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THE GRUVER STATESMAN, GRUVER, TEXAS 79040

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1985



Entomology Team

Entomology Team Members are: Clay Hobbs, Trey Roberts, Steve Duncan, and Ross Renner. Advisor is Craig Solomon.



Livestock Team Members

Gregg Haight, Slavin Sparks, Tim Stedje, and Chris Morris. Advisor is Craig Solo

# FFA Judging Teams place at Lubbock

1-A tennis champs head for regional



District 1-A Tennis Champs. Left to right, Back row: Ron Riley, Craig Cooper, Coach-Tim Garland, Scott Duncan, Steve Duncan [holding 1st

Place Boys Team Plaque.] Front Row [left to right]: Andrea Whitaker, Joby White [holding 1st Place Girls Team Plaque], Dala

Gruver FFA Judging teams attended the Judging Contest held at Texas Tech last weekend.

Livestock Judging Team members were Greg Haight, Tim Stedje, Slavin Sparks, and Chris Morris. They were 1st in Area and 2nd out of 153.

Entomology - Trey Roberts was 1st High Individual. Other members were Ross Renner. Steve Duncan, and Clay Hobbs.

Ross Renner, Jr. was elected President of the Top O Texas

Area Officer Nominee was Jackie Sparks of Gruver.

Others attending from Gruver were Debbie Burton, Brian De-Camp, Greg Reeves, Chris Morris and Vernon Martin.

Gruver FFA Officers for 1985-86 are: President - Greg Haight; Vice President - Rod Karlin; Sec. - Mark Gilbreath; Treas. - Tim Stedje; Reporter - Loyd Cator; and Sentinel

The Livestock and entomology Judging Teams each placed 1st in

Area I. The Livestock team will be competing at the State Contest at Texas A&M on the 27th of April.

Gruver Emergency Number

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# Outdoor Services for First Baptist - Gruver

"Nature is a volume of which God is the Author." Old-fashioned horse and buggy day-type services are to be held on Sunday morning, April 28th, at Nature's Park, nine miles south of Gruver off Highway 136. An Ingathering Day of God's church has been planned by the First Baptist Church of Gruver. It is hoped by the pastor, Larry Miller, and the people of First Baptist that this will be a day of ingathering of souls, renewed fellowship and friendships, and restoring God's

Nature's Park Sunday, April 28, 1985, 9:45 a.m.

mission here in this place to a firmer financial plane. A great day is planned - music, Bible study and preaching - all under the trees and God's beautiful canopy. Everyone is invited - please attend, bring your children and friends, a sack lunch for your family (drinks will be furnished), lawn chairs or blankets,

and a gift to our Creator. As we worship Him here in this place, in His beautiful "sanctuary", let us respond with a generous gift because of what He has so generously given us. Please worship with us, and be a part of this great

# First National Bank now open for business



**KELON MORLEY** 

Coach Royce Blackshear of GHS. stated Thursday that Kelon Morely was placed on the 2nd all state team, and 1st on the regional team at the annual Basketball Coaches Association All-Star Games at Waco, April 19 and 20.

The Directors of the First National Bank of Spearman have announced final approval from the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency for opening of the new bank. The First National Bank opened for business at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 24, 1985.

The opening is the culmination of almost two years planning and work for the organizing directors. They met for the first time on May 17, 1983 to organize and begin working toward the establishment of a new financial institution for the community.

The organizers include Bill Pittman, Felma Evans, J. L. Brock, Max Baggerly, Ralph Blodgett, Gene Cudd, Lloyd Buzzard, Jack Hart, Britt Jarvis, Richard Holton, Jimmy Shieldknight, Ila Jo Hart, Bob Pearson, Joe Venneman and Kent Guthrie. They made application for a national bank charter and received preliminary approval February 1, 1984. In December, 1984 the directors chose Don Townsen as President and he was approved

by the Comptroller's office. The new bank building was completed and approximately \$400,000 in stock was sold to 75 community investors in February 1985. Capital of \$2,000,000 was raised from the organizers and local investors as initial capital for the new bank.

The First National Bank will open each morning of the week at 7:30 a.m. for full service and will close at 3:00 p.m. On Thursdays, the bank will re-open from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. Don Townsen, President, commented about the extended hours, "we are attempting to provide, with our early opening time and late hours on Thursday. full service banking hours that will be outside of normal working hours so our customers won't have to take time off from work to do their banking. We also want to accommodate farmers and other independent business men and women who may prefer to handle their banking business early instead of

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Employees of Hansford County's new First National Bank invite all of the Graver, Morse, and western Hansford County people to drop by

and visit their new bank facilities in Spearman. Pictured left to right: Don Townsen, president, Felma Evans, Wilma Francis, Brenda

O'Brien, Beverly Jenkins, Christy Brock, Tindle Ramon and Bill

## **Emphasis on early detection**

"Up until now, if you're like most people, standard examinations for its detection a you probably haven't spent a lot of time thinking about colorectal cancer," said Mrs. Dwayne TeBeest, Vice President of the Hansford Unit of the American Cancer Societ. "But with recent national attention physical examination, there is more public interest in cancer of the colon and rectum than ever before."

The White House announced on March 11th that doctors had discovered a second small polyp in the President's intestinal tract and that signs of blood in the President's stool had also been detected.

standard diagnostic techniques for early detection of colorectal cancer, which are:

(1. Digital Rectai Examination, by which 12 to 15 percent of all colorectal cancers can be found. The American Cancer Society suggests that this examination be given annually to people age 40 and over.

(2). Testing for hidden blood in the stool, which can be helpful in identifying cancer or pre-cancerous conditions in the colon or rectum. This test should be given annually

(3.) Proctosigmoidoscopy, with which a flexible lighted tube enables a doctor to inspect the rectum and lower colon. More than 60 percent of all colorectal cancers can be detected this way. The "procto" should be given every three to five years after two initial negative exams one year apart from

'Because some medical conditions -- like a history of polyps in the colon or rectum or a history of ulcerative colitits -- may put a person at higher risk for colorectal cancer, the Society urges such people to develop a personal check-up schedule with their family physician," said Mrs. TeBeest.

