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\$2 MILLION DEPOSIT—Shown above are, from left, are attorneys Gerald Huffaker, Harold Green and Calloway Huffaker, delivering to Frank Barrow, president of the First National Bank of Tahoka, a deposit of \$2 million, representing funds collected on behalf of 18 farmers and landlords in Gaines County from a chemical company, growing out of damages sustained by the farmers in the use of a herbicide in 1978.

DEPOSIT IN BANK HERE LARGEST EVER

\$2 Million Settlement Made In Area Farm Chemical Case

A chemical company sued by 18 Gaines County farmers

School Tax Bill To Come

Persons accustomed to paying their school taxes as soon as the statement is received at the first of October need not be alarmed—the tax bills will be out, only a few days late.

School Tax Assessor David Roberson said Tuesday that the statements have been delayed about 10 days because of a problem with a computer system which prepares the statements.

So everyone will get to pay his taxes as usual, but not just yet.

and their landlords for alleged herbicide damage to their cotton in 1978 has settled the case for \$2 million, it was reported this week.

Plaintiffs' attorneys, Huffaker and Green of Tahoka, deposited the \$2 million in the First National Bank of Tahoka Wednesday morning, the largest single deposit ever made in the bank here. The settlement also is

believed to be the largest herbicide crop damage settlement in the United States.

The lawsuit was filed in Gaines County in August, 1978, against E.I. DuPont DeNemours & Co., growing out of the application of a DuPont herbicide on approximately 10,000 acres of cotton in Gaines County, mostly in the Loop vicinity, in the spring of 1978. The farmers had alleged they sustained serious herbicide damage to their cotton, and a lawsuit was filed in the 106th District Court. It also is the largest single settlement ever entered of record in that court, attorneys said.

The \$2 million was deposited in an interest-bearing account in the bank here to be disbursed to the farmers and their landlords as soon as the amount to be received by each farmer and

his landlord can be determined.

Mrs. Langley Resigns Post

Mrs. Alice Langley, postmaster at Tahoka for the last 10 months, has submitted her resignation effective this Friday.

Mrs. Langley expressed appreciation to the citizens of Tahoka for their attitude of cooperation during her tenure as postmaster here, and said she wishes all of the citizens well.

The Postal Service has made no announcement of any plans for choosing a successor. It is anticipated that an interim director of the local facility will be assigned until a permanent successor to Mrs. Langley can be obtained.

Store Front Face Lifting Big Help

Down-town development by improvement of store fronts, use of a little paint, and a clean up of streets and alleys is a proven method of bringing to a town more business and industry.

This was the theme of a talk and slide presentation at the Rotary Club last Thursday noon by Kenneth Owens of Amarillo, Area Development Department of Southwestern Public Service Company.

Jim Chambers arranged the program. This Thursday evening at 7 p.m. Rotarians and their wives are holding their annual meeting in the school cafeteria to honor the Tahoka school personnel and wives and/or husbands. Dr. Joe Barnett, Lubbock minister and popular after-dinner speaker, will be the feature number on the program.

turned in by Oages and middle linebacker Jacky Jolly. Johnny Alvarado punted well, averaging 41.7, with his longest 47 yards.

GAME AT A GLANCE		
TAHOKA	CRANE	
16	First downs	12
376	Yards rushing	97
9	Yards passing	25
1-3-0	Completed by	2-12-1
12-120	Penalties	7-55
4-41.7	Punts, avg.	7-33.7
3	Fumbles lost	3
6	Penetrations	2

will go to Cooper, which beat Morton in its last game two weeks ago and owns a 2-1 record. The Pirates have not been counted as a strong district contender, which means there could be trouble for the Bulldogs if they take Cooper lightly.

Good defensive work was

Mishap Here Hurts Driver

A Tahoka man was injured in a one-vehicle accident just outside the city limits on U.S. 87 access road Saturday night and nine tickets were issued by city police during the week.

Manuel Longoria was listed as the driver of a pickup which struck concrete near an overpass on the north side of town. He was treated for injuries, but later

reported released from the hospital.

Two 17-year-old white girls who live in Tahoka were questioned after tires were slashed on a car parked north of the courthouse Monday night. They admitted cutting the tires and it was indicated they would be given a chance to pay for the damage.

Three tickets were issued during the week for "exhibition of acceleration", two each for impeding traffic and illegal parking in the street, and one each for reckless driving and littering by throwing a beer bottle against a building.

New Cemetery Rules Okayed

Increases in costs of plots in Tahoka Cemetery were voted by the city council Monday night as part of a list of 18 regulations requested by the new Cemetery Commission and approved by the city.

Most of the regulations are intended to assure that the cemetery is kept looking good, representatives of the cemetery group told the council. Volunteers recently had a work day at the cemetery and gave it a good cleanup and markedly different appearance from the deteriorated look it had developed.

Increase of the cost of burial spaces to \$150 each here brings the charges more in line with those in nearby communities, and still is less than most in the area, it was observed. All proceeds from burial spaces stay in the cemetery fund for upkeep and maintenance.

The council entered into a contract with Barber-Traylor and Associates to prepare a pre-application for a 1980 Community Development Block Grant of \$500,000 which the city has been granted for street improvements in low-income areas.

A request for a street light

on N. 7th at Ave. P was granted, as was a request for a stop sign at N. 1st and Ave. S to halt north-south traffic.

Councilmen voted to open bids Nov. 5 for construction and improvements in the water and sewage systems in accordance with a \$250,000 bond issue voted last March to upgrade the system. City consulting engineer A.C. Bowden of Lubbock was present to present the call for bids.

All council members, Mayor Meldon Leslie and City Administrator Carl Reynolds were present.

Tahoka Weather

Sept. 27	93	57
Sept. 28	94	60
Sept. 29	93	57
Sept. 30	93	63
Oct. 1	92	60
Oct. 2	86	52
Oct. 3	89	64
Total rain for Sept.	.31	
inch; total this year	18.45	
inches. Thermometer reading	is made at 7:30 a.m.	

CRANES DEVoured 33-14

Dogs Go To Cooper For District Opener

DALTON WOOD don't mean all that much, but Coach A.D. Shaver says and that the "real season" starts with the first district conference games.

WOODWORK



by dalton

SOME FOLKS think of the "awkward age" as sometimes painful formative years of adolescence when a person is not quite child and quite adult, but I believe the label better fits years between 45-55. If not that exact span, it is whatever age you are when you're been children and grandchildren.

You play tennis as we do, the "awkward age" it be defined as that time of life when, by the you get warmed up, you're too tired to play. I don't remember exactly when I began to notice nobody appears to be my age anymore. I do that for several years, the students waiting from high school have been getting older and younger, and they sure don't seem so wise and mature as I remember being graduated, by cracky.

Long ago we discovered that there was no day School class in our church for people our age. The reason appears simple: there are no two or three decades younger, or at least so it is.

This feeling of being out of step with the world reinforced when I went to my high school becoming a couple of weekends ago. Okay, so I graduated more than 30 years ago; there still would have been somebody there I went to class

There wasn't though. My particular graduating class wasn't being honored, unless it was in honorarium. There wasn't even one person at the Saboro High School luncheon on the football who graduated the same year I did. I would someone who looked like what I thought I be about my age and slip up sideways next to them so I could read their name tag, which I did the year of graduation. Then I learned she graduated in 1939, or that she was from the Class of 1967 and get away from me, you old

I did see a few people I remembered, mostly elderly, but they were from other graduating classes. I kept asking around about some of those I went to school with, and finally I decided that most of them must have died of hardening of the arteries.

