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**NHS INDUCTEES** - A total of fourteen new members were sworn to the Edna Hartman Chapter of the Honor Society in Spearman, last Wednesday, February 1. The new members were: (Back Row l to r) Lucas Biggs, Bill Pittman, Dillon Miller, Zack Furlow, Britt Savage, and Clint Faries. (Kneeling l to r) Amanda Lomeli, Bruce Howell, Lela Gentry, and Samantha Beasley. (Front Row l to r) Kelly Goodman and Bertha Vargas. Not pictured: Blake Beedy and Candice Pipkin.

## New inductions to Spearman NHS

The Edna Hartman Chapter of the Honor Society (NHS) welcomed fourteen new honor society members in an induction ceremony Wednesday, February 1, at the high school auditorium. It is also the thirty-sixth anniversary of the National Honor Society at Spearman High School.

The ceremony was called to order by Mika Pipkin, honor society president. The audience stood while Kortney Henton presented the invocation. Kristina Poole led the pledge to the flag, and Carol Alvarado, Cari Babitzke, and Amy Schoenhals sang "The Star Spangled Banner."

The new Honor Society members and their parents were asked to stand and be recognized as Mika Pipkin read their names. The NHS officers: Mika Pipkin, President; Alan Hutchison, Vice President; Sara Paschel, Treasurer; and Heather Reimer, Secretary, inducted the new members of the honor society by presenting them with Honor Society banners, a certificate of membership, and the young ladies were given long stemmed red roses with purple and white bows. The young men were given red rose boutonnieres. As

each students' names were called their parents were also recognized as the member went forward to receive his or her honors. The new members were: Bertha Vargas, senior; Lucas Biggs and Bill Pittman, juniors; Samantha Beasley, Blake Beedy, Clint Faries, Zach Furlow, Lela Gentry, Kelly Goodman, Bruce Howell, Amanda Lomeli, Dillon Miller, Candice Pipkin, and Britt Savage, sophomores.

Alan Hutchison led the Honor Society pledge as all the members recited the pledge with him.

Arian Archer, 1991 Miss Texas was the guest speaker and was introduced by Mika Pipkin. Archer started off by telling the Honor Society how great an honor she felt it was to be part of this prestigious group. "I was not in Honor Society in high school. I just didn't work hard enough at it. At the time I did not feel it was important. Now I regret not working harder," Archer said to the students.

Archer went on to explain to the audience how she got where she is now. "I have a three step philosophy I use in my life: never give up, just say no, and believe in yourself," said Archer. "If you use these three

steps with a little dedication and determination you can accomplish anything you want to."

Archer told the group how she started singing at age four, and how she evolved from then to now. "Through determination and dedication I went from singing like a child, through trying to sing like others, to finally singing like me. You have to find out what is right for you. Just believe in yourself and you can do it," she said.

Archer explained to the students how after a bad relationship, in high school, she became withdrawn and unable to relate to others. She went to the doctor and was diagnosed with chronic depression. After two years of therapy she was able to believe in herself again.

"You can be anything and do anything as long as you believe in yourself. A hero lies in each of you," Archer said in closing.

Alvarado, Babitzke and Schoenhals sang "You'll Never Walk Alone" before Pipkin adjourned the ceremony.

Archer signed autographs and talked with the students after the ceremony. A reception was held for the new members, parents, teachers and staff.

## Judge Smith hears six district court criminal cases in Feb. 7 hearing

The Hansford County District Court was in session Tuesday, February 7, 1995 with District Court Judge Bill Smith presiding. The judge was presented with six criminal cases and several other cases during the day.

William Porter, 19, plead guilty to the charge of burglary to a building. The Assistant District Attorney Roy Caper and Porter's lawyer, John T. White, worked out a plea bargain of deferred judgment to the charges, eight years probation, a \$2,400 fine to be paid out over the probation, and he is to pay \$305 in restitution. After hearing the case the judge accepted the plea bargain terms. Porter was finger printed and taken to the Adult Probation Division to be processed.

The lawyer for Rodney Moore McDowell, Joe Marr Wilson, asked the court to make all medical records, psychiatric records, pictures, criminal records, etc. on victim and the criminal records on witness to be made available to him.

Judge Smith deferred judgement on ruling on all the requests except the medical records and the criminal records of the witnesses. They are to be made available to Attorney Wilson. The case will be argued before a jury on February 20.

Billy Eugene Massingill, 19, was sentenced to two years at the Texas State Department of Correction for violation of parole. He left Hansford County without the knowledge of his probation officer and failed to file monthly reports for the months of September and October of 1994.

Massingill had been convicted of a 1993 burglary of a building and placed on probation on October 19, 1993. When asked by the District Attorney why he preferred jail over probation he said, "Life on probation is hard. I would rather just get it over with." He was turned over to the Hansford County Sheriff's Department to be transported to the Texas Department of Correction.

Fabian Royval, 19, plead guilty to sexual assault charges and was sentenced to a \$1,500 fine and 10 years probation. Royval waved a jury trial, reading of the indictments, and a presentencing investigation. Royval also has to report to the police department of the city

or town in which he lives and sign in as a sex offender. He was finger printed and turned over to the Adult Probation Department to be processed.

Lazaro Silva Flores plead guilty to the charges of indecency with a child by exposure, through Sally Vaquera, Spanish interpreter. He waived his right to a trial by jury and the reading of the indictment. The Assistant D.A. Roy Caper and Flores' lawyer, David Scott, agreed on a plea bargain of 3 years probation and a fine of \$900 to be paid out over the time of the probation. The judge agreed to the plea bargain. Flores was ordered to report to the Adult Probation Department Office to be processed.

The case of George K. Lamb verses L. Mike McLain and wife Diane McLain and Damon D. Gregg, and wife Chalsea Gregg was back in court again. The case deals with land sold to L. Mike McLain by George K. Lamb on September 7, 1991 with a closing date to be pending until clear title to the land could be obtained.

Due to many delays the closing could not take place until September 7, 1992. A dispute about the way the contract read led to the court intervention. The case went before a jury on August 26, 1994 where the jury came back with a verdict for George K. Lamb. The judgment is still pending.

Lamb's lawyer was asking the court for the temporary injunction to be amended and extended for 15 days after the permanent unappealable judgement become final. The injunction is to stop the foreclosure of a Metlife Trust Loan on the land. Judge Smith agreed to extend the injunction but not beyond the final permanent injunction date and promised a judgment soon.

Michael Jo Alway plead guilty to unlawful use of a motor vehicle. He waved the reading of the indictment and trial by jury. A plea bargain was agreed upon by all parties. He was sentenced to five years probation, \$900 fine to be paid out over the time of probation, and he was ordered to pay \$400 to

Hansford County for county services.

Judge Smith adjourned court for the day.

## Pringle-Morse Consolidated School District holds regular monthly meeting, Feb. 14

The Pringle-Morse Consolidated Independent School District Board of Trustees met in their usual session last Tuesday, February 14, to act on several items of interest, as well as discuss and report upcoming issues and events that will be affecting the school.

In the action items portion of the meeting, the Board considered and approved six topics. As is normal, the Board approved the minutes of the January 10th meeting. They then, approved the February expenditures. The third item dis-

cussed, the order for the Trustee Election, was approved. They approved the filing, early voting dates, election judge, and clerks/early voting clerks. Finally, the Board approved the local policy for testing bus drivers for alcohol and controlled substances.

For the discussion items and report section of the meeting, the Board discussed seven issues. First, Alice Peedy, of the Hansford County Appraisal District, gave a report to the Board. Next, a finance report was given to the Board, which in-

cluded the school finance/Senate Bill 7 Court Ruling. Also some work to next year's calendar was done. The Board discussed the summer work planning, as well as next year's 1995-96 school calendar. In addition, the District Records Management Plan and the proposed changes in Statewide Standards for School Board Members were dis-

cussed. After the Superintendent's Report was finished, the Board adjourned.

Unless otherwise noted, the Pringle-Morse School Board meets every second Tuesday of each month, and parents, as well as concerned citizens of Morse, may attend.

## S.I.S.D. to add new recycling program

Spearman Independent School District will be able to recycle materials commonly thrown away when the school recycling program gets under way this month. The city of Spearman recently obtained a five-compartment recycling trailer through a grant from Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission and the Clean Texas 2000 program. Since the city's recycling program was operating so well through the use of dumpsters, the city donated the trailer to the school district to aid them in their recycling efforts.

Charles Elliot, SISD Maintenance Supervisor, who is coordinating the recycling project, said the schools will recycle white paper, newsprint, corrugated cardboard, colored paper and steel cans. Brown paper grocery sacks will be recycled with the corrugated cardboard. Mr. Elliot noted that the High School Honor Society is already recycling aluminum cans.

The elementary classes will be provided with plastic recycling bins. Eventually all the classrooms in each school will have plastic recycling bins.

