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Burglar breaks into 5 downtown businesses

Officers of the Spearman Police Department and the Hansford County Sheriff's Department are investigating the burglary of Barb's Beauty Salon, Celebrate, Berry Cleaners, Spearman Chamber of Commerce, and the Reporter-Statesman. All the businesses were located in the 100 and 200 blocks of Main Street of Spearman.

The five businesses were robbed Thursday night, November 3rd. The perpetrators obtained entry through doors and windows that faced the alley.

The burglars entered Barb's through the back door after breaking the locks. "Approximately \$178 in cash was taken, the drawers were pulled out and dumped, and the stations were messed up," said Missie Sumner of Barb's.

Celebrate was entered through the back door after the padlock was broken, according to Kay Vernon of Celebrate. The person or persons only found \$23 in change in the cash register, but they went through the drawers and things in the office looking for money.

There were also many other items taken. "They hit the men's department pretty hard and took some limited edition items," said Kay Vernon. "They also helped themselves to some chocolate candy we had, so we are calling them the chocolate bandits. We feel really fortunate. It could have been a lot worse had they vandalized the store and broke all the glass items," Vernon stated.

Berry Cleaners was entered through the back window after the burglars saw how worked the window out of its frame. They then looked around and took an undetermined amount of cash, but did not vandalize any of the clothes or do any damage.

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce Office was entered after the burglars pried the back door open. Cindy Blackman said, "They just made a mess, but I don't think they took anything that I can find. All the desk drawers were gone through in the office. They even went through the drawers in the Wheatheart Travel Agency, but nothing was taken. They even went through the drawers in the Reporter-Statesman after breaking a window in the garage door located in the back. They then pried their way into the cash register and took the money from it. They also searched through the office, leaving drawers open. It is estimated that between \$200 and \$300 was taken, according to Deziree Torres, office manager.

Attempts were also made to enter businesses that are no longer in operation. Officers are currently involved in the processing of physical evidence recovered from the burglary scene and continue to proceed with the investigation.

If anyone has any information, please contact the Spearman Police Department at 659-3707.



STRIKE A POSE - The Eighth Annual Spearman Chamber of Commerce Women's Division Style and Brunch was held last Saturday November 5. Many models were featured in the show including, as shown here, Jerilyn Kisabeth of Spearman. Several prizes, including a \$300 shopping spree, were handed out throughout the occasion.

W. D. conducts annual style show

Models of ages strutted their stuff as they showed off some of the fashions available by local merchants during the Eighth Annual Spearman Chamber of Commerce Women's Division Style Show and Brunch.

The event was conducted at the O'Loughlin Center in Spearman last Saturday.

Door prizes were presented throughout the event. Capping the day off was the selection of the winning ticket for the \$300 Shopping Spree. Winning the Hansford Bucks was Pat Dear. This play

money may be used at participating chamber member businesses in Spearman.

Gift tables were set up to give those attending the show a preview of items available as gifts by the following businesses - Gordon's Drug, Initially Yours - Sheri Benton, Cheryl's Gifts N' More - Cheryl Sander, Ju' Bugs Honey Do - Judy Yarbrough, Golden Spread Senior Citizens Quilt, Mountain Man Candy - Judy Irlbeck, Avon - Noreen Sutton, and Lady Fair.

Serving as models during the show were: for JG's - Judy Nelson,

Michelle Goodheart, Mary Lou Mathews, Elaine Morris, Cheryl Gibson, and Kelly Shieldknight.

For The Bunkhouse - Miss Hansford Teen Joni Hart, Steve and Tammy Kay Batton and their son, Tate, Matt Gafford, Jentry Edwards, Jocelyn Edwards, and Pat Sutterfield.

Gary Cates modeled for Cates Men and Boys Wear.

Modeling for Kids' Stuff were Little Miss Hansford Jessica Schmidt, Macy Harbour, Dane

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Vega is released and back in school

Salvador Vega, the 10-year old Gruver boy who was airlifted to Amarillo on Tuesday, November 1, was released from Northwest Texas Hospital Friday, November 4. He is back in school and doing fine.

Vega was transported to the Hansford Hospital at 10 a.m. Tuesday after he became ill at school. He was then airlifted to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Authorities say the boy's condi-

tion may have been caused by tainted Halloween candy, although other possibilities were investigated. Vega had shared another child's Halloween candy on the bus ride to school that morning. The candy had been obtained in the Texhoma area, according to the Hansford County Sheriff's Department.

The Halloween candy was sent to a crime lab in Austin. The

Hansford County Sheriff's Department has not gotten any results back from the lab, but will release the information as soon as it becomes available.

When called about Vega's condition Vega's mother, Esperanza Vega said, "Thank God he is fine. He was released Friday and is back in school today (Monday, November 7). We still do not know what caused it, but we are sure it was something he ate."

Veteran's Day Program is today

The Veteran's Day Program will be conducted today (November 11) beginning at 10 a.m. at the Spearman Varsity Gym.

The event, open to the public, is held annually to pay tribute to the many Veterans who have served the United States.

This year's featured speaker is James M. Myers, a native of Augusta, Georgia, and currently from Borger, who has served a combined 13-years of military service in the U.S. Army.

Myers married Sherry Myers of Perryton and they have two children - Michael, a senior at WTA&M and Tonya, a senior at Borger High School.

He has a BA and MA in history from Hardin-Simmons University and is currently working on his Ph.D. in Modern American Foreign Affairs at Texas Christian Univer-

sity. Myers has also taught at TCU, McMurry University in Abilene, and since 1992 he has been an instructor of history and government at Frank Phillips College in Borger.

The following schedule will be followed at the program: The flag ceremony will be conducted by Boy Scout Troop #551, then the pledge to the U.S. and Texas flags will follow. The Spearman High School Band, under the direction of Randy Willis, will perform the "Star Spangled Banner." The Color Guard will dismiss and the welcome will be made by SISD Superintendent Willard Murray. Larry Morris, junior high principal will be master-of-ceremonies.

Willis will lead seventh grade band members in the "Marching Through America," and then the eighth grade group in "This Land is Your Land."

Myers will deliver a brief speech,

then the junior high choir led by Denise Bridges, will perform "Colors of America."

Bridges will also lead the SHS Choir in "For America" and then Willis and the band will follow with the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "Salute to Freedom."

Rev. James Brown will deliver the Benediction. Troop #551 will conduct the flag folding. Taps will be played prior to dismissal.

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

Members of the 4-H Club will serve as ushers.

Sponsors also wish to express a special thanks to the SISD Custodial Staff, the Hansford County Reporter-Statesman, KRDF-FM, the 4-H Club members, Randy Willis, and Denise Bridges.

The event is open to the public.

Henson gets write-in votes

County voters favored Bush

The big anticipated election was held last Tuesday November 8, 1994, and for a county that is considered primary Democratic (D), many of the local as well as state offices were filled by the Republicans (R).

Although Ann Richards (D) was favored by 60% to win the governor's race, challenger George W. Bush (R) pulled off a landslide. The unofficial results for Hansford County showed Bush with 1,342 of the votes compared to Richards's 436.

Probably the biggest surprise of any candidate for Hansford County was the race for County Commissioner, Precinct 4. The unofficial results for that close competition showed write in candidate Danny Henson with 269 of the votes, which nearly edged out Val Winger's (R) 229.

Other winners for the county include County Commissioner, Precinct 2 Joe T. Venneman (D) with 260 of the votes, County Judge Jim D. Brown (D) with 1,167 of the

votes, County Treasurer Norma Jean Mackie (D) with 1,159 of the votes, District and County Clerk Kim V. Vera (R) with of 1,443 of the votes, and Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1 Michelle Davis (D) with 1,164 of the votes.

County voters voted for state wide officials in this way:

Attorney General - Dan Morales (D) 735, Don Wittig (R) 931, and Vicki Flores (L) 22.

Commissioner of Agriculture - Marvin Gregory (D) 213, Rick Perry (R) 1,420, and Clyde L. Garland (L) 24.

Commissioner of General Land Office - Garry Mauro (D), Marta Greytok (R) 1018, and David C. Chow (L) 16.

Comptroller of Public Accounts - John Sharp (D) 742 and Teresa Doggett (R) 933.

Justice, 7th Court of Appeals Dist., Pl 1 - Unopposed John T. Boyd (D) 824.

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Gruver woman loses life in one car roll-over

Faye Womble Gillispie of Gruver was killed in a one-car accident Saturday, November 5. She was driving south on Highway 136 and ran her 1991 Cadillac off the road. She over-corrected and lost control. The car rolled over three times before coming to rest on its wheels. Gillispie was not ejected from the car even though a seatbelt was not in use.

dent of Gruver and owner/operator of Main Street Dress Store. She married Jack Gillispie in 1942 in Gruver. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, the Music Club, Parent Teacher's Association, and Women's Bible Study.

She is survived by her husband; two sons, Dwight Gillispie of Morse, and Bob Gillispie of Gruver; two daughters, Judy Stedje of Gruver and Linda Davis of Costa Rica; ten grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Gruver with Rev. Larry Miller, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Lieb Cemetery by Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger.

