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Due to postal regulations we are unable to carry delinquent subscriptions longer than 30 days. We have not deleted any subscriptions for the past 5 months, however, due to lack of records of payments. With new postal regulations going into effect, we are having to delete all subscriptions after 30 days of the due date. All subscriptions due on or before May, 1996 will be deleted before next week's mailing. If your name is inadvertently deleted, please let us know. As stated before, we do not have any records prior to February, so there is no way for us to know if you have paid. Thank you, and we are sorry for any inconvenience.

Catherine Smith, Editor

Hansford Happenings

Spearman Boys Athletic Physicals

All athletes must receive physicals before they can participate in workouts or games! Physicals will be given Wednesday, July 31st at the High School Fieldhouse at the following times: In-coming 7th Graders - 1:00 p.m.; In-coming 8th Graders - 1:30 p.m.; Freshmen & Sophomores - 2:30 p.m.; Juniors & Seniors - 3:00 p.m. There will be no charge. If unable to be there at that time, you will have to make arrangements to get your physical done before the first workout.

Boy Scout Court of Honor

A Boy Scout Court of Honor ceremony will be held on Thursday, July 18th at 8:00 p.m. at the First National Bank.

Worker Protection Standards Training

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Spearman Heritage Throws

The Spearman Heritage Throws have been reordered. If you would like one of the Heritage Throws reserved for you, call the Chamber at 659-5555. All throws are navy.

3-on-3 Basketball Tournament

The 2nd Annual Spearman 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament will be held on Saturday, July 27, 1996. To register, or for more information, call Tracy Tigrett, Recreation Director, Spearman City Hall, at 659-2524. The entry deadline is Thursday, July 18, 1996.

4th Annual Golden Spread Senior Citizen Radio Auction

Next month it will be time for the 4th Annual Golden Spread Senior Citizen Center Radio Auction. This fundraiser, along with the membership dues and other grants, enables the Senior Center to continue the work they do in the community. Contributions to this year's auction will be greatly appreciated.

Defensive Driving

Independent Driving School will not hold a Defensive Driving Class in Spearman in July. The next class will be held in August. Call the Spearman Chamber of Commerce at 659-5555 to sign up or for more information.

Spearman Volunteer Fire Department Has Barbecue For Sale

The Spearman Volunteer Fire Department has Barbecue for sale at \$5.00 a pound, or 20 pounds or more for \$4.00 a pound. Call Randy Kirk or any fire fighter to purchase.

Pee Wee Football

Any boys that will be in grades 3rd-6th for the 1996-97 school year and are interested in playing pee wee football and/or any parents that would be willing to help organize, please call Rick Howard at 659-2875 or George Rex at 659-5210.

In The Panhandle

Amarillo Public Library's Central Library New Exhibit

A traveling exhibition, *No Traveler Remains Untouched: Journeys and Transformations in the American Southwest*, is currently located at Amarillo Public Library's Central Library at 413 E. Fourth. The impressive exhibit, designed to acquaint people with the Southwestern Writers Collection, was funded by The National Endowment for the Humanities and Southwest Texas State University, and will remain at Amarillo Public's Central Library through August 15. The exhibit is free and open to the public.

Dust Bowl Pictures Wanted

Did you or someone in your family live through the Dirty Thirties? Do you have family photos and landscapes of the thirties? Steward/Gazit Productions of New York is working on a documentary for public television about the Dust Bowl. They're seeking personal stories of what it was like to live and work during that period - whether as a farmer, a house wife, a businessman, etc. Call COLLECT at (212)865-4133 or go by the Hansford County Library and sign up.

2nd Annual Love's Golf Classic Benefiting The Boy Scouts of America

The members of the Lone Wolf District of the Golden Spread Council, BSA would like to invite everyone interested to participate in a 4 person scramble on Saturday, August 3rd at the Sunset Hills Golf Course in Guymon, OK. The entry deadline is Thursday, August 1st. Registration will be at 7:30 a.m. on August 3rd. Shotgun begins at 8:00 a.m. Minimum Team Handicap is 40 (Only one player less than 10 Hdcp). The cost is \$160 per team (\$40 per person), which includes green fees, cart, and lunch. Cash prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Additional prizes will be awarded for the Longest Drive and Closest to the Pin. The tournament is limited to the first 25 teams. All proceeds benefit the Boy Scouts of America.

Panhandle Veterans Hall of Fame

This is a reminder to all those wishing to nominate deserving veterans for induction into the Panhandle Veterans Hall of Fame. The cut-off date, (July 26), for submitting your nomination is fast approaching, and I want to encourage everyone to get their information to me as soon as possible. It would be very sad to let a deserving veteran go unrecognized for the lack of a little effort on our part. Nominations are to be sent to--Panhandle Hall of Fame, John L. Triplehorn, chairman, P.O. Box 657, Pampa, TX 79066. A banquet will be held August 16, 1996 at 7 p.m. in the Pampa VFW Post, 105 S. Cuyler. Tickets are \$10. each.

Barkley's Dancers Win At Danceamerica



Students of Carla's Dance Studio of Borger win at Dancamerica National finals at Orlando, Florida, and perform at Epcot in Disney World.

Students of Carla's Dance Studio of Borger went to the Dancamerica National finals at Orlando, Florida July 5-7th, the competition was held at the Buena Vista Palace, winning national championships were the dances:

"Boogie and Beethoven" in the clogging production category 1st place and \$200; Amanda Adams, Brooke Adams, Kelcee Barkley, Ashley Barton, Ashley Brain, Andraya Duke, Haley Farber, Glen Hicks, Cassidy Keifer, Amanda Hunt, Katie Lee, Haylee Lauren Rusten, Shannon Simdorn, Brittany Muller, Kristian Luginyhl, Cristine Nicholas, Wonder Shay, Tamra Walton.

1st place National Champion and \$200; "Old Enough to Know Better"; Ashley Brain, Ashley Barton, Amanda Hunt, Katie Lee, Cristine Nicholas, Kristian Luginyhl, Haylee Mills, Brittany Muller, Lauren Rusten, Shannon Simdorn.
2nd place; "Contrast" Intermediate line clogging - Amanda Adams, Brooke Adams, Kelcee Barkley, Glen Hicks,

Haley Farber, Andraya Duke, Cassidy Keifer, Wonder Shay, Tamra Walton.

2nd place; "Sold"; Intermediate small group clogging - Kelcee Barkley, Glen Hicks, Andraya Duke, Haley Farber, Cassidy Keifer, and Amanda Adams.

2nd place; T.R.O.U.B.L.E.; Kelcee Barkley - junior solo clogging

2nd place; "Baby, Baby" - Amanda Adams - intermediate solo clogging

2nd place; "I Want You Bad" - Haley Farber - senior solo clogging
5th place - senior solo open - "This is Halloween" - Cassidy Keifer

6th place - junior solo tap - "Free Ride" - Glen Hicks

7th place - junior duo-trio tap - "Bandstand Boogie" - Ashley Barton and Katie Lee

7th place - junior small group tap - "I've Got a Crush on you" - Glen Hicks, Andraya Duke, Amanda Adams, and Kelcee Barkley

9th place - "jump" - intermediate small group Jazz - Haley Farber, Cassidy Keifer, Amanda Adams, and Kelcee Barkley

The dance "Boogie and Beethoven" was chosen to be performed at Epcot. The dance was presented at the World Showcase Amphitheater, along with 35 other dances, which were chosen out of the 492 dances at the Dancamerica Nationals.

