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Jan. 8 at Follett . . .

Gruver opens district

by Bob Bort

Gruver teams opened their 1991 district season at Follett Tuesday, Jan. 8. The Greyhounds won 69-54 and the Lady Hounds won 65-59. The JV girls also claimed a win, but the score was unavailable at press time.

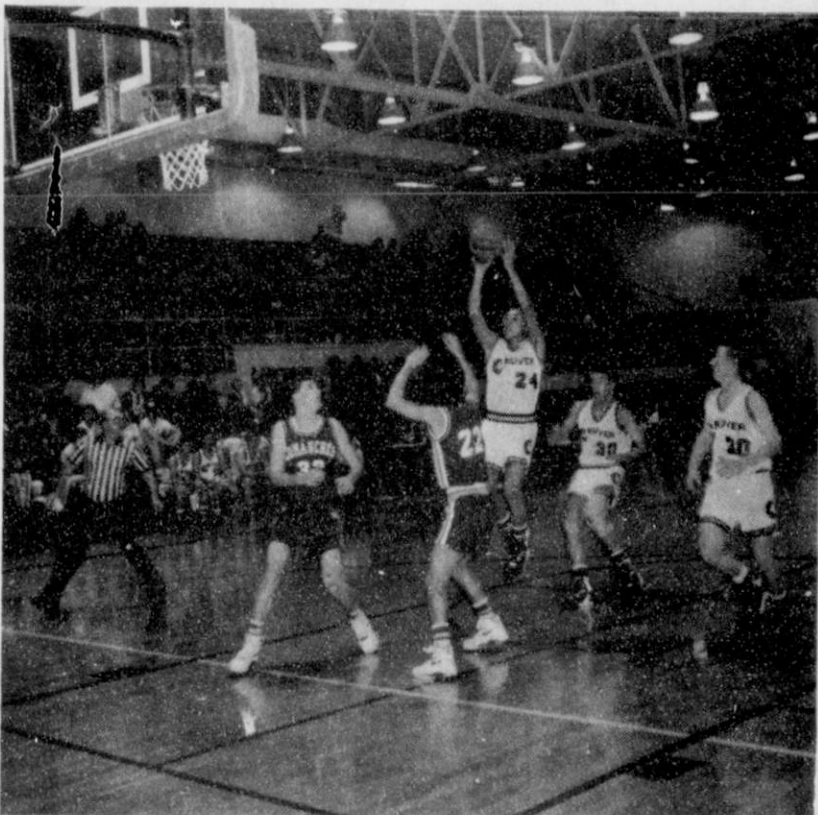
Coach Mike Banks provided details of the exciting conclusion of the girls' game.

Gruver led by five points with 30 seconds to go, but Follett hit a 3-pointer to cut the lead to two points with 21 seconds to go. The

Lady Hounds got the ball in, and Anissa Ryan was fouled and hit the front end of a one-and-one.

Follett got the rebound off the second shot, but Ryan stole the ball and was fouled again. Again, she hit the front end of the one-and-one to give Gruver a four-point lead.

Follett rebounded the second Ryan free throw and threw a long pass but Traci Crawford stole it and threw it to Ryan, who hit Holly Veneman under the basket for the final two points.



Geronimo Ortega (24) pulls up on a Hound fast break and sinks a 40 foot jump shot.

According to city manager . . .

TNP rate increase would result in higher city service fees for residents

According to Jim Murray, Spearman city manager, if Texas-New Mexico Power Company is granted the rate increase for which it is asking, the City of Spearman will have to raise its taxes and its service fees.

Murray indicated that if TNP receives its requested \$54.9 million rate increase, the city's electric rate will increase by 20 percent. To recoup the proposed rate increase the city would have to raise taxes at least 1 cent per \$100 evaluation. He went on to state that the rate increase would also affect the city's rate structure for sewer and water services.

Murray indicated that the proposed rate increase for the Spearman wastewater plant would increase the city's cost of power by \$4,600 per year. Furthermore, he stated, the city's water production cost would increase by \$11,400.

Sewer service rates would have to increase by 4 percent to recoup the proposed electric rate increase. Water service rates would have to increase by 2 percent to offset the rate increase.

According to the city's news release the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) is meeting Wednesday, Jan. 19 to decide how much of a rate increase to grant TNP. Spearman is part of a 22-city coalition which is asking the PUCT to disallow the rate increase, or at least to reduce it.

In the news release Murray indicated that citizens can join with the city governments in protesting this rate increase by contacting the commissioners on the PUCT in writing. Murray lists the following address for writing to the PUCT:

Public Utility Commission of Texas
7800 Shoal Creek Blvd.
Suite 400N
Austin TX 78757
Re: Docket No. 9491

Murray later indicated that people can FAX their feelings to the PUCT. Their FAX number is (512)475-3707.

Twenty-two cities that are served by Texas-New Mexico Power Company have joined forces and are contesting the rate case. The City of Spearman is participating with the other cities in this rate case. The cities have employed the law firm of Butler & Casstevens, ac-

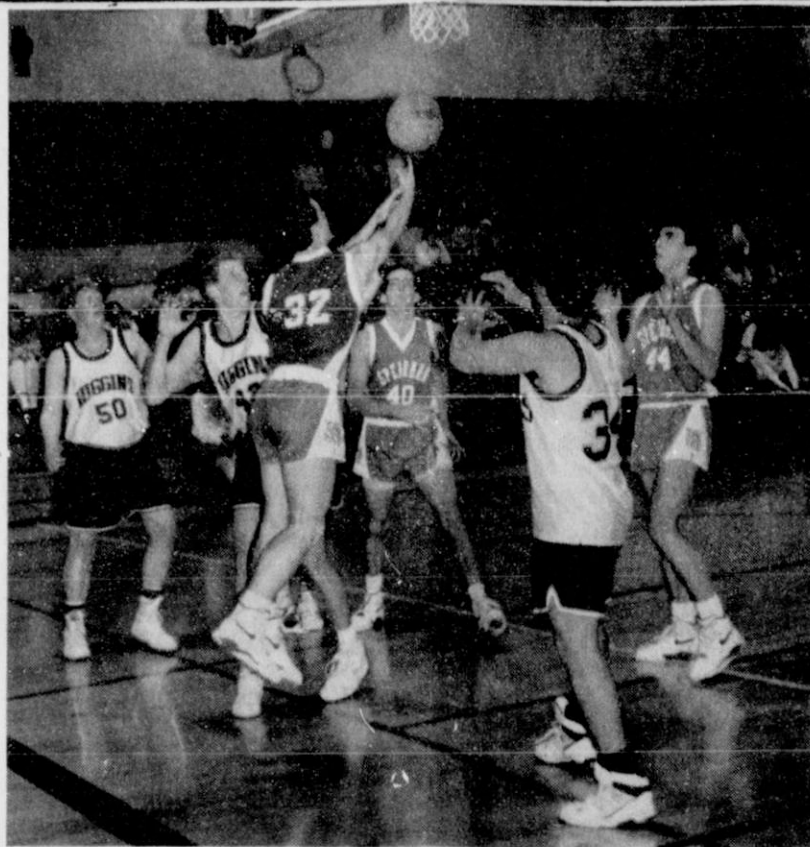
counting and management firm of Reed-Stowe & Co. and a rate of return expert in the firm of Diversified Utility Consultants, Inc. These three firms have reviewed and investigated the information filed by TNP with the PUCT since April 1990.

The cities' consultants have reported the following highlights of the rate case:

1) The Company is requesting approximately \$54.9 million annual rate increase which is a 17.42 percent increase. The reason for such a large rate increase is that the Company is requesting rate recognition for the TNP ONE Unit I plant. The TNP ONE Unit I plant is a lignite coal fired generating station located in Robertson County, Texas. Company officials have stated that the Unit II plant will be included in a rate case in the very near future and that request is estimated to be about \$48 million in addition to the Unit I case. The end result is that in the Unit I case the Company is proposing to charge the ratepayer 8 cents per Kwh to replace 3.5 cents per Kwh purchased power.

2) Consultants for the cities have taken the position in this case that rates should be reduced by approximately \$18.8 million. The reason for the rate reduction is that the Company does not own the TNP ONE facility. Therefore, TNP ONE Unit I should not be included in rate base. The Company is of the opinion that even though its investors, i.e. stockholders and bondholders, have no investment in TNP ONE, they still should be allowed a return on this plant even though a subsidiary of the Company, Texas Generating Company ("TGC") owns this facility. The cities have taken the position that inclusion of this facility in rate base is not appropriate because Company investors do not have an investment in these facilities. The cities do not question that if and when Company investors do invest, this facility will be eligible for rate base inclusion.

3) The Company was required by law to apply for a certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) from PUCT before they started construction of TNP ONE Unit I. The CCN was granted by the PUCT. However, the PUCT decision was appealed to District Court in Travis



Spearman Lynx Alan Howell (32) caps off a baseline drive with an underhand layup. Tim Kizziar (40) and Shawn Tanner (44) prepare to cover the rebound.

Lynxettes win

The Varsity Lynxettes got their new year and district race off to good starts by winning their first two games of the new year.

The Lynxettes opened the new year with a 44-36 win over Dalhart on Saturday. The Lynxettes were lead in scoring by Joy Gafford and Tamri Townsen who both scored a game high 16 points.

On Tuesday, January 8, the Lynxettes traveled to Stratford for their district opener. Despite a slow start, the Lynxettes were able to overcome a 14-2 point deficit at the

end of the first quarter, to beat the Elks 44-37.

The Lynxettes were lead in scoring by Jill Lusby with 13 points and Laura Pearson with 12 points.

At Dalhart, Sat.
Score: Sprm. 44 - Dal. 36
Scoring: Bonnie Thompson-3, Jill Lusby-4, Gwen Benson-1, Gafford-16, Townsen-16, Kyla Nelson-4.

At Stratford, Tues.
Score: Sprm. 44 - Stra. 37
Scoring: Lasater-2, Lusby-13, Gafford-10, Townsen-7, Pearson-12.

Record falls to 7-13 . . .

Lynx drop two

The Lynx Varsity dropped to 7-13 with a loss at Dalhart on Saturday and the loss to Stratford on Tuesday.

Despite a 17 point effort by Brian Beck, who lead all scorers, the Lynx lost to Dalhart by a score of 46-59. This game was postponed from Friday because of inclement weather.

On Tuesday the Lynx traveled to Stratford for their district opener. According to Lynx Coach Wendell Neff, the Elks played probably their best game to overcome the Lynx 47-53.

Neff went on to say that the Lynx team played very well and should have won the game. The Lynx were trailing the Elks by only one point going into the fourth quarter, hav-

ing climbed out of a 9 point hole from the first quarter.

With about four minutes left in the fourth quarter, the Lynx team was hit with two technical fouls and a one on one personal foul. Out of a possible 8 points of free throws, the Elks converted 7. The Lynx were unable to close the gap during the rest of the game.

At Dalhart, Sat.

Score: Sprm: 46 - Dal. 59
Scoring: Cody Pipkin-9, Brian Beck-15, Khris Kelp-4, Alan Howell-1, Tim Kizziar-4, Joel Shields-7, Shawn Tanner-7.

At Stratford, Tues.

Score: Sprm. 47 - Stra. 53
Scoring: Pipkin-9, Beck-15, Kelp-4, Howell-1, Kizziar-4, Shields-7, Tanner-7.

Truck accident results in city power outage

A non injury truck accident Friday, Jan. 4 caused a power outage for parts of Hansford County, including most of Spearman.

According to Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper Ed Longoria, a truck knocked down two power poles 2.3 miles east of Spearman and disrupted electrical service to the area.

Longoria reported that Dwayne Kummell of Lahoma, Okla. fell asleep at the wheel of a 1988 Peter-

bilt tractor, pulling a grain trailer. The vehicle swerved off the road and as he tried to maneuver the truck back onto the road, the trailer struck two utility poles belonging to North Plains Electric. The poles were knocked down, resulting in an interruption of electrical power to parts of Hansford County.

According to Longoria, the accident occurred at 6:45 a.m. Friday. Power in Spearman went out at about the same time, but was restored about 7:35 a.m.

TNP VP questions figures

Jack Chamber, sector vice president of revenue production for Texas-New Mexico Power Company, in a phone interview outlined the reasons why the company is asking for rate increase at this time.

In the same conversation Chamber took exception to some of the statements contained in a news release from Jim Murray, Spearman city manager.

Chamber began by saying that in 1985 the decision to build the power plant in Robertson County was made based on two things. One was that power companies supplying electricity to the area had raised their rates 500 to 700 percent in the 11 years prior to 1985.

The second was what TNP could do to ensure that enough electrical power would be available to meet the needs of its customers in the next 20 to 25 years.

Chamber said to ensure that TNP customers would have all the power they would need at a reasonable cost, the company decided that building its own generating facilities was necessary. They entered into a contract with H.B. Zackery, Westinghouse and Combustion Engineering to build four fossil fuel powered generating units in Robertson County. According to Chamber the contracts were in effect in 1986 to 1987.

The contracts were later modified to reduce the number of generating units to two. According

to Chamber, TNP took possession of the first unit in June 1990, and will take possession of the second unit in the summer of 1991.

As to the cost of construction of these two plants and their ability to supply power to the Panhandle area, Chamber takes exception to certain claims made by involved cities.

First of all, Chamber said he did not know where the city advisors got their figures, but the TNP original figures for construction costs per maximum kilowatt hour production was \$1,700. He went on to say the TNP rate increase request only takes into account a \$2,200 per kilowatt hour construction cost.

He further stated that tests of the Unit 1 generator show it is capable of exceeding its guaranteed maximum kilowatt output by 25 percent. This means that after the guarantee on the facility runs out, TNP will be able to run the plant at a higher production rate. This will reduce the construction cost per kilowatt hour ratio even more.

When asked if TNP had plans to reduce user rates in the future to reflect this reduction, Chamber said no formal plans had been made.

The other figure to which Chamber took exception was the cities' comparisons of kilowatt cost for purchased power. He maintained the cities' 3.5 cent figure represents the lowest possible figure, and not an average or the

highest it could be. He explained, saying the price of electrical power is based on the demand and availability of the power. The 3.5 cents per kilowatt hour cost is only available during the lowest demand periods. According to Chamber, these times do not occur very often.

