

Attractive corsages of baby sox were presented to the honorees; Angela Grotegut and mothers Roselee Grotegut and Rita Lesley, of

Spearmar. Hostesses for the occasion were: Nell Thoreson, Charlene Spivey, Kelly Armes, Ann Dorman, Carolyn



Fletcher, Marlene Winger, Mary Weldon, Jody Irwin, Pat Dawson, Tracy Bevill, Janet Irwin, Lee Harper, Mary Jo Cluck, Vivian Cluck, Rita Williams, Doris Armes, Mary TeBeest, Mary Jane Henson, Georgia Davidson, DiAnne Sparks, Gyene Spivey, Darla Ford, Lera M. Beasley, Norma Red, Jackie Wilson, Angie Dahl, Lee Bradford, Marsha Lowe, Pat Irwin, Angie Remmel, Gerry Davis, Pat Morley, Sandra Mills, Pam Harris, RoseMary McKee, Rita Cluck, Alexia Thoreson, Charlotte Bergia, & Charlotte Gilbreath.

It's time to clean out your closets and earn a little money. Saturday. September 27 from 9 to 5 p. the Gruver FHA will be having a Flea Market/Garage Sale in the Gruver County Barn. Buy a table for \$12.00 and sell anything. Set up will be Friday September 26 from 5 to 8 p.m. and Saturday from 8 to 9 a.m.. To reserve a table or ask any questions call Cathy Potts 733-2329 z)Home) or at GHS 733-2477.

SEPTEMBER 29-30/ OCTOBER 1-2-3

CHICKEN FRIED STAKES
MASHED POTATOES W/ GRAVY
CARROTS MONDAY: CHOCOLATE PUDDING HOT ROLLS

TUESDAY: TACOS W/ LETTUCE AND CHEESE PINTO BEANS CRUSTOS

WEDNESDAY: TURKEY W/ RICE CORN PEACH COBBLER HOT ROLLS

THURSDAY: MACARONI W/MEAT SAUCE TOSSED SALAD APPLESAUCE HOMEMADE BREAD

FRIDAY: FRENCH FRIES LETTUCE PICKLES CHEESE COOKIES

YOUR BOY CAN BE A TIGER CUB!

Tiger Cubs, BSA, is the exciting. family-oriented program of the Boy Scouts of America for the 6-year-old boy and an adult family member. Boys who are in the first grade may also join if they

You and your boy can become part-ners in the Tiger Cubs, BSA, and have fun together as you search out new activities, discover new things, and share them with each other. You both will them with each other, tou both will become part of a Tiger Cub group with other Tiger Cubs and their adult partners. You'll have an opportunity to explore one of the 17 Tiger Cub "Big Ideas" each month, both with your group and your own family.

One goal of Tiger Cubs is for you and your boy to have fun together. Another is to strengthen bonds within the family, Ideals such as personal fitness, reverence for God, love of country, and caring for others are also part of the program.

The two of you are invited to a special meeting to learn more about Tiger Cubs. You'll find out how the Tiger Cub program works and the exciting things that Tiger Cubs do. You'll also have a chance to join a group and receive all of the materials you'll need for your Tiger Cub ing are on the bottom of this flier. We look forward to seeing you there!

Q. Who can be a Tiger Cub? Any boy in the 1st grade may join a Tiger Cub Group with his parent or guardian.

Q. Who can be an adult partner? A. Any adult 18 years of age or older can work with the boy in Tiger Cubs. This can be morn, dad, an aunt, uncle, or grandparent, an older brother or sister, or even a neighbor.

Q. Does every Tiger Cub have an adult

Yes. An important part of the Tiger Cub, BSA, is strengthening the bond between the boy and an adult who cares about him.

Q. What does the adult partner do? A. Adult partners participate with the Tiger Cubs in all group activities. Each adult will host one or two of these activities during the year. This activity may not necessarily be held in the home; it may be at a park, fire

Q. Are Tiger Cubs a part of Cub

A. Tiger Cub groups are affiliated with Cub Scout packs, but meet separately. Your Tiger Cub group will be invited to participate in one or two special activities of the pack. At the end of the Tiger Cub program year, your family will be eligible to graduate into Cub Scouting.

Q. How often do Tiger Cub groups

A. Most groups meet once a month but the group decides its own schedule. Between meetings. Tiger Cubs and their adult partners are involved in family activities related to the "Big

Q. How much does it cost to join?

A. The Tiger Cub registration fee is \$7.00 which includes the cost of the Tiger Cub Family Activity Packet you will receive. The packet contains all of the materials you and your boy will need for the Tiger Cub year, including the Family Activity Book with its 17 "Big Ideas."

Q. I can't attend the meeting but would like to be a partner with my son in Tiger Cubs. What should I do?

A. You should contact the local Boy Scouts of America service center to find out where you can go to become involved in a Tiger Cub group.

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Calico Country

Homemakers met

On September 22, 1986, the Calico Country Extension Homemakers met at the Methodist Fellowship Hall for a Fajita demonstration and dinner. The demonstration was given by Kristy Johnson who gave a brief history of the Fajitas and it was surprising to us that this food has been around for quite awhile, but has recently become popular in other areas of the United States. Even more surprising is the fact that Japan is one of the largest buyers of the type of meat used in Fajitas. Because "Beef skirts" are classified as variety cuts, they do not fall under beef quotas set by Japan on American beef. Japan now buys 90% of Americas' beef skirts. Anyhow, "Long live Fajitas." Maybe the price of beef will get better.

Roll call was answered with each member telling about "a Favorite Recepi" and giving a copy to others present. After reading of the minutes from last meeting a treasurer's report was given.

Other business of this meeting included discussion and plans for re-grouping and forming a new club. The new club will not be an official part of the Hansford County Council or TEHA so if you are interested in being a part of the new group, please be present at the next meeting on October 13th at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall with Beth Swink as

hostess. We need as many as possible to attend when we will make new program plans, by-laws, elect officers etc. Hopefully we will be able to build our membership and have programs that will be of interest to everybody. But we need everyones ideas.

Those attending this meeting were: Reba Miser, Nelle Evans, Debbie Deeds, Gyene Spivey, Thelma Sneed, D' Ann Thompson, Beth Swink, Mary Tim Shook, Sandi Foster, Kristy Johnson, Nancy Morris and Joy Henderson.

LeRoy Hart

Hiway 54 East



Kathryn Gumfory, FHA President and Elizabeth Moreno, Vice-President, clean closets to prepare for the garage sale, September 27.

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Henry Alderete

DUMAS Henry Alderete, 73. died

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Dumas Cemetery. Arrangements are by Morrison Funeral Direc-

tors.

Mr. Alderete was born at Trinidad,
Colo., and moved to Moore County in
1951. He retired in 1975 from Santa Fe

Survivors include his wife, Bobbie; four sons, Henry of Gruver, Jimmy of Dumas, Benny of Denver and Tino of Etter; two daughters, Rosie Kitterman of Denver and Lilly Dunson of Stephenville; two brothers, Lillie Vigil and Emilo Alderete, both of Denver; a sister, Stella Dominguez of Merced, Calif.; 22 grandchildren; and a great-grandson

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SWBT supports program that addresses school dropout problem

Texas' most precious resource is not oil or gas, but rather the young men and women of the state. Unfortunately, a large proportion of these youths will never reach their fullest potential because of their decision to drop out of school. They end up cheating themselves, and society, out of the contributions that only they and their unique talents can make.

