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Get your Game On!

This week in football:

- Roosevelt at Tahoka (Homecoming)
- New Home at Sudan
- Whiteface at O'Donnell
- Lazbuddie at Wilson

Did you know?

- American gymnast George Eyser competed during the 1904 Summer Games despite his wooden left leg, winning the gold medals in the vault, parallel bars and rope climbing.
- Medical students in 18th-century Scotland could pay their tuition fees in corpses.
- The can opener was not invented until 50 years after the invention of canned food.
- People buy more when they're hungry, even when shopping for non-edible goods.
- Ancient Romans running for office wore a distinctive toga called the "toga candida." Hence the word "candidate."
- "Giraffe" is a relatively new term. Before the 1600s they were known as "Camelopards".
- Venice awards only 425 gondoller licenses and there are years of apprenticeship and a major exam to pass.



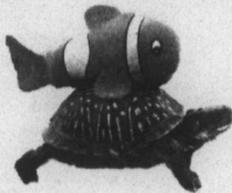
What's Outside

NWS official readings for Tahoka

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Aug 28	100	74	
Aug 29	97	73	
Aug 30	98	72	
Aug 31	98	71	
Sept 1	97	71	
Sept 2	97	70	
Sept 3	88	69	

(Precipitation/temps measured as of 8 a.m. on date reported, for the previous 24-hr period)

Total Precip for Jan:	0.01"
Total Precip for Feb:	0.03"
Total Precip for Mar:	1.50"
Total Precip for Apr:	0.10"
Total Precip for May:	1.60"
Total Precip for June:	0.83"
Total Precip for July:	0.85"
Total Precip for Aug:	3.51"
Total Precip. for 2018:	8.43"



Children ... decorate your turtles! Fun, food, prizes offered at Harvest Festival

Lots of activities will be offered at the 43rd annual Lynn County Harvest Festival in Tahoka this Saturday, Sept. 8, following Friday's Tahoka Homecoming festivities. The Harvest Festival will be held at the Tahoka Mini-Park at N. 1st and Ave. J, and activities kick off at 10 a.m. with the popular Turtle Races for children. Turtle races, sponsored by Lynn County 4-H, will be held in the street next to the mini-park. Food and game booths also open at 10 a.m. See the full page ad inside this edition for a complete list of booths and the Harvest Festival schedule.

A portion of Ave. J will be closed to traffic (from the museum to the Life Enrichment Center), and a portion of N. 1st will be closed to traffic, between Ave. J and Ave. K. Parking will be allowed in the

Methodist church parking lot, as well as at the former City Hall building on Lockwood and Pioneer Museum on Lockwood, and other areas, but the parking lot for the Tahoka Police Dept. (across from the Methodist church) will not be available as it is for police department use only. However, for those who may need to be dropped off close to the festival, the corner next to the police dept. parking lot will be open for traffic, turning from N. 1st north onto Ave. J.

The festival features live entertainment, food and craft booths, games, and cash prizes from audience participation, and a Street Dance will follow that night, sponsored by Lynn County Hospital District.

Admission to the Harvest Festival is free. Bring lawn chairs for

seating. Portable restroom facilities will be onsite during the festival.

In conjunction with the event, Tahoka Elementary PTO is sponsoring a Fun Run and Walk event that begins at 8 a.m. Call Shea at 806-759-0225 to register, or for more information.

The Harvest Festival Princess and Queen will be crowned during the afternoon. This year's raffle tickets sold by princess and queen contestants features 16 chances to win \$4000 in prizes. Two \$1,000 grand prizes will be given away, one from the Queen ticket raffle, and one from the Princess ticket raffle. In addition, there will be four drawings for \$250 each (from the Queen tickets), and 10 drawings for \$100 cash (from the Princess tickets). The drawings will be held

the day of the Harvest Festival. Winners will be announced as they are drawn at the festival, as well as reported in the following week's issue of *The Lynn County News*.

Cadillac Jack's band will return to the festival this year, playing popular tunes throughout the day.

The Princess contest starts at 1:30 p.m. on stage, with several young ladies vying for the title of Princess, which is determined by the highest ticket sales. The Princess and runners-up will win cash awards. See photos of all candidates on the festival ad in this issue.

There are five Harvest Festival Queen scholarship candidates, with that contest starting at 3 p.m. Three judges will rank the queen candidates based on several criteria, to determine the winner. The Queen and runners-up will win scholarships from the Harvest Festival for their college careers.

There will be a Silent Auction fundraiser again this year, benefiting the Lynn County Senior Citizens Center. Bidding will close around 3:30 p.m. (or as announced from the stage). The popular booth features a variety of items on which to bid, with all proceeds helping to renovate the former Tahoka City Hall into the new Senior Citizens Center.

Booths and other daytime events will close at 5 p.m. at the Harvest Festival, but the fun starts up again at 8 o'clock with a street dance at the mini-park. Lynn County Hospital District Employees are sponsoring the Harvest Festival Street Dance from 8-11 p.m. with music from DJ Jamar Jordan, who will play a variety of music for dancing and listening pleasure. Snowcones, drinks and Fatback's Smokehouse BBQ will be sold during the dance. Bring lawn chairs for seating, and join in the dancing, or simply listen to the music and enjoy visiting with friends.



Pretty girls ... Pictured here are the candidates for Harvest Festival Princess 2018. They are, from left, Odessey Arriazola, Janelle DeLeon, Grace Holdridge, Aaljah Rodriguez, Cheyenne Ashbrook, Izabella Vallejo, and Isabella Liendo. Inset left is Clara Barrera. The Princess will be crowned Saturday afternoon at the Harvest Festival. (LCN PHOTO by Juanell Jones)



HF Queen candidates ... These are the Lynn County Harvest Festival Queen candidates for 2018. Standing left to right are Madison Moya, Brooklyn Tyson, and Nina Arriazola, and seated are Autumn Baltazar and Alyssa Dotson. The Queen will be crowned during ceremonies on Saturday. Nina, Madison, and Alyssa are from Tahoka High School; Brooklyn is from New Home High School; and Autumn is from O'Donnell High School.

