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'AROLYN'S CLATTER

by Carolyn Klaus

nksgiving Day has been around for so years that people tend to take it for d so to speak and don't acutally ntrate on the whole idea behind the day. st usually the thing that gets the most ion is the meal, preparation and eating. rica stuffs themselves and then sit back relax and sometimes even forget to say a er of thanksgiving for anything.

anksgiving is one of the most important in my year and it could never be lete without attending church to start the After that my family and I usually treat day much the same as everyone, eating reals and enjoying each others company. e of the greatest days to be with family

to consider the real meaning of sgiving Day and give thanks for ng we have may come as a shock to ople. It's easy to be thankful for the ngs in life, such as a birth, a good our country's peace and that we

ly escaped the accident yesterday. what about the little things that are rgotten. One might be thankful that an hear the children fighting. Hearing is derful gift and we sometimes forget not

one enjoys that gift. ng thankful that I am capable of bending and picking up all those many toys and left on the floor by forgetful children.

anking God for being able to read the test ook even if you didn't do so well on it. at about being thankful that you can feel hurting feet. Some never have feeling in legs and feet anymore.

escent of freshly baking yeast breads can you thankful you can smell the aroma on't have to pass it by all your life.

en there are sick children or family bers, what about being thankful for the is that treat them and that you are le of seeking help for them.

one could be more thankful than the wed person who stands in the ice and and listens to the quiet God can provide. hat about being thankful for being a part sports team even if you lose the game. thankful you can run, jump, pass the make a shot, wash the team's clothes and up the locker room. Not everyone is ble of any or all of these feats but we tend te them for granted.

ese are some prayers of thanksgiving for consider at this time of year and maybe make us all more aware of how bountiful gifts are instead of always complaining e cannot do more.

Hires New nician.

Bill' Bucermann

The Soil Conservation Service has hired a new Techinician to work at the Tahoka Field office. He is John W. "Bill" Bueermann Bureemann and he will fill the position vacated by Don Tumlinson.

Bill is a 1977 graduate of Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona and is single. He is presntly looking for a place to live in Tahoka.

He is a grandson of Mrs. Carl Williams and his mother is the former Juanita Williams of the Draw Community.

We are glad to have Bill on our staff and look forward to a good work season so he can get a lot of good training before planting time next

Cotton Harvest Slow In County Compared To Last Year Thanksgiving Day Is A Joyous Family Holiday

That Is Spent In Feasting & Religious Observances For Most Americans Everywhere ruled that after 1941 the 5th

The very first Thanksgiving Day was held in 1621 in Plymouth by the Pilgrim Fathers. They were giving thanks for the prosperous crops and good health of the people. The winter had been extremely hard and killed many of the pilgrims but with the harvest of the good corn crop there was more

Today Thanksgiving is traditionally a family day of religious observance and feasting. Families all over the country will gather around tables for the noon meal and celebrate. It is one of the best times of the year because no matter what is going on in your life there is something to be thankful about. Sometimes we may have to search because our minds are busy with many

things but they are all there. The first official decree or act centered around Thanksgiving came in from Governor Bradford when he

Cotton Assoc. Meeting Set For Dec. 4

The Lynn County Cotton Association will have a meeting on December 4 at 2 p.m. in the Tahoka Pioneer

A Christmas program will be given by Margie Nettles and Tim Tippit, owner of Flowers Today, will show Christmas decorations.

The Cotton Club will also have items there to sell for your Christmas giving

Cancer Society Volunteer **Transportation**

District three of the American Cancer Society is establishing a Volunteer Service Transportation Program for this area. The basic program idea is to train local volunteers who will be willing to transport cancer patients to Lubbock.

The training of these specialized volunteers is extremely important because the drivers will be dealing with cancer patients undergoing treatment. The drivers will need to know how to care for the patient during the trip as well as organize their personal timetable to that of the

patients. The Lynn County Unit is asked to recruit at least four volunteer drivers. The volunteer driver will need to have a valid Texas Drivers License, liability insurance and be willing to be trained and to transport cancer patients.

The training for the Volunteer Transportation will be on Thursday, November 30 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with lunch included. It will be held in the George Brewer Assembly Room on the eighth floor of Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Anyone interested in attending this training program should contact Johnny Wells, Lynn County Service and Rehabilitation Chairman.

By Carolyn Klaus declared July 30, 1623, a special day set aside for special prayers as well as celebrations

Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, the editor of Godey's Lady's Book, worked for 30 years to promote the idea of a national Thanksgiving Day. Then President Lincoln proclaimed the last Thursday in November, 1863, as "a day of thanksgiving and praise to our beneficent

Father" Each year afterward, for 75 years, each President made official proclamations that the 4th Thursday of November be Thanksgiving Day. But in 1939, President Roosefelt set it one week earlier. He wanted to help business by lengthening the shopping period before Christmas. Congress finally

Zesty New Ideas For Christmas

Are you tired of the same old Ho-Ho-Ho Christmas? If so, Cheer Up! You are cordially invited to attend Zesty New Ideas for Christmas '

It will be held in the Lynn County Museum on December 5, at 2 p.m. and is sponsored by the Tahoka The program will consist

of "Food Processing & Microwave Cooking for Christmas" by Lu Lane; 'Crafts to See and/or Buy' by Pioneer Club and Karen Durham; and "Christmas Decorations" by Margaret Ashcraft.

Extension programs are open to all persons regardless of race, color, creed, sex, age, religion or national

be a legal holiday. The day was traditionally considered a religious holiday but in 1789 the Episcopal church recognized the civil government's authority to set the date for the

Thursday of November

would be observed as

Thanksgiving Day and would

the same thing.

By Carolyn Klaus

The cotton crops in Lynn County that had a hard time with the weather this year are at harvest stage now but the weather is still interfering and making the harvest a slow and drawn out affair.

Farmers and ginners alike complain that the harvest will be skimmpy this year but with only a few good weeks of harvest weather there have already been 29,035 bales harvested in the county. Last year, being an exceptional year, at this time the county had harvested 171,600 bales at this time but the weather had been

holiday and in 1888 the Roman Catholic church did

(see Thanksgiving, page 9) agreeable and harvest was in **U.S. Postal Service To Enforce** New Regulation Size Mail

meeting.

Implementation of new minimum-size mail standards will take place next March or April, the U.S. Postal Service said recently.

The same effective date will be used to implement a surcharge for oversized mail--a matter now pending before the Postal Rate

The Postal Service had previously stated that the minimum-size stand a r d would become effective "not before November 30, 1978" but now have set a definite date. The Board decided, at the

recommendation of the Postmaster General William F. Bolger, to defer the minimum-size standards to avoid any unnecessary complication during the Christmas mailing season and to allow major mailers a final opportunity to prepare for the change.