Studies have demonstrated that it is possible to detect asymptomatic cancers at an early, curable stage at the time of the stool blood test. A positive test indicates that presence of hidden blood in the gastrointestinal tract. Diets, however, must be modified 48 hours before the test has begun to avoid red meat and aspirin, which can lead to false positive results. High doses of Vitamin C can produce a false negative reaction. A positive test should be followed by a second test to confirm the earlier finding. Other dietary recommendations prior to a stool blood test include consumption of food high in fiber in order to increase quantity and stimulate the polyp to bleed. These foods should include vegetables and fruits and bran cereals.

"Colorectal cancer is one of the most curable forms of cancer," continued Mrs. TeBeest. "But unfortunately most people don't realize this and don't make the

regular part of their physical examinations. Colorectal cancer is second only to lung cancer incidence, and this year it will claim the lives of 59,900 Americans, 2,600 from Texas alone! With early detection and on the findings of President Reagan's prompt treatment, the lives of three-fourths of the patients can be saved". For 1985, the educational focus of Crusade Days is cancer of the colon and rectum. Trained volunteers will distribute a folder "Your Colorectal Health Check" during C-Days, 1985-read this important pamphlet and give so that you and others can live!

"The breakdown of how American Cancer The President's physicians had used Society funds are spent in Texas represents one of the best returns on the dollar that I know', said Mrs. Pat Holt, Chairman of the 1985 Educational and Fund-raising Crusades in Hansford County.

In preparing for the 1985 Crusade, Mrs. Holt feels it is important for the community to realize ACS expenditures. "It is one part of the ACS we're most proud of and I think our friends and neighbors will be more than willing to give to cancer control if they know how well their money is being spent," she

The following represents the breakdown of how each dollar raised last year by the ACS is being spent this fiscal year (September 1, ot 21 1005) in Tox

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Cancer Research	\$.29
Professional Education	.11
Public Education	.28
Service/Rehabilitation	.15
Program Development and	d
Administration	.06
Crusada	.12

\$1.11 This 111 percent expenditure reflects increased research allocations to Texas by the National Society.

"The ACS is currently sponsoring research investigations in 12 major Texas hospitals, medical schools, and universities totaling over \$6 million," said Mrs. Holt. "Becaues Texas has so many research institutions, the National Society allocates additional funds here."

"In spite of severe inflationary trends, we were able to keep tight control over our administrative costs and keep them within WINNING. acceptable limits as this breakdown indications." she commented.

ACS programs such as patient service, and rehabilitation (Reach-to-Recovery, esophageal speech lessons, etc.) public education (films, pamphlets, exhibits, the Great American Smokeout) and professional education for the medical community are mainly administered through the Society's volunteer system. "Volunteer manpower helps main-

Give when your neighbor calls during the 1985 Crusade -- your money is being well spent for your well being!

"The facts are mounting to show that we are winning the battle with cancer!" said Mrs. Elmo McClellan, Jr., President of the American Cancer Society's Hansford Unit. The statement was made during the meeting of the Unit preparing for the annual Cancer Crusade, the Society's educational and fundraising campaign which is in full swing in Hansford County right now.

"In the 1930s, less than one in five cancer patients was alive five years after treatment", continued President McClellan. "In 1985, the figure has improved to almost one in two, according to recent government statistics. Here in Texas, that means that many more lives will be saved due to improvements in prevention and to methods of diagnosis and treatment of cancer'

Mrs. McClellan offered as examples the following:

\* A simple test such as a Pap test, a microscopic examination of cells from the uterus, is associated with the overall decrease of more than 70 percent deaths from uterine cancer over the past 40 years.

\*Routine self-examination of the breasts and tests can detect cancer in these areas at an early, highly curable stage.

\*The American Cancer Society estimates that cigarette smoking is responsible for 85 percent of lung cancer cases among men and 73 percent among women. Statistics from recent surveys show that the overall percentage of smokers in the population dropped from 33.7 to 32.6 percent between 1978 and 1980. By 1983, the percentage had dropped even further, to 30 percent.

\*A possible link between diet and cancer of the breast, colon, and prostate has been suggested by recent studies. Evidence points to a lessening of chances of getting cancer by increasing the amount of fiber in the diet and lowering the intake of fatty foods.

\*Early detection and prompt treatment of cancer of the colon and rectum can result in

the survival of three out of four colorectal cancer patients.

Go for it this year of 1985 and give so that you and others stand a better chance of living a cancer-free life!

"More than 60 volunteers are going door-to-door throughout Hansford County during C-Days 1985'' said Mrs. Pat (Georgia) Holt, Chairman of the Drive of the American Cancer Society's 1985 Crusade.

"April is Cancer Control Month". explained Mrs. Holt, "and C-Days are the door-to-door aspect of this month-long educational and fund-raising effort of the American Cancer Society. Volunteers call on their neighbors and friends to give them life-saving information about cancer. Last year many pieces of educational literature were distributed in Hansford County and about \$8,000 including memorials, legacies, and Crusade, was raised during the 1984

For 1985, the educational focus of C-Days is cancer of the colon and rectum. According to the American Cancer Society, colorectal cancer is one of the most curable forms of cancer, and also one of the most misunderstood. Most people believe that is an uncommon type of cancer, when in fact, about 134,000 cases will be diagnosed in the U.S.A. this year, resulting in 60,000 deaths. In the state of Texas, the estimated number of new colon rectum cancer cases for 1985 is 6,100 with 2,600 resulting deaths! The American Cancer Society reports that almost three out of four colorectal patients can be saved if the disease is found early and treated properly.

Trained volunteers are giving of their time so that you can be better informed about colorectal cancers -- when they call at your door, read the valuable folder "Your Colorectal Health Check" and then give so that you and others may live. C-Days, April 15 through May 1 in Hansford County, USA.

> The horses we bet on must all be in prime condition - they never run fast enough to exert themselves one

> Recall when we searched for the Loch Ness Monster in springtime! Now it's the new-season football monster that rises from the primeval ooze.

## JOB FAIR set for April 30

Good jobs in the teaching field are frequently hard to find. But West Texas State University's placement service is trying to make it a little easier through their Teacher Job Fair on Tuesday, April 30.

According to placement director Gene Parker, approximately 75 school districts will have representatives set up at tables in the Henson Activities Center ballroom from 2-6 p.m. Interested students or interested individuals from the outside community may bring copies of their resumes to the Job Fair. They may visit with the various representatives and pick up applications. There is no charge for this service.

