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News Briefs

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Weather

Day	Hi	Lo	Precip
Thu	64	33	.00
Fri	71	38	.00
Sat	68	41	.00
Sun	78	39	.00
Mon	77	39	.00
Tues	49	43	.00
Wed	--	28	.00
Total Precipitation			21.60

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Gruver P.T.A. to host Halloween Carnival

The Gruver P.T.A. will host their annual Halloween Carnival, Saturday, October 30, in the Gruver County Barn. The food booths will open at 6:00 p.m.

The costume contest will start at 7:00 p.m. The categories will be: Pre-school; kindergarten and first grade; second, third, and fourth grade; junior high; senior high; and adult.

The game booths will open from 7:30 - 10:00 p.m. The games are free and the children will be receiving candy at each booth for participating.

There will be a door prize given at each half hour. Everyone must register to be eligible for the drawing.

The Carnival Queen and Escort will be crowned at 9:00. Votes for your favorite class Queen and Escort are 1¢ each.

Candidates this year are: Senior Queen-Paul Renteria, Escort-Tracy Smith; Junior Queen-Ricky Olivas, Escort-Toby Setliff; Sophomore Queen-Wylee Maupin, Escort-Molly McLain; and Freshman Queen-Scott Stedje, and Escort-Lexy Spivey.

There will be two tables set up at each entrance for free-will donations. It is through these donations

that we are able to provide a night of cost free enjoyment for the youth of our community. It is also through your giving that the carnival is self supporting. This is not a money making project for the P.T.A., just a way of bringing our children, parents, teachers, and citizens of our community together.

The Gruver P.T.A. would like to say "Thank You" sincerely to all those who have helped with the carnival in the past and who are supporting us again this year.

Chamber to sponsor Halloween Costume Contest

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a Halloween Costume Contest for local businesses. The contest will take place on Friday, October 29 and is open to all Spearman businesses.

Prizes will be awarded for best costume and for the business with the most employees in costume. For your business to be judged in the contest you must call Cindy Blackman at the Chamber office (659-5555) by Noon Thursday, October 28.

Spearman PTA plans Halloween Carnival

The Spearman PTA is sponsoring a Halloween Carnival on Saturday, Oct. 30 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at the Hansford County Barn.

Dress up your favorite ghosts and goblins and enjoy some safe Halloween fun. Activities for this years carnival consist of food and fun. There will be nine food booths and 12 game booths at the carnival.

Foods ranging from hamburgers to caramel apples will be available. Game booths are going to be packed full of fun and laughs, especially the dunking board.

The Spearman PTA encourages everyone to bring the entire ghostly family to the County Barn Saturday for a safe evening of fun.



Don't Forget!

Set your clocks back 1 hour Saturday night. Flavil Ayers of Spearman plans on setting his mailbox clock back in observance of the time change occurring at 2 a.m. October 31.

Jump rope for heart to be held Nov. 2

The Gruver Elementary will be out and about collecting donations for The American Heart Association's annual Jump Rope for Heart. The American Heart Association is the only health organization dedicated solely to the reduction of disability and death from cardiovascular disease and stroke.

Last year Gruver Elementary raised the most money per capita for Jump Rope for Heart in Region I. Region I includes everything from Amarillo north, in Texas.

On the final day of Jump Rope for Heart, Nov 2, the children will all come together for an afternoon of fun and lots of rope jumping.

Spearman choirs to hold fall concert Tuesday, Nov. 2

Get ready Spearman, the Jr. High and High School Choirs will be in concert Tuesday, November 2, in the High School Auditorium. The fall concert will feature all of the choirs including Celebrate.

The program will consist of music from Mozart all the way to Rock and Roll. Celebrate will open the show with "Another Openin' - Another Show" at precisely 7:11 p.m. They will be followed by the 7th & 8th grade with four numbers ranging from the Baroque all the way to

the Gatlin Brothers. The 6th grade will follow with music that the honor choir will be singing on Saturday, November 6 in Amarillo.

The final 30 minutes will feature Celebrate and the Lynx Chorale members in a Rock 'n Roll Review featuring music from the 50's to the 80's. Make plans now to attend. Mark your calendars now so you won't miss the most entertaining concert of the fall season. Admission is free.

One-car roll-over occurs near Old Hansford Monday

Editors Note: Though an official report on the accident was not available at press time, a staff member was at the accident scene and notes were taken.

A one-car accident occurred near Old Hansford on Highway 15 to Gruver shortly after 5 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 25.

It was reported that a 1983 Ford Escort GL Wagon was travelling west when the driver lost control of the vehicle. The vehicle appeared to head straight for the ditch. When the vehicle reached the bar ditch it

rolled approximately one time. The car was then upright and facing east.

The cause of the accident was not available at press time; however, an unofficial report stated that a combination of the weight being hauled and running into the north wind may have contributed to the accident.

Although there were no injuries reported, the driver stated that his dog was shaken up by the incident. It was also reported that the driver was wearing his seat belt.



This 1983 Ford Escort was involved in a one-car rollover on Hwy. 15 at Old Hansford on Monday, Oct. 25. There were no injuries reported.

Spearman City Council opens bids for seal coating

by Angela Jones
Editor

The Spearman City Council opened bids for sealing the cracks at the airport and various city streets during the regular meeting held Tuesday, Oct. 19.

City Manager Kelvin Knauf stated that only one bid was received for the contract. It was from Alpha Pavement Tech. in the amount of \$23,136.60 (\$15,600, airport; and \$7,536.60, streets). Knauf stated that the bid was over budget and suggested that the amount could be negotiated with the bidder. It was stated that Dwight Brandt, the city engineer, recommended that the bid be rejected the bid and take bids again next year. Knauf recommended that the streets be repaired now, but to wait to do the airport until spring.

A discussion was held and the council decided to authorize Knauf to try and negotiate a lower price for the total bid. If a lower price can not be reached, it was decided to award the construction contract to Alpha Pavement Technology of Amarillo to crackseal the various city streets in the amount of the bid, \$7,536.60 and to rebid the airport cracksealing next spring. However, if the bidder agrees to lower his bid amount on the airport

cracksealing, the city manager is to present that amount to the city council for consideration.

In other business, the council voted to revise the personnel manual regarding pay raises involving employees that have been at the top of their pay range for one year or more. Knauf explained that their are several city employees that have been at the top of their pay range for one or two years. Under the previous policy these employees were not eligible for a pay raise. In amending the policy, those employees could be rewarded.

The revised policy states that only employees whose performance has been satisfactory will be given merit raises. The raises will not be automatic, each case will be evaluated.

Knauf added that the 1993-94 budget included a three percent merit increase for each employee; however, the raise will not be given automatically. It will be given only if their performance warrants.

Knauf, acting executive director for the housing authority, requested that the city waive the "payment in lieu of taxes". He explained that the housing authority had been taken from the tax roll several years ago and agreed to make "payment in

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Pringle-Morse students get all wrapped up in Drug Awareness Week. The students observed the week by tying red ribbons throughout the town. Front row (l-r) Heather Knox, Michelle Schick, Cresencia Monroy. Middle row: Chrissy Odneal, Arturo Delacruz. Back row: Jared Johnson. See related stories on page 2 and 8.



These Pringle-Morse students toured the Hansford County Courthouse Friday, Oct. 22. County Judge Jim Brown, attorney Cecil Biggers, and Deputy Sheriff Gary Evans answered questions and explained judicial procedures.

Hansford Hospice hearts and hands hold meeting

Hansford Hospice Hearts and Hands volunteers met on October 18, at the LaCasita Room of Gruver State Bank. Seventeen members were present. The business meeting followed with President Verna Lee Shirley reporting the recent Garage Sale was a great success with profits exceeding \$2,600. Appreciation was expressed for the extra efforts to make this our "best ever" garage sale. Items will be kept at a location on Main Street in Spearman and Sale Days will be announced at a later date. A large "billboard" sign had been built to advertise hospice activities.

Plans are being made for the observation of November as National Hospice Month. Events will include informing the public about the philosophy of the hospice program and highlighting Hansford Hospice as a vital part of our communities. There will be special recognition of our volunteers and an Open House on November 27, 2 - 4

p.m. with the lighting of our Lights of Love tree.

New officers were elected: president - Verna Lee Shirley; vice-president - Carolyn Hicks; secretary - Betty Jean Davis; treasurer - Muriel Boyd; reporter/historian - Jo Linda Hutchison; committee chairs: fund raising - Sue Gerardy; education - Carolyn Hicks; speakers bureau - Garland Hopper; hospitality - Eloise Renner; telephone - Spearman - Carole Stumpf, Gruver - to be named; special projects - Sandy Russell.

EXTRA SPECIAL APPRECIATION:

Kay Hamilton for allowing us to use the former "Kay's Cafe" building on Main Street to store and sell our garage sale items. (Kay has a way of "being there" just at the right time, she also delivered some materials to us for our gazebo project.)

George Young for building the portable "billboard" sign to adver-

tise hospice activities.

Harlan Gerardy for the use of the airport hanger for the garage sale, items are collected and stored there for several weeks before the actual day of the sale. Harlan also helped collect and handle heavy items and did lots of other jobs Sue needed him to do for our sale.

Pat Jackson for all his help with the garage sale, picking up items, moving, delivering them with his pickup and trailer. Also for helping with the plumbing at the old cafe building and helping ready it for our use.

Louis Schnell for helping us with the lights and heating at the old cafe building.

The next meeting will be November 15, 7 p.m. (time change) at First State Bank, Hospitality Room, in Spearman. Anyone interested in the hospice program, becoming a trained volunteer or a "task force" helper, please call our Director Jody Harnish at Hansford Hospital, 659-2535, Ext. 111.

All Star competition to be held Nov. 7

What little girl and her mom doesn't dream of being "Miss America" one day? Or the young man who wants to be a movie star or on the cover of a leading magazine? This could be the beginning of having that dream come true.

On Sun., Nov. 7, All Star Kids, will host a pageant at Perryton, TX. You will have the opportunity of being selected All Star Beau or Babe (Girl or Boy 0-47 mos). The babies will be presented on stage by an adult chaperon and we suggest you dress the baby in Sunday best wear. The winner of each division will receive a trophy and crown\medal and the 1st and 2nd alternate will receive a trophy. You may also enter the categories of sportswear, beautiful babe\beau, photogenic and chaperon\baby presentation and special event. The overall baby is determined by high point winner and will receive a 4'4 poster trophy, scepter, and overall banner. The age divisions for baby competition

are: 0-11 mos, 12-23 mos, 24-35 mos, and 36-47 mos. All winners are invited on to national competition to be held in Dallas, TX.

For the kids ages 4-18 yrs. we will offer beauty\beau that will consist of competing in sportswear, interview and Sunday best\formal wear. During the interview the judges will also select pretties\handsome that is separate from beauty and is based on facial features only. The judges will select model of the day during the on-stage presentation from each age division. Talent is offered to boys and girls who wish to present their talent presentation (not over 3 minutes) but this is a separate competition and you are not required to enter.

