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# Hansford Happenings

"Partnership for Healthy Hansford Kids" Health Fair The Hansford County Hospital District will sponsor a "Partnership for Healthy Hansford Kids" Health Fair on Saturday, August 17, from 3-6 p.m. in the O'Loughlin Center gym. The Spearman pool has been reserved from 6-8 p.m. for free swimming for those children that participate in the fair. Kids, aged 18 and under, will be encouraged through each activity to make healthy choices about their physical and emotional health, stress management, substance abuse, and more. Various screenings for height/weight, dental, vision, speech/language, and hearing will be provided. This fun and action-packed afternoon will also feature a strength and fitness obstacle course, games and face painting. Dr. Tamayo and staff will be on hand to review shot records and schedule appointments for free immunizations for youth of all ages. They will administer free Tetanus-Diptheria boosters to youth, ages 14-16 years old. To receive this immunization, youth must be accompanied by a parent and have a copy of their shot record. If your club or organization would like to participate or if you would like more information, please contact, Cherri Sherill, at Hansford County Hospital at 659-2535 or 733-2954, Ext. 107.

# **Kiddie Cheer Camp**

The SHS Cheerleaders will be having Kiddie Cheer Camp on Tuesday, August 13 at the Activity Gym on the Elementary - Jr. high campus. This will be a one day - all day camp with lunch provided. The camp will be from 9:00 to 4:30 for kids from age 4 through Junior High. The camp will offer instructing in the cheers, chants, dances and stunts that the girls learned at camp this summer. Spirit sticks, ribbons and awards will be given in these different areas. The cost is \$15.00 each. If possible, please call Jenny Neff at 659-2702, Linda Wilkerson at 659-3849, or Samantha Beasley at 659-3909 to register.

# Junior High Student Schedules Available

All Spearman Junior High students can pick up their schedules for the new school year on Tuesday, August 13 through Thursday, August 15. Schedules will be available at the junior high office from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. New students need to come register during this same time.

Spearman Junior High 1996-97 Bell Schedule First Bell -- 8:07; 1st Period -- 8:10 - 8:55; 2nd Period -- 8:58 - 9:43; 3rd Period -- 9:46 - 10:31; 4th Period -- 10:34 - 11:19; 5th Period --11:22 - 12:08; Lunch -- 12:08 - 12:40; 6th Period -- 12:43 - 1:28; 7th Period -- 1:31 - 2:16; 8th Period -- 2:19 - 3:04; Tutorials -- 3:07 3:30

# Book Signing Party For Ruth Ann Jones

Book signing party for Ruth Ann Jones, author of Pioneer Partners, Biography of Tom and Molly Bugbee, will be held on Wednesday, August 28, 11:00 - 1:00, Fort Zulu Building at the Stationmaster's

# **Bort's Back**

linguist. He has studied six languages. The three languages he studied in the Air Force were Chinese Mandarin, Japanese, and Czechloslovakian. During the War in Vietnam he was stationed in Okinawa.

After his Honorable discharge from the Air Force, Bob worked for Instrument Control Services out of Pensacola, Florida, assisting in building the Air Products Helium Plant on the Oklahoma border, north of Gruver. Bob worked for the United States Postal Service from 1983-1984 as a clerk carrier in Spearman. In 1985 Bob moved back to Japan where he had served in the Air Force.

Bob has four children, Lee, 22, Akiko, 21, Daniel and Yuki, 19. The twins live with Bob, and will attend West Texas A&M in Canyon this fall as Freshmen. Akiko is a junior at WT in Canyon. Lee works for Caprock Credit in Amarillo.

His comprehensive coverage of sporting events and entertaining writing style have earned Bob a following among Reporter-Statesman readers. His work is commendable and we look forward to a great 96-97 Hansford County sports season with Bob Bort.



(Front Row, L-R) Brandi Willis, Mandy Lusby, Holly Pipkin, Brooke Lesly, Samantha Beasley, Amber Ramón; (Back Row, L-R) Leah Mackie, Jennifer Neff, Camille Smith, Brittni Beedy

# SHS Cheerleaders Attend Camp

The 1996-97 SHS Cheerleaders & Mascots attended VCA Cheer Camp at Southwestern University in San Marcos, Texas from July 10-13. Both cheerleaders and mascots attended sessions from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. learning new material and ideas for the football and basketball seasons.

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The girls are very excited about the new cheers, chants, dances and routines. Despite the humidity and the 100 plus weather, they all worked very hard to learn everything offered. Both cheerleaders and mascots earned many blue superior ribbons and spirit sticks. At the final competition the cheerleaders won the Most Improved trophy and the mascots were presented a 4th place over all trophy.

Those attending camp were cheerleaders: Seniors - Samantha

Beasley, and Mandy Lusby; Junior

- Jennifer Neff; Sophomores -Holly Pipkin and Brittni Beedy; Freshmen - Camille Smith, Brooke Lesly and Amber Ramón; Mascots: Junior - Leah Mackie and - Sophomores; Brandi Willis; Sponsors: Jenny Neff and Linda Wilkerson.

This Tuesday, August 13 the cheerleaders and mascots will hold their annual Kiddie Cheer Camp, it will be a fun day as well as an opportunity for the kids to learn the new cheers, chants and dances.

We will also have some old uniforms that will be sold. The sweaters and skirts will be sold for \$5 each. If you are interested in attending, the information needed is listed under Hansford Happenings in this newspaper.

The cheerleaders, mascots and sponsors are looking forward to a

House Museum. Books will be available.

### Spearman EMS Preregistration Meeting

Spearman EMS will have a preregistration meeting for anyone wanting to become an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT). The meeting will be held at the Emergency Services Building 513 S. Hazelwood on August 19 at 7:00 p.m. For more information call Michele Davis at 659-4165 or Paul Moore 659-5298.

## Spearman 7th & 9th Grade Girls Athletic Physicals All 7th and 9th grade girls who will be in any athletics this school year need to meet at the Varsity Gym for physicals on Monday, August 12

at 1:00 p.m. \*\*\*\*\*

# High School Cross Country

All athletes, boys and girls, interested in cross country, both junior high and high school, please meet at the Varsity Gym Monday, August 12 at 8:00 a.m.

### Hansford County 4-H Bake Show

The Hansford County 4-H Bake Show will be held Monday, August 12, at the County Extension Office in the Courthouse. Youth ages 9-19 may participate. The product to enter this year is muffins. Contact Peggy Winegarner, County Extension Agent, for guidelines of the contests. (659-4130 or 733-2901).

Spearman Volunteer Fire Department Has Barbecue For Sale The Spearman Volunteer Fire Department has Barbecue for sale at \$5.00 a pound, or 20 pounds or more for \$4.00 a pound. Call Randy Kirk or any fire fighter to purchase.

## CRC Pilot Risk Management Program

Learn more about the CRC pilot risk management program provided for by the Federal Crop Insurance Act for wheat produced in Texas at a free meeting on Friday, August 16th at 1:00 p.m. at the O'Loughlin Center. 

# In The Panhandle

# Boot Scootin' Roundup Barbecue & Funday

Sunray's 28th Annual Funday, sponsored by the Sunray Lions Club, will be held on Saturday, August 17. Funday features not only the pit barbecue prepared by the Lion's Club members, but also a parade, live entertainment, a street dance, games and give-aways drawings. The parade starts at 10 a.m. downtown Main St. Games and booths such as turtle races, egg toss and water polo will be happening along with six prize drawings will be held for \$1,000 in Sunray Funbucks to all barbecue ticket holders. From 8:30 p.m. to midnight a street dance featuring D.J. and Video Solutions will be presented at the Sunray swimming pool parking lot, sponsored by Beta Delta Sigma Sorority. For more information call 1-800-948-4111.

## **Citizens' Committee on Property Tax Relief**

The time of the Citizens' Committee on Property Tax Relief was incorrectly listed. The meeting for the Panhandle area is scheduled to be held in Amarillo on Thursday, August 22nd at 9:30 a.m. in the Garden Center at the Amarillo Medical Center. Those wishing to make comments will sign registration cards. Everyone expressing a desire to speak will be given the opportunity. For more information, contact Cindy Rugeley at (512) 476-8626.

# **Pipkin Attended Texas Tech Band Camp**



The Hansford County Reporter-

Statesman is proud to announce

the return of Bob Bort. Bob will

serve as Sport's Editor for the

Bob moved to Gruver from

South San Francisco, California

with his parents when he was

thirteen years old. He attended

and graduated from Gruver High

Bob attended the University of

Houston for two years and then

joined the Air Force. He was in

the Air Force for 11 years and

eight months, from 1970 to 1981.