Currently, the independent Postal Rate Commission is considering the Postal Service's proposal for a 13-cent surcharge for oversized mail and has until February 25 to act on it. The

high and 111/2 inches long and more than 1/4 inch thick. Assuming PRC action around that date, the Board of Governors would consider setting the specific implementation date at its March

The minimum-size standards, which apply to all classes of mail, establish that envelopes and cards measuring less than 31/2 inches high or 5 inches long and certain other items that can jam machinery and damage other mail will not be accepted. Also, the new requirements call for a thickness of at least .007 of

thickness of .009 of an inch. The new standards for oversized or nonstandard mail allow that mail to be accepted, but to be subject to the surcharge under consideration by the Postal Rate Commission.

an inch. Postal cards have a

In discussing the decision to put the implementation date off until early 1979, Bolger noted there have been a number of appeals for extensions of the minimm-

(see Postal, page 5)

full swing. The total for this year is minus two gins that could not be reached for the

In line with the spotty crops, the totals at the various gins are the same. The totals ranged from 4901 bales at one gin to 300 at the other end of the scale. Those areas hailed out earlier in

the season are among the lower totals. The gins generally reported the grades were coming back pretty good but the staple length was short. Surprising to some is the fact that very little of the cotton is coming in barky. As expected by many, the price in low, about 42 cents above the loan

High Plains Marketing Services Offices graded 37,000 samples this week, bringing the season's total to 174,000. This compares with 1,209,000 graded by November 16 last year, according to USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service.

Santa Comes To Tahoka Via The Fire Truck

Thursday, November 30, at 6:30 p.m., Santa Claus will arrive in Tahoka, via the Volunteer Fire Department Truck, officially beginning the Christmas season in Tahoka.

The "snowman" will be lighted on the courthouse square and six pole decorations will be placed around the square and the memorial triangle. The snowman and pole decorations were purchased by the city with funds raised by the Chamberettes and is just a beginning to our downtown decorations.

The ladies Handbell Choir from the Methodist Church and the Puppet Team from First Baptist will entertain. Plan to be there November

Predominant High Plains grades this week were grade 41 at 20 percent, grade 51 was 13 percent, grade 42 accounted for 39 percent. and grade 52 was 12 percent. Seven percent were reduced one grade because of bark.

Staple lengths were most ly staple ?1 at 22 percent. staple 32 was 34 percent and staple 33 accounted for 23 percent.

Micronaire was mostly in the desireable 3.5-4.9 range at 88 percent of the total. One percent was higher and 11 percent was lower.

Breaking strength averaged 87,000 pounds per square Gins paid growers \$115 to

\$130 dollards per ton for cottonseed.

Stewart Rice Wins Second In Art Show

Stewart Rice, from New Home, entered the Gaines County Art Show in Seminole on November 17-19th and was awarded a second place for his metal windmill and was chosen as a purchase prize.

The show consisted of approximately 200 entries and it was quiet an honor to receive such an award.

The windmill was purchased at the 2nd Annual Gaines County Art Show and was bought by that county's art association and will be placed on display in the new Gaines County Museum.

The windmill stands about 12 to 16 inches tall and is one of many designed and constructed by Mr. Rice.

Rice has been an area artist for many years and enters art shows in several Texas cities. He likes to work in the land of "Cowboy Art" and is presently beginning some work in bronze casting as well as his usual paintings and metal sculptures.

For 26 Harvick Been Referee

By Carolyn Klaus

A great many people have obbies that fill many leisure ours and Robert Harvick ertainly spends his share of ime with his hobby. His lobby is unique in that it is nore active than those ought by the majority of the

For twenty-six years he nas been the man in the striped uniform that is respected by some and jeered by others. He is a referee in the Southwest Conference Officials Assoc-

> He started out by officiating in Junior High and Junior varsity games (just like all other officials) as an apprentice for one year. He originally started at he job because he like the game and one thing led to

This hobby is similiar to others in that the longer you stay at it the more advanced you become. Nearly each level (division) of the referee ladder takes at least four ears of experience to attain. With each division rating comes seniority and bigger class games. Harvick is presently a Division 1

referee, which is the highest level.

The Association fills each official's schedule for him

but he has the opportunity to decline a game. Harvick said, "You don't turn down too many though." They also take into consideration whether an official would like to watch his own children play ball.

"I missed very few of the boys games because of refereeing," Harvick explained. There are enough games played from Thursday to Saturday that they can sually work things out for

Usually Harvick travels an average of 200 miles to and from games. Most officials do not work games in their own county or area because it's too easy for fans to accuse them of being biased. Presently he averages 2 games a week.

'An official has to really hustle to stay on top of the game and make good calls,' Harvick says. The only time an official really gets into

trouble is when he is not sure of the rules. The player has the right of way and sometimes it's hard to get out of his way. It's those

times they don't get away when injuries occur for the

Harvick's injuries have all been minor ones so far and he was able to heal in a week's time. All his injuries

have been during football games where he mans the umpire official's position. He used to call basketball games but gave that up in

As a Division 1 referee he usually calls class A school games. He could call college games but other than the annual Shrine Bowl game he limits that to two or three each year. He prefers to call for Class 4A schools because the atheletes are better, the fans are more well behaved and there are less penalities.

"High school games are more fun to call because you get closer to the atheletes," Harvick explains. Since liking to be around kids is one of the reasons for his continuing so diligently with his hobby the reasoning makes sense.

"If somebody goes into the business of refereeing because of the money, he'll be disappointed," Harvick warns. At his present level

ears

and considering his travel he estimates his pay to amount to 25 cents an hour. Even college officials only make \$1.50 to \$2.00 per hour.

Going to the games is not the only requirement for being a referee. Every Tuesday night from August to the end of the season he attends a meeting in an effort to keep himself

During the work week Robert Harvick works for Farm Bureau Insurance. He and his wife Janette, a 5th

grade teacher in Tahoka, have raised 3 sons: Gordon, 26, is a vocational agricultural teacher in Borger; Robin, 24, works for CRC Western Wire Line Co. in

Big Lake; and Mike, 19, is a Freshman at Grayson County Junior College in Denison on a golf scholarship.

Harvick's love for the game of football and his concern for high schoolers will probably keep him refereeing for a long time.



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TAHOKA SCHOOL MENU

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esday: BREAKFAST; buttered toast with juice and milk. CH: Sliced turkey. d potatoes, seasoned beans, hot rolls and ello salad

sday: BREAKFAST: d donuts, pear halves ilk. LUNCH: Pizza, ed corn, tossed salad d peaches.

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versity. ard consists of 12 with most of them m very large towns eral from various es. It is quiet an be appointed to this and especially since alston represents a town and school n comparison with rs on the board. The presented on the are San Angelo, Abilene, Tahoka,

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Lubbock (1 from Tech & 1 from school district) Arlington, San Antonio, and

Houston. The duties of the board will be to visit Sul Ross for four days and check into and observe their university and then evaluate it. Coulston will leave sometime in December.