The age divisions are 4-6 yrs, 7-9 yrs, 10-12 yrs, 13-15 yrs, and 16-18 yrs. The winners in beauty\beau and talent will receive trophies, crown\medal and their entry paid to national competition and the 1st

and 2nd alternates will receive trophies. Photogenic is offered for all age divisions 0-18yrs, and we ask that you mail the photograph of your choice to our Dallas office where it will be judged by people in the print and media field that work with children. The photograph should be no larger than 8x10, color or b/w and done within the last 6 mos. The photograph will be returned to you. The All Star overall kid will be determined by the high point winner and this winner will receive a trophy, scepter and overall banner.

Join in the fun on Sunday, Nov. 7, when All Star Kids will present an opportunity to kids of all ages to pursue their dreams and also have the opportunity of advancing on to another level of competition. For more information and to receive an entry form please call (806) 354-9411 or our National Headquarters at (214) 319-STAR.

The Apostolic Faith Bible College Choir

will be in concert at the Spearman Apostolic Faith Church 9th and Dressen, Spearman, TX

Monday, Nov. 1 at 7:00 p.m.

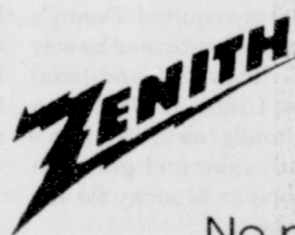
The choir is traveling through this area on their annual Fall Tour. Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy a night of uplifting music!!

All Ghosts & Goblins are invited to Trick or Treat 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Saturday Oct. 30 at the Hansford Manor

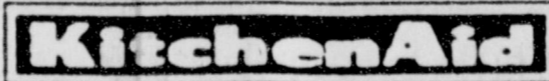
Storewide 8 hour Pre-Christmas SALE!

12 Noon until 8:00 p.m. • Tuesday, November 2nd

Pick an envelope off the tree with every purchase for additional savings off already sale priced items.

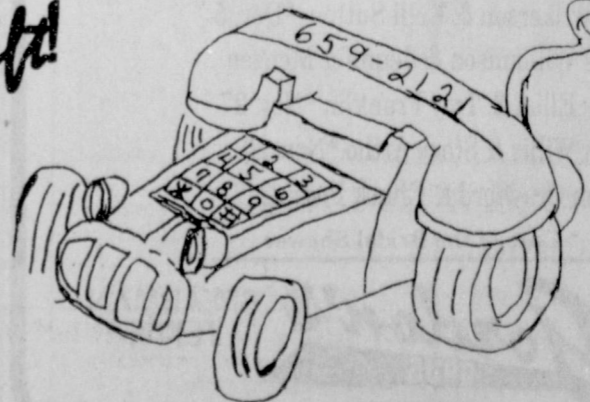


No payments until Feb. 14th with approved credit. No Finance charges if paid in full by Feb. 14th.



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Hansford Happenings

Spearman PTA's carnival is set for Sat. October 30, from 7:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. at the Hansford Co. Barn. The cost for a booth is \$15. If your club wishes to participate you are urged to respond quickly. Call Cheryl Sander at 659-2989.

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The **Gladiola Flower Club** will hold the **Annual Home Tour** Sunday, Dec. 5, from 2 to 5 p.m. Five homes are to be featured.

Extension Homemakers membership tea will be held from 3 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 7th in the clubroom on Bernice. Everyone is welcome to attend and find out about the organization. Dress casual.

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The **Gruver gifted and talented students in Mr. Mayhew's class** are arranging a **Veteran's Day program** on Nov. 11 at 2 p.m. in the auditorium.

The **Gruver High School Junior Class** will sponsor the **Second Annual Baked Potatoes on Broadway, Thursday, Nov. 11**, at 7 p.m. Tickets will cost \$5 and may be purchased from any Junior. The melo-drama "Murder Most Fowl" will be presented after the meal. Get your tickets early.

An **account has been opened at the Gruver State Bank**, P.O. Box 978, Gruver, Texas 79040, to help defray the medical expenses to **Jerry and Sandra Mills**. For information call 733-2188.

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A ribbon cutting ceremony was held Friday, Oct. 22, for J&M Auto Service in Spearman. The new business is owned by David and Cindy Pearson.

Hospital Report

October 20 - October 26

Dismissals

Wednesday - Dewayne Creel

and Inez Bennett

Thursday - none

Friday - Faye Bean

Saturday - none

Sunday - none

Monday - Myrtle Lee.

Tuesday - none.

Pringle-Morse C.I.S.D.

Observes Drug Awareness Week

by Angela Jones
Editor

Students, teachers and the administration at Pringle-Morse Consolidated Independent School District have been holding different activities throughout the week in conjunction with Drug Awareness Week.

Pringle-Morse kicked off the festivities on Monday with a Drug Program. Key speakers for the event were Gary and Nell Evans. Gary Evans, deputy, addressed the junior high students, while Nell Evans, Hansford County Pprole officer, spoke to the elementary students. Both speakers stressed making good choices.

City Council

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lieu of taxes" to the city, county and school district, but it had not generated enough revenue to make the payments.

Knauf stated that by waiving any current year and prior year payment a zero deficit could be obtained. The council approved the request.

The council endorsed the efforts of the national league of cities and the Texas Municipal League to inform citizens and inform and work

with Congress concerning the burdens that are being placed on the city finances and citizens by Federal mandates.

In regular business, the council approved the minutes, monthly fire, ambulance, police, municipal court, animal control and solid waste disposal reports. The council also approved the payment of bills in the amount of \$168,520.71.

Coffee Time

This column will appear weekly and is done in conjunction with the Spearman Chamber of Commerce.

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce Coffee Time store for this week is All Occasion Flowers.

All Occasion Flowers is located in the Plains Shopping Center and they just celebrated their first anniversary.

Don & Mary Moore purchased Adela's Flowers from Adela Lopez on October 1, 1992 & Mary operated the shop under the name Adela's Flowers until January 1, 1993 when the name was changed to All Occasion Flowers.

This name was chosen to inform the people of Hansford County in a few words what the business is all about.

Mary Moore and her staff are in business to serve the people of this county whenever there is a flower giving occasion. They also have a nice selection of gifts for all ages.

All Occasion Flowers was originally located across the street from

PLAN gives sophomores head start

Educators continue to emphasize the need to help students get an early start on thinking about their post high school plans.

American College Testing (ACT) is offering PLAN, a unique comprehensive guidance and information program for high school sophomores. Spearman High School will participate in PLAN this coming November.

PLAN includes academic tests, an assessment of study skills knowledge, and an interest inventory. Students who participate in PLAN receiving information that will help them plan for their remaining years in high school and consider career and educational goals for their life after high school. This information can help guide tenth graders in the selection of high school courses and activities.

The PLAN program will be available to all sophomores and will be offered November 2, 1993. The assessment will begin at 8:30 on Tuesday, November 2. Cost for the program is \$7.

Deadline to register and pay fee is Friday, October 29, 1993. For more information contact Margie Alford, counselor.

Video Hut just two doors north of its present location. They moved to their new location just two doors north of Alco on October 14, 1992.

Mary, Pam and Robin tell their customers, "Don't just call us; come see us!" There is always something new and different to see at All Occasion Flowers. The show windows are always a delight to the eye, especially at night.

Christmas Open House will be Sunday, November 21. Everyone is invited to come and browse.

Be sure to stop by All Occasion Flowers Friday, October 29, from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. for the Chamber of Commerce Coffee Time. Have a cup of coffee, register for a door prize and check out the sale prices on all the Fall arrangements.

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Saturday, October 30, 1993 • Starting Time: 9:00 a.m.

LOCATION: 303 Bernice, Spearman, Texas

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APPLIANCES
1 GE Heavy Duty Washing Machine
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1 Kenmore Refrig., 19.3 cu. ft. frostless
1 Maytag Dutch Oven cook stove

UPHOLSTERY EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES
1 Lochner Cushion Stuffer
1 Ford PU seat
1 Chevrolet PU seat
Several lots of upholstery vinyl
Several lots of upholstery material

ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

1 Maytag Washer round tub works	1 Singer Treadle type sewing machine w/ cabinet	1 Fan	1 Wrought Iron Bed Post
1 Large Lot of Salt & Pepper Shakers (Good Shape)	1 Damascus Sewing Machine w/ attachments	1 Vanity ench 1961 61 63 64 65 66 68	1 Hospital bed
1 L.C. Smith & Corona Cash Register	1 Mason Rotary Sewing machine	Popular Mechanics magazines	1 Dresser
1 L.C. Smith & Corona Adding Machine	1 Set of handmade dominoes	1 Wood Plane	1 Betty Crocker Steam ironing attachment in box
1 Singer Treadle Sewing Machine 29-4 leather upholstery	1 Saw set	1 Parker Glass display case	1 Wooden Iron board
2 Antique Singer Treadle Sewing machine w/case	1 Weatherman-House w/keys, witch	1 Underwood #5 Manual typewriter	7 Electric flares
1 Singer Treadle type sewing machine w/wooden case	1 1914 Pat. Milwaukee wooden chair w/rollers	1 Motorola 44, 33, 78 RPM record player cabinet style	1 Corn grinder
1 Singer Treadle type sewing machine	1 Hand bench grinder	3 Bed posts, metal	1 Large lot of Prince Albert cans w/blades
1 Singer Treadle type sewing machine	1 Stewart Warner AM Radio	1 Wrought Iron Bed Post	2 Antique hand molding planes

TOOL & SHOP EQUIPMENT

1 Belsaw saw sharpener #57399	1 Wood vise	1 Union 18" wood pine	1 6" aluminum ladder
1 B&D Drill Bit Sharpener	1 3" vise	1 Metal wood clamp	1 Air compressor
1 Ewers saw filing machine	1 5" vise	Miscellaneous C Clamps	3 Electric motors w/grinding wheels
1 Speedy compressor #875	2 work benches	1 Lot of Files	2 Saw horses
1 saw tooth cutter - Burr	7 saws	1 Lot of Pliers	1 Carpenters tool box
1 Skill belt sander w/belts	1 lot of Hardwood Lumber	1 ax	1 5" bench grinder
1 Thorn 1/2" electric drill	1 7" straight edge	1 Bostitch Stapling Pliers w/staplers	2 Bolt cutters
1 Circular saw set	1 Nut & screw assortment	2 Small Wood lathes	1 Dolly
1 lot of circular saw blades	1 Lot of Hand tools	5 Boxes of welding rods	1 4-drawer bins

MISCELLANEOUS

2 Ceramic Grate Gas Stove Heaters	1 Large Lot of Plaster of Paris figurines	1 4-drawer file cabinet w/key	2 shop brooms
1 Zenith 28" color TV	1 Desk	1 Brydland guitar w/out neck w/case	1 Electric fencer
1 Rheem Hot Water Heater	1 Telescoping tri-pod	2 Office chairs on rollers	1 wooden gun rack in box
1 Payne Heating Unit Central	1 Bar stool	1 Smith Corona manual typewriter	1 couch
1 Rear Tire Rototiller	1 Dr. Pepper Clock	1 Nutone cooking stove vent	2 beds
4 Lawn Mowers		1 Lot of shovels and rakes	1 military trunk

For Information Please Call

TERMS: Cash or check with proper ID day of sale. Settlement must be made day of sale. All descriptions of items are believed to be correct, but in no way, a warranty or guarantee. All items sold "As is, Where is" on the personal inspection of the purchaser. All announcements sale day are final and have priority. We are not responsible in case of accidents. Buyer will be responsible for merchandise when bought.

