

Inside

At the Movies	2	Letter to the Editor	5
Lunch Menus	2	Football Contest	12&13
Among the Neighbors	5	For the Sport of It	11
Museum Musings	3	Classifieds	15

Halloween Activities

Page 6

WEATHER FOR WEEK OF 10-27 THRU 11-2

Day	Hi	Lo	Precip	Day	Hi	Lo	Precip
Thu	72	41	.00	Mon	59	37	.55
Fri	78	48	.00	Tue	79	40	.00
Sat	56	41	.00	Wed	--	51	.00
Sun	57	48	.00	Total Precipitation 18.83			

HANSFORD COUNTY LIBRARY
0120 MAIN ST.
SPEARMAN, TX 79081
EXPIRES 04/01/1995 THANK YOU

The Hansford County

Reporter-Statesman

Serving Hansford County Since 1907

Volume 86 • Issue 54

213 Main • Spearman, Texas 79081

Thursday • November 3, 1994

Voting polls to be open for Tuesday's General Election

Registered voters from throughout Hansford County will be making their way to the polls Tuesday, Nov. 8 to cast their vote in the state's General Election.

This year's election features many state-wide contested races. Highlighting the ballot is the governor's race. Texas Governor

Ann W. Richards is being challenged by Republican George W. Bush and Libertarian Party candidate Keary Ehlers.

Several other state and district races will also effect Hansford County residents.

Locally the ballot will feature County Judge Jim D. Brown, District and County Clerk Kim V. Vera, County Treasurer Norma Jean Mackie, Justice of the Peace for Precinct 1 Michele Davis, County Commissioner for Precinct 2 Joe T. Venneman, and County Commissioner for Precinct 4 Val Winger all running unopposed.

The voting polls will be open from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. throughout the county.

Voting will be conducted at the

following polling places: Precinct 1 - City Hall, City of Spearman; Precinct 2 - Renner Ranch; Precinct 3 - Community Bible Church, Gruver; Precinct 4 - Gruver High School Library; Precinct 5 - Spearman County Agricultural Building; Precinct 6 - Spearman High School; Precinct 7 - Oslo Church; Precinct 9 - Morse Community Building.

Voters in Precinct 1 need to make a note of the location change. Voting in Precinct 1 has been moved from its previous SHS school gym location to the Spearman City Hall according to Worley Smith, Hansford County Commissioner for Precinct 1. The move was made to accommodate voters with more parking and to make it easier to get to the voting place.



PLAYING WITH FIRE - Last week Spearman residents thought that a home located on Hoskins Street was again on fire, however, local firemen were on the job brushing up on their skills. The home which had been destroyed several weeks ago by a house fire was reset so that firemen could work on their skills. The flames could be seen from throughout the area and smoke filled the neighborhood. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

Gruver boy critical after eating tainted candy

Salvador Vega, a 10-year old Gruver boy, was airlifted by MediVac helicopter from Hansford Hospital at approximately 12:50 p.m. on Tuesday, November 1, according to Dr. Laurence W. Behney. Vega remains in stable but critical condition at Amarillo's Northwest Texas Hospital as of press time, Wednesday noon.

Authorities are saying the boy's condition may have been brought on by tainted Halloween candy, although other possible sources for Vega's illness are being considered as well.

Vega shared another child's candy on the bus ride to school Tuesday morning, according to the Hansford County Sheriff's Department. The other child had trick-or-treated in the Texhoma area the preceding evening.

The child was brought by ambulance from Gruver Elementary School to Hansford Hospital at 10

a.m. Tuesday after he became unresponsive at school and was taken to the school nurse, according to Principal Bob Burgoon.

As quoted in the Amarillo Daily News on November 2, Gruver Superintendent Barry Haenisch said two other children ate candy collected by the same child and exhibited no symptoms on Tuesday. The candy was confiscated and turned into local authorities, and has now been taken to Austin for testing.

Dr. Behney reported Vega arrived at Hansford Hospital in a coma and shortly afterwards began to experience seizures. He arranged for transport to Amarillo by MediVac when the patient was stabilized and the seizures brought under control. Vega did not regain consciousness during these procedures.

The only information available from Northwest Texas Hospital at

press time was Vega's presence in the hospital's intensive care unit and his condition of "stable but critical."

The Hansford County Sheriff R.L. McFarlin said doctors indicated to him that Vega's seizures were drug-induced and that the Halloween candy was the suspected source, but he cautioned citizens to remember that other sources are being investigated, including what the child ate for breakfast. "We simply do not know at this time that the Halloween candy caused his illness," McFarlin stated.

"One of my deputies is in Austin at this time waiting on tests to be run on the remaining candy and the wrappers from the candy eaten by Vega," McFarlin said. "Our own investigation is continuing here."

Vega, a fourth grade Gruver Elementary student, is the son of Roberto and Esperanza Vega.

Veteran's Day Program being planned for Nov. 11

Remembering the veterans of past wars has always been special in Hansford County, and on November 11, the annual Veteran's Day Program will again be conducted in honor of the men and women who served the United

States in the military.

The Veteran's Day Program will be held at the Spearman varsity gymnasium on November 11 beginning at 10 A.M.

James M. Myers, of Borger, will be the featured speaker. He currently is an instructor of History and Government at Frank Phillips College in Borger, and served a combined 13 years in the military service in the U.S. Army.

The annual event promises to be a heart-felt event as local students, instructors, civic leaders pay tribute to the many Veterans.

Members of the SHS and SJHS Choir, along with the SHS Lynx

Band and Boy Scout Troop #551, will be on hand to present the program.

The event is open to the public and it is being sponsored by the Family and Community Education Council (formerly Extension Homemakers Council).



Gruver city leaders meet

The Gruver City Commission met in regular session on October 12, at 5 p.m. at the City Hall with the following members present: Archie Nelson, Mayor; Buster Davis, Commissioner; and A. J. Ratliff, City Manager. Mayor Nelson Opened the meeting.

The minutes of the regular and emergency meeting held on September 14, were read. Archie Nelson made the motion that the minutes be approved as read. Buster Davis seconded the motion;

motion carried.

Archie Nelson made the motion the bills for the month of September be approved as presented. Buster Davis seconded the motion; motion carried.

Buster Davis made the motion to approve a resolution nominating Mark Irwin to serve on the board of the Hansford Appraisal District. Archie Nelson seconded the motion; motion carried.

Archie Nelson made the motion to purchase a police vehicle from

John Chandler Ford for the bid price of \$15,193.00. Buster Davis second the motion; motion carried.

Buster Davis made the motion to approve a fire protection contract with Hansford County. Archie Nelson seconded the motion; motion carried.

The Gruver City Commission met in emergency session on October 24, at 4:45 p.m. at the City Hall with the following members present: Archie Nelson, Mayor; Buster Davis, Commissioner; Roy Mayhew, Commissioner; and A. J. Ratliff, City Manager.

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss personnel. The urgent need was to discuss a problem relating to the safety of the public of Gruver. A. J. Ratliff said "There was a problem within the Police Department that needed to be dealt with." Other than that he would not comment.

Chief of Police David Rosser tendered a verbal resignation to the City Commission. No action was taken by the City Commission.

County officials open bids at meeting

The Commissioner's Court of Hansford County, Texas, met on October 24, at 10 a.m., at the regular meeting place in the courthouse.

The meeting was called to order, the minutes were read and approved. The treasurer's report and investments were read and approved. September bills were paid as presented.

Bids for the Gruver fire truck was opened. The lowest bid was presented by Chief Fire and Safety, Chickasha, Oklahoma, at a bid price of \$42,108.

The lowest bid for the phone system was put in by AT&T at \$19,107.23, T.S.C. put in a bid of \$23,969. The AT&T bid was accepted.

The Ted Parker representative was approved as the insurance underwriter for another year. The commissioners approved bond for Dennis Cline.

The commissioners are considering digging a new disposal pit for the City of Spearman. The city will get bids or prices and demolinations up to \$10,000.

Nomination for Hansford County Appraisal District Board members were taken. Mark Irwin and Jon Jarvis were approved.

Meeting was adjourned.

County jail receives high marks from Standards Commission

The Hansford County Jail was inspected on September 14th, and complied with standards established by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards for the 15th consecutive year. It is the first jail in the state to achieve this award.

"Congratulations! That is a remarkable achievement and I com-

mend you for your efforts. This reflects favorable on you, Hansford County, and the established progress dedicated to provide safe and suitable jails," stated Jack E. Crump, Executive Director of Commission of Jail Standards. This statement was made in a letter to Sheriff R. L. McFarlin, September 15th.

Hansford Happenings

Meals-On-Wheels Service

To sign up for Meals-On-Wheels Service or to receive information, call Ernestina Salgado at 659-2535, ext. 226 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Veteran's Day Program

The Veteran's Day Program will be Nov. 11 at 10 a.m. in the varsity gym. It will be sponsored by the Family and Community Education Council. We urge parents and veterans to come.

Methodist Community Thanksgiving

The Methodist Chancel Choir will have its community Thanksgiving dinner on Nov. 17 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5.50 and is free for children ages 6 and under.

4-H Meeting

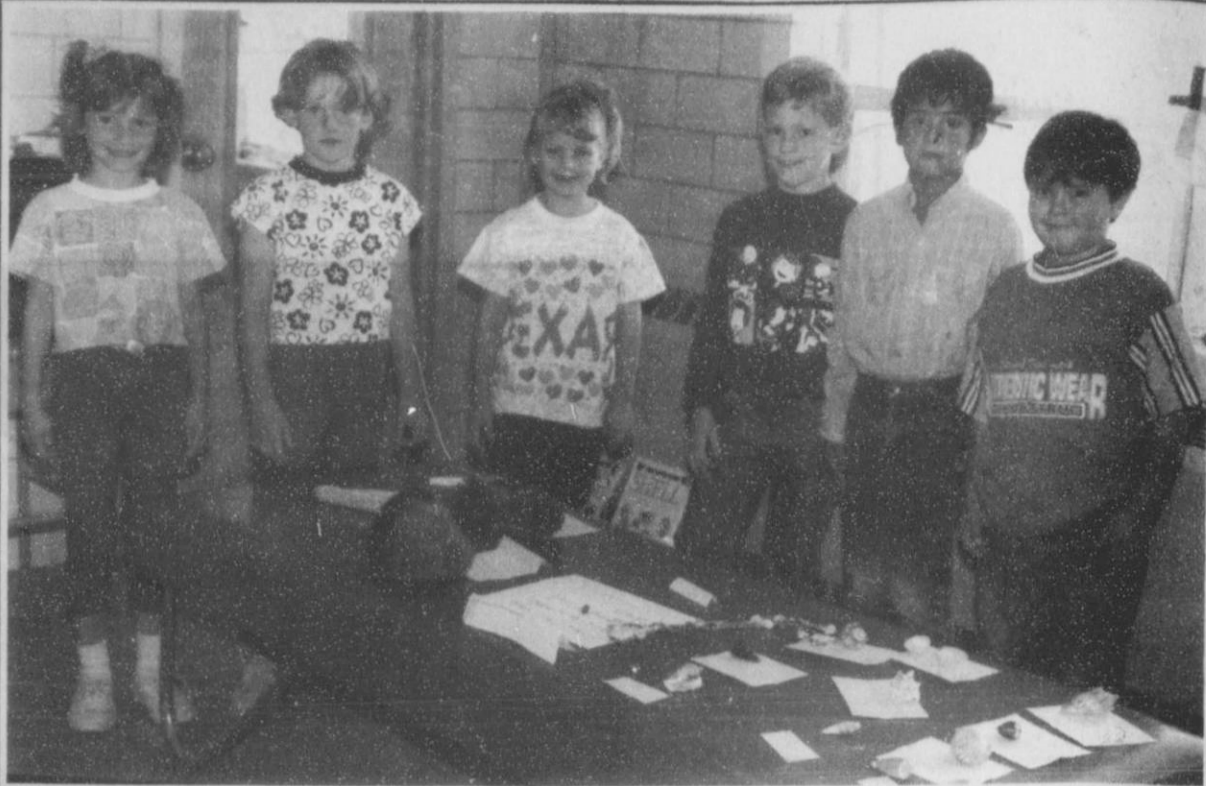
The 4-H meeting for November will be a combined meeting with Gruver and Spearman 4-H members. The meeting will be Tuesday, Nov. 8 in the E.H. Clubroom, 309 N. Bernice at 7 p.m. James Wilson, area game warden, will give the program on hunter and gun safety.

Pringle-Morse School Activities

Saturday, November 5--"Unity of Our Community" Food Drive sponsored by the Pringle-Morse PTA, Morse Post Office, and the Pringle-Morse 7th grade Life Management Skills class.

Quilt Raffle

Twelve Days of Christmas quilt raffle tickets are available. \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Call 659-3866 or any Senior Citizen member.



MINI MUSEUM TOUR - Students at Spearman Elementary were treated to a mini-museum tour after Callie Hargis and Lance Henderson put together the mini exhibition. The two students found the items and tagged them with their correct names. Pictured (from left) are Melissa Richards, Rebekah Goodson, Hargis, Henderson, Hernando Perez, and Steven Vaquera. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

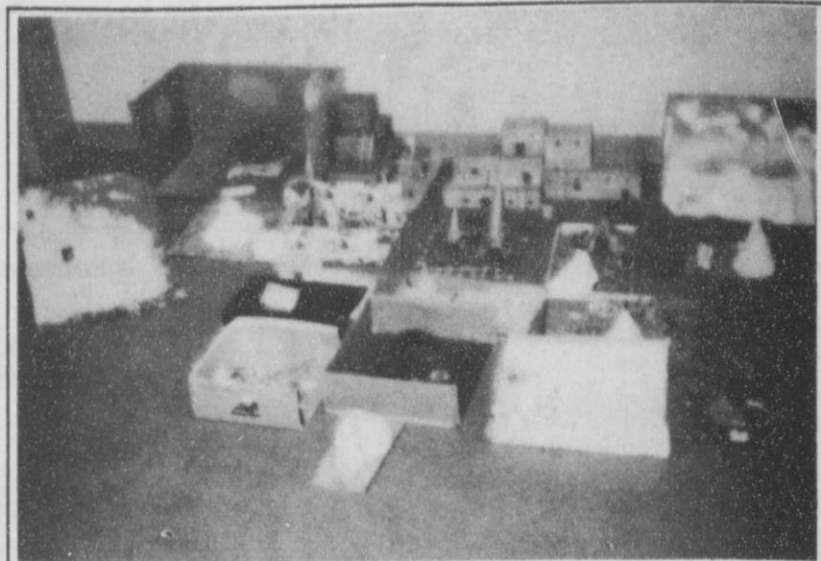
Gruver kids learn about American Indians

The fifth grade class would like to tell you about our American History studies on Indians. In Mrs. Overbey's class, we learned about Indian cultures, homes and way of survival. We also learned about famous Indian leaders. We really enjoyed learning about their hunting and their tools. Each class member made a scale-sized model of his/her favorite dwelling. There are pueblos, teepees, wigwams, longhouses, igloos, Aztec and Mayan pyramids and Seminole chickees.

We also had an Indian trunk show from the Square House Museum which featured an exact replica of a Kiowa calendar. We each made a folder showing each group of Indians on it with their tools and lands.

We all really enjoyed this unit, and now we will have much more respect for Native Americans.

BY **KADE CARTHEL, ZACKERY CHRISTIAN, KAYLEE HOLT, (5TH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS)**



ELEMENTARY STUDENTS BUILD HOMES - Gruver Elementary students in Mrs. Overbey's class learned about American Indians and how they lived. Each student made a scale-sized model of his or her favorite dwelling.



At the movies...

Showing at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman Friday, November 4, through Tuesday, November 8, are "In the Army Now" on screen #1 at 7:45 p.m. and "The Specialist" on screen #2 at 7:30 p.m.

In "In the Army Now" Pauly Shore and sidekick Andy Dick are a couple of goofy guys who sign up for Army Reserves. (Do we hear "Stripes," anyone?) Lori Petty and David Alan Grier co-star. "In the Army Now" is rated PG.

In "The Specialist" Sylvester Stallone stars as a mercenary hired by a woman bent on revenge against the thugs who killed her family years before. Sharon Stone, James Woods and Eric Roberts co-star. "The Specialist" is rated R.

★★★★★★★★★★★★★
 ★ Jackson Welding Service ★
 ★ Agricultural & Oil Field ★
 ★ Welding ★
 ★ 17 Years Pipe Welding ★
 ★ Experience ★
 ★ Fully Insured ★
 ★ Contact Roy Jackson ★
 ★ 659-2137 or 659-5129 ★
 ★★★★★★★★★★★★★★

At The Lyric Theatre...

Friday, Nov. 4 - Tuesday, Nov. 8

Bargain Nights Mon. & Tue. Adults - \$4
Fri., Sat., Sun., Adult \$5 - Child \$3 every night
Closed Wednesday & Thursday

SCREEN 1 • 7:45 PM SCREEN 2 • 7:30 PM

In the Army Now

(PG)

The Specialist

(R)

113 Main • Spearman

School Lunch Menus

Spearman School Lunch Menu

Monday, November 7

Beef and Bean Burrito, whole kernel corn, cole slaw, blueberry muffin squares, peaches and milk.

Tuesday, November 8

Flame broiled pork rib pattie on a bun, tator tots, pickle relish, diced onion, cinnamon roll, and milk.

Wednesday, November 9

Sausage pizza, combo salad, sweet peas, apple raisin cobbler, and milk.

Thursday, November 10

Two beef tacos, cheese cup, pinto beans, Spanish rice, shredded lettuce, diced tomato, taco sauce, pineapple tidbits, and milk.

Friday, November 11

Cheese Burger, crinkle cut french fries, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato, sliced onion, pickles, mixed fruit, chocolate covered raisin clusters, and milk.

SISD Breakfast

Monday - French toast sticks, fruit juice, and milk.

Tuesday - Scrambled eggs, toast, fruit juice, and milk.

Wednesday - Biscuit, sausage pattie, fruit juice, and milk.

Thursday - Cereal, toast, fruit juice, and milk.

Friday - Large cinnamon roll, fruit juice, and milk.

Gruver School Lunch Menu

Monday, November 7

Chicken pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, banana pudding, hot roll, and milk.

Tuesday, November 8

Chili, crackers, pickle spears, pears, donuts, and milk.

When I hear somebody sigh that "Life is hard," I am always tempted to ask, "Compared to what?"

—Sydney Harris

Wednesday, November 9

Baked ham, macaroni and cheese, green beans, blueberry cobbler, hot roll, and milk.

Thursday, November 10

Chalupa, lettuce, cheese, peaches, cornbread, and milk.

Friday, November 11

Hamburger, French fries, lettuce, pickles, cheese, rice krispie treat, and milk.

GISD Breakfast

Monday - Cereal, 2 blueberry muffins, juice and milk.

Tuesday - Two pancakes, syrup, juice, and milk.

Wednesday - Cereal, donut, juice, and milk.

Thursday - Two slices toast, peanutbutter opt., jelly, fruit, and milk.

Friday - Two cinnamon rolls, fruit, and milk.

Pringle-Morse School Lunch Menu

Monday, November 7

Taco/Burrito, Beans, salad, cornbread, cookie and milk.

Tuesday, November 8

Baked chicken, mashed potato, gravy, peas, roll, fruit, and milk.

Wednesday, November 9

Hamburgers, french fries, lettuce etc., brownie, and milk.

Thursday, November 10

Spaghetti, salad, rolls, white cake, and milk.

Friday, November 11

Grilled cheese, soup, salad, ice cream, fruit, and milk.

PMISD Breakfast

Monday - Cheese toast, juice, and milk.

Tuesday - Raisin bread, cereal, juice, and milk.

Wednesday - Sausage, pancakes, juice, and milk.

Thursday - Cinnamon rolls, toast, juice and milk.

Friday - Eggs, toast, juice, and milk.

Letter to Editor

Editor's Note - Several Spearman Junior High School students recently wrote letters about how they felt about drug abuse in conjunction with Red Ribbon Week.

Dear Editor,

So many problems with drugs are arising in Spearman that we cannot control them. The problem is not only with teenagers, but with older adults as well.

The pain and sorrow with this situation is unbelievable. So many of us think that such a small town could never have drugs or violence. Yet, so many of us are wrong. Drugs are on the streets, in homes, and even in our school system. Obviously we have not done a good job in educating the unfortunate people using drugs.

