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## Dogs Edged Out 30-27 In Overtime At Homecoming

by CASEY JONES  
 THS Journalism Staff

The Tahoka Bulldogs were just one play away from attaining their third win of the season, as they narrowly defeated 30-27 in overtime by Seagraves at the annual Homecoming game last Friday. The Bulldogs head into their bye week with a 2-3 record.

This is the first time the Bulldogs have played in an overtime session at the end of a game since overtime rules were implemented only a few years ago.

The game was sent into extra play when kicker, Odilon Granados, kicked a 20-yard field goal through the uprights with four seconds left in the game to tie the game 27-27.

Seagraves was given the first possession at the Tahoka 25-yard line in the first official overtime period. From there, Seagraves ended up making a 25-yard field goal to make the score 30-27 in their favor with the Bulldog's chance on offense yet to come.

However, on the second play from scrimmage with Tahoka on offense at the Seagraves 25-yard line, the Bulldogs turned over the ball, and Seagraves recovered the loose fumble to end the game and give them the victory and a bitter defeat for the Bulldogs.

The gridiron contest was a battle throughout all four quarters of the game. After Seagraves struck first to gain a 6-0 advantage, Tahoka responded with two touchdowns of their own in the opening quarter to make the score 14-6 at the end of the first period.

Running back Jeff Elmore, who had 156 yards on 29 carries, scored the Dogs' first touchdown on a 19-yard run. Wide receiver Josh Thompson scored on a 19-yard reverse play on a gambling 4th and 7 to extend the Bulldog's lead.

After Granados added three points on a 27-yard field goal to make the margin 17-6, Seagraves returned the ensuing kickoff to close the gap to 17-14 heading into halftime.

In the second half, quarterback Brandon McCord threw a strike to Thompson on a 35-yard touchdown pass after Seagraves had regained the

lead to make the game 24-27 before it was headed to the fourth quarter and eventually overtime.

McCord completed 8 out of 24 passes for a season high 143 yards with one touchdown and one interception. On special teams, Granados was able to convert on two out of three field goal attempts.

The Bulldogs hung tough with Seagraves by forcing a blistering seven turnovers despite the opposition gaining 301 rushing yards on 56 carries. Seagraves fumbled the ball six times, losing five of them. Two passes were also intercepted by the Bulldog secondary.

The Bulldogs will not play a game until next week at New Deal on Friday, Oct. 13 at 7:30 p.m. The game will be the first of five meaningful district games for the rest of the season.

**SEAGRAVES 30, TAHOKA 27, OT**

Seagraves	6	8	13	0	3	—	30
Tahoka	14	3	17	3	0	—	27

SEA—Mijares 25 run (kick failed)  
 TAH—Elmore 19 run (Granados kick)  
 TAH—Thompson 19 run (Granados kick)  
 TAH—Granados 27 FG  
 SEA—Mijares 95 kickoff return (run good)  
 SEA—No. 31 1 run (Mijares kick)  
 SEA—Mijares 50 run (kick failed)  
 TAH—Thompson 35 pass from McCord (Granados kick)  
 TAH—Granados 20 FG  
 SEA—Mijares 25 FG

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	SEA	TAH
First Downs	16	15
Rushes-yards	56-301	42-207
Passing yards	11	143
Passes	1-3-2	8-24-1
Punts-avg	0-0	4-24
Fumbles-lost	6-5	3-1
Penalties-yards	5-27	8-69

**District 4-AA Friday Night Scoreboard:**

Seagraves 30, Tahoka 27
Idalou 31, Springlake-Earth 6
New Deal 41, Sudan 6
Shallowater 38, Post 6
Roosevelt 19, Falls 0
Sundown 42, Bovina 0

**District Standings:**

New Deal	5-0
Sundown	4-0
Idalou	4-1
Tahoka	2-3
Post	0-5
Falls	0-5



**THIS HOMECOMING ROYALTY** - Tahoka High School senior Kelli Whitley, second from left, was crowned Homecoming Queen during halftime ceremonies Friday night at Kelley Field. Other candidates representing their classes included, to her left, sophomore Marissa Chapa, and to Kelli's right, junior Kelsey Cloe and freshman Lindsay Preston. (LCN PHOTO)

## Assisted Living Facility Name Changed:

# "Lynnwood" Name To Honor Hospital Director Dalton Wood

by JUANELL JONES

In a surprise move to board member Dalton Wood last Wednesday, fellow Lynn County Hospital directors voted unanimously to name the hospital's soon-to-be-constructed assisted living facility "Lynnwood" in recognition of Wood's dedication in spearheading the project and ultimately helping the hospital to achieve the long-envisioned facility. The new center will offer area residents an alternative for independent or assisted living.

Ground was broken prior to last Wednesday's meeting, signaling start of construction for the facility scheduled to be completed by June 7, 2001, which Hospital Administrator Dan Powers said should mean the assisted living center can open about July 1. Board members and mayors of New Home, O'Donnell, Tahoka and Wilson were present, plus the administrator, two doctors and other interested persons.

After groundbreaking ceremonies, board member Peggy Morton made the motion to change the name of the facility from the previously suggested Lynn Villa to Lynnwood, and the other directors concurred unanimously, with the exception of Wood who abstained from voting.

"I feel that Dalton was instrumental in getting this project off the ground," Mrs. Morton told *The News*. "He did most of the legwork, although others did as well, but he was

the most persistent. He took on much of the responsibility, visiting several other facilities to try and find out what types of facilities there are, to help us decide which way we wanted to go, and he even found out financial information and kept the board in touch with them. I don't think we would ever have gotten this off the ground without him - I truly don't," she added.

The "Lynn" portion of the name helps to locate the facility, and the "Wood" part is a tribute to the former editor and publisher of *The News*.

Hospital directors have eyed the assisted living project for many years, but long-time board member Billy Tomlinson told the group at groundbreaking ceremonies that directors have been seriously considering options for the past seven years. Wood was elected to the board three years ago, is chairman of the assisted living committee named by the board to investigate all aspects of the project, and has been "very dedicated to getting this done."

Hospital Administrator Powers said he was very much in favor of honoring Wood with the name change. "I'm all for it, and the motion was very much supported by the other board members. I think that's wonderful," he told *The News*. "Every time I called somewhere to follow up on this project, whether it was a state agency or another assisted living facility - everywhere I called,

Dalton had already been there and they all said, 'Oh, yes, we know Dalton.' I was just following in his footsteps," said Powers, who began his duties as hospital administrator here on Aug 1.

Wood, who said he was "totally surprised" by the motion to change the facility's name, also said he was humbled by the board's decision. "I am flattered and humbled that they would want to do this. It is very much an honor for me - I just don't know what to say," he said.

Powers told the board he has visited an assisted living center in Olton and plans to visit some others to get ideas on policies for operation of the center. He also said that already he is listing names of potential residents with phone numbers so they can be contacted when Lynnwood starts taking reservations.

The board last Wednesday also approved a bid of \$27,284 from Simplex, a firm with offices in Lubbock, to install a new fire and smoke alarm system for the entire hospital and clinics. Board members expressed appreciation to the hospital auxiliary for their commitment to pay part of the cost of the new alarm system.

Tomlinson, president of the board, presided at the meeting which was attended by Powers and board members Jerry Ford, Wood, Mrs. Morton and Virginia Griffing. Absent were members Joe Hays and Mike Rivas.

## Rollover Causes Minor Injuries

Two persons in a 1995 Chevrolet pickup were injured late Friday afternoon as the truck overturned 7.9 miles north of Tahoka on U.S. 87.

