

THS Wins Its First District Baseball Title

The Tahoka Bulldogs baseball team won the school's first district baseball championship in history last week and will play New Deal in bi-district at 5:30 p.m. Friday at Lubbock Estacado High School field.

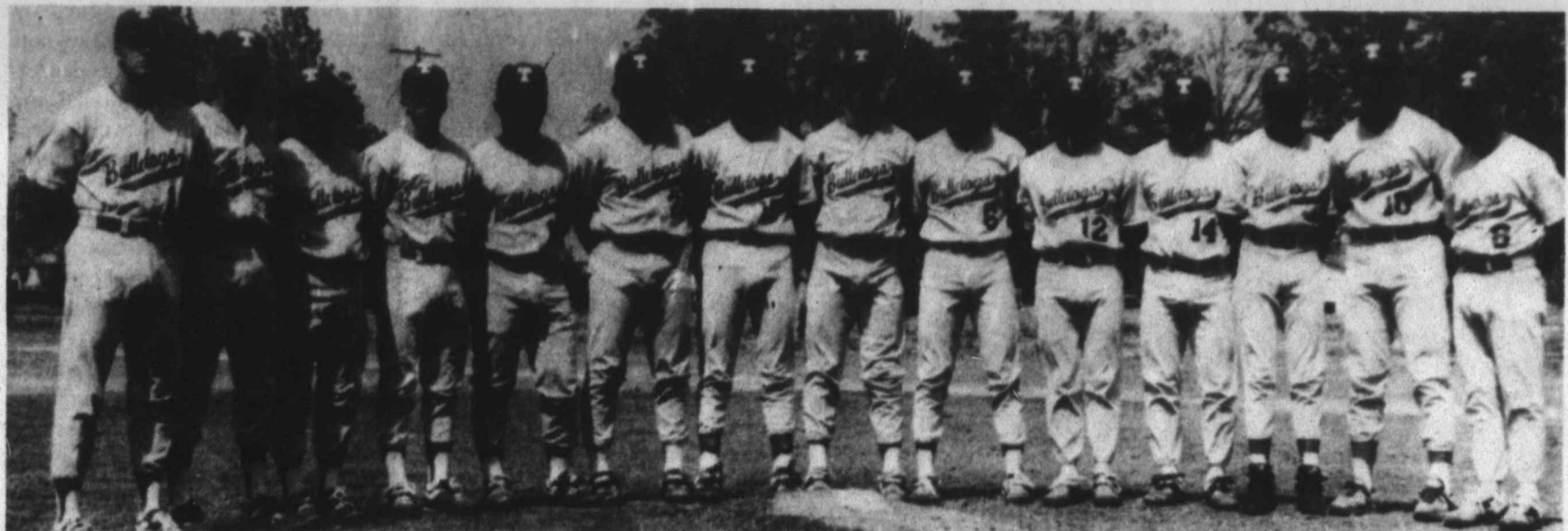
Tahoka closed out the regular season with a come-from-behind win over Post, giving the Dogs a 7-1 district record and giving pitcher Gerald Cantu a 4-1 record for the year.

Cantu struck out seven batters and hit one of Tahoka's seven home runs in the 20-10 victory over Post for Coach Cory Barnes' nine.

Matt Garcia and Edward Ramirez each had two home runs for Tahoka against Post, and Cantu, Monty Hale and Shawn Brewer also blasted home runs.

Post had taken a 5-1 lead in the second inning and Tahoka chipped away at the lead, trailing 5-3 at the end of the third and 9-6 after four. It was tied 9-9 after five innings, and Tahoka went ahead to stay after 7 runs in the 6th, including four home runs, made it 16-9.

Tahoka added four more runs in the 7th inning, to one for Post. Tahoka's season record is 7-3.



DISTRICT CHAMPIONS—The Tahoka High School Baseball team has won district for the first time ever and will advance to the bi-district playoffs on Friday, May 19. They are, from left, Coach Cory Barnes, Stephen Rodriguez, Adrian Lopez, Shawn Brewer, Reggie Moore, Matthew Garcia, Edward Ramirez, Monty Hale, Chris Rodriguez, Mike Rodriguez, Gerold Cantu, Rocky Moore, Coach Robert White, and Coach Kirk Ellis.

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INTERNATIONAL WINNER—Tahoka High School senior Josh Dunlap last week won a third place engineering award and \$1000 cash at the International Science Fair in Ontario, Canada with his innovatively designed Universal High-Velocity Even-Carriage Bicycle (UHVECB), shown here. There were 114 engineering projects in the competition, and 920 projects in all from 1,026 students representing 36 countries. (LCN PHOTO)

Tahoka Senior Wins Third Place, \$1000 At International Science Fair

by JUANELL JONES

He competed with 1,026 students from 36 countries, and there were 920 student projects in the International Science Fair in Ontario, Canada—but 16-year-old Tahoka High School senior Josh Dunlap brought home a third place award in engineering and a \$1000 cash award this week with his newfangled bicycle design.

Dunlap, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Andy Dunlap of Tahoka, competed against 113 other engineering projects with his Universal High-Velocity Even-Carriage Bicycle (UHVECB) at the international event last week, winning a third place engineering award and \$1000 cash from Intel, one of the sponsors at the fair.

He won the top award in the Physical Science category at the South Plains Regional Science Fair in Lub-

bock with the bicycle in early April, earning him and THS science teacher Betty Stennett an all-expense paid six-day trip to Canada for the international event, sponsored by Science Service Inc. and many corporate, professional, and governmental sponsors.

More than 600 awards in 16 scientific categories were presented, and Dunlap had an opportunity to speak with patent representatives concerning patenting his bicycle design. He says he plans to look at patenting his UHVECB with the money he won, but will use some of the money for college. He plans to attend South Plains College following graduation, and major in engineering.

Dunlap spent the past five years designing, testing, and improving the bicycle, which was built using shock absorbers from a scrapped dirt bike, a lifter spring from a Chevrolet V-8 engine, an air conditioner pulley and a door hinge.

He wanted to build a bicycle which was safer to ride, which changes gears automatically, has a

(See Dunlap Wins, pg. 4)

One-Car Wreck Critically Injures Midland Driver

A Midland man suffered severe injuries last Wednesday when the 1988 Volvo he was driving rolled over twice on U.S. 87 about 3 miles north of Tahoka.

Steven Lance Bingham, 38, was taken to Lynn County Hospital by Lynn EMS ambulance, and later taken to University Medical Center in Lubbock where he remained in critical condition Wednesday with internal injuries, head injuries and other injuries. The investigating DPS officer said Bingham was driving at a high rate of speed and was thrown from the vehicle.

DPS also investigated two other traffic accidents in the county during the last week. On Friday evening about 8 miles southeast of Tahoka on County Rd. BB, a 1989 Chevrolet driven by Wesley Diaz, 29, of Ft. Sill, OK, rolled over after hitting a ditch. Diaz was not hurt; a passenger, Aaron Lozano, 21, also of Ft. Sill, was treated at the scene for a minor injury.

