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City To Raise Taxes, Water, Garbage Rates

by JUANELL JONES
 City authorities say they are reluctant to do it, but the reality of rising costs in landfill fees, water availability, and general expenses is compelling City of Tahoka officials to propose a three-cent tax rate increase, as well as increases in basic rates for water and sanitation services.
 A public hearing to hear constructive comments from citizens is set for 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 5 on the proposed budget, tax rate and anticipated increases in water and sanitation fees. The hearing will be held at City Hall, located at 1612 Lockwood.
 Currently, the city tax rate is 59-cents per \$100 property valuation, and the proposed three-cent increase will raise that figure to 62-cents, which (with expected water and sanitation rate increases) would fund a proposed budget of \$1,012,330, including \$434,510 in the general fund, \$387,420 in water/sewer, and \$190,400 in sanitation. The total budget is just over \$61,000 higher than last year's figure, according to City Administrator Jerry Webster.
 The anticipated increase in sanitation rates will be \$1.50 per month for city residents, and for commercial usage will be based on a 12 percent increase, according to usage. "This is directly attributed to an increase in fees at the Lubbock landfill (where Tahoka's waste is hauled), which is passed directly on to the consumer," said Mayor Jim Solomon. City residents now pay \$11.50 for sanitation. It is expected that the increase will take effect on Oct. 1.
 And, October will most likely see a \$3.00 increase in minimum water rates for the City of Tahoka, which the mayor says is due to several reasons. The current minimum residential water rate is \$10.25, so the proposed minimum would be \$13.25. "The increase is primarily due to Canadian River Authority assessments, including a water salinity

project, and to local requirements from the health department in water tower repairs," said Solomon. "More importantly, however, we are planning ahead for an alternate water source that will carry us through the next 30 to 40 years," he added.
 Tahoka gets its water from Lake Meredith, through the Canadian River Authority, which also provides water for many other Texas cities, including Lubbock. According to Solomon, anticipated growth in water usage has prompted the Canadian River Authority to secure water rights for acreage in the Pampa area, for drilling wells to obtain water which would be connected to the Lake Meredith pipeline in the next several years.
 This alternate water source is expected to provide water for the next 30-40 years, but is a multi-million-dollar project which participating cities must share in funding. Tahoka's cost-share is projected to be approximately \$150,000 (a one-time fee for construction costs), which Solomon says the city must begin paying for in 1998. He hopes that the proposed water rate increase now will enable the city to designate part of that revenue towards the alternate water source project.
 "The City Council is really aware that these are all increased costs to the citizens of Tahoka, and we estimate that the average increase of these changes to residents will total \$65 per year (including city taxes, water rates, and sanitation rates)," Solomon said.
 "However, it should be recognized that we have the lowest tax rate in this county, and with these increases our water and sanitation rates are still no more than average. In all candor, when it comes to dealing with sanitation and water, there are few realistic available options to us," he added.
 "I would certainly welcome any constructive comments on these issues," reiterated the mayor.



OKAY, I'LL STOP—A Tahoka Bulldog runner reluctantly goes down to the tackle of an O'Donnell Eagle during a scrimmage in Tahoka last week as both teams gear up for a new season. (LCN PHOTO)

Bulldogs Eye Playoffs As Goal For Season

By DALTON WOOD
 With seven returning starters on offense and eight on defense, the Tahoka Bulldogs are gearing up for the 1995 football season with an eye toward getting into the playoffs for the first time since 1981.

Firemen's Fish Fry Set Next Friday

The Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department is hosting their annual Fish Fry next Friday, Sept. 8, at 6 p.m. in the Tahoka Mini-Park. All-you-can-eat fish, fries, hush puppies, slaw and drink will cost \$4.50 per person, with all proceeds to benefit the local fire department. Everyone is invited to attend.
 The Tahoka VFD is also raffling a gun, on display at Hometown Hardware, for a drawing to be held at the Lynn County Harvest Festival on Sept. 23. Tickets are \$5 each or five tickets for \$20, available at Hometown Hardware or from any member of the local fire department.

News Office To Close For Holiday

The Lynn County News, as well as most other business in Lynn County, will close for the Labor Day holiday Monday, Sept. 4.
 The News will go to press Wednesday afternoon as usual, with a deadline for news at 5 p.m. Tuesday.
 Most area schools will also close for the holiday, including Tahoka, Wilson and New Home, but O'Donnell will have classes Monday.

"Our goal is to get into the playoffs this year," said Coach Darrell (Tooter) Draper, who in his first full season as head coach last year guided the team to its first winning record (5-4-0) since 1981.
 As of last week, when the Bulldogs scrimmaged against O'Donnell, Tahoka had 41 boys out for the team, compared to 36 at the same time last year. Some of those 41 will form the junior varsity team, which looked good against the Eagles' JV, especially on defense.
 The varsity outscored O'Donnell 2-1 and Coach Draper and his assistants were pleased with the scrimmage here Thursday. "We looked solid on defense and there were some bright spots on offense," he said. "Both quarterbacks (Shawn Brewer and Mike Rodriguez) looked good."
 Last year's starters who are back this season include four who started both ways, so there are 11 players who were starters. The returnees on offense are Rodriguez at center, Gerold Cantu at guard; Victor Herrera at tackle, Edward Ramirez at slot back, Monty Hale at fullback, Steve Wiseman at tailback, Stephen Rodriguez at split end, and Matt

Garcia at tight end.
 On defense, Cantu, 160-pound senior, will play linebacker; Ramirez, also a senior, returns as free safety; Hale is back at strong safety and Garcia, 205-pound junior, will be a defensive tackle. Others returning on defense are Clay Taylor at corner back, Joseph DeLeon at defensive end and Reggie Moore at defensive tackle.
 All-district linebacker Jesse Perez currently is out with a broken toe, but may be able to play in a few weeks, Draper said.
 Draper said a newcomer, senior Michael Calvillo, 6-1, 210, likely will be a starter both ways. He is expected to play linebacker on defense.
 Offensively the Bulldogs will run out of a pro-type I formation, with a slot back, with the tailback doing most of the running. Wiseman, who handled the job most of last season, is only a sophomore, and should be even better this year.
 This week the Bulldogs will scrimmage at McCamey, JV and varsity, at 6 p.m. Friday.
 First game is Saturday, Sept. 9 at Odessa, on astroturf, against Fort Davis.

Two Wrecks, Trailer Thefts Investigated

Two traffic accidents were investigated by law enforcement officers during the last week, including one in O'Donnell where five young people were injured, but there was no damage to the car involved.
 Sunday evening along Doak St. in O'Donnell the accelerator stuck on a 1982 Ford driven by Latysa Jones, 15, and the car sped for several blocks before coming to a stop in a cotton field just north of the city. Meanwhile, as the car slowed a few times, passengers in the car jumped out, one carrying a 10-month-old baby. The driver and a 16-year-old female in the front with her stayed with the car, according to investigating DPS officers. The 16-year-old was not hurt; the driver was treated for undetermined injuries at both Lynn County Hospital and University Medical Center in Lubbock and released the next day.
 None of the injuries were serious. Treated at Lynn County Hospital were Anita Renteria, 15, April Renteria, 14, Stephanie Ortiz, 13, and the 10-month-old boy, Ladareon Hunter.
 The other accident during the week was in the 1900-block of Ave. O in Tahoka on Tuesday, Aug. 23. Driving a 1993 Pontiac was Mary Belinda Rhodes, 37, of Lamesa, and driver of a 1994 Dodge van was Jolene Sikes Tomlinson, 54, of Tahoka. Neither driver was injured.
 Tahoka Police Dept. received a report that two utility trailers, valued at a total of \$3582, had been stolen from Taylor Tractor & Equipment last Wednesday night or Thursday. One was black 16-foot homemade trailer and the other was a yellow 18-foot Lee trailer.
 Police also had a report from Dayton Parker of Tahoka that someone had stolen three wheel covers valued at \$40 each from his 1987 Pontiac during the night of Aug. 24.
 A 106th District jury last week found a 52-year-old Tahoka man, Joe Tijerina, guilty of charges of aggravated sexual assault on a minor female and he was assessed a two-year-prison term. The term then was probated for a period of seven years.
 A Midland man was arrested and (See Police Report, pg. 6)

'Meet The Bulldogs' Slated Tonight At Tailgate Party

The Bulldog Booster Club will host the first tailgate party tonight (Thursday), at 6 p.m. just prior to the "Meet the Bulldogs" at 7 p.m. Hamburgers and drinks for \$2 will be available at the south end gate and then the coaches and athletes will be introduced on the football field.
 Watermelon will be served after the introductions and the Booster Club will have spirit raiser-items for sale during this time.
 The Tahoka Fellowship of Christian Athletes will also have a silent Cake Auction at the track during the evening.
 The Bulldog Booster Club will paint the town with paw prints this Saturday, Sept. 2, available for homes or businesses for \$5 each. Arrangements and payments for the prints must be made before Saturday and can be scheduled at the Tailgate party, or contact Kathy Hale at 998-4256 or Richard Lopez at 998-5306.
 "The Bulldog Booster Club is looking forward to an exciting season for all the Bulldogs and Lady Bulldogs and this is an excellent night to show our athletes and coaches that we support and encourage them," said one sponsor. Anyone can join the Club and dues are \$5 per family.