Elliot said the goal of the school district is to reduce waste at the schools by 80%. Right now the Elementary/Jr. High campus has two dumpsters which are emptied daily. After the recycling program is fully in place Elliot feels that the

campus will use only one dumpster on a twice-weekly pickup.

Recycling will reduce trash collection fees by about 80% and purchase of goods such as plastic trash bags will also be reduced by 80% saving the district money.

When the recycling trailer is full it will be hauled to Concerned Environmental Group (CEG) in Borger, the same company that recycles the city's materials. There, the materials will be sold to end users who make products as diverse as fiberfill, insulation and new packaging foam.

Every year, each Texan disposes of more than one ton of trash, enough garbage to fill the Astro-dome every two weeks. Each year the volume of waste generated has grown while the number of landfills in Texas has decreased due to regulations and the high cost involved in locating new ones. Spearman's landfill is one of three remaining in the counties at the top of the Panhandle where just three years ago there were seven landfills.

Fortunately waste is something we can do something about. Spearman's students and school staff have chosen to become part of the solution by recycling their used materials.

## Hansford Happenings

### Spelling Bee

Hansford County Spelling Bee will be March 9 at 2:00 p.m. at the Pringle-Morse school. For more information call Kathy Stejle at 733-2507 or 733-2509.

### Defensive Driving

Defensive driving will be Feb. 22 and Feb. 23. For more information contact Cindy at the Chamber of Commerce Office, 659-5555.

### Pot Luck Supper

A pot luck supper will be held at the Morse Community Building, Saturday, Feb. 18 at 6:30 p.m. Fun & games. Bring a covered dish. For more information call 733-2323 or 878-2776.

### Love Boats

Rain Gutter Regatta will be Sat., Feb. 18 at the County Barn at 7 p.m. Boats to be checked in from 6 to 6:30 p.m. and judging will be from 6:30 to 7 p.m. Everyone welcome!

### Basket Weaving Program

A basket weaving program will be held on Thursday, Feb. 16. Peggy Ann Combs from Pampa will demonstrate the art of basket weaving in a free luncheon program, (12 to 1 p.m.) at the Blodgett Room of the O'Loughlin Center.

### Hansford Hospice Needs You!!!

Everyone is invited to the Hansford Hospice Volunteers Meeting Monday, Feb. 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the First State Bank Community Room in Spearman. The program will be given by Michelle Davis.

### "Mr. ?" Heart Throb Contest

TAFE is sponsoring their second annual "Mr. ?" Heart Throb Contest to be held Thursday, Feb. 23, at 7 p.m. in the Spearman High School Auditorium. Tickets are \$3 each and can be purchased at the high school from TAFE members or at the door.

# School Lunch Menus

## SPEARMAN SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Steak Fingers, whipped potatoes, gravy (optional), seasoned green beans, hot rolls, butter (optional), applesauce, and milk.

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Sloppy Joes on Bun, tator tots, whole kernel corn, applesauce, and milk.

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Chicken nuggets, - Jr. High and Elem. Oven Baked Chicken - High School, broccoli with cheese sauce, fried okra, biscuit, jelly-butler (optional), pears, milk.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Soft Burrito: seasoned ground beef with cheddar cheese, flour tortilla, refried pinto beans, lettuce, tomato salad, taco sauce, sour cream, spanish rice, pineapple tablets, and milk.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Hamburger, french fries, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato, pickle onion, sliced peaches, and milk.

### SISD BREAKFAST

Monday - Cinnamon toast, fruit, and milk.

Tuesday - Pancakes, fruit, and milk.

Wednesday - Biscuit, sausage pattie, fruit, and milk.

Thursday - Toast, Cereal, fruit juice, and milk.

Friday - Toast, scrambled egg, hash brown, fruit juice, and milk.

### GRUVER SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes with gravy, carrots, pudding, hot roll, and milk.

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Western burger, tossed salad, corn on the cob, jello, and milk.

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Barbeque beef, potato salad, pinto beans, peach cobbler, cornbread, and milk.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Deli sandwich, ham and cheese, potato chips, pickle spears, fruit, and milk.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Corn dog, french fries, fruit, snickerdoodle cookie, and milk.

### GISD

Monday - Cereal, muffin, juice, and milk.

Tuesday - Sausage, biscuit, juice, and milk.

Wednesday - Two slices toast, peanut butter and jelly, juice, and milk.

Thursday - Two Pancakes, syrup, juice, and milk.

Friday - Two cinnamon rolls, juice, and milk.

### PRINGLE-MORSE SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Taco/soft, burritos, beans/salad, cornbread, cookie, and milk.

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Hamburger stake, onions, gravy, potatoes, corn, rolls, fruit, and milk.

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Sloppy joes, tator tots, pickles/cake, and milk.

Thursday - Turkey, dressing, potatoes, salad, rolls, pie, and milk.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Sandwiches, salad, fruit, ice cream, and milk.

### PMISD BREAKFAST

Monday - Cheese toast, toast, juice, and milk.

Tuesday - Oatmeal, toast, juice, and milk.

Wednesday - Sausage, waffles, juice, and milk.

Thursday - Cinnamon toast, toast, juice, and milk.

Friday - Sausage, biscuits, juice, and milk.



**BRING ON THE BAND** - Fourteen out-standing band members were chosen for their fantastic performances in a recent competition. They are: (in no order) Dustin Beck, Krista Boyd, Sara Goodson, Haley Lombard, Junior Moreno, Kara Pipkin, Sally Pittman, Audra Sanders, Jenn Schnell, Adrienne Simpson, Richard Varnon, Chelsey Villines, Kristi Wall, and Brandi Willis. (Photo by Chad Davis)

## Letter to Editor

To The Editor:

On Thursday evening I attended a meeting at the Ochiltree County Courthouse regarding the air and water permit process for confinement hog facility in the Waka community. I left that meeting shocked and disgusted by the things I heard and by the conduct of the people in the community. It became quite clear to me that this was much more an issue of personality than clean air and water.

The engineering firm clearly stated that all the waste water and manure facilities far exceeded the State requirements. The State clearly stated how our air and water quality are protected. It really falls down to the fact that a few people (there are a total of 3 dwellings within a two mile radius of the facility south of Waka) don't like the smell of hog manure. The real issue is clearly an issue of private property rights. People, especially farmers, are fighting all over the nation to take back their private property rights. That is, the right to use one's land in any manner one wishes as long as it is within the confines of the law. People are fighting to keep their water rights, the rights they bought when they bought their land. They're fighting to be free from excessive regulation, the kind that makes it very difficult for small businessmen to survive in today's world.

Wake up people! Stand up for your rights or they'll be taken away from you by small groups of people like those in Waka, Texas. Squeaky wheels get greasy and they're getting pretty squeaky. The anti hog community invited a slick Sierra Club lawyer to represent them. The Sierra Club is a radical left wing environmental group - the same one that got water pumping on private property regulated in the Edwards aquifer. Hello - do you get the picture yet? There's a lot more at stake than a little unpleasant odor! At any rate, this slick lawyer came up here to try and stop the

permit process of an individual farmer trying to make a living on his own land with his own money. In my view, this is a gross infringement on private property rights.

I really believe with all my heart that it's time to lay personality conflict and old resentments aside. Reflect on your beliefs on private property rights. If you believe in the right to do what you please on your property, stand up and be counted. Call you state legislators, Ag Commisssoner and the TNRC to express your views.

If you'd rather have big government tell you what you can do and when and how, just continue to keep quiet. But remember, when your rights have been eroded away and someone decides they don't like the smell of cow manure, or crop spray, or that you shouldn't pump your irrigation weels, you'll have no one to blame but your apathetic self.

Sincerely,  
Tara Dylar Reich

## Texas Tech honors students

More than 2,900 Texas Tech University students qualified for the academic honors lists at the end of the 1994 fall semester.

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Students making the honor rolls include the following: Mechanical engineering and freshman, William A. Evans of Gruver - Dean's List; Construction Technology major and junior, Matthew Hanson Hoel of Gruver - Dean's List; Exercise and Sports sciences major and junior, Trent Randolph Seagler of Gruver - Dean's List; Accounting major and sophomore, James W.

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# Lifestyles

## Local dance studio wins big at Dallas Dance Competition



**HOT DANCERS** - Last February 27th in Dallas, the girls of Carla's Dance, owned by Carla Barkley, Studio in Stinnett placed very high. The girls are: Back - Cassidy Keifer, Andraya Duke, Dana Carrick, Genie Barker, Haley Farber, Kristen Brown, Chrystal Beagle, Deisha Simpson, Amanda Adams, and Misty Thomas. Kneeling - Sealey Stevens, Jennifer McCarty, Dari Beagle, Sheena Barker, and Kelcee Barkley. Sitting - Len Hicks and Asley Beagle.

Students of Carla's Dance Studio from Stinnett, Fritch, Borger, and Spearman, won at the Danceamerica competition on Saturday, January 27th in Dallas.

