

Group Challenges School On Minority Representation

Tahoka School Board members were advised at the board's regular meeting Tuesday night that the Southwest Voter Registration Education Project has written Tahoka schools in regard to the absence of minority representation on the school board.

The SVREP is the same group which two years ago forced Lynn County to redraw its precinct boundaries, after the San Antonio-based group filed suit in federal court claiming that the way the precinct lines were drawn was not fair to the county's Mexican-American citizens.

In that case, the county was forced to pay the costs of the SVREP's attorneys as well as those incurred by the county in answering the suit.

The letter to the Tahoka Schools claimed that the SVREP had been contacted by "minorities" who claim that the at-large system of electing board members currently used by Tahoka ISD "has denied them representation in the school board." The letter alleges that the Tahoka ISD has "minority student population of 55.8 per cent, but only 9 per

cent of the personnel is minority and more importantly, there are no minority members on the school board."

In Lubbock a court ruling that at-large elections are illegal has been appealed, with the appeal still pending.

O'Donnell School also received a similar letter from the SVREP regarding the fact of no minority representation on the board. Supt. Dale Read said Wednesday that seven years ago the same organization advised the O'Donnell district not to try to set up election of board members by places. He also commented that "we're a little different from Lubbock, San Antonio or Corpus Christi in that we don't really have economic placement of people within the city."

The father of a senior student recently disciplined for a violation of school policy appeared with the student to request a closed session with the school board. The board voted unanimously to go into executive session for reasons of "potential litigation," although the Texas Open Meetings Law does not include such

a reason for closing a session to the public and news media.

Following the closed session, the board discussed the case at length, taking no official action.

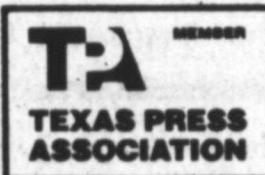
Business manager Loretta Tekell reported current tax collections at 85.3 per cent, compared to 84 per cent at the same time last year. She also reported balance in all funds March 31 at \$460,858, compared to \$382,283 at the same time last year.

Leslie Carlisle was approved as a substitute teacher, and the board voted to change the May meeting time to 8 p.m. because of daylight savings time. It also was voted to have the school produce a quarterly newsletter to be mailed to school patrons to advise them of developments and school-related activities.

Supt. Jim Coulston reported that he is scheduled to testify in Austin today (Thursday) at a public hearing on a bill by Rep. Steven Carriker and 20 other House members to add a one-cent sales tax to finance schools, possibly eliminating the property tax on homes and other property.



IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN—Sylvia Rodriguez is shown checking her watch and calendar to make sure she doesn't forget the time change Saturday night. She will set her watch forward one hour. The change to daylight savings time is officially at 2 a.m. Sunday. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)



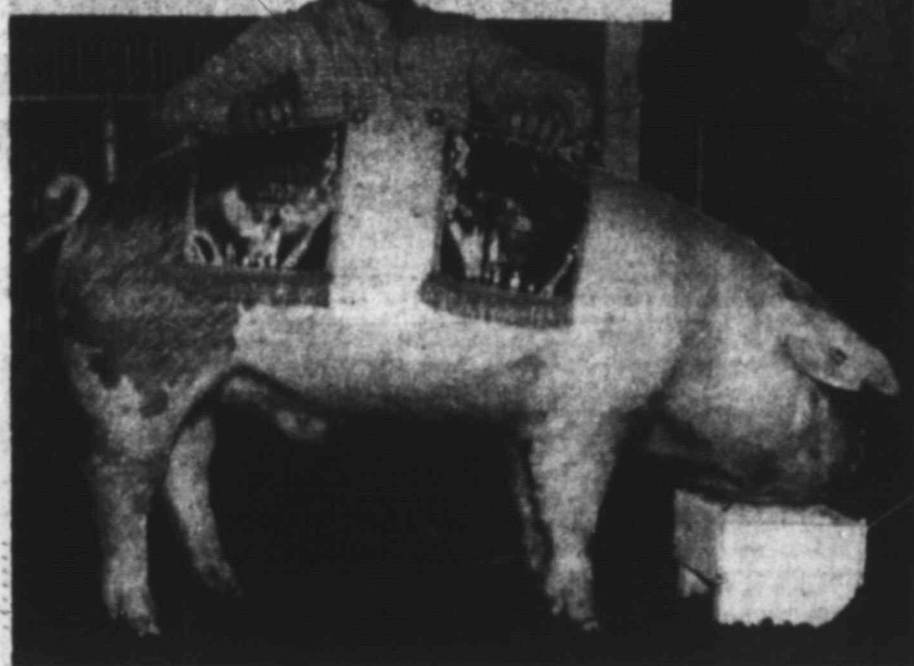
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SAM III Lance McNeely of the New Home Chapter of Future Farmers of America recently won Grand Champion Barrow honors at the Southwestern Livestock Exposition in El Paso.

Spring WEATHER TAHOKA, TEXAS			
DATE	HIGH	LOW	
April 14	50	31	
April 15	57	29	
April 16	65	36	
April 17	72	40	
April 18	83	42	
April 19	85	46	
April 20	83	42	

Freezing temperature of 29 degrees on April 15 which is latest the observer can find in records.

Moon Rock To Be On Display Here

North Elementary and Tubb Elementary are sponsoring a moon rock in Tahoka during the week of April 25-29. The rock will be on display in the high school library from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday-Friday for the public to view.

The week's science activities will be concluded with a slide presentation and viewing of the moon and other planets Friday night, April 29, at 8 p.m. in the area between North and Tubb Elementary buildings.

Dr. Robert Moreland, professor at Texas Tech, and his assistants will narrate the lunar and planet slide and provide telescopes for the

folks do.

And then there are a lot of people --and I suspect they may be in the majority--who drink one to three or four cups of coffee a day, but they really are not that wild about the taste. They drink it just get away from their jobs for awhile, or just for the pleasure of being with the others who "go out for a cup."

I'm in that group; I really don't like coffee all that much, but I drink it because when you go out to get a cup with a buddy, you have to drink something. Some coffee does taste better than others, though. Still, I'd just as soon have decaffeinated. Or milk, but it looks pretty silly in a cup.

Just thinking about it makes me thirsty. I'm going now to get a cup of coffee.

Rare Edsel Wagon Owned By Tahokans

By DEAN BARTLEY
Ford Motor Company's Edsel, long the subject of countless jokes, has in recent years finally gained respect--as a collectors item. One of those rare vehicles, a 1958 Edsel station wagon, is owned by three young men from Tahoka, and is kept in the city.

Belonging to Keith, Gregg and Ricky Williams, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams, the station wagon can be seen at the home of Mrs. Carl Williams, 1728 N. 3rd.

The wagon, one of 110,000 vehicles reported to have come off the Ford Motor Co. production line, was given to them by their maternal grandfather, the late B.E. McCormick, who bought it in Wichita Falls in 1965.

All of the styling trends that were introduced in the Edsel vehicles in their short life span can be seen in

students to view the moon and other planets.

The public is invited to attend the Friday night event.