Chamber did not have a kilowatt cost figure of his own but he did confirm the cities' 8 cent figure for the Robertson County facilities.

As to the cities' contention that the power generated by the Robertson County units could not be used by the Panhandle ratepayers, Chamber said this is not true. He said that for company accounting purposes the plants are listed separate from the Panhandle area, but when the power from the plants flows into the grid it is available to the entire system.

He went on to say that contracts with other power companies obligate those other companies to supply power to the Panhandle area based on the amount of power used from the Robertson County facilities.

Chamber summed up TNP's position by saying that the cost of bringing new power plants on line is the highest expense a power company faces. Even though the rate increase being requested now will make the TNP rate one of the highest in Texas, it will come down in ranking as the other power companies have to build new plants and bring them on line.

At the movies ...

"Mr. Destiny" stars James Belushi as Larry Burrows, a man who on his 35th birthday is suffering from a nagging sense of failure.

He has a nice but unremarkable wife, a nice but unremarkable home, a nice but unremarkable best friend and a nice but unremarkable job. He can't help feeling certain that his life should have been better.

And he can't help feeling certain that his downward spiral began the moment he struck out in a crucial Little League baseball game 20 years earlier.

Enter Mike (Michael Caine), a mysterious stranger who offers to show Larry how his life would have turned out if he had hit that ball. Now Larry is president of his company, wealthy beyond belief and

married to the boss's knock-out daughter. And yet ...

With Mike's help, Larry figures out that in comparison, his life is really a good one after all.

The film is rated PG-13 for mild language.

Chuckie the "Good Guy" doll, possessed by the spirit of psychopathic strangler Charles Lee Ray, came to a bad end in "Child's Play," and no one was a bit sorry.

"Child's Play 2" opens with Chuckie's resurrection by a team of technicians working for the manufacturers of Good Guy dolls. The salvage operation goes along with no problem until a pair of technicians replace Chuckie's eyes, only to be electrocuted in a freak accident(?)

Within hours Chuckie is on the loose again, with just one thing on his mind: to find young Andy (Alex Vincent) and steal his soul so that he - the Charles Lee Ray he, that is - can start life afresh in a new body.

"Child's Play 2" contains some very effective scares. Chuckie is a creepy thing, swearing, scurrying and reaching out from all those scary places (under the bed, beneath the stairs) to get you when you're not looking. It's even occasionally genuinely clever.

The film is rated R.

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Spiritually Speaking

by Russ Gibbs
Pastor, First Baptist Church

My wife is reading a book by Barbara Johnson entitled *Stick a Geranium in Your Hat and Be Happy!* The title was intriguing so I picked it up and glanced at the Table of Contents. Some of the chapter titles I discovered were: "Pain Is Inevitable, but Misery Is Optional," "It's Always Darkest

Just Before it Goes Totally Black," "I Feel So Much Better Now That I've Given Up Hope," "I Can Handle Any Crisis - I'm a Mother," and "Wrinkles Are God's Little Way of Saying...I'm Stepping On Your Face."

At first I thought this was another Erma Bombeck type book until I read a little closer. Mrs. Johnson is the survivor of four painful, devastating experiences. Her husband was in a near-fatal accident and slowly recovered from severe, debilitating injuries. She lost one son in Vietnam, another son to a drunk driver and a third to the homosexual lifestyle. Mike, she was recently diagnosed with adult-onset diabetes. This is a woman who understands pain and suffering, yet she has found hope and joy through her faith in God.

The preface states "We can choose to gather to our hearts the thorns of disappointment, failure, loneliness, and dismay due to our present situation, or we can gather the flowers of God's grace, unbounding love, abiding presence, and unmatched joy. I choose to gather the flowers, and I hope you will, too."

No one knows what circumstances and trials 1991 may bring. My prayer for you is that you would face each crisis with the same spirit and faith expressed by the Psalmist... "I would have lost heart, unless I had believed that I would see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and He shall strengthen your heart; wait, say, on the Lord!" Psalm 27:13-14

Pringle-Morse

LUNCH

Monday, Jan. 14 - Teacher in-service. No school.

Tuesday, Jan. 15 - Corn dogs or burritos, chili, french fries, broccoli and rice casserole, fruit, milk

Wednesday, Jan. 16 - Turkey and gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, salad, hot rolls, apple pie, milk

Thursday, Jan. 17 - Meat loaf, ravioli, buttered potatoes, green beans, raw vegetable tray, wheat rolls, jello/fruit, milk

Friday, Jan. 18 - Pizza, tater tots, salad, fruit, ice cream, milk

BREAKFAST

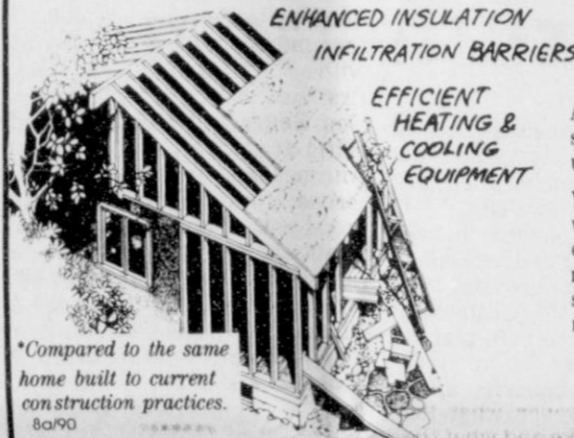
Tuesday, Jan. 15 - Pancakes, sausage, juice, milk

Wednesday, Jan. 16 - Honey buns, toast, juice, milk

Thursday, Jan. 17 - Muffins, cheese toast, juice, milk

Friday, Jan. 18 - Biscuits & sausage, juice, milk

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Hansford Happenings

Skate Night Winners in Limbo Saturday, Jan. 5 at the Hansford Activity Center were Brianna Burkhammer and Natasha Burch. Mason Kuehl was the winner of a free pair of skates.

"Heart and Soul" is the theme for the Hansford County American Heart Association's annual fundraising banquet, set for Saturday, Jan. 26 at 7 p.m. in the Spearman High School cafeteria. The banquet will consist of a steak dinner prepared by the Spearman J.C.s, followed by an art auction. A donation of \$25 will be accepted for each ticket to the fundraiser. For more information or to obtain tickets, call June Barkley at 733-2592, Carla Gumfory at 733-2050, Rosemary Brown at 659-3079, or Michele Davis at 659-3411.

Anyone interested in attending a 30-hour hospice patient care volunteer training class should call Verna Lee Shirley at 659-5565 during the day, 659-3214 at night, or Carolyn Hicks at 733-2335.

Chamber Chatter

by Brett Whitford

We hope that everyone had a very Happy Holiday! Things are really getting busy here at the Chamber of Commerce. We are looking forward to a great 1991! 1990 will be hard to beat but we can do it!

As you have read or heard, the nomination forms for 1990 Citizen of the Year and Citizen Over the Years are out. If you need one, please drop by the Chamber office and pick one up. These are due back in the office no later than Friday, Jan. 18 at 5 p.m. Get your nomination in soon! We know that there have been many hard workers who need to be recognized in our community. Spearman is so lucky to have so many good people that are proud of their town and who will go the extra mile to do something to help! Thanks to everyone who does.

The Chamber Banquet is fastly approaching. It is set for Saturday, Feb. 2 at the Spearman High School Cafeteria. Our featured speaker is Cowboy Jack otherwise known as Dr. Stan Cobb. We will also be entertained by our own Miss Hansford County, Misty Savage and the talents of our own Gwen Benson. Gwen is a talented young singer that has made a couple of records and has performed in Nashville. Tickets will go on sale this week. Call the Chamber office to get yours. Prices are \$12.50 for Chamber members and \$15.00 for non-members.

By the way, we would be more than happy to have you as a member of our Chamber, whether individual or business. Give me a call and I will be more than happy to visit with you about it! Join and support your Chamber, it works for you and Spearman. Remember, Spearman IS someplace special!

Hospital notes

ADMISSIONS

Thursday, Jan. 3: Edna Largent, Lester Slaten, Leland Cook

Friday, Jan. 4: Will Douglas

Saturday, Jan. 5: Viola George

Sunday, Jan. 6: Marie Crawford

Tuesday, Jan. 8: Owen Montgomery

DISMISSALS

Thursday, Jan. 3: Cindy Sasser, Tyler Rex, Mary Gillispie

Friday, Jan. 4: Nova Foot, Edna Largent, Leland Cook

Sunday, Jan. 6: Will Douglas

Monday, Jan. 7: Viola George, Lelan Close, Bill Henderson

Patients in the hospital are Marie Crawford, Mavis Collins, Donald Hartranft, Lester Slaten, Andrew Bort and Owen Montgomery

WEATHER

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Fri	26	16	0.00
Sat	33	22	0.00
Sun	25	18	0.00
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Sun. Eve. Service 6:30 p.m.
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1102 S. Archer 659-2783
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Evening 7:30
Pastor Ron Fox

First United Methodist Church
407 S. Haney 695-5503
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Worship/Study 7:00 p.m.
Youth Wed. 7 p.m. & Sun. 6 p.m.
Pastor Todd Dyess

Apostolic Faith Church
822 S. Dressen 659-2870
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
Pastor Lealand Grimmer

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 Wed. 2 p.m.
Youth Wed. 6 p.m. & Sun 5 p.m.
Pastor LaVern Draper

Union Church
31 S. Endicott 659-2544
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
Sun. Evening 6:30
Interim Pastor Geo. Bollinger

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
901 Roland 659-2166
Sat. Night Mass 7:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 9:30 a.m.
C.C.D. Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Spanish Bible Study Fri. 8 p.m.
Father Norbert Kieferle

Devotional

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 NIV
There is a season for everything and a season for everything under heaven:

a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot, a time to kill and a time to heal, a time to tear down and a time to build, a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance a time to scatter stones and a time to gather them, a time to embrace and a time to refrain, a time to keep and a time to throw away, a time to be silent and a time to speak, a time to love and a time to hate, a time for war and a time for peace.

In Morse

First Baptist Church of Morse
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
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Pastor Terry Austin

In Gruver

Church of Christ
209 King 733-2760
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:20 a.m.
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Minister Harold Sneed

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Hwy. 15 733-2838
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Pastor Zane Gray

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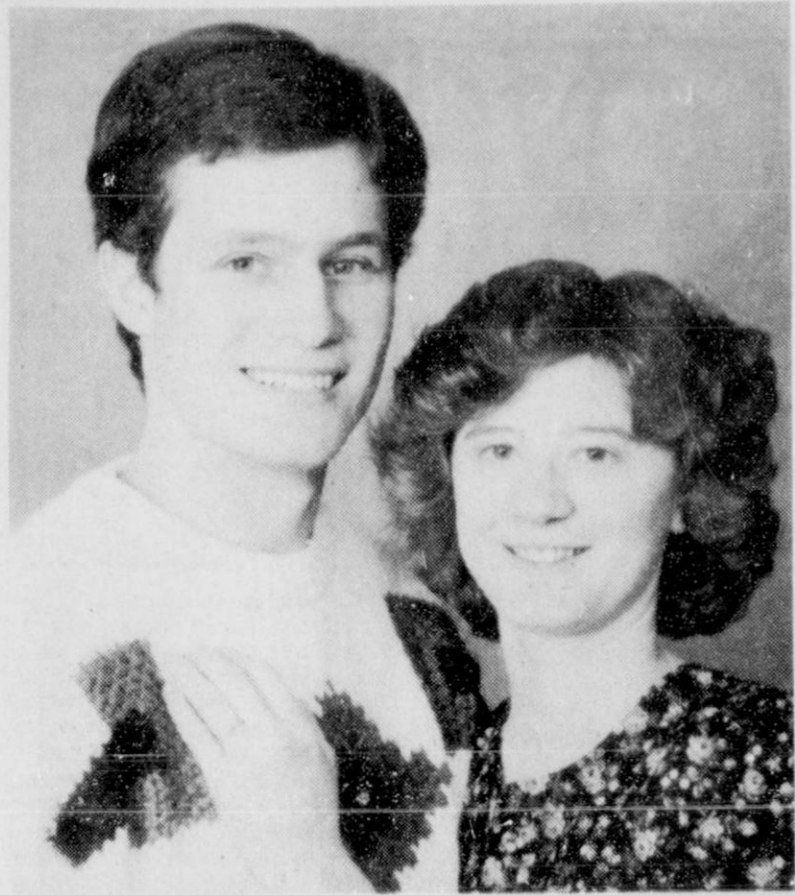
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Jimmy and Gail Vanlandingham of Spearman announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathy, to Robert Stephenson of Amarillo, son of Ron and Jeanne Stephenson. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Vanlandingham and Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Collins. She attended Panhandle State University at Goodwell, Okla. and is presently a student at West Texas State University at Canyon. The prospective groom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Anthon Woods and Mrs. Louise Stephenson. He also attended PSU and is presently attending WTSU. The couple plans a March 16 wedding, to be held at 3 p.m. in the Assembly of God Church in Spearman. They will reside in Canyon following their wedding.

Morse Baptist Church sets film series

A six-part film series, "From Christ to Constantine: The Trial and Testimony of the Early Church," will be shown by Morse Baptist Church Sunday evenings, Jan. 20 through Feb. 24 at 7 p.m. For further information call 733-2757.

The first two programs take a close look at how the early church began and how it spread in spite of overwhelming odds against it. Program three examines the wide-ranging array of accusations against the early believers - everything from atheism to lack of patriotism. The fourth program examines the repeated waves of persecution that were unleashed against Christianity and why the Roman Empire considered this fledgling movement, with its motto of love, such a threat.

Program five takes up examples of noteworthy martyrs and how their stories were used to strengthen believers in times of duress. The final program looks at why the church survived and succeeded, eventually becoming the dominant faith of the Empire.

Each program is hosted by television journalist Steve Bell, supported by three co-hosts who are professional actors who skip into various dramatic roles, acting major characters and events of the times.