Fourteen of Carla Barkley's dance routines will be going to the National Competition in New Orleans in July. All first and second place winners in the Dallas National Preliminaries qualify for Nationals.

Winners at Dallas are:

First Place - Junior Production Clogging - dancing to "Third Rock From the Sun" were Amanda Adams, Genie Barker, Kelcee Barkley, Ashley Beagle, Chrystal Beagle, Dani Beagle, Kristen Brown, Dana Carrick, Andraya Duke, Haley Farber, Glen Hicks, Cassidy Keifer, Jennifer McCarty, Deidra Simpson, and Sealey Stevens.

First Place - Junior Group Clogging - dancing to "Watermelon Crawl" were Sheena Barker, Ashley Beagle, Dani Beagle, and Sealey Stevens.

First Place - Junior Duo/Trio Clogging - dancing to "Hillbilly Rock" were Amanda Adams, Kelcee Barkley, and Glen Hicks.

First Place - Junior Tap - dancing to "Top Hat, White Tie, and Tails" was Glen Hicks.

Second Place - Junior Solo Clogging - dancing to "Honky Tonk World" was Kelcee Barkley.

Second Place - Junior Solo Open - dancing to "Ease On Down" was Andraya Duke.

Third Place - Junior Solo Open - dancing to "Bedrock Twist" was Amanda Adams.

Second Place - Junior Duo/Trio Clogging - dancing to "Stop On a Dime" was Dani Beagle and Kristen Brown.

Second Place - Senior Solo Clogging - dancing to "Be My Baby" was Haley Farber.

Second Place - Junior Production Open - dancing to "Indian Outlaw" were Amanda Adams, Genie Barker, Sheena Barker, Kelcee Barkley, Ashley Beagle, Chrystal Beagle, Dani Beagle, Kristen Brown, Dana Carrick, Andraya Duke, Haley Farber, Glen Hicks, Cassidy Keifer, Jennifer McCarty, Deidra Simpson, Sealey Stevens, and Misty Thomas.

Second Place - Junior Line Clogging - dancing to "Renegades, Rebels, and Rogues" were Amanda Adams, Genie Barker, Kelcee Barkley, Dani Beagle, Chrystal Beagle, Kristen Brown, Andraya Duke, Glen Hicks, Jennifer McCarty, and Deidra Simpson.

Second Place - Junior Duo/Trio Open - dancing to "On Broadway" were Amanda Adams, Kelcee Barkley, and Glen Hicks.

Second Place - Intermediate Solo Tap - dancing to "Bit of Broadway" was Deidra Simpson.

Second Place - Senior Group Jazz - dancing to "100% Pure Love" were Dana Carrick, Haley Farber, Cassidy Keifer, Deidra Simpson, and Misty Thomas.

Second Place - Junior Duo/Trio Jazz - dancing to "Another Night" were Amanda Adams and Kelcee Barkley.

## Chamber Chatter

by Cindy Blackman  
Chamber Manager

Small businesses always want to know who can help them and how. The Texas Department of Commerce's Office of Small Business and Community Economic Development is the answer. The OSB/CED offers assistance ranging from information and referrals to financing and training. With 97% of Texas' businesses having fewer than 100 employees, it is the office's job to advocate for this vital segment of the state's economy.

The U.S. Department of Labor estimates that small businesses are creating 80% of the nation's jobs. Because these businesses often need training and development assistance, Commerce advocates and collaborates with Small Business Development Centers and other statewide service providers to better serve the state's 400,000 small businesses. The OSB/CED also focuses on community development and conducts regional workshops on topics pertinent to small businesses.

Information is a key growth necessity, and small businesses can access the information highway with TEXAS-ONE. This on-line service is accessed through the Internet, and offers a quality-checked menu of state, national, and global information services of value to small businesses and communities. The Internet address is: gopher.texas-one.org. Small businesses without access to the Internet can receive assistance from Texas Small Business Development Centers statewide.

Financial assistance is available through programs such as Commerce's Linked Deposit Program, Capital Certified Development Corporations SBA 504 Loan Program, Texas Capital Fund Small Business Incubator Program, and Texas Exporters Loan Program.

The OSB/CED works with business service providers throughout Texas to identify appropriate resources, development tools, financing options, or general hands-on help.

### CC

Plans are underway for the Annual Banquet and Meeting of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce. This event will take place on Saturday, April 1, 7:00 p.m. at the O'Loughlin Center. The highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the Citizen of the Year. The Knights of Columbus will be catering and the Womens' Division of the Chamber will be sponsoring the banquet.

Entries are now being accepted for 1994 Citizen of the Year. Call the office for more information. Deadline for entry forms is Wednesday, March 8 at 5:00 p.m. at the chamber office.

Panhandle Day in Austin is Tuesday, March 28.

There will be a tourism meeting in Plainview. Tuesday, March 14. Call the chamber office at 659-5555, if you are interested in attending.

### Birth Announcement

Andrew and Tamra Clawson of Satanta, Kansas, are proud to announce the birth of their son, Cooper Jace Clawson, born Sunday, December 25th, 1994, at Southwestern Medical Center, Liberal, Kansas.

Cooper weighed 7 pounds 15 ounces and was 21 1/4 inches long.

His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Clawson, Satanta, Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stephens, Guymon, Oklahoma. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Clawson, Gruver and Mrs. Emma Weeks, Guymon, Oklahoma.

I would like to thank two of my fellow classmates; Clancy who showed my pig in the Stock Show and Quinten for buying it. Thanks you guys, Chuck

## Congratulations!

- Ronda Renner  
(Grand Champion Steer)
- Bray Armes  
(Reserve Grand Champion Steer)
- Jeremy Mackie  
(Reserve Grand Champion Lamb)
- Kara Pipkin  
(Grand Champion Pig)

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# Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Joe Kelp passed away early Sunday morning in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

He and his wife June still maintain a home in Spearman, but were living in White Deer. They had gone to Harmon, Oklahoma to spend the weekend with their daughter, Katrina Thomas and family. He became very ill and was taken to the hospital in Elk City. From there he was air-lifted to St. Anthony's in Amarillo. After he was stabilized, Khris Kelp, their grandson, and his grandmother felt he was improved to the extent that he could left. Later they were notified of his death.

He is also survived by a granddaughter, Kiki Kelp, and another son, Keith. As of this writing, Monday, Tentative plans are that services will be held on Wednesday at the First Baptist Church. The Reverend Wesley Daniels of Breckenridge will officiate.

It is remembered that another son, Kim, preceded him in death a several years ago. All three sons attended school in Spearman.

Last week Joan Hawkins flew to Dallas to visit her son, Joe Ed and Debbie Crawford. They live in near-by Red Oak. Her granddaughter, Mandi, was exhibiting a lamb at the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show, and she attended. They also enjoyed watching their other granddaughter, Hallie, play basketball. But their real entertainment was with her six year old grandson.

A week ago Saturday Mrs. Fronye Close accompanied her son, Joe, to Amarillo to check on her daughter Elinora Batson in High Plains Baptist Hospital. The day before Elinora, of Stinnett, was in a grocery store in Borger when she suffered a heart attack after being taking to the North Plains Hospital in Borger, she was transferred to the High Plains Baptist.

After a pace-maker was implanted, she was released the following Friday. Her husband, Jack, and daughter were taking her back to Stinnett when he was stricken suddenly with an acute illness and they rushed back to Amarillo. He still in ICU at High Plains Baptist and on Saturday had to blood transfusions. He is still seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tracy were in Waco for a few days last week. They went down to watch their grandchildren play basketball. Katie Tracy, a sophomore at Crawford played her last game of the season on Tuesday night. They looked forward to seeing their grandson, Jay Tracy, a 7th grader, play but due to some difficulty in the school's schedule, that the tournament was cancelled.

Willma Jo McLaughlin and June Barkly were in Amarillo last Fri-

day to be with their sister, Jaynelle Henson, of Dumas. She had surgery for an aneurysm at High Plains Baptist Hospital. She is back at home now and recovering.

Wasn't that a good picture of the pretty, talented Kim Venneman in the Amarillo News, Generation Y section, question of the week last Friday?

Judy and Rusty Tindell flew to Las Vegas last Sunday to attend a meeting of Snap Lawn Mowers National Distributors. There was a large representation from all over the United States and part of Canada. Judy found it interesting to discuss with the dealers whose main items were snow blowers rather than lawn mowers. They returned on Monday.

Kiki Kelp, a senior in high school, has been college hunting. She and her mother, Becky Baker, checked out Midwestern University in Wichita Falls and South Plains University at Levelland the previous weekend. Others are on her list.

Marsha Pipkin returned home from Amarillo Hospital a several days ago. She will begin radiation treatments on Tuesday in Amarillo.

A fund to help defray the expenses has been established for her. Contributions can be made either at the First National Bank, Spearman, or the Church of Christ.

