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In Gruver...

FNB Honor Roll

Meadowlark makes new fans

by Bob Bort

City Lites

Meadowlark Lemon paid a visit to the community of Gruver this past weekend, and made a lot of new fans/friends. Lemon put on a performance at Greyhound Gym this past Saturday evening April 17, playing with and against several local teams - a church team, a faculty team, a team of 1993 seniors and a team of ex-hounds. But basketball was not the foremost thing on Meadowlark's mind preaching the gospel was the reason he came to Gruver.

"I came because I was asked to come," said one of the premier basketball players of all time. "Carolyn Fletcher instigated the whole thing. That lady is my Sister," stated Lemon. Lemon and Richie and Carolyn Fletcher met while working with the inner city poor in Ari-

Lemon talked about his Meadowlark Ministries. "It is evangelism. I travel throughout the country preaching the Gospel. I can't compare preaching and playing basketball. They are two different

Lemon was asked if Gruver was

formed in, and he responded no, that he had lived in a smaller town than Gruver. Whether large or small town, performing and travelling with the Harlem Globetrotters, as the "Clown Prince of Basketball", beginning in 1961, was tough, and he wanted to make clear that his lifestyle needed change. Six years ago he started Meadowlark Ministries, based out of Ft. Worth, Texas. Travelling with the

and travelling now as a preacher are not the same. He pointed out that attitude makes the whole dif-

Lemon grew up in Wilmington, North Carolina, and has been playing basketball for 40 years now. He keeps fit now by continuing to play, as he did in Gruver.

Lemon stated that it was the Lord Himself who spoke to him,

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Meadowlark Lemon, the ex Harlem Globe Trotter, takes advantage of an interruption in the game to clown around with the

the smallest town he had ever perreferee of the game.

Reflections Contest and EPA poster contest winners... H.C. students place in District 8

by Angela Jones Editor

Nine Hansford County students recently placed in the District 8, Texas PTA Reflections Contest and EPA Poster Contest.

Those individuals placing in the Reflections Contest were Erin Boxwell and Ashley Phillips.

Boxwell placed second in the kindergarden to third grade literature competition. She attends Gus

Phillips won the intermediate, C.I.S.D. fourth through sixth grade, photography category. She attends Pringle-Morse C.I.S.D.

The release states that in the Reflections program students use their creative talents by expressing themselves through their own original works in the categories of literature, visual arts, photography and music.

Seven students placed in the EPA Poster Contest. Five of these individuals attend Pringle-Morse C.I.S.D., while two attend Gus Birdwell Elementary (GBE) in Spearman. The placings were as

Kindergarten - Seth Clemmons, 3rd, P-M C.I.S.D. First grade -Lupe Duran, 2nd, P-M C.I.S.D.; Second grade - Colton Miller, 1st, Birdwell Elementary in Spearman. GBE; Ross Womble, 4th, P-M

> Third grade - Monica Behney, 3rd, P-MC.I.S.D.; Hector Diaz, 5th,

> Fourth grade - Katie Papay, 5th, P-M C.I.S.D.

These students were honored at a reception April 19 during the 70th Annual Spring Conference of

District 8, Texas PTA held at the Radisson Inn in Amarillo.

Here are the results of the Pringle-Morse C.I.S.D. EPA Poster

Kindergarten: Seth Clemmons, 1st; Chase Phillips, 2nd; and Brennan Eudy.

First grade: Lupe Duran, 1st; Ashton Shearer, 2nd; and Amanda Apodoca, 3rd.

Second grade: Ross Womble, 1st; and Josiah Vasquez, 2nd.

Third grade: Monica Behney Evan Schmidt, 2nd; and Amber Crowl, 3rd.

Fourth grade: Katie Papay, 1st; Amy Vasquez, 2nd; and Diseree Wattier, 3rd. The first place winners in each

class went on to compete in the District Contest.

Texas Tech Lady Raider...

Spearman to honor Kirkland

Kirkland family members attending college women's basket-

ball final four were (I-r; front to back) Janae and Amy Watley,

Krista and Phyllis Kirkland, Sheila and Andy Watley, Jim Kirkland

In honor of her contribution to the Texas Tech Lady Raiders team National Women's Basketball Championship, the Spearman school district will retire the jersey of the 1989 Spearman graduate Krista Kirkland.

The ceremony will take place at an all school assembly on May 21, at the Spearman Varsity Gym, at 2:30 p.m., according to Larry Butler, Spearman I.S.D. superinten-

Further ceremonies honoring

and Bryan Gerlich.

Kirkland are scheduled for the evening of May 21 by the Spearman Booster Club. According to Peggy Varnon, Kirkland will attend the banquet and be recognized for her accomplishments as a college and

"Nothing at all in my life compares to the thrill of winning the National Championship," said Kirkland in a phone interview with Bob Bort. It is two weeks after the fact, but the thrill is still there for Kirkland. The Tech Lady Raiders

a high school athlete.

'My dad, definitely, played a large role in my success, noted Kirkland in the phone interview. Jim Kirkland was not only her dad, but her basketball coach. "He taught me all I know," continues Krista. "All of the knowledge part,

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beat Ohio State for the National Championship in women's college basketball Sunday, April 4, at the Omni in Atlanta, Georgia.

There to share her joy and excitement were her parents, Jim and Phyllis, from Corpus Christi; family and friends from Spearman and her fiance Bryan Gerlich. Those from Spearman were her aunt Sheila and husband Andy Watley and their two daughters Janae and Amy. Kirkland's roommate at Tech, Kyla Nelson, and her parents Dennis and Judy Nelson were there. Also making the trip from Spearman were Gene and Frances

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The Spearman Volunteer Firemen officially took possession of a new fire truck, named a fireman of the year and announced the training achievements of some firemen. In the top picture Chaplain Rey Cook and Assistant Chiefs Bill Porter and Johnny Ring present Basic Certification awards to (I-r) Billy Snider, Kelth Goodman, Jeff Hand, Willis Boyd, Randall Sauer, Jim

Younger and Mike Davis. In the middle picture Cook is presenting the advance certificate to firemen Porter and Ring. Ring and Porter then presented

the Master Certificate to Ron Antalek, Spearman Fire Chief.

In the bottom picture the firemen's truck committee accepts the keys to a new county fire truck from Jim Brown, County Judge, and Worley Smith, County Commissioner, Precinct 1. Pictured (Ir) are Brown, Keith Goodman, Mike Davis, Sauer, Bret Burgin, Bill Carson, Antelek, Smith.

Lady Hounds...

claim district championship

by Bob Bort

Lady Hounds Track and Field Ceach Jim Davis wasn't sure he had enough girls competing to get enough points to win a district championship in 1-AA this season, but he was sure that the pride of the team would shine forth, regardless of their placing. The resulting 145 points, good enough for the district championship, surprised even Coach Davis. It was the effort that was put out by his team that didn't surprise him. He gave, as an example, Brendy Brown hustling for a second place finish in the two-mile run that earned her a trip to Abilene. It was that type of effort that won the district champi-

Spearman **Tracksters** head to regionals

Eight Spearman tracksters finished one or two in their event at the district track meet Friday, April 16 in Stratford to earn them spots in the Regional Meet.

Those going to Abilene for regionals on April 29 and 30 are Dee Mayfield, Cody Pipkin, Ashly Shieldknight, Jill Lusby, Michelle Garnett, Holly Jarvis, Mary Cook and Kara Townsen.

Lusby, Shieldknight, Garnett and Jarvis all qualified for regionals in individual events. Shieldknight finished second in the discus. Lusby was second in the 100m hurdles and first in the 300m hurdles. Garnett placed second in the 100 dash and Jarvis finished first in the 200m dash.

The 1600m relay team of Lusby, Cook, Garnett and Townsen finished second to qualify for

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Gruver City Commissioners...

award seal-coat bid

ers awarded the seal-coating bid to Lewis Construction of Dumas. Lewis Construction's bid was in the amount of \$49,598.48 and was the low bid, according to City Manager A.J. Ratliff.

Two other bids were received for the project. E.D. Baker Corporation of Borger turned in a bid of \$51,051.15 and Lipham Construction Company of Asperment had a bid of \$65,577.90.

In other business the possibility of solid waste recycling was discussed. Donna and Ronnie Wil-

liams were present at the meeting for the discussion. According to Ratliff the pros and cons of recycling were considered, but no ac-

tion was taken. Monty Blackman of Brown, Graham & Company presented the audit of the financial records for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1992. Mark Irwin motioned that the audit be accepted. Buster Davis seconded the motion and it carried.

In regular business, the commissioners read and approved the minutes from the March 10 and March 24 meetings. The payment of the bills for the month of March was also approved.

onship. Seven Lady Hounds will be her second place finishes in the 800 heading for regionals at Abilene. and the 1600 meter runs. Maupin The Hounds hustled too, but it qualified in three events, with her second place finish in the 300 meter was not in the cards on this day, April 16, at Stratford. They earned hurdles. The Gruver ladies also five - count them, five - third place had six third place finishes - just finishes. But with no first or secmissing out of the trip to regionals. ond place finishes, the Hounds were Myriam Alvarez, Wendy Rodriguez shut out in their efforts to qualify and Kasey Davis were the three Lady Hounds who just missed out for regionals.

District champions are Holly Venneman in the high jump, Wynn Maupin in the long jump and triple jump, and the 400 meter relay team of Monica Ward, Julie Meyer, Janelle Haefner, and Venneman. Joining them at Abilene will be Brown with her second place finish in the 3200 run, and Joni Hart with

of the trip to Abilene.

For the Hounds, Raul Villegas finished third in the 100 meter dash, and in the 200 meter dash. Fabian Royval managed third in the 800 meter run, Bailey Barkley third in the 3200 meter run, and

Sporting Goods and Blick's Sport-

ing Goods in Colorado Springs, Colo.

board the possibility of the county

doing some repairs in the parking

areas, especially those around the

County Barn and bus parking area.

If this proposal is accepted by both

groups, then the cost would be

shared by both entities. It was also

explained that the work would be

The district's business manager,

Val Winger discussed with the

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Gruver Board of Trustees... approve budgets basketball equipment and supplies by Angela Jones will be purchased from Buck's

Editor

The Gruver Board of Trustees approved the spring 1993-94 athletic budgets presented by Coaches Steve Myatt and Tim Garland during the meeting held April 7.

The budgets were approved as follows: the boys' track budget for \$8,075.05; the girls' track budget for \$6,734.64; the tennis budget for \$3,138.70; and the golf budget for \$2,940.