Dancers of Carla's Dance Studio were chosen to dance and open for the 3rd show. The dancers were:

Kelcee Barkley, Amanda Adams, Brooke Adams, Ashley Barton, Ashley Brain, Andraya Duke, Glen Hicks, Amanda Hunt, Katie Lee, Haley Farber, Cassidy Keifer, Haylee Mills, Kristian Luginyhl, Brittany Muller, Cristine Nicholas, Lauren Rusten, Shannon Simdorn, Wonder Shay and Tamra Walton. Instructor is Carla Barkley.

District Governor Visits Rotary



(L-R) Julie Sentell, Marvin Sentell, Rotary District Governor for District 5730, and Ginger Turner, Spearman Rotary President

Marvin Sentell, Rotary Club Governor for District 5730 for the 1996-97 fiscal year, was at the Spearman Rotary Club meeting on Monday, July 15th during a tour of the Panhandle Rotary clubs.

Mr. Sentell and his wife Julie live in Snyder, Texas, where Marvin is in the private practice of law. Julie is active in the firm, serving as Marvin's assistant and officer manager.

A member of the Snyder Rotary Club since 1988, Marvin has served the club as a director and

as president in 1993-94. He and Julie, also an active Rotarian, are ardent supporters of Rotary's Youth Exchange Program.

Marvin has been active in several civic organizations, and currently serves as a director on the Snyder Area Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, director and president of Historic Scurry County, Inc., and a director in the Children's Trust Fund of Texas Family PRIDE Council. He is also active in his church, where he serves on the Finance Committee.

OPSU Offers New Degree

Oklahoma Panhandle State University has been granted authority to offer the BS degree in nursing, beginning in the 1996-97 school year. The Oklahoma State regents for Higher Education approved this authority at their meeting in Oklahoma City on June 28, 1996. The nursing degree at OPSU will be a "two plus two" program, in which there will be multiple levels of both entry and exit for students.

"This is a tremendous opportunity for Panhandle State University," said Dr. John W. Goodwin, President of OPSU. "It will allow the institution to meet a critical need in our region. Hospitals in the High Plains region have experienced continuing difficulty in hiring and retraining nurses. With the rapid population growth in the area, this problem can only become more difficult. Panhandle State now has the capability to address this problem. Regent Joe Mayer of Guymon has been enormously helpful in securing this authority for OPSU."

The technical branch of Oklahoma State University in Oklahoma City will provide a two-year associate degree program in Goodwell via distance

learning technology for the didactic portions of the course work, utilizing local personnel and facilities for the clinical portions. OPSU will provide the general education portions of the first two years of the program.

The second two years (the "plus two") for the BS degree in nursing will be provided by OPSU. This program will be available to people who have completed the Associate Degree in Nursing or those who have completed Registered Nurse training programs, allowing them to utilize the training they already have acquired in completing the Bachelors degree. A third dimension of the program is under study by the State Regents' staff, evaluating the potential for OPSU offering the "plus two" baccalaureate program on the OPSU technical campus in Oklahoma City. In this case, OPSU would offer the upper division courses via distance learning, technology, utilizing facilities and personnel in Oklahoma City for the clinical courses. General education courses in Oklahoma City would be provided by one of the local four-year campuses.



Gruber North Plains Home Health Employees Donated 300.00 to the Gruber EMS Services to help with needs that arise. They are proud of the Gruber EMS and All of those associated with the Service and hope this donation will help keep the EMS Service updated for the community. Without the EMS System many Gruber residents would have been without Emergency Medical help. Employees of NPHH want to Show Appreciation to the professionals of Gruber EMS and say Thank You for a Job Well Done.

Brown Family Requests Letters

Family members of Robert (Bobby) Brown, formerly of Spearman, are requesting letters and prayers to help him get through the next few years. His address is Robert Brown, #7399512004, Lamesa Hwy., Brownfield, TX 79316.

Agriculture News

Laugh and Live

by Gary Smith

gcs@arn.net



When I was growing up we had elephant jokes. My son does not like elephants as much as he does dinosaurs. I like him better than I do elephants or dinosaurs. So, for Clayton (and any other of my friends between the ages of 5 and 10), here are the best eight dinosaur jokes I have ever heard.

Q. How can you tell if there is a dinosaur in bed with you?
A. By the 'D' on his pajamas.

Q. Where does a Tyrannosaurus sit when he comes to stay?
A. Anywhere he wants to.

Q. What did they call prehistoric sailing disasters?
A. Tyrannosaurus wrecks.

Q. How do you know if there is a brachiosaurus in bed with you?
A. By the dinosnores.

Q. Can you name 10 dinosaurs in 10 seconds?
A. Yes, 8 iguanadons and 2 stegasaurus.

Q. What do dinosaurs have that no other animals have?
A. Baby Dinosaurs.

Q. What do you call a dinosaur as tall as a house, with long sharp teeth, and 12 claws on each foot?
A. Sir.

Q. What do you call a dinosaur as tall as a house, with long sharp teeth, 12 claws on each foot and a personal stereo over his ears?
A. Anything you like, he won't hear you!

Q. What do you get if you cross a mouse with a triceratops?
A. Enormous holes in the base board.

Until the next time,
May God Bless
GCS

Thank You

We would like to thank everyone who came to be at our side, and those who remembered us in their prayers after the loss of our youngest child, Taylor.

For the last 18 months we have been in and out of Children's Hospital in Dallas where we have learned that the bravest and brightest are the children. The only sadness that can be seen there is in the eyes of parents. Our little Taylor was no exception, and she touched many lives with her smile and her bright eyes. Some have asked members of our family about memorials to Taylor and we think a good place would be Children's Hospital in Dallas. It is a very special place where the surroundings and the staff are geared up just for the kids.

Our Taylor is with her maker now and she is OK, but there are so many others who still need our help. The phone number for the Children's Hospital is (214) 640-2000.

Again, Connie, Trae, Tarryn, and I would just like for everyone to know that the outpouring of love and caring after Taylor's death was simply overwhelming, and we truly appreciate it.

From all the members of our families, Thank You.
Trae, Tarryn, Connie & Monty Dixon; Perry & Mary Dixon; Ron Gibson; Raye & Helen Gibson; Joyce Dixon; George & Ronda Jennings

by Burt Williams

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Cattle Prices Update

Outlook Information by Texas Ag Extension Service

Four factors are going to affect calf and stocker prices this fall:

1. Corn crop - right now, the acreage in corn will alleviate some pressure on new crop prices if there are no adverse weather problems from now on out. Currently, the weather conditions are very good for the Corn-Belt. If conditions continue and a good crop is harvested, this will be supportive of both calf and feeder cattle prices.

2. High Plains precipitation - a major factor that depressed calf prices last fall was the poor outlook for winter grazing. We need some moisture to improve outlook for winter grazing. We need some moisture to improve planting conditions for wheat this fall. The central Texas winter pasture area is dry right now and needs moisture. Dryland wheat in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas will need rains to continue improving soil moisture for early planted wheat for grazing. The rains that are currently falling in the Panhandle and Oklahoma will be of some help but we still have 6-8 weeks before planting and we could lose any moisture.