Lynn County EMS ambulance took the driver, Maria Vasquez, 46, of Tahoka and a passenger, Joaquin Hernandez, 56, of New Home, to Lynn County Hospital, where they were treated for apparent minor injuries and released.

Tahoka Volunteer Fire Dept. members used the jaws of life to cut off the top of the pickup, which wound up on its side in the median, to free the two occupants. A highway patrolman who investigated said the pickup was southbound when the accident occurred.

In another incident, law enforcement officers arrested a 20-year-old Hispanic male late Friday night for no drivers license after he was stopped for driving on the wrong side of the east access road. Charges of resisting arrest and failure to identify to a peace officer were later added.

A woman complained to Tahoka Police Dept. Saturday that someone had sprayed her vehicle parked at the Harvest Festival with pink hair spray sometime during the day.

Two large bags of aluminum cans were reported stolen from the property of Wayne Jeffcoat sometime during the week.

Fifteen persons were jailed during the week on the following charges: driving with license suspended (enhanced), warrant for no liability insurance in Ward County, no drivers license, driving on wrong side of highway, resisting arrest, theft by check, issuance of bad checks, public intoxication, DWI, no liability insurance, warrant for violation of promise to appear, warrant for no drivers license and no liability insurance, and one for unrestrained child under two years of age.

Sheriff's Dept. dispatchers answered 230 calls in September, including 104 for the county, 85 for the Tahoka Police Dept., 18 for EMS, 12 for fires, and 11 for the O'Donnell Police Dept.

**Friday night at 7:30 p.m.:**  
**O'Donnell vs Crosbyton (H)**  
**New Home vs Klondike (H)**  
**Wilson at Three-Way**  
*(Tahoka has an open date)*

## Wiseman Wins Again; No Contest This Week

Steve Wiseman, apparently a "football guru", has again won the Lynn County News Football Contest with a one-miss entry, edging out Casandra Tillman who missed only two games. Wiseman did not name one of the week's Secret Sponsors, which would have doubled his \$10 prize money.

Secret Sponsors for the week included Dr. Bruce Fried, Sandra Stringer Insurance, Friends Too, Farmer's Co-Op Assn. #1, and Pebsworth/Southwest Real Estate.

There is no contest in this week's edition, as this is an open date for the Tahoka Bulldogs. The contest will resume next week for the five remaining games in the season.

## Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Sept. 27	82	46	
Sept. 28	85	49	
Sept. 29	83	48	
Sept. 30	88	55	
Oct. 1	98	55	
Oct. 2	100	56	
Oct. 3	101	60	

Last Rainfall:  
 58 Days Ago  
 on Aug. 7  
 Aug. 7 - 18"  
 Jul. 31 - 07"  
 Jul. 29 - 07"  
 Jul. 23 - 77"  
 (June - 6.69")

Total Precip. year to date: 15.35"  
 Total Precip. this time last year: 18.48"



**GROUND BREAKING CEREMONIES** - Lynn County Hospital District had groundbreaking ceremonies last Wednesday afternoon for their new Assisted Living Center, to be built just north of the hospital. Construction of the new center, called Lynnwood, is expected to be completed in June 2001. Present for the groundbreaking were hospital board members, administrator, and doctors, as well as all four city mayors in the county. Shown from left are James Williams, mayor of O'Donnell, Jerry Ford, Administrator Dan Powers, Jackie Bishop, mayor of Wilson, Virginia Griffing, Peggy Morton, Dr. Griffith Thomas, Dalton Wood, Billy Tomlinson, Dr. Bruce Fried, Don Sharp, mayor of New Home, Mike Mensch, mayor of Tahoka, Lavonne Sharp, and Joy Brookshire. (LCN PHOTO)

**WOODWORK** by Dalton

I'M WARNING all of you: don't sit or stand too close to me, especially on the downwind side, because I'm not taking any more baths. I'm not planning to wash any clothes, either. I'll just wear them until it's time to throw them away. And especially I'm not watering the yard. (Well, actually my wife waters the yard, but I'm trying to get her to agree to stop watering it. Forever).

These decisions were easy to make after I received our water bill for last month. It was more than \$100, and everybody else I checked with also topped that mark.

I'm not mad at the city, though. I know how hot and dry it has been for the last month, and I know the city has established rates for water, so the obvious point is, we're just pumping too much water, and the big culprit is the green grass. My water bill said that \$75 of the total actually was for water (the rest is for sewer and garbage disposal and other necessary stuff). Probably \$50 worth of that went onto the grass. And \$50 a month is too much to pay just so people going by will think your home looks nice.

My water bill said I used "43" of something, which cost me that \$75. I don't know if that's 43 gallons, 43 million gallons or if the meter reader was going down the alley at 43 miles an hour when he read it. Anyway, I'm willing to accept how much they said I used as good information.

The word "Tahoka" is an Indian word having something to do with water, probably meaning "good water," according to most researchers. Actually, they are wrong. The word, as translated by me from the Indian dialect, means "Place Where Green Grass Costs Much Wampum."

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**HARVEST FESTIVAL QUEEN** - Tahoka sophomore Britni Engle, left, was crowned Lynn County Harvest Festival Queen during the 25th annual event held Saturday. First runnerup was Stephanie Kieth, center, a New Home sophomore, and second runnerup was Mindi Tejada, right, a senior at Tahoka High School. (LCN PHOTO)

It is not the strength but the duration of great sentiments that makes great men. —Friedrich Nietzsche

### O'Donnell Celebrates Homecoming, Cotton Festival This Weekend

Residents of O'Donnell have a busy weekend planned with Homecoming activities scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday and the annual Cotton Festival taking place on Saturday.

The celebration kicks-off on Thursday with the junior high and JV football games at 5 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. The annual bonfire will take place in the stadium parking lot following the JV game.

► **PEP RALLY, MEAL**

Things will get going on Friday with a 3 p.m. pep rally. The O'Donnell Livestock Association will host a homecoming meal from 5:30-7:00 p.m. in the Vo-Ag Shop. The meal includes a cheeseburger, chips, dessert, and drink for \$5.

The O'Donnell Eagles will take on Crosbyton in the annual homecoming game at 7:30 p.m. Friday night at Johnson Field.

The 2000 Homecoming Queen will be crowned during half-time activities. Nominees for the title are seniors Jill Clark, daughter of Dewey Clark; Kori Lee, daughter of Susan Lee and Doyle Lee; and Whitney Hughes, daughter of Jan Brown and Mickey Hughes.

► **HOMECOMING BANQUET**

The yearly Homecoming Banquet will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday in the school cafeteria. The classes of 1950 and 1975 will be honored this year. All exes are welcome to attend the banquet, however. The event will be catered by Rex Drennan of Lamesa and the cafeteria will be decorated by Donna Forbes.

Members of the Class of 1960 will gather in the home of Jerry and Sherry Gass before, during and after the football game and will meet from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday in the Senior Citizen's building for visiting.

The Class of 1975 will gather at the school store after Friday's game.

► **PARADE, COTTON FESTIVAL**

The Homecoming Parade will begin at 10 a.m. on Saturday, with Cotton Festival booths scheduled to open at 10:30. Live entertainment and merchant drawings will be featured throughout the day. There will be a quilt show at the Masonic Lodge and the annual domino tournament will take place at Cotton Plus Ltd. Closing out the festival will be a street dance from 8 p.m. to midnight, featuring Bangora.

To enter the parade, contact Penny Forbes at 428-3837; for booth rental, contact Harry Howell at 428-3331; to enter the quilt show, contact Debbie Durham at 327-5324; or to enter the domino tournament, call 428-3345.



