4-H'ers at horse show

Several Hansford County 4-Hers racing in the qualifying division. participated in the State 4-H Horse Show held recently in Abilene July 25-30.

Taking top honors in the working cow horse contest was Billy Hayes of Gruver. Mark Eakin also took top honors as he was on the team that placed first in team penning. Mark also placed 10th in stake

#3 MEN BICYCLE
OR WOMEN (8.3 miles

BLINKING LIGHT

MEN BICYCLE (#5)

STUD RUN.

(2.6 MILES)

KENNETH AVE SPEARMAN

GRUVER

JOHN

80

MEN RUNWER

THE FIRST FIVE LEGS OF THIS

RACE ARE ON FLAT LAND. FROM 60 N TO BORGER IT IS CANADIAN GRIVER BRIDGE

(118) MEN BICYCLE

(& MILES)

(# 9) WOMEN

RUNNERS

(2.7 MILES)

Bonnie Jarvis won 6th in Hunter Horsemanship in the open division and Matt Archer was 7th in stake racing in the qualifying division.

Deana Turner advanced to the semi-finals in showmanship. Clint DeArmond participated in team roping and team penning and was also captain in this event. Matt

HWY 281 TO CANAC

SATURDAY AUG. 20+h at

PANHANDLE

7:30 A.M.

RELAYS

Eakin was a participant in roping. Shanna DeArmond represented our county by riding in the Parade of Districts on Wednesday

These youths have all worked very hard and have spent numerous hours practicing for these events. We can all be proud of each

Lynx football

reserve tickets

Reserve tickets held by those who purchased tickets last year will be able to purchase their same seats during August 19th thru August 26th.

For those that were not previous holders of tickets will be able to purchase reserve tickets August 29th thru Sept. 9th.

The first home football game will be Sept. 16th at 8:00 p.m. Reserve tickets are \$12.00 for four home



Lynanne Maize, 1988 president of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, presents Adela Lopez, owner of Adela's Flowers, with a plaque for being

voted Small Business of 1987-88. year the Spearman Chamber of Commerce has presented this award.

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YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAFER

Thursday, August 11, 1988

Miss Wheatheart Pageant

Graham named 1st runner-up in pageant



TOP FIVE -- Named to the top five at the Miss Wheatheart of the Nation scholarship pageant Saturday night were from left, Deanna Hobbs of Hereford, fourth runner-up; Stefanie Harrison of Stratford, third runner-up; Miss Wheatheart 1988 Valerie Molone of Pampa; Mechelle Graham of Spearman, first runnerup; and Shawn Belton of Borger, second runner-up.

As always, Hansford County takes great pride in being represented by it's young people, and that was true this past week end as many flocked to Ochiltree County to watch several of our girls participate in the Miss Wheatheart of the Nation Pagent.

All of these girls, along with one escort, deserve recognition for the long hours of talent preparation, rehersals and finally their interview and competions. In the Little Miss Wheatheart was Jocelyn Edwards, daughter of Frank and Kitty Edwards, with her escort Eric Varnon, son of Allen and Peggy Varnon.

Hansford contestants in the Junior Miss Wheatheart were Cacy McGill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pearson; Michelle Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Cook; and Misty Savage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Savage.

Our Miss Wheatheart contestants were Mechelle Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Graham; Tasha Haight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haight; and Rae Lynn Scribner, daughter

see, GRAHAM p. 3

Locals enter Panhandle Relays

Get ready for the first ever Annual Panhandle Relay Race! If you have noticed runners and bicyclers up and down the roads, then you've seen Spearman people preparing to participate in the race between here and Borger. It will involve 9 people, will start with a 400 meter swim in the Spearman pool and will end with a run from the circle at Borger to Huber Park. It will begin at 7:30 a.m., Saturday,

HUBER

PARK

If you would like to help at the water stations or relay stations, call Wanda Archer at 3519. Also, plan to bring your lawn chairs and cheer the runners and cyclers on their way to Borger.

The more people involved and watching the more fun it will be. If you're making up a team, your entry fee and entry should be in as quickly as possible.

STYLISH--Stepping out in their creations for the senior active sports and specialty wear division at the Panhandle District 4-H Fashion Show are, from left,

Trisha Tillery, Sherman Co.; Marla Keller, Collingsworth Co.; Shawna Wagoner, Hemphill Co., and Bonnie Jarvis, Hansford Co.

4H'ers at fashion revue

handle District matched their fashion awareness and sewing skills at the recent Panhandle District 4-H fashion Revue. The eight top winners will represent the district's 20 counties at the State 4-H fashion show, August 21-23 in Corpus Christi.

