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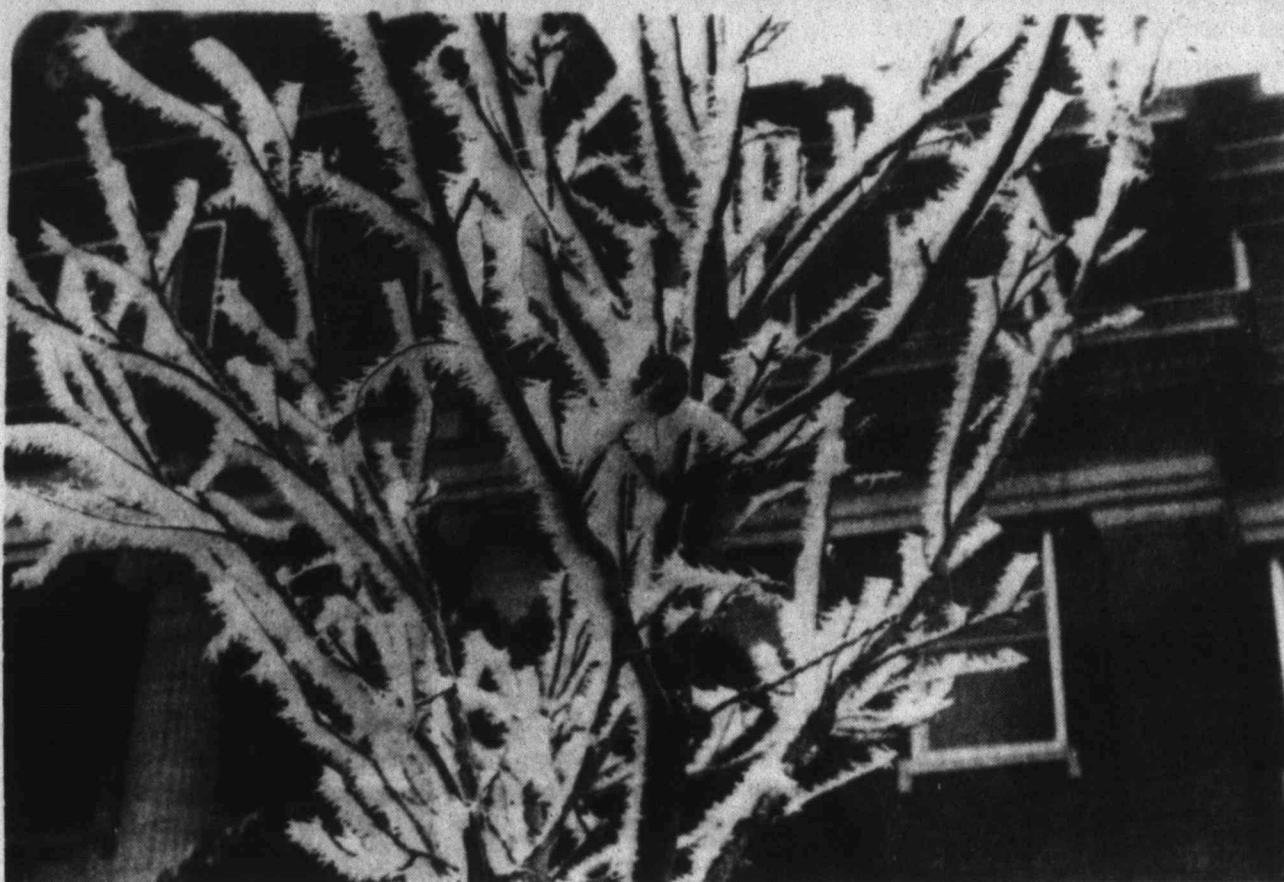
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**WINTER BEAUTY**—Trees in Tahoka and throughout the area sported an icy fringe Wednesday morning as temperatures in the low 20s were accompanied by moisture. The trees in these photos are on the Lynn County Courthouse lawn. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

## Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Dec. 28	46	40	.06"
Dec. 29	47	40	
Dec. 30	43	33	.06"
Dec. 31	45	34	
Jan. 1	38	21	
Jan. 2	35	21	.01"
Jan. 3	32	22	Trace

Official Precipitation for 1994: 19.36"

## Lynn County Receives \$758 In Bingo Prize Fees

Charitable Bingo prize fees for the third quarter of 1994 totalled \$758 for local government in Lynn County, Nora Linares, Executive Director of the Texas Lottery Commission, said recently.

The allocations cover prize fees paid by Charitable Bingo players in Lynn County for July, August and September of this year. Cities and counties that have imposed the local-option fee receive a quarterly payment equal to five percent of the prizes won by Bingo players in their jurisdictions.

The Lottery Commission this month allocated the following prize fees among Lynn County units of government: Lynn County, \$758.

## Thefts, Criminal Mischief Reported

Thefts, criminal mischief and a burglary of a vehicle were among crimes reported to Lynn County Sheriff's department and the City of Tahoka Police Dept. during the last week.

In jail during the last week were five persons on liquor law violations, all on New Year's Eve, including

three for public intoxication, one for driving while intoxicated, second offense, and one for DWI third offense "and more."

An O'Donnell woman told sheriff's officers that man she named had threatened her son on the Gin & Grain parking lot in O'Donnell Christmas Eve and then had kicked a dent in her car. Investigation was continuing.

A volleyball net was reported stolen from the Wilson City Park last Wednesday or Thursday. It was valued at \$175.

Emilio Calvillo Jr. of Tahoka told police that a stereo and battery had been stolen out of his 1980 Chevrolet Camaro while it was parked behind a house at 1220 S. 3rd. Monday. The stolen items were valued at a total of \$260.

Two juvenile boys were determined to be the ones who shot the passenger window of a vehicle owned by Frederico Ramirez of Tahoka Tuesday. The two boys, who had been shooting a BB gun, and their mother met with juvenile authorities



**DRIVER DIES IN WRECK**—The driver of this 1985 pickup was killed as the truck overturned on FM 179 about 8 miles south of the U.S. 380 intersection early Sunday. Justice of the Peace H.W. Edwards pronounced Locadio Vasquez, 35, of Wolfforth, dead at the scene. DPS officer Jay Druessedow said Vasquez was not wearing a seat belt. His death was one of 33 reported in Texas over the holiday weekend, when DPS had predicted that 25 would be killed in traffic. (LCN PHOTO)

## Pages From The Past...

by Vondell Elliott

The following excerpts were taken from past issues of The Lynn County News.

