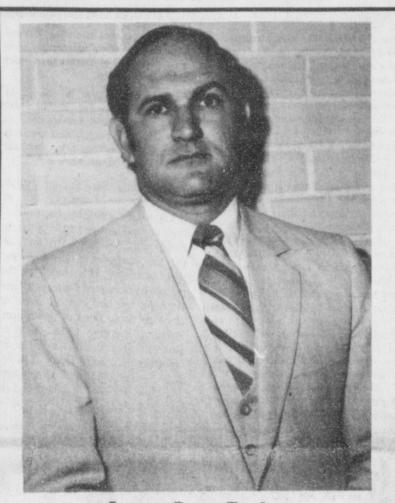
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## New Superintendent named for Spearman I.S.D.



**Larry Gene Butler** 

#### Dr. Tom Latta, President of the Spearman I.S.D. announced this week that Larry Gene Butler of Clyde, Tex. has been named as the new Superintendent of Schools for Spearman to replace James Cunningham, who is retiring.

Larry Gene Butler will take over his duties of Superintendent in July of 1985.

The new superintendents family includes his wife, Paula, and two sons, Bradley, 9, who is in the 4th grade and Corey, 7, who is in the 1st grade.

The educational professional training of the new superintendent began when he graduated from Hamlin in 1964. In 1966 he received his A.A. Degree from Cisco Jr. College. In 1972 he received his B.S. Degree from McMurry College in Abilene, Tex. Also in 1972, he received his Masters Degree in Education from Sul Ross State at Alpine, Tex. He did additional post graduate work at Lamar University in Beaumont, Tex. and Abilene Christian College at Abilene, Texas.

His teaching and administrative experience began at Hamlin, Tex., where he was a teacher and coach from 1969 to 1971. He became a graduate assistant at Sul Ross University at Alpine, Tex. from 1971 to 1972. He moved to Monahans LS.D. and taught the 1972-73 year. In 1973, he was appointed as principal of Hamlin LS.D. and served to 1979. He was appointed Assistant Superintendent at Vidor L.S.D., Vidor, Tex. and served 1979 to 1982. In 1982 he was

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appointed as Superintendent of Clyde LS.D. and will serve there till July, 1985, when he and his family will move to Spearman.

Professional affiliations include the American Association of School Administrators, Texas Association of School Administrators (Committee Appointment), Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development, Phi Delta Kappa, and Texas Association of Community Schools (Committee Appointment and Appointment to Executive Board beginning August 1, 1984.)

## **Free Health** Fair Jan. 25

A "Health Fair" will be held Friday, January 25th from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Golden Spread Center.

Dr. Doug Steger, Spearman Optometrist, will conduct eye examinations for glaucoma.

Hearing exams will be conducted by Jerry Lile between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and appointments for these tests can be made by calling 659-3866. Mr. Lile is the hearing aid representative.

Visual Dental Examinations will be conducted by Spearman Dentist, Dr. Stanton Cobb.

State Health Nurse, Joan Mc Clellan and Panhandle Home Care Nurse Vera Domingez will conduct tests for blood pressure, blood sugar and resperiatory exams.

## **Equity to hold Expo**

Spearman Equity has announced plans for a big, special One-Day-Only EXPO SALE to be held J anuary 24 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Hansford County barn in Spearman.

Jim Turner, manager of the Spearman Equity, and all of the Equity personnel extend an invitation to all area farmers and ranchers to come out to the sale, check out the bargains offered, see demonstrations and hear talks by Ag-business experts in various fields, vist with Company sale representatives and enjoy lunch free of charge.

The special sale will include bargains on Fertilizer, Chemicals, Feed, and Fencing supplies and many other supplies. An action paced agenda is planned. There will be demonstrations, talks on topics of interest to the Agricultural Community and Chemical

Company representatives will be on hand to answer any and all questions farmers and ranchers may have.

Animal health products, Fencing Material, COOP Feed, Banvel Herbicide, COOP ORO Hybrids, Roundup Herbicide, COOP balan-

ed mineral feed, Ralgro implants, Texas sadderly, Anhydrous Ammonia, Dupont, COOP Fertilizer, and Ag Chemicals, Pay-Master seeds, Pioneer brand seed, ASGROW, Milo guard, BLOAT GUARD, AATREX Nine-O, and many other interesting displays. Jim Turner, local manager, urges you to attend this EXPO sale on Thursday, January 24.

The Equity will feature a "truck load mineral sale" during the expo sale. Special discounts if picked up during the day of the expo sale.

## **Ross Donahue is All-State Quarterback**

## Services held for Mary Brown

Mary Lois Brown, 64, died Tx.; Bette Jewell Bailey of Bald WHEAT MILO

Thursday, January 17, 1985 at St. Francis Hospital in Wichita, Kansas. Mary lived in Spearman for the last 14 years, moving to Greensburg, Kansas 41/2 months ago. She was born April 20, 1920 in Pratt, Kansas, and married G.I. (Dude) Brown, Jan. 4, 1942 at Trousdale, Kansas.

Mary was a member of the Order of Eastern Star of Spearman and of the United Methodist Church in Greeensburg.

She is survived by her husband, G.I. of the home; 1 son, James G. of Panhandle, Tx.; 3 daughters, Mary Ruth Taylor of Hereford,

## **Grace Kirk** Services

Funeral Services for Grace E. Kirk, 78, were held Wednesday, January 23, 1985 at 2 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Lane Boyd officiating. Burial was in the Holt Cemetery.

Mrs. Kirk was born December 31, 1906 in Frost, Texas. She married Herbert Kirk on June 7, 1931 in Lubbock. She moved to the Holt Community in 1957 from Lubbock.

Mrs. Kirk was a member of the First Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Nancy Ann Martin of Spearman; one son, Richard Kirk of Mission, Texas; a brother, Joseph Y. Boyd of Lubbock; a

granddaughter Kandy Gressett of Perryton; two grandsons, Kyle Kirk of Pasadena, Texas and Kevin Kirk of Cannon Air Force Bese in Clovis, N.M.

Knob, Ark.; Kathye Rene Archer of Spearman; mother, Birdie Porter of Kiowa, Colo.; sister Eulalia Jewell Bradley of Kiowa, Colo.; and 12 grandchildren.

Services were held Sunday, January 20, at 3:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Chruch of Greensburg with the Rev. Larry Harvey officiating. Burial was in the Haviland Cemetery, Haviland, Kansas.

The family asks that memorials be made to the American Heart Association through the Greensburg State Bank, Greensburg, Ks. 67054.

## **Charley Gatlin** services

Charley M. (Barney) Gatlin, Jr., 66, died Friday, January 18, 1985.

Services were held at 2 p.m. on Monday, January 21, at the First Baptist Church of Mobeetie with the Revs. Ralph Hovey and R.V. Grace, retired Methodist minister, officiating. Masonic graveside services were at the Fairview Cemetery in Pampa by the Mobeetie Masonic Lodge No. 972. Arrangements were by Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Gatlin was born in Gray County and was a lifelong resident there. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and Masonic Lodge No. 972. He married Leta Mae Herd in Pampa in 1937.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Ann Walser of Canadian, two sons, Charles R. of Mobeetie and Dan of Briscoe; two brothers, Floyd of Pampa and Carl of College Station; a sister, Carrie Russell of Spearman; and seven grandchildren.

Memorials may be to the First Baptist Church Building Fund or Mobeetie Masonic Lodge.

These exams will be conducted 4.25 free of charge and are for all ages. 2.95

## Services held for mother of Ruby Riley

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Services for Minnie Lee Robeson 91 was held Sunday, December 30, 1984 at 3 p.m. at the Church of Chirst of Rule, Texas. Burial was in Rule Cemetery.

Mrs. Robeson was born in Marysville, Texas Oct. 31, 1893. She married Edd Robeson on the banks of Miller Creek October 5. 1913.

She is survived by seven daughters. Mrs. Rosa True, Woodward, Okla. Kittie Howell, Rule,

## Willie Jones' brother buried

John R. Ainsworth, 69, died Saturday, January 19, 1985 at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo.

Graveside services were held at 2:00 P.M., Monday in Texline Cemetery with the Rev. Lynn King of Texline United Methodist Church officiating. Arrangements were by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Dalhart.

Mr. Ainsworth was born in Deckerville, Ark., on June 11, 1915. He moved to the Texline area in 1930 from Hayden, N.M. He worked as a mechanic in Clayton before serving as a mechanic with the U.S. Army in World War II. He married Sammie Grinder on Sept. 26, 1968, in Raton, N.M. He was employed for

As we go to press we learn that

Dumas carried by a vote of 518 for

and 112 against the PDWA. On

Water Authority.

#### P.D.W.A. Dam **Issue Passes**

and 143 against in Dumas. a proposition to join the Palo Duro

Sunray also voted for both propositions but the results of the election in Sunray were not available at press time.

Texas. Ruby Riley of Spearman. Juanita Jenkins of Abilene, Texas. Dollie Fulbright of Arlington, Texas. Bonnie McNath of Pitsburg, Texas. Helen Pierce of Old Glory, Texas. 2 brothers Rick Alexander of Rule, Texas. Jack Alexander of Pampa, Texas. One sister Willie Jennings of Rule, Texas. 20 grandchildren and 30 great grandchildren, and host of nieces, nephews and friends.

many years on the road maintainence crew in Dallam County and later did auto, truck, and small appliance repairs.

Survivors include his wife Sammie of the home; six daughters, Jean Williams of Henryetta, OK; Lynn Chevez of Lawton, OK; Ruby Taylor of Sonora, CA; Maudie Munyon of Apache Junction, AZ; Georgia Martin of San Diego, CA; Sandy Kirton of Modesto, CA; and two sons, Calvin Ainsworth of Modesto, CA: and Robert Ainsworth of New Orleans, LA; two sisters, Willie Lee Jones of Spearman, TX; and Ruth L. Zielke of Dalhart, TX; and 14 grandchildren.