**HARVEST FESTIVAL PRINCESS** - Samantha Pridmore, center, was named Lynn County Harvest Festival Princess during ceremonies Saturday. She is flanked by first runnerup Stephanie DeLeon, to her right, and second runnerup Crystal Flores on the left. (LCN PHOTO)

### Senior Citizens MENU

Oct. 9-13

**Monday:** Beef Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Beans, Tossed Salad/Ranch Dressing, Dry Jello Salad.

**Tuesday:** Chicken Fried Steak, White Gravy, Baked or Mashed Potato, Broccoli, Wheat Roll, Oranges & Bananas. **GAME NIGHT**—6 p.m.

**Wednesday:** Lasagne, Green Peas, Cauliflower w/Cheese Sauce, Hot Roll, Pumpkin Pie or Bars.

**Thursday:** Beef Stroganoff, Egg Noodles, Broccoli, Wheat Roll, Strawberry or Peach Shortcake.

**Friday:** Pork Chop, Au gratin Potatoes, Carrots & Zucchini, Wheat Roll, White Cake, Fruit Cocktail.

Friday: Cinnamon Roll or Cereal & Toast, Orange Juice, Milk.

**Lunch**

**Monday:** Hot Dogs w/Chili, Salad, Pears, Rainbow Pops, Milk.

**Tuesday:** Baked Chicken, Cream Potatoes, Green Beans, Peach Cups, Hot Rolls, Milk.

**Wednesday:** Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza, Mixed Salad, Cherry Shape Ups, Apple, Milk.

**Thursday:** BBQ Burger, Coleslaw, Pinto Beans, Pineapple Tidbits, Milk.

**Friday:** Hamburger or Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Onion, Pickles, French Fries, Peach Cobbler, Milk.

### Tahoka School Menu

Oct. 9-13

**Breakfast**

**Monday:** Donuts or Cereal & Toast, Applesauce, Milk.

**Tuesday:** Waffles or Cereal & Toast, Crushed Pineapple, Milk.

**Wednesday:** Pancake & Sausage Sticks or Cereal & Toast, Apple Juice, Milk.

**Thursday:** Sausage Patties and Biscuits or Cereal & Biscuits, Fruit Punch Juice, Milk.

**Mary Kay Open House**  
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9:00-1:00 Saturdays

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**Youth Crusade Set Oct. 8-11 At Trinity Church**

The Youth and Young Adult groups of Tahoka Trinity Church will present the Tahoka Trinity Youth Crusade Sunday, Oct. 8 through Wednesday, Oct. 11.

The crusade begins Sunday evening at 6 p.m. and will continue at 7 p.m. Monday through Wednesday.

Guest speaker each evening will be Reverend Kerry Gandy.

"It is our pleasure to invite area youth to come for God's special touch, wonderful worship, special singing, and moving testimonials," said one church member.

The church is located on the corner of Lockwood and Ave. N.

**Hornets Sting O'Donnell Eagles**

Lorenzo beat O'Donnell 20-0 last Friday, breaking open a close game with two touchdowns in the last quarter at Lorenzo. Turnovers, including three pass interceptions, plagued the Eagle offense.

**Alcoholics Anonymous Meets On Mondays**

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings are now being held every Monday night at 7:30 p.m. at Tahoka Trinity Church.

The Oct. 9 meeting will be an open meeting.

The church is located on the corner of Lockwood and Ave. N in Tahoka.

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# Scenes from THS Homecoming 2000 and Lynn County Harvest Festival



Outta my way -- here I come!

I'm hiding this sausage-on-a-stick!

Is this the way to the Pep Rally?

The Class of 1980 -- do you remember these folks?

'99 Princess Kourtney helps by handing out roses to this year's candidates.

I like this dog -- let's keep him.

Wonder what I can do with this water balloon?

Isn't it about time for a hamburger?

Judges had a hard time choosing the Harvest Festival Queen.

Bicyclists follow the homecoming queen candidates.

## IN APPRECIATION

To all those who made the 25th Annual Lynn County Harvest Festival a success, we extend sincere appreciation!

### Donors For Merchant Drawing:

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| B&N Flower Shop                                | Wilson State Bank,      |
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| Friends Too                                    |                         |
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**Tahoka Rotary Club** for helping with the expenses for the band,  
**Lyntegar Electric Co-Op** for the trailer and hopper,  
**First United Methodist Church** for the use of their building,  
**Wayne Jeffcoat** for use of barrels,  
**Lynn County Commissioners** for the use of the court-house grounds.

### Raffle Ticket Winners:

- \$1000 Trip Voucher:** Mark Tekell  
**Texas Tech Weekend:** Adrian Alemon  
**Bicycle:** Dee Dee Pridmore, John DeLeon  
**Sr. Citizen's Quilt:** Lois Roberts  
**Go-Cart:** Ruben (Jesse) Arausa  
**Cow Patty Bingo:** \$250 - Danny Paris; \$100 - Karen Kelln  
**\$50 Bubble Gum Toss:** Susan Tipton

### Children's Savings Bonds Winners:

- Bryson Resendez  
 Kristen Jolly  
 Cory Jolly  
 Hannah DeLeon

### Queen's Contest Winners:

- Queen:** Britni Engle (\$500 Harvest Festival scholarship; \$100 Tahoka Chamberette scholarship)  
**1st Runnerup:** Stephanie Keith, New Home  
**2nd Runnerup:** Mindi Tejeda  
**Other Finalists:** Chelsey Miller, Brandi Tekell, D'Lea Autry  
**Other Contestants:** Katie Shuey, Alexandra Garcia

### Princess Contest Winners:

- Princess:** Samantha Pridmore  
**1st Runnerup:** Stephanie DeLeon  
**2nd Runnerup:** Crystal Flores  
**Other Contestants:** Kyra Murillo, April Torres

A special thanks to all Queen and Princess candidates for their ticket sales, which support the festival!

*Thank you*

**A SPECIAL THANKS:**  
 A special thanks to the Harvest Festival Queen Committee (Leah Taylor and Byron Norwood, co-chairmen; Klyssa Kelln, Joan Knox, Carrie Taylor); Rebecca Ingle for coordinating the booths; Tammi Angeley for coordinating the Princess Contest; Cal Huffaker for being the Emcee; Lynn County 4-H for the children's games; those who helped clean up afterward; and everyone else who worked and had a part in making the 2000 Harvest Festival successful. We are unable to name everyone without missing someone. Again, to all who helped, thank you. Also, if anyone has any complaints or suggestions on making the festival better, please get in touch with anyone you saw working at the festival and let them know. Our goal is to make the festival the best it can be.  
 The Harvest Festival Committee

### Children's Games:

- TURTLE RACES:**  
**1st Race:** 1st - Preston & Hannah Hammonds - Leo; 2nd - Clay & Spencer Henry - Henrietta; 3rd - Clay & Spencer Henry - Daisy; 4th - John Barrientez - Taz; 5th - Clay & Spencer Henry - Myrtle  
**2nd Race:** 1st - Kaleb Collins - Speedy; 2nd - Clay & Spencer Henry - Fern; 3rd - Clay & Spencer Henry - Hercules; 4th - Tino DeLeon - The Rock; 5th - Ashley Salinas - Blue  
**Best Dressed Turtle:** Preston & Hannah Hammonds - Leo  
**Grand Champion Turtle:** Kaleb Collins - Speedy  
**Reserve Grand Champion:** Preston & Hannah Hammonds - Leo

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**News from the Tahoka Care Center**

by Beverly Zuniga

Congratulations to Sonny Lewis and Ina Phillips on being elected Tahoka Care Center's Harvest Festival King and Queen. The two rode on the "Barbecue the Eagles" float in the annual parade, along with other Center residents. Thanks to all who donated time and materials for the float.

