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S.I.S.D. holds a special board meeting... considers salaries, resignations

Salaries, resignations and TAAS testing headed the agenda of the special Spearman I.S.D. Board of Trustees meeting held Monday, June 28.

Allen Alford, acting superintendent, reported that the board met to adopt a salary for the new band director. At their last meeting the board hired Randall Willis to head the Spearman band program. The Board voted unanimously at this meeting to pay Mr. Willis \$38,000 for the 1993-94 school year.

The board further voted to pay the high school counselor, and a certified teacher, to supervise the giving of the TAAS Tests on July 13-15. The tests will be given at Spearman High School. The tests must be passed before a senior can graduate.

The Board approved to accept applications for a counselor responsible for both the elementary and junior high schools, according to Mr. Alford.

On the other side of the person-

nel matter, the board accepted the resignations of Richard Olsen and Johnnie Fuller. Mr. Olsen resigned from the junior high principal position. Mrs. Fuller was a first grade teacher.

The Board has three meetings scheduled for the next two weeks. On Tuesday, July 6 at 2 p.m. members of the board will meet with the superintendent search committee. On Friday, July 9 at 7 a.m. the full Board will meet at the high school for a special meeting.

H.C.C.C. appoints Brown as voting representative

by Angela Jones
Editor

Judge Jim Brown was designated as the official voting representative for the county regarding the Texas Association of Counties Constitutional Amendment to be voted on in August. Brown was appointed during the regular meeting of the Hansford County Commissioner's Court on Monday, June 28.

According to Brown, Commissioner Worley Smith of precinct 1 was appointed as the alternate.

In other business, Brown was appointed as the Veteran Service Officer for Hansford County. Brown explained that the Hansford

County Commissioner's Court had received a letter of resignation from Veteran Service Officer Mr. Johny Preston (Pete) Vernon; therefore, Brown was appointed to take over the duties.

The court held a 1993-94 budget workshop. An agreeable budget must be presented and approved in August.

The approval of a bond for Nelle Evans, juvenile probation officer was tabled.

In regular business, the minutes from the previous meeting were approved; the treasurer's report and investments were received and approved; and payments of bills for the period were approved.



Jesse Davis

Jesse Davis retires after 67 years on the job

by Angela Jones
Editor

On Wednesday, June 30, Jesse Davis retired after 67 years as a pharmacist. Although Jesse is 89 years old, he said that he had wanted to work until he was 90. "I just missed it by one year," he commented.

Since he graduated from the

school of pharmacy at Oklahoma University in 1926, Jesse has seen a lot of change in the business. "A lot of water has run under the bridge in the last 50 years and it wasn't running to Palo Duro," he said.

The change Jesse found the most drastic was that now most of the drugs are generic and already mixed. He said, "When I first

started, we made emulsions, filled our own capsules and folded powders. I could probably still fold a powder. Generic drugs were just being introduced." He added that some of the more common remedies then were castor oil, Epsom salt, calomel, quinine and paregoric.

He gave some examples of the changes. Now, when a person needs cough syrups the pharmacist just measures out the amount. These prescriptions use to have to be mixed by the pharmacists.

Another change Jesse notes is the increasing cost. He told of a customer he had which had glaucoma. "I fixed eye drops for him for years at \$1 a bottle." He continued, "My wife (Dorothy) got the same thing (glaucoma) two years ago. The medicine was already mixed and cost \$27 a bottle." He smiled and said, "It shows you how much medicine costs are increasing."

Jesse graduated from Higgins High School in 1923 and enrolled in the School of Pharmacy at Oklahoma University. It was a two year PHG course. He said that 1923 was the last year that the two year course was offered.

He graduated in 1926 and returned to Higgins where his parents, Dr. J.J. and Virginia (Jennie) Davis, resided. His father was a

doctor there. In 1929 Jesse opened a store in Shattuck, but closed it after a year and moved back to Higgins.

He married Dorothy in 1930. Their first daughter, Mary Lou, was born in Higgins in 1931. The family then moved to Canadian where they lived for two years. While there Jesse worked at Bader Pharmacy.

Next they couple moved to Panhandle. They lived there for two years and 22 days.

On June 22, 1941, Jesse's birthday, they moved to Spearman where they lived for 52 years. Jesse went to work for Bruce Sheets at Spearman Drugs. He worked there for the next 25 years. In 1944 the couples second daughter, Delia Kay, was born.

In 1971 Bruce sold Spearman Drugs to Orvil Brummit. Jesse continued working at Spearman Drugs for the next five years. Then he went to work for Jim Evans at Gordon's Drug. He worked there full-time for the next seven years and continued as a relief pharmacist for three years.

For the past 17 years Jesse has been a consultant pharmacist for the Hansford County Hospital District. He received a certificate for

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Members of the Spearman 13-15 Babe Ruth team are pictured above. In the back row (l-r): Rick Howard (coach), Brent Collins, Jake Howard, Eric Varnon, Tom Kirk, Lucas Biggs, Pete Vera, Brit Savage and Jeff Beedy (coach). In the front row are (l-r): Jose Tarango, Darrell Scroggs, Jason Genn, Eric Cudd, Travis Loomis, Frankie Dominguez and Blake Beedy.

Spearman to host Babe Ruth League Tournament

The Spearman and Gruver Babe Ruth League baseball teams will be joined by five teams from Oklahoma for a league championship tournament to be held in Spearman Monday, July 5 through Thursday, July 8.

The Spearman team will see tournament action Monday at 6 p.m. They will take on the team from Turpin, Okla. The winner of the game will play the Guymon Pioneers Tuesday at 8 p.m.

The Gruver team will play their first game of the tournament Tuesday at 5 p.m. They will face the team from Hooker, Oklahoma. If Gruver wins they will play the win-

ner of the Tyrone and Guymon Grey game, which will be played Monday at 8:30 p.m.

Two games will be played each night of the tournament. On Monday night the games will begin at 6 p.m. For the remainder of the tournament the first game starts at 5 p.m.

The finals of the tournament will be at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday. The third place game will start Thursday at 5 p.m.

On Tuesday the league will announce the league all-star team. All teams are encouraged to be present for the announcement at 7:30.

Entry deadline set for H.C. 4-H rodeo, July 9

by Angela Jones
Editor

The Hansford County 4-H Horse Club has set the entry deadline for the Hansford County 4-H Rodeo. According to club members entries must be postmarked no later than Friday, July 9.

Members also stressed that no phone-in entries will be taken and absolutely no late entries will be accepted. They remind those entering that money must accompany a notarized entry or the entry will be returned.

Entries should be mailed to: Hansford Co. 4-H Rodeo, Hansford Co. Extension Office, P.O. Box 129, Spearman, Texas 79081.

The rodeo is scheduled to be held at the Oscar Archer Rodeo Arena in Spearman on Saturday, July 17. Competition will begin at 10 a.m. for the 14-18 age group. All other age groups will begin competing at 6 p.m. Members report that in case of rain the rodeo will start one hour later at the Little Reata Arena in Dumas, Texas.

Girls age groups and events are as follows:

Age 7 and under: goat ribbon race, barrel racing, pole bending and flag race; 8 - 10: barrel racing, pole bending, flag race and goat tying; 11 - 13: barrel racing, pole bending, goat tying and breakaway roping; and 14 - 18: barrel racing, pole bending, goat tying and breakaway roping. It was specified that in the flag race event only one flag will be used.

Boys age groups and events are as follows:

Age 7 and under: pole bending, muttin bustin, goat ribbon race and barrel racing; 8 - 10 and 11-13: barrel racing, steer riding, goat tying and breakaway roping; and 14-18: breakaway roping, tie-down roping, ribbon roping and chute dogging.

The entry fee is \$20 per event for the 14 - 18 age group. In all the other age groups the entry fee per event is \$10. Fifty percent of the entry fee is paid back in all events

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Gruver July 4th Celebration Saturday, July 3, 1993 City Park

9 a.m. Bicycle Race (Pre-8th grades) East Broadway
10 a.m. Parade on Broadway
11:30 a.m. Turtle Race in the Center of Park
1:30 p.m. Boot Scramble (3-6 yrs.) in the Center of Park
2 p.m. Stick Horse Race (1-6 yrs.) in the Center of Park
1 p.m.-5 p.m. Talent Show at Gazebo
12 p.m.-1:30 p.m. Bar-B-Que at S.W. Corner of the Park
9 p.m.-Dark Skydivers and Fireworks at Greyhound Stadium
All Day Events:
Copper Mine (up to 5 yrs.) at the West End of the Park
Water Polo on Broadway
Bingo at the South End of the Park
Horseshoes/Washers at the East End of the Park

Gruver All School Reunion

Friday night:

7 p.m.-10 p.m. Registration in the Gruver Cafeteria/Elementary Gym.