Tahoka Varsity Bulldog 1995 Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 1	McCamey*	T	6 p.m.
Sept. 9	Fl. Davis	Odesa	8 p.m.
Sept. 15	Lorenzo	T	8 p.m.
Sept. 22	Olton**	H	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 29 (Sat.)	Idalou*	T	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 6	Post*	H	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 13	Seagraves*	T	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 20	Ralls*	H	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 27	Boys Ranch	Plainview	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 3	Sundown*	T	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 10	Crosbyton***	H	7:30 p.m.
*District games **Homecoming ***Parent Night @Scrimmage			

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Aug. 23	90	65	
Aug. 24	91	63	
Aug. 25	93	63	
Aug. 26	94	64	
Aug. 27	93	65	
Aug. 28	91	65	
Aug. 29	94	67	
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AUGUST 31 1995



LEONARD and JO NETTLES

Couple To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Leonard and Jo Nettles of New Home will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday, Sept. 2, with a reception from 3-5 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in New Home.

The event will be hosted by their children Allen and Charlotte Neece of Abilene and Danny Nettles of New Home.

Grandchildren are Gene and Rachelle Link of Lewisville, Leslie Nettles of Lubbock, Kimberly and Landon Neece of Abilene and one great grandson, Heath Link.

Leonard and the former Rita Jo Phifer were married Sept. 2, 1945 in Shallowater. Friends are invited to attend the reception. The couple requests no gifts please.

Drivers License Office Announces Hours

The drivers license office will be open in Tahoka on Aug. 31 from 9 a.m.- 12 noon.

The drivers license examiner suggests that individuals look at their license to make sure it is not expired and that their address is correct.

Also the department would remind persons having a CDL license with a hazardous materials endorsement that they have to retest on the hazardous materials test whenever they renew. Those persons do not have to wait until their birthday but should come in several weeks ahead of that time.



STORK REPORT

Lisa and Andrew Chapa of Tahoka announce the birth of a daughter, Jori Leigh, born Aug. 17. She weighed 8 lbs., 6 ozs. and was 20 1/2 inches long.

She has a brother, Mitchell Craig, and a sister, Christyn.

Grandparents are Carolina and Margarito Chapa of Tahoka and Bill and Kay Blaek of Poteet.

Choya and Annetta Davis of O'Donnell announce the birth of their daughter, Madison Diane, born Aug. 23 at 12:44 p.m. She weighed 6 lbs. 4 ozs. and was 18 inches long.

She has a sister, Kindra Jeanette, who is 7 years old.

Grandparents are Larry and Jeanette Pyron of O'Donnell and Dy Ann Davis of San Angelo. Great grandmother is Ora Pyron of Tahoka.

Rus and Lee Ann Roberts of Lubbock announce the birth of their son, Brian Allen, born at 10:39 a.m. Friday, Aug. 18 in Methodist Hospital. He was 8 lbs. 6 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

He has a brother, Tyler who is 3 years old.

Grandparents are Ronald and Jane Roberts of Tahoka, Al and Georgia Cushion of Lubbock, and Marie Vick of Selma, Ala.

Williams Family Reunion Set

The Williams Family Reunion and 90th birthday party for Bertha Williams of Tahoka will be held this weekend, Sept. 2-3, according to a local family member.

News From The Tahoka Care Center

by LISA LEHMAN

Birthdays this past week include residents Juanita Chambers on Aug. 24, Mozelle Banks on Aug. 26, and Jim Elrod on Aug. 27. Employees with birthdays in August include Betty Dickson on Aug. 24 and Lisa Lehman on Aug. 25.

Volunteers and Bingo prizes are needed at the Center. Anyone wanting to help will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks to Mr. Young for bringing squash to the Center.

An appreciation dinner was held at Yollie Dotson's on Friday, Aug. 25. Thanks to Shi Dotson for cooking the steaks. A going away party was held Monday, Aug. 28 for Kieth Nelson, administrator. He will be missed.

The residents and staff want to welcome Diana Riojas, administrator, back to the Center.

Welcome is extended the three new residents Virgie Richards, Estelle Cook, and Betty Castillo.

New Weight-Loss Class Has Spiritual Emphasis

A weight loss class with a spiritual emphasis will begin September 12th at the Tahoka Assembly of God Church. This is a non-denominational program.

The Weigh Down Workshop, a 12-week program, designed by a registered dietitian in Memphis, Tennessee and implemented at a number of churches all over the U.S., will start a pilot class which will meet weekly on Tuesdays from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. in the church.

Participants must start at the beginning. No registrations will be accepted after the first class meeting. Limited space available.

The cost is \$103 payable at the first class. A spouse or family member living in the same house can attend for one-half price. Participants will receive 12 audio tapes and a 160-page manual as well as be viewing weekly video tapes in the class. An orientation class will be held on Tuesday, September 5th. For more information contact Marcy Whitley, 998-5377 or Pastor James Mayo, 998-5317.

Service News

Navy Seaman Apprentice Gabriel Saldana, a 1994 graduate of Tahoka High School recently completed the Electronic Warfare Technician Maintenance Course.

During the course at Naval Technical Training Center, Corry Station, Pensacola, Fla., students receive the training required to perform preventative and corrective maintenance actions on electronic warfare equipment.

He joined the Navy in July 1994.

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KAREN GANZE and RUSTY JENNINGS
Couple To Wed In October

Charles and Ruth Ganze of Dickinson announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen, to Ruston Jennings of Houston. He is the son of Phil and Peggy Jennings of Tahoka.

The couple plans to wed Oct. 7 in the First Baptist Church of Dickinson. The bride elect is a graduate of Texas A&M University.

The future bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin and is now a fourth year medical student at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center in Houston.

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TAHOKA BULLDOG STADIUM CUSHIONS!

THS Varsity Cheerleaders are selling stadium cushions with the Bulldog logo. They are 2-1/2" foam, waterproof, with an easy-carry handle. Cost is \$6 each.



For more information, contact a varsity cheerleader -- J'Lyn Williams, Kristi Chapa, Robin Martin, Misti Nance, Abby Wells, Tancy DeLeon, Amanda Fuentes, Rebecca Hudgens, and Courtney Stinnett. Or call Mrs. Valli Fell at 998-4538.

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VERNON JONES HONORED — Vernon F. Jones of Tahoka (left) is presented a plaque by Mayor Jim Solomon for his 16 years of service (March 5, 1979 to July 12, 1995) as a director on the board of the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority for the city of Tahoka. "I really appreciate Vernon's dedicated service as our representative. He has served not only on this board, but many volunteer boards in the past and we all owe him our gratitude for his civic responsibility," stated Solomon. Larry Hagood has been named as the new director to represent Tahoka. (LCN PHOTO)

County Commissioners Okay Budget, One-Cent Tax Hike

Lynn County Commissioners Monday afternoon set a new tax rate and approved the 1996 budget after conducting a public hearing in the County Judge's Office, approving a budget of \$1,762,497, an increase of about \$48,000 over last year's budget figure of \$1,714,000.

The new budget is based on an anticipated revenue of \$1,762,635, which is based on a new tax rate of .55905 cents per \$100 property valuation — just over a penny increase in the tax rate from the current figure of .54449. The new tax rate was unanimously approved by all four commissioners, as was the proposed budget.