### Fire Wipes Out One-Third Tahoka Business District

The tiny flame off an oil heater, a blowing curtain, a blaze, and where stood 13 business firms representing an investment of between \$40,000 and \$45,000 at nine o'clock Thursday morning, at noon there lay a heap of twisted iron and smoking ashes on the north side of the public square of Tahoka.

About 9:45 it was discovered that the rooms occupied by the Hinton family in the east Wise building on the north side of the square were in flames. It is believed that a partition curtain in the room blew against a lighted oil heater and thus originated the blaze that wiped out a third of the business section of the town. When discovered by Mr. Hinton the buildings were doomed, and the order went forth to gut the buildings of their contents. Owing to the prompt action of the exchange of the Western Telephone Company, every available fighting man in the town was on the ground by the time the roof of the Wise building burst into flames.

At this stage of the blaze, hope for the Lynn Hotel building was abandoned, and by orders of the owners, the volunteers were led into the building and began stripping it of its furnishings, also men commenced the removing of the stock of furniture of Ed Meyers' in the south end of the building.

Up to the time the second floor of the Lynn Hotel began to fall through and further work there was impossible on account of the heat, interest had centered there, but driven from this building the crowd promptly recognized the fact the buildings across Main street were certain of destruction. Nevertheless the fronts were covered with wet quilts and blankets and the fighters stuck to their posts until the fronts burst into flames.

Besides some of their best jewelry and a few odds and ends, Parkhurst saved only his insurance papers and records, which by the way represented the insurance of the burned district.

The meat market simultaneously burst into flames and rescue work in Cain's office was only of a few minutes duration. Sumner Clayton retrieved most of the furnishings of the front room of his shop and the furniture from the Shook real estate office was removed, as was also most of the furniture and fixtures from Shed Weathers tailor shop, owned by Mrs. Wade Ray. Thomas Bros. lost heavy in fixtures and stock.

A valiant fight in the face of almost overwhelming odds was put up for the Stokes Hotel, across the street west of Thomas Bros. In the end the building was saved, though repeatedly the roof caught afire. The windows were demolished in this building and some loss sustained in breakage to the furniture, which was almost entirely removed.

The First National Bank building, although brick, occupied a perilous position for awhile, as did also the west side of the square. Stocks as far as Goree's were partially moved and it is believed that a sudden switch of the wind from north of east to southeast is all that ultimately saved the entire business section.

The sparks were sufficient to set the grass in Walter Slaton's yard two blocks west of the burning district, and the fate of the McAdams Lumber Yard hung in the balance of chance for half an hour...

- December 31, 1915



**FIRE!** On December 30, 1915, an uncontrollable blaze destroyed the north side of the square in Tahoka. This photo, courtesy of Tahoka Pioneer Museum, shows firefighters pulling out what little they could save from the burning buildings. See the story from *The Lynn County News* edition of Dec. 31, 1915 in the "Pages From The Past" column.

**Woodwork...**  
 by Dalton  
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**THINGS WHICH make me ill (mostly related to sports):** Watching Tech and USC in the Coffin Bowl, where our Raiders got killed.

Listening to the stupid names adopted by black sports figures. Cassius Clay started all this by taking the name Mohammed Ali, and then came a bunch of others, who decided that some really weird Arab name would get them more attention than the names they were born with. Mrs. Alcindor must have been proud that her son, Lew, abandoned the family name for something like Cream Apple-Jabber.

Later there was a football player who called himself Ahmad Rashad, and while I don't remember his real name, it was a lot better than that.

Now it seems like half the black players who are any good at all are adopting the dumb eastern names.

This year's Heisman trophy winner is somebody who calls himself Trashum Salami or something like that; I'm almost sure that's not his real name. And some of the nation's leading college receivers are using names like Rabid Mohammed and Ahmed Ah-Mess.

I'm glad Michael Irvin and Emmitt Smith haven't decided to be Saddam Ishmael and Ayatollah Hussein.

**Tahoka Girls Place Second In Sundown Tournament**

Tahoka's varsity girls basketball team placed second in the Sundown tournament over the holidays, beating Plains 59-42, then Klondike 62-30 before losing to the host Roughettes 60-52 in the finals.

Katy Huffaker, who scored 68 points in the three games for Coach Cindy Gardner's team, was named to the all-tournament team, as was teammate Micah Smith, who scored 53.

In the final game, Huffaker had 19 points and 9 rebounds and Smith


22 points and 6 rebounds. Against Plains, Huffaker scored 24 and had 11 rebounds, Smith was 13 and 8, and Shayla Brandon had 13 rebounds. Against Klondike, Huffaker was 25 and 12, Smith was 18 and 11 and Stephanie Stennett scored 13 points.

The Lady Bulldogs are now three for three in tournament trophies, bringing home trophies from the Anton and O'Donnell tournaments in addition to the Sundown tournament trophy.

Human conditions are like certain groups of trees that look lovely from a distance; but when you get inside, the beauty disappears; you don't know what happened to it and just stand among the trees. That's why we so often envy another man's situation. —Arthur Schopenhauer

