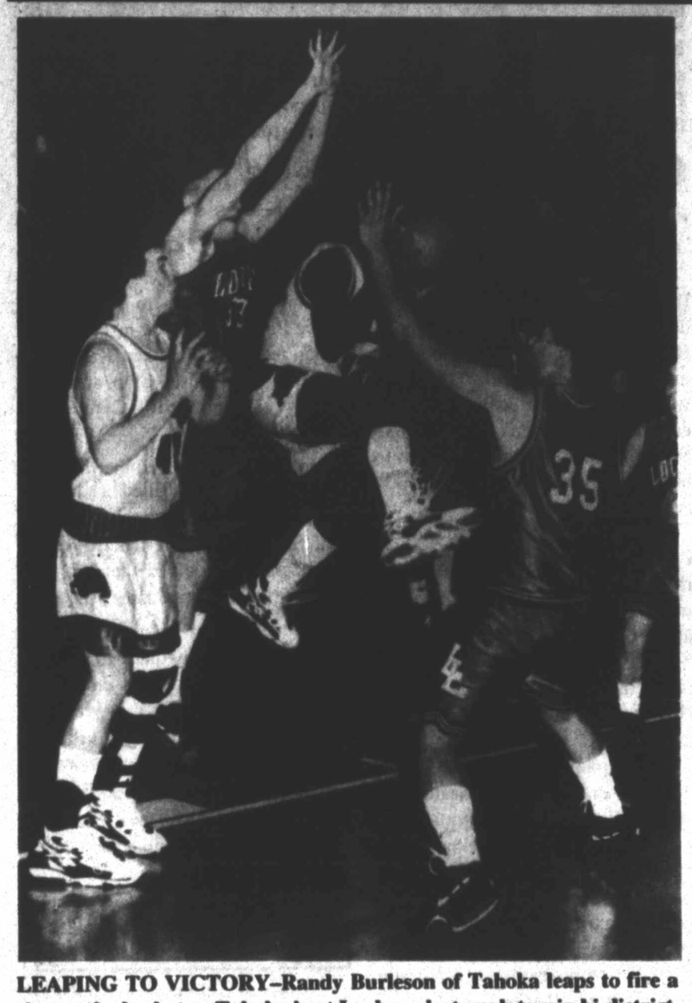
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LEAPING TO VICTORY–Randy Burleson of Tahoka leaps to fire a shot at the basket as Tahoka beat Lockney last week to win bi-district. Burleson scored 20 points and Monty Hale (42) at left, had 21.
(LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

62-60 Overtime Loss Ends Bulldogs' Run In Playoff

Rocky Moore's last-second shot for a 3-pointer in overtime rattled the rim, but failed to go in and Tahoka lost a tough 62-60 area playoff game to Stratford at Canyon Tuesday night.

The loss ended the Bulldogs' run in the playoffs, closing out Tahoka's most successful season in 19 years. The 1976-77 Bulldogs also won bi-district and lost in area. That team had a record of 24 wins and 8 losses, the best record for the team since, until this year's record of 24-7.

After taking a 19-15 first quarter lead, it appeared that Tahoka might get to the regional tournament for the first time ever, but Stratford came back to hold a 34-28 halftime lead.

Moore hit two 3-point shots in the third period as Tahoka scored 14 to pull within four points of Stratford.

The fourth quarter was low-scoring, but Tahoka had four field goals, two by leading scorer Lee Rash, to tie the game at 50-50 at the end of regulation play. Stratford was held to 4 points in the fourth period.

In the overtime, Randy Burleson had 6 points and Monty Hale 4 for Tahoka, but Stratford scored 12 and won it after Moore's long shot just barely missed winning it for the Bulldogs.

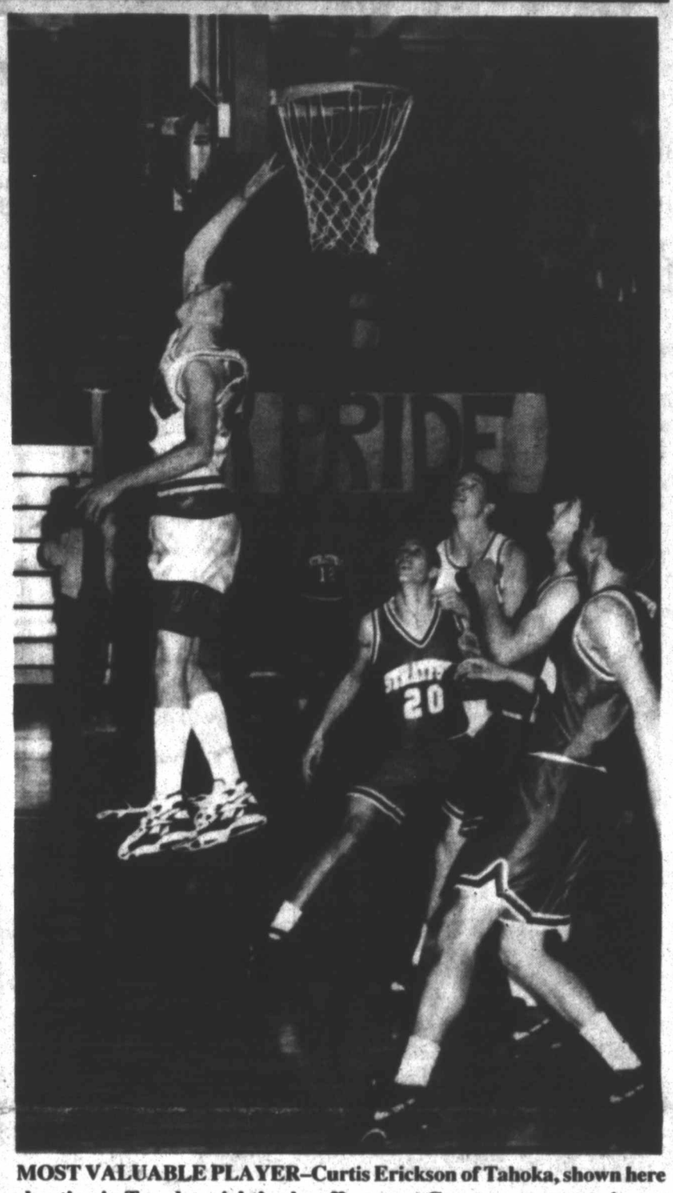
Rash had 16 points, Burleson 15 and Curtis Erickson 10 against Stratford.

T.D. Baskin and J.B. Presley each had 15 points for Stratford.

The Bulldogs came from behind in the last quarter to defeat Lockney 80-75 in a fast, torrid bi-district game at Frenship High School gym last Thursday night to advance to the area playoff game against Stratford.

After a 12-12 tie at the end of the first period, both teams poured in points in a hurry in the second, with Tahoka scoring 30 points and Lockney 29 in that period. This gave the Dogs a 1-point halftime lead, but in the third Lockney went ahead and led 63-57 going into the last quarter. Moore had 7 of his 13 points in the last quarter as Tahoka outscored the Longhorns 23-12 to win the game.

Hale led Tahoka scoring with 21 points and Burleson was close behind with 20. Rash had 16 and Moore 13, including three 3-pointers. The balanced scoring by Coach Troy Hinds' team offset a 46-point explosion by Lockney's Devon Phillips.



MOST VALUABLE PLAYER–Curtis Erickson of Tahoka, shown here shooting in Tuesday night's playoff game at Canyon, was a unanimous choice of district coaches as the most valuable player in the district, announced this week. Erickson scored 10 points against Stratford.
(LCN PHOTO)

Nicole Green Again Wins Lynn County Spelling Bee

The Lynn County Spelling Bee was held Monday, Feb. 19 in the Tahoka School Cafeteria. All four county schools were represented.

