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## News Briefs

To sign up for Meals-On-Wheels Service or to receive information, call Marsha Murphy at 659-3972 after 5:00 p.m.

Spearman Cub Scouts Pack 578 will meet at the Swimming Pool Park on Thursday, July 28 from 6 - 7:30 p.m. for Summertime Pack Activity.

Sign-up for CHEER CAMP August 8 - 10. Registration begins August 8 at 8:30 a.m. in the Spearman High School cafeteria for students in 5th through 8th grade. Cost is \$5.00 per day. For more information contact Kandi Wolf at 659-3857 or any high school cheerleader.

Hansford Hospice Volunteers will meet on Monday, August 15 at Gruver State Bank. The program will be given by Charla Roberts, R.N., Hansford Hospital Hospice Patient Care Coordinator, and Quality Assurance Person. She will give the program on infectious control. Anyone interested in hearing the program or becoming a member of Hospice is invited to attend.

A Radio Auction to benefit the Golden Spread Senior Citizens will be Thursday, August 18. Art, woodcrafts and needlework are among the items to be auctioned.

Moore County Community Center in Dumas will hold its 5th Annual Club 287 Car Show on Saturday, August 20 from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. and Sunday, August 21 from noon to 6 p.m. There will be a snack bar, live D.J. playing oldies and lots of door prizes. Cost is \$2.00 for adults, \$1.00 for children and 6 and under free.

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## Weather

Day	Hi	Lo	Precip
Thu	89	67	.03
Fri	99	66	.00
Sat	103	64	.00
Sun	96	67	.00
Mon	90	64	.15
Tue	76	63	.45
Wed	--	57	.00
Total Precipitation	11.43		



**RIBBON CUTTING** - Official ribbon cutting ceremonies were conducted last Sunday at the O'Loughlin Center. The newly constructed center features several items (see story for details). Pictured conducting the ribbon cutting are (from left) Steve Benton, Chamber President; Kelvin Knaut, City Manager; Verna Lee Shirley, President of the Spearhead Corp.; June O'Loughlin, Bob O'Loughlin, Don Townsend, Jackie Pearson, Bob Pearson, Tynanne Maize, Miss Hansford County Kim Venneman; Kathy Bryant, Judy Nelson, Mike Schnell, Charles Newcomb, Lola Newcomb, Paul Cunningham, and Bill Pittman.

## Ribbon cutting officially opens O'Loughlin Center

Spearman and the surrounding area now has a place to workout, meet folks, and conduct business if needed.

The opening of the O'Loughlin Center was made official last Sunday as some 150 area residents looked on during ribbon cutting ceremonies.

Members of the Spearhead Committee and the Spearman Chamber of Commerce hosted the event. Since 1989 members of the Spearhead Committee have been working towards establishing the center. About a month ago their dream had come true with the completion of the center.

The center consists of Meadows Hall, The Blodgett Room/Golden Spread Senior Citizen's Center, The Mabee Room, The Harrington Room, and The Gibner Fitness Center.

Meadows Hall is the largest of the rooms available. It can be used to accommodate large gatherings,

shows, or even banquets. It also houses a full-sized basketball court.

The Mabee and Harrington rooms are much smaller. They can be utilized for smaller meetings or group events.

The Gibner Fitness Center features hot tubs, sauna, weight-lifting room, and persons can also enjoy the indoor walking track inside Meadows Hall.

During Sunday's event officials with the center announced that other plans to add racketball courts and an outside track were being planned.

Charlie Ball, of Spearman, was the lucky winner of the drawing as he walked away with the trip to Las Vegas.

Folks attending the ribbon cutting got a chance to tour the facility, and were served refreshments throughout the event.

For more information on joining the center or the hours call 659-3030.

## Exchange student to join Gruver family

by MELYN JOHNSON

Julia Richter of Mebkirch, Germany, will be trading in her English riding saddle for the heavier western work saddle for 10 months.

Richter, who is a member of a riding club at her home town competes in the style of "voltige." Her mother describes this as "gymnastics on the horse, while the horse gallops in a circle."

Not only will she be learning to ride in the western fashion, she will also attend school at Gruver High School while being a member of the Gary and Nelle Evans family. Richter will arrive in Gruver in mid August, just in time to enroll in school. Her previous year of school was spent at the Martin - Heidegger Gymnasium in Messkirch, Germany. This school is located 10 - 15 minutes from Richters home by bicycle. At this upper level school, the future Gruver student last year studied German, history, English, French, math, physics, chemistry, biology, sports, ethics, and art. She is also fluent in the Swedish language because her mother is Swedish.

"My school has about 300 students and the atmosphere is pleasant," says Richter.

Hobbies of this young German girl are horseback riding, skiing, aerobics, cycling, camping, gymnastics, handball, swimming, volleyball, photography, cooking, seeing movies, and playing the piano.

## Texas Department of Health to hold August immunization clinic

The Texas Department of Health has announced their August clinic schedule. They will be in Spearman at their office located at 720 Archer on August 17 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3:30 p.m.

Immunization clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for August. Protection is against Polio, Diphtheria, Lock Jaw (Tetanus), Whooping Cough (Pertussis), Measles, Rubella, Mumps, and HIB (Haemophilus Influenza Type B).

The Texas Department of Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay.

Richter will attend Gruver High School through the World Learning, founded in 1932 as The U.S. Experiment in International Living. The program has more than 60 years experience organizing cross-cultural exchanges and homestays.

"I want to be able to speak English well," says Richter about her reasons to participate. "I'd also like to meet people of another country and culture. I'd like to see how the customs differ from those of Germany. As a result of this stay, I hope to become a more independent individual."

## Ramos named publisher for Reporter/Statesman

Texas Independent Newspapers has named Daniel Ramos as publisher of *The Hansford County Reporter-Statesman* in Spearman.

He takes the place of Molly Zimmerman, who transferred to *The Overton Press* in Overton, Texas.

Ramos comes to Spearman from Ballinger where he served as editor for *The Ballinger Ledger*. He has been in



JULIE RICHTER

Families interested in learning more about the World Learning cultural programs, should call local coordinator Melyn Johnson at 806-339-7109.

the newspaper business for 10-years, serving at all levels.

He has also been with *The Stanton Reporter*, *The Martin County News*, and *The Wharton Journal-Specialist*. He has also served as stringer for several daily newspapers.

Ramos and his wife, Leticia, have two sons, J.D. and Chris (both will be attending Spearman Elementary and Spearman Junior High).

## Plans being set for second Palo Duro Lakefest

Mark your calendars, its time for the second annual Lakefest at Palo Duro Lake.

The City of Spearman and the Palo Duro River Authority are hosting the second annual Lakefest on Saturday, August 13.

Lakefest is a festival with events and booths for all ages.

The event is designed to bring area residents together for a full day of food, fun and fellowship.

This year already some 13 different groups or organizations will have booths or activities scheduled. Groups still interested in setting up some type of booth are welcomed to participate. For more information, call the City of Spearman at (806) 659-2524.

This year's activities begin with a beach volleyball tournament at 9 a.m. The tournament is double-elimination and entry forms are available at the Spearman City Hall.

Music provided by K108-Radio from Amarillo, and the booths will start up at 10 a.m.

There will also be fishing for kids 12 and under, and two dances.

The City of Spearman is sponsoring the beach volleyball tournament and the Rock dance for the young at heart be-

ginning at 9:30 p.m. Music for the dance will be provided by K108.

For those wanting a western-swing, the Rainbows and Ranglers will provide the entertainment for the Square Dance. It is scheduled for 7 p.m.

The Spearman Rotary Club is sponsoring a 5K run, biathlon and fun walk.

Other activities and their sponsors include the following: the Spearman Lions Club will work the hamburger and hot dog booth; the Hansford County Hospital will host the first aid station; the American Cancer Society will have a booth; the PTA and D.A.R.E. will work the dunking booth; Rho Rho Sorority will operate a beverage booth; the Faith Lutheran Church will serve up homemade ice cream; the Spearman Chamber of Commerce will have a water balloon toss; the Chamber Women's Division will operate horseshoe pitching, lemon and peppermint sticks, and the watermelon seed spitting contest; and the Spearman Fire Department will operate the ever popular, water fights.

Palo Duro Lake is located about 10 miles north of Spearman on FM 760 and east on FM 3214. All events and booths will be located on the north side of the dam.

## Gruver rodeo brings out the best in cowboys

Cowboys and cowgirls from all over the area met last weekend at Gruver for two days of competition.