3. Fed cattle market - due to the feeding costs in the past several months, our cattle on feed numbers have dwindled. This is supporting prices for fed cattle and has strengthened the outlook for the fall fed cattle prices (October futures are near \$69/cwt). Low occupancy in the yards and some promise for lower grain prices may support demand and prices for feeders this fall. We just need to keep moving meat.

4. Feeder cattle supplies - There are large number of feeders out on pasture across the country. When these start coming in this fall, feeder prices could soften. Again, the corn outlook will play a role in just how soft feeder prices become.

North Plains PET Network Weather Station, Morse, TX

Date	PET in.	Temperatures (F)		Soil 2 in.	Min. 6 in.	Prec. in.	
		Max	Min				
07/14/96	.21	81	60	68	71	0.00	
07/15/96	.24	88	60	66	71	0.00	
07/16/96	.28	91	67	70	73	0.00	
10-day avg. min. soil temp							70 73

Date	Seed	Acc	Growth	Short Season Var.		Water	Use
				3 day	7 day		
04/15/96	1870	Bliester	.36	.32	.24	21.2	
05/01/96	1666	Silk	.36	.32	.23	16.7	

Date	Seed	Acc	Growth	Long Season Var.		Water	Use
				3 day	7 day		
04/15/96	1870	Silk	.36	.32	.24	21.2	
05/01/96	1666	Tassel	.35	.32	.23	16.7	

Date	Seed	Acc	Growth	Short Season Var.		Water	Use
				3 day	7 day		
05/15/96	1589	Flag	.26	.23	.17	11.4	
06/01/96	1199	GPD	.22	.20	.14	7.0	

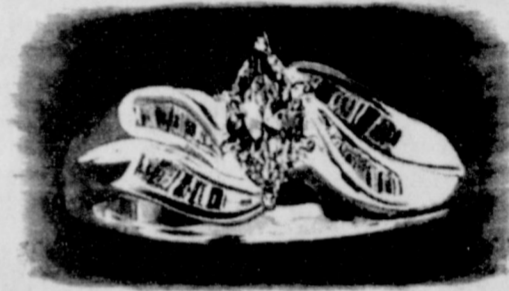
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				3 day	7 day		
05/15/96	1589	Flag	.26	.23	.16	10.5	
06/01/96	199	5-leaf	.19	.17	.13	6.6	

You are cordially invited to attend a Bridal Shower

honoring
Denise Rojas
bride-elect of Jorge Arenivar

on
Sunday, July 21st
from 2:00-4:00 p.m.

in the First State Bank Hospitality Room
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The Hansford County Community Calendar

July 18-August 1

Thursday, July 18

2:00 p.m. - Gladiola Flower to meet in home of Virginia Trindle
Deadline to enter the 2nd Annual Spearman 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament. To register, or for more information, call Tracy Tigrett, Recreation Director, Spearman City Hall, at 659-2524.

6:30 p.m. - Spearman Swim Team Family Picnic, Swimming Pool Park

8:00 p.m. - Boy Scout Court of Honor, First National Bank

Sunday, July 21

3:00 p.m. - Hansford Manor Church Service, Trinity Community Church

Monday, July 22-Thursday, July 25

9:00-4:30 - Cub Scout Camp - Perryton

Monday, July 22-Friday, July 26

10:00-12:00 - First United Methodist Church Vacation Bible School

Saturday, July 27

2nd Annual Spearman 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament

Sunday, July 28

3:00 p.m. - Hansford Manor Church Service, First United Methodist Church of Spearman

Wednesday, July 31

Spearman Athletic Physicals at High School Fieldhouse, see Hansford Happenings for times

Thursday, August 1

11:00 a.m. - Hansford Co. Extension Service will host a Worker Protection Standard Safety Training meeting for farm workers and employers in the County barn in Spearman, Texas.

You are cordially invited to attend a
Wedding Shower
honoring
Cinda Turner
bride-elect of Jack Wolf

on

Monday, July 29th
from 7:00-8:30 p.m.
in the home of Mrs. Hoyt Biles
given by hostesses

For The Bride & Groom

Come by and let us help you set up your special gift table
Couples Currently Registered

- Denise Rojas & Jorge Arenivar • July 21'
- Jami (Ralston) & Josh Conner • July 27'
- Cinda Turner & Jack Wolf • July 29'
- Alan Howell & Martha Arias • Aug. 5'
- Haley Shieldknight & Joel Shields • Aug. 10'
- Clint Patterson & Anna Bredenburg • Aug. 17'
- Mark & Karen Garnett • Aug. 24'
- Marci Womble & Matt Barnes
- Melodie Schumann & Khris Kelp
- Caleb & Ashly (Shieldknight) Patterson

Date of Bridal Shower

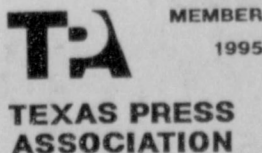
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Happy Birthday!

July 18

Birthdays - Trixie Holt, Lisa Salmons, Maria Vela Acevedo, Linda McCoy, Chris McClellan, Greg Meek, Sonny Patterson, and Shanda Denee Graham

Anniversaries - Jim and Laquita Evans, Scott and Maria Bullard, and Tracy and Angela Graham

July 19

Birthdays - June Barkley, Joe Lopez Jr., Ronnie Williams, Floyd Hull, L.L. Anthony, Robert Novak, Vincent Garcia, Blake Beedy, Mark Avila, Pauline Nava, and Opal Petree

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Wooley, Don and Carolyn Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Corky Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Shearer, and Mr. and Mrs. Major Lackey

July 20

Birthdays - Elaine Rogers, Arlo Shearer, Mary Cates, Vic Schuman, Virginia White, Thomas Reed, Cal Nava, Mary Barnes, Meli Floyd Burgess, Bruce Bailey, Neale Estes, and Sylvia Herera

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Rick and Jan Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Archer Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Mike Garnett, and Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Thomas

July 21

Birthdays - Tashia Haight, Larry Kennedy, Clint Lilley, Trevor Shearer, Earl Goodheart, Jewell Turner, Pat Sloan, Ross Donahue, Josephine Schneider, Kirk Davis, Jessica Wooley, Ron Robinson, Barbara Farr, Larry Blackwell, Mary K. Harbour, Van Bradford, Ty Seagler, and Matt Salazar

Anniversaries - Jeff and Michelle Beedy, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reyes, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hull

July 22

Birthdays - Mrs. Gene Cudd, Robert Reid, Joe Cole, Herb Kirk, Tiffany Hand, Luke Pittman, Ben Arthur, Flayvil Ayers, Freddie Largent, and Edith Phillip

Anniversaries - Walter and

Dorothy Wooley, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayhew

Birthdays - T.J. Bergin, Linda Beeson, Becky Leach, Peggy Winegarner, Travis Bennett, and Elivina Rodriguez

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Swink and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barkley

July 24

Birthdays - Kaylee Holt, Christina Sanchez, Neil Pack, Irvan Barber, Tammy Freman, Glen Ray Mackie, Maria Arjona, Ray Gressett, Sophia Salgado, Mary McIntyer, Wanda Schubert, Nathan Pipkin, Mary Martinez, Aaron Winegarner, and Adam Cherry

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. David Flowers

July 25

Birthdays - Jack Henson, Billy Kelly, Jay Sherill, Kerri Lynn Collins, John Cowan, Rick Garrard, Robbie Butts, Dixie Tracy, J. B. Buchanan, Charles Baker, Shanna DeArmond Kenney, Myrtle Ware, Alicia Langston, Ginger Turner, Karen Reimer, John C. Lieb, and Austin Beck

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henson, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pearson

July 26

Birthdays - Raquel Matthews, George P. Odum, P.D. Swink, Richard Winter, Jolain Ball, Jerry Long, Nell Benton, Ronnie Bullard, Mrs. J.D. Wilbanks, Tammi Holmes, Traci Scribner, Misty Payne, Cayla Smith, Oscar Valdez, Mini Largent, Dede Dellarosa, and Jennifer Covington

Anniversaries - Mr. and Mrs. Ned Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Geogre Rook, Mr. and Mrs. Sergio Vaquera, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Turner, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stayton

Every person in this world is a dream of God.