Mrs. Rubeth Griffing, secondary science teacher has been working with the elementary teachers and students promoting enrichment activities in science.

this wagon. It is equipped with what has been referred to as the "horse collar" grille, a radically different front-end design in the auto industry, which researchers say helped hasten the car's failure. Other attractions, debatable at the time it was on the market, are heavy bumpers and quadruple headlamps. The wrap-around windshield and sculptured tail-fins which the wagon bears were reflections of the styling trends of the time.

Some of the worthwhile engineered features include self-adjusting brakes, safety rim wheels with 15" wide white wall tires, and an automatic transmission, controlled by push-buttons on the steering spokes. McCormick had the V-8 motor overhauled, which put it in excellent running condition. It now has 62,765 miles registered on the speedometer.

The wagon, "Roundup", which has been in storage for some time, has the original seat covers on it.

The Edsel, which has been called by some writers as the "Greatest Flop of All Time," was named for the son of Henry Ford. The cars were put on the market in September 1957 and production stopped in October 1959.

Whatever the reason for its failure

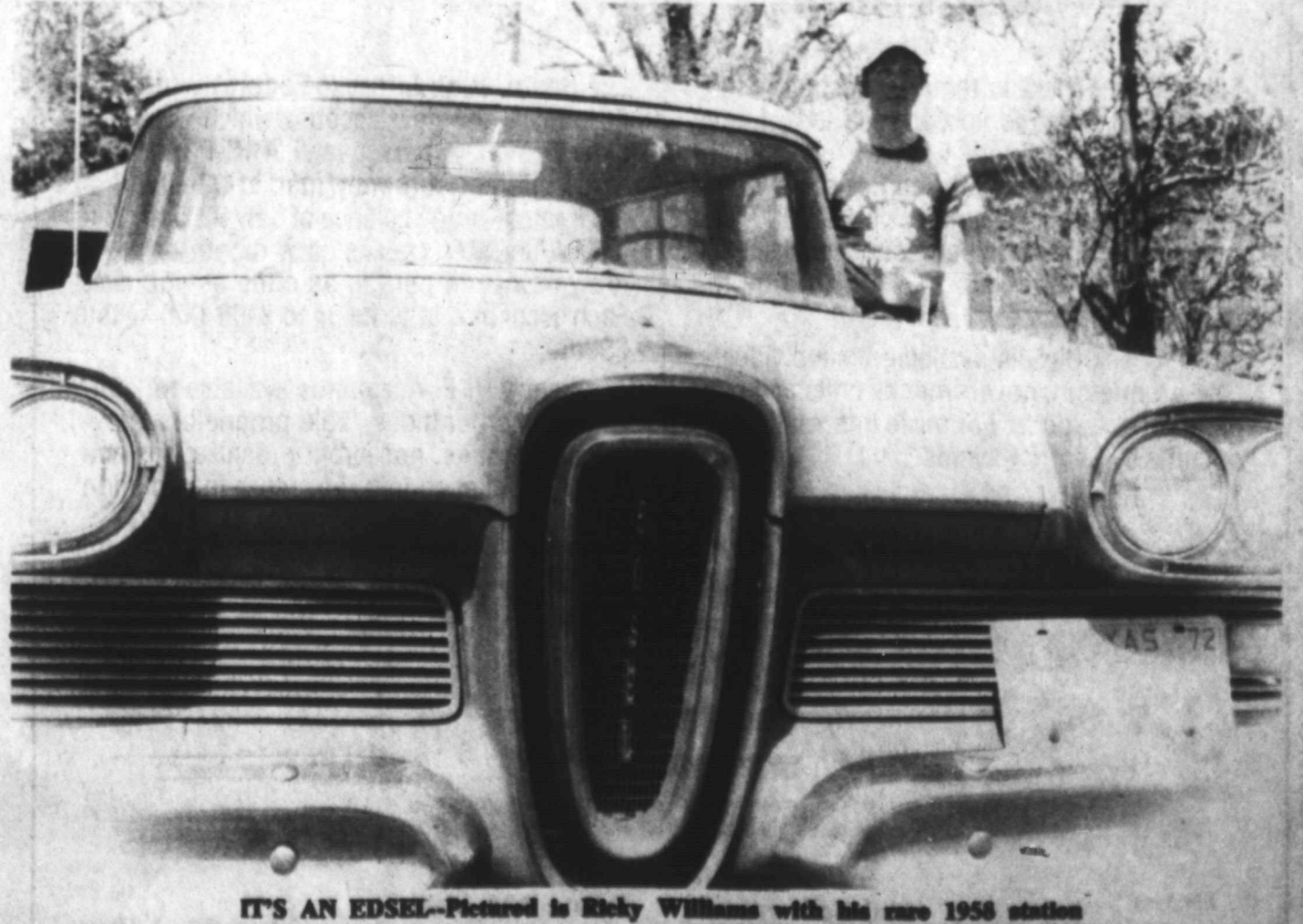
or the public wanting smaller cars--it is generally agreed that it was a well-built car. The Williams boys have no immediate plans for the gray and silver Edsel station wagon. They are just proud to have this great collectors item.

Collision, Bike Theft Reported

Tahoka police investigated a vehicle accident on Friday at the 1700 block of Lockwood (Thriftway) that involved a 1968 Ford pickup driven by James Wesley Jolly of Rt. 4, Tahoka and a 1982 GMC Suburban driven by Ronnie Joe Simmons of Brownfield. No injuries were reported.

Roger Miller of 1729 N. 3rd reported to police that someone had stolen a "Free Spirit" bicycle from his residence during the past week.

Police answered one family disturbance call during the past week and also issued one ticket for running a stop sign and two tickets for exhibition of acceleration.



IT'S AN EDESEL--Pictured is Ricky Williams with his rare 1958 station wagon. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

WOODWORK BY DALTON

AS SOON AS the wind dies down a little and allows more of those really nice days like last weekend, and as soon as everybody gets daylight time figured out, it is going to be difficult again to work inside buildings.

It really isn't true, but it seems that the wind blows its worst on weekends, and that in the winter-time, snow and rain and committee meetings and such things which keep people from getting outside seem to come at the very times most of us can finally get away from the office or whatever job we have. It seems that the minute you step up to the first tee or walk onto the tennis court, the wind increases 50 per cent.

Thankfully, not everybody likes sports in pretty weather. There are many people who actually find pleasure in watering flowers and mowing lawns and edging the sidewalk and other such futile activities. We need these people, because without them, our yards

and our towns would look terrible.

RECENTLY there was a story in some publication which quoted Robert Young, the guy who made all the Sanka ads, as saying he really didn't like Sanka. I don't recall if he said he likes coffee better, or doesn't like either one, but it brought to mind some conversations we've had with friends (usually over a cup) about the taste of coffee.

We have learned that there generally are three levels of opinions on the taste of coffee, not counting the fact that some people like certain brands better than others. There are those people who really are addicted to coffee and who delight in its taste and drink several (or more) cups per day because they really like it. There are some who don't drink coffee at all. These are mostly younger persons, many of whom won't touch the stuff because they figure it's something that old

GET ACQUAINTED COFFEE TO BE HELD

There will be an open house get acquainted coffee Thursday, April 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lyntegar Meeting Room. The purpose of the meeting is to learn about Extension Homemaker Clubs.