Really they should have paid me some kind of final tribute just for being around this long. I be at the next homecoming they'll make a place for me as the only survivor of the Class of

game" at Cooper this week, but it still is nice to go into the district wars coming off a victory like the one Tahoka had Friday night.

The 200 or so Tahokans who made the long trip to Crane last Friday saw the Bulldogs have things pretty much their own way, despite 120 yards in penalties, as Tahoka kicked the Golden Cranes 33-14.

The Tahoka running attack was awesome, rolling up 376 yards on the ground, and a couple of players had most of that. Trace White gained an astounding 204 yards, and averaged just over 7 yards per carry. Clifford Oages gained 138 yards with 101 of that coming in the first half, and although he never scored, he averaged 7.3 for the game on his 19 carries.

Brown Scores Twice
Quarterback Todd Brown added another 30 yards, including touchdown runs of 5 and 16 yards.

The Tahoka defense shut off the Crane attack effectively, especially in the first half. The Cranes made their initial first down of the game with less than four minutes to go in the first half. For the entire game, the Birds netted just 97 yards rushing and 25 passing.

On the first play from scrimmage, Crane running back Joe Sherman broke for 47 yards, but a clipping penalty erased that, and the Bulldogs never allowed such things to happen again although late in the game an apparent Crane touchdown play was halted as an official blew the whistle after being fooled by a fake to another back.

Tahoka put on a good drive on its first possession, with runs of 16 by White, 10 by Oages, 17 by Ricky Chapa and a 9-yard pass from Brown to End Brad White. But the drive stalled at the 5 and when Guard Kevin Elmore was about to try a field goal from 26 yards out, the play got all messed up and holder Alan Curry was buried by tacklers with no kick ever attempted. Anyway, the Bulldogs started another drive after a Crane fumble at the 21, and early in the second period Brown sent everyone to the right, then ran to his left all alone to go 5 yards over the goal line. Elmore's kick was wide and it was 6-0.

Long Drive
Later in the same quarter, Tahoka put on an 86-yard scoring drive, with the biggest play being a 34-yard scamper by Oages to the home team's 31. Shortly thereafter White ran 13 to score and Elmore kicked the

point. Late in the half Crane got a semblance of a drive going, aided by a penalty, but Chapa recovered a fumble at the Bulldog 33 to stop that.

Early in the second half, White broke loose to race 66 yards for a touchdown and after Elmore's kick, it was 20-0. Later in the quarter Brown raced 16 for still another TD and after Elmore missed one, it was 26-0 at the end of three quarters.

After recovering a Bulldog fumble at the Tahoka 26, Crane got on the scoreboard early in the fourth on a 1-yard run by Sherman. Johnny Gonzales kicked point after TD and after Elmore missed one, it was 26-0 at the end of three quarters.

TD Pass
Crane closed out the scoring with a 10-yard pass from Greg Cunningham to End Mark Pahl and Gonzales kicked point.

This week the Bulldogs

20 Girls In Queen's Contest For Festival

Twenty Lynn County girls have entered competition for the title of Harvest Festival Queen and the winner will be determined in ceremonies at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, as the contest is held on the courthouse lawn as part of the daylong celebration.

Craig Smith of Radio Station KCAS in Slaton will be master of ceremonies for the contest, and judges will be Phyllis Thrash, Cindy Taylor and David King, all of the Robert Spence School in Lubbock.

Queen contestants are selling tickets to the event for \$1 each, and every girl who sells 150 or more tickets will be a finalist. From this group, judges will select the top five based on private interviews at a luncheon prior to the contest hosted by Mrs. Ray Adams of Tahoka.

The top five then will be asked a question onstage by the emcee and the judges will make their final decisions based on the answers.

Gift certificates will be awarded to the five finalist. The winner and two runners-up will receive trophies and the Queen will get \$100 upon graduation from high school. Various clubs and groups

in the county meanwhile are making plans for food and game booths and contests, with races, a parade, and a county fair in the old Anthony's building downtown to be features of the festival. The parade will be on Friday, a combination festival and homecoming parade, as ex-students of Tahoka High are invited back for an annual reunion and for the football game with Roosevelt.

Competition in art, crafts, canning, baking and other items will be part of the fair, and many items are expected to be exhibited. Everyone is urged to enter one of the categories, and a list of rules and entry blank is presented inside this issue of the News.

Playing all day during the festival downtown will be the Flatland Bluegrass Band of Lubbock, consisting of five male musicians, a group which has performed at bluegrass festivals in Texas and Oklahoma and which was featured entertainment for the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra "Pops Nite" Concert in 1978. The group also likes to play for church groups and stresses that their programs are family-oriented.



EARLY-DAY KITCHEN - Shown here is the dining area of a pioneer kitchen exhibit at Tahoka Museum. The kitchen booth was arranged by Mrs. Ivan Cathcart with antique articles from her collection and from items furnished by a dozen other people.

Mrs. Joe Hays Speaks At Phebe Warner

Phebe K. Warner Study Club met Sept. 25 in the home of Mrs. Elmer Owens with Mes. Ike Carter and Martin Warren as co-hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by the president Beth Huffaker. Minutes were read and approved and project reports given. Betty Owens reported a good turn-out on the recent blood drive. The next blood drive will be Nov. 13. The club plans to have a booth at the Harvest Festival. The rolcall was answered by giving the name of your favorite book.

An informative program, "Our Local Library--Its Future", was given by Mrs.

Joe Hays. She discussed the future of our local library and the plans that are being made to improve it.

Two new members, Mes. Hazel Mackey and Pat Barrow, were welcomed into the club.

Homecoming Corsages On Sale

The Tahoka Jr. Class is selling corsages for homecoming. Prices are \$5, \$7.50 and \$10. If you would like to buy one or would like more information please call these students: Sheri Tomlinson, 998-4154; Cindy Lawson, 998-4982; or Tamara Kelley, 998-4778.

Deadline is Thursday, Oct. 11.

Jona Valentine Heads 'Mame' Cast at SPC

The title role in "Mame", the new South Plains College musical, goes to Jona Valentine of Tahoka, according to show director Helen Roberts, assistant professor of speech and drama at SPC. Ira White, Sam Martin, and Brenda White are also cast in the musical production.

"Mame" will have a six-day run Dec. 5-8 and Dec. 10-11 in SPC's newly remodeled Theater for the Performing Arts.

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It is easier to save money if a specific goal or use is set for the money.

For example, someone saving for a vacation or for a new car is more likely to save regularly than a person with no specific goals, explains Lillian Chenoweth, a family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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Revive wilted lettuce by placing it in a bowl of ice water in the refrigerator until crisp, recommends Marilyn Haggard, a foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

OEA Student Of The Week



Melanie Tekell. This weeks OEA student of the week is Melanie Tekell. Melanie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tekell. She is serving as vice-president of OEA. Melanie is a senior and is currently enrolled in her second year of VOE. She is studying in the typist field.

Melanie's other activities include: National Honor Society (parliamentarian), Future Homemakers of America, and the varsity tennis team.

After graduation, Melanie plans to attend college at Texas Tech University.

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When throwing away any medicine, be sure to flush it down the toilet or dissolve it in water and wash down the sink rather than throwing it into the garbage, cautions Carla Shearer, a health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

While working with power tools, wear proper footwear and clothing, urges Claudia Kerbel, a consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Loose clothing or jewelry can get caught in moving parts, she cautions.

