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Wrecks Injure Seven Persons, Kill One Deer

A 1985 Chevrolet van overturned 3 miles south of Tahoka on U.S. 87 Tuesday morning, injuring seven members of one family after the driver went to sleep and ran off the highway, smashing into a car which had been abandoned by the side of the road.

None of the injuries to members of the David Moore family of Amarillo appeared to be serious, although all were taken to Lynn County Hospital, three by Lynn County EMS ambulance and four by O'Donnell EMS ambulance.

Driver of the van, which overturned after striking the legally parked 1988 Pontiac, was Deveta Carol Moore, 33. Others taken to the emergency room were David Moore, 34; Jaylen Hicks, 17; Alexis Brooks, 12; David Moore Jr., 13; Lorance Willis, 14; and Glenn Moore, 12. An investigating highway patrol officer said most were wearing seat belts.

About 9:20 p.m. Monday, a 1999 Dodge van driven by Border Patrol officer Gregory Scott Irvine, 38, of Lubbock struck and killed a deer on U.S. 87 2.5 miles south of Tahoka. Irvine was not injured, and was carrying no passengers.

In the city of Tahoka, police investigated a traffic accident Monday in which a 1995 Ford pickup driven by Pauline Stephens, 75 was involved in a collision with a 1995 Ford Tempo parked in the 1600-block of N. 3rd St. and owned by Carl Beard. There were no injuries.

Dan Harned of Tahoka told police Saturday that his 1985 Nissan pickup had been damaged by a vehicle he saw leaving the scene.

Police also located a 1992 Chevrolet pickup owned by Sabas Longoria several blocks away from where he reported it missing last Wednesday.

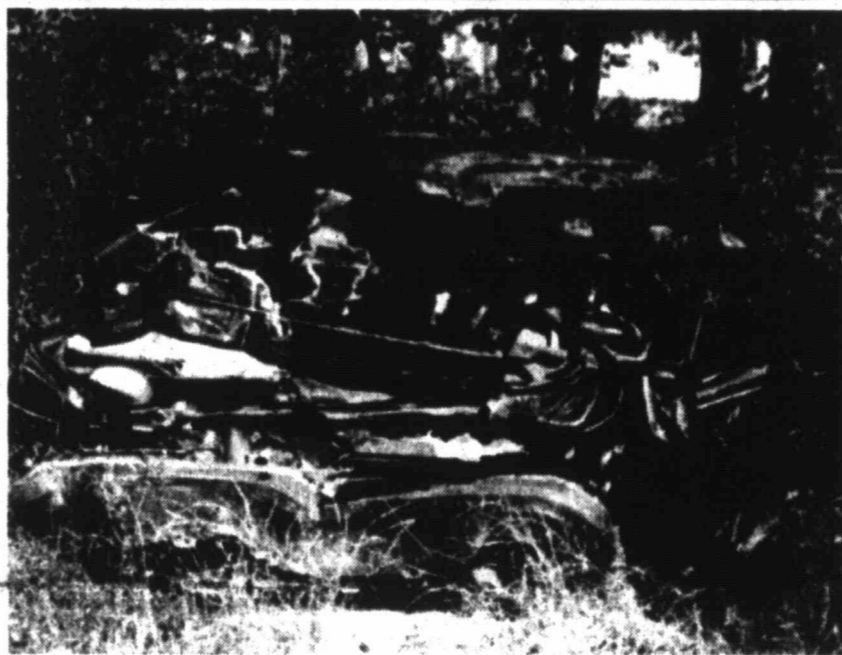
Officers also investigated two fights, with no serious injuries in either.

Eight persons were jailed last week on outstanding warrants from the City of Lubbock, for offenses including failure to appear, no financial responsibility, failure to yield right of way, and expired vehicle registration. In addition three persons were jailed for driving while intoxicated, and one each for furnishing alcohol to a minor, minor in possession, DWI open container, driving while license invalid and assault on a family member.



Seven Hurt In Wreck -

Seven persons suffered injuries when the Chevrolet van above went off U.S. 87 Tuesday morning and struck a car parked by the highway, shown at right. None of the injuries to members of an Amarillo family appeared to be critical. (LCN PHOTOS)



Retirement Center Construction Start Delayed By Paper Work

The final green light for beginning construction on a new retirement center next to Lynn County Hospital still has not been turned on, as details in getting the money deposited and ready to use were being worked out by attorneys for both the hospital and buyers of the \$1.3 million revenue bonds.

The hospital board, meeting last Thursday with architect Ken Condray of Lubbock, looked at samples of brick to be used on the exterior of the building, and were advised that construction should begin "very soon" on the 20-apartment facility, designed for senior citizens,

both for independent living and for those needing some assistance.

Staff privileges for three consulting radiologists and one occupational therapist from a firm in Lubbock were approved. Also discussed at length were property taxes and fees charged to the hospital for collection of these taxes.

All board members, Administrator Louise Landers and Condray were present, with Billy Tomlinson presiding. Other members present were Jerry Ford, Dalton Wood, Mike Rivas, Virginia Griffing, Joe Hays and Peggy Morton.



WE TOOK A 3000-mile trip just so we could eat some potato chips.

Well, we did have some other things in mind on a vacation to the east coast earlier this summer, but even before we went, we were thinking about eating some more of those Cape Cod potato chips we had liked so well when four of us spent a few days in Gloucester, MA three years earlier.

My wife and I and two of our grandchildren all really liked those chips we tried that time, and we all were happy to find out they were still available in the New England area this time. In a week, we ate about six big bags of them.

"Those are the best potato chips in the world," I told one guy after we got back to Texas. "I should know—I've eaten about two billion potato chips in my lifetime. I'm a connoisseur."

He mumbled something about my looking more like a dinosaur, which pretty well ended what had been a friendly relationship.

Anyway, I brought an empty bag back home because it had an 800 number on it for ordering by mail. And I did order six huge 24-oz. bags after they told me there were only two retail outlets for their chips in Texas, both hundreds of miles from here.

These crunchy, great-tasting chips also may be ordered online, after logging on to www.capecodchips.com.

The factory is in Hyannis, MA, famous for other flaky products, such as some of the Kennedys. For all I know, they may own the company. The chips still are excellent.

ADAM and Eve had an ideal marriage. He didn't have to hear about all the men she could have married, and she didn't have to hear about the way his mother cooked.



LEADERSHIP TRAINING—Lynn County 4-H members Brandi Tekell, left, and Klyssa Kelln participated in mock legislative session activities at the annual 4-H Congress in Austin last month. (LCN PHOTO)

Two From County Take Part In State 4-H Congress

Lynn County 4-H members Brandi Tekell and Klyssa Kelln were part of a group of 250 young persons from across Texas participating in the 2000 Texas 4-H Congress at the state capitol July 16-19.