Some associates and employees of Agco spent the weekend at Windover, Nevada. Those enjoying a change of pace and relaxing before returning Monday were Scott and Becky Beedy, Randy and Linda Coombs, Wanda and Ted Widener, Irene and Bill Kuehl, Jeff Beedy, Charles SheildKnight, Jimmy Sheildknight, Kurk Adams.

No information was forthcoming as to whether any took the "Cook's tour" getting backed in the sun, or stewed in the bar, roasted at the crap tables.

The spry 97 year old Lera Langston was unfortunate Sunday evening as she broke her hip and ankle in a fall in the home. Her daughters, Viola George and Oleta Denham, took her to Hansford Hospital. Due to the icy roads, it was Monday before she could be transferred to High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

Obituary is carried elsewhere for Earl Kenny, 65, whose services were held in Amarillo. He was

raised in Spearman and attended school here, the son of the late Verna and Eldred Kenny. He married the former Joy Bradford in 1951.

Mark and Charlotte Sheets with Luke and Julie Pittman enjoyed a couple of days skiing last week at Red River and Ski Rio. Since they were there on Monday and Tuesday, the slopes were no crowded. The weather and snow conditions were ideal for the skiing. On Wednesday they drove to Taos and did some scenic driving, including the spectacular Rio Grande Gorge. They returned late Wednesday.

Lily Love attended the funeral of her sister, Wanda June Lenz, 54, in Laverne, Oklahoma on Friday. She accompanied her children-Shirley Love, Borger; Donna Farris, Spearman; Ronnie and Pat Love, Fritch; Larry and Sue Love Pampa.

Mrs. Lenz was fatally injured in a two car collision in Oklahoma City on Tuesday in an area of street construction. She is survived by four children, six sisters and five brothers.

An item by the AP from Troy, Ohio reports that a 33 year old father, charged for spanking his ten year old son with a paddle, literally "turned the other cheek". Prosecutors agreed to drop the charge if he allowed a police officer to paddle him in the same part of his anatomy with the same paddle. The paddle was then destroyed.

Heavens to Betsy! We mustn't let this become a trend-to be effective retroactively. If so, there would be a certain gentleman in Hall County who would gleefully welcome his day of retribution!

Stephen Greever spent a week at the ski slopes at Ruidoso on Ski Apache. He joined his sister Billie and Leslie Reynolds and their daughter Lynn. They are from San Antonio. The snow was about 50 inches deep, well packed, with brilliant sunshine, no wind. It was, in fact, the type of ski conditions the advertisements describe, but seldom are.

The Monday morning Amarillo Daily carried a very interesting article regarding a former Hansford County citizen, David Murrah. The article was lengthy, almost an entire page, and included a large picture.

He was raised at Gruver, the son of former Gruver residents, Mr. and

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HEART AT WORK - The second grade classes at the Gus Birdwell Elementary School took a time-out to write Veterans in the V.A. Hospitals. The Veterans of the hospital will received these well put together home-made Valentines, which showed several of them that, although these kids may not know them, they still care. (Photo by Chad Davis)

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## Tech

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Ward of Gruver - Dean's List; Animal Production major and freshman, Cody Patrick Barkley of Gruver - President's List; Mathematics major and sophomore, Traci Lanette Crawford of Gruver - President's List; Accounting major and junior, Alan Luke Miller of Gruver - President's List; Chemical Engineering and senior, Jeffrey Don Arnold of Spearman - Dean's List; Business Economics and freshman, Jane Carrie Pearson of Spearman - Dean's List; and Public Relations and senior, Kyla Denann Nelson of Spearman - President's List.

Also, more than 1,300 students at Texas Tech University received degrees during the 1994 fall commencement exercises.

Texas Tech, the largest comprehensive university in the western two-thirds of Texas, has an enrollment of 24,000.

The only Hansford County citizen to graduate this year is Jennifer June Hart of Gruver. Hart graduated with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Accounting.

# Out at the Lake



**TOUGH TRACTORS** - Recently named among the Agricultural Engineering 50, the Case IH 7200 Series MAGNUM tractors, available at Five Star Equipment in Spearman, incorporate the field-proven engine, transmission, hitch technology and superlative cab comfort that are the hallmarks of the MAGNUM line. The 7250 is one of five MAGNUM Models.

Lake Depth--February 13, 1995-19 feet, 6.5 inches

Friday, February 3, Andres Rodriguez of Gruver saw a mature bald eagle in a field and decided to investigate. The eagle was feeding on a coyote, but when Andres went up to him, the eagle became defensive. According to J.W. Ward, Andres has a way with birds and animals, and before long he had the eagle stationed in the cab of his pickup on the passenger side. The eagle looked bright-eyed and alert, but he rested on the joints of his legs with his talons sticking out in front.

Andres found J.W. for suggestions on what to do with the eagle.

J.W. called our district game warden Jim Wilson of Perryton. Saturday Mr. Wilson took the bird to a veterinarian at Timber Creek south of Amarillo for care. He, being of a more cautious nature than Andres, transported the eagle covered by a plastic basket. Some raptors gorge so on meat that they can't fly, but the veterinarian said this was rare among eagles. J.W. has not yet found out the diagnosis and treatment for the rare bird.

In the Amarillo Daily News Saturday, there were two items on bald eagles. One item started that at Madison, Wisconsin they had lost nine eagles this year. Two other eagles had been brought to a clinic

with seizures, and a veterinarian had found that Valium helped them. The second item was about the probe of the death of an eagle at San Ildefonso Pueblo south of Espanola. It mentioned that there were only two nesting pairs of bald eagles in New Mexico, although 500 migrants wintered there. The bald eagles are protected under the Endangered Species Act, and the penalty for killing one is a \$100,000 fine and up to a year in jail.

The cause of death for 24 bald eagles that died between November and January near Bismarck, Arkansas has not been determined yet by the federal biologists. This is the largest cluster of deaths recorded.

## Quilt guild hols special program

By Ilene Floyd

A special program by guest speaker, Eva Lou Koons of Liberal, Kansas was presented to the Friendship Quilt Guild on February 8, 1995. She gave a short talk on Charm Quilts, brought a slide program, and then showed some examples. Some members also brought charm quilts to show. These quilts, sometimes called Oddfellows, Beggar's, or Friendship Quilts are usually one-patch and each is of a different fabric. The earliest recorded mentioned charm quilt is 1846, and they are again enjoying popularity. Mrs. Koons gave tips on collecting fabric squares by trading with others, and also gave suggestions for organizing the fabric by color and shade to produce an artistic design. All members then enjoyed a charm square exchange.

In the business meeting, conducted by Vice-president Lillian Miller, committee reports were given. Margie Fagan brought a pattern for the block of the month challenge, and showed an example of a block she had made. She also made a list of suggestions for amending the pattern to best depict each month. Bonita Campbell and Lillian Miller brought examples of patterns for the 5th grade service project of the guild, and some additional plans were made. Guest

Betty Cooper gave a brief talk on supplies and fabric Craft City Texas offers for quilters, and Fay Sell reported on the possible involvement of the guild with the sewing room display at the museum. It will be in conjunction with Earth Day, and will help show how quilters recycle.

Lois Bartz won the door prize brought by Ilene Floyd, and Martha

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Pulis won the fabric quarter drawing for wearing her name tag.

Pat Hudson brought a Tulip quilt for Show and Share, and Lois Bartz brought several older quilts from the 1920's, one with chicken feed sack backing. Another was from the 1880's and some of the patterns represented were Applecore, Boston Commons, Railroad Tracks, and Flower Garden.

## Case IH Magnum tractors honored

The latest generation of Case IH MAGNUM tractors, the 7200 Series, available from Five Star Equipment in Spearman, has been named among the Agricultural Engineering 50 as one of 1994's most outstanding innovations in product or systems technology.

A panel of national engineering experts chosen by Agricultural Engineering magazine reviewed nominations from component suppliers, equipment manufacturers and systems developers representing many different industries. According to the magazine, the panel selected developments that "embodied the application of new technology or the innovative application of an older technology" and would make "worthwhile contributions to the advancement of engineering technology."

MAGNUM tractors have earned recognition among the AE50 three times. The tractors were listed for the first time following the original introduction in 1987, again with the introduction of the 7150, the largest MFD tractor on the market, and in 1994 following the introduction of the new 7200 Series.

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The new 7200 Series tractors incorporate improvements made to the line based on customer input since the unveiling of the first MAGNUM tractor. Among the more than 70 new changes incorporated in the 7200 Series are shorter turning radius, reduced shift-lever effort, remote hitch-lift control and an improved operator's seat.

Since the line was introduced 8 years ago, Case has incorporated more than 200 significant improvements to tractors in the line. The 7200 Series MAGNUM tractor line includes five models--the 7210, 7220, 7230, 7240 and 7250--which are rated at 130, 155, 170, 195 and 215 PTO horsepower (97, 116, 127, 145 and 160 kW), respectively.

