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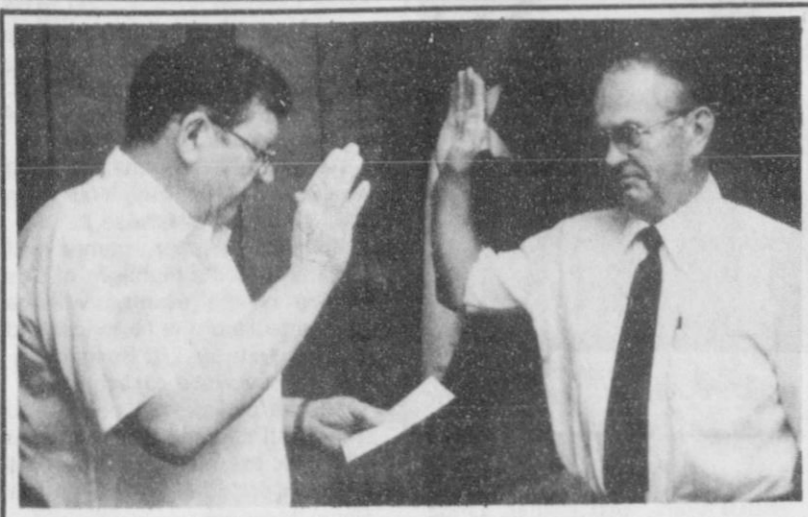
Hansford PLAINSMAN

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Sunday, July 1, 1984

Graves appointed Municipal Court Judge



Mayor Blodgett, Judge Graves

The City Council met in regular session June 26, 1984 at 8 p.m. with Mayor C. Ralph Blodgett presiding. Aldermen present were Ed Garner, Burl Buchanan, Bob Pearson, Wilson McClellan. Members of present included Jim Murray, city manager; Charlotte Sheets, city secretary; D.J. Alberts, police chief; Ed Williamson EMS director; Ronnie Antalek, assistant fire chief; Galen Coates, fire department captain; Vicky Bullard, secretary, treasurer of fire department. Visitors present were L.D. Burns, Billy Miller, Albert Graves and Randy Hendrickson.

Albert Graves was appointed municipal court judge at \$450.00 per month without hospitalization insurance.

Council agreed to award the bid and contract for the Texas Department of Community Affairs Project to replace undersized and deteriorated water lines to Behne Construction Company, Guymon, Oklahoma, in the amount of \$161,623.30.

Various contracts were awarded for public safety equipment to: Amarillo Fire Extinguisher, Amarillo, \$3,149.41; Claude Wright, Houston, \$5991.69; Daco Fire Equipment, Lubbock, \$920.00; Chief Fire and Safety Company, Chickasha, Okla. \$2711.62; Sa-Sa-Sargent Sowell, Grand Prairie, \$91.76; Story Fire and Safety Co., Inc., Oklahoma City, Okla. \$1407.68; W.S. Darley and Co., Melrose Park, Ill. \$96.40; FACT, Wichita Falls, \$492.05.

The status report for the H & S EMS accounts receivable in the amount of \$15,621.83 as of June 15, 1984, was accepted.

Randy Hendrickson's request to sign a regular contract for the monthly annual lease prices and payable three months out of the year with his agreement to vacate if a renter wants to sign a full lease was approved.

The council agreed to hire a spray plane to spray the city for mosquitoes.

Republicans attend Convention

Roy Bulls, Wiley Sheets, Eddie Gale Martin, and Alton Ellsworth attended the Republican State Convention as delegates from Hansford County recently.

They reported that approximately 45 resolutions were passed. The resolutions included party harmony, immigration policy, etc.

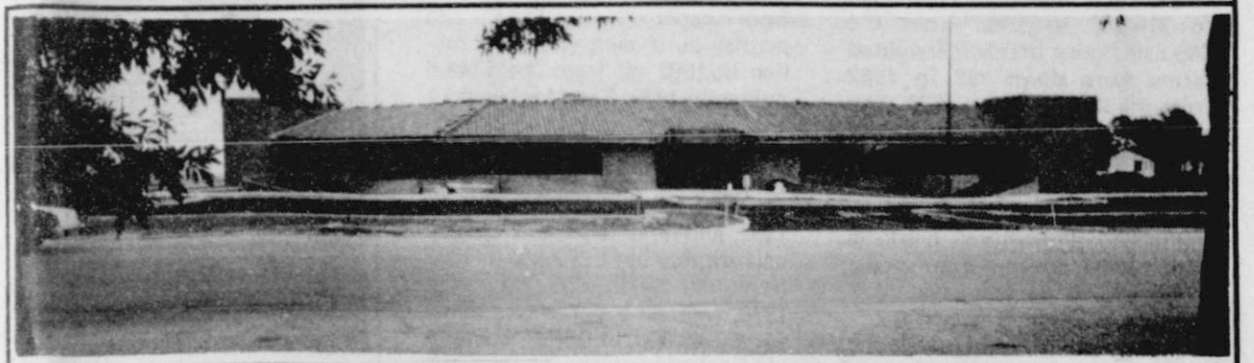
The Republicans went on record as opposing the granting of Blanket Amnesty to illegal Aliens.

Jess French services held

Services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday for Jess French, 75, who died Thursday, in the First Christian Church with the Rev. Martin Foster, pastor. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. French was born in Larned, Kan. He moved to Perryton in 1927 and to Spearman in 1936. He was a member of the First Christian Church. He married Carrie B. Nesbitt in 1944 at Spearman. She died in 1982.

Survivors include five sisters, Alta Reehl of Crete, Neb.; Ruth Weaver of Coeur D'Alene, Idaho, Rosie Waide of Perryton, Iva McElhany of Spearman, Maida Bailey of Virginia Beach, Va.; and a brother George of Kalispell, Mont.



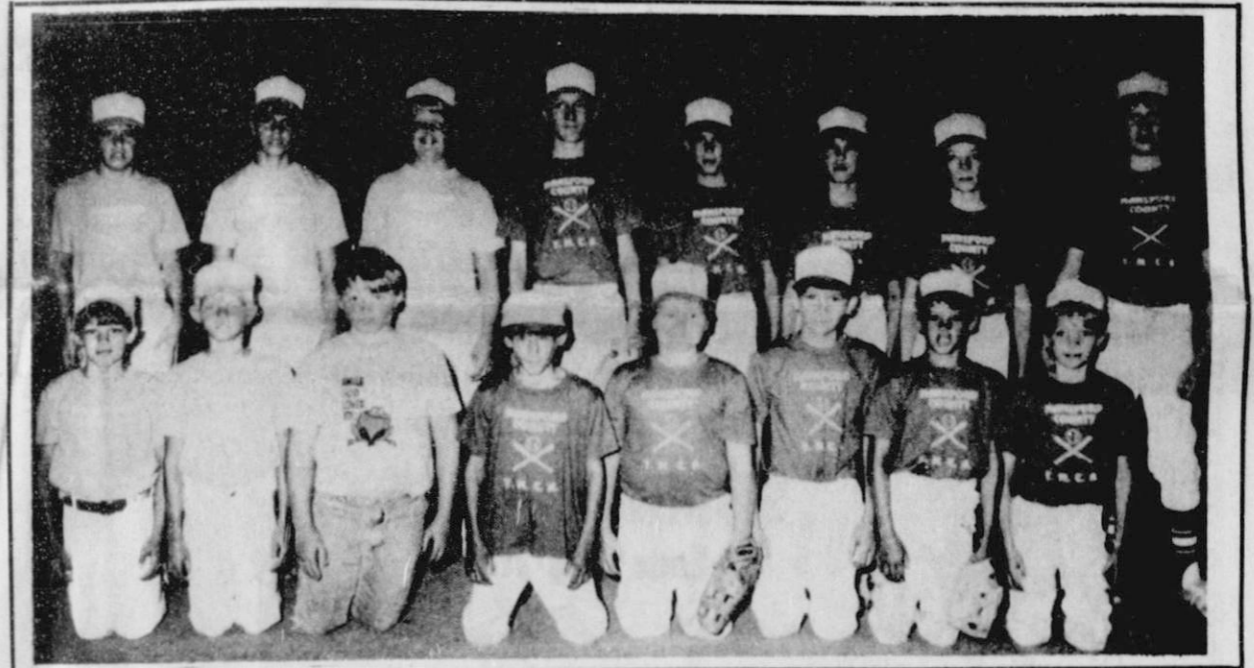
Finishing work on the new bank facility is growing closer by the day. Paving was completed last week and landscaping is progressing on schedule. Soon the external work will be complete. Inside the finish carpenters are completing the mahogany trim

and coordinated teller line as the end of electrical and accoustical work draws near. Present plans call for moving the latter part of July.

