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Water Leak Pumps Up \$900 Fee; City Denies Plea For Adjusting Bill

Over 600,000 gallons of water gushed into a field from a water leak at the Tahoka Compress on Ave. D before the leak was noticed and the water shut off, with a water bill of more than \$900 assessed for the water usage. City officials notified the Trinity Company, owner of the property, when city water department employees read the meter and alerted City Administrator Jerry Webster.

Property owners requested the city to consider adjusting the water usage fees, because the leak had gone unnoticed and quite a large water fee was accumulated, about \$940. However, city policy says that if a water leak is on the city side of the meter (not on privately owned property) the city is liable, but if the water line is on the customer's property then the customer is liable for the water usage. City council members, while sympathetic to the owner's pleas, upheld city policy and declined to adjust the water fees.

"Unfortunately, the owners just did not notice the leak and it went unchecked for probably the whole month - we hate that it happened, but we must adhere to city policy," Webster told *The News*.

The issue was discussed at the city council meeting held Tuesday night, among other business, including canvassing the May 6 election

and issuing the oath of office to newly elected councilman Jimmy McMillan and re-elected incumbent Clara Calvillo. Jay Dee House, who was also re-elected, was not present at the meeting.

Ray Don Box, outgoing councilman, was present to address fellow council members and city officials, noting his appreciation for working with them during the past six years. Council members Amy Preston and John Chapa Jr. were also present, as well as Mayor Mike Mensch, and Webster.

In other business, the council considered an offer from Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Tahoka of donating some property adjacent to the church to the city if a park/playground could be built there by the city. Council members were enthusiastic about the possibilities but said that grant funding for the proposed park would need to be sought from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept., which could possibly take a year or more to obtain. After some discussion, the council decided to table the issue until further discussions could be held with Pleasant Grove representatives.

The city pool will be opening soon, probably June 1, and council members voted to hire an additional lifeguard for the first two or three weeks after the pool opens to properly safeguard swimmers since that is the busiest time. Normally, two lifeguards handle the duties at the pool.

Monthly bills were approved, and the meeting adjourned at approximately 8 p.m., with all business conducted in just under an hour.



AUSTIN-BOUND ON A FAST TRACK - These Tahoka High School athletes are heading to Austin this weekend to compete in the State Track Meet. The Bulldogs 400-meter relay team include, standing from left, Randy White, Jeff Elmore, Larry Davis, and kneeling in front, Stephen Solorzano and alternate Josh Thompson. Chelsea White, second from right, will run in the 400m dash, and Carissa Graves, right, will compete in the 200m dash. (LCN PHOTO)

Voters Mark Choices In City, School Elections

Lynn County voters chose their representatives in the two city and four school elections held Saturday, May 6, with a good turnout reported.

In Tahoka, Tommy Botkin led a slate of seven candidates seeking two at-large seats on the Tahoka Independent School District Board of Trustees, and incumbent Greg Henley claimed the other seat. Botkin had 262 votes and Henley had 174, followed by Valton Stephens with 130, Abraham Vega 104, David Ehlers 78, Leonard Dunn 47, and Mitch Rainold 39. In the Tahoka city election, challenger Jimmy McMillan ousted incumbent Ray D. Box with 223 votes to Box's 197 for the at-large seat on the council. Unopposed incumbents Clara Calvillo (32 votes) and Jay Dee House (190 votes) won their respective seats for Districts 2 and 4.

Michael E. Taylor claimed a one-year unexpired term by four votes over John Fields in the Wilson I.S.D. trustee election, with 38 votes for Taylor and 34 for Fields. No election was held for the other two candidates who were running unopposed for the two regular terms on the board, with Vanessa Stewart and John Henderson to be declared elected. No election was held in the City of Wilson as the incumbents ran unopposed, and Mayor Jackie Bishop and councilmen Oscar Follis and Mark Holeman will each serve another two-year term.

John E. Morris led the ticket in the New Home I.S.D. race for two seats on the board of trustees, and Marinda Tyler claimed the other seat. Morris had 73 votes, Tyler 59, incumbent Michael Rodriguez had 49, and Alan

Nettles 22. No election was held for the City of New Home, with unopposed incumbents Rob Mello, Louis Rodriguez and Dale Clem to serve another 2-year term.

And in O'Donnell, incumbent Nelson D. Hogg led the ticket with 340 votes in the school board election for two at-large seats and incumbent Renn Dorman claimed the other seat with 185 votes, with challenger Ernie Cruz getting 83 votes. In the city election, Rex Little was elected to a one-year unexpired term with 135 votes, running unopposed. No election was held for the position of mayor and two full terms on the city council, with the candidates running unopposed. Mayor James Williams will serve another two-year term for O'Donnell, and newcomers Harry Howell and Charles Goad will be declared elected on the city council for two-year terms.

Lynn County Hospital District also held no election due to unopposed candidates, with incumbents Jerry Ford, Billy Tomlinson and Virginia Griffing to serve another three-year term on the hospital's board of directors.

Bands, Choirs To Present Concerts

The Tahoka High School 3-D Band and the THS Choir will present their annual Spring Concert at 7 p.m. Thursday (today) in the high school auditorium.

The students will present a program of jazz, marching tunes, and popular music. The senior members of the band will be recognized and discharged from the 3-D band.

The sixth, seventh, and eighth grade bands and the middle school choir will present their program on Tuesday, May 16, at 7 p.m. in the auditorium.

Dog Bite, Drug Cases Reported

A 3-year-old O'Donnell girl was treated at Lynn County Hospital Monday after she was bitten by a dog at a residence just north of O'Donnell. Tessa Sanchez, daughter of Bobby and Amy Sanchez, had head injuries from repeated severe bites by a dog described as a mix of Rottweiler and German Shepherd. The dog was destroyed and results of tests for possible rabies had not been received by Wednesday.

Tahoka Police arrested a 16-year-old Lubbock youth after a quantity of crack cocaine was found in his car stopped by police and a deputy in Tahoka Tuesday.

Police also arrested two persons for driving while intoxicated during the week and one woman for public intoxication.

On Tuesday deputies arrested three Wilson residents, age 31, 32 and 40 for evading arrest Sunday after officers went to Wilson where they had a report that tires and wheels were being stolen off a pickup. The suspects fled the scene, but later were identified and arrested.

On May 3, New Home Church of Christ reported that someone had sprayed words and initials on a corner of the church building.

A 30-year-old O'Donnell man and a 42-year-old O'Donnell man were arrested in separate cases for application to revoke probation on convictions for DWI second offense.

In jail during the week were four persons for public intoxication, three for DWI, three for evading arrest, three on outstanding warrants, one for theft out of Lubbock County, and one on a warrant for no auto liability insurance.

4-H'ers Win At Judging Contest

Eight Lynn County 4-H members competed recently at the District 2 Livestock Judging Contest at Texas Tech University, competing against 4-H members from 20 area counties.

Seven of the eight members competing from Lynn County finished in the top ten in individual competition. According to Bryan Reynolds, Lynn County Extension Agent, it is a rare accomplishment to have the High Individual in the Junior I and Junior II divisions and the 2nd High Individual in the Senior division.

Results of the competition are:
Junior I division--Matthew Saldana, High Individual and Wacie Barnett, 6th High Individual;
Junior II division--Cade Miller, High Individual and Landon Bartley, 4th High Individual;
Senior division--Klyssa Kelln, 2nd High Individual; Riley Barnett, 4th High Individual; Brandi Tekell, 10th High Individual; and Kendall Barnett, 15th High Individual.