Residents Tom Curry, Ruth Slough, Maria Lopez, Beatrice Jones, Jan Churchill, Sonny Lewis and Hazel Hancock, along with nurses and staff, enjoyed a day at the South Plains Fair last Thursday. Thank you to Betty Jolly and Toni Montemayor for volunteering to help on the trip.

The Trinity Gospel Group presented special music for our latest Family Night. Thank you to the Trinity members who entertained us and to our resident's family members who provided the refreshments.

Raul Sepeda and Otiquio Flores



**KING AND QUEEN** - Sonny Lewis and Ina Phillips were recently named Harvest Festival King and Queen for the Tahoka Care Center. They rode on the Care Center's float in the annual parade last Friday along with other residents of the Center.

have returned to the Care Center after short hospital stays. Both are doing well.

Thank you to Orville Havens for donating the Texas Highway magazines.

Happy Birthday to our new administrator, Jerry Jasper. His birthday was Oct. 2.

If you would like to volunteer or donate bingo prizes, come by the Center of call 998-5018.

**NEWS FROM NEW HOME ISD**

by NHHS Journalism Students

**Junior High Football**

by Jason Reyes  
The New Home Jr. High Leopards had a home game against the Three Way Eagles Thursday, Sept. 28.

New Home won 32-14.  
Scoring for the Leopards were Juan Calsoncit with three touchdowns and Jacob Tyler with one touchdown.

**JV Football**

by Chris McAllister  
The New Home J.V. hosted All Saints on Thursday, Sept. 28 at New Home. The Leopards won 58-14.

In the first quarter, neither team could get their offense going as it was scoreless.

In the second quarter, Dylan Feaster connected with Zac Morris from 18 yards for the Leopards first touchdown. A few minutes later Tanner Johnston scored from 13 yards out.

Soon after the Johnston score, Chris McAllister scored from 1 yard out.

At the end of the second quarter, Nathan Black threw 33 yards to Bear Chesley for a touchdown.

The score at halftime was 32-7.

To start the third, Johnston returned a kickoff 60 yards for a touchdown. Later in the third, Dylan Feaster connected with Black from 9 yards out.

The score at the end of the third quarter was 46-14.

In the fourth quarter the Leopards scored twice both by Johnston. He scored on runs of 45 yards and 11 yards to end the game.

The final score was 58-14.  
The J.V. is now 1-2.

**Varsity Football**

by Chris McAllister

The New Home Leopards traveled to Three Way on Friday, Sept. 29 to battle the Eagles. For the second week in a row, the Leopards were able to overcome being considered underdogs and come out with a 58-12 win.

In the first quarter, Shaun Wied rushed for two 6-yard touchdowns. He later connected with Michael Wied, his brother, for a 22-yard touchdown pass to end the first quarter.

The Leopards led 18-0.

In the second quarter, S. Wied hit Angel Silva with a 22-yard touchdown pass. The Leopards rolled out 2 more touchdowns in the quarter. Matt Cramblett was on the receiving end of an 8-yard touchdown pass from S. Wied. To close out the scoring in the quarter, S. Wied ran 4 yards for his third rushing touchdown.

The second half picked up where the first ended with S. Wied scoring on being a part of a score. Silva caught a 5-yard touchdown pass early in the third. Jorge Gomez also joined in on the scoring when he caught an 11-yard pass from S. Wied.



**TOP DOG**-Josh Thompson (20) scored two touchdowns for Tahoka against Seagraves, and was one of several Bulldogs who played very well at the homecoming game, finally won by the Eagles in overtime, 30-27. (LCN PHOTO)

The third quarter ended with the Leopards on top 52-12.

The fourth quarter came to an early end after S. Wied ran 19-yards for the games final touchdown. The 45 point rule went into effect with the final score of 58-12.

The Leopards are now 4-0.

**The NEW HOME News**  
by Karon Durham  
924-7448

The youth of the New Home First Baptist Church will host a Youth Fellowship Hamburger Bash with entertainment after the football game on Oct. 6. The event will take place at the church.

**Go, Leopards!**

**DR. GRIFFITH THOMAS** is taking a temporary leave of absence for a family emergency and will not be seeing patients during this time. Patients may continue to call his office, 998-5501, for medical needs and will be referred to other physicians or a family practitioner as appropriate.

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BY THE  
**Governor of the State of Texas**  
41-2792

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

BE IT KNOWN THAT I, GEORGE W. BUSH, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, DO HEREBY ORDER A GENERAL ELECTION to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first TUESDAY NEXT AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 2000, same being the 7th day of NOVEMBER, 2000; and

NOTICE THEREOF IS HEREBY GIVEN to the people of Texas and to the COUNTY JUDGE of each county who is directed to cause said election to be held at each precinct in the county on such date for the purpose of electing Presidential Electors for the office of President and Vice-President, Members of Congress, state and district officers, and Members of the Legislature, as required by Section 3.003 of the Texas Election Code.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and have officially caused the Seal of State to be affixed at my Office in the City of Austin, Texas, this the 24th day of September 2000.

*George W. Bush*  
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GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

ATTEST:  
*J. P. Eubank*  
JFFREY H. EUBANK  
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE

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**New Home School Menu**

Oct. 9-13  
Breakfast

Monday: French Toast Sticks, Milk.  
Tuesday: Rice Krispie Bars, Milk.  
Wednesday: Cereal/Muffin, Milk.  
Thursday: Hash Browns, Cinnamon Toast, Milk.  
Friday: Biscuit/Sausage/Eggs, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: Tony's Pizza, Lettuce, Tomato, Corn, Celery, Carrots, Munch Mix, Milk.  
Tuesday: Stuffed Potato, Broccoli w/ Cheese, Green Beans, Jello, Hot Rolls, Milk.  
Wednesday: Sandwich Bar, Pickle Spears, Carrot/Celery, Broccoli/Cauliflower, Orange Wedges, Frozen Yogurt, Milk.  
Thursday: Chicken Nuggets, Whipped Potatoes, Corn, Blackeye Peas, Fruit Cup, Hot Rolls, Milk.  
Friday: Hamburger or Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Onion, French Fries, Cookie, Milk.

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**Carl Gryd**  
Service for Carl of Wilson were held day, Sept. 30, at First in Wilson with Rev officiating and Rev. sisting.  
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**OBITUARIES**

**Carl Gryder**

Service for Carl Dean Gryder, 88, of Wilson were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 30, at First Baptist Church in Wilson with Rev. Kenney Platt officiating and Rev. Tom Griffin assisting.

Burial was be in Green Memorial Park in Wilson under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

He died Wednesday, Sept. 27, 2000 in Tahoka.

He was born Oct. 8, 1911 in Erath county. He graduated from Wilson schools in 1929 and attended Wayland Baptist College. He married

Lula May Ray on Aug. 20, 1936 in Plainview. She died Nov. 19, 1997. He was also preceded in death by a granddaughter.

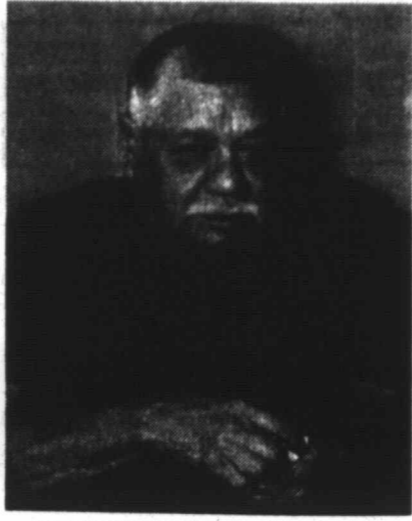
He was a lifelong resident of Wilson and was a butcher for Wilson Grocery. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Wilson, where he served as a deacon for 50 years and taught Sunday school for 38 years.