Faith Circle Meeting

Faith Circle of United Methodist Women met Monday, Oct. 1, with Mrs. Newton Starnes in the parsonage. Mrs. Eugie Luttrell served as co-hostess. After a welcome by Mrs. Starnes, Marieetta Montgomery presided at a short business session.

Books for a study of the parables of Jesus were distributed and Mrs. Lois White made an assignment for the lesson that will be held on Oct. 22.

Alla V. Jones gave a devotional on attitudes.

The program was a continuation of the study of China.

Kennel Staff Reception

The 1979 Kennel Staff will hold a reception in the Annual Room (#163) for all ex-yearbook members at 1 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12.

Jr. High Football

The 7th grade defeathered the O'Donnell Eagles 16-0 on Thursday, Sept. 27. In the first quarter, Charles Wells made clossal interception for the Bulldogs. O'Donnell fumbled the ball while Bulldog Mario Bernal recovered. Other beneficial plays were made by Shawn Stotts and Ricky Nieman. The quarter ended scoreless.

In the 1st six seconds of the second quarter, Bulldogs pushed the Eagles into home zone for a safety. Making a touchdown was Bernal. Extra point failed, leaving the score 8-0 for the 1st half.

Nieman ran 40 yards for a touchdown with 4 seconds remaining. Bernal ran up the middle for extra points, making the score 16-0 at the end of the 3rd quarter.

After a hard fought game, the score remained 16-0.

The 8th grade football team plucked the Eagles 38-8 Thursday. Leonard Flores ran 40 yards on the punt return for a touchdown in the first quarter. The extra points following were good, making the score 8-0. Flores intercepted and ran to the eight yardline which set up the TD made by Steve Pierce. David Garcia ran for the extra points and succeeded. Later in the quarter Pierce passed to Flores who ran 50 yards for the touchdown. Extra points were made by Eric Knight. At the end of the first quarter, the score was 24-0.

In the 2nd quarter, good defensive plays were made by Mike Morales and Habel DeLeon. The Bulldogs went for a touchdown, but a flag was on the play making the score remain at 24-0 at the half.

Going into the 3rd quarter, on kick-off, Leonard Flores ran 50 yards. Steve Pierce intercepted a pass on the 46 yardline. In the next play, David Garcia ran to the 11 yard line leaving the score 24-0.

In the fourth quarter, David Garcia scored with Randy Summers running for extra points. The score now was 32-0. On the 3rd down #8 from O'Donnell made a TD and ran for 2 points. Toward the end of the quarter, Pierce passed to Flores, who ran for a TD, making the final score 38-8.

By Colette Williams and Sheri Tomlinson.



TAHOKA CANDIDATES--These Tahoka girls are among the candidates for Harvest Festival Queen. On the back row, from left, are Amy McNeil, Cindy Lawson, Andra Draper, Debra White, Amy Porterfield, Cheri Bragg. In front are Lisa Huckaby, Jana Hammonds, Melanie Terry, Josie Alvarado and Connie Chambers. Not shown is Melanie Tekell.

Band Concession Workers

Oct. 4 - Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McKibben, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kelley, and Mr. and Mrs. Mauro Marcz.

Oct. 11 - Mr. and Mrs. Wes Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dunlap, Sharon Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. Amancio Sanchez.

Oct. 12 - Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pollard, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Valentine, and Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Randolph.

Oct. 18 - Mr. and Mrs. John Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Krause, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Cook.

Oct. 25 - Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Redwine, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Owens, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Caswell.

Oct. 26 - Mr. and Mrs. Don Clary, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Edwards, Loretta Webster, Betty Chavaria.

If you cannot work on date assigned, you are responsible to find someone to take your place.

Husbands and wives do not have to be physically absent from the home or spouse to "widow" the other in marriage and, at the same time, as effectively widow self, points out Dorothy Taylor, a family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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COUNTY TAX NOTICES

Approximately 7,000 State and County Tax Statements were mailed on October 1.

Please note that a discount is allowed as follows:

October Payment - 3%
November Payment - 2%
December Payment - 1%

THE SALE WITH THE RANCHER IN MIND.....

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Program For Small Children Is Planned

Developmental Educational Birth through Two DEBT is expanding to DEBT is a special program for par- ticularly very young children. It is a home program designed to help parents in the early intervention of the child may overcome or his disability and to be channeled into school programs.

Letter To Editor

Dear Editor: To begin with I am handicapped, not able to work much, and have to take pain pills to keep going. I'm not feeling sorry for myself, just stating facts, but I have to make a living so I got the dealership for the Avalanche Journal.

I get up between 1 and 1:30 each morning winter and summer to get the paper out.

The A.J. sells the school papers at a cut rate price to teach with and gives me 1 cent each to deliver them which I think is a good thing, but some of the teachers wanted to save money so they ordered 2 papers through the school. I called the A.J. and kept complain- ing until they made them take five per day which is still cheap papers if they get another teacher or two. I won't call any names, but if they can live with it, I can live without it.

Thank you,
D.C. (Dave) Hubbard

Church Sets Revival

Tahoka Assembly of God Church will have a revival for one week starting next Sunday. John Murdoch of Lubbock will be speaker.

Services will be at 7 p.m. daily, with special music at each service.

Hamilton Will Speak At Local Church

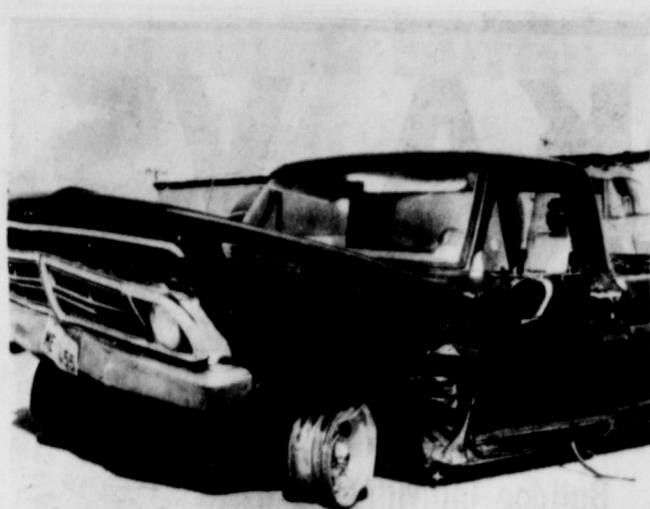
Ed Hamilton will show slides of the Holy Land and give a talk on his trip At the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Tahoka on Sunday, Oct. 7 at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

This program is given by Mission No. 1. President of Mission No. 1 is Mary Davis, vice president, Earlie Lee Hudley; treasurer, Lollie Lawson, and secretary, Johnnie Mae Hattachet.

FACTS & FIGURES
More than 60 million Americans between the ages of three and 34 are enrolled in a school of some kind, the Department of Commerce reports.

During the last five years, West Germany has undergone a student explosion. In 1978, 947,000 students were enrolled at institutions of higher education, in contrast to 727,000 in the 1973-74 academic year. That's a 30 percent rise.

The percentage of women in the classroom in Germany is rising faster than that of men—45 percent more women as against 24 percent more men in the past five years. Most of the women have been enrolling in teachers' and music and art colleges.



DRIVER HURT--Driver of this pickup, Manuel Longoria of Tahoka, was treated for injuries after an accident on the U.S. 87 bypass Saturday night.

