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Filing for upcoming elections underway

Although elections for Gruver able. and Spearman City Council and School Board are not until May 6th, people are already starting to signup for the positions available on these openings.

The Spearman City Council has three positions available to be filled. So far, only three people have applied for these positions. Incumbents Steve Benton and Ed Gardner have applied again to the Council, as well as new comer Brian Gillaspie.

The Spearman School Board is also up for elections this year. As of yet, two people, Craig Schuman and Bob Boxwell, are the only people signed up for the positions avail-

Gruver's City Council has put forth only one name so far on the positions available. Archie Nelson has applied for Mayor.

Also, the Gruver School Board has had two people sign-up for the positions available. Marquerite Nelson and Buddy Lowe have applied for the Board positions.

The Morse School Board will be having two people with terms expiring. However, only person, Mike Martin, has applied for the open-

Deadlines for filing on any of these positions is March 22 at 5:00 p.m. Again, the elections will take place May 6th.

City of Spearman holds regular session

man was called to order by Mayor leak survey several times before, Buchanan last February 21 in the Council Chambers of City Hall.

After the invocation by Charles Elliot and the pledge of allegiance bidders for the contract. by Bob Boxwell, the Council began work on the consent agenda. The Council went on to adopt Resolufirst consideration was that of the minutes of last meeting on January 17th, which were approved. Next, times in the immediate past, the the Council considered the monthly employees have interpreted the fire, ambulance, police, municipal rules differently than management court, animal control, and solid had interpreted this policy of waste reports for January. They standby/call; outpay; holidays; and too were all approved. The Council overtime. Finally, the Council made then considered and approved the a motion to approve a contract with paying of the bills amounting to \$407,765.76.

the regular agenda. A public hear- was also carried. ing concerning the rates for electric Service Company (SPS) was opened, with Doyle Bunch, executive Vice President, explaining many of the features of SPS. After the presenimportant issues was then brought courts. before the Council on the annual gas leak survey. Five different bid-Knauf explained that B & N Con- adjourned at 8:46 p.m.

The meeting of the City of Spear- sultants have performed the gas and the staff was very pleased with the job. An extra bonus to the job was that B & N were also the lowest

Still on the regular agenda, the tion #3-95. This resolution was explained by Knauf that several the county for jail services to detain city prisoners at the same rates as The Council then moved on to the past several years. This motion

The last order of business for the service by Southwestern Public Council was a request by Spearman ISD representatives Willard Murrary, Superintend of Spearman Schools, Scott Beedy, and Bob Boxwell for help on the repair of the tation and hearing, the Council school's tennis courts. The idea immediately passed Ordinance was also brought up that the Coun-#642, which establishes the rates cil and the school could possibly for electric service by SPS. A very join in the building of new tennis

Motion was then given by Garner to adjourn and it was then secders applied for the contract, but ond by Elliot, and the meeting was



WATCH OUT MISS AMERICA-Alan Hutchison, as the beautiful Lulu LaRue, shows his excited amazment as the moment comes when he is named the TAFE Hearthrob of 1995 as the other contestants look on in dissapointment.

Pictured on stage are (I to r) Martin Sanders, Greg Elliot, Derrick Burnett, Gavin Crum, Alan Hutchison, Alan Huddleston, Ashley Baker, Josh Bynum,, and Daryl Scroggs.

Strutting their stuff

Hutchison named TAFE 1995 Mr. Heartthrob

By WADE ATWOOD

The "men" of Spearman High School made quite a spectacle of in the TAFE Second Annual Heartthrob Pageant held Thursday, February 23 in the Spearman

The pageant, emceed by Maggi cators (TAFE) sponsored beauty mal wear competition.

The lovely contestants were Martin Sanders (Big Mama Sanders) representing the National between competitions, entertain-Honor Society, Greg Elliot (Tashia Stravinsky) representing the Student Council, Gavin Crum (Tootsie

Roll) representing the Junior Class, Alan Hutchison (Lulu LaRue) representing the Spanish Club, Derthemselves that would make some rick Burnett (Dolly Delaney) reprepeople wonder. They strutted their senting SHS Choir, Alan stuffshowing off their feminine side Huddleston (Barbie Burlesque) representing the Freshman Class, Ashley Baker (Wilhemina Palmer) representing the Senior Class, Josh High School Auditorium. Alan Bynum (Buttercup Brown) repre-Hutchison (Lulu LaRue) was an- senting SHS Band, and Daryl nounced as the "Heartthrob of Scroggs (Doreen) representing TAFE.

The three judges, Dr. Stan Cobb Carter and Mark Parker, consists (Cowboy Jack), Kristi Ramon, and of different school organizations Mark Matthews, watched as Kelly selecting a male member to repre- Shieldknight and Jana Elsworth sent it. These young men dressed escorted the contestants through up as women and competed in the the revealing sportswear competi-Texas Association of Future Edu- tion where the beautiful "women" were introduced. Next came an pageant. The pageant itself is made amazing array of talent from the up of a sportswear, talent, and for- contestants which included dancing, singing, playing a violin, and even a show girl.

While the contestants changed

See HEARTTHROB, page 2



PUCKER UP -Senior Jason Babitzke holds the lucky pig for Spearman High School principal Sam Atwood, one of the winners, or rather loosers, of the TAFE Kiss A Pig contest held last Thursday during an intermission of the Heartthrob pagent.

Hansford Happenings

Hansford County Spelling Bee will be March 9 at 2:00 p.m. at the Pringle Morse school. For more Information call Kathy Stedle at 733-2507 or 733-2509

Recycling Center Grand Opening

Gruver's new Recycling Center Grand Opening has been rescheduled for Wednesday, March 8, at 2:00 p.m. at the Recycling Center next to City Hall. There will be a drawing for prizes and Peppy Prairie Dog will be there.

Scouling For Food

Spearman Cub Scouts Pack 578 and Boy Scouts Troop 551 are combining efforts this year for "Scouting For Food". Canned food itmes will be collected city wide on March 4th between 10 a.m. and 12 noon. For more Information please call Doug Cummings at 659-3942 or Andy Scarborough at 659-3882.

World Day of Prayer

The World Day of Prayer will be held at the First Assembly of God Church on March 3rd. Fellowship will be at 9:30 a.m. and service will be at 10:00 a.m. This year's theme is The Earth is a House For All People. A nursery will

LARRY KENEALY

Kenealy begins duties of new Spearman Chief of Police

side, thanks in part to the quick actions of Kelvin Knauf, Spearman City Manager, and others affected in the choosing of a new police chief.

Knaufannounced last week, that the City of Spearman has hired Mr. Larry Kenealy of Mabank, Tx. Kenealy has already begun his work

new a friend on its law enforcement zens as well as other law officials are very pleased.

> Kenealy has been in the law enforcement business for 25 years now, including 15 in Texas and seven as chief. As chief, Kenealy has spent 3 years in Wright, Tx. and 4 years in Mabank.

Kenealy is also the proud father

The City of Spearman now has a in Spearman, and many of the citi- of a 16 year old daughter and a 5 year old daughter.