She was transported to the Golden Plains Community Hospital in Borger, then on to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Gillispie was pronounced dead by Justice of the Peace Marvin Michell at 5:19 p.m. Saturday.

Gillispie was a long-time resi-

Hansford Happenings

Methodist Community Thanksgiving

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

Spearman Wolf Cubs

The Spearman Wolf Cubs (second grade Cub Scouts) will celebrate six weeks of good conduct by going to McDonald's in Perryton, Tuesday, November 15. Parents should drop their sons off at 402 S. Honey at 5:45 p.m. Tuesday. All boys must have a permission slip and a \$4 activity fee. Boys will be delivered back to 402 S. Honey Street for rides home at 8 p.m. Call J.A. Behney for more details.

Pringle-Morse School Activities

Tuesday, November 15--Texas and Pringle-Morse Recycles Day. Thursday, November 17--Thanksgiving Lunch.

Quilt Raffle

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

What is Self-esteem?

What is self-esteem and why is it important? "Polishing the Mirror of Self-Esteem," a thirty minute video will be shown at the PTA meeting, November 21, at the Spearman High School Auditorium at 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Tree Lighting Ceremony

Hansford Hospice will hold its Tree Lighting Ceremony December 5 at 6:00 p.m. Please come by Hansford Hospital for fellowship, Wassall, and to remember former Hospice patients and families.

School Lunch Menus

Spearman School Lunch Menu
Monday, November 14
 Beef Enchiladas, refried beans, Spanish rice, lettuce/tomato salad, applesauce, and milk.
Tuesday, November 15
 Grilled cheese, vegetable soup, crackers, raisin pie, and milk.
Wednesday, November 16
 Hamburger, french fries, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato, pickle/onion, sweet potato pie, and milk.
Thursday, November 17
 Sliced turkey w/gravy, cornbread stuffing, whipped potatoes, seasoned green beans, fruit cup salad, cranberry sauce, bread slice, and milk.
 Parents and grandparents are invited to our annual Thanks giving Dinner. Guest trays \$3.00, small children \$1.15. Please let the cafeteria know if you will be attending the dinner so that preparations can be made.

Friday, November 18
 Breaded beef patty on a bun, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato, steamed broccoli, cheese sauce, peaches, and milk.
SISD Breakfast
Monday - Two pancakes, fruit juice, and milk.
Tuesday - Breakfast burrito, scrambled egg w/sausage, fruit juice, and milk.
Wednesday - Two cinnamon toast, fruit juice, and milk.
Thursday - Blueberry muffin square, cereal, fruit juice, and milk.
Friday - Pancake pup, fruit juice, and milk.

Gruver School Lunch Menu
Monday, November 14
 Stake fingers, mashed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, pudding, hot roll, and milk.
Tuesday, November 15
 Two tacos, Spanish rice, lettuce, cheese, pineapples, and milk.

Wednesday, November 16
 Thanksgiving dinner - Roast turkey, mashed potatoes w/gravy, dressing, corn, apple cobbler, hot roll, and milk.
Thursday, November 17
 Pig in a blanket, beans, fruit, and milk.
Friday, November 18
 "Ham and Cheese" deli sandwich, tator tots, fruit, peanutbutter cookie, and milk.
GISD Breakfast
Monday - Cereal, donut, juice, and milk.
Tuesday - Oatmeal, toast, jelly, fruit, and milk.
Wednesday - Breakfast pizza, juice, and milk.
Thursday - Two pancakes, syrup, juice, and milk.
Friday - Two cinnamon rolls, fruit, and milk.

Pringle-Morse School Lunch Menu
Monday, November 14
 Enchiladas, Beans/rice, cornbread, salad, cookie, and milk.
Tuesday, November 15
 Stake fingers, potatoes, corn, gravy, rolls, fruit, and milk.
Wednesday, November 16
 Stroganoff, corn, salad, bread, short cake, and milk.
Thursday, November 17
 Turkey, rolls, dressing, potatoes and gravy, green beans, salad, pie, and milk.
Friday, November 18
 Sandwich, salad, ice cream, fruit, and milk.

PMISD Breakfast
Monday - Cheese toast, toast, juice, and milk.
Tuesday - Cinnamon toast, cereal, juice, and milk.
Wednesday - Sausage, waffles, juice, and milk.
Thursday - Muffin, toast, juice, and milk.
Friday - Sausage, biscuits, juice, and milk.



CITIZEN OF THE MONTH- For the month of October the following students were selected as "Citizen of the Month" for the Gruver Junior High: Fifth Grade, Steven Salazar; Sixth Grade, Brad Holt; Seventh Grade, Cayla Simon; Eighth Grade, Clint Robinson. Students were nominated by their teachers as the students who best exemplify those qualities necessary to be a good citizen. These students daily exhibit qualities of proper attitude, self-motivation, friendliness, and the drive to succeed in whatever is presented to them.

Election

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Justice, 7th Court of Appeals Dist., Pl 2- H. Bryan Poff, Jr. (D) 668 and **Brian Quinn** (R) 939.
 Judge, Court Criminal Appeals, Place 1- Charles F. Campbell (D) 352 and **Steve Mansfield** (R) 1,129.
 Judge, Court Criminal Appeals, Pl 2- Betty Marshall (D) 358 and **Sharon Keller** (R) 1,126.
 Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1- **Raul A. Gonzalez** (D) 750 and **John B. Hawley** (L) 143.
 Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2- **Alice Oliver Parrott** (D) 341 and **Nathan L. Hecht** (R) 1,231.
 Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3- **Jimmy Carroll** (D) 382 and **Priscilla Owen** (R) 1,184.
 Lieutenant Governor- **Bob Bullock** (D) 845 and **H.J. Tex Lezar** (R) 811.
 Member, State Board Education, Dist 15- Unopposed **Monte S. Hasie** (R) 1,279.
 Presiding Judge, Court Criminal Appeals- Unopposed **Mike McCormick** (D) 746.
 Railroad Commissioner- **James E. Jim Nugent** (D) 573, **Charles R. Matthews** (R) 1,040 and **Rick Draheim** (L) 13.
 Railroad Commissioner, Unexpired Term- **Mary Scott Nabers** (D) 448, **Carole Keeton Rylander** (R) 1,115, and **Buster Crabb** (L) 36.
 State Representative, District 88- Unopposed **Warren Chisum** (D) 935.
 State Senator, District 31- Unopposed **Teel Bivins** (R) 1,447.
 State Treasurer- **Martha Whitehead** (D) 498 and **David Hartman** (R) 1,131.
 United States Representative, Dist 19- Unopposed **Larry Combest** (R) 1,376.
 United States Senator- **Richard Fisher** (D) 199, **Kay Bailey Hutchison** (R) 1,554, and **Pierre Blondeau** (L) 4.
 These results are unofficial as of yet, but most of the races were clearly won by the Republican party.

Spearman PTA to view self-esteem video

Is teen-age pregnancy, attempted suicide, burglary, drug abuse, or murder in your family's future? It all boils down to self-esteem. Self-esteem. What is it and why is it important? Self-esteem is defined in Webster's dictionary as the belief in oneself; self-respect. Low self-esteem could be defined as the unbelief in oneself, or no self-respect. Sadly enough in today's society, low self-esteem is found in most children and youth. As parents, we have difficulty with our own self-esteem and see our children struggling with theirs. Even Hansford County is not immune from this distressing fact. How can we help ourselves and our children to have good self-esteem? Jones Welsh & Associates, P.C. has made a video on how to avoid inflicting low self-esteem in children and youth. This 30 min. film is entitled "Polishing The Mirror Of Self-Esteem." It will give you information as a parent to deal with one's own self-esteem and do's and don'ts to help encourage your children. Teachers, grandparents, day care providers, will benefit from this as well. The video can be viewed at the PTA meeting, November 21 at Spearman High School Auditorium, at 7 p.m. to help answer some of these questions. We invite you to come and together we can work at building positive self-esteem in our children for a brighter future.

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Show

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Harbour, Miss Pre-Teen Haley Lombard, and Junior Miss Hansford County Brianne Burkhammer. Lady Fair models were Betty Porter, Misha Davis, Margaret Lair, and Miss Hansford County Kim Venneman.

Dalene Baker, Jackie Baker, and Samantha Baker modeled clothes for Alco. Providing door prizes were Gordon's Drug, JG's, Lady Fair, Kids' Stuff, Noreen Sutton, Cheryl Sander, Sheri Benton, Prairie Garden Flowers, The Bunkhouse, All Occasion Flowers, Sara Shufeldt

and Helen Melton - Cinderella, Claudine Clark, Sandy's Beauty Salon, Jodie Hight, Beedy Furniture, Hickerson Jewelers, Mountain Man Candy, Shaperite Products, Brenda Ferguson - Mary Kaye, Celebrate, Lee Ann Gillispie - Mary Kaye, Cheryl's Gifts N' More, and Unique Touch - Helen Melton. Helen Melton was the Style Show General Chairman. Pat Dear, Judy Nelson, Judy Yarbrough, Rhonda Covington, Becky Beedy, and Cindy Rice served on the committee. Serving as mistress of ceremonies was Mary Dixon.