Tahoka ISD Board approves \$1.43 tax rate

No guests attended a public meeting last Tuesday held by Tahoka ISD Board of Trustees in the boardroom of the Harvick Educational Center to discuss the TISD 2018-19 budget and proposed tax rate. After the hearing, trustees voted unanimously 5-0 to approve the budget and to adopt the 2018-2019 tax rate, including a Maintenance and Operating (M&O) tax rate of \$1.17 and an Interest and Sinking (I&S) tax rate of 26-cents. The total tax rate adopted is \$1.43, which is 2-cents lower than the previous rate.

Present at the meeting were Board Vice President Drew Stone, Blanda Watt, Lea Swinford, Jon Luna and Slate May, with trustees Clay Taylor and Doug Green absent. Interim Supt. Dick Van Hoose and Supt. Alan Umholtz were also present.

Did you know?

- To 'egrote' is to pretend to be ill to avoid work.



Did you know?

“ Americans spend more than a year of their life flipping TV channels. ”

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Wednesday: Beef stew, turnip greens, black forest parfait
Thursday: Charbroiled beef patty w/ peppers & onions, garlic mashed potatoes, beets, mandarin oranges
Friday: Chicken noodle casserole, English peas, corn, applesauce
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• Donations to benefit the Center for the building fund are greatly appreciated. All donations are tax deductible; we are a 501(c) 3 organization. An account has been set up at the First National Bank of Tahoka.



Mobile Healthcare Unit ... There's a new Ford Excursion in town, with the LCHD logo on the side that citizens may see, as Lynn County EMS staff Johnna Alvarado (front) and Samantha Henderson make home visits or respond to other healthcare needs in the community. The truck may also assist in emergency calls.

Mobile healthcare ... LCHD grant provides new vehicle for "Community Paramedicine"

by JUANELL JONES

There's a new Ford Excursion in town, with the LCHD logo and MIH-CP emblazoned on the side, and citizens may see it in addition to the ambulance arriving at a 9-1-1 call, or more likely see it parked at different residences as medical personnel see patients in a post-discharge follow-up visit. Basically, it's a vehicle that will be driven or staffed by Lynn County Hospital District medical personnel in a new service called "Mobile Integrated Healthcare-Community Paramedicine," or MIH-CP, and CEO Dr. Melanie Richburg is pleased to have the additional mobile resource for patient healthcare. The service began operating about a month ago.

Dr. Richburg said that LCHD received a grant for Mobile Integrated Healthcare, which is the provision of healthcare using patient-centered, mobile resources in the out-of-hospital environment. It may include, but is not limited to, services such as providing telephone advice to 9-1-1 callers instead of resource dispatch; provid-

ing community paramedicine care, chronic disease management, preventive care or post-discharge follow-up visits, or transport or referral to a broad spectrum of appropriate care, and is not limited to hospital emergency departments.

John Baker, Director of Lynn County EMS, calls the MIH-CP unit a Fox Truck, a term that usually applies to a first responder vehicle. In appearance, the Ford Excursion SUV is striped similar to the LCHD ambulances, so that citizens will recognize that the vehicle is a part of LCHD's services.

"The bigger cities have used these mobile response vehicles to supplement their ambulance emergency services, but for rural healthcare we are expanding these services from strictly emergency response to serve in additional ways," Dr. Richburg explained. "The MIH-CP may make home visits to follow up on a discharged patient, or for frequently-seen chronically-ill patients for an on-site visit in their home to determine if other factors may be affecting the patient's health."

Baker said that Advanced EMTs Samantha Henderson and Johnna Alvarado, both of whom are with the LCHD EMS service, are the primary personnel manning the Fox Truck.

"Samantha has already made 34 follow-up home visits, and the patients have been thrilled to see her," Baker said. "It's a great program. She makes the follow-up visits within seven days of discharge, taking the patient's vital signs and assessing their overall health. If she determines that the patient needs to see their physician or may in fact need to return to the ER, she can transport them as well," he explained. He said the vehicle also has some medical equipment on board, including a cardiac monitor and backboard, for emergency use.

All medical care provided through the MIH-CP will be overseen by physicians and other practitioners involved in the MIH program, as well as the patient's primary care physician.

"After a follow-up visit, the A-EMTs report back on

each patient, and we will follow that up with whatever services are needed. In some cases, perhaps it is not a medical need - perhaps it is someone who has a need related to their healthcare, such as needing a wheelchair ramp. If that's the case, then we will make contact with others in the community to try to facilitate those needs," Baker said. "Our goal is to provide overall care for our patients. And it's not limited to Lynn County residents - if a Lynn County Hospital patient is from Lamesa, Post or Slaton, or another location, we will make those discharge follow-up visits in most cases as well," he added.

Dr. Richburg said that the MIH-CP program will be an asset to the ambulance service at LCHD.

"The MIH-CP unit is not going to replace an ambulance in an emergency situation," Dr. Richburg stated emphatically. "If someone calls 9-1-1 for an ambulance, the ambulance will respond. However, it is possible that the MIH-CP unit will come as well, working in conjunction with the ambulance," Dr. Richburg explained.

The Fox Truck may also be used to provide medical personnel for home football games for the four schools in Lynn County, if LCHD's other three ambulances are already in service, since the MIH-CP is staffed with Advanced EMTs.

The new mobile program is uniquely positioned to help meet healthcare needs by transforming the LCHD EMS from a transportation system focused on stabilizing and transporting patients, to a mobile integrated healthcare system focused on patient education, consultation and dispatch/telephone advice using approved clinical procedures; preventive care, chronic disease management or post-discharge follow-up care; and navigating patients to appropriate alternative healthcare destinations.

"We believe this new service may also help reduce the number of Emergency Room (ER) visits for chronically ill patients who may repeatedly call EMS for services that are not actually an emergency (which is not the purpose of the ambulance service), as well as providing additional care to our patients in a non-hospital setting," said Dr. Richburg.