In other business during a regular meeting held that morning, three commissioners were present to approve monthly bills and approve enforcing an ordinance concerning dumping on public roads in the county. Present were J.T. Miller, Sandra Cox and Jacky Henry, with Commissioner T.A. Stone absent during the morning meeting. Basically, the ordinance enforces a state law prohibiting dumping trash and yard clippings on county roads and ditches. Commissioners may look at setting a fine to be assessed for violation of this ordinance.

No action was taken by commis-

sioners on two other agenda items, concerning an agreement with the State Highway Department for working with community service probationers, and a request for county assistance in helping the Tahoka Police Department with funds in purchasing a drug dog. Both issues were tabled for later discussion.

County Judge J.F. Brandon presided at both meetings.

St. Mary To Host Compassionate Care

The Senior Class program of St. Mary of the Plains Hospital will host "Compassionate Care," a support group for children and spouses of the elderly, Tuesday, Sept. 19.

The meeting, which is open to the public at no charge, will be held at 7 p.m. in the Hospital Dining Room, Garden Level. Refreshments will be served.

For more information about any of the above programs, contact the Senior Class office at (806) 796-6888.

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OBITUARIES

May Bradshaw

Services for May Ola Bradshaw, 84, of Lamesa were at 2 p.m. Monday, Aug. 28, in Bryan Street Baptist Church with Bobby Braswell officiating.

Burial was in Gail Cemetery. She died Saturday, Aug. 26, 1995, in Lamesa.

She was born May 5, 1911, in Olney. She married Joe Bradshaw on July 14, 1928, in Lamesa. She graduated from Mesquite High School, and she was a member of Bryan Street Baptist Church.

She was a farmer and a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband; son, Alvin of O'Donnell; two daughters, Dorothy Barrington of Lamesa and Margaret Ray of Big Spring; a sister, Missouri Ormsby of Olney; a brother, Isaac Ledbetter of Tahoka; six grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Bryan Street Baptist Church Memorial Fund.

Melvin Lankford

Funeral services for Melvin Lankford, 83, of Midland, were held Saturday, Aug. 26, at 1 p.m. at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Bob Porterfield of West Kentucky Baptist Church officiating. Private graveside services were held at Trinity Memorial Park Cemetery in Big Spring.

He died Thursday, Aug. 24, 1995 at Memorial Hospital in Midland.

He was born Jan. 21, 1912 in Red River County. He married Winifred "Wini" Hatcher in 1934. She died in 1955. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of the First Baptist Church of Midland. He retired from Mobil Oil Company in 1977 after 38 years of service. He moved to Midland in 1980.

He is survived by a son, Wayne of Edmond, Ok.; a daughter, Joyce Merrick of Amarillo; five grandsons; six great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Antonia Vega

Rosary for Antonia Caballero Vega, 92, of Lubbock were at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 29, in White Funeral Home Chapel.

Mass was celebrated at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church with Msgr. Roland Buxkemper officiating.

She died Monday, Aug. 28, 1995, in St. Mary Hospital. A son, Ramiro Vega, preceded her in death.

Survivors include seven sons, Louis of Wyoming, Frank of Farwell, Eligio, Ramon and Benito, all of Lubbock, Celestino of Nebraska and Ysidro of Tahoka; three daughters, Aurora Campbell and Audelia Urias, both of Lubbock and Adelaida Gonzales of Colorado; 87 grandchildren; 77 great-grandchildren; and 18 great-great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were Erasmo Hernandez, Ramon Vega Jr., Erasmo Hernandez Jr., Fabian Hernandez, Christopher Lee Vega and Gabriel John Perez.

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Breann Fuller

Graveside services for Breann Taylor Fuller, infant daughter of Scottie Lawrance Fuller and Teresa Marie Caballero of Lubbock were at 1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 25, at Englewood Cemetery in Slaton with the Rev. Lawrance Hemp officiating.

The child was stillborn Thursday, Aug. 24, 1995 at Highland Hospital in Lubbock.

Survivors include her parents, a brother, Ryan Caballero of Lubbock; maternal grandparents, Frances Caballero and the late Leo Caballero of New Home; paternal grandparents, Lorine Fuller and W.L. Smith; maternal great-grandparents, Julio and Annie Cabellero of Wilson; and Santiago and Mary Correa of New Home.

Mrs. Lichey Visits Houston, Several States

Ava Lichey departed Tahoka on Thursday, Aug. 10, for Houston, where she joined her daughter, Mary Lou Boggus of Houston; granddaughter, Randa Nelson, and great granddaughter, Ava Nelson, on a trip to the North-eastern United States.

They flew into Baltimore, Md. on Friday and Ava was able to visit another granddaughter and her newest great-grandchild, Melissa Lawrence (daughter of Ava's son Curtis Lichey) and her new daughter, Savannah, along with three year old Kelly, and Melissa' husband, John Lawrence, in Bowie, Md. On Saturday, Ava and her party headed for Washington, D.C., where they toured the White House, the Capitol, the Lincoln and Jefferson memorials and visited many other points of interest including Arlington National Cemetery across the Potomac River in Virginia where Ava was able to visit the grave sight of President John F. Kennedy.

Sunday, Aug. 13, the four ladies travelled to Wilmington, Del. home of Randa Nelson's in-laws, Dr. and Mrs. Dewey Nelson, which made their home base while they did more touring.

Monday, Aug. 14 found Ava and Mary Lou touring historic Philadelphia, Penn. They saw the Liberty Bell, toured Independence Hall, visited the sight of Ben Franklin's home in Franklin Court, and took a bus tour of the city. On Tuesday, all of the ladies took a tour of Wilmington, Del., visiting famous Longwood Gardens located on an estate owned by the Du Pont family and which features flowers and vegetation from all over the world.

Wednesday, the group took an Amtrak train to New York City and embarked on an extensive day-tour of the Big Apple. They visited world famous Sardi's Restaurant, the Theater District, Times Square, the Empire State Building, the World Trade Center, Battery Park where they were able to view the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island across New York Harbor, Wall Street and Central Park to name a few.

The ladies spent Thursday leisurely visiting Lancaster County, Penn., famous for its many Amish residents who farm using only mules, horses and old, time-honored machinery.

On Friday, Aug. 18, the group returned to Houston where Ava spent a few days with her daughter recuperating from their trip, before returning home. (paid)

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FLYING EAGLE—An O'Donnell player runs with the ball here, pursued by three Tahoka varsity players in a scrimmage last week. (LCN PHOTO)

Fan Bus Slated For Sept. 9 Game In Odessa

Football fans wanting to attend the Tahoka High School Varsity Bulldog's season opener football game Saturday, Sept. 9 against Ft. Davis in Odessa have an opportunity to ride a fan bus from Tahoka High School, at a charge of \$3.50 per person (adult or child).

The game is scheduled for 8 p.m., and the bus will leave from the school at 4:30 p.m., returning after the game.

There must be a minimum of 25 persons to sign up and pay for seats before the bus will run, according to THS Principal Bill Alcorn. The first 42 to sign up and pay will be eligible to ride the bus. Payment is due at time of registration.

Interested persons may sign up and pay in the High School Principal's

Office, until 12 noon Wednesday, Sept. 6.

Senior Citizens MENU

- Sept. 4-8
Monday: Closed for Labor Day.
Tuesday: Chicken Fried Steak, White Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Tossed Salad, Wheat Roll, Gelatin.
Wednesday: Sweet & Sour Pork, Fluffy Rice, Chinese Vegetables, Celery Sticks, Cornbread, Lemon Pie.
Thursday: BBQ Chicken, Corn Cobbets, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Biscuit, Fruit Cobbler.
Friday: Baked Ham, Navy Beans, Tossed Salad, Corn Bread, Carrots & Zucchini, Pineapple Cobbler Cake.

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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. 18. Option tickets not claimed by Sept. 18 will be sold.
The general admission price for all games will be \$3.00. Reserved seat tickets for any single game will be \$3.50.
Sept. 22 - Olton HOME COMING 8:00 p.m.
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'Summer Fun'

Photos submitted by area readers depicting summer activities will be printed as space is available.



WHERE ARE DOROTHY & TOTO?— Teresa, Analisa, David, and Benjamin Balderas, daughter and grandchildren of Gilbert and Crescencia Arellano of Tahoka went looking for Toto and Dorothy in Liberal, Kan., this summer. They also went to Garden City, Kan.

Summer Fun Photos Appreciated

The Lynn County News would like to thank our readers for submitting Summer Fun photographs during the summer months, and to announce that beginning next week we will no longer be accepting these photos.

