

### Targeted & Tagged ... Now Tear 'em Down?

Abandoned property in Tahoka not only looks bad, but can be a scene for illegal drug/alcohol activity, and city officials are looking for cost-effective solutions to tear down places such as these which have been targeted and tagged as abandoned property by the City Fire Marshal. Police frequently find evidence that suggests the abandoned houses have been used for drug activity and other sordid occurrences, and residents here are encouraged to be on the alert for any activity near such places, and to call police immediately to report such activity. Shown here are several properties which the city has targeted: (1) the house between 1917 and 1929 Ave. J; (2) the house in the 2100 block of North 4th, across from the north elementary playground; (3) this house in the 1200 block of North 5th, just east of Loving Chapel; (4) and the house on the corner of North 5th and Ave. E, where police have long suspected illegal drug activity. (LCN PHOTOS)

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**WOODWORK** by Dalton

WHEN THE CENSUS takers counted Texas residents in 1990, they not only missed some adults, but also failed to count 228,360 children under age 17, according to a group called Kids Count Project.

How did they arrive at that number? They supposedly refined figures issued by the Census Bureau earlier that about half the 4 million people missed nationwide in 1990's count were children. Who knows how the Census Bureau arrived at that figure. If they didn't know about all those people in 1990, how come they know now?

Money sent to the states by the federal government for a lot of welfare programs is based on Census figures, so the story from the Associated Press last week estimated that Texas "lost" a billion dollars during the 1990s because of the under-count. Affected were funds for school lunch programs, Head Start classes, special education, school construction, and a bunch of other things where our tax dollars are sent to Washington and some of it filters back down to us after countless politicians have taken their cut, a lot of it benefiting not only people who can't work (which is okay), but also people who won't work (which is not okay).

Anyway, how did they miss counting those kids in the first place? Sure, there are some families who don't even know how many kids they have (or what they are doing). But most do, and apparently the reason a lot of folks are missed are because folks contacted by the Census deliberately lied on the forms. Some may have just figured it is none of the government's business how many kids they have, just like it is nobody else's business how many flush toilets you have.

The story suggested, though, that many children are missed because divorced parents each may think the other listed the children, grandparents may not include children staying with them, and many immigrant families don't want the government to know anything about them, plus some fear the landlord will find out how many people are living in one apartment or house.

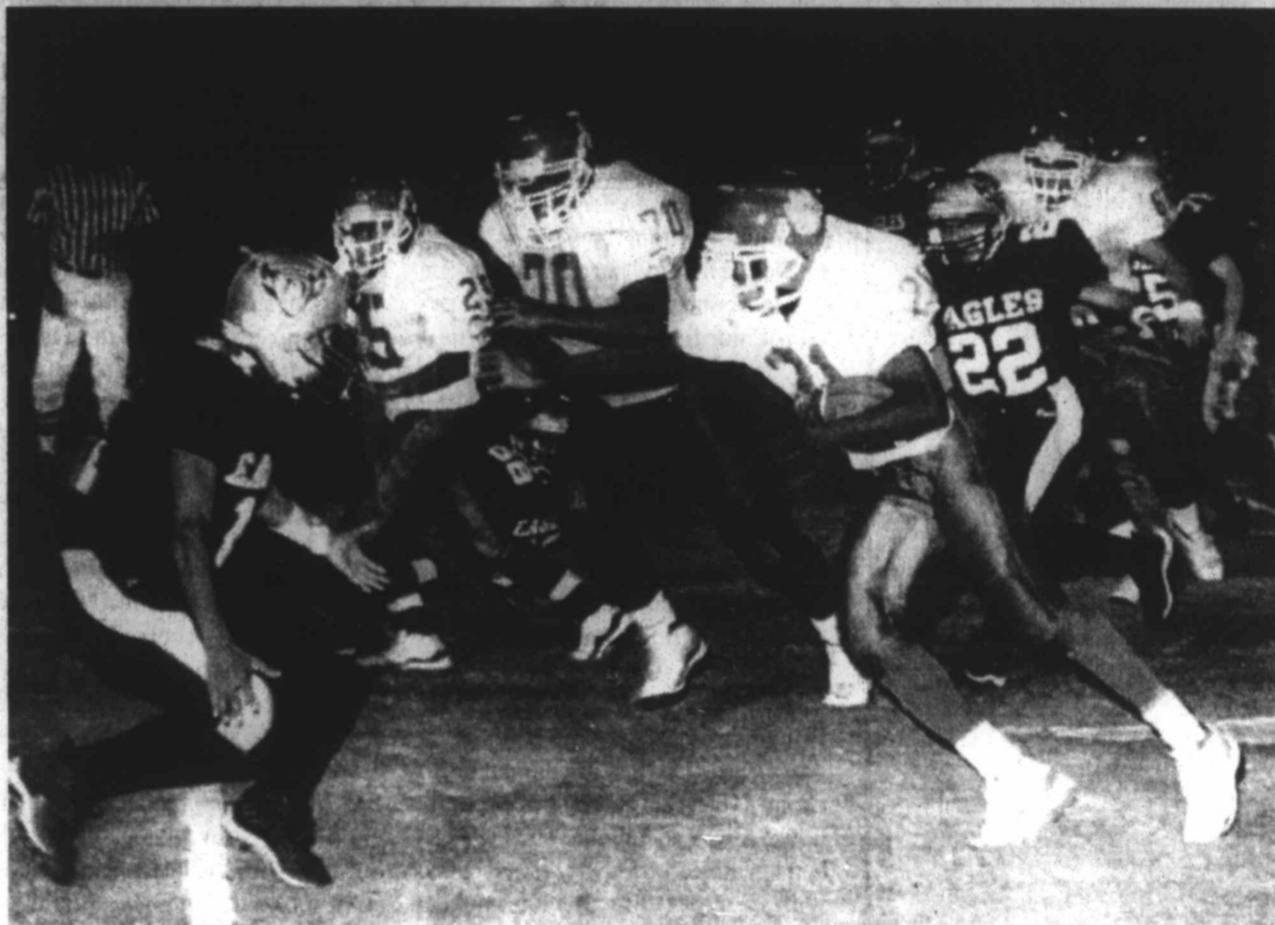
I guess I have to support the idea of a Census, which is coming up in 2000, because it is the politically correct thing to do. However, I really feel like the government has too much information about our private lives already.

Okay, you kids go hide in the closet. Here comes the Census taker.

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A NEW STUDY reported recently confirms what a bunch of other studies told us for years: People who eat less will live longer. Actually the study indicated that in mice, genes which normally deteriorate with age tended to continue functioning in a youthful way when the mice were underfed. It also was noted that studies in monkeys show a low calorie diet lowers blood pressure and raises levels of "good" cholesterol.

So, a really low calorie diet will help you live longer, or maybe it will just seem longer, with no chicken fried steaks and chocolate ice cream, and besides, you will look like a monkey and behave like a rat.



**WHITE LIGHTNING** - Speedy Randy White (21) led Tahoka's offense as the Bulldogs beat O'Donnell 41-0 last Friday, scoring two touchdowns and gaining 154 yards rushing. Other Bulldogs shown here are Stephen Solorzano (25), and Michael Garcia (70). Trying to stop White here are O'Donnell players Edward Trevino (11) and Jeremiah Soto (22). (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

## Ground Attack Leads Bulldogs To Victory

By CASEY JONES

The Tahoka Bulldogs varsity football team launched their season with an emphatic 41-0 shutout Friday over their county archrivals, the O'Donnell Eagles.

Randy White rushed for 152 yards and one Tahoka touchdown while Blandon Hancock gained 112 yards and another touchdown. Together, the two teammates rushed for a total of 264 yards for the Bulldogs.

