



# Primary Election Issue



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## January Jobless Rate 2.8 Percent

Hansford County's unemployment rate stood at 2.8 percent during January, according to the Texas Employment Commission.

The TEC reports that during the Month of January, Hansford County had a total civilian labor force of 3,517 persons. Of that number 3,418 were employed and 99 did not have jobs during the month.

"The news is good!" Commissioner Mary Scott Nabers of the TEC said as the statewide unemployment figures were released. "We had expected this month's rate to go up because of the freeze in the valley," Nabers said, "but that did not happen." The statewide unemployment rate just released is 5.8 percent - the same as last month.

Nabers pointed out, however, that border areas did see rather dramatic increases. The McAllen-Edinburg-Mission area, where the bulk of the layoffs due to the freeze occurred, suffered an increase of almost three percentage points. Total employment for the state also declined but that is common for January because of the fact that many people hired for the Christmas season were laid off.

Currently 480,600 Texans are seeking work. The fact that unemployment did not rise over the month may be partially due to the fact that many terminated employees in January did not seek other work immediately.

Nonfarm salaried jobs in the state declined as over 50,000 jobs were deleted. Most of these were in Trade where the most "temporary hires" were made during the Christmas season. "However," Commissioner

Nabers said, "most other industry sectors saw declines as well and we would certainly rather not see that happen."

Unemployment rates for the state's metropolitan statistical areas were basically unchanged. "The way the rates held everywhere in the state except the border is almost unbelievable," Nabers said. Sixteen of the 28 MSA's had rates below 6.0 percent and seven recorded higher rates.

"Although there is little change from the economic picture we had exactly one month ago there is a big change when one compares the January 1990 statistics with January of one year ago," Commissioner Nabers said. "In comparing our present situation to last year we see an increase of 164,500 additional jobs in total Non-Agricultural employment and an increase of 166,800 in total non manufacturing employment. That's not bad considering everything else."

MSA's with the lowest unemployment rates in January included: Bryan-College Station, at 3.4 percent; Austin, with 4.3 percent rate; Lubbock, at 4.4 percent; Dallas, which had a 4.6 percent rate; and Fort Worth-Arlington, with a 4.7 percent jobless rate.

Highest rates in January continued to center in the four border areas. These included: McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, with a January rate of 19.5 percent; Laredo, with 11.4 percent; Brownsville-Harlingen, at 10.4 percent; and El Paso with a 9.7 percent rate.



Candidates attending Monday night's political forum in Spearman were [front row, l-r] Eddie G. Martin, David Boyd, Gary Ellsworth, Michele Davis, Joyce Vanderburg, Loyall Turner, Jim Brown, [back row, l-r]

Guy Hazlett, Gail Waterfield, representing Dick Waterfield, and David Swinford. Also attending the forum was Bob Price.



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## Hansford County Looking Back

### 5 YEARS AGO...

Sunday, March 3, 1985  
The Spearman Lynx ended their basketball season as Area finalists.

Members of the winning team included Mack McLain, Steve Burke, Jeff Graves, Allen Mires, Damon Goodheart, Ross Donahue, Mark Pearson, Jerry Garcia, Bob Cook, Tim Willis, Thad Reid, Dean Greene, and Coach F.G. Crofford.

### 10 YEARS AGO...

Sunday, March 2, 1980  
Spearman DECA Chapter entered seven contestants in the Ninth Annual Area Career Development Conference.

Joann Reed won a first place trophy in mathematics and another first place trophy for the highest composite score of the three tests.

Jamie Butler also won two trophies, a first in Product/

Service Technology and a third in composite score.

Jeanne Close won a second place overall trophy in General Merchandise.

Kevin Rook won a second place overall trophy in the Advertising contest. Spearman ranked eighth out of 31 schools.

### 15 YEARS AGO...

Sunday, March 2, 1975  
The first two snows that dropped 11 inches of snow and stayed

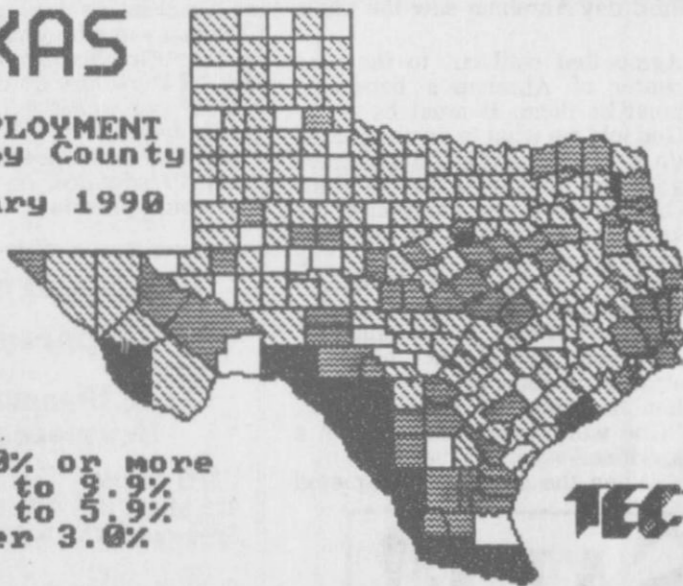
on the fields really did a lot of good for the dry soil. Wheat prices dropped from \$3.85 per bushel to \$3.50 per bushel due in part to the expectation of a bumper crop across the midwest.

### 20 YEARS AGO...

Sunday, March 1, 1970  
The third class of the School of Vocational Nursing at Hansford Hospital is now accepting enrollment according to Hospital Administrator S.M. Anderson.

## TEXAS

UNEMPLOYMENT  
Rate by County  
January 1990



■ 10.0% or more  
■ 6.0 to 9.9%  
■ 3.0 to 5.9%  
□ Under 3.0%

TEC

## Oil, Gas Figures Given

December 1989 natural gas and crude oil production figures for Hansford County have been released by the Railroad Commission of Texas.

RRC figures show Hansford County produced 2,967,790 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of natural gas during the month of December 1989. Crude oil production totaled 31,372 barrels in Hansford County that same month, according to Railroad Commission Chairman Kent Hance.

Statewide, Hance announced that Texas oil and gas wells produced 468,180,306 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas in December 1989, compared to the November gas production total of 454,967,152 Mcf. December's production was down five percent compared to December 1988's production of 495,043,702 Mcf.

Texas gas production for 1989 totaled 5,595,189,980 Mcf, a two percent decrease compared to the 1988 total of 5,710,867,485 Mcf.