Last Thursday a mile north of Tahoka on 87, a 1989 Pontiac Grand Am driven by Esteban Villarreal, 22, of Wilson, struck an offset disk plow being towed by a 1995 Ford tractor driven by Kent Kahl, 29, of Tahoka. Villarreal told the DPS officer that he fell asleep and his car struck the plow. There were no injuries.

A 21-year-old Tahoka man was charged with theft of a bicycle after police talked with him Saturday and recovered the bicycle, which was returned to the owner, Benny Miller of Tahoka. The suspect said he took the bicycle he noticed at White Funeral Home as he was walking down Main St. because he was "tired of walking."

A Tahoka man, age not listed, was arrested on a charge of assault in a family violence incident last Friday.

A 14-year-old Wilson High School band member reported to the sheriff's office that a Sega game had been stolen from his bag during a WHS band trip to Amarillo last Friday.

In jail during the week were two persons for public intoxication, two for driving while intoxicated, first offense, and one each for DWI second offense, assault, criminal trespass, and one person charged with no drivers license plus no liability insurance plus warrant from Andrews County for speeding, no drivers license and failure to appear.

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
May 10	75	52	
May 11	78	52	
May 12	92	56	
May 13	92	61	
May 14	89	56	
May 15	91	57	.16"
May 16	81	60	

Official Precipitation for Year: 3.35"



NATIONAL WINNER—Abbie Gill, a freshman at Tahoka High School, won first place with her oral speech at the 1995 National Leadership Conference of Business Professionals of America in Nashville, Tenn., May 4-7. She competed with 42 others in the national contest. (LCN PHOTO)

Abbie Gill Wins First At National BPA Event

Abbie Gill, daughter of Stan and Julia Gill, and Hans Mensch, son of Mike and Linda Mensch, participated in the 1995 National Leadership Conference of Business Professionals of America in Nashville, Tennessee, May 4-7. Abbie, a freshman at Tahoka High School, won first place in the national event in Verbal Communications Prepared I, competing with 42 other contestants and then advancing as one of 12 into the finals.

Abbie's event, Verbal Communications Prepared I, is designed to provide the student an opportunity to demonstrate communication skills as well as securing, arranging, organizing, and presenting information orally. As the name implies, this event allows the contestant to have visual props to accompany the oral speech. The props are made in advance of the

regional leadership conference which is the first level of competition. The name of Abbie's speech was "Sensuous Merchandising: The Five Keys to Success" and dealt with the different human senses and how merchants appeal to those senses.

As a state officer, THS student Hans Mensch served as a voting delegate for the state of Texas during national voting assemblies, helping to elect three Texas candidates to serve as National officers.

Mensch has been active in BPA on the local level as he has served as 1994-95 treasurer for Tahoka High School Chapter #2. Mensch remained active as he prepared a lengthy campaign which was presented at the 1994-95 State Leadership Conference in Houston and where Mensch was (See Gill Wins National, pg. 2)

New City Administrator, Chief Of Police Named

A new Tahoka City Administrator and Chief of Police was named late Tuesday night by City Council members following several hours of interviews and discussion, according to Mayor Jim Solomon.

Tahoka Chief of Police Jerry Webster was named new City Administrator here, at an annual salary of \$31,000, and Captain Randy Smith of the Tahoka Police Department was promoted to Chief of Police and a salary of \$25,000 in action by the council. Both will begin their new duties on Saturday, May 20.

Webster, 44, has been with the Tahoka Police Dept. for eight years, and has served as chief for six years. He lives here with his wife, Jimi, and children, Katy, 5, Adrian, 4, and Alex, 2.

Smith, 34, has 13 years of law enforcement experience and has been

with the Tahoka Police Dept. four years. A graduate of Wilson High School and a native of Wilson, Smith also worked for the Lynn County Sheriff's Office.

Both told city officials that they were honored to be offered the new positions and would perform their duties to the best of their abilities for the citizens of Tahoka.

"We are thrilled to have this kind of local talent," said Mayor Solomon. "They have both proven themselves as having great work ethics, they care about Tahoka, and are involved in the community," he added.

The council met to begin interviews at 6 p.m., and made the decision about 11 p.m. Others interviewed for the position were Melissa Workman, Daniel Keith and David Coughran. All five council members were present for the meeting.

Baccalaureate Services Slated For Area Seniors

Baccalaureate services for seniors from New Home, Tahoka and Wilson will be held on the next two Sundays, with services set this Sunday for Tahoka and Wilson seniors and on Sunday, May 28 for New Home seniors.

THS Baccalaureate services will be held at 8 p.m. Sunday in the Tahoka High School auditorium, and Wilson High School Baccalaureate services will be held at 7 p.m. in the Wilson High School auditorium.

Next Sunday, New Home High School Baccalaureate services will be held at 8 p.m. in the New Home Baptist Church.

O'Donnell High School does not have a Baccalaureate service.

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CELEBRATING CINCO DE MAYO—Tahoka second graders celebrated Cinco de Mayo by dressing in Mexican costumes and observing Mexican customs. Shown here are, seated in front, Monte Jolly and Dustin Brookshire; second row from left, Jessica Antu, Ashdon Hancock and Krista Norwood; and in back, Jennifer Cisneros, teacher Mrs. Carolyn Boydston, and Laura Saldana. (LCN PHOTO)

Gill Wins National Event...

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elected State Parliamentarian. He will continue to be active in the local, state, and national levels of BPA as he prepares for officer service and competition in the 1995-96 school year.

Valli Fell, local BPA Chapter Advisor, accompanied the two Tahoka High School students to Nashville.

Special Olympics Torch Runners To Come Through Tahoka

Texas Special Olympics is the world's largest program for children and adults with mental retardation. The single largest source of financial support for this spectacular event is the Law Enforcement Torch Run. The Lubbock Police Department will have approximately 25 runners participating this year.

The runners will start out at the Lubbock Civic Center on Monday, May 22 at 12 noon. These runners will be coming through Tahoka around 1:45 p.m. where they will be served lunch by Biff and Frances Chancy at Fuzzy's Service Station.

The runners will then continue running and arrive in Austin on Wednesday, May 24.

Over 4,000 delegates from throughout the United States participated in BPA's 29th National Leadership Conference. Activities included general sessions with keynote speakers, business meetings, leadership workshops, occupational and specialized competitive events, election of national officers, and tours of Nashville area sites.

The highlight of the conference was the presentation of the awards to the winners in the national competitive events and the installation of the National Officers.

BPA is the national organization dedicated to leadership and competency development for business and office careers.

Phebe K. Warner Club News

Phebe K. Warner Club met Tuesday, May 9, in the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. Nan Adams, Margaret Edwards, and Edna White served as hostesses. Twenty members, two associate members and 12 guests were present.

Greald-Deane Wood, president, presided.

