Commissioners' Expected To Sign Contract With State April 14 To Expand Prison

The Dickens County Commissioners Court is expected to sign a contract with the State of Texas today (April 14) to expand the Dickens Detention Center by 336 prisoners.

According to information supplied by Dickens County Judge Woodie McArthur, the state has a surplus of about 7,500 prisoners that must be housed by June 1, 1994, or the state will be under a penalty of \$90 per day per prisoner.

"Several counties were asked to relieve this overcrowding problem, and Dickens County has been alloted 336 prisoners," Judge McArthur added. "Dickens County was the smallest county in the state to have an opportunity to take advantage of this situation and the credit must go to our State Representative, Speaker of the House, Pete Laney, Hale Center," the judge said.

The state has offered to give Dickens County \$1.3 million dollars to build what the state terms, "temporary housing." The state will guarantee to house prisoners from Harris County for a period of 90 days. (The Detention Center is presently housing Harris County prisoners). The time period the prisoners will be housed is expected to reach an undertermined length of time, however.

The state has agreed to pay Dickens County \$35.25 per day per prisoner, the current rate that the Detention Center is receiving. Travis McPherson, warden of the Dickens Detention Center, has informed the Commissioners that between 30 and 35 additional employees will be needed to staff the expansion facility. It is anticipated that the present kitchen facilities will have to be enlarged and an

additional guard tower and fence, plus an activity center will be included in the expanded facility. However, additional expansion of present facilities is expected to be minimal as the original construction was designed to house up to 500 prisoners. McPherson reportedly told the commissioners he has a pool of applications from which additional personnel could be selected.

Judge McArthur, McPherson, and other prison officials chartered a plan Tuesday to fly to Tarrant County to inspect a project that is similar to the one being planned here. It is understood that when the facility is completed, the County would be the owner.

"This could be a tremendous financial boost for Dickens County with the state paying the cost of the building," Judge McArthur points out. He added that "many larger counties were not awarded additional prisoners and all of the credit for Dickens County receiving this opportunity must go to Speaker of the House, Pete Laney, who represents Dickens County in the Texas Legislature." The successful operation of the present Detention Center also contributed to Dickens County being considered for the expansion program.

It is understood the county plans to hire a Construction Manager who will be responsible for the expansion program which must be ready to house prisoners by June 1, 1994. The expansion will comply with state regulations.

In their regular meeting on Monday of this week, the Commissioners Court hired Darlene Brady as County Home Demonstration Agent. (A picture and story is found elsewhere in this edition).

The Commissioners Court took the following action Monday:

•accepted a bid from Lawrence Hall Chevrolet, Abilene, of \$13,813.86 for a new car for the Sheriff's Department.

•traded a John Deere maintainer for a Caterpillar maintainer from West Texas Caterpillar of Lubbock. ·discussed the Farm to Market Road that is proposed to run from the Benny

Maben home south to intersect with FM 836 (the Crosbyton cut-off). Construction on the road may not get underway until 1996, but the County may hold some public hearings on the proposed road in the near future.

•The County Court report showed two DWI cases in March along with one Reckless Conduct and one Resisting Arrest. Bonnie Edwards, JP in Precinct 3 reported 144 cases and revenue of \$8,514.00 while Kay Laster, JP in Precinct 1 had 44 cases and revenue of \$2,579.00.

•The commissioners heard reports from County Agent Robert Herrington; County Treasurer Drulene Rape and the County Road Superintendent. The quarterly report was reviewed and cancelled. Bills for March were reviewed and approved for payment.



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Darlene Brady, second from left, was hired Monday by the Dickens County Commissioners Court as Home Demonstration Agent. She succeeds Cheryl Newberry who recently resigned to accept another position with the Extension Service. Left to right are District Extension Director Elaine Houston, Mrs. Brady; Jana Smith, County Extension Agent secretary and Robert Herrington, County Extension Agent, Agriculture. Mrs. Brady, is the daughter of Jimmy and Linda Draper of Seagraves. Jimmy Draper is a graduate of Spur High School. Mrs. Brady and her husband, Stephen, live at Dumont where he is a stock farmer.

Darlene Brady Begins Work As County HD Agent On April 12th

Effective April 2, 1994 Darlene Brady will become County Extension Agent-Home Economics in Dickens County. The announcement was made jointing by County Judge Woodie McArthur, the Dickens County Commissioners' Court, and District Extension Director Elaine Houston, on Monday of this week.

A native of Seagraves, Brady is a graduate of Seagraves High School,

Dickens, Kent **Run-Off Results**

Duane (Slim) Durham and Billy George Drennan won run-off elections Tuesday in the Dickens County Democratic Primary for County Commissioner.

Durham polled 118 votes to 91 for John Nichols to win the Precinct 4 Commissioner's seat. Billy George Drennan received 164 votes to 134 for Geary Blasingame to win the Commissioner Precinct 2 post.

In the run-off for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3, Robert Waddell was elected with 329 votes to 191 for Sandra Jo

Taylor. In the Kent County race for Commissioner, Precinct 4, Don Trammel was elected with 82 votes to 75 for Elmo Martinez Jr.

Mattie Hilton was elected Justice of the Peace in Precinct 4 with 306 votes to 223 for Nora Lea Cooper.

In the race for nomination of to the U. S. Senate, Jim Mattox carried both Kent and Dickens County, 640 to 526 for Richard Fisher--combined vote of both

Raul Gonzales polled 458 to 604 for Rene Haas in the race for Supreme Court--combined vote of both counties.

Kelley polled 196 in Kent County to 240 in Dickens County while Marshall polled 294 in Dickens County and 208 in Kent County.

attended Texas Tech University and received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Home Economics from Tarleton State University. While attending high school, she was involved in 4-H, Future Homemakers of America--Chapter President, Future Teachers of America, Future Farmers of America, National Honor Society, UIL-Literary and Writing events, basketball and golf.

While in college, Brady was involved in the Collegiate 4-H, Rho Iota Deltareporter, Rodeo team, Vhetat'SS, Miss TSU Rodeo, and the American Home

Economics Association. Brady previously served as King County Extension Agent-Home Economics from 1990-1992.

As County Extension Agent-Home Economics in Dickens County, Brady will give leadership to both the youth and adult phases of the Dickens County Home Economics Program. She will

work with Extension Program Council planning committees and 4-H leadership along with Robert Herrington, County Extension Agent-Agriculture, to conduct the overall County Extension Program in Dickens County. Their office is located in the Dickens County Courthouse Annex. The Dickens County Extension Service is a part of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and part of the Texas A&M University System.

Mrs. Brady is married to Stephen Brady, Dumont and the daughter of Linda and Jim Draper, Seagraves.

Friends of Library Will Meet April 18

The Friends of the Library, support group for the Dickens County/Spur Public Library, will meet Monday, April 17 at 5 p.m. at the Library according to organization president, Stacy Campbell.



Robert Fernandez is shown here clearing the high jump bar. He won the event with a leap of 6 ft. 4 inches. Robert also won the triple jump and long jump and placed fourth in the shot at the Golden Spur Classic Track Meet held last Saturday in Jones Stadium. It was the initial meet on the new track.

Science Lab Ground-Breaking **Ceremony Scheduled April 21**

The Spur School Board of Trustees is planning a ground-breaking ceremony for the new science laboratory/classroom which is being made possible by surplus tax money from the Jayton-Girard Independent School District.

Superintendent Oran Hamilton said officials from the two schools would take part in the ground-breaking Thursday morning, April 21 at 10 a.m.

Another discussion item on the regular monthly meeting Monday night of this week was the possibility of hiring a school nurse for the 1994-95 school

In other business, the board: went into executive session with Jim factured.

Devenport, English teacher and UIL one act play director. After coming out of executive session, no action was taken.

•the board accepted the resignation of Linda Carroll, secondary math teacher, effective at the end of the current school

•authorized the hiring of Rogers Lankford as secondary teacher, subject to assignment/reassignment for the 1994-95 school term. •voted to hire Karen Lankford as

secondary aide in Special Ed. ·authorized the sending of one bus to Huntsville Prison Unit to be re-manu-

•authorized Supt. Hamilton to negotiate a contract with Dwayne Elmore on the use of his backhoe during planned construction. •the board agreed to send letters of

"reasonable assurance of employment" to ancillary personnel. ·agreed to purchase one photo display

unit for Ex-Student pictures. voted to table the Texas Association

of School Boards update No. 45. agreed to change the meeting time back to 8 p.m. since the arrival of Day-

light Saving Time. •set a special meeting for May 9, 1994, at 7 p.m. in order to canvas the May 7 Trustee election returns.

r High One Act Play Advances To Regional At Levelland April 21

Spur High School has advanced to the Region UIL One-Act Play contest which will be held Thursday, April 21, 1994 at South Plains College in Level-

The play, Scenes and Revelations. advances with O'Donnell High School from the Region I/Area II Contest held last Saturday, April 9, 1994 at Lubbock Christian University's Moody Auditorium in Lubbock. Petersburg High School was named as runner-up. Other schools competing with Spur, O'Donnell and Petersburg were Happy, Lazbuddie and Whiteface.

Judging the contest was Dr. Joe Kaogh of North Harris County Junior College, Houston. Kaogh named Vallye Maben as Best Actress and Blake Ball as Best Actor. All-Star Cast honors went to Elisha Ball and Kaci Brownlee.

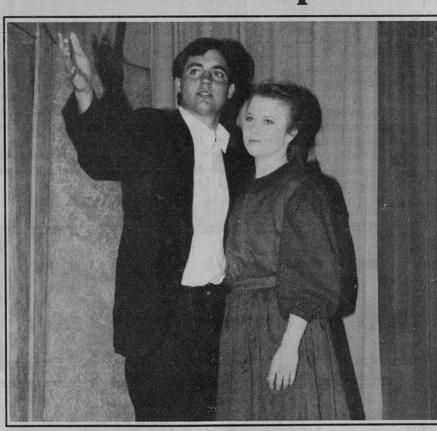
Don Williams, director of the contest, recognized all crews of the plays. Crew members are judged and critiqued on meeting their own cues the same as cast

Serving as lighting technician for the play this year is Christi Henderson. Anna Casey and Jalene Young run the projectors, responsible for synchronizing all visual props with characters' lines and music. Kyle Hulme is the group's sound technician. It is his responsibility to make sure that all sound effects are perfectly timed with all scenes at the right sound level.

Crew manager is Scott Rankin. Julie Flud, Alysia Kelley, and Ryan Middleton serve as alternates and must be ready to take over a job if needed.

Weather Report

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Blake Ball was named Best Actor and Vallye Maben was named Best Actress last Saturday in the UIL One Act Play competition held at Lubbock Christian University. The play, directed by Jim Devenport, will now advance to Regional competing at Levelland on April 21.

