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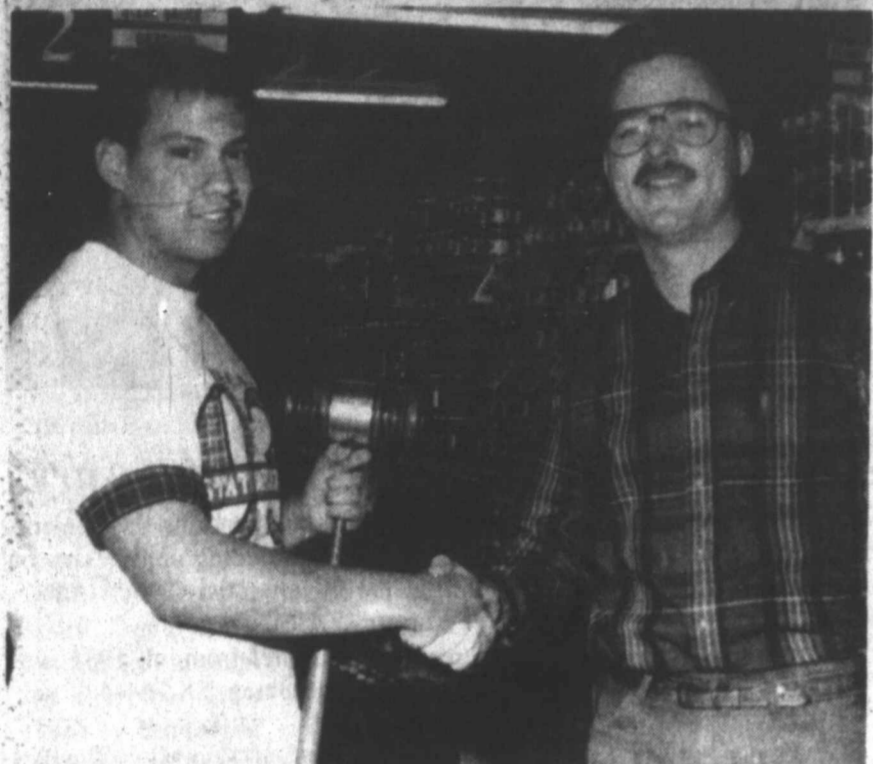
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NEW STATE DECA PRESIDENT - Tahoka High School DECA student John "Cookie" Quintanilla, left, was presented an honorary gavel upon his election as State President of Texas DECA recently. Quintanilla works for Thriftway through the DECA program. Steve Sanders, right, manager of Thriftway, congratulates Cookie on his achievement.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

County To Undertake Addressing Of All Dirt Roads, Rural Homes

Lynn County Commissioners are currently in the process of appointing members to a new 9-1-1 committee to oversee a project to address all dirt roads and homes in the county. The project involves naming all dirt roads and private drives in the county, as well as assigning house numbers to rural homes throughout the county.

The rural addressing project would aid emergency personnel in providing exact locations, giving the street and house number on the 9-1-1 computer when an emergency is called in.

Mrs. Donna Whitley, who heads the 9-1-1 computer system in the Lynn County Sheriff's Office, addressed commissioners Monday morning, informing the court that approximately \$6,000 in grant funding would be available from SPAG to

reimburse the county's cost of addressing rural roads.

The cost of erecting a sign at every intersection of dirt roads in the county, however, will probably exceed that figure. "We're looking at right at 1000 miles of dirt road in Lynn County," said Commissioner Sandra Cox. "I can see the need for addressing these roads, but the cost to the county is prohibitive," she said.

At this point, the project is optional. "However, at some point in the future the rural addressing will be mandatory for all 9-1-1 emergency systems," Mrs. Whitley told the court. "If we begin the project now, then we can access some grant money. I don't know how long this grant funding will be available. It's best to consider undertaking the project while at least some funding is

Filing Deadline Nears For City, School Elections

Signups continue for city and school elections throughout the county, with a few candidates adding their names to the list. Filing deadline for these races is Wednesday, March 17.

In Tahoka, TISD board of trustee candidates include Delia Luna, incumbent Brad Hammonds, Jim Solomon and Clint Gardner for two places on the board. The school business office will remain open during Spring Break until 5 p.m. Wednesday for candidates to file for the election.

Incumbent Jim Solomon is the only candidate thus far for the mayor position in the Tahoka City Council election, and two candidates have signed for two places on the council, including Maurio Marez and Wayne Huffaker.

In the Wilson ISD election, incumbents John Fields and David Wied are the only candidates thus far filing for two places on the board of trustees. Any candidate wishing to file for the school election during Spring Break should contact David Wied, board secretary, as the school business office will be closed.

The Wilson city election has four candidates on file, including Teresa Parish and three incumbents, Donald

Klaus, Victor Steinhauser and Oscar Ortega. Three places will be filled in the election.

New Home ISD trustee incumbents Andy Fillingim and Russel Barnett have both filed for re-election, with no other candidates filing as of yet for two places on the board. Any candidate wishing to file during Spring Break when the school business office is closed should contact Gerry Turner.

Three candidates, including two incumbents, have filed for places in the New Home City election. Mayor J.A. Evans has filed for re-election, and councilman Leroy Nettles has filed for re-election for one of the two places on the City Council. Candidate Jimmie Kieth has also filed for a council spot.

O'Donnell ISD board of trustees will have two places up for election, and no candidates have filed as of yet. Filing applications may be picked up at the high school office, as the tax office will be closed next week during Spring Break.

Two incumbents, Tommy Woolam and Billy Edwards, have filed for re-election in the O'Donnell city election. Three places on the City Council are up for election this year.

available to help defray the cost," she explained to commissioners, who concurred.

It is the intention of the 9-1-1 emergency system to have a street sign at each intersection of every road in the county, and for all homes in the county to have a number. The 9-1-1 committee will assign numbers for rural homes, but it will be the responsibility of each home owner to affix or paint these numbers on their homes.

Commissioners discussed options of naming county dirt roads, and it was the general consensus to name the roads alphabetically and numerically, instead of actual names. It will be some time, however, before the project will get off the ground. "Our first job will be to set up a committee, and then get an aerial photograph and map of the county with every road drawn in, before we assign any letters or numbers to these roads. This looks like it will be a very time-consuming process," said one member of the court.

In other business, commissioners examined accounts and approved county officials' reports. Judge J.F. Brandon reported that the Sheriff's Dept. was considering purchasing a pickup to replace a 1986 Ford in the department, but no action was taken by commissioners.

All commissioners were present at the meeting, including Mrs. Cox, J.T. Miller, Jacky Henry and T.A. Stone; and county personnel including Judge Brandon, treasurer Janet Porterfield, and county clerk Ima Robinson; Mrs. Whitley; and guest Juanell Jones.

Donation Fund Opened At Bank

An account has been opened at First National Bank of Tahoka to accept donations for Thomas and Genay Jolly of Tahoka, whose home was heavily damaged by fire last Tuesday night. The Jollys, who live on South 8th Street, reportedly have no insurance to help defray repair costs.

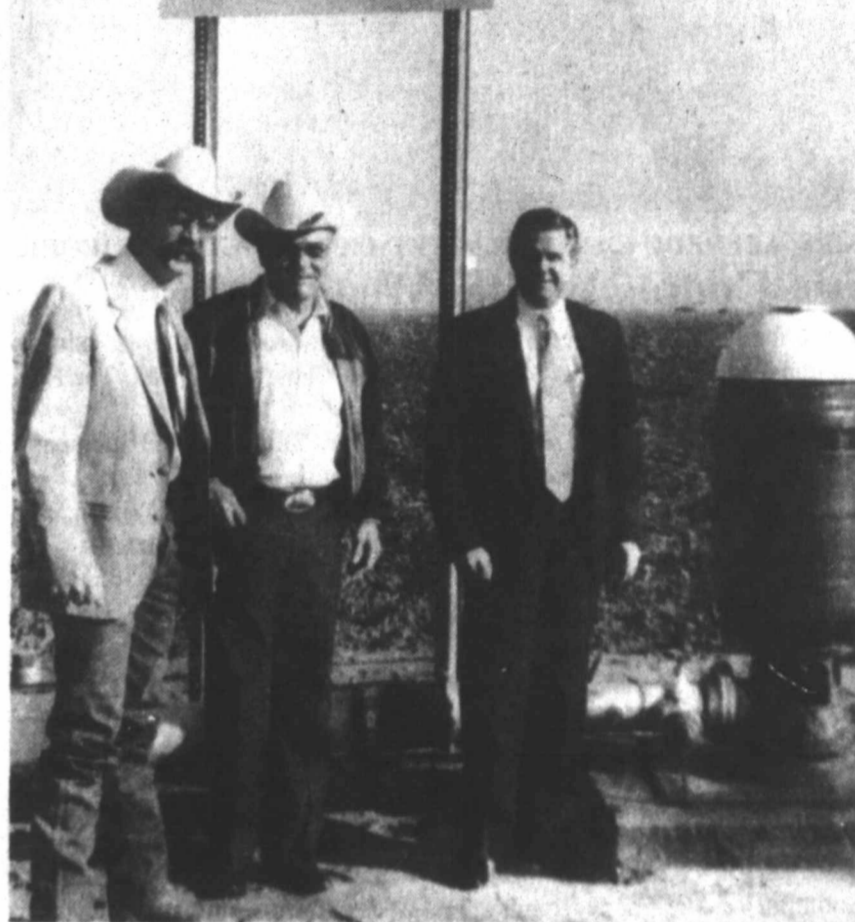
The couple were owner's of Glenda's Sweet Shop in Tahoka which closed recently.

Weather

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Mar. 6	58	27	
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COMBEST VISITS NEW DRY HYDRANT SITE - U.S. Representative Larry Combest (right) visited one of the new dry hydrant well sites in Lynn County County, provided through the Wes-Tex RC&D. He is shown with Dan Henson, left, Coordinator of the Wes-Tex RC&D, and H.G. Franklin, President of Lynn County Committee of Wes-Tex RC&D. Combest was guest speaker at the RC&D annual meeting held last Friday at Poka-Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Severe Weather Meeting Set Here Monday

The Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department is sponsoring a severe weather meeting here Monday, March 15 at 7 p.m. in the Lyntegar meeting room. A representative of the National Weather Service will present a program on severe weather, including tips for weather spotters.