### **Bike Races planned**

The Panhandle Windchasers are at it again, with their annual Cowchip Classic Run and Bicycle races, and it looks as if the field will include some excellent competitors in both events. Registrations are already coming in from a wide

The bike races will begin at 5:00 p.m., Friday, April 26, at 5th and Douglas. There will be a 10 mile race for 12 and under (both boys and girls); a 10 mile race for females 13 and over; and a 40 kilometer (24.8 miles) race for anyone 13 and over.

The runs will begin at 8:30 a.m., Saturday, April 27 at 2nd and Douglas. There will be a 10 kilometer run for everyone (6.2 miles), and a 2 mile fun run for evervone.

Numerous awards will be given to the top finishers and there will be a drawing after the races for special gifts.

For more information, contact Bob Moody at area code 405-625-

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FOR SALE: Bulk Garden Seed. Carolyn Hicks 733-2335, 108 Main.

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FOR SALE: 1984 extended van with raised top. Electric lift for handicapped. Custom made. Front and rear air. CB, Tilt and Power. Call 659-3605 or 659-3566.

FOR SALE '81 Chevy Citation, 4-door, automatic, power steering, air. Call 659-3629.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom mobilehome furnished with extras. Call 659-3833. 29-rtn

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Guymon Elks Supper Club is open to the public. Our hours are Wenesday-Thursday 6-10 p.m. Friday-Saturday 6-10:30 p.m. We have a prime rib special every Friday.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

On the 9th day of May, AD, 1985, at 2:00 o'clock p.m., in the City Commission Chamber of the City Hall of the City of Gruver, Texas, the City Commission will hold a public hearing giving all interested persons the right to appear and be heard on the proposed annexation by the City of Gruver, Texas, of the following property: The Gruver Municipal Airport located on a portion of Section 306, Block 2, GH&H RR Co., Hansford County, Texas.

(The property proposed to be annexed is the Gruver Municipal Airport property which is owned by the city and located about 2 miles Southwest of Gruver on Highway 136.)

29-1tc

### TO GIVE AWAY

Two Black Labs to give away. 659-2787 in the evenings. 29-1tc

### CARD OF THANKS

Thank you for all the calls, visits, flowers, prayers and other kindnesses while in the hospital.

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/s/JC Harris

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Gruver District 1 A tennis

champs will be going to Levelland to

compete in the Regional Tournament

May 1 and 2nd.

Scott and Steve

### Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

We have formed an organization in Floydada, "Texans for Children's Rights." We are people who are opposed to the six week suspension period, being imposed on our young people, who participate in extra-curricular activites and fail one course. We are considering a class action suit, but we need the support of the people in the Panhandle and South Plains areas. We have the lawyers who are willing to take the case, but, we must have a \$20,000 retainer fee. This would be 500 people willing to give \$40 each or 1000 giving \$20

Anyone interested, please contact Jimmy McGaugh, Chairman, 806-983-2603 or Lynn Marler 806-983-3990, or write Box 128, Floydada, Texas 79235.

Thank you, Lynn Marler

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# GSPA sponsoring sorghum yield contest

The National Grain Sorghum Producers Association (GSPA) will sponsor the first nationwide sorghum yield contest this year, with top winners receiving a trip abroad. The contest will focus on yield and management," said Elbert Harp, executive director of the National GSPA, "and will help us gather information on the most efficient and cost-effective ways to grow sorghum.

"We feel this is important because of a trend indicated by recent USDA figures. The cost of sorghum production is up as much as 50 cents a bushel over production costs for corn. If this trend continues, sorghum farmers will find it harder to remain competitive. By sponsoring the contest, the National GSPA will be able to study production techniques and find improvements," said Harp.

"In addition, the information farmers will provide during the contest, such as type of fertilizer used, will help us establish other regional, state and national trends that might affect the market for sorghum."

Contest awards will be made on three levels—county, state and national. The top winners in each class on the national level will receive a trophy and a trip to a foreign market country. On the state level, plaques will be awarded to the top three winners in each class. The first place winner in each class on the county level will receive a certificate.

The contest entry deadline is 30 days prior to harvest of the contest plot and harvest reports are due by December 1. Applications and rule books are available through the National GSPA, members of the state Grain Sorghum Producers Associations, and supporting seed and agricultural chemical companies.

"Some of the manufacturers supporting the contest, such as Stauffer

Seeds, are offering cash awards," said Harp. "These awards vary with each company and are designed to stimulate interest in this very first National Grain Sorghum Yield and Management Contest."

All contest entrants will be scored in relation to their county's established average yield. According to Harp, all calculations will be done by computer in the National GSPA office in Abernathy, Tx. The National GSPA will also keep all records on the contest and provide computer printouts of production data to contestants, county agents, university researchers and others.

"We want to promote the profitable production and the consumption of sorghum," said Harp. Through this contest, we believe we can increase interest in sorghum growing and

## Tri-State Rodeo here this week

Spearman will host the Tri-State Rodeo Friday, April 26 at 7i p.m. and Saturday, April 27 at 1 and 7 p.m.

The All Around 1985 Cowgirl saddle has been donated by Colbert Feeders, and the All Around 1985 Cowboy saddle was donated by Frontier Feeders.

Sunday, at 1:00 p.m. there will be a qualifying rodeo to qualify cowboys and cowgirls to go to the state rodeo in Seguin, Tex. Those who win at Seguin will be able to go on to the National Rodeo.

Donating trophy buckles are Spearman Super Service, Clark Aerial Spraying, Inc. Maudine Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Sanders, G. & S Inc., Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Windom, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cline, B & B Farm Industries, Speartex Grain Co., Mr. and Mrs. Philip Renner, Brock Insurance Agency, Sparks Bros. Spraying, North Plains International, Inc., James F. Greene, and Bunkhouse.

Others donating cash are Cattleman's Restaurant, H & H Water Well, Sacks Third Avenue, Nursenickel Motel, Ellsworth Oil Co., Perry Dixon, Prairie Chalet, Hickerson Jewelers, Hi-Plains Conoco, J.G.'s, Beedy Furniture, Cochran's Fabrics, Anthony Electric, Tom Sutton, Donahue Ditching, Hansford Implement, Hansford Agency, Co-op, Hi Plains Auto.