Using drugs will ruin your life. Most kids take drugs because of peer pressure. They can get pulled into bad situations if they don't avoid it. These problems and more are very common in our community. We will find the solution, but until then we must work together to fight the problems.

The residents of Spearman must take a stand for once and just say no. Good things will result if we do take a stand, but what will happen if we don't?

Sincerely,
 Syd Woodington
 7th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,

The big cities may seem very dangerous to people like us, who live protected and safe in a small town like Spearman. Every once in a while, we may wish for a few more restaurants or shopping malls like larger towns, but with that comes a terror greater than anything imaginable: Drugs.

Everyday, here in Spearman, someone tries a little marijuana or smokes a joint; this will bring violence, crime, and a crumbling community. We must try harder.

Being drug free is very attractive. It means not being stoned and spacey, it means not throwing-up in bathrooms, it means staying out of trouble, and most importantly it means being healthy. Nobody likes a person that is harmful or careless with their body. So being drug free is great, you're alert, feeling great all the time, and being prepared for what ever life hands you.

Let's all band together to reach for a common goal: make Spearman Drug-free!

Sincerely,
 Kathryn Murphy
 7th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,

In our small town, a crisis has been born. A problem that has increased fears and has asked questions that shout, "Are we really safe? Do we have this problem under control? Will we survive it?" The problem aroused blockades that

knocked our steady foothold of how safe small-town life really is right off the picture. Many of us saw the problem coming, but it hit others like a brick in the face. The problem, we now know is the abuse of dealing of drugs, is here. It is happening right here, right now, in Spearman. And the only way to stop it is to hold hands tight and join together as one to fight against it with all the strength left in us.

We must do something in which everyone can relate to, and everyone can participate in. A solution that lets every single one of us protest in our own, silent way. A solution that defies what they want-us. This solution, which is at our fingertips, free for us to use at any-time, is the most simplest and easiest thing there could possibly be. The solution, is "No." To be drug-free. To say "No" when you are in that situation head-on. To scream with all your might "No!" that you are not going to stoop yourself that incredible low. This problem is plaguing our country with disease and hopelessness. So many of us thought that nothing would ever happen to this tiny, innocent town. But so many of us find ourselves victims of a fantasy of living in a large city; living with real, true, white fear. We must fight this, fight it together, and have faith. We must do this. We must.

It's the only chance we've got.
 Sincerely,
 Brandi Willis
 8th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,

Hi! My name is Lisa Swink. I am thirteen and just now experiencing the peer pressure of doing drugs. If I did drugs, I would have to give up too much. I wouldn't be able to do what I love most--basketball. I might begin not to care how well I played, and I wouldn't play my hardest every time I went on the court. If one of the coaches found out I had been taking drugs, I would be thrown off the basketball team. I'd ruin my reputation and my grades would plummet. My life would be ruined.

I don't see why anyone would ever think of doing drugs. It is very stupid. Drugs could seriously harm or even kill you. The people that take drugs never come out on top even though they might think they do. Some people think it is cool to take drugs, but is it really worth the risk? I don't think so.

Sincerely,
 Lisa Swink
 8th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,

I strongly support the Drug-Free Week because it shows a community fighting against drugs. Drugs will lead a person to a life of crime. They are very expensive and users usually end up stealing money to buy their drugs. People will steal

See LETTERS, page 16

The Hansford County Reporter-Statesman

Serving all of Hansford County
 Spearman • Gruver • Morse

USPS 509660 • 213 Main, Box 458 • Spearman, Tx. 79081
 (806) 659-3434 • 1-800-395-9482 • FAX (806) 659-3368
 Published weekly at 213 Main, Spearman, Texas

Owned & Operated by
 Texas Independent Newspapers, Inc.
 16607 Blanco Road #100 • San Antonio, Tx. 78232
 (210) 492-8907

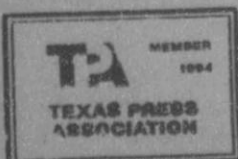
Second class postage paid at Spearman, Texas 79081

Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm will be gladly and promptly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the management.

Publisher - Daniel Ramos
 Office Manager - Deziree Torres
 Staff Writer - Cora Thompson
 Staff Writer - Chad Davis

The publisher reserves the right to revise or reject at its option any advertisement which it deems objectionable, either in subject or phraseology, or which it may deem detrimental to its business.

Subscription Rate: Hansford County, \$19.95; out of county, \$24.95 annually.
 Postmaster: Send address changes to Hansford County Reporter-Statesman, Box 458, Spearman, Tx. 79081.
 Advertising & Story Deadlines
 Monday, 5:00 p.m.



DUKE'S CHIROPRACTIC CENTER

EVENING HOURS AVAILABLE

- Headaches / TMJ
- Neck Pain / Stiffness
- Low Back Pain
- Shoulder / Arm Pain
- Hip / Leg Pain
- Family Health Care
- Pediatrics
- Athletic Injuries
- Numbness
- Gentle Treatment

AUTO ACCIDENTS • WORK INJURIES
 (Most Insurance Accepted)

New Hours:
 2-6 p.m. Mon. thru Fri.

659-5505



Darrell D. Duke DC

11 W. Kenneth • Spearman, Tx.

Lifestyles

Museum News

By JOANNE EATON

A familiar sight in a kitchen is some type of cooking device to prepare food. Doyle and June Jackson have loaned a stove to the museum that was used in the home of his aunt and uncle, Edgar and Viola "Nanny" Fite, until the late 1930's. The stove was given to Doyle by the Fite's daughter, Helen Sanders.

This stove was used at the Fite's home in the Holt community, fifteen miles south of Spearman. It was a kerosene stove.

J.D. Wilbanks is responsible for having the stove restored. He had it sandblasted, repainted, and new glass put in the doors.

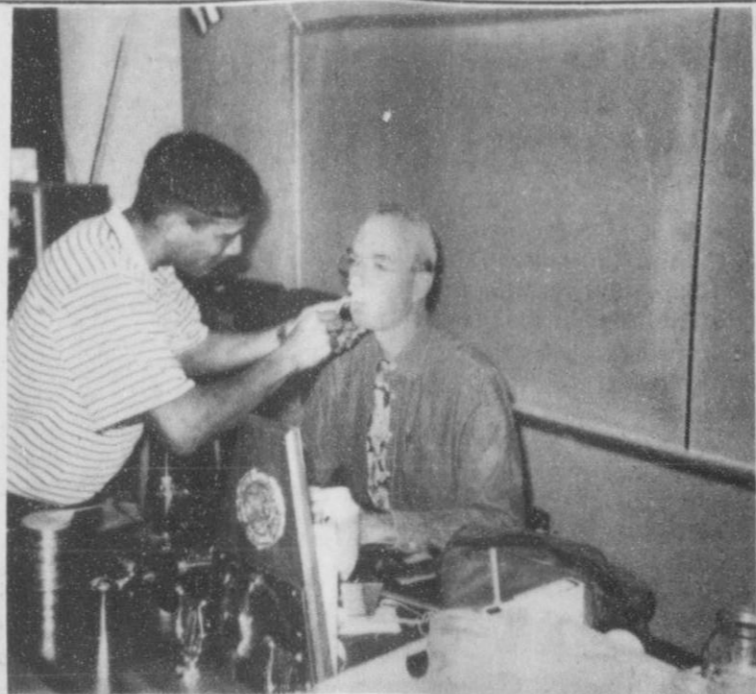
A small visitor asked Barbara, the museum caretaker, if the top part of the stove was "their Micro-

wave?" We have come a long way in the U.S.


There is a group trying to put women back in the kitchen and out of the workplace. When I was told this recently, I asked, "What is a kitchen?" It's nice to have one on display at the museum so some of us can remember what they look like.

A special thank-you goes to Clementine Renner and Rubyjo Wilbanks for taking such good care of the beautiful flowers that were on the museum grounds this summer. They now have fall displays at the doors of the museum buildings.

Museum hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. Special tours can be arranged by calling J.D. or Rubyjo Wilbanks at 659-3084 or Clementine Renner at 659-2335.



MUSTACHE SHAVED - The Gruver Varsity Marching Band received a rating of "1" the first one since 1985. Prior to the contest, Todd Parker, Band Director, agreed that if the band received a "1", he would shave his mustache. Parker has had the mustache since 1977. Rosalio Arreola, band president, preformed the shaving ceremony Monday following the contest.


JAMIE DEAKIN
 (806) 659-5016
 810 Evans • Spearman, TX
 City Wide Toy Party
 Thursday, November 3, 1994
 Hospitality Room • First State Bank
 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
 Be in our "Secret Hostess Drawing"
 and win up to \$100 worth of toys!
 Developmental Toys, Books & Games For All Ages

GRUVER FLORAL

UNDER NEW OWNERSHIP

502 MAIN
 Gruver, TX 79040
 806/733-5632

GRAND OPENING

November 5--9 to 5 p.m.

Fresh Flowers • Silk Flowers • Gift Items
AFS Flower Service
 Come in and visit Verlene, Paulette, & Evalyn
 and see all the new Xmas items!!!

GRAND OPENING COUNTRY FURNITURE

Nov. 4-6
 (formerly Ondracek Furniture)
Logan, OK
405/837-5397
Bill and Jean Leist
Owners

14 miles E. of Elmwood on Hwy 270, 4 1/2 miles south of Midway Church. From Darrouzett go 5 miles north, 3 miles east, and 2 miles north.
 Reasonable Prices Quality Furniture



ANTIQUE STOVE - The above stove can be viewed at the museum in Spearman. See the article above for more information.

Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman
 Chamber Manager

Texas Recycling Day November 15--Texas Gov. Anne Richards has declared November 15 as recycling day for the entire state. Texas is out front of the recycling effort, increasing its capacity to process materials. Spearman residents can use the bins beside City Hall for their recycling solid waste disposal.

I love this time of year. Everything is ready for a change. 1994 has been a good year for the Chamber and 1995 will be better. Chamber members should receive their voting ballots in the mail by next week. Board nominations include

George Young, KFDA-FM Radio; Norlan Winegarner, Hansford Implement; Dee Dee Longoria, Interstate Savings & Loan; Bret Burgin, First State Bank; and Worth Whitworth, First State Bank. Ballots will include information about each nominee. Ballots will be due by December 1st. We will be adding three new directors to the board.

November Calendar:
 Friday 4: Ribbon Cutting 9:30 AM
 Saturday 5: W.D.S.C.C. Style

See CHAMBER, page 7

J G's OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, November 5--9:30 - 6 p.m.
 Sunday, November 6--1:00 - 5 p.m.

See our fall specials!
 Shop early for Christmas!

Bring this ad in for a 20% discount
 on non-sale merchandise.

306 Hancock • Spearman, TX • 806/659-3424

SUTPHEN'S BBQ

303 N. Cedar • Borger, TX
 806/273-6442

Catering

25 People or More
 \$5 per plate
 (choice of 2 meats)

• BBQ Brisket • BBQ Chicken • Polish Sausage • Ham • BBQ Chicken Strips •

With all the trimmings!

• Onion Rings • Potato Salad • Cole Slaw • Beans • Coffee or Tea

* Fruit Cobblers Available *

Wedding Shower

Honoring

AMANDA (HODGE)

and

RYAN WELLS

Sunday, November 6, 1994

2 - 3:30 p.m.

in the home of Jennifer Stinson

103 N. 12th Avenue

Given by Hostesses

Selections at Gordon's and Celebrate

You are Invited to a

Bridal Shower

Honoring

RONDA (GIBSON)

JENNINGS

Saturday, November 5, 1994

2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

in the home of

Mr. & Mrs. Jim Evans

1119 Townsend

Selections at Gordon's

Given by Hostesses

COME BY & LET US
 HELP YOU SET UP YOUR
 SPECIAL GIFT TABLE

Couples Currently
 Registered

Ronda (Gibson) & George Jennings *Nov. 5
 Mandy (Spencer) & Ryan Wells *Nov. 6
 Tammy Thomas & Jason Sutterfield

* Date of the Bridal Shower

314 MAIN
 PHONE
 659-2141

Gordon's
 DRUG

SPEARMAN
 TEXAS

Sharing



AWARD PRESENTED - The Texas Department of Transportation's "Service Award" was presented to Claudene L. Hartranft by Bill Parks, P.E., District Engineer of Amarillo District.

Hartranft honored

Claudene L. Hartranft of Gruver received the Texas Department of Transportation's "Service Award" for her years of service to the department. Claudene accepted the award from Bill Parks, P.E., District Engineer of the Amarillo District. Claudene has been with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for 20 years. Claudene is currently employed as an Office Technician.

Hartranft's service to the Ama-

rillo District of TxDOT helps fulfill the department's mission to work cooperatively to provide safe, effective, and efficient movement of people and goods. TxDOT provides the people of Texas with a state highway transportation system, operates two ferry systems, assists general aviation and public transportation through a variety of services and programs, and serves as the local sponsor for the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway.

Marcear to speak at local church

Dr. Dick Marcear, preacher of the Central Church of Christ in Amarillo, will be speaking in a series of meetings at the Spearman Church of Christ next week. Marcear has visited Spearman on numerous occasions. On his last spoke at the Community Revival held in September of 1993. Dr. Marcear is also known to Spearman residents for his brief radio messages sponsored by the "exciting Central Church of Christ," which were played for years on Amarillo radio stations.

According to Arnis Pape, minister of the Spearman Church of Christ, "We keep inviting Brother Marcear back because of his exuberant, Bible-centered preaching. Dick has a gift for lifting the spirits of everyone he meets, and is possibly the most energetic, joyful person I've ever known."

This four day series of meetings on Sunday morning, November 6 and will conclude on Wednesday evening, November 9. Meeting times are 10:30 and 6 on Sunday, 7:30 week-nights.

Marcear's topics for Sunday include "You Have Got To Have A



DR. DICK MARCEAR

Dream," "Forgiveness," and "The Seven Wonders of Heaven." Monday and Tuesday evening he will speak on "Bible Prophecy." Wednesday night's lesson is entitled: "What About Hell?"

The Spearman Church of Christ is located at 121 S. Haney. The phone number is 659-3244.

JOBY COOPER

Nail Technician and Registered Massage Therapist from the HITCH IN NAIL in Gruver invites you to the Grand Opening of

THE BODY WORKS

Saturday, Nov. 12, 1994
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

417 Main • Gruver, TX

Joby invites you in for a "Touch Up"

Call for an appointment:

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 733-2333
After 5 p.m. and weekends 733-5423

Kids' & Lady Stuff Fair

Invite you

to visit during their
OPEN HOUSE

Sun., November 6, 1994

1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Receive a \$10 gift certificate to be used on any purchase over \$50.00.

Certificate expires November 23, 1994

ATTENTION!

When using your mobile or cellular telephones to call the 911 emergency number remain calm & identify the TOWN and LOCATION you are calling from so the 911 operator may direct your call properly.

This is a public service message from this newspaper and your local police department.



BIKE-A-THON WINNERS - The Bike-A-Thon winners received awards for pledges paid per lap made around Rocket Slide Park on October 8th. (Front) Travis Sander and Nicole Sander were awarded bicycles, (back) Misti Hand and Tiffany Hand received award plaques for their pledges. (Photo by Cora Thompson)

Youngsters help raise funds for St. Jude

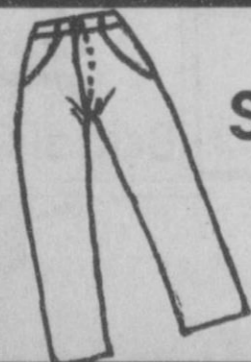
The Nights of Columbus, Spearman Chapter, held a Bike-A-Thon on Saturday, October 8th. The proceeds will go to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospitals to help with research costs in the fight against leukemia and other childhood cancers.

The Bike-A-Thon was held at the Rocket Slide Park. The participants had to ride their bikes around the park in laps (approx. 7/10th of a mile) and the pledges paid per lap. Travis Sanders and Nicole Sanders won new bicycles for their pledges of approximately \$320. Misti Hand and Tiffany Hand were each awarded plaques for their pledges of \$37 each. All the participants also received tee shirts with St. Jude Children Research Hospital Bike-A-Thon on them.

For every dollar raised, 86% goes to the current and future needs of the hospital. Of the remaining 14%, 5% goes toward administration costs and 9% is spent on fund raising. It is unknown when, or whose child may be stricken with cancer. The St. Jude Children's Research Hospital gives hope to those with little.

The Knights Of Columbus would like to thank Hickerson Jewelers (Frosty), KRDF Radio, Alco, the children who rode and the people who supported them.

CLASSIC JEANS



Now at
SHEAR ACTION
231 Main
Gruver, TX
733-5426

You're Invited

Spearman Church of Christ
Gospel Meeting
with Dick Marcear
November 6-9

10:30 & 6:00 Sunday / 7:30 Weeknights

Sunday's lessons:
You have got to have a Dream
Forgiveness
The Seven Wonders of Heaven

Monday & Tuesday:
Bible Prophecy I & II

Wednesday:
What About Hell?



262 Acres Grassland
1569 Acres Cultivated

Irrigated and Dryland

REAL ESTATE

1831 ACRES HANSFORD COUNTY, TEXAS
GRASS & FARMLAND

PATRICIA LEE JACKSON ESTATE

OWNER

EDNA SCHARF CUNNINGHAM - EXECUTRIX

SALE TO BE CONDUCTED IN GRUVER, TEXAS

NOVEMBER 16

WEDNESDAY - 1994 - 10:00 A.M.

GIACCONE & GIACCONE P.C.

ATTORNEY FOR THE ESTATE
518 HAWKINS AVE.
LAKE RONKONKOMA, NEW YORK 11779
PHONE: 516-588-2151



LEE R. JOHNSON and ASSOCIATES
RR #1 BOX 3-GOODWELL, OK (405)545-3486

RT. 1 Box 3 • Goodwell, OK 73939
Phone: (405)545-3486
OKS-029-006883
Texas Broker Ln. #205236-35

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL
LEE R. JOHNSON
405-545-3486
SHELLY FITZGERALD
405-338-7874

Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

All who read the Generation Y section of the Amarillo Daily News have been admiring the interesting, well-written column of Joni Hart, a student in Gruver High School. Joni is the daughter of Marilyn and Jon Hart and the granddaughter of Mrs. Aleen Lowder and the niece of Mrs. Sally Taylor, both of Spearman.

The column Joni writes appears every third Friday. The last issue dealt with her grandmother, the late Jeanette Combs Hart of Gruver and her basketball career in the 1920s at what is now West Texas A & M University. The heading recalls the days of "bloomers and blouses"—the uniform for girl basketball players at that time. The detailed requirements to be eligible for the team were very demanding. Joni's grandmother "Jet" Combs had an outstanding career.

Joni's article concludes with her own anticipation of the Gruver practice which began on Monday, and her relief that the players are not required to wear bloomers and blouses.

Anyone curious about the garb can see a picture of the Spearman High School team in the annual at the Station House Museum.

Maxine Banister enjoyed her niece and husband for a few days this week. Phyllis and Khrist Leovich of Tucson, Arizona were enroute to Cleveland to visit their daughters. He is the son of Don Bennett and was born in Hansford County.

While here they also visited with her cousin, Verlin, and Audene Beck and were delighted to renew friendship with Lola and Charles Newcomb, friends of their California days.

Friends and family of Mrs. Edith Smith are relieved that she is at last able to be home. She spent ten days in the Ochiltree General Hospital for treatment of a heart condition and complications.

Leslie Reynolds flew up from San Antonio last Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Mattie Reynolds at the Hansford Manor. He stayed with his sister, Dallasene Reynolds,

also visiting his brother and in-laws the W.R. Greevers.

He retired as a Colonel in the military in 1981, and he and wife Billie Joan have lived in San Antonio since. He has had some business interests there, but has now sold them and is really retired.

All the neighbors extend to Dwayne Smith sincerest sympathy because of the passing of his father. Irl Smith died in Pampa on Monday and services were later in the week.

Mrs. Ollie Beck expresses delight and appreciation for the return of her antique lap-robe. It was lost after the Gruver-Spearman football game. Roger Ferguson of Gruver found it on the highway and graciously returned it to her.

Lela Mae Ritchie of Delta, Colorado, has been here several days. She is attending her sister, Lois Allison, who is seriously ill in the Guymon Memorial Hospital.

