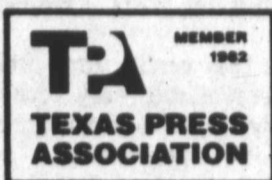


Welcome To The Lynn County Livestock Show



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COTTON SCATTERED—This truck load of cotton was scattered about as a truck driven by Jerry L. Needham of Lake Arthur, N.M. jackknifed at the north overpass of U.S. 87 at FM 400 in Tahoka. The driver suffered minor cuts on his left hand in the wreck Tuesday morning around 8:50 a.m.
(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO by Terry Wood)

Lynn Left Out Of New Disaster Loan Plans

Lynn County farmers and officials of federal agricultural agencies in the county were stunned last week as the county was omitted from a list of counties in which farmers qualify for lower-cost loans through the Farmers Home Administration.

Several area counties were listed, and the Lynn County Disaster committee had sent in all the proper documentation showing that this county's farmers had suffered major losses from weather last May and June.

There appeared to be a chance this week that the county still would be designated a disaster area by the federal government, and some officials, including U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm in Washington, mentioned the possibility that the omission was

a clerical error of some kind. Stenholm's office and others were checking this week to try to find out how the designations were made.

"Of all the counties in my district, I would think that Lynn would be at the top of the list (of those suffering crop losses)," Rep. Stenholm told the Lynn County News Tuesday.

Jimmy Woodard, head of the county's farm disaster committee, said he has been talking to Undersecretary Frank Naylor in Washington, and that "Naylor did say there apparently was an error made and that his office recognizes the urgency of investigating the situation."

Under the program, farmers in counties designated for disaster aid loans may be eligible for lower-interest rate loans from the FmHA, when they have 30 per cent or greater loss. Stanley Young, Lynn County agent, and a member of the disaster committee, said "98 per cent of Lynn County's farmers had losses of more than 30 per cent."

Garza County got its disaster designation, and the FmHA office in

Tahoka also processes applications of Garza farmers for emergency loans, according to a release from the FmHA.

Jimmy Hopson, FmHA County Supervisor, asked that those who need farm credit as a result of hail, continued excessive rain, sand and wind damage June 10, 1982, thru July 9, 1982, in Garza County make their needs known at the FmHA office at Tahoka.

Application for assistance in the
(See **DISASTER**, Page 2)

Tahoka Stock Show Good Despite Snow

In spite of a severe winter snow storm that hit the area this past week, the Tahoka FFA and 4-H show went on as scheduled.

Winning honors in the swine division were Cody Smith with his cross bred barrow, and Deanna Womack, who showed the Reserve champion barrow. In the lamb division, Jubal Dunlap showed the Grand Champion with his Suffolk. Jody Woodard had the Reserve champion lamb. In the steer division, Todd Pebsworth showed the Grand champion, a chianina. Ricky Williams showed his Maine Anjou steer as Reserve Grand champion.

The Showmanship winners in each division were as follows: Swine—John Hawthorne; Sheep—Jubal Dunlap; Steers—Cody Smith.

Results of the show by classes, through four places were as follows:
Swine: Berkshire, champion Sean Todd; Reserve champion, Marci Miller; 1st, Sean Todd; 2nd, Marci Miller; 3rd, Sharla Miller; 4th, Jacqui Lockaby.
Chester—Cody Smith, 1st champion; Deedle Daniell, 2nd reserve; 3rd Jody Woodard.
Duroc—lightweight—1st, Bridgett Miller; 2nd, Marci Miller; 3rd Todd Lockaby, 4th.

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County Eyes Purchase Of Two Maintainers

Lynn County commissioners Monday discussed at length the problems of frequent and costly repairs to road-maintaining equipment, particularly in precincts 1 and 2 recently, and voted to seek lease-purchase bids on one new maintainer in each of those precincts.

New Precinct 2 commissioner Boyd Barnes showed the rest of the group a repair bill of more than \$15,000 on an older machine which even after repairs will be in poor shape. Eldon Gattis, Precinct 1 commissioner, also has two graders in poor condition, he said. Both these commissioners and the other two, Bart Anderson of Pct. 3 and E.R. Blakney in 4, said they have to have good operating equipment in order to keep roads in shape.

It was noted, however, that purchase of new maintainers, in the general price range of more than \$100,000 each, is not in the budget

for this year. But it also was noted that costs of repairs on existing equipment would likely be greater than payments on new equipment, with the older machines traded in. Also, the bids call for a lease purchase agreement, so payment would be spread over several years.

Commissioners also voted to increase the annual salary of Justice of the Peace Ben Morrison at O'Donnell to \$8646, the same as paid to the JP in Tahoka. Bonding of Patricia Bingham as deputy treasurer for the county, and a change to allow the county clerk to accept county court fines also were approved by the group.

Annual payment of \$1,250 to O'Donnell Fire Dept. for rural firefighting was approved, as were a donation to the Lynn Soil and Water Conservation District of \$1,000, appointment of Judge J.F. Brandon to the SPAG general assembly, and

names of persons to serve on the county historical commission.

Members of that group are Winston Wharton, Richard White, Frank Hill, Dr. K.R. Durham, Mackie Turner, Elvin Ray Moore, Mrs. Betty Unfred, Vickie Summitt, Julian Pirtle and Graham Hensley.

After hearing Gene Talley, permits agent for Challenge Exploration Co. at the meeting, commissioners approved seismograph operations by CXC in the county provided the company pays for any damages incurred and also providing the company will provide traffic control on county roads at all times to avoid the roads being blocked by equipment.

Talley said the seismograph soundings are planned along a 20-mile stretch of U.S. 380, going right through town, and also about 10 miles in north and south directions.

Trips for county agents to stock shows in Fort Worth, El Paso, San Antonio, Houston and San Angelo were approved. All expenses come out of the county agents' budget.

Rules On Conduct At School Voted

Tahoka School board Tuesday adopted stricter rules on use of profanity and disorderly conduct by non-students on school property, a move designed to give better control, particularly at basketball games, where persons already out of school have been causing problems recently.

The policy authorizes school officials to ask any persons causing any disruptive activity to leave the school premises. It provides that any second such occurrence will cause that person to be banished from any future related activities during the current school year.

Law enforcement officials here have been asked to help the school enforce the new stronger rules.

Taxes Soon Delinquent

The final date to pay 1982 ad valorem tax without an extra charge is Jan. 31. Taxes become delinquent on Feb. 1 and a penalty of 7 percent will be charged on tax payments made during the month of February. The penalty for late payment increases each month thereafter by 2 percent.

County of Lynn and Tahoka Independent School District taxes are to be paid at the Lynn County Appraisal District, 1616 Ave. J, Tahoka.

LYNN County Merchants Appreciate Your Business



IT DID IT AGAIN—Ice covered the trees and snow buried everything in Lynn County last week as 13 inches fell, bringing the winter total to a record 25 inches. This was taken as a machine graded the road north of Tahoka.
(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Snowfalls Here Set New Record

Snowfall of 13 inches last week, plus the 12 inches from Christmas day to Jan. 2, set a new 25-inch record here, according to Tahoka's National Weather Service observer.

The latest snow followed .46 inch of rain earlier last week, then on Thursday .41 inch of rain and sleet turned to snow in the afternoon and by Friday morning 10-plus inches of snow had fallen, melted down to 1.11 inch of water. A trace fell Friday, and by Saturday morning another 2-plus inches had fallen, melted down to .23 inch of water, a total of 13 inches of snow.

Following Christmas, Tahoka had received 12 inches of snow up to Jan. 2, bringing the winter's snowfall to a total of 25 inches by this Wednesday.

Previous record snowfalls, so far as local records reveal, was 20 inches in 1947, but that total came in four snows in January, February, November and December. Other big snows included 16 inches in November and December, 1943; 10 inches in February of 1938 and 8 inches in February of 1940.

But, all these snows were accompanied by wind, and snow drifted. One year, Tahoka was isolated two days by drifting snow

that closed all highways. The snows this winter came with virtually no wind, and there was little drifting.

Incidentally, this, so far, possibly is the wettest winter on record. Tahoka has recorded 7.52 inches of precipitation since the first of November, 2.75 since Jan. 1.

With this kind of winter moisture, farm land is soaked down deep, and prospects are good for a fine crop year in 1983.

Winter Weather TAHOKA, TEXAS		
Date	High	Low
Jan. 20	47	29
Jan. 21	31	25
Jan. 22	32	18
Jan. 23	31	9
Jan. 24	43	10
Jan. 25	34	20
Jan. 26	46	26

Snow past week 13 inches (1.34 in melted snow). Rain, sleet and snow 1.89 inches. Total so far in January, 2.75 inches.



Engagement Announced

Twelve members of Tahoka Garden Club assembled at the home of Mrs. Jewel Smith on Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 9:30 a.m. for the regular monthly meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Smith and co-hostess, Mrs. Thelma Sherrod.

After a business session presided over by Mrs. Clifford Tankersley, president, Mrs. Mildred Abbe introduced the speaker, Mrs. Georgia Booker, Director of the Garden and Arts Center in Lubbock. Mrs. Booker, a National Flower Show Judge, gave a talk on Pruning and Grafting.

The next meeting will be Feb. 15, in Brownfield at the home of Mrs. Betty Marett with Mrs. Lavelle Crain as co-hostess. After the 9:30 a.m. meeting, club members will have lunch together in Brownfield.

Polly Lynn Lefman and Randall W. Gurley announce their upcoming marriage March 12. They will exchange vows in St. John Lutheran Church in Austin.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Loveland, Colorado High School and is employed by Metz & Associates in Waco. Gurley is a Tahoka High School graduate and also graduated from Texas Tech University. He is employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone in Austin.

Warren - Baker Wed In Lubbock

Suzanne Warren and John Baker were married in a 7 p.m. ceremony Saturday in Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock with Bob Evans officiating.

Honor attendants were Charlotte Huffaker of Amarillo, sister of the bride, and Tommy McDonald.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Warren of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. William J. Baker.

The bride is employed as



ICE WORLD — There were bigger icicles than this around town, but this Tahoka home showed a typical shaggy look after the winter storm.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

a teacher for Lubbock Independent School District. The bridegroom is vice president of Higgins and May, Inc., Consulting Engineers.

After a wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple will live in Lubbock.

Space Center director is Texas A&M graduate

COLLEGE STATION — The new director of the Johnson Space Center (JSC) in Houston, a graduate of Texas A&M University, forms another link in a long association between the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) and Texas A&M.