The state's top producing counties, rank ordered by preliminary December production were: Pecos, 28,673,344 Mcf; Zapata, 26,327,967 Mcf; Webb, 24,887,003 Mcf; Panola, 16,712,480 Mcf; Hidalgo, 15,484,470 Mcf; Crane, 12,575,825 Mcf; Hemphill, 10,009,890 Mcf; Ector, 9,528,770 Mcf; Crockett, 8,767,606 Mcf; and

McMullin, 8,434,531 Mcf. Texas gas production in December came from 184,699 oil wells and 46,248 gas wells.

Texas crude oil production averaged 1,675,160 barrels daily in December, according to preliminary figures. December 1988's preliminary production was 1,837,819 barrels daily.

This figure compares with preliminary November production of 1,736,623 barrels daily. Final production reports for November indicated average production at 1,756,266 barrels daily.

The preliminary Texas oil production figure for December is 51,929,949 barrels, down from 52,098,686 barrels in November. December 1988's preliminary Texas oil production figure was 56,972,402 barrels.

Texas crude production for 1989 totaled 650,513,557 barrels, a six percent decrease compared to the 1988 total of 698,869,689 barrels.

Hance said the state's top producing counties, rank ordered by preliminary December production were: Gaines, 3,670,192 barrels; Ector, 2,966,249 barrels; Andrews, 2,837,564 barrels; Yoakum, 2,866,823 barrels; Hockley, 2,839,120 barrels; Gregg, 2,457,623 barrels; Pecos, 2,263,930 barrels; Crane, 1,518,753 barrels; Scurry, 1,282,720 barrels; and Kent, 995,192 barrels.

## PRPC Appoints Advisory Board

At the February 22 Panhandle Regional Planning Commission Board of Directors meeting, appointments to the Regional Criminal Justice Advisory Board were made. They include Jane King, Chief Juvenile Probation Officer, Randall County; Herb Hill, Colonel, Amarillo Police Department; Wes Connor, Chief Adult Probation Officer, Hutchinson, Hansford and Ochiltree Counties; Tom Simons, County Judge, Deaf Smith County; and

George Terry, McLean, Texas. Current membership of this committee consists of George Dowlen, Amarillo; Chief Charles

Fleming, Panhandle Police Department; Sheriff Lonny Rhynes, Castro County; Rudy Rivas, Parole Officer, Amarillo; Jana Smith, Adult Probation Officer, Carson, Collingsworth, Childress, Hall and Donley Counties; Randy Wright, Claude, Texas; Judge W.C. Fessler, Sherman County; and Sheriff Rex Williams, Parmer

County.

This committee is responsible for the review and prioritization of various criminal justice-related applications from the Panhandle area. The Panhandle region receives approximately \$250,000 to \$300,000 annually from the State of Texas for criminal justice-related projects. These funds are generated from court costs assessed in the municipal, justice, county and district courts across the state. The funds are then allocated to each region of the

state based primarily on population and crime statistics.

The criminal justice grants are generally made to cities, counties, school districts and regional planning commissions. The annual requests for these funds far exceed the amount of funds available to be granted. In order to make decisions as to which projects are to be funded in the Panhandle, the PRPC Board of Directors established the Regional Criminal Justice Advisory Board.

## 'Quilters' Comes To Spearman

by Jean Ann Behney  
Described by Director Allen Shankles as a play "truly remarkable, particularly for this part of the country," "Quilters" is the story of a pioneer woman, Sarah, and her daughters. As the play opens, Sarah is starting to work on her last quilt, which will be a record of her life. Shankles explains, "The patches or blocks making up this legacy quilt each represent an event in her life, both the good times and the bad times." He adds that Sarah's daughters symbolize all pioneer women.

"Quilters," by playwrights Molly Newman and Barbara Damashek, is based on the book - **Quilters: Women and Domestic Art**, by Patricia Cooper and Norma Bradey Buford. This book, available at Hansford County Library, is a collection of photographs combining quilts and southwestern landscapes, and actual narratives of women quilters, many of

whom are from this area. Clovis, Stinnett, Texline and Farwell are among the towns represented by quilters and their stories in this book.

The play "Quilters" uses monologues and dialogues taken directly from the book, lending the drama its authenticity and provoking local interest. These features attracted Director Shankles when he first saw a cutting of the play performed in Fort Worth a year ago. Reading the script convinced him that "Quilters" would be a fascinating yet challenging play for Amarillo Little Theater.

Underwritten by the Junior League of Amarillo, "Quilters" is being performed in Spearman, Saturday, March 24 at 7:30 p.m. in the Spearman High School auditorium. The Golden Spread Senior Citizens Center is spon-

soring the play and First State Bank of Spearman is underwriting the costs for this local performance.

Tickets for "Quilters" can be purchased beginning Monday, March 5 from members of the Palo Duro Players or the Thirtysomething Youth Group. Those interested in buying tickets can also call the Golden Spread at 659-3866. Prices are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students.

During the play's intermission on March 24, there will be a special drawing for a locally-made quilt. Raffle tickets for a chance on this quilt will be available soon through the Golden Spread Senior Citizens Center, according to Pearl Pierce.

The quilt to be raffled was made by four women who meet regularly on Monday afternoons to stitch at the Golden Spread. One of

them, Anita Anthony, commented, "We have been doing this for six years or so. We make two quilts a year, one in the fall and one in the spring, to be raffled as a money-maker for the Center." The quilt to be given away during the "Quilters" performance is done in earth tones, Pierce said, and was made by Anthony, Susan Delk, Mabel Jameson and Lorene McGuire.

### WEATHER

	High	Low	Prec.
Thurs.	48	26	
Fri.	58	27	
Sat.	63	26	
Sun.	70	36	
Mon.	60	39	
Tues.	67	51	.06
Wed.			

# Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

In response to some of the barbed criticism regarding the Spearman school graduating students who are deficient in learning-one can point with pride to two outstanding students.

Announcement was made last week from Texas Tech that Kevin Nelson, who previously has made the Dean's list, is now on the President's list - which means he has earned a 4.0 average.

Not to be outdone is Ginger Pearson, also a Tech student, and also making the President's list.

Ginger's major is foreign languages and Kevin's is business finance.

Congratulations to both!

Evelyn Mackie sustained a painful and complicated broken right shoulder on Saturday morning in Borger.

She and Albert had attended the double funeral for the Felkners at the Church of Jehovah's Witness. In leaving she stepped from a six inch curb and fell. After having x-rays made, it was decided that she would go to Amarillo to an orthopedic surgeon.

A response to the invitations for the all school reunion next July sent by the Class of 1931 brings sad word of the death of Aln Reed, a graduate of 1931.

