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INTENSE ...

The expressions on the faces of Tahoka's Jaime Luna (4), carrying the ball, and Lorenzo's David Hernandez (80), who has mayhem in mind, show the intensity of the players in this close game last Friday night at Lorenzo. Tahoka won the game in the final seconds to go 1-1 for the season. Bulldogs visible here include Jeffrey Antu (50), Scott Long (75) and D.J. Sims (84). Other Lorenzo players include Santos Moreno (74) and Cody Roth (10).

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Family Violence, Wrecks Reported During Week

Three traffic accidents, including one involving a Tahoka school bus carrying about 40 students, were reported during the last week, as officers also dealt with reports of criminal mischief and family violence where wives were injured by their husbands.

Eggs were broken on two Tahoka police cars, two Lynn County sheriff's vehicles, a car owned by a citizen and a house, where the owner's cat also was killed and left in a plastic bag on the front porch. All the egging vandalism occurred Monday night or early Tuesday, police said.

One major theft also occurred. Alvin Kitten of Slaton Rt. 2 reported that a cutting torch and other welding equipment valued at a total of $876 were stolen from a shed near his residence east of FM 400 on Lynn County Rd. 3 between Sept. 6-9.

A 1995 Chevrolet Suburban driven by Alecia Reid Hancock, 31, of Tahoka was involved in a collision with a 1986 Tahoka school bus driven by Donna Willis, 43, of Tahoka on Tuesday afternoon at Lockwood and Ave. P. No injuries were reported, and damage to the bus was slight. The bus continued on its route.

Two one-vehicle rollovers were investigated by Dept. of Public Safety in Lynn County on Tuesday. A 1989 Jeep overturned on US 380 about 3 miles east of Tahoka. Driver Shannon Kay Paxton, 22, of Brownfield suffered only minor injuries, according to the DPS report.

Driver Eugene Martinez, 27, of Littlefield also sustained only minor injuries when his 1993 Ford pickup overturned on County Rd. 38, a paved road three miles west of O'Donnell.

On Sept. 5 in O'Donnell a county-owned pickup being towed by a county maintainer came loose and struck a residence in O'Donnell. No injuries were reported.

Carmen Castro, 1300 Ave. H, reported that someone threw eggs on her house, killed her cat, put the cat into a plastic bag after cutting holes for the feet to stick out, and then left the cat on her front porch Monday night.

Amanda Bishop, 1929 S. 3rd, also reported her car was egged Monday night, and Police Chief Steve Chance said two police cars and two sheriff's cars were egged Monday night or early Tuesday morning.

A 34-year-old Lubbock man who twice put his wife into a headlock in front of witnesses at locations on S. 2nd St. early Sunday morning, once smashing her head into a vehicle mirror and causing injury, was arrested by police. Also arrested about the same time in a separate incident was a 45-year-old Tahoka man who allegedly struck his wife in the mouth, causing bleeding and minor injury at a residence on S. 8th St.

Paul Garcia, 2229 Main St., and Guadalupe Alvarado, 1428 N. 3rd, both reported bicycles stolen from their residences over the weekend. Garcia's bike is a 15-speed men's Huffy model, and the bike stolen from Alvarado was a boy's 26-inch Murray mountain bike.

Someone smashed a windshield of a new Chevrolet Malibu at Al Griggs Autocenter with a cinder block Saturday night, causing $600 damage to the windshield and paint on the hood. And police located two small boys, age 4 and 7, who admitted breaking two windows at the Handi Hobby building, 1801 Lockwood, Saturday.

In jail during the last week were five persons for public intoxication, two for driving while license suspended, one for DWI first offense, one for possession of narcotics paraphernalia, and two persons for assault on family members.



4-H HONOREES — Pictured, left to right, are Carolyn Botkin, Rex Rash, John Krey, and Teresa Compton. All were honored at the Lynn County 4-H Awards Banquet held Monday night at the Life Enrichment Center in Tahoka. Mrs. Botkin and Mrs. Compton were named as Outstanding Adult Leaders; Rash received the 4-H Alumni award; and Krey represented First National Bank of Tahoka which received the Friend of 4-H award. (LCN PHOTO)

Woodwork...



by Dalton

ONE OF THE MANY things on my computer which I sometimes look at when I get tired of playing solitaire is something called "genealogy." First time I looked at it, I thought it said "Genie-alogy" and I was expecting a fat Arab shaped like a tornado, with the tail coming out of a bottle. Turns out it was a bunch of people wanting to know if their great-great-great-Aunt Hattie really did run a house of ill repute for the soldiers of the revolution. (Of course, they feel better about it if they learn she was falsely accused and actually owned a warehouse in the colonies).

Anyway, it's all Alex Haley's fault. He started all this big movement to find out about one's ancestors when he wrote *Roots* back in the late 70s or whenever. Now everyone is running around barking up their family tree.

From my looking on the internet, I learn that there were literally zillions of Woods, most of whom didn't do much other than have children.

If you are interested in your family tree, or if you think some of your children or grandchildren may be interested some day, it's a good idea to write down as much stuff as possible, because memory is a very fragile and fickle thing. Some time before clicking on "genealogy" rekindled my interest in my forebears (yeah, they came just before the Three Bears), I had written down some things and promptly forgot everything, including where I had filed the information. Anyway, I found it recently.

These days there are societies and organizations which sit down and try to figure out where Uncle Nort was buried. Such things are fascinating to family members and boring to everybody else. (Lady, I don't really *care* if your great uncle's grandmother did milk Martha Washington's cow).

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THE DADDY on Ave. D says it never occurs to a boy of 16 that someday he will be as dumb as his father.

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SMALL BOY to his mother: "Can I help Daddy fix the flat? I know all the words from last time."

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Sept. 10	82	60	
Sept. 11	86	60	
Sept. 12	90	60	
Sept. 13	92	63	
Sept. 14	90	64	
Sept. 15	93	64	
Sept. 16	96	65	

Precip. for 1997 to date: 20.13"

Arousa Wins Contest Again

No one missed less than four games in the weekly Football Contest but for the second consecutive week, Jesse Arousa has claimed the $10 prize money from The Lynn County News. He and one other entrant, Ashanti Hood, both missed four games in their entries, but Arousa was closer in the tiebreaker game.

Secret Sponsors for the week were Friends Too, Taylor Tractor & Equipment, Tahoka Family Flowers, and Scott's Heating and Air Conditioning. Arousa did not name one of these sponsors to double his prize money.

All football contest entries each week will be entered in the grand prize drawing for a 19" Magnavox TV from Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. at the end of the 10-week contest. Entries are due by 4 p.m. Fridays at The Lynn County News Office.

Man, Woman Of Year:

Nominations Sought For Awards Here

The City of Tahoka's annual Man and Woman of the Year awards are presented each year during the Lynn County Harvest Festival ceremonies, and nominations for the two honors are now being sought by city officials. Deadline for nominations is Oct. 1.

Anyone may nominate their choice of whom they think most deserves the awards, and a committee designated by the mayor will make the final selections.

To nominate a person, write the person's name and the reasons they should be awarded, and mail or bring to City Administrator Jerry Webster at Tahoka City Hall, 1612 Lockwood, P.O. Box 300, Tahoka, TX 79373.

COMMUNITY CLOTHES GIVEAWAY
9 a.m.-1 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 25
Tahoka Church of Christ
2320 Lockwood

Bulldogs Win On Late Pass

The Tahoka Bulldogs fell behind twice last Friday night at Lorenzo, but kept fighting back, and were rewarded with a game-winning touchdown when Brad Pebsworth caught a pass lying on his back in the end zone.

The Dogs won the game 18-17 and now are 1-1 for the season. Tahoka will host Smyer Friday for the Bulldogs' home opener.

Tahoka took a 6-0 lead in the first quarter on a 34-yard pass play from QB Brady Raindl to running back Steve Wiseman. The extra-point try failed. In the second quarter Lorenzo got a safety and then went ahead at halftime 9-6 after a 24-yard scoring pass from QB Kane Swetnam to Brian Garcia.

The third quarter was scoreless, but Tahoka regained the lead early in the fourth as Wiseman ran in from a yard away. A kick was no good, and it was 12-9.

The Hornets came back to score on a 28-yard pass from Swetnam to Garcia and appeared to have the game won. But Tahoka kept driving and with just 8 seconds left, Raindl passed 24 yards into the end zone, where Pebsworth had gone down, but the ball fell into his midsection.

Pebsworth and Raindl both are sophomores. Raindl completed 9 of 20 passes in the game, for a total of 155 yards. Leading rusher in the game was Tahoka tailback Auggie Cantu, who gained 174 yards in 23 carries, an average of 7.6 yards per carry. Wiseman gained 64 yards in 16 carries for Tahoka.

Coach Troy Hinds commented that "we played a lot better (than in the opening game loss to O'Donnell), but we still made some mistakes. . . The young men never gave up, and the offensive line played especially well. Jaime Luna and Brad Pebsworth made some good catches which helped in crucial spots. . .Overall, the kids did a good job."

Linebacker Gene DeLeon broke his leg just above the ankle early in the game, and Coach Hinds said DeLeon would be out about six weeks.

GAME AT A GLANCE

TAHOKA		LORENZO
19	First downs	13
255	Yds. rushing	47
155	Yds. passing	191
9-20-0	Completed by	18-26-1
410	Total offense	238
3-20	Punts, avg.	2-40
3	Fumbles lost	3
13-120	Penalties	5-35

Homecoming Events Set This Week

New Home

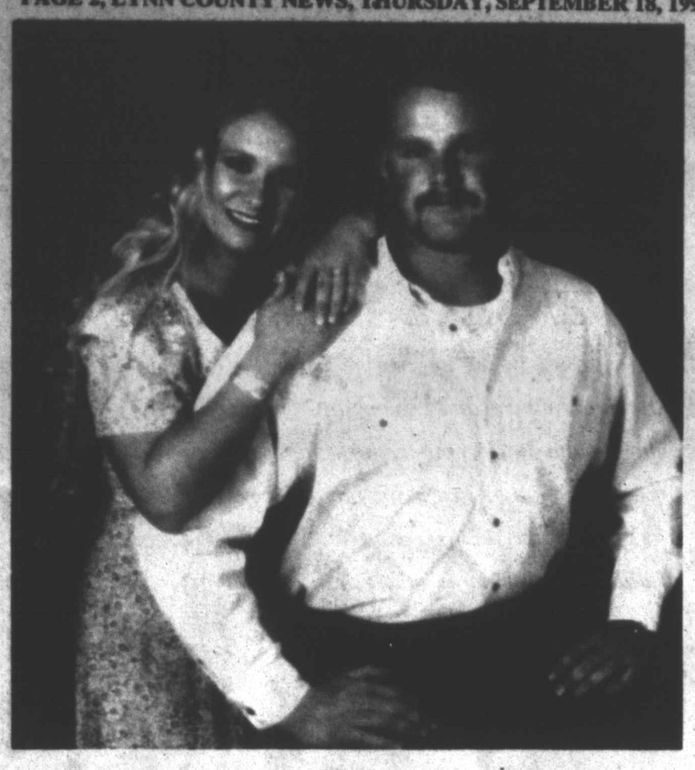
Thursday: Tailgate Party, 7:30 p.m.; Bonfire to follow.
Friday: Parade 2:15, Pep Rally 2:45, Leopards vs. Loraine 7:30 p.m.

Wilson

Thursday: Parade 6:45, Hot Dog supper 7:30, Pep Rally and Bonfire 8:30.
Friday: BBQ Supper 5 p.m.; Mustangs vs. Cotton Center 7:30; Dance 9:45-Midnight.

O'Donnell

Thursday: Bonfire 8:30 p.m.
Friday: Pep Rally 2:45; Eagles vs. Ralls 8 p.m.



LISA RENEE' JOSSELET and ALTON BRIAN JAMES

Couple Plans October Wedding

Johnny Josselet of Haskell and Mrs. Rhonda Gray of Odessa announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Renee', to Alton Brian James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton James of O'Donnell and Ms. Nelda James of Big Spring.

The couple plan to marry at 4 p.m., Oct. 4, 1997 in Asbury United Methodist Church in Odessa.

Miss Josselet is a 1992 graduate of Las Cruces High School and a 1997 graduate of Indiana University. She is employed as a histotechnologist at DX Inc., Pathology Laboratory in Midland.

James is a 1990 graduate of O'Donnell High School. He is employed by Jones Motors in Odessa.

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Library Awarded $7,177 Grant

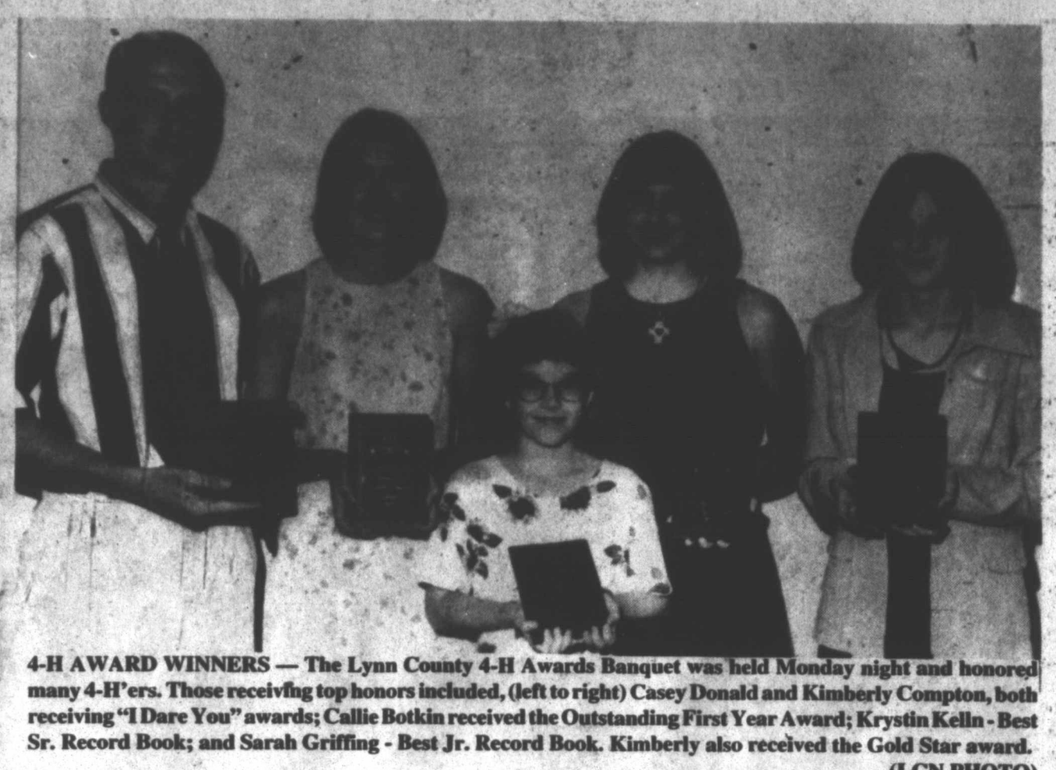
The City-County Library, recently relocated to Tahoka's new Life Enrichment Center at 1717 Main Street, has been awarded a $7,177 grant from the Tocker Foundation. The funds, which library officials expect to receive by Oct. 15, will be used to purchase an oak children's table and chairs, an oak book cart, a paperback book display rack, and reference resource materials. The Austin-based private foundation is also providing a new copy machine for the library.

