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Hansford County residents heading for the polls, Nov. 3

by Angela Jones
Editor

Hansford County residents will be heading for the polls Tuesday, Nov. 3, and if all of the registered voters in the county cast their ballots a total of 3,036 people will have voted in the 1992 Presidential Election.

According to the County Clerk Amelia Johnson, there will be eight different polling locations in Hansford County. Each of these polling places will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. for people living in that precinct to cast their ballots.

Voters living in Precinct 1 will be voting in the foyer at the Spearman Varsity Gym. According to the clerks office there are

728 people registered to vote in this precinct.

The 73 registered voters in Precinct 2 will cast their ballots at the Renner Ranch.

Precinct 3 residence will be required to vote at the Community Bible Church in Gruver. There are 252 people registered to vote in this precinct.

In Precinct 4 there are 629 registered voters which will be casting their ballots at the County Barn in Gruver.

There are 504 registered voters in Precinct 5. These voters will be casting their ballots at the County Barn in Spearman.

Persons in Precinct 6 will be voting at the Spearman High

School. 679 people are registered to vote in this precinct.

Oslo Lutheran Church is the polling location for the 49 registered voters in Precinct 7.

The polling location for Precinct 9 is the Morse Community Building. A total of 122 voters are registered to cast their ballots in this precinct.

If any registered voter will not be able to cast their ballot on November 3, absentee voting continues through Friday, Oct. 30, in the Hansford County Courthouse deliberation room. Ballots may be cast from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

As of Monday morning, Oct. 26, 149 Hansford County residents had taken advantage of absentee voting, according to Verna Gail Keim, deputy clerk.

Precinct maps, polling locations, sample ballot on page 5

PTAs to hold carnivals Halloween night, October 31

Both the Spearman and Gruver Parent-Teacher Associations will be hosting Carnivals Halloween night, Saturday, Oct. 31.

Gruver's Carnival will start as early as 5:30 p.m. while Spearman festivities will start at 7 p.m. The Spearman carnival will be held at the Hansford County Activity Center on Hazlewood. The Gruver carnival will be held at the Gruver County Barn located on the School Grounds.

The Gruver PTA is planning a costume contest during their annual Halloween Carnival, Saturday, Oct. 31 in the County Barn. The costume contest will start at 7 p.m. with categories for preschool; kindergarten; first, second, third and fourth; junior high; high school; and adult.

At 5:30 p.m. the food booths will open to kickoff the Carnival. There will be drinks, chili, frito pies, nachos, hamburgers, caramel apples and Mexican food. The jun-

ior class will have the Cake Walk with many taste homemade cakes and cookies.

Then at 7:30 p.m. the game booths will open. They will stay open until 10 p.m. Most of the game booths will be free, but there will be a charge for the Dunking Board and the Wet Sponge Throw.

The Spook House once again promises to be thrilling.

This year the PTA will not be giving prizes at each booth, the small children will be receiving candy.

Also, there will be a door prize given each half hour. PTA members remind everyone that they must be register to be eligible for the drawing.

The Carnival Queen and Escort will be crowned at 9 p.m. The Gruver PTA encourages everyone to vote. Votes for your favorite Class Queen and Escort are just 1¢ each. Candidates for this year are:

Senior Queen - Kevin Spivey,

Escort - Cora Meyer; Junior Queen - Lee Bob Harper, Escort - Shanna Jarvis; Sophomore Queen - Victor Lopez, Escort - Tisha Ralston; Freshman Queen - Doug Gumfory, Escort - Cristy Marquez.

The carnival is not a money making project for the PTA, just a way of bringing our children, parents, teachers and citizens of our community together. There will be two tables set up at each entrance for free-will donations. PTA members say that it is through these donations that they are able to provide a night of cost free enjoyment for the youth of the community. These donations also help to make the carnival self-supporting.

Gruver PTA members would like to say Thank You to all those who have helped with the carnival in the past and who are supporting us again this year.

The Spearman carnival festivities will go on till 10 p.m. They include several food and drink



Texas Secretary of State John Hannah Jr., is surrounded by Spearman High School Student Council members after his speech at the high school Thursday, Oct. 22. Hannah addressed a mixed audience of Spearman High School students and Spearman and Hansford County Officials. The purpose of his speech was to introduce Project V.O.T.E. (Voters of Tomorrow through Education) to the students of Spearman High School. V.O.T.E. is a school wide program to introduce students to the mechanics of voting. Hannah hopes that by introducing students to the mechanics of voting before they are eligible to vote, they will be more enthusiastic about voting when they become old enough to vote. S.I.S.D. is one of only a few schools through out the state chosen to participate in this pilot project.



booths. The drink booths should see a lot of activity as kids attending the carnival work up a thirst playing at the game booths that will be set up.