Weekend guests of Lucile Hagerman have been three of her daughters and families. They were Valarie and Mike Huber with Austin, and Kathy Lesly, all of Amarillo, also Verla Kunselman with Shawn, Jadee and Shelby, of Plainview. After an enjoyable weekend, all left late Sunday.

Nada and Don Allison, of near Topeka, Kansas, are here tending their sick folk.

Nada is assisting her sister, Norma Jean Mackie, who is slowly recovering from back surgery at her home. Nada also visits her mother, Viola Hutton, a resident at Hansford Manor.

Don is spending time with his mother, Lois Allison, a patient in Guymon Memorial Hospital.

Verifying their dedication to their congregations or perhaps to keep their flocks from straying from the fold, four Spearman ministers drove all night from Dallas to be back for their Sunday services. Jeff Lust, Kyle Henderson, James Brown and Dan Carter had attended some of the Assembly of "The Promise Keep-

ers" held in Texas Stadium at Irving. Another Spearman minister, Tod Lillard, attended the Assembly but did not return with the others.

"The Promise Keepers" was organized by a University of Colorado Football Coach to encourage men to keep their promises of moral commitments, and to emphasize the teaching of Jesus. It is inter-denominational, inter-racial and is in no way doctrinal.

According to the Texas State News, there were more than 40,000 men at the assembly, which was addressed by several big-name speakers.

Fifty five laymen, representing Spearman churches, attended, and report an extremely inspirational result.

Ora Lee Blackburn enjoyed having guests last Wednesday when Bodil and Jack Bradley from Hereford came up. They brought two friends with them. Then for the weekend Judge J.E. Blackburn came from Houston. His wife, Nancy, was unable to come as she was busy with their business there, while he transacted business here. Judge reports that his work there is very interesting and varied. Most of his cases are in the Houston area. Other guests on Sunday were

See NEIGHBORS, page 7

Gladiola Flower Club conducts meeting

The Gladiola Flower Club met for its regular meeting in the home of June Jackson on October 20.

Margaret Evans presided over the business meeting.

The subject of roll call was "What makes me happy."

Minutes of the meeting were read and approved.

Plans to start publicity for the annual home tour were made. The home tour is scheduled for December 4. Dorothy Buzzard will be in charge of upcoming features.

The Thanksgiving supper will be on November 10 at First Christian Church Fellowship Hall.

Betty Jean Davis was winner with her borrowed arrangement of mums, Rose Cummings was winner in the specimen category with a red rose, and June Jackson was a winner with an ivy potted plant.

Estelle Jackson showed a video on Wildflowers of Texas. It featured Lady Bird Jackson and the work she has done to promote wildflowers in Texas.

Attending were: Wanda Brown, Dorothy Buzzard, Rose Cummings,

See CLUB, page 7

First National Bank wants you to have a free gift. . . a professional natural color portrait of you



or your entire family.

We are pleased to offer this gift to our valued customers and the members of our community. All you need to do to receive your free gift portrait is call us to set up an appointment for your portrait sitting.

Your portrait will be taken in the comfort of our offices by a qualified professional photographer. We will have special evening and weekend hours available so that your portrait may include those family members who work away from home.

When the photographer has your portrait ready, you will be able to select your Free Gift from the finished portraits. At that time, because portraits can be so many special things — warmly personal decorating pieces, family heirlooms, and thoughtful gifts — other portrait sizes and poses will be available for purchase at special low prices; however, you will be under absolutely no obligation to purchase any of these additional portraits. Call for your appointment today! one free gift per family, please.

November 16-19
Wed. - Fri. 3:00-8:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00-2:00 p.m.



Member FDIC
729 W. 7th • 659-5544

CINDERELLA BEAUTY SALON

Announcing the addition of

THE UNIQUE TOUCH

Helen Melton

Registered Massage Therapist
and Licensed Hair Stylist
invites you to experience...

"THE UNIQUE TOUCH"

Call for an appointment
659-3413

Plains Shopping Center • Spearman, TX

Pumpkin Patch Festival set at Guymon

The 12th Annual Pumpkin Patch Festival of Arts and Crafts will be held Saturday and Sunday, November 5-6, 1994. It will be held at the Texas County Activity Center in Guymon, Oklahoma. The public is invited to attend Saturday, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m., Sunday 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. No admission fee.

Lambda Psi, Chapter of Beta Phi is sponsoring the event.

A concession stand serving various luncheon items, soft drinks, tea and coffee will be available. Approximately 115 exhibitors with various arts and crafts will be showing their wares in what is expected to be the best show yet. The public is invited to start its Christmas shopping at the 12th Annual Pumpkin Patch Festival of Arts and Crafts.

Proceeds from the Pumpkin Patch Festival of Arts and Crafts will be donated to community service.



EATON PAINT & SUPPLY

321 HWY 207 S.
(old Callaway building)
806/659-3734

Charles and Joanne Eaton/Owners

8:30 - 5:30 Monday-friday

8:30 - Noon Saturday

ANCHOR PAINT & SUNDRIES

JEWELRY REPAIRS

Bring in your jewelry that needs repairing. Kelly Fuller will be doing the repairs.



You don't get Call Waiting for yourself. You get it for someone who can't wait.

The mother who needs a ride to the doctor. The son who got hurt at school. These people can't wait for you to be available. But if you have Southwestern Bell's Call Waiting, they won't have to. Because with Call Waiting, you'll be available even if you're on the phone.

Remember, they can't wait. So don't you. To order, or for more information on this and other EasyOptions™ calling services, call 1-800-234-BELL.

Southwestern Bell Telephone

"The One to Call On"

Available in selected Southwestern Bell Telephone areas.

From now until April 28, 1995, Southwestern Bell Telephone will donate \$2 to the board of trustees of your local high school when you purchase the Call Waiting service. Your school can earn up to \$1,500 to help purchase anything from fine arts programs to computer software to band uniforms.

The Right One

for quality drycleaning and laundry service. Shirts-Jeans Starched.

PERRYTON CLEANERS & LAUNDRY

1-800-232-5370

School Bell Program



HUNGA BUNGA- The Spearman Chamber of Commerce held its annual Halloween city-wide costume contest last Monday, and The First State Bank took top prize in the contest. For dressing up like cavemen, the bank received a big plate of cookies from Debbie's Ready Or Not. These pre-historic people are (Back Row l to r) Elaine Bain, Ginger Turner, Terri Hart, Cheryl Hill, Worth Whitworth, Leann Carsen, Mike Schnell, and Irene Baker. (Front Row l to r) Sara Martin, Muriel Boyd, Tanya Close, and Vanna Reid. (Photo by Chad Davis)


Gruver PTA holds annual carnival

The Gruver PTA Halloween Carnival was held on Saturday, October 29. Goblins and spooks of all ages enjoyed the many games and booths that were available.

There was a great turn-out for the costume contest. The winners of the costume contest were: Pre-school: first place, Payton Mitchell; second place, Hudson Williams; third place, Baily Garland; K-First Grade: first place, Courtney Wood; second place, Colby Griffin; third place, Brian Johnson; Second - Fourth Grade: first place, Jenny Hart; second place, Brock Irwin; third place, Teeal Armes; Jr. High: first place, Beth Yanke; second place, Sara Bass; third place, Rozanne Carter; High School: First Place, Clint Williams; Adult: first place, Jina McDowell; second place Cissy Gibson.

The winners of the raffle for the half of beef were Steve Bevill, of Gruver, and Sandra McDonald, from Amarillo. She is the niece of Eva Dozier.

ELLISON BROTHERS INSULATION
 P.O. Box 212
 Canadian, TX 79014



Rockwool & Fiberglass Blow-In
FREE ESTIMATES

Keith Ellison 323-5629 Allen Ellison 323-5737

Claudine Clark and Sheri Benton are pleased to announce that Sheri has purchased Claudine's monogramming and embroidery business. Claudine wishes to thank all of her loyal customers, and encourages them to contact Sheri for all of their future monogramming and embroidery needs. Call Sheri at 659-3568 for your business or personal custom embroidery jobs, and she will be glad to discuss them with you.



INVADED- Also participating in the contest were the employees of Spearman City Hall. They dressed up in the costumes of the Cone Heads from Saturday Night Live. They are (Front Row l to r) Brenda Vera, Cheryl Gibson, Karen Goodman, and Tina Rex. (Back Row l to r) Judge Gary Ellsworth, Chief Morris, Chris Eppley, and Kelvin Knauf. (Photo by Cora Thompson)

OPEN HOUSE
 Nov. 5-9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 Nov. 6-1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

30% Off All Merchandise
 (unless otherwise marked)
Bernina Machines • 20% Off
Bernina Sales & Service

216 Main Jo's This N' That Phone 806/659-3998
 Spearman, TX



YABBA DABA DO- As this picture clearly illustrates, several business and establishments participated in the contest. Pictured here from The Hansford Manor and wearing the costumes of the hit movie and cartoon The Flintstones are (Back Row l to r) Betty Rubble, alias Carol Sell; Barney Rubble, alias Linda Lujan; Fred Flintstone, alias Debbie Sanford; Willma Flintstone, alias Janie Kunselman; (Front Row l to r) Bam Bam, alias Myrtle Ware; and Pebbles, alias Wyona Owens. (Photo by Cora Thompson)

W.D.S.C.C
STYLE SHOW AND BRUNCH
 10:30 AM
 SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1994
 O'LOUGHLIN CENTER
\$7.50 PER TICKET
\$300 SHOPPING TICKETS
\$2.00 EACH 3 FOR \$5.00
 STYLES AND GIFTS FOR THE HOLIDAYS
 CONTACT ANY MEMBER OF
 WOMEN'S DIVISION OR THE
 CHAMBER OFFICE
 659-5555

BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR Volunteer.
 American Heart Association

GET THE ALCO Advantage



FREE EVERY TUESDAY!
 SECOND SET OF PRINTS

Receive a second set of 3" prints FREE with any exposure roll of 35mm, disc, 110 or 126 color print film left for developing and printing at our everyday prices! C-41 process only. Excludes larger 4" size prints, and photo galaxy.



Call Weight Watchers today. And get with the program.



Join Weight Watchers and save over \$30.

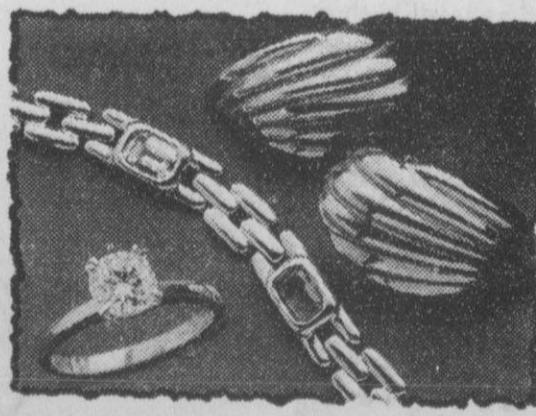
Learn how you, too, can lose weight with sensible, safe eating and exercise habits. Call today and get started on a whole new you!

Come See What Weight Watchers is All About!!
 Attend a FREE meeting in Gruver!
 First Christian Church--510 King
 Monday, November 7--6 p.m.
 Pre-registration required on November 7 for the next 8-week series beginning Monday, November 14.
MUST HAVE AT LEAST 20 MEMBERS FOR A COMMUNITY MEETING.
 For more information, please call 1-800-359-3131.



Offer valid in South Texas, West Texas, and Santa Barbara County, CA. Excludes participating 17, 96 and 107 units. ©1994 Weight Watchers International, Inc. Owner of the Weight Watchers trademark. All rights reserved.



It's a Fine Time for Real Jewelry
 Come In And Clean Up
 During Real Jewelry Month.



Bring us your real jewelry during November for free cleaning. We'll check your settings to make sure everything's secure, then we'll bring back the sparkle, shine and shimmer of your jewelry free. And while you wait, look over our great selection of the latest jewelry at prices to fit any budget. During Real Jewelry Month, it's a fine time to come in and clean up.

Free Jewelry Cleaning
 Now Through November 30

Hickerson Jewelers
 Foundation of Fine Jewelry
 721 W. Seventh • Spearman, TX 79081



GRUVER CARNIVAL - The annual PTA Halloween Carnival was again dubbed a great success as the event drew a large crowd. The carnival was held at the County Barn Building. In the photo above youngsters wait patiently for the beginning of the costume contest. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)



BIG CROWD - Residents from all over made their way last Saturday for the annual Spearman Halloween Carnival. The event drew a large number of folks out to the old "Y" building for fun, fellowship, food, and games. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

Neighbors

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 5

Denise and Cary Bridges and child.

Information regarding Dr. Wesley Garnett is that he is just about settled now in his new post in the U.S. Embassy in Canberra, Australia. Wesley, who is the Animal and Plant Health Inspector for the U.S. Department of Agriculture, will be traveling to about 13 different countries, including China.

It is not definite how long he will be posted in Australia, but these tours of duty are usually for three years. It is hoped that Wesley will share some of his experiences with Hansford County home folks by letter, but it is doubtful if he will be back for the school re-union in the spring.

LaQuita and Jim Evans flew to Washington week before last to visit their son, Dr. David Evans. He is an internal specialist and is practicing with an H.M.O. in Arlington, Virginia.

While in the vicinity they enjoyed sight-seeing in Williamsburg, Virginia, and the authentic replica of early American life. Also they found Montecello, home of Thomas Jefferson at Charlottesville, very interesting. A memorable tour of their trip was a tour of the capitol building.

They returned the last of the week. Jim is back at his pill piddling at his pharmacy. One wonders if he made an effort to get a manufacturer of aspirin to sponsor Congress in session on one of the major T.V. networks!

For Your
BBQ or Smoked Turkey
call

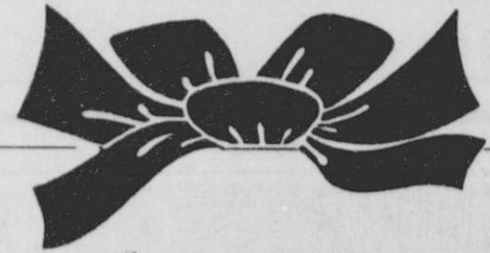
Sutphen's BBQ

(in the Pahnandle for 44 years)

806/273-6442

303 N. Cedar

Borger, TX



You are cordially
invited

to our

Holiday Open House

Saturday

Nov. 5th

9:30 to 5:30

Sunday

Nov. 6th

1:00 to 5:00

Two \$100 gift certificates will
be given away during our Open House.
Please bring this ad to enter our drawing.

Celebrate

205 MAIN • SPEARMAN, TEXAS

CHRISTMAS IS COMING!!
SHOP EARLY
FOR GREAT SELECTIONS

HICKERSON JEWELERS
721 W. 7TH
SPEARMAN, TEXAS
HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE
NOVEMBER 5TH & 6TH
SATURDAY 9AM - 5:30PM
SUNDAY 1PM - 5PM
HELP SANTA FILL YOUR STOCKING!
(Register For Drawing)

Chamber

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3

Show & Brunch

Tuesday 8: Election Day !!!!!
Don't forget to vote.

Wednesday 9: W.D. Exec. Meeting-Chamber Office, Noon

Thursday 10: Board of Directors Meeting-Chamber Office

Friday 11: Veterans Day-Office Closed

Wednesday 16: Defensive driving course

W.D.S.C.C. Meeting-Palo Duro Cafe, Noon.

Thursday 17: Defensive driving course

Thursday 24: Thanksgiving Day, Office Closed.

Club

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 5

Betty Jean Davis, Margarette Evans, Ann Flowers, Virginia Head, Mike Hergert, Estelle Jackson, Lorene Kunselman, Jo Larson, Kathleen Sutton and June Jackson as hostess.

Shocking News About Power Line Safety.



It's our responsibility at Texas-New Mexico Power Company to provide you with power, plus information to help you avoid electrical accidents. ★ We offer several programs for schools, businesses and community groups on power line safety. ★ Want to learn more about electrical safety? To schedule a program or get our free brochure, Straight Talk About Electrical Safety, call or visit your local TNP office.

Texas-New Mexico Power Company.

HENSON CHIROPRACTIC

410 S. Davis • Spearman, Tx.

Call for Appointment • 659-5603

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00 to 5:00

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 to 11:30

Hansford Hospice

cordially invites you to attend

a

Memorial Service

November 6, 1994 at 3:00 in the afternoon

First Christian Church
29 South Bernice Street
Spearman, Texas

Friends and Family Welcome

When England wanted to cut government waste, a Texan showed them how to trim the fat



Cutting waste in government isn't easy.

That's why, when members of Parliament wanted to make the British government more efficient, they consulted the recognized expert in America: Texas Comptroller John Sharp.

Hardly a surprise, old chap.

Since taking office in 1991, John Sharp and his Texas Performance Review team have set the standard for streamlining government agencies, saving taxpayers a documented \$6.2 billion and helping Texas avoid a state income tax. And his reviews of Texas school districts have saved taxpayers more than \$24 million.

Now he's fighting to cut millions of dollars in welfare fraud and bureaucratic waste by abolishing paper food stamps, which are often stolen and then traded for drugs. Sharp's plan is to replace food stamps with computerized security cards.

No wonder U.S. News and World Report (1/4/94) says: "John Sharp has become the mastermind behind a sweeping overhaul of the bureaucracy that has put Texas at the forefront of the nationwide effort to...root out waste."

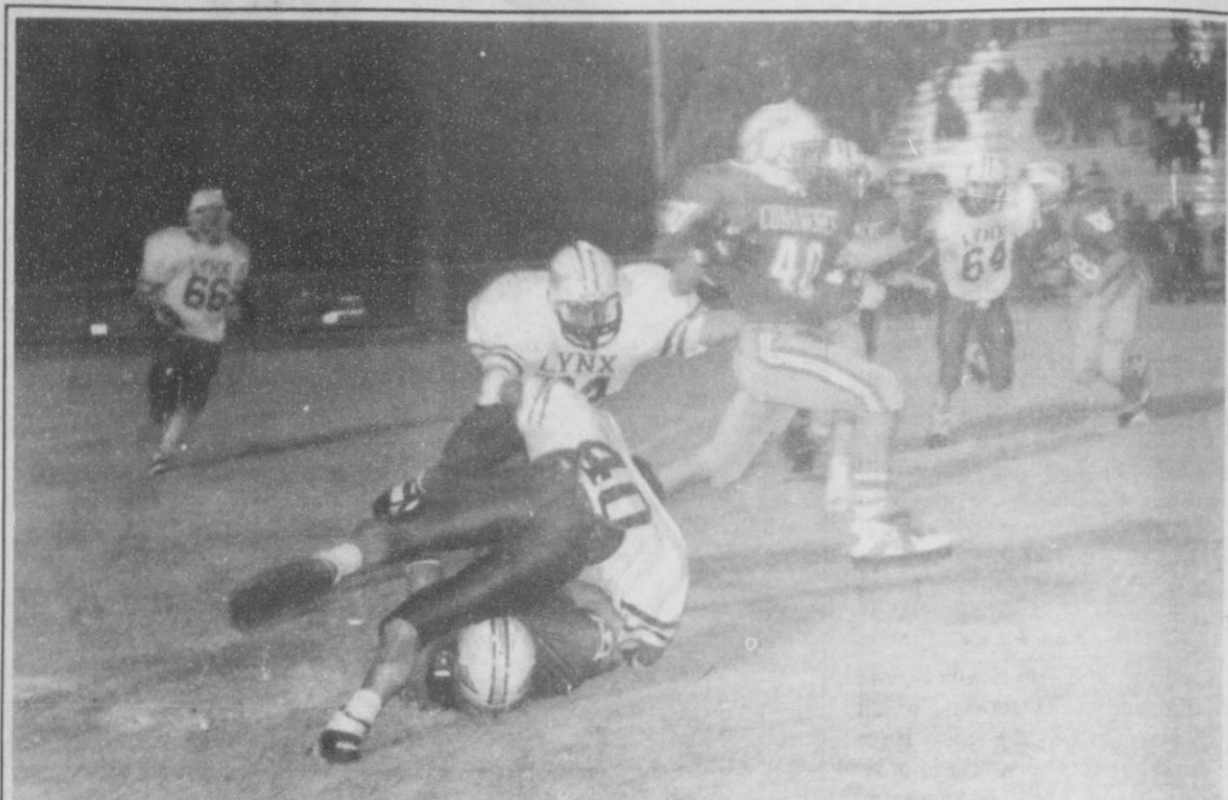
Yet, despite all the additional duties and initiatives taken on by the Comptroller's Office, Sharp still managed to reduce the number of his employees and return \$9 million of his budget to the taxpayers.

