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SIDELINE SCAMPER—Monty Hale (34) goes down the sideline, scattering chain-bearers, after catching a pass for Tahoka against Seagraves last Friday. Hale caught four passes for 44 yards. (LCN Photo by James Mayo)

School Board Member's Arrest Causes Uproar Here

By DALTON WOOD

A Tahoka School board member was arrested on charges including aggravated assault with a deadly weapon in the city Sunday evening and Lubbock television and newspaper reporters swarmed over the city Monday and Tuesday in what some local officials and citizens viewed as an inappropriate attempt to sensationalize the event.

Joe Calvillo, 43, of Tahoka was arrested by a city policeman assisted by sheriff's deputies and a Dept. of Public Safety officer and was charged with felony aggravated assault and misdemeanor charges of driving while intoxicated and resisting arrest.

A Tahoka police officer was near the scene of the incident in northwest Tahoka because he had been called to a nearby home to check on a reported altercation. He said he saw Calvillo drive up to a residence, get out of his pickup and apparently attempt to slash two youths, age 18 and 15, with a knife, which later was seized by officers. According to the patrolman, there was a dispute regarding a fight between Calvillo's dog and a dog owned by the youths.

The officer said that when he arrested Calvillo, the suspect attempted to pull away from him. He was taken to Lynn County jail, where he reportedly was released on his own cognizance, returning later for arraignment. He reportedly posted bond of an undisclosed amount and was released.

Information on the incident now has been given to District Atty. Ricky Smith for determination if the case will be presented to a grand jury.

Calvillo was elected in May as a member of the board of trustees of Tahoka Independent School District. He is a former city councilman and officer in the League of United Latin American Citizens.

Tahoka School Supt. David Hutton said he advised Lubbock television reporters Monday that he could not comment on the case. He said he then was accused of a "cover-up" by a representative of Channel 28. He also said he did not threaten the TV station's reporter with police action until that reporter started disrupting school activities by attempting to interview students.

The case may be discussed at the

next school board meeting; however, Texas law does not provide for recall of trustees, and trustees themselves may not remove a fellow trustee from office. Tahoka ISD's written policy states that a board member may be removed from office for any of several offenses, including intoxication on or off duty or conviction of a felony. The action for removal, however, must be by the district court.

Other reports to law enforcement officers during the week included damage to a van and a vehicle burglary, both at O'Donnell. First National Bank of O'Donnell reported the passenger window of a 1988 Plymouth van had been broken out. A burglary at an O'Donnell residence on 3rd St. reported Oct. 9 listed a CB radio and antenna stolen from a 1984 GMC pickup owned by Nick Gass.

In jail during the week were seven persons, on these charges: theft under \$20 and failure to appear, speeding plus failure to appear, public intoxication, DWI plus resisting arrest plus two counts of aggravated assault, application to revoke probation on charges of possession of a controlled substance, driving while license suspended plus littering, and injury to a child.

Shane McMinn Wins Again

For the second consecutive week, Shane McMinn has won the Lynn County News Football Contest, this time with a perfect entry (not counting the tie game between Oklahoma and Texas). However, he still missed doubling his money by naming the secret sponsor for the week, so he claims the \$10 prize again this week.

Secret sponsors for the week were Hometown Hardware, Delia's Hairstyling, Huffaker, Green and Huffaker, Calvillo Funeral Home, and The Lynn County News.

This was the sixth week of the football contest, with four more weeks to finish the football season, at which time a grand prize drawing will be held for a 13-inch color television from Ray's TV & Appliance. All football contest entries are entered in the grand prize drawing.

Entries are due by 4 p.m. Friday at the News Office.

Dogs Plenty Tough, But Eagles Win 7-6

The Tahoka Bulldogs' stingy defense gave heavily favored Seagraves fits at Seagraves last Friday night, but the Eagles, unbeaten and ranked No. 2 in the area among Class AA teams, managed to win 7-6.

It was the second week in a row for Tahoka to lose because of the

inability to make extra points, having gone down 21-19 to Post the previous Friday. For Seagraves, unable to score after the first period Friday, it was the closest call of the year.

This week the Bulldogs will host Ralls, which reportedly lost more than 20 players to grades for a three-week period, starting two weeks ago when

Seagraves beat Ralls 32-0.

Seagraves scored first when QB Joe Arguijo passed 3 yards to Freddie Salazar with 4:58 left in the first period, and Arguijo kicked the point.

With 9 seconds left in the half, Tahoka QB Shawn Brewer scored from the 1. But a pass for the 2-point conversion failed and Seagraves led 7-6 at the half. That would prove to be all the scoring, as both defenses played well in the last half.

Tahoka had six players who made 8 or more tackles. Cornerback Clay Taylor had 8, linebacker Gerold Cantu had 10 and one quarterback sack and four others had 9 tackles each: Defensive end Steve Wiseman, linebacker Jesse Perez (who also covered a fumble), linebacker Michael Calvillo and defensive tackle Reggie Moore, who also had a quarterback sack.

Wiseman at tailback gained 63

yards on 20 carries for Tahoka. Cantu ran for 37 yards on 10 carries and Jermaine Rodgers gained 14 in 4 efforts. Monty Hale caught three passes for 44 yards.

Coach Darrell (Tooter) Draper praised the offensive line's blocking in the game, naming Moore, Calvillo, Perez, Victor Herrera and Mike Rodriguez for good work. He also commended his entire coaching staff for "a fine job."

Tahoka is now 2-3-1 for the year and 0-3 in district.

GAME AT A GLANCE

TAHOKA	SEAGRAVES
13	First downs 14
121	Yds. rushing 218
48	Yds. passing 37
4-13-2	Completed by 4-12-0
169	Total yards 255
4-29	Punts, avg. 2-33
0	Fumbles lost 1
7-47	Penalties 17-140

Two Former Deputies Sue County For On-Call Time

Two former Lynn County deputies, Willy V. Turner and Elton Childress, have filed suit in U.S. District Court in Lubbock seeking a total of \$500,000 plus legal fees for overtime hours allegedly accrued while working for the Lynn County Sheriff's Dept. during the last six years. Lynn County and the Sheriff's Dept. are named defendants in the suit, in which each plaintiff seeks \$250,000.

The notice of filing of the suit was in the *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* Wednesday. Attorneys for the former deputies are Hurley and Sowder of Lubbock, and the county has employed the firm of Crenshaw, Dupree and Milam of Lubbock. The plaintiffs' suit reportedly gave the county 20 days from Oct. 12 to answer or a default judgment will be taken against the county. The petition also requested a trial by jury.

In February when the county first was advised of a pending suit, a letter from the law firm said, in part, that Turner and Childress were forced by

Sheriff Jack Miller to remain on call during their off-duty hours. "They were required to respond immediately to any call during that time and they were not allowed to carry on the normal activities of an off-duty person."

Miller resigned as Lynn County sheriff in October 1993. The two deputies were relieved of duty in April 1994.

Commissioner Cox Attends Convention

Lynn County Precinct 3 Commissioner Sandra Cox last week attended the State Judges and Commissioners Convention in Plano, from Monday through Thursday.

Mrs. Cox, a member of the Judges and Commissioners Education Committee, attended a planning session on determining hours of credit for educational sessions. She also participated in a round table discussion on the committee for counties of 10,000 and under population.

As well as attending other sessions at the convention, Commissioner Cox introduced two speakers and presented introductory remarks at several of the training sessions.

- YOUTH CURFEW -
 Tahoka youth under 17 are subject to CITY YOUTH CURFEW
 11 p.m. Weeknights
 Midnight on Saturday-Sunday



NEW HOME ROYALTY—Donna Perez (second from right) was named 1995 New Home High School Homecoming Queen on Friday, Oct. 6. She is the daughter of Candy Perez. Other queen candidates were, from left, Lisa Vineyard, daughter of Buddy and Wanda Vineyard; J'Lynn Clem, daughter of Mark and Georgia Clem; and (far right) Kary Durham, daughter of Larry and Karon Durham. Not shown is alternate Brooke Fillingim, daughter of Andy and Judy Fillingim.

Woodwork...
 by Dalton

THE MARCH—actually more of a rally, since they didn't go anywhere—is over, and I expect that the main result was to make money for the Nation of Islam and its leader, Louis Farrakhan, is over.

In one story I read before the event last Monday in the nation's capital, it was stated that each person who participated in the event had to pay \$11, all of which went to the Nation of Islam, a weird religion which most of us know little about. If so, Louis now has about \$4 million more than he had last week.

The "march" supposedly was to impress on black men the need to meet their obligations as citizens, fathers and members of the community. If this was a result, then most of us would applaud the event (white folks maybe need a rally of this sort, too).

However, among the active supporters of the event were Jesse Jackson and Dick Gregory, and anything they are in favor of can't be good (I'd bet that neither of them paid his \$11). Also, I noticed that most of the activities and much of the business in Washington Monday were shut down because black workers didn't show up for work. The implication was that most of them didn't ask off; they just didn't show up. This is not a good way to start a new career as a responsible citizen.

Bill Clinton finally did something smart: he got out of town and escaped the Mob on the Mall. He was in Dallas Monday.

Organizers claimed there were a million and a half persons gathered. The DC Park Police estimated the crowd at 400,000.

