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Spearman City Council...

hears plea on pool

by Angela Jones Copy Editor

The City of Spearman heard a request for reducing the swimming pool admission for the Spearman Children's Home at the Tuesday, July 21, meeting.

Mr. Dan Ellis, the house-father at the children's home asked the council to consider reducing the rate or create a family pass for the children of the home. He stated that because of the number of children in the home it was too expensive to allow them to swim very often.

After a discussion was held, the council decided not to take action at this time. But they plan on considering the options for next year's swimming season.

Alice Peddy, chief appraiser of the Hansford County Appraisal District, discussed the proposed budget for 1992-93 year. She answered questions from the council and explained that no action had to be taken at this time.

She then presented a contract for assessment and collection of 1992-93 taxes. She stated that the contract was the same as past years. Mike Cudd motioned that they enter into the contract. It was seconded by Don Reed. The motion carried unanimously.

Also Peddy presented the council with a refund check in the amount of \$2,542.02.

Other business conducted at the meeting was the consideration of a contract with the Hansford County jail to detain city prisoners. The rate would be the same as last year: \$20 per prisoner per day and \$4 per meal. Reed made a motion to enter into the contract. The contract is from February 1, 1992 through January 31, 1993. Charles Elliott seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

City Manager, Kelvin Knaufgave a status report on the possible condemnation of lots 8 and 9 (on Main). He stated that he had spoken to Mrs. Lasater, a sister of the property owner. She did not know where the owner was or if he would consider selling. No action was taken.

The 1992-93 proposed budget was presented to the mayor and the

Simpson held on bond

Michael Scott Simpson, a Spearman resident, was still being held in Hansford County Jail, in leu of a \$10,000 bond, reported R.L. McFarlin, Hansford County Sheriff, on Tuesday, July 28.

He is charged with aggravated sexual assault on a minor. According to McFarlin, Simpson was arrested on Monday, July 20 by the sheriff's department and charged by the Hansford County District Attorney. Bail was set by Justice of the Peace, Michelle Davis.

McFarlin further reported that Borger attorney Gene Compton had been appointed by the Distict Judge to represent Simpson. The appointment was made Monday, July 27.

Simpson is one of three aggrevated sexual assault cases, McFarlin says, he expects to present to the Grand Jury on August 13. 'Lloyd Goodman was arrested and charged in April and Santiago Tercero Jr. was arrested in June. Both are out of jail on

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city council and a discussion was held. No action was taken; however, a special budget workshop was agreed on for August 4, 1992 at

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Regular business conducted at the meeting was the reading and approval of the last meeting minutes, June 16. The monthly fire, ambulance, police, municipal court and animal control reports for June were presented and approved. The June revenue and expense reports were approved. The council also approved payment of the monthly bills in the amount of \$188,817.13.

Consideration for the new city logo was on the agenda but no action was taken on this item.

The meeting was adjourned at

Spearman man injured in accident

Manuel Torres, a Spearman resident, suffered burns, internal injuries and a broken leg as a result of a single vechicle car accident Sunday, July 26 on highway 15 3.5 miles east of Spearman.

According to Ed Longoria, DPS officer, Torres was driving east on Highway 15 in an 84 Chevrolet pick up. At 6:30 p.m. he veered off the road and struck a tree. The vehicle began to burn.

Torres was pulled from the vehicle by a passing motorist and a truck driver. He was treated and transported by Spearman EMS to Hansford Hospital and later to High Plains Baptist Hospital in Ama-

As of Tuesday, July 28 Torres was reported stable and doing well by Lonnie Lane, a nurse at High



Gruver all-stars win first - Gruver All-Stars won first place in a tournament held Saturday, July 18, at the Gruver Little League field. Teams from Perryton, Stinnett and Spearman competed in the day long event. The first place trophy was won by winning the following games- Spearman All-Stars 15-1; Canadian River All-Stars 11-5 and in the championship defeating Spearman 7-2. Pictured (back row-I/r) Eric Pando, Coach Keith Miller, Brant Armes, Kyle McNett, Justin Miller, Jim Potts, Kevin Rodriguez, Victor Luciano. Front row: Bat boys Troy Miller, Aaron Weller, Bray Armes, Charlie Stavlo, Clayton Henson, Dan Odom, Dallas Henson, Kyler Barkley.

Gruver City Commission... holds public hearing

by Angela Jones Copy Editor

The Gruver City Commission had a public hearing to discuss a proposed grant for Community Development Program Grant.

Derek Smith of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission discussed the citizens participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs. He also told the commission the amount of funds available and what the TCDP funds could be used

Past uses of the funds was also brought up for discussion. City Manager, A.J. Ratliff, said that Gruver had received two grants in the past. With one of the grants they ran new natural gas lines. the other grant was received for the 1990-91 year said Ratliff. He added that the grant was used to run new water lines and build a new water tower. The 1990-91 grant was for

Mayor Keith Gibson made the motion that the funds be used to drill a water well and lay a pipeline

To date for 1992, Gruver has

received a total of \$27,690.62 in

rebate checks, while for the same

time period to date in 1991 they

5.96% from 1991. The payments

to it. The motion was seconded by Buster Davis and it carried.

Another public hearing was held to discuss a proposed grant application to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for a park grant. Davis made a motion to pass a resolution allowing the city to receive assistance under such programs and dedicate the site for outdoor recreation. Mayor Gibson seconded the motion and it carried.

Alice Peddy discussed the Tax Appraisal District Audit and refunded \$918. She also presented the budget for 1992-93.

Other business discussed at the meeting was an Ordinance granting Southwestern Bell Telephone a new franchise. Davis made a motion to table the ordinance and Gibson seconded it. The motion carried

Regular business conducted at the meeting was the reading and approval of the last meetings, June 10, minutes. A motion to pay the June bill was seconded and car-

With no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Hansford County tax rebates down in July

for July.

by Angela Jones Copy Editor

According to a recent release by e State Comptroller John Sharp, Hansford Counties sales tax rebate checks are down by 9.05% in July.

Hansford County will be receiving \$14,249.85 in tax rebate payments for the month of July, while in July 1991 they received \$15,667.73. However, although Hansford County's payments are down from 1991 for the month of July, they are still up by 6.27% for ceived \$124,837.28 in payments for mailed. This is a decrease of 6.36%

the year, while in 1991 \$117,470.54 in rebate checks were mailed.

For the month of July 1992 Gruver will receive \$3,431.61 in sales tax rebates as compared to the \$4,115.19 received for the same time period in 1991. This is a 6.61% decrease for the month.

Spearman has also decreased from July 1991. This year in July Spearman will receive \$10,818.24 in rebate checks while in 1991 the year. Hansford County has re- \$11,552.54 in rebate checks was

had only received \$25,787.10. This is an increase of 7.38% for payments to date in 1992. Spearman payments for the period-to-date for 1992 has also increase, although it is only up

> received by Spearman to-date are \$91,683.44 in 1991. State Comptroller John Sharp sent out a total of \$104.2 million in

ies and 106 counties. This is a 5.5% increase over the rebates mailed out just one year ago.

Texas cities received \$93.1 million, up 5.9% over the \$87.8 million they received last July. Counties rebate payments were also up for July. In 1992 \$11 million in rebate checks was mailed, while in July 1991 rebates totaled \$10.5 million. This is a 5.5% increase in July 1992.

The release by State Comptroller John Sharp states that this month's sales tax payments include taxes collected on May sales and reported to the Comptroller in June by businesses filing monthly tax July sales tax payments to 960 cit-returns.

Home health care is a different kind of nursing care Home Health care is a different central line into her chest. Keeping

caregiver, after working here ing, according to Mrs. Adams. parttime for a year.

son, as a person, not just as a patient," she says. Terri knows; she care nurse.

Home health care is especially satisfying for Terri, because it gives her an opportunity to do a lot of teaching. "Basically, you're teaching people independence," she

Hansford Home Care provides many services: helping with personal grooming and bathing, dietary counseling, general checkups, drawing blood for lab tests, and physical therapy are just a few examples of the range of services available, Terri explains.

Home care can provide these services seven days a week, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.—as often as ordered by a doctor. A registered nurse, a physical therapist, speciallytrained aides, and a dietician are all available to the home health

"We may see some people for just a few weeks, or it can be for many months, depending on their needs," explains Terri. Each Person receiving this care is treated as an individual.

Julie Adams was one person who really benefited from these services. For nine months Mrs. Adams was receiving chemotherapy through a

kind of nursing care, according to the area clean and free from infec-Terri McCallie, RN. Terri has re- tion was a major task for the home cently become Hansford Home health nursing staff. But they gave Care's fulltime skilled nursing much more than professional nurs-

They were very supportive, very "When you see people in their patient. If I needed to talk about own homes, you see the whole per- anything, they took the time to listen. They helped me to keep a positive attitude, and I felt if I spent five years as an intensive needed to call them at any time, I could," explains Mrs. Adams.

> Hansford Home Health has a skilled and caring staff. Carol Hergert, BSN, RN, is the agency director and, along with Terri McCallie, RN, serves as home care

nurse. Brenda Wall is Ms. Hergert's managerial assistant. Home health aides Lillian Cooksey, Darla Pearson, Silvia Lopez, and Sherri Scroggs round out the home care

Specialized services such as physical therapy and dietary counseling are provided by Carol Dunihoo, Physical therapist, and Margy Schoenhals, registered dietician.

Combining a high level of technical competence with an equal measure of caring and compassion is what makes Hansford Home Care

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Unemployment rate decreases in May Hansford County unemploy- of a possible 3,928 eligible work-

ment rate is decreasing according to a report from Mary Scott Nabers, Texas Employment Commission.

According to the report Hansford County's unemployment rate has dropped to 3.6% in May. In April the unemployment rate was reported at 4.8%. This is a decrease of

The total of 3,753 people were employeed in May leaving 139 of the possible 3,892 eligible workers without a job. While in April there were 141 people without work out ers. 3,741 jobs were filled in April.

Although it is reported that Hansford County'S unemployment is on the decrease the rest of the state does not seem to be following our lead. The Texas state umeployment rate held at 7.4% for the third month in a row.

Nabers said, "The state's unemployment rate is too high and to flexible." May's rate is higher than it was last year. In 1991, May re-

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Hansford Manor residents get a mental and physical workout during their exercise period. According to Janie Kunselman, as she leads the group she asks them trivia questions.