#### **Ross Donahue**

Ross Donahue was selected as All-State, Class AA, 2nd team quarterback by the Texas Sports Writers Association.

This year Ross has also been named All District, Class 1-AA; Team Captain; Honorable Mention defensive end 1-AA. He has also been He had 1642 yards in passing; 29 the co-championship in District 1AA ed in the state championship game in Class AA. He was starting quarter-Sports Writer of Globe News stated Ross was "one of the best quarterbacks the Panhandle has produced for

many years".

Ross was All-District in 1983-84 Basketball in District 1-AAA and was voted MVP of the District last year. He will surely be selected on the All-District Basketball Team this year in 1-AA.

He also won district last year in tennis singles and in doubles with Mark Pearson and just missed going to State in tennis doubles, as they were eliminated from Region by the eventual State Champion

To finalize, Ross will surely have an opportunity to continue his athle in college in whichever sport he

Coach Larry Lanier stated "Ross is the first All-State Football player that I've coached in my six years as head coach!"

the taxation issue, 465 voted for

selected three times by Amarillo Globe News as Player of the Week. touchdowns, 19 which were passing and 10 rushing; 47% completion ratio, and he helped the team win with Panhandle, who eventually playback for three years. Lance Lahnert,

The cities of Dumas, Sunray and Stinnett overwhelmingly approved

**Fugitive of** the Week



PASADENA, Texas -- Edward Harold Bell has been running from the law for the past five years. Bell, now 45 years old, is wanted for Failure to Appear in Court on Charges of Murder and four counts of Indency with a Child.

This week, Bell has been selected as the first fugitive to be featured as Texas Most Wanted. A \$1,000 reward is being offered by the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council for information leading to Bell's capture.

A former diesel mechanic, constructin worker and pharmaceutical salesman, Bell was originally apprehended August 24, 1978. just a short time after he allegedly shot and killed Larry Dean Dickens, 26, of Pasadena.

Police reports indicated Dickens was at his mother's house and saw a man exposing himself to children in the neighborhood. Dickens, who was the father of a young daughter, went outside and grabbed the keys to the suspect's truck in an effort to detain him for police.

It was a brave act that cost him his life.

The suspect pulled out a pistol and began shooting at Dickens, who staggered into the garage of his mother's home and collapsed on the floor with his wounds. Witnesses say the offender then pulled a rifle out of his truck, walked into the garage and -ignoring pleas from Dicken's mother that his life be spared -shot the young man in the head at close range.

A short time later, police apprehended Edward Harold Bell.

Bell is described as a white male, 5'11", 220 pounds, with brown hair and hazel eyes. He forfeited a \$125,000 bond when he failed to appear in court on January 8, 1979, to stand trial.

Anyone with information about Bell's whereabouts is asked to call the Texas Crime Stoppers program. Callers do not have to reveal their identities.

Texas Most Wanted is a weekly cooperative effort between Crime Stoppers and the Department of Public Safety and is designed to enlist the support of citizens in determining the location of dangerous fugitives.

Cash rewards are also offered on a regular basis for information leading to the capture of other wanted felons.

## 3.4 million veterans will

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## share in dividend

The 3.4 million veterans who have kept their GI life insurance policies inforce will share in an annual dividend distribution that, for the year 1985, will total a record \$798.8 million.

Administrator of Veterans Affairs Harry N. Walters said the record high dividend was made possible because of lower death rates among policyholders and high interest earnings on the insurance funds' investment.

No application for the annual dividend is needed, Walters stressed. Each policyholder will receive the dividend in the month of the anniversary date of the individual policy. Payments will be made in the manner selected previously by the policyholder. Choices range from cash to the purchase of paid-up insurance.

Government life insurance has been issued through various periods starting January 1, 1919, through May 2, 1966, to veterans of World Wars I and II and the Korean Conflict. The only VA-administered program now open to new issues is Service Disabled Veterans Insurance. It is available, without dividends, to veterans with service on or after April 25. 1951, who have a service-connected disability.

Not affected by the dividend payout are Vietnam Era veterans and post-Vietnam Era veterans who fall under different life insurance programs. They are the Servicemen's Group Life Insurance, the Veterans Mortgage Life Insurance, and the Veterans Group Life Insurance. These are group programs that do not pay individual dividends.

The 61,751 holders of United States Government Life Insurance (USGLI

act of the

**Comfort and reassurance keys to** Hansford Hospital OB program

## with file numbers prefixed by K) will

receive an average dividend of \$248 out of a total distribution of \$15.3 million. These policies were issued mainly during World War I.

Some 2.8 million World War II veterans, who kept their National Service Life Insurance (NSLI prefixed with V) in force will receive an average \$142 dividend on Modified Life Plan policies, \$332 on other permanent plan policies and \$116 on term policies. The total dividend distribution on these policies is \$688.2 million.

The newer Veterans Special Life Insurance (VSLI, prefixed with RS and W) will pay out a total of \$65.8 million to 352,748 policyholders. The average payment to W term policyholders will be \$73, the RS term will receive \$113, and the W permanent plan \$217.

The Veterans Reopened Insurance (VRI) program will pay \$28.6 million to the 145,238 holders of J, JR and JS policies with J policyholders receiving about \$183, JR \$287, and JS \$469.

Dividends for individuals covered under each program will differ according to age, plan selected, and length of time the policy has been in

## **Cost-effective** tuition policy needed

With state appropriations to Texas public colleges and universities soaring, and tuition rates remaining constant, students in Texas and around the nation have enjoyed the benefits of a heavily subsidized education. A more realistic, costeffective tuition policy is needed to avoid drastic cuts in education services according to the Texas Research League.

A study by the Austin-based public policy research group reveals that tuition collected in 1983 covered less



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than 2% of the \$2.4 billion appropriated by the legislature for higher education support. Tuition and fees in Texas public universities are the lowest of any state in the nation in virtually every category.

The League also points out that the median income of families with a student in college was \$31,739 (1982 figures), well above the median income for all families. This suggests that a substantial part of the college population has sufficient financial resources to pay a larger share of the cost of their education.

However, with higher tuition rates, many students will require additional financial aid in order for them to pursue a college education. Thus a two-tiered approach to tuition rates -charging a higher rate to those with the ability to pay and using some of those increased revenues for additional loans or grants to those in need--is one of several solutions to the tuition delemma.

Other remedies include charging higher tuition for graduate than for undergraduate study, and higher

rates for students attending UT and TAMU, since those universities offer a richer variety of courses than other public universities.

Whatever solution is chosen to address the funding problem for Texas colleges and universities, an overall tuition policy related to cost is more desirable than a tax increase which would impact more heavily (

A Birthing Bed demonstration was given on January 16th at Hansford Hospital by Dick Bledsoe, representative of the Borning Company. This demonstration was for the purpose of viewing and demonstrating this unit to the people of Hansford County. Donations for the bed can be made at the First State Bank of Spearman, Account Number 17-025-9 or to Box 737, Spearman, Tex. For more information, call Carol Stavlo, R.N. at 659-2535, ext. 39 or Carol Fletcher, R.N. at 659-3761 [work] or 659-3172 [home].

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The birthing room provides a medically-safe environment for birth. In contrast to the standard system of transferring from a labor room to a delivery room and recovery room, the birthing room allows the family to remain together in one room throughout childbirth. This is an important part of family-centered care, which focuses not only on the mother's medical needs, but on the emotional and social well-

being of the entire family unit. Reducing stress helps the mother to cope with labor, and allows greater family participation in the birth.

The bed also helps the mother because she can change its shape to produce the most comfortable positions. Because the bed forms a birth chair, she can see her baby being born, and use the sitting position which makes birth easier. The baby and mother remain together in the bed during the bonding period, when the parents get acquainted with their new baby.

Birthing rooms have become very popular with parents who want safe, quality maternity care in a peaceful, caring environment. It is particularly appreciated by mothers who are at increased risk.

we are already concerned about possible complications. Recognizing the special benefit of the birthing room's reassuring environment to these mothers. The Borning Genesis, which has all the capabilities of a delivery table for anesthesia, forceps deliver and all obstetric procedures. Now even high-risk mothers are able to enjoy the supportive atmosphere of the birthing room, from which previously they were almost always excluded.

For more information about the new birthing alternatives of today call Carol Stavlo at 659-2535 or Carol Fletcher et 659-3761 (work) or 659-3172 (home).

## **First State Bank** Spearman, Texas



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> Hansford County Planned Parenthood 412 Davis 659-2483 Spearman Mon.-Fri. 8:30-12:30

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#### STEAM RINSE & VAC

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MINOR APPLIANCE WORK. Phone 659-5238. Randy Hollis 11-rtn

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I still need a job. I am willing to work for the minimum wage starting salary, and will be a good and dependable employee. Please call Rodney Strawn 659-2754. 12-rtn

#### LOST

LOST: Small black & white Schitzu dog with pink bows in hair. Call 659-5163. 119-2tc

FOR SALE: Full size box spring, mattress and frame. Call 659-2037 or come by 204 N. Hazelwood after 5 p.m.

#### 12-2tc

FOR SALE - Used carpet in good shape. 75 yards of brown and 55 yards of Beige-green; also new carpet pad. \$4.00 for green, \$5.00 for brown. Call 733-2021 9 to 5. 12-1tc

### **AUTOMOBILES**

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1981 Corvette-good condition-Red exterior and interior. Call 659-3821 or 659-2859. 11-6tc

FOR SALE: 1979 Sierra Grande GMC pickup with topper. 659-2301 or come by 715 Cotter Dr. Asking \$4,000.

12-2tc

Gov't surplus Cars & Trucks under \$100. Now available in your area. Call 1-619-569-0242 for details. 24 hrs.

