## Cowboys plan gospel event



JUNE 8-11, 1989


## Television network

 arrives for officersComing to Hansford County
July 1 will be the Law Enforcement Television Network. This is a national TV network developed
exclusively for the law enforcement community and will be seen
only by them. It is a training network for officers.

The satellite equipment is
already installed on the courtalready installed on the court-
house roof. Hansford, along with house roof. Hansford, along with
Potter. Hutchinson, and Dallam counties are all charter members expense to the taxpayers for the installation of any of the satellite equipment as being a charter
member takes care of that. The cost of the program will be $\$ 285$ per month and will be prorated
between the county and the city, and possibly Gruver if they decide to be in the program.

Sheriff R.L. McFarlin feels this program will be a savings to the
community as all the schools the community as all the schools the
officers and personnel go to require a lot of travel time, fees requires 40 hours additional training each year for their officers; ing each year for their officers; hours. Sheriff McFarlin and Deputy Gary Evans are both certified instructors.

There are changes occurring at
all times and new technologies being developed so our officers need a simple resource with in-depth information and training
to keep up. They are the only to keep up. They are the only strapped on and bullet proof vests, so there is the need for effective, on-going, in-service training information.
Some of the training and infor hour per day network is 24 hour per day network is new bor and family disturbances, officer safety, traffic enforcement avoidance of civil liability, admini-
stration issues, stress manage ment, court cases, crime scene
procedures, leadership issues, and executing warrants.
There will be films of actual officer down situations, live call in
question and answer sessions to the minute news, legislative actions, and in-depth documentaries.
The satellite is based in Dallas and will pipeline its information to 600,000 plus officers. Approxi-
mately twenty people in Hansford mately twenty people in Hansford
County will train with this new

## Servants of the

Faith to perform
at Baptist Church
Servants of the Faith will be
singing the evening worship service at the First Baptist Church, Spearman, Sunday, June 11 at
7:00 p.m. Servants is a Christian laymen who sing of gether as a part of the music ministry of First Baptist Church. Servants was formed in March, 1984, and a total of twenty men have sung with the group at different times since that date. This group has made numerous bancert, worship service, and banquet entertainment appear handle area during the past five years. The testimony and witness of this group of men is unique in many ways, and they are committed to sharing God's word through music.
The group includes: Tenor I Tony Ferguson (farm implemen director); Tenor II - Billy Brown (farmer and cattleman), Bob Vinon (retired sheriff, PBC custodian); Baritone - Robert Queener manager of Interstate Savings) Dick Gillaspie (automobile dealership owner); Bass - Wayne Biggs and Randy Kirk - (farmer and cattleman)
Three members of this year's

Come join us for an OUTDOOR CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE! The fourth Palo Duro Cowboy Camp. will be 7 miles east of Gruver on
Highway 15 at the bottom of Old Hansford, 7 miles west of Spear man.
The purpose of the event is the
peaching of the Gospel, the Wor preaching of the Gospel, the Word who otherwise may not attend Cowboy Camp-meeting In non-profit org anization. All activi-
ties will be conducted by means of ties will be conducted by means of
donations. This is an interdedonations. This is an interde
nominational camp with everyone invited to team up and have an all ages."

There are many family activities
planned, for all four days, so don' miss a minute. Fellowship an singing around the campfire are sure to be favorites. If you play a
instrument, be sure to bring it.

The campsite is located in the country; the facilities are
camping equipment, such as tents or campers. Water will be furnished. There will be adequate
restroom facilities. Meals will be served. Donations will be greatly appreciated.
There will be a limited number electrical hookups. For further information, contact Keith Lamb
(806-733-2893). Harley Murrell (405-338-5349), or Melba Rasor 806-733-2238)
Evangelists are Boyce Evans Lubbock; and Billy Rammage Texline. Music will be by Les
Barkley, Gruver \& Sonny Kell Spearman. Youth Coordinator is Zane Grey of Gruver. They will be leading at the camp, maintaining a tradition that began in the
1890's in the Davis Mountains of

Texas by the pioneer ranching families - Evans and Means. This started in the days when folks miles for religious fellowship.

There are now more camp meet ings than ever, and the Palo Duro ing on the tradition.