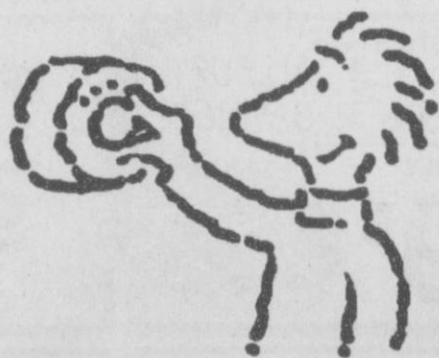
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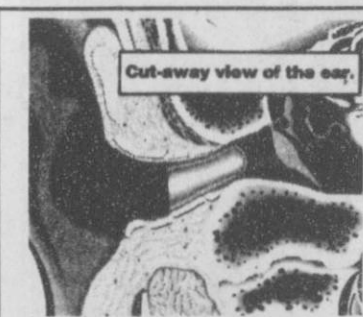
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# Sports

## Lady Hounds rally to nip Lynxettes



**TRYING TO GET AWAY** - Two of Gruver's and Spearman's most fabulous players, Molly McLain and Ashly Shieldknight, played cat and mouse all night, as the Lynxettes hosted the Lady Hounds in a final regular season thriller, 64-59. (Photo by Chad Davis)

The Gruver Lady Hounds had to stage a furious fourth quarter rally to beat the Spearman Lynxettes in their final regular season contest of the year this past Friday night, February 10, at Spearman. The victory for the Lady Hounds avenges an earlier loss to the Lynxettes, and gives the Gruver gals a final regular season record of 23-6. For Spearman, it was especially disheartening, as they finish tied for third place in the district, and miss out on a chance to go to the playoffs.

The Lynxettes really came out of the gate fast. They jumped to an early first quarter lead of 11-1, and with 4:06 left in the first quarter, coach Steve Myatt of the Lady Hounds was forced to call a timeout to try to steady the Gruver gals.

Shayla Barber connected on a jumper to give Spearman a 2-0 lead, a lead they would not relinquish until 3:35 left in the game. After an Amber Murrell free throw, Kara Townsen stole the ball and laid it in; Ashly Shieldknight hit on a jumper; Townsen hit a beautiful 3-point play under the basket; and Macy Shieldknight hit on a jumper, for the 11-1 lead. This looked to be a long night for the Lady Hounds!

Spearman's largest lead of the first half was 11 points, 19-8, late in the first quarter. The Gruver gals rallied twice, once to trail only 22-18 after a Murrell steal and layup - but they fell behind again 32-25; and their second time at the end of their half to trail only 33-31.

Amber Murrell played her finest game of the year. She had 19 points, 10 of those in the second quarter to keep the Gruver gals close. When nothing was going right for Julie Meyer or Molly McLain, it was especially nice to have Amber picking up the slack.

In the third quarter, again the Lady Hounds could not muster enough offense to catch the Lynxettes. Ashly Shieldknight was just awesome the first three quarters, and at the start of the third quarter she hit on a jumper; then Macy hit on a jumper; then Ashly hit on another jumper, and quickly the Gruver gals found themselves down again 39-31, by eight points. Ashly had 27 points for the game, 25 of those in the first three quarters.

After Kelly Shieldknight hit on a driving layup late in the third quarter, the Lady Hounds were facing their biggest deficit of the ball game, 47-35.

That is when the Lady Hounds really put a charge into their get-go. They outscored Spearman 14-2, as Murrell hit, McLain hit, Kaysha Cluck hit, Meyer hit, Tisha Ralston hit, Meyer hit again, and finally McLain sank two clutch free throws with 5:11 left in the game to tie it for the first time since 0-0, 49-49. Though McLain had scored only 8 points, when she fouled out immediately thereafter, with 5:04 left in the game, it took away one of Gruver's big sparkplugs.

But Spearman was not through. They pulled themselves up by the

shoelaces, and took back the lead 52-49 on three free throws, two by Barber, one by Townsen. But that was it. Gruver scored on a Meyer jumper, and a pair of Murrell free throws to take the lead for the first time in the game, 53-52, with 3:35 left.

Meyer really played a clutch ball game. She scored 11 fourth quarter points, when the Lady Hounds needed them most. She finished second to Murrell, with 17 points.

Ralston then pulled off one of the biggest plays of the night - a steal and a nice layup with 3:21 left to put Gruver up 55-52. It seemed everything had caved in on the Lynxettes after that. Before they knew it, it was 60-52, and Gruver had outscored Spearman 21-4 since the Lynxettes had led 48-39 late in the third quarter.

But Spearman is a gutsy team, and they came back. Townsen hit a pair of free throws, Ashly hit a jumper, and Townsen hit a jumper, and quickly it was 60-58 with under a minute to play. Hold on!

But with 38 seconds left, clutch Miss Meyer hit on a jumper, and then Murrell hit a pair of free throws with only 17.9 seconds left, and Gruver was in charge, 64-58. Spearman couldn't recover. They didn't have time. The final was 64-

59. Coach Myatt of the victorious Lady Hounds said after the game, "We started out flat, and they started out fired up, as they were playing for the playoff spot. They played really well. This was not a game that Spearman lost - it was a game that we won. We attacked them, and finally wore them down. Our girls did not quit. It was our defense that keyed the comeback in the fourth quarter, and our depth really helped. Julie and Amber really showed a lot of grit - Amber's leg was cramping, and she really stuck it out."

In the JV game it was an overtime thriller. Joni Hart scored her only two points of the ball game for the Lady Hounds, as she pulled down a rebound off of a missed free throw attempt, and went coast to coast down the floor to lay the ball in with a left handed layup as time expired in overtime for the thrilling 33-31 victory.

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Gru - Jill Odom - 12, Autumn Bateman - 11, Amy Gillispie - 3, Joni Hart - 2, Kathy Slough - 2, Lexy Spivey - 2, Mary Dawn Henson - 1.

Spm - Carie Burton - 13, Lacie Baker - 7, Jenny Neff - 7, Brooke Trantham - 4.

**Lady Hounds (23-6, 5-1) vs. Spearman Lynxettes**

Friday 2-10-95 at Spearman  
Gru 10 31 41 64  
Spm 20 33 48 59  
3-Pointers - none.

Gru - Amber Murrell - 19, Julie Meyer - 17, Weslyn Maupin - 10, Molly McLain - 8, Tisha Ralston - 4, Kaysha Cluck - 2, Cara Hathaway - 2, Wendy Rodriguez - 2.

Spm - Asly Shieldknight - 27, Kara Townsen - 14, Macy Shieldknight - 8, Shayla Barber - 6, Misha Davis - 2, Kelly Shieldknight - 2.

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**FLYING HIGH** - The Lynx really suprised several fans in their game against the Hounds, and although they were beaten, 44-41, they gave Gruver quite a scare, as Shad O'Quin attempts to out jump Gruver's Wylee Maupin, Jace Dawson, Eric Wright. (Photo by Chad Davis)

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## Lady Hounds play Wellington in bi-district