Game booths include a Grand Prize Game, tossing bean bags, Wheel of Fortune and ping pong toss for money. For those who want to add to their costume there will be a face painting booth.

A person might want to take time out to try to dunk their favorite "dunkie" at the dunking booth. Dr. Partney Coach Roades, Carla Flowers, Linda Wilkerson, Elodia Bravo and David Furlow or Bran-

See Carnival page 10

Council discusses "No parking" zone

Spearman City Council members considered the Spearman PTA's request to create "no parking" and "unloading" zones at the elementary and junior high schools when the council met in regular session Tuesday, Oct. 20.

PTA members Janet Scarbrough and Candi Delozier represented the PTA at the meeting. Their (The PTA's) request was that the city create "no parking" and "unloading" zones in front of the elementary and junior high schools (on the east and west sides of Townsend).

They also asked that numerous "no parking" and "parking anytime" signs be placed at various points.

Also the PTA wanted to create another exit from the junior high parking lot onto fifth avenue, a "right turn only."

City Manager, Kelvin Knauf explained that under the law a person could briefly stop their vehicle, take their child into the school and not be in violation of a "no parking" ordinance. It was also stated that the west side of Townsend is a residential area and the city had no right to decrease the value of those homes by designating a "no parking" zone.

Another issue considered in this request was the cost and maintenance.

After this discussion, Knauf suggested that "Unloading zone only, 7:45 - 8:15 a.m." be painted on the curb. He also stated that since the junior high parking lot is not a public street, the city can not enforce a "right-turn only" sign, drivers would have to voluntarily comply. He did state that he saw no harm in placing an exit sign onto

Fifth Avenue since there is a four-way stop at the intersection (Townsend and Fifth).

Charles Elliott motioned that the council paint "unloading zone only, 7:45 - 8:15 a.m." on the curb on the east side of Townsend. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Another point of business at the meeting was appointing a committee to assist in an economic development plan for Spearman.

Knauf said that the City of Spearman was selected as one of

the communities to receive economic development planning help from the Texas Department of Commerce. This is a rural/community initiative program which is developed to help rural communities select realistic economic development strategies and projects to strengthen and diversify local economies. The department suggests that the city appoint a committee to help with this project. A list of citizens was compiled from the different sectors of the community. Knauf is going to contact these individuals to see if they are interested in serving on the committee.

City ordinance #613 was approved. This ordinance was the approving of the 1992 tax roll for the city in the amount of \$291,776.65.

Other business at the meeting was the approval of the minutes from the last meeting, revenue and expense reports and payment of the monthly bills in the amount of \$142,652.23. They also approved the monthly fire, ambulance, police, municipal court and animal control reports as presented.

Next Spearman Council meeting Nov. 17

Space still available...

for Panhandle day in Austin, Feb. 16

On Tuesday, Feb. 16, Hansford County residents will be pounding the halls of the state Capitol pushing business issues for the Texas Panhandle with people from several community in northwest Texas.

Are you interested in attending? Spearman Chamber of Commerce Manager Cindy Blackman said, "We have five (people) committed for sure, but we can take up to 15." She added that she would like to have at least 10 people from

Spearman attend.

If you are interested, the deadline to sign-up is Friday, Nov. 20. The cost per person will be about \$220, said Blackman. She then explained that they (all the towns participating) are chartering a plane from Amarillo.

According to Blackman, it is a one day trip. Participants will leave Amarillo at 10:30 a.m. "When we get there we have the option to stay with the 'our' group or you can go with another group to address specific issues as a representative of

Spearman."

So far the Spearman group is meeting with the Public Utilities Commission. They also have appointments with Teel Bivins and Warren Chisum. Blackman added, "There will probably be someone from the Palo Duro River Authority that goes, so we hope to meet with Texas Water Commissioner John Hall.

Other activities planned for the trip are a lunch at noon with Governor Ann Richards as the keynote speaker. From 5:30 p.m. to 7:30

p.m. there will be a reception for legislators at the Four Seasons Hotel and the plane will depart from Austin at 8 p.m. The time from 2 to 5 p.m. has been designated for appointments and visits to legislators.

