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Spearman City Council considers funds for rodeo arena repairs

by Angela Jones
Editor

Funds to improve the rodeo grounds were considered by the Spearman City Council at its regular meeting held Tuesday night, Jan. 19.

Chamber of Commerce Manager Cindy Blackman presented a request for the council to authorize the remainder of the Christmas decoration fund to be used for improving the arena.

Each year during the Hansford Round-up Days a rodeo is held and it has proven to be prosperous, Blackman stated. She added that it could grow to be bigger and better, but the rodeo grounds are in need of repairs. She continued by saying that if we want to continue to build an image of holding a good rodeo we must make all the repairs that we can financially. She concluded that the repairs would also benefit the local 4-H group and the high school rodeo team.

After a discussion was held, Alderman Ed Garner motioned that

the balance of the \$1,492.95 originally designated to the chamber for Christmas decorations be used to purchase replacement bulbs for the Christmas decorations and the bulk of the balance go towards rodeo arena improvements. The motion carried unanimously.

Council members also awarded two contracts during the meeting.

The first contract to be awarded was for an intermediate size four-door sedan with heavy duty equipment. Two bids were received. The bid was awarded to Gillaspie Auto & Truck Center, Inc. in the amount of \$14,592.95. Also though Gruver Ford turned in the low bid of \$13,395, it was not considered. City Manager Kelvin Knauf stated that because the bid was unsigned he concurred with Police Chief Raper's recommendation to award the bid to Gillaspie Auto and Truck Center.

The second bid awarded was for 50 dumpsters (50, three cubic yard metal refuse containers). The con-

tract for the 50 dumpsters was awarded to Fuqua Enterprises, Inc. in the amount of \$12,350 at the recommendation of Knauf and Mr. McWilliam's, director of public works.

Other business at the meeting was a report on the regional solid waste plan. Knauf reported that he met with city and county governments in Hansford, Ochiltree, Hemphill and Lipscomb on January 18. He reported that they discussed having a sub-regional solid waste committee and a joint transfer. Also suggested at the meeting was a central located joint transfer station. Knauf stated that no action was taken.

He continued by saying that the next meeting will be held on February 12. He added that before that meeting each city and county should appoint a person to be a member of the sub-regional solid waste committee.

Mayor Burl Buchanan said that the terms of Alderman Ed Garner,

Steve Benton and Mike Cudd were up for election this year. A motion was made to authorize the mayor to order a city election for those three positions. The motion carried unanimously.

Another item of business at the meeting was the discussion concerning the current ordinance of utility deposits. It was decided that Knauf, city manager, should draft a new ordinance of their recommendations and present it for adoption at a later date.

Knauf requested that item number 8 on the agenda be removed because he is working with the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission in preparing the grant application and the amount of contributions were not ready at this meeting.

Regular business at the meeting was the approval of the minutes, and payment of the monthly bills in the amount of \$234,121.41. The board approved the monthly and annual fire, ambulance, police, municipal court and animal control reports.



Tough defensive play was the hallmark of the Spearman - Gruver girl's game, while height advantage and outside shooting made the difference in the boy's game between Spearman and Gruver. The Spearman Lynxettes came out on top by 6 points in a game that featured body collisions like the ones in the picture above. Spearman Lynx took advantage of Cody Pipkin (44 above) and Russell Shaver's height advantage, plus some hot shooting from out side by Brad Law (42), to post a victory over the Gruver Hounds.

October, November, December... one last look at the 1992 headlines

Editors Note: This is the fourth and final article in the look back at the headlines 1992 series. Below is a lookback at the headlines in October, November and December.

OCTOBER 1992

"Two traffic accidents on Sunday...leave one dead, four injured" Two Gruver High School students were involved in a fatal accident, Sunday, Sept. 27. Gina Hoel, the 16-year-old driver of the car died at the scene, and 15-year-old Janyth Hart was taken to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. The accident occurred on FM 1262 about 11 miles northwest of Gruver when the left rear tire blew out causing Hoel to lose control of the vehicle.

Earlier on the same day, Christine Brandvik of Gruver hit a vehicle occupied by Myrtle and Oscar Doshier of Hardesty. The Doshier's were attempting to make a U-turn on Highway 136 south of Gruver when Brandvik, tried to avoid them. All of the victims were taken to Hansford County Hospital.

"Fish census taken at Palo Duro Lake" The fisheries staff of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department in Canyon completed annual fall electrofishing collections for bass, sunfish and gizzard shad at Palo Duro Reservoir. Four stations were sampled for 15 minutes each. Largemouth bass were collected at a rate of 37 per hour in abundant sizes of 4-5 inches long

and 8-10 inches long. The findings indicate a good survival of largemouth bass stocked in 1991 and 1992. Bluegill sunfish were collected at the rate of eight fish per hour. Carp and bullhead catfish were also collected and they appear to be quite abundant. Indications were that the lake will have an abundance of small fish available for anglers when it opens.

"97 walkers started the Crop Walk to fight World Hunger" Led by Cindy Blackman and Randy Kirk the group walked down almost every street in Spearman in the Crop Walk sponsored by the Ministerial Alliance. The walkers walked enough to raise \$3000 to be sent to feed the hungry.

"Thompson and Collard exchange wedding vows" Gwendolyn A. Thompson and John R. Collard, Jr. were united in marriage, Saturday, October 3, 1992 in the home of the bride, in Amarillo.

"Hansford County Commissioner's Court awards bid for fire truck" Summit White GMC of Dallas was awarded the bid for \$19,809.35 on a 1993 GMC truck for the Spearman Fire Department.

"Lynx win county bragging rights...stay in hunt for playoff spot" With a 13-10 homecoming victory over the Gruver Greyhounds, the Lynx claimed bragging rights in the county and held on to the hope of a post district playoff spot.

"Spearman Homecoming Queen and King announced at pep rally" The Queen, Mary Cook, the King, Landon Swan and attendants were introduced to the homecoming game crowd on Friday night, Oct. 9. Attendants were: Freshman-Kara Townsen; Sophomore-Mika Pipkin, Junior-Trixie Pearson; Senior-Kimbre Townsen. Jill Lusby was also a queen candidate.

"Reception honors Postmaster Pinkerton" Retiring Gruver Postmaster, Doris Pinkerton, was honored with a reception October 18th. Postmarks of February 19, 1954—her first day and October 3, 1992—her last day, were part of the decorations for the celebration.

"Moose students congress holds awareness seminar" A

Drug-Alcohol Awareness Seminar held in Amarillo, October 24th was attended by four Spearman High School students: Kory Brown, Tay Dawn Elliott, Alisha LaRochelle and Kortney Henton. Verlin Behney of Spearman Moose Lodge #212 was the local coordinator. Alisha was chosen to go to the State Mid-Winter Conference at Fort Worth in February.

NOVEMBER 1992

"Hansford County has heavy turnout, 79% cast ballots" Of the 3,036 registered voters in Hansford County, 2,404 cast their ballots during the 1992 presidential election. 1,660 ballots were cast for George Bush, 398 for Ross Perot, one for Libertarian Andre Marrou

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Texas Railroad Commission... releases oil and gas stats

The Texas Railroad Commission recently the oil and gas production statistics for October 1992.

According to the release Hansford County wells recorded 3,470,478 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas and 30,553 barrels of crude oil in October 1992.

In December 1,514 drilling permits were issued, compared to 1,085 in December 1991. The December total included 834 permits to drill new oil and gas tests, 55 to re-enter existing well bores, 50 to deepen

existing holes, 234 to plugback existing holes and 74 for other wells. December amended drilling permits totaled 267.

Total drilling permits issued in 1992 is 13,452, a three percent decrease from the 13,810 issued in 1991.

Permits issued in December included 545 oil, 384 gas, 519 oil and gas, 28 injection, seven disposal and 31 other permits.

In December operators reported 330 gas, 464 oil and 46 service completions, compared to 197 gas, 386 oil and 28 service completions during the same period of last year.

The total of well completions recorded for 1992 is 8,080, a 14 percent decrease from the 9,400 recorded in 1991.

Operators reported 1,115 holes plugged and 100 dry holes in December, compared to 738 holes plugged and 162 dry holes reported during the same period last year.

Texas preliminary October crude oil production averaged 1,629,193 barrels daily, down from the 1,674,576 barrels daily average of October 1991.

The preliminary Texas oil production figure for October is 50,225,977 barrels, down from the 51,911,845 barrels reported in October 1991.

Texas oil and gas wells produced 460,246,595 Mcf of gas in preliminary production for October, down 0.92 percent compared to October 1991's gas production total of 464,510,119 Mcf.

Texas gas production in October came from 177,206 oil, and 44,820 gas wells.

Lynx reign in H.C.

by Bob Bort

Friday night, January 22, is not a date that the Gruver Greyhounds or Lady Hounds will choose to remember. The Spearman Lynx and Lynxettes came to town and both won their games against the Gruver teams. It was the first loss in over two years for the Hounds at Greyhound Gym, where they had won 19 straight games. For the ladies, it was only their second loss in Greyhound Gym the past two years, both times falling to the Lynxettes.

In the boys game, the Lynx used their height advantage and beat up on the Hounds 60-43, while in the girls game, the Lynxettes held off the charging Lady Hounds for a 38-32 victory.

Cody Pipkin and Russell Shaver scored 26 points between them for the height advantage, but it was 18 points from an unexpected source that did in the Hounds. Troy Law hit two 3-pointers in the 2nd quarter, then three buckets, before going 6-6 from the foul line in the fourth quarter. The Hounds had rallied to trail only 42-41 after a pair of Jeffrey Price free throws, but the Lynx very surprisingly scored 13 straight points for a 55-41 lead, and the game was over. Spearman sank 11-15 from the foul line in the fourth quarter, and it

was too much for the Hounds to overcome. Kevin Spivey was held to only 8 points, and it was Brady Pool who turned in the most impressive Hounds performance, with 15 points, and three 3-pointers.

Realistically, although there are still games to play, the best the Hounds can do in district 1-AA this year is third place, and that is not good enough for the playoffs. But Highland Park is the top team, and it appears Spearman will come in 2nd. Gruver still has to play Highland Park at home, and a tough Stratford Elks team at Stratford. The Hounds go to 4-3 in district play after the Spearman game, improving to 5-3 following the Boys Ranch game.

For the ladies, they should make the playoffs as the second team to the Lynxettes in district 1-AA. Gruver trailed Spearman only 29-27 early in the fourth quarter, but the Lynxettes held on to defeat the Lady Hounds 38-32. It was quite a comeback for the Lady Hounds as they fell behind 17-5 early on, and rallied late to within two points. Wynn Maupin had twelve, and Holly Venneman eleven.

The Lady Hounds are 4-2 in district play, and should win their re-

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Landowner meeting to be held Feb. 3 in Spearman

Texas Parks & Wildlife Department announces a series of landowner meetings to be held throughout the Panhandle in early February, 1993.

The meeting scheduled for Spearman will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 3, in the Extension Homemakers Club Room, 301 North Bernice.

These meetings will be conducted by Wildlife Branch field staff to provide updated, factual information concerning ring-necked pheasant biology and management

and determine landowner attitudes toward such things as habitat enhancement, season length, and bag limits. Department officials stress that the meetings are not formal public hearings, but will serve as an opportunity for information exchange.

Area landowners are encouraged to participate with field staff in these discussions. For more information, contact the Wildlife Branch office in Amarillo at 806\353-0486 or 353-3141.



While in Washington recently, First State Bank - Spearman President, Jim Shirley (right) visited with Texas Representative Larry Combest to discuss the overwhelming regulatory burden on banks. During the week of February 1-5 both the FSB and the First National Bank - Spearman will join with banks all over the state of Texas for a Cut the Red Tape Week. The main purpose of the week is to alert their customers to the large additional amount of paper work and regulations the banks in the state have been subjected to in the last 5 years. According to Shirley, this over regulation inhibits the ability of the banks of Texas to loan money.

Gruver Greyhound Basketball Roundup

7th Grade Boys (5-5) vs Spearman
1-18-93 at Spearman
Gruver won, stats not available

8th Grade Boys (7-3) vs Spearman
1-18-93 at Spearman
Spearman won, stats not available

9th Grade Boys (11-2) 1-18-93 at Spearman
GRU 27 - SPR 23
3-pointers-Phil DeLaCruz (2)
GRU-Sammy Renteria-10, DeLaCruz-8, Bailey Barkley-5, Max Frick-4.

7th Grade Boys (6-5) vs Dalhart
1-21-93 Spearman Tourney
Gruver won, stats not available

7th Grade Girls (8-3) vs Dalhart
1-21-93 Spearman Tourney
DAL 30 - GRU 25
GRU- Weslyn Maupin-12, Autumn Bateman-4, Kathy Slough-3, Jill Odom-2, Amber Roberts-2, Jeanne Swink-2.

8th Grade Boys (7-4)

vs Dalhart
1-21-93 Spearman Tourney
DAL 50 - GRU 32
GRU-Jarrold Hoel-13, Josh Mayhew-13, Tucker Henson-2, Scott Stedje-2, Heath Tolleson-2.

8th Grade Girls (10-1) vs Dalhart
1-21-93 Spearman Tourney
GRU 45 - DAL 30
GRU-Kaysha Cluck-15, Amber Murrell-15, Cara Hathaway-8, Mary Dawn Henson-5, Kelly Boone-2.

JV Girls (7-7) vs Spearman
1-22-93 at Greyhound Gym
SPR 26 - GRU 17
GRU-Hailey Lamb-6, Kayce Haenisch-4, Tara Shapley-4, Jana McCloy-3.

JV Boys (4-11) vs Spearman
1-22-93 at Activity Center
SPR 43 - GRU 20
GRU-Wylee Maupin-8, Travis Ferguson-6, Kevin McNett-2, Eric Wright-2, Ricardo Soto-1, Brady Tidwell-1.

Varsity Girls (11-8) vs Spearman
1-22-93 at Greyhound Gym

SPR 38 - GRU 32
GRU-Wynn Maupin-12, Holly Venneman-11, Julie Meyer-7, Molly McLain-2.

Varsity Boys (11-9) vs Spearman
1-22-93 at Greyhound Gym
SPR 60 - GRU 43
3-pointers-Brady Pool (3), Kevin Spivey (2), Jeffrey Price.
GRU-Brady Pool-15, Jeffrey Price-10, Kevin Spivey-8, Jace Dawson-4, Aaron Frick-4, Matt Etheredge-2.

7th Grade Boys (7-5) vs Perryton
1-22-93 Spearman Tourney
GRU 41 - PER 40 (3 ot)
GRU-Brant Armes-24, Cesar Garcia-12, Juan Bravo-3, Roland Herrera-2.

7th Grade Girls (9-3) vs Sanford-Fritch
1-22-93 Spearman Tourney
GRU 30 - SF 14
GRU-Autumn Bateman-11, Weslyn Maupin-7, Kathy Slough-4, Davida Nash-3, Autumn Roberts-3, Stephanie Gaines-1, Amber

Roberts-1.

8th Grade Boys (8-4) vs Sanford-Fritch
1-22-93 Spearman Tourney
GRU 48 - SF 19
GRU-Jarrold Hoel-20, Josh Mayhew-8, Heath Tolleson-8, Matt Overby-7, Scott Stedje-5.

8th Grade Girls (11-1) vs White Deer
1-22-93 Spearman Tourney
GRU 40 - WD 15
GRU-Amber Murrell-16, Cara Hathaway-12, Kelly Boone-8, Erika Barrera-2, Kaysha Cluck-2.

7th Grade Boys (8-5) vs Canadian
1-23-93 Spearman Tourney
Championship Game
Gruver won, stats not available

7th Grade Girls (10-3) vs Pringle-Morse
1-23-93 Spearman Tourney
Consolation Game
GRU 40-PM 20
GRU-Weslyn Maupin-12, Kathy Slough-6, Autumn Bateman-5, Davida Nash-4, Amber Roberts-4,

Stephanie Gaines-3, Jill Odom-3, Darby Johnson-2, Laura Garcia-1.

8th Grade Boys (9-4) vs Boys Ranch
1-23-93 Spearman Tourney
Consolation Game
Gruver won, stats not available.

8th Grade Girls (12-1) vs Spearman
1-23-93 Spearman Tourney
Championship Game
GRU 31-SPR 17
GRU-Cara Hathaway-13, Amber Murrell-10, Mary Dawn Henson-5, Kaysha Cluck-3.

7th Grade Red Boys (9-5) vs Boys Ranch
1-25-93 at Greyhound Gym
GRU 41-BR 31
3-pointers-Brant Armes (2).
GRU-Armes-16, Cesar Garcia-9, Michael Minter-6, Keith Cassady-4, Juan Bravo-2, Roland Herrera-2, Rob Murrell-2.

7th Grade White Boys vs Boys Ranch
1-25-93 at Activity Center
GRU 29-BR 5
GRU-Justin Kent-14, Jody Robinson-6, Kevin Rodriguez-4, Kevin Harris-2, Ralph Royval-2, Cody Cazarez-1.

8th Grade Boys (10-4) vs Boys Ranch
1-25-93 at Greyhound Gym

GRU 46 - BR 32
GRU-Josh Mayhew-23, Jarrod Hoel-14, Quentin Harper-3, Tucker Henson-2, Matt Overby-2, Scott Stedje-2.