City grant writer Retha Pittman wrote the grant application for the library, informing the Tocker Foundation about the library's new facilities inside the Life Enrichment Center. A good portion of the funds – $2100 – will be used to update the reference resource materials at the library.

Bequests from the Tocker Foundation totaled $651,000 last year, all to libraries in towns with populations of 12,000 or less. In awarding the grant to the Tahoka City-County Library, foundation officials noted that over 70 library projects were reviewed for grant requests, and in the West Texas Library System (which this library is a member of) only 4 of 7 applications were approved.

"The Tocker Foundation said they were very impressed with our [Life Enrichment Center] building project and the library's use of the building," said librarian/director Shirley Draper. "This grant will enhance our services to the community and we are so pleased to be able to add to the wonderful things the library has been able to accomplish these past months. We are thankful for Retha's ability to express the needs for the library," she added.

The Tocker Foundation was started by Phil and Olive Tocker in 1964. The late couple's foundation inherited their estate in 1994 and now has assets of more than $22 million. The couple's nephew, Darryl Tocker, is director of the foundation.



4-H AWARD WINNERS — The Lynn County 4-H Awards Banquet was held Monday night and honored many 4-H'ers. Those receiving top honors included, (left to right) Casey Donald and Kimberly Compton, both receiving "I Dare You" awards; Callie Botkin received the Outstanding First Year Award; Krystin Kelln - Best Sr. Record Book; and Sarah Griffing - Best Jr. Record Book. Kimberly also received the Gold Star award. (LCN PHOTO)

Egg Drop Event Held At School

Tahoka Elementary 4th-6th grade students participated in the annual Egg Drop event last week. The following are winners who had eggs that did not break from a 50 foot drop:

4th Grade - Mandi Strickland, Jaun Aguirre, Kathryn Reno, Kelly Rojo, Corey Jolly, Richard Garcia.

5th Grade - Lupe Riojas, Maurio Guterrez, Cassidy Gandy, Trevor Cook, Cade Miller, Robert Baker.

6th Grade - Damesha Harris, Michael Nance, Nieves Cantu, Corey Green, Ashanti Hood, Fabian Rodriquez, Charlie Strickland, David Arista, Amy McAfee, Casey Hall.

The term "First Lady" dates from the time of Lucy Ware Webb Hayes, who was the 16th first lady from 1887-91.

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Awards Highlight 4-H Achievement Banquet

Young members and adult leaders involved in activities of the Lynn County 4-H clubs were presented awards as the annual Lynn County 4-H Awards Banquet was held in the Life Enrichment Center Monday evening. Casey Griffing served as Master of Ceremonies.

The two most prestigious awards for members are the Gold Star award and the "I Dare You" award. Gold Star award winner was Kimberly Compton who also received the "I Dare You" award. The other "I Dare You" award recipient was Casey Donald.

Callie Botkin received the Outstanding First Year Award; Sarah Griffing received the Best Junior Record Book award and Krystin Kelln received the Best Senior Record Book award.

Honored adults included Teresa Compton and Carolyn Botkin, both named as Outstanding Adult Leaders; Rex Rash received the 4-H Alumni award; and First National Bank of Tahoka received the Friend of 4-H award.

4-H members receiving Project Pins included: Krystin Kelln, Agriculture; Sarah Griffing, Conservation of Natural Resources; Klyssa Kelln, Consumer Life Skills; Keely Boone, Family Life; Food & Nutrition - Samantha Andrews, Blake Ashcraft, Callie Botkin, Emily Botkin, Sarah Box, Jakie Diggs, Colby Gardner, Cade Miller, Skylar Owens, Lindsay Preston, Meghan Saldana and Jenny Teague; Food Show - Corey Green, Grant Keller, and Ashley McNeely; Horse - Casey Donald, Cody Donald, and Delci Willis; Leadership - Casey Griffing and Chelsey Miller; Cory Gardner, Livestock Judging; Kimberly Compton, Poultry; and Jeff Compton, Shooting Sports.

Members receiving Completion Certificates for Food & Nutrition included Samantha Andrews, Blake Ashcraft, Callie Botkin, Emily Botkin, Sarah Box, Kaleb Collins, Jakie Diggs, Colby Gardner, Corey Green, Grant Keller, Ashley McNeely, Cade Miller, Skylar Owens, Lindsay Preston, Meghan Saldana, and Jenny Teague. Others receiving Completion Certificates included Brady Askew, Swine; Keely Boone, Family Life, Food & Nutrition, and Gardening & Horticulture; Jeff Compton, Shooting Sports; Kimberly Compton, Beef, Meat Goats, and Poultry; Casey Donald, Horse; Cody Donald, Horse; Cory Gardner, Food & Nutrition and Livestock Judging; Trevor Gicklhorn, Bicycle, Dog Care and Food & Nutrition; Casey Griffing, Conservation of Natural Resources, Consumer Education, Electric Energy, Food & Nutrition, Horse, Leadership and Swine; Sarah Griffing, Computer Science, Conservation of Natural Resources, Consumer Education, Food & Nutrition, Horse and Swine; Klyssa Kelln, Consumer Life Skills; Krystin Kelln, Agriculture; Chelsey Miller, Food & Nutrition and Leadership; and Delci Willis, Food & Nutrition, Horse and Swine.

District participants included the following: Trap - Brad Ashbrook, Riley Barnett, Brad Lankford, Colton McNeely, Dustin McNeely, C.J. Sims, and D.J. Sims; Livestock Judging - Brady Askew, Ross Fillingim, Cory Gardner, and Jim Vineyard; Food Show - Jakie Diggs, Grant Keller, and Jenny Teague. Others included Chris Ashbrook, Livestock Judging and Trap; Kendall Barnett, Livestock Judging and Trap; Callie Botkin, Consumer Decision Making and Food Show; Emily Botkin, Consumer Decision Making and Food Show; Brenda Castillo, Wool Judging; Jeff Compton, Method Demonstration and Trap; Kimberly Compton, Fashion Show, Method Demonstration and Wool Judging; Casey Donald, Consumer Decision Making; Cody Donald, Consumer Decision Making; Amber Fields, Wool Judging; Casey Griffing, Consumer Decision Making and Food Show; Sarah Griffing, Consumer Decision Making, Horse Show and Record Book; Klyssa Kelln, Consumer Decision Making and Livestock Judging; Krystin Kelln, Record Book; Cade Miller, Consumer Decision Making, Food Show and Livestock Judging; Lindsay Preston, Consumer Decision Making and Food Show; Cody Tomlinson, Livestock Judging and Trap; and D'Andre Wilke, Wool Judging.

State participants included Trap - Brad Ashbrook, Chris Ashbrook, Riley Barnett, Brad Lankford, Colton McNeely, Dustin McNeely, C.J. Sims and D.J. Sims; Method Demonstration and Trap - Kendall Barnett and Jeff Compton; Consumer Decision Making - Casey Donald, Cody Donald, and Klyssa Kelln; Consumer Decision Making and Method Demonstration - Casey Griffing; Horse Show - Sarah Griffing; Method Demonstration - Kimberly Compton.

Horse Show award winners were: Senior Division - Co-champions Kendall Barnett and Courtney McNeely; Junior Division - Sarah Griffing, champion; Riley Barnett, reserve champion; Pee Wee Division - Wacie Barnett, champion; and Brandon Tomlinson, reserve champion.

Adult leaders, club managers, and Clover Kids were also honored at the banquet.

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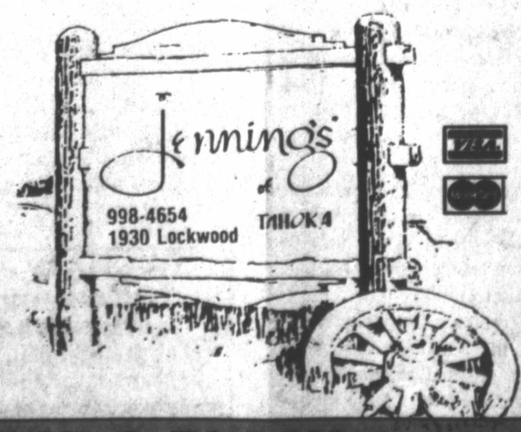
Jennings has lots of Red & Black fashions for dressy or casual events!

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The polyester **Fleece Jacket** with front zipper will keep you warm while at the football game, and features the Tech logo on front and the Masked Rider logo on back.

For dressier occasions, mix & match a Jo Hardin poly/rayon blend (washable) **Lined Jacket** in red with matching red slacks or skirt and vest, or black/gray checked slacks.

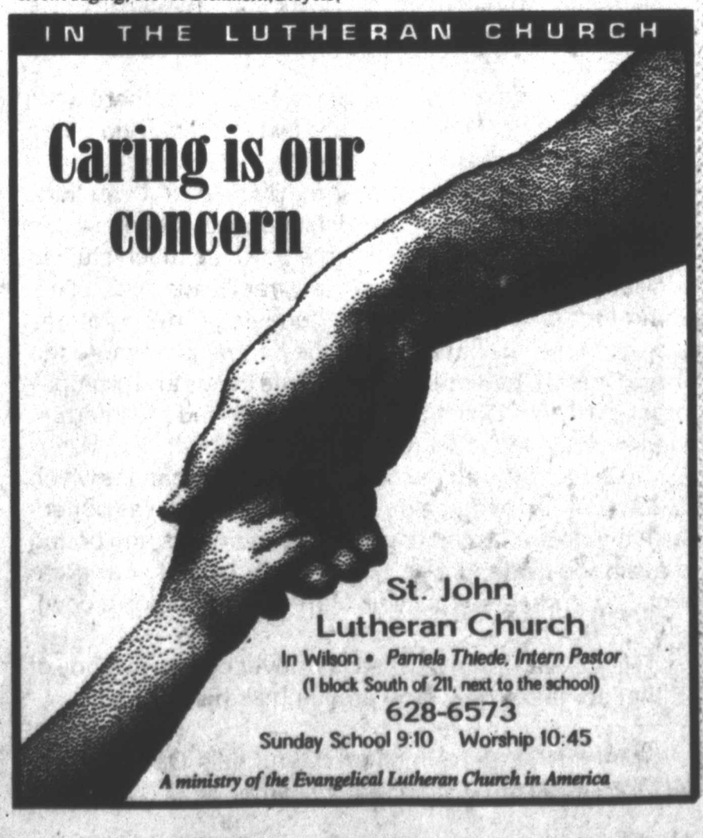
And for the **Little Ones**, check out the red & black fashions, including a red/black fleece buffalo check top in girls sizes 7-14 that looks great with black leggings!



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Coaches Respond To Bulldog Call

by Chris McAllister

Tahoka Middle School has hired some new coaches for the 1997-98 school year. One of the new faces is Coach Hunter Cooley from Hodges, Texas.

He graduated from Denver City High School. He played football, basketball and track in high school. After graduating from high school he attended ACU, earning his BSED. He then attended Sul Ross State and earned his MED, graduating in 1995. He later attended Texas Tech for further course work.

Coach Cooley has coached for 5 years. He coaches football, basketball, tennis, track, and golf.

Coach Cooley said that his hobby is playing golf. He has a wife, Carla, and they have been married for two years.

Coach Cooley says "Both the 8th and 7th grade are full of hard working men and are expected to be very successful."

New Coach Is Ready For TMS

by Kellen Flowers and Britt Sharrock

We are glad to welcome to Tahoka Middle School Coach Brock Siversten.

He graduated from Southern Nazarene after attending high school in Georgetown where he played football, basketball, and baseball. In college he played basketball.

He lives in Tahoka and likes it a lot. He also thinks the people are nice and is looking forward to this year.

New Faces Shine At T.M.S.

by Joey Jolly, Marissa Chapa, and Analisa Balderas

A new face on the third floor this year is Mrs. Donna Chancy.

She graduated from Tahoka High School, married, and has been a housewife. She has three children: Matt 16, Clayton 13, and Jessica 10, and a husband named Jaybo.

Since Mrs. Chancy likes to read, she enjoys her work with the Accelerated Reader program. She hopes that everyone reaches their goals.

Emily (Bam Bam) Rivas Tomlinson graduated from Tahoka schools, attended South Plains College and American Business College. She is married to Gordon Tomlinson and has two sons, Cody, 12, and Brandon, 7. She started substituting for Tahoka ISD while she helped with the family farming operation. Bam Bam is now an aide in the Resource and Band programs.

Adding It Up With Cooley And Howard

by Angelina Segovia and Aubrey Kieth

Welcome, Shelli Howard, the Algebra one-half and TAAS Math teacher.

She was raised in Levelland, graduated from Levelland High School in 1992 and from Texas Tech University in 1996 with a Bachelor's degree in Multidisciplinary Studies. This is her first year to teach. She is very interested in math and thinks it can be fun. She loves working with kids and hopes to get more students interested in math.

Her favorite food is hamburgers and George Strait is her favorite singer. We hope you have a great year here!

Mrs. Carla Cooley graduated from Abilene Christian University. She got her Bachelor's degree in 1991, and her degree in Math Education in 1993. Her Master's degree was in counseling.

