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### **Tour Of Homes, Hay Ride To Benefit "Christmas For Kids"**

Tahoka High School Student Council and BPA Chapter II members are sponsoring a Christmas Tour of Homes, a hay ride for youngsters and a chance to visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus this Sunday evening, with proceeds from all events to benefit the Lynn County "Christmas For Kids" program and the local prison ministry.

This Sunday, Dec. 10, from 6-9 p.m., parents may take their youngsters to the Downtown Mural Park for a supervised hay ride, and youngsters may also visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus.

The wagon will load at 6 p.m. (or after all pictures are made with Santa and Mrs. Claus) and will return by 9 p.m. for parents to pick up. While the youth are being entertained, parents may take a Christmas Tour of Homes of seven area homes. The hay ride is \$3 per child, and children may visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus and have 1802 N. 7th, during the evening.

a polaroid picture taken with the jolly couple for \$2 per picture. The Home Tour is \$4 per person.

All proceeds from the THS youth-sponsored events will be donated to the Lynn County Child Welfare Board's "Christmas For Kids" program, which buys Christmas gifts for needy children in Lynn County, and to the local prison ministry sponsored by Reggie and Gloria Moore.

**Tickets for the Christmas Home** Tour may be purchased from any Student Council member, at the high school office, or at any of the homes listed on the tour. Participants may visit the homes in any order during the three-hour period, and tickets may be purchased at the first home visited and shown at the other homes.

Refreshments will be served at each home, and Byron Norwood will provide entertainment at the home of Mike and Paige Rivas, located at



**DONATION FROM HARVEST FESTIVAL - Jay Dee House, chair**man of the Lynn County Harvest Festival Committee, presents a check for \$400 to Lynn County Treasurer Janet Porterfield for the Lynn County Child Welfare Board's "Christmas For Kids" program. In presenting the check, House said, "The Harvest Festival Committee wanted to give back to the community a portion of the money raised by our queen and princess contestants, and felt like the Christmas gifts for needy children benefited the entire county." (LCN PHOTO)



### **Christmas Lighting Contest Entries Needed This Week**

The annual Christmas Lighting Contest in which Tahoka Garden Club judges the top entries in several categories of decorations each year in the city of Tahoka is being held, with judging of entries set next Thursday night.

Judging will begin at 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 14, and all entries need to have the lights on before 6 p.m.

Entries may be made by calling one of the following Garden Club members: Mrs. Madelyn Brown at 998-4930, Mrs. Pat Park at 998-4797, Mrs. Mildred Abbe at 998-4602, or Mrs. H.R. Tankersley at 998-4254.

There are three classifications for entries. Residential has five categories - door, window, yard, outside tree and "over-all." Merchants will have one category - display windows.

Municipal displays will include city and county buildings and will be judged in one category.

#### **D.A. Ricky Smith Seeks Re-Election**

Ricky B. Smith, District Attorney of the 106th Judicial District, this week announced his candidacy for re-election to that office. The 106th Judicial District consists of Dawson, Gaines, Garza and Lynn Counties.

Smith, 47, was born in Lamesa, and graduated from Lamesa High School. He is a graduate of Tarleton State University and Baylor University School of Law. He and his wife, Theda, have four children, Robby, Jason, Honey and Candy; and two grandchildren. He was appointed assistant district attorney in 1975, and was first elected district attorney in 1984 upon the retirement of Joe'Smith. In announcing his candidacy, Smith said, "It is an honor and privilege to serve as your District Attorney and I sincerely appreciate your support and encouragement. I pledge to you that I will continue to work hard for you and will do my very best as your District Attorney."

An entry must be lighted, and must be clearly visible from the street.

Three places will be rated in each category, and pictures of the first place award winners will be presented in the Dec. 21 Christmas edition of The Lynn County News.



#### SANDY COX **Commissioner Cox Files For Re-Election**

Sandra (Sandy) Cox, Lynn County Precinct 3 Commissioner. filed this week for re-election as county commissioner in the 1996 election.

Mrs. Cox, 54, has served as Lynn County Commissioner since 1991. In announcing her candidacy, she stated:

"I have been a resident of Lynn County for over 40 years, and have the best interests of the county at



TODAY, THURSDAY, Dec. 7, is Pearl Harbor Day, and believe me, the significance of the day is fading into oblivion. This may be because most of us who remember personally what happened on that day in 1941 also are fading into oblivion.

There was a time when a common question was "Do you remember where you were when it was announced that the Japanese had attacked Pearl Harbor?" or "Do you remember where you were when it was announced that President Kennedy was shot?" Well, I can remember what I was doing on both occasions, but a lot of folks under 30. can't remember either day. Most of them know about Kennedy, but some probably view the 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor and the consequent World War II on a par with the Boxer Rebellion or some really ancient conflict like when William the Conqueror threw the Visa Goths into the English Channel, or whatever it was that he did.

Our 14-year-old grandson asked the other day who Napoleon was. I explained that he was a French general who stood around with his hand inside his shirt feeling his Bony Parts.

Anyway, Pearl Harbor Day's last big recognition apparently came four years ago on its 50th anniversary, when it got a lot of press. Not much was said about the infamous event in the last three years, and as of this writing, two days before the anniversary, I have not even read or seen a mention of it.

I do recall where I was on Dec. 7, 1941. When the radio announced the attack, I was playing monopoly; I don't remember who with. I had just reached my 13th birthday three days earlier. I had never heard of Pearl Harbor. I had never heard of Hawaii. I had just barely heard of Japan and the United States (even in those days, I was poor in geography; all I really knew was that Jacksboro was about 60 miles from Fort Worth, and I was pretty sure that nothing really important could happen any further away than that).

Any year now, we're going to have to find some other event to pinpoint our personal involvement. Kennedy assassination day can hang around awhile, but Pearl Harbor Day will have to go. Perhaps it will be replaced. Do you remember where you were on the day they chased down O.J. Simpson in a white Bronco?

I can envision some day not far from now when I ask some young person, "Do you know about Pearl Harbor?" and he or she may answer: "Paul Harvey? Sure-wasn't he that old guy on the radio who always wanted to tell 'the rest of the story'?"

## Four Bulldogs Make First **Team All-District Football**

Four Tahoka Bulldogs were named to the first team of the District 4-AA All-District team announced this week. The four were Steve Wiseman, sophomore running back, and on defense, junior end Joseph DeLeon, junior defensive back Monty Hale and senior kicker Gerold Cantu.

Wiseman rushed for 802 yards on 164 carries, an average of 4.9 per carry last season, and scored nine touchdowns. DeLeon had 49 solo tackles, 69 assists, six quarterback sacks, caused 3 fumbles and recovered 2 fumbles. He also blocked two kicks. Hale had 48 solo tackles, 31 assists, one quarterback sack, caused two fumbles and recovered one. He had four interceptions.

On the second team, offense, were DeLeon at tight end, Jesse Perez at guard, Mike Rodriguez as punter and Shawn Brewer at quarterback. Second team defensive honorees included Perez at linebacker.

Perez had 38 solo tackles and 69 assists, caused two fumbles and recovered two. All of this was despite missing the first three games of the season due to injury. Brewer completed 40 of 117 passes for 805 yards and six touchdowns. He was intercepted 8 times.

Cantu also was honorable mention as a fullback on offense. Other Bulldogs chosen to the offensive honorable mention group were Center Mike Rodriguez, Guard Michael Calvillo, Tackle Victor Herrera and Hale at wingback.

Tahoka had four spots on the honorable mention defensive team. They are Clay Taylor and Rodriguez in the secondary, Calvillo and Cantu at linebackers.

Other running backs chosen on the first team were Jeff Lang of Crosbyton and Conrad Garcia of Idalou.

#### **Sherry** Pearce **Files For Re-Election**

Lynn County Tax Assessor/Collector Sherry Pearce this week filed for re-election to that office.

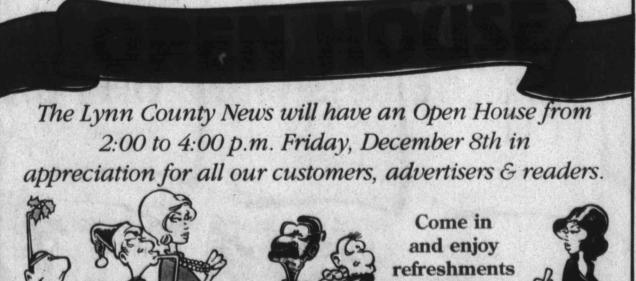
In announcing her candidacy, Ms. Pearce made the following statement

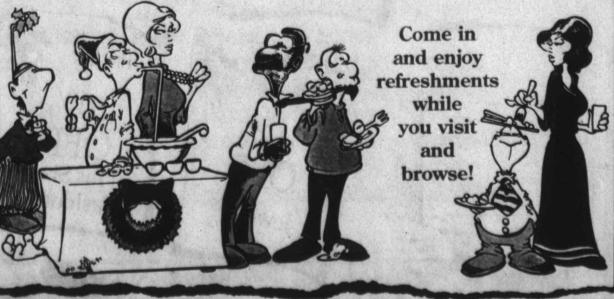
"It has been a privilege and an honor to serve as the county tax assessor/collector. I will continue to serve you, the public, to the best of my ability. Thank you for your continued support."

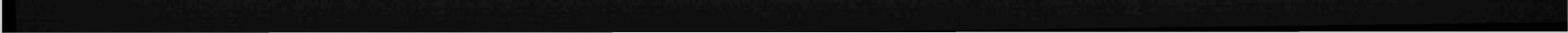
heart. I enjoy serving as your county commissioner, and have strived to do my best to fulfill the duties of my office, including attending various educational conferences and workshops to keep up with current laws governing the county. I enjoy working as your public servant, and would appreciate your support in my bid for re-election."