The winners in the construction division are Shawna Wagoner of Hemphill Co., sports and specialty wear; Stacie McDonald of Gray Co., evening wear; Heather Kludt of Gray Co., non-tailored daywear; and Becky Reed of Gray Co., tailored daywear.

Buying division winners are Rachel Kelton of Hutchinson Co., sports and specialty wear; Darrell Kent of Moore Co., evening wear; Jeffrey Lane of Gray Co., tailored daywear; and Teresa Risley of Randall Co., non-tailored daywear.

Hansford County winners were: Senior Division Construction, Bonnie Jarvis, top four in specialty wear, and Karla Kunselman, blue in daytime non-tailored. Ashley Wagner was entered in buying daytime non-tailored. She was also in the top four in this category.

Sharlet Slough competed in the intermediate construction daytime non-tailored. She was also among the top four. The Juniors that participated were Mika Pipkin, construction daytime playwear, and Kim Wagner, buying in daytime playwear. Both received blue awards.

Senior construction division runner-up in the four clothing categories are: Marla Keller of Collingsworth Co., sports and specialty wear; Pam Bezner of Dallam Co., evening wear; Cristie Chumley of Sherman Co., nontailored daywear; and Janice Detten of Potter Co., tailored daywear.

Runners-up in the senior buying division are: Jeana Crawford of Dallam Co., sports and specialty wear; Rachel Gheen (cq) of Ochiltree Co., evening wear; and Carla Heiskel of Dallam Co., non-tailored daywear.

Fabric Scene, Hancock Fabrics and The Fabric Mart in Amarillo sponsored awards for the best cotton outfits. Winners were Regina Britten of Carson Co., junior; Jennifer Hicks of Deaf Smith Co., intermediate; and

Heather Kludt of Gray Co., senior. Special awards for the best wool fashions were sponsored by Sands Fabric in Pampa and the Fabric Mart in Amarillo. Winners were Heidi Phetteplace of Gray Co., intermediate; and Becky Reed of Gray Co., senior.

Honored as best models were Barbie Bailey of Dallam Co., junior; Kathryn Farnum of Moore Co., intermediate; and Jeffrey Lane of Gray Co., senior. Awards were sponsored by Susan's Modeling School in Amarillo.

Top exhibitors in the junior division are: Barbie Bailey and Lorena Taylor of Dallam Co.; Keri Nelson, Wheeler Co.; Jana McCloy, Hutchinson Co.; and Brandye Bertrand, Carson Co.

Intermediate division winners were; Teresa Unruh, Amy Fuller, and Carrie Hatch of Dallam Co.; also Heidi Phetteplace, Gray Co.; and Cookie Umana, Potter Co.

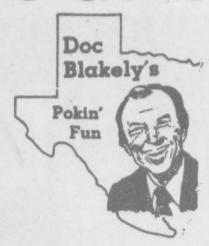
Awards for all senior winners were donated by Estee' Lauder Counter, Dillards in Amarillo; Hutchinson County Extension Homemakers Association; and the Womens Division of the Borger Chamber of Commerce.

Wife after death

My friend Mickey bought this big dog that turned out to be about half mean. The other half must have been groundhog because he dug up everything in the yard. Since he chased every cat, squirrel, and bird in the neighborhood, the they named him simply, "Animal," and chained him to the oak tree near but just short of the rabbit hutch.

Mickey was gone a couple of days and when he came home, the wife and kids were downtown. He went out back to check on Animal and found an open door to the hutch. Obviously, the beautiful white rabbit that the kids had enjoyed for the last two years had escaped. Permanently. Animal had him in his mouth and he was deader than a door nail.

Animal hadn't chewed him up but the rabbit was very dirty, a real mess. Mickey washed the rabbit



off, shampooed the fur, did a job with a hair dryer that a veterinarian would have charged for, and placed the rabbit back in the cage in a natural position. The kids would find him, think he died of a heart attack, and all would be well with

him and Anima

Watching through the window, he saw the wife and kids drive up. They went straight to the rabbit hutch clutching a shoebox between them. In the shoebox was a baby

Much commotion went on in the backyard. Kids were jumping up and down, happy as could be. The wife seemed less happy. She stormed into the house and confronted Mickey. "Are you and Animal responsible for this?" she screamed.

"Something wrong, Sweetheart?" he innocently asked.

"Yeas, something is very wrong. While you were gone, "Bugs" died of a heart attack and we buried him under the oak tree. You go out and explain to the kids about rabbit resurrection."

Mickey and Animal both spent the night in the doghouse.