Tahoka has a superintendent of high caliber if he is even considered for such boards. The town and school system should be proud of

Tahoka Concession **Stand Workers**

November 27-5:30-First. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Draper and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks; Second, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roseberry and Mr. and Mrs. John Draper.

November 28 - 4:00-J.V. Boys & Girls & Varsity Boys & Girls-First, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chancy and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lawson; Second, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ehlers and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Reid; Third, Mr. and Mrs. John Valentine and Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Henry, and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Botkin: Fourth, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jolly, and Mr. and Mrs.

Gerald Moore. November 30-December 1-December 2- Tahoka 7th Grade Tournament.

Tahoka

Booster Club met in the school cafeteria on Novem-Barham presided.

present a T.H.S. Spirit Jug to the cheerleaders at the pep rally on Wednesday.

Tahoka and Post game.

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By Darryl Stotts The Tahoka Bulldogs moved into a four way tie for the district title by beating Slaton 7-3. Tahoka, Frenship, Seminole, and Slaton all tied for first place with 5-2 records. A draw was held after the game. Slaton won it and gained the right to represent District 5-AA in

the state playoffs.

Day Care **Center Leaders** Set Meeting

Anyone interested in furthering a day care center in Tahoka that would serve the whole county should attend a second planning meeting set for Monday, November 27, at 7:30 p.m. in the First National Bank

meeting room in Tahoka. The groups is still seeking a place to house the day care center and other criteria for organizing such a venture.

Tahoka Basketball **Gets Started**

The freshmen girls started their season off with a bang as they defeated Morton Monday night.

Leading the Bulldogs was Lynia Payne with 12 points. Also scoring for the Bulldogs was Debbie Bailey with 7 points, Andra Draper with 5 oints, Danette Phillips with and Rebecca Sosa with

Leading the girls in rebounds was Bailey with 7 Payne with 6, Draper with 3, Phillips, Vega, Alvarado each with 2 rebounds. The

final score was 27-8. The junior varsity girls also played Monday night against Morton. The girls ended up on botton but never the less they played a

hard-fought good game. Leading them was Sheri Tomlinson with 11 points, also scoring was Nancy Lawson with 7 points and Charlene Bryson and Lisa

Perkins each with 2 points. Leading in rebounds was Nancy Lawson with 17 rebounds, Bryson with 8, Perkins and Tomlinson both with 3 and Jerrie Beth McKibben with one. The final score was 22-24.

By Andra Draper

Slaton received the opening kickoff but the Bulldog defense forced them to punt. The Tigers recovered the Bulldog fumble yet once again had to punt. Clifford Oages blocked the kick in Bulldog territory. Oages ran up the middle for five yards on the first

play. Tracy White outran the Tiger defenders for 23 yards on the next play. The Bulldogs fumbled the ball on the seven yard line. Slaton drove the ball downfield 51 yards before giving it up once again.

The Bulldogs once again knocked on the goalline door. Tahoks marched the ball 55 yards to the fourteen yard line. On fourth and 12 Todd Brown tossed a short screen pass to White who gained 11 yards and was 1 yard shy of the first. The first half ended without anyone scoring.

The Tigers scored with 7:22 remaining in the third quary r. Jesse Titus kicked a 42 yard field goal that barely crept over the goal post.

The Bulldogs looked as if they were going to score once again but were stopped inside the twenty after a 65 yard drive. Slaton could not move the ball and was forced to punt. The Bulldogs returned the favor but recovered a Tiger fumble on the 18 yard line on the next

Jerry Hatchett ran the ball to the one vard line. On third down Hatchett jumped over the goalline for the score. Kevin Elmore kicked the extra point and with 8;28 remaining Tahoka led 7-3. Slaton drove the ball down field inside the twenty

before giving it up. On a fine defensive effort White sacked the Tiger back for a four yard loss. Tahoka fumbled the ball a few plays later on the ten yard line. Hatchett came up with a interception with close to a minute remaining. The Bulldogs let the clock run down. The final score was Tahoka 7, Slaton 3.

The Bulldogs ended the year 7-3. This is the second year in a row Tahoka has tied

for the district crown. White led Tahoka offensively with 96 yards. Hatchett was next with 77. He had a season total of 1069 vards. Clifford Bailey had a 61/2 game total of 1143. He has not be able to suit up

since the Denver City game. Defensively, Carlton Ash had 15 tackles. Clifford Oages, Britt Dockery and Roddy Brooks all had 14 each. Cal Hffaker and White had 11. Rayford Harris had 10 and 128 for the season. Dockery had 127 for the season. Clifford Oages and Jerry Hatchett led the team with 4 interceptions each for

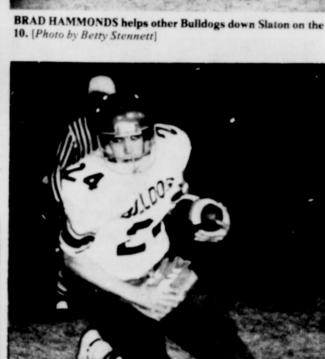
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JERRY HATCHETT receives help from a Tahoka teammate as he rushes for yardage. [Photo by Betty Stennett]



TODD BROWN on the keeper. [Photo by Betty Stennett]

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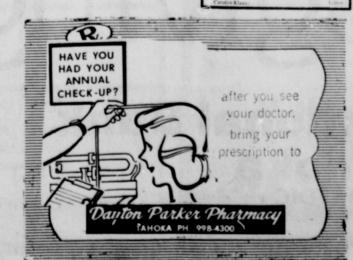
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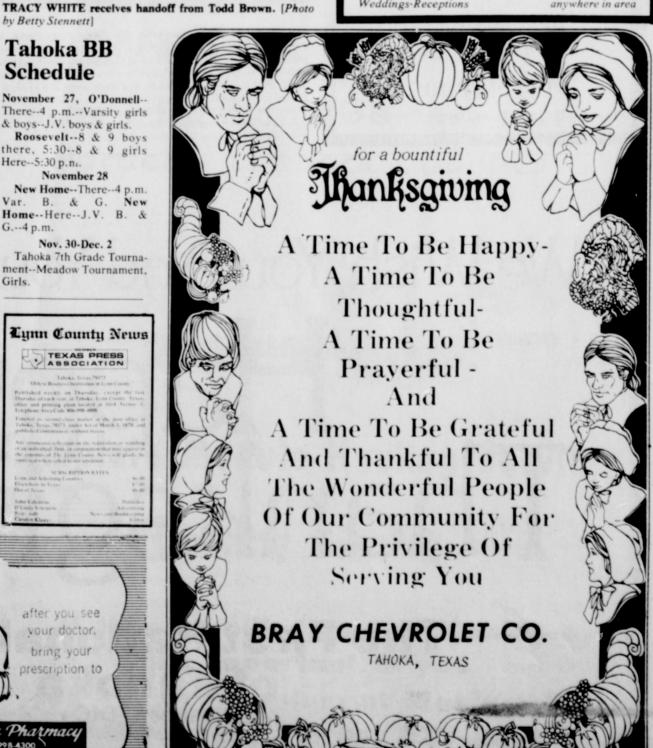
November 27, O'Donnell-There--4 p.m.--Varsity girls & boys -- J.V. boys & girls. Roosevelt -- 8 & 9 boys there, 5:30--8 & 9 girls Here--5:30 p.n.

