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DIAPER-CHANGING CONTEST—These girls were competing in a diaper-changing contest during the child care training clinic sponsored by the county Extension Service last week. In the photo at left, starting with Christy Williamson, left, and going clockwise, are Carrie Taylor, Brandi Gickhorn, Brandi Barton, Jill Jaquess, Felicia Davis and Misty Nance. In the photo at right, Jill changes the "baby," for which dolls were substituted.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTOS)



New THS Band Director Hired

Stephen Morgan, 30, has been hired as new band director for Tahoka schools.

Morgan, who earned a bachelor's degree at East Texas State University and master of music education degree from the University of Oklahoma, comes to Tahoka from Brenham, where he was assistant band director since 1983.

He is a graduate of Sulphur Springs High School and lists as his interests church and handbell choirs, barbershop quartet singing, community bands and hiking. He is not married.

Also hired by Tahoka schools recently was Julie Alexander, who will teach mathematics. She has been teaching at International Business College in Lubbock, and is working on a masters degree in math and computers. She has a bachelor of business administration degree in finance.

Local Youth Complete Child Care Training

Eleven youth completed a day-long child care clinic sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of Lynn County, to polish their child care and babysitting skills. Participants were: Felicia and Michelle Davis, Blanda Miller, Jill Jaquess, Carrie Taylor, Misty Nance, all of Tahoka, Brandi and Eva Gickhorn of Wilson, Brandi Barton of O'Donnell and two out-of-town guests were Christy Williamson and Meliah Taylor.

The training focused on weather safety by Bill Alexander of the National Weather Service, First Aid by Rochelle Reid, Cooking with Kids by Brandi Barton and Recreational activities and games with children by

Farmer-Businessperson Softball Game Set Here

The Tahoka Chamber of Commerce is having a Co-Ed Farmer-Business Softball game at 7 p.m. Aug. 7 at the Little League Park. An electric cooker will be given away.

Joe Brooks and Danny Preston will be the coaches. Cokes, pop corn, hot dogs and brownies will be sold in this fund-raising project of the chamber.

Preston, president of the chamber,

Carrie Taylor. Also each participant was responsible for an Egg, which represented an infant. Eggs were decorated, named and cared for, as if it were a child, during the day. Each youth attending the clinic were presented a certificate and a kit with a sitter information and helpful hints.

also commented this week on services available through the organization and also expressed appreciation for community support of the chamber.

"Services Corps Of Retired Executives (SCORE) is a valuable service to our local businesses for counseling at no charge," Preston said. "This is a group of volunteers ready to share their skills on any small business problem. Score is sponsored by the U.S. Small Business Administration come by the Chamber office for information." He added comments of appreciation to those who support the chamber with dues.

"In any community progress takes place because dedicated people make things work.

"The chamber has a responsibility for the economic well-being of your community—to preserve business and promote growth and development. A group of men and women both professional and business have joined together to work out solutions of community problems. There are problems and opportunities which individuals working alone cannot possibly solve; but by pooling resources, time and ideas, accomplishments may come.

"We want to make this a better place to live and work. So, your Chamber is a department of your community to help in the progress for a better Tahoka," said Preston.

Vickers To Be Honored Sunday With Reception

Dr. Lonnie Vickers and wife, Debbie, will be honored with a reception hosted by Tahoka Church of Christ, Lynn County Hospital Auxiliary and the Tahoka Chamberettes, from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday in the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Christ.

All friends of the couple are urged to come by during the reception. Dr. Vickers, who has been practicing medicine in Tahoka since 1985, is closing his practice here July 31. The family plans to move to Del Norte, Colo.

The family are members of the Church of Christ, and Mrs. Vickers has been a member of the Auxiliary and former president of Chamberettes. They also have been involved in other civic organizations and projects.

SHOP IN TAHOKA!

Man Charged After Family Disturbance

A 24-year-old Tahoka man was charged with aggravated assault, a felony, after Tahoka city police officers and Lynn County deputies answered a family disturbance call in south Tahoka just after midnight Thursday.

Manuel Menjores was arrested and charged after he allegedly bit a deputy on the hand. Two other persons were charged with hindering arrest in the incident.

A 1978 Chevrolet pickup was found abandoned on FM 179 just north of FM 211 Friday, and officers learned it had been stolen in Lubbock. Owner is Glenn Pruitt. A number of tools were missing from the pickup.

Math Bartley of Tahoka reported to sheriff's officers Tuesday that someone shot holes in irrigation pipe on a sprinkler system north of the Texas Hwy. Dept. offices.

A bank bag containing more than \$1200 in cash and checks was reported stolen from Ince Oil Co. on Main St. in Tahoka last Wednesday.

In jail during the week were one person each for hindering arrest, hindering arrest plus disorderly conduct, public intoxication plus resisting arrest plus aggravated assault, and judgment and sentence on no drivers license and no liability insurance.

