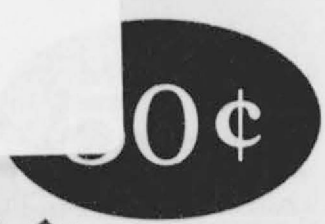




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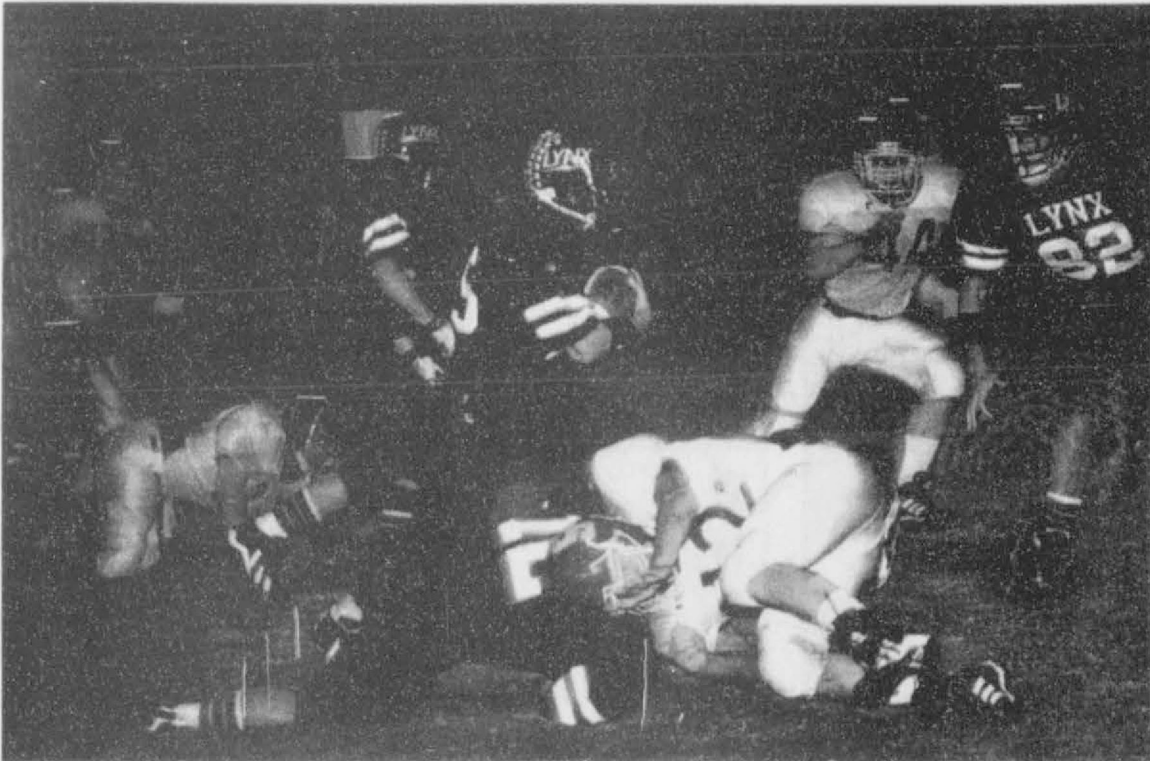
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## Lynx Skin Bobcats



Carlos Hernandez (40), Aaron Winegarner (12), and Landon Miller (82) block for Michael Lusby as he gains yardage in Friday night's game against Sunray. (photo by Mark Schoenhals)

The Sunray Bobcats must have felt as if they were in a bear trap when they faced the Spearman Lynx this past Friday night. The Bobcats went home scoreless while the Lynx racked up 61 points in their District 5-2A match-up.

Thirty-seven of Spearman's points came from senior, running back, Michael Lusby. Lusby carried the ball only 12 times, but picked up 293 yards and five touchdowns.

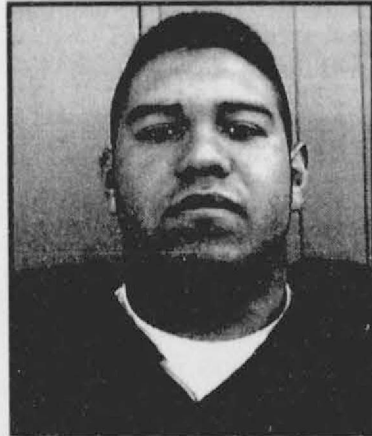
The Sunray victory brings the Lynx to 7-0 for the season and 2-0 in district play.

The halftime score was 54-0, and the Lynx only put 7 points on the board in the second half.

The Lynx rushed for 550 yards and passed for 36 yards, while Sunray managed only 21 yards rushing and 37 yards passing. The Lynx picked up 23 first downs while holding Sunray to only three.

The offensive player of the week was senior, strong tackle Doran Schoenhals, who made many key blocks for the offense. Defensive players of the week were senior tackle Quentin Shieldknight and sophomore tackle Clayton Vanderburg. Quentin had two unassisted tackles and seven assisted tackles, while Clayton had two unassisted and five assisted tackles.

Aaron Witten carried the ball six times for 42 yards. Aaron Winegarner had three carries for



Carlos Hernandez, #40, is a Senior at Spearman High School. He plays Running Back/Defensive Secondary for the Lynx. He is the son of Marianna Hernandez.



Jordan Brock, #11, is a Junior at Spearman High School. He plays Offensive Quarterback/Defensive Secondary for the Lynx. He is the son of Kim and Stephanie Brock.

nine yards. Casey Villines had 11 carries for 62 yards. Chuck Grayson had four carries for 21 yards. Carlos Hernandez had three carries for 53 yards. Dusty Barber had four carries for 70 yards. Jordan Brock had three carries for one yard.

Aaron Winegarner passed for two completions on four attempts, and Jordan Brock completed two passes on two attempts.

Michael Lusby had one catch for 24 yards, and Landon Miller had one catch for 12 yards.

Aaron Witten, Carlos Hernandez, Jordan Brock, and Chuck Grayson, scored one touchdown each. Grayson also made a touchdown on an interception return.

The Lynx play the West Texas Comanches Friday night at 7:30 p.m. in Stinnett.

Said Coach Ric Smith, "West Texas always plays us well. They have their backs against the wall. They have lost two District games, and they are going to be ready to play."

## 9th Annual Mini Bazaar

The Ninth Annual MINI BAZAAR will be held on Saturday, October 24, 1998 at the Ochiltree County Exposition building in Perryton, TX. Open to the public from 9:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M. No admission charge.

A large range of merchandise will be available. There will be Angels, Antiques, Aprons, Baked Goods, Barbie Clothes, Baskets, Bears, Candles, Candy, Ceramics, Cookbooks, Cosmetics, Custom

made Knives, Elephants, Guns, Hand Bags, Home Decorations, Jewelry, Leaded Crystal Items, Nativity Sets, Woodcrafts, Yard Decorations, and a large variety of other items not listed.

The PCB Club will have the food concession with a delicious menu.

Be sure to come join us for a nice day. The Mini-Bazaar is in its ninth year, and we always have a relaxed congenial atmosphere with

lots of room to browse and visit.

This event is open to craftsmen, hobbyists, collectors and we try to be open to most all interests. We still have some spaces open so if you have an interest you would like to exhibit, give us a call.

Come enjoy a relaxing fun day sponsored by the Church of the Brethren of Waka, TX.

If you need information call: 806 435-4515, 435-2104, 435-3893 or 435-3876.

## Hounds Clobber Kiowas

by Harletta Carthel

The Gruver Greyhounds had a sluggish start Friday night before gearing up to roll past the Booker Kiowas 27-10.

The Booker Kiowas took quick advantage by scoring a touchdown on their first possession of the game. Moments later, a fumble by the Hounds gave the ball to Booker on the Hound 20 yard line and resulted in a field goal for the Kiowas. The first quarter ended

with the score, 10-0, Booker.

The Hounds' fortune changed in the second quarter when they recovered a Kiowa fumble on a muffed punt at the Hounds' 30 yard line. A picture-perfect pass from quarterback Jim Potts to Garrett Pool resulted in a 63 yard scoring play. A Bray Armes PAT kick followed.

Another fumble recovery by Jason Shoulders, however, failed to put the Hounds on top before

halftime.

In the third quarter, the Hounds were as hot as they had been cold earlier in the game. On their first possession, a 26 yard sweep play by G. Pool added the second touchdown of the night. The PAT kick was blocked by the Kiowas.

The following kickoff to the Booker one yard line eventually led to good field position for the Hounds four plays later. Capping several good runs by G. Pool, Armes scored on a two yard plunge. A pass to Dan Odom netted the extra two points. A fumble recovery by Lucas Johnson on the Booker twenty was converted to a score on a quarterback sneak by Potts. An Armes kick added one more to the score.

The Hounds who are now 1-0 in district seek their second win when they travel to Wheeler for 7:30 p.m. clash on Friday.

**Gruver's Passing Game**  
Potts completed 8 of 18 passes for 103 yards.

Receivers: Jason Pool, one reception for three yards, G. Pool 3 for 63 yards, Dan Odom 2 for 16 yards, Greg Slough 1 for nine yards, and Armes one for 12 yards.

**Gruver's Rushing Game**  
G. Pool 15 carries for 74 yards, Armes 16 for 64 yards, Derik Grotegut 6 for 23 yards, Potts 5 for -1 yard, and Daniel Hernandez 1 for 3 yards.



Aaron Weller, #30, is a Sophomore at Gruver High School. He plays Tailback/Secondary for the Hounds. He is the son of Dwaine and Linda Weller.



Josh Blount, #77, is a Junior at Gruver High School. He plays Offensive/Defensive Line for the Hounds. He is the son of Robert and Norma Blount.

## FSA Announces CRP Sign-Up

The Hansford County FSA office announced that the next Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) general sign-up will be held during a 7-week period from October 26 through December 11. This will be another opportunity for landowners to sign up for a voluntary program to get financial and technical assistance for improving their land, water and wildlife resources. This is the time to make new contract offers if producers haven't tried to get into the program, if a producer had a CRP contract offer that was not accepted in Sign-up 16 last fall, or if a CRP contract is expiring in September, 1999.

The new, environmentally-focused CRP provides immediate benefits to producers, ranchers and taxpayers through reduced soil erosion, improved water quality and expanded wildlife habitat. Under this voluntary program, landowners enter into contracts with USDA's Commodity Credit Corporation (CRP) to place erodible and other environmentally-sensitive cropland in conservation practices for 10 to 15 years. In exchange, landowners receive annual rental payments for the land and cost-share assistance for establishing those practices.

The CCC will continue to evaluate and rank all eligible CRP offers using an Environmental Benefits Index (EBI), which is based on the potential environmental benefits from enrolling the land in the CRP. The EBI is composed of six environmental factors plus a cost

factor.

Maximum CRP payments will be determined based on county average dryland cash or cash rent equivalent rental rates adjusted for site-specific, soil-based productivity factors. CRP payments can include an additional amount, not to exceed \$5 per acre per year, as an incentive to perform certain maintenance obligations. Cost-share assistance

will be provided to establish approved cover on land enrolled in the CRP.

Interested producers and landowners should contact the Hansford County Farm Service Agency office at 711 West 7th, Spearman, Texas, phone number (806) 659-3036 for additional information.

## Beef Bull Performance Test Underway

The Annual Beef Bull Performance Test at Panhandle State University, Goodwell, Oklahoma, is underway once again. This is the test station's 47th annual test. The bulls were officially weighed on test Saturday, October 10, 1998. There are 141 bulls consigned to the test this year representing seven different breeds - Angus, Belgian Blue, Herefords, Maine-Anjou, Red Angus, Salers and Simmentals. Twenty-four cooperators from the states of Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas have bulls on test.

The test covers a period of 112 days during which data will be collected on each bull's average daily gain, weight-per-day of age, frame score, scrotal circumference,

fat thickness, rib eye area, marbling score and pelvic area. Feed efficiency is measured on a pen basis. The bulls are fed a growing ration consisting of rolled corn, rolled oats, chopped alfalfa, cottonseed hulls, molasses, and protein supplement. Performance summaries will be reported at 28 day intervals during the test. The test will be completed January 30, 1999 and the 47th Annual Bull Sale is scheduled for Saturday, February 20, 1999.