Saturday night:

Following the Fireworks Display there will be a dance at the Gruver Airport.



RADICAL LIVING

By Dan Carter, Pastor
Trinity Community Church

HOW BIG IS GOD?
JOB 26:5-14

Thirty years ago people drove from all over the Panhandle to hear the choir of First Assembly of God Church, Amarillo. I remember one of the anthems they sang. It asked the question, "How big is God, how big and wide His vast domain?" The answer? "He's big enough to rule his mighty universe. Yet small enough to live within my heart."

If our God is small and limited, it follows that our faith and hope will be also. It's not that we change God by our faith or lack thereof. But if we fashion God after our own likeness, theologically and personally, limiting Him to our abilities to conceive, He is reduced not only in our estimation, but also in our experience.

To prevent such idolatry, and to give us eternal hope and expansive faith, God reveals Himself in Scripture as "Omni": Omnipresent, Omniscient and Omnipotent. And, as Job says, these are just the fringes of His ways.

This same God, Creator of heaven and earth, owner of all the nations has condescended to dwell in the human heart. Imagine, the same God Who said, "Let light shine out of darkness" at the time of creation, now shines "in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ," (II Cor. 4:6).

As we live life, and confront overwhelming problems, fearful circumstances and puzzling dilemmas, God calls us to remember Who He is, what He has done and will do. As Jesus said, "Nothing is impossible with God" and "Nothing is impossible for those who believe" in our God.

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Karen's Kozy Korner

by Karen Babitzke Extension Agent

MOLD ON FOODS -- WHAT TO DO?

You see a fuzzy white mold on your cheese -- what do you do with it? You see a black fuzzy mold on your ham -- what do you do with it? You see a suspicious fuzzy mold inside a home-canned product -- what do you do with it?

Are molds dangerous to your health? Some molds cause allergic reactions and respiratory problems. And a few molds can produce poisonous substances called mycotoxins that can make you sick. According to the USDA's Meat and Poultry Food Safety Hotline, you can't always tell if the mold is dangerous to your health. Some mold toxins are powerful in small amounts, others aren't. You can't always scrape away or cut the mold off food.

It's important to understand that mold is a type of fungus that has "roots" that penetrate the food, a stalk that rises above the food, and spores that form at the ends of the stalks, giving the fuzzy growth. When a food shows mold you can see, you can bet that the roots have invaded and are under the surface. In some cases, the toxins produced by the mold are present throughout the food.

Following are guidelines for handling moldy food and to reduce the chance of mold growth in foods in your kitchen.

General guidelines are that you can save hard or firm foods that have only a minor mold problem. On hard cheeses, cut off at least an inch around and below the mold growth. Don't let the knife touch the mold. However, if you notice mold growth on any cheese, sour cream or yogurt, discard them.

Other foods that molds invade are cured and smoked meats. Cut the mold off these, following the one-inch rule, if it is only a small spot. In all cases, keep the knife out of the mold and keep everything

clean and sanitized in your refrigerator. Mold spores spread. Discard moldy bacon, frankfurters, lunch meats or opened canned ham. Be wary of and discard any country dry-cured ham that has brown or black mold. Discard any moldy chicken. Beware of moldy vegetables and fruits. Cut out moldy spots of firm items, but discard any products that have a soft texture and into which mold roots could have easily penetrated.

Discard any moldy bakery products, corn, nuts, dried peas and beans and peanut butter. Pastry products are porous in texture and could support root growth; others may support growth of molds that produce harmful mycotoxins.

Any home-canned products with mold growth are suspect and should be discarded.

Hospital District names Employee of the Month

Hansford County Hospital District has chosen Jim Nicholson, Lab and X-Ray Director, for June Employee of the Month.

Jim originally hails from Richmond, Ind. He and his wife, Nan, who also works in the Lab, came to this area when they accepted positions at the hospital in Beaver, Okla., after graduating from Elkhart University, Elkhart, Ind. Jim has worked for Dr. Damon Gregg, Dr. D.E. Hackley and Dr. James Thomas, all in Spearman, before coming to work for the district in 1977.

Jim has been an active member of the community. He served as City Councilman for 12 years, was

a Little League coach and Boy Scout leader.

Jim is a Medical Technologist and Radiology Technologist, both national registries. He was the first CPR instructor in Hansford County and taught CPR for many years.

Jim and Nan have two sons, Jimmy, who resides in Spearman and is employed by Hansford Implement, and Jeff, who is on the Corpus Christi Police Department.

Hansford County Hospital District is proud to have Jim working for them. "Jim is always helpful, professional, courteous and his easy manner makes people feel at ease" says Anne Snow, District Administrator. Thanks Jim for a good job!

He who wishes to benefit by a habit, let him avoid continuing it.

—Montaigne

Texas Railroad Commission... releases oil and gas report

For the month of March the Texas Railroad Commission reported that Hansford County's total gas production was 3,208,942 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) and the crude oil production was 28,982 barrels.

According to the release the commission issued a total of 1,124 drilling permits in May compared to 964 in May 1992. The May total included 657 permits to drill new oil and gas tests, 43 to re-enter existing well bores, 57 to deepen existing holes, 155 to plugback existing holes and 61 for other wells. May amended drilling permits totaled 151.

The total drilling permits issued to-date in 1993 is 4,862, which is a two percent increase from the 4,766 issued during the same period. The permits issued in May included 465 oil, 169 gas, 404 oil and gas, 60 injection, 20 disposal and six other permits.

For oil and gas completions in May operators reported 305 gas, 323 oil and 28 service completions, compared to 153 gas, 416 oil and 50 service completions during the same period of last year.

The total of well completions recorded for 1993 year-to-date is 3,581, an 11 percent increase from the 3,207 recorded in 1992.

Operators reported 708 holes plugged and 124 dry holes in May, compared to 1,129 holes plugged and 203 dry holes reported during the same period last year.

The preliminary March crude oil production averaged 1,574,971 barrels daily, down from the 1,675,284 barrels daily average of March 1992.

The preliminary Texas oil production figure for March is

48,824,102 barrels. This is down from the 51,933,810 barrels reported in March 1992.

Natural gas production for Texas oil and gas wells produced 471,775,245 Mcf of gas in preliminary production for March, up 7.9 percent compared to March 1992's gas production total of 436,956,089 Mcf.

Texas gas production in March came from 175,164 oil, and 45,354 gas wells.

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For more information about saving energy, call or visit your local TNP office and ask for your free brochure, "Straight Talk about Caulking and Weatherstripping."

The Leaning Tower of Pisa has increased its lean by an average of 1.25 millimeters a year since measurements began in 1911.

Hansford Happenings

Gruver will be hosting an All School Reunion in conjunction with their July 4th Celebration. The Reunion will begin Friday at 6 p.m. in the elementary gym.

Gruver Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet July 7, 1993, at 1:00 p.m. in the Board Room of Gruver High School, 601 Garrett, Gruver, TX.

Pringle-Morse Consolidated Independent School District Trustees will meet July 13, 1993, in the Board Room of Pringle-Morse School at 8:00 p.m.

Spearman Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet on July 12, 1993, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room of Spearman High School, 403 E. 11th Street, Spearman, TX.

The Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on July 13, 1993, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 30 S. Court, Spearman, TX.

The City of Spearman will be meeting July 20, at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall, 30 S. Court, Spearman, TX.

The City of Gruver will be meeting Wednesday, July 14, at 4:30 p.m. at City Hall, 108 E. Broadway St.

A representative of the Pampa Social Security office will be at the Spearman Court House from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on July 8.

Spearman senior graduation pictures can be picked up in the superintendent's office.

Noonling - or maybe you would prefer a Niteiling? Karen Babitzke, Hansford County Extension Agent, would like to know if anyone is interested in a night course on nutrition. You can do this by calling or coming by the Extension office in the basement of the courthouse. My number is 659-2030 or 733-2901. Tell us a day and time you prefer when calling. This is a program to help you shape eating and exercise habits for a life-long goal.

Rehabilitation work on SH 136 in Hansford County is expected to begin on Thursday, July 1. The project will extend on SH 136 from the Hutchinson County line north to Sixth Street in Gruver.

Gruver ISD will be selling trophies from the 1940's - 80's on Friday, July 2nd from 7 to 10 p.m. and Saturday, July 3rd from 3 to 5 p.m. on the second floor of the junior high building. Proceeds from sales will go into the CTA (Classroom Teachers Association) Scholarship Fund.

The Hansford County Tax Office will close on July 6 at 11:30 a.m. This is due to a Texas Department of Transportation Motor Vehicle Division Training Session in Stinnett.