In other business, bids were awarded for football and boys' basketball equipment. Upon Garland's recommendation the board voted to purchase the football equipment and supplies from Buck's Sporting Goods in Amarillo; while the boys'

done while the paving crew was passing through moving from one precinct to another. Margaret Fry, reported that TEA

has informed the district that it See Gruver S.B page 12

by Angela Jones The Gruver City Commission-

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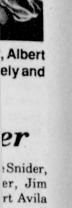


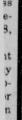
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Dwayne Mitchell of the Spearman Classroom Teachers Organization oversees the drawing for speaking order of the six candidates for the two positions on the Spearman School Board. The candidates are (I-r) Craig Schumann, Sheri Benton, Alien Varnon, Scott Beedy, Carl Kunselman and Richard Pipkin.

RADICAL

LIVING By Dan Carter, Pastor

Trinity Community Church

THE VOICE OF THE DEAD Hebrews 11:4

He evidently lived in great fear in the castle in England. Bars covered every entrance and opening. Although he was one of the wealthiest men in the world, only pay phones were available for guests and visitors. J. Paul Getty died several years ago, isolated from family, and possibly friendless. His great wealth couldn't stave off death, and didn't appear to bring him much joy in life.

She was a tiny lady with great courage, and obvious joy. Born near the end of the 19th century, she married young and bore eight children. Although far from rich, she and her husband took in another child to raise. Her house was filled with peace. Family and friends were often around, and even in her later years she desired more children. Nanny, my grandmother, never had much materi-

ally, but she was wealthy. The abundance of God was her treasure. Though dead nearly four years, she still speaks. I think of her often. Her mercy and generosity color my life a little. Her prayers are still effectual. They were, and are being answered in my life. Her descendants rise up and call her blessed.

Having read some about J. Paul Getty, I hear him speaking from death: "Don't come this way. Selfishness is misery enough in life. Avoid its eternal reward, even if it costs eyes and limbs in the

The dead still speak. A prudent person takes note now. It's good to consider what legacy, what voice you will leave behind to your children, grandchildren and generations yet unborn. Sponsored by Trinity Community Church, 717 W. 7th, Spearman

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regionals. At press time Lynxettes coach, Richard North, was not sure who would run on the relay team at regionals.

Lynx trackster, Mayfield, vaulted a personal best 12 feet to win the pole vault competition at district. He is joined in the regional field by Pipkin. Pipkin will run in the 800m run. He posted a first place finish at district to qualify for the regional meet.

Producers must be in compliance with conservation plan

The Food Security Act of 1985 as amended by the Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act of 1990 discourages the production of crops on highly erodible cropland unless the land is protected from erosion under an approved conservation system. If crops are produced on such fields without an approved conservation system, producers may lose their eligibility for most U.S. Department of Agriculture Program Benefits. In addition to the restrictions for production on highly erodible land, producers will USDA benefits if they plant agricultural commodities on wetland converted after Dec. 23, 1985, or if they convert a wetland to make agricultural production possible after Nov. 28, 1990. Some of the programs that are subject to the highly erodible land and wetland

Acreage Reduction Programs, Price Support Loans, Multiple peril crop insurance, Farm related FmHA loans, Commodity Credit Corp. storage payments, Disaster Assistance, CRP payments and Conser-

Church at 7 p.m., Sunday, April 18.

speaker. He will not bore you.

It is a fact that: 1) Studies show

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vation cost share payments. To retain eligibility for USDA benefits, it is important that before producers plant 1993 crops they know whether the SCS has made a highly erodible land determination on the land. Producers must also know if crops and practices to be applied on highly erodible land are authorized under an approved conservation plan. They must also be sure that all conservation practisces that are scheduled in the conservation plan for 1993 are applied on highly erodible land.

If you have any questions about eligibility, please contact your local ASCS office.

Letters to the Editor

Letter to Editor:

Congratulations to the Gruver I.S.D. School Board and Superintendent. You did a super job in setting new policy where cheerleading is concerned. It is the dream of almost every little girl to

someday be a cheerleader. In the past, only a favored few were selected for this honor. Because of a new policy proposed by Barry Haenisch and supported by the school board, each seventh grade girl who wishes to cheer the Gruver Greyhounds on to victory

will have that opportunity. The seventh grade girls in the future will not have to experience the frustration and hurt that is usually associated with cheerleader tryouts. Instead, they will be able to channel their energies in the positive direction of learning skills necessary to encourage and promote Gruver athletes. They will be required to spend part of the sumduty and responsibility.

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· Auto accidents

· Athletic injuries

mer preparing themselves for this American spirit where everyone has an equal opportunity to grow puts the feelings, dreams, and best This truly is a great commu- and succeed in the areas they nity that symbolizes the true choose. May we always be the kind

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Roy and Debby Mayhew

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I would appreciate your vote MAY IST AT SPEARMAN HIGH SCHOOL

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Panhandle Crisis Center

by Mary Frances Elizey

The PCC offers services free of charge to men or women who are victims of domestic violence, whether physical or "merely" verbal. We give counseling, support, and information to victims, plus a shelter to those who feel themselves to be in danger at home. We are available for help 24 hours a day, at 435-5008. If you want information only, call us from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. For those who must call us long distance, use the toll-free number: 1-800-753-5308.

- any clothes encourage some men. This is Sexual Assault Aware-Don't go out alone at night - that ness month. The PCC has arranged encourages men. Don't go out alone with the Ministerial Alliance to coat any time - that encourages some sponsor a Sexual Assault Awaremen. Don't go out with a female ness program at the Full Gospel friend - numbers encourage some men. Don't go out with a male friend Stacey Hughes, pastor of the First - some male friends are capable of Christian Church and a member of rape. Don't stay at home-intruders the Board of the PCC, will be the and relatives sometimes rape. Avoid childhood-little girls "turn on" some men. Avoid old age - aged women that 1/3 to 1/2 of all sexual assaults "turn on" some men. Don't have a are committed in the victim's home, and half of all rapes occur in private father, grandfather, uncle, or brother - these are the relatives residences. 2) Only 2% of rape rewho sometimes rape young women ports is false - the same as that of and girls. Don't have neighbors other felonies. 3) Victims are of every age, sex, shape, race, and social they sometimes rape women. If you want to be sure of avoiding rape, class. Rapists choose them because

don't even exist. Not funny. Let's all attend that How to avoid rape: Don't go out sexual assault meeting at the Full Gospel Church, at 7 p.m., Sunday, April 18.

Again: The Panhandle Crisis Center provides help for sexual assault victims.

We are also sponsoring the Ama-

rillo Little Theater presentation of THE NERD at the Booker High School auditorium, on Friday, April 23, at 7 p.m. Tickets are available right now at the PCC office at 317 S. Main, or from any board member, for \$6 for adults and \$4 for children under 12. To enhance the fun and to raise funds for themselves, the FHA is sponsoring a baked potato meal at the school cafeteria at \$4 per person - \$4.50 at the door. On three different occasions I have attended these events and found both of them to be, respectively, delightful and

We're always in need of volunteers who are willing to take oncalls. When I served as an on-call volunteer, I found myself enriched not only by the gratitude of those whose calls I answered, but also by the things I learned that benefited me. In fact it was one of the most rewarding things I ever undertook. Give us a call - you're not committed until you actually sign up. Even then you can change your mind.

"Let's Ta

By Gary Stevens, External Affairs Manager (A) Southwestern Bell Telephone of Texas

Last week, the Texas Telephone Association (TTA) made public a commitment to invest more than \$1.4 billion in Texas. This would be over and above the normal construction budgets of

A commitment of this magnitude ought to make big news in Texas. Right? Well, chances are, you haven't read much about the \$1.4 billion offer, even though big-city newspaper publishers have

known about it for months. Makes you wonder what gives? And perhaps more importantly, what do these newspaper publishers have to do with blocking a commitment that could bring jobs and technological

improvements to Texas? rovements to Texas? Texans deserve to know why they've been kept in the dark about an effort by big-city newspaper publishers to kill one of the

biggest economic boosts Texas has ever seen. Here's the background so you can decide yourself.

Telephone companies in Texas, including mine, are seeking changes in the way they are regulated. The TTA does not support total deregulation. For example, continued Public Utility Commission (PUC) of Texas regulation of basic local telephone service is essential.

The rate you pay telephone companies for local service is low today, and must continue to remain affordable. The TTA proposes to freeze these low basic local rates for four years.

So, where's the catch?

Telephone companies in Texas are seeking the flexibility to compete in areas where competition already exists. We want the financial incentives to invest in advanced telecommunications technologies; like Distance Learning which links teachers with distant classrooms over the phone lines; and Telemedicine which allows health care professionals to video conference with patients and educators to share medical expertise. Services like these are examples of how telecommunications stands ready to improve the quality of life for all Texans.

Enter the "Big-City" Publishers.

For some five months now, the newspaper industry, led by publishers of papers owned by out-of-state media conglomerates, have raised false concerns about the TTA proposal. They called it a deregulation proposal. It's not. They said telephone company profits are financing foreign investments. That's not true. The newspaper bosses are wrong to make such ludicrous, unfounded accusations.

In an attempt to appease the newspaper moguls, state leaders called for meetings between the telephone and newspaper industries to settle their differences. A reasonable idea.

But, we've been trying to get representatives of these publishers to sit down and talk since November. They refused to do so until just recently and have done little more than drag their feet.

Their strategy? It's been reported in their own words. A paid newspaper industry lobbyist is quoted one day saying his group would continue to seek a compromise with telephone companies. Then, speaking before the Texas Daily Newspaper Association the same lobbyist is quoted saying: "We need to slam these guys. Let's take these guys out." So much for the publishers' motives.

Why are they fighting progress? Money. The newspaper bosses have used a massive lobbying effort and scare campaign to protect their own self-interests. They see any change in telephone regulation as a direct threat (although unfounded) to their classified advertising profits. As long as they can stall the talks, they can continue to keep any

competitive threat at bay. The publishers would have you believe this is a complicated issue between two large interests that needs to be studied for

another two years. Let me simplify the debate, since they won't. Phone companies are ready to invest \$1.4 billion in a fiber optic system that will bring jobs and new business to Texas. Sure, that will help grow our business, but don't forget, we're also willing to freeze

basic phone rates to ensure that our local customers are protected. The TTA group has negotiated in good faith. TTA representatives attended every meeting held, and tried to work with the publishers in every way reasonable. We said "yes" to rate

freezes and even to local network competition. The newspaper publishers, on the other hand, did little more than to delay any progress serious talks could have produced. They offer no vision for Texas. Let's hope their message to Texans wasn't spoken by their paid lobbyist when he said, "Let's take these guys out." H-m-m-m.