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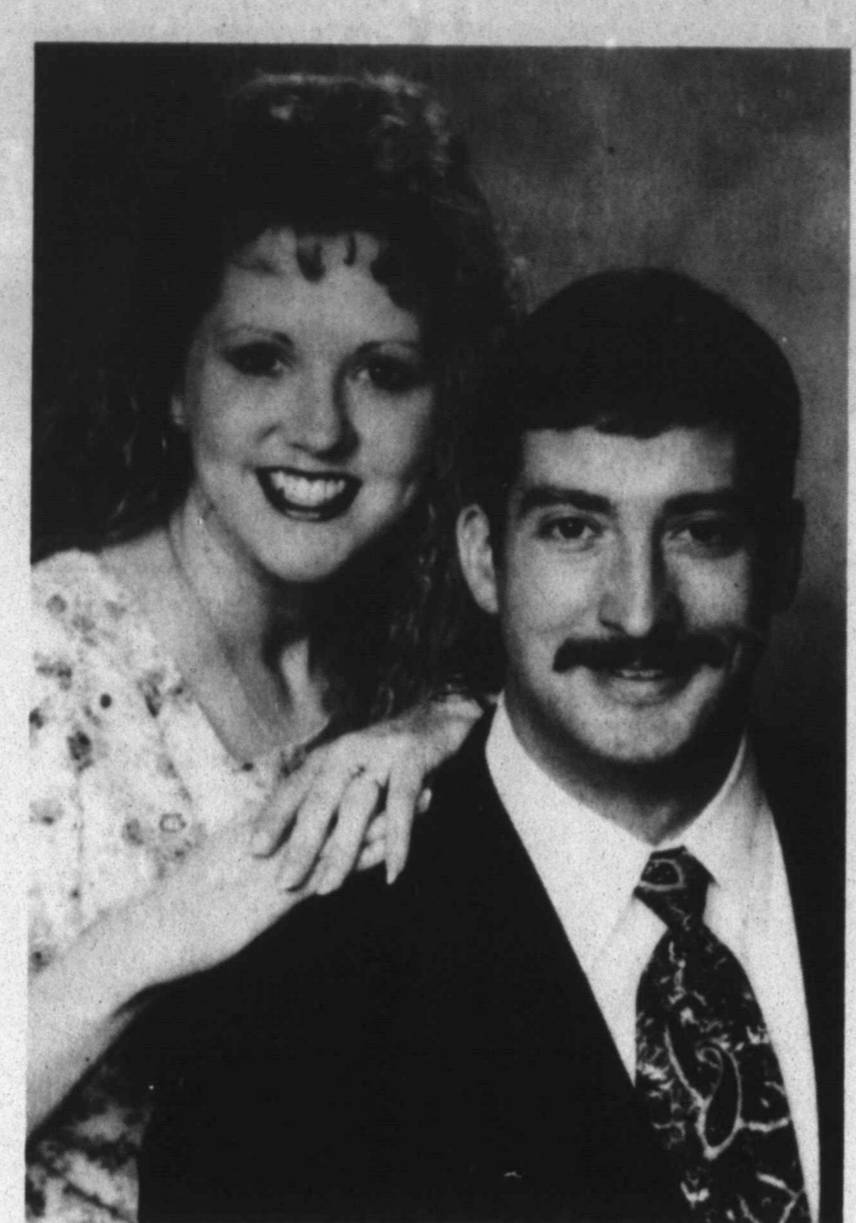
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**TERRI ELLEN DOCKERY and KACEY DON CAIN Couple Announces Engagement**

Tommie and Joy Dockery of Bryan announce the engagement of their daughter, Terri Ellen, to Kacey Don Cain of Dumas. He is the son of Billy Earl and Rita Sue Cain (Renfro), also of Dumas.

The couple plan to wed March 11, 1995 in Central Baptist Church in Bryan.

The bride-elect is a junior at Texas A&M University and is employed by Brazos Co. Attorney's office.

The future bridegroom is a graduate of Texas A&M University and is employed by Victoria Bank & Trust.

Grandparents of the couple are the late Herman Renfro of Tahoka, Ruby (Renfro) Benn of Abernathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Thompson of Tahoka. Great grandmother is Mable Morgan of Tahoka.

**Tahoka School Menu**

Jan. 9-13  
**Breakfast**  
 Monday: Donut, Mixed Fruit, Milk.  
 Tuesday: Scrambled Eggs, Biscuit, Juice, Milk.  
 Wednesday: Pancakes/Sausage on a Stick, Orange Slices, Milk.  
 Thursday: Cinnamon Rolls, Peaches, Milk.  
 Friday: Cereal & Toast, Juice, Milk.

**Lunch**  
 Monday: Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Sweet Peas, Carrot/Celery Sticks, Hot Roll, Milk.  
 Tuesday: Bar-B-Que Franks, Cole Slaw, Pinto Beans, Pears, Milk.  
 Wednesday: Beef Pizza, Buttered Corn, Tossed Salad, Jello, Milk.  
 Thursday: Burrito w/Chili, Sliced Potatoes, Tossed Salad, Sugar Cookies, Milk.  
 Friday: Hamburger, Peach Cobbler, French Fries, Trimmings, Milk.

**STORK REPORT**

Mr. and Mrs. E.D. McClendon, Jr. (nee Jennifer Ehlers) announce the birth of their son, Dawson Keith McClendon, born Dec. 20, 1994 in Methodist Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs 3 ozs and was 20 in. long.

Maternal grandparents are Milton and Betty Ehlers of Tahoka. Paternal grandmother is Pat McClendon of Garland. Paternal great-grandmother is Frances Keith of Rawlett.

**Call Lynn County Crime Line, Inc. 998-5145 to anonymously report information on any crime**

**"Christmas For Kids" Program Is Successful, Thanks To Many**

Two hundred children in Lynn County had Christmas gifts to open Christmas morning who may not have had any gifts, had it not been for the generosity of many area individuals, organizations and businesses who contributed to the Lynn County Child Welfare Board's "Christmas For Kids" program.

Board President Janet Porterfield said the program took in \$4,039.30 and spent \$4,050.00 on needy children in Lynn County. "We appreciate everyone who was so generous - I would not have thought there was a way in the world to provide gifts for 200 children, but the Lord provided," said Mrs. Porterfield.

She said that 61 families from Tahoka, O'Donnell, Wilson and New Home participated in the program, with a total of 200 children receiving gifts and clothing. A total of 62 children were "adopted" by various organizations or individuals for Christmas gifts, and the Child Welfare Board purchased gifts and clothing for the remaining 138 children, with funds provided by donations.

The following lists those individuals and organizations who contributed to the "Christmas For Kids" program:

**Donations:** Ralph and Ima Robinson, Lacye Scott, Janice Dube, Janet Porterfield, Wanda Glenn, Amy and Chelsea White, Jeri Akard, Adult 1 Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church, Sis Guin, Lynn County Harvest Festival Committee, Tahoka High School DECA and Student Council, Jean Meeks, Edna White, Ruth Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church, County Commissioner Precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4, Eleanor Dudgeon, Gerald Huffaker, Billy Davis, C-Bar-C Barbecue owner and workers, Joy Laws, Wilson Lions Club, JoBelle Robinson, Harold and Bettye Green, George DeLeon, Faye Leverett, Edgar and Joan Hammonds, Diane and Marvin Gregory, Terri Williams, Gus and Mary V. Sherrill,

Hazel Bennett Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church, Wilson 5th grade class, Jean Pirtle, Deborah Edwards, Kyndel Byrd, LULAC, and an anonymous donor.

**Adopters:** Kum Duple Sunday School Class of First United Methodist Church, St. John Lutheran Church in Wilson, Alicia Garcia, Church of Christ, RA Boys of First Baptist Church, Sherry Tilley, Ray Don Box family, Linda and Larry Owen, Jerry and Vera Reno, Omega Uzzle, Judith Holden, Lynn County News, Tammy Owen Fisher, Susan Tipton family, Jeanie and Jerry Pebsworth, Debbie Engle and family, Sandra and Jerry Brown, Daisy Girl Scout Troop #96, Brad and Sandra Brown, Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., Ginger Hughes, Mark and Vivian McAfee and girls, Faye Stice, Fourth Grade Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church, Diana Silvas, JoAnn and Dan Cook, Jolene and Billy Tomlinson, Andrea and Jim Solomon, O'Donnell Teachers.

