



LITTLE LEAGUE ALL STAR TEAM--Winning one game and losing two in tournament play were: top row, left to right, Leonard Dunn, manager; Kurt Bryan, T.C. Spruell, Ramero Rodriguez, Rodney McFarland, Mike Rameriz, Juan Garcia and Abel Vega, coach. Bottom row, Jay Johnston, Ronnie Dunn, Coby James, Bobby Jolly, Jessie Torres, Danny Calvillo, Luis Garcia and Mark Vega. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

School Offers Discount On Early Tax Payments

Tahoka Independent School District trustees last week adopted a budget for the coming year up somewhat from the current year, but held the tax rate at 86 cents per 100 valuation and instituted a new discount plan to provide incentive for taxpayers to pay early.

Combining operating budget and money set aside for interest and sinking fund, the budget for the coming year will be \$1,724,422, compared to the 1982-83 figure of \$1,641,281.

With all board members present, the group voted unanimously to offer a discount of 3 per cent in October, 2 per cent in November and 1 per cent in December to taxpayers beginning this October.

Raises were voted for four school employees and \$500 bonuses were voted for four faculty members involved in programs which take extra time and work outside of school hours, and who administrators said did an exceptional job last year. These were Nancy Montgomery, Band Director Mike McGhee, Leah Taylor and Coach Ben Blair.

The lengthy meeting last Thursday night featured several votes which were not unanimous, with from one to three members voting opposition to measures which carried.

Business manager Loretta Tekell reported a balance in all funds on June 30 of \$371,768, and that current tax collections are 92.8 per cent complete.

Vivian McAfee was hired as elementary music teacher, and hired as kindergarten teacher until Nov. 1 was Kathy Gardner, with Susan Duncan hired as kindergarten

teacher from Nov. 1 on, subject to certain stipulations.

It was voted to accept the bid of \$1,146 from Melvin Lehman for lunchroom lights and to begin work immediately. The board also voted to install lights at the entry of the high school building.

Purchase of a new school bus was authorized, and Supt. Jim Coulston

was asked to investigate further options on health insurance for school personnel and report back. Bids on bus insurance also are to be sought.

A recent Supreme Court decision regarding taxation of bank stock was discussed.

Bob Haney presided over the meeting which ended at 1:10 a.m.

Old Hotel Furniture To Be Auctioned Off

Plans for an auction sale at the Keltner Hotel were discussed by members of the Tahoka Historical Society at a short business meeting last Wednesday afternoon.

The sale which will be Saturday, Aug. 6, will be conducted in the street at the east entrance of the hotel. To be sold in the auction will be dressers, beds and tables that are in the rooms of the hotel and other items that persons may donate to the Historical Society. These items may be seen by the public the morning of Aug. 6.

Billy Miller will be auctioneer and food and drinks will be sold by the Tahoka Chamberettes with proceeds going for the hotel renovation.

The first phase of the hotel restoration, which is an apartment for Mrs. Cubana Daniells, is nearing completion. Much hired and donated labor has gone into this phase, as well as many supplies and furnishings.

Joe Hays was appointed chairman

of the work committee for Saturday, July 30.

Roofing Items Are Stolen

Roger Brown of Brown Roofing & Sheet Metal, Lamesa, reported to Tahoka Police that during the weekend, someone had stolen from behind a building located at 1500 Conway one Reeves roofing kettle, 2-wheel trailer, two 32-gallon l.p. bottles and one steel tubing measuring 18' 2 1/2", totaling \$4,500. Brown said this merchandise was last seen at approximately 9 a.m. on Friday. Anyone with information leading to this case is urged to contact Lynn County Crime Line at 998-5145. Brown also is offering a \$1,000 reward in the case.

Chang Terry of Terry Tire Co. reported to police that a hydraulic hoist, black in color, had been stolen from his shop during the weekend.

On Friday, Harvey D. Craig reported missing from his residence at 2301 N. 4th a 2-wheel portable air compressor with a grey tank and a gold Briggs & Stratton engine. The time of the theft was unknown. Value of this was set at \$500.

On Sunday night, a Tahoka resident reported that someone had thrown a smoke bomb through her window in the 1500 block of N. 5th.

Police investigated a couple of family disturbance calls during the past week and also issued one ticket for no drivers license and no proof of liability insurance.

Police arrested one subject for DWI with the assistance of DPS.

In jail during the week were two persons for public intoxication, and one on two check charges.

Tahoka Band Schedule Set

Mike McGhee, Tahoka band director, has set the following schedule for band members:

Aug. 1 - 9 a.m. all band officers meet at band hall.

Aug. 2 - 9 a.m. all officers and anyone interested in being section leader meet in band hall.

Aug. 3-5 - 9-11 a.m. all band members meet at band hall.

Aug. 9-12 - 9-11 a.m. high school band practice.

Aug. 14-17 High School Band Camp at Ceta Canyon.

Sales Tax Rebate Told

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$35.1 million to 974 cities that levy the one-percent city sales tax.

"Our total payments to cities so far this year are still running about one percent behind last year," Bullock said in sending the July checks to the cities. "Texas was slow to enter the national recession and we are still lagging behind in the recovery. Most major Texas cities are beginning to show higher tax receipts than last year, but the border and oil and gas producing areas are still substantially behind."

The July checks were for taxes collected on sales made in May and reported to the Comptroller by the end of June.

O'Donnell's net payment this period, \$0; comparable payment prior year \$0.00; 1983 payments to date \$2,206.02; 1982 payments to date \$1,556.96.

Wilson's net payment this period \$0.00; comparable payment prior year \$0.00; 1983 payments to date \$31,079.72; 1982 payments to date \$31,020.66.

Tahoka's net payment this period \$3,046.64; comparable payment prior year \$1,917.06; 1983 payments to date \$31,079.72; 1982 payments to date \$31,020.66.

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Life's Funny That Way

by MATT DORSEY

(Editor's Note: Guest columnist this week is Matt Dorsey, a syndicated columnist.)

THE WAY OF ALL STOMACHS

Eating Chili is like riding a bicycle. It may be true that once you learn how you never forget, but it's also true that you had better keep in practice or you're going to suffer a lot of pain from either activity as you grow older!

In the mythology of sports the conventional wisdom is that it's the legs that go first, but in real life it's the stomach. That's why, if you're not in training for chili, it would be advisable to give it up after, say, about age 50. It's one of those activities, like staying up all night, that are best left to young people.

