


STATE COMMENDATION-Diana Solorzano, chief dispatcher wit the Lymn County Sheriff's Dept., has been awarded a "Sillent Hero" The award is for "outstanding accomplishments as a 9-1-1 call-taker," according to James D. Goerke, executive director of the Advisor Commission on State Emergency Communications.

## City To Test Water Hydrants; Council Approves Auditor

 water to be a brownish color during
the next two weeks, according to City $\begin{aligned} & \text { South 3 3rd Street to builda new office } \\ & \text { complex for the Tahoka Housing }\end{aligned}$ Administrator Jerry Webster, who Authority. The office complex will Ald The News thatcity workers would becompletely funded with grant funds be flushing the 99 water hydrants in town beginning the latter part of this week. from HUD. Webster said it should take city workers approximately tw weksto test each water hydrant. "We just want city residents to be aware that their water will probably be brown due to flushing out the lines as we test each hydrant," he said.
Webster informed city council members Monday evening that the water hydrants needed tobe tested. In
other business, the council looked at three proposals submitted for the 1995-96 city audit before voting to accept the proposal from Joe Hays of proved two resolutions, both con cerning the second year of confinancial esrecond year of two-year tional Bank to pay for a polise Na hicle and the city sewer machine. Police Chief Randy Smith Police Chief Randy Smith re-
ported on the Police Department's ported on the Police Department
activities for the month, and Jimmy Woodard gaveareporton the Tahoka Woodard gaveareporton the Tahok Monthly bills were also approved. Mayor Jim Solomon presided al the meeting. All council member were present, as well as the City Tahicka. The council also voted to Administrator and other city em purchase some property just west of

## Moodwork.... aser by Dalton

IF EVER I am driving to Terracor Terealis (wherever That is) or if I'm on a ship headed there and the skipper gets lost, I may be able to consult a map which sort of shows where it is.

You see, I have a map showing this place, only the legend is in Spanish, or maybe Latin, or possibly French. And I can't show this map to just anybody, because it involves lowering my pants.

No, it's not tattooed on me. I bought these pants and no until later did I discover that a two-inch band inside the waistline has this map on it, It's not all that handy to use for to look at). I'm not sure of the language, and I didn't necognize the land masses, except it sort of resembles South America.

It labels such places and islands as Terracor Terpalis, fortuna delfurgo, GolfodeS. Sebafbano, Baja dux meadaus and Croca vingues.

In order, I figure these things mean: Earth territory, place where you can make a fortune in furs, a place wher you can play golf with the great Mexican pro S. Sebafbano a bay full of ducks from the meadows, and a crock of vinegar.

These sound like great places to go on my next vacation but l'll need to be sure and wear the right pair of pants.
(I locked the door to my office while I was writing this, because there's no way anyone who walked in while I was copying those names would have believed any explanation I offered)

## Jury Finds Tahoka Man Guilty In Fatal Stabbing

ay fou hDistrict Courtjury Tues- brought out that Hatchett stabbed 23, guility of first degree murder in in Tahoka after the two men and 23, grilty of first degree murder in in Tahoka after the two men and a
the fital stabbing of another Tahoka companion had just returned from a man, Richard Donell Payne, 32, on club in Slaton early that Saturday Feb. 11, 1995.
Testimony was being heard in for morning. Tahoka police officers
found the victim the punishment phase of the trial Wednesday morning, when District Atty. Ricky Smith called several witnesses regarding Hatchett's reputacharged ine community. The jury is shargen with determining the punishment for Hatchett, and was not expected to recommend a sentence until late Wednesday.
Representing the defendant in the trial is attorney Jay Napper of Lamesa.
In the course of the trial, it was

Low Gas Pressure Prompts Late-Night Visitors In Tahokà District Judge George Hrect. District Judge George Hansard presided over the trial.
In other law enforcemen--related acivity this week, sherifr's officers stolen a Zenith color TV from the residence of Nelda Lopez in the east part of the county on County Rd. 26. The TV and control were valued at $\begin{array}{r}\text { In } \\ \hline\end{array}$