KNOTHOLES in the Woodwork: Prices of paper have gone so high that some schools are rationing paper and having students write on the back of something already used. This newspaper sells paper products as part of our office supply business and some time ago noticed that everything made of paper costs more. . . Texas Tech is going to retire Donny Anderson's jersey. I hope they don't invite Jerry Jones to the stadium; he'd drop some unrelated bombshell and take the spotlight off the proceedings, as he did when the Giants were honoring Phil Simms. . . Warning! Danger! The red flags went up for us overweight people with a report the other day that a 500-pound guy was jailed for not losing weight. . . I read that Ross Perot may sue the state of California if they don't put his third party on the ballot. He'd better watch out; he could wind up owning the state, and I understand it's a mess.

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Oct. 11	83	51	
Oct. 12	83	51	
Oct. 13	75	48	
Oct. 14	71	40	
Oct. 15	80	40	
Oct. 16	81	44	
Oct. 17	85	43	

Precipitation in October: 0"
 Official Precipitation for Year: 18.27"



**CRAIG WILLIAMS and TOYE CHILDRESS
Couple To Wed Nov. 24**

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Childress of Tahoka announce the engagement of their daughter, Anika Toye Childress, to Thomas Craig Williams, of Wolforth. Craig is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Williams of Olton.

The couple plans to wed Nov. 24, at 3 p.m. in Sweet Street Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a 1994 graduate of Tahoka High School and is employed by the Lubbock County Sheriff's Office.

The future bridegroom is a graduate of SPAG South Plains Regional Law Enforcement Academy and is employed by Wolforth Police Department.

Basic Grant Writing Workshop Scheduled

Wes-Tex and Big Country Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Areas, Inc. are co-sponsoring a Basic Grant Writing Workshop Oct. 24-26 in Lubbock.

The workshop will be conducted by Ms. Lise Kunz, of Grants Link, Inc., out of Missouri. She has 12 years experience with the nonprofit community.

The workshop will be held at City Bank (5211 Brownfield Highway), from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. daily. For more information or registration forms, contact the Wes-Tex RC&D office at (806) 266-5067.

Levelland Festival Is Nov. 4 & 5

People ready to start their Christmas shopping will find a variety of gift ideas at the 1995 Levelland Mari-golds Arts and Crafts Festival set for Nov. 4-5.

The annual Bazaar will be held in the Sundown Room and Women's Gym at South Plains College located on South College in Levelland. It will be open from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday and 12 noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

This is the 20th bazaar. There will be between 65 and 75 booths in this year's show.

There is no admission charge and meals and snacks will be available. For more information call (806) 894-6726, 894-6161, or 894-6440.

Sharp Says Unfair Medicaid Funding Formulas Could Cost Lynn County Taxpayers \$2.4 Million

State Comptroller John Sharp has determined that unfair funding formulas now pending in the U.S. Congress would cost Lynn County taxpayers between \$2.1 million and \$2.4 million in federal Medicaid cuts over the next seven years.

"This unacceptable legislation asks Lynn County taxpayers to subsidize the health care of people in other states," Sharp said. "It would send twice as much money to a senior citizen in New York as to a senior citizen in Lynn County."

"True block grants would help balance the federal budget and give states like Texas more flexibility," Sharp said. "But this proposed legislation isn't a block grant. It's a scheme to lock into place the unfair funding formulas of the past while giving distant bureaucrats in Washington as much control as ever over Texas programs."

Sharp released a county-by-county analysis of the different Medicaid funding formulas that have passed committees in both the U.S. House and U.S. Senate and will soon be resolved by a conference committee. His analysis shows that the House plan would cost Texas \$4.9 billion over the next seven years. The Senate version would cost Texas \$7.7 billion during the same period.

"These proposals offer Texans a choice between a bad plan and an even worse plan," Sharp said. "Both would pass the responsibility and expense for health care down to local communities. Public hospitals and other health care providers would have to raise local taxes to make up the difference, and private hospitals that receive no local tax support would have to shift Medicaid patients to public hospitals - adding to the challenges already faced by these facilities."

According to the Comptroller, Medicaid contributes to the cost of care for 75 percent of all Texans in nursing homes, and nearly one-third of total Medicaid spending in the states goes to care for elderly men and women.

"What's going to happen to our parents and grandparents if this legislation passes?" Sharp asked. "As the number of elderly Texans grows, the money for their care will be sent to other states."

"What's going to happen to the hospitals where more than 45 percent of Texas babies are born? Our state population is growing at more than twice the national rate, yet Congress wants to cut our federal funds so that a handful of powerful Northeastern and Midwestern states can receive more - whether their populations are increasing or not."

Under both the House and Senate plans, Sharp said, states would be required to spend general revenue funds to receive federal dollars, much as they do now.

"It's the same entitlement system Congress claimed it wanted to

reform and change to block grants when this debate began earlier this year," Sharp said. "Now they're on the verge of making a bad system even worse. Federal Bureaucrats will still pull the strings, but Texas and other high-growth states will receive fewer federal funds to comply with those rules and regulations."

Moreover, Sharp said, New York and other states with stagnant or declining populations would see their federal match rates increase, while Texas' federal match rate would remain the same as under current law.

"This is particularly outrageous," Sharp said. "New York would be required to spend fewer state dollars to receive what it receives today - which is already twice as much as Texas receives."

Both the House and the Senate plans have been approved by committees and are ready for floor action, Sharp said, perhaps as early as mid-October. After that, a conference committee will work out the final version.

Since March, Sharp has provided timely analyses of all welfare and Medicaid proposals as they have wound their way through the federal legislative process.

In June, Sharp proposed an alternative funding formula that would distribute federal funds based on each state's population growth and per capita income. Last month, this *National Fair Share Block Grant Plan* was introduced by Texas Congressman John Bryant in the House Commerce Committee but failed to win approval.

Application Forms Available Now For 'Christmas For Kids'

"Christmas For Kids" application forms for parents who cannot provide Christmas gifts for their children are now being accepted in Lynn County through the Lynn County Child Welfare Board. Interested persons may pick up application forms from Janet Porterfield at the Lynn County Treasurer's Office, or from the Department of Human Resources, Community Action, or the Health Clinic.

Completed forms should be returned to Mrs. Porterfield in the treasurer's office in the Lynn County Courthouse as soon as possible, but no later than Dec. 15. Completed applications may also be mailed to Mrs. Porterfield at P.O. Box 636, Tahoka, TX 79373.

The "Christmas For Kids" program provides gifts for needy children up through age 12, and if enough money is available, for children ages 13 and 14. Parents should list all children up through age 14 on the request list, as well as submit other information including why they need help providing Christmas gifts.

ROTARY NEWS

Bryan Reynolds, Lynn County Extension Agent, spoke to the Tahoka Rotary Club Thursday. He brought the Club up to date on the condition of the current cotton crop in Lynn County. He also spoke about the boll weevil and the havoc it is causing cotton producers.

Everyone is invited to attend the Rotary Club which meets at 12 noon Thursdays at T-Bar Country Club.

Tahoka School Menu

- Oct. 23-27 Breakfast**
- Monday:** Sausage Patty, Slice of Toast, Orange Juice, Milk.
- Tuesday:** Cheese Toast, Orange Slices, Milk.
- Wednesday:** Donut, Pineapple Bits, Milk.
- Thursday:** Cinnamon Roll, Apple, Milk.
- Friday:** Cereal, Toast, Fruit Punch Juice, Milk.
- Lunch**
- Monday:** Beef Taco, Spanish Rice, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Cornbread, Cookie, Milk.
- Tuesday:** Heartfest Day- Chicken Burger, Tomato & Lettuce, Peaches, Cookie, Milk.
- Wednesday:** Beef Pizza, Buttered Corn, Tossed Salad, Vanilla Pudding, Milk.
- Thursday:** Turkey & Dressing, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Hot Roll, Fruit Salad, Frozen Dessert Bar, Milk.
- Friday:** Hamburger w/Trimings, French Fries, Apricot Cobbler, Milk.



**DELIA MARIE TORRES and MARIO LEE MCDANIEL
Couple Announces Engagement.**

Delia Marie Torres of Tahoka and Mario Lee McDaniel of Gary, Indiana, announce their engagement. Miss Torres is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Aleman of Tahoka and Eliseo Torres of Fremont, Ohio. McDaniel is the son of Mrs. Rose McDaniel of Maylene, Ala.

The couple plans to wed Nov. 4, 1995, at Shepherd of the Valley Presbyterian Church in Albuquerque, N.M.

Miss Torres received a B.S. Education from Texas Tech University. She is a recruitment specialist at Texas Tech University School of Medicine.

McDaniel received a B.S. Recreation from Indiana University. He is an Independent Living Coach, Developmentally Disabled Adults, in Albuquerque.

Letter To The Editor

Editor:

I am disturbed by the extensive television coverage at least two of the Lubbock stations are giving to the school board member in Tahoka charged with DUI, etc. The AJ did give the information, but it was not a lead or front page item.

The Sheriff, Police Chief, and School Officials basically would not talk with Channel 28. Could it be that they consider this a Tahoka and Lynn County problem and not something the entire South Plains should be concerned with?

My dad drank when he was young, then married, was a deacon in church, then started drinking again from my age 10-21. He did a lot of stupid things when he was drunk. When he finally got involved in AA and admitted that he was an alcoholic, he spent the last 30+ years of his life back in church and involved weekly in AA helping others with drinking problems. He went out many a night picking up someone that was drunk and sobering them up.