November 28 New Home--There--4 p.m. Var. B. & G. New Home--Here--J.V. B. & G .-- 4 p.m

Nov. 30-Dec. 2 Tahoka 7th Grade Tournament--Meadow Tournament, Girls.

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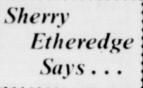
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AROUND TOWN By Leona Waldrip

After having spent several days in West Texas Hospital recently, Mrs. Lela Wood is recouperating at the home of her daughter, Vera Mae Harston, in the Slide community.

Visiters in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Birdwell last week were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Birdwell of Athens.

Recent visitors in the Jim Turner home were her parents from Rising Star.

Visiting the George Glenn family last week was her mother, Mrs. Jewel Tomlinson from Lubbock. The Glenns recently took Mrs. Tomlinson to Odessa for a visit with the newest grandson, to be exact the 16th grandchild. He was born October 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tomlinson and has been named Robert Lewis. Incidently, the child is the first grandchild on his mother's side.

Mrs. Tinnie Meeks, Mrs. LaVern Meeks and daughter. Karen, attended a bridal shower Saturday night in Shaddock, Oklahoma, honoring Karen.

The affair was held in the fellowship hall of St. Paul's congregational church there. Karen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Othell Meeks, will be married December 22 in Tahoka to Jay Kelln. He is a student at Texas Tech.

Mrs. Annie Bell Stice and her daughter, Mary Bell Owens of Post, went to Eastland Saturday and spent the night with mother and grandmother Mrs. Eunice Clemments. They attended funeral services Sunday for an aunt, Mrs. Blanch Dayton. She was 85 years old and passed away Friday. Service were at Temple Baptist Church at 2:30 and burial was in Potsi Ceme-

Mary Cunningham of Anson was in Tahoka last week, visiting friends. She is currently in Lubbock with a granddaughter who had recent surgery. Mary plans to go back to Anson this week. She moved from Tahoka about a year ago.

Rebekah's still have a few bags of pecans to sell. Please call in your orders soon as these are going fast. Don't be caught short on your Christmas baking!

Lynn County Pioneer Club held it's annual Thanksgiving dinner and birthday party on Monday night, November 20. About 35 persons attended. Board members were special guests. Turkey and dressing with all the trimmings was served and there was a short program.

It was just 3 years ago that the Club had it's beginning

when a group met at the Community Center to organize. Since then the Club chose a name, acquired a building of their own and have made much progress in sponsoring a multi-purpose center for the over 60's. Mrs. Thelma Dewbre is

spending the Thanksgiving holiday with her brother and wife, the Opie Bowdens, in Shreveport, Louisiana. Teddie Kelley left Monday

to spend the holiday in Abilene with relatives. Mrs. Eunice Sales of Post, Route 3, underwent surgery in Methodist Hospital on Thursday. She is in Room E

463. She is a sister of V. P.

Carter, and formerly lived in

the New Lynn community. The November birthday party for members will be held at Senior Citizens Center on Friday, November 24, at 3 p.m. There are five

Taylor and Cordie will be hostesses. There will be a

directors meeting o day night at 7 important that all membes be there as it reorganization tim terms of office will be All board meetings are to the public so feel attend if you are in in Senior Citizens, T regular luncheon Friday, December 1

Laws-Andri Wedding To November 2

Mr. and Mrs. Dea of Grassland annou approaching marri their daughter, Cynt to Johnnie Lee And of Dr. and Mrs. Andrus of Anson.

The ceremony place at the Tahok National Bank Party on Wednesday, N 22, at 8 p.m.



MRS. CARROLL EDWARDS, 83, received a real Monday, November 20, which was her birthday. She a birthday card from the White House that was sig Rosalynn and Jimmy Carter and carried the White seal. The card read, "You have our warmest co and best wishes as you celebrate your birthday. We ho the year ahead will bring you special happiness.

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presented a new business plaque by Winston Wharton,

president of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce. The business

is located at 1313 Lockwood and handles all Napa tools and

parts. Whitley, his wife Glenda and their son have recently

moved to Tahoka from Post where he held a similar position.

Whitley is a 1969 graduate of Tahoka High School. Flanigan

Auto Parts has been open since November 1 and plans a

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OBITUARIES

Services for Seth Horn, 88, of Tahoka were at 2 p.m. Sunday, November 19, in Tahoka's First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jim Turner, pastor, officiating.

Masonic graveside service were held at Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home.

Horn died Thursday afternoon in Lynn County Hospital after a short illness.

He was born on September 1, 1890, in Sunset. Arkansas, and attended school there.

He married Lenore Sherwood on July 19, 1930 and she passed away May, 1971. He moved to Tahoka about

a year ago from Irran after

retiring from the Phillips 66 Oil Company. Horn was a member of the First Christian Church in Irran, a member of the

Easter Star and the Masonic Lodge, and was a veteran of World War I. Survivors include one daughter. Lucille Wright of Tahoka; one sister. Effie

Hutchens of Tulsa, Oklahoma; one brother, R. M. Horn of Wellington; three grandchildren; and six great-Pallbearers were L. A.

Forsythe, John Shoas, Rush Dudgeon, Danny Wright, Bill Wright and Lee Ayers. Honorary pallbear e r s

were members of the

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THE GROUP ATTENDING the annual Phebe K. Warner Study Club luncheon for Senior Citizens.



A PANEL OF SENIOR CITIZENS, (left to right) Mrs. Bernice Roberts, Mrs. Lady Stewart, Frank Hill, and Belton Howell, were questioned by Mrs. Beth Huffaker about "the good old days" at the annual Phebe K. luncheon for Senior Citizens.

Phebe K. Warner Study Club Hosts Senior Citizen Luncheon

About one-hundred people attended the annual dinner and program sponsored by Phebe K. Warner Club for Senior Citizens and Lynn County pioneers last Tuesday in Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church

Following a noon luncheon served by the club ladies.

TAHOKA WATER HAS BEEN COLLECTED AND TESTED RECENTLY

The City of Tahoka collected eleven bacteriological samples exceeded the Texas Department of Health's "Drinking Water Standards' , which were promulgated as required by the "Safe Drinking Water Act". Public Law 93-523. Drinking water containing coliform bacteria in excess of the standard may consitute a potential threat to public health. Your water system has collected additional check samples as required by the Drinking water

that there was a sampling error when taking the samples. Coliform organisms are common to the intestinal tract of man and animals. Their presence in water is an indicator of bacteriological contamination of the sample

standards on August 31,

1978 and all samples came

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either from the water system or from a sampling error. Increased monitoring and customer notification of the public when the standards are exceeded are required by law as a means of keeping the public informed. Results of the samples taken during the month in question may

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Mrs. Mike Huffaker presided over a program reminiscent of earlier days. She posed questions about "the good old days" to a panel composed of Mrs. Bernice Roberts, Mrs. Lady Stewart. Belton Howell and Frank Hill, with several in the audience volunteering comments about the days "that were not so good.