THE ACTIVE CONSUMER

Manufactured Homes Answer Housing Shortage According To Senator Proxmire

Senator William Proxmire (D-Wis.), recently stated that mobile/manufactured housing "is one which is probably the best answer free enterprise can provide for the low and moderate income housing market."

Speaking before the annual meeting of the Wisconsin/Minnesota Manufactured Housing Associations, Proxmire told attendees that mobile/manufactured housing, "is the area of most promise if we're going to really do something about reducing the cost of housing in this country without having a mammoth government program which is inflationary, inefficient, wasteful and obviously counteracts the overwhelming view expressed by the American people last November 7."

Senator Proxmire is Chairman of the Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee, the senate committee which is most responsible for housing, and chairman of the sub-committee and corporations committee which handles the money for housing.

"Home builders now estimate that 75 percent of the people in this country cannot afford to buy a new house," continued the Senator. "Of course some of them are helped with housing subsidies of various kinds, getting used homes and so forth, but it means that most of our people simply cannot afford what many people feel should be the American dream—owning your own house."

Proxmire said, "Now what other Federal policies are there to cut housing costs with manufactured housing? One answer is to get better financing terms so that monthly payments can be more moderate. But how? Here's how. A careful look at the insurance term for manufactured housing; you (the mobile/manufactured home industry) have new and better construction standards in your industry than you had a few years ago, but the law hasn't caught up with it yet. In 1977, we expanded the term for manufactured housing to 23 years. HUD is now studying the durability question. As the Chairman of the Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee, I can assure you that we'll review that and review it carefully."

"Also," continued Proxmire, "I suppose the one area that most conspicuously handicaps your industry and is preventing it from providing more housing is exclusionary zoning. Somehow in town after town you're excluded from desirable areas—areas where you could provide good housing—because of local prejudice and local clout and power in keeping you out."

"... the fact that government policy is giving us an inflationary situation and a credit environment with high interest rates which makes it very, very difficult for you to achieve your end. So I do hope that we can adopt a policy in the coming session with a new attitude on the part of Congress that can give you the opportunity to go ahead and provide even better housing opportunities for the American people. You have before, and you've done a great job," concluded Proxmire.



The creator of Tarzan, Edgar Rice Burroughs, claimed to have personally answered every fan letter written him over a 35-year span. The letters were estimated in the hundreds of thousands.

ENERGY SAVING IDEAS

By V. J. Adduci

Few groups are more concerned about saving fuel than the trucking industry. A nationwide voluntary fuel conservation program by the nation's truckers saved nearly three billion gallons between 1973 (year of the oil embargo) and calendar 1978 by purchasing fuel-saving options. Here are some facts behind that figure:

* Variable fan drives that operate only when needed save up to six percent, de-

pending on the truck and operating patterns.

* Aerodynamic devices, which reduce air drag, save up to six percent, depending on truck size, weight and operating speeds.

* Diesel engines replacing gasoline engines amounted to a 35% reduction in fuel consumption. The use of new fuel efficient diesel engines bring this reduction up to more than 40%.

Happy Birthday Carla

Lynn County Harvest Festival Fair Entry Blank

Name _____

Address and Telephone _____

Category _____

Description _____

Enclose fee with entry blank.
Individual: 50 cents per item entered
Club: \$20 entitles each member to enter as many items as desired.

Return entry to: Mrs. Barry Weaver, Rt 5, Tahoka, TX. 79373, no later than October 10, 1979 or bring in with the entry. Designate if entry is original or kit.

Lynn County Harvest Festival County Fair & Contest Rules

COUNTY FAIR

Fill out entry blank and send to Mrs. Barry Weaver, Rt. 5, Tahoka, TX. 79373, with entry fee and description of item, by October 10, or bring in with the entry.

If you wish to display items made previously there will be a special display area for them.

All items should be brought to the old Anthony building between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11.

All items should be picked up between 4 and 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13.

All items will be open for the public to view between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 13.

HAND WORK: Crochet, knitting, tating, weaving, quilting, embroidery, needlepoint, creative stitchery, punch hook, latch hook, and sewing.

PRODUCE: These will be judged on their size and color. Pumpkin, squash, tomatoes, turnips. This includes tallest cotton stalk and stalk with the most bolls.

ART WORK: (Small items only) Metal crafts, holiday decorations, bread flowers, dough art, leather work, strung beads, handbags, draped figures, glass painting, gold leaf art, art plaster, decorated shirts, ceramics, decoupage, toile painting, macrame, and oil painting and china painting.

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Diaper Data

Mr. and Mrs. Scott L. Tillman of Ruidoso, N.M. are the parents of a son, Scotty Lynn born Monday, Sept. 24, at 6:30 a.m. in Health Science Center, Lubbock weighing 4 lbs. and 13 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Roberson of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tillman of Ruidoso, N.M.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howell of Tahoka and Mrs. Willene Roberson of O'Donnell. Also, Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Tillman of San Jon, N.M. and Mr. I.D. Shaw of Grady, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Renn Dorman of Tahoka are the parents of a baby boy, Calvin Cody, weighing 6 lbs. 15 1/2 oz., born in Methodist Hospital Sept. 21 at 9:05 a.m.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyd of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dorman of Tahoka. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I.C. Dorman of O'Donnell, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Monk of Odessa, Texas are the parents of a son, Jerrod Craig, born Sept. 26, 1979 at Women's and Children's Hospital in Odessa. Craig weighed 7lbs. and 10 1/2 ozs.

He has an older brother, Chad 3 1/2 years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gardner of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Monk of Quitaque.

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 - Oct. 5 — at Cooper ‡
 - Oct. 12 — Roosevelt ‡
 - Oct. 19 — at Seminole ‡
 - Oct. 26 — Denver City ‡
 - Nov. 2 — Frenship ‡
 - Nov. 9 — at Post ‡
 - Nov. 16 — Slaton ‡
- ‡ district games

Bulldog Individual Statistics				
RUSHING				
Player	Yds.	Carries	Avg.	
White	407	64	6.4	
Oages	301	36	8.4	
Chapa	53	17	3.1	
Brown	113	26	4.3	
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SCORING				
Player	TD	EP	FG	TP
Oages	2	0	0	12
T. White	5	2	0	32
Brown	3	0	0	18
Elmore	0	6	0	6



CLIFFORD OAGES #26
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New School

Robert Poer is making recovery from head injury performed Tuesday, Sept. 25 in Methodist Hospital. Out of town here and at the hospital were: Bob's brother, T. J. Poer, Haske and Jack Poer, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bowman, Dallas, Monday, Texas; Mrs. Mary Bowman, Littlefield; Mrs. Masten, Mapleton; and Mr. and Mrs. Boone, Haskell, Texas.

†††
Lillian and Joyce Davison visited with the school yesterday afternoon, as they returned from San Angelo where they had been to see their daughter, Kenna Johnson, in Angelo State University.

†††
Lillian Brent is reporting a fine in Methodist Hospital and expects to leave early this week.

†††
Lillian Correa of Houston, Friday, Sept. 14 to visit her mother, Mrs. Maureen and other relatives who are employed at the Wall Covering Co.

Wedding Photo

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New Home School News

Robert Poer is making recovery from heart surgery performed Tuesday, Sept. 25 in Methodist Hospital. Out of town guests here and at the home were: Bob's brothers, J. J. Poer, Haskell, and Jack Poer, Amarillo, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bowman, Don Martin, Monday, Texas; Mary Bowman, Monday, Texas; Mrs. Cary Oberlain, Littlefield; Masten, Maple, and Mr. and Mrs. Boone, Haskell, Tex.

