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## Life Enrichment Center To Be Open Saturday

Area residents are invited to tour Tahoka's new Life Enrichment Center this Saturday, Oct. 11, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. A display of local artists' work will be featured at the center, and the new library facilities will also be open for viewing.

Artists whose work will be displayed include Marlin and Diana Hawthorne, Bill Craig, Ricky Hall, Barry Pittman, Kids-n-Art, Kalah Bartley, Sue Inman, Nancy Guilliams, and a Federated Women's Club display.

## Dedication Slated At Harvick Building

Tahoka Independent School District is hosting an Open House and Dedication of the Harvick Educational Center on Friday.

The Harvick building, which was donated to the school district, now houses the TISD Business Office, Superintendent's Office, Board Room, and Alternative Education Program classrooms.

Open House of the facilities, located at 2129 N. Main Street, will be held from 9-11 a.m. Friday, with dedication ceremonies slated at 10 a.m., in memory of Robert Lewis Harvick.

Everyone is invited to attend.



**HOMECOMING QUEEN CANDIDATES** - The 1997 Tahoka High School Homecoming Queen will be crowned at halftime festivities at Friday night's Homecoming game when the Bulldogs host the Morton Indians. Queen candidates are, from left, senior Jennifer Dotson, daughter of Janie Dotson and Joel Dotson; sophomore Kassidi Andrews, daughter of Ralph and Karen Huffaker, and Sammy Andrews; junior Courtney Stennett, daughter of Gary and Betty Stennett; and (not shown) freshman Kelli Whitley, daughter of Curtis and Glenda Whitley. The Queen is chosen by the varsity football team. (LCN PHOTO)

## Saturday's Harvest Festival To Offer Fun, Food, Prizes

A wide variety of entertainment is expected to lure county residents to the 22nd annual Lynn County Harvest Festival this Saturday, an event which offers prize giveaways, games, contests, food, crafts and entertainment at the courthouse square in downtown Tahoka. Festival goers are invited to bring lawn chairs for seating on the courthouse lawn during the all-day event.

The festival begins at 10 a.m. with games for children, and booths open at that time as well. A complete list of booths can be found inside this edition, as well as a detailed schedule of the day's events. Area merchants have donated many prizes for the hourly merchant drawings which begin at 11 a.m. and continue throughout the day.

Bandgora, a country dance band, will perform on stage during the day as well as for the Street Dance from 8 p.m. until midnight. The dance is a family event, free and open to all ages.

Children may bring their frogs and turtles for the frog and turtle races at 10 a.m., under the direction of 4-H members. From 12 noon until 2 p.m., the Tahoka Elementary Pride Corps will be sponsoring several activities for children, including face painting, a sandbox treasure hunt, roping steer heads, pumpkin face decorating (supplies will be on

hand), and a contest to guess the number of skittles in a jar.

Lots of prizes will be given away during the day, including a trip for two to Mexico, two bicycles, and a Texas Tech game package weekend. The popular Cow Patty Bingo will also be sponsored again this year by the THS Junior Class.

Cash giveaways will also be conducted from the stage by emcee Cal Huffaker, with some "Let's Make A Deal" type questions. Festival goers may want to fill their pockets with interesting everyday items, in case the emcee says he will give \$20 to the first person who can bring him a — (we're not telling).

The Tahoka Man and Woman of the Year awards will be presented by the City of Tahoka at 1:15 p.m., chosen by a special committee designated by the mayor, from a slate of candidates nominated by area citizens.

The Princess and Queen contests will be held during the afternoon, beginning at 3 p.m.. Queen contestants in this year's Harvest Festival include Tahoka High School seniors April Braddock, Abbie Gill, Crystal McAllister and Brianne Rangel, juniors Rebekah Curry, Melissa Engle, Kalie Krey and Linda Resendez, sophomores Kassidi Andrews, Sandy DeLeon,

Stacy Ferguson and Brandy Kieth, and freshmen Lana Cloe, Klyssa Kella, Shea Pridmore and Chelsea White.

There are ten Princess contestants, including Tahoka elementary students Kimberly Solorzano, Apolonia Sepeda, Candice Quintero, Sarah Blaylock, Ashanti Hood, Abi Henderson, Jheri Loftis, Jennifer McCleskey, Alyssa Gomez, and seventh grader Melissa McCleskey.

A donation from the Harvest Festival Committee will be made sometime during the day to all four volunteer fire departments in Lynn County, with a representative on hand from each of the New Home, Wilson, Tahoka, and O'Donnell Fire Departments.

Festival goers are also invited to bid on items at the City/County Library booth, where auction items will be displayed for the Silent Auction, an annual fundraiser benefitting the library. Slips of paper will be placed beside each auction item for bidding, with the item going to the highest bidder at the close of the auction, usually around 3 p.m.

Booths will close at 5 p.m., with the exception of the Tahoka Rotary Club's sausage booth, which will remain open for the Street Dance that night — a free family event which culminates the festival each year.

## Woodwork...

by Dalton

ONCE EVERY three or four years I write something about fishing, one of many things I know almost nothing about. The last time I went fishing was about five years ago, at Lake Brownwood. I didn't catch anything, but then, I really didn't expect to.

I fished in a boat house, or dock house, or whatever they called it, and I also fished once from a boat at Brownwood. Each time I kept my baited hook in the water for a long, long time, the most boring 45 minutes I ever spent, and caught nothing.

My friends who are real fisherpeople tell me that impatience is my problem. They tell me how much they enjoy going out and spending the whole day just fishing and communing with nature, whether they catch anything or not. Of course, they like it better when they do catch something.

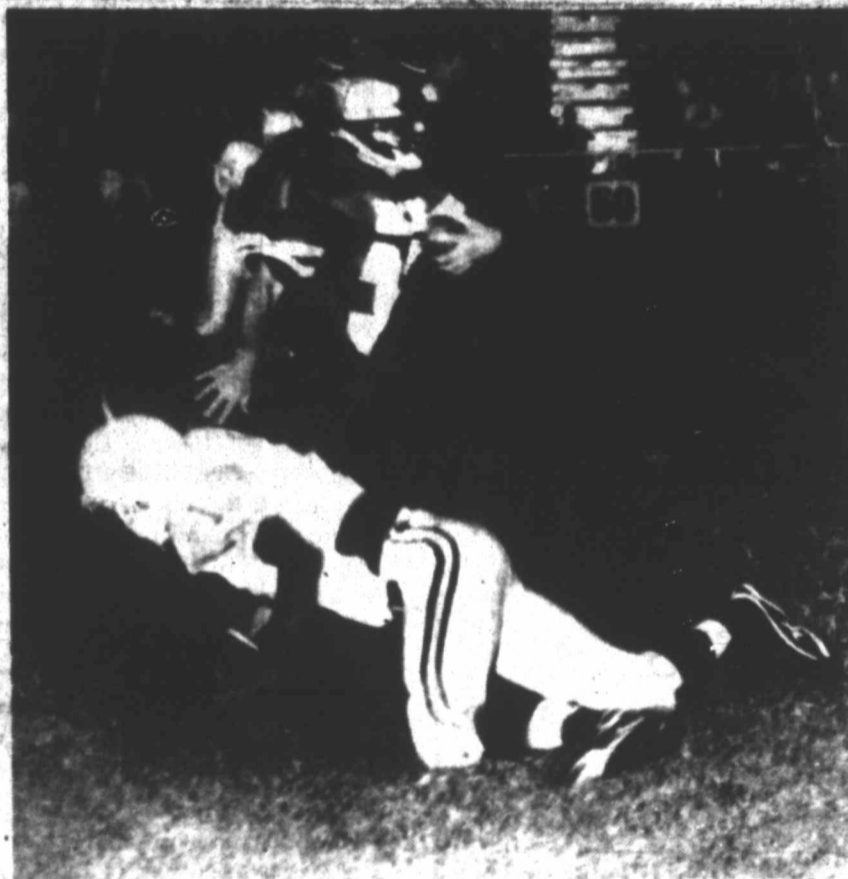
Not me. If I haven't caught anything in 30 minutes, I'm ready to go do something else. And I am rather proud to say again that I never have caught a fish large enough to take home. (Except one time I caught a pretty good-sized fish which made rumbling noises like it had serious stomach trouble, and my companion made me throw it back, saying "That's an old drum; nobody eats those.")

And why should everyone be so proud of catching big fish, anyway, when a little one is just as pretty, and two or three small ones would make as much food as one big one? The answer, of course, is because that's where the prestige is; it's a competition to see who can catch the biggest bass, catfish, trout, guppy or whatever. Actually, most fishermen/women don't eat the fish they catch, anyway. Even if I had caught one, my wife wouldn't have cooked it, because she says they stink up the kitchen.

I'm glad somebody likes to fish, because I like to eat fish. Boneless, in a restaurant.

A LOT OF high school superjocks who understand a ball better than they do a book apparently have been doing well at Texas Tech, where somebody who should have known better has been telling all the athletes "Sure, you're eligible; get out there and play!" even when some of them had no passing grades. But Tech now should have a greater appreciation for those good athletes who also are good students.