Recently published statistics reinforce the severity of this problem: The dropout rate in Texas hovers around 30 percent. Last spring alone, one out of every three potential high school seniors in the state — about 80,000 — failed to graduate.

This problem affects all of us, since young people with little education often turn to crime when they are unable to find a job. In 1985, more than 100,000 people under the age of 17 were arrested in Texas. And, this is not a new phenomenon — 85 percent of the 30,000 inmates in Texas prisons are high school

Although these numbers paint a grim picture, a group of concerned citizens have approached this age-old problem with a new and promising solution — it's called Communities in Schools (CIS). We, at Southwestern Bell Telephone, feel that CIS will pay future dividends to the people of Texas because it addresses the individual needs of our state's troubled youths.

A highly focused program, CIS coordinates efforts of many social service organizations into a centralized, efficient, yet humanized, unit. It works closely with public education personnel to encourage students — who run a risk of dropping out — to complete their education.

CIS treats students as individuals

CIS counselors work one-on-one with these students to solve problems that often cause them to drop out. It takes a "whole child" approach, recognizing that many factors - including family, financial and psychological concerns — affect a youngster's decision to leave school.

Southwestern Bell Telephone has been an enthusiastic supporter of CIS since it began as a pilot program in 1979. Through the past seven years, we have provided direction, money, equipment and manpower to give floundering students in Texas another chance at a good education.

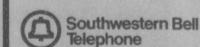
SWBT believes in the program because it works: Since its inception, CIS has helped more than 5,000 students. Even more impressive, over the last two years, 87 percent of the youngsters in the CIS summer program are still in public school, or have gone on to college, additional training or unsubsidized jobs.

We are happy to report that under the leadership of SWBT's Texas Division President Jim Adams, the program is spreading into additional school districts across the state.

Although CIS is not available in all Texas communities, SWBT is committed to building a better state, through its participation in organizations like CIS. We feel it's our obligation — and privilege to enhance the quality of life for all Texans, through state-ofthe-art telephone service, as well as worthwhile community programs.

Be sure to check your local television schedule for the airing of "Hispanic Dropouts: America's Time Bomb," a documentary that explores why so many Hispanics are leaving school and what can be done to prevent it. Written and produced by Southwestern Bell Telephone, it features Miami Vice's Edward James Olmos.

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News

Pvt. Bradley C. Schnaufer, son of Shirley A. Camilli of West Star Route, Boise City, Okla., has graduated a helicopter repair course at the U.S. Army Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Va.

During the course, students learned to perform direct and general support maintenance on helicopters. Also included was instruction in safety practices, usage of ground support equipment and special and precision tools. His wife, Misty, is the daughter of David B. and Judy Dunn Gruver,

Notice

On Monday, September 29, 1986 the City of Gruver will test its emergency warning systems. The test will be conducted sometime during the morning hours, weather permitting.

"Through 4-H we try to provide youth with opportunities to learn and experience what life has to offer, Davison points out. "We also lay the groundwork to help 4-H members explore opportunities for personal growth and to gain skills that will be useful in later life.'

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CALLFOR BIDS

The Board of Directors of the Hansford County Appraisal District will receive bids for a copy machine on a lease/purchase plan. Bid specifications may be obtained at the appraisal district office located at 709 West 7th, Spearman, TX. Office hours are 8:30 -5:00 Monday - Friday. Bids will be opened and read aloud Wednesday, October 8, 1986, at 9:00 A.M. Deadline for submitting bids is Tuesday, October 7, 1986, at 5:00 P.M.

Public Notification of Nondiscrimination in Vocational Education Programs

Gruver Independent School District offers vocational programs in Home Economics and Production Agriculture.

It is the policy of Gruver I.S.D. not to discriminate on the basis of sex, handicap, race, color, and national originin its educational and vocational programs, activities, or employment as required by Title IX, Section 504 and Title VI.

Gruver I.S.D. will take steps to assure that lack of English languageskills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Danny Cochran at Gruver High School 733-2477.

Hospital

Patients who were admitted in the Hansford Hospital are:

Mattie Belle Dyer J.W. Buchanan Dwayne Creel William Jessup Harvey Whitefield Elsie Mathews Yuki Bort Brandee Groves

Juanita Boxford Patients who were dismissed from the Hansford Hospital are:

Aubrey Rasor LL Harris Jennifer Laxson Bonnie Paterson Nova Lee Walker Belle Goldsmith Maggie Kelsey Albert Mackie Carla Burton

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-Euripides.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

This newspaper is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following candidates for publice office subject to the action of the voters in the MAY PRIMARY ELECTIONS:

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1987 National Spelling Bee

Students in all public and parochial schools are invited to participate in the 1987 National Spelling Bee, co-sponsored by the Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas State University.

The Scripps Howard Newspaper, national sponsors, set the rules and limit participation to a student who will not be older than 16 by the end of the current school year or in a grade higher than the eight.

Directors in the 46 counties assigned the AGN and WTSU have been named and are responsible for eliminations in their respective counties.

Serving as director for Hansford County will be Roy Harris, superintendent, Pringle-Morse Consolidated Independent School District,

Each county champion must be named by Mar. 14 in order to take part in the 1987 Regional Bee to be held on the WTSU campus on Apr. 11. Vying for the 1987 Regional title will be 46 young people from parts of the Texas Panhanle, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Kansas.

The 1987 district champion will go to Washington, D.C. in early June to compete in the National Spelling Bee. The trip, for two, will be provided by the Amarillo Globe-News.

There will be other awards for some of the top district finalists.

Bee coordinator is Gene Parker, director of placement, WTSU.

'Those of us at West Texas State who assist in this out-standing program praise the Amarillo Globe-News for making this program available to our young people. The benefits certainly are a plus and we commend the newspaper for their great support in education," Parker said.

"Words of the Champions", containing more than 3,000 total words (an increase of 500 new words). The 1987 issue of this book is priced at only 50-cents each and is available from Jeane Bartlett, Spelling Bee Editor, Amarillo Globe-News, Box 2091, Amarillo, Texas 79166.

Orders may be placed by individuals or schools.

Additional information about the Bee is available from the county director, Parker, or Mrs. Bartlett.

Most county directors hold a Junior Bee for the younger students in grades six and under. These Junior champs will also be guests at the regional comptition, but will not spell unless he or she is named county winner.

Special recognition will be given the County Junior Champions.

disease, liver and kidney diseases, alcoholism, and other ailments that increase the risk of pneumonia.

Medicare pays for such immunizations. In the long run, immunization will substantially reduct the \$63 million now paid to Medicare to treat pneumonia in the elderly.

The American Lung Association is the oldest voluntary health agency in the United States. Originally founded in 1904 to combat tuberculosis, today, the Association, its 139 affiliated Associations throughout the country and its medical section, the American Thoracic Society, is dedicated to the control and prevention of all lung disease and their related causes including smoking, air pollution and occupational lung hazards. For information about flu and pneumonia contact the American Lung Association of Texas, 3520 Executive Center Drive, Austin, Texas 78731-1606 or call toll free 1-800-252-LUNG.