Church of Christ to host area preachers

In conjunction with their Vacation Bible School next week, the Church of Christ will have a special class for adults each evening. This class will be taught by Church of Christ preachers from around the Texas Panhandle. While the lessons will cover varied topics, each will relate to the overall theme, "Team Up With Jesus," and will emphasize the victorious life found in Christ.

On Monday night, John Kimbrough from Fritch will discuss the Old Testament blood covenant, and its relationship to the August 3rd through 7th.

cross of Christ. Ben Mereness from Dumas will speak Tuesday on "Romans 8 - More Than Conquerors." Bob Phillips, from Sunray, will address the Wednesday night class, and Mike Heatwole of Canadian will speak on "Faith is the Victory!" on Thursday night. For Friday evening, there will be an abbreviated class taught by Arnis Pape entitled, "The Unseen Marriage Partner," followed by a presentation by each of the children's classes. Refreshments will be served each evening. Times are 7 to 9 p.m.,

Cable campaign to benefit "Jerry's Kids"

Mission Cable will participate in a national industrywide cable TV campaign, "Cable Cares about "Jerry's Kids," to benefit the local chapter of the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA), Rick Wall, Mission Cable System Manager, announced today.

From August 3rd through September 14th, new subscribers to cable television have a chance to help people affected by neuromus-

cular diseases. For a \$5 donation to MDA, Mission Cable will waive the normal \$30 installation fee. These donations to MDA will help in the fight against 40 diseases that affect more then a million American children and adults.

"We're proud to be a part of MDA's Cable Cares campaign," said Wall, "and we're looking forward to being involved in contributing to the Muscular Dystrophy Associa-

American Red Cross... holds training courses

of the American Red Cross will be conducting an Instructor Candidate Training and a Standard First Aid Instructor course in hopes of getting some instructors trained from area towns to save people from those communities travel time to Perryton to take a Standard First Aid course.

An Instructor Candidate course is scheduled for Saturday, August 8, 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the Ochiltree County courthouse, first floor. Recovery cost will be \$13.

This course is a prerequisite course to anyone wishing to become an instructor in any of the Red Cross courses, such as Standard First Aid, Community CPR,

Water Safety or Lifeguarding. A Standard First Aid instructor course is scheduled for Friday, September 18, 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. and mornings to sign up.

The Ochiltree County Chapter Saturday September 19, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. also at the Ochiltree County courthouse. Recovery cost

for this course will be \$23.

Prerequisites for this course are minimum age of 17, show evidence of completing the ICT within the last year or a current Health and Safety Instructor authorization, and have a current American Red Cross Standard First Aid and Adult CPR certificate.

Persons wishing to become a Standard First Aid instructor who are not holding current certificates in Standard First Aid and Adult CPR, may attend a Standard First Aid course on August 17 & 18, 6 to

Persons wishing to attend any of these courses are being asked to contact the Ochiltree County Red Cross office at 435-8175 weekday

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS

Thursday, July 23: none Friday, July 24: Marcus Larson

and Ernestine Gray Saturday, July 25: Ruth Skinner, Mary Johnson and Lloyd Buz-

zard Sunday, July 26: Agustina

Sandoval Monday, July 27: Christa Sims Tuesday, July 28: none DISMISSALS

Thursday, July 23: none

Friday, July 24: none Saturday, July 25: Marcus

Sunday, July 26: none Monday, July 27: Ernestine

Gray, Lloyd Buzzard and Ruth Skinner

Tuesday, July 28: Mary John-

Census Wednesday, July 29 Agustina Sandoval and Christa

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company is asking the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) for approval to begin charging \$3.00 per bill, for duplicate paper copies of a customer's bill up to 15 pages. If the customer's bill exceeds 15 pages, an additional five cents per page will apply. If the customer's bill is lost or mutilated for resaons other than negligence by the customer, no charge for a duplicate copy will apply if a customer notifies Southwestern Bell within 60 days of the billing date. The effective date of this application is

If approved by the PUC, this application will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$835,000, which is an increase of approximately two one-hundredths of 1 percent (.02 percent) in the Company's adjusted revenue for the 12-month period ending December 31, 1991. The application could affect all of the Company's approximately 4.6 million residence customers and all of its approximately 575,000 business customers should they choose to request duplicate copies of their bills.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the PUC as soon as possible. The deadline to intervene is August 7, 1992. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas at 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

This matter has been assigned Docket No. 11223.



Southwestern Bell Telephone

Deciding If Your Business Is For Fun Or Profit

How do you decide whether income generated at home should be handled as a hobby or a homebased business? An accountant or tax advisor can tell you for certain, but the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) offers several guidelines to help you to decide.

For tax purposes, income from a hobby must be handled differently than income from a business. No clear-cut rule exists to distinguish business income from hobby income. The IRS considers a variety of facts and circumstances, with no one factor being conclusive. So how do you determine what kind of income you have? Some of the factors the IRS considers in making the determination include the following aspects:

-A professional manner of business-Approved operating procedures, record keeping, and adoption of improved techniques helps to establish professionalism.

-Level of expertise-An income earner who can show a high level of preparation and knowledge in relevant areas is likely to qualify as a business owner. Expertise can be documented through classes, selfstudy, research, or experience. Consultation with authorities can also serve to show expertise.

-Amount of time and effort involved-Personal time and effort of the taxpayer will show intent to derive profit. A taxpayer who has left a paying job to run a business or employs other people indicates dedication of time and effort.

land, can show an increase in asset value to establish business income. The asset, however, must be connected to your business.

-Past success in similar activities—The IRS primarily looks for success in terms of a profit earned in earlier activities similar to your current business. However, a case could be make for volunteer activities if satisfactory "success" can be shown in another way.

-Profit and loss record of the business-A series of years in which a profit is earned is the strongest way to show that an activity is a business. Newly formed businesses will not be expected to show this record. A history of losses because of uncontrollable circumstances, such as depressed market conditions or natural disaster, would not necessarily count against

investment—If profits are realized only occasionally, the IRS will compare them to owner investments. Substantial earnings compare to investment provides a case for business income

-Financial status of the taxpayer—If the business owner does not have other sources os substantial income or wealth, the IRS is likely to classify the activity as a business. If the taxpayer does have substantial income or capital from other sources, a classification of recreation or hobby is likely.

-Personal pleasure gained from the activity—Fortunately, the fact -Expected increase in asset that a business owner likes what

Area church members travel to Belarussia among them. We each became good

by Josie Holt

Seventeen churches from four different states joined four churches in Amarillo to carry the love of Jesus to Belarussians. Over the period of one week 70,000 Bibles were handed out by 89 people from around this area. We went into hospitals, birthing houses, subways, orphanages, villages, churches, the stock exchange and parks to share the love of Jesus with the city of Minsk in Belarussia. Each night a crusade was held and during the day park and subway

ministries were held. The Belarussians were very friendly and open to ministry. We had no trouble in finding open doors through which to minister and hand out Bibles. The people welcomed us, and we began to feel at home

friends with the Belarussians.

I had the opportunity to share my testimony, through an interpreter, during a park ministry. The people were very open to hear about Jesus, and at the end of each service hundreds of hands would go up to receive Him as their Lord and

The last week of the trip was more of a tour as we visited St. Petersburg and Moscow. We visited many fabulous monuments and buildings including the Hermitage, the Kremlin and Red Square.

I would like to thank everyone for the prayers backing not only me but also the whole mission group. We had no injuries or sickness and the people accepted us with open arms. Thank You!



Karen's Kozy Korner

by Karen Babitzke **Extension Agent**

assets that will appreciate, such as

the business.

-Occasional profits compared to

value—Businesses which deal with he or she is doing is not a reason for the IRS to classify the business as a hobby. However, if significant recreational elements are present, a strong case can be made against the business classification. In the case of a freelance golf pro, for example, complete documentation regarding the other guidelines would help establish a business

> classification. For all of the above guidelines, good record keeping is essential. While approved bookkeeping methods provide evidence of profit and loss, other indications might not be so clear. Methods of documentation could include:

A record of any classes or selfstudy undertaken.

Notes showing the time, place and topic of consultations with authorities.

Clear, concise records of customers and vendors. A complete, thorough business

Hours noted on a calendar show-

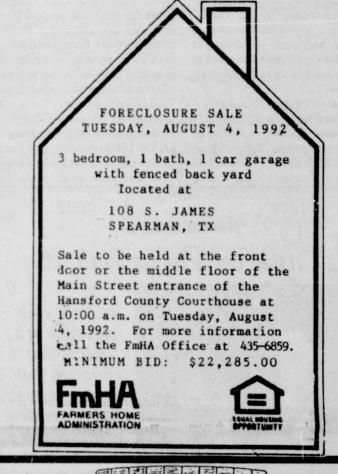
ing daily time devoted to the busi-

Employment records or performance reviews from previous jobs showing a success record in related fields.

A current net worth statement indicating no dependence on other sources of capital.

Home-based business owners can read more about income classification in the IRS code of regulations. Ask you librarian for assistance in locating and using the code. Section 1.183-2 specifically addresses the issue of profit versus non-profit activities. The regulations provide examples of situations which illustrate evaluations the IRS might

Clear documentation is the key. Home business owners who maintain clear, accepted business records are not only likely to be able to prove to the IRS that they are a true business rather than a hobby, but will probably be more likely to make a success of the business.



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Hansford Happenings

Entries are still being taken for the 1992 Miss Top Of Jexas Area Pageant which will be held in Stratford, Saturday, August 22, 1992. At this time there are 10 young ladles who have entered vieing for the crown of Miss Top Of Texas. The age is 17 to 24. Anyone interested please call 396-59 1.

7th and 9th grade Spearman students planning to play football need to get a physical. Dr. Behney will do 9th grade physicals on July 30 starting at 1 p.m. He will do 7th grade physicals on August 6 starting at 1 p.m. All physicals will be at Dr. Behney's office.

The 1972 graduating class of Spearman High School is having a 20 year reunion August 1, 1992 at the Fifth Season Inn East in Amarillo. For registration and information call Tina Wilmeth at 659-2096.

The Hansford County Historical Commission is sponsoring an Essay Contest on Columbus for students in Hansford County Schools. This is the Quintcentennial of Columbus arriving In America on October 12, 1492. A U.S. Savings Bond will be given to the winners and second prize will receive \$10. The deadline for entering the contest is September 20, 1992. Return your entries to Jennie Blankenship at Box 98, Morse, TX 79062 or the Station Masters House Museum, 30 S. Dressen, Spearman, TX 79081 or Helen Boyd, Box 100, Gruver, TX 79040.

