

Contests Shape Up In County Election

Deadline for filing for the Democratic Primary election in March has been extended from the original Jan. 2 date to 6 p.m. Friday, Jan. 10, but even with three more days to go for signing up, contests were assured in all available county races except county attorney, for which incumbent Jimmy Wright was the only person filing so far.

The Democratic Primary is scheduled March 10, and winning the Democratic nomination normally is the same as winning the general election in November, since Lynn County has not had candidates for county offices filing on the Republican ticket, although this still could be done through Friday.

Incumbent Sheriff Jack Miller has filed for re-election and is being challenged by former sheriff Cliff Laws, who filed last week.

Three persons have filed for the office of commissioner of Precinct 3,

including the present officeholder, Sandra Cox of O'Donnell. Also seeking the office are Don Blair and Oscar Calzada.

Longtime county Tax Assessor/ Collector George McCracken has decided he will not seek re-election, and filing for that office so far were Sherry Pearce and Deloris Short.

The term of Precinct 1 Commissioner Gerald Gerner is scheduled to expire at the end of this year, and Gerner has filed for re-election. Also filing for the position is Jacky Henry of Tahoka.

O'Donnell residents Virginia Thompson and Wayne Noland have filed for the unexpired term of Justice of the Peace Precinct 4. Mrs. Ben Morrison has been serving in the office after being appointed as interim JP following the death of her husband, who had been elected to the office.

SEE JOE GO-Joe Clyde Hays shoots for the basket as Tahoka played Seagraves here Tuesday. The Bulldogs lost 77-67 despite a good fourth quarter comeback. Other Tahoka players here include Bruce Burleson (10), Brandon Cate (42) and Aaron McCleskey (50). (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO by Gary Jones)

LYNN NO LONGER IN STENHOLM DISTRICT **Rep. Bill Sarpalius Seeking Re-Election To Congress**

Congressman Bill Sarpalius (D-Amarillo) was in Tahoka this week to announce he is seeking re-election as



BILL SARPALIUS

can not effectively represent your

constituents sitting behind a desk in

Washington, D.C.," Sarpalius said.

"I have conducted nearly 500 town

hall meetings throughout this district

Virginia Thompson **Candidate** For **Justice Of Peace**

Virginia Thompson is seeking the Precinct 4 Justice of the Peace office. for the unexpired term.

"I am no stranger to Lynn C

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City Finances Reported In Good Condition

Financial condition of the City of Tahoka was reported good by CPA Joe Hays of Love, Hays and Co. as he met Monday night with members of the city council and reported on the annual audit of city finances.

The audit showed that the city started out its fiscal year in October 1990 with a balance of \$141,128 in the general fund and added to that surplus, winding up the fiscal year Sept. 30, 1991 with a general fund balance of \$195,307.

During the year, the general fund, or revenue from taxes, was \$391,108, up from \$369,897 the previous year. Expenses were \$348,006 in fiscal 90-91, down from \$351,480 the previous year.

Revenue collected from water, sewer and sanitation services for the year ending Sept. 30, 1991, totaled \$507,979, more than \$70,000 greater than the \$437,353 collected the previous year. And expenses in those funds totaled \$393,052 for 90-91 and \$374,447 for 89-90.

The council Monday night also accepted the only bid submitted for liability insurance for the city airport. from Walker and Solomon Insurance. No action was taken on an agenda item regarding purchases of a police department vehicle trading in a pickup seized by the department after it had been used in a felony. Council mem-

a Democrat to the U.S. House of Representatives from the 13th Congressional District of Texas. Sarpalius -will be seeking his third term.

Lynn County has been added to Sarpalius' district, and taken away from the 17th district served by Charles Stenholm, effective in January of 1993.

"I will be asking the citizens of the 13th Congressional District to return me to the U.S. Congress to continue the program of work that was started when they elected me first in 1988," Sarpalius said. "I am proud of the things I have been able to accomplish for the 13th District during my first three years in Washington and I plan to carry that record of accomplishment to the voters in the hope that they will allow me to continue this important task.

"I have always believed that you



CONTACT SPORT-Katy Huffaker (32) and a Seagraves player get close together in this action Tuesday as Tahoka's Lady Bullde gs won their 12th game of the year against six losses. No. 31 at right is Katy's older sister, Betsy Huffaker (31).

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO by Gary Jones)

having lived here for most of my life. I moved here from Haskell Co., where I was born. I attended school in the T-Bar Community. I had the honor and the pleasure of being taught there by Mrs. Ervin Street," said Mrs. Thompson. "In 1950, I married Shorty Thompson. Together we have had

three children: Danny, Michaele Ann, and Scotty. Over the years, I've worked for Cicero Smith Lumber Co. as bookkeeper and O'Donnell Farmers' Co-op in the fuel department.

"I hope to see each of you before March 10th. Your vote and influence would be appreciated."

in the past three years, seeking the advice and counsel of the citizens on what they wanted from their Congressman. I have operated a mobile office that visits the smaller towns in this widespread district in an effort to bring government services directly to the people."

Sarpalius noted that his predecessor in the 13th District seat, Beau Boulter, also of Amarillo, has announced he will be a candidate in the Republican Primary, opposing former U.S. Representative Bob Price of Pampa, who held the post from January 3, 1969 to January 3, 1975.

"I certainly look forward to getting a side-by-side comparison of my record and that of Mr. Boulter's before the voters during this year," Sarpalius said. "I believe it will become readily apparent to all of those who fairly examine our records, which candidate was most effective in serving the 13th Congressional District.

"I will also be anxious for the voters to examine my attendance record in the Congress for the past three years - a record that has averaged 97.4 percent for all votes," Sarpalius said. "Mr. Boulter was present for less than 75 percent of the votes during his four years in Congress.

"In 1988, Mr. Boulter accepted 100 percent of his high Congressional salary, while he voted only 15 percent of the time," Sarpalius said. "You would think he could have cast more votes than 15 percent just in the time it took him to come to Washington, D.C. to pick up his paycheck - and he did that with an embarrassing regularity."

"I have been the recognized leader in passing legislation securing disas-(See SARPALIUS on page 2)



JACKY HENRY

Jacky Henry Announces For Commissioner

Jacky Henry announced this week his candidacy for Lynn County Commissioner of Precinct 1, subject to the Democratic Primary election in March.

He made the following statement: "My concern and interest has al-

ways been in the function of Lynn County. I believe that I am qualified to fill the commissioner's office and qualified to carry out the functions of Precinct 1.

"I was born and raised in Lynn County, and am engaged in farming and agri-business in the county. I was a member of the volunteer fire department for 22 years, and served three terms as fire chief.

"I have been active in the leadership of Little League, Little Dribblers, 4-H and FFA, and a member of the First Baptist Church. My wife, Ruthie, and I live in Tahoka.

"I would sincerely appreciate any and all support of the residents of this county."

Wayne Noland Seeks Precinct 4 Position of J.P.

Wayne Noland of O'Donnell announced he is a candidate for Justice of the Peace Lynn County, Precinct 4. He has lived in Lynn County for 27 years, attended Texas Tech and is a Marine Corps veteran. He has been active in community services and in service organizations.

"Your help would be appreciated March 10. I feel qualified to serve the people of Lynn County and carry any responsibility and I will be available Justice of the Peace," said Noland.

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Thefts, Traffic Mishaps Reported

A 1988 Chevrolet driven by Henry Cegovia Valdez, 46, of Tahoka, went off the road and struck a tree in the yard of Robbie Roberson, 2401 Lockwood, on Jan. 1 about 10 a.m. after the driver suffered a heart attack. He died shortly thereafter at Lynn County Hospital. Judge J.F. Brandon ruled death was caused by a heart attack.