Gerald D. Griffin, former deputy director of the Kennedy Space Center in Florida and the Dryden Flight Research Center in California, received his degree in aerospace engineering from Texas A&M in 1956. He will take over the position held for the past 10 years by Christopher C. Kraft. Kraft had been a visiting professor at Texas A&M.

THS Student Council Attends District Meet

The Tahoka High School Student Council attended the District 5 meeting in Levelland on Jan. 5.

District officers were elected as follows: president, Abernathy High; vice president, Cooper; secretary, Denver City; parliamentarian, Littlefield.

Voting delegates from Tahoka were Tony Garcia, Kimberly McMillan, Georgina Cazares, and Lisa Huckabey. Other members attending were Jana Hammonds, Tami Pebsworth, Marla Huffaker, Kelli Huckabey, Delia Riojas, Sara Gutierrez, Steve Pierce, Thomas Young, Trey Teaff and Gerald Craig.

The Student Council also sponsored an assembly presented by the "Maines Brothers."

topher C. Kraft. Kraft had been a visiting professor at Texas A&M.

Among the links in the long-standing relationship with the university, NASA provided funds to build the Olin E. Teague Research Center on the Texas A&M campus. The visitor center at JSC was named in memory of Teague last summer.

Texas A&M's research association with NASA spans more than a decade, with the space agency funding projects at a level of about half a million dollars annually. Texas A&M also held, until last year, the longest running contract ever granted to a university by NASA.

Livestock

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Deedie Daniell.
Duroc medium weight- 1st Tad Knight; 2nd Tamara Knight; 3rd Sharla Miller; 4th Bridget Miller.
Duroc heavyweight- 1st Trey Nance; 2nd Jason Spence; 3rd Kent Pebsworth; 4th Lanae Monk.
Champion Duroc- Trey Nance; Reserve, Bridget Miller.
Hamps heavy- 1st Cody Smith; 2nd Bridget Miller; 3rd Tadd Knight; 4th Tamara Knight.
Hamps light- 1st Tabatha Miller; 2nd Matt Ray; 3rd Deanna Womack; 4th Jody Woodard.
Champion Hamp- Tabatha Miller, Reserve, Matt Ray.
Poland China all weights- 1st John Hawthorne, also champion; 2nd Sharla Miller, reserve; 3rd Steve Summers; 4th Kent Pebsworth.
Spots all weights- 1st Rochelle Reid, also champ; 2nd Stephanie Womack, reserve; 3rd Shannon Percell.
Crossbred light- 1st James Aldous; 2nd Janet Anderson; 3rd Kevin Bailey; 4th Kathy Davis.
Cross medium weight- 1st Cody Smith; 2nd Tadd Knight; 3rd Ty Askew; 4th Stephanie Womack.
Cross heavy weight- 1st Deanna Womack; 2nd Marci Miller; 3rd Sharla Miller; 4th Tabitha Miller.
Champion Cross- Cody Smith; Reserve, Deanna Womack.
Yorks light- 1st Ty Askew; 2nd Todd Lockaby; 3rd Curtis Ferguson; 4th Rochelle Reid.
Yorks heavy- 1st John Hawthorne, champion; 2nd Kent Pebsworth, reserve; 3rd Kathy Davis; 4th Marci Miller.
Lamb Division
Fine Wool light- 1st Jeff Martin; 2nd Rochelle Reid; 3rd Jody Woodard; 4th Jubal Dunlap.
Heavy- 1st Jeff Martin; 2nd Jason Spence; 3rd Sharla Miller; 4th Gary Daniell.
Champion- Jeff Martin; reserve, Jason Spence.

Disaster

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disaster stricken county will be accepted until Oct. 20, 1983, for physical and production losses.

FmHA loans covering actual physical and production losses may be used to replace installations, equipment, or buildings, (including homes) lost through this disaster. Funds may be used to buy feed, seed, fertilizer, livestock, or to meet interest and depreciation payments on current real estate and chattel debts.

"Funds can be used for essential operating and living costs," Hopson said.

Applicants that certify that other credit is not available may receive loans covering actual losses at an interest rate of 8 percent and are scheduled for repayment as rapidly as feasible consistent with the applicant's ability to pay. Applicants who certify that other credit is available may also receive these loans at a higher interest rate.

Cross bred lambs all weights- 1st Jody Woodard; 2nd Luke Dunlap; 3rd Gary Daniell; 4th Marci Miller.
Hampshire all weights- 1st Jody Woodard; 2nd Marci Miller; 3rd Jubal Dunlap; 4th Gary Daniell.
Suffolk light- 1st Jody Woodard; 2nd Luke Dunlap; 3rd Autumn Martin; 4th Jeff Martin.
Suffolk heavy- 1st Jubal Dunlap; 2nd Sharla Miller; 3rd Rochelle Reid; 4th Jeff Martin.
Champion- Jubal Dunlap; reserve, Jody Woodard.

Steer Division
Steers light- 1st Todd Pebsworth; 2nd Ricky Williams; 3rd Ricky Williams.
Heavy- 1st Ricky Williams; 2nd Todd Pebsworth; 3rd Cody Smith.
Champion (Class 1) Todd Pebsworth
Champion (Class 2) Ricky Williams

SHOP IN TAHOKA



WE NOTICE that ABC-TV is going to have a week-long series on "The Winds of War" starting Sunday, Feb. 6. It possibly could be a very good series; certainly the book, by Herman Wouk, was interesting, perhaps more so to those who lived during the World War II times.

Robert Mitchum plays the main character, Pug Henry, a naval officer. The book is fiction based on a lot of fact, and includes some very good history. Only thing is, the series runs for a week, every night, or so I

read somewhere. There's no way I could watch TV every night, because I'm just never home that many nights in a row — unless they start it about midnight. This might be one of the few times I wish I had a video recorder. I would like one that automatically cuts off during the ads.

RURAL RUBEN said his home town is so small it had a crime ripple ... and somebody else said he came from a place so little the city limit signs were back to back.

"A book should teach us to enjoy life, or to endure it." Samuel Johnson

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WAYS TO DRESS WARMLY FOR WINTER

If you intend to spend a lot of time outdoors this winter, what kind of insulated clothing should you wear? Safety experts say that choosing the right clothing depends on the weather and what you will be doing in it.

For instance, if you are hustling along a cross-country trail, says an executive of a company that specializes in quality lightweight camping and mountaineering equipment, you'll need a few layers of light breathable clothing. If, on the other hand, you'll be standing around in zero temperatures watching ski jumpers, you'll

need a fat parka and then some.

An insulated parka has many important features. The shells are made of lightweight synthetics that will block the wind while allowing perspiration to pass through.

According to Jim Simpson of Eastern Mountain Sports, the greatest protection comes from a hooded parka—an essential for a winter camping trip. If

you'll be busy chopping wood, however, you may prefer the freedom of movement allowed by a vest, which is easily made warmer by adding a sweater or shell.

"Down parkas are still the lightest, warmest, fluffiest, parkas available," says Simpson. However, "the big advantage of the synthetic materials over down is that they're superior performers in wet going. You can wring out the moisture from a soaked poly parka and it will dry out in a few hours."

Finally, don't forget your hands, feet and head when dressing for winter. Covering or uncovering them helps control retention or loss of body heat almost immediately.

SHOP IN TAHOKA

TAHOKA COMMUNITY CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY 1983

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<p>This Month's Community Calendar is Made Possible by The Following Sponsors:</p> <p>TAHOKA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE — 998-4761 THE PASTRY PLACE — 998-5427 CURRY'S LAWNMOWERS — 998-4779 WESTERN SEED & DELINTING — 998-4115</p>						
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		<p>Mother's Day Out, FBC 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Blood Pressure Clinic, Sallis Citizens Center 11 a.m. Varsity & JV boys and girls at Drovers City 3 p.m. C of C Board Meeting at 11:30 a.m. at Pastry Place. GAs, RAs & Antennas meet at Sweet Street Baptist 3:30 to 5 p.m.</p>	<p>Mid-week Services, FBC 7 p.m. Ladies Class Church of Christ 9 a.m. Mid-week service Sweet Street Baptist 7 p.m. Mission Friends, GAs, RAs, & Antennas meet at FBC, 7 p.m. ECs, First Methodist Church meet at 3:45 p.m.</p>	<p>Waynes Circle First United Meth. Church 7:30 p.m. DECCA Field Trip- THS West Point EH Club 2 p.m. Rotary meets 12:00 noon at Tahoka Cafeteria</p>	<p>Young Adults I & II FBC Bible Retreat Ft. Worth EH Pass Stock Show JV and Varsity girls and boys here at 5 p.m. against Cooper</p>	<p>Young adults I & II FBC Bible Retreat at Ft. Worth EH Pass Stock Show</p>
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
<p>FBC Service at Harding Home 3 p.m. EH Pass Stock Show</p>	<p>Liberty Bells EH Club 7:30 p.m. Harding Home 3:30 - 3:50 p.m. Everyone invited. Ball Club rehearsal First Meth. Church 3:30 p.m. BYW meets FBC 7 p.m. Baptist Women FBC 3 p.m. OEA Week at THS EH Pass Stock Show Shouting at Harding Home 3:30 to 3:50 p.m. 7, 8, 9, girls here, boys at Friendship 5 p.m.</p>	<p>Mother's Day Out FBC 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. O'Donnell Rotary Club meets 12 noon EH Pass Stock Show Robinson's meet at lodge 7 p.m. Philo K. - Dora's Doll House Fashion Show Drovers EH Club 2 p.m. JV & Varsity girls here 5 p.m. - boys at Friendship 5 p.m. Ladies Bible Study Sweet Street Baptist 12 to 1 p.m. lunch served. Everyone welcome. Mission Friends, GAs, RAs & Antennas meet at Sweet Street Baptist Church 3:30 to 5 p.m. Pythons meet</p>	<p>OEA Week THS Ladies Class Church of Christ 9 a.m. Mid-week services FBC 7 p.m. EH Pass Stock Show Mid-week services Sweet Street Baptist 7 p.m. Mission Friends, GAs, RAs & Antennas meet at FBC, 7 p.m. ECs at First Methodist Church, 3:45 p.m.</p>	<p>OEA Week THS EH Pass Stock Show Rotary meets 12:00 noon at Tahoka Cafeteria</p>	<p>LADIES BIRTHDAY Chamberette luncheon at noon to home of Chalee Jan Wells Youth Valentine's Banquet FBC 7 p.m. FBA Sweetheart Banquet THS San Antonio Stock Show</p>	
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<p>San Antonio Stock Show</p>	<p>ST. VALENTINE'S DAY Tahoka Delay EH Club 7:30 p.m. Ball club rehearsal First Meth. Church 3:30 p.m. Faith Circle - Home of Lady Stewart 3:30 p.m. Baptist Women FBC 3 p.m. San Antonio Stock Show Shouting at Harding Home 3:30 to 3:50 p.m. Everyone invited.</p>	<p>Mother's Day Out FBC 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. San Antonio Stock Show O'Donnell Rotary Club 12 noon Mission Friends, GAs, RAs & Antennas meet at Sweet Street Baptist Church 3:30 - 5 p.m.</p>	<p>Ash Wednesday Social Security Seminar Citizens Center 1 p.m. Fourth St. Wanda Budo THS Ladies Class Church of Christ 9 a.m. San Antonio Stock Show Mission Friends, GAs, RAs & Antennas meet at FBC, 7 p.m. ECs meet at First Methodist Church, 3:45 p.m.</p>	<p>Waynes Circle First United Meth. 7:30 p.m. San Antonio Stock Show Rotary Club meets 12:00 noon at Tahoka Cafeteria</p>	<p>Area II FBA meeting San Antonio Stock Show</p>	<p>San Antonio Stock Show</p>
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<p>YOUTH COUNCIL FBC 4 p.m. San Antonio Stock Show</p>	<p>Ball club rehearsal First United Methodist Church 3:30 p.m. BYW meets FBC 7 p.m. Baptist Women FBC 3 p.m. Tahoka 4-H regular meeting Meet at 4 p.m. at Lyotager and near Wilson Home. Everyone invited. Shouting at Harding Home 3:30 to 3:50 p.m. Everyone invited.</p>	<p>O'Donnell Rotary Club 12 noon Mother's Day Out FBC 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Blood Pressure Clinic at Harding Home 7:30 p.m. Bachelorette meet at lodge 7 p.m. Ladies Bible Study Sweet Street Baptist 12 to 1 p.m. lunch served. Everyone welcome. Philo K. THS Home Entertainment 8:30, 9:30 Mission Friends, GAs, RAs, & Antennas meet at Sweet Street Baptist Church 3:30 - 5 p.m. Pythons meet</p>	<p>Feb 23 Wed. FFA Judging: Sweetwater Mid-week service Sweet Street Baptist 7 p.m. Ladies class Church of Christ 9 a.m. Mission Friends, GAs, RAs, & Antennas meet at FBC, 7 p.m. ECs meet at First Methodist Church, 3:45 p.m.</p>	<p>OEA Area Contest Rotary meets at 12:00 noon at Tahoka Cafeteria</p>	<p>Stop by the Pastry Place for lunch or just for a snack!</p>	<p>Get your lawnmower in top shape for Spring at Curry's Lawnmower Sales & Service.</p>
27	28	Call the C of C to calendar your event.				