Some of the other communities that will be participating in the Panhandle day in Austin are Borger, Canadian, Canyon, Clarendon, Amarillo, Dalhart, Hereford, Dimmitt, Dumas, Friona and Perryton. More communities planning on attending are Pampa, Shamrock, Stratford and Tulia.

If you are interested in attending or want more information call Cindy Blackman at 659-5555.

Soil and Water Conservation District...

gives annual report for 1992

Many accomplishments and activities have been noted in the Hansford Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) during the 1992 fiscal year.

The current SWCD Board of Directors consists of Willard "Si" McCloy, chairman; Elmo Dahl, vice-chairman; Keith Lamb, secretary-treasurer; Robert Novak, member; and Charles Brillhart, member. District employees include Ben Upchurch, technician; and Joanne Eaton, clerk.

USDA-Soil Conservation Service personnel headquartered at the Spearman Field Office which assist SWCD landusers are Monnie Edwards, district conservationist; Duval Burton, soil conservationist; and Joe Vanderburg, soil conservation technician. Ernestine

Gray, a Green Thumb program participant, also provides assistance to the SCS staff.

Some of the SWCD's activities included the Banker's Award Banquet in November and attendance at the Panhandle Association of SWCD's meeting at Canyon and Amarillo.

Accomplishments included providing technical assistance to 344 landusers with 218 of those assisted applying one or more conservation practices. Fifty-three new or revised conservation plans were developed with SWCD cooperators.

Some of the conservation practices applied included over 4,000 acres of Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) land seeded or reseeded to grass, eighteen acres of grassed waterways shaped, 11,350 feet of

diversion terraces constructed, two irrigation tailwater recovery systems completed, 11,700 feet of livestock water pipeline installed, four livestock water storage facilities completed and 56,437 feet of underground irrigation pipeline installed.

The SWCD also sold 2,060 windbreak seedling trees to local landusers for planting in wildlife habitat plots as well as farmstead windbreaks.

Exercise
your right to
vote Tuesday,
Nov. 3



Picture here are Spearman Elementary fifth grade teacher Verlan Winegarner and the top three winners of the fifth grade's Annual Indian Dwelling contest. First place went to Amber Ramon (mid.), second place went to Jerry Ledgewood (left) and third was Landon Delozier. 77 students participated in the contest.

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An account has been set up for Avo Tope Gray at First State Bank. The account # is 19-028-4 for those of you who would like to make donations. Mrs. Gray recently had quit work under her doctors advise.

The Women's Division of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce will sponsor its Annual Holiday Style Show. This year it will be a brunch starting at 10:30 a.m. It will be held at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall on Saturday, Nov. 14. This would be a good time to start your Christmas list so be sure to bring your mom with you! Tickets can be purchased from any member of the Women's Division or you can call the Chamber of Commerce, 659-5555.

The Hansford County Heart Association is meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 10, at the El Vaquero Restaurant in Gruver.

BREAST CANCER SCREENING CLINIC - A project of Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Hospital. The clinic will be held on Friday, Nov. 13, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Gruver United Methodist Church. If you are on a fixed income or low income, financial aid is available. Everyone is welcome to attend, but it must be by appointment. Call toll free 1-800-377-4673. You may be eligible for a free screening, so be sure to call.

A Food and Nutrition Workshop and Consumer Skills Workshop will be held on Saturday, Oct. 31, at the Gruver United Methodist Church. Registration will begin at 8:45 a.m. The program will consist of Candy Delights by Mary Olsen, a tour of Dairy Queen, Pumpkin Carving by Deryla Stedje, Tumbling into Health by Tika Farrar, Tablefare by Celebrate and Pumpkin Creations by Janie Kunselman. Rules for both groups will be explained by Karen Babitzke. Anyone age 9 to 19 or Clover Kids (K-2) are welcome to attend. Parents are welcome to stay and participate. Bring a sack lunch.

Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman
Chamber Manager

A lot of Questions have been asked here lately concerning the local pledge drive for funding the Community Center. Maybe this will be able to answer some of those questions:

Why this campaign? To raise funds to build and operate a community center for the citizens of Spearman.

How much am I expected to give? You are the only person who can decide what your gift should be. Please consider the needs as explained to you, your financial capabilities.

Who is being asked to contribute? We are trying to give every family or individual in Spearman the opportunity to help with this project.

What if my financial circumstances change? A pledge is an expression of your intention. If later you are unable to meet your commitment, you may change your pledge by notifying the Spearhead Corporation.

