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Hansford County Fair Board revises fair schedule

by Angela Jones
Copy Editor

Hansford County Fair Board members revised the County Fair program at the Tuesday, Aug. 18, meeting held in the Extension Homemakers Club Room.

The Hansford County Fair is scheduled for September 25-27: Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

According to the extension office all entries, perishable and non-perishable exhibits, will be accepted from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 25. The exhibits will then be judged from noon to 3 p.m. At 4 p.m. the building will be opened to the public and concession stands will open. The fair closes at 7 p.m. Friday.

On Saturday, the public will be able to see exhibits from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. For people with exhibits, you may pick them up from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Other activities during the day are the dog show, the steer and lamb show and the dance. A variety show is also scheduled. It will begin at 1 p.m. and acts will con-

tinue til 5:30 p.m.

Dog show registration is at 10 a.m. and the dog show begins at 11 a.m.

Steers are scheduled to be weighed and measured from 9 - 10 a.m. Weigh in for lambs will be from 9 - 11 a.m. The steer and lamb show will begin at 11:30 a.m.

Changes made during the meeting were the entry fees for the steer and lamb show. Entry fees for the steers has changed from \$20 to \$25. Cost to enter lambs increased from \$10 to \$15. Classification of steers was also changed. Steers will not be classified by weight only.

According to the extension office 140 people participated in the fair last year; but, there were more entries than that because many people enter exhibits in different divisions. They added that they had about 60 steer entries and 75 lamb entries in the steer and lamb show last year.

The final event of the day is a dance. It will begin at 9 p.m. More information will be released later.

Events scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 27, will be held at the Gruver Rodeo Arena, just east of town. At 10 a.m. they will begin with calf roping and breakaway. Then at noon church services will be held at the arena. The rodeo will resume at 1 p.m. with the barrel racing which will be followed by an open team roping to conclude the fair activities for the year.

Other business discussed at the meeting was last minute changes in superintendents and publicity such as posters and street signs. Board members also discussed get judges but no action was taken. Another decision made by the board was that the adult divisions of Tole Painting and China Painting be for display only; therefore, ribbons will not be given in these two categories. The extension office encourages everyone to bring out their exhibits in these and all categories.

For more information please contact the Hansford County Extension Offices at 659-2136 or 659-2030.



One of the few times the Lynx were able to stop the Clarendon offense was on this fumble recovery.



Quarterback Matt Etheredge (6) seen handing the ball off to running back Raul Villegas (40) during the hounds scrimmage against Texhoma Thursday, Aug. 27. Number 50 is Heath Gaines and 58 is Robert Whitaker.

Gruver I.S.D. Board of Trustees adopts 1992-1993 budget

by Angela Jones
Copy Editor

The Gruver I.S.D. Board of Trustees adopted a \$3,162,035. budget for the 1992-93 year at the meeting held Wednesday, Aug. 26.

According to Superintendent Barry Haenisch this is \$5,000 less than the 1991-92 budget. He also explained that the school was receiving \$14,000 from the state for technical equipment so actually the budget is \$19,000 less than last years.

Haenisch also said that they did not think that they would have to use any reserve funds. "We believe we will stay even under our effective rate," he said.

During the meeting Tim Garland, the boys athletic coordinator, gave a presentation on the Athletic Alcohol/Drug Policy. He explained the policy to the board members. According to the policy, the first violation will result in a punishment, and the second violation during the school year will cause the individual to be suspended from the athletic program.

The board also discussed and approved the Language Proficiency Assessment Committee. This committee deals with students that don't speak English as their first language, said Haenisch. In order for a student to be taken to regular classes the committee must meet

and approve the decision. Individuals appointed to this committee are as follows: Bob Burgoon, elementary principal; Angie Clawson, elementary ESL teacher; and Frances Balderama, parent.

Other business conducted at the meeting was awarding coverage for medical benefits to Ted L. Parker and Associates of Lubbock. It is a partially self funded plan which "...is similar to the one used by Spearman I.S.D.," said Haenisch.

Then the board voted to join the Panhandle Risk Management Corporation for worker's compensation insurance. Haenisch said that is also a partially self funded pool which has 17 or 18 school districts in it. Margaret Fry, business director, was appointed to represent Gruver I.S.D. on this board.

Cafeteria bids were also awarded for the 1992-93 school year. Other business at the meeting was employment of personnel. Angie Clawson was hired as an Elementary ESL teacher and will work half a day. Rhonda Williams was also hired. She will be teaching kindergarten. This completed the staff said Haenisch.

Then the board approved about 25 names for the 1992-93 substitution list.

Another topic at the meeting was a resolution to provide English credit through Frank Phillips College in Borger. According to

Haenisch the college is going to offer English credit for those students in the advanced English course. Haenisch also explained that the students that wished to participate in this program would be required to do some extra work. The resolution was approved.

A discussion on the TASB/TASA Convention was held. The convention is scheduled for September 25-28 in Houston. Haenisch said that currently all of the Gruver I.S.D. board members are planning on attending.

A general discussion was held on the CED.

An enrollment report was given. At the time of the meeting Haenisch reported that there were 512 students enrolled for the 1992-93 year. This number had increased to 513 when this interview was conducted. The figures for the different buildings are as follows: 160 high school students, 160 junior high students and 193 elementary students.

Haenisch also gave a report on the underground gas tank. He said that it was removed this summer and the soil was tested. "Everything was all right," he said and added that they don't anticipate any problems with the state.

The final business for the meeting was approving payment of the bills for the remainder of August. The meeting was adjourned.

Gruver hounds... anxious for season to start

by Bob Bort

The Gruver Greyhounds are ready for their opener at Wheeler against the Mustangs this Friday, Sept. 5, at 8 p.m., following a successful scrimmage vs. Texhoma this past Thursday, Aug. 27, at Texhoma.

"I saw worlds of improvement in this scrimmage, compared to the last one," said Hounds head coach Doug Frick. "There was a lot of improvement in the execution of the veer offense, both inside and outside," he continued.

Coach Frick talked about the Hounds performance in the Texhoma scrimmage. "Our line-men- Carey Kauffman, Ira Gross, Robert Whitaker, Hart Derington and Heath Gaines, showed a lot of improvement. Our wide receivers- Kevin Spivey, Fabian Royval, Kenton Odom and Jeffrey Price, did an excellent job of blocking. Cody Barkley and Chris Stork did a good job blocking on the veer option plays. Our four running backs, Raul Villegas, Aaron Frick, Victor Lopez and Brady Pool ran hard. The balance in the statistics would have been excellent had Raul not been hurt. Matt Etheredge and Jace Dawson are coming along well at quarterback - they showed marked improvement."

"Defensively, there was aggressiveness and hustle, and our tackling was a little sharper. Dawson played well at end, and Stork too. Lopez did a good job at cornerback. Barkley at outside linebacker, Whitaker at inside linebacker, and Frick at strong side linebacker looked good."

Frick had an outstanding scrimmage, chalking up 130 yards on 14 carries. Lopez had an interception and return for a touchdown of 96 yards, which was probably the highlight of the scrimmage for the Hounds. Lopez scored two touchdowns, Pool scored the other two, and Gruver held Texhoma to two touchdowns. All in all, it was a good tuneup for the Hounds.

Coach Frick also commented

about this week's opponent, the Wheeler Mustangs. "They will run from the I-formation and from the Wing. Their quarterback, Chad Dunnam is a good passer. Running back Mark Marshall has good speed. They have an outstanding fullback, Genaro Meraz, and their tight end, Joe Dan Ledbetter is also good."

According to Coach Frick, Wheeler showed better than West Texas in their scrimmage this past week.

Gruver is 2-5 all-time, since 1951, against the Mustangs. Their two victories were big ones though - a victory in bi-district in 1968, and a victory at Mustang Stadium in 1988, 14-10.

INJURY REPORT: The hounds have four injured players - Roma

Tomlinson who was injured last week and is out for the season with a broken arm; Raul Villegas, with a neck injury, and he will probably be out two weeks; Scott McCloy with a shoulder injury, and he is questionable for the Wheeler game; and Ricky Oliva with a knee injury, and he is questionable for the Wheeler game.