Of course, there's a lot more waste in Texas state government just waiting to be cut, so the job is far from over. That's why we need to keep John Sharp on the job.

JOHN SHARP
Democrat for State Comptroller

Paid for by Texans for John Sharp, P.O. Box 236, Austin, TX 78767, Greg Hartman, Treasurer.

Sports



HARD HITTING ACTION- The Spearman Lynx traveled to Stineff last Friday to take on the West Texas Comanches. Unfortunately, they were denied a win, by loosing to West Texas, 35-14. Pictured here are Greg Elliot, who received a tremendous cut block, Matt Gafford, who made a diving grad at the runner, and Cody McLeod, who is trying to take the proper angle and speed in a hopeful tackle. The game threw Spearman completely out of the district race, but they are looking for a win next week, as they host the Boys Ranch Roughriders in their final game of the season. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

Griffin takes weekly contest

Several Hansford County residents kept in the football spirit this week, as they participated in the this weeks' Hansford County Reporter-Statesman football contest. Even though Gruver took last week off, for the first time all three top place winners were from Gruver.

Coming in first and showing his face for the first time in the top three is Colby Griffin of Gruver. Colby missed 5 of 23 games he predicted, including the upset of the Stratford-Boys Ranch game. For his keen sense of predictions, Colby will take home the first place prize of \$25.

Coming in a close second and also just missing five was Kiki Carthel of Gruver. Kiki is a familiar face to the contest and has been in the top three more than once. Although she missed the same amount of games as Colby, she was barely edged out by him on the 8 point difference of the tie-breaker. Kiki will take home the second place prize of \$15.

Following in right behind Kiki and taking home the third place prize of \$5 is Billy Blankenship of Gruver. Billy missed only five games as well, but Kiki edged him out by 1 point on the tie-breaker.

Several others participated and for their efforts they will receive honorable mention. They are: Stacy

Paul of Perryton, Cindy Blackman of Spearman, Don Reed of Spearman, Bill Paul of Perryton, and Mike Cudd of Spearman.

The contest is supported by several area businesses, and they are: Lowe's Marketplace, Gruver State Bank, Dean Cluck Cattle Co., Gillaspie, Lone Star Service Center, Main Street Store, L&M Water

Well Service, J&M Service Center, Equity, Little Tiffanies, Gruver Insurance Agency, Bartlett's Ace Hardware, Paschel Irrigation, Larry's Welding, Gruver Ford, Gruver Redi-Mix, Caprock #1 & #2, KRDF Radio, Sunray Co-op, Cates Mens & Boys Wear, Hansford Supply, G & G Foodliner, and Palo Duro Feeders.

CONGRATULATIONS
LYNXETTE CC TEAM
 On Your 1994 Season
Kasey Dunnihoo
Jocelyn Edwards
Michelle Elliott
Sasha Flores
Reagan Boxwell

Hansford Implement • Bunkhouse • Celebrate

Spearman Lynx are skinned by WT Comanches, 35-14

The Spearman Lynx ended all hopes of a playoff birth last Friday night as they lost to the West Texas Comanches, 35-14. Even though the playoffs were the last thing on anyone's mind last Friday, a win by the Lynx, along with some lucky losses by other district teams, could have meant a possible coin-flip tie situation for Spearman.

Despite a nice return by superstar Chad Wilkerson for 26 yards on the opening kick-off for Spearman, the Lynx punted the ball to the Comanches after only three plays.

West Texas's first drive proved to be huge, and it also gave the Comanches the first of many scores of the night. Only 10 plays for 56 yards, and West Texas was ready to score for the first time. On the drive, fans got a taste of what kind of talent that this team really possessed. Senior runningback, Casey Sullivan and senior running back Chris Monden combined their talents to use the play that hurt Spearman most of the night, the dreaded sweep. However, the Comanches stuck to the root of their plays and gave Sullivan the ball right up the middle for the easy 3 yard score with 6:10 left in the first quarter. Monden went on to kick the extra point, and the Comanches had an early lead of 7.

Spearman's next drive again ended in horror, when Wilkerson was forced to run the ball out of the pocket because of the lack of blocking and turn it over to an eager Bennie Weaver of the Comanches.

West Texas soon capitalized on this and just 5 plays later, they were again in striking distance of another score. Despite a great pass break-up of a would-be Comanche touchdown on the first play of the drive by Greg Elliot, West Texas scored their second touchdown on the sweep for 5 yards to Sullivan. He kicked the extra point again for the Comanches, and their lead was increased by 14 with 2:44 still left in the first quarter.

Once again, Spearman could just not move the ball, and was forced into the punting situation. Unfortunately, the punt was blocked by sophomore linebacker Todd Hopkins on the 1 yard line of the Lynx.

As easily as predicted, one play by quarterback Sean Parks and West Texas had another score on the board. This time a quick breakthrough by Coyt Tigrett for Spearman proved to be a block kick of the extra point, however the Comanches increased their lead by 20. This touchdown put a definite damper on the Lynx's spirit, as well as ended the first quarter, 20-0.

Spearman began the second quarter of the game with a huge

punt of 60 yards by Brent Collins.

Fortunately, this drive was unsuccessful for the Comanches, thanks to the quick thinking of Jeremy Blon on a fumble.

With 11:32 still left in the quarter, Wilkerson threw a magnificent pass to Josh Furlow, who caught the ball on his fingertips deep in the end zone. Elliot went on to kick the extra point, and Spearman was on the board with 10:36 still left in the half.

After West Texas turned the ball over on downs and exchanged punts with Spearman twice, the Lynx mounted their next hopeful scoring drive. Nonetheless, with the Lynx driving hard, Wilkerson was pressured again and threw the ball up to Sullivan, who quickly returned for 34 yards.

The Lynx defense would not back down, however, and on a fourth-and-nine play for West Texas, Cody McLeod and Dillon Miller stepped and stopped Parks from getting the first down. This ended the drive, as well as the second quarter, with a Comanche lead 20-7.

The third quarter was kicked off much the same way the second one ended. The Lynx defense held the Comanches to only 7 yards on 3 plays, and West Texas was forced to punt the ball away to Spearman.

Once again the defense came through for both teams, and they traded punts three times, and the

quarter ended. No one scored, West Texas 20 Lynx 7.

The fourth quarter started out great for the Lynx; they forced the Comanches to turn the ball over on downs on their first drive of the quarter. Even though their first drive appeared it would end in a punt, a late flag on the Comanches gave Spearman the ball back with 9:32 still left in the game.

Unfortunately, their spirits would be crushed, and Spearman punted the ball back to the Comanches.

This time the Comanches would answer back, and after 5 or 6 short plays, sophomore running back Jerry Greene took a 36 yard blast up the middle for yet another West Texas score. The extra point sailed through the center of the uprights, and the Comanches were destroying Spearman 27-7.

Spearman's next drive proved again to end in mistakes, and with 4:10 still left in the game, junior defensive lineman Jason Kirksey intercepted a tip pass to run it back 32 yards for the touchdown. Unfortunately, this lineman's dream was cut short, when Wilkerson smashed him and Kirksey broke his wrist. Nevertheless, the Comanches went on to get a 2-point conversion, and they led 35-7.

However, Spearman, with nothing to lose, decided to bring out all

See LYNX, page 13

Picnic Place Restaurant
 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Monday - Saturday
 Serving:
 Hot & cold sandwiches,
 many flavors of ice cream
 and baked potato pile-on
HAPPY HOUR: 3:30-4:30 p.m. (special prices)
Saturday Night Special
Senior Citizens Discount Night
 (65 years & older)
 Discounts on everything (except pie)
 5 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Mexican Fiesta Plate - Friday
BBQ Plate - Wednesday




217 Main
 For Take-Out Call 659-3864

Autumn
VALUES

SAVE ON PEPSI-COLA
 Be young. Have fun. Drink Pepsi.
 6 pk. • 12 oz. cans
\$1.99

BEEF, CHEESE, & GREEN CHILI

SAVE ON ALLSUP'S CHIMICHANGA
 FOR ONLY
99¢

ALL SUP'S LAUNDRY DETERGENT
 32 OZ.
\$1.29

ALL SUP'S 1.5 LB. SANDWICH BREAD
 69¢ EACH OR
2 \$1 FOR

Shurfine Bleach
 1 gallon **99¢ ea.**

Basic Diapers
\$4.49

ALLSUP'S SAUSAGE, EGG, & BISCUIT
 FOR ONLY
99¢

FRITO LAY FRITOS, CHEETOS, & FUNYUNS
GRAB BAGS
 REGULAR 69¢
2 \$1 FOR

ALL SUP'S HOMOGENIZED MILK
 GALLON
\$1.99

ALL SUP'S ALL FLAVORS ICE CREAM
 1/2 GALLON
\$1.89

VALLEY FARE BATHROOM TISSUE
 4 ROLL PKG.
79¢

DECKER MEAT FRANKS
 12 OZ. PKG.
69¢

SUGARLESS TRIDENT GUM
 VAL-U-PAK
69¢

Planter's Snacks
 Assorted Flavors **99¢**

Pringle Potato Chips
\$1.59 can

Prices Effective Oct. 30-Nov. 5, 1994
 Gruver, Spearman, Perryton, & Booker Only

For The Sport Of It

by Bob Bort

Here is the scoop on this week's gigantic ball game at Greyhound Stadium against the West Texas Comanches. The winner of this game will be District 1-2A Co-Champion with Stratford, and will face Canadian in a bi-district football game next week. At press time, that match-up, Gruver-Canadian or West Texas-Canadian, has been tentatively set for Perryton, Friday night November 11 at 7:30 P.M.

If you go by all-time records, this week does not bode well for the Hounds. Only White Deer, of all the teams the Hounds have played more than a handful of times, has beaten the Hounds as regularly as West Texas (Stinnett). Gruver is only 11-20-1, .359, against the Stinnett team. But only the last three games will be highlighted.

In 1987, the Comanches dealt the Hounds their second worst defeat in history, 71-0, at Stinnett. They ran up the score. Then the two teams did not play again until 1992. Two years ago, 1992, at Stinnett, Gruver won 30-19 in a big upset. It was a game in which Gruver fell behind 19-8, and it was Coach Doug Frick's biggest, most important victory up until last week's 18-0 conquest of Spearman. The Hounds had fire in their eyes for what the Comanches had done to them five years prior.

Then last year, 1993, West Texas came to Gruver with fire in their eyes against the Hounds for what they had done to them the year before. The Comanches scored early and often, devastating the Hounds 47-0 at Greyhound Stadium. It was a great performance by WT, a terrible performance for the Hounds.

That brings us to this year, again at Greyhound Stadium for the second year in a row. What can we expect?

The Hounds' defense is awesome. They have four shutouts in their last five games, giving up only 14 points to Stratford. West Texas gave up 47 points to Stratford.

But West Texas regrouped against the Lynx, and beat them 35-14. The Hounds beat the Lynx 18-0. WT won by 21, Gruver by 18. Take away 3 points from WT for homefield advantage, and it is dead even between WT and Gruver.

Gruver has out-scored the opposition this year 208-53. Over the

last six games, they have out-scored the opposition 180-20. They beat the Lynx - yes. But for it to be a really successful season, they must get by WT High.

There are only two teams in the Texas- Oklahoma- New Mexico Panhandle area which have given up fewer points than the Hounds this year. They are Archer City (427-19), and Springlake-Earth (404-38). Gruver leads the entire area in team defense, giving up only 660 yards rushing and 1149 total yards through eight games. Their average of 143.6 yards allowed per game also leads the entire area.

I don't know what score to predict - except to guess the most fantastic score I can. Here it is. A 0-0 tie, with Gruver winning on penetrations, 1-0 - in a driving rainstorm. Figure that prediction out, folks!

Here is some hot basketball news. The Gruver Lady Hounds are scheduled to play in two scrimmages upcoming, prior to the opening of the 1994-95 basketball season at Dumas against the Demonettes on Tuesday, November 15.

Our gals will be scrimmaging Booker one week before that, on Tuesday, November 8, here in Gruver in Greyhound Gym at 5 P.M. The JV and the varsity will be involved. Then on Saturday, November 12 (irregardless of a possible Gruver-Canadian football clash the night before!) at 11 A.M., the Lady Hounds will be travelling to Dalhart to scrimmage the Lady Wolves and the Texoma Lady Devils. In that scrimmage, the JV and varsity again will be involved.

The Lady Kiowas-Lady Hounds scrimmage on November 8 will mark the return to Gruver of Booker head coach Mike Banks, now in his second year as Lady Kiowas coach. Banks was head basketball coach of the Lady Hounds 1988-1991, then head basketball coach at Idalou 1991-92, then head basketball coach for the Vega Lady Longhorns 1992-93, then at Booker since 1993.

According to Coach Tim Garland, the one boys' team, the varsity, will play at Dumas on November 15 - along with the two girls teams - even if the boys were to continue in the football playoffs.

There are 13 boys, freshmen, JV and varsity, who would be available, and according to Coach Garland that is enough to field one varsity team. If the Hounds were to beat the West Texas Comanches and win their bi-district game against the Canadian Wildcats, and an area playoff game were to be scheduled for Friday, November 18, possibly against the Lockney Longhorns - that date, two varsity basketball games against the Fritch Eagles and Lady Eagles - would still be played, perhaps on Saturday evening, the 19th. No games would be lost, except for the JV game against Dumas, according to Coach Garland.

If the Hounds make the playoffs, then lose their bi-district game to Canadian, there would be no basketball games cancelled for the season at all. All four teams, JV and varsity, would open the season on schedule at Dumas on November 15 at 5 P.M.

More basketball news. Coach Steve Myatt may open the season with just 8 varsity players, plus Molly McLain on injured reserve, from his 29-6 team of a year ago. Those would be seniors Julie Meyer, Tisha Ralston, Wendy Rodriguez; sophomores Kaysha Cluck, Amber Murrell; and freshman Weslyn Maupin, who would be the only newcomer. If that is the case, if there are only eight at the start, then our JV Lady Hounds team would be no slouch. Returning for Coach Jim Davis from his 13-12 team of year ago will be juniors; Joni Hart, Robbi Mathew; sophomores; Erika Barrera, Crystal Christian, Erin Derington, Amy Gillispie, Cara Hathaway, Mary Dawn Henson, Lexy Spivey; and three promising newcomers are sophomore Rayne Lindsey and freshmen Jill Odom and Kathy Slough. That would be 12, and boy would that be a super team. And maybe a couple of others, maybe freshmen.

Unlike last year, there will be a freshman team for the Lady Hounds in 1994-95. The 8th grade team last year went 9-5, so the freshman team will probably be tough!

Coach Garland may open the season with 14 varsity players, from his 12-18 team of a year ago. Or he

could add a player at some point to make 15. That is the max. Those 14 would be seniors Rosalio Arreola, Ryan Atwood, Jace Dawson, Aaron Frick, Kevin McNett, Ricardo Soto, Roma Tomlinson, Eric Wright; juniors Phil De La Cruz, Travis Ferguson, Max Frick, Wylee Maupin, Sammy Renteria; and sophomore Josh Mayhew. Seniors Arreola, McNett and Wright would be the only newcomers.

Boy, would that mean our JV team would be good, with a nucleus of five juniors returning from last year's 17-9 team, winners of 11 of their last 12 games! Those returnees are Juan Arreola, Bailey Barkley, Daniel Bort, Scott Jarvis, and Tye Womble, and they were all starters for the JV last year at different points of the season. There are a couple of freshmen, Brant Armes and Buster McLain, that could help strengthen the JV squad. Also, don't forget about rising stars like Matt Overbey, Tucker Henson, Heath Tolleson, Doug Gumfory, and Blake Ferguson, who will add good

See BORT, page 13

GISD sub-varsity teams meet Sunray

The Gruver Hounds junior varsity cinched up their belts for the first of the two final games of the year, and defeated the Sunray Bobcats JV at Sunray this past Thursday night, October 27, 20-0. Prior to that game the two junior high teams lost to the Bobcats - the 7th grade losing 18-8, and the 8th grade losing 28-16.

According to Coach Tim Garland, here is the scoop on the junior high games.

In the 7th grade game, Gruver scored on a 50 yard run by back Jared Christian. The two point conversion was on the sweep pass, which worked for the second time this year. Quarterback Dallas Henson handed the ball to Christian in the backfield on the sweep, and he passed the ball to Derik Grotogut in the end zone for the points.

Sunray's points came on two touchdowns and a safety. The safety was scored as Gruver had a bad pitch in the end zone.

In the 8th grade game, Gruver scored on two touchdown passes

from quarterback Jason TeBeest, who has returned from a broken hand. TeBeest hit Charlie Stavlo for 35 yards and the first score; and the two point conversion was scored on a sweep by back Dustin Ross.

The second touchdown was a pass from TeBeest to Jim Potts for 30 yards; and the two point conversion was a run by Clint Robinson on the power lead play. According to Coach Garland, the 8th grade team played well in defeat.

The JV game was a much needed jewel. Here is the scoop from Hounds coach John Duncan.

The first score for the Hounds came on the second possession, after Jason Smith recovered a fumble. It came on a 20 yard pass play from quarterback Brant Armes to James Sursa. Gruver took an 8-0 lead, as Armes hit Kyle McNett on the two point conversion on the pass play.

The second score came with one minute to go until halftime. It was also a touchdown pass, from Armes to Buster McLain, covering 30

See HOUNDS, page 13

WRITE IN

X DANNY HENSON

FOR

HANSFORD COUNTY


COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4

PAID POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT MARY HENSON, TREASURER

Looking For


Something . . .

DIFFERENT



Gillaspie Auto and Truck Center has that unique Christmas gift you have been looking for!!! Come on down and check out our selection of toys and collectibles to help you get started on your Christmas shopping.

Available in the Parts Department.



GILLASPIE
AUTO & TRUCK CENTER, INC.

Hwy 207 South
Spearman, Tx.
(806)659-2541

CHEVROLET, OLDS, BUICK, PONTIAC, CHRYSLER, PLYMOUTH, DODGE

AUCTION

Saturday, November 5 • 10:00 a.m.

Booker, TX

From Booker, TX, take Hwy. 23, 10 miles south, 2 miles east

Harold & Alice Perry Estate

ROLLING STOCK--1989 Buick Park Ave., 51K. loaded, exc. cond.; 1963 Dodge 500 wheat truck, 76K, 5 sp., 2 sp., air cond., 18' steel bed, roll tarp, dbl. ram hoist; 1984 Ford F150, 4X4, 4 sp.

CATTLE EQUIPMENT--Hale 20x6 GSN steel stock trailer, full top; Hale 14x5 steel stock trailer, full top; 2-1,000 gal. water tanks; 1-lot electric fences; 3-8' stock tanks; 3-barrel feed troughs; 2-molasses feeders; Jensen pump jack; 2-pickup stock racks; 7-portable corral panels.

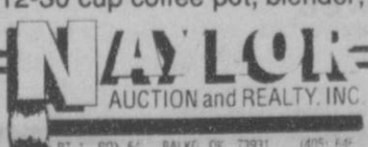
TILLAGE EQUIPMENT--4 JD LZ 12 deep hole drills, rubber press; Flex King 4-5 sweep plow w/pickers; 17' Crustbuster offset disc; 30' noble springtooth; JD 810 moldboard plow, 3 pt., 4 bottom; JD 4 bottom moldboard plow; JD DRB disc drill-16' Graham Hoeme chisel; 6 1/2' Stanton 3 pt. disc; 7' mower-5' 3 pt. mower.

NON-CLASSIFIED--Berkley 3" portable irrigation pump w/6 cyl. Chev. eng.; 3" irrigation gun; 3" hose; irrigation pipe trailer; lot 6" column pipe; lot 4" galvanized pipe; 3 pt. boom; 3 pt. blade; 2 pto wire rollers; 2 grain augers w/gas engine; 300 gal. sprayer; 50 gal. sprayer w/3 hp briggs; Curtis pto wood saw w/30" blade; cement mixer; 14' utility trailer; 1-Ford irrigation eng., 6 cyl. w/ clutch.

