

# The Lynn County News

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## Vote Date Set On Cotton Promotion

Producers of upland cotton will vote Dec. 5-9 to determine whether a research and promotion order should be issued for upland cotton.

Officials of USDA's Consumer and Marketing Service said the referendum will be conducted by mail ballot through county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) offices in conjunction with the upland cotton marketing quota referendum, but in a separate ballot.

Approval by two-thirds of the producers voting, or by a majority of producers voting if that majority accounts for two-thirds of the cotton represented in the referendum, is necessary for the order to become effective.

The proposed cotton research and promotion program would be administered by a cotton board composed of members nominated by cotton producing organizations and selected by the Secretary of Agriculture.

The program would be financed through assessments of \$1 per bale from upland cotton producers, to be collected by cotton handlers designated by the Cotton Board. Collections from any producer who did not wish to contribute would be refunded upon written application. Assessment would start at the beginning of the ginning season for the 1967 crop.

Producers are eligible to vote in the referendum if they were "engaged in the production" of the 1966 upland cotton crop during calendar year 1966. The term "engaged in the production" is defined to include planting an upland cotton crop even though the crop is not harvested if the failure to harvest is not caused by the neglect of the farmer.

Those sharing in an upland cotton crop or proceeds from it, on a farm as an owner, cash tenant, sharecropper, or landlord of share tenant, shall also be considered engaged in the production of that crop.

Each producer is entitled to only one "yes" or "no" vote in the referendum.

A summary of the proposed cotton research and promotion order to be voted upon will be sent to each eligible voter along with his ballot. Complete copies of the order will be available at county ASCS offices.

## Ollie J. Stanley Is Heart Victim

Ollie J. Stanley, 40, a resident of Grassland area all of his life, died early Sunday morning, probably of a heart attack, at his Grassland home.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. in Tahoka Church of Christ with the local minister, Ralph Beistle, and Bob Barnes of Colorado City officiating. Burial followed in Grassland Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home.

Mr. Stanley was born at Post on Sept. 4, 1926, was reared and attended school at Grassland. He was married there on Jan. 27, 1952, to Miss Billie Louise Patterson. He was a farmer and gin superintendent at Grassland. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He had complained of being ill but was not believed to be seriously sick when he went to bed Saturday night. Mrs. Stanley is (Continued on Back Page)

## Kent Wood Gets Trip To Chicago

Kent Wood, Route 1, O'Donnell, who is this year's state winner in the National 4-H Swine Awards Program, will receive an all-expense paid trip to 4-H Club Congress to be held in the Conrad-Hilton Hotel, Chicago, Illinois, starting Sunday, November 27, and ending Thursday evening, December 1. He will also be competing with other state winners for one of the \$500 college scholarships to be awarded to the six national winners in the program.

All county, state and national awards in the 4-H Swine Program are sponsored by the Moorman Manufacturing Company, Quincy, Illinois. Moorman's will honor the State and National Award winners at a breakfast in the Congress Hotel, Wednesday morning, November 30.

Nationally the 4-H Program is supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service.

## Tax Collections Reach 62 Percent

Approximately 62 percent of the State and County taxes for 1966 had been paid through October, one percent above the same time in 1965, states George McCracken, tax assessor and collector. However, the tax roll has increased since last year.

Collections this year through October, before discounts, was \$172,407.18 as compared to \$164,262.88 at the same time last year. Discounts this year totaled \$5,169.72, leaving a net of \$167,237.46, as compared to last year when discounts totaled \$4,927.91 and a net of \$159,334.97.

Out of the total collections this year, before discount, the county's part is \$128,274.32, the State's \$42,479.49, and the High Plains Water District's 1,653.37.

Those paying taxes in October received a three percent discount, those paid in November received a two percent discount, and those in December one percent.

Under the new voter registration law, there has not been so far a substantial increase in the number of people registering as a qualification for voting. Only 270 had registered this year, compared to 267 who paid poll taxes at the same time last year.

This year there have been 1482 farm trailers registered, compared to 1424 at the same time last year.

## C. B. Keltner Will Be 93 On Sunday

C. B. Keltner, a resident of Tahoka 43 years, will be 93 years of age this coming Sunday, and he says he "doesn't intend to kick the bucket any time soon."

Mr. Keltner has remained alert and active, does his own weed hoeing, and just quit climbing ladders two or three years ago to make repairs on the Keltner Hotel, which he built on moving here from Oklahoma.

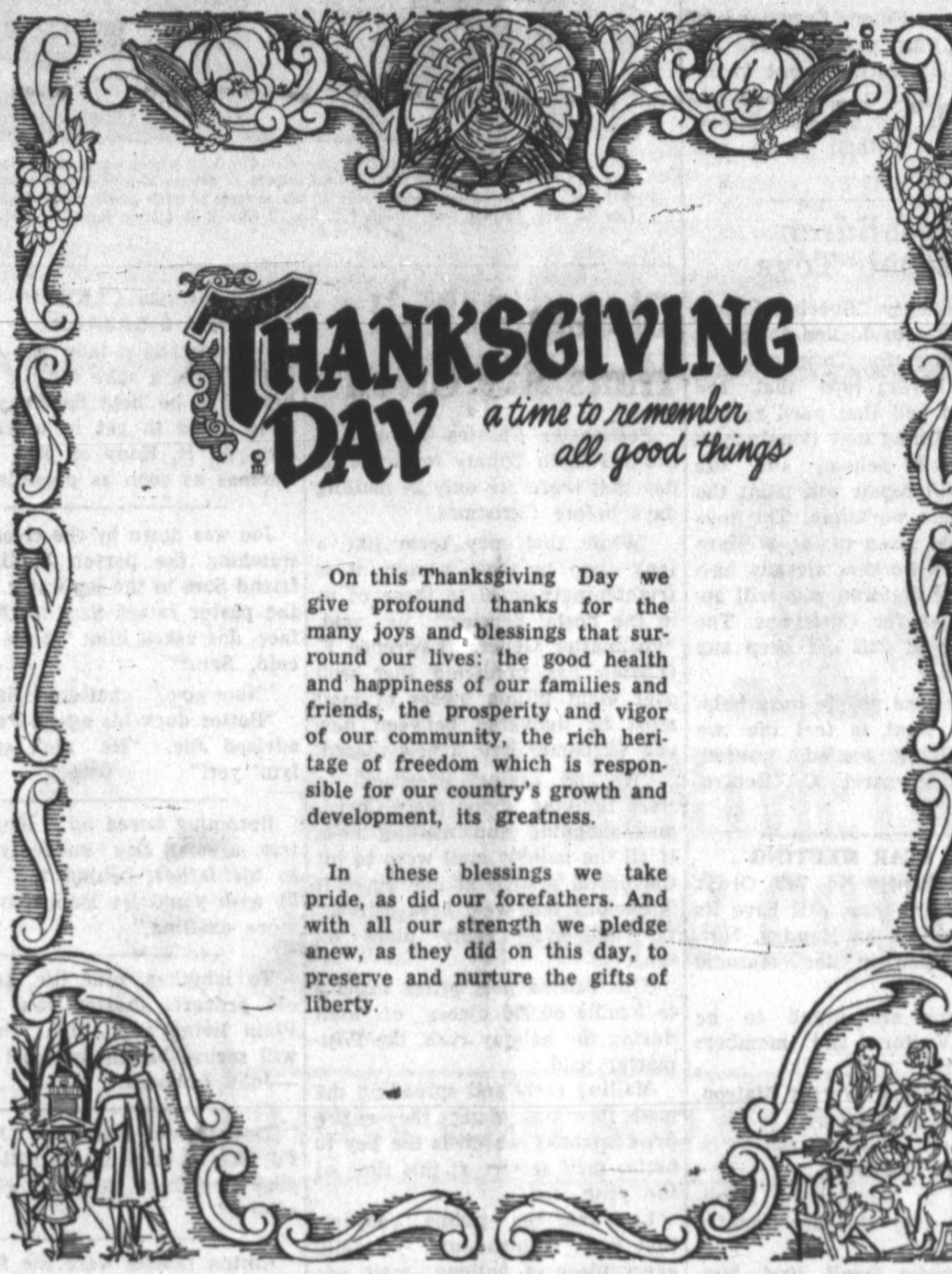
## O'DONNELL GINNINGS

O'Donnell had ginned 18,000 bales of cotton up until Tuesday morning, and the crop was estimated to be three-fourth out, according to O. G. Smith of the Index-Press.

## TINSLEY HAS STROKE

J. O. Tinsley of Lubbock, formerly of Tahoka, suffered a light stroke Monday night, but no paralysis resulted and he was reported doing fine Tuesday. J. O. has been on the Lubbock Police force many years.

Cotton cushioning now comes in a new moldable form.



On this Thanksgiving Day we give profound thanks for the many joys and blessings that surround our lives: the good health and happiness of our families and friends, the prosperity and vigor of our community, the rich heritage of freedom which is responsible for our country's growth and development, its greatness.

In these blessings we take pride, as did our forefathers. And with all our strength we pledge anew, as they did on this day, to preserve and nurture the gifts of liberty.

## 'Friends of Library' Is Organized Here

A Friends of the Library organization was set up at a county-wide meeting here Monday night for the purpose of widening the scope of service of Lynn County Library.

Ralph Beistle was elected president of the new organization; Mrs. Wayne Tekell of New Home, vice president; Miss Sherry Tilley of Tahoka, secretary; and J. P. Hewlett of Wilson, treasurer.

A membership committee was named composed of Mrs. Leland White of New Home, chairman; Mrs. J. W. Gardenhire of O'Donnell, Mrs. Harry Hewlett of Wilson, and Mrs. Travis Inman of Tahoka.

A public relations committee is made up of Dr. Pat Brecheen of Tahoka, chairman; Mrs. Tommy Sterling of West Point; Mrs. Jessie Russ of O'Donnell, and Mrs. Elmer Blankenship of Wilson.

The group adopted a constitution and by-laws.

Organization of the Friends of the Library was sponsored by the county library board which is headed by Wes Owen, the new president; Binie White, vice president; and Mrs. Roger Blakney of (Continued on Back Page)

## Finney Undergoing Surgery at Houston

Mr. and Mrs. C. Edmund Finney expect to leave Friday for Houston, where he will enter the M. D. Anderson Hospital Monday for surgery.

Surgeons expect to remove his left lung containing a tumor that could be malignant, and to perform other surgery. He came home from the Houston hospital on Nov. 9 to build up for the operation. Doctors say they expect the surgery to be successful but that he will have to take things easy for considerable time.

The Finneys' photographic studio will of necessity be closed, at least for a few weeks.

## ATTEND DALLAS MEETING

Mayor and Mrs. Meldon Leslie and Attorney and Mrs. Mitchell Williams attended the Texas League of Municipalities convention in Dallas last week. Mayor Leslie is a member of one of the major committees of the League.