Officers in Lynn County investigated another vehicle accident, a vandalism incident, a burglary at New Home and a theft at O'Donnell.

Mark Jerome Hudlin, 28, of Tahoka was driver of a 1985 Buick which struck a concrete block fence at Tahoka Cemetery Saturday about 1:15 a.m. He was not injured.

Andy Dunlap reported his 1982 Chevrolet pickup had a window broken out, and that eggs had been thrown on the front door of his residence in the 1600-block of Ave. P on New Year's Eve.

New Home Grocery and Market was burglarized Jan. 1, after entry was gained by breaking a window. Missing were 135 packs of cigarettes, some tobacco, and two pair of sunglasses. Total value of the stolen items was estimated at \$350.

O'Donnell Farm and Ranch Store reported money had been stolen from a soft drink machine in front of the store by someone who apparently had a key to the machine. Coca Cola officials later said that similar incidents have been reported recently in the area, and that someone apparently had been able to duplicate Coke box keys. About \$30 was believed missing.

In jail during the last week were one person each for application to revoke probation on a charge of driving while intoxicated, evading arrest and theft of a motor vehicle, DWI plus failure to maintain proper control of a vehicle plus striking a fixed to persons needing the service of a object plus leaving the scene of an accident, and DWI.

bers also agreed to seek bids on a new pickup for the water and sewer de-

Police Chief Jerry Webster reported on the month's activities of the department.

Present were all council members and Mayor Jim Solomon, who presided, City Manager Barry Pittman, Webster and Hays.



CLIFF LAWS Cliff Laws Is Candidate For County Sheriff

Cliff Laws announces his candidacy for Sheriff of Lynn County in the Democratic Party Primary, to be held March 10, 1992.

He made the following statement: "I am married to Dru Ann Laws and we have two sons: Rodney and Evan. We have lived in the Grassland community since being married. I have been a life-long resident of Lynn County.

"I have worked in Law Enforcement for 13 years and have 2-1/2 years experience as Sheriff of Lynn County. I also have a good working relationship with Federal, State and Local Law Enforcement agencies throughout the state.

"As your Sheriff of Lynn County I will serve and protect all citizens of Lynn County. I feel with the experience I have, that I am qualified for the job of Sheriff of Lynn County. I will have resident deputies that live in O'Donnell, Wilson and New Home. I will work the drug and alcohol problems of Lynn County.

"Your vote and support will be sincerely appreciated in the Democratic Party Primary, March 10, 1992."

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BRUCE MAKES TWO–Bruce Burleson (10) of Tahoka goes up for two points against Seagraves in a district game here Tuesday night. Tahoka scored 29 points in the last quarter to 21 for the Eagles, but lost the game 77-67.

SARPALIUS ...

(Continued from page 1) ter relief funds for farmers in this country and it was my legislation that was incorporated into the committee bills that became public law in the past two sessions of Congress," Sarpalius said.

"When the citizens of the 13th Congressional District get a clear picture of the differences between myself and Mr. Boulter on such issues as Social Security, Medicare, foreign aid and a myriad of other issues that affect so many of the residents of our area of the state, I am confident they will give me the opportunity to continue my program of work and reject his negative misrepresentations of my record," Sarpalius said.

"I intend to present myself to the voters of this district as the true conservative Democrat that my record proves I am," Sarpalius said. "I have enjoyed the endorsement of many, many organizations that represent the voters in the district — both business and individuals." A few of the organizations that have endorsed Sarpalius in past campaigns include the Texas Farm Bureau, the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, the National Federation of Independent Business, the Texas Farmers Union, the National Rifle Association, and many others.

"I enjoy the support of most of the organizations that represent the citizens of the 13th District and I believe my record will continue to merit that support," Sarpalius concluded.

Sarpalius began his public service career in 1980 when he was elected to the Texas Senate, defeating Price handily. He was elected to the U.S. Congress in 1988 and was re-elected in 1990.



of the · The wayward thoughts of Juanell (Wood) Jones

We recently moved into a new house, and have been very busy trying to decide where to put things. One of the best features of our new home is a built-in bookcase along one wall of our bedroom, which I have been wanting for years and years (a bookcase, that is, not a bedroom).

I really love to read, and my husband does too. We have an eclectic assortment of books, and I have been arranging the books according to subject matter, which has not been an easy task.

The other day my sister came over to borrow some books, and wanted to know what might be good to read.

I told her that in the right hand section, she could find a large number of entertaining books on murderers, unsolved mysteries, and psychopaths who maimed, killed, buried and otherwise treated the people they knew in a really ugly manner. My husband buys these books. He loves them. He reads them diligently, seeking to uncover all the fascinating little details.

I wonder if I should be concerned about his choice of reading material. He has any number of books concerning weirdos who killed their families and then lived happily ever after with them buried under the basement, until the police come tramping up to the door wanting to know what the funny smell is.

I'm not too worried, though. We don't have a basement.

In the top left hand section of our bookcase, there is a bunch of mushy romantic stories, which I must confess to love to read. I like them because I can read one in two hours and know it's going to have a happy ending, unlike the murder series. My husband calls them trash.

In the middle section, there are books on home repair (never opened); humorous books by Dave Barry, The Far Side, Erma Bombeck and Patrick McManus, which we both cackle at when we read; travel brochures and vacation books (well-thumbed through dream vacations which we'll never get to take); and then our "Mysteries of the Universe" section which

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Then there is a section of old college books on American History, Psychology and Zoology, which I never read in college but thought I would keep for some insane reason. These books are not made for a little easy night time reading.

I thumbed through my zoology book the other day just for grins and to see if I remembered anything from it. I did - there was a picture of a woman with really huge bug-eyes that I remember I particularly enjoyed back then. It's still pretty funny actually. I know she has some sort of glandular disorder and I should feel sorry for her, but she looks like Marty Feldman's "Eyegore" character in Mel Brooks' version of "Young Frankenstein" to me. I'm disgusting, I know ... some people never grow up.

That book reminded me of my biology classes at college, and the one thing that really stands out in my mind is when the instructor held up a little dead pig (he got him out of a jar filled with formaldehyde), put his hand behind the pig's head, and made the pig grin at the class. That's basically all I remember about science. Fortunately, I have never had an occasion to force a smelly dead pig to grin.

The last section of books concerns anything to do with the assassination of John F. Kennedy, and biographies and autobiographies of various famous people like John "The Duke" Wayne, Gilda Radnor (you know, she was on Saturday Night Live, that really stupid show that made fun of everybody in bad taste), and a book about how one man survived over 70 days alone in the middle of the ocean in a raft, and how he sighted more than a dozen ships before he was rescued. He constructed a home-made "still" to make water from the moisture in the air; and patched holes in his raft with string. Really. Then there are a few other assorted spy thrillers and novels just thrown in here and there for good measure. I've read nearly everything once, and some of them three or four times. I can read for hours without tiring, and if I am really involved in a story I'll stay up in the wee hours of the morning to finish it. My husband, on the other hand, can start reading in bed and in 10 minutes he's asleep. It takes him three weeks to read a



MRS. KELLY JAMES SANDERS nee LISHA DE LYN PATTON Patton-Sanders Vows Exchanged In Double Ring Ceremony

The Church of Christ in Silverton, Texas was the setting for the marriage of Lisha De Lyn Patton and Kelly James Sanders at 6 p.m. on Dec. 21, 1991.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Patton of Silverton are the parents of the bride. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sanders of O'Donnell.