The Hounds Junior Varsity will officially kick off the 1992 football season with a game at Stinnett, Thursday evening Sept. 3, against the West Texas Comanches Junior Varsity.

It won't be an easy opener, and the underdog Hounds will need all the fan support they can muster - so see you at Mustang Stadium Friday night!

Lynx have last scrimmage before opener

It was a quick aggressive Clarendon Broncos football team that the Spearman Lynx faced off against for their second and last scrimmage before opening the season at Scott City, Kan. Saturday, Sept. 5.

"We were a little disorganized and didn't execute well," was Ric Smith's, Lynx head coach, summary of the Lynx's performance against Clarendon on Friday, Aug. 28. "We were still trying to get the bugs out of our basic plays." Smith targeted getting key people blocked as the number one bug to get out.

Smith singled out two players that looked good at the Clarendon scrimmage. They were Radar Garcia and Lanny Gallegos. Garcia was starting tail back in place of the injured Brandon Vandeburg.

According to Smith the whole team is going to need to have a good game when they travel to Scott City, Kan. to open the regular season. Scott City has lost only 1 game in 4 years said Smith.

"They have a little speed and execute well," said Smith. In comparing the two teams Smith indicated that the Lynx have as much size as Scott City but that Scott City has more experience with 14 returning seniors.

The key for the Lynxs on Satur-

day, according to Smith, will be a healthy Vandeburg at tailback, quickness and good blocking from the offensive guards and good play out of the Lynx linebackers.

It all starts at 2 p.m. Saturday, September 5.

Clarendon Scrimmage Stats. First Team Varsity
Rushing: Radar Garcia 51 yds./14 carries, Lonny Gallegos 45 yds./10 carries, Jason Varnon 49 yds./7 carries

Passing: Varnon - 1 of 6 for 9 yds.
Receiving: Jason Swink - 1 catch for 9 yds.

Second Team Varsity
Rushing: Roman Arnold 24 yds./7 carries, Garcia 16 yds./3 carries, Dee Mayfield 39 yds./7 carries, Toby Thompson 1 yrd./3 carries

Passing: Thompson 8 of 14 for 100 yds. & 1 TD
Receiving: Swink 3 catches/35 yds., Arnold 3 catches/ 23 yds., Garcia 1 catch/15 yds., Brady Reed 1 catch/ 32 yds./1 TD

Junior Varsity
Rushing: Josh Furlow 60 yds./10 carries

Passing: Chad Wilkerson 1 of 4/35 yds.
Receiving: Israel Vasquez 1 catch/35 yds.

U.S. savings bond to be given

by Angela Jones
Copy Editor

The Hansford County Historical Commission is sponsoring an essay contest on Columbus for students in the Hansford County Schools.

Who is Christopher Columbus, you may be asking.

Well, here are just a few questions that can help you discover an answer and write your winning essay. How many ships was Columbus given and what were their names? What did he discover? What was his profession? And what was Columbus trying to find on his voyage?

If you know the answer to these questions then write an essay. If you don't know the answers then get to the library and check out some books and get the information needed to write an essay.

Enter it in the essay contest on Columbus and you could be the recipient of a \$50 U.S. Savings

Bond. One \$50 bond will be awarded to each of the school districts. Second place at each school will receive a \$10 U.S. Savings Bond according to Sylvia Roberts.

So what do you need to do to enter? Just write an essay on Co-

Firemen...

fill their boots for MDA

Spearman fire fighters will be hitting the streets soon, with boots in hand, to help fight muscular dystrophy. They will be located at various intersections in town to "fill their boots" for the Muscular Dystrophy Association by accepting donations from area motorists.

The money that is collected is used by MDA to fund research as well as pay medical expenses and purchase equipment for people with neuromuscular diseases.

The Fill the Boot drive is a nationwide campaign which is done

lumbus. Mail it to the Station Master's House Museum, 30 S. Townsen, Spearman, TX 79081; Jennie Blankenship, Box 98, Morse, TX 79062 or Helen Boyd, Box 100, Gruver, TX 79040 before the dead-

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on or before the Labor Day weekend as a kick-off to the Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon. Last year Panhandle area fire fighters raised over \$25,000 for MDA. This year they're hoping to top that figure so when you see a fire fighter, please remember to be generous to "Jerry's Kids."

This year's door to door money collection may not only help MDA but net some area youth prizes as well.

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RADICAL LIVING

By Dan Carter, Pastor
Trinity Community Church

Ya Gotta Start Over

We had been in the birthing room for 12 hours when Cade, my now two year-old son came into view. It wasn't a pretty sight. Births never are. But it was exciting and the culmination of 9 months of waiting and preparation.

Obviously Cade didn't happen in an instant, and when he arrived it was only the beginning of life, not the end. Birth is painful, but must be accomplished if life is to follow.

Jesus says that people must be born again to enter the Kingdom of Heaven. That birth causes dramatic changes in character.

In the Sermon on the Mount Jesus speaks of at least 3 major aspects of being born into God's Kingdom. First, it is difficult. Births happen all the time, but the "birth canal" is narrow and pressured. It's not easy to come into life. It cost Jesus His life to lead the way. It will cost ours to follow.

Secondly, being born physically, as well as into God's Kingdom is a definite experience. It's not necessary to know the day and hour to be alive, but it is a definite experience. We didn't wonder whether or not Cade was born. It was definite. One moment he was in the womb. The next he was in the world.

Finally, Jesus says that those who are in God's Kingdom have undergone dramatic changes in their lives. Now they hunger and thirst for God's Kingdom and righteousness. They love their enemies. They pray, give and fast for God's Kingdom and will to be done fully, in their lives and the world.

No doubt about it. If you desire to be in God's Kingdom, ya gotta start over. You must be born into it.

Sponsored by: Trinity Community Church of Spearman
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76th Nijmegen International Four Day March...

Hartwick marches 100 miles

By B. John Smith
NIJMEGEN, Netherlands—Before the sun could rise above the Netherlands' horizon, soldiers started to march out of their camp equipped with 22-pound backpacks and a goal to march 25 miles a day for four days, just to prove that they can do it.

Air Force Staff Sgt. John P. Hartwick, 33, son-in-law of Dale and Mae Wofford of Spearman, was one of more than 800 U.S. service members who participated in the 76th Nijmegen International Four Day Marches 21 through 24 July.

Marching 100 miles in four days is a difficult task, but with overwhelming support from the Dutch people, the pleasure of making international friends and proper medical treatment for punished feet, the groundpounders' march through the street and countryside of the Netherlands a little easier.

Even with extensive support, after the third 25-mile day Hartwick found that Nijmegen was a different experience.

"The march is a great way to meet people from other nation's military, and a great way to find your energy limit," said the 1978 graduate of Jefferson High School, Lafayette. "One hundred miles in four days...so many people to see...it's great."

For the Dutch people, the marches are more than walking 100 miles in four days. It's a demonstration of willpower and there is much admiration for those who take the challenge. People line the sides of the roads as early as 4 a.m. to cheer and encourage the marchers during their hike.

Because of an allied victory called Operation Market Garden, the U.S. forces are well received. During World War II, U.S., British and Canadian paratroopers won decisive battles with the Germans in the area where the march is held.

Although there were almost 8,000 service members from 14 countries, Nijmegen was not a military event. This year there were over 30 thousand civilian marchers.

In 1908, the Dutch people began participating in such long distance marches and since 1928 the marches have been open to international participation. One marcher described Nijmegen as being like the United Nations, where the many nations come to march, have fun and make new friends.

These international friendships often generate in the center of the military camp, Camp Heumensoord, where there were several food vendors and the festival tent which served refreshments. At night this tent became an international party of uniforms that often turned into a flag-waving sing-along.

Heumensoord was also the support center for the marchers. It supplied them with breakfast and dinner (lunch was eaten on the move), sleeping and shower areas, and the much needed medical aid stations.

Along each day's route, there are three mandatory aid stations and four U.S. stations within Camp Heumensoord.