Real Estate will be sold by private treaty

113 N. James - House - 2 Bedroom - small basement - separate double garage - large work area - lot 175' x 172' - OUT Lot 9 - Spearman, Tx.	212 N. James - South Hall Out Lot 8, Lot 170 x 175'.
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Charlene Duke
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BUILDING - 303 Bernice - 30'x60' concrete block - 10' x 9' overhead door - 10' ceiling - on 30' x 140' Lot 6 Block 18, Original town of Spearman

You may preview the property on October 25, 26, 27, 1993 from 4-7 p.m. If you have any question on the property please call Bruce or Sharon Bailey (806)659-2458

At the movies...

Showing at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman Friday, Oct. 29, through Tuesday, Nov. 2, are "Undercover Blues" on screen #1 at 7:45 p.m. and "The Fugitive" held over on screen #2 at 7:30 p.m.

"Undercover Blues" stars Kathleen Turner and Dennis Quaid. It is directed by Herb Ross. This action packed comedy is a show you won't want to miss. Turner and Quaid are a pair of married spies on maternity leave in New Orleans. Their vacation soon turns to work when their boss shows up with evidence of an international terrorist ring, a stolen arms shipment and more danger than you can shake a diaper pin at. One is an undercover agent, one is a martial arts specialist and one needs changed. This is a must see espionage comedy.

"The Fugitive", an action packed drama, stars Harrison Ford. Tommy Lee Jones co-stars. It is directed by Andrew Davis. "The Fugitive" is based on the role David Janssen made famous in the downbeat teledrama, which ran from 1963-67. Dr. Richard Kimball (Ford) is unjustly sentenced to die for the murder of his wife. When the train carrying him to the death house derails en route he escapes his captors. Now, he must find the mysterious "one-armed man" he saw fleeing from the scene of the crime before the police catch up to him.

At The Lyric Theatre...

Friday, Oct. 29 - Tuesday, Nov. 2

Bargain Nights Mon. & Tue. All Seats \$3

Closed Wednesday & Thursday

SCREEN 1 • 7:45 PM SCREEN 2 • 7:30 PM

**Undercover
Blues**

**The
Fugitive**

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**The Hansford
County
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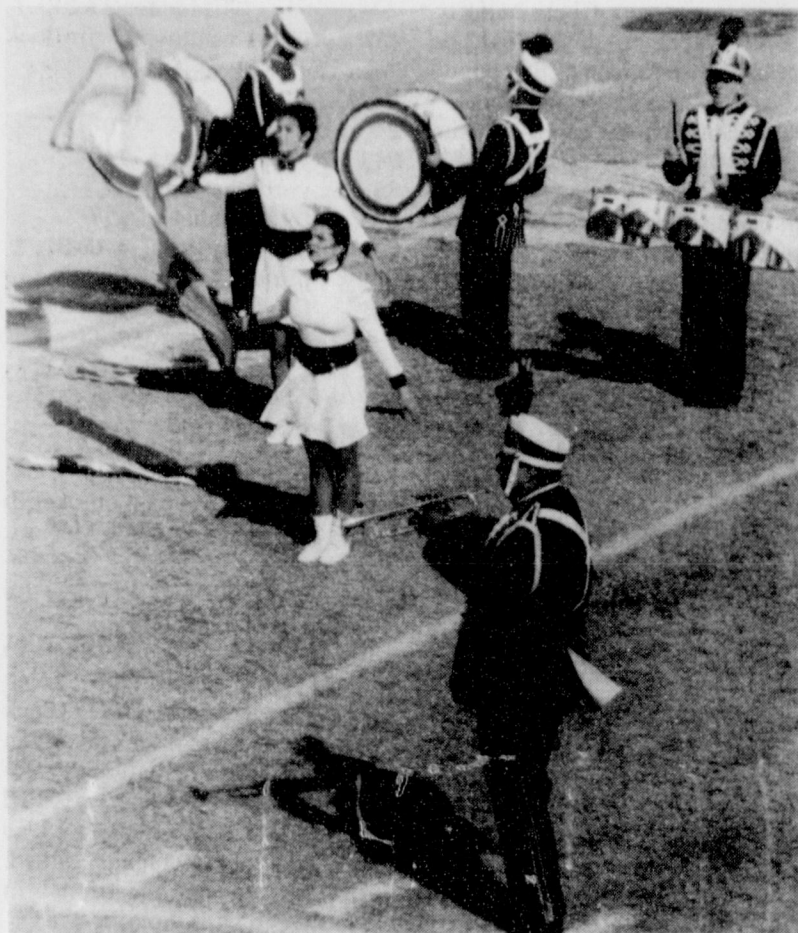
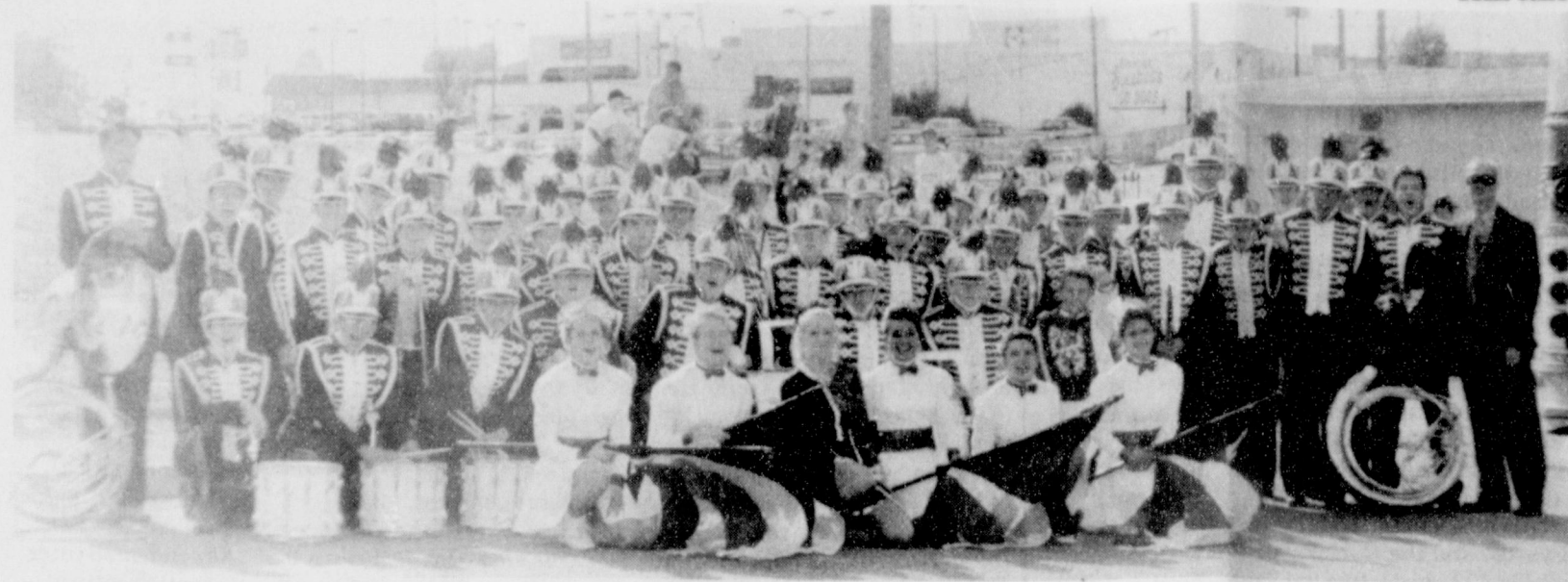
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Congratulations!

LEFT - Junior Rivera performs a solo at the UIL Marching Contest Saturday, October 23 in Borger. The group made a rating of "excellent". ABOVE - Members of the Gruver Band along with director Todd Parker pose for a group photo following their performance.

Gruver Band makes "excellent" rating at UIL Marching Contest

The Gruver High School Band traveled to Borger Saturday, October 23, to compete in the Region I UIL Marching Contest. The band, under the direction of Todd Parker, put on an outstanding performance and were awarded a rating of two which means excellent. The rating system goes from one to five with one being superior. The forty-seven students who attended were: Khristie Aguilar, Erica Alvarez, Ana Arreola, Juan Arreola, Rosalia Arreola, Autumn Bateman, Erica Blount, Daniel Bort, Joe Bravo, Macee Casdorff, Cody Cazares, Anna Lisa Cruz, John Duncan, Stephanie Gaines, Terra Gamble, Laura Garcia,

Monica Garcia, Laura Gilleland, Bridgett Griffin, Crystal Gruver, Gabby Hernandez, Kevin Harris, Kristi Harris, Roland Herrera, Brandea Hicks, Darby Johnson, Justin Johnson, Justion Kent, Hailey Lamb, Victor Luciano, Kevin McNett, Kyle McNett, Manuel Morales, Andy Morris, Brandy Morris, Erik Pando, Kristy Pittman, Junior Rivera, Amber Roberts, Autumn Roberts, Jody Robinson, Kevin Rodriguez, Kathy Slough, Ricardo Soto, Jeanne Swink, Raul Villegas, and Toby Setliff, Drum Major. Performing a solo during the competition was Junior Rivera. Congratulations to the Gruver Band!

Crawford and Picciuti Announce engagement

Mr. and Mrs. John David Crawford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Janet Diane to Charles Anthony Picciuti of San Antonio, Texas. Janet is the daughter of the late Hester Sue Crawford and the granddaughter of Mrs. Ott Crawford and Mrs. Woodie Beck of Spearman.



The couple met at the Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville, Texas, where they have both worked for several summers. Chuck is currently employed by American Airlines as a reservation clerk. Janet is a senior at Texas A&M University and plans to graduate in May with an Elementary Education Degree.

The wedding is planned for January 1, 1994, in the Chapel at the Texas Lions Camp. The wedding shower in Spearman is being hosted by Mrs. Bob Pearson. There is a wedding shower for the couple on November 6, in the Texas A&M Church of Christ at College Station.