**Toys and Clothes:** Ralph and Ima Robinson, Janice Dube, Janet Porterfield, Chelsea White, Vicki Williams, Genay Jolly, Sandra Laws, Tahoka Drug, Bailey and Ridge Hall, Autumn and Linda Martin, Jodie McNeil, Tahoka School Teachers, Employees and Administration, Dovie Miller, Peggy Jolly, Vaga Pebsworth, Wilson Lions Club, Joan Knox, Jennings of Tahoka, Lynn Lankford.

**Others:** Ralph Robinson, delivering gifts; Janet Porterfield, delivering gifts, and gift wrapping; Joan Knox, shopper; Susan Tipton, shopper and wrapper; Thriftway, wrapping paper; THS Flag Corp girls, wrappers; Cassie Martin, wrapper; Sandra Laws, shopper and wrapper; Edna White, wrapping supplies; Parker Healthmart Pharmacy, wrapping supplies; Ima Robinson, wrapper; Sis Guin, wrapper; Jeri Akard, wrapper; Sally Escobedo, wrapper; Janice Dube, delivering.

Deer are the only animals with bones called antlers on their heads. Horns, which can be found on cows and some other animals, are not made of bone; they are strong, hard layers of skin.

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**Sunglasses Should Protect Your Eyes**

(NAPS)—Your sunglasses can do more than help you look good. They can help you continue to see well, too.



Ask your eye care professional about sunglasses that filter out dangerous ultra violet rays from the sun.

Explains Dr. Kim Robbins, an ophthalmologist and member of the Better Vision Institute Advisory Council, "UV-A and UV-B rays may harm the retina, the innermost portion of the eye; the cornea, the transparent coating of the eye; and the lens, located in the interior portion of the eye." Wearing UV-absorbent sunglasses can protect your eyes from potential damage.

This is as true in the winter as in the summer. Skiers should beware of sun glare off snow, which at high altitudes can lead to "snow blindness."

For more information on protecting your eyes with sunglasses, contact: The Better Vision Institute, P.O. Box 77097, Washington, D.C. 20013 or call 1-800-424-8422.

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**Here Comes The Bride**

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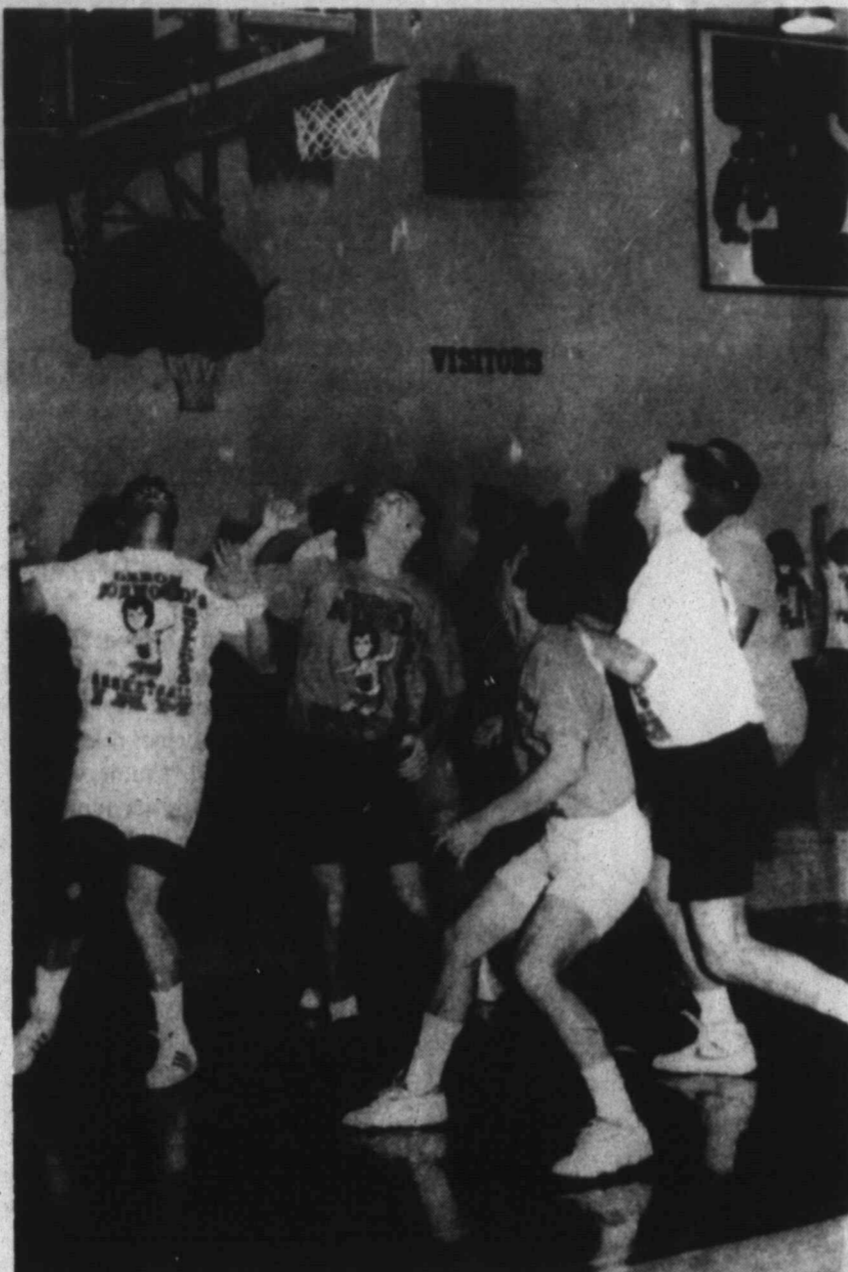


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- Find someone to measure you to determine accurate pattern fit.
- Look for trims and lace already decorated with ribbons, sequins, beads or pearls.
- Cut and fit the gown in an inexpensive cotton or muslin fabric to serve as a practice gown before sewing the actual dress.
- Allow the gown to hang a few days before hemming to insure an even hem.

For a copy of "Wedding Belles," a



WHERE IS IT? — The ball must be up there somewhere, because both teams are waiting expectantly at the Daron Norwood Basketball Jam held at the THS gym prior to Christmas. Here, from left, are Tommy Botkin, Troy Hinds, Jimmy Burleson and Jim Solomon. All proceeds from the event were donated to the Bulldog Booster Club.