Bob returned to Gruver in 1981 and

has been writing for the

In the Air Force Bob was a

newspaper off and on since then.

1996-97 school year.

School in 1967

Kara Pipkin recently spent one week at Texas Tech Band Camp. While at camp, Kara learned many things. Aside from perfecting her marching skills, she learned more about her instrument, worked on technique, and generally had fun.

The camp is open to band and orchestra students in grades 7

through 12. Students from all over the country attended this camp with some participants hailing from as far away as Egypt, Pakistan, and Mexico. The camp at Texas Tech University is one of the largest and most well-known in the nation. Many of the students return year after year to this camp to improve their skills. Kara, along with other campers, performed daily, participated in sectional practices, and attended camp assemblies. She also auditioned for a place in a band performing in the grand finale concert. All classes were taught by Tech faculty members and band directors from around the nation. The campers lived in residence halls on campus and were able to participate in other activities

Helen Boyd, of the Historical

great year with the Lynx and Lynxettes.

# **Historical Commission Meeting**

The Hansford County. Historical Commission met August 5 at the Zulu Stockade at 2:00 p.m.

Joel Lee Lackey, Chairman, asked for committee reports.

Joyce Johnson, member of the Historical Marker Committee, reported that the marker at Hansford Cemetery has been turned so it is visible from the highway.

Sylvia Robertson, of the Historical Appreciation Committee, reported that June Jackson is bringing the 1991 through 1996 Holt-Community Cemetery roster up to date.

Preservation Committee "Museum" asked the Commission

to recognize J.D. Wilbanks, Rubyjo Wilbanks, Gus Renner, Clementine Renner, and the Gladiola Flower Club for all the fine work they have done to keep the yards in good shape.

A book singing will be held for Ruth Ann Jones on Wednesday, August 28 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Ruth Ann has recently written a book about Thomas Bugbee and his wife, Molly, a frontier ranch couple, who lived in Hutchinson County. It is called Pioneer Partner.

Members present were: J.D. and Rubyjo Wilbanks, Sylvia Robertson, Bill K. Jackson, Cindy Blackman, Joyce Johnson, Helen Boyd, Joel Lee Lackey, Joanne Eaton, and Kyle Henderson.

# **Hutchinson Pioneer Reunion Set**

For the past 55 years, in the past, the meat for the meal Hutchinson County pioneers have been meeting in Stinnett to celebrate the county's beginnings and the people who settled it. This year's annual Pioneer Reunion is set for Sunday, August 18 in the West Texas High School Cafeteria.

According to Matt Chisum, president of the Pioneer Association, invitations will be sent to many of those who have attended in the past, but the celebration is open to everyone in the county who is interested in history.

This year's registration will begin at 11:30 a.m. and the luncheon will follow at 12:30. As

will be catered and those attending are encouraged to bring a side dish or a dessert.

besides those of the camp.

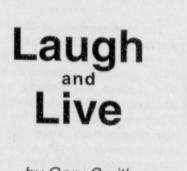
The program will get underway at 1:15 and will include recognizing many of the pioneers in attendance and entertainment. A history showcase will also be on display, provided by the Hutchinson County Museum.

Persons wishing to bring additional historical items and memorabilia are encouraged to do so. For more information on the Hutchinson County Pioneer Association contact Chisum at 878-3334, Imogene Luginbyhl at 878-2676 or Leslie Monden at 878-3256.



George Young (middle) is pictured above with the KRDF Black Box winners. They are: Kara Womble - Spearman and Leticia Salazar - Gruver. KRDF began the Black Box campaign in 1986 in Spearman, and in 1990 in Gruver. This year Spearman's Black Box was worth \$1275, and Gruver's Black Box was worth \$650.

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I first realized that I would never be a great writer when I read what my 11th grade English teacher inscribed at the top of an essay that I submitted...

"I am returning this otherwise good typing paper to you because someone has printed gibberish all over it and put your name at the top."

That was a long time ago. I still print a great deal of gibberish and put my name at the top.

The funny thing is that in spite of my obvious lack of writing talent, I am making a modest living with the art of writing and publishing.

Now, I am not making a great living, because the cost of living has really gone up lately. I have noticed, however, that the high cost of living has not affected it's popularity.

Some poor writers almost starve, while others become extremely wealthy. Look at Steven King. Here is a guy who makes millions of dollars writing about stuff of which nightmares are made. When asked about his obviously strange writing, King said, "Some people say that I must be a horrible person, but that's not true.I have the heart of a young boy -- in a jar on my desk"

I realize that in the writing world I will never be a Steven King. That's o.k. You can't have everything. Then again, if you could have everything, where would you keep it? hmmm...

> Until the next time, May God Bless GCS

# At The Movies

The Nutty Professor (PG-13) -Call this one a superMultiplicity (PG-13) -Director Harold Ramis tries to build on the success of his



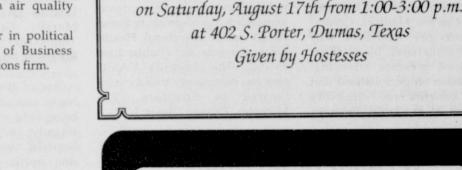
# Engagement Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Raley of Irving, TX. and Mr. and Mrs. Rollin D. Bredenberg of Southlake, TX. announce the engagement of their daughter, Anna Bredenberg, to Clint Patterson.

Clint is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Spearman. The couple plans to be wed October 12, at Woodhaven Presbyterian Church.

The bride-elect received a bachelor of science degree in 1994 from Rice University. She works at Trinity Consultants, an air quality consulting firm, where she is a environmental engineer.

The prospective groom received a B.A. with a major in political science in 1994 from Rice University. He is director of Business development at World Com., a Houston based communications firm.



# Thank You

I would like to thank everyone who helped me Saturday by being a court monitor. Thanks go out to Telie OQuin, Mindy Tigrett, Shayla Barber, Tara Butts, Samantha Beasley, Shawna Merckel, Justin Boyd, Cody Pipkin, Michelle and Misha Davis, Clint Schnell, James Vilalobos, Scott Jarvis, Dwane and Phillip Creel.

Thank you, Tracy Tigrett

You are cordially invited to attend a Wedding Shower honoring Anna Bredenberg

> Bride-elect of Clint Patterson on Saturday, August 17th

in the home of Mrs. Pat Jackson 1105 Linn Drive

Trinity Fellowship Church BACK-TO-SCHOOL CHILDREN'S OUTREACH 1996 Saturday, August 10, 1996 9:00 a.m. ¥ 717 W. 7th

You are cordially invited to attend a

Wedding Shower

honoring

Haley Shieldknight

Bride-elect of Joel Shields

on Saturday, August 10th

from 2:00-3:30 p.m.

in the home of Mrs. Pat Jackson

1105 Linn Drive

You are cordially invited to attend a

Bridal Shower

honoring

Melissa Moyer

Bride-elect of Bubba Cargill II

Giving Away School Supplies for Children Kindergarten through 2nd Grade Spanish interpreter will be available

> Children must be preregistered to take advantage of this give-away. For preregistration forms, call 659-2763, 659-3844 or 659-2301.

> > Children must be in attendance to receive supplies.

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# **Rex Sprague**

Rex Sprague, 70, died Wednesday, July 31, 1996.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Halfway Cemetery with Layne Reading, chaplain at Hospice of the Plains, and Shane Brue, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements were by Freeman Funeral Home.

Mr. Sprague was born in Cadillac, Mich., and had lived in the Halfway community and Hale Center most of his life. He married Wanda Mayes in 1954 at Wharton.

He was a farmer and a machine operator for Hale County Precinct No. 3. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Marines from 1942 to 1945 and then in the Army from 1946 to 1948.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Donald Sprague of Spearman and David Polk of Nederland; two daughter, Ruby Pinkerton of Halfway and Kathy Henderson of Hale Center; a brother Charles Sprague of Baley, Mich.; four sisters, Margaret Scott of Mesquite, Patricia Gilders of Portland, Genieve Hollars of Mathis and Barbara Smith of Aransas Pass.; and nine grandchildren.

## Billie Jack "B.J." Holland

Billie Jack "B.J." Holland, 69, died Wednesday, July 31, 1996. Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday in First Methodist Church with Larry Reed-Farris, pastor, who officiated. Burial was in Plainview by Wood-Dunning Funeral Home of Plainview.