The Reverend Ray Cunningham of Lubbock, retired Baptist minister, officiated the double-ring ceremony.

An acappella sectect presented the wedding music. The parents were seated as the group sang "You'll Never Walk Alone", followed by "Sunrise-Sunset". Other selections included the traditional "Wedding Song", "Oh Perfect Love," "Through the Eyes of Love," and "Faithful and True".

Escorted and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a designer gown of white crystal sheer Chantilly lace. The gown was fashioned with a lace yoke and high wedding band collar. The Keyhole back was draped with strands of pearls. The Poet's sleeves adorned with Schifflic lace and embellished with pearls and iridescent sequins, formed bridal point at the wrist. The dropped-waistline held a full ballroom skirt which swept to a cathedral length train encircled with a soft gathering Chantilly lace above a wide ruffle of sheer crystaline. Deep inverted Vs of lace rose from the hemline to frame cascading rows of ruffles. A bustle bow enhanced the skirt back. Elaborate bead work detailed the bodice, skirt and train. Gathered at the crown, a ruet of silk illusion flowed from the brides pear sequenced head piece. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses, and pesorion lily with sprays of pear tridescence and baby's breath touched with English Ivy. Showers of satin streamers, tied with love knots, completed the bouquet. In keeping with tradition, for something borrowed, the bride wore a diamond drop necklace belonging to her mother. For something old, she carried three linen handkerchiefs in memory of two belated grandmothers, Minnie Haynes, grandmother of the bride and Clara Clark, grandmother of the groom, and the third hankie for her belated Auntie Davenport. Her wedding attire was something new and she wore a blue comb in her hair.

Alisha Patton of Lubbock registered the guests.

The couple exchanged wedding vows in a candlelight ceremony before an alter lighted by a special branched candelabrum of brass with white tapers. A set of anglers and fan candelabras, enhances with boughs of evergreen and white ribbons and tapers complimented the alter area. Tree branches, flocked and lighted, centered the alter with a pair of white dove atop the spray of greenery.

Marking the pews of the center aisle were white satin bows and sprays of evergreen, with white roses. White dove adorned the family pews. The floor of the aisle was lighted with strands of lights to the candle lit altar.

Sprays of evergreen and riotines complimented the stained glass windows to the outside aisles. A unity candle surrounded in a nest of fresh evergreen and white satin bows completed the altar area. The auditorium decor was designed by Mickey Cornet, uncle of the bride, of Amarillo. i anne i se

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Senior Citizens MENU

January 13-17, 1992 Monday - Chicken, rice, gravy, salad, green peas, roll, pudding. Tuesday - Pepper steak, brown gravy, potatoes, vegetables, roll, cake. Wednesday - Fish, tartar sauce, slaw, corn, cornbread, apple crisp. Thursday - Chili with beans, salad, cornbread, brownic.

Friday - Baked chicken, potato soup, rice, peas & carrots, roll, cake. book. One final thought: What's a "wee hour"? Is that in the middle of the night when you get up to w..... never mind.

> For good luck, two pennies dated from the bride and groom's birth years were attached to a garder of white satin, lace and pearls.

> Dawn Mitchell of San Angelo served as maid of honor. Tara Nance of College Station, Keeley Burson of Lubbock, Regina Cruse of San Angelo, and Shelie Cornett of Lubbock served as bridesmaids.

The bride's attendants wore tealength gowns of red satin. The skirts were tapered with an underlay of white satin. The princess line dresses were enhanced by a bow of red satin at the lower waist.

A bouquet of white magnolias and holly interspread with gupsophlia and tied with white satin bows was carried by the honor attendants.

Jade McPherson of Lubbock, cousin of the bride was the flower girl. She was dressed identical to the bridemaids and carried a white lace basket filled with silk petals.

Ty Culp of Lamesa, nephew of the groom, served as ring bearer. He wore a black full dress tux with red accessories. He carried a heart shaped pillow lavished

with pearls and satin ribbons designed by De Laine Originals of Lubbock.

Ryan Gass of O'Donnell served as best man, Groomsmen were Cody Crouch of Tuscola, Scott Brewer and Wesley Little, both of Lubbock, and Chad Colum of San Angelo.

Ushers were Craig Patton, brother of the bride, of Lubbock and Brad Davis of Lamesa.

Candlelighters were Kathy Cornett, cousin of the bride, of West Grove, Pa. and Jason McCleskey of Hurst, nephew of the groom. Their attire was identical to the honor attendants. *** A reception honored the newly weds

at the Pioneer Room at First State Bank. The bridg's table was covered with white bridglace, and full gathered ruffled skirt. A three tiered cake, with stair cases descending to four sweetheart cakes to each side of the confection. A traditional bride, and cowboy groom complimented

accessories graced the table. Serving at the bride's table was Tracy Stark of Lubbock, Faye Mullins of Rochester, and Allison Cornet of West Grove, Pa.

the cake. Red roses, silver and crystal

The focus of the groom's table was a cheese cake topped with a red chocolate poinsettia. The cake was encircled with green chocolate holly leaves. The table was laid in a Christmas plaid and a holly green underlay to the floor. A garland of silk holly, caught up with Christmas tassels and gold leaves draped the table. An elegant brass candelabra with red tapers and a pair of love birds enhanced the setting. Gold appointments were used. Robin Elles of San Antonio and Rebecca Pyson of O'Donnell served the guests. Guests were served a variety of hors d'oeuvres, coffee, and spiced tea.

Following a wedding trip to Orlando, Florida and the Grand Bahamas, the couple will reside in San Angelo.

The bride is a graduate of Silverton High School and is currently attending Angelo State University, seeking a degree as a Lab Technician. The groom, a graduate of O'Donnell High School, is also attending Angelo State with a major in Animal Science Business.

Courtesles

A rehearsal dinner was held at the Church of Christ annex in Silverton, with the grooms' parents serving as the hosts. A candlelight meal was served.

A bridal shower, given by friends of the Pattons, was held on November 9 in the Pioneer Room of First State Bank in Silverton. A shower given by college acquaintances was held in San Angelo on November 19. On November 23 a miscellaneous shower honored the couple at Fellowship Hall, First Baptist Church as O'Donnell. College friends held a lingerie shower honoring the bride on December 7 in San Angelo.



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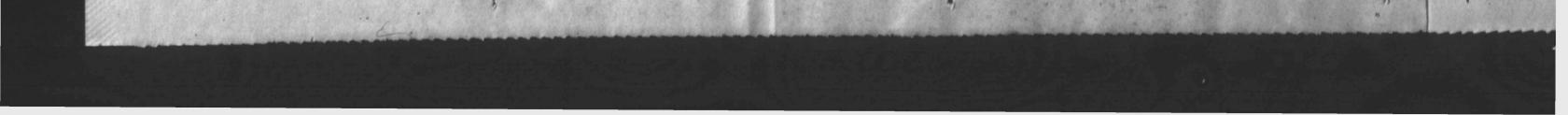
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Obituaries

Henry Valdez

Scrvices for Henry S. Valdez, 46, were held at 10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 3, in St. Jude Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael O'Dwyer, pastor of St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Lubbock, officiating.

Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery in Woodrow under the direction of White Funeral Home.

He died at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1992, in Lynn County Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born in Mathis and moved to Lynn County in 1949. He attended Tahoka schools. He married Mary Faris on Feb. 27, 1961, in Tahoka. He was a member of St. Jude Catholic and its Men's Organization.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Ricky and Joe, both of Tahoka, and David of Lubbock; two daughters, Nancy Jolly of Tahoka and Sally Costano of Nebraska; three sisters, Connie Estrada of Lane City, Lupe Sosa of Amarillo and Paula Villarreal of Lubbock; two brothers, Guadalupe Luna of Houston and Fernando Valdez of Belton; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Juan Alvarado, Pete Gutierrez, Dan Garcia, Armando Del Toro, Paul Bernal and Manuel Garcia.