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September 29-30 October 1-2-3

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 CHICKEN FRIED STADES

MASHED POTATOES W/GRAVY CARROTS CHOCOLATE PUDDING HOTROILS MILK

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1 TURKEY W/RIC CORN PEACH COBBLER HOTROLLS

Jim Brown has been employed as a new deputy for Hansford County. Jim has lived in Spearman for sixteen years. Before moving here the family lived in Arizona. He was employed by the Dept. of Public Safety for nine years as a patrolman. His wife's name is Rosemary. They have five children. All but one has graduated from Spearman High School. Kory the 12 year-old is in the 5th grade.

JIM BROWN

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2 MACARONI W/MEAT SAUCE TOSSED SALAD APPLESAUCE HOMEMADE BREAD MILK

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3 HAMBURGERS FRENCH FRIES LETTUCE PICKLES CHEESE COOKIES

New Deputy

New Chief Deputy



GARY EVANS

Gary Evans has been named as the new Chief Deputy for Hansford County. He has been with Hansford County Sheriff's Department seven years as a Deputy. During those seven years he has received training in burglary and theft investigation, along with homicide investigation. Other training includes photography, fingerprinting, identi kit, oil field thefts. psychological profiling.

Gary is married to Nelle and they have two children; Will age 10 and Kristin age 7.

Texas boasts 203,585 4-H members. Nationwide, 4-H is more than 4.3 million members strong. Looking at the Texas 4-H enrollment, there are 105,541 girls and 98,044 boys. Some 37,000 members live on farms, with almost 100,000 residing in suburbs and cities with a population of more than 50,000.

Sears, Roebuck and Co., 1986

Miss Panhandle State University Pageant

cash prizes of \$250, \$200, and \$150 for

first, second, and third place respec-

A free barbecue will be held in the

Kickoff for the football game be-

tween Panhandle State University and

Benedictine College at Wooten Field

will be at 2:00 p.m. The game is free to

those nine years and under; ten years

of age through the 12th grade will pay

\$2.00. General admission is \$2.50.

Reserved seats are available at \$5.00.

The crowning of the Homecoming

The candelight buffet will be in the

Queen will take place at half-time of

the game amid a massed band show.

PSU cafeteria beginning at 6:00 p.m.

buffet is \$6.00 per person.

PSU Plaza in front of the student union

from noon to 1:00 p.m.



Rhonda DeCamp

The Miss Panhandle State University Pageant will be held on Saturday, September 27 at 7:30 p.m. in the Hughes-Strong Auditorium.

Rhonda DeCamp of Gruver, Texas is one of the Candidates.

Rhonda DeCamp, of Gruver, Texas is a senior majoring in elementary education. She is the 21-year-old daughter of Medford and Ruth DeCamp of Spearman, Tex. She is sponsored by Vo. Ag., is a member of Zeta Gamma and the Student Education Association. Rhonda has been a Winter Carnival Queen Candidate and a football cheerleader.

The Panhandle State Unversity Student Senate has announced plans for Hmecoming 1986. The event will be staged October 11 using the theme "The Best of Times."

Activities will begin on Saturday, October 11 with the alumni registration in the gold lounge of the student union building. Registration for alumni will continue from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Parent registration will be held in the student union from 9:00 to 10:30

The parade starts at 11:00. Matt Carter, parade chairman, has an-

Granted this may sound like an empty

promise, but it's not. We've helped fill the

If you'd like to find out more, just give us

needs of tens of thousands before you.

nounced the categories and the prizes LUNG for the parade. There will be first, second, and third place plaques for ASSOCIATION riding clubs; first, second and third place trophies for cheerleaders; and first, second, and third place plaques for bands. The float division will carry

The American Lung Association of Texas is reminding people 65 years of age and older that it is time to get their 1986 immunizations against pneumo-

Safe vaccines exist, but are under utilized, particularly against pneumo-

In the United States today, pneumonia is still the sixth leading cause of death. There are as many as half a million cases occurring annually with approximately 54,000 deaths a year.

Older persons and people with chronic diseases are less likely to fight off pneumonia and its complications. Studies show that the death rate due to bacterial pneumonia for people 64-74 years of age is two-and-a-half times higher than the population as a whole. For those 75-84 years old, the rate is ten times greater.

The centers for disease control recommend vaccination against pneumonia for adults 65 years and older; for adults with chronic illnesses like lung and heart diseases, Hodgkins

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Admission price for the candelight A dance will be staged from 9:00 p.m. to midnight in the student union ballroom. The price of admission is \$2.00 per person with music by z-93.

Also a big part of the homecoming day celebration will be the 15th annual Miss Aggie Princess Pageant. This pageant is open to high school seniors who wish to represent their school in the competition. The schedule of activities for the Miss Aggie Princess Pageant on Saturday includes a 7:30 a.m. continental breakfast, private interviews with judges from 8:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., a ride in the homecoming parade at 11:00 a.m., attending the football game, supper in the student union and the pageant in Hughes-Strong Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Scholarships will be awarded to Miss Aggie Princess and to the first and second runners-up.

For information concerning Homecoming 1986, "The Best of Times," contact the student senate at Panhandle State University, Goodwell, Okla. or call (405) 349-2611 EXT 268.

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Siewert to have Courtesy Privileges

On recommendation by the Medical Staff the Board granted courtesy privileges to Dr. Siewert with the limitations set forth by the Medical Staff. Motion was made by Jerry Hunt, seconded by Dwight Hutchison and approved by all.

State of Texas

Hansford County Hospital District The Regular Meeting of the Board

of Directors of Hansford County Hospital District was held on Sept. 11 1986, at 7:00 p.m. at the Hansford Hospital Board Room.

Present
Jack Oakes, President
Alton Ellsworth, Vice-President
Jerry Hunt

Dwight Hutchison
Absent:
Leslie Barkley
John trindle
Administration:
Dennis Robertson
Guests:
Kaye McFarlin, DCN

Ed Geurin
W.R. Spencer
The meeting was called to order by
Jack Oakes, President.

The Minutes of the Special Call Meetings of August 25, and Sept. 5th were read and approved on a motion by Jerry Hunt, seconded by Dwight Hutchison, and approved by a vote of 4 for, 0 against. The minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of August 14, 1986 were read and are to be corrected as follows:

After a return to order, a motion was made by Alton Ellsworth, seconded by Dwight Hutchison, to award the contract to the lower bidder, Reid & Gary Strickland Co. It was discussed among the board members that taking the lesser number of construction days into consideration would actually result in the bid of Strickland being in the lesser amount than the bid of Reynosa Co. The awarding of the bid to Reid & Gary Strickland Co. was approved by a vote of 6-0.

The monthly bills were presented to the Board for their consideration. Motion was made by Jerry Hunt and seconded by Alton Ellsworth, to approve payment of these bills. Approved by all present.

Mr. Robertson requested an extension of the line of credit in the amount of \$75,000 to complete the physical year. Alton Ellsworth made a motion that the Administrator be authorized to negotiate an additional line of credit in the amount \$75,000 to finish the physical year, Jerry Hunt seconded

the motion. Approved by all present.