If you would like further information or the performance reports, please contact Dr. Jerry Martin, Test Director, Panhandle State University, P.O. Box 430, Goodwell, OK 73939, telephone (405) 349-2611 ext. 363.



# Happy Birthday!

**Editor's Note:** This Happy Birthday list is run as a public service by the Hansford County Reporter-Statesman. We apologize if any names are misspelled. If you know of name that needs to be changed, added or deleted, please call 659-3434. Thank you, Catherine Smith.

## October 22

**Birthday** - Kurt Etting, Gertrude Archer, Danna Martin, Brent Ware, Guenna Wilson, Margaret Espinosa, Jared Hohertz, Sharon Austin, Misty Hand, Katie Sparks, Nae Gonzales, Charlie McIver, Britney Montgomery

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Virden, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Watkins

## October 23

**Birthday** - Annette McCloy, Mallory Reid, Clois (Billy) Baker, Christopher Mitchum, Frankie Donnell, Rhema Dell Harris, Melanie Cook, Kerri Young, Tamra Young, Bruce Goehring, Ewain Fletcher

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Richard Holton, Mr. & Mrs. Joe Harris, Lynn & Sharon Cook, Mr. & Mrs. Joe Morris

## October 24

**Birthday** - Sonny Blankenship, Gregg Haight, Doug Brown, Joyce Pierce, Lance Dennis, Christina Ceniceros, Josephine Ayers, Tony Gaspar, Sherry Johnson

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Don Lane Whitefield, Mr. & Mrs. Don Moore, Mr. & Mrs. James Walker, Mr. & Mrs. Tim Garland

## October 25

**Birthday** - Bailey Barkley, Cindy Barkley, Opal Johnson, Mark McCloy, Samuel Sanchez, Floydette Seal, Norma Daniel, Willie Joe Salgado, Junior DeLaCruz, Sheryl Stafford, Roman Arnold, Billy Clark

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Tony Pacheco, Van & Kathy Lewis

## October 26

**Birthday** - Michael Foster, Laina Grotegutt, Amy Mounts, Elizabeth O'Connell, Evelyn Brillhart, Jeanette Allen, Becky Evans, Ginger Nelson, Myrna Biggers, Mari West, Tim Welch, Bradley Mares, Tracy Taylor, Mary Wright, Lindy Weldon, Pete Vera, Forrest Lopez, DeeDee Moreno

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Ramiro Arjona, Mr. & Mrs. Rod Beem

## October 27

**Birthday** - Chase Lamb, Kathy Logsdon, Shea Lowe, Tim Stedje, Carol Stump, Carl Close, Sheila Schneider, Leslie Swan, Kelli Butts, Shannyn Nitschke, Tanya Tittle, Katrina Hughes, Scott Harris, Kent Tice, Devin Arrington, Angie Salgado, Ivan Briones

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Trout, Mr. & Mrs. James Breland

## October 28

**Birthday** - Debra Burk, Bobby Hicks, Steve Thomas, Margaret Harnish, Shelly Mitchell, Tammie Hogan, Jorge Vaquera, Rose Bratton, Elissa Conley, Clint Jackson

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Reynaldo Garza, Mr. & Mrs. Gene Cudd, Bill & Jettie Davis, Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Miller

## October 29

**Birthday** - Sue Hartranft, Don Morley, Kandy Montgomery, Cecil Reynolds, Zetha Blackburn, Mike Butts, Mac Butts, Jeff Price, Dale Harris, Richard Goehring, Christina Butz

**Anniversary** - Larry & Pam Jones, Mr. & Mrs. Hix Spivey, Mr. & Mrs. Clint Irwin

## October 30

**Birthday** - Amy Babbs, Eva Dawn Spivey, Kandace Boyd, Jace Dawson, Carey Kauffman, Kelly McCloy, Marguerite Nelson, Donna Williams, Nordeen Cochran, Doris Jean Pipkin, Orfalinda Vela, Clayton Scribner, Herb Hager, Kyle Pearson, Richard Booth, Mrs. DeLuna, Mason Tindell

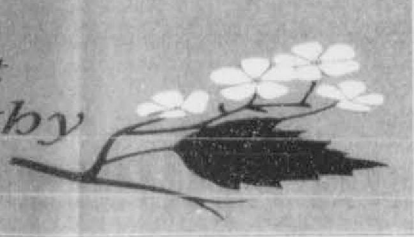
**Birthday** - Chris Kaufmann, Nicholas Slough, Teague Winger, Rick Randall, Dan Kunselman, Peggy Ferguson, Gregg Phillips, Eddy Clemmons, Hector Flores, Gregg Roach, Fiita Lesly, Natasha Burch, Rebecca Browning, Betty Pugh, Dale Hodge

**Anniversary** - Mr. & Mrs. Robert Cochran

## November 1

**Birthday** - Rhonda Holt, Mary Wright, Keith Kelp, Joseph Hart, Santos Rivera Jr., Jennifer Duggan, Juan Lara, Ernie Sandavol, Stephen Burke, Brad Guthrie, Rusty Tindell, Don Lane Whitefield, Kristi Heddings, Chris Newman, Maria Garcia, Juan Lara

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### Bonnie Jean Beck Wilber

Bonnie Jean Beck Wilber, 69, died on Sunday, October 11, 1998 in Citrus Heights, CA. She was a former resident of Spearman

Services were held on Saturday, October 17, 1998 at 10:30 a.m. in the Union Church in Spearman, TX. The Rev. Bill Sparks officiated. Burial was in Hansford Cemetery, under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Ms. Wilber was born in Spearman on August 21, 1929, and moved to the Citrus Heights, CA area in 1954. She married Jim McMahon.

She was in Supply Operation at McClellan Air Force Base. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Sherrill Hurlstone of Tampa, FL; two brothers, Walter Beck of Spearman and Billy Dean Beck of North Highlands, CA; two sisters, Edith Wells of Gun Barrel City, TX and Betty Gaines of Spearman; and one grandchild.

The family requests be to the Boles Children's Home in Quinlan, TX.

### Toni Vera

Toni Vera, 65, died Tuesday, October 13, 1998.

Services were held at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, October 16, 1998 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. Scott Raef, parish priest, officiating. Burial was at 3:30 p.m. in Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery in Fritch, under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home in Spearman.

Mrs. Vera was born in Hebronville. She lived in Spearman from 1959 until 1996, when she moved to Fritch. She was a homemaker and a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

She married Pete Vera Sr., in 1951 at Benavides.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Isabell McLeod of Fritch and Elvira Hill of Amarillo; four sons, Pete Vera Jr. and Johnny Vera, both of Spearman, Ruben Vera of Gruver and Willie Vera of Fritch; two brothers, Ruben Ramirez of Van Horn and Augie Ramirez of LaQuinta, CA; a sister, Lydia Flannery of Taveres, FL; 10 grandchildren; and a great-grandson.



### Roy L. Bulls

Roy L. Bulls, 75, died on Wednesday, October 14, 1998 at his home in Borger.

A memorial service was held at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, October 17, 1998 at the First United Methodist Church in Borger with Dr. David Jones officiating. Entombment was at 2:00 p.m. at Memory Gardens Mausoleum, under the direction of Minton/Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger.

Roy was a native of Clarendon, TX, where he graduated from High School in 1941, and Clarendon Jr. College in 1943. He entered the Army Air Corps in 1943 and flew 50 missions as a tail gunner on B-24's in the 15th Air Force. He was a gunnery instructor until September 1945. Roy then went back to Clarendon Jr. College in 1946, and Texas Tech from 1946-1948, graduating with a BBA in Management. He worked in oil field supplies in Kermit, TX and Eunice and Hobbs, NM from 1949-1951. He worked for Baker and Taylor Drilling Company of Amarillo from 1951 to 1963, when he was transferred to Spearman, TX as vice-president, where he lived from 1965-1990, when the company dissolved.

He was member of the First United Methodist Church of Borger and the Kum Dubl Sunday School Class. He joined the Rotary Club in Spearman in 1970 and was club president from 1975-1976 and was a Paul Harris Fellow. He was the recipient of the Silver Beaver Award from the Boy Scouts of America. He was Republican Chairman for Hansford County for 20 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters and three brothers, one of which was his twin, Ray, who was killed during World War II.

He married Maxine Walker Brown on September 3, 1993 in Borger.

Survivors include his wife, Maxine, of the home; three sons, Bobby Bulls of Carrollton, TX, Jamie Bulls of Grapevine, Ross Bulls of Amarillo; two daughters, Gina Gillispie of Spearman and Tracy Randal of Alford, TX; and fourteen grandchildren.

Casket bearers were John Simpson, Lowell Heckman, Victor Bouldin, Charles Cooke, Doug Judd, John Harvey, and Cecil Rentfrow. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Kum Dubl Sunday School Class, members of the Friendship Sunday School Class of Spearman, and Rotary Club members and their spouses.

Memorials may be made to Crown of Texas Hospice, 1000 S. Jefferson, Amarillo, TX 79101; First Methodist Church Scholarship Fund, 200 N. McGee, Borger, TX 79007.

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## DAILY BIBLE READING, PRAYER & REGULAR CHURCH ATTENDANCE

### AFBC To Minister At Apostolic Faith Church

On Thursday, October 29 at 7:00 p.m., a group from the Apostolic Faith Bible College will be ministering at the Spearman Apostolic Faith Church. This southern gospel concert is a part of their annual fall tour, which will consist of sixteen services in four different states. The service will last about an hour and will feature southern gospel singing and music, including violins and guitars.

The Apostolic Faith Bible College is located in Baxter Springs, Kansas. It allows students a great opportunity to intensively study the Word of God. Through different courses, the entire Bible is studied throughout a two year program. Practical training is provided, also, through classes such as Child and Youth Evangelism, Music Ministries, and Sign Language. Also, summer youth camps provide students with additional experience in youth work and ministry. A unique feature of the Apostolic Faith Bible College is that students are not required to pay tuition; the school is operated on a free-will offering basis.

Last October the group ministered also in the Hansford Manor, sang at the First National Bank (the Superintendent is the son of Edna Lee Grimmer), and performed an impromptu concert at the Spearman Lion's Club Meeting.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the upcoming service at the Spearman Apostolic Faith Church at 822 Dressen on Thursday, October 29, at 7:00 p.m.

#### In Spearman ...

- Apostolic Faith Church**  
822 S. Dreesen • 659-2870  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship & Children's Church: 11 a.m.  
Sun. Evening/Youth Service: 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.  
Wed. Children's Choir: 7:00 p.m.  
Pastor - James Brown
- First Assembly of God**  
401 N. Bemice • 659-2295  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:35 a.m.  
Kids Church: 10:35 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.  
Wed. Worship: 7:30 p.m.  
Youth: 7:30 Wednesday  
Pastor - Walter Gresser, Jr.
- First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**  
29 S. Bemice • 659-2036  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Bible Study  
Worship: 6:30 p.m. Sun.  
Senior Minister - Joseph Weakes
- First Baptist Church**  
123 N. Bemice • 659-5557  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.  
Wed. Fellowship Meal: 6 p.m.  
Wed. Discipleship Time: 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Youth Meeting: 8 p.m. Wed.  
Pastor - Rick Patrick  
Min. of Youth/Education - Brian Foster
- Church of Christ**  
121 S. Haney • 659-3244  
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship: p.m.  
Bible Study Wed.: 7:30 p.m.  
KRDF Radio Program  
Living With Christ: 7:50 a.m. M-F  
Minister - Willie Tolison
- Sacred Heart Catholic Church**  
901 Roland • 659-2792  
Sat. Night Mass: 7 p.m.  
Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m. - English  
(9:00 a.m. Service on KRDF 98.3 FM)  
Sunday Mass: 11:30 - Spanish  
1:30 p.m. - Gruver - Christo  
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Rev. Scott Pfaff
- Trinity Fellowship Church**  
717 W. 7th Ave. • 659-2671  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service & Children's Church: 10:30 a.m.  
Pastor - Johnny Taylor
- First Presbyterian Church (Worships with Faith Lutheran Church)**  
1021 Cotter • 659-2033  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. at Lutheran Church  
Worship: 11 a.m. (alternates monthly between Lutheran and Presbyterian Church Buildings)  
Pastor - Beverly Cook
- Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA)**  
1101 Bemice • 659-2252  
(Worships with First Presbyterian Church)
- First United Methodist**  
407 S. Haney • 659-5503  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 8:30 & 11 a.m.  
Jr. High Youth: 5 p.m. Sunday  
High School: 6 p.m. Sunday  
Rainbow Kids Club: 3:00 Wednesday  
Pastor - Ken Cole
- Union Church**  
31 S. Endicott • 659-2644  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.  
Bible Study & Prayer Mtg.: 7 p.m. Wed.  
Pastor - Bill Sparks  
Parsonage - 659-5073
- 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 - Gene Foster
- Primera Mision Bautista**  
502 E. 7th • 659-3991  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.; Evening: 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.  
Thurs. Visitation: 7 p.m.