A 3-day mock legislative session allowed the 4-H members to take part in committee meetings, debate on the floor of the Texas Senate and House of Representatives chambers, along with interaction with a 4-H press corps member or lobbyists.

Kelln served as a member of the Senate and Tekell in the House of Representatives. As part of their duties they were reminded that deci-

sions and actions were a reflection of the people they were serving back in their counties.

They experienced some of the difficulties which real legislators sometimes have in trying to pass a bill through committee, the legislature and on to the governor. As the final gavel was banged, four bills out of 122 were sent to the governor's desk for passage or veto. The 4-H governor vetoed one of the bills.

Several state officials addressed the 4-H members. The event was hosted by the Texas 4-H and Youth Development Program and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Weather			
Date	High	Low	Precip.
July 26	97	69	
July 27	95	74	
July 28	97	70	
July 29	88	70	.07"
July 30	89	64	
July 31	88	66	.07"
Aug. 1	91	58	
Precip. to date in July: 1.48"			
Total Precip. year to date: 15.17"			
Total Precip. this time last year: 15.76"			

New Student Registration Is Friday

Officials at Tahoka ISD have announced that students in middle school or high school who will be new to the school district this year need to register for classes this Friday, Aug. 4 from 8 a.m. to noon in the counselors office at Tahoka High School. The high school is located at 1925 North Ave. P.

For more information, contact the counselor's office at 998-5146.

Five Teachers Hired For Tahoka I.S.D.

With less than two weeks remaining before school begins, Tahoka Independent School District Superintendent Jimmy Parker has filled vacancies for four positions authorized by the board of trustees, and an additional position was filled after another recent resignation.

Martha McCabe, fifth grade teacher here, submitted her resignation from that position recently. At Monday night's board of trustees meeting, trustees unanimously approved hiring Kathy Hilderbrant to fill that vacancy on the elementary campus. Ms. Hilderbrant taught in El Paso previously but has lived in the South Plains area during the last year, substitute teaching.

Supt. Parker had been authorized to fill four other positions due to vacancies. Ron Meador, from Lamesa, has been hired as head girls volleyball coach and high school history/math teacher; Nancy Greenhill, from Hobbs, NM, will teach third grade; Venita Dyas will teach Elementary Special Education; and Chris Barrera will teach Middle School Special Education.

No other action was taken at Monday night's board meeting, during which all seven trustees were present for a budget workshop.

Ashcraft Scores Hole-In-One

Blake Ashcraft of Tahoka posted a hole-in-one at the T-Bar Country Club in Tahoka on Saturday, July 22. He aced the 130-yard, number three hole with a 7 iron.

Witnesses were Cody Tomlinson, Colby Gardner, Freddie Kieth and Chris McAllister.

This is Blake's second hole-in-one.

Ashbrook, Lankford Are State Champs In 4-H Junior Trap Shooting Event

Five Lynn County 4-H members competed July 18-22 at the Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Games in San Antonio at the National Gun Club, with Chris Ashbrook and Lance Lankford claiming the state championship title in the two-man team Junior Trap Shooting event.

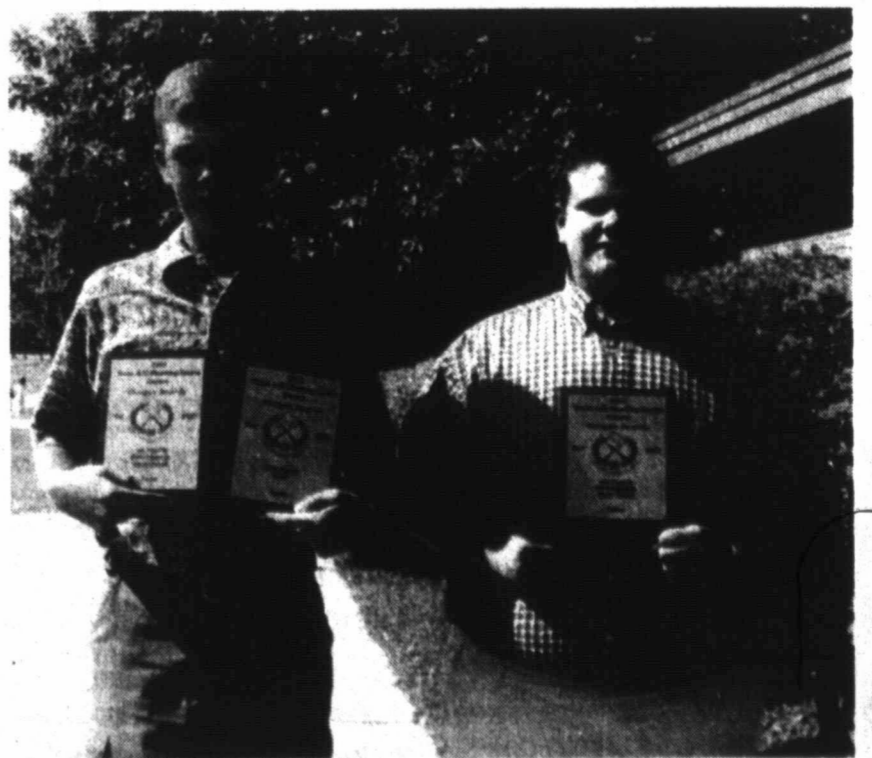
Competing against 85 competitors ages 13-15 in the junior division, Ashbrook and Lankford shot 144 of 150 targets to claim the first place title. Contestants shoot three rounds of 25 targets in the contest. Ashbrook shot 74 out of 75 targets to place fourth individual, and Lankford shot 70 of 75 to place 15th individual.

Other 4-H members who com-

peted were Colton McNeely, Daniel Kidwell and Aaron Burrow. Over 1,000 4-H members from across Texas competed in events ranging from archery to pistol shooting.

Ashbrook and Lankford have competed in six shooting events this summer as a two-man team, placing first in five of the six events.

Ashbrook is the son of Charles and Vicki Ashbrook of Tahoka, and grandson of Dottie Ashbrook of Tahoka and Marvin and Ruth James of Wellmon. Lankford is the son of Mike and Lynn Lankford of Tahoka and grandson of Paul and Betty Powell of Glen Rose.



STATE CHAMPIONS - Chris Ashbrook (left) and Lance Lankford are the State Champions in the two-man team Junior Trap Shooting event at the Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Games. The pair have placed first in five of six shooting events this summer.