The only real cotton is 100 percent cotton.

## Porterfield Child Loses Two Fingers

Jimmy Don Porterfield, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Porterfield of Grassland, had both hands mangled in a boll puller at the home Monday at about 10:15 a.m. while the father was working on the machine.

He was rushed to West Texas Hospital, and the little finger and the finger next to it on his left hand were amputated; also the tips of the fingers of his right hand were mangled. He was reported doing fine but still under sedation.

The daddy had started the machine and didn't know the little son was anywhere about. The News was informed.

## Seagraves Lady Is Buried Friday

Several Lynn County people attended rites in Seagraves last Friday for Mrs. Cora Ethel Williams, 82, who died early Wednesday in a Lubbock hospital following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Williams was the grandmother of Mrs. Andrew Edwards of New Lynn and a longtime friend of Mrs. Le'a Wood of Tahoka.

According to a forecast made by the Edison Electric Ins., by 1970, the nation's investor-owned electric utilities companies expect to double their power-producing capabilities.

## Mahon Discusses Problems

"Cotton is in deep trouble" stated Congressman George Mahon of the 19th Congressional District and chairman of the powerful House appropriations Committee, as he outlined the many problems of government in a talk to about 80 farmers and business men here last Thursday afternoon in Lyntegar meeting room.

He covered briefly many of the major problems, but dealt primarily with agriculture and the money the government is pouring into this county and area.

He cited a recent talk he had with Burlington Mill officials at Post. The mill uses no cotton grown in this area, and he was told "unless you can improve grade and quality and consistency

of cotton you are on the way out."

Mahon gave an example of how the synthetic people are putting over to the public the picture that man-made fibers are better than cotton. They are working at the job, spending money, and getting results.

"We've got to do something to promote cotton," he declared, hinting that he thought farmers should vote the \$1.00 per bale for research and promotion.

With only 8.5 million people engaged in farming, we rural areas are in the minority. Right now, Congress is going along with a \$7 billion a year farm program in the belief that we have to have a good farm prosperity to have a good city prosperity. However, we have to

make a farm program work if city congressmen continue to vote us benefits.

Our present farm program will be with us three more years. Last year we exported 3 million bales. This year we will export 5.25 million bales and the carryover will be reduced 3 or 4 million bales.

He listed a number of areas in which help is being given this immediate area, including \$147,000 to the special weather service station at Lubbock, the \$300,000 cotton ginning research laboratory to be built north of Lubbock to seek improved ginning methods, the \$1 million a year three-year program to throw up a barrier and keep the boll weevil off the Plains.

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## United Fund Drive Starting Monday

### Army Parahute Jump Set Here

From 36 to 40 members of the Army Reserve Paratroop Unit, stationed at Lubbock, will carry out their quarterly airborne exercises and jumps on Saturday, Dec. 3, at the Joe D. Unfred farm south of Petty, states Lt. Larry Edwards, New Home teacher and officer in the unit.

The jumps will take place at 3:00 p.m. If the wind is too high that day, the jumps will be the next day, Sunday, Dec. 4. Planes will take off from the Unfred landing strip at Petty or from Tahoka Airport.

Carroll Best, formerly of Tahoka, is one of the jumpers. Following these exercises, the men will hold a night patrol on the E. L. Short ranch.

Lt. Edwards says there are two A teams headquartered in Lubbock with the Reserves. There are now openings for five enlisted men and one officer, and another officer position will be open soon. Anyone interested may contact him at New Home.

### Ueckert Infant Buried Monday

Services for Jeffery William Ueckert, 13-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. (Bill) Ueckert Jr. of the New Home area, were held at 10:00 a.m. Monday at New Home Methodist Church.

Rev. Joe B. Allen Jr., pastor, officiated, and burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park, Lubbock.

The child was playing at the family's farm home Thursday, when he managed to remove the top from a 12-inch tile cut-off below the freeze line, used for stock water. Water had leaked into the tile, and the top upon removing the cover, fell in. He was revived by mouth-to-mouth respiration by his daddy while being rushed to Lubbock's Methodist Hospital, but died at 5:15 p.m. Friday afternoon.

The infant was born in September of 1965.

Survivors include the parents; a sister, Lisa Kay; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ueckert Sr. of Ballinger and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Morrow of Everton, Mo., former residents of the New Home area.

### Hospital Meeting At Wilson Monday

Citizens of Wilson are invited to a meeting next Monday, Nov. 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Wilson school auditorium, when facts and figures concerning a proposed hospital district will be presented.

Garland Thornton of Tahoka and Joe Smith of Lubbock will present the proposal, and all people interested are urged to attend, especially taxpayers.

### MARTINS DOING FINE, GORDON COMING HOME

Lee Martin informs The News that his son Gordon Martin of Levelland will come home the last of this week from Salt Lake City, Utah, where and son Jimmy Martin, also of Levelland, have been hospitalized the past several weeks.

Gordon gave Jimmy one of his kidneys in a rare kidney transplant operation.

The family had hoped Jimmy would be home by Christmas, but Mr. Martin says that is very doubtful, even though Jimmy is still improving nicely.

Mrs. Susie Bradshaw was admitted to Mercy Hospital in Slaton this week where she is being treated for pneumonia.

Tahoka area will kick-off its annual United Fund drive Monday morning, and drive chairman Harold Roberts says he hopes workers can complete their work within the week.

This year's goal is \$6,000, about \$1,000 more than raised last year because of the fact the four agencies included need more funds as Tahoka's part of the operations.

Included in the United Fund here are the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Red Cross, and Salvation Army. Contributors may give all these in one lump sum, may pay quarterly and monthly, or they may even eliminate any one or more of the agencies to which they contribute by designation on their checks.

The drive will be kicked-off at a coffee meeting at Al Smith's Tahoka Cafeteria at 9:00 a.m. Monday, when all workers are requested to be present.

Harold Roberts, drive chairman, announces the following committee chairmen: Advance gifts, Warren Embree. Commercial, Garland Thornton. Rural, Wilton Payne and Clint Walker.

Employees, Binie White and Charles Townes.

Residential, Johnny Wells. Leighton Knox is president of the United Fund, and Robert Abbe is the auditor.

Johnny Wells announces that the residential drive will be held Monday night, beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the Community Center, and will be conducted by Future Homemakers of America of the local schools.

Citizens are asked to leave their porch lights burning Monday evening as a courtesy to the girls making the canvass, and to be ready to make their contributions. The United Fund was organized to eliminate the necessity of making four such drives each year, which is a burden on those who give their time free to raise funds to support these worthy causes.

Citizens are also asked to give at least as much as they would give if four separate drives were to be held. Some have not been doing this, which accounts for Tahoka area falling short in its quota since the United Fund was started three years ago.

## Mrs. Rosa Jolly Dies Saturday

Mrs. Rosa Lee Jolly, 70, passed away Saturday at 1:45 a.m. in a Lamesa hospital. She had been a resident of Tahoka 45 years.

Funeral services were held Monday in Sweet Street Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Shelby Bishop, assisted by the Pentecostal pastor, Rev. Brown, officiating. Burial followed in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of the White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jolly was born Feb. 22, 1896, in Madison county and she and the late John Lee Jolly were married at North Gulch June 22, 1913. They came to Lynn county from Teague in 1921, and farmed near here. Mr. Jolly passed away in 1953. She had been a member of the Baptist Church nearly all her life.

She is survived by three sons, Chapman (Buddy) Jolly of Tahoka, Calloway (Pete) Jolly of Pedley, Calif., and Edwin (Tiny) Jolly of Arlington; two daughters, Mrs. Syble Hayton, Orland, Calif., and Mrs. Joyce Thorne, Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Johnny Wright of Dallas, 15 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Palbearers were Allen, Roy, Ray, Wesley, Thomas, and Walter Jolly, all nephews, and honorary palbearers were Leslie and Billy Jolly.

Help keep our town clean!

Date	Precip.	High	Low
November 18		84	44
November 19		73	38
November 20	T	68	54
November 21	T	77	46
November 22		81	42
November 23		82	52



# Society AND Clubs

## Tahoka Garden Club Holds Continental Luncheon Thursday

Members of Tahoka Garden Club and guests from Lubbock, Lamesa, Seymour, and Tahoka gathered in Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church last Thursday for the club's continental luncheon.

More than 50 ladies attended the event at which time Mrs. R. M. Stewart and Mrs. V. F. Jones were hostesses.

For this luncheon, six tables were used, each representing a country of the six continents. Europe was represented by Sweden and Mrs. Jim Turner was hostess, Africa, represented by Algeria, Mrs. Skip Taylor hostess; Asia, represented by Japan, Mrs. Hugh Daniel, hostess, assisted by small daughter; South America, Brazil, Mrs. Finis Botkin hostess; North America, New England States, Mrs. Othell Meeks hostess; and Australia, Mrs. Lynn Seales.

Each of the hostesses were costumed to represent the country, and table arrangements and food also depicted that country. The ladies told some of the history of the country, the people and their customs. Mrs. Jim Turner was selected "Mrs. World" for the day's event. Mrs. J. Dudley Martin was

## Thanksgiving Meet Is Held By Gandys

The children of Mrs. L. W. Gandy enjoyed an early Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Gandy of Tahoka Sunday.

Members of the family present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fluitt and grandchildren, Belinda and Russell, Post; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gandy, Berry, Menford, Cherry and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gandy, Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Gandy, Ricky and Roddy, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hammonds, Jr., Brad and Jana, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Taylor, Theda Joe, Nita and Kerry Gandy, and Charles Ray Isbell, all of Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gandy, Nelma, Denise, and David, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mason and Ray of Post.

## Old Fashioned Box Supper Is Planned

Tahoka Garden Club is sponsoring an old fashioned box supper and game party Thursday, Dec. 8, in the Community Center with the auctioning getting underway about 7:00 p.m.

All proceeds from the box supper will be used for the club's beautification projects and members are securing the cooperation of the town's people.

There will be no admission charge for the games following the box supper. Calhoun Huffaker is to be the auctioneer.

Cotton canvas awnings are now treated for fire-resistance.

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winner of the prize for the best table arrangement.

Judges for the best presentations were Mrs. Therell Hodges, Mrs. Ayerdd Rushing, and Mrs. Joe Arrington, Sr.

Following the luncheon, Mrs. Fred McGinty showed slides of the McGinty's European tour.

## Pythian Sisters Hold Style Show

The Pythian Sisters were entertained Monday night, Nov. 21, with a very impromptu style show in the home of Mrs. Jerry Brown.

All modes of attire were presented, from the latest mini skirt, through dress up, sports, western, after five and evening wear. Mrs. Ruthell Dunn gave a very informative showing of a new line of wiglets.