The programs were produced in consultation with an international team of scholars. Shooting took place at numerous original locations across the old Roman Empire where significant early church events occurred.

Producer Ken Curtis commented, "The story of early Christianity is one of the great adventure stories of all time and it is particularly a story for our times because Christianity has had a profound, and perhaps the most far-reaching, influence in shaping our Western civilization. Living in a time when we have so little perspective on our past, it is important that we rediscover what the church was really like and what the central meaning of Christianity was in its earliest generations before it broke off into the multiple denominations that we have today."

The series features experts from various denominational backgrounds and treats material shared by all of the major Christian traditions.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Jan. 8 in the Church of Christ at Hollis with Erman Crony, minister, and Gerald Stewart, minister of Guymon Church of Christ, officiating. Interment was in Gould Cemetery.

Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

In his column of January 3 in the Amarillo-News Globe, Bryan Painter featured Hadley Reed of Spearman.

Spearman folk have always had pride in Hadley, not only for his accomplishments on the rodeo circuit, high school, collegiate, and professional, but also his affability, modesty and exemplary character.

His friends and associates will be following his activities in the arena and wishing him the best of luck. Hang in there, Hadley!

Death touched several families in the county recently and sympathy is extended to each. They were:

Ben Harris of Gruver, an early day settler in the county, survivors include many.

Leonard Latham of Perryton, brother of Albert Latham and uncle of Orville Latham.

Juanita Woodington of Pampa, mother of Tim Woodington, Y.C. Lopez, Canadian, father of Anita Summers.

Jerald Scribner, long time resident of Spearman, many family member survivors.

Mona Reynolds, Sunray, many relatives in Gruver and a long time friend.

Floyd Sheets, whose obituary is carried elsewhere in this issue, brother of Frances Cudd, Daniel Sheets, S.B. Sheets and Claude Sheets, Jr. He died after heart surgery. Floyd was reared in this area and finished high school here in 1938 and has attended some school reunions.

Marie Beck, having lived here all her life, associates cold weather with Christmas but her daughter Shirley, having lived in the south for many years, prefers Christmas without cold weather. So for the first time since 1984, Shirley and Don Beggs and their two sons of Paris drove up to spend Christmas with her mother. The cold weather forced an early departure but they could not escape, finding freezing temperatures and sleet even at their home. Other guests of Marie's for the holidays were Larry and Gloria Beck and son of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Beck of Amarillo and her children who live here.

Helen and Chuck Harruff of Dalhart spent the week-end with their daughter, Karen and Buford Babitzke. They reached home safely though the icy roads and fog delayed them considerably.

In this column, as in the entire paper, special interest is in news of those Hansford County young people in the armed services and

especially those in Saudi Arabia. Welcome would be any letters or news, and addresses will be carried in full for any who so desire.

Jim and Linda Beeson recently heard from their son, Alan, who was transferred from northern Germany near the Czech border, to Saudi Arabia the early part of December.

Alan, grandson of Lena Beeson and brother of Kay, finds it a drastic change from the mountains to the deserts of Saudi Arabia. His parents feel that he is in good spirits. He refers to the country as "The Land of Sand." His duties are in an armoured personnel carrier with an Armoured Cavalry Regiment.

His address is: Pvt. Alan Beeson, 458-49-8169, Operation Desert Shield, 3-A-1/2 ACR, APO New York 09759.

The residents of Hansford Manor who had birthdays in December were honored at a birthday party on the afternoon of December 14. They were Melba Williams, Edna Bayless, Bruce Sheets, Clara Conley, Viola Hutton and Nellie McDonald.

Members of the Ladies Auxiliary who provided refreshments and arrangements were Virginia Head, Dorothy Haner, Mary Fern Terry and Alva Garner.

The Christmas party was held the afternoon of the 20th. Santa Claus managed to make a pre-Christmas call with gifts for everyone. Refreshments concluded the festivities.

The residents were delighted that a number of groups of carolers called on them during the month with musical numbers.

New residents of the manor are George Graves, Corinne and Bob Fannin of Oklahoma, parents of Odell Fannin. Lucile Cook was a temporary resident and returned to her home on Monday.

A welcome guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lemons last week was his brother, Mason Lemons, of Booker. He had spent Christmas in Abilene and after leaving Spearman went to Harlingen. He will spend the winter there.

Friday ended a two week period of activity, hospitality and holiday sharing for Loree and Ira Harbour.

Ira's brothers and sisters gathered at the home of Monte and Marie Harbour on Friday. All but two were able to be present. In addition to Monte and Ira and wives, those attending were Leota and

Robin Giblin, Morse; Maylee and Leroy Smith, Perryton; and Avis and Glen Smith, Dimmitt.

During Christmas the inclement weather turned into a blessing, since outdoor activities were curtailed, increased was the warmth and conviviality indoors. It provided wonderful companionship for the family. The Harbour's daughter, Ann and Russell Hindmarsh of Cortez, Colo. spent the week with them. They were especially pleased that their granddaughter, Amanda Sloan could be here for ten days. She is a medical student in Denver.

Other guests of the Harbours were Jean and Donnie Jones with Sherman, Morse; a friend Doug Johnson, San Diego; Mr. and Mrs. Don Chisum, Stinnett; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Chisum and children, Sunray; and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Harbour and family, Spearman.

One day Ira and Loree, with Ann, Russell and Amanda, spent a day in Forgan, Okla. with Loree's sister, Ada Rose and Bob Phelps.

Then on Sunday the Harbours and Amanda visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Farris in Wellington. They were joined by their son, Ted and his wife with Austin, Zada and Dalton of Rockwall, Tx.

Carla Woodington, District Court Administrator in the office of Judge Blackburn, will be handling her duties from home for several months. She has had a forwarding telephone installed and with the cooperation of other officials, employees and associates, she feels that all will go well.

Carla and husband Tim were in Pampa due to the death of his mother. On Wednesday before the funeral, she was on an errand in front of the home and slipped on the ice. She was taken by ambulance to the hospital and on Thursday, surgery was performed on the ankle. It was a very complicated fracture, with breaks on the right side, left side and back of the ankle.

For about three weeks she will be practically bed fast, then a cast will be used but she won't put weight on it for several months.

John and Virginia Trindle returned between ice storms from Grandbury where they had gone to take Connie, Abbe and Nathan Steger after their Christmas visit. Dr. Doug had been with them here through Christmas but the family remained several days with the Trindles.

Many, many old friends were so pleased to welcome the Stegers in church Sunday morning and to note the progress Connie is making after her serious surgery.

Club News

HEARTS & HANDS

Hansford County Hearts and Hands, an auxiliary for certified hospice patient care volunteers, held its monthly meeting Dec. 17 in the First State Bank Hospitality Room in Spearman.

Those attending the meeting from Gruver were Opal Wallin, Alice Paddy, Connie Gammill and Carolyn Hicks.

Also attending were Pearl Pierce, Jettie Davis, Travis and Lana Pattison, Cleo Denman, Carolyn Taylor, Jeanette, Allen,

Altha Groves, Mable Wisian, Charla Roberts, Colene Brummett, Jack McWhirter, Edith Womble, Garland Hopper, Jo Linda Hutchison, Betty Pugh, Cyndi and David Pearson, Kim Sherlock, Brenda Wall, John Scott, Hazel Shieldknight, Betty Jean Davis, Eloise Renner, Verna Lee Shirley, and Charlette Jackson all from Spearman.

The next meeting will be held in the Gruver State Bank La Casita Room in Gruver Jan. 21 at 7:00 p.m. All meetings are open to all interested persons.

Obituary

Floyd Wesley Sheets

HOLLIS, Okla. - Floyd Wesley Sheets, 70, died Saturday, Jan. 5.

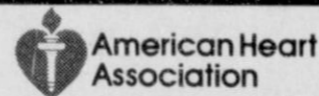
Mr. Sheets was born in Spearman. He was a resident of the Guymon, Okla. area from 1945 to 1982, moving to Gould, Okla., where he was custodian for the Gould schools. He married LaVerne Weatherford in 1942 at Guymon. He was a member of the Hollis Church of Christ. He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother, Leroy Sheets, and an infant brother.

Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Gail Cansler of Gould, Winnell Whitehead of Dale, Okla., Luann Burford of Drummond, Okla. and Joyce Allen of Quanah; six brothers, Daniel Sheets, S.B.

Sheets and Claude Sheets Jr., all of Spearman, Martin Sheets of Bracketville, Branch Sheets of Happy and Willis Sheets of Raton, N.M.; four sisters, Frances Cudd of Spearman, Alice Johnson of Stinnett, Grace Harmon of Whorton and Zola Mitchell of Waco; and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Jan. 8 in the Church of Christ at Hollis with Erman Crony, minister, and Gerald Stewart, minister of Guymon Church of Christ, officiating. Interment was in Gould Cemetery.

Volunteer.



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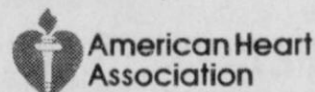
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May God bless you as you have blessed me.

Betty Porter

On The Go With Joy

by Joy Henderson

On these cold and icy, blustery evenings, one of the simplest of pleasures for us to enjoy is to pop a big bowl of popcorn and sip cocoa or a steamy mug of wassail. That simple pleasure has become one of the most precious acts of this new year.

You might say Gary and Diane Doty's new year began last Oct. 26 when they arrived back at their home in Hansford County.

Gary was critically injured when he suffered a fall at a grain elevator and for several weeks, it was touch and go at the very best. By the laws of nature he wasn't even supposed to be alive, much less able to walk in any form or fashion. But now he is at home, able to walk with the aid of a "quad cane" and move about.

Since arriving home, the Dotys' schedule has been fast and furious. They had to adjust to his new surroundings and begin trips back and forth to Dumas for rehabilitation therapy at the YMCA. If weather conditions permit they make the trip three times weekly.

The YMCA in Dumas has a pool and other types of therapy equipment that Gary works out on. Since Dec. 14 he is able to walk to the gate, but a wheelchair is used some because he still tires easily and needs to conserve energy for working out. There are 10 kinds of equipment that Gary uses and his condition continues to improve.

The Dotys will return to Craig

Rehabilitation Center near Denver, Colo. for re-evaluation in April. At that time a decision will be made to schedule another surgery, but the Dotys feel the "team doctors" will truly be amazed at Gary's progress.

Gary is still on some medication which will probably be needed the rest of his life, but his goal is to be able to return to work sometime in the future.

It was good to visit with Diane over the phone. She called me to fill me in on the Optima Dam project and let me know that the feisty pioneer woman involved is indeed still living, at Dunaway Manor in Guymon. Delphine Etling, who is a distant relative of Altha Mae Jones, said she has failing eyesight, but her mind is still as sharp as it ever was. We are estimating that she is in her 90s.

Well, the new year is about to get back to normal and our church activities and attendance is better. Howard Bybee, former Church of Christ minister here in Gruver, along with his wife Doris, visited here briefly. The Bybees, who have spent considerable time in Italy, are back in Searcy, Ark. working with "Avanti Italia" which is recruiting students from Harding College to commit some time to the mission field.

Vivian Green seems to stay busy playing hostess, but was especially

busy at Christmas. Those seen recently included John and Virginia Alley on their way to visit kids and grandkids in Roswell, N.M. Also R.C. and his son Barry, along with Dale Blackburn, Weldon's son-in-law, made a quick visit. If they came for the purpose of hunting, I'll bet they found out that the nearest bed for a winter's nap was better.

Others coming earlier for hunting included Lucy Pittman's dad, L.J. Norman, brother Capt. Lynn Norman of San Antonio and nephews Austin and Heath. Lucy reported they didn't hurt the bird population much. However, a niece, Lindsay, 7 years old, received some scratches from gravel on the playground. Her brother Tony accused her of sorting tigers.

Enjoying the Christmas festivities were Ted and Louise Evans, who had all their children and "grands" here. Those in attendance were David, Nancy, Dean and Greg from Winters; Tim Jennifer, Jessica and Jason from San Angelo; Mike, Debbie, Joy and Pam from Amarillo; and David and Sharon Rosser from Gruver.

Visiting with grandparents Corky and Paula Kizzar were Charles Parrish and wife Shiloh, along with their baby.

Don and Peggy Dillow would like to announce the arrival of their new grandson, Zane Edgar Schiffner, born Dec. 30, 1990 at Harris Methodist Hospital in Ft. Worth. Zane arrived at 10:01 a.m. weighing 6 lbs., 14 oz. and was 19 inches long. Also welcoming Zane is big brother Jared, 7 years old, and parents Margaret and Danny Schiffner. Other grandparents are Paul and Helen Schiffner of Alva, Okla. and great-grandmother Echols, also of Alva.

Entertaining family during the holidays were Flvil and Josephine Ayers. Their daughter Shirley and husband Byron Nesbitt, their granddaughter Kisaundra from Berger, and later on Glen, with sons Scottie and Trevor, were able to spend a few days and help with some house remodeling. Quite a contrast in grandchildren for the Ayers - Kisaundra is now 16, a tall and lovely girl, and the two boys, 7 and 5, are very active but still so loveable, giving hugs and kisses.

Holiday guests of Larry and Donna Ross included Lana Willoughby, Ervin Willoughby, Jess Willoughby, Forrest and Gwen Music, all of Sheridan, Wyo.; J.W. Jeffress and Rossey Jeffress of Gillette, Wyo.; and John Jeffress of Aurora, Colo.

Guests of the Dorsey Schads were Billie and Debbie Etheredge of Dumas; and Gerry, DeAnn, Blythe and Katlin Chapman of Amarillo.

Visiting with Ed and Margaret Fry were LeeAnn and Ladd Sheets from Lubbock and Steven and

Tischa Fry from Abilene.

Others who have been in Gruver recently were Larry and Sally Higbee of Lawrenceville, Ga., guests of Verna Flippin; Chuck and Karla Topp of Lubbock, guests of the Ernesto Zapatas; Sherri and Christopher Rasor of Amarillo, guests of the Aubrey Rasors; Travis Bayless of Amarillo, guest of the Alfred Bayless; Terry Etling of Dallas, guest of the Ray Brandviks; and Steven A. Schultz of Garden City, Mi., guest of the James Dormans.