Birth announcement

Mr. Dirk and Shelly Smith are pleased to announce the birth of Samuel Dalton Smith. Samuel was born on September 29, 1993. He weighed 9 lbs, 5 oz. and was 21" long. Grandparents are Bill and Verna Strawn.



The first synthetic dye was discovered accidentally in 1856 by the English chemist William H. Perkin. This dye, called mauve, is pale purple and was produced when Perkin tried to make quinone from a coal tar product called aniline.

Angie Mitchell to speak Nov. 10

Angie Mitchell, Christian counselor and conference and seminar speaker will be speaking in Gruver Wednesday, November 10th from 12:00 noon to 1:30 p.m. at the Golden Age Center. The event is sponsored by the Gruver Christian Women's Fellowship. All area women are encouraged to attend. Admission is free. A nursery is also provided, free of charge.

Mitchell's presentation for Nov. 10 is titled, "Forgive and Forget". Mitchell explains, "Everyone has been hurt, but has it been difficult for you to forgive? Have you been told to 'give it to the Lord' but you find it right back in your lap? Unfortunately, forgiveness doesn't mean lack of total recall. Some things hurt so deeply that 'pat' answers won't work. The Bible does have guidelines and help . . . to forget those things which are behind and reach forward to those things which are ahead." Philippians 3:13.

Angie Mitchell brings to her conferences and seminars an openness and transparency that comes from a life style of reaching out to hurting people. She is a friendly outgoing speaker who is willing to share her experiences about how God has healed, strengthened, and helped her. Having experienced a painful childhood and coming to know Jesus Christ as a youth, she is now study-

ing, growing, and developing that personal relationship with Him through God's word.

After 16 years of walking the Christian life, Angie was struck with a neuro-muscular problem that affected her right arm and back for almost three years. Questions began like, "Why, God?" and "Where are you, God?" Then came the big one, "If God is all-knowing and all-loving, then where was He: especially in my childhood?" Changes and problems happen to everyone and sometimes we do have questions. In learning to live with the pain and the changes in life style, Angie committed herself to God's care and the lessons He wanted to teach her. God brought joy, intimacy, and wisdom of His ways through that pain and experience.

God has given opportunities to share her messages on His sufficiency and strength at women's conferences in Europe, South America and the United States. She is a dedicated children's teacher and has taught music at children's camps in Poland, and vacation Bible schools in Russia and South America. Angie has been a children's choir specialist and conference leader for the Texas Church Music Department, and has devoted her volunteer time to teaching aerobics and music at Girlstown, as well as having served as Chaplain to Cal Farley's Family

Program.

Presently, Angie is a professional counselor certified by the American Association of Christian Counselors and is completing a masters degree in counseling with an emphasis in theology. She is a graduate of Advanced CLASS (Christian Leaders and Speakers Seminars) taught by Florence Littauer and is recommended by their speakers' services.

Among the precious gifts God has given Angie are her husband of over twenty years, Leon; daughters, Kimberly and Kristen; and son, Caleb. She says, "My greatest pleasure is in discovering the truth of God's Word and how it applies to EVERYDAY LIFE!"

Mitchell speaks on several topics and is fast becoming a well-known Panhandle Christian speaker. Mitchell is from Borger, Texas.

The Gruver Christian Women's fellowship is newly founded and involves women from every church in Gruver. All area women in and around Hansford County are urged to attend this and other events sponsored by the Hand In Hand - Gruver Christian Women's Fellowship.

Meetings are 1) come and go (as your own schedule permits); 2) come as you are, and 3) bring your own sack lunch (coffee and tea are provided).

Lunch Menu

Pringle-Morse C.I.S.D. Nov. 1 - Nov. 5

Lunch: Monday - Enchilada, rice, beans, salad, milk, cookie.; Tuesday - Chicken strips, potatoes - gravy, green beans, salad, milk, fruit.; Wednesday - Hamburger, tator tots, milk, baked apples.; Thursday - Ham, broccoli, cheese & rice casserole, corn, salad, rolls, milk, cake.; Friday - Stromboli, french fries, salad, milk, ice cream.

Breakfast: Monday - Muffins, toast, juice, milk.; Tuesday - cinnamon rolls, cheese toast, juice, milk.; Wednesday - Pancakes, sausage, juice, milk.; Thursday - Cereal, cinnamon toast, juice, milk.; Friday - Eggs, toast, juice, milk

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You are invited to a Baby Shower for Ashley Hagerman infant daughter of Hank and DeNetta (Booth) Hagerman Saturday Oct. 30 - 2:00 to 3:30 in the home of Aubrey Rasor 105 Van Kurt • Gruver, Tx. Selections at Alco & Gruver Merchants

"If I could give the world a gift" PTA to sponsor cultural arts program

The Spearman PTA is offering the children and youth of Spearman an opportunity to participate in the National PTA Reflections program. Since 1969, Reflections has encouraged hundreds of students to explore the cultural arts by expressing their thoughts and feelings through the visual arts, music, photography and literature.

The 1993-94 theme is "IF I COULD GIVE THE WORLD A GIFT". Children may interpret the theme in any way they feel appropriate, but the theme must be reflected in their work. If the work does not clearly relate to "IF I COULD GIVE THE WORLD A GIFT", the theme must be used in the title or subtitle of the entry. Only new pieces of art, inspired by the theme and created solely by the child, are acceptable.

Any child attending Spearman schools is eligible to participate. Five age divisions - Pre-school, Primary (grades 1-3), Intermediate (grades 4-6), Junior High (grades 7-9), and Senior High (grades 10-12) - will be recognized for each of four art categories. The following is a list of the art categories and an abbreviated list of rules:

VISUAL ARTS - (including print making, painting, drawing, collages and needlework). Art work must be two-dimensional, cannot be larger than 24x30" including mat, and must be mounted (not framed).

PHOTOGRAPHY - (single prints, black and white or color, from any type camera). Prints must be mounted (not framed) and no larger than 11x14" including mat.

LITERATURE - (fiction or non-fiction)—includes drama, poetry, prose, short stories, and song lyrics. Entries must be handwritten or typed by the student. Disabled children or those younger than second grade may dictate to another person, but the child's grammar or form of speech may not be changed. Entries are evaluated solely on literary content and must not be over 11x14".

MUSIC - (original music scores, with or without words) Intermediate through Senior High age divisions must submit entries on non-spiral, standard music paper and is strongly advised that a tape of the composition be submitted together with the music manuscript. Primary and younger must submit a music cassette.

Only one entry per art category will be accepted from a participant, but all four categories may be entered. Participants will be chosen by qualified local selection committees to advance to District level. Entries will be evaluated on the basis of creative ability, originality and expression of the theme "IF I COULD GIVE THE WORLD A GIFT". Each entry must be accompanied by an official entry form. A complete list of rules and entry

forms may be obtained from Dixie Smith, Elementary teacher; Brenda Pierson, Junior High teacher; Dwayne Mitchell, High School teacher; or by calling PTA Cultural Arts chairperson Kristine Cleveland at 659-2825. Entries are being collected by these persons also. Deadline is January 14, 1994.

Every child and youth who submits an entry in the Reflections program will be recognized with a ribbon and certificate. The Knack Shopp, Video Hut and Mur Murs have made prize donations for those advancing to the District level.



In observance of Drug Awareness Week, these third grade students in Mrs. Thompson's class at Gus Birdwell Elementary signed a pledge Tuesday, Oct 26, promising to be drug free. Police Chief Joe Raper witnessed the signing. The signed scroll will be hung at Spearman City Hall.

Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

It was a sad occasion last Thursday when Lloyd Buzzard was laid to rest at Hansford Cemetery.

When word of his passing came, the reaction was the same with each person, whether it was in the grocery store, service station, office, courthouse - The same sentiment the worded differently "He was a fine man"; "There was no finer man"; "A man of his word"; He was a man that could be counted on.

It is admirable that a man would live so that his passing brought words of respect as well as sorrow.

The community extends sincere sympathy to his family.

It is a pleasure to meet and welcome the affable Ed Lee, the new manager of Alco. He took over the management on October 1st. He comes to Spearman from Newton, Kansas, however he is a native of Clinton, Oklahoma.

Mr. Lee has been in the merchandising field for 12 yrs. the only a year with Alco. His family consists of a daughter in Stewart, Florida; a daughter in Embarras, Minnesota; and a daughter in Clinton.

When time permits, he enjoys the outdoors, especially hunting and fishing. He lives at 501 Cooke and his church preference is Church of Christ.

Mr. Lee states that he is looking forward to working in Spearman and welcomes store patrons to meet him.

Sybil and Billy Miller visited his sister, Elizabeth Miller, for four days at Sabetha, Kansas. She is in good health and spirits and inquired after many old friends in Spearman.

Sabetha is on the border of Iowa and Missouri so the Millers toured the flood-stricken Missouri Valley Area. The devastation is pitiful and the people have cleaned as much as possible, the debris is piled on vacant lots - high piles of everything imaginable - including refrigerators, stoves all kinds of household appliances and furnishings. The high water marks are very visible on all the buildings, and the rural areas are desolate. A banker told Billy that much of the once rich agricultural land, valued at 1800 per acre, is covered with five feet of sand - that is five feet,

not five inches. During the days the Millers were in the valley, the weather was dismal, foggy, rainy, misty - preventing any dry out.

29 locals hopped on a chartered bus last Friday night and, joined by eight in Amarillo, had an enjoyable weekend trip to Colorado. They stayed in Colorado Springs, and went to Cripple Creek during the day. One morning there was snow but it caused no difficulty. They returned late Sunday night.

Cripple Creek lived up to its reputation - so one might say that the weekend was fun-filled until it was fun faded!

Betty and Chalmers are enjoying an extended visit of her mother, Mrs. Clea Douglas. She is from Gateway, Arkansas and they expected to take her home the last of the week.

Gloria Knox spent the last weekend in Amarillo with her brother Bill Hogarth and family.

Don was gone for several days during which he had three pleasant accomplishments - having quality time with son Danny, enjoyed the vast variety in Texas topography, vegetation and wild life, and a successful dove hunt.

He drove to Odessa last Wednesday and he and Danny left the next morning for Ozona. Danny who is a chemical engineer made several business stops at industrial plants which were experiencing difficulties, including Del Rio. Back in San Antonio, they met a business associate from Corpus Christi. After the conference they joined a few friends and went dove hunting near Pleasanton. They were pleased with their bag.

Other places required Danny's attention and they returned by way of Junction. They did additional hunting near Crane. In Odessa on Sunday the family celebrated Don's birthday with cake and gifts. He returned home on Monday for his actual birthday.

Billy Jeff Hawkins drove to Ranger during the weekend. He and his cousin of Graham made arrangements for the upcoming deer season on November 6th.