AUGUST 3, 2000



SOFTBALL WINNERS - These young ladies took home first place honors in the 5-8 year old division from the Tahoka Girls Softball League during their recent season. Team members are (back) Coach Chad Ford, Gretchen Henley, Sabrina Morales, Meghan Rivas, Morgan Lockaby, Coach Mike Rivas; and (front) Ashley Truelove, Maddie Barham, Taylor Ford, and Kayla Long. Not shown is Nikki Box.

Shea Pridmore Attends National Leadership Event

Tahoka High School senior Shea Pridmore was one of 300 Texas delegates who attended the 2000 Family, Career and Community Leaders of America National Leadership Meeting July 8-14 in Orlando, FL. Representing more than 22,000 members of the Texas association, she was among 5,100 delegates nationwide who attended the four-day conference.

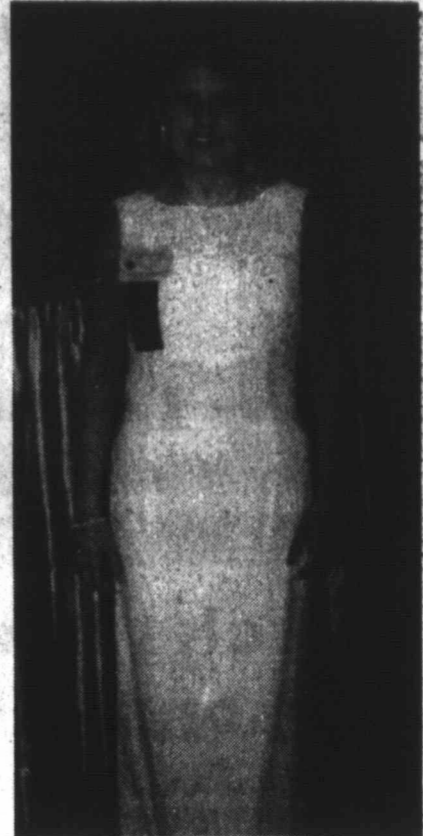
Throughout this first FCCLA national meeting, members explored ways to prevent teen violence, strengthen their leadership skills and carry out the youth-developed theme "Experience the Excitement."

Texas members developed a plan of action for the state to implement when school starts in the fall. Students also participated in competitive events during the week and shared success stories from other Texas chapters and those from other states. Miss Pridmore, who is Texas

FCCLA state recording secretary, said "Orlando was a once-in-a-lifetime experience. I met so many new people from all over the United States as well as having the opportunity experience the excitement with all the great meetings on 'Stop the Violence' and other teen issues. I loved every minute of it!"

As part of her duties, she has been working this summer at several planning sessions to develop plans to implement the regional and state leadership conferences during the 2000-01 school year. She also has developed a series of community programs to present.

Patti Rambo, family and consumer sciences teacher at Tahoka High School and adviser to Miss Pridmore, said "Shea is fortunate to have such leadership opportunities presented to her. She has definitely represented the school, community and state well this year."



SHEA PRIDMORE

'Back To School' Night Set For August 10

Tahoka Elementary students and their parents are invited to bring their school supplies and meet their teachers at the annual "Back To School Night," which will be held Thursday, Aug. 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Tahoka Elementary.

In addition to locating classrooms, students and parents will be able to buy souvenirs from the Pride Corps. T-shirts will be available for \$10 and bumper stickers are \$1. Sign-up sheets will also be available so that parents may volunteer for various projects throughout the school year.

Any student who did not pre-register in May should register from 8 a.m. to noon or from 1-4 p.m., Aug. 7-11 in the elementary office. School supply lists are available in the office during those same hours.

Cake Palace Photo Exhibited In Austin

A photograph of a Tahoka business is displayed in an Austin art gallery, part of a collection of 'On The Plains' by Peter Brown at the Stephen L. Clark Gallery located on W. Sixth Street. Brown's homage to the flatlands includes a photo of The Cake Palace in Tahoka, owned by Sharon Barrientz, at 1613 Ave. J.

The photo was also printed in a recent issue of the Austin American-Statesman newspaper in the arts section, promoting the gallery display. Nita Curtis of Austin, sister of Lois Bagby of Tahoka, mailed a clipping of the newspaper article to her sister this week, who notified *The News*.

The 'On The Plains' display continued through the month of July at the Austin gallery.

It's a Boy!
Congratulations,
Byron Norwood.

The mail box was invented by In 1810 by Thomas Brown. He later became Governor of Florida in 1849.

Service NEWS

Juan Luna Awarded Navy Good Conduct Medal

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Juan G. Luna, son of Delia and Juan Luna of Tahoka, recently received the Navy Good Conduct Medal.

The Good Conduct Medal recognizes the servicemember's honest and faithful service during a three-year period. To earn it, Luna achieved and maintained a satisfactory level of performance, and an unblemished conduct record for the entire period.

Luna is currently assigned aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Hopper, home ported in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Luna, a 1994 graduate of Tahoka High School, joined the Navy in November 1996.

Charlie Holland In "Biggest Naval Battle" Of War In North Vietnam

Aboard USS Rogers (Special) - July 1, 1966 was the grayest days in the Gulf of Tonkin. The bleakness of the sky echoed the crew's fatigue after a long and strenuous patrol in international waters off the North Vietnamese coast.

Aboard the destroyer, USS Rogers, ICFN Charlie McCoy Holland, USN, was serving a tour of duty with the U.S. Seventh Fleet. Fireman Holland is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Holland, who reside ... [in] Tahoka.

The "Tonkin Tiger" (USS Rogers) was scheduled to depart station for a well earned rest ... but that rest was not to come quite yet. Straining through the afternoon haze, Rogers' sensitive electronic equipment continued, as always, to search for signs of possible enemy activity. The sea that day was choppy than usual, making detection of small radar surface contacts difficult. In the ship's combat information center, the watch section worked to separate actual radar contacts from useless sea returns.

A Navy jet fighter, returning from a mission over North Vietnam, suddenly reported suspicious looking surface craft only 10 miles to the Northwest. Immediately three distinct blips appeared on Rogers' radar scope. Skilled radarmen instantly began plotting their movement. Within seconds all suspicions were confirmed. The intruders were closing at high speed, preparing to attack.

Set General Quarters! Three hundred men rushed to their assigned battle stations, prepared to meet the enemy in open combat. As the high speed craft continued to close, visual identification was made by Rogers' lookouts. No one was surprised at their evaluation - North Vietnamese PT Boats ... three of them, with all guns manned.

Rogers was designated by the Task Unit Commander as guide of the formation consisting of herself, the Destroyer USS Gurke, the Guided Missile Frigates USS King and USS Coontz. From her exposed forward position, Rogers observed the attacking PT boats split into two groups. Lookouts and radar operators teamed together to provide a constant flow of information to higher authority regarding the enemy's movements.