Spiritually Speaking

Do We Accept Everyone God Accepts?

by Arnis Pape

Spearman Church of Christ What is Christianity known for in the Spearman community? My hope is that it is known for kindness, love and good deeds done by those who confess Christ, and an openness toward anyone who will follow Christ.

Jesus was criticized by the religious leaders of his day for associating with a "lower class" of person-chiefly tax collectors and sinners. He responded by saying that God seeks after each soul as a shepherd does a lost sheep, as a woman does a lost coin, or as a father does a wasteful son (Luke 15). To God, each person's soul is precious, and he "...does not want anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentence" (II Peter 3:9, NIV). Therefore, with Christ: "There is neither Jew nor Greek, slave nor free, male nor female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus" (Galatians 3:28, NIV).

In today's terminology, that means that God is not concerned with whether one is a White, Black, or Hispanic, educated or uneducated, wealthy or poor-everyone is welcome in the kingdom of God. Unfortunately, God's people



The official name for the White House was first the President's House and then the Executive Mansion until President Theodore Roosevelt authorized White House as the official title in 1901.

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are not always as accepting of others as their Savior is. While a brother or sister of different skin color or background may be perfectly acceptable to God, our standards are higher!?! Some have what Max Lucado calls a "screen door" mentality. Jesus may be the door, but they consider themselves to be the screen door. "You've got to get through me to get to Him," they seem to be saying.

It hasn't always been that way, and doesn't have to be today. In fact, the early church's reputation suffered for the same reason Jesus was criticized. In a book entitled True Doctrine, a second century Roman philosopher, Celsus, downgraded Christians because of their willingness to accept anyone, without regard for their past or position in society. He first says, concerning "more honorable" religions:

Those who summon people to the other mysteries make his preliminary proclamation: Whosoever has pure hands and a wise tongue. And again, others say: Whosoever is pure from all defilement, and whose soul knows nothing of evil, and who has lived well and righ-

He then contrasts those calls with the invitation of the Chris-

But let us hear what folk these Christians call. 'Whosoever is a sinner, they say, 'whosoever is unwise, who oever is a child, and, in a word, w osoever is a wretch, the kingdom, f God will receive him.' osoever is a wretch, the Why on farth this preference for

I believe the church will be closer to what God has called us to be, when we are once again criticized for having "a preference for sin-

Hansford Happening

Entries for the Hansford County Round-up Rodeo Queen contest are available at the Spearman Chamber office on 211 Main Street • Spearman. Deadline for entry is Saturday, May 1. For more information call Clindy Blackman at 659-

Hansford Hospice Garage Sale is coming up May 1st. DONATIONS ARE NEEDED. Donated items will be picked up. Furniture and household items are needed. Call Sue Gerardy 733-2789; Carolyn Hicks 733-2335, Jack McWhirter 659-2249; Charolette Jackson 659-2867, Pam Schnell 659-2360; Jo Linda Hutchinson 659-3703 or 659-2285.

Entries for the Miss Hansford Beauty Pageant are available at the Spearman Chamber office, Lady Fair, Klds' Stuff, J.G.'s and Main Street Store • Gruver. Entry deadline is Friday, May 7. For more information call Cindy Blackman at

HELP!!!

Spearman Little League has had over 200 youth sign up for Spring Baseball and Softball. We need more coaches and OfficialsII PLEASE VOLUNTEER YOUR SERVICES to help the kids of our community by calling Mike Cudd at 659-2568 (days) 659-5030 (nights) or Jeff Beedy 659-2541 (days) 659-3847 (nights) AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!!

Area Christian Singles will be meeting on Friday, April 23, to eat at Western Sizzlin in Pampa at 6:30 p.m. Bowling will be at 8 p.m. in Harvester Lanes, Pampa. Make reservations by April 16th. Call Cindy for car pooling information or any other questions - 435-2030.

215 Boys and Girls signed up for the Little League Program. WANTED Coaches for both Girls softball T-ball and minor league teams. Contact Mike Cudd 659-2568 or Jeff Beedy 659-2451 AT ONCE! MAJOR LEAGUE try outs will be April 15 and 16 at 5 p.m. at the Little League Field. Ages 9 thru 12 both boys and girls.

Entry forms for the Miss Hansford County Scholarship Pageant are available at the Spearman Chamber of Commerce. Deadline is May 7, 1993. Age Groups are Little Miss, 4-6 years old; Jr. Miss, 7-9 years old; Pre-Teen, 10-12 years old; Miss Teen, 13-16 years old; and Miss Hansford, 17-21 years old.

Hansford County Library is celebrating National Library Week by hosting a author's reception and party for Margie Snowden North today, April 22, from 4 to 5 p.m. Margle is the Author of <u>To Chase a Dream</u>. Stop in and meet Mrs. North. She is also the mother of SHS girl's basketball coach, Richard North.

First National Bank Spearman is presenting, in concert, the Texas Tech University Jazz Ensemble today, April 22. There will be a FREE concert for the PUBLIC at 7:30 p.m. at the high school auditorium in Spearman. At 2:30 p.m. a FREE concert will be presented for the school system.

Hansford Golf Club will meet on Monday, April 26, at 7 p.m. in the FSB meeting room. All members are welcome.

The Spearman Quilt Guild will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, April 26, at 216 Main.

A piano recital will be presented by the students of Kristi Holt at 3 p.m. on Sunday, April 25, at the Gruver Methodist Church. The public is invited to

Swim meeting Monday, April 26, at 7 p.m. in the FNB meeting room for all parents interested in their children participating in the up-coming summer The Spearman Apostilic Faith Church will be having Rev. Wayne Freeman as

a guest speaker April 23-26. Services will begin each evening at 7:30 p.m. (Sunday 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.) Pastor Brown and the congregation welcome you to come and worship, as they GET BACK TO THE BASICS

Michael Reardon will give and form to THE GOSPEL OF JOHN at the Oslo Lutheran Church, 18 miles NW on FM 1262, on Tuesday, April 27 at 7:30 p.m. It is directed by Patrick Lane. These two men have performed world-wide, The public is welcome according to Reverend John Chandler of Oslo Lutheran Church. A reception to meet the artists will follow the performance.

At the movies .

For information contact Spearman Friday, April 23 through Tuesday, April 27 is 'Teanage PAM SCHNELL Mutant Ninja Turtles III' on screen #1 at 7:45 p.m. and held Bound: The Incredible Jour- to miss it. ney" at 7:30 p.m.

Showing at the Lyric Theatre in Turtles III' is directed by Stuart

Raphael, Leonardo, Michelangelo and Donatello are going back in time to ancient Japan in their over on screen #2 is 'Homeward latest adventure. You don't want

'Homeward Bound: The Incredible Journey" co-stars Kim Greist and Robert Hayes and directed by Duwayne Dunham. It was written by Linda Woolverton and Caroline Thompson.

"Homeward Bound: The Incredible Journey" is adventure film about three domesticated pets who become separated from their human family. These two dogs and a cat then journey across the wilds of the Pacific Northwest to find their way home.

When one has much to put into them, a day has a hundred pockets.

-Friedrich Nietzsche

increase the public knowledge on Spearman ladies. The public is the purpose and operation of ACS. In addition the Hansford Unit City Lites by Kelvin Knauf

Picture (I-r) Ramon Rosales, Chuck Vott, Vance Snider, Albert

Avila, Billy Baker and Billy Snider. (Not pictured: Jim Morely and

names preferred supplier

Irene Snider.)

Caprock Industries, Lot 1...

Caprock Industries, Lot 1,

named their Preferred Supplier,

Spearman's Hi-Plains Auto Parts

Store at a fish fry Saturday, April

The auto parts store was recog-

nized for its outstanding service

supplying the feedlot with parts.

Tommy Raper, the Yard Superin-

tendent, presented the crew which

by Joy Henderson

welcome to attend.

American Cancer Society...

The American Cancer Society

(ACS) will be meeting on Thurs-

day, April 29, at the B&B Indus-

tries hospitality room in Spearman.

The meeting will begin at noon

with a luncheon hosted by the

Spearman City Manager

As warmer weather arrives, the

City takes on a whole new look

Trees grow their leaves, flowers

bloom, and the grass turns green.

Along with these beautiful sights

of Spring come the ugly sights--

high weeds. High weeds are a prob-

lem because not only are they ugly

but they also hide pests such as

mice, snakes and insects. High

weeds also present a fire hazard.

Mowing the weeds not only makes

your property look better but also

discourages pests and minimizes

the chances of fire spreading onto

City ordinances require prop-

erty owners to keep their property

mowed. Periodically, I send out let-

ters to property owners reminding

them of this responsibility. This

year, any person owning property

with weeds that are over 18" tall

will receive a letter from the City

asking the property owner to mow

your property for you and bill you

for the cost, this is not our prefer-

ence. Mowing property takes away

from other priorities of the City

such as street and park mainte-

nance. We much prefer that prop-

erty owners either mow their prop-

erty or arrange to have someone

a pleasant job, it is one that has to

be done. If property owners will

take the time to mow and clean-up

their property, Spearman will be a

healthier, safer and more pleasant

place to live for all of us.

While mowing high weeds is not

While the City can, legally, mow

your property.

the weeds.

else do it.

to hold meet April 29

will be asking for volunteers to join the ACS as some of the members have had to resign for various reasons. Come and join a worth while organization.

consists of: Vance and Irene Snider,

Billy Snider, Billy Baker, Jim

Morely, Chuck Vott, Albert Avila

and Ramon Rosales with a wall

plaque. Each employee also re-

cial efforts in meeting all of

Caprock's needs and going that

extra mile to help their customers.

At this meeting preliminary re-

ports of the Cancer Crusade will be

given. A special program of the

organization is planned and an in-

formation booth with pamphlets

and other materials will be on dis-

play. This will be done to further

The store was noted for its spe-

ceived a satin award jacket.

Margie Snowden North... to be at library today

The Hansford County Library is celebrating National Library Week with an author's reception and party for Margie Snowden North today from 4 to 5 p.m.

Margie is the author of To Chase a Dream, as well as several children's books and short stories. She also just happens to be the mother of Richard North, SHS girl's basketball coach.

Sheri Benton, Hansford County Librarian urges you to stop in and meet Mrs. North. The event is open to the public.