9th Grade Boys (12-2) vs Boys Ranch
1-25-93 at Activity Center
GRU 47 - BR 20
GRU-Sammy Renteria-21, Phil De La Cruz-5, Travis Ferguson-5, Wylee Maupin-5, Max Frick-3, Bailey Barkley-2, Daniel Bort-2, Scott Jarvis-2, Tye Womble-2.

7th Grade Girls (11-3) vs Guymon, Okla.
1-25-93 at Guymon
Gruver won, stats next week

8th Grade Girls (13-1) vs Guymon, Okla.
1-25-93 at Guymon
GRU 37 - GUY 10
GRU-Cara Hathaway-12, Amber Murrell-12, Kaysha Cluck-8, Amy Gillispie-2, Angie Johnson-2, Lexy Spivey-1.

9th Grade Girls (2-8) vs Guymon, Okla.
1-25-93 at Guymon
Gruver lost, stats next week

JV Boys (4-12) vs Boys Ranch
1-26-93 at Boys Ranch
BR 51 - GRU 36
stats next week

Varsity Boys (12-9) vs Boys Ranch
1-26-93 at Boys Ranch
GRU 68 - BR 64
GRU-Aaron Frick-14, Jeffrey Price-13, Kevin Spivey-13, Jace Dawson-10, Brady Pool-10, Matt Etheredge-5, Kenton Odom-2, Cody Barkley-1.

Spearman Basketball Roundup

1/26/93

Varsity Lynxettes
at Gruver 1/22/93
SPR 38 - GRU 32
Jill Lusby-10, Michelle Garnett-5, Kara Townsen-9, Holly Jarvis-6, Laura Pearson-8
3-point: Lusby-2
at Sunray 1/23/93
SPR 47 - SUN 27
Lusby-5, Mary Cook-2, Garnett-14, Kimbre Townsen-5, Ka. Townsen-7, Jarvis-4, Pearson-10
3-point: Lusby, Ki. Townsen
at Higgins 1/26/93
SPR 66 - HIG 26
Ashly Shieldknight-8, Lusby-6, Cook-2, Garnett-10, Ki. Townsen-3, Ka. Townsen-6, Jarvis-6, L. Pearson-11, Carrie Pearson-12
3-point: Ki. Townsen
Record 20-3 (6-0)

J.V. Lynxettes
at Gruver 1/22/93
SPR 26-GRU 17
OQuin-5, Strawn-2, Bruning-8, Martin-4, Beaty-4, Latta-2,

Shieldknight-1
at Sunray 1/23/93
SPR 36 - SUN 39
OQuin-19, Strawn-2, Bruning-3, Martin-1, Latta-2, Baker-10
at Higgins 1/26/93
SPR 65 - HIG 8
Telie OQuin-16, Tiffany Bruning-4, Carey Beaty-8, Tommi Latta-4, Kelly Shieldknight-3

Freshman Lynxettes vs. Panhandle 1/25/93
SPR 30 - PAN 10
Crystal Boyd-4, Mika Pipkin-2, Carrie Burton-6, Laci Baker-8, Kortney Henton-4, Tammie Ricker-4

8th Grade Lynxettes Spearman Tourny
1/21 - 1/23/93
Finished Second vs Canadian
SPR 24 - CAN 21
Samantha Beasley-6, Mandi Lusby-1, M. Shieldknight-10, Shayla Barber-3, Kacee Smith-2, Mindy Tigrett-2

vs Sanford-Fritch
SPR 28-S.F. 19
Beasley-8, Shieldknight-7, Barber-11, Tigrett-2
vs Gruver
SPR 17-GRU 31
Beasley-11, Shieldknight-1, Tigrett-3, Smith-1

7th Grade Lynxettes Spearman Tourny
1/21 - 1/23/93
Finished Second vs Canadian
SPR 46 - CAN 16
Lindsey Smith-8, Jennifer Neff-4, Misha Davis-18, Rebecca Howard-2, Brooke Trantham-2, Kasey Dunning-4, Keisha OQuin-8
vs White Deer
SPR 21 - W.D. 8
Smith-2, Davis-7, Howard-3, OQuin-4, Neff-3, Bruning-2
vs Dalhart
SPR 28 - DAL 31
Davis-7, Howard-7, Trantham-2, OQuin-7, Bruning-2, Dunning-2

Varsity Lynx
at Gruver 1/22/93
SPR 60 - GRU 43

Wes Dyess-2, Brady Reed-4, Jason Varnon-8, Troy Law-18, Cody Pipkin-16, Russell Shaver-10, Justin Boyd-2
3-point: Law-2, Shaver
at Sunray 1/23/93
SPR 87 - SUN 24
Toby Thompson-2, Dyess-9, Reed-7, Varnon-6, Law-10, Pipkin-13, Mike Hagar-19, Shaver-6, Boyd-15
at Higgins 1/26/93
SPR 82 - HIG 50
Thompson-7, Dee Mayfield-2, Chuck Cook-6, Chad Wilkerson-1, Jason Swink-1, Cass Lasater-2, Dyess-4, Reed-14, Varnon-2, Matt Archer-2, Pipkin-11, Clint Schnell-2, Shaver-24, Boyd-4
Record 17-6 (6-1)
at Gruver 1/22/93
SPR 43 - GRU 20
Schneider-3, Lasater-9, Winegarner-2, Wilkerson-4, Law-4, Swink-4, Tucker-6, Mayfield-1, Schnell-6, Archer-4
at Sunray 1/23/93
SPR 56 - SUN 38
Schneider-1, Lasater-7, Wilkerson-14, Swink-4, Tucker-2, Cook-7, Mayfield-4, Schnell-13, Archer-2, Vanderburg-2

Freshman Lynx
Gruver Tourny 1/16/93
Champions vs West Texas
SPR 49 - WT 48
Archer-8, Collins-15, Sanders-14, Blan-6, Tigrett-1, Huddleston-4, Burnett-1
vs Gruver
SPR 33 - GRU 30
Archer-2, Collins-15, Sanders-6, Huddleston-8, OQuin-2
vs Gruver 1/18/93
SPR 23-GRU 27
Collins-9, Sanders-6, Huddleston-2
vs Panhandle 1/25/93
SPR 42 - PAN 33
Collins-15, Sanders-13, Blan-3, Huddleston-7, OQuin-4.

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maining 4 games, though they still have to play a tough Sunray Lady Cats team on the road.
Against Boys Ranch Tuesday, Jan. 26, the Hounds came out flat, but still managed the victory. "We shot very, very poor the first half," commented Hounds Coach Tim Garland. "They were ahead by 11 at halftime, and had shot 14-21 (67%). Overall, they shot 55% for the entire game."
The Hounds won 68-64. According to Coach Garland, one key factor was that Gruver took 66 shots to only 38 for the Ranchers. "The second half we really shut them down," says Garland. "They only took 17 shots. We finally took the lead with under two minutes to play."
The Hounds and Lady Hounds will be playing the West Texas teams this Friday, then at Stratford on Tuesday.



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Police Files

During the reporting period running from Monday, Jan. 18, to Sunday, Jan. 24, the Spearman Police Department filed 34 reports.

With road conditions still playing an important role, the police department filed two accident reports during the week. According to Police Chief Joe Raper, both accidents occurred on Saturday, Jan. 23.

The first was a minor accident and no investigation was conducted, Raper said.

The second accident occurred at 'crazy corners' at approximately 9:28 p.m. This accident involved a 1986 GMC pickup driven by Dawn Ann McCullough of Gruver. Raper said, "She was turning south on Highway 207 from east Highway 15 when she lost control of her vehicle due to rode conditions and collided with a 1988 Chevrolet suburban driven by Paul Moore of Spearman. Moore was stopped at the traffic light at 207." No injuries were reported and no citations were

A comedian can only last till he either takes himself serious or his audience takes him serious.
—Will Rogers

issued. Damage to the vehicles was in excess of \$500, Raper stated.

The department received two ambulance calls, eight miscellaneous calls and filed two family disturbance reports.

Officers unlocked five vehicles during the reporting period.

Other reports filed were as follows:

On Tuesday, Jan. 19, the department received a complaint on snowmobiles on 11th and Bernice. Officers gave a verbal warning to those involved to keep the snowmobiles off the roadway.

Also on Tuesday, a telephone harassment complaint was received from the 700 block of Cotter. The incident is still under investigation.

Then on Wednesday, Spearman

officers served an outstanding DPS traffic warrant.

On Thursday, the department received a traffic complaint regarding parking on Main Street, Raper said. The report dealt with a vehicle being parallel parked instead of angle parked. A ticket was issued, Raper said.

The next day, Friday, some found property was turned in to the department. It was later claimed.

On Sunday, Jan. 24, the Spearman police department received a vandalism report in the 200 block of Endicott. Raper reported that a glass window was damaged by what is believed to be a BB gun. It is still under investigation, he added.

During the reporting period there were eight animal control calls.

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Another way to save on the cost of heating water is to keep the heater set between 120° to 140°F. As a final money-saving accessory, consider a timer for the heater so that the heater doesn't cycle on when you're not home.

For more information about saving energy, call or visit your local Texas-New Mexico Power Company office and ask for the free booklet, "Energy Management Guide."

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Hansford Happening

Spearman Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet is scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 30. Tickets are \$12.50 per person. They are available at the Spearman Chamber of Commerce office, 211 Main or phone 659-5555.

The Gruver Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet has been scheduled for Monday, March 1. It will be held in the Gruver school cafeteria. The guest speaker will be Texas Tech's Head Football Coach Spilke Dykes. The tickets will go on sale in a couple of weeks. They will be \$10 each and may be purchased at Gruver City Hall or from any chamber board member.

The American Heart Association will be holding their annual banquet at 7 p.m. February 6 at the Gruver Elementary Gym. Tickets are \$25 per person. To purchase tickets contact any Hansford Heart Association board member.

United Methodist Women will have their **Annual Groundhog Dinner** on Tuesday, Feb. 2, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$3 for children 6-12 and under six FREE.

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet will be held at 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 30, in the Spearman High School Cafeteria. The cost per ticket is \$12.50. Contact Cindy Blackman at the chamber office for more information, 659-5555 or stop at 211 Main, Spearman.

There will be a Boy Scout Rain Gutter Regatta on Saturday, Jan. 30, at 7 p.m. in the County Barn - Spearman.

The Spearman Boys Basketball program will begin playing on Saturday, Feb. 6. The games will be held in the varsity gym and are tentatively scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. There are 90 boys in the program this year. They range from the second to the sixth grade.

Early morning aerobic will be held at the **Hansford activity Center** from 6 to 7 a.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings. High/Low Impact, floor and strength. Contact Judith Logsdon at 659-2468.

Join the Music Boosters on Thursday, Jan. 28, at 7 p.m. in the Hansford County Library. All parents and concerned citizens are urged to attend! See you there.

Money is needed for the **Foster Children of Hansford County Fund**. This fund was started in 1988. All the money donated goes to help the girls and boys from Hansford County at Girls Town and Boys Ranch to have a little happier Christmas or birthday. To make a donation, stop by First State Bank • Spearman and talk to Larry Trosper or Rhonda North.



The Egyptians and the Romans were the first to begin the day at midnight. The Babylonians began the day at sunrise and the ancient Jews at sunset.

Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman

The Board of Directors 1993 Planning Session held at the First National Bank on Saturday, Jan. 16, was successful in every way.

Sheryl Hardy from the Perryton Ochiltree Chamber and Joe Frank Wheeler from the Borger Chamber gave us a very informative and fun filled day. As a board, they discussed their responsibilities to Spearman and to the chamber members.

As a chamber we discussed our duties to Spearman but most important are our duties to the chamber members. Some changes may not be seen as good ones to people but our chamber members will benefit from them. In the future you will see that it does pay to be a member of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce.

I want to thank Kountry Donuts for sponsoring our breakfast and Kay's Palo Duro Supper Club for providing us with a fantastic lunch.

Directors present were: Steve Benton, Cheryl Sander, Tindle Ramon, Judy Tindell, Lynna Renner, Randy Kirk, Stephanie Crossland, Travis Wolf, Stan Cobb and Cindy Blackman.

February is scheduled to be our membership drive month and be looking for lots of new faces and new ideas to be a part of our chamber.

The annual meeting and banquet for the chamber will be Saturday, Jan. 30, at 7 p.m. in the Spearman High School Cafeteria. Tickets are \$12.50. George Finley, Spearman post-master, will be the master-of-ceremonies.



Spearman's resident thespian, Candy Boxwell (2nd from left), will be singing and dancing in the Amarillo Little Theatre's 65th Anniversary Celebration. The event will be held on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 29 and 30.

Candi Boxwell... to help celebrate ALT's 65th anniversary

by Angela Jones Editor

A whole lot of singing and dancing is going to be happening during the Amarillo Little Theatre's 65th Anniversary to be held at 8 p.m. this Friday and Saturday, Jan. 29 and 30. But they are not the only ones celebrating an anniversary, Candy Boxwell is also celebrating an anniversary of sorts. It has been five years since she first started with the Amarillo Little Theatre.

"In a way it is my anniversary too," Candy said. She started with the Amarillo Little Theatre when it was celebrating its 60th Anniversary. "It's an anniversary personally as well," she stated.

During the music review Candy will sing a solo, "I Get a Kick Out of You" from Anything Goes. She will also be singing and dancing in other ensembles as well.

Candy explained that she gets to do a little dancing, but that the dancers had to rehearse a lot more and her schedule just wouldn't allow the extra time needed. She added that she has been practicing her singing number for two weeks.

Some of the Broadway musical numbers to be performed are "Pajama Game," "Hello Dolly," "Gypsy," "Music Man," "Little Shop of Horrors," "Fiddler on the Roof," "South Pacific," "Camelot," "Big River" and many others.

Performers include: Cara Johnston, Elizabeth Pelton, Chris Huntsman, Bryan McRight, Ramone Diggs, Les Biffle, Patrick Lippincott, Shawn Walsh, Sharon Fields, Kathy Bass, Steve Hall, Amy Sloger and Paul Carter. Fritz Anders is the music director.

Tickets for reserved seats for Friday evening's performance are \$10. Tickets for the Saturday evening's performance are \$25 per person. Immediately following the Saturday performance an anniversary gala will be held in the lobby of the Texas Commerce Bank.

Spiritually Speaking

by Dr. Lewis C. Holland, Pastor Gruver United Methodist Church

HOPE

Paul says, "Let hope keep you joyful, in trouble stand firm, persist in prayer" (Romans 12:12). I have discovered that our hope in life is based on our actions as well as our attitudes. The H in hope stands for being a helper. When we can forget ourselves and concentrate on helping others, then our hope grows. If you will find five people who have needs and do all you can to help meet those needs, then you will stop feeling sorry for yourself, and you will become more hopeful.

The O stands for being an obeyer. When God makes you a promise or asks for obedience in some area of your life, then believe and obey. It is through obedience that we truly base our life on rock solid truths which will build our hope.

The P calls us to be prayers. Paul

reminds us "To have no anxiety about anything but in everything make our request known to God in prayer and petition with thanksgiving" (Philippians 4:6). In prayer we bring everything to God and when God is present in our situation, then hope grows by leaps and bounds.

The E calls us to be encouragers. When we can encourage others like Barnabas encouraged Paul and John Mark, then, not only will their hope grow, but so will our own. Encouragement is like a seed that yields a rich harvest. The more encouragement we give, the more we will receive; and encouragement definitely builds our hope.

So try spelling HOPE this way:

- Helping
 - Obeying
 - Praying
 - Encouraging
- Jesus is Lord!

Letter to the editor

To the Editor

A response to Helen Fisher's quote in the Thursday, Jan. 21 *Hansford County Reporter-Statesman* about the questionable morals of our new President. "Quote" Be sure your closet has no questionable morals before you question other peoples morals.

Charles Ball

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REPORT OF CONDITION

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Statement of Resources and Liabilities

ASSETS

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,176
Interest-bearing balances	6,829
Securities	7,886
Federal funds sold	1,150
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	21,197
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	252
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	20,905
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	573
Other real estate owned	83
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	482
Total assets	39,284
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	39,284

LIABILITIES

Deposits:		
In domestic offices		36,148
Noninterest-bearing		
Interest-bearing	3,381	
Federal funds purchased	32,767	
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0	
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0	
Other borrowed money	0	
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0	
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0	
Subordinated notes and debentures	0	
Other liabilities	164	
Total liabilities		36,312
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus		0

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0
Common stock	1,000
Surplus	1,000
Undivided profits and capital reserves	972
LESS: net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
Total equity capital	2,972
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	2,972
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	39,284

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

I, LYNNNE MAIZE Name

VICE PRESIDENT AND CASHIER Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

John Bowman
Rice D. Patton
Bob Bowman

Directors

Lynnne Maize
Signature

JANUARY 25, 1993 Date

At the movies . . .

Playing at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman from Friday, Jan. 29, to Tuesday, Feb. 2, is "Toys" on screen 1 at 7:45 p.m. and "Aladdin" held over on screen 2 at 7:30 p.m. The Lyric Theatre will also be holding a matinee at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 30, featuring "Aladdin."

"Toys" stars Robin Williams. The supporting cast includes Michael Gambon, Joan Cusack, Robin Wright and LL Cool J. The film is directed

by Barry Levinson.

In this film, Williams stars as a toy maker who must save his father's toy factory from the clutches of a demented uncle.

Don't miss Robin Williams in "Toys."

"Toys" is rated PG-13.

"Aladdin" is a Walt Disney Pictures release with the voices of Robin Williams, Scott Weinger and Linda Larkin.