Also Damon and Corey Horton of Van Alstyne, Texas, guests of the Larry Millers; Scott and Denise Miller of Amarillo, guests of the Gary Dotys; Ruby McCullough of Sunset, Texas, guest of the Larry Babbs; Rhonda Smith of London, England, guest of the Don Heddins; Pearl Davidson of Wilson, Texas, guest of the Fred Davidsons; and Jeff Thacker of Roaring Springs, Texas, guest of the Jerry Overbeys.

Those known in hospitals are Bill Henderson and Don Hartranft (pneumonia). Kenneth Irwin was a patient for a few days in Hansford Hospital, but is now at home and Dean McClenagan had "balloon" surgery for heart problems, but is now at home.

College students who have been home recently were Steve Duncan, Brian McClenagan and Allan Taylor from the U.S. Navy, home on leave visiting in the home of parents Victor and Kathy Taylor.

Menu

January 15 - January 18

No School Monday

Tuesday: Crispie fish sticks, macaroni and cheese, green beans, fruit, hot rolls, milk

Wednesday: Chili, carrot sticks, fruit, donuts, milk

Thursday: Roast turkey, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, jello, hot rolls, milk

Friday: Nachos, pinto beans, fruit, corn bread, milk

BREAKFAST

Monday-no school

Tuesday: Cereal, fruit or juice, muffins, milk

Wednesday: French toast sticks, peanuts, fruit, milk

Thursday: Donuts, fruit, peanuts, milk

Friday: Toast, peanut butter and jelly, fruit, milk

Salad bar Mon. Tue. and Wed.

Nacho bar Mon. and Wed.

Potato bar Tue. and Thur.

Menu subject to change w/o notice.



Derwin and Linda Comer of Wellington announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rhanita Lin, to Kenneth Todd Virden, son of Jerry and Judy Virden of Gruver. The bride-elect is a 1989 graduate of Maysville, Okla. High School and attended Amarillo College. She presently attends West Texas State University, majoring in psychology, and is employed by Prudential Ada Realtors. The prospective groom is a 1989 graduate of Gruver High School and was graduated from the surgical technology program at Amarillo College. He presently attends West Texas State University, majoring in biomedical sciences, and is a certified surgical technologist at St. Anthony's Hospital. The couple plans a Feb. 9 wedding at Panfork Baptist Encampment in Wellington.

Winn student of month

by Gretchen Lowder

Cynthia Winn, daughter of Nelda and Bill Winn, 17 year old senior at Gruver High School, was recently chosen as student of the month for January.

Winn is an active and involved student at GHS who seems to find time for almost every activity. As a four year member of the Spanish Club, Winn not only speaks the language well but is a strong influence and support to the club by serving as its treasurer. She also participated in SADD (Students Against Driving Drunk), FHA (Future Homemakers of America), speech tournaments, One Act Play, All School Review, OM (Odyssey of the Mind) and UIL.

As a member of the GHS Band for four years Winn has been and continues to be one of its most valuable members. Her talent and

perseverance have been important factors in the program.

Winn is also a member of the NHS (National Honor Society), one of the highest honors a student can receive. Although she is active in extracurricular activities, Winn says her grades come first.

After graduation, Winn plans to attend West Texas State University in Canyon and hopes to study advertising, photography and art.

Russ Chisum, speech teacher at GHS who nominated her for the award, says Winn has an excellent attitude toward school and goes the second mile on her assignments. "She is a pleasant and fun girl to be around," said Chisum, "yet she takes her school work seriously."

Winn says her schoolwork is very important to her for many reasons. "I was rewarded for doing well in younger grades and it just carried over into high school," said Winn. "Grades also help build a solid foundation for my future in college," she added.

Not only is Winn active and involved in school, but she is also an important part of the community. She was named "Outstanding Youth" by the Kiwanis Club in Guymon, Okla. in October 1990, and is also a member of the Sunset Lane Baptist Church there.

Winn is looking forward to a bright future and hopes her education at GHS will further her opportunities outside the school.

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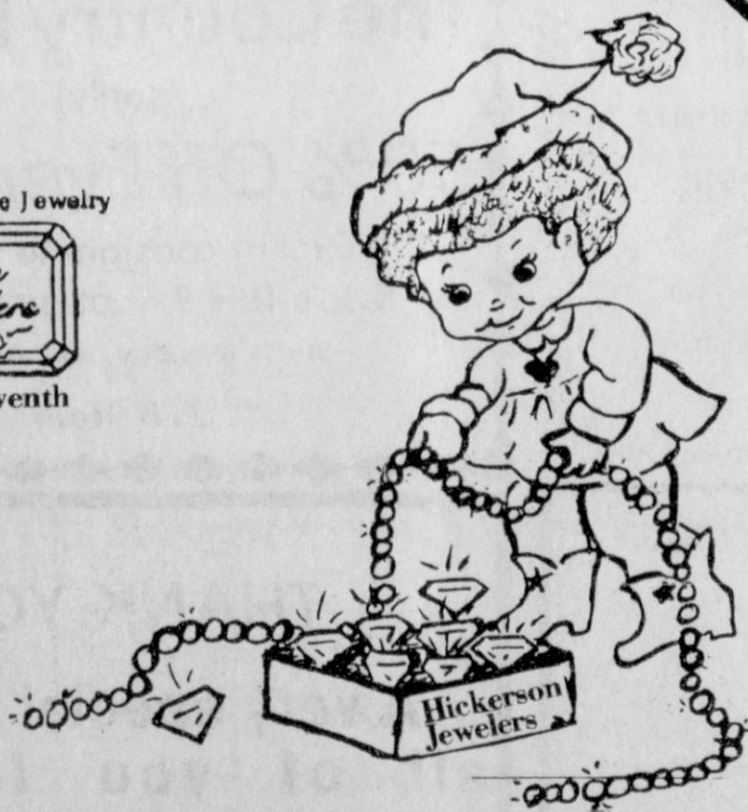
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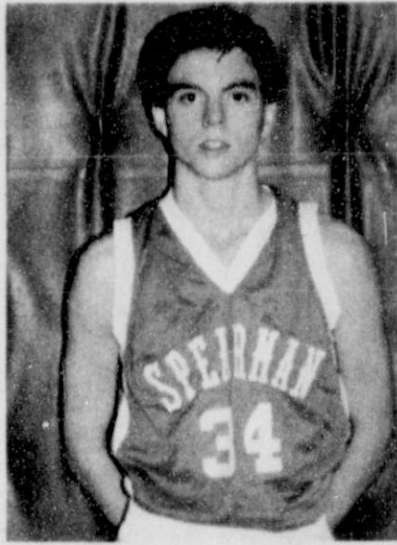
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Alan Howell

Alan Howell wears number 32 and plays wing for the Lynx basketball team. He is 5'9½" and weighs 150 pounds. He is a senior at SHS. Alan's parents are Neal Howell and Suzanne Dixon and he has one brother, Robert. Alan's other interests include church and physics.



Ross Jarvis

Ross Jarvis wears number 34 and plays guard for the Lynx basketball team. He is a senior at SHS. Ross' parents are Wesley and Cheri Jarvis and he has one sister, Holly, and one brother, Lee. Ross' many interests include music and choir.



Brian Beck

Brian Beck wears number 24 and plays pt. guard for the Lynx basketball team. He is 5'10" and weighs 135 pounds. He is a Junior at SHS. Brian's parents are Ronnie and Kathy Beck. He has one sister, Melissa. Brian's other interests include fishing, skiing and hunting.



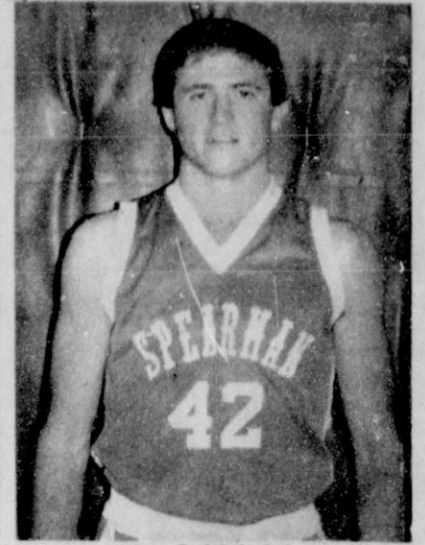
Shawn Tanner

Shawn Tanner wears number 44 and plays center for the Lynx basketball team. He is 6'5" and weighs 185 pounds. He is a junior at SHS. Shawn's parents are Steve Tanner and Vicki Fletcher. Shawn's other interests include basketball, hunting and fishing.



Cody Pipkin

Cody Pipkin wears number 22 and plays post for the Lynx basketball team. He is 6'4" and weighs 168 pounds. He is a sophomore at SHS. Cody's parents are Vernon and Marsha Pipkin. He has two sisters, Mika and Holly. Cody's other interest is track.



Joel Shields

Joel Shields wears number 42 and plays forward for the Lynx basketball team. He is 6 feet tall and weighs 185 pounds. He is a senior at SHS. Joel's parents are Lonnie and LeAnn Shields. He has three brothers and five sisters. His brothers are Pat, Bob and Tobe and his sisters are Resa, Ruth, MeLody, Kyna and Kali. Joel's other interests include football, snow and water skiing, hunting and fishing.



Khris Kelp

Khris Kelp wears number 30 and plays guard for the Lynx basketball team. He is 5'10" and weighs 145 pounds. He is a junior at SHS. Khris' parents are Reagan and Beckee Baker. He has one brother, Lance, and two sisters, Kim and Lacie. Khris lists his interest as football.

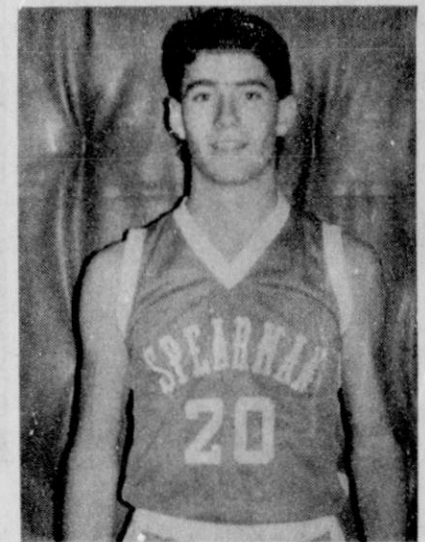
Lynx begin playoff competition

With its Jan. 8 game, the Lynx varsity basketball team begins competition for one of the two district spots in the state playoff tournament. "I see us competing very strongly for a playoff spot," said first year Lynx head coach Wendell Neff. Neff supports this statement by pointing to the improving play of his Lynx team and what he feels is a good schedule. Over the course of the 18 game pre-district season Neff has seen his team improve in both defensive and offensive play. "We set a goal before each game to hold the other team to less than 50 points," Neff said. In their last three games the Lynx have accomplished this

twice. Only in their loss to Gruver in the finals of the Canadian Tournament, 38-56, did Lynx opponents score more than 50 points. According to Neff, 56 is way below Gruver's average point score. On offense Neff points out the improved post play of the Lynx team. He mentions the ability of his big men to get position inside, and the Lynx guards' and wings' ability to get the ball into their hands. Neff says the inside play will be shared by four players: Cody Pipkin, Shawn Tanner, Tim Kizziar and Dallas Trosper. Neff said players' positions will depend on what defense they are playing and the foul situations. In talking about the Lynx guard

and wing play Neff was pleased by their improvement in protecting the ball. Along with this Neff would like to see more improvement in the team's outside shooting. Reducing turnovers and making teams come out and play defense outside the paint will be the job of Alan Howell, Khris Kelp, Brian Beck, Ross Jarvis and Joel Shields. The outside shooters in this group are Beck and Jarvis, according to Neff. He also mentioned that Shields was developing "a nice outside touch." In looking at the schedule Neff liked the idea that the Lynx must play their two toughest district opponents away early in the season. They open with Stratford away,

come home and play Sunray for a second game, and then away to Stinnett to play the number one rated team in the district, West Texas. Neff says a win early on the road puts the pressure on them to win later at your home gym. An early loss away can be made up with a home win later. In looking at the district competition, Neff rates them as all being strong but with West Texas and Stratford as being a little more consistent. According to Neff, West Texas will be the toughest to beat. "They (W.T.) have two super post kids, and a good shooter on the right wing," he said. He also commented on the play of their point guard. Stratford will be the Lynx' next toughest competition, says Neff. They have good inside ball handlers and the best team defense. "They won't beat themselves," he says. Sunray plays up and down, says Neff. He goes on to say Sunray has two players who average 26-27 points per game. On a given night they are capable of beating anyone. Boys Ranch is the only district opponent Neff indicated he had not seen play. But he said he heard they (B.R.) are a streaky ball club. Neff made two overall predictions about the coming district race. The first is that he sees the Lynx competing very strongly for a playoff spot. The second is that the two most consistent teams will win those two spots.



Dallas Trosper

Dallas Trosper wears number 20 and plays guard - forward for the Lynx basketball team. He is 6'1" and weighs 155 pounds. He is a junior at SHS. Dallas' parents are Larry and Janett Trosper. Dallas' other interests include the guitar, water skiing, football, and golf.

GO LYNX!