Visiting the aid station is not always a pleasant experience and because of the medics method of treatment they earned nicknames like, the meat grinders, butchers and psychos. The calling for the medics was mostly for blister treatment. The marchers' blisters are drained and numbed, then Benzoin, which acts like a glue, is injected between the two separated skin layers and the foot is covered with cotton-coated Benzoin to give it an extra layer of skin. Although treatment is painful, it's a necessity so the marchers may continue

Ethel and Bernard Byers were glued to the T.V. last week when the Hurricane Andrew was zeroing in on Louisiana. Her son Jerry and Patty Black live at Lafayette, one of the hardest hit cities. Jerry was in Colorado but Patty had had their home boarded up and was with friends. When they made contact with her, she reported considerable damage. Jerry is expected to return from Colorado by Spearman where he will spend a few days.

To add to Ethel's concern was word that her oldest son, Duane Burleson, was rushed to the Audie Murphy Veteran's Hospital in San Antonio with a near fatal heart attack. The latest word is that the heart condition is stabilized but complications have him on dialysis part of the time.

Another concerned person was Dorcus Collard as Randy and Vickie Collard and children live in Baton Rouge. When finally they made telephone contact, their home, which is high on a hill, escaped any damage. Also they reported Dorcus' townhouse was not damaged. The electricity was off for days, in fact it was Friday before it was restored. The weather was extremely hot and humid and of course daily living was difficult, but they had no complaint knowing of the real devastation all over the area.

Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Dorcus had just returned from a weeks visit in New York with her daughter, D'Dee at Hanna Croix, near Albany. They enjoyed driving thru the beautiful Adirondack mountains. D'Dee is teaching pediatric nursing.

Clarence Renner underwent emergency surgery on August 14 at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. He is at home now and making slow recovery. During his hospitalization the Renner's daughter, Amy Holland from Austin was here, but since has returned to her home.

All the old friends of Charles Trayler were very relieved to learn he had only a broken collarbone as a result of an accident early Thursday morning. Charles, son of Athalie Trayler, is head of the band department at Dalhart school and was enroute to school early on the foggy morning from his home in the country. He neither heard nor saw the train which struck the rear of his pick up which was heavily damaged.

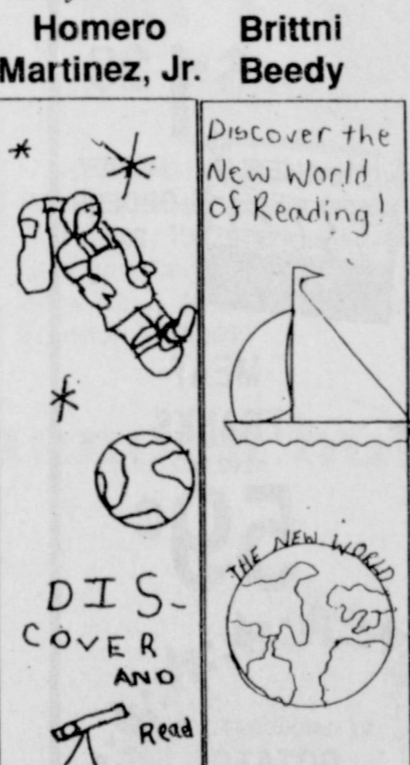
New residents in Spearman are David and Rachel Witt with sons, 12 year old Danny and Levi, 6. David is the manager of the

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libraries averages about \$5 per year per child - less than half the cost of a book.

The tradition of publicly supported library service should not be taken for granted. Now, more than ever, our libraries need your support. Use your library often. Teach your children to use, appreciate and support this valuable resource throughout their lives. Get to know your librarians - school and public. Ask what their needs are and how you can help. Consider a tax-deductible gift to your library through memorials for family and friends. Volunteer your time. Write your state and federal legislators and demand that library services be viewed and funded as a necessary public service. Urge school administrators to make library funding a high priority. Speak up for libraries, share your concerns with friends, neighbors and family!

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to punish their feet the following day.

But for all the pain the marchers put themselves through, they will gain everlasting memories of new friends who marched with them and of the people who support their efforts.

"The Nijmegen memories that I will always have will be of blisters, blisters and more blisters," said Hartwick a tactical air controller stationed in Hohenfels, Germany.



(U.S. Army photo by Angela Stafford)

Air Force Staff Sgt. John P. Hartwick finishes repacking his backpack in preparation for another 25-mile march the next day during the 76th Nijmegen International Four Day Marches, 21 to 24 July in Nijmegen, Netherlands.

Gold Abandoned
On Sept. 21, 1931, Britain abandoned the gold standard.

Spearman Equity and they have lived here about a month.

Busy with work, sons and home, they have little leisure. Rachel enjoys yard work and David is continuing his lessons to become a pilot.

Since the Witts are natives of Perryton, they feel very little adjustment is needed in their new community. They reside at 710 Steele Drive.

Judy and Rusty Tindell spent the weekend at Red River with friends from Texhoma. They are all square dance enthusiasts so found plenty of entertainment.

Have any armadillos been seen in Hansford County? It is surprising to learn that there are many, to the point of being a nuisance, in Lipscomb and Hemphill counties. It is surmised that they were brought up from south Texas several years ago in oil field pipe.

Norma Holland returned from ten days in Los Angeles. Her father Robert Lawrence passed away August 15. He was 91 years old and had had reasonably good health until recently.

Norma's sons, David from Houston and Jay from Austin, also attended the services, as did her sister from Houston and one from Kansas.

Ollie Allen was taken by ambulance to High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo Sunday morning. She is 95 and a resident of Hansford Manor and had fallen and broken a hip. Dickie and Newell Allen are with her and she is in room 789 and will be for some time.

Townpeople of Spearman were sorry to learn that long time residents, Craig and Harriet Hutchison, have left Spearman. They are now living in Canyon where he is employed by Builder's Square.

Craig has lived here most of his life and has raised his family here and Harriet has been here many years and also raised her family

here. The children all have moved except one of her sons, Hal Schufeldt. All the neighbors wish them the best of luck in their new location.

A welcome addition to Spearman is Bill and Barbara Ingram and son Jack who is nearly four and 2 1/2 year old Hannah, residing at 904 Linn Drive.

He is the high school principal and was with the Sanger, Texas schools the last four years. The Ingrams, both natives of Arkansas, are from Russellville. Mrs. Ingram is teaching special education and her students will be fortunate to have such an enthusiastic and gracious teacher.

The Ingrams are busy getting settled and with their children, work, home and yard but look forward to being a part of Spearman. Their main hobby was fishing and camping but the arrival of the children put that on hold for a few years. They are members of the United Methodist Church.

All the neighbors bid them a most cordial welcome.

Kenneth Burke, who has been ill for some time, was taken to High Plains Baptist Hospital last Thursday. All the tests still have not resulted in a prognosis and it is not known how long he will be there.

The TEL Class of the First Baptist Church held the class meeting in the home of Cleo Denman on Monday evening, August 31. After a short business session, Mac Wilmett gave the devotional. Refreshments of pumpkin pie and blackberry tea were served to Mac Wilmett, Sada Hoskins, Mathilde Entrekim, Jo Linda Hutchison, Eva Adkison, Willie Wallis, Altha Groves, Verna Jarvis, Ruth Lackey and the hostess.

"Fiction is fact distorted into truth."
Edward Albee

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to those who sent cards and flowers, brought food and visited during this time of sorrow.

Many thanks to Dr. Behney and the staff at Hansford Manor for their excellent care of Bruce there the last three years, and the many prayers from all.

The Family of Bruce Sheets
Freda and Susan
Nina and Del Taylor and Family
The Sheets Family

THANK YOU

The families of Lois Merydith would like to say Thank You for the prayers, flowers, cards, food and other acts of sympathy you have shown us at the sudden death of our wife, mother and grandmother.

