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Rising Costs Eroding Street Project Before Work Starts

Council Monday night approved an engineering project for preliminary work of \$500,000 paving and improvement project in Tahoka, giving the project to A.C. Bowden of Dallas, who has been the consulting engineer for

many years. As soon as the surveying and other engineering work is completed, Bowden said, bids will be sought on the project, which will be paid for by federal funds, with the half-million-dollar Community Development Block Grant

approved for the city for 1979.

Original plans had been to pave about 25 blocks in the south and east parts of the city, plus put caliche on about 45 blocks. However, Bowden said that with costs of the street work going up almost daily, there appears little likelihood that the grant will be enough to pay for that much paving and caliche work. Bids are not expected before early next year, and costs will be even higher then. Also, councilmen noted that there will be even higher then. Also, councilmen noted that there will be only about \$435,000 left for the actual street work after payment of engineering fees to Bowden (\$39,500) and fees to the firm of Barber-Traylor and Associates, which has been hired to administer this grant and work toward getting another grant for the city for next year.

The street improvements are restricted to areas of the city designated as those primarily occupied by low-income residents, as stipulated by federal guidelines. The money may not be used for paving in any areas of the city other than the two designated "target areas."

A map showing where improvements are tentatively planned is available at city hall.

Bowden also discussed briefly another pending city project, improvements in the water and sewer system, for which \$250,000 bonds were voted by city residents early this year. Contract on this project already has been awarded, and work is expected to begin early next year. Mayor Mel Leslie noted that some pipe has been delivered to the city recently for this work.

Part of the water-sewer system project which was not included in the general contract was renovation and repair of existing water storage tanks, and Bowden said he is having trouble getting bids on this particular work, but would try to obtain some as soon as possible.

Councilmen authorized repairs to the city hall heating system and to landfill equipment, and passed a resolution regarding railroad

crossing signals in the city.

Agreeing on the importance of having every citizen in Tahoka counted during the 1980 census, the councilmen approved a motion to establish a committee to promote cooperation in the count here.

The city also approved a contract with a Hereford firm for re-evaluation of property in the city in line with the state-mandated uniform appraisal is to be \$2,900, payable in January 1981. All councilmen were present.

Christmas Decorations Contest Set

The Tahoka Garden Club will again sponsor the Christmas Decorations Contest. There will be three categories: window, door, and overall. Three places in each category will receive ribbons.

Pictures of the first place winners will be in the Lynn County News the following week.

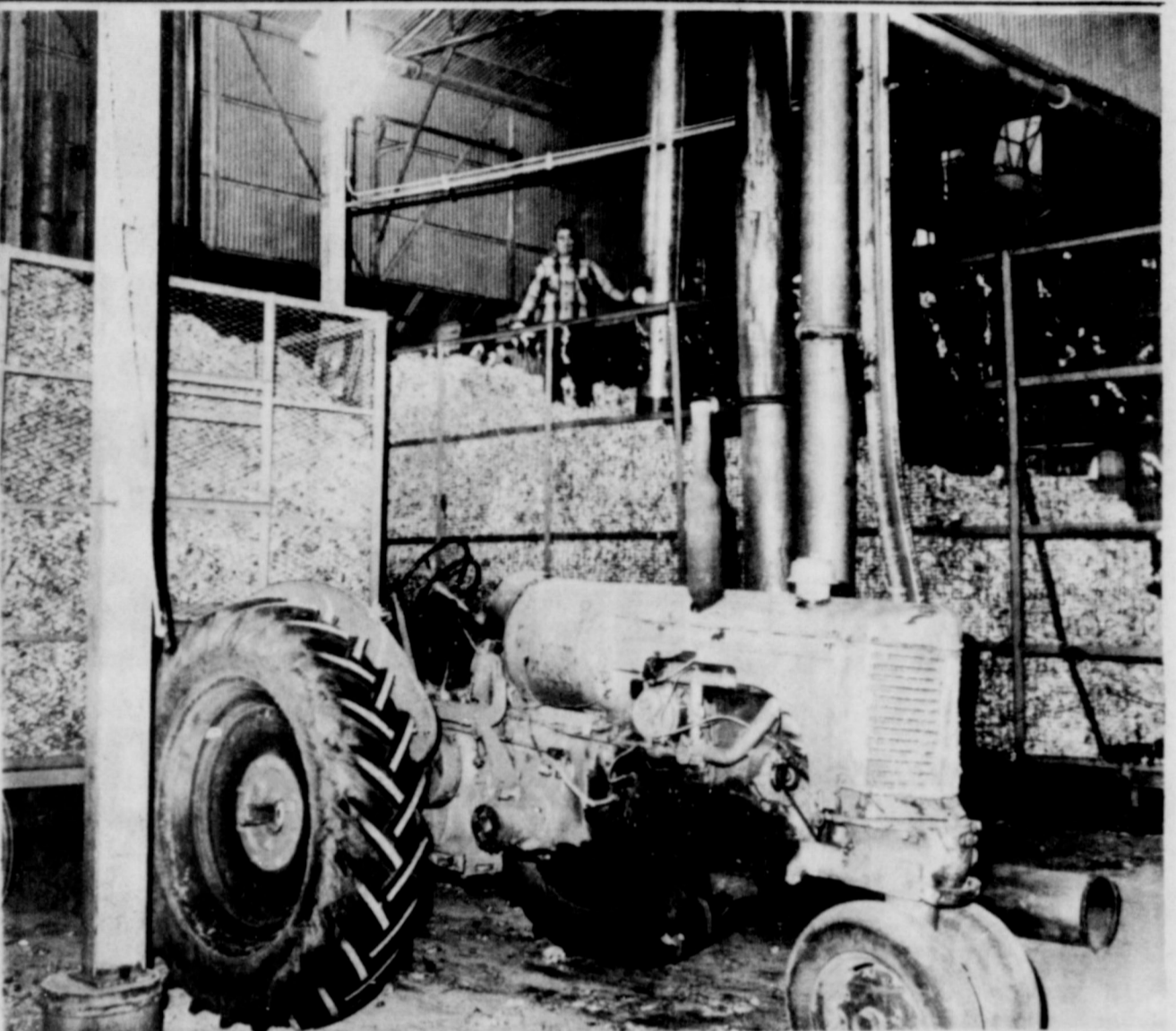
Entries must be received by Wednesday, Dec. 12. Judging will be that night at 6:30 p.m. To enter call Clifford Tankersley, 998-4254 or Hazel Proffitt, 998-4508.

Everyone is urged to take part in this decoration contest. Businesses are also invited to participate.

Santa Letters To Be Printed

Letters to Santa Claus from youngsters in Lynn County will be published in the Lynn County News Christmas Greeting edition to appear Dec. 20.

Some classes in Tahoka, Wilson, New Home and O'Donnell schools have been asked to submit letters. Any other youngsters wishing to turn in Santa letters may bring them to the Lynn County News, or address them to Santa Claus, Box 1170, Tahoka 79373. Letters must be received by Friday, Dec. 14.



GINNING GOES ON—Some farmers in the Tahoka area have finished stripping their cotton, but most are still busy as the good harvesting weather goes on. Meanwhile, the gins are covered up, and the ginning goes on at night, as illustrated here by some workers at Tahoka Co-op Tuesday night. (Lynn County News Photo)

Christmas Cantata Is Sunday

For many years the Community Choir, composed of singers from this area, has presented a Christmas cantata at one of the churches. This year the event will be Sunday night, Dec. 9, at 7 p.m. in the United Methodist Church. The public is invited to hear the 45 voice choir sing "The Story of Christmas" by John W. Peterson.

Accompaniment will be provided by organist, Hazel Bennett; pianist, Diana Hawthorne; and handbell choir, The Joy Ringers. The narration, taken directly from the King James version of the Bible, will be given by Harold Green.

Soloists will be Jon-Roy Ramsour, Chris Wise and Vivian McAfee.

Following the presentation, the congregation is invited to Fellowship Hall for refreshments and visiting. The Faith Circle will serve as hosts.



BULLDOG CAGE TEAM—With a 43-32 win over Ralls Tuesday night, the Tahoka varsity boys basketball team remained undefeated in the young season. The team, coached by Mike Williamson, is shown here. From left, back row, are Ralph Huffaker, Brad White, Lance Bevers, Doug Barham and Todd Brown. In front are Charles Bryson, Kenny Scott, Clifford Oages, Jacky Jolly, Tracy White, Lyndell Martin and Ricky Chapa. (Lynn County News Photo)

Crosby Youth Arrested In Pickup Stolen Here

Lynn County Deputy Sheriff Carlos McClesky arrested a Crosby County juvenile in a pickup stolen in Tahoka Tuesday. The pickup owned by Lester Adams of Tahoka was stolen from in front of the residence of Lupe Rangel. The deputy stopped the vehicle in O'Donnell and arrested the 16-year-old driver, who later was released in custody of his parents.

On Monday a car driven by a Tahoka woman struck a motorcycle driven by a 10-year-old boy, who had his 5-year-old brother as a passenger. Tahoka Police Dept. report indicate the boy ran a stop sign and pulled in

front of the woman. Neither child was injured.

Also on Monday at S. 1st and Ave. B a 1966 Pontiac driven by Rudy Rendon Chapa II, Rt. 2, struck a parked trailer owned by Louder Gin Co.

Police officers during the week issued two tickets each for parking in roadway and no drivers license, one for contesting for speed and one for running a red light.

County Bonds Sales Listed

August Sales of Series E & H United States Savings Bonds in Lynn County were reported today by County Bond Chairman F.B. Hegi to be \$3,277. Sales for the eight month period totaled \$31,633 for 30% of the 1979 sales goal of \$105,000.