Mr. Holland was born in Kress and had lived in the Kress area all his life. He married Elma Louis Machen in 1946 at Kress. He was a farmer and had been involved in the sand and rock trucking business before retiring in 1989. He was a member of First Methodist Church, the G.M.C. Motor Club, the Elks Lodge and Sons of Confederate Veterans. He was a past president of Texas Flying Farmers.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Dannie Jack Holland of Kress; a sister Jean Arms of Gruver; a brother, Lonnie Ray Holland of The Woodlands; and two grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First Methodist Church or Hospice of the Plains.

### Mattie Coady Keith

Mattie Coady Keith, 84, died Sunday August 4, 1996.

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Byrds Prairie Cemetery at Tupelo, Oklahoma. Burial arrangements were by Smith Funeral Home of Ada, Oklahoma. Local arrangements were by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Keith was born in Centrahoma, Oklahoma, and was a longtime resident of Tupelo, Oklahoma. She had lived in Dumas since 1980. She was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clindon Lee Keith, in 1968.

Survivors include a son, Muriel Bratcher of Lookeba, Oklahoma; three daughters, Wynell Hager of Spearman, Leoda Burkhalter of Dumas and Juanita Waldon of Vinita, Oklahoma; a brother, Joe Schutte of Tupelo; 14 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Memorial Hospice, 224 E. Second, Dumas 79029.

# **Oscar William Doshier**

Oscar William Doshier, 91, longtime Hardesty farmer and rancher, passed away Thursday evening, August 1, 1996 at his home southwest of Hardesty.

Funeral services were held Monday August 5, 1996, at 10 a.m. at Bethel Baptist Church, with Rev. Horace Tyson, pastor who officiated and Rev. John Goss, pastor of Adams Baptist Church who assisted. Interment followed in Hartville Cemetery under the direction of Henson-Novak Funeral Directors of Guymon.

The son of Edna Lee (Godley) and John William Doshier, he was born October 19, 1904 in Montague County, near Nocona, Texas. Mr. Doshier came to Texas County in 1919. He operated a grocery store in Hardesty for several years and later ran the Mobile Oil Distributorship in Guymon.

He was united in marriage to Myrtle Lois Burton on March 30, 1934 in Hardesty where Mr. Doshier built and operated a Conoco service station. He was active in farming and ranching until his retirement in 1970. He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Myrtle Doshier of the home; a daughter, Donnie and her husband, Dwayne Mitchell of Spearman, TX; 2 granddaughters, Paige Sultemeier of Rogers, Arkansas and Shelley Baloglou of Amarillo, TX; 3 great-grandchildren, Christin Baloglou, Caitlin Baloglou and Daniel Sultemeier.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a sister, Mattie Cook; and 3 brothers, Tom Doshier, Jim Doshier and Lee Doshier.

An Oscar Doshier Memorial has been established for the Bethel Baptist Church Restoration. Memorials will be accepted at Henson-Novak Funeral Home, Box 1306, Guymon, Oklahoma. 73942.

# Joe Edd Bass

Joe Edd Bass, 42, of Amarillo, died Monday, Aug. 5, 1996. Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Lawndale Church of Christ with Loran Harper and Jerry Line, both of the church, and Ron Pauls of London, Ontario, Canada, officiating. Graveside services were at Memorial Park Cemetery North Mausoleum. Burial was at Memorial Park Cemetery, Garden of Faith by Memorial Park Funeral Home.

Mr. Bass was born in Crosbyton and moved to Amarillo 12 years ago. He married Virginia Brown in 1974 at Dalhart. He attended Amarillo College and Preston Road Center for Christian Education. He was an electrical diesel mechanic for Bruckner's Truck Sales.

He was a former minister of the Albany Church of Christ and the Medford, Ore., Church of Christ and currently was a deacon at Lawndale Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Zachary Bass of the home; two daughters, Sarah Bass and Rachel Bass, both of the home; parents, James and Neva Jo Bass of Portales, N.M.; two brothers, Jim Bass of Amarillo and Jerry Bass of Spearman; and sister, Judy Hardin of Portales.

The family requests memorials be to Children's Emergency Home c/o Lawndale Church of Christ.

# Alton Mason Tindell

Alton Mason Tindell, 80, died Thursday, Aug. 1, 1996. Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Hansford Cemetery with the Rev. Walter Greaser, pastor of First Assembly of God, who officiated. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Tindell was born in Plainview, N.M., and had lived in the Spearman area for 3 1/2 years, moving from Deming, N.M. He married Lucielle A. Lowe in 1918 at Bisbee, Ariz. He retired as a civil service warehouse inspector.

Survivors include his wife; two step-daughters, Dorothy Bonner of Davis, Calif., and Kathryn Bourque of Gonzales, La.; two stepsons, Bill Lowe of Deming and Alan Lowe of Spearman; two brothers, Ira Tindell of Spearman and J.L. Tindell of Deming; two sisters, Ola Mae Chakeris of San Francisco and Lila Dutch of Redwood City, Calif.; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

# Jimmy Earl Mixon

Jimmy Earl Mixon, 45, a former resident of Amarillo, died Friday, August 2, 1996.

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in High Grove Country Cemetery near Cedar Creek. Arrangements were by Cook Walden Funeral Home of Austin.

Mr. Mixon was an accomplished musician. He loved music.

Survivors include his daughter, Faith Bornoff of Silverdale, Wash.; his mother and stepfather, June and Charles Elliott of Amarillo; his father, Otis Mixon of Mesquite; three sisters, D.J. Geoffroy of Austin, Jo Tennison of Lubbock and Ann Irwin of Amarillo; two brothers, Charles Elliott of Spearman and Bobby Elliott of Amarillo; and two grandchildren.

# Mary Morrison Virden

Mary Morrison Virden, 73, died Monday, August 5, 1996.

Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, August 8, in Lemons Memorial Chapel-Plainview, Texas with Rev. Joe Stone, pastor, of San Angelo First Assembly of God Church who officiated. Burial was in Lockney Cemetery.

Mrs. Virden was born in Erick, Oklahoma, and grew up in Floydada, Texas and attended Floydada Schools. She moved to Lockney in 1938, to Plainview in 1952. She worked for Dorothy's Apparel in Sales from 1978 - 1983. In 1983 she moved to Gruver and worked at the City Library. She moved to Spearman in 1994. She was a member of Gruver First Baptist Church. She had been a member of Southside Assembly of God Church in Plainview.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Edward (Margaret) Fry of Gruver, and Mrs. Royce (Glenda) Jones of Fairfield, Texas; two sons, Jerry Virden of Espinola, New Mexico, and Delbert Virden of Archer City, Texas; four brothers, Ernest Morrison of Clarendon, Texas, Ted Morrison of Amarillo, Texas, Albert Morrison and Frank Morrison of Pampa, Texas; one sister, Lillian Todd of Wichita Falls, Texas; 11 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.



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# Among The Neighbors

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Barcelona Courts with 70 attending. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Freddie Largent was so pleased to have most of her family here for a week recently. Debra Gallimore and her family came from Beaumont, and Pam Ortega with her children came from Lubbock.

After Pam left, Daltona and Laci Ortega stayed on for several days, leaving on Friday. They also visited their other grandparents, Frances and Verginio Ortega here. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Nancy and Howard Barkley of Gruver observed their ninth wedding anniversary by making a family reunion of it. The reunion lasted about a week, five days of which were spent aboard the Crown Princess Cruise Ship in Alaskan waters.

Although all were "landlubbers" they enjoyed the calm waters and smooth sailing. However a couple experienced a little sea sickness. The weather was cool and ideal.

Each had different impressions of memorable sights, but all felt the most spectacular was the glaciers. The Glacier Bowl and the College Fiord were indescribable. The contrasts in color, the tremendous height, and the incredible stillness. The passengers found themselves whispering. Then suddenly there would be a loud crack and the glacier would come crashing down. The family members sharing memories that will last a lifetime were: Arlene and Jerry \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Mabel Jameson was the oldest present and Nathan Bennett, 10 month old son of Piper Bennett, was the youngest.

Reminiscing, games, bingo and looking at pictures filled the day. The album of the first reunion was particularly interesting.