Mrs. Inez Bennett showed spirit that belies her 93 years as she turned Friday after having a pacemaker implanted Thursday in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Earlier in the week she had fallen after fainting at home and was hospitalized in Hansford Hospital for several days. She feels well and back to normal. Niece Wina Reese is keeping an eye on her.

All those 16 state amendments are being voted on - and one, No. 4, is a little tricky. Perhaps intentionally - one might think NO vote would be against having a Texas state income tax - but a NO vote is against voter approval before the tax could be levied - and if ever is, the proceeds would be used only for education.

Betty and James Pugh are back from a weeks visit with their daughter, Angela and Bobby Shuler and little Jeffrey. They live at Citra, near Ocala, Florida. The Pughs flew to Orlando. During the week, they all toured places of interest including St. Augustine. James thinks at last he saw something older than he - St. Augustine is the oldest city in the U.S. and has many places of historical interest.

The weather was hot and humid and it was a relief to get back to dry winds.

Mr. and Mrs. Var Buskirk spent the weekend in Oklahoma City. Their 11 year old grandson, Chance, had undergone a bone marrow transplant in the treatment of his leukemia. He has been ill with it for three years.

Virginia Head with Delinda McLaughlin, and children Dana, Brian and Kyle had a pleasant weekend in Lubbock. They met Ronnie Head and his family of Carlsbad and his family and all attended the ballgame. Since Tech won, it was a fine game.

On Monday Virginia went to Pampa to attend the open house of the Sheltered Workshop Group. This is an organization that deals with handicapped persons and she was much impressed with it.

Eulalie and W.R. Greever returned from a weeks visit with their

daughter and family, Helen and David Batson, at Plano. Both grandchildren are now in college.

During their stay, there were some night-long terrific electrical storms and a deluge of rain. On their return trip, they drove in heavy rain until they reached Wheeler and it abruptly stopped.

Gertrude Archer, had she chosen, couldn't ignore her birthday on Sunday. Her daughter, Patton Ann and Dick Hamilton, with daughter Cristi of Lubbock showed up for the weekend.

Also coming to help the birthday observance was her other daughter, Sue and husband Bob Williams of Sun Lake, Arizona.

Sara Dossett attended the funeral service for Mr. Dossett, her brother-in-law last Wednesday. He lived in McPherson, Kansas and the services were at Tribune, Kansas. Buddy Dossett flew up from Harlingen and accompanied Sara. She took him back to the airport in Amarillo on Thursday.

The Reverend Wesley and Beth Daniels left on Wednesday for their home in Breckenridge where they have lived since his retirement.

They had been on a trip thru Missouri and Arkansas, enjoying the Precious Moments Museum at Carthage, Missouri and the Passion Play at Eureka Springs, Arkansas and stopped here to visit their daughters and families - Lynn and Joey Woolley and Beckie and Reagan Baker.

Another daughter, Thel and James Lemons, unexpectedly joined them as the death of James' father, Louis Lemons, occurred on Sunday. They flew in from Travis Air Force Base in California where he is stationed.

Reverend Daniels was a pastor of the First Methodist Church here a number of years ago.

LaQuita and Jim Evans have been vacationing in Arizona. They drove thru to Grand Canyon and spent some time at Lake Havasu City where the London Bridge is.

Jim, thinking he went for a change and rest, probably learned that the bellhops got the change, and the hotels got the rest.

Thank You
I would like to thank everyone for all the prayers, prayer-grams, cards, donations, and support during my time of surgery and continuing recovery. It is very much appreciated.
Wesley & Pat Brown

Boy Scouts to hold banquet in Perryton

The Lone Wolf District Boy Scout leaders and volunteers will hold their annual recognition banquet at the Perryton Club in Perryton on November, 20 at 7:30 p.m. Reservations are required and can be made by mailing the \$8 per person ticket cost, along with your name and address to the Golden Spread Council Office 401 Tascosa Road, Amarillo, 79124; or by calling (806) 358-6500. All interested Scout leaders, volunteers and interested parents are invited and encouraged to attend. The deadline for reservations is November 12.

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Our Sincere appreciation goes out to everyone for the many cards, flowers, and phone calls during Lloyd's illness.

Our deepest thanks to each of you for all the concern, love, thoughts and prayers.

Dorothy Latty, Kim & Matt Taylor Travis & Shayla Buzzard



Clay Scribner (65) and Shawn Moore (21) clear the way for ball carrier Chad Wilkerson in Friday's game against Highland Park. Photo courtesy of Allen Varnon

Gruver rodeo team members place at Tri-State H.S. Rodeo

by Angela Jones
Editor

Three members of the Gruver Rodeo Team recently competed at the River Road Tri-State Rodeo in Canyon Saturday, Oct. 23, and brought home honors in various events.

Jana McCloy placed in two events. She was third in the

breakaway roping with a time of 4.559 seconds. Sequin Downey of Canyon turned in the fast time, roping her calf in 3.598 seconds to win the event.

Jana also placed in the goat tying event. She threw and tied the goat in 12.504 seconds to bring home sixth place.

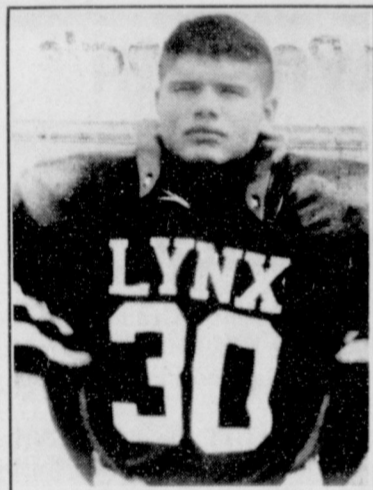
Sahala McCloy also placed in the goat tying. She earned the second place honors with a time of 11.133. The event was won by Chasity Rickman of Hereford with a time of

8.435 seconds.

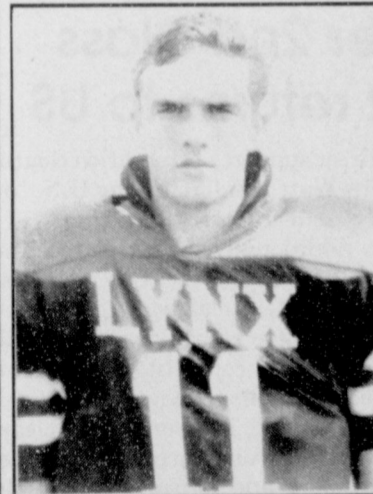
In the pole bending, Shanna Jarvis turned in a time of 21.090 seconds. This time was fast enough to place her fifth in the event. Julie Richardson of Wheeler took home the first place check with a time of 20.548 seconds.

Randall High School is sponsoring the next Tri-State High School Rodeo. It will be held at the Sheriff's Posse Arena in Canyon on Saturday, Oct. 30. Performances will be held at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Spearman Lynx announce players of the week



Offense
Radar Garcia



Defense
Jason Varnon

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Lynx smash Hornets, 62-8

by Angela Jones
Editor

The Spearman Lynx smashed the Highland Park Hornets, 62-8, Friday, Oct. 22 at Lynx Stadium.

When the Lynx took the field they were fired up and ready to play, scoring 36 points in the first half.

Brandon Vanderburg got the Lynx on the scoreboard with a six yard touchdown run. Dee Mayfield successfully kicked the PAT. The Lynx were ahead 7-0.

Vanderburg scored again on a 65 yard run. Mayfield again kicked a successful PAT. But Vanderburg wasn't through yet. He scored his third touchdown on a 4 yard run. Mayfield's successful PAT brought the Lynx to 21 points for the first quarter. The Hornets remained scoreless.

In the second, Cory Lesly caught a 6 yard pass from Jason Varnon. Mayfield kicked a successful PAT. The Lynx continued their offensive

passing attack and Toby Thompson caught a 34 yard pass from Varnon. The two-point conversion was successful with a pass from Thompson to Radar Garcia.

In the third quarter, defense dominated the game with neither team scoring.

Highland Park finally came alive at the beginning of the fourth quarter. They scored their only touchdown on a 10 yard pass. The two-point conversion was successful. The Hornets were on the scoreboard with eight points.

This sparked another offensive attack by the Lynx. Varnon led the attack with a 35 yard punt return and a successful Mayfield PAT. Chad Wilkerson caught a four yard pass from Varnon to score, but the PAT failed.

Then Mayfield returned an interception 40 yards for another Lynx touchdown, and successfully kicked the PAT. Thompson made the final touchdown of the game on a nine yard run. The PAT failed.

In rushing, the Lynx recorded 317 yards on 42 carries. Wilkerson lead the Lynx averaging 15.8 yards a carry. He recorded 63 yards on four carries. Varnon followed, averaging 8.9 yards on 14 carries for 125 yards. Garcia averaged 7.7 yards on seven carries for 54 yards. Varnon averaged 5.8 yards on eight carries for 46 yards.

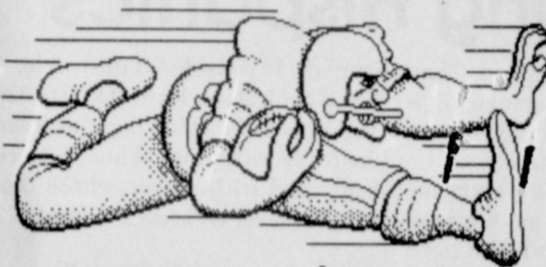
Shawn Moore averaged four yards on six carries for 24 yards. Mayfield recorded four yards on one carry, while Thompson had one yard on two carries.

In passing, Varnon completed four of seven passes for 80 yards and three touchdowns. Thompson completed one-of-one for three yards.

On the defense, the Lynx recorded 56 assisted tackles and 23 unassisted tackles. They recovered two fumbles and had three interceptions.

The Spearman Lynx will be playing Boys Ranch at Boys Ranch at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 29.

FOOTBALL CONTEST



--RULES--RULES--RULES--

1. In each advertiser's box you will find the name of a team playing this weekend. Circle the team you think will win.
2. In the last box you will see a place to enter what you think will be the point spread for that particular game. This will be the tie breaker.
3. Fill in your name, address and phone number (please print) and sign the entry.
4. Entries in Spearman may be turned in at the Reporter-Statesman Office. Gruver Residents may turn in their entries at the Gruver City Hall or mail them to Box 458 • Spearman, Tx. 79081. **Deadline for entries is 5 p.m. Friday and mailed entries must have an official U.S. Post Office postmark dated no later than Friday.** Winners will be picked on Monday mornings after mail delivery.
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JV Greyhounds win thriller to go 8-0

by Bob Bort

Quarterback Bailey Barkley hit Daniel Bort in the end zone with a pass on a 4th and goal play from the 4-yard line with 1:10 left in the ball game this past Thursday night at Stinnett for a thrilling come-from-behind 12-7 victory over the West Texas Comanches JV. It was a gutsy performance by number 22, freshman Jarrod Hoel, that led to the victory.