City Lites

by Kelvin Knauf, Spearman City Manager

As we prepare the annual budget for the City, it is always helpful to have the input from citizens in determining what level of services to provide. To help us with our funding priorities, the following survey has been developed. Please complete the survey, cut it out of the newspaper and send it to: City Manager, P.O. Box 37, Spearman, Texas 79081. While this is not a scientific survey, it will be helpful in preparing the budget.

- How would you rate the quality of our Police Department?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of our Fire Department?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of our ambulance service?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of our Street Department?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of our Parks Department?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of our swimming pool?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of our airport?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of our trash collection?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- How would you rate the quality of the water, sewer & gas?
a. excellent b. good c. fair d. poor e. no opinion
- In the past year, would you say that the City services have:
a. gotten better b. gotten worse c. stayed about the same d. no opinion
- What do you think the City should do to improve services to our citizens?

On another topic, the City will be sponsoring a volleyball tournament at Lakefest on July 31. Community groups, businesses, churches and individuals are invited to play in the tournament. The entry fee is \$25 to cover the cost of trophies. For more information call Kelvin Knauf at 659-2524.

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Volleyball tournament planned for Lakefest

The City of Spearman is hosting a volleyball tournament during Lakefest on July 31 at Palo Duro Lake. The tournament will be held just north of the dam (by the RV trailer park) and will start at 9 a.m. Each team will be limited to 10 players at any time but a total of 16 people can be on the team.

Normal volleyball rules will apply. No spiking will be allowed within 10 feet of the net. The format will be a single elimination tournament with the team winning the best two out of three games advancing to the next round. The entry fees is \$25, which will be used to purchase trophies for the winning team.

Anyone interested in signing up a team for the volleyball tournament should contact Kelvin Knauf at 659-2524 or come by City Hall. Deadline for entries is July 23.

It is reported that this is not a beach volleyball tournament. The court is a hard surface and players are advised to wear appropriate shoes.



Cindy Blackman

Institutes for Organization Management...

Blackman completes study at SMU

Cindy Blackman, executive vice-president of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce recently completed a week-long program of study, Institutes for Organization Management, at Southern Methodist University. The SMU Institute is one of seven similar educational programs for managers of non-profit organizations held at leading universities across the country.

The Institutes are designed to help the managers and staff of chambers of commerce and trade and professional associations to improve their knowledge and skills. Management and operations of these voluntary organizations differ in several respects from those of for-profit businesses. The highly-regarded educational program was started in 1921.

The Institute is a one-week-per-year, six-year-long work/study program. Participants use the time

Local students attend seminar

San Angelo--Attending the Texas Farm Bureau's 31st annual Citizenship Seminar June 14-18 were Jami Ralston, Andee Lane Salmans, Sara Jones and Jill Clement.

Sponsored by the Hansford County Farm Bureau, they were among approximately 400 high school junior and senior students from over 150 counties across the state.

The purpose of the seminar is to provide the students with a better understanding of their American heritage and the capitalistic free enterprise system, according to Elmo Dahl of Gruver, county Farm Bureau president.

Speakers at this year's seminar and their subjects were as follows: Jack Jackson of Fort Worth, president of Jack Jackson and Associates, "Free Enterprise Principles/Projects"; Basilio Bachor, a Polish immigrant, "Living the American Dream"; Michael Broome of Charlotte, N.C., a motivational speaker, "You and America--Two Great Champions"; Texas Rep. Susan Combs, Austin, "Our Inherent Rights"; and Texas Farm Bureau



Hansford County students (back row l-r) Jami Ralston, Andee Lane Salmans, Sara Jones and (front) Jill Clement attended the Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar.

President S.M. True of Plainview welcomed the students to the seminar. Also, a special presentation was made by Curtis Childers, president of the Texas FFA.

Palo Duro Lake...

Lakefest set for Saturday, July 31

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce and the City of Spearman, in conjunction with the Palo Duro River Authority, are hosting the first annual Lakefest to be held at Palo Duro Lake on July 31, 1993. Lakefest will be a festival with events and booths to attract all ages.

The following organizations have committed to participate in Lakefest.

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce will be hosting a pie baking contest for men only, a bicycle parade and a water balloon launching. The City of Spearman is planning a volleyball tournament and will have a public information booth. A 5k run, 10k run, fun walk, and scenic walking tour are being held by the Spearman Rotary Club.

Other organizations participating in Lakefest are as follows:

Rho Rho, Colas; Preceptor Upsilon, tea and lemonade; Xi Zeta, watermelon feed; Spearman Lions Club, hamburgers and hot dogs; Gamma Gamma, horseshoe; Morse Bass Club, fishing contest; Spearman Boy Scouts, snow cones; Spearman Chamber-Women's Division, Spearman Lotto; Junior High Cheerleaders, face painting; Spearman PTA, dunking booth; Hansford County Hospital, first aid station; and American Cancer Society, dart games.

At 8 p.m. the Rainbow and Ranglers Square Dance Club begin the square dance.

The volleyball tournament is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. with

booths opening at 10 a.m. A family picnic is scheduled for 5 p.m. with entertainment beginning at 6 p.m. Also boat and recreational vehicle dealers will be showing various models of boats and RVs.

Palo Duro Lake is located 10 miles north of Spearman on FM 760. Another route often taken to the lake is to travel four miles north on the Perryton highway and then turn left on FM 3412.

All events and booths will be located on the north side of the dam.

There is still time for clubs, organizations or businesses to participate in the festival. For more information, call Cindy Blackman at the Spearman Chamber of Commerce at (806) 659-5555.



Government studies show that most of the time you get a busy signal when trying to call Social Security's toll-free number. In January of this year the "busy" rate soared to over 73 percent.

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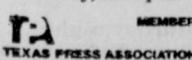
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At the Movies...

Showing at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman from Friday, July 2, to Tuesday, July 6, is "Cliffhanger" on screen #1 at 7:45 p.m. and "Life with Mikey" on screen #2 at 7:30 p.m. Due to the Fourth of July holiday, the Lyric Theatre will be closed on Sunday.

"Cliffhanger" stars Sylvester Stallone, Janine Turner and Michael Rooker co-star. Renny Harlin directs.

In "Cliffhanger" Stallone is the

leader of a mountain rescue team until he witnesses a fatal accident. After the accident he fills responsible for his friends death and retires from mountain climbing. But when a former colleague is kidnapped by a planeload of escaped fugitives during a rescue operation conducted in a raging blizzard, Stallone returns to the mountain.

Don't miss this action thriller. "Cliffhanger" is rated R.

"Life With Mikey" stars Michael J. Fox. Christina Vidal and Cyndi Lauper co-star. James Lapine directs.

Fox plays a former child star that now is running a third-rate talent agency for ambitious child actors. Then child newcomer, Christina Vidal, enters the scene. Fox discovers Vidal as a streetwise kid who has the acting talent that could lift him back into the big time. "Life With Mikey" is rated PG.



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On The Go With Joy

by Joy Henderson



Gruver FFA members attended the Area I FFA Leadership Conference held June 14-16 at Clarendon College. Event participants (l-r) were: Galen Slough, Brady Tidwell, Justin Carthel, KIKI Carthel and Hart Derington. The three-day workshop, entitled "Navigating New Waters," attracted approximately 200 FFA members from 50 different chapters. State FFA Officers Lynsla Jordan, Follett; Cherie Shelton, Lamesa; and Incoming officers Holly Nichols, Anson and Laurie Masterson, Guthrie assisted the Area I FFA Officers with the workshop activities.