John and Joyce Davies visited with us Saturday afternoon, as they returned from San Angelo where they had been to see daughter, Kenna Jo, a student in Angelo State University.

Charlie Brent is reported to be fine in Methodist Hospital and expects to be home this week.

Correa of Houston visited Friday, Sept. 14 to visit mother, Mrs. Mary Poer and other relatives. She is employed at the book Wall Covering Co.

Thirty-five employees of the New Home, Lakeview, Co-op Gins and their families enjoyed a barbecue at the Lakeview Gin Saturday, Sept. 22 hosted by gin manager, Bob Ballard. Barbecue steak and home made ice cream was the main menu.

Mr. Charlie Hemmeline remains in serious condition in Highland Hospital.

Von and Britt McClung of Sweetwater and Cindy and Bryan Compton of Breckenridge were here Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nettles.

Joe D. Unfred made a business trip to Carlsbad, N.M. last weekend accompanied by Mrs. Jane Fetter and Miss LOuella Flickinger. Then they went sight seeing in Juarez, Cloudcroft and Ruidoso, returning by El Paso to visit Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Ball.

The Lakeview Baptist Church had the Fifth Sunday Singing Sunday, dinner was served in fellowship hall. Visiting singers were Dianne Briggs Trio from Lubbock

and John and Melda Jacobs from New Home.

Mrs. Lucille Walters of Abilene spent three weeks here with her sister, Mrs. Earl Cooley. On Saturday another sister, Mrs. Vada Kile of Lamesa and her daughter, Jean Varnell of Houston came and returned Mrs. Walters to her home.

The signal-carrying capacity of optical fibers is so great that 8,000 different TV channels can be transmitted on a cable one-fifth the thickness of a human hair.

TDA Granted Federal Funds To Study Marketing Systems

AUSTIN--Two grants totaling more than \$825,000 are being awarded to the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) to evaluate and improve marketing systems for cotton and feeder cattle, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown.

The grants are being made under the U. S. Department of Agriculture's federal-state marketing improvement program and must be matched with at least an equal amount of private funds. Announcement of the grants was made by Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland during his recent tour of the High Plains area.

Some \$500,000 of the grant money will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of mechanical instruments for measuring cotton quality. The money will be passed through the TDA to the Lamesa Cotton Growers Association which will be testing a "high volume instrument classing system" to determine if it improves cotton marketing.

Cotton is now classified by

New Home Suffers First Defeat

The New Home Leopards suffered their first loss Friday, Sept. 28 to Christ the King. The final score was 37-26.

All of New Home's scoring came in the fourth quarter. The Leopards' first touchdown came on a Mickey Kieth pass to Ricky Robertson. The 2 point conversion was good. A 45 yard pass from Kieth to Robert Estrada

gave the Leopards 6 more, then Mickey McClintock blocked a Trojan punt and ran the ball across for the third score. The final touchdown came on a one yard run by Kieth.

The Leopards ended the contest with 15 first downs and 280 net yards, 23 passing and 49 rushing. The leading rusher was Mickey Kieth with 21 yds. Stoney Gill led the defensive unit with 13 tackles, and Frankie Roman had 10.

The Leopards are now 3-1 and will face the Amherst Bulldogs at New Home on Oct. 5 at 8 p.m.



NEW HOME CANDIDATES--From left, Terry Villareal, Debi Nieman and Paige Pridmore, are New Home's candidates for Harvest Festival Queen, to be chosen Oct. 13. All are selling tickets, with sales determining the finalists in the contest.

New Home Booster Club Supper

The New Home Leopards Booster Club will sponsor a Spaghetti Supper, Friday, Oct. 5 in the New Home School Cafeteria. Serving time will be from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tickets for adults will be \$3 and for children (12 and under), \$2.

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1979 Texas Citrus Quality High Despite Last Winter's Freeze

AUSTIN--Grapefruit and orange quality are expected to be high this year in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, despite damage sustained to the citrus trees during last year's winter freeze, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown.

"Bloom and fruit set were surprisingly good and both fruits have sized well," Brown said, adding that the citrus groves made a remarkable recovery after the December and January freezes which caused considerable damage to last year's crop.

Grapefruit production is

expected to drop around 45 percent to 6.3 million boxes or 253,000 tons. Oranges will be down around 40 percent to 4 million boxes.

Brown added, however, that increased size of grapefruit might add to the tonnage.

Sixty-five percent of the citrus grown in the Valley, the state's only citrus-producing area, is grapefruit. Eighty-four percent of this figure is the Ruby Red variety.

Texas is usually second in United States' grapefruit production and third in oranges. Harvest will be underway in October.

1979 Texas Cotton Crop Largest in Three Decades

AUSTIN--Earlier predictions are still holding that the 1979 Texas cotton crop will be the largest in some three decades, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown.

"Chances for the bumper cotton crop are still good, despite recent severe hailstorms on the High Plains which some area farmers

termed the worst they'd ever seen," Brown explained.

Recent reports issued by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service estimate the Texas Upland cotton production for the year at 5.6 million bales, 48 percent above the 1978 crop and two percent above 1977. If realized, the 1979 production will be the largest crop since the 1949 crop of 6,040,000 bales.

Predictions for the bumper crop appeared to be in jeopardy in August due to a period of frequent and severe hailstorms which hit the High Plains area during August 19-25, Commissioner Brown noted. "But except for this period, cotton benefited from a very favorable August with days generally clear and warm and timely rains providing need moisture in most areas."

"Of course, the cotton crop on the High Plains still has a long way to go and if this cooler than normal early fall weather we've been having turns into an early cold snap, we may find the total Texas production for the year diminished greatly," he added.

To make corn-husk butterflies, soften corn husks with water, then cut, pleat, or stretch, says Pat Seaman, a housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Additional husks for the body plus painted designs complete the creations.

Also, create a giant angel the same way settlers made dolls, she continues.

Use husks for the body and sings and corn silks for hair, Ms. Seaman adds.

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Sherry Etheredge Says....

Eating a variety of foods is important to all family members-- but especially senior citizens. Diets that provide needed nutrients can sustain good health and may prevent, or slow, the onset of certain diseases associated with aging.

Seniors may get needed nutrients by eating foods from the four food groups-- which are milk, meat, fruits, and vegetables, breads and cereals.

They need two servings from the milk group, including fluid milk as a beverage, cream soups, custards, cottage cheese and yogurt.

The meat group includes all kinds of meat, fish, poultry, eggs, dry beans and peas. Older adults should try to eat at least two servings of meat or meat alternates each day.

The fruits and vegetables group add color, flavor and texture as well as nutrients and bulk.

Everyone needs four servings each day, including one citrus fruit and one dark green leafy or deep yellow vegetable.

And finally, seniors should try to eat four servings of enriched breads and cereals.

Remember, also to include water with the fluids you drink every day, either at mealtime or other times.

Following are some recipes designed specially for small families--one or two.

Top-Of-Stove Meatloaf
 1/2 pound ground beef
 2 T. uncooked rolled oats
 1 T. finely chopped onion
 3 T. milk

1/2 teaspoon salt
 pepper, as desired
 1/4 cup water
 1/2 cup tomato sauce

Put all ingredients except water and tomato sauce in a bowl. Mix well. Shape into two loaves. Brown loaves on all sides in a greased fry pan over medium heat. Pour off fat. Add water. Pour tomato sauce over loaves. Cover and cook over low heat 30 minutes. Add more water during cooking, if needed. Makes two servings.

