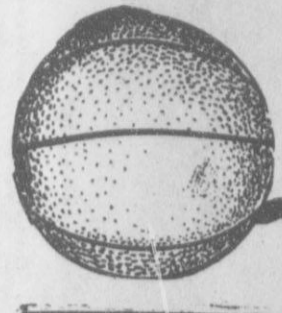
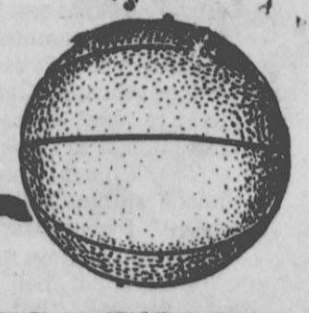


at Booker Friday

# Beat Booker!



D'OUZETT (G)	5	17	25	41
GRUVER	20	38	50	61
D- Kathy Harris 16, Tara Smallwood 15;				
G- Anne Potts 16, Jody White 14				
DARROUZETT	11	20	30	44
GRUVER	12	25	34	46
D- Robbie Miller 16, Brooks Robins 8; G- Trevor Williams 17, Clay Smith 15				



24 hr. prayer  
service, 659-2911

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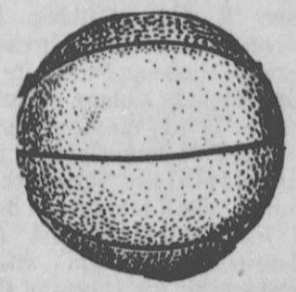


The Raingutter Regatta for the Gruver Cub Scouts took place January 20th 1986 at the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church. Many parents, grandparents, brothers and sisters gathered to cheer their favorite sailboat on the victory.

Judged best in appearance were: David Gilbert, 1st, Paul Groce, 2nd

and Cory Razor 3rd. After many races, the first, second and third place winners were determined. The first place winner, L.D. Peter's sail boat did not lose any of his races. David Gilbert came in second after a race off with Paul Groce who won third place.

# Sesquicentennial celebration to be here Feb. 1



Gruver won two outstanding Varsity Games at Gruver Tuesday night. Ann Potts hit eighteen points for the Lady Greyhounds and Jody White scored fourteen, when they blasted the Darrouzette Longhorns 61-41. The issue was never in doubt as the Lady Hounds took a 20-5 lead in the first quarter.

Trevor Williams hit seventeen points for the Hounds and Clay Smith hit 15 points as the Gruver Greyhounds slipped by Darrouzette 46-44 in overtime. The regulation game ended 40-40.

### Hospital

Patients in Hansford Hospital are: Virginia Trajano, Lorrie Shipp, B.T. Shoemake, and James Strawn.

Dismissals were: Mary Fern Terry, Nicole Ramon, Russell Weaver, Jessie Davis, Charles Martin and Ruby Lair.



**New**

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Doty, Hitchland, Texas are announcing the birth of their first grandchild, Matthew Doty Miller. His proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Scott (Denise) Miller. Matthew was born January 8, 1986 at 7:40 p.m. at Harrisville, Mo. He weighed 7 lb. 5 1/2 oz.

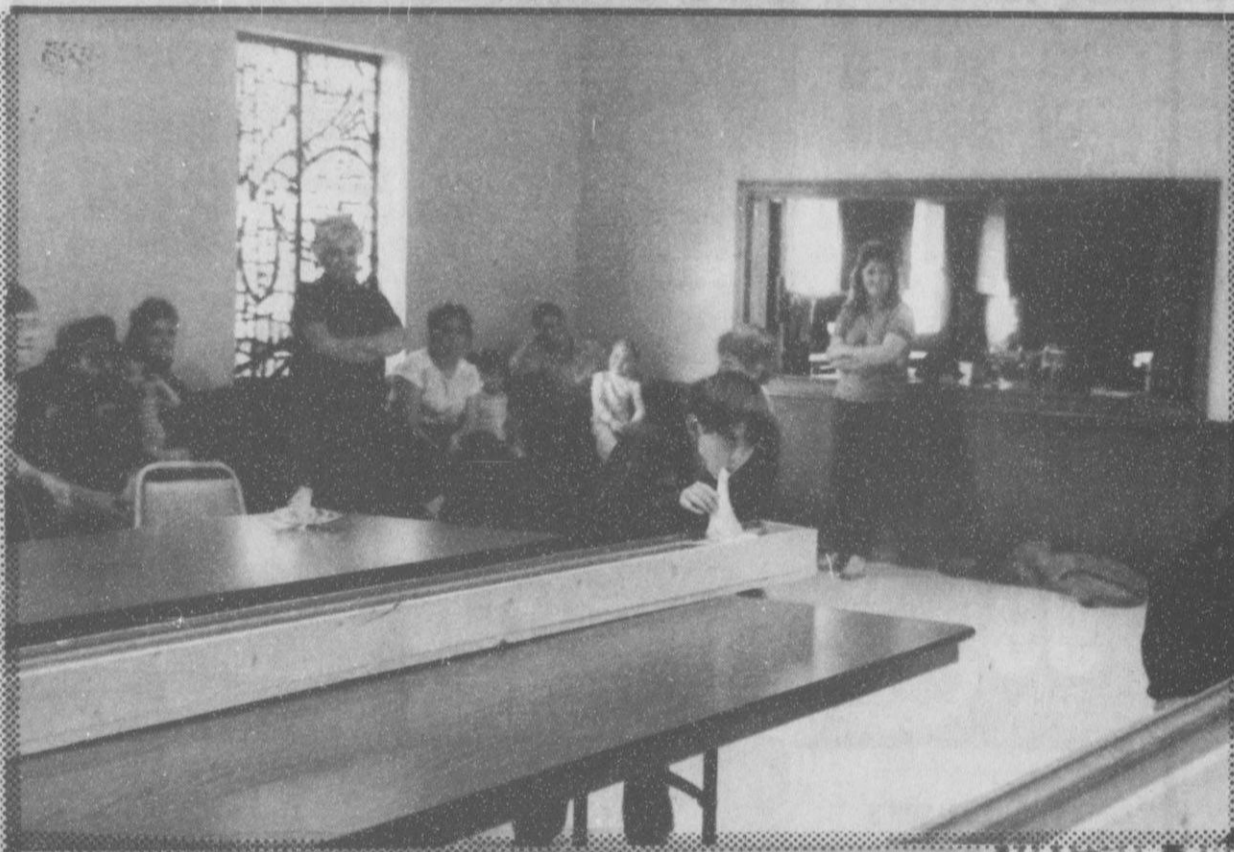
Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Raytown, Mo.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Doty of White Deer, Texas and Mrs. Leona Williams of Alva, Okla.

The Greyhound teams journey to Booker Friday night for another district encounter. Plan to attend these games and support these classy Gruver Teams.

### MARKETS

Milo	\$4.05
Wheat	\$2.76
Corn	\$2.70
Barley	\$2.00
Soybean Indication	\$4.70



Scenes from the Raingutter Regatta held in Gruver recently.

Janie Kunselman's Texas Birthday Celebration group practiced Saturday night in the Gruver High School Auditorium for the Celebration Event Saturday night February 1.

Golly they are good, chills will run up and down your spine when you hear James Walker sing as the band plays San Antonio Rose.

About the time you wipe tears from your eyes Cloggers will be on stage and later Joel Lee and Joyce Lackey will "Waltz Across Texas".

You all make plans now to be in the Gruver High School Auditorium Sat. Feb. 1 at 7 p.m.

## New Ace hardware dealer

Spearman Auto Supply Announces: Affiliation with Ace Hardware Corporation

Ace Hardware one of the nations most progressive and fastest growing Dealer Owned organizations is now affiliated with Spearman Auto Supply. The tremendous buying power of Ace allows us to buy at lower prices thereby providing greater savings for you, our customer.

We are ready to supply basic as well as complex merchandise having access to 38,000 items through Ace. Specialty merchandise of every nature is now available.

Ace charge card applications are available in store with no annual fees.

"Ace is a natural compliment to our automotive lines and will decrease prices on many lines already in stock. "according to George Rock." We invite everyone to come by and look over our Ace Hardware lines. Kevin, Nolan, Albert, Tammy, Melba, or Betts will be happy to show you around, or just come in, get a cup of coffee, and browse. Will be there 7-6 Mon.-Fri., 7-5 Saturdays Ace is the place & the place is: Spearman Auto Supply.

## Mr. & Mrs. Mavis Bateman celebrated 50th anniversary



Mavis and Ollene Bateman from Gruver Celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary Sat. Jan. 18th. Helping celebrate was Kenneth Glenda, Korey and Kim from Godley, Texas. Kenneth and family treated his parents to a

special dinner at K-Bob's in Perryton. A Thank you to everyone that remembered the Bateman's with cards, telephone calls, visits, gifts and food, made it a great anniversary.

# FARM FAMILIES IN CRISIS

In response to the farm crisis in the Diocese of Amarillo, which has come to the forefront as a major concern of the church, Bishop Leroy T. Mattheisen Jan. 8 called together a representative group of people of the diocese to explore ways in which the Catholic Church might respond to the situation of farm families in crisis.

"The Church can and must provide spiritual strength in any crisis," Bishop Mattheisen said. "This is one and we must be there."

"We cannot bail all families out," he said, "but we can help them find the way out of difficulties. We can be present with understanding, love, and support, and we can provide prayer, counseling, referral services, and emergency assistance."

Education of urban people to realize that the farm problem is a city problem as well and the provision of assistance to individual farm families in crisis were listed by the representative group as two major ways in which the Church can help.

These conclusions were reached by Deacon Richard Riley of Amarillo, director of the diocesan Human Concerns Commission; Larry Watson, Catholic Family Service; Deacon Jerry Grossman of Canyon, Diocesan Rural Life Director; Ronald Kotara, Panhandle farmer and member of the Diocesan Pastoral Council; deacon candidate Joe Schwertner of Dumas, also a farmer and member of the DPC; Mrs. Pat (Steve) Meiwes, Vega farm wife and president of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women; Atonement Father Joe Egan of Hereford, a farming community; and Genevieve Nobile, Farm widow and associate editor of the West Texas Catholic.

To implement the twofold goal recommended by the group, the following plans were made.