Gruver all school reunion... festivities begin Friday, July 2

by Marian Tomlinson
The Committee for the 1993 Gruver All School Reunion has been hard at work. Registration for the first Gruver All School Reunion will begin Friday, July 2 from 7 p.m.-10 p.m. in the Gruver School Cafeteria/Elementary Gym. Refreshments will be served. All ex-students and ex-teachers, whether graduated or not are invited and encouraged to come join in the fun. Reminiscing will be allowed. There will be a silent auction for some of the old school trophies and awards.
On Saturday, July 3rd, the Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Alpha Mu Psi, Gruver Volunteer Fire Department, All School Reunion Committee, and many school related groups will proceed to make this day very special.
Beginning at 9 a.m. on East Broadway, Trike/Bike races will be held for pre-schoolers through the 8th grade. At 10 a.m. on Broadway, a parade will officially begin the patriotic celebration. From 10:30 a.m. the Chamber will be serving ice cream in the Golden Age Center. All the activities will be in different areas of the park. The Turtle Race sponsored by Al-

pha Mu Psi is scheduled to begin at 11 a.m. Also the Over 50's Bingo will be starting with Xi Psi Kappa at the helm. Prizes for the Bingo will be donated by participating merchants. Stick Horses will be the mode of travel for 1-6 year old at 11:30 in the center of the park. At 11:45 a.m. will find many little one bootless, getting ready for the Boot Scramble; this is for children 3-6 years.
That afternoon at 1 p.m., 5-13 year olds will try their luck at the 3-Legged Race. A Copper Mine (sand box with pennies) will provide fun for those children up to the age of 5 all day. Water Polo, Horse-shoes, Washers, and many other activities will be available during the day.
The Gruver Lions, some of the very best cooks in the Panhandle, will begin serving their famous Bar-B-Que in the southwest corner of the park. Advance tickets will be available from any Lion. Prices for the adults will be \$5 per plate; \$3 per plate for children 12 and under.
Gruver Alumni will be featured at the gazebo in a Talent Show from noon til 3 p.m. or so. Some of

the artists that will be performing will be Rod and Les Barkley, Rodney Clawson, Amy Gumfory, Brenda Dahl Hopkins, Robin Karlin Castillo, Tasha Haight Hiles, Ronnie McClellan, and hopefully more. MC's for the afternoon will be Jan Stedje and John Olson. There will also be a children's portion of this show.
Nine o'clock will be the place to be for alumni recognition and some awards at the Greyhound Stadium. It is rumored the old School Song will be performed during this time. Sky-divers will arrive on the field just before the fireworks are set off by the Gruver Volunteer Fire Department at dark.
After this fun-filled day, the All School Reunion will sponsor a dance at the Gruver Airport, admission will be \$5 per person. Lone Star will be selecting music for the late evening dance. All proceeds will go for the cost of the reunion and to future plans.
For additional information, you may call Barbara Stavlo at 733-2600 or Marian Tomlinson at 733-2156. Please make a big effort to come enjoy the wonderful weekend being planned.

when they stopped him leaving a truckstop at 8-10 mph riding a lawn mower. In Nevada, an inmate tried to escape from the state prison by leaving with the garbage on the garbage truck, but became a victim of a policy that requires the garbage truck to drive over the refuse after it dumps it. The inmate's body was discovered after he was apparently crushed to death by the garbage truck at the city dump.
Another born loser I read about was the photographer who was hired by a bridegroom to video tape his wedding. The video taper was sued because he focused the camera on the maid of honor's derriere and barely filmed the bride, catching only three seconds of the entire wedding procession.
The last born loser takes the cake. Thieves intended to hook onto the bank's night depository box with a chain attached to the back of their pick up. The object was to pull the night depository out of the wall and escape with the money it contained. Unforeseen circumstances intervened with their plans. Instead of pulling the bank's night depository out of the wall, the arrangement pulled the back end off their pick up. The would-be thieves sped away, leaving the back part of their vehicle behind. However, they were soon captured by the police. The portion of their vehicle that they left behind included the license plate which led, of course, to their identification.
Well, after thinking this over, I guess I can't qualify as a born loser, just because my 3-year-old grandson enjoys coming to see Grannie and Grompa at their farm. Plus, how can I be a born loser when the first words he says when I answer the phone is, "Grannie, I love you?"
In addition to our Lubbock visitors, I believe Rita and Jerry Williams had some of theirs. At least, I think I saw Trevor, who might be here to help during wheat harvest. But don't quote me on anything.
It sure is good to see Win and Del Heath here to visit brother C.C. and his family. They live in Missouri now, but between all the kin of Win and Del in Oklahoma, and Texas they will be quite busy. One of the highlights was to attend the wedding of Melinda Heath, daughter of J.B. whom several of us know. J.B. Heath and of course Donald Heath are younger brothers of Win.
A lot of visitors registered at the different churches. Included at United Methodist Church were Brad Cluck of Amarillo, Lisa Ellis and daughters Mary Beth and

Alexandra, Rhonda Williams mother and grandmother Jackie Matthews of Dallas and Barbara Harber of McKinney, Lance Sparks and Lorie Lieb of Stinnett, Pam Evans of Amarillo, Sue Gerardy's grandchildren the Cucaro girls of Colorado and her daughter Christi Henderschott and her children Ben, Jacob and Holly. Visiting Anna Beth Wood were daughter Joyce Simon and children Stephanie and Cayla and Frances' daughter and Rebekah Echols of Austin.
Quite a few guests enjoyed visiting with Maude Alexander this weekend. They were Mary Long of Guyton and some of her grandchildren and Alissa Gordon, Adama Gordon, Amy Davis, all of Houston. Also, Mike Murrells son Matthew visited from Gainesville.
From the First Baptist Church were Michael and Laura Rasor of Dimmitt who was guest of the Ralph Mireles and Ben. They also visited with the Tom Rasors. The Alfred Bayless family had quite a few guests attending church with them also. They were Andres, Argelia, Kevin Rodriguez of Gruver, Toby Bilderback, Amanda Meason, Jody Meason, Toby Meason, and Sharon Belcher all of Amarillo and Eldon Bayless of Pryor, Okla.

I caught a quick glimpse of Charlie Henderson who was visiting his dad Bill Henderson who is in the Hansford Manor in Spearman.
Those who are currently having serious health problems are Pauline Hale (broken hip), Hazel George, Rosie Osbourne, David Turner (broken arm). Our sympathy is extended to Jerry and Pat Overbey on the death of his dad. Funeral services were scheduled for June 28 in Perryton.
Let me remind you that we will have several reunions and festivities going on the 4th of July weekend. It will be more interesting to you and our newspaper readers if those of you who are having guests would turn these activities in to me for next weeks paper. It is frustrating sometimes for me to get this information second hand and is liable to be inaccurate and incomplete.
In the meantime, let's have a safe and enjoyable holiday.



A flock of hawks are called a "cast."

on the ship, wonderful food, friendly passengers, and though the Novaks may celebrate another 50th anniversary, they can't enjoy it more.

Mike Hulett, Publisher of the Reporter-Statesman, attended the convention of the Texas Press Association last week in San Antonio. The attendance was less than usual but the sessions were interesting. Fortunately a great deal of rain kept the temperature down. Mike was even able to sneak in a golf game. There were fringe benefits for him as his brother lives in San Antonio, and since Mike taught there, he was able to contact several old friends.

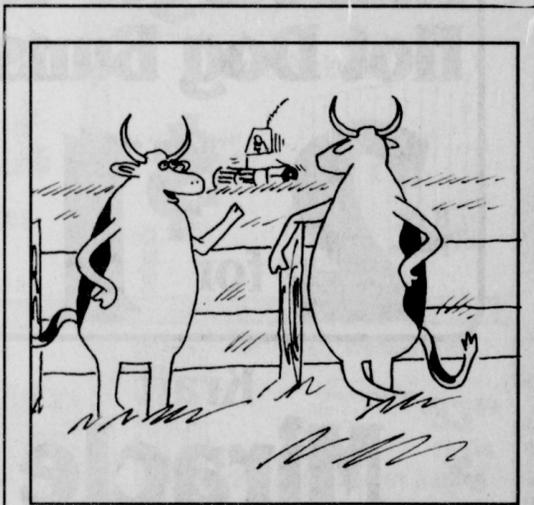
His nephew, Cody Cable, has been assisting at the Reporter-Statesman for a month. It is Cody's intention to assist him until school starts. He will then return to his home in Mobley, Missouri where he will be a junior in high school.

Maxine and Woodrow Thompson have been the welcome guests of her sister, Pauline McGee, last week. The highlight of the week was the celebration of the 94th birthday of their mother, Mrs. Mary Davis. Mrs. Davis has been here for an extended visit.
The Thompsons returned to their home in Houston on Monday.

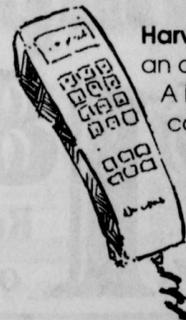


Pennsylvania is one of four states officially called commonwealths. The other three are Kentucky, Massachusetts and Virginia.

A Bridal Shower for
Bonnie Jarvis
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Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Mrs. Dorothy Welch underwent surgery ten days ago at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She returned home last Wednesday and is convalescing satisfactorily. The Welch's son, Paul, came up from Irvin to be with them. Their daughter, Tammi Herrington, a teacher in Amarillo, joined her father, Tim, and the other members of the family in being at her bedside.

Burl and Nellie Buchanan returned late Tuesday from a long weekend in Portland, Oregon. Burl, as a representative of the Panhandle Regional Planning Committee, as were the director of Amarillo and Mayor of Dimmitt, attended the National Association of Regional Planning Committees.