When asked about the town of Spearman, Kenealy stated, "My whole family loves it. The people are extremely nice." Kenealy later stated, "I have a simple view on law enforcement. It is to serve the people and protect the people. I want all my officers to be respectful and to be profession

School Lunch Menus Heartthrob

SPEARMAN SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, March 6 Taco Salad in Edible Bowl, cheese cups, lettuce, tomato salad, pinto beans, cornbread, pineapple tidbits, and milk.

Tuesday, March 7 Grilled cheese, sandwich, tomato soup, carrot sticks, peaches, birthday cake, and milk.

Wednesday, March 8 Roast beefw/brown gravy, baked potato, butter or sour cream, seasoned green beans, hot rolls w/but-

ter, applesauce, and milk. Thursday, March 9 Steak fingers, macaroni and cheese, sweet peas, yeast batter

bread, jello, and milk. Friday, March 10 Hamburger, french fries, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato, pickle, onion, cookie, and milk.

SISD BREAKFAST Monday - French toast sticks, fruit, and milk.

Tuesday - Toast, scrambled egg, fruit, and milk.

Wednesday - Cereral, toast, fruit juice, and milk.

Thursday - Biscuit, sausage, fruit, and milk.

Friday - Breakfast pizza, fruit, and milk

GRUVER SCHOOLS **LUNCH MENU** Monday, March 6

Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, pudding, hot roll, and milk. Tuesday, March 7

Chicken noodle soup, crackers, cheese stick, carrot stick, fruit, cinnamon roll, and milk.

Wednesday, March 8 Baked ham, macaroni and cheese, green beans, fruit, hot roll, and milk.

Thursday, March 9 Ground beef Stroganoff, corn, fruit, biscuit, and milk.

Friday, March 10 Chili dog, cheese, french fries, fruit, and milk

GISD Breakfast Monday - Cereal, muffin, juice and milk.

Tuesday - Two pancakes, juice and milk Wednesday - Biscuit, sausage,

juice and milk. Thursday - Two slices toast, peanut butter and jelly, fruit and

Friday - Two cinnamon rolls, juice and milk.

PRINGLE-MORSE SCHOOLS LUNCH MENU Monday, March 6 Burrito/chili, salad, fruit, cookie, and milk.

Tuesday, March 7 Baked chicken, macaroni and cheese, salad, rolls, fruit, and milk. tition was Josh Bynum with his Wednesday, March 8 Corn dogs, pork and beans, po-

tato salad, cake, and milk. Thursday, March 9 Spaghetti, salad, rolls, dessert,

Friday, March 10 Noodle soup, grill cheese, salad, fruit, ice cream, and milk.

PMISD Breakfast Monday - Cheese toast, toast, juice and milk

Tuesday - Cinnamon toast, juice and milk. Wednesday - Sausage, waffles,

juice and milk Thursday - Oatmeal, toast, juice

Friday - Sausage, biscuits, juice

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ment was provided by LaQuita Evans, who sang a number of songs, and SHS student Haley Farber, who danced to Via De La Rosa.

Before the formal wear competition, TAFE sponsor Verna Strawn announced the winners of the Kiss A Pig Contest. For several weeks, faculty members at the high school had a jar in their possession in which students placed money. The lucky person with the most money in their jar had the honor of kissing a pig. This year's winners were Coach Jerry Bass and Principal Sam

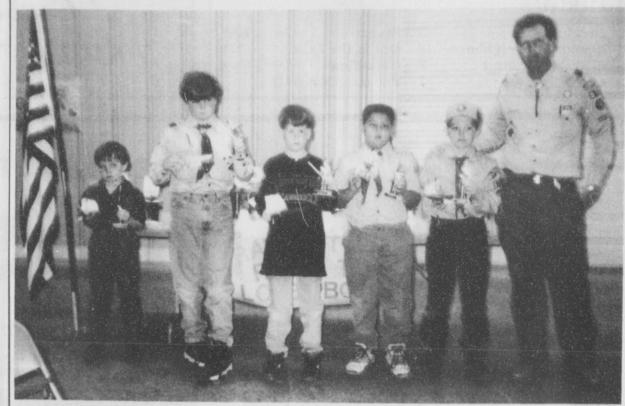
The contestants then took the stage in a stunning show of elegance and fashion for the formal wear competition, followed by the announcement of the winners.

The winner of the talent compeexotic imitation of a show girl, complete with feathered boa.

Next, four finalists, Gavin Crum, Alan Hutchison, Josh Bynum, and Alan Huddleston were selected from the ranks of competitors, and asked the question, "If you were an animal, what would it be and why?".

Although they all had on their pageant smiles, you could feel the young beauties' nervousness as Shane Schneider, last year's Heartthrob, came forward to crown the winner.

A gallant show of sportsmanship was displayed as the contestants gathered round in congratulations of the new reigning Mr. Heartthrob, Alan Hutchison (Lulu LaRue).



WHEN MY SHIP COMES IN - Cub Scout Pack 578 and Boy Scout Troop 551 put on their annual Raingutter Regatta Saturday, February 18th at the Hansford County Barn. Several kids raced their boats to this years' theme, "Love Boat", but in the end there were only 5 top racers. They are: (I to r) 5th Jermy Burch, 4th Jared Schufeldt, 3rd Kylie McGaha, 2nd Eric Vasquez, and 1st Jake Burch.

Estate planning seminar to be held

Have you ever wondered what would happen if you did not have a will? Most people think that having a will or an estate plan is for the rich or businessmen only.

Actually, it is good business for all people to have a will or an estate plan regardless of their family or economic situation.

Older couples do need a plan to make sure their desires are carried out. Young couples need a plan because of special concerns in care of young children and the fact they need to know what is going on to help their parents when an estate has to be settled. It is not complicated or expensive.

There will be a beginning estate planning seminar on Tuesday, March 7, sponsored by the Ochiltree County Extension Program Council and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Perryton. The seminar will be held from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Expo Center.

All interested couples and individuals are invited to attend to learn more about wills, probate, trusts and tax considerations.

Speakers will be Bruce Julian of the First National Bank and Larry White of Brown, Graham & Company. Both are experienced and knowledgeable about their topics.

For more information about this free seminar you may call the Extension Office at (806) 435-4501 or (806) 435-3831.

CORRECTION

In the Special Stockshow Edition ran Feb. 16, 1995, Gruver Ford was advertised as an authorized Lincoln-Mercury dealer. They are an authorized Ford dealer.

however, they are not an authorized Lincoln-Mercury dealer. We apoligize for any inconvenience this may have caused.



BIG SHOWBOATS - Several of the boats in the show placed also without racing, but they took home appearance trophies for their crafty design. They are: (I to r) Wayne Gibson 5th, Chad Scarborough 4th, Tyson Pettman 3rd, Scott Scuit 2nd, and Jarry Francis 1st.

At The Lyric Theatre... We will be closed for an indefinite time, but watch for us soon!

> Stay tuned for coming attractions!

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JUMP FOR YOUR LIFE - Debbie Sears and her husband, Superintendent Beryl Sears, are

seen here helping kids from Pringle-Morse jump for their life in Kid's Jump for Heart. Many

of the kids really had fun in the activities, and they also helped raise money for the Heart



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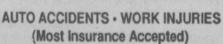
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GUY ORBISON, JR.

ruary 20, 1995 at First State Bank

She gave an informative lesson on

patients and families dealing with

ducted by the president, Verna Lee

The business meeting was con-

in Spearman.

preciation.

and to pay this year's dues.