Mrs. W. H. Kenley gave the invocation, Mrs. Huffaker the welcome, and County Judge V. F. Jones the response. County Home Demonstration Agent Sherry Etheredge led the group in singing some of the old time religious songs as Mrs. Harold Green accompanied at the piano.

A quartet of ladies, Leta Warren, Sherry Etheredge, Margaret Carter, and Betty Owens, sang a song dedicated to the pioneer citizens of Tahoka. It was to the tune of the Yellow Rose of Texas and the words were written by Chloie Jan Wells. Mrs. Newton Starnes pronounced the benediction.

The annal event is looked forward to by many of the local elderly people.

Postal Service

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size standards from utility companies in order for them to have more time to change their billing systems to a format which produces bills of a mailable size. He said deferral of the effective date would provide "one final warning.

Thanksgiving Dinner Is A Huge Success Earning \$1250

noon was a hug success. The ladies served around 450 plates, adding \$1250 to the fund for Christmas decora-

A fund raising drive such as this can only be successful with the help of the community. The school cafeteria ladies, Mozelle Smith, Laura Stice, Arcilio Vasquez, Mona Sosa, Lupe Garcia, and Trutie Schuknect, deserve a very special "thank you" for donating their time and for their excellent talents in preparing the turkey, dressing and hot rolls. Phebe K. Warner Study

Club, Methodist Guild, Eastern Star, Ladies Golf Association and the Home Demonstrations Clubs were civic groups responsible for the yams, beans and desserts. The turkeys were donated by Rim Rock Grocery, Piggly Wiggly, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hegi, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fenton, Mrs. Lady Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Huffaker, Mr. and Mrs. Truiett Smith, Mrs. Coye Collier, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin.

Men and Women, Mr. and Mrs. Othell Meeks, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bartley, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Embree. Tahoka Food Mart, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Dudgeon, Mrs. Leo Dulin, Mr. and Mrs. J.

W. Owens. A large host of individuals, too numerous to mention, were responsible for the delicious salads.

The students working. running, serving and doing everything else they were told were from the Future Homemakers of America and the Student Council. They were Ronnie Craig, Yvette Payne, Suzy Lawson, Doug Barham, Cindy Lawson, Curt Terry, Sheri Tomlinson, Rajeania House, Elma Antu, Sarah Marez. Nancy Lawson, Karen Stewart, Cindy Chancy, Michelle Long, Dustie Cook and Perry Dunlap. Other youths helping were Luke Dunlap and Beverly Edwards.

The Chamberettes want to thank each of those who helped make the dinner a success and to Margaret Ashcraft from the House of Flowers for decorations and the Tahoka school for the use

Bobby Follis Sentenced For Poka-Lambro Burglary

The second man indicted for burglary of the Poka-Lambro Telephone Company's Aten exchange a year ago was sentenced to not more than five years in the Texas Department of Corrections penitentiary Friday.

Bobby Follis, 20, was given the sentence of not less than two years nore more than five years by 106th District Judge George H. Hansard after Follis had entered a plea of guilty to the indictment last week.

Follis had been indicted on May 19 along with Charles Moore, 22, in connection with the burglary and vandalism done to the unattended Aten Exchange on November 4, 1977 which has been estimated at \$104,000.

A third man, Randy Brewer, 18, was arrested with Follis and Moore but was granted immunity from prosection for testifying against Follis and Moore.

Follis entered the guilty plea one year and two days after the incident and waived the right to trial by jury and the right of appeal.

Judge Hansard accepted the plea during a session in Lynn County which is also within the 106th District. November 17 was set as the day for sentencing for Follis.

Follis was given credit for one day of jail time.

Last month, on October 24. Moore entered a plea of 'no contest" to the indictment of burglary against him and he was

sentenced to 10 years in the Texas Department of Corrections. Judge Hansard probated that sentence and fined Moore \$2,000 after finding him guilty as

Sales Tax Rebated To **Texas Cities**

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Wednesday said Texas cities will receive \$19.8 million as their November share of the local option one percent sales tax.

Money that Texas cities will receive this month total slightly less than last month's rebate, but the yearly total is about \$42 million ahead payments made over the same period

The sales tax is collected by merchants and other sales tax permit holdes along with the state sales tax and is rebated monthly to cities in which it is collected by the Comptroller's Office.

O'Donnell's net payment for this period is \$708.61; their net payment the same period last year was \$1,688.52; their 1978 payments to date are \$9.663.50: and their 1977 payments to

date are \$10,357.41. Tahoka's net payment this period was \$1,151.96; their net payment the same period last year was \$2,839.31; their 1978 payments to date were \$36,636.50; and their 1977 payments to date are \$32,904.79.

Wilson's 1978 payments to date total \$2,985.93 and their 1977 payments to date are \$2,884.47

Letter To Editor

Letters to the editor do not necessarily express the views of this newspaper. All corresondence must be signed and in good taste before it will be published; however, the writer may request that his name be withheld. Letters are not edited as to grammar, punctuation, and spelling.

THANKSGIVING

Psalm 116:1-19 (V. 17) One might wonder how the early colonists with their many plights among the

Indians and frontier life could stop and give thanks unto the Lord. One has only to remember that these were men and

women who had just won freedom of conscience by coming to America where religious freedom has remained present unto this

Having escaped the religious persecution and pressures of the religious hierarchy of Europe they found frontier freedom a

spiritual blessing above the pressure of the old world.

Those who survived were of special character. The kind that stops to say Thank you Lord.

We are not really hindered. today by those minorities who don't believe. There is no real pressure on us to or not to say "Thank you

As some of my students in another institution asked once, "Mr. Scott, why can't we have prayer?'

Thank you God for students like these! (Psalm 95, Psalm 100)

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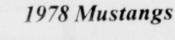
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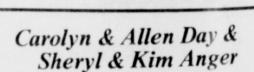
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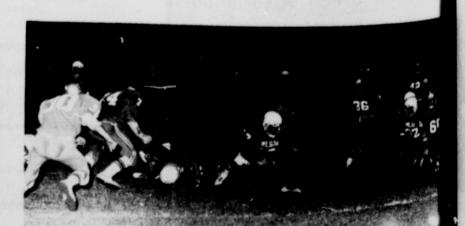
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Among those initiated were Tonya Houchin, Tonda Klaus, Sheryl Angerer, Renie Finnell, Melinda Castro, Norma Cantu, and Ginger Kimbrell.