#### In Gruver ...

- First Baptist Church**  
402 E. Broadway • 733-2411  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 10:50 a.m.  
Disciple Training: 6 p.m. Sunday  
Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday  
Pastor - Scott Curry
- 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.
- First Christian Church**  
510 King • 733-2960  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship: 11 a.m.  
Youth: 7:30, Sunday  
Young Adult Bible Study: 7:30, Sunday  
Wed. Bible Study: 8:00 p.m.  
Pastor - Gary Gurnifory
- Oslo Lutheran Church (ECLA)**  
6 Miles West & 12 Miles North of Gruver  
339-7709  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.  
Pastor - John R. Chandler
- Gruver United Methodist**  
Broadway & Garrett • 733-2651  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship & UMY: 6 p.m.  
Pastor - Jerry Moore
- Spanish Cristo Redentor Church**  
Sunday Mass: 1:30 p.m.  
Friday Evening Mass  
Summer - 8:00 p.m.  
Fall/Winter - 7:30 p.m.

#### In Morse ...

- Morse Baptist Church**  
733-2757  
Pastor - Mike Martin

#### In Waka ...

- Waka Church of the Brethren**  
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# Laugh and Live



by Gary C. Smith

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Reader, Bonnie Bergan sent me this message. I really liked it and hope you do, too.

A store owner was tacking a sign above his door that read "Puppies For Sale."

Signs like that have a way of attracting small children, and sure enough, a little boy appeared under the store owner's sign.

"How much are you going to sell the puppies for?" he asked.

The store owner replied, "Anywhere from \$30 to \$50."

The little boy reached in his pocket and pulled out some change. "I have \$2.37," he said. "Can I please look at them?"

The store owner smiled and whistled and out of the kennel came a Lady, who ran down the aisle of his store followed by five teeny, tiny balls of fur.

One puppy was lagging considerably behind. Immediately the little boy singled out the lagging, limping puppy and said, "What's wrong with that little dog?"

The store owner explained that the veterinarian had examined the little puppy and had discovered it didn't have a hip socket. It would always limp. It would always be lame.

The little boy became excited. "That is the puppy that I want to buy."

The store owner said, "No, you don't want to buy that little dog. If you really want him, I'll just give him to you."

The little boy got quite upset. He looked straight into the store owner's eyes, pointing his finger, and said, "I don't want you to give him to me. That little dog is worth every bit as much as all the other dogs and I'll pay full price. In fact, I'll give you \$2.37 now, and 50 cents a month until I have him paid for."

The store owner countered, "You really don't want to buy this little dog. He is never going to be able to run and jump and play with you like the other puppies."

To his surprise, the little boy reached down and rolled up his pant leg to reveal a badly twisted, crippled left leg supported by a big metal brace. He looked up at the store owner and softly replied, "Well, I don't run so well myself, and the little puppy will need someone who understands!"

We ALL need someone who understands!

Until Next Time,  
May God Bless  
GCS

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,

Yesterday I drove down Bernice Street and sadly noticed that the Gressetts haven't decorated their house this fall season, I told myself that it's a shame that one isolated incident had spoiled her beautiful displays for all of us to see as we pass by. I also told myself as we put up our fall decorations how lucky we are to live in Spearman where we don't have to worry about people taking things from our yards like they do in the "big" cities. Then this morning, I awoke to find that someone had taken my four illuminated pumpkins from my display. Was it an isolated incident that someone took the leaf blower from inside Joe's pickup while it was parked in front of our home last spring? Or, are what I thought were just isolated incidences becoming the norm?

I hope whoever took our things is enjoying them, they really need them, to steal from someone. In spite of this we hope everyone will once again decorate their yards for the holidays like they did last year; it gave us such a warm sense of "community" to drive around and see all the beautiful things put out for our pleasure. We just LOOKED and didn't take anything that wasn't ours.

Nita Bynum

Dear Editor,

As a teacher/coach and member of the Gruver community for the past 8 years, I would like to publicly commend the Gruver EMS.

Over these past years members such as Curt Fitzgerald, Diane Boyd, Chris Johnson, Sam Gruver, Gyene Spivey, Wayne Cruz, Kevin Babbs, Kim Blevins, Beth Swink, Pat Irwin, Debbie Chisum, Michael Booth, and others have responded very quickly and professionally to various emergencies here at Gruver ISD.

Yesterday afternoon we had another emergency, and their response time was the usual 2 minutes. They always act professionally and show much caring for our young people here. I have always been impressed with the level and care we get here in our small community.

We here in Gruver need to be thankful for the service and commitment these volunteers have shown us and help them in any way possible.

Sincerely,  
Steve Myatt

### Thank You

We would like to thank the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department and the Spearman EMS Crew for everything they did for us after our accident.

Tracy (Powers) and James Burke

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## HANFORD HAPPENINGS

### 9th Annual Mini Bazaar

The Ninth Annual Mini Bazaar will be held on Saturday, October 24, 1998 at the Ochiltree County Exposition building in Perryton, TX, from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. 8 ft. by 8 ft. spaces are still available for \$15.00 per space until October 1st. After October 1st they will be \$20.00. We invite you to join us. Mark your calendars and plan now to join us for some early Christmas shopping or just something nice for yourself. For information call: 806-435-4515, 806-435-2104, 806-435-3893, 806-435-3874 or Linda at 806-659-3888.

### Celebrate!

A program featuring entertaining ideas will be held Thursday, October 29, at the Texas A&M Research & Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd., West, Amarillo. Registration begins at 1:00 or 6:00 p.m. Choose one session. Kay Bezner and Susie Breiting from Dalhart will present entertaining ideas and hostess tips. Jean Wood, from Floral Expressions, will show Holiday Centerpieces. County Extension Agents for Family & Consumer Sciences from across the Panhandle will share a holiday or entertainment idea complete with written instructions. Participants will sample delicious dishes and receive recipes for entertaining. Tickets may be obtained in advance for \$6.00 each at the Hansford County Extension Office or \$7.50 at the door. This program is being sponsored by the Panhandle Association for Family & Consumer Sciences. A complete program listing is available at the County Extension Office.

### Lunch & Learn - Quilts & More!

A Lunch & Learn presentation by Jo Farr of Jo's This N That, will be Thursday, October 22, 1998 from 12:00-1:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of Spearman Church of Christ. Jo's presentation will feature Memory Quilts, Paper Piecing, Seminole Patchwork, History of Quilts, and a display of quilts handmade by local quilters. Lunch & Learn is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Hansford County Family & Community Education Clubs.

### Organizing Your Photos

Are your photos in shoe boxes and drawers? Are they stored in one of the many types of popular albums that chemically destroy photos? If you are frustrated with the condition of your photos, or if you feel you lack the time or creativity to make keepsake photo albums, this Creative Memories Class is for you! Delinda McLaughlin will have a presentation of the information and materials you need to create safe, meaningful and affordable photo albums. She uses simple techniques that are fun, creative and easy. The result is a beautiful, personalized album and a permanent record of your personal heritage. The class will be held on Thursday, November 19th from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at the Spearman High School. Cost for the class is \$15.00. Materials will be available at class. For more information, call Cindy Blackman at the Community Resource Office, 659-3233.

### Dobson Scholarship Applications Available

Calling all college students! Dobson Cellular System's parent company, Dobson Communications Corporation announces that PRIDE (Promoting Individual Development and Education) Scholarship applications are now available. Twenty \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to college freshmen, sophomores or juniors who are customers within the Dobson service areas at time of application. In addition, each applicant must have a minimum 3.25 grade point average. Applications are due November 6, 1998. Dobson Communications Corporation developed the PRIDE program in 1996 to recognize the achievements of individuals in Dobson's service areas and to aid them in furthering their education. PRIDE Scholarships were awarded to 13 graduating high school students in Spring, 1998. All interested, eligible candidates can pick up an application at any Dobson Communications company including Dobson Telephone, McCloud Telephone, Dobson Cellular Systems, Logix Communications, or Cellular One (Northwest Oklahoma, Kansas, Texas stores). To find the Dobson Communications office nearest you, please call 1-800-522-9404.

### Living Memorial Fund

A living memorial fund has been established at First National Bank for Tracy and James Burke. James was injured in an automobile accident and will not be able to return to work until January, and Tracy is 8 1/2 months pregnant.

### Late Night Early Voting

The Hansford County Clerk's office will be open for Late Night and Early Voting on Thursday night, October 22, 1998 and Tuesday, Night October 27, 1998 from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

### Annual Hansford County Health Fair

Hansford County Hospital District and Golden Spread Senior Citizens Center are pleased to announce that the Annual Health Fair will be held on Thursday, November 5, 1998 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Among the many services to be offered are: free cholesterol and blood sugar tests, flu shots, \$60 mammogram certificates, and many informational booths. Watch for further information.

### Spearman FHA Potato & Sundae Supper

The Spearman High School F.H.A. Chapter would like to cordially invite all to come join our pre-game Potato and Sundae Supper, Canadian vs. Spearman, on Friday, October 30th. It will be held at the Spearman High School Cafeteria from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at the door or by calling the school at (806) 659-2584. The tickets are \$5 for students and adults and \$2 for children ages 6 and under.

### Gruver Halloween Carnival

The Gruver Halloween Carnival will be held on Saturday, October 31, 1998 from 6-10 p.m. at the Gruver Gym. Food booths will open at 6 p.m., a costume contest will be held at 7 p.m., and game booths will open at 7:30 p.m. Everyone ages birth through adults are invited to attend.

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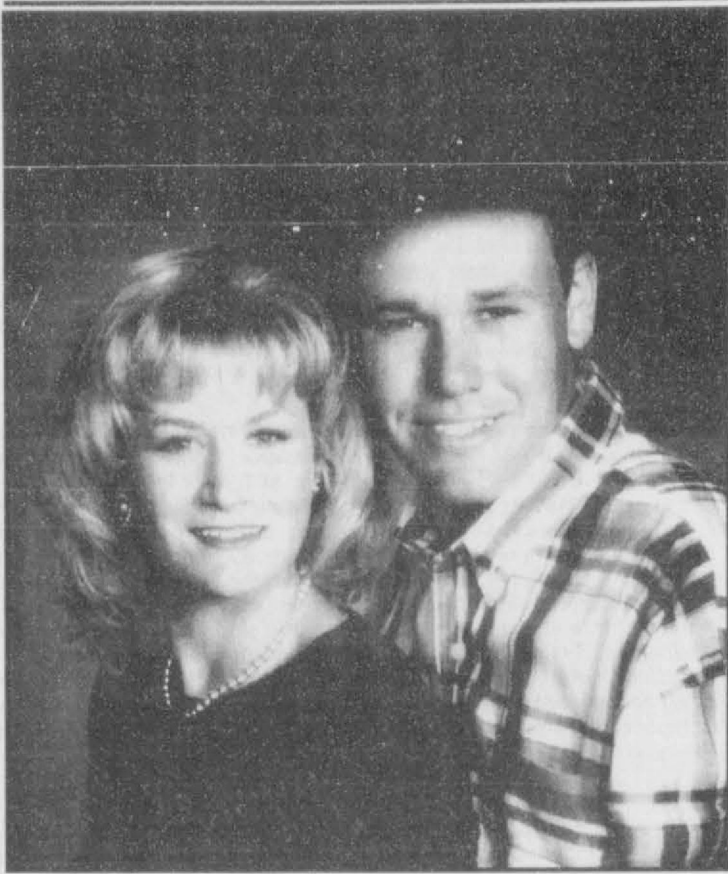
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**Engagement Announcement**

Georgie and Fred Wall of Dimmitt announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Haylei D'Nae Wall, to John David Rodgers, son of Linda and Dennis Rodgers of Waka.