Lynx stats																			
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Shawn	18	60-135	44	0-0	-	14-31	45	134	7.4	Cody	47	70	117	6.5	10	22	27	20	1
Joel	16	43-105	41	1-2	50	35-79	44	124	7.8	Shawn	17	73	90	5.0	5	8	40	21	1
Brian	16	26-74	35	5-22	23	26-53	49	93	5.8	Brian	17	29	46	2.9	26	19	59	0	2
Tim	16	32-66	48	0-0	-	9-17	53	73	4.6	Alan	4	33	37	2.1	44	19	92	0	1
Alan	18	20-58	34	0-5	0	25-35	71	65	3.6	Tim	6	28	34	2.1	7	5	13	3	0
Dallas	16	21-40	53	0-2	0	17-25	68	59	3.7	Dallas	7	26	33	2.1	1	9	27	2	0
Ross	14	6-16	38	5-11	45	9-11	82	36	2.6	Chris	7	17	34	4.9	3	7	7	1	0
Khris	11	12-38	32	0-1	0	8-15	53	32	2.9	Ross	4	18	22	1.6	7	8	22	1	0
Chris	7	12-23	52	0-0	-	2-19	11	26	3.7	Khris	7	15	22	2.0	29	19	31	1	1
Darian	6	5-8	63	0-1	0	0-0	-	10	1.7	Darian	4	9	13	2.2	2	4	13	0	0
Chad	5	2-13	15	0-0	-	0-2	0	4	0.8	Russell	1	9	10	3.3	3	4	11	3	1
Russell	3	0-3	0	1-2	50	0-0	-	3	1.0	Chad	4	4	8	1.6	6	4	12	0	0
Mark	2	1-2	50	0-0	-	0-0	-	2	.0	Mark	1	3	4	2.0	1	0	5	0	0
Sherman	2	0-0	-	0-1	0	2-5	40	2	1.0	Sherman	1	0	1	0.5	0	1	3	0	0
Team	18	329-737	45	12-47	26	180-348	52	874	48.6										

SCHEDULE Varsity Lynx

Jan. 4	Dalhart	There	5:00
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Feb. 8	West Tex.	Here	5:00
Feb. 21-23	Boys Bi district		
Feb. 28-2	Boys Regional		
Mar. 7-9	Boys State Tourn.		



Tim Kizziar

Tim Kizziar wears number 40 and plays post for the Lynx basketball team. He is 6'2" and weighs 189 pounds. He is a junior at SHS. Tim's parents are Pew Wee and Ruth Kizziar. He has two brothers, Carl and Mike Kizziar, and two sisters, Joy Kizziar and Connie Holmes. Tim's interests include football, volleyball and golf.

Varsity Lynx

at a glance

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Bonnie Thompson

Bonnie Thompson wears number 13 and plays guard for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a senior at SHS.

Bonnie's parents are Richey and Karen Thompson. She has one brother, Toby.

Bonnie's other interests include snow skiing, being with friends and talking on the phone.



Kyla Nelson

Kyla Nelson wears number 45 and plays post for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a senior at SHS.

Kyla's parents are Dennis and Judy Nelson. She has one brother, Kevin, and one sister, Kim Kennedy.

Kyla's other interests include reading, cooking, shopping, and spending time with friends.



Cindy Melton

Cindy Melton wears number 35 and plays forward for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a senior at SHS.

Cindy's parents are Rich and Helen Melton. She has one brother, James Whitaker, and one sister, Cheryl Whitefield.

Cindy's other interests include golf, skiing, reading, and being with friends and family.



Laura Pearson

Laura Pearson wears number 53 and plays post for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a sophomore at SHS.

Laura's parents are Bob and Jackie Pearson. She has two sisters, Ginger and Carrie.

Laura's other interests include shopping, being with friends, skiing and swimming.



Tamri Townsen

Tamri Townsen wears number 51 and plays post for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a junior at SHS.

Tamri's parents are Don and Barbara Townsen. She has two brothers, Clint and Jamie, and two sisters, Kimbre and Kara.

Tamri's other interest is tennis.



Joy Gafford

Joy Gafford wears number 33 and plays forward for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a junior at SHS.

Joy's parents are Ladd and Cathy Gafford. She has one brother, Matt.

Joy's other interests include skiing, track and cross country.



Mendy Lasater

Mendy Lasater wears number 21 and plays point-guard for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a junior at SHS.

Mendy's parents are Butch and Mary Ann Lasater. She has one brother, Cass, and one sister, Laci.

Mendy's other interests include church, spending time with friends, skiing, swimming and cross country.



Michelle Garnett

Michelle Garnett wears number 43 and plays forward for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a sophomore at SHS.

Michelle's parents are Mike and Marti Garnett. She has three brothers, Jon, Mark, and J.

Michelle's other interests include snow and water skiing, track and spending time with family and friends.



Melodie Schumann

Melodie Schumann wears number 41 and plays post for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a junior at SHS.

Melodie's parents are Craig Schumann and Kari Russell. She has two brothers, Derrick Burnett and Josh Schumann, and two sisters, Melissa Sutterfield and Tashiana Schumann.

Melodie's other interests include water and snow skiing, being with friends and talking on the phone.



Jill Lusby

Jill Lusby wears number 23 and plays guard for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a sophomore at SHS.

Jill's parents are Ronnie and Donita Lusby. She has one brother, Michael, and one sister, Mandi.

Jill's other interests include swimming, running cross country and track, shopping, snow skiing, going out with friends and UMY.

Meet the Varsity Lynxettes



Gwen Benson

Gwen Benson wears number 25 and plays guard for the Lynxettes basketball team. She is a sophomore at SHS.

Gwen's parents are Frank and Anna Benson. She has one brother, Keith, and one sister, Vonda.

Gwen's other interests include water and snow skiing, singing, spending time with family and running cross country.

District opens

The Lynxettes open district play Tuesday, Jan. 8 with an away game against Stratford. According to coach Jim Kirkland the team's goal is that this will be the first game toward winning the district and a spot in the state tournament.

Kirkland went on to outline the strengths of the Lynxettes that will enable them to get into the state tournament for a fourth straight year.

One of the strengths mentioned by Kirkland is the toughness of the Lynxettes' pre-district schedule. As of press time the Lynxettes were 12 and 7. Some of those 12 wins were over bigger schools. All of the seven losses were to 3A, 4A and 5A schools.

Kirkland next spoke of three qualities the Lynxette team has developed during the pre-district schedule. First, the Lynxettes have good depth. Kirkland says he has girls who can come off the bench and help during the critical times of a game. Secondly, the girls have a better understanding of what the coaches are trying to do. Finally, Kirkland said the girls are playing

with more intensity.

In looking at the Lynxettes' district opponents Kirkland said, "All of the teams are quality teams." He does not feel that the district schedule gives the Lynxettes any advantage or disadvantage.

The first district opponent the Lynxettes will face is Stratford. According to Kirkland the Lady Elks are better than last year, and are more mature. Kirkland mentioned the play of Stratford's two post players.

Sunray is the next district opponent for the Lynxettes. Kirkland says they (Sunray) are deceiving. Sunray is not very big but are quick. He indicates they shoot well.

West Texas is the third team of the three-team district. According to Kirkland W.T. may well be the Lynxettes' toughest district opponent. He says W.T. has its nucleus of last year's starters back, and that they have good size.

As a closing statement Kirkland said that if the Lynxettes come together for their district games like they did to win the Canadian tournament, they will win district and maybe even more.

Lynxette stats

NAME	2PT FIELD GOALS			3PT FIELD GOALS			SHT PCT	FREE THROWS			SCORING	
	ATTEMP	MADE	PCT	ATTEMP	MADE	PCT		ATTEMP	MADE	PCT	TOTAL	AVE
THOMPSON	7	2	29	6	2	33	31	2	2	100	12	1.5
LASATER	46	11	24	2	0	0	23	22	10	45	32	2.9
LUSBY	37	8	22	10	3	30	23	20	13	65	38	3.5
BENSEN	20	9	45	4	2	50	46	8	7	87	31	2.8
GARNETT	24	9	38	0	0	0	38	10	8	80	26	2.4
GAFFORD	65	24	37	43	13	30	34	24	15	62	102	10.2
MELTON	11	4	36	4	1	25	33	4	1	25	12	1.2
SCHUMANN	19	5	26	0	0	0	26	10	5	50	15	1.5
TOWNSEN	102	45	44	0	0	0	44	38	24	63	114	10.4
PEARSON	72	31	43	0	0	0	43	36	13	36	75	6.8
NELSON	46	12	26	0	0	0	26	24	16	67	40	3.6
TEAM TOTAL	449	160	36	69	1	30	35	198	114	58	497	45.2
OPP. TOTAL	377	134	36	40	9	22	35	213	124	58	419	38.1

NAME	GP	***** REBOUNDS *****			***** GAME *****			***** TURN *****			***** BLOCKED *****		
		OFF	AVE	DEF	AVE	TOTAL	AVE	OVERS	STEAL	ASIST	SHOTS	FOULS	
THOMPSON	8	0	0	5	.6	5	.6	8	5	1	0	12	
LASATER	11	3	.3	5	.5	8	.7	18	14	18	1	9	
LUSBY	11	12	1.1	6	.5	18	1.6	19	8	26	0	16	
BENSEN	11	4	.4	11	1	15	1.4	13	6	19	0	9	
GARNETT	11	6	.5	8	.7	14	1.3	9	6	5	1	14	
GAFFORD	10	9	.9	29	2.9	38	3.8	13	13	18	2	30	
MELTON	10	4	.4	2	.2	6	.6	5	2	1	0	7	
SCHUMANN	10	9	.9	10	1	19	1.9	6	3	1	0	10	
TOWNSEN	11	20	1.8	27	2.5	47	4.3	18	9	7	0	24	
PEARSON	11	21	1.9	28	2.5	49	4.5	13	7	6	0	24	
NELSON	11	14	1.3	14	1.3	28	2.5	7	0	4	0	25	
TEAM TOTAL	11	102	9.3	145	13.2	247	22.5	129	73	106	4	180	
OPP. TOTAL	11	52	4.7	176	16	228	20.7	174	46	56	30	159	

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Varsity Lynxettes

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Feb. 1	Vega	There	6:30
Feb. 5	Guymon	There	5:00
Feb. 8	West Tex.	Here	5:00
Feb. 14	Girls Bi District		
Feb. 21-23	Girls Reg		
Feb. 28-2	Girls State Tourn.		

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The J.V. Lynxettes are (front row, l-r) Adrian Blackburn, Kimbre Townsen, Mary Cook, Shea Crawford, Sara Sanders, Donette Cates, (back row, l-r) Lori Lieb, Carla Greene, Holly Jarvis, Tracy Tigrett and Sonya Tindell.



The Freshman Lynx are (back row, l-r) Clint Cook, Toby Thompson, Cass Lasater, Robert Schnell, Jason Swink, Matt Archer, Clay Scribner, Robert Howell, (front row, l-r) Chuck



The Lynx 8th grade team includes Justin Arnold, 42; Radar Garcia, 44; Alvin Harbour, 24; Alan Hutchison, 20; Christopher Jenkins, 32; Cameron Kunselman, 52; Valentin Macias, 53; Shawn Moore, 33; Stuart Riggins, 45; Ron-nie Ring, 54; Oscar Rojas, 55; Schane Schneider, 21; Joel Stark, 43; Jeremy Sutterfield, 14; Chad Wilkerson, 23; and Josh Winegarner, 22.

Lynx J.V. ...

Win again

The Lynx J.V. continued their winning ways into the new year. They beat Dalhart 46-41 on Saturday and defeated Stratford, 41-37, on Tuesday.

The Lynx were lead in scoring by Chris Strawn. He lead all scorers in both games with 15 and 14 points respectively.

At Stratford, Tues.
Score: Sprm. 41 - Str. 37
Scoring: Wes Dyess-5, Darian Hawkins-5, Sherman Jones-2, Strawn-14, Mark Eakin-4, Chad Riggins-4, Brady Reed-7.

At Dalhart, Sat.
Score: Sprm. 46 - Dal. 41
Scoring: Justin Boyd-8, Dyess-4, Hawkins-6, Jones-4, Strawn-15, Eakin-4, Riggins-3, Reed-2.

Freshman Lynx
The Freshman Lynx started out the new year by defeating the West Texas Comanches 33-15. The Lynx scoring was very balanced. No Lynx broke double figures.

At West Texas, Monday
Score: Spr. 33 - W.T. 15
Scoring: Cook-2, Mayfield-6, Womble-4, Archer-4, Swink-1, Lasater-8, Varnon-8.

Lynx Jr. High ...

Tournament postponed

The Jr. High Lynx teams were in action on Monday against West Texas. According to Coach Reed Cates there were no scores available. He did indicate that the 7th grade A team won their game.

The Spearman 7th grade tournament got one day of games played on Thursday. Inclement weather forced the postponement of the rest of the tournament until the weekend of January 17, 18 and 19. The tournament will be completed

in conjunction with the Spearman eighth grade tournament.

Tournament Games Completed
Gruver Boys def. Dalhart 46-16
Gruver Girls def. Dalhart 45-39
Perryton Boys def. P. Morse 43-39 (O.T.)
P. Morse Girls def. Perryton 36-30
Stratford Boys def. S. Fritch 36-20
Stratford Girls def. S. Fritch 37-18.

New program begins at H.A.C.

Wanda Archer of Spearman is the instructor for a new program called "The Whole Body Class," which began Monday, Jan. 7 at the Hansford County Activity Center. The class combines a weight loss program with a physical fitness program. The exercise portion of the program consists of no- to low-impact aerobics along with muscle, strength and flexibility training. Archer commented, "Regular exercise, along with a sensible low-fat, high-fiber eating program, will help lower the risk of heart disease. New research indicates exercise may also lower the risk of cancer." She added, "Strength training is an important part of maintaining overall health. It helps control body weight and adds muscle to burn calories quickly and efficiently. Strength training can help reduce the risk of osteoporosis and other diseases which cause bone loss. All the classes will use rubber bands

for strength training." Weigh-in is scheduled for each Monday at 5:30 p.m. Fat percentages and body measurements will be figured the first week of each month. Aerobics classes for women only will be held Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 4:30 p.m. Co-ed classes are scheduled for Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 p.m. Interested persons can join the weight loss program only or aerobics classes only. Cost for the weight loss program will be \$5 per week without the aerobics classes, or \$3 per week with the aerobics classes. Cost for aerobics classes is \$15 per month, which includes a \$5 Activity Center membership and a \$10 charge for the classes. Potential "Whole Body Class" members may begin at any time. Archer said those who become part of "The Whole Body Class" will receive a t-shirt after 25 classes

and the Presidential Physical Fitness Award after 50 classes. Archer was a leader in a weight loss program for four years, and

has been a certified fitness instructor for 12 years. Interested persons should contact her at 659-2954 for more information.