"Thank you for sharing your summer fun moments with us, and plan to take some more pictures next summer, because we'll do it again," said the editor.

Harvest Festival Booths Available

Booth space at the Lynn County Harvest Festival, slated for Saturday, Sept. 23 in downtown Tahoka, is now available for rent by calling Dustie Cook, 998-5518 or 998-4318. Booths are available for crafts, food, or games, at a cost of \$15.00. Booths are rented on a first-come, first-serve basis.

The annual festival is held all day Saturday on the square in downtown Tahoka, with booths closing at approximately 5 p.m.

Magic Show Set This Weekend

The Texas Association of Magicians are bringing two magic shows to Lubbock Labor Day weekend, Sept. 2 and 3. The show will begin at 8 p.m. each night at the Civic Center Theater.

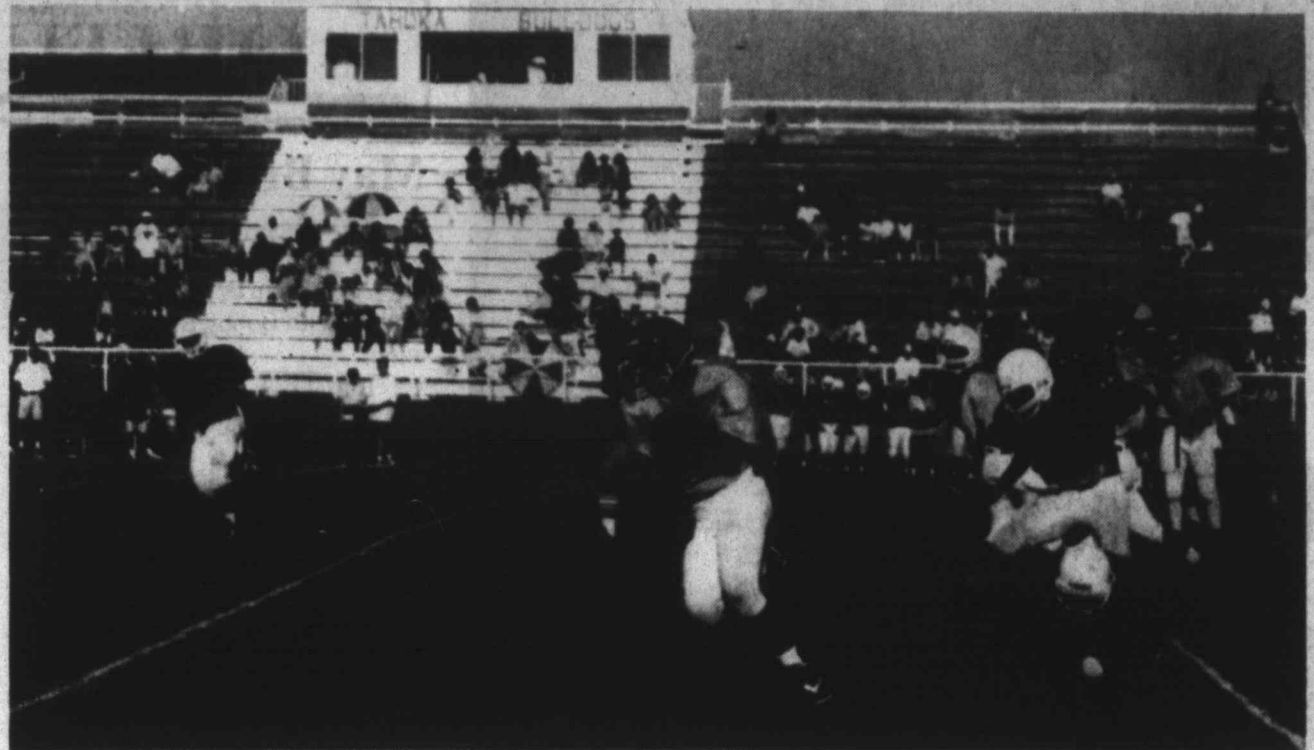
Saturday night the Hammers from Ontario, Calif. will perform their illusions and magic with birds of different types and sizes.

Other performers include Aldo Colombini from Italy; Dushika, a 14-year-old girl from Mexico; and the Fred and Ann story from Lubbock's magic club.

Sunday night will feature the Ayala's, one of the most unique acts to hit Las Vegas; Nowlin Craver from Plainview; Mark Wade, a ventriloquist with his sidekick Grite, and Josh Harver with his assistant Audrea Kuiper.

Tickets are on sale at Select A Seat for \$5.50. Cost will be \$6.50 at the door.

For more information, contact Sunshine Sally at 793-0197 or Keith Paschal at 998-5104.



CHASING AN EAGLE—Tahoka JV players are trying to corral this O'Donnell Eagle JV ballcarrier in a scrimmage last Thursday. Tahoka coaches said the junior varsity looked very good, especially on defense. (LCN PHOTO)

The New Home News

by Karon Durham • 924-7448

Reye's Syndrome is a very serious disease that everyone should educate themselves about. Reye's Syndrome can develop three to five days after the onset of chicken pox, an upper respiratory infection, or other fever causing illness. Studies have shown that using aspirin or aspirin-containing medications increases the chance of developing Reye's Syndrome during any of the previous mentioned illnesses. Some of the symptoms include: continuous vomiting, listlessness, drowsiness, personality change, confusion, or possible convulsions. (Reprinted from a brochure by the National Reye's Syndrome Foundation to educate the public.)

Scrimmage

The New Home Leopards hosted a scrimmage against Cotton Center on Aug. 25 to open their season. The Leopards have 20 high school students out for football this year. They are coached by Rob Kyle and assisted by James German and Bobbie Latham. They will travel to Guthrie on Sept. 1 for another scrimmage.

School Holiday

After completing their first week of school, New Home has 197 students enrolled in elementary, junior high and high school. There will be no school on Monday, Sept. 4, due to the Labor Day Holiday.

Booster Club

The New Home Booster Club sponsored a hot dog supper for everyone following the scrimmage against Cotton Center. The football team, cheerleaders, sponsors, and coaches were introduced at this time.

Wednesday Schedule

In order to help students who need

extra help and to meet the requirements for the new Title I program, New Home I.S.D. Superintendent Tom Templeton has announced a different schedule for Wednesdays this year. School will dismiss at 3 p.m. each Wednesday, effective immediately. Beginning Sept. 13, an extended school from 3-4 p.m. will be offered for any student who needs extra help for any reason. This will give students time to catch up with their work if they get behind. If students normally ride the bus and are required to stay for these extended sessions, they will need to have someone pick them up at 4 p.m.

New Home School Menu

SEPT. 4-8, 1995

BREAKFAST

Monday: No School.

Tuesday: Strawberry muffins, milk

Wednesday: Cheese toast, milk

Thursday: Puffs w/honey, milk

Friday: Hash browns, graham crackers, milk

LUNCH

Monday: No School.

Tuesday: Pizza, lettuce, tomato, corn, jello w/fruit, milk

Wednesday: Soft tacos, cheese cup, lettuce, tomato, chili beans, orange half, milk

Thursday: Enchilada casserole, lettuce, tomato, refried beans, spanish rice, tortilla chips, milk

Friday: Sloppy joes, french fries, pork-n-beans, cherry cobbler, milk

Read Graduates From SRSU

Michael Dale Read, of O'Donnell, was one of more than 200 students to graduates from Sul Ross State University Aug. 12 in commencement exercises in the Graves-Pierce Complex.

He received a master of education, school administration.



SCHOLARSHIP WINNER — Brit McClung, a 1995 honors graduate of Meadow High School, has received a four year tuition paid scholarship to Baylor University. He also received a \$1,500 Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship and a \$1,000 TILF Scholarship. The son of Ken and Von McClung of Meadow, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Nettles of New Home, McClung was also named to the Texas Assn. of Secondary School Principals' All-State Academic Team.

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Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

The CITY OF TAHOKA will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1995 by five (5) percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on September 5, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall, 1612 Lockwood, Tahoka, Texas.

FOR the proposal: MIKE MENSCH
RAY D. BOX
JOHN CHAPA JR.