In "Aladdin" several stories from "The Arabian Nights" are blended into this tale of a street urchin who courts a sultan's daughter. But is going to take a little help from a genie whom he finds in a magic lamp to make this courtship a success.

In this funny animated feature, Williams plays the genie of the lamp. He is credited with being the fuse for the film's comedic energy.

"Aladdin" is rated G.

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Minter and Boese...

announce wedding date



Mike and Pat Minter of Gruver would like to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter Catherine Michelle to Mr. David Boese, grandson of Eldon and Lanore Boese, all of Spearman.

Catherine is a '92 graduate of Gruver High School and has completed one semester at Clarendon College. David is a '90 graduate of Spearman High School and is presently a United States Marine in San Diego, Calif.

The couple will be united on Feb. 4th at 5 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Gruver with Brother Larry Miller officiating. A reception in the activity center is to follow the ceremony.

Sparks and Posey...

announce engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sparks of Gruver are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jackie to Steve Posey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Posey of Amarillo.



The bride-elect graduated from Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Administration. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority. She received her paralegal certification at the National Center for Paralegal Training, Atlanta, Georgia. She is employed at the law firm Gibson, Ochsner and Adkins, L.L.P.

The prospective groom attended West Texas State University and employed by Southwest Airlines in Amarillo.

The couple plans to be married in the United Methodist Church in Gruver on March 6, 1993. They will reside in Amarillo after their marriage.

School menu

Gruver School Menu February 1 - February 5 LUNCH

Monday - Steak fingers, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, cake, hot rolls, milk and salad bar.

Tuesday - Chicken noodle soup with crackers, carrot sticks, fruit, cinnamon rolls, milk

Wednesday - Ham & beans, corn, cobbler, corn bread, milk and salad bar

Thursday - Pizza, tossed salad, fruit, milk and salad bar

Friday - Chili cheese dogs, french fries, raspberry sherbert, milk

BREAKFAST

Monday - Cereal, jelly rolls, juice, milk

Tuesday - Scrambled eggs, biscuits, fruit, milk



Wednesday - Toast, peanut butter and jelly, fruit, milk

Thursday - French toast sticks, fruit, milk

Friday - Cinnamon rolls, fruit, milk

Club News

Hansford Heart Association The Hansford Heart Association met January 25 in Spearman.

The meeting was called to order by Jim and Rosemary Brown, co-presidents. Minutes were read and approved from the January 12 meeting.

Final plans were made for the "Hearts of Gold" banquet. It will be held at the Gruver Elementary Gym on Saturday, February 6 beginning at 7 p.m. A steak dinner prepared by the Knights of Columbus will be served with the help of the Hansford County Waiters. There will be a live and silent

The most unbelievable weather got even more unbelievable last Saturday. I woke up from a nap that afternoon and things looked a little odd. Something like wet. Was I surprised to find out we had quite a flurry of snow. Lots of people were surprised - even the weathermen who, if I remember right, had said - "No White Stuff." Or, I think that was what one of them said. He is fixing to leave the country because the weather disagrees with him.

This month is almost gone and many people are looking forward to "Super Bowl Sunday." I wondered what they could look forward to after that big day. Well, I found the perfect answer to that question in an Oklahoma newspaper. It seems that Barry Switzer has begun an annual affair called the Sooner All American Cruise (this year is the second) and offers a seven day luxury Caribbean cruise vacation aboard Holland-America's MS Westerdam. In addition to host Barry Switzer, there will be six of OU's greatest football players.

Numerous activities you may choose to participate in besides the "Welcome Aboard," "Biggest Sooner Fan" contest and Barry Switzer's Farewell party are a golf tournament on St. Thomas, Broadway shows, movies, gourmet dining and other amenities. Four ports-of-call will be to historic San Juan, the beautiful Virgin Islands, shopping mecca of St. Thomas and the casinos of Nassau.

Anyhow, the prices start at \$1395 and set sail on January 30, 1993. Hurry up - time is running out. Where do you go to get on the boat?

Roslyn Niemietz...

honored at shower

A wedding shower honoring Roslyn Niemietz, bride-elect of Scott Duncan son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Duncan of Gruver, was held January 16 in the David Tomlinson home.

The bride-to-be was presented a pink rosebud and daisy corsage. Fran Duncan, mother of the groom, Joyce Duncan and Mary Belle Wisinger, grandmothers of the groom, were presented daisy corsages from the hostesses. A pink rosebud greeted the guests as they registered in the bride's book.

A tablecloth of ivory lace with a navy underlay covered the table. Coffee, punch and cake surrounded the dried arrangement made with rose colored roses, white Russian

auction held during the evening. Rosemary Brown said everyone is invited to attend for an evening of entertainment and fun. Tickets may be purchased from the Hansford Board Members.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Rex, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner, Carla Gurfory, Barbara Stavlo, Margaret Ralston, Danny Womble,

Frances Williams, Norma Jean Mackie, Dorothy Haner, Don Smith and Darlene Pierce.

The next meeting will held in Gruver on March 9.

On The Go With Joy

by Joy Henderson

I don't know - the ad didn't mention that fact it just gave a telephone number.

Well, some people are not in the mood for a long leisurely cruise. Several friends took advantage of the Branson Christmas shows. I always think of Branson and quilts or other arts and crafts, but I didn't know of these special festivities going on during the holidays. One of the highlights for my friends was a rep by Shoji and M.J. Hammerhead who were hilarious in a skit of Rudolph and the other eight reindeer. Santa and his elves accused them of mutiny when they appeared in bikinis and sunglasses after a trip to the Bahamas.

Joan said their motel room was very nice but the light over the mirror was so bright she couldn't stand to look at herself as she applied her wrinkle cream. She allowed that with a few more wrinkles, she would qualify to play Pruneface in the next Dick Tracy film.

After two days of intense activities, a shopping trip to Mount Vernon Whip-Out-Your-Billfold Missouri, my friend purchased a wooden rocking horse for her collection. "Hand carved by a master craftsman," the tag read. After the purchase she read further, "Each piece is then carefully reproduced in our unique 'concept' wood which is a composition of cold cast resin and ground pecan shells." Well now, how many of you people who snicker behind our backs have a pecan-shell rocking horse? Reminds me of the genuine local Indian pottery

that I purchased near Alamogordo, N.M. which was labeled - Made In Japan. Or how about the Indian beadwork necklaces I purchased from an Indian reservation in Oklahoma that had a teeny-tiny label stating - Made in Taiwan. That same place advertises Buffalo Burgers at their restaurant. What kind of Indians do they have in Japan and Taiwan?

Well, I am a little more relaxed today. No more Teala and Dustin Henderson for awhile. Even though they were quite a handful, we are missing them and every hour on the hour, we wonder "Well, what is Dustin doing now?" And as always, we know Teala misses her "Grannie and Granpa" and wishes we would come and walk her during her stomach aches and cutting teeth. Paula picked them up on Thursday and also brought her twin brother Paul White from Fritch for a dinner of Granpa's steak and taters and black-eyed peas. It didn't take me long to help them carry their stuff to the pick-up for the trip home.

Others visiting in Gruver are Oscar and Violet Lee's daughters, Gail and Margaret. We are thankful to be having better weather for these visits. Also, Russ Chisum's nieces, nephews and mother, Jimmie Sue, from Dalhart were able to visit here. Betty Chisum made a trip south to sing with Brenda Dahl Hopkins at the Kaufman County

Opry. However, the bad weather in the Dallas area kept her stuck in Dallas until Monday. So, what else is new? If she could have left Dallas, she probably would have been stuck somewhere else.

The Dorsey Schads entertained guests recently. They were Hal and Jeannie Bennett from Stratford and Dora Womble of Spearman.

Visiting the Mayhew and Beville families was Vickie Robinson of Dimmit. Others registering at FBC included Chase Schubert of Spearman.

Visiting here with Tifanee and Will Crane were her mother Carolyn Moses of Ralls and her sister, Misha Moore of Lubbock. They were guests for the baby shower given for Tifanee last Saturday.

Some of those we have on the sick list are Linda Walters in Hansford Hospital, Mary Jo Robinson who had foot surgery and Elmo McClellan is having problems with high blood pressure. Also, Mozelle McClellan was a hospital patient recently.

Our sympathy is extended to Bill and Sylvia Duncan. Bill's dad, Ted Duncan, recently passed away and his funeral was held in Booneville, Arkansas.

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Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Spearman is indeed proud of nine year old Bobby Lujan, a third grader in Spearman School. The Sunday Amarillo News-Globe lists him a top winner in the 1992 Southwest Airlines essay contest, "What the Holidays mean to me."

The contest, co-sponsored by the Amarillo Globe News was open to students throughout the four-state Golden Spread area.

Bobby's essay placed first in the elementary school category among the 215 entries.

He will receive two round-trip tickets to any Southwest Airlines destination with two night's free

lodging at a La Quinta Inn.

Bobby is the son of Linda and Miguel Lujan and the tentative plans are for Linda to accompany him to Disney Land.

CONGRATULATIONS, Bobby!

Funeral services for Alleen Gill Simpson, 76, were held on Saturday at Borger. She died January 20 in her sleep, apparently of a heart attack.

Alleen was a sister of Wilene Hughes and graduated from high school here in about 1935 and has lived in Borger since.

In addition to Wilene and her grandson, Johnny Thomas, Matilda Entekin and Cleo Denman attended the services.

Alleen was the mother of Allen Simpson who was a coach in the Spearman school in the mid 1970s. She was survived by three other sons.

It was ironic that the Friday issue of the Amarillo Daily News that carried the obituary for Alleen also had an interesting article about Allen Simpson. It was in the sports section and written by Jim Lexa.

The column was very complimentary concerning his career as a coach, beginning with his college days. He is considered one of the most successful coaches in the Panhandle. He is now with Amarillo High School and in addition to Spearman, he coached Canyon, Big Springs and Perryton.

Mrs. Mattie Reynolds was very gratified to have her 90th birthday on Sunday. She is remembered by so many. She and Dallasine will be feasting on birthday cake for some time as one daughter Natalie and B.J. Turner of Waka came, bringing ice cream and two cakes, then Phillip and Molly Turner brought another.

Mrs. Reynolds was pleased to have three deacons of the First Christian Church come out and administer Communion and sing "Happy Birthday" to her. At noon the van of the First Christian Church brought a number of youth who also sang for her. Other family members coming were Pat Cudd of Waka, Teresa Cudd of Perryton and Ruby and Floyd Hull.

Birthday calls from her family included Cecil and Ellen Reynolds, Yuma, Arizona; Gene and Ramona Reynolds, Gruver (ill with flu);

Leslie and Billie Joan Reynolds, Ruidosa, New Mexico; Joana Myers, Tulsa. Many local friends remembered her with calls and she was grateful for each. Other friends came to wish her Happy Birthday in person.

Mattie and Dallas O. Reynolds moved to Spearman in 1926 from Lipscomb and have reared their family here. He passed away in 1955.

Many Happy Returns, Miss Mattie!

The ice and falling contributed to many injuries the last several weeks and one of the most serious was that suffered by George Young. While in Gruver week before last he fell, but was able to get in the car and drive home. After several days confined to his bed, he learned of the necessity for surgery. A sliver has penetrated the spinal channel and there was a leakage of spinal fluid. The appointment was for last Tuesday, but icy roads prevented his going and it was Friday before it could be performed at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Virginia Young reports that the surgery was successful and he is slowly recovering. It is not definite when he can return to his duties at Station KDRF.

Teresa and Larry Davis, together with friends from Gruver, flew to San Antonio last week-end. Although the weather wasn't ideal, they had an enjoyable time.

Paul and Betty Hazelwood returned Friday from a week in Amarillo in the home of their son Billy Paul and family. On Friday, Jan. 15, Billy Paul underwent lung surgery in High Plains Baptist Hospital. The surgeons considered it successful.

Paul Holloway has gone to La Mesa, California to attend funeral services for his step-father. He will remain for several days with his mother, Norma Snyder. Paul is employed here by his aunt, Mary Schumann.

Mary's sister Melva and Lee Nichols, who live near her, went to Conway, Arkansas to spend Christmas with their daughter and family. It was their intention to return soon after. Due to the inclement weather and icy conditions, they are still there. However, their son-in-law was called to Wyoming and they stayed with their daughter and children during his absence. They hope to get back home next week.

W.R. and Eulalie Greever returned Friday evening from an absence of 2 1/2 months. They first went to San Antonio for a three week visit with Billie Joan and Leslie Reynolds. They went on to Harlingen where son Robert Darrell is wintering. Their family joined them there for Christmas. Helen and David Batson and two children of Plano, Stephen from Spearman, and Billie Joan and Leslie and daughter all had a warm, sunny Christmas. Their enjoyment was marred by the theft of Leslie's van on Christmas night. It contained their Christmas gifts and many other items.

The authorities advised that such is a daily occurrence and the vehicles are not recovered as they are taken across the border.

The Greevers returned by Zapata and Laredo, and expect to be here until spring. Stephen is joining Leslie and Billie Joan at Ruidosa for skiing.

Sympathy is expressed to Granville Boyd on the passing of his brother at McLean and to Cynthia DeArmond on the death of her grandmother at Guymon.

A belated Christmas was nevertheless very enjoyable for Caia Hester and her family last weekend. Due to the weather and schedule conflicts, they could not be together during Christmas. Coming home for typical Christmas gift exchange and dinner were her daughter, Paulette and Larry Plank, Enid; their daughter Amy, student at O.S.U.; their son Bryan and his fiancée, Amy Wallas of Edmond College. Completing the gathering was Tony and Sandra Hester and two children of Lubbock.

Their merry-making was cut short when Sandra received a death message and they left for Stephenville immediately on Saturday.

Lloyd and Dorothy Buzzard returned Wednesday from more than two weeks at Lubbock. Lloyd was a patient in the Methodist Hospital and is feeling much better. He was very complimentary about the care and treatment he received while there.

Their daughter, Patty Taylor, of Canyon went down several times to be with them. Patty is employed at the First State Bank in Canyon.

Word comes of the passing of Martha Batton, former resident of Spearman, in Tacoma, Washington. Her daughter, Freda Rosage, called friends and related that Mrs. Batton died on January 15 after suffering a heart attack. She was making her home with her daughter in Tacoma, but her services and interment was in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Batton, 90, had lived in Spearman many years and left here in the middle 1980s.

Martin and Viles...

exchange wedding vows

D'edra Ann Martin and William Dale Viles exchanged vows at 7 p.m. January 2, 1993 in the bride's home in Canyon with the Rev. Ray Cook officiating the ceremony.

Her home was decorated in teal and purple streamers with fuschia bows and teal, purple and fuschia balloons.

The ceremony began with the wedding march. Then the bride and groom's favorite song, "Everything I Do, I Do It For You" by Bryan Adams, was sang during the ceremony.

Isaac Pompa was the best man and Shae'La Pearson was the matron-of-honor. The candlelighters were Chad Scarborough and Mark Pearson. Roy-Dee Martin was the ring bearer and Cindi Lynn Scarborough carried the train.

The bride's dress was her mother's dress and it was made by the bride's grandmother. It had a full length train with layers of ruffled lace. She carried a white bouquet with teal, purple and fuschia ribbons.

The matron-of-honor wore a purple tea-length dress with long sleeves. She carried a bouquet consisting of three white long stem roses. They were held together by purple, fuschia and teal ribbons.

The bride's mother wore a turquoise skirt and a jacket with a gold shirt. The groom's mother wore a turquoise dress. Their corsages were made of three white roses with teal, fuschia and purple ribbon with purple and white net.

At the reception the table was covered with a white lace table cloth with a purple liner underneath. The table held a three tier-wedding cake. Phyllis Cummings, Janet Scarborough and Darla Pearson served cake and punch at the reception.

For her going away ensemble the bride wore a purple sweater and white pleated skirt.

The bride is a senior at Randall High School. She was a resident of Spearman for 11 years and attended Spearman schools for 5 years.

The groom graduated from Tascosa High School. He is a construction worker for H.B. Zackry. He also served in the U.S. Navy for 1 year and was aboard the U.S.S. Nassau for 4 months.

Out-of-town guests Darla, Shae'La and Mark Pearson - Salida, Colo.; Andy, Janet, Chad and Andi Lynn Scarborough, Spearman; Stella Cummings, Spearman; Marvin and Mary Viles, Borger; Jenne and Vernon, Matthew and Sarah Labus, all of Panhandle; Phyllis and Leo Cummings, Spearman; and Rev. Ray Cook, Spearman.



Seventh grade APT class presents "The Wizard of Oz" — Mrs. Pearson's 7th grade APT Class presented "The Wizard of Oz" to the elementary classes Friday, Jan. 15, 1993. Cast members included (l/r) back row: Mac Butts, Mrs. Pearson, Mike Butts, Kasey Dunnihoo, Lena Harbour, Jocelyn Edwards, Tara Bruning, Misha Davis, Brian Howell. Front Row: Ashley Brown, Lindsey Smith, Brooke Trantham, Maribel Martinez and Leah Baker.