Gaylon Paul Leads West Cage Stars

Gaylon Paul of New Home was chosen as the most valuable player of the West all-star basketball team as he led the West to 108-77 victory over the East in the Six-Man Coaches Assn. all-star game in Stephenville last Friday night.

Paul, 6-4 and 220, who graduated from New Home High this year, scored 11 points, had 12 rebounds and blocked nine shots.

He was a key player on the Leopards team last season which went to the state tournament, losing in the semifinals.

Dixie Reunion To Be Held

The Dixie Reunion will be held on Aug. 13, at the Tahoka School Cafeteria. Bring basket lunch.

Interested persons are urged to attend.

Grassland Singing Set

Fifth Sunday Singing and Talent will be at the Grassland Community Church of the Nazarene, Sunday, July 30 at 6 p.m. Local talent from around the community will be used. Refreshments will follow.

Weather

Date	High	Low	Prectp.
July 19	91	69	
July 20	89	67	
July 21	87	67	.07
July 22	90	63	trace
July 23	84	65	
July 24	86	63	.02
July 25	86	65	

Prectp. for year to date: 8.56"

Methodist Church To Hold VBS

"We're geared up for an unforgettable experience next week at First United Methodist Church!" said Rev. Larry Ramsey.

"We're really excited about the theme for our Vacation Bible School this year. The church will be turned into a Sonseeker Safari, a wonderful place where your children ages Kindergarten thru 8th grade can experience the adventure of getting to know God."

Rev. Ramsey added that the Sonseeker Safari theme will help create an atmosphere of fun and excitement while featuring life-related Bible study, lively songs, skits, crafts, games and recreation. "In all these activities it is our desire that each person experience the joy of developing a personal relationship with God," the pastor concluded.

The Vacation Bible School begins Aug. 2 and continues through Aug. 4. Classes are held at First United Methodist Church 1801 Ave. J from 6 to 9 p.m. For more information call the church office at 998-4503.

Vacation Bible School At Sweet Street Aug. 1

Good News Bible School Day will be held Tuesday, Aug. 1 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Sweet Street Baptist Church in Tahoka. Any child from 4 years old through 6th grade is invited to attend. Bring a picnic lunch and drinks will be furnished. There will be flannel graph stories, Bible study and fun for everyone.

Folk Dance To Be Held

All 4-H families are reminded of the folk dance that will be held at 8 p.m. on Thursday, July 27 at the Lynn County Show Barn in Tahoka. 4-Her's are encouraged to invite their families and friends to join in on some of the 4-H fun during the summer. Families are asked to bring their own coolers filled with drinks for their own families.

If you have any questions, please call the Extension Office, 998-4650.



LYNN COUNTY FOLKS AT CAMP—Five Lynn County residents recently participated in an electricity camp sponsored by Southwestern Public Service Co. for 4-H members. About 100 4-H members from the area attended the camp July 10-14 in the Sacramento Mountains south of Cloudcroft, NM. From left, back, Lynn County Agent Brett Cypert, Gary Smith and Jon Hogg. Front row: SPS representative Melinda Holloway, Eva Gickhorn and Heath Brewer.

Woodwork...
By Dalton

OUR FAMILY (We're down to two at home these days) rarely goes to the movies. We almost always wait until they are shown on TV, so when people are making conversation about how good or how bad a new movie is, we are left out.

However, from conversation I have overheard at various places in recent weeks, I assume that the latest blockbuster movie being shown in theaters is something called "Fatman". I think it stars somebody named Michael Keaton. At least 85 per cent of all actors and athletes are named Michael. The story probably is all about the main character's titanic struggle with cholesterol.

Or maybe that was "Pig," or perhaps "Big," starring some other guy.

KNOTHOLES in the Woodwork: Passed along to me this week was a copy of an alleged newspaper advertisement, which read: "Wanted: A good woman who can clean and cook fish, dig worms, sew and who owns a boat and motor. Please send photo of boat and motor." . . . Talk about your long meetings—A story in the Amherst newspaper recently about a family reunion said "this reunion has been going on for about 50 years."

A MAN DIED and arrived at Heaven's front gate. "Have you ever done anything wrong?" asked the gatekeeper.

"Once I stole a watermelon, but that was about 40 years ago."

"Have you done anything else wrong, perhaps more recently?" asked the gatekeeper.

"Well, yes," said the candidate for admission. "A highway patrolman stopped me for speeding and was writing me a ticket. I really blew my top and spit on his boots."

"When was that," asked the gatekeeper.

"About 10 minutes ago."



WILSON 4-HER'S- Junior Cody Donald and Senior Eva Gickthorn recently participated in the Lynn County and District II Record Book contest. Cody placed 1st in County and 1st in District. Eva placed 1st in County and 2nd in District.