Mr. Robertson advised the Board that George Odom had made a bid of \$4,000 for the 3 lots next to the Gruver Clinic. After considerable discussion, the motion was made by Alton Ellsworth, seconded by Dwight Hutchison, to table the sale at this time.

Motion was approved by a vote of 4-0. Mr. Robertson advised the Board that the termination notice on West Texas Auxillary Service would be final September 14. The physicians had requested that the Board reconsider terminating this service. Therefore, Dwight Hutchison made a motion to withdraw the termination notice, seconded by Alton Ellsworth, and approved by a vote of 4-0.

The Board heard from Ed Geurin and W.R. Spencer, of Geurin Construction & Spencer Paint Co., on the remodeling of the clinic at 720 S. Roland for Dr. taylor. They said it would take 4 weeks to do the remodeling. The Board along with Mr. Geurin and Mr. Spencer went to the clinic to review all that was necessary to get the clinic ready for occupancy. Alter considerable discussion, the Board authorized Mr. Robertson to proceed on the remodeling of the clinic, on a motion made by Jerry Hunt, seconded by Alton Ellsworth, and approved by all present.

There being no futher business, motion was made by Jerry Hunt, seconded by Alton Ellsworth, to adjourn the meeting. Approved by all present.

Seminar Offered

Amarillo College, in cooperation with the Internal Revenue Service, is conducting two Small Business Tax Workshops on September 10, 17, & 24, 1986 and again on October 8, 15 & 22, 1986. The workshops will be held each Wednesday evening from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. in Room #210, Building A, West Campus, Amarillo College, 6222 West 9th Avenue,

Sheriff's Dept. Is Busy

This Newspaper joins in congratulating the entire Sheriff Department for voluntarily taking the drug test that President Reagan had requested our officials to take. Also the Sheriff's Department cut 27,000 Dollars from their budget this year. Each member took a 5% pay cut.

The Hansford County Sheriffs' Dept has been busy this month. The Joe T. Venneman Farms and Bill Logsdon Farms reported to the Sheriff that \$2500 worth of farm equipment had been stolen. The Sheriffs Dept. arrest three subjects who apparently had taken the following equipment from the farms. Aluminum pipe, and aluminum hydrants. Two of the subjects, Charles Brooks and Earnest Brooks were both arrested in Perryton and returned to Spearman. A third subject, Thomas Fletcher was arrested in Abilene, Kansas and returned to Spearman. All three men are in jail and their case will be presented to the Grand Jury october 2nd.

Bill Wilbert Leat has been arrested for un-authorized use of a motor vehicle. He allegedly stole a 1976 model car from Rosetta Tindell He is being held in Huntsville awaiting transfer to the Spearman jail. Billy Ray Lightcap was arrested in Mc-Alister, Oklahoma for allegedly burning a car in Bernstein. The car was a New Camero.

Probation revocation warrants were issued on four men Neal Rosecrans allegedly stole some drill bits from Baker Taylor. Don Edgett is being held for credit card theft. Steve Howell is being held for alleged burglary. Steven Crisp is being held for alledged forgery. All four of these have violated their parole.

Karl Hertzenrater is being held in Pasco County Flordia for forgery. allegedly committed in Hansford Coun-

Two Juvenile girls were arrested and detained for vandalism. The Sheriff Department turned them over to their parents. Also two run-away girls, one from Spearman, and one from Gruver, were arrested and turned over to their parents.

Sheriff R.L. McFarlin reminds local business men that they are now working seven theft by check charges in Hansford County. The local Sheriff Department is also pursuing seventeen active warrants at this time. Henry Persche is being charged on

a felony DWI. This will go to the Grand Jury oct. 2nd. Persche is from Perryton.

Terry Figures of Dalhart, Texas has been charged with a misdemeanor DWI. This will go to County Court.

The Sheriffs' Department is still investigating 18 head of cattle that apparently was dumped in the County.

The cattle were found at the Robert Novak Farm east of Spearman. They have a backward C on the right hip.

Keith Lamb, who lives 7 miles north of Gruver reports a bronze colored three HP Briggs Stratton motor attached to a yellow 2" pump was stolen. Theft of tools from 719 Collier has been reported. The tools were taken from the cab of a locked pick-up.

Sheriff McFarlin will be presenting 5 cases to the new Grand Jury Oct. 2nd.
Since September 1st through Sept.

Since September 1st through Sept.
19 the Sheriff Department has made
11 arrest. They also cleared the theft
of some tools from Speartex Grain. A
portion of the tools has been recovered.

The Department reports that a lo-boy trailer has been left at the Harold Crooks place East of Spearman.

2-Man

Scramble

The Hansford Golf Club will host a 2-man Scramble, Sept. 27 and 28. The entry fee will be \$60.00 per team. Ladies are welcome to enter. Tee times will be Saturday at 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. The first 26 teams get choice for Saturdays round. Sunday teams will play with their flight.

This will be a fund raiser for Hansford Golf Club. \$10.00 from each entry fee will go toward helping the course get started on a watering system and to pay expenses for the tournament.

Prizes for Longest Drive and Closest to the Pin will be awarded. There will be a meal, provided by Ivey's Hungry Cowboy, Saturday, fater the afternoon round. Refreshments will be provided on the course both days. Museum

Meets

The Stationmaster's House Museum Board held their regular meeting on Sept. 8th at the Museum with Helen Boyd presiding.

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

Members present were Helen Boyd Rubyjo Wilbnaks, Harry Stumpf, Gusand Clementine Renner.

The Sesquicentennial Commemorative Rifle is still on display at the Museum. Have you seen it? Let us tell you about it: This Model 94 Winchester Carbine in 38-55 caliber has an 18½" barrel with gold plated barrel bands and receiver. The receiver is roll engraved with scenes from Texas history and from the present.

The original engraving was done by Genovilli from Italy. He is known worldwide for his unique skill. There is more to be said about this gun. More next time. But, is this much description not enough to arouse your curiosity? If so, stop by the Museum and see for yourself. Donation raffle tickets are on sale for \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00. Production is strictly limited and no more will ever be produced. See it today!!



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Karen's Kozy Korner

A Fall Calendar of Food Safety Tips

September - Go Back to School with lunches safely packed

When school starts this month, send your child to school with a satisfying, nutritious and safe lunch:

*Fix lunch the night before. Freeze sandwiches on coarse-textured breads that won't get soggy on thawing.

*Include a cold or frozen item or commercial gel with the packet lunch. A thermos will keep beverages cold, or pack drinks packaged in wax-paper cartons that need no refrigeration.

*Wash out lunch boxes or totes every night. Never use a bag that is wet or stained for packing a lunch; it could contain bacteria that might contaminate food.

October - Fight Food Poisoning at Tailgate Parties or Covered Dish Suppers

Cooler weather doesn't guarantee food safety.

*Use a thermos to transport a hot supper. Check the seal to be sure it fits tightly. Rinse the thermos with boiling water right before use. Heat foods to boiling before filling the thermos.

*A thoroughly cooked casserole will usually stay safe (and warm) in cool weather if well insulated. Try several layers of aluminum wrap, followed by newspapers, and a towel. Discard any

*Always thaw frozen poultry in the r November - Let's Talk Turkey ater outside the reifigerawr. Unange water frequently.