\*To arrange for church bells to be rung at noon on Ash Wednesday

throughout the Texas Panhandle;

\*To provide intercessory prayers and homily helps for priests and deacons of the diocese for use in Lenten Masses and homilies;

\*To provide a prayer and reflection material for Lenten devotions;

\*To provide a priest director active in farm crisis intervention for the quarterly day of recollection for the priests of the diocese, tentatively scheduled Wednesday, April 30, at the Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center;

\*To arrange immediately with Catholic Family Service to provide referral and counseling services for farm families already in crisis and as they arise in the months ahead;

\*To provide "Wheat Baskets" this year in place of the traditional "Rice Bowls" for use in Lent. Each family in the diocese will be invited to take a Wheat Basket home, place it on the dining room table, and throughout Lent to place in it coins the price of a loaf of bread each day. The money collected will be made available to Catholic Family Service for use in counseling, referral, and job placement services and for crisis intervention;

\*To enlarge the annual Sunday afternoon Farmers' Mass and meal, traditionally held near the Feast of St. Isidore, patron saint of farmers, May 15. This function has been held in the past several years in the Hereford, Vega, Nazareth, Happy areas. It may be enlarged to include the entire diocese or it may be celebrated in several regions in the Panhandle.

"We know we cannot solve everyone's problems, but we can surely help our farm families now in crisis to work through the feelings of guilt, frustration, and even despair that some are beginning to experience," Bishop Mattheisen said.

The group, now named the Isidore Farm Task Force, will meet again Wednesday, Feb. 5, at 12 noon at the Diocesan Pastoral Center.

# Womack is graduate

Roy Dale Womack, former resident of Gruver, Tx., graduated from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, Tx., with a Masters of Science in Forestry on December 21, 1985.

As a graduate project, Womack developed TIMYEA, a microcomputer based yield predictor and financial analysis program for non-industrial private forest landowners in the West Gulf Region.

In college, he was a member of the Sylvans Club; member of the Society of American Foresters; Senior Class Representative of Stephen F. Austin State University Student Chapter of the Society of American Foresters; and a member of Xi Sigma Pi.

Womack was a 1979 graduate of Gruver High School and is the son of Venita Womack of Gruver and Bill Womack of Panhandle, Tx. He will be employed by Boise Cascade Paper Group in Leesville, La.



Beth Swink and Harletta Carthel show how easy it is to make crepes.

# Tops meeting held

We have had a busy time, holidays and all. Some meeting days, just weighins, hope to get back on schedule now! Our November and December meetings were called to order by Rhonda Reichen, our leader, roll was called by Louise Evans with fruit bowls for the most weight lost for the week going to Ina Soaps, Ida Hendrick, Louise Evans and Verna Barkley. Our Queen for the month of November was Phyllis Rasor and for the month of December was Nadine Sprigg. Verna Barkley was voted inspirational Angel for November and Phyllis Rasor for December. We wish to express our congratulations to all these members and encourage them to keep up the great work!

We had a great turn out at our Christmas luncheon at our most gracious hostess, Louise Evans home. Gifts were exchanged and a great time was had by all.

The Basketball Game  
Ten seconds til the game would end.  
Two more points and we would win.

The score had been a mere nine-nine.  
Brooke grabbed the ball and shouted, "Mine!"

She raced toward our goal and scored,  
and then the crowd let out a roar!

The scoreboard buzzed and our team shouted,  
as the other team boomed and pouted.

Stephanie B. 8-2

I'd Rather Rock  
When I was young I listened to Ratt.  
My dad was a cowboy and wore a cowboy hat.  
He tried to change me I said no

way.  
I still haven't changed to this very day.  
I'm proud of myself, I never gave up.  
I'm glad I'm not out there in the old roundup.

Now I've grown up, I love it very much.  
I have a great career that no one can touch.

Vance Scarborough 8-2

### MY MOM

My mom is the best.  
When things are going bad,  
She stands out above all the rest.  
And when times are good,  
She makes me feel glad!

My mom really loves me.  
She loves to see me all of glow.  
It fills her heart with glee,  
My mom loves me more  
Than anyone will ever know.

Katrina Bratton 8-1

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# The Town & Country Extension Homemakers

The Town & Country Extension Homemakers met at the club room January 21, 1986 for a luncheon and crepe demonstration. The members and guests enjoyed a delicious variety of salads and chicken crepes. Special guests included Serendipity Club, Norma Mackie, and ladies from Gruver who are interested in forming an Extension Club in Gruver.

During the business meeting, Roll call was answered with a "Costly Mistake Made By Not Reading the Directions." Reports were given by the various committee and then a demonstration was given by Delinda McLaughlin on making crepes and then the guests and members took turns in making Cherry Crepes for their luncheon dessert.

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have the He-Man Pan for birthday  
cakes. Call Joy at 733-2517.  
52-rtm-nc

For information and supplies for Tri  
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Joy Henderson at 733-2517 in Gruver  
8-rtm-nc

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733-2517 or Dennis at 733-5214.  
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### REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE IN GRUVER - Brick home,  
3 bdrm., 2 bath, double car garage,  
large fenced back yard, about 1,800  
sq. ft., 1 blk. from school.  
Call 733-2964  
1-rtm

360 to 390 acres good grass land  
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16-2tc

HOME FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, living  
room, den, fireplace, double car  
garage, garage opener, 2 bathrooms,  
1/2 mile west of Gruver. Call 803-267-  
4771  
15-rtm

FOR SALE: 4 bedroom house 6 1/4  
acres, 503 10th Gruver 733-5120  
after 5:30 weekdays.  
16-6tc

HOUSE FOR SALE- 2 bdrm., 1  
bath, remodeled kitchen, carpet &  
storage in back. Call 733-2577.  
16-2tc

FOR SALE By owner 3 bedroom  
brick house, with basement, fire-  
place 2 1/2 baths call 733-2598 after  
5.  
16-4tc

### NEW POSTAL HEAD

Paul N. Carlin was  
ousted as postmaster gen-  
eral recently and replaced  
by retired American Air-  
lines Chairman Albert  
Casey.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1972 Peterbilt and 1977  
Double decker cattle trailer. Sell  
together or separate. 659-3368.  
14-rtm

FIREWOOD for sale. Phone  
659-2060 or 659-5289. Price start  
at \$50.00 a rick.  
10-4tc

For Sale: RCA 19" Color T.V. with  
Time of Day, Chanel display, 3  
years old. Brand new remote  
control. \$300. call 733-2517  
45-rtm

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16-1tp

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### WANTED

WANTED - Child care in my home  
full time, or part time. References  
if needed. Call Bonnie Bonham  
733-2919.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Guymon Elks Supper Club is  
open to the public. Our hours are  
Wednesday-Thursday 5:00 p.m.,  
Friday-Saturday 6:10-30 p.m. We  
have a prime rib special every  
Friday.  
51-rtm

### NOTICE

Plans are in process for forming  
an Extension Homemakers Club in  
Gruver. Those who are interested  
in being a member or a part of this  
group may contact Gyene Spivey,  
Haretta Carthel or Joy Henderson.

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### SERVICES

Silt trap and pit cleaning - Loader  
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16-4t

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mildred Cherry  
would like to express their deep  
appreciation to everyone for their  
many kindnesses shown to us at  
our time of sorrow.

In happy homes he saw  
the light  
Of household fires gleam  
warm and bright.  
-H.W. Longfellow.

### LEGAL NOTICE

Hansford County will receive  
bids until 4:00 p.m. Friday,  
February 7, 1986 on one, new 1986  
car for Sheriff's Department with  
and without trade-in. Bids will be  
opened February 10, 1986 at the  
regular meeting of the Commis-  
sioners' Court.

Specifications are available at  
the County Judge's office or the  
County Auditor's office in Hans-  
ford County Courthouse. The Court  
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Friday, Jan. 24

Hamburgers  
cheese, lettuce, pickles  
french fries  
cookies, milk

MON. JAN. 27

Chicken Fried Steaks  
Mashed potatoes w/gravy  
Green beans, choco. pudding  
Hot rolls - milk

TUES. JAN. 28

Chicken noodle soup  
Peanutbutter & Jelly sandwich  
pears - snickerdoodles - milk

WED. JAN. 29

Ham & Cheese Sandwich  
beans - tator tots  
Peach cobbler - milk

THUR. JAN. 30

Burritos w/chili & cheese  
fruit cocktail - cole slaw  
milk

FRI. JAN. 31

Sloppy Joes  
French Fries - tossed salad  
orange cake - milk

Football

Football is a game  
where no pain, is no gain.  
It is played in the grass  
where most people get thrashed.

So football is the game  
where one can lay no blame,  
or excuses, for getting hurt  
so be prepared to eat some dirt.  
Justin Armes  
8-1

"Friends"

I once had a friend,  
she was a good friend.  
She was loyal,  
she acted so royal.

We got into a fight,  
now my days are no longer bright.  
We are no longer friends,  
for now all we do is fight.

I'm going to try and get her back,  
but now everything is so black.  
I hope I can get it to amend,  
so we can be good friends again.  
Tina Cator  
8-2

Friends

All my friends  
have been so nice  
They have been  
giving me so much advice.  
There is so much I have to do.  
They keep me from feeling blue.  
I return everything they send.  
All of the above is why  
I call them my friends.  
Lee Herrera  
8-2

## Gruver Library news

Only the bestselling biographer  
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loss: first the violent death of his  
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the hands of IRA terrorists, then  
the abrupt end of his latest  
romance. Feeling the enormous  
pressure to marry, he was wary of  
giving his heart to another.

They met one day, almost by  
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by fate into falling in love. Ralph  
Martin's astute investigative skills  
combined with his exceptional abili-  
ty to capture intimately the world  
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have created memorable portraits  
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Duchess of Windsor, and the  
Kennedy clan. In recounting the  
actual, never-before-publicized  
meetings, influences, and events  
that shaped the courtship of the  
Prince and Princess of Wales,  
Martin has interviewed liberally  
hundreds of people behind the  
scenes: among them, ladies-in-  
waiting; respected journalists;  
Princess Diana's step-grand-  
mother, the acclaimed romance  
author Barbara Cartland; friends,  
confidants, and associates of  
Charles and Diana; and the house-  
hold staffs of the Royal family,  
including the private secretaries of  
two of the most pivotal characters  
in the drama, Lord Mountbatten  
and the Queen Mother. Ralph  
Martin has succeeded in destroying  
the myths that have been perpetu-  
ated about the couple and has told  
the unvarnished truth - the actual  
occasion on which Charles and  
Diana met; the catastrophic stroke  
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what Charles and Diana's relation-  
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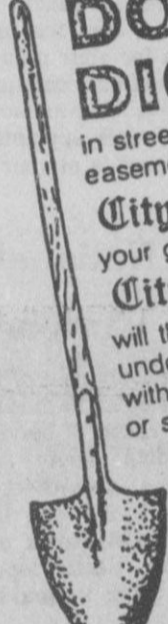


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**Friday, January 31, 1986**

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Lyle Bliss - Owner - in Amarillo 18 yrs.