May I pay my pledge in full now? Of course you may, but then please consider repeating your gift next year and the year after. Please consider a pledge over a three year period, payable in the manner most convenient to you. An effort of this

size cannot succeed with out-of-pocket cash gifts.

May I give securities? Certainly. In fact, by giving securities that have appreciated, you can avoid paying capital gains taxes and receive a charitable tax deduction for the full current value of the security.

Some of the activities that have been listed as important to the area that the Activity Center could be used for are: art show and talks, book reviews, game night - senior party, cooking schools, fitness training, CPR - defensive driving classes, pottery classes, art classes, quilting classes, boat shows, gun & knife shows, car shows, farmers market, dances and concerts.

Pledge card can be picked up at the Chamber of Commerce office, 211 Main St. Members of the Board of Directors of the Spearhead Corp. can help you with any questions that you may have. We would also like to encourage you to fill out a pledge card and return it to the chamber - Verna Lee Shirley, Mike Cudd, Bob Boxwell, Larry Butler, Lenis Simpson, Charles Newcomb, Bob Pearson, Helen Etter, Jackie Pearson, Cindy Blackman, Kelvin Knauff and Don Townsen.

School menu

Spearman School Menu
November 2 - November 6
Lunch

Monday: Steak fritter on bun, lettuce-tomato salad, steak house fries, fruit cup, milk

Tuesday: Beef stew, grilled cheese sandwich, dill spear, fruit, milk

Wednesday: Corn dog, macaroni & cheese, steamed carrots, orange juice, peach cobbler, milk

Thursday: Turkey, dressing, gravy (optional), green beans, cranberry sauce, bread slice, sweet potato pie & whipped topping, milk

Friday: Hamburger, french fries, lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion, birthday cake, milk

Karen's Kozy Korner

by Karen Babitzke
Extension Agent

Protect your environment by using your kitchen wisely

Protecting the environment has become a top priority. While the future of the environment lies to a great extent in the hands of government leaders and set policies, grassroots efforts to curb energy use can also make a significant impact on the state of the planet. Follow these tips to use less energy in the kitchen:

* Use the smallest oven possible to cook; larger ovens may use more energy than is necessary, which in turn can contribute to environmen-

tal damage.

* Save glass jars and plastic containers and use them instead of aluminum foil or plastic wrap to store leftovers.

* Take advantage of a crock pot, which uses little energy, for soups and stews or other dishes that take a long time to cook.

* Cook with a pan that is the same size as the burner when cooking on an electric stove. If a six-inch pan is heated on an eight-inch burner, more than 40 percent of the heat generated by the burner is lost.

* When possible, keep the lid on

a pot or pan during cooking. Spaghetti heated in a pot without the lid requires three times as long to cook as spaghetti heated in a covered pot.

* Keep metal grease-catching burner pans clean. Clean, shiny pans reflect heat up toward the cookware, whereas dirty, blackened ones absorb heat and reduce cooking efficiency.

* Turn off electric burners a minute or so before a dish is fully cooked; a red hot burner will continue to generate heat.

* Contact the gas company if gas flames are yellow rather than blue. Yellow signals that the gas is not burning efficiently.

* Keep air circulating inside the oven by staggering pans on upper and lower racks. Good air flow allows for efficient cooking of foods.

* Make sure the inside of the microwave oven is clean to maximize its ability to heat food.

A "No" averts seventy troubles.

—Indian Proverb



Ballet began in the royal courts of Italy during the 1400's. The early dancers were court nobles performing special versions of social dances of the times.



Submerging a lemon in hot water for fifteen minutes before squeezing it will yield much more juice.

At the movies . . .

Beginning Friday, October 30, and running through Tuesday, November 3, is "Sneakers" on screen 1 at 7:45 p.m. and "Captain Ron" on screen 2 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman. "Sneakers" stars Robert Redford, Sidney Poitier, Dan Aykroyd, River Phoenix and David Strathairn.

In this film, Redford plays Bishop. He is a former '60s anti-war computer hacker who has eluded the authorities and earns

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his living as a top-notch security consultant. The members of his team include a former CIA agent named Crease (Poitier), a conspiracy-obsessed ex-con called Mother (Aykroyd), a blind wire-tapping whiz called Whistler (Strathairn) and a young hacker named Carl (Phoenix). These individuals are hired by corporations and other institutions to find vulnerabilities in their security systems, and this team always seems to find the systems weaknesses.