This is her seventh year to teach Math Education. She has taught in Denver City, Abilene, and Tahoka. She has taught math from sixth grade to calculus, coached tennis and basketball.

Her mom was a big influence on her goal to teach. She chose to teach math because it can be fun and wants the majority of her students to love it. She hopes to have all her Algebra I students pass all their tests.

Millenbine Means Business

by German Rojo

We are glad to welcome to TMS Jessica Millenbine.

She attended school in Seagraves, TX then South Plains College and Texas Tech for three years each. She is married to Lewis Millenbine. They have two very loving dogs named Scout and Sebastian. She loves them like they are kids. Her favorite foods are fried chicken and hamburgers.

This year she is looking forward to teaching everything about science to eighth graders. Her favorite songs are Hotel California by the Eagles and Foolish Games by Jewell.

Her first impression of Tahoka students was that they are a bunch of kids that are very well behaved.

Brewers Become Bulldogs

by Mandy Sanders and Zac Ehlers

David Brewer is a new coach to Tahoka.

He was raised in Bowie, Tx. He attended Midwestern State University and graduated from there in 1990. He has been coaching for the last seven years, four of those years were in Lockney, Tx., one was in Motley County, and the last two in Memphis, Tn. While living in those cities he coached girls basketball, football, tennis, track, power lifting, volleyball, cross country, and golf.

His hobbies include playing any sport, but especially tennis. Coach Brewer's family consist of him, his son Devin, and hi wife for eighteen months, Kandle.

Mrs. Kandle Brewer is a new teacher at TMS. She was born and raised in Ryan, Oklahoma. She attended college at Cameron and earned a B.B.A., then went on to West Texas at Canyon.

Coach Brewer stated that his first impression of Tahoka was that of a nice town with friendly people, and he feels very much at home here.

Spearman Returns Home

by Matt Wells

Arlene Spearman was raised in Tahoka and graduated from Texas Tech with a Bachelor of Science degree. After teaching at Wilson for two years, she became a paralegal for two years. Arlene then taught at Salinas, California, then moved to DeSoto, a suburb of Dallas, where she owned two cookie stores for 11 years.

She has now returned to her home town, taught in Wilson last year, and is teaching Language Arts to eighth graders this year. She has two children, Justin, 20, and Grant, 16, a junior at THS. Arlene's favorite sport is hockey.



NEW MIDDLE SCHOOL STAFF – New staff members at Tahoka Middle School include, back row from left, Brock Siversten, Jessica Millenbine, David Brewer; middle row, Arlene Spearman, Kandle Brewer; and front row, Shelli Howard, Donna Chancy and Emily Tomlinson. (LCN PHOTO)

TISD Board Approves Policy Update

Tahoka Independent School District Board of Trustees met for a routine business session Tuesday night, approving TASB Policy Update 56 to comply with legal changes set by state legislators, and approving two more additions to the substitute teacher list.

Business Manager Loretta Tekell gave a financial report, noting an account balance in all funds of $1,993,776.88, and monthly bills were approved.

Tahoka High School student Rebekah Curry gave a short presentation on her duties as a state FHA officer, telling board members of her experiences during the summer at several leadership training seminars and planning sessions.

Principals Jimmy Parker, Glo Hays and Ronald Roberts reported on their campus activities, and Athletic Director Troy Hinds also reported to trustees on student athletic activities. In his report, Superintendent David Hutton said that the construction on the ag building should be completed by the end of October.

Six trustees were present for the two-hour meeting, which included a 30-minute executive session to discuss personnel. Trustee Ty Askew was absent. The next meeting was set for Tuesday, Oct. 14 at 7 p.m.

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Service News

Marine Pvt. Artemio A. Gomez, of New Home, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

He successfully completed 12 weeks of training designed to challenge new Marine recruits both physically and mentally.

Gomez and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a.m., by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, they spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training. They performed close order drill and operated as a small infantry unit during field training.

Gomez and other recruits also received instruction on the Marine Corps' core values — honor, courage and commitment, and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct.

Gomez and fellow recruits ended the training phase with The Crucible, a 54-hour team effort, problem solving evolution which culminated with an emotional ceremony in which the recruits were presented the Marine Corps Emblem, and were addressed as "Marines" for the first time since boot camp began.

Gomez joins 41,000 men and women who will enter the Marine Corps this year from all over the country.

He is the son of Marciano and Maria Gomez of New Home and is a 1997 graduate of New Home High School.

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Griffing Selected National Agriscience Student Finalist

William Casey Griffing, of Tahoka, has been named a finalist in the National FFA Organization's Agriscience Student Recognition Program. Griffing, a member of the O'Donnell FFA Chapter, will receive scholarship awards totaling $1,500 and will compete for national honors at the 70th National FFA Convention, Nov. 13-15, 1997, in Kansas City, Mo.

Casey is the son of Bill and Rubeth Griffing, the grandson of Carl and Virginia Griffing, and the great-grandson of Vernon Jones, all of Tahoka.

Eligible FFA members are selected on the basis of research projects involving agriscience skills, applications and new technologies learned in their high school agriculture classes and applied to their supervised agricultural experience program, as well as academic achievement, school and community activities.

Griffing, one of eight finalists, will attend a reception for judges and finalists Wednesday evening Nov. 12. On the afternoon of Nov. 13, Griffing will present his agriscience project design, development and results to a panel of judges as part of the national finals located in the Conference Center next to the new H.Roe Bartle expansion. A display of Griffing's project, entitled, "Biomediation: In Pursuit of Environmentally-Friendly, Cost-Effective Methods of Purifying Contaminated Water and Soil" will be part of an Agriscience Exhibit at the National Agricultural Career Show held in conjunction with the national FFA convention.

The Agriscience Student Recognition Program honors high school juniors, seniors and college freshmen who are pursuing an academically challenging course of study focused on the application of scientific principles and emerging technologies in an agricultural enterprise. The program is sponsored by The Monsanto Crop Protection Business of St. Louis, Mo. as a special project of the National FFA Foundation, Inc.



CASEY GRIFFING

FFA is a national organization of 449,175 members preparing for leadership and careers in the science, business and technology of agriculture. The organization has 7, 263 local chapters located throughout the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam and the Virgin Islands.

FFA's mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education. Local, state and national activities and award programs provide opportunities for students to apply knowledge and skills learned in the classroom.

Tim Thorman Is New Director At White Funeral Home

White Funeral Home of Tahoka is pleased to announce an addition to their staff. Timothy L. Thorman and his family have moved into the funeral home apartment at 1821 Main Street.

Tim was born in Burbank, Calif., and was raised near Boston, Mass. He graduated from the University of Redlands (near San Bernardino, Calif.) with a degree in organ and church music in 1977, and was later given the privilege of playing the famous organ in the Salt Lake Tabernacle.

He attended Cypress College of Mortuary Science in Orange County, and graduated in 1984. He has worked for the largest mortuary in the world at Rose Hills Memorial Park in Whittier, and has most recently worked at a small family-owned firm in Price, Utah. He will soon have his license to sell pre-funded funerals, as well as his Texas funeral service license.

He has served in organizations such as Lions and Kiwanis, has sat on a local Salvation Army board, and also sat on the Redlands (Calif.) City Parks Commission. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and the appendant bodies of York Rite and Shrine.

Tim's wife, Sherryl, was born near Los Angeles and raised near Riverside, Calif. She has worked as a veterinary assistant, and served a mission for the LDS Church in New Jersey and Delaware. She met Tim in Salt Lake City, and they were married in 1982. They have five children: Elizabeth, 14; Philip, 12; Kathryn, 11; Richard, 5; and Charles, 4. Elizabeth and Philip are enrolled in Tahoka Middle School, while Kathryn and Richard are in Tahoka Elementary. The family attends the Brownfield Branch of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

While the family misses the Rocky Mountains of Utah, they look forward to meeting and serving the families of Tahoka and the surrounding area.



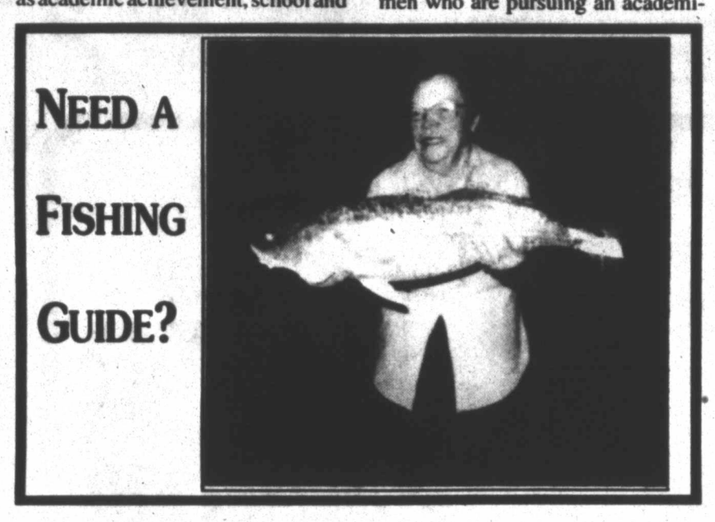
NEW FUNERAL DIRECTOR – Timothy L. Thorman and his family have moved to Tahoka to serve as the funeral director at White Funeral Home. He and his wife, Sherryl, have five children, Elizabeth, Philip, Kathryn, Richard, and Charles.

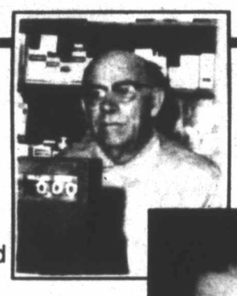
Founder's Day Fest Set In Post

Post Founder's Day Fall Fest will be held Saturday, Oct. 4, and will feature activities in downtown Post, Old Mill Trade Days, as well as "Autumn Nights and Main Street Lights", which is a catered dinner and dance.

The dinner and dance will take place on west Main street in front of the courthouse. The dinner, which costs $12.50 per person, will begin at 6:30 p.m. Admission to the dance, which begins at 8 p.m., is free.

For more information and dinner tickets, contact Post Commerce and Tourism Bureau, Inc., P.O. Box 610, Post 79356, or call 806-495-3461.





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NOTICE OF INTENT TO CONTRACT FOR O'DONNELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT PROJECT

In accordance with the Public Property Finance Act, Section 271.001 *et. seq.*, Texas Local Government Code, as amended (the "Act") notice is hereby given that it is the intent of the Board of Trustees of the O'Donnell Independent School District situated in Lynn County, Texas (the "District") to enter into a lease/purchase contract with a Public Facility Corporation to be created by the District pursuant to Article 717s, Tex. Rev. Civ. Stat., as amended, for the use, purchase or other acquisition of real property or an improvement of real property or an improvement to real property for public school purposes, to-wit: renovations and classrooms (the "Project"). The District tentatively proposes to enter into a contract in an amount not to exceed $980,000, the presently estimated amount of costs to be incurred for acquisition, construction, engineering, architectural, land acquisition, legal, and other professional fees in connection with the Project. The term of the contract shall not exceed 15 years. The District presently proposes to provide for payment of the contract from money biennially appropriated to the District by the Texas Legislature which may be used for capital outlay or lease purchase payments and unintended surplus maintenance tax proceeds, subject to annual appropriation by the District.

The land upon which the Project will be located will be sold to the Public Facility Corporation, and the Project and the land on which it will be located will be subject to a mortgage and, therefore, will be subject to foreclosure if the District fails to make lease payments to the Public Facility Corporation. The District will apply the land sale proceeds it will receive from the Public Facility Corporation to the Project. The District will not be making any additional contributions to the Project.

The Board intends to consider matters related to approval of the lease/purchase contract on or about (but not earlier than) the 60th day after the date of publication of this notice. In accordance with the Act, if, within 60 days of the date of publication of this notice, a written petition signed by at least five percent of the registered voters of the District is filed with the Board of Trustees requesting that the Board order a referendum on the question of which the contract should be approved, the Board may not approve the contract unless the question is approved by the majority of the votes received in a referendum ordered and held on the question.

Board of Trustees of the O'Donnell Independent School District
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LEGAL NOTICE

A meeting has been scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 2, in the Floydada city council chamber to select a designated minority member of the SPAG Board of Directors for the listed counties. The individual will serve a two year term. Interested minority individuals are encouraged to participate in the selection process. 38-1tc

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New Family Center Offers Toys, Books, Videos For Wilson Residents

by JUANELL JONES

There's a place where children can go check out toys, books and videos, and parents can take classes, or check out books and videos, on anything from pregnancy, child development, discipline, nutrition, computer literacy, and ... well, the topics are virtually endless.

It's all at Wilson's new Family Center, recently opened at Wilson Independent School District, on the elementary campus. Area residents visited the center during Open House, and learned that there will be a wide variety of services offered through the center.

The center is officially open three days a week, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 7:45 a.m. until 4 p.m., but Elementary Principal Kelley Hirt says she and her staff will be glad to accommodate parents and children by appointment on other days, including Saturdays if necessary.

"We want the Family Center to be utilized – if parents will let us know when they can be here, then we'll be here, too," said Mrs. Hirt. "We feel very strongly that the school is a focal point of this community, as well as a resource for the community. We all have to work together ... I don't know any parent who does not want their child to be successful, and the Family Center was created to offer parents additional resources," added the principal.

The Family Center was funded by a $14,000 Family Literacy Grant through the Texas Education Agency and the Education Service Center. Mrs. Hirt says the district received the grant because of the district's previous efforts in parent involvement, such as an annual health fair, "Moms and Muffins" and "Dads and Donuts" days, and community story time for children ages birth to 5 years, held at the school library the first and third Thursdays of each month.

Something new to this area is the new Toy Library at the Family Center. Mrs. Hirt said they got the idea for the toy library from a school in Kentucky. Developmentally appropriate toys for ages birth through 5 years are lined up on low shelves in the Family Center, enticing youngsters to experiment with snaps, zippers, buckles and shoestrings, and lots of other toys which encourage dexterity with children's hands and stimulates thought processes. These toys may be checked out for a two week period, and parents will receive an informational sheet with each toy which describes which skills that particular toy develops.