CTN Loan-Making Project Expands To All Counties

Cotton producers across the nation will soon have the option of transmitting bale loan data via computer to county USDA Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices.

The bottom line: by sending data on the National Cotton Council's Cotton Telecommunication Network, ASCS' workload will go down, loan processing will speed up and producers will get checks in hand faster.

"ASCS has notified us they will expand the CTN loan-making pilot project to all cotton county ASCS offices beginning with the 1989 crop," said Joe Wyrick, the Council's Information Systems director who manages the CTN project. "We're looking forward to the challenge of providing this service to producers in all Cotton Belt states."

Although the loan pilot was limited to 80 counties in eight states last season, nearly 2,000 government loans involving more than 100,000 bales were secured from ASCS offices via the CTN. Now, the potential exists for all of the nation's 38,000 cotton producers in 800 counties across 18 states to get loans by computer. USDA crop production loans are available to producers following the harvest and ginning of the cotton.

Wyrick said CTN loan transactions are faster than the conventional form A loan which requires a producer to go to his county ASCS office, fill out the loan form and leave his bale class cards and warehouse receipts with the county office. The data on the paper loan form has to be keypunched by ASCS personnel which slows loan processing so that a

producer often must wait from four to six weeks before receiving a check.

By contrast, CTN members are given software which allows them to send loan data from a personal computer to the ASCS IBM System 36 mini-computer via CTN - the Council's three-year old electronic document exchange system which receives support from The Cotton Foundation through a grant from ICI Americas.

Wyrick said the Council will continue to provide whatever training is necessary to make CTN users proficient with the loan-making software. Anyone interested in using the software should contact Wyrick or Tammie Martin at the Council, 1918 N. Parkway, Memphis, TN 38112 (901) 274-9030.

Senior Citizens Menu

Monday: Sweet and sour chicken, rice, zucchini squash, roll, fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Baked fish with creole sauce, potatoes, spinach, cornbread, cobbler, milk.

Wednesday: Liver, onions, green beans, roll, cookies, milk.

Thursday: Cheese burger, tomatoes, onions, corn, banana, milk.

Friday: Barbecue chicken, potatoes, mixed vegetables, biscuit, cake, milk.

News From ... Extension Agent Brett Cypert Lynn County Extension Office

Cicada Killers Have Arrived

A very large wasp, the "cicada killer" is making its annual summer appearance on the South Plains, said Brett Cypert County extension agent. This wasp is the largest in our area, being about 1-1/2 inches in length.

This wasp is much more interested in stinging Cicadas than people. They can often be seen dragging or flying and carrying paralyzed cicadas back to their nests.

At suitable nesting sites, the wasps excavate a tunnel into the soil at an angle for a distance of one to three feet. The main tunnel ends in a number of branches and cells. The burrows may be dug during the day or night. The excavation will often result in a large mound of dirt. The burrow entrances are left open during provisioning of the nest and may never be closed except when the wasps' entire job is completed.

Depending upon their size, from one to four cicadas are provisioned in each underground cell. The female lays an egg on the last cicada she places in a cell. As many as four females may provision a single nest simultaneously although only one of them made the initial excavation.

The wasp larva which hatches from the egg has a cicada meal waiting. After consuming the cicadas provisioned in a cell, the wasp larva remains underground until the following July when the adult wasp emerges again to repeat the cycle.

Cicada killers are not aggressive and seldom attack humans. The males are not capable of stinging. Only the females can sting.

Cicada Killers are considered beneficial insects because they prey on cicadas. However, they can be present in sufficient numbers as to be a nuisance. For control, you may use one of the outdoor aerosol sprays containing pyrethrum or dust the nest entrance with sevin, the extension agent said.

Ben Cowan Named Manager Of Valley Irrigation District

Ben Cowan has been named manager of the Cameron County Irrigation District No. 2 in San Benito in the lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas.

Cowan is a San Benito native and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Cowan of San Benito. He is the grandson of Florence Davis of New Home and V.F. Jones of Tahoka. His sister is Carolyn Botkin, also of Tahoka.

The District contains approximately 60,000 acres of irrigated land with oil and water being pumped from the Rio Grande River. The District pumps water for municipal and industrial use in addition to the agricultural industry.

Cowan is a 1974 graduate of San Benito High School and graduated from Texas A&M University. For the last seven years, he has taught Vocational Agricultural in Somerville near College Station and recently received his master's degree in Education from Texas A&M.

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WALKER-SOLOMON- Top row: Coach Jimmy Dorman, D.J. Sims, Matthew Colon, Ernesto Gonzales, Davy Stone, Rocky Moore, Chris Craig, Coach Michael Isbell. Bottom row: Jason Dorman, Joey Montez, Markey Valdez, Josh Whitley, Jeremy Hernandez. Not pictured are Jared Gandy, Brent Paris, Gene DeLeon.