Then when two men claiming to be federal agents blackmail the team into taking on a "special assignment" they begin to realize that everything is not as it seems. First, they are suppose to be stealing a mysterious electronic box which they discover is a master code-breaker. This box device could totally disrupt every computer dependent operation in America.

As if that isn't enough, the team then discovers that the "feds" who hired them aren't really government agents at all.

A leading review magazine has this to say about the movie - "By

turns funny and tense, good-natured and gripping, "Sneakers" is old-fashioned, new-fangled movie entertainment.

"Sneakers" is rated PG-13.

"Captain Ron" stars Kurt Russell and Martin Short.

It is a comedy at the high-gees that will get you rolling. In this film Martin Short, the dad who is fed up with the rat race, inherits a sailboat from a long lost relative. He convinces his wife (Mary Kay Place) and their children that they need a break. The family goes down to claim their prize at a Caribbean island.

In need of a seasoned deckhand to help them get the boat back to Florida, they run into Captain Ron (Russell). He is an eyepatch-wearing, beer-swinging, gravelly-voiced sailor, who Short hates on sight. However, Captain Ron enchants the other members of the family as he leads them into and out of encounters throughout the trip.

This film is an adventurous comedy you won't want to miss.

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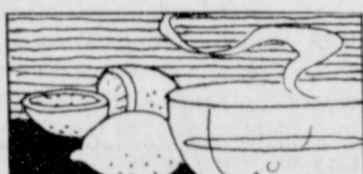
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Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman
Chamber Manager

A lot of Questions have been asked here lately concerning the local pledge drive for funding the Community Center. Maybe this will be able to answer some of those questions:

Why this campaign? To raise funds to build and operate a community center for the citizens of Spearman.

How much am I expected to give? You are the only person who can decide what your gift should be. Please consider the needs as explained to you, your financial capabilities.

Who is being asked to contribute? We are trying to give every family or individual in Spearman the opportunity to help with this project.

What if my financial circumstances change? A pledge is an expression of your intention. If later you are unable to meet your commitment, you may change your pledge by notifying the Spearhead Corporation.

May I pay my pledge in full now? Of course you may, but then please consider repeating your gift next year and the year after. Please consider a pledge over a three year period, payable in the manner most convenient to you. An effort of this

size cannot succeed with out-of-pocket cash gifts.

May I give securities? Certainly. In fact, by giving securities that have appreciated, you can avoid paying capital gains taxes and receive a charitable tax deduction for the full current value of the security.

Some of the activities that have been listed as important to the area that the Activity Center could be used for are: art show and talks, book reviews, game night - senior party, cooking schools, fitness training, CPR - defensive driving classes, pottery classes, art classes, quilting classes, boat shows, gun & knife shows, car shows, farmers market, dances and concerts.

Pledge card can be picked up at the Chamber of Commerce office, 211 Main St. Members of the Board of Directors of the Spearhead Corp. can help you with any questions that you may have. We would also like to encourage you to fill out a pledge card and return it to the chamber - Verna Lee Shirley, Mike Cudd, Bob Boxwell, Larry Butler, Lenis Simpson, Charles Newcomb, Bob Pearson, Helen Etter, Jackie Pearson, Cindy Blackman, Kelvin Knauff and Don Townsen.

School menu

Spearman School Menu
November 2 - November 6
Lunch

Monday: Steak fritter on bun, lettuce-tomato salad, steak house fries, fruit cup, milk

Tuesday: Beef stew, grilled cheese sandwich, dill spear, fruit, milk

Wednesday: Corn dog, macaroni & cheese, steamed carrots, orange juice, peach cobbler, milk

Thursday: Turkey, dressing, gravy (optional), green beans, cranberry sauce, bread slice, sweet potato pie & whipped topping, milk

Friday: Hamburger, french fries, lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion, birthday cake, milk

Karen's Kozy Korner

by Karen Babitzke
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Protect your environment by using your kitchen wisely

Protecting the environment has become a top priority. While the future of the environment lies to a great extent in the hands of government leaders and set policies, grassroots efforts to curb energy use can also make a significant impact on the state of the planet. Follow these tips to use less energy in the kitchen:

* Use the smallest oven possible to cook; larger ovens may use more energy than is necessary, which in turn can contribute to environmen-

tal damage.

* Save glass jars and plastic containers and use them instead of aluminum foil or plastic wrap to store leftovers.

* Take advantage of a crock pot, which uses little energy, for soups and stews or other dishes that take a long time to cook.