Madeline Hegi introduced Mrs. Carol Smith Hedrick, academic advisor and instructor in the Department of Speech, Pathology, and Audiology at Oklahoma State University.

Mrs. Hedrick reviewed the book, *Margaret Mitchell - John Marsh: The Love Story behind Gone with the Wind*, written by Mary Ann Walker in 1993.

Mern Lewis, secretary, read the minutes from the April 25 meeting.

Correspondence were read from Tahoka Care Center, Georgia Williams, Hoby Delegate, and Lynn County Unit of American Cancer Society.

Madeline Hegi announced that scholarships would be awarded May 17 at the Tahoka High School awards assembly.

Thalia Burks, Legislative Chairman, reported voting in the House will be May 29.

Betty Green and Thalia Burks wrote a Resolution to ban smoking in the State Buildings of Texas for Phebe K. Warner Club to submit.

Betty Green asked that copies of the Resolution be mailed to Governor George Bush Jr., Lieutenant Governor Bob Bullock, Senator John Montford, Representatives David Counts and Pete Laney.

Benny Carter, treasurer, announced dues must be paid.

Items for M.D. Anderson, Houston, can be left at Gerald-Deane Wood's house within the next month. She will notify members to come help package and prepare items for freight pick-up and delivery to M.D. Anderson.

Benny Carter, treasurer, gave the financial report.

Jeanne Pirtle gave a Federation report from the "Clubwoman."

Club collect was repeated in union, lead by Lucille Smith.



STUDENTS ATTEND NATIONAL BPA CONFERENCE—Tahoka High School Business Professionals of America students Hans Mensch, Jill Jaquess, and Conner Krey attended the National BPA Leadership Conference in Nashville, Tennessee recently. (LCN PHOTO)

Tahoka BPA Students Receive National Honors

Jill Jaquess and Conner Krey, both seniors at Tahoka High School, received two prestigious awards on May 6 in Nashville, Tenn. during the National Business Professionals of America Leadership Conference.

Jill, daughter of Jack and Barbara Jaquess, wrote and submitted a CARE (Community Action to Reach Everyone) Project and a Safety Awareness Project. These projects were first submitted on the state level, which earned her the opportunity to submit them for the national conference. Jill's projects were one of three Texas projects to be recognized during the special reception.

Conner, son of John and Cheryl Krey, received the highest level of recognition for his three years of active participation in his local BPA chapter when he was presented his Ambassador Torch Award during a special reception. This award is only given at the national level after extremely strict criteria has been met.

Susan Draper, Robin Martin, and Jeremy Brandon advanced from state competition and were eligible to compete on the national level in Nashville. However, due to a conflict in their schedules, they were unable to attend the conference. Barbara Jaquess, local THS sponsor, accompanied Jill and Conner.



STORK REPORT

Pat and Camille Owens of Dallas announce the birth of their son, Davis Patrick. He was born May 15, 1995 and weighed 8 lbs 8 ozs.

Grandparents are Stewart and Kathy Rice of New Home.

Four County Co-op Holds Athletic Day

The Four County Special Services Co-op will hold their annual track and field day Friday, May 19, at 10 a.m. at Cub Stadium in Brownfield.

The track and field day is a special event for handicapped students from Brownfield, Denver City, Loop, O'Donnell, Plains, Seagraves, Seminole, Tahoka, Union, Wellman, and the infant intervention program.

The event is coordinated by the Four County Co-op staff and members of the Advisory Committee. Volunteers from various civic groups and businesses help participants in each event.

Donations from individuals and businesses support the "Sprints" each year. Donations can be made to: Four County Co-op c/o Carlton Buesing, 601 Tahoka Road, Brownfield, Texas 79316.

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Wednesday: Breakfast Pizza, Juice, Milk.
Thursday: Cinnamon Roll, Choice of Juice, Milk.

Lunch
Monday: (K-3rd Track Meet) Sack Lunch: Bologna Sandwich, Apple, Chips, Milk.
Tuesday: (4th-6th Track Meet) Sack Lunch: Ham Sandwich, Orange, Chips, Milk.
Wednesday: Hamburger, Trimmings, French Fries, Apple Cobbler, Milk.
Thursday: Manager's Choice, Milk.

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		1976 Mercury Marquis, 4 Door	\$1,495
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by Dalton

IF THIS column had a title, this week's heading would be: Nothing I Ever Need Is Standard, and When I Have To Get It in Lubbock, the Stores Are All on the Wrong Side of the Street. That, of course, is too long for a title, and partially explains why I don't put titles on columns.

First of all, whenever I need a replacement part for some kind of repair around the house, on an appliance, car, mower, lamp, faucet or whatever, the part is no longer available.

I take the broken part to a couple of local sources of such things, after they have assured me on the phone that yes, they do have a full selection of copper-tipped spreader widgets with left-handed pop-off valves for the bathroom lavatory, and I show the broken article to the main troubleshooter. He looks at it and promptly says:

"Gee, I never saw one like that. These things are all supposed to be standard, but that one is really different."

Then some old geezer sitting on a nail keg in the building asks to see the broken item and then tells me, "I remember these things. There were 11 of them made by a company in Yugoslavia in 1958 before they went of business. Never thought I'd see one in Tahoka. You won't be able to fix that plumbing with anything they make now; you'll just have to buy a new house."

Or perhaps he will suggest that there are a couple of places in Lubbock that could possibly have what I need in stock. So off I go to Lubbock, risking my life and sunny disposition in a vain effort to find something that never was there.

In Lubbock the dual purpose of all the other drivers is to break the latest Indianapolis Speedway record right there on 50th St. while seeing how many of the sane drivers they can hit or scare to death weaving in and out of the lanes.

If you need to change lanes because you know that you'll have to be in the right or left lane 12 blocks ahead, the other drivers immediately gang up on you so close that you can't possibly get over where you need to be, so you miss your turn and then go 35 more blocks trying to get back to where you were.

And no matter which way you're going, the store you need to stop at is on the other side of the street, absolutely inaccessible from where you are. Sometimes they even move the store to a different street, for only as long as I am looking for it.

The other day I went the length of 34th looking for a major store which I won't mention, but which I was sure was somewhere on the north side of 34th. I finally stopped and looked it up, and sure enough, they had moved it to 50th, probably just for that day. My wife told me later that it has always been on 50th, but I know better. And of course, it was on the wrong side of the street, but I finally got there.

The clerk at the front gleefully informed me that the two-dollar item I wanted was in the far corner of the store. "Just go down this aisle here about a quarter of a mile, turn left and go about the same distance until you run into the back wall (I must have looked pretty stupid), and then go right to the corner."

About an hour later I got back to the front counter and paid the same guy. "Pretty good little walk, wasn't it?" he observed cheerfully as I sagged against the counter. I hate that guy. He's young and has two good legs.

And the next time I try to go to that place, I'll bet I find they've moved it back to 34th.