I don't know if the individual in Tahoka is an alcoholic or not, but I am convinced it is a disease that can cause good people to be very irresponsible at times. Irresponsible media has no excuse and they are certainly doing no one a favor in cases like this. If my two younger sisters and brother had seen the media coverage, like in this case, I do not know how we would have handled our

selves. I do know we would have been devastated for a long time. We had enough problems to deal with without any added publicity.

Do I condone DUI? NO. Do I condone assault? NO. But, I do think the above is a Tahoka problem and everyone else needs to but out. Maybe I am wrong. Many people in America consider the media is sick.

H. Lynn Mercer
Lubbock, Texas

Pep Sets Festival

The Pep community is making plans for their annual Thanksgiving Festival to be held on Nov. 23 at the St. Philip Neri Parish Hall. This year's celebration marks the festival's Golden Anniversary.

For fifty years the Pep community has come together for a time of giving thanks by celebrating with a meal consisting of German sausage and turkey with trimmings.

This year's festival includes games for kids, a country store filled with handmade crafts and homemade bread and other goodies. A king-size quilt, quilted by the Pep community women, will be raffled off that day. A large tent will be available to protect attendees from any unfavorable weather as they watch their favorite football team on the 31-inch TV to be raffled off. The day will include an auction and raffles and will end with a country and western dance in the evening.

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Your HEALTH TIP

Safe Sun Continued

UV exposure is greatest in the summer (May to August) but one should remember to take appropriate precautions in the sun all year. Apply a sunscreen every morning and reapply if you're in the water or exercising. It is also important to wear UV blocking sunglasses. Be sure they are UV rated. It can be worse to wear sunglasses without a UV rating than no sunglasses at all. Your pupils dilate behind dark lenses and actually allow more UV in. Remember: limit your peak sun exposure, wear sunscreen and wear sunglasses.

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Foster Families Needed In Lynn County

Families who are facing a crisis situation need the help of other families in Lynn County.

Project Parents and Children Together (PACT) offers families who are facing an emergency such as a hospitalization of a parent, stress of parenting, and lack of shelter or employment a chance to work through the emergency and stay together.

"We need families in Lynn County who can help on a short-term basis. We need families who will open up their homes to these children. Getting through an emergency can break or make a family. Our goal is to prevent child abuse and neglect," said Dee Silva, PACT program coordinator.

Silva stressed PACT is a short-term foster care program and foster families can be either couples or single parents. Foster families receive training in foster care and are also paid to do foster care. She also stressed that families PACT serves are usually not involved with the Child Protective Services (CPS) system.

PACT is part of Buckner Children's Home Family Based Services in Lubbock. Referrals are taken from social agencies, churches or the families themselves.

PACT serves families in Lubbock, Lamb, Hale, Hockley, Crosby, Terry, Lynn and Garza Counties. Funding for the program is provided by a grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

For more information about Project PACT or to inquire about becoming a foster parent, call Silva at (806) 795-7151.

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Senior Citizens MENU

Oct. 23-27

Monday: Green Pepper Casserole, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Whole Wheat Roll, Chocolate Cake.

Tuesday: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Peas & Carrots, Tomatoes, Fruit Salad.

Wednesday: Green Chili Chicken, Beans, Tossed Salad, Onion, Pepper, Tomatoes, Cornbread, Fruit.

Thursday: Pork Chops, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Raisin Bread, Applesauce.

Friday: Hamburgers, Tator Tots, Trimmings, Three-Bean Salad, Peaches.

OBITUARIES

Velma McAda

Services for Clara Velma McAda, 87, of Tahoka were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jerry Becknal, pastor, officiating.

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

She died Saturday, Oct. 14, 1995, in San Jacinto Methodist Hospital in Baytown.

She was born Jan. 31, 1908, in Palo Pinto County. She attended school in Millsap, and she married G.B. McAda on Nov. 2, 1935, in Benjamin. He died June 30, 1985.

She was a homemaker. Survivors include a son, George Tritt of Crosby; two sisters, Jeanette Schultz of Houston and Dorothy Kidwell of Tahoka; five grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were Phillip Barnett, George DeLeon, Dewey Engle, Roy Jolly, Roosevelt Moore and Steve Renfro.

Florence Edwards

Services for Florence Myrtle Terry Edwards, 92, of Crosbyton were at 2 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, in Crosbyton First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Tom Woodward, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Crosbyton Cemetery under direction of Adams Funeral Home.

She died Saturday, Oct. 7, 1995, in North Bay Medical Facility in Fairfield, Calif.

She was born July 20, 1903, in Coryell County. She married David Allison Edwards on Sept. 1, 1925, in Lometa. He died Oct. 19, 1978. She attended the College of Industrial Arts and North Texas State University. She received a master's degree from Texas Tech University. She was a member of Crosbyton First United Methodist Church, where she taught Sunday School. She moved to Crosbyton from O'Donnell in 1931, and she was a member of the Crosbyton Easter Star for over 50 years.

She taught school in O'Donnell and Crosbyton.

Survivors include a son, Terry of Las Cruces, N.M.; a daughter, Laura Dickinson of Vacaville, Calif.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dwayne Cornelius, Compton Cornelius, C.D. Cash, J.W. Jackson, Lee Suther and Jacky Dewbre.

The family suggests memorials to Crosbyton First United Methodist Church.

Eloise Nettles Griffin

Services for Eloise Nettles Griffin, 74, of Tahoka were at 2 p.m. Monday, Oct. 16, at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jerry Becknal, pastor, and the Rev. Ken McClung of First Baptist Church of Meadow officiating.

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

She died Saturday, Oct. 14, 1995, at St. Mary Hospital.

She was born Dec. 8, 1920 in Floydada. She was an executive secretary with Poka Lambro for 30 years. She attended high school in Meadow and attended McMurray University. She graduated from Texas Tech University.

She married William B. Griffin on April 6, 1946 in Lakeview. They moved to Tahoka from Lubbock in 1947. He died Dec. 29, 1989. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Tahoka.

Survivors include three brothers, LeRoy and Leonard Nettles both of New Home, and Edwin Nettles of Lakeview; a sister, Ellie Glenn Burkhalter of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were Dennis Lamb, Allen Neece, Landon Neece, Danny Nettles, David Nettles and Rodney Nettles.

Memorials may be made to the Bill Griffin Scholarship Fund at Texas Tech University or to the Lynn County Emergency Medical Service.

Grace Foster

Services for Grace Bohall Foster, 81, of Wilson were at 10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 16, in Englund's Funeral Service Chapel with the Rev. Charles Addington, pastor of the Crossroads United Methodist Church in Lubbock, officiating. The Rev. Joel Arnwine, pastor of Graham Chapel/Wilson United Methodist Church, assisted.

Burial was in Green Memorial Cemetery in Wilson.

She died Thursday, Oct. 12, 1995, in Methodist Hospital.

She was born Sept. 22, 1914, in Lamar County. She married John William Bohall in November 1931, and he died Nov. 22, 1969. She married Ray Foster in 1981. He died Aug. 9, 1994.

She worked for the Wilson Independent School District cafeteria, and she served as municipal court judge for the City of Wilson.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Coleman of Wilson and Kay White of Granbury; two sisters, Ruth Nelson of Paris and Mary Duke of Roxton; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were John Fields, Tony Bishop, Paul Delgado, Danny Crowson, Tommy Maeker and Charlie Smith.

Robert Hopper

Graveside services for Robert D. Hopper, 62, of Graham were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 10, in Englewood Cemetery.

Hopper died Sunday, Oct. 8, 1995, in a Graham nursing home.

He was born Dec. 31, 1932, in Whitewright. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War, and he was a Baptist. He moved to Graham from Lubbock in 1978.

He worked for the Graham Independent School District in the maintenance department.

Survivors include a daughter, Susan Dorman of O'Donnell; three sons, Bobby of Pecos and Jerry and Ronnie, both of Slaton; a brother, Jack of Sherman; and nine grandchildren.

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DOUBLE DUTY GUY—Tahoka running back Steve Wiseman (21) did good work on both offense and defense against Seagraves as the Bulldogs gave the unbeaten Eagles plenty of trouble before losing 7-6. Wiseman also was named as one of the area's defensive stars for his work from end during the game.

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Fun Festival Set Here Oct. 28

The Sweet Street Baptist Church youth will host a "Fun Festival" on Saturday, Oct. 28, from 6-8 p.m.

There will be several activities including: face and balloon painting, basketball throw, dart throw, ring toss, sponge throw, cake walk, and a jail.

"If you do not prefer your child to go trick or treating this would be a good alternative," said one sponsor. "Come and join us in a night of fun."

The cost is 10 tickets for one dollar. Everyone is welcome. All children under age 10 should be accompanied by an adult.