Wives and animals just seem to have some kind of repelling aura between them. It even creeps into their dreams. My wife had this dream recently. She was trapped in an elevator in a tall building. She pushed 19 and the elevator went up but the door wouldn't open. She pushed 1 and it went down but still wouldn't open. She pushed PH (for Penthouse). this time it opened but a huge-maned, African lion jumped in with her as the doors closed. The lion was right in her face, fangs showing, growling, "Ah-h-h, Ah h-h-h-h, Ah-h-h-h.

Terrified, she woke and learned the source of her dream. It was me snoring.

When I woke up, she was screaming, "Animal, Animal!" All I could think of was that under cover of darkness Mickey's dog must have dug his way into our bedroom.

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Nutrition very important to senior citizens

Senior citizens should remember that your need for nutrition doesn't decline even though you don't need as many calories as you used to. In fact, you probably need to eat more wisely than you ever have in your life.

Dr. Ann Blankenship, nutritionist at Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine, tells her audiences of senior citizens to choose nutrientdense foods, like nonfat yogurt, low-fat cheeses, lean meats or fresh, raw fruits and vegetables. Get the most nutrition for the fewest calories. Try adding nutrients to the food you eat . . . like putting nonfat dry milk powder in puddings, mashed potatoes, cooked cereals and cream soups.

And for seniors, it's particularly important to watch the sugar, salt and fat. Eliminate the calories that do you no good.

Dr. Blankenship has another tip for older citizens: Prepare foods when your energy level is high. Cook them then and freeze or store them so they you'll have them on hand when you might not feel like preparing them. You can avoid having to resort to processed, high-cost, convenient food.

Eating right can help you maintain a vigorous, bright lifestyle, whether you're 25 or 75.

Hearing tax rate clarification

Due to a new interpretation by the State Property Tax Board, a hearing must be conducted by the Spearman I.S.D. Board of Trustees regarding their tax rate. The enly reason the tax rate is being increased is due to the bond issue approved by district voters on December 8, 1987. The voters were promised no more than 12 cents would be required to meet the bond

requirements. This continues to be the fact of the increase on the rate. The Trustees and Administration have worked extremely hard to keep expenses down as much as possible. Under the old guidelines a hearing would not be necessary due to the fact that the rate for maintenance and operation would not, and is not, going up over 3% allowed by the statute. So, due to

new standards the hearing is required of entities who have passed bond issues.

It should also be noted that individuals over 65 will not be affected by a rate increase.

Also, the percentage of homestead exemptions went down 10% due to state requirements. The Spearman I.S.D. offers the maximum exemption as allowed by law.

Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

The Spearman I.S.D. will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1987 by eleven percent. Your individual taxes may increase or decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on August 18, 1988 at 12:00 noon at the high schobuilding.

For the proposal: Philip Renner, Tom Latta, Don Townsen,
Dennis Nelson, Mike Garnett, Charles
Shieldknight, Joe Clements

Against the proposal: None Present and not voting: Absent: None

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the effective tax rate that the unit published on July 31, 1988. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This year
Average home value	\$30830	\$31080
General exemptions available		
(amount available on the		
average home, not including		
senior citizen's or disabled		
person's exemptions)	14250	11220
Average taxable value	10000	
tax rate	16580	19860
Tax	\$145.90	1.00 (proposed)
	4220.00	\$198.60 (proposed)

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by thirty-six percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$.12 per \$100 of taxable value or fourteen percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.



\$100,000 TO PLAY FOR THE ASTROS AND \$700,000 TO LIVE IN HOUSTON

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

The County of Hansford will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1987 by $\underline{5}$ (five) percent. Your individual taxes may increase or decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on Thursday, August 18, 1988 at 9:00 a.m. at the Hansford County Courthouse.

FOR the proposal: Garland Head, Joe T. Venneman, B. J. Renner and Val Winger.

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None

ABSENT: None

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the effective tax rate that the unit published on August 11, 1988. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This Year
Average home value	22,900	30,300
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	11,900	9,060
Average taxable value	18,000	21,240
Tax rate	.3337	.3590
Tax	60.07	76.25

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$16.18 or 21 percent compared with last year's taxes.

Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$.0253 per \$100 of taxable value or 7 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

Vacation timeshares popular

If the idea of buying a timeshare unit that you can use year after year appeals to you, you're not alone. Last year Americans spent 1.9 billion dollars on vacation time-

There is a variety of timeshare purchasing plans. The two major categories are "fee simple," where the buyer gets title to a fraction of the unit; and "right-to-use" where the buyer may use the unit for a specified period of time, but does not have ownership interest. Most resorts only offer fee simple plans. Fee simple plans have the benefit of ownership, tax advantages and equity. However, right-to-use plans are generally less expensive. Also, the developer has a greater

incentive to keep the property in good shape since it will revert back to him at some future date.