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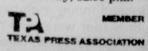
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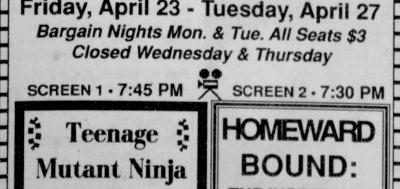
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Your Vote Appreciated on Saturday, May 1

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At The Lyric Theatre... Friday, April 23 - Tuesday, April 27



THE INCREDIBLE Turtles III : JOURNEY

113 Main, Spearman

On The Go With Joy by Joy Henderson

I'm back in Gruver for a short time, but will leave again at the end of this week. After taking a few days to tend to some business, see a doctor or two, then maybe I can settle down here at home for awhile. Of course, it won't be long until some of the grandkids will be having birthdays and I will want to be off and running again

After Mother's funeral service, we invited Dad to come home with us and see the Texas Panhandle again. We knew he could use a change of scenery after having to stay in the Oklahoma City, Norman and Purcell area for several years. He was of the same mind and welcomed the time to come back here to visit old friends and see some of our relatives.

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So, we have really been "on the go" Dad was able to visit his former boss in Pampa and church friends there. Also, we tracked down one of my cousins and caught him during his lunch hour. Next day, we travelled to Dumas for an enjoyable few hours with another cousin. We tried to take a day off on Thursday in order to do some laundry, and rest up for another big day in Pampa and Borger plus some side trips to the Borger Greenhouse in the Spring Creek area where we lived so many years. The owners of the Greenhouse are friends from "way back." Among friends in the Stinnett area is Bill Blackeney whom some of you in Spearman and Gruver have met. Then on Sunday, we attended church in Borger and ate lunch with them at a downtown restaurant.

One of the other highlights of Dad's visit here is the sharing of musical talents and making new friends who enjoy getting together and playing country and western music. Fortunately Dad brought a fiddle over here in order to be able to continue his interest in music. Saturday night, we took him to Spearman for a session with Otho Gammill and Cap Benson of Gruver. Others enjoying and listening were Lewis and Joy Henderson, Lucille and Alton Tindell, Thelma Tindell, and Cindy Nicholson and various younger ones popping in and out. My Dad, Arthurs Cox and us thor-

oughly enjoyed the "Get-Together." Gruver is getting some new faces in town. In addition to the new SPS family getting settled, our new Postmaster and his family will be arriving. Since there are some still in school and will be graduating later on in May, they won't be settled until later on.

Visitors over the weekend were Dale and Mittie Blackburn with children Branson and Bayley. I imagine that I am safe in supposing they were here for a visit with Mittie's parents Weldon and Elene Green. Weldon is doing real well after his surgery recently.

Also recovering from recent surgeries are Lanette Shapley and C.C. Heath. It was good to see their smiling faces when I returned home. Ora Mae even had a relief smile also, Amanda Walters was able to return home after a stay in the hospital with diabetes problems. All of us need to remember Helen Shapley who is scheduled for surgery and will be in St. Anthony's.

Back to the recent visitors who were in Gruver for the Meadowlark Lemon activities and bridal showers. Registering at First Baptist Church were Jim and Elizabeth Taylor of Spearman, James, Courtney Walker of Sunray, Mr. Brandvik, guests of Ray and Christine Brandvik from Sunray, Billy Blakenship, guest of Sandra Watlington, Donnie and Sandra Waters of Henryetta, TX guests of Delbert McCloy. Kathy Dillard and Julie Payne.

Guests in the Larry Miller home were Lupita Rocha and Javonna Pax of Plainview. Guests of Jill Garrett was Dean Marion of Lubbock, Shelly Crawford guest of the Seaglers; Ruby and Toby Bilderback of Amarillo, guests of the Alfred Bayless family. Other guests from Spearman were Sara Dossett and Cora Hester.

Visitors in Victor and Kathy Taylor were Gordon, Marie, Annabell and Angela Taylor of Borger. Ruby McCullough, mother of Benny McCullough and Nancy Babbs visited in the Babbs home. Also, guest of Wes Babbs was Luke Ayers of Plainview.

For the baptismal of Cambry Cooper, young daughter of Craig and Christy Cooper were Reba Pittman, Christy 's grandmother, her parents Duane and Yvonne Pittman, Christy's aunt Sharon Wilson all of Stratford, her cousins Tania Avera of Missouri City, Tx and Tamra Neeper of Nashville, Tn. Elva Cooper, Craig's grandmother and his mother and husband, Sue and Glen Pafford of Ama-

Mozelle McClellan is happy to have her sister back with her for awhile. Mae Johnson of Grove City, Pennsylvania helped take care of Mozelle when she was critically ill a few years ago. We hope she is able to help Mozelle with her recovery after her recent heart attack.

Connie and Bob Burgoon attended a youth rally in Canyon in

which their son Andrew sang with the group Rejoice at University Park Church of Christ. Bob will also be ticipated in an overnight activity. travelling south to check on his Leaders Linda Walters and Aline mother who is being treated for Bishop were helping 9 Brownies cancer. Connie will also go to Clovis with some exciting activities.

to visit with relatives there.

Brownie Troop #73 recently par-

Club News

The Gruver Music Club met on April 13, 1993, in the Gruver Methodist Church.

It was reported that prizes would be given for first, second, and third place winners in the National Music Week poster contest.

Trixie Holt gave the current musical note and Barbara Cluck accompanied the group in the singing of the hymn of the month, "Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Thirty-seven members and guests were privileged to hear Kristi Holt, pianist, present "Sonatine" by Ravel and "The Legend of St. Francis Walking Over the Waves"

Marguerite Nelson gave the meditation. The meeting was adjourned and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Gyene



Junior High Citizens of the Month of April

Citizens of the Month for Gruver Junior High during the month of April are picuted above. They are Chelsie Hicks, fifth grade; Estella Cruz, sixth grade; Amber Roberts, seventh grade; and Mary Dawn Henson, eighth grade.

Gruver PTA honors Mayhew

Mayhew with a life time membership during the PTA's associational meeting held April 12 in the Gruver Auditorium.

Mayhew teaches at the junior high. He received this honor for outstanding work for the local tional school system.

elected. The new officers are Jo Gruver Elementary K-4. The pro-Alice Clawson, president; Shelley Carter, vice-president; Christy Garland, music teacher.

The Gruver PTA presented Roy Johnson, secretary; and Jody Irwin, treasurer.

> The presentation of the colors was lead by the seventh graders Darby Johnson and Cody Cazares. Holly Venneman, high school senior, delivered the evenings devo-

The evening was capped off with Officers for 1993-1994 were a talent show presented by the gram was organized by Mrs. Haley

School Menu

Pringle-Morse School April 26 - April 30 LUNCH

Monday-Burritos, chili, salad, corn, milk, no-bake cookie.

Tuesday-Corn dogs, tots, cole

slaw, dessert, milk. Wednesday-Sandwiches, car-

rots, fruit, cookie, milk.

Thursday-Lasagna, green beans, salad, rolls, milk.

trimmings, applesauce, ice cream,

BREAKFAST Monday-Honey buns, cheese

toast, apple, milk.

Tuesday-Pancakes, sausage, grape, milk.

Wednesday-Muffins, cinnamon toast, orange, milk.

Thursday-Cereal, toast, apple,

Friday-Egg, bacon, toast, or-

ange, milk Gruver I.S.D. Menu April 26 - April 30 LUNCH

Monday & Tuesday - No School Staff Development.

Wednesday - Steak fingers, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, cake, hot rolls.

Thursday - Ham & cheese, Friday-Hamburgers, chips, patty melt, pickle spears, potato chips, fruit, milk.

Friday — Hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, cheese, rice crispies, milk.

BREAKFAST

Wednesday - Cereal, juice, muffins, milk.

Thursday - Toast, peanut butter & jelly, fruit, milk.

Friday - Cinnamon rolls, fruit,

Holt and Key...

to exchange vows

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas David Holt of Gruver announce the engagement of their daughter, Holly, to Jerrell Kring Key, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edmond Key of Lubbock.

They will marry on June 12 at the Gruver United Methodist Church.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Texas Tech University and a memof Kappa Gamma Sorority. is employed by Lubbock Independent School District.



The future bridegroom, also a graduate of Texas Tech University, was the Texas Tech Masked Rider in 1985 and is a member of Kappa Alpha Fraternity. He is employed by Belton Industries in Ft. Worth.

Soto and Davila...

announce engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Matias Soto of Gruver, Texas, wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cristina, to Rene Davila, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ezequiel Davila of Cactus, Texas.

The bride-elect is currently working in Gruver. The prospective groom owns and operates Cactus Body Shop. The couple will

reside in Cactus after their May 22,

1993 wedding in St. Paul and St. Peter Catholic Church in Dumas, for all voin support

To concede is harder than to be enthusiastic. -Hugo Von Hofmansthal

CITIZENS OF GRUVER:

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GRUVER IS THE BEST SMALL TOWN AROUND.. WE HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN TRANSMITTING OUR VALUES FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION. WE WANT TO CONTINUE PASSING THIS HERITAGE TO OUR CHILDREN'S CHILDREN.

GRUVER IS PROUD OF ITS REPUTATION OF HIGH MORAL CHARACTER, SCHOOLS, AND REVERENCE FOR THINGS SPIRITUAL.

ALLOW ME TO HAVE A PART IN CONTINUING THIS IDEAL. PLEASE VOTE FOR ME AS YOUR MAYOR AND, WE AS CITIZENS TOGETHER, MAY CONTINUE THIS HERITAGE.

RESPECTFULLY, ARCHIE NELSON

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The 1992-93 members of ALPHA MU PSI would like to thank everyone who

helped to make our year a success. We contributed to the following -Mobile Meals, needy families in the community, school needs, Ministerial Alliance, Gruver Library, Gruver Volunteer Fire Department, Hospice and Hansford Manor, and the Panhandle Crisis Center. Thanks Again Alpha Mu Psi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi



Nashville to attend the Grand Ole

Monday morning she resumed

her duties at the County Clerk's

Mrs. Dorothy Brown, 87, the

mother of Mrs. Betty Davis, passed

away on April 10. She had been a

resident of the Hansford Manor

daughter April returned from the

services last Thursday. The Davis

other daughter, Brenda, and Kenny

Mary Brock, Dean Draper and

Sandy Russell hosted a farewell

brunch for Mrs. Doris Fochtman on

Monday. It was held in the Club

room of Libby's. Mrs. Fochtman is

leaving Spearman after three years

and going to Lebanon, Oregon to

make her home due to her failing

Mrs. Fochtman is a friend of

many years to Ada and Lester

McLain and they spent many pleas-

ant winters at Mission, Texas. When

Mrs. McLain became ill, Mrs.