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—Josh Billings

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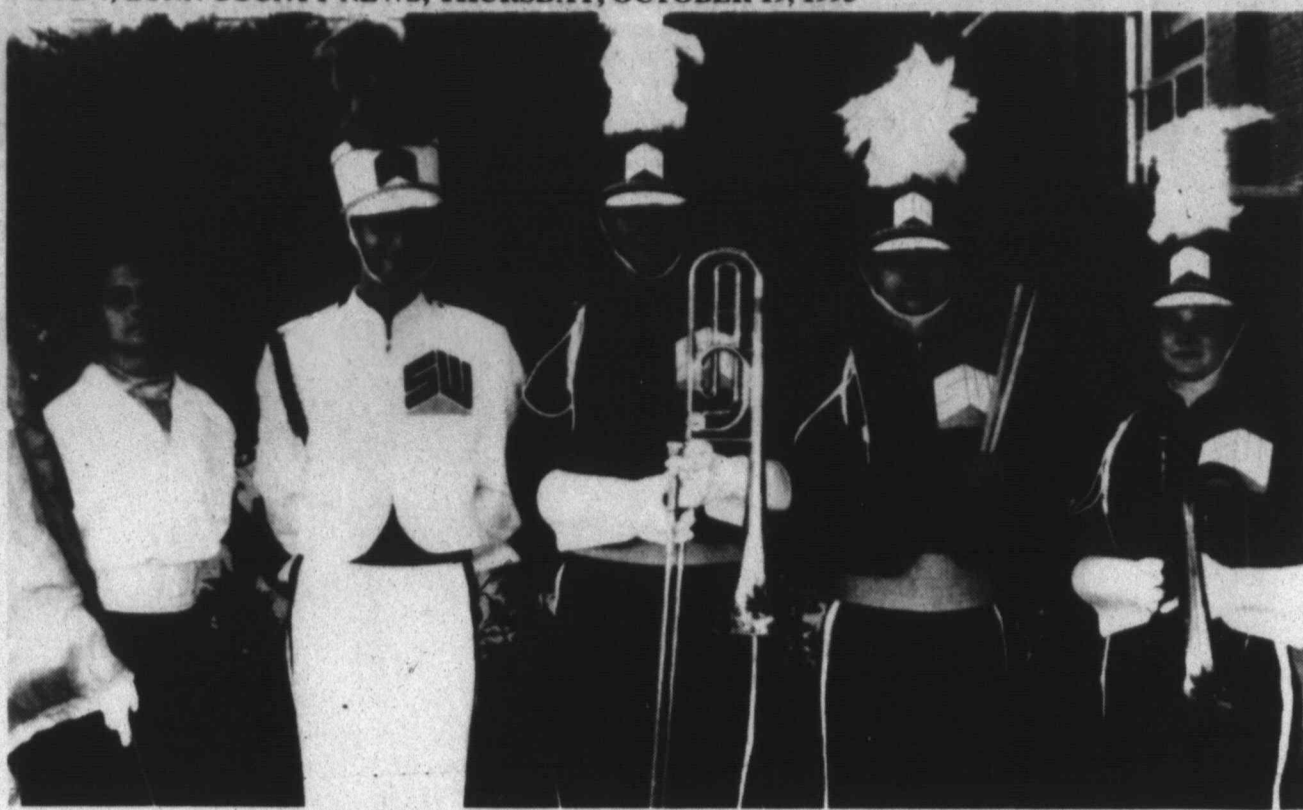
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SWOSU BAND MEMBERS- Southwestern Oklahoma State University's Marching Bulldogs have been busy this fall. The band, led by first-year director Dr. James South, will feature a big band jazz salute during their performances at the Oct. 14 and 28 home games and a popular classics show on Nov. 4. Members of the SWOSU band include (from left): Dawn Ball, Stinnett, TX; Ken Knight, Canadian; Wade Hampton and Brent Huckert, both of Wheeler; and Annie Dunlap, Tahoka.

Tahoka Volleyball News

Varsity Volleyball
by Abbie Gill

The Lady Bulldogs were defeated by Lubbock Christian, 1-15 and 5-15, October 14.

In play against the Frenship Tigers on October 10, the girls lost a three game match, 5-15, 15-8, and 9-15.

"I feel our Varsity did a pretty good job staying with 4A Frenship," said Coach Steve Crosno. "Our team played pretty solid."

The varsity team came out on top after playing the 3A Colorado City Wolves, Oct. 7. The games were close, with scores of 15-13 and 15-12.

"This was an important win," said senior Blanda Miller. "It gives us some momentum going into district."

Freshmen Volleyball
by Kalie Krey

The THS freshmen ladies played the Tigers at Frenship October 10, losing 4-15, 10-15.

"I was rather disappointed in the way our freshmen played. I feel there is a lot of improvement needed at this time," said Coach Crosno. "We're going to have to go back to the basics."

JV Volleyball
by Kalie Krey

The Tahoka High School junior varsity volleyball team will play Rotan on October 24.

The JV ladies lost at Frenship 11-15, 12-15 on October 10.

The girls plucked the Eagles of Lubbock Christian 15-6, 15-4 on October 14.

Eighth Grade Volleyball
by Nancy DeLeon

Tahoka eighth grade volleyball

girls lost to the Plainview Bulldogs Monday, Oct. 16.

The girls came out with a win over Plainview 15-2 in the first game, but lost the last two games 0-15 and 6-13.

Seventh Grade Volleyball
by Marisa Martin

Tahoka seventh grade volleyball girls encountered Plainview girls on Monday, Oct. 16.

The A team lost 6-15, 13-15 and the B team lost 3-15, 7-15.

Seagraves Defeats Junior High Teams

Eighth Grade Football
by Brent Raindl

The eighth grade Tahoka Bulldogs are 0-4 after losing to the Seagraves Eagles 6-44 at Seagraves on October 12.

Cedrick Williams put the Bulldogs on the board with a rushing touchdown.

"The kids played hard until the final whistle," said Coach Cory Barnes. "We were just outsize, outmanned, and outplayed."

The next game for the Bulldogs will be here against Ralls tonight (Oct. 19) at 6 p.m.

Seventh Grade Football
by Rebekah Curry

The Seagraves Eagles flew by the seventh grade Tahoka Bulldogs 52-14, October 12.

"They played very hard, but ran into a bigger and faster team," said Coach Barnes.

Matt Sanders caught a 70-yard touchdown pass from Ryan Curry and Tyson Harris scored on a 40-yard sweep. Phillip DeLeon also caught a 60-yard pass from Curry.

The team will play Ralls here at 5 p.m. tonight (Oct. 19).

Adult Classes Offered At THS

Free adult education classes, including GED preparation, adult basic education, English as a Second Language, and Literacy, will be offered at Tahoka High School beginning Oct. 16.

Classes will be held Mondays and Tuesdays from 7-9 p.m. in THS room 201.

For more information contact Sherri McCord at 998-5146 or 998-4538.

Wilson Elementary Lists Honor Rolls

First Six-Weeks
"A" Honor Roll

1st grade: Vivian Rios, Rita Rendon, Gilbert Vasquez, Ricky Vergara; 2nd grade: Amber Autry, Sarah Bednarz; 3rd grade: TaNeika Adams, Jonathan Bennett, Jamie Burch, Kelley Calsoncit, Lori Garces, David Perez, Kevin Platte, Calan Shifrin, Sara Smith, Kathy Soto, Victoria Vasquez;

4th grade: Tarra Adams, Brady Cross, Lauren Wied; 5th grade: Casey Bolyard, David Yowell; 6th grade: Brian Arellano, Crystal Calsoncit, Jamie Cavender, Miguel Ortega, Gerardo Valdez, Stephanie Whitehead, Kaci Wied, Michael Wied, Shaun Wied.

"B" Honor Roll

1st grade: Veronica Gill, Chris Guzman, Chris Soto, Victoria Zepeda; 2nd grade: Chris Burch, Leticia Hernandez, Kyler Livingston, Ryan Wied; 3rd grade: Junior Mendez, Sonya Quezada, Marcus Rtojas; 4th grade: Robert Arellano, Rebecca Flores, Amy Martinez, Nicole Rucker, Misti Shipley, Kristi Shipley; 5th grade: Phillip Casteel, Manuel Martinez, Jose Calsoncit, Krista Wilke, Zachary Zepeda; 6th grade: Aaron Bednarz, Jennifer Buccola, Steven Deanda, Brian Martin, Joanna Martinez, Chance Talkmitt.

Student of the Six Weeks

Kindergarten: Billy Kirk; 1st grade, Rita Rendon and Ricky Vergara; 2nd grade, Amber Autry; 3rd grade, Kelley Calsoncit; 4th grade, Amy Martinez; 5th grade, Jennifer Pena; 6th grade, Brian Arellano.

P.E. Students of the Six Weeks

Kindergarten, Erin Shifrin and Jesse Rios; 1st grade, Vivian Rios and Chris Guzman; 2nd grade, Leticia Hernandez and Landon Wilke; 3rd grade, Kelley Calsoncit and Juan Calsoncit; 4th grade, Misti Shipley and Ricardo Valdez; 5th grade, Krista Wilke and Jose Calsoncit; 6th grade, Crystal Calsoncit and Justin Brannon.

The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

The Camper Age youth of St. John Lutheran Church will be sponsoring a chili luncheon after church services on Sunday, Oct. 22. The meal is open to the entire community and all are welcome. There will be a free-will offering, with money going to the Camper Fund. Branch 5573 of the AAL may provide matching funds.

St. John Lutheran Church will host 5th Quarter after the Ropes football game on October 20. Plans call for snacks and a hayride.

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club will host their annual "Mexican Stack Supper," on Friday, Oct. 20 from 5-7 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Tickets are \$4 adults, \$2 children 10 and under.