The cost of a timeshare unit, usually sold in one week increments, depends on its size, amenities and location. Also, each week in the year may not cost the same - winter weeks may cost more than summer weeks in hot, sunny climates. In addition to the purchase price and any interest charges, there's also an annual maintenance fee. This fee may increase as the property ages and upkeep becomes more expensive.

If possible, visit the property. Inspect the quality of the construction as well as the furniture and appliances. If the project isn't Ownership Council (formerly the National Timesharing Council) advises that payments be held in escrow until the unit is clear of lender obligations or encum-

To determine if the property will be properly maintained, ask questions about the quality of the management. Is it adequate for the size of the project? What about housekeeping and security? Do owners have to check in at the front

Before signing a contract, check out the developer/seller with your Better Business Bureau. Also make sure the contract includes all oral agreements and have a lawyer review it.



NIFTY--Modeling their creations for the intermediate casual daywear division at the Panhandle District Fashion Show are, from left, Scarlet Slough,

Hansford Co.; Carrie Hatch, Dallam Co.; Teresa LaMaster, Ochiltree Co., and Kinann Campbell, Deaf Smith Co.

Gold scam in the American West

There's a new gold rush in the American West, but investors aren't striking it rich - only con artists.

These con artists trick investors into paying thousands of dollars for tons of unprocessed dirt in the deserts and scrubland of the Southwest. They guarantee that each ton of dirt will yield certain amounts of gold, silver or platinum. To appear legitimate, they often use officiallooking documents that contain greatly inflated mineral content figures. They may even promise to pay the difference out of their own pocket if the mine fails to generate the promised amount of gold.

Before the end of 1988, it's

estimated that "dirt pile" schemes could bilk investors out of \$200 million dollars. And, there'll be a victim in every state of the union.

To protect yourself against this new scheme, hang up on telephone salespersons who use high pressure sales tactics. Also, be suspicious if a salesperson insists on picking up your check in person or sending a courier. By avoiding transactions through the mail, the company may be trying to evade penalties for mail fraud.

Don't be swayed by the fact that an aggregate ore mine is located on federal land. It costs only a few dollars to file the forms needed to establish an unpatented claim on

land that is managed by the Bureau of Land Management or Forest'

Also watch out for phony mineral assay tests. Even a legitimate assayist can be duped if the dirt sample he or she tests has been "salted" or taken from a different mine site. To receive general information on the known mineral content in a specific area, contact the Bureau of Mines in the state where the prospect site is located.

When investing in gold ore, take time to make your decision and get everything in writing. Also, check the promoter out with your state securities office and your Better Business Bureau.

Letter to the Editor

The week of July 25-29, Bill Porter and Dale Moyer went to fire school. A few people have commented that they were paid for it. NO, they do not get paid. The guys that go have to give up one week vacation away from their family to do this to help their town. A lot of guys only get one week off a year so they really lose a lot.

This year the main reason why' Bill and Dale went was to keep our insurance from going up. The

department is doing everything they can to keep this from happening but now it's your turn to help. They need help bad.

On August 7, 1988, they had a house fire, they paged four times and only seven men showed up. We were lucky and they got it put out before a lot of damage could be done. But what if it was your house or something worse.

Would you PLEASE help the fire department and join!

Terry Ann Porter

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of Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Ray Scribner.

Everyone worked very hard, was extremely lovely, and talented. We are also eager to take this opportunity to congratulate Mechelle Graham for being the 1st runner-up for Miss Wheatheart, as well as Misty Savage for 1st runner-up, and Cacy McGill 2nd runner-up in the Junior Miss Wheatheart. And also to acknowledge Margie Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans, who was handing down her crown as the 1987 Junior Miss Wheatheart.



On any given day in America, roughly 20 million people buy take out food.

1988 PROPERTY TAX RATES IN HANSFORD COUNTY

This notice concerns, 1988 property tax rates for HAMSFORD COUNTY. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's rate is the actual rate the county used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. Compare it to the tax rate the county proposes for this year. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the county can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