Hoel had been stymied throughout the evening, thanks in large part to some great tackling by the Comanches, but he broke through for a 46 yard run on the game winning drive to place the ball at the 5 yard line. That last drive that won the game was an 80-yard 10 play drive.

For the game, Hoel had 103 yards on 18 carries. Travis Ferguson added 49 yards on 5 carries, and Bort 27 yards on 5 carries.

The Hounds, with the victory, now go to 8 victories and 0 losses on the season. They will play the Guymon JV this week at Guymon on Thursday, Oct. 28, then will close

the season with the Sunray Bobcats at home in Greyhound Stadium.

The Hounds took advantage of a big, big play to score their first touchdown. West Texas was in the opening possession, when the ball was stripped by Hoel, and freshman Scott Stedje recovered the big fumble. It was one of three fumbled recoveries on the evening for the Hounds. Andy Morris recovered one fumble, and Galen Slough also recovered a fumble - that one at the Hounds 20-yard line as West Texas was driving for the icing on the cake with a 7-6 lead. It was then that the Hounds drove 80 yards for the game winning touchdown.

After the fumble recovery by Stedje, it was a short 3-play drive from the 30 yard line. Bort ran 18, Hoel 2, and then Barkley hit Tye Womble in the left corner of the end zone for the 10-yard touchdown pass with 7:41 left in the first quarter. The conversion run failed.

The Hounds were set to receive the ball again in good field position, when a roughing the kicker penalty really turned the momentum

around. Though the Comanches didn't score until the third quarter, they had the momentum from midway through the first quarter.

Just when it appeared the Hounds had the Comanches stopped with a 4th and goal at the 3 yard line, they managed to come through for the touchdown on a running play that was fumbled, but picked up and run in. The kick was good, and WT led 7-6. That set the stage for the late heroics.

The Hounds rushed 34 times for 173 yards, and the Comanches 33 times for 133 yards. In total yardage the Hounds had 203 to the Comanches 155. In passing yardage, Barkley was 4-7 for 19 yards, and Hoel 1-1 for 11 yards.

Hoel iced the game with an interception in the last minute of play, run back 21 yards to the WT 25-yard line, where Barkley ran out the clock by kneeling down a couple of times. It was a super-exciting victory for the Hounds.

Gruver 6 0 0 6 - 12
West Texas 0 0 7 0 - 7
GRU WTX
6 0

Tye Womble 10 pass fm Bailey Barkley (run failed)
3-yard run (kick good)
Daniel Bort 4 pass fm Barkley (run failed)

Gruver on roller coaster ride

Comanches beat Hounds 47-0

by Bob Bort

One week after the Hounds put forth an outstanding effort against the tough Stratford Elks in a 14-11 loss, the Gruver team was devastated 47-0 by a team they should have beaten. Two plays made all the difference in the world.

The Comanches took the opening kickoff and moved the ball out to the 35 yard line, where they began a 65 yard 8 play drive to score with 9:05 left in the first quarter, with a 7-0 lead. But the Hounds immediately came back.

Quarterback Jace Dawson led the Hounds down the field after they took the kickoff and moved out to the 34 yard line. The Hounds quickly moved 56 yards to the ten yard line of the Comanches, where the first of the two big plays that did in the Hounds occurred. It was an interception at the goal line by Dean Parks of the Comanches, and returned 90 yards all the way to the

10 yard line of the Hounds. The West Texas team immediately scored for a 13-0 lead.

Then on the kickoff, the second big play occurred. The ball was wind blown and short, and the Comanches recovered their own kickoff at the Hounds 30 yard line. Again they quickly scored for a 21-0 lead, and the game was over. The Hounds were demoralized and couldn't come back, while the Stinnett team kept adding to their lead.

Parks had 120 yards on 11 carries at the quarterback position, and running back Chris Monden had 112 yards on 13 carries. The Comanches out rushed the hounds 317-140.

The Hounds now are 2-3 in the district, with an overall record of 3-3-1. They have this week off, then will close the season at Sunray in two weeks.

West Texas 28 6 7 6 - 47
Gruver 0 0 0 0 - 0

WTX	GRU	
7	0	Watson 32 pass from Parks (Monden kick)
13	0	DeLuna 1 run (kick failed)
21	0	DeLuna 4 run (Monden run)
28	0	Watson 14 pass from Parks (Monden kick)
34	0	Parks 42 run (kick failed)
41	0	Monden 35 interception return (Monden kick)
47	0	Sullivan 3 run (kick failed)
WTX	GRU	
24		first down 10
317		yards rushing 140
88		yards passing 37
405		total offense 177
6-9-0		comp/att/int 4-12-3
0-0		punts/avg 6-16.5
4-2		fumble/lost 4-3
3-40		penalties/yards 4-33

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Gruver hounds junior high roundup

by Bob Bort

The two junior high teams were both involved in very exciting close ball games. The 7th grade lost a tough one 22-20, and the 8th grade fought the Comanches to a 12-12 tie.

In the 7th grade game, the Hounds fell behind in the 1st quarter 3-0, but quarterback Jason TeBeest hit Jim Potts for a 68-yard TD pass in the second quarter, and TeBeest also threw to Potts for the two-point conversion and an 8-6 lead. But that was nothing compared to the last three minutes of the game, when four touchdowns were scored.

The Comanches scored with 2:54 left in the game, and got the two-

point conversion for a 14-8 lead. Then the fireworks started. Chase Carter, number 61, returned the kickoff 61 yards all the way for a touchdown. The conversion pass failed, but they were tied at 14-14.

But the Comanches came back quickly and scored with 1:13 left in the game, and with the two-point conversion, led 22-14. But again the kickoff was returned was returned all the way, 61 yards, this time by number 68 Dustin Ross with 1:02 left in the game. But the conversion pass failed, and the final was 22-20.

A couple of excellent tackles were turned in by number 60, Luke Johnson, and also by Ross. It was a tough loss, but a solid effort.

In the 8th grade game, Gruver

took the lead in the first quarter 6-0 on a 9-yard run by Kyle McNett. But later in the quarter, the Comanches tied it 6-6. Both times the conversion failed.

In the second quarter, the Hounds took the lead again 12-6 on a 25-yard pass from quarterback Brant Armes to Cesar Garcia. Again the conversion failed. The Comanches answered in the third quarter to tie it again at 12-12, as their conversion attempt also failed.

Gruver's defense did the job in the fourth quarter, holding the Comanches without a point on a couple of late drives.

The 7th grade and 8th grade teams will be open this week prior to closing the season with the Sunray Bobcat teams.

Lady Hounds CC bound for Regionals

by Bob Bort

The Gruver Lady Hounds cross country team made a strong showing at the district 1-AA cross country meet at Stratford this past Monday Oct. 25, finishing second to state-ranked Stratford by only nine points, and garnering the 3rd, 5th and 6th spots in the individual standings. Julie Meyer finished 3rd, Tisha Ralston 5th, and Myriam Alvarez 6th. The top two teams in each district advance to regionals, thus the Lady Hounds cross country season will continue. Lady Hounds coach Steve Myatt was pleased.

"I was really proud of the girls,"

said Myatt. He continued, "That's the best we've run since Lubbock last year. We ran a smart race. The first half mile the course ran straight into a strong north wind, and we were smart to get in behind other runners and let them take the brunt of the wind."

Myatt went on, "Molly beat the Sunray and West Texas third place runners, and I knew then that we had done well. The Lady Hounds pride really showed. It's been about a month process - we didn't just decide to run well now. The girls had a team meeting in Amarillo, and decided they just weren't running like they could. But their work habits really showed at the district

meet." Myatt continued, "As long as we run to our potential, close to 100% of potential, then if we don't win, we can still say we did our best. Stratford is the overwhelming favorite - they are number two ranked in the state. At Lubbock, Sundown, Springlake-Earth, Idalou, Abernathy, Panhandle and Stratford will be our competition, and only three go to Austin. Stratford is the overwhelming favorite."

Myatt concluded, "Reaching your potential is always the number one goal. We're going to try to beat the Stratford girls again, and run a smart race again, and we're a good longshot. We have a good tradition, with four straight trips to Georgetown these past four years. Julie and Tisha are strong and consistent. Wendy is running on a turned ankle. Myriam has asthma problems, and really toughs it out. Molly has taken over the roll of our fifth runner, and I am proud of her. The Lady Hounds pride is really showing."

The Lady Hounds will now be competing in the Region I Class AA Meet in Lubbock on Saturday, Nov. 6.

Team Standings: 1. Stratford 29; 2. Gruver, 38; 3. West Texas 64; 4. Sunray, 88. **Individual Placings:** 3. Julie Meyer, 13:54; 5. Tisha Ralston, 14:04; 6. Myriam Alvarez, 14:17; 11. Wendy Rodriguez 14:45; 15. Molly McLain 15:01; 19. Jonie Hart, 15:16; and 23. Tara Shapley 15:59



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Gruver plans Veterans Day program

The gifted and talented students in Mr. Mayhew's class is arranging a Veteran's Day program on Nov. 11, at 2 p.m. in the auditorium. If you are a U.S. Veteran, please call the Gruver Junior High at 733-2081. They would like to gather information regarding your years of service. Any memorabilia that you would like to share, will be on display at the program. The Veterans and community is invited to this special tribute.

The sixth grade class in Gruver Jr. High is currently emphasizing Egypt in their studies. The teachers are implementing a TEAM approach in teaching. They meet daily to discuss and share concepts they are teaching in their subjects. A common theme is planned and each teacher incorporates that theme into their lessons. In Social Studies, Mr. Mayhew is teaching about Ancient History, specifically the Egyptians. In math, Mr. Blasingame designed lessons around pyramids, calculating area, volume and weight. In English, Mrs. Haenisch is using an article authored by Amelia Edwards titled "A Thousand miles up the Nile" to locate prepositional phrases. Other articles were used for cumulative review of compound and complex

sentences, as well as possessive and proper nouns. Vocabulary words were tested in spelling.

Mrs. Renner's 8th grade class is working on a biography unit. The eighth graders are entering the library saying, "Boy, I like it when we read", and "What is another book we can read?" These words are worth more than money to a librarian/reading teachers ears!

Mrs. Dawson's Theater Arts class is putting on a puppet show called "How the Lion Lost His Roar" for the second grade. Performing the puppet show are: Heather Gammon, Casey Smith, Traci Rasor, Teresa Crow. I wonder where his roar went?

The 8th grade TEAM teachers are still continuing their unit on careers. Teresa Carter from Panhandle State University was a guest speaker to help launch the thematic unit. She spoke of career choices and training needed for the career.

"Cutting up" is usually not allowed in Mr. Jim Davis' science class. However, it was greatly encouraged when the seventh graders dissected starfish! They are anxiously waiting to jump into the next dissecting specimen - frogs!

Shake, rattle and roll is music to the sixth graders ears when they enter the science chapter on earth-

quakes and volcanoes. Mr. Davis' science labs are super!