Postal Pointers

Facts From The United States Postal Service

Sending A Parcel?—Pack It Right!

By Ann McK. Robinson
Consumer Advocate
United States Postal Service

It gets wet. It's also a good idea to place a list of the contents plus the name and address of both the sender

and the receiver inside the package. This will help in the delivery of the parcel in the event that the outside address become illegible.

Special markings on the outside of the parcel alert Postal Service employees to the nature of the contents. Markings such as FRAGILE, PERISHABLE, and DO NOT BEND will be applied by your post office window clerk at your request.

Proper packaging and addressing of parcels is the best way to prevent parcel damage and loss. Mail order companies have determined the best materials and procedures for shipping their products. With practice, you, the consumer, can prepare your parcels with the same degree of expertise. Here are some helpful guidelines:

• Select a container strong enough to protect contents during handling. Fiberboard containers are generally strong enough to ship material of average weight and size. These are the common boxes which are readily available in the home, supermarket, hardware store, etc.

• High-density items require a stronger box than do average items. We define "high-density" items as those which exceed 15 pounds per cubic foot, such as hardware or auto parts.

• The container should be large enough to hold the contents plus adequate cushioning to prevent damage, but not be so large as to permit shifting of the contents. Liquids should be sent in leak-proof interior and exterior containers. Items which have an odor should be placed in a container which is impermeable to the contents.

• Take steps to protect the contents. Cushioning distributes and absorbs shocks and vibrations while preventing contents from shifting. When several items are packaged in a container, they should be separated. Even single items packaged alone should be cushioned for safety. Many types of suitable cushioning materials are available including polystyrene, shredded or rolled newspaper, "bubble" plastic and fiberboard inserts.

• Wrapping paper is not necessary if the box itself is an adequate shipping container. However, wrapping paper equivalent to the strength of the average grocery bag may be used if required. Filament-reinforced tape should be used to close and reinforce parcels. Avoid using twine or cord because they tend to catch and bind in mail processing equipment.

• Clearly mark the address, including ZIP or ZIP+4 Code, of both the sender and receiver on one side of the parcel. If possible use an indelible ink which will not smear if

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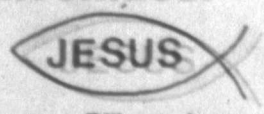
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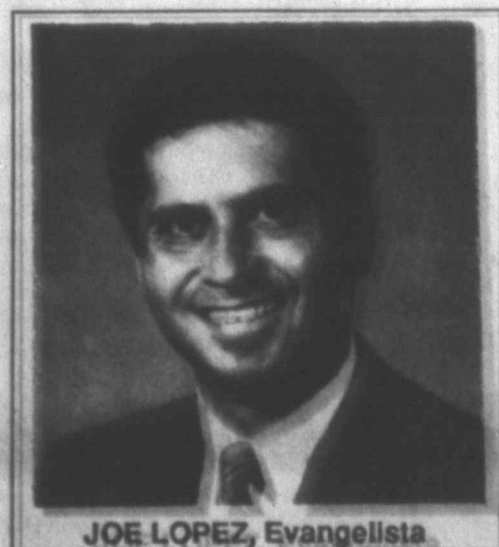
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Building Your Child's Basic Learning Skills: Who's Responsible?

Glenn Hogen, Ph.D.
V.P. Education, Sylvan Learning Corporation
When children's learning pro-

gress does not live up to the expectations of parents, they are tempted to lay the blame at the school-house door.

But today, school systems and professional educators are stressed beyond belief. Classroom sizes across North America average 17 to 25 students, making it all but impossible for teachers to provide individualized attention.

Yet the National Commission on Excellence in Education (NCEE) tells parents, "You have the right to demand for your children the best our schools and universities can provide."

But giving children an education that will equip them to compete in a global job market involves more than merely dropping them off under the porticoes of their schools.

The NCEE report warns, "As surely as you are your child's first and most influential teacher, your child's ideas about education and its significance begin with you."

"You bear a responsibility to participate actively in your child's education. You should encourage more diligent study and discourage satisfaction with mediocrity."

Your participation is most critical in building your child's fundamental skills. For instance, you can have a profound impact on his or her reading skills, the foundation to all learning processes.

Here are some helpful ideas:

- Read to your preschool age child. Invite his participation by discussing stories and accompanying pictures. Encouraging him to link sounds to words and letters will help him learn the connection between reading and the written word. Such sessions should be frequent; limited by his attention span; and enjoyable for both you and your child.
 - Relate what you've read to life around the preschooler. Opportunities abound everywhere you go.
 - Listen to your older child read. Be helpful, but don't read for him. Positive support and reinforcement are critical.
 - Discuss what is read with your young reader to facilitate comprehension and retention.
 - Support your child's reading activity. Be willing to take him to the library. Urge him to participate in reading programs; foster reading as a leisure-time activity; and limit television viewing as a substitute for reading. Emphasize that reading is for fun, as you reinforce the need to become more efficient in reading classroom assignments.
 - Encourage appropriate study habits and lovingly monitor his progress in school.
- Developing good reading skills is essential to proper study habits.