Engineer Gets Go Ahead From Council On Sewer Improvements

Improvements at the City of Spur sewer plant came in for a major part of discussion at the City Council meeting Tuesday night.

Consulting engineer, David Todd, Abilene, raised the question about the proposed expansion at the Dickens Detention Center and asked the council for guidance. Todd was uncertain that the present sewer plans would accomodate the expansion which will include an addtional 336 beds at the prison by June

The dicussion continued into financing and it appeared that Farmers Home Administration would be the best source. Since the City first started discussing the renovation of the sewer plant--to bring it into compliance--the cost estimates have spiraled. Todd estimated costs now at over \$600,000.

Part of this cost would be offset by a

grant of about \$200,000.

Todd was instructed to continue to pursue the permit and financing.

Under Department Reports Don Kourland who is supervising the renovations in Swenson Park, said plans are in Austin for final approval and additional money should be released by the Parks and Wildlife Department within the next few days. He said at present, work has been concentrated on the swimming pool in an effort to have it in operation no later than June 1.

Robert Daughtry reported his crews have also been working in the park renovation and had also repaired the lift station on East Harris.

Mark Wright reported the gas transmission line had been damaged and City crews worked most of Friday night and Saturday to get the gas turned back on. See CITY COUNCIL, Page 4

By Lyndell Williams and Ed Sterling TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - Comptroller John Sharp's fresh audit of the state's prison system shows room for 5.500 more convicts in the Texas Department of Corrections, he said last week, but other state officials winced at Sharp's recommendations.

According to the audit, the beds could be added by moving minimum security prisoners to older prison units, moving maximum security prisoners to newer, more secure units, and by double-bunking some cells and all trusty camps.

Sharp recommended some 200 operational policy changes that he said would save about \$175 million in the next five years. Those changes would cut waste and correct management flaws found in the present system, he said.

Judge Rips Report

But state District Judge Scott McCown, who acted as a liaison in the audit for Gov. Ann Richards, said the report was "full of inaccuracies, mischaracterizations and oversimplification of complex

In a letter to Richards, McCown said that increasing the prison capacity as Sharp recommends would violate court agreements.

Sharp responded: "He (Mc-Cown) is not the state's attorney general. If he wants to be the state's lawyer, he should run for the of-

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and House Speaker Pete Laney said Sharp's recommendations might lead to the reopening of the Ruiz case, a lengthy federal case in which a prisoner claimed his constitutional rights were being violated by the overcrowded conditions in the Texas prison system.

Richards said the audit was helpful, but stressed the importance of the state maintaining control of

George W. Bush, Richards' GOP opponent in the November general election, said the audit highlights the governor's ineffectiveness.

Governor's Tax Return

Gov. Richards' 1993 federal income tax return shows she owes \$27,639 in taxes on income of \$110,645. Her income was composed of \$94,086 in salary, \$4,520 in interest on savings and \$12,039 from mutual funds, her campaign said last week.

Because she overpaid, Richards gets a refund of \$1,232, which she applied to her 1994 estimated tax.

Richards has made her returns public every year since entering public office as a county commissioner in 1976.

Her spokesman, Chuck McDonald, called on Bush to release his

Bush campaign spokeswoman Deborah Burstion-Wade said Bush would release his returns by the federal filing deadline of April 15.

And Reggie Bashur, a spokesman for the campaign, said returns would be released for 1991-93.

Tax Overhaul Needed: Laney

The state's tax system is overdue for an overhaul, House Speaker Pete Laney told members of the Texas Association of Business last

But change won't happen until lawmakers are certain Texans want it," Laney said.

"We need a tax system that produces enough revenue to pay for services that promote economic expansion, and a tax system that does not discourage business investment."

Laney, D-Hale Center, urged

TAB members to convince other Texans "that our future depends on the investments we make today in education, public safety, and criminal justice."

Court to Hear School Case

The Texas Supreme Court will hear arguments May 25 on the state's public school funding law, which is being challenged by property-rich and property-poor school districts.

The law, which requires the school districts with the most property wealth to share some of it with property-poor districts, was upheld last year by Judge McCown of Austin.

But McCown gave the Legislature until Sept. 1, 1995 to come up with an equitable way to pay for school construction.

The Supreme Court has found three previous school funding laws unconstitutional since 1989.

Bullock Names School Panel Meanwhile, Lt. Gov. Bullock has appointed an interim committee to explore state government's role in paying for public school facilities.

Bullock said the committee is needed because of Judge McCown's order requiring the Legislature to address inequities in funding.

Bullock picked Sen. Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo, to chair the committee. Other members are Sens. John Montford, D-Lubbock, and Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant.

The committee will issue a final report by December. The Legislature convenes in January.

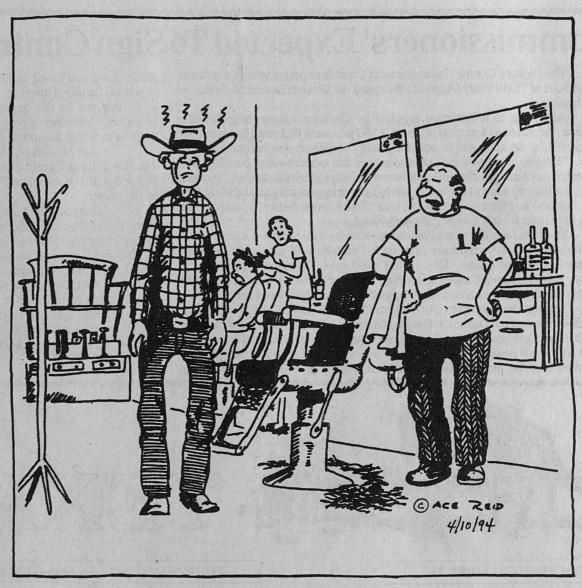
Other Highlights ■ The Texas Racing Commission cleared the way last week for Lubbock Downs to proceed with financing plans for a new midsize pari-mutuel horse racetrack. The \$9.9 million project would be financed largely through bonds guaranteed by the cities of Lubbock

■ The first black man to serve as Texas secretary of state, Ronald Kirk, was sworn in by Gov. Richards on April 4, the 26th anniversary of the assassination of civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr. Kirk, 39, a Dallas lawyer, grew up in east Austin.

and Slaton.

COW POKES

Courtesy Dickens Electric



"Sir, next year when you buy your summer hat I recommend you buy your spring haircut first."

AND THAT'S THE WAY IT WAS.

SPUR--IN THE

From the files of The Texas Spur, compiled and edited by Lillian G. Nay August 31, 1933

AGEMENT OF BELL'S CAFE W. A. (Bill) Bell has again taken over the management of Bell's Cafe and is this week back on the job at his former place of business. For the past several months Mr. Bell has been operating his Chili King Cafe, but has turned the management of this place over to Willard Harkey and in the future will be located in his big cafe on the east side of

W. A. BELL TAKES OVER MAN-

SUSANNAH WESLEY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS MET TUESDAY-The Susannah Wesley Sunday School Class met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Payne at 3 p.m. Tuesday, August 29. with Mesdames Koon, Smart, Abernathy, Keen, T. C. Ensey J. J. Ensey and J. E. Morris as joint hostesses. Sewing and chatter were in order for some time. We then revealed our "Pollyanna" and drew a new name for the next quarter. Quite an interesting "What have you that you don't need that someone else wants" sale was held. Money for class expenses was made in this way. A salad plate was passed to Mesdames Brown, McClung, Whitener, Johnson, McKeever, McGaughy, Gilbert, Foster, Fite, Gilmore, Boyd, Jones, Grissom, Brown, Hargrove, Ince, Kilgore, Lane, Laine, Watson, Lea, Foote, Barber, Snider, Cooper, Hayes, Carson, McCully, Twaddell, Misses Etta Fite, Edith Foote, Elizabeth Keen and the hostesses.- Rep.

A telegram from Memphis, TN states that Johnnie Nichols underwent an emergency operation at that place for appendicitis. Johnnie was accompanied by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols, who were on a return trip from Chicago where they visited the World's Fair.

James Bumpus, of Italy, Texas is here on an extended visit to his brother, Whit and Wilky Bumpus and will and ranching work ahead of them. This is when they are inclined to nod their heads. The first is a single down/up nod. This is used when there is plenty of time to acknowledge an oncoming driver. When it's almost too late, there is a quick raising of the head, which you can make more effective by raising your eyebrows simultaneously.

Most commuters prefer the "Wiper" wave. It is achieved by moving your entire hand in a broad gesture reminiscent of the sweep of a windshield wiper. The "Cheerleader" wave is used alot by women drivers. This is a random and uninhibited fluttering of the entire hand.

When driving on the highway or rural roads in this area, it is advisable that the thumb remains firmly on the wheel at all times. When meeting pickups with stock trailers, tractors with plows, and every type of truck, anything less than a firm grip could send you toward an oncoming vehicle.

If you see a car hurdle past without a wave, call the sheriff. Anyone in this area that won't wave is up to no good!!"

probably attend school here the coming and left last Wednesday for New Orleans

September 7, 1933

SANDERS PHARMACY BUR-GLARIZED.WEDNESDAY NIGHT Burglars entered the Sanders Phar-

was made to the store by breaking out one of the rear windows. The cash register was rifled, practically all the cigarettes in stock taken as well as several bottles of expensive perfume and two vending machines thought to have contained more that \$30 in change. The machines were later found on the hill just north of the city where they had been broken open and rifled. A dollar or more in small change was found scattered about the wrecked machines which had evidently been lost by the thieves when the boxes were broken open. No arrests have been made, but officers are working on clues which they believe will lead to conclusive evidence against guilty parties.

ESPUELA CLUB ELECTS OF-

Doris Neaves was elected president of the Espuela 4-H Club Thursday morning when the club met and found that all the officers are to attend school at Spur this year. Eula B. McMahan was elected vice-president; Marie Ball, Secretary; Elaine Neaves, song leader, Rayall right as can be noted by a snapshot and Vada Bell Murphy, reporter. Ar- of the meeting carried on the front page rangements were made for a tomato of Sunday's Star Telegram. canning demonstration for the next meeting to be held at the home of Eula B. McMahan.- Reporter

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

asked recently about the high school tuition law until it seems that an expla- the Dry Lake community Saturday afnation is in order. The high school tuition ternoon about 3 o'clock. The men folks law was passed by way of trying to being in the field at the time only a equalize educational opportunities. Every person between the ages of 6 and 21 whose grade is not taught in the home school is entitled to attend an accredited high school. The State will pay up to seven-fifty for his tuition monthly and owned by R. E. Dickson, and no insurup to \$2.00 per month for transportation. ance was carried by either Mr. Dickson This cares for the high schoolchild or Mr. Rogers. without taking any tax money out of the local district. I believe we now have transportation arrangements made whereby all high school tuition pupils from the south end of the county can be transported into the Spur High School-Madge Twaddell, County School Superintendent

Ruby Nell Morgan is suffering of a broken right arm which she sustained in falling off a horse Saturday evening on her way to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foreman's home to attend a party given in honor of their daughter, nadine.

