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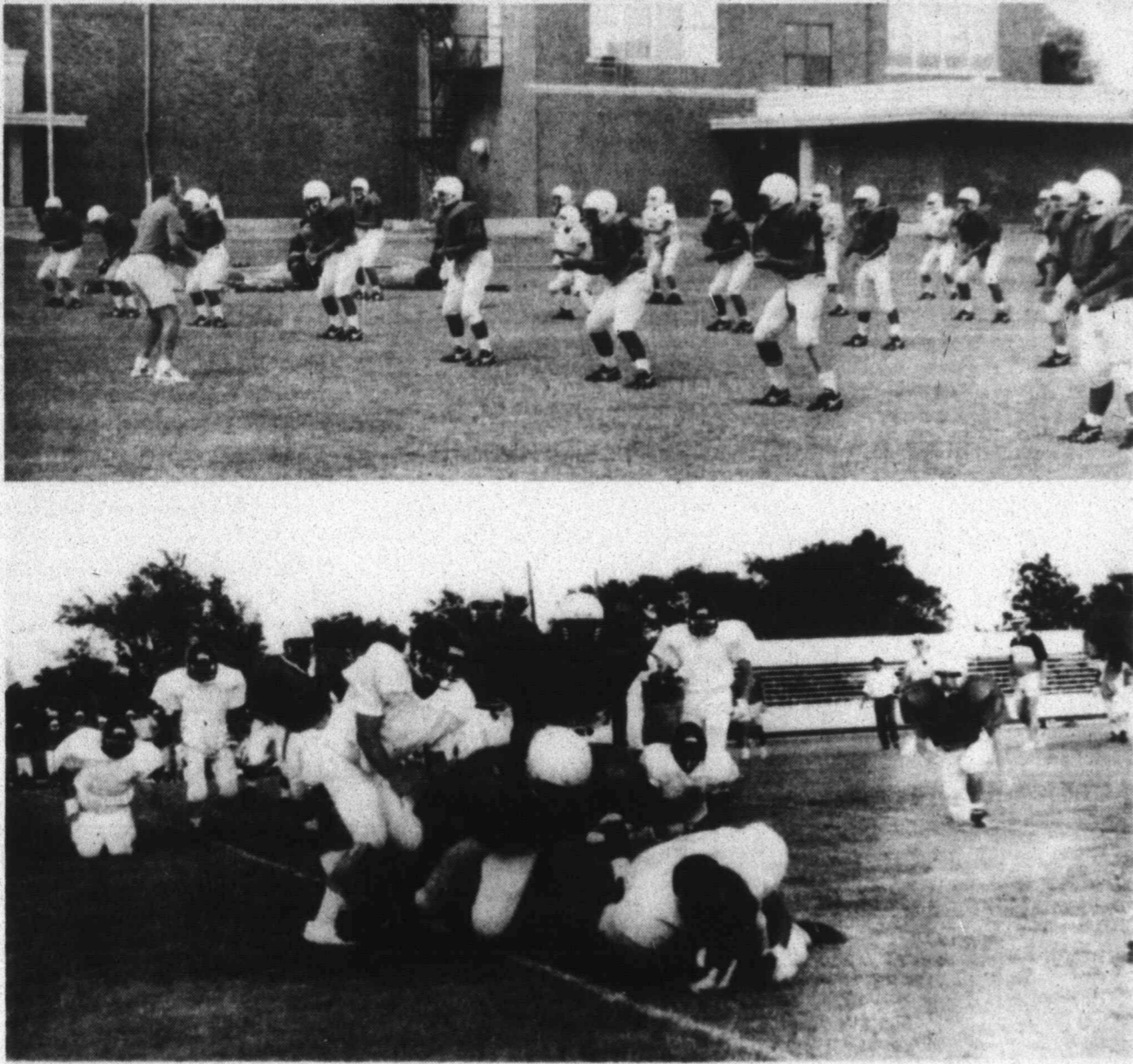
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**BULLDOGS GETTING READY**—The Tahoka Bulldogs are getting ready for the football season by working out (top photo) and by scrimmaging (lower photo) against the O'Donnell Eagles, another Lynn County team working hard with high hopes for the upcoming season. Tahoka is in the dark jerseys in the lower picture, where an Eagle ball-carrier has just gone down. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTOS)

## Bulldogs Gearing Up For New Grid Season

By DALTON WOOD

Some Tahoka football fans have grown old waiting for the Bulldogs to have another winning football team, but fans, coaches and players always have hope at this time of the year when a new team is being formed, knowing that every Bulldog has his day and Tahoka's is way overdue.

Darrell (Tooter) Draper is starting his first full year as head coach of the Bulldogs, and while he's not promising to win them all, he does think the Bulldogs will be a lot better this season than last year's 1-9-0 team, whose only win was a forfeit from Coahoma after the Red Dogs had won the game 55-2.

Fans can get a look at the Bulldogs in a scrimmage here against McCamey, with the junior varsities to see action at 6 p.m. and the varsity teams to follow about 7 p.m.

Coach Draper and his new assistant coaches tested their JV and varsity teams against O'Donnell last Friday night, with the JV outscoring the Eagles 2-0 and the varsity teams tying 1-1. Tahoka scored on a 25-yard pass from QB Wes Solomon to End Martin Gill, and O'Donnell scored on a 5-yard run.

"Overall, I was pleased with the scrimmage at O'Donnell," said Draper. "We looked good at times, especially the defensive secondary."

Draper is counting on Solomon, 6-0, 165, to use his experience and talent at quarterback to lead the Bulldogs on offense. Tahoka runs an I-formation with a slot back, and the key is getting the ball to the tailback, Draper said. Tailback likely is to be freshman Steve Wiseman, 163-

pounder, or perhaps Dustin Burleson, 181-pound sophomore.

Fullback probably will be Matt Garcia, 200-pound sophomore who played at that position and also at quarterback last season. Junior Edward Ramirez could be the slot back; he was an all-district punter last season and again will do the punting. Gerold Cantu, who was a back last season, has been moved to offensive guard and linebacker and will do the place-kicking.

Tahoka is returning six starters on offense and just two on defense, but one of those is Jesse Perez, 180-pound junior linebacker who did really well in some of last year's games.

Despite having only two returning starters on defense, Coach Draper believes defense will be the strength of the Bulldog team.

Tahoka's first game is on a Saturday night, Sept. 3, at Odessa, against Fort Davis. The following Friday will be the first of only four home games this season, against Lorenzo. On Sept. 16, Tahoka will go to Olton, then will go into a six-game district schedule; there are only nine games on the schedule this season.

"The first three ball games should set the tone for the season," said the coach. "If we do well in those games, we should be okay for the district schedule."

Draper said Post should be a heavy favorite to win district, with Seagraves and Idalou also strong.

It has been 13 years since Tahoka had a winning football season; in 1981 Coach A.D. Shaver's Dogs were 8-3-0, losing to Floydada in bi-district. Since then, the best record was

4-5-1 for a 1988 team coached by Ted Wiley. In the last 12 years Tahoka has won just 21 games, two of those by forfeit.

### 1994 SCHEDULE

- Sept. 3—Fort Davis (at Odessa)
- Sept. 9—LORENZO
- Sept. 16—at Olton
- Sept. 23—IDALOU \*
- Sept. 30—at Post \*
- Oct. 7—SEAGRAVES (H) \*
- Oct. 14—at Ralls \*
- Oct. 21—Open
- Oct. 28—SUNDOWN \*
- Nov. 4—at Crosbyton \*

\* district games H-homecoming

## County Accepts Maintainer Bid

Lynn County commissioners Monday accepted a bid from Caterpillar of Lubbock for a new maintainer for Precinct 4. The bid was for \$97,824.

Commissioners discussed health insurance for county employees, landfill charges and repairs for a radio tower, taking no action on any of the discussion items.

Present were Judge J.F. Brandon and commissioners Jacky Henry, Sandy Cox and J.T. Miller. Absent was T.A. Stone, who has been ill.

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| Aug. 17 | 100  | 62  |         |
| Aug. 18 | 102  | 66  |         |
| Aug. 19 | 102  | 71  |         |
| Aug. 20 | 85   | 68  |         |
| Aug. 21 | 84   | 67  |         |
| Aug. 22 | 91   | 64  |         |
| Aug. 23 | 94   | 64  |         |

Official Precipitation for Year: 12.03"

## Tahoka Man Dies As Pickup Overturns

Monty Guy Witt, 27, of Tahoka, was killed Sunday afternoon as the 1986 GMC pickup he was driving overturned about 12 miles southeast of Tahoka on FM 1313. He was the only occupant of the vehicle.

Justice of the Peace H.W. Edwards of Tahoka pronounced the driver dead at the scene of the accident, which occurred about 5:45 p.m. Sunday, according to an investigating officer for the Dept. of Public Safety.

Services for Witt were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the Church of Christ in Tahoka.

There were no injuries in another traffic accident investigated by DPS officers 1.3 miles west of Tahoka on Tuesday. A 1994 Chevrolet pickup driven by Billy Newton Barham, 69, of Tahoka and a 1994 Chevrolet van driven by John Edward Hudson, 58, of Los Angeles, CA, collided on US 380. Both vehicles were headed west.

A Yamaha 3-wheeler valued at \$1400 was reported stolen from F.E. Tapley of Dawson County when it was at a farm northeast of Tahoka between Aug. 4-17.

A Wilson resident complained that a man had assaulted him and his wife at their residence during the last week.

Investigation was continuing by the sheriff's department.