The Ochiltree County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be conducting a basic life guarding course beginning on Saturday, August 1, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Perryton Vicinity Activity Center, 1201 S.W. 15th. This will be an 18 hour course with additional meeting times to be decided on at the first meeting. Sheril Kelley is the Instructor. Recovery cost is \$23 per person. To sign up call 435-8175 weekday mornings.

OPSU fall registration will be from June 22 to July 21 and August 10 until August 18. Classes will begin on Monday, August 24. For more information call (405)349-2611 or write OPSU, Office of Admissions, Box 430, Goodwell, Okla.

There will be a Public Meeting on Monday, August 3, at 7 p.m. In the Gruver Junior High Library regarding site-based decision making in the Gruver Schools. The public is encouraged to attend.

Fun Time Round Robin Tennis League will start Monday, July 20. Meet at the Spearman High School tennis courts at 7 p.m. with a can of tennis balls and a desire to play tennis and have fun. Play will continue through out the year as weather and interest permits. For more information contact Troy James at Farm Bureau of Hansford County 659-3133.

Minding Your Own Business

by Don Taylor, Director, PSBDC

MADE IN AMERICA

I just finished the late Sam Walton's autobiography, Sam Walton: Made in America. It is fascinating reading if you are a small business success story fan. It's pretty good reading even if you're not.

Although Mr. Sam and I were a generation apart, we had several things in common. For example, we both attended school in north Missouri. We both served as class officers and lettered in more than one sport. We both opened our first retail store in small rural towns and we started out with exactly the same number of stores-one.

Okay, I know I've stretched a bit to find similarities, but I mean it in fun. Please don't take my comparisons too seriously. I respect and admire what Sam Walton achieved in becoming the world's greatest retailer.

Mr. Sam launched the first Wal-Mart store in 1962 when he was 44 years old. Today there are nearly 2,000 stores in the chain. I was a sophomore in high school that year, and I still don't what I want to be when I grow up

In Made in America, Walton shares the essence of his success under the heading of: "Sam's Rules for Building a Business." I think "Sam's Rules" are worth sharing in this column

Sam's Rules

Rule 1: "Commit to your business." To Mr. Sam, that meant pouring his heart and soul into Wal-Mart. Although he took time for God, his family, bird-hunting and tennis, he remained committed to building his business.

Rule 2: "Share your profits

GARAGE SALE ITEMS

NEEDED

BY AUGUST 10 ...

Hansford Hospice

Garage Sale

August 15 · Gruver Airport

8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

for more information contact:

SPEARMAN - Charlotte Jackson 659-

2867 or Alice Peddy 659-5575

GRUVER - Anna Beth Wood 733-2034

or Sue Gerardy 733-2789

with all your associates and treat them as partners." Early in the book Walton said that profit sharing was a major force in the partnership forged between Wal-Mart and its associates. He cited examples like Bob Clark, a 20 year Wal-Mart truck driver, whose profit sharing account is more than \$700,000. Joyce McMurray, a company trainer, has nearly \$500,000 in her retirement account. Sharing

profits began with the first store managers. Many of them are millionaires today

Rule 3: "Motivate your partners." Mr. Sam stressed setting high goals, encourage healthy competition and avoided becoming pre-

Rule 4: "Communicate everything you possibly can to your partners." Mr. Sam wrote, "The nore they know, the more they'll understand. The more they understand, the more they'll understand." The more they understand, the more they'll care. Once they care, there's no stopping them."

Rule 5: "Appreciate everything your associates do for the business." Mr. Sam believed in the value of sincere words of praise. He praised his associates openly

Rule 6: "Celebrate your success." All through the book, Walton points our funny experiences that happened during Wal-Mart's growth years. The message is don't take yourself too seriously, have fun and enjoy.

Rule: 7 "Listen to everyone in your company." Mr. Sam probably spent more hours in his stores listening to associates than any other company founder. I believe it

Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman Chamber Manager

For all of you who have had questions concerning the American Disabilities Act, the Chamber has scheduled a seminar to help you with any questions that you may have. Mike Loftin and James Wester with the Underwood Law Firm will be conducting the seminar. It is scheduled for August 25. 1992. Time and place will be announced later. The seminar will cover title III-public accommodations and services operated by private entities. This includes hotels, restaurants, theaters, auditoriums, laundromats, museums, parks, day care centers, professional offices of health care providers, and small businesses. Religious institutions or entities controlled by religious institutions are not included on the list. You can call the Chamber for more information.

Congratulations to the yard of the week winners!! Roy Wilmeth-508 Roland; J.W. Brinkley-302 South Hoskins; Ray Gibson-822 Townsend; and Tommy Raper-729 Cotter Dr.

On Thursday, July 23, Larry Trosper, Kathy Boyd, Lynanne Maize, Judy Nelson and myself went to Perryton for a joint meeting with members of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was to establish what was going on in each chamber and the special needs of each town and what we could do to help each other.

August will be membership luncheon month! We would like for all of our members to be able to at-

Defensive driving course: August 3-4, \$30 members and \$35

SPEARMAN YARDS OF THE WEEK

WEEK 1: Theodore Benge, 501 Roland; Claude Sheets, Jr., 610 Kenneth; Lee Shaver, 1100 Townsend; Richard Trantham, 820

WEEK2: Irene Snider, First and Barkley; Willie Wilkerson, 722 Second; Brad Beddy, Golden Circle; Helen Etter, 711 Gibner

WEEK 3: Bill Goodrich, 22 W. Third; Joey Woolley, 222 Hazelwood; Don Smith, 1121 S. Archer; Albert Clark, 1115 Linn

WEEK 4: Henry Babitzke, 620 Evans; Elsie Mathews, 322 Endicott; Bill Baker, 18 Golden Circle; Alton Ellsworth, 1008 Linn

WEEK 5: Marsha Shieldknight, 624 Bernice; N.F. Renner, 822 Evans; E.J. Copeland, 713 Gibner; Vernon Morris, 403 Endicott

WEEK 6: Vance Snider, 103 Barkley; Carters, 621 Endicott; Ray Phelps, 1016 Linn Dr.; Norman Brack, 1116 Dressen

WEEK 7: Mrs. Elizabeth Hull,

Rule 8: "Exceed your customers expectations." Walton always tried to give every customer exactly what they wanted - and a little more.

Rule 9: "Control your expenses better than your competitors." Recently, we analyzed the top American retailer's annual financial statements. Wal-Mart's operating expenses, compared to sales, are nearly a third less than No. 2 K-Mart and less than half of No. 3 Sears. That takes dedicated

Rule 10: "Swim upstream." Walton said that the statement he remembers hearing more than any other, was that a town of less than 50,000 population can't support a discount store very long. All through his discount career he ignored the "conventional wisdom

non-members.

408 Barkley; Felix Sandoval, 418 Hoskins; Bob Pearson, 708 Wilmeth; Floyd Hull, 1014 Barkley

WEEK 8: Anthony Wilkerson, 604 Barkley; Josephine Schneider, 115 Hazelwood; Melvin Bradley, 707 Wilbanks; Kenny Freeman, 702

WEEK 9: Leon Schroeder, 215 Roland; Janice and Rod Fulce, 16 James; Julie and Kirk Adams, 719 Gibner: Mrs. Claude Ownes, 920 Barkley

WEEK 10: Johnnie White, 10 Golden Circle; Bob Meek, 622 S. Haney; Mrs. Vester Hill, 604 Endicott; Travis Swink, 1110 Walter Wilmeth

WEEK 11: Pete Fisher, 1016 S. Barkley; Vera Mae Hays, 122 W. Second; Freddie Largent, 716 Cotter; Joe Raper, 112 Wanda Dr.

WEEK 12: Roy Wilmeth, 508 Wanda; J.W. Brinkley, 302 S. Hoskins; Ray Gibson, 822 Townsend; Tommy Raper, 729 Cot-

Here's some conventional wisdom I think Mr. Sam would approve of: Read Made in America. Who knows, the next "Mr. Sam" may be a Minding Your Own Busi-

Nursing from page 1

"old fashioned nursing with a modern twist." Skilled nursing services are provided by nurses with backgrounds in nursing home administration, nursing management, and

"Anyone can make referrals to home care-friends, family or the patient. It doesn't have to be from a doctor, "explains Terri. "And it's

Hansford Home Care urges any-

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Names of people who's subscriptions expire in July:

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Police Files

Spearman Fire Department On Monday, July 20, Spearman Fire Department volunteers responded to a tank battery fire northeast of town. Upon arrival, flame was discovered emerging from the valve on the condensate tank. The fire was extinguished. It was reported that the cause of the fire was static electricity, probably due to lightning.

On Sunday evening, July 26, firemen were called out to a one vehicle collision on Highway 15, east of Spearman. The was fully involved with fire when the fire department arrived. It was reported that the firemen assisted the emergency medical services with the victim, extinguished the vehicle and removed surrounding vehicles containing hazardous materials from the scene.

The Spearman Fire Department

one who would like to take advantage of this service to call the agency at 659-2535 extension 107. A registered nurse will discuss the person's needs, verify insurance coverage, if needed, and make arrangements for the patient's doctor to oversee his or her care.

"Home care is just good old fashioned nursing, the way it should not just for the elderly. We have be," explains Ms. Hergert. "Only young patients, too." All care is now, we have highly trained and provided according to a doctor's or- educated professionals to deliver special care to people in their

"Pinocchio" is one of Walt

Disney's animated classics.

Geppetto, Jimmy Cricket and

Pinocchio return in this animated

feature about a puppet who wants

goes to bed, a fairy visits Pinocchio.

She brings him to life. But she tells

him that he has to prove himself

worth before he will become a "real"

Throughout the film Pinocchio

runs into all kinds of troubles. He

is locked in a bird cage, begins to

turn into a donkey and is swal-

"Pinocchio" is rated G.

"Pinocchio" is a classic film

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tice fire safety. Be extremely careful when performing any controlled burns, whether it is stubble, grass or simply trash burning. They would particularly like to caution rural residents in the eastern half of the county.

> NO GRUVER FIRE REPORT

Spearman Police Depart-

During the week of Monday, July 20, to Sunday, July 26, the Spearman Police Department received a total of 28 calls.