Aln, 74, passed away on September 1, 1988 at Nacogdoches, where he had lived for a number of years. He was the son of George and Pearl Reed and grew up in Spearman along with his sisters and brothers, all of whom survive him.

He graduated from high school

here in 1931 and married Faye Files, also a graduate in 1931. She preceded him in death many years ago. He was a Methodist minister and served as a Chaplain in the armed forces for a number of years. Aln had received a number of awards and citations through the years.

Services and interment were in Nacogdoches. He is also survived by his widow and a son and daughter.

Aln attended the last school reunion here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bartholomew visited in the home of Maxine Banister during last week for a couple of days. They have been friends for many years. After being in Dallas for several months, they were enroute back to their home in Steamboat Springs, Colo.

Residents of Hansford Manor celebrating birthdays during February were Juanita Boxford, Sam Miller, Nina Evans, Lula Flock, Merle Farrington and Phoebe Fox. A birthday party honoring them was held on February 23, with musical entertainment furnished by Rod Barkley and Les Barkley of Gruver. Eddie Gail Martin accompanied them on the piano.

The residents enjoyed the music so much, they would like it repeated daily. Hostesses assisting with the refreshments were Eddie Largent, Edith Smith, Peggy Ellsworth, Gwen Smith, Rosalie Butt and Melba Oakes.

On a beautiful February 8th, they enjoyed an outdoor hamburger cook-out. The First

State Bank hosted this occasion - even to cooking the hamburgers.

A new resident is Ward Spivey of Gruver.

Although Activity Administrator Jody Harnish was in Houston with her family at the stock show, her able assistant Rhonda Gibson made sure the residents didn't lack for activities during her absence.

Jack and Dolly McWhirter and Richard Shedeck spent Thursday through Saturday in Oklahoma City. They were visiting relatives there.

Sue and Wendy Woolley used part of the spring break to visit Frankie and Troy Sloan in Breckenridge. On Thursday Frankie came back with them and after a couple of days in Amarillo, she came on to Spearman for several more days.

Betty Vernon, using the Houston Stock Show for an excuse, spent the week in Houston. She visited in the home of her daughters, Bonnie and Johnny Jo and son, Scott. She accompanied son Tracy and Regina with their daughter, Mandy. They attended the show.

Mrs. Myrtle Ware and daughter, Denise Ware, of Stinnett were in Las Vegas, Nev. for several days last week. They were guests of Mrs. Ware's sister, Janis and Bill Bischoff.

Guests of Matilda Entekin a couple of days the latter part of the week were her daughter, Florence (Mrs. Dickie) Pendley of Rowlette, Texas. Also Matilda's granddaughter, Emily Nolan and two children, also of Rowlette.

Dickie was in Amarillo due to the death of his father. The Pendleys were former residents of Spearman.

In observance of their 20th wedding anniversary, Jackie and Bob Pearson drove to Santa Fe for a few days. They had no pre-planned schedule so they leisurely toured the art galleries, shops and places of historical interest. The weather was perfect and the scenery spectacular.

Their daughter, Laura, was

visiting her sister Ginger at Texas Tech and the other daughter, Carrie, was in D.C. with the A.P.T. school group.

It is hoped that their next 20th anniversary can be a repeat performance.

Alice Weidhofer of Stockton, Calif. and Josephine Bird of Rockport were guests of Louise and O.C. Holt a few days last week. They are sisters of Louise.

With the Houston Stock Show and the ski slopes being crowded with Hansford County folk, Spearman could qualify for "The Deserted Village" last week.

Bill and Lil Turner returned last Sunday from five days at their lodge near Angel Fire. Bill claims that he was taken along to wash dishes, but it is reported that he was seen on the slopes every day, early to late. To Bill, skiing is the only endeavor where one starts at the top and works one's way down.

Going with the Turners were some young friends - Timmy Kizzier, Shawn Tanner and Darien Hawkins. Later Darien's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hawkins, joined them.

Among others enjoying the excellent conditions and weather and no broken bones at Angel Fire were Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchison with Jeff, Alan and Alan Howell; Judy and Dennis Nelson with Kyla and Marci Womble - Betty and Dub Womble joined them later; Jeff and Shelly Beedy with Blake, Tanner and Brittni; Richard and Donna Trantham with Brooke, and Kasey Dunning; Judy and Rusty Tindell with Sonya; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Faries with Kara and Clint; Donnie and Carol Hergert with Clayton, Kirby and Bill Jack Pittman; Linda Butt with Tara and Cassi, and Suzanne and Sara Sanders; and Norlan and Linda Winegarmer with Cami, Keith and Josh.

The weekend was noisier but more enjoyable than usual for Edith and John Pipkin with entertaining their first great-granddaughter, LuRea Stokes. She is the three month old daughter of their grandson, Larry and Heidi Stokes of Amarillo, who were also guests for the weekend.

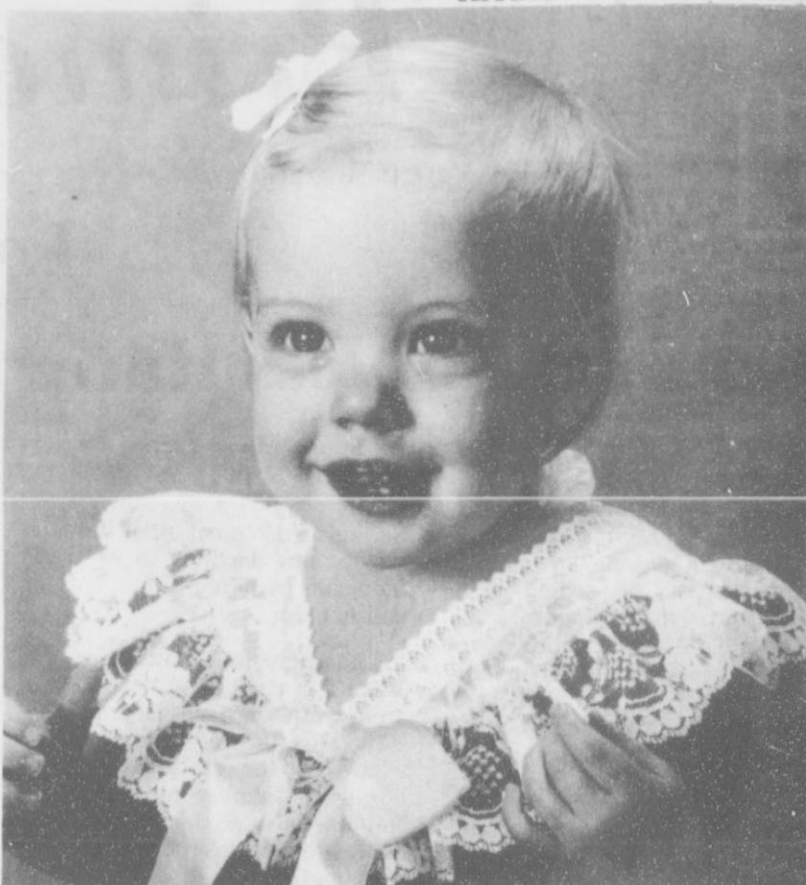
## World Day of Prayer Observed

The World Day of Prayer observance was held Friday, March 2 at the Faith Lutheran Church of Spearman.