In Math Masters 2 classes have earned their privilege parties!

At the beginning of the year, each group set a goal: if everyone 1) was in class on time with all materials, 2) had their assignment complete, and 3) participated and chose good behavior each day, that class would add a paper strip to their paper chain. When the chain (which started at the ceiling) touched the floor, the class would plan a party.

This week the 8th graders enjoyed a pizza party and the 6th graders have planned a Chinese food party.

Congratulations to these two classes for their great effort and super behavior. Math Masters is taught by Jamie Jordan.

Highly detailed Indian projects were on display in Mrs. Overbey's fifth grade class. Longhouses, pueblo villages, and cliff dwellers were all examples of the 48 individual Indians homes that were uniquely created for class. Students spent long hours planning and building with the parent's supervision.

It seems like Gruver could produce a class of architects by the looks of these projects.



Mrs. Ronda Williams and Mrs. Mary Henson, Gruver Kindergarten teachers had a hands-on lesson in horseback riding Monday, Oct. 25. Their classes have been studying farms and farm animals. Pictured is Rachelle Holt, Tanner Irwin, Matt Messer, and Timber Barkley, all third generation Gruver I.S.D. students.

Gruver FFA competes in District Leadership Contests

The Gruver FFA Chapter competed in the Top-O-Texas District Leadership Contest held Oct. 23 at Clarendon College. Eighteen schools from the Top-O-Texas District competed in chapter conducting, farm skills, radio broadcasting, creed speaking, extemporaneous speaking and FFA quiz.

The Gruver FFA Junior chapter conducting team placed fourth. Team members were Jarrod Hoel, Scott Stedje, Quintin Harper, James Sursa, Fern Oliveria, Kevin Danford, and Max Frick.

The FFA radio broadcasting team consisting of Scott Jarvis, Galen Slough, and Tye Womble placed fifth.

Jarrod Hoel placed seventh in creed speaking.

The Senior Chapter Conducting Team placed second and will compete at the Area I contest. Team members are Bailey Barkley, Sammy Renteria, Cori Lowe, Kiki Carthel, Travis Ferguson, Jason Ward, Brady Tidwell, and Max Frick. Also going to the Area I contest which will be held Saturday, Oct. 30 at Clarendon will be Cori Lowe who placed second in the extemporaneous speaking contest.

Opportunities abound in the FFA for leadership skill development and recognition. Through leadership contest members have the opportunity to learn an occupation, increase communication skills, demonstrate responsibility, self-discipline, competition and develop self esteem.

Spearman schools observe Drug Awareness Week

This week has been proclaimed "Drug Awareness Week", which is sponsored by Spearman P.T.A. The goal of this project is to make students aware of the dangers of drugs. To help enforce the importance of this, each day of this week students participated in different activities. On Monday each elementary student was given a red Texan "Drug Free in '93" ribbon to wear this week and they also made posters on drug prevention. These posters are hanging in Spearman businesses. Tuesday, Chief of Police Joe Raper, talked on Drug Prevention and had all the students, kindergarten through fifth grade, sign a scroll and pledge to be "Drug Free". This scroll is hanging in the county court house. On Wednesday students wore red. Thursday drug videos were shown along with class dis-

ussion. Friday Carey Bridges, a local pharmacist, will talk to students on drug prevention and answer their questions.

Jr. High students also participated in drug prevention activities this week.

On Monday, 7th and 8th graders started a slogan contest and the 6th graders made drug prevention posters. The First State Bank will give a \$50 savings bond to each 1st place winner in the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade. On Tuesday, students wore red. Thursday, students signed a scroll and pledged to be "Drug Free". They also had Lights Out Day and all students wore sunglasses. On Friday, Jim Craig, who is knowledgeable on the subject of drug prevention, will speak to the students and the winners of the slogan and poster contest will be announced. It is hoped that Spearman Schools working together with parents will educate students on the dangers of drugs and teach them to be "Drug Free!"

Lunch Menu

Gruver I.S.D.
Nov. 1 - Nov. 5

Lunch

Monday-Salsbury steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, carrots, pudding, hot rolls, and milk.

Tuesday-Pepporoni pizza pockets, tossed salad, fruit, and milk.

Wednesday-Western burgers, corn, fruit, jello, and milk.

Thursday-Nachos with meat, beans, fruit, and milk.

Friday-Chili dogs with cheese, french fries, sherbert, and milk.

Breakfast

Monday-Cereal, cinnamon bread sticks, juice, and milk.

Tuesday-French toast sticks, fruit, and milk.

Wednesday-Cowboy bread, fruit, and milk.

Thursday-Toast with peanut butter and jelly, fruit, and milk.

Friday-Cinnamon rolls, fruit, and milk.

Spearman I.S.D.

Nov. 1 - Nov. 5

Lunch

Monday-Burrito, pinto beans, steamed carrots, cornbread, fruit, and milk.

Tuesday-Lasagna, blackeyed peas, spinach, bread sticks, plain cherry jello, and milk.

Wednesday-Sausage pizza, whole kernel corn, tossed salad, ranch dressing, fruit, and milk.

Thursday-Turkey, cornbread stuffing, potatoes, gravy, seasoned green beans, cranberry sauce, bread slice, sweet potato pie with topping, and milk.

Friday-Bar B Q on a bun, tator tots, relish, diced onion, cole slaw, birthday cake, and milk.

Breakfast

Monday-French toast sticks, syrup, fruit juice, and milk.

Tuesday- 2 biscuits, sausage gravy, apple juice, and milk.

Wednesday-Scrambled egg, toast, hash browns, fruit, and milk.

Thursday-Large cinnamon rolls, fruit juice, and milk. **Friday**-Hot oat meal, buttered toast, fruit, and milk.

Lynx 7th Grade roundup

The Seventh Grade Lynx defeated the Highland Park Hornets, 30-0, at Highland Park Thursday, Oct. 21.

Members of the team scoring touchdowns were Michael Lusby, Aaron Witten, Casey Beaty and Chuck Grayson. Extra points were scored by Lusby, Grayson and Lusby.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Cresencio Lopez returns to US

October 4, 1993 (FHTNC)—Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Cresencio Lopez, whose wife, Maranda, is the daughter of Duane and Kay Loomis of Spearman, Texas, recently returned aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Truxtun, homeported in San Diego, Calif, from a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific and Persian Gulf as part of the aircraft carrier USS Nimitz Battle Group.

While operating in the Persian Gulf, the battle group completed 19 bilateral and multinational exercises with various Gulf nations in continuing efforts to develop and strengthen political and military ties with countries of the region.

During this deployment, USS Nimitz's embarked aircraft squadrons flew nearly 3,000 missions in

direct support of Operation Southern Watch, enforcing the U.N. "no fly" zone over southern Iraq.

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A blood cholesterol level of less than 200 milligrams per deciliter

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Anything over 240 mg\dl is considered high and the risk of heart attack is greater still. As many as 18.3 percent of Mexican-Americans, 17.7 percent of Puerto Ricans and 18.6 percent of Cuban-Americans have blood cholesterol levels of 240 mg\dl or higher.

Statistics for blood pressure and physical inactivity are not yet available. However, the AHA says that obesity, which also contributes to heart disease, is prevalent among Hispanics.

To fight heart disease, talk to your doctor about the risk factors you can change. You can also contact your local American Heart Association or call 1-800-AHA-usa1 (1-800-242-8721). Many of the AHA'S pamphlets are in Spanish.

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Rash of automobile accidents top Spearman Police Department

Accidents were at the top of the police report for the two week period, October 11 through October 24, with six being reported at the Spearman Police Department.

The first two accidents occurred on Monday, Oct. 18.

At 8 a.m. a 1979 Ford 4 door passenger car was travelling south on Brandt when it failed to yield the right-of-way and crossed in front of a 1988 Chevrolet 4 door traveling on Kenneth. Two people were transported to the Hansford Hospital and were later released. An excess of \$500 in damage was reported to the vehicles. One citation was filed for failure to yield right of way at a stop sign.

Only five minutes later, 8:05 a.m., another accident was reported. In this accident a 1985 Chrysler two door was traveling west on Fifth Street when it failed to yield the right-of-way at a stop sign and pulled in front of a 1965 Chevy pickup traveling south on Bernice. More than \$500 was reported to the vehicles. The incident is still under investigation.

On Tuesday, another traffic accident was reported. This accident occurred at 5:30 p.m. A 1985 Ford 4-door was east bound in the 100 block of Hancock when the driver lost control and the vehicle skidded into a parking lot striking a 1988 Chevy pickup on the passenger side. A citation was issued for failure to control speed. No injuries were reported, but over \$500 was reported to the vehicles.

A hit-and-run accident was reported on Wednesday. At 8:05 p.m. a 1989 GMC pickup was legally parked in the 800 block of Highway 207 when it was struck on the passenger side by an unknown vehicle. Less than \$500 damage was reported to the vehicle. The accident is still under investigation.

On Thursday, Oct. 21, an accident was reported at 4:47 p.m. A 1978 Chevy 4-door was backing in an easterly direction when it struck a Dodge passenger car legally parked in the 10 block of Archer. No injuries were reported and there were no charges filed. More than \$500 in damage was reported.

The final accident reported during the period occurred on Sunday, Oct. 24. This hit-and-run occurred at 1 a.m. in the 500 block of Hazelwood. It was reported that a 1991 Mitsubishi passenger car was legally parked in the 500 block of Hazelwood when it was struck on the right side in the front by a 1986 Nissan pickup. The Nissan left the scene. The incident is still under investigation. Less than \$500 in

damage was reported to the vehicle.

Other calls during the reporting period include four ambulance assists, 39 miscellaneous calls, three lockouts and one motorist assist.

On Oct. 12, a bicycle theft was reported at 6:10 p.m. from the 100 block of S. Brandt. It was a dark red mountain bike valued at \$30, according to Sergeant Steve Schmidt-Witcher. He added that the bike was recovered and returned to the owner on October 19.

On Oct. 13 a white male was arrested in the 1000 block of Townsend. This person was arrested on an out-side warrant.

On Saturday, Oct. 16, at 11:17 p.m. a vandalism was reported in the 100 block of Main. Schmidt-Witcher reported that a tire had been set on fire and thrown into the street. The fire was extinguished by the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department. The incident is still under investigation.

Just a short time later, at 1:35 a.m. on Oct. 17, a second tire was burning in the 200 block of Main. It was extinguished by the fire department. The incident is under investigation.

A suspicion was reported at 3:10 p.m. in the 300 block of S. Bernice. It was reported that unauthorized people were entering a residence. Schmidt-Witcher reported that there was no sign of forced entry or theft, but the case is still under investigation.

A family disturbance was reported at 7:30 p.m. in the 200 block of N. James. One male was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct.

On Monday, Oct. 18, at 1:03 a.m. a suspicion was reported in the 300 block of S. Bernice. No signs of activity was found, but the case is still under investigation.