The MIH-CP mobile unit is allowing Lynn County Hospital District to provide a new, extra level of care to area residents. Such a program, especially one provided by grant funds, is an asset to the community.

For more information about the Mobile Integrated Healthcare-Community Paramedicine program, contact Lynn County Hospital.

NEWS from the Library
CITY-COUNTY LIBRARY
1717 Main St. • Tahoka TX
(inside the Life Enrichment Center)

Safari Friends Fundraiser
Safari Friends animals will be ready for little ones at The City-County Library Booth during the Harvest Festival from 10 am to 2 pm. September 8th. These 15" soft furry animals, along with a carrying bag and animal's birth certificate will bring joy to those that receive one. Stop by, Friday, September 7th and take advantage of the first come, first serve basis while you wait for the Homecoming parade to start!!

Harvest Festival Booth
Don't forget to stop by the library booth and vote on your favorite 3-D "Poly" Printer design. Each entry was made by patrons of the City-County Library. The winner of the contest will be announced at the Harvest Festival and awarded \$50.00 along with a 3-D PRINTING MASTER trophy. Voting will be conducted from 10:00 am through 1:30 pm. Come by and vote for your favorite and unique design.

September
September is... Library Card Sign Up Month! Stop in at 1717 Main Street and bring a valid address and a current photo id!

Tea & Tales/ Library Friends
September meeting of Tea & Tales/ Library Friends will bring Taylor Wood to Tahoka. Mr. Wood is the pastor at the First Baptist Church in O'Donnell and will give a slide show presentation on his trip to Israel. This meeting is open to ALL who are interested in listening to his adventures from abroad.

Yearbook/ Homecoming Exhibit
A display will be setup at the City-County Library for the Homecoming Exes to travel back in time as they reminisce through the pages of Tahoka High School yearbooks of "The Kennel". The set up will be open during regular business hours all day on Friday, September 7th. We would like to thank Lenda Wood and the Tahoka Pioneer Museum for loaning the library the materials that will be used for the special display.



DONATIONS
to the Lynn County Hospital District EMS are always greatly appreciated.
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Homecoming and Harvest Festival

Don't forget to come out and watch the Homecoming Parade on Friday beginning around 3:00 p.m. on Bulldog Boulevard (N. 4th St.), east of the school down to Ave. J, then south to the Mini Park.
Reminder: Parade route does NOT go down Main Street this year

We welcome all Exes and hope everyone has a great time at homecoming on Friday and comes out to the Mini Park to enjoy Harvest Festival activities on Saturday, as well as the Street Dance on Saturday night.

We appreciate all our friends and neighbors and enjoy doing business with you.

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WILSON COMMUNITY NEWS

By Bonnie S. Schwab

* Please if you would for this school Festival is 6261 (listen reach the ext * Stude polo shirts day, Sept. 4 Mustang Sp lege Spirit di wear a spiri shirt.

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Wilson Community News
By Bonnie S. Schwertner
b.schwertner@yahoo.com

* Please see Tami Bolyard if you would like to volunteer for this school year! The Fall Festival is coming up! 628-6261 (listen for instructions to reach the extension)

* Students must wear polo shirts beginning Tuesday, Sept. 4th. Fridays are Mustang Spirit days or College Spirit days. Students can wear a spirit shirt or college shirt.

* The annual Grandparent's Day Lunch will be on Tuesday, Sept. 11th. Information will be sent home for this special day.

* The Health Fair has been set for Thursday, October 11th from 8:30 am to 1:00 pm.

* Homecoming is on Friday, October 12th - more info coming soon! Parade date and time TBA!
Our Mustangs play Lazbuddie on Friday, September 7, at 7:30 p.m. in Wilson. The Booster Club will be staffing the concession stand. Come out for some exciting 6-Man football!

Did you know?

- A pregnant goldfish is called a twit.
- An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain.
- A strand from the web of a golden spider is as strong as a steel wire of the same size.
- An eagle can kill a young deer and fly away with it.
- The average American will eat about 11.9 pounds of cereal per year.



Mustang victory ... Wilson's Justin Guzman (#40) rushes for a touchdown, aided by #6 Oscar Castanon, in the Mustangs 46-0 victory over Whiteface JV last week.

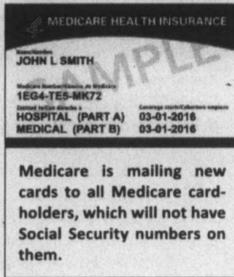
New Home ISD cancels Nov. 6 board election with no challengers

The New Home ISD Board of Trustees will see no change as all incumbent candidates have run unopposed for the upcoming Nov. 6, 2018 general election and special election. Travis Smith, Jason Gandy, Corey Clem, and Andy Maeker will fill the four-year general election seats and Greg Nieman will serve for two years in the special election seat.

Superintendent Shane Fiedler said, "I am excited to continue working with our board and feel that we have developed a good continuity. I believe this shows in the success of our students and the improvements we have made to our school. Board members often receive little thanks for

giving freely of their time and energy, but their service leaves a lasting impact upon the lives of our children and communities. I am very thankful for our board and the role that they serve. Along with our other members, Martin Gill and Lee Jay Lisemby, I am excited about the opportunities before us."

Because all candidates are running unopposed the school board took action to cancel the upcoming November school board regular and special election. Other items of business saw the board set a final tax rate of \$1.3481 and approve contracted employee pay schedules for the 2018-19 school year.



Medicare is mailing new cards to all Medicare cardholders, which will not have Social Security numbers on them.

Did you know?

- The odds of being struck by lightning are 600,000 to 1
- The first train reached a top speed of only 5 mph
- A flea can jump 350 times its body length
- Cucumbers are 96% water.
- A honeybee's top speed is 15mph

Wilson Mustangs win 46-0 over Whiteface Junior Varsity

The Mustang football team was on fire coming out of the gate! Just after half time, the game ended in a "45," with the score being 46-0, Wilson over Whiteface JV.

Getting us on our feet was #29 Tony Pantoja, who scored five touchdowns with eight rushes and 170 yards. Justin Guzman #40 rushed three times for 44 yards and one touchdown.