Ed Merydith of Perryton
Debbie & Danny, Eddie, Monty & Coy of Spearman

Becky & Dusty Munsell & family of Booker

Bill & Jenifer Merydith & girls of Perryton

Linda & Joe Paul & girls of Perryton

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Hansford Happenings

COME JOIN 4-H IN HANSFORD COUNTY!!! You must be 9 years old or in 3rd grade up to 19-years-old. Everyone currently enrolled must re-enroll for the 1992-93 year. First meeting for Gruver will be Tuesday, Sept. 8, at 7 p.m. in the Gruver county barn. In Spearman, the meeting will be on Monday, Sept. 14, at 7 p.m. in the Extension Homemakers Club Room at 309 N. Bernice. Call 733-2901 or 659-2030/2136 for more information through the Extension office.

Fun Time Round Robin Tennis League will start Monday, July 20. Meet at the Spearman High School tennis courts at 7 p.m. with a can of tennis balls and a desire to play tennis and have fun. Play will continue through out the year as weather and interest permits. For more information contact Troy James at Farm Bureau of Hansford County 659-3133.

Defensive Driving September 15 and 16, Tuesday and Wednesday, at the Hansford County Library from 6 to 10 p.m.

Spearman Study Club will be having their 12th Annual Arts and Craft Show Saturday, Oct. 17, 1992. This will be a one day show and the hours will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Any arts and crafts dealer is welcome to this show for a small boothrent. For more information contact Trudie Schaefer, Box 673, Spearman, TX 79081 or call 806/659-3691 after 5 p.m.

Oklahoma Panhandle State University announces late enrollment beginning August 24, 1992 until September 4, 1992. Classes will begin on August 24 as scheduled. For more information concerning enrollment, contact the OPSU Admissions office located in Sewell-Loofbourrow at 405/349-2611 Extension 375 or 274.

The Hansford County Historical Commission is sponsoring an **Essay Contest** on Columbus for students in Hansford County Schools. This is the Quinticentennial of Columbus arriving in American on October 12, 1492. A **\$50 U.S. Savings Bond** will be given to the winner from each of the three schools - Gruver, Spearman and Pringle-Morse. Second place at each school will receive \$10. The **deadline for entering the contest is September 20, 1992.** Return your entries to Jennie Blankenship at Box 98, Morse, TX 79062 or the Station Masters House Museum, 30 S. Townsen, Spearman, TX 79081 or Helen Boyd, Box 100, Gruver, TX 79040.



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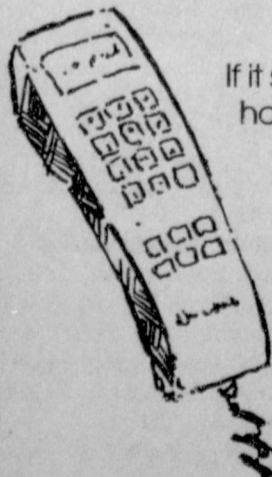
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Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman
 Chamber Manager

The other day I was looking over the survey done by Texas A & M University, "Taking Care of Business in Spearman." It was a business retention and expansion survey done a few years ago. Forty-four percent of the people surveyed said their opinion of doing business with Spearman as being excellent. Eighty one percent were chamber members. One of the things they said the chamber should be doing is sponsoring workshops for small businesses which is just what we have planned for September 23. Don Taylor will be giving a seminar on planning and management. Information on this seminar will go out next week. We invite businesses from Spearman and Gruver to take advantage of this one night class. Don is an ex-

cellent speaker and will be able to help you and answer any questions you may have.

A Defensive Driving Course will be held September 15 & 16 and Belton will be at the chamber office, Wednesday, September 16 from 1:30 - 3 p.m..

I guess you have all heard the dumb blonde jokes. Britt Jarvis brought me some "Dumb Men Jokes." Now I'm ready for the next Lions Club meeting.

QUOTE:

Lorette Cook: W.D.S.C.C., chamber member and business person, "Women's Division is a worthwhile organization that does a service to our community. With our new season, we are looking forward to our new members."

Police Files

Spearman Police Report

During the reporting period from Monday, Aug. 24, to Sunday, Aug. 30, officers responded to 46 calls for assistance.

These calls involved one report of telephone harassment which is being investigated, one theft report, and three accidents which were investigated. The accidents occurred at the following locations: one in the 10 block of Dressen, one in the 500 block of East Highway 15 and one in the alley of the 600 block of Barley. No injuries were reported in any of the accidents.

Other calls included two reports of vandalism, one suspected DWI,

three disorderly conduct calls, two complaints regarding traffic, four suspicion calls and four lock-outs. Also received were two miscellaneous calls, one escort, one family disturbance, one call involving a civil nature, 17 calls for animal control, one motorist assist, one open door and one call to verify 911.

NO GRUVER POLICE REPORT WAS AVAILABLE

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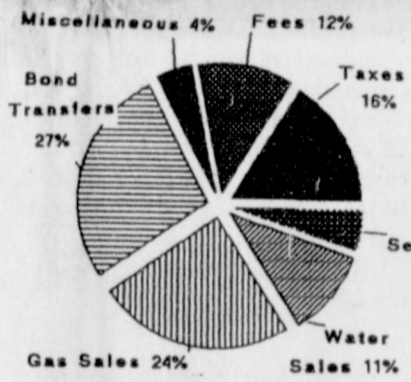
by Kelvin Knauf
 Spearman City Manager

1992-93 City Budget

On September 15, 1992 the City Council will consider adopting the budget for the 1992-93 fiscal year. The fiscal year begins on October 1 and ends on September 30 of each year. In this week's column, I will try to explain where the money comes from and how the City spends its money.

As the pie chart below shows, there are five main areas from which the City receives money: taxes, fees, fines and contributions, bond transfers and miscellaneous revenues. Since the City sold bonds this year, more than 25 percent of our revenues will come from the sale of those bonds. These bond funds will be used only for capital improvements, such as rebuilding the sewer plant, painting the water towers and building a garbage transfer station. More than half of the City's revenues come from fees (such as garbage fees) or service charges (such as water, gas and sewer service). Taxes, including

property taxes, will make up about 16 percent of the City's revenues this next year. Miscellaneous revenues include things like interest earned on deposits, donations to the City, and sale of City property.



As the following pie chart shows, most of the money the City receives goes for operating the gas, water and sewer systems. Public safety, including the Police, Fire, Ambulance, Municipal Court and Animal Control Departments, comprises the next largest expenditure of City funds. Public works

Spiritually Speaking

by Kyle Henderson, Pastor
 First Baptist Church,
 Spearman

Proverbial wisdom abounds. Armchair referees are joined by moonlighting sages in an attempt to describe and understand the odd complexities of life. Murphy predicted that the bread will always land face down. "It will only sting a little" is a phrase used by those with a high tolerance of pain, it just flat hurts. "This is going to hurt me more than it is you." Only after having two children does the truth of this statement begin to rise to the surface. These little proverbs of life are joined by so many others, "the early bird gets the worm" (that is of course if you really want worms), "a penny saved is a penny earned," "an apple a day keeps the doctor away," and "look before you leap."

To this chorus of wisdom a few choice proverbs from the Bible rise to mind: "A friend loves at all times," "An anxious heart weighs a man down, but a kind word cheers him up," "A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger," but one of the most popular is "Train up a child in the way he should go, Even when he is old he will not depart from it" Proverbs 22:6.

The popular use of this last proverb is to suggest that if children are made to go to church every time the doors are open, and if a child is only allowed to see Christian books and films, then they will always stay on the right path, or if they do stray they will certainly return to the path later in life. This interpretation fails because it does not work. Too many examples can be found to disprove it.

A close study of the words in this proverb indicate a dramatically different interpretation. Train up is a word that originally means, "to rub the palate and encourage sucking." It was used of a mother or a midwife encouraging a new born babe to begin to nurse. To train up a child is to look into a child and try to encourage the natural tendencies that God has placed in each person. Parents, educators, friends, and churches must devote themselves to finding the individual treasure in each child and nurturing it so that it can come to full fruit. Child means any dependent child in the family, it is not primarily a chronological term, but a relational term. The last phrase in the way he should go is a real key. Notice that it is not the way a parent insists they go, or the most convenient way, but "the way" a person should go. Each person has been created with different skills, gifts and talents. The job of society is to encourage growth, discovery, and development within the parameters that God has set forth.