Entire proceeds of the style show went toward the sweetheart, contest which is being conducted by the Pythian Sisters.

Candidates Elnora Curry and 13 members, plus a few of the opposition side were present to enjoy the delicious refreshments furnished by the hostesses Mmes. Jerry Brown, Ruthell Dunn and Sharon Terry.

## School Children Will Repair Toys

Lynn County Special School children want to do something for other children for Christmas.

Anyone having toys that are not wanted and that need repairing and painting may donate them to the Special School, and the children will repair and paint the toys in their workshop. The toys will then be given to the Welfare Agency, the workers already having a list of children who will appreciate toys for Christmas. The Special School will not keep any of the toys.

So many nice people have helped us, we want to feel that we too are helping, needed, wanted, and loved. Margaret C. Renfro, teacher.

## EASTERN STAR MEETING

Tahoka Chapter No. 743, Order of the Eastern Star, will have its regular meeting on Monday, Nov. 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

All officers are urged to be present. Visitors and members are welcome.

Lena Williams, Worthy Matron. Opal Hines, Secretary.

## THURSDAY BRIDGE

Winning in Thursday's duplicate bridge play at T-Bar Country Club were:

Mrs. Maurice Small, first; Mrs. Cecil Clem, second; and Mrs. Jack Fenton, third.

A little boy pointed to a cage of green parakeets in a pet shop window.

"Look, Mommy," he exclaimed, "there are some canaries that aren't ripe yet."



YULETIDE GIFTS which will save young lives are offered by Nobel-prizewinning United Nations Children's Fund. UNICEF Greeting Cards, right, include 13 designs by world-famous artists, cost \$1.25 a box of ten. Engagement Calendar, left, features 52 lovely paintings (\$2.50 ppd). Free full color brochure from UNICEF, P.O. Box 22, Church St. Station, New York 10008.

## Christmas Mail Hints Are Given

Postmaster Charles Townes reminded Lynn County residents today that there are only 24 mailing days before Christmas.

"While that may seem like a long time to most people, it is frighteningly short to those of us in the Postal Service," he said. "Postmaster General Lawrence F. O'Brien has predicted that well over eight billion pieces of mail must be delivered between now and Christmas Eve, a new record."

"We are asking everyone to start thinking about their Christmas shopping and mailing now. If all the holiday mail were to hit the postal system at one time, it is obvious that we'd have difficulty delivering every piece on time."

The Tahoka post office expects to handle 60,000 pieces of mail during the holiday rush, the Postmaster said.

Mailing early and spreading the mail flow out along the entire pre-Christmas season is the key to better mail service at this time of the year.

Last year the public cooperation was "tremendous." Virtually every piece of holiday mail was delivered before Christmas day. This year with increased volume because of the continuing strength of the economy we are hoping to see that fine cooperative spirit again.

The following mailing tips will assure delivery of your cards and packages:

Use ZIP Codes on all mail. "If there are some ZIP Codes that you still need for your mailing list come to the Post Office and look them up in our ZIP Code directory or give us a call. ZIP Codes are more important than ever this year."

Prepare your gift list early. The earlier you do your shopping, the better chance you have to get exactly what you want while the stores are still full of merchandise. That way, you can mail earlier too.

Be sure to have enough boxes, tape, string and wrapping paper on hand.

Wrap your packages well. Include sufficient padding. Remember, that your parcel may be shipped in a mail sack with a set of the encyclopedia riding on top.

Include a card or piece of paper inside the package with your name and address and that of the person you are sending the parcel to in case the wrapping should be loose and come off. That way, you can be assured your gift will not wind up in the dead parcel office. Also, insert a list of the package's contents.

Address your gifts and greetings clearly so that postal workers will have no difficulty in reading the destination. Use first-class postage on greeting cards. This assures their being forwarded if the recipient has moved. Cards that are undeliverable will be returned when you include a return address on the envelope. The Post Office Department has issued a special five-cent Christmas stamp which will help decorate your holiday mail. Unsealed cards may still be sent for 4c each provided they contain no writing other than the name of the sender, but they will not be returned nor forwarded if they are undeliverable as addressed.

Most important, mail early.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people of Lynn County for the many words, deeds of kindness and prayers on our behalf since Slim's accident. May God bless all. —Slim and Dorothy Pyburn. 1tp.

Help keep Tahoka clean!

## Will Barton, 79, Is Buried At Post

Will Barton, 79, a resident of the area 51 years, died Thursday night at a hospital in Slaton. He was a native of Texas and a retired farmer.

Barton was a charter member and deacon of the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church.

Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday at the church with the Rev. Sherman Ervin, pastor, and the Rev. Joe R. Green, former pastor, officiating. Burial was in Terrace Cemetery, Post.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Etta Barton of the home; a son, Clark Barton, Post; a stepson, Betram Henderson, Houston; a daughter, Mrs. Henry Edwards, Post; three stepdaughters, Mrs. R. L. Sproul, Fort Davis, Tex.

Mrs. Buddy Hall, Post, and Mrs. D. D. Erestrup, Littlefield; five brothers, A. A. Barton, Levelland; Nolan Barton, Big Spring; Herschel Barton and Steve Barton, both of Nolan, Texas, and Paul Barton, Dallas, and six sisters.

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**PRINTER'S INKLINGS**

"If you can't be thankful for what you receive, be thankful for what you escape."—Anon.

We people in Lynn county have much for which to be thankful, in spite of adversities, declining farm income, and the cost-price squeeze. Therefore, let each of us pause this Thanksgiving to give thanks to the Good Lord for our many blessings. Things could be a lot worse.

We wonder if President Johnson is not in somewhat of a dilemma. He has committed his program to the "Great Society," something for everybody, even for those who won't work, to Union Labor, to rapid radical social changes, to deficit spending. Then, suddenly, there comes in the election the unmistakable warning that he is going too far too fast.

If we read some of the daily press commentaries correctly, the President's visit to Viet Nam may have been a great blessing. He is reported to have been shocked at the inefficiency of moving in supplies to our fighting men, at the waste, the lack of a unified command, etc.

We're just a printer away out in the farming country, but for the life of us we can't figure out why civilians like McNamara and Rusk should be calling the shots in a

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shooting war. McNamara may be great in his place, which we doubt in view of the fact he produced the Edsel, but we'd have a lot more confidence if the Pentagon and the Military were running the war.

We don't see how we can afford not to vote the \$1.00 per bale for research and promotion of cotton. Cotton is getting into a desperate situation—mostly because the synthetic people are doing a better job of promoting their product. Even if the measure goes over and even if every farmer joins in, only \$10 to \$14 million will be raised. The synthetic people are spending more than this just for advertising.

Carl Sanders of O'Donnell asks this pertinent question: "If Chevrolet were to suddenly quit all advertising and promotion, how long do you think Chevrolet cars would be on the market?"

Even if the program turns out "sour", or the Secretary of Agriculture exercises too much control, or a farmer just flat opposes the \$1.00 per bale contribution to promoting cotton, he will have the option of getting his money back on application at end of the ginning season.

There's an old saying that figures don't lie but liars figure. Charles Didway, in his interesting Post Dispatch column, "Thursday to Thursday" last week proved by scores Post Antelopes have the best team in Texas. Then after a round-about comparison of scores, he figures Post 35 points better than San Angelo, and 23 points better than Amarillo Tascosa. But, he says:

"It wouldn't be fair to stop there, however. Tahoka beat Post 6-3, so they're 26 points ahead of Tascosa. Tahoka lost to Seagraves 18 to 12, which puts Seagraves 32 points out in front of Tascosa, and Coahoma, one of this year's 'forgotten teams,' clobbered Seagraves by . . . but let's stop right here before the whole thing gets ridiculous and we wind up with some team like Lorenzo having a big spread over Notre Dame."

Had Tahoka not lost its fine back, Cliff Thomas, (in the first quarter of the Kress game), we think the Bulldogs may have gone a long way. Even with Cliff out, the Bulldogs defeated Kress, the eventual District 3-A champion, then made a creditable showing against other rugged teams along the way. Previously they had nosed out Post 6-3, the 4-AA champions who stopped Denver City's long string and are still undefeated (except for the Tahoka loss). The Bulldogs had the best defensive team the school probably has ever had, and one of the best offensively, especially with Thomas in at halfback. They looked like the Bulldogs of old—Bulldogs who wanted to win. The local boys ended the season with a 7-3 record, and we're proud of every one of the boys down to the water boy. We only hope we can keep on the victory side a few years.

A few weeks ago, we were up at Bovina visiting our daughter, Pat, and family. The last few years, Pat has really gotten the antique "bug" and she had found and gave us a Cottolene bucket. Now if you remember Cottolene, you're getting to be an old-timer. It's been at least 30 or 35 years since the Cottolene was on the grocery store shelves.

Cottolene was made from cotton seed oil by N. K. Fairbank Co. under Act of June 30, 1906, was advertised as "Nature's Gift from the Sunny South . . . never sold in bulk . . . contains no hog fat . . . use one-third less than any other cooking fat."

Fred Mathews writes from Ontario, Oregon; his mother, Mrs. Belle Mathews, a Grassland pioneer, will be 91 on Dec. 19.

The holdup man shoved a note through the window to the bank teller which read: "Put all your money in a paper bag and pass it to me, this is a stickup!" The teller scribbled a note back: "Smile, stupid, we're taking your picture!"

Mr. and Mrs. M. Flowers of Phoenix, Arizona came Sunday to visit her father, Jodie Nevill and brothers, Ray and Everton. They left Tuesday for Vernon to visit his mother and will go on to Salt Lake City on business.

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**Local Club 300 Percent Rotary Foundation Member; Daniel Talks On Photography**

Dr. Emil Prohl and Rev. Hugh Daniel presented the Rotary Club program last Thursday.

In observance of Rotary Foundation Week and following Dr. Prohl's talk on the subject, the club voted to appropriate \$263.37 to the Foundation, making the Tahoka Club a 300 percent contributor. A 300 percent rating means the club contributed \$30 per member to the Foundation.

Rotary Foundation over the years has sponsored 2,000 Rotary Fellows, each for a year of graduate study in some country other than his own. As Dr. Prohl explained, these students are outstanding young men of the nations of the world in which Rotary operates who may some day be the leaders. The program is designed to promote better international understanding.

Tahoka has furnished one of these Rotary Fellows, David Bray, who won a year's study at Ox-

ford University in England.

Dr. Prohl gave one example of a student whose thinking was changed by a similar program, visits of foreign students in Tahoka for two months over the past 12 years. A student from Europe, a teacher, said he had been told in his home land by a college professor, "We stand between Russia and Communism on one side and the U.S. and Capitalism on the other. Both are bad. Take your choice." After his stay in Tahoka one summer, this brilliant young man said he had made his choice, he would take the U.S. and Capitalism.