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
May 3	81	51	
May 4	87	53	
May 5	97	58	
May 6	99	64	
May 7	100	68	
May 8	97	68	
May 9	79	58	

WOODWORK by Dalton

EVERY TIME there is a shooting tragedy at a school or McDonald's or anywhere else, a bunch of politicians, led by President Clinton, get a lot of TV exposure demanding rigid gun controls, trigger locks, etc.

Meanwhile, those of us who grew up in the 40s and 50s remember when every kid over 14 owned a .22 rifle and almost never shot anybody. The point is, as one of the Columbine shooting survivors told a congressional panel, it's not the accessibility of guns that causes people to kill other people; it's the climate of "violence is the answer to all disputes and problems" that has been fostered by society, much of that from TV and the failure of parents to instill moral values in their children.

The Center for Disease Control and Prevention once sent us a brochure about "Preventing Homicide in the Workplace." You might try working with nicer people. Or maybe carrying a gun, so you can get them before they get you. Guess we'd better not propose that, though. The report said guns were used in 75 per cent of homicides in the workplace, knives and other sharp instruments in 14 per cent. Three people were talked to death (okay, so I made that last one up).

The brochure offered 13 tips on how to prevent murders in the workplace, including silent alarms, good lighting, bulletproof barriers and carrying small amounts of cash (that's the easiest one, of course; we do that all the time).

KNOTHOLES: Even in the middle of the night, you can see ads on TV that ask you to "Call now, operators are standing by." On telethons sometimes they say this, and then show rows of phone answerers, every one of whom is sitting down ... I have often referred to "United" things as "Untied", as in the Untied Parcel Service. Once the Methodist Church bulletin in Slaton actually had its return address printed "First Untied Methodist Church." I guess the Lord has set them free.

Lady Raider Melinda Schmucker-Pharies To Speak At THS Athletic Banquet

Melinda Schmucker-Pharies, a 5-9 senior guard for the Texas Tech Lady Raiders basketball team, will be featured speaker at the Tahoka High School Athletic Banquet next Thursday, May 18. Open to the public, the banquet begins at 7 p.m. at The Center for Housing and Community Development, located at 1400 Ave. K. A meal catered by Jim Jackson Barbecue of Post will be served at a cost of \$7 per plate.



Melinda Schmucker-Pharies

The banquet is sponsored by the Bulldog Booster Club, and awards and honors will be presented to Tahoka High School athletes by TISD coaches.

Schmucker-Pharies, a graduate of Nazareth High School, is one of the leaders for the Lady Raiders team, and played all 40 minutes in the

NCAA Sweet 16 game against Rutgers as a junior - a year during which she led the Raiders with 188 assists, which ranks second on Tech's all-time list for most assists in a season. She was selected to the 1999 Big 12 All-Star team that toured Europe during that summer.

During her high school career at Nazareth, she earned numerous basketball awards throughout all four years and was a senior when her team won the IA state championship title, averaging 21 points per game and named All-District, All-Region, South Plains and All-State IA Player of the Year, All-State Tournament team selection, and IA State Tournament MVP, Miss Texas Basketball, IABC All-State, and ranked third-best player in the state by *Texas Hoops*.

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MANDY SANDERS
Sanders Earns
USAA Awards

Mandy Sanders, who attends Tahoka High School, has been notified by the United States Achievement Academy that she has been named an All-American Scholar and a United States National Award Winner in Foreign Language.

She was nominated for the awards by Danna Curry, a Spanish teacher at THS, and counselor Sherri McCord. Her name will appear in the USAA Official Yearbook and The All-American Scholar Yearbook, both of which are published nationally.

Mandy is the daughter of Steve and Judy Sanders of Tahoka. She is the granddaughter of Richard and Fonda Dixon of Tyrone, Oklahoma and Harrold Sanders of Rotan.

Charm: that quality in others of making us more satisfied with ourselves.

Reyna Named Award Winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that Ricky Reyna of Post has been recognized as a National Leadership and Service Award winner.

Reyna, who attends Post Middle School, will appear in the USAA Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

Ricky is the son of Freddy and Tina Reyna of Post. His grandparents are Bill and Debbie Strickland of Levelland and Galen and Sandy Powell of Grassland.

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STORK REPORT

George and April Sepeda of Tahoka announce the birth of a son, George Louis Sepeda III, born at 12:18 a.m. Friday, April 14, 2000 at Highland Medical Center in Lubbock. He weighed 6 lbs. 5 1/4 oz. and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Delores Saldana of Tahoka and the late Bibian Saldana Sr., and George and Andrea Sepeda of Tahoka.

Great-grandparents are Salome and Jesusa Saldana of Tahoka.



JHONATHAN KNOX
Knox Named Award Winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that Jhonathan K. Knox of Tahoka has been named a United States National Award Winner in Leadership and Service.

Jhonathan, who attends Tahoka High School, was nominated for this national award by a teacher at his school. His name will appear in the USAA Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

Jhonathan is the son of Starr Bray of Tahoka. His grandparents are Leighton and Joan Knox of Tahoka.



SCHOLARSHIP WINNER - Cory D. Whitley of Tahoka recently received the \$1,000 H.F. Timmons Scholarship at the annual Honors and Awards Convocation held at Southwestern Oklahoma State University's School of Pharmacy in Weatherford, Okla.

Chronic Pain May Be Diagnosed As Fibromyalgia

by Doris Collins
Lynn County CEA-FCS

There has been increased talk in the news recently about fibromyalgia, leaving many people wondering what it is, how it is diagnosed, etc.

According to Dr. John Joseph of Scott and White in Temple, fibromyalgia is a disorder involving chronic pain in the muscles, ligaments, and tendons. It is often called fibromyalgia syndrome, meaning that it is not a specific illness but a condition that involves several symptoms that occur together. Although the condition may feel like it affects your joints, it is not an arthritic condition and does not cause deformity in the joints.

Symptoms of fibromyalgia are varied and can include: difficulty sleeping, fatigue, anxiety, stress, depression, numbness, headaches, tingling in the hands and feet, digestive problems, and sensitivity to weather and temperature changes.

Symptoms seem to be more severe during the first year of diagnosis and become milder thereafter. Although the condition can be painful, it is not crippling, life-threatening or progressive. Fibromyalgia is difficult to diagnose because many of the symptoms mimic problems associated with other conditions. Medical tests are administered to rule out the other conditions first. The cause of the condition is still under investigation.

To help in diagnosis, The American College of Rheumatology has established guidelines to determine diagnosis. The guidelines include widespread aching for at least three months and a minimum of 11 locations on the body that are abnormally tender under relatively mild pressure. These areas are called tender points. These guidelines help the doctor determine whether fibromyalgia is causing a patient's pain.

Regular exercise, mild pain medication, and stress reducing techniques may help ease some of the discomfort. There is no known cure for fibromyalgia.

Tahoka Care Center News

by Barbara Stice

Well, here it is time again for our birthday party and Mother's Day party this week, we are looking forward to it. It will be Ina Phillip's birthday.

Jim Elrod is still in the hospital. We will all be glad to have him back at the Center soon.

I would like to thank all the churches that come on the weekends. The residents always look forward to Sundays.

Everyone at the Center are a great help on the weekends, they keep things hopping for me and the residents.