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#### FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Large corner trailer space in nice park. Two car cement, off-street parking bay, 9 x 10 storage building. 6 ft. wood privacy fence. Near schools. Call 659-3519 and leave name and number. 11-RTN

FOR RENT: Trailer with washer & dryer. WANTED TO BUY: used carpeting. 9-2008. 11S-2tc

2 bedroom trailer for rent. Partially furnished. Phone 659-5067. 12-RTN

#### LIVESTOCK

Breaking and training horses. Jeff Chase 435-5239. 10s-18tc

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

The COWBOY SUB-CHAPTER of the F.C.A. meets the fourth Saturday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at the Home Demonstration Building, Spearman, Texas.

Guymon Elks Supper Club is open to the public. Our hours are Wednesday-Thursday 6-10 p.m. Friday-Saturday 6-10:30 p.m. We have a Prime Rib Special every Friday. 46s-rtn

COMING SOON: The Spearman Chamber of Commerce Banquet, February 23, 1985. Watch for details later.

WEIGHT WATCHERS meets each Monday at 6:00 p.m. at the Home Demonstration Building, Spearman, Texas.

Starting this Saturday, January 26th, the Cupboard will be open (on a trial basis) serving from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm.

#### **CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to express our deep appreciation to all who provided food, visited, sent cards and flowers during the recent loss of our mother and grandmother. We thank you so much for your love, concern and prayers. A special thank you to the Staff of Hansford Manor.

> Grandchildren of Hattie Mackie

bedroom,  $2 \stackrel{\text{s}^*}{\underset{\text{limplace.}}{\text{sume with}}}$ basement  $\stackrel{\text{R}^*}{\underset{\text{limplace.}}{\text{replace.}}}$  Two bath  $\stackrel{\text{r}^*}{\underset{\text{r}^*}{\text{r}^*}}$  and 2 large storage buildings.

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Three bedroom, large family room with a fireplace. The kitchen is very functional with a built-in oven, range, microwave, refrigerator and beautiful ash cabinets.

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> 19 S. Dressen--100 X 140 foot lot with Garage & Trailer House. This is also zoned for Commercial property. Priced to sell.

NICE STARTER HOME-22 Brandt-Two bedrooms, kitchen, dining room, living room, one bath. Seller will leave refrigerator, stove. It has a detached garage. This is a real buy. Call today for an appointment to see this house.

COUNTRY LOVERS-Lovely 3 bedroom home with a double detached garage. Large den with fireplace, central heat and air, storm windows and double doors at entry way. Two full baths with large walk in closets. Large kitchen with dishwasher, double oven, intercom system and cook top stove. This lovely home is about four miles south on highway 207. Approximately 11 acres and many trees of all kinds. Shown by appointment to qualified buyers only. This is a real buy.

610 S. HANEY-3 bedrooms and 11/2 baths. Central heat and air. It has been remodeled. It has thermo windows and is insulated well. Call us today for an appointment to see this beautiful home.

as outlet that can be used when the electricity goes off.

For your outdoor enjoyment, there is a 10' x 30' covered patio. The yard has an excellent start of buffalo grass that doesn't require much water or mowing. All drapes, curtains, and blinds remain.

Let us show you this beautiful home today. Shown by appointment only to qualified buyers.

1010 HANEY--Three bedroom home, single garage. This home has just been redecorated in the past year. New six foot fence and landscaping is excellent. Has a fireplace to enjoy on these snowy days that will be coming our way. Has central heat and air. Insulated well. Let us show you this home today. Shown by appointment only. Qualifies for bond money.

603 ROLAND-FIRST HOME FEVER? Here's the remedy! This 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen, dining room and living room is ready to move into. Double detached garage, all brick. It is affordable.

1112 S. BARKLEY-3 bedroom with 13/4 baths. Central heat and air. Has a six foot fence with large storage building. Call us for an appointment today.

1106 S. HANEY-3 bedroom, kitchen, living room. Has one bath, central heat and single car garage. It is a well kept home. Call today for an appoint. This home will qualify for bond money.

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NOTICE

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1985

# **Spearman High School releases honor roll**

The Spearman High School released this week, a list of students at Spearman High who qualified for the Honor Roll (90 or above in all subjects) and for the Honorable Mention (All grades average 90 or above)

NINTH GRADE - Honor Roll: Jenny Bynum, Kevin Nelson, Paige Pittman, Norman Scroggs and Wands Wagner.

Honorable Mention: Tina Breeden Sara Blackburn, Karen Cook, David McGuire, Kathy Poole, Charles Roper, Stacy Scalercio, Kari Schneider, Andi Speck, Vernon Tindell, Deana Turner and Lynette Williams.

TENTH GRADE - Honor Roll: Mark Allen, Margaret Espinosa, Mark Garnett, Kerri Holt, Ann Marie Jarvis, Kellie McWhirter, and Anne Sheets

Honorable Mention: Jan Allen, Diana Arjona, Stephanie Paxter, Nita Burger, Jesse Lozano, Rhonda Mathews, Jill McLain, Sandi McLeod, Alan Mires, Jana Pittman, Amy Runyan, Jennifer Yarbrough, Jennifer Sintas, Diane Sorgi, Stacie Swann and Kris York.

ELEVENTH GRADE - Honor Roll: Dana Irlbeck.

Honorable Mention: Carlee Dixon, Linda Evans, Mary Ann Evans, Andi Hager, Julie Jones, John Lieb, Ellen Martinez, Heather McRee, D'Lynn Orr, Thad Reid, Jason Rodgers, and Tim Willis.

TWELVTH GRADE - Honor Roll: Jeanette Pastiran, Rosa Pierce, and Teresa Tindell.

Honorable Mention: Andrea Archer, Cristie Black, Ross Donahue, Stephanie Friemel, Connie Gibson. Cole Ivey, Tiki Jackson, Loree Morris, JoAnne Odegaard, Travis Patterson, Tischa Pearcy, Mark Pearson, and David Sorgi.

Though corn did not spread throughout Europe until the 16th century, it had long been the prinicipal food crop of the Mayas, Aztecs, Incas and other Indian tribes. Corn pollen taken from drill cores 200 feet below Mexico City was about 60,000 years old.

SENIOR HONOR ROLL

**Teresa Tindell** 



Jeanette Pastiran



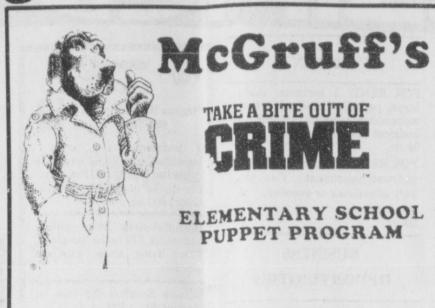
**Rosa Pierce** 

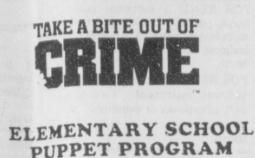
An avalanche, hurtling down a mountainside at speeds that can exceed 250 mph, pushes a wall of pressurized air before it. The air pressure has blown railroad cars off their tracks, while the vacuum in an avalanche's wake has pulled people out of their houses.

## **Cross Stitch Corner** is now open ★ Complete line of DMC Floss. ★ Large selection of evenweave fabric. ★ Books, Books, Books!!

\* Lots of finishing accessories.

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New research shows wet roads can cause trucks to hydroplane

COLLEGE STATION -Test track research at Texas A&M University has revealed that big truck tires can hydroplane on wet roads, creating potentially dangerous control problems

The discovery explodes a myth widely held by engineers for the past 20 years that truck tires do not hydroplane. When a tire hydroplanes, it rides up on a thin film of water, losing contact with the pavement, much like the action of a water skier

The results of the test done by the Texas Transportation Institute could have significant impact on reducing traffic accidents involving unloaded 18wheelers on wet roadways, said Dr. Don L. Ivey, TTI associate

#### director.

Ivey, a veteran transportation researcher, made the discovery after the idea was suggested to him by Walter B. Horne, a retired NASA engineer and scientist and foremost authority on pneumatic tire hydroplaning.

"Horne said he had written a paper predicting that truck tires in an extremely low load condition will hydroplane at highway speeds and explained why this should occur," Ivey said.

The Federal Reserve System, the central banking system of the U.S., was established Dec. 23, 1913, by Congress to give the nation an elastic currency and to improve supervision of banking, The World Almanac notes. Today the system's primary function is to foster a flow credit and money that will facilitate orderly economic growth, a stable dollar, and a long-run balance of international payments.

## **Drug Use and Abuse:** What Can We Do?

One possibility is teaching our elementary school children the art of saying "no".

Monday, January 28, at 7:30 P.M. in the Elementary/Jr. High Cafeteria, the Spearman PTA will present a videotape introducing McGruff's "Take A Bite Out Of Crime'' Elementary School Puppet Program. McGruff is the famous spokesdog featured in radio, television and newspaper ads nationwide.

The puppet program grew out a a serious desire to teach children (kindergarten through sixth grade) safety and crime prevention in the classroom. Some of the subjects McGruff discusses are:

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Texen's War on Drugs, Lions Club War on Drugs, local PTA's, law enforcement agencies, schools and many other concerned organizations are working to implement this program in elementary school throughout the nation.