EQUIPMENT--1983 Kubota L355SS tractor w/1720 loader, 328 hrs., 4 cyl. dsl., 3 pt. pto, really nice; 1977 2290 Case, 3177 hrs. 3 pt., pto, 18.4 x 38 tires; 1973 AC 440, 4 wh., w/12' Degelman dozer, cab, air, dbl. hyd., 3 pt., 18.4 x 34, V-8 Cumm., 1800 hrs.; 1982 NH TR85 combine, cab, air, monitors, big tires, 3208 cat., 24' hd., rebuilt rotor, feed chains, elevators; 1977 NH 1100 swather, 14 hd., gas, nice cond.; 1977 NH 276 square baler, wire tie; JD 640 hay rake.

SHOP AND OTHER--1994 Northern Pro 12K watt generator, twin Kohler eng., like, L shape fuel tank, hyd. pump, valves, and tank off of stacker; Lincoln 225 AC welder; Marty JD 1440 lawn mower; portable electric air compressor, battery charger; 2-portable air tanks; 4-560 gal. dsl. tanks on stands; 12 volt fuel pump; 300 gal. butane tank on wheels, 90% full; XR-50 gas weed eater; gas lawn edger; fert. spreader; kerosene burner; 4-iron wagon wheels; 1-lot pet. products; hand tools, shovels, rakes, etc.

HOUSEHOLD--Wizard upright freezer, needs gasket; Zenith console color TV, remote, less than 6 mo. old; 2-RCA portable color TV's, remote; hide-a-bed divan; 2-rocker recliners, blue and salmon, like new; new rocker with Ottoman; bookcase headboard, double bed; twin bed w/matching night stand; brass-type twin bed; chest of drawers; antique dresser; assorted tables; sewing machine; 4 dr. filing cabinet; coat tree; lamps; tray tables; old books-National Geographic; 12-place setting china; jars, canning pot, pressure cooker; pots, pans; Tupperware, cookie press; 12-30 cup coffee pot; blender; ice cream freezers; assorted luggage; 1-trundle bed.



Randy Schreiner - Associate - TX 9095 (405) 423-7110 - Texhoma, OK
Broker: Dale Naylor - OK 107486 - TX 7285 (405) 646-3548 - Balke, OK



BREAKING LOOSE- The Spearman eighth grade football improved their record to 7-0 last Thursday in Spearman by destroying the West Texas Comanches, 48-0. The team is the only Lynx football squad to go undefeated so far this year, and win next week against the Boys Ranch Roughriders would mean a perfect season for the youngsters. Pictured here is star running back Michael Lusby shaking loose a Comanche defender. Also coming into the picture to help are Aaron Witten and Alberto Vargas. (Photo by Chad Davis)

Spearman eighth graders hand Comanches a 48-0 thrashing

By CHAD DAVIS
REPORTER-STATESMAN
STAFF WRITER

The only Lynx team with a perfect record, better known as the Spearman 8th grade, took the field again last Thursday night, and, of course, they had a cake walk with the Comanches, defeating them, 48-0.

From the start, Spearman took control of the game, with just 5 carries for 38 yards. On the drive, Mason Kuehl, who accounted for 8 of the yards, teamed up with his two star running backs, Aaron Witten and Michael Lusby to set up the first score for Spearman. With 5:33 still left in the first quarter, Witten took the left side hand off from Kuehl to score the easy 19 yard touchdown. Kuehl went on to waltz in the 2-point conversion, and Spearman had an early lead by 8.

It didn't the Lynx long to get their next easy score. After two big hits by Lusby for -5 yards and quarterback sack on #81 by the entire defensive line, the Comanches were forced into the punting situation. However, due to the quick reflexes of Chuck Grayson, the fumble on the snap was quickly turned into a safety. That brought an early Lynx lead by 10 with 3:34 still left in the first quarter.

Because of the safety, West Texas gave the ball back to the Lynx with lots of time still left in the quarter. However, after a great run of 12 yards, Witten somehow bobbed the football, and gave the

Comanches the ball back. Nonetheless, the Lynx defense would force the Comanches into another punting situation. Once again, another bad snap by West Texas's center proved to be a huge mistake for the Comanches. Thanks to a brilliant heads-up play by the Spearman's star, Lusby, the Lynx had the ball back on the Comanches 25 yard line. This play gave the Lynx ball with good field position, as well as ended the first quarter.

The second quarter began with the second Lynx turnover of the game. However, on the Comanches first play of their next drive, Carlos Hernandez busted through the entire offensive line of the Comanche's to put pressure on #81. Due to his thrashing hit that caused a tip ball, an offensive lineman for West Texas caught the tip and ran for 10 yards. Once again, the Lynx defense would come shining through, however, and on the next play, a wildly thrown pitch to running back #20, ended in a fumble recovery by T.J. Evans with 7:01 left in the half.

Although the two star running backs, Lusby and Hernandez ran for some great yardage on Spearman's next drive, a fourth-and-four proved to be only a 2 yard gain and Spearman turned the ball over on downs.

Just as every drive before, the Lynx defense, led by Hernandez, stopped the Comanches cold, and they punted the ball away to Spearman with 2:07 left in the half.

The Lynx, realizing time was limited, once again called on the

quickness of their back field. Thanks to a great run by Kuehl on a quarterback keeper for 16 yards, the Lynx had good field position and was knocking on the door of the Comanches on their 4 yard line. From there, Lusby waltzed in for the easy score with 1:06 left in the half. The 2-point conversion, that was called back at first due to a flag on the Lynx, on the side of the end zone was caught by Hernandez, and the Lynx stretched their lead by 18.

After stealing the ball away on a fumble by Lusby, and nice screen play of 16 yards to Landon Miller, the half ended with a Lynx lead of 18.

The third quarter began with a short possession of no yards for West Texas, and they turned the ball over to Spearman on a punt.

The rest of the entire quarter belonged to the Lynx, and as unbelievable as it may seem, they did not produce a score. On the drive to end the quarter, Lusby, Witten, Hernandez, and Kuehl all did their usual fancy footwork and managed to gain 35 yards on 11 carries. However, their brilliant efforts were not enough to score, and the quarter ended, Lynx 18 West Texas 0.

The fourth quarter began with the Lynx towering defense taking control. On the Comanches first drive of the half, Clancy Vanderburg scooped up a fumble on the 10 yard line to give Spearman the ball back with 7:16 left in the game.

The Lynx, who were tired of such

See EIGHTH, page 11

SJHS seventh graders slip past West Texas squad, 24-6

By CHAD DAVIS
REPORTER-STATESMAN
STAFF WRITER

The Spearman Lynx 7th grade team strapped on the pads again last Thursday night, as they took on the Comanches of West Texas, and as usual, they defeated their foes, 24-6.

Although Spearman was forced to punt on their first drive, they soon got the ball back rather quickly, thanks to a diving grab of a fumble by Teddie Whitefield.

On the first play after the recovery, the Lynx's superstar, Aaron Winegarner, busted up the middle for a 19 yard touchdown with 2:05 still left in the first quarter. It was again Winegarner, who took the pitch from quarterback Clayton Wilkerson for the easy 2-point conversion. The Lynx had an early lead of 8.

As the first quarter began to wind down, West Texas's big man of the night, #20, ran the ball only 3 times, but he gained an unbelievable 34 yards. However, it the Lynx defense that would soon prevail.

On the last play of the quarter, the Comanches's, #32, received a smashing hit by Whitefield, and the quarter ended, Lynx 8 Comanches 0.

The second quarter began with a huge play for the Comanches. On a third-and-four play, #20, took the ball up the middle for a beautiful 34 yard touchdown run. It was #20 who took the ball again up the middle again for the 2-point conversion, however, the Lynx defense stopped him dead cold just out side of the goal line.

Spearman's next drive proved to be one of the worse for the Lynx of the entire ball game. Three plays by Winegarner, Dustin Barber, and Wilkerson turned out only 7 positive yards, and the Lynx turned the ball over to the Comanches on a punt.

However, West Texas turned the ball back over to the Lynx just three plays later, due to another great defensive effort by Spearman's defensive line.

Once again the Lynx could not move, and on the first play of their next drive, Spearman fumbled the

ball on the snap and West Texas's #61 quickly recovered the fumble with 1:42 still left in the half.

After a loss on the option, a pass almost picked off by Winegarner, and a huge 17 yard loss on a reverse play, Spearman soon had the ball back with little time left in the half.

On the first play of the Lynx's next drive, Wilkerson threw a perfect pass to a wide open Landon Delozier for a 52 yard touchdown. Barber took the honors up the middle for the 2-point conversion, and the half ended with the Lynx up by 16.

As the second half began, it appeared that the Comanches would take control. Even though #25 had a fabulous run of 14 yards, he coughed the ball up to an eager Whitefield who soon made the recovery.

Despite Winegarner's 39 yards on only 4 carries on the next drive for Spearman, they too coughed the ball up with 3:09 left in the third quarter.

However, it was soon

See SEVENTH, page 11

* * * FIVE STAR EQUIPMENT, INC. * * *

What: Winter Service Special
Where: Five Star Equipment - Spearman, Texas
When: November through February

Options Listed Below:

- Option 1 - A 10% Discount on all Case IH Parts and in shop labor when the total bill reaches \$1000. The job must be committed to us by December 31, 1994. Payable on the 10th of the month following billing.**
- Option 2 - A 5% Discount on all Case IH Parts and in shop labor when the total bill reaches \$1000. The job must be committed to us by February 28, 1995. Payable on the 10th of the month following billing.**
- Option 3 - A July 10th Payment due date with approved credit with a 1.5% per month finance Charge beginning March 1, 1995 or 1st of the month following completion of the job. The job must be committed to us by February 28, 1995 with a minimum balance of \$1000.**

FREE HAULING ONE WAY WITHIN 50 MILES OF SPEARMAN

Winter Service Special includes all of your Case IH tillage, harvesting, and planting equipment. Call Today So We Can Start Saving You Money!

Spearman Texas **FIVE STAR EQUIPMENT** 659-3743 Highway 15 W.

YOUR DISTRICT ATTORNEY RECOMMENDS JUDGE POFF FOR 7TH COURT OF APPEALS



Judge Poff was a Criminal Prosecutor.

His opponent has never tried a criminal jury case.

His opponent has never argued a criminal appeal before the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Judge Poff was a District Judge.

His opponent has never been a judge.

Judge Poff is a great Appeals Judge.

In the L. R. Wynne case his opponent is distorting the facts. His opponent should know L.R. Wynne didn't walk free; Wynne is in prison for a long time.

-John Mann
District Attorney

DON'T MAKE YOUR D.A.'s JOB HARDER BY ELECTING SOMEONE WHO IS INEXPERIENCED IN CRIMINAL LAW.

- | | | |
|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| -Danny Hill | -John Mann | -Gary Goff |
| -Dwayne Pruitt | -Mark Yarbrough | -Jerry Mathews |
| -Dan Mike Bird | -Barry Blackwell | -Steve Cross |
| -Bruce Roberson | | -Jim Shelton |
| -Linda Lowery | | -Johnny Ackinson |
| -Terry McEachern | | -Becky McPherson |



REMEMBER TO RE-ELECT JUDGE POFF

Pol. Ad Pd. For Bryan Poff, 510 S. Polk Amarillo, TX 79101

VOTE to protect your PROPERTY RIGHTS

The following Farm and Ranch organizations urge you to VOTE NOVEMBER 8th for the candidates who will PROTECT your PROPERTY RIGHTS:

- | | |
|--|--|
| Texas Farm Bureau AGFUND | Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers PAC |
| Texas Cattle Feeders Assn. Beef PAC | Texas Agricultural Cooperative Council PAC |
| Texas Cotton Ginners Assn. GINPAC | Texas Assn. of Dairymen PAC |
| Texas Forestry Assn. FORPAC | Range Management PAC |
| Associated Milk Producers, Inc. Tex-Tape | |

PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY RIGHTS!

On Nov. 8, 1994 vote for:

- Kay Bailey Hutchison**
US Senate
- George W. Bush**
Governor
- Bob Bullock**
Lt. Governor
- John Sharp**
Comptroller
- Marta Greytok**
Land Commissioner
- Rick Perry**
Agriculture Commissioner
- Raul Gonzalez**
TX Supreme Court Place 1
- Nathan Hecht**
TX Supreme Court Place 2
- Priscilla Owen**
TX Supreme Court Place 3

EARLY VOTING
Oct. 19 - Nov. 4

FOR MORE INFORMATION
1-800-298-4506

Area students make dean's list

A total of seven students from this area are among the over 114,000 students included in the 17th Annual Edition of the National Dean's List just published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois.

Students are selected for this honor by their college deans, registrars or honor society advisor and must be in the upper 10% of their

class, on their school's dean's list or have earned a comparable honor. Listed students are eligible to compete for \$25,000 in scholarship awards funded by the publisher and may also use a referral service for future employment opportunities. More than 2,500 colleges and universities nationwide use the publication to recognize their academically qualified students.

Local students include: Victor O. Rodrigez, Texas Tech University; and Jason R. Trospen, Dodge City Community College from Perryton; Edward C. Beck, West Texas A&M University; Chad G. Davis, Frank Phillips College; Belinda D. McGaha, Frank Phillips College; Maria M. Sumner, Frank Phillips College; and Joyce Vanderburg, Frank Phillips College.



SHS BAND - The Spearman High School Band added to last week's downtown pep rally by marching through downtown. The group made their way to the courthouse where they joined the many Lynx fans in an open public pep rally. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

JV Lynx hold off WT's Comanches final attack for a 14-12 victory

By CHAD DAVIS
REPORTER-STATESMAN
STAFF WRITER

When it comes to defense and holding on until the final whistle is blown, no other team compares to the Spearman Lynx Junior Varsity team. Thanks to excellent coaching and the Lynx's non-penetrating defense, they held on to beat the Comanches last Thursday in the best game all week, 14-12.

From the start of the game, Spearman and West Texas both knew the game was going to be long and hard-fought. The Comanches, who first to try their luck for a score, kept the ball almost the entire first quarter. After 16 plays for 61 yards, the Comanches were within scoring distance. With only 48 ticks left in the first quarter, the Comanches' quarterback aired out a perfect spiral to receiver #33 for a 15 yard touchdown pass. The 2-point conversion on the quarterback keeper was stopped by the defensive line of the Lynx, but West Texas was on the board.

However, Spearman soon countered back. As the first quarter wound down, Frankie Dominguez trotted down the field twice on 2 carries for 39 yards.

Dominguez had a fabulous night, and thanks to his relentless attitude, he contributed most of the effort to give the Lynx the win.

It was again Dominguez, along with fellow teammates Blake Beedy, who rushed for 5 yards on 1 carry, and Alan Huddleston, who rushed for 6 yards on two carries, who gave Spearman excellent field position to score. Dominguez himself took the ball from quarterback Eric Cudd for the 16 yard back-breaking touchdown run. The Jamie Townsen extra point kick was slightly wide, but Spearman was neck-and-neck with the Comanches.

After West Texas and Spearman exchanged punts, the Comanches drove hard down the field. However, on a third-and-twenty six play, a great defensive sack by nose guard Tony Clement for -7 yards made the Comanches spirits sink. With only 40 seconds left in the half, Eric Varnon came out of nowhere and blitzed the quarterback, as well as picking up the fumble that he caused.

This gave Spearman the ball back on the doorstep of the Comanche 10 yard line. Two plays by Dominguez for 5 yards, and Spearman was ready to score again. With just 26 ticks left on the clock, Dominguez fooled the entire defense of the Comanches when he threw a perfect half back pass to a wide open Clint Goodman for the touchdown. Cudd went on to score the 2-point conversion on the keeper, and Spearman was ahead 14-6.

With only 9 seconds left and a pass that could have been a Comanche touchdown, Spearman's defense came through again. This time it was Britt Savage who made an excellent interception steal as the half time buzzer went off. The half ended, Lynx 14 West Texas 6.

Once again the half started off with great defensive efforts for both squads. West Texas had 6 plays for

23 yards, but thanks to a sack by Travis Loomis for 2 yards, the Comanches turned the ball back over to the Lynx. This play put Spearman in great field position, as well as ended the third quarter, Lynx 14, West Texas 0.

Spearman started the fourth quarter out with two punts to the Comanches. Unfortunately, the Comanches took advantage of this, and on a quarterback keeper by the Comanches' big man, the drive ended on a 52 yard touchdown run with 6:54 left in the game. The Lynx defense would not let West Texas penetrate through for the 2-point conversion, but the Lynx were definitely biting their nails, 14-12.

Although Dominguez carried the ball every time for Spearman on their next drive, his efforts went unrewarded, and Spearman punted the ball away with 3:26 left in the game.

Fortunately, Spearman's defense held the Comanches again,

Eighth

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 10

a little score, again summoned the skill of Lusby. After a play of 5 yards by Lusby, the sensational back took a five yard leaper into the end zone with 6:22 left in the game. Kuehl went on to score the 2-point conversion, and Spearman was yawning at the Comanches, 26-0.

It didn't long for the Lynx to get the ball back, and with very little time off of the clock from their last score, Lusby stole the ball right out of a Comanche running back's hands.

Hernandez then took the ball on the trap for 20 yards to give Spearman another score with 5:57 left in the game. Hernandez, proving lightning can strike twice, took the sweep for the easy 2-point conversion to give Spearman a huge lead, 34-0.

Lusby and Hernandez stuck together on the next drive by the Comanches, and thanks to the hit by Hernandez the wild pass drifted right into the hands of Lusby.

Coach Ryan Rhodes then called on his reliable back-up quarterback Brian Black. Black played a fabulous game, and gave Spearman another touchdown on an 18 yard

Seventh

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 10

Spearman's ball again thanks to a great stop by Whitefield on a fourth-and-one up the middle play. The play turned the ball back over to the Lynx, as well as ended the third quarter.

Spearman began the fourth quarter with a huge drive that ended in another Lynx touchdown. On the drive, Winegarner and fellow teammates Josh Schumann, who rushed for 5 yards on just 1 carry and Jeremy Mackie, who rushed for 3 yards on 1 carry, all combined their future varsity Lynx talents to set up the score. On a third-and-two play from the 2 yard line Winegarner once again grabbed

and West Texas turned the ball back over to Spearman on loss of downs.

Despite a late interception with 1:34 left in the game by West Texas, the Lynx defense held the Comanches on a fourth-and-two play. The quarterback keeper was not enough, and the ball game ended, Lynx 14, Comanches 12.

As for the stats on this up and coming team, Spearman dominated the total yards gained with 203 compared to West Texas's 166. Of the 203 yards, 186 of it was rushing. Dominguez accounted for 136 of these yards on only 22 carries, which brings him to an average of 6 yards per carry. Dominguez also helped Spearman with every one of their scores.

The JV Lynx will travel along with the 7th and 8th grade to Boys Ranch this week to take on the Roughriders. If the team defeats the Ranch, they will have a perfect record, unless their tie with the Comanches the first time is figured in.

quarterback keeper. Grayson went on to barrel through for the 2-point conversion, and Spearman increased their lead by 42.

On the ensuing kick-off, a line drive kick right to a non-suspecting Comanche bounced off his pads, and an eager Lloyd Sprague for the Lynx was more than happy to pick it up.

Unfortunately, Spearman too fumbled just plays later. With no luck on their side the Comanches soon fumbled again, and Shieldknight scooped it up for Spearman.

Grayson, who early had fabulous run, then took the first play, a pitch, and ran it 45 yards with 1:13 left in the game. The 2-point conversion failed, but the game was over with a huge Lynx victory, 48-0.

The Lynx 8th grade is the only Spearman team to have no losses or ties. Their record is a perfect 7-0. The Lynx will travel to Boys Ranch this week to try and make their record a perfect 8-0, but since the game is at Boys Ranch, the outcome may be hard to predict. Game time is shortly after the 7th grade game.

the glory with only 25 seconds left in the game. The hard fought 2-point conversion by Mackie was good, and Spearman was destroying the Comanches 24-6.

West Texas did try to counter the Lynx with a half back pass that was incomplete and a 40 yard run by #20, but the Lynx were not going to let their guard down that easy, and the game ended with a 24-6 Lynx victory.

Spearman will travel to Boys Ranch this Thursday to take on the Rough Riders. If the Lynx manage to beat them, they will improve their record to 7-1, with only one loss to the Greyhounds at the first of the season.