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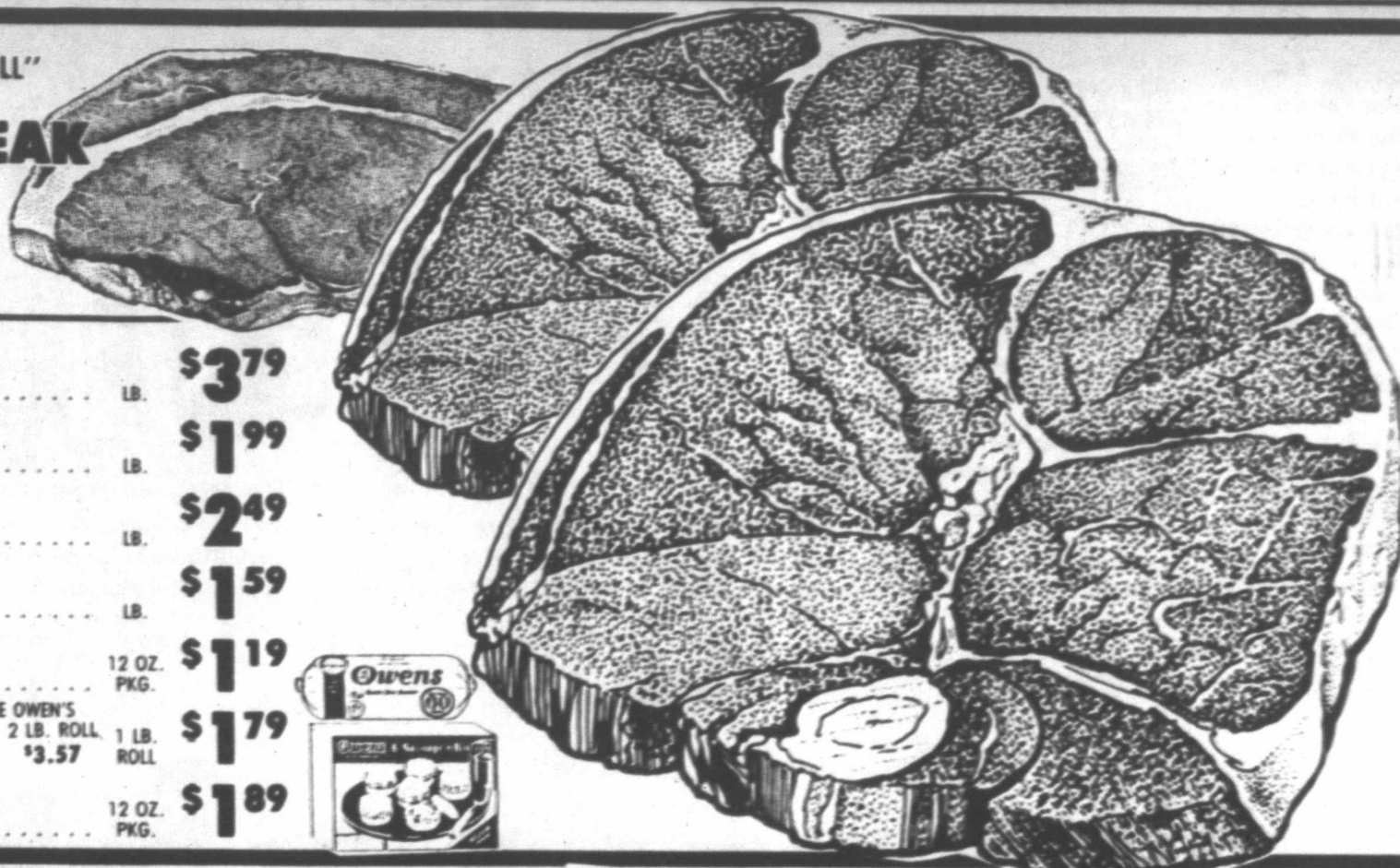
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Inman Family Reunion Held

The Annual Inman family reunion was held in the home of Florence Davies in New Home, Saturday, July 22. A large crowd of relatives and friends enjoy dinner, visiting and getting acquainted with the new members of the family, about 50 people were present.

At 3 p.m., they went to the New Home Baptist Church for a birthday party for Florence, hosted by her children in the Fellowship Hall. There a larger crowd was present to wish her many more "Happy Birthdays." Crystals and silver appoint-

ments were used to serve cake, nuts and punch. From a table, laid with a hand crocheted cloth, centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and baby breath. Other flowers decorated the hall.