Survivors include three sons, Eugene of Irving, Donald of Jakarta, Indonesia, and Kenneth of Lubbock; a brother, Orvall of Lubbock; two sisters, Janie Robins of Lubbock, and Thoma Ernest of Washington; nine grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to First Baptist Church in Wilson or to a favorite charity.

**Etta Lewis**

Services are pending at White Funeral Home for Etta Lewis, 68, of Tahoka. She died Tuesday, Oct. 3, 2000.



**FRANCISCO HERNANDEZ  
Francisco Hernandez**

Rosary for Francisco O. Hernandez, 66, of Lamesa was said at 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 2 at St. Pius X Catholic Church in O'Donnell.

Mass was at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 3 in the same church with Rev. Rey Sorgon officiating.

Burial was in City of Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of Calvillo Funeral Home of Lubbock.

He died Sunday, Oct. 1, 2000 at his home.

He was born Sept. 6, 1934 in Sinton. He married Odilia Herrera in 1954 in Corpus Christi. She died in 1976. He married Estella Chagoya Sept. 4, 1999 in Slaton.

He moved to Lamesa in 1996 from O'Donnell. He was a retired farmer. He was a Catholic and a member of St. Pius X Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Diana Pinon and Juanita Hernandez Perches, both of Slaton, Cynthia Villareal of Midland, Susana Rojas of Wichita, Kan., and Michelle Hernandez of Garland; three stepsons, Oscar Caberra, Cecilio Caberra and Pete Caberra, all of San Marcos; a sister Josephina Vasquez of Tahoka; a brother, Santos of Tahoka; 24 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Anyone may donate to the Lynn County EMS Memorial Fund at the Lynn County Hospital office. Lynn County EMS is currently raising funds for the purchase of a new ambulance.

**Velta Gagnat**

Memorial services for Velta Small Gagnat, 90, a longtime resident of Tahoka, were held at 10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 2 at the First United Methodist Church of Tahoka with Rev. Marvin Gregory officiating.

A private family burial was held prior to the memorial service. Arrangements were under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

She died Thursday, Sept. 28, 2000 in the Pflugerville Care Center.

She was born Feb. 11, 1910. She married James Maurice Small on Aug. 10, 1928. He died Sept. 30, 1972. She married D.W. Gainat on April 8, 1981. He died July 20, 1986.

She moved to the Austin area from Tahoka in Oct. 1999.

Survivors include two sons, George Maurice Small of Austin and Jimmie Dumas Small of Lubbock; a stepdaughter, Myrna Gagnat Verner of Lubbock; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorial to the First United Methodist Church of Tahoka Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 500, Tahoka 79373.

**Lillie Casarez**

Services for Lillie M. Casarez, 53, of O'Donnell were held at 1 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 28, at St. Pius X Catholic Church with Rev. Rey Sorgon officiating.

Burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park.

She died Tuesday, Sept. 26, 2000, at Covenant Medical Center-Lakeside.

She was born May 16, 1947 in Lamesa. She married Martin Casarez on Jan. 12, 1967 in Tahoka.

She graduated from Lamesa High School and worked as a teacher's aide for O'Donnell Independent School District.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Kenneth of Lubbock and Abrian of O'Donnell; a daughter, Deborah Mecalco of Lubbock; her mother, Maria Molina of Lamesa; two sisters, Venita Salazar and Sylvia Carrion of Lamesa; a brother, Joe Molina of Midland; and two grandsons.

The family suggests memorials to the O'Donnell EMS.

**Helen Farr**

Services for Helen House Farr, 83, of Tahoka were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 1, at White Funeral Home Chapel in Tahoka with Rev. Jerry Becknal officiating.

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

She died Friday, Sept. 29, 2000 in Lubbock.

She was born Feb. 7, 1917 in Little River. She moved to Lynn County in 1926 from Little River, and graduated from Tahoka schools and Mary Hardin Baylor. She married Bill Biggerstaff on June 4, 1949. He died Nov. 5, 1976. She married W.H. Farr on June 11, 1981. He died Feb. 2, 1992.

She was a member of the Eastern Star and served as Mother adviser of the Rainbow Girls. She was a

member of the Pythian Sisters and served as grand treasurer of the Pythian Sister of Texas for five years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Tahoka.

Survivors include two nieces. The family suggests memorials to the Pythian Home, P.O. Drawer 239, Weatherford 76086.

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**WILSON HOMECOMING KING & QUEEN** - Jordan Bednarz and Amber Wilke were named Wilson High School Homecoming King and Queen during festivities Sept. 22. Both are seniors. He is the son of Dennis and Kathy Bednarz and she is the daughter of Clyde Wilke. Other queen candidates were Kameron Livingston, Carla Pabon, Angelica Ariaz, and Briana Fields; and other King candidates included Ricky Halford and Michael Donathon.

## The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

**Wilson Volunteer Fire Department Tip of the Week:** Kitchen grease fires are probably one of the most frequent types of home fires. Frying pans left on the stove when the homeowner goes to another part of the home, even for a very short period of time, are a fire waiting to happen. Splashed or spattered cooking grease also can catch fire very easily. If you have a frying pan of grease catch on fire, one of the quickest ways to control the fire is to put a metal lid on the pan which can help to smother the fire. Others say that the fire can be smothered by using baking soda. The best way to control a grease fire is to be sure that you have a class A-B-C fire extinguisher handy. Follow the directions and use the extinguisher.

If you don't control the fire immediately, call 911 and call for the fire department. Many people feel that you should call 911 as soon as the fire breaks out, anyway.

The First Baptist Church of Wilson will be having a special service this Sunday, Oct. 8, beginning at 11 a.m. The Joe Whitten Prison Ministry will present a special time of message and music.

All area residents are invited to attend this program. A love offering will be taken during the service.

Monday, Oct. 9 is Columbus Day and as such, most governmental offices, banks and post offices will be closed. A check with some Wilson businesses indicate that most will be open for business as usual. The Wilson City Hall, the Wilson Post Office, and Wilson State Bank will all be closed in observance of the federal holiday.

The Wilson Mustangs will travel to Three-Way for this week's ball game and because of the distance, the pep rally has been moved to 2 p.m. for this Friday only.

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club meets every Monday at 7 p.m. The meeting place has changed from the cafeteria to the high school gym, for this week only, so that the group can decorate the locker rooms.

The booster club is still seeking a few good volunteers to work in the concession stand for the remaining home football games. Come to the meeting and do a little volunteer work. All you are doing is showing your support for all the Wilson students and their activities.

Yard signs, caps and megaphones are still for sale, so be sure and get yours from any booster club member.

A notice was sent out with report cards notifying parents of an early release day. This day has been changed and the proper

day for the early release will be Friday, Oct. 27.

Wilson students will have a holiday on Monday, Oct. 9 for the observation of Columbus Day.

Wilson junior high and high school students will have a chance to visit the annual Farmer-Stockman Show in Lubbock on Wednesday, Oct. 11.

Well, it's that time of year again—all those envelopes with the little pink notices informing taxpayers that property taxes are due again.

Most Lynn County residents, if you live in town, will pay taxes to five different taxing agencies. These agencies include your local city, your local school district, the Lynn County Hospital District, the County of Lynn and the High Plains Underground Water District. If you live outside of town you will just pay to four agencies.