Tahoka 6th grader Nicole Green, daughter of Rickey and Jackie Green, successfully defended her title of Lynn County Spelling Bee Champion.

Eighth grader Melissa Olvera of O'Donnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Olvera was first runner up.

The spelling bee lasted 12 rounds. There was a five way tie for third place that included Wilson 8th grader Kieth Platte, Tahoka 4th graders Emily Botkin, Cristal Amador, and Kyndra Selmon, and O'Donnell 8th grader Jessica Jaime.

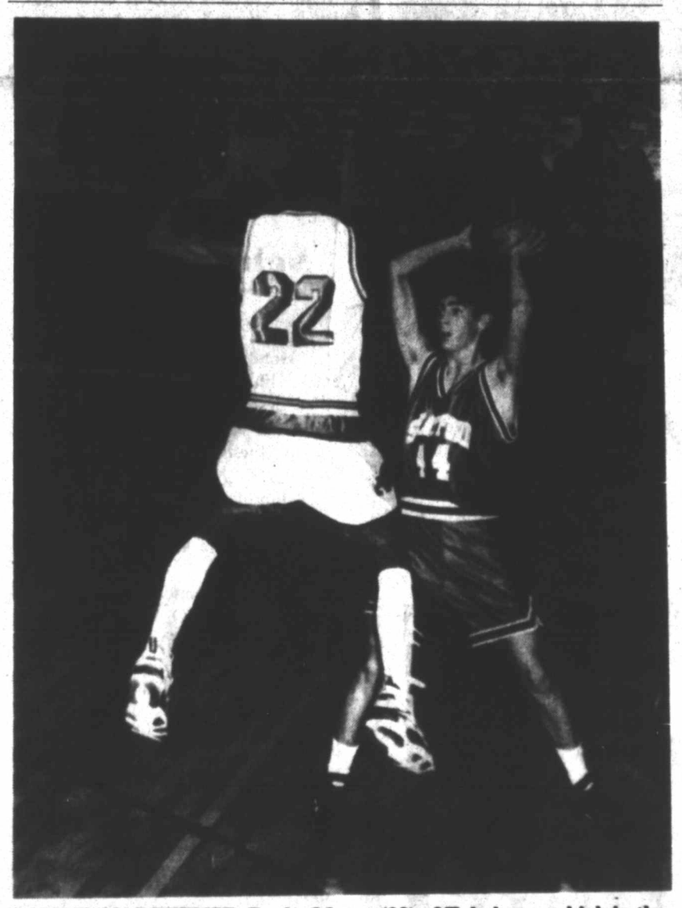
Nicole will represent Lynn County in the Regional Spelling Bee, March 30, at Cavazos Junior High in Lubbock, beginning at 1 p.m. The public is invited.

Finalists in the County bee from New Home were 4th graders Ashley Gill and Josh Schoppa and 5th graders Kayla Durham, Jessica Holder, Jason Lopez, and Miranda Rodriguez.

Finalists from O'Donnell were Martin Nava, 6th grade; Britt Childress, 7th grade; and Jessica Jaime, Terah Moxley, Melissa Olvera, and Missy Salinas, 8th graders.

Tahoka finalists were Cristal Amador, Emily Botkin, and Kyndra Selmon, 4th graders; Blake Ashcraft, 5th grader; and Lesley Chapa, Crystal Jones, and Nicole Green, defending champion, 6th graders.

Wilson finalists were Brian Hernandez, 5th grade; Tommy Hernandez and Ruben Rodriquez, 6th graders; and Billy Cavender, Kieth Platte, and Josh Gibson, 8th graders.



TOUGH ON DEFENSE–Rocky Moore (22) of Tahoka goes high in the air to prevent a pass by Davis of Stratford Tuesday night. Stratford won the area playoff game at Canyon 62-60 in overtime.
(LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

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Three Bulldogs Are First Team All-District Cagers

Curtis Erickson, THS senior, was the unanimous choice of District 4-AA coaches as the Most Valuable Player as the all-district basketball team was announced this week.

Also named to the first team were Bulldogs Lee Rash and Monty Hale.

Randy Burleson was selected to the second team, and honorable mention was earned by Rocky Moore and Shawn Brewer.

Filing Slow For School, City Elections

With the deadline still three weeks away, filing for seats on area city and school boards remained slow, with only one candidate filing for candidacy during the past week. Filing deadline is March 20.

Rudy Tejeda Jr. filed as a candidate for District 2 on the Tahoka City Council, unopposed as yet for that two-year term. Two candidates filed last week for the at-large seat, including incumbent Ray Box and Ken Turner. A position is also open for a council seat representing District 4.

Filing last week for the Tahoka School Board election were incumbents Clint Gardner, representing District 3, and Brad Hammonds, in District 4.

No other candidates had filed this week for positions on any other boards for Tahoka, New Home, Wilson and O'Donnell city and school elections.

Woodwork...



by Dalton

GOPHER ZAPPERS and a religious group which figures that when you're born again you may as well be as nekkid (southern for "naked") as you were when you were born the first time. These are topics I want to, uh, look at this week.

Gophers first: A friend left me a copy of an advertisement for a machine called an "underground gopher blaster." It appears to be about the size of a riding mower and has a tank which carries propane, which you pump into a gopher hole via a hand-held wand. After you pump enough propane into the hole, you ignite it with a spark plug on the end of the wand, "killing the gophers...in their dens."

I'd suggest you hold it in your left hand, if you're right-handed. The cost is not listed; it's probably about $10,000, including a full tank of gas and coverage for arm reattachment.

It also works on ground squirrels, prairie dogs, and probably family pets and door-to-door salespersons.

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WEIRD SECTS: Don't read that heading aloud, but it fits the story in Monday's daily newspapers about "Nude Christians" having a meeting in North Carolina. It seems that a group of about 40 persons who profess they are Christians like to conduct their meetings mostly in the nude.

A lot of us don't like to dress up to go to church, but this seems a little extreme.

"The Unclothed Christian Church will meet at 10 a.m. Sunday. Everyone is welcome. We're newly organized, so our facilities are still under construction. Please bare with us."



WRECK INJURES TEENAGER–Alana Sholer, 14, of Tahoka was injured Sunday afternoon when this 1988 Oldsmobile she was driving overturned on an unpaved road by Tahoka Airport. She was taken to Lynn County Hospital by EMS ambulance and transferred by helicopter to University Medical Center in Lubbock, where her condition was reported as serious early this week.
(LCN PHOTO)

Commissioners Approve Communications Contract

Lynn County Commissioners Monday met in routine session, approving a contract between Lynn County and the City of Tahoka on sharing dispatch communications for the Tahoka Police Dept. through the Lynn County Sheriff's Office. The annual contract was approved at a cost of $20,000 to the city.

The only other business on the agenda were the monthly bills, which were approved as presented.

Present at the meeting were Commissioners Sandy Cox, J.T. Miller and Jacky Henry, as well as County Judge J.F. Brandon, and guest Kevin Franks, a Texas Tech journalism student who attended the meeting for a class credit. Commissioner T.A. Stone was absent from the meeting.

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TAHOKA 5TH GRADERS AT SCIENCE FAIR— These Tahoka fifth graders participating in the Lynn County Science Fair in O'Donnell last week. They are, back row from left, Kalese Hammonds, Lana Jones, D'Lea Autry, Zach Ehlers, Patrick Davis, Bryan Valdez, Ben Henry; middle row, Britni Engle, Jeanine Wilson, Kyndel Byrd, Miranda Gomez, Randy Chapa, Tim Hutton, Brent Stone, Bradley Paschal; and front row, Heather Stark, Amber Seago, Johnna Alvarado, Christina Marquez, R.J. Santos, and Kent Stone.
(LCN PHOTO)

Leopards Bow Out In Bi-District 62-45

The Petersburg Buffaloes were too much for the New Home Leopards in last Friday's Class A boys bi-district game at Cooper High School, with the Buffs winning 62-45.