The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Dana Wall.

The couple plans to exchange wedding vows at 4 p.m. on Dec. 20, at First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt.

Miss Wall is a 1993 graduate of Dimmitt High School. She is a senior at West Texas A&M University in Canyon and she plans to graduate next May with a bachelor of science degree in nursing. She is employed by Panhandle Ag Service, Inc., in Dimmitt. She is a member of the National and Texas Student Nurses Associations at West Texas A&M University.

The prospective groom graduated from Campo High School in Campo, CO, in 1993. He graduated from Dodge City Community College in Dodge City, KS, in 1995 with an associate of arts degree with an emphasis in agriculture. He earned a bachelor of science degree in animal science from West Texas A&M University in December 1997. He was a member of the Student Senate for Agriculture and Natural Sciences Department at WTAMU. He also was a member of the Alpha Zeta Fraternity, an honor society for agriculture students at WTAMU. He is currently employed by Carol and James Dunning of Spearman.

After the wedding, the couple will reside in Perryton.

**Spearman 8th Grade Football**

by Garrett Griffin

The determined Lynx played the game of their lives Thursday, October 15. The first quarter was scoreless, but in the second quarter Sunray scored a touchdown. They were also successful on their two-point conversion. In the quarter, the Lynx scored on a 34 yard run by Kevin Beedy. The conversion failed.

Like the first quarter, the third quarter was scoreless. In the fourth

quarter, the Spearman Lynx scored on a short run again by Beedy. The conversion was unsuccessful. Later in the quarter, Colton Miller scored on a fumble recovery for 55 yards. The two-point conversion was scored by a pass to Lance Baker from Beedy. The final was 20-8.

The victorious Lynx' record is 4-1-1. Also, this was the first loss that the Sunray 8th grade football team has suffered.

**Thank You**

The family of John R. Collard, Jr. want to thank the town of Spearman for the many kindnesses, love and support you have given us since we left Spearman, culminating in the death of our father and brother-in-law.

When we closed our family home at 303 S. Bernice, we closed the childhood chapter of our lives. It took us nearly three years to find a new home for over 50 years of accumulation. There were tears of sorrow and happiness. Most importantly were the many friends who came day and night to share with us. Examples were Eddie Gail Martin who shared a story of our grandfather and a wayward pig, Elaine Odegaard who had many stories to share about our mother, Marjorie, in her last days, Peggy and Alton Ellsworth, who always had food and hugs for us, and the final day when Carl Archer realized we had no ice - he brought us ice. A simple act of kindness touched all our hearts, typical of the people of Spearman. There were many more friends we could mention. Although we have all made new homes with our families, we miss the people of Spearman. There will always be a soft place in our hearts for our friends of all ages.

One of the last things John R. said before his final illness was he would like to move back to Spearman. Hopefully, his friends in Spearman will realize he never forgot you. We all appreciated those who came to visit us the evening before the funeral.

Thanks to the Methodist Church for holding such a beautiful funeral. The music was uplifting. Our appreciation to Carol Pack for planning the music and coordinating planning efforts. We appreciate everyone who brought food and hugs. Todd Dyess and Carol took a kernel of an idea and made it blossom. Thanks also the Masons who helped John R. to his final resting place.

Thanks again for being there for us throughout our lives.  
Thomas Collard, Helen Red, Carolyne Long, and Dorcas Collard

*You are invited to attend a  
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honoring  
**Carl (Kenealy) Tedder**  
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**Out At The Lake**



by Dorothy Hudson

Lake Depth -- October 19, 1998 - 37 ft. 6 in.

This was an 8 inch drop, which is better than the 11 inch one the week before. Visitors are still getting stuck around the perimeters of the Lake, so be cautious and believe the signs that have been posted.

Jim's picture is of 11 year old Chelsea Reid, daughter of Vanna and Rex Reid of Gruver. She is holding an 8 pound catfish that she caught on shad "all by herself."

Earlier last week people were catching catfish, but on the weekend, the fishermen didn't find many fish. Small crappie were biting, so maybe there will be another catch of them later.

Only 4 RVs were at the hookups this weekend. Two of the Holiday Ramblers Club there were Elvin and Edith Wright, and Van and Lee Bradford.

Jim has been noticing quite a few red-shafted flickers, both at the office and in Dedication Park. These woodpecker-size birds are told by their salmon wing and tail linings and by their brown caps, gray faces, and red mustaches. The American Coots are the most plentiful water bird.

Skunks still abound in Gruver despite the efforts of the City personnel to trap them. John and Mary Jo Robinson had a skunk trapped at their place three days in a row. Most have noticed that something was digging in their yards and wondered if it was an armadillo or a skunk.

After reading the report in the Amarillo Daily News about the rabies problem in Hale County being attributed to skunks, I think we should be on guard. Their health officer said any skunk you see should be presumed rabid. They had confirmed rabies in three horses, four skunks, two dogs and a cow. Seven people had started the rabies shots.

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**Hansford County Community Calendar  
October 15-26**

**Thursday, October 22**  
10:00 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Arts & Crafts & Covered Dish Lunch  
12:00 p.m. - Sacred Heart Childhood Development Center Board Meets  
12:00 p.m. - Lunch & Learn - "Quilts" - Spearman Church of Christ  
4:30 p.m. - Gruver Junior High vs. Wheeler - H  
5:00 p.m. - Spearman Junior High vs. West Texas - H  
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Late Night Early Voting - Courthouse  
7:00 p.m. - Gruver Junior Varsity vs. Wheeler - T  
8:00 p.m. - Spearman Junior Varsity vs. West Texas - H

**Friday, October 23**  
9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise  
1:00-4:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Bridge  
7:30 p.m. - Spearman Varsity vs. West Texas - T - District  
7:30 p.m. - Gruver Varsity - Wheeler - T - District

**Saturday, October 24**  
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. - 9th Annual Mini Bazaar - Perryton Expo Center

**Sunday, October 25**  
3:00 p.m. - Hansford Manor Church Service - Apostolic Faith Church, Spearman  
7:30 p.m. - Young Adult Bible Study - Gruver First Christian Church

**Monday, October 26**  
Spearman ISD, Gruver ISD, Pringle-Morse CISD School Holiday  
8:30 a.m. - Moms In Touch - Gruver Methodist Church Fellowship Hall  
9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise  
10:00 a.m. - Hansford County Commissioner's Court Meets  
12:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Covered Dish Lunch  
1:00-4:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Progressive Pitch  
2:00 p.m. - Games and Crafts at Hansford Manor  
7:00 p.m. - Spearman 4-H Meeting - County Barn  
7:30 p.m. - Weigh Down Workshop - Spearman Church of Christ Fellowship Hall

**Tuesday, October 27**  
12:00 p.m. - Spearman Lions Club Meets - Ivey's  
2:00 p.m. - Hearing Aid Checkup - Golden Spread Senior Citizens Center  
6:30 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Spaghetti Dinner & Game Night  
6:30 p.m. - Bingo at Hansford Manor  
7:00 p.m. - Gruver 4-H Meeting - County Barn

**Wednesday, October 28**  
6:30 a.m. - Mug 'n' Muffin Women's Fellowship - First Christian Church, Spearman  
9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise  
9:45 a.m. - Trinity Fellowship Bethesda Outreach Center Food Service  
10:00 a.m. - Bible Study at Hansford Manor  
1:00-4:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - "42"  
2:00 p.m. - Games and Crafts at Hansford Manor

**Thursday, October 29**  
10:00 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Arts & Crafts & Covered Dish Lunch  
12:00 p.m. - Spearman Merchant's Association Meeting  
12:00 p.m. - Sacred Heart Childhood Development Center Board Meets  
4:30 p.m. - Gruver Junior High vs. Shamrock - T  
5:00 p.m. - Spearman Junior High vs. Canadian - T  
6:00 p.m. - Gruver JV vs. Shamrock - T  
8:00 p.m. - Gruver JV vs. Canadian - T

**Friday, October 30**  
9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise  
1:00-4:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Bridge  
5:30-7:30 p.m. - Spearman F.H.A. Potato & Sundae Supper - H.S. Cafeteria  
7:30 p.m. - Spearman Varsity vs. Canadian - H  
7:30 p.m. - Gruver Varsity vs. Shamrock - H

**Saturday, October 31**  
6:00-10:00 p.m. - Gruver Halloween Carnival - Gruver School Gym

**Sunday, November 1**  
3:00 p.m. - Hansford Manor Church Service - Methodist Church, Spearman  
7:30 p.m. - Young Adult Bible Study - Gruver First Christian Church

**Monday, November 2**  
9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise  
12:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Covered Dish Lunch  
1:00-4:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Progressive Pitch  
2:00 p.m. - Hansford County Historical Commission Meets, Ft. Zulu Museum  
2:00 p.m. - Games and Crafts at Hansford Manor



# Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Mary Schumann enjoyed several pleasant days last weekend when her sister, Melva and Lee Nichols of Marvel, Colorado visited here. They are former residents here but moved to Colorado to be near their son, John and family. Marvel is near Durango, CO. The Nichols enjoy living in Colorado during the summer and fall, but plan to winter in Arkansas.

Myrtle and Wayne Ware had some of their family here from Sunday through Tuesday. They also visited other family members. The guests were Myrtle's aunt Nelda (Pearson) and Dr. Harry Overby of Boca Raton, Florida. Accompanying them were their daughter, Mary and granddaughter, Liz. Doris Pearson of San Antonio came also. It is the Pearson family custom to hold a reunion in Dallas every year during the weekend of the Texas vs. Oklahoma football game. These guests were returning from that. During their visit, Mary Pearson Smith of Pampa joined them. She is a former resident of Spearman, a daughter of the late Ira and Lois Pearson.

All enjoyed going out to the old home of the Pearson family, where all that generation was reared. It is east of Spearman on land, now owned by Mary Schumann, and she keeps it in good repair.

Lynanne and Don Maize, together with Billy and Martha

Haden and Charlie and Jean West, spent several days in Albuquerque. Later they drove up through the northern New Mexico mountains for a tour of the fall foliage. It had passed the color peak in the higher elevations but was still brilliant in the valleys.

They had gone to Albuquerque for several days for the fascinating hot air balloon festival.

Now, no questionable remarks concerning the abundance of Texas hot air due to their presence.

Sally Camacho returned from Mexico City on Saturday where she had been for more than a week. The trip was two "firsts" for Sally - her first long trip alone, and her first air flight.

She was called to Mexico City on family business and her husband, Artemio, was unable to accompany her. She was somewhat nervous about changing planes in that huge Dallas-Ft. Worth terminal, but all went well.

The trip to Mexico City was calm and pleasant, but the return flight was frightening with the dense fog. That prevented her seeing the flooding and destruction of the cloudbursts and tornadoes in and near Austin and San Antonio.

She stayed with relatives during her time in Mexico.

October 20th marked the day of retirement for Betty Lemons from the Golden Spread Sales Company. Many customers and friends

stopped at the location on Highway 207 at the open house for refreshments and to bid her so long.