The meeting was most informative to those from the Panhandle as there was much discussion and examples of disposal of solid waste, which is creating a problem in this area. Of course many of the discussions dealt with large cities and the deplorable difficulties facing them which this area is spared.

The little sight-seeing, the limited time allowed, was very interesting. The Buchanans were surprised but pleased, when on boarding their flight in Amarillo, to learn a cousin and family were on the same plane, returning to their home in the Northeast after the Buchanan reunion.

Dr. Laurence Behney is back at his practice after six days in Washington, D.C. He was taking a course aimed at Board Recertification for Family Practice. He had little time for anything but attending classes

but did do some sight-seeing with Mrs. Behney's aunt, a resident of D.C.

He was especially impressed by the Viet Nam Memorial as he was in the navy during this era.

He was not the only family member increasing his knowledge. Jean Ann took their three children to classes at the Discovery Center in Amarillo for three days. Each was in a different study but each was fascinated by the subject matter and are enthusiastic about further attendance.

Gregg and Shanda Odegaard were downstate for eight days as they waited for weather to allow wheat harvest. They first went to Sherman, Texas where her senior class was having a reunion. Later they went to Huntsville to visit his sister, Jo Anne and Mark Holly.

The weather was unpleasantly hot and humid and it was a relief to return where there is wind and dry heat.

Weekend guests of Jo Linda and John Hutchison were her parents, Robert and Kren Danner. They are from Ralls, Texas and enjoy the rains here as it is still dry at Ralls.

A momentous occasion for Mary and Hershal Ooley was having all six of their children at home for the first time in seven years. The previous time was on the Ooley's 50th wedding anniversary.

The family, all 58 of them, four generations - children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, spent two days at Palo Duro Lake the weekend of June 19th. Their last

meal on Sunday was a backyard supper at Mary and Hershal's home.

Out-of-town guests came from Victorville and Santa Barbara, Calif., Lubbock, Ft. Worth, Amarillo, Gruver, Sunray and Texhoma.

Guests other than the family were Adalynn Barnes, Laura and Glen Mackie and children, Johnnie Lee, Charles Linn Martin, and a close friend of 60 years, Ina Martin.

Guests of Kelly and Johnnie Fuller this weekend were his parents, Bobby and Phyllis Fuller of Carlsbad. Mr. Fuller is a Baptist minister and had the heart-warming experience of baptizing Brant, little son of the Kelly Fullers. The rite was performed at the First Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Phyllis Fuller will be here several days assisting the Kelly Fullers in their move to Corpus Christi. Kelly left Tuesday to get organized for the coming of the family.

He has accepted employment at the Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi in the emergency department. He will complete the requirements for a paramedic shortly and intends to continue his studies toward an R.N. rating. He has been an E.M.T. for 18 months and feels this field is the right career for him. He finds great satisfaction in being able to help those who are suffering.

Johnny will be interviewing for a teacher's position. He and Johnny have lived here eight years, most of their married life. Of course they have some regrets at leaving old friends and family but are looking forward to new experiences.

Spearman will miss them including Kaysha, Bryson and Brant, and wish them every success and the best of luck.

The Youth Choir of the First Baptist Church returned Saturday night from an action packed week down state. Two vans, one car and one pick-up comprised the caravan. They presented their musical program at Teague, Groesbeck, LaPorte, Baytown, Kerens and made their last stop in Dallas where they attended the Youth Evangelism Conference.

Their final performance was for the home congregation on Sunday evening at the First Baptist Church. Twenty-three youth participated in the tour with five sponsors accompanying them. They were David Furlow, Joe Garcia, Carol Pack, Cathy Archer and Mary Baker.

Susie Hand, who had just returned after many weeks of illness and rehabilitation, distressingly, is back at High Plains Baptist Hospital. She fell in the home last Thursday and suffered a broken hip. Family members report that she is recovering and is hopeful that she will be able to be transferred to Bivens Rehabilitation Center soon. She is in room 766.

In addition to her husband, L.F. and other local family members, their daughter, Barbara Binston, of Longmont, Colorado has been with her.

The home of Mona and Robert Driscoll has the look of a "bed and breakfast" of recent weeks with all their guests.

About three weeks ago, their son Rick and Susie and two children of Seymour came up. During the early part of their visit Rick, his son, Jeremy, Bob Meek, and his son, Gregg, spent several days fishing at Eagle Nest. Later Rick and his family returned for an extended vacation.

The Driscoll's daughter Bonnie and Mike Shrode with two younger children arrived last week from Ecuador, South America. Their daughter Kelly Evans and two children of Dallas joined them here, as did her brother Troy Shrode. He is a student at Abilene but is working at Canadian this summer. Also two friends, college students, have visited with them here.

Bonnie and Mike who are in mission work, stationed at Quita, capital of Ecuador, are here on a year's furlough. They have been four years in the field. Their purpose during the year is to renew and refresh their lives and mission purposes and to engage in fund raising for their work. They will remain mostly at Canadian and will be available for speaking engagements.

Margaret and Robert Novak returned late Saturday night from a six day cruise of the Caribbean. First they flew to Orlando, Fla. where they were met by their granddaughter, Carolyn and Mark Stiner and son Joshua. Later they boarded the Madri Gras, a pleasure cruise ship. The following day they landed at Free Port in the Bahamas for a day of touring. Their next stop was at Nassau where they spent a day and night. After their return to Cape Canaveral, Carolyn again met them. She and Joshua joined them for a day at Epcott Center.

They returned by plane and while changing at DFW airport, they were surprised to meet Mark Stiner. After a pleasant interlude, they parted catching their separate flights.

Since the cruise was a 50th wedding anniversary gift, they were flattered on the last night of the voyage, to be seated at the captain's table where a cake and candles was in their honor, as well as a song. There was constant entertainment

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Williams and Babcock... announce engagement

Burt and Lynell Williams of Spearman are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lori Lynette, to Gary Wayne Babcock, Jr., son of Glenn and LaFay West of Livingston and the late Gary Babcock.

Lynette is a graduate of Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education. Her grandparents are Mrs. Dimple Jetton of Spearman, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Williams of Hamilton.

Wayne served in the United States Army and will be attending Tarleton State University in Stephenville. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ester Duff of Livingston.

The couple is planning a July 24th wedding at Calvary Baptist Church in Hamilton.



Spearman Rotary... installs 1993-94 officers

The Rotary Clubs of Canadian, Perryton and Spearman conducted a joint installation of officers ceremony at the Perryton Club on Thursday evening June 24, 1993.

District Governor Nominee L.C. LaBarr of Pampa conducted the installation for the 93-94 officers. Approximately 70 rotarians and wives were present and enjoyed a steak dinner with all the trimmings. Cinda Turner, 1993 Miss Mansford County Runner-up, provided the entertainment with three vocal se-

lections. Spearman Rotary Club officers for the coming year are Bill Pittman, president; Rick Sander, president-elect; Jim Shirley, vice-president; and Jack McWhirter, secretary-treasurer.

Rotary is an organization of business and professional persons united worldwide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

Club News

Waka Community Study Club

by Marie Beck
Waka Community Study Club met Monday, June 21 at the home of Edna Scroggs of Waka.

President Donetta Greene presided over the meeting and the devotion was given by the hostess, Edna Scroggs. Roll call was answered with "A vacation place I would like to go." Dish towels were passed out to those who had birthdays.

Plans were made to have a picnic July 26 at Palo Duro at 7 p.m. Each family is to bring a basket lunch. Ice, water and games will be provided by hostesses Marie Beck and Bonnie Reeves. Families are to bring lounge chairs.

The program was given by Mae

Wofford of Waka. She shared one of her many trips overseas. A trip to Czechoslovakia and Germany. Speed is not controlled in Germany, therefore they travel at excessive speed. Pictures of the area were shown as well as glassware, dolls, lace curtains and woodshelves. Colorful dainty tissue napkins from Germany were used with refreshments.

Members present were Donetta Greene, Audra Lee Leighnor, Marine Stinson, Mildred Burger, Ruth Scarth, Bonnie Reeves, Mae Wofford, Lois Buschman, Edna Scroggs, Bucky Dunnihoo, Ethel Westberry and Marie Beck.

Next meeting will be the picnic July 26 at Palo Duro.

SPEARMAN BOOK CLUB

The Spearman Book Club met in the home of Mrs. Bruce Sheets for their regular meeting Tuesday, June 22. "The Sidetracked Sisters' Happiness File" by Pam Young and Peggy Jones was reviewed by guest reviewer, Patti Sheppard.



James A. Garfield was the last U.S. President (1881) to be born in a log cabin.