The public is invited to attend this meeting. There is no charge for admission.

City of Tahoka Will Conduct a Tornado Siren Test This Friday at Noon

The public is invited to attend this meeting. There is no charge for admission.

Indictment Alleges Attack On Young Girl

A 106th District Grand Jury met in Tahoka Tuesday and returned four indictments in felony cases, including one for aggravated sexual assault, abuse of a minor child from

O'Donnell. Indicted on three counts of sexual assault on the young girl was Rurico Jauregui of Lamesa, no age listed, who has been free of custody on \$10,000 bond. The offenses allegedly occurred in January.

Also indicted were Darin Wade Dement, 21, of Manchaca, TX, on a charge of possession of a controlled substance, amphetamine; Benito Martinez Jr., driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense; and Joe Andrew Valdez, DWI subsequent offense.

Reports investigated by Tahoka Police Dept. and Lynn County Sheriff's Dept. during the last week included two burglaries and a collision in Tahoka and a theft at O'Donnell.

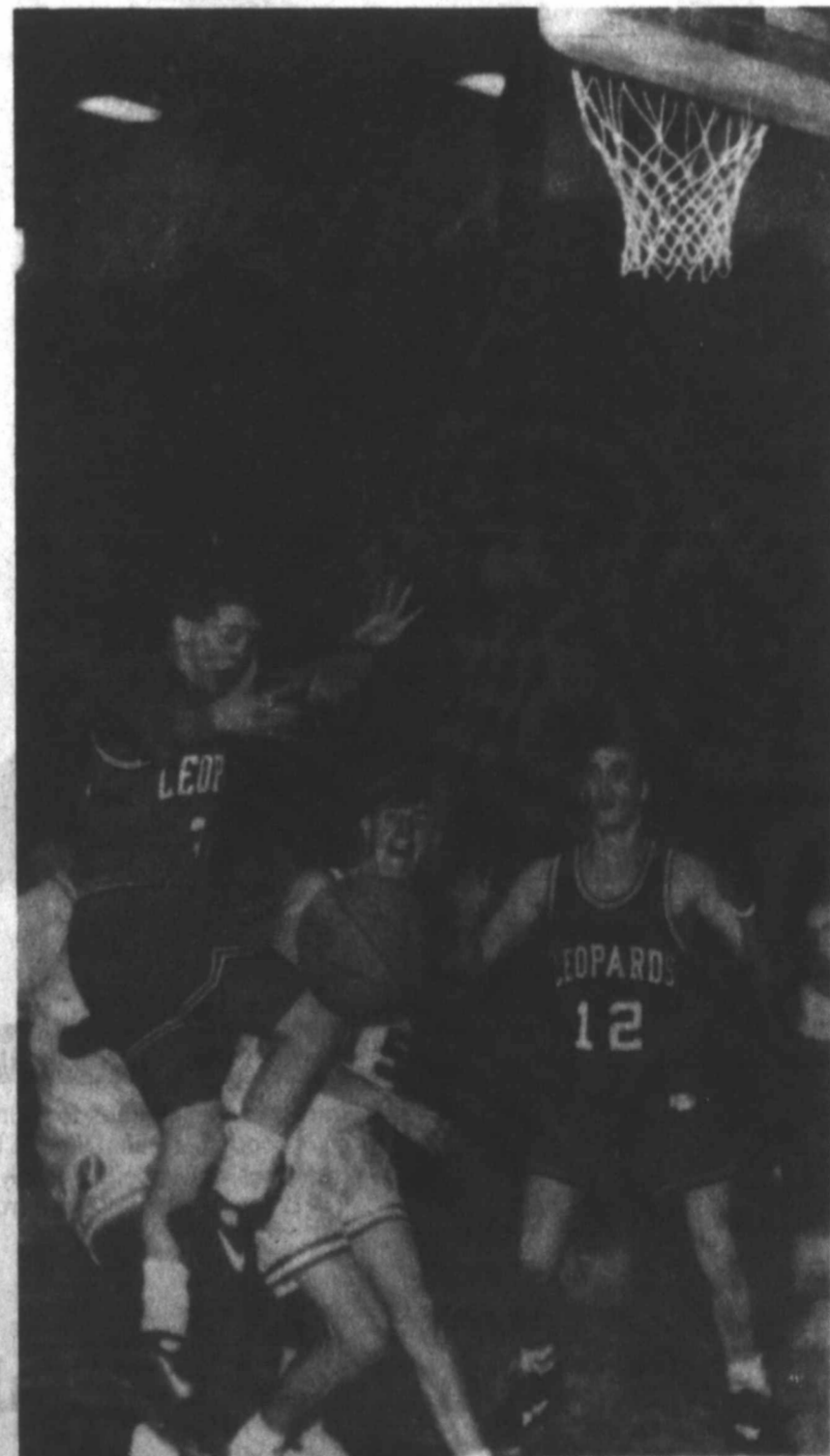
A.D. Riddle reported Saturday that his building on S. 3rd St. in Tahoka had been burglarized, and 15 automotive radiators and nine heater cores had been stolen, plus about \$4 in cash. Total value of the stolen items was estimated at \$184.

Rick Cloe reported that an undetermined quantity of items had been stolen in a burglary of a Texaco Warehouse building on Ave. D in Tahoka. Filters, wrenches, two adding machines, a battery charger, calculator, lubricant, tank nozzles and other articles were taken. The total value of stolen goods had not been determined. The burglary apparently occurred between March 1-7.

A collision in the 1200-block of Lockwood last Thursday involved a 1981 Chevrolet driven by Antonia Borquez Anchondo, 67, of Tahoka, and a 1982 Chevrolet tire truck owned by D&H Tire Co. and driven by Stephen Contreras, 25, also of Tahoka. No injuries were listed.

Two motors and pumps valued at \$600 were reported stolen off fertilizer tanks on the Woolam Gin lot in O'Donnell Monday night. Owner is Glenn Brewer of O'Donnell.

In jail during the week were six persons, on the following charges: DWI third offense, DWI second offense, public intoxication, DWI first offense, theft under \$20 and application to revoke probation on DWI charges.



SOCCER PLAY? - Greg Armes of New Home appears to be using his feet and legs to direct the ball here, as he goes up under the basket against Valley in the regional tournament. Blaine Fillingim is No. 12 for the Leopards, who lost a 50-47 decision which ended New Home's basketball season.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Out of the Woods

The wayward thoughts of Juanell (Wood) Jones

Politics. The word even sounds ugly. It is derived from the Greek words "poly" meaning "many" and "ticks" meaning "blood-sucking pests." The word "politician" denotes a really deviant variety of blood-sucking pests whom we elect to go live in Washington with all the other deviants ... err, politicians.

During the past year we've had state and national politicians practically oozing out of the woodwork, appearing on the horizon on white horses amid vast claims promising to set the budget deficit to rights, help the poor, protect family values, no new taxes, hot dogs, apple pie and good ol' US of A.

So what's happened? Nothing ... what a surprise.

I think we need to lend them a hand, and offer suggestions on some of these really ticklish problems, such as the budget deficit. I, myself, have come up with a few well-thought out suggestions, as I gazed pensively at my computer, frowning in a dignified political manner.

On the matter of the budget deficit: Simply sell off some of the property which Americans really don't need, such as government-subsidized art, one each of any of those states getting two states for the price of one (North and South Dakota, North and South Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia - hey, the rest of us only have one state), and a whole bunch of those \$527 military screwdrivers or \$498 lug nuts. I'm pretty sure some crazy middle eastern nut would jump at the chance to get in on any of these options.

On the state school finance plan: I've just about had it with our state legislators, and have a message for you ... Quit threatening me and my children if we don't vote for a finance plan that you're trying to ram down our throats even though for two years nobody's liked it in the first place. Hasn't anybody told them that scare tactics don't work well with Texans? And by the way, let's call the CED plan like it really is: A state income tax plan, mandated by state legislators and passed down to local school districts who are put in the hot seat by angry property owners because their taxes are escalating in leaps and bounds. You want to close down our schools June 1? Fine. We'll send our children to Austin to help the legislators come up with a better plan. Thousands of bored first graders wandering around legislative offices ought to help them make up their minds pretty quick.

On the matter of family values: Get some. You used to could buy these at Sears, Roebuck and Co., but Walmart may have taken over this area in recent years. Try aisle nine, right next to the dental floss.



MRS. ALFREDO CANTU JR. nee KIMBERLY DELISE BRIEGER
Couple Recites Wedding Vows

Kimberly Delise Brieger and Alfredo Cantu Jr. were married at 5 p.m. on Saturday, March 6, 1993 at St. John Lutheran Church in Wilson. The Rev. David Mumford officiated.

Honor attendants were Amber Gatzki of New Home, Kristi Patterson of Slaton, Ruben Garcia of Lubbock and Noel Garcia of Brownfield.

The bride is the daughter of Lenro and Elna Brieger of Wilson. The bridegroom is the son of Alfredo and Carolina Cantu Sr. of Lubbock.

The bride and bridegroom are both graduates of Wilson High School and attended South Plains College. The bridegroom is employed at Beever's Radiator Shop in Lubbock.

After a trip, the couple will live in Lubbock.

Gospel Opry Attracts Large Crowd Here

The first Gospel Opry presented last Saturday night by Vision Ministries in the new quarters at the former Summit Venture Foods Building in Tahoka was judged as a great success, with a crowd of about 350 persons on hand for most of the performances.

John Webster of the West Texas

Praise Team, which performed first, said at one point all the available seats—more than 300—were taken. Webster, whose ministry is not headquartered in the renovated building, said the second of the monthly Gospel Oprys would be on April 3, and continued events on the first Saturday of each month.