(LCN PHOTO)

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**OBITUARIES**

**James Ivy**

Services for James Walter Ivy, 87, of Tahoka were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 4 in First Baptist Church of Aspermont with the Rev. Mickey Wagner officiating.

Burial was in Aspermont Cemetery. Ivy died Monday, Jan. 2, 1995, at a Post hospital.

He was born March 3, 1907 in Junction, and married Gladys Williams in Tahoka on Dec. 6, 1930. He was a member of Sweet Street Baptist Church in Tahoka.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, James Jr. of Fort Stockton and Blunt of Hobbs, N.M.; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

**Vinnie Jeter**

Services for Vinnie L. Jeter, 71, of Paducah were at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 31 in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Larry Crabtree, of Faith Christian Center in Childress, officiating.

Burial was in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Mrs. Jeter died Thursday, Dec. 29, 1994, in Paducah Nursing Center.

She was born Dec. 17, 1923, in Pecan Gap. She married Floyd Jeter on Sept. 1, 1966, in Lubbock. She was a Baptist.

She was a homemaker. A stepson, O.Z. Jeter, died in 1986.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Loretta Thomasson of Joshua; two stepsons, Joie Ray and Wayne Jeter, both of Paducah; a stepdaughter, Shirley Denman of Mount Pleasant; three brothers, Charles Potts of Tahoka, T.W. Potts of Snyder and Otis Potts of Florida; a sister, Joyce Vines of Fort Worth; 18 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Don Dilliard, Ben Marrs, Alvie Nelson, Joie Truelock, Donald Mahorney and Kevin Mahorney.

**Melvin Stewart**

Services for Melvin M. "Skinny" Stewart, 78, of Post were at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 31, in First United Methodist Church with Paul D. Jones, minister of Post Church of Christ, officiating. The Rev. John Bill Hedrick, pastor of Eula United Methodist Church, assisted.

Burial was in Terrace Cemetery. Stewart died Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1994, at his residence.

He was born Aug. 24, 1916, in Spanish Fort. He attended Gossett School and Graham Chapel School. He married Lula Jo Young on Dec. 24, 1940, in Post. He served as president of the Graham Chapel School Board, and he was director of the Graham Gin. He was one of the first directors of the Post Junior Rodeo Association.

He was a cowboy on the Slaughter Ranch, and he was a farmer. He was also a ginner for the Graham Gin.

Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Sandra Claborn and Donna Sell, both of Lubbock, Pam Cross of Mansfield and Melvena Moore of Wilson; a brother, J.B. of San Diego, Calif.; two sisters, Janet Hall of Post and Joy Huffaker of Denver City; 10 grandchildren; and a great-granddaughter.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of Lubbock.

**Malcolm Coleman**

Services for Malcolm C. Coleman, 68, of Plano were held Tuesday, Jan. 3 in Rushing-Estes-Knowles Mortuary Chapel in Uvalde with the Rev. James Ham officiating.

Burial was in Uvalde Cemetery. Coleman died Saturday, Dec. 31, 1994, at his residence.

Survivors include his wife, Jimmie; three sons, Malcolm Dean Coleman of San Antonio, Phillip Dale Coleman of Albuquerque, N.M., and Robert D. Coleman of Plano; his mother, Dixie Coleman of Wilson; two brothers, Charlie Coleman of Houston and Jim Coleman of Wilson; a sister, Juanell Tyler of Lubbock; and four grandchildren.

**G.L. Nelson**

Services for G.L. "Gink" Nelson, 86, of Slaton were at 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 31, in Wilson First Baptist Church with the Rev. Kenneth Platt, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery in Slaton.

Nelson died Thursday, Dec. 29, 1994, at his residence.

He was born April 18, 1908, in Hunt County. He graduated from Coleman, Okla., High School. He married Evelyn Standefer on Dec. 22, 1936, in Union community. He was a member of the Lynn County Sheriff's Posse and Wilson's Lion's Club.

He was a cotton farmer. Survivors include his wife; a brother, Cecil of Slaton; and a sister, Modelle Thompson of Uvalde.

Pallbearers were Russell Teeter, Andy Nelson, David Gossett, Ray Neil Nelson, Dusty Hart and Mike Jones.

**Daniel Verkamp**

Services for Daniel S. Verkamp, 55, of Wilson were at 4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 31, in Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Joseph Kolodziejczyk, a retired Catholic minister, officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery in Slaton.

Verkamp died Thursday, Dec. 29, 1994, at his residence.

He was born Dec. 9, 1939, in Wilson. He graduated from Wilson High School and attended Texas Tech University. He was a U.S. Army veteran and a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Slaton and the Knights of Columbus.

He was a farmer.

Survivors include his mother, Valeria Verkamp of Lubbock; a brother, Dennis of Lubbock; four sisters, Pat Sinnacher of Lubbock, Joyce Klar of San Antonio, Jerene Rix of Nacogdoches and Rebecca Verkamp of Phoenix, Ariz.

Pallbearers were Stephen Klar, David Klar, Lewis Barnett Rix, Brad Sinnacher, Ed Klar and Lewis Rix.

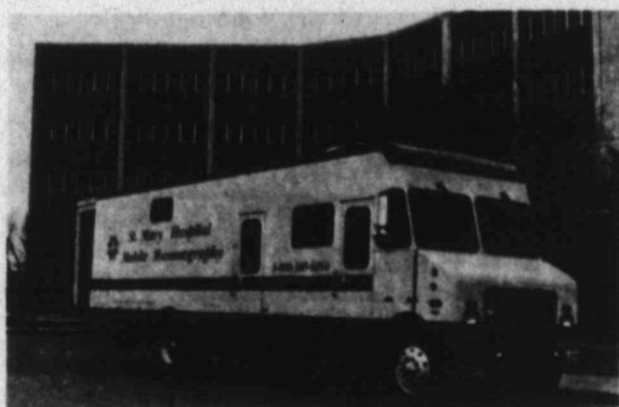
The family suggests memorials to the Catholic Family Service, 1318 Broadway, Lubbock 79401.

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Jan. 11 Tahoka Center  
10 a.m.-12 noon and 1-4 p.m.  
Jan. 13 Tahoka Sr. Citizen 10 a.m.-12 noon  
Jan. 18 Tahoka Center  
10 a.m.-12 noon  
Jan. 20 O'Donnell Sr. Citizen 10 a.m.-12 noon and O'Donnell Baptist Church 1-3 p.m.  
Jan. 27 New Home  
10-11:30 a.m. and Wilson 1-3 p.m.