The ladies of Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church will host their annual turkey dinner on Sunday, Nov. 5 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The menu includes turkey and all the trimming with carryout plates available. Cost will be \$5 a plate.

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club meets every Tuesday in the school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. The club is currently selling two types of baseball caps which may be purchased from any member.

The booster club is also selling tickets for a drawing for a 13" Color TV-VCR Combo. Tickets are \$2 each or 6 for \$10. The drawing will be held on October 28 during the Fall Festival. Tickets may be purchased from any Booster Club member.

The Wilson P.T.O. is sponsoring the annual Fall Festival on Saturday, Oct. 28 from 6-9 p.m. Booths will be set up at various locations throughout the school. Booths will include games for all ages, foods of all types and several craft booths are expected.

The Fall Festival offers the opportunity to visit with community members and is a safe alternative to trick-or-treaters. For more information or to reserve booth space, contact Cheryl Donathan at 628-6305.

The upcoming Health Fair will be held in the elementary gym on Thursday, Oct. 26 from 11:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Several agencies will be represented with free brochures, products, information and more. Door prizes will be given away and you need not be present to win. Among the door prizes are: a pair of Wranglers from Gebbo's, silver jewelry from Nanny's Attic, gift certificates from The Country Store, Tahoka Family Flowers, United and Boot City; two free dinners from the Mustang Grill; a heavy duty extension cord from Hometown Hardware in Tahoka, an Emmitt Smith t-shirt from Albertson's, bakery bucks from Slaton Bakery, herbal health drink from Debbie's in Slaton, a gift bag of Avon (courtesy of Mary Downey). Also to be given away are: a flashlight donated by the Cotton Boll, toys donated by Ms. Lopez, stuffed animals from Mrs. Berrier, a wooden rocking horse from Mrs. Cedillo, Fruitopia from Coca-Cola, a Mustang shirt from PTO, a disposable camera from Dayton Parker Pharmacy in Tahoka, wooden rabbits from Darlene Cox, and more. For more information, call School Nurse Sandra Stabeno or Kelley Hirt at 628-6261.

Ms. Stabeno reports there will also be a series of health screenings held during the Health Fair. All community members are invited to take advantage of these screenings which will include a wellness questionnaire, complete blood chemis-

try, full body analysis, nutritional analysis and coronary risk factor. A 40-page workbook and a counseling overview of the results of the screenings is available. Cost will be \$49 for a variety of screenings. Blood tests will be offered for a \$29 charge without the wellness screenings. For more information or to set up an appointment, call Ms. Stabeno at 628-6261.

The Wilson Mustang football teams take on Ropes this week. The Junior High plays at Ropes at 5 p.m. today (Thursday) and the varsity will play Ropes here at 7:30 p.m. Friday.

The Junior High and Varsity Cross Country Track teams will be in a meet at Wellman on Monday, Oct. 23.

The Wilson Cinco-D-Mayo group will meet Monday, Oct. 23.

Wilson students will be involved in several rounds of testing during the week of October 23-27.

TAAS exit level tests will be given as follows: Monday - Exit level writing; Wednesday - Exit level math; Thursday - Exit level reading.

The TEAMS test will be given as follows: Wednesday - TEAMS Math; Thursday - TEAMS language arts.

The Wilson Mustang Marching Band participated in the annual Texas Tech Marching Festival on Tuesday. Band students and Director Mr. Munoz deserve a "well done," for earning a rating of II, which is their best overall rating in several years.

These students spend many hours of hard work after school and other times practicing both music and marching to earn this rating.

Many schools Wilson's size have either dropped their band program or never had one. It is a credit to the administration, faculty and, most of all, the students, that the Wilson Band program is alive and well.

Students must maintain their grades to participate and it takes dedication on their part, supported by the administration, faculty, parents and community for a program such as band to succeed.

Wilson School Menu

Oct. 23-27

Breakfast

Monday: Cereal, Toast, Jelly, Juice, Milk.

Tuesday: Cinnamon Rolls, Applesauce, Milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast Pockets, Juice, Milk.

Thursday: Donut, Nutcup, Fruit, Milk.

Friday: Biscuit, Gravy, Sausage, Juice, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: Pizza, Salad, Fruit Cocktail, Milk.

Tuesday: Chicken Cisada, Spanish Rice, Pinto Beans, Peaches, Tortillas, Milk.

Wednesday: Chicken on a Bun, Trimmings, Fries, Pears, Milk.

Thursday: Spaghetti, Green Beans, Pineapple Slices, Potato Bar w/Salad, Milk.

Friday: Frito Pie, Cornbread, Ranch Style Beans, Birthday Cake for October, Milk.

Wilson High School Lists Honor Rolls

First Six-Weeks
"A" Honor Roll

7th grade: Nick Buccola, Briana Fields, Kameron Livingston, Carla Pabon; 8th grade: William Cavender, Keith Platte, Lexi Wied; 9th grade: Jefferson Compton, Kimberly Compton, Bryan Isham, Steven Johnston, Karl Platte;

10th grade: Patricia Holder, Jennifer Pruiett; 11th grade: Cody Donald, Christina Garza, Joshua Isham, Jodi Wied; 12th grade: Osbaldo Valdez, Keri Wied.

"AB" Honor Roll

7th grade: Lecann Garcia, Ashley Joplin, Amber Wilke; 8th grade: Heath Talkmitt, Patrick Zavala; 9th grade: Amber Fields, Jose Gonzalez, Cynthia Mendez, Nicholas Moreno, Jaime Ortega, Joseph Valdez, Sofie Valdez, D'Andra Wilke;

10th grade: Eric Arellano, Michael Johnston, Jeremy Thomas, Veronica Valadez; 11th grade: Gregory Castillo, Benito Delgado, Mario Perez, Lora Yowell; 12th grade: Mark Munoz, Audra Young.

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Roads, Eating Customs Provide New Experiences For African Missionaries

(Editors Note: This is the second of three articles from information taken from a letter written from Terry and Twylia Bell to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindell Bell of Tahoka. Terry and his wife and children, Amanda (6) and Lance (3) are in Africa to study the culture and learn the Swahili language, along with several other missionary families. The Bells are preparing for missionary work in Tanzania, East Africa. Terry, 36, is a graduate of Tahoka High School.)

Well, I'll move on to other events for our time there. The Jones found out just before we arrived that a small crate which they had shipped from the States finally came in with some other people's crates. It ended up in Musoma at the Paul Savage's home, so Terry asked if I wanted to go with him the next day to claim their long awaited stuff. Sure! It gave me a chance to see more of the country. The next morning, Terry, Scotty (their second oldest son), and I headed for Musoma.

Musoma is on the east edge of Lake Victoria. Our route took us north toward Mwanza, but about halfway to Mwanza, we took a shortcut and connected back into the road between Mwanza and Musoma at the town of Nyalikungu. It required five hours to cover that distance. Between the farm and Nyalikungu is all rough, unpaved road (although there were a few short stretches that had been recently graded). The paved road on up to Musoma was actually very good. Musoma is right on the edge of Lake Victoria. The Paul Savage family is currently renting a house there, but the mission is trying to get one built for them. We unloaded the small crate and packed it into the Nissan Patrol. Because it was too late to make the trip back to the farm that day, we spent the night with the Savage's. The next morning we were on the road back to the farm.

This time we went all the way to Mwanza in order to go to the market and I think Terry wanted me to see the town. Terry said he understood that at one time, Mwanza was the biggest city in Tanzania. Although we only saw a portion of it, it did appear to be quite large. He said we would be able to buy some things there that would not be available in Shinyanga. Between Mwanza and the farm is all unpaved road. There are contracts out for having the road paved and some is currently being done. It is interesting that it is being done by other countries, such as Japan and Israel (I think). The Italians have also done road work in East Africa. We arrived back at the farm in the middle of the afternoon. To give you an idea of the condition of the road, it took us 3 hours 15 minutes to travel 80 miles!

Let me briefly summarize some of the sights along this journey to

Musoma and back. Similar to Kenya, there are many people walking or riding bicycles alongside the roads. The people are carrying all sort of things with them: mamas with babies on their backs; buckets (looks like 5 gal. size) containing water, bananas, fish, wood, etc. balanced on their heads; cotton fields and people carrying the cotton in baskets or kangas on their head; a small collecting house for the cotton (not actually a gin, but there are gins elsewhere); men pedaling bicycles with their wife on the back of it; mud bricks being formed and dried in the sun; houses constructed of the mud bricks with a grass thatch roof; rice, corn, and sugarcane fields; sisal plants; baboons, zebra, and wildebeast (the animals were along the road as we skirted the western edge of the Serengeti National Park).

The next day was Sunday. Terry was invited to a church on the south-east side of Shinyanga. Terry, Scotty, and I once again made the trip. It required about one hour to drive to the church. Much of the way we drove on a sort of road/foot path winding here and there. The service that morning involved three or four churches coming together. There were also three seminary students there, who were out for school break at the time, and each of them had a part. I was able to introduce myself and tell some about me and the family using Swahili - apparently they understood it! Terry was the main speaker, although he did not know he would be before we arrived. He told me that I should usually be prepared to talk/preach every time we go to a church, especially if it is one to which we have been invited. The service lasted about two hours. From church, we went to the pastor's home for lunch.