Our Resident for the Month of May is Mrs. Teeter. She comes from O'Donnell and is one of our fastest bingo players. At the age of 98 she sure can keep me running. She's a great lady to be around.

Domino games are still going well. Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Mathis and I played last week. Mrs. Phillips won, but I did come in second this time. Boy was it hard work! We are trying to get more men to play, but so far they can't keep up with the ladies!

We still need some help with the back yard. The residents are begging to go out some to sit in the back yard. They enjoy being out there...they sit around talking about old times. I sure enjoy hearing their stories.

Thank you Gail Stark for your donation of flowers for the ladies to wear on Mother's Day. They are so pretty.

Happy Mother's Day to all the ladies!



The Latin name for Saturday—*Dies Saturni*—honors the Roman god of the harvest, Saturn.



REV. GLORIA MOORE
Pleasant Grove Celebrates Pastor's First Anniversary

The members of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church of Tahoka celebrated their pastor's first anniversary with special services recently, with over 200 guests and more than a dozen pastors from surrounding towns attending to celebrate with Rev. Gloria Moore. She has completed her first year as pastor there, and says she is looking forward to continuing to serve.

"Several new members have united with the church, and we have one of the largest and best youth choirs around," says a representative of the church, adding, "Pastor Moore has had lots of work done to improve the building, and we appreciate her dedication and hard work for the people."

"Pastor Moore is a people person - we are proud of her and we love her and her family," stated the church spokesman.

Rev. Moore said, "Glory, honor and thanks be to God who gives us the victory, and special thanks to my husband, Reggie Moore, who supports me, encourages me, and listens to my complaints. I look forward to serving another year at Pleasant Grove."

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God Bless you all! - Beverly Zuniga

Sanders Records Hole-In-One

Matt Sanders, a junior at Tahoka High School, scored a hole-in-one at T-Bar Country Club last Thursday.

The ace was on the 127-yard Hole #3. Sanders used an 8 iron on the shot.

Witnesses to the hole-in-one were Blake Ashcraft and Chris McAllister.

Tahoka Students Honored At WBU

Three former Tahoka High School students were recently honored at Wayland Baptist University's annual Recognition Chapel.

Susan Draper received the Music Division-Piano Award as well as the Who's Who Award. She is the daughter of Milt and Dorothy Draper of Tahoka.

Rebekah Hutton received the Pioneer Scholarship Award. Her parents are David and Glenna Hutton of Muleshoe, formerly of Tahoka.

Blanda Miller received the Pioneer Scholarship Award. She is the daughter of B.L. and Pam Miller of Tahoka.

Draper Graduates From McMurry

Amy C. Draper of Tahoka was one of 132 seniors to receive a degree during Spring Commencement ceremonies at McMurry University in Abilene on Saturday, May 6.

Amy, who received a degree in Biology, is the daughter of Milt and Dorothy Draper of Tahoka.

Check out the City of Tahoka's Website!



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Sadie Thompson
Graveside service for Sadie Thompson, 87, of Tahoka, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday at the Memorial Garden. Her funeral will be officiated by Pastor Herb Mims of the First Baptist Church. She died Wednesday, May 3, 2000, at Parks Methodist Village.
She was born in Seymour, Mo., married in 1934 in Post Office, Okla. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.
Survivors include Judy Billingsley of Tahoka, Clodell Avenue, Jones of Levelland, Grand Prairie, and J. of Tahoka; and six grandchildren.
JUANITA DELGADO
Rosary service for Juanita Delgado, 80, of Tahoka, will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, May 5, at the St. Ann's Catholic Church. Her funeral will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the same church. Burial will be in the Garden of Life at the Garden of Life Funeral Home of Lubbock. She died Wednesday, May 3, 2000, at Covenant Medical Center. She was born in Delgado, Mexico. She moved from Lubbock in 1950. She was a Catholic.
Survivors include Guadalupe of Mansfield, Leon, Pablo and Santos, two daughters, Susie Worth and Janie Muleshoe; a brother, of Wilson; 19 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.
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OBITUARIES

Sadie Thompson

Graveside services for Sadie Bell Thompson, 87, of Odessa were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, May 5, at Sunset Memorial Gardens with the Rev. Herb Mims officiating.

She died Wednesday, May 3, 2000, at Parks Methodist Retirement Village.

She was born July 4, 1912 in Seymour. She married Steve Thompson in 1934 in Post. She moved to Odessa in the late 1940s from Forsan. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her daughter, Judy Billingsley of Houston; four sisters, Clodell Aven of Hart, Ruby Jones of Levelland, Lois Young of Grand Prairie, and Joyce Pewsorth of Tahoka; and six grandchildren.

Graham Rux Hensley

Services for Graham Rux Hensley, 45, of Loves Park, Illinois will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 11 (today) at First United Methodist Church in Tahoka with Rev. Marvin Gregory officiating.

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

He died Saturday, May 6, 2000 in Illinois.

He was born Dec. 28, 1953 in Lubbock. He graduated from Tahoka High School and received a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology from Texas Tech University. He also received a Masters Degree in Social Work. He moved from Lubbock to Rockford, Ill. He was a psychology therapist.

Survivors include a daughter, Brea Ann Post of Lubbock; his mother, Virginia Hensley of Tahoka; a brother, Roger Hensley of Post; and a sister, Diana Hawthorne of Tahoka.

The family suggests memorials to Draw Cemetery, Rt. 5, Box 302, Tahoka 79373.



Juanita Delgado

Rosary services for Juanita Delgado, 80, of Wilson were held at 7 p.m. Friday, May 5 at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Wilson. Mass was celebrated at 11 a.m. Saturday in the same church with deacon Richard Flores officiating.

Burial was in Green Memorial Park under the direction of Calvillo Funeral Home of Lubbock.

She died Wednesday, May 3, 2000 at Covenant Medical Center.

She was born June 15, 1919 in De Kalb. She married Matias Delgado on May 18, 1936 in Lockhart. He died on Dec. 29, 1997. She moved from Lockhart to Wilson in 1950. She was a homemaker and a Catholic.

Survivors include five sons, Guadalupe of Mansfield, Natividad "Shorty" and Leon, both of Slaton, Pablo and Santos, both of Wilson; two daughters, Susie Martinez of Fort Worth and Janie Saldana of Muleshoe; a brother, John Guzman of Wilson; 19 grandchildren; and 27 great-grandchildren.

Mildred Bradley

Services for Mildred Bradley, 84, of Clovis, N.M. will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 11 (today) at Sixth Street Church of Christ in Friona with Leon Talley officiating.

Burial will be in Friona Cemetery.

She died Monday, May 8, 2000 at High Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis.

She was born Sept. 6, 1915 in Chickasha, Okla. She married Claude W. Bradley in June of 1935 in El Dorado, Okla. He died March 27, 1991.

She lived the past five years in Clovis, moving from Friona, where she had lived for 14 years. She was a homemaker and was active at the Sixth Street Church of Christ in Friona.

Survivors include two daughters, Doris White of Friona and Betty McPherson of Clovis; four sons, Donald of Plainview, Gary of Lubbock, and Marshall and Floyd, both of Melrose; three sisters, Francis Sellers of Olustee, Okla., Faye Lewis of Tahoka and Lorene Stidd of Adena, Ohio; two brothers, Verdell Carmichael of Cleveland and Bill Carmichael of Citrus Heights, Calif.; 17 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren.