As the formation of sleek American warships turned toward them, the PT boats hesitated a moment, then turned to open range. Meanwhile, attack aircraft that had been summoned to the scene began diving toward the enemy.

Explosion off the starboard bow! A direct hit from a destroyer-controlled Navy jet stopped one PT dead in the water. With all four boilers at maximum steam, Rogers continued to race toward the startled enemy. Armed and loaded, her guns were ready to fire the instant the enemy came within range. Another explosion ... then another ... and all three North Vietnamese boats sank out of sight.

A total of 19 survivors were recovered. As night began to fall, the four American warships regained formation and headed off for other duties. The men of Rogers got their liberty ashore and, as a bonus, the satisfaction of helping to win the largest naval engagement of the Vietnamese conflict.

- July 22, 1966

THS Volleyball Practice Begins

Practice sessions begin next week for Tahoka High School girls volleyball teams, for girls in grades 9-12. New head girls volleyball coach is Ron Meador.

The first practice will be Monday, Aug. 7, from 8:30 until 11:30 a.m. and again from 1-3 p.m., and Tuesday, Aug. 8 from 9 a.m. until 12 noon. Practice times for Aug. 9-11 will be announced by the coach.

The Lady Bulldogs will play a scrimmage at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 12 at Frenship I.S.D.

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LENA RUTH WILSON

Lena Ruth Wilson

Services for Lena Ruth Wilson of Hearne were held Wednesday, July 19, at the funeral home in Hearne with Ealoms, pastor, and Rev. Moore, Sr., officiating.

Interment was in Graceland Cemetery in Hearne. She died Thursday, July 19, in St. Joseph Regional Hospital in Bryan.

She was born July 19, 1911, in Edge. She attended public school and lived most of her life in Hearne. She was a homemaker and member of Revival Tabernacle Church.

She is survived by her son, Samuel Williams of Hearne, and her brothers, Elmer Wilson of Hearne and Clarence Wilson of Hearne. She has two sisters, Dora Moore of Hearne and Hatchett, both of Tahoka. She has several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial was in Graceland Cemetery in Hearne. Survivors include her son, Roosevelt Moore of Hearne, and her daughter, Wilson, and Danny Moore of Hearne.

Donna Gardner

Services for Donna Gardner, 72, of Arlington, Texas, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 15, at the First Baptist Church in Tahoka. Burial was in Graceland Cemetery in Hearne.

She died Wednesday, July 12, in Arlington. She was born Oct. 15, 1928, in Tahoka. She attended public school and was a Christian and a member of the church.

Survivors include her husband, Gardner of Missouri, Texas, and her three sisters, Susan Dusenberry of Hearne, Tommie Wilson of Hearne, and Polly Lubbock of Hearne. She has four great-grandchildren.

The family suggests a memorial service to Hospice of Lubbock, 1704 Ave. H, Tahoka, 79373.

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Alberto Garcia

Services for Alberto Garcia, 79, of Wilson were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 2 at W.W. Rix Chapel with Rev. Ruben Torres officiating.

Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park.

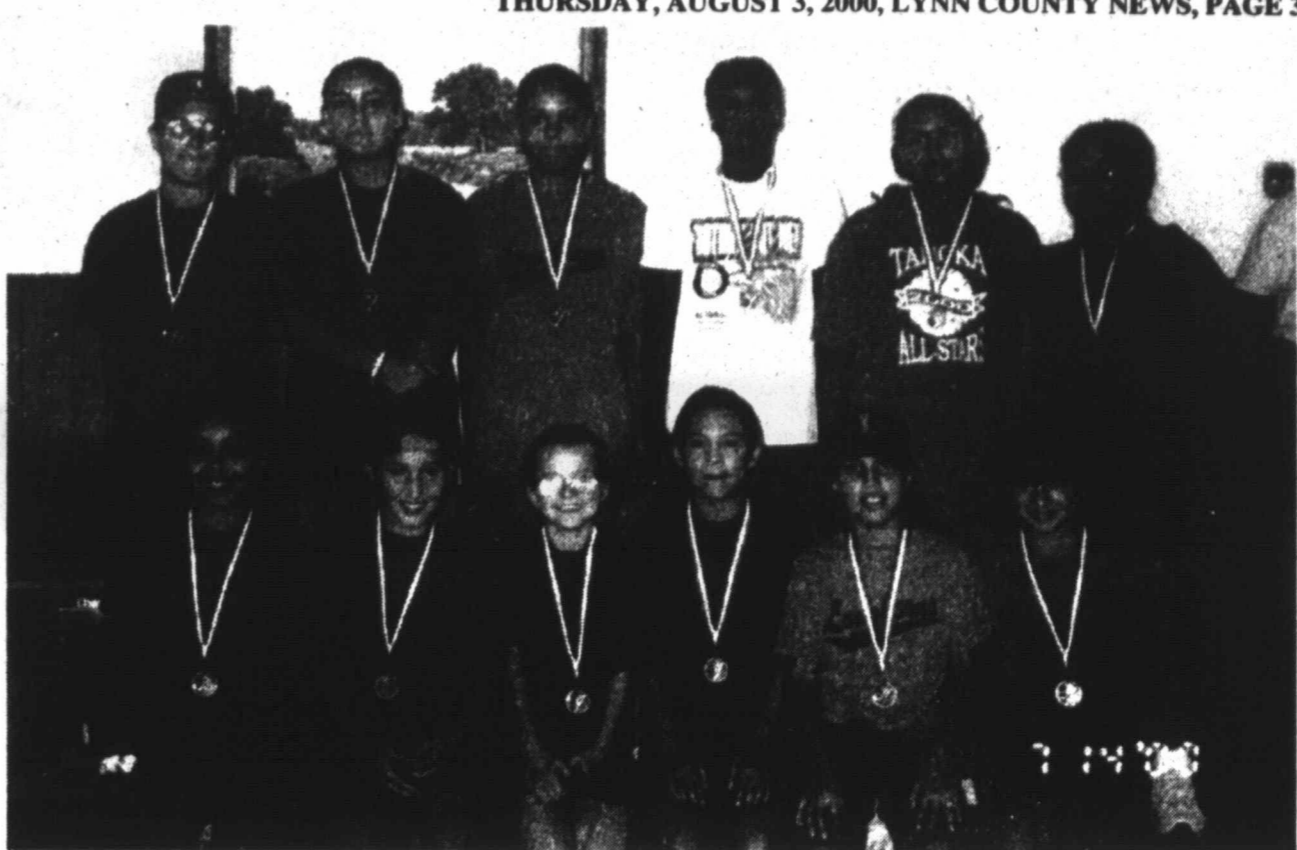
He died Saturday, July 29, 2000 at University Medical Center.