Rev. Daniel brought a very interesting talk on his hobby, photography, illustrated by color slides to show "how easy" it is to take good pictures with today's modern cameras and film. His illustrations were interesting and very beautiful as they included almost every type of picture im-

aginable from flowers, scenery, wildlife, sunsets, lightning, dining table, unposed pictures of people, babies, and a score of other subjects.

George McCracken arranged the program.

Marla Bray, the club sweetheart, introduced the student guests, Lewis Hise and Mike Lankford.

Mrs. Jack Alley (JoBelle) Robinson underwent minor surgery Wednesday of last week in West Texas Hospital and was able to come home Saturday.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable 99th District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on the 28th day of October, 1966, by J. R. Dever, Clerk of said Court for the sum of One Hundred Fifty-Six and 00/100ths (\$156.00) Dollars plus interest at 7% per annum from April 26, 1963, plus \$65.00 attorney's fees, and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Municipal Investment Corporation in a certain cause in said Court, No. 51816 and styled Municipal Investment Corporation vs. Marcelino Rodriguez and wife, Juanita Rodriguez, placed in my hands for service, I, Carl Spears, as Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas, did, on the 1st day of November, 1966, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Lynn County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), and Six (6), Block One Hundred Nineteen (119), Original Town of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Marcelino Rodriguez and wife, Juanita Rodriguez, and that on the first Tuesday in December, 1966, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Lynn County, in the City of Tahoka, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Marcelino Rodriguez and wife Juanita Rodriguez. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Lynn County News, a newspaper published in Lynn County. Witness my hand, this 1st day of November, 1966. Carl Spears, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas. 7-3tc

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# GRASSLAND NEWS

(By Mrs. O. H. Hoover)

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huddleston of Grassland were made happy this last week by a visit from their son, Dr. Ronald Huddleston, of an East Africa mission. They hadn't seen their son in nearly four years. He flew from Dallas to Lubbock and came out and spent the night with his parents. I'll bet they talked most of the night. Here is the news item that caused his return.

A seriously injured missionary couple arrived in Dallas Monday night after a strenuous three-day journey from East Africa. The couple, Dale Dennis, a Church of Christ missionary, and his wife, Elnora, both from Amarillo, were hurt in an automobile accident near Mebysa, Tanzania Friday night.

The mission doctor, Ronald Huddleston, performed surgery on Dennis to remove his spleen and save his life. Mrs. Dennis was found to have a brain injury. Dr. Huddleston then made his decision to bring them back to Texas to the Parkland Hospital. It was possible he could have gotten the facilities he needed in Nairobi or London, but the couple wouldn't have their folks with them, and he thought that might be more important to them.

They arrived at Dallas Love Field about 9:00 p.m.—none of the trip was easy. The group left East Africa on a bush plane they managed to hire, later switching to an East African airline. Ronald wired ahead to New York to arrange special beds in the plane for the Dallas trip. The Pan-American flight that brought the Dennises home came as near to having proper hospital facilities as was humanly possible, an airline official explained.

The big problem was Mr. Dennis. It was possible that he had a pericardial effusion (blood leaking around the heart) and had to be watched closely. Mrs. Dennis seemed to be much better upon arriving in Dallas. When the group left Africa she didn't know what was going on, but by the time they reached Dallas she was coming to herself.

An ambulance waited at the airport to take the pair to Parkland

Hospital as speedily as possible. Dr. Huddleston watched his patients being slowly removed from the plane and said with a smile, "Well, we made it!"

Mrs. C. C. Jones was a weekend guest of her two sisters, Mrs. Ivy Young and Mrs. Calvin Cooper and her son and family, the Carl Jones of Post.

Mrs. Hoover visited Mrs. C. B. King one morning last week. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kucel and children of Houston will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, the L. S. Turners.

Mrs. E. A. Thomas spent last weekend with her son and family, the John Paul Lawsons of Andrews.

The John Paul Lawsons of Andrews, and Mrs. Porter Fox and children of Wilcox, Arizona, plan to spend the Thanksgiving holidays in the E. A. Thomas home and stay until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Propst returned Friday from Okmulgee, Okla., where Jess took some treatments. They visited in Arkansas and Tulsa, Oklahoma. They also visited Bernice's aunt in Edmund, Okla.

Mrs. Era Aten is having her children and grandchildren, the Ted Aten family and the James Aten family for noon dinner turkey day.

Mrs. Inez McGrew was an over night guest of her sister, Lucile Walker Thursday night. Then Friday they went shopping in Lamesa. Mrs. Lucian Walker accompanied them.

Mrs. Bernice Gribble, Mrs. W. G. McCleskey, Mrs. Maggie and Rev. and Mrs. Rawlings went to Big Spring to a missionary meeting one night last week. The host pastors showed slides taken while on their trip through the Holy Land.

Mr. and Mrs. McCleskey visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dubose, in Brownfield Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Warrick and Mrs. Bernice Gribble visited the Carl Greers Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Townsen brought the Greers' supper to them one night last week. Mr. and Mrs. John Slover and Mrs.

## WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

BY C. WILSON HARDER

When any decent firm goes out of business it's sad. But when a newspaper dies, the tragedy affects many more people than the employees.

A short time ago, the New York Herald Tribune ceased publication after a century and a quarter's existence. The "Trib" follows the trend of declines in all major cities, beset by rising operating costs, bitter and divisive rifts between unions and C. W. Harder management, increased competition from other dailies, plus the new threat of TV for the attention and advertising dollars of the public.

If the trend continues, only the giants or super-giants will remain publishing, with a clear monopoly in each market.

This domination will be strengthened by their often additional control of local radio-TV stations. The stranglehold will further weaken free enterprise as well as seriously damage the democratic process of a free press.

The remaining U.S. metropolitan newspapers, already losing money, are being bled white by unions with wage and featherbedding demands.

Sen. Gruening, Alaska, details a union fiasco: "For years the Typographical Union has pursued a wholly unsound practice, which is known in the newspaper world as 'printing bogus.' That means whenever an ad

comes to a newspaper in plate form, a procedure desired by national advertisers so their ads may appear uniformly throughout the country, the union has compelled the ad be typeset, proofread, corrected, then thrown away. The lack of concern by the employees of the mechanical departments toward the great public service aspects of a newspaper is at the bottom of this difficulty. They have never sensed responsibility... They have blindly run up costs... caused suspension of newspapers for weeks on end, and eventually killed them."

It is an interesting fact that the New York Times, the best known paper in America, and one of the greatest in the world, merely earns less than 1 per cent profit after investment and overhead costs.

The death blow was delivered to the "Trib" when a mechanical union, one of several that had been striking the paper, refused to consider arbitration by a factfinding inquiry. The wound proved fatal to union employees as well as to other department members of the daily.

Today, great mediums like TV can disseminate world news and photos with enormous speed and ease. But there remains an enduring need for the community paper whose printed news and ads are at hand to be discussed, preserved, and reread.

The death of a newspaper carries with it many disasters: the end of lifetime jobs for some, a remaining source of objective communication to many. In a sense, it amounts to the erosion of another cornerstone of our free society.



C. W. Harder

## Car Ownership In Lynn Rates High

(Special to the News)—New York, Nov. 12—Residents of Lynn County have been buying new cars at a record rate in the last few years, a national survey shows.

Bearing witness to this fact are the number of snappy, late-model cars to be seen on local roads and the disappearance of many vintage models.

As a result, car ownership locally is at a high level. So is the proportion of families with two or more cars in their driveways.

The details are reported in a consumer market study released

by the Standard Rate and Data Service. It covers every part of the country.

The size of Lynn County's auto population is indicated by the figures, which show, as of the beginning of this year, a ratio of 146 cars for every 100 local families.

It is a larger proportion than was found elsewhere in the United States, 130 per 100 families. In the State of Texas it was 142.

The steady growth in car ownership reflects the economic gains chalked up in the last few years, locally and in most other areas, and the attendant rise in living standards that these gains have made possible.

The general upsurge in automobile sales is attributed chiefly, in a study made by the Chase Manhattan Bank here, to multiple car families.

At the present time, more than eleven million families in the United States, nearly one out of every five, own more than one car.

The sharp increase in the number of car-hungry teen-agers is cited as one reason for the increase. In addition, there is the fact that a greater number of people are living in suburban areas where the car is more of a necessity than in the central cities.

Altogether, the automobile has had a dynamic effect on the economy as a whole since 1963. The amounts spent for their purchase and their maintenance are huge.

In Lynn County, the expenditure in the past year in local service stations alone, for gas, oil, repairs and parts added up to \$848,000, SRDS reports.

Texas has derived \$63 billion from crude oil sales in the last century.

Mrs. Hoover plans to spend Thanksgiving with her daughter in Plainview. Her granddaughter, Sandra Bloodworth and family also plan to be there. See you next week.

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## Lavender Honored By Anton Church

Rev. Darvy Lavendar, born and reared in Lynn county, was honored in a special program at the church he pastors, Central Baptist Church, at Anton Sunday night, according to his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cassie Fallin of Tahoka, who attended the affair.

The program entitled "Spotlight on a Christian" was similar to a "This is Your Life," and featured stories recounting his many activities and help to people of the community.

Darvey was born at Wilson, graduated from high school there, lived at Wells, and is married to the former Miss Lillian Choate, Mrs. Fallin's daughter.

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## Pvt. Larry M. Sears Completes Training

Ft. Leonardwood, Mo. (AHTN-C)—Army Private Larry M. Sears, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey M. Sears, 102 E. 75th, Lubbock, Tex., completed an eight-week construction machine operator course Nov. 17 at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

He was trained in the operation of grading bulldozers and learned the techniques of cutting ditches and forming draining systems.

His wife, Barbara, lives on Route 2, Wilson, Tex.

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OFFICE SUPPLIES—The News carries a fairly complete line of office supplies, most items lower than Lubbock prices.

## REV. J. E. YEATS NEW PASTOR AT WELLMAN

Rev. J. E. Yeats, who retired two years ago while Methodist pastor at Grassland but who, with his wife, has continued to live there, recently was called back into service and is the pastor at Wellman. He and Mrs. Yeats have moved there temporarily, but declares Grassland is still "home."

Monday, his 84th birthday, Rev. Yeats bought himself a birthday present, The Lynn County News for a year to be sent to Wellman.

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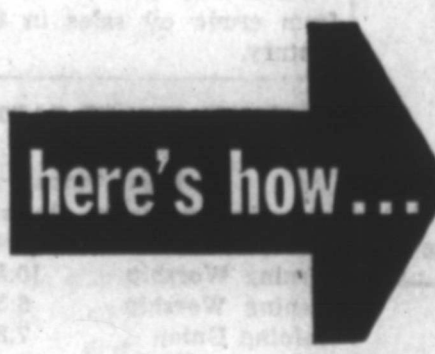


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# CENTRAL NEWS

(By Mrs. R. L. Craig)

Our fourth Sunday singing will be held at Central Baptist Church this Sunday from 2:30 until 4:00 p. m. Everyone in the area is invited to attend.