Books and games for all ages are also displayed within reaching distance for small children, and videos may be watched on the television in the center, or may be checked out to be watched at home.

"The purpose of the toy library is to help parents become aware of the skills developed with each particular toy, which may enable parents to make better choices when buying toys for their children," Mrs. Hirt explained.

The Family Center also offers books and videos for parents, including such topics as pre-natal care, pregnancy, birth, child development, discipline, and nutrition. Parenting classes are also being offered through the center, with a new topic to be addressed each month. These topics may include the aforementioned subjects, and may also address such issues as parenting of teenage children, CPR classes, and computer literacy.

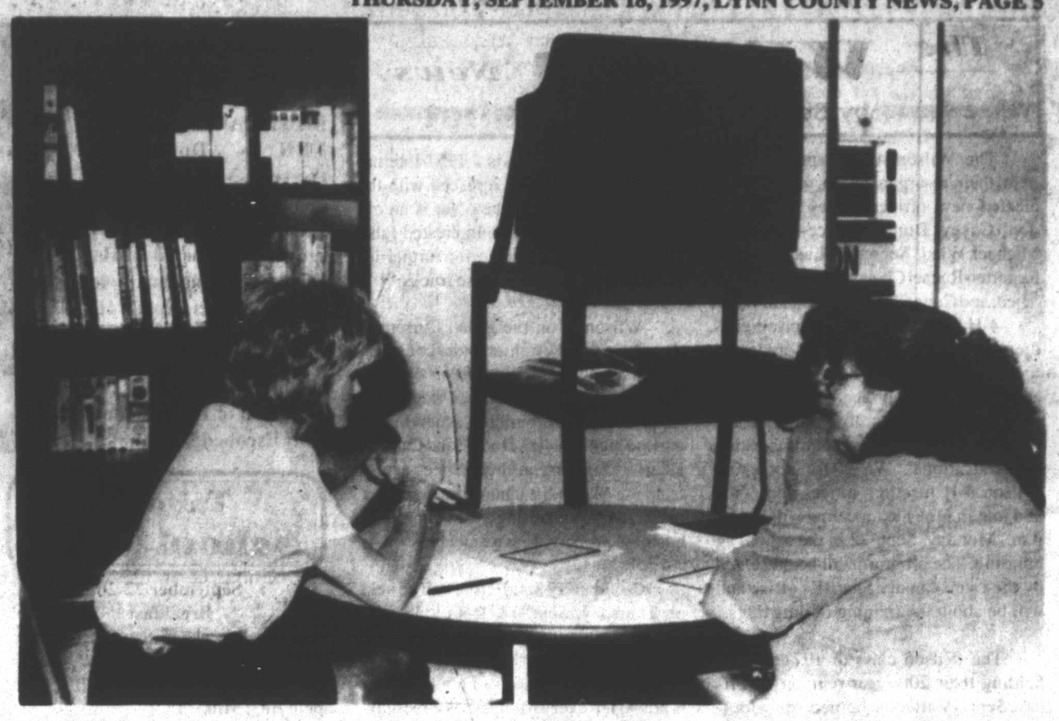
These classes are free and available to anyone in the school district, the principal says.

"The adult computer literacy class for this fall is already full, with 17 signed up, and there are only three spaces left in the spring computer literacy class," said Mrs. Hirt. Each computer course is 45 hours and will meet for three-hour classes one night a week for 15 weeks. At the completion of the course, each participant will receive a certificate for use at job interviews, the principal explained.

A reading program which the district began last year will be continued through the Family Center, called "A Gift For Life". Each newborn child in the Wilson School District is presented with a book from the staff at Wilson Elementary to start or add to his or her collection, to encourage children to enjoy a lifetime of reading, the principal says.

"We're excited about everything the Family Center has to offer, and we love to have parents – and even residents who don't have children in the school district – to come see what we have to offer," said Mrs. Hirt.

With such a wide variety of topics and classes offered, the Family Center will not only provide additional resources for Wilson families, but may also offer an opportunity to visit the campus for those residents who do not have children enrolled at the school.



NEW FAMILY CENTER – Wilson Elementary Principal Kelley Hirt (left) explains the services offered through the new Family Center to Wilson residents Charlotte Pena and Dora Martinez during Open House held recently. The new center, located inside Wilson Elementary, offers a Toy Library for young children, books and videos for children and parents, and is a resource for many topics, including parenting skills, child development, computer literacy, and more. (LCN PHOTO)

GED Test Offered Here

The GED test will be given at Tahoka High School this Saturday, Sept. 20 for anyone interested in obtaining their general equivalency diploma.

Interested persons should come to the Tahoka High School Learning Resource Center at 7:45 a.m. Testing begins at 8 a.m.

For more information, call Sherri McCord or Paige Rivas at the high school counselor's office, 998-5146.

Obituaries

Opal Duckett

Services for Edith Opal Duckett, 87, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 16, at Sweet Street Baptist Church in Tahoka with the Rev. Lynn Long officiating.

Interment followed in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home.

She died Sunday, Sept. 14, 1997, in Tahoka.

She was born Jan. 31, 1910, near Stephenville. She married Harvey Lee Duckett Dec. 6, 1930, near Three Lakes. She was a homemaker and a member of Sweet Street Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Alice Carolyn Davis of San Antonio; a sister, Bobbie Herrin of Tahoka; two grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Pete Fuentes

Rosary for Pete Fuentes, 80, of Muleshoe was held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 16, at Hammons Funeral Home Chapel in Littlefield. Mass was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 17, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Littlefield, with the Rev. Clarence Huber officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Cemetery.

Fuentes died Saturday, Sept. 13, 1997, at Lamb Healthcare Center in Littlefield.

He was born Jan. 24, 1917, in Percilla. He married Cresencia Losano May 5, 1941, in Cristal. He was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife; five sons, Pete Fuentes Jr., of Texico, N.M., Adan of Dallas, Juan of Shallowater, Jesus of Tahoka and Leon of Lubbock; five daughters, Juanita Hernandez of Dallas, Beatrice Palacio of Lancaster, Eva Reyes of Littlefield, Josie Garza and Irene Gonzales, both of Lubbock; one brother, Jose Fuentes of Earth; 59 grandchildren; and 25 great-grandchildren.

Senior Citizens MENU

September 22-26

Monday: Hamburger Steak, Brown Gravy, Baked Potato, Okra or Carrots, Apricots, Hot Roll, Oatmeal Cookie.

Tuesday: Turkey, Cornbread Dressing, Cranberry Sauce, Green Beans, Tossed Salad/Thousand Island, Hot Roll, Apple Cobbler.

Wednesday: Oven Fried Fish, Tarter Sauce, Baked Beans, Okra or Greens, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Fruit Salad.

Thursday: King Ranch Chicken, Ensalada D Frijoles, Mex Style Spinach, Tortilla or Crackers, New Mex Biscochitos.

Friday: Pork Chop, Baby Limas, Harvard Beets, Tossed Salad/Ranch, Pumpkin Crunch or Bars.



ASHLEY ABELL

Abell Named To Who's Who

Ashley Abell, of Tahoka, has been selected into Who's Who Among American High School Students for the second time. Her biography will be published in the 31st Annual Edition of the publication.

She is also eligible to compete for one of 175 scholarships of $1,000 each which will be awarded by Who's Who this year.

Ashley is the daughter of Bill Abell of Tahoka and the granddaughter of Liz Abell of Tahoka and Peggy & Joe Moore of Coppell.

Fall Festival Set At St. Luke's Church

The Fall Arts and Crafts Festival at St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Lubbock will be Oct. 31-Nov. 1. For information on booth availability, please call 799-7358 or 791-5410.

The festival is sponsored by St. Luke's United Methodist Women, 3717 44th Street, Lubbock 79413.

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North Texas CableComm To Give Away Free Outdoor Adventure, Fishing Equipment

Want to get away for a weekend? North Texas CableComm in an effort to bolster awareness in one of their newest channels, The Outdoor Channel, is sponsoring a promotion and the grand prize winner will be able to travel on an exciting outdoor adventure. Also, schools can offer students the opportunity to win a new fishing rod and reel.

The unique part of CableComm's promotion is that it is aimed at adults and young people through two separate and distinct campaigns. That fact is what excites North Texas CableComm's Regional Manager Rex Thackerson, "It is great that we can target customers with a promotion and with the same theme still provide an educational opportunity for elementary aged children in our community."

Entry blanks for the outdoor adventure were included in CableComm's September statements and extras are available in their local office. Also, any new customer that signs-up with CableComm during September, at a reduced installation rate of $9.95, will automatically be entered into the outdoor adventure sweepstakes. The outdoor adventure includes airfare and lodging plus the opportunity to be a co-host on an episode on one of The Outdoor Channel's shows. The drawing to determine the grand prize winner will be held Oct. 29.

In a separate contest carrying the same theme, some elementary schools will participate in an essay and drawing contest sponsored by CableComm called the "Great Outdoors". Students will be encouraged to write an essay or draw a picture about what the outdoors means to them. Prizes include hats from The Outdoor Channel and a grand prize of a fishing rod from Zebco.

"The Outdoor Channel focuses on the rural lifestyles prevalent in the south. Fishing, hunting, camping and boating are a way of life and that is why this channel is immensely popular. We have subscribers who say this is definitely their favorite channel," said Thackerson.

"We plan to do more to promote the outdoors and The Outdoor Channel. Some people might find it unusual that a cable company which makes its money from an indoor activity would dare put an emphasis on the outdoors. We feel outdoor activities are an important part of life and a channel that can provide tips and instruction on how to make outdoor activities more fun, cost less, or more safe is vitally important," Thackerson added.

North Texas CableComm is the local cable operator serving the surrounding area. The Outdoor Channel was added to the CableComm system this year. Zebco is a maker of fishing and outdoor equipment.

STORK REPORT

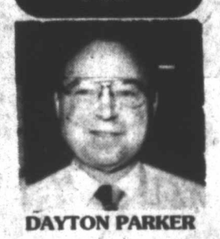
Robert and Rita Lopez of New Home announce the birth of a daughter, Clarissa Dominique, born at 10:23 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 15, 1997, in Highland Medical Center in Lubbock. She weighed 8 pounds and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Tony and Angie Rodriguez and Robert Sr. and Maria Lopez, all of New Home.

Great-grandparents are Sophia Estrada of Wilson, Eufenio Rodriguez of New Home, and Mr. and Mrs. Anestacio Lopez of Tahoka.

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The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

The Wilson 4-H chapter recently held their re-organization meeting and elected new officers. They are: President-Casey Donald; Vice-President-Michael Wied; Secretary-Lauren Wied; Reporter-Rachel Chancy; Treasurer-Ryan Wied; and Council Delegate-Shaun Wied.

4-H is an organization for all children beginning with the third grade and running through age 18. It is not just for animal projects, but encompasses many areas of interest. Monthly programs come from all sectors and are both interesting and educational. Watch for upcoming Wilson 4-H meeting notices and come and join in. The next meeting will be at 7 p.m., Monday, Sept. 22 in the school ag building. The program will be presented by the Lynn County Sheriff's office and will be about the training of drug dogs.

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The Wilson class of 1977 will be holding their 20th year reunion on Friday, Sept. 19 after the homecoming football game. They will meet in the school cafeteria and a spokesperson has said that members of other classes are also invited to attend and reminisce.

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The Wilson marching band will have a busy couple of days beginning with homecoming activities starting on Thursday and ending with the Panhandle South Plains Fair parade on Saturday morning and then marching during the half-time activities of the Texas Tech football game on Tech Band Day.

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School pictures will be taken on Wednesday, Sept. 24. Students are reminded to wear appropriate, bright colored clothing for their picture taking session.

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St. John Lutheran Church will be hosting their monthly Young At Heart meeting on Thursday, Sept. 25, beginning at 1 p.m.

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The monthly commodities distribution at Wilson will be on Friday, Sept. 26 from 1-3 p.m. at the Mercantile.

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The Wilson Fire Department has been busy and active the past few months. During a recent insurance audit, it was revealed that the department had received 465 training hours in addition to 336 certified training hours. This amounts to almost 80 hours per department member. These men do this for the protection of our community and they do it without pay. They have also just redone the pump and equipment on the truck that they run to the country to make it more effective and efficient. They now will be able to connect that truck to a fire plug and back up the new truck for town fires.

The Fire Department has two trucks for sale. One of them is a 1957 International Truck that was replaced with the new Ford Truck and the other is an old antique, open cab truck. Interested folks may contact any fireman for further information on either of these trucks.

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Wilson is on the grow. Currently, there are two new homes under construction and one major renovation of business property to a residence. Orlando and Janie Zepeda are building a new home close to highway 400. Donald and Carolyn Klaus are building on Green Street, across from the Methodist Church, and another individual is converting a former piece of business property to a residence.

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Community Story Time will be held on Thursday, Sept. 18, from 2:30-3:00 p.m.

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The Wilson Schools Family Center is now open every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 7:45-4:00 and by appointment (evenings if you desire). We have books and videos available for parents addressing topics such as discipline, ADD, hyperactivity, Special Education, asthma, giftedness, pregnancy, caring for infants, teenage years, family fun ideas, school success, etc. Books and videos may be viewed in the center or checked out and taken at home. Free parenting magazines are also available. The Toy Library is available with toys to be checked out by children birth to five years of age. (Information about the skills enhanced and developed by the toy checked out will be shared with the parent.)

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Friday, Sept. 19 is the last day of the first six weeks. Please check with your child about completing all assignments and making sure they are turned in on time. Report cards will be distributed on Wednesday, Sept. 24. If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher.

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The 1997-98 sports season has begun. The Mustangs appreciate all of the support they receive from parents, students, and community members. We want everyone to enjoy the sporting events, therefore, it is critical for parents to supervise their children so everyone will be safe and able to enjoy the game. Irresponsible behavior is unacceptable.

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BABY PAGEANT WINNER – Domenique Herrera, 3 month old son of Virginia Escobedo and Victor Herrera of Tahoka, recently competed in the USA Baby Pageant held in Lubbock on Sept. 7. He placed first in beauty, first in photo, and second all-around. Domenique is the grandson of Lorenzo and Sally Escobedo of Tahoka.