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Graveside services for Charles Thomas Oliver, 69, of Tahoka were at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, in Tahoka Cemetery with Doug Hall, minister at Tahoka Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was under direction of White Funeral Home.

Oliver died at 4 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1992 in Lynn County Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Comanche, Okla., attended schools in Tahoka and served with merchant Marines and U.S. Coast Guard during World War II. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two daughters, Zacki Gutsky of Chicago, Ill., and Zenda Miles of Baytown; a sister, Jeanette Jackson of Montgomery, Ala.; and a grandchild.

Robert Young Services for Robert C. Young, 84, of Plains were at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan.

3, in Tahoka Road Church of Christ with Bob Smith and James Martin, both of East Hill Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Terry County Memorial Park under direction of **Brownfield Funeral Home.**

Young died at 6:50 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1991, in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

Young was born in Little River County, Ark., on Nov. 10, 1907, and moved with his parents to Yoakum County in 1926. He moved from Brownfield to Plains in 1958. He married Ita Marie Parks on Dec. 25, 1927, at Brownfield.

The couple moved in 1934 to the Gomez Community, where they farmed and undertook dairying for seven years. They moved in 1941 to Brownfield, where they owned and operated a dairy. They opened Cogburn-Young Hardware in Plains. He retired in 1972.

Survivors include his wife; and two sisters, Beulah Hubbard of Tahoka and Katherine Hubbard of Morrilton, Ark.

Carr Sprayberry

Services for Carr Sprayberry, 79, of O'Donnell were at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, at First Baptist Church of Lamesa, with the Rev. Dr. Charles Thrasher, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park under direction of Branon Funeral Home. Sprayberry died Thursday, Jan. 2, 1992, at his home in O'Donnell after a brief illness.

He was born Jan. 5, 1912, in Anson. He married Rhoda Marguerite Parish in Ballinger.

He moved to Dawson County in 1919. He graduated from Hardin Simmons University in 1934. He coached at Gorman for a year and at Rising Star for two years. He moved to Lamesa in 1937 and coached there until 1941.

Cecil Gregory

Services for Cecil E. Gregory, 78, of Stamford were at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, in St. John's United Methodist Church with the Rev. Phil McClendon, pastor, officiating, and Rev. Newton Starnes and Rev. Vernon Henderson, both of Lubbock, assisting.

Burial was in Highland Memorial Cemetery under direction of Kinney Funeral Home.

He died at 2:15 a.m. Friday, Jan. 3, 1992, in Abilene's Humana Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Thaxton, Miss. on Feb. 16, 1913, and had lived in Stamford, Knox City, and Haskell before returning to Stamford in 1958. He married Janie Lou Guffin on Dec. 13, 1940, in Stamford. He had owned grocery stores, a clothing store and a motel before retiring in 1975. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a board member of St. John's United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Marvin of Tahoka; a daughter, Jane Anne of Weatherford; six sisters, Myrtle Nowlin and Mrs. W.E. Johnson, both of DeLeon, Mrs. W.E. Cooper of Austin, Opal Hobbs of Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Gene Coker and Mrs. Wayne Rutledge, both of Pontotoc, Miss.; two brothers, Byron of Fort Worth and Leonard of Memphis, Tenn.; and two granddaughters, Stephanie and Carrie Gregory of Tahoka.

The family suggests memorials to the American Heart Association or St. John's United Methodist Church of Stamford.

Louise Shook

Services for Louise Forte Shook, 85, of O'Donnell were at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 3, in First United Methodist Church at O'Donnell with the Rev. Walter Driver of Ackerly officiating.

The Rev. Wesley Brown, pastor of the O'Donnell church, assisted, and burial was in Lamesa Cemetery, directed by Branon Funeral Home.

Mrs. Shook died Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1992, at Lynn County Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Victoria and married Emmanuel Forte on Sept. 4,



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Rural Public Transportatio

NEW BUS - Janie Garza, left, and Berta Tyson stand in front of the new bus provided by SPARTAN for the Community Action service in Tahoka. The new vehicle is equipped with a wheelchair lift, and can accommodate 22 passengers.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

time.

before their appointed pick up time.

Drivers will arrive within 15 minutes

before or after the scheduled pick up

SPARTAN Gets New Bus Here South Plains Community Action

in Tahoka has received a new 22passenger bus to facilitate travel for those who qualify. The new bus is in addition to a van which the Community Action office here already had.

The new bus is equipped with a wheelchair lift, and can accciamodate 22 passengers.

Berta Tyson and Janie Garza, both with the local office, are licensed drivers for the new vehicle, and should be contacted at 998-5094 for trip schedules or to see if one qualifies for the federal assistance program, and to see if one qualifies for a subsidized fare.

The local office schedules Medicaid trips weekly on Thursdays. However, additional trips may be arranged.

Trips between point to point will be charged a fare, and SPARTAN requires \$2 per one-way trip inside the city limits, door to door service, no advance notice, subject to the availability of vehicle and drivers. Those qualifying for one of the following federal program may

qualify for partial or fully paid tickets: Food Assistance Program, Family Planning Program, Community Service Block Grant Program and Medical Program. From time to time, SPARTAN enters into negotiations with other federal programs.

Call the local Community Action office at least 24 hours in advance to reserve a seat, at 998-5094. Passengers needing to travel the next working day should have a reservation not later than 3 p.m. on the previous day.

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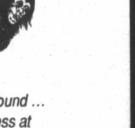
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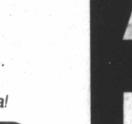
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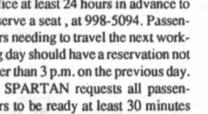
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Beatrice Tejeda

Services for Beatrice Tejeda, 79, of Lamesa were held Jan. 2, 1992 at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Lamesa with the Rev. Jim McCartney officiating.

Burial was in Lamesa Cemetery. Mrs. Tejeda died Monday, Dec. 30, 1991 at Lynn County Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Falfurrias and married Manuel Tejeda. He preceded her in death.

Survivors include nine sons, Ramiro, Raymundo, Roberto, Ismael and Eloy, all of Lamesa, Reynaldo of Falfurrias, Rosendo of Kingsville, Rudy of Tahoka, and Johnny of Alamogordo, N.M.; two daughters, Ofelia Tillagomez of Ricardo and Eloise Lopez of Lamesa; 30 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

> Go, Bulldogs and Lady Dogs

The family of PHERNE CADE vishes to express their thanks to those who unselfishly touched her life: by the walks down the halls, and the tender loving care by helping her in and out of bed. We thank you for filling her last 18 months of life with love and kindness.

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He bought O'Donnell Implement Co. in 1948, which he operated until 1978.

> Survivors include his wife; two sons, John and David, both of Lamesa; five grandchildren; and three greatgrandchildren.

O. L. Sanders, Jr.

Services for O.L. Sanders Jr., 68, of Lubbock were at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, in Sanders Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Doyle Holmes officiating. The Rev. Walter Sanders assisted.

Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park.

He died at 7:20 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1992, in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born September 17, 1923, in Tahoka. He married Bonnie Hardin in 1942 in Lubbock and was an auto mechanic for the Auto Clinic until 1975. He lived in Lubbock from 1945 to 1975, moving to Fence Lake, N.M., where he was employed with the state highway department for 10 years. He returned to Lubbock in July, 1987.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Joe Sanders of Odessa and Walter Sanders and Charles Sanders, both of Lubbock; a sister, Marie Sanders of Greenville; a brother, Bob Sanders of Kaufman; and six grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Julian Hardin, David Cahill, Ron Hillis, Gilbert Hillis, Stan Williams, David Roach, Bobby Hall and T.J. Jones.