You may contact your county TEHA chairman, Pauline Stephens, or County Extension Agent for information concerning clubs in your area, time and day, or organizing a new club.

About half the population of America over the age of three wears glasses.



MR. AND MRS. E.C. HOUCHIN

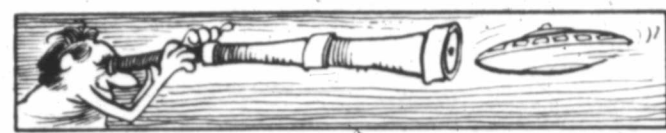
E.C. Houchins Celebrate 65th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Houchin of Route 1, Slaton, celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary in their home with a family gathering April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Skinner of Lamesa, Mrs. Orbin Houchin of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Corley of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Brown of Hale Center, children of the couple, served as hosts.

The former Lillie Pierce and Houchin were married at Mt. Pleasant, Texas April 20, 1918. They lived near Wilson from 1936 to 1941 and near Lamesa 1941 to 1951 when they moved to their present home west of Slaton. Houchin is a retired farmer.

They are members of the First Baptist Church in Wilson.



The greatest number of UFO sightings have been reported in the state of California.

Chamberette News

Chamberettes met Tuesday, April 12, for their regular monthly meeting to discuss upcoming projects.

Chamberettes will be serving meals to the Chamber of Commerce directors and also to the Chamber of Commerce quarterly meeting.

They will also be helping the Rodeo Assn. during their annual rodeo in June.

Anyone is welcome to join the Chamberettes for the purpose of making Tahoka a better place to live. Meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at the Southwestern Public Service Reddy Room at noon.

TUESDAY BRIDGE WINNERS

The winners of Tuesday night bridge, April 12, were:

First, Catherine Barham and Lottie Jo Walker; second, Mildred LeMond and Fern Leslie; third, Betty Taylor and Edwina Morris; fourth, Marjorie Peltier and Mabel Gurley; and fifth, Lena Burselson and James McAllister.

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MR. AND MRS. RICKY STARK

Cynthia Amos-Ricky Stark Exchange Vows in Ruidoso

Cynthia Lee Amos and Rickey DeWayne Stark recited wedding vows on Saturday, April 2, at 7 p.m. in the mountain cabin of the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Hubert Tankersley of Tahoka. Rev. Harold Perry performed the double ring ceremony in front of the fireplace which was draped with white satin and flanked by tall baskets filled with silk fern and silk spring flowers.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Amos of Capitan, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stark of Ruidoso, N.M.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin gown with stand up shawl collar covered with Chantilly lace and seed pearls. Small self-covered buttons enhanced the front bodice. Her long sleeves ended in petal points over the hands.

Her full satin skirt with a lace panel at the back extended to a chapel length train.

The bridal veil of illusion was attached to a headpiece of silk gypsophilia and she carried an arrangement of pink and burgandy silk rose buds with streamers.

In keeping with tradition, something old was the wedding gown belonging to the groom's mother; something new was her pearl earrings; something borrowed was a necklace from her mother and the bridal veil from Mrs. Mike Fillingim, aunt of the groom, and she wore the traditional blue garter.

Maid of honor was Chris Snow, cousin of the bride. Bridesmaids were Valerie Chrisman and Dena De Tar, cousin of the bride. They were attired in dresses of pastel colors. Best man was Reggie Stark, brother of the groom.

Groomsmen were Allen Russell and Rick De Tar, cousin of the bride.

Mrs. Jessie Lee Hawkins, organist, presented wedding songs and the traditional wedding marches.

Candlelighters were Mindy and B.J. Witt, niece and nephew of the bride. They also distributed rice bags.

Hostesses for the reception were Mrs. A. J. Amos, Mrs. Mariclaire Lynch and Mrs. Hubert Tankersley.

The bride's table was attended by Linda Witt

4-H BB Gun Project To Begin

A new project concerned with the safe handling and improvement of shooting skills with BB guns will begin Saturday, April 23, at 10 a.m. at the Lynn County Show Barn in Tahoka.

Non-members of 4-H may participate by enrolling that day or calling 998-4650.

BB guns may be brought, but not required. The project will conclude later in the summer with a BB gun shoot.

Help Offered On Faulty Products

BY HARRIETT PIERCE

What do you do if you purchase a product that is unsafe? This is a question worth considering, especially during National Consumers Week, April 24-30. Judge Brandon has proclaimed observance of the week in Lynn County.

Unless the product is new and can be returned to the store, many persons will simply throw it away and grumble about the problem. But informed consumers will do more than grumble.

A consumer can do himself and other consumers a favor by understanding the role of the Consumer Product Safety Commission, and reporting unsafe products to them. Because if a toy with sharp edges cuts a child, for example, similar toys will cut other children, unless the product is reported to the Safety Commission.

The Consumer Product Safety Commission is one of several federal agencies which protects consumers in the marketplace. The CPSC has jurisdiction over more than 15,000 consumer products.

The CPSC protects the

public from unreasonable risk of injury, aids in evaluating product safety, develops safety standards for products and investigates the causes and prevention of death, illness and injury related to consumer products.

The Agency works closely and cooperatively with industry to improve the safety of products, to recall hazardous products and to educate and inform consumers.

A consumer may get safety information or report hazardous products and resulting injuries by calling the CPSC toll-free hotline. The number is 800-638-CPSC. For hearing-impaired, the number is 800-638-8270.

Further information about the CPSC or other consumer topics, may be obtained at the County Extension Office.

There are several other consumer protection agencies, including the Better Business Bureau, which has a Lubbock office to serve this area. The toll-free number for the BBB in Lubbock is 1-800-692-4466.

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Bridal Attendants Honored In Dallas

The bridal attendants and hostesses of Altha Patterson were honored with a luncheon at the Lincoln Hotel in Dallas Saturday, April 16.

Attending from Tahoka were Pam Paris, Pat Glisson, Karen Lawson, Sandy Teaff, Carl Miller, Linda Spruiell, Tommy Pebsworth, Linda Bartley, Dorothy Horwood, Judy Griffin and Mrs. Patterson.

The group left Lubbock at 11:05 a.m. and were met at the hotel by Toni and Rick Kollinger of Dallas. They returned home at 7:15 p.m.

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Donna Kay Randy Cody united in marriage, April 16 a double-ring the First United Church in Rev. Steve I formed the of Arlis and lers of Slaton of the groom and Jane M bock.
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MRS. RANDY C. MOORE
(nee Donna Ehlers)

Donna Ehlers-Randy Moore Exchange Wedding Vows

Donna Kay Ehlers and Randy Cody Moore were united in marriage Saturday, April 16, at 6 p.m. in a double-ring ceremony at the First United Methodist Church in Slaton. The Rev. Steve McElroy performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Arlis and Geneva Ehlers of Slaton and parents of the groom are Charles and Jane Moore of Lubbock.

