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## City To File Actions Against Three Property Owners Here

by JUANELL JONES

City authorities Monday night voted to file civil suits in district court against three property owners in Tahoka who have not complied with a strict city ordinance concerning dilapidated buildings. In action following several months of notification to owners of dilapidated buildings in Tahoka, City Council members moved to file charges against owners of property located at 1023 and 1025 Ave. J, 1801 South 7th, and 1609 South 8th Street, who have not complied by repairing, removing or demolishing dilapidated buildings at these locations.

Initially, 15 locations were targeted throughout the city for compliance with a strict new ordinance on dilapidated buildings, and all but these locations have either already complied with city guidelines or are in contract for such repair, removal or demolition, according to City Manager Barry Pittman.

Also at the meeting, City officials approved a new list of ten dilapidated buildings to target with the ordinance, and will send letters of notification to property owners. A public hearing for these owners will be held at the next regular council meeting.

Council members voted to move the next Council meeting to July 12, instead of the regularly-scheduled date of July 5, due to the July Fourth holiday weekend.

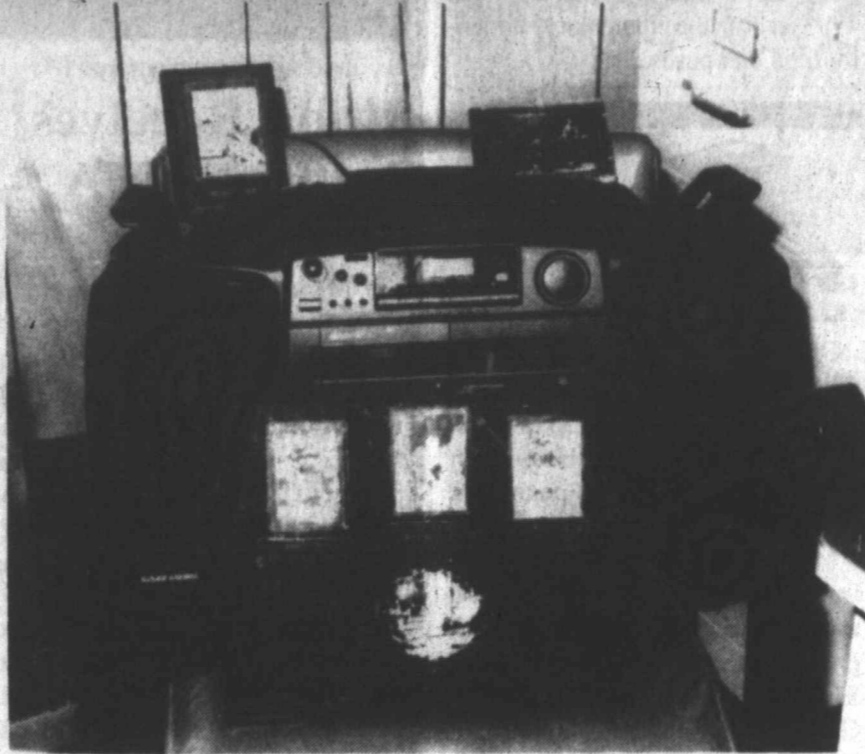
In other action, Council members heard a plea from Mrs. Myrtle White who addressed the council about the need for cleaning up the old cemetery west of the railroad tracks. Although the property is not owned

by the city, city officials agreed to solicit help from Lynn County Sheriff's Office and the Adult Probation Office in getting community service workers to clear out the weeds and debris, and that the city would then strive to keep the old cemetery lot shredded.

City Council members unanimously adopted Ordinance 6-93 which amends sections 11-22 through 11-25 of the Code of Ordinances, addressing the issue of public nuisance which includes: accumulation of refuse in a neighborhood unless entirely contained in a closed receptacle; keeping, storing or accumulating rubbish, including newspapers, abandoned vehicles, refrigerators, stoves, furniture, tires, and cans unless completely enclosed in a building or not visible from a public street; maintaining premises in a manner that creates an unsanitary condition likely to attract or harbor mosquitoes, rodents, vermin or disease-carrying pests; maintaining on abandoned or unoccupied property a swimming pool that is not properly protected; and maintaining a flea market in a manner that constitutes a fire hazard.

City officials approved a resolution arranging a short term warrant with First National Bank of Tahoka to finance the new chipper, and approved paying monthly bills.