Birdwell Elementary to hold Troll Book fair

A Troll Book Fair will be held at the Gus Birdwell Elementary in the library. Students, parents, and visitors interested in purchasing children's books are welcome to attend. The book fair will open from November 14th to November 18th in the school library. Daily hours will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. This week is also Children's Book Week and the fair is a great way to encourage youngsters to read for

pleasure and develop a lifetime love for books and reading. Profits will be used for prizes for read-a-thons in the library and other worthwhile projects. The book fair display will include attractive new books from many major publishers in all popular price ranges - wonderful books to read or to give as gifts. There will be classics, fiction, biographies, adventure stories, science, nature activities, and mystery books.

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Murrey named to post

Amarillo, Texas -- Spearman resident Willard R. Murrey, superintendent of Spearman ISD, was elected to the board of Dallas Baptist University during the annual meeting of the 2.6 million-member Baptist General Convention of Texas in Amarillo, October 31-November 1.
 The BGCT is the body through which Southern Baptists in more

than 5,500 Texas congregations cooperate in missionary, educational, and benevolent endeavors.
 Texas Baptist institutions include eight universities, two academies, Hispanic Baptist Theological Seminary in San Antonio, seven hospital systems and homes for children and the aging in multiple locations throughout the state.

At the movies...

Showing at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman Friday, November 11, through Tuesday, November 15, are "In the Army Now" on screen #1 at 7:45 p.m. and "Timecop" on screen #2 at 7:30 p.m.

changing the future. While there, he's got some business of his own to square. Ron Silver and Mia Sara co-star. "Timecop" is rated R.

In "In the Army Now" Pauly Shore and sidekick Andy Dick are a couple of goofy guys who sign up for Army Reserves. (Do we hear "Stripes," anyone?) Lori Petty and David Alan Grier co-star. "In the Army Now" is rated PG.
 In "Timecop" Jean-Claude Van Damme stars in this futuristic thriller where he goes back in time to stop a corrupt politician from

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RIBBON CUTTING--The Grand Opening of Lozano's Restaurant was held November 4. Featured are: J.L. Brock, Pat Dear, Mike Cudd, Cindy Blackman, Judy Nelson, Don Townsen, Lynnanne Maize, Worth Whitworth, Jjim Brown, Pete Fisher,

Larry Trospen, Ritchie Fletcher, Steve Benton, Burl Buchanan, Bill Pittman, Beatrice Comp, Sandra Carbajal, Petra Lozano, Lily Villa, and Aida Mendoza. A taste of Mexican cuisine can be added to the menu of Spearman restaurants.

Background available for photographs

Persons interested in photographing themselves or others with a Christmas background do not have to wait until Christmas.

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce Women's Division recently conducted its style show and used a mixture of Christmas trees for a center-piece. This background used in the show will be left standing for a while so that residents may use it as a backdrop for photographs. Those wanting to use the area can bring their cameras or have someone else photograph them.

Persons interested in using the display may go by the O'Loughlin Center from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. or from 7 to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday only.

For more information, call the O'Loughlin Center at 659-3030 during regular working hours Monday through Friday.

FUMC to hold Thanksgiving meal Nov. 17

The community-wide Thanksgiving dinner is set for Thursday, November 17 at the First United Methodist Church in Spearman.

The annual event used to be conducted by members of the Union Church; however, this year the event is being sponsored and conducted by the Methodist Chancel Choir.

A Thanksgiving meal which includes turkey, dressing and all the trimmings will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The First United Methodist Church is located at 403 S. Haney.

Cost for the meal is \$5.50 per plate. Children under the age of six are free.

The scheduled event takes the place of the annual Union Church meal.

For more information, contact the First United Methodist Church in Spearman.

Out at the Lake

By DOROTHY HUDSON

Lake Depth--1 feet and five inches (down one inch from last week).

Parks and Wildlife personnel were at the lake last week. Using frame nets, they were checking for crappie mainly, but other fish as well. They were particularly pleased at the number of this year's hatch of crappie and channel catfish that they found. Archie Nelson, mayor of Gruver, caught one very nice blue cat on Saturday.

The fall foliage is still nice at the park, but the wind will get it soon. Two of the prettiest spots are on the north side of the dam and the grove of cottonwoods west of the road on the Gibner place.

If you are interested in trees, you will find a bois d'arc tree, also known as Osage-orange on the north side of the dam in the little picnic area that is closest to the boundary fence. A wooden table has been wedged between its trunk and that of a nearby cottonwood tree. It bore fruit this year, but some animals in the park have enjoyed the green fruit, this fruit looks somewhat like oranges but are called horse or hedge apples. They are often sought for odd and interesting floral arrangements.

We have no idea how this ancient bois d'arc tree came to be in this spot. It is not native to the Panhandle, and we are curious if it

is the only one in the county. It was always planted in the shelter belts sponsored by the government from 1835 to 1948, but there were not many of those locally. We think we have the largest cottonwood tree in the county, so it would be nice to have the only, or the biggest, bois d'arc tree as well.

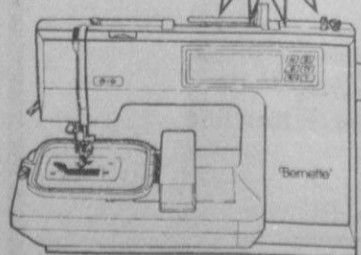
This tree, a member of the Mulberry family, as extremely hard wood. It was given its name by the French when they noticed the Indians favored it for their bows and arrow shafts. We pronounce the name as Bow Dark. As the early settlers also prized it for its sturdiness and durability, wagon frames, coupling poles, single trees, wheels, tongues, and neck yokes could all be built from this wood. After the advent of barbed wire, one of the chief uses of this tree was for fence posts. Even a hundred years later, it is still possible to find some of these fence posts still in use.

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Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

All of Hansford County was shocked at the tragic death of Faye Womble Gillispie on Saturday. The details of the accident and obituary are carried elsewhere in this issue.

Faye, the daughter of Dale and Moody Womble, was reared at Morse and is the last of her family. Sympathy is extended to her survivors.

Among the many Spearman and Gruver folks who attended the lovely wedding of Jason Sutterfield-Tammy Thomas in Amarillo were Lil and Bill Turner. A detailed account of the wedding appears in this issue.

The Turners enjoyed the wedding and had a good visit with Tim Kizziar. He was the best man at the wedding. Tim made his home with the Turners during high school and is now a student at Oklahoma University at Stillwater.

Word comes of the passing of a former Hansford County resident of many years ago. Obera Gay Darnell passed away last Thursday and services were held Monday in Los Angeles.

The Gay family lived here and at Morse and the children attended school here. Obera married Charles Darnell and after a few years, they moved to California. She is survived by a daughter and two sisters, both of whom attended the funeral. They are Iola Hazelwood, of Amarillo, and Hazel Lasater, of Stinnett. Butch Lasater, of Stinnett, is a nephew.

Louise and Ernest Archer's guests during the weekend were their son Earl and Darlene Archer of Memphis. Earl is a real estate appraiser and Darlene teaches in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Babitzke spent a week at Truth or Consequences, New Mexico, recently. They were delighted by their entertainment -- "fiddlin'" and especially at the success of former Spearman resident, Wes Nivens, in the con-

test. He is now the president of the National Fiddlers Association.

Gloria and Don Knox had a pleasant weekend in Wichita Falls. They visited their granddaughter, Cindy and Sammy Alrinaly. Cindy is a fifth grade teacher there.

Mrs. Ethel Ellsworth spent the weekend in Amarillo with her daughter, Betty Lou and Troy Mays. Wayne took her over and also spent the weekend.

Twelve youths of the United Methodist Youth Fellowship enjoyed a crowded but most interesting weekend. After the ball game on Friday, they went to Dallas. Saturday morning they strolled around at the Galleria Mall, then later they enjoyed a concert by Stephen Curtis Chapman.

Sunday morning, a unique experience for the Spearman youth was their attendance at a service at St. Luke United Methodist Church, the congregation of which is predominately Black. They were fortunate in hearing one of the outstanding Black ministers in America. The service lasted two hours. They returned Sunday. Sponsors on the trip were Verlin and Brenda Winegarner, Tim and Gwen Bryant and Dacia Lust.

It was a thought-provoking editorial in the Sunday Amarillo News-Globe by Walter Williams; unfortunately too long to be used here, though every word should be read. Just a few excerpts follow - the subject was regarding the recent outlawing of smoking in public places because of Environmental Tobacco Smoke - referred to as ETS.

"The Food and Drug Administration's Dr. David Kessler, along with Rep. Henry Waxman and Environmental protection Agency head, Carol Browner.....in pursuit of their vision of what's a "desirable" society, seek to abrogate private property rights, personal liberty and rule of law using BOGUS science to justify their ac-

tions. Dr. Kessler's attempt to equate nicotine in cigarettes with other addictive drugs is FRAUD. Traditional definitions of addiction included intoxication, the behavioral effects of tobacco differ fundamentally from addicting drugs like cocaine, heroin and alcohol. Ask yourself 'which pilot would you like to fly you--the one who's had a couple of cigarettes, a couple snorts of cocaine or heroin, or a couple of martinis?'"