The book is an organizational how to - and much more. It was written to help you get in touch with your innermost feelings and most important needs, build on your strengths, and make your dreams a living reality.

This interesting review was enjoyed by members, Mmes. E.J. Copeland, Joe Trayler, Johnny White, guest, Mrs. Garland Head, and the hostess.

Following a brief business meeting, refreshments were served.

A Bridal Shower Honoring Lynette Williams Bride elect of Wayne Babcock will be held

Thursday, July 8, 1993
7 - 8:30 p.m.
in the home of

Linda Latta
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Spearman

Thank You and May God Bless

Words cannot express my feelings for all of the love and concern you have shown for me while I have been sick. The prayers, cards, flowers, phone calls, to those who gave blood for me to replace the blood bank at St. Luke's Hospital in Houston and all the other acts of kindness.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO THE SUPPORTERS OF THE HANSFORD COUNTY 4-H RODEO

The Hansford County 4-H Horse Club is again making plans for their annual rodeo to be held at the Oscar Archer Arena, July 17, 1993. We would like for all to attend and cheer for the contestants.

The 1992 rodeo was a great success and brought in more than 150 contestants and their families to the rodeo. This was all made possible by the generous support and contributions of this community.

In the past, the club members have solicited donations for saddles, buckles, and awards. The club would like to thank all who have donated to the rodeo before. This year they will not actively be seeking donations. If you would like to donate to this year's rodeo, you may do so by mailing your check to the Hansford County Extension Office, and earmarking it for the rodeo. If you would like for some of the members to come by and pick up your donation, just call the Extension Office at 659-2136 or 733-2901 and some one will be happy to pick it up.

The 4-H rodeo can not be a success without the support of the community.

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HANSFORD CO. EXTENSION OFFICE
P.O. BOX 129
SPEARMAN, TX 79081

The awards will include 2 saddles, 6 buckles, and some other awards to be given to the contestants.

THANK YOU FROM
THE 4-H HORSE CLUB MEMBERS



Members of the Gruber Little League All-Star team are (front l-r): James Crow, Kasey Harris, Aaron Weller, Clayton Acker, Dallas Henson, Charlie Stavlo and Chad TeBeest. Pictured in the back row are: Dan Odom, Kyler Barkley, Jason TeBeest, Jim Potts, Bray Armes and Clayton Henson. The coaches for the team are Robert Smith, Rick Barkley and Ronnie Harris.

Spearman swim team... competes at Guymon meet

The Spearman Swim Team traveled to Guymon, Ok. Saturday, June 26. They showed great improvement and are becoming very competitive. The results are as follows:

8 & Under Boys
 50 Freestyle - 1st, Colton Miller
 50 Butterfly - 1st, C. Miller, Taylor Simpson, 5th
 50 Backstroke - 4th, C. Miller
 50 Breaststroke - 1st, C. Miller
 100 Freestyle - 6th, C. Miller
8 & Under Girls:
 50 Freestyle - 5th, Keilee Goodheart
 50 Butterfly - 2nd, K. Goodheart;
 5th, Courtney Partney
 50 Breaststroke - 2nd, K. Goodheart, 6th, Nicole Ration.

9 & 10 Girls
 50 Freestyle - 4th, Amber Elliott
 50 Butterfly - 2nd, Adrienne Simpson
 50 Backstroke - 2nd, A. Simpson
 100 I.M. - 5th, Audrey Winegarner
 100 Freestyle - 2nd, A. Elliott; 5th, A. Simpson.
 200 Freestyle Relay - 2nd, Audrey Winegarner, Amber Elliott, Adrienne Simpson, Jenny Longoria
 200 Medley Relay - 1st, A. Winegarner, A. Elliott, A. Simpson, J. Longoria.

11 & 12 Boys
 200 Freestyle Relay - 1st, Aaron Winegarner, Landon Miller, Tommi Dewberry, Michael Lusby
 50 Freestyle - 1st, A. Winegarner; 2nd, L. Miller
 50 Butterfly - 3rd, A. Winegarner; 4th, L. Miller
 50 Backstroke - 2nd, A. Winegarner
 100 Freestyle - 2nd, A. Winegarner

11 & 12 Girls
 50 Butterfly - 4th, Audra Sanders, 6th, Halee Beasley
 200 I.M. - 3rd, A. Sanders
 200 Freestyle Relay - 6th, H. Beasley, Camille Smith, A. Ramon, Cami Winegarner
 200 Medley Relay - 4th, A. Sanders, H. Beasley, C. Winegarner, A. Ramon

13 & 14 Boys
 50 Freestyle - 4th, Dillon Miller
 100 Backstroke - 3rd, D. Miller
 100 Breaststroke - 3rd, D. Miller
 100 Freestyle - 2nd, D. Miller
13 & 14 Girls
 50 Freestyle - 1st, Michelle Elliott
 100 Butterfly - 1st, Brooke Trantham
 100 Backstroke - 1st, M. Elliott
 100 Breaststroke - 1st, B. Trantham
 See Swimming page 10

For the Short of it

by Bob Bort

Here is a rundown of the Little League All-Star activity of the week.

Tuesday, June 22 - vs. Stratford Red Wings

Jim Potts struck out 11 of the 12 batters he faced (he walked one), and Gruver stormed to a 11-6 win at home. Gruver collected 11 hits, and the Red Wings made eight errors. Clayton Henson was a hitting star, as he hit 3-4, with two doubles and a single, and three runs scored. Potts homered over the left field fence, putting Gruver ahead to stay 7-6 in the second inning. The Red Wings had taken a 6-2 lead early. Potts also doubled to right, and scored two runs. Kyler Barkley had two singles and two runs scored. Jason TeBeest had a triple and a

single in three at-bats. Bray Armes also had a triple and two runs scored in 3 at-bats, and Aaron Weller had a double and run scored in three at-bats. James Crow had a run scored and an RBI. Other RBI were: three by Potts, three by Clayton Henson, and one by Jason TeBeest. Charlie Stavlo came on in the sixth inning to pitch, taking over for Potts, and he worked a scoreless inning, striking out two. In that inning, Kasey Harris made a fine catch of a line drive to left field, for the second out. Armes was the starting pitcher, and he struck out four in 1 1/3 innings. All-in-all, a very productive game for the Gruber All-Stars.

Red Wings 240 000 - 6 2 8
 All-Stars 251 30x - 11 11 2

Davis Dunkers... win Lubbock Shoot-Out

Five Hansford County girls competed and won the 16 and under division this past weekend at a South Plains Girls Basketball Association tournament in Lubbock.

Leading the winning effort were Wynn Maupin, Julie Meyer and Sara Jones from Gruver, and Telie OQuin and Carrie Pearson from Spearman. These five averaged between 8 and 11 points each to lead the balanced attack. Also competing well with Davis Dunkers were Kristi Pearson from Perryton, and Tara Cooper and Erin Curtis from Guymon.

The Dunkers, coached by Susan Davis from Pampa, won their first game against the Lubbock Lady

Bulls by 25 points. They were defeated in their second game by Technique, from Lubbock, 64-58. In the losers bracket of this double elimination tournament, Davis Dunkers won in overtime 58-56 against the West Texas Lady Bulls, and then defeated West Texas Elite 47-46, an Amarillo area team which includes Tisha Ralston of Gruver.

In the finals, the Dunkers held on to take the championship with a win over Technique in a re-match. The final score was 50-44. This is the second tournament for this team. They competed well in the West Texas AAU Qualifying Tournament in early June but did not qualify for nationals.

Southwest Outdoors

with Mel Phillips

SAFETY FIRST ON THE FOURTH

The Fourth of July is the most popular weekend for heading to the lake and enjoying the great outdoors. BUT, be careful. The recent drowning at Lake Meredith provides some important lessons that could save your life.

#1. WEARING A LIFE JACKET IS LIKE WEARING A SEAT BELT -- WHEN YOU NEED ONE, IT'S TOO LATE TO START LOOKING FOR IT.

Survivors of boating accidents lament that everything occurs so fast, there is no time to open stor-

age bins and search for the life jackets. Wear a PFD (Personal Flotation Device) any time the big motor is running. Professional anglers and skiers all wear PFD's and so should each member of your family.

#2. THE WIND IS THE ENEMY.