Officers answered on call reporting a simple assault and three calls reporting disorderly conduct. They unlocked one vehicle and investigated three alarms.

Three suspicious activity reports were filed, along with one lost person report and one found property report. There were four miscellaneous call for an officer and 12 calls for animal control during the week.

> NO GRUVER POLICE REPORT WAS AVAILABLE

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At the movies . . .

Beginning Friday, July 31, and running through Tuesday, August 4, at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman is 'Boomerang' on screen 1 at 8 p.m. and "Pinocchio" on screen 2 at 7:45 p.m.

Eddie Murphy is back staring in 'Boomerang' along with Robin Givens. Co-stars are Halle Berry,

David Alan Grier and Grace Jones.

Here is what a leading review magazine has to say about the movie, "Eddie Murphy, with his

quicksilver egomania, is the perfect actor to play Marcus Graham." Graham is a suave lady-killer who meets his match, Jacqueline (Robin Givens). She also happens to be his

This comedy also has a twist of romance when Marcus falls for the 'sweet-as-sugar" Angela, played by

"Boomerang" is directed by Reginald Hudlin ("House Party"). "Boomerang" is rated R.

At The Lyric Theatre . . . FRIDAY, JULY 31 - TUESDAY, AUGUST 4

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Spearman, TX 79081. phraseology, or which it may deem

Kathleen and Tom Sutton were entertained last Tuesday evening in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. Rubyjo and J.D. Wilbanks hosted the gathering of the group of friends and relatives in their home.

Kathleen Greever and Tom Sutton were married on July 26, 1942 at Hardesty and have lived in Spearman since. They have three children-Omar and Noreen of Spearman and Darlene Lasley of Dumas and three grandchildren.

Those enjoying the hospitality of the Wilbanks were Tom's sister and husband from hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elliott; Mr. and Mrs. Olen Bachler of Katy, Texas; Christi Williams, Gruver; Darlene and Jerry Lasley, Dumas; from Spearman - Don and Gloria Knox, Verna Gail Keim, Billy and Sybil Miller, Estelle Jackson, Sharon and Omar Sutton, Noreen Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Berner.

Last Sunday Tom and Kathleen Sutton with Noreen attended the reunion of the descendants of the O.A. Suttons. It was held in hardesty with 35 there. Tom and his sister are the only survivors of their generation.

Interesting guests of Cathy and Pat Patterson were friends from Bern Switzerland who left Thursday. They were the host family where Clint Patterson staved the year he was an exchange student in Switzerland. The mother, Vrenie Sale with three daughters, Alexandra, Simona and Manuela spent two and a half weeks with the Pattersons. Alexandra was a foreign exchange student in Virginia last year and speaks fluent English.

During their stay, Clint, accompanied by Anna Bredenberg of Irving, came up from Rice University for a week.

The Pattersons made every effort to show them an over-all view of life in the Texas Panhandle.

They took them to "Texas" in the Palo Duro Canyon; the 4-H Rodeo; the historical museum at Canyon; horse back riding at the Travis Pattersons and especially the Dis-

covery Center in Amarillo.

Cathy was of the opinion that they seemed most impressed by the friendliness of the people here, and also the flat terrain-so different from their mountainous region.

On Sunday the Pattersons, assisted by Marilyn and Dennis Cline, hosted a cook-out for them at their home. More than 55 persons enjoyed the bountiful meal and meeting the guests.

The Sales fly to Chicago, then to near Bern where they will take a train to their home.

Congratulations to Mark Eakin who placed second in the overall ranking in the calf roping in the National Finals of high school rodeo last week at Shawnee, Okla. This is no small achievement considering that the best ropers from every rodeo association from every high school in every state in the United States were in the competi-

Mark is the son of Wanda and Jim Eakin, and the chagrined person in the county is Mark's grandmother, Blanche Greene, who was unable to go to the finals due to her illness.

Who had the most fun- the grandkids or Grandpa and Grandma Dixon? Mary Frances and Perry Dixon took their grandchildren to Chama, Colo. last week for a ride on the narrow gauge railroad. The grandchildren are Andrew Dixon and Trae and Terryn

Dixon. Their parents-Mike and Shannon Dixon of Plano and Monte and Connie Dixon of Morse went along to act as chaperons. Andrew had been visiting his grandparents for a week as Carli

Dixon brought him, and he went back with his parents. Mike came to attend the 1982 high school class reunion. They returned to Plano where he is employed by the Polymed Company.

Joan and Johnnie Lee returned Monday from a long drive to Jonesboro, Kentucky. Her sister, Winifred and J.D. Hester of Texline went with them. They attended the wedding of David Lee Hoskins,

Among the Neighbors

the son of their brother, Freddie (as he will always be to Spearman

The first night they spent in Bartlesville with Sada Ruth and Howard Long who joined them for the rest of the trip. In Jonesboro them met Freddie and Mrs. Hoskins who now live at Charleston, West Virginia.

Jonesboro is quite a historical city and the Hoskins stayed in a "bed and breakfast" restored home which they all found very interesting. The rehearsal dinner and wedding reception were also held there. On the return trip they came by Kansas City, Kansas and visited the Lee's daughter, Johnette Boyle and her two daughters.

Virginia Head, Aleta Jackson and her three boys attended the Morse family reunion last week at Cloud Croft, New Mexico.

They picked up Cathy Ballard in Borger, then in Panhandle joined Catherine and Zane Hall, Pampa, and Elizabeth Carr with Gary of Miami and went together.

Clovis as they had to take shelter from a terrific rain and hail storm.

Billie Joan and Leslie Reynolds with daughter Jan have been visiting many relatives and old friends here and in Perryton for a couple of weeks. They live at San Antonio and while here headquartered at Robert Darrell Greevers at Perryton and spent much time with her parents, W.R. and Eulalie Greever and his mother, Mrs. D.O. Reynolds.

They attended a number of events while here, including the Turner-Shields wedding on Saturday evening and the B.J. and Natalie Turner 50th wedding anniversary reception on Sunday.

One evening family members gathered at the home of W.R. and Eulalie Greever to commemorate their 58th wedding anniversary.

The Greevers had been vacationing at South Fork, Colorado and plan to return in the near fu-

Lordy Lordy ...

Maxine Banister returned Sun-Their return trip was delayed in day from an enjoyable week in Colo-

rado with friends and relatives. She was a guest in the home of Cathy and Sonny Herring and family in Denver. They spent some time in Steamboat Springs where Maxine formerly lived, and renewed friendships with several. She and Cathy and children went to Rangely, Colorado to visit her nephew Mike Crawford.

Four Spearman ladies relaxed for the week-end in Red River The previous week-end Wilma Lackey, Eva Adkinson, Ernestine Gray and Norma Holland enjoyed the cool

weather.

Mary Ellen and Malcolm Kirkland with Jana Mae and Paul came up Thursday and spent the week-end with her father, Freeman Barkley, and visited other relatives. They returned to their home in Sulphur Springs late Sunday.

Dr. Doug and Connie Steger and children spent the week-end with her parents, Virginia and John Trindle. Connie and children will

remain here a couple of weeks, but Doug had to return to his practice.

The Stegers are well settled and pleased with their move to Graham. Other Sunday guests of the Trindles were Stan Hudson with friends David and Brenda Paulsen of Pampa. Stan spoke at church

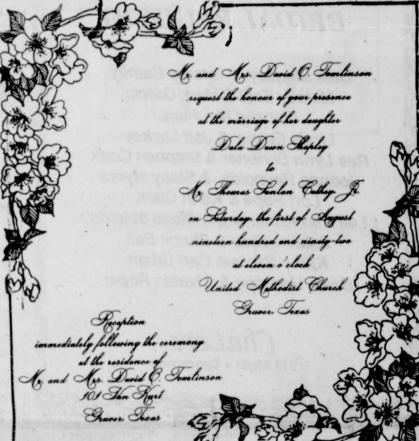
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Birth announcement

Mr. Don and Cayla Schoeder are proud to announce the birth of their son, Blayne Lloyd, on Sunday, July 5, 1992. Blayne was born in Ochiltree General Hospital in Perryton and weighed 6 lbs. 4 3/4

Maternal grandparents are Charles and Joanne Eaton of Spearman. Maternal great-grandparents are Roscoe and Marguerite Nelson of Spearman and Mrs. John Lloyd Eaton of Shawnee, Okla. Maternal great-great grandmother is Mary Ulmer of Green Ridge, Mo.

Paternal grandparents are Mott and Betty Schroeder of Balko, Okla.



Your invited to

Meghan Jade Snider

a Baby Shower for

daughter of Billy & Robin Snider sister of Amanda

Saturday, August 1 · 2 · 4 p.m.

First Assembly of God Church 403 N. Bernice - Spearman

Given by Hostesses

I would like to thank all the wonderful people of Spearman and Gruver for all the phone calls, gifts and concern and a very special thank you to the Spearman Chamber of Commerce and the ambulance crew for all the help and support that was given to the City of Fritch.

Thank You Judy Reed and the people of Fritch

You are cordially invited to a **Baby Shower** honoring

Lisa (Sheets) Lewis

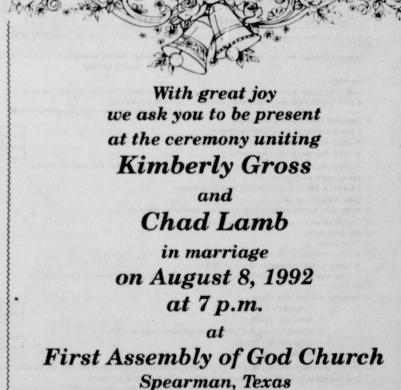
LOOK WHO'S

Thursday, July 30 in the home of Donna Sheets 601 S. Haneu 7:30 to 9 p.m. Given by hostesses

"Come and Go"

You are invited to a Bridal shower honoring Lori Pope bride-elect of Keith Clark Sunday, August 2, from 2-3:30 p.m. fellowship hall First Baptist Church Spearman, Texas Given by hostesses

Selections at ChaLor's and Celebrate



You are cordially invited to a Bridal Shower honoring Kathy Poole Bride-elect of Carl Urban Sunday, August 2 at 2:30 p.m. Morse First Baptist Church selections at Celebrate & ChaLor's

On The Go With Joy

Well, I promised you more of my "Wandering of Wondering" games, but I'm not in the mood this morning. I've lost my train of thought and besides after two days of trips to Amarillo, I feel kind of zonked.