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The Lynx 7th grade team includes Heath Archer, 13; Lucas Biggs, 15; Jeremy Blan, 10; Derrick Burnett, 24; Cory Butler, 13; David Brent Collins, 40; Michael Covington, 10; Greg Elliott, 30; Jeremy Freeman, 42; Carey Fulce, 12; Matthew Gafford, 23; Jonathan Garrett, 52; Clayton Hergert, 3; Jason

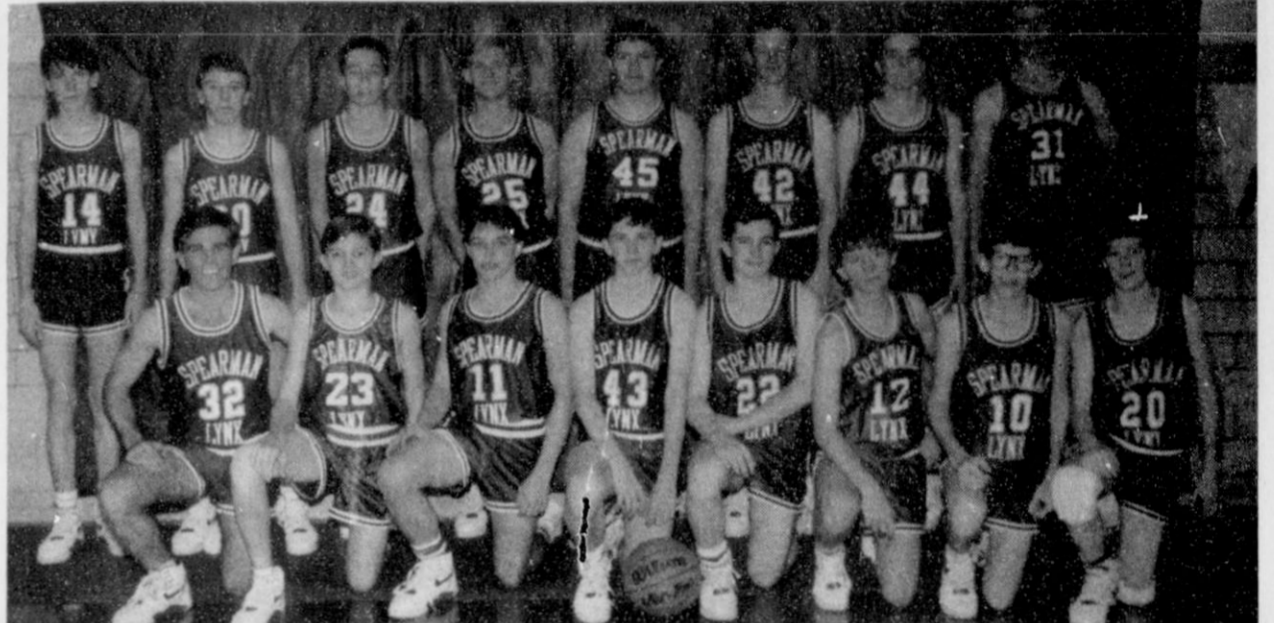
Holton, 35; Lee Jarvis, 45; Joe Jenkins, 51; Cody McLeod, 5; Clay Neff, 12; Shadley Oquin, 21; Shannon Oquin, 20; Mark Parker, 30; Bill Pittman, 44; Martin Sanders, 14; Phillip Sanders, 41; Darrell Scroggs, 25; Jose Tarango, 40; Coyt Tigrett, 31; Christopher Varenhorst, 34; and Jason Villines, 33.



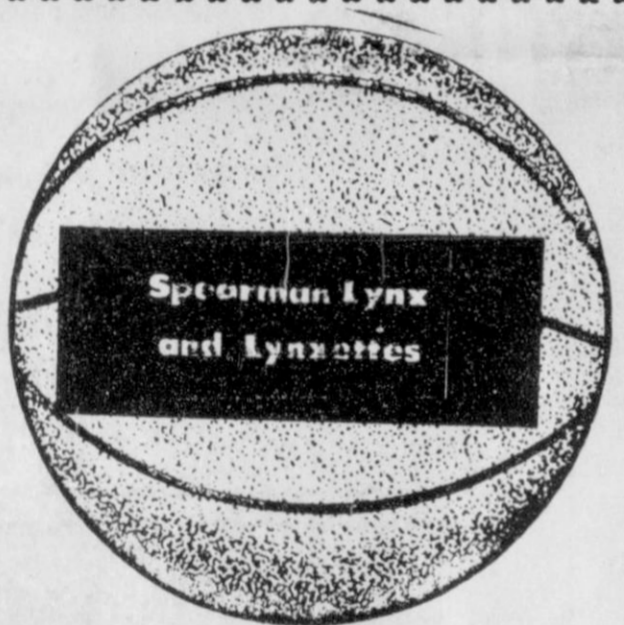
The Spearman mascot, Shanna DeArmand, will be cheering the Lynx and Lynettes teams all the way to the state playoffs. She is now the only Spearman mascot.



The Spearman Varsity Cheerleaders are Mary Cook, Mendy Lasater, Lisa Lillard, Randie Renner, Kyla Neison (captain), Marci Womble, Suzanne Sanders and Trixie Pearson.



The J.V. Lynx are (back row, l-r) Mike Hager, Darian Hawkins, Brady Reed, Khris Kelp, Landon Swan, Mark Eakin, Chad Riggins, Bob Shields, (front row, l-r) Sherman Jones, Curtis Pearson, Brandon Rex, Kevin Williams, Brad Butler, Justin Boyd, Clint Townsen and Wes Dyess. Not pictured was Chris Strawn.



Lynxette J.V. ...

Split a pair of games

The J.V. Lynxettes split a pair of games this week. They lost to Dalhart on Saturday but turned it around on crushed Stratford, 35-8, on Tuesday.

At Dalhart, Sat.
Score: Sprm. 37 - Dal. 45
Scoring: T. Pearson-2, C. Pearson-2, T. Tigrett-1, S. Crawford-4, K. Townsen-10, L. Lieb-5, C. Green-9, H. Jarvis-4.
At Stratford, Tues.

Score: Sprm. 35 - Stra. 8
Scoring: Tigrett-2, Crawford-5, Townsen-2, Lieb-6, Greene-4, Jarvis-9, Tindell-2, Cook-4.

Freshman Lynxettes
The Freshman Lynxettes played host to the West Texas Comanches on Monday and came away with a 2 point victory. The Lynxettes won 29-27.

VS. West Texas, Mon.
Score: Sprm. 29 - W.T. 27
Scoring: Lillard-7, Strawn-2, Latta-2, OQuin-7, C. Pearson-11.

SCHEDULE JV teams

Jan. 4	Dalhart	There	5:00
Jan. 8	Stratford	There	4:00
Jan. 11	Sunray	Here	5:00
Jan. 15	Boys Ran.	Here	5:00
Jan. 18	Open Date		
Jan. 22	West Texas	There	5:00
Jan. 25	Stratford	Here	5:00
Jan. 29	Sunray	There	4:00
Feb. 1	Boys Ran.	There	6:00
Feb. 5	Guymon	There	5:00
Feb. 7-9	W.D. Tour.	There	TBA
Feb. 8	West Tex.	Here	5:00

Lynxette J.H. ...

Win Two

The Jr. High Lynxettes won a pair from the West Texas Comanches Monday night. The 8th grade defeated their opponents 32-24. The 7th grade defeated their opponents by scoring three times as many points as the Comanches.

8th vs. West Texas
Score: Sprm. 33-W.T. 24
Scoring: Kiki Kelp-4, Ashly Shieldknight-13, Lyndee Cook-10, Traci Martin-3, Kristian Poole-2.

7th vs. West Texas
Score: Sprm. 33 - W. T. 11
Scoring: Lacie Baker-5, Carrie Burton-2, Kelly Shieldknight-1, Kara Townsen-14, Virginia Barrera-4, Tiffany Bruning-7.

SCHEDULE 9th grade Lynx

Jan. 7	West Tex.	There	5:00
Jan. 14	Gruver	There	5:00
Jan. 21	Boys Ran.	Here	5:00
Jan. 24-25-26	W.T. Tour.	There	TBA
Jan. 28	Sunray	There	5:00
Feb. 4	Panhandle	Here	5:00

SCHEDULE 7th & 8th Lynx

Jan. 7	West Tex.	There	5:00
Jan. 14	Gruver	There	5:00
Jan. 17	Spr. Tour.	Here	TBA
Jan. 21	Boys Ran.	Here	5:00
Jan. 24	Gruver	Here	5:00
Jan. 28	Sunray	There	5:00
Jan. 31	West Tex.	Here	5:00
Feb. 4	Stratford	Here	5:00

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The Freshman Lynxettes are (front row, l-r) Rainey Whittington (mgr.), Trixie Pearson, Nikki Strawn, Christie Taylor, Lisa Lillard,

Amanda Nobles (mgr.), (back row, l-r) Melissa Baker, Tommie Latta, Telie OQuin, Carrie Pearson and Barbara Ring.

I know of very few individuals in the state who cherish the thought of looking back at the campaigns and elections that took place in November, but perhaps it might create a spark of interest directed at limiting the terms or number of years legislators can serve.

My first thought is directed at the amount of money that is required for an individual to run for office. At a quick glance, one can readily assume that candidates must be blessed with an abundance of wealth, or have the backing of a "sugar daddy" with hopes of buying representation once an individual is elected. In either situation, the normal, sane citizen is

eliminated from the picture.

The question in my mind is why would anyone spend mega-bucks to be elected to a position that pays so little? I know some say they want to serve! Perhaps so in some instances, but more often than not, it appears power, greed, or egotism could be the prime motivators for wanting the positions.

Once established in the legislative structure, politicians seem to garner strength and return session after session to wheel and deal in hopes of climbing the ladder of political recognition and power. In looking at the interstructure of both houses, you quickly find a handful of individuals who dictate the agenda and the vote of each bill that reaches the floor.

Action on the floor is something to behold! If you have never observed a session in full swing, do yourself a favor and attend. It is a totally entertaining event. It

resembles a well-orchestrated three-ring circus. You even find a few of the "old timers" catching a wink or two.

My entire synopsis of verbal rambling centers on limiting the number of years an individual can serve in the Texas Legislature. Prefiling began back on Nov. 12. And judging from the more than 70 bills filed late in 1990, lawmakers' wish lists were many.

Pay close attention to House Joint Resolution 7, by Representative Augie Ovard. Ovard's resolution proposes a constitutional amendment to limit the number of years an individual can serve in the Texas Legislature. In many instances it would give the people of our great state the opportunity to elect someone new and know that their newly elected politician could only damage the economy and society for a specified number of years.

Something to consider!

Spearman menu

January 15 - January 18
Monday: NO SCHOOL
Tuesday: Taco soup, grilled cheese sandwich, salad bar, peach rice cream, milk
Wednesday: Country style fish sticks, new potatoes with cheese sauce, salad bar, fruit, hot rolls, butter, milk
Thursday: Baked chicken or smoked sausage, pinto beans, salad bar, cornbread, milk
Friday: Hamburger, fries, salad bar, gingerbread, milk
Jr. High/Elementary
 January 15 - January 18
Monday: NO SCHOOL
Tuesday: Taco soup, grilled cheese sandwich, dill spear, fruit, pak of raisins, milk
Wednesday: Country style fish

sticks, new potatoes with cheese sauce, cole slaw, fruit, hot rolls, butter, milk
Thursday: Sausage on a stick, pinto beans, potato salad, cornbread, pudding, milk
Friday: Hamburger, fries, lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion, cookie, milk

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The 8th grade Lynxette team includes Kiki Kelp, 10; Kortney Henton, 11; Mandi Lair, 21; Molly Blackman, 22; Ashly Shieldknight, 23; Lyndee Cook, 25; Traci Martin, 31; Heather

Reimer, 33; Mika Pipkin, 41; Kristina Poole, 43; Nora Nava, 45; Jill Clement, 51; and Ronda Renner, 53



The 7th grade Lynxette team includes Kim Healey, 11; Courtney Dooley, 12; Crystal Boyd, 13; Jennifer Hughes, 14; Katherine Pipkin, 15; Lacie Baker, 23; Carrie Burton, 25; Kelly

Shieldknight, 31; Kara Townsen, 33; Summer Riggins, 35; Regan Boxwell, 41; Virginia Barrera, 53; Tiffany Bruning, 55; and Chayci Shaver, 20.