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Lake Childress has extremely See Southwest page 8

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Oil and gas report

NEW LOCATION, COMPLETION & PLUGGING REPORT

**Week Ending June 24, 1993
Intentions to Drill**
HANSFORD (TEXAS)
HUGOTON) Brawley Petroleum Corp., #2 McCloy (640 ac) 1250' from North & 1350' from East line, Sec. 14,3, GH&H, 14 mi SW from Gruver, PD 3250' (1200 University Place, Borger, TX 79008)
HANSFORD (WILDCAT & STAMPER Upper Morrow) Strat Land Exploration Co., #1 Elmo (640 ac) 1915' from South & 595' from West line, Sec. 200,2, GH&H, 9 mi NW from Gruver, PD 7200' (Nine East Fourth, Suite 800, Tulsa, OK 74103)

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Asher Resources, #7 Mamie Pearl Risley (640 ac) 2500' from South & West line, Sec. 6,1,I&GN, 10 mi SW from Canadian, PD 11100' (100 Sandau, Suite 300, San Antonio, TX 77801)

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Kaiser-Francis Oil Co., #9 Flowers (649 ac) 600' from North & 1775' from East line, Sec. 40, --, D.P. Fearis, 5 mi southerly from Canadian, PD 10700' (Box 21468, Tulsa, OK 74121)

Oil Well Completions
HANSFORD (WILDCAT) W.C. Payne, #1 Sisters, Sec. 13,2, WCRW, elev. 3069 kb, spud 3-17-93, drlg. compl 3-31-93, tested 6-3-93, pumped 31.40 bbl. of 37 grav. oil + 10 bbl. water, GOR 2647, perforated 7076-7094, TD 8150', PBDT 7998'

LEGAL NOTICE

favor of GRUVER STATE BANK in a certain cause in said court, No. 2868 and styled GRUVER STATE BANK, as plaintiff, vs. MACK HOEL, as defendant, placed in my hands for service, I, DENNIS CLINE, as Deputy Sheriff of HANSFORD COUNTY, Texas, described as follows, to wit: AN UNDIVIDED 1/12 INTEREST IN THE OIL, GAS AND OTHER MINERALS IN AND UNDER THE S.E. QUARTER (SE4) OF SECTION 185, BLOCK 2, GH&H RY. CO. SURVEY, HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS, CONTAINING 160 ACRES, MORE OR LESS. AN UNDIVIDED 1/12 INTEREST IN THE OIL, GAS AND OTHER MINERALS IN AND UNDER THE N.W. QUARTER (NW4) OF SECTION 200, BLOCK 2, GH&H RY. CO. SURVEY, HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS, CONTAINING 160 ACRES, MORE OR LESS. And levied upon said mineral interest of MACK HOEL and that on the first Tuesday of JULY, 1993, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the court house door of Hansford County, in the city of Spearman, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said JUDGEMENT will offer for sale and sell at public venue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all said right, title and interest of the said defendant, in said property, subject to any and all liens and encumbrances of records affecting title to said property. And in compliance with law, I give the notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks, immediately preceding said day of sale, in the HANSFORD COUNTY REPORTER-STATESMAN, a newspaper published in HANSFORD COUNTY, Texas.
Witness my hand, this 8th day of JUNE, 1993
R.L. MCFARLIN, JR.
SHERIFF, HANSFORD CO. TEXAS
BY: DENNIS CLINE, DEPUTY

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PALO DURO RIVER AUTHORITY
1993 OFFICE BUILDING PROJECT and
MANAGER'S RESIDENCE
SPEARMAN, TEXAS

The work will be let under a multiple stipulated sum agreements for the work as set out in the plans and specifications under bid categories. The envelope shall be addressed to the Owner and shall be identified with the Project name, the Bidder's name and address, and the designated bidder's category of the Work for which the Bid is submitted. Bids will be received at the Palo Duro River Authority Administration Offices located at 5111 West 11th Street, Spearman, Texas 79081 until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, July 13, 1993. Bids will be opened publicly and will be read aloud at that time.

Bid Bonds, Performance and Payment Bonds will be required on all contract amounts of \$25,000 or more. A cashier's check or acceptable bidders' bond, payable to the Owner in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the largest possible total for bid submitted, must accompany each bid of \$25,000 or more.

Plans and Specifications for the Office Building may be examined without charge in the offices of Stephen L. Butler, Architect, 1406 4th Ave., Canyon, Texas 79015 and James and Huseman, Inc., Construction Managers, 4146 S. Georgia St., Amarillo, Texas 79110. Plans and Specifications for the Office Building and Manager's Residence may be obtained from James and Huseman, Inc., Construction Managers upon a deposit of \$100.00 as a guarantee of the safe return of the Plans and Specifications. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to each bidder immediately upon return of the Plans and Specifications in good condition.

In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating prices in the proposal, the Owner reserves the right to adopt prices written in words or reject any proposal and to waive all formalities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID
The Board of Trustees, Gruver Independent School District, will receive bids to furnish regular unleaded gasoline for the school vehicles and diesel for a bus and small tractor for the school year 1992-93.

Bid sheets and general information is available in the School Business Office, 601 Garrett, Gruver, TX.

Deadline for submitting bids is Tuesday, July 6, 1993 at 4:00 p.m. Bids will be opened at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees, Wednesday, July 7, 1993 at 1:00 p.m.

The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to waive all technicalities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

SHERIFF/CONSTABLE
NOTICE OF SALE: REAL PROPERTY
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF HANSFORD
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of certain order issued out of the honorable 84th DISTRICT COURT, HANSFORD COUNTY, 8TH DAY OF JUNE, 1993, BY DISTRICT CLERK OF SAID HANSFORD COUNTY for the sum of \$51,527.01 dollars and cost of suit, under a JUDGEMENT in

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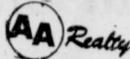
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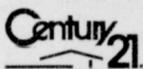


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Obituaries

RAYMOND L. OVERBEY GRUVER - Raymond L. Overbey, 79, died Saturday, June 26, 1993.

Services were held Monday, June 28, in the First United Methodist Church in Perryton with the Rev. Larry Miller, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Gruver, Gary Gumfory, pastor of the First Christian Church in Gruver, and the Rev. Todd Dyess, pastor, officiating.

ating. Burial was in Ochiltree Cemetery in Perryton by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home in Perryton.

Mr. Overbey was born in Mangum, Okla., and had been a Perryton resident since 1937. He moved to Gruver three months ago. He graduated from Childress High School. In 1941 in Perryton he married Esther Cudd. She died in 1986. He retired in 1982 as a print foreman from the Perryton Her-

ald, having worked there since 1937. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II and a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a son, Jerry Overbey of Gruver; and two grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the American Diabetes Association or a favorite charity.

RAYMOND F. MCCAMMOND SPEARMAN - Raymond F. McCammond, 81, died Tuesday, June 22, 1993.

Services were held Thursday, June 24, in the Union Church with the Rev. Jeff Burress, former pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. McCammond, born in Hopewell, Kan., lived in Spearman for 43 years. He married Yvetta Martin in 1932 at Boise City, Okla. He was a retired heavy equipment

operator and truck driver. He was a member of the Union Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Don McCammond of Bryan; an adopted grandson, Zachary McCammond of Spearman; a brother, Jess McCammond of Citrus Heights, Calif.; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

DOROTHY URBAN DUMAS - Dorothy Urban, 68, died Wednesday, June 23, 1993.

Prayer services were held Thursday, June 24, in Morrison Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel. Services were held Friday, June 25, in Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church with the Rev. Richard Scully, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Northlawn Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Urban, born in Colorado Springs, Colo., had lived in Dumas since 1956. She was a homemaker

and a member of Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church. She married James Urban in 1946 at Colorado Springs. She was preceded in death by a son, John Edward Urban, in 1992.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Patty Plunk of Pampa; three sons, Gary Urban of Morse, Bobby Urban of Carrollton and Larry Urban of Dumas; a sister, Kathryn Meyers of Denver; a brother, Tom Lueb of Dallas; and 11 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the American Cancer Society of a favorite charity.



The state flower of Texas is the bluebonnet.

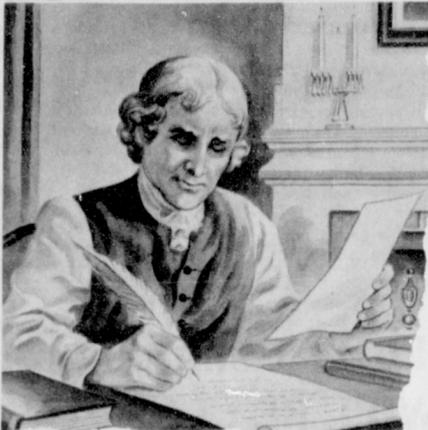
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clear water and offers plenty of hungry smaller black bass. Take a spinning rod and try out those new finesse lures. The bass are fewer but usually much bigger at nearby Lake Baylor. Waterdogs, Rat-L-Traps, and Berkley PowerWorms are just the ticket for catching and releasing trophy bass. These two lakes are my favorite spots on holidays. For some reason, the crowds of rowdies that flock to other area lakes bypass these two jewels. Camping, hookups, and a kids playground are available.