THE LADY on Lockwood says she has noticed that people who are on a diet are never reduced to silence.



**A BOY NAMED SUE**—Anthony DeLeon (1) of Tahoka tackles Ralls running back Brandon Sue, who made a lot of yards as the Jackrabbits beat Tahoka last Friday. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

## THS Homecoming Schedule

<b>Thursday, Oct. 9</b>	
7:45 p.m.	Spirit Drag — meet at THS parking lot
8:00 p.m.	Spirit Fire/Pep Rally — THS practice field
<b>Friday, Oct. 10</b>	
12:30 p.m.	School dismisses early
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Registration in gym foyer for Homecoming Assembly
1:00-2:30 p.m.	Homecoming Assembly — THS Gym
2:45 p.m.	Homecoming Parade lineup on north side of THS Gym (parade should reach courthouse square about 3 p.m.)
3:00 p.m.	Homecoming Pep Rally — at Courthouse Square
5:00-6:30 p.m.	National Honor Society Supper — at School Cafeteria \$4 for children, \$6 for adults (brisket, potato salad, beans, & cobbler)
6 p.m.	Tailgate Party at Football Field Hamburger, chips & drink for \$2.50, sponsored by Booster Club
6:45 p.m.	Pre-game festivities at Kelley Field including performance by THS Marching Band, school songs, fight songs, National Anthem performed by THS junior Krystin Kellin
7:30 p.m.	Kickoff — Bulldogs vs. Morton Indians
Halftime	Crowning of Homecoming Queen
After-Game Parties	For honored classes, at various locations

## Assault Cases, Thefts, Wreck Investigated

Several assault incidents, mostly involving family members, and a traffic accident in the city of Tahoka were investigated by Tahoka Police Dept. during the last week. The sketchy wreck report was the first received by *The Lynn County News* under a new state law which prohibits law officers from giving out names of persons involved in traffic accidents.

(In the last legislative session, a bill was passed which prohibits officers from giving out names and specific addresses in traffic accidents to newspapers or other media. The bill by a Houston legislator supposedly was intended to prevent "ambulance-chasing lawyers and chiropractors" from getting information on persons involved in accidents and then contacting them and offering their services.

(In effect, the law blocks newspapers from reporting the news in regard to traffic accidents. The Texas Press Assn. and some of the state's larger newspapers are seeking to get the law overturned.)

The collision investigated this week was on Thriftway parking lot and involved a 1997 Kia driven by a 28-year-old Tahoka man and a 1981 Ford pickup driven by a 52-year-old O'Donnell man. No injuries resulted.

Barbara Whiteside of Wilson told sheriff's officers that someone took about \$250 in cash from her home during the last week. The money had been collected for a Wilson school fund raiser.

A Tahoka woman told police this week that she would file assault charges against a Tahoka man who allegedly made improper advances toward her at a home here on Sept. 28. Both the man and woman are in their 60s. The case is to be heard in municipal court.

Police this week recovered a VHS camera which had been stolen from a vehicle on Lockwood after the vehicle's owners both had been arrested by DPS officers on warrants from outside the county and taken to jail. Investigation is continuing. A 15-year-old Tahoka youth was

jailed on charges of striking his sister, resisting arrest and assault on a peace officer, plus disorderly conduct and use of abusive language. The arresting officer suffered hand and knee injuries, according to the report. The youth was taken to the Lubbock Detention Center.

Troy Hinds of Tahoka reported a window on his Mercury van had been broken while the van was parked at his residence on N. 3rd Sunday. And Marie Littrell of Tahoka told police someone scratched the door and side of her Pontiac while it was parked on Lockwood Sunday, causing an estimated \$200 damage.

A 37-year-old Tahoka woman told officers she was struck by a 25-year-old Tahoka man on S. 1st St. Saturday. The incident was to be considered in municipal court.

A 47-year-old Tahoka man was to be charged with assault on a family member after his 35-year-old female companion said he kicked her in the stomach at a residence on S. 8th St. Saturday. She was taken to Lynn County Hospital for treatment.

Augustina Salazar of Tahoka reported two tires on her Ford Escort were punctured while it was parked in the 2200-block of N. 5th St. Friday.

In jail during the week were two persons for theft by check, one for possession of marijuana under two ounces, one for traffic warrants (for Slaton) and one for driving while intoxicated, first offense.

## Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Oct. 1	92	59	
Oct. 2	88	58	
Oct. 3	90	59	
Oct. 4	87	62	
Oct. 5	85	61	
Oct. 6	71	63	.11"
Oct. 7	79	62	
Oct. 8			.14" a.m.
Precip. for October: .28"			
Precip. for 1997 to date: 22.18"			

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MR. and MRS. JAMES L. BRAY (nee AUTUMN MARTIN)  
**Bray, Martin Exchange Vows**

Autumn Martin and James L. Bray, both of Tahoka, exchanged wedding vows on Tuesday, Sept. 16, 1997 in Las Vegas, Nev. The couple has a daughter, Caitlynn. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin of Tahoka. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bray of Lubbock and the late Linda Bray. The couple will live in Tahoka where the groom is employed by Lyntegar Electric.

**October 13-17**

- Breakfast**  
**Monday:** Donut, Pineapple Bits, Milk.  
**Tuesday:** Cinnamon Roll, Pears, Milk.  
**Wednesday:** Sausage & Egg Burrito, Apple Juice, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Sausage Patty, Toast w/ Jelly, Orange Juice, Milk.  
**Friday:** Cereal, Toast w/Jelly, Choice of Juice, Milk.
- Lunch**  
**Monday:** Mixed Vegetable Soup, Cheese Sandwich, Tossed Salad, Cookie, Milk.  
**Tuesday:** Turkey & Dressing, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Hot Roll, Fruit Salad Milk.  
**Wednesday:** Chalupa, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Spanish Rice, Cornbread, Apple, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Sliced Ham, Mashed Potatoes, Garden Salad, Hot Roll, Cookie, Milk.  
**Friday:** Hamburger w/Fixings, French Fries, Peach Cobbler, Milk.

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

A bake sale was held Oct. 1-2 to help with the funding of Red Ribbon Week activities. Mrs. Durham would like to thank everyone who sent baked goods to be sold during the sale. A lot of activities have been planned for the week of Oct. 27-31. Please check your school calendar for the separate contests and events. Everyone is welcome to come to the opening assembly at 9:00 on Oct. 27 or the program on Oct. 29 at 2:00. Special half-time activities are also being planned for Oct. 31 to conclude the week. If you are interested in helping, call Karon Durham at 924-7524.

APTA meeting will be held on Monday, Oct. 13 at 7:00 in the school cafeteria. President Mary Rodriguez will conduct the meeting and several committees will be giving reports.

A "Honey-Do" shower for Martin Gill will be held at Steve and Ann Lisemby's on Thursday, Oct. 9 at 7:30 p.m. It is a "come and go" shower for the couple.

Gill and Vanessa Turney will marry on Saturday, Oct. 18.

New Home schools recently named their honor roll for the first six weeks of the school year. Honored students are as follows: 1st Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Chelsea Byerly, Stephanie Castro, Hector Fiscal, Mary Maeker; "AB" Honor Roll-Caul Blakley, Kali Gonzales, Nicholas Moore, April Torres. 2nd Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Trevor White, Sarah Ussery, Damien Rodriguez, Mark Overman, Kelsi Kieth, Jordan Clem; "AB" Honor Roll-Fabian Vitolas, Adrian Villarreal, T.J. Thornhill, Jennifer Speckman, Josh Nieman, Kelly Nettles, Jonathan Longoria, Maria Hernandez, Jose Cerbantez, Wacie Barnett. 3rd Grade: "AB" Honor Roll-Sarah Clem, Adam Fiscal, David Mevare, Tyler Nieman. 4th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Matthew Hymes, Krystal Lieck, Laura Maeker; "AB" Honor Roll-T.J. Johnston, Blaine Paul, Maricela Rodriguez, Chantry Thomhill, Stefanie White. 5th Grade: "AB" Honor Roll-Cody Kieth, Rayanne Melot, Tyler McAllister, Harvey Silva, Jacob Tyler. 6th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Joe Melot, Kenny Chapman, Karla Cervantes; "AB" Honor Roll-Brooke Kieth, Britany Kieth, Angelica Rodriguez, Josh Schoppa, Effren Silva, Bear Chesley. 7th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Kayla Durham, Joanna Garza, Justin Garza, Jessica Holder, Stephanie Kieth; "AB" Honor Roll-Clayton Fleming, Miranda Rodriguez. 8th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Keaton Askew, Amy Melot; "AB" Honor Roll-Riley Barnett, Heather Kieth, Tiffany Nettles, Katie Schoppa, Danielle Swartz, Randi Thornhill. 9th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Cecilia Garza, Valerie Magnini; "AB" Honor Roll-Rachel Alonzo, Kendall Barnett, Clifton Bearden, Larry Brand, Mindy Dion, Angelica Gonzales, Bobbie Mansker, Jim Vineyard. 10th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Jessica Brown, Danielle Flores, Tabitha Swartz, Joe Thaggard, Lisa Vineyard; "AB" Honor Roll-Jorge Dominguez, Joshua Garza, Carmela Gomez, John Gonzales, Cassidi Lisemby. 11th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Joshua Brown, Jami Burrow, Bethany Clem, Elizabeth Fillingim; "AB" Honor Roll-Cindy Caballero, Joshua Gandy, Joseph Garcia, Angela Holler, John Magnini, Steve



**CARE CENTER KING AND QUEEN** - Kencie Phillips (left) and Hazel Hancock will appear in Tahoka's Homecoming Parade on Friday. The pair have been named Homecoming King and Queen at Tahoka Care Center.