Tahoka School Menu

September 22-26
Breakfast

Monday: Pancake & Sausage on Stick, Milk.
Tuesday: Chocolate Breakfast Bar, Pineapple Bits, Milk.
Wednesday: Ham & Cheese Breakfast Pocket, Orange Juice, Milk.
Thursday: Cinnamon Roll, Pears, Milk.
Friday: Cereal, Toast w/Jelly, Apple Juice, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: Corndog w/Mustard, Sliced Potatoes, Tossed Salad, Sugar Cookie, Milk.
Tuesday: Beef Taco, Lettuce, Tomato, Spanish Rice, Cornbread, Apple, Milk.
Wednesday: Bar-B-Que on Bun, Pinto Beans, Cole Slaw, Jello, Milk.
Thursday: Sliced Ham, Green Beans, Sweet Potatoes, Hot Roll, Cookie, Milk.
Friday: Bulldog Burger w/Fixings, French Fries, Peach Cobbler, Milk.

THS Freshmen Elect Officers

The freshman class of Tahoka High School met on Sept. 10. Class officers and Harvest Queen contestants were elected. The Freshman Class President is Amada Aguilar; Vice-President is Shiloh Braddock; Secretary is Lezlie Gandy; Reporter, Chelsea White and Parliamentarian, Matt Sanders.

The Harvest Festival Queen contestants are Klyssa Kelln, LaShea Pridmore and Chelsea White.

Class sponsors are Cindy Gardner and Barbara Jaquess.

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Homecoming Activities Set In Wilson

A homecoming dance and a 20th reunion will cap off a busy week of activities for Wilson's annual homecoming festivities. Mustang fans will have a lot to look forward to beginning on Thursday (today) and continuing into the midnight hour on Friday.

Students are invited to participate in YMCA Day at school on Thursday and arrive at school dressed as one of the Village People (Indian, construction worker, cop, cowboy, biker or military person).

The Wilson Junior High Mustangs will take on Cotton Center at 5 p.m. on Thursday at the football field. The parade will line up at 6:45 p.m. and begin at 7:00. Everyone is invited to meet in front of the administration building for a hot dog supper at 7:30 p.m. The annual pep rally and bonfire will begin at 8:30.

On Friday, students will wear blue and white in support of the Mustangs. The Wilson Lions Club will sponsor a BBQ supper at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are $5 for adults and $3 for children. Contact any Lions Club member for more information.

The main event of homecoming weekend will of course be the football game. The Wilson Mustangs will host Cotton Center at 7:30 p.m. Homecoming Coronation will take place during the game's half-time festivities.

The Student Council will host a dance from 9:45 to midnight Friday in the old gym. Tickets are $3 per person or $5 per couple. Dress is casual, however the school dress code will be enforced. Cokes and candy bars will be sold at the dance by the student council. No outside food or drinks will be allowed.

The Wilson High School Class of 1977 will hold their 20 year reunion after the game Friday night. Former class members will meet in the school cafeteria, and members from other classes are also invited to enjoy the reunion.

Wilson School Menu

September 22-26
Breakfast

Monday: Donuts, Juice, Milk.
Tuesday: Breakfast Burritos, Juice, Milk.
Wednesday: Pancakes, Diced Pears, Milk.
Thursday: Blueberry Muffins, Juice, Milk.
Friday: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: Tacos, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Pineapple Chunks, Milk.
Tuesday: Chili Dogs, Pork & Beans, Chips, Sliced Peaches, (H.S.-Salad Bar), Milk.
Wednesday: Chicken Nuggets, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Milk.
Thursday: Fish Sticks, Hush Puppies, Cole Slaw, Fruit Salad, (H.S.-Salad Bar), Milk.
Friday: Nachos w/Meat & Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Pinto Beans, Peach Crisp, Milk.

Who's Who At Wilson ISD

by Wilson High School Journalism Students



LANE JACKSON

Interview With Mr. Jackson

For those of you that don't know, Wilson I.S.D. has a new superintendent. Lane Jackson was born in Bronte, Texas. He has an older brother, and he comes from an agricultural background. Mr. Jackson is married and has two sons. One of his sons is 23 and coaches at Cross Plains, and the other is a 22 year old junior at Texas Tech. Something Mr. Jackson finds odd is that his parents have two sons, his brother has two sons, and he has two sons. There are no girls in his family.

Mr. Jackson graduated from a high school the size of Wilson. Athletics played a big role in his life in high school. He feels he probably made the same mistakes and accomplished many of the same goals as any student would. He attended and graduated from Sul Ross University.

Mr. Jackson has been in education for the past 23 years. He was a teacher/coach for 18 years, a principal for 4 years, and now is a superintendent. The reason he decided to be a superintendent is because when he was an assistant coach he wanted to be a head coach, when he was a head coach he wanted to be a principal, when he was a principal he wanted to be a superintendent. Mr. Jackson's goal is to focus on basic, practical education for Wilson. He feels there is a need for back to basic, practical things in education.

So far Mr. Jackson likes what he has seen at Wilson, he likes the people that he has met, and he is impressed with the students.

When he is done in the education department, he plans to retire and catch up on his fishing, hunting, and ranching interests. He plans to stay active within whatever community it might be. In his free time he likes the outdoors.

A few things Mr. Jackson plans to change about Wilson is the communication between students and teachers, teachers and principals, principals and superintendent, and all communication to the board. Mr. Jackson's advice to young people is, "Set high goals and work to attain them. You are not a failure if you don't reach them; you are a failure if you don't try."

On behalf of Wilson, we would like to welcome Mr. Jackson, and we hope he has a great year.

Stonecipher Is New Coach

Dale Stonecipher is the new girl's athletic coach, assistant football coach, and math teacher at Wilson High School.

Stonecipher was born in Crawfordville, Indiana. He attended a high school his freshman year that was one room and only 27 students attended. Coach Stonecipher was very involved in athletics and football. He moved to Texas and attended Wayland Baptist University. Mr. Stonecipher is married to Ronda and has two kids: Ty who is 4 and Kelsy who is 7. Ronda teaches computers at Lorenzo.

Mr. Stonecipher's previous jobs were security guard at Wayland for all the men's dorms and working with computers at A.D.P. He knows the ins and outs of the auto industry. Mr. Stonecipher was a teacher and coach at Abernathy, Lamesa, and Cotton Center.

Mr. Stonecipher's impression of Wilson so far is that the students are friendly. Everyone in the community has been great and he is excited about all the opportunities. His plans for the future are to do well, own his own home, and be a principal someday.

When Mr. Stonecipher was asked about his free time he said "There is none." When he is not working he spends his time taking care of his kids, which he feels is a lot of work and a lot of fun. He also said "I always make time for golf." His advice for students is "Always, Always, Always give your best and you will be a success." Mr. Stonecipher's goals for the girl's basketball team are to win district, make it to the regional tournament, and help each individual set a goal and achieve it.



DALE STONECIPHER

The thing Coach Stonecipher would like people to know about him is that he loves kids. He wants to help everyone to be successful academically, athletically, and in life. He has a lot of confidence and feels we have to help pull each other along.



CAROLYN GALLAGHAR

New Face In English Department

Carolyn Gallaghar is the new English, speech, and theatre arts teacher. Miss Gallaghar was born in Clyde, Texas where she attended a small high school. She was involved in sports until she broke her fingers, and was the Student Council President. She has 3 older sisters, and has nine nieces and nephews.

Miss Gallaghar attended Texas Tech University. While in high school she worked at a bank and in college she worded as an R.A. She has taught school at Mackenzie Jr. High and is now a teacher at Wilson School.

Miss Gallaghar feels that "Wilson is a really nice, small school." She thinks everyone is friendly and they all offer to help. "It is good because it is close to Lubbock and Slaton."

The things Miss Gallaghar likes to do in her spare time are watching movies, going out with friends, and sleeping. Her plans for the future are to continue teaching, go back and get her Masters Degree, and get married and have lots of kids. Miss Gallaghar's advice to students is "Do your best and remember what you put into it is what you get out of it."

The thing Miss Gallaghar would like people to know about her is that she is a big James Dean fan.

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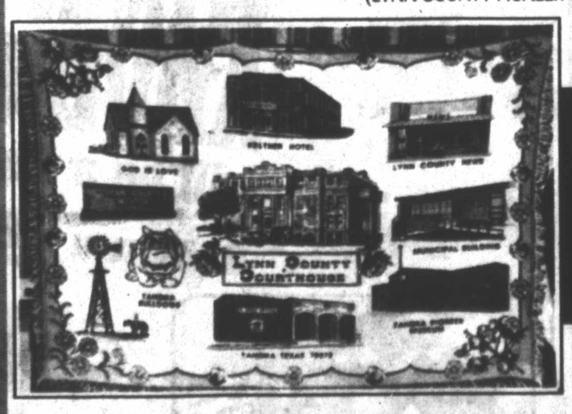
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Tahoka Youth Learns Leadership Skills At Summer FHA Training Sessions

Many students lounged away the summer at the pool or on the couch at home. But for one Tahoka High School junior, Rebekah Curry, the summer was spent participating in leadership training seminars and planning the region and state Future Homemakers of America conferences for 1997-98.

Rebekah was elected as State Corresponding Secretary, Future Homemakers of America at the State FHA Leadership Conference in April, 1997. Her duties include serving as National Membership Network Representative I, coordinating state activities of the National Membership Network Committee, as well as interpreting FHA/HERO and the home economics education program in personal, school and community life, and representing Future Homemakers of America throughout the year on the region, state, and national level.

To help in the accomplishment of these goals, Ms. Curry received much training during the summer



REBEKAH CURRY

months. Leadership training began in Austin on June 1. Skills in public relations, letter writing, public speaking, media development, and business etiquette were acquired. Using these management skills, Rebekah worked as a team member to develop a theme for the Region I FHA Leadership Conference to be held in Odessa March 6-7, 1998, and plan activities for this conference. She will also serve on the Leadership Training committee.

June 16-17, 1997, Rebekah met in Trinidad, Texas with other members of the State Executive committee to plan a theme for the FHA State Leadership Conference scheduled for April 15-18, 1998, and develop ideas for workshops and activities at that conference. From June 18-20, Rebekah received further leadership training, along with other state FHA and FFA officers. This leadership training is offered to state officers of student vocational organizations yearly by Texas Utilities.

"Public speaking, writing, organization, and responsibility are just a few of the many skills I have learned through the Future Homemakers of America organization", says Rebekah. "FHA has taught me much about being an effective leader."

The National FHA Leadership Conference was held July 6-10 in San Diego, California. Representing more than 27,000 members of the Texas Association, Rebekah was among approximately 4,900 delegates participating in the youth developed meeting theme, "Destination: Excellence". Members were challenged to arrive at excellence by looking beyond limits and exploring their potential. FHA members were encouraged to strive for success in preparing for careers and to create an awareness and understanding of family and community needs so they take an active role in meeting these needs. Sessions and activities included STAR (Students Taking Action for Recognition) Events (competitive events), motivational speakers, updates on national programs, election of the 1997-98 national officers, officer training and a celebration at the conclusion of the conference.

Rebekah had the opportunity to interact with students from all 50 states, Colombia, Puerto Rico, and Jamaica as Texas' representative to the National Network Membership Committee. Innovative recruitment, active participation of members, and gaining enthusiasm for the organization were topics discussed during this time.

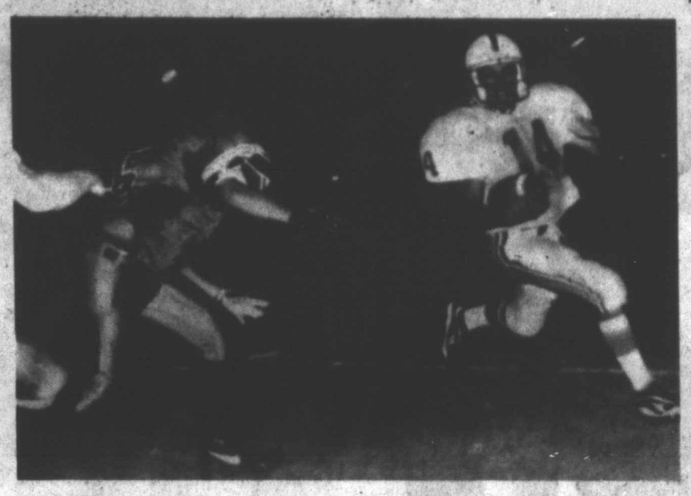
"The National Conference was a wonderful experience. It was great to see students from all over the United State join together for the common goal to strengthen the family," Ms. Curry stated.

Rebekah will use this knowledge from the summer workshops to develop a plan of action for Tahoka chapters, region chapters and state chapters which will be implemented this fall.

"Rebekah is an asset to this organization and the state of Texas. Last year, she was a regional officer and this year a state officer. Her growth in maturity and leadership the last two years is evident by her poise and ease as she achieves her tasks and meets the public," said Mrs. Patti Rambo, Rebekah's advisor at Tahoka High School.

Future Homemakers of America is a vocational student organization for home economics education students in junior and senior high schools. This youth centered organization is the only vocational organization that has the family as its central focus and is an integral part of the home economics curriculum.

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BULLDOG ON THE RUN–Auggie Cantu (14) of Tahoka shows the running form which in just two games has made him one of the top Class AA running backs on the South Plains. He gained 174 yards on 23 carries as Tahoka squeezed by Lorenzo 18-17 Friday. (LCN PHOTO)

TAHOKA SPORTS NEWS
by the THS Growl Staff

JV Football
by Jose Luna

The junior varsity football team stung the Lorenzo Hornets 14-0 last Thursday in front of a home crowd.

The Bulldogs will face New Deal here tonight (Thursday).

Outstanding offensive play went to running back Marlon Womack who had two rushing touchdowns.

Frutoso Hernandez, and Jason Jaquess were cited for outstanding defensive play by Coach Darren Haseloff.

Varsity Volleyball
by Olivia Cantu

Tahoka High School varsity volleyball girls hosted a dual match Saturday, Sept. 13. Heading off with Rotan, the ladies stomped all over them 15-3, 15-7.

The ladies finished by shooting down the Pirates 15-12, 15-7.

"We did a great job," said player Amanda Fuentes. "We also played really well as a team."