The article is lengthy and actually frightening-not for the second-hand smoke (ETS) but for the eroding of citizens' rights and restrictions on business to satisfy some mucous-brain's idea of a 'desirable' society.

How about this - "Dr. Kessler's able accomplice is EPA head Carol Browner. When Browner classified ETS as a Group A carcinogen.....her actions were based on grossly fraudulent and dishonest statistical methodology. Twenty-four of the 39 studies the EPA reviewed reported no statistically significant ETS-lung cancer relationship. Of the 11 studies done by U.S. scientists, not ONE reported significant cancer risk. The EPA was aware of the ignored similar findings of the two largest and most recent studies on ETS-lung cancer.....sponsored by the National Cancer Institute.

Need more be said?

Hansford Hospital Auxiliary conducts monthly meeting

The Hansford Hospital Auxiliary met on October 31, at 9:30 a.m. President Betty Jean Davis presided over the meeting. The Treasurer's report and the minutes were read and approved.

It was reported that three memorials had been given to Hospital Auxiliary in memory of Dorothy Haner.

The Christmas Luncheon will be December 5 and members will decorate the Hospital and Manor in the afternoon.

Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman
Chamber Manager

Ballots have been mailed to chamber members. If you have not received your ballot, let me know at the office and I will see to it that you get one.

You must vote for three new directors to go on the board in January 1995. The nominations are: Dee Dee Longoria, Interstate Savings & Loan; Brent Burgin, First State Bank; George Young, KRDF-FM Radio; Worth Whitworth, First State Bank; and Norlan Winegarner, Hansford Implement. Ballots must be in the chamber office by December 1 to be considered an official vote.

We want to welcome Lozano's Restaurant as a new chamber member and J. K. Farm and Ranch Supply.

Tickets are now selling for the New Year's Eve Casino Nite sponsored by Chamber of Commerce. This is the fund raiser for the chamber and all proceeds go directly to the chamber operating fund.

Tickets are \$75 for chamber members and \$80 for non-members. The Knights of Columbus will be catering the meal and a silent auction, dance with entertainment plus DJ, and casino tables will fill the evening with lots of laughs and fun.

The big giveaway will be two round-trip tickets from Southwest

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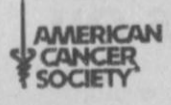
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HANSFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT



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Hansford Hospice conducts memorial service

Hansford Hospice held a Memorial Service on Sunday, November 6 at First Christian Church in Spearman. Friends and family members came together to remember loved ones. Sue Watts, Director, wants to thank everyone for their participation.

Everyone is invited to attend the tree lighting ceremony coming up December 5 at 6:00 p.m. Please come by Hansford Hospital for fellowship, Wassail, and to remember our former Hospice patients and families.

Time for annual Great American Smokeout, Nov. 17

The American Cancer Society sponsors The Great American Smokeout on the third Thursday of November each year. The Great American Smokeout is an upbeat, good-natured effort to encourage smokers to give up cigarettes for 24 hours. If smokers can prove to themselves they can do it for the day, they might quit for good.

In 1993's Smokeout, 20.5% of smokers (9.4 million) did not smoke or they cut down for the day; 8 million of them continued to reduce their smoking or to not smoke 1-10 days later.

Non-smokers can join in the fun by adopting family members, friends, and co-workers who smoke and encouraging them to quit. Non-smokers support their friends who are quitting for the day by calling or visiting them; being a calm, smiling, reassuring influence; continually offering praise and encouragement; helping the quitter keep a good sense of humor; and agreeing

HCHD Business Office hours to be extended temporarily

The Business Office will be open for extended hours temporarily: Tuesday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and on Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in addition to the regular 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

to give up something they love, such as chocolate, coffee, soft drinks, or soap operas, for the day.

This year Hansford County Hospital District is coordinating Smokeout activities Wednesday, November 16 during the noon hour at the O'Loughlin Center building at Fifth and Brandt Street. Please watch for our fliers and posters. Thank you in advance to the local Chamber of Commerce for all your help!

Dr. Laurence Behney will give a presentation titled "Why and How to Quit Smoking." Appointments can be made for discounted office visits for obtaining nicotine patches or gum.

Survival kits will be available from the American Cancer Society, and literature on smoking and heart disease will be made available by the American Heart Association. The Golden spread Center will provide refreshments.

Berger to speak at Public meeting to be held Nov. 30

Erin Berger, BSW, LSW is coordinating a meeting for the public on November 30 at 7:00 p.m. at the O'Loughlin Center. Shiela West, from the Alzheimer Association in Amarillo will address Alzheimer and coming with the special problems of Alzheimer patients during the holidays.

Solid Gold Selections

Our featured resident for the month of November is Fern Pope. Fern was born August 30, 1909 in Haileyville, Oklahoma, to parents Joe and Gaybelle Muir. She grew up and went to school in Haileyville with her 3 brothers and sisters. Fern married Cleburn Utah Pope and they moved to the Black community in Ochiltree County, Texas. They later moved to a home south of Waka, where they farmed. Fern had one son, Kenneth and four grandchildren. Fern was active in the Black Community Home Demonstration Club, the Twentieth Century Club, the order of the Eastern Star, and the Church of Christ. She enjoys visiting with everyone here at the Manor, and we all love her.



FERN POPE

A note from activities

They say time flies when you're having fun. We must be having a great time because we've looked up and discovered it's November already!

From the looks of our Activity Calendar, we're going to be very busy again this month. Our Christian Buffet will be the 10th and will be sponsored by the Apostolic Faith Church. Our Tuesday Night Bingo sponsor is the Women's Division of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce. Our November birthday party will be the 18th. We'll be taking a group of residents to the Community Veterans Day program on the 11th.

Residents will enjoy an evening of fellowship and entertainment

Welcome New Residents!
Lois Bishop who comes to us from Snyder, TX

Resident Birthdays!
Jane Meek 1st
Minnie Chesser 11th
Don Williamson 25th

MYTHS ABOUT MAMMOGRAPHY AND BREAST CANCER

(Part 1 of a 2-Part Series)



Myth 1: I don't need a mammogram if I don't have any symptoms.

Fact: Mammography can detect breast cancer up to two years before you or your doctor can feel a lump.

Myth 2: There's no history of breast cancer in my family, so I don't need to worry about getting it.

Fact: Eighty percent of women who develop breast cancer have no family history of the disease... one out of nine American women will get breast cancer.

Manor has busy month during October

October was a very busy month for the residents and staff at Hansford Manor, with the highlight being a Halloween party and having many trick-or-treaters from the area! Thank you to all who were able to come. The staff also enjoyed working in costume for the day.



GRUVER FFA- The Gruver Senior Conducting Chapter competed recently at contest. They are: (Front Row l to r) Cori Lowe, Jason Ward, Kiki Carthel, and Roxane Holt. (Back Row l to r) Travis Ferguson, Sammy Renteria, Bailey Barkley, and Scott Jarvis.

Gruver FFA teams compete

By KIKI CARTHEL

On Saturday, October 22, 20 Gruver FFA members attended the Top of Texas District Leadership Contest held at Clarendon College. Gruver had three teams and two individuals competing. The Senior Chapter Conducting Team consisting of juniors: Bailey Barkley, Kiki Carthel, Travis Ferguson, Scott Jarvis, Roxane Holt, Cori Lowe,

Sammy Renteria, and Jason Ward placed 3rd. Also placing third were Cori Lowe in Extemporaneous Speaking, and Buster McLain in Creed Speaking. The Junior Skills Team with members Matt Overby, Jason Smith, and Eric Pando placed 5th. The Junior Chapter Conducting Team composed of freshman Brent Armes, Kathy Slough, Rob Murrell, Buster McLain, Travis Bayless, Jared Johnson, and Kevin

Harris placed 2nd.

The top two teams from each district in each contest advanced to the area competition. Area was held October 29 at Clarendon. There the team placed 4th, narrowly missing out on a trip to the State Leadership Contest.

FFA advisor, Mr. Montgomery was very proud of all his teams and the hard work they did in preparation for the contests.

Local 4-H'ers honored at annual awards banquet

The Hansford County 4-H Awards Banquet was held Sunday, November 6 at the Catholic Parish Hall in Spearman with 107 youth, parents, and volunteer leaders in attendance.

Kimberley Wagner and Ronda Renner served as co-mistress of ceremonies for the event titled "Branding the Future Through 4-H".

Leah Mackie led the Pledge of Allegiance and Kim Vennemen led the 4-H Motto and Pledge. Cori Lowe gave the welcome and Kim Vennemen introduced the guests.

Six youths received special awards for their participation in

state competition during 1994, including Ashley Brown, Kimberley Wagner, Cori Lowe, Scott Stedje, Galen Slough, and Kathy Slough.