**Tahoka Care Center News**

by Lisa Lehman  
 We would like to thank the First Baptist church Mission group that came out to Tahoka Care Center and brought gifts for the residents. Several of our residents will be in the Homecoming Parade this Friday. Our Tahoka Care Center Homecoming Queen is Hazel Hancock and Homecoming King is Kencie Phillips. Our monthly birthday party will be Tuesday, Oct. 14 at 2 p.m. It will be hosted by Sweet Street Baptist Church. Thanks to Tahoka Family Flowers for donating flowers for the birthday party. "Happy Birthday" to Linda Hood on Oct. 13 and Lonnie Wood on Oct. 14.

Anyone interested in volunteering a few hours a week please call Lisa a-998-5018.

Thanks to the Dixie Dog for donating cokes and ice cream on our van rides. Thanks to the O'Donnell Bible Study Group for donating bingo prizes.

Ramirez, Misty Swartz. 12th Grade: "A" Honor Roll-Jody Clem, Kriston Durham, Ricyhard Koonce, Eric Martinez, Anya Matveeva. "AB" Honor Roll-Ernest Caballero, Amy Clem, Eric Rodriguez, Jose Salinas, Travis Smith, Ricky Torres.

**Service News**



**COURTNEY BAILEY**  
 Courtney Bailey, son of Rayford and Debbie Harris of Tahoka and grandson of Ollie Brown, recently graduated from the Naval Academy Recruit Training Program in Great Lakes Illinois. He will be attending college for management specialist, military police, and computer technician in San Antonio. He will then be stationed in Hawaii or San Diego, Calif. Bailey is a 1997 graduate of Tahoka High School.

**TAHOKA ROTARY CLUB NEWS**

Members of the Tahoka Rotary Club met last Thursday for their regular weekly meeting. Rotarian Louise Landers introduced guest speaker Bill Sowder, Criminal District Attorney for Lubbock County. Sowder presented a very informative program and spoke about various cases handled by their office.

According to Sowder, they handle cases ranging from hot checks to homicide. Sowder indicated that the adult crime rate in the state of Texas is actually declining. Unfortunately, crimes committed by juveniles are increasing, he said. He informed Rotarians that recent legislation has been passed which allows for certifying juveniles as young as 14 to stand trial as adults.

Sowder and his wife Sheri have three children. Sowder is active in his church where he serves as a deacon and youth leader. He also coaches children's athletics and is a member of the Lubbock Lions Club. Accompanying Sowder at Thursday's meeting was George Leal, an assistant D.A. who graduated from O'Donnell High School.

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**HARVICK EDUCATIONAL CENTER DEDICATION**

The Tahoka Independent School District Board of Trustees and Administration cordially invites you to attend an **Open House** of the Harvick Educational Center from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. on Friday, October 10, 1997 at 2129 N. Main Street Tahoka, Texas

Dedication of the building, in memory of Robert Lewis Harvick, will be held at 10:00 a.m.

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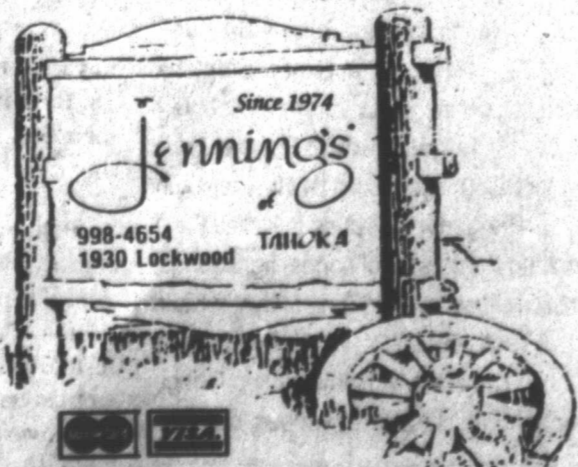
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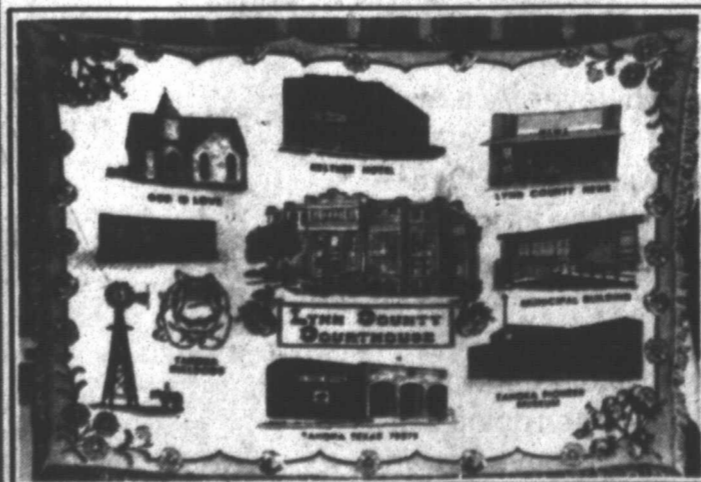
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**Obit**

**Leda M.S.**

Services for Jim Self, 89, of Lubbock, p.m. Saturday, O Funeral Home Mem the Rev. Keith W pastor of First M officiating.

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**Obituaries**

**Leda M. Self**

Services for Jimmie Leda Martin Self, 89, of Lubbock were held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4, in White Funeral Home Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Keith Wiseman, associate pastor of First Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

She died Thursday, Oct. 2, 1997, in Lubbock.

She was born Feb. 24, 1908, in Hopkins County. She graduated from Tahoka High School and attended West Texas State University and Texas Tech University. She was a member of the Eastern Star-University Chapter 1082, and she held offices as worth matron and mother adviser for the Rainbow Girls. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

She taught school in Lynn County, and she was a dietitian at J.T. Hutchinson Junior High and Monterey High School. She was head dietitian in several dorms at Texas Tech University, retiring in 1972.

Survivors include a son, Jimmy C. of Lubbock; two daughters, Merle Genevieve Brewer of Bethany, Okla., and Alice Ann Hunt of Santa Cruz, Calif.; two brothers, James Weldon Martin and Joseph Dudley "Buck" Martin, both of Lubbock; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family suggest memorials to the American Heart Association, 3403 73rd St., Lubbock 79423, or to the American Cancer Society, 3411 73rd, Lubbock 79423.

**Ruth Giles**

Services for Ruth Giles, 77, of Fort Worth were held Tuesday, Sept. 30, at Laurel Land Funeral Home of Fort Worth.

Burial was in Laurel Land Memorial Park in Fort Worth.

She died Sunday, Sept. 28, 1997 in Fort Worth.

She was born Oct. 23, 1919 in Roby. She was a member of American Legion No. 516 and was a life member of the American Legion Auxiliary and D.A.V. No. 21 of Fort Worth. She served 15 years with the V.A. and was a volunteer for the Fort Worth V.A. Clinic.

Survivors include her husband, William "Bill" Giles of Fort Worth; three sons, Charles W. "Buddy" of Wichita, Kan., William Wayne of Joshua and Wendell L. of Fort Worth; a sister, Ava Lichey of Tahoka; 15 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

**Lynn County Merchants Appreciate Your Business!**

**THS Class of '34 Holds 63rd Reunion**

*(Editors Note: The following story was submitted by Martin S. Reese of Dallas, who is a member of the Tahoka High School graduating class of 1934.)*

Exhibiting the same grit and determination that enabled them to survive the Great Depression of the Thirties and the hardships of World War II which engulfed many of them, ten of the surviving 17 members of the hardy Tahoka High School Class of 1934 met for their fourth reunion since their fiftieth anniversary get-together in 1984. The ten with some spouses and a few relatives and friends met on Sept. 19-20 at Barcelona Court in Lubbock. This site was chosen because it afforded those in attendance more time to visit with each other. The three previous reunions were held in Tahoka in 1984, 1989 and 1994. If enough can still make it, another reunion is planned for 1999.

Age and distance did not deter those who attended. One graduate

**Belva Whittington**

Services for Belva Curry Whittington, 86, formerly of Tahoka, were held Sunday, Oct. 5, at First Baptist Church in Rule with the Rev. Jim Turner officiating.

Burial was in Rule Cemetery. She died Friday, Oct. 3, 1997 at Tahoka Care Center.