*Turkeys should be stuffed just prior to cooking.

Cook turkeys to 180 degrees F. internal temperature; stuffing should reach 160 degrees F. always completely roast a turkey at one time at an oven temperature of at least 325 degrees. F.

*Refrigerate leftovers in small, shallow containers, and store stuffing and gravy separately from the meat. December - Let Food Safety be the Centerpiece of your Holaday Buffet

Buffet entertaining is great for the holidays when friends and relatives drop by. But be sure to follow these food safety tips:

*Never allow perishable foods to stay out longer than 2 hours.

*Keep buffet servings small and replenish the empty serving dishes as needed with food that is hot or cold.

*Heated serving dishes should keep cooked food at least 140 degrees F.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of Socio-Economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

Auditorium Shores lead by Texas First

Lady Linda Gale White and children.

They will be accompanied by Cherie

Johnson of the "Punky Brewster"

show, "Gimme A Break" star Lauri

Hendler and Olympic swimmer Steve

The event establishes Texas as the

Past leadership efforts on the part of

Texas youth in the "Just Say No"

movement lead to the selection of

Austin as the site for this year's

national kick-off. The 1986 campaign

focus, say leaders, is to encourage communities and schools to form their

own "Just Say No" clubs which

promote the idea that "not using

Targeted at children 7-14 years old,

the "Just Say No" clubs build

solidarity through peer suport, positive reinforcement, and up-to-date

County Fair

IT'S ALMOST TIME FOR

HANSFORD COUNTY FAIR

WHEN: October 2,3,4,&5

WHERE: Hansford County Show Barn

Sponsored By

Agriculture Committee,

SPEARMAN CHAMBER

OF COMMERCE

first state to officially declare support

for the national movement and First Lady Nancy Reagan's "Back To

School Declaration Month.'

drugs is okay."

educational programs.

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Economics Briefs

HOUSEHOLD INVENTORY HELPS WITH INSURANCE CLAIMS- Having an inventory of household items can save the stressful and frustrating job of having to piece together what was stolen or destroyed in a natural disaster. "People tend to remember conspicuous items, such as a chair, television or videotape recorder," says family economic specialist Dr. Marjorie Marman. "But most homes also have dozens of small items whose value adds up to a considerable loss." After a fire or theft, it may also be difficult to think clearly enough to remember everything that was lost or stolen, adds the Texas Agricultural Extension Service home economist.

MAKING A HOUSEHOLD INVEN-TORY-- Keepting a household inventory to use for insurance purposes in case of theft or natural disaster is not difficult. Texas Agricultural Extenstion Service family economics specialist Dr. Marjorie Marman offers these suggestions for setting up an inven-

oWalk through each room of the house and list every item. Be as descriptive as possible about the

oTake pictures to supplement the descriptions.

oKeep original receipts on all purchases and get appraisals on jewelry and silverware.

oUpdate your inventory regularly to include new purchases.

oStore the inventory, pictures and receipts in a safe-deposit box or some other location away from your home. If you keep your inventory on a home computer, make a copy of the disk to store in a separate location.

CALORIE COUNTING AND FROZEN FRUIT BARS- Frozen fruit bars have become the latest dieter's delight. But are they actually a "low-calorie" alternative to regular frozen fruit-flavored bars? According to a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist, the answer is "No." Dr. Alice Hunt points out that national brand frozen fruit bars contain from 50-80 calories per 21/2 ounce bar. The regular frozen fruit confections contain about 60 calories per 21/2 ounce bar.

Just Say No

Texas will take the lead in President Reagan's proposed "War on Drugs" by hosting the national "Just Say No" (To Drugs) march and rally kick-off to be held in Austin on Saturday, September 20.

The kick-off will begin at noon on the south steps of the State Capitol building when Governor Mark White becomes the first chief executive officer of a state to raise an official "Just Say No" flag bearing the special inscription, "Texas Says No To Drugs."

The flag-raising will be followed with a march down Congress Avenue by thousands of Texas youth to

Vietnam Vets To Be Honored

American military men, 11 years after the end of the Vietnam War, will be remembered here with a giant downtown parade and a special dinner on Saturday, September 27.

The event, sponsored jointly by American Legion Post 671 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1789, is billed as Vietnam Veterans Apprecia-

A parade is scheduled for 11 a.m., starting at 10th and heading south on Main Street to Wilson Street, Vietnam veterans and their families will be in the 500 block of N. Main Street to view the parade.

Panhandle area veterans and their families are also invitied to a 12:30 p.m. steak dinner at the American Legion Post near the Aluminum Dome.

Additional entries are sought for the parade. Individuals or organizations should contact Bill Chowins, 273-9041, Hermann Jones at 274-5464, or Joe Watson at 878-2195.

The parade, believed to be the first of its kind in the Panhandle, is expected to draw entries from throughout the area.

Graduates



Shown English

Charles A. Bowsher, comptroller general:

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"...a strong possibility exists that fiscal year 1987 will see significant increase in the deficit beyond the current estimates under the act."

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CHRISTMAS MAILING DATES-1986

Militery Mail-Outbound To assure the timely a rival at overseas destinations for Christmas delivery, all mail should be possed in the Continental United States (only) on or before the following dates in 1986:

Destination	Priorits		Parcels		Surface
		Letters	Airlift Space Available		
			(PAL)	(SAM)	
Africa	1 Dec	1 Dec	10 Nov	3 Nov	3 Nov.
Alaska					
Hawaii	8 Dec	8 Dec			24 Nov.
Australia	24 Nov	24 Nov	10 Nov	3 Nov	17 Oct
Caribbean/West Indies	8 Dec	8 Dec	24 Nov	17 Nov	17 Nov.
Central and South America.	24 Nov	24 Nov	15 Nos	3 Nov	31 Oct.
Europe	5 Dec	5 Dec	24 Nov	14 Nov	31 Oct.
Far East	5 Dec	5 Dec	24 Nov	14-Nov	17 Oct.
Greenland	1 Dec	1 bec	24 Nov	17 Nov	31 Oct.
!celand	8 Dec	8 Dec	24 Nov	17 Nov	31 Oct.
Mid-East	28 Nov	28 Nov	3 Nov	27 Oct	27 Oct.
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Destination	Priority		Parcels Airlift Space Available		Surface
		Letters			
			(PAL)	(SAM)	
Gateway Points	12 Dec	12 Dec	8 Dec	24 Nov	
International Mall—Out	round				
Destination			Air Parcels	Airmail Letters/Cards	Surface
North and Northwest Africa Australia Caribbean/West Indies			Nov	24 Nov	3 Oct
Central and South Amer Europe Far East	rica		Dec Dec	5 Dec	3 Nov. 3 Nov. 17 Oct.
Mid-East. Southeast Asia Southeast Africa					

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—Mail Procuing Dept., 9–11–86.

Fall rains cause 3-foot lake rise

Heavy rains in early September have resulted in a rise of almost three feet on Lake Meredith which has a depth of 76.5 feet at its dam near Sanford.

The lake has continued to rise from runoff flowing down the Canadian River. following a series of heavy rainstorms which began over the Labor Day weekend two weeks ago.

On Aug. 31, the depth reading at the dam was down to 73.65 feet and falling.