Clarence Foreman joined the Marines

Louisiana where he will be stationed for the present.

Tom Teague has gone to Hamlin a: manager of the hardware department o Bryant-Link Co. which has recently beer macy Wednesday night or early Thurs- added at that place. Mrs. Teague and day morning of last week taking money daughters, Constance and Peggy Jane and merchandise and damaging fixtures will leave this week end to join her to the extent of \$150.00 or more. Entrance husband. We regret very much to lose this estimable family from out citizenship. Tom and Alta as they are familiarly known to us old timers have been permanent fixtures in Spur since the establishment of the town and we will sorely miss them.

> Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Robinson entertained with a dinner at their home Sunday which was enjoyed by the following guests. Mrs. Dora Lee, Mr. and Mrs Dewey Ijames, and daughter, Bonnye Mae of Santa Monica, CA; Mrs. Arthu Miller of Phoenix, AZ; Mr. and Mrs Arthur Bushell and children, Jack, Gler. Dora and Jerry of Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Gib Pope and son Sherrill of Kalgary; Mr.. and Mrs... Coy McMahan of spur; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Jenkins and son, Seger of Highway; Mr., and Mrs. J. P. Robinson and children, J. P. Clarence. Charlie, and Pike of Dry Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dickson and daughter, Lillian Grace, went over to Ft. Worth to meet their son, Cadet Ray E. (Hen) and to attend the football game between A & M and T. C. U. They met

November 2, 1933 HOME OF B. ROGERS OF DRY LAKE DESTROYED BY FIRE

A fire which originated from a de-There have been so many questions fective oil stove, totally destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Rogers of portion of the contents of the home were saved. The wearing apparel of the family and all the canned goods were destroyed but the majority of the bed clothes and furniture were saved. The place is

> A communication from the Washington Post daily newspaper of Washington, D. C. informs us that E. C. Edmonds, Jr. has accepted a position as reporter on the above named publication. E. C.'s many friends here will be glad to learn of the significant recognition of his journalistic talents.

July 20, 1933

A boy baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Swaringen at their home in the Duck Creek community Saturday, July 15.

...And Say It!



As Others See IT Jim Reynolds--Tulia Herald: Denise Gerber says Nazareth is the only school in Texas to have Swifts as its mascot.

For the people who don't know, a "swift" is a species of fox. "I always thought it was a bird," one person at The Herald's annual April Fools Contest said.

Mrs. Gerber claimed a prize by answering how Naz School got its mascot

She was told that someone was traveling down the road when a swift fox jumped in front of them and raced across the road. The swift fox earned its name honestly, given its speed. An athlete should also be swift, so why not have

foxes in earlier days.

that as a mascot?

Incidentally, I've been told that the Nazareth area had an abundance of swift

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Kim Pease--Rotan Advance:

If Republican candidate for Texas Governor George Bush has his way, school teachers will have more power to deal with classroom violence if he is elected. He is advocating a new kind of school "Tough Love" Academies, not run by some 22-year-old straight out of teachers' college type person but run by retired Marine and Army sergeants who understand the relationship between discipline and love and that kids want and need authority figures in their lives. I am not completely convinced that Bush's idea for a solution to classroom violence will work. My sergeant in the United States Air Force back in the early 1960's sure knew discipline but I don't think he could spell the word love.

Jimmye Taylor--Paducak Post:

Waving is an important part of country etiquette...so says Earlyne Jameson, who writes Whiteflat (and Flomot) news for our paper, the Valley Tribune and also for the Matador Tribune. She won't mind if we use her wonderful column on "Country Greetings", and modify it some for our area.

"When a cloud of dust comes down a rural road in (Cottle or King) county, you wave. Waving is an important part of country etiquette. The farther you are from town, the more important the wave. However, waving styles vary with each

1. A person keeps both hands on the steering wheel and extends an index finder so that it's pointing at the driver of the oncoming car. If it is accompanied by a stern facial expression, you might believe it is the "Uncle Sam Wants You" wave and you should report to the nearest recruiting station.

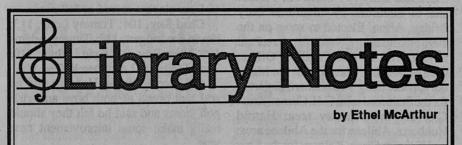
2. The driver keeps both hands on steering wheel and raises the index and middle fingers of the left hand. This appears to be a modified "V" for a peace sign, or could be considered the "Cub Scout" wave.

3. In warm weather, a person may poke an arm out of his pickup window to wave. We wouldn't advise this in our winter weather, or you won't have any fingers left to do the "Uncle Sam".

There are days when driving over the rural roads to agricultural locations, the residents are thinking of all the farming



The Catholic Youth Organization would like to announce the winners of the 1994 Easter Baby Contest. They are Anthony Molina, right, son of Lee and Monica Molina; grandson of Saragosa and Mary Molina and Willie and Olga Ortiz; Christina Lara Jordan, left, daughter of Raul Lara and Shalona Jordan and the granddaughter of Jose and Margartia Lara and Donna Jordan. The Catholic Youth Organization would like to thank the other participants in the contest. They include Jonathan Hadderton, Kaylynn Hadderton, Anika Molina, Alexandria Rendon, Adriana Molina and Ariana Garcia. They would also like to thank all those who contributed to the contest.



Our annual surplus book sale is over for another year. It is the third one we have had so it looks like it may become a tradition. Isn't that the way a tradition is usually built? We consider this one quite successful. There were very few books to interest children, but the ones we had were quickly picked up by women for the grandchildren.

We had a couple traveling, who said they liked small towns, stop and come in the south door because of the sign on the door. They spent at least an hour and a half looking and left with five or six books. They seemed quite delighted with their "find".

Another woman from Lubbock, who said she comes to Spur one day a week doing social work, spent about an hour selecting books. She stated that she saw the sign on the door sometime back and was glad when the date arrived. She was also a pleased customer. She found three first year Spanish text books, each by a different publisher. There was also a little South American travel book in Spanish that pleased her. The thing about it all was that I did not know the Spanish books were there. About six months ago, I had a patron asking for Spanish text books to borrow from our library and I said we had none--we didn't on our shelves. We got boxes of books donated and volunteers often are the ones who "weed" them and they also prepare for the surplus book sale.

During the books sale 28 families paid their annual "Friends of the Library" dues. If you have not paid in 1994, we will be glad to accept them. These people are the ones who help keep the library going.

Patrons have been asking if any new books have come in. They have been

dwindling in two or three at a time. It seems that several of our last orders had books that were not off the press yet or the publishers were behind and Baker and Taylor had difficulty keeping them in stock. They ship as soon as the publisher supplies them, therefore we get one or two at a time. We were ordering from publications like Library Journal and Booklist not realizing that some were not off the press yet. We have kept up with the "best-sellers" quite well, but you can't always find them on the shelf when you come in. The better known it is the more likely it is to be "in circulation" or "out".

We hope you will come back and keep looking for there are a lot of good books on the shelves.

SPUR SCHOOL **LUNCHROOM MENU APRIL 18-22**

MONDAY: Enchilada Casserole, Pinto Beans, Salad, Cornbread, Fruit Cobbler, Milk

TUESDAY: Steakfingers with Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Fresh

Homemade Rolls, Banana Pudding, Milk WEDNESDAY: Nacho Grande with Beef and Cheese, Ranch Beans, Mexi

Corn, Fruit, Milk THURSDAY: Burrito, Corn on Cob.

Pickles, Fruit, Milk FRIDAY: Chili Cheese Dog, Tater Tots, Fruit, Milk

BREAKFAST MON. Cinnamon Toast, Pineapple

Tidbits, Milk TUES. Cereal, Toast, Orange Juice,

WED. Cheese Toast, Applesauce, Milk THURS. Biscuit, Sausage, Apple

FRI. Doughnuts, Juice, Milk

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RN Presents Program April 11 For Gamma Eta Chapter Meeting

Gamma Eta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma International met Monday, April 11, at 6 p.m. in the Dickens Senior Citizens' Building.

A sandwich and dessert plate was served at the beginning of the meeting. Lindy Stafford asked the blessing.

The program was on "Fostering a More Caring World--Values Examina-

Lindy Stafford introduced Linda M. Mayes, R.N. as the speaker for the evening. Linda is director of marketing for Hospice of Lubbock. She described the Hospice program as one that served terminally ill patients and their families in their homes. They continue to serve the family survivors for 18 months after the loss of the loved one. At the close of

her talk she willingly answered questions that members still had about the Hospice Program.

Mabel Cox presented Josephine Hamilton and Ruby Dutton with April birthday gifts.

Those attending other than already

A business meeting followed with Madeleine Stanford, president, presid-

mentioned were Margaret Barrett, Lorene Blagg, Sammie Brakebill, Hazel Brown, Patti Daugherty, Lesa Davis, Nancy Hall, Linda Hicks, Brenda Karr, Wanda Lockridge, Mila Marion, Ethel McArthur, Sharon McDougle, Vivian Morris, Jennie Lou Paschall, Ginny Pemberton, Chelsea Read, Carol Ann Turner, Jewell Varnell, Wanda Walker, Marlene Wellman, and Jean Williams.



Left to right are members of the Spur High School One Act Play cast, Scenes and Revelations, Raegane Richey, Vallye Maben, William Snook, Elisha Ball and Kaci Brownlee. The other cast member is Blake Ball, pictured elsewhere in this edition. The play has advanced to the Regional Contest at Levelland.



Spur Art Guild will meet at the Willie

Room on April 18. Sybil Gardner will have the program on working with color Linda Swenson is the Artist of the

Month for April. See her paintings at the Spur Security Bank. Our workshop with Faye Schnuriger

has been cancelled due to the illness of the teacher. We will discuss this at the

I understand our directories are ready to assemble. We will also do this at our next meeting.

Several of our members went to an oil demonstration by Bob Chenault at the Buster Jones gallery in Post on March 26. Some more members went to a watercolor demo by Joseph Fettingis at Lubbock on April 7. Both of these were excellent and well worth the time of those who attended. See you at the next meeting.

Billie Moore, Reporter

PATTON SPRINGS SCHOOL LUNCH MENU **APRIL 18-22**

MONDAY: Burritos, Salad, Corn, Brownies, Milk

TUESDAY: Chicken Sandwich, Salad, Pork n Beans, Applesauce, Milk WEDNESDAY: Chicken Fried Steak, Sliced Potatoes, Gravy, Rolls, Milk THURSDAY: Lasagna, Salad, New

Peas, Garlic Toast, Fruit Salad, Milk FRIDAY: Hoagies, Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Cookies, Milk

BREAKFAST MON. Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk TUES. Muffins, Juice, Milk WED. Sausage and Biscuit, Juice, Milk THURS. Oatmeal, Toast, Juice, Milk FRI. Waffle Sticks, Juice, Milk

'Focus Finders' 4H Photography **Club Organizes**

"Focus Finders" was the name given to the new 4-H Photography Club at the organizational meeting held Monday,

Officers elected are as follows: President, Drew Baker; Vice President, Becky Ramage; Secretary, Spence Campbell; Record Keeper, Kyla Campbell; and Reporter, Shayla Faubus.