Friends and relatives registered from Lubbock, Snyder, Colorado City, Tahoka, Muleshoe, Lazbuddie, Dennison, Crosbyton, Ralls, Hillsboro, San Benito, Slaton, Corpus Christi, Ropesville, Farwell, Brownfield, Amarillo, Odessa, Argyle, La Port, Lamesa, Brownwood, League City, Monongahela and New Home.

Florence wishes to thank everyone for helping make this a very happy and memorable occasion. "For the great number of cards, gifts and telephone messages. God Bless You All. I Love You," she said.

Wood Carving Show Planned

The West Texas Wood Carving Association is having their Eleventh Annual Biggest Little Carving Show in Texas. The show will be in Denver City at the Community Building on 15th St. and N. Ave. E on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 4-5.

A nationally recognized, professional wood carver, Derald Lusk from Hurst, will judge the show. His carvings will be displayed at the show.

There will be ten categories as listed below:
Relief, Caricature, Western, Realistic Human, Realistic Animals, Realistic Birds, Stylized, Miniature, Miscellaneous and Wood Burning.

A \$50 cash prize and a ribbon will be awarded for first place in each category. Second and third place winners will receive ribbons. Carvings which have won ribbons in previous West Texas Wood Carving Shows may not be entered. Exhibitors may enter one piece in each category.

Best of Show will receive a \$50 cash prize and also a Best of Show ribbon. There must be at least two entries for a category to be judged. Judging will be Friday, Aug. 4 starting at 10:30 a.m.

Interested persons should contact Benny Bridges at (806) 592-3435.

Service News

Army Pvt. 1st Class Ronnie L. Vega, son of Robert P. Vega and nephew of Carlos Vega of Tahoka, has arrived for duty in South Korea.

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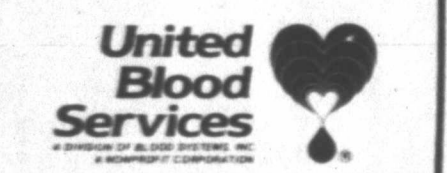
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- Fiesta Nachos**
- 3/4 pound lean ground beef, cooked and crumbled
 - 1/4 pound chorizo Mexican sausage (casing removed) cooked and crumbled (optional)
 - 1 medium onion, finely chopped and cooked
 - 1 teaspoon garlic salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon hot pepper sauce, or to taste
 - 1 can (30 oz.) refried beans
 - 1 can (4 oz.) chopped green chilies
 - 1 cup sour cream
 - 1 can (7 oz.) green chili salsa
 - 1 to 2 green onions, sliced thin
 - 2 tablespoons sliced olives, drained
 - 1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
 - 1 cup shredded Jack cheese
 - 2 ripe medium California avocados

Tortilla chips

Mix meat, onion, garlic salt and hot pepper sauce. In a large flat 13- to 15-inch heat proof platter, layer beans, meat mixture, green chili, sour cream, green chili salsa, green onion, olives, Cheddar and Jack cheeses. Bake at 350° F for 10 minutes, or until mixture is hot. Before serving, seed, peel and slice the avocados. Arrange the slices in spoke fashion in the center. Makes 1 large platter for appetizers. Serve with tortilla chips.

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Card of Thanks

Six girls attended Texas Tech Flag Camp from July 10-14. Those attending were Melissa Ramirez, Sandy Garcia, co-captains, Ann Garcia, Sherri Gwin, Darla Willis and Maria Wright.

Darla Willis, Sherri Gwin and Maria Wright performed Friday, the 14th in the routines for the closing ceremony. Sherri Gwin received a trophy for "Outstanding Flag Performer" and Maria Wright also received a trophy for "Best Attitude."

We would like to thank all the people who helped with our firework stand. We had many struggles, we appreciate the kindness that was shown to us in so many special ways. We are working to make our Tahoka's marching band proud.

Thank You,
Flag Corp
30-1p

Words cannot express our heartfelt thanks for the love and concern shown to us during the loss of our loved one.

The beautiful floral offerings, the abundance of food, visits, prayers, phone calls, cards, memorial gifts, and many others acts of kindness.

Special thanks to Billie White Everett and staff, ladies at Sweet Street Baptist Church for serving the meal, First Baptist Church and all who helped with the Memorial Service.

May God bless each of you,
The family of Scotty Childress,
Jannis, Cameon, Mandy, Leasa and Amy, Elton & Fern Childress and Toye, Rex & Patricia Childress and family, Bobby & Connie Jordan and family, Joe & Kim Childress and family, & Willie Mae Childress. 30-1p

Houdini was as much an athlete as a magician. He accomplished many of his feats by superb muscle control.