Obituaries

Jesus Arausa Sr.

Services for Jesus Arausa Sr., 64, of Tahoka were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Jan. 24, at St. Jude Catholic Church with the Rev. Rodney Howell officiating.

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

He died at 9:50 a.m. Thursday at a local gin. Justice of the Peace Ed Hamilton ruled the death was by natural causes.

He was born Sept. 24, 1918 in LaBlanca and attended public schools in Hondo and moved to Lynn County in 1949 from San Antonio. He worked most of his life at the local cotton compress and was disabled several years ago.

He married Amilia Garcia on July 22, 1950, in Billings, Mont. He was a Catholic.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jesus Jr.; a daughter, Janie Ramirez of Tahoka; five sisters, Consuelo Gomez, Maria Arausa and Gregoria Ybarra, all of San Antonio, Rosa Alcaez of Hondo and Antonia Longoria of Pearsall; four brothers, Guillermo and

Jose, both of Hondo, Sabino of Phoenix, Ariz., and Jose of California; and six grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bob Haney, Donald Williams, Dan Garcia, Jesus Mendez, Domingo Riojas Jr., Author Castillo.

Ira E. McCarver

Services for Ira McCarver, 74, of Slaton were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Robert Moore and the Rev. Jack Bell officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery.

He died Wednesday morning at his home.

The Callahan County native moved from Bogota, Texas to Slaton in 1916. He worked as chef for Fred Harvy from 1925 to 1943 then was chef and later owner of Red Arrow Cafe from 1943 to 1975 when he retired.

He was a member of the Woodmen of the World and a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma; a daughter, Linda Slone of Wilson; a son, Edwin Ray of Irving; a sister, Frances Sonntag of Blue Ridge; a brother, Jimmy of Milburn, Okla.; three granddaughters and

Lyvonnia Stokes

Services for Lyvonnia Stokes, 91, of Brownfield were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Jan. 24, in First Baptist Church of Brownfield with the Rev. Cletus Caswell officiating, assisted by Alton West.

Burial was in Lubbock Resthaven Cemetery.

She died at 1:50 a.m. Sunday at Brownfield Regional Medical Center after a lengthy illness.

The Alabama native married A.W. Stokes in Searight, Ala., April 10, 1907. They moved to Lynn County in 1924 and to the Tokio Community in Terry County in 1935. They farmed and operated the Pool Store from 1952 to 1959 when they moved to New Home. He died Feb. 28, 1962 and she returned to Brownfield in 1973.

She was a Baptist.

Survivors include six daughters, Mrs. W.T. (Willie Mae) Knight of New Home, Mrs. Audrey Nichols of Odessa, Mrs. Thelma Wyatt of New Home, Mrs. Margoreen Buford of Brownfield, Larue Johnson of Lamesa and Mrs. Mozelle Young of Meadow; three sons, I.E. of Duncan, Okla., Emory of Slaton and Bob of Midland; a brother, Jimmy Sims of Rome, Ga.; 26 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Luther Johnson

Services for Luther M. Johnson, 80, of Jayton were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Jan. 24, in First Methodist United Meth-

odist Church in Jayton with the Rev. Tommy Ewing, former pastor now of Plainview, officiating.

Burial was in Jayton Cemetery.

Johnson died at 6 p.m. Saturday in his home after a brief illness. Justice of the Peace Louie Hilton ruled natural causes in the death.

He was born Jan. 27, 1902, in Nacogdoches. He married Vada Canyon March 8, 1924, in Tahoka. She died July 19, 1981. He was a retired farmer having moved to Kent County in 1930 from Tahoka.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Mary McAtter and Bernadine Powell, both of Jayton, and Pat Johnson of Snyder; a sister, Anna Pennington of Tahoka; a brother, Curtis of Littlefield; 12 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

Elmer Rice

Services for Elmer Rice, 81, of Tahoka will be held today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. in First United Methodist Church in Tahoka with Rev. Gene Wisdom, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home.

Rice died Tuesday in Lynn County Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born Feb. 8, 1901 and moved to Lynn County in 1919 from Milam County. He lived in Wilson for several years and had been a Tahoka resident for 25 years. He was a retired mail carrier. He married Letty Middleton March 16, 1925, in New Home. He attended school in Buckholts and was a member of the Woodmen of the World Club.

He was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Wanda

Lee Sanders of Abilene; a son, Stewart B. of Rt. 1, Wilson; a brother, Boyd of Wolfforth; six grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Pallbearers will be Milton Draper, Elmer Owens, Jim McCullough, Floyd Heck, Jack Blevins and Clarence Church.

Florence J. Jones

Services for Florence Jewel Jones, 74, of Tahoka were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 26, in White Funeral Home Chapel with Don Dawes, minister of Tahoka Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Draw Cemetery in Draw under direction of White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jones died at 10:40 a.m. Monday in Lynn County Care Center after a lengthy illness.

The Arkansas native was born April 21, 1908 and married Thomas Franklin Jones Jan. 8, 1927, in Arkansas. He died Feb. 2, 1955.

She moved to Tahoka in 1956 from Batesville, Ark. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Beatrice Jones of Tahoka.

Senior Citizens MENU

Jan. 31-Feb. 4, 1983

Monday- Pork cutlet and cream gravy, sweet potatoes, turnips and greens, roll, butter, apple sauce, milk

Tuesday- Vegetable soup, cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, plum cobbler, milk

Wednesday- Swiss steak, potatoes, cauliflower and broccoli w cheese sauce, rolls, butter, chocolate pudding, milk

Thursday- Ham, lima beans, buttered carrots, cabbage slaw, cornbread, butter, fruit jello w whipped topping, milk

Friday- Oven fried chicken, cream gravy, buttered peas, tossed salad w dressing, rolls, butter, yellow cake, milk

Pioneer Club

Singing night- Feb. 7 at 7 p.m.

Blood pressure check- Feb. 1 at 11 a.m.

Social Security- Feb. 16, 1 p.m.

4-H NEWS

The Tahoka 4-H Club recently made and sold chocolate suckers during a candy making project. Those attending voted to donate their proceeds of \$26.35 to the Lynn County Crime Line.

Those participating were Tabatha Miller, Lori Taylor, Carrie Taylor, Mary Roberts, Bridget Miller, Tracye Scott, Lanae Monk, Stephanie Isbell, Jennie Wells, Kim Ingle, Cody Smith, Betsy Huffaker, Jodi Williams, Luke Dunlap, Felix Benarrdes, Tim Barrow, Boone Barrow, Kathy Davis, Trey Nance and Rene Benavidez.

COTTON TODAY

NCC Endorses Legislation: National Cotton Council President Ed Breihan in letters to Senate Agriculture Subcommittee Chairman Thad Cochran (R-Miss.) and Sam Nunn (D-GA.) has endorsed proposed Farmers Home Administration legislation.

The measure would: (1) raise the existing limitation on FmHa operating loans from \$100,000 to \$500,000 and (2) provide for consolidation or rescheduling of existing loans.

Both Cochran and Nunn have announced they will introduce such legislation when Congress returns.

In his letter, Breihan emphasized action is essential in order to provide necessary financing for many producers who now find themselves in difficult financial straits because of poor crops, the burden of carrying existing loans at previously high interest rates, and continued weak prices.

Cotton Men To Hear AG Committee Leaders: Cotton industry leaders attending the National Cotton Council's annual meeting at Phoenix Feb. 6-8 will hear from ranking minority members of both the House and Senate Agriculture committees.

Illinois Congressman Edward Madigan, ranking Republican on the House Agriculture Committee, will speak at the first general session Feb. 7.

Senator Walter Huddleston (D-Ky), the Senate Agriculture Committee's ranking minority member, was announced earlier as a speaker the following day.

Export Sales Jump: Net new sales for the 1982-83 marketing year increased by 140,300 running bales for the week ended Jan. 13 -- second highest for the marketing year -- to bring the new season's total commitments to 3,617,000 bales.