1927. He died on Jan. 1, 1962. She married William J. Shook on May 23, 1964, at O'Donnell. He died on Sept. 21, 1967.

Henry C. Apolinar

Mass for Henry C. Apolinar Jr., 31, of Post was at 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, in St. Jude Catholic Church with deacon Alfredo Jaime of Lubbock officiating.

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

He died at 3:30 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 2, 1992, in Garza memorial Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born in San Antonio, graduated from Wilson High School and moved from Levelland to Post in 1990. He was an oil field worker. He married Sherry mason on March 26, 1985, in Post. He was a Catholic.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Dedra and Devin; his father, Henry Sr. of Post; three sisters, Rose Marie Martin of Matador, Janie Castro of Vega and Angie Apolinar of Post; and three brothers, Rudy of Vega, Tony of Levelland and Paul Arausa of Post.

Counts Attends High Speed Rail Authority Meeting

State Representative David Counts (D), Knox City, recently spoke at a board meeting of the Texas High-Speed Rail Authority in Austin.

Rep. Counts assured the Board of Directors that he was for progress in Texas, but had some concerns about the environmental impact a project of this magnitude might have on rural farm life in Texas.

"I represent a predominately rural district in North Central Texas and want to make sure the rural people have input into this project," Counts told the Board.

Executive Director Bob Neely assured Rep. Counts that we share the same concerns. "Our agency, like you, represents the citizens of our great state," Neely told Counts. "We will work closely with you to address these all-important concerns as the project proceeds.'

The High-Speed Rail project will connect the cities of Houston, San Antonio, Austin and the Fort Worth/ Dallas metroplex area if the project is completed.

SHOP IN TAHOKA!





Wilmer and Lola Smith **New Home**

Do you know these people? "Of course," you say, "that's Wilmer and Lola Smith." But do you really know these people?

The contributions of Wilmer and Lola are innumerable and sound much like the song "Anything You Can Do I Can Do Better." Consider a comparison of a partial list of what they have accomplished.

Wilmer

- School teacher
- Church leader Regent at Texas Tech University
- 1959-1965
- Texas "Man of the Year in Agriculture" - 1960
- Distinguished Alumnus of Texas Tech - 1975
- Member of the Central Bank for Cooperatives Board
- Appointed by President Eisenhower to National Agricultural Advisory Commission - 1957-1960
- Chairman, Texas Farm **Credit Board**

- Lola
- School teacher Church leader
- Regent at Texas A & M University 1973-1979
- Texas "Woman of the Year in Agriculture" - 1961
- Distinguished Alumnus of Texas Tech - 1972
- President of Texas Home Demonstration Association - 1958-1959
- President, National Extension **Homemakers** Council
- Awarded Texas Agricultural **Extension Service's Knapp-Porter** Award

Wilmer and Lola Smith have contributed much to New Home, Lynn County, the State of Texas and the United States. They have enriched all of our lives in many ways. Their contributions and accomplishments were always as a team, supporting and helping each other as they helped so many of us. They have accomplished so much with so little fanfare and with such grace and humility. Wilmer and Lola Smith are a class act, a great team, the Best of the Best!

The tribute above was to be published in the Lynn County History Book and was inadvertently omitted by the book's printer.



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VG Team Tops **Eagles 52-29**

The Tahoka Varsity Girls basketball team Tuesday night won by a wide margin over the Seagraves varsity girls team, 52-29. Coach Steve Qualls' Lady Dogs led in scoring in every quarter, and ended with a big bang by tossing in 22 points to Seagraves' 7 in the last period.

Tahoka's Lana Parker was top scorer for the team with 15 points, followed closely by Betsy Huffaker with 14 and Myra Williams with 11. The girls' season record is now 12-6.

The JV girls lost to Seagraves in a close game, 22-19.

Coach Hulon Kirkland's Varsity Bulldogs boys team fell behind the Eagles early in the game, ending the first quarter trailing 5 points, and 10 points behind at halftime. Scoring seesawed in the second half, with Tahoka scoring only 10 points to Seagraves' 18 in the third period, but the Dogs gave a tremendous effort in the fourth period, tossing in 29 points to Seagraves' 21. The last quarter effort, however, was not enough for the Dogs to claim a victory, and the game ended 77-67 for the Eagles.

Tahoka had four players scoring in double digits, with Brandon Cate leading with 21 points. Bruce Burleson and Joe Clyde Hayes both tossed in 14, and Mike Burleson scored 13 points.

Tuesday night, outscoring the Eagles by 50-33 to win another victory in a good season for the young Dogs.

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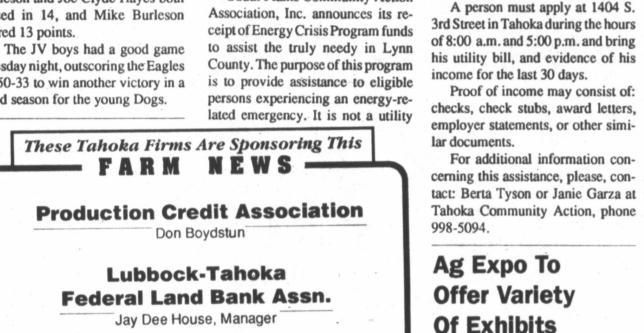
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TAKING AIM-Betsy Huffaker (31) takes aim at the basket as the Lady Bulldogs beat Seagraves Tuesday night 52-29. The Tahoka players at left are Lana Parker and Myra Williams.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Priority will be given to eligible

households with persons 60 years or

older and/or with handicapped per-

sons. This priority does not exclude

other income eligible households.

assistance program.

Energy Crisis Program Funds Available Here

South Plains Community Action

pesticide control and related items. There will also be seminars and program ranging from cotton marketing alternatives to beef performance. Hours for the West Texas AG Expo are Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday from 12 noon to 5 p.m. There is no admission charge.

While the exhibits to be housed on the main floor are geared mainly at agricultural and ranching producers in the area, the seminars to be held during the Expo will offer something for everyone. Topics to be covered during the weekend include the more serious discussions of cotton producing practices, cotton inspection updates and wetland management. Other seminars will cover cotton marketing alternatives, lean beef and lamb production and ultrasound pregnancy testing in sheep.

For more information on the expo call the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce at (915) 263-7641.

> Tahoka School Menu

Jan. 13-17, 1992 Breakfast Monday- No School Tuesday-Biscuit, Gravy, Sliced Peaches, Milk.

Wednesday- Doughnut, Grape Juice, Milk.

Thursday- Pork Sausage, Biscuit, Orange Juice, Milk. Friday- Cheese Toast, Sliced

Pears, Milk. Lunch

Monday- No School

Tuesday-Pig-n-Blanket w/Mustard, Baked Potato, Cole Slaw, Milk.

Wednesday- Hamburger, French Fries, Lettuce, Onions, Pickles, Milk.

Thursday-Chicken Nuggets W/ Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Roll, Milk.

Friday- Salisbury Steak, Buttered Corn, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Roll, Milk.

Shiver Shakes Up Few Tahokans

The first annual West Texas AG



EYEING COLORED COTTON- The Program Assistants of the Lynn Co. ASCS office visited Shirley and Eugene Bednarz home and farm to see the brown and green colored cotton which they have grown. From left to right are Betty Harston, Nicki Strickland, Eugene Bednarz, Brenda Isbell, Sharron Smith, Peggy Morton, Glenda Whitley, and Jan Orr in front. Not pictured are Nedra Young, Kim Paris, and Geneva Miller.