Shane Zant had 17 points and Ernie Caballero 11 in the game, but the Leopards had trouble finding the basket, especially in the second quarter. New Home did outscore Petersburg in the final period, 16-15.

The Leopards won their district and wound up the season at 10-16 overall.

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Tahoka Invitational Track Meet Set

Tahoka Middle School and High School will host the Bulldog Invitational Relays next weekend, on March 8-9, with Middle School teams to compete on Friday, and High School teams competing on Saturday, according to Tahoka Athletic Director Darrell "Tooter" Draper.

Field events are scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m., with prelims to begin at 10. Finals are scheduled to begin at 2:45 both days.

According to Draper, there are nine 7th grade boys and girls teams competing, nine 8th grade boys and girls teams, seven junior varsity boys teams, five junior varsity girls teams, nine varsity boys teams, and 10 varsity girls teams entered in the competition.

"We invite everyone out to our new track facilities to watch our athletes compete," said a sponsor.

Today Is LEAP DAY
THURSDAY, FEB. 29, 1996

Tahoka Tumblers Compete In New Deal Meet

The Tahoka Tumblers competed in the New Deal Tumbling Meet on Saturday, Feb. 24. The following entries were awarded:

First Place: Taylor Ford, Kalie Wuensche, Stephanie DeLeon, Chaz Jackson, Sara Morad-Ali, Garrett Barham, Jynna Askew, Meghann Rivas, Graham Henley, Portia Grant, Joshua Freitag, Stacie Green, Callie Botkin, Krista Norwood, Landon Bartley, Marissa Chapa, Randy Chapa, Haleigh Ross, Emily Botkin, Damesha Harris, and Kalah Bartley.

Second Place: Caitlynn Martin, Morgan Lockaby, Matt Taylor, Samantha Pridmore, Kristin Box, Whitlee Anderson, Britt Wuensche, Danny Follis, Heath Ross, Jaci Hammonds, Jeni Hammonds, Abi Henderson, Sarah Box, Kalie D orman, Whitney Ferguson, Jessica Antu, Cassidy Gandy and Ashley McNeely.

Tahoka School Menu

March 4-8
Breakfast

Monday: Oatmeal, Toast, Orange Juice, Milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast Pizza, Apple, Milk.

Wednesday: Donut, Mixed Fruit, Milk.

Thursday: Cereal, Toast, Choice of Juice, Milk.

Friday: Breakfast Burrito, Pears, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: BBQ on a Bun, Pinto Beans, Cole Slaw, Apple & Cookie, Milk.

Tuesday: Corndog, Tossed Salad, Sliced Potatoes, Peaches & Cake, Milk.

Wednesday: Meat Loaf, Sweet Peas, Carrot & Celery Sticks, Cookie, Hot Roll, Milk.

Thursday: Hamburger, French Fries, Trimmings, Apple Cobbler, Milk.

Friday: Fish Patty, Potato Rounds, Cole Slaw, Cornbread, Frozen Fruit Bar, Milk.



KARATE DEMONSTRATION— Daniel Thompson (far right) and several of his karate students gave a karate demonstration for Tahoka High School students recently. Thompson was guest speaker during Black Awareness Month, and told students to focus on their goals.

Guest Speaker Tells Students To Focus On Their Goals

Daniel E. Thompson, a 4th Dan (Degree) Black Belt, gave a karate demonstration and spoke to Tahoka High School students about focusing on their goals last week. Thompson was invited to speak by THS government teacher, Ms. Julie Scarbrough, to encourage students to become more aware of Black Awareness month.

Thompson went to school in Panama. He started practicing Karate in 1972 at the age of 9, and says he was encouraged in his studies by his uncle, Sensei Enrique Gale.

In 1984, Thompson won second place in Kumite (fighting) at the Howard Air Force Base Open Tournament.

Thompson uses the laws of physics in teaching Karate. He stresses discipline, concentration and focus to master the quickness and dynamics needed for Karate.

In 1984, Thompson and his wife were on assignment at Yokota Air Force Base in Tokyo Japan. While there, Thompson won third in Kumite in the Battle of the Pacific.

In 1987, he won the championship in Iwakuni, Japan, in the middle weight division and third in Weapons and Kumite at the Tournament of Champions in Osan, Korea.

Thompson says he studied weapons with Grand Master Odo and Tai-Chi Master Okama. He also met the Grand Master of Okinawa, GoJu Ryu, the founder of Ashihara Karate.

He received the rank of 2nd Degree Black Belt.

Thompson came to Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock in 1990. He began teaching Shotokan Karate at the Boys and Girls Club and the Parkway Community Center in Lubbock in 1993.

In 1994, he received the rank of Third Degree and fulfilled his dream of opening his own school, the Dai-Ichi Shotokan Karate-Do Dojo, in Lubbock. He received the rank of Renshi (4th Degree/Junior Master) in 1995.

"The philosophy that I follow is that of 'rendering oneself empty'," said Thompson. "To the Master, Karate was not only a martial art, but also a means of building character."

Thompson is married to the former Odette Townsend, also from Panama, and they have a daughter and two sons.

STORK REPORT

Born to Leland and Kimberly Harris of Lubbock, a daughter, Erynn Taylor Harris, weighing 7 pounds 9 ounces at 6:45 p.m. Feb. 22, 1996, at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock. She has a brother, Colby, 9.

Grandparents are Ruthie Shelton of Lubbock and Jimmy and Janie McMillan of Tahoka. Great-grandmother is Ella Harris of Lubbock.

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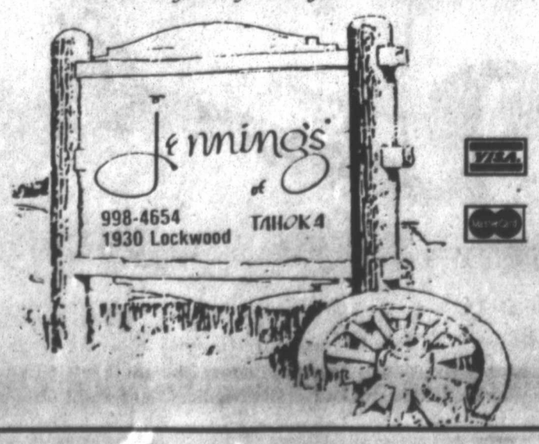
THS student Abbie Gill is wearing a red vest in a linen/cotton blend over a white blouse and print skirt of lined voile. The group also features red linen/cotton shorts and a black & white houndstooth checked vest, to mix and match for a sizzling new Spring look that's fun, cool, and comfortable! Sizes 6-14. The ensemble is completed with one of the new Skinny Belts by Brighton.



Lots of other new Spring fashions to choose from, too, including a good selection of denim coordinates!

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Obituaries



SILVESTRA CASARES

Silvestra Casares

Services for Silvestra "Sil" Casares, 91, of Tahoka were at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 23, in St. Jude Catholic Church with the Rev. Todd Arnberg, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Nevels Cemetery under direction of Calvillo Funeral Home of Lubbock.

She died Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1996, in Lynn County Hospital.

She was born Dec. 31, 1904, in Hilitas. She married Enemenico Casares in 1930, in Karnes City. He died in 1970. She moved to Lynn County from Karnes City in 1964. She was a Catholic.

She was a homemaker.

Survivors include many nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Robert Barrera Jr., George Cantu, Robert Casares, Roy Samora, David Casares and Florenzo Zamora.

Mardrie Simpson

Services for Mardrie Simpson, 86, of Lubbock, will be at 10 a.m. today (Thursday) in W.W. Rix Chapel in Lubbock with the Rev. Raymond Wolfe officiating.

Burial will be in the City of Lubbock Cemetery.