WOOD WORKING - The second grade Cub Scouts, better known as The Wolf Cubs, were recently visited at their Den Mother's house, Jean Ann Behney, by Orville Latham. Mr. Latham is an expert at wood work and the use of tools for the wood. The scouts were taught the many tools of wood working and the benefits of making things from wood. Pictured here are: (Back Row l to r) Mr. Latham, Wayne Gibson, Caleb Gillaspie, Nicholas Behney, Kyle McGaha, Levi Snyder, Eric Diaz, and Den Mother Jean Ann Behney. (Front Row l to r) Dustin Ellis, Jeremy Burch, Roy Wilmoth, and Brad James. (Photo by Chad Davis)

PUBLICATION COPY - COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANKS		STATE (005 (4-94))		
CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidiaries)				
LEGAL TITLE OF BANK		STATE BANK NO		
FIRST STATE BANK		1107-37		
P O BOX 247		FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO		
SPEARMAN TX 79081		11 13 17844		
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE	
SPEARMAN	HANSFORD	TEXAS	79081	
		CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE		
		SEPTEMBER 30, 1994		
Dollar Amounts in Thousands				
ASSETS		Bill	Mil	Thou
1 Cash and balances due from depository institutions			2	608
a Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin				14
b Interest-bearing balances				
2 Securities			21	395
a Held-to-maturity securities				12
b Available-for-sale securities				233
3 Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs				450
a Federal funds sold				0
b Securities purchased under agreements to resell				
4 Loans and lease financing receivables			26	107
a Loans and leases, net of unearned income				387
b LESS Allowance for loan and lease losses				0
c LESS Allocated transfer risk reserve				
d Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c)				25
5 Assets held in trading accounts				0
6 Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)				937
7 Other real estate owned				36
8 Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies				0
9 Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding				0
10 Intangible assets				0
11 Other assets				1
12 a Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)				65
b Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)				N/A
c Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12 a and 12 b)				65
LIABILITIES				
13 Deposits				53
a In domestic offices				6
(1) Noninterest-bearing				6
(2) Interest-bearing				46
b In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs				0
(1) Noninterest-bearing				0
(2) Interest-bearing				0
14 Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs				0
a Federal funds purchased				0
b Securities sold under agreements to repurchase				0
15 a Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury				0
b Trading liabilities				0
16 Other borrowed money				0
a With original maturity of one year or less				0
b With original maturity of more than one year				0
17 Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases				0
18 Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding				0
19 Subordinated notes and debentures				337
20 Other liabilities				0
21 Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)				53
22 Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus				0
EQUITY CAPITAL				
23 Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding)				0
24 Common stock (No. of shares a Authorized b Outstanding)				200,000
				200,000
25 Surplus				7
a Undivided profits and capital reserves				90
b Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities				
27 Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments				11
28 a Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)				N/A
b Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)				11
c Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28 a & 28 b)				11
29 Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28 c)				65
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:				
1 a Standby letters of credit Total				122
b Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a conveyed to others through participations				0
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report. If we, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.				
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		DATE SIGNED		
[Signature]		OCTOBER 27, 1994		
NAME(S) AND TITLE(S) OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		AREA CODE/PHONE NO		
ROBERT C. SCHNELL V.P.		(806) 639-5565		
We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.				
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR		SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR		
[Signature]		[Signature]		
STATE OF TEXAS		COUNTY OF HANSFORD		
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of October 1994		[Signature]		
My commission expires July 24, 1998		CHERYL D. HILL		
		MY COMMISSION EXPIRES July 24, 1998		

1994 SPEARMAN LYNX FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

Varsity

Sept. 2 - Panhandle, H, 8 p.m.	Oct. 7 - *Stratford, T, 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 9 - Memphis, T, 8 p.m.	Oct. 14 - OPEN
Sept. 16 - Clarendon, T, 8 p.m.	Oct. 21 - *Gruver, H, 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 23 - Perryton, H, 8 p.m.	Oct. 28 - *West Texas, T, 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 30 - **Fritch, H, 8 p.m.	Nov. 4 - *Boys Ranch, H, 7:30 p.m.

**Homecoming

*District Games

Junior Varsity

Sept. 1 - Stratford, T, 5 p.m.	Oct. 6 - Stratford, H, 8 p.m.
Sept. 8 - Sunray, H, 5 p.m.	Oct. 13 - Sunray, T, 8 p.m.
Sept. 15 - Gruver, H, 8 p.m.	Oct. 20 - Gruver, T, 8 p.m.
Sept. 22 - West Texas, T, 8 p.m.	Oct. 27 - West Texas, H, 8 p.m.
Sept. 29 - Boys Ranch, H, 8 p.m.	Nov. 3 - Boys Ranch, T, 8 p.m.

Junior High

Sept. 15 - Gruver, H, 5 p.m.	Oct. 13 - Sunray, T, 5 p.m.
Sept. 22 - West Texas, T, 5 p.m.	Oct. 20 - Gruver, T, 5 p.m.
Sept. 29 - Boys Ranch, H, 5 p.m.	Oct. 27 - West Texas, H, 5 p.m.
Oct. 6 - Stratford, H, 5 p.m.	Nov. 3 - Boys Ranch, T, 5 p.m.

Boys Ranch at Spearman



MARKETPLACE - JOLLY ROGER - PAY-N-SAVE
CONVENIENCE STORES

1804 Hall Avenue
Littlefield, Texas 79339
In Spearman at 505 Plains Shopping Center

Wellington at Canadian



GRUVER STATE BANK

3 Main Plaza
Gruver, Tx. (806) 733-5061
Member FDIC



DEAN CLUCK CATTLE CO., LTD.

HCR 3, Box 47
Wheeler at Booker Gruver, Tx. 79040
(806) 733-5021

Highland Park at Clarendon

GILLASPIE

AUTO & TRUCK CENTER, INC.
CHEVROLET, OLDS, BUICK, PONTIAC
CHRYSLER, PLYMOUTH, DODGE
Highway 207 South • P.O. Box 430
Spearman, Texas 79081
(806) 659-2541

See us for all your automotive needs:
Sales
Service
Parts

Lone Star Service Center

HCR 3, Box 39
Gruver, Tx. 79040
(806) 733-5263

Panhandle at Memphis



The Hansford County

Reporter-Statesman

Serving Hansford County Since 1907
211 Main • Spearman, Texas 79081

1994 FOOTBALL CONTEST

--- RULES --- RULES --- RULES ---

1. In each advertiser's box you will find the name of a team playing this weekend. Place the team you think will win in the entry form below.
2. Fill in your name, address and phone number (please print) and sign the entry.
3. Entries in Spearman may be turned in at the Reporter-Statesman Office. Gruver Residents may turn in their entries at the Gruver City Hall or mail them to: Reporter-Statesman, Box 458, Spearman, Tx. 79081. Deadline for entries is 5 p.m. Friday and mailed entries must have an official U.S. Post Office postmark dated no later than Friday. Winners will be picked on Monday mornings after mail delivery.
4. No photocopies will be accepted.
5. The tie-breaker will be used to break ties. In the event of entries having the same tie-breaker then the winner will be determined by blind draw. The tie-breaker is the total number of points scored (combined - both teams) on the game of the week.

1st Prize - \$25
2nd Prize - \$15
3rd Prize - \$5



The Hansford County

Reporter-Statesman

Serving Hansford County Since 1907
211 Main • Spearman, Texas 79081

Tie-Breaker:

Total points scored
in 'Game of the Week'



- Lowe's Marketplace: _____
- Gruver State Bank: _____
- Dean Cluck Cattle Co.: _____
- Gillaspie: _____
- Lone Star Service Center: _____
- Main Street Store: _____
- L&M Water Well Service: _____
- J&M Service Center: _____
- Equity: _____
- Little Tiffanies: _____
- Gruver Insurance Agency: _____
- Bartlett's Ace Hardware: _____
- Paschel Irrigation, Inc.: _____
- Larry's Welding: _____
- Gruver Ford, Inc.: _____
- Gruver Redi-Mix: _____
- Caprock #1 & #2: _____
- KRDF Radio: _____
- Sunray Co-op: _____
- Cates Mens & Boys Wear: _____
- Hansford Supply, Inc.: _____
- G&G Foodliner: _____
- Palo Duro Feeders, Inc.: _____

Name: _____
Address: _____
Town: _____
Phone: _____
Signature: _____

Amarillo Palo Duro at Plainview



506 Main Gruver, Tx. 733-5040

1994 GRUVER GREYHOUNDS FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

Varsity

Sept. 2 - Wheeler, T, 7:30p.m.	Oct. 7 - Boys Ranch, T, 7:30p.m.
Sept. 9 - Texhoma, T, 8 p.m.	Oct. 14 - Stratford, H, 7:30p.m.
Sept. 16 - Highland Park, H, 7:30p.m.	Oct. 21 - Spearman, T, 7:30p.m.
Sept. 23 - *Booker, H, 7:30p.m.	Oct. 28 - OPEN
Sept. 30 - Panhandle, H, 8 p.m.	Nov. 4 - West Texas, H, 7:30p.m.

*Homecoming

Junior Varsity

Sept. 1 - Boys Ranch, T, 6 p.m.	Oct. 6 - Boys Ranch, H, 6 p.m.
Sept. 8 - Stratford, H, 6 p.m.	Oct. 13 - Stratford, T, 6 p.m.
Sept. 15 - Spearman, T, 6 p.m.	Oct. 20 - Spearman, H, 6 p.m.
Sept. 22 - Sunray, H, 6 p.m.	Oct. 27 - Sunray, T, 6 p.m.
Sept. 29 - West Texas, H, 6 p.m.	Nov. 3 - West Texas, T, 6 p.m.

Junior High

Sept. 15 - Spearman, T, 5 p.m.	Oct. 13 - Stratford, T, 5 p.m.
Sept. 22 - Sunray, H, 5 p.m.	Oct. 20 - Spearman, H, 5 p.m.
Sept. 29 - West Texas, H, 5 p.m.	Oct. 27 - Sunray, T, 5 p.m.
Oct. 6 - Boys Ranch, H, 5 p.m.	Nov. 3 - West Texas, T, 5 p.m.

L&M Water Well Service

Box 933 Gruver, Tx. 79040
Shop - (806) 733-2991 or 733-2996



Domestic Pumps & Well Supplies
Windmill Repair

Amarillo Caprock at Dumas

Pampa at Hereford

Tires • Flats • Oil & Lube • Wash • Brakes & Motor Repairs • Front End Alignments

J & M Service Center

24 Hour Road Service

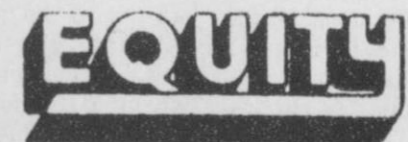
DAVID PEARSON - Owner
(806) 659-5519



415 Collard
Spearman, TX 79081
24 Hr. Service
(806) 659-3352

Spearman
659-2420

Gruver
733-2280



Grain Handling - Farmland Feeds
Fertilizer Application

Holt
659-2390

Samnorwood at Lefors

Morse
733-2318

Little Tiffanies

DIAMONDS - FINE JEWELRY
BRIDAL REGISTRY



White Deer at Sunray

103 E. Broadway
Gruver, Tx. 79040

(806) 733-5290
(806) 733-2759

Leon O. "Corky" Chapman

Gruver

Insurance Agency
GRUVER, TEXAS

120 Main
Nite (806) 733-5194
Office (806) 733-2422

- Federal Crop
 - Crop Hail
 - Life
 - Health
- Shamrock at Groom



Bort CONTINUED FROM PAGE 9

94. There will be a lot of talent there.

More basketball. Here are my predictions for the top six Hounds/Lady Hounds' teams for 1994-95 (And Coach Myatt didn't think I had the guts to do this....)

1. 7th grade Lady Hounds - This team has Janae Watley, Becky Cassady, Krystal Deeds and Annie Mayhew as its nucleus, four veteran AAU players from the past two summers. One year they even went to Nationals in Indiana! There are other super players on this team, sight unseen! My prediction is a perfect 16-0. They may lose a couple or three games and it would be no disaster. But I don't see them getting beat by any seventh grade team in this area. Coach Sheila Watley is ready to say, "Go get 'em!" And I say there won't be any teams that they won't get...

2. Varsity Lady Hounds - This team could be a perfect 28-0, if they hadn't lost Molly McLain for the first part of the season. It is mostly great depth that Molly would give them. There will be games where they will get themselves in foul trouble against a good team, and with only eight players, they could suffer a handful of defeats. But the talent just doesn't drop off among the eight, and that wouldn't cause any defeats. My prediction is still 25-3, but with Molly, a perfect 6-0 in district competition, a 2-0 record in practice games, then a 6-0 record in the playoffs for the state championship and a final record of 33-3.

3. JV Hounds - With the five juniors returning, all starters for the JV on and off last year when they won 11 of their last 12 games, and finished 17-9, I don't see many better JV teams in the area. Brant

Armes and Buster McLain are super freshmen. It all depends on when and if Coach Tim Garland wants to fill that 15th spot on the varsity roster, or give all these boys a lot of playing time on the JV. My prediction is 23-3, as they will perhaps be defeated by teams such as Borger and teams in the Borger Tournament. Perhaps not, also. But they will be a perfect 8-0 in district competition.

4. 7th grade Hounds - This is a long-shot, with all of these players sight unseen. Yes, Dallas Henson. Yes, Bray Armes. Yes, Dan Odom. They were AAU players, I think. Jared Christian, if he is as good at basketball as football. I know very little of them. Many others, I'm sure, sight unseen. This is a guess, but an educated guess. 14-3. That's my prediction. We'll see. In any case, a fine team for Coach Duncan.

5. JV Lady Hounds - Coach Myatt may decimate this team by calling up 3 or 4 girls to the varsity at some point this season - maybe even at the start of the season - but if they stick together, my prediction is 17-4, and a perfect 6-0 in district competition for Coach Jim Davis. Four members of this team are getting varsity experience now, just by working out with the varsity. Who knows where they will stick - varsity or junior varsity? My prediction is even if they lose 3-4 girls, there is enough talent on this team to win anyway. The 17-4 prediction stands.

6. Varsity Hounds - They did lose Jarrod Hoel, but they gained three tough seniors. This is very difficult to predict. When this team will gel is not known, but they will gel. My prediction is 19-10, and the district championship in a very tough district with a 6-2 record,

and a playoff with West Texas, with Gruver winning at Dumas, just like last year. I won't even venture to guess how far they will get in the playoffs. Hopefully all the way. A lot depends on how good a team the become - how good they play as a team, with no really dominant player, like Hoel last year. Like the Lady Hounds, who return eight players, the Hounds will be a veteran ball club, returning 11 players from last year's team that nearly made the playoffs! What if they gel early, shortly after the start of the season? This could be a super team!

Please note: Some of these record change if the Hounds advance in the football playoffs, and that is what we are hoping for!

The first annual GJHS sixth grade football game was held this past Friday, October 28, and the White Team beat the Red Team 12-6. Bradley Duncan scored from about five yards out, and the White Team took an early 6-0 lead. It looked like that score might hold up, but in the fourth quarter with a little over three minutes left, Aaron Weller scored from a couple of yards out, and the Red Team had tied the game 6-6.

But then, on a very exciting play, Corey Schneider ran the sweep around the left end and scored from about 35 yards out with only four seconds left in the game for the White Team, to give them the victory. It was an exiting first game for the youngest of Hounds.

Lynx CONTINUED FROM PAGE 8

the stops and drive for another touchdown. On the drive, Phillip Sanders, who rushed for 14 yards on only 2 carries, and Shawn Moore, who rushed for 35 yards on just 3 carries, helped to set up the score. This time it was Moore who defied the wall of defensive lineman and busted through for the 1 yard touchdown. Elliot went on to kick his second extra point of the night, however, Spearman's effort was not enough and the game ended, 35-14.

Statistically, the Lynx rushed for 94 yards on 31 carries, which brought them to 3.03 yards per carry. Wilky threw the ball 15 times for 4 completions and 19 yards and one touchdown. This brought Spearman to a total of 113 yards

compared to West Texas's dominating 315 yards.

Individually, Shawn Moore rushed for 58 yards on 18 carries and led the Spearman back field. Phillip Sanders rushed for 21 yards on 3 carries, and making his big running back first appearance was Coyt Tigrett, who rushed for 8 yards on 3 carries.

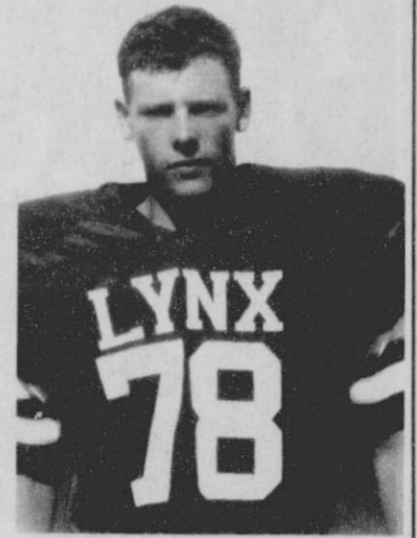
As far as receiving, Josh Furlow led the way with 2 catches for 19 yards and one touchdown. Moore also had 1 catch for 4 yards.

The Lynx will play their last home game, as well as their last game of the season Friday night, as they will be hosting the Ranch. Game time is scheduled for 8:00 P.M.

Lynx Players of the Week



DEFENSIVE PLAYER
CODY MCLEOD



OFFENSIVE PLAYER
JASON HOLTON

Hounds CONTINUED FROM PAGE 9

yards. The third score came on a 60 yard burst, a touchdown run by back Travis Bayless with 45 seconds left in the third quarter.

Armes completed passes to six different receivers - Sursa, McNett, Smith, Juan Bravo, Bayless, and McLain. In addition, Armes caught a pass himself. How about that for a performance.

McNett rushed for 103 yards on 14 carries.

According to Coach Duncan, the entire defense played well for the second week in a row. Last week they shut out Spearman's offense. Here is the defense against Sunray:

Ends: Rob Murrell, McLain

Defensive line: Heath Tolleason, Matt Overbey, Scott Stedje.

Linebackers: Cesar Garcia, Smith, Jeb Lee.

Cornerbacks: Sursa, John Duncan.

Safeties: Bravo, Erik Pando, Armes.

This week these teams will be travelling to Stinnett to battle the West Texas High Comanches' teams on Thursday November 3 beginning at 5 p.m. for the 7th grade game.



Here's one for the road: the word "road," it's believed, comes from the Middle English word: *rode*, meaning a mounted journey.

Game of the Week
West Texas at Gruver

Bartlett's
ACE Hardware
Greener Lumber Company
105 W. Broadway, Gruver, Tx. (806) 733-2404

GRUVER REDI-MIX

P.O. BOX 12
Gruver, Texas 79040

Business 733-2907 Residence 733-2583

Small Enough To Know You...
But Large Enough To Serve You...

Sanford-Fritch at Perryton

GATES
Mens & Boys Wear

221 Main • Spearman
659-3426

212 S. Main • Perryton
435-4261

Miami at Syracuse

Amarillo River Road at Childress

Paschel Irrigation Inc.

Richard & Arlene Paschel
(806) 659-5228
Hwy 15 W. • P.O. Box 69
Spearman, TX 79081

Reinke is the leader in
Innovation in the Pivot Industry.

REINKE
THE FIRST NAME IN IRRIGATION

"We Support Our Local Teams"

CAPROCK #1 & #2

Mike Heard, General Manager
(806) 733-5025

"Custom Cattle Feeding"

QUALITY CAPROCK'S BRAND

Eastern New Mexico
at West Texas A&M

HANSFORD SUPPLY, INC.

210 Main
Gruver, Tx.
(806) 733-2469
(806) 733-2340
Fax: (806) 733-5102

Detroit Lions at Green Bay Packers

Canyon at Borger

Larry's Welding

Box 933 Gruver, Tx.
Shop - (806) 733-2991 or 2996

Full Service Shop - Custom Pen Building
Underground Line - Irrigation Supplies
Ditching & Backhoe Service

KRDF - fm
98.3 STEREO

Virginia at Duke

(806) 659-2529
FAX (806) 659-3421
605 E. Kenneth Ave. • P. O. Box 307
Spearman, Texas 79081

Denver Broncos at Los Angeles Rams

G&G FOODLINER

516 Main • Gruver
733-2471

GRUVER FORD, INC.

Dalhart at Tulia

531 Main Street
P.O. Box 767 Gruver, Tx. 79040 (806) 733-2431

Texas A&M at Texas

Sunray Co-op

KERMIT MCKEE
Gruver Branch Manager

North Highway 136
P.O. Box 91
Gruver, Texas 79040

Branch Office: (806) 733-2481
Phone: (806) 948-4121
Fax: (806) 948-5606

Arizona Cardinals
at Philadelphia Eagles

Palo Duro Feeders, Inc.