The pastor's home is very simple, having three rooms, and the third is the bedroom. I do not know how many were in the family. Lunch consisted of rice and beans and it was served in this manner: seven of us gathered around a small table (like our coffee tables) on which a large bowl of rice was placed with three small bowls of beans. The beans were poured onto the rice. We each had a spoon, but we all ate out of the same large bowl. Interesting! Terry said that they want you to eat all you want, but he told me that we should consider the fact that the wife and kids may only be able to eat what was leftover after we were finished.

After lunch, we returned to the church to prepare for a baptismal service. Actually, we just picked up some people from the church because the baptism was done at another location where there was water. We drove out across an open field to a small water hole. Terry had a large, square plastic container that probably holds about 100 gallons of wa-

ter. The ladies meticulously carried water from the hole to the container so we could have a baptistry. So here we are out in the middle of nowhere with a makeshift baptistry, a herd of cattle walking by 100 yards away, bright sunshine, baobab trees scattered around, and about 75 people gathering around, of which 38 were to be baptized! You know, it sure makes for an interesting and fun day of worship. The Lord has given me another taste of what living life and serving Him in Africa will be all about, but I know that this is just the "tip of the iceberg."

On Monday and Tuesday, we spent some time in Shinyanga running errands and seeing various shopping places. We had received our work permit from the Tanzanian government, so we were able to get that stamped into our passports. This means that we are now recognized as residents of the country and have permission to work there for up to two years and then it will have to be renewed. It also means we can go in and out of Tanzania without having to buy visas again. So now, we are actually residents of three countries - the U.S., Kenya, and Tanzania! It does make traveling across borders a lot easier. Anyway, I helped do some things around the farm like worm cattle, work on the Patrol, and I even got to be a "homeschool teacher" for a couple of hours. Scotty had a lesson from his new curriculum about soil, so we went outside, dug a hole in the ground, and studied soil.

Terry set up a meeting on Wednesday for leaders from all the churches in the area to come to the church at Shinyanga. Not everyone came, but around 30 attended. Once again I introduced myself and was open for questions. It was good experience in practicing Swahili and in beginning to get a feel for what my role might be among them. Lunch was very similar to the one at the pastor's home except for one twist - we used our hands instead of a spoon! Try it sometime. Later that afternoon we went to a birthday party hosted by a Dutch family. There were also another single Dutch man and a German family. These families are involved in agriculture and water development projects in Shinyanga.

Thursday afternoon we had a joint birthday party for Lance and their daughter, Aubrey. We had several presents for Lance and one cake between them.

Friday started with an unusual surprise. We were awakened at 4 a.m. by what sounded like an explosion that rattled the house pretty good. Terry said he thought someone had driven into the side of the house. Well, we eventually concluded from other people's comments that it was a small earthquake or tremor, whatever it may be called. DeLena said a few magazines in her closet slid off



STOP AND SEE THE FLOWERS - The flowers at the downtown mural park were changed for the fall season just prior to Harvest Festival, thanks to Tahoka Chamberettes who volunteered to foot the bill for the new sunflowers. Taking time to get a closer look at the bright yellow flowers is the Tahoka Home Base class of 3-4 year olds. They are (in front going clockwise) Marissa Gomez, Emily Garcia, Jesus Ramirez, Joe Michael Saldana, Alex Resendez, Billy Ray Saldana, Lupe Gomez, Raymond Alvarez, and Jannifer Marquez. Home Base teachers shown with the children are Jessie DeLeon and Bennie Nance. Any organization or business may volunteer to take care of the floral arrangements at the park by contacting park committee members Amy Preston, Cal Huffaker or Juanell Jones. (LCN PHOTO)

the shelf because of the rumble. Another person in town mentioned that some of their things were shaken around. Apparently this occurs occasionally, but it was the first time that the Jones remembered anything like it in the four years they have been there. This was the day that Twylia, Amanda, Lance, DeLena, and Logan (their youngest) left via the Baptist airplane for Iringa, where mission meeting would take place. Their oldest son Timothy arrived on the plane from Nairobi, having completed a year at Rift Valley Academy. It would be a two hour flight to Iringa, but they arrived in Iringa before we arrived back at the farm because of our driving time from the airport and stopping in town for things.

Saturday was an exploring day for me. I walked the perimeter of the farm and tried talking to different people who lived or worked outside its boundary. Because of the abundance of tall, dry grass on the farm, Terry was allowing local church members to come in and cut the grass for use as a roofing material on their houses. Sisal plants grow fairly abundantly in this area. These look like a yucca plant with a very tall stem in the middle, probably 15-20 feet tall. The leaves of the plant are used for making sisal rope. There are also many baobab trees. You may have seen pictures of these. They sort of look like the tree has been picked up, turned upside down, and shoved back

into the ground. I say this because the limbs resemble a root system in formation and the diameter of the trunk is very large in comparison to its height.

We attended church the next day in Shinyanga. It is a very large church building with a relatively small membership. Terry said he does not know why it is such a large building, but there will be room to grow in the days ahead. There was a guest speaker that day who was visually handicapped. Terry said it was a good message, but you could not prove it by me. It will be so nice when I can again understand what is being said in a worship service.

One custom they did here, which also occurred at the previous Sunday's meeting, takes place as we leave church. Being led by the pastor, everyone files out of the church singing a song, to form a line outside. As each individual comes out the door, he/she begins shaking the hand of everyone that preceded him/her. Therefore, everyone eventually shakes every-

one else's hand! The females, whether young or old, also give a slight courtesy to the man as she shakes his hand.

That afternoon we drove over to the small reservoir that supplies Shinyanga with water. It apparently is not adequate enough anymore to meet the demands of the growing town, so it will be interesting to see what happens in the near future. It is only a couple of miles from the farm and the farm is one of the first places to receive water along its supply line to town. But last year the farm did not even get water from the reservoir for a few months because of a short drought that drained its resources.

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Give the local businessman a fair shake ... that's all he asks while he continues to work for our town.

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Boy Scout Program Here Offers Variety of Activities

Thursday, Oct. 5 was a sign up day for new scouts and a renewal for existing scouts. Twenty-four boys ranging from 1st grade through 6th grade along with their parents applied for this year's program.

Tahoka's 1995-96 charter will consist of 58 scouts. The boys are divided into six different groups based on age and completion of badges.

Scouts is designed as a year-round family program designed for boys who are in first grade and up. Although the summer is usually left open for parent scout project completion and camp outs. Parents, leaders, and organizations work together to achieve an array of goals.

The purpose of the Boy Scouts of America, as incorporated Feb. 8, 1910, and chartered by Congress in 1916, is to provide for boys an effective educational program designed to train in the responsibilities of participating citizenship, provide growth in moral strength and character, and to enhance the development of physical, mental, and emotional fitness.

The youngest group is the Tiger Scouts, BSA. This is a boy-adult program in which parents agree to participate in all meetings and activities with the Tiger Cub. This group is led by the parents and managed at this point by Cubmaster Todd Henry and assistant Cubmaster, Nicole Durham. This year's leader is Frankie Perry.

Tiger cubs will consist of Kenneth Stanely, Josh DeLeon, Matthew McLelland, Cameron Harcrow, Joshua Terry, Lance Murphy, Josh Valdez, Travis Moore, and Jonathan Norris.

The next level of Cub Scouts, regardless of age, is to pass the Bobcat requirements. There are five goals to completion of a Bobcat badge.

This year's den will consist of Jeremy Hall, Larry Murphy Jr., Kevin Elmore II, Patrick Dotsón, Daniel Dunlap, Mauricio Gutierrez, Christopher White, Matthew Saldana and Trenton Clored.

Upon completion of these requirements each boy is then promoted to Wolf Rank. The Wolves/Bears Rank is led by Brian Durham and Abraham Vega. To earn these badges, each boy must complete a series of 36 achievements along with electives. This den will meet every two weeks.

Bears den will consist of the following boys this year: Colt Crossland, Trevor Cook, Monte Jolly, Ty Stone, Benjamin Balderas, Cade Miller, and Fernando Aguilar.

The Webelos rank is for boys who have completed third grade or are 10 years old, once they have completed earlier ranks. This group is led by Gary Strickland and assisted by Rudy Rangel of Lubbock.

They are Lance Lankford, Charlie Strickland, Michael Elrod,

Lupe Riojas, and Casey Hall.

Second year Webelos will be led by Jay Drusedow and Keith Paschal. This group consists of Ernest Ray Solorzano, Kent Stone, Brent Stone, B.J. Andrews, Blake Ashcraft, Jerid Pridmore, Matthew Wells, Pedro Sepeda, Bradley Paschal, Zachary Ehlers, Ben Henry, Brandon McCord, Michael Nance, Josh Pridmore, Bryan Valdez, Adrian Moore, David Balderas, and Francisco Aguilar.

Tahoka's Boy Scout Troop 721 is led by Barry Pittman and assisted by Jerry Webster. They are Clay Pittman, Jonathan Knox, Jason Jaquess, Shiloh Braddock, Evan Carter, Jeremy Lawson, Matthew Benavides, Lorenzo Escobedo, and Jordan Vega.

Any questions concerning scouts may be directed to any of the den leaders, to Todd Henry 998-4312, or to Nicole Durham 998-5066. Meetings will be held in the old fire station behind city hall.