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by Dalton

JOYCE KILMER, who, I think, was a guy with a sissy name who wrote poetry, wrote this poem years ago called "Trees", which extols the beauty and virtues of trees. I don't remember exactly how Kilmer's poem goes, but I do remember the parody written by Ogden Nash, who said:

*I think that I shall never see
A billboard lovely as a tree.
In fact, unless the billboards fall,
I'll never see a tree at all.*

Anyway, a couple of weeks ago, I tried to create a little interest in determining the oldest tree in Lynn County, even though I said up front that it likely would not be possible, because who writes down in the family Bible that Papa planted a tree on such and such a day and year?

I have had some comments. George Claud Wells said he has some pecan trees in his yard which Anse Lockwood had planted in February of 1924, and some of them are still bearing pecans. Another person told me she had heard of some trees in the county planted about that time. And Dr. Kenneth Durham advised me that a native elm tree in his yard, on the north side, was pretty old, and was planted by Louie Weathers. I contacted Louie, and he confirmed that he had "pulled up a sprig from near a creek in Garza County and set it out (at the present location near the Durham home) in 1920 or '21." Weathers did add that there may be some trees older than that around O'Donnell.

The trunk of the tree at the Durham home is probably more than four feet in diameter, as gauged by my left eye from a half block away.

LAST WEEK I received a letter from the Christian Relief Mission in Houston seeking a donation to help the poor. It was the same day I read *The Dallas News* article about the poverty in Lynn County, so I considered sending it back with the notation, "Sorry, but we need the money worse than you do." And I had planned to write something in this column about the image of Tahoka projected by the Dallas story, but decided to move on to greater things (like old trees). We have received many comments supporting last week's story in rebuttal of the image of Tahoka as a Little Appalachia, and one letter challenging my "foolish rebuttle" (their spelling) and chiding county and city leaders for "whining in newsprint" instead of trying to solve the problems. There were a couple of good points in the letter, but we don't print letters not signed, since an anonymous letter is a cowardly way of expressing an opinion.

No Youth Basketball Games Next Week

There will be no Tahoka Youth Basketball games scheduled during next week, March 15-19, due to Spring Break.

On Saturday, March 20, however, K-2nd graders will practice in the elementary gym. First grade will practice from 9-10 a.m.; second grade from 10-11 a.m.; and kindergarten from 11-12 noon.

Tahoka Tumblers Compete In Shallowater Meet

The Tahoka Tumblers competed in the Shallowater Tumbling meet on

Saturday, March 6. The following entries awarded were:

1st place: Connie Medina, Stacie Green, Amber Alverado, Jeni Hammonds, Kallie Dormar, Rebecca Brewer, Trista Wuenscho, Andrew Villogas, Cassidy Gandy, Marissa Chapa, Jeanine Wilson, Lindsay Preston, Randy Chapa, Landon Bartley, Brek Paris, Kalah Bartley, Katie Webster.

2nd place: Marissa Villegas, Delcy Willis, Jaci Hammonds, Krista Norwood, Shanna Faries, Kalesse Hammonds, Nina Follis, Jessica Wilson.

3rd place: Kindace Druessedov, Abi Henderson, Tonya Elrod.

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L.C. and MARY LOU LANDERS

Couple To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

The children of L.C. and Mary Lou Landers are honoring their parents with a reception on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, March 13, from 2-4 p.m. at the First Baptist Church Annex, Desdemona.

Bro. L.C. was pastor of Sweet Street Baptist Church from July 1981-June 1987. The couple's address is P.O. Box 23, Desdemona, TX 76445.

PEOPLE Group Meeting Held

The PEOPLE Group in Wilson held their regular monthly meeting Saturday. Last month the group decided to work with the Small Business Institute from Texas Tech in getting some outside help and information on things to help promote the community.

This month two of the five student team for Tech, Gary Whittle and Garry Dixon, attended the meeting to start getting a feel for the goals and objectives of the group and begin giving out ideas of how they can help promote the community.

Both students specifically requested the opportunity to work with Wilson as a project.

Dan Cook and Victor Steinhauser continue to work with SPS in getting a brochure printed about Wilson. Lynda Williams is still trying to make connections with the Texas Highway Department in an effort to get Wilson mentioned in their tourism brochure.

Onita Steinhauser and Roy Isham reported that they are still working to get

West Point Extension Club Meeting Held

The West Point Extension Club met March 4 in the home of Lahrué Tippit with nine members present. President, Pat Park, presided.

The club voted to donate \$15 to a scholarship fund and plans were made to attend the district meeting in Plainview on April 1.

The club also voted to place recipes for turkey salad and squash casserole into the state cookbook.

The next meeting will be April 8 in the home of Florine McCracken.

the walking track installed. The "Museum Committee" and the "Pick-up, Fix-up, Clean-up Committee" are both working to get ideas together. Bob Williams continues to work on a questionnaire to poll the businesses in the community of their needs and wants.

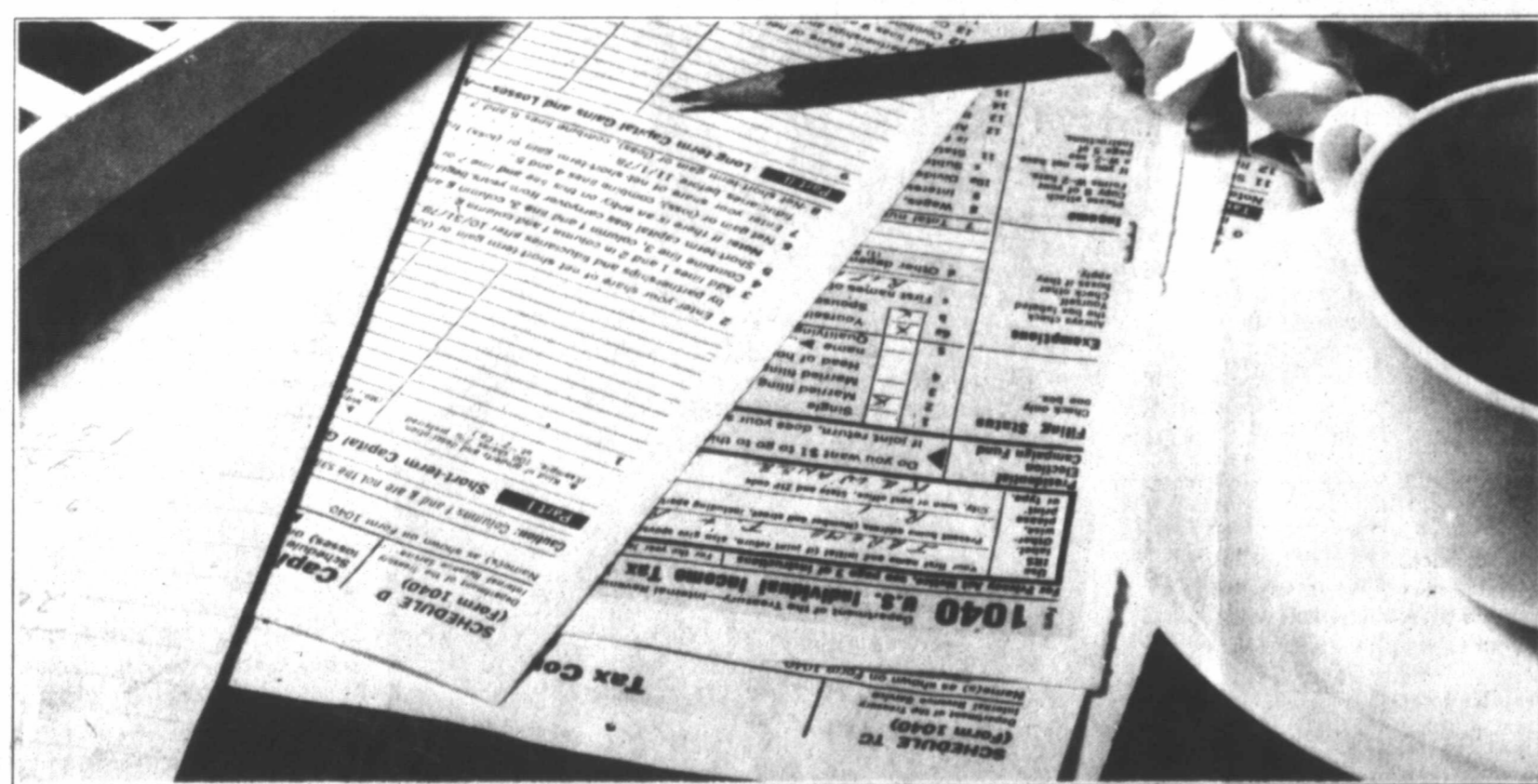
Anyone interested in promoting the Wilson community is welcome at the PEOPLE meetings and are encouraged to attend and share their ideas. Because of Easter being on the regular meeting weekend, the next meeting will be held on Saturday, April 17 at 9 a.m. in the Green Building.

Poka-Lambro To Refund Capital Credits

During March of 1993 Poka-Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc. will refund one-half of the capital credit allocations for the year of 1982. Those who were members of the Cooperative during 1982 are more than likely due a refund. If any member of Poka-Lambro in 1982 has since moved, please make sure they have a current address.

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Tahoka High School student John "Cook" elected State Professional Development Council member on this past week. The highest honor student in the county, Quintanilla will be participating in the upcoming election.

Participating with Quintanilla are School DECA student employer, and T. Glo Hays.

"This election many opportunities. For example, coming year, he will be attending a conference in Orlando, FL, Atlanta, TX, Houston, and UT. In addition, Professional Development Council of DECA. He will also be in many districts throughout the county.

During the election, Doug Swinford composed and performed an event by participating in the front of judges from Fort Worth/Dallas.

After competing in Quintanilla's car consisted of Rolando Knox, Jason Ausburn, Terry Hale. Prior to the students and other produced a brochure.

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THS DECA Student John Quintanilla Elected President Of Texas DECA

Tahoka High School DECA student John "Cookie" Quintanilla was elected State President of Texas DECA during the Texas State Career Development Conference in Arlington this past weekend. The office is the highest honor awarded a DECA student in the entire state, and Quintanilla will lead 13,000 students during the upcoming year.