My daughter Dana Stovall from Duncanville is here visiting and we promised ourselves a fun week of doing things for Mother (me) and that included lots of crafts and a major overhaul of my bathroom. But you know how things go when you want to accomplish something, you have to make a trip to gather up the needed tools and supplies. That probably means also that in the back of my mind, I will need to make a visit to Wally-world.

O.K. So I have a list of our activities and outlines of our chores, but guess what M.H. came up with. Pears! Do we let them rot and go to waste or do we put them up into something edible? We have already put up 25 or 30 pints of pear preserves or syrup and that is just from the ones that have fallen off the tree. Then, M.H. has beans, peas, squash and tomatoes blooming in his garden. Uh! Oh! That is beginning to sound like 2 years ago when we had such a humongus garden. Don't imagine you want to hear anymore stories about that.

Me neither! Several weeks ago, I had an article of "food for thought" and this week I have "twenty ways to be perfectly miserable." Think about yourself. Talk about yourself. Use "I" as often as possible. Expect to be

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ous and envious. Be sensitive to slights. Be selfish. Never forgive a criticism. Never forget a service you have rendered. Trust nobody but yourself. Insist on consideration and respect. Demand agreement with your own views on everything. Sulk if people are not grateful to you for favors shown. Shirk your duties if you can. Love yourself supremely. Do as little as possible for others. Be on the lookout for a good time for yourself. Listen greedily to what people say about you. (author unknown) That's funny! I thought these things were

what was making me happy, not

miserable. Do you suppose I have

an attitude problem of some sort?

Seems like I remember someone

appreciated. Be suspicious. Be jeal-

describing me as a spoiled brat. Good news for several people. We have some new births to announce. We learned that Luke and Julie Pittman have a new son. I thought I saw grandma Lucy Pittman on Cloud 9. Also Rod and Denise Karlin have a new son to go along with big brother Reagan. I think he has been named Shelby Jackson. He weighed 7 lb. 6 oz. Grandpa Dave Karlin had surgery last week, as soon as he recuperates and gets home, he will probably hand him a basketball or some kind of ball and say "Let's get to tising!" Grandma Dixie will pro ably get a little teacking session in before reporting to her du-

ties at the elementary building. It was sure good to see John

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honoring their

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York and his family visiting in the Gruver area. He lived here several years ago when his father was minister for the Church of Christ.

Weldon and Elene Green took advantage of a few days after a long wheat harvest and did some traveling and sight-seeing to the states west of here. Seems like I overheard someone mention Flagstaff. Ariz. Grandmother Vivian Green is still enjoying different ones for a this summer including her daughter Adeline Wheeler from Albuquerque. I think daughter Virginia and John Alley are also expected to drop in. B.J. and Glenda Renner enjoyed having their three children, Viva, Ross and Anise for Sunday dinner.

While Josephine Ayers is visiting in South Dakota, Flavil traveled to Borger for Sunday dinner at his daughter Shirley's home. Also got in a quick visit with Byron and the Ayers granddaughter Kisaundra Nesbitt. Other last minute visits with relatives and friends before leaving for Rome, Italy was Brenda (Williams) Henderson. As I understand it, Brenda and family will be in Italy for a couple of years where her husband will be employed.

Others getting in some quality time before summer vacation and were Glenda and Kale Steed visiting Hugh and Marie Bell and Chris and Lynelle Morris guests of V.B. and Vera Morris. I overheard Connie Burgoon say she had fixed cinnamon rolls for Andrew to take back to Canyon with him. If he gets such good farewell gifts, I wonder why he doesn't come home more often.

Ray and Christine Brandvik had a group of visitors last week-end. Included were Terry Etling of Dallas and Chris Brandvik of San Antonio. -Visiting with Norma and Vernon Edens was Anne Smith from Salphur, Okla. -Guests of Sue Hartranft were Missy and Amanda Strickland from Fritch.

The granddaughter of Anna Beth Wood, Cayla Simon is visiting here.

Arlene (Barkley) Biebesheimer and her husband Jerry are making their headquarters with Dad Howard while they are relocating here in the United States. They recently returned from Germany where they were singers with an opera company.

Shapley...

honored at bridal shower

A miscellaneous bridal shower honoring Dala Shapley, Bride-elect of Tommy Cathey, was held at the Billy Logsdon home in Hitchland on June 20, 1992. Guests called between the hours of 2 and 4 p.m. The couple's wedding will take place Debbie and Tyra Clarke of Ama-August 1st in the Gruver United rillo. Methodist Church.

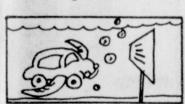
sage to the bride-elect. Dainty white daisy corsages were presented to Julie Cathey, mother of the pro-

Helen Shapley and Bettye Clark. Dainty pink roses decorated the cake squares and mints which were appointments completed the table setting. Carrie Guthrie of Spearman

refreshments.

Out of town guests for the occasion were Mica and Sydney Been of Lubbock, Cami Jenschke of Austin, Pam and Laura Fulton of Floydada, Tracy Logsdon of Lubbock, and

Hostesses for the shower were The hostesses presented a pink Mesdames: Kathy Logsdon, Doris and white rosebud and daisy cor- Armes, June Barkley, Pat Barkley, Charlotte Bergin, Beulah Ben Bort, Diane Brown, Lamoyne Cator, Dala's mother, Marian Tomlinson; Mary Jo Cluck, Georgia Davidson, Gerry Davis, Pat Dawson, Diane spective groom; and grandmothers Doty, Fran Duncan, Reatta Gammon, Nancy Garcia, Charlotte Gilbreath, Angela Grotegut, Carla Gumfory, Mavis Hart, Cynthia served with strawberry punch, cof- Henson, Kay Hobbs, Darlene Hoel, fee and mixed nuts. The refresh- Georgia Holt, Janet Irwin, Jody ments were served from a table Irwin, Pat Irwin, Polly Jones, Vireta covered with a white Battenburg Knight, Juanita Logsdon, Julie lace tablecloth from Italy. An ar- Logsdon, Tracy Logsdon, Marsha rangement of burgandy, blue, and Lowe, Shirley Lowe, Rosemary ecru silk flowers in a silver bowl McKee, Diane McLain, Sandra from Williamsburg, Va., served as McNett, Evi Meyer, Marguerite a centerpiece. This was presented Nelson, Kathy Potts, Melba Rasor to Dala following the shower from Norma Red, Angie Remmel, Glenda the hostesses. Cut glass and silver Renner, Esmeralda Renteria, Gloria Renteria, Gloria Reynolds, Mary Jo Robinson, Sue Smith, and Katherine Gumfory of Austin, Gyene Spivey, Barbara Stavlo, Judy Stedje, Kathy Stedje, Mary TeBeest, Linda Venneman, Judy Virden, Wanda Wagner, Jackie Wilson, Cynthia Williams, Rita Williams, Anna Beth Wood, Tonnie Yanke, Marlene Winger, Ann Dorman, Sharon Saltzman, Carolyn Hicks, Betty Roberts, Debbie Odom and Nell Dean Bagwell.



A highway sign warns: "Take notice: when this sign is under water, this road is impassable.'

Haight and Hiles...

exchange wedding vows



Miss Tasha Lin Haight and Mr. Todd Matthew Hiles were united in marriage at 6 p.m. Saturday. June 27, 1992 in the Gruver United Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter Charles and Linda Haight of Gruver. Texas and the groom is the son of Dave and Judy Hiles Frankenmuth,

Michigan. Dr. Lewis Holland of Gruver

U.M.C. officiated

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for the double-ring ceremony before the 17 branch fan candelabra. At each side was a 9 lite tree candelabra draped with ivory sheer fabric and fresh fern foliage. Two urns with columns filler with spring garden Bokas of Iris, snapdragons, liatris, candia roses, dianthus and rhubrum li'lies graced the alter. Behind the candelabra were ferns. The unity t inity candle sat at the left. At the back of the church were two isles poles with three lights, draped with ivory lace bows. The mother's pews had ascades of liatria, candia roses and rhubrum lillies. The florist was Stan reBeest with the Golden Crown of Guymon, Okla.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown made of delicate imported chantilly hand clipped lace and peau de soie. It was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and long tapering sleeves which came to points over the wrist. The neckline was accented by lace reembroidered with pearls of seed pearls. The skirt had panels of lace and tulle cascading from the hip to the floor in graduated tiers and formed a chapel train. Her floor length veil was of illusive lace with ivory flowers, and seed pearl head piece topped with ivory lace. The gown was also worn by the mother of the bride, 30 years ago. The bride's bouquet was coloneal cascade of candia, gigi, bridal white, pink and arian roses backed with

The bride's maids wore floor length fitted gowns of azela pink moire taffeta. They carried long stem candia roses with ivory lace ribbon. The junior bridesmaid carried a bridal wreath filled with roses and foliage. The flower girl carried a rose basket filled with candia rose petals. Both girls wore ivory floor length moire taffeta dresses, each having halos of baby's breath in their hair.

The bride's mother wore an ivory chiffon skirt with a brocaded top of pink, blue and ivory. The scoop neck was outlined with ivory lace and pearl buttons. The groom's mother chose a two piece cream colored dress stiled with a soft draped peplum accented with a large satin bow at the

The main of honor was Tiffany Blatnik, Dallas. Matron of honor was Tonya Hubbard, Oklahoma City, Okla., cousin of the bride. Other bridesmaids were Connie Red, Gruver, and Mary Ann Hiles, sister-inlaw of the groom from Frankenmuth, Mich. Amber White, cousin of the groom, was the junior bridesmaid and Molly Miller, cousin of the groom, was the flowergirl. Both girls were from Frankenmuth, Mich.

The groom, bestman and groomsman wore black tuxedos with tails The groom wore ariana rose, the groomsmen wore candia rose in lapel with cumberbun and bow tie matching the bridesmaid's dresses. The groom and ring bearer wore ivory cumberbuns and bow ties. The bestman was Mark Hiles, brother of the groom. The groomsmen were Gregg Haight, brother of the bride of Gruver; Hugh Thompson of California and Tim Holland of Dallas. The ring bearer was Nathan Miller of Frankenmuth, Mich., cousin of the groom.