P.T.A., MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 7:30 P.M. ELEMENTARY/JR. HIGH CAFETERIA PROGRAM: DRUG USE AND ABUSE: WHAT CAN WE DO? VIDEO OF MC GRUFF'S TAKE A BITE OUT OF CRIME PUPPETPROGRAM

'pin-up" girls, rather than today's familiar scenes of the nativity, Christmas trees, holly and mistletoe, The World Almanac notes

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#### TO CONDUCT WEATHER MODIFICATION IN THE STATE OF TEXAS **OPERATIONS**

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS
Date of the first of three weekly publications of this Notice: 1/17/85

Notice is hereby given that Irving P. Krick, Inc. of Texas, 748 Vella Road, Palm Springs, California 92264, has filed an application with the Texas Department of Water Resources for a State permit to conduct weather modification operations to change or attempt to change the natural development of clouds for the purpose, objective, period, and by the method summarized hereinbelow.
Irving P. Krick, Inc. of Texas has a valid Texas weather modification license that was issued in 1972 and renewed each subsequent year, most recently on October 9, 1984.
The purpose of the weather operation is to increase rainfall to affect and benefit rangeland and agricultural interests of the client. The period of the permit is for one year from about March 1, 1985, with options for continuation of the program during similar periods beginning March 1, of 1986, 1987 and 1988.

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The perimit is the program during similar periods beginning March 1, of 1986, 1987 and 1988.
The proposed weather modification operation is to be conducted for and on behalf of the Hitch Agri-Business, Inc., P.O. Box 1308, Guymon, Oklahoma 73942, for the Hitch Ranch area in Texas County, Oklahoma, 5. The proposed weather modification operation is to be carried out in oth an "operational area" and a "target area" to cause the intended effects to occur only in the target area. The operational area is that area described by the Texas counties of Oallam, Hansford, Moore, Ochiltree and Sherman, and the Oklahoma counties of Cimarron and Texas.
The area to be affected by the proposed weather modification operation is the target area. The target area is that area described as the portion of Texas County, Oklahoma to State Highway No. 3, then to a point of Texas County, Oklahoma to State Highway No. 3, then to a point of Texas County, Oklahoma to State Highway No. 3, then to a point of Texas County, Oklahoma to based Fight No. 3, then to a point of the asst along the State line to the origin.
The methods and materials to be used in conducting this operation area summarized herein: a licensed cloud-seeding meteorologist/technologist will use standard meteorological analyses, forecast techniques, observators, and plume dispersion models to initiate the release of the seeding particles, silver iodide crystals, from a network of ground-based generators at a time calculated to affect the formation of cumuliform clouds.
The Texas Water Commission shall, if requested by at least 25 performed the sequest for a hearing will be poly of the date of the first publication of this Notice. Requests for a hearing should be made in writing to the Office of General Counsel, Texas Department of Water Resources, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Telephone (512) 475-7836.
Requests for further information about the proposed weather modification operation should be made

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## **Spearman Members Attend Tri City Porcelain Art Club Meeting**

Four members of the Tri-City Porcelain Art Club from Spearman met at La Dee's Collectibles in Borger Saturday, January 19 for their regular monthly meeting.

After the business meeting, the members enjoyed a short demonstration on painting bisque eggs given by Mrs. Roy McDowell of Fritch. Many lovely, handpainted eggs were on display. Methods of placing patterns on eggs were demonstrated and the use of enamel on bisque was discussed. Mrs. Veta Allaway of Gruver

displayed a beautiful plate showing the result of using lacquer over gold on hand painted china, and discussed methods used in achieving the finished piece.

Following these discussions members enjoyed a luncheon served by hostesses Mrs. Waymon Edwards and Mrs. J.W. Pipkin of Spearman.

Present were: Mrs. Jerry Blankenship and Mrs. E.T. Waller of Stinnett, Mrs. Clara McDowell and Mrs. Jacob Flick of Fritch. Mrs. Veta Allaway of Gruver. Mrs. Harlan Getman of Borger, Mrs. Willard Davis and Mrs. Joe Trayler and the hostesses of Spearman.

# Farm Bureau Leadership Conference Jan. 27-29

AUSTIN -- More than 700 state and county Farm Bureau leaders will meet here Jan. 27-29 for the annual Texas Farm Bureau Leadership Conference.

Registration will begin Sunday, Jan. 27, at the Hilton.

Gov. Mark White is scheduled to give an address to the legislative dinner, J an. 29, at the Hilton. State officials and legislators are invited for the event. S.M. True, TFB president, will outline the farm organization's legislative objectives at that session.

Rep. Stan Schlueter of Killeen, chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, will speak at the Tuesday luncheon. Monday dinner speaker will be Vaughn Gray, Austin, executive vice president, Southwest Food Industry Association.

True will open the meeting Monday at 10:30 a.m. with a talk on 1985 goals of the organization. Warren Newberry, TFB executive director, will outline the purpose of the conference at that session.

Farm Bureau leaders invited to attend the conference include county Farm Bureau presidents, the chairmen of the commodity, state affairs, membership and young farmer and rancher committees, along with the 16-member TFB Water Study Committee and the newly-formed TFB Farm Labor Committee which will hold its initial meeting.

The young farmer and rancher committees will be briefed on the responsibilities for motivating young farmers and ranchers involment in legislative activities.

The 13 commodity divisions will meet the afternoon of Jan. 28 and morning of Jan. 29 to discuss issues relative to their particular commodity.

### SPEARMAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR award NOMINATION BLANK : 1. Name Address

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- Citizen of the Spearman School District.
- Above all must be of outstanding character, dependability and reliability.
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  - A. Contribution to community welfare
  - B. Participation in community affairs
  - C. Evidence of lasting contribution
  - D. Exhibition of leadership ability
  - E. Evidence of personal and business progress

Nominations must be submitted by letter or form only- No petition or phone calls will be accepted. Use the form from the newspaper or stop by the Chamber of Commerce 211 Main, and pick oreup.

Please return your entry to the Chamber of Commerce office by February 1, 1985. The decision of the judges will be final. The award will be presented at the Annual Banquet, Saturday. February 23, 1985



TO CELEBRATE 47TH ANNIVERSARY - Norman and Nadine Crum will celebrate their 47th wedding anniversary with a reception on Sunday, January 27, 1985 in the fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church from 3 until 5 p.m. The event is hosted by the couple's children and grandchildren, Gene and Karen Burkhart, Gena and Kenra, and Phil and Bryna Harris, Jeb and Jera. Nadine Bryan was married to Norman Crum on January 29, 1938 in the First Methodist Church in Perryton. Mr. Crum is a retired farmer and rancher, and Mrs. Crum was a school teacher for 25 years, and is a real estate broker. Friends are invited to attend the special occasion, and the couple requests that friendship be your only gift.



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As charged by the TFB Board, the water committee will present a preliminary report of its water study during the Monday luncheon. TFB State Director John Baker of Temple is the committee chairman.

County leaders from 13 state commodity divisions will participate in the conference. Those divisions include beef cattle, cotton, dairy, feed grains, peanuts, pecans, rice, sheep & goats, soybeans, wheat, poultry, forestry and hay and forage.

The 14th commodity division, citrus, will not meet at this time. There are 202 county Farm Bureaus in Texas which have at least one commodity represented in a state division.

The state and county Farm Bureau leaders will tour the State Capitol on Tuesday, Jan. 29, and visit with their respective legislators.

The county FB presidents will meet during the conference to review the legal and corporate structure of the county and state Farm Bureaus. Part of the session will involve training of presidents as spokesmen and leaders of their respective counties.

The legislative (state affairs) committee will be briefed on the TFB's program for participating in the 69th session of the Texas Legislature. TFB's state legislative priorities for 1985 include water, property and sales taxes, farm labor, education, agricultural appropriations and highways.

TFB's national congressional goals involve a new farm program, reducing the federal deficit, tax reform, immigration reform, trade expansion and consolidation of farm credit boards.

The membership committees will meet during the conference to plan for maintaining and recruiting members.

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## Lynx Grab 2nd Place in District Race

The Varsity Lynx played the Stinnett Rattlers the final game of the evening.

The Lynx took an early lead in the game and continued to increase the lead each quarter.

Scores by quarters was: (1st) Spearman 16 - Stinnett 7; (2nd) Spearman 37 - Stinnett 17; (3rd) Spearman 62 - Stinnett 31; (Final) Spearman 77 - Stinnett 41.

Individual scoring (F.G., F.T., F., T.P.): Damon Goodheart (6-6-2-18); Ross Donahue (8-1-1-17); Steve Burke (3-4-4-10); Mark Pearson (4-2-2-10); Thad Reid (8-0-2-6); Mack McLain (3-0-2-6); Bob Cook (2-0-1-4); Tim Willis (0-2-3-2); Jeff Graves (1-0-2-2); and Jerry Garcia (0-2-1-2).

## New Arrival

We are proud to announce the birth of Nathan Stewart Rook, born December 21, 1984. He weighed 8 lbs. and 7 ozs.

The proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Rook. Paternal Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Rook of Spearman and Maternal Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Barnes, also of Spearman. Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Cantrell of Woodward, Ok., and Mr. Lawson Breeden of Spearman.

#### HOUSTON, Jan. 3, 1985-

Go Texas Days were kicked off tonight when the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo announced its 16-star rodeo entertainment line-up for the 1985 Show, which runs February 20 through March

"We're especially excited about this years star entertainment because of two Houston rodeo firsts," said show president Dr. Joseph T. Ainsworth. "Continental Airlines, a long-time show supporter, will be our first corporate sponsor when they join with us in presenting the Oak Ridge Boys at both matinee and evening performances Sunday, March 3.'

Ainsworth said that in addition to sponsoring the Oak Ridge Boys live performance, Continental Airlines will also be a major sponsor of the Show's television special.

"This substantial contribution greatly enhances our charitable programs that benefit young people," said Ainsworth.

The Houston Livestock Show presently has 885 students in school on show sponsored scholarships with a commitment of more than \$1.8 million.

Ainsworth also announced the Show's first full-length, two-hour concert following uninterrupted

#### rodeo action. Superstar Willie Nelson will perform Monday night, February 25, after the rodeo is over. That night's regular priced rodeo ticket allows admission to both events.