The major buyers were Canada, 42,100 bales; Japan, 36,800; and South Korea, 24,400. Exports for the week totaled 80,100 bales.

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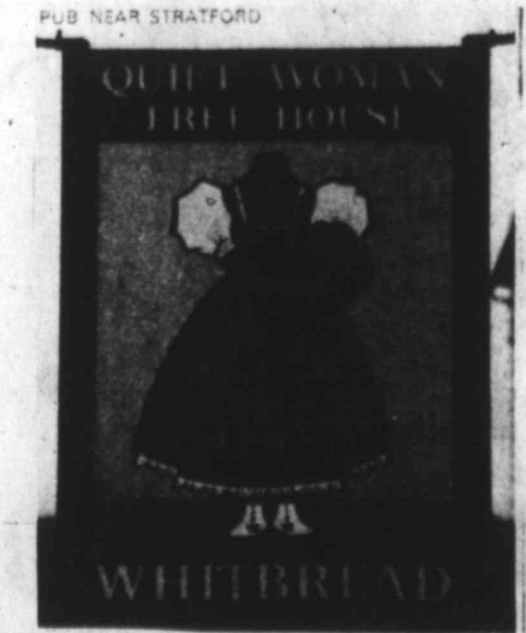
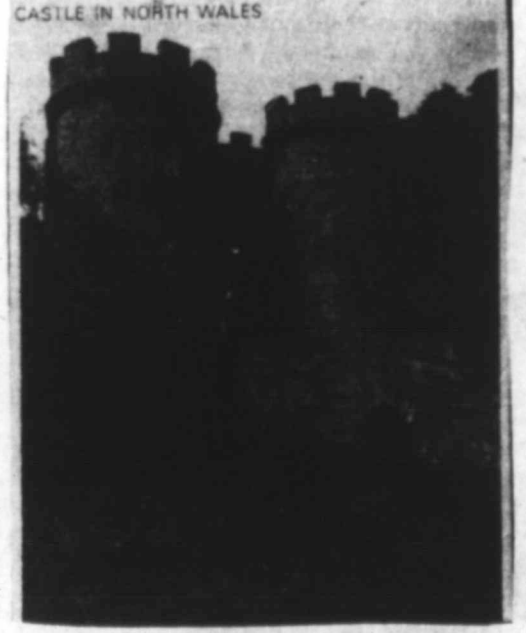
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Any persons interested in the trip are invited to attend a meeting to discuss it at 2106 N. 8th St. in Tahoka, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 4

Passport Application blanks will be available, and photos will be made free for anyone planning to join the group.

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County Attorney	13,237.00
County Clerk	13,237.00
County Treasurer	12,000.00
District Clerk	12,100.00
Commissioner Prec. 1	11,018.00
Commissioner Prec. 2	11,018.00
Commissioner Prec. 3	11,018.00
Commissioner Prec. 4	11,018.00
Justice of Peace Tahoka #1	8,646.00
Justice of Peace O'Donnell #4	3,600.00

C.W. ROBERTS
County Clerk, Lynn County
Tahoka, Texas
4-11c

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BANKS

Notice is hereby given by the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas that at 9:00 o'clock A.M. on the 14th day of February A.D. 1983, the same being the first day of the Regular February term of said Court for 1983 the Commissioners' Court will receive bids and enter into a contract with a banking Corporation, Association or individual banker in Lynn County for depositing of Public Funds for such County and County School funds in such bank for the next two years. Dated this 14th day of January, A.D. 1983.

J.F. BRANDON
Lynn County Judge
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STATE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS
AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION
CONTRACTOR NOTICE

TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION
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GROUNDS MAINTENANCE

All sealed proposals will be received, publicly opened and read at the District Maintenance Office, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock.

Picnic Area maintenance in Lamb, Lynn, Lubbock and Parmer Counties and Comfort Station maintenance in Crosby County will be received until 9:00 a.m. on February 14, 1983.

Picnic Area maintenance in Castro, Gaines, and Garza Counties, and District Office Grounds maintenance in Lubbock County will be received until 9:00 a.m. on February 16, 1983.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, and further that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications are available at the Maintenance Office for the above

mentioned counties and at the office of William M. Pope, Asst. District Engineer, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock, Texas.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Lynn County will receive bids until the special meeting of the Court at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, February 14, 1983 for a five year lease purchase of one new motor grader for Precinct #2, meeting the following specifications:

Motor Grader equipped with diesel engine with 24 volt electrical system, 35 ampere alternator, dry-type air cleaner with service indicator and automatic dust ejector, blower fan, muffler, accelerator-decelerator, power shift transmission, articulated frame, hydraulic (controls, steering, and leaned front wheels), tandem drive, 6" x 5/8" DH2 steel cutting edges, hand throttle, sound suppressed ROPS cab, inside rearview mirror, front defroster fan, windshield washers and wipers, seat belt, service meter horn, back-up alarm, adjustable control console, four wheel oil disc brakes, parking brake, rear drawbar, stop and tail lights, tilt adjustable steering wheel, tool box, Articulation Indicator, 14" Hydraulic Sideshift Mold with tip control, Hydraulic System, Lights, Low Temperature Start, 10" Rims, Heater, 14.00 x 24-12 Ply Tires, chromed 14" Mold.

Less Trade in Allowance on T500 Galion 1972 Model Motor Grader.

We will need two bids. One to reflect 125 h.p. at the mole board and one to reflect 150 h.p. at the mole board.

Commissioner's court of Lynn County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

s/J.F. Brandon
County Judge, Lynn County
P.O. Box 1256
Tahoka, Tx. 79373
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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Lynn County will receive bids until the special meeting of the Court at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, February 14, 1983 for a five year lease purchase of one new motor grader for Precinct #1, meeting the following specifications:

Motor Grader equipped with diesel engine with 24 volt electrical system, 35 ampere alternator, dry-type air cleaner with service indicator and automatic dust ejector, blower fan, muffler, accelerator-decelerator, power shift transmission, articulated frame, hydraulic (controls, steering, and leaned front wheels), tandem drive, 6" x 5/8" DH2 steel cutting edges, hand throttle, sound suppressed ROPS cab, inside rearview mirror, front defroster fan, windshield washers and wipers, seat belt, service meter horn, back-up alarm, adjustable control console, four wheel oil disc brakes, parking brake, rear drawbar, stop and tail lights, tilt adjustable steering wheel, tool box, Articulation Indicator, 14" Hydraulic Sideshift Mold with tip control, Hydraulic System, Lights, Low Temperature Start, 10" Rims, Heater, 14.00 x 24-12 Ply Tires, chromed 14" Mold.

Less Trade in Allowance on 120 Caterpillar 1966 Model Motor Grader.

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Letters to the Editor

Letters to the editor do not necessarily express the views of this newspaper. All correspondence must be signed, and in good taste before it will be published, and the name of the writer must be published also. Letters to the editor may not be more than two double-spaced typewritten pages.

Dear Sir:

I've heard numerous people comment on what a great job the highway department has done in keeping the highways clear. They are to be recognized and commended. If I could get down the dirt "County Road" then I could see for myself how good they are doing.

For 30 years, Harvey Freeman and Earl Terry tried to get someone to fix this road. Ed Stone is the first man that ever put forth any effort whatsoever to improve it. Earl or Harvey neither one lived to see the improvement. Thanks anyway, Ed, it's a shame our present commissioner doesn't see fit to keep the caliche road maintained.

You can ask anybody in town who has ever had a reason to travel this road how bad it is. I've had people tell me it's the worst road in Lynn County. I know the weather can't be controlled but this road is super tough in good or bad weather!

I realize this is not the only road in Lynn County. I also know that there are only three families that live directly on this road. However, this is a fairly well traveled road. The three families who live on this road are not wealthy, we don't own a lot of land, but we are living, breathing human beings. We have wants, needs and obligations just like everyone else.

I'm getting tired of being told how broke this precinct is. I'm broke too. Someway I always manage to pay my taxes. The added expense of vehicle repair (from the bad road) is an added burden to me.

I'm trying to go to nursing school in Levelland and the added stress of not ever knowing if I'm going to get down the "county road" is very

upsetting. If "Mr. Commissioner" thinks the Lynn County Hospital doesn't need more LVN's then that's fine. I know of many communities who are begging for nurses. Tahoka has been very good to me and my children and I appreciate it. I would like the opportunity to try to repay some of the kindness with some in-pur of my own.

One summer I had to call "Mr. Commissioner" and ask him to blade this road because it was tearing my cotton trailers up. I was told then if I would pay for the caliche, the county would sure haul it in for me. This is a county road - not my own private road and not my drive way. A county road that other people besides myself use. Am I supposed to keep it maintained? Why pay taxes? Just what are my tax monies being used for?

I'm not asking for preferred service nor am I asking for a paved road. I'm just asking that the road be made and kept passable. It was not bladed after our last big snow. There was a three week interval between the last snow and this one. After so many ruts are made in a road there's just no more room left to keep making ruts. I would say that ruts that are deep enough to drag a tractor axle on are plenty deep.

Sharon Terry



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COOKIE SALESPERSONS--These girls are part of a group of Tahoka scouts who will be selling Girl Scout cookies starting Friday. From left are Jay Jay Wiseman, Eden Williams, Maria Wright and Cheryl Stancell. These and other girls will be calling on homes and businesses through Feb. 13 in the annual fund-raising project.

Social Security...
OUT WEST

By Bill West

A growing number of divorced and widowed women and men today face the responsibility of raising a family alone. Many are concerned about providing for dependents when either parent dies or becomes disabled. Others - especially women who have earned a few Social Security work credits - wonder how they'll get by in later years long after the children are grown.

If you are a single parent, Social Security should play an important part in your financial planning. It represents a base of protection. You should know ahead of time what benefits may be paid on your Social Security and on that of your former spouse.

As an insured worker, you can get retirement checks as early as age 62. And monthly payments can be made should you die or become severely disabled for at least a year. Eligible dependents include your unmarried children who are under 18 (under 19 if in high school) or who become disabled before age 22. You need not have custody of the children nor provide most of their support for them to receive benefits.

If you are caring for a child under 16 (or disabled) who is getting a benefit based on the other parent's earnings, then you may receive checks, too. If you work and earn over a certain amount (\$4920 for people under 65 in 1983), however, some

Girl Scouts
Will Begin
Cookie Sale

Three troops of Girl Scouts in Tahoka will be selling Girl Scout cookies starting Friday and continuing through Feb. 13. The girls will offer seven different varieties of cookies as they go individually from door-to-door in residences and businesses.