The Focus Finders will be entering the 4-H photography contest and state exhibit in May. There are two categories: single black and white print and single color print. In each category, five classes are available: people animals landscapes, humor, and 4-H promotion.

Each county may have one entry in each class per category. If you are interested in joining Focus Finders, contact one of the officers or adult leader, Nancy Hale.

Spur FFA Judging **Teams Compete At Canyon April 8**

Spur FFA Judging Teams competed on April 8, 1993 at West Texas A&M. These teams included a Meats Team and an Entomology Team.

The Meats Team consisted of Gaite Taylor, Jayson Thomason, Jamie Flud and Bear Long. Overall the team placed 4th and Jamie Flud was 2nd High Indi-

The Entomology competitors were Will Humphreys, Derek Key, Heath Herrera, and Rhett Keith. This team placed

Clarendon College also held a contest on April 9th. The Meats Team placed 2nd with Gaite Taylor being 1st High Individual. Spur's Horse Judging Team placed 4th. Competitors were Chad Smith, Daniel Woolley, Stoney Taylor and Zach Diggs.

The Livestock Team also competed, that team consisted of Andy Hale, Chad Key, Clint Fry and Cody Crawford.



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South Dickens **County Senior Citizens Dovie Nichols, Site Director**



I was in IGA the other day and Flip asked me if we could use some strawberries here at the Center. When they brought them in they were so very pretty and big. Thanks so very much IGA and Flip Fitzgerald for thinking about us. Everyone enjoyed them.

Pat Carlisle was our hostess last week,

Mr. Bragg and A.B. Carlisle attended

to the tea table, also Louise Wright We send our deepest sympathy to Elmer and Louise Wright on the loss of their grandbaby. Also, I would like to thank Louise for holding down the fort

while I was ill. Grace Vargas is so much help to our

Alzheimers Will Be Topic Of **Crosbyton Meeting**

"Advances in Treatment of Alzheimer's Deisease" will be the topic of a meeting April 19 at 7 p.m. at the Crosby County Senior Citizens Build-

Dr. David Freed, Ph.D., director of Psychological Research at the Texas Tech University Health Science Center, will be the featured speaker.

Crosbyton Clinic Hospital and Parke Davis Pharmaceuticals are co-sponsors of the meeting. The public is invited to participate in a question and answer period. Refreshments will be provided.

First Aid Topic Of Senior 4H **Meeting April 17**

The Dickens County Senior 4-H Club will meet on Sunday, April 17, 1994 at 2 p.m. at the Community Center in Dick-

The program will be on First Aid and Lynna Ray will be giving the demon-Refreshments will be provided by

Blake and Elisha Ball and Kassidy Karr and Lyndi Thomas.

Rodney Adams, Reporter

Center. Not only is she a good cook but she is such a dependable person. I really appreciate her. Thanks Grace for just being you.

after her visit to Kansas City, Kansas. We missed you Fay. Carl Grantham is home now. We sure

Glad to have Fay McArthur home

missed seeing you, Carl. Hazel Williams is home from the hospital. Hope she has a speedy recov-

Nell Scott is feeling better now. She's felt bad for several days.

Our exercise class has changed the time from 9:30 to 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Other dates and times to remember: Blood Pressure Checks Wednesday

Blue Bonnets meet Thursday, April 14th at 2 p.m.

Fun Night April 18th, Monday at Lunch is served Monday through

Friday at 12 noon. Hope to see you there.

Dovie Nichols, Site Director

DICKENS COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS MENU **APRIL 18-22**

MONDAY: Baked Ham, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Wheat Roll, Cherry or Plum Cobbler, Milk, Beverage

TUESDAY: Fish Nuggets, Baby Limas, Carrots, Banana and Oranges, Cornbread, Oatmeal Cookies, Milk, Beverage

WEDNESDAY: Green Pepper Casserole, Spinach, Tossed Salad, Combread, Chocolate Cake, Milk, Beverage

THURSDAY: Hamburger Steak, Brown Gravy, Rice, Zucchini, Hot Roll, Golden Congealed Salad, Milk, Bever-

FRIDAY: Beef Stroganoff, Egg Noodles, Broccoli, Wheat Roll, Strawberry or Peach Shortcake, Milk, Bever-

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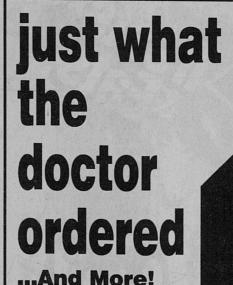
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Accepting a \$25 donation from Patton Springs PTO president, Gayle Taylor, and Secretary/Treasurer, Cynthia Kautz, is Russ Edinburgh, (center), president of the Dickens County Ambulance Service Committee. Russ is also an



Presenting a \$25 donation to the Dickens Volunteer Fire Department are Cynthia Kautz, Secretary/Treasurer; Ben Kautz, Fire Chief, accepting the check, and Gayle Taylor, PTO president and in back are Tim Walker and Brian Williams, members of the department.

Patton Springs PTO Honors Dickens EMS, Fire Department

In appreciation of the Dickens Volunteer Fire Department and the Dickens County EMS, Patton Springs Parent Teachers Organization (PTO) is presenting each a donation of \$25.00.

The Fire Department and EMS each provide an invaluable service to our community on a volunteer basis with dedication from every individual serving on their teams.

A lot of continued education hours, training and hard work is put in by the members of the Fire Department and EMS who sometime work side by side

when duty calls. Besides being on call 24 hours a day and having regular jobs, they report to each day, they still find time to come to our school and present programs, such as during National Fire Safety Week and

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SHS Band Receives Division II At UIL Contest April 6

The Spur High School Band took part in the UIL Concert and Sight Reading Contest in Sundown held on April 6th, 1994.

(Excellent) rating from the judges which scored the band as II, II, I in the Concert and Sight Reading contests. Judges were impressed with the uniforms and sound of the Spirit Of Spur Band. "The band did an excellent job this year, improving from a II, II, II in both divisions last year," according to Spur Band Director, Todd Baker.

The 5th, 6th and 7th grade band will be performing at contest on May 14th, 1994 in Hale Center. "We with them, Good Luck".



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Lance Morris, Crosbyton, Wins **Re-Election As PCA Director**

Lance D. Morris, Crosbyton, was reelected to a three year term as director on the Board of Rolling Plains Production Credit Association in the Stockholders Annual Meeting held in Childress on Thursday, April 7, and Stamford on Friday, April 8. Other board members are Garon B. Tidwell, Munday; Dan Henard,

Keith Corzine, Stamford and Jack Reese, Abilene.

Stamford session. In appreciation Bobby Sosolik, Munday Branch Office Manager, joined by Mike Guess, Stamford

Alvin Ulmer, Sagerton was recognized as 50-year PCA member in the

quality, management, earnings and li-Branch Office Manager, presented a Jr., Wellington; Dean Turner, Matador; plaque to Mr. Ulmer. **NEWS BRIEFS**

Thursday with tee time set at 5:30 p.m.

Individuals who would like to play are

urged to call the clubhouse early so the

tournament committee can get them

placed on a team. Entry fee is \$3 per

On Tuesday, April 19, the Spur Lions

The Caravan for the Blind truck will

Project co-chairmen are Robert Pierce

The club will have all types of

household items, made by the blind, on

sale. Some of the items include all types

of brooms, mops, brushes, ironing board

covers, sponges, dish towels, dish cloths

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by the Texas Department of Transpor-

Nine Lions Club members partici-

pated in the project and 558 aluminum

cans and 103 used lottery tickets were

counted along with various and sundry

other items of litter and 16 bags were

Last week the Spur Lions picked up

and many other useful items.

will sponsor their annual Mop and Broom

open for business by 8:30 a.m. on that

player.

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and Woodie McArthur.

PTO Will Honor All Spur UIL **Entries April 19**

On Tuesday, April 19, 1994 at 7 p.m. all UIL participants will be recognized at the monthly P-TO meeting. This includes everyone that compete in UIL, all grades and categories. Storytellers and oral readers will be asked to read their poems and/or stories.

Participants are asked to meet in the auditorium no later than 6:50 p.m. on the 19th, and pickup a program so you will know where you are on the agenda. All participants are asked to sit in the front Sale. on the East side of the auditorium.

We will also recognize the top three be at the IGA parking lot and will be candy sellers and the winner of the cookbook design contest.

March Precip. Listed at .57

According to the official Weather Station at the Detention Center, precipitation for the month of March in Spur was listed at .57.

Jayton's rainfall was recorded at .20. The weather over the Texas South Plains during March turned out to be warmer than normal with slightly below precipitation. Normal precip average for the month is .64.

Temperatures averaged 1.5 degrees above normal and ranged from 3.0 degrees above normal at Silverston to 0.1 degree above normal at Jayton.

Maximum temperatures averaged 1.1 degrees above normal and ranged from 3.3 degrees above normal at Littlefield to 0.7 degree below normal at Seminole. The highest temperature of the month was 91 degrees at Paducah on the 18th and at Paducah and Spur on the 20th.

Minimum temperatures averaged 1.8 degrees above normal and ranged from 4.4 degrees at Morton to 0.2 degree below normal at Lamesa. The lowest temperature of the month was 15 degrees at Silverton and Tulia on the 28th.

Precipitation averaged 0.12 inch below normal and ranged from 1.11 inches above normal at Friona to 0.94 inch below normal at Jayton. Snowfall was confined to the early part of the month and totals were generally 1 inch or less.

If the old saying; "If it thunders in February, it will snow in April" holds true--look for it to snow on April 23.

Two Teams Tie In **Opening Best Ball**

Two teams tied with a score of 34 during the windy opening of the Best Ball tournaments at the Spur Golf Club last Thursday.

The teams included Graden Bass, Wendell Newman, Gladys Hinson and Cotton Barkley and Wayne Roberts, Eldon Reynolds, Don Hinson and Billie

The best ball (scramble) is held each City Council . . . **Continued From Page One**

The council complimented the employees for the way the gas problem was

Pagers for the Fire Department have been ordered and the council decided to order three extra for City department heads and the city office.

Mayor S. E. Braly reported seven cases had been processed through Municipal Court.

The council approved an agreement whereby a City employee who resigned could be able to keep insurance coverage with the Municipal League handling the paperwork.

A deed request by Mae Patterson Hutto was approved by the City.

A zoning variance request by Lawson and Betty McWilliams was approved for lots 20, 21 and 22 in Block 2, Smart Addition.