The term restaurant was first used by Boulanger who opened the first establishment of its kind in Paris in 1765.



GFWC WINNERS - These young people were winners of the General Federation of Womens Clubs-Caprock District Short Story and Poetry Contests and presented their work at the May 2 Phebe K. Warner Club meeting. Winners were (back) Klyssa Selmon, Shamar Autry, Callie McKay, Skylar Owens, Matthew McLelland and (front) Brittany Norwood and Nikki Box.

Texas Tech Researching Mowing Along Texas Highways

Mowing along Texas highways is a costly venture that has economic, aesthetic and safety implications. Researchers at Texas Tech University are working with the Texas Department of Transportation to determine the optimal factors in the mowing process to enhance the results and to possibly save taxpayer dollars.

According to Richard E. Zartman, Ph.D., professor of soil physics in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources' department of plant and soil science, researchers have completed the first year of the five-year multi-disciplinary project.

"The five-year project will evaluate the frequency and height of mowing at four locations across the state," Zartman said. "The goal is to maintain not only the safety of the highways, but also to maintain good aesthetics."

Zartman explained that the four chosen locations: Andrews, Tahoka, Brady and Lufkin, represent the four main climates found across the state. Andrews represents the arid, hot and dry areas of the state. Tahoka is a semi-arid region, whereas Brady, which is the geographic center of the state, is wetter with a longer growing season and higher humidity. Lufkin is representative of the East Texas piney woods area.

Each test area is only a half-mile in length, and about two to three mow swaths wide. The process involves mowing portions of each location one, two and three times annually, at heights of two inches, four inches and eight inches.

"The extremes of the spectrum are, that if you mow too short and too frequently, you will probably get some erosion and loss of vegetation. On the other hand, if mowing isn't often enough or low enough, there are safety concerns if the vegetation grows too high," Zartman said.

Three other researchers are working with Zartman in specific areas of the project. John Borrelli, Ph.D., a civil engineering professor, is working on the erosion factors. Ron E. Sosebee, Ph.D., a professor in Texas Tech's range, wildlife and fisheries management department is studying the effects of the mowing on canopy cover and vegetation species. Cynthia McKenney, Ed.D., an instructor, researcher and undergraduate program coordinator, is monitoring the aesthetics and overall look of each location.

NEW AT THE LIBRARY

The Runner by Christopher Reich
In July 1945, Devlin Judge, an American lawyer and former New York City police detective, has come to Europe as part of the International Military Tribunal to try Nazi war criminals. But Judge has a very personal agenda — to find the Nazi responsible for his brother's death: a man named Erich Seyss. An elite member of Hitler's SS and former Olympic sprinter, Seyss has just escaped from an American POW camp. Determined to avenge his brother and bring Seyss to justice, Judge plunges into immediate pursuit. Menaced at every turn by forces determined to keep him from his prey, he enlists the help of Ingrid Bach, the beautiful daughter of one of the most powerful men in Nazi Germany...and Seyss's former fiancée.

As the hunter becomes the hunted, the chase for Seyss becomes nothing less than a race to save the future of Europe itself.

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HOBY DELEGATE - Chelsey Miller, the Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Seminar Delegate from Tahoka High School, recently presented a program to the Phebe K. Warner Club on her experiences as a HOBY Delegate. Chelsey is a sophomore at THS.

Senior Citizens MENU

May 15-19

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WILSON ONE ACT PLAY - The Wilson One Act Play cast and crew recently performed "A Midsummer Night's Dream" at Zone competition, placing third. Cast and crew members were: (back) Justin Brannan, David Yowell, Casey Donald, Patrick Zavala, Heath Talkmitt, Billy Cavender, Christopher Donathan, Casey Bolyard; and (front) Jamie Cavender, Briana Fields, Carla Pabon, Lizette Bloom, Kameron Livingston, and Heather Jones. Not pictured are Josh Benavides, Victoria Flores and Jay Mac Yowell.



UIL WINNERS - These Wilson students recently participated in UIL Academic competition taking home several awards. Winners were (back) Jamie Cavender, 2nd Computer Applications; Billy Cavender, 4th in Math, 6th in Editorial Writing, Current Events and Ready Writing; Casey Donald, 2nd in News Writing; Michael Donathan, 4th Literary Criticism Team and (front) Angelica Ariaz, 4th Literary Criticism Team and 4th News Writing; Briana Fields, 3rd News Writing, 6th Science; Kameron Livingston, 4th Editorial Writing; Carla Pabon, 1st in Science; Quinn Whisner, 4th Literary Criticism Team.



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WILSON ISD NEWS
 by WISD Journalism Students

Donald To Sign Letter Of Intent
 Casey Donald signed a national letter of intent on May 9 to play basketball for Lubbock Christian University. He is the son of Lonnie and Connie Donald of Wilson.

Mustang Baseball by Jenny Curb
 The Wilson Mustangs played Crosbyton in Wilson on May 2, losing 4-1.

Wilson Band Brings Home Good Memories, "Outstanding" Honors From Colorado Trip

The Wilson Mustang Band traveled to Durango, Colorado last week to participate in the second annual "Four Corners Music Festival," bringing home the title of "Outstanding Concert Band in Class A" as well as "Excellent" and "Superior" honors in both jazz band and concert band, with some white water rafting and a railroad trip thrown in for good measure.

Schools from Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah and Colorado all participated in the festival, which also included choir and orchestra competition.

Band Director Keith Sander praised the band, both for their performance and conduct on the trip, saying, "This was a great boost to our

band program in Wilson. The students who participated have anticipated a trip like this for many years. The students were great in both performance and behavior - they were a pleasure to travel with."

In addition to the festival competition in Durango, the students had time to ride the Narrow Gauge Railroad to Silverton, CO, reporting that the sights were spectacular. They also enjoyed white water rafting on the Animais River.

"This was quite an experience for the kids as well as the sponsors and director. The river was on a rise and we had over seven miles of a wonderful wet and wild ride. The students will remember this experience for a long time to come," said Sander.

"I would like to thank each and every one who helped make this trip possible," the director said. "The community has been nothing but positive in helping us make this dream come true. The donations, extra work from volunteer help, parental and administrative support made this trip one that the Mustang Band will always remember.

"We must not forget that it was the hard work and desire of these band students that continued the drive to follow through and reach their goal," Sander added.

The community is invited to hear the Mustang Band perform at their Spring Concert, to be held Tuesday, May 23 at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

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Wilson Volunteer Fire Department Tip of the Week: Recent rainy spells have left many areas grown up in weeds and grasses. While this growth is now lush and green, recent hot dry windy days are taking their toll and some of this growth is showing heat stress and is beginning to burn and dry out. This is going to create a major fire hazard as it continues to dry even more. Please be careful with burning cigarettes and cigar butts, and be sure that they are put out before they are thrown out. A better answer is to use the vehicle ashtray.

The Wilson Coop Gin held their meeting last Friday night in the Wilson High School Auditorium. After the meeting had closed a reception was held for retiring manager Ronnie Nettles and his wife Bertha, who is also retiring as the gin's bookkeeper. The Nettles are in the process of completing their move to their new home located on the banks of an area lake, and invite their friends to "drop in" sometime. Ronnie has spent the last 24 years as the manager of the Wilson Gin after managing the Farmer's Coop Number 1 in Tahoka for a number of years. A walk around the Wilson Gin plant and a visit through the gin indicates Ronnie's dedication to his job, and his ability to take care of business. Likewise, Bertha's handling of the office duties kept the office going, like a well-oiled sewing machine. The Nettles also were involved in many community activities and organizations, including their church and the Wilson Lions Club, and you always knew that if they were involved in a project it would be a success. "Ronnie and Bertha, you may be out of sight, but you sure won't ever be out of mind." Thanks for everything.