See a photo you would like to have? If it says LCN PHOTO it is available for purchase at a cost of 50¢ on a first-come, first-serve basis at the Lynn County News Office.

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**ESPARANZA CASTILLO** 

Esparanza Castillo

Castillo, 54, of Tahoka were at 7 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 1, in J. Calvillo Chapel

Saturday in St. Jude Catholic Church

in Tahoka with the Rev. Todd

under direction of Calvillo Funeral

1995, in West Texas Skilled Nursing.

married Arthur Castillo in 1980 in

nurse for the Tahoka Care Center.

two brothers, Robert Chavarria of

Lubbock and Emilio Chavarria of

Tahoka; and a sister, Maria Ramon of

Chavarria III, Adam Chavarria, Jose

Chavarria, Robert Chavarria Jr.,

Danny Esquibel, Ramon Mendoza,

Benjamin Soliz Jr. and Chris

in Tahoka.

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Rosary for Esparanza "Betty"

Mass was celebrated at 2 p.m.

Burial was in Nevels Cemetery

She died Thursday, Nov. 30,

She was born in Laredo. She

She was a retired medication

Survivors include her husband;

Pallbearers were Emilio



#### A.C. Fillingim Sr.

Services for A.C. Fillingim Sr., 99, of New Home were at 2 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 30, in New Home Baptist Church with the Rev. Morris Pruit, pastor, officiating. The Rev. Oscar Newell assisted.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

Fillingim died Tuesday, Nov. 28, 1995, at his residence.

He was born Sept. 17, 1896, in Coffee County, Ala. He attended Aspermont schools. He married Bessie Simmons on Dec. 24, 1924, in Leonard. She died Dec. 16, 1980. He helped establish the Calvary Baptist Church in Walsenburg, Colo. He served on the New Home School Board from 1935 to 1952, and he was a charter member of the New Home Co-Op Gin and New Home Baptist Church. He was also a trustee of the church

He was a pioneer in the Lynn County area, where he was active in obtaining rural roads, electricity and mail routes. He retired from farming and ranching in 1966. A daughter, Betty Mary Blacker, died in 1982.

Survivors include two sons, A.C. Jr. and Joe Robert, both of New Home; a daughter, Bernice Clem of New Home; a sister, Rosamae Anderson of Levelland; 13 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and two greatgreat-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Wayne Fillingim, Mike Fillingim, Kenny Fillingim, Andy Fillingim, Jimmy Fillingim, Mark Clem, Steve Fillingim, John Blacker and Robby Blacker.

Honorary pallbearers were greatgrandsons.

The family suggests memorials to New Home Baptist Church.



#### **Anna Robison**

Services for Anna A. Robison, 88, of Slaton were at 2 p.m. Monday, Dec. 4, in Englunds Chapel with the Rev. Hollis Shewmake of Levelland officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery.

She died Saturday, Dec. 2, 1995, in Slaton Care Center.

She was born Oct. 27, 1907, in Crawford. She moved to Lynn County in 1925. She married Elmer "Dutch" Robison on March 15, 1924. He died in 1980. She moved to Slaton from Causey, N.M., in 1947. She was a member of Westview Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by a son, Dave, in 1962; and two daughters, Anna Lee Robison in 1931, and Earlene Henzler in 1990.

Survivors include a daughter, Helen Jones of Slaton; two brothers, Wesley Duckett of Lake Brownwood and Harvey Lee Duckett of Tahoka; a sister, Alta Odom of Slaton; 14 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to a favorite charity.

#### Willa Campbell

Services for Willa Wakeland Campbell, 94, of Wilson were at 2 p.m. Friday, Dec. 1, in Wilson First Baptist Church with the Rev. Kenny Platte, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Slaton's Englewood Cemetery.

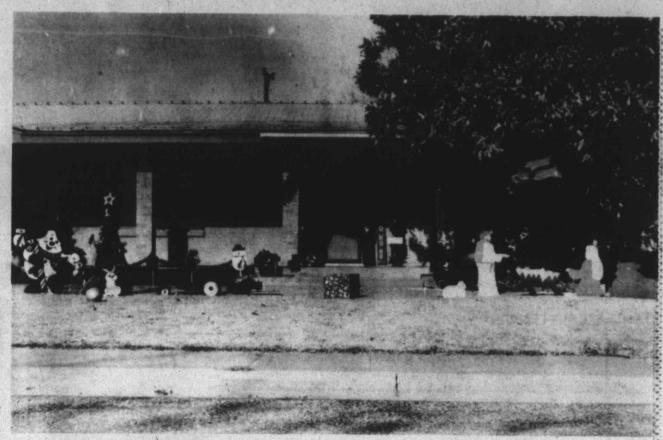
She died Tuesday, Nov. 28, 1995, in Lynn County Hospital in Tahoka. She was born April 29, 1901, in

Hillsboro. She married J.C. Wakeland, and he died in 1932. She married Pat Campbell in 1962, and he died June 6, 1984. She was a member of Wilson First Baptist Church.

She was a school teacher for the Wilson Independent School District, and she retired from the Wilson Post Office in 1978.

Survivors include a daughter, Joy Kirtley of Austin; a stepson, Theo Campbell of Lubbock; a stepdaughter, Mary Wilke of Wilson; 10 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Oscar Follis, John Fields, Glynn Moore, David Nettles



READY FOR THE CHRISTMAS TOUR - This Christmas scene will greet visitors at the home of David and Angela Ehlers, 2008 N. 4th, one of seven area homes on the Christmas Tour of Homes this Sunday evening, sponsored by the THS Student Council. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Lynn County Child Welfare Board's "Christmas For Kids" program. The tour is from 6-9 p.m. and tickets are \$4. (LCN PHOTO)

provide Christmas gifts here. The

Lynn County Child Welfare Board's

"Christmas For Kids" program, which

provides gifts for needy children up

to age 12 who live in Lynn County, is

seeking donations of money or toys

for these children, or for individuals

or groups to "adopt" a child to pro-

dren to provide gifts for," said Janet

Porterfield of the Child Welfare

Board. "This week the count is up to

151 and I feel sure there will be more

sign up for the program," she added.

applicant is screened in an effort to

ensure that only the truly needy

qualify for the program. "There are a

lot of children here who won't have

Mrs. Porterfield says that each

"Last year we had over 200 chil-

vide Christmas gifts for.

### Help Still Needed To Provide **Senior Citizens**

Monday: Pepper steak, rice, squash, tossed salad, whole wheat

roll, cake Tuesday: Chicken w/mushroom sauce, blackeyed peas, zucchini, orange sections, whole wheat roll, snicker doodles

Wednesday: Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, green beans, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, roll, cobbler

Thursday: Tacos, pinto beans, picante chips, salad, apricots

Friday: Sweet and sour pork, rice, chinese vegetables, celery sticks, cornbread, pie

#### **Christmas** Tree **Donated Here**

Lynn County Community Action would like to thank Domingo Saldana for donating a Christmas tree to Lynn County Community Action.

This act of kindness is greatly appreciated.

Christmas Gifts For Needy Kids child, with a limit of \$25 spent per The count is up to 151 needy children, and the list is still growing, child but only 48 have been "adopted" to

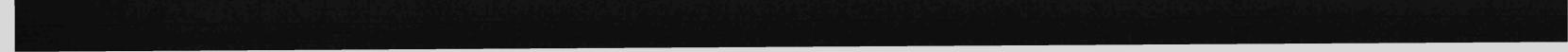
"We have already received donations from Wilson State Bank, First; National Bank of Tahoka and the Lynn County Harvest Festival, as: well as gifts from many individuals. And, Wilson Lions Club is collectingtoys and money for the program, and the THS Student Council and BPA II is sponsoring a Christmas Tour of Homes and hayride to benefit the program," said Mrs. Porterfield. "We: appreciate anything at all that people. can do to help."