She was born Dec. 18, 1910, in the Pinkerton community in Haskell County and she graduated from Rule High School. She received a masters degree in education from West Texas State University. She married Jessie E. Whittington on July 25, 1942, in Potter County. He died in 1971.

She taught school in Ballew, Bunker Hill, New Cook, Hall County and Tahoka. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include two brothers, John B. Curry and Roger Curry, both of Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Robert Darnell of Haskell, and several nieces and nephews.

**Senior Citizens MENU**

October 13-17

**Monday:** Oven Fried Fish, Tartar Sauce, Baby Limas, Carrots, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Bananas & Oranges.

**Tuesday:** Baked Chicken, Broccoli, Spanish Rice, Pears.

**Wednesday:** Turkey & Dressing, Gravy, Green Beans, Orange Sections, Wheat Roll, Pumpkin Pie.

**Thursday:** Oven Fried Chicken, Corn, Spinach, Tossed Salad/French Dressing, Hot Roll, Frosted Cake.

**Friday:** Hamburger Steak, Brown Gravy, Green Peas, Yellow Squash, Golden Congealed Salad, Wheat Roll, Cookie.

and her husband came from Spokane, Wash., one from Oregon, one and his wife from Colorado, one and his wife from New Mexico, one and his wife from Oklahoma, and others from various places in Texas, including three who still live in Tahoka or Lubbock.

The career paths followed by members of the Class of 1934 varied. One, now deceased, became a physician, one a University Professor, one a radio and TV personality, one a geologist, and one the owner of an office supply store. The girls in the class for the most part became housewives, sometimes mixing homemaking with careers.

Members of the class in attendance at the reunion, some with spouses, were: Verdine Warren Baker, Eunice Mullins Davis (and daughter Ann), Margaret Strain Edwards, Helen House Farr, John Wylie (J.W.) Fortenberry, Jack Huffmyer and wife Charlsie, Eugene Jaynes and wife Avel, Martin Sylvester Reese and wife Jimmie, Florence King Smith and husband Floyd, and Gordon Suits and wife Joan.

Guests in attendance, some of whom were related to members of the Class of 1934, included Irma Fay Edwards Danklef, Christine Bates Melton, Gaynell Tate Pitts, and



**THIS CLASS OF 1934** - The Tahoka High School graduating class of 1934 met recently for their 63rd class reunion. They are, from left, Gordon Suits, J.W. Fortenberry, Jack Huffmyer, Margaret Strain Edwards, Eunice Mullins Davis, Martin Reese, Helen House Farr, Gene Jaynes, Verdine Warren Baker, and Florence King Smith.

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At least six of the members of the class either attended or were graduated from Texas Tech.

Arrangements for the 63rd reunion

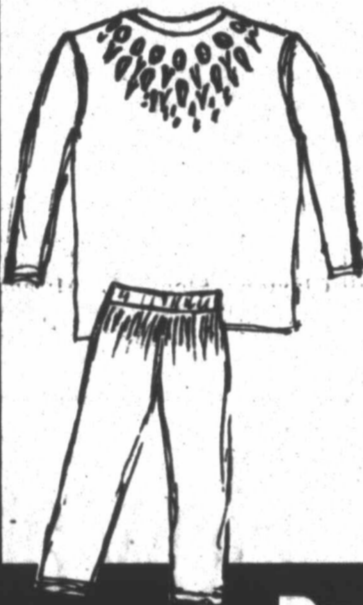
as well as the three previous reunions were made by Margaret Edwards, Verdine Baker and Helen Farr.

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taught Civics and English, coached the debate teams, and directed the plays staged by the class. She was greatly respected and admired by the class.

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**LYNN COUNTY NEWS -- 1617 MAIN STREET**

OCTOBER 9 1997

**The Wilson News**  
by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

Wilson 4-H will be selling \$1 chances for a fall wreath designed by Susan Weid, at the Wilson 4-H booth at the Lynn County Harvest Festival in Tahoka, Saturday, Oct. 11. The club will also have pie throwing, with several local "celebrities" as the targets of the pies. Scheduled targets include Sheriff Charlie Smith, Deputy James Hill, County Agents Bryan Reynolds and Doris Collins and Wilson Elementary Principal Kelley Hirt. All area residents are urged to come out and support the local 4-H members by "chunkin a pie".

The First Baptist Church of Wilson will host a 5th Quarter Fellowship for all Junior High and High School students immediately following the football game Friday night, Oct. 10. There will be food, singing and entertainment, and a guest speaker.

The Wilson Student Council will be having a Bar-B-Que dinner on Friday, Oct. 10. Food will be served in the cafe-

ria from 5:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. The cost of the meal will be \$3 for adults and \$2 for students 18 years old and under. Please come support the student council.

District play begins for the Wilson Mustang football teams this week. The Mustang junior high and JV will travel to Meadow this Thursday for their games and the Meadow varsity will come to Wilson on Friday. Thursday's games will kick-off at 5 p.m. and Friday's game is scheduled for a 7:30 kick-off.

There will be a state-wide election on Tuesday, Nov. 4. Voters will be voting on several amendments. Voters are urged to learn about the amendments and then vote.

The Wilson Livestock Association will be holding a supper on Oct. 24 before the Southland game. Watch for more information next week.

Monday, Oct. 13, is Columbus Day.

Most government offices and financial institutions will be closed on that day. The City of Wilson offices, the Wilson State Bank, and the Wilson Post Office will be closed on that day. Current plans call for the Wilson Coop Gin and other retail business, as well as the Wilson Schools, to be open that day.

Several other area wide activities are also planned for later in the month of October. There is a Health Fair scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 22 at the old high school gym from 3:30-6:30. Included will be free blood pressure checks, cholesterol screenings, glucose screenings, and fingerprinting for kids. Due to a scheduling conflict, the flu shots will not be available during the Health Fair, but they will be given on Thursday, Oct. 23. For more information, contact school nurse Sandra Stabenó at the elementary school.

The annual Fall Festival is planned for Friday, Oct. 31 in the old high school gym from 7-10 p.m. This evening is Halloween and the Wilson Mustangs have scheduled an open date. The festival will include many booths, a costume parade, a family Jack O'Lantern decorating contest, and more. Anyone interested in having a booth should contact Kelley Hirt or Janie Rios at 628-6261 by Oct. 10.

The Wilson Mustang Booster Club is scheduled to meet twice in October. They will meet Tuesday, Oct. 14 and Tuesday, Oct. 28. Both meetings are scheduled for 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The Booster Club is planning a Mexican stack supper before the New Home game on Nov. 7. Be sure to mark your calendar.

The next intersession days for Wilson students are scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 20-21. The same intersession rules and regulations apply to these days as applied to prior sessions.

Who is wrapped up in the bale of hay between the two "Smiley Faces" bales of Hay just west of A.J. and Pearl Gickhorn's house on FM 211? Maybe A.J. will just have to "shoe" us who it is.

Community Story Time will be held on Thursday, Oct. 16 from 10:00-10:30.

Thanks to everyone who donated items or shopped at the Faculty Garage Sale, We raised approximately \$235. These funds will be used to pay the admission fee for our elementary students to attend a musical in Lubbock on Nov. 18.

Progress reports will be distributed on Monday, Oct. 13. Please review your child's report. The report will indicate whether or not your child is required to attend intersession on Oct. 20-21. Please sign and return the school's copy by Wednesday, Oct. 15. Please call your child's teacher if you have questions.

The immunization Clinic will be at Wilson Elementary School on Oct. 23 from 9:00-9:30. Vaccinations and flu shots will be given at this time.

Congratulations to the 6th grade class. They were winners of the Sept. Attendance Contest with 100% attendance.

Congratulations to the following students who were recognized at the AR Assembly on Oct. 3: Cody Cross, Mackenzie Hirt, Dominique Escobar, Sidna Morales, Brittany Holder, Rayley Farmer, Veronica Gill, Samantha Rios, Jonathan Bennett, Juan Calsoncit, Clavin Johnson, Sonya Quezada, Brady Cross, Tiffany Hernandez, Kristi Shipley, Angel Valdiviez, Gavino Valdiviez, Jared



**CHAD SWINFORD and LEAH DELEON  
Couple Announces Engagement**

Chad Swinford and Leah DeLeon, both of Tahoka, announce their engagement and approaching marriage.

The couple will marry on Oct. 22 in Las Vegas, Nev. Parents of the bride-elect are Eva DeLeon of Tahoka and Milton DeLeon of Amarillo.

The prospective bridegroom's parents are Jackie Swinford of Tahoka and Dan Mott of O'Donnell.

Ms. DeLeon is employed by Health Corp. in Lubbock. Swinford is employed by South Plains Telephone in Lubbock. After their marriage, the couple will reside in Tahoka.

West, Kathy Soto, Yessica Gonzalez, and Lorena Gonzalez.

Congratulations to the following published authors who were recognized at

the assembly on Oct. 3: Victoria Zepeda, Gabrielle Vergara, Marcus Martinez, Tyler West, Yessica Gonzalez, Laurisa Galvan, Samantha Gill, and Rayley Farmer.