We were sorry to hear of the sudden death of Ollie J. Stanley in Grassland Sunday morning. We extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Stanley and children. May God be with each of you in your sorrow.

Rev. Joe and Mrs. Sarrett and son and grandson Mark were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Sarah Whitley and sons. Sunday afternoon Rev. Sarrett and family visited in the home of Grandpa W.N. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pitts and son, also Mrs. Ollie J. Stanley and children.

Mrs. J. E. Thomas from Lubbock attended church at Central Sunday morning. We are always glad to have visitors.

Craig talked to Ruth Young of Lubbock Sunday evening, and she said that her father-in-law, Jurd Young, who underwent surgery in Lubbock last Thursday, is improving and may get to come back home this weekend.

Ruth Ingle and Mary Lee Laws went to Lubbock last Thursday. Penny Ingle and Cindy Laws spent Tuesday with Mary Craig while the two ladies went to see Santa Claus.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Witcher have bought a home in Post and are moving there. We wish them lots of happiness in their new home. Little Joe, Craig was sick all last week and had to miss school, but was feeling some better Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hap Winkler from Post and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sales of Grassland were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Mathis and Grandmother E. B. Mathis. Mr. Sales and Mrs. Winkler are brother and sister. Other visitors were Oran and Maude Ramsey from Tahoka, Mrs. Newman Bartley of New Lynn, D. C. Roberts of Post visited a while Sunday morning.

Mrs. A. Pendleton was real sick last week end. She had a check-up Friday at the Tahoka Clinic. She spent Friday night with her sister-in-law, Nannie Norwood. Saturday morning her two sons, Fred Pendleton from Seminole and Sport Pendleton from Brownfield visited with their mother. We are glad to report she is feeling lots better.

Mrs. Maudie Rose from Post visited with her grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Ray, Thursday.

A birthday dinner was given Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Craig of O'Donnell for their daughter, Wayla Jo, who celebrated her eighth birthday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Winford Craig and sons Gerald Wayne and Derrell Ray of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips and daughter from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Phillips and baby of O'Donnell, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Phillips and Charlie and Vivian Craig. Guests were served birthday cake and a wonderful dinner. All enjoyed the day visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ragan Reed from Brownfield visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Norman, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gray came home Sunday evening from Houston, where they have been taking treatment at the M. D. Anderson Hospital. They came back home by Dallas and spent a few days with their son Lester and family. Mrs. Gray said it was the first night she had spent at home since Sept. 10. The Grays were so proud to be home again. We surely did miss them while they were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray will go to Lubbock Tuesday to West Texas Hospital for check-ups. We are hoping they will be feeling lots better soon.

Dr. Ronald Huddleston from East Africa came home last Tuesday. He flew back with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dennis of Amarillo, who were seriously hurt in a wreck in Africa. Dr. Huddleston spent Tuesday through Friday with his parents. They had not seen their son in two years. They had a real nice visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mason and Mrs. J. B. Ray and Thelma Ray visited in Dimmitt Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mason Jr. and daughters.

Johnny Ray of Post and his two uncles, the Foster brothers, went to Pictown, N. M., deer hunting and on to Cliff Homes ranch. They had a lot of fun and a real good time but they got no deer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mason and Mrs. J. B. Ray attended the funeral services Tuesday evening at the Church of Christ in Tahoka for Ollie J. Stanley.

Frost causes the cotton plant to shed leaves naturally.

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## Do-It-Yourself Darling from Texas Is National March of Dimes Child

Donna Dill, a 5-year-old Texan who is most at home on her pony, has been named the March of Dimes National Poster Child for 1967.

Branded by friends as a do-it-yourself darling, pert and pretty Donna likes to be active and independent despite a severe birth defect.

Donna, who was born with an open spine (spina bifida), symbolizes the 250,000 American babies born with birth defects each year. The March of Dimes has helped her as part of its continuing fight against birth defects.

There was a time when the independent little miss wanted to sleep in her braces so she could get up by herself in the morning. She helps around the house by picking up her toys, helping mother with the dishes and cookie-baking.

Donna frequently visits her grandparents' ranch near Corsicana, 40 miles from her home in Hillsboro, Tex., to ride her pet pony Popsy.

When she's on Popsy, Donna's blue eyes sparkle and her blonde pony tail bounces up and down. Riding gives her a feeling of freedom—Donna needs no crutches when she rides.

But she can't walk without crutches, and her partially paralyzed legs are supported by braces every waking hour.

Donna's open spine was treated when she was 18 months old, and she has had four operations since. Her general health is good, and her doctor thinks she may be able to discard her right leg brace someday.

Popsy is not Donna's only pet. In fact she is surrounded by animals. Her 3-year-old poodle, Fluffy, is a favorite, and she keeps goldfish in a bowl in her room. Donna also finds time to play with a neighbor's kitten.

"I just like all animals,"



THE EYES OF TEXAS and the nation will focus on Donna Dill, 5-year-old miss from the Lone Star State, who is the 1967 National March of Dimes Poster Child. She symbolizes 250,000 American children born each year with birth defects.

she told her mother recently, "even snakes."

Donna now attends Sunday school and plans to begin public school next fall. This young lady will enter the first grade an accomplished and experienced traveler.

As the National Poster Child, Donna may very well meet President Johnson. During the January March of Dimes campaign tour, this 5-year-old charmer will make public appearances in about 20 cities from coast to coast. There will be guest spots with the stars of television, motion pictures, and radio.

Along with Donna on this nationwide tour will be her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David J. Dill, both native Texans.

Donna's father is quite at home on the range. As a student in high school and college he roped calves in rodeos. He is employed today by the U.S. Department of Agriculture as the Assistant County Supervisor for the Farmers' Home Administration.

The National Poster Child's mother, Jo Ford Dill, is secretary of the Hill County (Tex.) Chapter of the National Foundation-March of Dimes.

A former majorette in college, she is teaching Donna to use a baton, but Donna's ambition is elsewhere. A true Texan, she wants to be a cowgirl when she grows up. She privately confesses, however, that she would settle for being a mother or a nurse.

Jake Jacobs and daughter Vicki of Bovina and two of Vicki's girl friends from San Antonio spent Saturday night here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill after attending the Tech-Arkansas game.

A woman motorist was being examined for a driver's license. Examiner: "And what is the white line in the middle of the road for?"  
Woman: "Bicycles."

The wife of a hard-to-please husband was determined to please him for just one day. "Darling," she asked when getting up, "what would you like for breakfast?"  
"Coffee and toast, grits and sausage, and two eggs—one scrambled and one fried," he replied.  
She worked hard, and soon had his breakfast on the table and called him to eat. She stood aside, expecting him to make some comment about how nice the breakfast looked, but all he said after a quick glance was, "Well, I'll be darned if you didn't scramble the wrong egg!"

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Choir Practice 8:30 p.m.  
Junior and Intermediate G.A.'s 7:30 p.m.  
Sunbeams Monday 2:00 p.m.  
R.A.'s 7:30 p.m.  
Y.W.A. Tuesday 8:00 p.m.

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FOR SALE—Electric train, full set, track mounted on heavy plywood, engine smokes. Mrs. "Red" Brown. 9-2tc.

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FOR SALE—3 bedroom and 2 bath house at 1721 North First. Lester Adams, call 998-4730 after 4:00 p.m. 9-4tc

One of the pillars of a church in a small New England town passed away. A few days later, the minister met the small son of the deceased man on the street.

Taking the lad's hand, he looked at him in a sympathetic way and asked:

"My lad, what were your noble father's last words?"

"Pa didn't have any last words," answered the boy. "You see, Ma was with him right up to the time he died."

FOR SALE—Business property in New Home: 40x40 steel bldg. Also 2 acres of industrial land. Joe D. Unfred Enterprises, Box 177, New Home, Texas 79383. 9-4tc.

FOR SALE—1956 1/2-ton Ford pick-up, V-8 engine, long bed. This pick-up is in perfect mechanical shape, good tires, price \$325. M. L. Murray, Box 67, Wilson, Phone 628-2032, Wilson. 9-2tp

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# Society AND Clubs

## Mrs. Abbe Attends State PTA Meet

The Parent-Teacher Association of Tahoka Public Schools sent Mrs. Robert E. Abbe, president, as a voting delegate to the 57th annual Texas PTA State Convention in Austin last week, November 16-18.

Theme of the convention was "Increasing Educational Opportunities."

Approximately 3,000 delegates gathered for convention meetings in Austin's Municipal Auditorium.

Guest speakers included Ben Barnes, Speaker of Texas' House of Representatives; Dr. Thomas G. Pullen Jr., president of the University of Baltimore; and Dr. Elizabeth M. Drews, professor of education at Portland (Ore.) State College.

The annual state convention serves as governing body for the Texas PTA. The 1967 convention will be held in Fort Worth, and the 1968 convention will meet in Houston.

## Congratulations:

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McMillan, on birth of a daughter, born at 7:37 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 17, at West Texas Hospital in Lubbock. She has been named Kimberly Dawn and weighed 6 pounds 2 oz. The couple also has two sons, Kurk, age 4, and Dennis 8. Jimmy is employed by Lyntegar Electric. Grandparents are Mrs. H. L. McMillan of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Morris, route 3, Post.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Jim Turner, Pastor  
Schedule of Services  
(13 and 14)  
6:00 P. M.—Evening worship service  
7:00 P. M.—Training Union  
8:30 P. M.—Adult Choir  
**WEDNESDAY**  
7:00 P. M.—Officers and teachers meeting  
Primary Choir  
Junior Choir  
7:45 P. M.—Midweek service  
8:00 P. M.—Intermediate Choir  
**SUNDAY**  
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School  
10:55 A. M.—Morning worship service

## Mrs. Arnold Maeker Speaker at WSCS

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church and several visitors met in the church parlor Monday afternoon for the annual Harvest Festival.

Mrs. Arnold Maeker of Lubbock reviewed Marjorie Wilson's book, "You Are As Young As You Appear," which was very impressive and an inspiration to everyone.

Mrs. Jim Littlefield accompanied Mrs. Harold Green at the piano as she sang "Thanks."

## Rebekah Ladies' Plan Bake Sale

Calendar ad sales were announced complete at the regular meeting of Tahoka Rebekah Lodge No. 209 Tuesday night. The calendar will go to press next week, funds from this project going to the building fund.

The lodge decided to have a bake sale on Wednesday, Dec. 7. Special orders will be given prompt attention by calling any Rebekah.