Menu Idea: Serve with macaroni salad, green beans and canned fruit or fresh fruit in season.

One-Pan Macaroni and Cheese
 1 cup hot, cooked macaroni
 1/2 cup water

1/2 cup instant or 1/2 cup non-instant nonfat dry milk
 1/2 cup cut-up process cheese

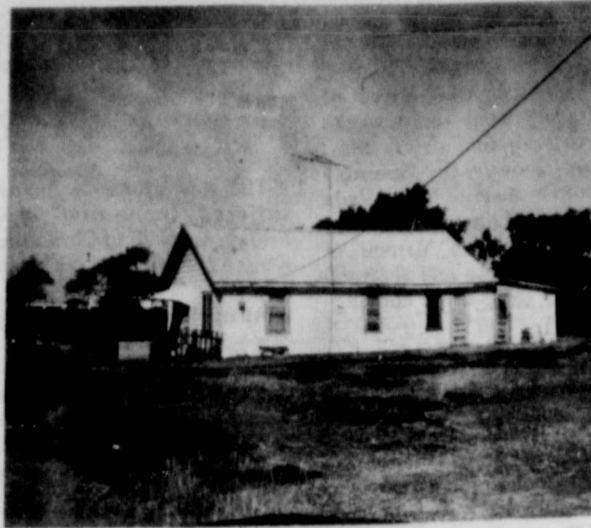
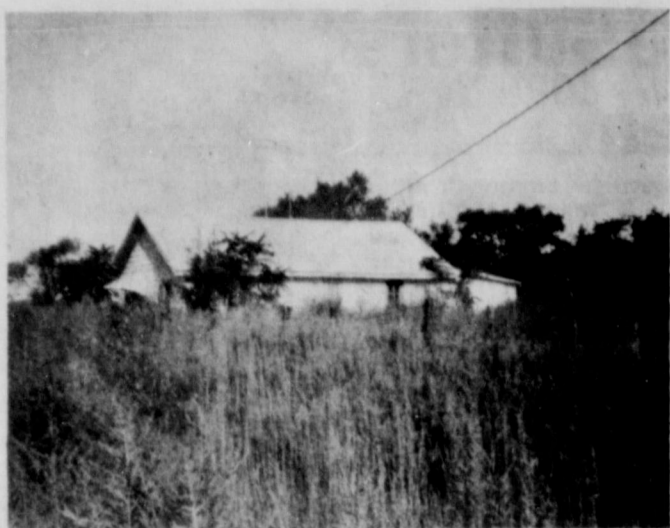
Leave drained macaroni in cooking pan. Mix water and dry milk. Add to macaroni. Add cheese. Cook over low heat and stir gently until cheese melts. Let stand a few minutes after cooking for a thicker sauce, if desired. For thinner sauce, add a little water. Makes two servings, one-half cup each.

Menu Idea: Serve with green peas, carrot-raisin

salad and peanut butter cookies.

Squash and Tomatoes
 2 small zucchini or yellow summer squash, sliced
 1/2 small onion, chopped
 1 cup canned or cooked tomatoes
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 pepper as desired
 1 slice bread

Mix all ingredients except bread in a pan. Cover and boil gently about 25 minutes until squash is tender. Add a little water during cooking, if needed. Tear bread in pieces and add to squash and tomatoes. Makes two servings about 1/2 cup each.



LIONS IN THE WEEDS--The weeds at the home on the left are so tall that a bunch of Lions were seen in them in the last few days. Tahoka Lions Club members took on the project of cleaning up the yard and grounds of the home of a local widow who was unable to do the work herself, and with hoes, rakes, shovels and a tractor-mounted shredder did the job in five evenings of work. The result is shown in the picture at right, the same house and lot. The Lions Club, which meets the first and third Wednesdays at 6 a.m. at the Cafeteria, will sponsor refreshment and game booths at the Harvest Festival next weekend.

Summer Ends, Fall Begins

Summer is drawing to a close and fall is in the air. It's back to school time. Families are making adjustments with anticipation facing hectic schedules. Many mothers as well as other family members work outside the home. All the dilemma can be very demanding on family members time plus much more. Mother usually assumes responsibility for planning and managing the family meals. Need-less to say lack of time has no sympathy for hungry appetites. Because of work schedules, family members often eat at different times.

There are thoughts as to what can be prepared and served on time with the least

amount of fuss and bother and be nutritious as well. Individuals usually have variety so far as style eating is concerned. They are convenience food carry-out foods, prepared from scratch foods or out foods. Family members can get involved. They give suggestions for fast foods and dishes. They help keep the kitchen food preparation area organized and clean. This affords more comfort to all and is more rewarding to the involved.

Some suggestions coping with meal preparation are: during the busy week, plan meals on basis of simplicity, economy and safety. One dish meal course meals are popular. Economical. Easy pizza meals

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Eagle Scout Brad White To Be Honored

A special Court of Honor recognizing all Eagle Scouts who earned their award from 1978 to Sept. 14, 1979, will be held Sunday, Oct. 14, 3 p.m. at St. John United Methodist Church, Lubbock, according to J.W. Anderson, Advancement Chairman for the South Plains Council.

There have been 870,000 Eagles since scouting started in the United States in 1910. Anderson added that only one boy in 200 earns the coveted rank.

Bobby Moody, president of the local council, will preside and will be assisted by Bob Bouse, Scout Executive.

The steps to Eagle include approximately 3 years advancement from Scout to Tenderfoot, 2nd Class, 1st Class, Star and Life. He must show exceptional leadership skills and do a community project of major significance. He must have completed 24 merit badges and pass 6 different progress reviews with his scout and community leaders.

Prominent Eagles include former President Gerald Ford, cartoonist Milt Canif, astronaut Neil Armstrong, Federal District Judge Halbert Woodward and Lubbock Mayor Pro-Tem Alan Henry.

Eagle Scout Brad White of Tahoka will be among those honored.

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fresh fruits and fruit juices and a variety of vegetables. Use less salt if possible. At home, think about soups and stews - the kind made from scratch using foods in season.
In our area, there is usually a large variety of fresh vegetables. These may be prepared as tasty main dishes. Consider some with cheese and include artichokes, asparagus, peas, beets, endive, new potatoes and greens.
Keep basic sandwich fillings on hand. Foods for sandwiches can include celery, meat, poultry, sea food and eggs. Mayonnaise is a good basic spread for foods mentioned. Make sandwiches at a chosen time, package and freeze. Sandwiches may be held in freezer as long as four weeks.

Available equipment in the home can determine management pattern for cooking also. If a microwave oven is available, kids sometimes cook their own meals. They should become thoroughly familiar with the use and care of the appliance, however. Electric skillets may also be used more efficiently.
Some dishes may be prepared the day before and served the following day. Meat loaf is popular. Another is Chicken-Mushroom Salad. Dessert could be Apple Oatmeal Cake. It's not a good idea to skip breakfast - one popular drink is called -Breakfast on the Run. For recipes or other information write: Vivian Liner, Home Service Advisor, Box 631, Southwestern Public Service Company, Lubbock, Texas 79408. Please state which

recipe publication you want. These are free of charge and an additional service to you from our Home Service Department. Titles of Publications are: Good Looking Cooking, Energy Savers, Fiddle Around with Microwave and Toot Your Horn with Portables.
Velours are more popular than ever for dress and sportswear.
They are often softer and lusher than previously seen, and special finishing prevents shrinkage and creasing, says Becky Culp, a clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.
Most poets need inspiration. Schiller's was the smell of rotten apples, which he always kept on his desk while writing.