Fochtman returned with them to

She has made many friends in

Spearman and attended the First

Christian Church and assisted

many friends will miss her and her

kind and attentive concern for them.

All wish her the best of luck and

extend a warm invitation to return

Her daughter, Carol Whitehead,

Others attending and bidding her

goodbye in addition to the hostesses were: Loree Booth, Glenda

Purcell, Nina Evans, Betty Jean

Hill, Gwen Smith, Dorothy Haner,

Debbie Hagerman, Verna Brown,

Lorene Kunselman, Ruth Bryan,

Beth Phelps, Laverne Draper,

Lester McLain, Don and Gwen

For Mary Anne Evans and Monte

A detailed account of the lovely

Adding to the pleasure of the

wedding will appear in a later is-

joyous occasion was the gathering

of family members from Friday until

Monday, guests of Kenneth and

Those here for the weekend were:

wood, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Smith, San Antonio; Mrs. Marlene

Margaret Evans.

George, the wedding bells rang on

Saturday and they are now on a

McLain and J.L. Brock.

is here to accompany her to Oregon

and was a guest at the brunch.

The McLains and Brocks and

many at Hansford Manor.

help care for her.

Red of Gruver also attended.

Betty and Gary Davis and

office on Monday morning.

since June.

Among the Neighbors

Patti Lee, wife of Bob Lee, in Colorado Springs in contact with friends here Monday morning reports that Bob is showing some slight improvement but has a long, hard road ahead. This is the 9th week he has been in I.C.U. at St. Francis Hospital as a result of a fall he had on ice. He sustained severe head injuries. He still has no control over his eye lids and other muscles, but most if not all of the clots have been dissolved and many of the tubes removed. Friends here are staying in close touch.

Idella Randall and her daughter Cecilia and grandson Deremy returned late Thursday from Ft. Worth. They had gone earlier in the week in order for Cecilia to take the state exam for her L.V.N. license. The first day of their stay was very rainy, but later in the good weather they took time to enjoy some sight-seeing.

At this time Idella doesn't plan to resume her duties at the motel.

Freda Sheets was taken by ambulance to High Plains Baptist Hospital last Wednesday. She spent several days in I.C.U. with a heart condition but at this writing she was in a room and still undergoing tests.

Friends and neighbors are in close contact with her and report that she is in good spirits and they are hopeful that she can soon return home.

Her sister, Nina Taylor, of Lakin, Kansas is with her most of the time.

Burkhammer and Chuck Smith took their dune buggies to Wynoka, Oklahoma for a fun weekend on the dunes. Wynoka was having a carnival and their annual rattlesnake hunt. The Spearman group enjoyed the festivities and their participation in the snake hunt was very careful and distance watch-

Ruth Bryan spent from Thursday thru Sunday in Lubbock. She visited her son James, and her sister Julia and Randy Billingsly. She also enjoyed being with some friends from college days.

Altha Groves accompanied her as she had a cousin in the hospital whom she visited.

The James Martin family was very distressed to learn that some low-down thief had stolen two of their old wagons and a surrey. These are collectors items and prized highly by the Martins. They were stolen from a barn about 4 miles southwest of Spearman at the Chip Martin place.

Agricultural interests are expecting dismal results and aggravation with an appointment last week by the Clinton Administration. Ellen Haas was appointed USDA assistant Secretary for Food and Consumer Services. She is the founder of the consumer advocacy group Public Voice for Food and Health Policy. Her track records includes emphasis on promoting vegetarian diets; environmental concerns-real or imaginary; animal rights-including inspectionsand on and on ad nauseaum.



Pictured here are the winners of the PTA EPA poster contest. (back row) 3rd grade: Amber Crowl, Monica Behney, Evan Schmidt; 4th grade: Katie Papay, Amy Vasquez, Diseree Wattier; 2nd grade: Ross Womble and Joslah Vasquez. (Front) 1st grade: Amanda Apodoca, Ashton Shearer, Lupe Duran; Kindergarten: Chase Phillips, Brennan Eudy and Seth Clemmons.

Club News

The Gladiola Flower Club met in the home of Gwen Smith on April 15. Fay Holt presided over the meeting. Minutes from previous meetings were read and approved. Roll call, "a type of nut", was answered by members. Treasurers report was

Margarette Evans, project chairman will check into the needs of the flower beds at Hansford Manor.

Virginia Head presented Georgianne Hutchison who gave he program on her Mediterranean uise. She showed pictures, souvenirs and told the history of places of interest, including Italy, Spain, Greece, France and Monaco.

Flower winners were: Home grown arrangement - Gwen Smith; Specimen - Rose Cummings and pot plant - Gwen Smith.

The next meeting will be with Wanda Brown on May 6.

Those attending were: Wanda Brown, Dorothy Buzzard, Rose Cummings, Betty Davis, Margarette Evans, Ann Flowers, Virginia Head, Mike Hergert, Fay Holt, Estelle Jackson, June Jackson, Lorene Kunselman, Kathleen Sutton, Virginia Trindle and guest Georgianne Hutchinson.

Hansford Showtime Car Club

The Hansford Showtime Car Club of Spearman, Texas, will be hosting their fifth annual Shine and Show on Saturday, May 8, 1993 at Palo Duro Lake north of Spearman. The Palo Duro Dam Cruise will be held on the dry side of the dam, beginning at 10 a.m. and last until 4 p.m.

Scheduled activities include valve cover races, Pokey's pulling trucks, sale board, games, and fun in general. Entry fee is \$5 per vehicle. There is no pre-registration. All show registered vehicles will receive free dash plaques and goodie bags. The show is open to all vehicles. All proceeds will benefit the Spearman Girl Scouts

The Boy Scouts will be selling Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, Lake- concessions featuring their famous hamburgers. Come join us for a day of fun at Hansford County's newest entertainment attraction on Satur-



T.J. Vasquez throws up a shot on the basket and back board he won at the Spearman ALCO store. Store manager Kirk Frazer caught the miss.



Wanda Archer presents Verlin Winegarner with his Presidential Sports Award for the work he did in her exercise class. Not pictured but also receiving the award was Melinda Sasser.

School Menu

Spearman I.S.D. Lunch Menu April 26 - 28

Monday - Chicken Strip, mashed potatoes - gravy optional, green beans, hot rolls - butter optional,

Tuesday - Hamburger, french fries, lettuce - tomato, pickle - on-

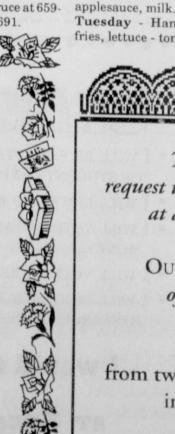
Wednesday - Build your own: soft burrito, ground beef, tortillas, refried beans, taco sauce - cheese cup, lettuce-tomato salad, peaches,

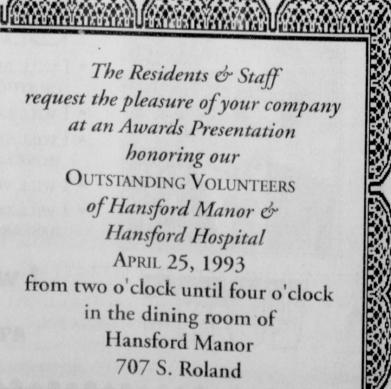
ion, cookie, milk.

Thursday - NO SCHOOL!!! Friday - NO SCHOOL!!!!



Bolton, Tulsa; Kathy Bolton and son, David, Stillwater; Gary Evans day, May 8. For more information with sons Chris and Matt, Houscall Sam at 659-3019, Bruce at 659-







Sincerely, Krista Kirkland Texas Tech Lady Raider National Champion

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Mary Anne Evans & Monte George

David & Cathy (Minter) Boese

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200 Meter Dash - Garcia, 5th,

1600 Meter Relay - Cassady,

Garcia, McLain, Bravo, 2nd,

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cranes or other equipment should know how to

avoid contact with power lines.

Cody Pipkin

pany office.

Lynx and Lynxettes Around the Track

Spearman District 1-AA Track Meet Varsity Boys

4th Place Pole Vault - Dee Mayfield, 1st,

Discus - Landon Swan - 3rd,

Long Jump - Jason Varnon -3rd, 20'101/

High Jump - Cody Pipkin - 6th, 2nd, 16'91/

800 Meter Run - Cody Pipkin, 114'8 1st, 2:05.95 110 High Hurdles - Jason

Varnon, 3rd, 15.60. Kirkland from page 1

Possible Lynxettes' runners for the regional 1600m relay team

These students represented Spearman High School at the

Five State Business Contest at Panhandle State University.

They are Michelle Garnett, Justin Boyd, Kimbre Townsen, Sophia

200 Spearman boys and girls tried out for Little League

baseball and girls' softball teams Thursday and Friday, April 15

and 17. League Commissioner, Mike Cudd was pleased with the

turn out but indicated that the league was in desperate need of

the coaches for its teams. Anyone willing to volunteer some time

during May to coach please contact Cudd at Hansford Imple-

Salgado, Alma Martinez and Donetta Cates

are (I-r) Michelle Garnett, Mary Cook, Holly Jarvis, Kara Townsen

he taught me." Her dad coached her all through her high school career. That career started at Sudan in 1986 were she played on teams that posted records of 20-10 her freshman year and 33-3 her sophomore year. Her sophomore year team won the State 1A

In 1987 Krista came to Spearman when her father took over the head girls basketball coaching position. The teams she played on at Spearman went 28-3 and 26-6, reaching the area finals

both years. Krista's athletic talents extended into other areas in high school as well. She was All State Cross Country for three years, with the team winning a state title her senior year. She was a regional track qualifier all four years, state runner up in the 1600m run her senior year. She was a regional

qualifier in golf one year as well. At Tech Krista will be getting her degree in the exercise and sports science. She hopes to follow in her father's footsteps and be a basketball coach upon graduation. Starting her senior year she was carrying a 3.477 GPA. and had made the Deans List (3.5-3.99) three semesters and the President's

Krista's career basketball accomplishments are numerous. She has started the final 96 games of her career and is one of only 11 Lady Raiders to have played in more than 100 career games. She played in 126 of the 128 games, including 110 straight that Tech

has played since 1989-90 season Another highlight this year was when she became the Lady Raiders' All-Time leader in assists. She has moved into the second place in Southwest Conference circles with

She is a three-time All SWC Selection. She was second team as a sophomore and first team as both

a junior and senior.