In jail during the week were two persons for driving while intoxicated
and one for public intoxication

pressure in gas lines in Tahoka pressure in gas lines in Tahoka
prompted late-night visits to many prompted late-night visits to many
residences Monday. Approximately ies Energas employees began knock-
ing on doors after a mechanical fail ure at 8 p.m. Monday night caused pressure drop in the gas lines, checking with residents to make sure pilot lights were still lit on gas furnaces
and water heaters. and water heaters.
According to Weldon Self, area worked for Energas, employees worked until approximately 3 a.m. in the morning "when people quit an-
swering their doors." He said 14 employees returned Tuesday to atemploy to contact the remaining residences affected by the low pressure.
"Of the 1,040 meters in Tahoka "Of the 1,040 meters in Tahoka, here were abour 600 meters affected
by the pressure drop. Of those 600 that we checked, we found most of them okay with no problems," he said, adding that 125 meters were turned off because nobody was home
ordidn't answer their door at the late turnedo
or didn"
hour.
He

He reminded anyone who had a
pink notice placed on pink notice placed on their door to
call Energas to check their gas lines, call Energas to check their gas lines,
or to call if they had any questions
about Monday night. The phone number for Energas is 1 -800-562-5727 Self said this was the first time in 30 years that a mechanical failure such as this had affected the Tahoka area, adding that the problem had been corrected and the company does not anticipate any further problem with the pressure in the gas lines here., attend

## Heart Walk

## Set For Nov 2

The Ma Hill Honorary Heart W9, beginning at: 8 ami at the Taltoka Mini Park. - 8 ami at the | This year's walk is dedicate |
| :--- | Ma (Annie) Hill of Tahoka.

## County Commissioners

## Approve Auditor

Lynn County Commissioners met in toutine session Oct. 14, unanimously approving Joe Hays as audi-
tor for the county's 1996 financial tor for
audit.

In other business, commissioners discussed the cookstove in the jail kitchen, but took no action. Barbara
Cook with Tahoka EMS met with the Cook with Tahoka EMS met with the
court to discuss a CPR certification court to discuss a CPR certification
class that the hospital was sponsoring. The cost to the county for persons from the Sheriff's Department to attend the class would be $\$ 150$, but commissioners decided the county would not offer this service at this time.
Monthly bills and officials reports were approved as presented. ports were approved as presented.
Judge J.F. Brandon presided at the neeting with commissioners Margattending.


JUST ANOTHER LAZY DAY - This lion dide't seem too fimpresed with life in the circus, or about the fact that onlookens gathered around the cage dipplyyed at Thritivay on Fiday and Saturday before the cdrcus
shows. Tahoka Rotary Clib sponsored the event.
(UCN PHOTO)


GO NO FURTHER-Adrian Graves (20) puts a stop on a Shallowater running back as Aaron Long (70) comes up to help. Shallowater won the
game 37-8 last Friday.
(LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

## Shallowater Too Tough; Bulldogs Lose 37-8

The Shallowater Mustangs, big, ov
ough and talented and just a few tough and talented and just a few
students below the AAA classificastudents below the AAA classifica-
tion they were in until this year, handed the Tahoka Bulidogs a 37-8 defeat to end Tahoka's run of
straight victories this season.

The loss left Tahoka at 6-1 for the year, $\mathbf{- 1 / - 1 i n d i s t r i c t , ~ a n d ~ a w a i t i n g ~}$ astrong Seagravesteam which comes
to Kelley. Field Friday night. Seagraves beat Plains 21-13 Friday to go $2-0$ in district and $5-2$ for the
year.

Shallowater had three touchdown passes from QB Shaun Cody
and led 23-0 at halftime. In the secand led $23-0$ at halftime. In the second quarter, the Mustangs were driv-
ing at the Bulldog 25 when ing at the Bulldog 25 when one of
Cody's passes was intercepted by Cody's passes was intercepted by
Davy Stone, who returned the ball 53 yards to the Mustangs 30. But four yards to the Mustangs 30 . But four
incompletepasses turned the ball back

| Weather |  |  |  |
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| Date | High | Low | Precip. |
| Oct. 16 | 86 | 55 |  |
| Oct 17 | 68 | 50 |  |
| Oct. 18 | 65 | 36 |  |
| Oct 19 | 82 | 36 |  |
| OCt. 20 | 83 | 42 |  |
| Oct 21 | 52 | 49 | $.17^{\prime \prime}$ |
| Coct. 22 | 58 | 31 | 24 |