Texas sales during the month amounted to \$21,233,340, while sales for the first eight months of the 1979 totaled \$180,587,312 with 61% of the yearly sales goal of 297.2 million achieved.

Some May Get Help On Fuel Bill

The first Energy Crisis Assistance Funds, approved by Congress last month, have been made available to South Plains Community Action Association, Inc. of Levelland. Congressman Charles W. Stenholm has announced. Lynn County families who think they may qualify are invited to apply at the Community Action Agency on the South 87 access road.

The funds, totaling \$89,308, are being provided to respond to energy related crises affecting the poor and near-poor households which are affected by the high costs of energy and an anticipated severe winter, Stenholm said.

"This one-time funding will provide assistance up to \$400 per house hold to ease energy-related problems," he said.

The Energy Crisis Assistance Programs is administered by the Community Services Administration.

The South Plains Community Action Association, Inc., located at 411 Austin Street, Levelland, Texas serves Bailey, Cochran, Garza, Hockley, Lamb, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum Counties.

WOODWORK

by dalton

YOUNGSTER from down the street came to the door the other day when the temperature outside must have been no more than 40's, plus the wind was cold, and most folks would have frozen. He was perfectly portable, he said.

church Sunday morning a little girl got out of her car and headed the 100 feet or so to the church building, leaving her coat in the car. Her mother giggled and commented that "Kids don't get cold."

When we lived in Plainview, the neighbors used the street used to let their 2-year-old son play in the snow with nothing on except a pair of shorts. No shoes, no shirt, and no service as he didn't need any—he could take care of himself.

In contrast, I recall my wife's grandfather sitting out on the front porch of their home in the field and wearing a black coat buttoned up in the degree weather. And it's not just older people who get cold, although a slowing down of circulation does leave one colder. Poor circulation is a real problem for older people and weekly papers.

When I get back to the original subject, the older who observed that "kids don't get cold" is probably wiser than we were when our own kids were children, although the permissiveness of the parents who let that little boy play outside in his shorts was a bit much.

It's true, that old joke about a sweater being a gift worn by a little boy when his mother is away. When I was a kid I played outside with my friends in the coldest weather. I honestly don't remember owning a coat, but probably did wear one on the coldest days. I definitely remember being cold in the house at night. We had no heat in the house at night, because it was considered too dangerous. So we'd get in the cold and there would be about 35 pounds of quilts piled up on us, and it was all any of us kids could do to get over.

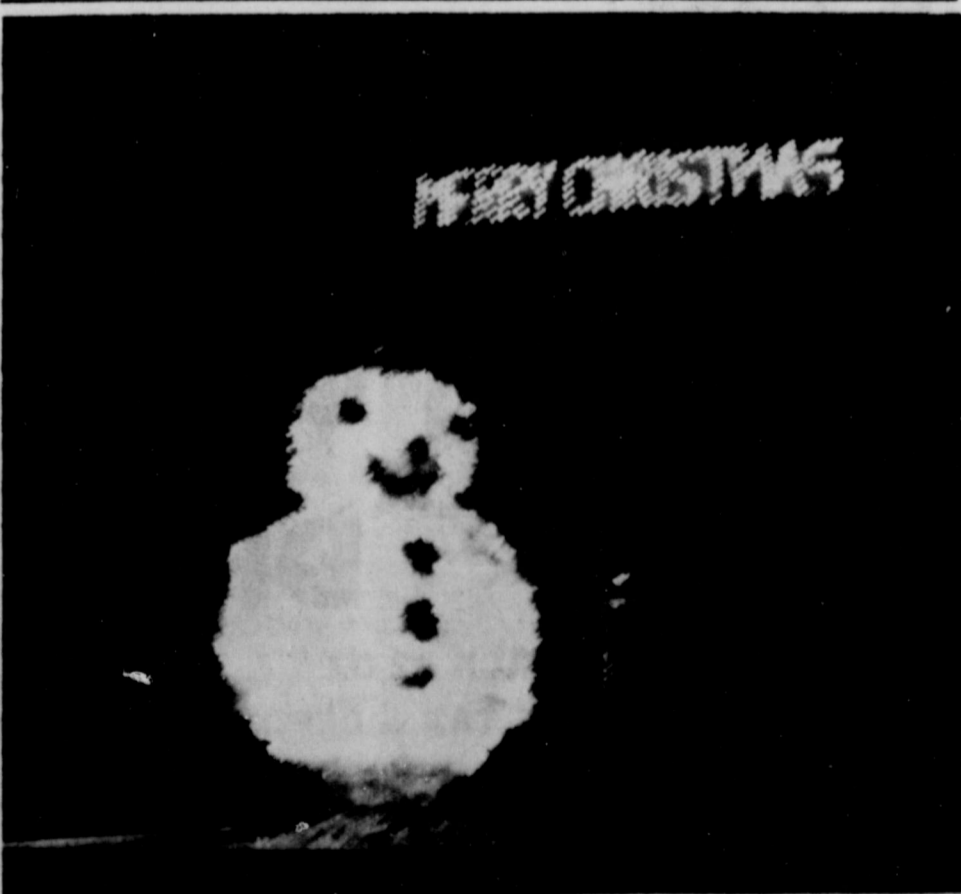
The floor was linoleum, and nothing gets warmer after a night of temperatures below freezing in the house. When you slid out from under a mass of covers and put your bare foot on the linoleum, you didn't spend much time standing looking around the room.

On wadys folks keep the temperature up to at least 60 or more inside the house at night, and are sure their kids might catch cold if they are allowed to play outside in the cold weather. It seems that youngsters are not as healthy these days as they were three or four decades ago.

We're not advocating that everyone throw their coats out in the snow naked. But remember, just because we don't want to go out there doesn't mean that they won't endure it happily.

It definitely changes as we grow older. I used to be able to play in the snow when I was a kid; now I only like to see it on television. I don't even like temperatures under 60 and can't imagine anyone deliberately living here in the world north of Plainview.

THE KID on Ave. K confronted his sister's friend and demanded, "Why do you come to my sister all the time? Don't you have one of your own?"



CHRISTMASY LOOK—The snowman on the courthouse lawn, with "Merry Christmas" in red lights across the top of the courthouse itself, give a seasonal look to downtown Tahoka, especially at night as shown here, along with other lightpole decorations and things merchants have done to their windows and stores. Many homes in town also have nice Christmas scenes, and more should be seen this week as Tahoka Garden Club sponsors a Christmas lighting contest.

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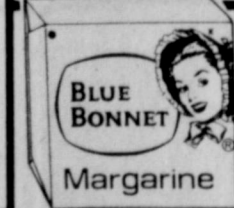
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The Tahoka Year Book Staff is selling the fashionable "Spirit Jeans". The girls' jeans will come with a color emblem (our mascot) embroidered in the center of the back left pocket and your name in white on the right back pocket. The jeans feature the fashionable straight leg and come in sizes 1 to 16. The boys' style will come

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available to try on. For more information, contact any Tahoka Annual Staff member or call 998-4538 (THS), 998-5142 (Mrs. Taylor) or 998-4982 (Suzy Lawson).

Adams Is Elected Delegate

Ray Adams has been elected to be a delegate to the 1979 Annual Meeting of the American Angus Association, reports Dr. C.K. Allen, executive vice-president of the national beef cattle association, with headquarters in St. Joseph, Missouri.

This year's Angus annual meeting will actually be held January 15 in Denver, Colorado, in conjunction with the National Western Stock Show. The business of the Association will be conducted by some 315 delegates from all over the United States. The number of delegates from a state is set by Association by-laws in proportion to the number of active life members of the American Angus Association in each state.

The American Angus Association is the largest beef cattle registry Association in the world with some 27,761 active life members plus an additional 9,242 non-voting junior members. During the 1979 fiscal year Angus breeders registered 266,693 new calves, more than any other beef breed organization in the country.



JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS--These Tahoka High School junior varsity girls are coached by Sandy Oliver. From left, top row, are Dannette Phillips, Denise White, Debbie Baylor and Elena Del Toro. Kneeling are Diana Vega, Rachel Salinas, Rebecca Sastre and Lizette Jamie. Lynn County News Photo



FRESHMAN CAGE GIRLS--Tahoka freshmen basketball girls are shown here, from left, back row, Barbara Williamson, Julie Roseberry, Denna Taylor, Julie Patterson, Lisa Huckabay, Pam Ashcraft. Front row, Vickie Randolph, Dawn Pierce, Melanie Terry, Cara Monk, Carra Hawkins and Jana Hammonds. (Lynn County News Photo)

Tahoka Basketball News

By AMY PORTERFIELD

The varsity boys and girls basketball teams played at Ralls on Dec. 4. The boys team gave the Jackrabbits a good run and led the whole game, winning 43-32. Charles Bryson was high pointer with 16 points. Kenny Scott added 11, Brad White 6, Jacky Jolly 6, Clifford Oages and Tracy White 2 each. B. White was leading rebounder and Scott had the most steals.

The varsity girls were defeated by Ralls. Lani Brown led the scoring with 6 points. Cathy Meeks, Amy Porterfield, Starr Knox and Andra Draper had 4 each and Lynia Payne 2. Charlene Bryson had 7 rebounds and Brown and Meeks led in steals.

The Tahoka Varsity Boys basketball team won the championship in the New Home tournament last week. In the first game the bulldogs slipped by the Christ The King Trojans 53-51. Kenny Scott was high scorer with 20 points. Charles Bryson put in 11 points, Clifford Oages and Tracy White scored 6 each, Brad White, 5 points, Jacky Jolly, 3 and Todd Brown 2. Oages and Bryson led in rebounds.