NIAGARA WAREHOUSE SALES & SERVICE in Amarillo is a Favorite Place in the area for reclining chairs and adjustable beds, located at 6654 Canyon Drive, Bldg. 1, phone 355-9911. NIAGARA CHAIRS & BEDS are not ordinary pieces of furniture. The famous Niagara Therapy is built into each unit, which

combines both and cyclo-massage action. Therefore, they are suitable for professional as well as home use. Niagara also makes reclining lift chairs and portable heat & massage equipment. Sample some good Niagara Relaxation and experience their luxury and comfort. The recliner or bed you choose will be the best at affordable

prices. They offer a large selection of fabrics, colors, styles and sizes for all units. Niagara manufactures the highest quality recliners and adjustable beds that can be obtained. We commend them for honest and ethical business practices and suggest you shop the new year special discounts. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### Woody's Glass Shop

Bill Whitworth - owner

WOODY'S GLASS SHOP is located at 1201 S. Main in Borger, phone 273-6486, has long been recognized as this section's leading glass company, featuring glass for every need or requirement. They are always pleased to have you stop in and inquire about any glass

problem, either for residential or commercial requirements.

They offer a complete line of glass and glazing services. For the very best service in quality glass for every purpose, plate glass, store front construction, auto glass, mirrors and desk tops. They also

have a complete line of sliding and shower doors and tub enclosure. The manager of this glass company is thoroughly familiar with all

phases of the glass business. We recommend them! They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### Chris Coffman Carpets

CHRIS COFFMAN CARPETS, located at 1026 Megert Shopping Center in Borger, phone 273-2114, offers you the best in floor coverings. They handle a complete line of nationally known brands of carpets, vinyls, tiles, and ceramics. If you need new floor covering

for your home or place of business call this reliable firm for a free estimate. A friendly representative will give you any advice you may need on your floor covering problems. They will be more than willing to help you in any way they can. This firm also furnishes expert

installations by master mechanics that are guaranteed to please you. So, for the finest quality and most

reasonable prices in carpets, vinyls, tiles & ceramics, this is the place to buy. Go in and look over their beautiful displays.

### Bailey Buick - Pontiac - GMC, Inc.

BAILEY BUICK-PONTIAC & GMC TRUCKS are famous names in the automobile industry and another name that is very familiar to many residents of this area is BAILEY BUICK-PONTIAC & GMC TRUCKS located at 1115 S. Main in Borger, phone 273-6448. This firm

has grown on the principle of a high standard of quality, customer satisfaction, and the most value possible for your money. Many residents of this community have taken their motor problems to this firm. Their well appointed service department is at your disposal at all

times with factory trained mechanics. You will be proud of your new car or truck that you purchase here, also the home of quality used cars that are in excellent condition with thousands of unused miles of service. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### First National Bank of Stinnett

Joe Barnett - President

Farmers and town residents throughout the trade area have learned over the years to depend on the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STINETT as the strong financial right arm of the growth and development of the economy of the territory. New depositors or loan applicants can assure themselves

of the soundness of the bank when they stop at the modern facilities. A wide range of services is offered including safety deposit boxes, savings and checking accounts, farm, home, and livestock loans and assistance in making investments. Each depositor up to \$100,000 is insured by the Federal

Deposit Insurance Corp. This Review recommends that whatever their financial needs, they consult the friendly personnel at

the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STINETT at 525 Morse, phone 878-2488.

### Stinnett Cleaners

STINETT CLEANERS located in Apache Shopping Center in Stinnett, phone 878-2203, is famous for the quality of work done. For years they have featured in the finest in cleaning and pressing. People are often judged by their appearance. It is wise to

keep our clothes neat and clean at all times. Fabrics wear a great deal longer that have been cleaned often. Be thrifty and have that dirt removed completely by this outstanding cleaner. We recommend this reliable firm and refer them to

all readers for the finest cleaning service available. They have 1 day cleaning service, as well as drapes & bedspreads cleaned - water proofing & alterations. The Owner & Employees wish all a Joyous New Year.

### J C Penney Company

A shopping tour would not be complete without a stop at J. C. Penney located at 214 Borger Plaza in Borger, phone 273-9515. This is a modern family center where the shopper can fill many needs for the home and family. Here you will find items not found in other stores

and each purchase will represent a savings that will assist you in living within your planned budget. Knowing the best source afforded by today's markets, the manager sees that all merchandise is of the best quality and at prices the customer can afford. The word

"service" when applied to this firm takes on its full significance whether the purchase is large or small. We highly recommend this store to all our readers. They extend a special welcome to all and wish each and everyone a Joyous New Year.

### Kel - Tex Electric, Inc.

Industrial, commercial, and residential wiring are a speciality with KEL-TEX ELECTRIC located at 3904 S. Cedar in Borger, phone 273-2353. The are well known in this area for fast and dependable wiring service. They have been in this type of business for years and

have the know-how to handle any job. Experience does make a difference in the electric contracting field. Reasonable bids can only be made when the contractor you call is familiar with the problems involved. You can rest assured that they will be reasonable and fair in

all dealings. Their popularity has increased each year they have been in business and they are now recognized as leaders in the field of wiring. We recommend them! Phone today for service. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### Perryton & Spearman Redi - Mix

Art Born - Lyndon Born  
Lesly Born

PERRYTON & SPEARMAN REDI-MIX in Spearman-north of tracks-phone 659-5055-in Perryton on Hwy. 15 E. & Loop 143 N. phone 435-8836, offers prompt and dependable service in ready-mixed concrete for building construction, oil field work with 24 hour oilfield

service, oilfield forklift service, oilfield pipe & equipment storage. They have radio dispatched trucks for transporting & mixing concrete in any quantity desired & prepared to supply out of town orders. The best of service is provided by them - whether the order is large or

small. Their service is an essential necessity to the Panhandle. We congratulate the management for outstanding service and their quality Redi-Mix. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### Spearman Cattle Feeders

"Custom Cattle Feeders"

SPEARMAN CATTLE FEEDERS is located 2 miles east & 2 miles North of Spearman - phone 659-2577. They are your Custom Cattle Feeders and specialize in commercial cattle feeding the year around and boasts a capacity for feeding 50,000 head of cattle. Their reputation has been built through reliable service. They feature all

modern feed lots and experienced hands who are more than qualified to handle your stock. They feed only the best feed that can be had, to insure you of MORE WEIGHT on your beef in the shortest period of time. Farmers and ranchers have been using the service rendered at this lot with the greatest satisfaction, knowing they can rely on

SPEARMAN CATTLE FEEDERS to fatten their beef for market year after year. We are happy to recommend this feed lot to all of our readers who want to get the most from their cattle investment. Any questions or information - call Gene McGlavin, V. Pres. Cattle Dept. at 659-2577. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### Johnson Cooke Motors Co.

Liveliness, luxury, and economy have never been more beautifully blended than in the new and beautiful Chrysler-Plymouth-Dodge & Dodge Trucks. Visit JOHNSON-COOKE MOTOR CO. in Perryton at 2322 S. Main, phone 435-7676, and see these beautiful automobiles on display. These cars are modern in concept and design,

sound and solid, built for long wearing ruggedness and the picture of elegance. They represent an important development in the American automotive field the utmost in engineering excellence and economy. We suggest that if you want a car or truck that gives you maximum transportation at minimum cost, you purchase one of

these fine automobiles or trucks from your authorized dealer. See their fine selection of used cars.... so reasonably priced that you, too,

can afford to be a two car family!! We recommend JOHNSON-COOKE MOTOR CO. in Perryton. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### The Boutique

THE BOUTIQUE is located at 310 Bliss (Across from Post Office) in Dumas, phone 935-4219, here quality reigns and style is paramount in Ladies wear. They feature individual and distinctive garments and accessories for the most fashionable ladies at reasonable prices. Their quality wear is the very latest in smartness and the

styles will distinguish the wearer as a well-dressed woman. For anyone firm to assume the fashion responsibilities of this section is rather a large undertaking, but through their desire to represent only the finest & the best, they have become known as fashion headquarters for ladies in this section. The principle upon which this store

is operated is to sell individual and distinctive garments and to meet any and all competition in quality, style, and price. We wish to

compliment THE BOUTIQUE and suggest you visit them soon. The Owner and Employees wish all a Joyous New Year.

### "Hey Culligan Man"

Roger Sepulveda - Owner

CULLIGAN WATER CONDITIONING located at 1708 Fairlans Blvd. in Borger, phone 274-2279, now features the Osmosis high quality water unit, which removes almost all of the contamination from drinking & cooking water. This outstanding soft water service includes the automatic home

owned models as well as commercial-industrial units...the modern answer in a permanently installed water conditioner. Soft water saves on your family budget by making your clothes last longer, soap go farther, reduces water heating bills and saves on your plumbing costs. Soft water will stop spot dishes and

bathtub rings, too. This excellent soft water service offers you complete water conditioning, filtration, purification, and iron tests and odor removal. Call them at once for a free home demonstration and complete services. Roger wishes all a Joyous New Year.

### Maxwell's Water Well Service

David Maxwell - Owner

Dependability and MAXWELL'S WATER WELL SERVICE go hand in hand, a fact well recognized in this area. MAXWELL'S WATER WELL SERVICE is located on Hwy. 15 East in Perryton, phone 435-2705, this excellent firm offers a very wide service. They have

been serving this area for years. They feature complete water well service including: Domestic - irrigation-oilfield and industrial with 24 hr. service. They are there when you need them and will be happy to be of service to you. They are knowledgeable in their line of busi-

ness and have the experience that enable them to serve their customers better. We are fortunate to have this reliable concern in our area and suggest you patronize them. When in need of water well service, David and Employees wish all a Joyous New Year.