TODD HENRY
JAY DEE HOUSE

AGAINST the proposal:

PRESENT and not voting:

ABSENT:

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the EFFECTIVE tax rate that the unit published on August 17, 1995. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This Year
Average home value	\$21,740.00	\$21,930.00
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizens' or disabled person's exemptions)	\$0	\$0
Average taxable value	\$21,740.00	\$21,930.00
Tax rate	0.59284 / \$100	0.62284 / \$100
Tax	\$128.88	\$136.59

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would INCREASE by \$7.71 or 5.990 percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would INCREASE by 0.03000 per \$100 of taxable value or 5.990 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

New Home Class Of '45 Plans Reunion

The New Home Class of 1945 will have a 50 year reunion Sept. 9 for a noon meal. The reunion will be held at Lillian Rose Schoppa (Dolly) Foerster's barn which is located 5 miles west and 1 1/4 miles south of New Home on County Road E. Dress is casual.

Also members of the classes of 1944 and 1946 and former teachers are invited.

For more information call Helen Balch Reynolds at 924-7391 or write Rt. 4 Box 415, Tahoka, Tx 79373 or Lillian Foerster at 924-7539, Rt. 4 Box 315, Tahoka, Tx 79373.

In case of muddy roads, the group will meet at New Home School cafeteria.

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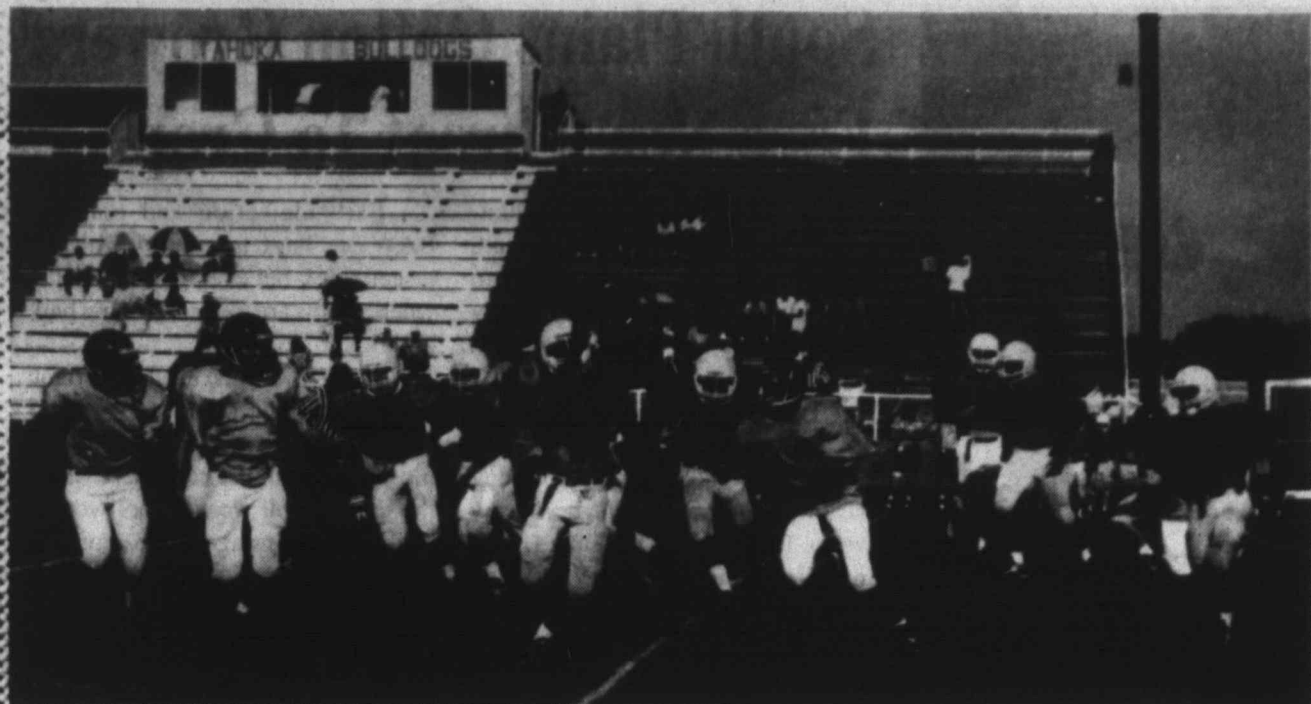
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JV SCRIMMAGE—Tahoka junior varsity scrimmaged against O'Donnell last week and here a Bulldog player is going for the ball out in front of the pack. (LCN PHOTO)



THIS VARSITY CHEERLEADERS—1995-96 Tahoka Varsity Cheerleaders are ready to cheer on THIS athletes. They are, from left, Mascot Misty Nance (jr.), Robin Martin (jr.), Amanda Fuentes (fr.), Head cheerleader J'Lyn Williams (sr.), Kristi Chapa (jr.), Rebecca Hudgens (fr.), Abby Wells (jr.), Tancy DeLeon (fr.), and Courtney Stennett (fr.)

TISD Trustees Approve Tax Rate Increase

A two cent tax increase was unanimously approved with a 5-0 vote by Tahoka Independent School District Board of Trustees at a noon meeting Tuesday, setting a new tax rate of \$1.19.5 per \$100 property valuation. Five of seven trustees were present for the meeting, including Greg Henley, Clint Gardner, Carmen Chapa, Brad Hammonds and Juanell Jones. Absent were trustees Joe Calvillo and Rex Rash.

Currently the school tax rate is \$1.17.379. A public hearing on the tax increase was held last Thursday at 5 p.m., but no citizens attended to voice comments.

Trustees also approved monthly bills at the noon meeting before adjourning. Others attending the meeting were Superintendent David Hutton, Asst. Superintendent Dr. Molly Helmlinger, and Business Manager Loretta Tekell.

Tahoka School Menu

Sept. 4-8
Breakfast
Monday: No School.
Tuesday: Hot Buttered Rice, Toast w/Jelly, Orange Juice, Milk.
Wednesday: Pancake/Sausage on a Stick, Pears, Milk.
Thursday: Donut, Peaches, Milk.
Friday: Cereal, Toast w/Jelly, Choice of Juice, Milk.
Lunch
Monday: No School.
Tuesday: Turkey Roll, Creamed Potatoes, Tossed Salad, Mixed Fruit, Hot Roll, Milk.
Wednesday: Burrito w/Chili, Baked Potatoes, Garden Salad, Cookie, Milk.
Thursday: Turkey Enchiladas, Buttered Corn, Tossed Salad, 1/2 Apple, Milk.
Friday: Hamburgers, Trimmings, French Fries, Purple Plum Cobbler, Milk.

Bottom Line Farming Course To Be Offered

South Plains College will offer a short course titled "Bottom Line Farming," beginning Aug. 31 in Brownfield to help area farmers learn more about borrowing.

Registration for classes begins at 7 p.m. Aug. 31 at American State Bank in Brownfield. Krishna Hoelscher is the instructor.

Enrollment is on a first-come, first served basis. Class size is limited to 25 persons per class. Cost is \$350. The curriculum for "Bottom Line Farming" was developed by Ron Presley, SPC assistant professor of agribusiness, in conjunction with the Texas A&M Extension Service and Texas Rural Communities because of a Farmers Home Administration mandate requiring that all FHA direct and guaranteed borrowers complete and pass educational courses involving agricultural finance and agricultural production.

The course includes 36 classroom hours and covers such topics as goal setting and priority management, interpretation and use of financial statements, strategic planning, operational planning and other practical aspects of farm management.

For more information, contact Hoelscher at 806-637-7626.

Dance To Raise Funds For Lamesa Senior Citizens

Lamesa Senior Citizens will sponsor a fund-raising dance from 7:30 to 11:30 p.m. Saturday at the old Furr's building in Lamesa, recently purchased by the Senior Citizens organization. The building is located at 609 N. Austin Ave. in Lamesa. A country-western band will play.

Admission to the dance is \$3 per person. The event this weekend is to help raise money for the recent purchase of the building.

Foster Parent Workshop Set

Methodist Home will hold a foster parent workshop on Thursday, Sept. 14, for anyone interested in learning more about private foster care. The workshop will be held from 7-9 p.m. at Forrest Heights United Methodist Church, 3007 33rd Street (33rd & Elgin), Lubbock.

Those interested can call 806-792-0099 for more information or to pre-register. Pre-register by Sept. 13.

Out of the Woods

The wayward thoughts of Juanell (Wood) Jones

It is a sacred ritual—a rite, if you will, for certain boys on the brink of manhood. It marks the passage of boys to teenagers ... of elementary school to middle school ... of motherhood to insanity.