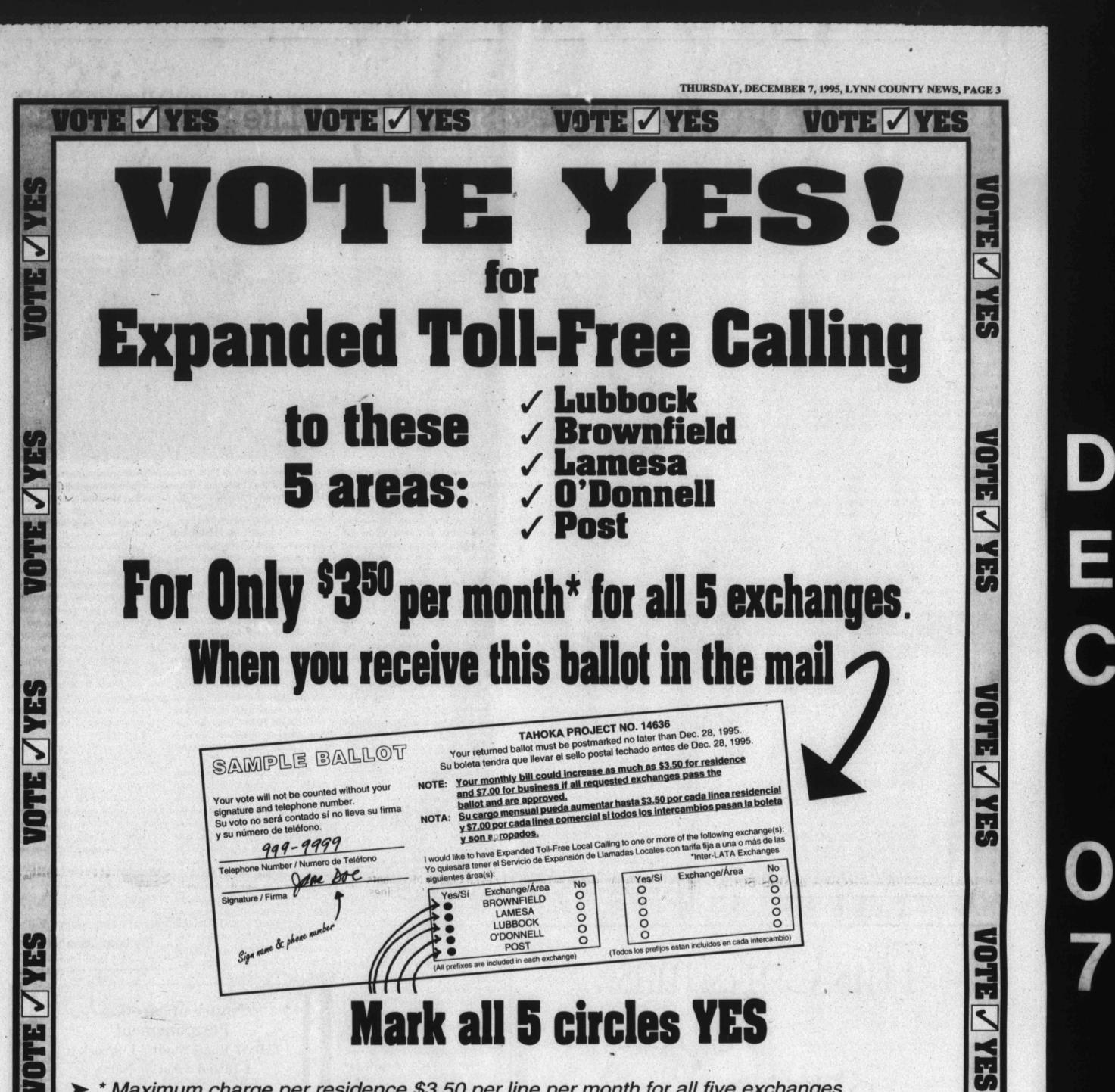
Those who "adopt" a child may bring the gifts to the Lynn County. Treasurer's Office, and Mrs. Porterfield will see that they are delivered by Christmas.

Contact Mrs. Porterfield at 998-4055 to participate in the program or for more information.



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- \* Maximum charge per residence \$3.50 per line per month for all five exchanges. THE MONTHLY FEE WILL COST THE SAME, WHETHER ONE OR ALL FIVE EXCHANGES PASS.
- \*Maximum charge per business \$7.00 per line per month for all five exchanges
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- No long distance charges to the included cities
- No long distance charges for Internet connection to Lubbock
- Huge savings for the taxing entities: City, County, School & Hospital

Tahoka GTE customers should receive an Official Ballot on or around December 13 similar to this one in the mail, which must be completed and returned within 15 days of the postmark. If 70% of those who return ballots vote YES, then the service will be provided to all customers.

### **These local businesses urge you to VOTE YES for** these 5 exchanges and return your ballot promptly:

Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc. Tahoka Drug **Dayton Parker Pharmacy** Tahoka I.S.D. Lynn Co. Commissioners Court **Tahoka Rotary Club** L.U.L.A.C. Huffaker, Green & Huffaker Lynn County Hospital District Thriftway Hometown Hardware

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Higginbotham Bartlett Co. Love, Hays, & Reeger - CPA **Pebsworth Insurance Agency** Tahoka Auto Supply Taylor Tractor & Equipment Co. Bryant Seed & Delinting Co. Lynnco Automotive Lynn County Fuel Association Montgomery Seed & Delinting Southwestern Public Service

VOTE / YES

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VOTE / YES

### Lynn County News, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1995 Lynn County News Chronicles Small Town Life For 92 Years

#### by KEVIN FRANKS

If there is one institution that seems to chronicle the life of a small town, through growth and expansion, as well as hard times, then it is certainly the local newspaper. *The Lynn County News* has been published for most of his century.

The Lynn County News was first published on Friday, October 9, 1903, with Inez Lilly as owner, and Otis Lilly as editor and manager. After only a few issues the paper was discontinued. It was revived in 1905, but again met with an untimely fate. Finally, it was revived for a third time later in 1905 and has been printed regularly ever since.

During the past 92 years there have been 11 different publishers of the weekly Lynn County News. Some have only lasted a few months, others, like the E.I. Hill family, ran the newspaper for decades.

The Lynn County News was the first newspaper in the first organized county and town on the South Plains in an area south from Lubbock to the Texas and Pacific railroad, and even as far west as Roswell, Artesia, and Carlsbad, New Mexico.

The first edition of the paper carried a front page story about the formation of Lynn County in April of 1903. The county was organized with 75 votes, and the article was prophetic when it stated, "beyond a doubt...it will be a farming community."

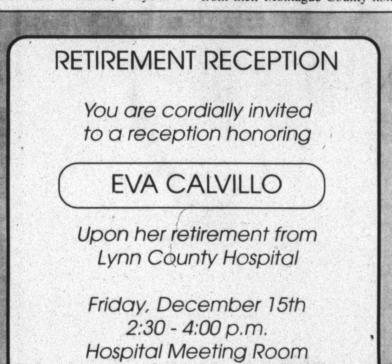
People could subscribe to the paper for only one dollar a year, or could work out a joint subscription with the Lynn County News and Dallas Morning News for \$1.75 a year.

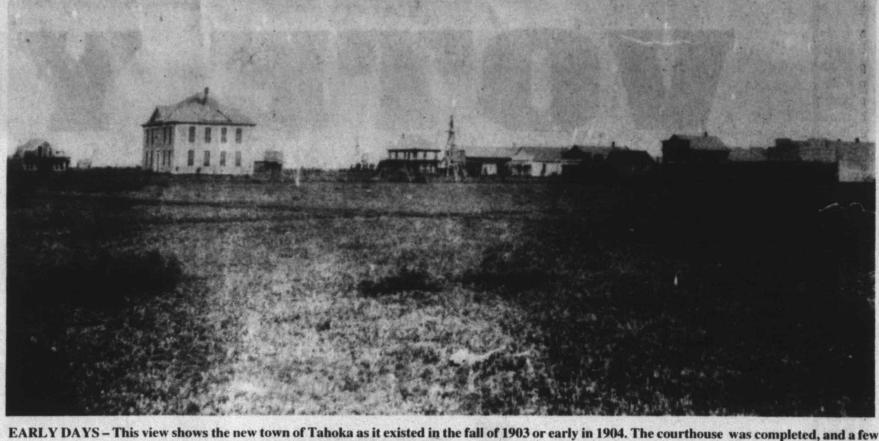
The article said that the town of Tahoka was named for the Tahoka Laguna, which lies about four miles north of town. The town was originally situated on 640 acres of land.

At this time, Tahoka had two general merchandise stores, one drug store, one saddle and harness shop, one meat market, one restaurant, three lawyers, two hotels, two grain and feed houses, two blacksmith shops, and one barber shop. Tahoka had daily mail service from Lubbock and Big Spring, a school house under construction, three organized churches that did not yet have buildings, but "contemplate[d] building in the near future."

According to the article, the town also had "one newspaper and job office that will endeavor to help push Lynn County to the front."

Another example of front page news from the first edition of the newspaper described the efforts being made by Rep. John H. Stephens to locate the present whereabouts of two women who had been abducted from their Montague County home





EARLY DAYS – This view shows the new town of Tahoka as it existed in the fall of 1903 or early in 1904. The courthouse was completed, and a few frame business houses lined one side of the "square". *The Lynn County News* was one of the pioneering businesses in the county, publishing its first issue in October, 1903. (Photo courtesy Research Center, Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum, Canyon, Texas)

by Indians on Jan. 5, 1868. At the time, the girls were four and six years old. Their father, Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, as well as their mother and brother, were killed by a band of Indians under Chief Big Tree. At the time the Lynn County News article was written, the family of the girls was still attempting to locate their present whereabouts.

In an example of the bizarre stories that made it into many early editions of the newspaper, one story in the first edition described a goat in Kentucky who ate two sticks of dynamite left behind by workmen on a farm. Witnesses said that the goat "seemed distressed" and ran from view behind a hill. Minutes later there was an explosion and when witnesses went to investigate, there was nothing left "except a few pieces of flesh."

Indians stories and tales of Texas Rangers were a common recollection in the Lynn County News. Accounts of Sitting Bull and Chief Rain-in-the-Face occupied a great deal of space in early issues.

The August 4, 1922 edition car-

of the day they crossed the Neches River, Gregg went ahead of the rest of the party to scout a place to camp for the night. While he was gone, Indians attacked the lead wagon and killed and scalped Mrs. Gregg and her oldest son Thaddeus. They mortally wounded Ellis, another son, and took the youngest son, Henry, as a captive. Gregg was said to have never recovered from the shocking discovery of his family's massacre and died only a few years later.

Historical pieces like this one were at one time common reading in *The Lynn County News*.

Despite such recollective stories that seem to have been so popular in old editions of the newspaper, most stories focused on the local angle, with such pieces like "Wilson Items", Baptist and Methodist Church news, school news, and agricultural stories arranged in perpendicular columns that were at one time the layout style of newspapers.

Old additions of the Lynn County News show an ability to gather unusual news stories. Take for example a piece written in a 1922 edition that described a unanimous vote taken among 80 citizens in Brownfield, to force the proprietor of a bathing pool to stop his practice of allowing bathing by both sexes at the same time. Citizens wrote a petition asking the owner "to comply with their request

when it came under siege by the Japanese, and William T. McFadden and Herbert Womack were both reported to be in the Philippine Islands when hostilities began.