Betty has graciously and competently dealt with customers at that location for 34 years. She began her employment in 1964 when the business was owned by W.E. Sparks; then with Kent Guthrie in 1968 and with Everett Tracy in 1991.

She has praise for her co-workers and their cooperation during the many years. She has enjoyed and appreciated her employers, the customers and the general public.

Betty has no definite or set plans for her retirement. She and her late husband, Louis, enjoyed a hobby of refinishing furniture in their shop, and she may resume that later.

She is also looking forward to visiting her sons and families. Colonel James and Thel Lemons are now at Scott Air Force Base at Macoutah, IL. Frank Lemons is the high school athletic director at Hannibal, MO.

The neighbors will miss Betty and wish her a pleasant and restful retirement.

Spearman is indeed proud to have that splendid edifice, the recently remodeled and enlarged First Christian Church. The congregation, Boards of Deacons, and the Reverend Joseph Weak are all to be commended for their planning, time, efforts and financing of this distinctive place of worship. Open house and dedication was on October 11.

Sandy and Tommy Russell hosted former minister Reverend Don and Faye Wirsdofer for the weekend of the dedication of the

First Christian Church. They were here for 11 years, and he is now semi-retired. He serves as the interim pastor for the church at Quanah.

Another former minister, LaVern Draper and his wife Dean, attended the ceremonies. They lived in Spearman for five years. The Dan Desimones opened their home to them. He is now retired, and they live at Nowata, OK.

Reverend Ernis and Lyn Williams now of Lubbock were here also. They served for eight months.

Reva and Ron Money and her twin sister Mona and Don Mayes were weekend guests of their father, L.S. McLain, for the church festivities. They also visited their sister Mary and J.L. Brock and other family members.

Guests of Ruth Mary Whitson and son, Bill, for two days last weekend were her younger sister Jeanne and husband George Finlay. They are from Houston.

The sisters had some business details to finish in connection with the death of their brother, Jon C. King, of El Paso.

A few weeks ago he was on a tour in the Philippines when he became sick and died there.

Ruth Mary's daughters, Betty and Francis Whitson, of Dumas were here also. All attended the dedication and open house at the First Christian church.

Virgil Rosson of Tyler visited old friends here the early part of the week. His sister, Ola Jean Witt, of Acton, CA and two friends flew to Amarillo where he met them and

all spent several days here and in Perryton. Virgil and Ola Jean lived in the community during their early years. Among those renewing bonds were Olive Pendergraft, Billy and Sybil Miller, Rue and Ann Sanders.

This week several local families are saddened by the passing of loved ones. Each bears a burden of sorrow and sympathy is extended to each family.

A former Spearman resident, and with many friends here, Patsy Jones Seifkin, passed away in Borger week before last. Cremains were interred at Hansford Cemetery.

Patsy, daughter of the late Beulah and R.Y. Jones, graduated from Spearman High in the class of 1947. Among her survivors are her brother Merle Guy Jones of Radford, Virginia and sister, Ruth Crawford of Rockdale, Texas.

Roy L. Bulls, an active and appreciated participant in many Spearman activities for years, was living in Borger at the time of his death. His Spearman survivors are daughter Gina Gillispie, and grandchildren Grace, Mattie and Charles Davis; Roslyn and Roy J. Bulls.

Bonnie Jean Beck Wilbur of Citrus Heights, California, 69, was born in Spearman and left in 1954. Her Hansford County survivors are a brother, Walter Beck, sister Betty Gaines, aunt Olive Pendergraft and several cousins, nieces and nephews.

Toni Vera, 65, of Fritch, formerly of Spearman, is survived by her husband, Pete of Fritch, and

among other relatives sons Johnny and Pete, Jr. of Spearman and Reuben of Gruver.

Paul and Betty Hazelwood attended the funeral of his niece, Vivian Shelton, 58, of Amarillo on Saturday, last. She was the daughter of the late Alice Hazelwood who was a Spearman resident until her maturity. Lily Palmer was also an aunt of Ms. Shelton.

Dwayne Smith reports the weather for the week showed the highest temperature to be on the 14th at 96 degrees; the lowest on the 18th at 38 degrees; moisture - a welcome .67 on the 16th.

Weathermen blame computers for errors in predictions -- well, the Bureau sure doesn't have a supply of those cheap computers -- those that are generally found between the ears.

As of this writing, Monday, the flooding and storms downstate in the vicinity of Austin and San Antonio are dreadful. Many families here have students or relatives there. To report on how they weathered the storms so their friends will know, call 659 3468.

## DEADLINE

The deadline to submit all news and advertising for the Hansford County Reporter Statesman is Monday afternoon at 5:00 p.m. Items submitted after the deadline may be published at a later date.  
Catherine Smith, Editor

## 1st Six Weeks Honor Rolls

### Spearman ISD All A's 1st Grade

Skyler Sumner, Cassidy Taylor, Andi Travis, Christian Patrick, Mariah Sheppard, Joey Duby, Mary Beth Hargis, Miguel Briseno, Charity Burton, Blanca Valtierra, Tate Batton, Edgar Lugo, Preslee Baker, Ashton Comp, Austen Griggs, Suttan Garnett, Rico Link, Jessica Manry, Rosa Ortiz, Britani Vasquez, Kyle Spencer, Andi Linn Scarborough, Caleb Odegaard, Marlee Reynolds, Amber Martinez, Brandee Noble, Whitney Maestas, Zack Hughes, Zoey Graham, Eithan Haney, Leanna Espinosa, Fernando Flores, Alicia Baez, Katryna Ceniza, Jesus Mendoza

### 2nd Grade

Ashley Brown, Cade Carter, Chase Farrar, Tyler Schnell, Dylan Sumner, Chasity Thomas, Cha Tae Avila, Hunter Cox, Destiny Fisher, Bond Pittman, Victoria Renteria, Brett Winegarner, Ashley Close, DeeDee DeLaRosa, Kegan Garnett, Hailey Tindell

### 3rd Grade

Wendy Gaytan, Amanda Bain, Brittney Bradley, Crystal Bridwell, Callie Cazares, Kasie Hunt, Alexan Reynolds, Colby Odegaard, Blayne Baker, Clara Kern, Amy Boyd, Mattie Davis, Alicia Francis, Kendall Schneider, Kylee Howard, Christy Lang, Jesse Moreno, Veronica Quintero, Kyla Reed, Elliott Sheets

### 4th Grade

Wilhma Macias, Brynn Garnett, Collin Gillaspie, Sharon Haney, Emily Hood, Kaylee LaClair, Zack Nollner, Kelcee Rex, Stuart Martin, Clayton Smith, Jamie Brown, Nicholas Avila, Saylee Flowers, Tarin Rice, Aimee Rook, Bryan Thomas, Jordanna Lozano, Aaron Maestas

### 5th Grade

Jena Cherry, Andrew Correll, Jacob Jones, Abby Winegarner, Javier Frayre, Brian Close, Callie Hargis, Jarick Howard, Steven Vaquera, Jeff Whitworth, Jessica Brown, Lynette Woodward, Lorena Briseno, Jarry Francis, Melissa Lesly, Maribel Moreno, Britta Vanderburg

### 6th Grade

Jeffrey Brock, Tracy Brown, Jessica Freeman, Wayne Gibson, Macy Harbour, Dana McLaughlin, Cayla Smith

### 7th Grade

Jentry Edwards, Diana Flores, Ashlee Flowers, Keilee Goodheart, Michel Huffaker, Garrett Martin, Tatum Rice, Russell Sheets, Claudia Vaquera

### 8th Grade

Kevin Beedy, Jessica Crossland, Garrett Griffin, Lance Smith

### 9th Grade

Erin Boxwell, Matt Dunnihoo, Jimmy Gayton, Steven Haney, Art Maestas, Marty Miesner, Chelsea Nollner

### 10th Grade

Jared Freeman, Jacob Harbour, David Holt, Dib Kirk, Angela Pipkin, Kara Pipkin, Sally Pitman, Adrienne Simpson, Brady Woolley

### 11th Grade

Dusty Barber, Halee Beasley, Stephanie Bynum, Evan Cudd, Cindy Goodman, Kelsey Henton, Jeremy Mackie, Kathryn Murphy, Amber Ramon, Mickey Schoenhals, Camille Smith, Syd Woodington

### 12th Grade

Kristin Beedy, Krista Dement, Betsy Holt, Leslie Holton, Dawn Loomis, Landon Miller, Michelle Ochoa, Holly Pipkin, Quentin Shieldknight, Lisa Swink, Mandy Vernon, Brandi Willis, Cami Winegarner

### "A" Average 1st Grade

Ayana Rosales, Jeannell Baeza, Manuel Mendoza

### 2nd Grade

Tayshia James, Brenda Ortiz, Sabrina Cantu, Domingo Salazar, Dalton Sparks, Elena Vargas

### 3rd Grade

Austin Benton, Sandi Carbajal, Marcus Ochoa, Lizet Camacho, Dane Harbour Claribel Hernandez, Miriam Mendoza, Mariela Ortega, Amy Brown, Tyler Rex, Kimberly Bergan

### 4th Grade

Francisco Briseno, Mirna Ortiz, Griselda Fraire, Rhett Renner, Josh Tuttle, Karina Hernandez, Cesar Macias, Raquel Arjona, Tiffany Gable, Jessica Jarvis, Anthony Renteria, Driftin Roberts, Noemi Rodriguez, Trevor Tindell, Haley Young, Laura Gomez, Lance Huddleston, Jessica Riley, Alek Mires, Ryan Ramon

### 5th Grade

Daisy Fraire, Anthony Gonzales, Cathy Hernandez, Melody Henson, Herva Rodriguez, Timber Thomas, Joey Winchell, Courtney Worley, Rebekah Goodson, Alejandro Rios, Holly Baker, Sumit Bhakta, Corey Rex, Travis Sander

### All A's, 1 B 6th Grade

Deremy Fleetwood, Caleb Gillaspie, Ashley Hernandez, Melissa Quillin, Jessica Schrode, Mark Thomas, Tracey Worley

### 7th Grade

Chris Cudd, Michael Lozano

### 8th Grade

Lance Baker, Brianne Burkhammer, Mindee Gillaspie, Colton Miller, David Pipkin, Kallie Smith, Jeff Swan, Elsa Vargas

### 9th Grade

Tanner Beedy, John Brock, Cheryl Gibson, Laura Gillaspie, Clara Shieldknight, Lidia Varlea, Jessica Volden

### 10th Grade

Melissa Banks, Timmy Bynum, Cary Cates, Daniel Ellis, Nicole Lozano, Jr. Moreno, Denise Paschel, Jenn Schnell, Richard Varnon

### 11th Grade

Jordan Brock, Tommy Dewberry, Aaron Hernandez, Lacy Miesener, Reagan Renner, Josh Schumann

### 12th Grade

Brian Black, Mia Burrell, Kristi Carbajal, Brian McLaughlin, Doran Schoenhals, Julie Scroggs, Dineke Travis

### Gruver ISD Honor Roll Pre-Kindergarten

Fatima Barrera, Amy Flores, Yesinia Monroy, Evelyn Pastrana

### Kindergarten

Shane Atwood, Jesus Balderrama, Justin Bass, John David Bergin, Cambry Cooper, Makenzie Crane, Lesley Garland, Catlin Guthrie, Mary Hart, Hunter Hertel, Matison Jones, Jack Karlin, Zack Logsdon, Colton Moffett, Luis Munoz, Chrys Ortiz, Dania Ramos, Jose Luis Salazar, Sammie Sanchez, Noe Tarango, Shelby Williams

### 1st Grade

Mariela Barrera, Mary Barron, Diana Bernal, Noemi Bernal, Lauren Christy, Carmen Dahl, Keith Dillard, Blake Fitzgearld, Katie Gibson, Parker Grotegut, Luli Hernandez, Edaena Huerta, Kendra Janzen, Bricianne Jordan, Reagan Karlin, Shelby Keeling, Kaylee Lewis, Alsonso Martinez, Ramon Mendoza, Caleb Miller, Drew Mireles, Joani Ortiz, Gage Parker, Valerie Perez, Gaby Santillan, Cody Schaefer, Devin Sibley, Leah Smith, Joel Soto, Megan Stedje, Lorenzo Tarango, Jorge Tarango, Arturo Trejo, Jacqueline Villa, Hudson Williams, Leigh Anne Winger, Mattie Yanke, Molly Zimmer