ASCS Personnel Visit Farm With Brown, Green Cotton

The Program Assistants of Lynn County ASCS Office visited Shirley and Eugene Bednarz's home and farm to see first hand the colored cotton being grown on the South Plains. The Bednarzs had several pieces of cloth from brown and green cotton which had been spun at the International Center for Textile Research and Development at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Mrs. Bednarz modeled a blouse made from the green cotton and a skirt from the new tan denim which will soon be marketed as a new line, "Levis Naturals". The brown cotton will be spun into yarn at the American Cotton Growers denim mill in Littlefield.

Bednarz has 300 acres of colored cotton and oversees approximately 1200 acres for Sally Fox, owner of Natural Cotton Color Inc. in Wasco, CA. Fox is the entrepreneur and plant breeder of the project. She contracts with the farmer to grow the cotton from seed she provides and contracts the brown fiber to Levi Strauss or other companies.

The clerks could readily identify

cotton looks similar to white cotton. Bednarz explained that the green cotton turns darker as the bolls open

and are exposed to the sun. Mrs. Bednarz also added that the green cloth darkens with washing.

All clerks are anxious to own a new pair of tan jeans.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I am calling on all veterans of the Normandy invasion, in whatever capacity, to contribute their own taped oral history to the D-Day collection at the Eisenhower Center, where we are attempting to preserve the record of the common soldier, sailor or airman. For the 50th Anniversary, we plan to publish a book "Voices of D-Day," based on the oral histories. Please write me for details.

> Stephen E. Ambrose, Director The Eisenhower Center University of New Orleans Ed-128 Lakefront

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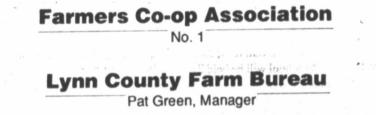


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Expo will be held January 11-12 in the Dorothy Garrett coliseum in Big Spring. Exhibitors from throughout the United States will be on hand displaying the latest in farming and ranching equipment, computers, seeds, chemicals, fertilizers, weed and

1/4 lb.† Hungr-Buster* Fries,

16-oz. Drink, Sundae

... Very Few

Few local residents took notice of the "shiver" which passed through Tahoka that was part of the earthquake reported by the U.S. Geological Survey National Earthquake Information Center. A 15-second tremor shook parts of the South Plains, Permian Basin and eastern New Mexico at 5:45 a.m. Thursday that registered 4.7 on the Richter scale.

Classified as a light quake, it left behind no reported incidents of damage in the local area. Geologists fixed the quake's epicenter 30 miles southeast of Hobbs, N.M. and 50 miles north of Odessa.

Only one Tahoka resident called in to the newspaper office to report the quake. Winnie Spruiell said she was up and felt a "slight shiver" at that time. "Nothing shook on the walls or anything," said Mrs. Spruiell. "I just felt a shiver - something I knew was not quite right," she added.

No other Tahokans reported to the News Office feeling anything amiss at that hour.

Small earthquakes are recorded quite often in Texas, according to geologists, but are so low on the Richter scale that no one feels the quake. In 1986, an earthquake registering 3.5 occurred with an epicenter near Amarillo, and in 1978 an earthquake registering 4.4 was reported with an epicenter close to Snyder.

Multi-County Cotton **Production & CEU Training Scheduled**

On Monday, January 13, 1992, a Cotton Production and Continuing Education Unit Training will be held at the Plains Community Center at 9:30 a.m.

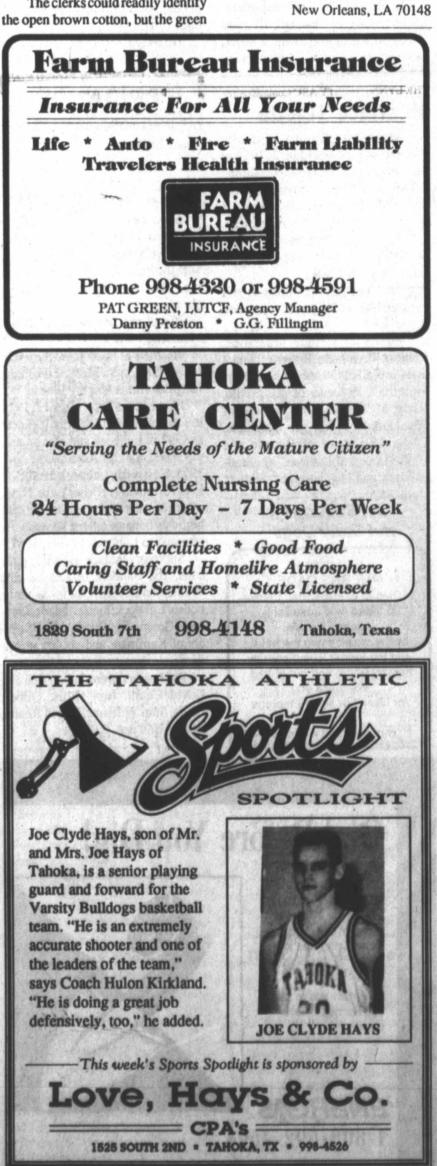
This will serve as an opportunity to hear Drs. Supak, Lesser, and Smith, specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, to assist in preparation for 1992.

Their topics will include early season pest management, cotton fertility, herbicidal cotton weed control and economics of drip irrigation.

Also, an election will be held to select a representative to serve on the Cotton Board. This election is held nnually.

Each participant will receive two CEU's for their participation and attendance.

> Go, Bulldogs and Lady Dogs **Basketball Teams**



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Thanks for all the food, flowers, memorials

and prayers. And a special thanks to the nurses

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ful deeds over the years to our sister and aunt during her stay in Tahoka Care Center and for

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to express their love and appreciation to Dr.

Wright, the "nurses," and staff of Lynn County

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the loss of our loved one, Henry Valdez.

We would like to thank each and every

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The families of Ava Roddy

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Thank You,

Mary Valdez

Jimmy & Nancy & family

Ricky & Rosie & family

David & Lorie & family

Joe & Rosemary & family

Sally & Juan Castano

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and workers at the Tahoka Care Center.

Wilson News

by Loretta Abbe 628-6368

Wilson 4-H'ers will meet on January 9, 1992 at 7 p.m. at the regular meeting place. County agent Brett Cypert will host a Showmanship Clinic. * * *

Wilson City Council will have their regular meeting on January 13 at the Mercantile.

* A Lynn County Sheriff's deputy has been patrolling the Wilson area on a fre-

Arthur Herzog is in St. Mary's Hospital Rehab unit. Arthur fell and broke his leg right above the knee, and will be in the Rehab unit for about a month. ***

Saturday night, the Wilson Volunteer Fire Department spent quite a bit of time fighting a house fire in the home of Rita Munoz here in Wilson. No one was at home when the fire broke out, so the fire had a good hold on the building when the alarm came in. firemen were able to restrict the fire damage to one area of the house, with the rest of the house sustaining smoke damage. Mrs. Munoz had recently moved from the home, but she had quite a lot of household goods in storage that were damaged.

Firemen were hampered by an outside electrical line that had broken loose from the house, and was shorting out against a metal swingset, creating a dangerous situation. The City Fire Chief and the City Fire Marshal who are investigat ing the cause of the fire, urge all homeowners to try and make sure that there are no metal objects directly under an electrical supply line, as a life-threatening situation could result if the line breaks.