Police Chief Jerry Webster reported to the council on the police department's activities for the month of May, noting that 231 calls were received, 12 arrests made, 11 tickets and 26 warnings issued, two accidents investigated, and one theft reported and cleared.



**STOLEN ITEMS RECOVERED**—These items stolen from the home of Jacob Guenther, Rt. 1, O'Donnell were recovered by officers last week. The stereo CD/AM/FM radio, compact discs and mounted collector football cards were in the possession of two juveniles who were turned over to county juvenile authorities.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

## New Dry Hydrants Working Well For Firefighters In Lynn County

Lynn County officials recently accepted a check for \$1,140.51 in cost-sharing aid from the Texas Forest Service for four dry hydrants within the county. The dry hydrants will serve as water sources that firefighters can tap into to get additional water supplies when needed for rural firefighting efforts.

Funding aid for the hydrants came from the Rural Community Fire Protection program administered by the state forest resource and rural firefighting agency. Volunteer fire departments targeted to benefit from the dry hydrants include Tahoka, O'Donnell, Wilson, and New Home.

The request for funding came from the Lynn County Committee of the Wes-Tex RC&D (Resource Conservation and Development) who was approached with the project by the Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department.

Four dry hydrants were attached to irrigation wells throughout Lynn County, adapted to pump water into fire trucks through a new design pro-

vided through the ingenuity of Tahoka Fire Dept. members and John Edwards of New Home who made the equipment.

The Tahoka Volunteer Fire Dept. has made use of the dry hydrants on several occasions, and report that the design works very well for their purposes, adding that the pumps fill the fire trucks with water as fast as the city water source. "This is going to make a tremendous difference in emergency situations in the remote areas of the county," said a representative of the department.

The Wes-Tex RC&D plans to seek funding for additional dry fire hydrants in the county, and is currently working with the Tahoka Volunteer Fire Dept. to determine areas of need in the county, as well as availability of irrigation wells and property owner's consent.

Texas Forest Service and county officials hope that the installation of dry hydrants throughout rural counties might favorably influence insurance companies to reduce property insurance key rates, thereby lowering property insurance premiums for county residents as well.

For more information about assistance available to rural fire departments, contact the Fire Control Department, Texas Forest Service, P.O. Box 310, Lufkin, Texas 75902-0310, phone 409-639-8100.

Cost-sharing aid is also available to qualified fire departments through the fire protection program. Program funds have aided the placement of over 2,200 trucks, slip-on pumping units and other fire apparatus and wildlife fire suppression training for rural firefighters across the state.

## Vandalism, Theft Of Cable TV Service Are Investigated

Cases of vandalism/criminal mischief, theft of cable services, and an aggravated assault case were among incidents reported to law enforcement personnel in Lynn County during the last week.

Joe Lara, 37, of Tahoka, was charged with felony aggravated assault after a Tahoka woman said he threatened her with a knife and inflicted minor cuts last Friday.

Nelson Hogg of O'Donnell reported to Lynn County sheriff's officers that his 16-foot utility trailer had been stolen from a location 3/4 of a mile west of O'Donnell sometime in the last two months.

A window in an apartment in O'Donnell was reported broken last Thursday, and a windshield in a 1986 Chevrolet Blazer owned by Dan Cavazos of Lubbock was shattered by a beer bottle thrown by an unidentified white male standing on the south overpass across U.S. 87 as the vehicle went under the overpass headed north early Tuesday morning. The white male who threw the bottle ran north toward the cemetery; he was not located.

A worker for Tele-Media cable television company had an officer

accompany him to two locations in the city where the company said cable service was being obtained illegally. The connections were cut at the two locations.

Thirteen new jail inmates were booked in during the last week, including one man who was arrested for first offense driving while intoxicated, and then was found to be wanted in Lubbock County for failure to appear, violation of promise to appear and surrender, surrender on speeding charges, capias pro fine and public intoxication.

Another person was held on charges of possession of marijuana, DWI first offense, possession of drug paraphernalia, no vehicle insurance and displaying fictitious license plate.

Charges against others booked included aggravated assault, simple assault, public intoxication, parole violation from Ohio, aggregate theft from Taylor County, DWI second offense, probation violation of DWI charges from Potter County, DWI subsequent plus driving while license suspended plus possession of controlled substance, and public intoxication plus burglary of a motor vehicle.