Activities will kick off during the next two weeks with the Blue and Gold Banquet being held Monday, Oct. 23, to honor all boys and parents participating in BSA. This event will be held in the Lyntegar Room from 7-9 p.m. Each parent is responsible for a covered dish. Please RSVP to your son's den leader no later than Oct. 18.

Cash Rewards Offered For Meteorites Here

Hundreds of meteorites have been found on various farms all across the Great Plains, and still there are thousands that have yet to be located or reorganized. According to Steve Arnold, Director of the American Meteorite Institute, these often overlooked rocks can be worth up to \$10,000 each.

Arnold was in Lynn County recently, talking with area farmers informing them on how to identify potential meteorites. "With a little luck, something new might turn up," Arnold said. "In Hale County, there have been 15 different meteorites found and there is no reason why Lynn County should have any less."

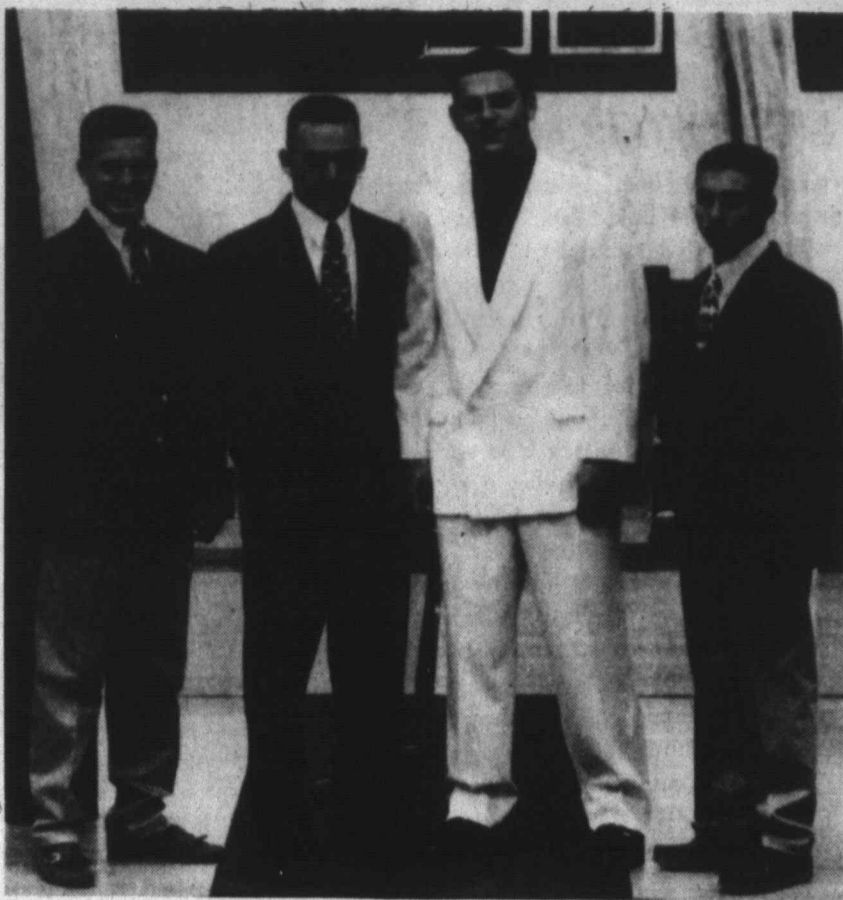
Farmers as well as anyone else that may come in contact with rocks are encouraged to keep a look out for any stones that fit the following descriptions:

- Very heavy
- Smooth exterior (never porous like lava)
- Rounded corners
- Black, brown or rusty in color
- Magnets will usually attract to them
- Surface may have indentions resembling "thumbprints"
- Filing a corner with an emery wheel will reveal small metal specks.

Anyone suspecting that they may have a meteorite is encouraged to send a small walnut sized piece for verification to the American Meteorite Institute, 8177 S. Harvard #610, Tulsa, OK 74137.

If the rock proves to be an authentic meteorite, an offer of purchase will be made. According to Arnold, meteorites that weigh less than 200 lbs. are worth \$50 per pound to the lucky finder. The AMI, upon receiving a new meteorite, preps individual slices and then makes them available to scientists and researchers worldwide for study.

Yea! Bulldogs!



KING CANDIDATES - Danny Scroggins (second from left) was named 1995 New Home High School Homecoming King on Friday, Oct. 6. He is the son of Diane Scroggins. Other king candidates were, from left, Travis Smith, son of Brad and Donna Smith; Shane Zant, son of Leland and Susan Zant; and Jody Clem, son of Mark and Georgia Clem. Not shown is alternate Michael Peek, son of Jim and Judy Peek.

The NEW HOME News by Karon Durham 924-7448

Red Ribbon week is Oct. 23-27. On Monday the 23rd General Assembly will be held for grades K-6th at 8:15 a.m. The assembly is titled Red Ribbon Kick-off.

High school will have their kick-off following their lunch break at 12:30 p.m.

On Tuesday, a mini concert will be held at 9 a.m. for grades K-12. The public is invited to attend.

Wednesday is Hugs Not Drugs. Thursday is also Reach Out Day and immunization clinic. The clinic will be held from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in the elementary building. Call 924-7524 to make an appointment for an immunization or flu shot. The charge is \$5 and Medicare and Medicaid will be accepted with card in hand.

Friday will conclude with Red Rally Day where the students are encouraged to wear red in support of red ribbon week and the Leopard football team.

The Jr. High football hosted Union Oct. 12 and won 37-0.

The High School team travelled to Union and won 50-0.

Danny Scroggins and Donna Perez were named 1995 New Home Homecoming King and Queen Oct. 6. Scroggins is the son of Diane Scroggins. Donna is the daughter of Candelario Perez.

Attendees were Brooke Fillingim and Michael Peek.

Other nominees for King and Queen were Kary Durham, Lisa Vineyard, J'Lynn Clem, Shane Zant, Travis Smith, and Jody Clem.

Byron Norwood sang the Star Spangled Banner as part of the opening ceremonies of the game. The U.S. Marines performed a Color Guard Ceremony.

Many wonderful floats made by classes were enjoyed during the afternoon homecoming parade. The Reese Air Force Base Honor Guard led the parade. Sixth grade won first place followed by third grade, and second grade.

New Home School Menu

- Oct. 23-27 Breakfast**
- Monday:** Coffee Cake, Milk.
 - Tuesday:** Blueberry Pancakes, Milk.
 - Wednesday:** Waffles, Milk.
 - Thursday:** Biscuits, Sausage, Milk.
 - Friday:** Donuts, Milk.
- Lunch**
- Monday:** Frito Pie, Lettuce/Tomato, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Fruit, Cornbread, Milk.
 - Tuesday:** Pizza, Lettuce/Tomato, Corn, Jello w/Fruit, Milk.
 - Wednesday:** Lasagna, Salad, Broccoli, Fruit Cup, Garlic Sticks, Milk.
 - Thursday:** Turkey & Rice, Salad Bar, Peas & Carrots, Fried Okra, Hot Rolls, Milk.
 - Friday:** Chili Cheese Dog, Tator Tots, Pork 'n Beans, Pickle Spears, Red Ribbon Cake, Milk.

Thornberry Co-sponsors Bill To Rewrite Endangered Species Act

Saying it was time for a return to "common sense" in environmental decision making, U.S. Rep. Mac Thornberry joined with Chairman of the House Resources Committee Don Young (R-AK) in introducing bipartisan legislation to comprehensively reform the Endangered Species Act.

Thornberry serves on the Resources Committee and is a member of the Endangered Species Act Task Force. He is the only majority member from Texas involved in reauthorizing the Act.

"The Endangered Species Act is a classic example of good intentions gone astray," Thornberry stated. "Since its enactment nearly 30 years ago, the law has been expanded and abused in ways never dreamed of when it was drafted. We now have a situation where the needs of blue-eyed salamanders and blind spiders take precedent over the needs of American families. That is unacceptable policy and needs to be changed. The legislation we are introducing

will make this change." Formally titled "The Endangered Species Conservation and Management Act of 1995," this legislation is designed to protect the rights of property owners while also promoting conservation.

For example, to protect private property rights, the bill includes a provision that would not only compensate private property owners when the restrictions imposed by the Environmental Protection Agency diminishes their property's value by 20 percent or more, but also require the government to buy the property, with the owner's consent, if the value is diminished by 50 percent or more.

The bill also gives states a greater role in decision making by mandating that the Secretary of the Interior must consult with the affected state before listing a species. If the state disagrees with the listing, the Secretary bears the burden of proof for showing why a species must be listed.

Tahoka Elementary Names Honor Rolls, Students Of The Week

Student of the Week Sept. 25-29
Joshua Freitag, Jeremy Salazar, Bailey Hall, Erica Villegas, Josh Valdez, Jeni Hammonds, Heath Ross, Amanda Ross, Amanda White, Delci Willis, Alferda Resendez, Danny Follis, Juan Aguirre, Ashdon Hancock, Patricia Hester, Sarah Botkin, James Loftis, Jackie Diggs, Chris Engle, Eloy Mendez, Jennifer Schuknecht, Brent Stone, Roseanna Coronado, Marissa Chapa, Aubrey Kieth, Erika Martinez, Anna DeLeon, D'Lynn Stone.