Total Preelp. 1996 to date: 19,44" Tahoka avoided a shutout with a louchdown in the last quarter when QB Brent Raindl hit Rocky Moore on a 30-yard pass. Reggie Moore ran for
two points. Reggie Moore's 48 -yard run a few plays earlier set up the scoring pass. He was Tahoka's leading rusher with 56 yards on three carries. The strong Shallowater defense bottled up Dustin Burieson, who had been averaging more than 100 yards per game. He had 31 yards
in 15 carries. GAME AT A GLANCE TAHOKA SHALLOWATER $\begin{array}{ll}51 & \text { First downs } \\ 54 & \text { Yds tushing }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{llr} & \text { Yds. rushing } & 192 \\ \text { 54 } & \text { Yds. passing } & 112 \\ 2-12-2 & \text { Completed } & \end{array}$ Completed by

6-31.2 | 8-46 |
| :--- |\(\quad \begin{aligned} \& Punss, avg. <br>

\& Penalties\end{aligned}\)

## Windows To Be Repaired At Hospital

The ymn County Hospial Dis. urict Board of Dirccoros met last
Tiussdend Thirsady evening for rarounine meet-
ing, and discusused repair work to to te



 hospial builiding.
In ohter business, atuomey Ca Huffaker reporeded to the board on the
 Phe poblic on the cumulative voting
 board election.
Monthly bills and the financial statement were approved as pre sented. Present at the meeting were Hospital AdministravorLouise Land Peggy Morton, Jimmy Dorman and Norman Ledbetter. Directors Boyd Barnes, Mike Rivas and Billy Tomlinson were absent.

## Flu Shots To Be

Offered Thursday
Flu shots will begiven at Tahoka
Clinic, 1705 Lockwood next to Thriftway, today (Thursday) from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 p.m. to $3: 30$
p.m.

The shots cost $\mathbf{\$ 1 0}$, or they are free with medicare cand, a spokes person

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## Friend Day




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## Tahoka Ex Is Volunteer In Poland Mission Trip

Tom Younge, a 1983 Thatok Hilich Nedra Young of Ruidoso, N.M. . Formerly of Thitho, traveled to Poland onamissiontriplast September where
he met with local volunteens in an he met wich local voluntears in an
effort to supply some of Poland's poorsst farmess with livestock and livelihood.
Young is anatlormey in Wichita, Kanses end an ective volunter with
The Heffer Project International (HPD). Fbomed io Puerto Rico in 1944 . API has helped more than one milcountries arouisted the womilise in 110 more self sufficient throughthe gifts of livestock and training. To farmers around the world, HPP has provided heifers, water buffalo, goasts, sheep. llamas, donkeys, mules, camels, guinea pigs and gecese.
The goal is to provi
urce of food rather than shor-t-erm relief. The great thing is that not only do you give them a means of meeting their immediate needs, but also a trade, training for children to
cary on the work, creation of a loal cary on the work, creation of a local
economy, and a sense of sharing, for economy, and a sense of sharing, for
recipients agre to give the animal's first female offspring to another family," said Young.
"This way, the benefits of improved nutrition and income spread through he evillage or revion over
many years," explained Young "I many years," explained Young, "In
addition, women especially benefit ididion, women especially benefit in African countries, for example.
where $H P$ itiles the property in their names, so they gain status by becoming property owners," he added. Young is an active member of the First United Methodis Church hin
Wichita and went opoland Wichita, and went to Poland because
Kansas Methodists have been strong supporters of the 5000 Methodists there. In Warsaw, Young's group formalized their mission with the Polish Methodists, which agreed to help sponsor HPI there. The project Young worked on was todevelop pig production on family farms in Elk, an 4 towed 6 frmion

The back seat is sater than the fromt. The center belt usually works



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| Scott McLaughlin On: |
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| Private Property Rights <br> A common sense approach <br> to protect the environment <br> that doesn't have to cost the <br> citizens of Texas their <br> Heritage. |
| "There are no better stewards |
| of the land than those people |
| who depend on it for their |
| livelihood." |$|$

Scott McLaughlin on:
Private Property Rights
A common sense approach to protect the environment citizens of Texas their Heritage.
There are no better stewards of the land than those people livelihood."
Sunday, October 27th 9:45 a.m.


## John Curry

## Former Tahokan

Is Manager At Del Rio Luby's

John Curry, son of John and DaOnne Curry of Bryan, formerty of Tahoka, was recently named manager of Luby's Cafeteria in Del Rio, located at the Plaza del Sol Mall on Avenue $F$ (Highway 90 West). In July, Luby's Cafeteria Inc boughne ing the one in Del Rio. Curry has been with the Luby's srestaurantchai
for seven years and moved to Del Rio from Santa Fe , N.M. He has worked in four different Luby's Cafeterias where he received outstanding assistant manager awards.