The council agreed to employee Manuel Herrera to care for the City parks again this year.

The storm warning system on the TV cable was discussed and a request to have the system put into working order was forwarded to the cable company.

March bills were reviewed and approved for payment.

Report to the gathering. Earning the highest rating possible by the Tenth District Regulator for the sixth consecutive year, the Association maintains its Tier I designation. The award is based on continued strength in capital, asset

The Association made a net profit after taxes of \$946,299 again making a profit for the 59th year of its 60-year existence. In 1993 Rolling Plains Production Credit Association loaned more than \$102 million to approximately 730 borrowers in its 19-county territory. The strength of the member-owned PCA is reflected in the character and manage-

ment ability of its borrowers. The Nominating Committee Report was presented in Childress by Vice Chairman Billy W. Shannon, Flomot and in Stamford by Chairman Gary Bridge, Afton. Elected to serve on the 1995 Nominating Committee were: Paul Bryant, Tell for the Childress Office; Charles Renfro, Matador for the Matador Office; Billy Teichelman, Sagerton for the Stamford area; C.H. Cornet, Knox City for the Munday area; Harold Hohhertz, Abilene for the Abilene area; and Kennith Clark, Kalgary for the Spur year. Office.

President John Rike introduced new employees Mike Lisle, Loan Officer in employees Mike Lisle, Loan Officer in the Stamford Branch, Carrie White, At Asperment Central Office Bookkeeper; Rhonda Price, who works part-time in both the Stamford and Central Offices; and Tammy Wyatt, Clerk in the Childress Branch.

Crowds were entertained by Cindy Nix and Donna Fowler, "Just Friends" who presented a program of music and

In each section \$900 in cash prizes were awarded in a drawing from PCA stockholders in attendance. Winners of \$600 were Mrs. G.E. Piper, Paducah in the Childress section and Warren D. Short, Rochester in the Stamford section. \$100 winners in Childress were Charles Renfro and Paul Bryant, Matador and Tell respectively. J. E. Benham, Jr., Childress and Loyd Mayes, Paducah were cash winners of the two \$50 prizes in Childress. In Stamford five \$60 award were presented to J.B. Toney and Ed Ekdahl, Stamford, Jerry Russell, Merkel, Duward Campbell, Haskell and G.W. Sutton, Vera.

Girls' Golf Team Third At District; **Boys Place Eighth**

The Spur High School girls golf team, made up of Heather Cash, 108; Kendra Atkinson, 92; Beth Bingham, 112; Raegane Richey, 113; Misty Martin, 99 and Brandy Clerk, 136, placed third at the District meet in Knox City last week.

Motley County won the title with a score of 387: Knox City was second with 392 and Spur placed third at 411.

Skye Porter, Petersburg, with a score of 85 was medalist. Crystal Correll, Knox City was second at 90 while Leigh Ann Pipken, Motley County and Kendra Atkinson, Spur tied for third medalist with a score of 92.

The boys District tournament was played at Roaring Springs with Paducah A team first with 327; Motley County was second at 368.

Spur placed eighth with a score of

Spur players scored as follows: Chad Key, 104; Tommy Long, 113; Kevin Swaringen, 112; Timmy Adams 109; Clint Day, 96; Kyle Hulme, 110;

Zach Diggs, 112 and Derek Key, 110. Golf coach Neilan Hensley said he was real proud of both boys and girls golf teams and said he felt they should really make some improvement next

Girls Second

The Spur Junior High girls placed second out of 18 teams competing April 7 in the Stinger Ralays at Aspermont. Paducah won the meet while Spur

JHS girls scored 77 points. Scoring for the Spur Junior High girls included:

400 meter relay--Spur, third, 55.82 (Jamie Woolley, April Walker, Roshonda Bethany and Carrie Fincher); 100 meter low hurdles--Carrie Fincher, first, 18.05;

100 meter dash--April Walker, third,

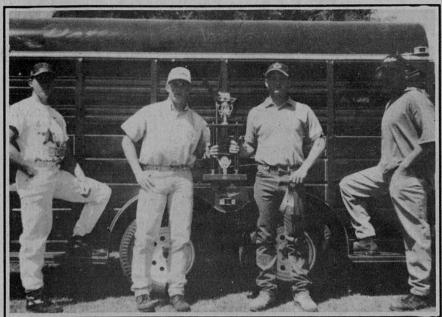
400 meter dash--Carrie Fincher, second, 67.88; Monica Molina, fourth,

200 meter dash--April Walker, second, 29.27; Roshonda Bethany, third,

Triple jump--Carrie Fincher, second, 30 ft. 5 3/4 inches; April Walker, third, 29 ft. 4 inches:

Long jump--Carrie Fincher, second, 15 ft. 1 inch; Roshonda Bethany, 14 ft.





Patton Springs FFA competes well at West Texas A&M--On Friday, April 8, 1994, several members of Patton Springs FFA competed in the West Texas A&M Judging Contest. The Entomology Team, made up of Kassidy Karr, Mandy Flanagan and Stacy Cline, placed sixth. The Grass ID Team, made up of Heather Willis, Jeremy Porter, April Zuniga and Michael Whittaker, placed fifth. The highlight of the day came when the Dairy Cattle Team made up of Heath Griffin, Teddy Castillo, Clayt Bridge and Dustin Porter, took first place out of 51 teams. Heath was awarded second high individual.

Dickens Bike-A-Thon Will Be Held Saturday, April 16

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital has announced plans for the Dickens "Wheels for Life" Bike-A-Thon. Mr. Doyle Pate will serve as coordinator of the event on April 16, 1994 and encourages all residents to support this important community effort.

The Bike-A-Thon participants will ride around the courthouse square in Dickens. Participants who collect as much as \$75 will receive a T-shirt and sports bag; \$30 in collections will receive a T-Shirt and all others will receive a certificate.

The activities will get underway at 1 p.m. according to Mr. Pate. If you would like to take part in this Bike-A-Thon contact him at 623-5377.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, founded in 1962 by the late entertainer Danny Thomas, is the largest childhood cancer research center in America in terms of the number of patients treated and treatment success. Funding for the treatment and research programs conducted at St. Jude Hospital comes primarily from public support of events such as Bike-A-Thon.

This year's Bike-A-Thon poster child, seven year old Shauna Richters, represents all of the patients treated at this world-renowned pediatric research and treatment facility. Shauna was diagnosed with Wilms' tumor, a malignant growth on her left kidney, in December 1990. Shauna is in remission from her cancer and completed her chemotherapy (anticancer drugs) in June 1991. She is doing well and returns to St. Jude Hospital every six months for checkups. Shauna celebrated her last chemotherapy treatment with a present she had eagerly looked forward to, a new bike.

All residents and businesses are en-

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couraged to lend their support to the hospital by making a contribution or by becoming a rider.

Letter To The Editor

I would like to say a few things about our school board. I think the board gets blamed for alot of things that happen and they never even know what's really going on.

We hear they said this or that and believe they did without even finding out the truth. I know how this feels and it's very unfair. I know from experience from working at Spur school that we were told the board said this or that and I finally starting questioning a board member and he says he knew nothing about alot of the things we were told by our bosses.

We are told to take proper channels to get to meet with the board, but how can you do this when you can't even get in to see Mr. Hamilton? I have tried off and on to speak with him and Mr. Carroll and he won't even set up that meeting. I tried at one time to get on the board agenda and got the old, "I'll contact my lawyers and get back with you." The problem is he never gets back with you.

If we could meet with Mr. Hamilton to try and solve the problems then a lot of people might stop running to individual board members to make their complaints.

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The Editor's Corner

By Joe Harrison

The Golden Spur Classic Track Meet, the initial meet held on the new Spur High School track at Jones Stadium, was a well-run and huge success last Saturday.

I know I heard a lot of coaches comment about the track and what an addition it was to one of the most unique football stadiums in West Texas. Coach Dewayne Sexton and his staff (and a host of volunteers) are to be congratulated on the smooth manner in which the meet was run.

This was the first local track meet that I recall not timing or having some official part in. However, this year, I took pictures--or I should say I attempted to take pictures. You see, it was my first experience with a camera that was equipped with a telephoto lens. So, I was either too close to the subject or too far away. Some of the pictures turned out all right and I really enjoyed the meet. (Nobody had to rock me to sleep Saturday night, though).

There was a break in the City of Spur gas transmission line sometime Friday and City crews had a long week end getting it back together. Robert Daughtry came by our house Saturday morning and wanted to know if we wanted to turn our gas back on or leave it on "maintenance" as we do in the summer time? Jo Ann told him to leave it off but Tuesday morning we regretted this decision.

I just can't go along with Dr. Ned Hicks that winter is over yet. (Ned has been wearing a short sleeve shirt since February, I think).

We would like to add our congratulations to the Spur High School One Act Play, cast, crew and director, for advancing to the Regional level of competition. They will be competing at Levelland April 21 for a chance to compete at state.

Fewer people died in traffic accidents in Texas in 1993 than in any year since 1965, according to statistics compiled by the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Last year, 3,037 persons died in traffic mishaps on Texas streets and roadways, a decrease of 0.7 percent from the 1992 statewide death toll of 3,057. The decline was the eighth in nine years.

The following bits of wisdom tie in directly to the preceding paragraph:

SING WHILE YOU DRIVE
At 45 miles per hour sing Highways

Are Happy Ways.
At 55 miles per hour sing I'm But a
Stranger Here; Heaven Is My Home.

At 65 miles per hour, sing Nearer My God to Thee.

At 75 miles per hour sing When the

Roll Is Called Up Yonder I'll Be There.
At 85 miles per hour sing Lord, I'm
Coming Home.

Found this on my desk--have no idea where it came from.

shs Ex-student Newsletter

By Lillian Grace Nay

Class of '69

That's right!!! This is our 25th year class reunion, and we do not know where you are. Please send your name and address to Bill Campbell, P.O. Box 152, Spur, Texas 79370, if you want to know what is going on this homecoming. We will send you a note of the activities; when and where we will be. So it is time to get off your duff, and contact us NOW!!! If you are running from the law, IRS, wife, husband, ex-wife, ex-husband, girlfriend, boyfriend, ex-girlfriend, ex-boyfriend, children, etc., you may call Bill at 806-271-3556 or Randy at 271-4498, or Fronye at 271-3577, or Grady at 271-3592. We will ask no questions except your mailing address, and we promise not to forward it to anyone if that is your wish. WE WANT TO SEE YOU HERE FOR HOME-COMING, OCTOBER 13, 14 & 15, 1994. So mark your calendar, and plan on being in Spur for a good time. Thanks!!!

P.S. If you are interested in serving on the planning committee, please let us know that also. We need help!!! We will be having a planning session in the near future, and we will contact you.