Wilson has lost another of its long-standing and dependable families, with Lisa and David Cook and their two children moving to a new job and location in the New Braunfels area. We wish them all the best and wish them the best of luck.

Dan and Roxanne Evens and their two daughters, Brady, 8 and Jodi, 8 months, are moving into the Wilson community. They are coming from the Miles community where Dan was associated with the Miles Gin. Dan has accepted the position as manager of the Wilson Coop Gin and they will be living in the gin manager's home on Green Street.

Wilson Coop Gin officials also have announced that they have employed Nadine Glenn to the gin's bookkeeper. Ms. Glenn will be working in the office in a couple of weeks.

Be sure to remember that the band's annual Spring Concert will be on Tuesday, May 23 in the high school auditorium beginning at 7 p.m. All area residents are invited to come and hear the band.

The Wilson seniors will play the Wilson faculty and staff in a basketball game on Thursday, May 18 in the new gym, about 2:30 p.m. They will also play in a volleyball game on Tuesday, May 16, in the old gym at 2:30 p.m.

Awards ceremonies for Wilson students will be held on May 22 and May 26. The junior high and high school awards assembly will be Monday, May 22 in the high school auditorium beginning at 9 a.m., and the elementary awards assembly will begin at 9:30 a.m. Friday, May 26 in the high school auditorium. Families and friends of students are invited to attend.

Baccalaureate ceremonies for the Wilson Senior Class of 2000 will held Sunday, May 21 at 4 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Graduation ceremonies will be held Friday, May 26 at 7 p.m. in the new gym. All families and friends of the class of 2000 are invited to attend both of these ceremonies.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

I am writing to express my feelings about a trip I returned from this weekend. Some may think a trip taken by me was not important - but it was.

My husband and I were fortunate enough to get to travel to Durango, Colorado with 22 members of Wilson I.S.D.'s band for a band festival. I am not writing this letter to brag on their accomplishments, of which I am proud (an "OUTSTANDING" rating), but rather to brag on the quality of young people I was allowed to spend 4 days and nights with.

I witnessed leadership and respect in responsible young adults which gave them an "EXEMPLARY" rating in my book.

The actions I saw were too numerous to mention; however, they did make me proud. Mr. Sander, you have taught them well, but apparently, someone else is also doing their job.

Parents and students, you are to be commended and I can honestly say that I am proud to be a Wilson I.S.D. mom.

Sincerely,
 Connie Donald



Prior to the Gold Rush of 1849, most of the gold in the U.S. came from Georgia and North Carolina.



Composer Cole Porter could play the violin well at six and the piano well at eight.



ROBERT LEE CABALLERO Caballero To Graduate From Frenship High

Robert Lee Caballero will graduate from Frenship High School in ceremonies to be held Friday, May 28.

He is the son of Sylvia and Robert Caballero Sr. of Lubbock. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marcial Salinar of Tahoka and Annie Caballero of Wilson.

After graduation, Robert will attend Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

Wilson School Menu

May 15-19
Breakfast & Lunch
 Monday: Managers Choice.
 Tuesday: Managers Choice.
 Wednesday: Managers Choice.
 Thursday: Managers Choice.
 Friday: Managers Choice.

Notice
The Lynn County Harvest Festival
 will be Sept. 30, 2000
 Mark your calendars now!



Lynn County EMS is hosting a **CAR WASH** on Saturday, May 20th 10:00 a.m. in the 1st Methodist Church parking lot 1801 Ave. J in Tahoka. We are in the process of raising funds for the purchase of a new ambulance. Anyone may donate to the Lynn County EMS Memorial Fund at the Lynn County Hospital office.

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NICOLE Green Honored By USAA

Nicole Green of Tahoka High School recently that she has received several honors from the Achievement Academy named a United States Award Winner in Foreign Language (Spanish), is an Honorable Scholar, and was named Who Among American Students.

Nicole was named a 2000 award winner by Danna C. McCord, her name was named a 2000 USAA Official Year American Scholar Who's Who Among American School Students, a publication nationally.

Nicole is the daughter of Jackie Green and her grandparents are Ben Matador and Ted and Plainview.

Inaugural Torch Presented To Affiliated Food

Affiliated Food recently presented with Torch Award for Marketing. The award was created by the Business Bureau of Tahoka and the T. B. College of Business and A&M University to recognize the efforts for their commitment to high standards of behavior and seller relationships. The selection include marketing, communications, and ethics policies designed to promote the value to shareholders.

Affiliated Foods for the award based on:
 • High ethical standards toward customers and shareholders
 • Long standing history of ethical practices
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**NICOLE GREEN
Green Honored
By USAA**

Nicole Green, who attends Tahoka High School, was notified recently that she has been awarded several honors from the United States Achievement Academy. She was named a United States National Award Winner in Foreign Language (Spanish), is an All-American Scholar, and was listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Nicole was nominated for these awards by Danna Curry, a Spanish teacher at THS, and counselor Sherri McCord. Her name will appear in the USAA Official Yearbook, The All-American Scholar Yearbook and in Who's Who Among American High School Students, all of which are published nationally.

Nicole is the daughter of Ricky and Jackie Green of Tahoka. Her grandparents are Betty Bearden of Matador and Ted and Nelta Green of Plainview.

**Inaugural Torch Award
Presented To
Affiliated Foods**

Affiliated Foods Inc. was recently presented with the Inaugural Torch Award for Marketplace Ethics. The award was created by the Better Business Bureau of the Texas Panhandle and the T. Boone Pickens College of Business at West Texas A&M University to recognize businesses for their commitment to high standards of behavior in buyer and seller relationships. Criteria for selection include marketing, advertising, communications and sales practices that accurately reflect what is being offered in the marketplace and ethical policies designed to give long-term value to shareholders and customers.

Affiliated Foods was evaluated for the award based on its:

- High ethical standards of behavior toward customers, suppliers and shareholders
- Long standing history and reputation of ethical practices
- Ethical policies that are effectively communicated to employees
- A supplier for independent retail grocery stores in Amarillo since 1946, Affiliated Foods services 661 independent grocery stores throughout five states, including Thriftway Grocery in Tahoka. The cooperative also has a food-service division that caters to restaurants, schools hospitals and other institutional organizations.

**MDA Seeks Volunteer
Summer Camp Counselors**

The Muscular Dystrophy Association is currently seeking applications from people who would like to volunteer to spend a week as counselors at the MDA summer camp in Happy.

Volunteers will act as companions to campers (ages 6-21) with neuromuscular diseases during the camp session to be held June 4-9. Counselors must be at least 16 years old and able to lift a child. They will be called upon to push wheelchairs and assist with grooming, dressing, and feeding, plus help kids participate in the activities that come with summer camp, including swimming, horseback riding, arts and crafts, and canoeing.

"Camp is the highlight of the summer for the campers and volunteers. It's one week of the year when youngsters with muscle-wasting disorders are able to fully participate in a wide range of group outdoor activities that are tailored for their limited mobility," says Norma Ball, MDA Regional Director. "MDA summer camp has a relaxed atmosphere which allows campers to develop self-confidence and form lifelong friendships."