Ashley Brown received a special award for completing a record book in the horse project. Chris Winter received the swine award and Kyle Winter received the sheep award.

This year's Gold Star recipients were Scott Stedje, son of Dennis and Kathy Stedje and Galen Slough, son of Kenneth and Alice Slough. They will be honored at the District Gold Star Banquet November 14 in Borger.

Year pins were presented by junior leaders to all 4-H youth com-

pleting a project during the 1993-94 year. Dr. Tom Latta presented 4-H gate signs, which he donates to all first year members.

Bill Carson and Bret Burgin were recognized for their work as coaches of the livestock judging team. Jimmie Gruver received recognition for his volunteer service during electric camp for the past two years.

Chamber

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Airlines to any Southwest destination out of Amarillo. There are also tickets to Remington Park in Oklahoma City and other weekend packages.

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TUCK, VEHICLES & MOTOR HOMES--1982 Ford E350 ambulance, 460 eng., pwr, air; 1979 Chev. C60 grain truck, 4 sp., lift; 1988 Chev. C10, auto, air, 6 cyl.; 1975 Dodge motor home w/red Dale coach, pwr., air, stove, ref., shower, clean unit; 1969 Winnabego 24' motor home, 318 eng., self contained, pwr. plant; 1978 Chev. C20 crew ca. 4 dr., pwr., air, big eng.; 1979 Dodge 3/4 ton., 4x4, cab, chass.; 1984 Ford Bronco 4x4, auto, air, pwr.; 1983 Ford Ranger, 4 sp., pwr, air; 1976 Chev. C10, 4x4.

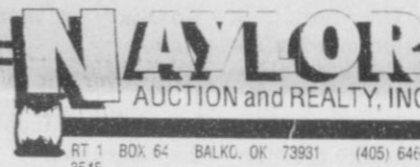
FARM AND ROW EQUIPMENT--JD 1408 3pt. mower; JD Lister planter, 8 row w/markers, 40"; JD 7100 10 row surface planter, 30" w/packer; JD Lister planter, 10 row bar w/8 planter 30"; Hamby 30' 4 bar w/chisel sweeps; Eversman 21', 3 pt., tiller plow, w/lift asst., bedders; 8 row packer; Hamby 21', 3 pt., 4 bar deep ripper; Lilliston 8 row cultivator, 30"; Hamby 21', 3 pt., bar tool bar; Noble 10 row cultivator; Hamby 31', 4 bar tool bar w/sweeps; 70' Noble springtooth; 33' crustbuster; 36' Kent springtooth; IHC 490, 28' Tandem disc; IHC 760, 21' offset; JD 355, 21' offset; Miller 21' offset; Miller 14' offset; MF 880, 6 bottom on-land plow; Krause Md. 804 oneway; 4-Noble harrows; Noble 3-5 sweep plow; 12' chisel; IHC sickle mower; Caldwell 7' blade, hyd.; 2-JD deep hole drills, 12-14"; 2-IHC deep hole drills, 12-14"; Mirriss 6 row disc; JD DRA • 2-JD quik hitches; 2-Van Buren iron wheel disc drills; Kuger 500 gal. sprayer, pto, pump; 2-200 gal. fiberglass, liq. fert. side tanks; 2-markers, antique manure spreader.

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Art show to be held at The O'Loughlin Center

The O'Loughlin Center will be displaying 50 to 60 works of art on November 14 and 15 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Original works by such artists as Dalhart Windberg, Tom Lovell, Frank McCarthy, Paul Calle, and G. Harvey will be exhibited.

Windberg was born in Texas in 1933 and currently resides near Austin. He is probably Texas's most popular landscape artist and was commissioned to do an official painting for the opening of the Lyndon Baines Johnson Library in Austin. He was the subject of two major books.

Tom Lovell is the only painter to win the Prix de West award twice at the NAWA exhibitions. He is an illustrator for many major magazines, and 14 of his painting now hang in the Permian Basin Petroleum Museum in Midland. Retrospectives of his work have been held at the Gilcrease Museum and the National Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City. A major book on his work was published in 1993.

Frank C. McCarthy has been an illustrator for 21 years. He has been a member of the Cowboy Artists of America since 1975. Retrospectives of his work have been held at the Gilcrease Museum in Tulsa, Museum of the Southwest in Midland, Norton Museum in Shreveport, and the Cowboy Artists of America Museum in Kerrville. His work is subject of three major books.

Paul Calle is best known for his pencil drawings. He designed the "First Man on the Moon" stamp and many others. A major retrospective of his work was held at the Gilcrease Museum, and a book was published on his work in 1992.

G. Harvey was born in San Antonio in 1993. He has been featured in "Southwest Art" and many other art magazines and has been the subject of three major books. He showed at the Smithsonian during 1991-92 and did a series of paintings for the National Archives. He is probably Texas's most popular western artist.

Limited edition prints by such artists as Howard Terpning, Bev Doolittle, G. Harvey, Tom Ryan, Frank McCarthy, and Robert Abbett will also be exhibited.

The exhibition will include western, wildlife, landscape, and figurative art. Oil paintings, watercolors, drawings, bronzes, limited edition prints, and books are also included in the show. All works of art will be available for purchase. Prices of the artwork will range from \$100 to approximately \$15,000.



Tom Horn (Steve McQueen)
 18x24 Pencil
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Rice Fine Art Show



TOM LOVELL • "THRONE OF HONOR" • 24X36 OIL
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Rice Fine Art of Amarillo presents

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Sports

JV Lynx hold off Boys Ranch, 15-12

Thanks to a misjudged coaching mistake by the junior varsity coach from Boys Ranch, and a smart decision by Coach Wendell Neff for the Lynx, the Spearman junior varsity edged the Roughriders last Thursday night at Boys Ranch, 15-12.

Kevin Baker was once again a hero this week, as he made Spearman's first score of the night on a 9 yard pass from Eric Cudd in the third quarter. Townsen went on to kick the extra point, and Spearman had a lead by 1.

The superstar of the year,

Frankie Dominguez, also scored a touchdown. His came on a 9 yard run in the third quarter, and it was capped off by Cudd on the 2-point conversion.

Dominguez had an out-standing 107 yards on just 25 carries, which brought him to 4.28 yards per carry. He also threw the ball 1 time for 1 completion and 16 yards on a half back pass.

Cudd threw the pigskin 6 times for 1 completion and 9 yards. He also was able to nab an interception. Besides the catch from Baker

for the touchdown, Clint Goodman also had a grab of 16 yards.

Skip Lesly and Eric Varnon both managed to scoop up fumbles for Spearman.

The Lynx junior varsity ended their season 9-0-1, with the tie belonging to the West Texas Comanches. Although Coach Neff is the Spearman Lynx head basketball coach, he, along with Coach Jeff Rowland, did an excellent job this year. The Lynx varsity team will be acquiring several good players next season.

Eighth grade squad ends up '94 season with perfect 8-0 record

Only one word can describe the Spearman Lynx 8th grade team, perfection. The Lynx traveled to Boys Ranch last Thursday night and defeated them soundly, 20-6.

As usual, Michael Lusby came through and scored all three touchdowns for Spearman. Lusby has led the Lynx all year on scored points and yards gained. This hard-hitting Lynx does just as much damage on defense as he does on offense, and he definitely has a bright future in his coming up high school

career. As many people throughout Spearman have said, "Lusby punishes tacklers more than they punish him." Along with Lusby, Mason Kuehl, Carlos Hernandez, Aaron Witten, Landon Miller, Brian Black, and Chuck Grayson all did a fabulous job this year. In addition to these players, several other individuals did great this year. They are: Jared Brown, Landon Jackson, Ryan Hill, Quentin Shieldknight, Scott Earle, Felipe Navarrete, Clancy Vanderburg, Danny Hargues,

Dusty Hunt, Lloyd Sprague, T.J. Evans, Brian McLaughlin, Anthony Bravo, Alberto Vargas, Michael Carey, Doran Schoenhals, and Dan Kunselman.

The team finished the season at 8-0, which is understandable with talent like this. They are the only Lynx team to win every game and have no ties. Also another fine job done this year by Coach Ryan Rhoades. Rhoades has not been in Spearman long, but his coaching and understanding of these kids does not reflect it.



LAST TIME RUN- The Spearman Lynx hosted the Boys Ranch Roughriders last Friday night in their last game of the season. In spite of the cold weather and a small turnout by Spearman fans, the Lynx roped the Ranch, 20-13. In the picture above, running back sensation Shawn Moore runs for one last touchdown, with other running back Phillip Sanders and receiver Dillion Miller coming in to help. Moore finished the game with 138 yards on 25 carries, which brought his total to a year ending 559 yards on 142 carries. With the help of Coach Ric Smith, the Lynx went on to finish the season 3-6. (Photo by Daniel Ramos)

Lynx down Boys Ranch 20-13

In spite of a near-empty Lynx Stadium and cold temperatures, the Spearman Lynx went out with a bang last Friday night, as they defeated the Boys Ranch Roughriders, 20-13 to end the pigskin season.