He was born Feb. 25, 1921 in Karnes City. He worked as a farmer for 40 years in Wilson. He was a member of the G.I. Forum and the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Wilson. He married Margarita Guerra in 1942 in Falls City. She died Oct. 7, 1990.

Survivors include 13 sons, Albert Jr., Daniel and Alexander, all of Lubbock, Trancito of Victoria, Lionel of Lorraine, Leonardo of Dade city, Fla., Andrew of Dallas, Margo of Ludington, Mich., and Julian, Steven, Augustine, Henry and Lucas, all of Wilson; seven daughters, Teresa Parish of Wilson, Lydia Romo of Lubbock, Helen Sandoval of Temple City, Calif., Gloria Garcia of Victoria, Cecelia Garcia of Floydada, and Sara Garcia and Linda Garcia, both of Falls; two brothers, Geronimo of Falls City and Guthrie of Houston; two sisters, Josie Guerra and Dominga Salazar, both of Houston; 53 grandchildren; and 29 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society, 3411 73rd Street, Lubbock 79423.

Thomas Jefferson invented the dumbwaiter.



ALL STAR GIRLS - These young ladies were named All-Stars in the 9-12 year old division of the Tahoka Girls Softball League. They are: (top) Stacie Green, Krystin Chapa, Sasha Rodriguez, Angela Curtis, Ashley Munoz, Sonya Morales; and (bottom) Masrissa Villegas, Cori Vega, Corlee Green, Tawnyee Murillo, Arwyanna Saldana, and Valerie Sosa.

Jeanette Wagley

Services for Jeanette Wagley, 89, of Brownfield were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 1 at Chapel of Angels Funeral Home Chapel with Naomi Goodman, associate pastor of First Assembly of God in Plains, officiating.

Burial was in Plains Cemetery. She died Friday, July 28, 2000 at Bender Terrace Nursing Home.

She was born June 17, 1911 in Tahoka. She was a member of the First Assembly of God in Brownfield and was an active member of the Brownfield Senior Citizens Center.

She was preceded in death by a son, Delbert Wagley and a daughter, Dorothy Lee Wagley.

Survivors include a son, Joe A. Wagley of Leonard; a daughter, Joy Annette Dinwiddie of Brownfield; a sister, Jessie Haley of Lubbock; one grandson; three great-grandchildren; and several nieces.



YVONNE YBARRA
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Services for Yvonne Ybarra, 36, of Lubbock were held at 1 p.m. Friday, July 28, at Our Lady Queen of the Apostles with the Rev. Daniel Castro officiating.

Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery.

She died Wednesday, July 26, 2000 at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was born Jan. 30, 1964 in Tahoka. She married Alfonso Ybarra on Jan. 30, 1989 in Lubbock. She was a 1982 graduate of Lubbock High School and was a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Jared of Lubbock; five sisters, Anita Martinez of Lubbock, Patricia Barrientez and Sara Salazar, both of Tahoka, Joann Martinez and Linda Dominguez, both of Round Rock; two brothers, Joe Martinez Jr. and Danny Martinez, both of Round Rock.

The family suggests memorials to the Diabetes Foundation.

Senior Citizens MENU

Aug. 7-11
Monday: Chicken Fried Steak, White Gravy, Baked Potato, Broccoli, Wheat Roll, Oranges & Bananas.
Tuesday: Chicken & Dumplings, Green Peas, Cauliflower, Cheese Sauce, Hot Roll, Pumpkin Pie or Bars. **GAME NIGHT - 6 p.m.**
Wednesday: Roast Beef, Brown Gravy, Roast Potatoes, Zucchini, Tossed Salad/French Dressing, Wheat Roll, Frosted Spice Cake.
Thursday: Braised Steak, Scalloped Potatoes, Spinach, Cornbread, Berry Cobbler.
Friday: Parmesan Chicken, Pinto Beans, Brussel Sprouts, Cornbread, Pudding.

LENA RUTH WILLIAMS

Lena Ruth Williams

Services for Lena Ruth Williams, 58, of Hearne were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 19, at Revival Tabernacle in Hearne with Elder Eugene Ealoms, pastor, and Rev. Roosevelt Moore, Sr., officiating.

Interment was in Greater Riverside Cemetery in Hearne.

She died Thursday, July 13, 2000 in St. Joseph Regional Health Center in Bryan.

She was born July 29, 1941 in Edge. She attended public schools and lived most of her life in Hearne. She was a homemaker and a member of Revival Tabernacle.

She is survived by her husband, Saquiel Williams of Hearne; two brothers, Elmer Wilson of Tahoka and Clarence Wilson of San Angelo; two sisters, Dora Moore and Alice Hatchett, both of Tahoka; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Derrick Hatchett, Derrick Carr, Alvin Moore, Trent Moore, Lue Steele, and Jimmy Wilson. Honorary Pallbearers were Frank Carr, Tony Young, Curtis Wilson, Roosevelt Moore Jr., Charles Wilson, and Danny Moore.

Donna Gardner

Services for Donna Milliken Gardner, 72, of Arlington were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 29, at the First Baptist Church in Tahoka. Rev. Jerry Becknal, pastor, officiated.

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

She died Wednesday, July 26, 2000 in Arlington.

She was born Oct. 29, 1927 in Tahoka. She attended Texas Tech. She was a Christian and an artist and was a duplicate bridge life master.

Survivors include a son, Gary Gardner of Missouri, Texas; a daughter, Susan Dusenbery of Arlington; three sisters, Tommie Williamson of Carlsbad, N.M., Joe Belle Robinson of Tahoka, and Polly Edwards of Lubbock; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of Lubbock, 1102 Slide Road, #3, Lubbock 79416 or First Baptist Church of Tahoka, P.O. Box 1547, Tahoka 79373.

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The month of April gets its name from the Latin aperire, meaning "to open," as do the flower buds that month.

CHEESE! **Summer Fun Photos Wanted!**

The Lynn County News is seeking photographs from readers depicting summer activities - whether it's the kids running through the sprinkler, or your dog plopped down in the wading pool, or the whole family at some vacation fun spot - we want your picture! Candid snapshots of summer fun are what we are looking for - show us how your family is enjoying the summer months. (Please, only one photo per family.)

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION
PROPOSED PERMIT NO. 10298-002

APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION. City of Tahoka, P.O. Box 300, Tahoka, Texas 79373 has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for a new permit, Proposed Permit No. 10298-002, to authorize the disposal of treated domestic wastewater at a daily average flow not to exceed 360,000 gallons per day via surface irrigation of 209 acres of nonpublic access farmland.