Most of the taxing agencies use the Lynn County Appraisal District office to compute and collect their taxes, so many people will only receive a single notice for their taxes. Those living in the City of Wilson will receive a notice from the City of Wilson and one from the Lynn County Appraisal District. The Appraisal District notice will include the taxes for the County, the Hospital District, the High Plains Underground Water District, and the Wilson School District. The notice from the City of Wilson will include only the City of Wilson taxes.

Some of the taxing entities allow a discount for early payment of the taxes. These discounts, normally, are 3% for payment in October, 2% for payment in November and 1% for payment in December.

Taxes for the City of Wilson will be paid at the Wilson City Hall, either by mail or in person. Taxes for all the rest of the agencies should be paid to the Lynn County Appraisal District office in Tahoka, either by mail or in person.

For more information, contact either the Lynn County Appraisal District officer of the City of Wilson office.

The Wilson Mustang Marching Band still practices on Tuesday nights from 7:00-8:30 p.m. They are preparing for a trip to Plainview for a contest on Saturday, Oct. 14, and for Band UIL Contest on Oct. 21.

The Wilson Independent School Board will meet in a regular meeting on Thursday, Oct. 12 at 7 p.m. in the library.

St. John Lutheran Church welcomed their new pastor last Sunday. Pastor Jason Gackle comes to St. John from Hope Lutheran in Comanche. Several upcoming events are planned to help welcome him to the community.

Several ladies from St. John Lutheran Church will be attending the North Texas/Northern Louisiana Women's Organization Synodical Convention which will be held in Lubbock this weekend. The meeting will open on Friday and conclude at noon on Sunday. The ladies will gather at the Holiday Inn Park Plaza on Lubbock's South Loop for the convention.

A "Family Fair of Health Resources" will be held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday, Oct. 20 at the Region 17 Education Service Center, located at 1111 W. Loop 289 in Lubbock. More than 100 health related exhibits will be on display.

A few students from Wilson ISD had an opportunity to help with the Lubbock Habitat for Humanity blitz build, which was held Sept. 9-16. They mainly helped with insulating and clean up. The blitz build was an effort to build 17 homes in one week for people who would not normally be able to afford a home of their own.

Wilson area farmer James Wuensche was named "Farmer of the Year" at the Slaton Farmer Merchants Banquet last week. James is the son of Wilbert and Lorena Wuensche of Wilson and the father of Tahoka resident, Mark Wuensche.

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**WILSON HOMECOMING PRINCESSES** - Elected Homecoming Princesses to represent their respective classes for the Wilson High School 2000 Homecoming were (from left) sophomore Blake Talkmitt, junior Brian Arellano, and freshman Brady Cross.



**WHS HOMECOMING PRINCESSES** - Sophomore Tiffany Hair, freshman Josie Valdez and junior Quinn Whisner were elected Wilson Homecoming Princesses, representing their respective classes. Homecoming activities were held Sept. 22.

### Mustangs Double Amherst, 40-20

Wilson won its first game of the season last Friday, beating the Amherst Bulldogs 40-20 in Amherst.

The Mustangs took a 20-0 lead in the first half and the two teams played evenly in the second half. Ricky Halford caught three touchdown passes, all from QB Robert Arellano.

Steven De'Anda and Brian Martin also scored for Wilson on 1-yard runs, De'Anda scoring twice. Wilson had 279 yards of offense and 13 first downs to 7 for Amherst.

On Friday, Sept. 22, the Mustangs battled it out with Cotton Center in front of a Wilson Homecoming crowd, coming up short 45-38. The Mustangs fell behind in the first quarter, and caught up in the second half of the game, before the Elks dashed the Mustangs hopes.


### Wilson School Menu

Oct. 9-13 Breakfast

Monday: No School.  
Tuesday: Pancake & Sausage on a Stick, Juice, Milk.  
Wednesday: Donuts, Juice, Milk.  
Thursday: Biscuits & Sausage, Juice, Milk.  
Friday: Breakfast Pizza, Juice, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: No School.  
Tuesday: Tacos w/Meat, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Pinto Beans, Pineapple Chunks, (HS Alternate-Potato Bar), Milk.  
Wednesday: Mac & Cheese w/Ham Chunks, Green Beans, Fruit Salad, (HS Alternate-Pizza), Milk.  
Thursday: Vegetable Beef Soup, Grilled cheese Sandwich, Orange Halves, (HS Alternate-Chicken Noodle Soup), Milk.  
Friday: Burritos, Cheese Sticks, Tator Tots, Pineapple Chunks, Milk.



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1-Sears Kenmore Sewing Machine  
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1-White Westinghouse Clothes Washer  
1-General Electric Clothes Dryer  
1-Imperial 4 Burner Cook Stove  
1-Pecan Dining Table with 6 Chairs  
1-Maple Drop Leaf Dining Table  
1-Maple Cloth Love Seat  
1-Regular Size Bookcase Bed N/Mattress & Box Spring  
1-Waterfall Dresser & Mirror  
1-5 Drawer Chest of Drawers  
1-1/2 Bed with Wood Box Steads  
1-Couch  
1-Small Wooden Desk  
1-Swivel Rocker  
1-Lot of Chairs  
1-Lot Dishes, Pots, Pans, Cooking Utensils  
1-Lot Pictures, Plaques, Mirrors  
1-Lot Items Too Numerous To List

**NON-CLASSIFIED**  
2-Round Hay Bale Feeder Rings  
1-Saddle Rack  
1-Lot Horse Collars, Hames  
1-Lot Forks, Hoes, Spades, Axes  
1-Cast Iron Dutch Oven  
1-Cast Iron Wash Pot  
1-10 Gallon Cream Can  
1-Lot Garden & Yard Tools  
1-Red Wagon  
1-Riding Lawn Mower  
1-Winding Ref A/C  
2-Pieces 6"x6"x12" Angle, Iron  
1-Duff House Jack  
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1-Lot Shop & Scrap Iron  
1-Lot Items Too Numerous To List

**REAL ESTATE**  
Legal Description: All of the East 200 Acres of the South One-Half (S1/2) of Section No. One (1), Certificate No. 17, Abstract No. 312, Rusk Transportation Company Survey, Lynn County, Texas, Selling 200 Acres M/L-Surface Only.

**Improvements:** Wood Frame Stucco House, Approx. 1700 Sq ft, 20'x24' Shop & Storage Building, 24'x24' Carport, Satellite Dish, 500 Gallon Propane Tank, Set Livestock Corrals  
**Wells-Water:** 9 Wells, Various Conditions, 12 years Since Some Have Been Used, 3/4 HP Domestic Well, 4" Submersible (Talk to Owner for More Information.)  
**Current Conditions:** Farm is all in Improved Grasses, Placed in Conservation Reserve Program 12 years ago. Not in Program at present. Can be Grazed or "Broke Out" and Farmed. Owner states that from the 9 Wells, sufficient water could be obtained, farmed, and irrigated once again. (Talk to Owner for more information.)

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**Possession:** Upon Closing - Closing Within 30 Days or Negotiable either side of December 31, 2000.