Bob Cluck is donating roping calves.

Red Hamilton is trucking the animals, Pete Fisher is donating concession supplies, Terri Butt and Boyd Rice will be pick-up men.

The odds are millions to one against a collision between a comet and the earth, which, however, did pass through the tail of Halley's comet May 19, 1940, with no effect. But banging into a comet's nucleus—Halley's weighs 30 million tons—could be devastating. Some astronomers credit comets with causing the cataclysmic Siberian explosion in 1908 that made railroad tracks heave 400 miles away.

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# Students sing in recital

Duncan are

**Tennis Teams** 

to Levelland

There was a high school voice recital at Victory Memorial Methodist Church in Guymon, Ok. Thursday, April 11.

High school students presented a voice recital prior to the state vocal contest at Stillwater April 17. Students from Spearman who participated were Jeff Gressett, Connie Woolley and JoAnne Odegaard. Gruver

Pioneering, '80s style: Being forced to watch the clock because the electric egg-timer is on the fritz.

students participating were Carrie Hart, Andrea Whitaker, Tye Seagler, Pam Doty, Dee Dee Womack. Students from Guymon were: Rene Wilmeth, Leandra Bookout, Lisa Nossaman, Kim Munson, Tiffany Jamieson and a girls' trio. All students were from the Billie Godley studio.

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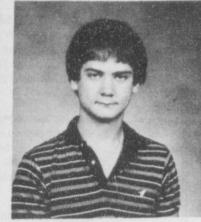
Bruce Ammons - Sr.

The graduating class of 1985 at Wayland Baptist University includes four students from Gruver.

Graduates and the degrees they are scheduled to receive are Diane Brown, master of education degree in education; Linda Haenisch, master of education degree in education: Bruce Carl Ammons, bachelor of arts degree in theology; and Christopher Deakin, assocate of technology degree in building

Wayland's 75th Spring Commencement is slated for next Saturday, April 27, beginning at 10 a.m. in Harral Memorial Audi-

A total of 258 students are



Chris Deakin - Jr.

scheduled to receive either degrees or certificates on the associate, bachelor's and master's levels.

Degrees for December and April graduates will officially be conferred upon those persons during Saturday's ceremonies. Candidates for August graduation will receive their diplomas upon completion of their course of study, although they will also participate in Saturday's activities.

Admission to the commencement exercises is by ticket only.

Edward R. Murrow, Bing Crosby, Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas and Mary McCarthy are natives of the state of Washington.

### Founder's Day to be celebrated

On April 30, 1985, here in Gruver, Alpha Mu Psi and Xi Psi Kappa of Beta Sigma Phi, in concert with 12,500 chapters of 250,000 members throughout the world, will celebrate their Founder's Day.

During the Depression, Walter W. Ross thought that young women needed more in their lives than work, responsibility, and hardship. He thought a social and cultural outlet was needed and that he was the man to see that it was provided. His efforts brought seven young women in Abilene, Kansas. together on April 30, 1931, to form that sort of organization. Beta Sigma Phi began, and time proved Walter Ross' idea a good one. Because Beta Sigma Phi has continued to meet their needs, on this April 30, Walter W. Ross will be remembered by this largest Greek letter sorority in the world.

Throughout the fifty-four years of their history, the members of Beta Sigma Phi have enjoyed programs for cultural studies and numerous social events; they had a difference in their lives. As they enjoyed these opportunities for personal growth, they came to devote much of their time and effort to service; they came to make a real difference in the world around them.

A typical year finds the chapters donating over three million directly to charities, reflecting over two million work hours. Early, the chapters created their own international funds for purposes they selected. Their International Endowment Fund has donated over two million to health research groups, to homes for underprivileged children, and to many other worthwhile causes. Their Exemplar Fund helps support Literacy Village in India. Through Beta Sigma Phi's International Loan and Scholarship Funds, members and their families are helped.

Basic to Beta Sigma Phi, however, are the socials for its members. One of the most important is their Founder's Day celebration. Each year a theme is selected to both challenge and to exemplify

each member. This past year the theme has been "Paint A Living Masterpiece."

### Elizabeth Dominguez will graduate from AC

Elizabeth Dominguez, Route 3, Gruver is graduating from Amarillo College on May 10th at 8:00 p.m. in the Amarillo Civic Center Auditor-

Elizabeth receives an associate in applied science degree in child care assistant.

527 graduates will take part in this 56th annual Amerillo College ceremony with Dr. H. D. Yarbrough, president, presiding. Professor Robert W. Wylie, chairman of the English Department will present a charge to the graduates.

Summer registration at Amarillo College takes place June 3 with classes starting on June 4th for the first summer session.

### Seniors honored by UMW

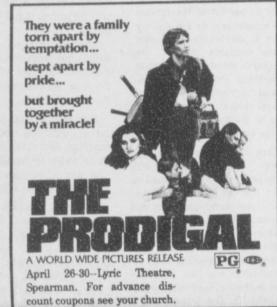
Western items were splashed throughout the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall Friday night April 19, 1985, for the United Methodist Women's annual chuckwagon supper honoring the Senior Class of Gruver High School. Kerosene lamps cast a soft glow over brass and bronze, boots and saddles, cacti and bandanas.

Guests were seated at tables topped with red checked tablecloths and centered with bronze sculptures and brass pieces in western motif. Each place was marked with a small cactus and flatware tied with a red or blue bandana. The Class of '85 and other guests were welcomed by UMW president Dorothy Cator, Reverend Kerry Hurst offered the invocation and Banquet Chairman Marilyn Gaines rang the chuckwagon's dinner gong inviting the group to the serving line.

The serving table was heavily laden with dutch ovens of barbecued beef and pinto beans. Potato salad, peaches, pickles, tossed salad, whole-wheat rolls and homemade ice creams completed the

After the meal, tables were pushed back and Fred Shieldknight of Spearman explained some basics about square dancing. A group of local dancers then performed a demonstration to the music. The enthusiastic seniors soon joined in. formed three squares, and had partners swinging all about.