She died Monday, Feb. 26, 1996, in Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

She was born Feb. 28, 1909, in Linden, Ala. She moved to Lubbock in 1921. She was a member of the Methodist church.

She was a homemaker.

Survivors include two brothers, George Sealy of New Home and Curtis Sealy of Morton; and three sisters, Annie Mae Hamilton and Beulah Speer, both of Lubbock, and Ida Mae Reagan of Fort Worth.

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Tahoka Care Center News

by LISA LEHMAN

We are having family night on Thursday, Feb. 29 beginning at 6 p.m. Refreshments will be served and we hope to see you there.

Residents participating in the van ride were Estelle Cook, Mozelle Banks, Juanita Chambers, Neva Maynard, Felipe Cantu, Teddy Kelley and Hazel Hancock.

We express our deepest sympathy to the family of Silvestra Casares; we will miss her.

We wish a speedy recovery to Maudie Gage, who is in Lynn County Hospital, Bill Cathcart in St. Mary's Hospital, and Dionisio Flores in South Park Hospital. We miss you very much.

Vanisa DeLeon had a birthday Wednesday, Feb. 28.

Thanks to all volunteers who come out each week and spend time with residents.

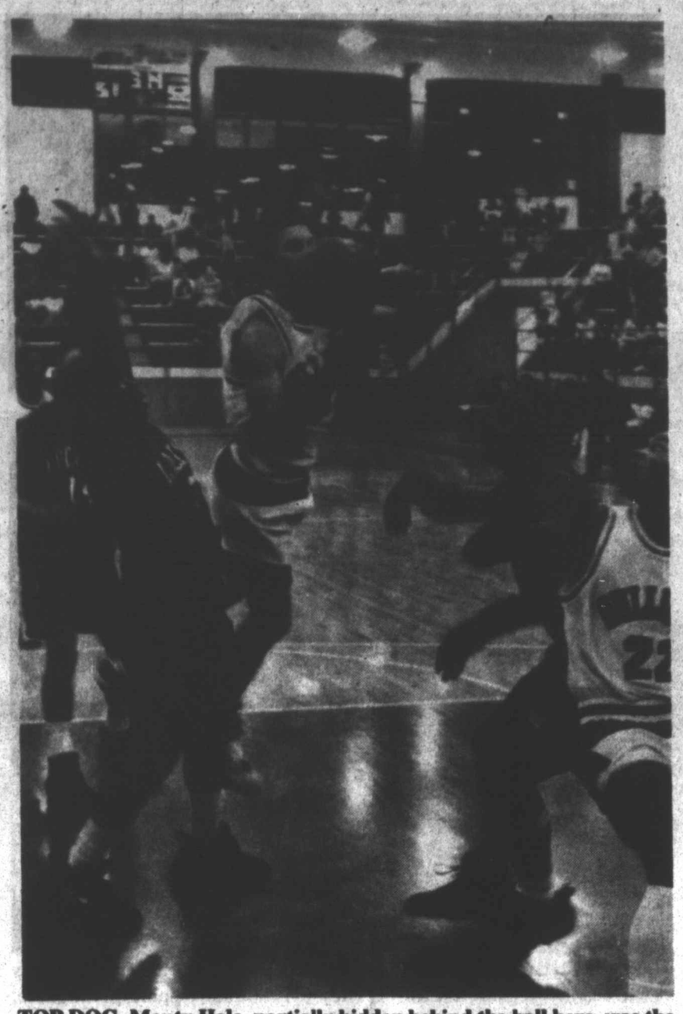
Sue Joplin, Director of Nurses, is leaving the Care Center. We will miss her very much. We welcome the new Director of Nurses, Katrina Arsenault.

Tahoka ISD Recognized For Safety Program

Tahoka ISD was recently honored for outstanding employee safety by the North Texas Educational Insurance Association at its annual meeting in Austin. The district is a member of a uniquely designed partially self-funded workers' compensation program developed by Hibbs-Hallmark & Company and administrated by Claims Administrative Service, Inc.

The purpose of the meeting was recognize those districts that have held both the number and severity of employee accidents to a very low level. The combined savings during the 1994-95 school year, for all participating districts, was over $2.5 million when compared to the costs of fully insured programs.

Tahoka ISD was a diamond award recipient with the actual losses from employee accidents equaling less than 10 percent of the fund set aside by the district for claims expenses. The actual savings of the school district was $34,040. "Our self insurance program was designed to provide the highest level of safety and offer the greatest potential for premium savings to the districts," said Billy Hibbs, president of Hibbs-Hallmark & Company.



TOP DOG–Monty Hale, partially hidden behind the ball here, was the leading scorer for Tahoka with 21 points as the Bulldogs beat Lockney 80-75 for the bi-district championship. No. 22 for Tahoka at right is Rocky Moore, who had 13 points. (LCN PHOTO)

Burglary, Trailer Theft Reported

Theft of a trailer, burglary of a business at Grassland and damage to a vacant house were among crimes investigated by Lynn County sheriff's department during the last week.

Pistol Rash reported that about $100 cash had been stolen from the office of Grassland Butane over the weekend, after a window was broken to gain entry.

Wayne Crawford of Lubbock reported that a house he owns in O'Donnell had been damaged by vandals who broke doors and 15 windows and knocked holes in sheetrock walls and ceilings.

John White of Route 4, Tahoka, reported that someone stole a 16-foot four-wheel trailer from a location three miles west of New Home. The trailer was licensed and was valued at $1964.

In jail during the week were seven new inmates, including one arrested for public intoxication, wanted for theft in Comanche County, wanted for theft by check in Hood County and for parole violation on theft conviction in Erath County. Others jailed were for these charges: theft over $1500 and less than $20,000 (for Tom Green County), judgment and sentence for driving while license suspended, application to revoke probation on DWI felony conviction, DWI second offense plus fictitious registration, and DWI first offense.

Trustee Candidate Workshop Offers Information, Insight

Area school board candidates will have an opportunity to learn more about the challenges and rewards of board service at a school board candidate workshop, Thursday, March 7 from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Region 17 Education Service Center (1111 West Loop 289, Lubbock).

The workshop will provide school board candidates and other interested citizens with a better understanding of what is involved in being elected and serving as a trustee. An experienced school board member will explain board members' key responsibilities and outline the qualities necessary for effective service.

Topics to be covered include the school board's duties and responsibilities, important ethical practices during board service, how board members are accountable for the education of students, and keys to responsible campaigns.

The workshop is open to all school board candidates, interested community members, and current school board members. Admission is free. For more information, call Kathee Lupton, 806-791-5664.

Senior Citizens MENU

MARCH 4-8, 1996

Monday: Salisbury steak, brown gravy, cauliflower w/cheese sauce, pears, wheat roll, cookies

Tuesday: Ham, navy beans, carrots and zucchini, tossed salad, cornbread, pineapple cake

Wednesday: Carne Guisada, potatoes, broccoli, cornbread, peaches

Thursday: Chicken fried steak, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, salad, wheat roll

Friday: Sweet and sour pork w/ rice, vegetables, celery sticks, cornbread, lemon pie

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Feb. 21	86	48	
Feb. 22	87	49	
Feb. 23	64	48	
Feb. 24	67	34	
Feb. 25	77	35	
Feb. 26	76	46	
Feb. 27	66	36	

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The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

Audra Young earned a Division I in UIL instrumental solo/ensemble contest held last Saturday in Lubbock.

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Gladys Comer has moved to Cleburne and has asked that friends and former students write to her. Her address is Gladys Comer, 1701 Short St. Apt. D., Cleburne, Texas 76031. She would like readers to pass the address on to her former students, who no longer live in the area so they may drop her a note with a third grade memory.

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Delton Moore got a big surprise last week. Post school officials had insisted that Delton and his wife Melva be in attendance at a special school meeting since Melva was to be awarded the annual Teacher of the Year for Post school system.