From Troop 256 will be Dina Engle, Robin Parker, Jay Jay Wiseman, Mary Roberts, Shannon Roberts, Cheryl Stancell, Mona Duke, Angie Morales and Veronica Tijerina.

Troop 182 will have Joann Saldana, Marla Hughes, Sheri Gwin, Melody Pearson and Amy Barrientz.

From the second grade troop will be Eden Williams, Marla Wright, Rachel Dawes, Leah DeLeon, Melonie Ellis, Amy Beth Pinson, Kathy Amador, Cheryl Isbell and Cindy Brockman.

or all of your payments may be withheld.

Some benefits can be paid on that person's Social Security record even though you have no entitled child in your care. For example, you are eligible for checks as a widow or widower at 60 or older (or as early as 50 if disabled) or as a divorced spouse at 62. In case of divorce, the marriage must have lasted at least 10 years. Benefits can be paid even if the former spouse had remarried.

PUBLIC NOTICE

On January 25, 1983, Texas Electric Service Company, a subsidiary of Texas Utilities Company, in accordance with procedures established in PUC Docket No. 4224, filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas a request for approval of certain payments to affiliates. Such payments will be reflected in the Company's fuel cost factor for all classes of customers during the billing quarter April through June 1983.

A public hearing concerning this request will be held at the offices of the Public Utility Commission, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas, March 7, 1983 at 9:00 a.m.

Payments to Texas Utilities Generating Company for which approval is requested are in accordance with the following prices:

Big Brown	\$0.673215 per one million Btu
Martin Lake	\$1.047895 per one million Btu
Monticello 1, 2	\$0.733081 per one million Btu
Monticello 3	\$0.803260 per one million Btu

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A copy of the request is on file with the Public Utility Commission.

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City-County Library News

By LENNIE COX

We have been getting in quite a few new books lately, and just to name a few, they are: The One Minute Manager by Blanchard, Wild Cow Tales by Gen Green, Space by Michener, Overcoming Arthritis and Other Rheumatic Diseases by Max Warmbrand, When Bad Things Happen to Good People by Kushner, 200 Years of Great American Short Stories, Mistral's Daughter by Judith Krantz, The Path to Power by Robert Caro, To Love a Child by Nancy Reagan, Activities in the Earth Sciences and Activities in the Life Sciences by Helen Challand, and also quite a few children's books.

available until Feb. 14. Incidentally, you might have noticed that The Winds of War will be coming on television before long. If you care to read the book by that same name, we have it in the library. Also, I must mention that we have the popular book E.T. by Kotz Winkle as well as the one about Gary Coleman's life in our library now, so anytime that you might need a good book to read, I believe we can find one for you.

Tahoka Basketball Schedule

Jan. 27 - Varsity boys and girls vs Frenship here at 6:30 p.m.
 Jan. 28 - JV and varsity girls and boys here vs Seminole at 5 p.m.
 Jan. 31-7, 8, 9th grade girls at Cooper, boys here at 5 p.m.
 Feb. 1 - JV and varsity girls and boys at Denver City at 5 p.m.
 Feb. 4 - JV and varsity girls and boys vs Cooper here at 5 p.m.
 Feb. 7 - 7, 8, 9th grade girls vs Frenship here, boys at Frenship at 5 p.m.
 Feb. 8 - JV and varsity girls and boys at Frenship 5 p.m.
 Feb. 11 - JV and varsity boys vs Roosevelt here at 6:30 p.m.

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AN ORDINANCE REGULATING ALL PEDDLERS, SOLICITORS AND ITINERANT VENDORS IN THE CITY OF TAHOKA

THE PURPOSE OF THIS ORDINANCE IS TO REGULATE PEDDLERS, SOLICITORS AND ITINERANT VENDORS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF TAHOKA, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR A LICENSE OF THE SAME AND PROVIDING FOR A CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF THE SAME.

SECTION 1 - LICENSE REQUIRED:

Before any person engaged in the occupation of a peddler, solicitor, hawk, itinerant merchant or vendor of merchandise in the City of Tahoka, such person shall first obtain from the City Secretary a license to engage in such occupation.

SECTION 2 - DEFINITIONS:

The terms "Peddler, Solicitor, Hawker, Itinerant Merchant and Itinerant Vendor" shall be construed to mean and include all persons as well as their agents and employees who engage in the temporary or transient business in the City, by selling or offering for sale, either in person or by telephone or other mechanical means, any goods or merchandise, or exhibiting the same through brochures as well as literature, or price list for the purpose of taking orders for the sale thereof, and who, for the purpose of carrying on such business or conducting such exhibits thereof, display, exhibit, sell or offer for sale, such goods or merchandise upon or from a truck or other vehicle, on the streets of the City, or to go from door to door of residences, offices or places of business to display, exhibit, sell or offer for sale such goods or merchandise, or who hire, rent, lease or occupy any room or space in any building, structure, other enclosures, vacant lot, parking lot or any other property whatever in the City in, through or from which any goods or merchandise may be sold, offered for sale, exhibited for sale or exhibited for the purpose of taking orders for the sale thereof.

"Temporary and Temporary Business" as used in this ordinance means and shall be construed to mean any such business as described above transacted or conducted in the City upon, through or from any private property for which no definite arrangement for the legal right of occupancy thereof for the purpose of conducting such business therein or thereon for a period of at least six months has been made; or any such business not having a building, room, structure or enclosures within the City.

"Transient Business" shall mean any such business as described above, of any itinerant vendor, peddler, solicitor, hawk or the like, as may be operated or conducted by any person or his agents or employees who resides or is domiciled away from the City or who has a fixed place of business or business headquarters outside of the City, or who moves stocks of goods, wares, merchandise or other personal property or samples thereof into the City with the purpose of, or intention of, removing them or the unused portion thereof from the City before the expiration of six months.

"City" shall mean the City of Tahoka, Texas.

SECTION 3 - APPLICATION:

The application for the license required under this ordinance shall be made by the person or persons requesting a license upon forms available in the office of the City Secretary in the City of Tahoka. Such application shall be filed with the Secretary of the City of Tahoka at least three (3) days prior to the date on which the applicant plans to commence his business activities. Such application shall give the following information:

- The applicant's full name, home address and phone number.
- The address of his principal office or place of business and phone number.
- The kind and character of the goods, wares, merchandise, services or other personal property to be sold, offered for sale or exhibited for the purpose of taking orders in the City.
- When the applicant shall have any agents or employees in the City, the name and relationship to the applicant thereof, their addresses and phone numbers.
- If the applicant shall be a firm, partnership or association, the application shall include the full name and address of all members thereof.
- If the applicant shall be a corporation, the application shall include the state chartering the same, the names and addresses of the officers thereof and shall have attached thereto, a certified copy of its charter, or in the event such corporation is unincorporated under the laws of another state, its current permit to do business in the state. In addition, if the applicant be a foreign corporation or other foreign entity, then said application shall have attached to it a power of attorney describing a resident agent for service of process within the State of Texas.
- An affidavit verifying the truthfulness of the contents of the application shall be attached thereto.
- Whether the registrant, upon any sale or order, shall demand or receive or accept payment of deposit of money in advance of final delivery.
- The period of time which registrant wishes to solicit or sell in the City.

The registrant at the time of the registration as provided for in this section, shall submit for inspection by the City Secretary, written proof of his identity, which may be in the form of an automobile operator's license or an identification letter or card issued to the registrant by the

person for whom or through whom orders are to be solicited or cleared.

SECTION 4 - BOND:

An application for a license under this ordinance shall be accompanied by a bond in the sum of \$2,000.00 signed by the applicant and as surety, either two or more residents of Lynn County, Texas, or a commercially licensed bonding company, conditioned for the payment of all damages to any person or persons caused by, or arising from, any fraudulent, wrongful or illegal act of the applicant, his agents or employees. Such bond shall be made payable to the Mayor of the City of Tahoka or his successor in office of the City, for the use and benefits of all persons that make any purchase or give any order to the principal on the bond, his agents or employees. The bond shall provide that any such person may sue thereon in his own right, without joining the mayor or the City and that successive recoveries may be had thereon to the full extent of the amount therein named. The bond shall remain in full force and effect for the entire duration of the license period.

SECTION 5 - ISSUE OF PERMIT:

The Secretary of the City of Tahoka shall accept all of such applications and determine the accuracy of all statements contained therein and shall, if all requirements are met, issue a license to the applicant on the payment of the following fees:

- Individual applicant \$100.00
- For each agent or employee to work under said permit; and additional fee of \$ 25.00

SECTION 6:

Any license granted to any person is issued with the express provision that the licensee shall not make any false or fraudulent representations as to the product to be sold or his authority to sell such product.

SECTION 7:

A license issued under the provisions of this ordinance shall state the name and residence of the person to whom it is issued and the period for which it is issued, and shall be officially signed by the City Secretary with his seal of office affixed thereto. The City Secretary shall keep a duplicate record of each license issued by him.

SECTION 8:

No license issued under the provisions of this ordinance shall be issued for a period longer than six (6) months. (Such license shall not be assignable and shall not authorize more than one person to peddle at the same time, save and except as provided in Section 5 herein.)

SECTION 9:

A license issued under the provisions of this ordinance must be exhibited upon demand to the City Secretary, any police officer of the City of Tahoka or to any person to whom sales or solicitation is attempted to be made. In addition, at the exhibiting of the license, demand may be made for personal identification and identity of, and authorization by, the company represented.

SECTION 10:

The City Secretary, upon investigation and recommendation by the Chief of Police or City Manager, is authorized to revoke any license issued under this ordinance, if the licensee is found to be misrepresenting or making false statements in regard to the product he is attempting to sell, his authority to sell such product, or if the conduct of such person doing selling, endangers the safety, health or property of the citizens of the City.

SECTION 11:

Any license issued under this ordinance may be suspended upon receipt by the City Secretary of complaints by two or more persons, that any license holder has made misrepresentation or false statements as to the product he is attempting to sell or take orders for, his authority to make such solicitation or that such license holder's conduct in the belief of such person making the complaints, endangers their safety, health or property. Upon suspension, the City Secretary shall immediately investigate such complaints and may revoke such license or give the license holder and complainants notice in writing, that a hearing will be held before him after twenty-four (24) hours from issuance of such notice regarding possible revocation of such license.