SCHEDULE

7th & 8th Lynxettes

SCHEDULE

9th grade Lynxettes

Jan. 7	West Tex.	Here	5:00	Jan. 7	West Tex.	Here	5:00
Jan. 14	Gruver	Here	5:00	Jan. 14	Panhandle	Here	5:00
Jan. 17-18-19	Spr. Tour.	Here	TBA	Jan. 24-25-26	W.T. Tour.	There	
Jan. 28	Sunray	Here	5:00		T B A		
Jan. 31	West Tex.	Here	5:00	Jan. 28	Sunray	Here	5:00
Feb. 4	Stratford	There	5:00	Feb. 4	Panhandle	Here	5:00

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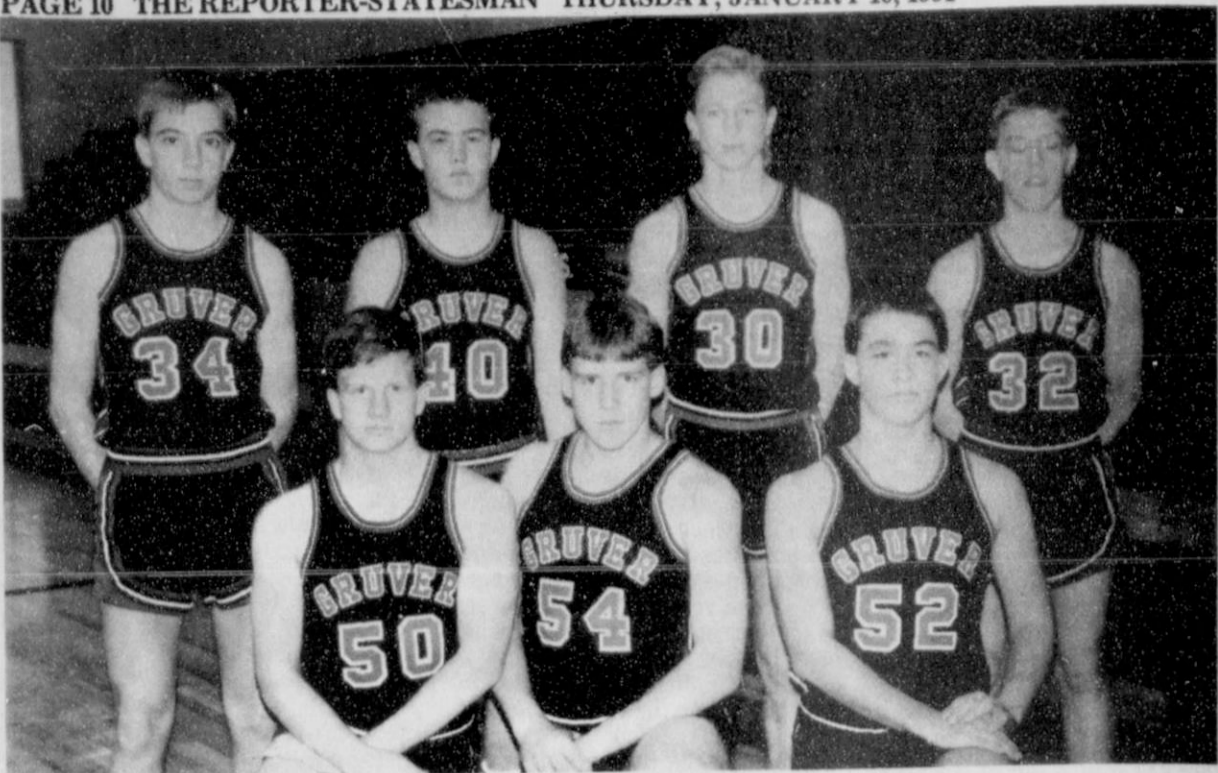
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The Gruver Greyhounds junior varsity team includes Jeffrey Price, 30; T.J. Bayless, 32; Cody Barkley, 34; Clay Gillispie, 40; Trevor Shipley, 44; Heath Gaines, 50; Matt Etheredge, 52; and Carey Kauffman, 54.



The Gruver Greyhounds varsity

Meet the Greyhounds

Trent Seagler

Trent Seagler wears number 30 and plays post for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 6'1" and weighs 165 pounds. He is a junior at GHS.

Trent's parents are Stan and Sharon Seagler. He has two brothers, Troy and Ty.

Trent's other interest is football.

Luke Miller

Luke Miller wears number 42 and plays forward for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 5'10" and weighs 190 pounds. He is a junior at GHS.

Luke's parents are Larry and Camille Miller. He has two sisters, Yvette and Lauren.

Luke's other interests include golf and tennis.

Ryan Mathews

Ryan Mathews wears number 32 and plays forward for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 6' and weighs 140 pounds. He is a junior at GHS.

Ryan's parents are Royce and Betty Mathews. He has two sisters, Raquel and Robbi.

Ryan's other interest is football.

Kevin Spivey

Kevin Spivey wears number 12 and plays guard for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 5'11" and weighs 145 pounds. He is a sophomore at GHS.

Kevin's parents are Brad and Gyene Spivey. He has one brother, Chris, and one sister, Lexy.

Kevin's other interests include playing football and playing pool.

Marty McCloy

Marty McCloy wears number 10 and plays guard for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 5'10" and weighs 155 pounds. He is a junior at GHS.

Marty's parents are Allen and Karen McCloy. He has one sister, Kelly.

Marty's other interests include rodeoing, skiing and football.

Geronimo Ortega

Geronimo Ortega wears number 24 and plays guard for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 5'8" and weighs 147 pounds. He is a senior at GHS.

Geronimo's parents are Ramon and Alicia. He has three brothers, Ramon, Gilbert and Arthur. He has four sisters, Irma, Celia, Ana and Carmen.

Geronimo's other interests include football, watching movies and reading the Bible.

Matthew Hoel

Matthew Hoel wears number 34 and plays post for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 6'1" and weighs 180 pounds. He is a junior at GHS.

Matthew's parents are Mack and Darlene Hoel. He has one brother, Brian.

Matthew's other interests include football, tennis and hunting.

Shannon Pool

Shannon Pool wears number 22 and plays forward for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 6'1" and weighs 150 pounds. He is a junior at GHS.

Shannon's parents are Teddy and Angie Pool. He has one brother, Brady, and one sister, Josie.

Shannon's other interests include football, track, hunting, girls and making money.

Rex Ralston

Rex Ralston wears number 52 and plays post for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 5'9" and weighs 160 pounds. He is a junior at GHS.

Rex's parents are Dan and Penney Ralston. He has one sister, Tisha.

Rex's other interests include football, golf and making and spending money.

Brady Pool

Brady Pool wears number 20 and plays guard for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 5'10" and weighs 140 pounds. He is a sophomore at GHS.

Brady's parents are Teddy and Angie Pool. He has one brother, Shannon, and one sister, Josie.

Brady's other interests include roping, riding saddle broncs, football and track.

Will Evans

Will Evans is a filmer for the Gruver Greyhounds. He is 5'5" and weighs 105 pounds.

Will's parents are Gary and Nelle Evans. He has one sister, Kristin.

Will's other interests include hunting, fishing, and football.

District forecast . . .

by Bob Bort

The Gruver girls and boys varsity basketball teams have had some outstanding teams in the past, including two boys teams which won state championships. But two years ago the Hounds and Lady Hounds accomplished a rare feat: they put it together at the same time for a double district championship.

Forecasters say it won't happen again. "Yes" for the Hounds but "no" for the Lady Hounds.

The forecasters are down on the Lady Hounds, who are 4-12 going in-

to the Stratford Tournament and have a young team. One poll, Texas Association of Basketball Coaches, predicts: 1. Booker, 2. Follett, 3. Darrouzett, 4. Gruver, 5. Higgins. Another, of which Coach Mike Banks is a member, Texas Girls Coaches Association, predicts: 1. Booker, 2. Follett, 3. Gruver, 4. Darrouzett, 5. Higgins.

How good are the forecasters? No one last year picked the ladies from Darrouzett to win a playoff spot and then give Channing a royal scare in their bi-district game.

"We are capable of playing a lot better than what we're doing," said Coach Banks. "Everyone is a little disappointed - hopefully, we'll get things together in district - get it rolling," he added.

Those comments were made just prior to one of the Lady Hounds' best games of the year, a 61-56 loss to the tough Lady Bulldogs of Borger. This team has been truly up and down this year, looking very strong against Canadian (a 20-point victory) and Borger but looking bad in the Canadian Tournament and earlier against teams like Wheeler and Vega, where they were the victims of first quarter explosions.

If they jell at some near point and play like they have when they have looked good, this team is without a doubt the darkhorse in district 1-A this year.

The Hounds should be big favorites in the district 1-A boys' race following two successive regional qualifying teams, but Hounds coach Tim Garland has not seen a forecast yet. "It should be Follett as the main challenger, but the team that really scares me now since this year has begun is Higgins," says Garland. "They are playing very well, so it could be Higgins or Follett as our main challenger," he explains.


The Hounds were 30-5 in 1988-89, 28-4 in 1989-90, and are 10-5 this year against some really tough competition. "We have made progress," says Coach Garland. "The good competition has benefitted us. We are playing very well defensively, and that is what we have to do. The kids are not relying on one or two people - everyone is chipping in. That is the brightest spot - everyone is capable."

Hounds JV, Junior High Schedule

GRUVER JV			
Jan. 22	Booker	Here	5:00
Jan. 25	Follett	Here	5:00
Feb. 7-8	W.D. Tour.	-TBA	
Feb. 08	Booker	There	4:00

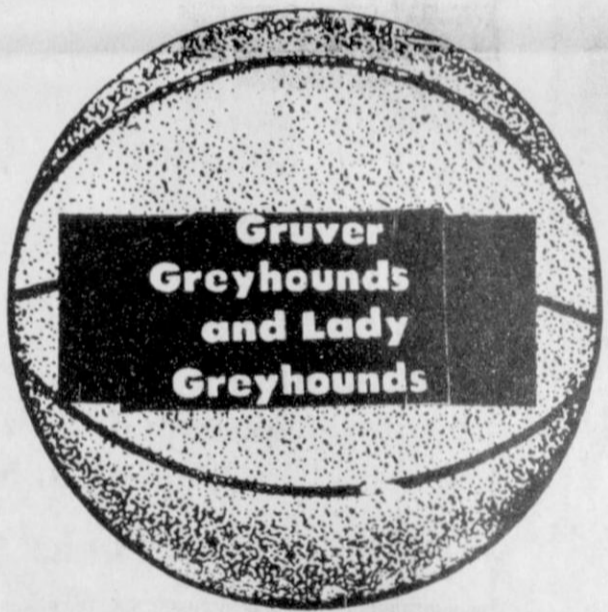
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Jan. 14	Spearman	Here	5:00
Jan. 17, 18, 19	Sprn Trn.	7B	-TBA
Jan. 21	Stratford	There	5:00
Jan. 28	Boys Ran.	Here	5:00
Jan. 28	Morse 8B	Here	5:00
Feb. 04	West T.	There	5:00

GRUVER JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS SCHEDULE			
Jan. 14	Spearman	There	5:00
Jan. 17, 18, 19	Sprn Trn.	7G	-TBA
Jan. 21	Stratford	Here	5:00
Jan. 28	Morse 8G	Here	5:00
Feb. 04	West T.	Here	5:00



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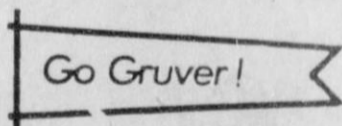
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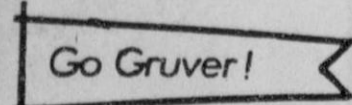
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Jennifer Hart wears number 10 and plays wing for the Lady Hounds. She is a senior at GHS.

Jennifer's parents are Jerry and Brenda Hart. She has one sister, Janyth.

Jennifer's other interests include cross country, listening to music, reading, cooking and being with friends.

Marci Roberts

Marci Roberts wears number 34 and plays post for the Lady Hounds. She is a senior at GHS.

Marci's parents are Jim and Betty Roberts and she has one brother, Trey, and three sisters, Brooke, Amber and Autumn.

Marci's other interests are reading, sports (all), being with friends and cooking.

Traci Crawford

Traci Crawford wears number 24 and plays guard for the Lady Hounds. She is a sophomore at GHS.

Traci's parents are Scott and Gayle Crawford and she has one sister, Kalee.

Traci's other interests include cross country, reading, water skiing and NBA (Detroit Pistons).

Amy Gumfory

Amy Gumfory is manager for the Lady Hounds. She is a sophomore at GHS.

Amy's parents are Gary and Sandra Gumfory. She has one brother, Doug.

Amy's other interests include voice, cooking, shopping, and talking on the phone.

Anissa Ryan

Anissa Ryan wears number 12 and plays guard for the Lady Hounds. She is a freshman at GHS.

Anissa's parents are Steve and Jessie Ryan. She has a sister, Kilee.

Eva Babbs

Eva Babbs wears number 22 and plays guard for the Lady Hounds. She is a senior at GHS.

Eva's parents are Mike and Amy Babbs. She has one sister, Shell.

Eva's other interests include playing basketball and being with friends and family.

Stacey Williams

Stacey Williams wears number 20 and plays wing for the Lady Hounds. She is a junior at GHS.

Stacey's parents are Ronnie and Donna Williams and she has three

brothers, Clint, Charles Griffin and James Griffin.

Stacey's other interests include gymnastics and spending time with family and friends.

Cora Meyer

Cora Meyer wears number 30 and plays guard for the Lady Hounds. She is a sophomore at GHS.

Cora's parents are Robert and Evi Meyer. She has two sisters, Julie and Holly.

Cora's other interests include running, reading and friends.

Holly Venneman

Holly Venneman wears number 54 and plays post for the Lady Hounds. She is a sophomore at GHS.

Holly's parents are Joe T. and Linda Venneman. She has one brother, Clint, and one sister, Kim.

Holly's other interests include playing the piano, riding horses, 4-H, writing books and spending time with family and friends.

Wynn Maupin

Wynn Maupin wears number 40 and plays post for the Lady Hounds. She is a freshman at GHS.

Wynn's parents are Wesley and Micky Maupin and she has one brother, Wylee, and one sister,

Weslyn. Wynn's other interests include basketball, track and showing pigs.

Mika McLain

Mika McLain wears number 42 and plays post for the Lady Hounds. She is a freshman at GHS.

Mika's parents are Mike and Diane McLain. She has one brother, Buster, and one sister, Molly.

Mika's other interests include horseback riding, talking with friends, family, friends, telephone, going places and shopping.

Ashley Wagner

Ashley Wagner is a manager for the Lady Hounds. She is a senior at GHS.

Ashley's parents are Richard and Wanda Wagner. She has one brother, Brent, and one sister, Kimbo.

Ashley's other interests include shopping, being with friends, talking on the telephone and listening to music.

Amy Mounts

Amy Mounts is a manager for the Lady Hounds.

Amy's parents are Bobby and Linda Mosier.

Amy's other interests include volleyball and t.v.

The Gruver Lady Hounds junior varsity team includes Monica Ward, 11; Shanna Jarvis, 15; Nancy Alvarez, 13; Angela Sistrunk, 33;

Gina Hoel, 35; Sharlet Slough, 41; Janelle Haefner, 43; Sara Jones, 45; Kasey Davis, 55; and Andee Salmans, 25.



The 7th grade Gruver Greyhounds team includes Travis Ferguson, 21; Wylee Maupin, 25; Sammy Renteria, 31; Max Frick, 35; Bailey Barkley, 15; Juan Arreola, 40; Jason Ward, 22;

Daniel Bort, 14; Doug Gumfory, 11; Robert Teel, 3; Chris Musick, 51; Andy Morris, 53; and Ellis McMillan, 55.