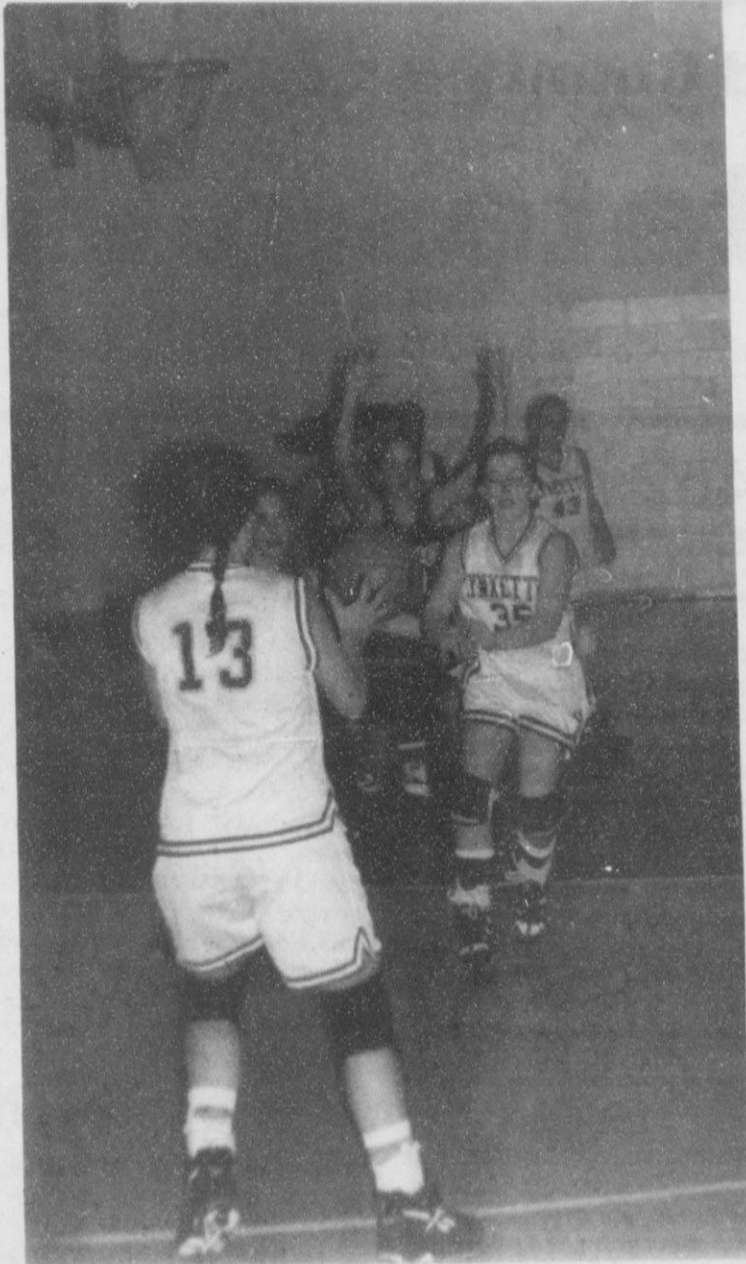
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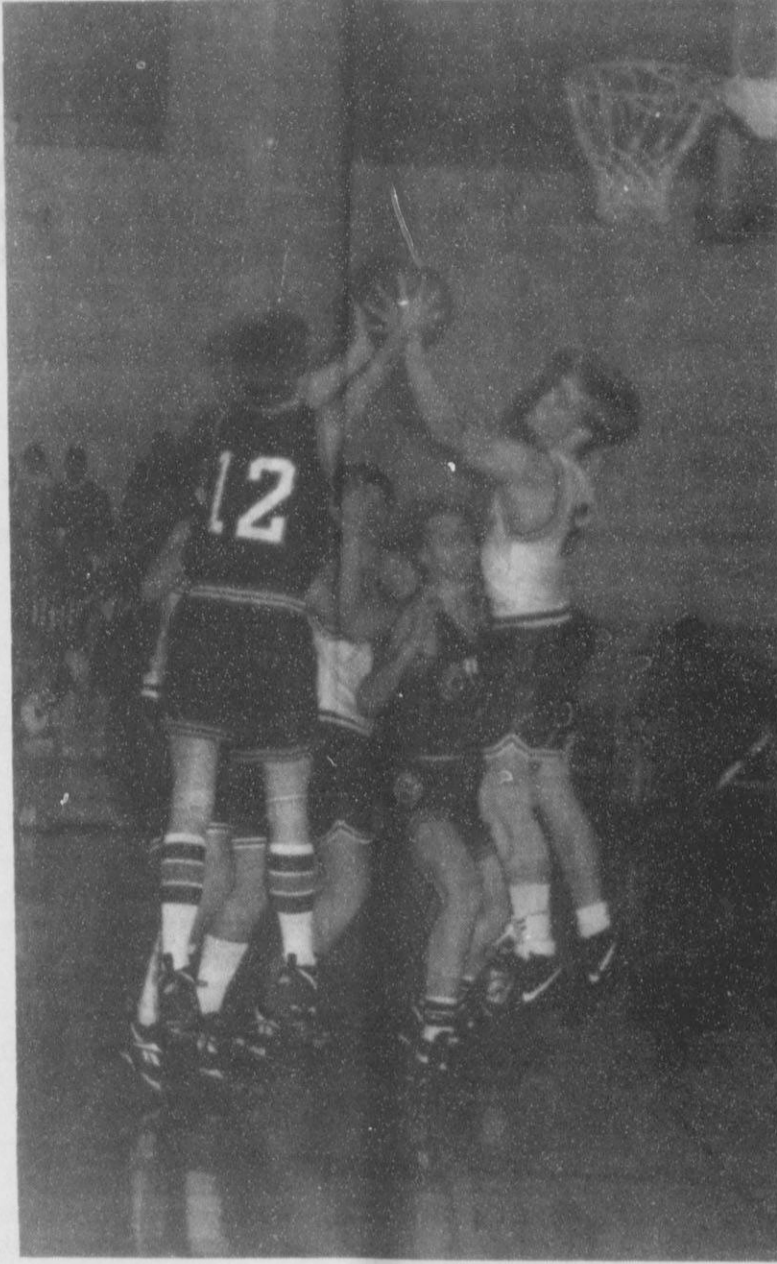
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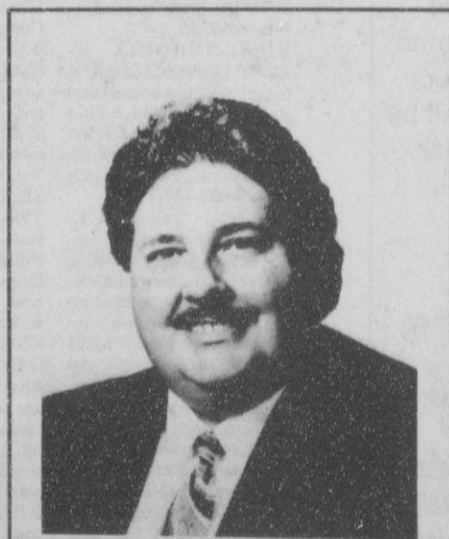
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# Sports

## Lady Hounds rally to nip Lynxettes



**TRYING TO GET AWAY** - Two of Gruver's and Spearman's most fabulous players, Molly McLain and Ashly Shieldknight, played cat and mouse all night, as the Lynxettes hosted the Lady Hounds in a final regular season thriller, 64-59. (Photo by Chad Davis)

The Gruver Lady Hounds had to stage a furious fourth quarter rally to beat the Spearman Lynxettes in their final regular season contest of the year this past Friday night, February 10, at Spearman. The victory for the Lady Hounds avenges an earlier loss to the Lynxettes, and gives the Gruver gals a final regular season record of 23-6. For Spearman, it was especially disheartening, as they finish tied for third place in the district, and miss out on a chance to go to the playoffs.

The Lynxettes really came out of the gate fast. They jumped to an early first quarter lead of 11-1, and with 4:06 left in the first quarter, coach Steve Myatt of the Lady Hounds was forced to call a timeout to try to steady the Gruver gals.

Shayla Barber connected on a jumper to give Spearman a 2-0 lead, a lead they would not relinquish until 3:35 left in the game. After an Amber Murrell free throw, Kara Townsen stole the ball and laid it in; Ashly Shieldknight hit on a jumper; Townsen hit a beautiful 3-point play under the basket; and Macy Shieldknight hit on a jumper, for the 11-1 lead. This looked to be a long night for the Lady Hounds!

Spearman's largest lead of the first half was 11 points, 19-8, late in the first quarter. The Gruver gals rallied twice, once to trail only 22-18 after a Murrell steal and layup - but they fell behind again 32-25; and their second time at the end of their half to trail only 33-31.

Amber Murrell played her finest game of the year. She had 19 points, 10 of those in the second quarter to keep the Gruver gals close. When nothing was going right for Julie Meyer or Molly McLain, it was especially nice to have Amber picking up the slack.

In the third quarter, again the Lady Hounds could not muster enough offense to catch the Lynxettes. Ashly Shieldknight was just awesome the first three quarters, and at the start of the third quarter she hit on a jumper; then Macy hit on a jumper; then Ashly hit on another jumper, and quickly the Gruver gals found themselves down again 39-31, by eight points. Ashly had 27 points for the game, 25 of those in the first three quarters.

After Kelly Shieldknight hit on a driving layup late in the third quarter, the Lady Hounds were facing their biggest deficit of the ball game, 47-35.

That is when the Lady Hounds really put a charge into their get-go. They outscored Spearman 14-2, as Murrell hit, McLain hit, Kaysha Cluck hit, Meyer hit, Tisha Ralston hit, Meyer hit again, and finally McLain sank two clutch free throws with 5:11 left in the game to tie it for the first time since 0-0, 49-49. Though McLain had scored only 8 points, when she fouled out immediately thereafter, with 5:04 left in the game, it took away one of Gruver's big sparkplugs.

But Spearman was not through. They pulled themselves up by the

shoelaces, and took back the lead 52-49 on three free throws, two by Barber, one by Townsen. But that was it. Gruver scored on a Meyer jumper, and a pair of Murrell free throws to take the lead for the first time in the game, 53-52, with 3:35 left.

Meyer really played a clutch ball game. She scored 11 fourth quarter points, when the Lady Hounds needed them most. She finished second to Murrell, with 17 points.

Ralston then pulled off one of the biggest plays of the night - a steal and a nice layup with 3:21 left to put Gruver up 55-52. It seemed everything had caved in on the Lynxettes after that. Before they knew it, it was 60-52, and Gruver had outscored Spearman 21-4 since the Lynxettes had led 48-39 late in the third quarter.