That's because most kids have cast iron stomachs. But in their ignorance they think they can shovel any amount of garbage down the old feed bin, time without end, and revoke the natural law of the universe that you always end up paying for your sins. Take it from an old Pepto Bismol junkie, it can't be done!

Good hot, spicy Texas-style chili--not the bland, bean-laden glop with canned tomatoes in it (ugh!) served in places with names like "Ma's Home-Style Diner" is a true delicacy, which is why it is so difficult to swear off the stuff when the old stomach becomes cranky with age.

more than exhibitionism. These days I wouldn't subject my stomach to one of those things if my life hung in the balance, which it probably would afterwards.

There's also a category of spicy cuisine that utilizes what I call the "catsup principle," which is that you can kill the taste of anything if you use enough cover-up.

This seems to be the guiding principle behind the much acclaimed Cajun cooking of the bayou country of Louisiana, where the idea is to use vast amounts of pepper to overwhelm all the other flavors of the food. It works fine if you like pepper that much, but to me it's like those breakfast cereals that claim they're delicious with fresh peaches or strawberries. Big deal! Dogfood would be delicious with fresh peaches or strawberries--or even with pepper, if that's your style.

Fortunately for the over-the-hill generation, man does not live by spicy foods alone. If he did, he would starve himself into an early grave as the years advanced and the lining of his stomach eroded. What's nice about chili is that it won't normally eat away your digestive tract. It just seems that way if you're not in practice!

But a fair amount of the ingestion of hot, spicy foods is sheer grandstanding. This is particularly true, in my opinion, of people who claim to like those hot chili peppers. I don't believe them. There's nothing to like unless you're a pyromaniac. The only thing they're good for is to show off the excellent state of your digestive system and your ability to stand pain.

In my salad years I used to profess to like chili peppers, but I will now admit it was nothing

SUMMER WEATHER		
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DATE	HIGH	LOW
July 14	90	67
July 15	89	62
July 16	87	68
July 17	99	70
July 18	90	67
July 19	92	70
July 20	92	65

Rain last Thursday morning, 1.42 inch in west Tahoka. General rain over county average of about 1 inch.



BABY DAY OBSERVED AT FIRST BAPTIST--Dedication Service was a part of the morning worship hour last Sunday at Tahoka First Baptist Church. The dedication time was for the parents of recent "newborns" of the congregation with five couples participating. Each baby was presented a New Testament and both parents and congregation responded to the pastor's challenge toward a proper rearing of the children. A ladies quartet sang "Jesus, Lover of the Children." Those participating in the service were: (Top row, left to right) Kim, Sammy and La'Shea Pridmore; Jamy and Beth Wright; Barry, Clay and Retha Pittman. Bottom row, Bill, Wayla and Kyle Buermann; Penny, Wes and Abbey Redman. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)



**KAY DELA ROSA - MARIO HERNANDEZ
Dela Rosa - Hernandez
To Be Married In Coleman**

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy H. Dela Rosa of Coleman announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kay Denise, to Mario B. Hernandez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hernandez Sr. of New Home. The couple plan to be married Saturday, Aug. 6, at 4 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Coleman. The bride-elect is a 1981 graduate of Coleman High School, Coleman, Texas and is employed with Sportsman's Paradise. The prospective bridegroom is a 1979 graduate of New Home High School and is employed by Herb McKee Construction.

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**Look
Who's
New**

Buz and Gayle Owens of Grapevine are the parents of a son, Travis Nathan, born July 6 at 10:30 p.m. He weighed 5 lbs. 7 ozs and was 19 1/4 inches long. He has a brother, Jordan Briant. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Briant of Kenton, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens of Tahoka.

Great-grandmothers are Texas Owens of Tahoka and Margaret Fox of Idalou.

Jackie and Lonnie Jones of Lubbock announce the birth of their daughter, Erica Paige, born Monday, July 11, weighing 7 lbs. 1 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Jones of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jobe of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Raines of Lubbock.

Great-grandparents are Ruth Snider of Dimmitt and Lillie Raines of Lubbock.

Tracie and Grady Shuey of Abernathy are the parents of a daughter, Lindsey Nicole, born at 11:43 p.m. July 15 at Hale Center. She weighed 8 lbs. 4 1/2 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Aldous of Tahoka.

Minerva Benavides announces the birth of her son, Joshua Dee, born



JUDY MCKINLEY

**Judy McKinley - Larry Dalton
Announce Engagement**

Mr. and Mrs. V.L. McKinley Jr. of Lubbock announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Judy of Tahoka, to Larry David Dalton, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Dalton of Ropesville.

The bride-elect is a 1973 graduate of Lubbock High School and a 1977 graduate of Lubbock Christian College. She is employed by Texas Dept. of Human Resources as a children's protective service worker in Lynn and Garza counties.

The prospective groom graduated from Ropesville High School and South Plains Junior College. He is presently engaged in farming in Ropesville.

The couple plan to be married Sept. 10 at 4 p.m. in the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock with a reception in the Garden Room of the church.

Saturday, July 16, at 6:17 p.m. in Lubbock General Hospital. He weighed 6

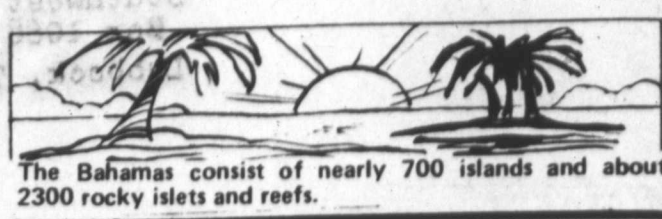


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Thursday- Salmon croquette, tartar sauce or catsup, potatoes au gratin, pickled beets and onions, roll, butter, canteloupe
Friday- Beef pot pie with vegetables, squash casserole, tossed salad with dressing, roll, butter, peanut butter cookie