The worship service was prepared by Christian Women of Czechoslovakia. The theme was "A Better Tomorrow-Justice for All."

Churches participating in this service were Faith Lutheran, Assembly of God, Sacred Heart Catholic, First Christian, Methodist, Presbyterian and Apostolic Faith, all of Spearman. Forty-seven people attended the service. The offering, totaling \$186.25, will be donated to the Hansford-Spearman Ambulance Service.

Next year's World Day of Prayer observance will be held at the First Christian Church of Spearman on March 1, 1991.



Meagan Nichole Gibson, daughter of Ronda Gibson of Spearman, was named All Star Babe Second Runner-up in the All Star Kids Pageant held Saturday, Feb. 24 in Amarillo. Meagan was chosen as the winner of the "Beautiful Babe," "Sportswear" and "Photogenic" categories of the pageant. The 16 month old beauty is the granddaughter of Ron Gibson of Spearman; great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yancy of Spearman; and great-great-granddaughter of Mattie Reynolds of Spearman. Next on her pageant agenda is the All Star Kids Pageant set for Saturday, March 10 in Guymon, Okla.

## Spiritually Speaking

by LaVerne Draper

First Christian Church

God Will Provide

Abraham awoke in a cold sweat, his body shivering beyond control. "What an awful nightmare. Too awful to even consider. The sacrifice of Isaac my only son." There had been other times when God had spoken to him, "when he was younger," but now he was an old man.

The Scripture in Gen. 22:1-8 does not account for us what terrible struggles must have filled the nightmarish hours before the dawn, but when the first light of day fell across the camp, Abraham knew what he must do. It had been revealed to him by the Lord. For three days Isaac and Abraham journeyed together, and on the third day Abraham saw the place

Again that chill cut to the very center of Abraham's bones. It must be done. It must be done. God told me what to do and I must do it. It was hard as he and Isaac gathered the stones for the altar. Cut the wood and sharpened the knife. Isaac had seen his father do this many times before and thought nothing about it, except he wondered, "Where is the sacrifice? There is no animal." Abraham looked at his son straight in the eye and spoke to him in words of absolute faith. "God will provide himself with a sacrifice."

When the altar was completed

and the wood laid on top, there was still no lamb, and Abraham choking back the tears, told his son that God wanted Isaac to be sacrificed, and he would do it. He tied his son and lifted him on the altar. Then he drew his knife and raising it above his head, perhaps closing his eyes, and maybe biting his lip, he made ready to draw the life from the son he loved so dearly. It was then that Abraham again heard the voice of God saying, "ABRAHAM STOP! DO YOUR SON NO HARM." He heard a noise and looking around Abraham saw a ram with its horns caught in a bush.

No! God could not let Abraham sacrifice his only son. He stopped him. . . God asked him to be willing to do it, but He would not let Abraham go through with it. That says something very wonderful about God doesn't it? God told him, "I know how much you love me, for you would not hold back your only son."

All the time Abraham made ready his sacrifice, he knew that God would provide.

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*Denae Baker*  
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# Candidate Profiles...

## Johny P. Vernon

Johny P. Vernon has announced his candidacy for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Hansford County.

Vernon, who currently serves as Justice of the Peace, has served in the office for 30 years.

He has been a Spearman resident for 62 years. A graduate of Spearman High School in the class of 1943, he served in the United States Navy for three years during World War II, then attended West Texas University.

He married the former Betty Jo Pierce in 1946. The couple has five children.

## Joe T. Venneman

Joe T. Venneman has announced his candidacy for re-election to the office of Hansford County Commissioner, representing Precinct #2.

The Democratic incumbent is presently serving his fourth term as commissioner.

Venneman has been a Hansford County resident for 43 years, having grown up on his family's farm here.

He feels his experience as a self-employed agribusinessman managing his family farm qualifies him for the position of Precinct 2 Commissioner.

He is a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church and the son of Frances Sparks Venneman.

Venneman and his wife Linda are the parents of Clint, age 18; Holly, age 15; and Kim, age 13, all students in Gruver schools.

## Norma Jean Mackie



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Norma Jean Mackie is the incumbent candidate for Hansford County Treasurer on the Democratic ticket. She is serving her first four year term as treasurer, and is unopposed in her bid for re-election.

A long time resident of Hansford County, she is a graduate of Spearman High School. Mackie is the mother of four children, Cathy McCoy of Perryton and Lynna Renner, Michele Davis and Glen Ray Mackie of Spearman, and grandmother of 13.

A member of the First Baptist Church and former 4-H leader, she is involved with Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce and serves as Secretary for the Hansford County Division of the American Heart Association. She served on the Executive Board of the Sesquicentennial Committee and has been a Superintendent for the Hansford County Fair Board for the past six years.

For the past 18 years she has served as assistant Treasurer for the Hansford County Stock Show Board.

Mackie worked as payroll clerk for the Hansford County ASCS office for two and one-half years. She was employed as secretary for the Hansford County Extension Service for 19 years before taking

office as County Treasurer.

She is a Certified County Treasurer, with 60 hours of certification training through the V.G. Young Institute of County Government at College Station.

Regarding her candidacy, she comments, "Though I have no opponent I would appreciate your vote of confidence in the upcoming elections."

## Joyce Vanderburg

Joyce Vanderburg has announced her candidacy in the Democratic Primary for the office of Justice of the Peace.

Vanderburg, 37, states that she is aware of all the duties of the office of Justice of the Peace and that she wants the opportunity to work for and serve the residents of Hansford County.



Joyce Vanderburg

"I feel that one of the main responsibilities of a Justice of the Peace is to make fair and objective decisions. Honesty, fairness and

equality are what this office should be based upon," she said.

She cites 15 years' experience in accounting and bookkeeping as her primary qualifications for this job.