The Automatic Teller machine arrived last week and is scheduled to be operational by the opening

date. All customers of First State Bank are eligible for "Pulse" TM Cards. Application for your card will be mailed in your next statement, or you can pick one up at the bank.

The First State Bank will be closed Wednesday, July 4th.



The All Star Team members are from Left to Right, Back-Chris Porter, Scott Wilkerson, Greg Gilbreth, Keith Clark, Shawn Tanner, Chris Williamson, Reid Campbell and Ben Reed. Front row Left to Right-Brandon Rex, Khris Kelp, Clint Sims, Brian Beck, Michael Whitefield, Edward Mayfield, Danny Bynum, and Chad Riggins.

Little League All Stars named

Spearman Little League All Stars were announced Monday night at the baseball park.

Those boys making the All Star team are Ben Reed, Reid Campbell, Shawn Tanner, Brian Beck, Chris Williamson, Edward Mayfield, Michael Whitefield, Chad Riggins, Danny Bynum, Keith Clark, Clint Sims, Greg Gilbreth, Chris Porter, Scott Wilkerson, Brandon Rex and Khris Kelp.

The All Star Tournament will be held in Guymon, July 2,3,5,6, and 7.

Spearman will meet Hocker All Stars at 7 p.m. July 2.

Guymon A team meets Stratford at 5 p.m. July 2.

The winner of these games will play July 3 at 9 p.m.

The other bracket has Guymon B Team playing Gruver at 9 p.m., July 2 and Goodwill against Dahhart July 3 at 5 p.m. The winner of this game will be played July 5 at 7 p.m.

Final rounds will be played July 6 and 7.

Coaches for Spearman All Stars are Eugene Yarbrough, Freddie Mayfield, Ronnie Beck and Hank Sutterfield.

Diversion payments due soon

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service executive in Spearman, Keith Martin, said Thursday that he expects Hansford County farmers and their landlords to receive diversion payments in the next two weeks.

The cash payments are for acres diverted from production above the mandatory 20 percent required by the federal program for the current year.

Grain producers and landowners will also receive bushels of wheat--a payment-in-kind-for

taking additional acreage out of grain production this year. Under provisions of the program, the voluntary diversion could amount to an additional 30 percent.

A bushel of wheat is worth \$3.26 at Hansford County elevators.

The cash payments and PIK grain represent the diversion of some 86,000 acres of Hansford County cropland from the production of wheat, according to ASCS figures. Martin said that 60% of this diversion was in PIK.

Grain producers will begin getting their PIK entitlements on July 1 and have until Nov. 30 to dispose of the grain.

Amount of PIK grain is computed on the established yield of a farm.

The payment will be either in grain the producer has under loan or in the grain reserve program, the ASCS executive points out. If the producer has no grain in either, he will harvest 1984 wheat for his PIK payment.

Hospital

Patients in Hansford Hospital are Reba Bennett, Elizabeth Spivey, William Spradlin, Elmer Abston, Tamra Taris and son, Phyllis Haefner, Angela Ross, Louise Vaught and Karen Cribari.

Dismissed were Harold Harris, Joy Hodges, Deirda Daakin, Jesse French, Ruth Bailey, Lisa Pipkin, and Thelma Scott.

Morse Post Office has open house



Mildred Lewis Postmaster (since 1978) at the Morse Post Office and Milana Reisinger are shown above in front of some of

the 112 postal boxes. Morse Post Office hosted Open House Thursday, June 28 in honor of Quality Service Month.

Markets

WHEAT	\$3.25
MILO	5.30
CORN	3.40

Residents invited to Gruver

Xi Psi Kappa sorority of Gruver extends a cordial invitation to all of the people of Spearman to attend the Patriotic Program and Fireworks display to be held at the Greyhound Football Stadium on July 4th beginning at 8:30 p.m. with a childrens pancake race.

Spearman will not be having a fireworks display this year, so residents are welcome to go to Gruver to celebrate the 4th of July.

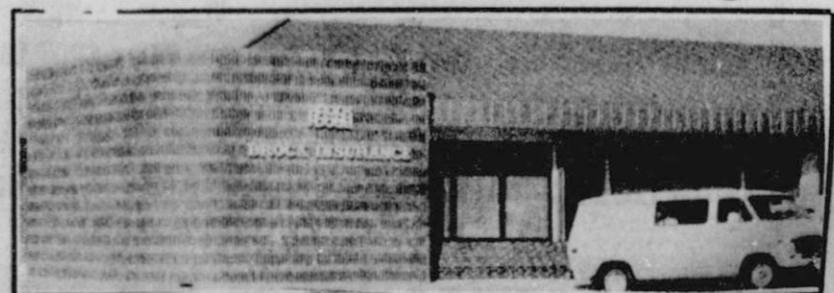
Post Office to close 4th of July

Spearman Post Office will be closed Wednesday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day.

Since this is a widely observed holiday, there will be no incoming or outgoing mail service, according to Postmaster Ray Robertson.

HANSFORD COUNTY
METHODIST BICENTENNIAL
CAMP MEETING
Sunday, July 1, 6:30 P.M.
at Old Hansford
(Gruver Highway)

Brock Insurance Agency moves to new building



J.L. Brock Insurance Agency will move into their new building at 121 Main Spearman, Monday

July 2. Watch for their formal opening soon.

County farms shrink, Census shows

Texas farms as a whole gained in numbers and decreased in size between 1978 and 1982, but Hansford county farms decreased from 355 in 1978 to 315 in 1982, according to a recently released census of agriculture. The report, which was compiled by the Bureau of the Census in Washington, shows that the county lost some 37,000 farm acres.

A farm is defined as any place from which \$1,000 or more agricultural products were sold. Statewide, however, Texas gained almost 10,000 farms, increasing from 175,395 in 1978 to 185,026 in 1982. Texas lost over 5,000,000 farm acres, though.

The census report continues to go into interesting detail about the precise characteristics of the modern Hansford county farm. For example, the land from which crops were harvested decreased to 318,247 in 1982 from the 365,870 figure in 1978. Irrigated farms were down 198 in 1982 from the 242 figure on 1978. The low prices farmers receive for their products and the high cost of production is cited as the cause.

County farmers sold \$361.6 million in agricultural products with \$194.6 coming from crops, while \$167.0 million came from the sale of livestock or poultry.

The value of those declining number of farms has also increased dramatically, from an average of \$700,458.00 in 1978 to \$925,511 in 1982.

Family owned farms decreased from 285 in 1978 to 253 in 1982 with partnership farms decreasing from 43 in 1978 to 35 in 1982.