Our Sympathy

Andrew C. Bort

Andrew C. Bort, 76, died Tuesday, July 9, 1996.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. Fernand Couture officiating. Burial was in Gruver Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home Inc.

Mr. Bort was born in Okmulgee, OK, and had lived in Gruver since 1962. He married Jeanette L. Infelife in 1945. He was a veteran of the Army Air Corps, serving from 1941 to 1945. He was the insurance and sales business.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Arthur Bort of Amarillo, Robert Bort of Canyon and Stephen Bort of Denver; a daughter, Anne Rasor of Pensacola, Fla.; a brother, John E. Bort of Littleton, CO; and seven grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Sacred Heart Catholic Church or the Christo Redemptor Mission in Gruver.

Taylor Ray Bradley

Taylor Ray Bradley, 5, of Amarillo, died Tuesday, July 9, 1996.

Memorial services were held at noon Friday in Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors, Memorial Chapel, with Jeff Asher of Dumas Drive Church of Christ officiating.

Taylor was born in Amarillo, where he had been a lifetime resident. He attended Bushland preschool and Dumas Drive Church of Christ.

Survivors include his parents, Chris and Jan Bradley; a brother, Nathan Bradley of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bradley who were longtime residents of Hansford County and now live at Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons, also of Amarillo; a great-grandmother, Vernis Parsons of Hereford; and a great-aunt, Nancy Bursley of Amarillo.

The family requests memorials be to Crown of Texas Hospice or the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

Ron Lewis Laxson

Ron Lewis Laxson, 47, died Friday, July 12, 1996.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in First United Methodist Church at Spearman with the Rev. Jeff Lust, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Gruver Cemetery at Gruver by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home of Spearman.

Mr. Laxson was born in Fort Worth. He played on the Gruver state champion basketball team of 1966 and graduated from Gruver High School in 1967. He was waste water management supervisor for the city of Dalhart for many years and was past president of Dalhart Little League baseball.

Survivors include two sons, Chris Laxson and Randy Laxson, both of San Antonio; two daughter, Kelly Laxson and Lisa Bilbrey, both of Amarillo; his mother, Charlene Laxson of Spearman; a sister, Paulette Laxson of Spearman; and two brothers, Jim Laxson of Arlington and Richard Laxson of Borger.

Allene Gipson Close

Allene Gipson Close, 71, died Wednesday, July 10, 1996.

Graveside services were held at 2:00 p.m. at the Holt Cemetery, rural Hutchinson County, with the Rev. Kyle Henderson officiating. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mrs. Close was born in Oklahoma, June 10, 1925 and had lived in the area since 1945. She married Floyd Close on July 7, 1945 in Guymon, OK. He preceded her in death. She was a secretary for H & H

Waterwell Service and retired in 1986 and was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Sharion Cook and D'Anda Widener both of Spearman, TX; one sister Doris Parker of Canyon, TX; and five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to Hansford Hospice or one's favorite charity.

Thank You

Words cannot express how much we appreciate all the wonderful acts of kindness you have shown our mother during her illness and through our loss. All the prayergrams, cards, visits, and calls helped her so much. All the food, flowers, cards, and memorials were wonderful. We especially want to thank the wonderful staff of Hansford Hospice and Hansford Hospital for the kind personal care she received. Thank you so much for everything and may the Lord bless each of you.

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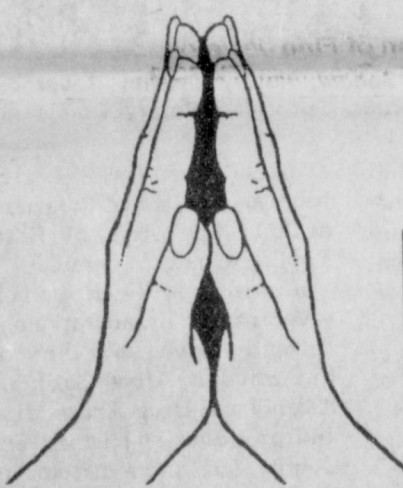
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Focus On The Family

QUESTION: What are some of the factors that hinder parents from building their child's self-esteem?

DR. DOBSON: In a very real sense, parents have systematically been taught to worship beauty and brains, as everyone else has. So have our grandmothers, grandpoppas, uncles, aunts, cousins and neighbors.

We all want super children who will amaze the world. Let's face it, folks: we have met the enemy, and it is us.

Often the greatest damage is unintentionally inflicted right in the home, which should be the child's sanctuary and fortress. Furthermore, I have observed in working with parents that their own feelings of inferiority make it difficult for them to accept gross imperfections in their children. They don't intend to reject their sons and daughters, and they work hard to conceal these inner thoughts, but their "damaged" child symbolizes their own personal inadequacies and failures. Thus, it takes a very mature parent to look down upon an unattractive child, or one who is clearly deficient in mentality, and say, "Not only do I love you, little one, but I recognize your immeasurable worth as a human being."

The first step in overcoming this bias is to examine your own feelings—even be willing to expose those guilt-laden attitudes which previously may have been unconscious. Are you secretly disappointed because your child is so ordinary? Have you rejected him, at times, because of his lack of appeal and charm? Do you think he is dumb and stupid? Was he born during a difficult time, imposing financial and physical stress on the family? Did you want a girl instead of a boy? Or a boy instead of a girl? Was the child conceived out of wedlock, forcing an unwanted marriage? Do you resent the freedom you lost when he came, or the demands he places on your time and effort? Does he embarrass you by being either too loud and rambunctious or too inward and withdrawn?

Quite obviously, you can't teach a child to respect himself when you dislike him for reasons of your own! By examining your innermost feelings, perhaps with the help of an understanding counselor or doctor, you can make room in your heart as a loving parent for your less-than-perfect youngster. After all, what right do we have to demand super children when we are so ordinary ourselves!

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Museum usings



by Joanne Eaton

A new display at Fort Zulu is the miniature house called Vernon House, handcrafted by Terry Vernon. Terry is the youngest son of the late G.N. (Pete) Vernon and Ivan Vernon Allen.

Vernon House was designed by U.K. Langford of Creative Accents in Amarillo, Texas.