More than 4,000 campers are expected to attend MDA camps this year. With the help of one-on-one volunteers, campers will enjoy a wide range of sports, recreation and nature activities.

MDA is a nationally voluntary health agency dedicated to finding treatments and cures for neuromuscular diseases affecting more than a million Americans. The Association receives no governmental grants, nor does it seek fees from the families it serves.

For information or to volunteer, call the MDA offices in Lubbock at 793-5632 or MDA headquarters at 800-572-1717. Information about MDA programs and research advances is also available on-line at <www.mdausa.org>.

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3. Include cabbage, broccoli, brussels sprouts, kohlrabi and cauliflower.
4. Be moderate in consumption of salt-cured, smoked, and nitrite-cured foods.
5. Cut down on total fat intake from animal sources and fats and oils.
6. Avoid obesity.
7. Be moderate in consumption of alcoholic beverages.

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JUDGING WINNERS - These four Lynn County 4-H members recently competed in the District 2 Livestock Judging Contest at Texas Tech University. Pictured are Landon Bartley (4th-Junior II), Matthew Saldana (High Individual-Junior I), Wacie Barnett (6th-Junior I) and Cade Miller (High Individual-Junior II).

**Protect Employers and Teens
From Danger In Summer Jobs**

Thousands of Texas employers will soon be hiring teenagers for summer jobs that include driving vehicles, using power tools or doing similar work. And although many of those employers may not know it, they could be breaking the law.

Some jobs are too dangerous for workers under the age of 18. They are therefore restricted or prohibited by state and federal law. To help employers and workers comply with the laws, the Texas Workforce Commission and U.S. Department of Labor are offering easy-to-read materials on child safety. The free materials, which will be offered year round, are part of the agencies' joint Spring Into Safety campaign, which takes place this month.

Some 67 young people aged 17 and under are killed on the job in the U.S. each year, according to DOL's Bureau of Labor Statistics, and more than 210,000 14- to 17-year olds are injured, according to the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.

In Texas, more than 450 employer violations were cited last year, according to TWC statistics.

"It's up to all of us — employers, parents and teens alike — to reduce these numbers," said TWC Chair Diane Rath. "At TWC, we want to accomplish this by educating everyone involved."

Parents need to know which jobs are prohibited, too.

"Check out where your teens work and what they're being asked

to do," said Commissioner Representing Labor T.P. O'Mahoney. "Make sure they know which jobs are unlawful and that it's OK to say no to dangerous work."

"We encourage teens to enter the workforce, where they gain values, knowledge and experience," said Commissioner Representing Employers Ron Lehman. "But at the same time we want to ensure that employers understand the law and provide teens with a safe working environment."

To find out which jobs are restricted or prohibited, or to get details on child labor laws call the Department of Labor at (800) 959-3652 or visit their web site at <http://www.dol.gov/dol/esa/welcome.html> or the special site for teens at <http://www2.dol.gov/dol/esa/public/youth/home.htm> or call TWC's Labor Law Division at (800) 832-9243 or (512) 837-9559 or visit <www.twc.state.tx.us> (employer or worker services.)

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DATED May 4, 2000, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 2148, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. Dale Young, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on May 4, 2000, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in June, 2000, the same being the 6th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Tahoka, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Lynn and the State of Texas, to-wit:

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DATED May 4, 2000, at Tahoka, Texas.
By Jake Diggs
SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas

/s/ Steve Cartner,
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
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PUBLIC NOTICE**

The City of New Home is requesting proposals for engineering services in conjunction with Texas Community Development Program from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) for program years of 2001, 2002, and 2003. The Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) provides financial assistance in the form of grants for public infrastructure improvements, economic development, housing and planning activities. Accordingly, the City is seeking to contract with a qualified engineer/engineering firm (registered to practice in the State of Texas) to prepare all preliminary engineering reports, budget justification, and maps for submission of application(s) to the appropriate funding category. The qualified engineer/engineering firm will prepare all preliminary and final design plans and specifications, and to conduct all necessary interim and final inspections for the applications project that is awarded a contract by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA).

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Water District Reminds Producers To Keep Irrigation Water On Their Fields

Many High Plains producers are busy applying last-minute pre-plant irrigations to wet the soil profile for 2000 planting. Unfortunately, some of this ground water is escaping from fields as irrigation tailwater, and that is against both state law and High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 rules.

Water District rules define irrigation tailwater waste as "ground water pumped for irrigation that escapes...onto land other than that of the owner of the well unless permission has been granted by the occupant of the land receiving the discharge. This permission must be in the form of an agreement signed between the parties on a form acceptable to the Water District. Potential parties to such an agreement are warned that it may obligate the provider to provide a specified supply of water into perpetuity and/or the recipient to accept runoff in whatever quantities at whatever time the provider chooses. Provisions of any agreement entered into must comply with (Water District) Rule 1(h)(5)."

Rule 1(h)(5) defines water waste as "willfully or negligently causing, suffering, or permitting underground water to escape into any river, creek, natural watercourse, depression, lake, reservoir, drain, sewer, highway, road or road ditch, or onto land other than the owner of the well."

Allowing this water to escape not only contributes to unnecessary depletion of the ground water stored in the Ogallala Aquifer, but it erodes topsoil and causes safety hazards.

When High Plains Water District personnel discover tailwater while working in the field or when reports are received by telephone, they investigate the water waste and document it with written memorandums and photographs. In addition, they contact the landowners and/or operators and ask these parties to stop the water waste. Follow-up investigations are conducted to make sure the water waste has been halted.

"We prefer to work with the farmer and address the problem; and in most cases, that works," said Water Use, Conservation, and Compliance Director Scott Orr. "If the waste doesn't stop, then we have no choice

but to seek an injunction from the courts."

Under an injunction, continued tailwater waste is considered Contempt of Court and carries a maximum penalty of a \$500 fine and/or a six-month jail sentence per occurrence. If violations continue under the injunction, the District Court may also order the County Sheriff to padlock the water well to prevent further water waste. Violators can also be held liable for damages resulting from their water waste, such as accidents on flooded roadways, property damage or crop damage.

"There are many physical methods available to help control or prevent irrigation tailwater waste, but the individual operator is the key to whether or not water is wasted. Careful management of irrigation water eliminates tailwater waste," said Orr.

Tailwater abatement methods include reducing row lengths, terracing, and installing borders at the end of the field.

Surge irrigation systems, which alternate water flow between two sets of furrows in timed cycles, can be set to automatically cut back irrigation set times at the time the water is expected to reach the end of the field. Use of surge valves has proven to be very effective in halting irrigation tailwater waste.

Tailwater return pits or modified playa basins have been used in the past to collect the runoff water. Water collected in the tailwater return pits can be reused to irrigate crops.

Use of a Low Energy Precision Application (LEPA) center pivot sprinkler system is a good tailwater management practice, because the movement speed of the center pivot can be adjusted to match the water application rate to the soil infiltration rate. Use of furrow dikes under the pivot to collect the water and hold it in place can also increase irrigation application efficiencies.

Additional information about tailwater abatement is available by contacting Scott Orr at the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Ave. Q, Lubbock 79405-1499, or by calling (806) 762-0181. The Water District's web site is <www.hpwd.com>.