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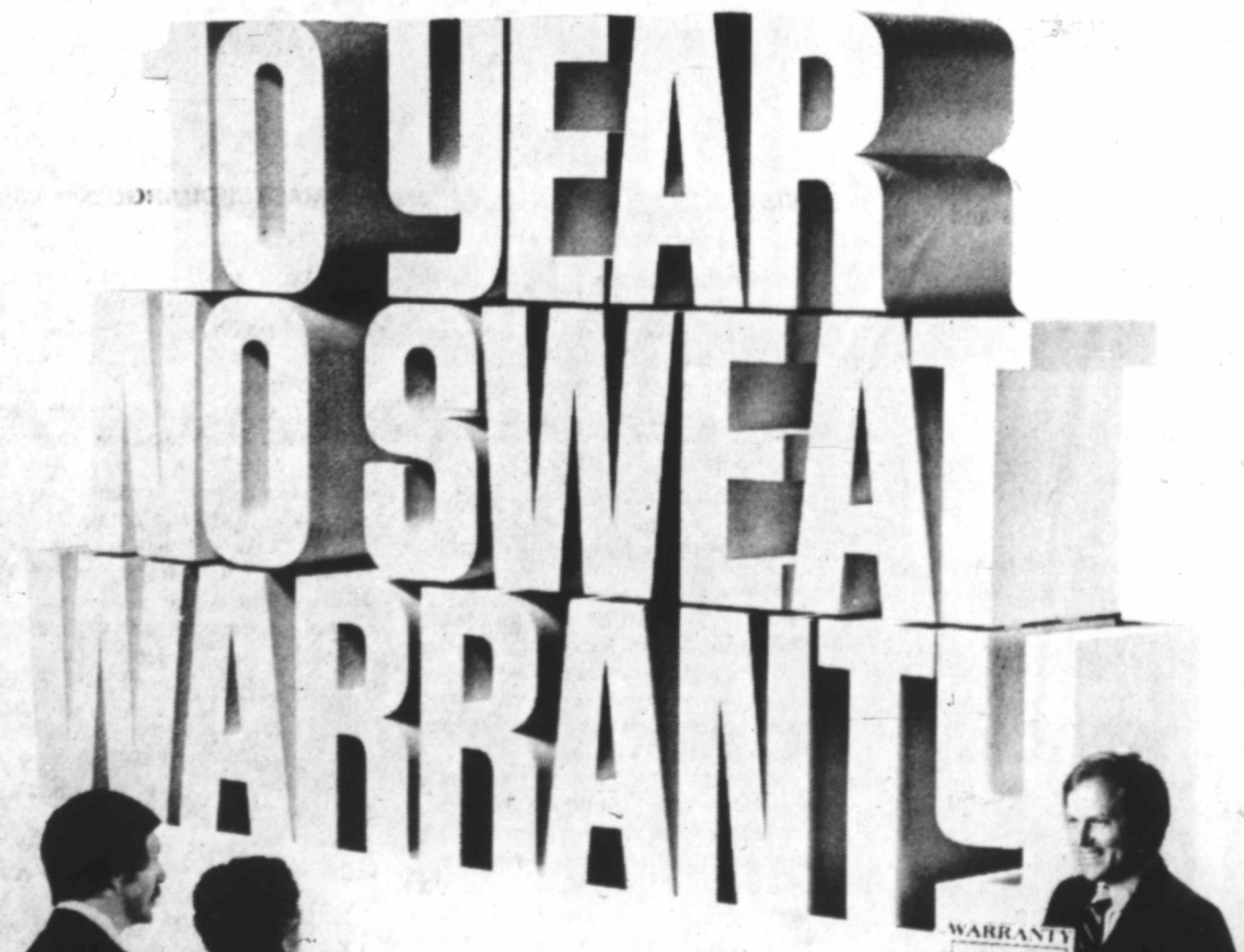
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"The Learning Tree", a licensed day care center for children, birth to 12 years, will open soon in Tahoka announced director Jerri Beth McKibben. The center will provide two meals per day and snacks, plus transportation for school age children. Donations of good used toys will be appreciated. For more information call 998-5023.

JACKIE ROBINSON IS HONORED

Jackie Robinson, son of Britt Robinson of Tahoka and Linda Bartley, has been named a 1983 United States National Award winner in band. He was nominated for this award by Mike McGhee, band director of Tahoka High School. Jackie's picture and achievement will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook. Jackie is the grandson of Jack and Joe Belle Robinson of Tahoka and Dwayne and Odell Vaughn.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES STRICKLAND

James Stricklands Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary

The children of Mr. and Mrs. James Strickland will host a reception in honor of their parents 25th wedding anniversary Sunday, July 23, from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. All friends of the couple are invited to attend.

Henry Reunion Held

The children of Mrs. G.A. Henry met July 16-17 for a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Thomas with 36 in attendance. Children and families attending were Katherine Hill of Houston, John Henry of Kingfisher, Okla Betty Spinks of Wolforth, Loretta Hair of Lubbock, Jacky Henry and Clara Lee Thomas, both of Tahoka, and Sue Ballew of Freeport.

Extra Mile Citation Slated

The State Dept. of Highways and Public Transportation has approved a special certificate to be awarded to departmental employees who respond to an emergency situation and, in doing so, save a life or prevent significant damage of danger from occurring.

The Extra Mile Citation received the approval of the State Highway and Transportation Commission earlier this year. The first award of the citation is to be presented in Lubbock during July of this year.

Nominees for the distinction are provided by the district offices located throughout the state as well as by the divisional offices located in the Austin headquarters of the department.

The impetus for the recognition was generated by many years of public letters complimenting employees for acts of heroism, or of significantly important acts deemed far beyond the normal requirements of their job.

The first cafeteria was opened in 1895 in Chicago on Adams Street between Clark and La Salle Streets by Ernest Kimball.

"Truth is rarely pure and never simple." Oscar Wilde

City County Library News

By LENNIE COX
We have received our new shipment of films and they are the following: An Alphabet of Animals, The Amazing Cosmic Awareness of Duffy Moon, The Arab Identity, Clay, The Desert, A Doll's House, Everyone Needs Some Help, Eye of the Artist, Health and Your Body, The Lion and the Mouse, The Litter Bug, Morris, the Midget Moose; No Tears for Kelsey, North from Mexico, Nutrition-Consumer and the Supermarket, Le Plat du Jour, Sand Castle, Silver Blaze, Toller, What Do You See, Nurse? Yoshiko, the Papermaker. So far as I know now, this will be the last time that we will be able to get any film from the West Texas Library System because our library lacked about \$1,500 meeting the required budget to stay in this system. We will also lose \$1,000 or more in book money which we could continue to receive if we were able to stay in the system. I regret this very much, but I hope that sometime in the near future we will be able to meet the requirements and be reinstated into the system.