Operators in age group show that 14 farmers are under 25; 47, 25 to 34 years; 77 are 35 to 44; 65 are 45 to 54; 67 are 55 to 64 and 45 are 65 years and over. Average age of the Hansford County farmer is 48.2 years.

The county cattle industry followed the trend seen on the farms. The farms with cattle and

calves dropped to 194 in 1982 from 211 in 1978. The number of cattle in the county also dropped from 203,792 in 1978 to 167,200 in 1982.

There was an overall decline in the number of farms harvesting corn from 73 in 1978 to 19 in 1982, and a drop in the number of bushels harvested to 454,055 from the 1,927,714 in 1978.

Farms raising grain sorghum declined to 196 from the 237 in 1978 bushels produced rose some however with 5,574,348 from 5,318,043 in 1978. There were 241 farms raising wheat in 1982 compared to 247 in 1982. More bushels were produced 3,538,050 in 1982 from 2,870,217 in 1978.

For other crops in 1982 there were 6 farmers raising oats for grain, 2 raising cotton, 2 raising soybeans, 57 raising hay.

The report also provides data of farm expenses, livestock and poultry purchased was \$104 million in 1982 off from the \$141.6 million in 1978. Feed for livestock and poultry was \$42,266,000 down from the 1978 figure of \$45,561,000. Commercial fertilizer cost farmers \$2,733,000 in 1982, and hired farm labor was up only slightly to \$4,077,000 in 1982 from the \$4,057,000 figure in 1978. Interest expense was listed as \$5,021,000 in 1982. Custom-work, machine hire was up totaling \$1,759,000 in 1982 from \$1,659,000 in 1978. Energy and petroleum products showed a big increase in the period to \$8,245,000 in 1982 from \$6,493,000 in 1978.

The Lemonade Springs in New Mexico carry about 900 pounds of sulfuric acid per million pounds of water, more than 10 times the acid concentration in coal mine discharges.

By a special act of Congress in 1939, baseball was the first athletic sport to be honored with a commemorative postal stamp.

Local Methodist will have camp meeting July 1



The combined Spearman-Gruver Methodist Church Choir is practicing for the big Methodist Camp Meeting to be held at Old Hansford July 1st.

Hear ye! Hear ye! All ye Hansford County Methodists! Harken to the news about the 6:30 p.m. Sunday, July 1st Bicentennial Camp Meeting at the site of Old Hansford.

'Tis going to be an evening of spiritual adventure for all who come. Along with the sheer joy of sharing an evening in God's world unfettered by stone walls, there is going to be a lyrical background offered by the combined choirs of the Spearman First United Metho-

Methodist Church and the Gruver United Methodist Church under the co-direction of Betty Womble and Janet Irwin. Old time favorite hymns will be the core of the musical selections--many from the all-time favorite--the Cokesbury Hymnal. Congregational singing will be a part of the song service.

Among those who will be a part of the musical background are members of the Spearman Methodist Church choir including

Eulalia Blankenship, Linda Butt, Wilma Clark, Bob Collier, Linda Cummings, Mary Dixon, Perry Dixon, Mary Alice Gibner, Kent Guthrie, Martha Haden, Lynanne Maize, Barbara McClellan, and R.L. McClellan.

Also from the Spearman church will be Bob Meek, Sheryl Meek, Greg Meek, Helen Melton, Judy Nelson, Susan Poole, Mark Schoenhals, Margey Schoenhals, Trudie Schneider, Sheila Schneider, Verna Strawn, Verlan Wine-

garner, Richy Thompson; Karen Harruff, and Sue Woolley.

From the Gruver Methodist Church will be Marilyn Been, Donna Been, Terry Etling, Louise Evans, Kurt Etling, Ted Evans, Frances Murrell, Buddy Murrell, Marguerite Nelson, Vireta Knight, Carlie Knight, Del Cluck, Scott Barkley, Delphine Etling, Lisa Ellis, Kim Hurst, Jim Taliaferro, Shannon Taliaferro, Marian Shapley, J.C. Harris, Vivian Harris and Harley Murrell.

The very heart of the Camp Meetings is, of course, the sermon and the Reverend Kerry Hurst of the Gruver Methodist Church will preach the sermon for the hour long worship service which will be directed by the Reverend Lane Boyd of the Spearman Methodist Church.

Following the prayerful observance of the founding of Methodism in America which dates from December 1784, will be "supper of the grounds" with all those attending sharing their victuals (vittles--food) with everyone else. Each family should bring a potluck picnic basket to be shared. The churches will be furnishing the lemonade and tea; the silverware, the napkins, cups, etc; the bread and butter; and of course--homemade ice cream!

(It is highly recommended that everyone BYOC--Bring Your Own Chair--lawn or otherwise.)

Following supper, games will be offered and a highlight of this portion of the evening will be guided tours of the historical Old Hansford site by J.B. Buchannan--a treat for anyone participating!

Shuttle service will be offered from both churches beginning at 6:00 p.m. to take those who would like transportation to and from the Camp Meeting.

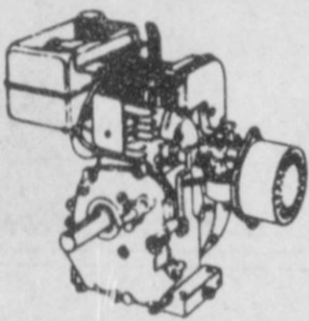
At the end of the day with the setting of the sun everyone will gather to sing the beloved "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"--a fitting benediction from those gathered for those who have gone before and for those who will follow.

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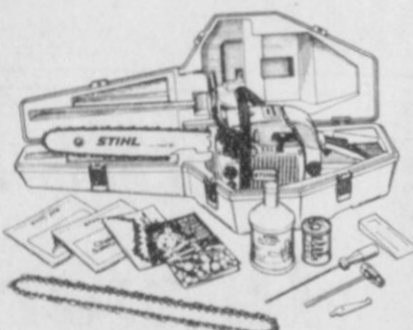
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Open tennis tournament set

O Ki Hi Junior Study Club in Stratford, TX, has scheduled their 4th annual open tennis tournament for July 14 & 15. Events offered will be Men's and Women's A & B singles, doubles, and mixed doubles. Entry fees are \$4.00 for singles and \$12.00 per team for doubles. Age limit is high school and up. To enter contact Valerie McAllister at Box 1221 Stratford, TX, 79084 or call 806-396-2150 or 5857 after 5:00 p.m. Deadline to enter is July 12, at 6:00 p.m.

Womens slowpitch tournament at Pampa

July 20-22 is the date for the Pampa Scorekeepers' Womens Slowpitch Tournament.

Trophies will be presented to 1st-3rd sponsor, and 1st-2nd individuals.

Deadline in July 13 for the first 24 paid teams.

Send \$80 entry fee to Pampa Scorekeepers, 717 Deane Dr., Pampa, Tex., Debbie Middleton, 665-2247.

Youth street dance planned

ATTENTION YOUTH: Street Dance for youth that are Freshmen in high school to age 19.

Wednesday, July 4 there will be a street dance for you! The dance will be a drug-free and alcohol-free dance at the cement park next to Gordon's on Main Street from 9:30 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Amchron Z-93 will provide the music. The cost will be \$3.00 a single and \$5.00 a couple. The dance is sponsored by 'fun' people and will be parent chaperoned.

This could be one of the most fantastic dances ever!

Save Time & Money

BY ANN FRANCIS DOLAN

MONEY MANAGEMENT — Long term CDs, with their fixed interest rates, are a good investment when rates remain steady, but short term CDs can provide greater flexibility. Investment experts say to check before tying up capital on long term certificates, especially if you have predetermined obligations, such as mortgage payments, tuition, etc. CDs should provide payment at your time of need, and your convenience.