Enjoying the evening with the seniors were Kim and Kerry Hurst, Dorothy and Bill Cator, Mary and Jack Weldon, Lita and Kenneth Baker, and senior sponsors Susan Kidder, Betty and Russ Chisum and Pat Burnam. Also included were Brenda and Fred Shieldknight and the square dancers, Terry Horton, T.J. Been, Marilyn and Bill Been, Rhonda and Forrest Reichen, and Sharon and John Knudson.



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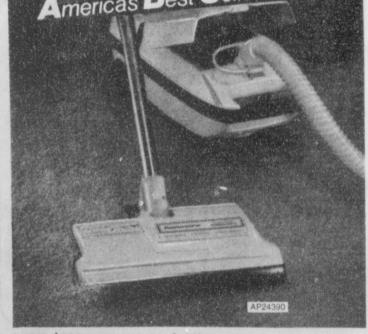


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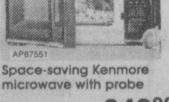
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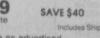


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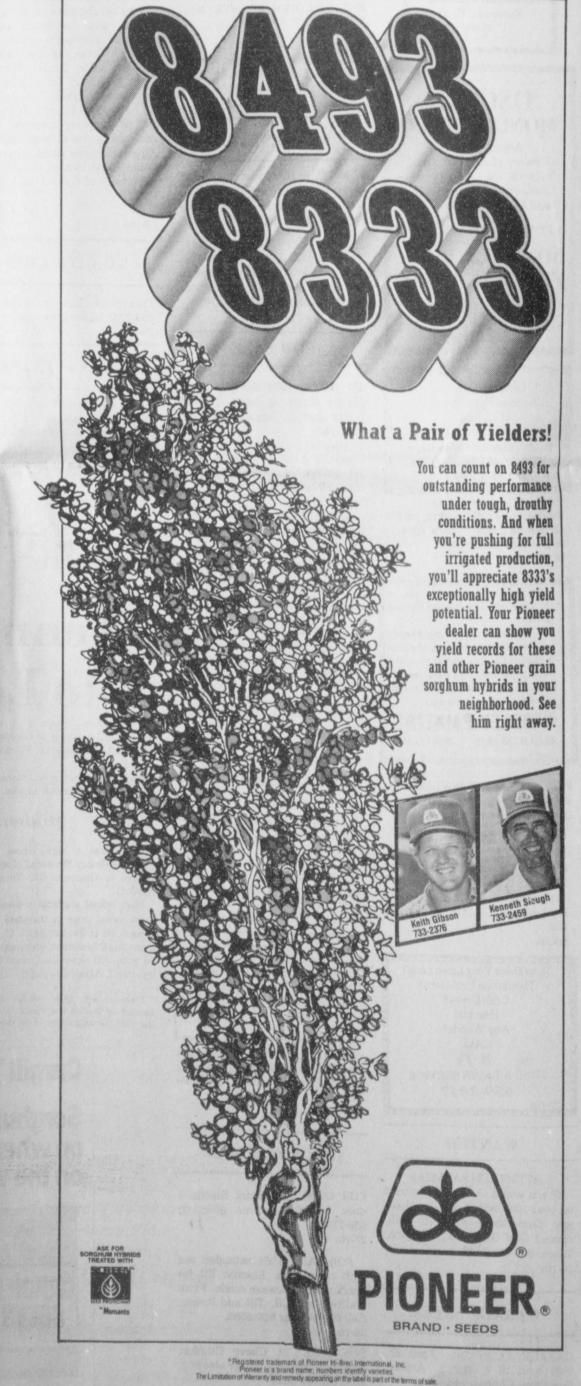
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The "Black Sunday" of April 14, 1935 during the "Dirty Thirties" has proved to be one of the most frightening days of my life. I was 14 years old at the time, so I remember very vividly the dark, ugly, grusome cloud that I saw rolling from the ground and towering miles above the horizon. Birds of all sizes and speices were flying in front of the cloud. The rabbits and small animals onthe ground were running frantically for their lives. they too, seemed to be frightened by the unfamiliar, awesome and strange looking sight.

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On that particular Sunday, my mother, Lois Wallin, my daddy, Frank Wallin, my three sisters, my two brothers and myself, Frankie Wallin Leatherman had gotten up early, as usual. We had hurried to get the chores done on our farm ten miles north and 1 mile west of Gruver. We had come to Gruver to attend Sunday School and Church. After church, we went to my grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shapley's house in Gruver to spend the day. It was a perfecty beautiful day! Little did we know what we were about to encounter.

About 4:00 o'clock that afternoon, Daddy and Mother decided it was time to start home. We were gathering up all our things and saying our goodbyes when Daddy stepped out the front door. Seeing the dark cloud rolling in, he called for Mother to come and look at what was north of town. Mother hurriedly looked and she felt we should not go until the storm had ceased or blown over. Daddy felt, as a good farmer would, that we needed to go home to take care of the chickens and livestock. After much discussion, and thinking the cloud would blow over, the told us to get into the car in a hurry and we started home, driving due north into the

Daddy drove 11/2 miles north on Highway 136. Suddenly the dust storm engulfed us! It seemed as if a large, heavy blanket had been placed over us. It was as dark as pitch! We could not see the white line in the center of the road nor could we see the edges of the road. We could hardly see each other in

We were all so frightened! All of us were crying, including Mother. Needless to say, Daddy decided very quickly he ouldn't have ever started out to go home. Now, it was too late. Daddy decided he surely could not make it home, and the only choice he had was to turn around and head back to Gruver. We felt thing! Finally, we crossed the railroad tracks, so we knew exactly where we were. We also knew that straight ahead of us somewhere - we needed to turn

right on Main St. But where was it? We never knew when we drove right past it. We found out we were lost when the front of our car suddenly fell of the end of a culvert. We were on Highway 15 headed for Spearman, Texas. Daddy sorta got his bearings. He turned the car around and finally found my grandparent's house again.

I really can't remember how Daddy finally got his family back safely, but I know now we were in God's hands and He helped us, or we would never have made it back.

We spent the night in Gruver with my grandparents. We found that when mornig came, the storm had subsided some, but the wind was still blowing really hard with lots of blowing dust. Daddy and Mother decide to drive tot he farm to check on things, leaving us children with our grandparents.

I remember them telling us that as they were driving home, in the clearer places, they could see that piles of dirt had filled the fence rows. In most places, one could walk right over a 4 wire barbed - wire fence. They also noticed that the fields where crops were growing were as bare as could be! The crops had been blown out or covered up. Such a sad, disheartening sight!