Although we are losing the fore-going benefits, we will be able to continue getting books through the interlibrary loan system which you might request. Incidentally, within the last two weeks I have been able to get requested books as far away as Illinois and Colorado through this system, so if you request a certain book, I will try my best to get it for you through this source.

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SPOTLIGHT ON BUSINESS:
Silk Flowers Are Her Specialty

(Tahoka Chamber of Commerce sponsors a program of recognition of business people in the city who are chamber members. Periodically, a story written by a Lynn County News staff member will spotlight a new or established business or person. Third of a series puts the spotlight on Mrs. Sue Hagood.

By DEAN BARTLEY
 Flower arrangement is nothing new for Mrs. Sue Hagood, whose business, "Arrangements by Sue", has been in operation one year last April.

Sue has been working with flowers since 1958 and owned a flower shop in Olton for 10 years.

In her shop, located at 1610 North 5th, Sue specializes in unusual silk and dried arrangements. She gives much credit to Mrs. Anita Billman for teaching her many of her techniques.

Sue explains, "For those of us who have become interested in silk flowers only in the last few years, they have been around a long time."

80th Year
 When she and her husband, Larry, attended a

design school in Dallas the first week in July that company was celebrating its 80th silk flower anniversary. Sue continues, "First, silk flowers were made to put on women's hats, next, they were seen on Pangburn's candy boxes and today they are seen on the very expensive Godiva candy boxes." From this school she brought back many new ideas on silk flower arrangement.

The head of the company that Sue orders flowers from travels over the country observing and sketching flowers, then he designs the hand-made flowers.

The company furnishes her with a color chart with about 120 colors. She selects the colors she likes, then the company dyes each flower the color she has ordered. Every flower petal has wire in that can be shaped.

Looks At Setting
 Sue likes to work by appointment and to go homes to see where arrangements will be used. She will use containers



SUE HAGOOD

such as ginger jars. Sue is the daughter of local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Franklin. She graduated from O'Donnell High School and attended Texas Tech. She and Larry have five children and two grandchildren. They invite anyone to come and see the many flowers which may be chosen for an arrangement.

Other varieties amounting to one percent or better were McNair 308, 1.0; Pioneer PR-80 at 1.0; Dunn 118, 1.0; Cascot C-13, 1.1; Paymaster 266, 1.2; Coker 5110, 1.2; Sunbelt 992, 1.5; Dunn 219, 1.9; GSA 78, 2.1; Dunn 120, 2.7; Quapaw, 3.3; Tamcot SP-21 at 3.4; Dunn 119, 4.0; Cascot L-7 at 4.5 and Paymaster 145, 5.9.

South Plains Cotton Varieties Are Listed

USDA's Marketing Services Office at Lubbock asked cotton ginners and seed dealers "What cot-

ton seed varieties their customers planted this year."

Responses to the survey indicated that GSA-71 was the favorite variety chosen by growers in central and northern High Plains counties, according to Mack Bennett, Area Director at the Lubbock USDA facility. GSA varieties accounted for 17.5 percent of the total planted for the 1983 crop while GSA-71 amounted to 14.7 percent.

Paymaster varieties accounted for 35.4 percent of plantings. The second, third and fourth most popular varieties were Paymaster 303 at 10.9 percent, Paymaster 792 amounted to 9.2 percent and Paymaster 404 was 7.0 percent.

Tamcot CAMD-E was in fifth place at 6.5 percent. The group of Tamcot varieties accounted for 10.7 percent of the total planted.

Previously, you were exempt from the offset only if you met the age, length-of-service, and other requirements for the pension before December 1982. In addition, if you were a husband or widow, you must have received at least one-half

Scanning Social Security

By BOOTH H. ROBBINS

Recent Change In Government Pension Offset

A 1983 change in the law modifies and extends by 7 months the exemption to the "government pension offset." Under the offset, a person's Social Security benefit as a spouse or surviving spouse is reduced dollar-for-dollar by the amount of any pension he or she receives based on Federal, State, or local government employment that is not covered by Social Security. For people becoming eligible for a pension after June 1983, the offset will amount to two-thirds of the pension.

support from your wife, and if you were a divorced woman, your marriage must have lasted at least 20 years (rather than 10 years as is generally required for divorcees). Now you may be exempt from the offset if you are eligible for your pension before July 1, 1983, (whether or not you actually apply), and if you are a woman who is first eligible for your pension December 1, 1982, to July 1, 1983, you also must prove one-half support, just as a man does.

official termination date. Nor does it apply to any Social Security benefits you receive based on your own earnings record. For more information, ask any Social Security office for the leaflet, "Government Pension Offset- How It May Affect You."

GTE Adds New Responsibilities To Service Manager

In an effort to improve customer services and relations, Jerry Slaughter, local service manager for General Telephone for Post, Tahoka, Wilson and Lamesa, has been assigned the additional responsibilities of small business system sales, according to O.D. Hearn, Operations Manager in Brownfield.

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 AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON
 June 30, 1983

PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY
 COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY
 UNDER TITLE 12, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 161
 Charter Number 8597
 National Bank Region Number 11
 Statement of Resources and Liabilities

ASSETS	Thousands Of Dollars
Cash and due from depository institutions	2,140
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	5,926
Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	9,205
All other securities	24
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,100
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	25,985
Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	154
Loans, Net	25,831
Lease financing receivables	213
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	377
Real estate owned other than bank premises	42
All other assets	1,218
TOTAL ASSETS	46,076
LIABILITIES	Thousands Of Dollars
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4,681
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	32,081
Deposits of United States Government	2
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States	2,539
Certified and officers' checks	56
TOTAL DEPOSITS	39,359
Total demand deposits	4,925
Total time and savings deposits	34,434
Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money	200
All other liabilities	543
TOTAL LIABILITIES	40,102
EQUITY CAPITAL	Thousands Of Dollars
Common stock	40,000
Surplus	400
Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	5,174
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	5,974
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	46,076
MEMORANDA	Thousands Of Dollars
Amounts outstanding as of report date:	
Standby letters of credit, total	1
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	5,235
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	780
Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:	
Total deposits	39,564

I, Will Parker, Senior Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Will Parker
 July 18, 1983

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Directors
 /s/ Frank Barrow
 /s/ Clint Walker
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TUESDAY BRIDGE

The winners of Tuesday night bridge, July 12, were: First, Betty Taylor and Edwina Morris, both of Lamesa; second, Boots Walker and Eunice Hunter, both of Brownfield; third, Fern Leslie and Mildred LeMond; fourth, Charles Wayne Bruleson and James McAllister and fifth, Nan Chesshir and Klydie Scudday of Brownfield.