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# Citizens Express Concerns At City Council Meeting

by JUANELL JONES

Several citizens attended the Tahoka City Council meeting Monday night, expressing their concerns over some juvenile activity here, and wanting to know how law enforcement could respond, as well as how they, as parents, could address the issue. Tahoka Police Chief Steve Chance spoke at the meeting, saying the police department and the council members were well aware of the juvenile delinquent activity and that programs were being implemented to address the problem.

"This [city council] meeting was a very good example of how local government and citizens can work together for a common cause," Chief Chance told *The News* after the meeting, adding that he felt it was a very positive meeting and a good opportunity for information to be shared.

Citizens shared information about juvenile activity in the mini-park, where parents said children attending functions at the Methodist Church and the Life Enrichment Center were verbally harassed by juveniles, and that an adult leader at the center called police after juveniles "banged on the doors."

"What we have here is what is called Delinquent Youth Gangs, which are groups of young people (mostly juveniles - we have knowledge of ages 5-21 involved here) who hang out together. They have a name, a leader or leaders, and they have developed some identifying signs such as similar clothing style, colors, and/or hand signs. They have engaged in delinquent or undesirable behavior (truancy, minor vandalism, status offenses) often enough to attract negative attention from law enforcement and/or neighborhood residents and/or school officials, but they have not yet committed serious crimes," Chance said.

The police chief said that several changes in police department operations, based on citizen input, have already been implemented and more changes will be instigated soon, including:

- (1) An officer on duty 24-hours a day; (Although there has always been a 24-hour response, the chief has changed the work schedule to ensure an officer on duty 24 hours a day, and two officers will be on duty from 6 p.m. until early morning hours.)
- (2) Increasing police visibility where juvenile delinquents gather;
- (3) Target specific areas for increased routine patrol; and

(4) Develop programs that work in a preventive manner to deal with the problem.

Two programs which citizens will soon see include the Red Ribbon Week program, from Oct. 23-31, and a Citizens Academy program. Red Ribbon Week is a drug awareness program where citizens wear red ribbons to show that their community will not accept drug use, said Chance, who says he will be distributing the ribbons throughout the area.

A program which Chance has been preparing for quite some time is the Citizens Academy, a program which he says works well for many cities, and of which he has had experience with.

"The Citizens Academy is an eight-week program (2-1/2 hour classes one night each week) which anybody can attend, which will give an overall orientation on everything Tahoka police officers deal with," Chance explained.

He says the program is free, with all materials provided, and is an organized, structured, informative program which gives a good basic orientation to citizens of what police departments can and cannot do. He organized three Citizens Academy classes while in the Pampa Police Department prior to taking the chief position in Tahoka, and says the program worked well there.

The police chief will instruct some of the class sessions, he says, but there will also be guest instructors. Certificates will be presented to those who complete the course, and they will then be known as Citizens Academy Alumni.

"The Alumni group works directly with the local police department in accomplishing things that need to be done, such as a neighborhood watch and park watch and other crime prevention programs. We want citizen involvement - we are your police department, and we are working for you," Chance said.

Chance said he hopes to have everything in place for the Citizens Academy program by next Friday, and that more information would be forthcoming. Also, he invites anyone interested in taking the classes to contact him at the police station, phone 998-5255.

Another program which the department will employ, says the chief, is a "standby program" which avails an officer to any particular event. "If you want an officer to come stand by to watch over any gathering, just call the department," says Chance.

Additionally, the chief has been conferring over the past several months with Tahoka school officials over the possibility of having a school resource officer on duty at the school, and has been waiting for approval of a grant application to pay the officer's salary. Chance says he already has a person in mind for the program, who is a non-local officer who has worked with such programs in the past.

"The right person in this position can provide a major input in deterring juvenile delinquent activity, and we are hopeful that this grant will be approved soon. The school superintendent has been very cooperative, the city council has been very supportive, and we are excited about such an opportunity," said the chief.

Within the local department, Chance said, all police officers have now completed additional training on "juvenile street law" in order to help address the problem of juvenile delinquency here.

Also, a program which has been implemented during the last two months is one that lets the parents of juveniles know when their child is involved in law enforcement situations.

"Any time our officers deal with juveniles in any manner other than positive situations, we document that on a department form and send that form to their parents," said Chance. He added that because of citizen input, the department will change that policy somewhat, by not only sending the form to the parents, but also keeping one copy of the form on file at the local police department as well as sending a copy to juvenile probation authorities and school authorities.

"We are working on the problem ... just give us a chance to implement these programs," Chance said. "Every member of this community should demand the highest standards of professionalism from this police department, and we are striving to provide that," added the chief.

He added, however, that there is more to stopping the problem of juvenile delinquency than just the police efforts, such as recreational programs offering alternative activities for youth, supervisory after-school programs which provide safe places for children to learn and play while parents are at work, and mentoring programs.

In other business at the city council meeting, two citizens were present to acknowledge the progress made on traffic control signs being placed within the city. Philip and Dana Barnett, who at a previous meeting expressed concern over the lack of stop signs and other traffic control signs in the city, told the council they did see progress, and appreciated the efforts of the city in placing the new signs.

Council members awarded a bid to Plains Roofing in Lubbock for repairing the roof at city hall. No local bids were submitted for the project, according to City Administrator Jerry Webster.

Monthly bills were approved, and a resolution to combine the city's seal coat project with other West Texas cities to secure the best price was approved from Oller

Engineering. County Commissioner Mike Braddock discussed a possible joint venture with the city involving the property where the railroad tracks were being taken up, making a road there which would lead directly to the city cemetery. City officials agreed that the possibility was worth looking into, and Braddock said more information would be available later.

Presiding over the meeting was Mayor Mike Mensch, and all council members were present, including Jay Dee House, Ray Box, John Chapa Jr., Rudy Tejada Jr. and Amy Preston; city attorney Cal Huffaker; and Webster.

## Booster Club News

The Tahoka Bulldog Booster Club will be hosting a homecoming tail-gate party at 6 p.m. on Friday. Hamburger, drink and chips will be \$2.50 per person. Anyone wearing blue and white will be given a free pom pom.

Tickets are being sold for a trip for two to Las Vegas. Tickets are \$1 each and the trip will be given away at the Lynn County Harvest Festival. Contact any Booster Club member to purchase a ticket.

During the month of October, Fina will donate 1 cent to the Tahoka Booster Club for every gallon of gas purchased.

## Go Bulldogs!



**NEW STOP SIGNS IN TOWN** - City workers have put up 40 new stop signs in Tahoka during the past two weeks, including this one at the intersection of Lockwood and Ave. J. According to City Administrator Jerry Webster, stop signs will be placed at every intersection leading onto Lockwood and Main Street, and a total of about 100 new traffic control signs will be placed throughout the city, many at intersections where there were previously no signs at all. (LCN PHOTO)

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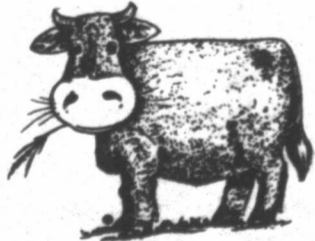
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10:00 am	..... Booths Open
11:00 am	..... First Merchant's Drawing
12:00 noon	..... Merchant's Drawing
12 noon-2:00 pm	..... Children's Games sponsored by Tahoka Elementary PRIDE Corps Face Painting; Sand Box Treasure Hunt Guess the number of Skittles in a jar Roping Steer Heads; Pumpkin Face Decorating
1:00 pm	..... Merchant's Drawing
1:15 pm	..... Man & Woman of the Year Awards
2:00 pm	..... Merchant Drawing
3:00 pm	..... Harvest Festival Princess Contest
3:45 pm	..... Harvest Festival Queen's Contest
4:00 pm	..... Merchant's Drawing
5:00 pm	..... Merchant's Drawing
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## Harvest Festival Queen Judges Experienced In Pageants

Three professional pageant judges will be on hand Saturday to select the 1997 Lynn County Harvest Festival Queen.

Glenn R. Patton, a judge in previous years, was a professional model for major clothing corporations. He appeared on runways and billboards, and in magazines and catalogs in Texas, the Southwest and Midwestern regions.

Patton has been a beauty pageant judge for 12 years. He has judged numerous pageants in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma on the local, area and state levels. Patton has judged the "Miss Texas" preliminaries and is a certified "Miss Texas" judge.

He attended Texas Tech University and Lubbock Christian University. He majored in Public Relations and Communication and Business Administration, and minored in Spanish Communication. Patton is a member of the American Business Club, Chairman of the Public Responsibility Committee at Lubbock State School, and has been nominated for the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce Leadership Lubbock, Habitat for Humanity Council.

Patton works at Total Home Health Care of Methodist Hospital System in Physician Relations, PR and Marketing. He has worked for Methodist Hospital 14 years.