Here's how she stacks up on the rest of the career list: Scoring - 1,324 pts., 6th Average - 10.51, 10th FG Made - 460, 8th FG Attempts - 1,077, 8th FG Percentage - 42.7%

3-pt. FG Made - 219, leader (SWC leader) 3-pt. FG Attempts - 525, leader

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Pipkin - 5th, 3:39.99. Junior Varsity Boys 4th Place Shot Put - Robert Howell, 3rd,

100 Meter Dash - Radar Garcia,

400 Meter Dash - Cody Pipkin,

1600 Meter Relay - Josh Furlow,

Jason Varnon, Ricky Garrard, Cody

6th. 11.71.

Shot Put - Landon Swan - 5th, 37'21/,"; Matt Gafford, 4th, 37'1". Long Jump - Martin Sanders,

Discus - Matt Gafford, 2nd,

400 Meter Relay - Phillip Sanders, Martin Sanders, Jeremy Blan, Cody McLeod, 3rd, 48.70.

800 Meter Run - Cody McLeod, 2nd. 2:21.66 400 Meter Dash - Shawn Moore,

5th, 61.59; Jeremy Blan, 6th, 62.84. 200 Meter Dash - Phillip Sanders, 1st, 25. 1600 Meter Run - Mark Parker.

5th, 5:36.35. 1600 Meter Relay - Phillip Sanders, Jeremy Blan, Cody McLeod, Shawn Moore, 3rd,

8th Grade Boys

3:55.64

4th Discus-Eric Varnon, 4th, 118'6". Triple Jump - Dillon Miller,

3rd, 34'91/ 400 Meter Relay - Dillon Miller, Domingo Salazar, Jake Howard, Micheal Witten, 4th, 50.7.

110 Int. Hurds. - Jake Howard, 5th, 20.7. 800 Meter Run - Micheal

Witten, 2nd, 2:17.8

100 Meter Dash - Micheal Witten - 4th, 12.51. 200 Int. Hurds. - Tyler Lair, 4th, 30.74; Eric Cudd, 6th, 31.60.

6th, 28,03 1200 Meter Run - Eric Cudd, 6th, 4:00.52

1600 Meter Relay - Dillon

200 Meter Dash - Dillon Miller, 15.72

Miller, Tyler Lair, Jake Howard, Colby Bedell, 6th, 4:21.55. 7TH Grade Boys Pole Vault - Allen Huddleston,

High Jump - Allen Huddleston, Shot Put - Jamie Townsen, 1st,

33'101/," Discus - Jamie Townsen, 2nd, 400 Meter Relay - Cody Wil-

liams, Mac Butts, Jamie Townsen, Clint Goodman, 6th, 60. 110 Int. Hurds. - Allen

100 Meter Dash - Allen

Huddleston, 2nd, 13.2. 200 Low Hurds. - Allen Huddleston, 1st, 29.52. 1600 Meter Relay - Clint

Huddleston, 1st. 18.2

Goodman, Mac Butts, Cody Williams, Puentes, 6th, 5:08.13. Spearman 7th Grade Girls **Team Results**

2nd Place 111 points High Jump - Edwards, 2nd, 4'2"; Smith, 3rd, 4'2".

Shot Put-Mocaby, 2nd, 21'7.25" Long Jump - Dunnihoo, 4th, 12'10.25" Discus - Mocaby, 5th, 60'2" Triple Jump - Trantham, 3rd,

27'1.75"; Davis, 6th, 25'10.25" 800 M Run - Trantham, 2nd, 2:48.34; OQuin, 3rd, 2:51.55. 100 Hurdles - Mackey, 2nd,

19.91; Smith, 3rd, 20.07. 200 M Hurdl. - Dunnihoo, 1st, 34.67; Mackey, 4th, 37.11. 200 M Dash - Hernandez, 5th,

200 MH. - Dunnihoo, 1st, 34.67;

Mackey, 4th, 37.11. 1200 M. Run - Mackey, 2nd,

1600 M Relay-Spearman, 3rd, 5:01.14

800 M Relay - Spearman, 3rd, 2:04.29

8th Grade Girls

121 points High Jump - Rodriquez, 3rd, 4'6"; Tigrett, 4-tie, 4'4"; Barber, 4-

4th Place

Shot Put - Smith, 6th, 22' Long Jump - Beasley, 2nd, 13'9.25"; Barber, 4th, 13'3.25" Triple Jump - Rodriquez, 1st,

32'22,25"; Beasley, 3rd, 28'4". 400 M Relay - Spearman, 2nd,

800 M Run - Rodriquez, 1st, 2:41.70

100 Hurdles - Lusby, 3rd, 18.99;

Shieldknight, 5th, 19.61. 400 M Dash - Barber, 2nd, 69.69. 200 M Hurdl - Lusby, 6th, 36.23 200 M Dash - Bealey, 3rd, 29.61. 1200 M Run - Rodriquez, 1st,

4:40.04; Flores, 6th, 5:14,31 1600 M Relay - Spearman, 2nd, 4:43.72

800 M Relay - Spearman, 5th, Varsity Girls Final Results High Jump - Mary Cook, 3rd,

Shot Put-Tiffany Bruning, 4th,

Discus - Ashly Shieldknight, 2nd, 104'2.5"; Kara Townsen, 4th, 95'9.5" 3200 M Run - Amanda Nobles,

6th. 14:38.81 800 M Run - Ashly Shieldknight, 6th, 2:51.11. 100 Hurdles - Jill Lusby, 2nd,

100 M Dash - Michelle Garnett, 2nd, 12.97 400 M Dash - Mary Cook, 3rd,

200 M Dash - Holly Jarvis, 1st,

1600 M Relay - Spearman,

2nd, 4:16.96 800 M Relay - Spearman, 6th.

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Palo Duro Reservoir was built and is managed by the Palo Duro River Authority. The purpose of the lake is to furnish water to the cities of Dumas, Sunray, Cactus, Stinnett. Gruver, and Spearman.

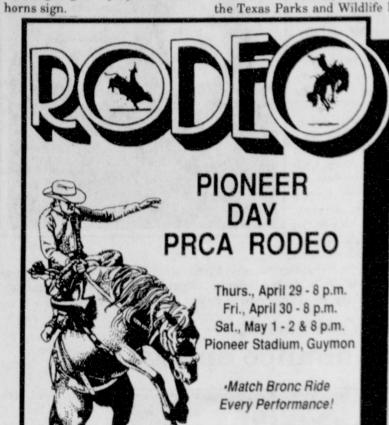
The dam is 3,800 feet long, and 128 feet high. Bottom of dam is 700 wide and tappers to 44 feet at the top. When full, the surface area of Lake Palo Duro will be 2,413 acres. The average lake depth, when and if full, will be 46 feet. The average depth at the dam will be 77 feet. The current lake level at the dam is about 35 feet, and local authorities are waiting for a good thunderstorm.

A.I.D. contour maps of Palo Duro can be found in many tackle stores, but NOW IS THE BEST TIME to go to the lake and see the bottom structure before it is flooded.

We look forward to the official opening. Congratulations to the taxpayers in Moore and Hansford Counties and the City of Stinnett for the wisdom and foresight to build Palo Duro.

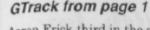
TIP OF THE WEEK - Take a video camera to Palo Duro Reservoir because it will record some of the bottom structural details that

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Aaron Frick third in the shot put. The Hounds, like the Lady Hounds, were hurt in the numbers game according to Head Coach Doug Frick - not having very many competitors. The Hounds finished fifth with 49 points, nosing out Spearman with 471/2 and Sunray with 47. Boys Ranch won both the varsity and junior varsity competitions. Gruver also finished fifth in the JV competition

Here are the results .. **Gruver Lady Hounds** Varsity 1st Place 145 points

High Jump - Holly Venneman. 1st, 5'2"; Molly McLain, 5th, 5'0" Long Jump - Wynn Maupin, 1st, 16' 71/2"; Wendy Rodriguez, 7th,

Discus - Kiki Carthel. Triple Jump - Maupin, 1st, 34'

": Tara Shapley, 6th, 31' 6" 3200 Meter Run - Brendy

Brown, 2nd, 13:48. 400 Meter Relay - Monica Ward, Julie Meyer, Janelle

Haefner, Venneman, 1st, 52.32. 800 Meter Run - Joni Hart, 2nd, 2:38.1; Myriam Alvarez, 3rd,

100 Meter Hurdles - Maupin, 3rd, 16.19; Haefner, 4th, 16.9. 100 Meter Dash - Ward, 3rd,

300 Meter Hurdles - Maupin, 2nd, 49.5; Shapley, 4th, 52.5, Shanna Jarvis.

200 Meter Dash - Rodriguez, 4th, 27.9

1600 Meter Run - Hart, 2nd, 6:19; Brown, 3rd, 6:22. 800 Meter Relay - Ward, Haefner, Meyer, Venneman, 3rd, 0"

1600 Meter Relay - Maupin,

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Rodriguez, Kasey Venneman, 3rd, 4:23.4.

Gruver Lady Hounds 8th Grade 4th Place 981/3 points

High Jump - Amber Murrell, 1st, 4'10"; Kaysha Cluck, 6th, 4'0" Long Jump - Murrell, 3rd, 13'

Discus - Cara Hathaway, 5th, 71' 10"

Shot Put-Hathaway, 2nd, 26'4" Triple Jump - Cluck, 2nd, 30'

Christian, Cluck, Amy Gillispie, Murrell, 3rd, 56.8.

400 Meter Relay - Crystal

100 Meter Hurdles - Christian, 2nd, 18.5. 100 Meter Dash - Angie John-

son, 4th, 14.7; Lexy Spivey, 5th,

200 Meter Hurdles - Christian, 1st. 34.9 200 Meter Dash - Johnson, 6th,

31.2 1200 Meter Run - Erikka

Barrera, 5th, 5:04.4. 800 Meter Relay - Gillispie,

Spivey, Hathaway, Cluck, 3rd,

1600 Meter Relay - Gillispie, Spivey, Hathaway, Johnson, 3rd,

> **Gruver Lady Hounds** 7th Grade 3rd place 110 points

Shot Put - Jeanne Swink, 1st,

Long Jump - Weslyn Maupin, 1st, 13' 91/

Discus - Swink, 3rd, 65'3" Triple Jump - Maupin, 1st, 31

400 Meter Relay - Stephanie Gaines, Kathy Slough, Jill Odom,

Laura Garcia, 3rd, 59.76 100 Meter Dash - Brandy Morris, 5th, 15.04.