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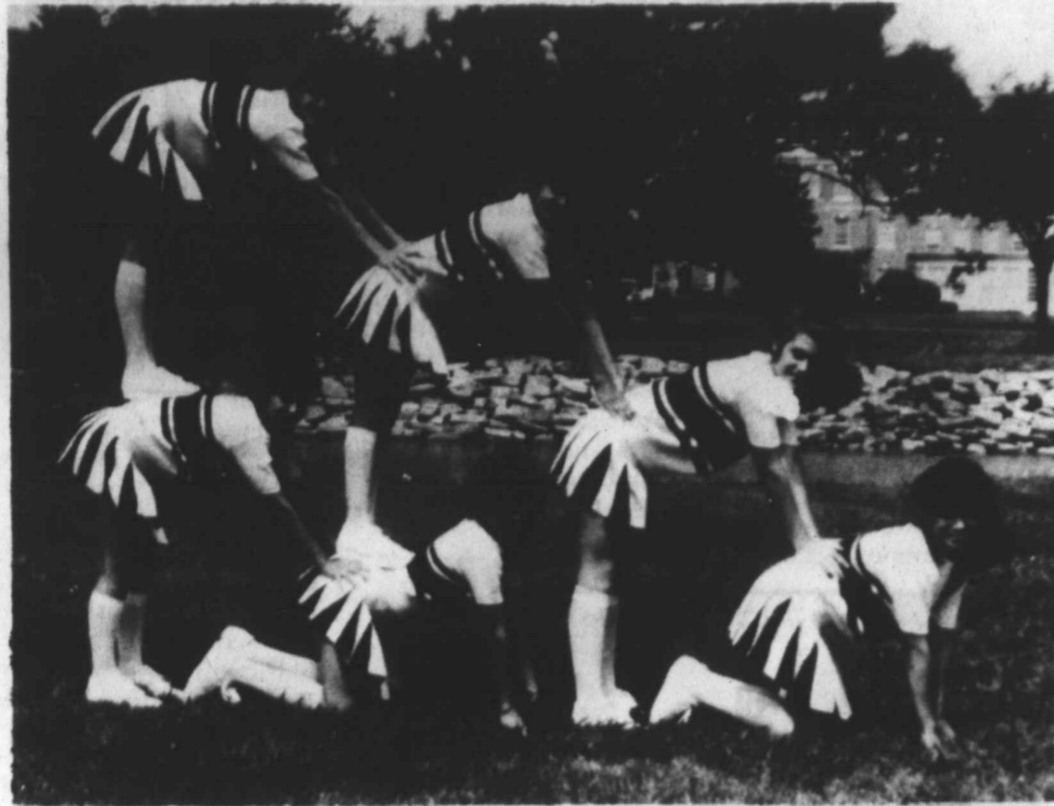


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WILSON CHEERLEADERS—These girls will cheer for Wilson High School for the school year 1983-84. Top, Christi Stone. Bottom, Pam Benavidez, head cheerleader; Tammy Riojas, Louise Ybarra, Stacey Askew, and Gloria Rios. They attended cheerleading camp June 13-17 at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Tennis Tourney Starts Aug. 19

A doubles tennis tournament is scheduled in Tahoka Aug. 19-20, with entries being accepted in A and B divisions for men. There also will be women's doubles and mixed doubles, but only one division of each. Tournament director will be Shawn Stotts, and entries may be made by calling him at 998-4816 or by writing to "Tennis, Box 10, Tahoka, Tx. 79373."

visions which have at least six teams, according to Stotts and Dalton Wood, chairman of the sponsoring Mini-Park Tennis Committee. Play will begin Friday afternoon about 6 p.m. and will continue all day Saturday, Aug. 20. If necessary, finals will be played on Sunday afternoon; however, finals will be on Saturday if possible. Tahoka Chamberettes will sell soft drinks, homemade ice cream and possibly sandwiches at the downtown Tahoka Mini-Park during the tournament Saturday.

"A contented mind is a continual feast." English Proverb

WILSON NEWS

Our sympathy goes out to the Ina Savell family on the loss of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hardin.

New Home Student Honored

Jeff Wyatt of New Home has been selected for membership in the Society of Distinguished American High School Students.

To qualify for Society membership, a nominee must excel in academics, extracurricular, or civic activities and be nominated by a local sponsor.

The New Home Church of Christ was the sponsor for Jeff.

To preserve the honor, the member's name and his biographical accomplishments will be listed in the Society's 1983 Membership Registry.

From The ACEA's Desk

By GREG HENLEY

4-H's Learn Animal Care

Owning an animal brings with it an obligation to learn to keep it healthy. In the national 4-H veterinary science and dog care and training programs, young people are learning a broad range of skills, says Greg Henley, county 4-H program coordinator.

With help from local veterinarians who often serve as project leaders, 4-H'ers in the veterinary science program, supported by the Upjohn Company, learn to identify potential health problems and how to prevent and control diseases. The program covers all animals -- from tiny mice and gerbils to the more common dog and cat pets to horses, livestock and zoo animals. 4-H members conduct animal care workshops, volunteer for work at zoos and assist veterinarians with simple procedures.

4-H'ers in the dog care and training program, supported by the Purina Dog Foods Group, Ralston Purina Company, learn about the more than 100 breeds of dogs in America and how to choose a dog most appropriate for their special pet. They learn proper care and training techniques to increase their understanding of what's involved in making their pet healthy and a well-adjusted family member.

Most importantly, 4-H'ers in both programs learn that, just as in humans regular checkups and prompt action in case of illness are vital to the health and vitality of their animals.