From home places those present were: Spearman - Heneritta Andrews, Karen and Richey Thomson with Toby; Verlin and Audril Behne; Mable Jameson; Myrtle DeArmond, Bill and Cynthia DeArmond; Dora Womble; Robert and Kara Womble; Charles and Lola Newcomb. Sunray - Louetta McClellan; Morse - Ron, Chris and Ross Womble, Bob and Susie Womble with Tye, Jerry Womble, Chuck Newcomb; Stratford . Hall and Jeanie Bennett, Piper Bennett with Nathan; Gruver -Bob Amazon; Amarillo - Butch and Charlene Finely, Donna and Mandie Medley; Guymon -Marvin Andrews; Pampa - Kelby McClellan, Brenda Holmes with Tandra, K'lye, J'ce. One visitor -Harold Bennett, Stratford. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

The opening of the Texas Tech Pharmacy school in Amarillo received considerable publicity on the Amarillo T.V. It had special interest for Don and Gloria Knox as their granddaughter Shelley Howard was in some of the pictures. She was that pretty red-haired girlsmiling like Grandmother Gloria. She is the daughter of David and Reta Knox of Hart, Texas. When she finishes in Amarillo, she will have a Doctorate degree in

Wednesday from Kerrville where they attended the wedding of their third granddaughter, Traci also the

She has been the arts and crafts

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brought her students out on Thursday

Saturday night Boy Scouts from Guymon came on a camping overnight, and Sunday evening the First Baptist Church of Gruver rented the shelter for a party to welcome their new pastor, Scott Curry and his family

Joan Hawkins, secretary at the office, is out for awhile having a knee replaced.

The picture is of Rex Ried and his daughter Chelsea holding the stringer of fish they caught on shad the night of July 27. Chelsea had gone to the tent to sleep when Rex called her to see the 6.5 pound catfish he had caught. She stayed up and helped catch the nice set of fish after that. They were camping on the Horse Creek side of the Lake.

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This week Leona Stavlo told me an amusing story of an intruder in their country home at Oslo. She and Joel were sound asleep when a noise made them think someone was in the house. Leona wanted to telephone for help, but Joel thought he could handle it. He found a disgruntled barn owl in the fireplace in the family room. At Joel's approach the owl flew into the living room. Joel called to Leona to turn on the outside light and open the front door. She said the owl then stalked out the front door as if the visit was a mistake. Now they have a screen over the chimney



## by Joanne Eaton

Ironing anyone? This is almost an "art" of the past. It really would be if we had to do it like the women of bygone days.

One of the irons at the Museum has a detachable handle. The base of it would be put on the cookstove to heat, then the wooden handle would be reattached to iron. Those little critters are heavy too.

The other iron has a place to put hot coals in so the iron will heat. It has a vent to let out steam. This was the original steam iron with no water.

Our 1902 edition of the Sears, Roebuck & Co. catalog lists Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons with forged stretcher handle, in sets of three with detachable wood handle for 67 cents. The set came in different weights. One iron was 4 pounds, one was 51/8 pounds and one was 53/8 pounds. The handle will not break if dropped. The set comes with a finely polished stand. (A person would not have to lift weights after a day of ironing.)

The Charcoal Iron is listed with a removable top, wood handle with tin shield, and one flue. This has a weight of 6 1/2pounds empty. The retail price is 85 cents.

I figured out why they call the

one a Sad Iron. I imagine there were many tears by the time the lady-of-the-house finished the ironing. Now aren't you glad for permanent press fabrics and driers? I still iron a lot, but my iron is very light weight. \*\*\*\*\*\*

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Spearman has a new author. Ruth Ann Jones has written a book called, Pioneer Partners. This is a biography of Thomas Bugbee and his wife, Molly. They settled in Hutchinson County. The Museum will have a book-signing on Wednesday, August 28, from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. for Ruth Ann. Be sure to come! Ruth Ann and Marvin, her husband, also restored the old Bugbee Homestead.

Ruth Ann and Anita Holt also wrote a booklet on the Drift Fence. The Drift Fence was barbed wire stretched across the top of the Panhandle to stop drifting cattle. It stretched across Hutchinson, Ochiltree, and Moore Counties in this area. The summer issue of the "Prairie Dog Gazette" carries an article about drift fences. One of these newspapers can be picked up at the Museum. They are free! Very good reading! \*\*\*\*\*\*

We were sorry to learn that our Queen, Ollie Jarvis, broke her hip. We hope she is recovering speedily!

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Special tours can be arranged by calling Rubyjo or J.D. Wilbanks at 659-3084, Clementine Renner at 659-2335, or Helen Boyd at 733-2777.



by Dorothy Hudson

feet and 8.5 inches

Lake Depth--August 5, 1996--34

The high this year has been 35

feet and 2 inches, which is the

third highest the Lake has been.

Some of the roads are still closed,

and the rise has made it harder

to fish from the bank. Jim says

roads are wet, and it is easy to

Seven different R.V.s camped

over the weekend. Van and Lee

Bradford of Gruver brought

grandchildren Chase, Chelsea,

Jade, and Jacy out in their R.V. on

Thursday and Friday. Van said

the children really enjoyed

catching perch at the Children's

Kay Hobbs of Gruver, who has

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### Gary

Great work on your column. It makes me laugh every Thursday. You and your wife are also doing a commendable job on the Hansford County Reporter, too. Keep up the Good Work!

Mark S. Mathews, Lbar@juno.com

# VA to Open Clinic in Liberal

The Amarillo Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, in agreement with Southwest Medical Center, is opening a VA Primary Care Clinic at Southwest Medical Center, 15th and Pershing, Liberal, KS. The clinic will be open to treat veterans August 12th.

The public is invited to a grand opening ceremony at 1 p.m., August 17, at Southwest Medical Center. Reception and tour of the clinic will follow the ceremony.

A free health fair for veterans and their families will also be held on August 17, from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room #2 at Southwest Medical Center. Free services available will include cholesterol, blood sugar and blood pressure screening. Information on personalized diet plans, benefits and eligibility will also be available. Veterans wishing to enroll for medical care should bring copies of their discharge papers to the health fair.

The Liberal VA Clinic will provide routine health care to the veteran patient. For more serious conditions or hospitalization, the veteran will be transported to the Amarillo VA facility. Veterans wishing to make an appointment at the VA Primary Care Clinic, Liberal, KS, should call (316) 626-5574.

The Amarillo VA Medical Center recognized the necessity of having a VA-related doctor close to home and was given approval to establish VA community based clinics under the Rural Health Clinic Services Act (Public Law 95-210). The Amarillo VAMC now has community based clinics located in Stratford, TX. Memphis, TX, and Clovis, NM.

# WTAMU News Briefs

Power Builder Programming information or to register for the Course... The WTAMU Continuing Education Center will offer an introductory course in Power Builder, a development tool for The WTAMU Continuing client/server systems, from 8:30 Education Center will offer a a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday defensive driving course form 9 and 8:30-11:30 a.m. Friday, Aug. 19-23 in Room 105 of the Classroom Center on the WTAMU campus.

Course content will include object-oriented programming, Windows programming, Data used for dismissal of traffic Windows, Power Scripting, menu citations if approved by the development, inheritance, database connections, SQL, embedded SQL and integrating with OLE.

Carol Camp, a WTAMU instructor in the Department of **Computer Information Systems** (CIS), will teach the PowerBuilder course.

The course can be taken for credit in CIS 499 or CIS 5499 or for no credit. Cost of the course is \$350 and includes course materials and

course, contact the Continuing Education Center at 806/656-2037. Defensive Driving Course... a.m. - noon and 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 10. Cost of the course is \$25. The course is approved by the Texas Department of Public Safety. The course can also be judge. For more information or to

register for the course, call 806/656-2037. OSGOOD MONUMENT CO. Amarillo, Texas

Dealers of Rock of Ages Granite, as well as all colored granites, marble and bronze memorials.



The 38th annual Cluck family reunion was held at the Halidome in Elk City, Oklahoma on July 20 and 21. Tom and Kay Graves of Morrison, Oklahoma were hosts.

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The entertainment this year consisted of hilarious gag gifts.

The attendance was not as large as in previous years, but an interesting note is the number of towns represented.

Mary Rae Lamb, Janis Maupin and Faye Cluck from Gruver; Andy and Pat Burleson, Amarillo; Retta and Billie Cluck, Dimmitt; Alton and Ruby Cluck, Sentinel; Entis and Mary Jewel Finnell, Alice and Nathan Holland, Bob and Bobbie, Dudeck, Norman; Dixie High, Nelda and Loyd Bowie, Edmond; Belle Bradley, Tulsa; Ruby Webb, Mary Catherine and Rob Robinson, Miami, Oklahoma; Lavita Ward and grandson, Randy, Hobart; Cason and Harriet Graves, Barbara and Merritt Graves, Nashville, Tennessee; H.D. and Mary Robinson, Miami.