Roy Isham and his family spent Thursday, Jan. 2, in Tahoka with Roy's father,

* * *

O'Donnell Tuesday, Jan. 7, and will play Meadow, in Wilson gym starting at 6:30 p.m. ...

The library will be hosting a Book Fair January 13-17. The fair will be open from 7:45 a.m. to 8 a.m. and 3:45 p.m. to 4 p.m. This gives parents a time to help their children purchase books. Children will also be able to purchase books during the school day as well. For more information contact Gayla Carlton at the school. * * *

Janessa Lee, daughter of Brenda Ewerz, and granddaughter of Loraine (Crowson) Ahrens is in San Antonio for surgery. Jar.essa, a fifth grader at Wilson, suffers from leukemia and "is being thought of by her friends and family who are all waiting for her return." * * *

Sunday, January 12, St. Paul Lutheran Church will have a schedule change. Sunday School and Bible class will start at 10 a.m. followed by worship services at 11 a.m. This will be the time schedule for this Sunday ONLY.

Starting Wednesday, Wilson schools will be dismissing students on certain Wednesdays. These days will be teacher workdays. The days for January are: Jan. 8 and 22. School will be dismissed at 12:30 p.m. on these days. Other dates for the upcoming months will be in the news prior to their date. If you have any questions, contact Nancy Templeton at the school.

The first semester is almost to a close. Students will be taking semester exams next week. The new semester begins the week of January 20-25. ...

Next semester, high school and junior high students will be going by a new



January 13-17, 1992 Breakfast

bell schedule. Classes will end at 3:15 p.m. Students will be able to leave at that time unless they have tutorials. Buses will run at regular times and if you have a child not in tutorials but has to ride the bus, they will be assigned places to go and catch up on their work or whatever. For more information, contact Nancy Templeton.

... The junior high basketball teams played Ropes Monday night at Ropes. The girls lost their game and the boys won their game. The junior high teams will be in a basketball tournament Saturday, Jan. 11, in O'Donnell.

New Home News by Linda Reed 924-7577

After returning from Christmas vacation he girls varsity played Spade at New Home on January 3. Amy Williams added 26 points to help bring New Home a win of 51-32. Teresa Caballero had 16 points. Good job girls!

After jumping to a 27-0 first quarter lead, the varsity boys won against Spade with a final score of 68-37. Blaine Fillingim had 14 points and 11 rebounds. Jeff Armes had 13 points, and Shannon Zant had 10 rebounds. There were four other players with 9 points each. The Varsity team's record is now 8-6.

The J.V. Boys played Trinity School on the 3rd, bringing their record to 5-0 when they won 34-32. Julio Hiracheta had 15 points.

The varsity teams will play Southland at New Home on Jan. 10, and will travel to Wilson on Jan. 14.

The Junior High boys played Trinity before the J.V. game on Jan. 3. New Home won 69-9. Greg Armes had 24 points, 10 steals, and 10 rebounds. Shane Zant had 12 points, Danny Scroggins 11 points, and Sky Moore 10 points. The Junior High boys are undefeated with a 5-0 record.

The Junior High teams will play in the O'Donnell tournament on Saturday, Jan. 11. And then will meet up with Southland at New Home on Jan. 13. Semester tests were to be given on

Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 8-9. School will dismiss at 1:30 on the 9th and there will be no school on Friday, Jan. 10. ***

1/2 miles North of New Home. Sandwiches, snacks, and drinks will be for sale.

The Border Patrol Dogs will visit the elementary school on January 15 and will be giving programs for grades K-4 at 9 a.m., and grades 5 and 6 at 10 a.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS New Home Stock Show - January 18. Lynn County Stock Show - January 23, 24, 25.

Safety Child Company - January 22 (information to be sent home).



January 13-17, 1992 **Breakfast:** Monday - Cinnamon Toast, Milk. Tuesday - Blueberry CupCake, Milk. Wednesday - Cinnamon Twist, Milk. Thursday - Granola Bar, Milk. Friday - Biscuits/Sausage, Milk. Lunch

Monday - Tacos, Cheese Cup, Lettuce/Tomato, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Milk.

Tuesday - Stuffed Potato, Salad Bar, Green Beans, Broccoli w/Cheese, Fruit Cup, Hot Roll, Milk.

Wednesday - Burritos or Chalupas, Cheese Cup, Lettuce/Tomato, Fruit Cup, Milk

Thursday - Bar-B-Q on a Bun, Salad Bar, French Fries, Pickle Spears, Cherry Cobbler, Milk.



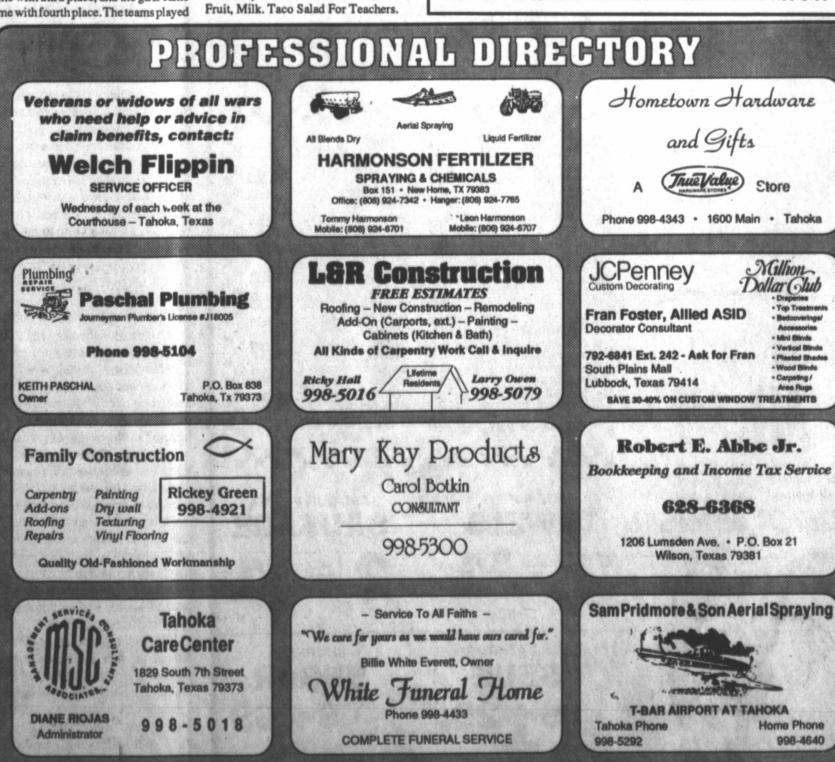
The New Home FFA Chapter will Friday - Sack Lunch, Ham & Cheese have a Turkey Shoot on Saturday, Jan. Sandwich, JuiceCup, Carrot Sticks, Apple 11, at 10 a.m. The school will be held 2or Orange, Milk.



January Commodity Schedule

Jan. 8 - Tahoka Center	
Jan. 10 - Tahoka Sr. Citizens	9:30-12:30
Jan. 15 - Tahoka Center	
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Variety Of Courses Offered In "Jammin' January" Week

Tahoka Junior/Senior High School students in grades 7-12 this week are experiencing a unique opportunity called "Jammin' January", organized by high school principal Charles Cate and other staff members to allow students the option of

choosing several programs of study in activities ranging from first aid training and crime education to cake decorating and martial arts.