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May Day Committee Plans Fun Day In Swenson Park For April 30

The Spur May Day Committee is planning a Fun Day in Swenson Park on April 30, according to an announcement this week by Nancy Hale.

Plans for the day start off with a Chili Cook-Off, beginning at 10 a.m. Judging of the Chili will be at 1 p.m. Trophies and money prizes will be given for places first through third for Best Chili and

Donnie Baldridge Among Tech Ag Scholarship Winners

Texas Tech University's College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources recognized its Dean's Scholars during a reception March 25. These scholarships have been established by the college to reward academic excellence and to encourage highly capable young men and women to major in the agricultural sciences.

The Dean's Scholars awards are based on academic excellence as well as leadership, sound character and good citizenship. The Gold Award is a \$10,000 4-year scholarship, and the Silver Award is a \$5,000 4-year scholarship. To keep the scholarship recipients must maintain a 3.4 GPA for Gold Awards and a 3.2 GPA for Silver Awards. The scholarships are funded by various donors who have made contributions to the college.

Sam Curl, dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, congratulated 23 scholars for their achievements.

Among the Silver Award winners, each receiving a \$1,250 scholarship was Donnie Baldridge, a sophomore majoring in agricultural economics, from Spur.

Showmanship.

Anyone interested in obtaining a set of rules contact Sheldon or Debbie Parsons.

Youth Play day Events will begin at 10 a.m. Some of the Horse Events will be Barrels, Poles, Goat Tying, and Ribbon Pull. Other Arena events are Stick Horse Race, Boot Scramble, and Goat Ribbon Pull.

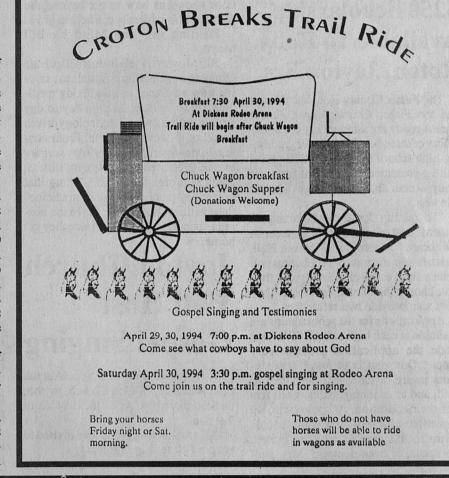
Senior Citizens will serve sand-

wiches, cold drinks and dessert items in the concession stand at the Rodeo arena.

The Dickens County Roping Club will host a "Members Only" roping beginning at 2 p.m.

The Fun Day will close with a Dance, music provided by the Blue Denim Band. The Days events are sponsored by the Spur May Day Committee and all proceeds are used for the Rodeo Arena

and Exhibition Barn improvements.







Dickens County/Spur Librarian, Ethel McArthur, seated, gets ready to

stamp Library books being checked out by Stacy Campbell, who happens

to be president of the Library support group, "Friends of the Library."

Dickens County residents are invited to support their Library during

National Library Week, April 17-23.

Kent County Library News

by Brenda Long

April 17-23 is National Library Week! The theme is "LIBRARIES CHANGE LIVES". Please get out and visit your community library during this week and tell your local librarian what a great job he or she is doing.

We have recently received a shipment of new books. Among these are: The Presidents' Health Security

\$250 Scholarship Available To Roby, Rotan, Jayton Srs.

The Fisher County Hospital District and the Fisher County Home Health Care Agency are announcing the availability of three scholarships for graduating high school seniors. A \$250 award will be presented to a student from the Roby, Rotan and Jayton High Schools

"To qualify for the scholarship, a student must plan to pursue a career in healthcare," according to Debbie Hull, assistant administrator. "Applicants will write a short essay explaining why they have chosen their healthcare field. They must also provide two references."

Applications for the scholarships are available at each high school. "We have made the application process very simple. Our goal is to make area students aware of careers in the medical field, and to encourage students to further their education. At some time, we hope to have some of these young people return to this area to work as nurses, therapists, or even doctors," Mrs. Hull continued.

The deadline for application is April 29, 1994. The scholarships will be given during the school awards ceremonies.

This book contains two documents in one book! The complete text of both the draft proposal on health care reform and a final report by the White House Domestic Policy Council.

When the Worst That Can Happen Already Has by Dennis Wholey

Sooner or later we all encounter adversity in life. Suffering is part of the human experience, and major hardships will make their way into our lives. This book shows us how to get beyond the

pain and how adversity can help us grow. Healing and the Mind by Bill

Bill Moyers travels from small private clinics to large public hospitals to examine how advances in mind/body medicine are being applied on a day to day level in the hurried and technology driven world of modern medicine. From neonatal care to geriatrics, from day surgery to the treatment of chronic illness, medical professionals are finding that when they practice the new "medicine" their patients heal faster, leave the hospital sooner, and do better once they get

Jayton Church Will Host **Gospel Singing**

A Gospel Singing will be held at the First Assembly of God Church, Jayton, on Saturday night, April 16, 1994, from

All area singing groups are invited to attend. Fellowship to follow.

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One's for the concert portion and straight One's for the sightreading portion as well. These scores, combined with the straight One's received during Marching Contest, qualified the band for the "Sweepstakes" trophy. This is the fourth consecutive year that the Jaybird Band has accomplished this goal. For the past two years, Jayton has been the only band in this zone to get the Sweepstakes trophy. "It was a stunning way to complete a dream year!" says band director, Joel Weisberg. "Nothing is more exciting than coming away with the best results out of all the bands competing. This is a great tribute to the musicians at Jayton High School-they are truly No. 1." Their program included Port 25-Akers, Variations on a Known Folk Rhapsody-Curnow and The Black Knight-Grundman.

Jayton School Officials Release Honor Roll List

"A" HONOR ROLL 5th: Jackie Chisum, Michael

6th: McKenzie Coulter; 7th: Amber Chisum;

8th: Summer Coulter; 9th: Shaina Moss, J.T. Williams;

10th: Dede Freemyer;

11th: Brook Baldridge, Destry Layne; 12th: Rachel Brown, Johanna Nuding Paula Petty.

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

4th: Randi Chisum, Ami Daniel, Jessica Gutierrez, Tiffany Harrison, Elizabeth Hoover, April Long, Brianna Nuding, Josh Stanaland, Joy Williams, Valari Bryant:

5th: Ryan Bleiker, Devonne Hammack, Seth Jeter, Danny Cuba, Crystal Maynard; 6th: Robert Duarte, Ray Hall, Lilly

Hoover, Morgan Jeter, Leslie Jones, Kylinda McCurry, Amanda Shores, Reid 7th: B.J. Baldridge, Amy Chunn,

Lindsay Holder, Amanda Williams; 8th: Brad Chisum, Latisha Jones, Jennifer Nuding;

9th: Nick Shock, April Smith; 10th: Brandon Ford, Clint Long; 11th: Marci Foster;

12th: Cassie Benningfield, Buffy Ferguson, Luis Gutierrez, Chris Kirby, Amanda McCurry, Carolyn Penrod, Aaron Shields.

Spring Cleaning Safety Checklist

It's that time of year again....when spent cleaning fever hits the air and everyone decides to take on those tough chores around the house. This is a good time to perform a home safety check. Inspecting your home and creating a hazard-free environment will reduce your chances of having an accident.

West Texas Utilities Company and the National Safety Council recommend spring cleaning as the best time to conduct a home safety checklist:

*Avoid overloading electrical out-

*All appliances should have Underwriters Laboratories (UL) labels

*Replace cracked or damaged cords

and plugs *Cover electrical outlets if you have

young children in the house *Label all fuses and circuit breakers to show which outlets and fixtures they

*Washers and dryers should be electrically grounded. Be careful: damp or wet floors can lean to electrical shock

*When remodeling, position light switches in accessible areas. Accidents can happen when people stumble through the dark. Place locations around the home for emergency use

*Good lighting should be provided at the stove, sink and countertop work areas, especially where food is chopped *Place night lights in bathroom or

hallways to act as a guide to prevent falls Make sure a home safety list is part of your spring cleaning plans this year. Take the time to ensure the health and

safety of you, your family and your

White River Lake Scene Of Bass **Tournament April 23**

The White River Lake will be the scene of the Bass Tournament on Saturday, April 23. The Lubbock Bass Master Club will be event sponsor.

Entry fee will be \$25 if received by April 17 and \$30 on day of the event. The Marina at the lake will be head-

The meet will open at 7 a.m. and final weigh-in will be at 2 p.m. \$100 per hour will be awarded in prizes with \$1000 to the largest bass for the day.

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'Kids Are Special' **Coloring Contest Underway In Jayton**

Enter your Pre-Schooler (ages 5 and under) in a Coloring Contest in recognition of April as Child Abuse Preven-

4H Exchange **Group Slates Pet Clinic**

Miles Dabovich, CEA-AG **Kent County**

The Kent County 4-H Exchange Group will be conducting a pet clinic and dog dipping on April 19 from 4 to 6 p.m. on the town square in Jayton. Cost of the clinic will be \$3.00 for dipping and shots ranging from rabies to worming will be \$7.50 and up.

Dr. Vic Burke, Rotan, will be on hand to administer shots. For more information call 237-3751.

The Cooperative Extension Program offers educational programs and materials to all citizens regardless of socioeconomic level, race, religion, national origin, sex or handicap.

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Pictures to be colored are available at Kent County State Bank and Kent county Library. Have your pre-schooler color the picture, put their name and age on the back only and return the finished picture to Kent County Library, Friday, April 22,1994.

There will be a judging contest and a prize for 1st place in each category (ages 1-3 and ages 4-5). Every child that participates will receive a "Kids Are Special" ribbon on Wednesday, April 27th at the Kent county Health Fair at the Community Center in Jayton.

The pictures will be on display during the Fair. Come by and visit our booth and join in on the exciting activities.

Setting The Record STRAIGHT!

In a cutline in last week's edition, J. T. Williams of Jayton was listed incorrectly as third place winner in Persuasive Speaking. It should have been second place. The Texas Spur regrets this



1994 Jayton Student Council--top row, Coach Coulter, Stephanie Holder, Clifton Kirby, Katie Wilson, Shaina Moss, Michael Johnson, Lindsay Holder. Bottom row: Paula Petty, Cass Benningfield, Jay Hall, vice president; Buffy Ferguson, president; Marci Foster and Steven Gibson.