### Sherry's Stout Fashion

Sherry Long - Owner

"WHERE SMART WOMEN SHOP", one of the more renowned firms in the field of ladies ready-to-wear is SHERRY'S STOUT FASHION in Borger located at 912 N. Main, phone 273-5811. Here you will find a variety of ladies wearing apparel suited to every taste. The

clientele of this firm is composed of the discriminating who demand satisfaction in their every purchase. Meeting this demand with high quality clothing and reasonable prices has been a prime factor in the rapid success of this firm. You are invited to make your

selections here where you will be able to choose from a wide range of fine garments. In this Review, we take pleasure in directing the attention of our readers to this establishment and suggest that you drop in to see them for anything in the ladies clothing line.

### Lee R. Johnson & Assoc.

Lee R. Johnson - Auctioneer

To be successful, an auctioneer must be well liked by the people in the community where he works. MR. LEE R. JOHNSON in Goodwell is well thought of and popular in the surrounding areas. He specializes in selling at auction the following: Real Estate, Farm Sales & Machinery-also Equipment &

Personal Property Auction. They offer honest, reliable service and will conduct your sale in an experienced, satisfactory manner, resulting in more profit for you. When you need the services of a competent auctioneer, be sure to call MR. LEE R. JOHNSON in Goodwell, phone 545-3486. He has

real auctioneering ability unsurpassed anywhere in our area and will conduct any type of sale for you. Licensed in Oklahoma,

Kansas, & Texas. They are also Certified Appraisers. They appreciate your business. Mr. Johnson wishes all a Joyous New Year.

### G P Quinn, Inc.

"Serving the Panhandle 28 years"

When you see you are going to need the services of a tank truck, your next thought should be G P QUINN located at 101 Carolina St. in Borger, phone 273-2325. This well equipped trucking company with first class equipment and competent operators will handle

your products just the way you want the job done. They offer Frecc Tanks, Vacuum truck service, pump trucks, transport trucks, as well as hauling of all Non-Regulated fluids. Their crews are on call day or night and the trucks are equipped with 2-way radio com-

munication. No matter where your lease is located or how far the product is to be hauled, they will

give you good conscientious service and expedite the job to your complete satisfaction. We recommend them!

### Gerber Cesspool Drilling

Cesspools are legal - Glen Gerber Owner

For the best in cesspool and septic tank construction, maintenance or repair contact GERBER CESSPOOL DRILLING located at 1101 Peach in Dalhart, phone 249-5804 or in Dumas call 935-3466. Cesspools are perfectly legal. The size and use of cesspools are regulated by the Texas Health Department. They also sell, service and install concrete septic tank systems including the excavation and laying of lateral lines. With

more than 19 years experience Glenn Gerber has the equipment and the know-how to drill holes from 3 feet to 13 feet in diameter up to a depth of 70 feet. Cesspools and septic tanks are just one aspect of this respected firm. They drill man holes and boot pits and they can construct underground or above ground incinerators. They can provide you with concrete bases and burner for the incinerator and concrete covers for cesspools.

Glenn Gerber serves the Panhandle with these services including septic tank and mud pit pumping. They can handle most any installation, maintenance, service or repair of cesspools, septic tanks and related systems. See his ad under septic tanks in the Dalhart and Dumas Yellow pages. They are to be commended for the services offered the Panhandle. Glenn and his family wish everyone a prosperous New Year!

## I-Deal Custom Van & RV Center

Leon Robertson - Owner

**I-DEAL CUSTOM VAN & RV CENTER**, located in Amarillo at 2701 South Georgia, phone 359-3107, offers a complete selection of new & used Vans and RV's - the ultimate in luxury, style and comfort. They are dependable experts in the Custom Van and RV Busi-

ness and are known far and wide as leaders in their field. The employees are all familiar with Vans & RV's and will be happy to give you any information about them. Demonstrations will courteously be given to show you they are ready to go. They have TRA Tech, Champion, Trans Van &

Trans Star, Sportscoach and your full-line Coachman Dealer. They also have a complete selection of accessories, running boards, seats, sofas and more, as well as a complete service department. We recommend them & suggest you visit them soon. Leon & Employees wish all a Joyous New Year.

## Trendset Interior Design

Patricia Richardson - Terri Gross Owners

A beautiful World of designs and colors awaits you at **TRENDSSET INTERIOR DESIGNS**. They have a wonderful selection of carpeting, custom draperies and wall coverings with designs and colors that are calculated to lure you into an exciting new level in living. They also have a professional design service and trained personnel that

can help you design a room full of beauty. This is one of those places where quality reigns and style is Paramount. They feature distinctive quality products for the fashionable at reasonable prices. They feature custom draperies, all types of window treatments, floor coverings and beautiful custom bedspreads. You may be assured of

their professional workmen providing you with expert installations for all your interior design needs. We recommend **TRENDSSET INTERIOR DESIGN** located in Borger at 1010 Megert Shopping Center, phone 274-2771. They wish all a Joyous Holiday.

## Pantex Federal Credit Union

Randy D. Sable - President

Financial Security doesn't come easily for most of us. We have to save for it and manage our money wisely. In Borger we have a friend who will help us with all our money matters - it is **PANTEX FEDERAL CREDIT UNION** located at 100 Caprock, phone 273-5692. Saving, lending and financial counseling by

knowledgeable financial people whose interest in their members comes first. Savings are insured to \$1,000,000 per account. We should all improve our financial picture. The experts at **PANTEX FEDERAL CREDIT UNION** have sound procedures for you to do so. If you or

your group are not now a member of a credit union, let us recommend that you contact this fine credit union soon. We suggest you stop in soon & find out about the many advantages offered by **PANTEX FEDERAL CREDIT UNION** in Borger. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

## Brystr's Young Fashions

Tammy Romero

An outstanding feature at **BRYSTR'S** is their exclusive baby department...**BRYSTR'S YOUNG FASHIONS** is located in Guymon at 417 N. Main, phone 338-6160. They feature all types of clothing for young boys and girls...boys infant through 14...specializing in boys

14s. "The Hard Size to Find." Clothing for very young girls...infants through 14 also Juniors. A cardinal feature of **BRYSTR'S** is their reasonable prices, quality and the latest styles. If your child is hard to fit properly, visit **BRYSTR'S YOUNG FASHIONS** in

Guymon. They cater to small girls and boys and pre-teens...whose Mothers are discriminating in their taste. Go in and see their outstanding selections. We recommend them! They wish all a Joyous New Year.

## United Discount Drug

Jerry Moore, Reg. Ph.  
Terry Moore, Reg. Ph.

This modern drug store offers many outstanding brand names in high quality merchandise. Whatever your needs, if it's a drug store item, you will find a wide selection of drugs, sickroom supplies, beauty aids, photographic needs, veterinary supplies and sundries, at

**UNITED DISCOUNT DRUG** in Guymon at the Northridge Shopping center, phone 338-8421. You can always find brand name of cosmetics and other highgrade merchandise, a complete gift shop and convalescent rentals. You will find here a prescription depart-

ment that is rated the best, assuring you of fast accurate prescription services. We highly recommend this excellent drug store and urge you to trade with them regularly. They give S&H Green Stamps, too. They wish all a Joyous & Healthy New Year.

## Caprock Industries

**CAPROCK INDUSTRIES** - Lot No. 4 is 5 miles West of Dalhart on Hwy. 54, phone 384-2333 - Lot No. 1 is 14 miles S.W. of Gruver, phone 733-2461 - Lot No. 2 is 9 miles N.E. of Gruver, phone 733-2429 and General Office is 733-2483. This feed lot specializes in Commercial Cattle Feeding. The year round and boast a capacity for feeding 203,000 head of cattle. Their reputation has been built through reliable service. They feature experienced hands

who are more than qualified to handle your stock. They feed only the best feed that can be had, to insure you of **MORE WEIGHT** on your beef in the **SHORTEST PERIOD** time. Several customer service options are available--including: **GUARANTEED FAT CATTLE** prices at anytime during the feeding period and ration prices can be locked in at anytime. Farmers and ranchers have been using the service rendered at

**CAPROCK** with the **GREATEST SATISFACTION, KNOWING THEY CAN RELY ON THEM TO FATTEN THEIR BEEF FOR MARKET YEAR AFTER YEAR.** We are happy to recommend **CAPROCK** to all of our readers who want to get the most from their cattle investment. They appreciate your patronage & wish all a Happy New Year.

## Panhandle Telephone Cooperative

In this Business Review we salute **PANHANDLE TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE**, Office at 803 S. Main in Guymon, phone (405) 338-2556. We know of no other business firm or organization serving **MORE CITIZENS IN MORE WAYS** than this esteemed

**TELEPHONE CO-OP.** For meritorious service 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, we extend the appreciation and gratitude of citizens in our area, all of whom are served directly or indirectly by this telephone Co-op. We take off our hats to **PANHANDLE TELE-**

**PHONE COOPERATIVE** and suggest to our readers that, when you need a lift, pick up your telephone and call your children, your parents or an old friend. It will put you on top of the world. Try it and see!

## DJ's Well Service & Roustabout

**DJ'S WELL SERVICE & ROUSTABOUT** located at 1621 N. Main in Borger, Phone 273-5356, offers a fast efficient roustabout service 24 hours a day.

Their men are efficient and experienced in oilfield work, complete well hook ups, complete well servicing, tank batteries, ditching

and backhoe work.

They have a complete line of modern heavy equipment with experienced operators, to render you a service which as yet is unsurpassed. Since they have been in business their volume has grown with hardly a pause. Their good reputation for service is well known

among the oil industrial people through-out this area.

We compliment the management of this firm upon their progressive and efficient service which has contributed to the growth and development of the entire territory. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

## The Markae

Janet White - New Owner

**THE MARKAE** located at 620 Dumas Ave. in Dumas, Phone 935-6100 is "FOR THE WOMAN WHO WANTS TO LOOK HER BEST."

In this day and age it is important to always look your best, and when you select your wardrobe from this store you are assured of the "Now Look," as they now feature a totally new line. They

specialize in special clothes for special ladies, from juniors to junior petite sizes and misses sizes. For career girls and career homemakers you will find a unique collection of sportswear, work and play, casual clothes for your leisure hours and after 5 wear for parties and special occasions. The personnel are friendly and they keep up with the latest styles. When select-

ing your wardrobe, they will be happy to assist you in choosing styles that are most becoming to you. You are invited to come in and select something different for your wardrobe. Let them help you get started into a new world of fashion. Janet & Employees wish all a Happy New Year.