Curry graduated from Angelo State University in 1989 with a BBA degree in finance. He married Tammy Chantz, 3-1/2 years old, and Ethan,
"It's a tough job (manager), but it's been good. You have to spend a lot of hours away from home, and holidays don't mean anything," Curry said. We use to come to Del Rio for
Super Bowl when I was in colleg Super Bow when I was in college
and I have fished here a lot. We are very excited about being in Del Rio and want to invite all our Tahok friends to come by and see us a Luby's." he added.
Luby's had a private ribbon cutting ceremony and luncheon on Tues day, Oct. 1 with 750 Del Rio and
Acuna residents attending. The cafeteria opened the following day to the public.
'Christmas For Kids' Applications Now Being Accepted

The Lynn County Child Welfare Board is now taking applications fo the Lynn County "Christmas For Kids" program which provides
Christmas gifts for needy children. Christmas gifts for needy children.
Anyone in the county who needs help Anyone in the county who needs hel
providing Christmas for their children, ages 14 and under, may obtain an application from Lynn County Treasurer Janet Porterfield in the Lynn County Courthouse.

Also, any individual or organization who wants to "adopt" a a chil
or a family toprovide Christmas gift or a family toprovide Christmas gifts
for, or to donate money to the "Christmas For Kids" program, should contact Mrs. Porterfield.
For more information, conta Mrs. Porterild at the courthouse 998-4055

## Volleyball News

by THS Growl Staff
by Olivia Cantu
Tahoka varsity volleyball defeate Midland Christian 15-4, 16-14, Tuesday O.. "The girls did a good job with the
new line-up." said Coach John. "They new line-up." said Coach John. "The
were dominating and played awesome. Lady Bulldogs hosted Plains in thei second district game for the season
Tuessay, Oct.22. Scores wereunavailable at press time.

JV Volleyball
by Kalie Krey
Tahoka High School junior varsity
volleyball team trampled the Midla volleyball team trampled the Micland
Christian Mustangs 15-7, 15-5, Oct. 15. The Ladies played Plains Cowgirl for their last district game Tuesday. Sco
were unavailable at press time. were unavailable at press time.
Lady Bulldogs have one game maining on Oct. 26 against Lubbock Christian
${ }^{\text {8th Grade }}$
The eighth grade girls volleyball team played their last game agains Frenship Mon. Oct 2
12.9-15, and te-9.
The B team lost 6-15, 9-15.

The B team lost $6-15,9$
7 Grade
by Rebekah Curr
The Tahoka seventh grade volley.
ball Bunnio Tigers Mon., Oct. 22. The Frenship team lost $10-15,10-15$; the'A am lost $10.15,15-10,10-15$
Obituaries

Mary McClintock Services for Mary Lucille
MoClintock, 88 , of New Home were held at 10 am. Friday, Oct. 18 , 1996 at New Home Baptist Church wit the Rev, Morris P Put, pastor, officiming.
Under direction of White Punenil Home of Tanka.
She died Wednesday, Oct. 16 , 996 , at her home.
She was bor
She was bonn May 28, 1908, in Manger. Shed the mar ted MoClintock on Feb. 28, 1929, Lubbock. She was a member of Firs United Methodist Church in New Home.

She was a homemaker.
Survivors include her husband; daughters, Joy Tibbets of Litilefield and Shirley Kirby of New Home; brother, Bob Gilson of San Pablo Calif.;asister.JuliaRossof ot Lubbock five grandchildren; and 11 greal grandchildren.

## Rotary Maws

The Tahoka Rotary Club met fo their weekly meeting at the Tahok United Methodist Church las Thursday, Oct. 17. Local Rotaria and lawyer Gerald Huffaker gave an profession to highlight Vocational Service month which Rotarians ob serve each October.

In Rotary there are four avenues of service: Club, Vocational, Com munity and International.. Vocation service fosters and supports the proin all professions, including fidelity in all players imploding fidelity coates, and fair treatment of those with whom one has business or professional relations. It recognizes the worthiness to society of all useful occupations, and encourages the contributions of one's vocational talents to
society.