They were there, but it was Delton who was honored with the award instead of Melva.

Delton and Melva and their three son, Brody, Sky and Wacey live in the Wilson area and commute daily to Post, where they both teach in the school system. Delton is the son of Naoma "Shorty" Moore and the late "Runt" Moore.

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The music rumbled and the crowd thundered its approval at the annual Wilson elementary P.E. department's demonstration and show of the students P.E. skills. The program, titled "The American Way," featured the Wilson elementary students in a series of routines set to different types of music including movie themes, country favorites, rock, "oldies," and patriotic marches.

Each elementary class participated in their individual activity and the Wilson "Whip Its" jump rope team performed to "Deep in the Heart of Texas."

The finale featured the K-6th grade presentation of "God Bless the USA" and "This is My Country."

Mrs. Oglesby, her volunteers, and the children, are to be commended for their work in putting together another exciting program. This program was part of a full evening of activities involving the elementary students, teacher, parents, and other guests.

The evening began with a short PTO meeting, followed by the P.E. program, which led into a learning and science fair in the elementary classrooms. "We appreciate the attendance and support of so many of our families. We also appreciate the hard work and dedication of the elementary staff. Together, we are making a difference!" said a school representative.

Many students participated in the Celebration of Learning Fair. The names of the students who placed follow:

Primary Division: Science- Kyler Livingston, 1st; Calan Shifrin and Kevin Platte, 2nd; Kathy Soto and Sonya Quesada, 3rd; Family- Brittany Holder, 1st; Crafts- Sarah Bednarz, 1st; Angelica Gonzalez, 2nd; Collections- Brittany Holder, 1st; Ryan Wied, 2nd; Cooking- Victoria Zepeda, 1st; Brittany Holder, 2nd; Gilbert Vasquez, 3rd;

Intermediate: Crafts- Brady Cross and Christopher Taylor, 1st; Family Projects- Brady Cross, 1st; Science- Jennifer Buccola, Kaci Wied, Stephanie Whitehead, 1st; Eric Gibson, 2nd; Phillip Casteel, 3rd; Others- Zachary Zepeda, 1st; Cooking- Lauren Wied, 1st; Christopher Taylor, 2nd; Casey Bolyard, 3rd; Art- Casey Bolyard, 1st and 2nd; Channing Chancy, 3rd; Hobbies- Brady Cross, 1st; Social Studies/History- Misti Shipley, 1st;

Senior: Art- Jordan Bednarz, 1st.

The Lynn County Science Fair was held Feb. 22 in O'Donnell. See related story in *The News*.

Good luck to the 4th graders as they will take their TAAS writing test March 5. Parents are urged to make sure their 4th graders get a good night's sleep and a good breakfast.

The Parent Support Group for parents with children ages birth to 5 years will meet March 4 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the elementary school. "We have a great time and enjoy learning tips and techniques which help our preschoolers and families," said a sponsor.

Community story time will be Thursday, March 7 at 10:30 a.m. in the library. "Please bring your preschool child and give the gift of reading!" said a sponsor.

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Several Wilson students are at the Houston Livestock Show this week showing cattle, swine, sheep, and chickens. Results will be posted soon.

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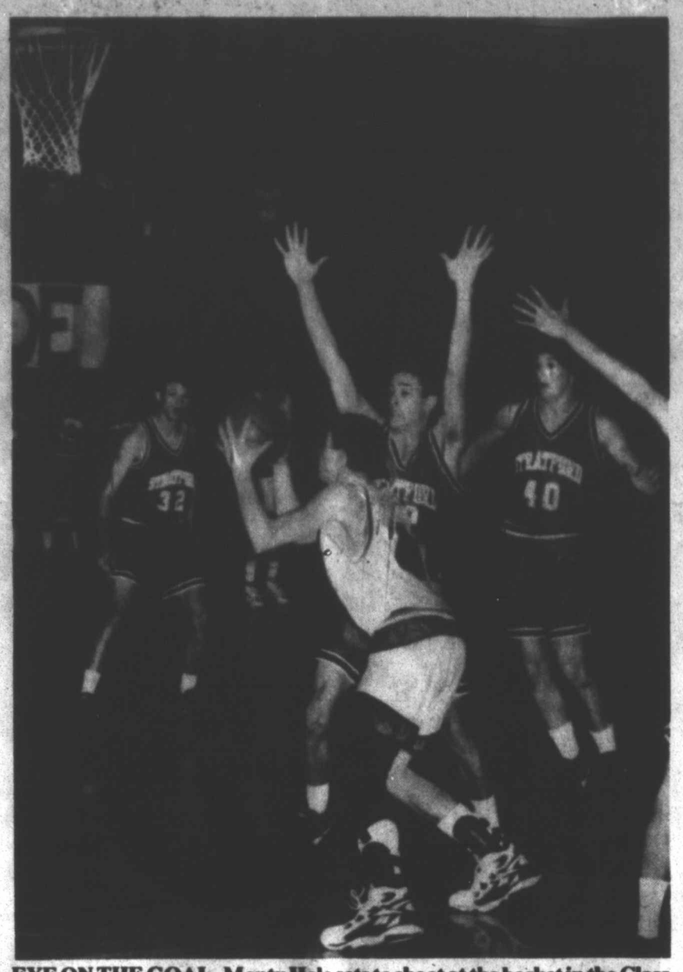
Wilson students in 8th and 10th grades needing the Exit Level TAAS test will take those tests March 5-7.

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The Texas Primaries for the Republican and Democratic parties will be Tuesday, March 12 from 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Voters are reminded to take time to learn about the candidates and then to vote for the candidates of their choice.

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The Site-Based Council met Feb. 19, discussing the school calendar, waiver days, and the student code of conduct. The next meeting will be March 25, with topics to include the final copy of the student code of conduct, the GT handbook, and a final proposal for the school calendar.



EYE ON THE GOAL--Monty Hale sets to shoot at the basket in the Class AA area playoff game at Canyon Tuesday. Hale had 8 points in the game, won by Stratford in overtime. (LCN PHOTO)

Local Farmers To Be Interviewed For 1995 Farm Costs and Returns Survey

Lena Williams of Tahoka will contact several local agricultural producers over the next few weeks to ask them to participate in the 1995 Farm Costs and Returns Survey (FCRS). "This is an extremely important survey conducted locally by the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, as part of a nationwide study by USDA," says a representative.

The FCRS measurers the 1995 financial condition of U.S. agriculture by providing summarized information about expenses and income, as well as production practices and other operating characteristics of farms and ranches. According to State Statistician, Dennis S. Findley, "The survey results show not only how well agriculture is doing as a whole, but how the various types of enterprises (crops, livestock, poultry, sheep, goats, and speciality crops) are performing, and whether some sectors are more financially vulnerable than others. We need to make sure Texas agriculture is properly represented in this very important survey."

Participating in the FCRS gives local producers a prime opportunity to document their operating costs and returns clearly, so that policy decisions affecting agriculture can be based on the most complete and accurate information possible.

"This is important since policy makers and analysts depend on FCRS figures when making decisions that affect farmers and ranchers, especially during farm bill deliberations. For example, the survey has proved invaluable in describing potential impacts of changes in the Conservation Reserve Program, one of the key issues debated in every Farm Bill," one representative said.

Commodity groups and other agricultural organizations rely on FCRS information in their dealings with government officials, the news media and their own members. In addition, by studying FCRS data, university extension economists can determine, develop and deliver those educational programs that will help farmers and ranchers most.

Lena Williams will serve as an official interviewer collecting data in this area. Ms. Williams and 49 other interviewers statewide, will visit 1039 producers personally to conduct the survey. Producers selected to take part in the survey are being notified by letter. USDA will publish survey results this summer. All individual information collected is strictly confidential and is used only in conjunction with other reports for state, regional and national statistical totals.