* Cook with a pan that is the same size as the burner when cooking on an electric stove. If a six-inch pan is heated on an eight-inch burner, more than 40 percent of the heat generated by the burner is lost.

* When possible, keep the lid on

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* Keep metal grease-catching burner pans clean. Clean, shiny pans reflect heat up toward the cookware, whereas dirty, blackened ones absorb heat and reduce cooking efficiency.

* Turn off electric burners a minute or so before a dish is fully cooked; a red hot burner will continue to generate heat.

* Contact the gas company if gas flames are yellow rather than blue. Yellow signals that the gas is not burning efficiently.

* Keep air circulating inside the oven by staggering pans on upper and lower racks. Good air flow allows for efficient cooking of foods.

* Make sure the inside of the microwave oven is clean to maximize its ability to heat food.

A "No" averts seventy troubles.

—Indian Proverb

At the movies . . .

Beginning Friday, October 30, and running through Tuesday, November 3, is "Sneakers" on screen 1 at 7:45 p.m. and "Captain Ron" on screen 2 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lyric Theatre in Spearman. "Sneakers" stars Robert Redford, Sidney Poitier, Dan Aykroyd, River Phoenix and David Strathairn.

In this film, Redford plays Bishop. He is a former '60s anti-war computer hacker who has eluded the authorities and earns

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his living as a top-notch security consultant. The members of his team include a former CIA agent named Crease (Poitier), a conspiracy-obsessed ex-con called Mother (Aykroyd), a blind wire-tapping whiz called Whistler (Strathairn) and a young hacker named Carl (Phoenix). These individuals are hired by corporations and other institutions to find vulnerabilities in their security systems, and this team always seems to find the systems weaknesses.

Then when two men claiming to be federal agents blackmail the team into taking on a "special assignment" they begin to realize that everything is not as it seems. First, they are suppose to be stealing a mysterious electronic box which they discover is a master code-breaker. This box devise could totally disrupt every computer dependent operation in America.

As if that isn't enough, the team then discovers that the "feds" who hired them aren't really government agents at all.

A leading review magazine has this to say about the movie - "By

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"Sneakers" is rated PG-13. "Captain Ron" stars Kurt Russell and Martin Short.

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In need of a seasoned deckhand to help them get the boat back to Florida, they run into Captain Ron (Russell). He is an eyepatch-wearing, beer-swinging, gravelly-voiced sailor, who Short hates on sight. However, Captain Ron enchants the other members of the family as he leads them into and out of encounters throughout the trip.