Justin Guzman also had four receptions for 27 yards. Ramiro Balderas #25 had two receptions for six yards and two extra points. #6 Oscar Castanon scored a touchdown with one reception for 35 yards. Bryan Mendez #9 threw

eight times for six receptions, 92 yards, one touchdown and two extra points.

Gabriel Hernandez #5 tackled 13 times, four for a loss, and had two fumble recoveries. #14 Marcos Noyola had nine tackles, two for a loss and one for a fumble. Tony Pantoja had eight tackles.

Just like in high school, my voice was hoarse after last week's game. Part of that was from cheering. Part was from talking to friends I haven't seen in a while. One thing's for sure, I had a great time!

The Wilson Mustangs play Lazbuddie this week in Wilson at 7:30.

New Medicare cards coming soon

By Bob Moos/Southwest public affairs officer for the U.S. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

From now until April 2019, Medicare is mailing new cards to the more than 60 million Americans with Medicare. The 3.9 million Texans with Medicare will begin receiving their cards this month.

The new cards will no longer have your Social Security number on them. Instead, they'll have a new Medicare number that's unique to you and will be used for only your Medicare coverage. Don't worry. Your Medicare benefits will remain exactly the same. Nothing about your health care coverage will change.

A recent federal law requires the removal of Social Security numbers from Medicare cards to help protect you from identity theft. Many people asked for the new safeguard, and Congress responded.

You don't need to do anything or pay anyone to get your new card.

If someone claiming to be from Medicare calls you and requests your Social Security number or other personal information, that's a scam. Hang up and call Medicare at 1-800-633-4227 to report the incident.

Likewise, if anyone tries to charge you a fee for the new card -- or for processing a "temporary" card until your new card arrives -- that's a

scam, too. It's another scheme to get your bank or credit card information.

Medicare will never call you uninvited and ask you to provide personal information to receive your new card. Medicare will send your card to the address you have on file with Social Security. So, if you need to update your mailing address, contact Social Security at ssa.gov/myaccount or call 1-800-772-1213.

Because of the many cards to be mailed, they're being sent out in waves -- several states at a time. Texans with Medicare will receive their cards over the next month.

When you do receive your card, destroy your old one. Don't just toss it in the trash, where a crook can get hold of it. Cut it into small pieces so that your Social Security number can't be read. Then start using your new card right away. Doctors and other health care providers know the new cards are beginning to arrive in mailboxes and will ask for yours when you need care, so carry it with you.

Protect it as you would any other card with personal information. Removing your Social Security number will safeguard you against most identity theft, but thieves might still use it to try to get medical services.



Silent Auction... Pictured are items that will be in the silent auction to benefit the Lynn County Senior Citizen's on Saturday, September 8, at the Lynn County Harvest Festival at the Tahoka Mini Park.

2018 Street Dance
SATURDAY
SEPT. 8 8-11 p.m.
after the Harvest Festival
at the TAHOKA MINI PARK
with DJ Jamar Jordan.
Fatbacks Smokehouse BBQ
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Bring your lawnchairs! Come join us!

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September 10-14
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Wednesday: Power breakfast/Breakfast parfait
Thursday: Sausage Kolache, yogurt/Cereal
Friday: Griddle sandwich/ Muffin, yogurt
Lunch
Monday: Corn dog, tots/ Chicken salad (daily)
Tuesday: Nachos grande/ Taco soup
Wednesday: Chicken sandwich/X-treme Burrito
Thursday: Asian bowl/Hamburger steak
Friday: Pizza choice/Ham & Cheese melt

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Make a field goal - Win \$100! Chamber to sponsor field goal kicking contest

Tahoka Bulldog fans who come to the home football games this year will have a chance to win \$100 or more while they support the Bulldogs. For the fifth consecutive year, the Tahoka Area Chamber of Commerce (TACC) is sponsoring a field goal kicking contest at the Tahoka High School Kelley Field during all of the home football games, but fans must purchase a football program from the Bulldog Booster Club for a chance

to compete. The kicking contest will be held at the beginning of the halftime period.

"A business member of the Tahoka Area Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a field goal kicking contest for a chance to win \$100, with the lucky contestant to be determined by a specially-marked advertisement in the football program sold by the Bulldog Booster Club at the home entrance to Kelley Field," explains Reed Filley, President of TACC.

The first field goal kicking contest will be Friday, Sept. 7, when Tahoka hosts Roosevelt at Tahoka's Homecoming.

The specially-marked program will be among the football programs sold at the home entrance, says Filley. Only one program will be marked - look at the Tahoka Bulldog roster page in the center of the football program for information on which business is sponsoring the night's contest, and then find that business ad in the football program to see if it is specially-marked with a bright yellow round sticker.

"If you have the specially-marked program, bring it to the home entrance ticket window before the end of the second quarter, where I will be waiting with a football and a \$100-bill to give away, courtesy of the business sponsor for the night," said Filley.

If the person with the marked program is physically unable to kick, they may designate a kicker to attempt the field goal, according to sponsors.

At the beginning of halftime, Filley will escort the contestant to the football field, where he or she will have one opportunity to kick a field goal. If the kick is good, the kicker gets the cash prize. If the kick is not good, the \$100 goes into the pot for the next home game, with the winning pot increasing by \$100 each home game - potentially \$500 by the last home game if a kicker has not made the field goal by then.

"The Tahoka Area Cham-



Accident ... An accident about 5 miles east of Tahoka on US 380 occurred at 12:19 p.m. last Friday that involved this black sedan, which had reportedly drifted into oncoming traffic, and a pickup pulling a flatbed trailer veered away and the sedan hit the trailer, ripping the side off the vehicle. No information was available on the names of the drivers.

Sept. 14 Deadline nears for final RCPP applications

Interested producers are reminded that Sept. 14 is the final deadline to submit applications for cost-share funding through the USDA-NRCS Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP).

About \$314,000 is still available for the three-year program that concludes at the end of Fiscal Year 2018 (Sept. 30).