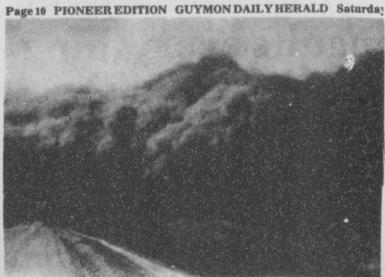
After driving about 3 hours they finally drove up to our front door. They said they could not believe the great amount of dirt in one house. They tied wet handkerchiefs over their noses and mouths to protect them from the dust and started trying to clean the house out enough that we might be able to live in it again. They told us they used scoop shovels rather than the dust pan to pick up the dirt off the floors of the house.

After three days, the storm was finally over and we returned to our home. I shall never forget the wet, muddy blankets hanging on the inside of the windows. These were used to catch as much of the dust as possible to keep us from taking dust

After that dark dust storm, everytime the wind blew, we would have a less severe dirt storm. Each time we observed the same percautions, wetting down blankets, hanging them on the windows to keep out the dust, and then cleaning the house thoroughly. Each time we would be so thankful that it was not as bad as the one of April 14. Each time we were reminded again of that awful experince of being "lost" in the middle of the afternoon in a dirt storm 11/2 miles north of Gruver! How very thankful we were that we did, in parents house in Gruver during that first dirt storm in the "Dirty Thirties" on that "Black Sunday" afternoon.

Frankie Leatherman

we were going in the right some miraculous way, find our way back safely to my granddirection, but still couldn't see a



Black Sunday duster rolls



## "The Prodigal" to run at Lyric

"The Prodigal", a fast-paced contemporary drama from World Wide Pictures, concerning the dilemma of a modern day family. will open Friday, April 26 at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman.

John Hammond, Hope Lange and John Cullum head the first-rate cast of this feature which was filmed entirely on location in Seattle and other outstanding sites throughout the state of Washing-

Hammond, who portrays the title role of the wayward son in "The Prodigal", made his motion picture debut co-starring with Mary Steenbergen, in Universal's "Cross Creek'', and recently starred in the hit television mini-series, "The Blue and the Gray"

Hope Lange, an Oscar nominee for her outstanding performance in the hit film, "Peyton Place", a two-time Emmy Award winner for her title-role in the popular television series, "The Ghost and Mrs.

Muir'. and a nominee for her emotional portrayal of the wife in the film-for-television, "That Certain Summer', stars in "The Prodigal" in the taut role of a

confused and bewildered wife and

Noted Broadway actor John Cullum, a two-time Tony Award winner for his roles in the musical "Shenandoah" and the dramatic hit "On the Twentieth Century" stars as a workaholic husband and father, prone to the personal

## Students play in recital

neglect of his family.

An elementary recital was held recently in the educational room of the First Methodist Church in Gruver. Students from grades one through six participated prior to the annual piano festival in Goodwell on Saturday, April 13. All students entered the competition division making them eligible to receive ratings from a judge. Four beginning students played in the recital, but did not enter the contest. They were Wendy Woolley and Kathy Pipkin of Spearman, and Joni Hart and Kalee Shook of Gruver.

Other students playing in both the recital and contest were from Spearman: Elizabeth Pipkin, Superior; Carla Greene, 3 pieces, excellent; Misty Savage, 2 pieces, Superior; Jessica Woolley, 3 pieces, Excellent; and Karla Kunselman, 3 pieces. Superior. Those from Gruver who participated were Katie Williams, 3 pieces, Excellent plus; Matthew Hoel, Excellent.

High and High School students entering the Piano Festival from Gruver were Todd Shapley, Christy Brown, Anne Potts, Tracey Logsdon, Viva Renner and Pam Doty.

All of the above students study with Billie Godley.



World Wide Pictures is the film organization of the Billy Graham Association, and the renowned evangelist makes a cameo appearance in the film.

"The Prodigal", a World Wide Pictures presentation, stars John Hammond, Hope Lange and John Cullum in the screenplay written Travolta, Sarah Rush, Gerry Gib-

and directed by James F. Collier. Morgan Brittany, Ian Bannen, Joey son and Arliss Howard also star in the film produced by Ken Wales with William F. Brown as executive producer.

### Sarpalius mobile office schedule

Senator Bill Sarpalius mobile office schedule will be May 2 in Spearman from 9:30 to 10:30 at the Courthouse and the June visit will be June 6 from 9:30 to 10 at Gruver State Bank and from 10:30 to 11:30 at Spearman Courthouse.

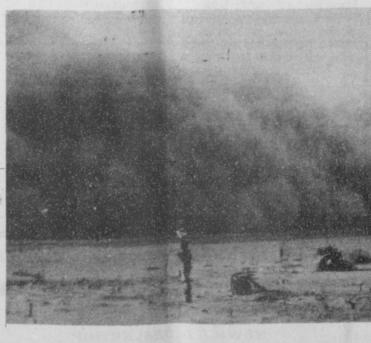
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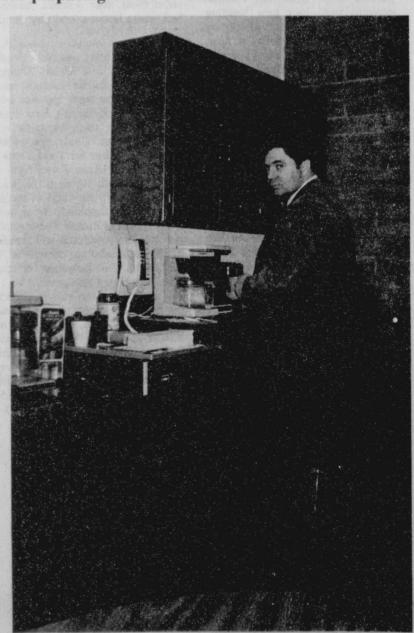
Bill Pittman, Felma Evans and Joe Venneman



Felma Evans preparing coffee at the new bank







Bill Pittman in the coffee room

## Three students headed for State UIL meet



Jackie Sparks of Gruver High School won first place in extemporaneous informative speaking during the Region 1-A University Interscholastic League literary meet sponsored Saturday [April

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having to interrupt their business

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13] by South Plains College, Levelland. Sparks will advance to the state UIL literary meet. Sparks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sparks of Gruver.

the courthouse.