Obituaries

Carrie Caldwell

Services for Carrie Caldwell, 94, of Tahoka, were held at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 16, at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church with the Rev. Henry Brawley, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Andrew Nance.

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

Mrs. Caldwell died on Thursday, May 11, 1995, at Methodist Hospital.

The former Carrie Henderson was born on March 27, 1901, in Freestone County. She was a longtime resident of Lynn County. She was a member of the Eastern Star and Pleasant Grove Baptist Church.

She was a compass laborer.

Survivors include a son, Willie B. Ervin of Lubbock; a daughter, Viree Jefferson of Tucson, Ariz.; a sister, Josephine Sims of Long Beach, CA.; two stepsisters, Annie and Bertha; three stepbrothers, Robert Henderson of Los Angeles and Harry Henderson and John Henderson, both of Dallas; one grandchild; two great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Sam Jefferson, T.C. White, Reggie Moore, Michael Wayne Burleson, Danny Moore and David Graves.

Bob Cranford

Services for Bob Cranford, 67, of Tahoka will be at 2:30 p.m. Thursday in Sweet Street Baptist Church with the Revs. Lynn Long, pastor, Danny Jackson, pastor of First Baptist Church of Morton, and Marvin Gregory, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Tahoka, officiating.

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

Cranford died Tuesday, May 16, 1995, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

He was born Feb. 17, 1928, in Willow, Okla. He married Betty Fry on May 26, 1972, in Littlefield. He attended Chillicothe schools, and he was a U.S. Navy veteran. He was a member of the International Fellowship of the Oddfellows and First Baptist Church of O'Donnell.

He was a retired compress manager. Two stepsons, David Harris and Paul Harris, preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Michael of Tahoka, Richard of Tulsa, Okla., and Bill of Houston; a daughter, Teresa Thorn of Oklahoma City; two stepdaughters, Ruthie Singer of Farwell and Becky Furr of Lubbock; three brothers, Richard of Electra, John of Virginia Beach, Va., and Jim of Farmers Branch; a sister, Louella Smith of Tahoka; 17 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Doug Taylor, Roy Porter, Milt Ardrey, David Jones, Jerry Rodriguez and Mike Braddock. The family suggests memorials to Sweet Street Baptist Church Building Fund or to a favorite charity.

The family will receive friends at 2201 N. Main St. in Tahoka.

Tahoka Care Center News

by LISA LEHMAN
On Tuesday, May 9, we had a birthday party of Leona Edwards and Issac Ledbetter. Mother's Day was celebrated on May 12 with a party. Thanks to Cake Palace for donating the cake for the party. Also on Friday was a party for the nurses to celebrate Nurses Week.

This week is Nursing Home Week. There will be a cook-out on Saturday, May 20 at 4 p.m. to meet the new DON and Activities Director. Come and join the fun.

Thanks to Ma Hill who donated flowers for all the women in the nursing home.

Thanks to Bobbye Kieth at Hot Stuff Pizza for donating brownies as Bingo prizes. Thanks to Dixie Dog for donating drinks to residents on the van rides.

Welcome new residents, Opel Bosworth and Loretta Jones.

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STUDENTS OF THE SIX WEEKS—Tahoka Middle/High School students of the sixth six weeks are in front from left, Amy Draper, Jennifer Walls, Kelly Flynn, Stephanie Thomas, Lynna Rash, and in back from left, Jared Gandy, Brad Pebsworth, Jeremy Laws, Clay Taylor, and Monty Hale. Not shown is Mandy Rodriguez. (LCN PHOTO)

Dortha Weaver

Services for Dortha Weaver, 89, of Pampa were held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 12, in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Marvin Gregory, pastor, officiating.

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

She died Tuesday, May 9, 1995, in Pampa.

She was born Jan. 18, 1906, in Commerce. She married Aubrey C. Weaver. He died Oct. 16, 1986. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, First United Methodist Women and the Tahoka Garden Club.

She had owned Luzier Cosmetics.

Survivors include two sons, Kenneth of Pampa and Bobby of Aztec, N.M.; a daughter, Joyce Schulz of Houston; a sister, Chrystall Daniels of North Richland Hills; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Senior Citizens MENU

May 22-26

Monday: Baked Chicken w/ Mushroom Sauce, Butter Beans, Mixed Vegetables, Tossed Salad, Cake.

Tuesday: Braised Beef Tips, Corn, Brussel Sprouts, Carrot Sticks, Cornbread, Apple Cobbler.

Wednesday: Turkey, Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, Whole Wheat Roll, Cranberry Dessert.

Thursday: Sloppy Joes, Fries, Carrots, Jello, Dill Pickle Slices, Gingerbread.

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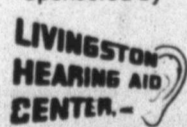
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Pages From The Past...

by Vondell Elliott

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

Car Inspections Warning Given

Only a little over three months remain in which motor vehicle owners may have their inspections made and "OK" stickers issued to comply with the new Texas Motor Vehicle Safety program. Deadline was extended to September 6 several months ago when it was found impossible to get the program in operation by April 1st ...

May 23, 1952

FOR RENT — 2 furnished apartments, \$40 each; one 3-room house, \$30; one 4-room house, \$35. - T.I. Tippit. June 13, 1952

Move Started For Raising Teacher Salary Minimum To \$3,000 In Texas

AUSTIN — A minimum beginning salary of \$3,000 instead of the present \$2,403 for public school teachers will be asked of the next legislature by the Texas State Teachers Association ...

June 13, 1952

56 Tahoka Seniors Will Get Diplomas At Final Exercises

Diplomas will be presented to fifty-six members of the senior class by Truett Smith, President of the school board, when graduation exercises are held in the Tahoka High School auditorium Friday night ... H.B. McCord, Jr. and Nita Bragg have won the honor of serving as salutatorian and valedictorian, respectively ...

May 11, 1945

Graduates Receive Diplomas Tonight

Thirty-eight seniors will receive diplomas of graduation tonight at 8:00 o'clock at commencement exercises in Tahoka High School auditorium ...

Five honor students will give the principle addresses. Bobbie Carroll, salutatorian, will speak on Faith in Religion; Betty Carroll, Faith in People; Rose Marie Yandell, Faith in Social Ideas; Janet Dube, Faith in Education; and Dolores Gage, highest ranking student, will deliver the valedictory ...

May 20, 1955

Tahoka Graduates 47 Seniors Tonight

Tahoka High School seniors will receive their diplomas tonight in commencement exercises which begin at 8:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium ...

School board chairman, Clifton Hamilton, will present the diplomas after Supt. Harold Reynolds presents the class and Principal Clifton Gardner certifies the class ...

[Five honor students included Dixie Ashcraft, Jan Whitaker, Betty Kuwaski, salutatorian Karen Laws and valedictorian Jean Flippin.]

May 28, 1965

Dunlap Wins...

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smoother ride and will maneuver safely at a higher velocity than conventional bicycles.