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## Notice

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**LOST DOG:** Small female dog, answers to "Micky," lost in the vicinity of 1925 1st. Wearing blue collar. Please return to Sarah if you see it. Call 998-4338. 40-1tf

**NOTICE:** I need to return two items, but don't know who they belong to—please call if they belong to you: 1) dark green pottery serving plate, and 2) a blue & white country-type placemat. Call Sue Inman at 998-4071. 40-1tc

## Autos For Sale

**FOR SALE:** 1996 Dodge Stratus. New tires, runs well. Call 998-5492. 40-2tc

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## For Sale

**FOR SALE:** Waterbed mattress and frame. Mattress has baffles and dual heater controls. Good condition. Call 998-4246. 40-1tp

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## Garage Sales

**GARAGE SALE:** Thursday only, 9 a.m. 1801 Ave. N. (Davis). 40-1tc

**4 FAMILY** yard sale: Saturday, Oct. 7, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., 1104 South Ave. K. Tables, small appliances, linens, dishes, clothes (all sizes). Lots more. 40-1tc

**GARAGE SALE:** 1819 North 6th Street. Thursday only, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Lots of miscellaneous. 40-1tp

**GARAGE SALE:** Thursday & Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. 2121 Ave. O. Lots of miscellaneous. Everything Cheap! 40-1tc

## Real Estate

**HOUSE FOR SALE:** 3rd house north of highway department on east side of Highway 87, outside of city limits. 1,552 sq. ft. living space, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage with cellar, water well, large lot. Call 998-4070. 40-4tp

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
The O'Donnell I.S.D. will accept sealed bids until 11:00 a.m. (CDT), October 13, 2000, for the purchase, lease, or lease purchase of new or used school buses, van, and vocational ag pickup. Specifications may be picked up at the superintendent's office, 501 5th Street, O'Donnell, Texas. Bid specifications will be mailed by written or telephone request (806-428-3241). O'Donnell I.S.D. reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any or all technicalities, and to accept the bid which will best serve the needs of the school district. All bids will be opened on October 13, 2000, at 11:00 a.m. in the business/tax collector's office, 501 5th Street, O'Donnell, Texas.  
/s/ Dale Read, Superintendent  
39-2tc

CAUSE NO. 2000-2648  
IN THE ESTATE OF GENEVIEVE HALFORD COLE, DECEASED \$ IN THE COUNTY COURT OF LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS

### NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF GENEVIEVE HALFORD COLE

Administration of the Estate of GENEVIEVE HALFORD COLE, Deceased, has been commenced by the issuance of original Letters Testamentary to the undersigned on the 20th day of September, 2000, by the Probate Court of Lynn County, Texas acting in Cause No. 2000-2648, styled IN THE ESTATE OF GENEVIEVE HALFORD COLE, DECEASED, in which court the matter is pending.

All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned at the address shown below within the time prescribed by law.

Dated this 26 day of September, 2000.

EDDIE JOE MILLER  
Independent Executor

By: /s/ Gary A. Ward, SBN #2841000  
WARD & FREELIS, L.L.P., Attorneys At Law  
P.O. Drawer 53310, Lubbock, Texas 79453  
Telephone: (806) 798-7288, Facsimile: (806) 798-7286  
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**On September 17, 1968, Gaylord Perry of the San Francisco Giants threw a no-hitter, beating the St. Louis Cardinals 1-0. The following day, Ray Washburn of the Cardinals threw a no-hitter, beating the Giants 2-0.**

**NOTICE OF FLUORIDE LEVEL IN WATER**  
The City of Wilson has been notified by the Texas Department of Health that the water being supplied by our system exceeds the maximum constituent level for fluoride established by the department's "Safe Drinking Water Act."

The samples of water from the Wilson system contain 4.1 milligrams of fluoride per liter, and the department requires the city to notify all customers. There is no immediate health hazard for drinking water containing fluoride at this level except that it could cause mottling (brown stain) on the teeth of children under 14 years of age.

All the dentists in this area are aware of the fluoride level.

The City will continue to search for alternate sources of supply and will investigate any available treatment techniques to lower the level of our fluoride if they are affordable at all.

Bottled water is available for families with children under the age of 14 years at the City Office at no cost.

Roy Isham, Superintendent  
City of Wilson Water System  
1tc

### MANDATORY HEALTH EFFECTS LANGUAGE FLUORIDE

**Dear Consumer:**  
Many public water systems are required by federal regulation to routinely analyze for fluoride levels in the drinking water they provide to consumers. Analyses of the drinking water in your community has found a level of 5.1 mg/l of fluoride. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has set a standard for fluoride at 2.0 mg/l to minimize the occurrence of objectionable dental fluorosis.

Fluoride at the appropriate levels in the drinking water of children up to the age of nine, reduces cavities. However, children exposed to levels of fluoride greater than 1.0 to 2.0 mg/l may develop dental fluorosis in their permanent teeth. Dental fluorosis, in its moderate and severe forms, is a discoloration (brown staining) and pitting of teeth.

Because fluoride affects only developing teeth, households without children would not be expected to be affected by this level of fluoride. Individuals with children under the age of nine are encouraged to seek other sources of drinking water for their children.

The EPA Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for fluoride is 4.0 mg/l. That standard is based upon protection from crippling skeletal fluorosis, which may result from levels of 4.0 mg/l or more. The MCL is an enforceable standard and has been set to protect public health.

Your water supplier can lower the concentration of fluoride to the level where beneficial effects still occur (cavity prevention) and where the occurrence of dental fluorosis is minimal. The technology for the removal of fluoride is currently available but the use of this technology by your utility may increase your monthly water bill. Treatment systems for the removal of fluoride from drinking water are also available for home use. Information on such systems is available at the address given below. Low fluoride bottled drinking water that would meet all standards is also available.

For further information, contact James Aten, President, Grassland Water Supply, Inc., Route 3, Post, TX 79356 at your water utility. 1\*14\*27\*40-1tc

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**GRASSLAND WATER SUPPLY MANDATORY HEALTH EFFECTS LANGUAGE NITRATE**

Dear User:  
The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) sets drinking water standards and has determined that nitrite poses an acute health concern at certain levels of exposure. This inorganic chemical is used in fertilizers and is found in sewage and wastes from humans and or farm animals and generally gets into drinking water as a result of those activities. While excessive levels of nitrite in drinking water have been observed, other sources of nitrate have caused serious illness in infants and sometimes death in infants under six months of age. The serious illness in infants is caused because nitrite interferes with the oxygen carrying capacity of the child's blood. This is an acute disease in that symptoms can develop rapidly. However, in most cases, health deteriorates over a period of days. Symptoms include shortness of breath and blueness of the skin. Clearly, expert medical advice should be sought immediately if these symptoms occur. The purpose of this notice is to encourage parents and other responsible parties to provide infants with an alternate source of drinking water. Local and state health authorities are the best source for information concerning alternate sources of drinking water for infants. EPA has set the drinking water standard at 10 parts per million (ppm) for nitrate to protect against the risk of these adverse effects. EPA has also set a drinking water standard for nitrite at 1 ppm. To allow for the fact that the toxicity of nitrate and nitrite are additive, EPA has also established a standard for the sum of nitrate and nitrite at 10 ppm. Drinking water that meets the EPA standard is associated with little to none of this risk and is considered safe with respect to nitrate.

Analysis of the drinking water in your community has found a level of 10.45 ppm of nitrate. For further information contact James Aten at your water utility, Rt. 3 Box 142, Post, TX 79356.

Bottled water is available free of charge only for pregnant women and infants under six (6) months of age by calling 327-5678. 1\*14\*27\*40-1tc

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**COMMUNITY BUILDERS AWARD** - Loretta "Ma" Hill, left, is presented the Tahoka Masonic Lodge's "Community Builders Award" by Gene Ingle during a recent meeting. Mrs. Hill, a long-time Tahoka resident, was honored for her contributions to the Tahoka community.

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

**Homecoming Activities**  
 by Brandi Tekell  
 Among many activities, the Tahoka High School students decorated doors and floats for homecoming.

The freshman took it all, as they won first with both the door and the float. Their door theme was "Flush the Eagles," and their float theme was "Kentucky Fry the Eagles."