SECTION 12:

It shall be unlawful for any person to offer or exhibit for sale any goods, wares, merchandise or other commodities on or at any public park, swimming pool area, or upon any other property owned by the City of Tahoka, or to go on or into, or remain on any public park, swimming pool area of the City or other property owned by the City of Tahoka for the purpose of selling goods, wares, merchandise or any other commodity, or to use any street, alley or other public property abutting or adjacent to any public park, swimming pool or other property owned by the City of Tahoka for the purpose of making such sales to persons in a public park or swimming pool area, or other property owned by the City of Tahoka, unless such person has previously applied to the City Council for a permit so to do. Provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to any person or his employee duly operating under a concession contract between such concessionaire and the City.

"Person" as used in this section shall include corporations, organizations and any other type entity regulated by law. Any permit issued pursuant to this section shall be printed or in writing and shall state the name, age and gender of the person authorized to make sales; the area to which sales are authorized; the specific goods, wares, merchandise or other commodities which the permittee is authorized to sell, and that the permit shall not be transferable and is subject to revocation with or without cause by the City Manager of the City of Tahoka.

SECTION 13:

It shall be unlawful for any permit holder, as provided for in Section 12, to exhibit or offer for sale any goods, wares, merchandise or other commodities, upon any premises constituting a public park, swimming pool or other property owned by the City of Tahoka, unless a permit duly issued to him in compliance with said section, has been registered with the Park Supervisor prior to the time any such commodities are offered for sale. It shall be unlawful for any person exhibiting or having in his possession any goods, wares, merchandise or other commodities for sale at any public park, swimming pool or other property owned by the City of Tahoka, to fail or refuse to exhibit the permit required by Section 12, upon request of any police officer of the City of Tahoka, the Park Supervisor or the City Manager.

SECTION 14:

It shall be unlawful for any person required by Section 1 of this ordinance to secure a license to engage in any of the activities set forth

hereunder without a license.

SECTION 15:

It shall be unlawful for any person required by Section 1 of this ordinance to secure a license to enter upon the land or premises of another without the prior consent of the owner, resident or occupant of such property. Further, it shall be unlawful for any such license holder to remain on the premises of another after receiving notice from the owner, resident or occupant thereof, to depart such premises.

SECTION 16:

The violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed \$200.00 and shall result in the automatic revocation of such convicted person's license or permit. Each sale made by any person, in violation of the provisions hereof, shall constitute a separate and distinct offense.

SECTION 17:

The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to the following:

- The sale of bread, milk, butter, eggs, meat, vegetables or other agricultural products grown by the seller.
- The sale of goods, wares and merchandise donated by the owners thereof, the proceeds of which are to be used and applied to charitable, religious or philanthropic purposes.
- Sales or exhibits at fairs, rodeos, conventions or city; civic organizations, church or Chamber of Commerce sponsored events.
- Ordinary wholesale commercial travelers who sell or exhibit for sale goods, wares or merchandise to persons, firms or corporations engaged in the business of selling, buying and dealing in goods or merchandise.
- The sale of magazines and other goods, by schools, or the representatives or class organizations of said schools of Lynn County, Texas.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 1st day of November, A.D. 1982.

APPROVED:
 ss Meldon Leslie
 Mayor

ATTEST:
 ss Hazel Connolly
 City Secretary

SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE

This is to advise that commencing Jan. 31, 1983, The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, on the written authority of the Texas Railroad Commission Docket No. 003480ZZAD, Notice No. 7972, will implement the Lubbock Regional Freight Office, which authorizes the closing of the agencies in the towns of Abernathy, Anton, Shallowater, Brownfield, Lamesa, Levelland, Littlefield, Lorenzo, Ralls, Crosbyton, Muleshoe, Seagraves, Slaton, Snyder, Sudan and Tahoka, Texas.

S.T. Phillips, Manager - Regional Freight Office, Lubbock, Texas, toll-free telephone 1-800-692-4254, will be responsible for handling calls and directing service to each of the aforementioned cities. Should Mr. Phillips not be available, his designated representative shall be responsible.

Scholarship Deadline Nears

Junior and senior class high school students who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by March 15, 1983 from the Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045. To receive an application, students should send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with a note stating their name, address, city, state and ZIP Code and approximate grade point average. Fifty award winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extracurricular activities and need for financial aid.

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New Home News

By Florence Davies — Call 924-7479

Mr. and Mrs. Bensil Thompson of Anchorage, Alaska visited last week with his sisters, Melba Roper of New Home and Ruth Steele in Brownfield and with their father, Roland Thompson, in Lubbock.

The New Home Parent Teacher Club will have a Valentine box supper Saturday, Feb. 5, at 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Sonny Hitt and his family will entertain with a variety musical. Everyone is invited.

Rev. Jarrell Rial was in Fort Worth last week attending the State Evangelism Conference.

Terri Dulin of Tulia spent a few days here last week with her grandfather, D.B. Morris. Gloria, Jim and Toy came on Saturday and spent the night and on Sunday attended the 30th anniversary celebration at the West Side Baptist Church in Slaton, where the Dulin's were members before moving to Tulia.

Mrs. Carmen Fillingim of Lubbock is in room 324 of St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. Fillingim, 94, fell at her home and broke her left leg last Thursday.

After several weeks in the Community Hospital, Uncle Loyd McCormick was able to return home Saturday, Jan. 15. Their daughter, Danie Darley, has returned to her home in London, England.

Mrs. Richard Wyatt is a patient in the Lynn County Hospital. She is being treated for pneumonia.

Mrs. Ed Follis entered the Lynn County Hospital Tuesday. She expects to be released early in the week.

The FFA boys and their sponsors braved the snow and mud Friday and Saturday getting their stock to the show barn. Judging results will be given next week.

Plans are being made for the 75th anniversary celebration of the New Home Baptist Church on Feb. 27. If you know addresses of former members contact Mrs. Boswell Edwards, or Mrs. Clifton Clem.

Kent Brutons trailer home and pickup, northeast of New Home were totally destroyed by fire Thursday morning. Kent was not at home and the fire was beyond control when discovered.

Between 16 and 17 inches of snow fell here Thursday and Friday.

New Home Honor Roll

First Semester High School

Freshmen A: Sue Thompson; A-B, Ramior Garza, Lance Swinson.

Sophomores A: Marisa Castro, Estela Perez; A-B, Sally Gomez, Kyle James, Robert Poer.

Juniors A: Kelly Johnston, Lance Kieth, Mary G. Perez, Jeff Wyatt; A-B, Manuel Hiracheta, Shannon Nieman, Rosemary Perez.

Seniors A: Joe DeLeon, Lance McNeely, Laurie Neitzke, Mary I. Perez.

Terry Villarreal: A-B, Patricia Davis, Beatriz Garcia, Maria Ibarra, Marina Mendoza, Albert Solorzano, Lorenzo Torres, Johnny Vickers.

Junior High

Seventh Grade A: Lloyd Caballero; A-B, Manuel DeLeon, LaShea Kieth, Janie Mendoza.

Eighth Grade A: Arturo Silva; A-B, Fritz Speckman, Rolanda Vickers, Jimmy Wyatt.

Third Six Weeks

Freshmen A: Sue Thompson; A-B, Ramior Garza, Lance Swinson, Valerie Baker, Clay Jacobs, Chris Larance.

Sophomores A: Marisa Castro; A-B, Sally Gomez, Stella Hernandez, Estela Perez.

Juniors A: Lance Kieth, Mary G. Perez, Jeff Wyatt; A-B: Kelly Johnston, Shannon Nieman, Rosemary Perez.

Seniors A: Joe DeLeon, Elaine Griffin, Laurie Neitzke; A-B: Beatriz Garcia, Marina Mendoza, Mary I. Perez, Terry Villarreal, Lance McNeely.

Seventh Grade A: Lloyd Caballero; A-B: LaShea Kieth.

Eighth Grade A-B: Arturo Silva, Fritz Speckman

ELEMENTARY Third Six Weeks

Third Grade A: Michael Caballero, Scott Holder; A-B: Leticia Alonzo, Teresa Caballero, Jeremy Garza, Lisa Rodriguez, Mikeal Torres, Sally Bustamante.

Fourth Grade A-B: Leon or Ortega, Stacy Smith.

Fifth Grade A-B: Cory Ballard, Nikki Beydler, Micala Ibarra, Jay Johnston, Jennifer Layne, Julie Layne, Rachelle Nettles, Josie Perez, Ruben Rios, Kristi Senn, Michelle Scroggins, Joe Solorzano, Tobi Timmons, Grady Thompson, Janie Vasquez, Twana Vickers, Julie Wyatt.

Sixth Grade A-B: William Barnett, Crystal Ford, Stella Munoz, Darrell Paul, Gaylon Paul, Krystal Smith.

Semester Fourth Grade A-B: Lean-

New Home School Menu

Jan. 31-Feb. 4, 1983

BREAKFAST

Monday- Toast, oatmeal, apple juice, milk
Tuesday- Cold cereal choice, grape juice, milk
Wednesday- Sausage balls, mixed fruit, milk
Thursday- Breakfast bars, applesauce, milk
Friday- Doughnuts, juice or fruit, milk

LUNCH

Monday- Pizza, tossed salad, corn, January birthday cake, milk
Tuesday- Chili con carne, French fries, crackers, or cornbread, fruit cup, milk
Wednesday- Bologna and cheese sandwich, lettuce, tomato, carrot sticks, cold pea salad, peaches, potato chips, milk
Thursday- Frito pie, grated cheese, tossed salad, canned pintos, cinnamon roll, milk
Friday- Hamburgers or cheeseburgers, tator tots, lettuce, tomato, pickles, onion, milk

Look who's New

Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Barnes of Draw are the parents of a son, Casey Shelton, born Jan. 17 at Methodist Hospital weighing 6 lbs. 13 ozs. and was 20 1/4 inches long.

Casey has a four year-old sister, Amber. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Traylor of O'Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Barnes of Draw.

dro Hernandez, Leonor Ortega, Stacy Smith, Shane Thompson.

Fifth Grade A-B: Jennifer Layne, Rachelle Nettles, Josie Perez, Kristi Senn, Grady Thompson, Tobi Timmons, Janie Vasquez, Twana Vickers, Julie Wyatt.

Sixth Grade A-B: William Barnett, Stella Munoz, Darrell Paul, Krystal Smith.