When a person is encouraged to be what God created them to be, then it will last a lifetime. Any other path will be disastrous. The assignment before the world is to watch those who are developing and then to nurture uniqueness.

Library Book Notes

by Sheri Benton

The bookmarks from our summer reading program contest are finally here. Our winners this year were Brittini Beedy, daughter of Jeff and Shelly Beedy, and Homero Martinez, Jr., son of Homero and Maria Martinez. Our theme this year was Discover the New World of Reading, and both of our winning designs carried out this theme very creatively. Be sure and come by the library to see these new bookmarks!

During these tough economic times, we hear a lot about funding for various organizations. I recently read some interesting facts about libraries and their funding that I thought I would share with you. Our nation's libraries are the most democratic institutions. Less than 1¢ of every dollar guarantees free access to information to people of all ages and all walks of life. In the past 25 years, federal finding for library services comes to less than the cost of one aircraft carrier. Less than 1% of all tax dollars is spent on libraries. Spending on school

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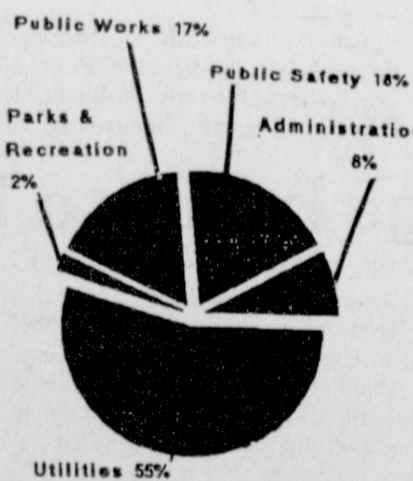
In compliance with Section 10.03 of the Indigent Health Care and Treatment Act the Board of Directors of Hansford County Hospital District has adopted the following rules and procedures for the Hansford County Hospital District Indigent Health Care Program:

Application for Indigent Health Care can be requested from Hansford Hospital between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Assistance in completing the application will be provided if needed. Contact the Hospital Business Office for assistance.

Hansford County Hospital District will use rules and procedures established in the County Indigent Health Care Program Handbook published by the Texas Department of Human Services.

- In summary these rules are as follows:
1. Application forms must be completely filled out.
 2. Verification of Income, Termination of Income, Residence Household composition, and Resources is required, if questionable.
 3. Net Income cannot exceed the Maximum Income Standards listed in the Income Standards Chart below.
 4. Liquid resources assets cannot exceed \$1500. The equity value of a car greater than \$1500 is counted against the \$1500 limit. Personal property and homestead are exempt assets.
 5. Eligible persons must be a resident of Hansford County.
 6. Applicants must provide requested information and documentation requested or application will be denied.
 7. Applicants have the right to appeal adverse decisions.

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On September 15, I will ask the City Council to adopt next year's budget. Although next year will be very challenging, these challenges should result in better services for the citizens of Spearman.

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Spearman school activities get underway



Spearman Varsity Football Team (Not in order.): #10-Chad Wilkerson, #11-Jason Varnon, #12-Roman Arnold, #20-Toby Thompson, #21-Israel Varquez, #22-Josh Furlow, #31-Cory Lesley, #28-Shawn Moore, #30-Radar Garcia, #33-Brandon Vanderburg, #40-Dee Mayfield, #44-Lonny Gallegos, #61-Dustin Loomis, #52-Matt Archer, #58-Jimmy Healy, #51-Cory Brown, #64-Sammy Graham, #66-Chad Gardiner, #65-Joe Gordon, #74-Nick Renteria, #78-Landon Swan, #80 Jason Swink, #77-Clint Schnell, #88-Clay Scribner, #68-Roger Howell, #85-Brady Reed, #37 Garrod, #10 Law.

SPEARMAN HIGH SCHOOL 1992-93 VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE			
DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Aug. 21	White Deer (Scrimmage)	There	TBA
Aug. 28	Clarendon (Scrimmage)	There	TBA
Sept. 5	Scott City, Kansas	There	2:00 P.M. (Sat.)
Sept. 11	Memphis	There	8:00
Sept. 18	Wheeler	Home	8:00
Sept. 25	*Stratford	Home	7:30
Oct. 2	*West Texas	There	7:30
Oct. 9	**Gruver	Here	7:30
Oct. 16	*Sunray	There	7:30
Oct. 23	*Highland Park	There	7:30
Oct. 30	*Boys Ranch	Home	7:30
Nov. 6	OPEN		
	**HOMECOMING		
	*DISTRICT GAMES		



Spearman J.V. Football Team (Not in order.): Jason Holton (78), Shawn Moore (33), Valentín Macías (52), Chad Wilkerson (11), Joel Stark (66), Clay Neff (65), Josh Furlow (22), Jarod Huddleston (74), Mark Parker (64), Bill Pittman (58), Clayton Hergert (68), Martin Sanders (81), Wendell Ralston (77), Derrick Burnett (82), Greg Elliott (40), Chris Jenkins (20), Jeremy Bian (30), Coyt Tigrett (10), Lucas Biggs (72), Matt Gafford (70), Cody McLeod (80), Lee Jarvis (85), Michael Cook (60), Joe Jenkins (71), Jason Bablyke (51), Brent Collins (88), Phillip Sanders (44), Ashley Baker (84).



Spearman Eighth Grade Football Team: (l-r) Front Row: Ryan Phillips, Felix Lopez, Brad Davis, Brett Savage, Arturo Vargas, Zachary Furlow, Domingo Salazar, Skip Lesly. Second Row: Kevin Baker, Blake Beedy, Bruce Howell, Eric Cudd, Tyler Lalr, Clint Farles, Frank Dominguez, Travis Loomis. Back Row: Tony Clements, Pete Vera, Jacob Howard, Dillon Miller, Eric Varnon, Van Baumgarner, TomKirk, Mike Witten.



Seventh Grade Spearman Football Team: (l-r) Front Row: Chris Cummings, Abraham Carranza, Mario Puentes, Jason Genn, Brian Howell. Second Row: Mario Salazar, Nichols Vinson, Clint Goodman, Keith Winegarner, Josh Bynum, Casey Nobles, Mac Butts. Third Row: Michael Gallegos, Derek Kuehl, Chris Stewart, Joey Salgado, Travis Raper, Mike Butts, Allen Huddleston. Back Row: Alfonso Silva, Hector Munoz, Jamle Townsen, Cody Williams, Monty Harrington, Brandon Morgan.

SPEARMAN LYNX 1992-93 JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL			
DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Sept. 3	Highland Park	Away	TBA
Sept. 10	Boys Ranch	Home	TBA
Sept. 17	OPEN		
Sept. 24	Stratford	Away	8:00
Oct. 1	West Texas	Home	8:00
Oct. 8	Gruver	Away	8:00
Oct. 15	Sunray	Home	8:00
Oct. 22	Highland Park	Home	8:00
Oct. 29	Boys Ranch	Away	8:00
Nov. 5	OPEN		



SPEARMAN CROSS COUNTRY 1992 SCHEDULE			
Sept. 12	Perryton		
Sept. 19	Open		
Sept. 26	Amarillo		
Oct. 3	Dumas		
Oct. 10	Lubbock		
Oct. 17	Stratford		
TBA	District (Boys Ranch)		
Nov. 7	Regionals (Lubbock)		
Nov. 14	State (Georgetown)		

Lynxettes' Cross Country short handed but working hard



Spearman High School Cross Country Runners: (l-r) Kelly Shieldknight, Lacie Baker, Holly Jarvis, Mary Cook, Amanda Nobles



Spearman Junior High Cross Country Runners: (l-r) Front Row: Jocelyn Edwards, Jennifer Neff, Leah Mackle, Brooke Trantham. Back Row: Misha Davis, Kasey Dunnihoo, Keisha O'Quin, Tara Bruning.