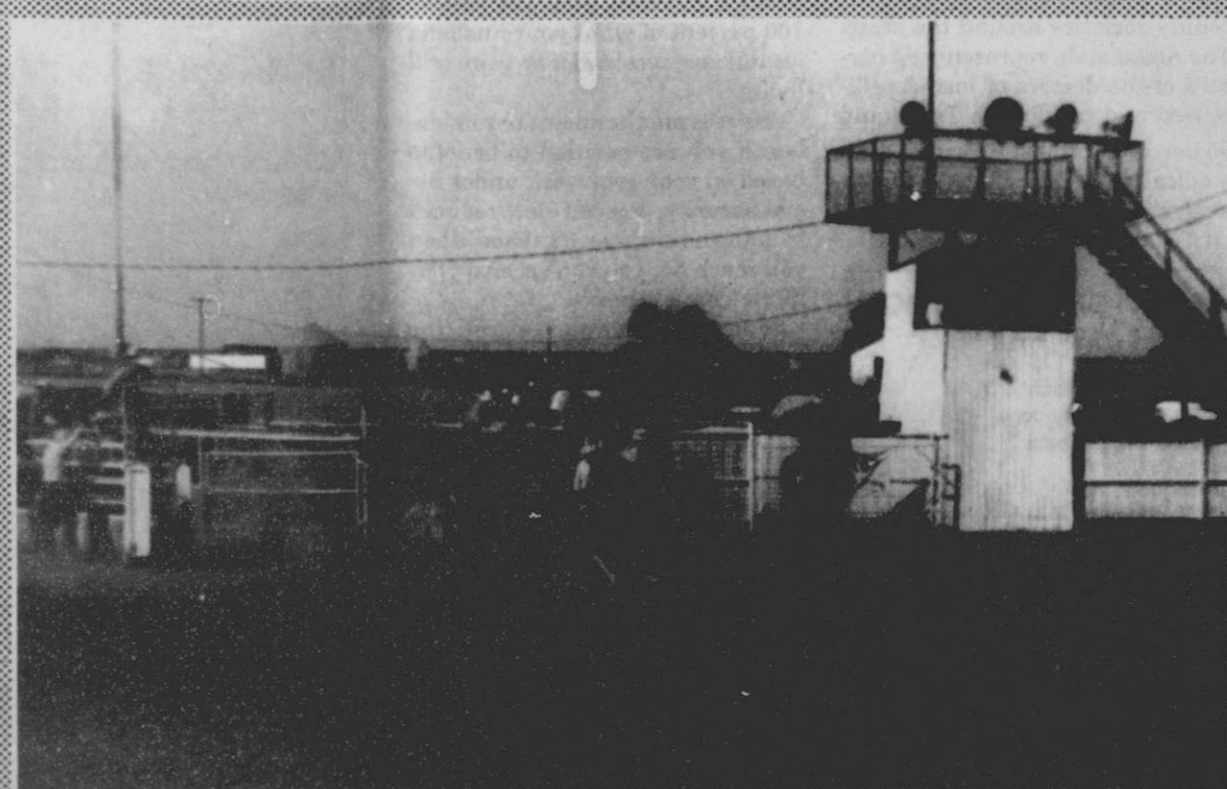
The Third Annual Cowboy's Fest was held at the Gruver Rodeo Arena and it was sanctioned by the Texas Rodeo Cowboy's Association, the New Mexico Rodeo Association, and the Kansas State Rodeo Association.

This year's event featured stock from the McCloy Rodeo Company from Morse.

Some of the results from the Cowboy's Fest are as follows:

<b>Bareback</b>	
Joe Ed Eckert	77
Darin Clark	76
Cole Tindol	75
Justin Swires	72
<b>Calf Roping</b>	
Clyde Iimess	9.752
Bruce Ford	9.891
Phil Haugin	10.275

See RESULTS, page 8



**RODEO ROUNDUP** - The Third Annual Cowboy's Fest at Gruver attracted hundreds of cowboys and cowgirls for two full days of competition. Pictured above a pair of riders give it their best in team-roping competition. Some of the results are as follows and complete results from the 4-H Rodeo are available on page 8.



MRS. ALLEN WAYNE GARDINER

## Gardiner and Crowder wed July 23

Leslie Celeste Crowder of Arlington and Allen Wayne Gardiner of Dallas were unite in matrimony on July 23, 1994 at the Saint Mark's Episcopal Church in Arlington, TX. The Reverend Alan McGlauchlin officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas Crowder of Arlington, TX. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hardy of Spearman TX and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gardiner of Canadian TX.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her parents and escorted to the altar by her father, chose a full length gown by Salina of candlelight satin with re-embroidered French lace. Insets on the bodice and skirt were lightly beaded with deep pearls and crystals. The sleeves were Leg-of-mutton embellished with seed pearls and crystals. The cathedral length train was accented with re-embroidered French lace, pearls and crystals. The bride chose to wear her sisters bridal veil which was of Heirloom Tulle. The headband was adorned with silk flowers, pearls, and crystals. Leslie carried a beautiful nose-gay bouquet of white gardenias, bridal pastel rosebuds and accented with English Ivy and white lace.

The groom's attire was a black Stroller single-breasted tuxedo with a black cummerbund and bow tie. His boutonniere was a pastel pink rosebud. The groomsmen all wore identical attire.

The sanctuary of the church was accented with two arched candelabras decorated with fresh greenery, white candles and bows. The floral arrangements were of pastel and white daisies, iris, and gladiolus flowers accented with greenery and white bridal ribbon. White satin pew bows were accented with baby's breath and asparagus fern. The altar setting included a white unity candle and two white candles which were lit by the mothers of both the bride and groom. The unity candle was lit by the bride and groom after exchanging their wedding vows. During the wedding ceremony, white long stemmed roses were presented to the mothers by the bride. The groom extended handshakes with the fathers.

The organ music for the wedding was selected mutually by the bride and groom. The selections were Ave Maria and The Wedding Prayer. The soloist was Heather Peterson of Lubbock TX.

### Social Security benefits for widows

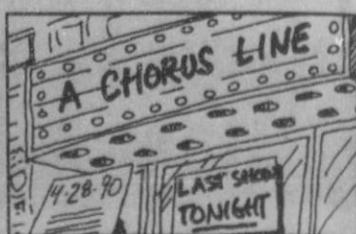
Here is a message from Social Security for wives who have lost their husbands.

If you were recently widowed, you should know that you can receive benefits from Social Security as early as age 60. The amount you receive depends on your age and the amount of benefits your husband would have been entitled to when he died.

Widow's benefits range from 71 and 1/2 percent of a deceased husband's benefit amount, up to 100 percent. This means that if you wait until 65 to begin receiving widow's benefits, you will receive 100 percent of what your husband would have received if he were still living.

Here is another point to remember: if you are entitled to benefits based on your own work under Social Security, you can elect reduced benefits as early as 62. Then when you reach 65, you can receive your full widow's benefits.

For more information call the toll-free line 800 772-1213 or any Social Security office. The local office is located at 125 S. Gillespie, Pampa, Tx. Office hours are 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except national holidays.



The longest running Broadway show was A Chorus Line, which opened on July 25, 1975 and closed on April 28, 1990 after a record run of almost 15 years and 6,137 performances.

The Matron of Honor was Lieschen Crowder Bibby, sister of the bride of Dallas TX. Bridesmaids were Stacia Gardiner, sister of the groom of Spearman TX, Taryn Ann of Arlington TX, Jeni Martin of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Ingrid Mangold of Lubbock, TX, and Kelly Buchanan of Arlington TX. The attendants wore full length formal suits of pale orchard silk faille by Watters and Watters. Each attendant carried a nose-gay bouquet of gardenias and rose buds, accented with Ivy and white lace.

The Best Man was Chad Gardiner, brother of the groom, of Spearman TX, Craig Crowder, brother of the bride, of Arlington TX, Monte Beck of Dallas TX, Tra Johnson, stepbrother of the groom, of Lubbock TX, Kevin Nelson of Lubbock, TX and Tommy Cathy of Houston TX. Ushers included Dod Clapp of Dallas, TX, Brandon Johnson, stepbrother of the groom, of Canadian TX, Norman Scroggs of College Station TX, and Tom Bibby, Jr., Brother-in-law of the bride, of Dallas, TX.

The mother of the bride wore a champagne silk Shantung suit with embroidered lace accents. The mother of the groom chose a beige linen dress with a coordinating beige eyelet jacket. Both mothers wore corsages of white gardenias decorated with white bridal ribbon.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the Walnut Creek Country Club in Mansfield, TX. The bride and groom arrived at the country club in a white limousine. The bride's cake was a five tiered strawberry cake decorated with Ivory icing. Made from icing and cascading over the tiers were green ivy and sculptured flowers tinted a pastel pale orchard. The groom's cake was a double tiered chocolate cake topped with chocolate dipped strawberries and chocolate shavings. The quest were also served a delightful buffet. Special entertainment for the evening was provided by the Black Diamond Band from Red Oak, TX. At the wedding ceremony the reception were a host of fraternity brothers

and sorority sisters and numerous out of town friends and relatives.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the parents of the groom at Joe T. Garcias Restaurant in Fort

Worth on Friday, June 22. The day of the wedding the bride and her attendants were honored with a bridal brunch hosted by family friends. The groom was honored with a round of golf hosted by friends.

Leslie graduated from Arlington High School in 1990 and from Texas Tech University in 1994 with a Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education. While at Tech, she

served as president of Pi Beta Phi Sorority. She is currently employed by Richardson ISD as a 3rd/4th grade teacher at Moss Haven Elementary.

Allen graduated from Spearman High School in 1987 and Texas Tech University in 1993 with a Bachelor's degree in Business Finance. Allen served as president of the Kappa Alpha Order Fraternity while attending Tech. He is currently employed by Jackson Claborn of Dallas as a Real Estate Appraiser.

Following a wedding trip to St. Martin Island, the couple will reside in Dallas TX.

## At the movies...

Showing at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman Friday, July 29, through Tuesday, August 2, are "Baby's Day Out" on screen #1 at 8:15 p.m. and "Little Big League" on screen #2 at 8:00 p.m.

When the Minnesota Twins' owner dies, he leaves the club to his 12-year-old grandson. Luke Edwards, Jason Robards and Timothy Busfield star in this hilarious comedy "Little Big League."

"Little Big League" is rated PG.

"Baby's Day Out" is John Hughes' new comedy for 20th Century Fox about an infant who is misplaced by his parents in the big city and somehow keeps eluding the grasp of the police and a trio of inept crooks. The star of this hit comedy is not star but nine month old identical twin stars Jacob and Adam Worton, with Joe Mantegna, Lara Flynn Boyle and Joe Pantoliano taking on the movie's adult responsibilities.

"Baby's Day Out" is rated PG.



THERON PARK and VANESSA VANAMAN

## Couple plans Aug. wedding

Van and Linda Vanaman of Arlington and Judy Williams of Bedford announce the engagement of their daughter, Vanessa Vanaman, to Theron Park.

Park is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Park of Canyon.

The couple plans to wed Aug. 20 at Fielder Road Baptist Church in Arlington.

The bride-elect attends Texas A&M University in College Station, where she plans to receive a degree in nutrition science.

The prospective groom graduated from A&M with a degree in accounting.

## Children's health care needs are staggering

Unemployment, poverty and dysfunctional families are blamed for many of the health problems Texas children are facing, according to an article published in a special June issue of *Texas Medicine* focusing on children's health.

Because Texas is such a diverse state the authors of the article claim no single solution will address the problems associated with access to health care.

*Texas Medicine* is the official magazine of the Texas Medical Association.