Vanderburg states that she has worked with the public in Hansford County for the past 17 years. She was employed by Ora Lee Blackburn for a 10 year period, and worked for Speartex Grain Company for three years. The past four years she has operated her home-owned business and has successfully dealt with people in a tri-state area.

Vanderburg has been a resident

of Hansford County for 22 years. Ernie, her husband, has been a lifelong resident of Hansford County, is engaged in farming and ranching and is an employee of Horizon Oil and Gas Company. They have been married 20 years and live seven miles southwest of Spearman.

## Michele Davis

Michele Davis has authorized the Spearman Reporter to announce her candidacy in the Democratic Primary for Justice of the Peace. The primary election will be Tuesday, Mar. 13, 1990.

Davis, 33, is a native of Hans-

ford County, and currently works as a volunteer for the City of Spearman and Hansford County's Emergency Medical Services (EMS).

Her past work experience includes her job as a computer systems operator at Caprock Industries from 1977-1979 and office administrator for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (1984-1986). She is a 1974 Spearman High School graduate who also attended West Texas State University for two years and has completed

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- Captain, U.S. Infantry, Silver Star, two Bronze Stars, Purple Heart.
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
					Texas Independence Day	*SHS Track Perryton meet JV & Varsity Boys Varsity Girls
4	5 * Rotary Meeting	6	7	8	9	10
* Attend the Church of your choice	*Political Forum SHS auditorium 7 p.m.	*C of C Customer Relations Seminar 7-9 p.m. First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall *Lions Club		*Chamber Brochure Committee Meeting 6:30 p.m. *C of C Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. Chamber office	*C of C Membership Meeting 11:30-1:00 Parish Hall *Flame Fellowship 7:00 p.m.	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
* Attend the Church of your choice	*Rotary Meeting	*Lion's Club *C of C Ambassadors Meeting 8:00 a.m. Chamber office		*C of C Women's Division Executive Board 12:00 p.m. Chamber Office	*Hansford County Stock Show	*St. Patrick's Day *Hansford County Stock Show *St. Patrick's Dance Cattleman's 9 p.m.
18	19 *Rotary Meeting	20	21	22	23	24
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25	26	27	28	29	30	31
*Attend the Church of your choice	*Rotary Meeting	*Lions Club				*YMCA Benefit Dinner and Dance 7:30-9:00 p.m. Meal 9:00p.m.-1:00 a.m. Dance

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## Hospital Notes

**Friday, February 23**  
Dismissals were Hazel Loftin and Glen Mackie.

**Saturday, February 24**  
No admissions or dismissals.

**Sunday, February 25**  
No admissions or dismissals.

**Monday, February 26**  
Dismissal was Bill Branstetter.

**Tuesday, February 27**  
No admissions or dismissals.

**Thursday, March 1**  
Patients were Fred Cooper, Ciró Ochoa, and Mathew Beasley.

**Friday, March 2**  
Admission was Ben Harris. Dismissed was Mathew Beasley.

**Saturday, March 3**  
Dismissed was Ciró Ochoa

**Sunday, March 4**  
Admitted was Carolyn Murphy, Ruth Skinner, Gertie Sparks, and Louise Beebe.

**Monday, March 5**  
No admissions or dismissals.

**Tuesday, March 6**  
No admissions or dismissals.

# Hansford County Election Information

## DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRIMARY ELECTION (ELECCION PRIMARIA PARTIDO DEMOCRATICO)

HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS (CONDADO DE HANSFORD, TEXAS)  
MARCH 13, 1990 (13 de marzo de 1990)  
OFFICIAL BALLOT (BOLETA OFICIAL)

**INSTRUCTION NOTE:** Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. You may vote for a write-in candidate by writing in the name of the candidate on the line provided or by marking an "X" in the square beside the line. If you are a Democrat and understand that I am ineligible to vote or participate in another political party's primary election or convention during this voting year.

**NOTA DE INSTRUCCION:** Vote por el candidato de su preferencia por marcar con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato. Usted puede votar por un candidato que este elegible para recibir votos por intermedio escrito por escribir el nombre del candidato en la linea provista y marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado de la linea. "Yo soy Demócrata y comprendo que no estoy elegible para votar o participar en la eleccion primaria o la convencion de algun otro partido politico durante este año electoral."

- United States Senator (Senador de los Estados Unidos)
  - Harley Schlanger
  - Hugh Farmer
- United States Representative, District 13 (Representante de los Estados Unidos, Distrito Núm. 13)
  - Bill Sarpalus
- Governor (Gobernador)
  - Jim Mattox
  - Ray Rachal
  - Theresa Heam-Haynes
  - Earl Holmes
  - Ann W. Richards
  - Mark White
  - Starley Adams
- Lieutenant Governor (Gobernador Teniente)
  - Bob Bullock
- Attorney General (Procurador General)
  - Dan Morales
  - John Odom
- Comptroller of Public Accounts (Contralor de Cuentas Públicas)
  - John Sharp
- State Treasurer (Tesorero Estatal)
  - Tom Bowden
  - Karen Friend
  - Armando Gutierrez
  - Niku Van Hightower
- Commissioner of the General Land Office (Comisionado de la Oficina General de Terrenos)
  - Garry Mauro
- Commissioner of Agriculture (Comisionado de Agricultura)
  - Clyde W. Chandler
  - Dan A. Kranak
  - Paul McDaniel
  - Neal Burnett
  - Jim Hightower
  - John Earl Smith
  - Dan Pustajovsky
- Railroad Commissioner (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles)
  - Clint Hackney
  - Robert (Bob) Krueger
- Chief Justice, Supreme Court (Jefe Presidente, Corte Suprema)
  - Oscar H. Maszy
- Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2 (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Núm. 2)
  - Sam Houston Clinton
- Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 3 (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Núm. 3)
  - Pat Barber
  - Bill White
- Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 4, Unexpired Term (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Núm. 4, Término no Completado)
  - Charles F. (Charlie) Baird
  - Herb Hancock
- State Representative, District 88 (Representante Estatal, Distrito Núm. 88)
  - Guy Hazlett
- Chief Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District (Jefe Presidente, Corte de Apelaciones, Distrito Núm. 7)
  - Charles L. Reynolds
- County Judge (Jefe del Condado)
  - Jim Brown
  - Loyall Turner
- District and County Clerk (Secretario del Distrito y Condado)
  - Arnela C. Johnson
- County Treasurer (Tesorero del Condado)
  - Norma Jean Mackie
- Justices of the Peace (Jefes de Paz)
  - Joyce Vandenberg
  - Michele Davis
  - Johnny P. Vernon
- County Chairman (Presidente del Condado)
  -
- Precinct Chairmen, Precinct No. 1 (Presidentes del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 1)
  - Kim Brock
- Justices, Supreme Court, Place 1 (Jefes, Corte Suprema, Lugar Núm. 1)
  - Fred Elery
  - Gene Kelly
- Justices, Supreme Court, Place 2 (Jefes, Corte Suprema, Lugar Núm. 2)
  - Ross Clears
  - Bob Gummage
  - Scrappy Holmes
- Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1 (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Núm. 1)
  - Frank Maloney
  - Morris L. Overstreet
  - Jeff Van Horn