Instead of gears and a chain, the bike uses two pulleys and a V-shaped belt. As the bike picks up speed, the belt sinks deeper into the back pulley, effectively changing the gear ratio without shifting gears.

His main emphasis this year was on the suspension system, and Dunlap designed a system that keeps the back wheel almost entirely vertical, even when the bike leans, which he said would help the bike corner better.

The many hours spent perfecting the design finally paid off last week, with a trip to Canada, recognition at the International Science Fair, a cash award, and the possibility of future patenting.

Area Piano Students Perform

Sixteen local piano pupils from the class of Onita Steinhauser of Wilson have registered as candidates for membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians, sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers, Teacher Division of The American College of Musicians, of which their teacher is a member.

This group played in the National Piano Playing Auditions, Brownfield to strive for Pledges, Local, District, State, National or even International honors which the mother organization will confer according to the number of standard baroque, classic, romantic and modern pieces chosen from the Masters of pianoforte literature each student can creditably perform in the presence of an imported examiner of note.

Local entrants are Eric Arellano, Sarah Box, Casey Bolyard, Kyndel Byrd, Gary Chapa, Randal Follis, Stephen Follis, Kalesse Hammonds, Ashdon Hancock, David Hargis, Lana Jones, Laura Maeker, Jeremy Roberts, Althea Usher, Amy Williams, and Lora Yowell.

From coast to coast over 119,931 piano pupils of the nation participated in this annual national piano-playing event being held in 843 music centers of the country to become certified, given a gold or bronze embossed pin, and a year's Membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians and Piano Hobbyists of the World.

See a photo you would like to have?

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HARVEST FESTIVAL QUEENS- Ann Roberts (left), representing the Lynn County Harvest Festival Committee, and Betsy Pridmore (center), representing Tahoka Chamberettes, present past Harvest Festival Queens Stephanie Stennett ('93), Katy Huffaker ('92), and Susan Draper ('94) with their \$200 scholarships. Harvest Festival Queens are awarded their scholarships when they graduate from high school.

(LCN PHOTO)

Al Griggs Autocenter Recognized By Buick

Al Griggs Autocenter, Inc. in Tahoka has been recognized by Buick Motor Division as a "World Class" Buick dealership for outstanding performance in customer satisfaction.

"Buick recognizes the importance of a totally satisfied customer," said Dale H. Kingsbury, Buick manager of dealer assistance center operations. "The world class award recognizes the dealer that embraces Buick's customers vision philosophy by exceeding the customers' expectations throughout the ownership experience."

More than 500 Buick Dealer Assistance Center dealers were recognized as world class based on Buick's Customer Satisfaction Index. Each dealer received a special engraved crystal plate for outstanding performance.



6TH GRADE VALEDICTORIAN AND SALUTATORIAN- Klyssa Kelln (left) is the 6th grade valedictorian and Amada Aguilar is the 6th grade salutatorian at Tahoka Elementary.

(LCN PHOTO)

Lynn County Tax Office To Close For Equipment Installation

The Lynn County Tax Office in the courthouse will be closed May 22-24 as they take steps to improve the way they do business. Employees will undergo training on the new Registration and Title System, or RTS.

This \$40 million dollar automated system is a project of the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT). Its development began in 1987 to replace a manual system that was becoming obsolete because of the state's growing vehicle population.

As statutory agents of TxDOT, this tax office processes registration and title transactions in addition to collecting the appropriate fees. They will be using RTS to continue that work. The system brings enhancements in the level of efficiency and customer service. Registrations will be updated in the system within 48 hours, instead of the usual six to eight weeks. This will be of considerable benefit to all law enforcement agencies and the general public. Lynn County residents will get their vehicle titles within two weeks, not ten weeks.

RTS is also expected to reduce the amount of time it takes customers to wait in line. That is because tax office employees will no longer rely on paper forms to process each transaction. Instead, the data will be entered on a series of computer screens. This method of capturing information at the point-of-sale also provides a more accurate way of collecting and reporting registration and title fees of TxDOT.

They have worked closely with state government to make RTS a reality. The system is now being implemented across Texas. All 254 counties are scheduled to be on the network by December 1995.

This tax office will open its doors again on May 25. At that time, they will begin using the new tax system to perform registration and title transactions. As with any new system, some startup problems are possible, according to TxDOT officials.

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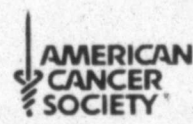
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Mistletoe Fights Cancer

It seems the powers of mistletoe may go well beyond a simple yuletide kiss. According to oncologist Sanford Kempkin, Medical Director at Desert Hospital Cancer Center, "It is the least toxic and most effective agent that we have right now for lung cancer." About 100 hospitals nationwide have participated in the clinical trials of Navelbine, a mistletoe derivative. Lung cancer will kill 153,000 Americans this year; this is the first new drug for lung cancer approved by the FDA in 20 years. Navelbine will be used in cases that cannot be helped by surgery or radiation.



THE LYNN COUNTY UNIT OF THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

... would like to express our heart-felt thanks to all of the merchants and friends in Tahoka, O'Donnell, Wilson and New Home who helped make our golf tournament at T-Bar Country club on May 6th a great success!

We have transmitted a total of \$3,096⁰⁰ to date as a result of those who participated in the business drive, golf tourney, door-to-door campaign and individual memorials.

We also want to thank all the individuals who gave donations and memorials.

The following merchants helped make this event possible:

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Letter To The Editor

To the people in Lynn County: I want to thank all of you who voted for me on the Hospital Board and for all of the support in the past. It has been my privilege to try to serve you since I've been on the board.

We have some good people on the board and I'm sure they will continue to support the Hospital for the benefit of the people in Lynn County. We have a Hospital to be proud of. Most of the credit goes to our administrator Louise Landers. When she came, the Hospital owed the bank \$100,000. We paid that back the first year and haven't had to borrow any money since then.

Many improvements have been made in the last six years and we have still maintained a good financial condition. I don't want to take anything away from many other people who have helped make all this happen.

We've always had a good board of Directors that had the best interest for the Hospital yet still represent the taxpayer. We have an excellent group of dedicated employees that helped to make this one of the best rural hospitals along with good doctors like the late Dr. Wright who contributed greatly to this county, and our current full-time doctors Donald Freitag and Grif Thomas.

With continued teamwork of our board, administrator, employees, EMTs and our well qualified doctors and you, the people in this county, we'll have a rural hospital that is second to none.

Sincerely,
Leland White



LIKE TO READ—These Tahoka second graders read for 1,500 minutes at home this semester, and were awarded by teachers with a trip to the Dairy Queen. They are back row from left, Colt Crossland, Cade Miller, Nickolas Rodriguez, Jeremy Summers, Gary Gonzales; and in front from left, Whitney Ferguson, Krista Norwood, Jessica Chaney, Cassidy Gandy, Sarah Box, and Amy Schuknecht. (LCN PHOTO)

Grassland Hobby Club Meets

Grassland Hobby Club met in the home of Faye Ramsey on May 4 with six members and two visitors.