West.

Bennett to speak at

"Aids Awareness"

Guy Orbison to host revival services at Church of Christ

Guy Orbison, Jr. will be speaking on the theme, "Maturing In Christ," in a series of meetings at the Spearman Church of Christ on March 5-8. Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Sunday and at 7:30 p.m. Monday through

Orbison preaches at the Church of Christin Durango, Colorado, and speaks at several meetings, family In addition to his preaching, Orbison has become well known as a writer. He published the Valley-Wide Christian newspaper for five years, and is currently a staff writer for Rocky Mountain Christian. He also writes a weekly column in the Durango Herald.

Valley School of Preaching and first cousins.

camps and lectureships each year. Abilene Christian University where he received his B.S., M.A., and M.Div. degrees.

He and his wife, Mary, will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary this May. They have three children - a son in high school and two daughters attending college at ACU. And yes, he is related Orbison was educated at Bear to the late Roy Orbison. They were

Chamber Chatter

Chamber Manager

The Hansford Hospice met Feb- The speaker will be Rex Bennett. A\$10,000 donation was voted to be given to Hansford Hospital En-Carolyn Hicks introduced the dowment fund. Ann Snow expressed her appreciation.

program speaker, Michelle Davis. The next meeting has been calming and giving reassurance to changed to Tuesday, March 21, 1995 at 7 p.m. at Spearman First State Bank. The Reverend Fernand Couture is scheduled to peak on cultural views and differences on life and understanding death.

Carolyn Cummings read the sec-Members present were Charla retary report. The treasury report Roberts, Betty Jean Davis, Carolyn was given by Muriel Boyd. She also Cummings, Dolly McWhirter, Jack reported on the donations received McWhirter, Garland Hopper, Betty from chile - stew luncheon. The Pugh, Mary Harbour, Carolyn special donations collected from Hicks, Beth Phelps, Ruth Bryan, those attending Gruver community Edith Womble, June Jackson, Doyle fish fry was also received with ap-Jackson, Wanda Reed, Connie Gammill, Sandy Russell, Brenda Plans were discussed for a ga-Wall, Ann Snow, Eloise Renner, rage sale to be May 5th in Spear-Karen Thompson, Meriel Boyd, Erin Bergin, Lila West, LaRee Booth, The door prize was won by Lila Verna Lee Shirley, Charolette Jack-

All members were reminded to Michelle Davis. turn in their volunteer donations Viglini An "Aids Awareness" Program surprised is scheduled for 7 p.m. on April 11, 1995 at the O'Loughlin Building. with 50th

birthday party Jan Wilmeth Viglini, formerly of Spearman, was given a surprise 50th birthday party February 18 at her home in Texas City by family

son, Jolynda Hutchison, and guest

Jan is the daughter of the late Doris Jean and Ernest Wilmeth and the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilmeth and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell.

In attendance were her husband Viglini, daughter Dana and children, Matthew and Jordon; son David and friend Susan from Ohio; sister and brother-in-law Nancy and Jim McGhee of Plano, Texas; brother Ernest Wilmeth of Albuquerque, NM; and a host of friends from Texas City. Jan's youngest son, Russell, is stationed with the army in Korea and was unable to attend.

The house was decorated with banners, crepe paper, black and colored balloons. Guests were served brisket, potato salad, tossed salad, baked beans, bread, and two cakes were on hand to be enjoyed.

Tickets for the annual Chamber Banquet and meeting will be available next week. To reserve your tickets call the Chamber Office, 659-5555. Tickets are \$15.00 for Chamber members and \$17.50 for nonmembers Special recognition will be given to the Citizen of the Year, Fireman of the Year, Employee of the Year, and special award given by the Hospital District. Make your reservations soon. Tables for 8 may be reserved.

There will be a tourism workshop in Plainview on Tuesday, March 14. This meeting is open to anyone interested in tourism for this area. Call the Chamber Office.

state list of highest per capita incomes. The two leading Texas counties both have small populations total which result in driving up the average levels, according to State Comptroller sources. Sherman county, population 3,000, showed a per capita income of \$36,822 and Hartley County, which has a population of 4.600, showed averages of \$30,630. The Panhandle produced nine of the 23 counties in Texas with incomes ranging from \$20,000 to \$40,000. In addition to Sherman and Hartley counties, data shows Dallam, Hansford, Roberts, Hemphill, Oldham, Parmer and Swisher counties all had per capita incomes ranging from \$20,000 to

FYI: Panhandle counties lead

Reed returns to States

a 1993 graduate of Spearman High School of Spearman, recently returned to San Diego after completing a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific with the aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk.

Reed was one of 5,000 sailors and marines who completed the 31,000-mile voyage which included military exercises with Korea, Japan and Australia. Reed also participated in Operation Tandem Thrust, an exercise involving 15 ships and 14,000 people from all the services as well as the Austra-

group which included guided missile cruisers equipped with Tomahawk cruise missiles.

Overall, Reed and his shipmates spent 133 days at sea, conducting more than 8,300 carrier takeoffs and landings. With more than 70 tactical aircraft aboard, the aircraft carrier and its accompanying ships

Navy Seaman Michael B. Reed, provided a formidable forward presence capable of moving more than 700 miles a day.

> Reed and his fellow shipmates also hosted a number of distinguished visitors including: the Secretary of Navy, South Korea's President, Japan's Minister of Defense, and several other state officials of various nations.

> While deployed, Reed visited Hong Kong, Singapore, Japan and South Korea.

Reed's involvement in the deployment is an example of how U.S. sailors are serving aboard ships, Reed's ship led a nine-ship battle submarines and aircraft carriers Gulf and Western Pacific Ocean to the Mediterranean Sea. Whether delivering humanitarian assistance, cargo, or troops from the seas, these highly-trained naval forces provide a unique crisis-response option, which can be withdrawn quickly when no longer needed.

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Our heartfelt thanks to each of you who gave solace and comfort in so many ways during the recent loss of our loved one. Thank you for the flowers, food and cards, the many vists and phone calls. We sincerely appreciate you. God Bless!

The family of Jae Kelp

June Kelp Keith Kelp Rick & Katrina Thomas Korey, Clint & Carie Thomas Khris & KiKi Kelp

Thank You

We would like to thank Carl & Peggy Archer for furnishing the meat for our Potato Pile-On. Also Peggy & Wanda for all your help. And our new members that helped so much (you know who you are). Special thanks to Dale Eslick. Thak you to all our friends who bought raffle tickets on our craft items. Kathy Walters of Perryton won the pillow cases. Lorene McGuire of Spearman won the Christmas Plaque and Nolene Newkirk of Amarillo won the birdhouse. **Town & Country Education Club**



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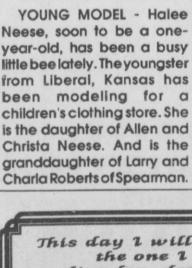
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children's clothing store. She is the daughter of Allen and Christa Neese. And is the granddaughter of Larry and Charla Roberts of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Deakin request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Julie LeAnne

Mr. Steven Otto Babe on Saturday, the fourth of March Nineteen hundred and ninety-five at two-thirty in the afternoon First Baptist Church Gruver, Texas

Reception to follow Nursery provided

Hornsby, Harbour, Biggers receive scout honors

By CAROLINE CUMMINGS

In remembrance of Girl Scout thinking day, the Spearman Girl Scout troops presented three plaques of appreciation, Wednesday, February 22nd. In appreciation for their service to Girl Scouts, Debbie Hornsby has served as Brownie leader for 5 years and is now serving in her first year as junior leader. She has planned several council-wide events and has planned local flag ceremonies for many events. Debbie is married to Larry Hornsby and has 5 children -Tracy, Amy, Lisa, Ashley, and Glen.