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They also approved a General

Renfrow said officers have no involved in the stabbing death of an strong leads in the case, but are still looking for a car and its occupants OSBI spokesman Paul Renfrow seen near the house near the time of

The car is a dark green 1975-78 lored vinyl top and Texas license plates. The occupants are thought to ransacked, leading them to believe be two 25-to 35-year-old Hispanic

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GUYMON, Okla. (Spc) - The Oklahoma State Bureau of Investi- multiple stab wounds about the gation announced Tuesday that a head, chest and neck. An ice pick, \$5,000 reward is being offered for in- imbedded in the base of her skull,

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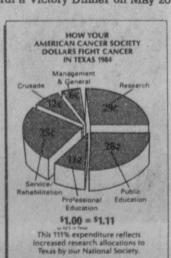
## **YMCA Fund Drive May 7**

Workers are being recruited and enthusiasm is building as the Hansford County board of directors prepares for the 1985 "Partners with Youth' campaign. This year's campaign chairman, Jackie Pearson, says that everything is going along great at this time. The board of directors has set this year's goal at \$25,500.00.

The money raised during this fund raising drive goes to support the operation of the YMCA and insures that we will continue to have a YMCA that provides many activities for the youth of our unity. It is the policy of our YMCA that no child will be denied membership or program participation on the grounds of financial condition. During the past year our YMCA has provided the following programs for children of all ages: soccer, boxing, softball, T-Ball, swim team, flag football, basketball, swim lessons, and day camp.

Jackie has recruited three district leaders. They are Tod . Brock, Brice McRee, and Richey Thompson. These district leaders have recruited three team captains who will then each recruit four team workers. The team captains are Wanda Archer, Cindy Schneider, and Lynn Archer for Todd Brock's district; Mary Dixon, Kerry Henton and Mona Beth Windom for Brice McRee's district; and Charles Shieldknight, Stephanie Brock, and Betty Elbert of Richey Thompson's district. The workforce will consist of 49 people who are committed to sustaining the presence of our

YMCA in Hansford County. If anyone is interested in participating in this effort to support and sustain our YMCA, please call the YMCA at 9-2591. Janice Mayfield is the program director at the Y and she will see that the district leaders are notified. The drive will kick-off at a dinner on May 7 and conclude with a Victory Dinner on May 20.





Sally Holt of Gruver High School won second place in typewriting during the Region 1-A University Interscholastic League literary meet sponsored Saturday [April 13] by South Plains College, Levelland. Holt will advance to the state UIL literary meet. Holt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Holt of

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They passed a resolution to allow

a 30% exemption on the appraised

value on homes during 1985, 1986,

District Attorney Gene Compton

was present to discuss his budget

and needs for the coming year.

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April 13 by South Plains College, Levelland. White will advance to the state UIL literary meet. White is the daughter of Janie Jeffries of

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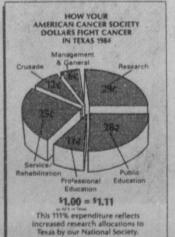
Street and highway 15, across the street from the TG&Y parking lot, the new banking facility is a modern one story building with easy accessibility and plenty of parking area. Chairman Pittman explains that "our new building was actually built for temporary use. We expect to build a new, larger facility within a few years as our business expands. Land has been optioned for the larger facility and will be available when

needed." President Don Townsen talked about the new bank and opening day:

Many citizens of Spearman and Hansford County have been anxiously awaiting this event. Community leaders who had the foresight and confidence in the future of Hansford County pooled their financial and business resources to make a major investment in and contribution to the economic growth and stability of this area. It is not easy to open a new financial institution, it takes commitment and hard work and the support of the community. The organizers had plenty of opportunity to get discouraged but they were constantly encouraged by the people of the community who supported

their efforts. The First National Bank is truly a community bank with 90 stockholders from the immediate area. It was organized and built by community leaders for the benefit of the Hansford County

Community. We ask that the people of Spearman and Hansford County take the time to come by and meet our people. Visit with us about the services we will provide and give us the opportunity to be the financial alternative that sparks the future economic growth of our community.





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you run during the month of May. Fabulous prizes are being offered for set amounts raised. Send in the registration form below along with your \$5.00 tax deductible entry fee (checks payable to MDA), and we'll send you an official T-shirt, list of prizes, sponsor sheet, runner's log and complete instructions.

### Mother-Daughter dinner held

The annual Harmony Club Mother-Daughter Dinner was Tuesday, April 9, 1985 at 6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of Gruver United Methodist Church, Casseroles, salads, home-made rolls and strawberry squares were prepared and served buffet-style by the United Methodist Women.

Mothers and other guests were welcomed by Harmony Club President Holly Holt and the invocation was offered by Cami Shapley. Andrea Whitaker, Vice President of the Club, introduced the program. Mrs. Royce Blackshear and Mrs. Russ Chisum sang a sentimental ballad, "Friends". These two women have entertained us several times this year and we were pleased to have them as special guests along with Gruver Music Club President, Mrs. Jim Derington. Several members of the club sang or played the piano, including Cheryl TeBeest, Robin Karlin, Debbie Burton, Carrie Hart, Pam Doty, Viva Renner, Sandy Spivey and Cami Shapley.

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The group was adjourned with a reading by Christie Burton. Harmony Club sponsors are Mrs. Bill Logsdon, Jr. and Mrs. Tony

### **Boots & Slippers** dance tonight

The Boots and Slippers are dancing tonight, April 25th, 8:00 P.M. in the Golden Age Center with Steve Dowell calling, come join the fun!!!

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"Life was Simplier Then" by Loula Grace Erdman is yet another book, though not new, that will appeal to those of you who would say "Yes, that's exactly the way it was!" In this charming book of personal recollections, the author returns to her childhood in western Missouri and re-creates the way of life as she then knew it. There is, for instance, an amusing section on the series of hired men who helped on the farm, followed by chapters on spring house cleaning, on family reunions, on church attendance, on the Chautaugua. It was a time when there was a second table for the children at dinner parties, when a helpful, omniscient "Central" was at the other end of the telephone wire, when harvesting ice or making apple butter was a neighborhood afair. It is only yesterday in a small American town. these lively reminiscences

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### TOPS NEWS

We haven't written news for a while so will try to compile what we

The Queen of the month awards were presented to: Terry Horton for January; Rhonda Reichen for February; Nadine Sprigg for March.