Currently, high priority is assigned to irrigation system monitoring equipment, soil moisture sensors, chemigation valves, and flow meters. If the high priority applications do not require all remaining funds, then medium priority applications will be considered for funding, beginning September 17. Medium priority items include irrigation pipelines, center pivots, and subsurface drip irrigation.

To date, eligible producers have received approximately \$567,599.25 in RCPP funding. This represents 131 contracts encompassing 48,246 acres.

Participation in RCPP is voluntary. Interested producers in the Panhandle-South Plains region can sign up for the program at their local USDA-NRCS service center.

Additional information about RCPP is available at www.tx.nrcs.usda.gov. USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.

In addition, be sure to visit www.hpwd.org/rcpp for information about eligible equipment, estimated payment rates, a contact list of USDA-NRCS Service Centers, and a map illustrating the 29 counties participating in RCPP.

High Plains Underground Water Conservation District (HPWD) in Lubbock serves as the lead RCPP partner. Supporting partners include Hemphill County UWCD in Canadian, Llano Estacado UWCD at Seminole, Mesa UWCD at Lamesa, North Plains GCD at Dumas, Sandy Land UWCD at Plains, and South Plains UWCD at Brownfield.

These groundwater conservation districts do not receive any funding for the program, but provide in-kind services to assist with water conservation efforts.

Be sure to "like" the High Plains Water District Facebook page to receive updates on district activities or follow us on Twitter at @HPUWCD.

Created in 1951 by local residents and the Texas Legislature, the High Plains Water District works to conserve, preserve, protect, and prevent the waste of underground water within its 16-county service area. HPWD is the first groundwater conservation district created in Texas.

Traffic accidents, house fire in Sheriff's Office reports

by JUANELL JONES

Several traffic accidents and a house fire in O'Donnell were in the call sheet reports of the Lynn County Sheriff's Office for the past week. The house fire was called in at 9:20 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 2, at 9th and Evans in O'Donnell, and one fatality was reported at the scene, with the O'Donnell Fire Dept. and EMS responding. No information was available from the O'Donnell Police Dept. about the fire or the identity of the victim.

An accident about 5 miles east of Tahoka on US 380 occurred at 12:19 p.m. last Fri-

day that involved two vehicles. A black sedan reportedly had drifted into oncoming traffic, and a pickup pulling a flatbed trailer veered away to avoid the car and the sedan hit the trailer, ripping the side off the vehicle. Lynn County EMS and Tahoka Volunteer Fire Dept. responded to the scene. No information was available on the names of the drivers.

On Saturday, Sept. 1, at 3:42 a.m. a 2018 white Chevy Pickup rolled over, on US 87 and CR 18. The driver of the pickup was Travis Stokes of San Antonio. Another one-vehicle rollover occurred at 5:04 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 2 on US 87, south of CR 34. Javier Chaparro of Arizona was the driver of the 2016 Ford F-350, and he was reportedly arrested at the scene. Lynn County EMS and O'Donnell Fire Dept. responded to the scene.

At 7:42 a.m. on Sunday, a white 2010 GMC Pickup hit a deer about 1.5 miles west of Tahoka on US 380. The driver was Coy Scott of Brownfield. No injuries were reported.

Three thefts in the county were in Sheriff's reports. James Pitts reported a theft of his property on the Lubbock/Lynn County line on US 87, but no items were listed in the call sheet report. The theft was reported at 4:07 p.m. last Thursday. On Friday, Jimmy Brown reported a theft at 12:19 p.m., reporting someone had cut a hole on the side of his barn to gain entry to the barn, and busted the windshield out of a pickup that was parked

inside. The barn was located ½ mile east of FM 179 on CR 1. The third incident was a theft 3 miles north of Wilson, reported at 10:51 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 1. Owner Kith Sander reported a window broken out of his vehicle and an object (not listed) missing from inside the vehicle.

Lisa Victoria Gonzales, 28, was sentenced to 12 months in state jail in 106th District Court proceedings last Tuesday in Tahoka. Judge Carter Schildknecht assessed the punishment after Gonzales' community supervision was revoked, from a forgery case stemming from June 2014. Sentencing included time served of 160 days, restitution of \$853 to the victim, and ordered to pay the original fine of \$1000 plus court costs.

Tahoka Police investigated an accident that occurred just after midnight Friday night in the 2200 block of N. 1st Street. A 2016 Jeep backing out of a driveway into the street struck a 2003 Dodge Neon parked at the curb, owned by Melissa Bernal. Driver of the Jeep was Mary Gayle Rainold of Tahoka. No injuries were reported.

Lynn County Jail held 42 inmates during the past week, including 27 for Ector County, 13 for Lynn, and 2 for Crosby. Local charges included one for possession of drugs, one on a warrant for possession of marijuana, one for deadly conduct, and one for Failure To Appear-Child Support.

HPWD now accepting applications for AIM funding

High Plains Underground Water Conservation District (HPWD) in Lubbock has received \$150,000 in funding to continue operation of its Assistance in Irrigation Management (AIM) program in 2018.

The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) in Austin provides these funds through its Agricultural Water Conservation Grants program.

"AIM is a voluntary program to assist producers with the purchase price of telemetry-based irrigation monitoring systems used with either a center pivot system or subsurface drip irrigation system," said HPWD Manager Jason Coleman.

Qualifying equipment purchased after the May 3, 2018 contract execution date is eligible for AIM program funding.

The online application form and procedures are available at aimapp.hpwd.org. This website also includes program terms & conditions -- plus essential information to be included with the application.

"This is the preferred method to submit applications for this round of funding. Use of the website and online form will help guarantee a person's place in line during the application process," said Coleman.

HPWD processes applications on a first-come, first-served basis. Failure to provide proper information on the application may result in relinquishment of position in line for funding.

Additional information about the AIM Program is available by contacting the HPWD office at (806) 762-0181 or by emailing aim@hpwd.org.