A prisoner who walked away from the Lynn County jail Saturday was brought back about 30 minutes later after he was located by Sheriff Jake Diggs and City Officer Randy Smith. After the 34-year-old prisoner was back in the building he reportedly struggled with the officers and caused an injury to the sheriff which required treatment at Lynn County Hospital.

The sheriff's department Wednesday morning was in the process of filing charges against two suspects in two recent burglaries in the county, and had recovered items stolen in both burglaries.

In jail during the week were nine persons, three for driving while intoxicated, first offense. Others were held for unlawfully carrying a weapon plus public intoxication, plus DWI commitment from Lubbock County, assault on a family member plus public intoxication, application to revoke probation on charges of DWI, DWI second offense, public intoxication and application to revoke probation on charges of burglary.



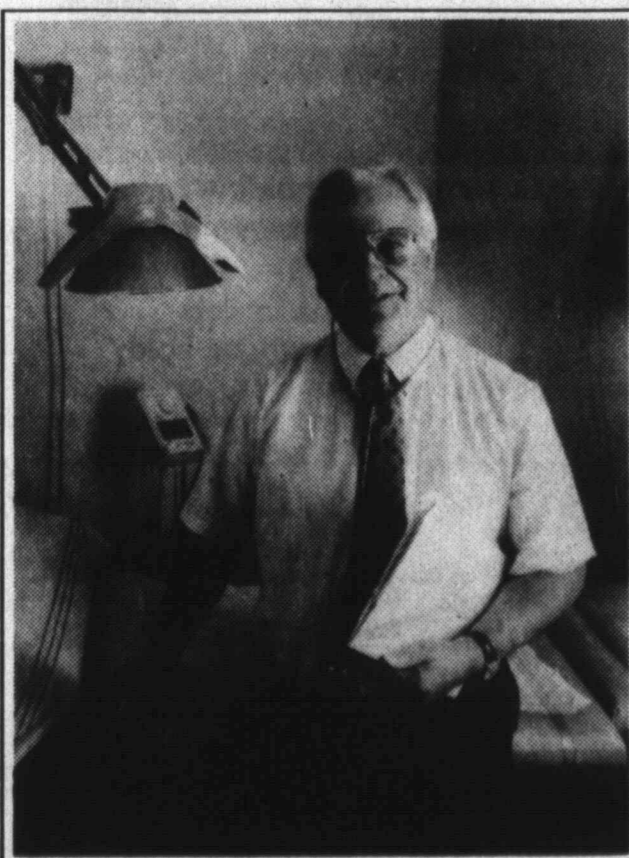
**FATAL ACCIDENT**—This 1986 GMC pickup driven by Monty Witt, 27, of Tahoka, overturned Sunday afternoon southeast of Tahoka. The driver was pronounced dead at the scene. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

## Tahoka Murals To Be Featured On Channel 28

KAMC-TV Channel 28's Karla Leslie will feature the Tahoka Downtown Park on South Plains Stories tonight (Thursday) on the 10 o'clock news. The historical murals depicting Tahoka Lake, the downtown square in 1907, the first Lynn County gin, and T-Bar cattle will be shown, as well as an interview with artist Bob McClellan of Morton, who painted the murals.

City Manager Barry Pittman and local attorney Cal Huffaker, both members of the Downtown Park Committee, spoke with Ms. Leslie about the project.

## Shop In Tahoka!



DR. RICHARD F. WRIGHT

## Dr. Richard Wright, Long-Time Lynn County Physician, Dies

by JUANELL JONES

Dr. Richard F. Wright, a family physician in Lynn County since 1973, died Saturday, August 20, 1994, at his home in Tahoka, after a valiant fight with cancer.

A "Celebration of His Life" was held at 7 p.m. Wednesday evening in the First United Methodist Church of Tahoka.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions should be made to a charity of choice.

White Funeral Home of Tahoka was in charge of the arrangements.

Dr. Wright and his wife, Katrina, came to Tahoka 21 years ago on June 19, 1973, when a large crowd gathered at Lynn County Hospital to greet the new doctor who moved to the hot, dry plains of West Texas from London, England.

He began his family medical practice in Tahoka on June 25, 1973. During the next 21 years, he saw more than a quarter of a million patients—that's 40 patients a day, five days a week, for 21 years, plus an untold

number of patients worked into his schedule without an appointment, and a multitude of emergency room patients in the dark hours of the night.

He once estimated that he had delivered more than 800 babies in Lynn County, and said he had experienced a lot of tragedy and triumph, and made lots of friends in this county. "I've been sustained by friendship and trust, and this county has been very good to me," said the doctor in an interview in May.

"Dr. Wright has always had a very positive impact on Lynn County and our surrounding areas. He served our citizens unselfishly for over 20 years," said Tahoka Mayor Jim Solomon this week. "He was not only a great physician but a good friend to many throughout our county. Both my family and I considered it a great privilege to have had him as our doctor and our friend," he added.

Dr. Wright was awarded an "Outstanding Citizenship Award" by the City of Tahoka in May in appreciation for his loyal services to the citizens of Lynn County, and for

his personal sacrifices and professional dedication during the past 21 years.

With an unflinching devotion to his practice and a wry, no-nonsense British sense of humor, Dr. Wright was a well-known and well-loved member of the Tahoka community and Lynn County, and will be sorely missed.

"He will always be a part of the history of Tahoka," said his wife, who added that the memorial service Wednesday night was intended to be a celebration in memory of his life, with a glad atmosphere and people invited to recall the good times with the doctor.

There was one regret which Dr. Wright noted in an interview just a few months ago. "I'm sorry I've not developed a Texas accent," he said with a smile in his clipped British tones. "It was just too hard."

And, in spite of the many times he was most assuredly bombarded with the West Texas accent and unique speech patterns, he also retained many British colloquialisms in his speech. His final message to his patients, according to his wife, was "Ta ta for now."

AUG 25 1994

**Letter To The Editor**

Dear Editor:

Several weeks ago my sister-in-law, Audie Norman, drove us downtown to see the new murals. I was quite impressed with their beauty and historical qualities. They are a definite plus for Tahoka.

While on this mini-tour of downtown Tahoka, I was struck by its appearance of cleanliness, neatness and general well-kept looks.

I think that we owe a vote of thanks to our mayor, councilmen, city manager, and city employees for their efforts to make this one of the best looking towns of its size in Texas. The Downtown Park Project Committee should be commended for planning this project and seeing that it was completed. We are lucky to have these people, as I have never seen Tahoka look any better.

We are fortunate to live in Tahoka.  
Sincerely,  
Mel Leslie

Dear Editor:

Saturday, our county lost a very special person, Dr. Richard F. Wright. This man had touched each person in our communities by being our beloved country doctor. He helped us through sickness and griefed with us in our sorrows. It was always a joy to see the special glow on his face when he had just delivered a new baby into the world.

Dr. Wright always put his patient's care before his own personal life. He was usually interrupted during his meals. He roared out of his driveway at all hours of the night to care for someone. He singlehandedly kept our hospital open several times when he was the only doctor in town, and went hours without a vacation or a day off. He was a good friend to all of his

patients and made each feel special. Even when he saw over 60 patients a day, he always had time for you. He never turned anyone away that was sick.

He was given truly special talents for healing. Many times people were dying, with no hopes of survival. The funeral arrangements were being made, but through his determination and fortitude, he would pull them through to enjoy more years of life and health. There are many walking testimonies to his medical abilities.

As a pharmacist, Dr. Wright always treated me in the most professional manner. He was courteous, kind and pleasant to deal with and he always wanted the best therapy and medicine for his patients.

Dr. Wright was like early Lynn County pioneers, because he had a vision. He was one of the first in this county to grow grapes for harvest. Year after year he had failure, disappointments and frustration with hail and early freezes. He persevered and never gave up — never lost hope that this region could be as famous for growing grapes as well as cotton. He was finally rewarded when the 1989 Gewurztraminer wine from his Casa Nueva (New Home) Vineyards won several national awards.

Dr. Wright had a vivacious curiosity about everything. At Rotary, seldom did a speaker or program go by without Dr. Wright asking an interesting question. His thirst for new medical knowledge and technologies was unrelenting. His memory was keen.

Dr. Wright had a good sense of humor. At the end of the day, tired from seeing patients and being up all the night before, he would call in several prescriptions. He would say, "Dr. Wright here" and rattle off several orders. He would always sign off with a funny snippet or word of wisdom for the day. He could find humor in everyday situations, human events

or daily struggles, and leave me howling with laughter.

I will never forget the last time I talked to Dr. Wright just last week. We had sent him some liquid medication. It wasn't long before the telephone rang. "Have you ever tasted this concoction you dispensed to me?" he said. I admitted I had never had a reason to. He went on to describe, in great length, the bad taste and after-taste that was still there two hours later. I told him I would send up some of the medicine in tablet form, if he thought he could swallow them easily. He replied that he would swallow the largest and thorniest sticker he could find before he would ever allow that liquid to touch his lips again. We sent him the tablets.

Our family as well as yours owe Dr. Wright and Katrina a debt of gratitude. He and his wife travelled a vast distance to a very different culture from their own, so that he could practice medicine HIS way, knowing his patients and taking an interest in each one's life, and making them well. Our lives have been enriched for years and generations to come, just by having this man in our community for 21 years. We were truly blessed to have had him the short time we did.

Sincerely,  
Haney Wells

**Letter To The Editor**

Dear Editor,

I would like to express my sincere appreciation and gratitude to the citizens of Tahoka. I was in need of assistance to remove debris from a yard in Tahoka. I began my search in the office of Sheriff Jake Diggs, where my only request was that additional dumpsters be made available for the clean up. Sheriff Diggs personally accepted responsibility for the clean up and began contacting others.