Senior quarterback Brady Raindl

completed four passes for 42 yards and one touchdown pass which was received by Martin Garza. Raindl also ran in a 2-yard bootleg for a touchdown.

In the first quarter, after stopping O'Donnell on downs, Tahoka struck first with a 22-yard fumble recovery for a score by Hancock. At the end of the first quarter, White made an eye-catching (possibly a school record) 96-yard TD run to break the game wide open. After that, the Eagles never seemed to recover.

The Bulldog defense forced five turnovers and capitalized on them twice by scoring touchdowns. Hancock's fumble recovery came first, and later White picked off a pass and took it 35 yards into the end zone to wrap up the game.

The defense limited O'Donnell to 178 total yards and 0 yards passing. Jason Jaquess anchored the defense with nine tackles. Hancock and White each followed with eight tackles. Jaquess and Jordan Vega each

forced a fumble.

Coach Troy Hinds will lead his team to Odessa this Saturday to take on Van Horn. Kickoff is slated for 2 p.m. at Ratliff Stadium. There, the Bulldogs will try to build on their impressive start.

TAHOKA 41, O'DONNELL 0				
Tahoka	14	14	7	6 - 41
O'Donnell	0	0	0	0 - 0
TAH - Hancock	22	fumble recovery		(kick failed)
TAH - White	95	run		(run)
TAH - Raindl	4	run		(kick)
TAH - Hancock	11	run		(kick)
TAH - Raindl	3	pass		(kick)
TAH - White	35	interception return		(kick failed)

GAME STATS		TAHOKA	O'DONNELL
First Downs		15	10
Rushing yds.		249	178
Passing yds.		42	0
4-10-0		291	0-1-2
Total yds.		291	178
Turnovers		2	5

## Cases Of Criminal Mischief Reported

The damage was evident, but the motive and procedure are not too clear.

Someone carefully removed a plate glass window at Mt. Zion Baptist Church northeast of New Home, taking out the screws holding the window, placed it on the ground and then broke the window, valued at \$50.

The incident occurred sometime between Aug. 29 and Sept. 5. Sheriff's officers theorized that whoever removed the window then found the inside window locked and broke the outside window in frustration.

Maria Herrera Garza told police that two tires on her car had been punctured by an unknown object and she named a suspect. Damage was estimated at \$90 in the incident last week.

Dispatchers at Lynn County sheriff's office answered 254 calls during August. Two were for fires, 18 for EMS ambulance, 22 for the City of O'Donnell, 105 for the City of Tahoka and 107 for the county.

Fourteen persons were jailed during the last week, on these charges: Two for ride not secured by seat belt, three for no drivers license, driving while license suspended, driving while intoxicated, criminal mischief, grand jury indictments on DWI and evading arrest, municipal warrants from Lubbock, bond surrender warrant from Dawson County, Dallas County warrant on theft, public intoxication, Midland County warrant on DWI, no liability insurance.

### - This Week's Games -

**Tahoka vs. Van Horn at Odessa - Saturday**  
**Friday night games:**  
**New Home at Borden Co.**  
**Wilson at Whitharral**  
**O'Donnell at Happy**



**See You at the Pole**  
 For Adults

**A Community Prayer Time**  
 sponsored by  
 Tahoka Ministers' Fellowship  
**7:00 a.m. • Wednesday,**  
**September 15th**  
**at the Lynn County Courthouse**



REBECCA HUDGENS and ALEX BRYAN  
**Couple To Wed Sept. 18**

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hudgens of Tahoka announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rebecca, to Alex Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bryan of Brownfield.

The couple will marry Saturday, Sept. 18, at Sweet Street Baptist Church in Tahoka.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Tahoka High School attends Texas Tech University.

The future groom is a graduate of Brownfield High School and is employed by Sinclair Heating and Cooling, Inc. in Wolforth.

## City Approves 1¢ Tax Increase, But No Raises For Employees

No salary increases for city employees, including the police department, were included in the 1999-2000 budget which was approved by the Tahoka City Council Tuesday night. The three council members present at the meeting unanimously approved a \$1,337,810 budget, as well as a one-cent tax rate increase to 68.5 cents per \$100 of property value, and a \$3 per month increase in sewer rates.

The sewer rate increase is part of a three-year rate increase plan to repay a loan for a new wastewater treatment plant which will be built in Tahoka. The project was approved last year but construction has not yet begun on the new facility which will bring the city up to code on the wastewater plant.

The 1999-2000 budget is approximately \$100,000 more than last year's budget, but City Administrator Jerry Webster said that the budget did not include any salary raises for the city's employees, which includes City Hall, Water and Sewer Department, and Tahoka Police Department employees.

"The city does not give cost-of-living raises to employees. Every raise is a merit raise, and since the budget was already more than last year's, there were no salary increases included for this year," said Webster.

"There wasn't any one big item where we can pinpoint the increase in the budget, but we did put more money in our maintenance and repair fund," explained Webster. "We have

already gone over budget this year in repairs and haven't bought any new equipment, so we expect repair costs to be as much or more than this year. Also we tried to set aside some, not much, for our dilapidated building program," he added.

The one-cent tax increase is two-tenths of a cent above the effective tax rate. No citizens attended the public hearing on the proposed tax rate increase.

In other business, the council voted to purchase a new vehicle for the police department, and to sell the department's 1990 Lumina which currently does not run. Council members also voted unanimously to contract with Joe F. Hays, CPA, for the city's annual financial audit.

Russell Murph, representing Energas, met with the group to ask the council to suspend for 90 days the rate increase which Energas is proposing, in order for Energas representatives to meet with other cities affected by the proposed rate increase. A committee will then be formed representing the 67 affected cities, which will liaison with Energas in the rate changes. The council approved the request.

Monthly bills were also approved.

Council members Amy Preston, Clara Calvillo and Ray Box were present for the meeting, as well as Mayor Mike Mensch and Webster. Councilmen Jay Dee House and John Chapa Jr. were absent.



MRS. KENNY McCLESKEY (nee TRACY BARTA)  
**Barta, McCleskey United in Marriage**

Tracy Jean Barta and Kenny Lee McCleskey, both of Lubbock, were united in marriage at 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 4, 1999 at the Church of the Nazarene in Grassland. Ray Perryman of Shallowater officiated the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Rick and Terri Barta of Lubbock. Parents of the groom are Kurt and Coye McCleskey of Lubbock.

The church was decorated with a lattice back-drop draped with white tulle and fresh English ivy. A unity candle was placed in the center of the altar with two candelabra. Brick planters accented with fern and ivy completed the decoration.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a dress of white chiffon lace worn by the groom's mother over 20 years ago. Accenting the dress was a beaded pearl veil.

Her bouquet was a cascade white cymbidium orchids, roses and stephanotis with accents of pink freesia and lavender gypsophyllia.

Maid of Honor was Shea Leigh Favor of Lubbock. She wore a navy sateen dress with a small train and rhinestone accents.

Best Man was Eric Kyle Martin

of Lubbock. Ushers were Jason McCleskey of O'Donnell and Ryan Barta of Lubbock.

Flower girl was Jordan Barta of Flowermound. Registering guests was Kristy McCleskey of Lubbock, sister of the groom.

Musical selections included the theme from "Romeo and Juliette," "Amazed," and "Cannon in D."

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the church.

The bride's cake, made by Helen Stevenson of Wilson, featured three tiers with a dove cake topper. Serving at the bride's table were Alisha Barta of Dallas, and Jade Herring of Hutto, cousins of the bride.

The groom's cake was a two-tier chocolate cake topped with strawberries. Serving at the groom's table was Keily Harrison of Georgetown, cousin of the bride.