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture has invited interested parties to submit recommendations on decisions soon to be made with regard to the 1980 upland cotton program. Deadline for receipt of written comment is November 19.

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, will respond to the invitation following development of PCG positions at an October 10 meeting of its 50-man Board of Directors. Here are the issues as outlined by USDA in the September 18 Federal Register.

TARGET PRICE — Current law calls for this year's target (57.7 cents per pound) to be adjusted in 1980 to reflect any change in the average per-pound cost of production in 1977 and 1978 and the average cost for 1978 and 1979.

NATIONAL PROGRAM ACREAGE (NPA) AND PROGRAM ALLOCATION FACTOR — NPA is the number of harvested acres USDA determines will be needed in 1980 to meet domestic and export requirements during the 1980-81 marketing year beginning August 1, 1980. Minimum NPA required by law is 10 million acres. The allocation factor is determined by dividing the NPA for the 1980 crop by the estimated harvested acreage for 1980.

VOLUNTARY REDUCTION PERCENTAGE — Will be

the percentage by which producers may voluntarily reduce 1980 plantings below 1979 plantings in order to guarantee themselves target price protection on total 1980 acreage.

SET-ASIDE — USDA, if it decides a set-aside is necessary to prevent an excess cotton supply, may set a mandatory set-aside not exceeding 28 percent of 1980 planted acreage.

PLANTED ACREAGE LIMITATION — If a set-aside is in effect, the Secretary may also put a limit on each producer's planted acreage as a requirement for program benefit eligibility.

VOLUNTARY SET-ASIDE — The Secretary has authority to offer an additional diversion program, set the extent of such diversion and decide the payment therefor.

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, is offering its apology for an error in material published by PCG September 14.

In an example of the calculations necessary for producers to determine the economic advisability of harvesting low-yield cotton, PCG wrote that a farmer who has a projected yield of 500 pounds per acre and harvests 100 pounds would be eligible for a disaster payment on 300 pounds, 75 percent of the 400-pound shortfall below his project yield.

In fact, according to Charles Cunningham of the Washington ASCS office, the payment eligibility would be on only 275 pounds, 75 percent of the 500-pound projected yield (375 pounds), minus the 100 pounds harvested. Corrected figures for the complete example are available on request from PCG.

COTTON TODAY

A NATIONAL COTTON COUNCIL SERVICE

UN To Discuss Cotton: The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development is holding its fourth preparatory meeting on cotton in Geneva. The main agenda items are an international cotton agreement and stockpiling, opposed by the U.S. delegation. Developing countries which are cotton exporters complain that volatile cotton prices adversely affect their foreign exchange earnings and economic development plans. The National Cotton Council is represented at the conference.

Cotton Dust Research: The National Academy of Sciences will study causes of byssinosis and the feasibility of OSHA-mandated medical testing procedures for identifying byssinosis in the field and in medical installations. The work will be done under a \$99,800 one-year grant from USDA. Funding for the project stems from an amendment by Sen. Morgan (D-N.C.) to the 1979 Agricultural Appropriations Act which was supported by the National Cotton Council.

Export Sales Rise: Sales of 255,900 running bales of cotton during the week ended Sept. 16 brought the current season's total commitments to 4,448,400. The principal buyers were China and Japan. The week's exports of 97,000 running bales brought total shipments to 670,700 thus far this season, compared with 728,100 a year ago. Spain purchased 6,000 bales for 1980-81 delivery.

Cotton Quality To Be Studied: USDA has awarded a \$500,000 grant to the Texas Agriculture Department to study the effectiveness of mechanical instruments for measuring cotton quality. **And Cotton Yesterday:** Cotton threads in New Mexico's Tularosa Cave date back to 300 B.C.

Tahoka Youth Has Champion Ewe At Fair

Scott Orr of Tahoka exhibited the champion ewe in the Suffolk division of the Panhandle-South Plains Fair open sheep show last week. Orr, 12-year-old son of Mr.

and Mrs. Mike O. showed the first place animals in several of Suffolk categories, including senior ram lamb, yearling ewe, senior ewe lamb, yearling ram lamb, pair of yearling ewes, pair of ewe lambs. In addition, he had second and third place animals in the show.

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GSPA Opposes Proposed Program Requirement

USDA is considering a new regulation which Grain Sorghum Producers Association believes would be very detrimental to future participation in farm programs. The proposed rule would require that farmers be approved by the Soil Conservation Service prior to their participation in government programs such as the feed grain set aside and price support program.

GSPA supports good conservation practices. However, to attach such requirements with the complications and red tape inherent in such a plan, to the price support programs would destroy the producer's interest in participation. Production control programs are essential to maintaining a balance in supply and demand. It is important to have as many farmers as possible in the program for it to work effectively.

GSPA encourages all of its members and other farm organizations to work with their congressmen and USDA officials to see that this cumbersome provision is not added to future price support programs.

Savings Bonds Sales Report

The July sales of Series E & H United States Savings Bonds in Lynn County were reported today by County Bond Chairman, F. B. Hegi to be \$2,916. Sales for the seven month period totaled \$28,356 for 27% of the 1979 sales goal of \$105,000. Texas sales during the month amounted to \$19,398,513, while sales for the first seven months of 1979 totaled \$159,353,972 with 54% of the yearly sales goal of 297.2 million achieved.

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Mandi Mouser was honored Saturday with a party celebrating her seventh birthday. The party was held at the city park and everyone enjoyed hot dogs and cake. Those attending were: Tommie, Michelle, Angela Young, Cody, Angela Chisum, Jennifer, Becky Morales, Jason, and Brad Mouser.

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The Mustang Band played in the South Plains Fair parade held in Lubbock.

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Wilson News

By Marsha Chisum

Mandi Mouser was honored last Saturday with a party celebrating her seventh birthday. The party was held at the city park and everyone enjoyed hot dogs and cake. Those attending were: Todd Houchin, Michelle and Angela Young, Cody and Branda Chisum, Jennifer Moss, Becky Morales, Jon Mouser, and Brad Mouser.

Winners for the homecoming week dress-up days were: Hat Day - Janie Zavaia and Mitch Barley; Western Day - Debbie Daniell and Lance McNeely; Fifties Day - Laurie Ross and Randy Hall; Kids Day - Pam Ray and David Cook; Blue and White Day - Paige Bishop and David Weaver.



WILSON CANDIDATES --Candidates for Harvest Festival Queen from Wilson are Norma Cantu, Melinda Castro, Irma Acuna, Yolanda Acuna and Denissa McNeely, shown here from left to right.

Friday night at the halftime show of the Wilson - Smyer ballgame. Members of the class present were: Pat Baxley Walch, Canyon; Conita Fields Webb, Georgetown; Birlene Webb Young, Garland; Wanda Hagler Clary, Tahoka; Carolyn Hall Dunn, Woodrow; Jeanette Schneider Heindrich, Slaton; Nancy Cook Ross, Wilson; Jim Blankenship, Lubbock; Melvin Lehman, Wilson; Maruin Buddy Daatz, Lubbock.

A luncheon was held at noon Saturday for the girls of the class in the home of Carolyn Dunn.

At the Exes business meeting held at the Mercantile Building following the ballgame the plaque for the person traveling the greatest distance was awarded to Birlene Young who came from Warren. The oldest Mustang plaque was presented to Mr. B.L. Hatchel of Wilson. The Exes enjoyed coffee and donuts.