Local Family Doctor Re-Certified As Family Practice Specialist

Dr. Griffith W. Thomas of Tahoka, has been re-certified a Diplomat of the American Board of Family Practice (ABFP), the certifying entity of the family practice specialty.

Dr. Thomas, a family physician at Lynn County Hospital-Clinic, earned Diplomat status by passing the ABFP's certification examination, an intensive written test of the physician's abilities in pediatrics, internal medicine, surgery, obstetrics, gynecology, psychiatry, prevention and other aspects of family practice.

Windbreak, Hardwood Trees Will Be Delivered Thursday

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Wilson School Menu

March 4-8

Breakfast

Monday: Cinnamon Rolls, Apple Juice, Milk.

Tuesday: Cereal, Toast, Diced Pears, Milk.

Wednesday: Oatmeal, Toast, Orange Juice, Milk.

Thursday: Pancakes, Diced Peaches, Milk.

Friday: Cheese Toast, Grape Juice, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: Pork Patties, Gravy, Hot Rolls, English Peas, Sliced Peaches, Milk.

Tuesday: Chili w/Beans, Corn, Fruit Cocktail, Cornbread, Salad Bar, Milk.

Wednesday: Hamburgers, Tator Tots, Trimmings, Milk.

Thursday: Corn Dogs, Pickle Spears, Pork 'n Beans, Pear Halves, Potato Bar, Milk.

Friday: Turkey on Toast, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Milk.

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NEW HOME STOCK SHOW WINNERS—Shown (left to right) are the winners of the Championship animal buckles and Showmanship buckles from the New Home Stock Show that was held on Jan. 20. They are Jim Vineyard, Reserve Champion Barrow; Brandi Nettles, Champion Barrow; Kary Durham, Barrow Showmanship; J'Lynn Clem, Reserve Champion Lamb; Jody Clem, Champion Lamb and Lamb Showmanship; Kendal Barnett, Reserve Champion Steer; Riley Barnett, Champion Steer and Steer Showmanship.

The New Home News

by Karon Durham • 924-7448

New Home schools were represented by the following students during the Lynn County Spelling Bee on Feb. 19: Josh Schoppa, Kayla Durham, Miranda Rodriguez, Jessica Holder, Jason Lopez, and Ashley Gill. Mrs. Kieth coached the group.

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Elementary students in grades K-6th who maintained proper discipline during the six weeks were taken to the Discover Zone Feb. 22 for an afternoon of fun. The ones who had not been awarded to the party were left to attend regular classes.

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Report cards will be sent home Feb. 29. The fifth six weeks of school started on Monday, Feb. 27. There will be a day in-service on March 1 and students will not have school this day.

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Students in grades 1st, 4th, and 6th were presented a program dealing with the prevention of spreading germs by school health advisor, Karon Durham.

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Mr. Schaffner and several dads left Feb. 21 with three trailers full of barrows for the Brenham sift. Larry Durham and 10 students left Feb. 22 to show the barrows during the sift. Hopefully they will move on to Houston on Feb. 26 for the Livestock Show and Sale.

Animals placing in the San Antonio Show were Jody Clem, Res. Champion Southdown Lamb and 13th York Barrow; J'Lynn Clem, Southdown 3rd and Med. Wool 27th; Jody Clem, Southdown 6th and Med. Wool 23rd; Jim Vineyard, 2nd Chester Barrow; Mike Peek, 5th Chester Barrow; Danny Scroggins, 6th Duroc Barrow.

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New Home varsity boys basketball team was defeated in Bi-District play at Cooper by Petersburg 49-66 on Feb. 23.

O'Donnell Booster Club Officers Elected

by BECKY CURTIS

The 1996-97 O'Donnell Booster Club officers were elected at the "Meet the Eagles" night Tuesday, Feb. 20.

The officers are Susan Lee, president; Darla Stidham, vice president; Diane Farmer, secretary/treasurer.

The next meeting will be March 14.

Students Place At Spelling Bee

by TIFFANY MOXLEY

Six O'Donnell Junior High students competed in the Lynn County Spelling Bee.

Melissa Olvera, daughter of Thomas and Linda Olvera, placed 2nd.

Jessica Jaime, daughter of Carlos and Adella Jaime, tied for 3rd.

Inner City Mission Set

Greater Antioch Baptist Church is hosting an Inner City Mission this Thursday, Feb. 29 at 8 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Bond Election Set In O'Donnell

by JENNIFER BARRETT

A bond election will be held March 14 to seek funding for the remodeling of the O'Donnell Elementary school building.

"I think if we present the facts and show the need the people will approve it," said Dale Read, superintendent.

O'Donnell ISD received $388,125 from TEA for the remodeling and needs to raise an additional $1.3 to $1.45 million.

Read says that the building is structurally sound, but educationally out of date.

"If we're going to educate our students for the 21st century, we've got to make a step," he said.

Renovations to be made in the classroom include replumbing, rewireing, and recarpeting.

Read says that taxes will not increase if the people approve the bond.

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HAPPY 40TH BIRTHDAY

Tennis Meets Are Scheduled

Tennis meets for O'Donnell High are scheduled as follows:

March 8-9 - Brownfield
March 26 - Borden County
March 29,30 - Lubbock
April 5,6 - Brownfield
April TBA - District

Players will be announced later.

Miss Midkiff On SMU Honor Roll

Anne-Marie Midkiff, a first-year student at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, is included on the recently released undergraduate honor roll for the fall semester.

To be listed on the SMU honor roll, students must achieve a 3.5 or higher cumulative grade point average, which places them in the top 18 percent of all SMU undergraduate degree students.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David Midkiff of Lubbock and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Adams of Tahoka.

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TAHOKA 4TH GRADERS AT SCIENCE FAIR— Participating in the Lynn County Science Fair last week were these Tahoka 4th graders, in back from left, Amy McAfee, Emily Botkin, Meredith Pittman, Ashley McNeely, and Chris Engle; and in front, Chris Ashbrook, Mandy Martin, Ashanti Hood, Cristal Amador and Michael Nance.

(LCN PHOTO)

Wilson, O'Donnell, Tahoka Youth Participate In County Science Fair

Elementary, junior high and high school students from Wilson, O'Donnell, and Tahoka met at O'Donnell ISD last Thursday to participate in the Lynn County Science Fair. Following are the results of the event:

3rd grade

Behavioral and Social Sciences- Lori Garces and Jamie Burtch (group project), Gold Medal, Wilson; Chemistry - Shawn Harris, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Briana Garza and Sarah Olvera (group project), Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Sonya Quezada and Kathy Soto (group project), Silver Medal, Wilson;

Earth and Space Sciences- Victoria Ramos, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Mark Eaker, Silver Medal, O'Donnell; Environmental Sciences- Jessica Renteria, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Calan Shifrin and Kevin Platte (group project), Gold Medal, Wilson;

Life Science- Ashley James, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Physics- Deborah Nambo, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; T.J. Rendon and Junior Mendez (group), Gold Medal, Wilson.

4th grade

Behavioral and Social Sciences- Ashley McNeely, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Chemistry - Michael Nance, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Menda James, Silver Medal, O'Donnell;

Earth and Space Sciences- Emily Botkin, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Meredith Pittman, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Environmental Sciences- Amy McAfee, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Chris Engle, Silver Medal, Tahoka;

Life Science- Mandy Martin, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Ashanti Hood, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Physics- Cristal Amador, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Chris Ashbrook, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Anthony Castillo, Jeremy Villarreal, Sebastian Rodriquez (group), Gold Medal, O'Donnell.