In Mexico, the nine days before Christmas are called *posadas*, meaning *inns or lodgings*. On these days, Mexicans reenact Mary and Joseph's search for lodgings on the first Christmas Eve. Two children carrying figures of Mary and Joseph lead a procession of people to a house, knock on the door and ask for lodgings. They are refused at first but finally are admitted for feasting and celebrating.



While we prefer roast turkey, roast goose is the main course of choice for Christmas celebrations in the British Isles. Austrians eat baked carp and Norwegians dine on a dry cod called *lutefisk*.

**Senior Citizens MENU**

- JAN. 9-13, 1995
- Monday:** Pork chop, baked potato, mixed vegetables, raisin bread, applesauce
  - Tuesday:** Chopped BBQ beef, potatoes, broccoli and cheese, pears, roll, cookie
  - Wednesday:** Salisbury steak, green peas, cauliflower, cornbread, cobbler
  - Thursday:** Green chili chicken, pinto beans, salad, cornbread, fruit salad
  - Friday:** Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, carrots, mashed potatoes, roll, fruit salad

A preoccupied mind is never a free mind, whether it is preoccupied with the sublime or with the trivial.

—J. Krishnamurti

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"A direct result of producer-requested educational programming, the Southern Mesa Cotton Conference will focus on regulations and policies affecting Texas agriculture," said Dawson County Extension Agent John Farris.

The conference will be held Jan. 16 in the Dawson County Annex Building located at 609 N. 1st Street in Lamesa, and will begin at 8 a.m. Registration fee is \$15 if paid by Jan. 9. After Jan. 9 the registration fee is \$20. Registration forms and fees, payable to "Dawson County Ag Fund," should be sent to the Dawson County Extension office at P.O. Box 1268, Lamesa, Texas 79331.

The program, sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Dawson, Borden, Scurry, Mitchell, Lynn, Garza, Gaines, Midland, Martin and Howard Counties, will also feature information on the latest production technology for dryland production, insect control, weed control, and water management of cotton. Top quality speakers from across the Cotton Belt and the South Plains area will make presentations concerning current research production trials. Producers will have the opportunity to discuss their experiences with experts, specialists and other growers.

Five Continuing Education Units (CEUs) will be provided for private, commercial and non-commercial applicators for attendance at this program.

Congressman Charles Stenholm will present a Washington update on agriculture, and other speakers include Dr. Mark Lange from the Na-

tional Cotton Council, Woody Anderson, Chairman of the Texas Boll Weevil Foundation, Dr. Ed Smith from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in College Station, Adam Ballinger, Dr. Dan Krieg, Randy Rivera, from TDA, and others.

Producers who wish to pre-register should mail in a registration form with their fee. Registration forms can be obtained at the local extension office.

Producers who need to determine the number of CEUs they have accumulated may call TDA at 1-800-835-5832.

### CEU Opportunity For Private Applicators Scheduled Here

by BRYAN REYNOLDS,  
CEA Lynn County

Private Pesticide Applicators will have the opportunity to receive two CEU's on Jan. 10. The meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. with registration in the Lynn County Show Barn.

The cost is \$5 per person. Topics to be discussed include Boll Weevil Eradication, Worker Protection Standard and new Federal Crop Insurance Reform Act.

All private applicators must have their license number to complete the required forms. Producers may call (1-800-TELL-TDA) to find out their number or check the number of CEU hours they have obtained.

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ICY WEB—This bush shows an icy spiderweb design Wednesday morning as winter put its mark on plants and trees in the city.  
(LCN PHOTO)

## LEGAL MATTERS

BY TEXAS ATTORNEY GENERAL DAN MORALES

### FRIVOLOUS SUITS WASTE TAX DOLLARS

Every year, thousands of lawsuits are filed by inmates serving time in our state prisons and jails. A few of these lawsuits raise valid legal or Constitutional issues. The vast majority, however, are frivolous or even malicious, written for the entertainment and amusement of inmates who have plenty of time on their hands with nothing beneficial to do. The only real result of their lawsuits? Your tax dollars are wasted, and the already overloaded court system is burdened with more cases.

### A FLOOD TIDE OF LAWSUITS

The number of Texas inmates has almost doubled since 1990. As the number of inmates has risen, so has the flood of lawsuits. We handled 659 new lawsuits filed by inmates in 1993 and 994 suits in 1994. At this rate, we expect to face nearly 1,500 new lawsuits in 1995. Under our current system, each lawsuit must be treated equally by my office and the courts, regardless of whether or not the inmate has a legitimate complaint.

**EXPENSIVE SPACE ALIENS**  
Some of the cases have not exactly dealt with what could be called fundamental constitutional issues. In a case that should have been immediately dismissed by a court, we were cited for "allowing space aliens to visit an inmate's cell."

But there are other outrageous, court-clogging cases. For example, in some recent suits, we were sued for serving chunky instead of smooth peanut butter, and for confiscating fireworks and pornographic magazines from inmates. Another inmate sued for \$15,000 in damages because he burned his finger while playing with matches. Yet another claimed physical and emo-

tional pain when the lightbulb in his cell burned out.

Many of these lawsuits would be laughable, were it not for their cost. The price tag for responding to these suits is high: it costs you, as a Texas taxpayer, at least \$1,700 for an inmate lawsuit resolved by a one-day evidentiary hearing, and \$3,000 for an inmate lawsuit resolved by a one-day jury trial.

One inmate alone has filed 123 suits, won none of them, but still managed to cost you more than \$58,000 in attorney and staff time. This total did not include the expense of transporting inmates to court (sometimes going halfway across the state), copying records, providing expert witnesses, and impeding juries.

### COMMON-SENSE REFORMS

We made a start toward reining in prison costs in 1993. The Legislature, at my request, limited the right of inmates to receive free copies of trial transcripts. (Inmates were requesting such information for no other reason than to burden the judicial system.) The Legislature also allowed money to be withdrawn from prisoners' accounts to pay for child support, victim restitution, fines and court costs.

Much more remains to be done. In an effort to restore some common sense and relieve the burden on our state's judicial system, I have prepared a series of reforms that will weed out frivolous claims while ensuring that legitimate complaints are given a fair hearing. Highlights of these reforms include the following changes:

- An administrative procedure

## "The Teeth" Escapades

by ABBIE WHORTON THOMAS

(Editor's note: The writer is a former resident of Tahoka who, in 1944, had local dentist Dr. Kenneth Durham make her some false "freak teeth." This series is an account of her experiences.)