The article was written by Dr. P. Clift Price, Dr. Rebecca Kirkland and Dr. Aaron L. Kreisler. The special issue on children's health care needs, financing health services, infectious diseases, neonatology and non-traditional solutions to health problems.

"Fundamental problems must be



Former President Ronald Reagan appeared in more than 50 movies before entering politics.

dealt with in the context of the cultural and logistic diversity of the area to be served," the authors write. "A healthy, well-nourished and emotionally stable child is more likely to be a receptive student and productive citizen."

The children's future 'health home,' whether in the private of public setting, must meet the extended basic health-care needs of families and their children, the authors said.

"In addition to meeting traditional needs such as treatment for illness and immunization, the health 'home' must foster parenting skills and provide early psychological and educational intervention for school-bound children," the authors conclude.

Texas Medical Association is a professional organization of more than 33,000 physician and medical student members. It is located in Austin and has 119 component county societies around the state. The Association represents 84 percent of the doctors of medicine licensed and residing in Texas and 96 percent of the state's allopathic medical students. TMA's key objective is to improve the health of all Texans.

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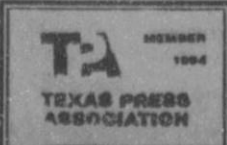
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## Yard of the Week...

This Spearman Chamber of Commerce has announced this week's "Yard of the Week" winners. Selected as the recipients are the following residents: J.W. Robinson, his home is located at 1105 Townsend; Bill Kuehl, his home located at 905 Wilmett; Fred Van Buskirk, his home is at 322 Roland; and the home of Rod and Janice Fulce, their home is located at 16 South James.



J.W. ROBINSON



BILL KUEHL



FRED VAN BUSKIRK



ROD and JANICE FULCE

## A "Center" Piece

by Garland Hopper

The move to the new facility of the Golden Spread Senior Citizens has been made. The turnouts at all the activities have been very good. New people have been present and a lot of visiting enjoyed. Welcome back whenever possible!

Anyone with suggestions for new or old programs, please contact Pearl Pierce at 659-3866 or Charles Newcomb. The desire is to have something for every senior citizen.

Bridge players are very enthused about their Friday afternoon games. Last Friday they had three tables of bridge. Mr. Jim Strawn will be calling for players. If anyone not contacted would like to play you may contact Jim or Pearl Pierce. Other games may also be played on Friday. Just let your desires be known.

The quilters have finished their beautiful blue Cowboy Star quilt and have another in the frame with stitches started. Chances are now available for the Cowboy Star for two dollars (\$2.00) each or three for five dollars (\$5.00). The raffle drawing date has not yet been set. The quilters are a group of very dedicated women.

Plans for the crafters to piece a Twelve Days of Christmas quilt

have been made. However, they think the quilting will have to be for someone else. Their quilting stitches appear to be something to be desired.

The Board of the Golden Spread Senior Citizens met July 20th with Charles Newcomb, Helen Etter, Roselee Butts, Arbeta Nobles, Sheri Benton, Gene Cudd, Jolinda Hutchinson, George Young, and Pearl Pierce present. Jane Meek has really been missed at these meetings. The discussion was about the Radio Auction. It was decided to postpone the Auction to August 18th. Art, woodcrafts, china painting, baked goods, needlework, hand crocheted afghan and beauty products are among items that have been donated. Merchants donating items have the option of holding items in the store until a few days before the auction. A sign will designate the item donated. Plans are to have items easily moved displayed at the O'Loughlin Community Center in the Blodgett Room the week of the Auction. The Board is looking forward to a good fundraiser for the Golden Spread Center.

"When God allows a burden to be put upon you, He will put his arms under you to help you carry it." Author unknown

## XIT Arts and Crafts show scheduled at Dalhart

The Fifth Annual "XIT Arts & Crafts Bazaar" will be held Friday and Saturday, August 5 and 6, 1994 during the 58th Annual XIT Rodeo and Reunion Celebration in Dalhart, Texas. The bazaar is co-sponsored by the Dallam County 4-H Parent Leader Association and the XIT Rodeo and Reunion. It will be held in the Dalhart Elementary School which is on the main drag to the rodeo grounds. The hours will be 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. both days.

Mike Breitling, this year's overall chairman, reports that there were over 50 booths with 50 exhibi-

tors from Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Colorado who participated in last years event.

**WTAMU students intern in public offices**  
This summer 21 students will have the opportunity to work in areas of public service as part of an internship program. These students, majoring primarily in criminal justice, will work in local, county, state and national offices.

"This internship provides students with the opportunity for real life experience," Susan Coleman, coordinator of the intern program and WTAMU instructor of political science, said. "These students will do everything from inspecting airplanes for U.S. Customs to performing case work with probation offices."

According to Coleman, the students will receive six semester credit hours for their work. The following two students from Gruver are working as interns. Clifton Barkley, a senior justice major, is working with the Hansford Sheriff and the Gruver Police Department and Jose Sotelo, a senior criminal justice major, is working with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Parole Division in Amarillo.

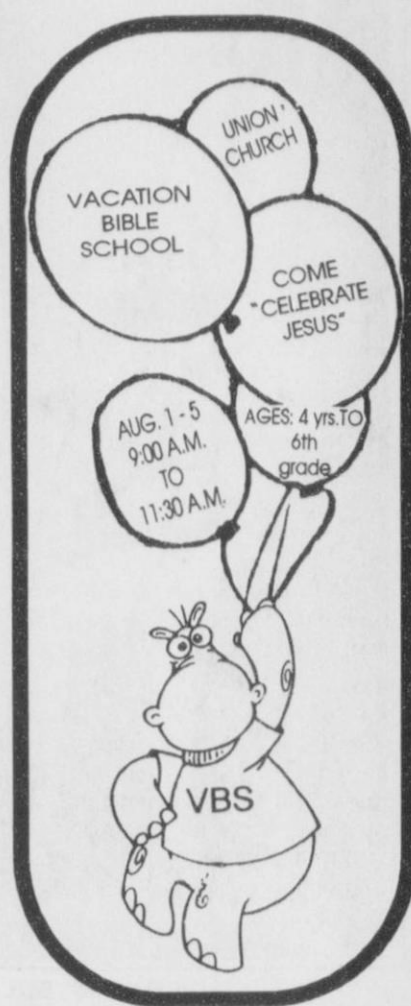
## Gladiola Flower Club news

Mike Hergert was hostess to Gladiola Flower Club on July 21. Dorothy Haner presided over the meeting. Roll call was answered to "Name a Mother from the Bible."

Club members were reminded of Bingo for the month of August at Hansford Manor.

Flower winners were Home Grown Arrangement - Judy Martin and Rose Cummings, tie; Specimen - Margarette Evans; Potted Plant - Mike Hergert.

Virginia Head introduced Sue April of Hansford Hospital who presented a program on Mammography. Attending were Charlsie Baker, Myra Berner, Wanda Brown, Rose Cummings, Betty Davis, Margarette Evans, Dorothy Haner, Virginia Head, Mike Hergert, Fay Holt, June Jackson, Lorene Kunselman, Jo Larson, Judy Martin and guests Sue April and Jessy Trafton.



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## Cowboys For Christ to hold worship during XIT Rodeo

Cowboys For Christ, a non-denominational ministry to the livestock industry, will be holding worship services at this huge event. These services will be held on August 5-6 at 7:30 a.m., with R.W. Hampton from Steed, New Mexico singing and Ted K. Pressley, Founder/President of Cowboys For Christ, preaching. There will be a free breakfast before the service on Friday. Everyone is welcome!

On Saturday, August 6 there will be a parade that Cowboys For Christ and many others will be taking part in. For more information contact Dale Reagan (806) 384-2066 or Cowboys For Christ, (817) 834-6841.

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# Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Sympathy is extended to Velma and R.E. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Don Dillow and their families on the passing of William Dillow. He was born in Spearman and lived here most of his life except for the time in military service. He moved to Sanford several years ago. Graveside service and interment was at Hansford Cemetery.

William, 73, is well remembered in Spearman. He was an excellent mechanic, always conscientious in his work, quiet and unassuming, but with a sense of humor. His hobby was restoring old automobiles.

William and J.C. Cates, also formerly of Spearman and now of Sanford, checked on each other daily. J.C. and his daughter, Sue Lamb, had gone to Colorado for a few days. Sunday when they returned they went to Williams home and found him in the yard, near his pick-up presumably working on it.

The time of his death was estimated by the coroner to have been Tuesday, July 13. Preliminary findings indicate death was caused by a heart attack.

Last week an item in this column stated that Monte Cook was here visiting his parents, Verlin and Audene Beck. Now, before Monte's friends get the idea that he married and assumed his wife's name - be advised the culprit is a typewriter that doesn't say what it is told to say. He is still Monte Beck.

Guests of Helen Fisher early in the week were Dr. Tom and Maxine Stinchcomb of Chicago. They had visited a son in Austin and were enroute to the home of another son in Colorado.

Tom recently retired as Dean of Physics of De Paul University, but stays busy with scientific research with Chicago University. Maxine is a niece of the late Zack Fisher.

Pauline McGee is relieved that her son Gary is back at home in Abilene after major back surgery and bone grafts. Pauline plans to go to Abilene soon.

Gary lived in Spearman a number of years ago soon after his military service. He teaches in the prison system in Abilene.

Olive Pendergraft enjoyed having old friends visit during the week. Martha Gresham and Gene Squires of Bucklin, Kansas and his daughter Jane Garnand of Wellington, Kansas were her guests.

Dorothy Hudson, too busy for old-fashioned surgery underwent laparoscopic surgery at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo on Thursday. She is at home now and looking forward to complete recovery.

Peggy Varnon was in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo from July 11 through the 14th after surgery. She underwent a bone graft on some upper vertebrae. She is recuperating at home and though her activities are limited, she is relieved that the worst is over.

Eric Varnon, her son, left the 14th for a trip to Dallas. He and two other youth from the First Christian Church attended a youth conference at T.C.U. They were Alisha LaRochelle and Kortney Henton.

Mrs. Jane Henton went as chaperon and Gary Ellsworth drove the church van and was counselor. They returned on Saturday.