The house is completely furnished, as is the yard. The furniture was obtained from many different places. The brass bed was bought from Michael's in Amarillo. The phonograph was from Farmer's Market in New Orleans, Louisiana. The lamps and tables were obtained at Red River, New Mexico. The Christmas tree came from Hickerson's Jewelry in Spearman. The Rittens, dog, and babies were bought in Amarillo, at the Doll House, as was the copper tea kettle.

Ivan has spent many hours planning the Vernon House. She also crocheted very intricate throw-rugs to decorate the house.

Some of the things in the house have been gifts. Rose Roberts, of Spearman, gave Ivan a silver tea set.

Outside the house, there are utility poles with lines. A trash can set at the back door.

Many other treasures grace this house, so be sure to go by Fort Zulu to see it.

We thank Ivan for letting us

We take for granted the very things that most deserve our gratitude.

Cynthia Prick

display her house. It's always nice when other people let the rest of us enjoy their things too.

My grandson, Brant Fuller, age 11 was with us last week. I took him through the Museum. It always amazes me the different things children like. Of course his favorite thing was the caboose.

Then he liked some of the Indian tents or dwellings that different school children made. He had a look of horror and disbelief when I explained to him what a "chamber pot" was.

I toured the Discovery Center Sunday with daughter, Cayla Schroeder, and her son Blayne. They have a dinosaur display until September. The Discovery Center is a real learning experience. As I was wandering around, it reminded me of what a learning experience the Museum is. We can learn how our ancestors lived and see the things they used. Be sure to take your children by the Museum to learn about the past. A lot of mothers can't find things to keep their children busy in the summer; therefore, a trip to the Museum would be a nice addition to summer plans, especially on rainy days.

The Museum is open from 1:00 until 5:00 Tuesday through Saturday. Special tours can be arranged by calling Rubyjo or J.D. Wilbanks at 659-3084, Clementine Renner at 659-2335, or Helen Boyd at 733-2777.

A Center Piece

by Garland Hopper

The Fourth of July has passed and apparently no serious injuries occurred in our area. Several Senior Citizens commented how they enjoyed the fireworks at Palo Duro Lake. The lake area was beautiful and the weather great. The Seniors thank the Gruver and Spearman Chambers of Commerce for an enjoyable outing.

July 15, the Golden Spread Senior Citizens board met with Bob Boxwell, Arbeta Nobles, Helen Etter, Rose Lee Butt, Carolyn Cummings, Charles Brillhart, Marsha Murphy, Gene Cudd, Jimmy Vernon, and Pearl Pierce present. The Radio Auction to be held August 8th and 9th was the main topic of discussion.

Carolyn Cummings has really been working hard for this event. Help from Arbeta Nobles resulted

in sending letters to businesses and crafters. Follow-up visits are being made by board members. A lot of work goes into preparations for the auction that is not realized by people not involved.

A number of donations have been made. Among those included a hand crocheted full size Afghan, a hand crocheted baby Afghan, Tuff Track Tricycle, pizzas, gift certificates, matching ladies and mens watches, Noah's Ark basket, clock radio, dozen red roses, white latex magnolia swag, gas, oil, quilt kit, paint, and a beautiful bracelet. This list is only a few of the items to let you have an idea of what one can look forward to seeing. The auction has promise of being two fun filled days.

Vacations, weather, and ill health has resulted in a decrease of Tuesday night attendance. Although the group is small, one

hears a lot of healthy laughter. For Seniors 50 and over, there is plenty of room to eat, play games, and enjoy fellowship with new and old friends.

The "Blossoms of Love" quilt is ready for the quilter. The nearer to completion, the prettier the top became. The suspense of seeing the finished beauty is hard to bear!

This month has five Tuesdays! That means that July 30 the First State Bank will treat the Seniors to another fish fry. They always do a top-notch job. So! Bring your favorite fish side dish and enjoy a delicious dinner. Games will follow.

Condolences are for those who recently lost loved ones. Be sure to thank God for all the beautiful rain he has sent our way. **MAY HE CONTINUE TO BLESS OUR COUNTRY.**

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Engagement Announcement

Robert and Martha L. Arias of Miami, FL, announce the engagement of their daughter Martha Arias to Alan Howell. Alan is the son of Dwight and Suzanne Gillispie of Morse, TX. The couple plan to be wed August 10, 1996 at the First United Methodist Church in Spearman. The bride-elect is a graduate of McMurry University with a B.A. in Psychology and Hardin Simmons University with M.Ed. in Counseling. She is an Assistant Dean of Student Affairs - McMurry University. The prospective groom is a graduate of McMurry University with a B.S. in Biology. He is currently a medical student at the University of Texas-Houston.



Engagement Announcement

Charles Shieldknight of Spearman and Hazel Shieldknight also of Spearman announce the engagement of their daughter Haley Gretchen to Joel Brant Shields. Joel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Shields of Spearman. The couple plan to be wed August 24, 1996 at the Church of Christ. The bride-elect is a Spearman High School graduate and currently living at College Station where she received a double degree in accounting and finances from Texas A & M University. She is currently employed at Texas Engineering Experiment Station with the accounting department. The prospective groom is a Spearman High School graduate and currently pursuing a degree in animal science at Texas A&M University. He is presently employed at Texas A & M Veterinarian School.



Engagement Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dale Moyer of Dumas, proudly announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melissa Diane, to Olen (Bubba) Cargill II. He is the son of Sheryl Cole of Fort Worth and Olen Cargill I of Dumas. Melissa is a senior of Dumas High and a CNA at Dumas Nursing Center. She is formerly of Spearman. Bubba is a 1994 graduate of Boys Ranch and works for Cargill Construction.

Thank You

The Hansford Hospice Volunteers would like to thank the Hansford County Citizens for their very generous support of our Hospice program. When we began the Hospice program five years ago in May of 1991, we never dreamed that the program would receive the level of support that you have given us. Thank you for all your words of encouragement, the donations and memorials, and all the many ways the community has embraced this program. If you would like to join us, we always need more volunteers. Our next meeting will be August 19th. Come and join us and learn more about our Hansford Hospice. Please call the Hospice office 659-2535 for more information about becoming a volunteer. (Ask for Sherri Sherill.)

Out At The Lake



by Dorothy Hudson
Lake Depth—July 15, 1996—34 feet and 2 inches

This is the third highest water level since the dam was closed on May 22, 1991. June of that year brought the highest level yet—36 feet and five inches. Then in 1992, the second highest level came with 35 feet and 4 inches. It is wonderful to see the Lake with this much water. The Park is beautiful, too, as the 5.6 inches of rain has given it a green, green look.

Jim's pictures this week are of the 21 inches walleye caught by Rex Reid of Gruver. The twelve year old boys holding it are Rex's son Chase and a friend, James Crow. The boy from Borger with the 18 inch blue catfish caught in the children's pond has not been identified.

The No Fires signs have been taken down and Road Closed signs have been put up where the Lake is over the caliche road on the west side.

After the discussion of rattlesnakes swallowing their young to protect them, I checked out from the Gruver Public Library J. Frank Dobie's book *Rattlesnakes*

to see if he had written on the subject. One of the Chapter is entitled *Do Rattlesnakes Swallow Their Young?*

He had written in four Texas newspapers on this subject in 1942 and had quoted the same authority that I used, Raymond Ditmars, a world renowned herpetologist. Several people wrote to tell of their experiences of seeing a rattlesnake swallow its young. The stories were very similar to the TeBeest and Jarvis stories. In any of the stories did anyone see the baby rattlesnakes crawl out when danger was past? Most killed the rattlesnake, cut it open, and then killed the baby snakes.