The girls were defeated by Trinity Christian Tuesday, Sept. 2, 13-15, 15-11, 9-15.

"I was disappointed with the second game against Trinity, because we won the first game," said Coach Shari John. "We were trying a new offense and the gym was loud, so we weren't playing well."

The ladies participated in the Denver City Tournament starting with Coronado and losing 9-15, 7-15. In pool play with Plainview 13-15, 7-15 and Perryton 11-15, 15-4 the ladies split with the teams.

The volleyball girls faced Estacado and played for the 15-7, 15-17, 4-15 defeat. To finish the tournament the ladies competed against Clovis and lost 4-15, 5-15.

Varsity girls hosted Midland Christian Tuesday, Aug. 26 and were beat 5-15, 2-15.

They traveled to Lubbock Christian to pound all over the Eagles 15-10, 11-15, 15-10.

In a dual match at Frenship the ladies lost to the Tigers 7-15, 4-15 and faced Trinity Christian to bring home a win 15-6, 15-13.

Members of the varsity Lady Bulldogs are seniors Ashley Abell, Jennifer Dotson, Denise Garza and Anna Stroope; juniors, Amanda Fuentes, Rebecca Hudgens, Kalie Krey, Cynthia Solorzano and Courtney Stennett; sophomore Marissa McCord; and freshman Chelsea White.

The volleyball girls' next game will be in Colorado City Saturday, Sept. 20.

JV Volleyball
by Jennifer Dotson

The junior varsity Lady Bulldogs lost two quick matches against Cooper last Saturday. The Lady Pirates raided the Lady Dogs 4-15, 4-15.

"I was disappointed in their performance because the team had such a strong week of practice," said Coach Shari John.

8th Grade Volleyball
by Mickey DeLeon

Because 22 eight grade girls want to play volleyball, the coaches formed two teams.

The eighth grade blue and white teams traveled to Lubbock to face Trinity Christian last Monday.

The white team lost 12-15, 5-15.

The eighth grade blue team lost the first match 12-15, but came back to win a second match 15-9. They lost the third match 0-15.

The blue team traveled to Frenship on Saturday, Sept. 13 to play in the Frenship tournament.

The team was beaten in the consolation finals.

They faced Frenship in the first game and lost 10-15, 8-15.

In the second game they whizzed by Lubbock Christian 15-12, 15-10.

The ladies thrilled the fans with a tight 16-14 win over Plainview to start a third game. They lost the second match 12-15, and the tiebreaker 12-15.

Blue team members are Keely Boone, Lesley Chapa, Kimberly Craig, Nina Follis, Kayla Griffin, Sarah Hawthorne, Aubrey Kieth, Chelsea Miller, Mandy Sanders, D'Lynn Stone, and Onda Vega.

White team members are Josie Alonzo, Kalah Bartley, Kristi Campbell, Crucifica Castillo, Andreana DeLeon, Stefanie Dotson, Tonya Elrod, Nicole Green, Erika Martinez, Molly Sarchet, Angelina Segovia and Brandi Tekell.

"We played good for our first tournament, but we need more practice," said player Sarah Hawthorne.

7th Grade Volleyball
by Nichole Garcia

Thirty-one seventh grade girls have been split into two teams for volleyball season.

In a trip to Lubbock to face Trinity Christian, the blue team lost the first match 6-15. They came back at Trinity to take the second match 15-13. They fell 12-15 in the third match.

Trinity took the white team 10-15, 9-15.

The blue team participated in the Frenship Tournament on Saturday, Sept. 13. The team won consolation.

The Ladies started with a loss to Trinity Christian 7-15, 8-15.

In the second game the ladies sank the Cooper Pirates 15-10, 15-11. In the final match the seventh grade girls pounced oh the Frenship Tigers 15-10, 15-8 to win consolation.

"I thought we did well for our first year. They were close games," said Britni Engle.

"We were upset about the Trinity game, but we came back and stomped the others," said Marisa Chapa.

Seventh grade blue team members are Johnna Alvarado, Kristy Alvarez, Kyndel Byrd, Jennifer Cantrell, Marissa Chapa, Manuela Chavarria, Britni Engle, Emily Gill, Kelese Hammonds, Lana Jones, Tara Martinez, Leigh McAfee, Kirsten Tillman, Kammie Williams and Ashley Wilson.

White team members are Solana Aguero, D'Lea Autry, Analisa Balderas, Brenda Cantu, Felicia Garcia, Miranda Gomez, Carla Jolly, Christina Marquez, Melissa McCleskey, Victoria Medina, Adriana Mendez, Jessica Paredes, Adriana Segovia, Heather Stark, Brandi Williams, and Jeanine Wilson.

Varsity/JV Cross Country
by Abbie Gill

The junior varsity and varsity cross country teams travelled to Plainview last Saturday to compete in the Plainveiw Invitational Meet.

Sara Alvarado finished 159 out of 231 runners by crossing the finish line in 14:02.

Valerie Lopez came across in 14:36 and came in 170th. Andrea Aleman also ran with the varsity girls.

Larry Davis won a medal when he raced across the finish in 14:39 to capture 14th place.

Davis and his teammates, Brian Alvarado, Albert Alvarado, Brady Raindl and Matt Chancy ran with 204 runners.

Fernando Castro led the junior varsity boys team by finishing 30th at 16:03.

Also running for the JV team were Anthony Garza, 42nd with 16:28; Phillip DeLeon, 45th with 16:34; and Cory Engle, 79th with 18:10.

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COTTON INCORPORATED RESEARCH CENTER – Recently, a group of Mid-South and Texas producers, including Mark and Georgia Clem of New Home (second couple from left), toured Cotton Incorporated's Research Center in Raleigh, North Carolina. Cotton Incorporated conducts the Cotton Research and Promotion Program which is funded by producers and importers through assessments on raw cotton and the cotton content of imported products. The tour participants saw first-hand how Cotton Incorporated works to build markets for U.S. Upland cotton and cotton products through product development and technical support of manufacturers who use cotton.

Benefit Pig Sale Slated Oct. 6

The seventh annual Club Pig Sale benefiting West Texas Rehabilitation Center is set for Monday, Oct. 6, at 7 p.m. at the Wylie FFA showbarn located behind the football field on Antilley Road in Abilene.

Billie Davis of Tahoka is the Lynn County area chairman for this event.

Don Richburg and Jimmy D. Smith of Roscoe are serving as co-chairman for the event. Last year there were 107 pigs donated to the sale, raising $11,420 for the Rehab Center. Only pigs purchased during this sale are eligible for the WTRC Jackpot Show on Saturday, Dec. 6. The show will be held in the Dorthea Griffin Arena at the Taylor County Expo Center.

Richburg and Smith are asking everyone to make plans to attend the sale and come early for beans and cornbread and look over the pigs.

"Pigs that were donated last were extremely high quality pigs and they are expecting the same or even better quality this year," said one representative.

Persons wanting to donate a pig or get more information about the sale can contact Davis at (806) 998-4645 or the Rehab Center in Abilene at (915) 691-7290 or San Angelo at (915) 949-9535.



READY FOR FARM TOUR – Mario Avila of the NRCS office and Lynn County Ag Agent Bryan Reynolds prepare for the 1997 Lynn County Ag Tour, slated this Friday. Producers will have the opportunity to view demonstrations on insect control, fertility, minimum till cotton, putting CRP back in production, Roundup Ready Cotton, along with other information. Registration will be from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at the New Home Coop Gin at Lakeview. Tour stops will begin at 9:00 a.m. and concluded at noon where lunch will be served. Transportation for the Ag Tour will be provided by the Tahoka Independent School District. Private applicators will receive two CEU's. For more information, contact Reynolds at the Lynn County Extension Office, (806) 998-4562 or Avila at the NRCS office at (806) 998-4507.

TISD Band Program Needs Instruments

Band instruments are needed for the band program at Tahoka Independent School District, according to Band Director Carroll Rhodes.

"To quote the old saying, 'there is good news and there is bad news'," says Rhodes. "The great news is that there are 80 sixth graders desiring to start beginner band. The bad news is that the school does not have enough instruments for all those prospective musicians. After deducting those who are able to purchase, rent, or borrow an instrument and the instruments the school has available, there are approximately 28 students wanting to play in the band but who do not have an instrument," he explained.

"Many people have old band instruments stored away just gathering dust, and we hope they will consider donating them," he said. In an effort to meet the needs of these students, Tahoka ISD will provide a document stating the worth of the donated instrument to enable the donor to claim a tax deduction.

The instruments need to be in good condition or playable with minimal repair. A very fair market value will be given to those donating instruments, according to Rhodes.

The instruments may be brought to the band hall behind the auditorium from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each day, starting Thursday, Sept. 19 (today). Rhodes has said he will also be at the band hall this Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon for those wishing to donate an instrument.

A receipt will be given for the instrument and then the school district will send the appropriate document showing the tax deductable amount. All donated instruments must be turned in by Sept. 24.



DRUM MAJORS – Drum majors for the Tahoka Bulldog Band this year are Cynthia Solorzano (left) and LaTara Hood. (LCN PHOTO)

Sharp Delivers Sept. Sales Tax Rebates

State Comptroller John Sharp recently delivered a total of $172.7 million in monthly sales tax payments to 1,085 Texas cities and 117 counties.

"The Texas economy continues to sail along on a smooth course," Sharp said. "Sales tax rebates are running 6.1 percent over those for the first nine months of last year, showing steady consumer confidence with the growing job market."

Sharp delivered monthly sales tax rebates to Texas cities totaling $157.6 million, 4.4 percent higher than last September's payments of $150.8 million. Rebates of $15.1 million to Texas counties were 1.2 percent higher than allocations of $14.9 million in September 1996. Another $4.7 million went to 26 special purpose districts around the state.

As a whole, Lynn County received $6,233.84 this period versus $9,226.65 this time last year for a decrease of 32.43%. Tahoka showed a loss of 35.93% this year, with this period's payment being $4,977.54 as opposed to last year's payment of $7,769.94. O'Donnell's payment this period was $1,067.20 versus $1,098.36 last year, for a loss of 2.83%. Wilson's payment last year was $358.35. This year's payment was $189.10, showing a loss of 47.23%.

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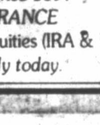
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NEW HOME WINS BIG--New Home is 2-0 for the season after beating Klondike 46-20 Friday. Here Leopard lineman Eric Rodriquez tackles Ty Barton of Klondike. New Home's Jody Clem is at left.
(Photo by Misti Swartz)

New Home 2-0 After Beating Klondike 46-20

by Robert Kyle

The New Home Leopards dominated the statistics Friday night but needed a third quarter scoring explosion to break open a close game on the scoreboard and move their record to 2-0 as they beat the Klondike Cougars 46-20.

New Home out-gained the Cougars 432-240 yards but early Leopard turnovers kept the Cougars in the game. New Home threatened often in the first half but two pass interceptions by Klondike held the Leopards to a half-time lead of 16-12. The difference: two P.A.T. kicks by returning All-State kicker Ricky Torres. In the second half, the Leopards scored 30 unanswered points and built a 46-12 lead. Klondike added a late touchdown to make the final 46-20.

The Leopards were paced by senior spreadback Travis Smith, who rushed for 166 yards on 16 carries and 3 touchdowns and passed for 129 yards and 3 touchdowns, as well as intercepting two passes in the second half. Senior runningback Jody Clem added 79 yards on only 8 attempts and caught a touchdown pass of 10 yards. Other Leopard touchdowns were scored by senior center Eric Rodriguez on a 33-yard pass reception and senior receiver Ernie Caballero on a 38-yard pass reception. Torres added three more conversion kicks.

The New Home junior varsity also moved their record to 2-0 as they defeated Klondike 24-12 Thursday night. They will travel to Jayton this Thursday (today) for a 6:30 p.m. contest.

The New Home junior high team lost their season opener as they dropped a 25-24 decision to Klondike Thursday night. The Jr. High Leopards will travel to Loraine this Thursday (today) for a 5:30 p.m. game.

The varsity Leopards will try to keep their record unblemished as they play Homecoming host to the Loraine bulldogs at 7:30 pm. Friday at New Home's Leopard Field.

Scoring by quarters:

	1	2	3	4	Ttl.
New Home	8	8	22	8	46
Klondike	6	6	0	8	20

	New Home	Klondike
First Downs	13	10
Rushing Att./ Yards/Avg.	30/283/9.3	29/60/2.1
Pass Att./Comp./Int.	16/7/3	26/11/2
Passing Yards	149	180
Total Yards	432	240
Penalties/Yards	3/30	6/45

Rushing: Travis Smith-16 carries, 166 yards, 3 TDs; Jody Clem-8 carries, 79 yards; Vicente Fuentes-3 carries, 44 yards.

Receiving: Ernie Caballero-2 receptions, 81 yards, 1 TD; Jody Clem-1 reception, 10 yards, 1 TD; Eric Rodriguez-1 reception; 33 yards, 1 TD.



Give your noodles a bit of a lift by stirring in two teaspoons poppy seeds.

New Home To Host Loraine Friday In Homecoming Matchup

The New Home Leopards will host Loraine in a 7:30 p.m. matchup on Friday to top off a week's worth of homecoming activities.

Students participated in various homecoming activities during the week including: hush day, disco day, and red and black day.

A tailgate party will be hosted by the varsity cheerleaders at 7:30 p.m., Thursday (today) prior to the annual bonfire. Hamburger, chips, and a drink will be $4 per person. Sausage on a stick will be $1. The bonfire will begin at 8:30 p.m.

Friday's festivities will begin with a parade at 2:15 followed by a pep rally at 2:45. Game time is 7:30 p.m. at Leopard Field.

Homecoming King and Queen will be crowned at half-time by last year's King and Queen, Greg Gentry and J'Lynn Clem. They will be assisted by Kriston Durham and Ricky Torres. This year's King candidates are Jody Clem, Blake Fillingim, Travis Smith, and Ernie Caballero. Queen candidates are Lisa Vineyard, Brook Fillingim, Cassidi Lisemby, and Danielle Flores.

Lynn County Merchants Appreciate Your Business!