400 Meter Dash - Davida Nash, 2nd, 70.4; Garcia, 5th, 77.1. 200 Meter Hurdles - Slough,

5th, 37.5 200 Meter Dash - Maupin, 2nd,

800 Meter Relay - Gaines,

Morris, Nash, Maupin, 1st, 1:59.3 (New GJHS school record) 1600 Meter Relay - Nash,

Morris, Gaines, Maupin, 1st, 4:37.81 (New GJHS school record) **Gruver Hounds Varsity**

5th Place 49 points

3200 Meter Run - Bailey Barkley, 3rd, 11:06; Joe Bravo, 4th, 400 Meter Relay - Ryon Atwood,

Victor Lopez, Aaron Frick, Raul Villegas, 5th, 45.5 800 Meter Run - Fabian Royval,

3rd, 2:09.06; Scott McCloy, 4th, 2:10.34.

100 Meter Dash - Villegas, 3rd,

400 Meter Dash - Rosalio Arreola, 6th, 54.60; Atwood; Wylee Maupin.

200 Meter Dash - Villegas, 3rd, 23.12; Lopez. 1600 Meter Run - Barkley, 5th,

5:13.24; McCloy, Bravo.

1600 Meter Relay - Arreola, Royval, Maupin, Atwood, 7th. 3:40.70.

Shot Put - Frick, 3rd, 46' 8". Discus - Frick, 6th, 130' 0". Pole Vault - Bravo, 10'. Triple Jump - Maupin, 38'4";

Arreola, 36' 53/4" Long Jump - Atwood, 19'2"; Villegas, 18'1/2"; Tek Ferguson,

High Jump - Ferguson, 5th, 5'10"; Royval, 6th, 5'8"; Maupin.

> **Gruver Hounds Junior** Varsity 5th place

45 points (placings not available) 3200 Meter Run - Scott Jarvis,

12:19.01. 400 Meter Relay - Daniel Bort. Max Frick, Kevin McNett, Sammy Renteria, 49.91

110 Meter Hurdles - Travis Ferguson, 18.2; McNett, 18.32. 800 Meter Run - Ricardo Soto,

6:52.22; Andy Morris. 100 Meter Dash - J.D. Chris-

tian, 12.77; Ferguson, 13.03; Bort, 400 Meter Dash - Phil

DeLaCruz; Juan Arreola.

300 Meter Hurdles - Renteria, 43.83: Ferguson, 47.26.

200 Meter Dash - Frick, Arreola, Christian.

1600 Meter Run - Jarvis. 1600 Meter Relay - Bort, McNett, Frick, Renteria, 3:58.19. Shot Put - DeLaCruz; Arreola;

Brady Tidwell. Discus - Frick; Arreola; Soto. Pole Vault - Bort, 9'6' Triple Jump - Arreola, 35'10";

Renteria, 34'2"; McNett, 33'4". Long Jump - Ferguson, 15'9"; Bort, 14'3"; Frick.

High Jump - McNett, 5'2".

Gruver Hounds 8th Grade 7th Place 28 points

High Jump - Josh Mayhew, 6th, Long Jump - Jarrod Hoel, 3rd,

Discus - Mayhew, 6th, 113'3"

400 Meter Relay - John Duncan, Mayhew, Matt Overbey, Hoel, 5th, 400 Meter Dash - Hoel, 2nd,

100 Meter Dash - Mayhew, 5th,

200 Meter Hurdles - Overbey,

5th, 31.5. 1600 Meter Relay - Duncan

Mayhew, Overbey, Hoel, 5th,

Gruver Hounds 7th Grade 3rd Place 71 points

High Jump - Buster McLain, 2nd, 4'8"; Kyle McNett, 6th, 4'8" Shot Put - Jody Robinson, 4th, 30'51/2. McNett, 6th, 29'11".

Long Jump - Juan Bravo, 4th, 14'11/2"; Keith Cassady, 5th, 13' 10

Triple Jump - Cesar Garcia, 6th, 29' 81/

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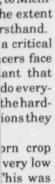
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ADMISSIONS Thursday, April 15 - Viola Fickling

Friday, April 16-Elaine Odgaard, Mason Kuehl Saturday, April 17 - William

(Bill) Russell Sunday, April 18 - None Monday, April 19-E.J. Copeland, Dorothy Bryan

Tuesday, April 20 - Jennie TeBeest

DISMISSALS

Thursday, April 15 - Phil DeLaCruz, Juanita Partridge, Mary Murrell, Amber Elliott Friday, April 16 - None Saturday, April 17 - None Sunday, April 18- Mason Kuehl,

> Elaine Odgaard Monday, April 19 - None Tuesday, April 20 - Dorothy Bryan

CENSUS, Wednesday, April 21: Bill Russell, E.J. Copeland, Jennie TeBeest and Nova Lee Walker.

USDA to make '92 corn disaster payments

WASHINGTON, April 9 - Secre- sary to relieve hardships and detary of Agriculture Mike Espy today announced new assistance for producers of corn crops whose harvest was of low-quality due to natural disasters in 1992.

"These corn producers may be eligible for disaster payments based on the low-quality of their crop, even though the quality harvested would not usually qualify them for disaster assistance," said Espy. "I believe this action is neces-

Reservoir from page 6.

you might forget. Sure wish that I will not hold water. had used a video record of White River, Greenbelt, and Meredith.

dry lake bed at Umbarger's old down to Childress County. Buffalo lake. Too bad the dam has

pressed conditions many corn producers have suffered through no fault of their own," Espy added.

Espy said adjustment in production will be made for corn producers who suffered losses from reduced quality caused by damaging weather or related conditions. "This adjusted production will be used to determine whether these corn producers qualify for disaster payments for the first time, or for

Spring turkey season ends on Sunday, May 2. Because of the wet BETTER LATE THAN spring in 1992, the gobbler hunting NEVER? Playa Pete noticed sev- is excellent in the eastern Paneral red necks making a video of the handle areas from Lipscomb County

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additional payments, as applicable," Espy said. "Corn producers who filed a written disaster application for the corn crops may be entitled to additional payments because of quality production adjustments. Also producers who have not filed a written disaster application for 1992, may file an application through May 7, 1993.

The action came as result of a meeting Espy attended on Capitol Hill two weeks ago with Michigan corn producers and members of the Michigan Congressional delegation. During the meeting, the corn producers showed Espy corn samples and asked that the U.S. Department of Agriculture take action to assist the producers prior to their spring planting.

In response, Espy sent Randy Weber, the acting director of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization

and Conservation Service, to Michigan the next day to see the extent of the low-quality corn firsthand.

"When producers face a critical situation like corn producers face in Michigan, it's important that this agency act quickly to do everything possible to alleviate the hardship and depressed conditions they are facing.

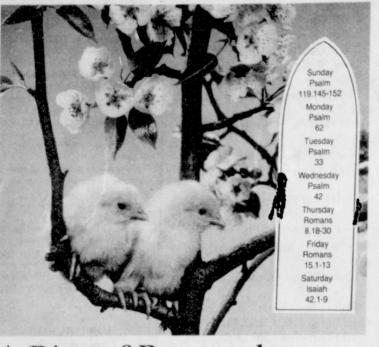
"Much of the 1992 corn crop grown in some states has very low net value," Espy said. "This was due to low test weight, foreign material, damaged kernels and excessive moisture. Often, drying charges and discounts exceeded the value of the corn. Many producers harvested a quantity that did not qualify for disaster payments."

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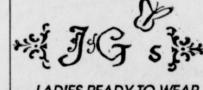
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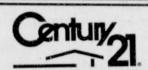


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Gruver, TX 79040

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Bobby J. Nollner were issued on April 16, 1993, in Cause No. 2062, pending in the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, to Dorothy Lee Nollner. The post office address of the Executoris HCR 1, Box 71, Spearman, Texas 79081. All persons having claims against this estate, which is currently being administered, are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED the 16 day of April 1993

John L. Hutchison Attorney for the Estate

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Obituaries

PEARL C. SHAPLEY

SPEARMAN - Pearl C. Shapley, 87, died Friday, April 16, 1993.

Services were held Monday, April 19, in the First Baptist Church at Gruver with the Rev. Larry Miller, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Gruver Cemetery by Boxwell Broth-

ers Funeral Directors.

Guymon, Okla. He died in 1964. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Friday, April 16, 1993. Margaret Odom of Gruver; two sons,

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H.B. Shapley and Darrell Shapley. Mrs. Shapley was born in both of Amarillo; three sisters, Lois Goodwell, Okla., and a longtime Boston of Guymon, Mary Faultz of resident of the Spearman area. She Reno, Nev., and Jewell Hendritz of married Jake Shapley in 1922 at Midland; 10 grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren.

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Brianne Burkhammer

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DUMAS - Erma Cook, 86, died

Services were held Monday, April

19, in Morrison Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Jerry Clark, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Dumas Cemetery.

Mrs. Cook was born in Beaver County, Okla, and was a Dumas resident since the early 1940s. She married Albert Cook in 1955 at Raton, N.M. She was a homemaker and a member of the Bible Baptist

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Wanda Warren of Lewisville, Mary Vincent of Hartley and Shirley Harry of Ponca City, Okla.; two sons, Ben Cook of Gruver and Larry Cook of Oklahoma City; two sisters, Ellen Davis of Amarillo and Eileen Clark of Shattuck, Okla.; a brother, Roy Edgington of Chico; 31 grandchildren; 43 great-grandchildren; and four great-greatgrandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Memorial Hospice. VIOLA V. FICKLING

SPEARMAN - Viola V. Fickling, 85, died Friday, April 16, 1993.

Services were held Sunday, April 18, in the First Assembly of God with the Rev. Ray Cook, pastor officiating. Burial was in Hansford

neral Directors.

Mrs. Fickling was born in Arkansas and moved to Spearman in 1953. She was a member of First Assembly of God. She was preceded in death by John E. Fickling, her husband, in 1968.

Survivors include two daughters, Janet Kelley of Borger, and Mary Thomas of Burlington; three sons, Harold Fickling, Nashville, Tenn., Jimmy Fickling of El Paso and Joe Fickling of Early, Okla.; a brother, Clyde King of Quanah; 15 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchil-

RUSSELL B. LANDRUM

GUYMON, Okla. - Russell B. Landrum, 52, died Monday, April 12, 1993

Graveside services were held Wednesday, April 21, with the Rev. Dick Powell officiating. Burial was in Elmhurst Cemetery by Bunch-Roberts Funeral Home.

Mr. Landrum was born in Muskogee and moved to Guymon in 1978. He attended school in Muskogee and was a member of the National Guard. He was employed as a service station attendant most of his working life.