## REPUBLICAN PARTY PRIMARY ELECTION (ELECCION PRIMARIA PARTIDO REPUBLICANO)

(CONDADO DE) HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS  
MARCH 13, 1990 (13 de marzo de 1990)

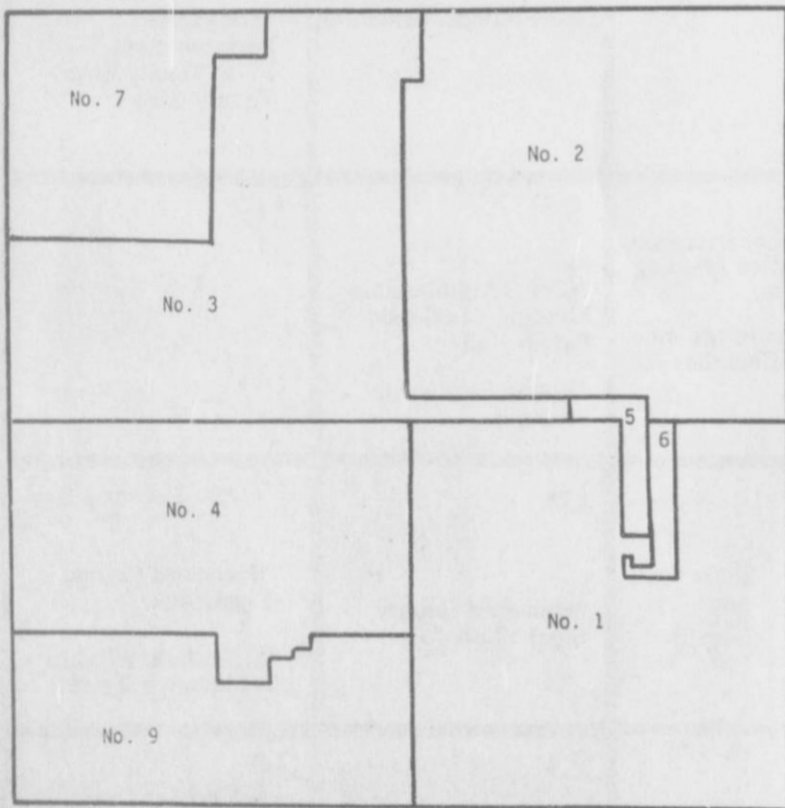
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"I am a Republican and understand that I am ineligible to vote or participate in another political party's primary election or convention during this voting year." ("Yo soy Republicano y entiendo que no estoy elegible para votar o participar en la eleccion primaria o la convencion de otro partido politico durante este año electoral.")

- United State Senator (Senador de los Estados Unidos)
    - Phil Gramm
  - U.S. Representative, District 13 (Representante de los Estados Unidos, Distrito Núm. 13)
    - Dick Waterfield
    - Bob Price
  - Governor (Gobernador)
    - Royce X. Owens
    - Ed Cude
    - Jack Rains
    - Tom Luce
    - W. N. Otwell
    - Clayton Williams
    - Kent Hance
  - Lieutenant Governor (Gobernador Teniente)
    - Rob Mosbacher
  - Attorney General (Procurador General)
    - Bobby Steelhammer
    - Pat Hill
    - J.E. "Buster" Brown
    - H. Tex Lezar
  - Comptroller of Public Accounts (Contralor de Cuentas Públicas)
    - Irby Max Ford
    - Warren G. Harding, Jr.
    - Jon Hall
  - State Treasurer (Tesorero Estatal)
    - Charlotte Boylan Self
    - Kay Bailey Hutchison
  - Commissioner of General Land Office (Comisionado de la Oficina General de Terrenos)
    - Wes Gilbreath
    - William James John
    - Grady Yarbrough
  - Commissioner of Agriculture (Comisionado de Agricultura)
    - Richard McIver
    - Rick Perry
    - Gene L. Duke
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    - Beau Boulter
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    - David Swinford
  - County Judge (Jefe del Condado)
    - Eddie G. Martin
  - Justice of the Peace (Jefe de Paz)
    - David Boyd
    - Gary Ellsworth
- COUNTY COMMISSIONER FOR COMMISSIONER'S 3 PRECINCT NO. 4 WILL BE ON BALLOTS IN VOTING PRECINCT NO. 4 AND VOTING PRECINCT NO. 9
- County Commissioner, Precinct #4 (Comisionado del Condado, Precincto Núm. 4)
  - Val Winger
- REPUBLICAN PARTY OFFICES
- COUNTY CHAIRMAN WILL BE ON ALL BALLOTS
- PRECINCT CHAIRMAN WILL BE ON BALLOTS IN THE VARIOUS VOTING PRECINCTS AS LISTED BELOW
- County Chairman (Presidente del Condado)
    - Roy L. Bulls
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #1 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 1)
    - Carla Woodington
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #2 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 2)
    - Ray H. Ralston
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #3 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 3)
    - Cecil Ralston
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #4 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 4)
    - Leon O. Chapman
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #5 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 5)
    - Michael L. Schnell
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #6 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 6)
    - Stanton W. Cobb
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #7 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 7)
    -
  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #8 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 8)
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  - Precinct Chairman, Precinct #9 (Presidente del Precincto, Precincto Núm. 9)
    - Tommy Rodgers

## Where To Vote

HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS



### Republicans

- PRECINCT #1 - Courthouse
- PRECINCT #2 - Community Bible Church
- PRECINCT #3 - Community Bible Church
- PRECINCT #4 - Gruver County Barn
- PRECINCT #5 - Spearman County Barn
- PRECINCT #6 - Spearman High School
- PRECINCT #7 - Community Bible Church
- PRECINCT #9 - Pringle-Morse School

### Democrats

- PRECINCT #1 - Courthouse
- PRECINCT #2 - Renner Ranch
- PRECINCT #3 - Community Bible Church
- PRECINCT #4 - Gruver County Barn
- PRECINCT #5 - Spearman County Barn
- PRECINCT #6 - Spearman High School
- PRECINCT #7 - Oslo Lutheran Church
- PRECINCT #9 - Location undecided at presstime.