Gruver, Tx. (806) 733-2416



SHS CHOIR - The Spearman High School Choir put on a fall festive recently for the citizens of Spearman to enjoy. They are (Top Row l to r) Brooke Adams, Amanda Bures, Amy Schoenhals, Derrick Burnett, Alvin Harbour, Gabriel Rodriguez, Lucas Biggs, Joe Jenkins, Josh Furlow, Kelly Shieldknight, Tina Baumgardner, and Kacee Smith. (4th Row l to r) Chrissy Odneal, Crystal Boyd, Haley Eaton, Kiki Kelp, Josh Winegarner, Felix Lopez, Jason Babilzke, Val Macias, Cari Babilzke, Tara Butt, and Kelly Goodman. (3rd Row l to r) Tracy Powers, Ronda Renner, Cary

Alvarado, Blake Beedy, Frankie Dominguez, Tony Ortiz, Carol Alvarado, Jana Ellsworth, and Patricia Ortega. (2nd Row l to r) Michele Elliott, Lacie Baker, Mandi Porter, Cheile Ortiz, Angie Rosales, Heath Archer, Oscar Rojas, Maggi Carter, Jennifer Hughes, Misty Vera, and Denice Bridges-Director. (Bottom Row l to r) Lyndee Cook, Brea Archer, Anna Villarreal, Bertha Vargas, Gina Kunselman, Clint Faries, Sandi Rich, Leann Swan, Sasha Flores, and Amanda Lomeli. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

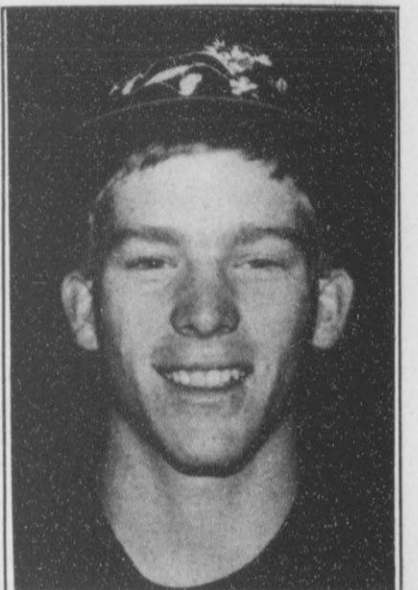
TxDot road work nears completion

HUTCHINSON COUNTY - An ongoing project on State Highway 136 between Fritch and Borger is nearing completion. Weather permitting, Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) crews will open the highway to four lane traffic between Ranch Market (RM) road 1319 and the Hutchinson County Precinct 2 barn on Tuesday, November 8. Kenneth Petr, Borger Area Engineer for TxDOT's Amarillo District, says, "Work on SH 136 is complete for the winter season. Drivers in Hutchinson County will have the luxury of a four-lane highway for the rest of

the year." Work on SH 136 will resume next spring. When completed, the stretch of highway between RM 1319 and the Hutchinson County Precinct 2 barn will feature four driving lanes and a continuous center turning lane. The project helps fulfill TxDOT's mission to work cooperatively to provide safe, effective, and efficient movement of people and goods.

Workshop for MS slated at Pampa

Dr. Rohaidy will present "Kids Talk MS" workshops on Saturday, November 12, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Dr. Haydee Rohaidy, Amarillo neurologist, will present workshops for young children, teens, and their parents at the Shepherd's Crook Nursing Agency, 2225 Perryton Parkway, in Pampa. This is the third annual "Kids Talk MS" program sponsored by the Panhandle Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. There is no charge for this family program. For more information, call Fredricka Gens at the MS office, 372-4429 or 1-800-344-4867.



SCHOLARSHIPWINNER - The Neal L. Thompson Scholarship was recently awarded to Brad Law, an Oklahoma Panhandle State University freshman agriculture business major from Spearman. He is the son of Sandy Law. (Photo courtesy of OPSU)

SISD students share poems with public

Original Poems by Gus Birdwell Elementary School's 5th Graders.

A WINTER RARE
By Cheryl Gibson, Shandy McDonald, Clint Jackson, Nicholas Benton and Jason Blau.

In a snowy forest
Every thing was still
until . . . I heard a rapid rustling
in the brush when
I looked ahead
I saw moving snow
Still, I didn't know
What move there.
Then two eyes, red and round
Blinked in the snowy mound
It was a winter hare
Sitting there
So still.
Suddenly from nowhere
Came an enormous polar bear
I blink
I stare
The hare
Is not there

BRIDGE LIKE RAINBOW
By Homer Munoz, Stacy Einck, Laura Gillaspie, Matt Dunning and Shae'la Pearson.

A bridge in London
Curved like a rainbow
Over gently flowing water
But its colors fell
Into the stream—one year ago.
Now the bridge is bruised cement gray.
Gloomy people don't walk that way any more.
One year ago the water rose high and slapped the rainbow bridge's boldness.
The clouds wept raindrops to see the colors swept away.
At the bottom of the stream, rocks, fish, and sand remember the way it used to be.
Someday the stream will reach the bridge again
And spray the gray with hope.

LUNCH TIME
By Jennifer Gonzales, Jessican Volden, Annabelle Velazquez, Joe Wilson and Hector Diaz.

The bell rings and I race

Police Report

The Spearman Police Department had a busy week from October 24-30.

10/24/94 6:39 p.m. - Minor traffic accident occurred at 22 S. Archer Street on private property. No injuries were reported, damage was minor.

10/28/94 7:02 p.m. - Spearman Police Officers were dispatched to the 200 Blk. S. Brandt Street regarding shots fired. Officers located two men that had been involved in an altercation, the complainant declined prosecution. Officers were unable to locate any weapons. Case is still under investigation.

10/30/94 3:35 p.m. - A juvenile was bitten by a dog while rollerblading in the 200 blk. of S. Haney. The boy was bitten on the hip. The dog has been placed under observation for ten days.

rapidly to the cafeteria
pushing, shoving, finding a place
in line
Food trays clanking
arguing
stuffing famished faces full of
food
Poking your neighbor and gossiping
playing basketball with your
trash
Racing back to class when the
bell rings
That's what lunch is all about

WISHING BIRD
By Audrey Winegarner, Coy Herrington, Lester Mendias, Alexis Woodward and Charlie Earhart.

If I were a free bird, I would
flutter away
And try to find a beautiful summer
day!
Instead I'm stuck here because
one night
I went wild with rage
And I drank too much and drove
too far
And crashed into an innocent
car.
Now I'm in this cage, and
I am scared and alone
And I want to go home.
Now I wish I wasn't a captive
bird in prison--
I know what I am missin'.
If I were a free bird I would
flutter away
And try to find a better way.

SILLY SHOES
By Randa Morris, T.J. Vasquez, Chad Scarborough, Douglas Ricke and Banesa Ortiz.

I saw them all
at the mall:
The shoes on people's

feet.
Clumping their rhythmic beat.
I saw a pair of Reeboks
dance by.
Then, I saw a pair of Nike Airs
float by like a boat on water.
Next, came cowboy boots,
jingling spurs
and pointy toes.
After that, a pair
of pink ballet "boots,"
petite and sweet on tiny feet.
Next, I saw some silly shoes
with five toes each!
Wait!
Those aren't shoes!
Those are feet.

WONDERLAND
By Erin Boxwell, Heather Garcia, Osiel Flores, and Charles Davis.

I wander in wonder
In a land down under
Clouds of cotton candy pink.
Laughter leaps in screams
From rides out of dreams
Of which you'd never think.

SIX FLAGS
By Misti Hand, Amber Elliott, Brett Widener, and Bethanie Flores.

The Texas Giant is a scream
The screeching and splashing are
sensational.
The rides are slithering snakes

**For Your
BBQ or Smoked Turkey
call
Sutphen's BBQ**
(in the Panhandle for 44 years)
806/273-6442
303 N. Cedar
Borger, TX

**Don't Miss
Another Issue!**

**SUBSCRIBE
NOW**

**\$19.95 in county
\$24.95 out of county**

Spearman Gruber
REPORTER-STATESMAN

213 Main • P.O. Box 458 • Spearman, Tx. 79081
(806)659-3434 • 1-800-395-9482

REPORT OF CONDITION	
Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the First National Bank of Spearman in the state of Texas, at the close of business on September 30, 1994, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 18609, Comptroller of the Currency, Southwest District.	
Dollar Amounts in Thousands	
ASSETS	
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	921
Interest-bearing balances	4,550
Securities:	
Held-to-maturity securities	7,642
Available-for-sale securities	2,448
Federal funds sold	0
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	26,543
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	259
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	26,284
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	598
Other real estate owned	4
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	1,005
Total assets	43,452
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	0
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	43,452
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	39,188
Noninterest-bearing	3,402
Interest-bearing	35,786
Federal funds purchased	575
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
Trading liabilities	0
Other borrowed money:	
With original maturity of one year or less	0
With original maturity of more than one year	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Subordinated notes and debentures	286
Other liabilities	40,049
Total liabilities	0
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	0
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0
Common stock	1,000
Surplus	1,000
Undivided profits and capital reserves	1,417
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities	(14)
Total equity capital	3,403
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	0
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	3,403
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	43,452
We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.	
I, Lynarve Maize	
Vice President & Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
 Bill Pittman Don Johnson Gene Buck	 Lynarve Maize Signature 10-28-94 Date
FDIC 8040/54C (Page 2)	

"IT'S FOR YOU"...
The Classifieds Have Something For Everyone!

The Home Seller...
The Car Buyer...
The Do-It-Yourselfer...
The Mother's Helper...
The Job Seeker...
The Bargain Reaper...

When you want results, turn to The Classifieds.

The Hansford County Reporter-Statesman

Serving Hansford County Since 1907

Telephone: 1-800-395-9482 or (806)659-3434

REAL ESTATE

AA Realty

Allen Alford - Broker • 659-3034
Julie Martin - Sales • 659-2425
Larry Trosper - Sales • 659-3491

1017 Townsend - 3/2/1 - New lower price!
1105 S. Haney - 3 BR, 1 1/2 B, REDUCED
725 Cotter - 3 BR, 1 1/2 B, c.vd. patio
1103 S. Townsend - 3/1 1/4, 1, good loc.
510 S. Endicott - 3-2, 2 story
417 S. Drossen - 3, 1 3/4, 1, garden, patio, HWD FL, FP, SPKR. SYS.
NEW LISTING
1107 S. Barkley - 3, 1 1/2, 2, BELOW APPRAISAL!
Good Hanger & Storage - Old Airport
16 Glover Pl. - 3/2/2, exceptionally nice
1017 Wilmetth Dr. - 5/2/2, two story w/bsmt
412 Roland - 3/1/1, make offer
FOR QUALITY & SERVICE CALL US TODAY
We Need Your Listing.

REAL ESTATE

Century 21
GOLDEN SPREAD REALTY

Janye Helton Pointer, Broker Owner
435-5444

117 Brandt - Just listed, a real buy on this "3 bedroom!"

Crawford Addition:
2 - 1^{3/4} • Will look at all offers!
2 - 1 • Small and affordable!

315 1/2 N. Bernice: Lot for sale.
East 7th Street - 9 mobile home lots. Buy one or all!

© and ™ trademarks of Century 21 Real Estate Corporation. Equal Housing Opportunity. INDEPENDENTLY OWNED AND OPERATED

FOR SALE BY OWNER - 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, storm door and windows, fireplace, ceiling fans, 14 closets, 1 car garage, 1728 sq. ft. \$35,000 - 605 Cluck, Gruver. Call 733-2015.
S28, 3tp RTN

Three Bedroom Brick, two baths, double garage, lots of trees, 1.8 acres, horse barn, 26 by 36 shop. 205 E. 10th, Gruver, Texas. Call J.W. Whitaker at 733-2433. Also 1983 Coachman Motor-home. S30, 1tp/RTN.

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, 2 living areas, large utility room, new heat and air, covered patio, fenced, large storage shed, lots of storage, fresh and ready to move into. Call 659-3647. S39, RTN?

THREE ADJACENT HOUSES FOR SALE - A. 620 S. Bernice, 2400 sq. ft., \$30,000 - currently occupied by seller. B. 620 1/2 S. Bernice, 1200 sq. ft., \$15,000 - currently rented at \$300/mo. C. 608 S. Bernice, 1500 sq. ft., \$27,500 - currently rented at \$300/mo. Properties A&B together \$39,500; All three properties as a unit, \$65,000. Assumable loans. For more information contact Ed Pearson at 806/659-3851.
S31, 1tc RTN

GREAT HOUSE IN GREAT LOCATION FOR SALE
2100 sq. ft., basement, double car garage, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, big den, fireplace, living room, ceiling fans, central heat and air. 702 Gibner. Call 659-3838, 659-3970, or 733-5555.
S42, RTN

FOR SALE-No Sign: 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, 1450 sq. ft., remodeled kitchen, 12x12 covered deck, \$31,500. Not for rent/407 W. 12th. Call 659-3956.
S48, RTN

HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1 bath with attached garage, private fenced back yard, built-in appliances. Call 659-3523.
S53, RTN

FOR RENT: Trailer park spaces for rent. Located on S.E. 7th and Loop road, Spearman. \$30 per month. Call 435-5080.
S23, 1tc/RTN

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house, fenced back yard. Day 659-2506 - after 6:00-659-2327.
S49, RTN

3 1/4 sections all in Blk. 1, WCR survey, Hansford Co.,
SW/4 SEC. 1 - 160.91 ac. m/l, 1 - 8" irrig well, row watered.
SEC. 2 - 648 ac. m/l, 197 ac. CRP, \$20/ac./yr. to buyer, expires 1998, bal. native grass.
SEC. 3 - 646 ac. m/l, 1 - 8" irrig. well, row watered, 400 ac. cropland, bal. pasture w/ windmill.
SEC. 11 - 646 ac. m/l, 632.8 ac. CRP, \$20./ac./yr. to buyer, expires 1997.
Co. listed with Bob Pratt Real Estate
Guyton, OK. 405-338-6779.

PONDER LAND COMPANY
935-5145

FOR RENT

FOR RENT
4 BDR. 3 B. 2 living areas, kitchen, dining area, utility room with cabinets, panel sunroom, storm cellar, fenced backyard. \$500/month at 703 Steele Dr. Call 802-365-9742.

FOR RENT OR FOR SALE: Three bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, attached two car garage, fenced back yard. Call 659-3017.
S54, 1tp

FOR RENT: One bedroom newly decorated, furnished apartments, utilities paid. Call 659-3260.
S47, RTN

RENT TO OWN: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, brick, carpet, central air and heat, fenced back yard. See at 1004 Townsend or call 659-2245 or 435-8746.
S50, RTN

JAN'S ETC. NEW & USED & ANTIQUES TOO

Everything for home and family. Plains Shopping Center in Spearman

Open Monday - Saturday
10 a.m. til 6 p.m.

Are You A Victim of Physical Abuse?
Call Toll Free 1-800-753-5308

We are in Spearman on the 1st, 3rd, & 5th Wednesdays of each month at the First Presbyterian Church, 1021 Cotter. On the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays we are at the First Christian Church at 510 King in Gruver. We can come to Spearman & Gruver any time upon request. We operate a safe place for victims & their children to stay in times of crisis.

Panhandle Crisis Center
Serving Hansford, Lipscomb & Ochiltree Counties
317 S. Main Memorials Accepted Perryton, Tx.

SERVICES

PITS CLEANED: Dragline or Loader. Call LeeRoy Mitchell, 733-2384 or 733-2175. S47, 1tc/RTN.

WEIGHT WATCHERS is now meeting every Monday in Gruver. For more information, please call 1-800-359-3131. S13, 1tc/RTN.

CALL YOUR LOCAL Used Cow Dealer for days a week stock removal. 659-3544 or 1-800-692-4043. Serving Cattlemen for the past 20 years. G51/RTN.

J & M Service Center 24-Hour Service 415 Collard, Spearman 79081. 659-5519 or 659-3352. Tires, flats, oil & lube, wash, brakes, batteries and minor repairs. Now selling gas. S27, 1tc/RTN.

CLIFCO WINDSHIELD REPAIR SERVICE Don't replace your damaged windshields. Mobile service: 435-0126. Home phone: 435-9149. And toll free at 1-800-753-9849. Ask for Clifford Cox. S43, RTN

Free Bible Correspondence Course. Write P.O. Box 604, Perryton, TX 79070. S46, RTN

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

OWN YOUR OWN APPAREL OR SHOW STORE Choose: Jean/Sportswear, Bridal, Lingerie, Maternity, or Accessories Store. Over 2000 name brands. \$24,900 to \$36,900: inventory, training, fixtures, grand opening, etc. Can open 15 days. Mr. Loughlin (612) 888-6555. S47, 2tp

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: North Plains Home Health, Inc. has immediate openings for CARING and COM-PASSIONATE RN/LVN and Home Health Aides to provide local home health care. Excellent pay and working conditions. For more information and/or application contact Vera Dominguez at 120 Main, Gruver or call 733-5808. S53, 2tc

HELP WANTED: Part time dispatcher. Can work into full time position. On the job training. Apply at Hansford Co. Sheriff's Dept. S53, 3tc

AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE: 1984 Ford Truck with 20' van and lift. V-8 diesel engine. Excellent condition. For more information call 659-3432 or 659-2912. S52, RTN

MISC. FOR SALE

ATTENTION SHOPPERS: Perryton Satellite Center is hosting its 24th annual craft festival at the county EXPO building in Perryton on Nov. 19th from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Nov. 20th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Food and refreshments may be purchased on the premises from the Wheatheart Shriners. Drawing for a free color T.V. on Nov. 20th at 4 p.m. Over 150 exhibitors offer you many unique hand-made items. S54, 3tc

3 ARCH STYLE BUILDINGS: New, never erected, can deliver. 40x30 was \$5850 now \$2900; 40x64 was \$9900 now \$5760; 50x100 was \$16500 now \$9900. Endwalls are available. 1-800-320-2340. S54, 2tp

FOR SALE: 6 man hot tub, like new \$2500. Call 5016. S53, RTN

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Texas Refinery Corp. needs mature person now in Spearman area. Regardless of training, write W.G. Hopkins, Box 711, Ft. Worth, TX 76101. S54, 4tc

HELP WANTED: Part-time attendants wanted to help with the handicap and elderly. Call Caprock Primary Home Care at 352-8480. S54, 2tc

GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, November 4th, 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. both days. Baby items, clothing, furniture, appliances and miscellaneous. 421 1/2 S. Endicott in alley. S54, 1tp

WANTED

WANTED: Milo cutting. Have 9500 JD. Call 435-3357 after 9 p.m. S53, 2tc

EMPLOYMENT WANTED: Lighthousekeeping-part-time. Call 659-2184. S52, 1tc

NEW TRAMPOLINES
Mats & springs
Resew trampoline mats.
Make new boat covers.
Call (806)659-2109
Harry Stumpf
301 W. 12th
Spearman, Texas

PUBLIC NOTICE

TO: RAY EDWARD BAIN, RESPONDENT, GREETING:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Petitioner's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 12th day of December, 1994, before the Honorable 84th Judicial District Court of Hansford County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Spearman, Texas. Said Petitioner's Petition was filed in said Court, on the 13th day of October, 1994, in this cause, numbered 4071 on the docket of said court, and styled, In the Matter of the Marriage of ELAINE BAIN and RAY EDWARD BAIN and in the Interest of MATTHEW RAY BAIN and AMANDA CHRISTEN BAIN, Minor Children. The court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: See ORIGINAL PETITION FOR DIVORCE, as is more fully shown by Petitioner's Petition on file in this suit. The name and address of the attorney for the Petitioner is: DAVID T. SCOTT, Box 88, Perryton, Tx 79070. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Spearman, Texas, this the 24th day of October A.D., 1994.
AMELIA C. JOHNSON, Clerk
84th Judicial District Court
Hansford County, Texas
By Kim V. Vera Deputy S53, 4tc

NOTICE

The Spearman Housing Authority is now taking applications for residents. Eligible applicants will be placed on a community-wide waiting list. Families with the following incomes are especially needed for occupancy at the Housing Authority:

FAMILY SIZE	FAMILY INCOME
	From To
1 Person	\$11,800 \$18,850
2 Person	\$13,500 \$21,500
3 Person	\$15,150 \$24,250
4 Person	\$16,850 \$26,950
5 Person	\$18,200 \$29,100
6 Person	\$19,500 \$31,250
7 Person	\$20,900 \$33,450
8 Person	\$22,250 \$35,600

Rent is based on family income minus allowances for children and elderly occupants. For more information, contact Gary Elsworth at Spearman City Hall or call 659-2524 from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. The Spearman Housing Authority does not discriminate based on race, religion, sex, age, disability, national origin or other classification protected by federal and state laws.