To foster an interest in stamp collecting through sharing of stamps, a club has been formed sponsored by Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Wolfforth, fifth grade teachers. The Ben Franklin Stamp Club will meet Wednesday mornings at 8:30 a.m. in Mrs. Graham's room, twice monthly with guest speakers, field trips, and interesting activities planned. New officers are: President, Wade Graham; Vice-President, Vicki Stein-

hauser; Secretary, Tammy Riojas. Each student who joins the club will be given a 1978 Stamp Albm furnished by the U.S. Postal Service and will have a chance to work on the various degrees in stamp collecting. Those interested should contact Mrs. Graham or Mrs. Wolfforth

The Wilson FFA members have been selling magazines and tapes for the past few weeks as one of their annual projects. The top salesman was Robbie Autry. Other high ranking pitchmen were Ricky Stone and Quintin Talkmitt. Point winners were Randy Hall and Joel Clary.

The next project will be involved in the selling of oranges and grapefruit. Contact any member for further information.



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FFA officers for the 1978-79 school year are: President, Randy Moczy-Vice - president,

gemba: Quintin Talkmitt; Secretary, Joel Clary; Treasurer, Robbie Autry; Reporter, Debbie Finnell; and Sentinel, Donald Freitag.

Special winners in some "Strange" categories for the annual were announced as follows: Out-to-lunch, Tracy Ray and Robert Ortiz; Most Talkative, Stephanie Cook and Randy Steinhauser; Biggest Flirt, Cindy Slone and David Weaver; and Most Unpredictable, Jill Crews and Quintin Talkmitt.

The junior high basketball teams opened play Monday night with two victories over Union junio high. The boys won 34-26 with Sammy Nava scoring 10 points. In the girls game Terry Nolte led her teammates with 8 points to take a close 23-22 victory

Both teams will play at Smyer, Monday, November 27 starting at 4:30.

Five Wilson Mustangs played their final game for the Blue and White last Friday night at Snyder against the Jayton Jaybirds. They have all done a fine job this year.

Dan Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cox, played runningback and defensive linebacker for the Mustangs. Dan lost his junior year elgibility because of his move to Wilson but was an important player this year. Dan closed out his season by playing a good ballgame last Friday night. He scored the Mustangs second touchdown of the evening. For the year Dan scored 12 points, rushed for 382 yards, and had 95 tackles.

Mike Nettles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Nettles, was the Mustang quarterback and one of the captains for the team. At the beginning of the season Mike was labeled the 'senior quarterback with the sophomore experience" because he was inelgible to play varsity ball his sophomore year due to the fact that his family just moved to the Wilson district. Then he suffered a sever back injury in the third ballgame of the season his junior year and was out the rest of that season. But no one can question Mike's ability or experience now as he proved to be one of the best quarterbacks in the district. He was free safety on defense and had 44 tackles. He scored 58 points, rushed for 396 yards, and passed for 750 yards. He was

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also the Mustang punter. Randy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith, played defensive tackle for the Mustangs. Randy did not come out for football until his junior year but did an outstanding job both years. Randy was one of those linemen who got very little individual recognition but not because he did not earn it. Randy always did his job and was a very dependable and necessary player. He played one of his best ballgames last Friday night as he had 17 tackles in that one ballgame. For the year CALVIN WILKE has time to pass after Mike Nettles blocks Randy had 51 tackles. out a Jaybird. [Photo by The Slatonite]

Lucio Trevino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Romulo Trevino, was the split end and leading pass receiver for the Mustangs. Lucio caught several exciting and crucial passes this season that often kept the Mustangs in the ballgame. The one everyone will always remember is his final catch for the season-an 87 yard touchdown pass while surrounded by three Jaybirds, two of which he had to outrun for the last 50 yards. For the year, Lucio caught passes for 648 yards and scored 76 points in touchdowns and extra point kicks. He was a very important defensive corner player who had 109 tackles for the year. Lucio also kicked-off for the Mustangs.

Calvin Wilke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilke, was a Mustang captain and tailback. Calvin was the leading rusher for the Mustangs and gained recognition throughout the season for his fine running ability. He was a runningback who gave all he had each time he carried the ball and then gave some more. Calvin rushed for 1170 total yards. received 100 yards in passes. and scored 82 points in touchdowns, extra points and a field goal. As a defensive player, Calvin was equally important as he played striker and had 90 tackles for the year. Calvin was an all-around ball player for the Mustangs throughout his Mustang career.

These five boys and their Mustang teammates were the 1978 3-B West Zone Champions losing the district title to Jayton 21-20 in the final seconds of the ballgame. They may not have won as many gold footballs or titles as they had hoped to this year but they were still winners. They have won a place in the hearts of the Wilson community and fans that will never die. They have the many memories of an outstanding season filled with exciting ballgames. They have the knowledge that they have represented themselves, their school and their community to the best of their ability both on and off the playing field throughout the year. They have learned the true meaning of football and other sports-not just the winning and losing-but the unity and pride that they gained in the working and sharing together of their common goals. They always gave their best effort and never let up. It was a fine season and we are proud of each of you 1978 Wilson Mustangs.

Girl Scouts Plant A Terrarium

Wilson Girl Scout Troop 286 had it's regular meeting Friday morning at 7:45 at the scout hut.

The main part of the meeting was the planting of a terrarium, with plants and container furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Steinhauser. to fulfill a requirement for a

Those attending were Tonda Klaus, Tonya Houchin, Waynell Little, Lisa Steinhauser, Deedie Daniell and Mrs. Carolyn Klaus.

Plans were discussed about how to raise more money for their trip to Switzerland which is several years away but needs a lot of money.

INTRODUCING

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Stegemoeller, of Lubbock, announce the arrival of a

daughter, Stephanie Denise. The little girl was born November 19 and weighed 7 pounds and 9 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Payne of Tahoka.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stege moeller of Sagerton.

they got it together and came out determined to play ball the second half.

On the second down of the Jaybirds first possession they fumbled to give the Mustangs the ball on the 32. Wilson picked up 2 first downs before a 4th and 6 situation where quarterback Mike Nettle threw a screen pass to Calvin Wilke for the first. The next play Wilke rushed in to score from 5 yards out with 7:59 on the clock in the ghird qarter. Nettles ran for the 2 and brought the score 15-8.

The Jaybirds were forced to punt on their next possession by the tough Mustang defense and Wilke was there to run the 40 yards needed for the toughdown only to have it called back. With the ball on the 23 the Mustangs picked up 2 first downs before runningback Dan Cox went over from the 1 yard line with 2:53 showing in the thrid quarter. Wilke's two-point run was just short of the goal line so the Mustangs remained behind

The Jaybirds again were forced to punt 4 plays later and the Mustang offense began their next drive only to fumble on the 36 turning the ball over to Jayton with 11:26 remaining in the ballgame. The Jaybirds picked up 4 first downs. drove to the 9 yard line and fumbled on a 4th and five

Wilke had two 12 yard runs to get his teammates out of the hole only to be placed 5 yards back when motion penalty was called. A fumble and loss of 6 cause the Mustangs to punt-the snap was again high ye Nettles got the kick off despite the Jaybird pres sure. The ball went straight up and ended on the 11 with 2:47 remaining on the clock.

safety. Then early in the second quarter Jayton scored from 3 vards out after the Mustangs were penalized for pass interference. The kick was good and the Jaybirds went in with a 15-0 halftime lead.