Huffaker told the Rotary club how, lawyers serve on grievance committees to help keep their profession honorable and ethical. He explained pro bono work, where lawyers donate many hours of work for people unable to afford legal
representation. Trial lawyers are representation. Trial lawyers are
"champions for the consumer" by making items safer for the purchaser, and preventing tragedies from occaring. If someone is harmed, the legal system provides a "right with a remedy. Contingent fees help victins of medical malpractice receive they have been injured. Often these cases can cause a legal firm to have over $\$ 200,000$ in out-of-pocket expenises before they even go to trial.

Huffaker told the Rotarians he is
very proud of being a lawyer, even when they are much maligned by others. He thinks that the American
jury system is the best system that we jury system is the best system that we
could possibly have. The club memhers gained new insight into the work of a lawyer and the vocational service provide.
Tahoka Municipal Court Judge Jerry Ford was welcomed as the newest member of the Tahoka Rotary Club. Visiting from Tahoka High Courtney Bailey.


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JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL-The Tahoka Junior Varsity Lady Bulldogsare, in back from left, Coach Cindy Gardner, Kalie Grey, Marissa McCord, Ashley Abell, Tish Anta, Brooke Tekell, Coach Shari John, Coach Rochelle Kaalai; and in front, Mandy Rodriquez, Cindy Solorzano, Myra Martinez and Kristie Calvillo.

## Service

Early Detection
Increases Breast
Cancer Survival
October is National Breast Can-
er Awareness Month, and the Ameri can Cancer Society is encouraging
women to learn everything they can women to learn eve

- Breast cancer is the most preva-
lent form of cancer among women, and it is second only to lung cancer in its deadliness. An estimated 184,300 new cases of breast cancer will be diagnosed in women during 1996 . disease this year
disease this year.
Risk factors i
Risk factors include: age over
40, personal or family history of breast cancer, and never had children or had children late in life.

But there is hope. Through edcation and early detection, survival can be increased greatly. For breast
cancersthataredetectedearly enough cancers hataredelected early enough, the The Society recommends that women have a screening mammogram by age 40; women 40 to 49 should have a mammogram every $1-2$ years; asymptomatic women age 50 and over should have a mammogram every year. Also, a doctor should conduct a breast ex women 20 to 40 and every year for those over 40 . The Society also rec ommends monthly breast self-examination for women 20 years and older.
For more information on breast For more information on breast
ancer detection and treatment, contact the Lubbock American Cancer Society Office, (806) 792-7126.

## Dirty, Stinky Nasty Carpet?

## Scott McLaughlin on:



## Real Criminal Justice

Our Legislature continues to allow violent convicted felons to be released.
"I will work to retroactively repeal mandatory release."

## Scott McLAUGHLIN

FOR State Representative
District 70


THURSDAY, october 2 , IOs, LYNN COUNTY NEws, PAGB 3 Donations Still Coming In For New Center

Several more donations have the center. The Tahoka High School been accepted for the proposed Life. Student Council continues their Enrichment Center in Tahoka. Con- "hole-in-one"contest throughout the
tributors since the last printing in-. varsity athletic home events, with all claude the John Hegi and Fred Hegi. proceeds to benefit the center, and families in honor of their parents, the elementary school's "Pennies for Madeline and the late Pete Hegio of the Principal" fund-raiser was just Tahoka; Auda Norman; Ted successfully completed. Pridmore; Fenton Insurance; Bryant
Seed te Delinting; Lois White; Seed $\&$ Delinting; Lois White,
Marietta Montgomery; Robert Edwards; and Dayton Parker Pharmacy.
Several fund-raising activities arestillunderway, including the Cosmel Fiesta slated from $11 \mathrm{a.m}$. until 9:30p.m. next Saturday, Nov. 2 at the
Tahoka High School Gym, where admission will be a donation to the Life Enrichment Center and concession stand proceeds will also benefit

Grassland Reunion To Be Held Sunday

will be held Sunday, Oct Re 27, begin ming at 10 am., at the community center in Grassland.

The meal will be catered by Jackson sot Post. Meals will be $\$ 6.5$ dren, and there will be no charge for children under age four. For advance meal tickets, call Joy Laws at 3275460.

Following the reunion, there will be a reception at the Post Museum featuring early days in the Grassland community.

Tahoka Elementary students contributed 335 pounds in coins, easily reaching their goal tooutweigh kiss apis this Friday morning at 9:30 in the elementary gym as a result of the contest.