On the morning of the clean up approximately twelve (12) persons arrived, with them came the equipment needed to accomplish the task. Roy Burdett, work release persons Benito Martinez, Tony Calvillo, Joe Saldana, Raymond Page, Barnaby Flores, Juan Flores, Juan Moya, Jose Lopez, and Lonnie Akard, and city employees had effectively completed the job within five (5) hours. Because of their concerns and efforts a resident of Tahoka certainly had their spirits lifted.

Tahoka can be proud of the "can-do" attitude that is readily available to assist persons within the community.

Sincerely,  
Gay Huffman  
Adult Protective Services

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**CAROL JEANNE DAVIS and BILL SARPALIUS  
Congressman To Marry Carol Davis**

Congressman Bill Sarpalius of Amarillo will marry Carol Jeanne Davis of Alexandria, Virginia, on Oct. 13 in Washington, D.C.

The bride-elect graduated summa cum laude with a bachelor of science degree from Park College in Parkville, Missouri. She is Director of Undersea Warfare for Technatics, Inc. in Arlington, Virginia.

The prospective groom graduated from Texas Tech University with a bachelor's degree in agriculture education. He later received a master's in agriculture from West Texas State University. He is the U.S. Representative for the 13th District of Texas.

Trudy Austin, 1214 West 13th Street, Littlefield, TX, or phone (806) 385-3148.



**STORK REPORT**

Larry and Terry Thomas of Baird, announce the birth of their daughter, Morgan Mashelle, born Saturday, August 13, 1994 at 9:29 p.m. She weighed 8 pounds 10 ounces and was 21-1/2 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Frances and the late Vernon Nolte of Clyde. Paternal grandparents are Dan and Frances Thomas of Tahoka.

**Arts and Crafts Festival Set In Littlefield**

Plans are underway for the 12th Annual Littlefield Arts and Crafts Festival sponsored by the Littlefield Homemakers Association on Saturday, Nov. 12 from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. at the Lamb County Ag & Community Center, which is located on Highway 385 and 17th Street in Littlefield.

Booth spaces are available at this time. The Littlefield Homemakers Association wish to extend a welcome to anyone interested in attending or reserving booth space. For further information please contact

**Cal Huffaker To Participate In TALL Program**

W. Calloway Huffaker of Tahoka has been selected to participate in the fourth class of the Texas Agricultural Lifetime Leadership (TALL) program. TALL is a leadership program aimed at identifying and developing the leaders needed to shape and direct the future of agriculture.

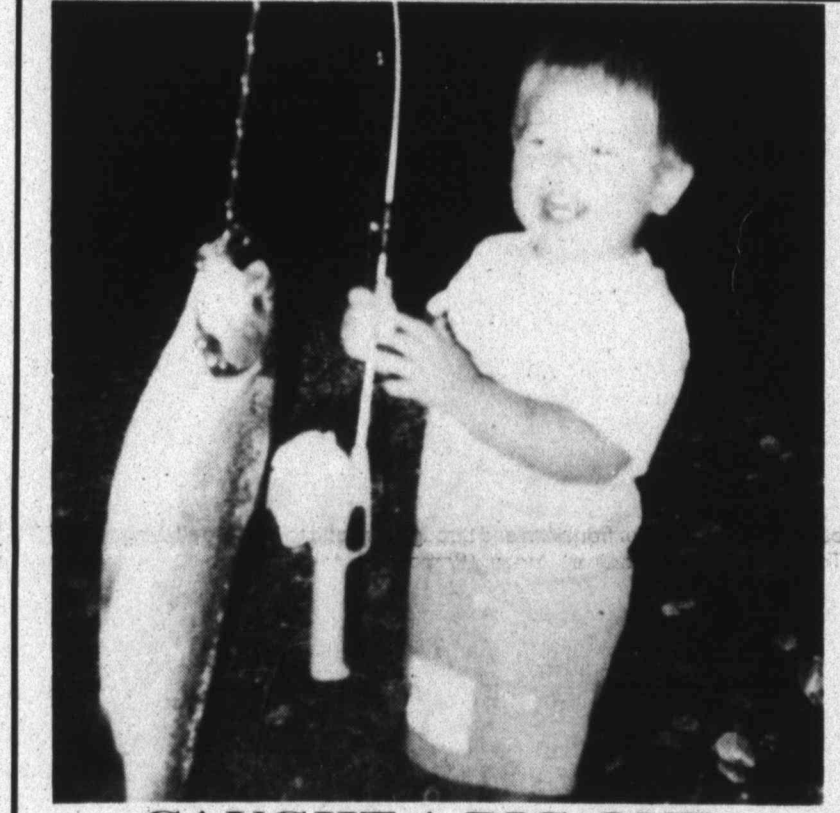
TALL is a two-year leadership educational program designed for people ages 25 to 40 in agriculture-related careers. The 30 member class meets every other month and studies current issues related to agriculture. Included in the curriculum are seminars held in another state, Washington, D.C. and a foreign country.

"The applications for TALL IV were all talented agricultural people," said John Sykes, TALL Coordinator. "The competition was strong and the judges had a difficult time determining this class."

"TALL participants will have an opportunity to make many new friends and see agriculture and other issues from many different viewpoints," said Sykes. "The seminars will provide at least 10 years of experience within the two-year study period."

Those interested in TALL should contact Sykes at the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, 809 University Drive East, College Station, TX: 77843-2473, telephone number 409-845-1554.

Dolph Briscoe and Rick Perry are former members of the TALL Program.



**CAUGHT A BIG ONE**  
Chantz Eli caught this 4 lb., 19 inch long trout on a Snoopy rod and reel during a camping trip on Fawn Lake in Questa, N.M. He is the son of John and Tammy Curry of Santa Fe, N.M. and grandson of John and DaOnne Curry of Bryan, Tx, formerly of Tahoka.

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**Football Ticket Sale  
TAHOKA BULLDOGS  
RESERVED SEAT**

Football tickets for the 1994 season are on sale at the School Business Office, according to the following plan:  
**Last year's season ticket holders have an option on the same tickets again this year. They may pick up these tickets any time until Sept. 5. Option tickets not claimed by Sept. 5 will be sold.**

The general admission price for all games will be \$3.00. Reserved seat tickets for any single game will be \$3.00.

- Sept. 9 - Lorenzo ..... 8:00 p.m.**
- Sept. 23 - Idalou ..... 7:30 p.m.**
- Oct. 7 - Seagraves ..... 7:30 p.m.**
- Oct. 28 - Sundown ..... 7:30 p.m.**

**4 HOME GAMES SEASON TICKET \$12.00**

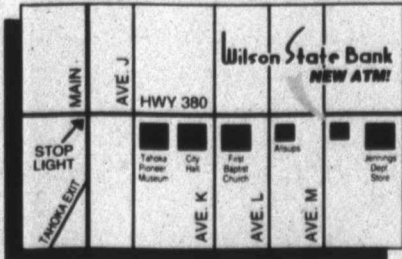
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Wednesday: peaches, milk  
Thursday: Donut

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**OUTSTANDING SENIOR CITIZEN** - Hazel Bennett of Tahoka was named Outstanding Senior Citizen recently, and received a plaque signed by Governor Ann Richards from the Texas Department on Aging, naming her as "An Outstanding Older Texan." The plaque read, in part, "Presented in recognition of your personal dedication to creating a better quality of life for your fellow citizens." Mrs. Bennett, a long-time organist for the First Baptist Church of Tahoka, is a member of the Lynn County Pioneer Club. (LCN PHOTO)

**Tahoka School Menu**

**AUG. 29-SEPT. 2 BREAKFAST**  
**Monday:** Sausage, biscuit w/jelly, juice, milk  
**Tuesday:** Cinnamon roll, applesauce, milk  
**Wednesday:** Cheese toast, peaches, milk  
**Thursday:** Donut, pineapple, milk

**Friday:** Cereal, toast w/jelly, banana, milk

**LUNCH**  
**Monday:** Corn dog, baked potato, tossed salad, 1/2 apple, milk  
**Tuesday:** Beef pizza, buttered corn, tossed salad, jello, milk  
**Wednesday:** Turkey roll, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, milk  
**Thursday:** Beef taco, lettuce and tomato salad, peaches, milk  
**Friday:** Hamburger w/trimmings, french fries, cherry cobbler, milk

**Volleyball Teams Open Season Play**

Tahoka High School girls volleyball teams opened season play Tuesday night, hosting Midland Christian at the THS gym.  
 The varsity team lost 18-16 and 15-3, while the JV girls lost 15-9 and 15-11.  
 The freshmen girls team scrimmaged against Midland Christian, winning 15-11 and 15-11.

**Heart Association Officers Elected**

The Lynn County Division of the American Heart Association recently elected officers for 1994-95. Officers are: Dr. Donald Freitag, president; Rebecca Dimak, program chairperson; Carol Miller, secretary; Dawn Teaff, treasurer; and Jannis Childress, communications.  
 Mrs. Dimak will be in charge of Heart Fest. She attended the annual meeting of AHA in Dallas, July 22 and 23. "The meeting was a great learning experience for me and I brought back to my board some good ideas and motivation," said Mrs. Dimak.

Peggy Jennings will be in charge of the American Heart Walk scheduled for Sept. 24 in Tahoka at the Mini Park. The Heart Walk will be dedicated to Wayne Huffaker who is a recent heart transplant recipient from Tahoka.  
 The AHA is the nation's largest voluntary health organization that is dedicated to the reduction of disability and death from cardiovascular disease and stroke. The AHA spends over \$200 million each year for cardiovascular research support, preventive education, and community programs such as CPR training.