Participating in the conference with Quintanilla were Tahoka High School DECA students, parents, an employer, and THS DECA advisor Glo Hays.

"This election will offer Cookie many opportunities," said Mrs. Hays. "For example, during the upcoming year, Texas DECA will send him to conferences and workshops in Orlando, FL, Atlanta, GA, Trinidad, TX, Houston, and Salt Lake City, UT. In addition, he will address the Professional Development Conference of DECA teachers in August. He will also be invited to participate in many district leadership conferences throughout Texas," she added.

During the conference, THS students Doug Smith and Chad Swinford competed in the Vehicles and Petroleum Marketing Series Event by completing a written test and participating in two role plays in front of judges from the Arlington/Fort Worth/Dallas area.

After competing, the two joined Quintanilla's campaign team, which consisted of Robert Jackson, Angel Knox, Jason McMillan, Doug Ausbern, Terry Gwin, and Cody Hale. Prior to the conference these students and other DECA members produced a brochure publicizing

Cookie's quest for the presidency; this brochure was mailed to 450 DECA chapters throughout Texas.

During the recent conference, attending students organized and maintained a campaign booth in the Arlington Convention Center. They tried to meet every one of the 2500 competitors at the conference by introducing themselves and distributing leaflets encouraging Quintanilla's election.

Quintanilla competed against a young woman from Kerrville and a young man from Houston. "He won the election without a runoff because of the strong campaign conducted by THS DECA students and his strong speaking ability," said Mrs. Hays.

Kathy Hale and Tommie Sue Pebsworth accompanied the group to

Arlington as parent sponsors. Also in attendance was a DECA Cooperative Training employer, Altah Harvick of Elm Grove Golf Course. "Altah, Kathy, and Tommie Sue helped us with everything we did," said Robert Jackson. "They took us to eat in shifts so our booth would never be empty and they brought in breakfast early in the mornings. They were really supportive of everything we did, and it was nice to have them there because they were a lot of fun," he added.

"I told everybody I was going to dance on the tabletops if Cookie won; but when his name was announced in front of 3500 people, I couldn't do anything but clap and yell!" said Jason McMillan. "It really felt good to know that we all worked together as a team and came out on top!"

The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

Well, light finger Louie is at it again. It seems that he has found good picking at the Wilson schools. Several months ago, he or she burgled the bus barn, and at that time the culprit got caught. Then, a couple of weeks ago, the homemaking building was the target, and a VCR and related TV has, evidently, found a new home. The homemaking building was again the target, but the TV and VCR was already gone so they decided to visit the ag shop and see what they could find that was not chained down or locked up. They found another VCR and TV and some tools.

Not only has the school suffered the financial loss of the actual items which were stolen, but also the damage to the buildings which was inflicted, as they

attempted to get into the buildings.

Wilson City Council met last Monday for a mostly routine meeting. Doug Massey with SPS met with the council demonstrating several new lighting systems which could be used in the park. He will prepare a formal proposal for further consideration. The council also discussed the need for a waste oil disposal station for the use of residents of the city, since it is now illegal to pour out waste oil or let it contaminate the soil or water. They also appointed the election officials for the May 1 election.

The City election drew three more candidates this last week. Donald Klaus, Oscar Ortega, and Victor Steinhauer, all signed up for the May 1 city election. These three, who are incumbents, join Teresa Parish in the contest for the three open places on the ballot.

Interested persons have until 3 p.m. March 17 to sign up for this election.

The Wilson Little Dribblers began this year's series of games on Monday night. Wilson has six teams this year including two minor boys teams, one minor girls team, one major girls team and two major boys teams. These teams will play teams from Southland, New Home and Meadow, as well as their counterparts on the Wilson teams.

Monday night, two of the boys teams played teams from New Home and split the games. The Wilson Minor team, known as the white team, beat New Home 15-10. The Wilson Major team, also known as the white team, lost to New Home 16-10.

If you have never seen a Little Dribblers game, you really have missed a fun event. Come out and support these kids and remember that there are several organizations who are running the concession stand that need and deserve your support.

The next games will be Friday and the four teams that did not play on Monday will be playing. These games will be at Wilson. There are no scheduled games during Spring Break.

School will be dismissed at the regular time on Friday and then will be out Spring Break all next week. They will return to the classroom on Monday, March 22.

The Wilson Band went to the UIL Band Solo and Ensemble Contest at Texas Tech on Feb. 27, and came away after an impressive showing. The band had not participated in this contest for several years and those students who attended really didn't know what to expect.

This contest is broken down into three divisions. Division III is for freshmen only, while Division II and I are for all grade classifications. The small number, the higher and tougher the class and music played in the class. The Wilson Band students placing in the solo division are:

Class III: Rosalinda Vasquez, clarinet, 2 rating; Rosie Villarreal, flute, 3 rating; Hope Flores, Tenor Sax, 2 rating; Rosa Delgado, clarinet, 1 rating & medal.

Class II: Michael Buxkemper, Baritone Sax, 2 rating.

Class I: Audra Young, Baritone, 1 rating & medal.

The Wilson Band students placing in the ensemble division are:

Class III: Baritone Trio consisting of Lora Howell, Gregory Castillo, and Benito Delgado, 2 rating; Clarinet Trio consisting of Rosa Delgado, Rosalinda Vasquez, and Kimberly Martin, 2 rating.

Class II: Trumpet Trio of Adrienne Caballero, Teresa Buxkemper, and Heather Nelson, 2 rating.

Students who play in Class I and receive a 1 rating will participate in the Texas State Solo and Ensemble contest in Austin and San Marcos on May 31. It is quite unusual for a freshman student to enter a Class I contest, much less to earn a 1 rating. Audra Young, a freshman at Wilson did just that earning a trip to the State Contest. She is the first Wilson student in four years to earn a trip to the



ATTEND TEXAS STATE CAREER DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE - Tahoka High School DECA students attended the Texas State Career Development Conference in Arlington this past weekend, when John "Cookie" Quintanilla (seated, with gavel) was elected State President. They are, seated from left, Cody Hale, Quintanilla, Angel Strickland, Chad Swinford; and standing from left, Robert Jackson, Terry Gwin, Doug Smith, Jason McMillan, and Doug Ausbern. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

State Meet and we wish her well in this endeavor.

Mission Bautista La Luz is sponsoring a family fun evening on Sunday, March 14, at 5 p.m. at the church building. This congregation, along with the members of El Calvario Baptist Church in Slaton, invite one and all to this event. There will be live entertainment by the "Familia Castro," as well as food and fellowship. Contact Bro. Ruben Perez at 828-4475 for further information.

Milton Wright and his family have recently moved to Wilson from Lubbock. Wright is the elementary principal and the high school counselor. Wright and his wife, Juanita, and their two children, Andrew and Amy, are a welcome addition to the Wilson community.

The Wilson ISD Board met in a regular meeting last Monday and acted on several items. Teacher contracts were

offered as per administrative recommendations. A field trip to San Antonio was approved for some of the high school science students. This trip will take place during Spring Break and will not result in any lost classtime. The Board also accepted the resignation of Judith Carpenter as High School Math teacher.

It was decided to hire a K-12 grade Spanish teacher for the 1993-94 school year. Mrs. Templeton reported that the

current enrollment in K-12 was 217 students.

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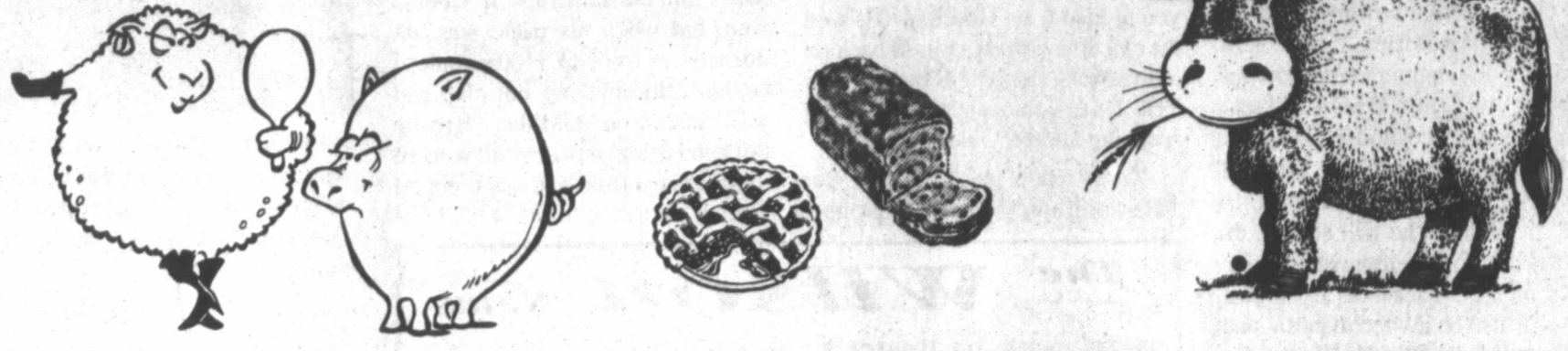
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OBITUARIES

Mary Fletcher

Graveside services for Mary Timmons Fletcher, 84, of Amarillo, were at 2 p.m. Monday, March 8 in Meadow Cemetery with the Rev. Glen Ensor, a retired Southern Baptist minister, officiating.

Mrs. Fletcher died Saturday, March 6, 1993 at Golden Age Nursing Home in Amarillo.

She was born in Graham and married Alvis Eugene Fletcher in 1929. He died in 1953. The couple lived at New Home and at Gomez prior to moving to California, where they made their home first at Manteca and then at Santa Maria. She also lived in Pittsburg, Mo., before moving to Amarillo five years ago. She was a member of Manteca Southern Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sons, Billy and Kenneth, both of Amarillo, and Darrell of New Home; a daughter, Sue Major of Amarillo; two brothers, John Timmons of Auburn, Wash., and Delbert Timmons of Farnsworth; two sisters, Gladys Boyd of Port Arthur and Loene Ensor of South Coffeyville, Okla.; 13 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

Donna Gardner of Tahoka, and A.R. Gardner of Spring.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 3, 1993 at Autumn Creek Baptist Church in Houston with the Rev. Bill Dye, officiating. Interment was at Memorial Oaks Cemetery in Houston.