The organist, Ann Dorman, and pianist, Carolyn Fletches, provided the traditional wedding music. Shiloh Parrish of Perryton was the soloist. She sand "Doubley Good to You" and "I Will Be Here."

The reception was held in the fellowship hall with ivory punch and a ivory dome shaped wedding cake with delicate spring flowers covering it. The groom's cake was chocolate decorated with grapes. Both cakes were beautifully decorated by Opal Wallin. Cousins of the bride, Amy Compton, Gay Ann Compton and Brandee Haight served at the recep-

Cora Meyer presided at the guest table. The tables were decorated with ivory tablecloths, spring flower bouquet and spring flowers in two urns and columns.

A rehearsal supper was given on Friday evening. It was held in the fellowship hall of the Methodist Church. After the wedding reception a dinner was held for the wedding party at the Archie Nelson home.

Those attending from Frankenmuth, Mich. were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hiles, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hiles and Matthew, Mr. and Mrs. David Miller and Molly and Nathan, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff White and Amber and Mrs. Lorine Pagels.

On July 10th a reception was held in Frankenmuth, Mich. It was given by Dave and Judy Hiles, parents of the groom. A western theme was carried out where 125 friends attended. The reception was held at the Bavarian Inn Motor Lodge. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haight, Gregg Haight and Mrs. Lo Ree Hall.



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Gray County sets Top-of-Texas 4-H Youth Rodeo dates

The Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo will be held August 14-15 at the Top of Texas Rodeo Arena in Pampa at 7 p.m. each evening. The rodeo is for all youth ages 9-18.

Montana Silver Smith belt buckles will be awarded to the top three winners in each event of the 9-11 age group. For the two older age groups (12-14 and 15-18) there will be two go-rounds (one each night). Montana Silver Smith Buckles will go to the first place average winners in each event in the two older age groups. Contestants must enter both nights to win these average buckles. In addition, pay-back for the two older groups will be 50% of the entry fees in each event each

All-Around buckles will also be awarded in each age group based on points from event placings, not event averages.

Entries are due in the Gray County Extension Office, HCR 2, Box 33, Pampa, Texas 79065 by 5 p.m., August 7.

Events for ages 15-18 include: calf roping, pole bending, junior bull riding, barrel racing, goat tying, breakaway roping and ribbon

Events for 12-14 include: steer riding, pole bending, breakaway roping, barrel racing, goat tying, ribbon roping and adult/youth rib-

Event for 9-11 include: breakaway roping, calfroping, goat

tying, barrel racing, pole bending, flag racing and adult/youth ribbon

Boys and girls may participate in any event listed for their particular age group. All-around buckles will be awarded in each age group on points awarded in all events entered with the exception of the adult/youth ribbon roping ages 9-11 and 12-14 where points will not count.

For ages 9-11, the entry fee is \$10 per event. The 12-14 year old age group will have an entry fee of \$15 per event with a \$7.50 pay back. The older are group of 15-18 will have a \$20 entry fee per event

with \$10 jackpotted. Events for Pee Wee contestants will be held Saturday afternoon at 4 p.m. Events for ages 6 and under can compete in a mutton bustin, stick horse barrel race, goat ribbon

race, boot scramble race and sack race. Events for ages 7 and 8 will include goat ribbon race, barrel race, flag race, pole bending and

Entry fees will be \$2 per event for ages 6 and under and \$3 per event for ages 7 and 8 (a \$5 stock charge for calf riding will be charged).

Information and entry blanks can be obtained at the Gray County Extension Office located in the Courthouse Annex. Hwy. 60 East.

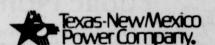
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Southwest Outdoors

with Mel Phillips

A PRO IS BORN?

BENNY SWIRES of Randall County for winning the July 16th Fun tournament on lake Greenbelt. At the weigh-in ceremonies, Benny sounded just like a professional fisherman when he gave credit for the victory to Berkley's new PowerWorm and to his brand new Astro boat. He won a trophy and \$385 for his efforts.

Second place and \$165 went to LOWELL RUSHER of Hereford, who caught a nice 2.25 lb. bass. The \$110 third place prize money went to Pampa angler DAVID TURNER.

Despite the north winds of an unusual July cold front, fifty-five anglers from sixteen Panhandle towns competed in this three hour Thursday evening event. The highlight of this tournament was the participation of 17 kids who fished for free. The adults might forget this tournament but these kids will remember that night for the rest of their lives.

Don't forget that all kids under seventeen can fish free with an adult entry at any Fun Tournament during the rest of 1992. In August that includes: Sunday morning, August 2, at lake Mackenzie; Thursday evening, August 6, at Lake Meredith; and Thursday evening, August 20, at Lake Greenbelt.

The BASS Master Classic is underway at Lake Logan in Alabama. I am pulling for TOMMY BIFFLE of Oklahoma and calendar, August 22.

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CONGRATULATIONS to LENDELL MARTIN, Jr., of Nacogdoches because they both have attended our February OUT-DOOR WORLD sportsman shows.

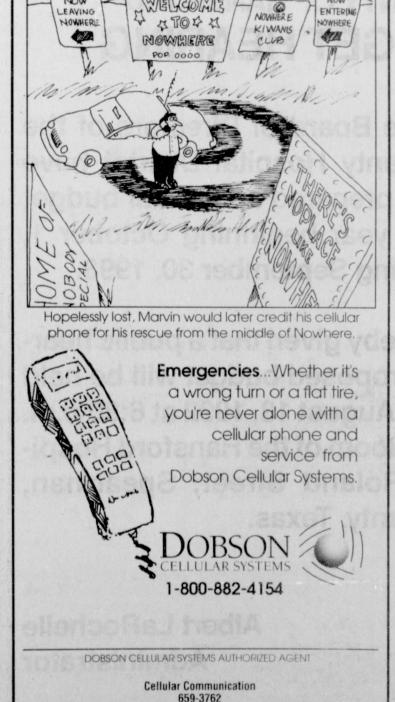
Another personal favorite is JOE YATES from Arkansas. In 1986, on Lake Broken Bow, he was the first professional angler who shared his boat with me during the pressure of a bass tournament. Joe, who loves the fishing but dislikes the media hype of professional fishing, just might be the nicest guy on the BASS tour.

Other Texans at the Classic include GARY KLEIN, ZELL ROWLAND, LONNIE STANLEY, JAY YELAS and RICK CLUNN.

QUOTE of the Week from JIMMY HOUSTON: "There is no such thing as too many bass in a lake. Look at a feedlot, those cows are shoulder to shoulder and getting fatter every day. Instead worrying about too many bass, the 'experts' should start providing more food for the bass.'

Circle Saturday, August 22, on your fishing calendar. Plans are underway for a special fishing tournament to benefit the victims of the Fritch Tornado. SANDY CARROLL and the PAMPA BASSMASTERS CLUB report that cash and prizes total \$2,000. Anyone wanting to help or donate should contact Sandy at 665-1870. My special thanks to the members of UFCW Local #1000 and HOME-LAND for donating a \$200 shopping trip. Like I said mark your





Week Ending July 23, 1992

Intentions to Drill

LIPSCOMB (BRADFORD Cleveland) Enron Oil & Gas Co., #4-635 Leroy H. Becker, et al 'A' (645 ac) 2600' from North & 660' from East line, Sec. 635,43,H&TC, 3 1/2 mi NW from Lipscomb, PD 8000' (20 N. Broadway, Suite 830, Okla. City, OK 73102)

LIPSCOMB (BRADFORD Cleveland) Enron Oil & Gas Co., #3 duke (645 ac) 2700' from South & 2250' from West line, Sec. 893,43, H&TC, 7 1/2 mi NE from Lipscomb,

LIPSCOMB (BRADFORD Cleveland) Enron Oil & Gas Co., #3 Redelsperger (645 ac) 1000' from South & 2300' from West line, Sec. 900,43, H&TC, 7 mi S-SW from Darrouzett, PD 7800'.

LIPSCOMB (S.W. LIPSCOMB Cleveland) Kerr-McGee Corp. (640 ac) 5 mi SW from Lipscomb, PD 8400' (U.S. Onshore Region, Box 25861, Okla. City, OK 73125) for the following:

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#3 Epps, 2000' from South & 800' from East line, Sec. 463,43, H&TC. Replacement well for #1

#3 C.E. Martin, 1944' from south & 1448' from East line, Sec. 422, 43,H&TC. Replacement well for #2 C.E. Martin

#3 Payer, 2208' from North & 928' from West line, Sec. 460, 43,

#3 Sparman, 2185' from North & 1425' from East line, Sec. 461,

(PANHANDLE) MOORE Comstock Oil & Gas, Inc., #1 Sneed (480 ac) 1080' from South & 1750' from East line, Sec. 5,12,D&, 11.5 mi SE from Dumas, PD 3400' (Box

702675, Tulsa, OK 74170) MOORE (PANHANDLE Red Cave) Comstock Oil & Gas, Inc., #2-24 Bivins (54260 ac) 1900' from North& 1600' from east line, Sec. 14,PMC, EL&RR, 8.5 mi westerly

from Masterson, PD 2500'. PARMER (WILDCAT) El Paso Natural Gas Co., #765 C.P. Recti-

fier (1 ac) 800' from South & 40' from East line, Sec. 66, Y.WD&FW 10 mi NE from Muleshoe, PD 500' (Box 1492, El Paso, TX 79978) Cathodic Protection Anode Bed

POTTER (PANHANDLE Red Cave) comstock Oil & Gas, Inc., Bivins (54260 ac) Sec. 36,0-18,D&P, 30 mi NW from Amarillo, PD 2300', for the following wells:

#20-36, 3600' from North & 330' from East line of Sec.

#21-36, 3050' from North & 2200' from East line of Sec.

WHEELER(WILDCAT) El Paso Natural Gas Co., #1209CP C.P. Rectifier (1 ac) 700' from south & 1250' from East line, Sec. 45,24,H&TC, 16 mi SW from Wheeler, PD 5000'. Catholic Protection Anode Bed

Amended Intentions to Drill LIPSCOMB (BRADFORD Cleveland) Enron Oil & Gas Co., #3 J.A. Little (645 ac) 2500' from South & 2310' from East line, Sec. 805.43.H&TC, 5 1/2 mi NE from Lipscomb, PD 7800'. amended to change well name & number from #1-805 Little Trust

LIPSCOMB (LIPSCOMB Cleveland) Enron Oil & Gas Co., #2-427 W.A. Murphy 'B' (640 ac) 800' from North & 1320' from West line, Sec. 427,43,H&TC, 3 1/2 mi SE from Lipscomb, PD 8300'. Amended to change well name & number from #1-427 Murphy

Caprock #1 receives award

Caprock #1 awarded its semiannual quality department award recently. This award is given to the one department at each Caprock Feedlot that most closely follows the Quality process as outlined by Caprock Industries.