Samantha Pridmore of Tahoka assisted guests with bridal favors.

Following a honeymoon in Ruidoso, New Mexico, the couple will reside in Lubbock.

The bride is a graduate of Lubbock Cooper High School and attends South Plains College. She is employed at Quiznos in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of Lubbock Cooper High School and is a student at Texas Tech.

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## Area Girls Invited To Participate In Festival Queen, Princess Contests

Girls in Lynn County are invited to participate in the Lynn County Harvest Festival Queen and Princess contests for a chance to claim the title, college scholarships, and cash. Young ladies in 'high school' in Tahoka, Wilson, New Home and O'Donnell may participate in the queen contest, and girls in elementary/junior high grades may participate in the princess contest.

Anyone interested in participating may contact Leah Taylor, queen chairman, at 998-5142, or Alecia Hancock, princess chairman, at 998-4723. Contestants will soon begin selling tickets for chances to win bicycles, a Texas Tech/A&M game weekend, and a trip for two to Mexico.

The Harvest Festival Queen and Princess contests will be held Saturday, Sept. 25 at the 24th annual Lynn County Harvest Festival on the courthouse square in Tahoka. The Princess is determined strictly by ticket sales, with the girl selling the most tickets crowned as Princess. She will receive a \$100 savings bond, and first and second runners-up will receive \$75 and \$50 savings bonds, respectively. As an incentive for the young ladies,

all princess candidates will earn \$50 cash for every 400 tickets they sell.

Queen contestants must sell at least 100 tickets to qualify for the finalist round of competition, but will be judged on poise and personality in interviews to determine the winner. She will be crowned during afternoon festivities at the festival, and will receive \$200 from the Harvest Festival Committee and a \$100 scholarship from Tahoka Chamberettes upon her entry into college.

The top five finalists in the queen contest will receive gift certificates. The queen candidate who sells the most tickets will be named Queen of Sales and will receive \$100 cash. Additionally, all queen candidates who sell at least 300 tickets will receive \$100 cash from the Harvest Festival Committee.

"We really appreciate all the hard work these young ladies do in selling tickets for the queen and princess contests, and feel they should get back something in return, which is the reason behind the cash incentives on ticket sales," said Jay Dee House, chairman of the Harvest Festival Committee.

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**School Zone  
Speed Limits  
Strictly Enforced**

Drivers near Tahoka school campuses take note: the 15 miles-per-hour speed limit on the streets surrounding the school will be strictly enforced by law enforcement officers here. The streets which are adjacent to any portion of the school campus (an eight-block area encompassing the middle/high school and elementary campuses bordered on the north and south by North 2nd and North 4th streets, and on the east and west by Ave. O and Ave. Q) have a speed limit of 15 mph enforced during school hours.

The school zone on Lockwood, however, has a speed limit of 20 mph when the yellow lights are flashing.

Drivers who ignore school zone speed limits may be ticketed by law enforcement officers.

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**Your HEALTH TIP**

Half the post-menopausal women admitted with acute hip fractures were low in Vitamin D, according to a study in the *Journal of the AMA*. Vitamin D facilitates the absorption of calcium and is activated by exposure to sunlight. Good food sources are fortified milk and cereal, egg yolks, salmon, sardines, and herring. Multivitamins will also supply the recommended daily allowance of 400 I.U. High doses are toxic and there are interactions with some medications. Check with your doctor before you take any vitamins or supplements.

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## City Ponders Dilemma Of Abandoned Property Here

Abandoned property is bad for cities. It looks bad, it's on the delinquent tax rolls, it houses bug and rodent infestations, it devaluates adjacent property, and worst of all, it may be a site for illegal drug/alcohol activity. Nobody wants abandoned houses in their neighborhood... But, nobody wants to pay to have the houses removed either.

It is a problem which all cities face, and one which is no exception to Tahoka. City officials here are aware of the problem, and are looking for viable, cost-effective solutions to demolishing abandoned houses.

"We have partial funding in place to do some property, but not nearly enough to do all that is needed here," City Administrator Jerry Webster told *The News*. "We [the city] have the equipment and manpower necessary to demolish these old houses, but the expense comes from waste container rental fees and landfill fees where we have to take the debris," he explained.

A typical house would cost approximately \$3,000 in landfill/container fees, Webster said, noting that when the city tore down the old community center on South 1st recently that fees amounted to nearly \$5,000.

"If we had someplace to put the debris [at no cost], we could tear these houses down every day," Webster said.

He says city officials are in agreement that "something" needs to be done about abandoned property here, and that officials are in the planning stages to find a solution that will be cost-effective for the city.

Right now, the city has targeted several properties, and tagged them as abandoned property by notice of the City Fire Marshal. Tagged with notices during the past week were the following properties: (1) the house between 1917 and 1929 Ave. J; (2) the house in the 2100 block of North 4th, across from the north elementary playground; (3) a house in the 1200 block of North 5th, just east of Loving Chapel; (4) and the house on the corner of North 5th and Ave. E. An abandoned mobile home in the 1800 block of South 2nd is expected to be tagged as well, sources said.

Some funding is available in the budget for demolition of such houses,

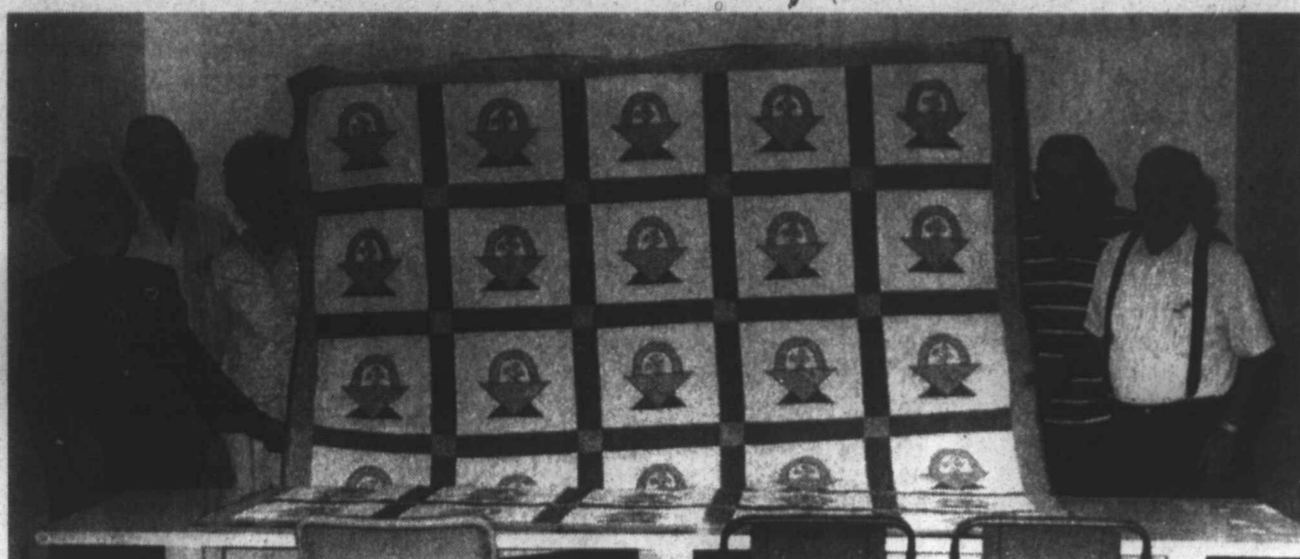
but Webster says there are so many abandoned properties in Tahoka that available funding doesn't even come close to expected costs. However, city officials will continue to target and tag such property with the intention of finding a solution.