Leonard Hohn

Private burial services for Leonard John "Dutch" Hohn, 81, will be at a later date in O'Donnell Cemetery.

Hohn died Wednesday, March 3, 1993 in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born in Johnson City and moved to O'Donnell in 1918. He married Katy Williams in 1950 in O'Donnell. He farmed in the O'Donnell area until 1952, when he moved to Amarillo. He worked for the City of Amarillo and retired in 1976.

Survivors include his wife.

James Goolsby

Services for James Herman Goolsby, 73, of Lamesa were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 10 in Second Baptist Church of Lamesa with the Rev. Jim Owens officiating.

The Rev. Clifton Igo assisted, and burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park. Goolsby died at 2:45 p.m. Monday, March 8, 1993 in Medical Arts Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Salina and married Pauline Petty on Sept. 9, 1961, in Tahoka. He was a retail produce merchant in Lamesa and a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was a member of Second Baptist Church. A daughter, Jo Anne, died in 1939 and a son, Lloyd Isreal, died in 1983.

Survivors include his wife; six sons, Jimmy Goolsby and Albert Isreal, both of Austin, Bud Goolsby of Lubbock, L.C. Goolsby of Buda, Arthur G. Isreal of Odessa and James

K. Goolsby of Lamesa; seven daughters, Ladean Light of Mineral Wells, Shirley Napper and Wanda Batchelor, both of Lamesa, Barbara Martin of Midland, Marie Isreal of Dallas and Diane Isreal and Louise Byrd, both of Conroe; four brothers, Laro, Royce and William, all of Lamesa, and Donald W. of Weatherford; a sister, Alta Shortes of Andrews; 39 grandchildren; and 35 great-grandchildren. Grandsons were pallbearers.

The family suggests memorials to the American Lung Association or to the Second Baptist Church Van fund.

Walter Wilke

Services for Walter H. Wilke, 72, of Dimmitt were at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 6 in First Baptist Church of Dimmitt with the Rev. Paul Kenley, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens.

Wilke died Thursday, March 4, 1993 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

He was born at Southland and had lived at White River for eight years and in Dimmitt from 1956 to 1972. He returned to Dimmitt in 1991. He married Dorothy Kellum on Dec. 19, 1939, in Clovis, N.M. He was a retired farmer and a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Slaton. A son, Marlos, died Jan. 27, 1985.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Harley of Dallas; a daughter, Delores Heller of Dimmitt; two brothers, Marcus of Wilson and Edmund of Lubbock; three sisters, Bertha Betts of Levelland, Frieda Muller of Slaton and Myrtle Stabeno of Wilson; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jason Wilke, Kirk Wilke, Coby Heller, Randy Stanley, Edward Stanley, Paul Johnson, Charles King and Jim Curry.

The family suggests memorials to the Panhandle Chapter of the National MS Society, 715 S. Lamar, Amarillo 79106; or to the American Cancer Society.

Senior Citizens MENU

- March 15-19**
- Monday - Hamburger, Steak, Brown Gravy, Macaroni Salad, Okra & Tomatoes, Wheat Roll, Apricots.**
- Tuesday - Fish Nuggets, Pinto Beans, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Poke Cake.**
- Wednesday - BBQ Chicken, Corn, Spinach, Biscuits, Rice Pudding.**
- Thursday - Pepper Steak, Rice, Squash, Rolls, Cake.**
- Friday - Roast, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Cornbread, Banana Pudding.**

LULAC Sponsoring Fund Raiser For Scholarship

The Tahoka LULAC organization is sponsoring a fund-raising project to raise money for a scholarship sponsored by the group. LULAC members are selling chances to win first prize of a \$150 grocery shopping spree at Thriftway, second prize of \$75 worth of lottery tickets, and third prize of \$50 in lottery tickets.

A drawing will be held April 3 at Thriftway, but winners need not be present to win. Chances are being sold for \$1 each by all LULAC members, or may be purchased at Furniture Ole, 1-Stop Convenience Store, or Tahoka Auto Supply.



Mrs. Clifford Tankersley, Madelyn Brown, and Louise Smith attended the District 1 Texas Garden Clubs Spring Convention March 2 at the Holiday Inn Civic Center in Lubbock. Various awards and points were given. Tahoka won second for number of new members attained and honorable mention for the president's report.

The Texas Garden Club president, Mrs. Renee Blaschke, presented Mrs. Tankersley with an Orchid Corsage in honor of her many years as president of Tahoka Garden Club.

The next meeting of the Tahoka Garden Club will be at the home of Louise Smith, 1829 N. 4th, on March 16 with co-hostess Madelyn Brown. The program, "Success with Hanging Baskets" will be presented by Mrs. Grace Prohl, homemaker.



SPECIAL FLAG PRESENTATION - Tahoka Elementary students (from left) Jeremy Vega, Sedrick Williams, Malena Carasco and Jessica House gave a presentation on the new Flag of Learning and Liberty during Open House ceremonies last Tuesday night. The flag, which will be on display in the elementary school, incorporates the red, white and blue of the "Stars and Stripes," and symbolizes America's historical belief in and reliance upon education. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

MUSEUM NEWS

The Board of Directors of the Tahoka Pioneer Museum request no heavy equipment or oil transportation trucks on the parking area at the museum. "This small parking area is for museum guests and personnel only," said one representative.

The Board met on March 8 at noon at the museum with Arlys Askew, president, presiding. A decision to have Ruben Gandy, local sign-painter, prepare a sign, was approved.

In early spring cleaning at the Courthouse, an original ballot box, used in the "olden days", was brought to light. Also, an electric clock with Woods Jewelry advertising on it was found. These two items will be added to the displays at the museum in the near future.

A review of pending projects, for the benefit of new Board members, was presented. Restoration of the fire truck that came from the City of Tahoka, a "hammer brigade" to pound the nails on the box and strip wall at the front of the building, protective shelters for the equipment displayed outside, and the method of fund raising to accomplish these projects, was discussed in depth.

The meeting adjourned at 12:45. Members present were Arlys Askew, Melvin Burks, Bill Craig, Weesie Carroll, Betsy Pridmore, Frances Wells, Eddie Lockaby, Elmer Owens and Mildred Abbe.

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THE TAHOKA ATHLETIC Sports SPOTLIGHT

GERALD CANTU is featured in this week's Sports Spotlight. A freshman, Gerald is a member of the Tahoka Bulldog baseball team which opened season play last week. "Gerald pitched five good innings against Lubbock Cooper, and we had them tied 7-7 after the first five innings," said Coach David Johnson.

GERALD CANTU

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION MAY 1, 1993

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Section 1 of Senate Joint Resolution 7 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to redistribute among other school districts ad valorem taxes levied and collected by a school district. The amendment would also allow the legislature to create county education districts with the taxable property of existing school districts in one or more counties combined. County education districts may levy, collect, and distribute ad valorem taxes as authorized by general law. The legislature would be allowed to set the rate of the ad valorem tax to be imposed in a school district or county education district or it may authorize the board of trustees of each school district or county education district to set the rate, provided that the rate of county education district ad valorem taxes may not exceed \$1.00 per \$100 valuation of taxable property, unless a higher rate is approved by the voters of the district. The amendment also provides that the amount of ad valorem taxes redistributed among school districts by the legislature and effectively redistributed within a county through county education districts may not exceed 2.75 percent of the sum of the state revenue appropriated for public schools and the revenue from local ad valorem taxes levied and collected for public schools. The term "state revenue" does not include revenue from ad valorem taxes, revenue for the provision of free textbooks, or contributions to a retirement system. Finally, the amendment provides that it does not affect the distribution of the available school fund under article VII, section 5, of the Texas Constitution.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:
"The constitutional amendment allowing limited redistribution of ad valorem taxes for schools, authorizing the legislature or local districts to set a minimum tax rate in county education districts, and placing a cap on the ad valorem tax levied by county education districts."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Section 2 of Senate Joint Resolution 7 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that, except for state educational mandates imposed in compliance with the Texas Constitution or federal law, or unless enacted by a vote of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the legislature, a school district may not be required to comply with an obligation requiring expenditure of school district funds unless the obligation is fully funded. The amendment also requires the legislature to provide by law a procedure for determining whether an obligation is fully funded. In the absence of such a procedure, and at the request of a school district's board of trustees, the comptroller of public accounts shall determine whether or not an obligation is fully funded. This amendment applies only to state educational mandates enacted after December 31, 1993.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:
"The constitutional amendment exempting a school district from the obligation to comply with unfunded state educational mandates."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes an amendment to article VII, section 5(b), of the constitution, which currently authorizes the legislature to provide for using the permanent school fund to guarantee bonds issued by school districts and certain education-related revenue bonds issued by the state. The amendment would repeal the provision authorizing

the use of the permanent school fund to guarantee state revenue bonds, but would permit the legislature to provide by law for the issuance of general obligation bonds or revenue bonds of the state for the purpose of making loans to, or purchasing bonds of, school districts for the purpose of acquisition, construction, or improvement of instructional facilities, including all furnishings. The amendment also provides that the state, pursuant to general law, may forgive the payment of principal and interest on all or part of a loan made to a school district under the amendment to partially finance an instructional facility. The cap of \$750 million on the amount of bonds that could be issued under article VII, section 5(b), as amended, would be retained. The amendment would repeal the current provision of the constitution permitting the legislature to authorize bonds in excess of \$750 million by two-thirds record vote of both houses of the legislature. While any of the general obligation bonds issued under the amendment or any of the interest on those bonds is outstanding and unpaid, there would be appropriated out of the first money coming into the state treasury in each fiscal year, not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, the amount sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds that matured or became due that fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of \$750 million in state general obligation or revenue bonds to assist school districts in partially financing facilities, authorizing the state to forgive payments of loans made to a school district for partially financing facilities, and repealing the authorization for \$750 million in state revenue bonds guaranteed by the permanent school fund."