While the rest of Texas and the nation clamors for new ideas in education, students here are actually in-

Courses Offered During "Jammin' January"

Art Lessons Auto Repair Bowling **CPR** Training First Aid Training **Cake Decorating** Calligraphy Cheerleading **Clothes Buying Computer Uses** Cooking Cosmetology **Crime Education** Weștern Dance **Contemporary Dance Disc Jockey Dorm Survival Drafting/Mapping** Drug Dogs **Drug Education Fireman Training Flower Arranging** Foreign Language **Gun Repair** Ham Radio Exploring Horsemanship Interior Decorating Leatherworking

Lifesaving Makeup/Modeling **Martial Arts** Meat Slaughtering **Medical Technician** Nursing **Movie Analysis Movie Making Museum Tour Pet Care** Photography **Piano Lessons** Rappelling **Flight Training** Science Spectrum Self Defense Sewing Shooting **Sports Cards** Swimming Lessons **T-Shirt Painting TV** Personnel **TV** Tour **Voice Lessons** Weight Lifting Welding Woodworking Elem. School Helper

volved in a new concept in the learning experience. It all started with a flood of ideas, from some forward thinking educators at THS, about what to do during the first week upon returning from Christmas vacation.

The students were going to take their semester tests the week before Christmas, but the semester did not actually end until the 10th of January. That left the week of the 6th wide open.

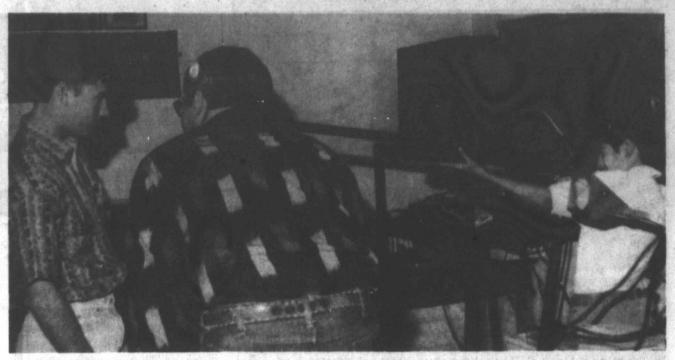
Since the semester tests would have already been taken, and it would be too early to start on next semester's work, Tahoka educators wanted to involve their students in activities that would be the most meaningful to them.

It was suggested that a program be designed which would allow the students to choose things to do based on their individual interests. The activities had to have educational value which would extend the students' knowledge in greater depth into something they were already interested in or into something entirely new to their experience.

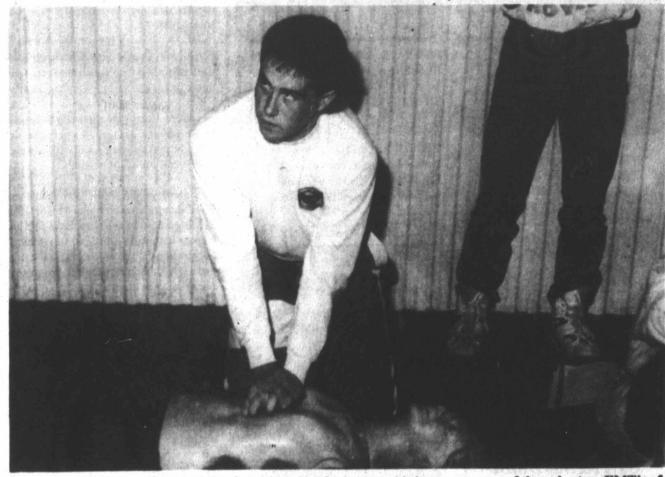
Cate conducted a poll of the student body, asking them to make suggestions about what should be included in such a program, and the students' response was overwhelming. They suggested so many activities that t was clear that all of them could not be attempted.

Members of the staff and community were assigned to investigate the feasibility of the suggestions and ap-





GUN REPAIR - Britt Robinson shows a couple of THS students some of his techniques in gun repair. Several THS students signed up for the course during this week's "Jammin' January" session. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)



IS THIS RIGHT? - A Tahoka High School student looks up to his instructor, one of the volunteer EMT's of Tahoka, while he performs first aid techniques on the CPR dummy. The course is one of many being offered this week at Tahoka Jr./Sr. High School during "Jammin' January". (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

proximately 67 different activities were developed.

Students signed up for classes of their choosing which they attended Monday through Thursday of this

derful. We certainly have a lot of talented people within our community," he added.

being carried out by the volunteers, become excited about their educa-

that after this experience, our students will seek out and pursue opportunities to enlarge their understand-While most of the instruction is ing of the world around them and

week, and on Friday's Career Day the students will have an opportunity to hear presentations from local and area businessmen on a wide variety of careers.

Career Day, or "Job Jamboree" speakers include over 30 individuals representing a large number of careers who will come to THS and address various groups of students expressing interest in their fields. These individuals come from a wide variety of communities as well as Tahoka.

The day will begin with a general assembly in the auditorium where the keynote speaker will be Kirk Dooley, editor of "Homesick Texan". Following the assembly, the student s will gather in different areas depending on their career interests. There they will be told about that career, what it takes to be successful in it, how much monetary reward could be expected, and more.

Then on Saturday, there will be a Jammin' January Wrap Up presentation and dance held at the school cafeteria, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Samples of the students' work done during the week will be on display. Students in the "movie making" course will show a video presentation documenting the week's activities, and then those students who participated in a disc jockey program will deejay for the dance which follows, at about 8:30 p.m. Parents and any other interested persons are invited to attend the presentation and dance. There will be a 25-cent charge per person at the door.

"The kids and staff have been really excited about this week," said assistant principal Ronald Roberts on Monday. "This is the first time we have tried something like this, and we've already discovered some mistakes we would change the next time around, but all in all it looks like this is going to be a success," he added. - Several classes are being held offcampus, in Tahoka and Lubbock at various locations, and one rappelling class is being held in Floydada. Students are transported to these classes on school buses, and a school teacher or official accompanies the students. "Volunteers from the local com-

munity as well as from Lubbock, Lamesa, Levelland and other communities are graciously and enthusiastically serving as mentors for our students this week," said Roberts. "The skill and enthusiasm demonstrated by those volunteers is wonthe administration and regular teaching staff have been acting as facilitators for the activities.

"Jammin' January" is a pilot project this year, and is aimed towards providing students with incentives for studying and opportunities for learning new ideas and activities.

"When a student sees, for example, in a flight training class how doing well in his math classes will serve him well in that career, then it gives that student a little extra momentum, a little extra incentive, a reason that he can see for doing well in school," said Cate.

"If we can impress a student with an idea for a career, then maybe he'll work harder in his study clasces at school," he added. "We are striving to give the students some 'lifetime' opportunities here - this week of activities is giving our students a chance to see or participate in certain activities that he or she might never have otherwise had the opportunity to do."

Roberts added, "Certainly, this is an experiment in the education process. It is to demonstrate that learning just for the enjoyment and personal enrichment of learning is worthwhile and desirable. It also is to illustrate how the different subjects taught in public schools everywhere apply to real life," he added. "It is our hope

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This project has been several years in the planning, and it is hoped that this innovative educational experience will be an annual event for junior/senior high school students here.

Reading Classes **Attend Open House**

Tahoka Junior High School 7th and 8th grade reading classes of Nan Adams attended a Christmas Open-House at her home in December.

The guests were served refreshments and toured the decorated house. The students then told Christmas stories and sang Christmas carols.

Those attending were: Chris Morin, Urban Garcia, George Sepeda, Anita Gutierrez, Stephanie Castanada, Ermalinda Herrera, Kristie Riojas, Vincente Chavarria, Martin Saldana, Ramon Saldana, Robert Lopez, Cande' Quinonez, San Juan Vargas and Elizabeth Lopez. Assisting was Nancy Monk.



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