The sophomores took second place in the door contest with "Eagle Cuts." Trailing behind them were the seniors "Pluck the Eagles." The juniors received fourth place for "Smoke the Eagles."

In the float contest, the juniors came in second with "#1 Bulldog Fans." The sophomores claimed third with "Survivor," and fourth was the seniors with "a truck."

The Student Council and NHS students attended the exes assembly held in the auditorium on Friday where they served cookies and punch and greeted exes as they arrived. Jon Luna, Student Council President, and Lezli Gandy, NHS President, were on stage and introduced the program.

The NHS also served their annual pre-game homecoming dinner with many exes and townspeople attending.

**JV Football**  
 by Kalah Bartley

The Seagraves Eagles defeated the JV Bulldogs 20-28, last Thursday, Sept. 28.

Adrian Moore caught two touchdowns while Shannon Cowley ran in one.

Moore led in rushing with 85 yards and J.J. Scott was close behind with 70 yards.

Cowley threw for a total of 110 yards.

There will be no game this week, but the Dogs will come back Oct. 12 to host the New Deal Lions at 6 p.m.

**8th Grade Football**  
 by Kelly Engle

The eighth grade Dogs were defeated 41-0 by the Seagraves Eagles on Thursday, Sept. 28.

"We could have done a better job blocking," said Daniel Garza.

The Dogs will face New Deal on Oct. 12 there at 6:30.

**7th Grade Football**  
 by Cory Gardner

The Seagraves Eagles defeated the 7th grade Bulldogs last Thursday, Sept. 28, 14-0.

"We need to be more aggressive on both sides of the ball," said Colby Gardner, "and we now know that we have to work to win, the game is not gonna be handed over to us."

The Dogs will play at Lamesa at 5 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5.

**Varsity Volleyball**  
 by Kammie Williams

The Lady Bulldogs were crushed 2-15, 13-15 against Midland Trinity on Tuesday, Sept. 26.

"We did a good job of serving," said Coach Meador. "Judi Webster had a good night of hitting."

The Lady Bulldogs will face Brownfield here on Saturday, Oct. 7 at 2 p.m.

**JV Volleyball**  
 by Carrie Gregory

The Lady Bulldogs crushed Midland Trinity 15-12, 15-4 on Tuesday, Sept. 26.

"They played the best game of the year so far," said Coach Ron Meador. "They are becoming more consistent with passing, setting, and hitting. Christina Marquez had an outstanding serving night as well as the rest of the team."

The Lady Dogs will challenge Brownfield here on Saturday, Oct. 7 at 1 p.m.

**8th Grade Volleyball**  
 by Kelly Engle

The 8th grade Lady Bulldogs were defeated 9-15, 2-15 by Cooper on Monday, Sept. 25.

They faced Colorado City on Monday, Oct. 2 and won the match 15-8, 14-16, and 15-6.

The Lady Dogs will challenge Plains on Monday, Oct. 9 at 6 p.m.

**7th Grade Volleyball**  
 by Robyn Lewis

7th grade Lady Dogs lost 10-15 in the first game to Lubbock Cooper on Monday, Sept. 25.

**Card of Thanks**

Words cannot express our gratitude for all the love that has been shown our family during the illness and loss of Martha. Thank you for all the prayers on our behalf, food, flowers, memorials, cards and words of comfort. We are truly blessed to have so many caring friends and neighbors.

All the Stephens Family  
 40-1tp

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The Class of 1950 would like to take this opportunity to say a special "Thank You" to Joe Patterson, Marvin Pierce, and Ricky and Lena Cloe for their kindness in donating their antique cars for for homecoming parade. Thanks also to Kellie Paris for the use of her Benz and to John Draper for his brand new 2001 pickup. All of you made this old bunch look great in those sharp looking vehicles!

Thanks a Million,  
 THS Class of 1950  
 40-1tp

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I would like to thank everyone who purchased Harvest Festival Princess tickets from me. Your support for me, as well as for the Lynn County Harvest Festival, is greatly appreciated.

Samantha Pridmore  
 40-1tp

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The Lynn County Pioneers would like to say a special "Thank You" to all who donated baked goods for our Harvest Festival booth, and to all who bought the homemade goodies and the raffle tickets for the quilt. Congratulations to Lois Roberts on winning the quilt!

Thanks Again,  
 Lynn County Pioneers  
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It is very humbling when a family realizes just how many friends are concerned with our family's welfare in a time of need such as ours. Since Travis' debilitating health problems kept us out of circulation his last years, the outpouring of concern, the beautiful food, beautiful cards, the words of encouragement meant so much. Tahoka people have a reputation for caring, love, and generosity when needed. This was proven by offers of several churches for his memorial service and the lunch furnished by several churches. Our thanks to the medical staff, friends and family who came to stand by us at the hospital, EMS, and the home health ladies who were so caring and kind to Travis. We will always be grateful and we will not forget. Please accept our sincere thanks.

Sue Inman,  
 Joe, Wendy, and Nancy,  
 Nora Bell Wood, Mary Ellen James  
 & All Our Family  
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**IN APPRECIATION**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morales and family would like to dedicate this year's Homecoming to Roy Stephens, WWII veteran and prisoner of war, who was a longtime Tahoka resident. This is all about having our freedom today. Our family was raised practically with Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Strain of New Home in the 50 years that we resided in Lynn County. Even though we don't have a VA charter anymore, we appreciate the guidance that Mr. and Mrs. Strain gave us in our lives in the time we have lived in New Home.

From a Korean veteran with numerous citations,  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morales  
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**25 YEARS OF SERVICE** - Lynn County Harvest Festival Committee Chairman Jay Dee House presented Leah Taylor with flowers and a plaque of appreciation for her 25 years of service in organizing the Harvest Festival Queen Contest. House thanked Mrs. Taylor for her many hours spent as a volunteer for the annual event. (LCN PHOTO)

They won 17-15 the second game and lost 9-15 the third game.

Tahoka's 7th grade Lady Dogs played Colorado City on Oct. 2.

The lost the first game 14-16, and the second game 9-15.

Lady Dog #32, Niconia Martinez, scored the most service points during the first game.

They will play Plains Oct. 9 at 5 p.m.

**Eat Pizza Monday To Help Raise Funds For Elementary**

Anyone who eats a meal at Mr. Gatti's at 5001 50th Street in Lubbock, between 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. Monday, Oct. 9, can help raise funds for a new Elementary Science Lab at Tahoka Elementary.

Mr. Gatti's (at that location only) will give Tahoka Elementary 20 percent of all the buffets sold during that time period, from a total of receipts placed in a bucket marked "Tahoka Elementary". Anyone may place their meal receipt in that bucket so that Tahoka Elementary gets credit.

The fund raiser is sponsored by the Tahoka Elementary Pride Corps, with all proceeds going for a new science lab.

Additionally, Mr. Gatti's gives free game tokens for report cards, so students get free games.

**Intro To Computers To Be Offered In Tahoka**

A short course in Introduction to Computers is scheduled Saturday, Oct. 7, and Saturday, Oct. 14, at the Tahoka Housing Authority in partnership with South Plains College.

The class will meet 9 a.m.-1 p.m. both days. Cost is \$56 and instructor is Irene Cantu.

Registration is 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5 at the Housing Authority.

The course was first offered two years ago. "We had a good response and we wanted to offer the course again," said Jim Walker, dean of continuing and distance education.

The course covers the basics of computing, including operating systems and hardware and software. Participants will learn how to turn on and log into the computer, navigate the system, use accessories, execute programs and manage the file system.

To pre-register or obtain more information, contact the SPC Continuing and Distance Education Division at 894-9611, ext. 2341, or the Tahoka Housing Authority at 998-4716.

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