### 2nd Grade

Caleb Abernathy, Sydney Clawson, Cody Dahl, Lindsey Mireles, Mallory Reid, Devlin Reynolds, Matt Salazar, Brandon Traylor, Lynn Vela

### 3rd Grade

Mollie Burnam, Yadira Garcia, Bayley Garland, Tony Lora, Chandler Miner, Whitney Moffett, Maydely Ortiz, Tanner Sherrill, Diana Solis, Seth Thompson, Emily Williams, Abbi Yanke

### 4th Grade

Rebecca Abernathy Conrad Curry, Kellyn King, Britney Montgomery, Charlie Slough, Justin Thompson, Victoria Vela, Austin Zimmer

### All A's 5th Grade

Timber Barkley, Lauren Bergin, Lindsey Clift, Rachelle Holt\*, Matt Messer, Samantha Myatt\*, Allison Reid, Stephen Salazar

### 6th Grade

Blythe Finley, Laina Grotegut\*, Brittanie Osbourne, Ryan Renick, Mark TeBeest, Ben Williams, Lance Williams, Ryan Winger, Brock Irwin\*

### 7th Grade

Teal Armes, Kalee Crawford, Courtney Goad, Jenny Hart, Garrett Miner, Cassie Myatt\*, David Puebla

### 8th Grade

Christi Clift, Sammi Johnson\*, Ashleigh Sherrill, Wade Stewart, Amy Watley\*

\*Denotes Principal's Honor Roll - These students had 95 or better in all subjects.

### 10th Grade

Brooke Bevill, Monalisa Garcia, Holly Hart, Bradley Holt, Jessica Moore, Brooke Salmans, Cory Schneider

### 11th Grade

Kyler Barkley, Candice Casdorff, Anna Mayhew, Nikki Stewart, Janae Watley

### 12th Grade

Fernando Bohn, Jennifer Duggan, Lucas Johnson, Jennifer Lopez, Holly McCloy, Wseley Miser

### All A's, 1B 5th Grade

Sheldon Atwood, Brad Clawson, Laci Fitzgearld, Justin Horton, Miguel Lora, Sarah Mireles, Kade Shoulders, Reid Winger

### 6th Grade

Valerie Burnam, Jessica Montgomery

### 7th Grade

Carley Bryson, T. Jay Sherrill

### 8th Grade

Julie May, Wesley Patterson, Lori Swink, Dan Villegas

### 9th Grade

Ryan Abernathy, Sara Bass, Kaylee Holt, Sarah Moore, Jacinda Perez

### 10th Grade

Humberto Balderrama, Richard Stewart, Tessa Yanke, Chad TeBeest

### 11th Grade

Janie May, Lacie Osbourne, Brenda Soto, Lindy Tolleson, Dallas Henson

### 12th Grade

Thomas McClure, Charlie Stavlo, Jason TeBeest, Kadie Grotegut

### Pringle-Morse CISD Superintendent's Honor Roll 3rd Grade

Tarryn Dixon, Eva McCloy, Emmanuel Mendoza, Tara Shields

### 4th Grade

Elizabeth Martin

### 5th Grade

Tonya Hart, Tyler Lane, Jessica Schmidt

### 8th Grade

Sarah Martin, Ross Womble

### All A Honor Roll 4th Grade

Trudy Hart, Jimmilee McCloy, Beatriz Ortiz, Chase Parks, Lauren Urban, Marcus Wilson

### 5th Grade

Tabatha Shields

### A Average Honor Roll 4th Grade

Sara Barnes

### 5th Grade

Trae Dixon, Blane Tolleson

### 6th Grade

Brennan Eudy, Guadalupe Rivero

### 7th Grade

Sarah Hiser

### A-B Honor Roll 4th Grade

Jacob Lawrence, Samuel Mendoza

### 5th Grade

Denelle Crowl

### 6th Grade

Pamela Archer, Kaley Barnes, Seth Clemmons, Dora Mendoza, Bailey Reid

### 7th Grade

Brittany Vera

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# The Gruver Grapevine

by Harletta Carthel

## Building Damaged

The Southwest Public Service Company building at 514 Main Street was damaged last week when a 1990 Ford Taurus driven by a fourteen year old female hit a parked 1996 Mercury and then struck the building. The driver of the vehicle was taken by ambulance to Hansford Hospital where she was treated and released. The building sustained an estimated \$1,000 of damage while the parked car received minor damage.

The driver told officials that the brakes of her vehicle failed as she approached the curb. The accident is still under investigation.

## Band Takes Division I Honors

For the third year in a row, the GHS Marching Band was awarded a Division I rating at the Regional Marching Contest. Unfortunately, the band will not be able to advance to the state marching contest as 1-A size bands only compete at the state level in odd numbered years. Three and five A schools are eligible for state competition this year (even numbered years.)

The GHS band and the Groom band were the only A bands to receive I ratings in the contest.

## Halloween Carnival Slated

The annual Gruver Halloween Carnival will be held on Saturday, October 31, from 6-10 p.m. Food booths will be first to open at 6 p.m. Hamburgers, soft drinks, and baked goods will be available. At 7 p.m., there will be a costume contest for all ages. This will be followed by the opening of game

booths at 7:30 p.m. All activities will be in the Gruver Elementary Gym with the exception of the haunted house which will be in the county barn.

There will be a charge for food items and the FHA cake walk, but all other activities will be free. Therefore, donations to pay for game prizes will be accepted at the carnival.

For more information, call Julie Williams or Leticia Salazar at 733-2821.

## City Commissioners Meet

Terry Sherrill and Don Townsen were appointed to the board of the Hansford Appraisal District in the City Commissioners meeting last Wednesday.

In other action, City Manager A.J. Ratliff was authorized to purchase a 20 KW generator to be used at the city hall building.

New officers of the Gruver Volunteer Fire Department were approved. The officers are fire chief Sam Gruver, assistant fire chief Jim Deakin, second assistant fire chief Robert Blevins, treasurer Matt Johnson, secretary Chris Johnson, certification coordinator Al McNeely, and assistant certification coordinator Andy Alexander.

## Get Well Wishes

Tisha Moore underwent surgery last week.

Aubrey Rasor returned home Thursday from Baptist St. Anthony's Hospital.

Mary Trent is being cared for at Senior Village in Perryton following a recent stroke.

Geneva Eddleman suffered bruising from a fall. She is recuperating at home.

## Youth Fills Pulpit

Brady Tidwell filled the pulpit of the First Christian Church on Sunday morning in the absence of Gary Gumfory. Tidwell, son of Buck and Linda Tidwell, is a 1995 graduate of GHS and has attended South Plains College and Texas Tech University. Tidwell will be returning to Tech for the Spring 1999 semester.

## Beasley Recognized by Manor

Lera Beasley was honored as employee of the month at Hansford Manor for the month of September.

## High School Highlights New Students

Three new students registered at Gruver high school last week. They are sophomore James Crow, senior Teresa Crow, and senior Kristen Miller. All three students had been attending Brenham High School.

## Calendar

Thursday, October 22 - Junior Varsity Hounds vs. Wheeler at Gruver, 6 p.m.

Friday, October 23 - GHS Hounds at Wheeler, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, October 26 - No school, teacher in-service training.

Tuesday, October 27 - FFA Meeting

Wednesday, October 28 - Picture retakes for individuals and groups in all schools.

## Sports

### JV Hounds Clip Eagles Wings

The JV Hounds upped their

perfect season record to seven with a win over Fritch last Thursday.

The mad dog JV defense which has allowed only 20 points in six games was a decisive factor in the game.

Twice during the game, the stalwart defensive unit kept the Eagles off the scoreboard. In the first quarter, Chad Clift's fumble recovery in the end zone stopped an Eagle scoring threat. Then in the second quarter, the Hound's big D dug in and made a goal line stand to devastate another Eagle touchdown attempt and give the Hounds the ball on the Fritch one-yard line. Fritch's first points of the game, however, came on the next play when the Hounds' runner was pinned in the end zone for a safety.

The Hounds' defensive unit stopped the Eagles final drive of the first half when Kade Carthel blocked a third down pass attempt, and Hound defensive pressure resulted in a bad snap and good field position for the Hounds on the Fritch 25 yard line. Several plays later, a pass from Anthony Villalobos to Corey Schneider tallied six points for the Hounds. On their famous swinging gate play, Taos Weldon added the extra two.

Halftime score Gruver 8, Fritch 2. In third quarter action, a drive which began on the Hound 25 yard line brought results when Villalobos scored on a fake field goal attempt. In probably the most unusual play of the game, a muffed PAT kick was taken and then fumbled by a Fritch player in the end zone. Gruver's Chase Lamb recovered the fumble for two points.

The Eagle's lone touchdown of the game came on a fourth and goal attempt. The PAT effort that followed was unsuccessful.

In the waning minutes of play, Gruver had good runs by Schneider and Stephen Salazar and a fumble recover by David Villegas but was unable to capitalize the efforts into points. The Hound defense had the final say of the night with a quarterback sack by Chad TeBeest to end the game.

Final score Gruver 16, Fritch 8

Brenda Acker, who works with figures in her job every day, came up with these figures: in seven games this year the JV Hounds have scored 235 points while allowing only 28 for their opponents.

## Junior High Hounds Beat Booker

by Carley Bryson

The combined seventh and eighth grade Hounds beat the Booker Kiowas 26 to 0 last Thursday. The Hounds got their start early in the game. #28 David Hernandez scored on a hand-off. Then during the second quarter, #12 Hunter Bevil

scored. Then two touchdowns later, both made by #28 Hernandez, the Hounds were celebrating their third win of the season.

## Cross Country Does Well at Canadian

Several have asked that the GHS Girls Cross Country team results be printed. Efforts have failed to obtain official results. The team did well at Canadian recently.

Two adult members of the Gruver community also did well at the meet. Tonni Yanke, the mother of team members Tessa and Beth Yanke, placed first in the parents run in the women's division. David Miser, father of boys cross country runner, Wes Miser, placed second in the parents run in the men's division.

## GHS Hounds Injury Update

Colby Hunt is off the injury list. He played in his first game of the season Friday night.

Josh Blount was not able to play in Friday night's game, but according to Coach Frick, Blount is

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# Jack-O'-Lantern Carving Contest

Contest open to children in Pre-Kindergarten through 5th grade.

Prizes awarded for every entry. Grand Prize for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place.

## No Winners, Just Treats

Entries must be delivered to the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, 211 S. Main St., by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, October 26th.

Winners will be announced at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 27th on the Courthouse Lawn. Winners must be present to win.

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**BACKGROUND:**

- Bachelor of Science, Cameron University
- Doctor of Medicine, University of Oklahoma College of Medicine
- Internship, University of Missouri - Columbia Hospital and Clinics, Columbia, Missouri
- Residency in General Surgery, University of Missouri - Columbia Hospital and Clinics, Columbia, Missouri
- Residency in Urology, University of Missouri - Columbia Hospital and Clinics, Columbia, Missouri
- Certified, American Board of Urology

**CONTACT:**

- Office located in GPCH's Specialty Physicians Clinic at 200 S. McGee.
- For an appointment, call 273-2516.

Dr. Worthen, a native of Lawton, Oklahoma, established his practice in Borger on October 1, 1998.