Despite having to punt the ball to the Lynx on their first drive and an awesome run of 24 yards by senior quarterback Chad Wilkerson, Boys Ranch soon took control of the ball early on a fumble.

The Lynx impassable defense would not allow the Ranch to move the ball, however, and they were forced to punt it back to the Lynx.

Spearman, who was now on its 15 yard line, then mounted a huge drive consisting of 10 plays for 85 yards. On the drive, the big man, Phillip Sanders did most of the ball carrying. Sanders rushed for 56 yards on just 6 carries, including a nice burst up the middle on a draw play for a 30 yard touchdown. Junior kicker Greg Elliot went on to sail the ball through the uprights for the extra point, and the Lynx

had points on the board before their opponents for the first time all year.

After 3 great runs by superstar Shawn Moore for 33 yards, the quarter ended with the Lynx on top, 7-0.

Spearman maintained possession as the second quarter began. They mounted a massive drive, in which Sanders and Moore combined their talents, with the help of senior Josh Furlow, for 10 plays and only 13 yards. The low yardage, caused mostly by penalties, not by bad plays, forced Spearman into a fourth-and-nine play. The Lynx, wanting a score rather than punting the ball away, decided to go for the long first down. However, a well read screen to sophomore receiver Dillion Miller, was quickly picked up by the Ranch, and Spearman turned the ball over early in the quarter.

Nonetheless, just 2 plays later, the man who always seems to come through for the Lynx, sophomore Michael Witten, recovered a fumble on Boys Ranch's 30 yard line. This gave the Lynx a great scoring op-

portunity, but once again penalties plagued Spearman, and they gave Boys Ranch the ball back after only gaining 4 yards.

Thanks to a stop by Wilkerson on full back Wes James and great coverage by the Lynx's secondary, on Boys Ranch's next drive, Spearman soon had the ball back with 3:56 left in the half. Despite great runs and catches by Sanders and Moore for 47 yards on 5 plays, the Lynx turned the ball back over to the Ranch on a fumble.

This gave Boys Ranch the ball back with good field position and 1:27 worth of ticks left on the clock.

However, the solid Lynx defense once again held the Ranch. On a third-and-five play, junior line backer Cody McLeod came out of nowhere and put a tremendous hit on quarterback Blake Henderson for a 5 yard loss. McLeod, who has been playing awesome all year, hit the helpless quarterback so hard that it knocked him completely out of

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Greyhounds lose to WT, 32-6

The Gruver Greyhounds finest season since 1984 ended this past Friday night, November 4, at Greyhound Stadium with a crushing 32-6 loss to the West Texas High School Comanches. Nine turnovers by the Hounds, and a net of only 10 yards rushing for the night, proved fatal for the Hounds. In passing, the Hounds were 1-8 with 5 interceptions - their only completion coming at the very end of the game. In total offense, the Hounds netted only 27 yards.

West Texas had only 67 yards rushing and 54 yards passing in the first half, but it was enough, with the four turnovers, to take an insurmountable 20-6 lead. For the night, WT had 122 yards rushing and 101 passing, for 223 total yards.

The loss by the Hounds ended any hope of playoffs for this year, giving them a record of 6-3 for the year, but 2-2 in district 1-AA play, and third place. Stratford and West Texas finished as co-champions, and they both go on to the playoffs.

The Hounds first possession ended on a fumble on third-and-five, but that fumble didn't cost the Hounds, even though WT took over on the Hounds' 24 yard line. They lost two yards on four plays, and the Hounds were still in this game.

Neither the Hounds nor WT could move on the ensuing possession, but it was WT who owned field position.

Following a WT punt, the Hounds took over on their own 17, could move only 2 yards on three plays, and punted. It was a 27 yard punt by Rosalio Arreola, returned the full 46 yards by Casey Sullivan of the Comanches for the touchdown. The PAT by Chris Monden was good, and with 2:44 left in the first quarter, WT had jumped up 7-

0. That was a bad start, but the Hounds simply couldn't move the football, and it was their next possession that really hurt them. On a third-and-four from their own 31 yard line, they fumbled again, and this time it cost them.

It took WT only six plays to score the touchdown, and with the extra point, they went up 14-0 with 11:01 left before halftime. It was Todd Hopskin who had scored from the one yard line.

Now Gruver was in trouble, but still they couldn't move. They punted, WT had the ball four plays and punted, and Gruver had it again.

Again this turnover cost the Hounds points. It was an interception on the first play from the 14 yard line, and WT had the ball at the Hounds 36. The big play in the 11 play drive was a 21 yard pass from Sean Parks to Monden. The touchdown came on a one yard run by Sullivan, and WT was up 20-0 with 4:31 left in the half. The extra point was no good, but the Hounds were rapidly fading.

Another turnover by the Hounds on their next possession made two fumbles and two interceptions in the first half. But this time, the Hounds got a big break. On WT's possession following the interception, on a fourth-and-sixteen, Sammy Renteria came in charging and blocked the punt, and Jace Dawson scooped it up and rambled 30 yards for the touchdown. It was now 20-6 with 1:40 left in the half, as the extra point attempt was no good, but the Hounds were again within distance of the Comanches.

The Hounds were fortunate to get out of the half trailing only by 14. Following a fine return by

Sullivan, WT drove to the Hounds' 11 yard line in the last minute, but ran out of time.

In the second half, the Hounds first turnover didn't hurt them, as it was a fumble on a punt return attempt. WT drove to the 14 yard line, but was stopped on fourth down. But they had field position. And when the Hounds let loose another turnover, an interception, WT took advantage on the 3-play 25 yard drive, with an 18 yard run by Sullivan capping the drive. The touchdown gave the Comanches a 26-6 lead with 1:40 left in the third quarter, and the game was now rapidly becoming out of reach.

Early in the fourth quarter, WT fumbled for their only turnover of the night. Dawson recovered it. But immediately, on the first play from scrimmage, Gruver fumbled the ball right back to the Comanches. It was their seventh turnovers, and again it cost them. Parks hit Cooper Mitchell on a 32 yard strike on the first play following the fumble recovery, and it was 32-6, with 9:14 left in the game. Gruver now had four fumbles and three interceptions, and four of those seven turnovers had cost them touchdowns.

The remainder of the game was painful for the Hounds' fans, to say the least. There were two more interceptions of Hounds' passes, and WT really had their way. But fortunately, there was no more scoring.

Playing their last game in a Gruver Greyhound uniform were seniors Eric Wright, Joe Bravo, Jace Dawson, Aaron Frick, Rosalio Arreola, Ricardo Soto, Brady Tidwell, Isaias Arzate, Galen Slough, and Ryon Atwood. That is ten players that will be sorely missed next year!

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For The Sport Of It

by Bob Bort

Well, the football season has ended on time, despite all the hoopla about the playoffs, and it's time for basketball season. But watch out for the Hounds next year on the gridiron. They are going to make the playoffs!

Here are the details of the opening of the 1994-95 basketball season this week. The Lady Hounds will be having a scrimmage set for Greyhound Gym in Gruver this Saturday (November 12th) at noon. This is a last-minute change from what was printed in last week's newspaper. The Lady Hounds' varsity and JV teams will be scrimmaging the Borger Lady Bulldogs. That is the last pre-season activity of the year.

On Monday, November 14, the season will get underway with 7th, 8th, and 9th grade games against Sunray. The three girls' teams will be playing in Greyhound Gym; the three boys' teams will travel to Sunray. That action begins at 5 P.M. in both locations.

On Tuesday, the 15th of November, it all begins in earnest. At Dumas, the Lady Hounds will open with a roster of 9, plus the addition of a couple of others still possible, pending their final scrimmage against Borger.

They will face the

Demonettes prior to the Hounds' game, and following the Lady Hounds JV game.

There will be a JV Hounds game also. It will be played concurrently with the JV Lady Hounds game. It all begins at 5 P.M.

The Lady Hounds are ranked number one in the state according to the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches (TABC) organizational poll, and are primed for the feat of a state championship. They were 29-6 last year, beaten in the regional championship game 40-39 by Tuscola Jim Ned, the eventual state champion. This year they will settle for nothing less than the whole bag of marbles.

The Hounds, like the Lady Hounds, are picked by the TABC organizational poll to win district 1-2A.

Remember, it all starts at 5 P.M. at Dumas on November 15. In case you're interested, here is a little bit of what to look for. Last year, these two teams opened the season in Gruver, and the Hounds lost a heartbreaker 60-58, while the Lady Hounds won big time, 73-57. The Hounds played the Demons later in the season, in the Perryton Tournament, and won, 57-48. Remember, the Hounds are a much improved ball club this year from the

12-18 team last year! The Hounds started 1-5 last year, the Lady Hounds started 6-0.

Talk about fine records. In his three years as Lady Hounds' coach, Steve Myatt has a record of 67-26, .720. Double that, and add a loss, and you have Tim Garland's record in his six years as Hounds' coach, 134-53, .717.