SENIOR JUDGES - Four members of the Lynn County 4-H Livestock Judging Team competed in the senior division at the District 2 Livestock Judging Contest at Texas Tech University. Placing were Kendall Barnett (15th), Brandi Tekell (10th), Klyssa Kelln (2nd) and Riley Barnett (4th).

Archaeological Excavation Needs Community Volunteers

The Lubbock Lake Landmark is accepting applications from community volunteers who are interested in participating in its Summer Field Research Program, June 12-Aug. 13. Applicants must be at least 13 years old. Field work (excavation) opportunities are available for those 15 years of age or older; younger volunteers generally are assigned lab and matrix duties.

Community volunteers are required to attend a day-long orientation and training session, and should be able to contribute a minimum of 60 hours during the course of the nine-week excavation season. Workday hours are from 7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday. Scheduling and time commitments are flexible, but participants should plan to work either a full morning or afternoon shift (four hours) on their scheduled days.

Although the program is free, community volunteers conducting field work should plan on spending about \$40 for equipment. Each community volunteer must provide proof of health and accident insurance, and current tetanus immunization.

"The excavation season is part of the Landmark's public interpretive program," said Museum educator Sue Shore. "Our community volunteers range from teens to seniors, and from all walks of life. As a premier archaeological site, community volunteers have an opportunity to work side-by-side with archaeologists, volunteers, and students from the US and abroad. Eligible applicants who are willing to work hard, act responsibly, and learn are welcome to join our team. In exchange, we are certain they will have an extraordinary learning experience and meet others who share their interest. Many enduring friendships begin at the Landmark over a brush and trowel."

The research program is overseen by Dr. Eileen Johnson, director of the Lubbock Lake Landmark and curator of Anthropology at the Museum of Texas Tech University. The Museum has been involved with the discovery, preservation, research of, and

education about Lubbock Lake for over 60 years.

For information or to request an application, please call the Landmark's Education Office at (806) 742-1116, or mail to susan.shore@ttu.edu.

Boll Weevil Foundation Hires New Director

Charles T. Allen has been hired to be the program director of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation, said Lindy Patton, executive director.

Allen, an entomologist with the Arkansas Cooperative Extension Service in Monticello, Ark., succeeds Osama El-Lissy in the position that oversees the technical aspects of eradication in Texas. El-Lissy is now operations officer for cotton pest programs at USDA.

Allen graduated from high school in Junction and attended Texas Tech University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in biology and a master's degree in entomology. He obtained a doctorate in entomology from Louisiana State University.

From 1981-1996, Allen worked with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Weslaco and Fort Stockton. He joined the Arkansas Cooperative Extension Service in 1996.

He has done extensive research and has published in a wide variety of journals and other publications, and has served as an editor for the *Journal of Cotton Science*. He has also served on a number of entomology-related task forces and committees.

Allen said he is looking forward to joining the Texas eradication effort, the largest eradication effort in the United States.

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P.O. Box 1430
Tahoka, TX 79373

FSA-675 is "Application for County Employment." Blank forms may be obtained from any FSA County or from the address shown above.

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- 2) General comprehension of agriculture.
- 3) Ability to interpret and apply written or oral supervisor instructions.
- 4) Applicant must be willing to accept responsibility for assigned jobs.
- 5) Must be dependable and have good work habit.
- 6) Must be able to work with public.
- 7) Must possess basic computer and office skills.

Applicants must address and show evidence of the above knowledge and abilities in their application (FSA-675). This may be accomplished on the application or an attached sheet.

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Candidates will be considered without discrimination because of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, political affiliation, personal sponsorship, physical or mental disability, age, marital status, or other nonmerit factors.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS

Sealed proposals for highway improvement contracts will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read.

CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE CONTRACT(S)

District: Lubbock

Contract 6057-15-001 for Mowing of Highway Rights of Way in Lynn County will be opened on May 31, 2000 at 8:50 a.m. at the District Office for an estimate of \$161,208.90.

All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bid conference for Contract 6057-15-001 to be held on May 17, 2000 at 9:30 a.m. at the TxDOT District Office Training Center, 135 Slaton Road, Lubbock, TX 79404.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or District Offices listed below. Bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available at reproduction companies in Austin, Texas at the expense of the contractor.

NPO: 342

State Office: Construction Division, 200 E. Riverside Dr., Austin, Texas 78704. Phone: 512-416-2540.

District Office(s): Lubbock District, District Engineer, 135 Slaton Rd., Lubbock, Texas 79404. Phone: 806-745-4411.

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

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ESL PROGRAM NOTIFICATION

New Home School will offer an ESL program for LEP (Limited English Proficient) students during the summer of 2000. The program will be scheduled for a minimum of 120 hours and will conclude prior to August 1, 2000. The program is designed for students who will enter Kindergarten or First Grade in the fall of 2000-2001. Parents of eligible children will be responsible for transportation.

If you know of a child who qualifies for the program, notify Elementary Principal at Box 248, New Home, TX 79383, (806) 924-7542 for a registration form. Complete and return the form by May 31, 2000.

DISCLAIMER: New Home School will offer this program only if ten (10) or more students qualify.

ESL PROGRAMA NOTIFICACION

New Home Escuela Primaria ofrecerá a un ESL programa par LEP (Experto Inglés Limitado) estudiantes durante el verano de 2000. El programa estará programado por un mínimo de 120 horas y concluirá previamente de agosto 1, 2000. El programa está diseñado para estudiantes que entrarán Jardín de Infantes o Primer Grado en el otoño de 2000-2001. Los padres de niños elegibles será responsable de (transportation).

Se usted conociera de un niño que calificara por el programa, notifica Elementary Principal at Box 248, New Home, TX 79383, (806) 924-7542 para solicitar una forma de registro. Completa y regresa la forma por mayo 31, 2000.

La DENEGACION: New Home Escuela Primaria ofrecerá este programa solamente si diez (10) o más estudiantes califican.

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PREKINDERGARTEN NOTIFICATION FOR THE 2000-2001 SCHOOL YEAR

New Home School will offer a prekindergarten program during the 2000-2001 school year. The program will be for eligible students who are four years of age or on before September 1, 2000. Students can qualify for the program by meeting at least one of the following requirements: 1) Be economically disadvantaged; 2) Be limited English proficient (LEP); or 3) Be homeless.

If you know a child who qualifies for the program notify Elementary Principal at Box 248, New Home, TX 79383, (806) 924-7542 for a registration form. Complete and return the form by May 31, 2000.

DISCLAIMER: New Home School will offer this program only if fifteen (15) or more students qualify.

LA NOTIFICACION DE PREKINDERGARTEN PARA LOS 2000-2001 AÑO ESCOLAR

New Home Escuela Primaria ofrecerá a un (prekindergarten) programa durante los 2000-2001 año escolar. El programa estará para estudiantes elegibles que tienen cuatro años adultos en o antes de septiembre 1, 2000. Los estudiantes pueden calificar por el programa si encontrando al menos uno de los siguientes requisitos: 1) Estén perjudicado económicamente; 2) Este limitado experto Inglés (LEP); or 3) Sea destituido.

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Clerk of the Court
Sandra Laws/District Clerk
P.O. Box 939
Tahoka, TX 79373

Petitioner's Attorney
Ricky Smith
P.O. Box 8
Lamesa, TX 79331

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Rosendo Garcia-Garza and Rosa Aide Garza, and to all whom it may concern, 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 twenty days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you."