Mary K. Harbour was a scouter herselffor 12 years-from Brownies on through senior scouts. She served as camp nurse and horsemanship instructor for Camp Kiwanis in Amarillo to earn the Girl Scout Silver Award (2nd highest award in scouting). Then, as a senior scout, she worked as a candy stripper for Canyon Hospital to earn the Girl Scout Gold Award, which is the highest award for Girl Scouts (equal to a Boy Scout Eagle). She has continued as assistant leader for Brownies, junior and cadette/ seniors adding 6 more years of service. She served as nurse for our Spearman day camp, was leader at overnight camp at Lake Fryer and attended the Atomic Energy Merit America.

Badge and Trip. Mary is married to David Harbour and has 2 children - Lena and Jacob.

Myrna Biggers was a scout herself for 5 years. She has served as a leader for Brownies, juniors and cadette/seniors. She was service unit manager for Spearman and took care of the Spearman Little House. She has, also, made the trip to Savannah, GA. to Juliette Gordon Lowe House. She planned the Mt. Cauplin, New Mexico council trip. She has participated in three Atomic Energy Merit Badge trainings - one as a student and two as an Asst. Counselor. She presently serves on the Yucca Girl Scouts Board as 1st Vice President, she has a total of 19 years of service. Myrna is married to Cecil Biggers and has 2 children Ragina and

In addition to these plaques, the cadette/senior troop took decorated cookies in the shape of the Girl Scout trefoil to the younger troops. These girls explained that thinking day is the day which Girl Scouts remember the birthday's of Lord and Lady Baen Powell-Founders of Boy Scouts. Lord Baden-Powell's sister founder of the Girl Guides. which later led to Juliette Gordon Lowe founding the Girl Scouts of



PLAQUES OF APPRECIATION-Myrna Biggers, Debbie Horsby, and Mary Harbour were presented with plaques for their dedication by the Spearman Girl Scouts troops.

Evans celebrates 86th birthday at HC Manor

at Hansford Manor.

Evans of Gruver, both with their of Amarillo.

Nina Evans, better known as families. Grandchildren Jeri Lynn "Nanny" celebrated her 86th birth- Lozano of Spearman, Donna Evans day party Saturday, February 11, Heinohn of Booker, Charli Evans McGinnis of Borger, Tania Evnas Jerry Evans of Spearman and Don Hollingsworth and Micheal Kerbo

Gafford playing a major role on ASU girls' basketball team Joy Gafford, a junior at San

Angelo State University and a former Spearman High School standout, has been having great and not so great season at ASU.

Gafford was featured recently in The San Angelo Standard-Times for her accomplishments on the basketball court as a member of the ASU Rambelles basketball team.

The article noted that when Gafford is on with her bulls-eye, long range shooting the ASU squad seems to always win. However, when she is off the mark the team struggles and success on the court is not always recorded into the win

The article written by Terrence Thomas (S-T staff writer) mentions Gafford's ability to put the ball up many, many times during the game.

Gafford was highlighted in the article for her game against Texas Woman's College. In that contest, she scored a career-high 25 points, connecting on 8 of 15 shots, including a 6 of 11 performance from three-point range.

The article, however, also mentions one of Gafford's bad nights when she finished only two of 11 from the field.

Thomas does make it know that the ASU season has certainly been balancing on Gafford's game.

At the time of the article Gafford was the second leading scorer for the team. She averaged 13.1 points per game and had made 45 threepointers. She had also started in all 21 games played.





She was joined by several friends Hall of Amarillo, Hugh McGinnis of and family throughout the county, Borger, Joby Cooper, and Jeffrey as well as others from around the Hand were all present at the festive occasion. Also attneding were four great-grandchildren, Jennifer and Those attending were: her sons Jonathan Heath of Borger, Brandy

FCL and TAFCE to sponsor Leadership 2000

leadership potential? Would you communities. The training series like to learn how to make your views known to decision makers? Would stronger by developing leadership ber 24 at the Texas A&M Univeris your answer.

A four day leadership training series is being planned for the Panhandle area. Leadership 2000 will (FCL) and the Texas Association

will be held from 9:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. on March 4, April 5, Septemyou like to make your organization ber 30, and October 30, and Octoin your members? If the answer to sity Research and Extension Cenany of these is yes, Leadership 2000 ter at 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West in Amarillo. The course series is sponsored

by Family Community Leadership

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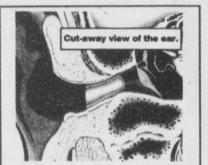
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Panhandle Crisis Center Report

by Mary Frances Ellzey

successful - the best turnout ever. the villain had to be recognized as a And a lot of fun! Our thanks to the disease, not just a perverse turn of many of you who participated in childbirth. Next came a search for that affair. Many of you commented the cure. In this case, prevention on the excellence of the food, and was the only cure. Prevention that's always appreciated too. We meant paying strict attention to know you'd probably come to the antiseptic procedures, especially to meal anyway, out of the generosity of your hearts; but it's great to hear own hands! Then came the necesyour compliments on said meal.

Our next fund-raiser is scheduled for April 7 and will again be the Amarillo Little Theater. This one is based on and made up of the songs and memories of the 60's. Lots of color, turmoil and history in

port Group for the sake of those who have been exposed to abusive family situations. The first meeting will be held on March 2. It's difficult to measure the trauma able, bewildered, and helpless. sity, is remarkable. Healing should be initiated at the material and training for this type erate with the Panhandle Crisis of ministry is most heartening. Center and to contribute to its imthe cure, or if one is not available, another big plus. Yet another is the next must come the search for a care provided by our local Mental cure. Then the cure must be acted Health Authority.

a search for its healing, reminds me Center for the Texas Panhandle of the search for the cure of puer- Mental Authority, and Cindy peral fever, a devastating disease that at one time (100 to 150 years ago) was for too common among women who had just been through childbirth. (Any of you ever heard of "childbed fever?") Death very

The Mexican Pile-on was highly quickly followed infection. First a doctor's careful washing of his sity of overcoming resistance to such persnickety details as sop and water. This resistance was difficult that the doctor who discovered the "simple" remedy was persecuted to the point of committing suicide. He succeeded in doing so by puncturing his finger and plunging it into a We now have a Children's Sup- culture of puerperal fever germs.

It's a horrible story, isn't it? The parallel between that and our all too frequent resistance to the idea that children-gone-wrong are the product of misinformed or uniexperienced by members of this formed parents and/or community, impressionable age group - vulner- rather than to their own perver-

That's just one more reason for first moment of recognition of need. my feeling so grateful to our com-Seeing the presence of so much munity for its willingness to coop-Before any ailment can be treated, provement. Securing adequate it must be recognized. Next comes counselors for our school children is

And here I'll give a plug to Jude Speaking of a cure for abuse and Gibbon, director of the Perryton

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Boyd announces retirement after 22 yrs.