Never was there a more gracious nor appreciative honoree than was Alice Lackey Saturday afternoon when she was honored at a 90th birthday reception. It was held in the fellowship hall of the First Christian Church.

Her daughter, Donna Sheets, and granddaughters, Sharon Sheets, San Antonio, Karen Woodward and Sue Ellen Selder, both of Amarillo were hostesses.

It was a busy, but most pleasurable, weekend for Mrs. Lackey. Houseguests coming on Friday and leaving Monday were relatives - Mr. and Mrs. V.L. Cannon of Derby, Kansas and Agnes Bieduit of Wichita. Other relatives Gail Ratliff and her daughter-in-law Helen Ratliff of Silsbee, Texas stayed with Donna.

All attended church services on Sunday at the First Christian Church. Mrs. Lackey was especially delighted that Dr. Phillip Baker and his wife, Diane, drove from Longmont, Colorado for the occasion. They have been friends from his boyhood when they were neighbors. They were guests of his mother, Mrs. Ruth Baker.

Alice Lackey came to this area in 1927 when she married Johnny Lackey. He passed away in 1985.

The neighbors join in wishing her Many Happy Returns.

Don Knox, considered one of the better fishermen in the community (his assessment) had to take a back seat to his granddaughter, Tracy Knox, last week. Don, his son David and David's youngest of Hart, went to South Fork, Colorado for several days. The weather was excellent and they camped out. Tracy not only caught the largest fish, but the most.

While this fishing was going on, Gloria Knox drove to Wichita Falls for a long weekend with her newlywed granddaughter, Cindy.

The fishing trip that most fishermen dream was a reality last week for Oscar and Frankie Donnell.

They flew to Winnipeg, Manitoba, then after flying 90 miles north, they boarded a pontoon plane to a lake 90 miles northeast. They followed the Winnipeg River. At this sportsman site there were some cabins, a lodge and boats, no telephones, roads, t.v., but there was electricity from a generator. The morning and evening meals were at the lodge, but the noon meal was whenever and wherever enough fish had been caught by the fisherman. If no fish caught, no lunch - except by scrounging. Of course Oscar and Frankie had bountiful lunches, and even turned fish back into the lake.

The country is spectacular, and abounds in wild game. One day in front of their boat, a huge moose cow swam and stepped ashore. The weather was excellent, requiring coats all day. Daylight was from 5 a.m. until 10 p.m. There were many islands in the huge lake.

The trip was a pleasure from beginning to end - just one queasy moment. When the pontoon plane lifted off, the Donnells, seated near

the rear noticed the outside door not securely closed. In fact it blew open as the pilot turned back.

The Donnells tell of their success with all the fish, but they brought back no proof - not even to son Steve and Denise.

They with their children have recently moved to Canyon from Pampa where he has been youth director for the First Methodist Church and she has been teaching. After 18 years, Steve decided to go back to college. In May he received a General Degree in business and finance from W.T.S.U. He took an additional course in agricultural appraisal in order to qualify for a position with the Federal Land Bank. He is now with this bank in Amarillo. Denise is teaching at Highland Park School in Amarillo.

Fannie Venneman, that perennial youth, spent last week keeping up with the mod generation in her home in Amarillo. She served as a nanny, chaperon, cook and counselor to her granddaughter Kaley Davis and her friend Selina Wilcox both of Hooker. Kaley's mother, Hattie Marie Davis, was in Chicago.

It was fun but Fanny probably will prefer her generational scope of activities.

Guests of Jo Linda and John Hutchison were her parents Robert and Kren Danner. They are from Ralls and spent the weekend here.

The descendants and their families of both the John Grey Bynum and Mary Elizabeth Sparks and Litch and Cora Sparks gathered at the Ceta Canyon Methodist Camp for a reunion. It was held the weekend of July 9 and 10th.

86 family members and friends spent a most enjoyable weekend of visiting, hiking, swimming, games, delicious food and hearty fellowship.

Sue Sloan Woolley and Lora Elizabeth Vincent contributed to the success as they were co-chairpersons for the 1994 reunion.

Fannie Venneman was recognized as the longest living descen-

dant present with her younger brother, Will Sparks, Midland, a close second.

Bobby Sparks, formerly of Spearman, now of Greenville, California, traveled the farthest.

Three week old Timothy Grey Sparks, son of Kevin and Julie Sparks of Midland, was proud to be the youngest family member.

The family members met in the new Ceta Canyon Chapel for Sunday morning worship, with group participation, followed by a noon luncheon. Later there was a family auction and business meeting.

The group selected Don Sparks, Midland and Bynum Vincent of Odessa as co-chairmen for the 1996 Sparks Reunion to be held at Ceta Canyon the second weekend in July 1996.

Since they were unable to be present for the 60th wedding anniversary of Eulalie and W.R. Greever, some old friends came to observe it with them on Sunday.

Ollie Milligan and Glendora Milligan of Dumas joined Nita Kerr of Bartlesville for a pleasant reunion with the Greevers.

It is good to know that Marvin Jones is back at home and recuperating after undergoing angioplasty in High Plains Baptist Hospital on July 14.

He was going into his house for lunch when the attack occurred and Mrs. Jones rushed him in to Spearman. He was taken by Medi-Vac considered to be in critical condition and fortunately reached the hospital quickly.

Athalie Traylor is expected back in Spearman on Tuesday after several days in Northwest Texas Hospital with a broken hip.

She has been treated in McBride Clinic in Oklahoma City for arthritis so was not aware that the hip bone had deteriorated. She was taken by ambulance for hip replacement. Her son Charles and Judy Traylor of Dalhart have been in attendance.

Athalie will be staying in Hansford Manor until she is recovered.

# Host families sought for international school students

Host families are being sought for high school exchange students from Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Austria, Turkey, Greece, Hungary, South Korea, Netherlands, Poland, Peru, Switzerland, Germany, Spain, France, Italy, Brazil, Ecuador, New Zealand, Australia, Japan, Portugal, Uruguay, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Thailand, Russia, Ukraine and Croatia for the School Year 1994-1995 in a program sponsored by the American Intercultural Student Exchange (AISE).

The students, ages 15 through 18, will arrive in the United States in August, 1994, attend a local high school, and return to their home countries in June 1995. The Students are fluent in English, have been screened by their school representatives in their home countries and have spending money and

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A special note of thanks goes to Dr. Behney and his skilled staff whose timely and precise intervention saved my life. The Doctors in Amarillo were very complimentary of Dr. Behney and his handling of my case. Our community is very fortunate to have a Doctor of his calibre working for us.

It is good to know we have so many friends, and we will always remember your kindness.

Marvin and Ruth Ann Jones

## Golden Spread Coin Club Collectors Show August 6-7

Golden Spread Coin Club, Inc. will sponsor their annual Collectors Show August 6 and 7, 1994 in the Exhibits Hall Amarillo Civic Center, 3rd and Buchanan, downtown Amarillo. Admission is Free and there is something for everyone so bring the whole family.

There will be approximately 150 dealer tables from all over the country offering coins, stamps, knives, jewelry, antiques, toys, craft items, watches, Indian Artifacts, comic books, records, gems, sport and non-sport cards and the new hot collectible - telephone cards - first chance for anyone in Amarillo to have the opportunity to buy this collectible.

Two educational forums will be held in conjunction with the show. On Saturday, August 6 at 2 p.m. David Cervin will speak on "Early Christian Symbolism on Coins." On Sunday at 2 p.m. Homer Dotts will speak on "Novelties In Paper Money." There will also be a video

taped presentation on Coin Grading.

All day Saturday the postal service will be set up at the show with interesting things to do with stamps for decorating and the latest for issue stamps.

Hours of the show are from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, August 6 and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday, August 7. Free hourly prizes will be given and there will be a special drawing for a St. Gaudens \$20 gold piece on Sunday at 5 p.m.

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## Carla's Dance Studio places at National Finals

Carla's Dance Studio dancers went to Danceamerica National Finals at Orlando, Florida, July 2-4. Dancers placed four 2nd places and one 3rd place. The competition was held at Disney's Buena Vista Palace.

"Power Age" placed 2nd in the junior line clogging division. The dancers were Genie Barker, Kelcee Barkley, Chrystal Beagle, Kristen Brown, Andraya Duke, Glen Hicks, Amanda Adams, Maranda Fight and Jennifer McCarty.

"Contrast" placed 2nd in junior duo-trio clogging division. Dancers were Kelcee Barkley, Amanda Adams and Maranda Fight.

"Cheatin Heart" placed 2nd in primary duo-trio clogging division. Dancers were Dani Beagle, Sheena Barker and Candace Shelton.

"Kiss Me, Bliss Me" placed 2nd in the junior solo clogging division performed by Kelcee Barkley.

"Cleopatra, Queen of Denial" placed 3rd in the junior open production division. Dancers were Haley Farber, Deidre Shelton, Cassidy Keifer, Brooke Adams, Amanda Adams, Genie Barker, Sheena Barker, Dani Beagle, Chrystal Beagle, Kelcee Barkley, Kristen Brown, Andraya Duke, Glen Hicks, Maranda Fight, Jennifer McCarty and Candace Shelton.

Other dancers competing were Glen Hicks in the junior solo tap division, placing 9th; Haley Farber in the intermediate solo jazz division, placing 10th; and Haley Farber, Cassidy Keifer and Deidre Shelton dancing to "Workaholic" in the intermediate jazz group, placing 10th.

All dancers are students of Carla Barkley of Carla's Dance Studio in Spearman and Berger.



**DANCERS** - These members from Carla's Dance Studio recently spent several days in Orlando, Florida competing in the Dance America National Finals. The group picked up several second and third place finishes during the three day competition.

## Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman  
Spearman Chamber of Commerce Manager

What would you do if you made a hole-in-one at Hansford Golf Course? Scream? Cry? Kiss your caddy?

What would you do if you made a hole-in-one at Hansford Golf Course and won \$10,000 at the same time? Scream? Cry? Kiss your caddy and your mother-in-law?

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Thank you to everyone who has helped pull weeds and get Main Street looking better. A big thanks to Gary Evans and his guys at the

Sheriff's Office for helping out. They help us everytime we need them.