Good Luck in 1992-93 Lynx & Lynxettes

On The Go With Joy

by Joy Henderson

If there is anything any harder job to do than a 60-year-old Grannie taking care of a 2 1/3-year-old grandson, I don't know what it is. Unless it is a 65-year-old Grandpa trying to do the same thing. Yet we walked into it with our eyes wide-open after out Paula gave birth to a 4 lb. 1 oz. baby girl on Tuesday, Aug. 25th. The baby, named Teala Renea, arrived a little early due to the fact that Paula and the baby stopped growing and it was better for it to survive in the outside world. Teala was only 2 weeks ahead of time and as of now is doing fine. She had a minor problem after 24 hours with her blood thickening but medical treatment was successful.

Anyhow, we thought we could be of help by letting Dustin "baby sit" us, but I'm afraid before it is all over, we will need more medical treatment than we have had this summer.

One of the problems we are facing is the fact that he needs to be potty-trained. I bought a book for him that explained how big boys

can avoid the smell, diaper rash and the endless stack of diapers etc., but unfortunately, Dustin doesn't read. Besides he thinks the "froggie" and "piggie" portrayed in the story couldn't possibly be referring to him.

Another problem is that Dustin is stronger than his Grannie and Grandpa combined. We are wore out trying to chase and carry him just to keep him in our sight. And for all of you who think you can do a better job disciplining him, I'll be glad for you to take over and handle the situations yourself.

Oh well! Guess we will make out OK for a few more days.

Don and Peggy Dillow recently attended the graduation ceremony of their son Brian. Brian graduated cum laude from Sam Houston State in Huntsville, on August 15th with a major in Industrial Design. Also attending were Don, Kay and Laura of Guymon and Margaret and Danny Schiffner, Jared, Zane and Garrett of Blue Mound, TX. Brian is currently employed by The Book Store in Huntsville.

I talked with school personnel about the total enrollment at our Gruver schools and they have provided this information. Enrollment for elementary grades in 193, Jr. High and High School have 160 students each for a total of 513. We are happy to welcome some of our new students and former students. The Jr. High has provided a list: Quentin Harper, Blake Ferguson (8th); Anna Ramirez (7th); Miguel Marrufo, Sandy Lopez, Teresa Crow (6th); Elisha Beggs, Winston Griffin (5th).

Visitors in Gruver recently were Viva Renner, Amarillo; Dubson and Syndy Zapata of Lubbock; Courtney Moore, Goodwell, granddaughter of Fred and Georgia Davidson; Jerry Gailey, Memphis, mother of Diane Brown; Steven Sims (guest

of Christy Brown) Hereford; Yoshinobu Tukazawa of Tokyo, Japan; Liz Remy, Lubbock; Amie White.

Charlie Casdorff had to return to High Plains to be treated again for his cancer. He becomes very weak and needs treatment to regain his strength.

Bob Setliff spent several days in Denver recently and had a chance to visit with Stacey Williams. Stacey is gaining every day and appreciates all the mail sent to her. Keep the letters, cards and prayers going.

It was learned that Julie Deakin is in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after having an allergic reaction to medicine. The incident occurred after having dental work done.

Music Club to hold dinner

The Gruver Music Club, a member of the Texas and National Federated Clubs, will have their Reassembly Dinner at the United Methodist Church fellowship hall September 8, 1992 (Tuesday) at 6 p.m.

The program for the evening will be presented by Amber Weller of Gruver, who will sing songs from Broadway plays.

The hospitality committee, Jean Zabel Chairman, with Vireta Knight and Jean Holand, will serve the catered meal.

School menu

Gruver School Menu
September 8 - September 11
Lunch

Monday: LABOR DAY

Tuesday: Salisbury steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, pudding, hot rolls, milk.

Wednesday: Fish nuggets, tarter sauce, macaroni & cheese, green beans, fruit, cornbread, milk.

Thursday: Soft shell tacos, cheese, lettuce, fruit, milk.

Friday: Chili cheese dogs, french fries, fruit, milk.

Salad Bar available except on Friday.

Breakfast

Monday: No School

Tuesday: Cereal, muffin, juice, milk.

Wednesday: Biscuits, sausage, fruit, milk.

Thursday: Toast, peanut butter, jelly, fruit, milk.

Friday: Cinnamon rolls, fruit, milk.



Employee of the month - Ochiltree Hospital District board president Betty Clark, right, congratulates Jeannie Simpson, left, on being named Ochiltree General Hospital Employee of the Month for August.

Simpson is August employee of month

Jeannie Simpson has been named Employee of the Month at Ochiltree General Hospital.

Simpson, a resident of Spearman, has been employed at OGH since February of 1989. She is a graduate of Spearman High School and also attended Amarillo Junior College, Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing and Alvin Junior College.

Before moving to the Panhandle she lived at Friendswood, in the Houston area near the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

She was previously employed at Clear Lake Hospital, a 365-bed facility, as unit secretary for all units. She has also been self-employed as the publisher of a weekly TV listings magazine and self-employed in a franchise cleaning business. She has also worked as a computer operator at Hansford Hospital in Spearman.

Her family includes daughter Alicia Zabin, age 18, who is preparing to enter college in Houston this fall; Deanna Zabin, age

12, who is a vibrant and uplifting young lady entering sixth grade; and David Zabin, age 12, who is an active, competitive and caring young man also entering sixth grade.

Jeannie says her hobbies include gardening, flowers, fishing, cooking, reading and fabric painting. She has also served the communities in which she lived by serving in offices and on committees of Jaycee-Ettes, chamber of commerce and church at various times and locations.

Jeannie says she has grown to love each and every employee at OGH.

"They are very competent and caring people," she says. "We are fortunate to have such comprehensive facilities, physicians and medical staff in this rural area."

She adds, "In my position I have met many people throughout this entire area. The Texas and Oklahoma panhandles are swarming with terrific people. We are truly blessed."

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These shirts may be purchased at 711 Womble or call 733-2247 for more information.

School menu

Pringle-Morse Menu
September 7 - September 11
Lunch

Monday: Labor Day

Tuesday: Beef enchiladas, spanish rice, refried beans, salad, pineapple, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti, raw vegetables, peas, wheat rolls, chocolate brownies, milk.

Thursday: Hamburgers, trims, chips, pears, milk.

Friday: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, corn, salad, rolls, cherry cheesecake, milk.

Breakfast

Monday: No school
Tuesday: Waffles, sausage, apple juice, milk.

Wednesday: Cereal, toast, orange juice, milk.

Thursday: Eggs, bacon, toast, orange juice, milk.

Friday: Donuts, cheese toast, grape juice, milk.

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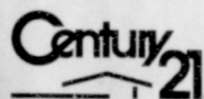
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reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or parts of bids, and to waive any or all bids or parts of bids, and to waive any formalities and technicalities. Detail instructions and specifications on the above may be secured from Allen Alford. Business manager, 407 E 11th Ave., Spearman, TX 79081. Telephone 806/659-2116. S45-1tc

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The City of Gruver will hold a second public hearing at 7:00 p.m. on September 9, 1992, at City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. Topics to be discussed will include the application for water system improvements in the amount of \$207,026 and the estimated amount of funds proposed for activities that will benefit low and moderate income persons. The application will be available for review at City Hall during regular business hours. Gruver City Hall is accessible to the handicapped. S45-1tc

Oil & Gas Report

**NEW LOCATION,
COMPLETION & PLUGGING
REPORT
Week Ending August 27,
1992**

Oil Well Completions
HANSFORD (WILDCAT)
Phillips Petroleum Co., #1 Lemma 'B', Sec. 95.2, GH&H, elev. 3196 kb, spud 5-18-92, drlg. compl 6-14-92, tested 8-21-92, pumped 62.2 bbl. of -- grav. oil + 280 bbls. water, GOR --, perforated 8143-8157, TD 8292', PBT 8190' --
OCHILTREE (NORTH CHUNN Marmaton) Alpar Resources, Inc., #1 Schubert, Sec. 73.4-T,T&NO, elev. 3065 gr, spud 6-26-92, drlg. compl 7-22-92, tested 8-1-92, pumped 5 bbl. of 38.6 grav. oil + 7 bbls. water, GOR 660, perforated 6700-6714, TD 8376', PBT 7200' -