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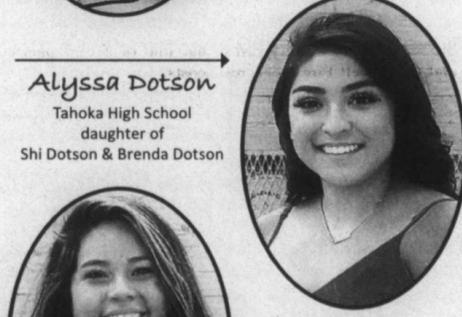
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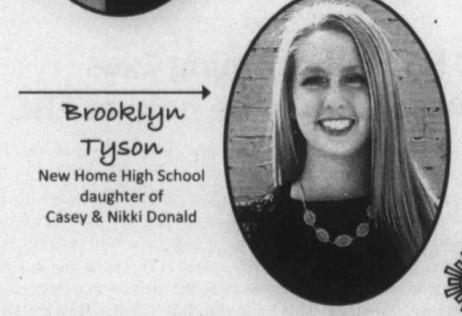
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- 10:00 a.m.**
 - BOOTHS OPEN at the Mini-Park
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- 11:00 a.m.**
 - HOURLY trivia quizzes begin for cash prizes!
- 1:30 p.m.**
 - HARVEST FESTIVAL PRINCESS Contest
- 3:00 p.m.**
 - HARVEST FESTIVAL QUEEN Scholarship Contest
- 3:30 p.m.**
 - Silent Auction BIDDING CLOSES
- 5:00 p.m.**
 - Booths close
- 8:00-11:00 p.m.**
 - Street Dance, at the Mini-Park. Sponsored by LCHD Employees. Music by DJ Jamar Jordan. Drinks and BBQ available for purchase.



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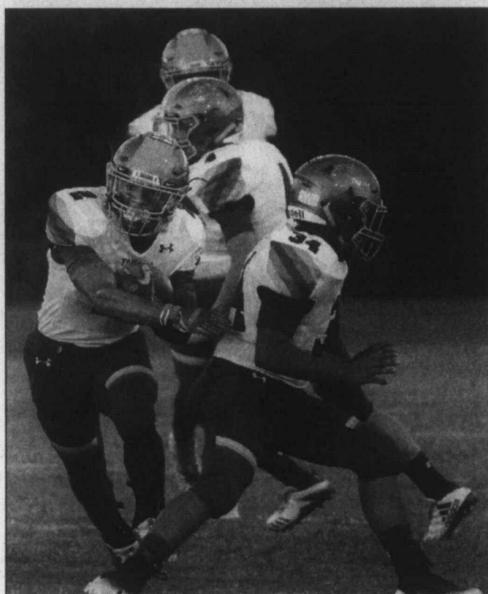
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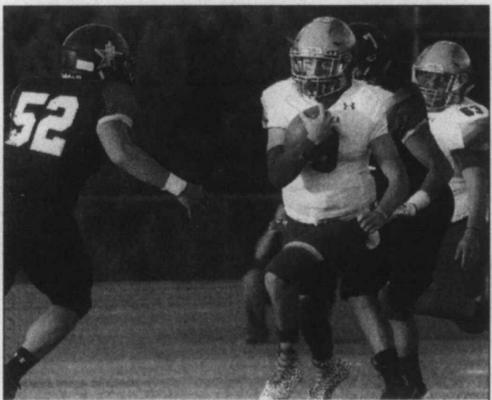
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- **Joy and Jimmy Bragg**, graduated from TISD in 1954. Both retired, Jimmy from farming and Joy from Lynn County Appraisal District.
- **Sherrill Long Robison**, Class of 1978. Lives and works in Levelland.
- **Michael Elrod**, 2004 THS graduate. Lives in Early. Employed by Texas Department of Transportation in Commercial Advertising.
- **Tonya Elrod**, graduated from TISD in 2002. Lives in Loveland, CO, retired Specialist U.S. Army and Union Colony Marines Paymaster, Union Colony Marines Detachment 1093.
- **Mitchell Elrod**, 2006 graduate of THS. General Manager at Cal's Convenience Store (Stripes) Tahoka. Lives in Tahoka.
- **Rebekah (Curry) Filley**, Class of 1999, serves as the Lynn County Attorney. Married to Reed Filley and they have two daughters, Kinley and Kennedy.
- **Lana Jones**, Class of 2003, is Director of Operations for Texas Tech Track, and lives in Lubbock.
- **Casey Jones**, Class of 2001, teaches English to Korean students in Ulsan, South Korea, where he has lived for several years.
- **Tim Raindl**, Class of 1978. Shop Manager at AAA Fire Extinguisher, Lubbock.
- **Dru Ann (Dockery) Vercamp**, Class of 1978. Owner/Operator Boots & Bows Pony Parties, Slaton.
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- **Jona Janet (Valentine)**, Class of 1978. Owner/Publisher/Editor of The Idalou Beacon newspaper in Idalou.
- **Misty (Adams) Villa**, Class of 2003. Lives in Lockney, TX. Married to Davie Villa, one daughter, Niki Cantu, age 12, and a new arrival expected in April 2019. Misty is a Clerk at Lockney Post Office, and also a Licensed Massage Therapist and Younique Representative. Davie works as a welder for Wylie Implement in Petersburg.



Fumble ... Tahoka's Alexander Herevia (34) tackles a Plains Cowboy, causing a fumble in last Friday night's season opener. The Bulldogs won 63-15. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)



Teamwork ... The Tahoka Bulldogs played well against Plains Friday night, bringing home a 63-15 win for their season opener. Malik Hamilton carries the ball for Tahoka here, with some protection by Alexander Herevia (34), and John Stone (4). (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)



Stone's ball ... Tahoka's Braden Stone carries the ball in action against Plains last Friday night, and #63 for Tahoka is Christian Reyna. The Bulldogs won easily, 63-15. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)

From City Hall

by Jerry Webster
Tahoka City Administrator

PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULED: There will be a public hearing on Monday September 10, 2018 at 5:30 P.M. in the Community Room, 1804 Avenue J. The purpose of the hearing is to discuss the final draft of the "Yard Parking Ordinance." This ordinance is scheduled to be voted on at the council meeting which will follow the public hearing.