## Pumpkin Carving

## Contest Set

The Tahoka Middle School
The Tahoka Middle School
student Council is sponsoring a pumpkin decorating and carving contest, The entry fee will be $\$ 2$. Participants must buy their own pumpkin and decorate or carve it at
home.
$\qquad$ The first prize winner will receive $\$ 25$, the second prize winner will receive $\$ 15$, and the third prize win-
net will receive $\$ 10$. These pumpkins will be judged by the student council.


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Dairy Queen has been part of Texas and Lynn County for quite some time. We appreciate the relationships we've developed over the years. We, at Chapman Dairy Queen Companies are excited to be part of Lynn County and Tahoka. We have had some fine crew members in the brief time we have owned the Tahoka store. However, we believe, as we think you do, that the store is capable of bigger and better things. It only needs one thing -- You!

Who are you? You are a local person who enjoys a fast paced, people contact job, where you can work with local folks of all ages, help get young people started in the right direction (work wise), and generally would enjoy the opportunity to be part of helping build something special. You don't mind getting your hands dirty, and you can have tough work conversation if need be. You know the ins and outs of the food business and like it anyway!
Overall you are a ball of fire looking for a woodpile to burn up.
What would such a job pay? Running this unit, as we described above will pay a minimum of $\$ 1500$ a month, and perhaps more, depending upon your experience, in base salary alone. You also have the' opportunity to earn a monthly bonus. Last month, $60 \%$ of our uni managers made a $\$ 200.00$ bonus or more, so it is achievable! You get paid vacation, the option to participate in STARBRIDGE sickness and accident plan, and meal discounts.

Come on Star, we know you're out there.
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Cizcus COMES TO TOWN - The Allen Bros. Circus came to Tahoka Friday and Saturday, sponsored by Tahoka Rotary Club, with lions, tigers and elephants, pony rides, and a, petting zoo for children.

> News from the Better Business Bureau

who agree to purchase pens, vitamins collect the prize or to enter à sweep-
Authorities report that Canadian $\begin{aligned} & \text { and other items or agree to prepay stakes. Reputable sweepstakes com- }\end{aligned}$ telesharks" are busy peddling or "transfer fees"to receive the prize. mail orcourier and do not require an fraudulent sweepstakes and prize of- Beware of phone calls claiming up-front fee of any kind.

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## Re-Elect

## David Counts

State Representative
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## Letter To The Editor

## Dear Sir/Madam:

 Lynn County as part of the sponsor GenWeb Project. The Texas GenWEB Project is a part of a much 10 gical information on the internet is possible, on a county-by-county level. I have significant roots in Lynn
County, Texas. My great grandpar ents, Hary Crie and Mattie (Martha) Adair Crie, owned the Lynn County News right around the turn of the century. My grandmother, Julia Lin-
colnCrie Clayton, had an article pubcoln Crie Clayton, had an article pub-
lished in the Lynn County News about lished in the Lynn County News about
early life in Lynn County in 1956 . early life in Lynn County in 1956. .
The web page for Lynn County has the following information that is available:

A main page which in web sites relating to other Lynn County on line resources and Texa resources in general.
$\qquad$ Page, which inclups/References" Page, which includes a bibliography Lynn County materials and the email addresses of people that have access to those materials and are willing. to volunteer to do lookups.
3. A "Oueries" Page, which al 3. A "Queries" Page, which al-
lows people to place requests for in lows people to place requests for in County.