'This has been a good rise

Broom Sale

The Gruver Lions Club will hold their annual broom sale Wednesday, Oct. 1, 1986 starting at 8:00 a.m. in the parking lot between the post office and the bank.

This sale includes brooms, mops, brushes, and other quality cleaning aids for home, business, and indust-

Plan to come by and help the blind help themselves. All articles are made by the blind. Help the Gruver Lions Club help our City!

Oldham counties of the Tex-

eastern New Mexico. From four to six inches of rain fell in the area, saturating farm and ranchlands.

as Panhandle and sections of

Lake Meredith has a surface area at the 76.5-foot depth of 8,196 acres, according to CRMWA officials.

TUTORIAL SCHEDULE SET FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Teachers in the Gruver Elementary School will be available for tutorials each morning from 8:00 to 8:20, according to Bob Burgoon, principal.

Three week progress reports were sent this week to parents whose children were experiencing difficulty in classes. Tutorial help is available for any student who needs it, and parents who receive progress reports are urged to bring their children to school for this help in the subjects for which the report indicates.

It is important to get help early in the school year before the struggling child falls further behind, so now is the time to take advantage of the tutorial program. Remember the time, from 8:00 to 8:20 daily.

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on the lake," observes Red Our July meetings were called to order with the Marable of Stinnett, an em- Tops Pledge. The roll was called with the fruit ployee of the Canadian River bowls going to Betty Cotter, Winnie Vernon, Doris "It takes a lot of water to. Armes and Phyllis Rasor. The drawings each week bring the lake up almost were won by Doris, Ida Hendrick and Winnie. We three feet."

Jad a NO GAIN WEEK July 2nd. Marilyn Been and The early September rains Ina Soapes won the Bowling Contest. Ida Hendrick soaked a wide area of the is KIW, we are so proud of her. Ida and Ina each Canadian River watershed in received a 12 week attendance charm. Our Queen Moore, Hartley, Dallam and for the month of July with the best loss was Betty. Phyllis was voted Inspirational Angel. Congratulations, everyone!!! After various programs presented by members, we closed each meeting with the Serenity Prayer.



GREYHOUND PAW will be ready Saturday night!

It's Farm Safety Week **And Homecoming Time!**

WTSU Homecoming 1986 Schedule

October 10, 1986

Friday 10-11 a.m. Homecoming Assembly - Fieldhouse Buffalo Courts Reception for

T-Club Members

Pigskin Review-Northen Recital Hall -Tickets \$3 each - Reception follows in

10 p.m. Bonfire and Dance, Police Parking Lot

October 11, 1986 8-9 a.m. Saturday Inspirational Breakfast - East Dining Hall - Reservations for tickets, \$5 per

plate, Alumni Office - (806) 656-3421 9-9:30 a.m. Registration and General Alumni Meeting

East Dining Hall 9:30-10:15 a.m. Reception for friends of the University

Alumni and Faculty (past & present) Come and visit with your professors East Dining Hall

10:30 a.m. Homecoming parade from downtown Canyon to Campus - Parade Marshall - Famous Texani J. EVETTS HALEY 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Barbeque Luncheon

\$4 Adults - \$3 Students - \$2 under 12 Lawn between Terrill Hall & Library

2 p.m. Football Game - WTSU vs Angelo State Immediately following

Post Game Mixer at BAST DINING HALL For all friends of the University



game

8:00 .m. HOMECOMING DANCE AT A.C. BALLROOM, sponsored by Student Activities Council MAINES BROTHERS

> ALL ORGANIZATIONS WILL BE PLANNING ALUMNI GET-TOGETHERS. CONTACT THEM INDIVIDUALLY FOR

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Football Saturday!

the sports field at Gruver. The Greyhounds will play host to Alamo Catholic this Saturday night, 8 p.m. at Greyhound stadium. The entire county is invited to attend this outstanding Saturday evening event. The game will start at 8 p.m.

The 'Hounds are still licking their wounds from the Groom Tigers loss 42-14 in the Homecoming game Friday night. However, Groom may be the top team in the state, and the Hounds have recovered from the loss and are ready for the big game this Saturday night at Greyhound Stadium.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Oscar & Violet Lee were honored recently with several festivities to celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary. There was a party hosted by some of their children and grandchildren in Abilene over the Labor Day Weekend. Those present for this occasion were Gail and Tony McMillan, their children and grand-children, including Mark and Kim McMillan, sons Luke and Cole; Brent and Renea McMillan, daughter Brittni; Tonya, Stacey and Becky McMillan, Tony and Gail's daughters. Kenneth and Carol Lee from Irving with their children Tommy and Tammy. Helen Lee and daughters Chanda and Tiffanie attended from Gruver.

Other guest attending were from Pampa, Miami, Amarillo, Austin, Waco, Ft. Worth, Brownwood, Novice in addition to those from Irving and

On September 7th, members of the Church of Christ surprised Oscar and Violet with a remembrance after

After singing "Happy Anniversary" to them, they were given a cake baked by Viva Renner and decorated with a bouquet of golden icing roses, lettering and trim by Joy Henderson.

Oscar D. Lee and Violet Marie Casity were married September 9th, 1936 in Las Vegas, New Mexico. They made their home at Optimo, New Mexico where Oscar farmed until 1942. They moved back to Briscoe, TX. where Oscar farmed 1 year, then went to work for a Grade A dairy in Wheeler Co.. In 1945, they moved to Skellytown, TX. where Oscar worked in the oil field for almost a year. He wasn't pleased with the work, so moved West of Gruver and worked for the late D.G. Cluck in 1946. In 1960, he decided to try his hand at farming again and worked at this profession until ill health caused him to retire. They continue to make their home near

New Home Ownership Assistance program

The Texas Housing Agency announced Friday it will begin accepting applications for a new homeownership assistance program beginning September 29, 1986.

The new program will provide qualified families with a tax credit that will reduce their federal income taxes.

"The Mortgage Credit Certificate Program increases a family's disposable income by reducing its federal tax obligations. This tax savings provides a family with more available income to qualify for a mortgage," said Dan A. McNeid, Acting Executive Administrator of the Texas Housing Agency.

McNeil said the program offers first-time homebuyers an annual tax credit of up to \$2,000, based upon 20 percent of the annual interest paid on their mortgage loan.

"For example, a family that plans to purchase a home for \$56,000, and receive a loan of \$53,000, at 9.5 percent interest for 30 years will pay the lending institution \$5,020 in interest during the first year. Under the MCC Program, the family will be eligible for a tax credit of \$1,004 in the first year of that loan.

"In each succeeding year for the life of the mortgage loan, the family can claim an income tax credit for 20 percent of the mortgage interest paid to the lender, up to \$2,000," McNeil

The Agency has established a ceiling on homeowner incomes and home purchase price limits to direct th eprogram to families of low and moderate income. In order to participate in the program, an individual may not earn more than \$33,000 a year; a family is limited to \$42,000 a year. The purchase price limits vary from area to area. For the first 30 days of the program, \$80,000 is the maximum purehase price limit.

The Texas Housing Agency will issue the certificates to eligible families through a network of participating lending institutions. Approval to participating lending institutions. Approval to participate in the program must be obtained prior to purchasing a home. Families may obtain a list of lenders and additional program information by contacting the Agency at (512) 472-7500.