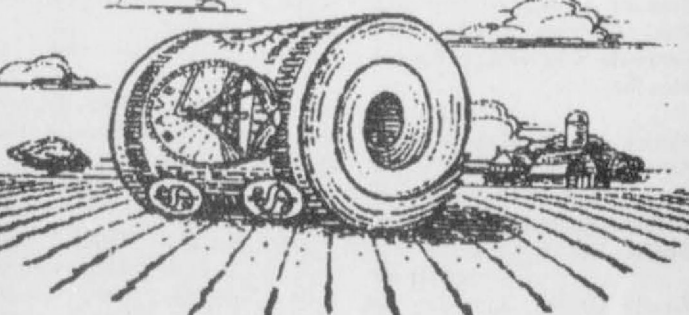
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# Diabetes Information Programs Set

A four-part series of Diabetes education programs called "Taking Charge of Diabetes" will begin on Monday, October 26. The programs will be held from 12-1 on each Monday at the County Expo Center.

The programs are being sponsored by the Home Economics Committee and the Ochiltree County Extension Office. Lunch will be provided each day for \$2.00, and reservations for the first session are requested if possible to help with meal preparation. Call 435-3831 to preregister.

The first session on Monday, October 26 will have Dr. Rick Siewert to discuss what diabetes is, testing, treatment, and other general information.

The second session on Monday, November 2 will have Deana Shields, RD., LD of Golden Spread Hospital in Borger to discuss the diet and how to use the diet for better management.

The third session on Monday, November 9 will have Reneah Wilson, RN and JoAnn Heck, RN to discuss preventing complications that commonly occur in eyes, feet, kidneys, and heart.

The fourth session on Monday, November 16 will have Reneah

Wilson and JoAnn Heck discussing the importance of monitoring, different instruments available for monitoring, and insurance changes. Cynthia Shattles, County Extension Agent will discuss resources available in the community.

The programs are for persons with diabetes, their family members, or friends. There will be time allowed for questions, and handout material will be available at each session. Persons may attend without preregistering for lunch but it will help on meal preparation.

November is National Diabetes Month, and these programs have been planned to create an awareness in the area. The Department of Health has listed Ochiltree County as one of five counties in the Texas Panhandle that has a high mortality rate due to diabetes. Latest research shows that management of the sugar level will help a great deal in preventing complications that occur as a result of the disease. Screening after age 45 is encouraged because many cases of Type II diabetes start between the ages of 45 and 55.

In addition to this series, there will be Diabetes education displays in several locations in Perryton during the month of November.

You may contact the County Extension Office at 435-3831 to find the locations. The planning committee would also like to organize a Diabetes Support Group at the conclusion of this series.

Anyone wishing information on the management of diabetes is encouraged to contact the County Extension Office at the Expo Center, at 435-3831.

## Program On Entertaining Ideas

A program featuring entertaining ideas will be held Thursday, October 29, at the Texas A&M Research & Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd., West, Amarillo.

Registration begins at 1:00 or 6:00 p.m. Choose one session.

Kay Bezner and Susie Breitling from Dalhart will present entertaining ideas and hostess tips. Jean Wood, from Floral Expressions, will show Holiday Centerpieces. County Extension Agents for Family & Consumer

Sciences from across the Panhandle will share a holiday or entertainment idea complete with written instructions. Participants will sample delicious dishes and receive recipes for entertaining. Tickets may be obtained in advance for \$6.00 each at the Hansford County Extension Office or \$7.50 at the door. This program is being sponsored by the Panhandle Association for Family & Consumer Sciences. A complete program listing is available at the County Extension Office.

# Hospital Auxiliary

by Margarette Evans

Summer has come and gone - now the busy times are here for the Hansford Hospital and Manor Auxiliary. Our new members are Sara Bulls, LoRee Booth and Carol Sell.

Birthday parties for the Manor residents are on the 4th Friday of each month. Bingo is held every Thursday.

On September 22nd, we made cookies and co-hosted a "get acquainted" evening to welcome Dr. Bubliss and Dr. Boynton.

On September 29th, 30 members attended the Safety and Health In-Service Training required for volunteers.

On October 5th, Margarette Evans, LoRee Booth and Virginia Head journeyed to St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock for the Annual Meeting of Region I-A&B.

This year we have purchased an

X-ray table pad, 2 glider benches, and an activity cart for the Hospital and Manor.

For the kitchen, we have purchased a large pancake griddle, two electric roasters, commercial food processor, 100 cup percolator, 175 serving trays and \$1,200 towards the purchase of a double oven.

All this is made possible through the Christmas Card Fund held each December.

Many hours are spent as a volunteer. We are 40 members strong, and welcome new members any time.



## Gruver Grapevine

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scheduled to be in the lineup for the Wheeler game.

Daniel Hernandez, who suffered a groin injury in the Booker game, will probably not be released to play in the Wheeler game.

### Winners Announced

Seniors Wes Miser and Jennifer Duggan were each winners of a \$100 prize at the senior parent seminar on October 13.

### In the News

#### Ten years Ago

A Spanish Club has been formed at GHS. Officers are Roberto Rodriguez, president; Brent Wagner,

vice-president; Ramon Ortega, secretary; and Stefan Dorman, treasurer.

### Twenty Years Ago

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### ELECTRONICS & OFFICE

#### EQUIP.

Lg. Lot-Computers, Monitors, Key Boards, Printers (IBM, Quattrant, Mitsubishi, Amdek, Keytronic, Mitsumi, etc.)  
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### ANTIQUE SAFE

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3-Cavalier Coke Machines (all work)  
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55 Gal. Vacuum Mix W/D Vac  
1 Lot-Telephone Equipment  
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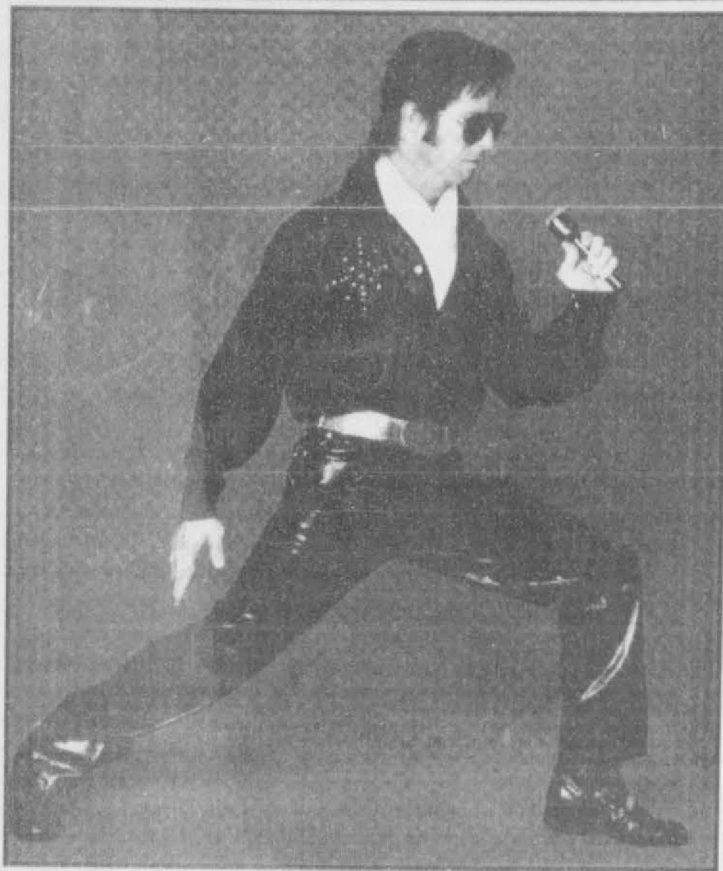
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### "A Tribute To Elvis"

Smokey Binion Jr., of Stinnett, will present "A Tribute To Elvis" during the Spearman Merchants Association's Moonlight Madness Event on Tuesday, October 27, 1998. He will perform at the Courthouse at 5:30 p.m.

The theme for this year's Moonlight Madness Event is "All Shook Up." Participating merchants will be open from 6-8 a.m. for coffee, donuts and special discounts, and will open again between 6 and 8 p.m. for hamburgers and additional specials.

The Spearman Merchants Association is also sponsoring a Jack-O-Lantern Contest again this year. Contestants between pre-kindergarten and 5th grade should submit their pumpkins to the Spearman Chamber of Commerce Office, 211 S. Main St., by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, October 26th. Winners will be announced at the courthouse lawn at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 27th. Participants must be present to win. Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Prizes are provided by First National Bank, First State Bank, and Interstate Bank, ssb.

Merchant's participating in this year's Moonlight Madness Event are: Kid's Stuff, Lady Fair, Cates Men & Boys Wear, Celebrate, B&B Sales, Alco, Hickerson Jeweler's, Pizza Hut, and Dairy Queen.



Cody Cazares (right) is pictured above with former U.S. Senator Bob Dole.

### Cazares Attends Fundraisers

It has been six weeks since Cody J. Cazares resigned from his position as Personal Assistant to U.S. Congressman Bill Redmond (R-NM) to attend Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Cody returned to New Mexico where he spent the weekend visiting with Marilyn Quayle, wife of former Vice President of the United States Dan Quayle, and Bob Dole, former U.S. Senator and Presidential Candidate.

Marilyn Quayle was in Santa Fe for a private barbecue in honor of Redmond at the home of Frank Bond, former candidate for New Mexico Governor. Quayle was very supportive of Redmond and spoke about his honor and integrity.

"We need to re-elect Bill Redmond because he is a man that represents the true values of Americans. He is a man of honor; a man of integrity; and a man I know we are all very proud to call Congressman."

Cazares first met the former Vice President in 1994 after the Republican takeover of Congress. Both Quayles have been an

inspiration to Cazares to enter politics.

"Dan Quayle really hit home with me. Fighting for family rights and global peace is something we should all be concerned about. Today, Marilyn made me just as proud," Cazares said.

Cazares' former boss, Senator Bob Dole, was also in New Mexico for a Redmond fund-raiser along with his wife Elizabeth. It has been a year since Cazares spoke with Dole. Therefore, the meeting was quite meaningful to Cazares.

Congressman Redmond could not attend the event because the House was still in session in Washington, but Cazares, along with Redmond's wife and son, met the Doles at Cutter Executive Airfield as his Falcon jet touched down.

"It was great to see him again! Fortunately, we had enough time to sit down and catch up on what's been going on with him. Great memories of the historic events of the '96 campaign quickly came to my mind as I sat with Bob and talked about what has been going on recently in Washington," said Cazares.

Cazares' trip to Santa Fe was filled with excitement and inspiration. "People such as the Quayles and the Doles really inspire me because they fight for what is right in America. They fight for what we believe in. I am very proud to be associated with people such as the Quayles, Doles, and Redmonds! I'll never forget any of them," said Cazares.

### Who's Who Among Teachers

A select group of America's toughest critics . . . their former students, in the fifth edition of *Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1998*.

All of the approximately 130,000 teachers being honored were selected by their former students who themselves are currently listed in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, or *The National Dean's List*, publications which recognize 5% of our nation's high school and college students respectively. Paul Krouse, publisher of *Who's Who Among America's Teachers* said, "there is no greater honor can receive than to be recognized by former students for their excellence and dedication. In this publication we clearly have the best teachers in America selected by the best students."

The students were requested to nominate teachers who "made a difference in their lives" by helping to shape their values, inspiring interest in a particular subject

and/or challenging them to strive for excellence. Many of the students commented about the enthusiasm and knowledge their teachers demonstrated in the classroom, and many praised their teachers for their ability to relate to youngsters on a personal as well as a professional level. One student wrote about her teacher saying, "she made education something pleasurable, instead of a dreadful ordeal, by letting me spread my wings and showing me the best way to fly."

Local educators honored in *Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1998* include: **Gruver High School** - Timothy Paul Garland, Julie Pollard Logsdon, and Janice Marie Underwood; **Gus Birdwell Elementary School in Spearman** - Jennifer McLain Nollner; **Spearman Junior High School** - Beckee Daniel Baker; and **Spearman High School** - Mandy Hart Derington, Frances Pool Pipkin, and Marcia M. Shieldknight.