Wilson School Menu

Jan. 30-Feb 4, 1983

BREAKFAST

Monday- Hot rice cereal, toast, mixed fruit, milk
Tuesday- French toast, butter, syrup, orange juice, milk
Wednesday- Biscuit, sausage link, apricot halves, milk
Thursday- Donut, diced pears, milk
Friday- Cereal, toast, fruit punch, milk

LUNCH

Monday-Veg. beef soup, tuna sandwich, crackers, sliced peaches, milk
Tuesday- Turkey, dressing, gravy, English peas, diced carrots, hot rolls, cranberry sauce, pineapple slice, milk
Wednesday- Meatloaf, whole potatoes, blackeyed peas, cornbread, pineapple cake, milk
Thursday- Pizza, corn on cob, slaw, purple plum cobbler, milk
Friday- Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoe, pickles, hash browns, onions, chocolate pudding, milk

WILSON NEWS

The Wilson Athletic Booster Club JV basketball tournament was cancelled due to the snow storm that hit our area over the weekend. There is no other time for the tournament, so other plans are being made to raise money for the athletic banquet in the spring and to use the food that was left over from the concession stand. Details at a later date.

Our sympathy goes to Linda Slone and her family on the loss of her father Jan. 19.

Jerry Don and Nancy Ross had a fire in their home Jan. 19 about 4:30 in the afternoon. One bedroom was completely burned and the rest of the home smoked very bad. Anyone having some boys toys that are no longer wanted or needed, Jeremy would certainly enjoy them as most of his toys were lost.

The Wilson varsity boys basketball team is still doing very well in district play. They defeated the Southland boys in a make up game Sat. Jan. 22. The girls also won their game. The Lynn County Livestock show will be held in Tahoka this week beginning Wed. Jan. 26. Showing of animals will be Jan. 27-28 and sale will be Saturday, Jan. 29.

NEW HOME NEWS

Mrs. Delbert (Golden) White entered Methodist Hospital on Monday.

Mrs. Flossie Smith is in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Pythian Sisters

Dr. K.R. Durham, representing the museum committee, and Helen Ellis, spokeswoman for Lynn Temple Pythian Sisters, met with the group Tuesday evening for the purpose of discussing the moving of the WOW Hall. The city needs the space for the depot which has been given to the city by the Santa Fe Railroad Co. The hall is to be moved west approximately 20 feet and reconditioned. When finished, the ladies will continue to meet there.

Lynn Temple met Tuesday, Jan. 18, in regular session. MEC Emma Halamiczek presided. Installation of new officers for 1983 was the main program for the evening. Installing officers were: Grand Chief, Eslie Dee Brooks; Grand Senior, Mildred Sherrill; and Grand Manager, Nina Short. New officers are as follows: Past Chief, Emma Halamiczek; Most Excellent Chief, Dorothy Kidwell; Senior, Elora Curry; Junior, Clifford Tankersley; Manager, Trudy Schuknecht; Protector, Darlene Gurley; Guard, Lura Mae Gaither; Two officers not present will be installed at a later date.

The local Sisters are invited to attend Friendship Temple Saturday, Feb. 19, when Grand Chief Ada Lee makes her official visit there.

Lynn Sisters have been asked to furnish the Degree Staff for Grand Temple which will be held in Lubbock in June.

17 members were present for the evening meeting.

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CARRIKER APPOINTED TO AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE

State Rep. Steve Carriker, D-Roby, was appointed to the House Agriculture and Livestock Committee and the House Committee for County Affairs.

Carriker, a cotton, grain, and livestock producer, says "the House Agriculture Committee will be the focus of attention now since the federal government is shifting more and more responsibilities to the states." Carriker commented further that "the serious problems facing family farmers are at crisis level. I hope to use the powers of state government to help farmers and ranchers survive while spurring Washington to provide some genuine help."

Tahoka School Menu

Jan 31-Feb. 4, 1983

BREAKFAST

Monday- Buttered rice, toast, orange juice, milk
Tuesday- Donuts, pear halves, milk
Wednesday- Pancakes, syrup, butter, grape juice, milk

Thursday- Scrambled eggs, hot biscuits, orange juice, milk
Friday- Honey buns, diced pineapple, milk

LUNCH

Monday- Pizza, buttered corn, tossed salad, sliced peaches, milk
Tuesday- Hamburgers, French fries, lettuce, onions, pickles, pineapple cake, milk
Wednesday- Corndogs, mustard, baked potatoes, tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk

Thursday- Grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, lettuce wedges, crackers, peanut butter cookies, milk
Friday- Fried chicken, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, mixed fruit, milk

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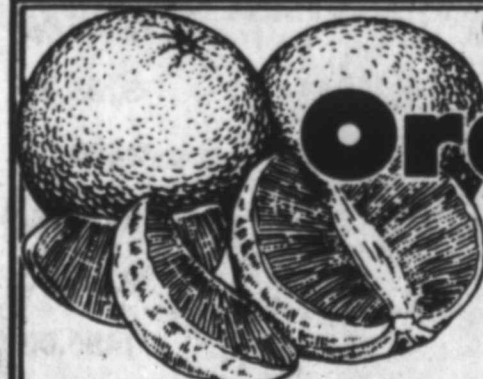
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A Visit With Your County Agent

By Stanley Young

If you are considering fusing fertilizer and limestone for crop or pasture land, then soil tests can be a valuable source of information and a profitable investment.

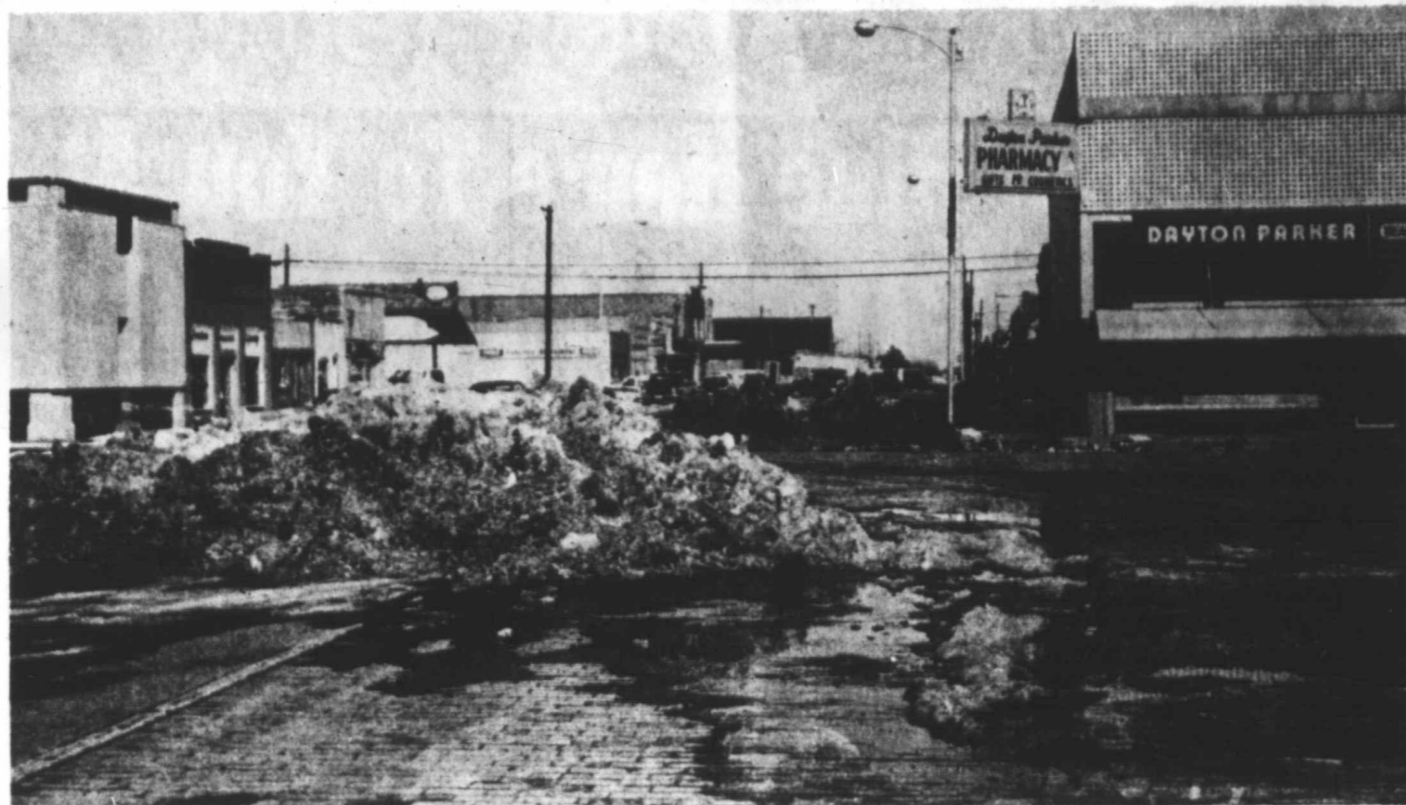
A soil test is a chemical laboratory analysis designed to provide an index of the available nutrients in a soil. Soil tests for pH (acidity), calcium and magnesium are needed as a basis for liming. The soil test report also includes levels of nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium. In addition, suitable methods have been developed for determining levels of the micronutrients zinc, iron and manganese.

Even though soil tests can be made for other

nutrients, results have limited value where deficiencies have not been detected in research studies.

He lists two important requirements for getting valid information from soil tests. First, laboratory methods must be correlated with field response date. Second, a good soil sample is needed.

There are many procedures for testing soils and obtaining numerical values, such as pounds per acre or parts per million. However, unless crop removal and response data are collected to establish whether or not the soil is medium and high in nutrients, expected response results are essentially meaningless. Therefore, a producer should make sure that the laboratory doing his work



BIG MESS—Snow was piled up in mini-mountains around town this week after being graded up to allow access to businesses. This scene is looking north from the west side of the Tahoka square.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

uses procedures suitable for his soils.

In addition to reliable testing procedures, the soil sample sent to the laboratory must be carefully collected and must be representative of the field on which information is desired.

Young emphasizes two aspects of sampling. First divide fields into uniform sampling units. Each unit should be uniform with respect to color and texture of soil as well as past cropping, fertilization and liming practices. If samples represent large acreages, results will show only general information. As fertilization

becomes a regular practice, more attention must be given to obtaining specific information for each field or subdivision and developing fertilization practices accordingly.

The second point of emphasis regarding sampling is the number of spots at which soil is obtained. Collect soil from at least 10 to 15 spots in each field. Soils vary considerably in nutrient content even though they look uniform. Take a slice or core from the plowlayer at each location, put in a clean bucket, mix thoroughly and send about a pint to the laboratory.

Soil tests can provide valuable information for profitable fertilization and liming practices. More information about soil testing is available from the county Extension office, adds Young.