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Gruver's 8th grade Hounds team includes Kyle McNett, 5; John Holland, 21; Ryon Atwood, 22; Grant Odum, 24; Roma Tomlinson, 35; Jace Dawson, 40; Will Etheredge, 42; Fabian Salazar, 44; Clint Williams, 4; Jake Mc-

Cullough, 20; Wesley Babbs, 23; J.D. Christian, 30; Rosalio Arreola, 32; Galen Slough, 34; Jimmy Acevedo, 41; Ricky Oliva, 43; Ricardo Soto, 52; Brady Tidwell, 54; Isaias Arzate, 45; and Kyle Deeds, 12.

SCHEDULE

GRUVER VARSITY			
Jan. 15	Higgins	Here	6:30
Jan. 18	Darrouzett	There	6:30
Jan. 22	Booker	Here	5:00
Jan. 25	Follett	Here	5:00
Jan. 29	Channing	Here	6:30
Feb. 01	Higgins	There	6:30
Feb. 05	Darrouzett	Here	6:30
Feb. 8	Booker	There	4:00

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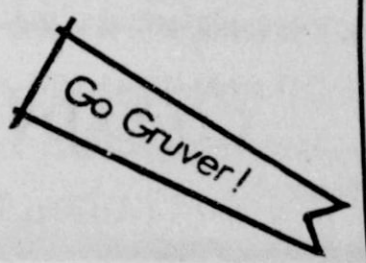
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The Gruver 8th grade Lady Hounds team includes (front row, l-r) Monica Garcia, Kaisi Foster, Kim Venneman, Angela Overbey, Tracy Robinson, Janyth Hart, Julie Meyer,

(back row, l-r) Carmen Ortega, Kimberly Wagner, Melissa Thompson, Sandy Rich, Lacy Barkley, Jona Boney, Kayce Haenisch, Tisha Ralston and Wendy Rodriguez.



The Gruver 7th grade Lady Hounds team includes (front row, l-r) Roxane Holt, Julie Aguilar, Kiki Carthel, Molly McLain, Tara Shapley, Shannon Acker, (second row, l-r) Myriam Alvarez, Josie Pool, Memory Ross,

Socorro Ortega, Jennifer Stevens, Hailey Lamb, Janet Morales, Christy Marquez, (back row, l-r) Amber Gross, Robbi Matthews, Erica Blount, Yuki Bort, Joni Hart, Teresa Bernal, Christy Dudley and Cori Lowe.

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The Gruver 9th grade Hounds team includes Kenton Odom, 12; Tek Ferguson, 22; Lee Stedje, 30; Hart Derington, 32; Victor Lopez, 34; Freddy Aguillar, 40; Ray Coomer, 42; and Robert Whitaker, 44.



Bookkeepers and managers for the varsity Lady Hounds are (l-r) Amy Mounts, Ashley Wagner and Amy Gumfory.

Mid-season stats reveal team effort

by Bob Bort

The mid-season statistics reveal that the Gruver Greyhounds and the Lady Hounds are playing team basketball. Here are the cumulative stats for the two teams after the non-district season, going into the district opener with Follett.

Hounds (through 18 games):

In scoring average, Geronimo Ortega leads with an average of 14.1 points per game, then comes Matthew Hoel at 10.8, Trent Seagler at 9.8 and Shannon Pool at 8.7. In shooting percentage, Seagler leads with 56 percent, followed by Matthew Hoel at 48 percent and Kevin Spivey at 42 percent. Hoel has a fine 3-point shooting percentage of 55 percent (6-11). Ortega leads in three-pointers with 36, followed by Spivey with 21.

From the free throw line, Luke Miller is shooting 69 percent, followed by Spivey at 65 percent, Ortega and Hoel at 64 percent, and Pool and Rex Ralston at 62 percent.

Pool and Seagler are virtually dead even in rebounding statistics. Pool has 130, for a game average of 7.2, and Seagler has 129, for the same average. Hoel has 94 re-

bounds, for an average of 5.2. Seagler leads on the offensive boards and Pool on the defensive boards.

Ortega has 58 steals, followed by Pool with 38, Marty McCloy with 36 and Hoel with 34. Ortega also leads in assists with 45, followed by McCloy with 44 and Pool with 41. Seagler has nine blocked shots and McCloy has five.

In team stats, Gruver is shooting 40 percent while their opponents are shooting 42 percent. The Hounds are averaging 59.2 points per game, their opponents 50.7. Gruver has hit 71 three-pointers, while their opponents have hit only 22. From the free throw line, Gruver is out-shooting their opponents 57 percent to 55 percent, and they have hit 27 more free throws (203-176).

Gruver is outrebounding their opponents 614-526, or an average of 34.1 to 29.2 per game. Gruver has committed 321 turnovers, but they have forced their opponents to make 411. Fouls are virtually even-311 for the Hounds, 310 for their opponents. Ryan Mathews and Brady Pool, though not mentioned, have played outstanding basketball off the bench.

Lady Hounds (through 19 games):

In scoring average, Anissa Ryan leads with an average of 10.9 points per game. She is followed by Holly Venneman at 8.6 and Wynn Maupin at 7.5. In shooting percentage, Venneman leads at 49 percent, followed by Marci Roberts at 45 percent. Ryan has hit 28 three-pointers, Traci Crawford 11, Eva Babbs seven, Jennifer Hart six and Cora Meyer five.

From the free throw line, Ryan is hitting 78 percent, Babbs 71 percent, Crawford 70 percent, Stacey Williams 64 percent and Maupin and Mika McLain 62 percent.

In rebounding statistics, Maupin leads with 123, an average of 6.5 per game, followed by Venneman (117, 6.2) and McLain (111, 5.8). Roberts leads on the offensive boards, Maupin on the defensive boards.

Maupin has 44 steals, Babbs 35, Ryan 32 and Hart 30. Ryan and

Babbs have 58 assists each, followed by Meyer with 36 and Crawford with 28. McLain has nine blocked shots.

In team stats, the Lady Hounds are shooting 34 percent, and their opponents are shooting 42 percent. Gruver is averaging 51.8 points per game, while their opponents are averaging 55.5. Gruver has hit 58 three-pointers, their opponents 10. From the free throw line, Gruver is out-shooting their opponents 61 percent to 54 percent, but Gruver only has two more free throws than their opponents (281-279).

The Lady Hounds are outrebounding their opponents 687-679, or an average of 36.2 per game to 35.7 per game. Gruver has committed 459 turnovers to their opponents' 455. One big statistic is that Gruver has committed 431 fouls, and their opponents have been whistled only 392 times.

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For the Short of it

by Bob Bort

I thought I would pass along my predictions for 1991.

FEBRUARY

8 - Hounds and Lady Hounds reign as District 1-A champions.

MARCH

9 - The Gruver Greyhounds will defeat Moulton 67-66 for the 1991 State Class A Basketball Championship in Austin.

MAY

11 - The Gruver Lady Hounds track and field team will win the 1991 State Class A Track and Field Championship in Austin. Brandy Shelton will win the 400 and 800 meters, and all three relay teams (400, 800, 1600) will place in the top three.

SEPTEMBER

6-27 - The Gruver Greyhounds will finish the month of September unbeaten at 4-0.

NOVEMBER

8 - The Gruver Greyhounds will reign as the 1991 District 1-A football champs.

A note: I have been asked twice since the Follett games why I was not in attendance. First, we don't have a car. Second, I'm not supposed to drive at night. I would dearly love to attend the district road games and write them up. If someone were to offer me a ride, I surely wouldn't turn it down.

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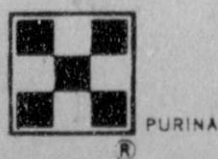
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HANSFORD (WILDCAT & COLLARD 4880') Jones Energy, #1 Skinner Farms Unit (640 ac) 2225' from South & 440' from East line, Sec. 91,4-T,T&NO, 2 mi west from Spearman, PD 5250'
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Oil Well Completion
LIPSCOMB (N.E. HORSECREEK Tonkawa) PNG Operating Co., #1 Waters, Sec. 329,43,H&TC, elev. 2732 gr, spud 11-12-90, drlg. compl 12-11-90, tested 12-11-90, pumped 13 bbl. of 40 grav. oil + 7 bbls. water, GOR 3769, perforated 7024-7033, TD 11000', PBTD 7042' - Plug-Back

Corrected the test data, perforations & depth. (Shown on 12-27-90 Report)

Gas Well Completions
HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) UMC Petroleum Corp., #6-53 Arrington, Sec. 53,A-2, H&GN, elev. 2660 gr, spud 7-30-90, drlg. compl 8-31-90, tested 12-10-90, potential 39500 MCF, rock pressure 2956, pay 10553-10733, TD 11100', PBTD 11032' -
OCHILTREE (SMITH PERRYTON Lower Morrow) P.L.O., #4 Holcomb, Sec. 9,4,GH&H, elev. 3003 kb, spud 12-1-90, drlg. compl 12-4-90, tested 12-11-90, potential 1816 MCF, rock pressure 664, pay 7932-7940, TD 8100', PBTD 7965' - Deepen

CORRECTED Oil Well Completion
HUTCHINSON (PANHANDLE) W.B.D. Oil & Gas Co., #B-4 Charlie Johnson, Sec. 8,M-16,AB&M, elev. 3325 gr, spud 10-13-90, drlg. compl 10-19-90, tested 12-20-90, pumped 52 bbl. of 41 grav. oil + 210 bbls. water, GOR 2769, perforated 3125-3242, TD 3330', PBTD 3261' -

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR WASTE DISPOSAL PERMIT AMENDMENT

PALO DURO FEEDYARD, P.O. Box 1038, Gruver, Texas 79040 has applied to the Texas Water Commission for an amendment to Permit No. 01546 in order to update the permit to include all feedlot expansion projects. The permit authorizes disposal of waste and wastewater from a cattle feedyard with a maximum of 32,000 in confinement. Stormwater, washdown water and flushwater are retained in four storage ponds, where subsequently it is used for irrigation on 300 acres of agricultural land. Manure/solids will be disposed of as fertilizer on agricultural land. No discharge of pollutants into the waters of the State is authorized by this permit.
 The cattle feedyard is on the northwest corner of the intersection of State Highway 136 and Farm-to-Market Road 520, approximately 10 miles south of the City of Gruver in Hansford County, Texas. This location is in the drainage area of the Palo Duro Creek in Segment No. 0100 of the Canadian River Basin.

The Executive Director of the Texas Water Commission has prepared a draft permit based on the application submitted by the applicant and other information presently available.
 Legal Authority: Section 26.028 of the Texas Water Code and 31 TAC Chapter of the Rules of the Texas Water Commission.
 No public hearing will be held on this application unless an affected person who has received notice of the application has requested a public hearing. Any such request for a public hearing shall be in writing and contain (1) the name, mailing address and phone number of the person making the request, and (2) a brief description of how the requester, or persons represented by the requester, would be adversely affected by the granting of the application. If the Commission determines that the request sets out an issue which is relevant to the application, or that a public hearing would serve the public interest, the Commission shall conduct a public hearing, after the issuance of proper and timely notice of the hearing. If no sufficient request for hearing is received within 30 days of the date of publication of the notice concerning the application, the permit will be submitted to the Commission for final decision on the application.
 Requests for a public hearing on this application should be submitted in writing to Claire P. Aronson, Assistant Chief Hearings Examiner, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Telephone (512) 463-7905. Information concerning any technical aspect of this application can be obtained by writing Randy Wilburn, Wastewater Permits Section, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Telephone (512) 463-8201.
 Issued this 18th day of December, 1990.
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 -s- Brenda W. Foster
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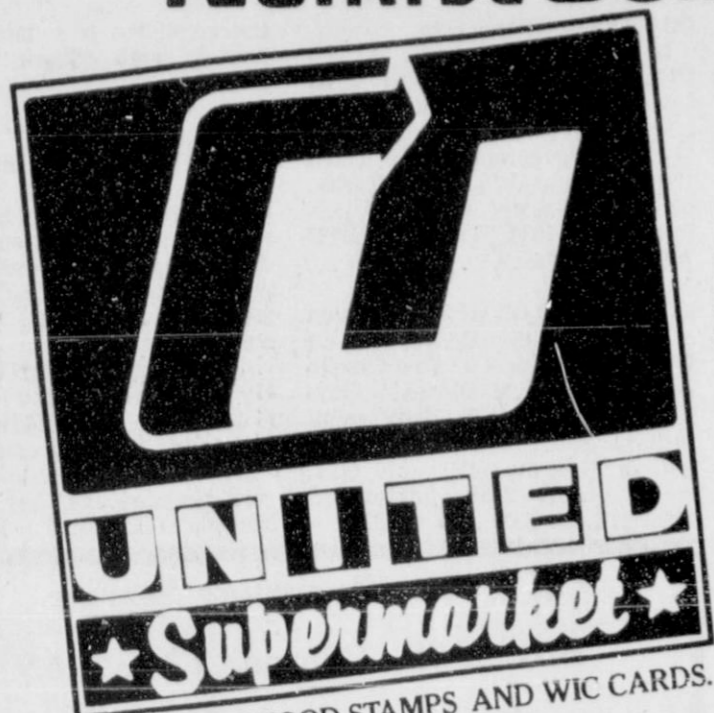
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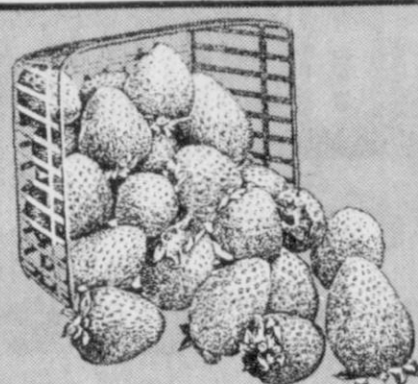
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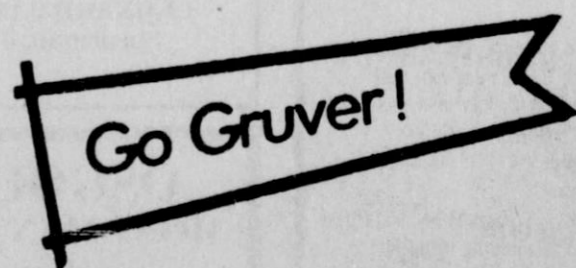
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