A judge new to the festival contest and new to the Lubbock area is Elaine

Munson. Mrs. Munson is a former professional model originally from South Florida. Her previous titles include Miss Martin County, Florida USA finalists, Miss Indian River Community College, Miss University of Central Florida finalist, 1995 Beauties of America National Winner and 1995 Ms. Texas USA. She was a top 6 finalist for the title of Ms. USA 1996.

Mrs. Munson is a graduate of the University of Central Florida with a degree in Marketing and Computer Science. Currently, Mrs. Munson is co-director of the All American Woman and All American Woman Plus National Beauty Pageants. She has judged and directed pageants on the local, state and national levels. She and husband Jerry are expecting their first child in December.

Sherri Halfmann is a 1997 graduate of Texas Tech University. She graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Fashion Merchandising and Marketing and Management. Miss Halfmann has participated in pageants for 12 years and competed in the Miss Texas pageant for two years as Miss Lubbock and Miss Lubbock County. Miss Halfmann has also done runway modeling in style shows, commercials and advertising. She has judged pageants locally and for the Texas Farm Bureau.

She is currently employed with ConAgra Retail and is established in Amarillo.



**RABBIT'S FOOT**—Jaime Luna (4) and some other Tahoka players hang onto the feet of Ralls Jackrabbit QB Brandon Beversdorf, in this action showing just about everybody. Tahoka players here include Ricky Cloe (60), Buddy Zachary (74), Gary Chapa (55), Jeffrey Antu (50), Davy Stone (54) and D.J. Sims (84). Beversdorf led his unbeaten team to a 62-13 win over the Bulldogs. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

### Tahoka 4-H Club News

The Tahoka 4-H Club met Sept. 17 for their first meeting this year. Klyssa Kelln, president, presided as the club members filled out membership cards and signed up for programs and refreshments.

It is time to sign-up for Food and Nutrition projects and the Food Show. Anyone who did not sign-up at the meeting needs to contact the Extension office to do so. Project leaders will be contacting their members soon.

Oct. 5-11 is National 4-H Week and the Tahoka Chapter will be decorating a window displaying pictures from past 4-H events to celebrate this week. We appreciate the use of a window in the vacant Jolly Time Building.

The 4-H adult leaders will be sponsoring a Penny Raffle for a one-night stay at the Barcelona Court in Lubbock and dinner for two. Come by the 4-H booth at the Lynn County Harvest Festival for a chance at the weekend.

Everyone is encouraged to attend

### Homecoming Dinner Set At Cafeteria

The members of the Tahoka High School National Honor Society will be hosting the annual homecoming dinner on Oct. 10. Serving will begin at 5 p.m. and end at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The cost will be \$4 for children and \$6 for adults. The meal will include brisket, potato salad, beans, and cobbler.

Anyone who would like to reserve a table for an honored class should call Mrs. Patti Rambo at 998-5285 or Abbie Gill at 998-5303. Benefits from the dinner support NHS activities throughout the year. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

the next 4-H meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 15 at 4 p.m. at Lyntegar. Yearbooks will be given out. 4-H

Princess will be elected and the Lynn County Sheriff's Office will have their drug dog there for a program.

If you would like more information about 4-H, call the Extension Office at 999-4562.

### Class Reunions Set At Homecoming

Several Tahoka High School class reunions have been scheduled during Homecoming and Harvest Festival weekend, with the following information available as of press time:

#### Class of 1947

The THS Class of 1947 will hold their 50th reunion on Friday, Oct. 10 at the Lyntegar party room (rear entrance), located at 1807 Main Street in Tahoka. The reunion will be going on during and after the homecoming football game. Teachers, friends and classmates are invited to come and enjoy the festivities.

#### Class of 1957

Members of the THS Class of 1957 are invited to join in Friday afternoon's homecoming activities and then meet at the Life Enrichment Center following the downtown pep rally, where there will be snacks and visiting. There will also be a booth set up at the Harvest Festival on Saturday to provide a place to sit and visit. For more information, or to RSVP, call Hilton Wood at 998-4128, Johnce Vaughn at 791-3341, or Patsy Dunlap at 795-6684.

#### Class of 1972

The THS Class of 1972 will meet after the Homecoming football game Friday at the home of Debbie (Miller) Engle, 2222 N. 4th (just directly north of the football field). Bring your own refreshments.

#### Class of 1987

The THS Class of 1987 will have their 10-year class reunion on Friday, Oct. 10. Class members are invited to meet at the Lynn County Pioneers building, 1600 S. 3rd, immediately following the football game. For more information, contact Dawn at 998-4511 or Tammy Hood at 998-4931.

#### Class of 1992

The THS Class of 1992 will have a five-year reunion after the homecoming football game on Friday. The class plans to meet at the Church of Christ. For more information, contact Rachel (Curry) Lehman at 998-4325.



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### O'Donnell Clubs LCHS 21-7

The O'Donnell Eagles, fueled by a 93-yard touchdown run by Felix Perez early in the game, went on to beat Lubbock Christian High School 21-7 last Friday at Lubbock.

LCHS tied the game at 7-7 at halftime, but Tatum Bessire ran 8 for a third period score and then ran 44 to score in the fourth. Bessire had 116 yards in 14 carries and Perez wound up with 123 in 9 carries. Ramiro Montez gained 76 yards in 11 carries.

### W.I.S.D. Board To Meet Tonight

The Wilson Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet in regular session tonight (Thursday) at 8 p.m. Agenda items include staff reports; personnel; elementary grading policy; ADA compliance regarding restrooms; cheerleader policy; library report; TIF grant; and ESC-Gifted/Talented Level II program.

### Shop In Tahoka!

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**TOUGH TIMES**—Auggie Cantu (14) and his teammates found the going tough at Ralls last week. Here Cantu carries the ball as Jeffrey Antu (50) hurries to try to throw a block. Ralls' No. 61 is Tony Newton. (LCN PHOTO)

### TAHOKA SPORTS NEWS by the THS Growl Staff

#### Cross Country by Abbie Gill

Nine runners won medals at the Abernathy Cross Country meet, Sept. 27. The junior varsity and middle school boys' teams brought home first place team medals.

In the middle school division, twenty runners competed against 342 runners. Sarah Hawthorne placed 10th with a time of 14:11. The team placed 7th out of 18 teams.

The middle school pack of dogs placed first in front of Shallowater. Four of the ten runners won medals. Josh Pridmore, Matt Sanders, Clayton Chancy, and Lorenzo Escobedo brought home medals.

Lezli Gandy and Andrea Aleman ran in the girls junior varsity division. They finished at 17:55 and 17:27.

The JV boys division was dominated by the Dogs. Three of six runners won medals and contributed to the first place team trophy. Fernando Castro, Phillip DeLeon, and Jeffery Antu places 1st,

## Jackrabbits Maul Bulldogs, 62-13

The Ralls Jackrabbits had some fast movers in the backfield and behind a tough offensive line that was more like gorillas than rabbits, pushed Tahoka around 62-13 last Friday night.

The wounded Bulldogs, now 3-2 for the season, will begin district play here Friday night when Morton, which was kicked around by Post 54-12 last week, will be the opponent.

Unbeaten Ralls scored in the first period when QB Brandon Beversdorf ran 65 yards, and then kicked the point.

Tahoka came right back after End D.J. Sims ripped the ball from Beversdorf and ran 43 yards to the Ralls 47 later in the first. Tahoka punted, but Ralls fumbled the return and the Dogs recovered at the Rabbits' 17. Six plays later, Steve

Wiseman scored on a 2-yard run and Grant Spearman kicked the extra point, tying the score at 7.

After that it was five touchdowns in a row for Ralls before Tahoka scored in the third period on a 49-yard pass from QB Brady Raindl to End Brad Pebsworth. Ralls scored three more touchdowns before the game finally ended.

Auggie Cantu gained 75 yards in 21 carries and Wiseman gained 25 yards in 10 efforts.

#### GAME AT A GLANCE

TAHOKA	RALLS	
13	first downs	30
80	yds. rushing	550
88	yds. passing	0
4-15-1	completed by	0-0-0
3-39	punts, avg.	0-0
4	fumbles lost	2
4-20	penalties	7-60

2nd, and 10th respectively.

In the varsity girls division, three competed. Barbara Antu, Valerie Lopez, and Sara Alvarado ran over in 14:11, 15:13 and 15:56 respectively.

Larry Davis placed 6th in the varsity boys division with a time of 18:02. The boys placed 5th as a team.

"The Abernathy meet was outstanding," said Coach Gardner. "Everyone did an excellent job in representing our school."

#### JV Volleyball by Jennifer Dotson

The junior varsity Lady Bulldogs faced off against Trinity Christian last Tues. (Sept. 30).

The ladies were defeated by the Lions 4-15, 9-15.

#### 8th Grade Volleyball by Mickey DeLeon

The eighth grade Lady Bulldogs were split into three teams to play in an Intersquad Tournament, Monday.

The first game, the Rockets played against the Mavericks. The Rockets won 15-11, 15-6.

In the second game the Spurs faced off with the Rockets. The Spurs subdued the Rockets 15-13 in the first match. The Rockets came back to beat the Spurs in the second match 9-15. In the third match the Spurs came back to win 15-7.