5th grade

Chemistry - Allison Barrett, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; David Yowell, Silver Medal, Wilson; Kent Stone, Bronze Medal, Tahoka; Christopher Taylor, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Casey Bolyard, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Christina Marquez and Miranda Gomez (group project), Gold Medal, Tahoka;

Computer and Mathematics- Jose Calsonoit, Gold Medal, Wilson; Amber Childress, Todd Cox, and Jerod Clopton (group project), Gold Medal, O'Donnell;

Earth and Space Sciences- Jeanine Wilson, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Tim Hutton, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Patrick Davis, Bronze Medal, Tahoka; Krista Wilke, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Julio Caballero, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Philip Casteel, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Jacob Ramos, Bronze Medal, Wilson;

Environmental Sciences- Randy Chapa, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Kyndel Byrd, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Crystal Mendez, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Matthew Patridge and Taylor Read (group project), Gold Medal, O'Donnell;

Life Science- Emily Gill, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Lana Jones, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Brent Stone, Bronze Medal, Tahoka; D'Lea Autry and Zach Ehlers (group project), Gold Medal, Tahoka; Kalese Hammonds and Britni Engle (group project), Silver Medal, Tahoka; Bryan Valdez and R.J. Santos (group project), Bronze Medal, Tahoka; Amber Mott, Choya Thompson, Tyler Franklin, Bronze Medal, O'Donnell; Matt Wells and Brandon McCord, Bronze Medal, Tahoka;

Physics- Bradley Paschal, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Leigh McAfee, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Ben Henry, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Johnna Alvarado, Bronze Medal, Tahoka; Brian Hernandez, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Eric Gibson, Bronze Medal, Wilson; BreAnn Rucker, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Manuel Martinez, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Dominic Guzman, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Zachary Zepeda, Bronze Medal, Wilson; Heather Stark and Amber Seago (group project), Gold Medal, Tahoka;

6th grade

Chemistry - Chelsey Miller, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Mandy Sanders, Silver Medal, O'Donnell; Clayton Chancy, Bronze Medal, Tahoka; Stephanie Whitehead, Bronze Medal, Wilson;

Earth and Space Sciences- Jennifer Buccola, Gold Medal, Wilson; Aaron Bednarz and Christopher Donathan (group project), Gold Medal, Wilson;

Environmental Sciences- Stefanie Dotson, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Angela Hester, Silver Medal, Tahoka;

Life Science- Lesley Chapa, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Cory Gardner, Silver Medal, Tahoka;

Physics- Brandi Tekell, Gold Medal, Tahoka; Colton McNeely, Silver Medal, Tahoka; Chasity Gass and Sarah Griffing (group project), Gold Medal, O'Donnell.

7th grade

Computer and Mathematics- Tonya Forbes and Jill Clark (group project), Gold Medal, O'Donnell;

Environmental Sciences- Whitney Hughes, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Calan Shifrin and Kevin Platte (group project), Silver Medal, Wilson;

Physics- Kristin Farmer and Carolyn Clark (group project), Gold Medal, O'Donnell;

8th grade

Computer and Mathematics- Melissa Salinas, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Chemistry- Scott Olivan, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Melissa Olvera and Jessica Duran (group project), Gold Medal, O'Donnell;

Earth and Space Sciences- Terah Moxley, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Environmental Sciences- Jonathon Read, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Life Science- Crystal Morton, Gold Medal, O'Donnell;

Physics- Shawn Anderson, Gold Medal, O'Donnell.

High School

Botany- Casey Griffing, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Mary Jane Sanches, Silver Medal, O'Donnell; Chemistry- April Renteria, Gold Medal, O'Donnell

Computer and Mathematics- Kyle James, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Earth Science- Halee Hughes, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Engineering- Jabo Webb, Gold Medal, O'Donnell;

Environmental- Lindsi Clark, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Heather Blackwell, Silver Medal, O'Donnell;

Medicine and Health- Keya Lee, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Microbiology- Chera Forbes, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Physics- Jimmy Don Vaughn, Gold Medal, O'Donnell; Zoology- Tatum Bessire, Gold Medal, O'Donnell.

Special Awards

Metric Awards: Jessica Renteria, 3rd grade; Ashley McNeely, 4th grade; Matt Patridge and Taylor Read, 5th grade; Angela Hester, 6th grade; Tonya Forbes and Jill Clark, 7th grade; Melissa Salinas, 8th grade; Halee Hughes, 9th grade; Keya Lee, 10th grade; Chera Forbes, 11th grade; Jimmy Don Vaughn, 12th grade.

Original Project Awards: Shawn Harris, 3rd grade; Cristal Amador, 4th grade; Johnna Alvarado, 5th grade; Lesley Chapa, 6th grade; Kristin Farmer and Carolyn Clark, 7th grade; Melissa Olvera and Jessica Duran, 8th grade; Tatum Bessire, 9th grade; Casey Griffing, 10th grade; Chera Forbes, 11th grade; Jimmy Don Vaughn, 12th grade.

Jason Sumners Chemistry Award: Shawn Harris, 3-5th grades; Chelsey Miller, 6-8th grades; Jimmy Don Vaughn, high school.

Albert Einstein Awards: Tim Hutton, 3-5th grades; Cory Gardner, 6-8th grades.

Madame Curie Awards: Emily Gill, Kalese Hammonds and Britni Engle (tie), 3-5th grades; Mandy Sanders, 6-8th grades.



SCIENCE FAIR ENTRANTS— Tahoka sixth grade participants and winners at the Lynn County Science Fair in O'Donnell are shown here. They are, in back from left, Stefanie Dotson, Chelsey Miller, Cory Gardner, and Clayton Chancy; front from left, Lesley Chapa, Mandy Sanders, and Angela Hester and not shown Brandi Tekell.

(LCN PHOTO)



SCIENCE FAIR PARTICIPANTS - Emily Gill (right) and Leigh McAfee, both Tahoka fifth graders, participated in the O'Donnell Science Fair held last Thursday.

SPARTAN Meeting Slated In Post

Local and area businesses are invited to a SPARTAN meeting on Monday, March 4, at 7 p.m. at the Service building on the Snyder Hwy. in Post.

This meeting will be helpful to small business owners who wish to do business with South Plains Community Action Agency as a vendor. For further information contact Sara Alvarado, Center Worker at 806/998-4521 or Luis Perez, SPCAA/SPARTAN Program Director at 1-800-462-8747.

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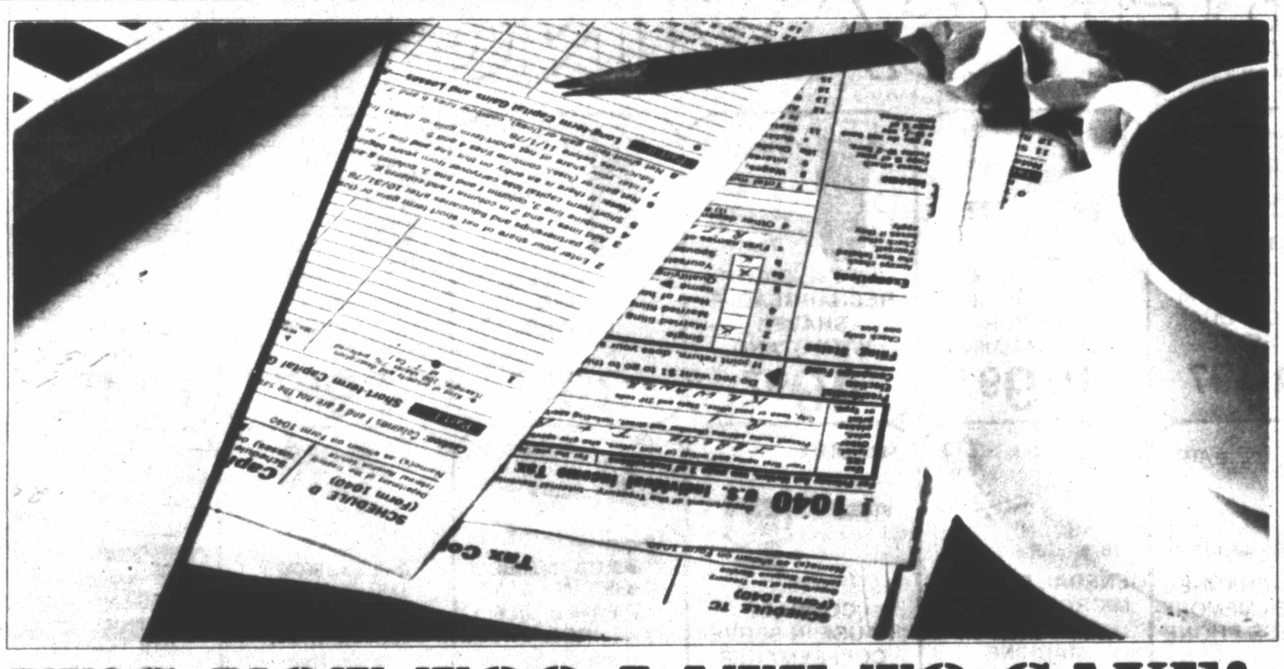
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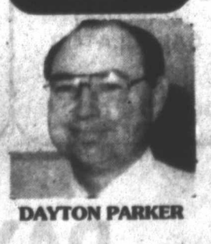
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HOUSE FOR SALE: Brick, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, large utility, central heat & air, lots & lots of storage, carport, storage house, large fenced backyard, pecan trees. Roberts addition. 2312 N. 3rd. 998-5044. 6-8tp