But Spearman is a gutsy team, and they came back. Townsen hit a pair of free throws, Ashly hit a jumper, and Townsen hit a jumper, and quickly it was 60-58 with under a minute to play. Hold on!

But with 38 seconds left, clutch Miss Meyer hit on a jumper, and then Murrell hit a pair of free throws with only 17.9 seconds left, and Gruver was in charge, 64-58. Spearman couldn't recover. They didn't have time. The final was 64-

59.

Coach Myatt of the victorious Lady Hounds said after the game, "We started out flat, and they started out fired up, as they were playing for the playoff spot. They played really well. This was not a game that Spearman lost - it was a game that we won. We attacked them, and finally wore them down. Our girls did not quit. It was our defense that keyed the comeback in the fourth quarter, and our depth really helped. Julie and Amber really showed a lot of grit - Amber's leg was cramping, and she really stuck it out."

In the JV game it was an overtime thriller. Joni Hart scored her only two points of the ball game for the Lady Hounds, as she pulled down a rebound off of a missed free throw attempt, and went coast to coast down the floor to lay the ball in with a left handed layup as time expired in overtime for the thrilling 33-31 victory.

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Spm 10 15 17 26 31  
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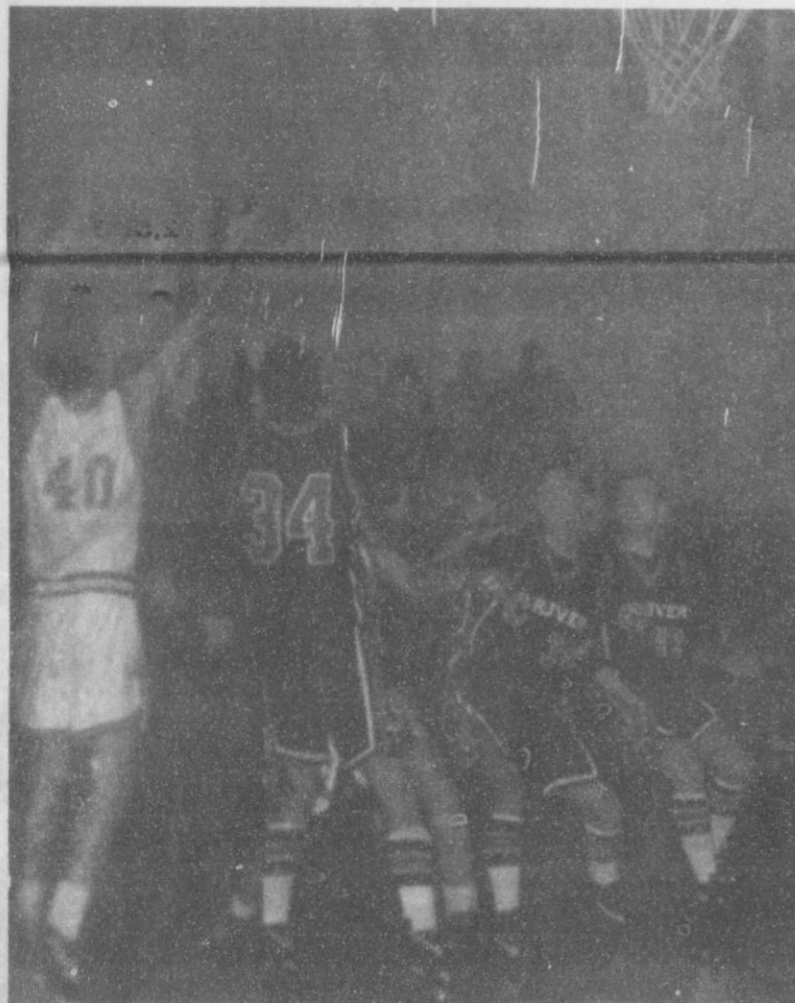
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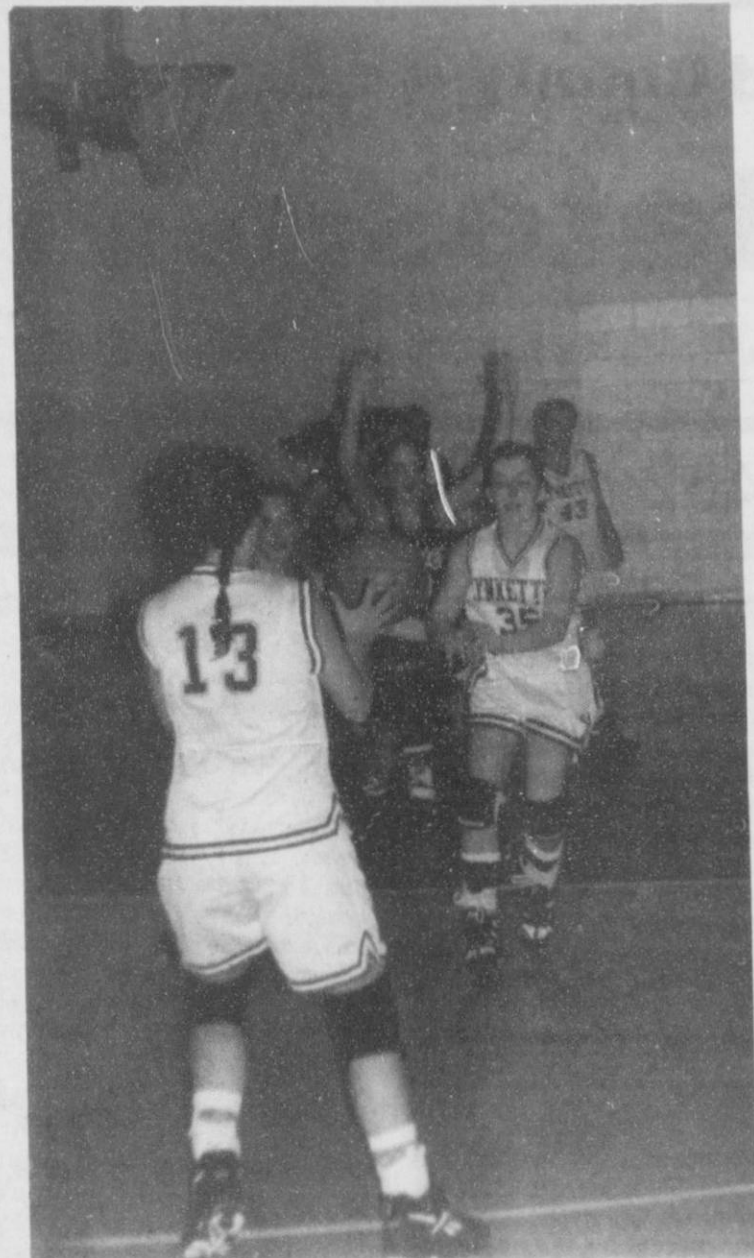
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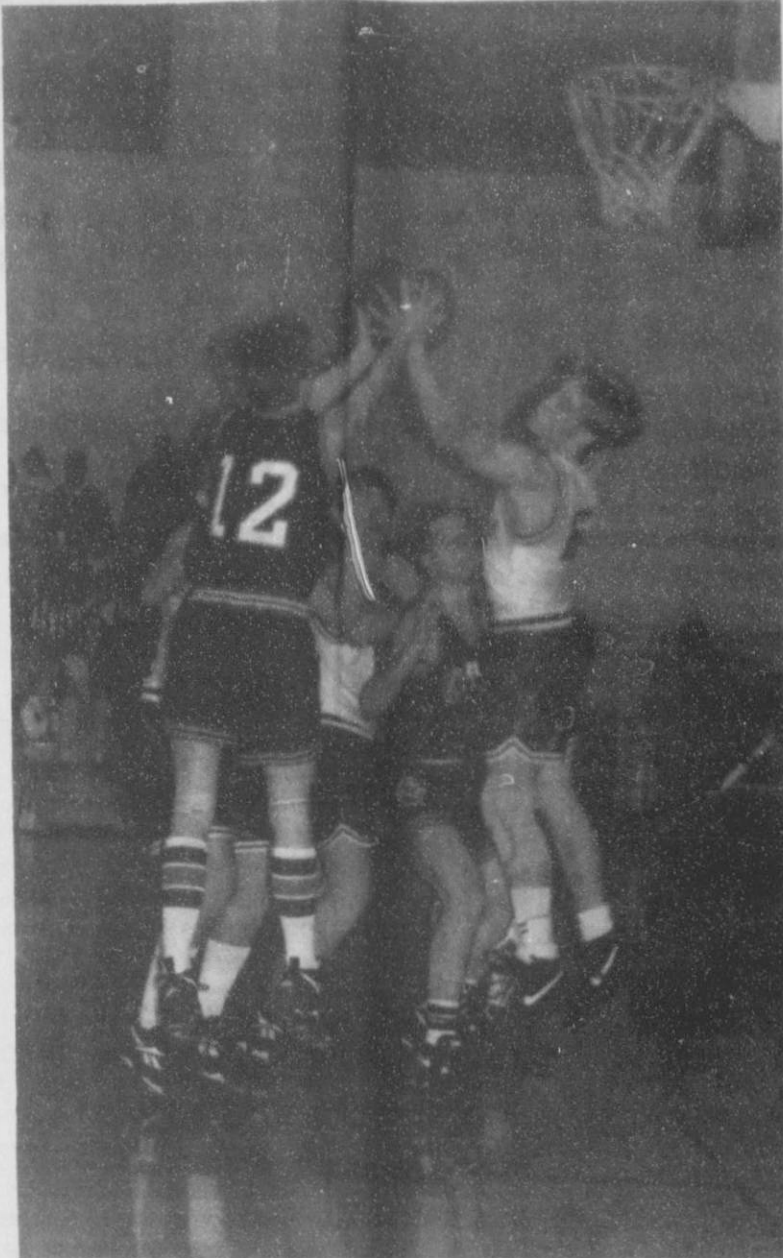
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
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Jim D. Brown  
Hansford County Judge  
S6, 3tc

### PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE  
In accordance with Section 116, Local Government Code of Texas Revised Civil Statutes, the Commissioner's Court of Hansford County will select an official depository for both County funds and certain School funds handled by the County for the biennium 1995-1997 at their regular meeting on February 27, 1995 at 10:00 a.m. in the Deliberation Room in the Hansford County Courthouse, Spearman, Texas.  
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### PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
The Spearman Independent School District will receive bids until 1:00 p.m. on March 31, 1995, in the Business Office located at 403 East 11th Avenue to refurbish Auditorium seats and the painting of the Auditorium. The Spearman Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or parts of bids; and to waive any formalities and technicalities. Detailed instructions and specifications on the above may be secured by writing Spearman I.S.D., 403 East 11th Avenue, Spearman, Texas 79081 or calling (806)659-2116. The envelope must be marked "AUDITORIUM SEATS BID". S7, 2tc

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# Obituaries

**L.J. "JOE" KELP**  
AMARILLO - L.J. "Joe" Kelp, age 64, passed away February 12 in Amarillo.

Services were conducted Wednesday, February 15, at The First Baptist Church in Spearman, with the Reverend Wesley Daniel of Breckenridge, Texas officiating. Burial was at Hansford Cemetery.

Mr. Kelp was born in Stratford, Texas in 1930. He has also lived in this area for 38 years, before moving from Pampa. He married in 1954 to June Gimbel in Cheyenne, Wyo.

Mr. Kelp's work included pipeline construction supervisor for K & K Inc. He was also employed for many years at Nelson & Skies Pipeline Construction.

He is survived by June Kelp of Spearman, his wife, Katrina Thomas of Hammon, Oklahoma, a daughter, Keith Kelp of Spearman, a son, Frank Kelp of Pampa, a brother, Jack Kelp of Bakersfield,

Ca., a brother, and Anita Kelp of Amarillo, a sister.

Also, he is survived by 5 grandchildren.

Mr. Kelp was also preceded in death by his son, Kim Kelp in 1986.

**REV. J.P. KNUDSON**  
CLIFTON - Rev. J.P. Knudson, former pastor of Oslo Lutheran Church in Gruver, Texas, died February 2, 1995, at Clifton Lutheran Sunset Home in Clifton, Texas.

He was born April 18, 1901, and was 93 years of age. Burial was in Norse Cemetery. He served Oslo Lutheran Church from 1945 to 1958.

He is survived by his wife, Dela, a son, John David of Dallas; and a daughter, Louise Jones of South Dakota, three grandchildren, and four great grandchildren. Also two sisters, Olena Anderson of Meridian, and Clara Seljos of Clifton. He had several nieces and nephews. Local resident, niece, Mrs. Bob Reeder of Guymon, Oklahoma.

## Lifeguarding course to be held in March, '95

The Ochiltree County Chapter of the American Red Cross has scheduled a Basic Lifeguarding course for March 2nd, 5 to 9 p.m.; March 3rd, 5 to 9 p.m.; and March 4th, 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and 4 to 9 p.m. The course will be at the Perryton and Vicinity Activity Center, Sheryl Kelley will be the volunteer instructor. Interested persons are being asked to go by the Red Cross office weekday mornings to pick up their books or call the office at 435-8175 to sign up. Recovery cost for the course will be \$23.

This course will provide the necessary minimum skills and knowledge training for an individual to qualify to serve as an entry level lifeguard.

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Participants must complete training in CPR and first aid prior to issuance of the basic lifeguarding certificate. The Ochiltree County Chapter holds first aid and CPR classes on the third Monday and Tuesday of each month at the Ochiltree County Courthouse. The next CPR and first aid classes will be February 20th, Monday, 6 to 10 p.m. and February 21st, Tuesday, 5 to 10 p.m. at the Ochiltree County Courthouse. Recovery cost for this course will be \$30.

## Dixon stunned with party

By Barbara Collier

Approximately 51 people, including family members, co-workers and friends, gathered Friday evening, February 10, 1995 7:30 p.m., at Ivey's Restaurant, to surprise Mary Dixon, for a 50th Birthday Celebration.

Also in attendance was country singer, George Strait, a.k.a. Laquita Evans, who sang a few of the famous singer's songs. The honoree and guest all agreed this was a highlight of the evening. "George" wore the traditional white hat, of course.

A microphone was provided for

Mary, as she read each humorous card, and explained each gag gift she received. The gifts ranged from a walking cane, complete with rear view mirror and horn, to a barnyard "talking" cookie jar.

A buffet supper, complemented by traditional cake and ice cream was enjoyed by everyone in attendance. Black balloons tied to modern-day "health products" decorated tables, however, the wall decorations, consisting of "blown-up" photographs of the honoree from childhood on, were the "conversation" pieces.

## Neighbors

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on Southwest history. \*\*\*\*\*

Holly and Lenis Simpson with Adrienne took advantage of the school holiday on Friday and enjoyed a week-end of skiing at Red River. Sally Pittman accompanied them and others going were James and Karen Schnell with Jennifer. The skiing was just fair on Saturday but really good on Sunday. \*\*\*\*\*

Noticed in the paper that Kellog Company settled a lawsuit involving a man who claimed that fire Mrs. Roy Murrah. David, a Ph. D., is Director of Texas Tech South-

west Collection and an authority damaged his kitchen after a Pop-Tart he was toasting caught fire. Kellog paid him damages. There was no explanation as to what the man was doing as the Pop-Tart burned in the toaster.

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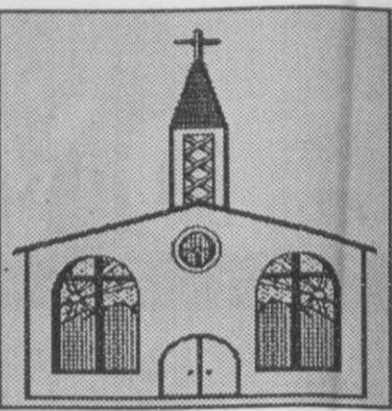
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### In Spearman...

**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

**First Assembly of God**  
401 N. Bernice • 659-2295  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Worship: 7:30 p.m.  
Youth: 7:30 Wednesday  
Pastor Todd Lillard

**First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**  
29 S. Bernice • 659-2036  
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

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

**Church of Christ**  
121 S. Haney • 659-3244  
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.  
Bible Study Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
KRDF Radio Program  
Living With Christ 7:50 a.m. M-F  
Minister Arnis Pape

**Fellowship Baptist**  
1102 S. Archer • 659-2783  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sunday  
Youth & Adult Serv.: 7:30 Wed.  
Pastor Rick Fincher

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

**Trinity Community Church**  
717 W. 7th Ave. • 659-2671  
Celebration of Praise 10:15  
Worship Service and  
Children's Church 10:30  
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday evening: 7 p.m.  
Pastor Dan Carter

**Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA)**  
1101 Bernice • 659-2252  
(Worships with First Presbyterian Church)

**First Presbyterian Church**  
(Worships with Faith Lutheran Church)  
1021 Cotter • 659-2033  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. at Lutheran Church  
Worship: 11 a.m. (alternates monthly between 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 Jeff Lust

**Union Church**  
31 S. Endicott • 659-2644  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.  
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m. Wed.  
Pastor Billy Stanford  
**Sacred Heart Catholic Church**  
901 Roland • 659-2792  
Sat. Night Mass: 7 p.m.  
Sunday Mass: 8:45 a.m. - English (8:45a.m. Service on KRDF 98.3 FM)  
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Worship: 10:50 a.m.  
Disciple Training: 6 p.m. Sunday  
Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday  
Pastor Larry Miller

**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 Setliff

**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 Wednesday  
Pastor Gary Gurfory

**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. Wednesday  
Pastor John R. Chandler

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

**First United Methodist**  
Broadway & Garrett • 733-2651  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.  
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