### Tahoka School Menu

**Monday:** Sausage w/Biscuit or Cereal & Toast w/Jelly, Apple Juice, Milk.  
**Tuesday:** Donuts or Cereal & Toast w/Jelly, Applesauce, Milk.  
**Wednesday:** Pancake & Sausage on a Stick or Cereal & Toast w/Jelly, Mixed Fruit Juice, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Cheese Toast or Cereal & Toast w/Jelly, Orange Juice, Milk.  
**Friday:** Cereal & Toast w/Jelly, Choice of Juice, Milk.

Sept. 13-17

**Monday:** Corn Dogs, Baked Potato, Orange Slices, Sugar Cookie, Milk.  
**Tuesday:** Fish Burger, Lettuce, Tomato, Tator Tots, Rainbow Pops, Milk.  
**Wednesday:** Pepperoni Pizza, Salad, Apple Halves, Chocolate Cookie, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Salad, Blue BullDOG Jello, Milk.  
**Friday:** Hamburger or Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Onion, Pickles, French Fries, Apple Cobbler, Milk.



**QUILT TO BE RAFFLED** - Lynn County Pioneers Senior Citizens Center is raffling this quilt at the Lynn County Harvest Festival, with tickets available for a donation of \$1. The quilt features embroidered flowers in baskets in white squares surrounded by solid and floral print fabric in muted sage green colors. The quilt was pieced by Angie Gutierrez, and quilted by her and others at the center. Shown here with the quilt are several patrons of the center, from left, Tinnie Meeks, W.P. Scott, Loraine Ahrens, Bud Grider and Watson Spears. The quilt will be displayed at First National Bank of Tahoka, and tickets are available from Senior Citizens members, at the Pioneer Center, and at the Harvest Festival on Sept. 25. (LCN PHOTO)

## OBITUARIES

### Dorothy Nell Parker

Graveside services for Dorothy Nell Parker, 84, of Clyde, were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 4, at Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene with Dr. Jerry Joplin officiating.

She died Thursday, Sept. 2, 1999 at Clyde Nursing Center.

She was born Jan. 5, 1915, in Tyler. She graduated from Arp High School. She married James Lee Parker, Jr. in Arp on Dec. 23, 1933. They moved to Clyde from Abilene in 1937.

She was a 50-year member of the Order of the Eastern Star having been the Past Matron of both the Abilene Order #30 and the Clyde Order #308. She was an adjuster for the Sears Credit Department retiring in 1981 after 33 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Clyde.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Jimmy Parker of Tahoka; two daughters, Judy Burchard of Clyde and Jane Rose of Rosenberg; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

### Lonnie Wood

Graveside services for Lonnie Estelle Wood, 89, of O'Donnell were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 8, in Lamesa Memorial Park.

Memorial services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, at First United Methodist Church in O'Donnell with the Rev. Ken Peterson, pastor, officiating.

Arrangements were under direction of White Funeral Home of O'Donnell.

She died Sunday, Sept. 5, 1999, in Tahoka.

She was born Oct. 14, 1909 in Eastland county and attended schools in Shumake, Dawson County. She married Horace Edwin Wood on June 14, 1928 in Lubbock. He died in 1981.

She moved to Lynn County in 1946. She was a homemaker and an active member of the O'Donnell Senior Citizens. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in O'Donnell and served on their administrative board.

Survivors include two sons, Jack Edwin Wood and Charles Hilton Wood, both of Tahoka; a daughter, Rildabeth Wood Moore of O'Donnell; three sisters, Beuna Hagood of Tahoka, Dorothy Carey of Crane, and Christine Squyres of Lubbock; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to First United Church in O'Donnell or the South Plains Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association, TTHSC, 3601 4th Street, Lubbock 79415.

### Bobby Schneider

Services for Bobby Wayne Schneider, 57, of Lyles, Tenn., were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 4, in Grace Lutheran Church in Slaton with the Rev. Paul Bortnem, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Green Memorial Cemetery in Wilson.

He died Wednesday, Sept. 1, 1999, at his home.

He was born Nov. 15, 1941, in Wilson. He attended Wilson schools and joined the Army in 1958. He worked for Contel Phone Co. in Bear Creek, Ala., and retired from GTE in Alabama in 1995. He was in independent truck driver until December.

He married Jerry Perkins on Jan. 11, 1997, in Nashville, Tenn. He was a member of the Masonic Order in Tennessee and Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include his wife; two stepdaughters, Cheri Pickard Channell of Bear Creek, Ala., and Misty Pickard Henderson of Mount Hope, Ala.; a stepson, Steve Pickard of Blountsville, Ala.; three brothers, Owen of Plains, Truett of Lubbock, and Don of Wilson; a sister, Helen Robertson of Tyler; and five step-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of the Highland Rim, 1510 Hatcher Lane, #2, Columbia, TN 38401; or the American Cancer Society, 3411 73rd, Lubbock 79423.

### Laura Stice

Services for Laura Stice, 82, of Lubbock were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Sept. 3, at Sweet Street Baptist Church in Tahoka with the Rev. Lynn Long, pastor, officiating. Charlie Stice assisted.

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

She died Tuesday, Aug. 31, 1999. She was born Feb. 12, 1917, in Wilson, Okla. She moved to Tahoka in 1938. She married Bert Stice on Sept. 30, 1934, in Crosby County. He died in 1989.

She was employed as a cafeteria worker for Tahoka ISD until her retirement. She was a member of Sweet Street Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Kenneth Stice of Wolforth and Walter Lee Stice of Midlothian; a daughter, Vestie Ann Oliver of Seminole; six grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

### Little League Uniforms Due Back To Coaches

According to Tahoka Little League officials, all team members need to turn in their uniforms as soon as possible. Uniforms may be turned in to coaches or to Little League president, Ronny Jolly.

Anyone with questions may contact Jolly at 998-5007.

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### Senior Citizens MENU

Sept. 13-17

**Monday:** Baked Chicken w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Tossed Salad/1000 Island Dressing, Bran Muffin, Lemon Cake.

**Tuesday:** Chicken Spaghetti, Italian Vegetables, Tossed Salad/Ranch Dressing, Garlic Bread, Banana Pudding.

**Wednesday:** Baked Ham, Potatoes, Spinach, Tossed Salad/French Dressing, Roll, Frosted Cake.

**Thursday:** Hamburger Steak in Brown Gravy, Rice, Squash, Wheat Roll, Golden Congealed Salad.

**Friday:** Brisket, Au gratin Potatoes, Fried Okra, Pickles, Wheat Roll, Apricot Cobbler.

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### Homecoming Program, Parade Needs Participants

Tahoka High School is busy planning homecoming activities and organizers urge any community organization, club, ex-student group or individual that wishes to participate in the 1999 homecoming program and/or parade to sign-up by Thursday, Sept. 23. Participants may contact Gena Stephens during school hours at 998-4538.

Elementary students are encouraged to decorate their bicycles and ride them in the parade as a group. Permission forms will be sent home from school with each child and the forms should be completed and returned to elementary principal James V. Baker by Thursday, Sept. 23.

Homecoming activities will include a program, parade, pep rally, pre-game dinners, and the annual homecoming game featuring the Tahoka Bulldogs taking on the Idalou Wildcats.



See You at the Pole for Adults

A Community Prayer Time sponsored by Tahoka Ministers' Fellowship

7:00 a.m. • Wednesday, September 15th at the Lynn County Courthouse  
All adults are encouraged to attend -- LET'S SUPPORT AND PRAY FOR OUR YOUTH!

## Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The LYNN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase the total tax revenues of the COUNTY OF LYNN by 6.4285 percent on August 31, 1999 at 10:00 A.M.