I have very little to compare that with, but Coach Mike Banks' three year record (1988-91) as Lady Hounds' Coach was 39-50, .438. Coach Banks is now at Booker. Coach Royce Blackshear (now at Perryton) coached the Hounds 1983-88, and the Lady Hounds 1986-88. Coach Mike Brownlee (now at Stratford) coached the Lady Hounds 1984-86. At some future point this season, I will try to give you Coaches Blackshear and Brownlee's overall record while coach here at Gruver.

Here are a couple of items that should have made last week's newspaper. Freshman Autumn Bateman should have been included as a member of the fine Lady Hounds' JV team, and Coach Lonnie Burnam should have been mentioned as the coach of the fine Hounds JV team. Boy will he be blessed this year!

Gruver grid-iron squads end season against WT Comanches

The Gruver Greyhound 7th, 8th, and junior varsity teams closed out their season this past Thursday, November 3 at Stinnett against the West Texas Comanches teams. Here are the reports, according to the coaches.

The 7th grade team lost 28-12, but according to Coach Tim Garland played well. Jared Christian had two long runs on the dive play for touchdowns, for all the Gruver scoring.

The first touchdown followed a nice pass reception by Derik Grotgut from quarterback Dallas Henson to give the Hounds a first down. Then Christian broke off a nice 63 yard run. The second touchdown was a 56 yard run by Christian, and the pass was complete to Darren Duran, but he didn't make it into the end zone for the conversion.

Lee Nunez and Bray Armes recovered fumbles for the Hounds. According to Coach Garland, he was especially pleased that the Hounds did not fumble a snap from center

all night long, and that is the first time all year for that to happen.

In the 8th grade game, Luke Johnson tackled the punter in the end zone for the first score, a safety, and a 2-0 lead. Jim Potts then returned an interception about 30 yards for the second score, a touchdown, to give the Hounds an 8-0 lead, and that was the final score.

"The defense played superbly", said Coach Garland. "They (WT) threatened their first possession, and then had nothing all night long."

Charlie Stavlo picked off a pass for an interception, and the Hounds were inside the 20 on three occasions, but failed to score, according to Coach Garland.

In the JV game, the Hounds lost 12-0. According to Coach John Duncan, both touchdowns for the Comanches came in the first half. "It was a good effort all the way around," said Coach Duncan. "We had our opportunities to win, but we didn't get the job done."

According to Coach Duncan, Travis Bayless had a really good

night rushing the football, with 80 yards on 9 carries. Kyle McNett also had a pretty good night.

Blake Ferguson had two key blocks on traps, setting Travis free on two long runs. The whole offensive line played well, again according to Coach Duncan.

"The whole offense played well, we just weren't able to score," said Coach Duncan. "We would have had a first down on the 3 yard line, but a penalty killed that. Then we dropped a pass on fourth-and-ten that would have been a touchdown, so we had our opportunities."

Shieldknight wins final football contest

The 1994 football season came to a close this week for both Hansford County teams, but, as usual, several people participated in the last week of The Hansford County Reporter Statesman's football contest.

Missing only four games and coming closest to the gridiron picks was Charles Shieldknight of Spearman. For his accuracy in being able to choose games, Charles will receive the top prize of \$25.

Coming in second and missing just six games was Mike Cudd of Spearman. Mike has been in the top three before, so claiming the second place prize of \$15 will be nothing new to him.

Taking this week's third place prize and also just missing six games was Ann Flowers of Spearman. Ann missed just as many games as Mike, but Mike was closest on the tie-breaker.


Although many people did play the contest, just three people made honorable mention. They are: Kade Carthel of Gruver, Pat Cudd of Spearman, and Craig Schumann also of Spearman.

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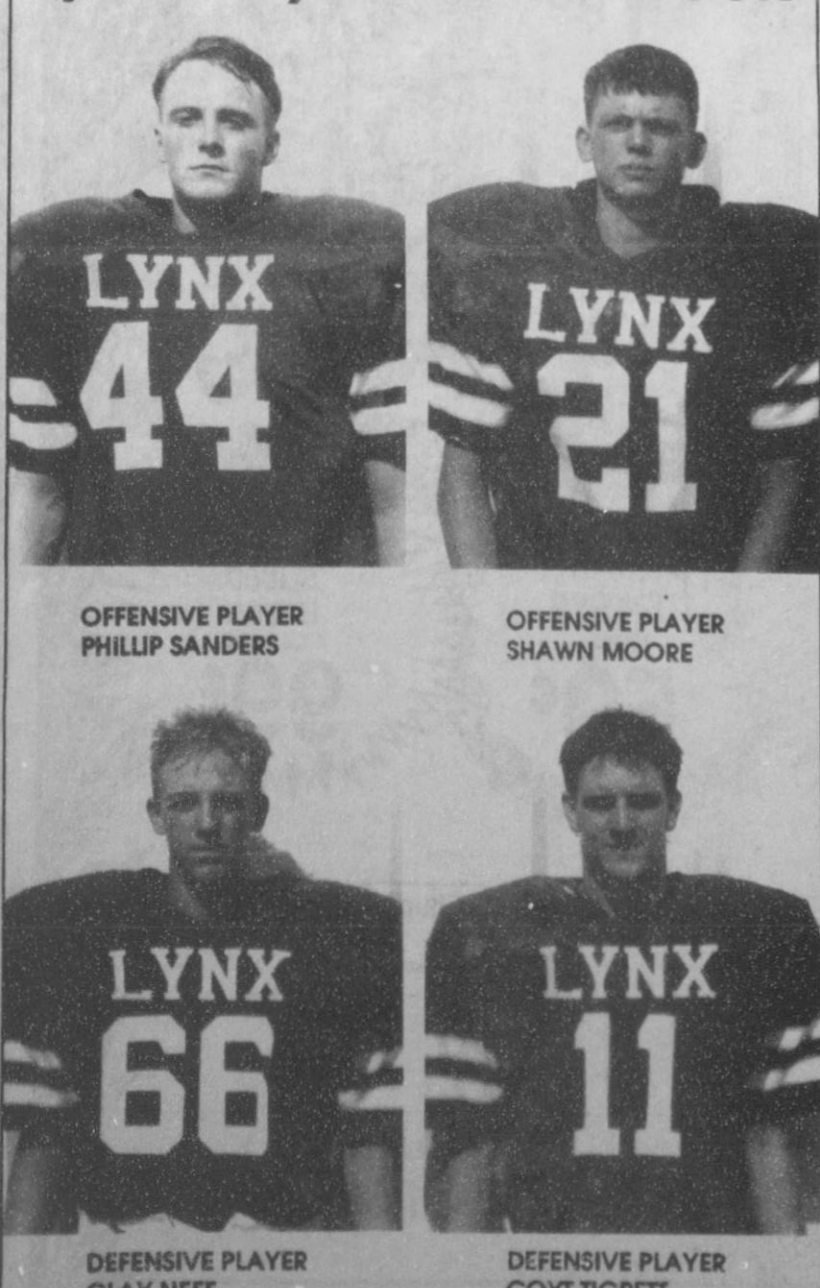
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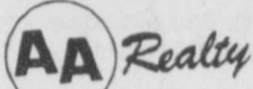
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Some folks are so contrary that if they fell in a river, they'd insist on floating upstream. -Josh Billings

NOTICE

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

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PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE

Bill and Ginger Pittman intend to apply to the Federal Reserve Board for permission to acquire 0.1% which will result in their owning a total of 10.05% of the common stock of Spearman Bancshares whose subsidiary is First National Bank, Spearman, TX pursuant to the Change in Bank Control Act of 1978 (12 USC 1817 (j)).

This Act requires that persons proposing to acquire significant ownership interests in a state member bank or bank holding company give 60 days prior notice to the Federal Reserve. For purposes of the statute, an acquisition of control includes the acquisition by a person or group of persons acting in concert of 25 percent or more of any class of voting securities of the bank or bank holding company.