Grandparents of the bride are Wilbert and Lorena Wuensche of Wilson. Grandmother of the groom is Edith Corbell of Lubbock.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a cathedral length gown of white organza. The fitted bodice featured off-the-shoulder silk illusion, accented with a lace ruffle. Intricate designs of tiny pearls accented the entire bodice.

Her cathedral length veil of illusion, edged with tiny pearls fell from a Juliet cap of illusion patterned with pearls.

She carried a cascade of

white cymbidium orchids, carnations and white stephanotis. In the streamers of ribbons were tied the wedding bands of her late grandparents. Herbert and Edna Ehlers.

The couple stood before the altar decorated with candelabra that were laced with garlands of greenery and white satin bows flanked on each side by large white baskets of white flowers and fern. The church was decorated by the bride's father and brothers.

Angela Becker of Slaton was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Rene Biddle of Lubbock, Annette Heinrich and Davia Rinne, both of Slaton.

They wore gowns of grape angora knit. Flower girl was Amber Gatzki, cousin of the bride.

Serving as best man was Randy Free of Lubbock. Groomsman were Archie Moore of Lubbock, brother of the groom, Gordon Ehlers and Greg Ehlers of Slaton, brothers of the

bride. Aaron Gatzki of New Home, cousin of the bride was ringbearer.

Ushers were Mark Wuensche and David Ehlers, cousins of the bride, Steve Corbell, cousin of the groom and Sam Harris.

Candlelighters were Lisa Steinhauser of Wilson and Jennifer Ehlers of Tahoka cousins of the bride.

Registering guests were Jana Wuensche, Melinda Ehlers and Vicki Steinhauser, cousins of the bride.

Rice girl was Kimberly Brieger, cousin of the bride.

Music was provided by Toni McElroy and Frances Wright. Soloists were Denise Ehlers of Tahoka, cousin of the bride, and Wesley Kitten of Slaton.

At the reception that followed servers were Trina Heinrich, Darla Melcher, Kim King and Cathy Chafin.

Hostesses were Margaret Melcher, Carolyn Klaus, LaVern Stolle, Kay Smith, Marilyn Walter, Lisa Nowlin, Genny Heinrich and Karen Creager.

The bride is a graduate of Slaton High School and American Commercial College in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of Coronado High School in Lubbock and is employed with Town & Country Chevrolet of Slaton.

Following a honeymoon trip to Colorado the couple will reside in Slaton.

TAHOKA HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETS

Directors of the Tahoka Historical Society met April 14 to discuss progress on re-modeling of the Keltner Hotel.

The apartment in the west end of the building is nearing completion and meetings will begin soon to plan further stages of remodeling the rest of the building.

A clean-up day is scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday, April 23, with all directors encouraged to help. Members of the Chamber of Commerce will be helping in this effort also.

Anyone wishing to make a donation to the Tahoka Historical Society for re-modeling the hotel may contact Dean Bartley, 998-4023 or Melody Dawes, 998-4060.



The first electric shavers were ready for sale in 1931.

New Home News

By Florence Davies - Call 924-7479

The New Home PTC will have a talent show April 25 at 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Clarence Nieman and band (also Gayland James) will be playing, along with many others such as the "Spotlight Cowboys" and the "Do-Right Family." There will be a Most Beautiful and Most Handsome Contest.

Shannon Nieman, LaShea Kieth, Kary Durham and a special appearance by "Sonny and Cher" are just a few of the names that will be performing. Everyone is invited to attend.

Lance McNeely, member of the New Home FFA chapter recently won Grand Champion Barrow honors at the Southwestern Livestock Exposition in El Paso.

Lance is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. McNeely of New Home. He is a senior at New Home High School. During his sophomore year at New Home he exhibited the Grand Champion Barrow at the San Antonio Livestock Show.

Lance raised the 249 lb. crossbred barrow, Sam III, which was purchased for a record amount of \$6,200 by several El Paso merchants.

The annual pre-registration for New Home kindergarten children will be held in the school cafeteria Thursday, April 28, at 2 p.m. To be eligible, a child must be five years of age by Sept. 1, 1983 and must bring a birth certificate and immunization record. The children will be taken on a tour of the building and grounds and will be treated to a story time. Afterward they will be introduced to the rest of the children in a special

New Home School Menu

April 25-29, 1983

BREAKFAST

- Monday- Honeybuns, applesauce, milk
- Tuesday- Cereal choice, grape juice, milk
- Wednesday- Toast, jelly, diced fruit, milk
- Thursday- Pancakes, syrup, orange juice, milk
- Friday- Cinnamon streusel coffee cake, juice or fruit, milk

LUNCH

- Monday- Chicken patties, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, milk
- Tuesday- Lasagna, tossed salad, corn, jello w fruit, garlic toast or crackers, milk
- Wednesday- Bologna & cheese or peanut butter & jelly sandwich, lettuce, pickle spear, macaroni & vegetable salad, cake, milk
- Thursday- Chalupa with cheese, shredded lettuce, Spanish rice, fresh fruit, milk
- Friday- Charbroiled hamburger or cheeseburger, hamburger salad, French fries, Mr. Goodcup, milk

program according to Mrs. Don Sharp, kindergarten teacher.

Jo Spikes of Lubbock and Willie Mae Martin of Harts Camp visited with us here Thursday.

Mrs. Thad (Mable) Smith is in Highland Hospital for treatment. She entered the hospital Friday.

Boswell Edwards is reported slightly improved in Methodist Hospital.

Walter Smith remains in very serious condition in Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Flossie Smith remains under treatment in St. Mary's Hospital.

Sylvia and Frank McDonold of Sweetwater were here Friday night and Saturday with her mother and grandmother and with her father, Boswell Edwards, in Methodist Hospital.

Jerry Roberts was dismissed from Methodist Hospital and returned Home Wednesday.

Congratulations to Lisa and Ricki Barnett of Pflugenville on the birth of a son, Colt Jacoby Hopson, born Sunday, April 10, at 5:47 p.m. in St. David's Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. 4 Ozs.

Grandparents are Calvin and Colene Tucker of New Home and Marshall and Martha Lane of Amarillo. Great-grandparents are Mrs. D.G. (Bobbie) White of New Home and Taylor and Libby Laughlin of Austin.

Calvin and Colene drove to Pflugenville Sunday to see the new grandson. He returned Thursday, Colene stayed for another week with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nettles were in Austin a few days last week with the McClungs.

The New Home PTC basketball tournament was a success. The club wants to thank everyone that gave a helping hand. Winners were: 1st, Moronio Gib Service, Southland; 2nd, Dowell Chemical, Levelland; third Bad Company, New Home. Consolation, McDuff Chemical, Lubbock.

Bill Davies of Slaton visited with us Monday morning.

Sales Tax Rebate Told

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$33.7 million in local sales tax payments to 974 cities who levy the one-percent city sales tax.

"Statewide, these checks are down more than 3 percent from last year," Bullock said. "This follows the downward trend we're seeing in state sales tax receipts. For the first time in 21 years, we've seen a drop in the number of sales tax dollars collected from year to year. We've found the oil and gas industry pays about 30 percent of our state sales tax, either directly or indirectly, and the hardest hit areas of our state are where the local economy leans heaviest on oil and gas."