The Lynn County Commissioners Court is scheduled to vote on the tax rate that will result in that tax increase at a public meeting to be held on September 13, 1999 at 10:00 A.M. at the Judge's Office, Lynn County Courthouse, Tahoka, Texas.



**CLOSING IN** - O'Donnell players Carlos Castillo (82) and Edward Trevino (11) are trying to stop Tahoka's Stephen Solorzano (25). (LCN PHOTO)

The world's tallest fountain is found in Fountain Hills, Arizona. Built at a cost of \$1.5 million for McCulloch Properties Inc., the 564-foot tall column of water weighs more than eight tons.

## A WORD IN SEASON

Sponsored by Tahoka Ministers' Fellowship

### We Have A Job To Do

I would like to thank all of the educators, law enforcement officers, and civic leaders who met with the Tahoka Ministers' Fellowship last Tuesday night. This brain storm session was for the purpose of trying to come up with some answers to our many community problems.

As these problems and solutions were discussed at length, it became obvious that we have a great love for our community and the people who make it up. Our youth are rated amongst our highest priorities. We all love and want the best for our kids. Make no question about that!

I believe that we can work together to make Tahoka a better place to live. We all have a job to do, so let's get at it.

As I have reflected over what was said at this meeting, I know without a doubt that God has the answers that we are all looking for.

Love is the first of these answers. The Bible says that "God so loved the world that he gave His only begotten Son ..." God gave! If God loves us, we should also love one another. If we are to love one another as God loved, we must learn to give of ourselves to others. Let us never forget that God loves us, but as a wiser man than I has said, "love must be tough." God's love is a tough love. God loves unconditionally but when we do wrong, we are responsible. I believe a lack of unconditional love in our homes is what really leads to the ills of our community. The breakdown of the home is the highest, single contributor of the problems of our society. Tahoka is no exception.

This brings us to another of God's solutions, which is responsibility. We must all learn to be responsible citizens of our community. We, as parents, should take on the full responsibility of our families. Let us teach our children a high moral code as they learn right from wrong. Why should we be surprised when our children go down the wrong path when we, as fathers and mothers, have been known to stray? Why should we complain about the disregard of a city ordinance if we, as good citizens, are not willing to comply with other laws? Do we just obey the laws we like and then condemn others for doing the same thing? You can never have privileges without responsibility.

Another answer to our problem is prayer. God answers prayer! On September 15, at 7:00 a.m., our students will be meeting around the flag pole, at the high school, to pray. I want to encourage all the adults of our city to join with the Tahoka Ministers' Fellowship, as we meet around the flagpole of our courthouse. Let us intensify our prayer, as never before, as we expect God to do great things for us.

Respect and forgiveness are two of God's answers that deserve our attention. We must respect authority and others, no matter who they are. You may not agree with what they do, but you can respect them as one created in the image of the Almighty. As people offend us we must learn to forgive. Unforgiveness leads to bitterness.

What can we do? We can pray that God will intervene and bless our town. We can gather in our churches, as never before, for worship of God and the learning of biblical truth. We can make Jesus Christ the Lord of our homes, churches, schools, council meetings, squad cars, and courtrooms as we should have done a long time ago. Then, and only then, will we begin to see the changes in our community that we desire.

Lynn Long, Pastor of Sweet Street Baptist Church, Tahoka

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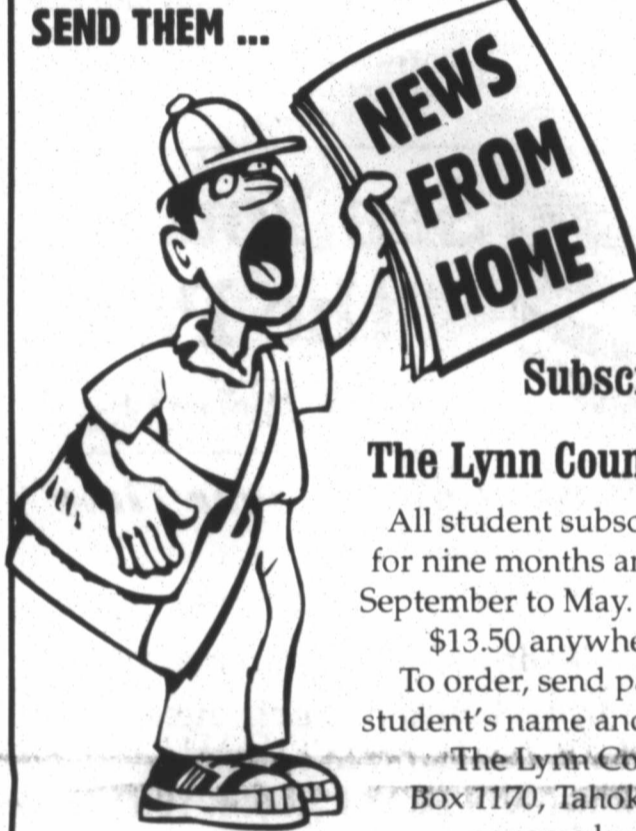


**LEAPING LIZARDS!** - Cameron Harcrow, 10-year-old grandson of Viola Bertreaux of Tahoka, shows off the yellow, blue and green striped lizard his grandmother caught in her back yard. Cameron said he planned on taking the lizard to school to exhibit to his classmates. (LCN PHOTO)

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DATED September 2, 1999, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 1611, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. William Kely Hunt and Small Business Administration, Lienholder (In Rem Only), and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on September 2, 1999, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in October, 1999, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Tahoka, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Lynn and the State of Texas, to-wit:

138 Acres out of Abstract 560, E/2, Section 504, Block 1, EL & RR Co. Survey, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 226, Page 219 SAWE AND EXCEPT Vol. 271, Page 427 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

All of N/80 Acres of SW/4 of Section 505, Block 1, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 271, Page 429 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgement for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgement for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED September 2, 1999, at Tahoka, Texas.

By Jake Diggs  
SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas

/s/ Jerry D. Franklin  
DEPUTY  
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**CLOSE ENCOUNTER – Scott Olivan of O'Donnell tries to trip up Tahoka Quarterback Brady Raindl. Tahoka won the opening game for both teams.** (LCN PHOTO)

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**WHAT'S NEW AT WILSON HIGH SCHOOL**

By WHS Journalism Students

**Mustangs Suffer In Season Opener by Billy Cavender**

The Mustangs had a hard opening game Friday night against the Borden County Coyotes. The Mustangs controlled the ball most of the first quarter letting Borden County score only one time.

The second quarter was a little worse for the Mustangs with an interception run back for a touchdown right before the half. The Mustangs still had a chance when they went in at half-time with a score of 0-28.

The Mustangs kept on fighting until the end of the third quarter when Borden County scored the final touchdown making the score 0-48.

Casey Donald hurt his right knee on the last play and will be out for a few weeks.

The Mustangs will travel to Whitarrhel Friday to face the Panthers.

**Class Officers Elected Here by Angelica Ariaz**

Senior class officers for 1999-2000 are Billy Cavender, president; Casey Donald, vice-president; and Victoria Vasquez, secretary.

The 11th grade class officers are Carla Pabon, president; Amber Wilke, vice president; and Briana Fields, secretary.

The 10th grade class officers are Adam Rivera, president; Chance Talkmitt, vice-president; and Jamie Cavender, secretary. Their class favorites are Quinn Whisner and Brian Arellano.

The 9th grade class officers are Michael Holland, president; Luis Castanon, vice-president; and Heather West, secretary. Their class favorites are Demus Rodriguez and Heather West.

The 8th grade class officers are Brady Cross, president; Ricardo Valdez, vice-president; and Kristi Shipley, secretary.