Another front page story described the Japanese attacks in the Pacific and American reaction to these attacks. The story set the tone for the next several years when it quoted President Roosevelt who, "called upon the people to prepare for a long and hard war."

Another story in this edition said that students at Tahoka High School were addressed by Superintendent W.T. Hanes. Hanes urged the students not to pay attention or contribute to war rumors, and to do their part for national defense.

The Friday, Nov. 29, 1963 edition of *The Lynn County News* dealt with the Kennedy assassination. Due to the fact that the newspaper is weekly and the assassination had occurred one week previous, little actual coverage about the assassination and Lee Harvey Oswald's murder was included. One story to the side of the

otic songs, and an eulogy written by senior Allen Cox.

The Lynn County News was purchased in 1979 by Dalton Wood, after ten years of ownership by Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Valentine. Wood, who was previously the minority owner of the newspaper in Slaton, bought The Lynn County News because he was interested in acquiring full control of a newspaper, he said.

Now the paper is run by Wood's twin daughters, Juanell Jones and Vondell Elliott. In the historic spirit of *The Lynn County News*, while the town and the newspaper employees continue to change, the newspaper itself is a fixture.

The future of *The Lynn County News* can be addressed in the words of Otis Lilly, the first editor of the newspaper. "We will not promise any great thing, but will always be found advocating the best interest of the county and town from an honest convections. Thanking you one and all for the encouragement you have given us."

Need a typewriter ribbon? Office supplies are available at **The Lynn County News** 1617 Main • Tahoka

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for a change." The Lynn County News provides evidence that people have always criticized members of younger generations. One story from the mid-1920's describes the efforts of people in Amarillo to stop the practice of young "flappers" from gathering in the town square on Saturday night from all over the area. According to the story, Amarillo citizens were concerned about the riotous behavior of the young people, and hoped to put a stop to it once and for all.

The Lynn County News has provided coverage of important historical events. The Friday, Dec. 12, 1941 edition carried several stories about the beginning of American involvement in World War II. One story provided information on Lynn County residents who were serving abroad in the military. Among these people were Cecil Clinton Smith of Grassland, who was killed at Pearl Harbor, and Edward McMillan who was stationed on the Battleship Oklahoma, which was sunk at Pearl Harbor. McMillan escaped injury, and telegraphed his family a few days later. Roy Stephens was on Wake Island

front page dealt with these issues.

A more detailed story centered around a convocation that was called on Nov. 25 for all 1,200 Tahoka students in the school gymnasium. The convocation consisted of reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, singing patri-

> Notice of Meeting Postponement TxDOT Route Study—Lubbock to I-10 and Amarillo North

The Texas Department of Transportation's (TxDOT) open house and public meeting, originally scheduled for Monday, December 11, has been postponed. The meeting was scheduled for 7 p.m. at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, 1501 Sixth Street, Lubbock, Texas. The open house, from 4 to 7 p.m., is also cancelled.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the results of the TxDOT Lubbock to I-10 Route Study. However, the recent change in the speed limit laws may affect the freeway feasibility results, so more research is needed before announcing the final results.

TxDOT will schedule the meeting at a later date. The public will be notified on the new date, time and location. Information about the rescheduled meeting can be obtained on the Route Study Telephone Hotline (1-800-661-3234). Questions regarding this postponement can be directed to the public information officer in the local Texas Department of Transportation District Office.





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### **City Council Okays Purchase Of New Police Dept. Vehicle**

Tahoka City Council members Monday evening approved the purchase of a new vehicle for the city police department, and approved a request from the school to prohibit parking along a portion of one side of North 4th Street during school hours, along with other routine business.

Councilmen voted 4-0 to accept a bid of \$19,047 from Ed Moseley Ford in Brownfield for a 1996 Ford Crown Victoria with police package for the Tahoka Police Dept. Mayor Jim Solomon said the city usually purchases a new vehicle every two years, and that one of the used vehicles currently in use would be sold.

Approval was given for a request by Tahoka Independent School **District Superintendent David Hutton** to prohibit cars from parking along the north side of the 2100 block of North 4th Street, just north of the elementary building, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 4 p.m. when school is in session.

The request was made because of a safety factor involving children crossing the street to reach cars parked on the opposite side. Approval was given contingent upon approval by the affected property owners. J.A. Pebsworth informed the

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council of the possibility of a Town & Country Store franchise purchasing property located just off Hwy. 87 near the overpass, and inquired whether the city would consider closing the 1600 block of Kington St. to allow room to build the store. City council members voted favorably to look into the legal aspects of such a closure. The board opened bids for the

purchase of a sewer machine for the city, but made no decisions, voting to table the issue for further discussion, and also tabled an item concerning a new fire alarm system to replace the current system.

City Administrator Jerry Webster was authorized to look at figures for purchasing a computer for Municipal Court use, after which the city may initiate the bidding process for such a purchase.

County Appraisal Board, and monthly bills were approved. Police Chief Randy Smith reported on the police department's activities for the month, and the council heard a second reading of Ordinance 11-95A establishing a Lynn County Emergency Management Organization.

Present at the meeting were four councilmen, including Mike Mensch, Jay Dee House, John Chapa, Jr., and Ray Box, as well as Mayor Solomon and Webster. Councilman Todd Henry was absent.

#### Tahoka School Menu

Dec. 11-15

**Breakfast** Monday: Hot Oatmeal, Toast, Orange Juice, Milk.

Tuesday: Scrambled Eggs, Tortilla, Applesauce, Milk.

Wednesday: Cinnamon Rolls, Peaches, Milk.

Thursday: Sausage Patty, Toast, Mixed Fruit, Milk.

Friday: Cereal, Toast, Choice of Juice, Milk.

Lunch Monday: Cheese Sandwich, Vegetable Soup, Tossed Salad, Pineapple Cake, Milk.

Tuesday: Frito Pie, Pinto Beans, Cole Slaw, Cornbread, Cookie, Milk.

Wednesday: Chicken Burger, Lettuce & Tomato, French Fries, Cake Square, Milk.

Thursday: Bean Chalupas, Spanish Rice, Cornbread, Apple, Cookie, Milk.

Friday: Hamburger w/Trimmings, French Fries, Apricot Cobbler, Milk.

Christmas for Kids

Lynn County Child Welfare Board needs supporters for the "Christmas For Kids" program which provides Christmas gifts for area needy children. To contribute or to sponsor a child

#### **Basketball Round Up** by THS Growl Staff

#### **7TH GRADE BOYS**

**by SHAWN BREWER** The 7th grade boys were de-\* feated 22-37 by the Lubbock Christian Eagles Dec. 4.

Jason Jaquess was the top dog with 6 points. Michael Garcia had 5. The 7th grade dogs were

scratched 21-43 by the Idalou Wildcats, Nov. 30.

C.J. Sims tossed in 7 points for high game point. Ryan Curry and Jaquess had 4 each.

The team faces the Post Antelopes here Dec. 14. **8TH GRADE BOYS** by MONTY HALE

The 8th grade boys were clawed by the Idalou Wildcats 36-57.

Scoring for the Bulldogs were Brad Pebsworth and Sedrick Williams with 9 points each. Brady Raindl had 6

The Bulldogs downed the Lubbock Christian Eagles 63-22.

High scorers for the Bulldogs were Pebsworth with 20, Anthony DeLeon and Williams had 14 each. They will host the Post Ante-

lopes Dec. 14 at 6 p.m. JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS by ABBIE GILL

The JV Lady Bulldogs lost to Littlefield, 28-42 on Nov. 28.

**Topping scoring were Courtney** Stennett 11 and LaTara Hood 6.

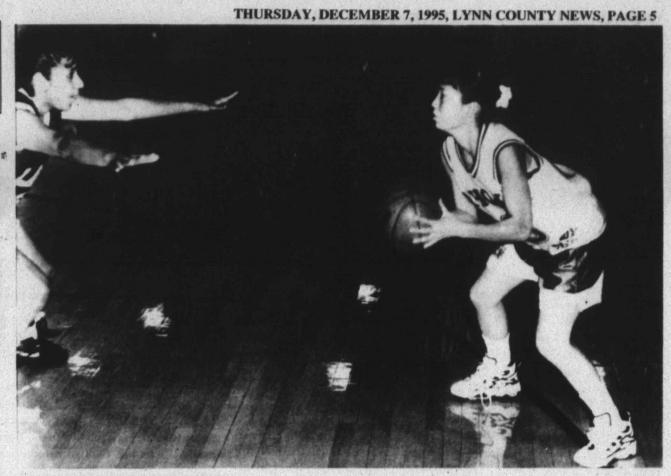
Last weekend the ladies participated in the Cooper JV Tournament. Facing Cooper first, the ladies came out short 37-46.

Leading the scoring were Amanda Fuentes 16, and Courtney 12 The JV lost to Abernathy 20-38,

eliminating them from the tournament

Crystal McAllister and Shelia Matin had 6 each. Amanda had 4. The ladies will play Plains on Dec. 12.

**JV BOYS** by CHARLOTTE THOMAS Junior Varsity boys competed in the Cooper JV tournament Nov. 30-Dec. 2. They won two out of three



TOURNAMENT PLAY-The Lady Bulldogs will be playing this weekend in a tournament at O'Donnell, having played last weekend in a tournament at Anton. Above Rebekah Hutton of Tahoka has the ball in one of the recent games. Tahoka lost to Whitharral 41-29 Tuesday night, despite 15 points by Micah Smith. (LCN PHOTO)



DECORATED FOR THE SEASON - Many residents have decorated their homes and yards for the Christmas season. This scene is at the home of Dayton and Jewel Parker, 2511 N. 3rd. (LCN PHOTO)

in the Anton tournament Nov. 30-Dec. 1

Council members unanimously approved recommending Paul Kiser as the city's representative to the Lynn

Christmas

Hayride!