In addition to Willie Nelson and the Oak Ridge Boys, other star entertainers will be Billy Ocean. Wednesday, Feb. 20; the Judds,

Thursday, Feb.21; George Strait. Friday, Feb. 22; Ronnie Milsap, Saturday, Feb. 23, matinee performance only; Charley Pride. Saturday, Feb. 23, evening performance only; Exile, Sunday, Feb. 24, matinee performance HUICHI

**Houston Rodeo Entertainment Lineup** only; Janie Fricke, Sunday, Feb. 24. evening performance only; Ricky Skaggs, Tuesday, Feb. 26; Jose Luis Rodriquez, "El Puma", Wednesday, Feb. 27; Conway Twitty, Thursday, Feb. 28; David Frizzell and Shelly West, Friday, March l; Lee Greenwood, Saturday, March 2, matinee performance only; and, Larry Gatlin and the Gatlin Brothers Band, Saturday, March 2, evening performance only.

Seven of these stars will also appear in the 1985 Houston Livestock Show and rodeo television special to air in the spring and summer. The Oak Ridge Bovs will

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host the show, which will feature George Strait, Larry Gatlin and the Gatlin Brothers Band, Charley Pride, Lee Greenwood, Conway Twitty and Janie Fricke.

City council member Eleanor Tinsley also presented the mayor's proclamation of Go Texas Days. Go Texas Weekend activities begin Feb. 16 with the big rodeo parade in downtown Houston.

Rodeo performances begin Feb. 20 in the Astrodome. All evening performances are at 7:45 p.m., with Saturday matinees at 11 a.m. and Sunday matinees at 1 p.m. Ticket prices are \$4.00 and \$8.50 and are on sale at all Ticketmaster and Tiketron locations and the Astrodome. All activities conclude March 3.

You are cordially invited to a Bridal Shower in honor of Alicia Ochoa Bride-elect of Paul Lopez, Jr.

Sunday, January 27 1:30 P.M. to 3:30 P.M. B & B Hospitality Room

**Gift Selections at** Gift Box & Sacks Third Ave. Hostesses Esmeralda Renteria Nancy Garcia Estela Guzman Amadita Vargas Zetha Blackburn Maria Pacheco Wanda Reed Estella Arjona Estella Rodriguez Alta Fisher Bertha Salinas Francis Ortega Beck Crooks Linda Bolin Lydia Rodriguez 16-1tp

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## LEGAL NOTICE

Texas-New Mexico Power Company has filed a Notice of Intent for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for a Proposed Generating Station/Unit (Coal-Fired). The Certificate will be requested in either Lubbock or Robertson County, Texas. The estimated cost of the project is between \$1.6 billion and \$2.2 billion, dependent on location, fuel type, and unit size.

Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought, should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, at 7800 Sheal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512)459-0223, or (512)458-0227, or (512)458-0221 for teletypewriter for the deaf within 15 days of this notice

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## JVLynxettes Shake Rattlers and Roll

The J.V. Lynxettes took an early lead against Stinnett Friday. Score at the end of the first quarter was Spearman 16 - Stinnett 6. By half time, the Lynxettes had extended their lead to 28 to 12. The Lynxettes held Stinnett to only two points during the third quarter, while adding 25 points to their own score to lead 43 to 14. Final score of the game was Spearman 49 - Stinnett 23.

Individual scoring (F.G., F.T., F., T.P.): Mary Lou Baker (6-2-3-14); Donda Pool (4-1-2-9); Jennifer Yarbrough (2-8-4-7); Shari Vernon (2-1-5-5); Tammy Nollner (1-2-5-4); Cindy Womble (2-0-0-4); Amy Runyan (2-0-3-4); Lynnette Dial (0-2-1-2); and Crista Urban (0-0-1-0).

## **A** Centerpiece

We think someone North of here must have opened the gate and let all this mass of cold air plunge down upon us. The temperature kept dropping all day Saturday, Saturday night, and also on Sunday it was miserable with tempertures hovering near the zero mark. However, we were the fortunate ones for it was much worse in many places.

The volunteer ladies are getting blocks started for the Sesquicentennial quilt. This will be a very unique quilt as it will represent scenes from early Hansford County and the Golden Spread. Anyone who might be interested and have a creative mind we would appreciate your cooperation.

The craft day is always on Thursday with a covered dish dinner at the noon hour. Last week we were designing and making pot holders with help from Dorothy Longley. A good number of persons turned out and we accomplished a great deal. These will be used as a project for our Spring Bazaar.

On Tuesday evening, we at the center, will be having games, Dominoes, etc. We hope you remember to come. Bring snacks, desserts, sandwiches, or anything you can too. Hope to see you the 22nd.

Let us not forget the "Health Fair" to be held Friday, January 25, from 9:00 am until 4:00 pm at the Golden Spread Center, 14 S. Haney. This is a "Free Clinic" for all ages. Doug Steger, Spearman Optometrist, will conduct eye

## **Bake Sale**

There will be a Bake Sale Saturday, January 26th at the Ideal Food Store, Thriftway Grooery, and at Gordon's Drug. The Bake Sale will start at 9:00 a.m. and the proceeds will go toward the purchase of a birthing bed for Hansford Hospital.

### Sesquicentennial

**Committee to meet** 

The Hansford Sesquicentennial Committee will meet Friday, Jan. 25 for a noon luncheon at the El Vaquero in Gruver. Plans will be discussed and committees ap-

pointed for the various activities planned to celebrate 1986.

#### Panhandle Choir to begin rehearsals

The Panhandle Chorale, under the direction of John G. Slawson, will begin rehearsals for their spring production, "The Creation" by Franz Joseph Haydn, on Thursday, January 24 at 7:30 p.m. in room 205. Hughes-Strong Hall, on the campus of Panhandle State University, Goodwell, Oklahoma. Rehearsals are scheduled each Thursday evening throughout the semester and will

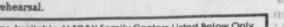
culminate with a performance of the

work in late April. Anyone interested in singing in the Panhandle Chorale should either come to the first rehearsal or contact the conductor, John Slawson, at PSU, (405) 349-2611 EXT. 260, for more information. There are no auditions for membership in the chorus. Vocal scores for "The Creation" will be provided at the first rehearsal.

To God "A note of thanks"

The burdens of life may be many. The frowns of the world may be cold, but God's love. mercy and grace, with that love Christ had in giving His life blood to cover the sins we have committed and cleansing the sin nature with which we were born makes us a new creature in Christ jesus Such marvelous grace.

Mrs. E.A. Greever (Elma Alicia)





examinations for Glaucoma. Jerry Lile, professional hearing aid representative, will be here. Please call 659-3866 for appointments between the hours of 10 am to 4 pm. Visual Dental examinations will be conducted by Spearman Dentist, Dr. Stanton Cobb.

We will also have State Health Nurse, Joan McClellan and Panhandle Home Care Nurse, Vera Domingez, for blood sugars and blood pressures. Jimmy Bryan, Respiratory Therapist from Amarillo will do the respiratory tests. Do come in, this will be a fine time to have all these checks done at once. OK? OK!

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### Servitors will host Volleyball Tournament

Servitors club will host a Volleybal Tournament March 28-30. Divisions will include Men's Power Ball, Women's Power Ball and Recreational Volleyball. Interested players should get their teams together soon and be ready to enter the tournament.

Servitors held their monthly meeting January 17 in the home of Peggy Winegamer. Twenty-four members toured the Station Master House Museum. In the business meeting, a donation was made to the museum. Plans were begun for the volleyball tournament.

The next meeting of Servitors will be February 21 in the home of Terry Womble with Brenda Shieldknight and Margy Schoenhals as hostesses.

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## Sand Drags Feb. 23& 24

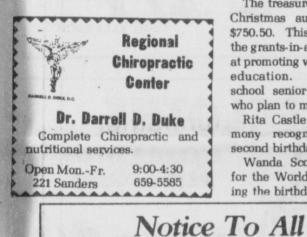
The 12th Annual 4 Wheel Drive SAND-DRAGS will be on February 23rd and 24th by the Canadian River Bridge, 20 miles North of Amarillo, TX., sponsored by Te-Jang 4 Wheelers, Amarillo Auto Supply & Off Road, Inc., Amarillo Quality Inn Central, and Southland Battery. A special thanks goes to B.A. Graff Trucking Co. There will be an Obstacle Course and Fun Races. It is a non-profit event but there will be a \$2.00 per car donation for admission to cover costs. For more information call: Buddy Witherspoon at 659-5283.

### **History book may** be republished

Volume I of Hansford County History, published under the auspices of the Hansford County Historical Commission in 1979-80, is being considered for reprint in a small number, if there is enough response. Cost per book will be \$60.00, and must be ordered and paid in advance by Feb. 15, 1985, no later. Date of delivery will be about 60 days following that deadline, probably in May.

Those reading this who may know of anyone interested in Hansford County History are urged to relay the message of the reprint of Volume I Hansford History.

Books may be ordered by sending checks/money orders to: Hansford County Historical Commission 30 S. Townsend, Spearman, TX 79081. (If there is not enough response, money will be returned to those ordering.)



## New Arrival

Tim and Tamera Shedd of Canyon, Texas, announce the arrival of a daughter, Sheila Dawn, born December 30, 1984, at 1:55 p.m. She weighed 6 lbs., 33/4 oz. and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Shedd of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Scroggs of Spearman. Maternal Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O.A. Scroggs and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bohanan, all of Spearman.

## Gerald Ford to speak at WT

WTSU--Gerald R. Ford, the thirtyeighth President of the United States, has agreed to speak for the inauguration of Dr. Ed Roach as seventh president of West Texas State University on February 9.

President Ford visited the campus of West Texas State in April of 1976. His return at this time will highlight an already impressive investiture ceremony scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m. in Amarillo's Civic Center Auditorium on Saturday, February 9.