In the 2nd game the Bulldogs soared past Borden County 52-41. Scott, again, was top scorer with 20 points, followed by Oages with 11, Brown and Jolly had 6 each. B. White, T. White and Doug Barham made 4 each, Ricky Chapa and Bryson 3 each. Oages led in rebounds.

In the championship game, the varsity boys won 62-45 to clinch the championship trophy. Scoring were Scott, 18; Bryson, 16; T. White, 12; Oages, 7; Brown, 7 and Jolly, 2. Bryson was leading rebounder.

The Tahoka Varsity Girls participated in the New Home Tournament last week. In the first game the girls lost 36-34 to Christ The King after having a 12 point lead in the 3rd quarter.

Tahoka led the whole game until the fourth quarter, when the team ran into foul trouble. Three starters fouled out. Lani Brown was high pointer with 12, followed by Amy Porterfield with 8, Charlene Bryson, 4; Cathy Meeks, 3 and Lynia Payne, 2 each and Andra Draper, 1. Leading rebounders were Porterfield and Bryson. Porterfield also led in steals with 10. All members scored in the game.

The girls got smoked by Seagraves in the 2nd game with a score of 63-37. Leading scorer was Payne with 10, Knox, 8; Porterfield, 6; Bryson, 6; Meeks, 4; and Brown 2. Bryson led in rebounds and Porterfield led in steals. The girls will be participating in the Rall Tournament Dec. 6 thru 8.

The Tahoka Freshmen Girls shot down Roosevelt Eagles 47-29, Nov. 27. Julie Roseberry led the team with 19 points, Pam Ashcraft and Julie Patterson popped in 12 points each. Melanie Terry added 5 and Barbara Williamson 2.

The JV girls participated in the Lorenzo tournament last week. It was a win for them. (I apologize to them for losing the game stats for the first game. A.P.)

In the 2nd game of the tournament the girls flipped Floydada 49-33. High pointer was Julie Roseberry with 28 points. Melanie Terry put in 6, Pam Ashcraft and Barbara Williamson 4 each and Debbie Bailey, 3.

The plays played for the championship and lost that game to Post. The score was 49-37. Ashcraft led with 19 points. Bailey had 8, Roseberry 4, Terry 3, Williamson 2 and Julie Patterson 1.

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expected to set record values for the eleventh straight year, notes Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown, and Texas will again capture a large share of that market. "It is expected that U. S. farm exports will range from \$35 to \$40 billion in 1980, up from about \$32 billion in 1979," he said. "Texas, the nation's No. Three agricultural exporter, will likely see its \$2 billion share increased." Brown noted that the U. S. also may reap a record \$19 billion farm trade surplus in fiscal 1980.

THE STRUCTURE OF THE TEXAS AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY will receive close examination December 6 at hearings scheduled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Wichita Falls.

The hearings are part of a series of ten regional meetings being held throughout the country to examine a variety of problems, government policies and conditions which affect American agriculture, according to Texas Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. Brown will be attending the hearings in Wichita Falls.

"We want to make sure that Texas is well represented since virtually every issue that affects American agriculture has special impact on Texas," Brown said.

"We are living in a period when strong and conflicting demands are being made upon our agriculture system and the communities in which it operates," he said. "It is vital that we shape our policies so that they best meet the needs of farmers, rural communities and the American public in the years to come."

U. S. Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland will be on hand to hear the comments of farmers, ranchers and other agribusinessmen from Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

AMERICAN WORKERS put in fewer hours to earn grocery money than those in most other countries, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown.

"Last year, it took an average Washington, D. C., worker less than 90 minutes to earn enough to buy a market basket consisting of bread, bacon, sirloin steak, pork chops, eggs, tomatoes, chicken, oranges and butter," Brown said. "Compare this to the seven hours and 15 minutes it took a Japanese worker to earn enough to purchase the same groceries."

Over two-and-a-half hours of work was required by a worker in France, and over three-and-a-half hours for a worker in the United Kingdom. Only Canadian workers fared slightly better than those in the U. S.

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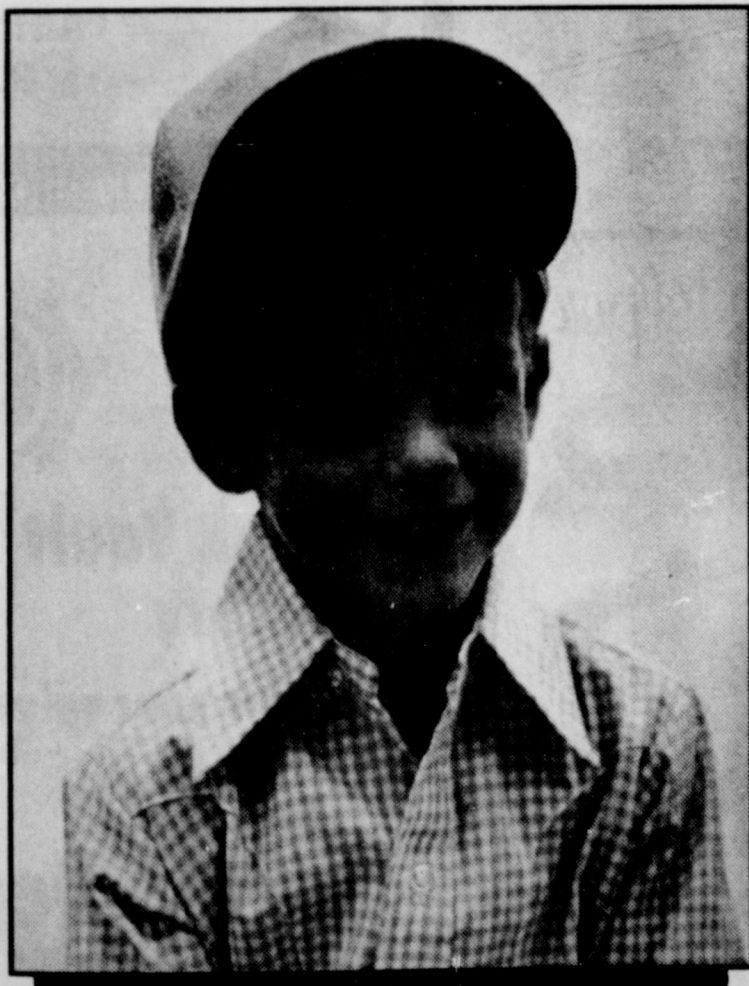
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The children of today are looking to us for ways they can prepare for their own style of life... families... and job opportunities. To help, we'll need more electricity. True, electricity will play a big role toward helping expand the job market to include these adults of tomorrow. The modern use of electricity has contributed a better educational system to prepare our young people for the new experiences yet to come.

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Wilson News

By Marsha Chisum

The junior class will present their class play this Saturday evening, Dec. 8, at 7 p.m. in the school auditorium. The play is entitled "No Boys Allowed" and is a comedy. Admission prices are: K-6 \$1; 7-12, \$1.50 and adult \$2. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

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In case of bad weather and Wilson should have to call off school for a day, please listen to the following radio and television stations for that information: KFYO Radio, KLL Radio, KCAS Radio Station, or KMAC Channel 28.

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Todd Houchin was honored on his seventh birthday with a surprise party in his home last Friday afternoon. Those attending were Jon Stone, Dusty Hart, Cody Chisum, and James Munos. The party was given by Todd's older sisters Tonya and Trisha.

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The Athletic Booster Club will meet Monday, Dec. 10 directly after the Wilson - New Home junior high ballgame.

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The junior high varsity girls defeated Smyer 34-17 last week with Terry Nolte scoring 20. In the boys game, Wilson won 68-31. Billy Nava led with 24 points.

home Dec. 10. Concession workers for that game are: Mr. and Mrs. Allen Day (C), Mr. and Mrs. Suroy Benavidez, Mr. and Mrs. Don Morton, and Lupe Zamora, Leonardo Modesto, Juanita Rjos, Connie Villarreal and Consetulo Villarreal.

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The high school junior varsity teams each fell short of a victory last Tuesday as they lost to Christ the King. In the girls game 32-30, Lisa Steinhauer led with 8 points. Wilson lost 46-44 in the boys game with Bobby Garcia scoring 16 and Kendall Wilke 15.

The varsity boys defeated Christ the King 66-49 that same evening Quintin Talkmitt scored 22 points.

†††

Both high school varsity teams participated in the Anton Tournament last week end. The girls won third place. They defeated Lorenzo 66-41 in the opening game. Cindy Slone led with 23 points and Debra Hagens scored 16. In the second game Wilson lost 45-43 in the final seconds to Whitharral. Leading scorers were Slone with 14, Kerrie Lee 12, and Hagens 10. In the third game Wilson defeated Anton 52-39. Hagens had 14 points and Slone 13. Cindy Slone was named to the All Tournament Team.

In the boys bracket, Wilson lost to Lorenzo 67-50 with Talkmitt scoring 23. In the second game Farwell won 76-63. Talkmitt led with 26 followed by Randy Hall with 12.

The varsity teams will meet Borden County at home Tuesday, Dec. 11. Games will open at 5 p.m. with the JV boys. The varsity will then be playing in the Borden County Tournament Dec. 13 - 15. They will open against Patton Springs Thursday at 3:40 for the girls and 5:05 for the boys.

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Concession workers on Dec. 11 are: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Swope (C) Mr. and Mrs. Eual Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crispin, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Talkmitt and Vera Cox.