Don't forget the Membership Breakfast starting at 6:45 a.m. on Friday, July 29. If you haven't had time this summer to see friends and just sit and visit, this is your chance. Come by the Swimming Pool Park for a breakfast you won't forget cooked by Jim Shirley and his crew. We will set up camp Thursday night and be ready to start cooking about 5:00 a.m. Friday morning. Lowe's Marketplace is the sponsor so after you get to eat the great food, go by and tell Ronnie how much you enjoyed it.

## Out at the Lake

The land now used by the Palo Duro Park is part of the earliest settled in Hansford County. Many are the stories that the land could tell - of the pioneers building their homes near the creek for the only available water - the long trips for supplies - the hardships endured by the women and children - especially during the blizzards. Eventually all the land will be under water, but the history will remain.

Two of the early day sheriffs in Hansford County were neighbors on the west side of the Palo Duro Creek in the park. The earliest recorded murder in Hansford County occurred in this vicinity.

Zenas Curtis was sheriff for three years, from 1894 to 1900. The Curtis family came to the Palo Duro Creek in the mid-1890s. They built one large room from adobe or sod as a starter. These structures were referred to as "soddies." This was the beginning of the house that was known in recent times as the Gibner house, earlier it was part of the J.I. Steele ranch. Zenas Curtis had an English partner in his cattle operation - Tom Land, brother of the first

Mrs. James Cator.

Ace Powers was elected sheriff for one term, succeeding Zenas Curtis. Asa Emory Powers, in 1876, gathered a herd of cattle and drove them to the Texas Panhandle. Other early Hansford County residents were involved with that or similar cattle operations - Huff and Mel Wright, Tom Bugbee, Alf Polk and Allan Walker.

Powers married Ida A. Ivey in Hemphill County in 1878. After living in Oklahoma and New Mexico,

### Hartley County 4-H Rodeo to be held August 26-27

Hartley County 4-H will be sponsoring their annual Youth Rodeo on August 26-27, 1994.

The rodeo will be held at the XIT arena in Dalhart. Events will be for youths ages 7-18. A saddle will be given to the Junior and Senior All Around winners.

For an entry blank or more information contact the Hartley County Extension Office at 235-3122 or Becky Elliott, Rodeo Secretary at 806/365-4584. Entries will close Friday August 19.

the Powers family moved to Hansford County in the mid-1890s. Rather than a sod house, they lived in a half-dugout. They leased two sections of land, but with the passage of favorable land laws, they began to acquire land. Ace bought his first in 1899 and eventually owned 7000 acres.

### Gruver team places in golf tournament

Thirty-one teams competed for honors in the recent 21st Annual Belly Open Golf Tournament held at Sunset Hills in Guymon. A total of 155 golfers competed for numerous individual prizes as well as team awards in three separate flights. A total of \$8,000 in prizes were given to the various winners. Golfers from as far away as North Dakota competed in the event. That fund raiser for Oklahoma Panhandle State University athletics was sponsored by the Aggie Athletic Club.

Placing third in the Championship Flight were Dennis Stedje, Bill Logsdon, Chad Logsdon and Randy Brown all of Gruver and Chuck Morgan of Pampa, with a 112.

### Directory distribution expanded to Panhandle

AMARILLO - Responding to numerous requests for copies of the Southwestern Bell directory serving Amarillo, Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages, Inc. will expand distribution of the book to include 16 Texas Panhandle counties.

Lew Bradshaw, the company's sales manager in Amarillo, said the next edition of the directory, to be published in February 1995, will be distributed free to households and businesses in the counties of Armstrong, Carson, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hansford, Hartley, Hutchinson, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Potter, Randall, Roberts and Sherman.

Bradshaw said surveys of consumers in the expanded area indicate that, while they do most of their shopping locally, they often make major purchases in the Amarillo area. At least 5,000 calls a year are answered from folks wanting information.

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## For the Sport of it

by Bob Bort

This past Saturday, July 23 and Sunday, July 24 eight Gruver boys participated in the Hoop It Up 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament at Westgate Mall in Amarillo. One team, The Shaft, had Daniel Bort, Phil De La Cruz, Tye Womble and Shelby Reiswig. That team played six games, losing to WBOM 20-17, beating MGDD by forfeit, losing to CB4 16-11, and again losing to CB4 16-14.

The other team was The Grem-lins, and it had Bailey Barkley, Travis Ferguson, Wylee Maupin and Scott Jarvis. Travis, Bailey and Wylee also participated in the nine-foot dunk contest.

Well, the Hooker Horny Toads concluded their season this past weekend with a final record of 44-19. They were competing in the

Oklahoma American Legion Zone Tournament at Midwest City, and they were defeated twice. Friday, July 22, they were defeated by Midwest City 8-6. Saturday, July 23 in the loser's bracket, they were defeated by Edmond North 13-11. Jace Dawson, Eric Wright and Sammy Renteria from Gruver were members of this fine Hooker team.

In the recent team basketball camp held at Colorado State University in Ft. Collins, Jace Dawson was selected to the All-League team. Ten basketball players were selected for this honor from the 8 teams in each division. Jace's team played 12 games against the finest 5A-6A Colorado High School teams, which participated intact with their coaches. It was quite an honor for Jace, who will be a senior at GHS this fall.

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# Hansford Happenings

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**Spearman Cub Scouts Pack 578** will meet at the Swimming Pool Park on Thursday, July 28 from 6 - 7:30 p.m. for Summertime Pack Activity.

**Sign-up for CHEER CAMP August 8 - 10.** Registration begins August 8 at 8:30 a.m. in the Spearman High School cafeteria for students in 5th through 8th grade. Cost is \$5.00 per day. For more information contact Kandi Wolf at 659-3857 or any high school cheerleader.

**Hansford Hospice Volunteers will meet on Monday, August 15 at Gruver State Bank.** The program will be given by Charla Roberts, R.N., Hansford Hospital Hospice Patient Care Coordinator, and Quality Assurance Person. She will give the program on infectious control. Anyone interested in hearing the program or becoming a member of Hospice is invited to attend.

**A Radio Auction to benefit the Golden Spread Senior Citizens will be Thursday, August 18.** Art, woodcrafts and needlework are among the items to be auctioned.

**Moore County Community Center in Dumas** will hold a 5th Annual Club 287 Car Show on Saturday, August 20 from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. and Sunday, August 21 from noon to 6 p.m. There will be a snack bar, live DJ playing oldies and lots of door prizes. Cost is \$2.00 for adults, \$1.00 for children 6 and under free.

## Final plea from P.I.E. for Spearman area host families

Foreign high school students will be arriving soon into the Spearman area for academic semester and year homestays, and the sponsoring organization needs a few more local host families.

According to Pacific Intercultural Exchange (P.I.E.) Executive Director, John Doty, the students are all between the ages of 15 and 18 years, are English-speaking, have their own spending money, carry accident and health insurance, and are anxious to share their cultural experiences with their new American families. P.I.E. currently has programs to match almost every family's needs, ranging in length from a semester to a full academic year, where the students attend local high schools.

P.I.E. area representatives match students with host families by finding common interests and lifestyles through an informal in-home meeting. Prospective host families are able to review student applications and select the perfect match. As there are no "typical" host families, P.I.E. can fit a student into just about any situation, whether it be a single parent, a childless couple, a retired couple or a large family.

Families who host for P.I.E. are also eligible to claim a \$50.00 per month charitable contribution deduction on their itemized tax returns for each month they host a

sponsored student. For the upcoming programs, P.I.E. has students from Spain, Germany, Poland, Russia, Finland, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Paraguay, Australia, New Zealand, Croatia and many other countries. P.I.E. has also been invited to participate in a special government-funded program to bring scholarship students from the Newly Independent States of the former Soviet Union to the United States. P.I.E. is a non-profit educational organization that has sponsored more than 18,000 students from 23 countries since its founding in 1975. The organization is designated by the United States Information Agency and is listed by the Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSIET), certifying that the organization complies with the standards set forth in CSIET's Standards for International Educational Travel Programs.

Spearman area families interested in learning more about student exchange or arranging for a meeting with a community representative may call P.I.E., toll-free, at 1-800-631-1818. The agency also has travel/study program opportunities available for American high school students as well as possibilities for community volunteers to assist and work with area host families, students and schools.

## Oil and Gas Report

**New Location, Completion & Plugging Report**  
Week Ending July 21, 1994

**Intentions to Drill**

**HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & S.E. CANADIAN Douglas)** Chevron U.S.A., Inc., #3-1 Flowers (640 ac) 1450' from North & 1000' from East line, Sec. 1, -, B&B, 4 mi SW from Canadian, PD 8000' (Box 36366, Houston, TX 77236)

**HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & S.E. CANADIAN Douglas)** Chevron U.S.A., Inc., #7210 Isaacs (629 ac) 660' from South & 1132' from West line, Sec. 210, C, G&MMB&A, 4 mi SW from Canadian, PD 8000'

**LIPSCOMB (WILDCAT & SOUTHWEST MORGAN Lower Morrow)** Strat Land Exploration Co., #1 Parsons (640 ac) 467' from North & East line, Sec. 996, 43, H&T/C, 7 mi SE from Follett, PD 9900' (Nine East Fourth St., Suite 800, Tulsa, OK 74103)

**Applications to Plug-Back**

**HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & CIRCLE DOT Atoka)** Kaiser-Francis Oil Co., #1 Circle Dot Ranch (640 ac) 2000' from South & 990' from East line, Sec. 84, M-1, H&GN, 5 mi NW from Gageby, PD 13475' (Box 21468, Tulsa, OK 74121)

**HEMPHILL (WEST WASHITA CREEK Upper Morrow)** Gala Resources, Ltd., #1 Alexander (640 ac) 990' from North & West line, Sec. 1, -, J. Poitevent Survey, 8 1/2 mi NW from Allison, PD 20700' (Drawer 1270, Graham, TX 76450)

**SHERMAN (WILDCAT & STEVENS Marmaton)** Oklahoma Marlin Oil Corp., #1 Lasley (480 ac) 660' from North & West line, Sec. 201, 1-C, GH&H, 1/2 mi SE from Stevens, PD 6700' (Box 14630, Okla. City, Ok 73113)

**Gas Well Completions**

**LIPSCOMB (LIPSCOMB Cleveland)** Enron Oil & Gas Co., #2 Fry '338', Sec. 338, 43, H&T/C, elev. 2630 gr. spud 5-18-94, drlg. compl 6-4-94, tested 7-1-94, potential 4800 MCF, rock pressure 2278, pay 8330-8414, TD 8500', PBT 8492'

**MOORE (WEST PANHANDLE)** Phillips Petroleum Co., #1AR C.H. Jones 'G', Sec. 171, 3-T, T&NO, elev. 3494 rkb, spud 4-26-94, drlg. compl 5-3-94, tested 6-21-94, potential 810 MCF, rock pressure 22, pay 2950-3178, TD 3510', PBT 3412'

**Plugged Wells**  
**COLLINGSWORTH (EAST PANHANDLE)** Meridian Oil, Inc., #4-A Laycock, Sec. 96, 12, H&GN, spud 7-17-67, plugged 7-1-94, TD 482' (swd) -- Form 1 filed in El Paso Natural Gas Co.