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Catherine Smith, Editor

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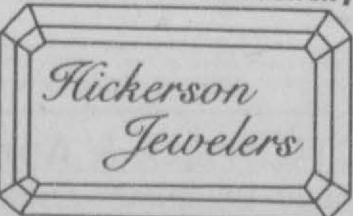
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# Morse Morsels

by Mildred Lewis

Friday, October 2nd, Morse had a black-out. All the town was without electricity, water, and telephone service for 14 hours. The lightning hit two of our large transformers, with a big bang. One lady told me she had some bottles in her kitchen window, and they all came tumbling down.

Weekend before last I went to visit my daughter, Linda Lou. I was supposed to go to the hip doctor for my yearly check-up, but they changed my appointment. The Dallas doctor was to meet me in Jacksboro, but they changed my appointment to later in October. I had a good visit with Linda Lou.

The Pringle-Morse PTA will be having their Carnival on Thursday, October 22nd at the school, beginning at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy lots of fun, eats, bingo, and more!

Congratulations to all of our Morse students who made the honor roll for this six weeks.

I was rather proud of my granddaughter, Amanda Lewis, for making the A-B honor roll in New Braunfels. (I guess I can brag a little on her.)

We have some of our 5th and 6th grade boys playing football for Stinnett in the Borger PeeWee League. Scores for their games are: Saturday, September 2, Stinnett-30, Hornfrogs-0; Saturday, September 19, Stinnett-28, Fritch-8; Saturday, September 27, Stinnett-24, Amarillo-26; Saturday,

October 3, Stinnett-24, Buffaloes-0; Saturday, October 10, Stinnett-42, Spearman-28. This won them the title 1998 Tri-City Youth League Champions. Picked for the All-Star Team were: Tyler Lane, Bailey Reid, Seth Clemmons, Trae Dixon, and Chase Phillips. The All-Star games will be held on Saturday, October 24th in Borger. They are coached by Monty Dixon and Justin Lane. Come on, boys, you have to win that championship!

Stacy Poole, from Denver, CO, and David and Carol Geter from Bosier City, LA, were visiting their mother and daddy, Loyd and Virginia Poole. Carol had a baby shower Friday night at the church.

Four cousins of the Henderson family held a reunion in Amarillo recently. Attending were: Oletha Reed of Borger, Velma Ruth Lemmons of Tyler, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson of Stinnett; Dee Carp of Amarillo, daughter of the late Loyd and Maude Henderson of Pringle; and Laverne Parks of Morse, daughter of the late Alva and Bessie Henderson of Morse. The group gathered at the home of Dee Carp, and spent the day reminiscing about families and old friends.

We were sorry to hear of the passing away of one of our former Morse people. Her name is Lula Marie Walton. She lived in Morse a few years back.

We were also sorry for the passing away of Bette Phipps

Craig. Some of her folks live in Morse.

We had a good church service on Sunday, October 11th. We had lots of visitors. Those present were Stacy Poole from Denver, CO, Dib Kirk from Spearman, Carol Forrest's parents from Missouri, Nan McCloy from Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barnhart, our Superintendent and her husband. We had some very good special music, provided by our own James and Sharon Lieb. We are having a pot luck fellowship on Sunday, October 25th. Chaplain Roy Murphy from the Clements Unit in Amarillo will preach during the morning service. We have our Sunday evening worship at 5:00 p.m., so our pastor and the men can go to the Clements Unit in Amarillo.

Don't forget Daylight Savings Time! Remember to set your clocks BACK one hour on Saturday night, October 25th.



The Spearman 5th and 6th Grade Pee-Wee Football Team finished in second place in the Borger Tri-City League for the 1998 season. Pictured above are: (Front Row, L-R) Garrett Rex, Roy John Bulls, J.J. Gallegos, Travis Sander, Jeff Jackson, Isaac Herndon, Brian Close, Tracy Brown and Steven Vaquera; (Middle Row, L-R) Mark Navarette, Greg Jacobs, Anthony Gonzales, Orie Cooksey, Jarick Howard, Jacob Jones, Jeff Whitworth, Linzi McCubbin and Ashley Swan; (Back Row, L-R) Coach Rick Howard, Kylie McGaha, Jared George, Wayne Gibson, Caleb Gillaspie, Chase Schubert, Brad James, Jeff Brock, Clete Vanderburg, Coach Brandon Vanderburg, and Coach Jake Howard. Not pictured are Coaches Scott Swan and Bob McGaha. (photo submitted)



## Spearman Merchant's Association's

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<p>Look for the Value Moonlight Madness Bucks Coupon in this issue of The Hansford County Reporter-Statesman.</p> <p>721 W. 7th Spearman, TX 79081 (806) 659-3566 <small>Richard Jewellers</small> 222 S. Main Perryton, TX 79070 (806) 435-2495 <small>Must bring in coupon for savings.</small></p>	<p><b>25% Off Storewide* Lady Fair</b> 719 West 7th • Spearman • (806) 659-3215 <small>* Excluding Brighton, Estee Lauder &amp; Sale Items</small> <b>Register for Love Cologne from Brighton</b></p>
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<p><b>25% Off Storewide* Kid's Stuff</b> 719 West 7th • Spearman • (806) 659-2608 <small>* Excluding Beanie Babies, Estee Lauder &amp; Sale Items</small></p>	<p><b>Jack-O-Lantern Carving Contest</b> Entries due at Chamber Office, 211 Main, by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, October 26th. <b>Ages - Pre-Kindergarten through 5th Grade</b> Winners announced at 5:30 p.m. on Courthouse Lawn. Must be present to win.</p>

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Hamburgers 6-8 p.m.

--- Elvis - Live At The Courthouse ---  
Smokey Binion Jr. presents "A Tribute To Elvis"



# SISD Board News

The Board of Trustees of the Spearman Independent School District met in Regular Session on October 12, 1998 in Room # 114 of Spearman High School at 7:00 p.m.

Mr. Bob Boxwell, President of the Board of Trustees, announced that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order.

## HEAR FROM PATRONS OR STAFF

No one came before the Board.

## ACTION ITEMS

- Approved consent items:
- 1. Minutes of September 14, 1998.
- 2. Gas/Diesel bid to Golden Spread Sales.
- 3. Paying the bills in the amount of \$179,278.50..
- Approved the financial report.
- Approved a Communications Agreement between Spearman ISD and Spearman Classroom Teachers Association.
- Nominated Don Townsen and Terry Sherrill to the Hansford County Appraisal District Board of Directors.
- Approved the purchase of additional property insurance.
- Disapproved additional out-of-state automobile liability insurance.

- Approved donation of items to Hansford County Library and Hansford County Hospital.

- Approved items to be in auction.

- Approved resolution supporting the City's grant application to Texas Parks and Wildlife.

## DISCUSSION AND INFORMATION ITEMS

- Reviewed facility planning process and determined that the administration should secure additional cost estimates from contractors with experience in the Panhandle.

- School Board training to be hosted by Spearman on November 3.

- Various members provided their insights into the TASA/TASB Convention. Mr. Murrey reported:

- Enrollment at 787.

- Bids will be sought to update the elementary school computer lab.

- The new activity bus and route bus has arrived.

## CLOSED MEETING

To discuss personnel matters.

## RECONVENE INTO OPEN MEETING

No action was taken.

## ADJOURNMENT

# Public Notice

**LOCAL LET MAINTENANCE CONTRACT**  
**County:** Hansford; **Highway:** SHO207; **Length:** 1,000 Mi.; **Control Number:** 6033-87-001; **Project Number:** RMC-603387001; **DBE/HUB Goal:** 0.0%; **Type:** Crack Sealing; **Time for Completion:** 120 Working Days; **Guaranty:** 3,900.00; **Bids Received Until:** 2:00 p.m. November 17, 1998; **Bids Will Be Opened:** 2:00 p.m. November 17, 1998; **Est. Cost:** \$194,644.20; **Mail or Deliver Bids To:** Texas Department of Transportation, Amarillo District, 5715 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, TX 79110-0000, (806) 356-3283; **Contact Person:** Petr, Kenneth P.E., P.O. Box 1260, Borger, TX 79008, (806) 273-5821; **Limits From:** Various (See Plan Sheets); **Limits To:** (See Plans) 2(10-22-98)B

## CALL FOR BIDS

The board of directors of the Hansford County Appraisal District will receive bids on a postage machine. Bid specifications are available at the appraisal district office located at 709 W. 7th Street, Spearman, TX. Deadline for



submitting bids is Thursday, November 5, 1998, at 5:00 p.m. Bids will be read aloud at the next regular meeting of the board of directors on Thursday, November 12, 1998, at 9:00 a.m. The board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive all technicalities.  
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The property as set forth in the ORDER OF SALE shall be sold by the Sheriff of Hansford County, TX, at the courthouse on NOVEMBER 3, 1998, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Said

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Hansford County, Spearman, TX  
 By Maria R. Ochoa, Deputy  
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## LEGAL NOTICE

Hansford County Commissioner's Court will receive bids until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, November 6, 1998 on air conditioning system for the Courtroom of the Hansford County Courthouse. There are no bid specs. Bidders can contact the County Judge at 1-806-659-4100 for information. Bids should be submitted to the Hansford County Judge's office, Box 367, Spearman, TX 79081. Bids will be opened on Monday, November 9, 1998 during the Commissioners' Court meeting beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Bidders must show copies of liability insurance and worker's comp.

Hansford County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Jim D. Brown  
 Hansford County Judge

Political Ad Paid by Michele Davis

## Spearman 7th Grade Football

by Garrett Griffin

The Spearman seventh grade football team suffered a loss to the Sunray Bobcats. The final was 28 - 0, in the favor of the Bobcats.

The Bobcats scored in every quarter and made two conversions on two of the touchdowns.

The Lynx are striving for a victory next week at Lynx Stadium. They will be playing West Texas.

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TFN(7-23-98)B

**FOR SALE OR RENT:** 620 S. Bernice, 2BR, 1B, full basement. Call 659-5167 or go by 624 S. Bernice.  
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**FOR SALE:** 1025 S. Townsend - 3BR, 1 3/4B, fireplace, central h/a, double detached garage w/storage room. Call 659-1727 or 659-3052 after 5:30 p.m. weekdays, or on weekends.  
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**FOR RENT:** 1BR apartment. Call 659-3260.  
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1115 S. Haney - 3BR, 1 1/2B

**Gruver Property**  
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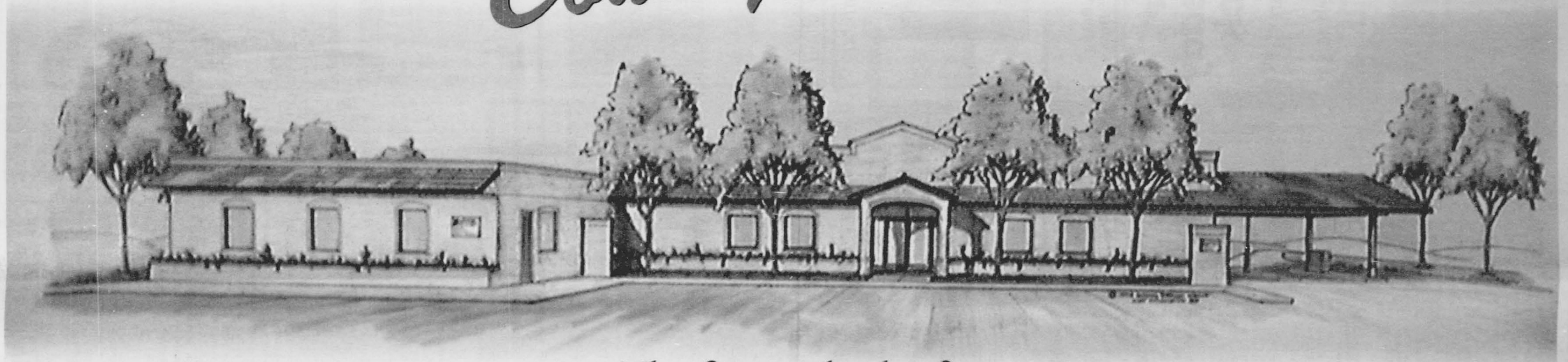
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