New Home School Menu

September 22-26

Breakfast

Monday: Cereal/Animal Crackers, Milk.
Tuesday: Blueberry Muffins, Milk.
Wednesday: Breakfast in a Bag, Milk.
Thursday: Cinnamon Roll, Milk.
Friday: Biscuits/Sausage, Milk.

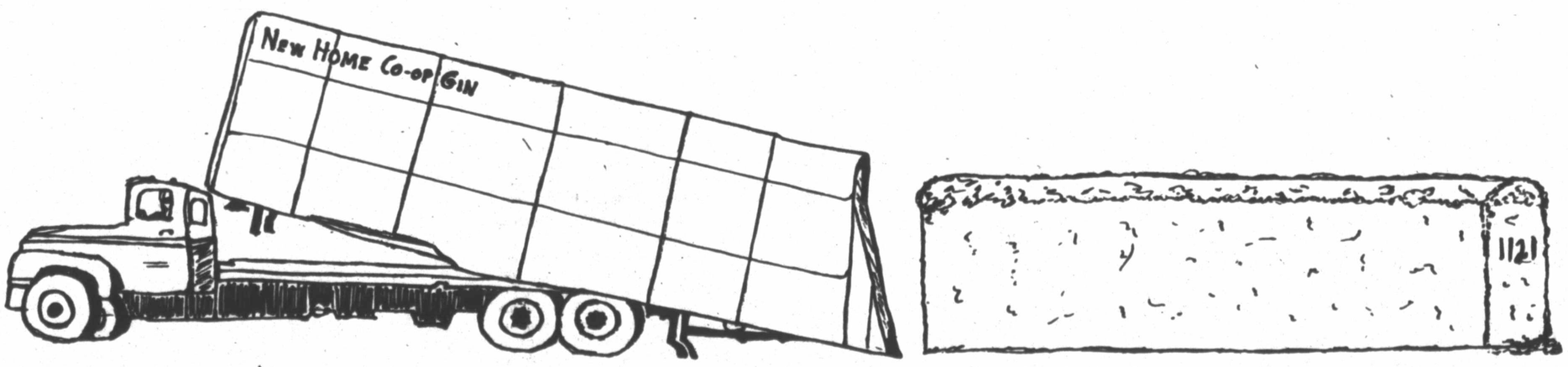
Lunch

Monday: Sub Sandwich Bar, Pickle Spears, Orange Circles, Fresh Fruit, Chips, Milk.
Tuesday: Pizza, Lettuce, Tomato, Corn, Jello w/Fruit, Milk.
Wednesday: Chicken Fried Steak, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Fruit Cup, Hot Rolls, Milk.
Thursday: Burrito, Cheese Sticks, Lettuce, Tomato, Spanish Rice, Fresh Fruit, Milk.
Friday: Hamburger or Cheeseburger, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Onion, Milk.

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Bulldog Booster Club News

The Tahoka Bulldog Booster Club will host a tailgate party at 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18 (today) prior to the Junior Varsity football game against Smyer. A hamburger and drink will be $2.

On Friday, Sept. 19, they will host a tailgate party at 6:30 p.m. before the varsity game against Smyer. Fajitas and a drink will be $3.

The Boosters will also be selling shirts and toboggans to Bulldog supporters. All items are on display at Thriftway. Items may be ordered from any Booster Club member or at Thriftway and the deadline for ordering is Monday, Sept. 22.

Long-sleeve shirts in blue denim or white cotton are $30 each; blue, short-sleeve polo shirts are $20 each; and blue toboggans with the bulldog emblem are $10.

The NEW HOME News
by Karon Durham
924-7448

School nurse Karon Durham has given a health program to the elementary students this month about poison and poison control. Parents should ask their child for the parent information and the poison control 800 number.

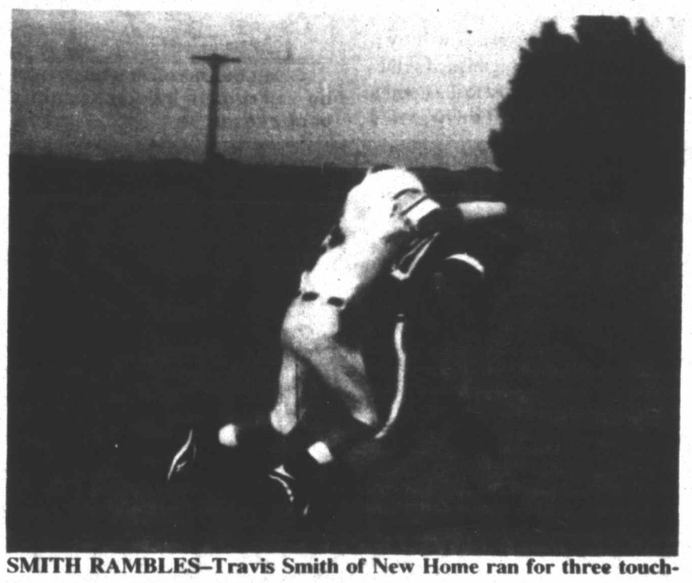
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The New Home Lady Leopards and Leopards participated in a cross country meet at Brownfield on Saturday, Sept. 13. They competed against 1A, 2A, and 3A schools in the area.

"I'm very pleased with the number of athletes out for cross country and pleased with our effort Saturday in a very difficult meet. The course was hilly with creeks and it was a great experience. We have been training on flatter ground and the hills were good training for us," said coach Treasure Thaggard. "Our goal is to be fully prepared for District and I feel that we are off to a great start," she added.



NEW HOME JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS – Pictured left to right are Dani Garza, Stephanie Kieth, Serena Gonzales, Tiffany Nettles, Miranda Rodriguez, and mascot Jessica Holder.



SMITH RAMBLES–Travis Smith of New Home ran for three touchdowns, passed for three more and intercepted two passes as the Leopards beat Klondike last week. Here he appears to carry a Cougar on his back. (Photo by Misti Swartz)

Wilson Goes Down To Whitharral 49-0

The Wilson Mustangs suffered five turnovers and endured a 29-point first quarter by Whitharral as the Panthers clawed the Mustangs 49-0 last Friday.

Wilson did have 110 yards passing, but only 16 rushing in the game which was ended in the third period because of the 45-point rule.

Tahoka Care Center News

On Tuesday, Sept. 9 at 2 p.m. we had our monthly birthday party, hosted by Sweet Street Baptist Church.

We will be going to the South Plains Fair on Thursday, Sept. 25, and we will be having Family Nite that day beginning at 6 p.m.

"Happy Birthday" to Yolanda Alvarado on Sept. 21 and Sylvia Hernandez on Sept. 23.

Resident of the Month for September is Beatrice Jones. She has been here at Tahoka Care Center since April 1979. She is a member of the Church of Christ in Tahoka. Beatrice enjoys church, gospel singing, and socials.

Rosa Coronado is Employee of the Month for September. She has worked in the dietary department for eight months. She is a loyal and dependable employee. Some of Rosa's hobbies are going to garage sales, cooking, and being around her family.

Thanks to the Dixie Dog for donating cokes and ice cream on our weekly van ride.

We wish Mozelle Banks a speedy recovery from the hospital.

Hunter Safety Education Class Offered Sept. 27-28

A hunter safety education class will be offered for all area hunters Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 27-28 at the Lynn County Showbarn. Cost is $10 per person and hunters must attend both days.

Saturday's class is from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Coffee and doughnuts will be served in the morning and there will be a lunch break. Class is from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday.

These classes are mandatory for any hunter born on or after September 2, 1971.

To pre-register or for more information, contact Keith Paschal at 998-5104 or Ralph Huffaker at 998-4302.

The largest mammoth fossil ever found was unearthed in Nebraska in 1922. It stands 13 feet, 41/2 inches high.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 4, 1997

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 36 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow a person to hold the position of municipal judge in more than one municipality.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow a person who holds the office of municipal court judge to hold at the same time more than one civil office for which the person receives compensation."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 43 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to limit the maximum annual increase in homestead appraisals for each year since the most recent tax appraisal. The amendment would also permit the legislature to allow the governing body of a school district to elect to apply the law providing for the transfer of the age-65-and-older school property tax freeze to the person's new homestead, if the move to the new residence homestead occurred before the law took effect.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the Legislature to limit increases in the appraised value of residence homesteads for ad valorem taxation and to permit a school district to calculate the school property tax freeze applicable to the residence homestead of an elderly person or the surviving spouse of an elderly person in accordance with the law authorizing the transfer of the school property tax freeze to a different homestead regardless of whether that law was in effect at the time the person established the person's homestead."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 45 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to authorize counties, cities, towns, and other local taxing entities to grant exemptions or other forms of ad valorem tax relief on property on which approved water conservation initiatives have been implemented.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to permit a taxing unit to grant an exemption or other relief from ad valorem taxes on property on which a water conservation initiative has been implemented."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 104 proposes an amendment to update the Texas Constitution by deleting duplicate numbering in its provisions and removing certain of its obsolete portions.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment eliminating duplicate numbering in and certain obsolete provisions of the Texas Constitution."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 19 proposes an amendment to allow the Supreme Court of Texas to hold sessions at any location in this state. Currently, the court is limited to holding sessions only at Austin, the seat of state government.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the supreme court to sit to transact business at any location in this state."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 39 proposes a constitutional amendment to repeal the current provision which provides that the board of the Texas Growth Fund may not invest money in a business unless the business has disclosed to the board whether it has any direct financial investment in or with South Africa or Namibia.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment allowing the Texas growth fund to continue to invest in businesses without requiring those businesses to disclose investments in South Africa or Namibia."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 17 proposes a constitutional amendment to create the Texas Water Development Fund II as a fund separate and distinct from the Texas Water Development Fund. The amendment would authorize the Texas Water Development Board to administer the fund and issue general obligation bonds for purposes of the fund under guidelines set forth in the amendment.

The amendment would also allow the Board to use loan repayments coming into the fund after the end of the fiscal year to make bond debt service payments, and would provide certain conditions for the flow of funds for repayment of Texas agricultural water conservation bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment relating to the authorization to the Texas Water Development Board to transfer existing bond authorizations for water supply, water quality, flood control, or state participation from one category of use to another category to maximize the use of existing funds and relating to more efficient operation of the bond programs."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 31 proposes a constitutional amendment which would authorize home equity lending, in which a loan could be secured by a lien against the borrower's homestead. The amendment would also establish several provisions providing for consumer protection in the home equity lending process.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The amendment to the Texas Constitution expanding the types of liens for home equity loans that a lender, with the homeowner's consent, may place against a homestead."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 96 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to authorize a property tax of five cents for each $100 valuation in rural fire prevention districts which are located in Harris County. The constitution currently authorizes a property tax of three cents for each $100 valuation in rural fire prevention districts regardless of what county they are in.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to authorize an ad valorem tax rate in rural fire prevention districts located in Harris County of five cents on each $100 of taxable value of property."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 33 proposes a constitutional amendment to permanently dedicate monies from the Texas Crime Victims' Compensation Fund (and its auxiliary fund) so that they are used only for assisting victims of crime and not for any other purpose. If an episode of mass violence occurred, however, money from the funds could be used to assist victims of the mass violence if all other sources of authorized emergency assistance were depleted first.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment designating the purposes for which money in the compensation to victims of crime fund and the compensation to victims of crime auxiliary fund may be used."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 50 proposes a constitutional amendment to prohibit the Legislature from authorizing additional state debt payable from the general revenue fund if the resulting annual debt service (the amount needed each year to make payments) would exceed five percent of the annual general revenue available over the last three fiscal years, excluding "revenues constitutionally dedicated for purposes other than payment of state debt.

The term "additional state debt" does not include bonds that, although backed by the full faith and credit of the state, are reasonably expected to be paid from revenue sources other than the general revenue fund.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment limiting the amount of state debt payable from the general revenue fund."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 55 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide that if the Texas Supreme Court does not act on a motion for a rehearing within 180 days of the motion's filing, the motion is denied.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to establish a deadline for supreme court action on a motion for rehearing."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment to establish the Texas Tomorrow trust fund dedicated exclusively to the prepayment of tuition and fees for higher education. The amendment would guarantee that if there is not enough money during any fiscal year to pay the appropriate tuition and required fees, the needed money will be appropriated out of the first available money coming into the state treasury each fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to encourage persons to plan and save for young Texans' college education, to extend the full faith and credit of the state to protect the Texas tomorrow fund of the prepaid higher education tuition program, and to establish the Texas tomorrow fund as a constitutionally protected trust fund."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 83 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to set the official qualifications for constables.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to prescribe the qualifications of constables."

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 4 de noviembre de 1997. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llama al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.

Published by Secretary of State
Tony Garza

NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY OF LYNN COUNTY HOSPITAL

It is the policy of the Lynn County Hospital to admit and treat all patients without regard to race, color or national origin. The same requirements for admission are applied to all and patients are assigned within the facility without regard to race, color or national origin. There is no distinction in eligibility for or in the manner of providing any patient service provided by the hospital. All facilities are available without distinction to all patients and visitors regardless of race, color or national origin. All persons involved in the referral of patients to the hospital or assignment of patients within the hospital are advised to do so without regard to the patient's race, color or national origin.

POLIZA NO-DISCRIMINATORIA PARA EL HOSPITAL DEL CONDADO LYNN

Es La Poliza (o Prudencia) Del Hospital Del Condado Lynn admitir Y trator Todas Las Pacientes sin atencion al color, raza, o origin de nacionalidad. no hay distincion en las cualidades para ser elegido, o en la manera de propocionar cualquier servicio del hospital a un paciente. Todas las facilidades estan dispuestas sin distincion a Todas los pacientes Y visitantes sin miramiento al color raza, o nacionalidad. Todas los personas implicandas en el dirigimento de pacientes al hospital o implicados en las asignacion de pacientes dentro el hospital se aconsejan que lo hagan sin miramientos al color raza o nacionalidad del paciente.

/s/ Louise S. Landers, Administrator
Lynn County Hospital, Tahoka, Texas
38-1tc

INDIVIDUAL NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF FREE OR PART PAY MEDICAL CARE

Lynn County Hospital District
2600 Lockwood Street, Tahoka, TX 79373

Lynn County Hospital District will provide at least $25,000.00 of free and part pay care this fiscal year, October 1, 1997 - September 30, 1998. This care is available to individuals who cannot afford to pay for their medical care.