I'm speaking of the all-important Athletic Physical—an event which must precede any young man's passage into school-organized athletic sports. The purpose of these physicals, of course, is to see how many moms and adolescent boys can be crammed into a doctor's waiting room at one time, with a sub-purpose of determining how many decibels of noise it takes to drive the office personnel up the wall (not very many).

The actual process is not really very complicated. You fill out a bunch of forms, and then you play cards in the waiting room for about an hour and a half until it's your son's turn to see the doc, and then you wait some more because, geez, mom, they don't need you in there anymore.

So in about 10 or 15 minutes, during which time I'm told they are weighed and measured, have their heartbeats listened to, squat a couple of times to prove they can, and duckwalk around the examining room (the boys, not the doc, I'm assuming), and possibly a couple of other secret rites which they don't tell the moms, the physician scribbles an illegible signature on the form and pronounces your boy physically able to be pulverized into a painful pretzel out on the football field.

I'm speaking as a mother here, of course. I can't help it. It is just beyond me to figure out the thrill of placing 40 pounds of padding on your body, jamming a helmet on to your skull, and running around hitting people with parts of your body which God never intended to use as battering rams (your head), and rolling around on the grass every which direction until you turn green around the gills and seriously consider never eating again. And that's just at practice. I can't imagine an actual game.

At an actual game, there absolutely must be an ambulance on hand. For the mothers, I mean. The boys aren't going to need one—geez, mom, get a grip. The first-time football moms will all be huddled in one corner of the stands, clutching hands and murmuring, "I can do this, I can do this," while the dads will be throwing scornful glances at us over their shoulders while sharing jokes full of testosterone humor, flexing their muscles and, possibly, squatting on the ground and drawing football plays in the dirt.

I never saw a man yet who could resist calling the obvious plays that the coach, for some obscure reason, could never see down on the football field. I don't know why we don't just voice-wire each dad directly to his son's helmet and forget paying a coach to stand down there, obviously just in the way of progress.

Now I'm not anti-coach, no siree. I like coaches. I especially like my son's coaches. They are warm-hearted, caring men who, when they're not yelling ... um, inspiring our sons on the football field, are actually normal human beings who have wives, and sometimes even children, themselves. Really! And dogs!

But, I'm not really picking on coaches, per se. I'm picking on the male species, as a whole, which, as any self-respecting wife knows, can not function without female intervention. That's just something we women intuitively know ... it's a gift.

But, if you're married, I'm sure you know that. And as for the impending football season ... Rah! I can do this. Bring me an aspirin.

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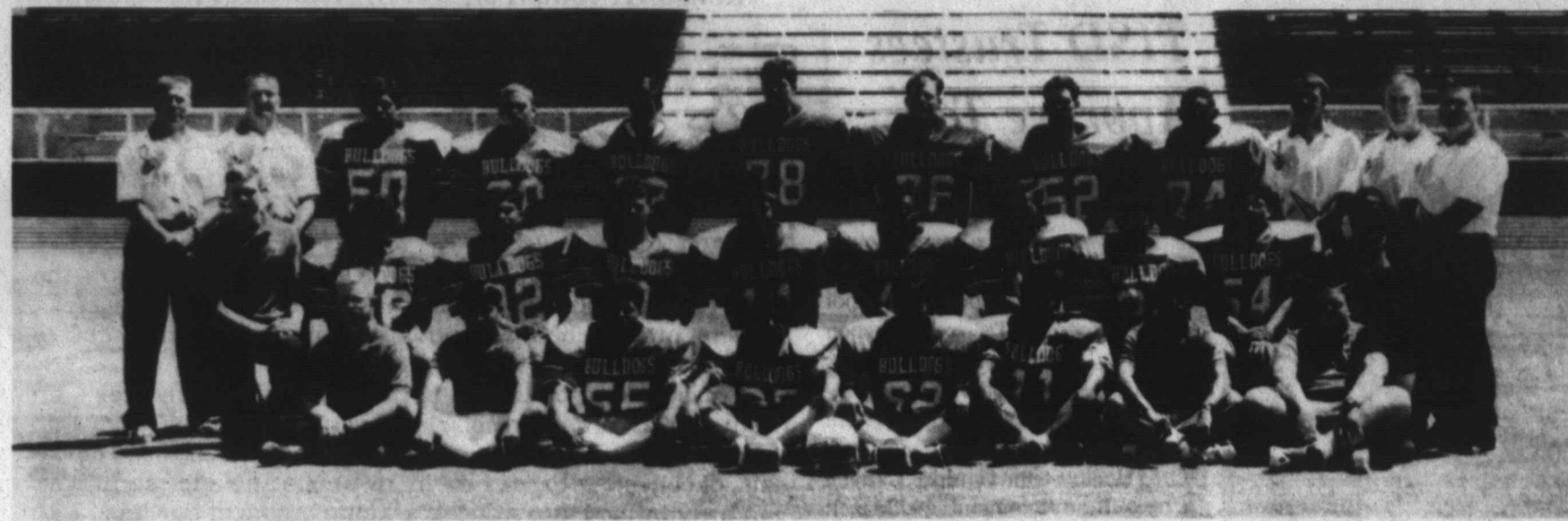
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THE 1995 TAHOKA HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR VARSITY BULLDOGS



LUBBOCK, Friday, August 25, 1995
By Shawna Wade

Protecting the potential that exists for the 1995 High Plains cotton crop will be no easy task according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. (PCG).

Dr. Jim Leser, Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX) Entomologist, reports the combined threat posed by late-season build-ups of the boll weevil, beet armyworm, bollworms and aphids could become a very costly bullet to dodge for many producers.

Leser warns producers across the area to keep a very close eye on their crop and advises them step up their scouting efforts for each of these pests. He notes that newly emerging boll weevils are continuing to cause problems for producers south of Lubbock and that several of the counties north of Lubbock that are considered to be "threatened" will have cotton treated for weevils before the growing season ends.

Leser notes that fields as far north as Edmonson, Hale County, and Kress, Swisher County, have already been treated for weevils this year.

Producers are advised to do everything they can to get their fields past the point where weevils can damage their crop or else face the possibility of up to six insecticide applications to get them through.

Anyone who wants more complete

information about boll weevil management can obtain a copy of the pamphlet titled "Boll Weevil Management in the West Texas High Plains" from their county Extension agent.

Leser adds that the threat posed by the beet armyworm is also significant enough that producers will need to keep a close watch on their crops. The key to beet armyworm control is early detection and treatment. Later planted, lush fields or fields with skippy stands are the most vulnerable to this pest.

Routine scouting for boll weevils and bollworms are not adequate for beet armyworms since egg masses are located on the underside of leaves.

He notes that beet armyworm eggclays are currently widely scattered across the entire High Plains region. So far they have not swept across the area with the same ferocity that devastated the Lower Rio Grande Valley or, more recently, the Southern Rolling Plains area around San Angelo.

Further information about the beet armyworm contained in the publication "Management Guidelines for the Beet Armyworm on Cotton" can be obtained from any county Extension agent.

A Section 18 for American Cyanamid's insecticide Pirate has been approved for the High Plains. Whether or not enough of the product will be available for use in the area is still unknown. PCG officials are trying to convince American Cyanamid of the need for this product on the Texas High Plains.

It appears that the next three weeks will be critical as to how this year's crop fares. The threats posed by insect pests are formidable and it will take a tremendous effort to see this crop through.

Police Report...

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jailed last Friday after driving away from Allsup's in O'Donnell without paying for \$10 worth of gasoline.

Dan's Automotive in Wilson was burglarized early Saturday, with no indication as to what was taken, since the owner was temporarily out of town. Sheriff's officers were investigating.

A child in O'Donnell reportedly threw a rock Friday which broke the rear glass on a 1989 Ford van owned by Armando Barrera of O'Donnell.

A beer bottle thrown at a 1993 Mercury Cougar owned by Raul Quintana of Post West of Wilson on Aug. 12 reportedly caused \$1510 worth of damage, according to a body shop estimate.

Fourteen persons were jailed during the last week, including four for theft by check. Other charges for which suspects were jailed included application to revoke probation on DWI charges, DWI subsequent offense plus driving while license suspended (DWLS), DWI first offense plus no valid drivers license, DWI first plus DWLS plus no liability insurance, grand jury indictment for DWI, theft under \$20 plus failure to identify to a peace officer, no seatbelt plus no liability insurance plus displaying expired license plate plus two failures to appear, DWI 2nd offense, DWI 2nd plus DWLS, and application to revoke probation on charges of possession of a controlled substance (for Lubbock County).