**4-H'ERS WIN AT DISTRICT 4-H ROUND-UP**—Halee Hughes, (left) of O'Donnell 4-H, received 1st place at District with her Illustrated Talk entitled "Promote 4-H." Her presentation was a radio station broadcast simulation. Brandi Tekell (right) of Tahoka 4-H also placed 1st with her Illustrated Talk on "Enviroshopping." Brandi's presentation focused on the Five R's of Recycling. (LCN PHOTO)

### Out of the Woods

The wayward thoughts of Juanell (Wood) Jones

I have, through endless research and careful dissertation of the facts, discovered the three top priorities for the 90's, and feel duty-bound to report my findings to all (or both) my readers. They are:

- The telling and re-telling of a barrage of Hilary jokes;
- Endurance testing of the public through countless hours of Rush Limbaugh programs which assault the human ear through soundwaves of both radio and television;
- And, finally ... Exercise.

I know that "exercise" was one of the by-products of the 80's, but hey, it's still with us. We are obviously not doing enough of it, as anyone who watches late-night television can ascertain. The wee hours of the morning television programing is chock-full of "infomercials" offering everything from magic diet pills to a bald-headed girl stressing the importance of exercise and eating right (I guess so we can all look just like her), and others offering a various assortment of exercise equipment which television viewers may purchase for a mere \$39.99 for the next 827 months.

I, myself, have been seduced by one particular "infomercial" concerning Nordic Track products, but barring an outright anonymous gift of about \$700, I imagine I will "track my way to healthy fitness" only in my dreams.

In real life, however, I guess I'll continue to use the one form of exercise which doesn't cost anything: walking. Men and women view "walking for exercise" in entirely different perspectives. Women go for power walks, pumping their arms and legs and getting a "move-on" down the road. Men, on the other hand, take a leisurely stroll down the neighborhood and get edgy if they move out of the realm of, say, three blocks from home.

I know this, because I took a 30-minute walk the other night with my husband and a neighbor couple, and you would have thought we'd dragged the guys on a 15-mile uphill endurance trek the way they were complaining. With the women leading the way (we can stride upwards of 4 miles an hour without losing the conversation), we hadn't gone more than two blocks before manly comments such as "we didn't know it was a race" and "turn left here, don't go all the way down there" and "good grief, what's the rush" came floating up from behind.

My husband, who claimed he had his exercise while working that day, said he thought when I suggested we take a walk that it meant strolling down the block and seeing what all the neighbors were up to. Pitiful, isn't it? The other guy, our neighbor, was begging rides from every car that passed us after he got more than four blocks from home.

Now, I wouldn't want to embarrass him by naming names, but he did say that his muscles were a little lax after sitting in a bank all day. I said, sitting in a BANK all day. My neighbor, that is.

I should say here that while we were on our walk, we ran into (not literally) about a dozen other people out for a little walking exercise, all of whom if I remember correctly, were female. I'm sure they were female ... we could feel the jet stream suck us in as they whizzed past us.

Get walking, America. Let's get healthy and get rid of those unwanted pounds and obnoxious infomercials. I'll see you on the streets.

## Free Seminar Here To Cover Farm Management Software

There will be a free seminar June 30 at Tahoka High School showing how Pioneer software and a computer can help farmers manage their financial, crop and field information. This presentation will cover three major farm modules.

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Software specialists will be on hand to answer questions and assist with finding the right hardware and software solutions. The seminar will be held in the Tahoka High School IBM Computer Lab, room 117, on June 30, at 7:30 p.m. For reservations and/or information call: CPC Computer Service, Inc. 1-800-551-3028 or Barbara Jaquess 998-4975.

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### Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
June 2	98	60	
June 3	97	58	
June 4	83	62	
June 5	84	58	
June 6	92	59	
June 7	95	72	
June 8	92	59	

Official Precipitation for year: 5.96"

### THS Homecoming Set Sept. 24

Tahoka High School has set September 24 as Homecoming 1993.



**GOSPEL OPRY PERFORMERS**—The West Texas Praise Team, shown here, are featured performers at the Tahoka Gospel Opry, shown singing at the event last Saturday evening. A crowd of about 250 heard these and other musicians. The next Gospel Opry performance will be July 3 at the former Venture Foods building on W. Lockwood in Tahoka. From left are Nelda Murray, drummer Ramiro Gonzales, Ricky Taylor, Brenda McClesley, John Webster and Joy Laws. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)



MR. AND MRS. MELVIN BURKS

**Couple To Celebrate 50th Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Burks of Tahoka will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday, June 13, in the Tahoka First Baptist Church fellowship hall. Hosts for the event will be their daughters, Karen Woodman and Becky Parsons of Houston.