## ist of "Surnames" Page, which is a

 list of surnames that people are re searching along with their e-mail the same name can easily researching the same name can easily get in con-tact with each other. I am hoping tha his letter in your newspublishing enerate interest in Lynnc County both from a support level and as an available resource for people researching
their roots (now known as 'rooters'!) heir roots (now known as 'rooters'! The kind of help that I could really
use is to have a contact at a local library or genealogical society that would be willing to do some lookups. This would be done on an "as time is available" basis. I am also a volun-
teer with "a life," and while geneal-
digy isapartof my life, itisprioritizod ike everything else is.
Also if there is a contact in the county courthouse that would be availabie to do lookups, that would
be a tremendous help. Most 'rooters' understand that there are fees assock ated with doing courthouser essearch. If someone could let me know what the fees are and what the conditions are for doing lookups in county
records, I would most definitely app records, 1 wo
I am very interested in heari from anyone that could provide information about my own ancestors: my great grandparents, Harry Crie and Mattie Adair Crie; and my grand parents, Sumner Mason Clayton and ouia Crie Clayton. I would also love o hear from any descendents of RiKennedy Adair or Edward Crie and Carrie Isabel Griswold Crie.
Last but not least, here are some: eb addresses for those who would like to take a look at the Lynn County GenWeb Pages or a few other genea $=\stackrel{2}{ }$ gical resources:
Lynn County: http:/f ww.rootsweb.com/-txlynn/ Texas GenWeb: http: $/ 1$ www.chrysalis,org/dgsb US.henmeb US GenWeb: http://h Clayton Surname: http:/f ww.netcom.com/-knomaddd $/$ Crie Surname: http:/I www.netcom.com/-knomaddd crie.html
Thank you very much for your interest. I am looking forward to hear-
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ested readers! I an be contacted viaemail or regular mail as listed below. $\begin{gathered}\text { Julie Clayton } \\ \text { Bobwhite Lane }\end{gathered}$
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Santa Cruz, CA 95065
E-mail address:;

## EARLY VOTING at Lynn County Clerk's Ofice Det. 16-Nov. 1

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Close Game, 21-18 O'Donnell continued to have hard luck in football his season, again playing well but losing a close game of the ne name and were tied with
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Lorenzo in the last quarter until the Hornets won the game 21-18 with a 38 -yard field goal.

Tatum Bessire scored on runs of 1 and 8 yards for O Donnell in the first quarter and Felix Perez ran 13 for the final Eagle TD in the fourth. for' extra points, but all three failed. O'Donnell had more yards and more first downs (18-13) than Lorenzo. but went $0-7$ for the year. Workshop Set Lubbock's MethodistChildren's Home will sponsor a Foster Paren Workshop on Monday, Nov. 4, for anyone interested in learning more
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Ballots have been mailed to al known producers with the hope of Board urges all sheep and goat producers within the referendum area to vote in the district of their legal residence or the one where their opcrating headquarters is located. map on the back of outions regarding the district producers should vote in

## Leopards Lose

 To MeadowNew Home gave Meadow fits, buthe Broncos scored 12 unanswered points in the last quarter to win
district 5 -A six-man gameat Meadow Friday night, 36-22. points at the half railed by just 2 points at the half, and by the same
margin after three, when each team added 8 points. The Leopards now are 3-4 for the year and 0 -2 in district. New Home's first touchdown was an 11 -yard pass from Travis Smith to Ernie Caballero. Josh Gandy scored on a 1-yard plunge for the Leopards in the second, and Jimmy Neveras added 2 points. Jooty Clem
ran 8 for a score in the third and Neveras added 2 points.

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## COTTON 8

By Shawn Wade
Harvesting activity on the High Plains continues to expand. According to Lubbock-based Plain Cotton Growers, Inc., producers making use o harvest aid products appear to have the upper hand on preventing late-season aphid build-ups.
"Essentially fields with the highest potential for late season aphid build-ups, are later maturing and have some new growth on them," says PCG Alive Vice President Donald Johnson
cco percent of the area crop has been treated with harvest aids at this time

Johnson adds that avoiding potential aphid problems will help reduce the chances of a repeat of 995 's limited sticky cotton problem.
"For the individual producer it is important to be as proactive as possible in every aspect of crop production," notes Johnson. "In addition to other harvest aids will significantly reduce the potential for sticky cotton.
Sticky cotton causes serious problems fo manufacturers. If allowed, sticky cotton could also reduce the over-all demand for High Plains cotton that producers have worked so hard to create.
So far less than ten percent of the area has been harvested and the USDA Cotton Classing office at Lubbock has run a total of 44,624 samples from the 996 crop.
Quality-wise, early returns exhibit a fairly typical pattern. Almost 30 percent have been called barky so ar, which indicates fields being stripped a little to quickly
Other quality factors appear to be holding up very well. Average values are shown below:

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Length $\quad 34.60$
Anyone interested in learning more about the way cotton is classified or how a bale is assigned various quality values can attend one of two meetings being held October 29 and 30.

The Lubbock Cotton Classing Office Growers Advisory Committee will meet Tuesday. October 29 at 10:00 a.m. at the USDA Classing Office in Lubbock, 4316 Ironton.
The Lamesa Cotton Classing Office Growers Advisory Committee will meet at $9: 00$ a.m. Wednesday, October 30 at the USDA Classing Office in Lamesa.