The City and MTA sales taxes are collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and rebated monthly to the cities in which they are collected by the Comptroller. O'Donnell's net payment this period is \$518.69. Tahoka's net payment this period is \$2,018.17.

West Point Extension Club Holds Meeting

The West Point Extension Club held their meeting April 14 at the home of Dottie Ashbrook. Pauline Stevens presided and the program, "Read the Label - Set a Better Table", was presented by Harriet Pierce, Extension agent.

The club will have a bake sale at Thriftway on May 4.

Ten members were served refreshments by Dottie Ashcraft, hostess.

The next meeting will be at the home of Lucille Wright, 2415 N. Main in Tahoka.

Dawson 4-H Club To Sponsor Carnival

The Dawson County 4-H Clubs will sponsor the Jest Amusement Carnival during the week of April 25-30 at the fair grounds in Lamesa.

All profits from this activity will be used to carry on the 4-H program in Dawson County.

Saturday, April 30, 4-H members and parents will have a concession stand in the show barn selling homemade ice cream and grilled hamburgers. The concession stand will be open from 4 to 10 p.m.

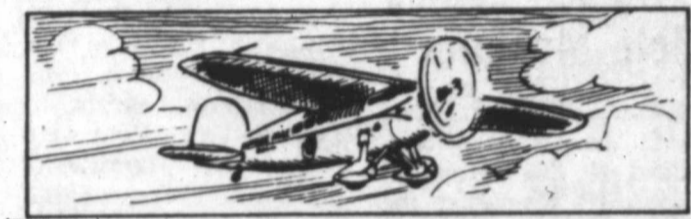


ROBIN SHORT - WAYNE TAYLOR

Robin Short - Wayne Taylor Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Short announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Robin Elise, to Wayne Cullen Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Taylor of Lamesa. The couple plan to be married Saturday, May 28, in the First United Methodist Church of Tahoka.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Tahoka High School and West Texas State University. The prospective groom is a graduate of Lamesa High School and West Texas State University.



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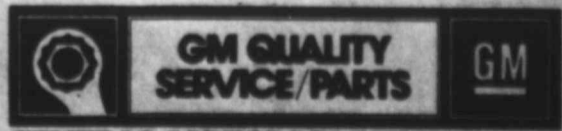
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PROCLAMATION SIGNING—Lynn County Judge J.F. Brandon is shown signing a proclamation designating the week beginning April 24 as National Consumers' Week. Harriett Pierce, Lynn County Home Demonstration Agent, looks on. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Lubbock Ladies Help Museum

Names of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Nevels have been added to the "Honored Pioneers" plaque at the Tahoka Pioneer Museum. Nevels came to Lynn County in 1901 from Borden County, and Mrs. Nevels came in 1907 following her marriage to "Mr. Bill." As a pioneer rancher, Nevels was here

when Lynn County was organized, was the first cashier in 1906 of the First State Bank and in 1907 when it was changed to First National. Both were long-time prominent citizens. Mrs. Ruth (Nevels) Sparks of Lubbock is a daughter of the couple. Their other daughter, Mrs. Willie Lois Hoffman, died at Lubbock last year. Ruth has been a liberal contributor of antiques and funds to

the Museum.

Another "Honored Pioneer" is Bernice Wells Roberts (1900-1970) member of the J.S. Wells family, who came here in 1903, was married to Oscar C. Roberts (1897-1973) on April 18, 1919. Their children are Mrs. Eloise Carroll, Mrs. Betty Greene and James F. Roberts.

Names are placed on this plaque by families or friends who have contributed \$500 to the Museum. The "Honored Pioneers" plaque now honors 17 couples and/or individuals.

The Museum is operated by funds raised by contributions and memberships. There are now 42 life members at \$100 per couple. Annual memberships are \$10 per couple. Annual memberships are now due, and interested citizens are asked to send in their checks now for the current year to Mrs. Macky Turner, secretary-treasurer, Box 87, Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenner Tubbs, Lubbock, have recently made a nice contribution to the Museum in honor of Mr. and Mrs. G.V. Fulton, also of Lubbock, in honor of the latter's 55th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Tubbs is the former Juanelle Windham, born and reared in Tahoka, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S.H. Windham, and has donated many relics to the Museum. Mrs. Fulton is the former Margaret Lam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elie Lam, grew up in Tahoka, and donated the stained glass window for the Museum chapel exhibit of the Will Montgomery daughters.

At a recent meeting of the Museum Board, plans were discussed for moving and improving the Tahoka depot as soon as possible after Santa Fe Railroad officials give the final release of the building.

The board also decided to add two new members to the board and accept other nominations at the annual meeting which will be held during the annual Lynn County Pioneer Reunion on Saturday, June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Huffaker served the meal at the last board meeting,



CARROLL RHODES FAMILY—Jonathan, Carroll, Susie and Allison.

Minister Of Music Comes To First Baptist Church

Carroll Rhodes, his wife Susie, and their children, Allison and Johathan, will be moving to Tahoka this week where he will assume the position of Minister of Music and Youth at First Baptist Church. Sunday, April 24, will be Rhodes first Sunday as part of the staff. The family comes from Muleshoe, where he was Minister of Music and Youth with the First Baptist Church.

Rhodes is a native of Abilene and received both his bachelor and master of music degree from Hardin-Simmons University. He has served as high school band director in Cross Plains and Shamrock and on the staff of Baptist churches in Rule, Cross Plains, Shamrock and Muleshoe.

Mrs. Rhodes is a junior high school teacher and is presently teaching in the Springlake-Earth ISD. She received the Bachelor of Music degree from Hardin-Simmons University.

Cystic Fibrosis Bike-A-Thon Slated

A special city-wide event to benefit the Lone Star Chapter of Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is scheduled Saturday, April 30 at 10 a.m. The entrance to the T-Bar Country Club will be held Saturday following the Bike-a-Thon on the courthouse square.

The event is open to everyone who wishes to help support the fight against Cystic Fibrosis by walking, jogging or riding a bike.

According to Nadine Dunlap, chairperson, those who wish to participate can obtain sponsor sheets from the Tahoka Schools by Friday, April 29. Participants should solicit pledges for a minimum of 25 cents per mile. The total amount is to be collected from the sponsors after the event and will be based on the number of miles each participant completes.

Prizes will be awarded in each of three age categories with anyone collecting \$25 or more to receive a CF t-shirt.

presided over by Dr. K.R. Durham, Museum board chairman. All 12 board members were present.

Did you know that the average pediatrician spends 75% of his time treating respiratory diseases?...that millions of American children have lung-damaging diseases?...that children with Cystic Fibrosis, the most serious lung disease of all, have an average life expectancy of 18 years? Now that you DO know, won't you help these children who struggle to breathe? Support the Cystic Fibrosis Spring Bike-A-Thon.

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Lynn County Jail Has Top Rank

Lynn County's jail has officially been ranked No. 1 among all jails in Texas designed to hold 20 to 40 prisoners. Sheriff Stanley Krause stated in a talk at Rotary last Thursday.

Actually his talk was on Lynn County crime statistics, and indicated that Lynn County has less crime than any surrounding county except Garza.