## Guymon Tire & Service Center

Denis "Hoot" Gibson-Owner

**GUYMON TIRE & TIRE CENTER** located on Hwy. 54 N.E. in Guymon, phone (405) 338-2516 is your dealer for **THE FAMOUS GOOD YEAR** tires. When you purchase tires for your automobile, truck or tractor, you want tires that will give you the greatest safety in

driving. For longer wear and the best in tire quality, this is the place to go.

Here you will find experts who will be glad to advise you on your tire needs. You will also find a repair department where you can have your old tires repaired by

experienced workmen, as well as tune-ups, balancing, alignment, brakes, mufflers, and much more. These men are experts and able to diagnose your troubles and correct them in the proper manner. We take great pleasure in recommending such a firm to our readers. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

## Dandee Supply Co.

Dannie D. Birt - Owner

**DANDEE SUPPLY CO.** is located in Guymon at 507 Hwy. 54 West, phone 338-5831 and offers the business community of this area a complete line of the advanced line of Star Metal Building Systems that are pre-engineered for commercial, industrial and office purposes. Call them for free estimates on specially designed

buildings to meet your requirements. These Star buildings have many advantages over other types of construction. They can be quickly and easily erected at any location and are more economical, are weathertight, permanent, and of clearspan construction. **DANDEE** offers a complete turn-key operation, architectural plan-

ning and construction. Before constructing a new facility, call this firm and avail yourself of a preliminary plan at no cost to you. They offer GSI Grain Tanks and

Systems, too. GSI are leading bin manufacturers world wide. We recommend **DANDEE SUPPLY** in Guymon! They wish all a Happy New Year.

## Frank Phillips College

**FRANK PHILLIPS COLLEGE** in Borger located at 1201 West Roosevelt, (P.O. Box 5118), zip 79007, phone 274-5311, is one of the foremost educational institutions in the trade area.

They offer advanced courses which thoroughly conform to the

modern business methods of today, such as academic programs, technical programs and vocational programs. This progressive school is under the capable direction of a faculty thoroughly experienced in commercial instruction and efficient in the most modern methods

in every detail.

Modern business methods are fully demonstrated here. This is a good reason why the students from this institute advance faster and can be found as leaders in every walk of life. They wish all a Happy New Year.

## Cattleman's Livestock Commission Co.

"Friday is Auction Day"

For the highest prices for your livestock, visit **CATTLEMAN'S LIVESTOCK COMMISSION**, "LARGEST 1 DAY AND 2nd LARGEST AUCTION IN TEXAS," in Dalhart on Hwy. 54 West, phone 249-5505. Auction each Friday at 11 a.m. These qualified merchants are

your guarantee for the highest prices and the most pleasant business transactions. They have experience in this capacity and you to benefit from their experience in this field. They are well trained to give you a fair evaluation of the value of your livestock, meaning

more profit for you. Honesty and fair dealings are their trademarks as highest prices are your guarantee. Farmers and ranchers in this area will tell you this. We recommend the services of this company for high prices and efficient, dependable business methods. They wish all a Happy New Year.

## Morrison's Feed & Ranch Supplies

Walter & Billie Sue Morrison  
Owner

One of the concerns upon which the farmers of our area depend a great deal is **MORRISON'S FEED & RANCH SUPPLIES**, located at 301 N. Harvey in Borger, phone 273-9773. This firm renders a service of benefit to the farmers and ranchers of our trade area.

They are dealers for **ACCO Feeds, Seeds, Tack, Veterinarian Supplies, Dog & Kennel Supplies and Fertilizer**. Properly fed cattle, poultry and pets thrive at any season of the year and at this well known firm they carry a complete stock of feeds which will keep your live-

stock, poultry and pets in the best condition. See this firm when you are in need of any of these supplies. "10% discount to Senior Citizens - FFA & 4-H Club Members." Walter & Billie Sue wish all a Joyous New Year.

## Borger '66' Federal Credit Union

**START EARLY IN LIFE** with savings at **BORGER '66' FEDERAL CREDIT UNION** in Borger Plaza Shopping Center, phone 273-9506. Saving is no different than any other good habit. Your savings, current dividends here. We are proud that citizens of our area put their trust in **BORGER**

**'66' FEDERAL CREDIT UNION**. In all their history, each account has been held in sacred trust and these folk know that this is the **RIGHT PLACE** for the **CAREFUL INVESTOR** to find **GOOD EARNINGS AND SAFETY**. The future is bright for regular savers. Doors open that would otherwise remain

closed. Opportunities develop. Each depositor insured up to \$100,000. We list **BORGER '66' FEDERAL CREDIT UNION** among the leaders in the area and suggest that you, too, visit them soon. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

## Johnson's Ready - to - Wear

Helen-Dorothy-Lorraine

We recommend this friendly and outstanding shop...**JOHNSON'S READY - TO - WEAR** in Dalhart at 416 Denrock Ave., phone 249-2116. Here you will find a complete line of Missy and Ladies sizes... "The Latest Fashions To Create Feminine Loveliness." You will look great and feel great in a new outfit

from **JOHNSON'S**...beautiful new colors and fabrics and reasonable prices. You are invited to make your selections here. **JOHNSON'S**... is fashion headquarters for ladies in the Panhandle. The principal upon which **JOHNSON'S** is operated is to sell individual and distinctive garments of style,

quality and price. We suggest you visit **JOHNSON'S** in Dalhart "Where Smart Women Shop"...go in and see Helen, Dorothy and Lorraine...they are friendly and eager to help you. Visit them soon and often. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

## Bulla's Jewelry

John Bulla - Owner

**BULLA'S JEWELRY** is located at 106 W. 6th in Borger, phone 273-5271, takes pride in their unexcelled quality items on display in their showcases. You'll find master pieces in diamonds here. You can see the difference as various diamonds or precious stones are fitted into the setting of your choice. In this manner, you

can be sure, through comparison, of getting **EXACTLY WHAT YOU WANT**. There is probably no jewelry as beautiful as a diamond mounted in a lovely gold mounting. If your diamond rings are showing wear, why not have your diamonds remounted in an attractive new mounting, by this master craftsman jeweler. They offer an out-

standing selection of both men and ladies' ring mountings. Styles range from the very simple, solitaire setting, to the intricately designed multi-stoned mountings.

For all your jewelry needs, gifts, and jewelry repair, we highly recommend **BULLA'S JEWELRY**. They wish all a Joyous Holiday.

## Texas County Feed Yard Inc.

Specializing in Livestock feeding is **TEXAS COUNTY FEED YARD** in Guymon on Hwy. 54 East, phone 338-7714. They have enabled the farmers and ranchers in the Panhandle to have their cattle fattened and ready for market at a reasonable cost. By doing business with

them, you can save yourself trouble and expense of maintaining cattle feeding facilities. The feeding methods applied by **TEXAS FEED YARD** are your assurance of top prices in accordance with the beef market. We are pleased to recommend this outstanding firm and

suggest you contact Ray Kimsey or Dee Foillis manager, on all your feeding problems or needs. We salute **TEXAS COUNTY FEED YARD** and suggest you call today! They wish all a Happy New Year.

### Farber Livestock Transportation

Rodney H. Farber

To receive the best service and results in shipping your livestock, it is generally accepted that it pays to do business with FARBER LIVESTOCK TRANSPORTATION. This reliable trucking concern has served the farmers and ranchers of this district most efficiently and

always with a remarkable degree of satisfaction. FARBER LIVESTOCK TRANSPORTATION is located in Spearman, phone 659-3902. They offer both local and long distant hauling. This is a progressive organization, having gained the confidence of the people through-

out the Panhandle. We suggest to farmers and ranchers of this section that they contact Rodney for fast, dependable livestock hauling. They are fully insured and appreciate your business. We recommend them! They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### RSP Investigations

RSP INVESTIGATIONS is located in Borger at 517 W. Wilson, phone 273-7378. They are bonded-insured-licensed for all types of investigations including: Criminal, civil, accident & insurance, employee theft, workman compensation fraud, security, courier

service & much more. These men are specialists in this field. It is their major field, not just a sideline, and they are capable and efficient in all work they do. You can depend on the reliability of this firm for they have built an envied reputation for themselves through-

out this entire section. When you need service of these types call this firm first. They give free estimates

gladly. Call them if you want the job done right. They wish all a Joyous New Year.

### A&B Chimney Sweep

Kenton Brechbukler--Owner

A&B CHIMNEY SWEEP is located in Hugoton, Kansas at 1026 S. Polk, phone 316-544-7540. This outstanding company continually maintains competitive prices and quality service, which includes: Chimney cleaning, masonry and brick repair on Chimney tops,

chimney accessories and caps, also sales & service on wood stoves and fireplace inserts. They welcome new and old customers from the entire area. The management is interested in the welfare and progress of the area and is deserving of the fine business they have.

They have experience in every phase of Chimney care and they aid in the reduction of fire hazards. We compliment them on their outstan-

ding & much needed service. Call today! We recommend. Kenton wishes all a Happy New Year.

### Frontier Yards...Stratford Feeders...Cactus Feeders

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Mary Lou & Neal Grubbs - Owner

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Grace Whatton - Owner

STAFF - O - LIFE NATURAL FOOD CENTER is located in Dalhart at 203 Denrock, phone 249-2936, has a complete line of Natural foods, Vitamin & Minerals, also books and periodicals on how to maintain a healthy body.

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School School is like a prison without cells. You can do what you want, then other times you can not. It is fun, but then it is not. There is punishment, and reward; There is freetime and worktime. All together school is a prison without cells. So my words to you are, watch out in school.

Jason W. Haefner 8-2

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READING

DAY BY DAY

I saw a girl that looked like a monkey, And I could say she dressed kind of junky Her name, I think was Jenny, And she'd give you her last penny.

Yesterday has come and gone. But my memories still linger on. I will look forward to tomorrow, because I believe in taking my life as it comes. For my life used to be full of sorrow, but that is in the past. I feel that I have to live my life day by day. And never hurry on my way. I have to take it slow, not fast.

But I dare to say, I'd take Jenny any day!

Theron Park

Sandra Griggs 8-1

Jesse Ventura, Cowboy Acs, and Ric If they present you with a D.D.T. You head will have a tendency to click. Ric's figure four leglock will break your knees.

The only way you should step into the ring Is if you're strong or if you're extra mean.

Brent Stedje 8-2

# Texas Farmers Union Meeting

The Texas Farmers Union held their 82nd Annual Convention January 9-11 where they were welcomed by The Hon. Emilio Hernandez, Mayor of Brownsville, Tx.