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Don't forget about the Christmas Lighting Contest sponsored by the Lion's Club. Entries must be received by Thursday, Dec. 20.

Enter by mailing or giving the name, address, category and directions to your home to John Fields, Box 282, 628-4571, or contact David Wied at 628-3221. Categories are: house and/or yard and door and/or window. Cash prizes will be presented to winners.

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"When the stomach is full, it is easy to talk of fasting." St. Jerome

Wilson School Menu

BREAKFAST
MONDAY- Blueberry Muffin, diced pears and milk.

TUESDAY- Pancake with butter & syrup, orange juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY- Donut, mixed fruit and milk.

THURSDAY- Cereal with Milk and toast and diced peaches.

FRIDAY- Buttered toast, slice bacon, scrambled eggs, grape juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY- Vegetable beef soup, cheese toast, peanut cup, crackers, milk and cherry cobbler.

TUESDAY- Tacos, slaw, red beans, milk and chocolate pudding with topping.

WEDNESDAY- Ham and cheese sandwich, tator tots, carrot sticks, pickle spheres, milk and peanut cookies.

THURSDAY- Turkey and dressing with gravy, cranberry sauce, English peas and carrots, hot rolls, peach half and milk.

FRIDAY- Barbecue beef on bun, French fries, vegetable salad, catsup, milk, and chocolate macaroon cake.

According to the AMA, soft water is better for hair and skin than hard water.

OW! HARD WATER!

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Wilson Mustangs Dominate All District Team Selections

The Wilson Mustangs dominated the All District Team selections in the 3-B West Zone which were released last week.

Wilson placed 5 on the offensive team and 5 on the defensive team. Four Mustangs were named on both teams: Quintin Talkmitt as offensive tackle and defensive line-backer, David Weaver as offensive guard and defensive center and defensive down lineman, and Randy Hall as offensive and defensive back. Talkmitt was a unanimous choice on both teams. Also named to the offensive all district team was end Mitch Bartley. Honorable mention honors went to Robbie Autry, tackle. Named to the defensive team was also end Rick Schwertner. Honorable mention defensive went to Jon Cox at end, Robbie Autry at down lineman, and Mitch Bartley at line-backer.

Klondike placed 2 on the defensive team and 3 on the offensive. Meadow placed 3 on the defensive and 2 on the offensive. Both New Home and Sands placed 1 on each team.

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Disaster Loan Available

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm has today announced that the County of Lynn has been declared a natural disaster by the Farmers Home Administration of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

This disaster was caused by hail, wind and sand, flooding and drought on May 23 and May 27, 1979, July 17-19, 1979, and August 1 through September 15, 1979. This damage was to crops in the county.

Farmers in the area may apply for emergency loan assistance to recover physical losses through August 26, 1980 and for production losses through November 26, 1980. Applications should be filed in the County FmHA Office.

Toys For Tots In Lynn County

Anyone interested in donating toys can take them to 1404 South 3rd in Tahoka or call 998-5094 for further information.

The Lynn County Community Action group is collecting new and used toys to be used in the county for those in need of them.

From the TAP Kitchen

TEXAS PECAN PIE

Crust:

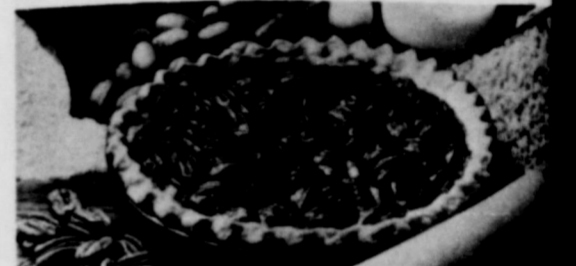
- 1 1/3 C. all-purpose flour
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 2/3 C. shortening
- 3 T. water

Mix flour and salt together, add shortening and cut into with fork or pastry blender. Add water and mix gently with fork in stirring motion. Gather pastry into a ball and pat into pie tin. With tips of fingers, spread pastry along bottom sides of pie tin, shaping with a high, fluted edge. Make 9-inch pie shell.

Filling:

- 1 1/2 C. brown sugar, firmly packed
- 1/2 C. granulated sugar
- 1/4 C. water
- 2 T. all-purpose flour
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 C. evaporated milk
- 1 1/2 C. pecan halves
- 3/4 tsp. vanilla

Combine first five ingredients in small bowl and mix well. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Add evaporated milk and vanilla. Stir in pecan halves and vanilla. Mix well and unbake 9-inch pie shell. Cook in preheated 400 degree oven for 10 minutes. Reduce heat to 350 degrees F and bake an additional 35-40 minutes, or until filling is firm and center and is well browned. Let pie cool before cutting.



Thompson-Aiken Plan December 8 Wedding

Mrs. Billye Dodson of Early and C.B. Thompson of Brownfield announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Thompson to Michael Aiken, son of Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Aiken of Highland.

and will be a Dec. 8 wedding at 7 p.m. at the Pine Park United Methodist Church of Irving, Texas. Mary is the granddaughter of the late L.B. Jones and Mrs. Jones of Draw.

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IN SMALL QUANTITIES OR BULK

New Home News

By Florence Davies

Mrs. Larry (Karon) Durham in room 789 Methodist hospital where she is being treated for burns she suffered Monday evening last week. She was preparing their Christmas meal when she slipped and fell against a pot boiling on the stove, scalding it over her stomach, back and back. She will remain in the hospital another week or two. Her other and sister-in-law, Mrs. Dudley and Cindy Edwards, students in West Texas State at Canyon came Monday to visit her and stay the night here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards.

For eight days in the hospital Mr. H.C. Melrose was dismissed and returned home Wednesday with his daughter, Mrs. (Peggy) Frisbee of

A Community Holiday Service will be held next Sunday Dec. 9 after morning services in each church. A covered dish luncheon will begin at 12:30 in the school cafeteria and a program will begin at 1:30 with each church having a small part.

Mrs. Betty Goforth of Odessa and Gracie Jenkins of Rising Star came Tuesday to visit with their sister, Mrs. E.M. Rudd and family.

Byron L. Wren, 85, died Tuesday, Nov. 20 in the Memphis Convelescent Home in Memphis, Texas. Services were Nov. 23 in the Bell Seal Funeral Chapel in Snyder with Rev. Bob Gorson pastor, First Baptist Church in Salem, Mo. officiating.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters; Pauline Skull, Clarendon; Betty Gorson, Salem, Mo. and Lovetta Cooper, Washington D.C.; one brother, Bob Wren, Big Spring. Several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mr. Wren lived in New Home during the mid '60's. He was employed at the Edwards Machine Shop.

Mrs. J.W. Clements reentered the Methodist Hospital Sunday for treatment.

If the weather continues to be dry this week the farmers will be nearly through gathering cotton. There are still many bales in modules in the fields and the gin yards are full. Therefore, the gins will be busy for a good while. Report of bales ginned up this Monday morning are: Coop In Lakeview, 6065; Petty Farmers, 4700; New Home Gin Co., 2543 and Wilson Coop in Wayside, 3655.

Cracker Jacks

By LENDA WOOD

Step 1: 6 quarts popped corn
Step 2: In large deep sauce pan: 2 sticks oleo 2 C. brown sugar 1/2 C. karo (white) pinch salt
Cook until reaches boiling point, stirring to prevent sticking. At this point, add 2 c. raw peanuts. Boil 5-6 minutes, stirring to keep nuts from sticking.
Step 3: Remove from heat, add: 1 t. vanilla 1/2 t. soda
Pour over popped corn, coating well. Bake for 1 hour in 250 degree oven, stirring every 15 minutes. (Bake in large roasting pan.)

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Micronaire values on the 1979 High Plains cotton crop to date have been highly disappointing to producers and more than a little surprising to cotton technologists.

Farmers, seeing almost every boll open on every stalk in their fields at the beginning of the harvest, naturally expected at least reasonably good mike readings.

No less fooled were those who study micronaire and monitor the growing conditions that control it. They predicted that from 30 to 45 percent of the crop would mike in the premium range of 3.5 to 4.9 micrograms.

Instead, a much smaller 14 percent of the first 479,189 bales classed by the High Plains' four classing offices through November 23 fell in that category. Only cotton classed at the Lamesa office, where a little over 28 percent has miked 3.5 to 4.9, even approached the early predictions.

In retrospect, researchers now theorize that the low mike is attributable to the cumulative effect of several factors not given the proper weight in former calculations.

To begin with, they say, the crop was late, setting most of its fruit in August. Weather-induced late plantings in parts of the area and seedling disease problems in other areas prevented all but a minimum of fruiting in July.

But when squares and blooms did appear, the think-



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ing goes, conditions were almost ideal and plants set and retained an abnormally high number of forms that were dependent for fiber development on plants that were later unable to do the job adequately.

A sequence of three events, coupled with the crop's late start, are blamed for the preponderance of under-sized bolls, many of them opening prematurely, that brought on the poor mike readings.

First, abundant moisture early in the season prevented plants from developing normal taproots. Then around mid-September there was a period when plants, already straining under an unusually heavy fruit load, suffered a mild "shock" from low temperatures. The final blow came when additional rainfall failed to appear and the crop went into moisture stress in the latter part of September and early October.

Dr. James Supak, Area Extension Cotton Agronomist, is also cautioning producers about the quality of planting seed that might be saved from this year's crop. "There is a strong possibility," he states, "that even seed showing good germination will not have the seedling vigor required to produce and hold a stand under early-season conditions that often occur on the Plains."