"Enthusiasm on campus is running high since the announcement of President Ford's selection," said Lila Vars, director of development and internal chair of the

inauguration committee. presence of a speaker of such national prominence throws a spotlight on West Texas State University at a most opportune time, when we're celebrating both a proud heritage of 75 years and a new beginning under the leadership of Dr. Roach."

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T. Boone Pickens, chairman of the WTSU Board of Regents, said, "I'm very pleased that President Ford is coming to West Texas State. President Ford and I have visited together in the past, and I know he shares the concerns we have for WTSU and for the future of higher education in our nation."

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## Delta Kappa Gamma Meets

The Eta Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society held its January meeting at the First National Bank of Perryton on Saturday. January 19.

Donita Fiskin presented a devotional expressing the idea of children being the poetry of life.

The treasurer reported that the Christmas auction brought in \$750.50. This money is used for the grants-in-aid program directed at promoting women in the field of education. Graduating high school senior girls are selected who plan to major in education. Rita Castle led a lovely ceremony recognizing the twentysecond birthday of Eta Alpha. Wanda Scott collected money

for the World Fellowship according the birthdays of members.

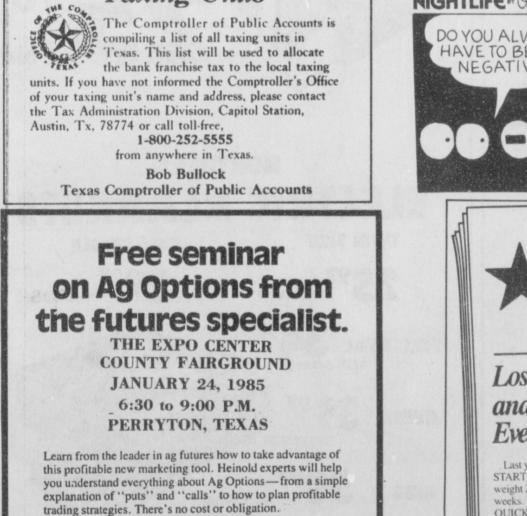
Nadine Crum presented the program concerning foreign languages in the school curriculum. Rita Castle, Ester Santos and Margaret Langford served on a panel to discuss the programs and fecilities available in the schools and communities. Hostesses for the day were Flora Champion, Huberta Stubblefield, Karen Bennett, and Leona Bechtold of Perryton. Others attending from Perryton were Myrna Bell, Darlene Day, Ruth Hannon, Jeanelle Street, Ruby Unruh, Minta Wilson, Juanita Brownlee and Violet Igou.

Attending from Spearman were Minnie Weaver, Dorthy Roden and Wilma Clark. Also attending were Charmaine Robertson, Vesta Newman, Ruth Schoenhals and Fern Webster of Darrouzett: Aleeyne Kirksey and Irene Hollister of Booker and Barbara Burrus of Lipscomb.

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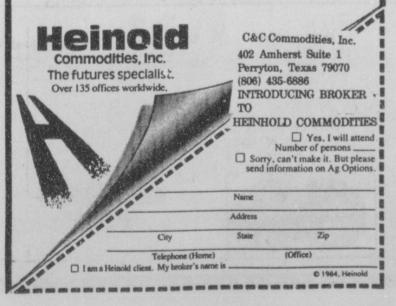


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## Lynx team hosts Rattlers

The Spearman Junior Varsity and Varsity teams were hosts to Stinnett Friday, Jan. 18.

The Junior Varsity Lynx lost their game to the Stinnett Rattlers with a score of 30-39.

Scores by quarters was: (1st Quarter) Spearman 7 - Stinnett 8; (2nd) Spearman 15 - Stinnett 19; (3rd) Spearman 22 - Stinnett 26; (Final) Spearman 30 - Stinnett 39.

PIG

ROAST

Jeff Hill of Hedley has been

honored during the 57th Annual

Pig Roast as a scholarship recipi-

the \$100 T.L. Leach and L.M.

Hargrave Scholarship.

Individual scoring (Field Goals, Free Throws, Fouls, Total Points): Trevor Pool (6-1-2-13); Dean Greene (2-3-1-7); Monte Morris (2-2-3-6); Dusty Hill (2-0-3-4); Michael Lopez (0-0-3-0); Mark Garnett (0-0-1-0); Chris York (0-0-0-0); Monte Beck (0-0-0-0); Jeff Vanlandingham (0-0-0-0); Mike Pearson (0-0-0-0); and Terry Phillips (0-0-0-0).

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Services held for Christi & Patrick Maginnis

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Funeral services for Christi Maginnis, 25, and son, Patrick Maginnis, 4, were held Tuesday, January 22 at 12:30 p.m. at the Wildewood Chapel in Dallas, TX. Burial was at Restland Memorial Park and arrangements were made by Restland of Dallas.

Christi, who was born January 21, 1959, and Patrick, who was born February 3, 1980, were killed

as a result of injuries sustained in an auto accident on January 19. Christi died on January 19 at the scene and Patrick passed away on January 20 in a Dallas hospital.

Christi is survived by her husband, David Lee Maginnis of the home; parents Karen and Walter Hunt, and Jack and Pat Milam; one sister, Valerie Oden; grandparents Herbert and Lois Miller of Spearman, and Clyde and Pauline Pearce; and one great grandmother, Alta King.

Patrick is survived by his father, David Lee Maginnis; grandparents, Nick and Beverly Wolff, Jack and Pat Milan, Karen and Walter Hunt; great grandparents, Herb and Lois Miller of Spearman, Clyde and Pauline Pearce, and Catherine Maginnis; and great, great grandmother Alta King.

## **FFA** Selling Sausage

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The F.F.A. is presently selling sausage. This is whole hog sausage and can be purchased in 3 lb. boxes of patties or 21/1b. boxes of links. The price for patties and links is \$7.00 per box. They will be selling the sausage through February.

Contact any F.F.A. member or F.F.A. advisors, Gary York or David Scott.

# Stinnett voters okay plan to join Palo Duroauthority

#### By David Johnson NEWS-HERALD CITY EDITOR

In what was considered a "great" turnout, Stinnett voters Saturday overwhelmingly approved a prop-osition to join the Palo Duro Water Authority.

The 340 citizens who voted also set the minimum and maximum tax the Authority can levy at 1 cent and 6 cents, respectively.

The proposition to make Stinnett a member of the Authority passed by a vote of 326 to 22.

Voters cast 298 ballots in favor of setting the tax limits and 32 against the proposition.

Immediately after the polls closed at 7 p.m., Stinnett Mayor Ron Griffin said, "I'm extremely pleased and I think it will ensure that we will have water for generations to come. I really figured it would pass, but I didn't know it would be by that much of a margin.

Both propositions had to pass in order for Stinnett to become a member of the Authority.

The Authority's victory came to no surprise to other city officials in Stinnett, who said last week the lack of controversy in this issue indicated most people were in favor of the idea.

Ten of Stinnett's 1,500 registered voters cast absentee ballots prior to the election.

thority means the city will have permanent rights to buy a portion of the water supplied by a lake the Authority plans to build 9½ miles north of Spearman.

Spearman and Gruver are already members of the Authority. Sunray, Cactus, Dumas and Per-

ryton have yet to vote on joining. These towns were offered the first chance to become members because they will be the closest towns to the lake

If any of these towns turn down their chance to join, the Authority will make the offer to other cities, such as Canyon, Lubbock or Stratford, which already have asked for water from the proposed lake.

Prior to the election, city officials in Stinnett strongly urged citizens to pay for constructing a dam, water vote in favor of joining the Authority. They said the two wells that supply Stinnett water from the Ogallala Aquifer will run dry in 10 to 15 years because the level of water h: the aquifer is dropping. They told voters Saturday's elec-

tion would be their only chance to find another source of water for Stinnett.

During a town meeting held Tuesday to discuss the issue, Stinnett City Councilman Buck Formby said, "I don't think we can afford to turn it down. This is a once in a lifetime chance.'

City Manager Bruce Titus sum- as 6 cents. He said the Authority's med up the feelings of the mayor taxing limits are established by the

Stinnett's membership in the Au- and councilmen when he said, "We think in the next 10 or 15 years we're going to be desperate for water or we're going to run out of water. This (election) is the only chance you'll ever have to get a new water sup-

> None of the citizens of Stinnett voiced public opposition to the Authority's plans. Several did, however, raise questions about the amount of taxes they would have to pay as a result of being a member of the Authority and how much their water bills would rise when the lake began supplying water. Authority General Manager

Johnnie Lee told them a tax of 1 cent or 11/5 cents per \$100 in assessed roperty valuation would be needed to pay off bonds that will be sold to purification facility and distribution system.

A tax of 11/2 cents would mean property owners would be taxed an extra \$1.50 each year if their property was assessed at \$10,000.

But Lee had to explain that when voters cast ballots Saturday, they would be voting not only on whether or not they wanted to join the Authority, but they would be asked to set the minimum and maximum taxes that can be levied by the Authority at 1 cent and 6 cents, respectively.

Lee assured citizens the Authority's tax would not be as high

State of Texas and the state re quires the limits to appeare on ballots and be voted upon. He also said all members of the Authority would be taxed at the same rate.

City officials told citizens Tuesday night that water bills would someday rise in Stinnett if the city began receiving water from the lake, but they did not know how much the rates would rise.

Final construction plans will be made when the Authority knows who all of its members will be. Then, cities are expected to know more about future water rates.

Lee said Tuesday that if Stinnett approved the two propositions in Saturday's election, another election would be held in Stinnett in approximately six months so voters could approve the sale of bonds to fund contruction at the lake.

If any member cities do not approve the bond election, they will not be allowed to receive water from the lake and will be asked to withdraw their memberships to the Authority, Lee said. If that happens, other towns will be offered a chance to join.