## Economic development

## studied by Texas A\&M

A meeting for the rural done by Texas A\&M Universtiy was held June 5 at the First United Methodist Church in Spearman. Dr. Ron Knutson and Dr. Dennis Fisher, and associates, were present to conduct this planning meeting. They provided additional information about the
development project, and discussed the strategic planning. Sponsors were First State Bank, First National Bank, and Interstate Savings \& Loan.
$G$ raphs were presented for each of four counties - Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb and Hutchinson. The graphs showed, among
other things, the rise and decline of retail sales figures for each of the four counties, over the years of the mid-1970's to 1987. They also showed how each county compared to the overall state figures. Teacher's experience and teacher's salary figures were also presented. However, no agricultural data was included, with There has given.
decline in each of the four
counties, over the years specified. It was decided to have a county county. It was also decided to meet frequently as a group, to discuss what areas to look into and ways for growth and/o expansion. Hansford County wil thus be deciding their own county lopment.
A county chairperson has not een officially named for HansCouny, as of this date. he demographies (figures), and Hansford County will implement their own strategic plan.

Texas A\&M's offer of assis ance to the four counties is the Kellogg Foundation, Farm Foundation, Texas Banker's Association, and Texas Agricul tural Extension Service.
Next meeting has been sche-
duled for July 6 , and the duled for July 6, and the countie involved will report what areas
hey will each work towards, and eventually work out their strategi plans for future development.

## Feporter

## California, here we come!





Roundup festivities enjoyed by citizens

 Yvonda Stokes, Jim McLain, Judy Elliott. Arnold

## Class celebrates 30th anniversary

by Carol Pack

The Spearman High School dass of 1959 celebrated the 30th
anniversary of its graduation with mniversary of its graduation with
reunion Sat., June 3. Classmates began to assemble at 11 in front of the J.L. Brock building to watch the Hansford Centennial arade. Following the parade lass members and spouses athered for lunch and a time of A. "lite line at the Brock building. -foot "'super sub" ' ruit tray, vegetables with dip and ookies. After the initial welcome and lunch, many memories were fowved by the numerous scrap ors, school yearbooks, and afternoon was spent visiting early At $3: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Loyall Turner drawings and a brochure detailing the Palo Duro Dam project. ollowing some discussion of the recreation area, members adfourned to the dam site. Loyall provided a detailed description of the work being done and specifications of the dam and reservoir at northern Hansford County classmates who had been on class picnics, Girl Scout outings, and
weekend camp-outs on the old Steele ranch.
The evening meal and reunion festivities were held at I-V's
Hungry Cowboy Following traditional Texas steak dinner, dessert was served: a lovely decorated cake depicting a Spear man Lynx and bearing the mess-
age. ' Congratulations. Class of
59. A highlight of the evening was having Buena (Vernon) and Perrin Lyon join the class for
dinner. Mrs. Lyon was the first dinner. Mrs. Lyon was the first students present. and it was good students present, and it was good A brief business meeting was emceed by Jim McLain. He told several humorous stories at the Mary (Vernon) of seled classmates. Mary (Vernon) Stevens was a scrapbook featuring pictures and news items bringing the class history up to date. Susan Hanriers, wife of Gerald, won the door prize for telling the best story Baker, who traveled the farthest and with whom the class has had no contact since 7th grade (1954). told of his experiences after leaving Spearman Junior High that led him to dental practice in California. I erry Sparks, recently
hired as band director for Spear hired as band director for Spearman schools, talked about his challenge of reviving the legacy of Sam Watson.
It was decided by the class to continue the tradition of a 5 -year classmates anniversary years, but participate in the Spencouraged to ni Association and the all-school gatherings sponsored by this organization. Mary Stevens was
designated coordinator for the designated coordinator for the
Class of ' 59 for the all-school reunion.
Classmates and spouses attending this year's reunion were Eobby and Toni (Chevalier)
Archer of Spearman. Jack Baker
of Petaluma, Calif., Carolyne (Collard) and Ron Long of Amarillo, Elaine (Crawford) and Roger Odegaard of Spearman, Karen (Floyd) Gerald and Susan Hanners of Dimmitt, Carol ( arvis) and Neil Pack of Stinnett, Danny Kingsley of Lubbock, J im McLain of Ama-
rillo, Jerfy Mitts of Guymon, Okla., I dy (Owens) and Bill
Elliott of Amarillo, Yvonda (Pip--
in) Elliott of Amarillo, Yvonda (Pip-
kin) Stol /s of Amarillo, Robbie
(Giblin) Reid of Mose Sparks of Spearman, Mors, Jerry non) Stevens of Canyon, Loyall and Ginger Turner of Spen, Loyall Bill and J udy Wilm of Spearman, and Arnold and Glenda Winfield of Pryor, Okla.
Krystal Stokes and Jay Pack, children of class members, joined the group for lunch. Among the parents, friends and teachers who came to visit were Bill Baker and
daughter Esther of California, Berney Fewell of Amarillo, Johnny Pipkin, Jake Vernon, Gus McLain, J ohn R. Collard, J F., and Buena and Perrin Lyon all of pearman. A phone call was
received from Nedra (Kirkland) Hays of Eufala, Okla. Nedra was valedictorian of this class.