The third game the Spurs competed against the Mavericks. The Spurs cut their opponents 15-9, 12-15, 15-9.

"All the girls were winners," said Coach David Brewer.

#### 7th Grade Volleyball by Nichole Garcia

The Tahoka seventh grade volleyball team was split into four teams to compete in an intersquad tournament here, Oct. 6. The teams were the Raiders, Bears, Aggies, and Longhorns.

The Raiders faced the Bears and came out on top 16-14, 15-10.

In the second game the Longhorns stomped the Aggies 15-8, 15-2.

The Raiders came out in first place, the Longhorns second, Bears third, and Aggies fourth.

"Everyone played a great game, they were all winners," said Coach David Brewer.

The ladies will face Plains here Oct. 13 at 4 p.m.

#### JV Football by Jose Luna

The junior varsity football team shot down the Ralls Jackrabbits 28-16 last Thursday in front of a home crowd.

The Bulldogs will face Morton there tonight (Thursday).

Outstanding offensive play went to running back Marlon Womack who had two rushing touchdowns and wide re-

ceiver Larry Davis who also had two touchdowns.

Fernando Castro and Jason Jaquess were cited for outstanding defensive play by Coach Darren Haseloff.

#### 8th Grade Football by Brad Pebsworth

The eighth grade Bulldogs travelled to Ralls and chewed up the Jackrabbits, 48-0, Oct. 2. Four Bulldogs combined for a total of six touchdowns.

Tailback Blandon Hancock rumbled for three TD's and two 2-point conversions.

Also scoring for the flawless offense was Lorenzo Escobedo, Stephen Solorzano, and Josh Thompson. Quarterback Derrick Barrientez hooked up with receiver Ren Ellis, to set up one of the Dogs TD's.

The Bulldogs played strong defense as they shut out the Jackrabbit's offense.

Linebacker Jordan Vega led the defense with three sacks and five tackles.

"It is a great victory for the eighth grade," said Coach Brock Sivertsen. "We physically dominated every aspect of the game."

#### 7th Grade Football by Barbara Antu

The seventh grade football team travelled to Ralls last Thursday and came home with their first loss 8-14.

They will be playing tonight, Oct. 9, here at 5 p.m. against the Morton Indians.

Timothy Hutton scored the touchdown for the Bulldogs during the last play of the game. B.J. Andrews scored the 2 point conversion.

"They only made two big mistakes," said Coach Sivertsen. "That's really what cost them the game. They kept playing hard and didn't ever give up, though."

### Homecoming Mums To Be Delivered Early Friday

As Tahoka High School celebrates its 1997 Homecoming, school officials are asking the cooperation of parents, students and florists regarding the delivery of mums, garters or any other items related to Homecoming activities.

Florists will be asked to make one delivery to the school. The delivery will be made at 7:30 on Friday morning. Students will need to come by the high school LRC before classes begin on Friday morning and pick up their items.

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**OUTSTANDING CONSERVATION FARMER** - Robert Warren (left), of New Home, received the Goodyear/NACD Outstanding Conservation Farmer Award. Show with Warren is W.R. Steen, Chairman of the Lynn County Soil and Water Conservation District Board, who made the presentation at the Lynn County Farm Tour on Sept. 19.

**PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF NONDISCRIMINATION IN CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

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**FORMA DE MUESTRA**

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**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

Dear Editor,

Enjoying the local news since returning to Lynn Co. (in retirement).

Since I am a 1948 graduate of Tahoka I look forward to next year's 50th and to read about it in the "Lynn Co. News".

My brother James is celebrating his 50th this year and my mother Jewell celebrates her 70th as she graduated in 1927.

Keep up the good work.

Phil Bairrington  
\*\*\* O'Donnell

Dear Editor,

I feel that I need to write and tell everyone how very proud of our band I was last Friday night. Through great adversity, they stood proud and represented our school with high standards.

While others were running for shelter from the rain, our band took to the field and went through their routine. As the rain poured down, they played their hearts out and gave a top quality performance. They never wavered through the entire show.

A few diehard fans stayed in the

stands to cheer them on and it was worth getting wet to watch the mighty 3D Band. You would have thought the stands were packed when the band marched off the field. Listening to the cheers that came from those who stayed made their efforts worth while. I am very grateful to those who toughed it out for the band. The band was really impressed with their appreciation of them.

The band may be small in number but they are big in pride and bigger in spirit. A lot of credit needs to be given to their director, Carroll Rhodes, who could have stayed in the announcer's box while the band marched but chose to stand in the rain with his students. I also commend the parents for training their children to be the kind of ladies and gentlemen they are.

It is a privilege to be associated with such a wonderful group of young people. I am thankful for being given the opportunity to get to know them. I am so very proud of them.

"Band Mom" Karon Moss  
Band Booster President



**ZANT RETIRES FROM SWCD BOARD** - Dale Zant (right) was presented with a retirement plaque at the Lynn County Farm Tour Sept. 19. Zant retired from the Lynn County Soil and Water Conservation Board after serving eight years as director of Zone 5. Shown with Zant is W.R. Steen, Chairman of the Board, who made the presentation.



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## Lynn County Farm Tour Well Attended

Approximately 86 farmers, ranchers and agribusinessmen gathered at the New Home Co-Op Gin, Lakeview Plant on Sept. 19, to attend the Lynn County Farm Tour. Local producers Mark Clem, Michael White, Robert Warren and Gid More participated with presentations on their farming operations at their respective farms. Frank McLelland, Manager of the T-Bar Ranch, gave a talk on T-Bar's cow-calf operation.

Maurio Avila, Jimmy Woodward and Jackie Smith discussed the future of the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP).

Dr. Jim Leser and Dr. Randy Boman with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station; Tommy Doderlein, Integrated Pest Management Specialist; and Bryan Reynolds, CEA, Lynn County Extension Office, discussed the results of various test plots.

Bart Castle, of Communicating for Agriculture, provided the group with information on the organization. Communicating for Agriculture was formed in 1972 to unite the voices of thousands of individuals into one powerful voice for rural America. Castle told the group.

The tour concluded with a meal at the New Home Co-Op Gin, Lakeview Plant and the presentation of the Outstanding Farmer of the Year and the Goodyear/NACD Outstanding Conservation Farmer Award. John G. White of New Home as selected by the Lynn County Ag. Committee as the Outstanding Farmer of the Year. Robert Warren of New Home received the Goodyear/NACD Outstanding Conservation Farmer Award.

The Lynn County Extension Service, the staff at the local NRCS office, and the Lynn County Soil and Water Conservation District would



**OUTSTANDING FARMER OF THE YEAR** - John G. White (left) of New Home, was selected by the Lynn County Agriculture Committee as the Outstanding Farmer of the Year. Shown with White is Dale Zant, member of the Lynn County Soil and Water Conservation District Board. Zant presented White with his plaque at the Lynn County Farm Tour on Sept. 19.

like to express their thanks and appreciation to everyone who helped make the tour a great success. To Monsanto Chemicals, Bio-Flora Company, Ranger Seed Co. and Bryant Seed and Delinting for sponsoring the meal and providing information to the group on their new products. To Gene Beck and his staff or providing coffee and doughnuts during registration. To Tahoka ISD for providing the buses and to Gene Beck and Jose Salinas for driving the buses. Thanks also to Poka Lambro for providing tables and chairs and to Communicating for Agriculture for providing refreshments during the tour.

### New Home School Menu

October 13-17  
Breakfast

**Monday:** Cinnamon Cactus Bread, Milk.  
**Tuesday:** Cereal, Toast, Milk.  
**Wednesday:** Blueberry Muffins, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Pancakes, Milk.  
**Friday:** Donuts, Milk.

#### Lunch

**Monday:** Pizza, Lettuce/Tomato, Corn, Banana Pudding, Milk.  
**Tuesday:** Chicken Fajitas, Cheese Cup, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Lettuce/Tomato, Fruit Cup, Milk.  
**Wednesday:** COOK-OUT - Hot Dogs, Dill & Sweet Relish, Pickle Spears, Orange Wedges, Watermelon, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Turkey & Rice, Salad Bar (7-12) Fried Okra, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit Cup, Hot Rolls, Milk.  
**Friday:** Grilled Ham & Cheese, Seasoned Fries, Pickle Spears, Peach Cobbler, Milk.

## Hermleigh Tops Mustangs 32-14

Hermleigh broke an 8-8 halftime tie with 24 points in the last half to beat Wilson 32-14 at Wilson last Friday in a six-man football game.

Jay Paul Kirk scored for Wilson in the second period on a 59-yard pass play from QB Karl Platte, and Wilson scored in the third on an 18-yard pass, Platte to Domingo Garcia, closing the gap at that point to 16-14.

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## CRP Sign-up Period Begins October 14th

The 16th Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) sign-up period will be from Tuesday, Oct. 14 through Friday, Nov. 14. All contracts that expire prior to 1997, contracts that expire on Sept. 30, 1998, or any land not under contract may be bid if the land meets the eligibility criteria.