Muriel Boyd has recently announced her retirement from First State Bank. She has served the Bank and its customers for over 22 years in various capacities, most recently as Assistant Vice President in charge of Certificates of

Her career began in banking as a high school student and progressed through the years in other accounting jobs. She spent over 8 years with Brown Graham & Co., 2 years as First Baptist Church secretary and 3 years at Farm Bureau. She joined First State Bank in 1972 in the teller area, moving to CD responsibility in 1982.

Her many civic accomplishments include: Treasurer of Hansford Hospice Volunteers, Women's Division Chamber of Commerce, 25 years as absentee election judge, member of First Baptist Church and a member of Financial Women International.

Future plans for Mrs. Boyd include more volunteer work, travel, and more time with family and

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END OF SERVICE - Muriel Boyd announced her retirement from First State Bank recently. Mrs. Boyd has served the bank for over 22 years in almost every category of banking service. She retired as the Assistant Vice President in charge of Certificates of Deposit. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

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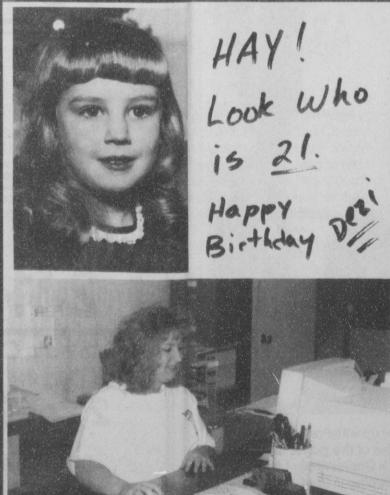
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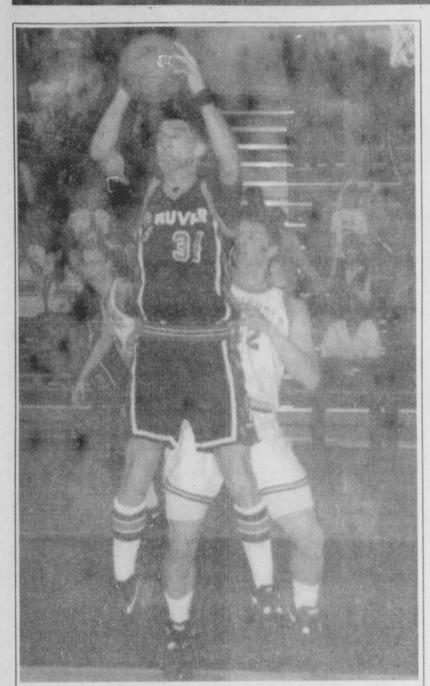
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Sports



JUMPING HIGH - The Gruver Hounds suffered a disappointing loss last Thursday, February 23 in their bi-district game against the Panhandle Panthers. In the picture above, Hounds' player Wylee Maupin out-jumps a Panther player to set up for a shot. (Photo by Chad Davis)

For the Sbort of it

were a lot problems with space for Womble. Add junior Josh Mayhew the sports department these past and sophomore Brant Armes, and number of weeks, and it was not you have 13. They actually have possible to run this column, with- five returning starters in De La out leaving out some basketball Cruz, Maupin, Renteria, Mayhew, linescores. Hopefully, the column and Armes. In addition, Ferguson will run now regularly for the re- and Frick saw an awful lot of action mainder of the year.

come to a sudden conclusion with the girls and the boys, as it always does when you are involved with the playoffs, and one defeat means you're out. There will be basketball one final time in this column this

The Gruver Lady Hounds will really be fearsome next year, despite losing girls with as much talent as Julie Meyer, Tisha Ralston, and Wendy Rodriguez. They will build their team around a nucleus of seven girls: Kaysha Cluck (Jr., 10), Kiki Carthel (Sr., 12), Amber Murrell (Jr., 14), Tara Shapley (Sr., 20), Molly McLain (Sr., 34), and Cara Hathaway (Jr., 54). With Kaysha, Amber, Weslyn, and Molly, they are really returning four "starters". They will be ranked, more than likely, in the top ten in the

However, they will have their hands full in the playoffs with teams like the Ozona Lady Lions, and the Abernathy Lady 'Lopes - the two teams who met this year in the Region I finals at Abilene. Ozona is 32-1, and starts three freshmen, a sophomore and a senior. Boy will they be tough next year! They will be ranked number one in the state. They may win the state championship this weekend at Austin. Where do they go from there the next three years???

Meanwhile, the Hounds will field one of their finest Houndball teams in years in 1995-96. They will have a nucleus of 11 seniors, one junior and one sophomore. That is 13 players to start with, with only room for two more. The seniors are Juan Arreola, Bailey Barkley, Daniel Bort, Phil De La Cruz, Travis Ferguson, Max Frick, Doug Gumfory, Scott Jarvis, Wylee

Well, my column returns! There Maupin, Sammy Renteria, and Tye this year. They will be district favorites, and will be ranked in the

Well, the basketball season has top twenty in the state. They will graduate seven tough seniors this

See SBORT, page 7 thers the lead 38-36, and really

STAYING IN FRONT - Gruver kept up with Panhandle most of the game, but the last four minutes of the game is when the Panthers took control. Seen here, is Gruver's Max Frick turning the tables on the Panthers and keeping in front of his man for an easy shot. (Photo by Chad Davis)

Gruver Greyhounds lose heartbreaker, 63-53

this quote came from, nor do I re- lead, but the Hounds came back on member the exact quote. Perhaps a 5-0 run, and on a Brant Armes it was from a young NFL coach jumper the Hounds had the lead quoting an older, wiser one. It may back 41-40. have been Mike Ditka quoting Vince Lombardi, or it may have been Bart Starr quoting Vince Lombardi. The quote went something like, "The Maupin free throws, the Panthers only time you ever lose, is when you quit trying.

Panhandle Panthers in their bidistrict basketball game this past Thursday night, February 23, at the Tex Hanna Fieldhouse in Borger, the Gruver are neither quit- and continued to fight hard, though ters, nor are they losers.

ing the game. He continued, "They played a big time ball game, and played really hard. Statistically, we outdid them in every phase of the game. We did not shoot the ball well in the second half, and that 12-0 run really hurt us. We outrebounded them 48-32, and had only 7 turnovers. Our kids did not the first half of the season, and 11-

The Hounds took a 2-0 lead on a Jace Dawson jumper, but then fell game. Roma Tomlinson, Kevin behind. It was not until the very McNett, Ryon Atwood, Jace end of the first quarter, with 18 Dawson, Eric Wright, Ricardo Soto seconds left, that the Hounds took and Aaron Frick bid their farewells the lead back. Phil De La Cruz hit in a Hounds uniform. They will be a pair of free throws to give the sorely missed. Next year's team Hounds a 14-13 lead at the end of quarter one.