Burks and the former Thalia Joiner were married on June 14, 1943 in Norfolk, Virginia. The couple has five grandchildren.

In lieu of gifts, the Burks' daughters request that each guest bring a letter written to Melvin and Thalia, describing how the couple has touched the guest's lives through the years. These letters will be placed in a 50th Anniversary memory album.

**Nan Adams To Be Honored With Retirement Party**

A retirement reception will be held Thursday, June 17, from 7:00 until 8:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church of Tahoka in honor of Mrs. Nan Adams, who is retiring from teaching this year.

Mrs. Adams has been a teacher for 27 years with Tahoka Independent School District. She taught from 1958-1974 and from 1982 until 1993, at both the elementary and junior high campuses.



**STORK REPORT**

Billy and Jana Bishop of Wilson announce the birth of their daughter, Taryn Nicole, born May 25, 1993 at 1:23 p.m. at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 8 pounds 12 ounces and was 21-1/4 inches long.

Grandparents are Jimmy and Darla Doss of Crosbyton and Jackie and Betty Bishop of Wilson. Great-grandmothers are Audrey Bishop of Slaton and Louise Pierce of Crosbyton; and Bessie Howard of Post is great-great-grandmother.

**Senior Citizens MENU**

June 14-18

**Monday:** Chicken Strips, Baked Potato, Broccoli, Hot Rolls, Brownies.

**Tuesday:** Hamburger Steak, Brown Gravy, Macaroni Salad, Okra & Tomatoes, Whole Wheat Rolls, Apricots.

**Wednesday:** Fish Nuggets, Pinto Beans, Zucchini, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Poke Cake.

**Thursday:** Roast, Scalloped Potatoes, Greenbeans, Cornbread, Banana Pudding.

**Friday:** Pepper Steak, Fluffy Rice, Yellow Squash, Tossed Salad, Rolls, Chocolate Cake.



MARLA RUDD

**Rudd Receives National FFA Scholarship**

Marla Rudd of the New Home FFA has been named recipient of a \$1,000 scholarship by the National FFA Organization. The scholarship is sponsored by Business Men's Assurance Co. of America as a special project of the National FFA Foundation. Marla will use the funds to pursue a degree in Agriculture at Texas A&M University.

Marla, daughter of Marlow and Barbara Rudd of New Home, received notice of the scholarship after a national panel judged Marla's application among the best in the nation. Judging criteria included an evaluation of Marla's supervised agricultural experience program in agricultural education, FFA activities, school and community involvement, high school grades and career plans. Marla's FFA advisor is Dale Schaffner.



STEVE RENFRO and CARLETTA FITZ  
**Couple To Marry July 3**

Gladys Fitz of Texico, N.M. is announcing the engagement of her daughter, Carletta, to Steve Renfro of Tahoka. They will marry July 3, 1993 at First Baptist Church in Tahoka.

The bride-elect received a Bachelor's of Science degree from Wayland Baptist University. She taught math six years in O'Donnell and plans to teach in Tahoka this fall. The future bridegroom is a graduate of Tahoka High School and is currently employed with the Texas Highway Department. They will make their home in Tahoka.

ish teacher at the school. She will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

Lynna is the daughter of Rex and JoElla Rash of Tahoka. Grandmother is Betty Rash of Abilene.

**Lynna Rash Named National Award Winner**

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Lynna Rash has been named a United States National Award winner in Science.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10% of all American high school students.

Lynna, who attends Tahoka High School, was nominated for this National Award by Danna Curry and Span-