Uncompensated services for Lynn County Hospital District are limited to all inpatient services, all day surgeries, all outpatient diagnostic and radiologic examinations, all emergency room services, and all ambulance services performed by Lynn County Hospital employees at Lynn County Hospital.

To determine eligibility of this care, Lynn County Hospital District uses maximum levels of income, for the appropriate family size, which are established by the HHS Income Poverty Guidelines. The current maximum levels of income are given below:

FAMILY SIZE	INCOME GUIDELINES
1	$7,890
2	10,610
3	13,330
4	16,050
5	18,770
6	21,490
7	24,210
8	26,930

For families with more than 8 members, add $2,720 for each additional member.

The services will be provided to those who first request it until the compliance level is met for this fiscal period.

To make a request for uncompensated services, please contact the administrator or financial officer in the business office. This staff member will make a written determination of your eligibility or non-eligibility for the services within 2 working days of your request.

Lynn County Hospital District

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NOTICIA INDIVIDUAL DE APLICABILIDAD DE PARTE DEL PAO DE CUIDADOS MEDICOS LIBERS

Lynn County Hospital District
2600 Lockwood Street, Tahoka, TX 79373

Lynn County Hospital District proveer al menos $25,000.00 de parte de pago de los cuidados gratis de este ano fiscal. October 1, 1997 - September 30, 1998. Este servicio es aplicable a aquellos individuos que no pueden pagar la cuesta de sus cuidados medicos.

Para determinar elegibilidad por este servicio, Lynn County Hospital District USA maximos niveles de sueldo tamano apropiado de la familia, el cual esta establecido por la HHS Income Poverty Guidelines. El corriente (comun) nivel de sueldo son dados de la siguiente manera:

TAMANO DE LA FAMILIA	NIVELES DE SUELDO
1	$7,890
2	10,610
3	13,330
4	16,050
5	18,770
6	21,490
7	24,210
8	26,930

Para familias de unidad con mas de 8 miembros, agregar $2,720 por cad meimbro adicional.

Este servicio sera provisto a aquellos que primero lo requiereran hasta el nivel requerido a llenar por este periodo fiscal.

Para hacer un requerido por servicios no compensados, por favor pongase en contacto con administrador or ministrador de credtito en la oficina de la nogociaction. Este miembro del equip hara un escrito determinado de sus requiermiento en dos de su requesto.

Lynn County Hospital District
38-1tc

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Four County Shared Services Arrangement intends to destroy records of students who have received special education services. **Records to be destroyed are for persons with a date of birth prior to January 1, 1973.** These records include those located in the Four County Shared Services Arrangement office at 601 Tahoka Road, Brownfield, Texas. Records herein described include students receiving special education in the following school districts: Brownfield, Denver City, Loop, O'Donnell, Plains, Seagraves, Seminole, Tahoka, Union, and Wellman. Legal parent/guardian or adult student with disabilities may request copies of these records by contacting the Four County Shared Services Arrangement office at 601 Tahoka Road, Brownfield, Texas 79316, phone number (806) 637-8448, by September 30, 1997.

AVISO

*Aviso ésta dado que Four County Shared Services Arrangement tiene intención de destruir documentos de estudiantes que recibieron servicio de Educatión Especial. **Documentos que deben ser destruidos son para personas que nacieron antece anterior de Enero 1, 1973.** Los unicos documentos qué van estar destrudios son los que estan en la oficina de Four County Shared Services Arrangement en 601 Tahoka Road en Brownfield, Texas. Documentos en esto son de estudiantes qué recibieron servicio de districto en seguida: Brownfield, Denver City, Loop, O'Donnell, Plains, Seagraves, Seminole, Tahoka, Union, and Wellman. Padres/guardián legal o estudiantes adultos con incapacidades fisica/mentales pueden pedir copias de us documentos. Pueden llamar o escribir a Carlton Buesing en la oficina de Four County Shared Services Arrangement, 601 Tahoka Road, Brownfield, Texas 79316, Número de teléfono es (806) 637-8448, antes de Septiembre 30, 1997.*

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BID NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Lynn County, Texas will accept sealed bids until 9:30 a.m., September 26, 1997, for the purchase of one (1) new articulating motor grader. Lynn County will offer as partial payment, one (1) Caterpillar 140G motor grader which may be inspected by contacting Pct. 2 Commissioner Mike Braddock. Bids will be accepted on a total cost bid basis, with 5 years, or 5000 hours guaranteed maintenance and guaranteed repurchase including financial options. For specifications contact Mike Braddock at 759-0820. Bids will be opened at 10 a.m. on November 13, 1997.

Lynn County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and the right to waive formalities.

By order of the Commissioners Court of Lynn County.

/s/ J.F. Brandon, Lynn County Judge
37-2tc

NOTICE OF INTENT TO BID

Tahoka ISD is accepting sealed bids on the following items:

1. Computers and Printers
2. Network wiring for the high school and middle school campus

Prospective bidders may bid on both items or just one item. Should prospective bidders choose to bid on both items, the bid package must include one bid for the computers and printers and a separate bid for the network wiring.

Bid specifications may be obtained by contacting the Tahoka Administration Office at: P.O. Box 1230, 2129 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas 79373, 806-998-4105.

All sealed bids for computers, printers and network wiring should be mailed or delivered to:

Mr. David Hutton, Superintendent, Tahoka ISD, 2129 Main Street, P.O. Box 1230, Tahoka, Texas 79373.

Sealed bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. on Monday, September 29, 1997. Bids will be opened and reviewed Monday, September 29, 1997 at 2:30 p.m. at the office of the superintendent, 2129 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas 79373.

Tahoka ISD reserves the right to reject any or all bids if it determines it is in the best interest of the District.
37-2tc

THE Classifieds

Call 998-4888 by 5 p.m. Tuesday

THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS DEADLINE FOR NEWS AND ADS IS 5 P.M. TUESDAY

Real Estate

HOUSE FOR SALE: 1224 N.E. 7th Street. 3 BR, 1 bath, living room, dining room, den, large kitchen with or without appliances, carport, large utility room. With another small house on lot. Best offer. Contact 214-375-3448 or 214-328-5513. 32-tfc

FOR SALE: 192+ acre ranch - Lamar County, Texas. Large barn, steel corrals, 5 pools, plus county water; large pecan trees, good grass, cross fenced. Excellent building site on FM road. Contact Gerald Whitesides 1-800-785-8495. 35-tfc

FOR SALE: Farmland w/water, long quarter, no improvements. Call 998-4983. 38-1tp

FOR SALE: Approximately 77 acres, 1/2 mile south of Tahoka. Well, barns, corrals, etc. Call 254-741-6094. 38-2tc

CAFE FOR SALE OR LEASE: Main Street in Tahoka. Call Sam at 998-5444. 38-2tp

HOUSE FOR SALE: 2 BR, 1 bath, utility room, storage shed, on large lot with garden area. 1129 Ave. K. Call 998-4434 or, after 6 p.m. 998-4952. 38—1tp

FOR SALE OR RENT: 1984 14x70 Flamingo mobile home on 2 lots. 2 bedroom, 2 bath. 2115 N. 6th. Call after 6 p.m. for appointment. 998-4615. 38-tfc

FOR RENT OR LEASE: 1 acre of hay grazer land & barns. Call 998-5025. 38-1tp

HOME FOR SALE in Wilson. On 2 lots at corner of 12th & Lumsden Ave. 3 BR, 2 bath, large LR, large den/kitchen combination, central heat/air, with steel siding & 2 car garage with opener. Call 628-6395. 38-tfc

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Experienced farm hand. Call 998-4843. 35-tfc

TIRE SERVICE: Fleet truck - outside serviceman - truck & farm tires. Good pay with benefits. Must be experienced. McWhorter Tire, 1008 Texas, Lubbock. 762-0231. Ask for Alan. 37-2tc

HAIRSTYLISTS WANTED: Lease booth at J&J Salon at 1926 Lockwood, Tahoka. Call 998-4180 or call owner Jeanette Roseberry, collect at 254-629-8438. 37-4tc

HELP WANTED: Full time CNAs needed at Tahoka Care Center. Must apply in person at 1829 S. 7th. 37-tfc

FULL-TIME SALES REPRESENTATIVE: 75 year old company searching for local sales representative. Sales experience preferred, but not required. We offer salary + commissions + expenses + benefits. Call 800-433-7664 or send letter with work history and salary requirements to: Panther Industries, Inc. Attn: C. Hutchens, Dept. FM-79373, P.O. Box 961001, Fort Worth, TX 76161-0001 or fax 817-831-0028. 38-1tc

Garage Sales

YARD SALE: Saturday, 9-? 2100 Ave. N. Boy's clothes, toys, books, misc. S. Gutierrez. 38-1tc

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 9-? 1805 Ave. P. Sears Kenmore dryer, $50; gas grill, $25; Little Tykes slide & picnic table; exercise machine, $50; women's & kid's clothes; lots of toys; little of everything. 38-1tc

GARAGE SALE: Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 8-? (Weather permitting) 1426 S. 4th. Lots of miscellaneous. 38-1tp

YARD SALE: 2407 N. 1st. Trimmer reel mower, men's, women's and baby clothes, small kitchen table and two chairs. Lots of odds and ends. Saturday, Sept. 20, 8-5. 38-1tc

INSIDE SALE: Friday 8-4. 1908 N. 5th. Lady's & girl's clothes, towels, shoes, toaster, coffee maker, and lots more. 38-1tp

ESTATE SALE: Friday & Saturday, 2122 N. 4th. 38-1tp

For Sale

WHEAT SEED for sale. T.A.M. 200 variety. Rachel Huffaker at Montgomery Seed. 34-12tc

FOR SALE: Antique dining room suite - includes 6 chairs & credenza. Call 998-4281. 37-1tp

FOR SALE: Double oven gas cookstove w/ pull out burners, $65. 30" wide x 67 1/2" high. Ovens measure 24 1/2" x 17 1/2" and 24 1/2" x 14 1/2". Also, crib size portable baby bed, $15. Call 998-4983. 38-1tp

FOR SALE: Bunk bed, full on bottom, twin on top. Red. Also, queen size waterbed with hybernation mattress. Call 998-5363. 38-1tp

FOR SALE: Conn alto saxophone, like new. Call 998-4046. 38-1tc

FOR SALE: Queen size sleeper divan; 2 barcaloungers, rust color; 2 barrel type end tables; coffee table; large living room table lamp. Call 998-4132. 38-2tp

FOR SALE: Queen size RV innerspring mattress. Call after 5 p.m. 998-5044. 38-1tp

For Sale

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We sincerely wish to say "Thank you ever so much" to everyone that has called, sent cards, brought food, sent flowers, checked oh our crops while we were gone, but most of all we thank you for all of your prayers on Toi's behalf. She had prayers from California to Texas to Georgia, and we sincerely believe our prayers have been heard and answered. After spending 72 days in the hospital, Toi got out Monday, Sept. 15th. She will remain in California for two weeks and hopefully return home to Dallas Oct. 1st. Thank you again everyone.

Sincerely,
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Thank you for all the cards, visits, phone calls and prayers during my recent illness. A special thank you to Isabel for being with me and her quick response in getting help for me. Thanks to the emergency room staff and Dr. Freitag for their care. The EMS crew were very efficient. To everyone else, thank you. Tahoka is a great place to live.

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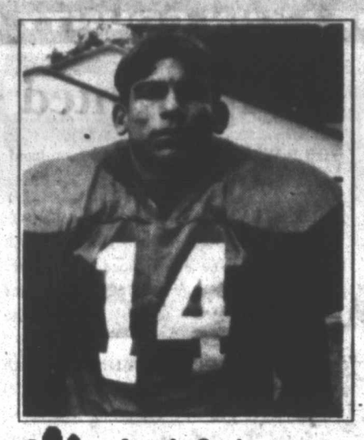


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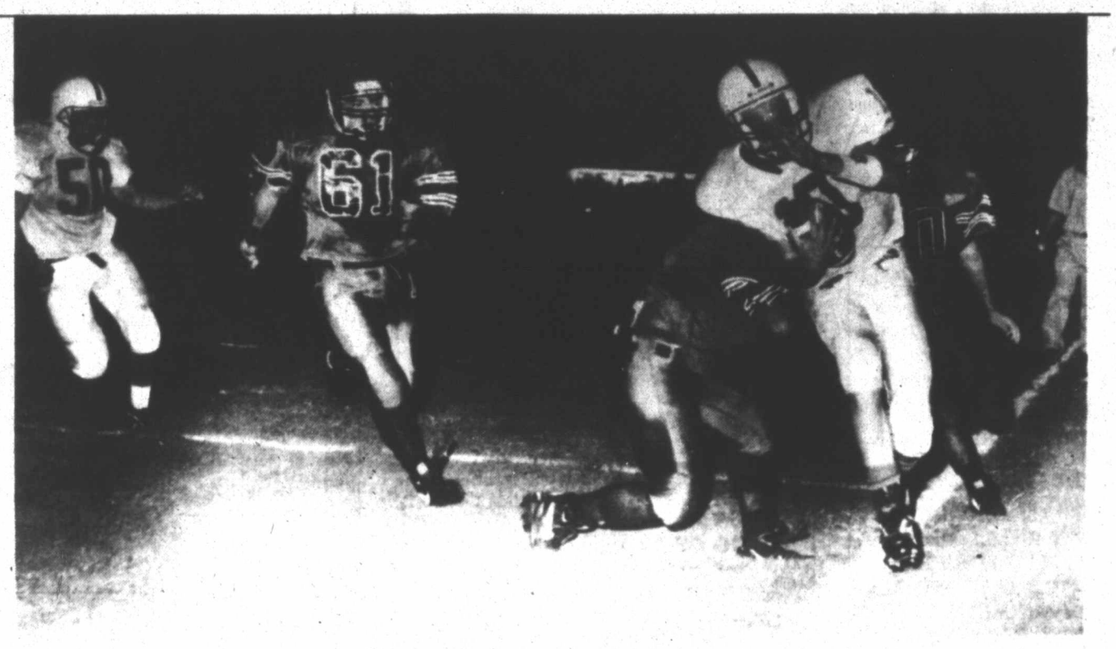
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