A rummage sale will also be held in the lobby of the Wallace Theatre building on Friday and Saturday, December 2 and 3. Anyone having "white elephants" or clothing to donate are asked to contact any member for a pickup.

Next regular meeting will be Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 7:30 p.m.—Reporter.

## Duplicate Winner For Tuesday Night

Winners in Master Point play at T-Bar Duplicate Bridge Club Tuesday night were:

Kent Jones of Lubbock and Mrs. Winston C. Wharton, first; Jack Clendenin and "Butch" Adams, both of Lubbock, second; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill, third; Mr. and Mrs. John Wells, fourth.

Another Master Point night will be held on December 6 in stead of the fourth Tuesday, Mrs. Wells, the director announces.

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HAROLD DALE UNDERWOOD

## Dale Underwood Is Ill In Japan

Harold Dale Underwood, son of Mrs. Grace Mobley of Tahoka, is reported to be ill and confined to a hospital somewhere in Japan. The sailor, who will be 19 on Dec. 3, has been ill for about two months.

Underwood was stationed aboard the USS Belle Grove, a supply and troop ship, and is on his second tour of the Far East. He left the last time from San Francisco in September, the ship sailing for Asia.

Dale was promoted to 3 Class Seaman April 1. He enlisted in the Navy August 5, 1965 from Aspermont in Stonewall county and finished his boot training in San Diego, Calif. in the following October. He completed requirements for his high school diploma after enlisting in the Navy.

Mrs. Mobley says Dale is to be home around Christmas or New Year's if his illness permits.

## Farmers Should Consolidate Acreage

Memphis, Tenn.—(Special) — A cotton farmer who operates in different areas—and who wants all his production to be counted in the Cotton Research and Promotion Referendum—should check with his ASCS office.

Otherwise, only the production in the county where he votes will be considered eligible, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, which will conduct the referendum by mail on December 3-5.

The National Cotton Council stresses that this is important for many farmers who produce cotton in different counties, and even in different states.

The referendum can be approved by two-thirds of the cotton farmers voting. But it could also be approved by a simple majority if these farmers account for two-thirds of the volume of those voting.

To be sure his volume is given proper weight, the farmer who produces in different counties or states should so notify his local ASCS office.

In the referendum, farmers will decide whether they want to put up a dollar a bale for research and promotion to help sell their cotton, which has rapidly been losing markets to man-made fibers.

The cotton surplus is at an all-time high, and plant acreage for 1966 was the lowest in almost a hundred years.

Authority for the referendum was provided in the Cotton Research and Promotion Act, which was sponsored by producer leaders and approved by Congress earlier this year.

If approved, the program will be initiated and conducted by a Beltwide organization composed exclusively of cotton producers, with each state having representation in proportion to its contributions.

The Beltwide organization would be comparable to, and would probably take the name of, the organization which has operated since 1960 as the Cotton Producers Institute. The Institute originally developed the idea of the Research and Promotion Act, and asked the National Cotton Council to sponsor it.

While handlers would be required to collect the dollar a bale, any producer could get his money back simply by asking for a refund.

Texas produced 9 percent of the world oil in 1965, 12 percent in 1960, 22 percent in 1950.

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Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p. m.  
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# WILSON NEWS

(By Mrs. Ted Melugin)

## Mustangs Win Final Game

The victory bell rang out as the Wilson Mustangs won their final game Friday night in Ropesville, 24-8. The Wilson and Ropesville bands gave two fine performances before a large number of spectators.

There were eight seniors who played their last game of high school football in Friday's night game: Kenneth Corley, guard; Jimmy Koenig, end; David Kolan, tackle; Lee Moore, end; J. B. Rackler, halfback; Lawrence Staben, tackle; Dennis Verkamp, halfback; and Mike Ward, center. Hats off to the boys, coaches, pep squad girls, cheer leaders, band and everyone who helped make this a wonderful year of entertainment in the football season.

## High School Basketball

With football over, eyes turn to basketball games. The first game will be at Wilson against Union. Game time 7:00 p.m. The Tahoka Tournament will be Dec. 1-2-3. The Wilson Tournament is scheduled Dec. 15-16-17.

## Students attend Play

Monday night, Nov. 14, several high school students attended the Shakespear play "Henry VIII" in Lubbock's Little Theatre. Coy Cook accompanied the group, who made the trip by bus.

## Home-Ec Girls attend Cook Show

Several Home-Ec girls from Wilson attended the cooking show "Learn How To Cook" in the Lubbock Municipal auditorium last week.

## Junior High Basketball

The Junior high girls and boys participated in the Southland Junior High Tournament Thursday evening and Saturday morning and afternoon. They play at Tahoka Nov. 28th at 6:30 p.m.

## Mustang Band in March Contest

Tuesday, Nov. 22nd, the Mustang Band performed at 9:35 a.m.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Wilson, Texas

Sunday	
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.
Training Union	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	6:45 p.m.
Monday	
Lily Hundley Circle	7:00 p.m.
Business Women's Circle	7:00 p.m.
Sunbeams, GA's, RA's	4:00 p.m.
Wednesday	
Mid-Week Service	8:00 p.m.
Blanche Groves Circle	9:00 a.m.

at Tech stadium in the area band marching contests.

## Football Boys Honored

Tuesday night at 7:00, the football boys were honored by their mothers with a supper in the high school cafeteria. Each year the mothers of the high school football players sponsor a supper.

## Enjoy Deer Hunt

Edgar Ahrens and his brother, Henry, of Cotton Center, enjoyed a deer hunt the 12th of this month at El Dorado, Texas. A brother-in-law, Mr. McClain of Crain, Texas, bagged a deer during the hunt.

The Ted Melugin's, Mrs. Elton Hacker and Mrs. Mae Melugin of Slaton enjoyed touring the West Texas Museum in Canyon and visiting with their son, Terry, who is a student at WTSU on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crowson and family are expecting their daughter, Linda and family of Houma, Louisiana for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Happy Thanksgiving to the readers.

Pray for Peace in Viet Nam!

## Wilson Basketball Schedule For Year

Games start 7:00 p.m. Coach: John Alexander.
Nov. 29—Union, here
Dec. 1-2-3—Tahoka Tournament
Dec. 6—Union, there
Dec. 8-9-10—Cooper Tournament
Dec. 13—Sundown, here
Dec. 15-16-17—Wilson Tournament
Dec. 20—Sundown, there
Jan. 3—Meadow, there
Jan. 6—New Home, here
Jan. 10—Meadow, here
Jan. 13—Cooper, there
Jan. 17—Ropesville, here
Jan. 20—Southland, there
Jan. 24—New Home, there
Jan. 27—Open
Jan. 31—Cooper, here
Feb. 3—Ropesville, there
Feb. 7—Southland, here
Feb. 14-16-17—Dist. Tournament at Ropesville

The National Cotton Council was organized in 1938.

## NEW HOME METHODIST CHURCH

Church School	10:00 a.m.
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
MYF	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.

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## Man Finds He Has Tuberculosis In Both Lungs, Result of X-Ray Picture

(Editor's Note: The following is one of a series of articles prepared by the West Texas Tuberculosis Association to remind the people it serves in 23 West Texas counties that Christmas Seals do a continuing job all year long. Where case histories are used, identities and locations are disguised to protect the privacy of the individuals.)

In a West Texas town very near here, there once lived a man who had no steady, full-time job. Call him Joe. Joe wasn't lazy, but he felt lazy - kind of tired most of the time.

Just a week or so ago, Joe spent one day something like this:

A cup of coffee with Harry and Mike at the drug store. He was coughing some, but Harry and Mike were used to his coughing. Then an hour or so at Thurston's used car lot. He liked cars, and he liked to visit. He spat on a tire, and he visited with a customer and a salesman. Later more coffee at another Main Street coffee bar.

Because everybody else seemed to be lining up at the Tuberculosis Association mobile x-ray unit, Joe lined up too. He had the time, and the x-ray Number 31,602-b took just a second. In minutes, he was back on the street, making the rounds.

A few days later, a doctor scanned x-ray Number 31,602-b. He stopped short, looked again, and again made a careful check of this particular chest picture.

Then he marked it "Urgent" and he made a telephone call. The chain reaction set in. The

doctor's call led to a stir at the West Texas Tuberculosis Association offices in Lubbock. More telephoned messages - all including the word "urgent" - until the wandering Man on Main Street was located.

His home town doctor confirmed the urgency of this case. Joe had an advanced case of tuberculosis, both lungs showing severe damage.

Within hours, he was en route to a hospital where he will live several months, until he can no longer endanger Main Street with the tubercule bacillus - the big name for the deadly germ that travels on a breath of air.

Approximately 50 persons in 23 West Texas counties already this year have learned that they have suspected cases of active TB. Judging by the figures, close to 3,000 Texans will be found to have active TB this year. They will be among 50,000 Americans to make the same discovery and among 2 or 3 hundreds of millions of infected persons in the world. In the developing countries, health authorities estimate that 10 to 15 million active TB cases are able to transmit the disease to one another and travelers. In the U.S. alone, the disease kills 9,000 persons annually—434 in Texas last year.

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## TIM TIPPIT HOME ON LEAVE FROM ARMY

Sp/4 Tim Tippit, stationed at Fort Huachuca, Arizona, arrived home Monday on 20 days leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Tippit, and other relatives. Tim has been in the Army a year, the past seven months at Fort Huachuca.

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Mrs. Ola Dennis returned to her home in Hereford on Sunday after spending two weeks with Mrs. D. V. Smith and her many friends here. Her daughter, Mrs. Bill Hutson, with whom she lives, came for her. Visiting Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dunson, all of Seagraves.

Marcella Harrell of Chipley, Fla., is here visiting Mrs. R. W. Lewis and Jodie Nevill.

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# SPORTS

## Bulldog Boys Win Tourney Is Set Over Frenship Here Next Week

Tahoka A and B boys won and A team girls lost to Frenship in basketball games played here Friday night.

Tahoka A boys won 47 to 34. B boys won 45 to 42, and Frenship girls won over Tahoka girls 58 to 33.

In the varsity boys game, the score was tied 10-10 at the end of the first quarter, Tahoka then went ahead to stay and led 21-14 at the half, 32-20 at the three-quarter mark, and coasted in for the 47-34 victory.

For the visitors, Rick Curry led scoring with 14 points.

But, for Tahoka, Mitchell Williams poured 22 points through the hoop, and others seeing action were John Tyler, Doyle Schneider, Mike Lankford, Wayne Thurman, Richard White, and Jodie Edwards.

Tahoka girls, lacking height, were snowed under by Frenship girls, as one girl on the visitors' team Donna Howard, scored 31 points. By quarters, the score was 13-10, 28-16, 38-23, and 58-33.