**HEMPHILL (ALLISON-PARKS Upper Morrow)** Samson Resources Co., #2-13 Glisan-Steen, Sec. 13, M-1, H&GN, spud 11-23-91, plugged 5-23-94, TD 14950' (gas) -- Form 1 filed in Dycos Petroleum.

There will be no Weekly Report July 28th.

## Marvin Gregory History steeped in agriculture

Marvin Gregory began working the land of Texas as a youngster, buying his first calf from his grandfather when he was about five years old. The \$15 he paid for the Jersey heifer was made from saving his \$1 per month salary for helping out around his grandfather's dairy, where hand milking was the state-of-the-art technology at the time.

Born October 12, 1938, in the Gafford Chapel community just outside Sulphur Springs, Gregory has stuck to his Hopkins County roots and built a 900-acre dairy with an entrepreneurial spirit and energy that's termed "remarkable" by many of his peers.

### Businessman at 15

This spirit and energy took him away from farm life for a few years when his father sold their dairy in 1948. Gregory decided to use the advantages of living in the city of Sulphur Springs to launch a welding enterprise. At 15, he opened his shop and within two years had built a steady clientele while still attending high school. But the lure of the country drew him back to the dairy business.

At 18, he married and then began working for a local dairyman for "half the profit and half the increase." The calves and money he acquired through this led to his purchase of the dairy in 1960. He doubled his efforts to save money through work as a lathe operator at Rockwell International, milking in the mornings and pulling his shift as a machinist in the evening.

### Leadership roles

His leadership qualities have been recognized and further enhanced by the community with appointment to several boards through the years. Gregory has voluntarily served as a director for the Gafford Chapel Water Supply Corp.; chairman of the Hopkins County Appraisal Review Board; vice-president of the Texas Simmental/Simbram Association; and chairman of the Gafford Chapel Cemetery Association. He has served on various agriculture-related boards including the Dairy Herd Improvement Association and the Northeast Texas Simmental Association, of which he was a charter member. He has been a member of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. He has been a member of Texas Farm Bureau as well as Texas Farmers Union. He now serves on the Executive Board of Texas Farmers Union.

With this background and his concern that family farms are dying, Gregory began lobbying efforts in the Texas Legislature and the U.S. Congress. He has served as a consultant to farmers in other states, helping them to pass legislation beneficial to farmers.

In 1961, tragedy struck when Gregory's father, brother and nephew were killed in a vehicle-train crash. Gregory's 2-year-old son, Mark, was injured in the accident but recovered fully.

His father had rebuilt his own dairy operation, and after his death, Gregory bought his mother's interest in the cattle and leased the family land.

He consolidated the two operations in 1961. In 1964, he purchased the land from his mother. He followed that in 1967 with the purchase of 150 acres and began stocking beef cattle. In 1970, he acquired another 250 acres and diversified his business by developing a purebred beef operation.

### Continuing commitment to youth

During the 1970s when his business was growing markedly, Gregory began working with the youth

of the county, helping them with their Club Calf sales in the show market and working with the Future Farmers of America organization. The Club Calf marketing led Gregory and the young farmers through the state of Texas and the rest of the United States.

"I've always really tried to help young people get even more interested in the farming business," Gregory said. "They're our future and we need to encourage them." Gregory's children, Beverly, Judd, Mark and Britt, were the catalysts for his increased involvement in youth activities.

Other community involvement has ranged from serving on the board of the United Way and the Chamber of Commerce to coaching Little League.

During the late 70s, Texas A&M University requested Gregory's help in improving their dairy program.

### Diversification

Another family member's accident in 1978 curtailed almost all of Gregory's diversification efforts for almost a year. His youngest son, Britt, was severely injured in a car accident. He was hospitalized for six months and spent years recuperating. He died in 1992.

Gregory resumed his diversification in the 1980s, adding a large herd of Simmental. This step paved the way for marketing his bulls throughout the United States and Mexico. During the same period, he developed one of the leading registered Holstein herds in the state.

In 1989, he purchased an additional tract of about 200 acres of land, bringing his total land holding to approximately 900 acres.

During this time, Gregory's family life changed. He and his first wife divorced in 1988.

### Political clout

The dairy industry throughout the country began to fall apart in 1990. Gregory took his political clout and concerns to Washington, D.C. in 1991 and met a chilly response from the Republican Party, which he had volunteered for during the preceding six years. He discovered that the Republican Party had no interest in the commodity programs which stabilize the rural communities, so he returned to Texas and worked to unseat all the Republicans he'd helped elect. The disinterested congressmen, along with lackluster state Republican legislators, set Gregory on a path to change the leadership. He phoned the National Democratic Headquarters and signed up as a volunteer.

He traveled thousands of miles in 1991 helping organize and motivate fellow dairy and beef operators throughout Texas and 19 other states to unseat George Bush. The Clinton/Gore ticket drafted Gregory to participate in news conference "fly-ins" throughout Texas. The Texas Democratic Party used Gregory to further promote Clinton's election and help the state's Democratic Party.

### Appointed to Texas Agricultural Finance Authority

Gov. Ann Richards gave her nod to Gregory in 1992 with an appointment to the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority Board, which oversees the diversification efforts that were begun during the years that Jim Hightower oversaw the Texas Department of Agriculture. Working with the TAFE board, Gregory decided the system was flawed. He worked within the Texas Legislature changing the numbers of board members from four to seven, making it more responsive to the taxpayers.

Through his dealings with the present agriculture commissioner, Gregory found that the department lacked the needed wisdom from a

farmer. He decided in January 1993 to run the race for the helm of the Agriculture Department.

### Covering the state

Even though he had no opponent in the primary, "I campaigned like I had one." He's put about 100,000 miles on his truck campaigning in more than 66 percent of Texas' 254 counties.

Gregory has put the same energy into grass roots campaigning as he has in business. "I really enjoy being on the road and visiting with all these people. I'm determined to be a state candidate who is out there working with the people in the rural as well as the urban areas," he said. "The only bad part is missing my family."

Gregory married Cindy Pierce in 1989, and they have a son, Andrew. They had a second child in June.

Gregory and his family attend Gafford Chapel Methodist Church,



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which his family helped establish in 1876. Marvin Gregory Campaign Headquarters P.O. Box 898 Sulphur Springs, Texas 75483 1-800 TEX AG 94

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# Annual Hansford County 4-H Rodeo has big turnout

The Hansford County 4-H Rodeo was held July 16th. People who worked during the rodeo were Burt Williams (Announcer), Boots Avent and Jon Jarvis (Judges), Cathy Gafford and Katy Wheelock (Timers), Merry Bateman (Secretary), and Gruver Volunteer Fire Department (Concession Stand). A big thanks goes out to Travis Patterson, A. D. and Hadley Reed, Bob Cluck, Quentin Harper, Royce Mathews, Monte Cluck, Monty Hawkins, Richard Wagner, SPS (AI), Boyd Rice, Brad Hart, Larry Babbs Welding, Wanda Wagner, Gruver Ambulance, Gruver Vol. Fire Dept., Burt Williams, Tri State Rodeo Assoc., and Hart Derrington for making the rodeo a great success.

**Results:**

- Break-Away Roping 14-18 girls**  
 1st - Jody Avent Stinnett 4.006  
 2nd - Kandi Watson Dumas 7.631  
 3rd - Shronne Farrow Dumas 14.043  
**Tie Down Roping 14-18 boys**  
 1st - Matt Eakin Whiteface 9.102  
 2nd - Wes Avent Stinnett 13.071  
 3rd - Matt Reeves Pampa 13.981  
 4th - Quentin Harper Gruver 15.133  
 5th - Brandon Plagge Stinnett 15.911  
 6th - Travis Hill Higgins 34.379  
**Goat Tying 14-18 girls**  
 1st - Sequin Dawney Amarillo 11.366  
 2nd - Becky Strain Goodwell 13.951  
 3rd - Nicole Salzbrenner White Deer 14.666  
 4th - Shanna Jarvis Stinnett 17.253  
**Ribbon Roping 14-18 boys**  
 1st - Matt Eakin Whiteface 12.055