New members are welcome and anyone wishing to join or make a donation can contact any officer for more information.

**Paymaster Gin, Last Business In Draw, To Close**

The Draw Paymaster Gin, the last retail business in the community, is being closed down, and will not operate this fall, according to gin manager Bobby Mack Furlow, who explained that with a quarter of a million dollars needed to update the gin, it is not clear if the gin ever will reopen.

The decision not to operate the gin was made by the owners, Southern Cotton Oil of Midland, which indicated that the gin office will stay open, apparently to accommodate several men who play dominoes there every day.

Draw, now listed as having a population of 20, had about 200 people in the 20s and 30s, according to a story last Sunday in the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, in which several current residents were interviewed by writer Steve O'Neil. In the 30s, Draw had four grocery stores, a blacksmith and a post office and school. The post office closed in 1935 and the school in the early 40s.

Among those quoted by O'Neil were Boyd and Fern Barnes and Pat Hensley, all of whom recall fondly the relatively high level of activity in Draw in earlier years.

In 1988 the gin processed a record 10,800 bales. Residents of Draw still have hope that the gin might reopen.

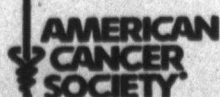
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Cancer Society memorials may be turned in to Sue Tekell at First National Bank of Tahoka. She is the memorials chairman of the Lynn County chapter of the American Cancer Society.

For more information, contact the American Cancer Society at 1-800-ACS-2345 or the Lubbock office at 792-7126.



**JV VOLLEYBALL TEAM** - The Tahoka High School JV girls volleyball team hosted Midland Christian in their opening game of the season here Tuesday. Team members are, front row from left, Coach Kirk Ellis, Charlotte Thomas, Angie Garza, Elizabeth Solorzano, Stephanie Gregory, Misty Nance; back row from left, Lee Zachary, Eva Morin, Bonnie Stennett, Kristi Chapa, Stephanie Thomas, and Michelle Quisenberry. (LCN PHOTO)

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**FBC YOUTH INVOLVED IN MISSION TRIP**— These youth and adult sponsors from First Baptist Church in Tahoka were involved in a 10-day mission trip to Defiance, Ohio in July. Members of the youth group included (not shown in order) Jeremy Brandon, Shayla Brandon, Kerri Bryan, Kristin Kelln, Conner Krey, Hans Mensch, Tasha Mensch, Bonnie Stennett, Courtney Stennett, Stephanie Stennett, Davy Stone, Drew Stone, Stephanie Tomas, Donnie Wiseman, and Kris Wood. Sponsors were Nan Adams, Jerry and Barbara Becknal, and George and Julie Martin.

## First Baptist Youth Group Takes Mission Trip To Ohio

Fifteen members of Tahoka's First Baptist Church youth group were involved in a 10 day mission trip to Defiance, Ohio in July. They conducted Vacation Bible School in the morning and assisted with revival services in the evenings at Second Baptist Church. Local pastor Jerry Becknal preached and Music and Youth minister George Martin was in charge of the music.

James Hollars, who was music and Music and Youth Minister at Tahoka First Baptist Church from 1961 to 1969, is pastor of Second Baptist in Defiance. He was involved in church music in Ohio after leaving Tahoka and served with former pas-

tor James Elfird in Niles, Ohio. He later entered the ministry and returned to Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth. After completing the seminary, he returned to Ohio.

Defiance is located near Toledo where the group visited the famous Tony Packo Hotdog Restaurant and toured a battleship. Highlights of the return trip included touring the Precious Moments Chapel at Carthage, Missouri and the Pro Bass Shop in Springfield. While traveling through Terre Haute, Indiana they ate at the Larry Bird Restaurant.

The congregation of First Baptist Church sponsored the trip and were supportive in many areas.

## Town Hall Meeting Set Here Monday

Congressman Bill Sarpalius (D-Texas) will have a town hall meeting at 11 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 29, at the Lynn County Courthouse, South Second and Main, in Tahoka.

If Congress does not recess by this date, the town hall meeting will be rescheduled.

"The meeting will give Lynn County residents an opportunity to share their views and concerns with me," Sarpalius said. "Congress is going to be making some extremely tough decisions during the rest of this session, and those decisions could have a big impact on the people in Lynn County and throughout the 13th Congressional District.

"I want to make sure your voices are heard in Washington, and that is why these town hall meetings are important. It gives everyone a chance to exchange ideas and to decide what is most important to us in our part of Texas. Our government really does work best when we work together.

## Parents' Corner

### Coping With The "Home Alone" Dilemma

Never before has the need for supervised care for school-age children been so strong. Today, experts estimate that at least five million school-age children are at home alone every day, for some period of time. In fact, half of these children are left unsupervised during summer days, or before and after school. And this trend is expected to continue: within the next few years, 75% of all parents of school-age children will be in the work force.

Experts agree that for the millions of American families faced with the dilemma, leaving school-age children at home alone can be very stressful. According to Dr. Marcy Guddemi, an expert in child development and vice president of education for KinderCare Learning Centers, "many parents are often very concerned about how well their children can cope, both with routine activities and potentially unsafe situations. And while many children enjoy caring for themselves and happily accept the added responsibilities, others don't adapt so easily and often feel lonely or scared."

However, for working parents with older latch-key children who will remain at home, Dr. Guddemi suggests the following tips to help them foster independence and build their self-esteem:

Discuss the importance of responsibility with your child; set rules for behavior and activities and inform him/her about basic safety information, including the "911" emergency telephone procedures. Young children who understand why they are home alone, and what they may and may not do, will be more at ease and confident in managing themselves.

If possible, inform a neighbor or nearby relative that your child is home alone and occasionally have them check-in with your child.

Have healthy, easy-to-prepare meals and/or snacks available for children; leave a note to create a communication bond that says you are close in thought.

Be sure your child has several appropriate activities to keep him/her occupied after homework is complete. "Take time with them to prioritize these activities and assign a chore for each day (i.e.: "after you walk the dog, please set the table and practice the piano"). Children should be discouraged from watching too much television!

### THE MEMORIAL THAT MEANS MORE

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Cancer Society memorials may be turned in to Sue Tekell at First National Bank of Tahoka. She is the memorials chairman of the Lynn County chapter of the American Cancer Society.

For more information, contact the American Cancer Society at 1-800-ACS-2345 or the Lubbock office at 792-7126.



## OBITUARIES

### Monty Witt

Services for Monty Guy Witt, 27, of Tahoka were at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 24, in Tahoka Church of Christ with Doug Hall, minister of Grafford Church of Christ; and the Rev. Marvin Gregory, pastor of Tahoka First United Methodist Church, officiating.

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

Witt died Sunday, Aug. 21, 1994, near Tahoka.

He was born on April 18, 1967, in Lamesa. He graduated from Tahoka High School and was a member of the Boy Scouts of America, the American Paint Horse Association and the Texas LP Gas Association. A son, Mason Guy, died in January, 1991.

He was a truck driver for Witt Butane Co. of Tahoka and was a horse and cattle breeder.

Survivors include his parents, Guy and Ann Witt of Tahoka; two sisters, Penny Borland of Lamesa and Pam Lehmann of Tahoka; and his maternal grandparents, Grady and Faye Flowers of Robert Lee.

Pallbearers were Jeff Martin, Van Long, Ronnie Rivas, Scott Orr, Kent Kahl and Shon Overton.

The family suggests memorials to the Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department.

### Dovie McKee

Services for Dovie J. McKee, 84, of Houston were at 2 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19, in Resthaven Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock with the Rev. Glenn Border, pastor of Lubbock's Faith Baptist Church, officiating.

Lance Linnartz, with the Campus Crusaders for Christ, assisted, and burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock.

Mrs. McKee died Tuesday, Aug. 16, 1994, in Tomball Nursing Home. She was born in Mills County. She married Vernie M. McKee on Feb. 6, 1933, in Lamesa. He died in 1978. She was a member of Faith Baptist Church.

She was a housewife. Survivors include three sons, Elmo of Eufala, Ala., Royce of Wylie and Billy of Arlington; two daughters, LaVera Smith of Lubbock and Sandra Suit of Houston; a brother, Elmer Adams of Lamesa; three sisters, Stella McKee of Tahoka, Lillian Fields of San Angelo and Velma Bulsterbaun of Shallowater; 19 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

### Geneva Anderson

Services for Geneva J. Fitts Anderson, 76, of Tahoka were at 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, in Sweet Street Baptist Church with the Rev. Rod Skelton officiating.

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

Mrs. Anderson died Thursday, Aug. 18, 1994, in Lynn County Hospital.

She was born on Dec. 4, 1917, in Chickasha, Okla. She married Clarence F. Anderson on March 17, 1936, in Lubbock. He died on Jan. 4, 1975. A son, Melvin Leon, died on Jan. 4, 1988. She was a Baptist.

She was a retired nurse.

Survivors include two sons, Glenn E. of Tahoka and Gary Wayne of Lakeport, Calif.; a sister, Willie Dee King of Aspermont; eight grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Gene Ingle, Roger Williams, Mike Taylor, Jimmy McMillan, Jesse Spruiell and Doug Taylor.

### Kamille Strickland

Graveside services for Kamille Strickland, infant daughter of Don and Debra Strickland of Sudan, were at 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, in Sudan Cemetery with the Rev. Cliff Hargrove, pastor of Sudan's First Baptist Church, officiating.