Awards and incentives, provided by Upjohn and Ralston Purina, and arranged by the National 4-H Council, are available to members who excel in

these programs, says Henley. In both programs, medals of honor are awarded to four members in each county. State winners in dog care receive a transistor radio,

while veterinary science state winners each receive a \$75 U.S. Savings Bond. All state winners then are eligible to compete for sectional awards, expense paid trips to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago. During Congress, six national winners in each program receive \$1,000 scholarships. You can learn more about these and other 4-H programs by contacting

the County Extension Office.

"Diligence is the mother of good luck." Benjamin Franklin



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We have a singing night coming up on Aug. 1. The Senioettes from Post will be back with us to play and sing. The Senioettes consist of Bea Dodson, Ruby Carpenter, Doris Jones, Evelyn Gurley and Beulah Eilenberger. This Friday is Lubbock doctor day. Lubbock days for August are the 8th and 20th. Social Security days are

the third Wednesday of each month. Blood pressure check is the third Tuesday of each month. We still have our game night each Monday except the first Monday. If you like 42, dominoes, Skip-Bo or other card games, come join us for a good time. We'd like to remind you we have a wheelchair to loan out free of charge. We have completed the top for our quilt of Tahoka clubs, organizations and businesses. As soon as it

is quilted we will have it ready for display. We'd love for all you quilters to come help quilt it. We'll be ready to start in about a week.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE
Winners of Wednesday afternoon bridge, July 13 were: First, Gerry Renfro and Auda Norman; second, Velta Gagnat and Mac Edwards; third, Mabel Gurley and Carol Maule of Lamesa.

SHOP IN TAHOKA

Obituaries

Dalton Barnhart

Services for Dalton Andrew Barnhart, 78, of Vernon were held at 2 p.m. Monday in Cone Baptist Church with Elder Joe Jackson of Cone and Rev. E.R. McGregor officiating.

Burial was in Ralls Cemetery. He died in Wilbarger General Hospital in Vernon at 7:45 p.m. Saturday after a lengthy illness. A native of Sawyer, Okla., he married Imogene Mc Murtrey in Lubbock April 1, 1927. He had moved to the South Plains from O'Donnell to Cone in

1934, then to Vernon about two years ago. He was a retired farmer. Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Haney (Melba) Wideman of Ralls and Mrs. Nelson (Johnie) Hilliard of Vernon; a son, David Andrew Barnhart, M.D. of Huntsville; a sister, Mrs. Lois Spradling of Lubbock; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were Spike, Mark and Mel Wideman, Rick Grant, Charles Hilliard, Hal Reese and Barry Morris.

Ivy Eldridge Perdieu Thomas

Services for Ivy Berry Eldridge, 74, of Tahoka were held at 11 a.m. Monday at Draw United Methodist Church with the Rev. Dean Thomas, pastor of Flint Avenue Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Ken Romines of Lorenzo Baptist Church. Burial was in Draw Cemetery. Mrs. Eldridge died Saturday at West Texas Hospital after an illness. She was a native of Borden County and attended school at Draw. She married M.L. "Pat" Eldridge Feb. 6, 1926, in Tahoka, and they moved to Lubbock in 1950. He died in 1980.

She was a member of Flint Avenue Baptist Church and a past worthy matron of the Freedom Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. Survivors include a daughter, Ruth Newsome of Bledsoe; a son, John; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Vesta Gary

Services for Vesta Gary, 90, of O'Donnell were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First Methodist Church with the Rev. Elmer Ward, pastor, and the Rev. Walter Driver officiating. Burial was in O'Donnell Cemetery. She died about 12:30 p.m. Saturday at the Tahoka Care Center after a lengthy illness. She married Jones Emit Gary on June 30, 1916, in O'Donnell. He died July 16, 1946.

The longtime O'Donnell resident was a member of the Christian Science Church. Survivors include a son, Ralph, of Oroville, Calif.; a sister, Louise M. Shook of O'Donnell; two brothers, Bernard Witte of Long Beach, Calif.; and Ernest Witte of Lamesa; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Survivors include a daughter, Ruth Newsome of Bledsoe; a son, John; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Eula Vaughn

Services for Mrs. R.C. (Eula) Vaughn, 82, of Gail were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Pat Ray, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Gail Cemetery. She died of natural causes about 11:30 p.m. Sunday at her daughter's home in Lubbock. She moved from Brown County to Borden County and married R.C. Vaughn on Sept. 21, 1918, near Farmersville. He died June 25.

Survivors include her daughter, Wanda Tate of Lubbock; four sons, James of Pico Rivera, Calif., Charles of O'Donnell, Ruben of Snyder and Bill of Hobbs, N.M.; 35 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Perdieu Thomas, 89, of Alamogordo, N.M. and formerly of Tahoka were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 20, in the White Funeral Home Chapel in Tahoka with Howard Jackson officiating. Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home. She died Sunday at Jerald Champion Memorial Hospital in Alamogordo, N.M. after an illness. Born Oct. 5, 1893, in Hillsboro, she was a longtime Tahoka resident. She moved to Alamogordo two years ago. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Maggie Jackson of Alamogordo.

Alice Wilson

Services for Alice Lone Nettles Wilson, 78, of Bonham were held at 2 p.m. Monday at Wise Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Willow Wild Cemetery.

Mrs. Wilson died Saturday at White-Wright Nursing Home after a lengthy illness. She was born Aug. 20, 1904 in Jones County and had lived in the Lakeview community many years with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Nettles. Survivors include a daughter, Ina Mae Martin of Bonham; a son, J. Marvin Perry of Dallas; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Elizabeth Hardin

Services for Mrs. Jeff F. (Elizabeth) Hardin, 77, of Slaton were held at 2:30 p.m. today in Englund's Chapel with the Rev. Mark Scott, pastor of Wilson Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Green Memorial Cemetery in Wilson.

Mrs. Hardin died at 5:15 p.m. Saturday in Mercy Hospital in Slaton after an illness. Born Oct. 7, 1905, in Bennington, Indian Territory (now Oklahoma), she moved to the Slaton area in 1949. She had been a member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Levelland and the Business and Professional Women of Levelland.