4-H Program Continues

COLLEGE STATION-No one can question the fact that young people are the future of America, and the 4-H program is continuing to play a vital role in preparing youth for the future by providing training in leadership, citizenship and coping skills.

Thus the theme of the upcoming National 4-H Week, Oct. 5-13, "4-H for Youth for America," points to this country's richest resource, its young people, says H.T. "Tom" Davison, state 4-H leader with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. The Extension Service is the parent organization of the 4-H program, an informal, out-of-school educational program for youth between the ages of 9 and 19 that is based around local

Four children were born to this union--2daughters, Gail and Margaret, and 2 sons, Kenneth and Dean.

training and resources in a host of subject-matter areas. Some 600,000 volunteer leaders support the 4-H program nationwide, with more than 16,000 of those in Texas. Davison estimates that the time, travel and support contributed by these volunteer leaders across the U.S. is valued at more than \$1 billion a year.

Looking at the 4-H program in Texas, Davison notes that the most popular project area is foods and nutrition, which boasts 43,700 members. Other popular project areas include energy, 30,500 members; embryology, 20,300 members; health (eye care), 16,700 members; are safety, 15,300 members.

The number of 4-H clubs and special interest groups in the state total 3,335.

Adult volunteer leaders are the backbone of the 4-H program as they provide the organizational leadership for local 4-H clubs as well as

Commissioners Set Budget

During a regular session held on Monday, August 25, of this year the commissioners court approved the county budget for 1986-87. The total budget is \$1,601,229.00. During a regular session that was held on Monday, September 8, the commissioners court set the tax rate for the 1986-87 year.

The general tax rate was set at 18.38 cents per \$100 evaluation. The road

ALPHA MUPSINEWS

Members of Alpha Mu Psi met on Sept. 6 in the country home of Cynthia Henson. Everyone enjoyed Tonya Yanke's program on Chinese cooking. After the sampling was over and the fortune cookies read, the meeting got underway.

Cynthia began with discussing our October projects: Over 70's Night Out and Trick or Treat for Meals on Wheels. Next, we began voting on pledges for the coming year. After the meeting was concluded, Kelly Armes was announced as the winner of the hostess gift. Members present were: Kelly Armes, Tracy Bevill, Debbie Breland, Gail Etheredge, Ginny Grotegut, Pam Harris, Kelly Hart, Cynthia Henson, Phyllis Hoel, Jody Irwin, Kristy Johnson, Nancy Koons, Marsha Lowe, Amy TeBeest, Teresa Weldon, and Tonya Yanke.

No wealth is like the quiet mind.

Quiet persons are welcome every-

-Thomas Fuller.

It is difficult to keep quiet if you have nothing to do. ·Arthur Schopenhauer.

Quiet, to quick bosoms, is a hell.

When all is done and said, in the end thus shall you find. He most of all doth bathe in bliss

that hath a quiet mind. -Taomas Vaux. cents per \$100. The county's projected revenues by taxes, fines, and fees are \$1,601,229.00 This amount coupled with the existing balance of \$184,000. 00, will leave the county with \$160, 517.00 after expenditures.

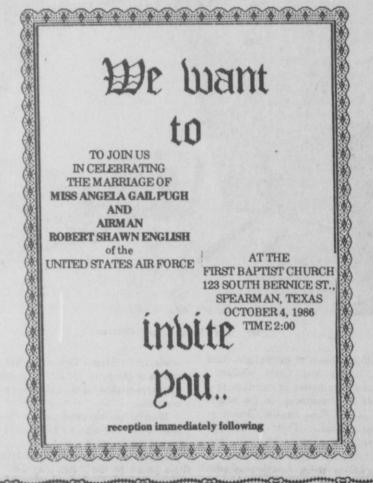
The County Agent and Home Demonstration have been budgeted with \$45 30, the Sheriff's office with \$202,356, County and District Clerk

SPOOK HOUSE

There is going to be an early Halloween Spook House, Oct. 11. The cost per person will be \$1.00. We will let you know later where it will be held. To get your tickets, call 659-5270. This is to support Maria Luisa in the little girls pageant to be held in Guymon, OK., October 18.

with \$80,010, Tax Collector with \$91,783, County Auditor with \$27,866, County Judge with \$53,134, County Treasurer with \$28,623, Veterans Office and Justice of the Peace with \$28,899, County Attorney with \$22, 968, District Judge and probation with \$35,489, and Custodian with \$60,756. Road and Bridge with \$721,950, and the Jury Fund with \$51,169.

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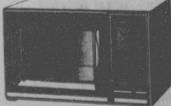
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Wedding vows exchanged



Mr. and Mrs. Chris Dorman

Barkley.

Grotegut. Miss Shereen Schultz,

cousin of the bride from Fort Worth,

Texas, served as candle lighter for the

Musical accompaniment was pro-

vided by organist Kathy Gillispie and

pianist Carolyn Fletcher. Vocal select-

ions included "Nobody Loves Me Like

You Do", "He Has Chosen You For

Me", sung during the bridal proces-

sion, "Just You and I', all performed

as duets by Mr. and Mrs. Les Barkley.

A prayer song, "The Love Will Make

You One", was sung by soloist Les

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs.

Turney chose a street-length dress of

beige lace. The mother of the groom,

Mrs. Dorman, selected a slate blue

Immediately following the ceremony

a reception was held in the fellowship

hall of the church. The bride's table

was covered with a white floor-length

lace cloth. A four-tiered cake of

heart-shaped design was topped with

a "Precious Moments" bride and

groom. In the center was a bubbling

fountain surrounded by greenery. The

cake was made and decorated by Mrs.

Oliver Wallin. With the bride's

bouquet serving as the centerpiece, a

silver punch bowl and crystal ap-

pointments complemented the table.

Mrs. Dee Steed of Sweetwater, Texas,

chiffon street-length dress.

In the softness of candlelight, Lisa Kay Turney and Chris William Dorman were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony, in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church of Gruver, Texas. Their vows were exchanged on August 30, 1986, in a 7:00 p.m. service, officiated by the Rev. Larry Miller, pastor of the church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turney of Phoenix, Arizona, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dorman of Gruver, Texas.

The altar area was highlighted by a 29 branch arched candelabra entwined with greenery and babies' breath. Pink and lavender bows served as accents on the arched candelabra, as well as for the side tree candelabras. Boston ferns, on either side of the arch, and potted violets, centered with a single white taper, and located in the background, completed the altar decorations. The altar rail was draped with greenery and babies' breath and was centered with the unity candle encircled by a ring of soft pink hibiscus and stephanotis. The church aisles were elegantly decorated with alternating pink and lavender bows touched with babies' breath. Adding to the soft light for the ceremony were arrangements of three white tapers, placed in each of the windows of the sanctuary

Escorted to the altar by her father, the radiant bride wore her mother's wedding dress. Her princess gown of tissue taffeta featured a full dome skirt that emphasized the fitted bodice. A tiara of French wax blossoms held a full length veil of illusion, and she carried a cascade bouquet of lavender and pink carnations, creamy white stepanotis, babies' breath, and green-

Attending the bride as matron of honor was Mrs.Brian Whiting of Phoenix, Arizona. Bridesmaids were her sisters, Linda and Lorianne Turney, also of Phoenix. The attendants wore tea-length taffeta dresses, identical in design. dresses, rose, pastel pink, and light lavender, featured a v-neckline, puffed sleeves, and softly gathered skirts. They carried an arrangement of pink and lavender carnations, complemented with babies' breath, and centered with a lighted candle. White satin ribbon streamers accented the arrangement. Floral halo headpieces completed their attire.