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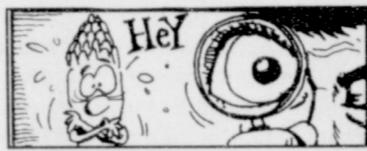
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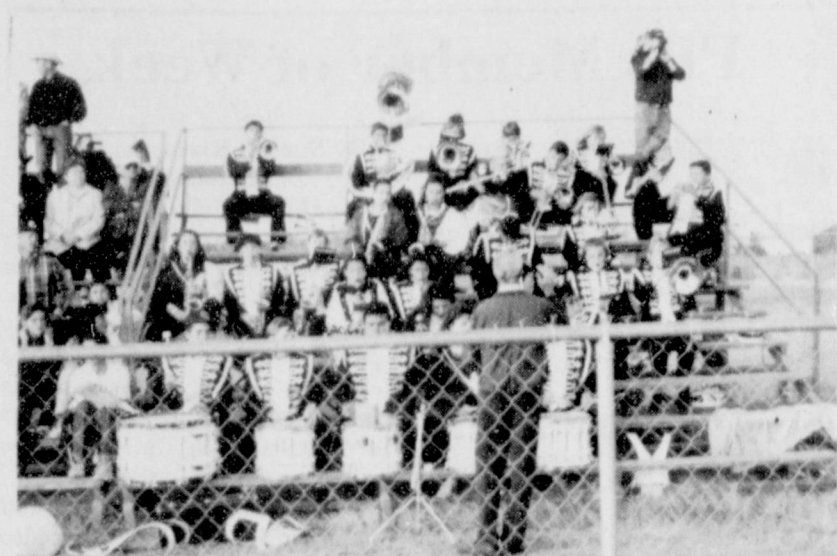
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1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:			
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		1.168	1.a.
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2. Securities		37.680	2.
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5. Assets held in trading accounts			
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)		990	6.
7. Other real estate owned		349	7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies			
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		0	9.
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13. Deposits:			
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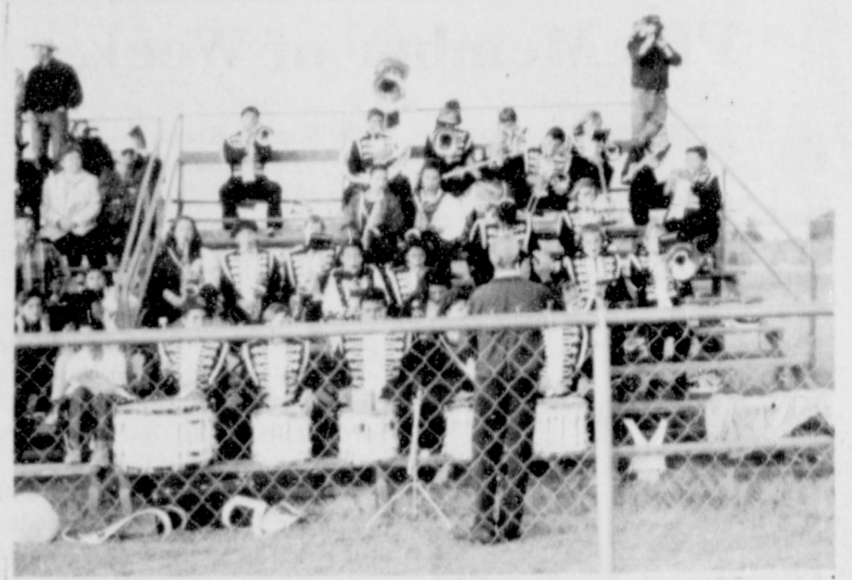
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CITY Spearman	COUNTY Hansford	STATE Texas
ZIP CODE 79081	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE 09/30/1992	
Dollar Amounts in Thousands		
ASSETS		
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	4.168
	b. Interest-bearing balances	1.00
2. Securities		37.680
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:	a. Federal funds sold	0
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:		
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income		25.071
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses		503
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve		0
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)		24.568
5. Assets held in trading accounts		0
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)		990
7. Other real estate owned		349
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		0
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		0
10. Intangible assets		0
11. Other assets		1.380
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)		69.235
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)		N/A
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)		69.235
LIABILITIES		
13. Deposits:		54.230
a. In domestic offices:		
(1) Noninterest-bearing	5.894	13.a.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing	48.336	13.a.(2)
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs:		
(1) Noninterest-bearing	0	13.b.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing	0	13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:		3.025
a. Federal funds purchased		0
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase		0
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury		0
16. Other borrowed money		0
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases		0
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding		0
19. Subordinated notes and debentures		0
20. Other liabilities		632
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)		57.887
22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus		0
EQUITY CAPITAL		
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding	0	0
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized	200,000	1,000
b. Outstanding	200,000	2,400
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)		7,948
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves		0
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities		0
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments		0
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)		11.348
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)		N/A
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28.a & 28.b)		11.348
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c)		69.235
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:		
1. a. Standby letters of credit		51
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a. conveyed to others through participations		0
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report. We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.		
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT	DATE SIGNED	
Robert C. Schnell V.P.	October 23, 1992	
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	Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of October 19 92	
	and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank	
	My commission expires 1-2 19 93	Signature Notary Public

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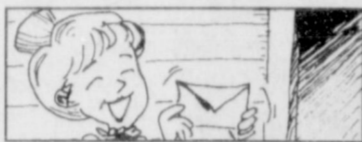
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Obituaries

FLOYD CLOSE SPEARMAN - Floyd Close, 73, died Friday, Oct. 23, 1992.

Graveside services were held Monday, Oct. 26, at 2:30 p.m. in Holt Cemetery with the Rev. Kyle Henderson, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Close was born in Hansford County and was a longtime resident of Spearman. He married Allene Gipson in 1945 at Guymon, Okla. He was a retired farmer and rancher, and a member of First Baptist Church. Mr. Close also served in the 8th Air Force from

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The family requests memorials be to Hansford Hospice, 707 Roland, Spearman 79081 or to a favorite charity.

ANDRES BENAVIDEZ SPEARMAN - Andres Benavidez, 75, died Tuesday, Oct. 20, 1992.