During business at the convention, a resolution was passed to fight against any type of nuclear or toxic waste dumps to be placed or already established in the state of Texas.

Policy was reviewed and adopted. District caucuses were held, where Burton Schubert was re-elected District 1 Director.

Elections for State Pres. & Vice Pres., delegates and alternates to the National Convention were held. Joe Rankin from Ralls, Tx. is State Pres., Bob Girard from Waco, Tx. is Vice Pres., Joe Morris is 1st alternate delegate to the National Convention. Guest speakers at the convention were:

The Hon. Gov. Mark White; The Hon. Jim Hightower, Commissioner of Agriculture; The Hon. Kika De La Garza, U.S. Congressman; The Hon. Hector Uribe, State Senator; The Hon. Juan Hinojosa, State Representative; The Hon. Garry Mauro, Texas Land Commissioner; The Hon. Beau Boulter, State Congressman; The Hon. Alex Moreno, State Representative; The Hon. Jack Kelsey, Pres., Okla. Farmers Union.

Cy Carpenter, Pres. of National Farmers Union was the featured guest speaker at the closing banquet.

The Carl Lowrey family from Yoakum Co. was honored as the Pioneer Family.

An informative presentation was given by Attorney Don Richards on "Avoiding Catastrophic Pitfalls Through Financial Planning."

Loren Swenson, Pres. of National Farmers Union Ins. presented Ins. awards, where Hansford - Hutchinson Counties received a County Cooperation award.

Other awards presented at the convention were; Legislative Awards: Hon. Rep. Steve Carriker & Hon. Senator Hugh Palmer, F.F.A. Scholarship: Jeannie Williams, Speech Contest: 1st. Barbara Schussler, 2nd - Ty Cleavanger, H.M. Baggerly Media Award; Ken Lane, Haskell, Tx., Phil Roth, Amarillo, Tx., Dwayne Smith, Spearman, Tx., Scott Lind, McAllen, Tx., Marie Weaver, Hico, Tx.

Those attending from the Hansford - Hutchinson group were: Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Wisian, District Director of Insurance; Mr. and Mrs. Burton Schubert; Mr. and Mrs. Omar Sutton, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris. The officers of the Hansford -

Hutchinson County Farmers Union would like to Thank everyone for their continued support.

Poem

I saw a girl that looked like a monkey, And I could say she dressed kind of junky. Her name, I think was Jenny, And she'd give you her last penny.

Then there was this girl named Kitty, She was beautiful and very pretty. Down inside she was mean-and not that witty.

But I dare to say, I'd take Jenny any day!

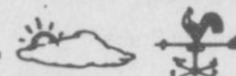
Theron Park 8-1

# PCB Meeting

There will be joint meeting of different governing officials on Feb. 3rd with Jim Hightower, Secretary of Agriculture at the District Courtroom in Spearman. The meeting is being sponsored by the CAPP Committee. Mr. Hightower will be here at 12:45. We suggest anyone interested in coming to please come early.

There will be representatives of different civic organizations attending. If any Civic Club is interested in having CAPP Committee program about the proposed PCB dump contact Mary Lou Wysong phone 659-2879.

### THE Know Weather



What is Aurora Australis?

Aurora Australis is the brother of Aurora Borealis. And if you are not familiar with Aurora Borealis, it is a solar overcharge, so to speak, from the sun.

The sun sends out millions of particles, electrically charged, and they stream into the earth's vicinity. They are deflected

toward the poles and the light they create at the North Pole is known as Aurora Borealis and that seen at the South Pole is Aurora Australis.

As a weather omen the sight of Aurora Borealis or Aurora Australis is a good sign. It often means, if it can be seen brightly, that several days of good weather are due.

My beloved Nikes My Nikes are so comfortable They go with me through happiness and trouble. They have been just about everywhere I have.

From a marshy sewer to muddy wheatfield. They also carry memories with them

For instance when a friend had fun with her pen then tried to cover it up with liquid paper. My Nikes will be with me forever. I will keep on wearing them with a smile.

Manda Winger 8-2

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First Baby



Pictured above Mike and Bonnie Graham and little baby Shaun.

The first new years baby was born at Hensford Hospital January 14th. His name is Shaun Michael Graham, son of Mike and Bonnie Graham, Spearman. Baby brother to Joshua Adam. Shaun was born at 2:01 p.m., Hensford Hospital and weighed 6 lbs. 8 3/4 oz. He was 21 inches long.

Attending doctor was Dr. Viola of Gruver.

Randy and Deborah Stafford of Fort Supply, Okla. are proud to announce the birth of their daughter. She was born Jan. 15, 1986 at 6:40 a.m., weighed 8lbs. and was 21" long. Her parents named her Megan Rachelle Stafford. Megan is joined by an older brother, Eric and an older sister, Alisha. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Wilson Jr. of Fort Supply and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stafford of Spearman.

LIFE

Life is a thing of mystery  
I never know what to expect next.  
It turns and twists,  
Goes up and down,  
It never stays the same.

Life is a trial-  
Everyone is out to get something,  
No matter the cost,  
No matter the risk.

Life is a game-  
With winners and losers,  
If you play it right, you survive.  
If not you die.

Life is a hard thing to understand  
If anyone really understands it,  
at all,  
But for some odd reason,  
We were each given a life to live!  
So take this life,  
And play the game right.  
Be a survivor, not a quitter.  
Set goals,  
And be a winner, not a loser,  
And live every day of your life to the fullest,  
Until life exist no more.

Debbie Hathaway  
8-1

On Dean's Honor Roll

PLAINVIEW, TX. (special) - Two students from Gruver have been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall 1985 semester at Wayland Baptist University.

Those named to the list, along with their classification and grade point average (GPA), were Julie Leanne Deakin, freshman, 4.00 GPA; and Cindy Ann Virden, junior, 3.62 GPA.

Miss Deakin is a 1985 graduate of Gruver High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Deakin of 304 Richardson. Miss Virden is a 1983 Gruver High School graduate and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Virden, also of Gruver.

The Dean's Honor Roll is announced at the end of each semester by Dr. Fred A. Teague, academic vice president and dean of the university, and lists the names of students who posted a 3.50 GPA or above on a 4.00 scale while carrying at least 12 semester hours.

A total of 122 students from nine states and two foreign countries were named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Wayland for the fall semester.

LEVELLAND--Three students from Gruver have been named to the President's and Dean's Honor Lists at South Plains College for the 1985 fall semester.

To qualify for placement on the President's List, SPC students must maintain a 4.0 or "straight A" grade point average for the semester. Students on the Dean's Honor List must maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.25. All honor students must enroll for a minimum of 12 semester hours.

Durward Cator, Craig Cooper and Kelon Morley were named to the Dean's Honor List.

"We wish to extend our congratulations to these fine students who have demonstrated the academic excellence which is found at South Plains College," said Dr. Marvin Baker, SPC president. "We are always proud of the academic accomplishments of students named to the President's and Dean's Honor Lists at SPC."

A total of 122 students were named to the President's List for the fall, and 307 students were named to the Dean's Honor List.

Examination to be held

Harry Hall, Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster, Lubbock, Texas has announced that the Clerk-Carrier Examination will be open from January 27, 1986 through February 7, 1986 in Childress and Lubbock, TX and the Distribution Machine Clerk Examination and the Clerk-Stenographer Examination will be open during those dates for Lubbock only.

Persons who are interested may fill out application blanks at the post offices listed during the "open" period and further details can be obtained at these offices. Starting salary for all positions is \$9.64 per hour.

Joins 401st

Army and Air Force Hometown News - Air Force Airman 1st Class Melody L. Lewis, daughter of June C. Smith of 120 W. Claremont, Lanark, Ill., and Larry K. Lewallen of 606 Richardson, Gruver, Texas, has arrived for duty with the 401st Comptroller Squadron, Spain.

Lewis, a financial services specialist, was previously assigned at Grand Forks Air Force Base, N.D.

She is a 1983 graduate of Lanark Community High School.

DOGS

Dogs can be wild,  
Or they can be pets.  
Some are mild,  
Others are even better than cats at keeping away the rats.

They can guide the blind,  
And they can protect property.  
Some know how to mind,  
Others can even protect a baby.

Dogs have been said to be man's best friend.

Joe Sotelo  
8-1

Defensive Driving Course

Defensive Driving Course to start, John R. Collard Jr. will teach a new defensive driving course, beginning Tuesday night January 28th. The course will be taught on Tuesday night, Thursday night from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. It will be held at the Library in Spearman. Cost of the course is \$20.00 per student or driver. The course after the 8 hour completion will allow participants to take off a percentage of cost of their insurance.

Wasted Space

With the football season now at an end, once more we call attention to the waste of space each year by forecasters.

Every newspaper with a sports section seems to succumb to the desire of its sports editor to predict how Saturday and Sunday's games will end.

Often a full column of space is wasted on how this or that junior birdman thinks the games will come out. Often, also, the writer knows very little about what he's predicting.

With space as precious as it is now, surely some legitimate news could replace such speculation, an ego trip for sports writers.

On the go with Joy

I asked someone what I should write about this week and he said "Summer in January". Well that started me to reminiscing about my beginning in the newspaper business way back in 1980. You see, my big mouth got me in trouble again and I had lots of ideas about some things to help improve the Statesman (I still have some ideas) So, I took my birthday present ( a Polaroid One-Step) and went out in search of newsworthy pictures to help me in my new job of being a reporter. Some of the big stories I covered the first week were "the bank robbery" "the Super Bowl hoop-la", the "summer-in January" weather and the "up-coming live-stock shows". Really gets your curiosity going huh?

You see, back in those days, I used initials and never mentioned the whole name people were going around asking "who did I mean when I saw J.F. snatch the money bag that belonged to O.M. at the GSB. It had everyone rolling in the floor as we watched O.M. searching for the missing bag. I doubt that J.F. even remembers the daring day-time robbery and probably the GSB cameras didn't catch the action on film, but all of a sudden my column "On The Go With Joy" was launched and lots of people wanted to subscribe and re-subscribe to the local paper. Things were really looking up.

The pictures I took of the January summer-time activities featured L.B. and family at the tennis courts and M. M. & C.M., R.D.G. and S.H. shearing lambs for the Amarillo Stock Show. All on a gorgeous Sunday that recorded near 80 degrees weather.