Visit With

Santa Claus!

Tahoka High School BPA II is hosting a

Christmas Hayride and Visit with Santa & Mrs. Claus

Sunday, Dec. 10 from 6 to 9 p.m.

at the Downtown Mural Park

Hayride is \$3 -- Load up at the Mural Park

at 6 p.m and return at 9 p.m.

Have a picture made with Santa for \$2

Parents: Bring your kids for the hayride while you go on the Tour of

Homes! If it is cold, the kids will be taken somewhere warm.

All proceeds go to the Lynn County Child Welfare Board for

CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS Program and to the local prison ministry.

1995 Parade of Homes

Sunday, December 10

from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Sponsored by Tahoka High School Student Council

Visit the following homes in any order

between 6 and 9 p.m. and pay \$4 per

person at the first home you visit.

other homes you visit.

Nan Adams - 2225 N. 2nd

Mark & Charlsie Tekell - 2500 N. 4th

Wayne & Loretta Tekell - 2418 N. 4th

Mike & Paige Rivas - 1802 N. 7th

Stan & Julia Gill - 1900 Ave. R

David & Angela Ehlers - 2008 N. 4th

Gary & Sherri McCord - 3 miles East on

Hwy. 380, turn right, go 11/2 miles South.

House on right.

Parents: Take your kids to the Hayride at the Mural Park while you go to the Tour of Homes!

Proceeds will be donated to the Lynn

County Child Welfare Board for the

CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS Program and to the local prison ministry

ou will receive a ticket to show at the

games which gave them Consolation. The Bulldogs fell short to Coo-

per 52-62 in the first game on Nov. Rocky Moore was high point

with 29. Aaron Long had 10. The guys defeated Idalou 62-57 Dec. 1

High scorer again was Moore with 32 points. A. Long had 13.

In the final on Dec. 2, the Bulldogs beat Slaton 55-45. High scorer was Matt Chancy with 18 points. Moore had 12. JV Bulldogs will play Plains here

on Dec. 12 at 4 p.m.

#### **7TH GRADE GIRLS by MARISA MARTIN** Tahoka 7th grade girls beat Lubbock Christian, 22-13, in their first

game Monday, Dec. 4. High scorer was Kelli Whitley with 10 points. Valerie Rodriquez

had 4. **8TH GRADE GIRLS** by TANCY DELEON The eighth grade girls were eaten

up by the Idalou Wildcats 16-44 on Nov. 30. Shana Harris was top scorer for

the girls with 10 points. Valerie Lopez had 4.

Lubbock Christian slipped by the girls 22-23 Dec. 4. Shana was top scorer again with

11 points. Kassidi Andrews had 7. They play in Post Dec. 14.

#### **VARSITY BOYS** by BRENT RAINDL

The Varsity Bulldogs captured third place at the Coahoma Invitational Tournament by defeating Greenwood 59-50. This brings their record to 5-2.

Curtis Erickson lead scoring with 24 points and was named to the All-Tournament team.

Monty Hale chipped in 11 points. Coahoma Bulldogs outlasted the Dawgs 68-66 in overtime. Hale had 24 points, Erickson had

20, and Lee Rash added 20. Tahoka crushed Hawley 69-51

in the first round. Randy Burleson lead scoring with 28 points. Erickson had 9. The team will compete in the

O'Donnell tournament Dec. 7-9.

VARSITY GIRLS **by REBEKAH HUTTON** The Tahoka varsity girls basketall team dropped two straight games

The girls began tournament play with a 25-32 loss to Whitharral.

Bulldogs against the New Deal Li-

shared top scoring honors with 8 each.

will be in Whitharral Dec. 5. They

will also be looking to defend their

championship title this weekend in

the O'Donnell tournament.

Micah and Jennifer Dotson

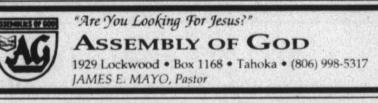
The next game for the Lady Dogs

ons. Tahoka was defeated 29-59.



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Nellie Taylor Ross was the first woman governor in the U.S. She was elected to succeed her husband, William B. Ross, as governor of Wyoming after his death in 1924.



Christmas Open House PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION 1928 Lockwood • Tahoka, Texas Please join us Thursday, December 14th

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Come by & see our hand-made wood crafts

Saturday, Dec. 9th

10 a.m. til 7 p.m.

DOOR PRIZES \* REFRESHMENTS \* LOTS OF NEW ITEMS

**UDDERLY COUNTRY** 

2225 Avenue O \* Tahoka, Texas

**RODDY & MARCI GANDY** 

For our Second Annual Christmas Open House

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#### PAGE 6, LYNN COUNTY NEWS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1995 GED Testing Available Here

Tahoka ISD is pleased to announce that they have been awarded, for the first time ever, the opportunity to be a testing site for the GED Tests, an alternative diploma for those who did not graduate from high school. This testing will be available to anyone wishing to test who resides in Lynn County.

The GED Tests are five tests in the areas of Writing Skills, Social Studies, Science, Literature and the Arts, and Mathematics. The questions in each of these tests require you to use general knowledge and thinking skills. Few questions ask about facts, details, or definitions.

"Even though you have not finished high school, you have probably gained knowledge and skills through experience, reading, and informal training. The GED Tests are designed to measure the important knowledge and skills, usually learned during four years of high school, that you may have obtained in a different manner," said Sherri McCord, TISD Testing Coordinator.

"You are eligible to take the tests if you are not enrolled in, and have not graduated from high school, and you meet the requirements set by your state, with regard to age, the length of time since you left school, and residency," she explained.

The first session of the GED Testing will be offered on Saturday, Dec. 16. The testing will take place at 9 a.m. in the Tahoka High School Library. Please note that the GED is a maximum seven hour test; so, if needed, the continuation of this testing/cycle will be on Monday, Dec. 18 at 6 p.m.

Sherri McCord, Tahoka ISD District Testing Coordinator, has also been named the coordinator for the local GED Testing rather than an outside person coming in to do the testing. For registration procedures and fees, contact Sherri McCord or Paige Rivas at 998-5146. Anyone interested in the first session should contact them by Thursday, Dec. 14 at 4 p.m.

#### Christmas Lights Among Articles Stolen In County

Some green, red and yellow 150watt bulbs and flood lights, total value \$30, were reported stolen from the residence of Rev. Darren Skinner at O'Donnell last Friday. The theft was one of several incidents investigated by law enforcement officers during the last week.

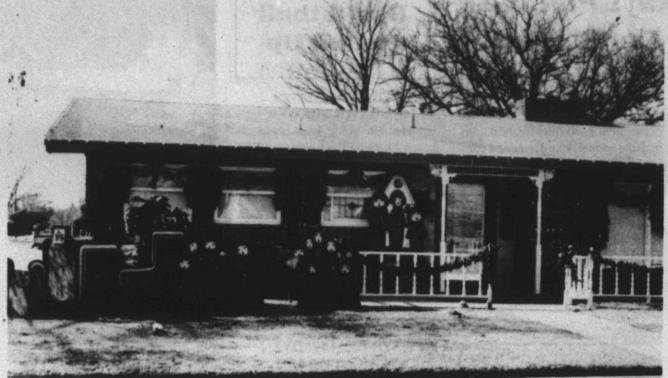
J.C. Gandy of Tahoka advised sheriff's officers that a diesel pump had been stolen off his trailer parked about seven miles east of Tahoka and slightly north. The pump, valued at \$250, was stolen between last Thursday and Monday.

Another pump, hand-operated and valued at \$60, was stolen from a diesel tank about seven miles southeast of Tahoka Sunday, according to the owner, Joe Leal of Tahoka.

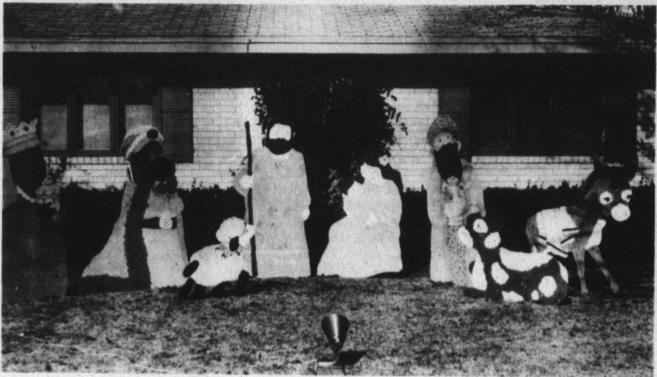
Randy Cook, a student at O'Donnell High School, reported a Hewlett Packard calculator valued at \$107 was stolen from him at the school last Wednesday.

Dustin Womble of Lubbock told Tahoka Police Dept. that someone had broken a front side window of his 1995 Mitsubishi while it was parked at Tahoka Dairy Queen Friday. Police found a rock on the floorboard.

In jail during the week were three persons on charges of public intoxication and one for driving while intoxicated plus expired drivers license.



SANTA'S SLEIGH? – Santa Claus may have to stop first at the home of Stan and Julia Gill, where his sleigh seems to have been parked in the front yard. The Gill home, located at 1900 Ave. R, is one of seven area homes on the Christmas Tour of Homes this Sunday evening. (LCN PHOTO)

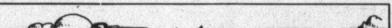


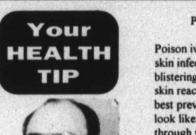
NATIVITY SCENE – Mark and Vivian McAfee, at 2510 N. 1st, placed this life-size nativity scene at their home for the Christmas season. (LCN PHOTO)



Rottweilers developed in southern Germany, near the village of Rottweil. They are descended from the camp dogs that followed Roman armies in their conquest of Europe.