SPACE CADET — That's you, if you rearrange furniture for maximum use and make one room do the work of two. Need extra space for an office? Move the dining table and chairs off center and create an area that can be blended with dining room decor and still provide functional use as an office. Look around existing space for possible new usage — create a conversation nook, a sitting area, a small breakfast or dining for two spot.

WILTED TO WINSOME — Beat summer heat with tried and true tricks of makeup experts. Keep astringent, cologne and all meltable makeup (lipstick, cream blush, eye makeup) in the refrigerator between uses. After showering, dust body with talc and wait at least 15 minutes before applying deodorant. Spray cologne lightly and spray yourself and your pillow for a cool night's sleep.

HOSE HOSANNA — Save pantyhose by storing new legwear in the freezer 24 hours before wearing. Wet hose, wring out gently and place hosiery in a plastic bag. Thaw the next day and dry. Freezing promotes longer wear, though no one seems to know why.

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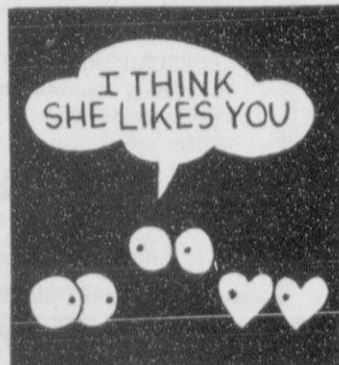
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TBEU Summer Scholarship Program

The College of Education at West Texas State University has received a grant from the Texas Bureau for Economic Understanding to conduct a special program which will deal with the free enterprise system.

This 6-hour, graduate level program, designed mainly for social studies teachers, will be offered during the 1984 second summer term. There are approximately 30 scholarships to award. Those receiving scholarships will be able to enroll for six graduate credit hours, with the scholarships providing free tuition, fees, books, and, in some cases, free university housing.

To apply for a scholarship notify Dr. Roy E. Thoman, P.O. Box 725, West Texas State University, Canyon, Texas 79016 by July 10.



New Arrival

Larry and D'Anda Widener of Spearman announce the arrival of a son Brett Linn on June 17. He weighed 7 lbs. 13 oz. at birth.

He joins Leslie, their 2 year old daughter, in the home.

Paternal grandparents are Ted and Wanda Widener, maternal grandparents are Floyd and Alene Close, all of Spearman. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fay Stiles, Clinton, Okla., and maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Myrtle Andrews.

Richard and Lisa Pipkin are proud to announce the arrival of their son, David Richard Pipkin, on June 24, 1984. He weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long at birth.

Anxiously awaiting his arrival at home were his two sisters, Candice and Kara.

Paternal grandparents are Johnnie and Edith Pipkin of Spearman, maternal grandparents are Frank and Leona Armstrong of Perryton. His paternal great-grandfather is Knox Pipkin of Spearman, and Ethel Nesmith of Durant, Okla. is his maternal great-grandmother.

The Free State of Israel was proclaimed in Tel Aviv on May 13, 1948, with the United States on the same day becoming the first government to recognize the new nation.

Two-Bit Sermons

Two Bit Sermons
by James D. Jones, Pastor,
Fellowship Baptist Church
--SALVATION--

Nicodemus, Peter, John, Samaritan woman, and Paul all had one experience in common, their Salvation. I have often heard it spoken of in this manner. We are all going to heaven, but we're just using different roadmaps. Matt. 7:13-14 says that there is only one way. Many scriptures state there is only one way. How then can we know? Let's trust the Bible.

One- Romans 3:10, In all of the world that God made there is no man who is good enough to make heaven on his own.

Two- Romans 3:23, There is not one man who has not sinned. This guarantees that short of the help of Christ none can obtain Heaven.

Three- Romans 5:8, Jesus loved us enough to die for our sins. Even before we loved Him.

Four- Romans 10:9-10, It is necessary then to call on the name of Jesus and ask Him to save me. Five- I John 5:14, We then know 100% that if we were to die we would go to Heaven.

Salvation is not hard. Salvation's not complicated. Man simply has changed it to fit what we would like it to be.

Gruver to host county on July 4

Spearman will not have fireworks this year

The Alpha Mu Psi Sorority of Gruver is sponsoring the Community Fourth of July Celebration at the Gruver City Park on July 4, 1984. Festivities begin at 9:30 with games and races for kids and adults. The Gruver Volunteer Fire Department will be sponsoring a bingo game.

Musical entertainment will be provided by the "Tri-State Blue Grass Express" from 11:00 to 3:00. The Gruver Lions Club is providing a barbeque lunch from 12:00-2:00 for \$5.00 per plate; \$3 for kids 12 yrs and under, and lunch will be free, and there will be an express line for senior citizens.

At 1:00 the sorority raffle drawing will be held for the \$300.00 and \$100.00 worth of free groceries at G&G Foodliner in Gruver. There will also be con-

cession stands with cokes, ice cream, cookies and brownies, and snow cones.

The following is a schedule of the Fourth of July Celebration games, races, and events:

9:30 a.m. Bike Race and Parade, 11:00 a.m. Turtle Race, 11:30 a.m. Boot Scramble, 12:00-2:00 Barbeque Lunch provided by Gruver Lions Club, 11:00-3:00 Music by "Tri-State Blue Grass Express", 1:30 p.m. Stick Horse Race, 2:00 p.m. Water Melon Seed Spitting Contest, 2:30 p.m. Rolling Pin Toss and Men's Tug of War, 3:00 p.m. Three Legged Race.

Games and Events held during the day: Liberty Train, Horse-shoes, Bingo Game, Dunking Board, Greased Pole, Copper Mine, Pillow Roll, Face Painting.

CWF installs new officers

The CWF met June 6 in the Fellowship Hall for a Salad Supper.

After a short business meeting, Janie Kunselman presided over the Installation of Officers for the 1984-85 year.

New officers installed were President-Jeanie Laughlin; V. President-Ruth Bryan; Treasurer-Beth Phelps; Secretary-Jean West; Worship-Dorothy Haner; Study-Paula Foster; Service-Mary Brock, Lorene Kunselman, Margarette Evans and Margaret Becker. The theme of the Installation Service was Keys of Faith.

The beautiful table decorations for the salad supper were by Jane Henton.

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Faye's Daze

It is really lonesome at my house this week, I keep listening for a little voice saying "Grandma". I thoroughly enjoyed a visit from my 2 1/2 year old granddaughter Lauryn last week. We got along fine. Her daddy called to see how we were doing after the first day or so, I told him fine, that I did everything she told me to so we had no problems, (well almost everything). She had a good time also. She visited a farm, saw chickens, horses, rode with Grandma on her Scoota, went to a baseball game, played in the dirt, and various other activities children her age enjoy.

The other night as I was getting ready for bed I heard a cricket (one of my most unfavorite sounds) and quickly turned on the fan so I couldn't hear it. I think I forgot to tell you about the segment I saw on TV not long ago about cricket farms. The farm is in South Dakota and they ship millions of crickets to the southern states for bait for fishing. I

guess crickets are good for something but I don't think I would want a cricket farm.

The minister's wife was visiting a member of the congregation, and mentioned with particular pride, that her daughter had won first prize in a musical recital. "I know just how you must feel," said her hostess understandingly. "I remember how pleased we were when our pig got the blue ribbon at the fair last year."

Diplomacy is telling someone he has an open mind when you really mean he has a hole in his head!

You don't have to lie awake nights to succeed, just stay awake days!

This hot weather is not conducive to column writing or to my brain functioning either. All I can think about seems to be finding a cool spot.

Bill Cope receives scholarship

WTSU--Bill Cope, a senior at West Texas State University from Spearman, has been awarded scholarships totaling \$2,000 from the School of Business.