Survivors include a daughter, Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Fu- Deborah Landrum of Muskogee; a

brother, Melvin Landrum of Muskogee; two sisters, Geraldine Floyd of Columbia, S.C. and Reba Benge of Spearman; a special friend, Wilma Kroeker of Guymon; and two grandchildren.

MAXINE COX Maxine Cox, 79, died April 4 at Four Seasons Nursing Home in Norman, Okla.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, April 7 at Little's Funeral Chapel with Mr. Jack Gilliland officiating.

Mrs. Cox was born Oct. 17, 1913 in Fort Worth. She was a homemaker and moved to Purcell in April 1985 from Evening Shade, Ark. She had lived in Borger and Pampa, TX prior to Evening Shade.

She was married to Arthur Cox, Feb. 6, 1931. She was a member of the Jackson and Green Church of Christ. Mrs. Cox was preceded in death by her parents, Wilson and Grace Elliot Brown; one sister, Nadine Schmitz and one brother, Harold Lloyd Brown.

Mrs. Cox is survived by her husband; one son, Stanley Cox of Carrolton, TX; one daughter, Joy Henderson of Gruver; one sister, Oma Lee Cowherd of Miami, OK; eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

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Desiree Wattier

Ashton Shearer

Lupe Duran

Tyrel King

Evan Schmidt

2ND GRADE

Ross Womble

1ST GRADE

Lisa Papay

Russell Sheets Daniel Pape Taylor Simpson Nicole Ramon Holly Tercero Lance Smith Claudia Vaquera Amy Watley Awards from "THE FOUNDATION"

PRINCIPAL'S LIST **5TH GRADE** Camille Smith Amber Ramon Adrian Hernandez Cynthia Goodman Juan Hernandez 4TH GRADE David Lopez Haley Lombard

Ty West David Holt 3RD GRADE Annabell Velazquez David Rodriquez Matt Dunnihoo T.J. Vasquez 2ND GRADE

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5TH GRADE Monica Davila Stephanie Bynum Steven Salgado Audra Sanders Brooke Lesly Aaron Hernandez Jeremy Mackie 4TH GRADE Jeremy Tunnel Robyn McClure Kayla Richardson Timmy Bynum Stacy Einck Clinton Wrinkle Sarah Goodson Junior Moreno 3RD GRADE Bobby Lujan

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Monica Cantu Matthew Dunnihoo Laura Gillaspie Serafin Magana, Jr. Chad Scarborough 2ND GRADE Sasha Allen Mindee Gillaspie Kallie Smith Ryan Warren 1ST GRADE

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Spearman High School

5TH SIX WEEKS "Superintendant's honor roll" (ALL grades 90 or above)

12TH GRADE **Brad Butler** Mary Cook Amber Coombs Jennifer Covingtor Michelle Garnett Holly Jarvis Robert Needham Cody Pipkin

11TH GRADE Melissa Baker Mandi Carter Chuck Cook Alisha LaRochelle

Carrie Pearson

Molly Blackman Kortney Henton Mika Pipkin Heather Reimer 9TH GRADE Carol Alvarado Cari Babitzke Regan Boxwell Cory Butler Melanie Cook Haley Farber Cody McLeod Phillip Sanders Kelly Shieldknight

Elizabeth Pipkin

10TH GRADE

Principal's Honor Roll (Grades avg. 90 or above)

Lucas Biggs

Jeremy Blan

Tiffany Bruning

12TH GRADE 9TH GRADE Donette Cates Wesley Dyess Mike Hager Chris Hornsby Nicole Burgess

Curtis Pearson Derrick Burnett Laura Pearson Carrie Burton Mikki Raper Lore Rosales Sophia Salgado Landon Swan Sylvia Rosales

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Gruver High School

Gruver High School "ALL-A HONOR ROLL"

Fifth Six Weeks SENIORS Cody Barkley Brendy Brown Traci Crawford Isaul Cruz **Heath Gaines** Carey Kauffman Scott McCloy Trevor Shipley Sharlet Slough Kevin Spivey Monica Ward JUNIORS Justin Carthel Will Evans Karlah Heath

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Tammie Stevens SOPHOMORES Jace Dawson Ruben DeSantiago Kimberly Wagner Travis Ferguson

Amy Schoenhals **Gruver Junior High**

"ALL-A HONOR ROLL" Mike Puebla Fifth Six Weeks 8TH GRADE Erikka Barrera

Michael Covington

Matthew Gafford

Jarod Huddleston

Katherine Pipkin

Martin Sanders

Gavin Crum

John Duncan Kristin Evans Amy Gillispie Mary Dawn Henson Tucker Henson Amber Murrell Lexy Spivey Kelly Boone 7TH GRADE

Stephanie Gaines Weslyn Maupin Davida Nash Darby Johnson Jill Odom

Amber Roberts Jeanne Swink 6TH GRADE Chase Carter Lauren Miller Jennifer Dahl Wesley Miser 5TH GRADE Kyler Barkley Dallas Henson Annie Mayhew **Britt Carter** Lesli Fiel

"ALL-A WITH ONE B' 8TH GRADE Julie Gumfory Josh Mayhew

Michelle Bass 6TH GRADE Luke Johnson Jennifer Lopez Jason TeBeest Matt Watlington Jim Potts **5TH GRADE** Randi Atwood Dan Odom Lindy Tolleson Krystal Deeds

Candace Casdorph Mary Puebla

7TH GRADE **Brant Armes** Kathy Slough

Spearman Junior High

"ALL-A HONOR ROLL" Fifth Six Weeks

8TH GRADE Samantha Beasley Blake Beedy Clint Faries Kelly Goodman Dillon Miller Orlando Ortiz Candice Pipkin Britt Savage

7TH GRADE Ashley Brown Mac Butts Misha Davis Lena Harbour Maribel Martinez Amber Morgan Jamie Townsen

6TH GRADE Casey Beaty Brittni Beedy Kristin Beedy Chrissy Bensinger Kristal Burkhammer Texana Clyburn Grace Davis Betsy Holt Dawn Loomis Gale Mayfield Brian McLaughlin

Landon Miller Holly Pipkin Nathan Pipkin Doran Schoenhals Julie Scroggs Lisa Swink Brooke Trantham Cami Winegarner

"A-B HONOR ROLL" 8TH GRADE

Shayla Barber Kelli Cummings Zach Furlow Tom Kirk 7TH GRADE Tara Bruning Mike Butts Kasey Dunnihoo Jocelyn Edwards Teresa Gomez Brian Howell Jennifer Neff Keisha OQuin Lindsey Smith Nicholas Vinson **6TH GRADE** Jared Brown

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Four Spearman Junior High stu- calculator team of Britt Savage, finish, and in calculator with athird dents are state bound after a day of Blake Beedy, Clint Faries, (eighth place fierce competition at the Regional graders), and Mike Butts (seventh Math and Science Coaches' Asso- grader) will move on to the state annual contest, which included ciation Contest in Shallowater, level. Britt Savage will also com- class A through class 5-A schools, pete at state as an individual in but the first time for Spearman

This was the sixth year for the Placing second in this meet, the both number sense with a first place students to enter. The first, second.

this contest qualified for state and the first and second place teams made up of the top four scores from sixth, seventh, and eighth grades also qualified for the state contest to be held in San Antonio on May 1.

Twelve students and three teacher sponsors left Spearman on Friday to spend the night in Lubbock before the early morning con-

tering this Shallowater contest were the top contestants in the District U.I.L. Contest in both number sense and calculator applications

number sense. In the sixth grade calculator division, the team of Betsy Holt, Lisa Swink, Gale

and third place individuals from test on Saturday. The students en- Mayfield, and Leslie Holton also placed second.

Other students attending and competing in the calculator contest were Tom Kirk, Josh Bynum, and Blake Beedy placed fourth in Zack McCammond. Teachers aceighth grade calculator and Kristin companying the contestants were Beedy placed sixth in sixth grade Amy TeBeest, Carolyn Savage, and

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urging him to pray and to change his lifestyle. When asked how he would like to be remembered, Lemon never hesitated. "I want to be remembered as a man who loves

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received an overpayment of \$17,000 from the state during the 1991-92 year. She continued to explain that the CED reimbursement to the district would be reduced by that amount this year.

In another report Fry stated that the basketball gate receipts had totaled \$10,059.05 this year. The net to the district after paying the officials was \$5,175.05, according to her report.

Then upon Fry's recommendation the board voted to amend this years budget in the amount of \$1,805. This is not an increase in the budget, but simply a transfer of money from six other areas to High School Compensatory Supplies, according to Superintendent Barry Haenisch.

Vocational agriculture teacher Clay Montgomery presented the board with a review of his year. He reported a successful year with ag participants winning 22 trophies and banners in contests. It was also reported that animals from the Gruver ag program made the sale at every show students participated in. Montgomery concluded his report by saying that the land judging team and the dairy products judging team, had qualified for the state contest.

A pilot summer school program for at-risk elementary students was proposed to the board by Diane Brown, Gruver second grade teacher. This program would be for six weeks for four hours each day, according to Brown. She stated that the emphasis during the day would be on reading, writing and math. The board voted 7-0 to support the

Junior High Principal, Mrs. Laura Blassingame and Haenisch



presented a change in the selection procedure for the junior high cheerleaders. Haenisch reported to the group that he had asked Mrs. Blassingame to find a way to include all seventh graders who wished to participate as cheerleaders. It was reported that the plan calls for all seventh graders who choose to serve as cheerleader to rotate with each participant being trained. According to the procedure seventh graders will lead cheers at the seventh grade games. It was reported that the eighth grade cheerleaders will continue to be selected as in the past. The only change is that six students will be chosen instead of four. Eighth grade cheerleaders will lead the cheers at

the eighth grade games. The district's health coverage for employees was review. Burl Buchanan answered questions the district had regarding the partially self funded plan, but no changes in

e coverage were discussed. The members of the board voted 0 to employ J. Mack Hoel as audir for the district during the 1993-

Nancy Alvarez was recognized by the board as the high school Student of the Month. Sherry Johnson, math teacher, introduced her. It was reported that Nancy plans to attend Angelo State University after graduation. She has been active in athletics and cheerleading in high school.

Haenisch gave a superintendent's report. He stated that the elementary school (grades 2-6) competed at the UIL literary meet in Stinnett and finished third behind WT elementary and Spearman elementary. At the same contest the junior high finished first. He completed his report by stating that the high school finished in fourth place at the district contest behind WT, Spearman and Boys Ranch.

Board President Stan Seagler called for a special meeting to be held Monday, April 12, for the purpose of adopting a resolution regarding the constitutional amendment being proposed in reference to school finance.

The board approved paying bills





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