The child was stillborn Tuesday, Aug. 16, 1994, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

Survivors include her parents; two brothers, Ty of Sudan and Rody of Wolfforth; and her grandparents, Harold and Patsy Sanders of O'Donnell and James and Shirley Taylor of Woodrow.

The family suggests memorials to Right to Life of Lubbock Inc. 4930 Loop 289, Suite 707, Lubbock 79414.

### Senior Citizens MENU

Aug. 29- Sept. 2

**Monday:** Chicken Strips, Gravy, Black-eyed Peas, Turnip Greens, Cornbread, Fruit Crumble.

**Tuesday:** Turkey & Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Whole Wheat Roll, Fruit Salad.

**Wednesday:** Meatloaf, Corn, Green Beans, Salad, Roll, Chocolate Cake.

**Thursday:** Salmon Patty, Black-eyed Peas, Spinach, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Peanut Butter Cookie.

**Friday:** Roast, Potatoes, Carrots, Whole Wheat Roll, Salad, Cake.

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# The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

School is back in session and the Wilson PTO will have their first meeting of the year Monday, Aug. 29 at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. After the business meeting, the group will present the annual "Meet the Teachers" night. All students and parents are invited to come meet the elementary teachers. During the meeting, parents will have a chance to schedule their meeting with their child's teacher or teachers during the parent-teacher conference days set up for Aug. 31 and Sept. 1 (See below for more information on these conferences.)

Elementary school secretary Tami Bolyard has asked that parents fill out and complete all the elementary registration forms that were sent home Monday. Even though most of these were the same as last year, the school office needs these forms sent back completed so that all the information can be updated in the school's records. For more information contact Tami Bolyard at 628-6261.

New school hours and schedules: Normal school hours are 8:05 a.m. until 3:40 p.m. Breakfast is served from 7:45-8:05 a.m. The buses depart from school to return children home at 3:45 p.m.

Aug. 31 and Sept. 1 are designated as staff development days with school being dismissed at 1 p.m. on both days. These two afternoons will be used for parent-teacher conferences. Times will be set up so that the teachers will be able to have a one-on-one conference with the parents of each student in their class. Other times will be set up for parent-teacher conferences for those parents who cannot attend. The elementary teachers and administration plan to meet with the parents of each student.

Coach Brad Lane has set up a new project this year called the "Quarterback Club." This group is scheduled to meet each Saturday morning during football season. For more information contact Coach Lane through the high school office.

Elementary principal Kelley Hirt and the elementary faculty would like to welcome all returning and new students to the Wilson Elementary School. Parents are welcome to come by the school at any time to discuss their children's activities with the student's teacher or with the principal. All visitors to the elementary building are asked to register their visit in the registration book on the table in the sitting area inside the front door and check in with the principal or secretary.

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club will host the annual "Meet the Mustangs" night on Friday, Aug. 26 after the scrimmage against Loop. All Mustang fans are invited to come by and meet the coaches and players for the 1994 Wilson Mustang football teams. Light refreshments will be served.

The Wilson schools academic cadre is looking for community members and parents who are willing to share their talents, hobbies, interests, and experiences — travel, art, careers, music, crafts, gardening, veterans of

war, etc. They are also in need of people willing to donate their time on a daily, weekly, or monthly basis to listen to children read, to read to children, and to help teachers prepare activities which will reinforce the skills and strategies the students are learning. Anyone able to help is asked to contact Tami Bolyard in the elementary office.

The Wilson Lions Club met on Aug. 18 and Ms. Wilma Hogan, a candidate for state representative District 70, spoke to the group. She elaborated on some of the issues confronting the state's leaders and gave her opinions on several issues including crime, education and fiscal responsibility.

Elementary PE teacher Kim Oglesby has a full year of PE activities planned for the upcoming year. One of the first non-classroom activities is the Jump Rope for Heart program which is scheduled for late September. Mrs. Oglesby may be looking for groups of school personnel and other community people to form teams to participate in this program. More information as the event draws closer or contact Mrs. Oglesby through the elementary office.

Wilson School Board will meet Thursday, Aug. 25 at 8 p.m.

### Message from the Elementary Principal:

"We are looking forward to a great year! Students attend school each day from 8:05 to 3:40 p.m. It is very important that your child attend school each day. When a student is absent, he or she misses valuable learning time.

"We will continue with daily reading homework for every child. Your child's teacher will share specific information about our homework program. Please sign your child's homework assignment sheet each night and return it the next day.

"We encourage each of you to visit our school at your convenience and/or become a HOSTS volunteer. You may participate in our volunteer program by signing and returning the form in the back of the Student Handbook or by coming by the office.

"We appreciate your support and interest and look forward to seeing you at our PTO meeting and Meet the Teachers Night on Monday, Aug. 29 at 7 p.m. We will also dismiss at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 31 and Thursday, Sept. 1 in order to hold individual conferences with all of our parents. Your child's teacher will work with you to schedule a conference. We sincerely appreciate your cooperation!

"Look for our schedule of events distributed each Friday."

Sincerely,  
Kelly Hirt  
Wilson Elementary Principal

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club will have a concession stand clean-up on Sunday, Aug. 28 from 3-5 p.m. All volunteers are needed and should bring cleaning supplies. Next meeting will be Tuesday, Aug. 30 at 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

### Wilson School Menu

- Aug. 29- Sept. 2  
Breakfast
- Monday: Breakfast Pizza, Mixed Fruit, Milk.
  - Tuesday: Biscuits, Sausage & Gravy, Orange Juice, Milk.
  - Wednesday: Cereal, Toast w/ Honey, Apple Juice, Milk.
  - Thursday: Waffle, Pineapple Juice, Milk.
  - Friday: Pineapple Muffin, Nut Cup, Applesauce, Milk.
- Lunch
- Monday: Chicken Nuggets, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Sliced Peaches, Milk.
  - Tuesday: Corn dog w/ Mustard, Buttered Corn, Ranch Style Beans, Pear Half, Milk.
  - Wednesday: Cheeseburger, Trimmings, Tator Tots, Chocolate Cake, Milk.
  - Thursday: Spaghetti & Meat Sauce, Broccoli w/ Cheese, Black Eyed Peas, Cornbread, Chocolate Pudding w/ Nuts, Prunes, Milk.
  - Friday: Soft Taco, Salad, Refried Beans, Apricot Cobbler, Milk.

### Scrap Wood Needed For THS Bonfire

The Tahoka High School junior class is seeking donations of scrap wood and tree limbs for the THS Homecoming Bonfire on October 6. Collection site for the scrap wood is the lot behind the house at 1220 Ave. K, or members of the junior class will pick it up. Call Stephen Gwin at 998-5482 for more information.



**SCOOTER CLUB VISITS MURALS**—Local members of the Texas Cushman Scooter Club hosted a ride from Draw to Tahoka Saturday morning, with several riders on 27 scooters visiting the Tahoka Downtown Park to view the historical murals. Cushman Scooters were made from 1936 until 1965, and members of the state and national Cushman Scooter Clubs restore the scooters to ride in parades and other events. Local members of the family-oriented club include Joe and Cindy Bryan, Dan Taylor and family, Curtis Whitley, Shorty Williams, Mike Taylor and Phillip Barnett. Saturday morning's ride included riders from as far away as Longview, Gainesville, Irving, San Angelo, Lubbock and Lamesa. (LCN PHOTO)

### Robert Montemayor Named VP At Business Week

Robert Montemayor was recently named vice-president for consumer marketing at Business Week magazine. He is a 1971 graduate of Tahoka High School and a 1975 graduate of Texas Tech University where he received a journalism degree. He also has a MBA.

He worked for six years at the Los Angeles Times and shared a Pulitzer Prize for public service in 1984. He has worked on the business side of publishing for several years, and was deputy circulation director for The Wall Street Journal.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Montemayor, Jr. of Woodrow (formerly of Tahoka).

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**The NEW HOME News**  
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**Back To School**

New Home schools held their teacher workday on Friday, Aug. 19. Schedules, handbooks, and rules were discussed. New teachers include Cam Johnston, kindergarten; Carol Fillingim, 3rd grade; and James German, high school math and basketball coach. After individual campus

meetings, the teachers prepared their rooms for classes on Aug. 22.

**Football**

The New Home Leopards traveled to Cotton Center for their first scrimmage of the season Aug. 19. Coach Dickie Turner has 18 boys suited up for football this year. Assisting Coach Turner are Coach Nile Fields and Coach German. The Leopards will scrimmage Guthrie, ranked fourth in the state, Aug. 26 at New Home.

**Pictures**

Class pictures for grades K-11th grade will be made on Wed., Aug. 31 beginning at 8 p.m.

**GED**

Adults that are wanting to work towards their GED need to contact Karon Durham in the high school library. Classes will be offered every morning to those who are over 18 years of age and have not received a High School diploma.

**August Festival Set In Slaton**

The August Festival in Slaton has been set for Aug. 26 and 27.

On Friday evening a BBQ will be held from 6:30-8 p.m. on the east side of the city hall. Brisket, beans, potato salad and trimmings will be served for \$5 a plate. A street dance will be held from 8:30-12:30 a.m. on Panhandle street. Music will be provided by the Rex Thomas Band and admission is \$5.

For more information contact Darla Mason at the Slaton Chamber of Commerce at 828-6238.



**SEIKO SCIENCE TEAM** — O'Donnell High School science teacher Rubeth Griffing, receives a check from Superintendent Dale Read for \$1,000 from Seiko as students Charlie Vaughn, Amanda Childress, and Jennifer Barrett look on. Robert Eaker, not pictured, is also a member of the Seiko Science team.