They are planning on making another quilt.

The next meeting will be June 1. Club members will go to Lubbock and eat lunch and look for material for the quilt.

The Club also has more cook books to sell. They make good gifts for weddings and birthdays and other occasions. Anyone interested in a cookbook may call 998-4877 or 998-4831.

SPS Files Settlement Agreement On Property Acquisition Proposal

Southwestern Public Service Company has filed a settlement agreement with the Public Utility Commission of Texas that supports SPS's acquisition of properties in the Texas Panhandle currently owned by Texas-New Mexico Power Company.

SPS is seeking PUCT approval of the acquisition. In the settlement, the intervening parties agree to either support approval or agree to not oppose approval. Intervenor include the staff of the PUCT, the affected cities, the City of Amarillo, the State of Texas, TNP, and El Paso Electric Company.

SPS and TNP announced late last year an agreement to sell the Panhandle properties to SPS for \$29.2 million. The communities involved are Spearman, Perryton, Booker, Follet, Higgins and Darrouzett.

The communities involved request the sale because of the disparity of rates between TNP and other area suppliers of electricity. As part of SPS's purchase, rates to the affected communities will immediately be reduced 10 percent. Other rate decreases would follow over a ten-year period until the new customers are at the same rates as SPS's other customers in its Texas service area.

SPS Vice President of Rates and Regulation Gerald Diller said he is hopeful final approval from the PUCT can come within six weeks.

The final regulatory step before the transaction can be completed and before lower rates can take effect is approval from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Diller said. "We hope that will come before mid-summer," he said. "We will continue to work diligently to achieve these regulatory approvals so we can bring the benefits of lower rates to these customers."

Southwestern Public Service Company is a regional electric utility that primarily provides electric service to a population of about one million people in a 52,000 square-mile area comprising eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the South Plains and Panhandle of Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas. Through its Utility Engineering Corporation and Quix Corporation subsidiaries, the company also provides engineering, design and construction management services to a variety of industries and is involved in a number of non-utility power generation projects. Corporate headquarters is in Amarillo.

Registration Set May 22 Here For Head Start

Head Start services are available for income eligible children in Lynn County who are 3-5 years old.

Registration will be held May 22 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at 1629 Ave. J in Tahoka, Tx 79373, phone (806) 998-4123. The school year begins Sept. 5, 1995.

Head Start services include:

- Comprehensive child development services in a positive, caring classroom or in his/her own home with trained personnel; in the home based program a teacher will visit the child weekly to present lessons and activities

- A complete physical and dental exam and then any necessary follow-up visits are made

- Special needs children will receive prescribed services

- A nutritional service will be provided for children who are under/over weight or require nutritional services

- The social service component is concerned with the basic needs of each family; it acts as a liaison between the families and community resources in order to connect the family to the appropriate agency

- Educational field trips and socialization will be provided as well as educational opportunities for the parents

- All of the services will be offered in accordance to the availability of funds.

A child must be three years old on or before Sept. 1, 1995. To determine the child's eligibility of enrollment these documents are required: the child's birth certificate, immunization record, and Medicaid card if applicable plus Social Security numbers for all in the family; proof of income such as: a copy of a pay check or the check stub, a letter from the employer, 1994 income tax forms, or AFDC letter.

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Notice to Defendant: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you."

TO Salvadore Nunez Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Original Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 26th day of June, A.D., 1995, before the Honorable 106th District Court of Lynn County, Texas at the Court House of said County in Tahoka, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 4th day of May A.D. 1995, in this case, numbered 95-05-05408 on the docket of said court, and styled, In the Interest of the Child Jessica Duran.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: Carlos Jaime is Plaintiff and Salvadore Nunez is Defendant

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Original Petition for Termination and Adoption of Stepchild as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates thereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Tahoka Texas, this the 10th day of May A.D. 1995.

Attest: Sandra Laws Clerk,
Delivered this 10th day of May 1995
Jake Diggs, Sheriff of Lynn County
By Jerry D. Franklin Deputy
20-4tc

NOTICE

The Commissioner's Court of Lynn County, Texas will accept sealed bids until 9:30 a.m. June 2, 1995 for the purchase of one (1) new rubber tired front end loader. Lynn County will offer as partial payment, one (1) Case W-14 Wheel Loader which may be inspected by contacting Commissioner Jacky Henry, Pct. 1. Bids will be accepted on a Total Cost Bid basis, with 5 years, or 5000 hours guaranteed maintenance and guaranteed repurchase including financial options. Machine bid must meet the following minimum specifications:

One (1) new diesel powered, 4 wheel drive, rubber tired, front end loader with a minimum net 98 horsepower, current production model

Four cylinder, four cycle engine, turbocharges with direct fuel injection, diesel Power shift transmission with 4 forward and 3 reverse speeds, single lever control 2.0 yard bucket with bolt on teeth, automatic lift and bucket kickouts

Sealed loader linkage

Minimum breakout force- 22,000 lbs.

Minimum operating weight- 22,000 lbs.

Pressurized ROPS cab, factory installed air conditioner and heater

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Two lever hydraulic controls

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Rear drawbar

Z bar linkage

Caplocks keyed alike

Fenders- front and rear

Rear counterweight

Please list all exceptions which do not meet the minimum specifications. Lynn County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and the right to waive formalities.

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STUDENTS OF THE YEAR—Tahoka Elementary Students of the Year in 4th-6th grades are shown here. Back row from left, 6th grade, Matt Sanders, Klyssa Kelln, Casey Jones, Michelle Martin, Lezli Gandy; middle row from left, 5th grade, Nicole Green, Annie Barrientez, April Garcia, Adam Salinas, Miguel Garza, Blandon Hancock, D'Lynn Stone, Chelsey Miller, Chapee Dunlap, Dusty Logsdon; front row from left, 4th grade, Carla Jolly, Kalese Hammonds, Jessica Paredes, Matthew Wells, B.J. Andrews, Garrett Ferguson, and Britni Engle. Not shown is Stephen Brookshire. (LCN PHOTO)

The New Home News
by Karon Durham • 924-7448

Little Dribblers
The minor league teams played in the Meadow Tournament on May 6. The minor girls, coached by Micky Kieth, remain undefeated with the Championship trophy. The minor boys finished their season with 5th place in the tournament.

Athletic Banquet
The high school athletic banquet was held on Thursday, May 4, in the school cafeteria. The meal was catered by Danny's Hens and Fins. Awards were given as follows:

Boys basketball by Coach German-Shane Zant, most improved: Brandon Nettes, fighting heart; Brad Bell, defensive; Roy Flores, 6th man; Jason Gandy, MVP; Travis Smith, boys golf; Fabian DeLeon, boys track; Rita Torres, girls track.

Girls basketball by Coach Field-Farah Huddleston, short range: Emily Armijo, defense; Krista Holder, crash the boards; Angelica Dominguez and Rita Rodriguez, off season; Kary Durham, most improved.