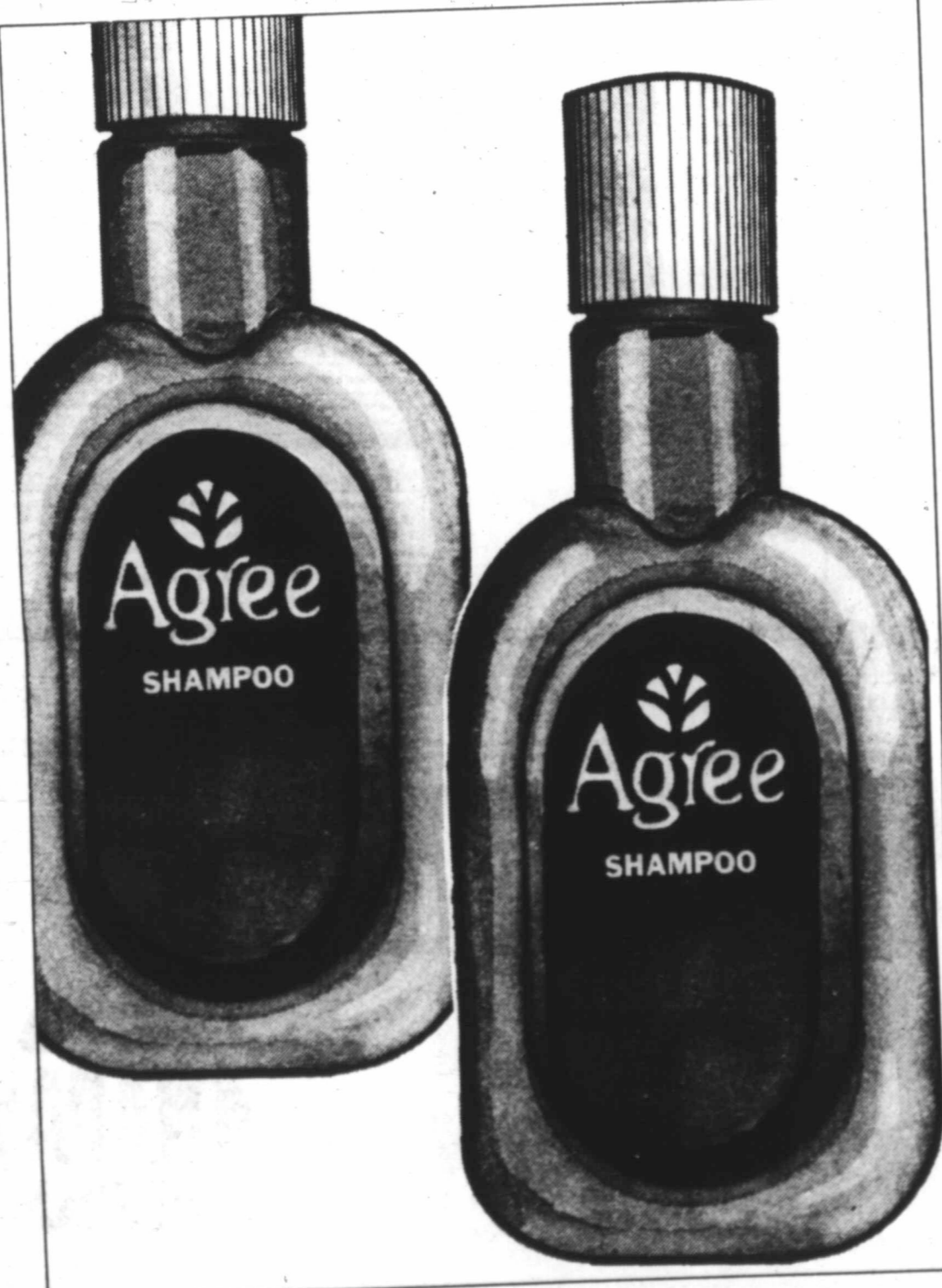
She was a Baptist. She married Jeff E. Hardin in 1922 in Bonham. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. James (Ina) Savell of Wilson; a brother, the Rev. L.M. Norwood of Madill, Okla.; a sister, Evelyn Linnstead of Durant, Okla.; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

LOCAL NEWS
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New Home News

By Florence Davies — Call 924-7479

Russell Balch had surgery on his arm Tuesday in Austin. He works at the mental hospital there and was attacked by a patient and his collar bone was broken. They also did surgery on his elbow that was injured when he was just a boy.

Stanley McNeely was in Methodist Hospital Monday and Tuesday to have the pins removed from his shoulder. He was injured May 20 when his horse fell on him while working on the Macy Ranch.

Mrs. Dick (Radene) Turner had major surgery Friday in Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. John Jacobs and Clay visited in Floydada Thursday with her mother, Inelda Murry and grandmother, Mrs. Viola Tipton.

Boswell Edwards was dismissed from Methodist Hospital and returned home Friday.

Mrs. Bob Poer was dismissed from the Lynn County Hospital and returned home Thursday.

The rain that came in the early morning Friday gave a great boost to the crops and gardens. 1 1/2 inches was measured here in town, as much as three inches in some areas of the community.

Special guests in the evening services in the New Home Baptist Church were the "New Visions" a singing group from Highland Baptist Church of Lubbock.

We were in Slaton Sunday for the annual Davies family reunion, held in the Slaton Club House. The oldest member present was Earnest Davies of Lubbock, who will be 97 in October. He is the last of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Davies children. The newest members present were one month old Kathy, daughter of Dublin and Donna Englund

of Slaton and one month old Josua, son of Lonnie and Kim King of Southland. Other family members were from Cisco, Lubbock, Colorado City, Lorenzo, Midland, Abernathy, Idalou, Slaton, Southland, Denver City, Abilene, Shallowater, Borger and New Home.

Mary Ann Cowan of San Benito visited here with us last Monday. She came to Tahoka on Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V.F. Jones, and

her daughter and son-in-law, Carolyn and Tommie Botkin of Tahoka, and Deanna, a student at Texas Tech. On Saturday Mary Ann and four of the Tahoka 1948 graduating class had a luncheon at the Lubbock Club. These were Bitsy Wells, Nan Adams, both of Tahoka; Bobbie Huckaby of Midland and Savannah Walker of Upper Volta Africa. The women saw Charles and Dorothy Fulkerson, also members of the class.

Mrs. Hiram Sharp had major surgery Tuesday in Highland Hospital. She was dismissed Sunday.

C.H. Reese of Sheridan, Ark. was here Thursday. He is in Lubbock with his nephew, Charles Evans and family and at the bedside of his sister, Edith Evans, who is seriously ill in Highland Hospital.