The wastewater treatment facilities are located approximately 2 miles south of Highway 380 and 0.25 mile east of Highway 87. The effluent disposal site is located approximately 1,200 feet south of the plant site between Highway 87 and the Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad, approximately 2.23 miles south of Highway 380 in Lynn County, Texas.

The TNRCC executive director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit. The draft permit, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The executive director recommends issuance of this draft permit. The permit application, executive director's preliminary decision, as contained in the technical summary and/or fact sheet, and draft permit are available for viewing and copying at Tahoka City Hall, 1612 Lockwood, Tahoka, Texas 79373.

MAILING LISTS. You may ask to be placed on a mailing list to obtain additional information regarding this application. You may also ask to be on a county-wide mailing list to receive public notices for TNRCC permits in the county. To get on a mailing list, send a request to the Office of the Chief Clerk, at the address listed below.

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit written or oral comment or to ask questions about the application. The TNRCC will hold a public meeting if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

Written public comments and requests for a public meeting should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087 within 30 days of the date of newspaper publication of the notice.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. The response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or who requested to be on a mailing list for this application.

A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues that were raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn. Issues that are not raised in public comments may not be considered during a hearing.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ACTION. The executive director may issue final approval of the application unless a timely contested case hearing request or a timely request for reconsideration is filed. If a timely hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed, the executive director will not issue final approval of the permit and will forward the application and requests to the TNRCC Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

INFORMATION. If you need more information about this permit application or the permitting process (such as being added to the mailing list), please call the TNRCC Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040 or write to them at MC 105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas, 78711-3087. General information about the TNRCC can be found at our web site at www.tnrcc.state.tx.us.

Further information may also be obtained from City of Tahoka at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Russell Schreiber, E.I.T. of Oller Engineering at 806-748-5700. Issued: July 11, 2000

/s/ LaDonna Castañuela, Chief Clerk
Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission
31-ttc



ALL STARS - These young ladies were named All-Stars in the 5-8 year old division of the Tahoka Girls Softball League. They are: (top) Kyra Lawson, Brooke Inklebarger, Kaley Wuensche, Stephanie DeLeon, Morgan Lockaby, Meghan Rivas; and (bottom) Kyra Murillo, Taryn Bishop, Kenzie Angeley, Tylor Ford, and Sabrina Morales. Not pictured is Nikki Box.

BBB Warns Consumers Of Credit Card Scams

The Better Business Bureau of the South Plains (BBB) reports a surge in calls from consumers reporting that they had received suspicious telephone calls soliciting personal credit card account information. Although the scenario for these calls varied, they shared a common attribute: the caller was attempting to catch the consumer off guard and gain their credit card number.

A woman reported that she received a telephone call from someone posing as an employee of her credit card issuing company. She was asked to read her credit card number to the caller in order to supposedly update account information. When she refused, the caller relayed the first

12 digits of the card and asked the consumer to provide the last four digits and the card's expiration date, which she did. Within a few days, the consumer discovered an unauthorized charge on her credit card bill totaling \$295.

In similar cases, callers identified themselves as representatives of the consumer's credit card company with an offer of credit card protection service. In order to subscribe to the protection service plan, the consumer would be required to provide all of their credit card numbers to the caller.

In a third twist to the credit card scheme, consumers report receiving a call from an individual offering a low rate credit card. The caller claimed that in order to offer this "lower rate" card, they needed to verify the consumer's existing credit card account number and its current rate.

The BBB reminds consumers never to provide credit card numbers or other credit card account information, or provide any private financial or personal information (such as checking account number or social security number) to anyone who contacts you by phone. A credit card company or other financial institution will never ask a patron to provide an account number over the telephone if they are initiating a call regarding an account.

If the caller claims to be from a bank, credit card company, government agency or other organization, ask that they put their request in writing and send it through the mail. And, ask for a name physical location and telephone number. Then call the BBB to report this experience. The BBB has joined with government agencies and consumer organizations to raise public awareness of common telemarketing and mail order fraud techniques. Helpful prevention information is available at the following web site: www.consumer.gov/knowfraud.

If personal financial information has been given to unknown callers, contact the appropriate credit card company or bank immediately. The BBB system is partnering with the Federal Trade Commission to distribute helpful information on how to prevent identity theft. For tips and advice on protecting personal financial information, visit the FTC web site at <http://www.consumer.gov/idtheft/>.

He that fears not gives the advantage to the danger.
—Francis Quarles

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As I continued upward, I saw my life as a whole. I saw the pattern and the privilege of it, and the purpose of it, too. It was simply this: I was meant for a long, hard climb.

This is the story of a journey from inauspicious beginnings through triumph, tragedy, transformation, and transcendence. It is the personal story of Lance Armstrong's life so far, from childhood through early success, nearly fatal cancer, recovery, survivorship, more triumph, marriage, and first-time fatherhood.

Available at the City-County Library, located inside the Life Enrichment Center, 1717 Main Street, Tahoka, phone 998-4050. Open Mondays and Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (closed 12:30-1:30 for lunch); Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2-7 p.m.; and Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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New Home I.S.D. Holidays Noted On School Calendar

New Home Independent School District has released their school calendar for 2000-2001, with students beginning school on Monday, Aug. 14 and 2001 graduation slated Friday, May 25.

Students will receive holidays on Sept. 4 (Labor Day), Nov. 22-24 (Thanksgiving), Dec. 20-Jan. 2 (Christmas Break), March 12-16 (Spring Break), April 16 and May 11 (Bad Weather Days).

The 2000-2001 calendar is available from the school office.

Favorite Recipes Needed For Charity

Chorus of Angels, the cancer patient assistance for Joe Arrington Cancer Center, is currently collecting recipes for a second cookbook. The first cookbook, *Angel Food*, was a great success and proceeds from its sale have helped many patients with prescriptions, travel, and lodging.

Contributions are welcome from everyone and there is no limit on the number of recipes that may be submitted. Recipes will be accepted until Aug. 15 and should be mailed to: Joe Arrington Cancer Center, Chorus of Angels, 4101 22nd Place, Lubbock 79410.

All recipes should contain a name and phone number in case organizers have questions.

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CARE CENTER ADMINISTRATOR - Jerry Jasper is the new Administrator at Tahoka Care Center, beginning his duties there last week. He and his wife Charlotte come to Tahoka from Borger. (LCN PHOTO)

Jerry Jasper Named New Care Center Administrator

Jerry Doil Jasper has taken over the head duties at Tahoka Care Center, moving to Tahoka from Borger with his wife Charlotte to accept the position of Administrator at the local nursing home facility.