For Tahoka, Sue Woodall and Tresa Mason each had 12 points.

The B team boys' game was very close. Frenship led 13-8 at the quarter and 22-19 at the half, but Tahoka rallied in the third, took a 36-28 lead, and went on to nose out the visitors 45-42. Lewis Hise led Tahoka scoring with 20 points, and Dan Abney led Frenship scoring with 12.

Tahoka B team coach, Jim Littlefield, used 11 boys in the affair, the other ten being Jimmy McCord, Tim Walker, Martin Warren, Charley Brown, Billy Curry, Buz Owens, Greg Thomas, Larry Reno, Mitchell Thurman, and Billy Applewhite.

Gary Brooks joined the A team boys this week after having been out with a bruised shoulder. Cliff Thomas, out with a broken collar bone, and Jim Adams, out with a

Tahoka's annual basketball tournament will begin Thursday of next week, county champions will be determined Friday night, and tournament champions on Saturday night.

Playing in the Lynn county bracket, both boys' and girls' A teams, will be O'Donnell, Wilson, New Home and Tahoka.

In the other bracket will be boys' and girls' teams from Slaton, Stanton, Southland, and Gail.

Next Tuesday night, Southland A and B boys' teams and A girls will play here, the B team boys' game beginning at 5:30 p.m.

### GAME RECEIPTS

Receipts from the Tahoka-Stanton basketball game last week were \$94.50. Expenses included \$25.00 for the officials and \$6.00 traveling expense, leaving net receipts of \$63.50, according to Clifton Gardner, high school principal.

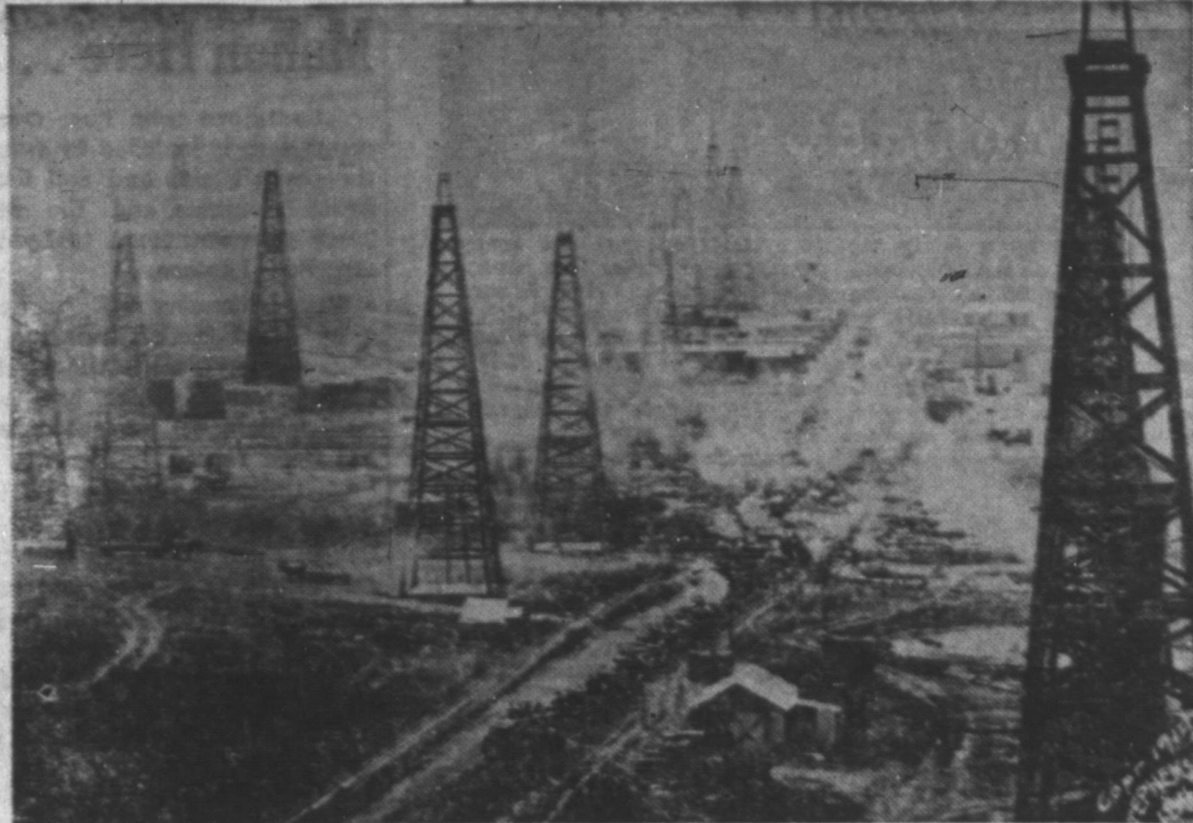
Total receipts of the Tahoka-Frenship game played Friday night were \$92.00. Officials pay and traveling expense was \$36.00, leaving net receipts of \$52.00.

Cottonseed meal can be used as a food substitute.

broken finger, may join the A team next week. Lewis Hise will become eligible for A team play on December 12.

Robert Ryan coaches the A team boys and girls. Since this is his first year here, he has been juggling the boys around considerably to learn their capabilities.

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BURKBURNETT, 1919 — North Texas ranchlands had been producing oil since 1905 and early Burkburnett production started around 1912 but by 1919, when this picture was made, it was one of the state's leading oil boom centers.

## Basketball Is Now Underway

Following is the schedule for Tahoka High basketball for the season already underway:

- Nov. 15—Stanton, here, 5:30, A & B Girls, A Boys.
- Nov. 18—Frenship, here, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Nov. 22—Crosbyton, here, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Nov. 29—Southland, here, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Dec. 1-2-3—Tahoka Tournament A Girls and A Boys, Wilson, New Home, O'Donnell, Tahoka, Slaton, Stanton, Southland, Gail.
- Dec. 6—Stanton, there, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Dec. 9—Farwell, there, 6:30, A Girls and A Boys.
- Dec. 13—Klondike, here, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Dec. 15-16-17—Stanton Tourney, A Girls and A Boys.
- Dec. 15-16-17—Wilson Tourney, B Girls and B Boys.
- Jan. 3—Stanton, here, 5:30, A & B Girls, A Boys.
- Jan. 5-6-7—Plains Tournament, A Boys.
- Jan. 10—Frenship, there, 5:30, A & B Girls, A Boys.
- Jan. 13—Coahoma, here, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Jan. 17—O'Donnell, here, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Jan. 19—Post, here, 6:30, A & B Girls.
- Jan. 20—Seagraves, there, 6:00, A & B Boys.
- Jan. 23—Post, there, 6:30, A & B Girls.
- Jan. 24—Plains, there, 6:00, A & B Boys.
- Jan. 27—Open.
- Jan. 31—Coahoma, there, 5:30, A & B Boys, A Girls.
- Feb. 3—O'Donnell, there, 5:30, A & B Girls, A Boys.
- Feb. 7—Seagraves, here, 6:00, A & B Boys.
- Feb. 10—Plains, here, 6:00, A & B Boys.
- \* District Games.

**THIS Junior High Schedule**  
Nov. 28—Wilson, here, 6:30, 8th boys and girls.  
Dec. 5—Slaton, there, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Dec. 12—Post, here, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Dec. 15—Frenship, here, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Jan. 5-6-7—Union Tournament, 8th boys and girls.  
Jan. 9—O'Donnell, here, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Jan. 16—Open.  
Jan. 19—Wilson, there, 6:30, 8th boys and girls.  
Jan. 21—Seagraves, Tournament, 7th and 8th boys.  
Jan. 23—Slaton, here, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Jan. 30—Post, there, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Feb. 6—Frenship, here, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Feb. 13—O'Donnell, there, 5:30, 7th and 8th boys and girls.  
Feb. 16-17-18—District Tourney, at Tahoka, 7th and 8th boys and girls.

Coaches:  
Robert Ryan, Varsity Boys & Girls.  
Jim O. Littlefield, B-team boys.  
Cecil Robinson, Junior High.

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Worship 7:45 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Bible Study 7:45 p.m.  
Friday  
Young People 7:45 p.m.

## Wilson Winner In Last Game

A potent passing attack took the Wilson Mustangs to a 24 to 8 win over the Ropesville Eagles here Friday night in Dist. 2-B.

Wilson aeriels clicked for scores in all four quarters. No extra points were made.

Jimmy Koenig took a short 4-yarder scoring pass from Johnny Scott in the first quarter.

Scott, in turn, received a 56-yard pass and run aerial from Dennis Verkamp of Wilson in the second frame.

Ropes got in the game in the second with Ronnie Hule bumping tackle for 7 yards and a TD. Ted Lowry passed to Gary Dan Rucker for two extras.

In the third frame, Scott passed 3 yards to Koenig for a third Wilson TD.

And in the fourth and last, Scott waffled another short 2-yard pass to Lee Moore in the end zone.

That was it. Wilson winds up the season, 8-2, with a 6-2 district mark. Ropesville finished 4-5-1 and 4-3-1.

## Mix-Up League Bowling Results

The Sometimes and the Old Folks split two games each Saturday night in the New Home Mixup League. Dick Turner did some fine bowling with a 204 high game and 592 series. Babe Evans sparked the Old Folks with a high game of 224 and series of 554.

The Nightowls collected three games from The Aces and were paced by Helen Lee Peek's 177 game and 486 series. Wayne Tekell had high series for the losers with a 463 while Gaylon Tekell had high game of 166.

Liveoaks took four games from the Rollin' Stones. Virgil Haley led the winners with high game

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**THE NEWS**

## Fulford Is Speaker At State ASCS Meet

W. A. (Dub) Fulford of Brownfield, reared here, was one of the featured speakers at the recent ASCS Texas State Conference held in San Antonio, according to The Brownfield News. He is chairman of the Terry County ASCS Committee.

This is the first time in the nation that an ASCS committeeman has been a featured speaker at a State Conference, the Brownfield paper says.

Fulford emphasized the conditions that exist on the South

Plains relative to cotton and grain sorghum projected yields. He stressed the importance of these yields being fair and equitable for all farms.  
"Dub" is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fulford of Tahoka and his wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Carmack.

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Instead of giving what they normally would give on four separate drives, businesses and townspeople, last year, averaged giving the normal amount for two drives.

In order to spread the expense (especially to businessmen) over a period of time we have a draft authorization below, which we would appreciate your filling in the amount of your donation, the name of your bank and whether you want the draft monthly or quarterly. The first drafts will not be drawn until January 1967. If you prefer, though, you may send a check for the entire amount.

Our drive does not officially begin until November 28th but if you will mail in your draft authorization or check now it would certainly eliminate lots of leg work later on.