School Lunch Menu

Spearman School Menu	bread sticks, fruit, milk
February 1 - February 5	Thursday - High School -
LUNCH	Baked Chicken
Monday - Turkey & noodles,	Junior High and Elementary
sweet peas, fruit, hot rolls, butter	- Chicken pattie
opt., jelly, milk	
Tuesday - Build your own: soft	mashed potatoes, gravy opt.,
burrito, ground beef, tortilla, refried	green beans, sliced carrots, hot rolls,
beans, taco sauce, cheese cup, lettuce - tomato salad, fruit, milk	butter/peanut butter blend, milk
Wednesday - Lasagna, cut broccoli - cheese sauce, buttered corn,	Friday - Charco-burger, french fries, lettuce-tomato, pickle-onion, birthday cake, milk

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Your kindness is greatly appreciated
Thanks Again
Edith Smith

We would like to thank our friends and neighbors for the cards and flowers during our time of sorrow.
The family of
R.D. McLain
Curtis Harbour
Family

Tell the county how you feel about your Valentine!
Ten personal words for \$1 in the February 11 Reporter-Statesman

SAMPLE
RS, When chocolates are gone I'll still love you—JJ

Deadline, Noon Monday, Feb. 8th

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The families of Charley Casdorff would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their support during the illness & loss of our beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. Words cannot express our appreciation for all the food, cards, visits, prayers, flowers and memorials received.

A special thank you to Dr. Ridge, Hansford Hospital staff, Hansford Home Health Care, Gruver EMT, and TC & Lou Harvey for all their support and care given to Charley and our family.

- Cleta Casdorff
- Charley Jr. & Peggy Casdorff
- Brenda Wilson & Family
- Judy Martin & Family
- Donny & Renee McWhirter & Family
- Rex & Jamie Casdorff & Family

THANK YOU • THANK YOU • THANK YOU • THANK YOU

Baby Shower For
Matthew Jarvis
son of
Will & Kristi Jarvis
Saturday, Jan. 30, 1993
2 - 4 PM
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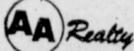
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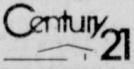
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S13-4tpRTN

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We are in Spearman on the 1st, 3rd & 5th Wednesdays of each
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3 bedroom, 2 bath house - 2340 sq. ft. Plus
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Contact FNB Spearman - Brian Gillispie,
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S46-1tc

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S14-4tp

Greatly Reduced-House for sale or rent. A
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S14-2tc

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S12-5tp

212 Motor Grader, '61. For more information
call 659-3204.
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SURPLUS PROPERTY FOR SALE

Hansford County Commissioner's Court of-
fers for sale by sealed bid, certain items of
surplus fire equipment and office equipment
until 4 p.m. on Friday, February 5, 1993.
Bids will be opened and awarded Monday,
February 8, 1993 at 11:00 a.m. at the regular
Commissioner's Court meeting.
A list of the property to be sold can be
obtained from the Hansford County Judge's
office or County Auditor's office.
Terms: Cash on day of sale.
Jim D. Brown,
Hansford County Judge

S13-3tc

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S13-3tp

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S14-1tp

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tral heating and air, and attached garages.
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S14-1tcRTN

WANTED

WANTED TO RENT - 1 or 2 Bedroom
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S14-2tp

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S13-10tp

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S12-1t

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S13-2tc

Wanted Night Watchman: Caprock #2 is
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S13-2tc

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Apply at Hansford CO. Sheriff's office. Dead-
line for applications is Jan. 31, 1993.
S12-3tc

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position will be required to live in or near
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10, 1993. (An Equal Opportunity Employer.)
S14-2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HANSFORD**

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the
Honorable 84TH Judicial District Court of
Hansford County, on the 7 day of Jan. 1993
by the Clerk thereof, in the case of
HANSFORD COUNTY VS. BOESE, ELDON D.
Cause #454 and to me, as Sheriff, di-
rected and delivered, I will proceed to sell
3:30 O'CLOCK P.M. on the 2ND DAY OF
FEBRUARY, 1993 which is the first Tuesday
of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the
Courthouse of said Hansford County, in the
City of SPEARMAN Texas, the following de-
scribed property, to wit:
All of Lot Number 17, in Block 16, Glover
Terrace, an Addition to City of Spearman,
Hansford County, Texas
Levied on the 7 day of Jan. 1993 as the
property of
ELDON D. BOESE AND LANORE BOESE
ESTATE BY VIRTUE OF A WARRANTY
DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 172, PAGE
66, OF THE RECORDS OF HANSFORD

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to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$4,641.06
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SPEARMAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DIST-
RICT, COUNTY EDUCATION DISTRICT
#20 FOR SPEARMAN I.S.D. AND
HANSFORD COUNTY
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 7 day of
Jan. 1993

R.L. McFarlin, Jr.
Sheriff Hansford County, Texas
By Dennis Cline, Deputy

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PUBLIC NOTICE

THE RECORDS OF HANSFORD COUNTY,
TEXAS
to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$676.12
with interest from the 29TH DAY OF OCTO-
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costs of suit in favor of CITY OF SPEARMAN,
SPEARMAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DIST-
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LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with Section 116, Local Gov-
ernment Code of Texas Revised Civil Sta-
tures, the Commissioner's Court of Hansford
County will select an official depository for
both County funds and certain School funds
handled by the County for the biennium 1993-
1995 at their regular meeting on February 22,
1993 at 10:00 a.m. in the Deliberation Room
in the Hansford County Courthouse,
Spearman, Texas.

Jim D. Brown
Hansford County Judge

S14-4tc

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HANSFORD**

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the
Honorable 84TH Judicial District Court of
Hansford County, on the 7 day of Jan. 1993
by the Clerk thereof, in the case of
HANSFORD COUNTY VS. STEVENS, BILL
Cause #477 and to me, as Sheriff, directed
and delivered, I will proceed to sell 3:30
O'CLOCK P.M. on the 2ND DAY OF FEBRU-
ARY, 1993 which is the first Tuesday of said
month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Court-
house of said Hansford County, in the City of
SPEARMAN Texas, the following described
property, to wit:
All of Lot Number 11, Owens Subdivision of
Out Lot Number 3, lying adjacent to the town
of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas
Levied on the 7 day of Jan. 1993 as the
property of
BILL STEVENS AND THE ESTATE OF
JOANNA STEVENS BY VIRTUE OF A
WARRANTY DEED IN VOL 146, PG 182, OF

the records of Hansford County, Texas
to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$6,307.23
with interest from the 29TH DAY OF OCTO-
BER, 1992 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all
costs of suit in favor of SPEARMAN INDE-
PENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, COUNTY
EDUCATION DISTRICT #20 FOR
SPEARMAN I.S.D. AND HANSFORD
COUNTY
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 7 day of
Jan. 1993

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S.I.S.D. to induct 18 to National Honor Society

Eighteen students at Spearman High School will be inducted into the Edna Hartman Chapter of National Honor Society at 2 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 4, in the high school auditorium.

New members to be inducted are Landon Swan, Mike Hager and Sherman Jones, seniors; Rainey Whittington, Mandi Carter, Toni Snow, Clint Schnell, Tommi Latta, Cass Lasater and Nikki Strawn, juniors; Molly Blackman, Kortney Henton, Kristina Poole, Mika Pipkin, Carey Beaty, Josh Howard, Sandi Rich and Heather Reimer, sophomores.

National Honor Society recognizes students for scholarship, citizenship, leadership and service.

Officers of the Edna Hartman Chapter of NHS are Cody Pipkin, president; Laura Pearson, vice-president; and Mary Cook, secretary.

Sharon Hargrove, Perryton, au-

thor of *Safe at Home*, will be the speaker at the induction.

The public is invited to attend.

Present NHS members, in addition to the officers, are Brad Butler, Amber Cates, Donette Cates, Jennifer Covington, Wesley Dyess, Jeri Evans, Michelle Garnett, Chris Hornsby, Holly Jarvis, Myrna Lopez, Robert Needham, Randie Renner, Sylvia Rosales, Sophia Salgado, Clint Townsen, and Kimbre Townsen, seniors; Matt Archer, Melissa Baker, Chad Gardiner, John Holt, Alisha LaRochelle, Karina Magana, Alma Martinez, Carrie Pearson, Elizabeth Pipkin, Jami Ralston and Jason Swink, juniors.

TEXAS

It's Like A Whole Other Country

1992 from page 1 and 345 for Bill Clinton.

"Hansford County Historical Commission...logging county cemeteries" The Hansford County Historical Commission did their part of the state wide project of a log book for the cemeteries in Hansford County. Holly and Kim Venneman of Gruver volunteered to walk

through Hansford Cemetery to gather names and dates off of every headstone. Other cemeteries included in the log were Gruver, Lieb, Holt, Oslo and Mulloch.

"Beedy Furniture celebrates 30 years" Brad and Dodie Beedy celebrated thirty years in the furniture business in November 1992.

"Spearman Lynx dominate Boys Ranch, end season with

win" The 27-6 win over Boys Ranch closed football season for the Lynx. Coach Smith confirmed that this game would be a spring board for the team in '93.

DECEMBER 1992 "Blizzard conditions bring Hansford County to a halt" Approximately only 8 inches of snow was measured from the storm, but Hansford County will not soon forget the winds and the drifts that stranded many motorists includ-

ing the Reporter-Statesman's own Angela Jones.

Since taking the editor's position at *The Hansford County Reporter-Statesman* in March of 1992, I have made my share of mistakes, met and interviewed several people and written many stories. The most memorable one was the rocking horse story I wrote in December. "Loving, caring and time...Hull's ingredients for 'perfect' gift



RADICAL LIVING

By Dan Carter, Pastor Trinity Community Church

What's on your mind?

Among my friends and parishioners at a minimum security prison in New Mexico, Clyde was one for whom I didn't hold out much hope. He had been in and out of prison for twenty-six years, and was only in his mid-forties.

During Bible studies, and times of personal conversation, Clyde would say, "It's my stinking thinking. That's why I can't do any better." Last I heard, Clyde was out of prison and preaching the gospel at tent meetings, prisons and wherever he could. He had finally conquered his "stinking thinking."

There is a great difference between talking to yourself, and letting yourself talk to you. In the former we're active agents. In the latter simply inert gray matter being acted on. Since the Bible tells us we are responsible to renew our minds, we need to make sure that no "stinking thinking" takes up residence.

Often I have to grab myself by the scruff of the neck and say, "Look self, I belong to Jesus, therefore I must set my mind on excellent things." It's only the mind focused on God that is promised perfect peace.

One thing is certain, "As a man thinks, so he is," (Prov. 23:7). What's on your mind?

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R.L. McFarlin, Jr. Sheriff, Hansford County, Texas By: Dennis Cline, Deputy

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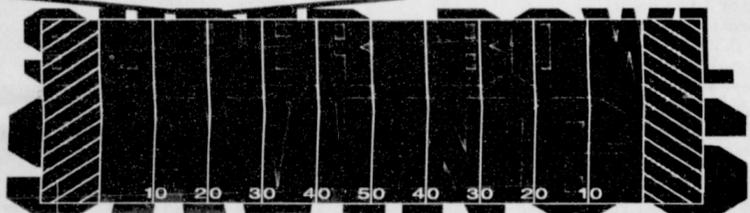
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Investment Securities	02	10,649,423.28
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	03	516,000.00
Mortgage Loans (incl. MBS)	04	37,077,380.42
Other Loans	05	1,120,933.63
Real Estate Owned	06	2,375,051.84
Investment in Real Estate	07	0.00
Office Premises & Equipment, net	08	688,754.02
Investments in Subsidiary Corporations	09	0.00
Goodwill	10	0.00
Other Assets and Deferred Charges	11	202,903.59
TOTAL ASSETS	12	\$ 56,157,253.32

LIABILITIES

Deposit Accounts	13	52,978,924.27
Advances from FHLB of Dallas	14	0.00
Other Borrowed Money	15	0.00
Other Liabilities	16	890,646.77
TOTAL LIABILITIES	17	\$ 53,869,571.04

EQUITY CAPITAL

Preferred Stock	18	0.00
Common Stock	19	300,000.00
Paid-in Surplus	20	0.00
Other Capital Accounts	21	0.00
Retained Earnings	22	1,987,682.28
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	23	\$ 2,287,682.28

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL 24 \$ 56,157,253.32

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Obituaries

CLEORA MILLER SUNRAY - Cleora Miller, 74, died Tuesday, Jan. 19, 1993. Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 22, in Lane Memorial Cemetery with the Rev. H.L. Stevens, retired pastor of First Assembly of God in Dumas, officiating. Arrangements were by Morrison Funeral Directors. Mrs. Miller, born in Jenks, Okla., had lived in Sunray since 1963. She also had lived in Spearman. She was a member of First Assem-

bly of God Church. She married Leslie Edward Miller at Wellington, Kan. He died in 1969. Survivors include three sons, Les Miller and Gerald Miller, both of Sunray, and M.W. Miller of Clarendon; five daughters, Audrey Stinnett of Dumas, Juanita Turner of Rocky Ford, Colo., Linda Mott of Blanchard, Okla., Carolyn Cripps of Silver City, N.M., and Jackie Ybarra of Duncan, Okla.; two brothers, Vernon Crabtree of Madison, Kan., and Lloyd Crabtree of Kan-

sas; four sisters, Phyllis Haire of Eureka, Kan., Lola Sherman, Ann Jardt and Pauline Reed, all of Hamilton; several grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren. **ALLEEN SIMPSON BORGER** - Alleen Simpson, 76, died Wednesday, Jan. 20, 1993. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23, in First Assembly of God with the Rev. Calvin Newton, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Westlawn Cemetery by Ed Brown and Sons Funeral Home. Mrs. Simpson, born in Batesville, Ark., had been a Borger resident for 54 years. She was a member of First Assembly of God Church, where she had been the organist since 1963. She was a member of the Women's Missionary Council and was a Sunday School teacher and youth sponsor. She was preceded in death by her husband, Virgil Simpson, in 1974. Survivors include four sons,

Allen Simpson of Amarillo, Nealby Simpson of Borger, Rossie Simpson of San Antonio and Gail Simpson of Pflugerville; a sister, Willene Hughes of Spearman; 12 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. **ARTHUR EDGAR BOYD McLEAN** - Arthur Edgar Boyd, 67, died Wednesday, Jan. 20, 1993. Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 24, in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Q.D. Bevil, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home. Mr. Boyd was a lifetime resident of McLean. In 1953 he married Mary Lee Stevens at McLean. He was a Marine Corps veteran of World War II and worked as a cable tool driller in the oil fields for Barker Drilling Co. for 42 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church. Survivors include his wife; a

daughter, Jeree Oldham of Amarillo; a son, Larry J. Boyd of Bakersfield, Calif.; his mother, Ruby Boyd of McLean; a sister, Nadine Wimberly of Whitesboro; a brother, Granville Boyd of Spearman; and two grandchildren. **BEULAH E. BURGER SPEARMAN** - Beulah E. Burger, 80, died Sunday, Jan. 24, 1993. Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 27, in Ochiltree Cemetery with the Rev. Ray Cook, pastor of the First Assembly of God church, officiating. Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home made the arrangements. Mrs. Burger, born in Fairview, Okla., moved to Waka in 1921. She moved to Spearman 38 years ago from Waka. She was postmaster from 1938 until 1953. She attended the First Assembly of God Church. She was preceded in death by a son, Bobby Dean, in 1943 and a daugh-

ter, Roberta, in 1981. Survivors include a son, Bill Burger of Spearman; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Hometown news

Rebecka Ann Lusby of Spearman was among students named to the Dean's Honor List at Texas Christian University for the 1992 fall semester. This recognition cites undergraduate students for academic achievement. Though not the only indication of educational accomplishment, outstanding grades mark the meeting of high challenges set by the University's faculty members, according to Dr. William H. Koehler, vice chancellor for academic affairs. Lusby is a senior music education major. She is the daughter of Dorothy Lusby and a graduate of Spearman High School.

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 Bible Study: 7:30 p.m. Wed.
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 Worship: 10:50 a.m.
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 Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m. Wed.
 Pastor Larry Miller

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 209 King 733-2760
 Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
 Worship: 10:20 a.m.
 Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
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 Wed. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.
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 Worship: 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Worship: 7:30 p.m.
 Pastor Ray Cook

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
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 Worship: 10:50 a.m.
 Women's Bible Study: 2 p.m. Wed.
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 Worship: 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
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Judge Brown appointed to Solid Waste Task Force

by Angela Jones
Editor

The Hansford County Commissioner's Court appointed Judge Jim Brown as the advisory board member for the Sub-Region 2 Solid Waste Task Force at the regular meeting held Monday, Jan. 25.

Brown will be attending the solid waste meeting held on Friday, Feb. 12.

Other business at the meeting was setting Sheriff's Dispatcher Araseli Vaquera's salary. It was set at \$1,030 per month, according to Brown.

The commission authorized County Attorney John Hutchinson to contact the Porters' attorney to discuss their claim, said Brown. He added that they did not go into

executive session on this item. A discussion on the health insurance policy concerning a discrepancy. Brown stated that the Commissioner's Court is looking into the situation.

Another item of discussion was on the appointment of hospital board members. Brown explained that board members are not appointed until March, but that the Commissioner's Court always holds a discussion 30 days prior to the appointment.

A discussion with E.D. Baker Corporation and Berger Sand and Gravel was also held during the meeting. Brown explained that they were checking with them on the dates of availability so the

commissioners would know when and how much gravel they would have access to.

The commissioners passed an amendment to National Convention Policy. According to Brown the policy state, "Hansford County does not pay any expenses to the National Convention." The amendment added "or dues to those organizations," Brown said.

The Treasurer's Quarterly Report was tabled. It will be given at a future meeting. Brown explained that the quarterly report was not completed.

Regular business at the meeting was the approval of the minutes, treasurer's report and investments and payment of the monthly bills.