The ruff is a sandpiper native to the Eastern Hemisphere. During the mating season, the male develops a tuft of feathers on his neck that he can erect into a ruff.





### Christmas Concert Slated Sunday Night

Rev. Marvin Gregory, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Tahoka, invites area residents to enjoy the sounds of Christmas, at his annual "Pastor and Friends" concert to be held from 6-7 p.m. this Sunday evening, Dec. 10, in the church sanctuary.

Traditional and "not-so-traditional" secular music will be offered as well as a selection of favorite Christmas hymns and musical ensembles.

"I invite you to come and get in the Christmas spirit for an hour this Sunday evening – you'll still have time to participate in the Christmas Tour of Homes following the concert," said Rev. Gregory.

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#### Aggies are helping banged-up birds

COLLEGE STATION — They crisscross the skies looking for food on the ground below, but every so often these birds of prey come crashing down and need to be nursed back to health.

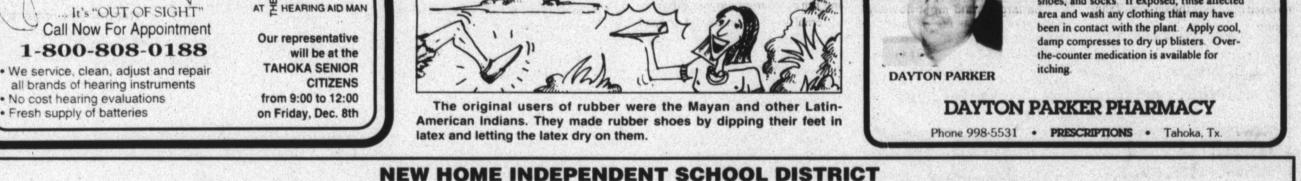
A unique Texas A&M University student organization — the Aggie Raptor Rehabilitation Association hopes to make a difference to these birds by one day offering them sanctuary and helping them regain their wings. Raptors include birds of prey such as eagles, hawks, falcons and owls.

The university has given the organization a building and some property behind Texas A&M's veterinary school where the association will house and rehabilitate injured birds. Currently, its members are trying to raise at least \$5,000 to pay for the repairs and renovations the house requires before it can accommodate birds.

Bobby Oglesbee, staff adviser to the association, said that once the facility is up and running, it will house and rehabilitate up to 20 birds at a time while Texas A&M's veterinary school will care for the animals' medical needs.

**Poisonous Plants** 

Poison ivy, oak and sumac can cause severe skin infections. Itching, burning, and blistering develop, and in some cases these skin reactions can be extremely severe. The best prevention is to know what these plants look like and avoid them. When walking through wooded areas wear long pants, shoes and socks. If exposed rinse affected



### Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances All Governmental Fund Types and Similar Trust Funds

YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1995

		GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES					TRUST FUNDS	TOTALS (MEMORANDUM ONLY)	
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	Local, Intermediate, and Out-of-State	\$503,117	\$17,567	-	-	-	-	\$520,684	\$503,763
5800	State Program Revenues	821,376	6,965	-	-	-	-	828,341	795,967
5900	Federal Program Revenues	-	141,212	-	-	-	- 1999 - 1997 Apr	141,212	161,951
	Excluding Revenues Funding Function 14	\$1,324,493	\$165,744	-	<u> </u>	-	-	\$1,490,237	\$1,461,681
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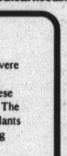
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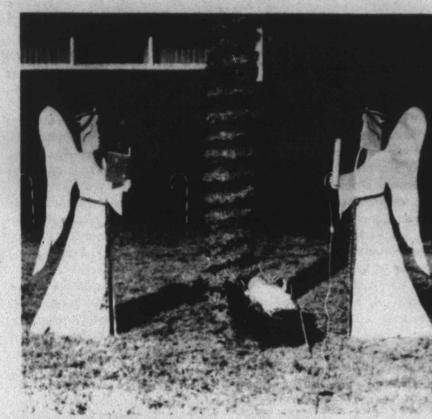
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CHRISTMAS MESSAGE - This scene at 2406 N. 2nd shows angels watching over the baby Jesus, giving the message of the Christ child's birth at Christmas.

### FREE THINGS TO SEND FOR

(NAPS)-For exciting menu ideas, call 1-800-DUCKLING and ask for the consumer recipe brochure, Look What's Been Hiding Under The Orange Sauce, or write to Maple Leaf Farms, Consumer Recipes, P.O. Box 308, Milford, IN 46542.

For information on how to enter the All-American IronKids Bread Team contest, call 1-800-709-9990. Essays must be postmarked by December 15, 1995.



Tahoka Rotarian Marvin Gregory presented the program at last week's Rotary Club meeting, presenting a video on "Promise Keep-



For information and answer to

20037. Include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. For information about programs addressing teen drinking and for the Alcohol, Drugs, Driving and You Guide, spon-





Dec. 11-15 **Breakfast** Monday: French Toast Sticks, Milk.

Tuesday: Granola Bars, Milk. Wednesday: Kolaches, Milk. Thursday: Soft Breakfast Tacos, Milk

> Friday: Cinnamon Twist, Milk. Lunch

Monday: Beefy Nachos, Lettuce/Tomato, Pinto Beans, Sunrise Salad, Cornbread, Milk.

Tuesday: Stuffed Potato, Broccoli w/Cheese, Green Beans, Jello w/ Fruit, Hot Rolls, Milk.

Wednesday: Sandwich Bar, Ham & Cheese, PBJ, Tuna, Pickle Spears, Baby Carrots, Orange Wedges, Chips, Milk

Thursday: Oven Baked Chicken, Whipped Potatoes, Corn, Fruit Cup, Hot Rolls, Milk.

Friday: Cheeseburgers/Hamburgers, Trimmings, French Fries, Cookie, Milk.

#### **New Home FFA Competes In Contests**

Three freshmen from New Home attended the District FFA Leadership Contest on Nov. 18 in Lamesa.

Brooke Fillingim placed 3rd out of 20 in Creed Speaking. Lisa Vineyard also competed in Creed Speak-

The FFA Quiz Team, Brooke Fillingim, Lisa Vineyard, and Josh Gandy, placed 5th.



#### STORK REPORT

Kathy and Jay Druesedow of Tahoka announce the birth of their

#### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1995, LYNN COUNTY NEWS, PAGE 7



SANTA'S WORKSHOP - The door to Santa's workshop is seen here at the home of Norman and Rhonda Ledbetter, 2414 N. 2nd. Many area residents have promoted the Christmas spirit by decorating their homes and yards for the season. (LCN PHOTO)

#### **BBB** News Better Business Bureau

Credicorp out of Dallas has sent out a mailing again in the South Plains offering a 'gold card' that looks like a Visa or Mastercard, but is only good toward purchase of merchandise in Credicorp's catalogue. BBB/ Dallas file experience shows that this company has an unsatisfactory record due to a pattern of misrepresentation in marketing practices. Specifically, complaints allege that the company's mailing does not disclose that its gold card can be used primarily to order from a catalogue. The company has responded to complaints by offering refunds or delivery. The company maintains its mailing is not misleading and offers a money-back guarantee. If you have received a 'gold card' from Credicorp, understand that it does not work like a Visa or Mastercard, you can only use it to purchase merchandise from Credicorp's catalogue. If you need to

talk to the BBB, give us a call at 763-

a telemarketer, pay close attention to what they are offering and never feel like you have to make a decision "right now." Legitimate offers will allow you to think about it. Do not give any credit card, drivers license, social security or bank numbers to anyone unless you know with whom you are dealing. Finally, call the BBB at :763-0459 or (800) 687-7890 to check them out.

#### Safety Net (NAPS)-When more

than two hundred Amtrak passengers and crew members crashed in the Sunset Limited train wreck, fifty miles southwest of Phoenix. The Salvation Army's Southwest Division was on the scene early in the day, creating a comprehensive safety net of services.

The Division offered counseling and transportation to and from hospitals and to shop for lost personal items. Stranded passengers received travel assistance. Those who were hospitalized will receive comfort and care as long as needed for themselves and their families.

For more than one hundred years, The Salvation Army's Southwest on has been on ne of the first CALL BELTONE TODAY. disaster relief organizations on the **Beltone of Lubbock** cene in emergencies Contact The Salvation Army 1 (800) 222-4410 near you to find out about disaster Beltone services in your community. Tahoka Care Center Gracious Living . Convenient . Caring In Home-Like Atmosphere Medical Director • Licensed 24 Hour Nursing Care • Special Diets Extended Family Activities . Bi-lingual on Every Shift . Van with Wheelchair Lift Where Sharing Is Caring 998-5018 • 1829 S. 7th in Tahoka

"Christmas For Kids" program which provides Christmas gifts for area needy children. To contribute, or to sponsor a child, contact Janet Porterfield at 998-4055.

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Christmas for Kids

Lynn County Child Welfare

Board needs supporters for the

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#### PAGE 8, LYNN COUNTY NEWS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1995 Drip Irrigation Conferences Scheduled In December

The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, the Texas Agricultural Irrigation Association, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX), and the USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS) are sponsoring two drip irrigation conferences in December.

One conference will be Dec. 19 in Lubbock at the Texas Tech University Center Ballroom, and the other will be held Dec. 20 at the Amarillo Civic Center. The Lubbock conference is co-sponsored by the Texas Tech University Water Resource Center, Mesa Underground Water Conservation District, Sandy Land Underground Water Conservation District, and the South Plains Underground Water Conservation District. The Amarillo conference is co-sponsored by the North Plains Groundwater Conservation District No. 2 and the Panhandle Groundwater Conser-

vation District No. 3.