Football by Coach Turner-Brad Bell, Jason Gandy, and Brandon Nettes, offensive; Juan Gomez, Nicky Tyler, and

Danny Scroggins, defensive; Shane Zant, MVP.

Tennis- Pete Neveraz and Farrah Huddleston.

Upcoming Events!
The New Home FFA banquet will be held in the school cafeteria on May 18 at 7 p.m. A bbq meal will be served.

Kindergarten graduation will be Tuesday, May 23 at 7 p.m.
Elementary play will be May 25 at 7 p.m. in the high school gym.

'Shoot For the Stars' Basketball Camp Set Here June 12-16

The Tahoka High School gymnasium will be the site for the "Shoot for the Stars" Basketball Camp on June 12-16, from 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. The camp is for any area boy or girl entering the third grade through ninth grade.

At camp, high school coaches and college players will work with the campers on individual fundamen-

tals as well as team play. Campers will be able to compete in various individual competitions against players of equal skills.

The cost of this camp is \$45 which includes a camp t-shirt. Those interested in signing up to attend this camp need to contact Coach Robert White at 998-5476. Campers are encouraged to sign up as soon as possible to ensure a spot in the camp.

A Varsity division of this camp will be held during the same week. The Varsity division will be from 6-9 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday of the camp week. This part of the camp is for high school players only and will be directed by Coach Tony Starnes of Dodd City High School (near Dallas). The cost of the Varsity camp is \$20 which includes a camp t-shirt.

New Home School Menu

May 22-26

Breakfast

Monday: Cinnamon Toast, Milk.

Tuesday: Granola Bar, Milk.

Wednesday: Muffins, Milk.

Thursday: Biscuit, Sausage, Milk.

Friday: Donut, Milk.

Lunch

Monday: Chili Cheese Dog, Tator Tots, Pork 'n Beans, Fruit Cup, Milk.

Tuesday: Frito Pie, Lettuce/Tomato, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Fruit, Cornbread, Milk.

Wednesday: Pizza, Corn, Lettuce/Tomato, Jello w/Fruit, Milk.

Thursday: Manager's Choice, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Milk.

Friday: Hamburger or Cheeseburger, Trimmings, French Fries, Milk.

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

Producers Given Opportunity To Convert CRP To Cropland

In Lynn County, CRP participants have an opportunity to be released before the expiration of their contract. Producers, who plan to convert released CRP acreage to crop production or other similar agriculture activity, are required to meet with the Natural Resources Conservation Service (formerly SCS) to develop a basic conservation plan. Producers, who are approved for early release, must follow a basic conservation plan until such time as the CRP-1 would normally expire.

A basic conservation system meets erosion control criteria. Sheet and rill, gully and wind erosion in excess of acceptable rates are major problems associated with erosion control in Lynn County. A basic conservation plan applies practices that will reduce soil loss to an acceptable level.

Contour farming, terraces, waterways, or permanent vegetation may be required to control water erosion on converted CRP land. Windstrips or a high residue crop rotation will be required for wind erosion control. However, some soils in Lynn County are not eligible to go back to crop production and must be maintained in a permanent vegetative cover to meet the requirements of a basic conservation plan.

Producers who are considering converting CRP grass to cropland are encouraged to review the requirements of a basic conservation plan.

If producers have questions about the basic plan requirements, they are encouraged to call the local Natural Resources Conservation Service at 998-4507 or come by the office located at 1647 Ave. J in Tahoka.

Shayla Brandon Places At State

Tahoka High School sophomore Shayla Brandon placed sixth in the 800 meter run at the State Track Meet in Austin last weekend, with a time of 2:25.46.

She placed second at the regional meet to qualify for the state level. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brandon of Tahoka.

Four County Co-op Provides Special Services

Four County Special Services Co-op serves the following ten districts: Brownfield, Denver City, Loop, O'Donnell, Plains, Seagraves, Seminole, Tahoka, Union, and Wellman.

Services are provided to children between the ages of 3 and 21 years who have a speech, physical, or other problem which interferes with their learning. Services can also be arranged for children from birth through two years who are considered to be a risk.

Anyone who knows a child who may need special education assistance or anyone with questions, can call (806) 637-8448 in Brownfield or contact the local school district.

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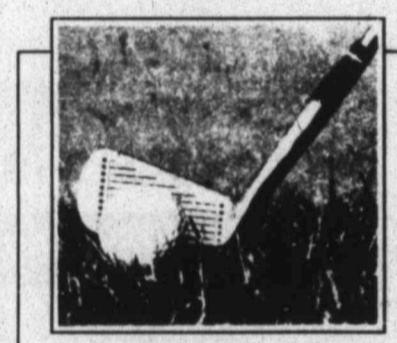
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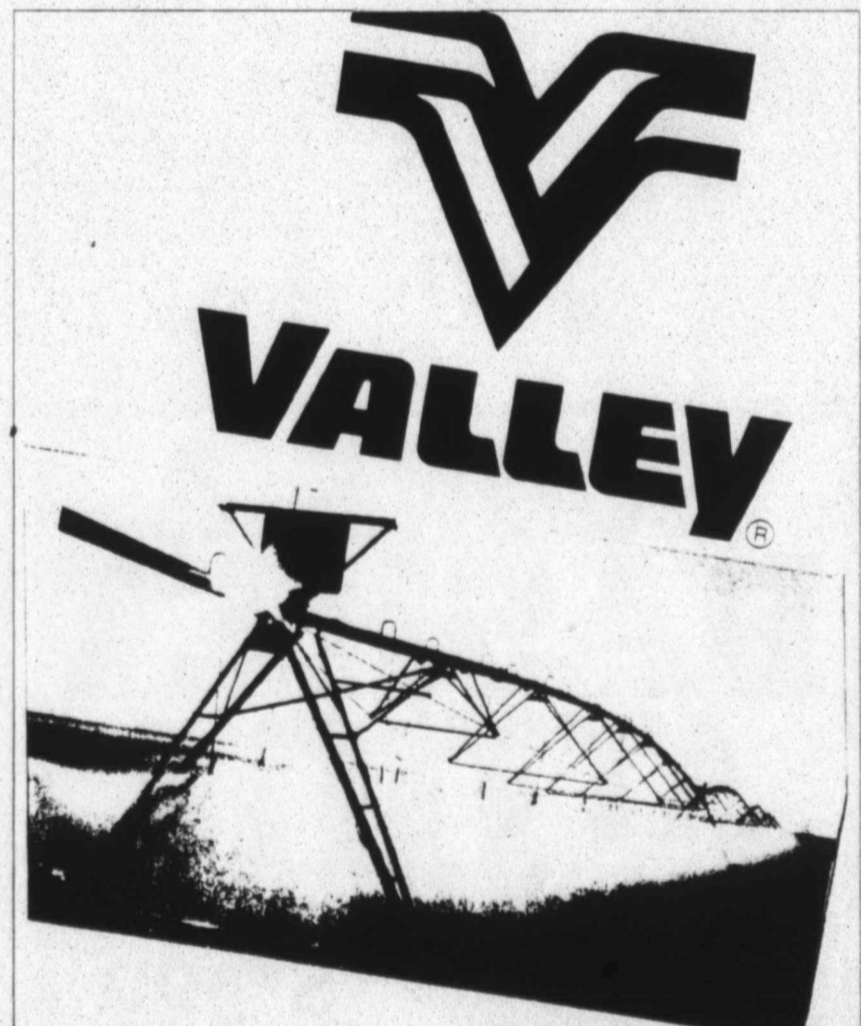
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May Commodity Schedule