		General Fund	Flood Control Fund
	Last year's tax rate:		
1	Last year's operating taxes Last year's debt taxes Last year's total taxes Last year's tax base	\$ 990,409 \$ 39,022 \$ 1,029,431 \$375,157,063	\$ 220,605 \$ -0- \$ 220,605 \$372,015,913
	Last year's tax rate for each fund	\$.2744 /\$100	\$.0593 /\$100
	Last year's total tax rate	\$.3337/\$1	00
	This year's effective tax rate: last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and taxes to correct	\$_1,028,607	\$ 220,284
	appraisal roll errors) This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting taxes on new property) This year's effective tax rate for	\$365,999,738	\$362,855.268
	each fund	\$.2810 /\$100	\$.0607 /\$100
	This year's total effective tax rate	\$.3417 /\$	100
	1.03 Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearings	\$.3520 /\$	100
	This year's rollback tax rate: Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and taxes to correct appraisal roll errors and adding taxes lost in court suits)	\$ 990,409	\$ 220,285
	This year's adjusted tax base (after	\$365,999,738	\$362,855,268
	subtracting taxes on new property) This year's effective operating rate	\$.2706 /\$100	\$.0607 /\$100
	t 1.08 This year's maximum operating rate This year's debt rate	\$.2922 /\$100 \$.0042 /\$100	\$.0655 /\$100 \$ -0-
	This year's rollback rate for each	\$.2964 /\$100	\$.0655 /\$100
	This year's rollback tax rate	\$.3619 /\$	Andready representation of the Parket

SCHEDULE A: UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES

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The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation. TYPE OF PROPERTY TAX FUND

\$171,000.00

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Total required for 1988 debt service Amount (if apy) paid from funds listed in Schedule A

\$15,000,00

\$15,975.00 -0-- Excess Collections last year \$ 797.00

* Total to be paid from taxes in 1988 + Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 98% of its

= Total Debt Service Levy

\$15,178.00 \$ 310.00 \$15,488.00

\$15,975.00

Commodity distribution

August 17 will be commodity surplus distribution day. The governmental commodities will be distributed at the Hausford County Courthouse from 1 to 5 p.m.

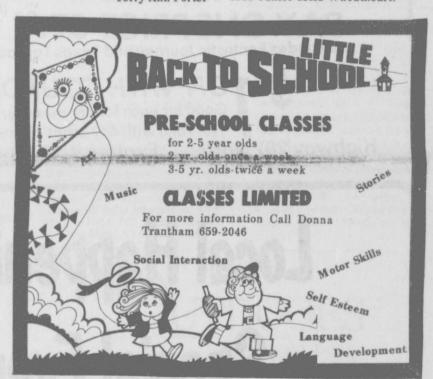
Andrews family held 31st family reunion

The 31st Annual Andrews re union was held in Gruver on August 6 and 7. Seventeen members attended Saturday evening and 64 members gathered Sunday at noon.

Harv Haney from Colorado was the oldest member present while Whitney Haney (6 wks) was the youngest member. Melissa Amoson traveled the farthest to attend. She is from Colorado.

Rickey Thompson was elected president for next year. Visiting and swimming was enjoyed by members after Sunday lunch.





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Newcomers to Spearman are

Kurt and Karoline Ashmore. They

have been here about two weeks

and are nearly settled. They are

from Hale Center, and he is the 7th

grade coach. She will be teaching

history and English in the 6th

tennis, and she is also a golfer and

Church of Christ, and they are

living at 822 S. Roland, No. 2.

For recreation he enjoys golf and

Their church preference is the

This is their first year to teach,

so in addition to bidding them

welcome to Spearman, all the

neighbors join in wishing them a

Experiencing a "double dip" is

Don and Nina Hendricks. He is still

confined to intermediate care in

High Plains Baptist Hospital as a

result of a motorcycle accident

several weeks ago. On Friday

Carl Miller and his mother

entertained guests for three days

last week. His brother, Victor, and

a former classmate, Frank Merklin,

were here from Benkelman, Neb.

Rare indeed is the occasion for a

family to dedicate a monument to a

family member. Such was the

privilege of Jesse Davis and his

family last Saturday at the Will

Rogers Day Observance at Hig-

Dr. Jesse J. Davis, the father of

Jesse R., was a typical "Horse and

Buggy' doctor who served the

Higgens community from 1903 to

Indicating the depth of the

citizen's affection for him is the

monument to his memory which

Many citizens, whose lives had

been touched by him during his long practice, organized and dona-

ted funds for the memorial. A list

of the donors is attached to the

monument. A poem honoring the

doctor and written by a devoted admirer, a member of the Price

family, is inscribed on the placque. Jesse is the only survivor of the

original family and so represented

the family in acknowledging the

tribute before a large crowd. The

next generation consists only of

Jesse's two daughters and a niece

was dedicated on Saturday.

grade at Perryton.

enjoys the piano.

successful career.

major surgery.

family members.

Among the Neighbors

Connie Woolley is looking forward to at least a weeks relaxation after a months constant activity.

On July 5 she with 52 other members and two sponsors of the U. S. Collegiate Choir left for three weeks in Europe. They flew from New York City to Paris and then toured six countries. They sang in Cathedrals and concert halls in Austria, West Germany, Holland, France, Switzerland, and Italy.