The new Conservation Reserve Program is designed to target the most environmentally sensitive land. The primary goals of CRP are erosion reduction, water quality improvement, and wildlife habitat enhancement. All eligible offers will be ranked using an Environmental Benefits Index (EBI). The index is used to evaluate all offers based on the potential environmental benefits. The criteria that will be used to determine the EBI ranking include: wildlife benefits, erosion control, water quality, air quality, and cost. Producers who bid their land into the Conservation Reserve Program will sign a contract with the United States Department of Agriculture if their bid is accepted.

The wildlife habitat cover benefit factor has been revised since the last sign-up to recognize the improved benefits of certain covers. The air quality factor has also been changed, and to encourage CRP's cost competitiveness, an additional sub factor was added to the cost factor.

Participants must establish a cover on the land that is accepted into CRP. They receive cost-share assistance for establishing the cover, as well as, an annual rental payment for taking the land out of production. After the cover has been established, the producer must maintain the cover for

the life of the contract. CRP payments will include an incentive for performing any required maintenance.

Acres that are accepted into the new CRP program must benefit the nation more from the land being retired than keeping the land in agricultural production. Owners who are interested in bidding their land into the Conservation Reserve Program, or have any questions about CRP, please contact the local Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) at 998-4507, or come by the local office at 1647 Avenue J in Tahoka. Information is also available at the Farm Services Agency (FSA) located at 1601 South 2nd in Tahoka, or call 998-4501.

Producers who know they are going to bid land into CRP, are encouraged to contact the local Farm Service Agency as soon as possible for an appointment. It is not necessary for producers to make an appointment with the Natural Resources Conservation Service. Producers need to show up at the NRCS office for their scheduled appointment where the sign-up process will begin. After the initial work is completed at the NRCS office, producers will be able to complete the sign-up process at the FSA office.

Appointments should be scheduled early in the sign-up to ensure that all documentation can be completed. If producers wait until the last few days of the sign-up to schedule an appointment, it may not be possible to get all the documentation completed before the deadline.

## Leopards Down Dragons, 70-40

by Robert Kyle

The New Home Leopards moved their season record to 4-1 Friday night as they raced past the Dawson Dragons 70-40 at Dragon Stadium in Welch. The Leopards scored early and often as they closed out their non-district schedule and prepare to meet the two-time defending district champion Southland Eagles in a 7:30 p.m. contest this Friday in Southland.

New Home's offense amassed 541 yards on the night and got rolling early after a Travis Smith 48-yard opening kick-off return set up the Leopards with a first down at the Dawson 22 where it took the Leopards only two plays to score the night's first touchdown on a Smith 10-yard run. The Leopards would add nine more touchdowns before the night was over. Travis Smith would score a total of five TDs. Jody Clem would add three TDs. Vicente Fuentes added a TD on a 48-yard reception of a Smith pass, and Josh Gandy would score a TD on a 28-yard interception return. Joe Salinas, filling in for an injured Ricky Torres, would add four extra point kicks.

The New Home defense allowed 355 yards on the wild night but stopped the Dragon offense time and time again on key downs. Eric

Rodriguez anchored the Leopard defense with 25 total tackles. The defensive end tandem of Josh Gandy (18 total tackles, 1 interception) and Heath Brown (10 total tackles, 3 sacks) also had an excellent game.

The New Home Jr. Varsity watched their record move to 3-2 as they fell to Jaydon 36-0 Thursday night.

The New Home Junior High jumped out to a 22-0 lead and held on to defeat Dawson 28-12, Thursday night.

The JV will take this week off as Southland is not fielding a JV team and the junior high Leopards will play host to Southland this Thursday in a contest beginning at 5:30. The Leopard Varsity will travel to Southland for a 7:30 contest Friday night as they try to get the district race off to a good start.

Scoring By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	Ttl.
New Home	22	14	20	13	70
Dawson	0	20	7	13	40

GAME AT A GLANCE

NEW HOME	DAWSON
16	18
31/451/14.5	Rshg Att/Yards/Avg 45/257/5.7
8/3/1	Pass Att/Comp/Int 32/12/2
90	Passing Yards 98
541	Total Yards 355
3/40	Penalties/Yards 5/65
2/1	Fumbles/Lost 2/0

Rushing: Travis Smith-11 carries, 288 yards, 5 TDs; Jody Clem-13 carries, 167 yards, 3 TDs; Vicente Fuentes-4 carries, 14 yards.

Receiving: Jody Clem-1 reception, 21 yards; Vicente Fuentes-1 reception, 48 yards, 1 TD; Blake Fillingim-1 reception, 21 yards.

Passing: Travis Smith-2 completions, 5 attempts, 69 yards, 1 TD; Ernie Caballero-1 completion, 1 attempt, 21 yards.

### Harry Howell Wins Football Contest

Harry Howell of O'Donnell is the winner of last week's football contest, picking the closest score in the tiebreaker to win over three other contest entries. All four entries missed three games, but Howell's tiebreaker score won him the \$10 prize. He missed naming one of the Secret Sponsors for the week to double his prize money. The other top entries were from Shane McMinn, Rudy Fuentes, and Danny Moore.

Secret Sponsors were Pridmore Aerial Spraying, Dixie Dog, Dayton Parker Pharmacy, and Huffaker, Green & Huffaker. Every contest entry will be entered in the grand prize drawing for a 19-inch color TV from Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co. at the end of football season. Entries are due by 4 p.m. each Friday.

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The city reserves the right to accept or reject any/all bids. 40-2tc



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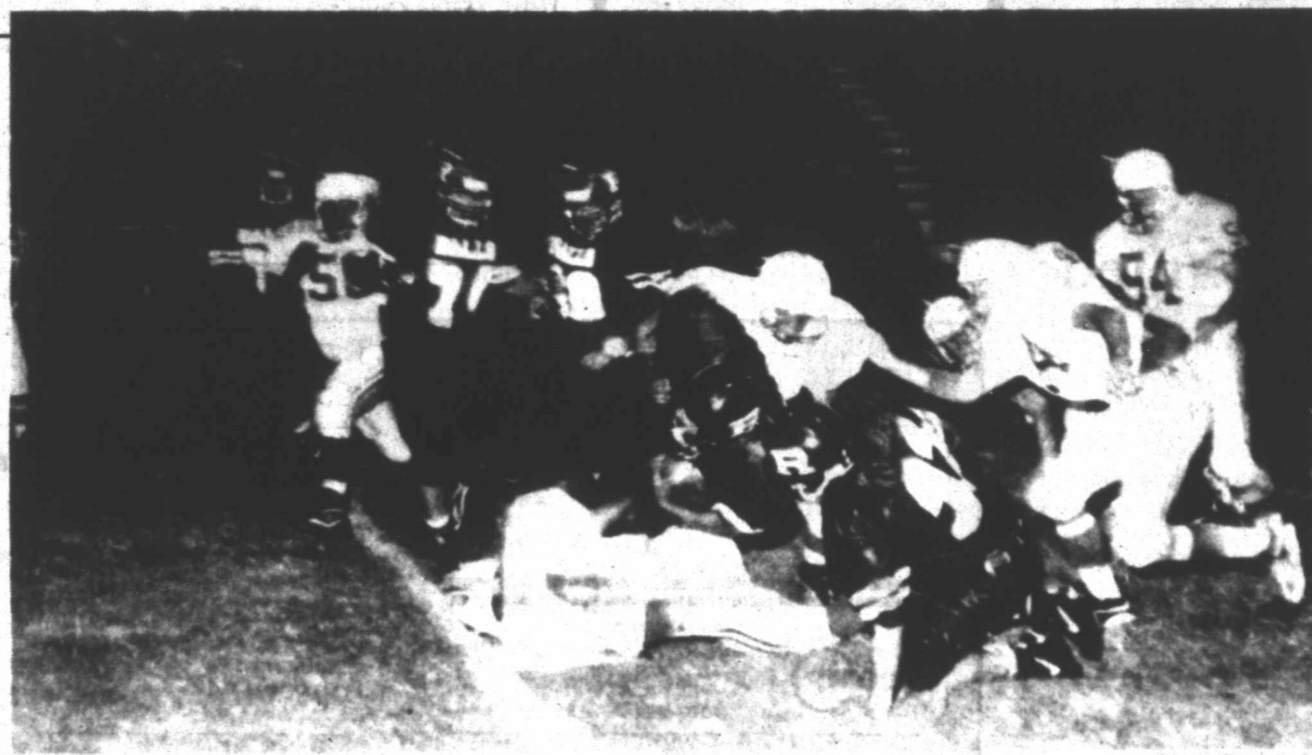
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IT WAS A DARK AND STORMY NIGHT—Well, it did rain some during the Tahoka-Ralls football game at Ralls last Friday, and it certainly was a dark night for the Bulldogs, who lost 62-13. Here Jaime Luna (4), Brad Pebsworth (34), Davy Stone (54) and other Bulldogs finally have caught a Rabbit. Tahoka hopes to rebound this week as Morton comes to town. (LCN PHOTO)

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