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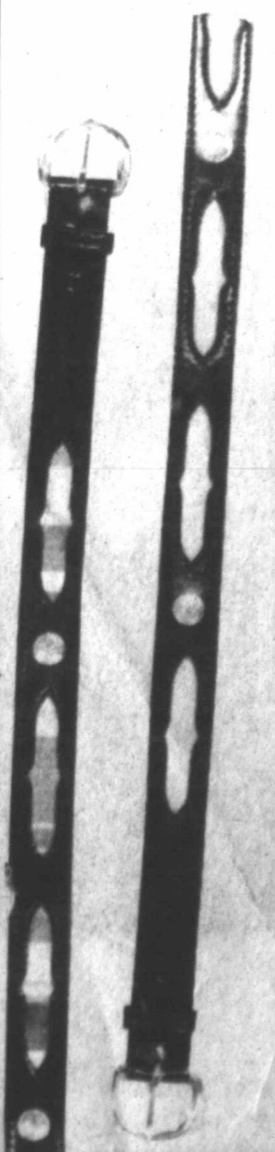
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MRS. MICHAEL GLEN DAWSON (nee LORI SUE JOLLY)  
**Couple Wed In Brownfield**

Lori Sue Jolly and Michael Glen Dawson were married at 5 p.m. Saturday, May 15, 1993, in the First Baptist Church Chapel, Brownfield, with Roger Foote, cousin of the groom and Baptist minister from Three Way, performing the ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cooper and Jerry Jolly

of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dawson are parents of the groom. Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gammill of Earle, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Jolly of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooper of Lubbock, and the late W.J. "Mutt" Tyler. The groom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miller and Mr. and

Mrs. J.B. Dawson.

For her wedding, the bride chose a knee-length dress of candlelight rayon with long sleeves. The front of the dress was accented with gold and pearl buttons and a curved hemline. A lace and chiffon oval insert enhanced the back of the dress. Her bouquet was a contemporary crescent-shaped silk bouquet fashioned from ivory dendrobium orchids, ivory stephanotis, and miniature English ivy. The bridal aisle was marked with ivory satin bows adorned with fresh Baker's fern and baby's breath. Large draping arrangements of pothos ivy and assorted color silk flowers were placed atop the alter railing.

For something old, the bride wore a pearl necklace that once belonged to her great-grandmother, the late Alma Garnet, and given to her by her grandmother, Evelyn Gammill. Something new was her dress. Something borrowed were gold and pearl earrings belonging to her mother. Something blue was her garter, made for her by the groom's grandmother, Zelma Miller.

Amy Smith served as maid of honor. She wore a spring floral print knee-length dress, with scalloped neckline. She carried a single white silk rose.

Casey Coker, cousin of the groom, was ring bearer.

Jeremy Dawson served as his brother's best man. Ushers were Chris Depoyster, Donald Bailey and Steven Wheatley. The groom, best man, and ushers wore brush popper western shirts and black jeans with boots. Boutonnieres were white silk, roses accented with small western hats.

Randy Woods, accompanied by Eddie Sharp at the piano, provided wedding music.

Following the ceremony, the reception was held in the church parlor. The three-tiered wedding cake was adorned with spring flowers and topped with a glass and lace cowboy carrying his bride. The serving table was centered by a tall crystal vase and an arrangement of mixed spring silk flowers and English ivy.

Virginia Bailey, Quita Smith and Missy Smith served at the reception. Other members of the houseparty were Sandra Baker and Patty Rowe.

Following a wedding trip to San Angelo, the couple are residing in Brownfield. The bride is a 1993 graduate of Brownfield High School. The groom is a graduate of Brownfield High School, and attended South Plains College. He is employed by Dawson Electric and Refrigeration.

The groom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner with a backyard cookout at their home.



**4-H'ERS COMPETE IN CONSUMER JUDGING**-These Lynn County 4-H'ers competed in the Consumer Judging Contest at District 4-H Round-Up on May 15. They are, (back row, left to right) Brandi Gickhorn, Clay Taylor, Jason Marshall, Cody Donald; (middle row) Kristin Kelln, Carrie Taylor, Casey Donald; (front row) Klyssa Kelln, Kalah Bartley, Keely Boone, Chelsey Miller and Tonya Forbes.

**4-H Consumer Teams Receive Awards At District**

by REBECCA DIMAK  
Lynn County Extension Agent  
Several Lynn County 4-H'ers competed in the Consumer Judging Contest at District 4-H Round-Up on May 15. Junior I Team-Kalah Bartley, Casey Donald, Keely Boone, and Chelsey Miller placed 1st as a team. Casey Donald was 2nd high point individual and Chelsey Miller was 3rd high point individual.

The Junior II team-Kristin Kelln, Tonya Forbes, Cody Donald and Klyssa Kelln received 3rd place in team Reasons.