Lee has maintained Stinnett would not have to build new storage tanks or purifications system to accomodate their new water source, because all water distributed from the lake will be treated at a plant near the reservoir and enter Stinnett's existing storage tanks ready to drink

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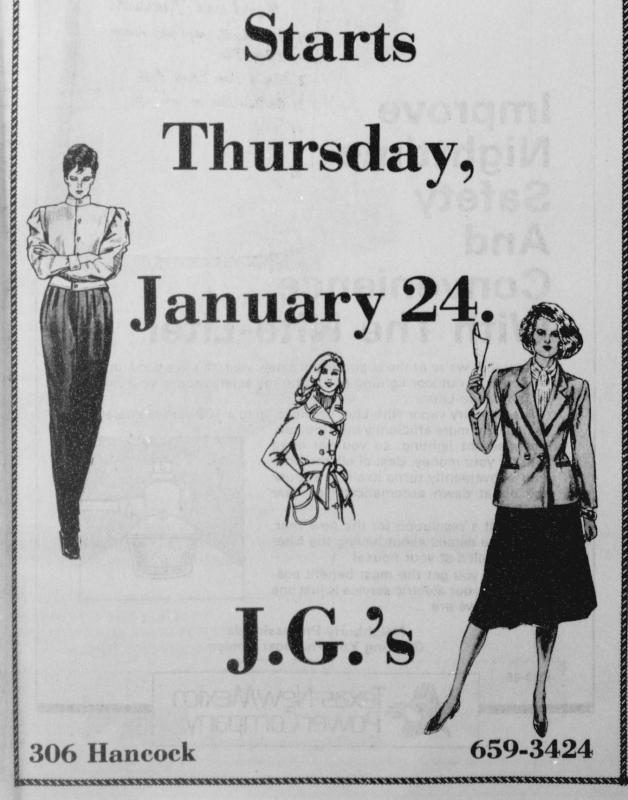
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1985

## Varsity Lynxetts Win Conference Game

The Varsity Lynxettes played Stinnett a very exciting game Friday. The Lynxettes were behind one point at the end of the first quarter with a score of 13-12, but led three points at half time with a score of 25-22. At the end of the third quarter, Spearman led 34 to 30. The fourth quarter was very exciting, with each team either leading or tying the score. The Lynxettes took the lead and held it in the last few seconds of the game, winning 47 to 45.

Martin and Maria and Maria

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Individual scoring (F.G., F.T., F., T.P.): Jill McLain (6-3-2-15); Cayla Eaton (2-6-1-10); Carrie Guthrie (3-3-3-9); Shannon Jenkins (3-3-3-9); Tiki Jackson (0-2-4-2); Julie Jones (1-0-0-2); Michelle Savage (0-0-0-0); and Ceria Vela (0-0-0-0).

## **Mock Joins** Sunrise

Marc Mock, joins the Sunrise Oilfield Supply Company Sales Force as Field Salesman for the Hays, Kansas Store. Mock, comes to Sunrise with an impressive fifteen year background in the oilfield supply industry. Originally a northwest Kansas resident, Mock moves back to the area from Oklahoma City. "Mock is pleased to be back in the Hays area and will strenghten our Northwest Kansas sales team", states Dick Delano, Sunrise President. "His experience in the oilpatch is well founded and we're proud to have him with us"

The Wichita based oilfield supply business started operations in 1980 and presently serves the oilfield from their store locations in Booker, TX; Garden City, Great Bend, Hays, Medicine Lodge, Ness City, Pratt and Sitka, KS; and Guymon, OK. Sales offices are located in Amarillo, TX; Denver, CO; and Oklahoma City, OK. Headquarters are at 104 S. Broadway, Suite 1400, Wichita, KS 67202. The toll free number is 1-800-362-1187



Pictured above is [L to R] Roy Bulls, Linda Jennings, and Larry Trosper. Ms. Jennings is with Kidder Peabody and gave the

#### **TSTI** interior design classes

The Interior Design Technology program at Texas State Technical Institute-Amarillo will begin offering afternoon classes in addition to the currently offered morning classes for both part- and full-time students.

The afternoon classes, held from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. each weekday, will be offered for the first time during TSTI's Spring Quarter.

program on investments at Monday's Rotary meeting. Also present at the meeting

were Carol Stavlo and Carol

Early registration for Interior Design Technology and 21 other technical/vocational programs at TSTI will be held on January 21-25, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the campus Resource Center. Regular registration for Spring Quarter classes will be February 27, from 8:30 to 7:30 p.m., also in the TSTI-Amarillo Resource Center.

Fletcher, two R.N.'s from Hansford Hospital, who discussed the need for a birthing bed at the hospital.

**Spearman Music** 

**Boosters to sponsor** 

**Chili Supper** 

Spearman Music Boosters are sponsoring a Chili Supper, Feb. 1. This will be held during the Spearman/Sanford-Fritch basketball game. Starting at 5:00 pm in the Jr. High Cafeteria. There will be Chili & Beans, as well as cornbread. Charges are:

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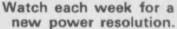
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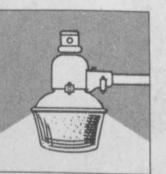
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### Wawaka Talk By Mary-Ann Hooper

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Barbara Fight received her Stu-

dent Cap Friday night at Frank

Phillips College. She ia a voca-

tional nursing student and will

graduate in August. Congratula-

tions to Barbara. Barbara is the

daughter of Gordon and Mary Ann

**Birthday's Celebrated** 

became a Senior citizen. She

reached 90 years of age. Several

events were planned to help

celebrate with her in her achieve-

ment. First, on Sunday morning

during the regular services the

Women's Fellowship surprised

Second, Monday morning the

Home demonstration club met at

Alvin Buschman's. Bev Burger

made cake and they had a card

shower for Miss Maude. Third,

Monday night, a family celebra-

tion was held in the home of

Maude's nephew and his wife in

Farnsworth. The dinner was held

in the home of Cecil and Margaret

Mary Leicht. Present were: S.G.

and Ruth Hoover, Bertha Leicht,

David and Billie Burger, Fave

Jean and Eldon Gurley, Richard

and Beverly Burger along with

Jenny, Cindy, and Susan, Mr. and

Mrs. Milo Horner and Maude.

Maude pretended to be surprised

but Bertha told me this morning

that she think's Maude caught on

earlier.

Maude with a card shower.

On Monday Maude Stump

Kirby of Waka.

get any cooperation from the dr.

It seems that my youthful critics found my last column less than expected. Perhaps even Issac Newton had only one brilliant idea and that may have bounced off his head accidentally. Perhaps Johnny Appleseed only planted apple trees accidentally. He might have had strawberry jam and when he ate an apple kept getting the seeds on his fingers. In trying to shake them off, threw appleseeds around. After all folks, a man who is pictured wearing a pan for a hat can't be all that bright. So, maybe I'll only be brilliant once. Maybe I'll never be brilliant, but if I get even one young person to read, I will have redeemed myself.

#### School News

Ball Scores for the Plemons Tournament went as follows: Thursday, Jan. 17,'85: Girls-Phillips 26, Waka 19. Those students scoring for Waka were--Ruby Ochoa 6 pts.; Jenny Burger 5 pts.; Jamie Collinsworth 4 pts.; Chris Adams 2 pts.; and Cindy Salinas 1 pt.

Boys-Phillips 22, Waka 33: Boys scoring for Waka were--Cory Ramsey 4 pts.; Scotty Thornton 10 pts.; and Jerold Blan 19 pts. Friday, Jan. 18,'85--Game went as follows--Boys-Pringle Morse 33, Waka 22. Students scoring for Waka were-Jerold Blan 10 pts.; Cory Ramsey 9 pts.; and Ruby Ochoa 3 pts.

Saturday games went: Girls played for consolation--Plemons 19, Waka 4. Ruby Ochoa scored 4 pts. Boys played for 3rd place--Waka 34, Spring Creek 12. Students scoring for Waka were: Jerold 19 pts.; Cory 9 pts.; Scotty 4 pts.; and Ruby 2 pts.

In case you hadn't noticed, our teams were mixed players in some instances. This was due in part to our great teaching methods. I'm really proud of our teachers. They have gone back to the basics and if a child didn't work up to their potential, they didn't make the grades. The teachers seemed to care more about the students than they did the extra hour they would have had after school if everyone had passed "every" course. In Waka, if a child doesn't pass "every" class he/she doesn't get to participate in other things. This the students incentive to work harder. However, sometimes they have to be reminded. You can bet that the next six weeks those grades are much improved. I, for one, appreciate the extra effort of the whole school system.

#### THE SPEARMAN REPORTER.

Lori Hooper, celebrated her 10th birthday January 20, 1985 with a party at the Waka Church Fellowship Hall. The birthday colors were red and white with a The cake was heart motif. strawberry with white cream cheese frosting and was decorated with a red heart containing 10 candles and was edged with red and had Lori written in red frosting. There was strawberry pop and strawberry ice cream. The serving table had a heart decorated table cloth with matching cups, plates and napkins. The candy cups were filled with heart shaped candies. Each girl attending received barrettes in Waka colors of blue and white.

The present table was decorated with a heart centerpiece and displayed all her family presents labeled according to family member and other presents were placed on the table to be unwrapped later.

Those attending were the honoree, Lori Anne, and Cindy and Susan Burger, Sarah Whetstone, Erin Wiebe, Paula and Jamie Collinsworth, Charlene and Melanie McCree, and Amy Blan. Also attending were her parents, Wayne and Mary-Ann Hooper, and brother, Payne. Lori's grandparent's, Parvin and Lenora Hooper, of Perryton, dropped in for a few minutes.

Prizes were given to Jamie Collinsworth for winning "Pin the Tail on the Donkey', Sarah Whet-

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stone for "Musical Chairs" and Melanie McCree for the door prize. They also played "Hot Potato", "Stmon Says" and "Hide 'n' Seek". Amy Blan received a locket for assisting with games and Payne Hooper received hunting gloves for assisting, also.