"If we could build a fence along our Lynn-Lubbock county line, we would have much less crime," he quoted someone as saying. Much of Lynn's crime, especially in the northern half of the county, is a spill-over from crime-infested Lubbock.

As an example, Lynn County had five rape incidents this past year, but two of them came from Lubbock County.

Krause presented a lot of statistics on Lynn crime, and explained the Sheriff's office personnel's qualifications in the detection of crime, fingerprinting and other sophisticated methods used, including a computer program which enables his office to make quick reports to the State office, where data is assembled to each law violator.

Also on the Rotary program Thursday was a talk by Jackie Harris, Quannah Parker District Boy Scout executive. The club kicked off its annual Scout fund drive. Tahoka's quota has been raised to \$2,000 for the coming year largely because of 40 percent growth this past year in the Explorer program. Rotarians are calling on citizens this week to help finance the program.

Pecan & Grape Shortcourse, Tour & Workshop Set

The annual county Pecan and Grape Management Shortcourse is scheduled Thursday, April 28, beginning at 8:45 a.m. at the Plains Community Center in Borden County, located about 10 miles south of Draw on Farm Road 1054.

Dr. George McEachern, Horticulturist with Texas A&M Research Center, will present the program. Topics include pecan management, grape management, orchard management, irrigation systems, weed control and pruning.

The program will conclude around 12:15 p.m.

CARRIKER LEADS FIGHT

State Rep. Steve Carriker, Democrat from Roby, last week successfully led the fight on the floor of the Texas House to put the State of Texas on record as opposing the Reagan Administration's move to allow the Internal Revenue Service's authority to withhold 10 percent from savings and investments.



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1 - JD 4040 Tractor S/N 6064

The maker of the Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement has defaulted in compliance with the terms of said Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement. John Deere Company, the owner and holder of said Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement on account thereof, is offering said property for sale in accordance with the terms of said Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement. John Deere Company has the right to bid.

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FBC Attends RA Track Meet

The Tahoka First Baptist Church was well represented at the area RA track meet held Saturday, March 26, in Chapman

(Royal Ambassadors) track meet held Saturday, March 26, in Chapman Field of Lubbock. There were 27 area churches represented at the meet and over 400 boys participating.

Results of the track meet are as follows:

First Grade- 220 yard dash. Shane Self, 2nd.
Second Grade: High jump. Donnie Wiseman, 2nd; Jeff Brooks, 4th; Johnathan Coulston, 5th. 50 yard dash. Royce Greer 2nd and 2nd in 220 yard dash with Jeff Brooks 3rd and Donnie Wiseman 5th. Long jump. Donnie Wiseman, 1st; Royce Greer, 2nd; Heath Brewer, 4th; and Johnathan Coulston, 6th.

Third Grade: 220 yard dash; Daniel Garvin, 6th. Softball throw. Daniel Garvin, 3rd. High jump. Daniel Garvin, 1st.

Fourth Grade: High jump. Michael Tipton, 5th. **Sixth Grade**: High jump, T.C. Spruiell, 2nd. Softball throw, T.C. Spruiell, 4th.

The RA boys brought home several trophies. The second grade boys accumulated a total of 81 points giving them the high point overall trophy.

Tahoka received another award which went to Royce Greer as individual over high point in second grade. He had a total of 29 points.

Thousands of children have Cystic Fibrosis. Won't you help at least one? Support the Cystic Fibrosis Spring Bike-A-Thon in our community.

A Visit With Your County Agent

By Stanley Young

The 1983 growing season is getting off to a tough start due to cold soils and severe seedling disease. Understanding what is happening may help farmers and gardeners deal effectively with the problem.

First, seedling disease is more severe when soils are cold even though this is not the basic cause. When plants are placed at a disadvantage and soil borne disease organisms are favored, an ideal condition exists for the seedling disease complex.

Seed function differently in cold soils than they do in warm soils. In cold soils germination is slow and seedlings emerge slowly, making them vulnerable to soil organisms over a longer period of time. During that time micro-organisms may produce seed decay, or pre or post emergence damping-off. A skippy stand may result.

Seed quality is a most important consideration. High quality seed have a better chance of producing a healthy seedling in a cold soil. Weak seed may lose nutrients from their cell walls, thus attracting soil pathogens that feed on the nutrients. Generally, a cold test is used to tell which seed lots are of high quality.

Replanting is often necessary when seedling disease reduces the stand below acceptable levels. Remember, however, that destruction of an existing stand will cause the crop to be later, making it more vulnerable to hot temperatures, drought and insect attack.

In some cases it may be best to retain the skippy stand if the crop in question has the ability to compensate. Cotton, grain sorghum and corn compensate well while peanuts and some melon crops tend not to adjust.

Early Planting And Replanting Pointers
 Home gardeners and commercial farmers alike are experiencing seedling disease problems this year.

This problem will subside when the soil temperature increases, making conditions more favorable for seed germination and less favorable for soil borne disease organisms.

Traditionally growers who plant early obtain better yields than farmers who plant late. If you consider yourself among the better growers who choose to plant early, here are a few helpful pointers:

-Use a soil thermometer to record temperatures during the morning hours at a 4-6 inch depth for several days before planting. Minimum average temperature, should be 50 degrees F. for corn, 55 for grain sorghum and 60 for cotton.

-Obtain and use the highest quality seed possible.

-Plant on a well drained raised bed.

-Prepare a good seedbed, making sure that crop residue is kept away from the seedling zone.

-Use an in-furrow fungicide on some crops such as cotton.

-Don't be discouraged by having to replant occasionally, especially when early crops produce best.

When replanting is necessary, here are a few pointers that may be helpful:

-If available, use a variety that matures earlier than the first one planted.

-Use a lower seeding rate to avoid competition for moisture.

-Plant another crop that may be equally suitable but more likely to produce better under late season conditions.

-Use a disk opener planter so that proper placement of fertilizer and herbicide applied earlier will not be disturbed.

With proper thought and action, damage from seedling disease can be lessened and a normal crop can be grown. Planning for this possibility in future years may be helpful.



Game night on April 25 starting about 6 p.m. bring your snacks and join us.

Be making plans to come to the next singing night, May 2 at 7 p.m. Noel White of Rt. 3, Post is in charge. Noel and his son, Steve, have been with us twice before.

Any senior citizens wishing to get their cheese and butter here should call and sign up with us. We get cheese only for those who sign up with us.

Lubbock doctor days are the second Monday and fourth Friday of each month. Make your appointments between 9:45 and noon.

Blood pressure check will be Tuesday, May 3, at 11 a.m.

District Literary Meet Held

In UIL Literary competition at the district meet held at Denver City High School Monday, April 28 and Tuesday, April 29, Tahoka had two first places and two third places, earning students a trip to the regional meet.