The Senior team-Clay Taylor,

Carrie Taylor, Jason Marshall and Brandi Gickhorn placed 2nd as overall team, 1st in team reasons and 2nd in team class placings. Carrie received

2nd high point individual in Reasons. The Senior 2 team will compete at State 4-H Round-Up in College Station.

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**Brent Raindl Named National Award Winner**

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Brent Raindl has been named a United States National Award winner in Science.

Brent, who will attend Tahoka High School this fall, was nominated for this National Award by Mary Belev, a science teacher at the school. He will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

Brent is the son of Mitch and Donna Raindl. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Fort of Midland.

**Guess Who's 21?**

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**The NEW HOME News**  
by Karon Durham  
924-7448

**School**  
If anyone didn't receive their report cards they need to see Mrs. James in the High School Principal's office.

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Anyone interested in doing extra reading this month can visit the elementary library, open Tuesday mornings, 9 - 11 a.m. Mrs. Overman plans on holding contests, and will explain the details when you visit the library.

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The school family is pleased to welcome another member with the birth of Curen Daniel McAlister on June 2, 1993, weighing in at 6 lbs. 15 ozs. Parents are Todd and Julie McAlister. Mrs. McAlister is the New Home English teacher, cheerleading, and Campus Rock sponsor.

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Anyone interested in watching basketball this summer can see some of New Home's youth play with the Summer League of Lubbock. Girls play on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and the boys play Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays.

**Community**  
A 20 year reunion for the class of 1973 will be held on July 17 in Lubbock. Classes of '72, '74, and '75 are also invited. For more details contact Mike White at 924-7374.

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Please contact Karon Durham at 924-7448 if you have any news that you would like to have published in the weekly news.

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**West Texas Praise Team**





**The WILSON News**  
by Buster Abbe  
628-6368

The PEOPLE group will meet this Saturday, June 12 in the Mercantile at 9 a.m. Please note the time change.

The Wilson City Council will meet Thursday, June 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall (Mercantile). The agenda will cover routine items.

The Wilson school board will meet Thursday, June 10 at 8 p.m. in the elementary building board room. Agenda items include administering the oath of office to John Fields; appoint TASB delegate and alternate; consider summer maintenance projects; amend '92-'93 budget; consider advertising for bids for purchase of a school van; and personnel.

The City of Wilson, in conjunction with the PEOPLE group had a very successful "clean up" day this past Saturday. People brought enough trash to fill four of the massive containers and still needed more. The city trash trailer was filled several times and several loads of old junk appliances also disappeared. Several people were unable to get rid of their

trash, but the time and available containers ran out. The city possibly will be looking at having more of these types of cleanups in the future, on a regular basis. "A big thanks to all involved with putting this project together, and then helping to see that it was a success."

"Has anyone noticed the new lights at the park?" These new lights put new meaning into the word "bright." The city hopes that these lights will allow more people more time to use the park for longer periods of time.

Now that the lights have been installed, work has begun on the walking track that has been in the works for quite a while. The outline of the track has been etched out with some form of dirt moving machine, and not it can be seen how the track will be shaped and how all the trees and other plants planted last year will fit into the design.

The Wilson fire department is selling tickets for a drawing for a shotgun. This 12-gauge Charles Daly, Diamond Grade, shotgun and carrying case has a market value of \$1,500 and can be seen at various locations throughout the area until July 4. The drawing will be held on July 4 during the annual celebration in the

park. Time of the drawing has not yet been announced. Tickets may be purchased from any fire department member for \$5 per ticket. It has been indicated that the shotgun will be on display in Tahoka and Slaton also.

The purpose of this drawing is a fundraiser for the fire department so that they can purchase some much needed supplies and equipment.

The Wilson Lions Club is again organizing the annual Fourth of July celebration in the park. Several churches and other community groups have indicated that they intend to sponsor food or game booths for this event, and at least on musical group has indicated that they will also be here to perform gospel music. This group will also be selling BBQ as a fund raiser for the group.

Any group or individual wishing to participate with a game or food booth is asked to contact Lion Boss David Rohde at 628-6584 or Lynda Williams at 628-6307. The food and booth group is attempting to avoid duplication of activities and to provide help in creating new ideas for these booths, so contact these people and let them know what you would like to do and they will help you get your project going.