By the month of February I had on the schedule, a big 50th anniversary for the town of Gruver, plus a 50th anniversary party for some of the cities leading pioneer citizens and after attending 3 parties and 2 church services that

February Sunday, I was typing my newspaper articles until 2 a.m. and also trying to pack for the Houston Livestock Show. My greatest ambition for that first year was one of those new correcting electric typewriters and a new automatic winding 35 mm. camera to make my job easier. I was also enrolled in an upholstery course at PSU, a cake decorating course and had just finished college classes in real estate, typing and was trying to work up interest in a photography course, with ideas for bookkeeping and computer sciences on the back burner.

Now with 1986 just beginning is it any wonder that the new typewriter and camera are gathering dust and I've forgotten everything I learned in college, some of you are surprised to learn that I have had 3 partial strokes and still haven't missed a week getting my news in on time. Sometimes, I sit on the edge of the hospital bed or give directions to the ambulance crew to cancel my appointment for the rest of the day. Well, I've learned that I can take vacations or go to the doctor, dentist or shopping but these trips never start until after my job is finished on Tuesday. Then if a funeral, VBS or any other done and make arrangements for early pick-up at City Hall.

Things have not changed over the years, such as "The Boss" still won't finance a trip to the Olympic games and my Press Card doesn't get me into forbidden places at the Houston Stock Show, my noon meals are interrupted by the telephone calls to come take a picture, but there are no kids here to gripe about being inconvenienced by my job, most of my family still doesn't read the paper, and all you can hear on the TV this week is stories about Super Bowl Sunday.

So- who wants things to change? I like being in a rut! (Now who believes that?)

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MEMBERS OF THE Seward County Community College Livestock Judging recently took a first place win at the Arizona National Livestock Judging Contest in

Phoenix and third at the National Western Stock Show in Denver, Colo. From left, back row, are Debbie Burton, Gruver, Texas; Coach Steve Williams; Pat Kippen-

berger, Guyton, Okla.; and Jenny Schroeder, Newton; and front row, Danny Kincaid, South Haven; Terry Trout, Satanta; and Alan Imler, Boise City, Okla.

### Arizona Livestock judging contest

The Seward County Community College Livestock Judging Team recently earned honors by placing first at the Arizona National Livestock Judging Contest in Phoenix and third at the National Western Stock Show in Denver, Colo. Team members Jenny Schroeder, Pat Kippenberger, Danny Kincaid, Alan Imler, Terry Trout and Debbie Burton, along with Coach Steve Williams, cut their Christmas break short and traveled to Phoenix where they were the high team in the beef and sheep categories, third on swine, fourth in horses and fifth in oral reasons. These high rankings earned them the overall championship.

Individual awards went to Schroeder, fourth high individual and first in cattle judging, and Kippenberger, fifth high individual and first in sheep judging. The team also profited at the horse and dog races and spent time enjoying the warm Arizona weather. A change in climate did not hamper the judging team's success however, as they placed third overall at the National Western Livestock Judging Contest in Denver, Co. The team was third in beef and fifth in sheep.

Individually, Kincaid was fourth overall and Imler was eighth in the sheep division.

#### ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. Name the two teams to meet in Super Bowl XX.
2. Calvin Peete is known in what sport.
3. Who won the Virginia Slims tournament?
4. Who won the East-West all-star college football game?
5. Who is the coach of the New England Patriots?

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Any old place I hang my hat is home, sweet home to me.  
-American saying.



Delinda McLaughlin shows a Gruver Scout and Her Mother - in -

Law, Mrs. McLaughlin how to make Crepes.

### Radiological Monitoring course to be held

Radioactive materials are used by many professions. Accidents with them could happen anywhere. A nine-hour Radiological Monitoring Course, sponsored by the Gruver Emergency Management and the Bureau of Emergency Management, will be conducted Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, February 4, 5, and 6, 1986, 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. each day. The location of the course will be

the Gruver Fire Station, 302 Cator, Gruver, Texas. This course offers an opportunity for individuals to learn the use of radiation detection instruments. Mr. Jim Ratliff, City Manager, may be contacted for more information at 806/733-5037. Instructor will be Louis Berry from the Texas Department of Health, Austin. Emergency responders can enhance their ability to deal with radiological accidents by completing this course.

- Answers to Sports Quiz
1. New England Patriots and the Chicago Bears.
  2. Golf.
  3. Martina Navratilova.
  4. East St. West 14.
  5. Raymond Berry.

Friends are neat,  
Friends are sweet,  
They help you,  
When you help them;

Friends are cool,  
Friends are spoiled,  
Friends are gay,  
Friends are shy;

Friends are good,  
They make you look forward for tomorrow,  
They make the world better,  
They're the best thing to have.  
Jeffrey Hand 8-2

Life  
Life is exciting,  
Life is boring,

Life is good,  
Life is bad,

Life is kind,  
Life is cruel,

Life is short,  
Don't waste yours!

Klint V. 8-2

#### Doris M. Holland services held

Doris M. Holland, 66, of San Antonio, died Sunday. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in First United Methodist Church. Burial was in Panhandle Cemetery in Panhandle by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors. San Antonio arrangements were by Sunset Funeral Home.

Mrs. Holland had lived in San Antonio 15 years. She received her bachelor's degree in speech and English from West Texas State University in 1940. In 1959, she received a master's degree from WTSU, and in 1970, she received her master's of reading specialist degree from University of Arizona in Tucson. She began teaching in Beaver County, Okla., in 1941 and also taught in Bethany, Okla., and Harrington. She taught for 10 years in the Spearman school district and later taught in Eugene, Ore., and Corvallis, Ore., before moving to San Antonio in 1971.

Survivors include three daughters, Gail C. Walston of San Antonio, Kyra R. Keim of Clovis, N.M., and Myrna M. Cooksey of Bedford; two sons, Qlo Crum of Amarillo and Qua Crum of Spearman; her father, J.B. Kirksey of Seguin; and nine grandchildren. She was also survived by her former husband father of her children and best friend, Jack Crum of Spearman.

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# National GSPA protests USDA Plan to change Moisture Regulations

To: NGSPA County Directors

Gentlemen:

I hope you have enjoyed a good holiday season and a prosperous year.

The year of 1986 looks to be one of challenge for those of us in agriculture. It will be very important that we help ourselves by supporting the National Grain Sor-

ghum Producers Association.

Therefore, I want to call to your attention an important meeting to be held Tuesday, January 21, 7:00 p.m., at the Western Sizzlin' Steakhouse, 23rd and Hobart, Pampa. Although letters will be sent to the NGSPA members in your county, please "talk up" the meeting and let's get a good turnout.

I'll bring everyone up to date on what has been happening in NGSPA, and what is planned for the future. We will break into county delegations, and each county will select a director. The next item of business for the group will be to select the two district directors for the region, as well as the regional director.

Plan to attend. After all, your input and ideas are what make NGSPA, and what is planned for the future. We will break into county delegations, and each county will select a director. The next item of business for the group will be to select the two district directors for the region, as well as the regional director.

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See you in Pampa.

Sincerely,  
Billy Bob Brown  
Regional Director  
VP/Research & Education

BBB/dr  
cc: Elbert Harp  
District Directors  
Y.F. Snodgrass  
Ron Presley

National Grain Sorghum Producers Association has filed a protest with U.S. Department of Agriculture over their announced plans to lower the moisture level of sorghum going into the government loan program.

According to a CCC order recorded in the Federal Register on November 21, 1985, The maximum

accepted in the loan will be reduced from 14% to 13%. The national sorghum association has requested that this order be rescinded, according to its Executive Director, Elbert Harp.

"There is no logical reason for this action being taken against grain sorghum," Harp said. "It has been proven that grain sorghum can be stored for years without loss of quality when placed in storage and maintained at a maximum moisture level of 14% as required under the present regulations. To further dry the grain will cost farmers two percent of the grain for each one percent of moisture removed, therefore, this action will lower farmers' incomes by two percent on grain placed in the government loan program. This change, if enacted, will force many additional grain sorghum farmers out of business and off their farms."

The order is open for public comment until January 21, 1986. Harp believes most grain sorghum

producers are not aware that they face this additional loss of income. He is urging them to register their views with their congressman and USDA immediately. The appropriate USDA address is:  
Director  
Cotton, Grain and Rice Price Support Division  
ASCS  
P.O. Box 2415  
Washington, D.C. 20013

## Food stamp policy changed

Austin—The U.S. Department of Agriculture recently notified the Texas Department of Human Services of policy changes regarding food stamp applicants who voluntarily quit their jobs.

Since Jan. 4, 1985, food stamp applicants who voluntarily quit a job within 60 days before they applied for food stamps were ineligible for 90 days from the day they applied.

The new policy changes the period of ineligibility to 90 days from the date the applicant quit rather than the food stamp application date.

Anyone who applied for food stamps on or after Jan. 4, 1985, and was denied because someone in the household quit a job, may be eligible for restored benefits and should contact the local DHS office for information.

The largest part of mankind are nowhere greater strangers than at home.

-S.T. Coleridge.



Mrs. Delinda McLaughlin demonstrates making Crepes.

*It Is*  
A youthful figure is something you get when you ask an older woman her age.

-U.S. Naval Depot.

*Friends*  
Friends are nice, Friends are keen,  
And some are in-between.  
They make one laugh, they make one cry,  
They make one happy, they make one sigh.

Cindy N.  
8-1

*Everybody needs a friend*  
Or they'll be all alone.  
Everybody should have a friend just to talk to on the phone.

*Working Hard*  
A congressman naturally spends lots of time fixing his fences, because that's where he sits most of the time.

-Southern Lumberman.

# These People Can Get You A Tax Break



Pictured above are Debbie Smith, Bruce Julian, and Thlua Garner, ready to help you with your IRA.

## What will you do for a tax break this year?

Tax time is here, and you have just a few weeks to file the federal income tax return for 1985. There aren't many legal tax breaks left, but you can still get a \$2000 tax deduction for 1985. It's an Individual Retirement Account. An IRA. You can start an IRA and deposit to it right up to the time your income tax return is filed. It's for people with earned income. Married couples with a non-working spouse can deduct up to \$2250. When both work, deduct up to \$4000.

## How do you start an IRA?

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## Among The Neighbors

Most of the neighbors live here in Hansford County from choice, and are content to do so, however, they are justifiably proud when one has a brilliant career entirely alien to customs and life in Hansford County. Such a one is Nancy, a daughter of Dorothy and Don Hudson. Nancy is a fourth generation citizen of Hansford County and

graduated from Gruver High School.