Both committees will be given reports on office perations as well as being provided a tour of the acilities, Producers who have never had the pportunity to go through either of the two offices re invited to attend.

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Unfortunately, because a large number of producers HAVE NOT paid their assessments, the benefits may not be as dramatic or as widespread as we had hoped.

This map shows the location of fields in Lynn County that have been treated so far this year. Most of the people farming these fields have paid their 1996 assessments.

Everyone in Lynn County will receive some benefit from this year's program in 1997.

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Weatherford performed at various activities during the Oct. 3-6 SWOSU homecoming celebration and is Weatherford performed at various activities during the Oct, 3-6 SWOSU Momecoming celebration and is are under the direction of Dr. James South. Members of the 1996 band are (front from left): Annie Duinlap of Tahoka; Elizabeth Kendall, Plainview; Amanda Wakefield, Memphls; Julie Golden, Vernon; and Shawn Still, Perryton. Back from left-Ken Knight, Canadian; Wade Hanmpton, Wheeler; Chris Sheppard, Southlake; and Ammie Murray, Canadian.


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## Sharp Delivers October

 Sales Tax RebatesJohn Sharp, State Comptroller of Public Accounts, today issued a total of $\$ 145.7$ million in October sales tax payments to 1,084 Texas cities and 114 counties.
Sharp delivered city sales tax rebates for October totaling $\$ 132.9$ million, 3.8 percent above the pay-
ments one year ago of 127.9 million Rebates of $\$ 12.8$ million to Tex counties are 2.3 percent below the $\$ 13.1$ million payments of October 1995.

This month's payments to Texas cities and counties include taxes cities and counties include taxes
collected on August sales and reported to the Comptroller in September by businesses filing monthly tax returns. O'Donnell's net payment this period of $\$ 972.31$ is down 4.70 percent from prior year's payment of $\$ 1,020.32$. 1996 payments to date of 1995 payments of $\$ 12.408$.
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from the 1995 payments of $\$ 4,483.72$.

## Pages From The Past

The following excerp by Vondell Eurout County News.
Highjacker Gave These Men A Scare
Hijackers! Police! Help!
These were the exclamations, unuttered but real nevertheless, mentally made by three young business men of Tahoka as they in the vicinity of Dr . Townes' residence as they were on the way from their respective places of business to their homes about nine 0 'clock last Friday night.
Emory Nance of the Security State Bank and W.R. Arnold and E.E. King of the Hogna Dry Goods Company were the three men who had the exciting experience. Suddenly coming upon the prostrate form, the three men just as suddenly stopped. They are each brave men but they a man would be lying there at that time of night. They therefore shied off and gave him a wide berth. Just how fast they made tracks up the street will never be known by any human being, all of them believing thoroughly in the "safety first" slogan, but somewhere further up the street they gathered tuming their searchlight on the set.
"The poor fellow is probably drunk," they reasoned among themselves. Therefore they resolved to get a flashlight and investigate. They lying, he was gone. Not over three minutes had elapsed since they had discovered him. They instituted a search throughout the neighborhood, but no man could be found. Again turning their searchlight on the ground where the man had lain, they found a long, steel-jacketed shell. A hijacker sure enough, they all concluded; and their concluision seems plausible.
Possibly the fellow was waiting an opportunity to do so; they were to "Stick-em-up," but the three brave young business men gave him no opportunity to do so; they were too fleet of foot. If you happen to notice
a few white hairs among their auburn locks, gentle reader, don't it up to age but to their never-to-be-forgotten experience last Fridely night.
Three Men Tie In Coal Guess
Three men guessed within five pounds of the weight of the big lutip of coal which has been on exhibit at the Briley Grain Company the past Dean Nowlin weighed the lump on last Thursday afternoon, it tipped the beam at just 3045 pounds. The three lucky men were Lloyd Prestoriof Dixie, J.A. Wise of Wilson, and J.H. Covington, principal of the public school at Lynn. Having tied, the three men shared equally in the value of the coal.
Mr. Nowlin stated to the News, man that about fourteen hundred guesses were made, and they took a wide range. The lowest guess was 190 lbs. made by a farmer living near Tahoka. The highest guess was
13,000 pounds... Most of the guesses ranged from 2000 to 3000 pounds.

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