For anyone interested in rattlesnakes, I recommend the book.

At The Movies

The Hunchback of Notre Dame (G) - A cheery version of the dark Victor Hugo novel, complete with singing, dancing gargoyles who love to make wise cracks. (May frighten very young children.)

Eraser (R) - Arnold Schwarzenegger is a one-man witness-protection program for Vanessa Williams. (Violence, action, language.)

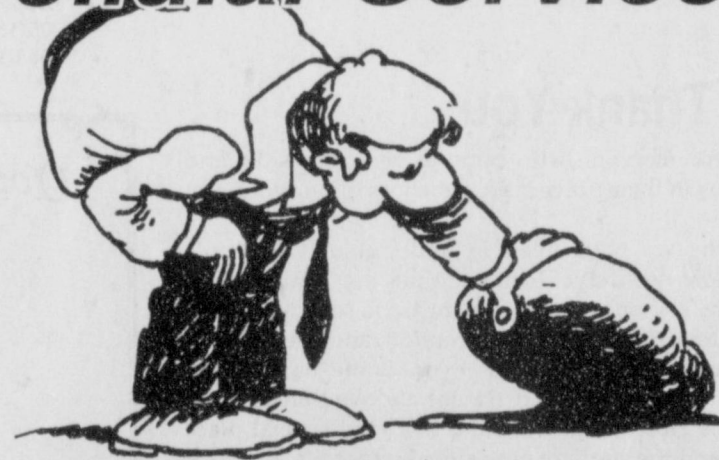
It's A Girl!

David and Melinda are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, **Abigail Grace Hall**. She was born on July 15 at 9:33 a.m. in San Marcos, TX. She weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Charles and Carol Hall of Spearman, Ross and Martha King of San Marcos, and Robert Windguard of Denver, CO. Great-grandparents are Margi Hall of Altus, OK, and Elgin and Hazel Garrison of Merced, CA.

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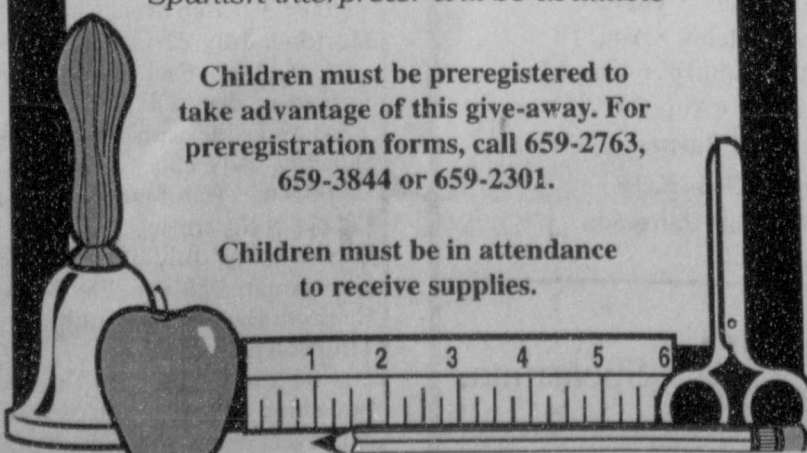
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Sam's Corner

by Sharon Moore

There is an individual in this town whom we all know; she gets up at 3 a.m. (and earlier) every single day throughout the entire year. Now stop and think how many days there are in a year! This lady is our Amarillo Daily News carrier for the Amarillo Newspaper. She is the one who sees that each of us gets our paper each and every morning, plus fills the newspaper machines all over town that carry the paper, so by 5:30 (and never later than 6:00 a.m.) each of us can sit back and enjoy a cup of coffee and read our paper.

The Amarillo Daily News is "my ears" - since I cannot hear the TV and we do not have a closed caption one. So, while I'm waiting for my closed caption TV, I get all the news from reading it. That is the highlight of each day for me, and I'm pretty certain it is for many other people in this town, also.

All during the winter, through ice, snow, fog, rain - you name it, not one time did we miss getting a paper. Many, many times we've gotten up and found it pouring rain and our paper wrapped in plastic to keep it dry so it could be read (which takes a lot of extra effort, work and time, on this dear woman's part). She could just as easily throw it into the gutter, but she never does. She does this as a service, to keep us informed of what's happening on a day-to-day basis around us. We appreciate this good service. In addition to her paper route each morning, she has raised a houseful of fine children at the same time, as well as being a full time housewife. This cannot be easy!

We only have one Daily News carrier here and most of us know who she is. She is to be commended for her excellent service and is a very good example for what I am writing about - teaching responsibility to our children.

No matter what one has to do in his job - if that person is dependable and does his best, he is sure to be rewarded someday in some manner. And a child needs to learn this early in life.

This characteristic, called responsibility, has to be developed very early. Even if it's just mowing yards, running the sweeper, clearing the table, driving a tractor or anything else, a child should be encouraged to work and do a good job. But, teaching and motivating takes time and lots of patience on the parents part.

When our children were small I used to give our daughter and son an allowance for taking the trash out, dusting, picking up their things every night before bedtime, doing the dishes and the responsibility in the care of all our animals. They grew up knowing that taking care of an

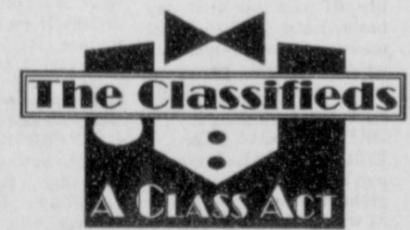
animal meant more than just setting down a bowl of food and a bucket of water. They always knew if they did a good job, they would get a little "extra" on their allowance and this helped to motivate them. They always worked enthusiastically and did a good job because they knew if they didn't they'd just have to do it all over, plus they would not get their extra allowance at the end of each week. They were always so excited about having money of "their own" to spend on whatever caught their eye. That is motivation in action! They felt a little independent and were acquiring a sense of responsibility. Unless children are taught at a young age, they grow up to be selfish and totally irresponsible in later years.

Some parents today are too busy to take the time to teach their children to do things around the house, let alone out of the home. Some say, "It's just so much easier to do it myself than to see that they carry through with their chores." So, their children grow expecting "ALL" and giving "Nothing" in return. (I think this is one reason our society today has so many problems with juveniles.) So, if your children need a little nudge, remind them about a fabulous lady who sees that each of us gets our daily paper. She always manages to come through, and be a mom and wife, too.

We should all appreciate Elaine Swan, because without her we would not receive a paper to linger over with our early morning coffee. (I read mine from front to back to and between, so I will at least know something about what is happening, not only in our great Texas Panhandle, but all over the world also. This means a great deal to me now, especially since our only son is serving in the US Marines.) She helps to bring me my "ears" of the country and world. For that I am deeply grateful.

So - now once again I shall leave you in Sam's Corner. All of you should think of who you would choose as a good example of responsibility for your children. Till next time, all my love, Sam.

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Swim Team Takes 3rd In Home Meet



The Spearman Swim Team hosted a swim meet in Spearman on July 13, 1996. The team placed 3rd Overall. These are the individual results.