**O'Donnell ISD Science Department Receives \$1000 Check From Seiko**

O'Donnell School Superintendent Dale Read presented Rubeth Griffing, O'Donnell High School science teacher, a \$1000 check last week as Seiko team members looked on. The team earned the check by being a finalist in the Seiko Science competition last spring. "This certainly starts the year out on a very positive note," said Mrs. Griffing, Seiko team sponsor. The team's project, which also earned them a trip to New York City,

was concerning the hazardous effects of heavy metals on the environment. "The check's invoice number said 'Winning team,'" Read said. "These students and teacher are winners." Team members are Jennifer Barrett, Amanda Childress, Robert Eaker, and Charlie Vaughn. They each receive a \$1,000 scholarship. "Our success would not be possible without all the support we've had from the administration and the school board," said Mrs. Griffing.

**Cash Rewards Offered For Information On Marijuana Sites**

With marijuana use and concealed growing operations on the rise, the Texas Department of Public Safety

Narcotics Service has established rewards for those providing information leading to the seizure of growing marijuana.

A new toll free phone number will allow the public to call the authorities when operation of an outdoor or indoor growing site is suspected. Callers who identify themselves and the situation can receive a cash reward.

The number to call for an area in question is 1-800-868-MARI (6274). "It is like Crime Stoppers, but it is targeted at marijuana," Narcotics Commander Jim Murray said.

Murray listed several things that may indicate an indoor growing operation: covered or blacked out windows; loud humming sounds (from fans or ballasts); a strong musty odor; large amounts of potting soil, containers, fertilizer, hoses, halide light system, and ballasts; use of guard dogs; or security systems.

Many times marijuana is grown outdoors on public land. Indicators may be: large purchases of fertilizer, garden hoses, PVC pipe, and camouflage netting; 'No Trespassing' or 'Keep Out' signs; guard dogs; unusual structures or items in remote forested areas (buckets, garden tools, fertilizer bags).

"Marijuana growers can be dangerous; investigations should be left to the law enforcement officers," Murray said.

When a caller notifies the authorities, the exact location, address, landmarks, and whether persons or vehicles are in the area will assist the officers in their investigation.

**FIBER FULL**

Regular consumption of cereals, fresh fruits, and vegetables is highly recommended. The American Cancer Society indicates that diets high in fiber may help reduce the risk of colon and rectum cancer. If your diet does not include these ingredients, change is definitely on the menu!

**AVOID OBESITY!**

According to the American Cancer Society, people who are 40 percent or more overweight may increase their risk of cancers of the colon, breast, gallbladder, prostate, and uterus. Check with your physician to determine a balanced diet and an exercise program to help maintain your appropriate body weight.

**Woodwork...**



by Dalton

**FUNNY PAPERS:** What we used to call "the funny papers" and later became known as the comics section of daily newspapers has changed a lot since I read them every day as a kid (okay, so *everything* has changed a lot since I was a kid).

I seldom read today's comic strips. Once in awhile I look for "The Wizard of Id," or some of those good newer ones. But the comic pages don't seem the same without L'il Abner, Smilin' Jack, the Katzenjammer Kids, Gasoline Alley, Orphan Annie, Alley Oop and others.

I looked at a comic page in the Lubbock Landslide-Diary this week and was a bit surprised at how many of the older comic strips are still around. Some must have changed artists, although I noticed Barney Google and Snuffy Smith still has Fred Lasswell's name on it. Fred must be a hundred years old.

Others still around are Blondie, Mary Worth, Peanuts and Dennis the Menace, although the latter two are not as old as the others.

L'il Abner was probably the most famous of the oldtime comic strips, with its characters like Hairless Joe, Sen. Jack S. Fogbound (he always was re-elected, because the folks back home wanted him to stay in Washington and not come back to town), Joe Blitzfk (the spelling is wrong, but he was the little guy who always had a rain cloud over his head), Daisy Mae and others. This comic strip spawned a musical and a movie.

Some which disappeared long ago include Out Our Way, Why Mothers Get Grey, Smokey Stover, Jiggs and Maggie and Felix the Cat.

A couple of questions I never did get answered:

When Superman goes into a phone booth to change into his uniform, what does he do with his clothes? Hang them on the phone hook and come back for them later? Does he also change shoes or just keep on wearing Clark Kent's oxfords? What if someone came by and found Clark's glasses and clothing in the phone booth?

What was wrong with Orphan Annie's eyes? Talk about your blank looks.

When did Gasoline Alley stop? I don't remember much about it, except the character Skeezix had an unruly lock of hair and girlfriend with the punny name, Nina Clock.

Jiggs and Maggie was a pretty good strip about a married couple. I remember reading one where he was looking at his plate on the dinner table and asked her, "Is this my dinner, or did you forget to wash the plates after breakfast?"

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## Pages From The Past...

by Vondell Elliott

The following excerpts were taken from past issues of The Lynn County News.

### Chevrolet Agents Locate Here; Will Erect Building

Messrs. M.H. Snowden and C.A. Rayburn of Littlefield have removed to this place and opened a Chevrolet sales and service business under the firm name of Snowden-Rayburn Chevrolet Company. They come highly recommended as citizens and business men and they will be cordially welcomed to the business circles of our city.

Temporarily their place of business will be at the Burselson Grain Company, but if present plans materialize, a new building will soon be constructed by Sam Sanford and Ira Doak on the east side of the square to be occupied by Messrs. Snowden and Rayburn as a sales and service room. - Feb. 2, 1928

### Roberts Will Build A New Brick

Oscar Roberts has let the contract for the construction of a brick building on the west side of the square, immediately north of the Hall Robinson building. The structure will be one story, twenty-five by fifty feet. John Hickerson is the contractor and work will begin as soon as the material arrives.

The building will be occupied by the Texas Utilities Company as an office and sales room. - Feb. 16, 1928

### Wilson To Have Electric Lights Soon

For a number of years Wilson has looked forward to the time when she could have her ... homes lit up with electricity. The dream is just about to come true as representatives of the Texas Utilities Company and of Wilson got together one night last week and signed a contract ... [The Utilities Company will] place in operation at least six street lights to be kept up by the company for a period of 30 months, and also wire the town to take care of the needs of the people at a cost equal to that charged in other nearby towns. We are expecting lights by July 1st, 1928. - Wilson Pointer. - March 15, 1928

### Building Bathing Pool Near Town

Hill Hibdon states that he has already let the contract of a concrete bathing pool at his place a few miles north of town. The structure will be 24 feet wide, 80 feet long, and from two to ten feet deep. It will be built entirely above ground so that it may be drained easily and kept filled constantly with fresh water. Two wells with windmills and a gasoline engine will furnish the water. Mr. Hibdon says that the pool will be completed and ready for service by May 1. - March 15, 1928

### CHILDCARE AVAILABLE

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**PUZZLE BUILDERS**—Lois Roberts and Billie Long show one of the 3-D puzzles they put together at the Senior Citizens Center in Tahoka this summer. Both ladies enjoy doing puzzles at the center, which offers nutritious lunches on weekdays, as well as activities such as quilting, playing dominoes, and visiting for senior citizens in the area. The center also honors birthdays with parties held once a month. All area senior citizens are invited to participate in the center's activities. (LCN PHOTO)

## You Need To Know...

by PATSY SANDERS of O'Donnell

(Editor's Note: Patsy Sanders of O'Donnell is a representative of Communicating for Agriculture (CA), a national organization of farmers and ranchers. She is concerned about the plight of rural America.)

This week we're taking a detour and discussing gun control. Next week we will resume Health Care Reform.

Our forefathers put forward in the Declaration of Independence two earth-shaking propositions that all men are created equal and that government must not exist without the consent of the governed. Our forefathers never intended for the government to control. The populace was to control the government. The populace has grown apathetic and lazy. They do not wish to get involved. They don't want to be bothered. The result is a government empowering itself to take over everything and every phase of your life. That is exactly what our forefathers fought the British about.

The current administration, less than two weeks after the semi-automatic ban passed the House of Representative, are not going after handguns. This legislation is titled: "The Handgun Control and Violence Prevention Act of 1994." For starters, these bills would require a state-issued license valid no more than two years, in order to buy a handgun, handgun ammunition or ammunition components. The bills introduced by Rep. Charles Schumer (D-NY) and Sen. Bill Bradley (D-NJ) are HR 4300 and S.2053. A sector of our elected officials in Washington will not stop until they get a repeal of the 2nd amendment.

We need stiffer laws for the criminals who break the laws. Everyday in the U.S. 14 people are murdered, 48 women are raped, and 578 people are victims of robberies committed by criminals who have already been caught, convicted, and then returned to the streets via a revolving door on probation or early parole.

Violence has escalated, but the blame is not being placed where it belongs. Instead of admitting that, we have failed to take responsibilities for ourselves and our own family members. We choose to falsely place the blame on an object - the gun. The gun has no conscious and no personality; it only does what the person holding it tells it to do. Therefore, the gun cannot be at fault.

Wake up America! It's late, but it's not too late. Write or call those that are elected to serve you in Wash-

ington. Let them know your opinion. If your representatives do not vote as you feel they should, do not vote for them when their positions come up for re-election. It is time to stand up and let our voices be heard.

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CPR UNIT DONATED TO HOSPITAL - Lynn County Hospital received a new CPR training unit (called "ResusciAnnie") last Friday morning, donated by the National Automobile Dealers Charitable Foundation through Al Griggs Autocenter, Inc. in Tahoka. The grant search was initiated by the Lynn County Committee of the Wes-Tex RC&D (Resource Conservation and Development). Shown with the \$1500 CPR unit are, from left, John Conner, Jr. of the Texas Automobile Dealers Association; local auto dealer Al Griggs; Amy Preston and Jonama Allen, representing the RC&D; Hospital Administrator Louise Landers; and Lynn County EMS Coordinator Barbara Cook.