Gas Well Completions
HANSFORD (N.E. GRUVER Douglas) Bracken Energy Co., #1-8 Etlng, Sec. 8,P,H&GN, elev. 3176 gr, spud 6-17-92, drlg. compl 7-2-92, tested 7-2-92, potential 1490 MCF, rock pressure 1257, pay 4822-4832, TD 5106', PBT 4886' -- Re-Entry

Plugged Wells

**HANSFORD (HANSFORD Upper Morrow) Bracken Energy Co., #1-66 McClellan, Sec. 66.4-T,T&NO, spud 3-18-92, plugged 7-22-92, TD 7400' (dry) --
**HUTCHINSON (PAN-HANDLE) Enerex Supply, Inc., #81 Cockrell Ranch, Sec. 11,B-3,D&SE, spud 8-16-41, plugged 8-10-92, TD 3064' (oil) -- Form 1 filed in Phillips Petroleum
**OCHILTREE (DUTCHER Cleveland) Maxus Exploration Co., #1 Max W. Boyer, Sec. 489.43,H&TC spud 1-13-62, plugged 7-22-92, TD 7230' (oil) -- Form 1 filed in The Shamrock Oil & Gas Corp.
**OCHILTREE (FARNSWORTH-CONNER Des Moines) Maxus Exploration Co., Christ H. Kelln, Sec. 8.13,I&GN (oil) -- Form 1 filed in The Shamrock Oil & Gas Corp., for the following wells:
#2, spud 3-9-63, plugged 7-25-92, TD 7045' --
#7, spud 5-24-63, plugged 7-30-92, TD 7020' --
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Gruver school activities get underway



Gruver Varsity Football Roster: (l-r) First Row: Hart Derington, Steve Pando, Robert Whitaker, Carey Kauffman, Ira Gross, Heath Gaines, Justin Carthel, Jason Bartinus, Ricky Oliva. Second Row: Fabian Royval, Chris Stork, Kenton Odom, Ryan Atwood, Victor Lopez, Jace Dawson, Raul Villegas, Brady Pool, Ruben DeSantiago, Tracy Taylor. Third Row: T.J. Bayles, Kevin Spivey, Matt Etheredge, Cody Barley, Aaron Frick, Jeffrey Price.



1992 Gruver J.V. Football Team (Not in order.): Bailey Barkley (2), Joe Bravo (18), Fabian Salazar (10), John Holland (15), Kevin McNett (3), Max Frick (22), Travis Ferguson (23), Wylee Maupin (34), Jason Ward (39), Daniel Bort (44), Matthew Beasley (51), Scott Jarvis (53), Roma Tomlinson (59), Andy Morris (60), Ricardo Soto (62), Juan Arreola (66), Brady Tidwell (74), J.D. Christian (75), Tye Womble (83), Rosalio Arreola (84), Isaias Arzate (88), Sammy Renteria (57), Phil DeLa Cruz (72).



Varsity team captains are Carey Kauffman, Matt Etheredge and Cody Barkley.

GRUVER HIGH SCHOOL 1992-93 VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE			
DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Aug. 21	Canadian (Scrimmage)	Here	TBA
Aug. 27	Texhoma (Scrimmage)	There	TBA
Sept. 4	Wheeler	There	8:00
Sept. 11	Boise City	There	7:30
Sept. 18	**White Deer	Here	8:00
Sept. 25	*Highland Park	There	7:30
Oct. 2	*Boys Ranch	Here	7:30
Oct. 9	*Spearman	There	7:30
Oct. 16	*Stratford	Here	7:30
Oct. 23	*West Texas	There	7:30
Oct. 30	OPEN		
Nov. 6	*Sunray	Here	7:30
**HOMECOMING			
**DISTRICT			
GRUVER JUNIOR HIGH 1992-1993 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE			
Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Sept. 10	Spearman	There	5:00
Sept. 17	Sunray	Here	TBA
Sept. 24	Highland Park	Here	TBA
Oct. 1	Boys Ranch	There	TBA
Oct. 8	Spearman	Here	TBA
Oct. 15	Stratford	There	TBA
Oct. 22	West Texas	Here	TBA
Oct. 29	OPEN		
Nov. 5	Sunray	There	TBA

Lady hounds begin quest



1992 Gruver Cross Country Team Juniors and Seniors (l-r) Front Row Traci Crawford, Lory Lindsey, Wynn Maupin, Mika McLain, Holly Venneman, Cora Meyer. Second row Sara Jones, Shanna Jarvis, Monica Ward, Janelle Haefner, Kasey Davis.



1992 Gruver Cross Country Team Freshman and Sophmores (l-r) Front Row: Myriam Alvarez, Janyth Hart, Kiki Carthel, Cristy Marquez. Second Row: Wendy Rodriguez, Kim Venneman, Joni Hart, Julie Meyer, Robbi Mathews, Molly McLain. Third Row: Tisha Ralston, Kimbo Wagner, Sahala McCloy, Shannon Acker, Cori Lowe, Tara Shapley.

by Bob Bort

The Gruver Lady Hounds cross country team will begin their quest this week for a second state championship in three years, this time in class AA. It won't be easy, as Stratford will be picked to win district and state. They finished 3rd at Georgetown last year in AA, while Gruver finished second to Claude there in class A.

"We have eleven girls, and maybe thirteen if you count two freshmen, competing for seven spots on the varsity," says coach Steve Myatt of Gruver. "The competition will be tough to make our team, and will be tougher than last year to get to Georgetown," he adds.

Coach Myatt talks about the program, and about his team. "I tell the girls we have a good tradition going that we want to build on. Our goal is going to state and trying to win at Georgetown. Moving up to AA will make it tougher, but our goal is to be better than we were last year, when we finished second to Claude. So we have a chance at it."

Coach Myatt's big task now is getting his girls healthy. "We have a lot of girls hurting," says Myatt. "We won't know who all will be competing in our first meet until late this week."

Gruver will open their season by participating in the Borger Cross Country Meet this Saturday morning, Sept. 5, at Borger. Hopefully it will be the start of some good things to come. But for Coach Myatt, having a varsity and junior varsity squad may be a week to week thing for a while, until all the girls are healthy.

Pool wins all-around

by Angela Jones
Copy Editor

Gruver's Brady Pool won the all-around title at the Tri-State Rodeo held in Canadian last weekend.

He earned a total of 27 points in four events and won three of these events to claim the title.

In the saddle bronc riding Pool scored 33 points which was good

enough to win him a first place in the event. Brook Bearden of Dumas won second with a score of 23 points.

Pool also won the team roping event. He and Sage Britain, also of Gruver, roped their steer in 8.540 seconds. This time was 1.757 seconds faster than the second place

See Pool page 8

Gruver Band...

prepares first performance

By Angela Jones
Copy Editor

As school begins, so does studies, sports and music. The Hansford County schools are no exception. Gruver's Band program is already getting ready for their first performance.

Band Director, Todd Parker, said that they are getting ready to perform at the football game against Wheeler this Friday, Sept. 4. He stated that they will begin with a Spanish opener called "Montera" and then play a ballad from Robin Hood called "Everything I Do." To finish out the performance they will perform the Gruver Fight Song at half time.

Parker said that 35 students are in the band program this year. The Drum Major is Carmen Moreno and the Twirler is Kristi Pittman.

The band members are busy with many other activities as well as getting ready for football performances. According to Parker they started their annual fund raiser

yesterday, Sept. 2. "We're asking the people in our community to renew their magazine subscriptions by contacting a band member. We are also selling tapes and CD's of popular and country music," Parker said and added, "If a person would like to renew a magazine or order tapes and don't know a band member call 733-2082 during business hours or 733-2240 after business hours."

The money raised is used to help the band compete in various competitions. The first Marching Band contest is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 24, in Borger, according to Parker.

"Each year I've been here the band has gotten better and better. In 1991-92 they earned all second division excellent ratings at the Marching Band Contest, Concert Band Contest and Sight Reading Contest at the American Classic Music Contest in Dallas," concluded Parker.