The day ended with fond farewells and promises to, "....see you at the next reunion." Special thanks go to Yvonda Stokes and reunion, Mary and I.L. Brock for the use of their building. Jim Ivey for catering the evening meal, and the Spearman Reporter for news. paper coverage and photographs.


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H \& H Farmers Union celebrated Hansford's 100th year with a huge birthd
white made a beautiful cake. A very unique idea! This float won 2nd prize.


## Reunion Held

The W.Y. Williams Reunion was held June 3 and 4 at the Extension Homemakers building. Saturday evening at 7 p.m. all
families gathered for hamburgers and homemade ice cream. Verlin Beck prepared the hamburgers on
his grill. Hostesses Audene and his grill. Hostesses Audene and Marie Beck made the ice cream.
Sunday morning at $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$, the families joined together again for doughnuts, coffee and orange juice. The rest of the morning was spent greeting each other, taking pictures and showing older picture
ories.
ories.
The noon meal was prepared ahead by the hostesses. All other families brought dessert and a large vegetable salad.
Those present were Mrs. Phyllis Leovich and her father, Don from California; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kenney and daughter, Mary Ann from Texline; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kenney from Amarillo; Mrs. Thadine Cooper from Ama-
rillo: Mr. and Mrs, Kenney from Umberger Tx Helen Kenney from Albuquerque, N.Mex., Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beck and sons, Justin and Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Beck and sons, Monte, Brooks, and Barry; Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Beck and
son, Brian; Gerald Beck; Nelva son, Brian; Gerald Beck; Nelva
Snow and daughter, Toni; Maxine Banister, Jason and J essica Beck and Marie Beck all from Spearman. Friends visiting were Ira Tindle, Billy J oe Beck and J uanita Beck.


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## Among the Neighbors

Caia Hester is catching her
breath after two weeks of out-of breath after two weeks of out-
town visitation and fellowship. She went by bus to Snyder and had an enjoyable stay with her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baze. Afterward she spent
some time in Lubbock with her son some time in Lubbock with her son
Tony and family. She attended the musical and dance recital of her granddaughter, Heather.
Caia came home for a couple of days before going to Enid with
Frank and Judy Buzzard. She Frank and Judy Buzzard. She
visited her daughter, Pauledde, and Larry Plank. Her grandson, Bryan, graduated from high school, and her granddaughter,
Amy graduated from junior high Amy graduated from junior high
school. The next stop for Caia was in
Oklahoma City where she spent some time with her 94 year old sister, Olga Sanders. She now
lives in a retirement center Her next stop was back in Her next stop was
Spearman for some rest.

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. MoClellan have had guests the past week.
those being their daughter I eanie and Steve Holston.
Becky and James Madison and
sons came over from Amarillo for sons came over from Amarillo for
the weekend. Steve has accepted the weekend. Steve has accepled
his first charge, the pastorage of the First United Methodist Church
of Edwards, Miss. This is located near Vicksburg.

Among those previous residents greeting old friends here during
the Round-up were Bob and Opal Cator. They have moved from Sunday to Harrah, Okla. This is a suburb of Oklahoma City where
their son, Bob, has his vet clinic. Evervone would welcome an
Both birthday if it were as festive an ocxasion as that provided for Frances Stump on Tues., May 30. 45 friends and neighbors
gathered to wish her happy birthgathered to wish her happy birth-
day at the Stump's rural home. The Stump's daughter, Sandra Drake, was responsible for the ovely setting and arrangements. Their granddaughter, Dana Fort. presided at the registration table
where the guests wrote their names on small squares of yellow loth which will be used in a quilt. Frances' favorite flower, the Yellow Rose of Texas, was used in
the decorations throughout. Corsages of tiny yellow rose buds. and the elaborate yellow rose center piece on the table laid with yellow cloth and white overlay
carried out the theme. The guests carried out the theme. The guests
received favors of a tiny picture of Frances surrounded by dainty Mike Ladd, who is currently
residing with his grandparents and J.R. escorted the guests. Nadine Maczko, sister of Frances, from Spring Valley, Calif.,
came for the occasion and even came for the occasion and even
carried out the color scheme by bringing some lemon juice from the lemons in her own yard. ing Frances many more bin wish

Willoughby and Helen Sparks now of Midland, were busy shak ing hands and exchanging greetings with old friends at the Round-up on Saturday.