Pride Corp To Meet Sept. 11

The newly organized Pride Corp of Tahoka Elementary will meet Monday, Sept. 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

Projects, fundraisers, the TEACH volunteer program and plans for the new year will be discussed. "The purpose of the organization is to unite the school, parents, and the community for better education and develop pride in our schools, families, education and town," said a sponsor.

Lynn County Representative To Be Elected

Greg Hartman, special assistant to Comptroller, John Sharp, will speak to the 27th annual meeting of the SPAG general assembly at the Holiday Inn Civic Center in Lubbock on Thursday, Sept. 14. Approximately 100 local elected officials are expected to attend the meeting.

Included on the business agenda is the election of county at-large members of the SPAG Board of Directors for the 1996 fiscal year, and approval of membership dues for the organization. The current at-large member of the SPAG Board from Lynn County is Judge J.F. Brandon. Other members of the General Assembly from Lynn County are Mayor Tommy Woolam of O'Donnell, Mayor James Solomon of Tahoka and Mayor Jackie Bishop of Wilson.

The South Plains region served by SPAG includes 15 counties, 44 cities, and a number of special purpose districts. Members receive economic development and community development services, law enforcement training, senior citizen services, emergency communications and training, alternative dispute resolution services, solid waste management services, and a variety of other services of value to local governments.

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South Plains Cotton Growers Face New Threat To Crop

Growers in the three-million-acre "cotton patch" of the Texas South Plains are facing one more threat to their promising crop, estimated only a few days ago to have a potential yield of three million bales.

The current nemesis of the cotton plants - already some two weeks behind schedule due to season-long weather problems - is the beet armyworm. That pest has devastated fields in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and Southern Rolling Plains, according to information from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The beet armyworm has had a major role in cutting cotton yield prospects of the Lower Rio Grande Valley from an estimated 400,000 bales earlier in the season to only 60,000 bales at the beginning of August. In the Concho Valley of the Southern Rolling Plains, the pest is estimated to have devoured 50 to 75 percent of the crop.

"Our last real beet armyworm problem year was 1980," said Dr. James Leser, Texas Agricultural Extension Service cotton entomologist at Lubbock.

The South Plains crop has survived wind and hail as well as drought which pushed planting dates for many fields into late June, leaving barely enough time for plants to mature and produce fiber.

Despite all that, hot days which added heat units to push the plants along, and timely rains in mid-August have given South Plains growers hope for a third successive year of yields reaching three million bales.

"Those rains were extremely timely and came in extremely beneficial areas," said Kater Hake, cotton agronomist with the Extension Service in Lubbock. "Plants were still in the boll-setting stage, needing moisture to set and mature the bolls. And well capacities in the irrigated areas were on the decline, with growers unable to keep up with the crop's water demand."

Current crop losses across the cotton belt, primarily to worms, have seen cotton prices jump 8.5 cents a pound in the last four trading days.

The onslaught of the beet armyworm across the state has raised many questions among growers, Leser and Hake said. The two extension specialists said the 10 questions most asked, and their responses are:

Q: What are key factors that promote an outbreak of beet armyworm (BAW)?

Drought, mild winters, sandy soils, skippy stands, late maturing cotton and early season insecticide use.

Q: What is the key to BAW management right now?

Early detection and control. BAW are hard to control with all insecticides, but even more difficult when worms are longer than one half inch.

Q: Is BAW the most important cotton pest right now?

No. What's in your field is the most important. We can not sacrifice the crop to boll weevils, bollworms or aphids at this stage just to maintain beneficials.

Q: Is there a boll weevil, bollworm, or aphid product that will save my beneficials?

No, except for biological insecticides for boll worms (BT's).

Q: Then should I use BT's for bollworm control at this time of year?

No, because commercial applications on larger cotton have not been consistently effective.

Q: Are we facing the same level of BAW devastation that the Concho Valley and the Lower Rio Grande Valley experienced?

No, isolated pockets may be devastated, but it is highly unlikely that the area as a whole will be devastated.

Q: How do I know when to treat BAW?

Treat when two hatching egg masses are found per 100 feet of row (2 per 300 to 400 plants examined) or 15,000 worms per acre. Due to the highly clumped nature of BAW egg lays, do not base a treatment on finding just one egg mass.

Q: What is the best product to control BAW?

Confirm at 8 ounces per acre, plus a silicon spreader sticker. However, do not expect a "clean out" with this product. Confirm is an insect growth regulator and while feeding will stop fairly quickly, death may not occur for several days.

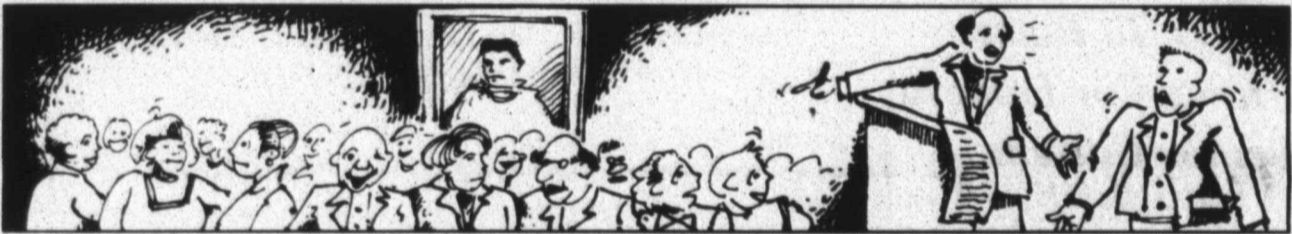
Q: Are there other control options?

Yes. The following control tactics have generally not performed as well as Confirm: two or more applications of Dimilin, and combinations of Lannate, Larvin or Lorsban with either Dimilin or Ovasyn. Most of these materials and Confirm may be in short supply.

Q: What about the insecticide "Pirate"?

Pirate has been cleared for use in four counties in the Concho Valley, but there is presently only enough product for 30,000 acres. While Pirate may end up being more effective than Confirm it is no "silver bullet."

Leser and Hake said detailed information about the beet armyworm can be obtained from a new publication available from all county extension offices in the South Plains.



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I want to extend my thanks to my friends, my pastor and church for their prayers during my recent illness. Also for the cards, calls and each kindness shown. To the young ladies from First Baptist Church that came by, I appreciate your caring. Again, thank you. Winnie Kizziar 35-1tp

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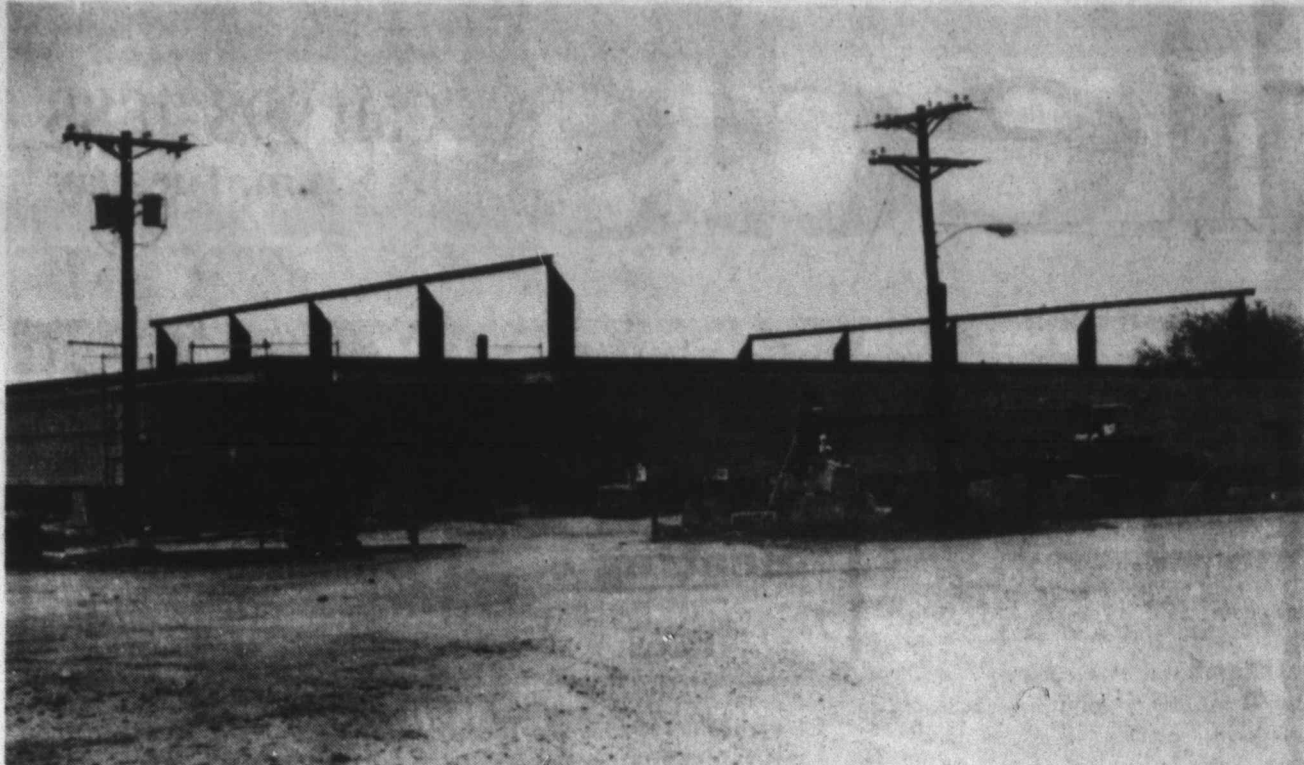
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NEW WILSON GYM - Construction work continues on the new gymnasium for Wilson Independent School District, with completion expected Nov. 10. According to Superintendent Nancy Templeton, construction costs are expected to total approximately \$805,000. The district contracted with David Wood Construction of Lubbock for the project. (Photo by Robert Abbe, Jr.)