Cope, a marketing major, received one of two scholarships of \$1,500 presented by the First National Bank of Amarillo and a \$500 Purchasing Management of the Texas Panhandle scholarship during the annual School of Business awards convocation.

The First National Bank of Amarillo has given \$6,000 to the School of Business this year to be awarded as scholarships. Almost 100 students received awards and scholarships totaling \$33,250 from individuals and business firms.

Cope, son of Wayne Cope and Waurayne Cope, is a member of the Student Senate, Herdsmen spirit organization, Baptist Student Union, WTSU Student Foundation and has participated in Buffalo Branding, an orientation weekend for beginning freshman students.

He also has been a campus host with Campus Services, listed in Who's Who Among Students in

American Universities and Colleges, Outstanding Young Men of America and is a member of Alpha Chi national scholastic honor society.

He works as a marketing sales assistant at IBM.

Book Review Club meets

Spearman Book Review Club met June 26, in the home of Mrs. E. J. Copeland.

After dinner Helen Etter reviewed "How to Live to Be Over One Hundred" by George Burns.

Members attending were Jane Meek, Freda Sheets, Louise Holt, Nina Hefner, Athalie Traylor, Altha Townsend and Carrie Marie Berry.

Childbirth preparation classes begin

Childhood preparation classes will begin July 19 at 7 p.m. For more information contact Carol Stavio, RN., 882-4476, or Carol Fletcher 659-3761 and 733-2126.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eaton
and
Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Fuller
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Johnnie LeAnne
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Spearman, Texas
Reception following
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Super summer at library

Magical Mysteries Reading Club will have its final film showing at the Hansford County Library next Tuesday morning, July 3, from 10:30-11:15.

All children attending the films are invited to wear disguises, costumes, or masks with a Magical Mysteries theme, if they want to. The children at the film show will vote on their favorite costume and the winner's picture will be published in the paper.

The swimming party will be held at the swimming pool on

Tuesday evening, July 10, from 8:30-9:30 P.M. This event is free to all Reading Club participants. Texas State Library Certificates will be awarded each child who has read at least 10 books during the Reading Club.

Magical Mysteries has been Hansford County Library's most successful reading program to date. 200 children enrolled, and approximately 140 boys and girls are actively participating. It's a super summer at the library!

Dahlia Flower Club meets

The Dahlia Flower Club was called to order by the President Nell Evans; on June 25/84.

The program was given by Irene Keating of Amarillo on way to use eggs. Every one present had a chance to make their own vegetable filled crepe. Fruit filled crepes (lemon filled) were served for dessert.

Door prize went to Jewel Turner.

The next meeting will be in the Red Room of the Baptist Church

on July 9, 1984 with Hazel Loftin as hostess.


Members present were: Nelle Albrecht, Louise Archer, Martha Batton, Sammie Bishop, Deta Blodgett, Cleo Denman, Mabel Edwards, Nell Evans, Karen Har-ruff, Sada Hoskins, Hazel Loftin, Hollie Riley, Ora Sanders, Margaret Shedack, Jewel Turner and Ruth Mary Whitson.

Two guests were also present: Mrs. Evans and Irene Keating.

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Police Dept. has busy week

On Friday, June 22, 1984 at approximately 4:20 p.m., while an officer was on patrol in the 500 block of South Roland, he observed a white male operating a vehicle, turn from West 5th onto the 500 block of South Roland. The officer had knowledge that the driver of the vehicle, drivers license was suspended. At this time, the subject was stopped by the officer and placed under arrest for driving while drivers license suspended. The subject was then transported to the Spearman Police Department for processing and then placed into the custody of the Hansford County Sheriff's Office.

On Friday, June 22, 1984, a warrant was issued for a white male subject for traffic violations. At approximately 1:00 a.m., an officer was on patrol at Avenue A and Hoskins and observed the lights on in a bus used for a bunkhouse, that the subject was thought to be staying in. After interviewing one subject staying in the bus, it was learned that the subject the officer was looking for was staying in a trailer house at another residence. The officer went to the address and spoke with the subject, advising him of the charges against him. At this time the subject was placed under arrest and transported to Hansford County Sheriff's Office and released into their custody.

On Monday, June 25, 1984 at approximately 11:56 p.m., an officer was advised to come to the Police Department. Upon arrival, the officer was met by a white male subject. The Police Department held warrants against the subject for traffic violations. The officer spoke with the subject about the charges. At this time the subject contacted his boss who came down and paid his fines. The subject was then released.

On Tuesday, June 26, 1984 while on patrol, an officer found a black and orange boy's bicycle at the Jaycee Ball Park. The officer picked up the bicycle and brought it to the Police Department for safekeeping until the owner was located. On Tuesday, June 26, 1984 the bicycle was released to the owner.

On Tuesday, June 26, 1984 while on patrol, an officer observed a vehicle on 5th and Townsend. The officer ran a registration check on the vehicle and returned to the Police Department to check copies of a citation that the officer had issued on June 20, 1984 to the driver of the vehicle for not having a drivers license and no proof of insurance. The vehicle turned out to be the same. The officer left the Police Department and traveled west on Kenneth and observed the same vehicle stopped at a store. The officer turned around as the vehicle was leaving and stopped the vehicle at Barkley and Kenneth. The driver met the officer in front of the patrol unit and the officer asked to see his drivers license. The subject told the officer that he did not have one. The subject was placed under arrest and transported to the Police Department.

At this time the subject was advised that he had a new set of charges against him and that he was still responsible for the other ticket he received and the subject was allowed to post bond and advised to appear in court on July 3, 1984 at 11:00 a.m.

On Wednesday, June 27, 1984 at approximately 4:33 p.m., a Spearman resident requested that an officer be dispatched to 301 W. Kenneth to pickup a bicycle. Upon arrival, the officer spoke with a white female subject who advised the officer that at approximately 4:00 p.m. this date, a white female had ridden the bicycle to the business and ran away, abandoning the bicycle. The bicycle was picked up by the officer and taken to the Police Department for safekeeping.

On June 27, 1984 at approximately 2:52 p.m., a Spearman resident telephoned the Police Department and advised that sometime between June 26, 1984 and this date, someone had removed a yellow "Rain Tree" yard sprinkler from his yard and replaced it with another sprinkler.

On Thursday, June 28, 1984 at approximately 7:30 p.m. an officer was dispatched to a Spearman residence for an unknown complaint. Upon arrival, the officer was met by a white male subject who advised him that a small boy had been sent to his residence by a female subject to get his son to go to her residence so that he could help her settle a domestic quarrel. At this time, another white male subject arrived at the complainants residence and entered into the same without obtaining permission to enter from the residents. The complainant then advised the subject to leave. The subject then reportedly became belligerent and called the complainant names. The subject then left the residence. The officer then arrived at the subjects residence and spoke with the complainants son who advised that there would be no further problems and that the domestic quarrel was about to be resolved. The officer then spoke with the subject and advised him not to return to the complainants residence for any reason. At approximately 8:19 p.m., the

complainant advised that he did wish to file a complaint against the subject for disorderly conduct.

ACCIDENT REPORTS

On June 24, 1984 an accident was reported in the 700 block of S. Highway 207. A 1980 motorcycle attempted to pass a 1972 GMC pickup when the pickup began to turn left. The driver of the motorcycle then lays the cycle over on its side to avoid a collision. Injuries were reported.

On June 27, 1984 an accident was reported in the 100 block of Wanda Drive. A 1980 pickup and a 1982 pickup were both backing out of their driveways. The operators of both vehicles did not see each other. The operator of the 1982 pickup's left rear bumper and tailgate collided with the 1980 pickup's right side door. No injuries reported. No citation was issued.