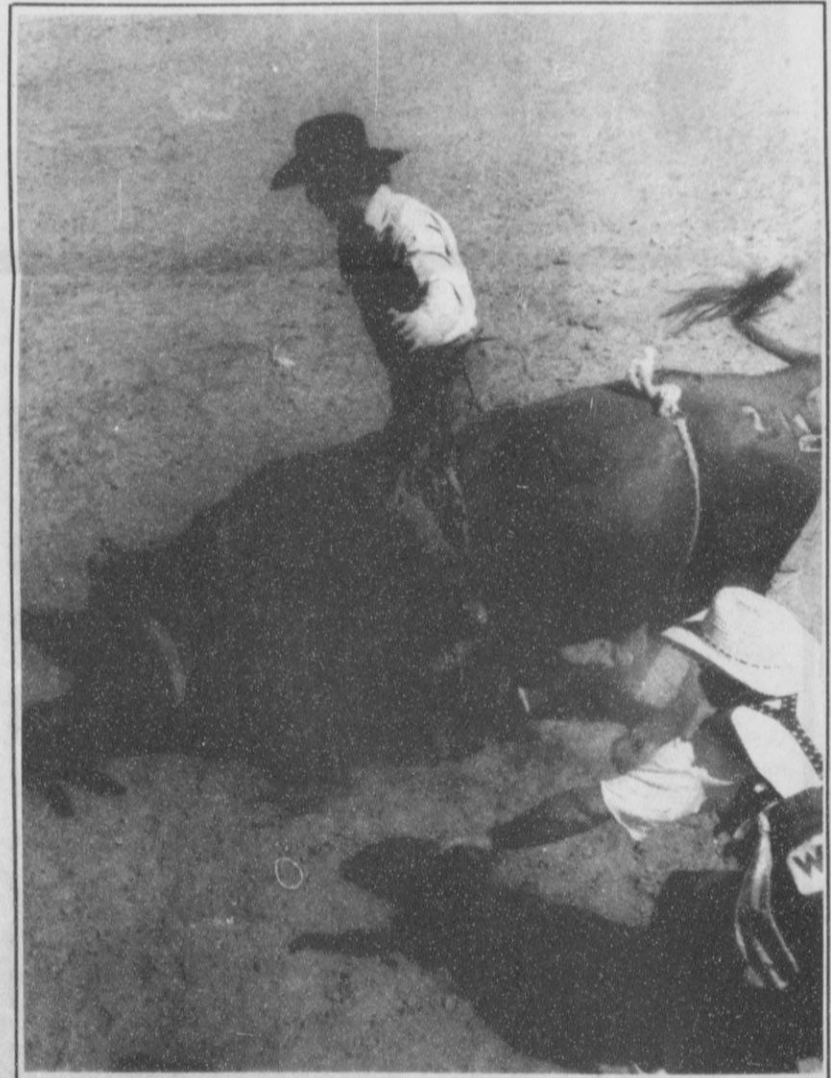
- 2nd - Wes Avent Stinnett 13.360  
 3rd - Shawn Hill Higgins 16.243  
 4th - Jamey Maxwell Fritch 16.484  
 5th - Matt Reeves Pampa 18.871  
 6th - Travis Hill Higgins 21.100  
**Barrels 14-18 girls**  
 1st - Shanna Jarvis Stinnett 19.242  
 2nd - Sequin Dawney Amarillo 19.426  
 3rd - Nicole Salzbrenner White Deer 19.484  
 4th - Becky Strain Goodwell 20.183  
 5th - Shronne Farrow Dumas 23.773  
**Break-Away Roping 14-18 boys**  
 1st - Wes Avent Stinnett 4.111  
 2nd - Shawn Hill Higgins 4.141  
 3rd - Josh Purcell Briscoe 4.485  
 4th - Kyle Hawkins Guymon 4.523  
 5th - Quentin Harper Gruver 4.661  
 6th - Matt Reeves Pampa 5.029  
**Pole Bending 14-18 girls**  
 1st - Jody Avent Stinnett 22.357  
 2nd - Shronne Farrow Dumas 22.692  
 3rd - Becky Strain Goodwell 23.707  
 4th - Sequin Dawney Amarillo 24.453  
 5th - Shanna Jarvis Stinnett 28.605  
 6th - Nicole Salzbrenner White Deer 32.909  
**Chute Dogging 14-18 boys**  
 1st - Shawn Hill Higgins 8.501  
 2nd - H.G. Adams V Plains, KS 10.135  
 3rd - Ty Lawrence Dalhart 13.818  
 4th - Brandon Plagge Stinnett 20.080  
 5th - Matt Reeves Pampa 24.855  
 The All Around 14-18 Boy, Wes Avent, and the All Around 14-18

- Girl, Sequin Dawney, won a buckle.  
**Break-Away Roping 11-13 boys**  
 1st - Monty Eakin Whiteface 5.129  
 2nd - Beau Hargrave Happy 8.293  
 3rd - Levi London Freedom, OK 12.691  
 4th - Roper Slavin Higgins 31.949  
**Goat Ribbon 7 & under girls**  
 1st - Carol Wilson Boise City, OK 15.975  
 2nd - Kelly Day Woodward, OK 17.551  
 3rd - Ciarra Brooks Booker 17.658  
 4th - Amy Northcutt Hereford 17.885  
 5th - Karra Longo Pampa 18.709  
 6th - Bethany Brawley Borger 21.752  
**Goat Ribbon 7 & under boys**  
 1st - Jake Mitchell Borger 16.009  
 2nd - Cole Dorenkamp Lamar, CO 19.009  
 3rd - Zane Peters Channing 19.133  
 4th - Casey Maxwell Fritch 20.493  
 5th - Bailey Reid Morse 21.007  
 6th - Brock Irwin Gruver 23.689  
**Barrels 7 & under girls**  
 1st - Amy Northcutt Hereford 20.118  
 2nd - Ciarra Brooks Booker 21.864  
 3rd - Karra Longo Pampa 21.903  
 4th - Keeley Longo Pampa 22.492  
 5th - Carol Wilson Boise City, OK 24.210  
 6th - Rachele Holt Gruver 24.647  
**Barrels 7 & under boys**  
 1st - Zack Dorenkamp Lamar, CO 20.125  
 2nd - Jake Mitchell Borger 20.151  
 3rd - Casey Maxwell Fritch 20.451  
 4th - Jeremy Pritchett Pampa 24.870  
 5th - Cole Dorenkamp Lamar, CO 27.519  
 6th - Chase Phillips Morse 28.685  
**Barrels 8-10 boys**  
 1st - Cooper Adams Plains, KS 18.301  
 2nd - Evan Schmidt Morse 18.605  
 3rd - Marty Eakin Whiteface 18.979  
 4th - Cade Brawley Borger 19.800  
 5th - Keith Day Woodward, OK 20.260  
 6th - Tyler Hindman Borger 21.232  
**Barrels 8-10 girls**  
 1st - Krista Hawkins Guymon, OK 18.118  
 2nd - Kaylee Holt Gruver 18.197  
 3rd - Randus London Freedom, OK 18.421  
 4th - Kaily Richardson Pampa 19.055  
 5th - Kambri Smith Boise City, OK 19.228  
 6th - Casey Jo Light Amarillo 19.243  
**Barrels 11-13 girls**  
 1st - Chancy Etbauer Goodwell, OK 18.234  
 2nd - Kizzi Smith Boise City, OK 18.271  
 3rd - Michelle Fowler Amarillo 19.079  
 4th - Kaycee Howe Stinnett 19.203  
 5th - Taylor Laws Amarillo 19.340  
 6th - Kristy Heath Perryton 19.394  
**Barrels 11-13 boys**  
 1st - Levi London Freedom, OK 17.623  
 2nd - Beau Hargrave Happy 18.628  
 3rd - Chad Couch Goodwell, OK 19.095  
 4th - Monty Eakin Whiteface 19.331  
 5th - Heath Carlisle Borger 19.394  
 6th - Ryan Farrow Dumas 19.669  
**Break-Away Roping 8-10 boys**  
 1st - Cooper Adams Plains, KS 4.494  
 2nd - Marty Eakin Whiteface 13.869  
 3rd - Chad Howe Stinnett 34.749  
**Flag Race 7 & under girls**  
 1st - Kelly Day Woodward, OK 10.184  
 2nd - Carol Wilson Boise City, OK 11.521  
 3rd - Rachele Holt Gruver 11.685  
 4th - Bethany Brawley Borger 13.473  
 5th - Karra Longo Pampa 14.241  
 6th - Currie Hindman Borger 19.772  
**Flag Race 8-10 girls**  
 1st - Randus London Freedom, OK 9.476  
 2nd - Kari Jo Couch Goodwell, OK 9.576  
 3rd - Casey Jo Light Amarillo 9.650  
 4th - Kambri Smith Boise City, OK 9.919  
 5th - Adrian AdKissan Ringwood, OK 10.025  
 6th - Tia Kincannon Boise City, OK 10.698  
**Muttin Bustin 7 & under boys**  
 1st - Cody Elam Dalhart 60  
 2nd - Brock Irwin Gruver 58  
 3rd - Pake Eckhardt Gruver 57  
 4th - Jake Mitchell Borger 56, Tanner Irwin Gruver 56  
 6th - Zack Dorenkamp Lamar, CO 55, Tarin Rice Spearman 55  
**Pole Bending 8-10 girls**  
 1st - Randus London Freedom, OK 20.664  
 2nd - Kylee Schumacher Boise City, OK 23.145  
 3rd - Casey Jo Light Amarillo 23.253  
 4th - Kristin Elam Dalhart 23.894  
 5th - Alise Monden Borger 26.126  
 6th - Kayle Holt Gruver 26.159  
**Pole Bending 11-13 girls**  
 1st - Kizzi Smith Boise City, OK 21.470  
 2nd - Taylor Laws Amarillo 22.294  
 3rd - Chancy Etbauer Goodwell, OK 22.462  
 4th - Kristy Heath Perryton 23.606  
 5th - Brandi Brown Dumas 23.894  
 6th - Ally Chesnet Dalhart 23.926  
**Pole Bending 7 & under boys**  
 1st - Jake Mitchell Borger 22.583  
 2nd - Zack Dorenkamp Lamar, CO 25.952  
 3rd - Bailey Reid Morse 29.536  
 4th - Jeremy Pritchett Pampa 30.192  
 5th - Jake Strain Goodwell, OK 33.434  
 6th - Cole Dorenkamp Lamar, CO 34.115  
**Pole Bending 7 & under girls**  
 1st - Amy Northcutt Hereford 22.594  
 2nd - Carol Wilson Boise City, OK 23.278