### I Went To The Bar-Be-Que

The Pioneer people of Lynn County had a reunion every year, on June 16, Aunt Becky Robert's birthday. You had to have lived in Lynn County for at least 30 years to attend. It was held at the city park in Tahoka. I, Abbie Whorton, was known as a newcomer. I had lived in Tahoka about eight years, not long enough to go to the Reunion.

Truett Smith, a local attorney, born and raised in Lynn County, was going to the Pioneer Reunion and barbecue at the city park. He came by my house and said, "Abbie, wish you would come, wear your funny teeth and add a little fun to the gathering. The Barbecue is at 4 o'clock, so come early and do your thing; what ever you want to do."

I decided to be a niece of Aunt Becky Roberts. I dressed as a lady in her mid-thirties. I tied a scarf over my head, that covered all my hair, large rim dark glasses, and the freak teeth.

My husband, Jep, drove me up the alley across from the park. I got out and walked the rest of the way, greeting everyone.

The people had gathered in small groups, laughing and talking of old times. I stopped at each group and hugged several of them saying, "It's been so long since I've seen you, but Gosh, you look great." They hugged me back but looked startled. I heard them asking each other, "Who is

that?" Some just stepped back looking so puzzled, trying to remember.

I said, "I wouldn't miss this reunion for anything, getting to see all the cousins again." I heard someone say, "Is she Uncle Oscar's daughter?" Others said, "No, I think she is Billie's sister; or did they have two girls?"

I'd moved on to another group of people, hugged each one. I was treated the same by everyone. As I walked away, I heard someone say, "Who is that?" "Is she one of Sonny's sisters?" "Didn't Viola have a daughter?" "Reckon it's her?" "I don't remember her, but she seems to remember us all."

After I visited nearly everyone in the small groups that were standing around, I went over to see Aunt Becky. I am not related to her in any way. She was a little old lady 89 or 90 years old. She was sitting in a chair in the shade of a tent closer to the serving tables. Many old timers were sitting around her, talking about the old days.

I walked up and bent over her and hugged her, and kissed her on the forehead, "Aunt Becky, it's been too long, you still looking great."

She looked at me and said, "I don't right off recognize you. Who was your Mother and Daddy?" I said, "Tom and Lucy." Making out like she knew them she said, "Oh, could they not come? I'd love to see them."

I said, "No, Daddy passed away several years ago, and Mother is in a Retirement home."

Aunt Becky said, "I'm so sorry. I thought so much of your Mother, but let me look at you again. I can't seem to remember you." I bent over close, and at that moment the cooks rang a big bell that the bar-be-que was ready to serve. "Please form two lines."

I jerked the head scarf off, removed the teeth, the dark glasses and said, "Aunt Becky, I'm Abbie Whorton, playing a joke on you."

She grabbed me and said, "Abbie, my child, I ought to turn you over my lap and give you a lick like I used to."

Everyone saw who I was and began laughing and hugging me for real. They asked me to eat barbecue with them even though I had not lived in Lynn County the required 30 years.

After that visit in the park, I was asked each year to please come to the Pioneer Reunion. I did not ever get to go again because I moved from Tahoka in 1965.

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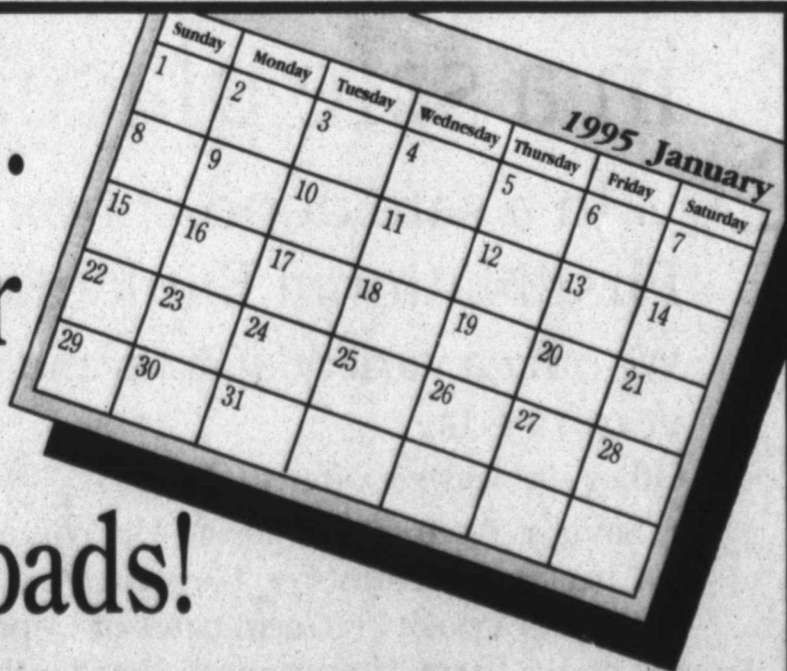
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Thanks to you for your cards, visits, phone calls, flowers, prayers and concerns while I was in the hospital and since I came home. Roger Bell 1-1tp

Words cannot express the heart-felt feelings we have for all of you for the love shown to us in the loss of our dear James. For the visits, the food, the phone calls, the flowers, the cards, the memorials, our dear neighbors, Bro. Marv, Byron Norwood, Hany Wells, Bennie and Tammy, we thank you. To my family for their support, love and concern, we love you. There are no words that can describe the caring and love of a small community when one is in need. May God bless each of you. Joy, Jan, David, Ryan, Stephen and Dustin 1-tfc

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The following rates have been proposed for these new OPTIONAL Services. The proposed effective date for provision on the new service is Feb. 15, 1995. The estimated annual revenue impact to the Company is \$8,832 for the first year of service.

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# The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

The Wilson Livestock Association will host its annual bar-b-que for the benefit of the Wilson Livestock pool at the Lynn County Stock Show. The bar-b-que will be held Sunday, Jan. 15 in the school cafeteria. More information will be available next week.

Donations of goods or services are being accepted for an auction. For more information contact Kieth Wied or a Wilson Livestock Association Member.

The Lynn County Stock Show will be Jan. 26-28 in Tahoka.

The Wilson City Council will meet Monday, Jan. 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the Mercantile.

Wilson ISD school board will meet Thursday, Jan. 12, in the elementary board room.

The Wilson fire dept. will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 9 in the Fire Station. All members are required to attend. This meeting replaces the meeting which was scheduled for Monday, Jan. 2.

The fire department is looking for donations of old fire department equipment and tools. They are going to put these items on display. They are especially looking for an old fire dept. ax that will fit on one of the pieces of equipment they currently have on display. This ax should have a cutting blade on one side and a pike-point on the other.