Tahoka Elementary 1st Six Weeks Superstar Honor Roll
2nd grade: Salena Alvarez, Christyn Chapa, Krista Cloe, Alyssa Gomez, Carissa Hall, Brandi Hall, Matthew Saldana, Mandi Strickland, Delci Willis, Samantha Andrews, Benjamin Balderas, Colby Gardner, Stacie Green, Porscha Mitchell, Meghan Saldana, Jessica Wilson, T.J. Cloud, Callie Botkin, Sonya Moralez, Apolonia Sepeda;

3rd grade: Crystal Gutierrez, Ashdon Hancock, Cade Miller, Jessica Antu, Sarah Box, Lacey McCleskey, Kayla Selmon, Krista Norwood, Colt Crossland, Sarah Botkin, Trista Wuensche, Jennifer Cisneros, Whitney Ferguson, Cassidy Gandy, Monte Jolly, Ty Stone;

4th grade: Cristal Amador, Mandy Martin, Jackie Diggs, Lance Lankford, Michael Nance, Emily Botkin, Haleigh Ross, Lynsy Williams, Brady Askew, Kelly Engle, Lindsay Preston, Kyndra Selmon; 5th grade: De'Lea Autry, Jennifer Schuknecht, B.J. Andrews, Blake Ashcraft, Tim Hutton, Lana Jones, Bradley Paschal, Jeanine Wilson, Garrett Ferguson, Emily Gill, Leigh McAfee, Kalese Hammonds;

6th grade: Ren Ellis, Nicole Green, Aubrey Keith, Jonathan Luna, Kallah Bartley, Clayton Chancy, Nina Follis, Cory Gardner, Crystal Moseley, Tonya Elrod, Cheley Miller.

1st Six Weeks Bulldog Honor Roll
2nd grade: Mitchell Elrod, Abi Henderson, Kathryn Reno, Vanessa Salazar, Patrick Dotson, Shelley Gandy, Amy Gutierrez, Crystal Segovia, Daniel Dunlap, Kelee Harcrow, Tessa Merryman, Candice Quintero, Jennifer Rodriguez;

3rd grade: Trevor Cook, Angela Curtis, Cuca Flores, Amy Schuknecht, Chase Autry, Kalie Dorman, Julian Quintero, Lupe Riojas;

4th grade: Meredith Pittman, Lysie Sanchez, Chris Engle, Diana Pena, Mel-

issa Alvarado, Cory Green, Eric Green, Ashley McNeely; 5th grade: Felicia Arellano, Kyndel Byrd, Pedro Sepeda;

6th grade: Leticia Arellano, Lesley Chapa, Chance Dunlap, Jeff Gandy, Brandi Tekell, Jennifer Finstad, Keely Boone, Mandy Sanders, Adam Salinas, Kimberly Craig, Blandon Hancock, D'Lynn Stone.

Bulldog Booster Club News

Fajitas will be the menu for the next Bulldog Booster Club Tailgate Party. The meal will begin at 6 p.m. October 20, prior to the Ralls football game. An added attraction will be music by the Bulldog Band under direction of Carroll Rhodes. Cost of a fajita and drink will be \$2.00.

"Booster Club members invite everyone to come enjoy the band and support the Bulldogs," said a sponsor.

Upcoming major sporting events include the District Cross-Country Meet at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock on October 21. Middle and High School boys and girls will compete in 2- and 3-mile runs. Varsity athletes may qualify for Regional competition to be held November 4 in Lubbock. Tahoka should have about 17 middle school and 17 high school runners competing, according to Coach Cindy Gardner.

Also, District competition in volleyball will be the week of October 24. Lady Bulldogs travel to Rotan on Tuesday and then face the Yellowhammers again here at home on Saturday, Oct. 28.

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Card of Thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for all the kindness shown us during the loss of our loved one, H.R. Tankersley Jr. Thank you for the flowers, cards, memorials, food and prayers. May God bless each of you.
Clifford Tankersley and Family
42-1tp

Go Bulldogs!

Real Estate

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BIG GARAGE SALE - 2406 N. 2nd. Friday, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Ashbrooks and Norwood. 42-1tp

GARAGE SALE - 2121 Ave. O. Thursday, Friday, Saturday. Clothes, a few dishes, and miscellaneous at low prices. 42-1tc

INSIDE GARAGE SALE - Lots of stuff, ladies clothes, shoes, dishes, bedspread. Thursday and Friday, 9-5. 905 Ave. E and South 6th. 42-1tp

CARPENT SALE - 2217 N. Main in back. Saturday, 9 til ? Lots of knick-knacks and Christmas items and more. Linda Owen and Becky. 42-1tc

Help Wanted

TAHOKA CARE CENTER is taking applications for an RN-weekend coverage. Please call Sue Joplin at 806-998-5018. 29-tfc

HELP WANTED: Experienced auto mechanic to work at Al Griggs AutoCenter in Tahoka. Contact Gregg Boyd, Service Director, at 998-4547. 41-tfc

HELP WANTED: The Lynn County Extension Service is accepting applications for a full-time secretary on a temporary basis with a possibility of expanding to a permanent position. Persons interested should apply in person at the Extension Office located at 1600 Ave. J. Applications will be accepted through 5 p.m., Friday, Oct. 20, 1995. Lynn County is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer. 41-2tc

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Tahoka Care Center News

by LISA LEHMAN

Thanks to Mama's Home Place Cafe for donating cokes to Tahoka Care Center on the van ride Tuesday.

Linda Hood had a birthday on Friday, Oct. 13 and Yollie Dotson had one on Sunday, Oct. 15.

Thanks to Patricia Hogg and Eloise Chamblee for calling Bingo, we really appreciate it. Anyone wishing to volunteer a few hours a week at the Center is asked to call Lisa at 998-5018. Volunteers are needed and appreciated.

A monthly birthday party will be hosted by Sweet Street Baptist Church on Wednesday, Oct. 25 at 2 p.m.

Thanks to Virginia Zavala for coming out and fixing the residents' hair. They really look forward to this on Tuesdays.

Shop In Tahoka!

Civil Rights Statement Tahoka Care Center

Diana Riojas, Administrator
To Whom It May Concern:

We at Tahoka Care Center look forward to continuing and improving the high standards of health to the citizens of this area.

We would also like to share with this community our "Open Admission Policy" to which this facility adheres. This policy states that Tahoka Care Center will admit and treat all residents on a non-discriminatory basis. All residents are admitted and receive benefits and services without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, sex, handicap, age, or method of payment. There is no distinguishing eligibility for, or in the manner of receiving any resident service provided by or through the Care Center. All facilities of the Care Center are available without distinction to all residents and visitors, regardless to race, color, national origin, religion, sex, handicap, and/or age.

Tahoka Care Center is also an equal opportunity employer. This terminology means an individual will be employed based on a complete investigation of credentials and references and with disregard to each individual's race, color, national origin, religion, sex, handicap and/or age.

We certainly appreciate being a part of the health care facilities of this community and look forward to providing the care our citizens desire and well deserve.

Any person or organization that have occasion either to refer residents for admission or recommend Tahoka Care Center are advised to do so without regard to the resident's race, color, national origin, religion, sex, handicap and/or age.

DIANA RIOJAS, Administrator

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Lionel Garcia et ux to Teresa Parish.

John Sharp Delivers October Sales Tax Rebates

"Employment in Texas has reached another all-time high of more than 8 million jobs, rising by 3.2 percent in the past year." State Comptroller John Sharp said as he delivered a total of \$141.1 million in October sales tax rebates to 1,077 Texas cities and 111 counties.

These monthly sales tax payments represent a 4.9 percent increase over rebates of a year ago.

This month's payments to Texas cities and counties is of taxes collected on August sales and reported to the Comptroller in September by businesses filing monthly tax returns.

O'Donnell received a \$1,020.32 payment, a 10.36% increase over last year. Tahoka received \$5,552.02, a 18.55% increase over last year. And Wilson received \$224.06, a 59.36% decrease over last year. The county total payment for this period was \$6,796.40, a 10.34% increase over last year for this time period. However, the county's total payments for the 1995 year to date is \$72,372.88 which is a 5.25% decrease from comparable payments in 1994.

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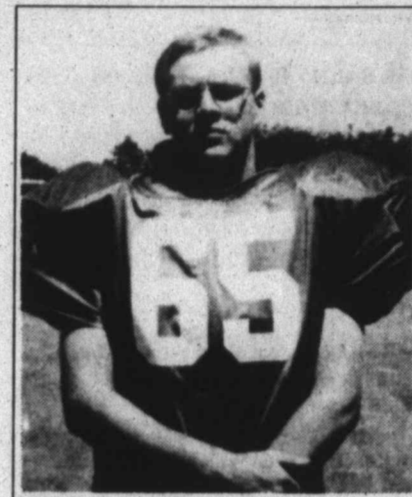
THIS WEEK'S GAME

TAHOKA VS RALLS

FRIDAY, OCT. 20 - HERE AT 7:30 P.M. (DISTRICT GAME)



Gerold Cantu
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The Tahoka Bulldogs run through the sign and on to the field Friday night at Seagraves, ready to take on the Eagles on their home territory. The Dogs fought a close battle, losing 7-6 to the unbeaten Eagles.*

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