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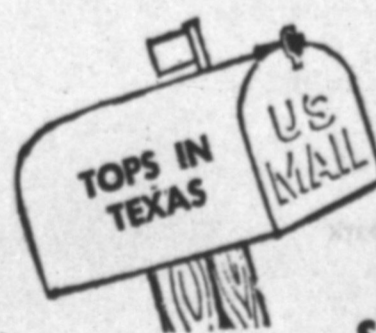
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**THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS**

## B. F. Rainey, 65, Dies At Lubbock

B. F. (Frank) Rainey, 65, Route 4, formerly of the Midway Community, died Tuesday at about noon in Highland Hospital following an extended illness.

Funeral services will be held this Friday at 10:00 a.m. in Caprock Church of Christ with Paul C. Keller, minister, officiating, and burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Mr. Rainey was born March 16, 1901, at Clarksville. He was married there on June 5, 1921, to Miss Willie Legate. The couple moved to Tahoka in 1926 and farmed here until 1946, when they moved near Lubbock to farm. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, J. W. of Springlake and George of Lubbock; six daughters, Mrs. Bessie Brashear of Leveland, Pauline of the home, and Mrs. Louise Davis, Mrs. Inez Sooter, Mrs. Dorothy Jones, and Mrs. June Jernigan, all of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Rena Mae Medley of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Mattie Healy of Abilene, 20 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

## Library . . .

(Continued from Front Page)

Robert Abbe, chairman of the organization committee, presided at the meeting and presented the purposes for an organization to promote use and support of the county library by people over the entire county.

Started 40 years ago as a project of Phebe K. Warner Club, Mrs. G. M. Stewart was the "mother" of the library over the years. Later, the county joined in helping finance the project, and last year a county-wide board was set up under direct supervision of the Commissioners Court. The library was recently moved from cramped quarters to the newly remodeled county building at the northwest corner of the square.

The library has grown from only a few books to 10,000, and just recently the Texas State Library loaned it 250 new children's books. During peak summer months as many as 250 books are checked out a week. Use of the library is free to anyone in the county.

Friends of the Library propose to solicit memberships at \$1.00 a year from people over the county to help support and improve the library and its service and to en-

## WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

"I was told by a fairly big employer, there's a whole business springing up of teaching people how to get on relief or get unemployment money," revealed Stanton Delaplane in a recent column in the San Francisco Chronicle. "For example, you can pay a dollar or two and learn how to fill in the proper welfare papers. How many children you need—legitimate or illegitimate—to make welfare money."

"Quit your job and you get no unemployment money. But quit your job and take a temporary job and lose it—then you get unemployment. The theory is you quit one job to better yourself."

Federation members are constantly complaining about lax unemployment compensation laws. A Missouri druggist writes of a married woman who quit his store to work in a large factory where she stayed only two weeks, then began drawing unemployment against him. "We've protested such claims, but find that after a short waiting period, even when employee dishonesty is involved, claims are validated."

The proprietor of a southern plant writes, "Unemployment compensation is so high it's near minimum wages. Why work? Unemployment won't send us help, yet thousands pass through there weekly."

The U.S. News and World Report National Federation of Independent Business

port observed that for many people, working is less profitable than not working. A man earning \$5,000.00 a year with a wife and three children would have the same standard of living if he quit his job and went on Federal dole permanently.

According to the U.S. News, the number of people on welfare is increasing at a break-neck pace almost three times as fast as population growth since World War II, although jobs go begging.

Nor is it necessary to be poor to qualify for government anti-poverty handouts. "Human Events," the Washington tabloid, reveals Beverly Hills, California, one of the country's most prosperous suburbs was available under one roof: Unemployment compensation, Social Security, Vocational training, Family and child guidance, Medical and psychiatric services, and consumer advice. The sky's the limit on costs in this "market" since the taxpayer is again footing the bill.

## CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this means to express our gratitude to all of our friends for their prayers and many acts of kindness at the death of our little son, Jeffrey William. May God bless each of you. —Sincerely, Bill and Rebecca Ueckert and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ueckert Sr.

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## W. M. Vaughn, 58, Killed In Wreck

Funeral services for Walter M. Vaughn, 58, of Denver City were conducted Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in the First Baptist Church of O'Donnell with the Rev. Calvin Partain, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in O'Donnell Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home.

Mr. Vaughn died at 9:45 p.m. Monday in Lamesa's Medical Arts Hospital where he was taken following a car accident about 6:30 that afternoon.

He was born March 10, 1908, in Lou, Texas, and the family lived in O'Donnell from 1914 to 1940. He had been a resident of Denver City since 1944 where he was employed by the Tom Brown Drilling Co. of Midland. He was married to Mrs. Esther Stewart about four years ago.

Mr. Vaughn was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are the wife; two daughters, Mrs. Bobby Spradlin of Arlington, and Mrs. Eva Hindman of Weatherford; the sons, Bruce L. Vaughn of Dallas, Donnell D. Vaughn of Dallas, James D. Vaughn stationed with the Air Force at Mt. Lejuna, Calif., Doyle D. Stewart of Seagraves, and Jim Ed Stewart of Deming, N. M.; one brother, Lee Vaughn of Albuquerque; two sisters, Mrs. M. M. Jennings of O'Donnell, and Mrs. Winnie Gentry of California; and one grandchild.

## Stanley Dies . . .

(Continued from Front Page) said to have found him dead on going to awaken him to get ready for breakfast and church.

He is survived by his wife; three sons, Dennis Wayne, David Earl, and Danny Jay, and one daughter, Deanna Delois, all of the home, Route 3, Post; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville J. Stanley, Route 2, Tahoka; one brother, Frankie Carl Stanley of Tahoka; two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Lou Ash of Tahoka and Mrs. Patsy Roberts of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were Johnny and Kelley Laws, Wendell Huddleston, Roy Ford, Dan Curry, L. F. Williams, James Murray, Roy Huffaker, George Childress, and R. C. Ray.

## CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity of thanking our friends for the many acts of kindness shown us during the recent illness and passing of our beloved mother. We especially thank those who brought food and served the meals, to those who sent flowers and cards, to the preachers for their assistance, to everyone for the words of sympathy expressed—for each kind deed we say "Thanks and may the Lord bless each of you."—The family of Rosa Jolly. 1tp

Help keep Tahoka clean!

## Mahon Here . . .

(Continued from Page One) which sum is matched by farmers; the Great Plains and Soil Conservation programs, and the school lunch program; loans to Lyntegar and Poka-Lambro.

More financing will be needed other than bank financing, he said, and cited the Farmers Home Administration which has loaned \$800 million, 90 percent of which has been repaid.

He then cited the ASCS diversion payments of nearly \$1 million in Lynn county on feed-grain, and nearly \$3 million of cotton diverted acres in addition to price supports.

Mr. Mahon said the "Food for Peace" project of the Foreign Aid Program helps farmers, since about \$2.5 billion in foods are sent abroad.

Touching on the price of groceries, he said Americans spend only 18.5 percent of their income for food, the French spend 30, the Japanese 40, and the Russians 50 percent for food.

The Congressman declared he had advised President Johnson there should be a slow down on his programs.

Mahon said he opposed the Federal aid to education program, but this will grow bigger. He opposed the Poverty Program, but after these were passed, he felt it his duty to try to do anything to make them succeed.

The anti-poverty program is under fire, but it has some merit in that, according to J. Edgar Hoover, crime is costing the people \$27 billion a year.

Briefly, he reviewed the Vietnam situation from the time we had a few advisors over there, since has become a war, and he declared no one knows the answer except that we must stop this expansion of non-Christian Communism. The situation has escalated into a war which none of us want but we cannot afford to abandon Southeast Asia to the Communists.

The Congressman was accompanied by his wife, the former Miss Helen Stephenson, who was a school teacher in Tahoka when he married her in 1923. Two of his secretaries were also with him. One, Miss Helen Boyle, was on her first trip to the South Plains. State Senator "Doc" Blanchard was also present, and Mr. Mahon

insisted on him speaking briefly, too.

The Senator enumerated some of the major problems coming before the Texas Legislature in January, the water problem, cotton research, raises in pay for teachers and state employees, traffic safety, criminal code revision, and possibly proposed revision of the State Constitution.

He said the State spent \$3.65 billion the last two years, and requests now estimated would run the spending to \$5.5 billion if the Legislature approves.

He urged citizens to write or tell him their views.

County Agent Bill Griffin presided at the meeting and introduced the speakers.

Husband: "Where is all of the grocery money going that I give you?"  
Wife: "Stand sideways and look in the mirror."

## Crosbyton Wins Three Games Here

Tahoka A boys and girls and B team boys each lost games to Crosbyton in the local gym Tuesday night.

Varsity boys lost to the Crosby county Chiefs by a score of 62-42. Larry Morris hit the basket for 31 points to pace the winners. Tahoka's Mitch Williams scored 26 points for the Bulldogs.

In the girls' game, Crosbyton won 44-41. Miss Brown made 22 points for the winners, and Sue Woodall 18 for Tahoka.

Crosbyton boys B-team took a 40-30 victory from the local squad to complete the visitors' winnings.

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This poem by Felicia Hemans describes an opening chapter in the history of the American nation. The Pilgrim Fathers, as they were called, much dissatisfied with the rule of James I of England, went to Holland. After a sojourn there and a long voyage across the sea, they landed at Plymouth, Massachusetts, on December 21, 1620, from their little ship, the Mayflower, and founded the colony which later grew powerful enough to join the twelve others in asserting and winning their independence.

The breaking waves dashed high  
On a stern and rock-bound coast,  
And the woods, against a stormy sky  
Their giant branches tossed.

And the heavy night hung dark  
The hills and water o'er,  
When a band of exiles moored their bark  
On the wild New England shore.

Not as the conqueror comes,  
They, the true-hearted, came;  
Not with the roll of stirring drums,  
And the trumpet that sings of fame;

Not as the flying come,  
In silence and in fear,—  
They shook the depths of the desert's gloom  
With their hymns of lofty cheer.

Amidst the storm they sang,  
And the stars heard, and the sea;  
And the sounding aisles of the dim woods rang  
To the anthem of the free!

The ocean-eagle soared  
From his nest by the white waves' foam,  
And the rocking pines of the forest roared;  
This was their welcome home!

There were men with hoary hair  
Amidst that pilgrim band;  
Why had they come to wither there,  
Away from their childhood's land?

There was woman's fearless eye,  
Lit by her deep love's truth;  
There was manhood's brow, serenely high,  
And the fiery heart of youth.

What sought they thus afar?  
Bright jewels of the mine?  
The wealth of seas, the spoils of war?  
They sought a faith's pure shrine!

Ay, call it holy ground,  
The soil where first they trod!  
They have left unstained what there they found—  
Freedom to worship God!

(SUBMITTED BY MRS. D. W. GAIGNAT)