Farm Labor Position To Be Studied: The National Cotton Council received a notice this week from the Labor Department stating the agency has decided to restudy its position concerning application of the Farm Labor Contractor Registration Act to the operation of cotton gins. The notice stated that enforcement under the act will be suspended in the ginning industry pending the outcome of the study. During the course of the study, the Department will seek the industry's advice.

Exports Remain Heavy: New sales of 206,200 running bales of upland cotton during the week ended Nov. 18 pushed the season's total to 6,470,300. The principal buyers were China, 53,500, and Hong Kong, 45,500. The week's exports totaled 103,500 bales and pushed the season's shipments to 1,565,400 compared with 1,372,500 a year ago.

FIFRA Clears House: The House has passed the Federal Insecticide, Fungi-

cide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) extending the Environmental Protection Agency's authority to regulate pesticides. The bill also contains a provision for a one-house veto of EPA regulations. The Senate has already passed a separate bill without a veto provision. The Administration has indicated its opposition to the veto provision.

And Cotton Yesterday—Cliff dwellers were growing cotton in New Mexico around 1300.

Include a variety of nutritious foods in planning meals at home, advises a foods in planning meals at home, advises a foods and nutrition specialist, Mary K. Sweeten, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Children are better able to retain nutrition knowledge learned at school when it is reinforced by favorable nutrition practices in the home, she points out.

Billy Whitaker

Assistant County Extension Agent

Says...

4-H youth in the electric energy program know fluorescent lights can save energy.

For example, one watt of fluorescent lighting will provide four times more light than one watt of incandescent lighting.

Young people 9-19 in the national 4-H electric energy program have made wise energy use a way of life.

Among energy conservation practices they engage in are these: turn lights off when a room is vacated for more than 15 minutes; keep lamp bulbs, fixtures and shades clean (dirt and dust can absorb as much as 50 percent of the light); and replace darkened bulbs with new ones where possible.

Each year, more than 100,000 4-H members learn-by-doing to conserve and manage their own use of electric energy, and to explore more efficient uses of energy and new energy sources.

Their projects and activities, supervised by the Extension Service nationwide, also include making useful electrical items, repairing small appliances, and working with electronic equipment. And 4-H'ers investigate career opportunities in electric and allied industries.

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Boys' Ranch Christmas Suit Fund

The annual drive to outfit all of the 370 boys of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch with new suits began today.

Purchasing new suits for the boys with donations of \$45 is a favorite way for many friends of the Ranch to help at Christmas time.

"His first suit is something a boy never forgets," Virgil Patterson, Ranch President, said. "We want to make it a happy Christmas, not only for the boys now living at the Ranch, but also for new boys who will be coming to us during the coming year."

Amarillo department stores cooperate with the Christmas Suit Fund by giving special discounts on boys' suits. Other boys will receive gift packages of clothing that will include shirts, ties, jackets, trousers or other articles needed by them.

"A new suit or clothing package is the best Christmas gift any of our boys will receive," Mr. Patterson said. "It is a year-round reminder of those who really care."

Donations to the Christmas Suit Fund may be mailed to the Boys Ranch Office, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas 79174, or be taken to the office at 600 West 11th Street in Amarillo.

Proper care of shoes will prolong their wear-life, says Nancy Brown, a clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Tahoka Merchants Appreciate Your Business

A Hundred More Texas Stations To Begin Selling Gasohol Fuel

AUSTIN--Some 100 more stations will begin selling gasohol in Texas beginning November 21, and Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown believes that "It's time we moved from the drawing board to production in this state."

"Gasohol has a great potential for the future," Brown said, "since Texas has all the agricultural resources necessary to produce fuel in commercial quantities." He noted that the gasohol that is being sold in Texas now is being refined in the Midwest.

Sigmore Corporation will replace its unleaded premium fuel with gasohol in 100 stations within a 60-mile radius of San Antonio. Tom E. Turner, president, has plans to move gasohol into stations in the Austin area next.

"With the uncertainty in the Middle East, there is more and more interest in other sources of fuel. There are plenty of investors and agricultural producers who have plans to begin gasohol production in Texas as soon

as possible," Brown said. "Every time a gasoline retailer adds gasohol to his supply, we are whittling away at the need for imported oil. The mixture contains only ten percent alcohol, but if every pump carried it, that amount would help compensate for the lack of oil from Iran. It would certainly reduce the inflationary burden of U.S. dollars going to the Middle East."

"I believe very soon that we will see some changes in the problems we've had getting started with gasohol in Texas," Brown said.

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F.A. Wyatt

Fontaine A. (Alex) Wyatt, 55 year resident of Tahoka, died at the Lynn County Hospital Nov. 30, following a lengthy illness.

Services were held Sunday, Dec. 2 at First United Methodist Church with Rev. John Johns of Lubbock officiating.

Burial was in Tahoka cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home.

Mr. Wyatt was born in 1900 in Weimar, Texas. He was married to the late James H. and Emma Maddox. They moved to Tahoka, Texas with his family in 1912.

Mr. Wyatt attended school here, and was located in a two story building near the swimming pool.

In 1938 Wyatt married Mrs. Anderson of Olathe. The couple was married in Tahoka. He farmed in Tahoka and was also a dealer with his brother, He was a member of Odfellow Lodge and Methodist Church.

Survivors include his two daughters, Jerre A. and Mary Ellen, both in Tahoka, Alaska; two sons, Madeline Wyatt, Albuquerque, N.M., and James Carr of Lubbock, a brother, Notie.

Funeral bearers were Ray, Brook, Clint Walker, Herman, Maurice Huff, and Joe Anderson.

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F.A. Wyatt

Fontaine A. (Alex) Wyatt, a 65-year resident of Tahoka, died at the Lynn County Hospital Nov. 30, following a lengthy illness. Services were held Sunday, Dec. 2 at First United Methodist Church with Rev. Newton Starnes, pastor, and Rev. John Johns of Lubbock officiating. Burial was in Tahoka cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home. Born in 1900 in Weatherford to the late James Hunter and Emma Maddox Wyatt, he moved to Tahoka, Texas with his family in 1912, and Tahoka in 1914. He attended school here, at that time located in a two-story brick building near the Tahoka swimming pool.

In 1938 Wyatt married Louise Anderson of O'Donnell. The couple was wed in Brownfield. He farmed near Tahoka and was also a grain dealer with his brother Stanley. He was a member of the Oddfellow Lodge and the Methodist Church. Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Jerre Ann of Tahoka and Mary Ellen of Wasilla, Alaska; two sisters, Madeline Wyatt of Albuquerque, N.M., and Frances Carr of Lubbock; a brother, Notley of Tahoka. Pallbearers were Raymond Westbrook, Clint Walker, Peter Herman, Maurice Huffaker, Roger Bell, and Johnny Johnson.

Joseph (Joe) Rogers

Services for Joseph Franklin (Joe) Rogers, 65, of O'Donnell were held Tuesday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Harry Kennedy, pastor, and the Rev. Norman Patton, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in O'Donnell Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home. Rogers, born in Venus, Texas Aug. 22, 1914 and came to Lynn County in 1924 from Ellis County. He attended school at Midway and married Burna Faye Brandon in Lamesa in 1936. He was a member of Masonic Lodge and Baptist Church. He died in Lynn County Hospital Sunday, Dec. 2 after a lengthy illness. Rogers was employed by Lynn County Precinct #3 and retired some time ago.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, Nora Rogers of Hobbs; two daughters, Burna Jo Hancock and Donna Lee Moore of O'Donnell; a son, Sammy Franklin of O'Donnell; six sisters, Audrey Thompson of Brownwood, Margaret Galneau of Jal, N.M.; Willene Edwards of Hobbs; Valree Snider and Doris Mahurin of Slaton and Gean Johnson of Odessa; two brothers, W.A. of Carlsbad, Texas and Roscoe of Monument, N.M.; and eight grandchildren. Pallbearers were Sam Mensch, Fernanda Lopez, Charles Gass, Tom E. Vestal,

Wayne Mott and Sam Rios. Honorary pallbearers were Jeff White, H. Hancock, Bart Anderson, Paul Sherrill, Jack Brewer and Bonfilio Lopez.

Former Area Resident Dies

Mrs. Della McMillan, 85, 140 Oak Grove Drive, Sulphur Springs, Texas, died Monday, Nov. 26 in the University of Texas Medical Hospital in Tyler. She was born July 29, 1894 in Winterstown, Texas, the daughter of Ike and Leona Walters Parks. She was a member of the Baptist Church. Mrs. McMillan, a former resident of O'Donnell, married Luther McMillan in 1938. He preceded her in death in 1972.

Survivors are four sons; Arthur Singleton and J.W. Singleton both of Sulphur Springs, Parks Singleton of Dallas and N.T. Singleton of Price, Utah; two daughters, Mrs. Jewel Blair of Livingston and Mrs. Joy Ellis of Odessa; 20 grandchildren, 35 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren. Services were held Wednesday at Tapp Funeral Home in Sulphur Springs with the Rev. D.C. Housewright officiating. Burial was in Restlawn Memorial Park with grandparents serving as pallbearers.

Check your chimney for cracks, urges Claudis Kerebel, a consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The Texas A&M University System. Sparks, heat and smoke may seep through a crack and cause damage, she cautions.

Early Days In Grassland

Copied from Lynn County News, 1929.