Anyone having an item that they would like to donate to this collection should contact David Cook, Kelly Livingston or any fire department member.

The Wilson schools are finishing the first semester this week with final and semester exams scheduled. Report cards should be mailed next Wednesday. Elementary level cards need to be signed by a parent or guardian and returned to the school.

Monday, Jan. 9 will be a student holiday and a teacher preparation day for the beginning of the second semester.

The second semester and fourth six weeks will begin on Tuesday, Jan. 10.

Wilson students involved in basketball will have a busy time the next two weeks. The varsity teams will be in the Wellman tournament Jan. 6-7. They will then host Wellman in Wilson on Tuesday, Jan. 10 and play Ropes on Thursday, Jan. 13.

The Jr. High will travel to Patton Springs on Monday, Jan. 9 and will play in the O'Donnell tournament Jan. 14.

Several members of the Wilson Concert Band will be involved in the area All-State Band tryouts on Saturday, Jan. 7. Mr. Lopez has the scheduling information for these students. High school and Jr. High All-Region band tryouts are scheduled for Jan. 16-17.

Wilson Lions Club will meet in a regular meeting on Thursday, Jan. 5, in the school cafeteria at 7 p.m. The program will be presented by representatives of the Lynn County Child Welfare Board who will explain what they do and some of the projects they are involved with to help the



**WILSON CITIZEN OF YEAR** - Carolyn Klaus, right, was named 1994 Wilson Citizen of the Year, and was presented with a plaque from Wilson Lions Club President John Earl Fields at the Lion Club's annual Christmas party, held Dec. 15 in Wilson. Mrs. Klaus is an active member of her church and community, and of the Wilson Chamber of Commerce.

youth of Lynn County.

Wilson 4-H members are urged to review their newsletter and check with their adult leaders to make sure they have complied with all the registration and check-off days for the various stock shows.

The Wilson Chamber of Commerce will meet Saturday, Jan. 7 at 9 a.m. in Jan's Piggery. A Dutch treat breakfast will be available.

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## News From BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

BBB warns consumers about companies that charge up-front fees ranging from \$20 to hundreds of dollars and telling students they can obtain funding, regardless of their academic qualifications, scholastic credentials or family economic status. Some ads and sales pitches claim there are millions of dollars in unclaimed scholarship monies just waiting to be tapped. What students receive for their up-front fee is a list of possible scholarship sources. These companies don't assist students in obtaining scholarships and they don't screen applicants. Students who are unsuccessful, or not satisfied, may find that refunds are difficult, if not impossible to obtain. Many of the scholarship sources that these companies provide for a fee, are available at no cost from high school guidance and college financial aid offices. These bogus scholarship companies also try to recruit "licensees" to open up their own scholarship services. Call the BBB at 763-0459 before you invest your money in a scholarship service.

Funds collected by charity "honor boxes" or candy sales displays on the retailer's counter may not all be going to the organization named. Many of the "fund raising" devices are actually placed by for-profit firms which may have little or

nothing to do with the charity involved. The boxes bear signs and stickers claiming to represent charities, but may be nothing more than empty collection devices or filled with mints, lollipops or candy to be purchased. Unfortunately, what they and many business owners don't know is that in many cases, the charity has merely licensed the use of its name to a for-profit outfit in exchange for a small percentage of the collections. Typically, the great majority of the donations goes to the company which placed the boxes. In some cases, the organization placing the devices is using the charity's name without authorization and pocketing 100% of the profits. Remember, check it out before you give - call the BBB at 763-0459.

**- YOUTH CURFEW -**  
Tahoka youth 17-and-under are subject to CITY YOUTH CURFEW 11 p.m. Weeknights  
Midnight on Saturday-Sunday

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**NOTICE OF FLUORIDE LEVEL IN WATER**  
The City of Wilson has been notified by the Texas Department of Health that the water being supplied by our system exceeds the maximum constituent level for fluoride established by the department's "Safe Drinking Water Act."  
The samples of water from the Wilson system contain 4.1 milligrams of fluoride per liter, and the department require the city to notify all customers. There is not immediate health hazard for drinking water containing fluoride at this level except that it could cause mottling (brown stain) on the teeth of children under 14 years of age.  
All the dentists in this area are aware of the fluoride level.  
The City will continue to search for alternate sources of supply and will investigate any available treatment techniques to lower the level of our fluoride if they are affordable at all.  
Bottled water is available for families with children under the age of 14 years at the City Office at no cost.

Roy Isham, Superintendent  
City of Wilson Water System  
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## Wilson School Menu

- Jan. 9-13**  
**Breakfast**  
**Monday:** No School.  
**Tuesday:** Graham Crackers, Peanut Butter, Applesauce, Milk.  
**Wednesday:** Pancakes, Apple Juice, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Muffin, Diced Peas, Milk.  
**Friday:** Breakfast Pizza, Sliced Peaches, Milk.  
**Lunch**  
**Monday:** No School.  
**Tuesday:** BBQ Franks, Pinto Beans, Scalloped Potatoes, Cornbread, Pear Half, Milk.  
**Wednesday:** Cheeseburger, Trimmings, Tator Tots, Peanut Butter Cookie, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Meatloaf, Whole Potatoes, Broccoli w/Cheese, Cornbread, Orange Jello w/Pine-apple, Milk.  
**Friday:** Soft Taco, Pinto Beans, Salad, Fruit, Milk.

## Go Bulldogs and Lady Dogs!

Before you give to the fight against cancer, look for the sword.

There are many cancer organizations. Some good, some not so good, but only your American Cancer Society has the sword. Look for it before you give. For more information call 1-800-ACS-2345.



**Sweet Street Baptist Church**  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.    Worship ..... 10:55 a.m.  
Discipleship ..... 6:00 p.m.    Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m.

Dear Tahoka:  
Well! Is time flying by or what? That seems to be what times does best, FLY!  
I hope that 1994 was a good year for you. But, 1994 is gone forever. It's time to live in the present and look to the future.  
That is what we have in Christ, a great life for today and an even greater life for the future. I even have a great past in Christ, because all of my sins and failures are forgiven. NO! I'm not perfect yet. All my problems aren't over yet. But, I do know I have eternal life and the Lord Jesus Christ is with me. NOW, THAT IS A GREAT LIFE!  
Would you come and join me this Sunday at the SWEET STREET BAPTIST CHURCH? I'll be speaking about this great life that we can all have in Christ.  
All because of Him;  
Bro. Lynn  
Lynn C. Long  
Pastor  
1300 S. Ave. J  
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**\$1.29**

**Shurfine Drinks 6 Pack Cans ..... \$1.00**

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