Members of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce gathered Saturday, Jan. 30 at the Spearman High School Cafeteria for their annual membership banquet.

In the top picture on the left Dwayne Smith (l) received the Rotary Club's Employee of the Year award from Larry Trospen. Helen Melton was elected Citizen of the Year. In the right top picture Melton is accepting a flag that has flown over the State Capitol Building from State Representative Warren Chisum as a memento of her award.

In the middle picture humorous Dr. Steve Stutsman D.D.S. asks the audience, "can I get an Amen, please." He presented a humorous sermon as the character "Bubba Bookout," a televangelist. Dr. Stutsman kept the Chamber Members laughing with his slightly skewed religious observation. Though he spoofs the televangelists, with this character, in real life he is a devout Christian. "My wife and I have dedicated honorarium or donations that I receive from "Bubba" to our own church's building fund, said Dr. Stutsman.

Demonstrating their public performing talents are several of the Chamber Board Members. They put on a skit about what they would be if not for their chamber work. Bravest of the group was Stan Cobb, far right, when he came out dressed in a tutu and tights. He professed to wanting to be a dancer.



Hansford County's American Heart Association... presents "Hearts of Gold" Banquet

"Hearts of Gold" will be on parade Saturday evening, Feb. 6, at 7 p.m. at the Gruver Elementary Gym.

A steak dinner will be served to those attending by the Knights of Columbus. Guests will be served by some of Hansford County's most notable V.I.P.'s: Jackie Pierson, Jim Miller, Judy Nelson, Kevin Russell,

handmade knife by Russell & Russell Knifemakers (Tommy and Kevin Russell); a wooden trunk crafted by Eddie Clemmons; paintings by Eloise Renner, Elsie Mathews, Joyce Johnson, Barbara Shieldknight; China by Athalie Traylor, Barbara Stavlo, Mozelle Sparks, Micky Delano, Freeda Sheets and a handcrafted rocking

Barb's Beauty Shop; a cut and curl from Sara Schufelt; and many, many more too numerous to list. You may browse and bid to your heart's content!

"We are so proud of our Hansford County "award winning" affiliate and we are proud of the American Heart Association," says Sandy Russell, past president of Hansford County's AHA. "They are constantly striving to alleviate heart disease and disorders from our lives, using money raised here in our county to fund research and to provide information for the public. Many people in Hansford County have benefited from the knowledge learned, the skills of physicians and surgeons, the development of special equipment and the training for ongoing heart-related care. This year's president's son Kory Brown (son of Judge & Rosemary Brown) was able to play football this year, and as a Junior at Spearman High, this is one of the most important things in his life. Kory had successful heart procedures in Amarillo in 1990.

Hershal Jones successfully underwent five bypasses and some specific arterial procedures in March of 1992 in Milwaukee, Wis.

Oscar Donnell is doing well following four bypasses and insertion of a pacemaker in December 1992 in Amarillo.

Several others are in treatment or are waiting heart surgery as this goes to press. We are happy that we can be a part of American Heart Association and see our money being used in the lives of our friends here in Hansford County. Few of us have been spared the "heart-ache" of heart disease and related disorders. Many of us want to do what we can to see that this killer becomes a thing of the past. And one way to do this is to support the American Heart Association this Saturday, Feb. 6, at the "Hearts of Gold" Banquet at the Elementary Gym in Gruver, 7 p.m..



Heart Association Banquet organizer, Jody Irwin, is giving instructions to the Gruver volunteer waiters. They are (l-r) Mike Grotegute, Ron Dunning, Jerry Hunt, Mike Yanke, Mark Irwin, Corky Chapman, Buster Davis, Bob Tolleson and Roger Ferguson.

Cindy and Monte Blackman, Richard Partney, Raymond Birchfield, Kory Brown, Corky Chapman, Buster Davis, Bill Pitman, Pam Schnell, Ron Dunning, Mike Grotegut, Jerry Hunt, Judy Stedje, Lynann Maize, Keith Gibson, Bob Tolleson, Loyell Turner, Mike Yanke and Rita Williams.

Featured entertainment for the evening will be Danny and D'dee Ellis, Bonita Reimer and Janie Kunselman.

The dinner will be preceded by a live auction featuring paintings and bronze sculptures. Ed Dear will be the auctioneer.

A silent auction will be on going through the evening featuring a

horse by Skeeze Riley.

Some other items in the silent auction are a wooden magazine rack by Howard Goodrich; floral arrangements from Prairie Garden Flowers and All Occasion Flowers; a porcelain doll from Rosemary and Linda Brown; a handcrafted magazine rack by John Williams; a stained glass hanging from Jim and Laquita Evans; a handpainted fashion by Kayla Pletcher; a cross stitch bible cover and a wall hanging by D'dee Ellis; a watch from Hickerson Jewelry; a handcrafted swan and duck by Floydette Seal; autographs from two famous baseball heroes; several gift certificates, including two from Lowe's Grocery and two from



The Spearman Elementary Foundation award winners gathered at Pizza Hut Friday, Jan. 29 for their pizza lunch. Pictured (l-r) are Patrick Jerman, Kallie Smith, Sarah George, Dr. Partney, Richard Goehring, Susan Ortega and Kaysha Fuller.

"The Foundation" gives awards

by Dr. Partney

On Monday, Jan. 25, 1993, "The Foundation" awarded a PIZZA luncheon with Dr. Partney to Kaysha Fuller (Kindergarten), Patrick Jerman (First), Kallie Smith (Second), Sarah George (Third), Susan Ortega (Fourth) and Richard Goehring (Fifth).

This PIZZA treat was provided by "The Foundation." "The Foundation" is funded by contributions from private citizens and local businesses for the purpose of rewarding exemplary citizenship (in school and the community) and diligent academic work by the students at Gus Birdwell Elementary School in Spearman. This year "The Foundation" has given certificates, buttons, pencils bumper stickers and

Spearman Independent School District Superintendent Larry Butler has been awarded his Doctorate of Education Degree in Educational Administration from California Coast University.



Larry Butler, Superintendent

He began working on the degree in fall of 1990. After completed all coursework, the final written exams and presenting himself for oral defense of his dissertation, he was awarded the degree.

The dissertation was entitled, "The Relationship and Effect of the Career Ladder and TTAS on Superintendents and School Climate in Selected Schools in the Texas Panhandle."

Butler has been the superintendent of schools in Spearman since 1985. During that time he has been active in different organizations at the state-level which promote education. He has served on the executive committee for the Texas Asso-

ciation of Community Schools, the Texas Association of Rural Schools, the first Commissioner of Education's Advisory Council, the University Interscholastic League Legislative Council. He has just completed a term as the Chairman of the U.I.L. Legislative Council. He was elected to these committees by his fellow superintendents in the region.

Butler has also been very active in the legislative process that effects school districts and is currently serves on Senator Bivins advisory group of superintendents.

PLA to hold meeting

Panhandle Livestock Association will hold its 78th annual meeting Saturday, February 13, 1993 at the Harvey Hotel in Amarillo.

Nancy McIntyre, president of PLA said the convention will begin at 9 a.m. with registration in the atrium. The Board of Directors will meet at 10 a.m. At 11 a.m. in the ballroom, there will be the first viewing of the silent auction items. Lunch and informal meeting will begin at noon. Images of Pampa will provide fashions for the fashion show. The guest speaker will be Mr. Ed Small, legal council for Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. He will speak on current issues as they apply to the panhandle cattlemen and ranchers.

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Editorial Comment

Clinton must release brakes on Community banks

by Jim Shirley, President, First State Bank, Spearman



After many months of campaign rhetoric and debate, the time for results is here. Bill Clinton presides in the Oval Office and the mystery of the moment is how he will structure the economic stimulus package he has promised for so many months. To succeed, the President must do two things at once: rev up our economic engine and release the brakes.

These days, restarting the economy means increasing lending and getting more credit to more individuals. That's not likely to

happen, however, as long as our financial institutions are discouraged from doing business. Today our banks are laboring under an unending barrage of redundant regulations and contradictory directives.

Certainly there is a need for the fundamental bank regulations which guarantee bank safety and soundness. The public has a right to a secure banking system. However, one banking information services company has estimated that the cumulative stack of laws and regulations, changes and updates governing today's financial institutions exceeds 200,000 pages and is growing every day.

Putting an exact dollar figure on the burden is difficult. The American Bankers Association (ABA) found that banks spent \$10.7 billion in 1991—or 59 percent of their annual profits—simply keeping pace with industry rules and regulations. A separate, more recent study by the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council placed that burden as high as \$17.5 billion per year. Whatever the actual number, the fact is that banks are finding it increasingly difficult to serve their customers in the face of this paperwork blitz.

At President Clinton's economic summit in Little Rock, Arkansas, the focal point of discussion was a \$30 billion economic stimulus package that would create jobs and get the economy moving again. While modest by Capitol Hill standards, the \$30 billion price tag represents another outlay of taxpayer funds at a time when we are racking up \$300 billion deficits.

That's why the President's ears perked up when ABA President William H. Brandon pointed out that an increase of only 4 percent in total loans could produce \$86 billion in increased lending. Surely a sensible reform of today's oppressive regulatory environment could supply that much of a spark while being deficit-neutral.

"There is a lot of excessive...regulation and actually super-conservatism out there that could be eliminated simply by moving back slightly toward normal," said Brandon, who is also chief executive of the First National Bank of Phillips County in Helena, Arkansas. Clinton understood at once. "You heard the \$86 billion figure. I've just been sitting here all day thinking about this," observed the President. "The stimulus (package) is peanuts compared to increasing bank loans."

Today bankers are being locked out of many of their traditional lines of business by the punitive and cumbersome regulations that spring up in the wake of the savings and loan crisis. Indeed, since 1987, Congress has enacted more than 40 major new regulatory reforms affecting bank operations. While some of these regulations are positive, many are unnecessary. Though commercial banks had nothing to do with ringing up the S&L waste, fraud and abuse, they too were being hit head-on with the regulatory onslaught that followed.

For example, "character loans," once a staple of bank lending, are now being regulated out of existence. More and more banks require a secondary source of repayment and at least three years of demonstrated business experience before approving a personal or business loan. Behind this new rigidity is fear of the regulatory firing squad that could await a bank if, by some fluke, such a loan went bad. Ironically, those most in jeopardy are the borrowers most likely to create new jobs: small businesses and first-time entrepreneurs.

The flood of new government requirements keeps bankers occupied shuffling papers, and customers waiting in line longer, filling out form after form, and paying higher fees. It's time to cut the red tape so banks can operate more efficiently and better serve their customers.

If President Clinton convened a meeting—prior to the submission to Congress of his economic stimulus package—of bankers, government officials, homebuilders, and small business leaders to review the regulatory burden on banks and the drag it is having on our economic recovery, he would get a first-hand account of the results of excessive bank regulation.

By restoring reason to the process, President Clinton would not only help the banks, he'd go a long way toward ensuring a vibrant economic recovery for the Nation.



"What The Holidays Mean To Me" essay contest...

Lujan's essay chosen over 215 entered

by Angela Jones Editor

Many people dream of winning a free trip. Well this dream has come true for one 10-year-old Spearman elementary student. Bobby Lujan recently won two roundtrip tickets from Southwest Airlines and a two-night stay at La Quinta Inns.

Bobby's essay was chosen the winner of the "What The Holidays Mean To Me" essay contest out of the 215 entered in the elementary category, grades first-sixth. He wrote on Christmas as a whole, explained his mother, Linda Lujan, who will accompany him on the trip. The essay included Jesus' birthday, family, Santa, and the giving of presents.

When he was asked how he felt when he found out that he'd won

Bobby said, "I was excited." Linda was also excited. She said, "I was shocked when I saw it in the mail. It had the letter, the tickets and the certificates for the room." She added, "I'm real proud of him."

But the family is not the only ones happy for Bobby. Karen Thompson, third grade teacher, said, "The whole school was excited."

Bobby is planning to go to California. He wants to go to Disneyland, Linda said. Bobby said that they are planning on going in the summer so that his dad can go too. He added that his dad will have to buy his own ticket.

Dreams can come true. The sponsors of the essay contest, Southwest Airlines, La Quinta Inns and the Amarillo Globe-News, are making Bobby's dream trip a reality.



"What The Holidays Mean to Me" essay contest winner Bobby Lujan, center, is pictured here with his mother, Linda (right), and Karen Thompson (left), one of Bobby's teachers. Bobby won two round trip tickets from Southwest Airlines and a two night stay with La Quinta Inns.

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Last year, PLA added a new and exciting purpose. The result of this project was to establish a scholarship at Clarendon College Ranch and Feedlot Management school. The recipient of that scholarship will attend the luncheon. This project is funded by donations and the silent auction. The cocktail party and auction will begin at 6 p.m. in the ballroom. A dance will follow with music provided by Young Country!

Breakfast will be served at 11 p.m. ending the day's events.

Reservations can be made for the entire day or for any part of the day by calling Nancy McIntyre at (806)659-2083.

School menu

Pringle-Morse Cafeteria Menu
February 8 - February 12
LUNCH

Monday—Mexican meat loaf, salad, broccoli & cheese, biscuits, oatmeal cookie, milk.

Tuesday—Chicken strips, potatoes, gravy, corn, salad, rolls, cake, milk.

Wednesday—Sloppy joe, tator tots, baked beans, brownies, milk.

Thursday—Fish, macaroni & cheese, spinach, corn bread, fruit, milk.

Friday—Lasagna, carrots, salad, crackers, ice cream, milk.

BREAKFAST

Monday—Donuts, cheese toast, apple juice, milk.

Tuesday—Muffins, cinnamon toast, orange juice, milk.

Wednesday—Waffles, sausage, apple juice, milk.

Thursday—Cereal, toast, grape juice, milk.

Friday—Bacon & eggs, toast, orange juice, milk.

HOSPITAL REPORT

January 28 - February 3
ADMISSIONS

Thursday—none

Friday—E.J. Wade and Bertha Forester

Saturday—None

Sunday—Mildred Daily and Joyce Crum

Monday—Josephine Kirk

Tuesday—Lomita Sparks and Donette Cates

DISMISSIONS

Thursday—Lois Gibner

Friday—Lucille Crawford, Ina Martin, Julie Baca and Lester Slaten.

Saturday—None

Sunday—None

Monday—Eva Dozier, Jewell Pearson and E.J. Wade.

Tuesday—Bertha Forester and Joyce Crum.

CENSUS

Wednesday—Meldred Daily, Lomita Sparks, Josephine Kirk, Linda Sanchez and Donette Cates.

Hometown news

DECEMBER—Two Spearman area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the honor roll for the Fall semester at the University.

Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll include Joy D'Aun Gafford, a Finance major, and Brandon Heath Rex, a Business major all from Spearman.

THANK YOU

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your overwhelming response and support to Equity Expo '93. We judged it a big success based on your response, and it appears that another Expo will be planned in the future.

A special thanks goes to all of our exhibitors, local merchants and the Perryton Shriners for all of their help and cooperation they gave to make Expo '93 a success. Your cooperation was greatly appreciated.

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1993 cookie sale reveals the new Girl Scout cookie boxes

Yucca Girl Scout Council will launch the 1993 Girl Scout Cookie Sale by girls taking orders on January 29. The advance sale will end on February 14 and cookies will be delivered in mid-March. This year,

customers will find the cookies wrapped in brand new boxes designed to communicate the values found in contemporary Girl Scouting.

Through close-up portraits of girls engaged in a variety of Girl Scout activities, the boxes depict the supportive, "girls-only" environment in which girls practice new skills, establish lasting friendships, learn from positive female role models and have fun. National studies have shown that a single-sex setting helps girls develop the self-esteem and confidence needed to grow into resourceful, happy citizens.

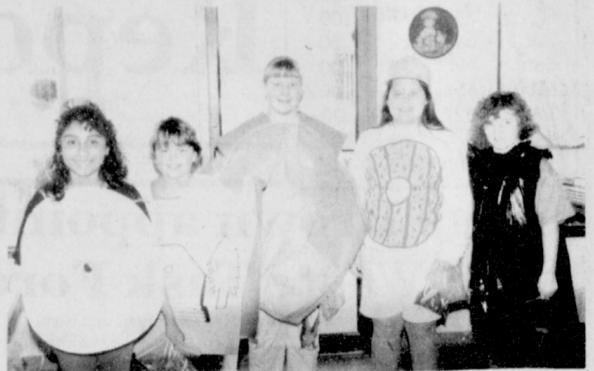
Each box features a message from a girl, sharing her views on a Girl Scout experience. One girl's message about her aerobic exercise experience says, "Our Girl Scout leader must be double jointed. She can bend in every direction. Okay, so maybe I can't wrap my leg around

my neck, but I'm having a great time anyway!" The boxes were designed by acclaimed graphic designer Saul Bass, of Bass Yager & Associates, Los Angeles, California. The award-winning Bass, whose designs include logos for such major corporations as AT&T, Exxon, and United Airlines, also created the Girl Scout service mark in 1978.

Girls from Yucca Girl Scout Council will be taking orders for the sale and benefit through developing responsibility, learning how to handle money and the importance of following through on a promise to deliver a product.

Girls also are helping to support their council, their troop and to financially assist them with program events and camp.

For more information or to place orders if you aren't contacted by a Scout - contact Carolyn Cummings at 659-2106.



These Girl Scouts were promoting their cookie sales last week by going around town dressed as their favorite cookies. Pictured (l-r) are Juanita Rosales, Sarah Goodson, Dawn Loomis, Jennifer Laxson and Maranda Fight.