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Girls -- Abby Winegarner - 3rd-25 free, 2nd-25 fly, 1st-25 back, 2nd-100 IM; Amy Boyd, Jessica Riley, Melissa Lesly, Laura Gomez - 5th-100 free relay.

Boys -- Jarik Howard - 4th-25 free, 2nd-25 fly, 6th-25 back, 1st-100 Medley relay; Jarry Francis -

4th-25 fly, 3rd-25 breast, 1st-100 Medley relay; Stuart Martin - 6th-25 free, 5th-25 breast, 1st-100 Free relay; Clayton Smith - 1st-100 Free relay; Travis Sander - 3rd-25 free, 5th-25 fly, 5th-25 back, 2nd-25 breast, 1st-100 Medley relay; Jeff Whitworth - 1st-25 free, 1st-25 fly, 2nd-25 back, 1st-100 Medley relay; Ryan Ramon - 1st-100 Free relay.

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Girls -- Keilee Goodheart - 3rd-50 fly, Division II, 6th-50 back,

2nd-50 breast, Division I, 2nd-50 free, 5th-100 IM; Jentry Edwards - 1st-50 free, Division II, 1st-50 back, Division II, 1st-50 fly, Division I, 1st-100 free, Division II, 1st-100 IM, Division I; Nicole Sander, Christina Ochoa, Emily Longoria, Heather Hamilton - 6th-200 Free relay.

Boys -- Taylor Simpson - 2nd-50 free, Division II, 1st-50 fly, Division I and **new pool record**, 2nd-50 back, 6th-50 breast, 3rd-100 IM.

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Girls -- Audrey Winegarner - 5th-50 back, 5th-50 breast, Division II, 2nd-200 Medley relay; Amber Elliott - 2nd-200 Medley relay, 1st-50 free, Division I, 3rd-50 fly, Division I, 3rd-50 back, Division II.

Boys -- Daniel Longoria - 5th-50 back; Colton Miller - 4th-50 free, Division II, 3rd-50 fly, Division II, 3rd-50 breast, Division II, 2nd-100 free, Division II, 1st-400 free, Division II.

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Boys -- David Parker - 3rd-200 Free relay, 3rd-200 Medley relay;

Timmy Bynum - 3rd-200 Free relay, 3rd-200 Medley relay, 4th-100 free.

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Girls -- Brooke Trantham - 1st-100 fly, Division I and **new pool record**, 2nd-200 Medley relay, 2nd-200 Free relay; Lindsey Smith - 2nd-200 Medley relay, 2nd-200 free relay, 4th-50 free; Jocelyn Edwards - 2nd-200 Medley relay, 2nd-200 Free relay, 3rd-100 fly, 2nd-200 free, 3rd-50 free; Michele Elliott - 2nd-200 Medley relay, 2nd-200 Free relay, 1st-50 free, Division II and **new pool record**, 1st-100 back, Division I and **new pool record**, 1st-400 free.

Boys -- Landon Miller - 2nd-200 Free relay, 2nd-200 Medley relay, 4th-50 free, Division II, 4th-100 free, 2nd-200 free; Michael Lusby - 2nd-200 Free relay, 2nd-200 Medley relay; Dillon Miller - 2nd-200 Free relay, 2nd-200 Medley relay, 5th-50 free, Division I, 3rd-100 free.

Also participating were: Nicole Ramon, Kylee Howard, Jessica Brown, Amy Brown, Bond Pittman, and Megan Whitworth.

Public Notice

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ORDER OF SALE

The State of Texas: Greetings to any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas

Whereas Bobby Gene Johnson, Plaintiff, and Joyce Lamb Jennings, Defendant, on the 19th day of April, 1996, in the Honorable 84th Judicial District Court of Hansford County, Texas, in Cause No. 3747, in the estates of James Nelson (J.N.)

Lamb, Deceased and Laura Lamb Johnson, Deceased received an agreed decree of partition and distribution and order of sale of real property.

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Lots 2 and 3 Block 2, McLain Subdivision of Out-Lot 37, lying adjacent to the Town of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas as shown by Plat recorded in Vol. 30, page 84, Deed Records, Hansford County, Texas and described in Warranty deed to Laura Ruth Lamb, dated 9-15-59, recorded in Vol. 65, page 97, Deed Records, Hansford County, Texas.

The proceeds of sale of the immediately foregoing tract shall be divided as follows: 50% to Plaintiff as his sole and separate property

and 50% to Defendant as her sole and separate property.

House located on a portion of Out-Lot 38, lying adjacent to the City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, such portion being described in Deed dated 4-13-44 from Bert E. Briley et ux Edna Briley, found at Vol. 48, page 479 of the Deed Records of Hansford County, Texas, a Deed from R.L. Baley et ux Ethel Baley, found at Vol. 53, page 115 in the Deed Records of Hansford County, Texas.

The proceeds of sale of the immediately foregoing tract shall be divided as follows: 25% to Plaintiff as his sole and separate property and 75% to Defendant as her sole and separate property.

The court orders that the following miscellaneous farm equipment be sold by the Sheriff: (1) 1966 Ford Automobile; (1) 1969 Ford Pickup

The proceeds of sale of the

immediately above equipment shall be divided as follows: 50% to Plaintiff as his sole and separate property and 50% to Defendant as her sole and separate property.

The order/agreement is entitled to the following credits: N/A

You will forthwith execute this order/agreement according to law and the mandates thereof.

Herein fail not and have you the said monies, together with this order/agreement before the said Court at the Courthouse thereof in Spearman, Texas, showing how you have executed the same.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court, at Spearman, Texas, this the 30th day of April A.D., 1996.

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Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Carolyn and Wayne Cummings with daughter Kelli left on June 21 and drove to Knoxville, Tennessee to visit her mother, Mrs. Jane Simpson.

During their stay, the Olympic Flame came through carried by Pat Summit, the coach of the Lady Volunteers, National Basketball Champions. The Cummings attended the impressive ceremony of the passing of the Flame. It was held in the World's Fair Park. As they left the park, the new bearer of the flame passed close to them. During his pause, he handed the flame to Kelli, standing near-by for a few moments and she held it until he was ready to continue. This was a thrilling experience for Kelli-no doubt this is a first for a Spearman teenager.

Later the Cummings were at the airport when the motorcade of presidential candidate, Bob Dole, arrived at the airport where his plane was.

In Knoxville there is a well-known museum where antique quilts are on display. Carolyn, an avid quilter, could hardly tear herself away. Her brother and his wife, of Dallas, had joined them, and they too, were fascinated by the quilt exhibition.

On July 4th they attended the tremendous fireworks display, which followed a patriotic program, complete with the Knoxville Symphony and Orchestra.

Before their return to Spearman on July 7th, they checked some near-by universities as Kelli will be a senior this fall.

With the drive to Tennessee, the Olympic ceremony, the visit to the museum, the patriotic program, Kelli had a taste of geography, history, patriotism, even politics.

The Spearman High School class of 1941 had an impromptu mini-reunion in Amarillo last Monday when they met for lunch at Furs Cafeteria.

One of the members, Totsy Horn Finley of Wilmington, California, was visiting her sister in Amarillo, Oneida Horn Key. The Horn family is former Spearman residents and had gathered for a Horn family reunion in Farnsworth where Henry Horn lives.