Serving the bride as flower girls were Sarah and Rachel Steed, nieces of the groom. They wore identical tea-length dresses fashioned from deep purple taffeta, matching the design of the bridal attendants.

The groom was attired in a silver Dynasty tuxedo with white shirt and Best man, Mike Crotegut, groomsmen Stefan Dorman, brother of the groom, and Gary Gilbreath of College Station, Texas, all wore silver Dynasty tuxedos with white shirts and silver ties. Serving as ushers were Kelly Mills, Gruver, Matt Turney, brother of the bride, Phoenix, Arizona, and Darin Winger, Keller, Texas. Guests were registered by Mrs. Mike

home of the groom's parents. Out of town wedding guests were: Jill Sammons, Carie Barstad, and Margy Mullen, Ganado, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Banes, Mrs. Cindy

Whiting, Mr. John Girton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turney, Matt, Linda, and Lorianne Turney, Phoenix, Arizona, and Mr. Scott Huber attending from Denver, Colorado. Other out of town guests were: Paul Hudspeth, El Paso; David Foster,

and Mrs. Beverly Bennett of Bowie.

Texas, sisters of the groom, honored the bride by serving at her table. German chocolate cake and coffee

were served from the groom's table which was covered with a white over brown cloth. The cake, decorated by his mother, depicted an excavation site with a heart-shaped portion of the cake being maneuvered by a miniature bulldozer. Mrs. Glenda Steed of Canadian, Texas, served the guests, who also enjoyed an assortment of

finger foods, fruit, and punch from the

After a honeymoon in Las Vegas,

Nevada, the couple will be at home in

Herlong, California. The bride is

completing work toward a master's

degree in education, and the groom is

employed as a Field Engineer for Hunt

Building Corporation of El Paso.

On August 29, a rehearsal dinner

honoring Chris and Lisa was hosted by

the groom's parents at the activity

building of the First Baptist Church.

A bridal luncheon was given by Dee

Steed and Beverly Bennett in the

home of Mrs. Les Barkley, while the

men of the wedding party enjoyed a

Saturday noon meal of lasagne at the

buffet table.

Post; Ronnie Bilbo, Lubbock; Mrs. Dee Ann Chapman, Blythe and Kaitlin also of Lubbock; Mrs. Rona Jo Crable, Amarillo; Mrs. Glenda Steed, Canadian; Mrs. Melinda Cline, Texhoma, Oklahoma and Miss Susan Schultz, Garden City, Michigan. Other guests attending from out of

town were: Mr. and Mrs. Daren Martin, Arlington; Miss Shereen Schultz, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Gilbreath, College Station; Mr. and Mrs. Daren Winger, Keller; Mr. Wayne Davis and Halee, Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bennett and Carly, Bowie; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Steed, Sarah, Rachel, Bethany, and Cana, Sweetwater; Roy Dale Womack, Many, Louisiana; and Mrs. Ralph Mireless, Greeley, Colorado.

NOTICE

There will be a School Night for Cub Scouting - September 29th, 7:00 P.M. at the Methodist Fellowship Hall. Those eligible to join are boys in the 2nd thru 5th grades. Bill Price Scout Director from Borger will be there to present the program.

The Gruver FFA will be sponsoring a National Rifle Association Safety course, Monday and Tuesday, October 20 and 21 in the High School Vo. Ag. Department. The class consists of two 4 hour sessions to receive your certification. The instructor will be Ronald Fields from Miami, TX., There will be a \$5.00 registration fee to cover the cost of the course. For more information contact the High School Ag. Department or any Ag.

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Bridal Shower

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A lovely bridal shower was held Saturday, August 16, 1986, from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Leslie Barkley for Lisa Turney, bride elect of Chris Dorman.

The many guests for the afternoon's festivities were served refreshments from a table covered with a lovely cream colored lace cloth. The table was arrayed with a beautiful centerpiece of silk flowers, a gift from the hostesses to the bride, which will complement the colors of the couple's china. Also gracing the serving table were a crystal teardrop punch bowl and a silver coffee service. Refreshments included delicious punch, which carried out the chosen

color, cake squares decorated with dainty pink rose buds, and tasty mints.

The bride was presented a corsage of soft pink carnations with two ornamental silver rings tied into the pink ribbon. The hostesses honored the groom's mother, Mrs. James Dorman, with a corsage of white daisies.

Many beautiful gifts were presented and cherished by Miss Turney.

Hostesses for the occasion included Doris Armes, Nancy Barber, June Barkley, Sharon Barkley, Andrea Bayless, Marie Bell, Charlotte Bergin,

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Delores Bevill, Patsy Bevill, Marie Bostick, Lee Bradford, Christine Brandvik, Pat Burnam, Georgia Davidson, Gerry Davis, Pat Dawson, Ada Deakin, Deidra Deakin, Mickey Delano, Fran Duncan, Joyce Duncan, Sylvia Duncan, and Nelle Evans.

Other hostesses were Mae Farren, Carolyn Fletcher, Jo Fletcher, Lill Fletcher, Margaret Fry, Lou Garrett, Charlotte Gilbreath, Faye Gillispie, Kathy Gillispie, Angela Grotegut, Rosalie Grotegut, Mavis Hart, Sue Hartranft, Helen's Gifts, Darlene Hoel, Georgia Holt, Janet Irwin, Dixie Karlin, Fran Maupin, Doris Meyer, Evi Meyer, and Rosalyn McClenagan.

Others helping with the shower were Rosemary McKee, Sandra Mills, Judy Park, Marguerite Nelson, Melba Rasor, Phyllis Rasor, Norma Red, Angie Remmel, Glenda Renner, Anita Rios, Betty Roberts, Alma Ross, Lucille Schad, Sharon Seagler, LaNetta Shapley, Charlene Spivey, Glenda Steed, Sandy TeBeest, Judy Virden, Deanna Williams, Rita Williams, and Marlene Winger.

Each hostess was given a beautiful trivet made by James Dorman and painted by Ann Dorman and Mickey

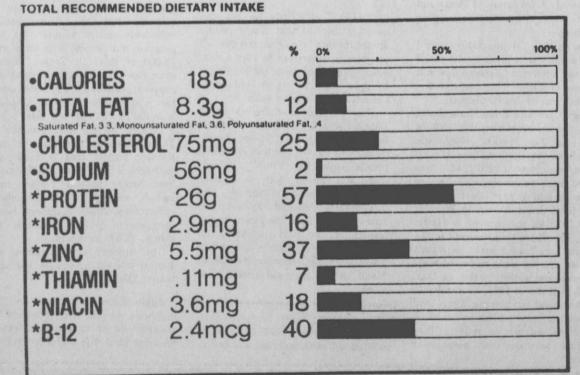
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