Este es el informe explicatorio sobre la enmienda propuesta a la constitución que aparecerá en la boleta el día 1 de mayo de 1993. Si usted no ha recibido una copia del informe en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/253/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711

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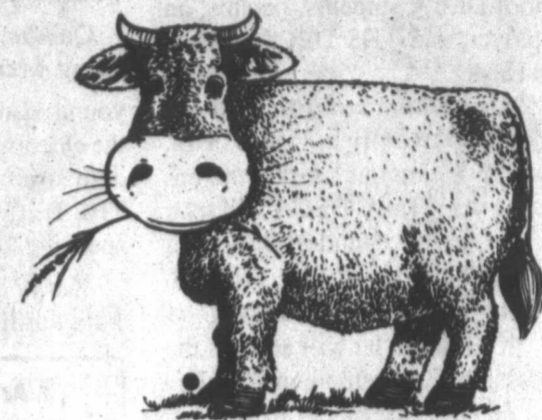
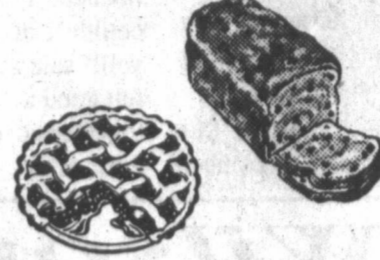
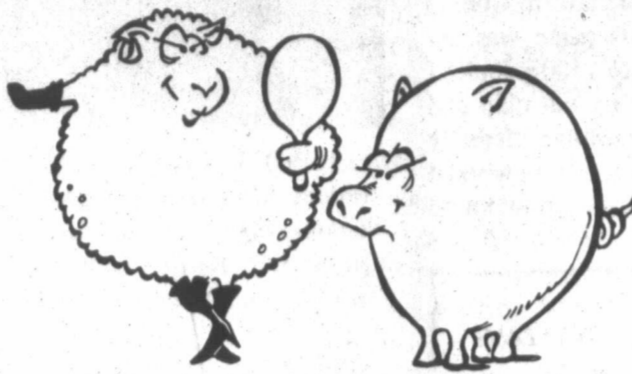
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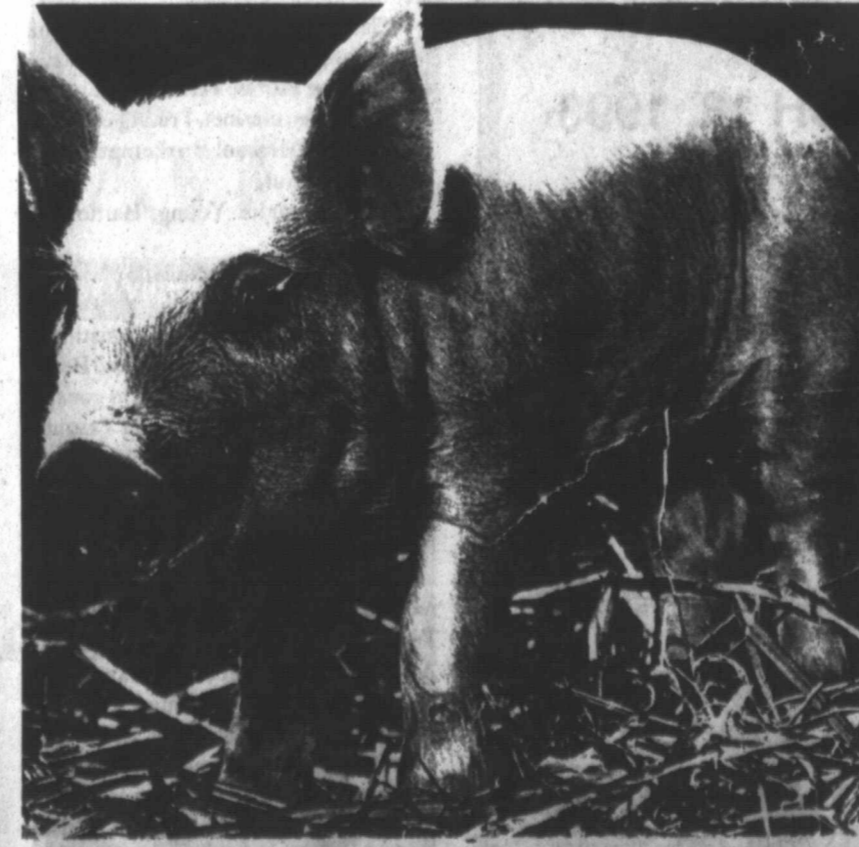
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OBITUARIES

Mary Fletcher

Graveside services for Mary Timmons Fletcher, 84, of Amarillo were at 2 p.m. Monday, March 8 in Meadow Cemetery with the Rev. Glen Ensor, a retired Southern Baptist minister, officiating.

Mrs. Fletcher died Saturday, March 6, 1993 at Golden Age Nursing Home in Amarillo.

She was born in Graham and married Alvis Eugene Fletcher in 1929. He died in 1953. The couple lived at New Home and at Gomez prior to moving to California, where they made their home first at Manteca and then at Santa Maria. She also lived in Pittsburg, Mo., before moving to Amarillo five years ago. She was a member of Manteca Southern Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sons, Billy and Kenneth, both of Amarillo, and Darrell of New Home; a daughter, Sue Major of Amarillo; two brothers, John Timmons of Auburn, Wash., and Delbert Timmons of Farnsworth; two sisters, Gladys Boyd of Port Arthur and Loene Ensor of South Coffeyville, Okla.; 13 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

Mike Gardner

Michael R. "Mike" Gardner, 21, died Saturday, Feb. 27, 1993 as a result of a trucking accident in Salt Lake City, Utah. He was born April 20, 1971 in Houston, and attended Langham Creek High School.

Survivors include his mother, Debbie Gardner of Katy; his father and step-mother, Gary and Carol Gardner of Missouri City; a daughter, Ashley Gardner of Katy; two brothers, Mark and John; a step-sister, Susan Swafford; a step-brother, Thomas Swafford; grandparents, Rose Burch of Oklahoma City, OK,

Donna Gardner of Tahoka, and A.R. Gardner of Spring.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 3, 1993 at Autumn Creek Baptist Church in Houston with the Rev. Bill Dye, officiating. Interment was at Memorial Oaks Cemetery in Houston.

Leonard Hohn

Private burial services for Leonard John "Dutch" Hohn, 81, will be at a later date in O'Donnell Cemetery.

Hohn died Wednesday, March 3, 1993 in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born in Johnson City and moved to O'Donnell in 1918. He married Katy Williams in 1950 in O'Donnell. He farmed in the O'Donnell area until 1952, when he moved to Amarillo. He worked for the City of Amarillo and retired in 1976.

Survivors include his wife.

James Goolsby

Services for James Herman Goolsby, 73, of Lamesa were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 10 in Second Baptist Church of Lamesa with the Rev. Jim Owens officiating.

The Rev. Clifton Igo assisted, and burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park. Goolsby died at 2:45 p.m. Monday, March 8, 1993 in Medical Arts Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Salina and married Pauline Petty on Sept. 9, 1961, in Tahoka. He was a retail produce merchant in Lamesa and a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was a member of Second Baptist Church. A daughter, Jo Anne, died in 1939 and a son, Lloyd Isreal, died in 1983.

Survivors include his wife; six sons, Jimmy Goolsby and Albert Isreal, both of Austin, Bud Goolsby of Lubbock, L.C. Goolsby of Buda, Arthur G. Isreal of Odessa and James

K. Goolsby of Lamesa; seven daughters, Ladean Light of Mineral Wells, Shirley Napper and Wanda Batchelor, both of Lamesa, Barbara Martin of Midland, Marie Isreal of Dallas and Diane Isreal and Louise Byrd, both of Conroe; four brothers, Laroy, Royce and William, all of Lamesa, and Donald W. of Weatherford; a sister, Alta Shortes of Andrews; 39 grandchildren; and 35 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers. The family suggests memorials to the American Lung Association or to the Second Baptist Church Van fund.

Walter Wilke

Services for Walter H. Wilke, 72, of Dimmitt were at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 6 in First Baptist Church of Dimmitt with the Rev. Paul Kenley, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens.

Wilke died Thursday, March 4, 1993 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

He was born at Southland and had lived at White River for eight years and in Dimmitt from 1956 to 1972. He returned to Dimmitt in 1991. He married Dorothy Kellum on Dec. 19, 1939, in Clovis, NM. He was a retired farmer and a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Slaton. A son, Marlos, died Jan. 27, 1985.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Harley of Dallas; a daughter, Delores Heller of Dimmitt; two brothers, Marcus of Wilson and Edmund of Lubbock; three sisters, Bertha Betts of Levelland, Frieda Muller of Slaton and Myrtle Staben of Wilson; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jason Wilke, Kirk Wilke, Coby Heller, Randy Stanley, Edward Stanley, Paul Johnson, Charles King and Jim Curry.

The family suggests memorials to the Panhandle Chapter of the National MS Society, 715 S. Lamar, Amarillo 79106; or to the American Cancer Society.

Senior Citizens MENU

March 15-19
Monday - Hamburger, Steak, Brown Gravy, Macaroni Salad, Okra & Tomatoes, Wheat Roll, Apricots.

Tuesday - Fish Nuggets, Pinto Beans, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Poke Cake.

Wednesday - BBQ Chicken, Corn, Spinach, Biscuits, Rice Pudding.

Thursday - Pepper Steak, Rice, Squash, Rolls, Cake.

Friday - Roast, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Cornbread, Banana Pudding.

LULAC Sponsoring Fund Raiser For Scholarship

The Tahoka LULAC organization is sponsoring a fund-raising project to raise money for a scholarship sponsored by the group. LULAC members are selling chances to win first prize of a \$150 grocery shopping spree at Thriftway, second prize of \$75 worth of lottery tickets, and third prize of \$50 in lottery tickets.

A drawing will be held April 3 at Thriftway, but winners need not be present to win. Chances are being sold for \$1 each by all LULAC members, or may be purchased at Furniture One, 1-Stop Convenience Store, or Tahoka Auto Supply.