Others of the class at the luncheon were: Dolly and Jack McWhirter, Frances Cudd, Sybill and Billy Miller, Garland

Hopper all of Spearman, Colleen and Grady Yeary, Perryton; Dean Church, Vega; Betty Lou Mayes and Virginia Cates, Amarillo.

Sympathy is extended to Sharon Cook and D'Anda Widener in the death of their mother, Alene Close. Her obituary is elsewhere. She came to Spearman as a bride 45 years ago, and she and Floyd raised the daughters here.

Four couples enjoyed several relaxing, interesting days last week in Cancun, Mexico. Lynda and Billy Pat Underwood, Michele and Damon Goodheart, spent the time snorkeling, playing golf, and for the ladies, that essential shopping. The weather was ideal and in observance of their return, the skies welcomed them back with these good rains.

The biannual reunion of the Litch and Gray Sparks families was held at Ceta Glen in Palo Duro Canyon on Saturday and Sunday. There were about 100 there. The days were pleasant, filled with fun and fellowship, and even the rain shower was enjoyed.

Locally those attending were the families of Fannie Vennemans, the Joe T. Vennemans, Virginia Head, Mozelle Sparks, Elizabeth Carr from Miami; Frankie and Troy Sloans from Breckenridge Willoughby and Sunny Sparks of Midland were also there.

Bobby and Ginger Sparks of California came the greatest distance.

Whenever the names of Ruth Ann or Marvin Jones are mentioned, an observation follows that this community is indeed fortunate in having such talented and outstanding folks.

The latest accolade is due Ruth Ann for her recently published biography of Thomas and Molly Bugbee entitled "Pioneer Partners".

It is certainly surprising that the biography of this outstanding pioneer couple has never been done.

Ruth Ann researched his life carefully and was able to interview one of their heirs. She has written in an entertaining manner, so that it is more like reading a novel than history. Once started, it is not laid aside. Old photos add to the interest, and the book is so beautifully bound that it would be an

heirloom for generations to come.

To all those who missed Dwayne Smith at Station KRDF last week - no, he wasn't lazing in the cool mountains somewhere. He spent some of the week with his sister in Pampa where they handled matters relating to their mother. The rest of the time, he enjoyed ignoring his alarm clock at 5 a.m.

Don and Gloria Knox met their son, Danny, and Cathi Knox of Odessa in Amarillo last week-end and all attended the concert at W.T. Danny's son, Lee Isaac, had attended the band camp there for

two weeks and was in the concert.

Danny and Cathi had been in Evanston, Wyoming buying a home as he has been transferred by the Contal Chemical Company.

Don is looking forward to visiting them as it is a region made to order for hunters and fishermen. The younger Knoxes are equally interested in the ice skating and skiing prospects of the area.

Leona King, formerly of Spearman, visited here the last two weeks in the home of her sister, Alta and Pete Fisher. She

enjoyed meeting old friends also. She and the Fishers went to Cash, Oklahoma to visit her mother and her son, Buddy King, for a few days.

The Fishers took her to Albuquerque on Sunday where her daughter, Rowena and Jerry Day met them. They returned to their home in Tucson, Arizona.

Candy and Bob Boxwell, with Erin and Regan, returned Friday from a weeks vacation in New Mexico. A friend, Julie Bravo, also accompanied them.

They spent a few days in Red River where they went horse back riding, played miniature golf and drove thru some mountain scenery. They also spent a few days in Santa Fe, where they did some sight seeing and shopping.

Members of the Holt Community have plans underway to make a historical memento depicting buildings and places, and the names of many early day settlers of that community. The sketch is most interesting and the finished product, a throw, is awaited with eagerness.

Recently the Dossett family held a reunion at the lake, and members of Sara Dossett's family who attended were listed. Unintentionally some were omitted. Those were Sharon Dossett, her son, Jeff Dossett with daughters, Laura and Brooke, all of Amarillo, and her granddaughter, Michele Hunt, Canyon.

The many friends of Athalie Taylor are distressed to learn of her fall and resulting broken hip. On Sunday evening her son Charles Trayler, of Dalhart, went into her home and found her. Church friends had stopped earlier in the day, but finding the door locked, left.

She was taken by ambulance to Hansford Hospital and

transferred to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She is in room 547.

Jenny and Wendell Neff, with Clay and Jennifer, spent the previous week-end with her parents in Spur. The Neffs stayed at their cabin on the White River. The weather was extremely warm, one day 108 degrees.

Clay, looking forward to the week-end with ideas of cool swimming and fishing under the shade of a tree, instead shared in the building of a deck on his grandparents home. He probably looked forward to returning to his duties on the premises of the hospital after his "vacation".

Word from Leslie Dial, nephew of Darlene Howell, now of Summerville, South Carolina, is that the hurricane "Bertha" bypassed them. They were prepared, but thankful.

Guests of Mary and Don Allen last week were Beatrice and Charles Polson. She is Mary's sister and they are from Artesia, New Mexico.

Last week in the item about Nicole and Travis Sander and the one fish each caught at Monument Lake, it was that the length was not mentioned as nothing grows faster than a fish between the time that it is caught and the time it is reported. One line was omitted inadvertently-sorry Nicole and Travis.

Also it may have not been clear that the Hester families represented were: Dorothy Buzzard, Joyce Crum, Betty Scribner, Doris Beck, Sonny Windom, and J.D. Hester.

Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless.

Mother Teresa

Beedy/Cummings Attend Seminar

by Kelli Cummings

The Spearman Rotary recently sent Blake Beedy and Kelli Cummings to the University of Wisconsin at Whitewater. Here a World Affairs Seminar is hosted for approximately 1,300 high school students. Three hundred are foreign exchange students from all over the world.

The speakers, brought to represent the different key topics, ranged from Nobel Peace Prize Winners to normal college school students. Issues about world disarmament, strict rules and regulations in other countries, government torture, Habitat for Humanity, world hunger, women's rights, sweat shops, and child pornography and prostitution were brought to their attention. The students attending were given their freedom of speech and encouraged to ask random questions of the speakers.

With four speakers a day, there are a lot of questions to be answered.

After lectures and discussion group, where everyone was allowed to comment on their feelings toward speakers, students spent their evenings comparing "home," going to

dances, swimming, talking, and enjoying the new friends they would soon have to leave.

In the end, everyday ways of thinking were changed. Dwayne Mitchell has a poster in his room at the high school that says something to the effect of: Once a man's mind has been stretched, it never returns to its previous ways of thought. The students were shown a different way to view the world and make it better. There were a lot of things to be learned and challenges to be seen. Somehow this brought these students to see what a "small" world we live in and better ways to start making it a better place.

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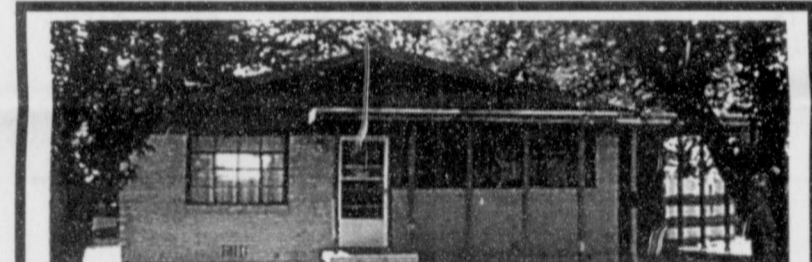
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