This process includes following written procedures, measuring different activities to pinpoint problem areas, implementing corrective actions to solve problems and decrease costs of operation, and the use of graphs, charts, and dollar figures to keep accurate records of progress. All of this is done, as Tommy Raper, Yard Superintendent, says "to keep the department running efficiently and effectively. A department ran in this manner has fewer problems, costs less to operate, and improves Caprock's position in the cattle feeding in-

At Lot #1 the mill department used the Quality process the very best for the last half of Caprock's fiscal year. In fact, this is the second time in a row the mill has been given this honor.

Some of the items they improved

1. Improved consistency of grain



Pictured are the Caprock #1 mill employees (I/r) Manual Balderrama, Scott Atwood, Ray Gomez, Julio Ortiz and Tommy

flakes by educating employees on what a proper flake should look like, installation of improved equipment, and a new grain moisture

2. Reduced labor costs of grain cleaning with the installation of a discharge system.

3. Decreased expense of boiler operation from education and installation of a new water softening

4. Increased finished feed output with input of a new bin system.

5. Redesign of hay barn to reduce wear on motors and lower electrical costs. For this improvement Simon Korbe was given a personal achievement award.

The employees of the mill department and their wives were treated to their choice of steak and lobster or steak and shrimp prepared and served at the El Vaquero in Gruver. Richard Winter, Lot #1 Manager, and Tommy Raper, Yard Superintendent, and their lovely wives also attended the award dinner.

Caprock #1 is very proud of its mill and looks for even more progress in the future.

By the way, I've just finished

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Panhandle Crisis Center Report

by Mary Frances Ellzey

You readers familiar with us may skip this paragraph, and start with the next one. The PCC offers services to men or women who are victims of domestic violence, whether verbal or physical. We give counseling, support and information to these victims, plus a shelter to those who feel themselves to be in danger at home. These services are free of charge. If you want information only, call us at the office from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. We are available for help at any time, 24 hours a day. Our number is 435-5008. For those of you who must call us long distance, we have a toll-free number: 1-800-753-5308.

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At our last Board meeting the Brown, Graham and Company presented their auditor's report for 1991. These good people grant us a considerable reduction in their regular fee, for which we are most grateful. Again this year the report gave us the highest rating permitted to auditors. So all you who help us with donations can be assured that your generosity is very well handled. It's great to be a part of such an agency!

Speaking of generosity: Peggy Cudd and her son and family have donated an entire beef to the Shelter. The freezer is now chock full of excellent meat. We've also received donations that have made it possible to buy the third of the three bunk beds we needed so we can dispense with the use pallets, etc., for the occasions on which we are crowded. Thanks loads!

Speaking of crowds: The Shelter housed no clients during the entire month of June! Though we like privilege of living in this commu-

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being busy, it is good to know that for a few weeks at least no women in our area have been so mistreated by their "significant other" as to require shelter. However, we did work with 6 new clients and 8 returning clients, made 34 referrals and received 52 hot line calls. This time of year is usually our "slow" time-gives us a chance to catch our breath to prepare for the "fast"

Another nice happening: Ben Love's Tri-Star Computer Store offered over the radio to give a free "BannerMania" to the first service organization that applied for it. John O'Nan of the Family Services Center heard the announcement and jogged right on down to claim it for the Crisis Center! When I asked why he didn't claim it for his own organization, the answer was that his organization doesn't have a computer. Now, that's a gesture far beyond the call of duty! Can't we bless our lucky stars for the

reading some statistics for our nation. A sample of the findings reports that of 19 major industrialized nations, we are #1 in infant mortality, #1 in the most billionaires, #1 in the most children living in poverty, #1 in homelessness, #1 in murdered children, #1 in teenage pregnancies, #1 in gun ownership, and are #1 in "ranking the importance of God in our lives." We're also #1 in percentage of persons in prison anywhere in the world. (Incidentally, Texas has the most incarcerated persons of the entire 50 states.) We are also the only major industrialized nation to resort to the death penalty. These and still more statistics (such as our world-wide ranking in health care, education, economy, sex, religion, crime, politics and the environment) can be found in the paper back book entitled WE'RE NUM-BER ONE!, by Andrew L. Shapiro. Depressing? Yes. But maybe it will fire us up to help the facts and to cover them up in the manner that the Navy (among other government organizations!) did with the downing on July 3, 1991, of the Near East aircraft with its 290 civilians aboard. Thank goodness that The United States such ethical misconduct can be exposed!

Looks as if I'm on my soapbox! Come join me!

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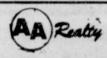
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specification sheets from the Business Office, 601 Garrett Street, Gruver, TX. Bid prices will be in effect until June 30, 1993. Bids must be received in the Business Office no later than 4:00 p.m., August 4, 1992. Envelope should be marked "Food Item Bid." Award will be made at the regularly scheduled Board Meeting, August 5, 1992, at 1:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the Gruver High School, 601 Garrett, Gruver, TX. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject in whole or part of any

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PUBLIC NOTIC

INVITATION FOR BIDS led proposals addressed t

C. Lee, General Manager of the River Authority of Texas (PDR) received at the office of the PDRA 99, Spearman, Texas 79081, un August 11, 1992 for the construc

At this time and place, the propos publicly opened and read aloud received after closing time will be unopened.

Contract Documents, including F Specifications, are on file and may ined without charge in the office of the 511 S.W. 11th Street, Spearma 79081, Telephone (\$06)659-3420 offices of Presse and Nichole, inc. ing Engineers, 811 Lamar Street, Fo specifications may be procured from and Nichols, Inc., in Fert Worth,

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regular unleaded gasoline for the act des and diesel for the small tractor school year 1992-93.

able in the School Business Office Garrett, Graver, TX. Deadline for submitting bids is Tuesda gust 4, 1992 at 4 p.m. Bids will be ope the regular meeting of the Board of Tru Wednesday, August 5, 1992 at 1:00 p

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children went on to visit relatives

Jan and Larry Holt and family joined the gathering on Sunday.

Word from relatives of Wynelle Moore is that on Friday she again

Sunday morning, and Patti and the entered High Plains Baptist Hospital for additional chemo-therapy treatments. She appreciated visits and cards from her friends here. She and husband, Ray Moore, have made their home in Amarillo for



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CHARGE CONTROL CONTROL

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company is asking the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) for approval to offer a new optional service called Remote Access to Call Forwarding (RACF) on a permanent basis beginning September 7, 1992.

RACF is an optional service that is intended for use by residence and business customers. RACF permits a customer who subscribes to the optional service Call Forwarding to activate, deactivate or change the Call Forwarding destination from a location other than the customer's premises. In order for RACF to function, it must be accessed from a push-button telephone.

The proposed monthly rate for RACF for residence customers is \$1.00, and the proposed monthly rate for business customers is \$2.75. These rates are in addition to the rates for basic local exchange service and regular Call Forwarding. (The monthly rates for Call Forwarding are \$2.10 for residence customers and \$2.65 for

RACF is expected to generate first-year revenues of

Persons who wish to comment on this application, which has been assigned Tariff Control Number 11316, should notify the PUC by August 28, 1992. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or you may call the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.



Loree and Ira Harbour were pleased to have their son Ted and Debbie with Austin, Vada and Dalton with them a few days. They will be moving to Grapevine, Texas in the next few days as Ted will be an attorney for a large construction corporation in the area. They have lived in Rockwall, Texas a number

85 descendants of the Sparks-Douglas family attended the reunion held at the Catholic Parish Hall. The reunion was organized by Karen Sparks and Frankie Sloanwhose efforts were truly appreciated by all the families.

The first gathering was Saturday evening where the early arrivals were overly well fed by certain family members noted for their culinary ability.

On Sunday the complete meal was efficiently catered by the Palo Duro Supper Club. A huge assortment of desserts furnished by family members lasted throughout the afternoon. The day was filled with greetings, reminiscing and warm fellowship and so much laughter.

They came from Denver, Odessa,

Sunray, Carrollton, Perryton, Gruver, Midland, Denton, Miami, Fritch, Amarillo, Breckinridge, San Antonio, Hooker, Spearman, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Betty Jean Sparks Mullins from Arkansas received the award for traveling the greatest distance. Door prizes were son by Kim Venneman, Macy Harbour and Frankie Sloan.

The prize for having had the most birthdays was won by John Bishop (Now, his relationship to the family is somewhat vague.).

Several visitors came by to greet old friends-among them Sammye and John Bishop, Betty Jean and Irvin Davis, Worley Smith, Wilson McClellan and Macy Harbour.

The entertainment was a fun auction of various homemade items brought by family members and auctioned off by Joe T. Venneman (under the watchful eye of that pro-"Cous" Ed Dear).

The next reunion will be held the second week-end in July 1994 at Ceta Canyon, beginning on Friday and ending on Sunday. Sue Woolley and Lora Elizabeth Vincent were elected to organize it.

Shower honors King

A bridal shower honoring Kristi King, was given recently in the Methodist Church parlor. A blue and red floral centerpiece was given to the bride-elect. Refreshments of humming bird cake, raspberry punch with mints and nuts were

Out of town guests included Ruth King from Hereford, the brides grandmother. Also, Brenda Johnson and daughter Bethany from Canyon attended.

Hostesses for the occasion were Cathy Potts, LaMoyne Cator, Barbara Cluck, Georgia Davidson, Cynthia Henson, Carolyn Hicks, Georgia Holt, Janet Irwin, Kathy Logsdon, Marsha Lowe, Shirley

Lowe, Lynn Martin, Saundra McNett, Evi Meyer, Mickey Nash, Marguerite Nelson, Melba Rasor, Mary Jo Robinson, Judy Virden, Anna Beth Wood, Vireta Knight, Beaulah Ben Bort, Frances Duncan and Delphine Etling.

Hospice holds meeting

Hansford Hospice held their regular monthly meeting July 20th, in the La Casita Room of Gruver State Bank. Jack McWhirter led the group in the opening prayer.