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One of the few strictly men, horse and cattle round-ups still being held very nearly ended in tragedy last Monday. At the Knutsen ranch near the county line north of Spearman, the Stavlos and several cowboys were roping the calves for branding, dehorning, shots, etc. Bob Davis had roped a calf when somehow it doubled back and the rope became entangled with the horses legs. The horse fell over backwards on Bob and rolled on him

A Spearman ambulance took him to the Guymon Memorial hospital where he underwent extensive surgery. He had several organs removed, but surprisingly, only one broken bone-his left shoulder. Later some complications developed.

Bob, exhibiting his usual stubborn toughness, was showing good recovery by the past Monday. They are hopeful he can be released soon.

Bob is the son of C.A. and Gerry Davis, and the husband of Cathy. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Guests of John and Virginia Trindle for a long week-end were Donna and Dennis Latham and daughter. They are from Beach



The Lathams went on to Graham to visit Connie's family. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Jim Jones is one of the fortunate from Spearman who attended the Olympics. He and his brother, Roger, of Amarillo, left the Saturday of the final week and returned this past Friday.

For the most part they attended the track and field events. Some of the highlights for them were seeing Carl Lewis win the gold in the long jump; Michael Johnson win the 400 meter and Dan O'Brien win the gold at the decathlon. It was exciting to watch the U.S. Women's Soccer team win the gold, first ever for the U.S. and the Women's basketball team play Australia. Sheryl Swoopes played in that game. The medal presentation ceremony was most impressive.

When quizzed about nights entertainment, Jim said the athletic events ended at 10 p.m., then the bus ride to their lodging took until 1 a.m. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

The still vivacious and pretty Mickey Davis Gribble was in Spearman a few days last week. She visited in the home of Willard and Jetty Davis, and with many friends here and in

Amarillo. She and her family live in Centralia, Washington. \*\*\*\*\*\*

In honor of the 40th wedding anniversary of Del and Barbara Cluck, their family sailed on the Crown Princess cruise ship in Alaskan waters.

On July 29 they flew to Seattle, then to Anchorage, then took a bus to Seward. Their cruise began there. During the next two days they made port at Skagway, Juneau and Ketchikan. The next three days they cruised, and finally disembarked at Vancouver.

The cuisine aboard ship was delicious, and accommodations comfortable. They were especially pleased that provision was made for the children on one of the decks. There was a swimming pool for them, supervision, games, food

and were highly entertained. Those on the cruise were Bra

cruise was a fine reward for the 40 years and is looking forward to the next 40. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Jed Meisner is back at home after undergoing surgery at St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo on Monday, the 29th. Jed had suffered a ruptured disc in the spine last December in a vehicle accident. A bone graft was necessary and appears to be successful. He is recovering well, but will wear a brace for about four weeks. It is expected that he will return to his duties with Exxon Company in a couple of months.

Jed and Lisa express appreciation to all the friends who have shown their concern by visits, calls, cards and prayers. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

A group from the First Methodist Church left a week ago Sunday for San Marcos, Texas to assist in the renovation of some homes. The 18 from Spearman joined 100 others from Methodist churches. They were divided into workers for five homes. The Spearman group was assigned finishing tasks.

The work was demanding but recreation in the evenings relieved the sore muscles. They stayed in a gym, but enjoyed tubing on both the San Marcos and little Arkansas rivers. On Friday night a dance was given for them and on Saturday most of the Spearman bunch went to New Braunfels to an outstanding water park.

The adults going were Linda Cummings, Mark and Margie Schoenhals, Betty and Chalmers Porter, Jeff and Dacie Lust.

Teenagers were Mickey, Doran and Amy Schoenhals, Andrew Cummings, Cary Cates, Timmy Bynum, Tommy Dewberry, Brace Scroggs, Jeremy Mackie, Erin Atwood, and Evan Cudd. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Betty Lemons is recovering at home after a bout with E Coli Bacteria. She entered Ochiltree General Hospital a week ago Friday and was hospitalized until Thursday.

Her son, Frank Lemons, from Hannibal, Missouri brought her home from the hospital and spent a few days with her. He is the

# Spread Sales, in the near future. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

The congregation at the First Baptist Church last Sunday saw a rare sight when the usually calm, cool and collected Everett and Louise Vanderburg were shocked, amazed and speechless. They were called to the front of the congregation where Everett was presented with a plaque commemorating his 50 years as an active deacon. Adding to their surprise their son, Jack and Donna, from Dalhart and daughter, Nelda and Lee Callaway from Amarillo, joined them. They had been seated in the balcony.

The entire Vanderburg family, including Jim and Linda Davis, went to the Troy Vanderburgs for a family meal. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Pastor Kyle and Cindy Henderson and sons are remembering a most satisfying trip-a combination of visiting relatives, old friends, sight seeing, relaxing on the beach and attending the Olympics.

Leaving here on the 25th they drove to Arlington where both their parents live, and leisurely continued on through Louisiana, Alabama and Florida, visiting with friends and relatives in each state. In Florida the boys had their first glimpse of the ocean, at Pensacola.

The climax was the Olympics in Atlanta. They attended the last two events of the modern pentathelon, the equestrian events and the cross country running. In the evening they enjoyed the ceremony in which the medals were presented. They toured the city of Atlanta, seeing the capital and other structures.

Outstanding in their memories was the trip up Stone Mountain where the famed stone carvings are. They rode the tram to the top then hiked to the carvings.

They also went to Centennial Park and attended some entertainment and did a little shopping.

On the return trip they again stopped in Arlington and also went to Mount Vernon for a visit with Frank and Tina Wilmeth. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Virginia Head, Aleta Jackson and three sons attended the Morse family reunion in Lubbock on a

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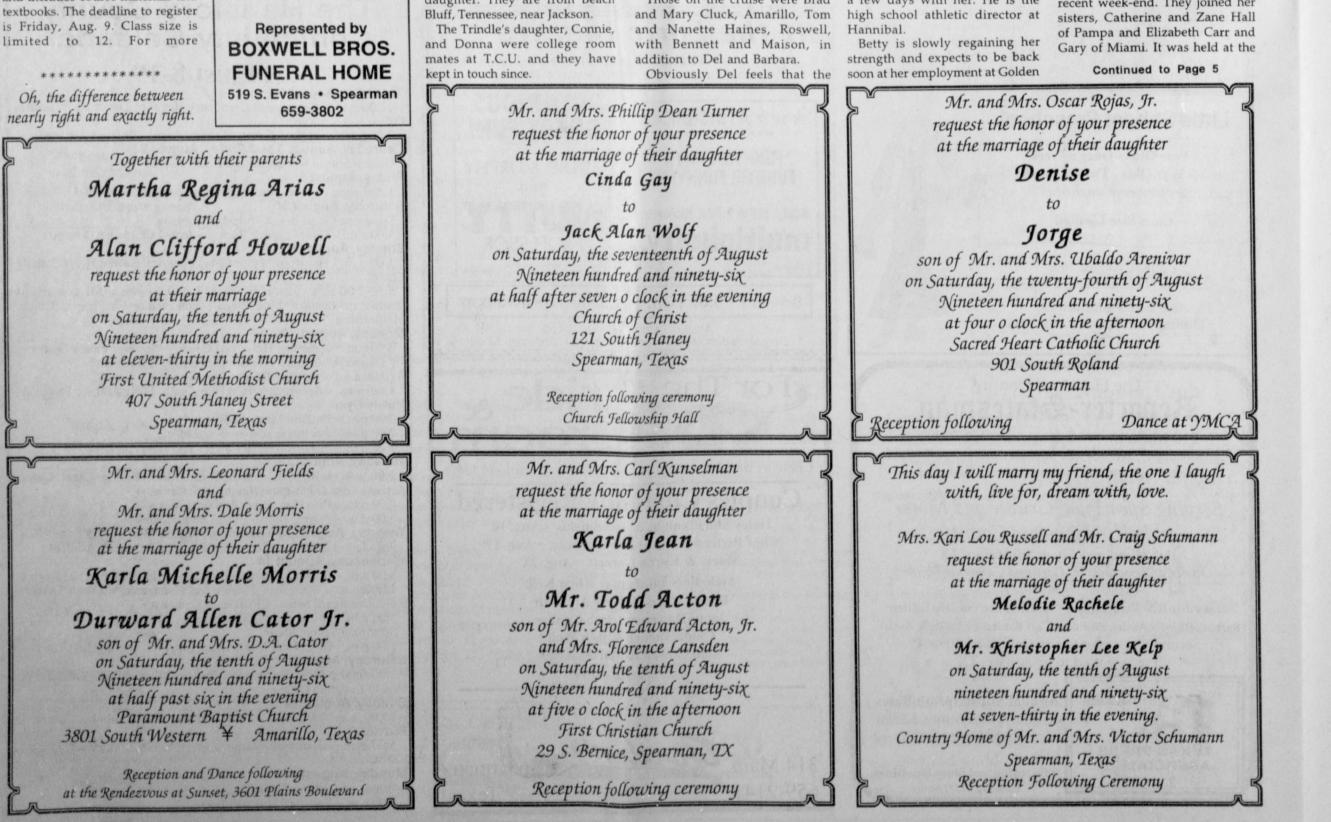
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As you read this we will all be waiting in the Amarillo Airport for the Southwest 7:00 p.m. flight from California for a tall, newly graduated Marine, to step off. I'm anxious to have my sons arms around me again, to see his grin and look into his eyes, and to see what changes the Marines have made in my son. I know a lot of things from here on will be changed forever. I have learned a lot about myself in the time he has been gone and I'm sure I'll learn even more as this venture of his carries all of us with it. I've learned I'm stronger inside than I gave myself credit for, and I've learned to give more of myself to others since he left. It's a very good feeling. I know now I can help others by touching them with my life, as so many have helped me and my family, and I am so grateful for that. I've