A SAFETY MESSAGE FROM DICKENS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

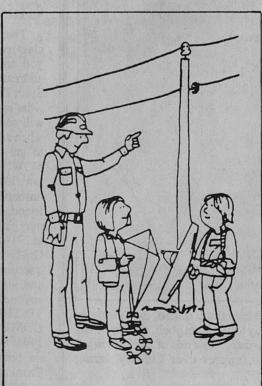
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To enter early contact Lubbock Bass Masters at P.O. Box 1584, Lubbock, Texas 79408 or call 806-793-5822. Registration will begin at 10 p.m. Friday and 5:30 a.m. to 8 a.m Saturday at the THANK YOU FOR READING

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Members of the Kent County Road Crew construct a retaining wall at the Little

League Park in preparation for the Little League home opener on April 18 at

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Kent County 4H Fashion Show Theme Was "Top 24 Fashion Hits" April 5

Kent County

Fashion Show, held Tuesday, April 5 in The "Top 24 Fashion Hits" of Kent the R.N. Pierce Learning Center at the



Intermediate Winners--Left to right, Lindsay Holder, Carl Miller and LaWanda Tucker.



Junior Winners--left to right, Jackie Chisum, Randi Chisum, Elizabeth Hoover and Morgan Jeter.

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Jayton School. Set against a background of 45 records, jukebox and soda straws, 4-H Clothing Project Members modeled garments they had constructed or purchased as part of the 4-H Clothing Project.

Senior 4-H member, Amanda McCurry welcomed everyone, while DeDe Freemyer and J.T. Williams narrated the style show. All participants received blue ribbons. Junior participants: Popover Skirt Category, Elizabeth Hoover, Joy Williams; Casual Wear, Randy Chisum and Buying Division, Kylinda McCurry, Tiffany Harrison, Morgan Jeter and Reid Guess. Intermediate participants (those 12 and 13 years) were Dressy Division, Lindsay Holder; Casual Wear, LuWanda Tucker and Buying, Lilly Hoover, LaVonda Spray, Samantha Harrison, and Carl Miller. Those 14 years and older who partici-

pated in the senior division were: Dressy Construction, Joy Stanaland; Formal Buying, Shahala May, Rusti Jeter and Kristi Harris; Casual Buying, Jay Hall and Henry Benavides; Dressy Buying, Kristi Downing and Stephanie Holder.

Winners to compete in the District 4-H Fashion Show April 23, in Munday include juniors: Elizabeth Hoover, Jackie Chisum, Randi Chisum, and Morgan Jeter. Intermediate winners were LaWanda Tucker, Lindsay Holder and Carl Miller; while Joy Stanaland. Stephanie Holder, Rusti Jeter and Henry Benavides will compete in the senior division.

As chairman of the Kent county Family, Community and Education (FCE) Council, Bessie Trammel presented plaques on behalf of the council to overall winners: Morgan Jeter, Lindsay Holder and Stephanie Holder.



Participants in Kent County 4H Fashion Show "Top Fashion Hits." Front row, left to right, Tiffany Harrison, Joy Williams, LaVonda Spray, Lilly Hoover, LaWanda Tucker, Carl Miller and Lindsay Holder; middle row: Jackie Chisum, Devonne Hammock, Reid Guess, Haley Holder, Randi Chisum, Elizabeth Hoover, Morgan Jeter, Samantha Harrison and Kylinda McCurry; back row: Joy Stanaland, Jay Hall, Kristi Downing, Stephanie Holder, Kristi Harris, Shahala May and Rusti Jeter. (Not pictured, Henry Benavides).

KENT COUNTY

HIGHLIGHTS

By Wyvonne Spray To report News Call 237-4010



Jan Carter, Stacy and Brian, Abilene

Linda Snider, Denise and Laura and

Jamie Long, Mike Bodine, John H.

Mayer, Russ Marley, Ray Miller, Rue

Gambol, Chad Metcalf, Heidi

Underwood, Robert Moore, Miles

Dabovich, Jorene Richey, Taylor

Audra McAteer, Lubbock visited Mary

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

spent the weekend with Estelle Luna

in Denver City.

Belle McAteer.

Chamness.

Last Sunday, Dennis took his dad, Clyde and Laura Spray to Abilene for Clyde to undergo some more treatments. ay Clyde got a good report.

Last Wednesday LaVonda and I went to Lubbock for her to see the orthodontist.

Recently visiting with Nadine and T.J. Miller was her brother, Don and Novelia Clark, Taylor, Arizona. They came and visited for a few days and then went to Louisianan. Then they came back by and visited for a few more days. They went to the Senior Citizens and Don got to visit with old friends.

Elaine Washburn, Freer, recently went to Fort Worth and visited her son, Steven and Tina Washburn.

Elaine Washburn has received word from her son, Dennis Montley and family that they will be coming back to the states from Okinawa on May 15. He will stationed in Washington State. Nadine said it will be nice to have them back in the states.

LLoyd and Willie Rudder spent Easter weekend in Denton with their daughter, Charylene and Don Browning and granddaughters.

Tricia Jackson, Clay and Kayla, Abilene; Penny and Russ Nelson and Cody, Lubbock and Don and Joann Nelson, Lamesa spent Easter day with Alta Jean and Garth Gregory.

Theresa and Roger Marley, Russ and Elaine, Seminole visited her parents, Rusty and Nelda Wright.

Kenny and Roni Kidd and Jacey, Midland, spent the weekend with J.A. and Joy Kidd. Saturday and Sunday morning they visited with her dad, Weldon Carriker, Austin and Kathrine and Weldon Carriker. Saturday night, Steve and Donna Kidd, Brandon and LaTasha joined Kenny and Roni and Jacey at J. A. and Joy's for supper and an Easter Egg Hunt.

Friday night guests in the home of Steve and Donna Kidd, Brandon and LaTasha were Dwight and Sandra Dillashaw and Jennice Faubus, Shayla

Cassi, Chad and Caydee Hall, Ruidoso, New Mexico spent the Easter Holidays with Norman and Barbara Hall and Robert and Ethel and William Hall.

Albert and Amanda Harris spent part of last week in Lamesa visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harris and Bertie Mae Smith

KC Roping Club Will Meet Friday

Kent County Roping Club will meet at the Girard Community Center on Friday, April 15, 1994 at 8 p.m.

They will be electing new officers and discuss buying some roping steers.

conclusion to the clothing project during Thanks, also to all of you who helped

well as their communication skills. Congratulations to all these Kent

sumed leadership roles at the show were national or origin, sex or handicap.

The modeling of garments which 4- hosts, LaTasha Kidd and Seth Jeter and H'ers constructed or bought comes as a ushers, Danny Cuba and Jake Hoover. which members learn about the selection decorate for "Top Fashion Hits".

of fabric or ready to wear, quality and On behalf of all 4-H'ers we also want care of clothing, grooming, modeling to express appreciation to Jayton School and wardrobe planning. In an interview for use of the facilities and to Kent with a panel of judges they are judged on County Commissioners' Court and FCE their knowledge of these qualities as Council for their support of 4-H activi-

The Cooperative Extension Program County 4-H Members and to the leaders offers educational programs and mateand parents who helped them complete rials to all citizens regardless of sociotheir projects. Other 4-H'ers who as- economic level, race, color, religion,



Senior Winners--left to right, Joy Stanaland, Henry Benavides, Rusti Jeter and Stephanie Holder.



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DISTRICT 8A DATE OF ISSUANCE: March 31, 1994

RULE 37 CASE NO. 0204931

AMENDED NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant, Petroleum Property Mgmt. Inc. (A), 833 E. Arapaho, Suite 207, Richardson, Tx 75081, has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code Section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the distance between wells requirment to deepen (below casing), Well No. 4 Reed "A" Lease, 80 Acres, Section 2, Block 2, H&GN RR Co. Survey, A-1261, S-M-S (Canyon Reef) Field, Kent County, being 10 miles in a northwest direction from Clairemont, Texas.

As part of this application, applicant also seeks permit authority in the Wildcat field.

No Rule 37 is necessary pursuant to field rules for the fields. The location of this well is as follows:

1350' from the west line and 560' from the south line of lease. 660' from the south line and 1350' from the west line of survey.

Field Rules for the S-M-S (Canyon Reef) and Wildcat field are 467/1200, 40 acres. This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 6750 feet.

Pursuant to the terms of Rule 37 (h) (2) (A), this application may be granted administratively if no protest to the application is received. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Glenn E. George, at (214) 298-3141. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6718.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, YOU MUST FILL OUT, SIGN AND MAIL OR DELIVER TO THE AUSTIN OFFICE OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS A NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST. A COPY OF THE INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST ALSO BE MAILED OR DELIVERED ON THE SAME DATE TO APPLICANT AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN ABOVE. THIS INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE WITHIN BY MAY 6, 1994. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, THE REQUEST PERMIT WILL BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

NOTICE REQUIRES PUBLICATION.



Friends in the Dickens community were saddened to learn of the death of former resident, Rex Robinson, who lived in Lubbock. Mr. Robinson died on Friday, April 8th, he was survived by his wife. Elsie and one son, Robert Rex, Lubbock. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Larry Little is in a Lubbock hospital at this time. His condition is quite serious, our thoughts and prayers are with his family during this trying time.

Mandy Flanagan celebrated her 16th birthday this past week. Congratulations to Mandy on this special occasion.

Bill Brooks, Roaring Springs, died this past week in Dickens. We extend sympathy to his family.

Cody and Jody Warren and children. Tonia, Makayla and Dylan spent the weekend visiting with Jody's parents and sisters, Otis and Patty Bliss, Laura and Heather who live in Hobbs, New Mexico. They went to Sitting Bull Falls for a camping trip and enjoyed the weekend very much.

The Youth Group of the Nazarene Church will have a bake sale on Saturday, April 16. The proceeds from the bake sale will be used for the trip to Extravaganza in Oklahoma.

Early voting for the Second Primary election ended on Friday, April 8th with over 200 ballots being cast. Interest locally is high in the two precincts where the Commissioners race has Billy George

COUNTY TREASURERS OUARTERLY REPORT

THE STATE OF TEXAS **COUNTY OF DICKENS**

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Woodie McArthur, Jr. County Judge of Dickens County, Texas; Hubert Hawley, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; R.J. Bell, Commissioner No. 2; Doc Edwards, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; and Darrell Thomason, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; all of said County; each being well known to me, who being first by me, duly sworn, upon their oaths and say:

That a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Dickens County, Texas, at a regular term thereof, on this the 11th day of April, 1994; there came on to be considered by said Court and each member thereof examined the Quarterly report of the County Treasurer for the First Quarter. And we, and each of us, do swear that said report was duly filed within the time required by law; that all requirements of Article 1636 of the Revised Civil Statues of Texas with reference to said report have been fully complied with by us and each of us at said term of Court: that the cash and other assets mentioned in said report and held by her for the County have been fully inspected and counted by us and each of us, with the following being the amount of said money and other assets in the hands of Mrs. Druline Rape County Treasurer, to-wit:

\$89,632.22 Cash on Hand in Spur Security Bank. \$394,854.89 Receipts \$409,042.84 Disbursements Transfers To other Funds \$71,444.27 Balance on hand

\$ -0-\$ -0- Time Warrants and Contracts;

And that this affidavit is timely made and filed under the provisions of said Article 1636.