Mr. E.M. Walker has again resumed business in Grassland. The store may look like a toy but despite that fact it is stocked with real merchandise. On Monday morning Mr. Gile Mathis received a message that his father who resided at Southland had passed away during the night. To them, also, we extend our sympathy. Mr. Gene Lawson has been confined to his home the past week on account of illness. Glad to note that he is able to resume his studies in the Post School this week. Mr. and Mrs. Cook went to Dixie Sunday February 2nd to attend the singing by the Stamps Quartette. The house was so crowded that there was not standing room.

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Solar Power Rotary Topic

The Solar Power Project under construction two miles south of Crosbyton is one of the methods the nation is using to meet the current energy crisis. Lt. Col. Travis Simpson of the Texas Tech Electrical Engineering Department, declared in a talk before the Rotary Club last Thursday noon. Because such projects are new, this is a very expensive one, he said, but Americans must accept the fact that there will be no more cheap energy. The project is costing about \$25 million and is designed to furnish about 28 percent of the electrical energy for that town. Texas Tech and the City of Crosbyton are working in cooperation with the Federal Government on the project. He revealed that a former Tahoka youth, Bill Brock, now a graduate student at Tech, is an important cog in developing scientific details of the project. Norman Barrett, Crosbyton City Secretary, introduced the speaker for the program arranged by Dalton Wood.

Don't expose hearing aids to high temperature—such as a blast from a hair dryer or direct exposure to the sun, cautions Carla Shearer, a health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The Texas A&M University System. Heat can damage the aid's amplifier and cause the batteries to deteriorate, the specialist explains.



alone at Christmas

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By giving to The Salvation Army, you help to make Christmas a time of warmth and joy.

Sherry Etheredge Says....

Here are two recipes for the holiday season:

Pumpkin Cheese Cake

- 1 1/2 C. swieback or graham cracker crumbs
- 3 Tbs. sugar
- 3 Tbs. margarine, melted
- 2 packages (8 oz. each) cream cheese, softened
- 1 C. light cream
- 1 C. canned pumpkin
- 3/4 C. sugar
- 4 egg yolks
- 3 Tbs. flour

1 teasp. vanilla
1 teasp. cinnamon
1/2 teasp. nutmeg
1/4 teasp. salt
1/2 teasp. ginger

4 stiffly beaten egg whites
Combine swieback or graham cracker crumbs, 3 Tbs. sugar and margarine; press into bottom and 2 inches up sides of a 9-inch spring form pan. Bake at 325 degrees for 5 minutes. In a large bowl, combine cream cheese, light cream, pumpkin, 3/4 C. sugar, egg yolks, flour, vanilla, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg, and salt. Beat until smooth. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into prepared crust. Bake at 325 degrees for 1 hour.

Combine 1 cup dairy sour cream, 2 Tbs. sugar, 1/2 teaspoon vanilla. Spread over cheesecake. Bake 5 minutes more. Chill thoroughly before serving. Serves 12.

Tahoka School Menu

- BREAKFAST**
MONDAY - Pancakes & syrup, butter, orange juice and milk.
TUESDAY - Oatmeal, buttered toast apple juice and milk.
WEDNESDAY - Honey buns, pear halves and milk.
THURSDAY - Donuts, sliced peaches and milk.
FRIDAY - Cereal (Raisin Bran), orange halves and milk.
- LUNCH**
MONDAY - Frito Pie, seasoned blackeyed peas, buttered potatoes, cornbread, and applesauce cake.
TUESDAY - Sliced turkey, mashed potatoes, buttered June peas, hot rolls and strawberry jello.
WEDNESDAY - Roast & gravy, mashed potatoes, seasoned green beans, hot rolls and sliced pineapple.
THURSDAY - Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, vegetable soup, lettuce wedges and rolled wheat cookies.
FRIDAY - Hamburgers, French fries, lettuce, onion, pickles. K thru 3rd grade - sliced peaches, 4th thru 12th grade - peach cobbler.

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1 C. sugar
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DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	VB	VG	JVB	JVG
Nov. 29-1	Lorenzo JV Boys & Girls Tourney				X	X
Nov. 29-1	New Home Varsity Boys & Girls Tourney		X	X	X	X
Dec. 4	Ralls	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 6-8	Ralls Tourney-Varsity Boys & Girls		X	X	X	X
Dec. 11	Brownfield	5:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 13-15	Plains Varsity Tourney Girls Only			X		
Dec. 13-15	O'Donnell Varsity Tourney JV Boys Only			X		
Dec. 14	Crosbyton	8:00	X			
Dec. 18	COOPER*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 20	Roosevelt*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 27-29	Caprock Tournament-Varsity Boys Only		X	X	X	X
Jan. 4	DENVER CITY*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 8	Post*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 10-12	Slaton JV Tourney Boys & Girls			X	X	X
Jan. 11	SEMINOLE*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 15	Frenship*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 16	Slaton*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 22	Cooper*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 25	ROOSEVELT*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 29	Denver City*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 1	POST*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 5	Seminole*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 8	FRENSHIP*	5:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 12	SLATON*	5:00	X	X	X	X

HOME GAMES IN CAPITAL LETTERS *Denotes District Games

7th, 8th and 9th Grade Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time	Boys	Girls
Dec. 3	Cooper	5:30	H	T
Dec. 6-8	Frenship Freshman Tourney			
Dec. 6-8	Slaton 7th Boys & Girls Tourney			
Dec. 10	Slaton	5:30	T	H
Dec. 17	Post	5:30	T	H
Jan. 7	Frenship	5:30	H	T
Jan. 10	Lamesa	5:00	T	H
Jan. 10-12	Lorenzo 7th Tourney			
Jan. 14	Roosevelt	5:30	T	H
Jan. 17-19	Christ the King 7th Tourney			
Jan. 17-19	New Home 8th Grade Tourney			
Jan. 21	Cooper	5:30	T	H
Jan. 24-26	Lorenzo 8th Tourney			
Jan. 24-26	Crosbyton 9th Tourney			
Jan. 28	Slaton	5:30	H	T
Feb. 3	Post	5:30	H	T
Feb. 7	Lamesa	5:00	H	T
Feb. 11	Frenship	5:30	T	H

H-Denotes Home Games T-Denotes Out Of Town Games



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AROUND TOWN

By Leona Waldrip

Lynn County Pioneer Club, in cooperation with the Office on Aging, is involved in a "telephone reassurance" program for the older adults and shut-ins. Volunteers are needed to do the telephoning each day at a time agreed upon by the client and caller. No one person will be responsible for calling more than 3 persons. Anyone wishing to be a volunteer caller please call 998-5264. Also anyone knowing of a shut-in who needs this service may call the same

number.
 ††† Tahoka Rebekah Lodge #209 met in regular session on Tuesday night. The Christmas party was planned and names were turned in for Christmas boxes to be prepared. There were 8 members present.
 ††† Visitors in the home of Mrs. Ruth McDonald and other relatives on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Verhines of Roswell and Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDonald of Sea-

graves.
 ††† Past Noble Grand Club met on Thursday night in the home of Evelyn Burr. Seven members were present. After the regular session a meal was enjoyed. 2 year planning calendars were distributed among members to be sold during the holiday season.
 ††† About 45 persons gathered at the Tahoka Community Center on Sunday to celebrate the 80th birthday of Rutha Tilley. All seven of her children were present with most of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Others were neices, nephews, cousins and friends. Out of town guests were from Waco, Dallas, Ft. Worth, Lubbock and Wolf-orth. The day was enjoyed in visiting and eating the abundance of good food prepared by loved ones.
 ††† The Sunday School Classes of Mrs. Velma Carter and Mrs. Lucille Smith at First Baptist Church, will have a joint Christmas dinner on Tuesday night, Dec. 11 at 6:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Members may bring their husbands or other guests. There will not be a gift exchange.
 ††† "42" and dominoes were enjoyed at the Lynn Co. Pioneer Club on Monday night. Fourteen members were present.
 Regular noon luncheon will be this Friday with Edna Brasher, Opal Drager and Alta White as hostesses. Mrs. N.E. Woods has charge of the program. Drawing will be held for the afghan.
 ††† Cordie Swann returned home early Sunday after being in California for the past 2 months visiting relatives.
 †††



Congressman
Charles W. Stenholm

Congressional Comment

WASHINGTON, D.C. — A \$1.5 billion stamp of approval of poor management practices and non-competitive wage increases is currently being pushed through Congress. Supported by the Administration and carefully marshalled by a powerful — and expensive — lobbying effort, the Chrysler "bailout" sets an unwise, open-ended precedent, and is, in my opinion, a classic government "boondoggle".

There is no doubt that the mammoth manufacturer is in trouble. And both management and labor have to take their share of the blame for those problems. Poor management practices will put the firm in the red to the tune of nearly \$700 on every vehicle it sells this year. Yet, the company's cash registers have racked up sales of \$65 billion since 1974, with a cumulative net loss of \$665 million. That, to me, suggests that major surgery is necessary, such as dropping some product lines, closing inefficient plants or development of a new, more selective, competitive marketing strategy.

These are precisely the kinds of drastic steps that other failing firms are forced to undertake every day. Are we in essence saying that henceforth any company and its workforce big enough and capable of mounting a strong enough lobbying campaign can be exempted from competition and can avoid the pain and inconvenience of reorganization when costs get out of hand, products don't sell, or large losses mount up? On the other side of the Chrysler see-saw, the United Auto Workers (UAW) did the firm the "big favor" of limiting their pay increases to a cost-of-living allowance that will give the average assembly line worker at least a \$10,000 raise during the next three years and, if inflation continues at the present 13 percent rate, an increase of \$13,500.

I know of very few people in the 17th Congressional District that are going to be

looking at a 30 percent-plus increase in wages in the next three years, yet this is what the UAW are saying that they are sacrificing and this is why we in the Congress should vote to give \$1.5 billion of taxpayer's money to Chrysler.