ASC News

New Addition to 1983 Program

In addition to the acreage reduction program already announced, there will be a Payment-In-Kind (PIK) program offered. This program basically offers to exchange a certain amount of the commodity that would have been grown. The commodity received will be his to do with as he wishes. Commodities involved are wheat, corn, grain sorghum, and cotton. Producers must participate in the previously announced 1983 acreage reduction program in order to participate in the PIK program.

To participate in the programs a producer must sign up his intentions by March 11, 1983. Instructions and forms for sign-up have not been received at this time. Information received about the PIK program is only very basic and leaves a lot of unanswered questions. As more information is received it will be forwarded to you. Watch for farm meetings to be set up in your area of the county. Meeting times and dates will be posted in your area as they can be arranged.

Payment Limitation

There will be a \$50,000 limit per entity on deficiency and voluntary diversion payments for 1983. Payment limitation decisions regarding entities are based on conditions that exist on March 1 of the crop year.

Conservation Use Acreage

The minimum size for CUA for 1983 is 1 chain (66 feet) and contain 5 acres. This includes parallel terraces. Blank rows in a skip row pattern that contain a minimum of 4 normal width rows in a uniform pattern across the field are eligible. CUA must be land that has been planted to a small grain or row crop or certified as CUA in two of the last three years.

From The ACEA's Desk

By Brent Drennan

The 4-H horse program offers more than just competition.

4-H members in this program, conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service and supported by the American Quarter Horse Assn. and Insurance Company of North America, become involved in a broad range of projects and activities.

Members learn everything from tips on buying a horse to trail and endurance riding. They also learn horse anatomy and safe riding habits as well as how to train a horse for shows, says Brent Drennan, County 4-H program coordinator.

More than 225,000 4-H'ers are enrolled in the national horse program, including more than 10,000 in Texas.

These young people learn much more than horsemanship. One 4-H'er discovered that: "Showing my horse taught me to keep poised in a pressure situation, to show sportsmanship to others, and to do a good job. Judging taught me, above all, how to organize my thoughts. This program helped me decide to become a jockey like former 4-H'er Steve Cauthen."

4-H horse program members also put their skills to work by helping others in community projects. One 4-H'er, for example, organized a county drill team and conducted several shows for community groups and nursing homes. Another 4-H'er gave low-income youth their first opportunity to ride a horse during several weekend riding sessions.

Across the country,

Agriculture Conservation Practices

There will be a sign up for cost sharing to construct new terraces and irrigation pipe lines Jan. 31 until Feb. 4. You will need to know the estimated number of feet required to install the requested practice.

4-H'ers also are working in special horseback riding programs involving disabled youth.

A number of incentives and awards are available to 4-H members who excel in the program. These incentives, provided by AQHA and INA and arranged by the National 4-H Council, include medals of honor to four members in each county. Six national winners earn \$1,000 scholarships and expense-paid trips to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago each November.

Game Night Is Slated At Grassland

There will be a game night at Grassland Community Center, Thursday, Jan. 27, at 6:30 p.m. "42" and other table games will be played, with prizes for top scorers.

There will be an admission fee of \$1 each and sandwiches, drinks and dessert will be served. Everyone is invited to attend.

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PCA Schedules Meeting

Lubbock Production Credit Assn. has scheduled its 49th annual stockholders meeting Saturday, Jan. 29, in the banquet hall of the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center beginning at 10 a.m. Registration begins at 9 a.m.

According to Association President Alton Strickland, James A. Rogers, president of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Texas in Austin, will be

key speaker for the event. Association Board Vice Chairman Dewey E. Wells Jr. of Ralls will chair the business session. The directors' report will be presented by Cleve Littlepage of Tahoka, chairman of the board.

An election will be held to fill one board position. A noon meal will be served immediately following the meeting.

Clint Walker Kids Rotarians

For many years Rotary has had a speaker in January make sage predictions to happen during the coming months.

This year, Clint Walker was selected for the talk, and he departed from the usual theme to have a little fun at the expense of his fellow Rotarians at last Thursday's club meeting. He told of a chance

meeting with a mythical "Hermit of Tahoka Lake," a man often heard of but a man who, so far as known, had never been seen by anyone else.

The Hermit, however, revealed to Clint many "facts" he knew about Tahoka and individual Rotarians in particular. The so-called stories the old man supposedly told Clint delighted the speaker's audience.

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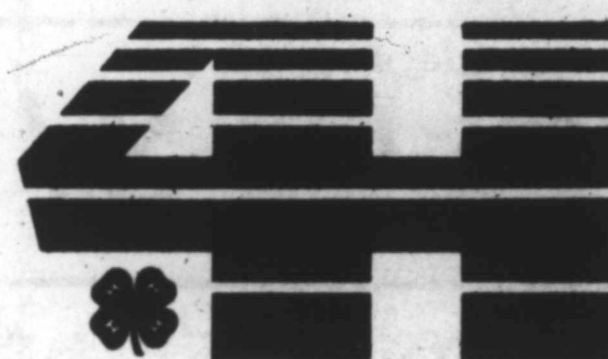
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Family Focus

By Harriett Pierce

Unemployment frustrations are compounded everytime another bill arrives in the mail. Worries of whether there will be enough money to keep the "wolf away from the door" are being experienced daily by millions of Americans.

What can be done to make ends meet during

unemployment? Which bills should be paid first? Will a "Family plan" help ease members through the crisis?

There are some things that can be done to ease the anxiety of family members during the unemployment period. Here are some guidelines.

1. List all the money

owed to others. List both the amount of money owed and the dollar cost of finance charge being assessed. Read the fine print in all credit contracts so you will know what will happen if you miss a payment. What is the penalty or fee for late payment? Are "grace periods" offered before action is taken? What will prompt the creditor to repossess the goods or turn off the utilities?

2. From your list, try to determine which creditor you should pay first. Your

first priority should include utility companies, landlords or mortgage holders, insurance companies and auto loans. Second priority payments should include credit card billings and finance company loans. Third on priority list should be health care bills, hospitals and retailers. Your priorities should be determined by the amount of money owed, whether some service can be cut off, whether you are behind schedule in rent or mortgage payments, and

whether an item can be repossessed.

3. Make a plan to contact your creditors. Never wait for creditors to contact you when you owe them money. Always call them before the bills are due. In dealing with creditors, you need to indicate:

A. Monthly take-home income from all sources, including unemployment compensation, you will have.

B. Amount of fixed expenses for housing, car payments and other debts.

C. What you anticipate your flexible expenses to be for food, clothing and other expenses.

D. How long you expect to be unemployed.

Present to the creditor what you think is a reasonable plan for repaying the debts you owe. Together you may be able to work out an acceptable plan for debt repayment with lower monthly payments. Any agreements should be put in writing to protect both you and the creditor.

4. While unemployed,

you will probably have to adopt an austerity budget, buying only what is necessary to keep the household going. The temptation to use credit cards and thus "postpone" the inevitable payment will be great, but it can further complicate an already fragile money situation and should be avoided.

5. Maintain adequate insurance coverage during unemployment. Without it, a crisis situation could mean a financial catastrophe. With auto insurance, keep the liability coverage. Cost of the insurance may be reduced by increasing the amount of deductible on collision and comprehensive coverage. If health insurance is not covered by your former employer, you may be able to qualify for Medicaid. You may want to change your life insurance policy to a less expensive form.

If you have life insurance with built-up cash value, now may be a good time to borrow against that policy. Interest rates are low and schedules for repayment are flexible. If you borrow against your life insurance, you have reduced the amount of insurance protection, so seek alternate ways to insure your life. Don't risk dropping your insurance when you are unemployed. Your policies are vital during periods of unemployment.

Phone Rates Increased

The new intrastate long-distance rates approved Jan. 11 by the Public Utility Commission of Texas for Southwestern Bell apply to all customers placing intrastate long-distance calls. The rates were increased by 10 percent, effective Jan. 11.

O.D. Hearn, Brownfield operations manager, said Bell administers the tariffs which contain the rates approved by the commission.

"We are partners in the provision of long-distance services," the manager said. "All intrastate long-distance revenues and expenses are placed in a pool administered by Bell. Bell then returns to the other telephone companies' expenses plus a return based upon each company's investment."

The telephone company manager said that even though General Telephone feels long-distance earnings are still not at the level they should be, the company is pleased the commission approved some increase to long-distance rates.

The telephone company official said any increased revenues General Telephone obtains from the new long-distance rates will ultimately help reduce the upward pressure on local basic service rates.

Other changes affecting General Telephone customers, predominately business customers, are increases in Wide Area Telephone Service (WATS) and changes in charges for customers in General cities with a direct line to a Bell service area with an associated Bell Telephone number.

TG&Y Changes Organization

A new organization structure for T.G. & Y. Stores Company has been announced by L.A. Del Santo, Executive Vice President of Household Merchandising Inc. and acting president and chief executive officer of T.G. & Y.

To staff the new structure, management positions are being realigned at both field and headquarters locations. The moves are effective immediately.

"We will be using T.G. & Y. management talents in new and challenging ways," Del Santo said. "There are new, and in many cases, streamlined reporting relationships that should considerably update our responsiveness to the markets we serve."

Comptroller Available

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that Virgil Rogers from his Lubbock Field Office will be at the Lynn County Courthouse in the court room on Feb. 2, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. A comptroller's representative is available to assist local residents at the courthouse the first Wednesday of each month.

Bullock urges anyone with problems or questions concerning state taxes to contact Mr. Rogers at the courthouse in person or call the Lubbock Field Office at 806-795-0691.

Billy Griffin Named State USDA Conservationist

Billy C. Griffin became state conservationist for the USDA Soil Conservation Service in Texas on Jan. 9, 1983.

Griffin has been state conservationist for Mississippi since Jan. 1981.

A native of Waelder, Texas (Gonzales County), Griffin is a 1950 graduate of Southwest Texas State University where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Agricultural Education.

After serving in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict (25th Infantry Division), he began his conservation career in 1954 at Stephenville. He then worked at Bandera, San Antonio, and Pecos before moving to Temple in 1972 where he was an area conservationist and assistant state conservationist. He was promoted to deputy state conservationist in Mississippi from 1976 to 1981.

Griffin received awards for outstanding work in 1965, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1980 and 1982. He replaces George C. Marks who retired in Dec. 1982 after serving seven years as SCS State Conservationist.

VA reminds veterans that regulations have been amended to make it easier for veterans to purchase retirement homes and to participate in local housing programs where there are restrictions such as income and age.

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We would like to thank Mrs. White and her staff at the funeral home for being so understanding and patient. To Father Howell for performing the funeral service.

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