Anyone interested in a domino tour-

namment, or some other type of organized tournament such as horseshoes or washer pitching should also contact David or Lynda. The highlight of the evening for many will be a dance to be held on the tennis court beginning about dark-thirty. There will be a small cover charge to defray the cost of the band. Wilson resident, Russell Bingham and several of his musical cohorts will provide the music. Their style of music will probably include country and western, along with some ballads for slow dancing and some "boot-scooting" rock-a-billy. The proceeds above the band cost will go to the fire department fund raiser. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the fun and fellowship of the day and then the entertainment of the evening.

Wilson ISD summer school program is off and running with many students taking advantage of the classes and programs offered. Most of this work is not make-up type work but it involves classes that students can take for additional credit or to enable the student to be more prepared to take some of the classes that they will be required to take in the normal school year. Classes on both the elementary and high school level are being offered.

As an additional part of the summer program, the school library will be open on Fridays from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. beginning Friday, June 18. Students of all grade levels are encouraged to use the library during this time. All Wilson ISD students, including those who are not involved in the other summer programs, may use the library during the summer hours.



**DARLA WILLIS**  
**Darla Willis To Attend Conference In Washington, D.C.**

Darla Willis of Tahoka has been selected to attend The National Young Leaders Conference from June 15-20 in Washington, D.C. The National Young Leaders Conference is a unique leadership development program for outstanding high school students who have demonstrated leadership potential and scholastic merit. Darla will be among 350 attending from across America, and only 20 from Texas will be attending.

Darla is a senior at Tahoka High School and is active in National Honor Society, Business Professionals of America, FFA, Student Council, Band, and runs Track. She was nominated by her PSAT scores and GPA.

She is the daughter of Doyle and Donna Willis, and the granddaughter of Elmer and Ovida Gunnels of Dickens and Mr. and Mrs. O.H. Willis of Lubbock.

The theme of the National Young Leaders Conference is "The Leaders of Tomorrow Meeting the Leaders of Today." Throughout the six-day conference, Darla will interact with key leaders and newsmakers from the three branches of government, the media and the diplomatic corps.

Highlights of the program will include welcoming remarks from a Member of Congress on the Floor of the United States House of Representatives and a panel discussion led by prominent journalists at the National Press Club. Students will visit foreign embassies and receive policy briefings from senior government officials. In addition, Darla will meet with Senator Phil Gramm, Senator Bob Krueger, and Representatives Bill Sarpalius of designated members of their staffs to discuss important issues facing Tahoka and the nation.

Darla will also participate in learning activities designed to enhance student's leadership skills. In one activity, a simulation entitled *If I were President*, students role-play the President and members of his Cabinet who must respond to an international crisis. Culminating the National Young Leaders Conference is *The Mock Congress on National Service*, a half-day activity in which scholars assume the roles of United States Representatives by debating, building coalitions, and voting on proposed youth service legislation.

Darla adds, "A special thank you goes to Thriftway, Tahoka Drug, Pat Green, Pebsworth Insurance Agency, Huffaker & Green, Vickie's Place, and C.A. Tucker Trucking for their sponsorship on my trip."

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**CHELSEY MILLER**  
**Piano Guild Awards Chelsey Miller**

Chelsey Miller has passed the Required Test and is declared a District Winner, Elementary Class, in the National Piano Playing Auditions. She received a Superior Rating and was awarded a certificate and a gold pin from the National Guild of Piano Teachers.

Chelsey is a piano student of Kathy Murphy from Lubbock and will be in the 4th grade at Tahoka Elementary. She is the daughter of Steve and Carol Miller of Tahoka.



**ERIC GONZALES**  
**Eric Gonzales Graduates**

Eric Noe Gonzales, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Monica DeLeon of Tahoka, graduated from Community High School, District 99 South in Downers Grove, Illinois on June 4.

Eric, son of Noe and Olga Gonzales, also attended Tahoka High School.

**Bi-County Insect Workshop Slated**

by M. WADE SHACKELFORD  
Lynn County Extension Agent  
Garza and Lynn County will have a Bi-County Insect Workshop Wednesday, June 16, at the Graham Community Center. A total of 2 Continuing Education Units (CEU) will be accredited for the workshop.

The workshop will include one hour, *Laws and Regulations* and one hour, *Integrated Pest Management (IMP)*. This workshop will be presented by the Garza and Lynn County Ag. Program Area Committees.

Registration will be at 8:30 a.m. with the workshop ending about 12 noon.

For more information, contact Lynn County Extension office at 998-4562.

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