At Half, the Jaybirds had 2 penatrations, 4 first downs, 114 total yards, and 15 yards in penalties. Wilson had 2 first downs, 38 yards rushing and 52 yards in penalties.

The kick was no good with an

early 6-0 lead for Jayton. A

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minutes later when Wilson

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A HOST OF WILSON MUSTANGS help out as Calvin Wilke

carries the ball. Those clearly visible are Robert Ortiz, Tony

Wilson Mustangs Miss

Garcia and Lucio Trevino. [Photo by The Slatonite]

District Title With A

By Marsha Chisum

The Wilson Mustangs lost

a heart-breaking ballgame

last Friday night to the

Jayton Jaybirds 21-20 to give

up their hope for a district

title. The Mustangs were

hindered with mistakes and

bad breaks early in the

ballgame which proved to be

costly at the end. It was a

ballgame that will be played

over and over again in the

minds of the players,

coaches and fans. One can

keep saying "if" but can

always be sure that this

group of young men gave

their all to the very end of

Wilson kicked off and

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only two plays later Wilson

fumbled to set Jayton up for

their first touchdown run.

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Loss To Jayton, 21-20

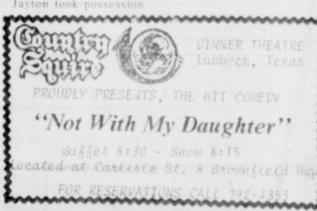
Whatever took place at halftime brought new life to the Mustang team because

and moved toward the goal With the clock showing 36 seconds and 2nd and goal to go the Wilson head coach called time out only to be forced to tell his strong defense to let Jayton score as it was the Mustangs only hope of getting possession of the ball again. The next was block the extra kick. Thirdly, the Mstangs had to score quickly and make their two extra points. They accomplished three of the four. With 30 seconds on the clock and the score 21-14 Jayton's favor the Mustangs had time for 3 plays. With 18 seconds left quarterback Mike Nettles took the ball from the 13 and threw to end Lucio Trevino. Trevino, surrounded by 3 Jaybirds caught the ball on the 50 and ran for the touchdown--an 87 vard touchdown pass with 05 showing on the clock.

the Mustangs had to go for two. Nettles took the ball to use his option and pass-it was high and ended the

The Mustangs had 224 on the ground and 108 in the Jaybirds had 222 total downs. The Mustangs ended

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Kent Bruton was in the Lynn County Hospital Monday and Tuesday for surgery on his hand.

sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.

Carlice Edwards at Lake

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swinson visited Friday until Tuesday last week with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Weite and with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Patterson in Hoxie, Kansas. The men went pheasant hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady King of Lazbuddie had dinner with us Saturday evening.

Rev. Rita Richard's son, Lee Sims of Lubbock, has been under treatment for pneumonia the past week in Highland Hospital. He is improving and hopes to be released early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlow Rudd and children went to Eunice, New Mexico, Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Robinson and family. They were also able to see her nephew Doug Thompson's football team, Eunice High, win the AA quarter finals against Moriarty High. Doug plays tackle.

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Mrs. George Sealy attended homecoming at the Hobbs High School in Fisher County, Saturday, October 28th. Her graduating class of 1944 had a reunion and Benny was elected homecoming queen. Mrs. Ruby Shephard of Brownfield also attended.

Among the out of town visitors at the community Thanksgiving dinner in the school cafeteria Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Porter, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Wilton McNabb, Wolforth; Ann Grey's father, Mr. R. C. Smith, Lubbock; and friends Mr. and Mrs. Mark Willis of New Zealand who are currently living in Lubbock where he is attending the Sunset School of Preaching; and Mrs. Fay Wigginton, Lubbock; and Dow Ferguson from Sterling

Mrs. Agnes Springer, Philadelphia, Penn., came ast week to visit her cousin,

ASCS Office Deadlines For Area Farmers

Farmers must file for a low yield within 15 days after completion of harvest on each farm. Cotton production should be reported on the ASCS 503 card that was mailed to each cotton producer. The gin representative must sign the cards this year. The card can be submitted any time provided you have filed the ASCS-574 within 15 days.

All the gins in Lynn County have signed the bagging and bale ties agreement so the cotton can qualify for CCC loans.

Prescribed Reading Dayton Parker PHARMACY

Mothballs contain a poison that is particularly harmful to children under the age of 6. The chemical, napthaline, is dangerous to people of any age if swallowed, or if the vapors are inhaled. But, children's bodies absorb the poison more quickly than at older ages. Symptoms of napthaline poisoning include possible nausea, vomiting and drowsiness. If the victim is allergic to moth handling them can trigger a skin reaction. If poisoning occurs, get the victim to a doctor quickly, as kidney problems can occur. Make the victim romit if doing so does not delay your getting him to professional help. Try to take the poison container to the doctor too. Since they look a lot like candy or marbles and have a special attraction for children. empty the mothballs in child-proof containers to avoid problems when taking items out of storage.

Collect Bottles & Sell Cakes

The Girl Scout Troop 396 held a meeting November 20 to discuss the upcoming activities for the end of this month and the beginning of December. The scouts will be having

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resident of Lamesa, had lived in San Marcos six The December activities years, where she was a dorm mother at the Soutwest Texas State University. Area relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Unfred, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Unfred and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Unfred of New Home; and Floyd Heck, rest of the district.

4-H Club Sees **Candy Making** Demonstration

another guest, Mrs. Orris

Wilkinson, for dinner Sun-

day in the Continental Room

Funeral services for Mrs.

Mary Kate (Stricklin) Wheat

of San Marcos were at 2 p.m.

Thursday, November 16th in

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By Marci Miller On Monday, November 20, a meeting of the Tahoka 4-H Club was held in the Lyntegar Meeting Room.

The program was a candy making demonstration presented by Lugene Lane, Home Service Advisor with Lyntegar Electric.