### Profiles From Page 3

EMS courses at Frank Phillips College and computer courses at Amarillo College.



**Michele Davis**  
The candidate cites her experiences with bookkeeping, office administration and computers as assets she would bring to the office of Justice of the Peace. Her 11 years of volunteer work with EMS, she comments, has given her a good knowledge of emergency driving laws, crime scene investigations and how to work with law enforcement agencies. Davis also states she is accustomed to working with "all ages and types of people," through her teaching adult continuing education for Frank Phillips College, CPR courses for American Heart Association and first aid courses for American Red Cross. Davis also teaches 7th grade science CPR each year, and Home and Family Living classes in the high school. Michele also gives programs on heart to elementary boy scouts, girl scouts, sororities, clubs and organizations.

Davis and her husband Mike, who works at Daco Incorporated in oil and gas production, live in Spearman and have two children: Misha, 10 years and Matthew, seven years. The candidate's memberships and past memberships include the Hansford County American Heart Association, the Federated Women's Club and the Panhandle Crisis Center. Davis is a board member of the Hansford County American Heart Association and represents Hansford County on the Panhandle EMS's Regional Advisory Board. She is also Director of Spearman's Volunteer Ambulance Service. Davis is a member of the First Baptist Church of Spearman.

### Eddie Gail Martin

Eddie Gail Martin of Spearman has announced his candidacy in the Republican primary for the office of Hansford County Judge. Martin, 44 states that "loyalty" best describes his commitment to

See Profiles Page 5

## VOTE Gary Ellsworth



### FOR

- ★ An Open Mind
- ★ Fair Treatment
- ★ Full Time
- ★ Qualified ...

## Justice of the Peace

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Alton Ellsworth - Treasurer

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY



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### Higher Costs Versus Less Tax Revenue

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## Vote Loyall Turner

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Democratic Candidate

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**FOR SALE** 3 bedroom, 2 bath, garage, storm windows, central heat/air. Call 659-3096. S18-2tc T only

**FOR SALE:** 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Sunken living room, parquet floors, fireplace, covered patio, 2 car garage, sprinkler system, 2193 sq. ft. living space, excellent location. Call 659-3587 or 659-5022. S33-Rtn

**FOR SALE** 3 bedroom, 2 bath home fireplace, large living area, drapes, mini-blinds, completely remodeled and large deck patio. Nice neighborhood. 1110 S. Barkley. Call 659-3800. S36-Rtn

**FOR SALE OR RENT:** 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath house. 2 acres of land. 5 miles from Spearman on Perryton Hwy. Call 659-2245. S16S-1tc RTN

**HOUSE FOR SALE:** \$1,000 under appraisal! 3 Bedroom, 1 bath, garage, central heat/air, fenced yard, 1,287 sq. ft., good location, excellent neighborhood. 1017 Townsend. Call 659-5557, after 5 p.m. or call 659-2326. S17S-4tc

**FOR SALE:** 3BR brick home with storage house. Can see at 1007 S. Bernice or call 659-3402. Price reduced S12-RTN

**FOR SALE OR RENT** with option to buy. Three bedroom, good location. 901 Townsend. Call 659-2794 or 659-5066. S18-1tc RTN

## MISC. FOR SALE

**PIANO FOR SALE**  
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Owner's 2 bedroom home plus 3 rental units. Good investment package. **EMMETT R. SANDERS REALTOR** 659-2516, nights 659-2601

**Century 21 GOLDEN SPREAD REALTY**  
Janye Helton Pointer, Broker  
Owner, 435-5444  
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Jennifer Nollner 659-5243  
515 S. Bernice-4/1 1/4, extra large lot & close to school!  
18 S. James - 3/2 Extra features include basement & building in back!  
701 Collier-4/1 1/2. Affordable  
3 year old home!  
20 S. James-2/1 Well maintained!  
611 S. Evans - 3/1 1/4, Affordable!  
322 Barkley-3/1 Corner lot add's to the appeal!  
118 Townsend - 4/2, Apartment included!  
522 S. Haney Priced to sell quickly!  
315 1/2 N. Bernice - Lot for sale!  
315 Townsend - 2/1 Small price tag!

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT:** 3 bedroom, 2 Full Bath Trailer. Fenced in backyard. Call 659-3186. S17S-4tp

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS

**FOR SALE:** Stove (built in microwave) in good condition. Call 659-3186. S17S-4tp

## HELP WANTED

**DEPENDABLE BABYSITTER WANTED** in my home. Call 659-3422 after 5:00 p.m. S18S-2tp

## AUTOMOBILES

**FOR SALE:** 1981 Mustang. Good condition. MUST SELL. See at 18 S. Barkley or call 659-2816. S19-2tp

## PUBLIC NOTICES

### NOTICE OF BID

Hansford County will receive a separate sealed bid for a Road Maintainer for each of County Precincts 2, 3, and 4, on or before 4 p.m., Friday, March 23, 1990. Bids will be opened during the regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court beginning at 10 a.m., Monday, March 26, 1990. A trade-in is offered to Bidders with each bid. Hansford County reserves the right to pay for any bids accepted with time-warrants, by lease-purchase contract, or full payment as decided by the Commissioners' Court. Bids shall be made on Conventional and/or Total Cost Basis.

A copy of the specifications and total cost forms may be obtained from the Office of the County Judge or County Auditor.

Hansford County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Roy L. McClellan  
Hansford County Judge  
S18 & S19

### NOTICE

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**Allen Alford-Broker-659-3034**  
**Hester Crawford - 659-2074**  
**Dennis Nelson-Sales-659-3608**  
**Larry Trosper-Sales-659-3491**  
**THREE BEDROOM HOMES**  
727 Wilbanks-Office, 1 1/2 B.  
715 Steele - Fireplace  
1116 Townsend-Dbl. Garage  
729 Wilbanks- 1 1/4 Baths  
1108 Archer - 2 B., Dbl. Gar.  
412 Townsend-Affordable!  
805 Archer- Close to School  
904 Linn Dr.- 1 yr. old-3-2-2.  
522 Evans- 3-2-1.  
**TWO BEDROOM HOMES**  
811 Townsend- Dbl. Garage  
**ACREAGE**  
15 Acres - Crawford Addition  
Check for other listings.  
**WE WANT TO BE YOUR REALTOR**

## Profiles From Page 4

the residents of Hansford County, explaining that he has been a lifelong county resident except while in college and while serving in the United States Army. He is a graduate of West Texas State University with a B.S. degree in speech and business administration. His military service was during the Vietnam era, 1966-68, when he served in an administrative capacity as the Head Chaplain Assistant to General Paxton.