The 7th grade class officers are Sonya Quezada, president; Nick Simmons, vice-president; Ashli Holland, secretary. Their class favorites are Nick Simmons and Christlyn Taylor.

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**Millennium Mania Is Homecoming Theme by Briana Fields & Kameron Livingston**

The week of Sept. 13-17 has been scheduled as Homecoming week for the Mustangs.

The daily themes are as follows:  
• Monday: 50's "Sock the Elks" - Dress in your poodle skirts, rolled up jeans, and leather jackets.

• Tuesday: 60's "Outgroove the Elks" - Dress in your bellbottoms, beads, and headbands.

• Wednesday: 70's "Stayin' Alive with the Mustangs" - Dress in your platform shoes, polyester, and disco shirts.  
• Thursday: 80's "Hammer the Elks" - Headbands, keds, leg warmers (think Michael Jackson).

• Friday: Blue and White Day - Show your spirit by dressing in as much blue and white as you can.

Thursday's activities will include: noon - school's out; 4 p.m. - junior high football game; 5:30 p.m. - JV football game; 7:30 p.m. - parade (starting at baseball field); dark - pep rally at the bonfire.

Friday's activities will include the Lions Club Supper before the game, at 7:30 is the Homecoming game against Cotton Center.

Homecoming King and Queen will be crowned at the half-time ceremonies. The candidates for Homecoming Queen are Jenny Curb, Vicki Vasquez and Victoria Flores. The candidates for Homecoming King are Casey Donald, J. Paul Kirk, and Billy Cavender.

**Mrs. Cross Named High School Secretary by Billy Cavender**

Among the many new teachers here at Wilson High School, there is also a new secretary, Lana Cross.

Mrs. Cross was born in Slaton. She has been married for 20 years, and has two kids. Cody, her youngest, is in the second grade, and Brady, her oldest, is in eighth grade.

She attend college at South Plains. Her only teaching experience is being a substitute teacher at Wilson for a year. That helped her decide that the school system was something that she wanted to be a part of. When asked why she became the secretary, she said that she loves being around the students and being involved in their education and school activities. She also wants to help keep Wilson a great school.

She likes her job so far, but it has been very busy.

In her spare time, Mrs. Cross likes doing things involved with any sport, going to the lake, traveling and watching her boys' sporting events.

Her future plans are, if she doesn't win the lottery, to stay secretary at Wilson for a few more years.

Her advice to students is to obey the rules, respect your authority, take your education seriously, and go to college.

**Phillip Timmons New Coach Here by Casey Donald**

Although he has not always wanted to be a coach or teacher, Mr. Timmons is now our new assistant football, basketball and head Jr. High football coach as well as a new teacher.

Mr. Timmons was born in Fort worth, and then moved to Lubbock when he was five. He graduated from Lubbock Monterey in 1979.

He is now currently living at Lakeview, which is 6 miles west of New Home.

He is married and has two children. He attended San Angelo State and then transferred to Texas Tech where he graduated.

His hobbies include fishing, hunting, camping and he likes to go horseback riding.

Coach Timmons future plans are to keep coaching and teaching.

**Bartlett Wins Football Contest With One Miss**

Kent Bartlett of Lamesa, Postmaster at the Tahoka Post Office, won the Lynn County News' first weekly football contest with a near-perfect entry, missing only one guess to claim the \$10 prize. He did not name one of the Secret Sponsors for the week, which would have doubled his prize money. Secret Sponsors for the first week included Wilson State Bank, Bryant Seed & Delinting, Jesse's Tire Service, Huffaker, Green & Huffaker, and Friends Too.



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**TAHOKA SPORTS NEWS**  
by the THS Growl Staff

**JV Football**  
by Jana Eudy

The Tahoka junior varsity Bulldogs pounded the O'Donnell Eagles 19-0, last Thursday in front of the home folks.

The offense was led by Tyson Harris who ran for two touchdowns. Josh Thompson also punched in one for the Bulldogs. Bryan Valdez kicked over one extra point.

"Matt Wells led the hard-nose defense," said Coach Robert Web. Head JV Coach Scotty Bruington said Jon Luna, Kevin Rodriguez, and Bryan Valdez were also strong for the defense.

"Our guys played well for the first game, but we must continue to improve," said Coach Bruington.

Other JV Bulldogs are: Kellen Flowers, B.J. Andrews, Josh Thompson, Adrian Moore, Warren Baker, Josh Pridmore, Stephen Brookshire, Jason Alvarado, Jerid Pridmore, Brent Stone, Zach Lindsey, Jeff Gandy, Miguel Garza, Cody Tomlinson, Leslie White, Matt Gilbert, and Brandon McCord.

**Varsity Volleyball**  
by Chelsea White

The 11-member varsity Lady Bulldog volleyball team is 2-6 after matches against mostly larger schools.

The ladies went 2-15, 13-15 against the Class 4-A Friendship Lady Tigers.

In the Monahans Tournament, they faced their only Class 2-A opponent when they defeated Anthony 12-15, 16-14, 15-8.

Class 5-A San Angelo Central downed the ladies 2-15, 3-15 in the second match of the tournament.

The ladies and Brownfield tied with one game each, 12-15 and 15-10. Brownfield took the match away from the ladies 9-15.

In the Denver City Tournament, the ladies took the match 15-12, 15-8 against 4-A Estacado.

The Lady Bulldogs split matches with the Class 3-A Cooper Lady Pirates 6-15, 15-13 in the final match of the D.C. Tournament. The Lady Pirates took the match away from the Lady Dogs 13-15.

When the girls traveled to Denver City a second time, Class 3-A dunked the Lady Dogs 8-15, 5-15. In play against 4-A Andrews at Denver City, Andrews came out on top 9-15, 5-15.

Coach Shari John said, "I'm seeing a lot of good things so far. We're young, we have to get used to each other on the court, but we will be ready by District play."

Three seniors, Jessica House, Marissa McCord and Cassidy Andrews lead the team. Other players are juniors Chelsea White, Tiffany Moralez, Amada Agular, Lezli Gandy and Judy Webster; and three sophomores, Chelsey Miller, Keely Boone and Mandy Sanders.



**RUNNING HARD** - O'Donnell running back Edward Trevino (11) is moving fast here in last week's game between the Eagles and Tahoka. Moving to cut off the run are Tahoka players Blandon Hancock and Randy White (21). (LCN PHOTO)

**NEW AT THE LIBRARY**  
*The White House Connection*  
by Jack Higgins

New York: Late at night, the rain pouring down, a well-dressed woman in her sixties stands in a doorway, a gun in her purse, waiting for a senator to come home. Washington, D.C.: The phone rings on the desk of Blake Johnson, head of the White House department known as The Basement. The President wants him. London: The Prime Minister sits thinking of Sean Dillon, the onetime ter-

rorist, now his most effective, if not exactly most trusted, operative. It'll have to be Dillon, he thinks. There's no one else.

Someone is killing off the members of a splinter group known as the Sons of Erin, normally not a cause for much concern, but the consequences are much greater than anyone realizes. For in these actions lie the seeds of disaster: the fall of two governments and the derailment of the Irish peace process. Dillon and Johnson must stop this unknown assassin before all hell breaks loose...

But they may already be too late. For in the Manhattan night, the silver-haired woman smiles, adjusts her rain hat more snugly on her head, and steps out into the street. Four down, she thinks — three to go.

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**Lynn County Needs ACS Volunteers**

The Lynn County Unit of the American Cancer Society will meet Tuesday, September 14, at 6:00 p.m. in the Lynn County Extension Office, 1600 Ave. J in Tahoka. Anyone interested in joining the Board of Directors is asked to attend.