They had time for some sight seeing and also saw a lot of the countries as they toured. Connie remembered especially the Alps, including a spectacular Ice Cave, and the Versailles Palace.

The group was lodged mainly in hotels but in Amsterdam they stayed at a youth hotel.

As soon as she returned, Connie served as a counsellor at the Methodist encampment at Ceta Canyon. She had the 4,5 and 6 grade groups.

Cathy Archer, Bob Vinson, Carol Pack and Ray Adams of Booker returned last week from a three weeks trip to Australia where they served on a mission. They were under the auspices of the Texas Australia Partnership Mission.

Leaving July 20, flying by way of Los Angeles and stopping at Tahiti, they reached Sydney, Australia on the 22nd.

The next morning they traveled

by train for 7 hours to Albury. They were met by the host families, in whose homes they stayed.

Their mission was in a rural sheep ranching country, and they conducted services at three churches in the towns of Walla Walla, Goombargana and Coroway. The services consisted of Bible services and witnessing.

They found the Australians to be most hospitable, and even though it was winter there, they all enjoyed the time in Australia.

Carol Pack, being joined by her husband Neal, went on to Tasmania to visit friends there.

Jennifer Turner and Heather Murrell feel that they absorbed a great deal of interesting and useful information and made new friends during the time they spent at Camp Summer Life near Taos, N.M. This week was designated Camp RyLa (Rotarians Youth Leaders Association) Award week.

The girls were selected by members of the High School faculty for their leadership potential.

John R. Collard, Rotarian, took them and also participated in some of the programs.

The mornings were devoted to lectures and discussions from very accomplished women, successful in many fields. The afternoons were spent in sports and social activities. Parents of Jennifer are Mr. and Mrs. Loyall Turner and parents of Heather are Mr. and Mrs. Butch

A trip that many young men would envy has just been completed by two Scouts - Christopher Turner and Dallas Trosper. They had two weeks canoe trek in Canada. They joined Dub Alkins, Scoutmaster of Pampa and nine other scouts from Skellytown and Pampa and drove to Bissett, Manitoba. There is High Adventure Scout Base located there. Here they had to condense all the equipment, food and gear for two weeks in three small packs. They were flown by pontoon plane to Scout Lake.

All this area of Canada is a maze of lakes and rivers. They paddled the canoes for 73 miles, with 43 portages. The area was teeming with wild life and the scenery was beautiful. Most of the trip was in good weather but one day and night was stormy, windy and rainy.

They boys became proficient in solving problems of the wilderness, and no accidents nor illness marred the trip - but there was aching muscles galore. A never to be forgotten sight was the brilliant Northern Lights.

Christopher and Dallas will be Freshman this fall and are the sons of the Loyall Turners and Larry and nephew.

There were 18 members of the immediate family of Jesse and Dorthy present, including 4 of their great grandchildren. From Spearman were Mary Lou and Sam Wysong; Jan and Ed Williamson and two girls. The other two Wysong daughters and their families from Hereford and Canyon attended.

Sympathy is expressed to Nina Evans whos grandson, Andy Joe Fuller, was killed in an accident on highway 183 near Rising Star early Sunday morning.

He was 34 and leaves a wife, two sons and a daughter as well as other relatives, including Jerry Evans of Spearman, an uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Copeland were gone several days last week to attend the funeral of her aunt in Muskogee. They were accompanied by her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Osborne of Perryton.

unexpectedly she had to undergo Just two weeks ago they had gone to Muskogee to attend the Both are recovering according to funeral of a cousin.

> Mrs. Eva Adkison is enjoying the company of her daughter, Mrs. Velora Farrah of Albuquerque. She will be here several more days.

Over the weekend guests of Mrs. Adkison were her grandson, Leonard Pearce and wife, Rhonda and daughter, Jessica. He is in the Air Force and stationed at Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Sherlock are sweltering again after a cool two weeks in the mountains at Tres Ritos, N.M. They and the children, Travis, Chad, and Katie enjoyed sight-seeing, fishing, shopping in Red River. They returned Saturday and he resumed his duties with Union Oil Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Turner spent more than a week at their lodge at El Valle Escondido. They were joined by her brother and his wife of Myrtle Beach, S. Caro. and her sister of Phoenix. They were near Taos and the scenery is exceptionally beautiful this year.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 1988

Luzelle and Woodie Beene, of Nixon, Tx. visited a few days this past week with her sister-in-law, Ruth Bryan.