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Mr. Benavidez was born in Lopeno and moved to Spearman 25 years ago from Stanton. He married Concepcion Martinez in 1959 at Sinton. She died in September 1992. He was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Survivors include four stepdaughters, Virginia Reyes and Petra Lozano, both of Spearman, Tomasa de la Cruz of Haskell and Elvira Gonzales of Mathis; three stepsons, Isabel Martinez of Spearman, Leandro Martinez of Spearman, Leandro Martinez of Alvin and Juan Martinez of Mathis; a sister Carlota Aguilar of Mathis; a brother, Ricardo Benavidez of Beeville; 40 grandchildren; 60 great-grandchildren; and four great-great grandchildren.

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8 7	Spivey 4 pass from Lopez (Barkley pass from Dawson)
8 13	Humphrey 69 run (pass failed)
8 19	Honeycutt 20 pass from Britain (kick failed)
16 19	Frick 2 run (Etheredge run)
23 19	Lopez 31 run (A. Frick kick)
30 19	Frick 10 run (A. Frick kick)

STATS	GRU	WT
First Downs	20	14
Carries/Yards/Rushing	60-309	41-199
Passing Comp/Att/Int	4-11-1	7-18-4
Passing Yards	81	66
Total Offense	390	265
Punts/Yards	1-33	2-41
Fumbles/Lost	6-5	5-3
Penalties	8-85	6-51

Carnival from page 1

don Vanderburg are the choices for this year's carnival.

The Spearman Carnival organizers report there will be something fun for everyone.

Hansford Hospice holds meeting

The Hansford Hospice held their monthly meeting in the Community Room of First State Bank, Spearman, October 19th.

It was announced that Brenda Wall will be Hospice Director, Vera Dominguez will be Hospice R.N. and Anna Beth Wood will be Hospice Coordinator.

The Tree of Lights program will be held at 5:30 p.m. November 30th at the front of First State Bank, Spearman. There will be an Open House in the Community Room of First State Bank following the lighting ceremony.

The following officers were elected for 1993:

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| <p>IN SPEARMAN</p> <p>Apostolic Faith Church
822 S. Dressen 659-2870
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sun.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m.
Pastor James Brown</p> <p>First Assembly of God
401 N. Bernice 659-2295
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wednesday Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 7:30 Wednesday
Pastor Ray Cook</p> <p>First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
29 S. Bernice 659-2036
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Women's Bible Study: 2 p.m. Wed.
Youth: Wed. 6 p.m. & Sun. 5 p.m.
Pastor LaVern Draper</p> <p>Sacred Heart Catholic Church
901 Roland 659-2166
Sat. Night Mass: 7 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m.
C.C.D.: 10:30 a.m. Sun.
Father Al Brudning</p> <p>Church of Christ
121 S. Haney 659-3244
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Bible Study Wed. 7:30 p.m.
KRDF Radio Program
Living With Christ 7:50 a.m. M-F
Minister Arnis Pape</p> <p>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</p> | <p>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</p> <p>Primera Mission Bautista
502 E. 7th 659-3991
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Pastor Guadalupe Carranza, Jr.</p> <p>Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA)
1101 Bernice 659-2252
worshps with</p> <p>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</p> <p>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</p> | <p>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</p> <p>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</p> <p>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</p> <p>Gruver United Methodist
Broadway & Garrett 733-2651
Sunday School: 10:50 a.m.
Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
UMY: 6 p.m.
Pastor Lewis Holland</p> | <p>IN GRUVER</p> <p>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: 7:30 p.m. Wed.
Pastor Larry Miller</p> <p>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</p> <p>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</p> |
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A House or a Home?

What is your initial impression upon viewing this photograph? It appears to be autumn. Perhaps you sense sadness or emptiness, seeing merely a portion of an old abandoned house framed by dry, brittle leaves. On the other hand, maybe you sense warmth and cheer, as you picture a cozy late Saturday afternoon... red-nosed youngsters defrosting themselves with mugs of steaming hot chocolate at Grandma and Grandpa's after spending several hours raking late autumn leaves.

Has your impression altered? Do you see a house or a home? Is your cup half empty or half full? It's all up to you... and God. In the familiar twenty-first Psalm, David proclaims, "... my cup overfloweth... and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever."

Dwell in the Lord's house each Sabbath and your cup will overflow with His love. The Lord's house is always a home.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Luke 6:39-49	Daniel 2:1-45	1 Corinthians 2:1-16	Isaiah 44:1-20	1 Timothy 6:1-21	1 Corinthians 15:1-34	1 Corinthians 15:35-58

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