Jasper was administrator at North Plains Care Center in Borger for a year, and assistant administrator the previous year at Palo Duro Care Center in Amarillo. He earned his B.S.O.E. in Healthcare Administration in August 1999 at Wayland Baptist University, and expects to earn his M.B.A. in November 2000.

Jasper says he enjoys donating time for charity fund raisers, and is interested in guest speaking at local clubs and organizations. His lists reading, antiques, continuing education and Promise Keepers among his interests. He has a daughter, Janet, 7, who lives in Amarillo.

He fills the vacancy left by former administrator Maritia Barham at Tahoka Care Center.

The center, owned by MSC Associates of Lubbock, is a non-profit organization operating through the Missionary Baptist Association, Jasper says. He notes that the Tahoka facility is one of few non-profit nursing home facilities in the state, and that the Texas Department of Human Services ranks the Tahoka Care Center 15 percent higher than the state average.

"The ratio of nursing staff to residents is higher here than many other similar facilities," says Jasper. "I am very excited to be here and to get to know the residents," he added.

Tahoka Care Center also has a new activities director, with Beverly Zuniga taking over that position from Barbara Stice, who recently resigned.

Free Youth Rally Set In Lubbock

The Lubbock Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse is sponsoring a day of free fun, food and prizes at Summer Youth Rally 2000 Friday, Aug. 4, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Clapp Park. All area youth and their families are invited.

Game booths will be operated and a free hot dog lunch will be provided. Youth also may compete in the talent show and three-on-one basketball tournament, and there also will be local entertainment.

Each participant will get a Youth Rally 2000 T-shirt.

About 500 persons are expected for the rally, which will include donated items and gift certificates to be given away. More information is available by calling 763-8763.

When you jump for joy beware that no one moves the ground from beneath your feet.
—Stanislaw Lec



RANGERS WIN! - Members of the Rangers took home first place honors in the 9-12 year old division from the Tahoka Girls Softball League. They are (back) Coach Randy Taylor, Amy Gutierrez, Stacie Green, Jessica Wilson, Krystin Chapa, Coach Abraham Vega; and (front) Nichole Taylor, Marissa Villegas, Cori Vega, and Bailey Hall.

Mosquitoes Can Carry Serious Virus To Humans, Says TDH

West Nile infection is the newest name on the list of diseases mosquitoes potentially can carry to humans, the Texas Dept. of Health reported this week. First detected last year in the New York area, the West Nile virus, closely related to encephalitis and dengue fever, could spread to other areas of the U.S.

TDH is expanding its mosquito monitoring system to see if West Nile virus is introduced into Texas.

A large dengue outbreak occurred last year in Texas, with 62 cases reported, including one death.

Wild birds are the principal reservoirs of mosquito-borne encephalitis viruses, says the TDH. Mosquitoes feed on infected birds, then transmit the virus to humans and animals.

The expanded monitoring for the virus is mostly in South Texas counties, but testing will be included in established programs in Lubbock County.

Some of the suggested ways to eliminate breeding sites for mosquitoes include:

- * Empty or get rid of cans, buckets, bottles, old tires, empty pots, plant saucers and other containers which hold water.
- * Keep gutters clear of debris and standing water. Remove standing water from flat roofs and any other locations around the house.
- * Change water in pet dishes, wading pools and bird baths several times a week.
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The Wilson News by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

Wilson Volunteer Fire Department Tip of the Week: School starts next week, and all drivers are reminded that the highway in front of the Wilson school campuses will be a controlled traffic zone with a 20 mph speed limit during certain times of the day.

school with them. Drivers are urged to use special care during these before and after school times.

Remember, classes start on Thursday, Aug. 10.

Elementary registration will be handled a little differently this year. In the past, elementary students registered before the first day of classes. This year, registration material will be sent home with the elementary students on the first day of regular classes.

Mrs. Rex, in the elementary office.

This weekend is the annual Free from Sales Tax days when certain items of clothing may be purchased and the buyer will not be charged sales tax. This exemption is limited to certain types of clothing and does not include items such as back-packs and athletic type shoes.

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club will be hosting the annual Mid-night Madness event on Sunday, Aug. 6 beginning at 10 p.m. at Mustang Stadium. There will be games and prizes for all ages, along with refreshments consisting of cold drinks and watermelon.

Booster Club members will be signing up new members during the event. Membership in the Booster Club is open to anyone with an interest in helping to promote and recognize Wilson students in their academic, athletic, and band efforts.

Be sure to remember and mark your calendar for Wednesday, Aug. 16 for a vision screening provided by

County 4-H Horse Show Scheduled Here Aug. 7

Lynn County 4-H will host its annual horse show Monday at the 4-H Horse Club Arena, starting at 6:30 p.m.

Approximately 15 4-H members will compete in eight different events that evaluate their horsemanship skills and riding ability.

The public is invited to attend and hamburgers will be served.

The Prevent Blindness organization. The screening is scheduled for the hours of 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Wilson Mercantile and will be held during one of the senior meals days.

Those who follow the Texas Tech Red Raider football team will be able to watch a highly rated defensive player with ties to Wilson. Kevin Curtis is the grandson of the late Charlie and Pearl Curtis, who were long time Wilson residents.

The Holy Spirit came to Wilson last Sunday night when He came to attend the Sunday Music Jamboree at the First Baptist Church. His presence was noted in the excellent turnout and in the music was truly inspired and inspirational to those who attended.

Recent rains and showers have helped to push this year's cotton crop forecast and to boost the hopes of most area farmers. Insect problems with boll and beet army worms have shown up but those with heavy infestations have or are currently spraying for these pests.

Grain Time: Recently a guy in Paris nearly got away with stealing several paintings from the Louvre.

New Home Co-Op Gin To Host Cotton Group

Texas cotton producers will host Mid-South cotton producers Aug. 5-10 as part of the National Cotton Council/FMC Producer Information Exchange (PIE) program.

Participants will include cotton farmers from Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee and they will start their tour in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and South Texas.

On the last day of the South Plains segment, Aug. 10, the group will visit the New Home Co-Op Gin, where Gene Beck, ginner, and Steve Verett, executive vice president for Plains Cotton Growers, will discuss cotton production and ginning in the High Plains.

The PIE program is in its 12th year.



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PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF NONDISCRIMINATION IN CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION PROGRAMS

New Home Independent School District (NHISD) offers career and technology education in Business Technology and Agriculture. Admission to these programs is based on attendance, attitude, and career goals.