The Municipal Court has changed the court date from Monday's to Tuesday's effective this date from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

D.J. Alberts,
Chief of Police

Grain insurance coverage available

An Amarillo based company today announced the availability of a new insurance policy designed to protect farmers against financial loss caused by grain warehouse bankruptcy.

Joel Coucher, President of the Amarillo based company, Agri* Risk, announced the availability of Farmers' Grain Insurance Coverage, a policy designed to specifically cover the possible financial loss of grain producers due to a grain warehouse bankruptcy.

The program, similar to programs under evaluation by the United States Congress and the USDA, guarantees that warehouse receipts and open storage tickets which are held by depositors are, in most instances, 100% insured against devaluation caused by the bankruptcy of the warehouse where their grain is stored. The deposits in the F.G.I.C. insured facilities are protected in much the same way as deposits in banks are protected by the F.D.I.C.

Under current regulations,

grain warehouses are required by the USDA and State agencies to be bonded. However, bonding does not always provide total protection for farmers and depositors of grain in the warehouse if the grain warehouse goes bankrupt. After the legal entanglements that accompany a bankruptcy are resolved, farmers usually receive only a fraction of the dollar value of their stored grain.

According to Joel Coucher of Agri* Risk, "F.G.I.C. is affordable. The Warehouseman pays premiums based on the storage capacity of his facility. In addition to the warehouseman, bankers and grain producers will benefit from this cost effective insurance plan. It provides a much needed protection for this segment of

the Agri-Business Industry." INFORMATION CONTACT: Agri-Risk P.O. Box 50225, Amarillo, Tx. 79159 Telephone: U.S. Wats, 800-762-3300, Tx. Wats, 800-762-3300, Amarillo, 806-358-8821.

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Short Takes

After most any day spent in downtown traffic, the assumption is that the only way to grow old is gratefully.

Try — just once — to snooze under the shade of the ol' TV, and you'll run out to renew your subscription to your favorite newspaper.

Manitoulin in Lake Huron, with an area of 1,600 square miles, is the largest freshwater island in the world.

Yaks driven in caravans in the Himalayas have no harness or reins but are steered to the right and left by throwing rocks at them.

Youth place in track meet

The John McGuire Memorial Track Meet was held in Amarillo at the Dick Bivins Stadium last week. In the Boys Bantam Division, Brian Beck placed third in the high jump with a jump of 3-10. In the long jump, Brandon Rex placed first with 12-3. The 400 Spearman 400 relay team came in second with a time of 1:03.88. In the Boys Midget Division Chris Porter won first place in the high jump with a jump of 4-1. In the Young Men's Division,

Steve Burke won first place in the Shot with a throw of 51-6 3/4. Steve also won first in the discus with a throw of 155-6. In the Girls Bantam Division, April Graham placed second in the discus with a throw of 50-8. In the Youth Girls, Laci Lasater won second place in the triple jump with a jump of 28-4. Heather Murrell placed second in the high jump with a jump of 4-7. Jill McLain placed second in the 100 hurdles with a time of 16.2.



JILL MCLAIN



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APRIL GRAHAM

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	Sports Network	Oklahoma City	CH.4 Amarillo	Movie Channel	CH.7 Amarillo	Cbn Cable Netw	CH.9 Chicago	CH.10 Amarillo	CH.17 Atlanta	Cable News Nt
6:30	SportsCenter Inside Baseball	Nightly Business Report Oklahoma Report	News M*A*S*H	Prog Cont'd	News Family Feud	Here Come the Brides	Alice Carol Burnett	News Three's Company	Prog Cont'd CNN Headline	Moneyline Crossfire
7:30	Super Bouts of the 70's	Frontline	TV's Bloopers and Practical Jokes	Movie: 'Octopussy'	Major League Baseball: Teams to be Announced	Cisco Kid	Solid Gold	Scarecrow and Mrs. King	Movie: 'The Dark Command'	Prime News
8:30	PKA Full Contact Karate	Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau	Movie: 'Children of Divorce'			700 Club	Greatest American Hero	One Day at a Time Newhart		Freeman Reports
9:30	Inside Baseball	Great Performances		Movie: 'The Missionary'			News	Cagney & Lacey	Movie: 'Centennial Part 1'	Prime News
10:30	SportsCenter Auto Racing '84: 24 Hours of Lemans	Dr. Who Austin City Limits	News Wimbledon '84 Tonight Show		News Barnaby Jones	Another Life Best of Groucho	Twilight Zone Cannon	News Magnum P.I.		Moneyline Sports Tonight
11:30	Mazda SportsLook Motorcycle	Business of Management	Movie: 'Voices'		Nightline	Burns & Allen Jack Benny Show		Hank Williams - The Man and Movie: 'Hazing'		Newsnight
12:30	Racing: Seattle Supercross To Be	Sign Off	with David Letterman Muppet Show		Woman to Woman Virginian	I Married Joan Love That Bob	His Music		Movie: 'Rebecca'	Crossfire News Wrap-Up

TUESDAY 7/3/84

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	Sports Network	Oklahoma City	CH.4 Amarillo	Movie Channel	CH.7 Amarillo	Cbn Cable Netw	CH.9 Chicago	CH.10 Amarillo	CH.17 Atlanta	Cable News Nt
6:30	SportsCenter Top Rank Boxing from Merrillville, IN	Nightly Business Report Oklahoma Report	News M*A*S*H	Prog Cont'd	News Family Feud	Here Come the Brides	Alice Carol Burnett	News Three's Company	Sanford and Son Major League Baseball	Moneyline Crossfire
7:30	Merrillville, IN	Nova	A Team	Movie: 'Savannah Smiles'	Foul-ups, Blunders Three's Company	Gentle Ben	Movie: 'Heat of Anger'	Movie: 'Berlin Tunnel 21'	Montreal at Atlanta	Prime News
8:30		Music of the Big Bands	Riptide		Arthur Hailey's Hotel	700 Club	News			Freeman Reports
9:30	Unlimited Hydroplane Racing	Lifeline	Remington Steele	Movie: 'Moonlighting'	Hart to Hart		My Little Margie	Major League Baseball: Chicago at San Diego	Movie: 'Centennial Part 2'	Prime News
10:30	SportsCenter Mazda SportsLook U.S. Indoor	Dr. Who Austin City Limits	News Wimbledon '84 Tonight Show		News Barnaby Jones	Another Life Best of Groucho		News McGarrett	2	Moneyline Sports Tonight
11:30	Diving Championships Australian	Focus on Society Focus on Society	Late Night	'Spasms'	Nightline	Burns & Allen Jack Benny Show		Columbo	Movie: 'Not As A'	Newsnight
12:30	Rules Football '84	Sign Off	with David Letterman Muppet Show		Woman to Woman Virginian	I Married Joan Love That Bob	Movie: 'Stranger'			Crossfire News Wrap-Up