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meeting place.

The quilters have another pretty quilt that will soon be looking for a new home. Tickets will be for sale soon. Then another quilt will be started. They would love to see newcomers to help piece and quilt on Mondays. A covered dish meal is also a part of the day.

More projects are the crafters plan. Some of these will be for the benefit of the center some for teaching. Plans are for joining an arts and crafts show later in the year. Making photo albums and bible covers will be soon. May is the month for wreaths. These are only a few of the plans for laughter, covered dish lunch, and work on Thursdays.

Any help or suggestions for activities to create more interest will be greatly appreciated.

Chaos often breeds life,
when order breeds habit.

—Henry Brooks Adam

RADICAL LIVING



By Dan Carter, Pastor
Trinity Community Church

WELL I'LL BE!

Several years ago my wife and I were walking the beach near Dana Point, California. Coming toward us was a man wearing a T-shirt saying, "To Do Or To Be?" As we passed I turned to look. The back said "Dooby, Dooby, Dooby."

Great T-shirt. Great perception of a real dilemma. What comes first, doing or being? It would seem obvious beyond question that people must be, before they do. In fact, what you are determines what you do.

As obvious as the truth is, still people strive to justify their existence by doing something. Jesus started from the "being" position. He would say, "I am _____", and then do it. He also said, "YOU must be born again..." Later He told His disciples, "...and you shall be my witnesses..."

It seems like church has become a lot of doing. Very little is known of being. That's why it is so easy to separate S.S. lessons from what is sometimes called real life. To be doers of God's Word, we must receive that Word with humility. It is only His Word that gives life: "The words I speak to you are spirit and life."

So much are we to prioritize being over doing, that Paul said, "It's no longer I who live, but Christ", and "Be filled with the Holy Spirit."

What you do consistently, day in and day out, reveals who you are. If you are not doing, you are not. Simply stated, those that are, do.

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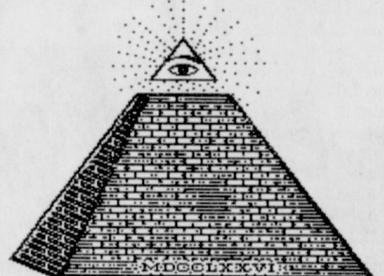
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Burleson, Hawkins wed

Esther Burleson and Doug Hawkins were united in marriage on January 16, 1993, at 3 P.M., in Paramount Baptist Church of Amarillo. The Reverend Don Guy of Amarillo officiated.



Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Andy Burleson of Amarillo. Grandmother of the bride is Mrs. Faye Cluck of Gruver.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hawkins of Clarendon.

Grandparents of the groom are Mrs. Opal Borden of Clarendon and Mrs. and Mrs. C.W. Hawkins of Elmer, Okla.

Vows were exchanged at the altar which was decorated with four candelabras intertwined with greenery and white roses. Three large arrangements of white roses, stargazer lilies, and greenery were placed on pedestals in front of the altar candelabras.

Piano preludes, performed by Kevin Clowe of Amarillo, included "Always" by Irving Berlin, "Unforgettable", and "Last Date". Kevin accompanied Nanette Haines, cousin of the bride, of Roswell, N.M., as she sang "In This Very Room".

The organist, Jeanelle Saylor of Amarillo, played the Wedding March and the processional, "Trumpet Voluntaire". She also accompanied Nanette Haines as she sang "The Lord's Prayer". De De Cummins, sister of the bride, of Garland, Texas served as Matron of Honor. Bridesmaids were Marcy Tow, sister of the bride of Southbend, Ind., Gwen Freer of Dallas, Julia Haygood of Amarillo, and Nann Kemper of Troy, Mo.

Flower girls were Jessica Cummins of Garland, Texas and Hayley Tow of Southbend, Ind. Both are nieces of the bride.

Dean Hawkins, brother of the groom, of Las Cruces, N.M. was Best Man. Groomsmen included Lee Smith of Clarendon, Wade King of Stephenville, Jason Brummer of College Station, and Rick Harrell of Lubbock. Ushers were Jason Spence of Lubbock, Brian Reynolds of Dimmitt, Tim Cummins, brother-in-law of the bride of Garland, and Scott Tow, brother-in-law of the bride of Southbend, Ind. Candle lighters were Jason Spence and Brian Reynolds.

Registering the guests were Jana Ivey, cousin of the bride of Parker, Colo., and Rhonda Richmeir, friend of the bride of Amarillo.

Esther was escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father. She wore a white floor-length designer gown made of European taffeta and featuring a portrait collar with Edwardian sleeves. The bodice, encrusted with pearls and jewels, had an elongated waistline. The bridal gown's skirt had a slim, sheath style. The cathedral-length train was decorated at the hemline and double-edged with borders of European lace. For her wedding jewelry, Esther wore pearls borrowed from her grandmother and a childhood ring borrowed from her mother.

The bride's bouquet consisted of white roses, highlighted by stargazer lilies and Monte Casino.

The Matron of Honor and bridesmaids wore Water's and Water's two-piece suits of navy chantung. The suits featured portrait collars and ballroom length sheath skirts.

The bridal attendants carried hand-tied linear bouquets of stargazer lilies, hot pink pixie carnations, delphiniums, and irises.

The flower girls wore tea-length dresses of white taffeta, featuring portrait collars. They carried hand-tied round bouquets of hot pixie carnations, pink roses, and white daisies. The girls wore headbands decorated with baby's breath and white daisies.

The mother of the bride wore a navy two-piece suit that featured a jacket of floral and lace overlay. The mother of the groom wore a teal two-piece silk brocade dress. Each mother wore a corsage of white roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church's fellowship hall. The bride's table, covered with a white, silk organza cloth, featured a four-tiered bridal cake which was decorated with hot pink roses, hot pixie carnations, and greenery. The groom's cake was chocolate-flavored and adorned with almonds. Bouquets of flowers, resting on stone columns, graced the sides of the bride's and groom's tables.

Members of the house party were Kristy Bratovich of Richardson; Robin Snider and Paige Pittman of Spearman; Rhonda Williams of Gruver and Mary Cluck of Amarillo, cousins of the bride; and Kimberly and Christina Wootten of Clarendon, cousins of the groom.

For her going away attire the bride chose a long sleeved multicolored sweater and black pleated skirt. She also wore a black, wide brimmed hat. Her ensemble was completed with a corsage of white roses.

Esther and Doug are residing in the Bryan-College Station area, where he is pursuing his doctorate at Texas A&M University.

On The Go With Joy

by Joy Henderson

Well, I have some loose ends to tie up and begin my New Year. I have one more Christmas joke and I didn't even have a chance to get in a few goals and resolutions. Anyhow the Super Bowl is over and the weather is beautiful and it seems like the beginning of a New Year so I'll pretend it is.

What's Red, Carries a Sack of Toys and Falls Down the Chimney? Come on, what's red, carries a sack of toys and falls down the chimney? Santa Klutz, that's who!

All-year, you've been working with that guy at the office who has the personality of a dial-tone and with some people who give their almost (could they be talking about me?).

Drink Pepsi for breakfast, if you want to 975,000 Americans do it every morning. I prefer juice or coffee myself, but to each his own. Of course, there are also 12 Americans who are currently frozen in hope of one day coming to life. But I don't advise you to do that just because other Americans have. Did you know the average American family of four will wash about 2,000 pounds of laundry in a year? Sounds awful when you say it that way, but think of it as washing a load of laundry or two a day and it doesn't sound so bad. Most families of four don't even have 2,000 pounds of clothes (ha). Anyway, look forward to 1993.

Of course what we really needed in 1993 is love. A little boy who lived in an institution for orphans threw a little note through the fence which read, "Whoever finds this, I love you." Maybe we can show a little more love to somebody in 1993. The world is composed of givers and takers. The takers eat better, but the givers sleep better. Try being a taker this year and remember that life is 10 percent how you make it and 90 percent how you take it.

Ma and Pa were sitting on the porch. Ma said "Aren't the mockingbirds singin' pretty Pa?" Pa said "Eh?" Ma repeated, "I said aren't the mockingbirds singin' pretty?" Pa replied, "I can't hear a word you're sayin' fer them doggoned mockingbirds!"

You see, it just depends on how

you take it!

Once it was reported that Rudyard Kipling received \$1.50 for each word he wrote. A group of young men at Oxford University sent him \$1.50 with the request that he send them one of his very best words. Kipling cabled "Thanks".

We all ought to value the word "Thanks" and we ought to use it more. I would like to take this occasion to use the word a couple of times. "Thanks" to all you people who have told me how much you like my column. Also, "Thanks" to all of you that don't like my column by not telling me so. But we should also remember our many, many blessings and not forget to say "Thanks" to the ones who love us most.

Now! Some good advice for a New Year was given by Jonathan Edwards, a man who lived from 1703 to 1758. Try these New Year's Resolutions. Resolved, to live with all my might while I do live. Resolved, never to lose one moment of time, to improve it in the most profitable way I can. Resolved, never to do anything which I should despise or think meanly of another. Resolved, never to do anything out of revenge. Resolved, never to do anything which I should be afraid to do if it were the last hour of my life.

And don't ever lose your curiosity or your interest in the things around you. That keeps us young. A mother told her inquisitive little boy, "Don't ask so many questions. Curiosity killed the cat." The little boy was quite for a long while, then could contain himself no longer. He approached his mother and inquired "What did the cat want to know?"

I wish I had shown more of an interest in my friends and was more diligent in learning and writing about their experiences. A lot of them make very interesting stories, but I am very negligent in making the effort. So now, we have lost two more friends recently, Charley Cadsorph and Oscar Lee, and I will not be able to capture on paper, their tales of the good ole (bad?) days. When visiting with my mom and dad while the lights were

off during an ice storm, I mentioned to Dad that he needed write his family history so that his offspring would know the facts. I found out that I didn't know near enough about their early years.

This also reminded me, that maybe I should start jotting down my memoirs. Even if no one is interested now, they may be later.

Well, it is Girl Scout cookie time and I've seen a bunch of little Brownies making their way up and down the streets. They all look so cute and confused about all this selling business that it is hard to send them away without a big order, even when I am diabetic and can't eat the goodies.

Speaking of cute kids, Kiki Carthel was sporting a mighty big cast on her hand after having some work done on it. Did you have a basketball injury or what? Also sporting a bandage and some funny looking wires around his thumb was Josh Blount. Oh well! These kids can be hurt today and well tomorrow, but get well soon.

Little Miss Brooks Williams had her heart cath postponed until this coming Wednesday. The surgery is scheduled for Feb. 3 at Children's Hospital in Dallas. Brook is the young daughter of Trevor and Cynthia Williams and the granddaughter of Rita and Jerry Williams and numerous other relatives in the Gruver and Perryton area. We will be keeping these in our prayers.

After another few days in St.

Anthony's Amanda Walters has returned home. She continues to have complications with her diabetes. Meanwhile, Linda Walters remains hospitalized in Spearman, but is scheduled to be transferred to Amarillo for further tests and treatment. Also, Eva Dozier is in the Hnasford County hospital with a bout of pneumonia. She hopes to return home soon.

Bob Setliff plans on heading south to the Tyler area to visit his parents David and Nettie Zook. His mother is having heart problems and earlier in 1992, his step-father was ill. So we hope with Bob's visit with them, they will perk up and be on the road to recovery.

C.C. and Ora Mae Heath are in Mesquite in order to welcome the new son of Ron and Beverly Kelly. Michael Heath Kelly was born January 19, 1993 and weighed in at 10 lbs., 10 oz. What a big boy for sisters Rebecca and Sarah to help with!! We hope Beverly will soon be feeling better as she has been having some bad headaches.

We are always happy to have Chris and Lynelle Morris in this area for visits with V.B. and Vera Morris, but occasionally, they cannot come together. Some times, one of them has to stay home; such was the case this past weekend. Maybe the west of Gruver Morris clan is really busy with a big wedding scheduled for Feb. 20th and that keeps everyone hopping back and forth. Lynelle's parents also live near by toward Sunray.

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Hometown news

Bonnie Lea Jarvis, Steve Eugene Duncan, Michelle Lynn Cook and Janet Diane Crawford, all of Hansford County, were named honor students for the 1992 fall semester at Texas A&M University at College Station. The four Hansford County students were among the several thousand students recognized for outstanding academic performance.

Named to the Dean's Honor Roll were Bonnie Lea Jarvis of Spearman and Steve Eugene Duncan of Gruver. Jarvis is a Junior majoring in Agricultural Economics. Duncan is a Senior majoring in Civil Engineering.

The Dean's Honor Roll recognizes students who have maintained at least a 3.75 grade point ratio (GPR) out of a possible 4.0 during the most recent grading period.

Michelle Lynn Cook and Janet Diane Crawford both of Spearman were named to the Distinguished students list. Cook is a Junior majoring in Business Administration and Crawford is a Senior majoring in Interdisciplinary Studies. The Distinguished Student list recognizes students who earned a 3.25 to 3.74 GPR.

University Honors signifies that a student has completed 36 hours of Honors course credit within specific areas of the university's Honors Program.

School Lunch Menu

Gruver School Menu February 8 - February 12

Lunch

Monday—Pig-in-a-blanket, beans, fruit, milk, salad bar.

Tuesday—Stew, fruit, peanut butter cookies, corn bread, milk, salad bar.

Wednesday—Fish sticks, macaroni & cheese, green beans, cobbler, hot rolls, milk, salad bar.

Thursday—Chili with crackers, fruit, pickle spears, donuts, milk.

Friday—Hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, cheese, rice crispie treats, milk.

Breakfast

Monday—Cereal, jelly rolls, juice, milk.

Tuesday—Toast, peanut butter & jelly, fruit, milk.

Wednesday—Biscuits & sausage, fruit, milk.

Thursday—Frenchoast sticks, syrup, fruit, milk.

Friday—Cinnamon rolls, fruit, milk.

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Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

The entire community was saddened by the passing of Dorothy Davis on Friday night at the Hansford Hospital.

Both Dorothy and Jesse Davis have been part of Spearman activities since their arrival in 1941. Both their daughters, Mary Lou Wysong and Delia Kaye Sampson began school here and graduated here.

Her obituary provides other details of her life. It is comforting for

her survivors to realize that her last weeks were with their children and grandchildren.

Dorothy had had a heart-warming Christmas as Mary Lou's children were all here during the holidays. Her daughter Kaye and Jim Cavin and baby daughter from Hereford; Pam and Larry Eckroat and daughter from Azle, and Gary Wysong from Amarillo all came during Christmas. Jan, her other daughter, and Ed Williamson and children live here.

Although Dorothy's health was poor, she wanted so much to be with both daughters in Florida as Mary Lou had gone there. During their visit with Delia Kaye at Marco Island, Dorothy had a fall in their home which may have caused a slight stroke. Jesse flew home with her and she was hospitalized. Her health rapidly deteriorated.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended to Jesse, her husband of 63 years, and other family members.

It was a surprise to all the customers of Lowe's Market and to many friends of Paul and Adela Lopez to learn they are leaving Spearman. A going-away social was held for them at the store on Saturday afternoon.

Paul has accepted a manager's position with Lowe's Market at Muleshoe and began his duties Monday morning.

The Lopez came here in March, 1966 and have been employed by the Thriftway and Lowe's market since. They were away for a while when he was with Texaco Oil and they lived in Oklahoma.

Their four sons, three of whom were born here, all graduated from Spearman High School. One now lives at Lubbock and the other three are in military service. Adela owned and operated Adela's Flowers for a number of years.

Paul will be missed at the market where he was always accommodating and friendly.

Best of luck to you both, Paul and Adela!

An interesting and complimentary article regarding Coach North, Spearman High School girls' coach,

was in the Saturday Amarillo News. It was in the sports section column by Lexa. Spearman is fortunate in having a person of his calibre for a coach.

Representatives of the Hansford Cemetery Association and Hansford Hospital District are signing division orders from mineral producing companies. The small percentage of mineral royalties of Leona Gress, one of the heirs of Mrs. J.I. Steele, has been transferred to these entities. Sure is appreciated.

Jean and Pinkie Sheets are wintering in Mission, Texas, but still keep abreast of the situations and home folks. Pinkie sent a clipping from the McAllen Monitor—the column "A Second Opinion" by Tony Badillo.

It was a most interesting and informative article; a common sense approach to the financial problems plaguing Texas schools. Unfortunately neither permission or space is available to carry the entire article here. It was so logical and practical that naturally the legislature would never consider it.

It was somewhat surprising that this view would come from the Rio Grande Valley since, according to the news sources, the agitation that spawned the "Robin Hood" approach originated there.

Legislators, school administrators and members of school boards would do well to read and consider it.

Pete Fisher, Louis Schnell, Butch Lasater and Kent Guthrie made their annual trip to Guaymas, Old Mexico spending about ten days. They enjoyed a lot of deep sea fishing. A spokesman reports that the weather was excellent and good results with the fishing—and made no further comment regarding their activities. .h-m-m-

Alta Fisher spent part of the time Pete was gone in Lawton with her mother, Mrs. Mary Sexson. Mrs. Sexson, who is in a rest home, observed her 95th birthday during this time.

Wilma Lackey returned Wednesday from an unexpected and unplanned stay in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She is feeling fine and hopeful of no further difficulties. Her stay was out of the ordinary in that she and Beverly Sutton had driven over to visit Evelyn Hiller who was hospitalized in the Cornado Hospital in Pampa. Suddenly in the hall, Wilma blacked out, and after examination there, she was taken to Amarillo by ambulance on Friday.