One of the strongest arguments in favor of the bailout is the reported loss of 400,000 to 600,000 jobs. But these numbers reflect merely a gross inventory of existing payroll at Chrysler, its dealers and suppliers and secondarily related firms.

These jobs would be threatened only in the event of a complete and total liquidation, which is only a risk, not a certainty. Automotive industry jobs are likely to shift, not disappear, however. Even if Chrysler fails completely, the total number of U.S. decline sales is not likely to decline measurably, meaning no net loss of jobs downstream of the factory gate — truckers, dealers, mechanics and so forth — which represent better than 20 percent of the total.

In short, the advocates are confusing the possibility of temporary employment turnover with permanent net job losses. If the free enterprise system is to work, you must preserve the right to fail as well as succeed. My vote on the Chrysler bailout is "NO".

The Consumer Alert

by Mark White
 Attorney General


The holiday gift-buying season inevitably is followed by the post-holiday gift-returning season. Most consumers expect to be able to return or exchange gifts with little or no trouble beyond, perhaps, the inconvenience. Unfortunately, there frequently is a difference between what needs to be returned and what can be returned; and, if necessary adjustments are to be made this difference should be understood before the gifts are purchased.

Most stores are not legally required to refund money, exchange merchandise or accept returned goods for store credit unless the item is defective or is not as represented. Even though not legally required to do so, most merchants are very agreeable about accepting returned merchandise since this is an important customer service which encourages repeat business.

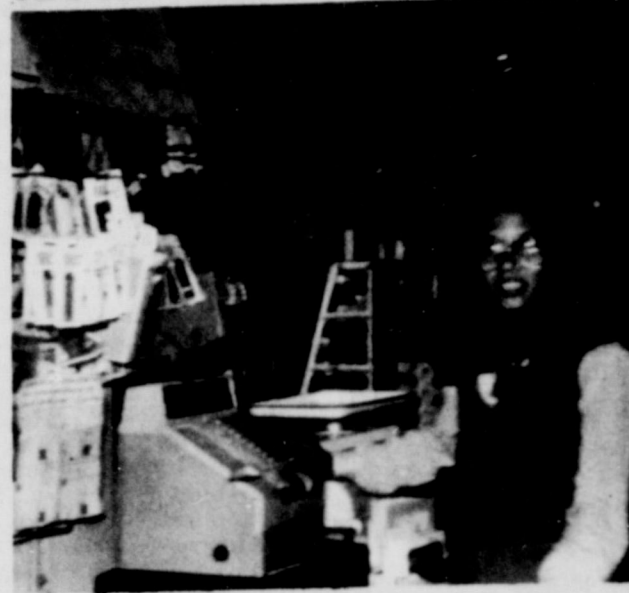
To take best advantage of those stores whose policies allow merchandise to be returned, there are some things to consider before you begin your holiday shopping. Sometimes stores will not accept merchandise back for a full cash refund but will issue or allow a credit or exchange for other merchandise. A store may rightfully do this so it is important for shoppers to check on a particular store's policy before buying gifts that may need to be returned or exchanged.

There are certain instances in which a store is legally required to make adjustments. For example, if a store advertised car coats with sheepskin linings but you discover the lining actually is acrylic pile, you have the right to return the coat for an adjustment. Or perhaps you ordered a size 12 dress but the store sent a size 14. Or you specified a green table lamp, but got a blue floor lamp. The store must correct its error or make some satisfactory adjustment in such cases.

It is important to remember that if a store has advertised goods for a special sale, there may be a "no return" policy on that particular merchandise. Other items, such as pierced earrings, swim suits, undergarments, and other intimate apparel, normally is sold on an "all sales final" basis



DECA
Student
Of The Week



DECA STUDENT OF THE WEEK is Teresa Arellano who works at Tahoka Food Mart. Teresa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Arellano, is a junior and plans to attend college after graduation. She is interested in swimming, track, horseback riding, dancing and plays the piano.

for the customer's protection. Once again, shoppers should inquire about the store's policy of returning such merchandise.

Just as most stores try to cooperate in making adjustments when possible, most consumers are careful to ask for an adjustment only when it is needed. A few individuals, however, may attempt to return merchandise that is worn or used, that they damaged themselves, or that they purchased months earlier.

If you think you may need to return merchandise after the holidays, remember to do the following:
 —Save all tags, price labels and all sales or charge receipts. A store that might otherwise give a full refund may only offer a credit or exchange or refuse any adjustment without proof of purchase.
 —When possible, save the original containers in which you received the goods, including all packing materials and papers such as warranties and instructions.

Deadline for News Items
 Noon Tuesday

Bridge Winners

T-Bar Tuesday Dupl... held its quarterly championship game week and winners were Mrs. Meldon Leslie and Clint Walker, first; Mrs. Carol Maule and Mrs. McAllister, Lamesa, second; and Mrs. Vivian Broyles and Mrs. Margie Peltier, third. The club will hold Christmas party next Tuesday, Dec. 11.

winners for last week — Mabel Gurley and Mrs. Franklin, 1st; Mary W. and Doris Ashcraft, 2nd; Fay Leverett and G. Renfro, third. The Wednesday Dupl... Club has planned Christmas party for Wednesday, Dec. 19 at 12 a.m.

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Dec. 6-7—Ralls Tou Frenship Freshman Slaton 7th Boys & G Dec. 9—Slaton-Her Slaton-There-7, 8, 9 Game time 5:30 Dec. 10—Brownfiel JV Boys & Girls - Ga Dec. 9—Christmas Church. Dec. 10—County Monday. Dec. 13—School Bo

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Community Calendar

Dec. 6-7—Ralls Tournament-Varsity Boys & Girls
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 Slaton 7th Boys & Girls Tournament
 Dec. 9—Slaton-Here 7, 8, 9 Girls
 Slaton-There-7, 8, 9, Boys
 Game time 5:30
 Dec. 10—Brownfield-There-Varsity Boys & Girls and
 JV Boys & Girls - Game time 5:00
 Dec. 9—Christmas Cantata, 7 p.m. at First Methodist
 Church.
 Dec. 10—County Commissioners Meeting, 10 a.m.
 Monday.
 Dec. 13—School Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

If you would like to have your club, class, or
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Senator Lloyd Bentsen Watching Washington

The worst of times brings out the best in Americans.
 And our best, I might add, is very good.
 The Iranian crisis is not the worst experience this country
 has ever suffered through, but it has been a terrible ordeal
 and an outrage.

American diplomats held hostage by an outlaw regime,
 contravening every known precept of international law.

The Ayatollah Khomeini,
 broadcasting the malicious
 and criminal falsehood that the
 United States had participated
 in an attack on a sacred mosque
 in the Moslem holy city of
 Mecca, inciting students in the
 neighboring country of Pakis-
 tan, resulting in the deaths of
 two Americans and the burning
 of the American embassy
 in Islamabad.



Americans, their hands bound, their eyes blindfolded,
 paraded before a hostile, screaming crowd.

Iranian students controlling the U.S. embassy in Teheran
 hauling their garbage out in an American flag.

There have been in recent years loud and repeated claims
 that the American people are too pampered, too self-centered,
 spoiled rotten.

Some months ago a national magazine labeled the 1970's
 the "Me Decade."

The Iranian crisis, though, has shown that when put to the
 test the American people still have a great inner strength,
 that we are still capable of acts of selflessness in time of
 need.

If anyone thinks that the people of this country are spoiled
 and soft and unwilling to sacrifice, I would urge them to take
 note of two out of many revealing incidents that have occurred
 during this crisis.

In one case the Texas Wheat Producers Association sent a
 telegram to the President. They notified him of their "strong
 policies against using food as a diplomatic weapon...except in
 the case of national security."

The Texas wheat farmers then went on to tell the President
 that "Inasmuch as Texas and U.S. wheat has continued to be
 sold to Iran as a balance of payment medium to offset oil
 imports, this is to let you know that Texas wheat producers
 in interest of a show of strength of national unity would support
 you in a decision to now stop wheat sales to Iran and in
 fact to urge you to do so if you should determine that it is in
 the interest of national security."

A second incident which shows the fiber of the American
 people involves a letter I received a few weeks ago from a
 constituent in Plainview. Attached to it was a car key.

"Enclosed you will find the ignition key to one of my two
 personal autos," the letter explained. "Congressman (Kent)
 Hance has the other. I ask that you hold this and return it
 when our fellow Americans now captive in Iran are freed."

The author of the letter went on to say "By this action I'm
 trying to clearly demonstrate my willingness to bear the
 burden of a possible cut-off of Iranian oil rather than have you
 feel 'hamstrung' in dealing with Iran concerning this criminal
 and totally unacceptable action."

Since that was written, of course, the President acted to
 beat the Iranians to the punch and announced that this country
 would purchase no more of their oil.

Six years ago, at a time when the U.S. was rocked by the
 Watergate scandal and by the Arab oil embargo, a Canadian
 newspaperman named Gordon Sinclair wrote a column that
 many of you may recall.

He pointed out that America lifted Germany, Japan and, to
 a lesser extent, Britain and Italy, out of "the debris of war"
 by pouring in billions of dollars in aid.

He noted that America propped up the franc when it was in
 danger of collapsing in 1956 and our "reward was to be in-
 sulted and swindled on the streets of Paris."

He reminded us that "when the railways of France,
 Germany and India were breaking down through age, it was
 the Americans who rebuilt them," yet "when the Pennsylv-
 ania Railroad and the New York Central went broke, nobody
 loaned them an old caboose."