Diana Jo Hirechets, Bebe Caballero, Sarah Gomez and Mary and Bob Villereal vacationed a

week at Corpus Christi, returning home Sunday.

E.R. Blakney who had open heart surgery July 8 in Methodist Hospital is returning home this Monday morning.

Cecil Kieth was in Methodist Hospital a few days. He returned home Monday.

Mrs. Loyd (Geneta) Huddleston is in South Park Hospital in Lubbock for test and treatment.

Louise Bledsoe had a gathering for the Whites at the Silver Village fellowship hall in Lubbock on July 12.

Family members and guests attended from Lubbock, Ruidoso, N.M., New Home, Hemet, Calif., Pasadena, Mesa, Ariz., Brownwood, Crosbyton, Brownfield, Levelland, and Houston. The E.O. Whites spent several days visiting with relatives before leaving for San Angelo to visit with more relatives.

Genealogical Workshop

A free genealogical research workshop with instruction classes will be presented by the South Plains Genealogical Society, Aug. 12-13 in the Municipal Garden & Arts Center, 4215 University Ave., Lubbock. Hours for the workshop are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 12 and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 13.

Classes for beginners are scheduled at 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. on both days.

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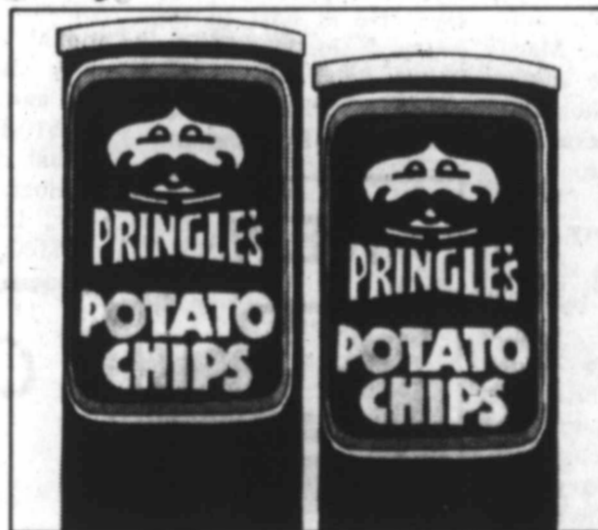
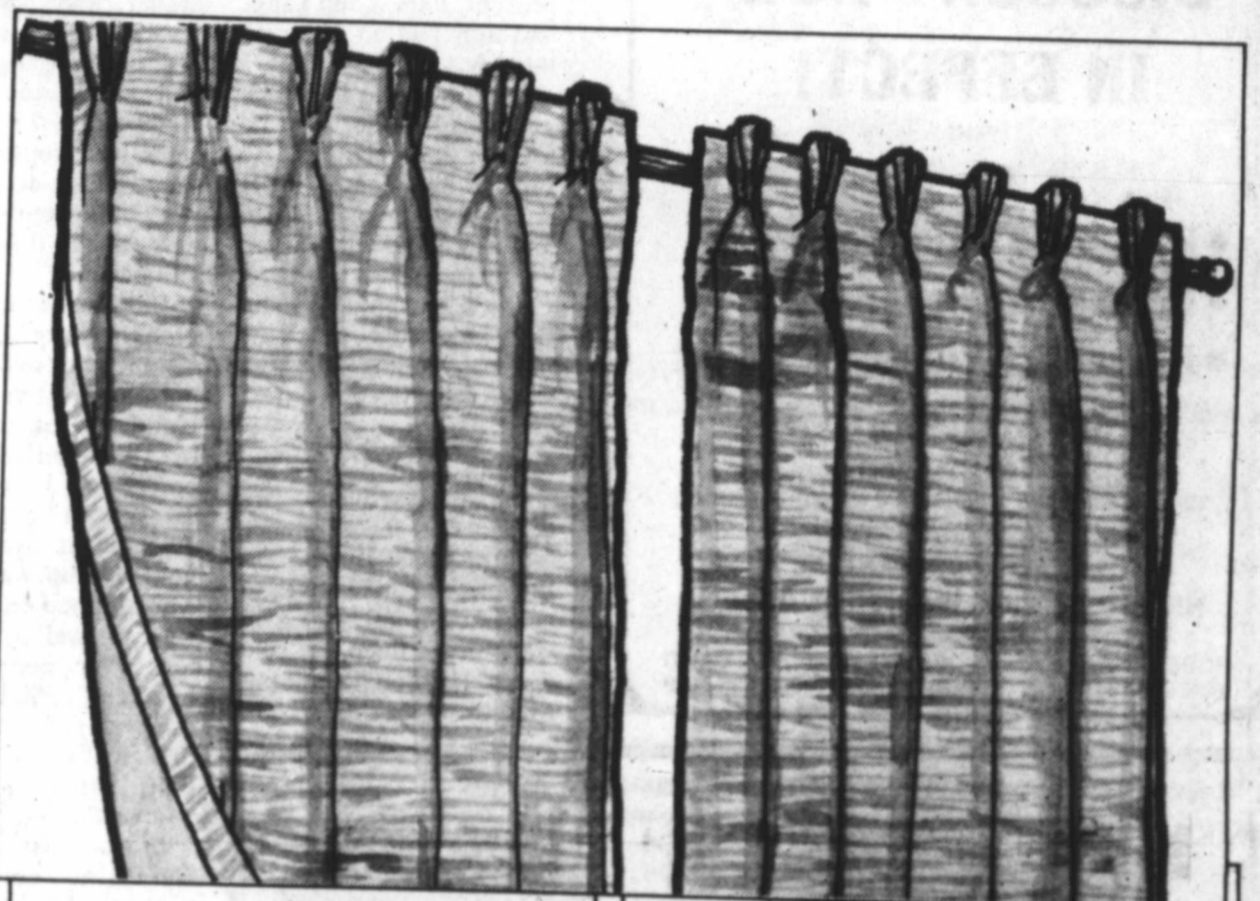
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Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of August 1983 at 11:00 a.m. of said date, John Deere Company will offer for sale at Taylor Tractor & Equipment Co., Inc., Tahoka, Texas, to the highest bidder the above described property.
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To determine the highest bidder, the seller will take bids on each individual item of equipment, sell same conditionally as single units, and shall then sell all this property as a single unit and shall then aggregate the unit prices to determine whether final sale shall be accepted on the individual bids or the simple unit bid.
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