"We desperately need more volunteers to help on the board," stated Vondell Elliott, Chapter President. "We had wonderful turnouts both at the Barn Dance held in January and at the Relay For Life in June. And with the success of these events, we are looking for additional volunteers to help fight cancer in our community. These events and other endeavors help educate and inform our community about cancer and how we can help in early detection, in hope for the future, in progress toward cures, and answers to cancer questions and concerns," she added. "We really appreciate all those from O'Donnell,

New Home and Wilson who have helped and attended our events and would like to have those towns represented on the Lynn County board."

Anyone interested in helping in the American Cancer Society's fight against cancer and in volunteering on the board, are invited to attend the Sept. 14 meeting or call Mrs. Elliott at 998-4888 to have your name placed on the mailing list in order to receive notices of upcoming meetings.

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The 1999 Lynn County Ag Tour is set for Wednesday, Sept. 15. Producers will have the opportunity to obtain information on insect control, cotton tillage systems, CRP, guar production, grain sorghum, harvest aid strategies, water management, and other information.

"We are hoping producers will make plans to attend this annual event," said Bryan Reynolds, Lynn County Extension Agent. "We have put together a very informative program and have tried to focus on a different area of the county from the previous years."

Registration will be from 8:00-8:30 a.m. at Woolam Gin in O'Donnell. Tour stops will begin at

9 a.m. and conclude around noon. Transportation to tour stops will be provided. Lunch will be sponsored by Lynn County Farm Bureau, and breakfast and breaks will be compliments of Helena Chemical.

"We hope to make the Ag Tour an event where people can learn about production agriculture whether or not they are directly involved," said Reynolds.

Pesticide License holders will receive 2 CEU's for the tour.

For more information, contact Reynolds at the Lynn County Extension Office, 998-4562; or Mario Avila at the NRCS office, 998-4507, ext. 3.



**READY FOR AG TOUR** - Mario Avila, (left) NRCS District Conservationist in Lynn County, and Lynn County Ag Extension Agent Bryan Reynolds look over some dryland cotton in Lynn County, and invite area farmers and other interested individuals to the 1999 Lynn County Ag Tour next Wednesday, Sept. 15. Registration is 8-8:30 a.m. at Woolam Gin in O'Donnell, and tour stops will begin at 9 a.m., concluding at noon with a lunch at Woolam Gin provided by Lynn County Farm Bureau. (LCN PHOTO)

## THS Class of '34 To Host Reunion

The Tahoka High School Class of 1934 will celebrate their 65th anniversary on Friday, Sept. 17 at the Holiday Inn Park Plaza, located on South Loop 289 in Lubbock. The "Pecos" room has been reserved for the event. A dinner has been planned at 7 p.m. in the new restaurant at the hotel.

Of the 29 graduating seniors, 15 survive today. They are: Marin Sylvester Reese, Jack Huffmyer,

Gordon Suits, John W. Fortenberry, Alvin Cearley, Florence King Smith, Eunice Mullins Davis, Verdie Warren Baker, Helen House Farr, Irma Macha Bednarz, Dale Bartlett Nichols, Dee Anglin Rouse, Margaret Strain Edwards, Norma Solsberry Reed, and Maxine Jones Auld.

The Class of '34 would like to invite friends and family to come by for a visit.

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## First Cotton Bale Ginned At O'Donnell

Farmers Cooperative Association in O'Donnell reported the first cotton bale ginned in Lynn County this week, as far as reporting to The Lynn County News. E.L. Follis Jr., gin manager, reported that Danny Brewer brought in the dryland cotton which was ginned Tuesday morning, Sept. 7, at the O'Donnell facility.

The 460 pound bale was from approximately three acres, Follis said, and made 820 pounds of seed. Brewer planted HS 26 Paymaster, Follis believed.

"We expect to begin ginning here around Sept. 20," said the gin manager.

Lynn County Extension Agent Bryan Reynolds told *The News* that Lynn County farmers planted slightly over 300,000 acres of cotton this year, a record high for the county according to extension office records. Unfortunately, about 100,000 acres

were lost to hail, wind and in some cases, flooding. About two-thirds of the cotton acreage is dryland, Reynolds said.

"In the past several years, Lynn County has been running around 260,000 to 280,000 acres in certified cotton acreage. This year, just slightly over 300,000 acres were planted to cotton, which is a record for the county as far as we know," said the county agent.

He said the dryland cotton around the Draw area was looking very good. Prices for cotton this year, however, are reportedly very low.

### Tahoka Care Center News

by Maritza Barham

Homecoming is around the corner. We are planning to participate in the parade. We invite anyone who would like to help on our float to come and join the fun. We are excited the residents want to be part of the community and show their spirit for the Bulldogs.

Scheduled events in September: Resident birthday Party on the 16th; Bake Sale from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the 17th at Thriftway; Family Night is Sept. 23. Tahoka Trinity Church will come and play musical instruments.

Donations this week have been from Mingo and Mario Chapa of the Getsemani Baptist Church. They have brought cakes, pies, rolls and bread. The residents have enjoyed the treats. Thank you.

Mae Summers is still in the hospital. We continue to wish her a fast recovery.

We are saddened by the passing of Lonnie Wood. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to her family and friends. Ms. Wood brought so much joy and laughter to all those in her presence with her sense of humor. She will be missed.

### The WILSON News by Buster Abbe 628-6368

Wilson Elementary, Junior High and High School will hold open house Sept. 14 from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Parents are encouraged to come and meet their child's teachers. Curriculum materials will also be available for parents to view.

The 1998-99 Mustang Yearbooks have arrived. Yearbooks can be picked up before or after school from Mrs. Lehman. All yearbooks must be paid in full before pick up. There are several

extra copies that may be purchased for \$15.

Wilson Agricultural Science students will be selling meat through Sept. 17. Money raised will go to pay for activities throughout the year and for the FFA banquet in May. If you are interested in purchasing meat, contact a Wilson ag student.

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### NOTICE OF SALE BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LYNN  
DATED September 2, 1999, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 1956, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. Jerry Wayne Meeks, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on September 2, 1999, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in October, 1999, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Tahoka, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Lynn and the State of Texas, to-wit:

All of Lot 3 and the east 2 of Lot 4, Block 15 of the Roberts Addition to the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 216, Page 687 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas.

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgement for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgement for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED September 2, 1999, at Tahoka, Texas.

By Jake Diggs  
SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas

/s/ Jerry D. Franklin  
DEPUTY  
36-3tc

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Lots 1 thru 4, Block 18, Shook Addition to the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 202, Page 159 of the Deed Records, and Vol. 189, Page 643 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas.

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Lots 11 through 15, Block 71 of the North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 182, Page 633 of the Deed Records, and Vol. 43, Page 539 of the Probate Records, Lynn County, Texas.

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## Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The CITY OF WILSON conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase the total

tax revenues of the

City of Wilson

by .6026 percent on

August 31, 1999 at 7:30 P.M.

The Wilson City Council

is scheduled to vote on the tax rate that will

result in that tax increase at a

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## Card of Thanks

Thanks to everyone for the food, flowers, calls, visits, prayers, and encouragement during the loss of our mother, Lonnie Wood. A special thanks to the hospital staff and the staff at Tahoka Care Center for their care, kindness and their personal touch. We appreciate everyone so much.

Jack Wood  
Hilton Wood  
Rilda Moore  
36-1tp

Thanks to everyone for a great Harry Howell Open Golf Tournament. Thanks to the organizers, and to the ones who donated prizes and also for the food. Thanks to the ladies who prepared the meal. Thanks to T-Bar and Cherry. Thank you for everyone who played. Thank you so much for your generosity and your friendship.