The obituary for R.P., Dick, Allison, 78, is elsewhere in this is-

sue. Dick came here in the early forties and had an electrical business here for a number of years. He married the former Lois Bowling and their two sons attended school here. They moved to Kansas for several years but returned to Spearman about seven years ago. Dick had undergone by-pass surgery about three weeks ago and suffered complications. Knowing his condition was terminal, his family asked that he be brought to the Hansford Hospice where he passed away Friday.

Lois' sister, Lela Mae and Jack Richie of Nacogdoches are here. They were residents of Spearman years ago.

Condolences to the family.

Mary Lou Wysong left soon after Christmas for a leisurely trip through Texas and ending in Marco Island, Florida for a visit with her sister and parents.

Mary Lou pulls her fifth-wheel trailer and usually travels with a friend who like herself, a widow, travels in her motor home. Mary Lou has the protection of her huge Collie dog, Keeter, and with C.B. radio and cellular phone, has no problems.

She first spent a few days with her daughter Pam and family at Azle, then to St. Augustine, Florida. She had arranged to meet Melba Dell and Jack Oakes there. She enjoyed their company for several days.

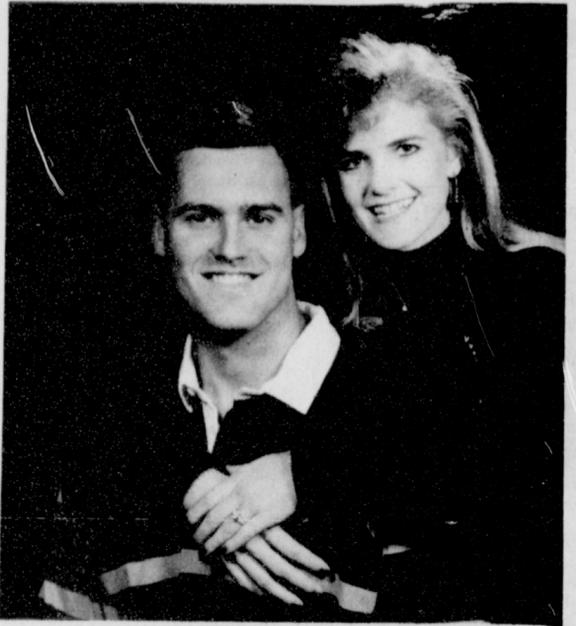
The Oakes have a beautiful new trailer and are travelling all the time. They had just completed a tour of New England. Their retirement is even more pleasure than they had anticipated. In the late spring, it is their intention to spend some time in Spearman before another tour.

Guests of Sara Dossett over the weekend were her grandson, Chester Neeley of Lubbock and his friend, Bridget Brown of Amarillo. Sara always enjoys touching bases with the younger generation.

Birth announcement

Tony and Lori Johnson of Wimberly, Texas, are proud to announce the arrival of a daughter, Kelsi Maegan on January 23rd. She weighed 6 lbs., 2 oz. and was 20 inches long. Kelsi Maegan has a sister Candi Sue and a brother Jeremiah.

Paternal grandparents are Truitt Johnson and the late Thelma Mae of Lubbock. Maternal grandparents are Tommie and Sue White of Alba, Texas. Aunts and uncles in the Spearman area are Jim and Rosemary Brown and a multitude of cousins.



Kirkland and Gerlich announce engagement—

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. Kirkland of Corpus Christi are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Krista Lea to Bryan Gerlich, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo F. Gerlich of La Vernia, Texas. The wedding will take place June 5, 1993 in Lubbock. Krista is a Senior at Texas Tech.

Hometown news

Brandon A. Sutton of Spearman is one of seven Texas students enrolled for the spring semester at Oklahoma State University. There are a total of 1,898 students enrolled at OSU in Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

OSU/Okmulgee offers college-level technical/occupational programs of study in 13 major disciplines. Sutton's program of study is diesel and heavy equipment technology.

School menu

Spearman Schools Cafeteria Menu February 8 - February 12 LUNCH

Monday—Meat & cheese nachos, pinto beans, taco sauce, lettuce-tomato salad, spinach, blackberry oatmeal bars, milk.

Tuesday—Grilled cheese sandwich, beef stew, corn on cob, peach crisp, milk.

Wednesday—Fish, macaroni & cheese, sweet peas, yeast batter bread, fruit, milk.

Thursday—Hot turkey sandwich/gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, extra bread slice, Jello-whipped topping, milk.

Friday—Hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion, cookie, milk.

Club news

On January 25th the senior citizen members were anxious to take advantage of better weather and met for their regular 4th Monday fellowship. As always a delicious pot luck meal was served followed by games and visiting.

Those attending were Viola Boyd, Grace Simpson, James and Ada Joyce Stedje, Ida Hendrick, Vivian Green, Pauline Winger, Madeline Harland, Maude McClellan, Adalyn Barnes, Jim Strawn, Rebecca Westerfield, Delphine Etling, Virginia Taylor, Faye Cluck, Winnie Vernon, I.W. and Maylynn Ayres, Beulah Ben and Ralph Bort, J.C. Harris, Merle Arthur and John Chandler, Charmain Lyle, Jessie Spivey, Mary Lou Trent and Faye Blount.

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Lady Hounds strive for playoff spot

by Bob Bort

The Gruver Lady Hounds had a good week of basketball action, winning both their games, but it will take another good week of action to solidify a playoff spot. The Gruver ladies will be playing Highland Park's Lady Hornets this Friday at Greyhound Gym, then will travel to Sunray to take on the Lady Cats in the season finale next Tuesday. Both games are must-wins for the Lady Hounds.

Friday night, Jan. 29, at Greyhound Gym, the Gruver Lady Hounds laid waste to the West Texas Lady Comanches by a final score of 53-36. As has been the case several times at least this season, the final score was also the widest margin for the Lady Hounds during the whole ball game. They seem to start with a bang, and close with a bang.

The start of the girls game was delayed an hour and twenty minutes, due to failure of both referees to show up. A referee had to come from Berger. The boys game did not start until 9:25.

Gruver jumped to a 17-4 lead in the first quarter, and this one was history. For the record, Wynn Maupin's jumper with 6:25 left in the first quarter gave Gruver the lead 4-2, that they never relinquished.

Freshman Molly McLain, called up to the varsity when her sister, Junior Mika McLain, sustained an injury, is living up to the responsibilities of her increased playing time. She was a leading scorer in this game with 14, and played a fine ball game.

Several times West Texas attempted a comeback, but the Gruver ladies would have none of it. Tammy Yelton, number 32, led the West Texas scorers with 25 of their 36 points.

It was a big week—It will be a big week.

Meanwhile the guys had their hands full this past Friday night against the Comanches. For the second straight game, the Hounds came out flatter than a pancake. They fell behind an unbelievable 16 points in the second quarter, 27-11, but just as with the game against Boys Ranch, they came to life in the second half. In the end, a double technical foul called against the WT coach in the third quarter with 2:47 left, proved to be the demise of the Comanches, as Kevin Spivey sank three of the four foul shots, the Hounds had the lead at 36-35, and the Hounds won by a score of 56-55, a one point margin.

The three Spivey free throws (he was 11-12 on the night), followed by Will Etheredge hitting from under the bucket, gave Gruver their first lead at 38-35. They had outscored the Comanches 27-8 at the point since the second quarter.

But the Comanches didn't quit. Trailing 42-40, the Hounds scored the first 11 points of the fourth quarter to take a 51-42 lead, but back came the Comanches. They couldn't quite get over the hump, though, and fell one point short. Number 31, Casey Sullivan scored 21 points, including four 3-pointers, three of the four in the fast-paced fourth quarter—including

one at the game-ending buzzer to make the final score 56-55.

An oddity - this past Friday and Monday Gruver teams played 10 games against West Texas teams (7th - 8th - 9th - JV - V, girls and boys). Gruver teams swept all ten games. The highlight came Monday night — the Lady Hounds 8th grade team, 13-1, with their only loss by one point at West Texas, defeated the 9-0 (undefeated) West Texas 8th grade girls by a whopping 19 points to avenge their only loss.

At Stratford Tuesday, Feb. 2, the Lady Hounds had a nip and tuck classic with the Lady Elks, with the final score 44-40. "Nothing was going down for us," said Coach Steve Myatt after the game. "We were down by nine points in the second quarter, and finally caught them at halftime. We just wanted to get out of there with a win," continued Myatt. Wynn Maupin had 10 points, and Holly Venneman and Molly McLain each chipped in with eight.

The varsity boys also had a tough game, finally winning 55-47. Jeffrey Price had a big ball game with 21 points, and Jace Dawson chipped in with 10.

"We played pretty well," said Coach Tim Farland after the game. "This may have been our low turnover game for the year - we only had nine turnovers, five of them in the first quarter. We were down by 12 points in the first half, and down by five points going into the fourth quarter. We outscored them 25-12 in the fourth quarter." Stratford is a tough place to play, as the Gruver Hounds and Lady Hounds can attest. The two varsity teams will be playing at Highland Park this Friday, then at Sunray Tuesday.

Basketball Roundup

7th Grade Girls (11-3)
at Guymon 1-25-93
GRU 22 - GUY 11

Weslyn Maupin-10, Autumn Bateman-6, Stephanie Gaines-2, Amber Roberts-2, Kathy Slough-2.

9th Grade Girls (2-8)
at Guymon 1-25-93
GUY 37 - GRU 12

Virginia Barrera-5, Robbi Mathews-5, Joni Hart-2.

JV Boys (4-12)
at Boys Ranch 1-26-93
B.R. 51 - GRU 36

3-Pointers: Victor Lopez-2, Grant Odom, Roma Tomlinson. Eric Wright-9, V. Lopez-8, R. Tomlinson-7, Ricardo Soto-6, G. Odom-5, Paul Renteria-1.

Varsity Boys (12-9)
at Boys Ranch 1-26-93
GRU 68 - B.R. 64

3-Pointers: Jeffrey Price-4, Brady Pool-2.

Aaron Frick-14, J. Price-13, Kevin

Spivey-13, Jace Dawson-10, B. Pool-10, Matt Etheredge-5, Kenton Odom-2, Cody Barkley-1.

JV Girls (8-7)
vs. West Texas 1-29-93
GRU 49 - W.T. 40

3-Pointers: Hailey Lamb, Tara Shapley.

Kayce Haenisch-13, T. Shapley-12, H. Lamb-11, Kim Venneman-8, Jana McCloy-4, Josie Pool-1.

JV Boys (5-12)
vs. West Texas 1-29-93
GRU 47 - W.F. 37

3-Pointers: Victor Lopez

Wylee Maupin-18, V. Lopez-11, Sammy Renteria-8, Travis Ferguson-3, Max Frick-2, Fabian Salazar-2, Roma Romlinson-2, Ricardo Soto-1.

Varsity Girls (12-8)
vs. West Texas 1-29-93
GRU 53 - W.T. 36

3-Pointers: Sara Jones-2, Cora Meyer-2

Molly McLain-14, Julie Meyer-9, S. Jones-8, C. Meyer-8, Wynn Maupin-6, Holly Venneman-6, Tisha Ralston-2.

Varsity Boys (13-9)
vs. West Texas 1-29-93
GRU 56 - W.T. 55

3-Pointers: Kevin Spivey-3, Jeffrey Price.

K. Spivey-24, J. Price-20, Carey Kauffman-4, Brady Pool-4, Matt Etheredge-2, Will Etheredge-2.

7th G. Girls (12-3)
vs. West Texas
2/1/93 at Greyhound Gym
GRU 30-WT 24

Weslyn Maupin-10, Jeannie Swink-8, Autumn Bateman-6,

Kathy Slough-4, Jill Odom-2.

8th Grade Girls (14-1)
vs. West Texas
2/1 Greyhound Gym
GRU 37-WT 18

Kaysha Cluck-10, Mary Dawn Henson-8, Cara Hathaway-5, Amber Murrell-5, Kelly Boone-3, Michelle Bass-2, Crystal Christian-2, Lexy Spivey-2.

9th Grade Girls (3-8)
vs. West Texas
2/1 at West Texas
GRU 25-WT 22

Joni Hart-12, Cristy Marguez-5, Virginia Barrera-4, Robbi Mathews-2, Sahala McCloy-2.

7th Grade Red Boys (10-5)
vs. West Texas
2/1 at West Texas
GRU 28-WT 23

stats not available

7th Grade White Boys
vs. West Texas
2/1 at West Texas
WT 33-GRU 21

Justion Kent-10, Jody Robinson-7, Cody Cazares-2, Kevin Rodriguez-2.

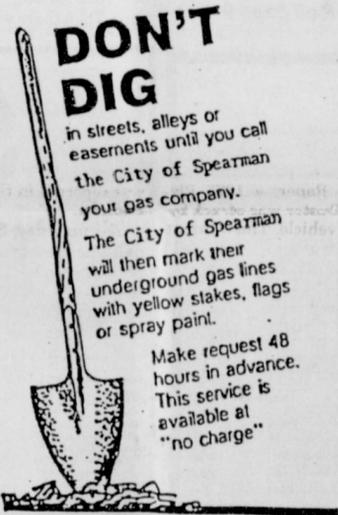
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GRU 49-WT 48 (3ot)

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9th Grade Boys (13-2)
vs. West Texas
2/1 at West Texas
GRU 34-WT 32

3-Pointers: Travis Ferguson

Wylee Maupin-9, Bailey Barkley-7, Travis Ferguson-5, Max Frick-5, Tye Womble-4, Daniel Bort-2, Sammy Renteria-2.



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Hansford Happening

The Spearman Boys Basketball program will begin playing on Saturday, Feb. 6. The games will be held in the varsity gym and are tentatively scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. There are 90 boys in the program this year. They range from the second to the sixth grade.

Early morning aerobic will be held at the Hansford activity Center from 6 to 7 a.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings. High/Low Impact, floor and strength. Contact Judith Logsdon at 659-2468.

The Gruver Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet has been scheduled for Monday, March 1. It will be held in the Gruver school cafeteria. The guest speaker will be Texas Tech's Head Football Coach Spike Dykes. The tickets will go on sale in a couple of weeks. They will be \$10 each and may be purchased at Gruver City Hall or from any chamber board member.

The American Heart Association will be holding their annual banquet at 7 p.m. February 6 at the Gruver Elementary Gym. Tickets are \$25 per person. To purchase tickets contact any Hansford Heart Association board member.

Congressman Larry Combest will be holding a "town hall meeting" scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 9 at the First State Bank.

Donate Blood and receive a FREE D.Q. Sundae for you and your Valentine!! Coffee Memorial Blood Center employees will be here on Monday, Feb. 8, from 2 to 7 p.m. at the Parish Hall, 901 S. Roland.

Orders for 1993 Girl Scout Cookie will be taken by any Girl Scout. Advance sales began on Friday, Jan. 29, and will continue through Sunday, Feb. 14. The cookies will be delivered in mid-March.

The Music Booster's Club is meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 9, in the Hansford County Library.

Chemical & Weed Seminar—Hansford County Extension office is sponsoring a Chemical & Weed Seminar on Monday, Feb. 15, starting at 9 a.m. in the Golden Age Center, 105 E. Broadway, Gruver. This course is worth 5.0 credits towards recertification of a private applicators license. For more information contact Burt Williams, County Extension Agent at 659-2136 or 733-2901.

Individuals who are no longer enrolled in school and who have not previously met minimum expectations on all sections of the TEAMS or TAAS tests, but have met all other graduation requirements, may retake the necessary section(s). Registration packets can be picked up from the counselor's office at the Spearman High School.

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Gruver band members receive honors

Four members of the Gruver Band were honored Saturday, Jan. 23 in the performance of the region I All-Region Band. Students honored were: Sara Jones—second chair Alto Saxophone, Junior Rivera—third chair trumpet, Jason Bartimus—twelve chair trumpet, Jeanne Swink—eighth chair French Horn.

Honorable mention also included: Darby Johnson—second alternate Trombone, and Davida Nash—second alternate French Horn.

These players performed in concert Saturday with the other members of the All-Region band from around the panhandle. The performance was at the WTSU Recital Hall.

Clinicians for the concert included: Diane Gorzyski, Band director from the Austin area and Dan Gibbs, Band director from Monahans.



Pictured above are the Gruver band members that received honors. Pictured in the back row (L/R) are Junior Rivera and Jason Bartimus. In the front row (L/R) are Sara Jones, Davida Nash, Darby Johnson and Jeanne Swink.

Police Files

Spearman Police Report

During the reporting period running from Monday, Jan. 25, to Sunday, Jan. 31, the Spearman Police Department filed 27 activity reports.

In this time period two hit-and-run accidents were reported.

The first hit-and-run was reported on Friday, Jan. 29. The incident occurred at approximately 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 20, in the Plains Shopping Center parking lot, according to the report. Police Chief Joe Raper said, a 1981 Ford Bronco that was parked in the lot was struck by an unknown vehicle. Over \$500 in damage was reported to the vehicle.

On Saturday, Jan. 30, the second hit-and-run was reported. It occurred in the 600 block of Archer. According to Raper, a 1976 Plymouth Trail Duster was struck by an unknown vehicle. The incident is still under investigation, said Raper.

Other activities during the reporting period were six miscellaneous calls, one loud party complaint, one lockout, delivered one message and officers assisted on

two ambulance calls.