Alcohol and water don't mix. Drinking and driving a car is dangerous. Toss in some wave action on a hot day and a drunk, driving a boat, is a disaster waiting to happen. A new state law allows game wardens to arrest drunks who drive boats.

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Just a Piece of Paper?

The Declaration of Independence is just a piece of paper. On it were written words - beautiful words, hot words, words with bite. At first only two people signed it; later 53 members of that August gathering affixed their signatures. Even later four more signed.

But, it's just a piece of paper. Actually, the paper on which it was written became so fragile that, in 1894, it was permanently sealed in a steel case to keep it from light and air.

Yet, that piece of paper became the script for a people bent on liberty and freedom. It contained words that could spell death or mean life to a new nation struggling for birth. That piece of paper launched a revolution which produced a national spirit that gave reality to hopes and dreams for freedom.

And that piece of paper has been splattered by the blood of many who believed in its purpose, and their blood became the seeds that built America.

Freedom is not a piece of paper! It is an idea, a concept, a lifestyle, an experience, and our forebearers believed it a right.

The original Declaration of Independence has faded, but its ideas, concepts, and words are burned forever in the souls of this nation and etched on the hearts and minds of persons for whom life is liberty and for whom freedom is more precious than life itself.

(Footnote: Revolution that produces freedom is never completed. Each day its reality must be maintained by those privileged to enjoy it.)

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Governor Ann Richards...

signs small employer health insurance legislation

Governor Ann Richards signed House Bill 2055 that allows small business employers to provide affordable health insurance to their employees.

"This is a major legislation that goes directly to the heart of a fundamental problem small employers in our state have to face: how to provide their workers with health coverage," Richards said. "Representatives Mark Martin, Brian McCall and Jack Harris and Senator Carl Parker deserve our thanks for passing this bill that is going to make life better for millions of Texans

who have no health insurance." "This bill allows small businesses to have access to affordable insurance and, more importantly, it protects the people who need protection, working Texans," Rep. Martin, bill author, said. "This bill allows families to keep their dignity and to keep their insurance while having to endure chronic illness."

The bill applies to small business employers with three to 30 employees.

The bill provides for: ---Purchasing Cooperatives: Es-

establishes a state purchasing cooperative to allow the creation of private non-profit co-ops through which small employers can join together to buy coverage at the most affordable rates.

---Guaranteed Renewability: All carriers that sell small group insurance in Texas must renew policies to all small employers, regardless of the health condition of an employee. A provision that becomes effective in September of 1995 will prevent previously uninsured employers and their employees from being denied coverage.

---Limits on pre-existing conditions: Prohibits excluding pre-existing medical conditions from coverage and requires that an individual meet only on standardized waiting period for 12 months.

---Benefit plans: Allows small employers to choose from five insurance plans that include a primary and preventive insurance plan that covers preventive care, doctor visits, home health care, five days

of hospitalization and limited mental health and substance abuse treatment; an in-hospital package that covers hospitalizations or follow-up care; a standard plan that covers the most widely needed services including primary and preventive care, emergency care diagnostic treatment, rehabilitation and prescription drugs. Current insurance mandates and HMO plans may also be provided.

HB 2055 also requires that insurance providers use standardized billing forms.

Additionally, this bill makes premiums more predictable by establishing rate bands that have limits on possible rate increases and rate variation among similar employers.

HB 2055 was widely supported by the business community, the insurance industry and health care providers.

The bill goes into effect in September, 1993.

Summer time, time for more high-energy snacks

Houston—Summer time means more play time for children and an increased need for high-energy snacks, says a nutritionist at the USDA's Children's Nutrition Research Center.

"Parents can reinforce good eating habits this summer by providing their children with plenty of healthy treats," says Dr. Corinne Montandon, an assistant professor of nutrition at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

By giving some thought to snack selection, Montandon believes parents can meet their children's dietary needs while sending a positive nutritional message.

Instead of stocking the kitchen with chips, cakes, sodas, and other high-fat convenience foods, she recommends the following summer snacks:

- frozen low-fat yogurt
- fresh fruits and fruit juices

- frozen orange wedges, banana slices or grapes. (Grapes and other small snack foods should not be offered to children younger than 5 because they could choke).
- milk shakes made with low-fat milk or fruit juice
- finger-size servings of crisp, raw vegetables
- peanut butter stuffed celery pieces
- low-fat string cheese
- miniature pizzas
- slices of low-fat sandwich meat rolled around pieces of fruit or low-fat cheese
- natural frozen fruit pops
- whole-grain crackers, graham or animal crackers
- unsweetened or lightly sweetened cereal

Montandon suggests posting a list of snack choices on the refrigerator door or designating a special area in the refrigerator or counter where snacks may be found.

For easy access, she recommends placing snacks on easy-to-reach shelves, providing drinks in single-serving cartons and storing food-stuffs in easy-to-open, plastic containers.

Montandon also encourages parents to discuss appropriate snack times.

"To keep from interfering with regularly-planned meals, snacks should be served one to two hours



Southwest Outdoors

with Mel Phillips

Jurassic Park at Clayton Lake?

Looking for an interesting family vacation spot that offers excellent trout fishing, camping, and dinosaurs? In 1982, an amateur archaeologist discovered dinosaur foot prints below the dam at Clayton Lake, located in the northeast corner of New Mexico, just west of Dalhart. After several futile attempts at stopping curious visitors, authorities realized the place might be a major tourist attraction. A weekend trip catching some delicious rainbow trout and camping on the waters edge is always fun vacation. Toss in the magic of some dinosaurs and the weekend becomes an adventure.

Although Lake Clayton doesn't have the gory special effects of a Spielberg movie, looking at more than 500 footprints of real dinosaurs sparks the imagination better than any movie. And standing in the very spot where one hundred million years ago the dinosaurs walked is thrilling. You owe it to the kids or grandkids to spend a weekend camping at the unique lake. For more information about Lake Clayton, contact the Chamber of Commerce at 505-374-9253.

BABY ANIMALS—Each year, at about this time, reports from concerned citizens about abandoned fawns and other wildlife babies flood the offices of Texas Parks and Wild-

life. Witnessing the survival instinct, of flying perfectly still, causes us to think that a wild baby animal need our help when, in fact, their mother is feeding and will soon return. Authorities couple their helpful advice with a stern warning that it is illegal to possess wild animals and the penalty is a Class C Parks and Wildlife Code violation with a fine of up to \$500!

GOBBLE, GOBBLE—After three years of above average turkey nestings in the Panhandle, the lack of late spring moisture this spring might reduce their numbers. The peak hatching usually occurs in mid-June and a few gentle showers would help out the baby poults, ranchers, farmers and my vegetable garden.

TIP OF THE WEEK Strange as it may sound, "bubblegum pink" colored gitzits and Slug-Go type soft plastics will continue catching bass in the heat of summer, while the traditional lures like the jig-pig and plastic worms loose their effectiveness. The clearer the water, the better the fishing for brave anglers that use bubble gum lures with light tackle (10, 8 or even 6 pound line!). Ute Lake and Children Lake are prime candidates for this unusual fishing combination.

Swimming from page 7
100 Freestyle - 1st, M. Elliott
15 & 18 Boys
50 Freestyle - 3rd, Martin Sanders
100 Freestyle - 4th, M. Sanders

Others that participated were: Abby Winegarner, Garrett Miner, Ryan Dewberry, Chad Scarborough, Halee Lombard, Priscilla Reichen, Kara Pipkin and Maria Vela.

The next meet for the Spearman Swim Team will be July 10 in Lakin, Kansas.

Rodeo from page 1
in all age groups.
Other awards to be given are one girls all-around saddle and one boys all-around saddle. In the age groups that do not win the saddle, all-around buckles will be given.

For more information call 806-659-2136.

Jesse from page 1
50 years of service from the Texas Board of Pharmacy in 1976 and is one of the oldest registered licensed pharmacist in the state.

Jesse was a member of the Spearman Masonic Lodge, president of the Lions Club in 1964 and Citizen of the year in 1969.

Now that Jesse has retired he is not planning on slowing down. The first item on the agenda is a seven day Caribbean Cruise. He will begin his trip on August 31 when he flies to Florida. From there they will fly out of Miami to Aruba on September 5 and begin the 'Southern Trip' on September 6. Jesses daughters and some friends will be accompanying him on the trip.

"A lot of water run under the bridge in the last 50 years..." but Jesse Davis is still going strong.



Hear the drums, the fireworks, the bells ring out as yet another July 4th celebration gets underway! We're proud to be a part of this land of the free, home of the brave!



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