Another suspicion report was filed on Friday, Oct. 22. It was reported that 1:29 a.m. a caller telephoned the manor wanting to talk. The subject was identified and the case was cleared.

A disorderly conduct was reported at 11:30 p.m. in the 10 block of Collard. Schmidt-Witcher stated that there was a fight between two female juveniles. Minor injuries were reported, but no charges were filed and the case was cleared.

On Saturday, at 12:55 a.m. a suspicion was reported. Schmidt-Witcher reported that the subject was passed out behind the wheel of a motor vehicle and was arrested and charged with public intoxication.

A family fight was reported at

9:50 p.m. in the 10 block of N. James. Schmidt-Witcher reported that a subject was allowed to leave while officers were there. No arrests were made and the case was cleared.

On Sunday, Oct. 24, another family fight was reported. This incident occurred at 4:15 p.m. in the 500 block of E. second. No charges were filed.

A theft was reported at 5:30 p.m. in the 300 block of S. Bernice. A wheel and tire removed from a vehicle. The merchandise is valued at \$30. The case is still under investigation.

There were 10 animal control calls during the reporting period.

Gruver Police Report

From October 11 to October 24 the Gruver Police Department received 16 calls for service. The calls consisted of seven lockouts, two business alarms, one message delivered, two welfare concerns, one funeral escort and three miscellaneous calls.

On Monday, Oct. 18, a vehicle fire was reported in the alley of the 200 block of Main Street. The Gruver Fire Department extinguished the fire.

On Tuesday, Oct. 19, a 911 call was received in which the caller stated upon the officer's arrival that it was a false alarm.

Also, on Tuesday a disturbance was reported in the 500 block of Cluck Street. The situation was resolved.

Several cases are still under investigation. Four bicycles have been stolen. The first was a men's 26" blue 10 speed Schwinn mountain bike with a "high plains on cross-bar. It was taken from the 600 block of Richardson.

A men's 26" red 10 speed, Huffly mountain bike with straight black handlebars. It was taken from the 200 block of E. 10th. Another men's bike was stolen. It is a grey 18 speed, Huffly mountain bike with neon green fork. It was taken from the 800 block of Garrett.

The final bike stolen was a girl's 24" 10 speed Murray. It is purple with pink cables. This bike was taken from the 100 block of Van Kurt.

Other stolen items still under investigation were a "Weedeater", a child's battery powered car and wagon. The weedeater was a model XT-85 brand green gasoline powered weedeater. It was taken from the 100 block of Maupin. The child's battery powered car is red with a six volt battery. The wagon was also red with metal construction. These items were taken from the 100 block of Winder.

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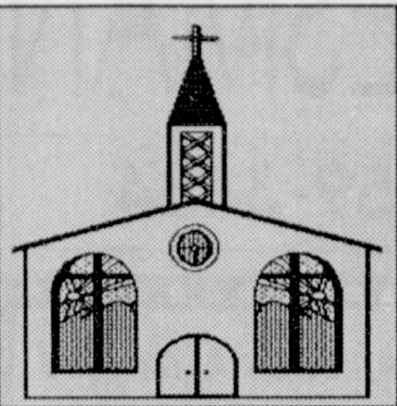
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As I drove through the countryside on that bright and brisk day in late October, the swirling leaves fragmented my view, so that I slowed to a stop alongside the road where I perceived a most fantastic vision...

Spanning the horizon was a stage, and on that stage was a myriad of majestic dancers adorned in their festive fall finery of orange and red and gold, swaying to and fro, keeping time with the woodwinds as they swept melodically through the trees, reflecting the brilliant light from above.

Moments later, I blinked back to reality and resumed my travel through the colorful autumn countryside. I marveled at the power of the imagination as it had influenced my perception of what I had "seen" seconds before.

God, the ultimate Creator, has given us the gift of imagination. He has also given us the gift of choice...of how we choose to perceive our world. Let us worship God each week, opening our hearts to the power of the Master, in order that we shall be influenced to perceive our lives as more positive and meaningful.

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| Apostolic Faith Church
822 S. Dressen • 659-2870
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sun.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m.
Pastor James Brown | Trinity Community Church
717 W. 7th Ave. • 659-2671
Sunday School and Children's
Church: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday evening: 7 p.m.
Pastor Dan Carter |
| First Assembly of God
401 N. Bernice • 659-2295
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wednesday Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 7:30 Wednesday
Pastor Ray Cook | Faith Lutheran Church
(ELCA)
1101 Bernice • 659-2252
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Church) |
| First Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ)
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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
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Women's Bible Study: 2 p.m. Wed.
Youth: Wed. 6 p.m. & Sun. 5 p.m.
Pastor LaVern Draper | First Presbyterian Church
(Worships with Faith Lutheran
Church)
1021 Cotter • 659-2033
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. at
Lutheran Church
Worship: 11 a.m. (alternates
monthly between addresses above)
Pastor Beverly Cook |

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| First Baptist Church
123 N. Bernice • 659-5557
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
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Jr. High Youth: 6 p.m. Wed.
High School Youth: 7 p.m. Wed.
Youth Choir: 6 p.m. Sun.
Pastor Kyle Henderson | First United Methodist
407 S. Haney • 659-5503
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Jr. High Youth: 5 p.m. Sun.
High School: 6 p.m. Sun.
Pastor Jeff Lust |
| Church of Christ
121 S. Haney • 659-3244
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Bible Study Wed. 7:30 p.m.
KRDF Radio Program
Living With Christ 7:50 a.m. M-F
Minister Arnis Pape | Union Church
31 S. Endicott • 659-2644
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6:30 p.m.
Bible Study: 7:30 p.m. Wed.
Youth: 7:30 p.m. Wed. |
| Fellowship Baptist
1102 S. Archer • 659-2783
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
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Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sunday
Youth & Adult Serv.: 7:30 Wed.
Pastor Rick Fincher | Sacred Heart Catholic Church
901 Roland • 659-2166
Sat. Night Mass: 7 p.m.
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209 King • 733-2760
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Worship: 10:20 a.m.
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Minister Bob Setliff
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510 King • 733-2960
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 6:30 Wednesday
Pastor Gary Gumfory
- Oslo Lutheran Church (ECLA)**
West of Gruver on Hwy 15 & N. FM 1162
339-7646
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Morning Prayer: 9 a.m. Wed.
Pioneer Clubs (Grades 1-6):
4-5:30 p.m. Wednesday
Pastor John R. Chandler

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Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

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Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:55 a.m.
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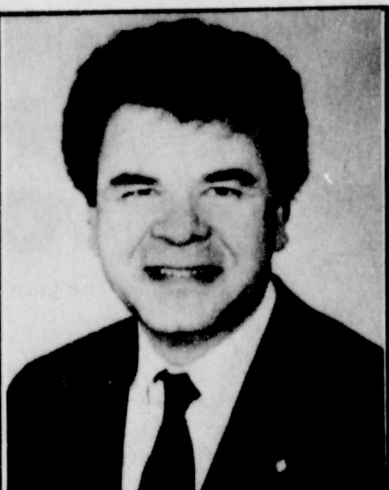
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Bosnia native to speak at Trinity Presbyterian



Eck Spahich of Borger, a native of Bosnia, will speak on the country's conflict at Varsity Gym in Spearman at 10 a.m. on Thursday, Nov. 11.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Spahich, a native of Tuzla Bosnia, became a naturalized U.S. citizen in 1966. At the end of World War II, in 1945, 4-month old Spahich was a war refugee. He and his parents had left Bosnia for Austria, but became separated from each other.

His mother made her way back to Bosnia, while his father stayed in Austria, later immigrating to Dumas. Spahich was taken back to Tuzla, Bosnia, and raised by his grandmother.

He came to the United States in 1960, at the age of 15, to live with his father and stepmother. He never saw his mother or grandmother again.

He graduated from Dumas High School, and later from what is now West Texas A&M with a bachelor's degree in journalism in 1969.

Less than 3 1/2 years after becoming a U.S. citizen, he joined the Army, including a year's duty in Vietnam, where he was a combat correspondent.

In 1971, Spahich, then 26, was presented the Bronze Star for meritorious service in Vietnam. He had previously received the Army Commendation Medal, along with 17

other commendations.

A former editor of the Borger News-Herald, he is now a Realtor. A well-known civic leader in Borger, he formed the stampcollecting Croatian Philatelic Society, served on the Hutchinson County School Board and was president of Kiwanis Club.

He is also a volunteer with Catholic Family Service refugee and immigration division in Amarillo.

He was recently honored with the Americanism Award Medal by the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Spahich still has relatives living in Bosnia, and actively keeps up with the news of his country.

The public is encouraged to attend his talk.

Name change for Texas Extension Homemakers

West Texas State University recently went through a name change and so did four other universities under the A&M system. We now know it as West Texas A&M University. Just like these established universities, other organizations must go through a name change.

The national Association of Extension Homemakers, of which Hansford County Extension Homemakers are a member of, updated their name with the changing times.

This past September, Texas Extension Homemakers voted to abide by this new name change.

They are now officially known as the Texas Family and Community Education Association. Hansford County E.H. Council will now go by Hansford County F.C.E. Council.

Currently there are two established clubs in Hansford County. They will be known as Town & Country F.C.E. and Happy Homes F.C.E. They meet twice a month for educational and other learning programs. If anyone is interested in belonging to either club or would be interested in starting a new club, you can call Karen Babitzke, Hansford County Extension Agent for Home Economics, at 659-2030 or 733-2901.

This organization has had a couple of name changes these past 50 years, so be looking for bigger and better things to come from Hansford County Family and Community Education Clubs and Council.

Obituaries

Lloyd Raymond Buzzard
SPEARMAN - Lloyd Raymond Buzzard, 68, died Tuesday, Oct. 19, 1993.

Services were held Thursday, Oct. 21, in First Christian Church with the Rev. LaVern Draper, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Henson-Novak Funeral Directors of Guymon, Okla.

Mr. Buzzard, born in Enid, Okla., moved to Hansford County with his family in 1930. He attended Spearman schools. He was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving during World War II. He married Dorothy Maxine Hester in 1946 at Spearman.

Mr. Buzzard served as a member of the Spearman school board, a director of Canadian Production

Credit and president of the local American Heart Association Chapter. He served on the YMCA board and was a director of Spearman National Bank. He was a farmer, a rancher and a member of the first Christian Church. He was preceded in death by a son, Lloyd Lynn Buzzard, in 1969.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Patricia Gayle Taylor of Canyon; two sisters, Lois Shieldknight of Spearman and Georgia Holt of Gruver; a brother, Frank Buzzard of Perryton; and three grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Lloyd Lynn Buzzard Memorial Scholarship or a favorite charity. Memorials will be accepted at Henson-Novak Funeral Home, Box 1306, Guymon, Okla. 73942.



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