WITNESS OUR HANDS on this 11th day of April, 1994.

Signed: **Woodie McArthur County Judge**

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both Dickens and Spur have several candidates filing for those offices. In Dickens there will be a vote on allowing Bingo in the City limits.

The shower on Sunday night while not giving us much in the way of moisture was welcome, and hopefully is the forerunner of more to come. The cold weather has taken its toll on the fruit crop for this year.

Visitors in the home of Lorene Edwards recently were her brother, Kenneth and wife, Nelda.

Mrs. Inez Terry has moved from the community to Lubbock, we will miss Mrs. Terry and hope that she is happy in her new home.

The Allan Mayfield family has also moved away from Dickens, they are making their home in Jayton. We hope they enjoy living in Kent County.

The Grand Jury was in session at the Dickens County Courthouse this past week. District Court was also in session. Several people from the Dickens

Spur 5th, 6th Graders Learn Refusal Skills

On Tuesday, April 5th, the children of the parents who are attending the Drug Free Years classes, came and participated. They were taught refusal skills to help them remain drug free in later years.

Community attended funeral services in Lubbock for Randy Lawson, who was murdered while delivering the Avalanche Journal on Saturday morning, April 9th. Randy was raised in Afton and he and his wife, LeAnn were both graduates of Patton Springs High School. He was the son of the former Dickens County Commissioner, Jack Lawson and Ruth Lawson, both of whom preceded him in death. Our sincere sympathy is extended to the family. LeAnn Lawson was the former LeAnn Humphreys. She is a sister to Jimbo and the daughter of Jim and Bernice Humphreys who formerly lived at the Pitchfork Ranch, but now reside in Lubbock. Such senseless violence really hits close to home when it happens to some one we know.

A good crowd attended the Easter Sunrise Services held in Dickens on Easter Sunday. The Service was over in time for the worshipers to attend their church for Easter Services.

NOTICE OF _CITY_ ELECTION

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This is a five session course attended by 5th and 6th grade parents who are interested in helping their children cope with the problems they will face as they enter middle and secondary school.

This program is sponsored by our Spur School District out of the Extension Office, Region XVII, which services 20 school districts with this program. The parent educators are Barbara Eckles and Cinda Givens.

They wish to thank, first of all, the parents who participated and their children; and Luene McArthur who coordinated between the educators and the school; also Lawrence Bros. for providing refreshments.

Obituaries

Jessie Franklin

Funeral services for Jessie Duane Franklin, infant son of Jonathan and Sherry Franklin of Hobbs, N.M., were at 2 p.m. April 8, 1994 at Griffin Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial was Saturday in Spur Memorial Cemetery.

The infant, who was one month old, died April 5 in Hobbs. He was born

February 18, 1994 in Hobbs. Besides the parents, Jessie is survived by his grandparents, Charles and Carol Towndrow of Raton, N.M., Wanda Wright, Spur and J. D. Franklin, Hobbs, N.M.; great grandparents, Marie Wright, Spur; and Mildred Ghiglieri of Raton; one great-great-grandmother, Lotti Towndrow of Raton; two aunts and three cousins.

Odessa McDaniel

Services for Odessa McDaniel, 81,

Lubbock were at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 13, 1994 in the Monterey Church of Christ with John Herington, Levelland, officiating.

Graveside services were at 3 p.m. in the Spur Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home. Lubbock.

Mrs. McDaniel died Monday, April 11, 1994 in Fannin County. She married Joe McDaniel on July 25, 1932, in Clovis, New Mexico. He died in 1975. She was a housewife and a member of the Church of Christ. She moved to Lubbock in 1967. A son, Billy Joe, died in 1962.

Survivors include a brother, B.C. Stapleton, Lubbock.

Pallbearers will be Danny Williams, Don Williams, Ken Castle, Foy Kirkpatrick, Cody Steele and E.C. Leslie.

The family suggests memorials to the Sunset School of Preaching, the Children's Home of Lubbock or to Lubbock Christian University.

Midway Church will be at

Spur Community Center at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 19th, 1994

Speaker will be Pastor Chris McCauley

Church of Christ, Jayton

Area Church Directory

Hill Street Church of Christ, Spur Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Morning Service, 10:20 a.m. Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday evening, 7 p.m. Bible Church of the Nazarene, Dickens Sue Mayo, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11 a.m. Sunday & Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. **Afton Baptist Church** C.L. Atkinson, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11 a.m. Sunday Evening, 8 p.m. **Dickens United Methodist Church** Rev. Jack Moffatt Sunday Morning Service, 9 a.m. Sunday School, 10 a.m. Temple Baptist Church, Spur Rev. Melvin Owens Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11 a.m. Evening Service, 5 p.m. Lake Side Baptist Church, Spur Raymond Roberts, Pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morning Service, 11 a.m. Training Union, 5:30 p.m. Evening Service, 6 p.m. Assembly of God Church, Spur Bob Wright, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11 a.m. Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday Evening, 7 p.m. Highway 70 Church of Christ, Spur Ernest Bishop, Minister Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Morning Service, 10:30 p.m. Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. Ladies Bible Class, 9:30 a.m. First United Methodist Church, Jayton Rev. Todd Rasberry Sunday, 9:15 a.m. Fellowship Morning Service, 9:30 a.m. Thursday, 3 p.m. 3 years-3rd graders

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The Texas Department of Transportation will conduct a public meeting at

10:00 a.m. on April 29, 1994 at the

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Due to circumstances beyond our control, the United Methodist Women's Craft Fair scheduled for April 30, 1994 has been cancelled.

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Bulldogs Win Golden Spur Classic; Spurettes Second Behind Paducah

The Spur Bulldogs won their division while the Spurettes were second in theirs in the first running of the Golden Spur Classic track meet at Jones Stadium last

A total of nine teams competed in the boys division and ten competed in the girls division.

The Bulldogs scored 133 points for their win while the Spurettes scored 122 to finish second to Paducah's 156.

Paducah placed second in the boys the following: division with 104 points; Petersburg scored 102; Lorenzo 56; Motley County 54; Tahoka 35; Aspermont 20; Ralls 19 and Guthrie 13.

Tahoka was third in the girls' division with 64 points; Aspermont scored 63; Guthrie 42; Lorenzo 36; Motley County 32; Paducah 9; Patton Springs 8 and

Scoring points for the Bulldogs were



Trisha Perry placed second in the shot put to help the Spurettes come in second at the Golden Spur Classic Track Meet last Saturday. D'Ann Pierce, behind Perry, ran off the shot put event and was one of many volunteers who helped make the meet a success.



Damin Whitaker strains to get past a Paducah runner in the 3200 meter run. He placed third. At right is Jimmy Whitefield, who was one of many volunteers who helped run off the track meet last Saturday.

High jump--first, Robert Fernandez, 6 ft. 4 inches; third, Marshall Newman, 5 ft. 8 inches;

Long jump--Robert Fernandez, first, 20 ft. 7 1/2 inches; Discus--Dusty Harris, fifth, 117 ft. 1

Triple jump--Robert Fernandez, first, 40 ft. 3 1/2 inches; Marshall Newman,

fourth, 37 ft. 1/2 inch; Shot put--Robert Fernandez, fourth, 43 ft. 9 3/4 inches; Cory Morris, sixth,

41 ft. 3 1/4 inches; 3200 meter run-Damin Whitaker, third, 11:28.69;

400 meter relay--Spur, third, 45.87 (Rene Pesina, Monty Thomason, Scott

Rankin and Marshall Newman); 800 meter dash--Jeri Robinson, sec-

ond, 2:11.3; 110 meter hurdles--Scott Rankin,

first, 17.8; 100 meter dash--Monty Thomason.

second, 11.52; 300 meter hurdles--Scott Rankin.

first, 42.17; Marshall Newman, second 44.23;

200 meter dash--Monty Thomason, second, 23.51;

1600 meter run--Jerry Robinson, first, 5:04.1; Damin Whitaker, third, 5:14.99. With seven teams competing in the boys JV division, Spur placed fifth with 26 points behind Tahoka's 181. (Ralls

points each). Spur JV boys results included:

and Lorenzo tied for second with 75

Shot put--Paul Wysocki, fourth, 32 ft. 2 1/2 inches;

Spur Classic Track Meet Saturday.

100 meter dash--Daniel Kendrick,

400 meter dash--Derek Key, fifth, 68.89;

200 meter dash--Daniel Kendrick, first, 26.02.

Coach Dewayne Sexton said Monday that the Junior High District Zone meet will be held here Thursday, April 14 beginning at 4 p.m. Teams in this zone of the district include Spur, Motley County, Lorenzo and Petersburg. (Five teams will be competing in the other district zone).

The field events are scheduled to begin at 4 p.m. with the running events set to start 30 minutes following the field event finals.

The varsity boys and girls district meet will be held at Crowell on Friday, April 15, with the finals of the 3200 meter run to begin at 9 a.m. District field events will be at 11:30 and the running event finals will begin 45 minutes after the field events. (Coach Sexton estimated this would be between 3 and 3:45 p.m.).

Teams competing in the district meet include Spur, Crowell, Paducah, Petersburg, Lorenzo, Motley County, Asermont, Munday and Knox City.

Scoring points for the Spurettes in the Golden Spur Classic included the following:

3200 meter run--Megan Clifton, fourth, 16:40.65;

400 meter relay--Spur, first, 51.87 (Their best time of the season according to coach Cheryl Anderson) Team was made up of Cheri Robinson, Julie Flud, Tamika Francis and Penny Kelley;

100 meter dash--Cheri Robinson,

third, 13.43; 400 meter dash--Julie Flud, first, 65.13;

300 meter hurdles--Alana Bingham.

second, 58.32; 200 meter dash--Penny Kelley, second, 27.93; Tamika Francis, fourth,

1600 meter relay-Spur, sixth, 4:56.13 (Alana Bingham, Holly Fine, Kandice

Givens and Julie Flud); 800 meter relay--Spur, first, 1:55.50 (Cheri Robinson, Alana Bingham,

Kandice Givens and Tamika Francis); Shot put--Trisha Perry, second, 30 ft. 8 inches; Kendra Atkinson, sixth, 24 ft.

Discus--Trisha Perry, first, 92 ft. 4 inches; Kandice Givens, third, 76 ft. 5

Triple jump--Penny Kelley, second, 31 ft. 11 inches; Tamika Francis, fifth, 31 ft. 1/2 inch;

Long jump--Penny Kelley, fourth, 15 ft. 4 and 1/2 inches; Cheri Robinson, sixth, 14 ft. 8 and 1/4 inches.

> Thank You For Reading The Texas Spur



Julie Flud is shown here as she edges a runner from Lorenzo to win the 400 meter dash for the Spurettes.



Penny Kelley, at right, finished second in the 100 meter dash preliminaries last Saturday. She scratched in the 100 meter finals. Aspermont's Hecht won the 100 meters as she did in the prelims--shown at left.

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