#### **Gulf Refund Application**

The U.S. Department of Energy has announced a deadline extension until March 31, 1985 for receiving refund applications from resellers, retailers, and consumers of Gulf Oil Corporation petroleum products purchased from August 19, 1973 through January 31, 1976.

Applications will be accepted beyond the previously announced deadline provided they are postmarked by March 31.

Purchasers of Gulf Oil Corporation petroleum products either from Gulf directly or from a firm that sold Gulf products during the above period may be elegible for a refund.

Refunds would be paid from funds obtained by the Department

Small banks have nothing to fear from deregulation

**COLLEGE STATION** -Doom-sayers are warning that America's small banks won't survive in the wake of banking deregulation, but two Texas A&M University finance professors say many of the fears are

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of Engergy from the Gulf Oil Corporation as a result of a consent order.

The amount of refunds will be based on the volume of purchases. Because refunds are paid at the rate of \$1.22 per 1,000 gallons, however, small consumers may not find it worthwhile to file applications. Different application requirements apply to the different types of applicants.

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overblown. Dr. James Kolari and Dr. Donald Fraser of Texas A&M's College of Business Administration studied bank performance from 1964 to 1983 and found small banks performed as well as large banks. The study was funded and published by the Small Business Administration (SBA).

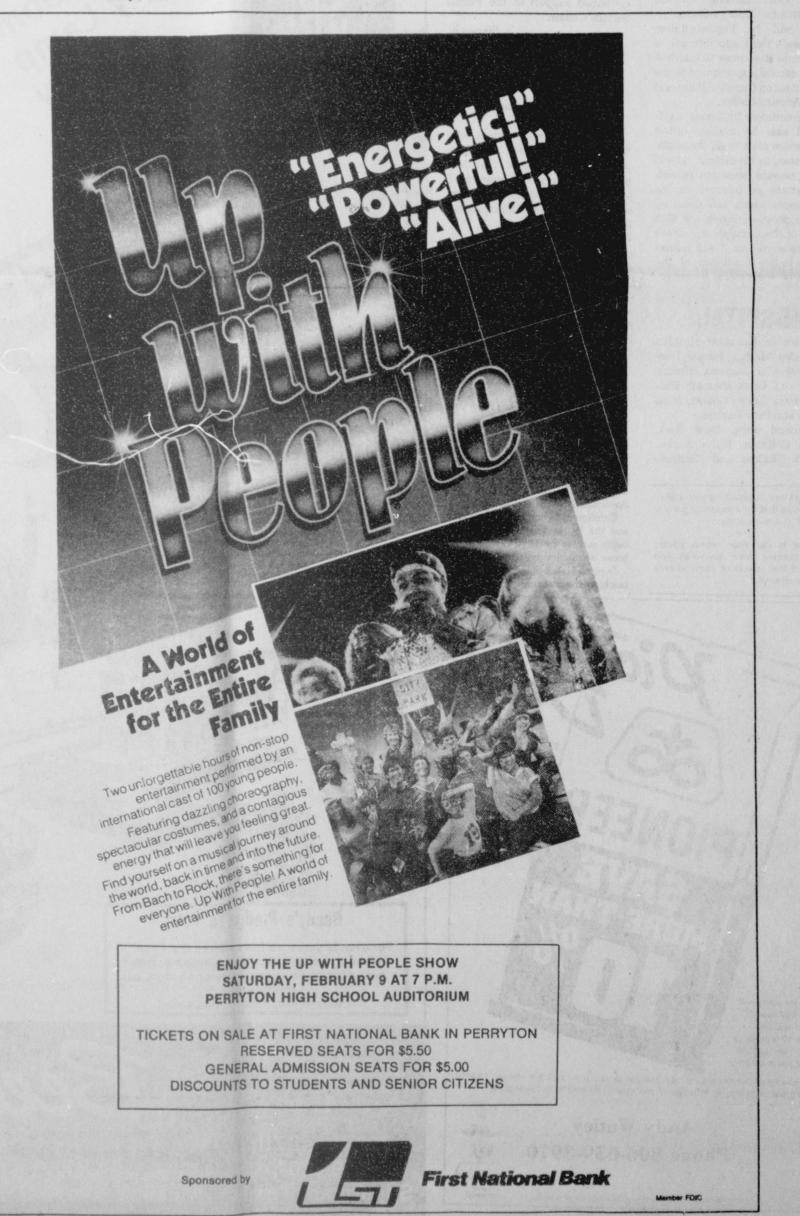
== 'Adults are dumb! All by ourselves we managed to cross this street a hundred times this past summer. Now that school's started, they suddenly decide we need a crossing

#### Colombian village assisted by **Texas A&M students**

guard."

The 500 residents of Amaga, a tiny village in Colombia, South America have taken the first steps toward becoming selfsufficient as the result of a program begun last year by Texas A&M students who raised \$25,000 for the Christian Children's Fund to assist the impoverished village.

The project is helping to feed the 107 children of Amaga and develop an agricultural training program so that the villagers can help themselves. The idea developed two years ago when Texas A&M's Corps of Cadets adopted five children through CCF and Texas A&M English professor Robert Scott Kellner took it a step further.







#### **Church News**

The Sunday message for the Waka Church of the Brethren was "The Twenty Five Greatest Words in the English Language". It is the first of ten related messages. A reading by Hans Christian Anderson entitled "The World's Most Beautiful Rose" was read by Vicki Gurley. Acolyte for the service was Ruby Ochoa. The hymn's were "How Great Thou Art", "Open My Eyes, That I May See" and "There's A Wideness In God's Mercy".

Visitors were S.G. and Ruth Hoover of Missouri. S.G. is moderator of the Messiah Church of the Brethren in Kansas City. Ruth is the younger sister of Maude Stump and Bertha Leicht.

The time for the Micah Mission has been set for 6:30 P.M., Sunday, January 27. What is the "Micah Mission?" It is the training of leaders in Africa, front-line health care in the Sudan and reaching out to special needs in the U.S.A. It is making the desert bloom, planting new congregations and the breaking down of the walls of separation.

#### **Gossip or News?**

Audrey Leighnor had eye surgery in Amarillo this past week and is home and doing nicely. She's even up to piano lesson starting Monday. They are doing wonders with eye surgery these days.

Larry McCree, who had surgery in Spearman Thursday, was ready to come home Monday. He says

a manual and

### **Hansford** County boxers travel to Levelland

The Hansford County YMCA Boxing Team traveled to Levelland Saturday evening for matches.

Brian Beck of Spearman, 65 lb. Junior Division, defeated Marcos Villa of Snyder, Texas. Dee Mayfield of Spearman, 65 lb. Junior Division, defeated Blake Davis of Levelland. Khris Kelp of Spearman, 70 lb. Junior Division, lost by decision to Johnny Hernandez of the Seminole Azteca Boxing Club, Seminole, Texas. Danny Lopez of Spearman, 90 lb. Senior Division, lost by decision to Hector Fuentes of Olton.

First place trophies were awarded to Brian and Dee and Runner-up trophies were presented to Khris and Dapay.

Coach for the YMCA Boxing Team is Eugene Yarbrough.

## J.W. Buchanan appointed to **3 committees**

**AUSTIN -- State Representative** J.W. Buchanan, D-Dumas, has been appointed to three committees in the House for the 69th session of the Texas Legislature.

He is a member of the Natural Resources and House Administration Committees and he will serve as the Vice Chairman for the Committee on County Affairs.

This will be Representative Buchanan's third appointment to the Natural Resources Committee and his second appointment to the Committees on County Affairs and House Administration.

Representative Buchanan's office will also be mailing out a. questionaire soon to all the registered voters in his district. It will contain several questions regarding matters of interest to his constituents which will come up for consideration during the 69th session of the Legislature. Your response is vital as it will inform Representative Buchanan of the feelings of the people he represents.

### HOSPITAL

Patients in Hansford Hospital are: Chip Martin, Jimmy Bonham, Salvadar Luciano, Brenda Vera & son, Grace Bennett, Limmie Russell, Jimmy Collier, Anna Arreola and Pete Bayless.

Dismissed were: Opal Beck. Martha Coffman, Kylie Snider,

### Letters to the **Editor** January 5, 1985

I recently visited with Judge McClellan as part of my duties as the new director of the Perryton Family Service Center. He recommended that I send you a copy of an article that appeared in the Perryton Herald recently.

We also discussed plans for a new counselor, who our agency is now in the process of hiring. The funds for this additional counselor were provided by the four counties served by the Perryton Family Service Center, Hansford, Hemphill, Cichiltree, and Lipscomb. This new counselor's duties will be primarily to serve the four counties with general adult mental health services.

Plans are for this new counselor to be located in an office in Spearman (probably in the courthouse) at least one day a week. Other days will be spent making services more accessible by being located in the other counties other week days. Hopefully this will make our services more accessible to your readers. We anticipate hiring this person within the next 60 days. I will send you an announcement at the time these new services are begun.

I hope that our agency can serve your county and town in the best way possible. Thank you for your continued support of the Family Service Center.

> Sincerely. Mark Fannin, M.S. Director, Perryton Family Service Center

#### January 15, 1985

As a scleroderma patient who has suffered alone for too many years with a disease that few people have ever even heard of, I am attempting to locate others who suffer from scleroderma (systemic sclerosis).

My New Year's resolution is to correspond with as many scleroderma patients as possible. Doctors tell me there are 300,000 of us. Perhaps your readers can assist me in locating others like myself. I can be reached at 21 Brennan Street, #21, Watsonville, CA 95076.

Thank You, **Diane Williams** Interested in **Learning** Crochet

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1985



Kenneth McCree and Kimberly Rea.

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