At 2:30 p.m. Monday an assault was reported in the 800 block of S. Highway 207. It was reported that one female struck a 19-year-old female. Charges were filed at the City Municipal Court, said Raper.

The following day, Tuesday, a prowler was reported in the 400 block of Townsend. An officer was dispatched to check the area, but didn't find anyone, Raper said.

On Wednesday the department filed a suspicious activity report from the 500 block of Townsend.

Also on Wednesday a citizen brought in a child's wallet. It was turned over to the owner, Raper reported.

On Friday another suspicion call was received at the department. It was reported in the 10 block of N. Endicott.

The next day, Saturday, a vandalism was reported in the 800 block of S. Highway 207. According to Raper, a personalized license plate was spray painted. The initial value of the plates was \$45, said Raper.

There were seven animal control calls during the reporting period.

Sammy Graham... qualifies for state choir

Sammy Graham, Spearman High School choral student will be singing in San Antonio Wednesday, Feb. 10 with the Texas High School All State Choir.

Graham was selected to the 160 member choir by surviving three auditions. In these auditions he sang a prepared song and had to sight read a song for as many as five judges per audition.

Graham is a senior and is the son of Preston and Ellen Graham. He plans to attend either South Pains Jr. College or West Texas A&M University upon graduation.

Five of Graham's fellow students qualified for the Regional Choir. They were Carol Alverado, Brad Butler, Corey Butler and Curtis Pearson. Graham took a first chair at that level and advanced along with Alverado who finished with a second chair.

At the pre-area auditions again took a first chair and advanced to the state choir. Alverado took a twelfth chair.



Sammy Graham

Letter to the editor

Charles Ball told Helen Fisher to look in her own closet before she questioned the morals of our new president in the last paper. For her to even mention the morals of the President assures me that she is very concerned and her morals are good. We should all be concerned as we now have a president who is for abortion and the gay life style. Beware America, the devil is at work. He will twist your mind if you let him. Stick to the Word of God and don't let anyone tell you that bad is now good.

Delphine Kopke

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At the movies . . .

Showing at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman Friday, Feb. 5, through Tuesday, Feb. 9, is "A Few Good Men" on screen 1 at 7:45 p.m. and "Aladdin" held over on screen 2 at 7:30 p.m.

"A Few Good Men" stars Jack Nicholson, Tom Cruise and Demi Moore. It is directed by Rob Reiner.

In "A Few Good Men," director Reiner crafts a classic military courtroom drama. Nicholson stars as Colonel Nathan Jessup, a tough-

as-nails Marine commander on Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

The plot of "A Few Good Men" revolves around two Marines accused of killing member of their platoon in an unsanctioned disciplinary action. The drama of this film lies in the development of Navy lawyer Daniel Kaffee (Cruise).

Kaffee, a master of plea bargain, is changed into a driven defender of the truth. Joanne Galloway (Moore), who wanted to take the case herself, half coaxes and half shames Kaffee out of the passive posture he had assumed to avoid comparison with his highly successful father, who is also a military lawyer. Kaffee's interest in the case begins to develop, as does Colonel Jessup's drive and motive to cover up the truth.

Other members of the cast are Kevin Bacon as the government defense attorney, James Marshall and J.T. Walsh as the accused Ma-

rines, and Kiefer Sutherland as Lt. Kendrick.

As the conflict shifts from Kaffee and Galloway to Kaffee and Jessup the tension grows. A leading review magazine says that the scenes where Nicholson faces off with Cruise are powerful stuff.

"A Few Good Men" is rated R. "Aladdin" is a Walt Disney Pictures release with the voices of Robin Williams, Scott Weinger and Linda Larkin.

In "Aladdin" several stories from "The Arabian Nights" are blended into this tale of a street urchin who courts a sultan's daughter. But is going to take a little help from a genie whom he finds in a magic lamp to make this courtship a success.

In this funny animated feature, Williams plays the genie of the lamp. He is credited with being the fuse for the film's comedic energy.

"Aladdin" is rated G.

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Spearman basketball roundup

9th Grade Lynx
at Boys Ranch, 2/1/93
SPR 28 - B.R. 19
Collins-19, Sanders-1, Blan-4,
Tigrett-4, Huddleston-4, Butler-4,
OQuin-2

at Boys Ranch, 2/1/93
SPR 54 - B.R. 31
Van Baumgardner-4, Blake Beedy-4,
Eric Cudd-4, Franke Domingo-3,
Jake Howard-9, Dillon Miller-16,
Britt Savage-6, Eric Varnon-2,
Clint Faries-2

7th Grade Lynx
at Boys Ranch, 2/1/93
SPR 34 - B.R. 28
Larry Butts-2, Mac Butts-2, Alan
Huddleston-12, Jamie Townsen-12,
Jamie Townsen-12, Derek Kuehl-5

9th Grade Lynxettes
vs. Highland Park, 1/30/93
SPR 30 - H.P. 22
Tiffanie Bruning-11, Kelly Shield-
knight-6, Lacy Baker-2, Crystal
Boyd-2, Carrie Benton-2, Tammie
Ricke-5, Tracie Martin-2.

2/2/93
Varsity Lynxettes
at West Texas
SPR 45 - W.T. 32
Record: 22-3 (8-0)

3-Pointers: Jill Lusby, Michelle
Garnett, Kimbre Townsen.
J. Lusby-13, Mary Cook-7, M.
Garnett-9, Ki. Townsen-5, Kara
Townsen-4, Holly Jarvis-4, Laura
Pearson-3.

J.V. Lynxettes
at West Texas
SPR 47 - W.T. 21
OQuin-14, Bruning-4, Martin-5,
Beaty-3, Latta-2, Shieldknight-2,
Strawn-7, Pipkin-3, Baker-1,
Bunton-2, Ricke-4

Varsity Lynx
at West Texas
SPR 46 - W.T. 32
Record: 18-6 (7-1)

3-Pointers: Wes Dyess, Troy Law,
Russell Shaver
Toby Thompson-3, W. Dyess-5,
Brady Reed-4, Jason Varnon-6, T.
Law-7, Cody Pipkin-8, Mike Hager-4,
R. Shaver-3, Justin Shaver-3

J.V. Lynx
at West Texas
SPR 46 - W.T. 26
Schneider-2, Winegarner-1, Wilker-
son-2, Law-2, Swink-4, Tucker-4,

See Basketball page 9

Southwest Outdoors

with Mel Phillips

A good way to keep track of how your life is going is to recall some of the interesting characters and acquaintances that have crossed your path. One of the real pleasures of writing an outdoor column is the opportunity to introduce my readers to some of the colorful and exciting people who have translated their love for the great outdoors into a full time business. Most could probably make more money by working for some huge company, but they have exchanged the security and a fluorescent tan for the simple pleasures that can only be found in nature.

Permit me to introduce just some of the characters who will be attending **Outdoor World 93** at the Amarillo Civic Center on Valentine weekend.

Have you ever dreamed of catching a huge fish that would lead to fame and fortune? When you visit this huge sportsman show, be sure to attend one of the great fishing seminars by big bass expert and professional guide **Mark Stevenson**. In November of 1986 Mark caught the Texas state record 17.67 lb. largemouth bass on Lake Fork and ushered in a wave of en-

thusiasm that has resulted in the best fishing in the history of that sport. Mark is married to **Barbara Cook Stevenson**, a national champion on the Bass N Gal circuit. Both outstanding anglers will be giving daily seminars on the secrets of catching big bass and will offer tips on how to have a successful trip to the world's best bass lake, Lake Fork.

If going to the mountains is one of your passions, don't miss the wilderness survival seminars hosted by **"Papa Bear" Whitmore** from Wheat Ridge, Colorado. Papa Bear is one of a kind and I guarantee that you will learn some great survival techniques while sitting back and listening to one of the great story tellers of our time.

If you just want to learn how to catch more crappie, the seminars by professional crappie angler **Walley Marshall** will unlock the seasonal patterns of this delicious and plentiful fish. Mr. Marshall spends over 200 days each year either catching crappie or giving seminars about his favorite fish. His recipes for cooking fish are worth the price of admission to Outdoor World.

For only \$2.50 the kids will love catching tasty rainbow trout from the indoor trout pond.

Mel Gillis, of Alaska Trophy Hunting and Fishing headquartered in Anchorage, will have you booking the next flight for "the best hunting and fishing in the world." He loves the North country and should be right at home in this part of Texas during the Valentine weekend. Snow, ice, or a sunny day, our new Alaskan friend will see the largest selection of RV's, boats, campers, and vacation destinations that have even been assembled in West Texas.

National Finals Rodeo... rodeoing Jesus style

by Keith Bateman
Panhandle Cowboy Ministry
Recently, like a lot of other area residents, I had the opportunity to attend the rodeo of rodeos, the National Finals in Las Vegas, Nev. While there we saw the top 15 in each event compete for a lot of money and the World Champion Titles.

The Finals can be a time of a lot of pressure for some of the cowboys and cowgirls trying to win enough money to pay bills that build up through the year while they are traveling down the road trying to make the Finals. Some try to relieve the pressure at the Casinos and bars, while others do it by attending the nightly meetings held by the Fellowship of Christian Cowboys and other various rodeo ministries.

At the nightly meetings there was time to sing and Praise the Lord. Then there would be a time of

Testimony. Several of the contestants participated. In Rev. 12:11 the Bible tells us we overcome him (Satan) by the Blood of the Lamb (Jesus) and the word of their testimony. In Psalms 150:6 it says to let everything that has breath Praise the Lord, and California calf roper Mike Arnold did so after running a calf three-fourths of the way down the arena and still tied him in 8.3 seconds to win the eighth round. Afterwards he said "Jesus just flowed through me and tied that calf."

I asked world champion bull rider, Cody Custer what it was like to rodeo with Jesus. He said, "It's the peace that God is going to meet all his needs according to Jesus Christ's riches in Glory."

The final Sunday we attended Cowboy Church at the San Reno Hotel and Casino. It's neat to walk

See Rodeo page 12

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February is National Children's Dental Health Month. We would like to take this time to thank our patients for supporting our practice. Our dedication to family dentistry, treating children and adults has allowed our practice to enjoy continued growth over the last 9 years drawing patients from five states and across the panhandle to our community. We would enjoy treating you and your family and are accepting new patients. Your insurance is welcome at our office and we look forward to continued service to this community.

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		Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
		Bil	Mil	Thou	
ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		2,771		1.a
	b. Interest-bearing balances		100		1.b
			35,517		2.
2. Securities					
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:					
	a. Federal funds sold		4,400		3.a
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell		0		3.b
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:					
	a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	28,995			4.a
	b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	488			4.b
	c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0			4.c
	d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)		28,507		4.d
5. Assets held in trading accounts					
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)					
			953		6.
			304		7.
7. Other real estate owned					
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					
10. Intangible assets					
			1,262		11.
11. Other assets					
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)					
			73,814		12.a
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)					
			0		12.b
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)					
			73,814		12.c
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits: a. In domestic offices					
	(1) Noninterest-bearing		8,192		13.a.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing		53,147		13.a.(2)
			61,339		13.a.
	b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs		0		13.b.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing		0		13.b.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing		0		13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:					
	a. Federal funds purchased		0		14.a
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase		0		14.b
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury					
16. Other borrowed money					
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases					
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding					
19. Subordinated notes and debentures					
			1,311		20.
20. Other liabilities					
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)					
			62,650		21.
22. Limited - life preferred stock and related surplus					
			0		22.
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding					
		0	0		23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized					
		200,000			24.a
	b. Outstanding	200,000			24.b
			1,000		24.
			2,400		25.
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock):					
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves					
	b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities		7,764		26.a
			0		26.b
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments					
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)					
			11,164		28.a
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)					
			0		28.b
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28.a & 28.b)					
			11,164		28.c
29. Total liabilities, limited - life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c)					
			73,814		29.
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:					
1. a. Standby letters of credit - Total					
			50		1.a
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a. conveyed to others through participations					
			0		1.b
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report. The undersigned officer(s) do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.					
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Robert C. Schnell, Vice President		1-29-93			
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Cheryl D. Hill		Cheryl D. Hill		Cheryl D. Hill	
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✂ "Character loans," once a staple of bank lending, are being regulated out of existence. Nowadays, regulators require many loans to be backed by a secondary source of repayment and at least three years of demonstrated business experience.

✂ This has had a chilling impact on lending to those most likely to create new jobs: small businesses and first-time entrepreneurs. A wise banker once took a chance on Thomas Edison, and bankers today should be able to exercise similar judgment.

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✂ Bank CEOs devote an average of one full day per week to regulatory compliance issues.

✂ Banks are spending \$339 per second, every hour, every day of the year on compliance.

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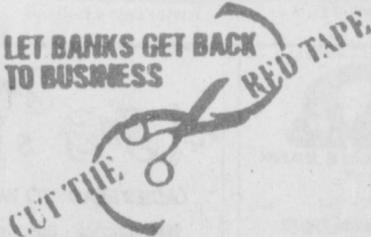


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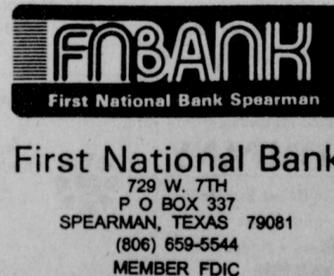
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Obituaries

R.P. ALLISON SPEARMAN - R.P. "Dick" Allison, 78, died Saturday, Jan. 30, 1993.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 1, in the Union Church with the Rev. Calvin Springer, former pastor, the Rev. Jeff Burress, pastor, and the Rev. Ray Cook, pastor of the First Assembly of God, officiating. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home. Mr. Allison was born in Rocky

Ford, Colo. He moved to Spearman from Topeka, Kan., seven years ago. In 1939 he married Lois Bowling at Borger. He was a retired electrician and a member of the Union Church. He was a 32nd degree Mason in the Silver State Masonic Lodge No. 95 in Colorado.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Richard Paul Allison Jr. of Willis, Okla., and Donald Allison of Vassor, Kan.; a daughter, Suzanne McDaniel of San Diego; a brother, Kenneth Allison of Port-

land, Ore.; a sister, Betty Jo McLeod of Portland; six grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

OSCAR D. LEE GRUVER - Oscar D. Lee, 82, died Sunday, Jan. 31, 1993.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 2, in the Church of Christ with Bill Setliff officiating. Burial was in Gruver Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Lee was born in Odell. He lived in Gruver for 47 years, moving from Wheeler County. In 1936 he married Violet Casity at Las Vegas, N.M. he was a retired farmer-rancher and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Margaret Fortner of Amarillo and Gail McMillan of Abilene; two sons, Dean Lee of Gruver and Kenneth Lee of Irving; a brother, Alton Lee of Oakdale, Calif.; a sister, Ella Seedig of Cortez,

Colo.; 12 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

DOROTHY M. DAVIS SPEARMAN - Dorothy M. Davis, 82, died Friday, Jan. 29, 1993.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Feb. 1, in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Todd Dyess, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Davis was born in Boulton, Kan. She moved to Spearman 52 years ago from Higgins. She married Jesse Davis in 1930 at Shattuck, Okla. She was a homemaker and a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mary Lou Wysong of Spearman and Delia Kay Sampson of Marco Island, Fla.; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

ARLIE WEST TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES, N. M. - Arlie West, 80, died Saturday, Jan. 16, 1993.

Memorial services were held on Tuesday, Jan. 19, in the First Baptist Church in Spearman with interment in the Hansford Cemetery in Spearman. Reverend Kyle Henderson of the First Baptist Church officiated.

Memorial services in Truth or Consequences were held in the Cottonwood R.V. Park at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 28.

Mr. West was born at Frederick, Okla., August 20, 1912. He was the son of John and Ella Mize West. He was preceded in death by a son, Ronald Lloyd West in 1966 and three sisters and four brothers.

He is survived by his wife, Fern Conway West of the home; a son, Tommy West of Las Vegas, Nev.; one sister, Jimmie Chandler of Rogue River, Ore.; two grandsons,

Roger and Cody of Stratford; and two great-grandchildren.

Rodeo from page 8

in and see people like world champion cowboys Joe Beaver, Cody Custer, Jake Barnes, Clay O'Brian Cooper and others about 200 total in one unity, Praising God.

Cowboy Churches are not just held at the Finals, they are at PRCA, NIRA, OPEN and High School rodeos all across America. I'm blessed to get to be a part of the move of God among the cowboys. After all Jesus is a Bronc rider, in Matt. it says he entered Jerusalem on a colt Donkey.

Ride With Jesus.

Life is the garment we continually alter, but which never seems to fit.

—David McCord

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Is your life piled too high with unsolved problems? Most of us experience this situation several times in our lives, so why not take a different approach? By assuming that same kneeling posture, asking our Heavenly Father's intervention before our lives are piled too high with everyday concerns, we may avoid disaster.

The Bible assures us that "Whosoever calls upon the name of the Lord shall be delivered" (Joel 2:32). This promise is unconditional, yet we must have faith that our prayers are answered according to the will of God, even as we pray.

Invoke God's intervention in your life as you worship this Sabbath, before your life becomes piled too high.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Genesis 21:1-8	Genesis 22:1-19	Exodus 3:1-22	Exodus 12:1-14	Exodus 12:15-28	Exodus 12:29-41	Exodus 12:43-51

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29 S. Bernice 659-2036
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Worship: 10:50 a.m.
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Youth: Wed. 6 p.m. & Sun. 5 p.m.
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Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
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