Billy and Sybil Miller spen three days last week with his
sister. Elizabeth Hicks at Sabetha. sister. Elizabeth Hicks at Sabetha. Kan. This is near the Nebraska
line and the three of them drove to line and the three of them drove to
Rulo, Neb. each evening for Rulo, Neb. each evening for
catfish dinner right on the Missouri river. Billy insists that they stuck to beefsteak so as not to offend his cattlemen friends Elizabeth Ann is enjoying good
health and sends greetings to her old Spearman High class mates, including Mary Fern Terry, Roy Lee MoClellan, Carl Archer and many others

The 54th wedding anniversary of Louise and Ernest Archer coincided with the Hansford Round-up. Their daughter, Norm and Buddy Bain and son and wife,
J eff and Christi, all of Ralls came up to help them observe both occasions.
Norma enjoyed renewing old friendships and she and Christi
both enjoyed the sidewalk shopping as it was a novelty to them.

Rita Curtis spent five days in Hollywood, Fla. last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Cole. Nearly
98
years old, Mrs. Cole passed away after a short illness. She had
visited Rita
Spearman.
Guests of Maxine Banister for several days are her brother, Don Bennett and his daughter and Leovitch, and a friend. Margaret Ammerman, all of Whittier, Calif. They came for the Williams amily reunion and also enjoyed he Hansford Round-up. Don lived here many years, and renewed many friendships.
Lorene and Kenneth Burke attended her family, the Whiteones, reunion at Stamford, Tx. Of her eight brothers and
Of sisters, all but one were able to attend. There was about 45 total present at the Four Square Gospel
day for all, with good fellowship ood food - good gospel singing. The family are from all of Texas. nd include five ministers of the gospel. An added pleasure for the
Burkes was the attendance of their daughter, Kendra, from Dallas.
A three weeks trip that is only a dream to most people ended last week for Max and Dorothy Baggerly. So much of interest was would require a complete issue of the paper to carry all of it. They flew to Frankfurt, Germany and joined an American tour group. The group consisted of well-traveled congenial members; the weather was perfect and the
scenery beautiful beyond descrip scenery beautiful beyond descrip-
tion.
From West Berlin they crossed
heckpoint Charl By bus and plane they toured Estern Europe-ineluding Prague, Czechoslovakia, Wroclaw and
Warsaw Poland. Hungary and on arsaw Poland, Hungary and on
Russia.
In Poland one of the tour stops was the sickening Auswitz Concentration Camp. Dorothy feels strongly that, gruesome as it was. it is vitally important to all
mankind that the camp remain as it was so that never again will there be such a place for such a horrible purpose. Leningrad, Kiev, Moscow - all were most interesting. The K rem-
lin is indescribable treasures of the Czar regime on display.
So many So many incidents of interest some humerous, some graphic vertantly wandered into an off-
imits hotel lobby on Red Square o be immediately accosted by fiv bands who unceremoniously and physically escorted her out. As fascinating as the trip was,
they were glad to be home. Dorothy's brother, Lloyd Beegle of Milwaukee, has been visiting them for several days. Another
guest is their 12 year old granddaughter, Stacy Baggerly of Guymon.
Hospital admissions: Brandy Griffin, Winnie F. Vernon, Gru-
ver: Leonard Gepson, Fred White, H.C. Cleveland, Bessie Allen, Betty Buyless, Borger; Dale Womble. Jchn De La Rosa, Claude Owens. Ollie Allen, Cathy Hager-
man, Mary Gillispie, Mary Miesman, Mary Gillispie, Mary Mies-

THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1989 REPORTER, from p. 3 out-distance the runners by the time he got to Spearman. Cross
Country running pays off doesn't it Jerold.

About 600 attended the Bar-BQue; the rain kept the usual 1100 to 1200 attendance down this year. There was insurance on the festibefore it was in effect and it is not known at this writing if it rained enough.

A lot of hard work went into this year's celebration. We, the staff at the paper and the county, want all the people who did all this work


In 1900 , the legal as
males, 12 for females.