Eddie G. Martin

Martin is a third-generation Hansford County resident. His grandfather, R.E. Martin, served as Hansford County Sheriff until 1911, when he was killed in the line of duty. The Martin family has owned land in Hansford County for over 70 years, with roots in farming and ranching.

He says he views the role of Hansford County Judge as "overseeing the business of the community." His qualifications for filling that role, he says, include working for nine years as administrative assistant to the vice president of Baker & Taylor. Job duties for Martin during that period included pilot, public relations, bookkeeping and taxes.

He is presently employed as music teacher at Spearman Elementary School, a position he has held for the past 3 1/2 years.

Martin was a member of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors in 1975, and has been a Hansford County delegate to two state Republican Party conventions.

He is a member of Union Church in Spearman and has been pianist/organist for the church since he was in seventh grade. He cares for his parents, Chip, 91, and Will Ella, 81, in his home and has performed volunteer work for individuals and various non-profit organizations.

He has a 12-year-old daughter, Jana, who lives in Houston.

Citing his community involvement and varied work experience as strengths he would bring to the position of Justice of the Peace, Ellsworth commented, "I would bring an open mind and a sensitive heart to this office. I am able to communicate with many different kinds of people. Good communication leads to people's cooperation. In addition to my human relation strengths, being self-employed and being responsible for the daily reports for seven convenience stores has given me a good background in accounting for revenue income and disbursements."

Reflecting on the experiences that would help him in public office, Boyd said that farming gave him the ability to make his own decisions. His other work experiences have acquainted him with "most of the people of Hansford County," as well as the fact that the has lived in either Gruber or Spearman for all except four years of his lifetime.

Boyd, 36, is the owner of Great Plains Insurance. Prior to this, he was a Hansford County Farm Bureau agent and was a salesman at Case Power and Equipment for five years. Boyd has also farmed in Hansford County.

Except for eight years he spent in Hereford managing a Sherwin-Williams Paint Company, the candidate has spent his entire life in Hansford County. He is a 1971 Gruber High School graduate and attended West Texas State Uni-

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resident of Spearman for the last 26 years, where he has owned and managed his own business. This is the first time Turner has run for an elected public office, but he has enlisted experienced people to help with his campaign. His campaign treasurer is George C. "Bud" Lowe. Lowe was a county commissioner for over 20 years. While a resident of Spearman, Turner has served in leadership positions on several voluntary service organizations. He served three years on the Grain Sorghum

Producers Board. He was a committeeman for Boy Scout Troop 551. He has been the coordinator for the Hansford County Weather Watch for 13 years. Turner has also served as a county committeeman for the North Plains Water Conservation District, and is a past president of the Hansford County Shrine Club. Turner is married and has two children. His wife Ginger was born in Perryton and works as a loan officer at the First State Bank of Spearman. Jennifer is Loyall and Ginger's

older offspring. She is 18 years old, a National Honor Society graduate of Spearman High School, and is now a freshman at Lubbock Christian University. Their son Christopher is 16, and a sophomore at Spearman High School.



**SHS Lynx Compete At Perryton**

The Spearman Lynx track team traveled to Perryton recently to compete in a meet there. Results in the Varsity Division include: Chris Williamson, triple jump - second place, distance 38 feet, 7 1/2 inches; Tino Garcia, 3200 meter run - fourth place, time 12:02.01; Brian Beck, 110 meter high hurdles - fifth place, time 17.18; Tim Dooley, 800 meter run - fifth place, time 2:12.18. In the Junior Varsity Division, results were: Chad Davis, discus - fifth place, distance 98 feet, 10 inches; Armando Munoz, sixth place, 2:32.21. Next meet for the Lynx tracksters will be Friday and Saturday, March 9 and 10, at Canadian. Those participating will include junior high boys and girls, junior varsity and varsity boys and varsity girls.

**Hansford Happenings**

A special fund has been set up at First State Bank in Spearman for the benefit of Verlin and Edward Beck, area residents who sustained injuries in a recent fire. The fund is to help defray medical expenses incurred during treatment for their injuries. Deposits can be made at First State Bank, or by contacting Mae Wofford at 659-5233 or 659-2018.

The Bureau of the Census still needs applicants for jobs taking the census, especially in Spearman and rural Hansford County. For information contact the Bureau of the Census, 3501-H W. 45th, Amarillo, TX 79109, telephone 354-3700.

"Quilters," starring Candy Boxwell of Spearman, will be presented Saturday, March 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Spearman High School auditorium. The Golden Spread Senior Citizens Center of Spearman is sponsor for this Amarillo Little Theatre production. Palo Duro Players theater group will provide assistance with a stage crew and ushers for the play, and the Palo Duro Players, along with the Thirtysomething youth group, will be selling tickets. The production is underwritten by First State Bank of Spearman.

Hansford County Tax Assessor-Collector's office will be closed Friday, March 9 so that employees can attend a meeting in Amarillo.

Spearman High School Chorale is now selling "BoosterShades" to show it support for the Lynx and Lynxettes. Lynx and Lynxette fans are encouraged to purchase these shades and display them in their automobiles. Shades sell for \$5.00 each, and all proceeds will go toward Chorale's spring trip.



You can prevent an accident by making sure there are no power lines nearby before you cut down or prune trees. Pruning tools, saws or branches contacting a line could turn you into a conductor of electricity and cause serious injury. If you have branches that are close to power lines, call your local TNP office to report the problem. If the branches are too close, we'll trim them away from the line for you.

**HEALTH NEWS & NOTES**

**Insulin Carton Inserts Encourage Compliance**

One way for people with diabetes to prevent serious and sometimes life-threatening complications is to maintain good control of the disease by following their therapeutic regimen. To help people do so, the American Diabetes Association and Eli Lilly and Company give insulin users information on preventing complications.



These information sheets are inserted in all Lilly brand insulin cartons. Four educational inserts are being distributed, each one focusing on a separate diabetes-related complication. These colorful inserts alert patients to the warning signs of complications and encourage regular visits for medical check-ups. Each insert is a different color—blue for eyes, yellow for feet, green for kidneys, and red for the heart. The insulin cartons containing an insert are labeled: "See circular inside."

Inserts listing the warning signs of diabetes complications can now be found in insulin cartons.

In addition to health information on preventing complications, the inserts offer important facts about insulin sources: beef, pork, beef-pork, and human of recombinant DNA origin (Humulin®). All circulars carry the warning statement that patients should not change types of insulin without medical supervision.

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