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY
March 1996

Ricky B. Smith
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Sandra Cox
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Sherry Pearce
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Tax Assessor-Collector
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Jacky Henry
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D.M. (Dan) Lockaby
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Melvin Edwards
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LYNN COUNTY

Charlie Smith
CANDIDATE
Lynn County Sheriff

Jake Diggs
CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION
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Jimmy Wright
CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION
Lynn County Attorney

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY
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Carl Willingham
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Demonstrations will be given in silversmithing, gold wire wrapping, faceting, and venetian bead making.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for the beautiful flowers, cards, and prayers on the death of our aunt, Silvestra Casares. May God Bless You.

The Silvestra Casares Family
9-1tp

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Our heartfelt thanks to the O'Donnell EMS and Dr. Thomas and the hospital staff at the Lynn County Hospital for their diligent assistance.

Words cannot express our deep appreciation for all that this community has done for us in our loss. The flowers, food, cards, hugs and words of condolence have been showered upon us to comfort our family.

The service was a blessing to us through the spirit-led words of Rev. Steve McMeans and Rev. Lee Crouch. The choir and soloist added beautiful music to fulfill his requests. The long procession from Lamesa, down the Caprock to Gail was truly a tribute to Pat as he was laid to rest in the shadow of Gail Mountain.

We thank each and everyone for their support, thoughts, and prayers. May God bless you all.

Jo Hensley,
Rusty and Mary Hensley and family,
Kenny and Carla Hensley and family,
Randy and Donelle Hensley and family,
Bill and Lesa Enlow and family
9-1tp

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We would like to express our sincere thanks to everyone for their prayers, cards, visits and all their acts of kindness to us during Satch's illness.

God bless you for thinking of us.
- Satch and Ruby Grogan
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Hays Named To ACU Dean's List

Joe Hays of Tahoka was among more than 800 students from Abilene Christian University named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall 1995 semester.

To make the honor roll, a student must complete at least 12 semester hours and earn a 3.45 or higher grade point average.

Wayland Released Honor Roll Names

Donnie J. Wiseman and Susan Draper, both of Tahoka, were named to honor lists at Wayland Baptist University for the fall 1995 semester.

Wiseman, son of Charlotte Wiseman, was named to the Dean's List, which recognizes students who obtain a 3.5 grade point average.

Miss Draper, daughter of Milt and Dorothy Draper, was named to the President's List, which recognizes students who obtain a 4.0 GPA.

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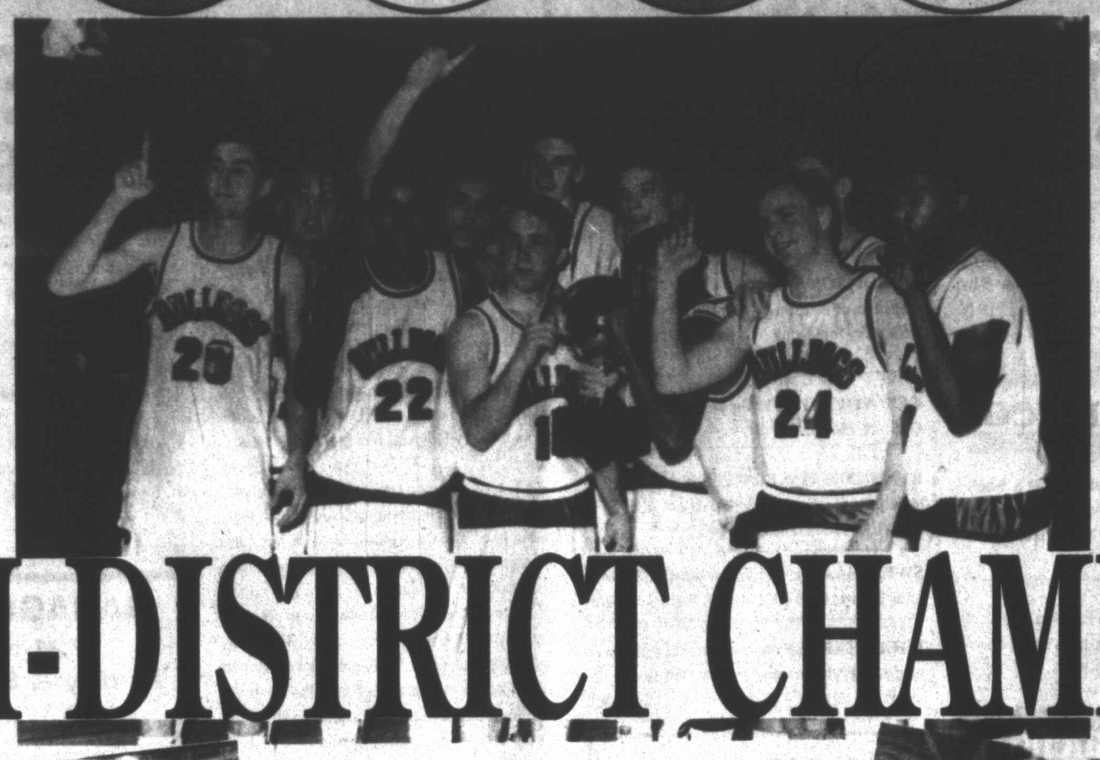
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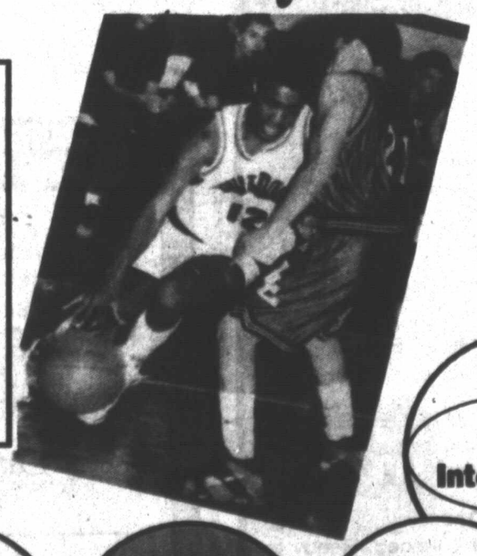


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THANK YOU!

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Coach Troy Hinds
Coach Cory Barnes
and the entire Varsity Boys Basketball Team

GO Bulldogs!