The Panthers regained the lead 15-14, but Max Frick hit a jumper with 7:05 left in the half to give the Hounds a 16-15 lead - a lead they would maintain through nearly all of the remainder of the game. A Wylee Maupin trey at the close of the half, after the Panthers had tied it 18-18, really uplifted the Hounds. They left him wide open, thinking the tallest Hound wouldn't dare shoot a trey, and Wylee nailed it. It was his first three-pointer of

The Hounds built a 7-point lead three times in the third quarter, and it looked as though they would win this game, with a 30-23 lead three-quarters of the way through the third quarter.

But the Panthers scored 6 straight points to cut it to 30-29, and the Hounds could manage only a 36-35 lead at the end of the third quarter, in a low-sc

At the start of the fourth quarter, Chad Bertrand of the Panthers hit a crucial trey to give the Pan-

But Panhandle regained the lead, and maintained it. With 3:57 left in the game, after a pair of led only 49-47. That is when disaster struck. The Hounds shooting Despite their 63-53 loss to the went ice-cold, and the Panthers were red-hot.

The resulting 12-0 run broke the game open, 61-47. That is when the Hounds really showed their heart, the game was lost. De La Cruz and "The kids played well," said Roma Tomlinson nailed treys in Hounds Coach Tim Garland follow- the last minute to give the Hounds their final 6 points. But the Panthers lead was just too great. Panhandle outscored the Hounds 28-17 in the fourth quarter for the tenpoint victory.

This year's team finished with a lackluster 16-17 record, but that does not speak all. They were 5-12 5 the second half.

Seven seniors played their last

I do not remember exactly where sparked them. They built a 4-point figures to have an unbelievable 11 seniors on it, and they will be a force with which to contend. They will almost certainly be district favorites, and possibly state-ranked.

Hounds (16-17) Bi-District Game vs. Panhandle Panthers Thursday 2-23-95 at Borger

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HANSFORD COUNTY SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

TRACK

March 3-4

Spearman at Elk Relays in Stratford (HS & JHS) Gruver at Elk Relays In Stratford (HS and JHS)

GOLF March 6 March 6

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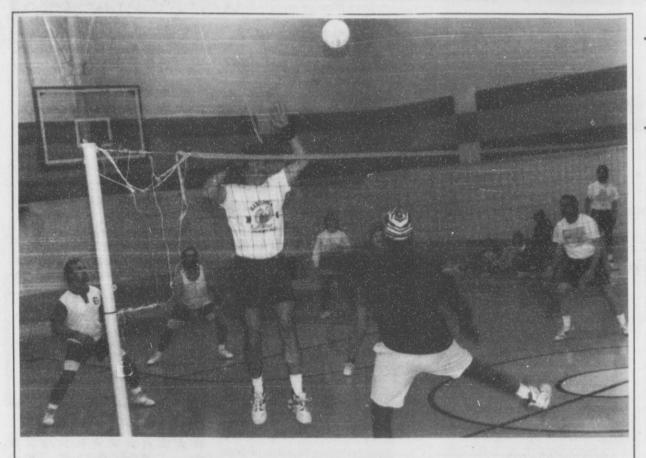
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UP FOR THE BLOCK - A total of six teams are competing in this first year of Spearman volleyball. Every Monday and Thursday night, the teams gather at the O'Loughlin Center to battle it out to see who really is the best volleyball team in Spearman. Seen here, Alfred Avilla, a member of the team with the best record of 10-1, the Fun Bunch, is going up for a block after Morris Anderson, from the Slammer Jammers, hits it over the net. (Photo by Chad Davis)

Basketball.

Hounds 7th Red (9-7) vs. Spearman Lynx 7th A Monday 2-6-95 at Spearman VG Spm 5 15 27 36

Gru 10 20 32 40 3-Pointers - Derik Grotegut, Dan Odom; Clayton Wilkerson.

Spm - Aaron Winegarner - 17, Clayton Wilkerson - 7, Josh Schuman - 6, Jeramy Mackie - 6.

Gru - Dan Odom - 11, Colby Hunt - 8, Bray Armes - 7, Derik Grotegut - 7, Jared Christian - 5, Dallas Henson - 2.

Hounds 7th White (3-5) vs. Spearman Lynx 7th B

Monday 2-6-95 at Spearman AC Gru 6 6 12 16 Spm 8 14 24 35 Gru-Jesus Rodriguez-8, Trevor

Ferguson - 6, Josh Blount - 2. Hounds 8th Red (9-8) vs.

Spearman Lynx 8th A Monday 2-6-95 at Spearman VG Gru 2 11 15 27

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Spm - Carlos Hernandez - 13, Michael Lusby - 9, Aaron Witten -5, Vargas - 3, Aaron Miller - 2, Clancy Vanderburg - 2, Quintin Shieldknight - 2.

Hounds 8th White (6-0) vs. Spearman Lynx 8th B

Monday 2-6-95 at Spearman AC Gru 2 6 19 24 Spm 4 4 12 16

Gru-Wesley Miser-11, Clayton Henson - 5, Luke Johnson - 5, Crece Gasper - 2, Rodney Grice - 1, Adam Red, Greg Slough.

Synopsis: These seven Hounds' boys completed an undefeated season, something to be duly noted!

Hounds 9th (5-15) vs. Spearman Lynx 9th

Monday 2-6-95 at Spearman VG Spm 10 14 29 42 Gru 6 13 15 26

3-Pointers - Keith Cassady, Tony Gaspar; Keith Winegarner.

Gru - Jared Johnson - 12, Keith 3-Pointers - Vargas, Aaron Wit- Cassady - 5, Rob Murrell - 5, Tony ten.; Clint Robinson, Jason Gaspar - 3, Arturo De La Cruz - 1. Spm - Jamie Townsen - 12,

Gru - Jason TeBeest - 7, Dustin Jarrod Juddleston - 10, Josh Shute Ross - 5, T.J. McClure - 4, Matt - 6, Keith Winegarner - 5, Mike Watlington - 4, Clint Robinson - 3, Butts - 4, Mac Butts - 2, Casey Jeff McClure - 2, Charlie Stavlo - 2. Nobles - 2, Clint Goodman - 1.

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year - Ryon Atwood, Jace Dawson, a head coach of 148-66, averaging Aaron Frick, Kevin McNett, Ricardo Soto, Roma Tomlinson, and Eric Wright, but they will certainly be tough next year!

I had started a 12-part series in this column on great Hounds' and Lady Hounds' teams, which was abruptly halted due to the space problems. I had done the 1954 Greyhoundettes, and the 1965-66 Hounds. I will finish the series starting in November. Here are the other ten great teams.

1947-48 Greyhoundettes - On to state

1950 Hounds - State Champs 1956-59 Hounds - Regional/District Champs

1963-64 Greyhoundettes - The last great teams 1980 Hounds - Super Hounds -

unbeaten regular season 1985 Hounds - Blocked by Nazareth 1985-86 Lady Hounds - End of

22 year drought 1989-91 Lady Hounds - The youth movement in junior high

1989-92 Hounds-Houndball, the Glory Years

1992-95 Lady Hounds - The Glory Years, the Present

I may add a couple of teams to the list, depending on how much information I can gather.

Here is an odd statistic for you. In his 7 years of coaching as a head coach at Gruver, Coach Tim Garland has a record of 150-70, averaging 21 victories per season. Meanwhile, in his 7 years of coaching at Meadow (1 year), Midland Greenwood(2 years), and Gruver (4 years), Coach Steve Myatt has a record as

an identical 21 victories per season. How about that!