The Future is something which everyone reaches at the rate of sixty minutes an hour, whatever he does, whoever he is. —C.S. Lewis

WISD Budget, Tax Rate Approved

The Wilson ISD Board of Trustees approved the budget for the 1995-96 school year at a meeting this week following the budget hearing. A total budget of \$1,499,825 was approved. The tax rate was set at \$1.39 M&O and \$.11 I&S, for a total tax rate of \$1.50 per \$100 property valuation.

Construction on the new gymnasium continues, with an expected completion date of Nov. 10. The Board approved the purchase of some new playground equipment in the 1995-96 budget. As soon as the gym is complete, the existing equipment will be replaced and new equipment purchased.

The next meeting of the Wilson Board of Trustees will be held Tuesday, Sept. 5, at 8 p.m. in the Elementary Board Room.

Wilson TAAS Scores Improve

According to sources at Wilson Elementary School, student performance and TAAS scores showed improvement last year.

"The students and teachers at Wilson Elementary worked hard during the 1994-95 school year. We want to thank all of our students, parents, and teachers for supporting education and putting forth the extra effort success requires. We are proud of you," said a representative of the school.

"We would also like to say an extra congratulations to the students who achieved 'Academic Recognition,' including Brian Arellano, Aaron Bednarz, Jamie Cavendar, Christopher Donathan, Brian Martin, Miguel Ortega, Daniel Ragan, Ruben Rodriguez, Chance Talkmitt, Stephanie Whitehead, Lauren Wied, and Shaun Wied," said a school representative.

Academic Recognition is awarded to students who meet the following criteria: test for the first time on each subject area test; achieve a score of 4 on the Written Composition; master all objectives on each subject area test; correctly answer at least 95% of the items on each subject area test.



CHECK PRESENTED—Lynn County Farm Bureau representative Keith Wied, left, is shown presenting a Farm Bureau Scholarship to Wilson Volunteer Fire Department Chief, David Cook. The scholarship was used to send Wilson fireman, Daniel Clark to the Texas A&M training school at College Station. Because of these funds the Wilson VFD was able to send the two members to this school, which was attended by firefighters from all over the world. Clark was accompanied by fireman Kelly Livingston.

The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

The Wilson telephone exchange is currently petitioning the public utility commission for expanded, toll-free local calling service (ELCS) to Lubbock, Slaton, Southland, New Home, and Woodrow. For a city or exchange to qualify for extended service, it must be within a 20 mile radius of the petitioning city. However, Lubbock will qualify as it is the major medical center for this area.

The cost for the ELCS is \$3.50 per line for residences and \$7 per line for businesses. This is in addition to what is currently paid and will have no effect on the ELCS customers already paying for service to Tahoka.

Approximately 90 days after the petition is sent to the public utility commission, ballots will be mailed to all telephone subscribers along with their telephone bills. At least 70% of the subscribers, who return their ballots, must vote in favor of expanded local calling on a per exchange basis for it to be provided. It is important to remember that it will cost the same if the Wilson exchange gets one of the cities/exchanges or if the Wilson exchange gets all five.

Local sponsors of the petition are asking that Wilson telephone exchange customers vote in favor of all five cities/exchanges.

Supporters of ELCS feel certain that the ELCS would provide tremendous savings for every subscriber on the Wilson exchange and they ask for your support. Anyone with questions or concerns may call Charlene Webb at 628-6395 or Sharon Isham at 628-6283.

The City Hall will be closed Monday, Sept. 4 for Labor Day. There will not be a meal delivered for the meal program. A replacement day and meal will be decided on at a later date. Contact Shorty at the City Hall for more information.

The confirmation class youth of St. John Lutheran Church will be sponsoring a community wide spaghetti dinner on Sunday, Sept. 10 from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. The menu will consist of spaghetti with

meat sauce, salad, bread sticks, dessert and drink.

The funds from this community wide dinner will go to the group's camp fund.

Young at Heart will meet today (Thursday) at 1 p.m. in the educational building at St. John Lutheran Church. All "young at hearters" regardless of age are invited for an afternoon of cards, dominoes, and visiting.

The Wilson Mustang Football team travelled to Lubbock last Friday for their first scrimmage. It was a learning experience for both the team and new coach Darren Jansen.

The Mustangs travel to Loop this Friday for their final scrimmage at 6 p.m. before their season opener against Wellman, there on Friday, Sept. 8. Kick-off for the Wellman game is 7:30 p.m.

Wilson Lions Club will not meet Thursday, Sept. 7. They will meet Sept. 21 at 7 p.m.

The Lions Club will sponsor their annual broom sale on Friday, Sept. 15. The sale will be on the school parking lot from 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Wilson City Council will meet Monday, Sept. 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the Mercantile.

Wilson ISD School Board will meet Tuesday, Sept. 5 at 8 p.m. in the board room. The agenda will be posted on the administration building door and the public is invited to attend.

Local governmental offices, financial institutions, and Wilson schools will be closed Monday to observe Labor Day.

The Wilson Livestock Assn. will meet tonight (Thursday) at 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club has begun their football season meetings and will meet each Tuesday night until the conclusion of football season. The meetings are held in the school cafeteria.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

When: Tuesday, Sept. 12, 1995
 Where: Learning Resource Center, Tahoka High School
 Time: 7 p.m.
 Why: Tahoka High School's "low performing" rating based on the annual dropout rate (6.3%)* and attendance rate (92.6%)* for the 1993-94 school year.
 * A dropout rate of 6% or less and attendance rate of 94% or higher is required for "acceptable" or "accredited" rating.
 All interested persons are invited to attend. A presentation will be made as to why THS received this rating and what steps have been taken this past school year (1994-95) and coming school year (1995-96) to raise the accreditation rating. Recommendations and suggestions from the community are encouraged and welcomed.

Wilson School Menu

Sept. 4-8 Breakfast
Monday: Cinnamon Toast, Applesauce, Milk.
Tuesday: Banana Nut Bread, Apple Juice, Milk.
Wednesday: Breakfast Hot Pockets (ham & cheese on homemade bread), Fruit, Milk.
Thursday: Cereal, Toast, Jelly, Orange Juice, Milk.
Friday: Breakfast Burritos (eggs, ham, cheese roll in flour tortillas), Fruit, Milk.

Lunch
Monday: Chicken Nuggets, Creamed Potatoes, Gravy, Salad, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Milk.
Tuesday: Polish Sausage, Pinto Beans, Creamed Whole Potatoes, Salad Bar, Milk.
Wednesday: Burritos, Corn, Salad, Fruit, Milk.
Thursday: Potato Bar w/Toppings, Tossed Salad, Fruit, Crackers, Milk.
Friday: Hot Hoggies (ham, turkey, cheese), Onion Rings, Pickle Spears, Carrot Sticks, Milk.

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