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GARAGE SALE: 1924 S. 4th, Saturday only, 9 a.m. til 7. 30-1p

GARAGE SALE: 2301 N. 1st, Saturday, 8 a.m. til 7. Some furniture, baby items, 2 waterbeds - 1 king, 1 queen, etc. 30-1p

GARAGE SALE: 1721 S. 1st, July 29, 8 a.m. to 7. Lots of items. 30-1c

YARD SALE: 1309 Ave. L. 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Lots of good bargains. Children's to men clothes and much more. 30-1p

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NOTICE

The City of Wilson will be taking bids to sell a 1982 Dodge Diplomat, 4-door sedan, metallic brown, air conditioner, radio, new seat covers. Bid will be open August 7, 1989 at 8 p.m. The city reserves the right to refuse any or all bids. 30-2c

NOTICE OF BIDS ON SCHOOL BUSES

Tahoka ISD is accepting bids for the lease-purchase of two school buses as described below. Bids will be considered until 4 p.m. August 3rd, 1989. Forward all bids to: Dr. Duane Carter, Superintendent, Tahoka ISD, Box 1230, Tahoka, TX 79373.

Bus 1—24 passenger, 6.2 liter diesel engine, rear heater, radial tires, 33-gallon fuel tank, automatic transmission.

Bus 2—59 passenger, 7.3 liter diesel engine, rear heater, radial tires, 60-gallon fuel tank, automatic transmission. 29-2c

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES

The Housing Authority of the City of Tahoka, Texas will receive written proposals for architectural services for the Comprehensive Improvement Assistance Program for Project Tex 106-3 until 10:00 a.m. on July 28, 1989.

All proposals shall be addressed to Mr. Ted Ratcliff, Executive Director, 1702 South Second Street, P.O. Box 238, Tahoka, Texas, 79373.

Written proposals shall include such information as will demonstrate an understanding of HUD Comprehensive Improvement Assistance Programs, give evidence of the ability to perform the work and present the profiles of principals, staff and facilities. Oral proposals shall not be considered.

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Obituaries

Ode Brewer

Services for Woodrow Ode Brewer, 74, of O'Donnell were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, July 23, 1989 in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Elmer Ward, pastor, the Rev. Walter Driver, retired Methodist minister, and the Rev. Ernie Waggoner, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating.

Masonic graveside services were held in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home of O'Donnell.

Brewer died at 5:50 p.m. Friday, July 21, in Lubbock General Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born on March 30, 1915 and was a lifelong resident of Lynn County and attended the Joe Bailey school. He married Irene Beckham on Dec. 24, 1947, in Lubbock. She died in 1988. He was a member of the Tahoka Masonic Lodge, Lubbock

Scottish Rites and the Khiva Shrine. He was a grand master and past district deputy of the Oddfellows Lodge. He served as Lynn County Precinct 2 commissioner for 12 years and was a former county Democratic Party chairman. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include several nieces, nephews, cousins, and sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law.

Pallbearers were Udell Hood, Joey Dorman, Randy Brewer, C.C. Casarez, Ben Edward Brewer, Burley Brewer, James Edward Brewer and Bill Dorman.

Honorary pallbearers were A.B. Furlow, Bobby Mack, Leslie Hood, Marvin Brewer and W.B. Colley.

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Beulah Brewer

Services for Beulah Mae Brewer, 81, of Post were held at 3 p.m., July 24, 1989 in White Memorial Chapel with Tommy McKibben officiating.

Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home.

She died at 3:35 p.m. Saturday, July 22, in Lubbock's St. Mary's Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born on June 10, 1908. She moved to Post in 1982 and had lived in O'Donnell. She married Houston Brewer on Aug. 3, 1924, in Tahoka. He died in 1982.

Survivors include a daughter, Elsie Mae Jackson of Post; a sister, Geneva Younger of Reserve, N.M.; a brother, Claude McKee of San Angelo; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were C.C. Casarez, Buddy Brumit, Maurice Jackson, Kenneth Eakers, Weldon Fannon and Jim Jackson.



WESTERN SEED- Top row: Coach David Hale, Jonathan Rhodes, Monty Hale, Drew Stone, Katy Duncan, Curtis Erickson. Bottom row: David Ayala, James Montez, Martin Montez, Edward Ramirez. Not pictured Shane Zant.

Hubert Nelson

Services for Hubert Franklin Nelson, 86, of Lamesa were held at 10 a.m. Monday, July 24, 1989 in First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Robert Davis officiating.

Burial was in Lamesa Cemetery. Nelson died at 5 p.m. Friday, July 21, in Lynn County Hospital in Tahoka after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Thomas and moved to Lamesa in 1923. He was a mail carrier and owned Nelson's Radio in the 1940s. He established KPET radio in 1946 and also worked in television. He was a member of Masonic Lodge No. 909. He married Ethel Lucille Kelley May 25, 1925, in Lamesa. She died in 1980.