Coach Garland's 150th came against Texline in a warm-up game for the playoffs this year. Coach Myatt's 150th will probably come in the second game of the 1995-96 season. Coach Myatt's 4-year record as head coach at Gruver in 91-33.

The spring sports season starts this week. This weekend, Friday-Saturday, March 3-4, is the first track and field meet of the season, at Stratford, with varsity, junior varsity and junior high competing. Then on Monday-Tuesday, March 6-7 comes the opening of the golf season, with meets at Canadian the girls on Monday, and the boys on Tuesday. The tennis season also gets under .. ay on Monday the 6th, with the beginning of workouts after school. The first tennis dual meet is with Perryton here in Gruver on Friday, March 10th at 4 p.m.

Gruver

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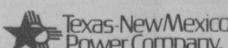
Wylee Maupin, Roma Tomlinson. Gru - Wylee Maupin - 14, Phil De La Cruz - 13, Brant Armes - 6, Sammy Renteria - 6, Jace Dawson 4, Roma Tomlinson - 3, Travis Ferguson - 2, Max Frick - 2, Ricardo Soto - 2, Aaron Frick - 1.

SET IT UP - One of the six teams in the volleyball league, The Couch Tators with a record of 3-7, took on The County All-Stars, a record of 0-10, last Monday night also. Kevin Rooke, of the Couch Tators, is seen here preparing to hit a vicious spike after Meli Burgess sets him up. The Couch Tators won the required two out of three games, so they improved their record to 4-7. (Photo by Chad Davis)

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At The Buzzer

By Chad Davis

Due to many, many space problems, I have not had a chance to run my column lately. However, as you can tell, it is back, and it will hopefully be in every week.

Last time my column was published, I left off with a question on sports. Since it was so long ago, I will go ahead and print the question again and this time the answer. However, it will not be as easy from now on. What school finally won its first ever Rose Bowl - 31 years after its most recent apbeat UCLA 21-16. Next weeks question involves a topic that to me was to publicized, talked about, and wrote about - similar to that of the O.J. Simpson trial. Who was Tonya Harding's bodyguard?

I really did not have that much time or space to write on basketball this year in this column. So, I will write one last basketball related

Who from Gruver could not be proud? The Lady Hounds and the Hounds were just awesome this year. I really enjoyed watching all of these talented athletes play this year. I do have to say though, that I was very disappointed in the Lady Hounds-Hart game. I am one of the few people who usually do not blame the refs for a win or loss, but when Julie Meyer took that last second shot for Gruver, I saw two different Hart girls make contact with her arm on the way to the basket. I could even hear the slap when she made contact. It just seems unfair that the one point loss in overtime

and this misjudged call kept the ing as football and basketball, but and they should be pretty tough.

However, so will the Lynxettes. Spearman is bringing back several last year, and it would be no surprise to me if the last regular season game had Spearman and Gruin district.

ATB

One more thing, and then I'm pearance? Answer: Wisconsin, who outta here. Track, tennis, and golf season for all Hansford County teams starts soon. I know that to some these seasons are not as excit-

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Lady Hounds from going all the what people have to remember is, way. They will be back next year, that no matter what any kid from any school is doing, it is now more than ever, encouraging to them all to have some support from their talented starters and players from families, friends, and other spectators. It can be just as exciting. Just go watch Matt Gafford from Spearman and Aaron Frick from Gruver, ver matched-up for first and second as they battle it out for bragging rites on the top discusses and shot throwers. There are many other examples of fine spring sport atheltes, but you don't get the feel for it unless you go out and support

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Hansford County Extension Agent

Many of us resort to sandwiches for our quick meals. These too can be nutritious. A healthy sandwich is more than a pile of sprouts atop turkey on two slices of bread. There are many healthy sandwich makings that you can try.

Choose enriched, whole-grain chicken or turkey sandwiches. breads such as whole wheat, multigrain, rye, oatmeal, or bran bread. mushrooms and add to a roast beef Wrap fillings in soft tortillas or or turkey sandwich. Diced apple, spoon into pita bread. There are also a number of bakery rolls that can be split and used for sandwich

drizzle of plain low fat yogurt instead of high fat spreads. When preparing salad spread, use less mayonnaise or substitute some plain yogurt.

lean roast beef or lean ham instead of high fat lunch meats. Sprinkle on shredded cheese instead of thick slices of cheese or use a low fat variety of sliced cheese.

Pile sandwiches high with vegetables such as lettuce, spinach, sliced tomatoes, cucumbers, green it and use only for display.

pepper suces, shredded carrot, radishes, or zucchini.

Include more chopped vegetables such as celery, onion, cucumber, green pepper, and shredded carrot in chicken, tuna, or egg salad. You can even add coleslaw on top of

Saute onion, green peppers, and pears, or grapes and crushed pineapple could be added to chicken, tuna, or turkey salad.

After preparing the sandwich, Prepare sandwiches with a vari- serve with raw fruits, vegetables or ety of mustards, horseradish, or a chilled salads and a glass of milk passing up the chips. This can be a healthy meal that is not loaded with fats and calories.

Many homemakers enjoy cook-Substitute chicken or turkey, ing with copper utensils. This note of caution....copper is a very reactive metal that can leach into food and easily reach toxic levels if it comes in contact with food. When the inside lining of your pan wears to the point that the copper is showing through, discontinue cooking in

Out at the Lake

By DOROTHY HUDSON

Lake Depth--February 27, 1995--19 feet and three inches.

The depth of the Lake at its lowest last year was 18 feet and 8

Jim Derington reported quite a few fishermen and picnickers this beautiful weekend. A man from Hugoton, Kansas showed Jim four walleyes, each over 18 inches long. Not too many of the fishermen go for the walleyes as you need minnows or special lures. The nice string of fish that Kenny Red and New Mexico, when she was a teenhis son Adam caught last week were blue catfish.

Peggy Dillow (Mrs. Don) of Gruver is one of the fishing grandmothers that is turning little grandchildren on to the joys of fishing. She had her daughter Margaret Schiffner's two little boys, Zane, 4, and Garrett, 2, of Fort Worth out to the Lake this week. They are anxious to come back and go fishing

Peggy Dillow is one of the select few who have seen a mountain lion in the county. Some fifteen years ago when she was driving back alone

to Gruver at night, one ran across the road ahead of her, but it was distinct in her car lights. The spot was just north of the old stone Turkey Track house known to many as the Coble House. The Palo Duro Creek makes a bend that puts it very near the road at this place. Peggy said she could never convince anyone that she had seen a cougar rather than a coyote. This was a second sighting for her, as she had seen a cougar sunning on a boulder in a canyon up near Taos,

I have begun researching Hansford's first known homicide and hope that some reader of this column has some information on it. Marshall Cator was the first one to tell me of it. Then I found a brass plate in the ground just east of the big white water tank at the Hansford Cemetery:

F.E. McWilliams Shot and Killed Jan. 8, 1891 First Murder Indictment Returned in Hansford County Ira Neff Charged To be continued.