May 19 - O'Donnell Sr. Citizens, morning
May 19 - O'Donnell Baptist Church, afternoon
May 26 - New Home, morning
May 26 - Wilson, afternoon

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STUDENTS OF THE YEAR—Tahoka Elementary named Students of the Year at the awards assembly this week. They are, in front from left, 1st grade: Alfredo Resendez, Porscha Mitchell, Brandi Raindl, Ruben Valdez, Kevin Elmore, Shelly Gandy, Katharine Reno, Chris White; middle row from left, 2nd grade, Cade Miller, Juan Ramon Aguirre, Colt Crossland, Ashdon Hancock, Whitney Ferguson, Cassidy Gandy, Krista Norwood, Monte Jolly, Nickolas Rodriguez; back row from left, 3rd grade, Santos Mathis, Keiva Norwood, Eloy Mendez, Chase Dunlap, Sandra Pina, Lindsay Preston, Tara House, Kelly Engle, Brady Askew. (LCN PHOTO)

The Wilson News

by Buster Abbe • 628-6368

Kindergarten graduation will be Monday, May 22 at 6 p.m. in the high school auditorium. There will be a reception following for all who attend the graduation.

The Wilson PTO will meet Monday, May 22 at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The Wilson Elementary "Clubtown Theater Arts Class" consisting of Wilson 4th-6th graders will present a one act play on Monday, May 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. This presentation is open to the public and there is no admission charge.

The elementary school awards and recognition assembly will be Tuesday, May 23 at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. The ceremony is open to the public and all are invited to honor the elementary students and their accomplishments.

Thursday, May 18 has been scheduled as "Buddy Day" which will replace the elementary playday on May 25. This is a "fun day" for all students.

The annual UIL banquet will be May 19 at 7 p.m. in the elementary gym. Tickets are \$6 per person and will be available at the door. A dance will follow from 9 p.m.-midnight. The dance is limited to students in grade 7-12 and their guests who attend the banquet with them. Those who leave the dance will not be allowed to re-enter.

Those attending the banquet are asked to park on the school parking lot or in the small lot between the old gym and ag building. Dr. Paul Vaughn of the Ag. Communications Department at Texas Tech will address the group. All students and teacher/sponsors are reminded to bring their admission tickets.

Students are reminded to bring their pictures, as requested by the Booster Club, to be used in decorating the gym for the banquet. Please put your name on the back of the picture so that it may be returned.

Decorating for the UIL banquet will begin right after school on Thursday afternoon. Last minute preparation will continue on Friday and all volunteers and booster club members are urged to attend and help with the decorations. Volunteers and booster club members are requested to help clean up after the banquet. For more information or to volunteer, please call Sheri Gickhorn at 628-6469.

Wilson ISD will offer the summer fun program for all elementary students and for any child in the school district between the ages 3 and 5. Activities are planned for Thursdays in the month of June. Registration forms will be sent home with those students currently enrolled in the district. Parents of Pre-K and Kindergarten students not yet enrolled in the district may contact elementary principal Kelley Hirt at 628-6261 for more information or to request a registration form.

Wilson seniors are sponsoring a baccalaureate service on Sunday, May 21 in the high school auditorium, beginning at 7 p.m. Speaker will be Terry Newton, pastor of the West Side Church of Christ in Slaton. The ceremony is open to the public and all are invited, by the seniors.

Wilson Baptist Youth To Serve Baked Potatoes

The youth of First Baptist Church of Wilson will be serving a meal of baked potatoes with toppings on Sunday, May 21 from 12:15-1:30 p.m. Salads and desserts will also be served.

There is no cost for the meal; however, donations will be accepted and appreciated. The community is invited as well as members of First Baptist Church Wilson. Donations will help the youth go to a summer youth camp.

Wilson School Menu

May 22-25 Breakfast
Monday: Cereal, Toast, Apple Juice, Milk.
Tuesday: Pancakes, Orange Juice, Milk.
Wednesday: Breakfast Pizza, Pineapple Tidbits, Milk.
Thursday: Cinnamon Toast, Applesauce, Milk.
Lunch
Monday: Steak Fingers, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Pineapple Cake, Milk.
Tuesday: Pizza, Buttered Corn, Salad, Peach Half, Milk.
Wednesday: Hamburger, Trimmings, Scalloped Potatoes, Spice Cake, Milk.
Thursday: Manager's Choice, Vegetables, Dessert, Milk.

Watch Up During Outdoor Activities

Ballfields are filling up; yard work is in full force; the skies are full of severe weather. All are signs of spring.

With the increase of outdoor activities that comes with spring, Southwestern Public Service Company reminds its customers to "watch up for safety."

One of the places where electrical accidents can occur is the farm, according to Bill Mullins, SPS Southern Division Safety and Claims Specialist. "Quite often people forget to look up when they're lifting irrigation pipes, antennas or other metal objects," he said. "It's important to always 'watch up' and know where the electric lines are."

Mullins said that same warning applies to others on the job, particularly those who are working above street level. "Roofers need to be extra careful as they move equipment," he said. "Those trimming trees also have to be careful; that extra height could be just enough to bring them in contact with electrical lines." In fact, Mullins said, federal and state safety regulations require the electric company to be notified if contractors work near electric lines.

Customers also need to be careful during the severe weather that often occurs in spring.

"If an outage occurs at your home during a storm," said Mullins, "call your local SPS 'repair' or 'service' number listed in the phone book. SPS has employees who are trained and equipped to correct the problem and restore service."

If you see a fallen power line on the ground, call SPS and keep people away from the line. Do not touch the line or anything it is touching, such as a car or fence, Mullins said. "Assume every line is 'live' and dangerous," he said.

Many of the service problems that occur during a storm are the result of fallen tree limbs or lightning. Besides causing outages, lightning can also be dangerous to people involved in outdoor activities. If you are outdoors as a lightning storm approaches, remember that trees do not protect you from lightning and, in fact, attract it.

Parents should take the time to teach their children to avoid electrical facilities when playing outdoors. Fly kites and model airplanes in open areas, far from power lines. If a ball is hit over a neighborhood substation fence, don't try to retrieve the ball yourself, Mullins said. Call the electric company instead.

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