Something new in the Butch Schaefer residence since he has received his pilots instructor certificate and is now taking students. Butch has been a pilot for ten years and uses a Piper Cherokee 180, and he and his family have enjoyed flying for personal travel for some time. He can now book charter

Mrs. Tina Freeman is recovering from surgery and is back at home. She was in the High Plains Baptist

Her mother, Mrs. Gene Hay and sister, Teri of Rapid City, S. Dak. came Tuesday and will be here several days.

David McGuire is at home after a painful accident. He was assisting the Stinson Hay Haulers when he fell from the hay wagon and broke his right foot. He was first taken to Perryton then transferred to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo on Friday. He was able to leave the hospital Wednesday but will have his foot in a cast for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Pet Wall, with Kristi, Chelsea and Courtney, are again mopping their brows since their return from a vacation at cool Wagon Wheel, the Blue Creek camp, near South Fork, Colo.

Vacationing with them were her parents Odell and Ricky Fanning and her brother and wife, the Bobby Fannings, From Borger.

Besides the usual vacationing in the mountains activities, they enjoyed rafting down the Rio Grande.

Ray and Beth Phelps joined his brother, Bob and Ada Rose Phelps, of Forgan, for several days fishing at Eagle Nest. Later they went on to Taos and Santa Fe for nearly a

A few days after their return, their daughter and husband, Janice and Craig Thornhill of Dallas flew up for the weekend to assist in the birthday observance for Ray his 39th again!

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The monthly meeting for The Just Say No Club will be Saturday, August 20 from 11:00 until 3:00 at the Swimming Pool Park. This meeting will be a picnic with the Hansford Manor residents.

JUST SAY NO CLUB NEWS

Have you ever deposited a check and then discovered that the bank put a "hold" on it so you couldn't write checks against your deposit? Beginning September 1, 1988, a

By Karen Babitzke

federal law goes into effect which establishes how quickly banks and thrifts must make funds from checks available to depositors.

If you deposit a check from another account at the same financial institution you'll be able to draw against it on the same day. Also, you can write checks against the first \$100 of any checks you deposited that day.

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Tuesday, September 20 RAY STEVENS

RICKY VAN SHELTON/ HOLLY DUNN

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Friday, September 23

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amount the next day. For other local checks, which are defined as those written on institutions in the same Federal Reserve Region, you can draw on the money after no more than two business days from the date of deposit.

For checks from banks in far away states the waiting period can be no more than six business days. The new law means that most funds will be available between three to ten days after deposit.

To protect the financial institutions from consumers who deposit and then draw on a check that bounces, the law has its limits. The same schedules will not apply for the first 30 days of new accounts to deposits of checks more than \$5000 or to accounts that have been repeatedly overdrawn, checks that the bank believes to be uncollectable or deposits made during emergency conditions.

The financial institutions will also be required to disclose the terms and conditions for holding deposited checks to people who open new accounts. They must also inform all depositors on preprinted deposit slips, on notices at teller's stations and automated machines and upon request.

Your own financial institution may have even less of a waiting period than the schedule set up by this new law. So be sure to look for this information around September

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Specifications may be obtained from the offices of the County Judge or County Auditor.

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FOR SALE: Sofa and loveseat in excellent condition \$400. Used range in excellent condition \$100. Call 659-2117. S39-4t

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GARAGE SALE: August 6 from 8 -5. 621 S. Roland. S40 1tp

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GARAGE SALE Saturday, August 6, 9 - 6 and Sunday, August 7, 1 - 5. 434 S. Bernice. Dishes, Furniture, Children clothes, and S40 1tp

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Bids are to be submitted to Mr. Larry Butler, Superintendent, Spearman I.S.D., 403 E. 11th Ave., Spearman, Texas 79081.

The Board of Trustees of Spearman I.S.D. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. s41-1tc

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a. nine b. six c. three

2. If it were two hours later, it would be half as long until midnight as it would be if it were an hour later. What time is it now?

a. 8 p.m. b. 9 p.m. c. 10 p.m. 3. Pear is to apple as potato is to? a. banana b. radish c. strawberry

ANSWERS

1. b. One typist types one page in two minutes.

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Double trouble

Patty and Robert Coellen of Aurora, Co. had a set of fraternal twin boys, Cory Mathew and Eric Thomas and 17 months later had her second set of fraternals, Crystal Dawn and Lisa Marie. They had only been married 24 months when the second set was born! She

did much better than any of us! During a recent phone conversation with a professional associate of her husbands, he asked, "And what do you do?" Selma Fraiberg's answer was, "Presently I chase triplets."

by AARON PASS

A Lure For All Seasons

In these days of "hi-tech" angling, the choice of an artifical bait can get a bit confusing. You have your crank baits, your spinner baits, your buzz baits not to mention your twitch baits, stick baits, flippin' baits and so forth. Actually I'm not sure some of the foregoing aren't the same things—at least from the fish's point of view.