Recycling Words

By MARGIE FAGAN Spearman-Gruver Recycling Co-ordinator

Some of the old recyclers have slipped and some of the new recyclers don't know all the rules. Sometimes we think that the rules have changed because we look in the bin the quality of the product. If you and someone else isn't recycling the way that we were told to recycle. It is rule review time - one recyclable at a time. First we look at steel cans. Steal cans are easy to sort and recycle and involve a few simple rules.

Rule #1 is rinse your cans. Even in the spring like temperatures of last week unrinsed cans were taking on new personalities in the recycling bins in Gruver. Can you our benefit that they are profitable imagine the proliferation of life and the fiesta of odors that would spring from those same cans in the summer heat, not to mention the other critters this may attract.

can tell an aluminum can fro a steel can, a steel is magnetic and has a seam. If you run across a can that is one minute could save them hours. a combination of aluminum and steel recycle it in the steel bin.

Rule #3 remove the labels. Most of the label is removed through vacuuming at the detinning plant but some pieces get through lowering remove the label you eliminate this contamination. The tin removed is chemically altered to become stannous fluoride in toothpaste.

Rule #4 is more of a suggestion that a rule but squash your cans if you can. The recycler in our area will have to make less trips if the cans are squashed saving them money and enabling them to run a more profitable operation. It is to so they may remain in business to serve us through the pending close of the Spearman landfill.

In addition to cans our recycler accepts caps, lids, frozen juice container ends and cookie tins. They Rule #2 is sort your cans. You do not accept aerosol cans and paint cans...yet. Take just a minute to rinse, peel smoosh and sort. Your

If you are not recycling, you are throwing it all away.

TDOH to hold vaccination and immunization clinic

Immunization clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for March.

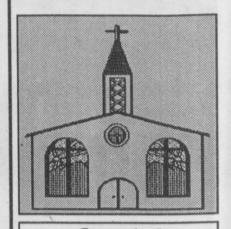
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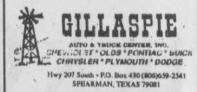
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Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Mary Fern Terry spend the weekend in Lubbock. She and her cousin, Kyble Reagan, of Borger drove down to visit with Major and

Ruth Lackey. Major, who had been a week in ICU, has been moved to a room and is not definite when he can return to their apartment.

Those wishing to send cards can address them to the Methodist Hospital, Room 583, 3615 19th Street, Lubbock, Tx.

Sara Dossett has added two new as her son Buddy and Becky Dossett, called to tell her that their adoption of five year old Mary Lou and three year old Lorine is final. nine month old sister.

Buddy is an attorney and Becky teaches school in Harlingen.

This column last week included an item regarding the weekend guests of Donetta and Jimmie Greene. The names of their daughter Lonita James with Nathan and Kaylie of Whitharral were omitted inadvertantly. Apologies to the Greenes.

Dolefully Gloria and Don Knox Championship in high school girls basketball. Their granddaughter, Traci Knox, a senior at Hart, played her last basketball game - outstanding - but Hart lost.

Jenifred of Texline spent the week here last week. They came to assist in the care ofher mother, Mrs. Sada Hoskins.

Notes from the ill: Oscar Donnell is at home now He spent last week in Ochiltree

General Hospital.

In addition to the tender attention from wife, Frankie, he was pleased that his son, Steve, came daily from Canyon.

The three daughters of T.D. seems to be somewhat stronger. It Sansing were her last week to visit him as he is still in Hansford Hospital. Tynelle Jordon and Carolyn Sommers, both of the Houston area are still here. Martha Coursey was here for the weekend but returned to her teaching duties in Lubbock.

I.W. Ayres spend several days in granddaughters to her family list Ochiltree General Hospital in Perryton being treated for a very painfulillness. He returned on the weekend and had recovered enough to accompany an appraiser out to his The papers are pending on their rural home which he plans to sell.

> Beverly Cook, Pastor of the Presbyterian-Lutheran churches here had a busy and pleasant week as it was her vacation. She spent two days at Quartz Mountain Lodge in Oklahoma before going to Austin for a couple of days visit with her

Her sister of Ft. Worth spent the weekend here, joining the three generation household in observing the 85th birthday of Mrs. Ann Gatlin their mother who makes her home returned late Saturday from with Mrs. Cook. Michael Cook, son Abilene. They had gone down Fri- of Mrs. Cook, was the third memday to watch Hart win the Regional ber. He is a student at Frank Phillips College.

Apparently your neighbor is not the only person in Hansford County whose vocabulary hasn't kept up with the modern terminology - No Winifred Hester and daughter one was able to explain the meaning of a "sunk low car" or a "low rider" used by the news media. Well, maybe no one read this column - so ignorance reigns.

enjoying breathing freely as he recovers from about with pneumonia.



GRAND OPENING - Spearman finally got back one its most precious eating places last Wednesday, February 22. The Dairy Queen is now open for business, and from the looks of things in just one week, the place is doing better than. The new building features a new look for the place, including handicap capacity bathrooms. Seen here for the ribbon

cutting are: Cindy Blackman, Chamber of Commerce head, three of the establishments finest workers, the District Manager of Dairy Queen, Tindel Ramon with the first dollar, and several other happy people ready to enjoy the fine food that is offered there. (Photo by Chad Davis)

Hutchison County Ag Seminar set

Thursday, March 23 is the date County Ag Seminar. The program will begin with registration at 8:30 a.m., with coffee and donuts at the Stinnett Community Building.

The morning program will consist of an explanation of the new tended in some cases. Amosson will also discuss which level of coverage seems to be the most economical for producers in this area. Leon New, Irrigation Specialist, will cover irrigation and chemigation techniques. There will also be some discussion of drip systems.

scheduled for the Hutchinson often overlooked has to do with proper planting. For example, research has shown that a one inch error in planting spacing of corn results in a three bushelloss. Bobby Knoll of NC+ covers this topic quite well and tells of a study where 73% crop insurance program by Steve of the fields examined had a 12 Amosson. Evidently the deadline bushelper acre loss due to improper for purchasing this has been ex- planting. Rounding out the morning program will be J.F. Cadenhead, Extension Range Specialist. Cadenhead will offer suggestions on how we can treat some of the CRP land that will be coming out within the next year or so. Questions that always arise regarding CRP are what options are available

One area in production that is to the producers regarding the disposition of this land? If it is to be grazed, how do I treat it? Should I burn it? If so, when?

> Following a noon meal sponsored by NC+, Brent Bean and Carl Patrick, Extension Specialist, will discuss No Till Wheat following a corn crop, Worker Protection Standards that is now law, requirements of posting pesticide signs, and a pesticide update when using No

> Four CEU's will be given to those attending. The program is free and is expected to conclude by 2:30 p.m.

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NEWEST EMPLOYEE Vangie Loard joined First State Bank in January. Vangie is no stranger to First State Bank, as she was proof operator in 1990 and 1991, before moving to Wyoming for a short time. Customers will see Vangle's friendly face at the drive up teller window. She is married to Brandon, they have one son and live

in Gruver.



PROMOTED SECRETARY Janet Williams has been named to fill the position of secretary to Jim Shirley, president. She has been with First State Bank since January of 1991. Janet began as drive up teller and then was note and lobby teller. She is a Spearman native, married to Todd, they have one eight old son and live in Gruver.



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