Wednesday July 4th Programs

WEDNESDAY 7/4/84

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7:30	SportsCenter Mazda SportsCenter	News Weather Do-It-Yourself Show	Today	Prog Cont'd	Prog Cont'd Good Morning America	Blondie My Little Margie	Bozo Show	CBS Morning News	Bewitched Lucy Show	Prog Cont'd
8:30	Número Uno	Sesame Street		Girl		Dobie Gillis I Married Joan		Beverly Hillsbillies	Movie: 'Beach Blanket Bingo'	Daywatch
9:30	Football '84	Electric Company Powerhouse	Facts of Life Sale of the Century	Movie: 'Joseph Andrews'	Hour Magazine	700 Club	Movie: 'The Devil's Disciple'	New \$25,000 Pyramid Press Your Luck		
10:30	Top Rank Boxing from Merrillville, IN	Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood Powerhouse	Wheel of Fortune Scrabble		Love Report Loving	Another Life		Price Is Right	Catlins Texas	
11:30		Sesame Street	Diff'rent Strokes Search For Tomorrow	Movie: 'If...'	Family Feud Joker's Wild	Movie: 'Daniel Boone'	Family	News Young and the Restless	Perry Mason	Take 2
12:30	PGA Golf: 1984 Canadian	Oklahoma Gardening Victory Garden	Days of Our Lives		News Tic Tac Dough	Life of Riley		As the World Turns	Movie: 'The Lively Set'	
1:30	Open - Final Round from Oakville, Ontario	Nova	Another World Wimbledon Tennis	Movie: 'The Missionary'	One Life to Live	Make it Microwave I Married Joan	Rhoda Andy Griffith	Capitol		News Day
2:30	1984 Cheerleading	Living Wild	Championships '84	Movie: 'The Towering'	General Hospital	700 Club	I Dream of Jeannie Bugs Bunny	Guiding Light	SuperStation Funtime Heckle and Jeckle	Afternoon Break
3:30	Championships Aerobatics	Sesame Street		Inferno	Edge of Night Scooby Doo	Another Life Bull's Eye	Superfriends Scooby Doo	Vega\$	Flintstones Leave It to Beaver	Newsline
4:30	ESPN's SportsWoman Play Your Best Golf	Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood Electric Company		Jeffersons	B.J./Lobo Show	Tic Tac Dough Let's Make a Deal	Laverne and Shirley Leave It to Beaver	Little House on the Prairie	Father Knows Best I Dream of Jeannie	Newswatch
5:30	Fishin' Hole Mazda SportsLook	MacNeil-Lehrer Newshour	M*A*S*H NBC News	Movie: 'Gregory's Girl'	Entertainment Tonight ABC News	New Treasure Hunt Rifleman	Good Times Archie Bunker's Place	Newscape CBS News	Andy Griffith Carl Burnett	Prog Cont'd Ask CNN

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6:30	SportsCenter Inside the PGA Tour	Nightly Business Report Oklahoma Report	News M*A*S*H	Prog Cont'd						
7:30	Aerobics	Evening at the Taps								
8:30	Budweiser Trans-Am P.K.A. Full Contact	Capital Fourth 1984								
9:30	Karate									
10:30	SportsCenter ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly Unlimited	Dr. Who Austin City Limits	News Wimbledon '84 Tonight Show							
11:30	Hydroplane Racing Mazda	Focus on Society Focus on Society	Late Night							
12:30	SportsLook Inside the PGA Tour Fishin' Hole	Sign Off	with David Letterman Muppet Show							

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Faith is what makes you believe that some day, the pharmacist will give one more pill than your prescription calls for.

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EIGHTY FOOT LONG BANANA SPLIT-Cub Scout day camp leaders made the banana split for the scouts using 18 gallons of ice cream, 20 pounds of bananas, 1 1/2 gallo is choco-

late syrup and 1 gallon butter-scotch syrup. They made the split in a rain gutter lined with Saran wrap. Carolyn Babitzke said it too the 77 boys 4 1/2 minutes to eat the banana split.

Spearman Church Directory

APOSTOLIC FAITH CHURCH:
Leland Grimmer, Pastor
824 South Dressen
Sunday School: 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 7:00
Wednesday Service 7:30
659-2870

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN:
Steve Bailey, Pastor
Waka, Texas
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
No Evening Services
435-4598

CHURCH OF CHRIST:
Gaylord Cook & David Fultz,
Co-ministers
121 South Haney
Sunday School: 9:45
Morning Worship 10:35
Evening Worship 6:00
Wednesday Service 7:30
659-3244

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH:
William Schardin, Interim Pastor
1101 South Bernice
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 10:45
No Evening Worship
659-2252

FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
Jim Jones, Pator
1102 South Archer
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 7:00
Wednesday Service 7:30
659-2782

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD:
David Nuckels, Pastor
401 North Bernice
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 7:00
Wednesday Service 7:00
659-2295

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
[SOUTHERN BAPTIST]:**
Russ Gibbs, Pastor
Jerry Don Davis,
Minister of Youth
123 South Bernice
Sunday School 9:45

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH:
[DISCIPLES OF CHRIST]:**
Martin Foster, Pastor
29 South Bernice
Sunday School 9:30
Morning Worship 10:50
Evening Worship 6:30
659-2036

**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC
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Father Raymond Crosier, Priest
Saturday Evening Mass 7:00
Friday Mass 8:30 AM
Sunday Mass 8:00 AM
Thursday Mass 6:30 PM
659-2166

**FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH:**
Leland McCullough, Pastor
1021 Cotter
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
No Evening Services
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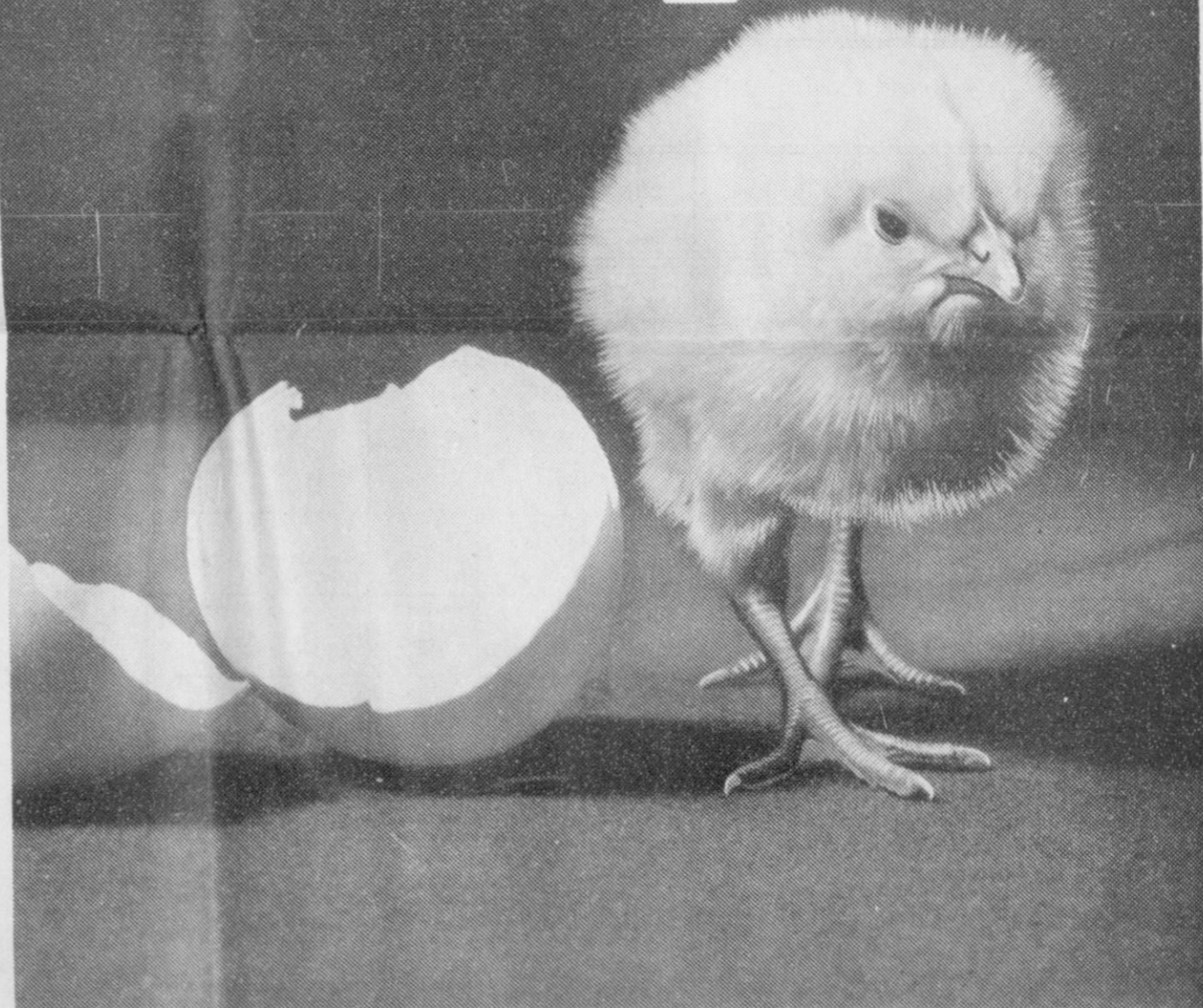
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CHURCH:**
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407 South Haney
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 7:00
659-3220