Prior notice may also be required of a person or group of persons acting in concert if the transaction results in that person(s) being the largest share-

holder with between 10 and 25 percent of the shares of the bank or bank holding company. You are invited to submit comments in writing on this application to the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Banking Supervision, P.O. Box 655906, Dallas, Texas 75265-5906. The comment period will not end before November 30, 1994, and may be somewhat longer. The Board's procedures for processing Federal Register 5603 (February 14, 1984). Procedures for processing protested applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. 262.25 (1984). To obtain a copy of the Board's procedures or if you need more information about how to submit your comments on the notice, contact Mr. Michael Johnson, Director-Applications, at the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, at (214)922-6081. The Federal Reserve will consider your comments and any request for a public meeting or formal hearing on the application if they are received by the Reserve Bank on or before the last date of the comment period. S55, 1tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF MATTIE ALZINA REED, DECEASED

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Hansford County, Texas, at the Courthouse in Spearman, Texas, at or before 10:00 a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the 10th of November, 1994, the date of issuance of this citation, by filing a written answer to the Petition filed by Charles Brillhart, Administrator, with Will Annexed in the Estate of mattie Alzina Reed, Deceased, Numbered 4072 on the docket of the Court, and entitled ESTATE OF MATTIE ALZINA REED. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: A Petition for Declaratory Judgement by Administrator for Construction of Will, and a request that this court construe Decedent's will to determine the right, obligations and legal relations of all parties by virtue of the Last Will of mattie Alzina Reed, and in particular to determine the following questions: (1) (a) under the provisions of the will do legatee take the bequests as therein set forth? (or) (b) was the will a contingent will conditioned on the Decedent's husband perishing with her in an accident or passing away within sixty days after her death, so that on the failure of either of such events, heirs inherit the Decedent's Estate? (2) If the Court determines that the will was a contingent will, that the court determine who are the heirs and only heirs of mattie Alzina Reed, Deceased, the heirs' respective shares and interests under the laws of the state, if any, in the Estate of mattie Alzina Reed, (c) was the gift to West Aramiko Christian Church of a residence attempted by the sale of the property by Mattie Alzina Reed prior to death, all as is more fully shown by the Petition on file in this cause.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve it and make due return according to requirements of law. And the mandates of this citation. Issued under my hand and the seal of the court at Spearman, Texas, on the 21st day of October, 1994. Amelia C. Johnson, District clerk, Hansford county, Texas. By Kim V. Vera Deputy

PUBLIC NOTICE

TO: RAY EDWARD BAIN, RESPONDENT, GREETING:

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

AMELIA C. JOHNSON, Clerk 84th Judicial District Court Hansford County, Texas By Kim V. Vera Deputy S53, 4tc

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Obituaries

Evelyn Marie Guthrie SPEARMAN - Evelyn Marie Guthrie, 77, died Tuesday, November 1, 1994.

Graveside services were Thursday at 2 p.m. in Hansford County Cemetery with Rev. Jeff Lust, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Guthrie was born in Hutchinson County and had been a lifetime resident of the area. She was a homemaker. A son, Lawton Guthrie, preceded her in death in 1991.

Survivors include a son, Kent Guthrie of Spearman; four grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Oma Wilson ERICK, Okla. - Oma Wilson, 82, a former resident, died Tuesday, November 1, in Amarillo.

Graveside services were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Erick Cemetery with her nephew, the Rev. Tom Lakey, and Inez Coffey officiating. Arrangements were by Fatheree-Albert Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wilson was born in Birta, Ark. She moved with her family to Erick in 1929. She worked as a seamstress in the McLean Bra Factory and later moved to McLean, Texas, where she lived until moving to Amarillo in 1981. She attended

the Assembly of God. She was preceded in death by her husband and son, George Carrol.

Survivors include four daughters, Verna Lemond, Karen Jones and Margie Mercer, all of Amarillo, and Julie Williams of Yuma, Ariz.; a son Jerry Wilson of Spearman, Texas; two sisters, Maudie Graham of Sayre and Dollie Lakey of Roswell, N.M.; five grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Faye Gillispie GRUVER - Faye Gillispie, 68, died Saturday, November 5.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Larry Miller, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Lieb Cemetery by Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger.

Mrs. Gillispie was a member of the First Baptist Church, the Music Club, Parent Teacher's Association, and Women's Bible Study. She married Jack Gillispie in 1942 at Gruver. She owned and operated Main Street Dress Store.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Dwight Gillispie of Morse and Bob Gillispie of Gruver; two daughters, Judy Stedje of Gruver and Linda Davis of Costa Rica; 10 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

7th graders slip by BR

Last Thursday evening, the Spearman 7th grade continued their rather lengthy winning streak by defeating the Boys Ranch Roughriders in Boys Ranch, 6-0.

Only one score, by Aaron Winegarner, was the deciding factor in the game. Winegarner has led this youngest Lynx team all year, and thanks to his efforts last night, the Lynx managed to squeeze by the Ranch.

Although Winegarner is one of the stand-outs of this team, he can not do all the winning on his own. Along with this superstar, several other players have contributed their talent throughout the year. They are Clayton Wilkerson, Josh Schumann, Christopher Schmehr,

Richard Goehring, Jeremy Mackie Gary Esley, Dustin Barber, Jaime McDonald, Aaron Hernandez, Julian Villarreal, Reagan Renner, Casey Villines, Mark Johnson, Mickey Schoenhals, Mark Matthews, Stephen Salgado, Cesar Moreno, Kelsey Henton, Micah Antalek, Joshua Lackey, Aaron Thompson, Evan Cudd, David Parker, Matthew Davis, Teddie Whitefield, Jerald Fight, Landon Delozier, Tommie Dewberry, Danny Davila, and Sean Baker.

The football team has done an excellent job all year, with Coach Gregg Gibson leading the way. They finished the season 7-1, with only a close loss to Gruver in their first game of the season.

Lynx

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the game, and Andy Bryd was forced to come in as captain for the Roughriders. On the very next play, Sanders, who also has been playing well all year, took advantage of the fresh newcomer and literally tore through the offensive line for an exceptional 11 yard sack. These two great plays gave the Lynx the ball back on the 44 yard line, as well as lifted their spirits.

With very little time left in the half and two superb runs by Moore for 12 yards, Coach Ric Smith then called on kicker Elliot to boot a 43 yard field goal. However, Elliot, who has hit field goals for at least 45 yards in pre-game, just barely missed the try, but a hard-blowing wind could have been the cause.

The miss gave the Ranch the ball back with just 1 second of time left in the half. To much of their dismay, Boys Ranch tried the long bomb, but thanks to the lightning legs of junior secondary Coyt Tigrett, the pass was quickly intercepted, and the half ended. The second quarter was scoreless, but the Lynx had the lead, 7-0.

Boys Ranch started off the second half much like they did the first; they got the ball rather quickly in the quarter.

This gave Boys Ranch the ball on the Spearman 20, but their good fortune would not last long. Thanks to another strong hold by the defense, in which McLeod and Jeremy Blan had a 10 yard sack, Boys Ranch gave the ball back to Spearman early in the quarter.

After Spearman could not move the ball either, and they punted it back to the Roughriders, Boys Ranch finally got some points on the board. For the score, Jason Gray took a short pass from Byrd to run the football 57 yards with 8:31 still left in the third. Labriola went on to kick the extra point, and the game was tied, 7-7.

On the ensuing kick-off to the Lynx, Wilkerson put Spearman in good field position by returning the ball all the way back to the 40 yard line. Wilkerson, who did his normal fancy footwork, gave Spear-

man their next score. After a flag on a good run by Wilky on the quarter back keeper for 20 yards, he managed only two plays later to do it again with 47 yard mad dash to the goal line. Elliot went on to boot the ball through the center of the up-rights, and the Lynx were ahead by 7.

Nonetheless, Boys Ranch answered back just three plays later with a score of their own. The score came a brilliant run by Venceil who took the ball easily in for the 10 yard score with 6:22 left in the third. The extra point try was slightly to the left, but Boys Ranch appeared to be on the comeback trail.

The next drive for Spearman ended in one of the most unusual plays all year. After a great pass from Wilkerson to Witten, who used his superior speed to run 64 yards and almost score another touchdown, a Boys Ranch player stripped the ball and it rolled into the end zone. From there another Ranch player kicked the ball out of the end zone, but according to the refs, since Boys Ranch was the last team to touch the pignote before it went out of bounds, they would gain possession.

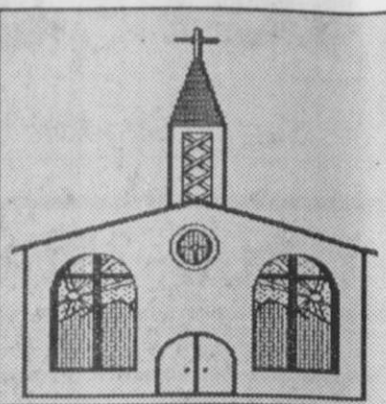
Jason Williams came into the ball game cold off the bench to replace a worn-out back. McLeod, still upset from the call by the refs, then exerted his energy on the newcomer and waylaid him for no gain. Due to this play, as well as an almost interception by Elliot, Boys Ranch was forced to punt with 2:56 left in the third.

The Lynx, who by now were totally pumped, then mounted a huge drive. This time it was Moore himself who took the 18 yard blast for the score with only 5 ticks left in the third. The 2-point conversion to Miller was just missed. Nonetheless, Spearman was roping the Ranch 20-13.

Boys Ranch and Spearman then exchanged punts, but the Lynx soon got the ball back thanks to a brilliant heads-up fumble recovery by Wilkerson which ended the game, 20-13.

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On Veterans Day, may we praise God for those men and women who returned...and pray for the souls of those who did not.

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Monday Chronicles 16:8-36
Tuesday Chronicles 29:1-25
Wednesday Psalm 135
Thursday Psalm 136
Friday Psalm 138
Saturday Nehemiah 12:27-43

In Spearman...

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Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sun.
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Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wednesday Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 7:30 Wednesday
Pastor Todd Lillard

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

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

Church of Christ
121 S. Haney • 659-3244
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Bible Study Wed. 7:30 p.m.
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Minister Arnis Pape

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Worship: 11 a.m.
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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
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