- 3rd - Currie Hindman Borger 28.071  
 4th - Keeley Longo Pampa 30.654  
 5th - Bethany Brawley Borger 31.383  
 6th - Karra Longo Pampa 32.125  
**Steer Riding 8-10 boys**  
 1st - Evan Schmidt Morse 69  
**Goat Tying 8-10 girls**  
 1st - Casey Jo Light Amarillo 13.911  
 2nd - Randus London Freedom, OK 15.450  
 3rd - Kaylee Holt Gruver 16.122  
 4th - Kari Jo Couch Goodwell, OK 16.741  
 5th - Kaily Richardson Pampa 17.073  
 6th - Adrian Adkisson Ringwood, OK 17.430  
**Goat Tying 8-10 boys**  
 1st - Cooper Adams Plains, KS 14.729  
 2nd - Marty Eakin Whiteface 17.328  
 3rd - Cade Brawley Borger 18.462  
 4th - Keith Day Woodward, OK 18.473  
 5th - Evan Schmidt Morse 20.838  
 6th - Chad Howe Stinnett 23.944  
**Goat Tying 11-13 boys**  
 1st - Ryan Farrow Dumas 12.174  
 2nd - Levi London Freedom, OK 12.694  
 3rd - Chad Couch Goodwell, OK 13.954  
 4th - Monty Eakin Whiteface 15.312  
 5th - T.J. Jennings Borger 19.440  
 6th - Ike Hanes McLean 19.567  
**Goat Tying 11-13 girls**  
 1st - Brandi Brown Dumas 13.556  
 2nd - Autumn Bateman Gruver 14.575  
 3rd - Kizzi Smith Boise City, OK 14.871

- 4th - Brandy Morris Gruver 16.869  
 5th - Kaycee Howe Stinnett 17.328  
 6th - Cassie Salzbrenner White Deer 18.777  
**Steer Riding 11-13 boys**  
 1st - Chad Couch Goodwell, OK 70  
 2nd - Monty Eakin Whiteface 66  
 3rd - Roper Slavin Higgins 63  
 4th - Chase Lamb Gruver 61  
 The All Around 7 & under Girl, Carol Wilson, won a buckle and the All Around 7 & under Boy, Jake Mitchell won a saddle. The All Around 8-10 Girl, Randus London, won a saddle and the All Around 8-10 Boy, Cooper Adams, won a buckle. The All Around 11-13 Girl, Kizzi Smith, won a buckle, and the All Around 11-13 Boy, Monty Eakin, won a buckle.

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**RIDE 'EM** - Danny Smith tries to hang on during Saturday morning's bull-riding competition. Unfortunately for Smith, the bull known as Jose got the better end of him as he failed to stay on.

## Results

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|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Rusty Ridley 10.289            | Shannon Frost/Steve Ortho 6.597      |
| Terry Kitchens 10.929          | Billy Stevens/Zane Bowers 8.709      |
| James Doss 11.300              | Tim McCreight/Lance Chisum 9.866     |
| <b>Breakaway</b>               | Mike Perry/Shannon Frost 11.931      |
| Cody Himes 3.183               | Paul Peterson/Jerry Dougherty 13.129 |
| Kelly Johnston 3.355           | <b>Barrels</b>                       |
| Renee Honey 3.601              | Delores Toole 17.578                 |
| Terry Joe Patterson 4.275      | Shan Til Hext 17.593                 |
| <b>Steer Wrestling</b>         | Teal Rice 17.657                     |
| Kirby Kaul 5.22                | Diane Nelson 17.840                  |
| Steve Scibold 5.304            | Connie Harris 17.870                 |
| Dean Phelps 5.395              | Karen Smith 18.346                   |
| Rick Honey 5.586               | Jessica Perser 18.345                |
| Scott Quick 5.915              | <b>Bull Riding</b>                   |
| Keith Birkenfield 5.929        | Jimmy Slack 83                       |
| <b>Saddle Borne</b>            | Flint Mask 81                        |
| Jeff Baker 79                  | Dale Gideon 78                       |
| Marty McCloy 74                | Don Ray Howard 78                    |
| Benji Fontenot 74              | Randy Lopez 77                       |
| Brandon Brown 72               | Benji Fontenot 76                    |
| <b>Team Roping</b>             |                                      |
| Billy Stevens/Kirk Jones 6.314 |                                      |

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# Obituaries

## Weldon C. Bransgrove

**PERRYTON** - Weldon C. Bransgrove, 71, died July 18, 1994. He was born in Lulu, Mich., on Sept. 26, 1922, and had lived most of his life in the Perryton and Balko, Okla. areas. He attended Perryton schools in his early years and graduated from Bethany School in Beaver County, Okla. in 1940.

He married Eleanor Jennrich at Perryton on Nov. 13, 1959. She survives. He farmed in Beaver County, Okla. and at Eads, Colo.

Other survivors include two sons, William, Spearman, and Richard W. of Miami, Fla.; a daughter, Linda Vilardell, Amarillo; two sisters, Florence Bass, Beaver, Okla., Neva Hardiman, Lawton, Okla.; and a brother, Laurence Bransgrove of Liberal.

Services were conducted Wednesday at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church by the Rev. Scott Kirchoff. Burial was at the Gray Cemetery in Beaver County, Okla. under the direction of Boxwell

Brothers Funeral Home, Perryton.

## William E. Dillow Jr.

**SANFORD** - William E. Dillow Jr., 73, died Wednesday, July 13, 1994.

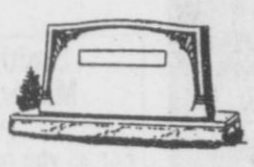
Graveside services were at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in Hansford Cemetery with the Rev. Jeff Lust, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Spearman, officiating. Arrangements are by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home in Spearman.

Mr. Dillow was born in Spearman and had moved to Sanford from Berger eight years ago. He graduated from Spearman High School and served four years in the Army Air Corps during World War II. He retired in 1986 as a service station attendant and mechanic.

Survivors include four sisters, Velma Sanders of Spearman, Florence Robinson of Amarillo, Viola Harris of Dewey, Okla., and Sybil Reese of Milam; and a brother, Don Dillow of Gruver.

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LEGAL TITLE OF BANK		STATE BANK NO.
Gruver State Bank		1705-34
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CITY		DATE OF BUSINESS DATE
Gruver	June 30, 1994	

ASSETS		Liabilities in Thousands	Dr.	Cr.
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions	a. Nonmember - bearing balances and currency and coin	1,100		1.0
	b. member - bearing balances	0		0.0
2. Securities	a. Held to maturity securities	2,424		2.4
	b. Available for sale securities	9,254		9.3
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank	a. Federal funds sold	300		0.3
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0		0.0
4. Loans and lease financing receivables	a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	13,812		13.8
	b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	208		0.2
	c. LESS: Allowance transfer risk reserve	0		0.0
5. Assets held in trading accounts	a. Premiums and fees assets (including capitalized losses)	252		0.3
	b. Other real estate assets	0		0.0
6. Investments in unaffiliated subsidiaries and associated companies	a. Investments in unaffiliated subsidiaries and associated companies	0		0.0
7. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	a. Intangible assets	0		0.0
8. Other assets	a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)	27,776		27.8
	b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(d)	0		0.0
	c. Total assets and loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(d) (sum of items 12 a and 12 b)	27,776		27.8
LIABILITIES				
13. Deposits	a. In domestic offices	3,198		3.2
	(1) Nonmember - bearing	2,901		2.9
	(2) member - bearing	297		0.3
	b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and BR's	0		0.0
	(1) Nonmember - bearing	0		0.0
	(2) member - bearing	0		0.0
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank	a. Federal funds purchased	0		0.0
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0		0.0
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	a. Trading liabilities	0		0.0
16. Other borrowed money	a. With original maturity of one year or less	0		0.0
	b. With original maturity of more than one year	0		0.0
17. Mortgage nonaccruals and delinquencies under capitalized losses	a. Mortgage nonaccruals and delinquencies under capitalized losses	0		0.0
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	a. Subordinated notes and debentures	0		0.0
19. Other liabilities	a. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)	3,198		3.2
20. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)	a. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)	3,198		3.2
21. Total equity (sum of items 21 through 23)	a. Total equity (sum of items 21 through 23)	24,578		24.6
22. Unpaid - the preferred stock and related surplus	a. Unpaid - the preferred stock and related surplus	0		0.0
23. EQUITY CAPITAL	a. Authorized	6,000		6.0
	b. Outstanding	6,000		6.0
24. Common stock (of shares a. Authorized	a. Authorized	6,000		6.0
	b. Outstanding	6,000		6.0
25. Surplus	a. Undivided profits and capital reserves	18,578		18.6
	b. Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available for sale securities	0		0.0
26. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	a. Total equity capital (sum of items 24 and 25)	24,578		24.6
27. Less: Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(d)	a. Total equity capital (sum of items 24 and 25)	24,578		24.6
28. Total equity capital and loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(d) (sum of items 27 a and 28 b)	a. Total equity capital and loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(d) (sum of items 27 a and 28 b)	24,578		24.6
29. Total liabilities, unmet - the preferred stock, equity capital, and loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(d) (sum of items 21, 22, and 29 a)	a. Total liabilities, unmet - the preferred stock, equity capital, and loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(d) (sum of items 21, 22, and 29 a)	27,776		27.8

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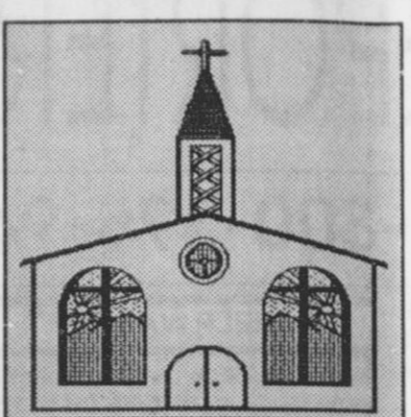
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1 Corinthians 3:1-17	1 Corinthians 4:1-21	2 Corinthians 3:1-18	2 Corinthians 6:1-13	2 Corinthians 8:1-15	2 Corinthians 8:16-24	2 Corinthians 9:1-15

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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 Mision Bautista**  
502 E. 7th • 659-3991  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
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Pastor Guadalupe Carranza, Jr.

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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 Gumfory

**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  
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