Senior Thomas Young and junior Deanna Stanley won first place medals in Debate and the team consisting of Jennifer Ehlers and Deedie Daniell, juniors, won third in debate. Both of these teams advanced to regional competition last year and are



AUTO/DIESEL AWARDS--Brad Vincent (center, bottom row, of Woodrow won the Sparkplug Award at the annual South Plains College Auto/Diesel Banquet. Outstanding students in each section are (bottom row, from left) Keith Phillips of Levelland, 1203; Tracy Spencer of Littlefield, 1204; Gerald Claborn of Lubbock, 1205; and Glenn Stephenson, also of Lubbock, 1207. Top row from left are Don Cook, shop foreman with Keeling Bulk and winner of a door prize; Don Bennett of Levelland and Joe Rubalcavia of Goodland; Jett Owens of Tulla and Kenneth E. Akers of O'Donnell. (SPC Photo)

coached by Mrs. Barbara Foster.

Lela Bailey, junior, also earned her second trip to regional competition by placing first in Poetry Interpretation. From a panel of three judges in the final round, Lela received three first place rankings. Tracy Draper, senior, placed third in Persuasive Speaking.

Informative Speakers, David Raindl, placed fifth; Dawn Blair, sixth. Doug Lawson and Lee Holden also entered Persuasive Speaking.

Other entrants were:

Poetry Interpretation, Brenda Chapa and Len Lawrence; Prose Interpretation, Melinda Sullivan and Traci Green; Ready Writing, Kim Grayson and Sara Gutierrez; Spelling, Suzanna Zuniga, Georgina Cazares and Trent Moore; Typewriting Leslie Valentine, Mistie Cook and Pamela Patterson.

Science entrants were Scott Orr and Vince Caswell.

Math entrants: Number Sense, Jeff Forsythe, Al Saldana and Vince Caswell; Calculator, Sara Gutierrez and Vince Caswell.

Journalism: Feature Writing, Sylvia Saldana, Tina Stice and Cara Monk Editorial, Thomas Young, Melanie Terry and Angie Brooks Lindsey. News-writing, Melanie Terry, Thomas Young and Kim Grayson.

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Whereas, on 4 September 1980 and 5 December 1981, Billy Ray Mayfield, Lamesa, Texas, executed and delivered to Wayland Taylor, Inc., O'Donnell, Texas, a certain Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement which was subsequently assigned to John Deere Company, and thereon mortgaged the following described property, to wit:

1-JD 4440 Tractor, S/N 42619
 1-JD 484 Cotton Stripper, S/N 566

The maker of the Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement has defaulted in compliance with the terms of said Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement. John Deere Company, the owner and holder of said Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement on account thereof, is offering said property for sale in accordance with the terms of said Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement. John Deere Company has the right to bid.

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be the site of the District V South Plains Assn. of Student Councils officer change. Schools participating in this event are: Cooper, Abernathy, Littlefield and Denver City. Tahoka STUCO will be serving lunch to the representatives from these schools.



WINS REGIONAL—Lela Bailey won first place in Poetry Interpretation at the Regional Literary meet Saturday, April 16, at Odessa College. She will be in State competition April 29-30.

Wind Generator Company Opens

Windmill Electric Co. of West Texas, a new energy company marketing wind generators for homes and small businesses in West Texas has opened in Midland.

The firm will sell the generators through a dealer system being established throughout the state.

Doug Wells, president, said the firm plans to employ approximately ten people within the first year of operation.

"The windmills use a three blade design developed in conjunction with NASA and the defense department," Wells said. "We've calculated that if the unit operates just 50 per cent of the time, they'll produce about 882 KW hours of electricity a month," he said.

The windmills are engineered to start up when the wind reaches 9 mph, and shut down automatically at 50 mph. Wells said the generators have a rates power of 2,000 watts.

Area Men In Service

Pvt. Simon Resendez Jr., son of Maria C. Sepeda and stepson of David Sepeda of O'Donnell has completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky. During training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions. He is a 1982 graduate of O'Donnell High School.

WILSON NEWS

The Wilson Lions Club will sponsor a Blood Drive today (Thursday) from 5 to 8 p.m. in the school band hall.

First Baptist Church of Wilson honored the senior class of Wilson with a supper Tuesday night, April 12, in the educational building.

The Invocation was given by Waynell Little; welcome, Kathy Scott; response, Ricky Kahlich; poem, Karla Kimbrell; devotional, Bro. Mark; and benediction, David Cook. Theme for the night was "Reach for the Stars" with each coming dressed as their favorite TV, movie or comedy star.

Lisa Steinhauser, dressed as Raggedy Andy and David Cook as Raggedy Ann won best costume. Games were played with Matt Burch winning by collecting the most pins by not saying no, or catching someone that did. Tearing graduation caps from construction paper behind their backs was won by Mark Wuenesche and Karla Kimbrell. Confusion was won by Ricky Hall and What Letter Is It by Angie Wilke.

The boys track team entered a track meet at South Plains College in Levelland Friday and Saturday, April 15-16. Friday the 400 meter relay team, Bradley Wright, Fabian Rios, Sammy Nava and Kendall qualified for competition on Saturday, they won sixth place with Bradley, Keith Spears, Bryan Bednarz and Kendall running.

Kendall Wilke qualified on Friday in the 400 meter and placed fourth on Saturday. The one mile relay team qualified on Friday and placed sixth on Saturday. Team members on Friday were Bryan Bednarz, Fabian, Sammy and Kendall. Saturday Bryan, Keith, Bradley and Kendall were the runners.

The boys will be running in district at Post on Friday, April 22.

Sharon Bednarz will be in regional golf play on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 19-20.

Christi Slone and Lisa Steinhauser will be running in Regional track meet at South Plains College Saturday, April 23.

The Wilson Athletic Booster Club will meet to finalize plans and have a work night for the athletic banquet on Tuesday, April 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Tahoka School Menu

April 25-29, 1983

BREAKFAST

- Monday- Donuts, sliced peaches, milk
- Tuesday- Pancakes, syrup, butter, orange juice, milk
- Wednesday- Cinnamon toast, diced pineapple, milk
- Thursday- Sausage, hot biscuits, jelly, butter, milk, grape juice
- Friday- Honey buns, pink applesauce, milk

LUNCH

- Monday- Pizza, buttered corn, tossed salad, pear halves, milk
- Tuesday- Sliced turkey and gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, milk
- Wednesday- Beef taco, cheese cup, pinto beans, cole slaw, cornbread, applesauce cake, milk
- Thursday- Beef burritos, baked potato, tossed salad, apricot cobbler, milk
- Friday- Hamburgers, French fries, lettuce, onions, pickles, cherry cake, milk

One-Act Play Wins District

"Alsops' Fables," Tahoka High School's UIL contest play, was one of the unranked winners chosen to advance to area competition at the district contest held Thursday, March 12, at Seminole High School's Little Theatre. The other unranked winner was Seminole High School's production of "The Elephant Man."

Tahoka led in the number of individual honors with Jennifer Ehler, junior, and Kirk Pierce, freshman, being named to the All-Star cast.

Freshmen David Raindl and Brenda Chapa, and Tracy Draper, senior, were named to Honorable Mention All-Star cast.

The next level of competition is the area contest. Saturday, April 9, the Tahoka High School UIL one-act play performed at area contest at Cooper. Two unranked winners selected to advance to regional competition were Muleshoe and Post.

Anyone interested in helping is invited to attend and bring their scissors.