learned my writing is "coming back" to me, with a rush of memories galore! I'm having a ball with it too - and I think with each one I'm getting a little surer, stronger, and better. I'm a little closer to what my family has wanted me to do for years, write "my book"

I'm learning that "letting go" doesn't have to be "forever" - it's sort of bitter sweet. I'm learning what it is like to start over and not "just be a mom" anymore - just the two of us again after 25 years, and that's hard.

Each one of you who reads Sam's is helping me, because I

couldn't do it unless I had all you people who cared and have shared your love with me and my family. Sooo, think about us tonight as you read this paper. "Smile" and think of a mother's tears of pride and love, a fathers pride, and a sisters pride. We've all missed our beloved "Bear" so very, very much. We'll only have him for a few short days, but better that than none at all.

We plan to spend Christmas in California with him. He can't come home, so we will go there and take "Mark," my St. Bernard guide dog for my MS and "Ajax," Shawn's golden retriever, who is my "ears," with us. We'll have about 10 days and I'm anxious to see California again after nearly 30 years. (I was a model and Terry was in boot camp. Neither of us have been back since. I've a lot of memories there!)

I will continue to need all the love, support and prayers I have received from all of you when we have to send him back.

I do hope that everyone that love's Shawn and all his friends will get a chance to see him while he's here. We plan to stay pretty close to home, for that's what he wants - "home".

If you see him, ask him for the story of what "he did" to the Commanding General's yard, and see what he tells you! The story behind that one, for those that really know Shawn, is good!

I'll leave you now in Sam's Corner with my love to each of you - Sam.

# **Gladiola Flower Club News**

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by Dorothy Buzzard

The Gladiola Flower Club met Thursday, August 1, at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Kathleen Sutton. President Dorothy Buzzard presided over the business meeting.

Roll call was answered, and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report was given by Gwen Smith.

Dorothy Buzzard led a discussion on the scholarship fund and appointed the committee of Estelle Jackson, Fay Holt, and Virginia Head to bring their recommendations to the club.

Kathleen Sutton, project chairman, reported we would have a workday to pull weeds at the museum. She also passed the sign-up sheet for the Bingo games at the Manor.

June Jackson reported on the Home Tour progress. Flowers were voted on, and Fay Holt won Home Grown division. June Jackson won Specimen and Kathleen Sutton August 15, 1996.

# Carthel Receives Harrington Scholarship

of 27 students to receive a Sybil B. Harrington Scholarship for the 1996-97 academic year.

The Amarillo College Foundation, Inc., awards the scholarships on an annual basis. Each recipient will receive the actual cost of tuition, fees and books, up to a maximum of \$3,500 per year. The Sybil B. Harrington Scholarship Fund was established through The Amarillo College Foundation, Inc., in 1989 with a gift by Mrs. Harrington. She has contributed more than \$2.5 million to the corpus of this fund.

The scholarships provided by the investment earnings recognize academically outstanding graduating seniors from any of the high schools in the 26 counties of the Panhandle and

Swimming Pool Park. Dickie Allen introduced Ruth Ann Jones, author of "Pioneer Partners" for a very interesting review. It's the life story of Tom

won for Pot Plant.

and Molly Bugbee. Fay Holt, June Jackson, and Ruth Ann Jones then displayed a throw as the latest project for the Holt Community ladies. It will be a historical throw with many points of interest.

Margarette Evans, chairman

for the picnic, announced it would

be at 7 p.m. on August 15, at the

Members attending were: Dickie Allen, Charlsie Baker, Wanda Brown, Dorothy Buzzard, Rose Cummings, Betty Jean Davis, Margarette Evans, Ann Flowers, Virginia Head, Fay Holt, Estelle Jackson, June Jackson, Jo Larson, Judy Martin, Gwen Smith, Virginia Trindle, Verna Brown, and hostess Kathleen Sutton.

The next meeting will be at the Swimming Pool Park at 7 p.m. on

KiKi Carthel of Gruver is one students graduating from Amarillo College.

> Available funds are allocated for scholarships to graduating high school seniors planning to attend an accredited institution in Texas, other than AC; graduating seniors planning to attend AC; and graduating AC students to attend any accredited institution in Texas.

Applicants are chosen on the basis of grade point average, college entrance exam scores, financial need and recommendation of high school principals and counselors or college instructor and advisers. The scholarships are awarded on an annual basis and may be renewed if outstanding academic achievement is maintained.

McMurry University.

August 8

Happy Birthday!

Birthdays - Faye Cluck, Jean Holland, Billy Pat Underwood, Ed Berner, Junior Vela, Hosa Casas, George Young, and Frankie Dominguez

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Garrard

August 9

Birthdays- Dody Banks, Christopher Layton, Reba Miser, Inell Trahan, Teresa Oakes, Roy Dunaway, Karla Latta, Anita Garrard, Bob Rylant, Holly Pipkin, and Aurora Vela Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Dossett, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dossett, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bevill

### August 10

Birthdays - Clint Bell, Kyle Deeds, Monica Garcia, Ralph Mireles, Bob Tolleson, Jamie Gomez, David Hagar, Ronnie Burke, Tim Woodington, Chris Strawn, Karen Moyer, Danna Irlbeck, Dell Brandt, Abbey Edwards, Christopher Vela, Smokey Huse, and Art Salazar

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Lucio Vela, Mr. and Mrs. Riche Randall, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Wright, and Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Alvarez

### August 11

Birthdays - Howard Barkley, Autumn Bateman, Jake McCullough, Clint DeArmond, Ray Robertson, Jody Rex, Dean McLain, Tootsie Scroggs, Simon Nelson Kam Taylor, Hank Sutterfield, and Tammy Herndon

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitford, and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Wright

### August 12

Birthdays - Hix Spivey, Kathy Stedje, Norma Swink, Verna Gail Keim, Angela Gaither, Judy Nelson, Randy Hargis, Julian Rodriquez Sr., Wade Nobles, and Devonna Boyd, **Janice Bannister** 

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Saldavar and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tucker

Birthdays - Pam Schmehr,

Brendy Brown, Mike Coomer, Gail Ethredge, Denise Karlin, Charles Phillips, Blake Tranham, Wanda Jones, Max Baggerly, Anne Foster, Adrian Robertson, Lorrie Bowen Oliver Barnes, and Joe Dean Clement Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Richard Winter, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Flowers, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald TeBeest

### August 14

Birthdays - Noma Schell, Leslie Latta, Earlyne Gee, Jimmy Nicholson, and Mike Pack

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Monty Lusby and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lilley

### August 15

Birthdays - Kelly Armes, Rita Cluck, Mary Jane Henson, Ryan Winger, Buddy Gaither, Cole Umphress, Sara Butt, Ruby Burger, Vanessa Ortega, and Dub Womble Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Billy

Baker, Mr. and Mrs. David Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Murrell, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Logsdon Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Zane Grav

# August 16

Birthdays - Corky Chapman, Ed Fry, Ronny Womble, Wayne Burchard, Bob Collier, Ben Dunaway, Sondra Younger, Felix Sandaval, Chuck Eaton, Tyce Hergert, Teresa Cook, Sharon Ross, Jason Villines, Lillie Love, Kathy Love, Nicholas Vinson, Ruben Gomez, and Donetta Greene.