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The junior high Mustangs brought home their third victory last Thursday evening as they defeated Smyer 26-0. Keith Spears scored the first Mustang touchdown with a 35 yard run in the first quarter. The next two touchdowns were scored by Sammy Nava from 35 and 30 yards out. Michael Lopez ran 30 yards for the fourth TD and also scored the only two extra points made for the Mustangs.

The season record is 3-0. The junior high will have a week off as the Borden County game has been cancelled. They will see action again on Thursday, Oct. 11 at Sands to begin district play.

Eighty-one West Texas State University junior nursing students received traditional recognition Sept. 21 in the convocation ceremonies. One participant from Wilson was Tracy Lee. The convocation is the awarding of caps to the nursing students to recognize the completion of the first level of nursing school. Dr. Hazel Aslakson, dean of the WTSU School of Nursing, awarded the caps/bars which signify junior standing at the WTSU nursing school. Women nursing students were awarded the traditional nursing caps, and men students received bars to wear on the lapels of the uniforms. Upon reaching the senior level, women will receive a stripe for their caps, and men will receive an additional bar.

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Wilson School Menu

- BREAKFAST -**
- MONDAY - Donut, diced peaches, and milk.
- TUESDAY - Cereal with milk, buttered toast, and milk.
- WEDNESDAY - Buttered toast, scrambled eggs, pink applesauce and milk.
- THURSDAY - Pancakes with butter and syrup, pineapple juice and milk.
- FRIDAY - Gingerbread, one half banana and milk.
- LUNCH -**
- MONDAY - Pizza, slaw, buttered corn, peach half, lemonade and milk.
- TUESDAY - Fish with tartar Sauce, green beans, cream potatoes, hush puppies, peanut butter cake, and milk.
- WEDNESDAY - Tacos, salad, red beans, lemon coffee cake, and milk.
- THURSDAY - Cream potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, orangejello with pineapple and milk.
- Friday - Hamburger, salad, French fries, pickles, onions, catsup, milk, and banana pudding.

Remove grass stains on washable fabrics by rubbing detergent into the stain, suggests Lillian Chenoweth, a family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Wash in hot sudsy water, she continues.

Then use any bleach safe for the fabric, the specialist adds.

For best quality home canned foods, try to follow the two-hour rule—two hours from garden to jar, recommends a foods and nutrition specialist, Marilyn Haggard, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Deadline for News Items Noon Tuesday

Hagens and Talkmitt Crowned Homecoming Queen and Beau

Miss Debra Hagens and Mustang Quintin Talkmitt were crowned Homecoming Queen and Beau in a pre-game ceremony last Friday night at Wilson. Debra is a junior and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hagens. She is head twirler for the Mustang Band, president of her class, reigning Lions Club Queen, Most Beautiful candidate,

and active in basketball, track, golf, and FHA. Quintin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Talkmitt and a senior. He is a Mustang Captain, offensive tackle and defensive linebacker. He was selected on the Top of Texas Class B defensive team this year and leads his teammates in total number of tackles for the season. He is a Most Handsome candidate

and is active in basketball, track, and FFA. Attendants for this year were: Kerrie Lee, Stephanie Cook, Jon Cox, and Randy Moczygmba. Debra and Quintin were crowned by last year's queen and beau, Tracy Ray and Mike Nettles.

LOCAL NEWS
Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lichey were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Boyanton of Quintan. They visited Wednesday thru Sunday.

Wilson Gets Homecoming Victory

The Wilson Mustangs defeated the Smyer Bobcats before their homecoming crowd last Friday night with a score of 6-0. The Mustangs were hindered throughout the ballgame with fumbles and bad breaks. The lone score came in the fourth quarter when Randy Hall scampered into the endzone from two yards out.

The Mustangs dominated the ballgame according to the statistics but just couldn't score more. Wilson had 16 first downs, 201 yards rushing, 22 yards passing, and 4 penetrations. The Bobcats were held to 4 first downs, 9 yards rushing, 66 yards passing, and 0 penetrations.

Offensively Hall had 113 yards rushing on 27 carries followed by Kendall Wilke with 52 yards on 5 carries. Wilke also caught a 22 yard pass from quarterback Jon Cox.

Defensively Quintin Talkmitt had 18 tackles followed by David Weaver with 16, Randy Moczygmba with 8, and Billy Bishop with 7.

The Mustangs travel to Borden County this Friday for their last non-district game set to begin at 8 p.m. The Mustangs are now 3-1 for the season.

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The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations: City Hall, Tahoka, Texas; Texas Contractor, Dallas, Texas; Dodge Report, Lubbock, Texas.

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The budget reflects the majority of Americans' preference for short term benefits instead of long term stability. As transfer payments have increased the investment in America's assets have decreased. In the mid-1950's military expenditures accounted for 56 percent of total federal outlays — today the figure is near 22 percent. In real terms our defense spending has shown no real growth for the past 10 years. Thus our military strength has declined relative to the rapidly growing defense forces of the Soviet Union. The Soviet Union has overcome our once superior advantage in strategic nuclear arms and has achieved superiority in almost every category of conventional military strength. Our Nation has not responded to this threat and thus the world is becoming an increasingly more dangerous place to live. The President has made a commitment to our NATO allies that the 1980 defense budget will increase by 3 percent in real terms. The proposed budget does not meet that commitment. I do intend to support a substitute budget that will meet the President's commitment to NATO and make possible a balanced budget by fiscal 1981.

Our federal spending priorities are becoming more and more myopic in their scope. Large deficits, more spending, and the lack of investment in America's fixed

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A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, October 16, 1979 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Center. The City's citizen participation plan will be presented at this hearing to obtain your views on this plan. This hearing will also provide citizens an opportunity to comment on the City's past performance in carrying out housing and community development programs. General information on the CDBG program will be available.

A final public hearing on the City's CDBG preapplication has been scheduled by the City Council on Monday, November 5, 1979 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Room in City Hall. At this meeting, the Council will make decisions on the amount of funds to be requested, the proposed projects and the proposed target areas. General information on the CDBG program will also be available.

All citizens are encouraged to attend these meetings and present their views on the proposed CDBG preapplication to the Council. Comments on housing and community development needs may be delivered to City Hall at any time prior to these public hearings. Handicapped individuals who may have difficulty in attending these meetings should contact City Hall to arrange for assistance.

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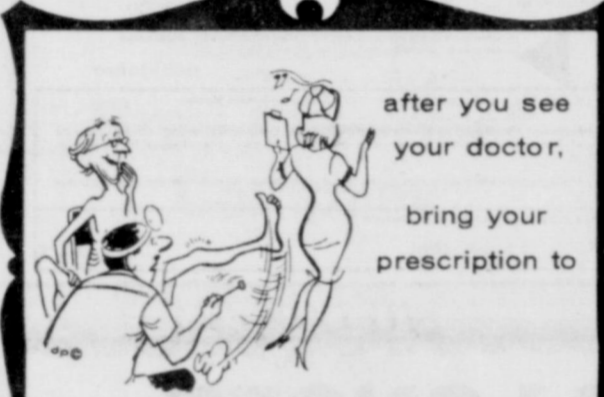
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The Second Budget Resolution calls for expenditures of \$548.2 billion and revenues of \$519.5 billion making a deficit of \$28.7 billion. This figure represents a con-

tinuation of the trend towards more federal growth. Government expenditures have outpaced the growth of the Nation's Gross National Product over the last quarter century. Since 1950 the annual growth in GNP has averaged 7.2 percent while total federal expenditures have grown at a 9 percent rate.

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