Mrs. Clifford Tankersley, Madelyn Brown, and Louise Smith attended the District I Texas Garden Clubs Spring Convention March 2 at the Holiday Inn Civic Center in Lubbock. Various awards and points were given. Tahoka won second for number of new members attained and honorable mention for the president's report.

The Texas Garden Club president, Mrs. Renee Blaschke, presented Mrs. Tankersley with an Orchid Corsage in honor of her many years as president of Tahoka Garden Club.

The next meeting of the Tahoka Garden Club will be at the home of Louise Smith, 1829 N. 4th, on March 16 with co-hostess Madelyn Brown. The program, "Success with Hanging Baskets" will be presented by Mrs. Grace Prohl, homemaker.



SPECIAL FLAG PRESENTATION - Tahoka Elementary students (from left) Jeremy Vega, Sedrick Williams, Malena Carasco and Jessica House gave a presentation on the new Flag of Learning and Liberty during Open House ceremonies last Tuesday night. The flag, which will be on display in the elementary school, incorporates the red, white and blue of the "Stars and Stripes," and symbolizes America's historical belief in and reliance upon education. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

MUSEUM NEWS

The Board of Directors of the Tahoka Pioneer Museum request no heavy equipment or oil transportation trucks on the parking area at the museum. "This small parking area is for museum guests and personnel only," said one representative.

The Board met on March 8 at noon at the museum with Arlys Askew, president, presiding. A decision to have Rubin Gandy, local sign-painter, prepare a sign, was approved.

In early spring cleaning at the Courthouse, an original ballot box, used in the "olden days", was brought to light. Also, an electric clock with Woods Jewelry advertising on it was found. These two items will be added to the displays at the museum in the near future.

A review of pending projects, for the benefit of new Board members, was presented. Restoration of the fire truck that came from the City of Tahoka, a "hammer brigade" to pound the nails on the box and strip wall at the front of the building, protective shelters for the equipment displayed outside, and the method of fund raising to accomplish these projects, was discussed in depth.

The meeting adjourned at 12:45. Members present were Arlys Askew, Melvin Burks, Bill Craig, Weesie Carroll, Betsy Pridmore, Frances Wells, Eddie Lockaby, Elmer Owens and Mildred Abbe.

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THE TAHOKA ATHLETIC Sports SPOTLIGHT
GERALD CANTU is featured in this week's Sports Spotlight. A freshman, Gerald is a member of the Tahoka Bulldog baseball team which opened season play last week. "Gerald pitched five good innings against Lubbock Cooper, and we had them tied 7-7 after the first five innings," said Coach David Johnson.
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BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION MAY 1, 1993

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Section 1 of Senate Joint Resolution 7 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to redistribute among other school districts ad valorem taxes levied and collected by a school district. The amendment would also allow the legislature to create county education districts with the taxable property of existing school districts in one or more counties combined. County education districts may levy, collect, and distribute ad valorem taxes as authorized by general law. The legislature would be allowed to set the rate of the ad valorem tax to be imposed in a school district or county education district or it may authorize the board of trustees of each school district or county education district to set the rate, provided that the rate of county education district ad valorem taxes may not exceed \$1.00 per \$100 valuation of taxable property, unless a higher rate is approved by the voters of the district. The amendment also provides that the amount of ad valorem taxes redistributed among school districts by the legislature and effectively redistributed within a county through county education districts may not exceed 2.75 percent of the sum of the state revenue appropriated for public schools and the revenue from local ad valorem taxes levied and collected for public schools. The term "state revenue" does not include revenue from ad valorem taxes, revenue for the provision of free textbooks, or contributions to a retirement system. Finally, the amendment provides that it does not affect the distribution of the available school fund under article VII, section 5, of the Texas Constitution.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment allowing limited redistribution of ad valorem taxes for schools, authorizing the legislature or local districts to set

a minimum tax rate in county education districts, and placing a cap on the ad valorem tax levied by county education districts."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Section 2 of Senate Joint Resolution 7 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that, except for state educational mandates imposed in compliance with the Texas Constitution or federal law, or unless enacted by a vote of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the legislature, a school district may not be required to comply with an obligation requiring expenditure of school district funds unless the obligation is fully funded. The amendment also requires the legislature to provide by law a procedure for determining whether an obligation is fully funded. In the absence of such a procedure, and at the request of a school district's board of trustees, the comptroller of public accounts shall determine whether or not an obligation is fully funded. This amendment applies only to state educational mandates enacted after December 31, 1993.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment exempting a school district from the obligation to comply with unfunded state educational mandates."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes an amendment to article VII, section 5(b), of the constitution, which currently authorizes the legislature to provide for using the permanent school fund to guarantee bonds issued by school districts and certain education-related revenue bonds issued by the state. The amendment would repeal the provision authorizing

the use of the permanent school fund to guarantee state revenue bonds, but would permit the legislature to provide by law for the issuance of general obligation bonds or revenue bonds of the state for the purpose of making loans to, or purchasing bonds of, school districts for the purpose of acquisition, construction, or improvement of instructional facilities, including all furnishings. The amendment also provides that the state, pursuant to general law, may forgive the payment of principal and interest on all or part of a loan made to a school district under the amendment to partially finance an instructional facility. The cap of \$750 million on the amount of bonds that could be issued under article VII, section 5(b), as amended, would be retained. The amendment would repeal the current provision of the constitution permitting the legislature to authorize bonds in excess of \$750 million by two-thirds record vote of both houses of the legislature. While any of the general obligation bonds issued under the amendment or any of the interest on those bonds is outstanding and unpaid, there would be appropriated out of the first money coming into the state treasury in each fiscal year, not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, the amount sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds that matured or became due that fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of \$750 million in state general obligation or revenue bonds to assist school districts in partially financing facilities, authorizing the state to forgive payments of loans made to a school district for partially financing facilities, and repealing the authorization for \$750 million in state revenue bonds guaranteed by the permanent school fund."

Este es el informe explicatorio sobre la enmienda propuesta a la constitución que aparecerá en la boleta el día 1 de mayo de 1993. Si usted no ha recibido una copia del informe en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711

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STATE TORCH AWARDS—THS students (front row from left) Eden Williams, Miranda Martin, and Carrie Taylor, and (back row from left) Kelly Wells, Jill Jaquess, Katy Huffaker, and (not shown) Angel Strickland received their state level Torch Awards for their active participation in Business Professionals of America in Austin on Friday, March 5. Mrs. Barbara Jaquess is the club sponsor for these students.

(LCN PHOTO)

Lynn County Committee Hosts Annual Wes-Tex RC&D Meeting

The Lynn County Committee of the 16-county member Wes-Tex Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Council hosted the second annual Wes-Tex RC&D meeting last Friday, March 5 at Poka-Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc. United States Representative Larry Combest was guest speaker.

About 80 members attended the meeting which concluded with a noon meal. L.J. Sanders, Jr. of Plains, president of the Wes-Tex RC&D, presided at the meeting. The 16-county Wes-Tex RC&D encompasses an area 115 miles wide and 184 miles long, including approximately 6.4 million acres of crops, and represents about 500,000 people, the president reported.

Rep. Combest told the group that "the type of work RC&D's do is part of an overall chain that pulls rural communities together." He spoke about agricultural issues, including conservation programs, noting that

there are many groups pushing for more stringent controls.

"This year will establish the direction (of agricultural concerns) for the next four years," said Combest, "and I think the silent majority has been silent for too long. We are tired of regulation and tired of the government dictating to our lives," he said.

He expressed concern that many of the programs under the auspices of USDA may be taken away and given to the EPA, especially many of the environmental concerns including conservation.

When asked what could be done about the problem of young people leaving the rural areas and family farms because of financial stress, Combest said "We need to make the environment healthy - by that I mean that these young people need to see agriculture as something that has a future and make it an area that would attract young people into the business."

Producer Director To Be Elected To Plains Cotton Growers

Lynn County cotton producers and agribusiness representatives will elect a Producer Director to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 18, in the Reddy Room of Southwestern Public Service, Tahoka.

Announcement of the election comes from Wayne Huffaker of Tahoka, current Lynn County Producer Director to the 25-county cotton organization, and Joe D. Unfred of New Home, Business Director.

Each county in PCG's service area has two directors, one a business person and the other a cotton producer. They are elected on alternate years for two-year terms. Each is eligible for re-election every second year.

All producers and business people are invited to the meeting. However, under PCG By-Laws, only current dues-paying members of PCG will be eligible to be elected a director or to vote in the election. This provision of the by-laws will be fully explained at the meeting.

A PCG representative will conduct the election, review and answer questions about recent and planned PCG activities.

SWCD Still Has Trees

The Lynn County SWCD still has several hundred hardwood trees consisting of Sand Cherry, Nanking Cherry, Fruiting Mulberry, Pecan, Red Oak, Desert Willow, Catalpa, and Honeylocust.

These trees are \$1 per tree. There are still a few windbreak trees consisting of Afghanistan Pines for \$1.50 each.

For more information or to buy trees, come by the SCS office at 1647 Ave. J.

USDA Announces 1993 Farm Program Common Provisions

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation today announced common provisions for the 1993 commodity programs for wheat, feed grains, upland cotton, rice, soybeans and other oilseeds.

The 0-50/92 provisions remain available at producer's discretion. The estimated deficiency payment rates announced Jan. 29 and Feb. 2 are the minimum guaranteed payment rates for producers participating in the 0/92 wheat and feed grains and 50/92 upland cotton and rice programs.

As with the 1992 programs, 0/92 conserving use (CU) acreage may be planted, at the producer's discretion, to minor oilseeds (sunflower seed, safflower, flaxseed, canola, rapeseed and mustard seed). If minor oilseeds are planted on this acreage, producers must choose whether to retain deficiency payment eligibility and waive price support program eligibility or retain price support program eligibility and waive deficiency payment eligibility.

Sesame and crambe may be planted on 0/92 and 50/92 acreage for the 1993-1995 crops and producers retain deficiency payment eligibility. Price support programs for sesame and crambe will not be offered.