Thos attending were: Nadine Dunlap, Sharon Terry, Karen Lawson, Billy Whitaker, Melinda Terry. Dusti Cook, Jhoni Caswell, Rajeania House, Jubal Dunlap, Luke Dunlap, Perry Dunlap, Cody Smith, Ty Askew, Wylie Stice, Michelle Terry, Vince Caswell, Sharla Miller, Patricia Davis, Kathy Davis, Melanie Terry, Marci Miller and Cara Monk

Girl Scouts

By Alma Hallmark

a coke bottle drive Wednesday, November 29. They will be going door to door asking for your generous donations of coke bottles. If you want to make sure they won't miss you then call 998-5060 or

will keep all the girls very busy, beginning with the "Caroi of Lights". Which will be held at Texas Tech December 1. The girls will be able to see all the dorms lighted up and then attend a party afterwards. There will be other girls there from the

The girls have also decided to have their annual Bazaar and Bake Sale which will be held at the Mseum on December 2. It will be open at 9 a.m. There will be a lot of crafts and different items to purchase.

Then to end the Christmas festivities, on December 18 the girls will have their Christmas Party. Later on that night they will go caroling through the streets of Tahoka. Anyone wishing to make a request to be sung to or have the group sing to someone may call 998-5060 or 998-4154.

The troop will also be sending Christmas cards. with their happiness for the new year, to those people residing at the Colonial Nursing Home The troop has really

appreciated the support of the town during the past and would appreciate the support in the future.



TERRY LAWRENCE celebrated his 8th birthday in the First National Bank community room where cake and punch was served to a host of his friends. He is the son of Lendon and Jean Lawrence. Those attending the party were Maritia Ausbern, Robin Parker, Michelle Griffin, Angela Draper, Dino Wheat, Bethel Cook, Josh Wheat, Rusty Lawson, Bobby Jolly Jr., Danny Calvillo, Ronnie Dunn, Len Lawrence and Doug Pumroy. His grandparents are Raymond and Lelta Lawrence of Tahoka and Ray and Jessie Standridge of Crowder, Oklahoma.

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MR. AND MRS. J. P. UNFRED

Mr. And Mrs. J. P. Unfred Celebrate 60th Anniversar

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Unfred celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary, November

The couple was married in Big Sandy, Texas on November 16, 1918. They moved to Lynn County on

Harvest Tea Held In The Hagood Home

Mrs. W. W. Hagood was hostess for the Harvest Tea on November 20 at 4 p.m. All the women of the United Methodist Church and some special guests were invited. Refreshments were served to the guests as they arrived. The program began with a

prayer by Mrs. G. M. Stewart after which Mrs. Clint Walker introduced the speaker, Mr. John Arnn. Mr. Arnn is Executive Director of Food and Fiber National Institute of Achievement, which is a nonprofit research and educational organization headquartered in Lubbock. He has spent about forty years in conservation work in Texas. Washington, D. C., and other parts of the United States. Mr. Arnn's talk concerned genealogy and he presented information that would be helpful to persons interested in tracing their family histories.

This has become an annual event for Mrs. Hagood, and she does her best to made it an enjoyable occasion for all those attending.

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> A VISIT WITH YOUR COUNTY AGENT

by Stanley Young Lynn County Agent

SOIL SAMPLE BEFORE FIELDS DRY

The cold, wet weather during early November has hindered field activity in Lynn County. This first taste of winter has also prevented producers from soil sampling their fields and obtaining fertilizer recommendations from a soil test. Now is the time to sample fields before other operations such as cotton

harvesting and tillage keep vou busy. 'Four good reasons now exist that indicate a good crop fertility program for 1979 is important," the

county agent notes.

First, our rainfall picture is more encouraging than last fall's. Comparing this September, October and November's rainfall against the longterm average and the rainfall received last year, suggests that a better soil profile moisture should exist. During the September, October, and November

that 5.2 inches are usually received. Last year, during Louis Rochester, promthis period, only 2.5 inches were measured. However during this 75-day period 4.9 inches were measured at Lubbock and many areas have reported up to 9 inches. Secondly, due to the soil moisture prospect during 1977 many of or dryland producers did not fertilize. The picture appears more

are intending to fertilize; it makes sense to first determine what plant nutrients are available and what is needed. Third, nitrogen is one of the essential elements required throughout the High Plains for cotton. A producer never knows what to expect with soil nitrogen. He can have carryover if fertilizer was applied last year and none or little nigtrogen will

the recent rains causing a need for nitrogen. Fourth, a considerable savings in fertilizer can result from applying fertilizer based upon soil test recommendations. For ex-

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hand, on our sandy soils,

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Thanksgiving (Cont. from page 1)

Thanksgiving Day was given just as much importance in the New England states as Christmas received

in England. In 1789 General Washington made an address that captured the spirit of the day back then and can still do the same thing today.

"Whereas it is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey His will, to be grateful for His benefits, and humbly to implore His protection, aid and favors... Now, therefore, I do recomment and assign Thursday, the 26th day of November next, to be devoted by the people of these States to the service of that great and glorious Being, who is the Beneficent Author of all the good that was, that is, or that will be: that we may then all unite in rendering unto him our sincere and humble thanks for this kind care and protection of the people of this country, and for all the great and various favors which He has been pleased to confer upon us." Washington said nearly 200 years ago and it still applies just as well today.

Rotary District Gov. Speaks

> inent Odessa business man and Governor of Rotary International District 573, which embraces the Panhandle Plains area from the T&P Railway north, made his official visit to Tahoka Rotary Club Wednesday night and Thursday of last week, speaking to the club at its regular Thursday noon

meeting. Wednesday evening, he met with officers and committee chairmen in the First National Bank community room, heard reports and offered suggestions for club improvement. At the same time, Mrs. Jim Solomon, wife of the club vice-president, was host at a reception in her home for the Governor's wife, who accompanied him.

The Governor was highly complimentary of the club for its fellowship and friendliness, but urged members to present a better attendance record. Tahoka club, once a leader in percentage of attendance. has grown very lax and now ranks low among other district clubs. Tahoka club now has 53 members, the highest in total membership in a number of years.

Card Of Thanks

Words are beyond our knowledge to express our love and thanks to each and every one of you who so graciously expressed your

love in so many, many ways. We are very appreciative of each prayer, each visit, the food, the flowers and each deed expressed.

May God continue to bless each of you. C. D. Childress

47-1tp We would like to express our deepest appreciation to each of you for all the kind deeds you did for us during the illness and loss of our loved one. We are so grateful for each prayer. each visit, the food, cards

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May God bless each of The family of Walthal Littlepage

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Proposals will be received at the Housing Authority Office, 1700 S. 2nd until 4:00 o'clock p.m. Dec. 22, 1978.

Proposals will then be considered and evaluated by the Housing Authority of the City of Tahoka. The Housing Authority reserves the right to select a Builder-Developer based on the best sit. design, and amenities offered. The Authority also reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

The composition of the project will be as follows: 2-efficiency, 6-1 bedroom, elderly; and 10-2 bedroom. 4-3 bedroom, and 2-4 bedroom, family.

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| Jerry Hatchell | 21 | 170 | Sr. | В |
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| Johnny Calivillo | 33 | 195 | Sr. | В |
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| Kelly Gass | 62 | 175 | Jr. | G |
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| Jackie Jolly | 65 | 195 | Soph. | G |
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