**SPEARMAN UNION CHURCH:
(Inter-Denominational):**
Steve Rogers, Pastor
31 South Endicott
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 10:45
Evening Service 6:30
Wednesday Service 7:30
659-2644

**SPEARMAN-GRUVER SPANISH
BAPTIST MISSION:**
Romeo Reyes, Pastor
502 E. 7th
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Church Training 6:00
Evening Worship 7:00
Wednesday Service 7:00
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Church Training 6:00
Evening Worship 7:00
Wednesday Service 7:00
659-2445
Intercessory Prayer Line 659-2911

Escape?



He's escaped the fate of an egg—but what has the chick got to look forward to? The technology that incubated him in twenty-one days now carries him relentlessly toward the roaster.

We, too, often seem trapped on a similar conveyer belt, caught in a cadence which carries us step by step through life. The carefree days of childhood swiftly wane once schooling begins. Then come jobs, marriage, family, a home.

The list—and the responsibilities of mature life—seems endless. No wonder we long to escape—to "get away from it all."

Yet such daydreams little help us to cope with life today. God's love and wisdom give us the guidance and solace we need. His Church—the church down the street—stands ready to meet our needs.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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"Pirate Day" at the YMCA. L to R are Nathan Crenshaw, Jason Waugh, Michael Cook, Michelle

Whitefield, Winn Crenshaw, Tiffani Rex, Brian Beck, (in back), Austin Crenshaw, Shea Crawford.



Alan Hutchison, Kayla Waugh, Lindee Bradley, Clint Schnell, Chester Hutchison, Dee May-

field, Jody Hutchison, Roman Arnold, Justin Arnold. "Pirate Day" at the YMCA.



Left to right "At the pool" are Chester Hutchison, Austin Crenshaw, Judy Hutchison, Michelle Whitefield, Tiffani Rex, Clint Schnell, Alan Hutchison.



"Helping each other" Schane Schneider and Alan Hutchison.

Panhandle history book published

The Panhandle-Plains Historical Society has recently published a book on a little known aspect of Panhandle history, according to Dianna Everett, Director of Publications. "The book, which is titled European Folk Islands in Northwest Texas, is basically an outgrowth of a traveling exhibit produced in 1982 by the Panhandle-Plains Museum and funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities. The exhibit featured history and culture of Germans, Poles, Czechs, Italians, Norwegians, and other European groups who settled in the Panhandle between 1890 and 1920, and it was on display in many of the ethnic communities in this part of the state," she said.

The new book summarizes and expands much of the information presented in the 1982 exhibit. It was edited by Dr. Bobby Weaver, Archivist at the Museum and also interim Curator of Ethnology. Weaver was director of the Folk Islands exhibit project, and he arranged for various historians to write articles on ethnic communities presented in the exhibit.

"Most Texans realize that there were Germans and Czechs who settled in the Texas hill country down around San Antonio," Weaver said. "What many people don't realize is that over



Kim Nelson, Sue Wooley, Judy Hutchison, Cass Lasater, Nathan Crenshaw, Austin Crenshaw, Michelle Whitefield, Toby Thompson, Chester Hutchison, Russel

Shaver, Clint Schnell, Lindee Bradley. Circus Day at YMCA Day Camp.

fifty European folk settlements were established in northwest Texas, and each of these communities has an interesting history and sometimes still has something of an ethnic atmosphere," he added.

"We did a considerable amount of research while we were putting the exhibit together and gathering artifacts from people who lived in the ethnic communities," Weaver explained. "When we finished, we realized that there was no way for other people to research the subject--there were no books or articles at all on

ethnicity in the Panhandle. The Panhandle-Plains Historical Society was interested in pre-serving all of the information we had collected, and they agreed to publish a special "folk islands" edition of the Panhandle-Plains Historical review. We included ten articles and covered the history of such communities as Nazareth, Rhe, Lipscomb, Darrouzett, Statton, Old Glory, White Deer, and so forth." The book also includes a section of historic photographs gathered from each community.

Texas residents warned of fire dangers

Texas residents should be conscious of the threat of fire at all times. But, according to the Building Advisory Council of Texas, certain times of the year are especially hazardous in residential areas. The upcoming July 4th weekend is one.

"If you live in a neighborhood with homes and apartments roofed with readily combustible wood shingles, you should be even more alert over this holiday weekend," says H.V. "Corky" Moss, President of the BAC. "Such roofing can easily be ignited by sparks or embers from other fires," adds Moss.

The BAC recommends that all residential roofing materials meet a UL Class A fire rating.

Although many city ordinances in Texas prohibit the sale of fireworks, people can and do find a source for fireworks during the July 4th holiday. The BAC suggests that fireworks enthusiasts enjoy the holiday by attending a public fireworks display in their area.

Regardless of what type roofing material you have on your home, you should still be especially cautious over this holiday weekend. The Building Advisory Council of Texas offers the following advice:

Cut dead foliage from last winter's freeze around your home. If you live in an apartment, request that the maintenance people do this. This will eliminate a potentially combustible source of fire near your home.

Do not burn trash without first checking with your local fire department. Many Texas cities have ordinances prohibiting your doing this. They also would have a central dump or special trash pick-up service you could use.

If your lawn is dry, water it well. This will eliminate a potentially combustible source for fire near your home by moistening the grass' root system to create a "buffer fire zone" around your home.

Do not pile or store combustible material such as grass cuttings near the house. Bags of dried grass clippings piled against the house or underneath an outside stairway are a definite fire hazard.

Do not leave outdoor charcoal or gas burners unattended. If you cook with charcoal, submerge the remaining coals in water after you finish. A slight wind blowing into the air intake section of the cooker can rekindle a flame in those supposedly "dead coals."

Do not use gasoline or kerosene to ignite charcoal when cooking outdoors. Special charcoal starter fuels are produced with a low flash point for safer use. And once the coals are burning, do not become impatient and add more starter. A stream of charcoal starter pouring from a container can flame immediately upon con-

tacting the already hot charcoal and instantly burn back up the stream engulfing your hand and flames.

Do not throw any "supposedly" extinguished cigarette onto the ground. Dispose of them in an ashtray or ground them into the pavement with your foot.

The Building Advisory Council of Texas is an organization committed to the use of non-combustible materials in building construction.

MAKE YOUR OWN BEADS

Material: macaroni, food coloring, string
Directions: Dunk cut macaroni into assorted food colors, drain and dry completely. Use a separate paper cup for each color "bead" and let your children string their own necklaces.

TIN CAN WALKERS

Material: two large shortening cans, rope
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Entry fees - \$5.00 per event - Regular and Pen Men
Rules - General rules as set forth by the Pride of the Panhandle 4-H Horse Association.

Awards - Buckles will be awarded to first place. Trophies will be given in each age group to High Point Judged events and High Point Titled Events.

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