If you have any questions please call Tahoka City Hall at 561-4211.

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- "It's just a flesh wound." Monty Python and the Holy Grail (1975)
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- "That is my *least* vulnerable spot." Casablanca (1942)
- Captain Renault (**Claude Rains**) to Rick Blaine (**Humphrey Bogart**) when Rick points a gun at the captain's heart.
- "This building has to be at least... *three times* bigger than this!" Zoolander (2001)
- Derek Zoolander (**Ben Stiller**), offering criticism to a miniature model of the Derek Zoolander Center For Kids Who Can't Read Good and Wanna Do Other Stuff Good Too.

THS Homecoming Events

- Thursday, September 6**
- 8:30 p.m. Black Out Pep Rally
 - 9:00 p.m. Spirit Fire on practice field
- Friday, September 7**
- 12:00 noon THS students dismissed for Homecoming festivities
 - 12:30-1 p.m. Registration for Ex-students assembly held in the FBC Tahoka Fellowship Hall Exes Assembly - FBC Tahoka Sanctuary - Class of 1998 - Honored Class
 - 1-2 p.m. NHS, StuCo, Varsity Football players, cheerleaders, homecoming queen nominees & Band in attendance
 - 1:30-3 p.m. Auditorium, Middle School and High School open for Touring
 - 2:30 p.m. Homecoming Parade line-up
 - 3:00 p.m. Homecoming Parade
 - 3:15 p.m. Pep Rally at the Mini Park
 - 7:00 p.m. Homecoming festivities begin
 - 7:30 p.m. THS Bulldogs vs. Roosevelt
 - Half-Time Homecoming Queen will be crowned
 - After game Various class reunions

THS Class of 68 - The THS Class of 1968 will meet on September 7, at the City Hall Community Room (former Lyntegar Room) at 11:00 a.m. for a sandwich lunch for \$8 per person. Dinner will be at 5:30 p.m. in the same location.

The Tahoka Exes Assembly will be held at the Tahoka First Baptist Church, with registration from 12:30-1:00 p.m. The program will begin following registration. After the assembly, the parade will begin and the class will have a float.

Special guests will be Nan Adams Howell and Coach Jim Littlefield.

For more information and details, please contact Richard White at 806-998-5262.

THS Class of 78 - The THS Class of 1978 40th year reunion will be held Sept ember 7 at THS Homecoming. Plans for the 40th reunion include a chicken fried steak dinner at Jolly Time restaurant on Friday, Sept. 7 from 4:00-6:30 p.m., and all members planning to attend are asked to RSVP for a meal head count.

After the meal, the class will meet at the football field for the game. After the game, the class will return to Jolly Time from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. for reminiscing, fellowship and dancing. DJ Pete Vallejo with Outlaw Entertainment will provide the music.

After the Harvest Festival on Saturday, Sept. 8, the '78's 40-Year Dance will be held at the Lynn County Showbarn, from 9 p.m.-1 a.m. This dance is open to anyone who would like to come, free admission, all are welcome. Triple J Productions will provide DJ's and music.

For more information contact Carlos Moralez at (806) 577-9248, or email to jcmrlz59@aol.com.

THS Class of 83 - The members of the Tahoka High School Class of 1983 are invited to a 35-year class reunion at Tahoka's 2018 Homecoming. Class members will meet Friday night, Sept. 7, during and after the football game at John and Tammy Curry's home. On Saturday evening, members are invited to Roddy and Marci Gandy's pond.

For more information, call Marci Gandy at 806-544-1719.

THS Class of 1988 - The THS Class of 1988 will meet Saturday at 3:00 p.m. at the home of Monica Stephens, 2216 N. 1st. It will be a come-and-go. Bring your own chair and food.

THS Homecoming Exes Assembly to be held at FBC

The Tahoka High School 2018 Homecoming Exes Program will be moved to a new location this year, due to the new auditorium not being quite complete at the THS campus for the Sept. 7 Homecoming festivities. This year, the THS Exes Program will be held at the Tahoka First Baptist Church sanctuary. Registration for the ex-students assembly will be held from 12:30-1:00 p.m. in the FBC fellowship hall, and the program will be held from 1-2 p.m. in the church sanctuary, according to information released by school officials this week. The THS Class of 1998 is this year's honored class, but all Tahoka exes are welcome to attend the program.

The Homecoming Parade lineup will be held as usual in the same location, at N. 4th and Ave. O, beginning at 2:30 p.m.

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Bulldogs start season off with impressive win over Cowboys

Friday night the Tahoka Bulldogs traveled to Plains to take on the Cowboys for the opening game of the 2018 football season. The Bulldogs came out with an impressive 63-15 win as all three phases of the game pitched in to contribute.

Braden Stone ran for 83 yards to score Tahoka's first touchdown early in the first quarter, and he completed a pass to Malik Hamilton for 54 yards and another TD just two minutes later. Javier Zuniga's PAT was good after both TDs for a 14-0 lead at the end of the first period. Tahoka's Soul Moore ran 2 yards for a TD just after the second period began, and Tahoka's defense held Plains scoreless in the first half, for a 20-0 lead at halftime.

In the third, Tahoka gained 2 points with a safety just after the period began,

and John Stone ran for 6-yards and TD with 10:40 left in the quarter. Braden Stone completed a pass to Tristen Stice for 23 yards and a TD, and Zuniga's PAT was good, giving Tahoka a 35-0 lead. Plains found the end zone for a TD and two-point conversion to put 8 points on the board with 6:19 left in the third, but Tahoka followed that with a 5-yard run by Soul Moore for a TD and Zuniga's PAT was good. With only a minute left in the third, Plains fumbled on the 11-yard-line, recovered by Major Due for a TD and PAT by Zuniga, to lead 49-8 going into the final period. Plains scored one TD in the fourth while Tahoka added 2 TDs, one by Malik Hamilton on a 6-yard run, and one by Jonathan Renteria on a 3-yard run, with both PAT's by Zuniga good, for a final score of 63-15.