## Poka Lambro Communications To Begin Service In September

Poka Lambro announces the arrival of their new long distance company, Poka Lambro Communications. "In September, Poka Lambro Communications, a new full-service long distance provider, will offer the same high quality, cost-effective service customers have come to expect from Poka Lambro," said a representative.

Customers within Poka Lambro's current service area, as well as those in adjacent communities will be able to take advantage of their state-of-the-art digital network and competitive prices. According to Shirley Christian, Vice President of Marketing for Poka Lambro, their long distance rates will be 20% off what one would pay for standard AT&T rates.

"Detailed call accounting, travel card services, international calling, prepaid long distance calling cards, and dependable 24-hour operator services are just a few of the benefits to be enjoyed by Poka Lambro Communications customers," she said.

As part of their kick-off campaign, customers within Poka Lambro's current service area signing up for service by Sept. 15, 1994 will be placed in a drawing for a big screen TV. Customers in the adjacent communities of Lamesa, Brownfield, Denver City, and Ropesville who sign up by Oct. 15, 1994 will be eligible for a big screen TV as well.

For more information or to sign up for long distance service from Poka Lambro Communications, contact

their office toll-free at 1-800-480-5463.

Additionally, Poka Lambro will provide a new brand of long distance service in the Lubbock and Permian Basin area in early 1995.

## Lubbock County Drip Irrigation Field Demonstration Day Set

A water conservation field demonstration day will be held Thursday, Aug. 25, at the Ute Beeton farm located five miles east of Idalou and eight miles north on Farm Road 789. Interested producers are invited to stop by the field day at their convenience from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. to see the many water conservation techniques being demonstrated.

"Since severe hail damage to the cotton crop forced cancellation of the demonstration day scheduled for Sept. 8 in Lynn County, this will be our last field day for the 1994 growing season. We hope producers will take this opportunity to see how drip irrigation has been used to irrigate cotton in the hot, dry weather experienced so far this year," says Ken Carver, High Plains Water District Assistant Manager.

Drip irrigation is the slow, frequent application of small amounts of water to the soil area directly surrounding plant roots. Water losses caused by evaporation, deep percolation, and runoff are virtually eliminated. Using drip irrigation can save 30 to 40 percent of the water required by most other irrigation systems, according to sources at the High Plains Water District.

"Most producers are aware that drip irrigation requires less water than conventional furrow irrigation. However, most want to see how well it performs. This will be a good opportunity for them to see how the cotton is responding to drip irrigation in hot, dry weather," says Carver. Representatives from sponsoring

## New "ResusciAnnie" To Aid Hospital With CPR Classes

The Lynn County Hospital EMS hopes to train at least 50 citizens on what to do when a person has a heart attack.

This program was made possible last week when the hospital received a new CPR mannequin unit, donated by the National Automobile Dealers Charitable Foundation through Al Griggs Autocenter, Inc. in Tahoka and the Texas Automobile Dealers Association (TADA). The "ResusciAnnie" training unit was presented to the local hospital in formal ceremonies Friday morning.

In presenting the CPR unit, which is essential for cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) training, John Conner, Jr., TADA West Texas Regional Manager, said, "If the right kind of treatment can be given a heart attack victim within seconds after he or she is stricken, the chances are good that the life can be saved. CPR training teaches a person how to keep the heart beating while professional help is coming."

Local auto dealer Al Griggs was on hand for the presentation, as well as Hospital Administrator Louise Landers and EMS Coordinator Barbara Cook, and representing the Wes-Tex RC&D (Resource Conservation and Development) who initiated the grant search process were Jonama Allen (also in the EMS), Amy Preston

and Juanel Jones.

Estimated cost of the CPR unit was \$1500. The RC&D grant search indicated funds available from the National Automobile Dealers Charitable Foundation, and a letter requesting the CPR unit was submitted through Al Griggs Autocenter. John Conner delivered ResusciAnnie to the hospital Friday morning for the presentation ceremonies.

Since the massive involvement of Americans training in CPR, there has been an increase in long-term survivors from ventricular fibrillation, according to Mrs. Landers. There are many cases where the training is given to citizens showing that many heart attack victims who otherwise die have been saved and returned to normal activities. The training takes from five to eight hours of intensive practice and lectures.

Mrs. Landers said that hospital employees Carol Botkin and Lana Stice are certified instructors in CPR training, and will be teaching the local classes in the near future. Those who complete the class will receive certification, said Mrs. Landers.

In accepting the CPR training unit, EMT Coordinator Barbara Cook said the organization had set a goal to train at least 50 persons in the next year.

The CPR unit gives signals telling when the trainee is applying the right pressure in the right spot or breathing correctly into the victim's mouth. With the training, the students learn the "feel" of giving quick, lifesaving emergency treatment.

The National Automobile Dealers Charitable Foundation is part of the National Automobile Dealers Association with headquarters in McLean, Virginia. Its membership

includes over 19,000 franchised new car and truck dealers in the United States.

Conner said he had been involved in presenting CPR units to EMS and health organizations, school districts, fire departments, Girl Scout programs and other organizations throughout West Texas for the past eight years, and that NADA averages ten CPR-unit donations a year within the West Texas territory alone. He recently presented a CPR unit to Colorado City High School, and was to present a unit to Gail EMS this week.

This was the second grant received by the hospital through the efforts of the Wes-Tex RC&D, who obtained \$3,000 in grant funds for radio communications equipment for the EMS in January.

The RC&D is currently working with the hospital in researching grant funds for a hospital-owned retirement village here.

## Garza Theatre Presents "The Fourposter"

The Garza Theatre in Post will present its latest play, "The Fourposter," by Jan de Hartog beginning Sept. 2.

"The Fourposter" is a two person comedy tracing the lives of a couple from the beginnings of their marriage to 35 years later as they move.

Performances have been slated for Sept. 2-4, 9-11, and 15-18. Curtain times are Thursday-Saturday 7:45 p.m. and Sunday 2:30 p.m. Tickets are \$7.50 for adults and \$4.50 for children 6-12.

The box office is open Monday-Friday, 12 noon - 5 p.m. and show weekends 12 noon to curtain time. For reservations call 1-800-846-3706.

### SECTION 00020 INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Tahoka (Owner) will receive bids for Improvements to the City of Tahoka's Elevated Storage Tank at City Hall, P.O. Box 300, Tahoka, Texas, 79373-0300, until September 12, 1994 at 2 p.m., at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

The project generally includes repairs and improvements to two steel ground storage tanks for compliance with the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission (TNRCC) requirements, and surface preparation and recoating of two steel ground storage tanks.

Bidders must submit a Cashier's check or certified check issued by a bank satisfactory to the owner, or Proposal Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of the City of Tahoka, in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the bid submitted as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bonds and guaranty in the forms provided within fifteen (15) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without the required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible Surety Company, authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and satisfactory to the Owner, as required by Article 5160, V.A.T.C.S., as amended by H.B. 344, passed by the 56th Legislature, regular Session 1959.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file in the office of the City Manager, City Hall, City of Tahoka, Texas, and at the office of Oller Engineering, Inc. 7806 Indiana Avenue, Suite #202, Lubbock, Texas.

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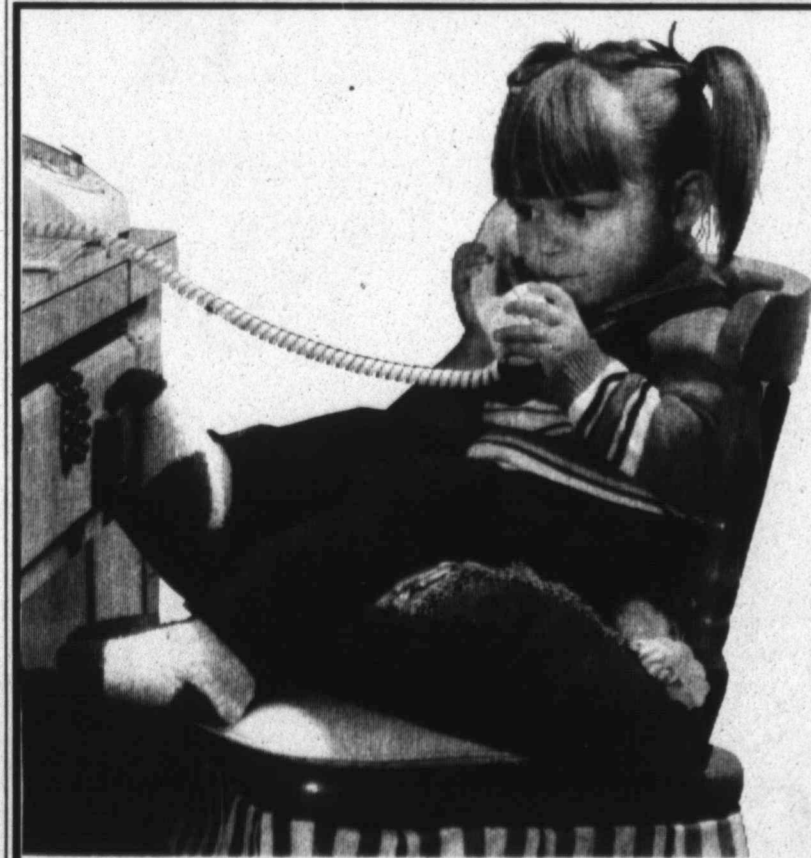
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### August Sales Tax Rebates Mailed

"For the eleventh consecutive month, employment in Texas has increased by 3 percent or more, and consumer confidence remains strong," State Comptroller John Sharp said as he delivered a total of \$197.9 million in monthly sales tax rebates to 1,073 Texas cities and 111 counties, an 8.5 percent increase over the payments of one year ago.