This award is presented for the most weight lost for the month. We had our election of officers in

March, they are: Rhonda Reichen, leader; Ida Hendrick, co-leader; Betty Cotter, treasurer; Phyllis Rasor, secretary; Marilyn Been, weight recorder; Louise Evans, assistant weight recorder.

Installation of officers was held in April. We welcomed one new member,

Anita Margrove, she is transfering from the Sunray club. 12 week attendance charms were awarded to Ana Soapes and Rhonda

Our meetings are held on Wednesday mornings at the First Christian Church at 9:00 A.M. We usually open with Tops songs and close with the

Tops pledge. If anyone is interested,

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### Track meet results

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Gruver, 4-11 LONG JUMP: 2. Frances Camp,

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200: 1. Loyd Cator, Gruver, 23.1: 3. Alex Renteria, Gruver, 23.8. 1600: 2. S. Duncan, Gruver, 5:05.4. 1600 RELAY: 1. Gruver, 3.29. 3200: 1. Ron Green, Gruver, 11:36.7; 3. Luke Pittman, Gruver,

# Sheriff reports three wrecks

Two cars were involved in a collision at an intersection 1/2 mile South of the Pittman-Shieldknight building Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m., April 14. Chris Christy, age 17, driving a Gran Prix hit Douglas Sumner, 17, driving a Ford Thunderbird. Both vehicles received damages, but no one was hurt.

Also on Sunday, April 14, a two car collision occured at Caprock #1, 12 miles Southwest of Gruver.

Brandon Tucker Cobb, 17, was driving a Ford pickup in which was

### involved in an accident with Teen-**USAF** seeking

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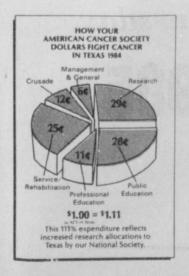
"The United States Air Force is seeking physicians in all specialties. Although we need all types, we're looking specifically for physicians in family practice, aerospace medicine, pediatrics, internal medicine, cardiology, general surgery, otorhinolaryngology, OB-GYN and psychiatry," said Master Sergeant Terry Rowe.

Board qualified physicians entering the Air Force receive direct commissions. They start in the grades of captain to lieutenant colonel, depending upon their previous experience and education.

Physicians are given an initial base of choice, if a vacancy exists. Assignment details are provided before commissioning. The Air Force offers physicians assignments in a variety of medical facilities such as out-patient clinics, similar to professional municipal clinics; or large teaching centers like the 1000-bed Wilford Hall USAF Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas.

"The Air Force offers physicians an excellent program of compensation an entitlements. These include 30 days of vacation with pay each year, an excellent retirement plan, and medical and dental care," said Sgt. Rowe.

For more information on Air Force physician opportunities contact Sgt. Rowe at 1017 University Ave., Lubbock, Tx. or call 806-762-9601. Collect calls accepted.



On Sunday April 7, a car was involved in a collision with a steer 2 miles south of Spearman on FM760. The steer was killed. The driver Tami Janzen was uninjured.

cha Cazares' car. There were three people in the Cazares car. All three were injured. Injured in the accident was 4 year old Cody Cazares, baby Kasi Cazares who received a broken leg, and the driver Teencha Cazares received bruises. All three are in an Amarillo hospital.

## Horse riding sessions planned

NOTICE To all youth who have a horse and want to ride.

The Hansford County 4-H Club is having riding sessions every Monday afternoon from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Also, if you plan to ride in the Pride of the Panhandle Shows, you need to sign up at the County Agent's office before May 1, 1985. The first show will be May 11th at Canadian, Texas.

### MARKETS

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## LUNCH MENU

APRIL 29-MAY 3 MONDAY

Chicken patties Mashed potatoes Gravv Corn Cake Hot rolls

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TUESDAY Tacos w/lettuce, cheese Pinto beans Fruit

Crustos WEDNESDAY

Chicken over rice Mixed vegetables Apricot cobbler Hot rolls Milk

THURSDAY

BBQ Cole slaw Beans Fruit Corn bread

FRIDAY

Chili dog w/cheese French fries Tossed salad Cookies Milk

## HOSPITAL

Patients in Hansford Hospital are J.H. Martin, Lena Bell, Joy Hodges, Kelly Morgan and daughter, Marilyn Groves, Dorothy McElroy, Martha Kauffman, Ella Hull and Chon Bernal. Dismissed were Charla Roberts.

Johnny Revera, Ora Vanlaningham, Irwin Harris, Kayla Eaton, Frank Yancy, Wanda Reed, Marguerite Nelson, Rae Butler, Barbara Cook and Margaret Bell.



Turn your clocks up one hour Saturday night before you go to bed as daylight savings time begins Sunday, April 28 at 2 e.m.

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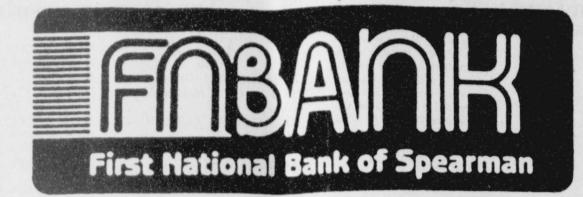
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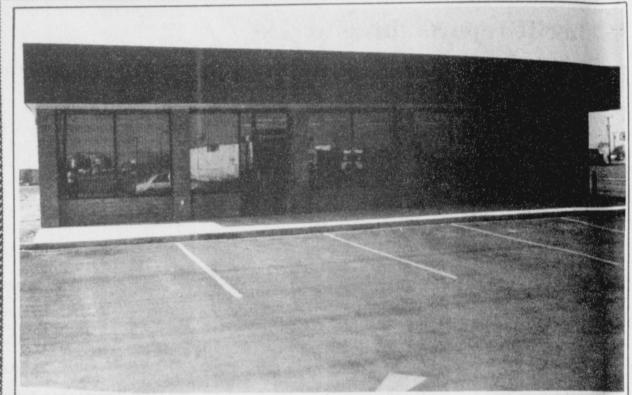
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