"I was very impressed with how we played in all three phases of the game," said Head Coach Stephen Overstreet. "Our offense got off to a rocky start our first drive and had to punt, but we caught our stride on our second possession and never looked back. Our offensive line really set the tone and created some running lanes for our backs. We had a six-headed monster on offense as all six found the endzone."

"The thing that pleased me more so than anything was our Special Teams. We were able to play in the short field a lot on offense as our kickoff return team did a phenomenal job of setting us up in the plus side of the field. The flip side to that was our kickoff team helped our defense by pinning Plains deep in their own territory, allowing us to play a little more aggressively than

normal. The contributions of our special teams, which was an area we spent lots of time focusing on due to some struggles last year, really pleased me. We scored on offense but we also got a safety and a scoop and score on defense thanks to the exceptional play by those guys pinning them deep," Overstreet added.

"Overall I was super proud of our kids for how they played for four quarters. We went in at the half up 20-0 and we put 43 more points on the board in the second half. Closing out games and making sure we stay focused were things that we had preached during the off-season and last spring. They proved to me that we are heading in the right direction and showed signs of being a very good football team."

"With the district we play in we have to make sure we are solid in everything we do. Our goal is to come out and do everything we can to win what we consider five practices before we get to those last

five games that really matter. Friday night was a big step in the right directions but no doubt set the bar high for the rest of the season," said the coach.

This week Tahoka will face the Roosevelt Eagles for homecoming here at Kelly Field.

"I am really looking forward to the excitement and the energy that homecoming brings here in town," said Overstreet. "Obviously as the football coach my main focus is winning the game and making sure we have a product on the field that our community and former Bulldogs can come back and be proud of. I can honestly say that come Friday at 4 p.m. I will be glad to focus on football and have all the pregame festivities over but I do look back and am appreciative of what they mean to our kids down the road. Homecoming is huge for every school, but I can honestly say nothing can hold a candle to the homecoming in Tahoka."

"Roosevelt is a very good team that is hungry to get a win and with a new coaching staff they are doing some good things. They have a running back that has lots of speed and can hurt you if he gets out into the open field. They are a flex-bone team that runs 3-3 stack on defense. All things that we have seen over the years, but an opponent we haven't had on the schedule in the last 5 years. Coach Landers is a great guy and has them doing some really good things. They played a very good New Deal team last week and showed some bright spots. I have no doubt this team will sneak up on some people as the year goes on - I just hope it isn't this week," the coach added.

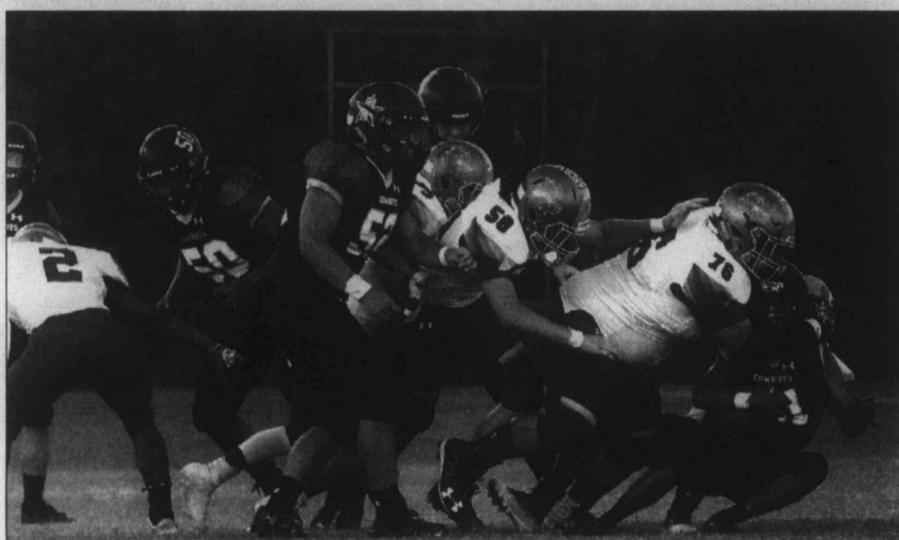
"We really appreciate the support we were shown Friday night in Plains. We hope to see more of our FAMILY members Friday night 7:30 pm here at Kelly Field as we try and move to 1-0 this week and 2-0 on the year," said Overstreet.

TAHOKA VS ROOSEVELT

Friday, September 7
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Great defense... Great defense by the Bulldogs in first game of the season against Plains. Bulldog teammates are Jacob Obenaus (76), Kash Kahl (58), Nicolaus Arce (3) and Malik Hamilton (2). Bulldogs won season opener 63-15. (photo by Abraham Vega)

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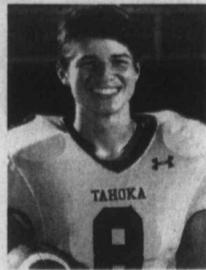
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#25 - NATHANIEL CASTILLO
SOPHOMORE • TE/LB
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• Math Who would you like to have dinner with? • My Dad
Favorite College Football Team & player? Longhorns -P.J.Lock



#50 - MATT DIAZ
SENIOR • OL/DL
What is your favorite subject in school? English • Favorite NFL team & player? Dallas Cowboys/ Sean Lee • What would you do with a million dollars? Pay for College • Favorite place to travel? South Padre



#8 - MAJOR DUE
SOPHOMORE • RB/LB
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- This current NFL quarterback, a 2010 Pro Bowler, never started a game in college. Who was he?
- In the 1985 draft, the 49ers trades picks with the hapless franchise to move up to the 16th slot to pick Jerry Rice. Who was the team?
- Aaron Rodgers currently has the highest career passing rating (min. attempts) at 106.0. Who is second on the list?
- Who holds the record for the longest field goal?

ANSWERS:

1. Matt Cassell
2. New England Patriots. Since then the Patriots have won 5 Superbowls
3. Tony Stewart
4. Matt Prater

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