"Total employment in Texas rose in June by 226,200 jobs to stand at 7,676,900, an all-time employment high," Sharp said.

This month's payments include local sales taxes collected by monthly filers on June sales and by quarterly filers for April, May, and June and reported to the Comptroller in July.

Lynn County received a payment of \$13,744.46, a 5.33% increase from last year's payment of \$13,048.05. O'Donnell received \$1,977.60, a 12.99% decrease from last year's payment of \$2,273.054. Tahoka received a payment of \$10,937.72, a 16.57% increase from last year's payment of \$9,382.22. Wilson received a payment of \$829.14, a 40.46% decrease from last year's payment of \$1,392.78.

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### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The O'Donnell I.S.D. will accept sealed bids until 3:00 p.m. (CDT), September 8, 1994, for the following items:

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GENERAL ELECTION  
NOVEMBER 8, 1994

**LYNN COUNTY JUDGE**

**J.F. Brandon**  
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**Larry Hagood**  
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**STATE REPRESENTATIVE**

**Wilma Hogan**  
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**THIS VOLLEYBALL TEAM** - The Tahoka High School girls varsity volleyball team began season play this week, hosting Midland Christian here Tuesday. Team members are, back row from left, Coach Kirk Ellis, Carmella Placencia, Georgia Williams, Rebecca DeLeon; middle row from left, Jill Jaquess, Lynn Rash, Shae Wright; and in front, Blanda Miller, Alyssa Gryder, and Amy Dunlap. (LCN PHOTO)

### Buddy Holly's Widow To Be At Poka Lambro Headquarters Friday

Maria Elena Holly, widow of rock and roll legend, Buddy Holly will join representatives from Poka Lambro Communications, a new long distance service provider for the South Plains, at a 2 p.m. reception Friday, Aug. 26 at Poka Lambro's corporate office, to celebrate the release of a three card collector's edition of prepaid long distance calling cards. The cards are being offered as the first of

three planned Limited Edition Buddy Holly Life Series Sets, and feature classic and rarely publicized photography of the 1950s star.

Maria Elena Holly will be at Poka Lambro to personally distribute the Buddy Holly Life Series Limited Edition cards. A photographer will be present as well, for those purchasing card sets who would like to have their picture taken with Ms. Holly.

Lubbock City Councilman, Ty Cooke will be on hand to accept a set of the Limited Edition cards, donated by Poka Lambro, which will be added to the city's recently purchased collection of Buddy Holly memorabilia.

Poka Lambro Communications is a subsidiary of Poka Lambro Telephone Cooperative, a progressive telecommunications service provider headquartered 13 miles south of Lubbock. Poka Lambro is offering their brand of phone cards called TeleCash, in addition to the limited edition series of cards licensed by the Buddy

Holly Estate. Prepaid long distance calling cards, or phone cards as they are called internationally, work much like the traditional phone company calling cards, except the buyer pays for the usage in advance and each call is deducted from the face value of the card.

Poka Lambro hopes to capitalize on the card collecting phenomenon that has sprung up around the world. Unused, unopened phone cards have become a European version of baseball cards with colorful graphics, and featuring topics of interest to collectors. In America, the fascination is catching on fast. For example, an unused calling card which was given away at the Democratic National Convention in 1992 (and which most tossed in the nearest trash can) is now worth an estimated \$1700 on the collectors market. Collectors are paying as much as \$5,000 for rare, unused cards. Industry insiders expect collectible phone cards to continue to be a hot item on the global market.

### SPS Announces 20-Year Contract With Lea Co. Electric

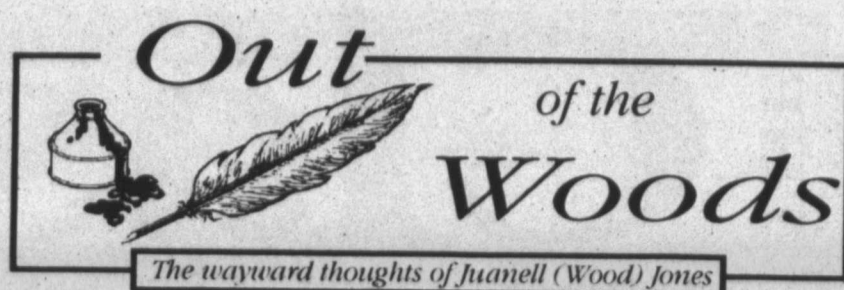
Southwestern Public Service Company has entered into a long-term power supply agreement with Lea County Electric Cooperative in New Mexico, in which SPS will provide the cooperative's full requirements power into the next century. The agreement will be for 20 years and continues a relationship between the utilities which has existed since Lea County Electric was founded in 1949.

Lea County Electric purchased a portion of its power needs from SPS until 1983 when the cooperative discontinued its own generation and began purchasing all its power needs from SPS.

Lea County Electric Executive Vice President K.C. Martin noted that Lea County Electric has some of the lowest rates in the state of New Mexico. "The members of Lea County Electric have benefited from the purchase of all our power from SPS," Martin said. "This new contract will assure us of the ability to continue to receive reliable, low-cost power from SPS for the next two decades," he said.

Lea County Electric is a member-owned cooperative which provides electrical service to more than 6,000 members in southeastern New Mexico and West Texas.

SPS is a regional electric utility that primarily provides electric service to a population of about one million people in a 52,000-square-mile area comprising eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the South Plains and Panhandle of Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas. Corporate headquarters is in Amarillo.



School began here last Monday, and students swarmed the school grounds early that morning lugging all sorts of school-related paraphernalia to their classrooms. In elementary school, I'd wager about a thousand boxes of kleenex were carried in, and double that number of pencils - all of which will be gone by Christmas. I should buy stock in the #2 lead pencil company.

We went on a treasure hunt at our house about a week before school started, looking for last year's scissors, rulers, combination locks, clipboards and various other re-usable school supplies. Aliens removed these items from our house during the summer, however, because as my bewildered children put it, "I had it right there!"

I firmly believe that somewhere, in the vast outer reaches of the universe, there is a planet filled with lost socks, forks, scissors, homework papers, screwdrivers, keys and hammers taken by aliens from this earth. Why, from our house alone, we've lost enough forks to feed an army of aliens and enough socks to warm a 1000 little tiny green feet (or big feet, in my husband's case). At one time, we had an entire drawer full of screwdrivers in the workshop, and we're lucky now to find just one (it's the one I put in my kitchen drawer, if that tells you anything). And forget about finding a hammer when you need one - it's a crime punishable by a week's worth of dishwashing duty for it to hang in its designated spot in the workshop.

I learned a long time ago, however, to look up when I needed a tool of any kind. No, I'm not looking for alien spacecraft. I'm just thinking like my husband, who is a good foot taller than I. He tends to put things in places I've never seen without the help of a stepladder, such as on top of the refrigerator or on those handy ceiling rafters in the workshop.

The workshop is a magical place. Everytime I go in there, I find new and amazing stuff ... stuff that I thought had disappeared years ago. Just the other day, while digging through a cabinet full of such useful items as a broken thermos bottle, a paint-splattered drop cloth, three of my husband's wadded-up old workshirts, a coffee can full of wire, and an extremely ugly light fixture which came across on the Ark, I found a little glow-in-the-dark human skull which my older brother bought more than 25 years ago at Six Flags Over Texas. Eureka!

Conversely, things can magically disappear from the workshop as well. My garden gloves move sporadically around the cabinets and shelves when we're not looking, and that little needle thing that you poke into a basketball to air it up can zip off into hyperspace before your very eyes. I've never actually seen it move, mind you, but I know it does because "I put it right there!" just a second ago. And somewhere, sucked up in the black hole of the workshop, is a little sack full of brand-new paint sponge brushes which disappeared about two minutes after I put them in there.

The bigger items pretty much stay put, possibly because of a stronger gravitational pull, because I can usually find my broom (unfortunately) and the kids' bicycles. And there's a large plastic trash bag full of ... well ... trash, that I sure do wish would disappear. Not only is it too heavy for aliens to haul it out of the earth's gravitational pull, it apparently is too heavy for mere earthlings to carry to the dumpster.

By chance, if someday I can not be found where I am supposed to be (in the kitchen, laundry room or office), look for me in the workshop. And if you don't find me there, look again. I may reappear at any moment ... with a bag of new paint brushes.

I wonder if my brother wants his Six Flags skull back? I wonder if he knows he lost it? I wonder if I could find that \$20-bill that I lost at the office one day - the one that disappeared right out of my hand during the 10 seconds it took to walk from the front door to my desk? I'd better go look in the workshop ... just in case.

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Applicants selected for participation will receive special instruction in math, science, English skills, Spanish, and personal development. In addition to these Saturday morning academic sessions, Upward Bounders are also eligible for free tutoring and free passes to selected cultural events, as well as many other additional privileges usually reserved for Tech students. Also while enrolled in the program, students participate in a special six-week residential summer program where students live on the campus of Texas Tech. Another special feature of the program is the fact that after high school graduation, the program sponsors the student's first six hours of college course work.

Individuals interested in obtaining an application should contact the school counselor or the Upward Bound office on the campus of Texas Tech at 742-3616. Applications are reviewed on a first-come-first served basis.