The group voted to reimburse Hansford Hospital District \$10,000 for hospice patient care expenses incurred by the hospital district the past year and to purchase window heating and cooling units for the hospice patient room and the hospice family room.

Hansford Hospice will hold a garage sale at the Gruver Airport hanger Saturday, August 15th, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. All donations to the garage sale will be appreciated.

Plans were made for a picnic at the Gruver City Park to be held on Sept. 21st for members and their

Those present were Opal Wallin, Carolyn Hicks, Jo Linda Hutchison, Anna Beth Wood, Sue Gerardy, Garland Hopper, Jack McWhirter, Ruth Bryan, June Jackson, Kay Vernon, Muriel Boyd, Betty Davis, Alice Peddy, J.C. Harris, Charlotte Jackson, Jo Alice Clawson, Verna Lee Shirley, Evi Meyer, Margy Schoenhals and guest Doyle Jack-

Consumers share in energy costs

by Sandra Haverlah

As more energy is required by Texas residents, mote power plants to produce that energy will be built and this is a cost we all share as consumers of energy.

Currently, the most effective way of reducing the continuous need for energy is to change our consumption habits. Increasingly, municipalities are requiring that new homes be fitted with energyefficient and water saving appliances and fixtures. But for the majority of homeowners, the appliances we use are the original models and may be in need of replacement.

If you are planning on purchasing a new water heater, dishwasher, air conditioner, furnace or washer and dryer, the 1991 Consumer Guide to Home Energy Savings by Alex Wilson and the American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy can help you locate appliances that will contribute to a reduction in your electricity bills.

The guide provides tips on what to look for when shopping for new appliances, lists the most energyefficient models available, and even provides a form to calculate your savings from purchasing energyefficient models.

Even if you are not planning on buying new appliances, this guide offers advice on how to reduce energy consumption with your current refrigerator, water heater, air conditioner and other appliances.

Texas has the distinction of having an abundance of natural gas as a resource. If possible, use gas appliances in your home. Many of the power plants that provide our electricity use coal shipped in from other state for producing that power. Switching to gas appliances will not only save you money on your electrical bills but will help the Texas economy as well.

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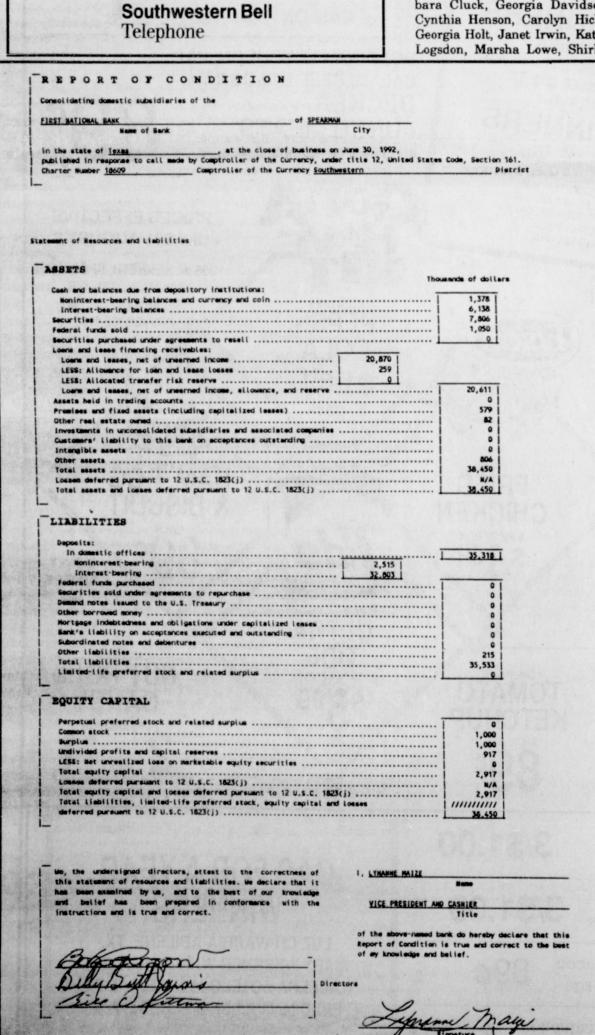
LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS **COUNTY OF HANSFORD BUDGET HEARING**

Whereas, the Board of Directors of the Hansford County Hospital District have caused to be prepared an annual budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1992 and ending September 30, 1993.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing on said proposed budget will be held on Thursday, August 13, 1992 at 6:30 p.m. in the Board Room of the Hansford Hospital: 707 S. Roland Street; Spearman, Hansford County, Texas.

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Obituaries

DEAN DOUGLAS SELIGMAN, MO. - Dean Dou-

glas, 67, died at 2 a.m. Friday, July Services were held at 2 p.m.

Monday, July 27 in the Williamson Funeral Home in Cassville, Mo., with Rev. Bob Scott officiating. Burial was in the Reddick Cemetery in Garfield, Ark.

Mr. Douglas was born May 7, 1925 in Garfield. Ark where he was a life-long resident. He married

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Survivors include his wife, Georgia; three sons, Darrell E. Douglas of Cleveland, Tenn., Terald L. Douglas of Tulsa, Okla., and Charles Tippin of Seligman, Mo.; one daughter, Jean Ann Roop of Dubuque, Iowa; his mother, Cleva Douglas of Garfield, Ark.; one brother, William D. Douglas of Garfield, Ark : two sisters, Betty Porter of Spearman and Glenda Hanna of Quitman, Ark.; and seven grandchildren.

Memorials may be sent to the American Lung Association c/o Williamson Funeral Home.

ANTONIO G. VERA ALICE - Antonio G. Vera, 92, died Monday, July 20, 1992.

Arosary was recited at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 21, 1992 at Mauro P. Garcia Funeral Home Chapel in Alice. A funeral Mass was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 23, 1992. at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Alice. Burial followed in Benavides Cemetery in Benavides.

Mrs. Vera was a resident of Alice for 38 years and had been a house wife most of her life. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic

She is preceded in death by her husband, Guillermo Vera and a daughter, Elvira Vera

Survivors include six sons, Gilberto (Mary) Vera, Jesse (Manuelita) Vera, Jose Salvador (Lupita) Vera, all of Alice, Pedro (Antonia) Vera of Spearman, Chito (Lupita) Vera of Palito Blanco and Ramon (Olivia) Vera of Corpus five great-great grandchildren.

ROY ALEXANDER BEVERLY JR.

21, 1992.

Lamb Ferguson Funeral Home.

and was a Mason.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Sandy Morris of Spearman; a son, Bob McDowell of McLean; a sister, Marjorie Bell of Turkey; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren

Christi; four daughters, Hermelinda (Jesus) Garcia of Alice, Juanita (Jose) Lopez of Alice, Maria (Charles) Barnett of Corpus Christi and Berta (Jose) Soliz of Houston; four brothers. Ruperto Garza of Corpus Christi, Valerio Garza of Sinton, Miguel Garza and Ireneo Garza, both of Alice; three sisters, Isabel Hinojosa, Maria Garza, both of Benavides, and Josefa Canales of Corpus Christi; 37 grandchildren; 53 great-grandchildren; and

McLEAN - Roy Alexander Beverly Jr., 75, died Tuesday, July

Graveside services were held on Thursday, July 23, at 11 a.m. in Hillcrest Cemetery with the Rev. Don Whetsell, pastor of First United Methodist Church officiating. Arrangements were made by

Mr. Beverly was born in Clovis, N.M. He married Duella Mann. He had worked as a dirt contractor

Melzer cousins ...

hold 1992 reunion

the hostess for the event this year. It was held at the Ceta Canyon Church Camp near Happy, Texas, on July 18th, 1992, with 43 in attendance.

It was decided at the last reunion in 1990 that instead of having a reunion every year that we would change it to every two years.

The events of the day included picture taking, a picnic noon meal, a few adult and children party type games were played and some funny stories were told by sisters and brothers of the events that happened in their childhood years. Lots of visiting went on throughout the day. Also swimming, volleyball, table tennis and hiking were part of the festivities.

Steve and Louisa Melzer invited secret surprise guest for us all. She was Herma Dell (Soderberg) Ward. A cousin most of us hadn't seen in 40 years or more!

Those in attendance were Delphine (Melzer) Kopke, Josephine (Melzer) Schneider and Jennifer Turner all of Spearman; Mark Kopke of Amarillo; Jim, Cindy, Erik and Sheena Searborough all of Canyon; Tex Kopke of Dallas; Carl and Carolen Weiss, Bobby, Cathy, Melody and Kyle Hargrove all of Odessa; Denny, Kathleen and Taylor

Delphine (Melzer) Kopke was Hargrove of Amarillo; Edgar Melzer of Waco; Bruce, Laura, Theresa, Patricia and Brian Duncan of Altis, Okla.; Steve and Louisa Melzer of Elk City, Okla.; Mike, Linda and Michael Ditmore and Jessica Duff all of Pampa; Marilyn Rutz, Kelly, Shannan, Shane and Shelly Roger all of Perryton; Albert and Elsie Pshigoda of Shattuck, Okla.; Ellisha, Brenton and Lindsy Johnson, Alice Lemon, Mora Fechner and Norman Melzer all of Wichita. Kan.; and Herma Dell Ward and grandson Justin Dullea of Albuquerque, N.M.

One lady was so anxious to go to the reunion that she went a week ahead of time. We won't say who this was but she lives in Perryton and her last name is Rutz!!!

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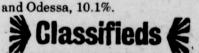
ported a 6.3% unemployment rate. This figures out to be 1.1% low than 1992.

When these figures were calculated the release stated that 540,200 people were out of work in 1991. Now in 1992 there are 645,000 individuals jobless in the state of Texas. The increase from 1991 to 1992 figures out to be 104,800.

If we look back to the year 1986. it is a more positive picture. In that year unemployment was 9.3% and approximately 752,000 individuals without jobs.

Comparing unemployment rates throughout Texas, Hansford County seems to rank in the lowest unemployment areas. Other places in this category for May included: Brayan-College, 4.2%; Austin, 5.1%; and Amarillo, 5.6%.

Areas with the highest unemploymennt rates in May included: McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, 15.5%; Brownsville-Harlingen, 12.2%; El Paso, 10.6%; and Odessa, 10.1%.



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