Both conferences will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., and a hospitality hour is scheduled for 5-6 p.m. after each conference.

A \$20 registration fee will be charged for each conference, which includes the noon meal and refreshments. A \$10 late charge will be added to all registrations received after Dec. 14.

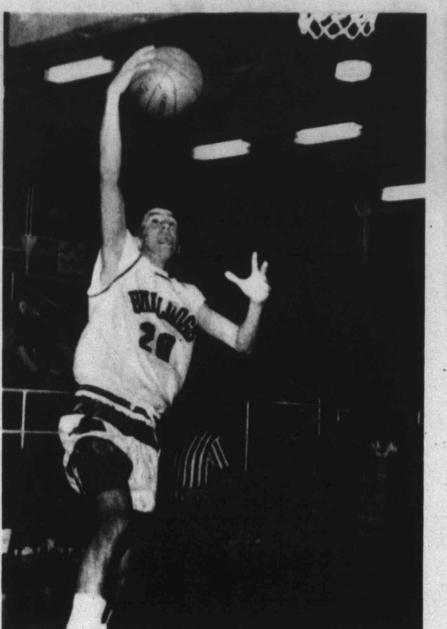
"Producers who are thinking about the installation of a drip irrigation system can attend either one of these conferences to get information about the set-up and management of the system for different cropping productions," said Ken Carver, High Plains Water District Assistant Manager.

To register for either conference, contact the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Ave. Q, Lubbock, TX 79405-1499, or call (806) 762-0181.

Everything that can be thought at all can be thought clearly. Everything that can be said can be said clearly.

-Ludwig Wittgenstein





ALL-TOURNAMENT-The Tahoka Bulldogs placed third in a tournament at Coahoma last weekend, and Curtis Erickson, above, was named to the all-tournament team. Bulldog varsity teams will play in a tournament at O'Donnell Thursday through Saturday. (LCN PHOTO)

#### Pesticide Applicators Training Is Dec. 20 by BRYAN REYNOLDS CEA Lynn County

The Lynn County Extension Service is sponsoring a training for Pesticide Applicators to receive five CEUs on Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 8:30 a.m. in the Lyntegar Meeting Room.

Private, Commercial and Non-Commercial License holders will receive two credits in Laws and Regulations, one in IPM and two in general.

Any person wishing to attend and Texas Rural Communities. A Thomas at 806-842-3498. must RSVP to the Extension office by 5 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 18. Cost for the program is \$10 per person **R.W. Fenton Insurance Agency** which includes lunch and materials. **Fillingims Join** Call Us For Your Insurance Needs! Angus Association JR Fillingim and SAM Fillingim Automobiles (including SR22) = Bonds Ptnshp, both of New Home, are new Homes • Business Coverage members of the American Angus Mobile Homes . Renter's Insurance Association. Motorcycles . Boats . RV's . Jet Skis The American Angus Association, with over 29,000 active adult Call Kent at 998-4884 and junior members, is the largest beef cattle registry association in the 1-806-759-1131 Mobile world. 1603 Avenue J • Tahoka The Association records ances tral information and keeps records of production on individual animals for its members. Most of these registered These Tahoka Firms Are Sponsoring This Angus are used by the U.S. farmers NEWS and ranchers who raise high quality beef for U.S. consumption. **Production Credit Association** Lady Eagles Place Don Boydstun Second In Tourney Lubbock-Tahoka The O'Donnell Lady Eagles battled Dawson to a last second loss Federal Land Bank Assn. of 50-51 in a tournament champion-Jay Dee House, President ship game Saturday night. Regina Morales led with 19 points and 13 rebounds. Maria **Farmers Co-op Association** Renteria had 14 points and Ashli No. 1 Farmer had 12. The Eagles defeated Patton Springs 60-48 on Thursday and Ropes Lynn County Farm Bureau 58-45 on Friday. Pat Green, Manager Regina Morales crashed the boards with 30 points and 15 rebounds. Ashli Farmer had 12 points and 12 rebounds. **On-The-Farm Tire Service** Varsity Boys Take For After Hours Flat Service, Call **Third In Tourney** The O'Donnell Varsity Eagle MANUEL DELEON boys came in third in the New Home tournament after winning two games Mobil # (806) 759-1427 and losing one on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Experienced in mounting and servicing The Eagles defeated Dawson 49your tractor tires and heavy equipment. 44 in the third place game. Brian Inklebarger was high point with 12. Juan Lurea scored 10. LYNN COUNTY FUEL ASSN. In route to their third place finish, the Eagles defeated Patton Springs, 75-31, and lost to New Home 50-53. 1208 LOCKWOOD . TAHOKA . 998-5528 Cody Lee led the Eagles in scoring with 15 points against Patton Springs. Tony Barboza had 13. HOURS: 7:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. Mon.-Fri. Barboza was high point in the game 7:00 A.M. to 12 Noon Saturdays against New Home with 13.

#### New Alternative Conservation System Available For Producers In Lynn County

Beginning with the 1996 crop year, producers in Lynn County will have an additional Alternative Conservation System available to meet the conservation requirements of their Food Security Act Plan. The new alternative is soil surface roughening, according to the Natural Resources Conservation Service.

Soil Surface Roughening is an alternative conservation system that consists of a combination of practices. This includes the substituting of appropriate tillage operations for previously required vegetative practices that will achieve a substantial reduction in wind erosion. This new alternative system may be used on all fields where a maximum roughness coefficient has been established.

Vegetative practices to reduce wind erosion should still be applied and maintained. After harvest, all crop residue will be left standing, also all vegetative practices should be maintained until primary (deep) tillage is performed. Some examples of tillage implements that can be used for deep tillage are: moldboards and medium disk plows. Primary tillage is needed to form the required soil roughness condition. This type of tillage may bé used when adequate moisture is present to achieve a surface condi-

#### **Bottom Line Farming Course Set In Tahoka**

South Plains College will offer a Bottom Line Farming class, designed to help area farmers learn more about borrowing, beginning Dec. 11 in Tahoka.

Classes will meet 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Dec. 11-15 in the Southwestern Public Service Building in Tahoka. Signup deadline is Friday, Dec. 8.

Max Thomas is the instructor. Enrollment is on a first-come, first served basis. Class size is limited. Cost is \$350 per person.

The course was developed by Ron Presely, SPC assistant professor of agribusiness, in conjunction with the Texas A&M Extension service and Texas Rural Communities. A

tion which meets the maximum roughness coefficient.

Secondary tillage can be used to reshape the ridges and/or reform the clods. Secondary tillage should be done any time the required clod/ridge condition is destroyed. Some examples of tillage implements that can be used for shallow tillage are: Moldboard, chisel or lister-bedder.

Soil Surface Roughening may only be used as an alternative to reduce wind erosion on cultivated land. Producers are reminded that the required roughness coefficient will be maintained throughout the wind erosion period (from harvest through planting). Producers are also reminded that any required practices to address water erosion must be applied and maintained as planned in their conservation plan.

Producers who have questions about the surface roughening alternative are encouraged to attend an informational meeting to be held by the NRCS, or they may call the office at 998-4507 or come by the office located at 1647 Ave. J in Tahoka. Meetings will be held at the following locations: Dec. 11 - Poka Lambro at 6 p.m.; Dec. 12 - O'Donnell School Cafeteria at 5:30 p.m.; or Dec. 14 -Tahoka School Cafeteria at 6 p.m.

Farmers Home Administration mandate requires 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.

Interested persons who plan to register for the course should contact Jean Meeks at First National Bank in Tahoka at 806-998-4511 or Max Thomas at 806-842-3498. expense of \$600. Try fo WANT TO ing county

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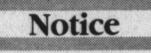
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### **Card of Thanks**

We would like to say thank you for all the prayers, flowers, and all the thoughts during the loss of our loved one, Esperanza "Betty" Castillo. A special thank you goes to Richard Calvillo and Calvillo Funeral Home and all the others who supported us through our loss. May God bless you and allow you to help others as you have helped us.

Emilio Chavarria and family. Maria Ramon and family, Robert Chavarria and family, Amalia Arausa and family. Dan Garcia and family 49-1tp

\*\*\* The family of Willa Campbell wishes to thank everyone for the cards, food, flowers, donations, memorials, prayers, and other acts of kindness shown to us dufing our time of sorrow. God bless you.

> The family of Willa Campbell 49-ltc

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## Political Calendar

**DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY** - March 1996-

**Ricky B. Smith** CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION **District Attorney 106TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT** 

Sandra Cox CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION **Commissioner**, Pct. 3 LYNN COUNTY

**Sherry Pearce** CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION Tax Assessor-Collector LYNN COUNTY

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### **Garage Sales**

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GARAGESALE: Friday, 9 a.m. 2312 N. 2nd. Lamps, household items, and Christmas decorations. 49-1tc

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GARAGE SALE 1728 S. 6th & Ave. L. Thursday, starts 10 a.m. Blankets, bedspreads. little bit of everything, children's clothes, dresses, and Christmas decorations. 49-1tc

PATIO SALE: 1920 S. 3rd. Sat. only 8 to 5. Furniture, clothes, and knick-knacks. 49-1tc

#### LVNAT To Meet Monday

Licensed Vocational Nurses Association Lubbock Division 18 will meet Monday, Dec. 11 from 7-9 p.m. in the Arnett Room of St. Mary of the Plains Hospital.

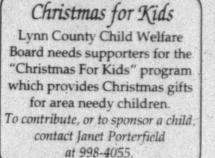
\_ The program will be "Abuse of the Elderly and Disabled."

Each member is asked to bring a toy for the "Toys for Tots" campaign. Extra coats and blankets are also asked to be donated for abused women.