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE
Bill and Ginger Pittman intend to apply to the Federal Reserve Board for permission to acquire 0.1% which will result in their owning a total of 10.05% of the common stock of Spearman Bancshares whose subsidiary is First National Bank, Spearman, TX pursuant to the Change in Bank Control Act of 1978 (12 USC 1817 (j)). This Act requires that persons proposing to acquire significant ownership interests in a state member bank or bank holding company give 60 days prior notice to the Federal Reserve. For purposes of the statute, an acquisition of control includes the acquisition by a person or group of persons acting in concert of 25 percent or more of any class of voting securities of the bank or bank holding company. Prior notice may also be required of a person or group of persons acting in concert if the transaction results in that person(s) being the largest shareholder with between 10 and 25 percent of the shares of the bank or bank holding company.

You are invited to submit comments in writing on this application to the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Banking Supervision, P.O. Box 659006, Dallas, Texas 75265-5906. The comment period will not end before (date to be determined must be no less than 20 days from the date of this notice) and may be somewhat longer. The Board's procedures for processing Federal Register 5603 (February 14, 1984). Procedures for processing protested applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. 262.25 (1984). To obtain a copy of the Board's procedures or if you need more information about how to submit your comments on the notice, contact Mr. Michael Johnson, Director-Applications, at the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, at (214)922-6081. The Federal Reserve will consider your comments and any request for a public meeting or formal hearing on the application if they are received by the Reserve Bank on or before the last date of the comment period.
S54, 1tc

FOR SALE
550 hd pre-conditioned cattle ready for wheat.
Also custom pre-conditioning!
Call Sparks Bros.-788-2972
or Richard Hampton-788-2058-Mobile-898-2129

CLASSIFIED RATE
\$4.00 first insertion
\$3.00 each additional insertion (30 words or less)
13¢ each word over 30
Legal Notices: 15¢ per word

Precision Sweep Airseeding
Quick, Economical, Minimum Tillage
•200 Acres (\$25/A)
+200 Acres (\$5.75/A)
Bob Williams
435-4835

OSGOOD MONUMENT CO.
Amarillo, Texas

Dealers of Rock of Ages Granite, as well as all colored granites, marble and bronze memorials.
Represented by
Boxwell Bros. Funeral Home
519 S. Evans
659-3802

TexSCAN
Statewide Classified Advertising Network

More than 300 Texas newspapers for \$250. Call this newspaper for details.
WANTED: "G.M." TECHNICIAN, experienced with new General Motors Products, 5 day work week, good pay-good benefits. Contact Aaron Witt, 806-935-5618, P.O. Box 1058, Dumas, Texas 79029.
DRIVERS/00-LEASE program - no money down. Must meet company/DOT requirements. Late model walk-in conventionals. We're on the move! Call 1-800-927-0431.
TRUCK DRIVERS DRIVE to own! \$0 down or company drivers. Here's our new program. 78¢ all miles. Tractor ownership 30-42 months! Average 10,000+ miles/month! Company training program for students available. New Apple Lines, Inc. 1-800-843-3384/1-800-843-8308 Madison, SD.
ATTENTION DRIVER TEAMS: \$15,000 in bonus. Paid monthly, quarterly & yearly, plus top mileage pay. 401(K) plan, \$500 sign-on bonus. Other paid benefits - Vacation - Health & life - Dead head - Motel/layover - Loading & unloading. Covenant Transport 1-800-441-4394/915-852-3357, solos and students welcome.
DRIVER-BETTER RESPECT & bigger paycheck! Get home often. Assigned trucks & great benefits. \$1,000 experience sign-on bonus. Call anytime - Burlington Motor Carriers: 1-800-JOIN-BMC. EOE.
DRIVERS: FLATBED 48 State OTR. Assigned new conventionals. Competitive pay, benefits. \$1,000 sign on bonus, rider program, flexible time off. Call Roadrunner Trucking 1-800-876-7784.
HAROLD IVES TRUCKING hiring drivers. Free driver training. Students welcome. Experience pay up to 28¢ per mile. 1995 conventional KW's here. Excellent benefits: 1-800-842-0853.
WE BUY NOTES secured by real estate. Have you sold property and financed the sale for the buyer? Turn your note into cash 1-800-969-1200.
BIG 3-DAY HORSE sale, November 11, 12 and 13 expecting over 1,000 horses. Lots of ranch and rope horses already consigned. Clovis Livestock Auction, Clovis, N.M. 505-762-4422.
TEXAS VETERANS: OWN 100 acres with well in the hill country or 320 acres in West Texas with river access. \$2,000/down, \$316/month (9.25%-30 yrs.) 210-257-5572.
80 ACRES, WYOMING range land liquidation by owners. \$95 down, \$89 per month, full price \$8,995. No credit qualifying. Call John 619-239-9139.
MANDOLINS 1900-1960's. These brands only please. Top cash paid, 1-800-401-0440.
STOP! WE'VE BEEN paying highest prices for all camera lenses and photographic equipment. Entire photographic estates our specialty. Over 50 years of satisfied customers. Always top dollars. Oden Camera, 1265 Broadway (32nd St.), N.Y. 212-725-1234 ask for Jack.
CHILD BIRTH INJURY CAUSED by shoulder dystocia? Free consultation, 1-800-833-9121. **Waldman, **Smallwood, **Grossman & **Carpenter since 1957. **Board certified personal injury trial law Texas. **Not certified as a specialist by Texas Board of Legal Specialization.
SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS from Norplant implants or breast lactation drug or failed back fusion? Call 1-800-833-9121 for free consultation. **Waldman, **Smallwood, **Grossman & **Carpenter since 1957. **Board certified personal injury trial law Texas. **Not certified as a specialist by Texas Board of Legal Specialization.
SUNQUEST WOLFF TANNING beds now commercial-home units from \$199. Lamps, lotions, accessories. Monthly payments low as \$18. Call today, free new color catalog, 1-800-462-9197.
FREE DEBT CONSOLIDATION. Immediate relief! Too many debts? Over due bills? Reduce monthly payment 30% to 50%. Eliminate interest. Stop collection callers. Restore credit. NCCS, non-profit. 1-800-955-0412.
RAPID WEIGHT LOSS. "Specializing in difficult cases." Known nationwide for great results. *guaranteed *increases metabolism *boosts energy *stops hunger. Call United Pharmaceutical. Now save 20%. 1-800-733-3288.
CLEANING FRANCHISE: BUILD a family business, let the ServiceMaster family help your family start your own residential or commercial cleaning franchise for as little as \$5,955 down. Fortune service 500 company offering unique training and marketing support. Financing available. Call for free brochure: 1-800-230-2360.
YOUR CHILD WILL be loved and cherished by Med Tech mom and Engineer dad. Happily married Texas couple has lots of love and security to offer. Jane and Curtis, 1-800-869-7992 after 4PM. It's illegal to be paid for anything beyond legal/medical expenses.

Obituaries

Irl Marvin Smith
PAMPA - Irl Marvin Smith, 89, died Tuesday, October 25, 1994.

Services were at 10 a.m. Friday, October 28, in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Lane Boyd, Pampa district superintendent of United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Smith was born at Shoe Bar Ranch, near Lakeview. He attended school in Hollis, Oklahoma, and Duke, Oklahoma and graduated from Clarendon High School. He went to Clarendon College on voice and football scholarships. He joined the National Guard in 1927.

Mr. Smith's photography career, which began in the 1920s, spanned the period from flash powder to electronic photographic technology. He started in Clarendon, where he took pictures of buffalo hunts at the Charles Goodnight Ranch. In 1933, he moved to Pampa and worked for Fred's Studio. He married Irene Franklin in 1935 at Claude, and they purchased and renamed the studio in 1936. He retired when he closed Smith Studio in 1994.

He served twice as president of the Panhandle Photographers Guild and was a member of the

Texas Professional Photographers Association and Southwestern Professional Photographers Association.

Mr. Smith was a lifetime member of the Professional Photographers of America and, in 1991, he and his wife were the first couple to receive the PPA's Director's Award for distinguished service. They also were honored as lifetime members of the Oklahoma Professional Photographers Association. He was among the first graduates of the advanced portrait classes at PPA's Winona School of Photography and his exhibition prints received numerous merits toward his Masters Photographers Degree from PPA.

He belong to the First United Methodist Church and was a former choir member. He was a 25-year member of the Pampa Lions Club.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Dwayne Smith of Spearman; a daughter, Rochelle Lacy of Pampa; a sister, Elma Naylor of Panhandle; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 2122 Mary Ellen and requests memorials to the First United Methodist Church; or the International Photography Hall of Fame and Museum, 2100 N.E. 52nd, Kirkpatrick Center, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73111.

Letters

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2

anything in their desperation to satisfy their habits. I also know that drugs are not a Christian way of life. They become the most important thing in life, forcing the user away from God and his family. These are just some of the reasons I support Drug-Free Week so strongly.

Quotes to Live By:
"The Majority is almost always wrong."
"You can't be a leader at all, if you first can't lead yourself."
"There's an enormous amount of hope in Life's Unpredictability."
Sincerely,
Mandy Vernon
8th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,
To me, being drug free means having an opportunity in life. An opportunity to succeed in school, sports, and life. It's not easy being drug free though. Resisting peer pressure is a major battle for teenagers in today's society.

Resisting peer pressure gives you an opportunity to be who you are and not a tag-along. You have to stand up for what you believe in. Drugs are not cool or a way to waste your weekend, they are very dangerous. They can cause emphysema, brain damage, and even death. Even though we live in a small town, we still have drugs. No matter how big or small a community is, drugs are everywhere.

Sincerely,
Julie Scroggs
8th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,
I believe that there are many great advantages to leading a drug-free life. First off, it could save you from getting into a lot of trouble, because drugs are illegal. It can also keep you from feeling so down. Yeah, at first they may make you feel terrific, but just wait--in a couple of hours you won't feel so hot anymore.

I have never done drugs and never hope to do them. I don't want to make my family, friends, and myself live through that hardship.

People may think that this couldn't ever happen in this small community, but watch--here it comes.

You must always be prepared for it. It can happen anywhere, and it does happen almost everywhere. Teenagers are killing their brains with fatal drugs. Even teenagers in this small town of Spearman are using drugs everyday. So help us and our community, and be drug-free! Just Say No!

Sincerely,
Halee Beasley
7th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,
On the news, the paper, and on

the streets, drugs are everywhere! When a person chooses to take drugs, or to just follow the crowd, they are choosing to ruin their life.

Drugs and alcohol are taking over the country. Towns, small or large alike, are both paying the deadly price that drugs cost. Besides being financially expensive, drugs are costly to you, your body, your friends, and your family. If you have a friend who is on drugs, try to help them by talking to them to see a counselor or a rehab center.

All drugs are deadly, whether it be from cigarettes and alcohol up to cocaine. They all have the same effect, horror. In a small community like Spearman, many families have ignored the problem of drugs. Though drugs have taken a longer time to infect Spearman, they are now sneaking up right under our noses! The children and teens of small towns and huge city streets are slowly dying off. So before you decide to ruin your life, remember that there is still time to clean the streets!

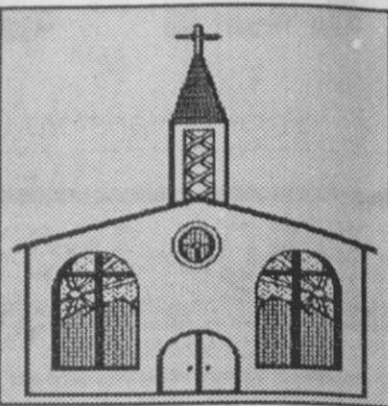
Sincerely,
Audra Sanders
7th Grade SJHS

Dear Editor,
As an eighth grade student and a leader at Spearman Junior High School, I am strongly in favor of a drug free life! Drugs can mess up a life so easily. Doing drugs has no purpose, because what kind of career would you have if you do drugs? The younger generations look up to the older generations, so what kind of role would you be playing if drugs were a part of your life. Young ones will get the idea of "If they do drugs why shouldn't we?" Drugs lead to a faster death rate. Brain cells are lost and your immune system is damaged. My goals in my life are to first, graduate out of Spearman High School with a high grade point average. Then I would like to go to Weatherford College and become a physical therapist or a cardiologist. After college I would like to get married and have two children. Last, but certainly not least, I would like to live happily ever after! Trying to attain these high set goals would not be accomplished if I used drugs. I would not be able to get such a high paid job, I probably would not be able to marry the man I want to, I would not be able to have healthy children if any at all because the use of drugs while pregnancy does not just hurt your life but another poor innocent life, and especially if I wanted to live a long lasting life drugs would interact in some way. What is the purpose in doing drugs? It does not make you look "cool!" It make you look like you do not have any self-respect. So, why do drugs?

Sincerely,
Chrissy Bensingler,
8th Grade SJHS

Let us replenish the seed of faith through...

REGULAR CHURCH ATTENDANCE, DAILY BIBLE READING & PRAYER



**HI-PLAINS
AUTO SUPPLY, INC.**
Mobile Oil for Irrigation
& Industrial Purposes
118 Main • Spearman
659-2506 • (800)657-8742

**Palo Duro
Supper Club**
22 S. Archer
659-2232

C.O.'S SUPPLY CO.
Plumbing & Tire
Sales & Service
421 W. Kenneth • Spearman
659-3781 or 659-3555

**Bartlett's Ace
Hardware**
105 W. Broadway
733-2404

GILLASPIE
AUTO & TRUCK CENTER, INC.
"CHEVROLET" "JEEP" "PONTIAC" "BUICK"
"CHRYSLER" "PLYMOUTH" "DODGE"
Hwy 207 South • P.O. Box 430 (800)659-2541
SPEARMAN, TEXAS 79081

DEKIN ELECTRIC
OILFIELD • RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL
519 Plains Shopping Center
Spearman, TX 79081
1-800-999-1506 (806)659-5016

REINKE IRRIGATION SYSTEMS
Paschel Irrigation
(806)659-5228 • 1-800-659-6580
Corner Airport Rd. & Hwy 15 West
Spearman, Tx.

Gruver Cablevision
Quality Family Entertainment
with
"the Disney Channel"
308 Main • 733-5295

**Morse Implement
Company**
"Join us in church
this week"

**Boxwell Bros.
Funeral Home**

**THE HANSFORD COUNTY
REPORTER-STATESMAN**
Serving The Communities Of
Spearman, Gruver & Morse
213 Main • 659-3434
1-800-395-9482

**CORONADO
HOSPITAL**
Pampa, Texas
(806)665-3721

Compliments of
**G&G
FOODLINER**
516 Main • Gruver
733-2471

A Moment in Majesty

For a majestic moment the deer stands with stately poise; then, with ghostly grace and a soft swish, he is gone.

How incredible to imagine that God would, in yet a final stage of creation, go on to surpass such magnificence as He had already created. The psalmist David expressed this so eloquently in Psalm 8:3-5... "When I look at the heavens, the work of Thy fingers, the moon and the stars which Thou hast established; what is man that Thou art mindful of him?"

Yet God was mindful, bestowing upon humankind the royal crown of creation in His image and dominion over all of creation. As we worship each Sabbath, may we be mindful of our unique hierarchy...our God-given moment in majesty.



Sunday Mark 9:38-50	Monday Psalm 97	Tuesday Psalm 98	Wednesday Ezekiel 34:1-10	Thursday Ezekiel 34:11-31	Friday Isaiah 58:1-14	Saturday Isaiah 59:1-21
---------------------------	-----------------------	------------------------	---------------------------------	---------------------------------	-----------------------------	-------------------------------

Scriptures Selected by The American Bible Society
Copyright 1994, Keister-Williams Newspaper Services, P. O. Box 8005, Charlottesville, VA 22906

In Spearman...

Apostolic Faith Church
822. S. Dressen • 659-2870
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sun.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m.
Pastor James Brown

First Assembly of God
401 N. Bernice • 659-2295
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wednesday Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 7:30 Wednesday
Pastor Todd Lillard

**First Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ)**
29 S. Bernice • 659-2036
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Women's Bible Study: 2 p.m. Wed.
Youth: Wed. 6 p.m. & Sun. 5 p.m.
Pastor LaVern Draper

First Baptist Church
123 N. Bernice • 659-5557
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Jr. High Youth: 6 p.m. Wed.
High School Youth: 7 p.m. Wed.
Youth Choir: 6 p.m. Sun.
Pastor Kyle Henderson

Church of Christ
121 S. Haney • 659-3244
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Bible Study Wed. 7:30 p.m.
KRDF Radio Program
Living With Christ 7:50 a.m. M-F
Minister Arnis Pape

Fellowship Baptist
1102 S. Archer • 659-2783
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sunday
Youth & Adult Serv.: 7:30 Wed.
Pastor Rick Fincher

Primera Mission Bautista
502 E. 7th • 659-3991
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Pastor Guadalupe Carranza, Jr.

"WE SUPPORT OUR LOCAL CHURCHES"
CAPROCK #1 & #2
Mike Heard, Gen. Mgr.
(806)733-5043 or 733-5025
"Custom Cattle Feeding"

Trinity Community Church
717 W. 7th Ave. • 659-2671
Celebration of Praise 10:15
Worship Service and
Children's Church 10:30
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday evening: 7 p.m.
Pastor Dan Carter

**Faith Lutheran Church
(ELCA)**
1101 Bernice • 659-2252
(Worships with First Presbyterian Church)

**First Presbyterian Church
(Worships with Faith Lutheran Church)**
1021 Cotter • 659-2033
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. at Lutheran Church
Worship: 11 a.m. (alternates monthly between addresses above)
Pastor Beverly Cook

First United Methodist
407 S. Haney • 659-5503
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Jr. High Youth: 5 p.m. Sun.
High School: 6 p.m. Sun.
Pastor Jeff Lust

Union Church
31 S. Endicott • 659-2644
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting:
7:00 p.m. Wed.
Pastor Billy Stanford

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
901 Roland • 659-2792
Sat. Night Mass: 7 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 8:45 a.m. - English
(8:45a.m. Service on KRDF 98.3 FM)
11:15 a.m. - Spanish
1:30 p.m. - Gruver - Christo
Rendontor Mass - Spanish
Rev. Fernand Couture

**This feature is
made possible
through the
Sponsorship of
these Civic Minded
Businesses**

In Gruver...
First Baptist Church
402 E. Broadway • 733-2411
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Disciple Training: 6 p.m. Sunday
Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday
Pastor Larry Miller

Church of Christ
209 King • 733-2760
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Worship: 10:20 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Wed. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Minister Bob Setliff

First Christian Church
510 King • 733-2960
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 6:30 Wednesday
Pastor Gary Gumfroy

Oslo Lutheran Church (ECLA)
West of Gruver on Hwy 15 & N. FM 1162
339-7646
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Morning Prayer: 9 a.m. Wed.
Pioneer Clubs (Grades 1-6):
4-5:30 p.m. Wednesday
Pastor John R. Chandler

**Community Bible Church
(Interdenominational)**
Hwy. 15 • 733-2443
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

First United Methodist
Broadway & Garrett • 733-2651
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Pastor Lewis Holland

In Morse...
Morse Baptist Church
Pastor Mike Martin
733-2757

Henton & Co., P.C.
Certified Public
Accountants
221 Sanders • Spearman • 659-2518

BERRY CLEANERS
DAN DESIMONE • OWNER
Phone 659-3122 • P.O. Box 1017
207 Main St. • Spearman, Tx. 79081

GRUVER FORD
531 Main • Gruver • 733-2431

**Interstate
Savings
& Loan**
322 Main • Spearman • 659-2559

**Hagerman
Services**
Backhoe • Dozer • Welding
North Hwy. 15 • Spearman
659-5131

Gordon Drugs
Dependable Prescription
Service
314 Main • Spearman
659-2141
Jim Evans

Compliments of...
AGCO
of Spearman, Inc.
"See you in Church"
659-3751