Cancer Drive

April is American Cancer Drive month. The Wilson community is a little behind this year, but the drive will kick off the week of April 19-24 with a door-to-door campaign. If you would like to help with the drive as a volunteer and have not been contacted, please call Mrs. Pearl Davidson, 628-2961, JoAnn Steinhauser, 628-3651 or Helen Autry, 628-4641.

Janessa Lee, two-year-old granddaughter of Mrs. Lorain Crowson, is a patient at Santa Rosa Children's Hospital in San Antonio.

Mrs. Thad Smith is a patient at Slaton's Mercy Hospital where she was taken by ambulance Saturday night.

The first aid (ECA) class will meet Sunday afternoon at Wilson State Bank for a study session from 1 to 4 p.m.



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ASSETS	Thousands Of Dollars
Cash and due from depository institutions	2,466
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	5,927
Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	9,280
All other securities	24
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	2,875
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	25,206
Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	226
Loans, Net	24,980
Lease financing receivables	216
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	383
Real estate owned other than bank premises	43
All other assets	1,204
TOTAL ASSETS	47,398

LIABILITIES	Thousands Of Dollars
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,777
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	32,248
Deposits of United States Government	2
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States	2,818
All other deposits	16
Certified and officers' checks	169
Total Deposits	41,030
Total demand deposits	6,148
Total time and savings deposits	34,882
Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money	43
All other liabilities	423
TOTAL LIABILITIES	41,496

EQUITY CAPITAL	Thousands Of Dollars
Common stock No. shares authorized	40,000
No. shares outstanding	40,000 (par value)
Surplus	400
Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	5,102
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	5,902
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	47,398

MEMORANDA	Thousands Of Dollars
Amounts outstanding as of report date:	
Standby letters of credit, total	1
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	5,566
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	780
Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:	
Total deposits	41,023

I, Will Parker, Senior Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

1/s/ Will Parker
April 7, 1983

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

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North Elementary News

The students who will represent Tahoka in the UIL next month from the fourth grade are: Corey McCleskey, Kerrie Stanley, Diana Silvas, Lori Taylor, Jennie Wells and Bridget Miller, alternate. Trey Nance, fourth grade, made all A's during the fifth six weeks.

Perfect Attendance
4A: Chris Carter, Jay

Forsythe, Luis Garcia, Bridget Miller, Trey Nance, Mike Rodriguez, Veronica Tijerina, Jay Jay Wiseman.

4B: Roger Aleman, Alwyn Hatchett, Chasity Hood, Denise Perez, Steve Rangel, Matt Taylor Terri Solomon, Mary Roberts.

4C: Terryann Aguirre, George Cantu, Anna Duran, Kevin Hood, Taevai Lawson, John Montemayor, Mike Morin, Melissa Ramierz, Cruz Rivas, Joey Stone, Jennie Wells, Todd Wright.

Fifth Grade
The fifth grade students attaining perfect attendance for the fifth six weeks are:

5A: Adam Chavarria, Timothy Young, Valentin DeLeon, Michelle Garcia, Nikky Leal, Lanae Monk, Tracye Scott, Cheryl Stancell, Norma Tijerina.

5 B: Mike Ceneseras, Juan Garcia, Yvonne Liendo, Alice Longoria, Tabatha Miller, Katrina Milton, Louie Trevino, Connie Parker.

5C: Lydia Alvarado, Michelle Bertreaux, Paul

Glisson, Kim Ingle, Monica Montemayor, Gene Munoz, Kennie Rogers, Cecelia Ruiz, Abraham Vega, Dallas Williams, Lola Duran.

Final elimination of Oral Reading contestants were held last week. The following will represent North Elementary in the UIL meet May 2 at Cooper.

Fifth grade: Cheryl Stancell, Connie Parker, Lanae Monk and Tabatha Miller, alternate; sixth grade, Michelle Wisdom, Dena Valentine, Maritia Ausburn and Jackie Hays,

alternate.
Students on the all A honor roll are: 5A, Timothy Young; 5 B, Yvonne Liendo, Arron Miller, Connie Parker; 5 C, Abraham Vega, Michelle Bertreaux J.P. Stice, fifth grade student, is recovering from surgery.

6th Grade
The sixth grade class went on a field trip to Texas Tech University Monday, April 11. A complete tour of the campus was given by Cal Huffaker, member of the Saddle Tramps. The class also

toured the Texas Tech library and new recreation and aquatic center.

Robin Parker is on the A honor roll.

Students having perfect attendance were:

6A: Kurt Bryan, Cornelio Flores, Michael Isbell, Esmeralda Longoria, Christi Stanley, Joe Stanley, Lendi Jordan.

6B: Sylvia DeLeon, Autumn Martin, Edward Munoz, Bobby Patterson, T.C. Spruiell, Moses Tijerina, Juan Vasquez, Stephanie Womack, Rodney McFarland. On the A

DECA Future Business Leaders



FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS--This week DECA introduces Gerald Craig, president of the organization. He is the son of Winford and Margaret Craig, and is employed at Thriftway as a checker. He is also a member of the National Honor Society and THS Student Council.

honor roll were Rochelle Reid and Boone Barrow.
6C: Johnny Alvarado, Danny Calvillo, Ronnie Dunn, Thomas Glisson, Jackie Gutierrez, Bobby Jolly, Wendi Jordan, Tamara Knight, Paul Lopez, Odette Morin, Annabel Perez, Ricky Saldana, Mark Vega, Jennifer Saldana and Mack Vega are on the A honor roll.

Mark Coffey Is Award Winner

Mark Coffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coffey of Lamesa, has been named a 1983 United States National Award Winner in Mathematics. He was nominated for this National Award by Robert Geiger, math teacher of Lamesa High School, where Mark is a student.

Mark's name will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published annually.

Mark is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Riddle and Mrs. Ollie Riddle, great-grandmother, all of Tahoka.



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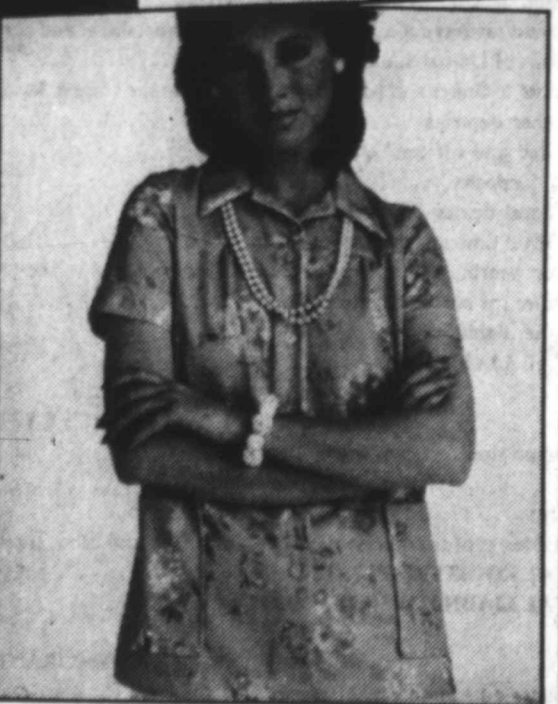


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