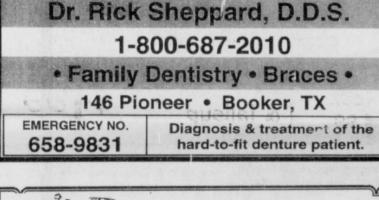
> Four Under Par Wins Scrambles

The winning team in the Tuesday Scrambles at the Hansford Golf Club had a four under par 32. Play this week was from the front nine red tees.

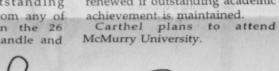
Members of the winning team were Cass Lasater, Brian Watley, and Jeff Beedy.



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# For The Sbort Of It

## by Bob Bort

I am always up for challenges, but this year I may have bitten off a piece too big for me to chew. As of now, the plan is for me to cover both Spearman and Gruver sports. For the moment, I have selected five Lynx games and five Hounds games that I will cover in person. The five games that I will miss on each schedule will be covered by me from statistics and interviews that I will get from the coaches. I hope Coach Ric Smith of the Lynx does not hold his memory of my past reporting against me. As everyone knows I am a big Hounds fan. But the Hounds and Lynx do not play each other this year, and I believe I can report in an unbiased manner in both cases.

Here is the schedule of games I will cover:

Stratford is picked to finish just because Gruver's schedule is out of the playoff picture. Then comes the Lynx, ahead of only newcomer Sunray and old-hat Boys Ranch. This is suppose to be a rebuilding year for the Lynx.

If you were going to look for anything, look for an excellent offensive effort, able to put points on the board. There is talent, and loads of it, in the backfield with a couple of powerful running backs. I am talking about running backs Michael Witten and Michael Lusby. Both are mentioned by Dave Campbell, along with alldistrict returnees Dillon Miller and Tom Kirk, along with Eric Cudd, Britt Savage, Frankie Dominquez, Tony Clement, Travis Loomis, Blake Beedy, Eric Varnon, and Jake Howard. Coach Smith, I do not want to get on your bad side right off, but Childress is an

Friday, August 23.

Hounds home games this year

easier. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Boy, chalk one up for commercial impropriety. You thought the Olympics were bad with Coke and McD's and all the commercial endorsements. But this is the worst I've heard.

"I was a child, and she was a child, in this kingdom by the sea." Any 16 year old kid could probably tell you that is the first line from Edgar Allen Poe's "Annabelle Lee." How about, 'Quote the Raven, nevermore." Of course that is also E.A. Poe, and "The Raven".

Well along comes the Cleveland Browns, and they pack up after 50 years in Cleveland and move to Baltimore. What do they name their team, but none other than an E.A. Poe





First State Bank officers and employees cooked fish for the Golden Spread Senior Citizen's Center on Tuesday, July 30th. They also cooked chicken for the Hansford Manor residents on Thursday, August 1st. First State Bank does this every month that has five Tuesdays to show their appreciation to local senior citizens. Pictured above are: (Back Row, L-R) Brett Burgin, Worth Whitworth, Clay Schnell; (Front Row, L-R) Raldall Sauer, Irene Baker, Mike Schnell.

# by G.arland Hopper

On July 30th, the Golden Spread Senior Citizens were treated to a delicious fish fry by the First State Bank. Approximately 45 people were served. Thanks go out to the Bank and its employees. The Seniors always enjoy your fish treat.

By the time this is in print the Radio Auction will be in the past. Thank you to all who donated items or contributed to the auction in any way. In my absence during the Radio Auction, Carolyn Cummings will give a review of the event. My hope is that everyone enjoys the fun.

The next two weeks will probably be rather quiet while new projects and activities will be discussed and planned.

Happy Birthday to August babies of all ages May God bless our Country and

Community



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# August Immunization Clinics

Immunization clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for August. Protection is against Polio, Diphtheria, Lock Jaw (Tetanus), Whooping Cough (Pertussis), Measles, Rubella, Mumps, and HIB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B).

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The Texas Department of Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay.

They will be in Perryton on these dates: (Texas Tech Health Center - 201 S. Colgate) August 2 from 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. & 12:30 -3:00 p.m.; August 5 from 9:00 -12:00 a.m. & 1:00-3:00 p.m.; August 13 from 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. & 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

August 16 from 9:00 - noon only; and August 28 from 2:00 p.m. - 4

They will be in **Spearman on August 21** (Texas Department of Health Office - 721 S. Evans) from 9:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m. & 1:00 -3:00 p.m. only.



The Shockers - Dan Odom, Bray Armes, Dallas Henson, and Kyler Barkley placed 2nd in their "Hoop It Up" division in Amarillo, July 20 - 21.

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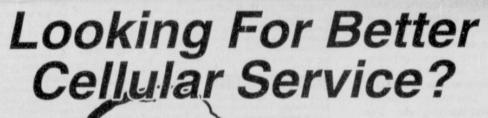
Effective August 19, 1996, applicants applying for Food Stamps, AFDC (Aid to Families with Dependent Children) or Medicaid services through the Texas Department of Human Services and reside in Hansford County, must file an application at Dumas DHS office or by mailing an application to:

Texas Department of Human Services 810 Dumas Ave. Dumas, Texas 79029

(806) 935-6837

For more information, please call (806) 435-4710. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.





# **Public Notice**

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids for the purchase of one (1) 1997 TYPE III, 148" MODULAR AMBULANCE, will be received by the City of Gruver, at the office of the City Manager up until 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 1, 1996, then publicly opened and read.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to accept the bid deemed to be most advantageous to the City. All bids received after the above closing date will be returned unopened.

Specifications and bidding documents may be secured from the Office of the City Manager, P.O. Box 947, Gruver,Texas 79040. 2(8-8-96)

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF NONDISCRIMINATION IN CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Gruver ISD offers career and technology education programs in vocational agriculture, vocational homemaking, and vocational business programs. Admission to these programs is based on interest, aptitude, age appropriateness, and class space. It is the policy of Gruver ISD not

to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities

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as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act 1973, as amended.

Gruver ISD will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all education and vocational programs.

For information about rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Barry Haenisch, at 601 Garrett, 806/733-2001, and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, Lloyd Looper at 601 Garrett, 806/733-2477.

# FORMA DE MUESTRA

Gruver ISD ofrece programas vocacionales en vocational agriculture, vocational homemaking, y vocational business programs. La admision a estos programas se basa en aptitud de estudiante, calificacion, experiencia, y espacio disponible.

Es norma de Gruver ISD no discriminar por motivos de raza, color, origen nacional, sexo o impedimento, en sus programas, servicios o actividades vocacionales, tal como lo requieren el Titulo VI de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1964, segun enmienda; el Titulo IX de las Enmiendas en la Educacion, de 1972, y la Seccion 504 de la Ley de Rehabilitacion De 1973, segun enmienda.

Gruver ISD tomara las medidas necesarias para asegurar que la falta de habilidad en el uso de la lengua ingles no sea un obstaculo para la admision y participacion en todos los programas educativos y vocacionales.

Para informacion sobre sus derechos o procedimientos para quejas, comuniquese con el Coordinador del Titulo IX, Barry Haenisch, en 601 Garrett, 806/733-2001, y/o el Coordinador de la Seccion 504, Lloyd Looper, en 601 Garrett, 806/733-2477.

# NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF KENNETH E. BURCH

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of KENNETH E. BURCH were issued on May 31, 1996, in Cause No. 2162, pending in the County Court of Hansford County, Texas: to TERRY BURCH.

The residence of such Executor is Spearman, Texas. The post office address is 215 Haney, Spearman, Texas 79081.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

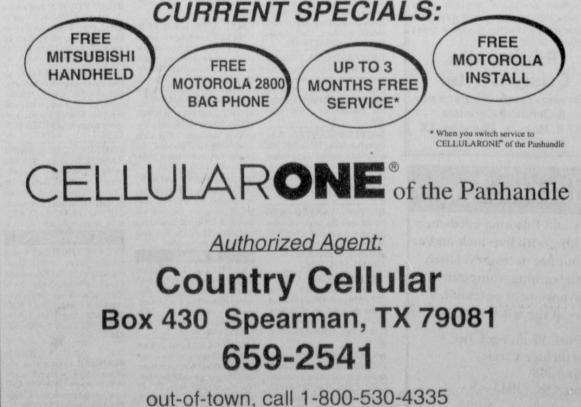
Dated the 31st day of May, 1996.