However, there is one lure (or class of lures) that belongs in every angler's tackle box. That is the jig. It is the essence of simplicity. It has been around virtually forever. And best of all, it catches fish-a wide variety of fish, under a wide variety of circumstances.

The jig consists of a lump of lead molded onto a hook (hence the name, lead head). This is followed with a variety of dressings: deer hair, marabou feathers, rubber skirts or small plastic grub-like bodies. Sometimes it is even tipped with a natural bait such as a night crawler or minnow. It comes in a variety of weights, casts like a bullet and sinks like a rock.

You pick the weight to match your equipment and the type of dressing to match your quarry's feeding habits.

A lead head dressed with a brush-like plastic weed guard and tipped with a strip of pickled pig skin becomes the justly acclaimed 'jig and pig." This is a favorite early spring lure of bass anglers who fish it slow and deep on steep rocky shorelines. Later in the summer, the lead head, dressed with a plastic worm, is used to probe deep structures for summer bass action.

A jig head with a soft plastic, fish-shaped body is a favorite for such open-water predators as the striped bass; its little cousin, the white bass; or the cross between these species, the hybrid "sunshine" bass

Once, while we were casting shad-bodied jigs and hoping to find a breaking school of stripers, my fishing partner set his hook into a solid fish. In due course an eight-pound channel cat came over the side. I doubt that jigs will ever replace blood baits, stink baits, etc. for catfishing, but it proves that if a gamefish will eat a baitfish, it will take a jig.

Scale down the lead head, add a grub body and a safety-pin spinner and you have about the best bluegill bait this side of wasp larvae. Used on ultra-light tackle and cast into a hot bed of spawning bluegills, the jig/grub/spinner renders great sport and a great fish

Jigs in their traditional feather and hair dressing and sometimes "sweetened" with a minnow have long been the standbys of walleye and crappie anglers. They are also a favorite of winter ice fisherfolk for a variety of species.

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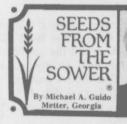
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A man was arrested and brought into court for operating a still. "How do you plead?" came the question.

"Guilty," he repried, "and I waive the hearing.

"What do you mean?" asked the judge.

"I don't want to hear anything more about it," said the moonshiner.

A lot of people don't want to hear anything more about death or judgment. But the Bible says, "Man is appointed to die, after that to face judgment."

Sooner or later you must face your sins. If you face them now in confession, you'll not face them later in condemnation.

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The Human Side of War

It has been 125 years since the fate of America was decided on two battlefields. Near Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, two great armies met on a field of battle in July, 1863. Simultaneously, across the country, the siege of Vicksburg was coming to a close as battered and starving defenders made ready to surrender the Confederacy's major fortress on the Mississippi River.

In the years since, thousands of books have been written about the War Between the States or Civil War. Americans are endlessly fascinated with those dramatic days. Even this year, the latest history of the war has spent weeks on the best seller lists.

There was more to the war than the grand strategies of the generals. There was a human side of the war at the private's level. Although it was a time of heated emotions and animosities, these "unofficial" meetings of the troops were often quite friendly.

One of the key reasons for this diplomacy between privates was trade. Because of the blockade of Southern ports, Confederates found coffee to be almost unobtainable. On the other side of the line, Union troops desired tobacco, most of which was grown in the Southern states. A flourishing commerce soon developed to the benefit of privates wearing both the blue and the gray.

When the armies were separated by the Rappahannock River near Fredericksburg, Virginia, great ingenuity was used to continue the barter. Small boats, a foot or two in length, were constructed and sailed across the river. On the Northern shore, Billy Yank would load his craft with a sack of coffee and send it into the stream. Johnny Reb on the other shore would receive the cargo, reload the tiny boat with tobacco and push it back into the stream.

Newspapers were also swapped so each side could read how the "enemy's" reporters were covering the battles.

Opposing bands alternated concerts which could be heard by both armies. The night before the battle of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, Confederates listened contentedly to a Union band play such Northern favorites as "Yankee Doodle." The Southerners yelled to the band to "play some of ours" and were rewarded with the sounds of "Dixie" and "The Bonny Blue Flag."

This friendly serenade happened on several battlefields. The evening concerts often ended with the band playing "Home, Sweet Home." At first a few, then scores and finally hundreds of voices from both sides joined together to sing the wistful ballad. At song's end, silence would cover both camps as men brushed the tears away and returned to their tents. In the morning, the same soldiers would be fighting for their lives. But for a few moments at least, their minds and their hearts were united.

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