Survivors include two daughters, Catherine Dyer of Commerce and Dorothy Anderson of O'Donnell; a sister, Velma Ragan of Grapeland; and a brother, Billy Steve Nelson of Montgomery, Ala.

Bruno Montoya

Mass for Bruno Montoya, 82, of Slaton were celebrated at 3 p.m. Wednesday, July 26, 1989 in St. Jude Catholic Church with the Rev. Rodney Howell, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home.

Montoya died at 10:49 p.m. Friday, July 21, in the Amarillo's Veteran's Administration Medical Center after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Floresville and moved to Tahoka in 1959. In 1985 he moved to Slaton. He served in the U.S. army during World War II and was a Catholic.

Survivors include three brothers, Blas and Manuel of Floresville and Joe of Slaton.

Frederick the Great always insisted his coffee be made with champagne instead of water.

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Presently, in terms of planted acreage, Texas ranks third nationally in vegetable crop production. About 260,000 acres of these crops directly contribute an estimated \$450 million to the state's annual income, with an economic impact of more than \$1 billion.

Historically, Texas has emphasized fresh market vegetable production, with about 90 percent of the state's vegetable acreage allocated to the fresh market. More than 20 vegetables make up this category. Rising production costs, labor shortages, fluctuations in market availability and the perishability of fresh produce help provide incentives for expansion of the state's vegetable-processing industry.

In addition, the nearly year-round production of several vegetable crops and geographical advantages make Texas an attractive area for expansion or relocation of processing facilities. Although geographic and climatic factors encourage year-round vegetable production, these same environmental conditions often create severe production problems, poor quality and low yields. The Texas vegetable industry, as with most other state agricultural industries, has undergone some difficult times in recent years. Consequently, methods to improve overall production efficiency and improved marketing strategies are needed to ensure survival of this vital industry. Current vegetable research by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station concerns improved yield and quality, reduced impacts of environmental and biological stresses, effective marketing strategies, improved production technologies, postharvest handling and processing techniques, decision aids for risk management and alternative vegetable crops.

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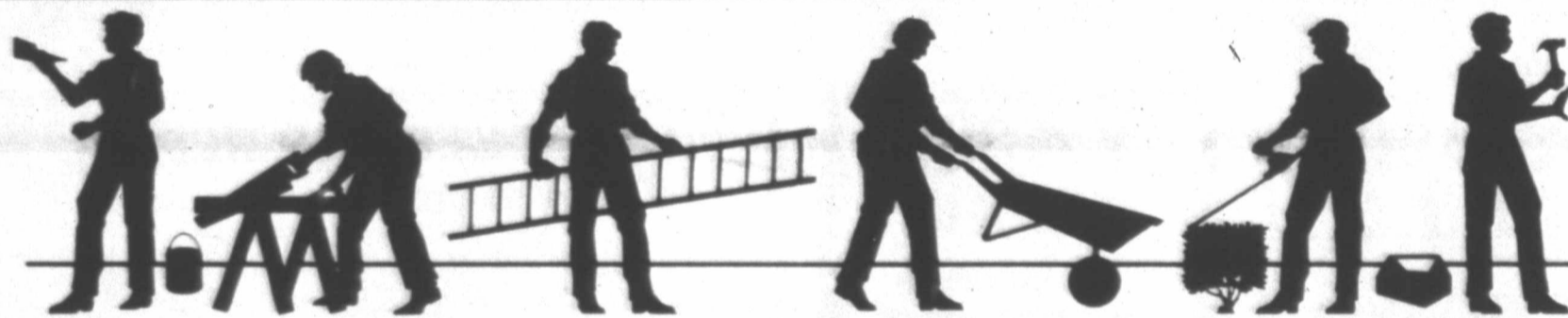
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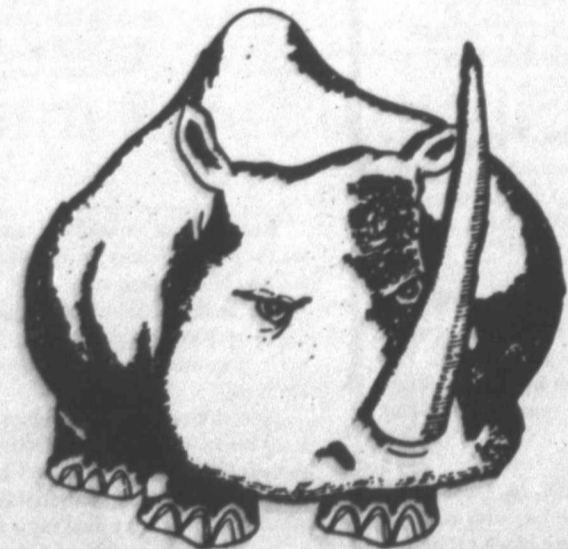
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