1992 Gruver Marching Band and Flag Team (Not in order.): Julie Aguilar, Freddy Aguilar, Myriam Alvarez, Jaun Arreola, Rosalio Arreola, Jason Bartimus, Matt Beasley, Erica Blount, Macee Casdorff, Ruben DeSantiago, John Duncan, Braquel Ferguson, Heath Gaines, Monica Garcia, Bridgett Griffin, Laura Gilleland, Amber Gross, Karlah Heath, Sara Jones, Hailey Lamb, Kevin McNett, Manuel Morales, Carmen Moreno, Andy Morris, Ricky Oliva, Carmen Ortega, Socorro Ortega, Steve Pando, Kristy Pittman, Junior Rivera, Fabian Royval, Andee Salmans, Toby Setliff, Melissa Thompson.

GRUVER CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE		
DATE	MEET	PLACE
Sept. 5	Borger	Borger
Sept. 12	Perryton	Lake Fryer
Sept. 19	OPEN	
Sept. 26	Amarillo	Thompson Park
Oct. 3	Dumas	Dumas
Oct. 10	Lubbock	*Lubbock
Oct. 17	Stratford	Stratford
Oct. 26	DISTRICT MEET	Boys Ranch
Nov. 7	REGIONALS	Lubbock
Nov. 14	STATE MEET	Georgetown

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Obituary

FRANK LEWIS MORSE - Frank Lewis, 60 died Thursday, Aug. 27, 1992, in Amarillo. Services were held at 4 p.m. Monday, Aug. 31, in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Bill Austin of Amarillo officiating. Burial was at Lieb Cemetery by Minton-Chatwell

Funeral Directors of Borger. Mr. Lewis was born in Kamay and had been a Morse resident for 30 years. He was a schoolteacher in Spearman and taught for 39 years. He was a graduate of Midwestern State University. He was a member of Masonic Lodge No. 729 in Memphis, Morse Lions Club

and First Baptist Church, and was the president of H & H Credit Union in Morse. Survivors include his wife, Mildred Lewis; a son, Van Lewis of New Braunfels; a daughter, Linda Lou Lewis of Wichita Falls; two brothers, Amos Lewis of Temple, Okla., and Amer Lewis of Harlingen; a sister, Alma Thompson of San Angela; and a granddaughter.

Essay from page 1

The contest is being held on the Quintcentennial of Columbus arriving in America on October 12, 1492.

For more information on the essay contest, contact the Station Master's House Museum or a member of the Hansford County Historical Commission.

MDA from page 1

Spearman youth are encouraged to come to the Volunteer Fire Department located on Hazelwood to pick up their collection canisters. Registration time is from 8:30 - 9 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 7. Children then have until 3:30 p.m. to return the canisters.

It is stressed that all youth must be registered, have an MDA badge and official numbered canister to be eligible for the prizes that are going to be given.

Pool from page 6

team, Rusty Slavin and Joe Koch, who roped their steer in 10.297 seconds.

Then in the steer wrestling Pool threw his steer four seconds faster than the second place finisher. Pool's time was 8.030 seconds and Travis Goad of Wheeler placed second with a time of 12.321.

Pool placed third in the ribbon roping event. His time in the event was 9.885 seconds, only 0.542 seconds away from Pecos Shafer's 9.343 winning time. Heath Mitchell placed second with a time of 9.652.

Another Gruver participant at the Canadian rodeo was Steve Cochrah. He roped and tied his calf in 14.295 seconds, which was quick enough to place him third. Jim Locke of Canadian won the event with a 11.754 and Seth Fiel of Canadian was second with a time of 13.850.

The next Tri-State Rodeo is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 7, in Stinnett. Performances will be at 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. The rodeo is

part of the City of Stinnett's 66th birthday celebration.

Spearman School Lunch Menu September 7-11

- Monday: NO SCHOOL**
- Tuesday:** Chicken Patties, gravy optional, tossed salad, buttered carrots, biscuits, butter and jelly optional, fruit, milk
- Wednesday:** Charbroiled Chopped Beef Stick, mashed potatoes with brown gravy, green beans, hot rolls with butter, banana pudding, milk
- Thursday:** Beef tips & gravy over rice, black-eyed peas, spinach, fresh fruit, milk
- Friday:** Cheeseburger, french fries, lettuce-tomato, pickle-onion, oatmeal cookie, milk

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Bible Study Wed. 7:30 p.m.
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Living With Christ 7:50 a.m. M-F
Minister Arnis Pape

Fellowship Baptist
1102 S. Archer 659-2448
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m. Wed.
Youth: 7:30 Wed.
Pastor Rick Fincher

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

Primera Mission Bautista
502 E. 7th 659-3991
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Pastor Guadalupe Carranza, Jr.

Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA)
1101 Bernice 659-2252
worships with
First Presbyterian Church
1021 Cotter 659-2033
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. at Lutheran
Worship: 11 a.m. (alternates monthly between addresses above)
Pastor Beverly Cook

First United Methodist
407 S. Haney 659-5503
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Jr. High Youth: 5 p.m. Sun.
High School: 6 p.m. Sun.
Pastor Todd Dyess

Trinity Community Church
1105 S. Roland 659-2671
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday evening: 7 p.m.
Pastor Dan Carter

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First Baptist Church
402 E. Broadway 733-2411
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Disciple Training: 6 p.m. Sun.
Youth Happening: 6:30 p.m. Wed.
Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m. Wed.
Pastor Larry Miller

Community Bible Church (Interdenominational)
Hwy. 15 733-2443
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.
Pastor Zane Gray

Church of Christ
209 King 733-2760
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Worship: 10:20 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Wed. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Minister Bob Setcliff

Union Church
31 S. Endicott 659-2644
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6:30 p.m.
Bible Study: 7:30 p.m. Wed.
Youth: 7:30 p.m. Wed.
Pastor Jeff L. Burress

First Christian Church
510 King 733-2960
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 6:30 Wed.
Pastor Gary Gumfory

Oslo Lutheran Church (ECLA)
West of Gruver
On Hwy 15 & N. FM 1162
339-7646
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Morning Prayer: 9 a.m. Wed.
Pioneer Clubs (Grades 1-6):
4-5:30 p.m. Wed.
Pastor John R. Chandler

First United Methodist
Broadway & Garrett 733-2651
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:55 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 7 p.m.
UMY: 6 p.m.
Pastor Lewis Holland

Body and Soul

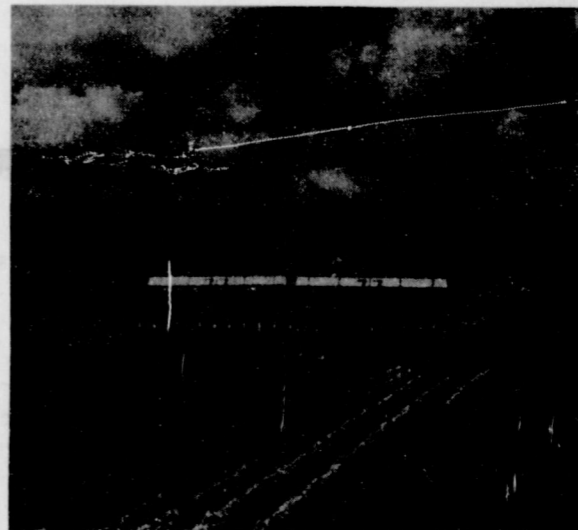
Contemplate the connection...work and soul. Work and the body...a straightforward concept; whatever our work, we must utilize our body, whether primarily brain or brawn. Work and the soul...now ponder this. How do you feel, physically and emotionally, after an active and satisfying workday? Perhaps a feeling of stimulation...of elevation...of the body and the soul...sometimes coined "a good tired". Why? Because work done with dedication is also good for the soul.

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Inclusive in our celebration during the week of Labor Day, as we worship, may we praise God as the source of our talents and our vigor.

"He who labors as he prays lifts his heart to God with his hands."

— St. Bernard of Clairvaux



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Sunday	John 15:1-25
Monday	I Corinthians 13:1-13
Tuesday	Isaiah 11:1-9
Wednesday	Exodus 23:1-12
Thursday	Deuteronomy 24:5-22
Friday	Psalms 72
Saturday	I Kings 3:1-28

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