When minor oilseeds, sesame and crambe are planted on 0/92 acreage, the acreage may also be subsequently planted to the same crops that may be planted on "flexible" acreage (excluding program crops) in the same crop



BPA STUDENTS ATTEND STATE CONFERENCE—20 students of Tahoka High School attended the State Leadership Conference of Business Professionals of America, Texas Association in Austin on March 4-6. They were among 3,000 who attended the annual conferences. Those attending were (not shown in order): Kelly Wells, Katy Huffaker, Jill Jaquess, Jennifer Patterson, Miranda Martin, Leah DeLeon, Eden Williams, Carrie Taylor, Donna Thomas, Daria Willis, Andrea Sepeda, Jayson Boydston, Jason Belew, Chris Rodriguez, Justin Whitley, Drew Stone, Stacy Adams, Heath Brewer, Wesley Solomon, and Will Hudgens. Accompanying the students to Austin were sponsors Barbara Jaquess, Angela Ehlers, David Ehlers and Rebecca Ingle.

(LCN PHOTO)

THS Baseball Team Opens Season Against Lubbock Cooper

by BRENDA ERKFITZ
The Tahoka Bulldog baseball team had been practicing for three weeks before their season began on March 5 with a home game against Lubbock Cooper. The Bulldogs were tied 7-7 with Cooper after the first five innings, but gave up 14 runs after that, losing 21-8 in the final inning.

The Bulldogs took on the Pirates again Tuesday night in Cooper territory, losing by only one point in a game which was shortened to six innings because of darkness. The Pirates won 7-6.

David Johnson is the head coach for the team and Sam Eoff is assistant. Last year was Johnson's first year to coach the team.

"It was a learning experience last year for the team and myself," commented Johnson. "This is only the fourth year for baseball at Tahoka,

since it is just starting in this area."

Heath Brewer, a senior at Tahoka, was named all-district last season as second baseman.

"The second base position and shortstop are the two strongest positions for us," said Johnson. "Cory Whitley, a senior, plays the shortstop position."

Johnson hopes to have a junior varsity and a varsity team with 13 players on varsity. The schedule includes playing against Abernathy, New Deal, Ralls, and more.

"We are very young right now, as in the project line up there will only be two seniors," said Johnson. "There are a lot of freshman who will help us out this year."

Johnson feels in two or three years all of the Tahoka athletic programs will be very good.

Poka-Lambro Annual Meeting Set March 25

Poka-Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc. will host their 42nd Annual Membership Meeting Thursday, March 25. The meeting will be held at Poka-Lambro's office located 11.5 miles north of Tahoka on US Hwy 87. Lunch will be served at noon, followed by registration at 12:30 p.m. The business meeting will begin at 1:15 p.m.

One important item on the agenda is the election of two directors. The following Cooperative members were selected by the Poka-Lambro Nominating Committee and will be voted on by the membership: District 1 - R.L. Keener and Randy Simpson; District 4 - Michael Addison and Donald Love.

Also on the agenda, the three Poka-Lambro scholarships will be presented and the winner of the directory cover contest will be announced. The meeting will conclude with the drawing for door prizes. Members must be present to win.

Musical Program Scheduled At Assembly Of God

Wayne Wooten, pastor of the Tahoka Assembly of God Church, invites everyone to a special program Friday, March 19 at 7 p.m. at the church, located at 1929 Lockwood in Tahoka. John Moody will be ministering in song.

Moody is a native Texan, born and raised in San Antonio. He has been part of several quartet ministries, and has shared the stage with "The Singing Americans," the "Nelons", "The Thrasher Brothers", "The Sound" and "Jerry Wayne Bernard".

His style of music could best be described as traditional gospel or what is known in the south as southern gospel.

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"Christ In The Passover" Presentation Set Here March 22

What do the Jewish Passover and Jesus' Last Supper have in common? Carlos Morgenfeld, speaking on behalf of Jews for Jesus, will answer that question in a presentation called "Christ in the Passover" at Sweet Street Baptist Church, 1300 Ave. J in Tahoka, on Monday, March 22 at 7 p.m.

Using a visual display of traditional Passover accoutrements, the "Christ in the Passover" presentation enhances the Christian's understanding and appreciation of the Jewish background of the Christian Communion. Ancient and modern Jewish customs are discussed and described with an emphasis on the aspect of redemption which Christ accomplished at Calvary.

A table is set with the traditional Jewish Passover items, including representative foods which are explained, but not eaten.

Rev. Danny Jackson, pastor of Sweet Street, encourages everyone to attend this presentation.

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We extend heartfelt thanks to Dr. Wright and the hospital for the wonderful care given to "Cap."

We have had an outpouring of love, and sympathy from Tahoka friends, and it's heart-warming to know you care that we are hurting. Ann, Barbara, Elliot 10-1tp

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A Tahoka woman, who lost her Social Security check after endorsing it, got it back last week, thanks to the efforts of some honest people who found it and returned it.

Mrs. Florine Huckabey said the check apparently fell out of her other mail as she went outside from the post office. She returned to the post office later and inquired if anyone had found it and returned it. They had no information about the check. Mrs. Huckabey suggested wryly to postal workers that she might have to move in with one of them if the check didn't show up.

The next day the check was returned to a grateful Mrs. Huckabey by workers at Lynn County Pioneer Club, the senior citizens center. The check had been found on the ground near the center by Mrs. Ima Robinson, Lynn County clerk, who turned it over to the Pioneer Club personnel.

"I guess I won't have to move in with you after all," Mrs. Huckabey told a postal clerk.

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SPACE PROJECTS - These third grade students of Mrs. Debbie Steffens at Tahoka Elementary School are shown with their space projects which they made during a study unit on space. The projects were on display during Public Schools Week, and awards were given during Open House last Tuesday. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Third Graders Study Space Unit

The third grade class of Mrs. Debbie Steffens at Tahoka Elementary has been studying a unit on space. Students submitted projects and reports covering what they had learned. Class theme for the projects was "Space: The Final Frontier." The children chose their own topics and categories. The projects were divided into five categories and judged. Ribbons and awards were

given during Open House last Tuesday. The projects were on display during Public Schools Week.

Students receiving special awards were: Best of Show - Kalah Bartley; Most Informative - Nina Follis; Most Outstanding - Vicky Medina; Most Creative - Chance Dunlap; and Most Authentic and Realistic - Tommy Hernandez.

Top winners in the Models division were: 1st, Chance Dunlap; 2nd, Stefanie Dotson; 3rd, Crystal Calsoncit; Jessica Stephens won 1st in Mobiles.

Winners in the Posters division, Solar System, were: 1st, Vicky Medina; tied for 2nd, Nina Follis and J.D. Flores; 3rd, Mark Antu. Posters: Stars/Comets/Meteors winners were, 1st, Kalah Bartley; 2nd, Carla Jolly; 3rd, Regina Herrera; participant, Josh Thompson; and Tanner Thomas won 1st in the Posters: Planets division.

Alaskan Malamute dogs have bushy tails which they curl over their noses when they sleep.

New Home Bows Out In Regional

The New Home Leopards suffered a dismal fourth period and lost a close game to Valley, 50-47 in the first round of boys regional basketball play at Levelland last Friday, ending a very good season for the varsity team coached by Curry Blackwell. The Leopards closed out the season at 18 wins and 10 losses.

Channing Crissler had four 3-point shots and 16 points in the game for New Home, and Greg Armes scored 15, including three 3-pointers.

New Home led 11-10 after the first period, and the two teams were tied at 27 at halftime. At the end of three, New Home led 40-33, and things looked good for the Leopards, but in the fourth New Home scored just 7 points while Valley was scoring 17.

Valley lost to Lorenzo on Saturday, but Petersburg then beat Lorenzo in the finals to go to the state tournament.

The NEW HOME News
by Karon Durham
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FFA
Several FFA and Jr. FFA members had barrows and sheep make it through the sift and onto the show at Houston. Ag teacher, Dale Schaffner, carried 34 barrows to the sift at Brenham, and 22 made it to the show and sale, which is a record number for New Home. A complete list of winners will be published at a later date.

Elementary News
A trip to Gersh Petty Farm was enjoyed by Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd graders last week. The students were able to see several different types of animals including a lion, emu, and an ostrich. The students said they had a lot of fun and enjoyed seeing the animals.

Staff
New Home Schools welcome back nurse, Sandra Stabeno. Ms. Stabeno was hospitalized last week with an injured back.

Friday, March 12 is the end of the third week of this six weeks. March 12 is also the beginning of Spring Break. School will resume Monday, March 22.

Where's The Fire?
Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department responded to two calls last week, both involving house fires.

One call was to a farm hand's house near New Home and the other was to a house on South 8th Street in Tahoka owned by Thomas Jolly. The fire occurred last Tuesday night and allegedly originated in the kitchen. The kitchen was heavily damaged by fire, and the remainder of the house received smoke damage.

Service News

Army Sgt. David R. Summers, a member of the Alaska-based 6th Infantry Division (Light), has deployed to the Joint Readiness Training Center (JRTC), Fort Chaffee, Fort Smith, Ark.

The JRTC is the premier training center for U.S. airborne, and air assault forces.

Summers, an airborne infantryman, is the son of Danny and Joyce Summers of Tahoka.

The sergeant is a 1981 graduate of Tahoka High School.



GET IN THERE-Shannon Zant (33) goes for two against Valley in the first round of regional play at Levelland last Friday. No. 12 is Blaine Fillingim. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Questionnaires Due Monday

Any Lynn County resident who received a Mature Adult Housing Questionnaire is reminded that the deadline to return the completed information is Monday, March 15. A stamped, addressed return envelope was provided with each questionnaire.

Alternative housing options for elderly citizens of Lynn County was mailed two weeks ago to 300 randomly selected residents over the age of 60 in the county. The confidential questionnaire contained questions concerning housing options and other data, according to Dr. Zane Curry of Tahoka who is heading the research project. As of this week, about 80 questionnaires have been completed and returned, he said.

The research questionnaire on al-

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