It is the policy of NHISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

It is the policy of NHISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or age in its employment practices as required by Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

NHISD will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Herb Youngblood, at Box 248, New Home, TX 79383, (806) 924-7542, and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, Herb Youngblood, at the same address.

FORMA DE MUESTRA

New Home Independent School District (NHISD) ofrece programas vocacionales en business technology y agricultura. La admision a estos programas se basa en asistencia, actitud, y carrera goals.

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NHISD tomara las medidas necesarias para asegurar que la falta de habilidad en el uso de las lengua ingles no sea un obstaculo para la admision y participacion en todos los programas educativos y vocacionales.

Para informacion sobre sus derechos o procedimientos para quejas, comuniquese con el Coordinador del Titulo IX, Coordinador, Herb Youngblood, at Box 248, New Home, TX 79383, (806) 924-7542, y/o el Coordinador de la Seccion 504, Herb Youngblood. 31-1tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF WILSON TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The City of Wilson will hold a public hearing at 6:45 P.M. on Monday, August 14, 2000, at the Wilson City Hall located in the Museum Building on Highway 400 in Wilson, Texas, in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant.

BUDGET HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Article 29 (c) Vernon's Annotated Texas Civil Statutes that the Board of Education of the O'Donnell Independent School District will hold a Public Meeting at the School Administration Building, 501 5th Street, O'Donnell, Texas, on Thursday, August 17, 2000, at 6:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding a public hearing and adopting the 2000-01 school district budget.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE LYNN COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

The LYNN COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 2001 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on August 8, 2000 at 8:00 a.m. at the Lynn County Appraisal District Office, 1636 Avenue J, Tahoka, Texas.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include: The total amount of the proposed appraisal budget (\$105,656.00), The total amount of decrease from the current year's budget (5,974.00), The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget (2), and The number of employees compensated under the current budget (2).

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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NEW MASON LEADERS - O'Donnell and Tahoka chapters of the Masons held a joint installation ceremony in the Tahoka lodge on Tuesday, July 11. New officers are (1st row) Pete Piatak, T.A. Davis, Herman Ledbetter, Leighton Knox, Frank Eaker, Steve Husky; (2nd row) Granville Ayers, Gene Ingle, Theo Brewer, Ben Edwards; (3rd row) Steve Payne, Doug Taylor, Cody Furlow, Glenn Brewer, Dan Mott; and (4th row) Bobby Joe Furlow and Ross Smith.

Masons Hold Joint Installation

For the first time in 25 years, Lynn County Masons held a joint officer installation. Tahoka Lodge 1041 and O'Donnell Lodge 1187 installed their officers for 2000-2001 in ceremonies held Tuesday, July 11 at the Masonic lodge in Tahoka.

Members and guests were treated to a brisket supper provided by Leighton Knox and Frank Eaker. Visiting ladies provided desserts. Approximately 60 guests and members were in attendance.



NASHVILLE OR BUST - Spraying cotton and driving tractors isn't all these cousins can do during the summer. Austin Gass of O'Donnell and Brenon Gass of New Home stop farming long enough to make a little music. They are the grandsons of Jerry and Sherry Gass of O'Donnell. Summer Fun photos are printed as space permits during summer months (one photo per family please).

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High school schedules may be picked up in the high school office from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. beginning Monday, Aug. 7.

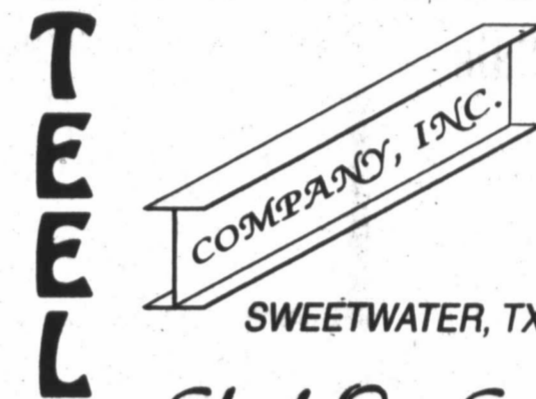
The dress code for students is posted at the New Home post office. If a student is in doubt about the appropriateness or length of clothing, they are advised not to wear it. Final judgement about appropriate dress will be made by the principal.

Elementary school supply lists are available in the elementary office.

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NOTICE OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE

This notice concerns 2000 property tax rates for the four taxing entities listed below. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's *effective* tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's *rollback* tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations.

You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at

LYNN COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT
1636 AVE. J - TAHOKA, TEXAS

Name of person preparing this notice:
MARQUITA SCOTT, CHIEF APPRAISER
Date prepared: **JULY 27, 2000**

	LYNN COUNTY	LYNN COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT	TAHOKA CITY	WILSON CITY
LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE:				
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 1,447,330.00	560,682.00	309,899.00	74,214.00
Last year's debt taxes	\$ - 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -
Last year's total taxes	\$ 1,447,330.00	560,682.00	309,899.00	74,214.00
Last year's tax base	\$ 224,392,242.00	225,726,426.00	45,240,740.00	7,572,950.00
Last year's total tax rate	\$.6450 / \$100	.24839 / \$100	.68500 / \$100	.9800 / \$100
THIS YEAR'S EFFECTIVE TAX RATE:				
Last year's adjusted taxes	\$ 1,445,240.00	559,905.00	309,574.00	74,214.00
(after subtracting taxes on lost property)				
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 218,969,987.00	220,315,810.00	44,286,840.00	7,511,550.00
(after subtracting value of new property)				
= This year's effective tax rate	\$.66001 / \$100	.25413 / \$100	.69902 / \$100	.98799 / \$100
THIS YEAR'S ROLLBACK TAX RATE:				
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for transferred function)	\$ 1,445,240.00	559,905.00	309,574.00	74,214.00
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 218,969,987.00	220,315,810.00	44,286,840.00	7,511,550.00
= This year's effective operating rate	\$.66001 / \$100	.25413 / \$100	.69902 / \$100	.98799 / \$100
x 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.71281 / \$100	.27446 / \$100	.75494 / \$100	1.06702 / \$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ / \$100	/ \$100	/ \$100	/ \$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$.71281 / \$100	.27446 / \$100	.75494 / \$100	1.06702 / \$100
STATEMENT OF INCREASE / DECREASE				
	IF LYNN COUNTY adopts a 2000 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$.66001 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 1999 taxes by \$20,740.	IF LYNN COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT adopts a 2000 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$.25413 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 1999 taxes by \$8,016.	IF CITY OF TAHOKA adopts a 2000 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$.69902 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 1999 taxes by \$3,968.	IF CITY OF WILSON adopts a 2000 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$.98799 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 1999 taxes by \$5,482.