One continuing education hour will be given to those attending.

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Claims should be mailed to: Ila May Brieger Estate. c/o Harvey L. Morton, P.O. Box 10305, Lubbock, Texas 79408 49-ltc







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#### **WISD Board Approves Audit**

The Wilson Independent School District Board of Trustees met in regular session this past week. Minutes from the regular meeting of Nov. 6 were approved as well as the monthly financial report and payment of bills.

The Board approved the financial audit of the district for the 1994-95 school year prepared by Norman Clement, Jr. The Board approved the annual salary adjustment for employees. The Christmas adjustment will be made prior to the Christmas holidays.

Final approval was given for the Intersession Week, Feb. 26-29. Friday, March 1 is a staff development. For those teachers who are not working the Intersession, Feb. 26-29 will be holidays. The principals and staff have been developing plans and the criteria for the Intersession week.

The Board accepted the computer set-up from the Professional Development School Project and appointed Curtis Wilke to another term on the Lynn County Appraisal Board as the school director's representative.

The next regular meeting of the Wilson School Board will be held Jan. 14 at 7 p.m.

#### Wilson School Menu

Dec. 11-15 **Breakfast** 

Monday: Cereal, Toast, Pineapple Juice, Milk.

Tuesday: Muffins, Diced Peaches, Milk

Wednesday: Waffles, Diced Pears, Milk.

Thursday: Cinnamon Toast, Apple Juice, Milk.

Friday: Texas Toast, Gravy, Bacon, Pineapple Tidbits, Milk. Lunch

Monday: Steak Fingers, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Pineapple Rings, Milk

Tuesday: Salmon Pattie. Cornbread, California Vegetable Mix, Peach Halves, Salad Bar, Milk.

Wednesday: Hot Dog w/Chili, Tator Tots, Sliced Pears, Milk.

Thursday: Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Garlic Toast, Green Beans, **Attend Leadership Conference** Five members and an advisor of grams, community service, peer eduthe Tahoka Chapter and Madeline cation, financial management and

**Future Homemakers Of America** 

Hegi chapters of Future Homemakers of America (FHA/HERO) participated Nov. 17-19, in a weekend leadership training conference held at Albuquerque, N.M.

The Albuquerque meeting was the fifth in a series of five nationally sponsored training conferences, called Cluster Meetings, held this fall.

accompanied Blanda Miller, Kerri Bryan, Rebekah Curry, Melissa Engle, and Kelly Flynn to the Albuquerque meeting.

"New Directions" was the theme chosen to highlight the activities and programs of this year's Cluster Meetings. The 3,400 young men and women and their adult advisors dealt with issues involving family, selfimage and family management.

This past summer, FHA ended its year-long golden anniversary celebration. The cluster meetings program emphasis was to provide ways for advisors and teens to explore new directions for involvement as FHA heads into its 51st year.

The meeting's program emphasis was on examining how teens can take action and make a difference in the present and the future. The "New Directions" theme was reinforced by Friday's general session, where meeting attendees experienced a three screen multimedia presentation and geared up for a variety of leadership training opportunities offered during the weekend.

Saturday morning's workshops included teen issues in areas dealing with families, careers and communities, and leadership workshops covering such areas as community service, peer education and the environment. In the afternoon they chose from approximately 10 different workshops designed to expand their leadership capabilities.

Participants learned how to use FHA/HERO's national programs to build support and enthusiasm and increase participation in their local chapters. Local chapter members communication. In addition to motivational speaker Deb Erickson's keynote address, Sunday's activities concen-

trated on officer training, leadership skills and preparing for the organization's highly successful STAR Events (Students Taking Action with Recognition) competition. "I though the Cluster meeting

Chapter adviser, Patti Rambo, was great!" said Blanda Miller, senior at THS.

> "The opening speaker, Bob Wells was highly motivational. Being on the stage to participate in his address was exciting," she said.

Kerri Bryan, senior, and Region Vice-president of Programs I said,"The keynote speaker Deb Erickson made us all excited. She gave great ways for teenagers to get hold of their lives and take responsibility."

FHA is unique among youth organizations because its programs are planned and run by members.

Participation in national projects and chapter activities helps members develop "skills for life" - planning, goal setting, problem solving, decision making and interpersonal communication.



#### by LISA LEHMAN

Thanks to Dayton and Jewel Parker for the poinsettia they donated to the Care Center. It is beautiful. Thanks to the FHA middle school for bringing pillows for the residents. Thank you to Paula Gibson for bringing magazines and pant suits to the Care Center.

Residents went shopping at Target on Dec. 5. Residents attending were Juanita Chambers, Neva Maynord, Mozelle Banks, Bea Jones, Rosa Riojas, Stella McKee and Hazel Hancock. Lisa Lehman, Yollie Dotson and Patricia Hogg also attended.

Happy birthday to Neva Maynord on Dec. 5.



FHA MEMBERS ATTEND LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE— Tahoka FHA advisor Patti Rambo (left) and Kelly Flynn, Rebekah Curry, Kerri Bryan, Melissa Engle, and Blanda Miller attended a weekend leadership (LCN PHOTO) conference in Albuquerque, N.M. recently.

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their annual Christmas party today (Thursday) at 7 p.m. at the Mercantile. The club is accepting unwrapped toys or cash which

will be donated to the Lynn County Child Welfare Board to help them with their county-wide Christmas project. Toys or money may be donated at the Mercantile or given to any Lions Club member.

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

Wilson Varsity basketball teams participated in the New Home tournament this past weekend. Varsity boys did not place. The Varsity girls placed third. The teams will travel to O'Donnell for their tournament this week. Boys are scheduled to play Spade at 4:30 p.m. and the girls will play Spade at 3 p.m.

Wilson Jr. High basketball teams played Patton Springs Monday with both boys and girls teams coming away with wins. The Jr. High teams will host Southland on Monday, Dec. 11 at 5 p.m.

Wilson Concert Band will have their annual Christmas concert on Monday. Dec. 11 at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium. The public is invited to at-

The Wilson Lions Club will hold for sale for \$7.50 and \$10. To buy a cap, which would make a nice stocking stuffer, contact John Earl Fields.

Wilson Elementary parents and students are invited to the Christmas Music Program and a Pot Luck Christmas gathering on Dec. 18 beginning at 6 p.m. in the high school auditorium. The evening will begin with performances by each elementary class. Following the program, everyone is asked to bring a dish (dressing, sweet potatoes, salad, cranberries, or dessert). The PTO will provide turkey, drinks, and bread.

This is a new activity that the PTO is sponsoring to bring families together to celebrate the Christmas season. Contact Carla Gicklhorn if you have any questions.

Oops... Landon Wilke was accidently left off of the 2nd six weeks honor roll. Landon should have been on the "B" Honor Roll and the Bug Club. Sorry Landon.

The sixth grade class at Wilson Elementary is the winner of the November Go for Gold Attendance Contest. The class will celebrate by bringing sleeping hags nillows good books etc

trip. Good Luck! \*\*\*

Wilson Elementary will continue to sponsor a story time the first and third Thursdays of each month at 10:30 a.m. in the school library. Parents and guardians with children birth to five years old are invited to come to the library for a reading activity and to check out books to read at home.

The Junior High performed its One Act Play, "Cinderella Wore Combat Boots," at the District contest. The following are cast members: Lexi Wied, who made All-Star Cast; Keith Platte, Casey Donald, Merrett Whisner, Jessica Anaya, Carrie Clark, Jay Mack Yowell, Carla Pabon, Heather Jones, Jessica Metcalf, Victoria Flores, Kameron Livingston, and Amber Wilke. Crew includes Heath Talkmitt, Patrick Zavala, and Billy Cavender. Directors are Virginia Hohertz and Gayla Carlton.

#### **Cook Places At Seminole Meet**

The O'Donnell UIL calculator, number sense, and mathematics team competed in a practice meet at Seminole on Saturday.

Randy Cook, senior placed sixth in number sense in the senior division.

Others attending the meet in-

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hosted many of these workshops. Leadership workshops covered such areas as quality chapter pro-

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Wilson juniors and seniors will take

the Armed Services ASVAB test on Dec. \*\*\*

First Baptist Church of Wilson will have a special service on Sunday, Dec. 10. The evening service will feature a presentation of pictures and information concerning the recent medical-missionary trip to Mexico by three of the church members, Rev. Kenny Platte, Karl Platte, and Billy Parmer, who will narrate the program.

First Baptist Church will have their annual Christmas and Children's program on Dec, 17 at 6 p.m. The children and youth are scheduled to be involved with the Christmas program at the Slaton Care Center on Dec. 21. The congregation will have an early worship on Sunday, Dec. 24 at 9 a.m. Sunday school and Bible study will be cancelled for that day only.

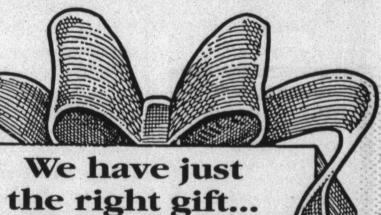
The Wilson Mustang Booster Club is still accepting donations for the new bronze statue that will grace the foyer in the new gym.

Donations can be made at the high school office or at the Cotton Boll. It is requested that you mark your checks "Mustang Statue." The student councils of both 1994-1995 and 1995-1996 and the Class of 1995 have either pledged or already given funds.

The Booster Club has issued a challenge to all alumni to contribute to the drive as well.

The Booster Club still has caps left

ing all day this Friday. The class is working to be the class with the best attendance for the school year. At that time, the class will participate in a special field cluded Henry Guenther, Tiffany Moxley, April Renteria, Terah Moxley.



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Love, Hays & Reeger CPA's and Staff wish each of you the very best at this holiday season.

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