Cecil R. Biggers Attorney for Estate of Kenneth E. Burch, Deceased

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First National Bank of Spearman	
in the state of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1996,	
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, un	nder Title 12, United States Code, Section 161.
Charter Number 18609, Comptroller of the Currency, Southwest Distric	
Statement of Resources and Liabilities	Dollar Amounts in Thousands
ASSETS	
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	8,007
Interest-bearing balancesSecurities:	8,007
Held-to-maturity securities	5,990
Available-for-sale securities	5,990 5,448 2,000
Federal funds sold	2,000



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Assets held in trading accounts	
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	
Other real estate owned Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated compa	nias
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	
Other assets	1,6
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Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital.	and losses
deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	55,43
We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of	I, Lynanne Maize
this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that	
it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge	Vice President & Cashier
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by Preston Wright, CED, Hansford County CFSA, 806-659-3036

"Assistance is available to producers of seeded small grain forage who lost forage production because of drought conditions occurring from September 1995 through June 1996," said Harold Bob Bennett, State Executive Director of the Texas Farm Service Agency. This assistance is offered through the Non-Insured Assistance Program, or NAP.

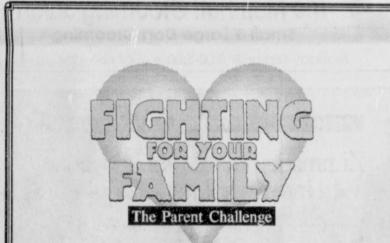
Hansford County has been designated as an eligible NAP area for the September to June drought and the only crop eligible for NAP benefits under this designation at this time is seeded

small grain forage. Producers who suffered seeded small grain forage losses due to the drought should have timely reported their acres, losses, evidence of production and all other information required to determine their eligibility for NAP benefits at the county office. Acreage reports, notices of loss, and NAP applications filed now are considered late-filed.

"Seeded small grain forage producers must meet the latefiling deadline of August 30, 1996, to apply for NAP benefits," said Bennett. Any requests for NAP for 1996 seeded small grain forage filed after this date will not be approved.

# North Plains PET Network Weather Station, Morse, TX

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Date	PET	Air		Soil	Min.	Prec.
	in.	Max	Min	2 in.	6 in.	in.
08/04/96		94	71	76	79	0.00
08/05/96	.27	94	64	75	78	0.00
08/06/96	.33	93	71	76	79	0.00
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CORN		Sho	rt Sea	ason Var.	Water	Use
Seed	Acc	Growth	Day	3 day	7 day	Seas.
Date	GDD	Stage		in/d		in.
04/15/96	2401	Dent	.33	.30	.29	27.6
05/01/96	2197	Dough	.39	.36	.33	23.5
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04/15/96	2401	Dough	.39	.38	.34	28.1
05/01/96	2197	Milk	.42	.39	.35	23.7
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Seed	Acc	Growth	Day	3 day	7 day	Seas.
Date	GDD			in/d		in.
05/15/96	2172	Flower	.33	.30	.27	16.8
06/01/96	1781	Heading	.36	.33	.27	12.0
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Seeded small grain forage producers must file all necessary information with the Hansford County FSA Office by August 30. This includes acreage reports. notices of loss, and applications for payment, along with acceptable records of both historical and current year production.

Only a person who actually owns or leases the acreage, plants and produces the seeded small grain forage crop, and grazes or leases the acreage for grazing to another person is eligible for NAP benefits.

Seeded small grain forage includes fields seeded to wheat, application. Once the worksheet barley, oats, rye, triticale, or any has been completed and the combination of those crops. Seeded supporting documentation small grain forage acreage assembled producers should eligible for NAP includes:

with an intent of full season the application process. grazing (fall, winter, and spring)

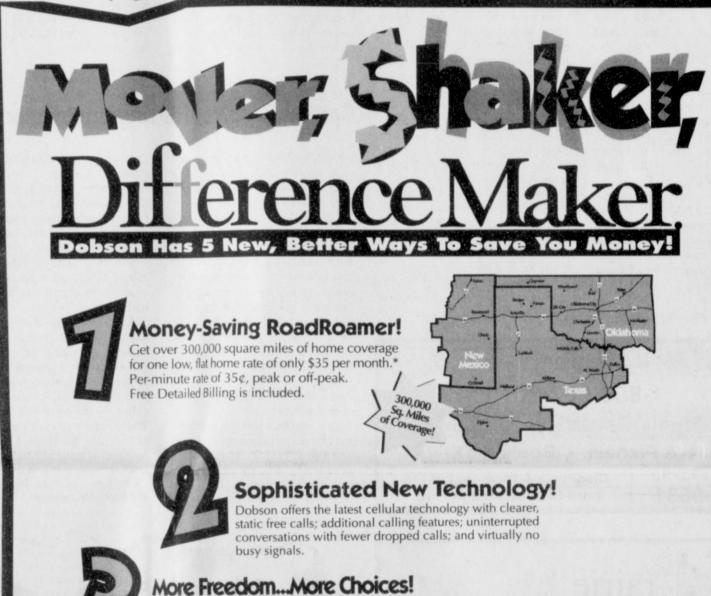
· acreage planted and reported with an intent of fall and winter grazing only, followed by grain production in the spring · acreage planted and reported

with an intent of spring grazing only (in limited cases only) • small grain forage interseeded

in an existing stand of grass The Hansford FSA county director, Preston Wright, is asking all interested producers to please come to the office. A worksheet has been prepared to help producers organize the required information. Mr. Wright would like all producers to pick up the worksheet prior to making contact the Hansford County FSA · acreage planted and reported for an appointment to complete



Frank & Kitty Edwards 709 Archer St. Samey Connelly 901 Townsend



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# **Spearman Task-Force On Parenting**

Sheri Benton - Librarian, Hansford County Library Elodia Bravo - Migrant Coordinator SISD Kathy Bryant - Exec. Director, O'Loughlin Center James Brown - Pastor, Apostolic Faith Church Debbie Cantu - Concerned Parent Father Fern Couture - Priest, Sacred Heart Catholic Church Tiki Farrar - Concerned Parent Debbie George - Concerned Parent Kent Hargis - Principal, Gus Birdwell Elementary SISD Marty Haney - Counselor, SISD Kyle Henderson - Pastor, First Baptist Church Kristi Jarvis - Concerned Parent Delinda McLaughlin - Concerned Parent Isaias Martinez - Pastor, Primera Iglesia Bautista Patti Schnell - Concerned Parent Peggy Winegarner - County Extension Agent

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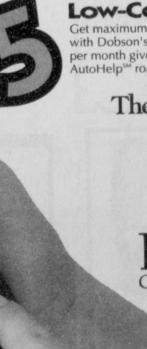
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1(8-8-96)B FOR SALE: Office desks, chairs, safe, file cabinet, student desk, phone system. Call 659-5016 or see at 315 Main. TFN(7-11-96)B FOR SALE: 2 Heavy Duty full rail headache racks, \$225 each; 1 16 ft. utility trailer, 5000 lb., bulldog hitch, 4000 lb. axles, \$800. Call 659-1026

### **APARTMENTS**

2(8-1-96)B

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### EMPLOYMENT

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HELP WANTED: The City of Spearman Police Department is accepting applications for a Part-Time Dispatcher. Example of work is to operate communication equipment to receive incoming calls for assistance and dispatch personnel to scene of emergency. Work hours will be 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday. Experience helpful, but not required. The City has an excellent fringe benefit program which includes retirement, hospitalization insurance, vacation, holidays, and sick leave. Application may be obtained at the Police Department, 30 S.W. Court, Spearman, Texas 79081, Equal Opportunity Employer. Open until filled.

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\$1,000 firm. Call 659-3872 4(8-1-96)B

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday, August 10, 1996, from 9:00 to 5:00 at 434 Bernice. Furniture, dishes, linens, men, women, and children's clothing, and lots of miscellaneous items. 1(8-8-96)P

GARAGE SALE: Friday, August 9 from 9:00 to 6:00 at the Golden Age Center in Gruver. College girls clothing, weight bench, furniture, knickknacks, lots of miscellaneous. 1(8-8-96)P

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1(8-8-96)P GARAGE SALE: Lots of clothing, window cooler, 1 black kettle, lots of misc. Saturday, August 10 from 9:00 - ? 506 W. 2nd, Spearman.

1(8-8-96)P

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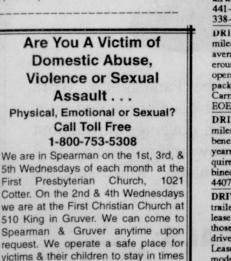


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