She is a graduate of the University of Texas and entered the U.S. Foreign Service in 1974. Following her first tour of duty in Santiago, Chili, she was sent to Copenhagen, Denmark. While there she met Vlad Sambaiew, a Foreign Service Officer serving in Russia. They

were married in Gruver in December of 1978.

They were serving in London when son, Eric, was born in December, 1979. The second son, Peter Don, was born in Helsinki, Finland while they were posted at the consulate in Leningrad, Russia.

Both Nancy and Vlad are pleased to be serving at the

American Consulate in Osaka-Kobe, Japan, a combined city of 4.5 million people. Vlad does political and economic work while Nancy is Consulate. Her office issues 400,000 visas a year.

Dorothy and Don Hudson returned a few weeks ago from an interesting three weeks with Nancy and her family. The Hudsons report a fascinating trip in Japan. They rode the bullet train to Tokyo one week-end and were able to see

Mt. Fuji on the return trip. The old cities of Nara, Kyoto and Hemeji were of special interest. The fall color was gorgeous, the weather crisp and cool, and even a slight tremor of an earthquake was more interesting than frightening.

Those interested in sports will have noted in the Amarillo paper and on television that mention was

made of Jerry Taylor. He is the coach at Hereford and is moving to Odessa. Jerry was a former Spearman High School Coach and married Ruth Brown, daughter of Gayle and the late Mrs. Brown. He was a coach here during the middle 1960s.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Allen spent a couple of days this week visiting in the home of their daughter, Lynda and Dick Finchum of Meade, Kansas.

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Mr. and Mrs. I.V. Pierce have been enjoying the company of their grandson, three year old Daniel. They took him to Midland over the week-end and visited in the home of their daughter, the Danny Ellis.

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Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Brock returned the first of the week from Mission, Texas. They visited her parents, the L.S. McLains. They also contacted the Daniel Sheets, and report that both couples are wintering well, and enjoying the perfect weather, lovely flowers and vegetables.

The Brocks also stayed in Austin for a few days with Debbie and Jim Brown and girls.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cudd took advantage of Hansford Implements winning a trip to Hawaii sponsored by the Rhino Company. From Dallas they flew directly to Maui, Hawaii for several days entertainment and sight-seeing. The highlight for them was the deep sea fishing.

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To report locals, call 659-3468.

### Basketball

When one picks a basketball up he can dribble or he can wiggle.  
One can go to the hoop  
Or one can do a bloop.  
It is so much fun to go out and run  
Up and down the floor  
And make a two-point score.

Lance Sparks  
8-1

### Karen's Kozy Korner



Are you thinking about going on a diet? Before you spend your money for a particular diet book, class or plan, here are some questions to ask:

Is the effectiveness of the program well-documented or is it based on testimonials by "successful" clients.

Does the program make sensational claims that you can "eat all you want" or "lose ten pounds over night"? If so, what's the scientific evidence for these claims.

Is the program supervised by qualified personnel, such as a medical doctor or registered dietitian?

Does the program focus on diet alone, or does it also include behavior and lifestyle modification for permanent weight control? Does the staff have any expertise in these areas.

Are the diets nutritionally balanced to include foods from the major food groups of protein foods like meat, poultry, and fish; fruits and vegetables; dairy products; grains and cereals?

Does the program suggest unreasonably rapid weight loss over a short period of time?

Does the program require the purchase of special foods, devices, supplements, books or other extras and can the purchase be justified?

**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.**

County Extension Agent Karen Babitzke recently completed training to conduct a "Fit for Life" course in Hansford County.

Only 25 of 250 County Extension home economists in Texas were selected to participate in the training session, which was held December 3-5 in Dallas.

Karen will be conducting the 12 week "Fit for Life" course in February, March and April on every Tuesday. February 4 will be the orientation meeting. They will be held at noon and 5:30 as two separate sessions for your convenience with limited spaces. The place is the Extension Homemakers Clubroom (309 N. Bernice). A charge of \$25.00 will need to be collected before the first meeting. This is to help curtail expenses of the program. To enroll in this nutrition and fitness program contact the County Extension office 659-2030 or 733-2901. State which time you prefer. Participants in the course will be a part of the 25 county pilot program and be contributing to an Extension Service research on nutrition and fitness, she says.

"The Fit for Life concept is simple," Karen says. "It means eating nutritious meals and snacks and engaging in moderate exercise. It's the only proven way to keep your weight under control," she adds.

Karen and the other home economists were trained by registered dietitians, fitness experts, and Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutrition and health specialists.

They were also taught how to modify eating habits and set up an individual exercise program.

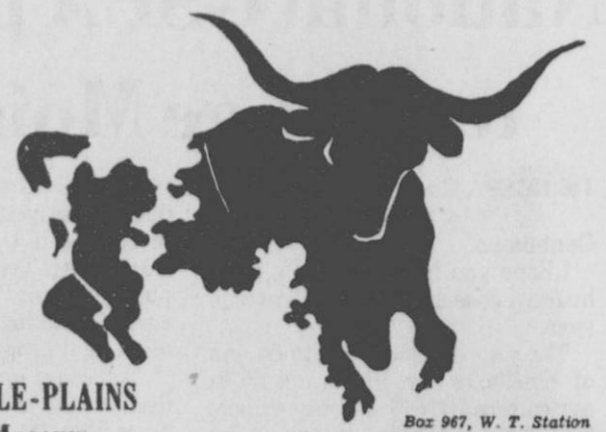
"Unfortunately, many people try to lose weight on a crash diet without exercise," says the home economist. "That may work for a short time, but research shows that 95 percent of the people who lose weight this way gain it back within a year," she explains. Make time to join in on this program.

## Catholic Family Service

Larry Watson, Executive Director of Catholic Family Service of Amarillo, announced today that CFS is establishing a new program designed to increase the availability of health education and medical care to adolescents in the agency's programs. The new program will be called "H.E.L.P. (Health Education for Living Project) for Youth." Watson stated: "It is well-established that a significant number of teenagers have an extremely difficult time gaining access to adequate health care. Likewise, this same group of adolescents are often among those with the greatest as a step toward filling the gap in health care and education which currently exists for these kids."

Initially, the project will provide basic health screening and education for adolescents in Catholic Family Service's O'Brien House Children's Emergency Shelter and Monarch Maternity Home. The agency hopes, however, to quickly expand the program to make it available to other adolescents who have difficulty obtaining basic health care. Initial funding for the project is being supplied by a grant from the National Network of Runaway and Youth Services.

For further information concerning services provided by the H.E.L.P. for Youth program, or to learn how you may assist in providing these needed services, contact Catholic Family Service at 376-4571.



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### NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
 SESQUICENTENNIAL QUILTING BEE TO BE HELD FEBRUARY 21, 22, 23 Canyon, TX--The Texas 1986 Sesquicentennial Quilting Bee will be held February 21, 22, and 23 in Canyon at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. The Quilting Bee is co-sponsored by the Museum and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, according to Museum curator JoAnne Arasin.

The Quilting Bee is the final event in the 1985-1986 Panhandle-wide Sesquicentennial Quilting Project. Quilt block competitions have been held in the top 26 counties, with local quilters entering their own special quilt blocks designed to represent a specific characteristic of each quilter's own county.

The top blocks were chosen in each county by panels of judges. Entries were evaluated on overall appearance, workmanship, originality of design, adherence to theme, appropriateness of material, and use of color.

The first-place blocks will arrive in Canyon at the Museum on February 1, where on February 21, 22, and 23 they will become part of a queen-size Sesquicentennial Quilt. Each county will have a block, and the remaining four blocks will represent the Museum, the Extension Service, the Sesquicentennial, and the Panhandle.

"During the Quilting Bee, area quilters will come to the Museum to actually finish the quilt. We'll set up a quilting frame in the Museum's front hall, and the public can watch as the quilt actually takes shape," she said.

Anyone with quilting experience is eligible to participate in the quilting bee, Arasin said. Each quilter will be assigned a 20-minute session. Reservations must be made in advance, and each quilter may have only one 20-minute slot. The Quilting Bee will take place three days in February, she added. The days and times are: Friday, February 21, from 12 to 5 p.m.; Saturday, February 22, from 8 to 12 p.m.; and Sunday, February 23, from 2 to 6 p.m.

"We hope that quilters will join us from all of the top 26 counties of the Panhandle, because the Panhandle Quilt is the only Panhandle-wide activity celebrating the Sesquicentennial. All the names of the quilters will be entered in a special book to document the occasion for posterity. Also, the Panhandle's Quilting Bee is the only activity of its type this year in the entire state of Texas," Arasin noted.

Advance reservations may be made by calling JoAnne Arasin at the Museum at 806-655-7191. Additional information on the project is available from each county's extension agent.

## SESQUICENTENNIAL NOTES

Ancient Caddoan mounds in East Texas are baffling today's Texans almost as much as the first American travelers who noticed the figures over 150 years ago.

Studies by archaeologists indict the Caddos were industrious people who were more complex than their prehistoric neighbors to the West.

For eleven-thousand years, most prehistoric people who lived in what we now call Texas were hunters and gatherers organized in small, migratory bands.

A more settled way of life based on farming developed in late prehistoric times, that included Caddoan-speaking tribes in the late woodlands of Northeast Texas.

Anthropologist Dee Ann Story says the cultural tradition of the Caddos can be traced back more than a thousand years, to at least 800 A.D. They dominated an area that extended from the central portion of East Texas northward into the Ozarks.

The evident success of the Caddos came from the mixed nature of their economy and from the social and religious systems. They integrated individual villages

into large social groups.

Story says the Caddos' ceremonial centers are distinguished by the presence of the earthen mounds.

The centers vary in size and complexity, which may reflect the degree of socio-political integration among Caddoan Groups.

The smaller, less complex centers appear to have been special places for rituals. The major centers, among them the Caddoan mound state historic site on the Neches River. Served as seats of civic, economic and religious power.

By the time of European colonization in the 17th century, most of the Caddoan mounds had been abandoned.

Researchers believe a social hierarchy still existed, but on a more localized scale.

### GOLDEN GLEAMS

What is the perfect way to happiness? To stay at home.

-Bhartrihari.

### Working Hard

A congressman naturally spends lots of time fixing his fences, because that's where he sits most of the time.

-Southern Lumberman.

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