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## NOTICE OF PROPOSAL

Tahoka Independent School District is accepting sealed proposals for thirty computer workstations. A copy of the specifications for the thirty workstations may be obtained at the Harvick Educational Building, 2129 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas 79373 or by calling 806-998-4105. For further information, you may contact Angela Ehlers, District Technology Coordinator, at Tahoka High School, 806-998-4538. Proposals will be accepted until 3:30 p.m., September 13, 1999 and will be opened at that time. Proposals should be delivered to Tahoka ISD, 2129 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas or mailed to Jimmy Parker, Superintendent, P.O. Box 1230, Tahoka, Texas 79373. Envelopes should be marked "Computer Workstation Proposal." Any proposals received after the deadline will be returned unopened. Tahoka ISD has the right to reject any and/or all proposals. 35-2tc

## BID NOTICE

The Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas will accept sealed bids until 9:30 a.m. on September 20, 1999, at the office of the Lynn County Judge, P.O. Box 1256, Tahoka, Texas 79373, for the purchase of four (4) new four-door Ford Crown Victoria automobiles (or other make and model of four-door sedan with equivalent wheel-base) for the Lynn County Sheriff's Office. Bids should include the cost of a "police package" in the bid price. Lynn County will offer in partial payment four used automobiles: two 1997 Ford Crown Victoria automobiles with police package; one 1994 Ford Crown Victoria automobile; and one 1994 Chevrolet Caprice automobile with police package. All of the used automobiles have in excess of 100,000 miles. Financing for at least 36 months should be included in the bid, and lease-purchase bids will be considered.

Bidders wishing to inspect the automobiles to be traded in or to obtain more detailed specifications for the new automobiles should contact Jake Diggs, Lynn County Sheriff, at (806) 998-4505.

Lynn County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and the right to waive formalities. Bids will be opened on September 27, 1999 at 10:00 a.m.

By order of the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas.

/s/ J.F. Brandon  
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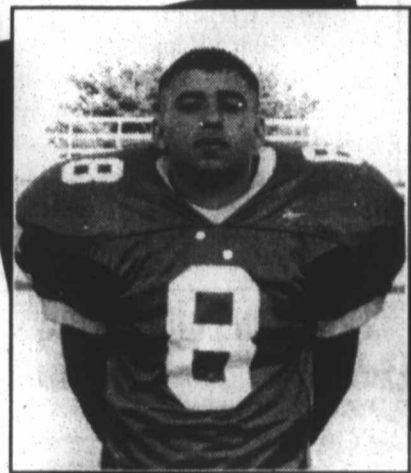
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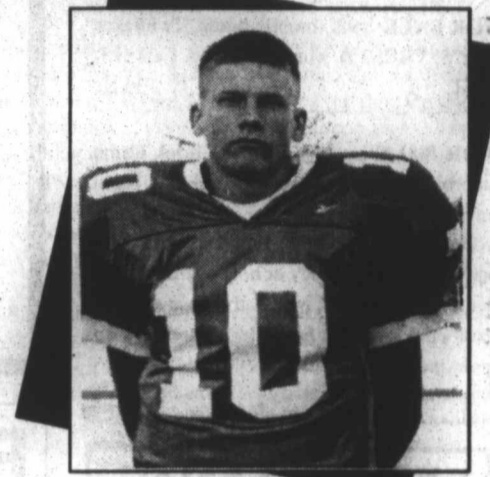
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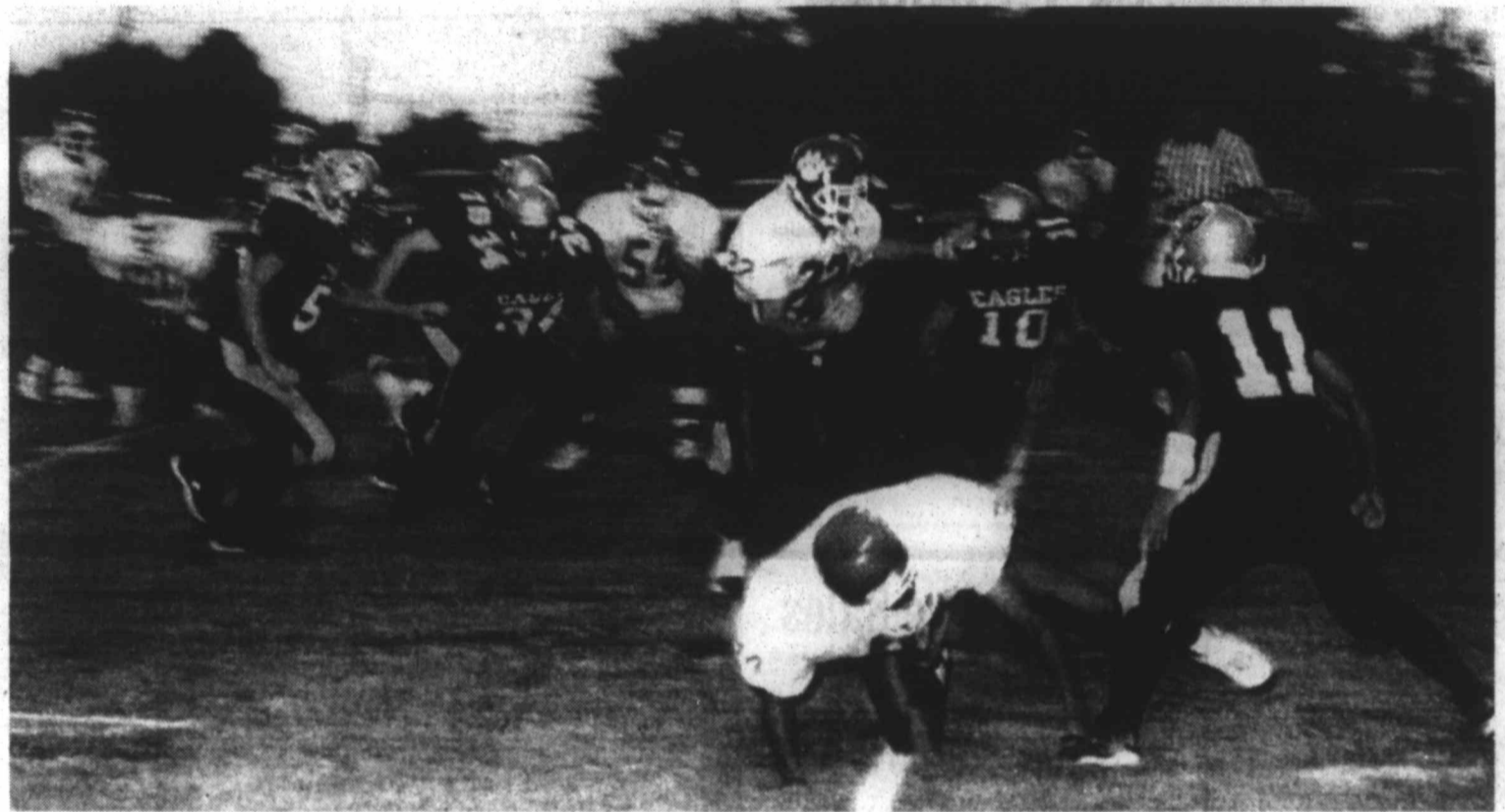
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at ODESSA Ratliff Stadium  
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th  
at 2:00 P.M.



#10 Brady Raindl



DOGS START WITH WIN - Tahoka opened its season with a 41-0 win over O'Donnell last Friday. Here Blandon Hancock (22) carries the ball, trailed by Bulldog Kyle Bueermann (54), with Martin Garza (34) in foreground. Eagles shown here include Taylor Read (10), Edward Trevino (11), David Soto (34) and Britt Childress (55). (LCN PHOTO)

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