Mr. Sinclair went on to write that he could name 5,000
 times when Americans raced to the aid of other people in
 trouble, but that he can't name even one time when someone
 else raced to Americans in trouble.

"Our neighbors have faced it alone and...they will come
 out of this thing with their flag high."

The column was written in 1973. A lot of things have
 changed since then, but the resiliency of the American peo-
 ple and their willingness to respond in a time of crisis
 have not.



MILITARY CHEERLEADER--Airman Lydia Bermea, daughter of Mrs. Manuel J. Espinoza of Tahoka, was pictured in an Air Force publication in Germany as she led cheers for the Wiesbaden Flyers football team. The Tahoka High School graduate, who also attended South Plains College at Levelland, is stationed in Wiesbaden.



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Sweet Street Baptist Church Will Present Music Program

The Sweet Street Baptist Church of Tahoka will have a special music program Saturday, Dec. 8 at 7 p.m. Guest will be "The Redemption Singers" of Ft. Worth. A nephew of Mrs. Danny Summers will be singing with this group. They will be at the Wells Baptist Church, Sunday morning, Dec. 9.

Also "The Believers and the Little Believers" of Sweet Street Baptist Church will take part in the program. "The Believers" are Jeannie Isbell, Lee Summers, Donald Webster, Karen Taylor, Lonnetta Hudgens with Gilda Taylor at the piano. The "Little Believers" are daughters of some of the members of the church. This group has been singing in the area churches the past few months. The public is invited to attend.

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EARLY-DAY CHURCH--This segment of an early-day church is one of the latest attractions at the Pioneer Museum in Tahoka.

Museum Continues To Add Items Of Interest

Items of local historical interest are being added each week by Tahoka Pioneer Museum, officers report, and many travelers are stopping by to view the exhibits.

A tapestry weaving exhibit by Mrs. Eual Davis is on display through December.

Among recent acquisitions are a number of pioneer pictures, including some collected by the late Charley Brown, others of early day peace officers and county officials, including an interesting one of Judge "Uncle Ike" Metcalf.

In process of development is an exhibit of Indian artifacts including a pot said to be at least 600 years old and a blanket dated at least

Rupp To Speak At Sweet Street

Dan and Linda Rupp, former pastor of Sweet Street during the early '70's, Missionaries to South America, will hold morning services at Sweet Street Baptist Church, Sunday morning, Dec. 16.

4-H Food Show Results

The District 4-H Food Show was held Saturday, Dec. 1, at Texas Tech University. Thirteen persons from Lynn County attended the show and approximately 250 were in total attendance.

The 4-H'ers participating and the awards they received are as follows:

Jr. Division: Breads and Desserts--Casondra Brewer, Blue; Manin Dish--Edie Eaker, Blue; Snacks and Beverages--Lisa Carter, Blue.

Sr. Division: Side Dish--Rajeania House, Blue; Snacks and Beverages--Kim Bass, Red; Main Dish--Perry Dunlap, Blue; and Breads and Desserts--Jhoni Caswell, Red.

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Ag. Dept. Not Loaning Money But Guaranteeing Farm Loans

AUSTIN--The state will not be loaning money for agricultural land purchases, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown recently stressed in an effort to dispel misinformation surrounding the recently approved Family Farm and Ranch Security Program.

"We have been receiving a great number of calls since the amendment was approved November 6," Brown said. "Many have been told that the state will be loaning money at six percent interest while, in fact, the state will not be loaning money at all."

"Under the provisions of the program, \$10 million in bonds will be issued with the proceeds being used to guarantee loans offered by already-established sources in the purchase of farm and ranch land," Brown said.

Applicants will need to locate their own financing at the best interest rate they can negotiate, Brown explained. He noted that the emphasis of the loan guarantee program is in allowing financial institutions to extend credit to young farmers and ranchers who may not have the necessary collateral or down payments now being required for agricultural land purchases.

"This program will allow many young people in the coming years to enter farming and ranching who could not afford to otherwise," Brown said.

Explaining that the Texas Department of Agriculture will administer the program, Brown stated, "It will be several months before we can actually establish the program and approve the first loan." Governor Bill Clements will first appoint a nine-member Advisory Council. The rules and regulations under which the Council and the Department will operate must also be written and approved following public hearings required by law.

"And the sales of bonds must be completed as well before any loan guarantees can be considered," Brown noted.

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AUSTIN--Nearly half of the state's projected 5.7 million bale cotton harvest this year is being reaped in 16 southern High Plains counties, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

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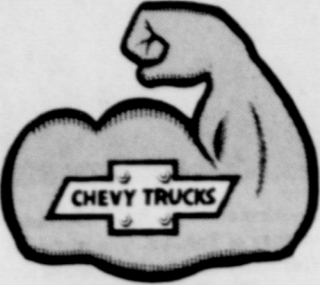
expected to produce million bales of cotton regional increase of more one million over last harvest. The 1979 production is expected to be the state in 30 years.

County yields average 404 pounds per acre from 259 last year, more than 3 million acres anticipated for harvest.

According to Commissioner Brown, the Texas Crop Livestock Reporting System sees this year's crop percent higher than last and four percent higher than 1977's. If figures are for the 1979 crop will be largest since the 1949 production of 6.04 million

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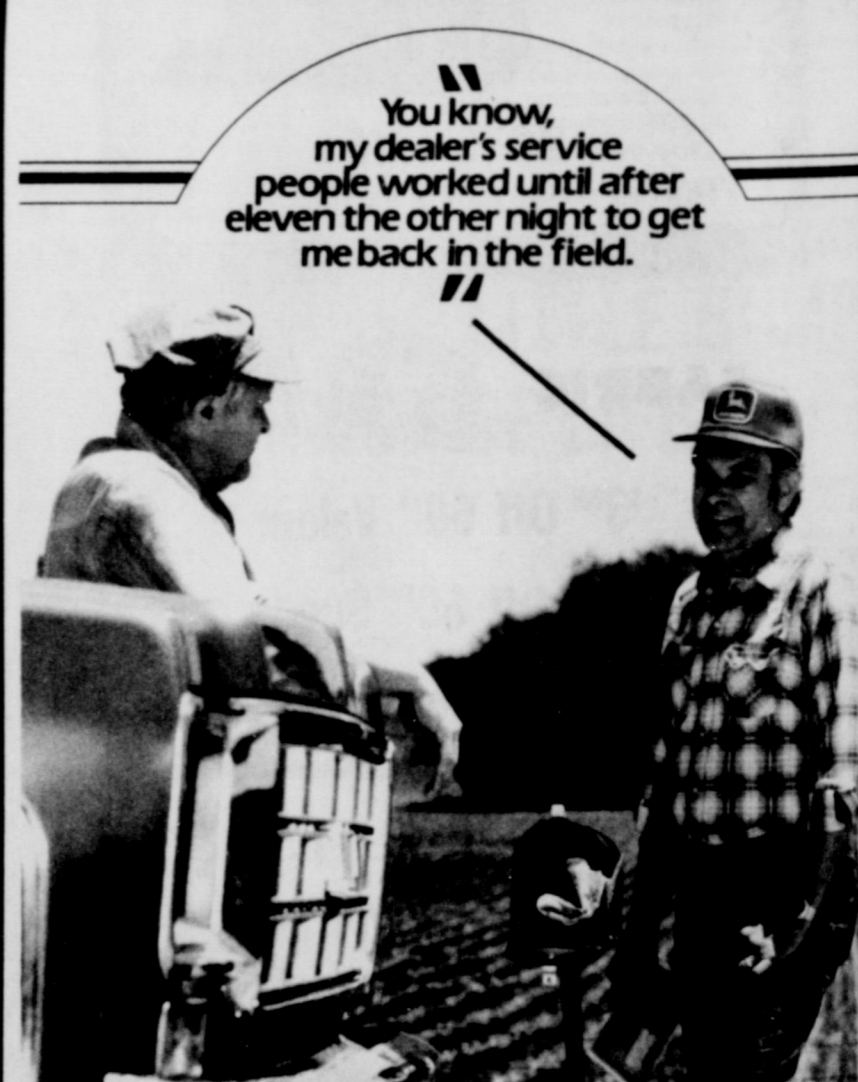
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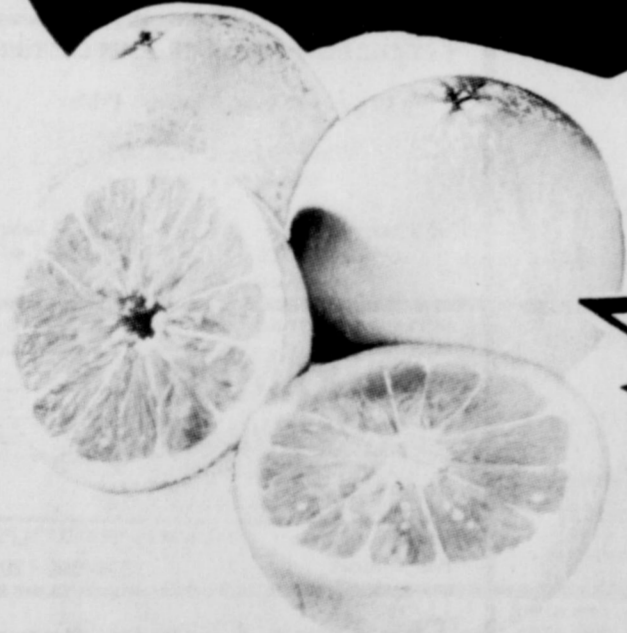
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