The petition of The State of Texas, Petitioner, was filed in the Court of Lynn County, Texas, on the 27th day of September, 1999, against Rosendo Garcia-Garza and Rosa Aide Garza, Defendant, numbered 99-09-05793 and entitled "The State of Texas vs Rosendo Garcia-Garza, Rosa Aide Garza and Eliazar Garza, Respondents \$614.00 United States Currency. The suit request forfeiture of U.S. currency as contraband.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court of Tahoka, Texas, this the 13th day of April, A.D. 2000.

Delivered this 26th day of April 2000
Jake Diggs
Sheriff of Lynn County
By Steve Cartner, Deputy

Attest: Sandra Laws, Clerk
of the 106th District Court,
Lynn County Texas,
18-4tc

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To: Jose Baldomero Garcia-Garza and Elma Garcia-Garza, and to all whom it may concern, Defendant.

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Parents: If you would like to congratulate your high school senior in the Lynn County News' graduation issue on May 25, send \$5 and the name of the student, high school, and parents name to --

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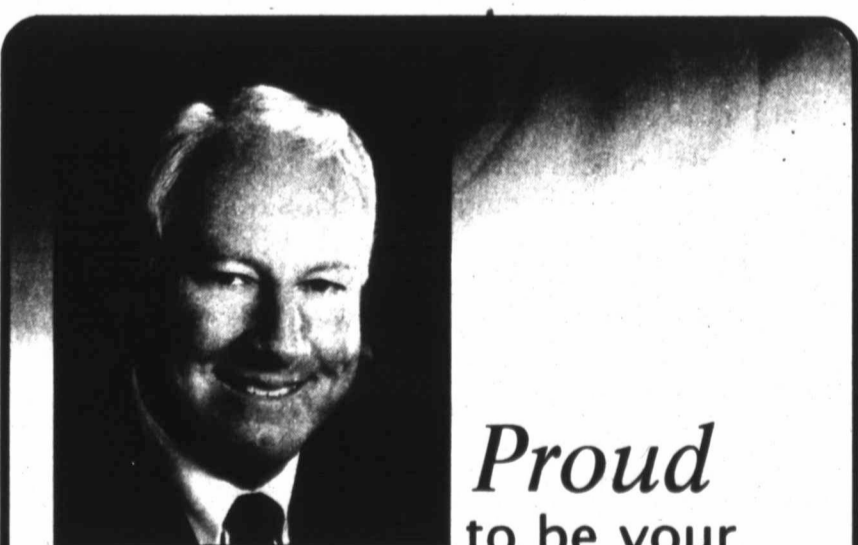
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Angel Falls by Kristin Hannah
Mikaela Campbell, wife and mother of two, lies in a coma. It is up to her husband Liam, to hold the family together and try to awaken Mikaela by telling stories from the past. When he learns of his wife's secret past, a long-hidden first marriage to movie star Julian True, Liam is convinced Julian may be the only person who can bring Mikaela back to life. But at what cost? Does Liam love his wife enough to risk losing her to a man no woman can resist?

His decision strikes deep into the heart

of his family, transforming each of them. For when Mikaela awakens, she is a different woman, changed in a way that no one could have foreseen, and the only thing Liam knows for sure is that nothing in their lives will ever be the same.

Available at the City-County Library, located inside the Life Enrichment Center, 1717 Main Street, Tahoka; phone 998-4050. Open Mondays and Wednesdays, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. (closed 1-2 p.m. for lunch); Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2-7 p.m.; and Saturdays 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

**REQUEST FOR COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSAL
TAHOKA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Tahoka Independent School District is soliciting competitive sealed proposals, (CSP's) for lighting the District football stadium. Prospective vendors may write, call or pick up a CSP packet beginning Monday, May 15 at:

Tahoka ISD, Office of the Superintendent, 2129 Main Street, P.O. Box 1230, Tahoka, Texas 79373, 806-998-4105.

Sealed proposals will be accepted until 3:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 31, 2000. Proposals must clearly be marked "Competitive Sealed Proposal for Lighting District Football Stadium." Proposals received after the deadline will not be considered.

Tahoka ISD Reserves the Right to Reject Any and/or All Bids. 19-2tc

**MAY 11, 2000
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
MANAGEMENT SERVICES
TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
PUBLIC NOTICE**

The City of New Home is soliciting proposals from qualified individuals or firms for management, administrative, and planning services in conjunction with the Texas Community Development Program from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) for program years of 2001, 2002, and 2003. The Texas Community Development Program (TCDDP) provides financial assistance in the form of grants for public infrastructure improvements, economic development, housing and planning activities. In order to be considered, proposals must be submitted prior to 5:00 p.m. on the 31st day of May, 2000.

The City reserves the right to negotiate with any and all management consultants or firms that submit proposals, per the Texas Professional Services Procurement Act and the Uniform Grant and Contract Management Standards. The City reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

A complete Request for Proposal outlining services required by the city, submission requirements, and evaluation criteria has been prepared. Interested parties may obtain copies of this Request for Proposal by contacting the person below:

Mayor Don Sharp, City of New Home, City Hall, 106 Broadway, New Home, Texas 79383.

The City of New Home is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. 19-1tc

NOTICE OF SALE

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE
COUNTY OF LYNN

DATED May 4, 2000, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 2126, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. Eugenio Gutierrez and Julia Gutierrez, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on May 4, 2000, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in June, 2000, the same being the 6th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Tahoka, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Lynn and the State of Texas, to-wit:

1.20 Acres being Lot 4, Block 79, Shook 2nd Addition to the City of Tahoka, 01-1004-079-0004, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 171, Page 369 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas.

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale, subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED May 4, 2000, at Tahoka, Texas.
By Jake Diggs, Sheriff, Lynn County, Texas. /s/ Steve Cartner, DEPUTY SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas. 19-3tc

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

TO: TERRY LEE ALEXANDER, Defendant, Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable County Court of Lynn County at the Courthouse thereof, in Tahoka, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of 28 (twenty-eight) days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of June A.D. 2000, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 11th day of April A.D. 2000, in this cause, numbered 1365 on the docket of said court and styled THE STATE OF TEXAS, Plaintiff, vs. TERRY LEE ALEXANDER, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk, a default judgement may be taken against you. A hearing will be held for bond forfeiture, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

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

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, this 8th day of May A.D. 2000.
Delivered This 10th day of May 2000
Attest: Susan Tipton, Clerk, County Court
Jake Diggs, Sheriff of Lynn County
By Steve Cartner, Deputy
By Susan Tipton 19-4tc



2000-2001 BULLDOG CHEERLEADERS - Leading cheers for the Tahoka High School Bulldogs during the next school year will be these nine young ladies. They are, clockwise from left, Ashanti Hood, Marissa Chapa, Damesha Harris, Chelsey Miller (head), Kelli Whitley, Kalah Bartley, and seated in center, Amada Aguilar and Lesley Chapa, with Ashley McNeely taking on the role of Bulldog Mascot. (LCN PHOTO)

The New Home News
by Karon Durham • 924-7448

New Home Athletic Banquet will be held on Monday, May 15 at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The meal is by Danny's Hens and Fins, \$7.50 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. Junior high and high school athletes will be honored.

New Home hosted the Minor Little Dribbler Tournament the weekend of April 27-29. Kelli Kieth has been in charge of the New Home Little Dribblers again this year. New Home placements in the tournament are as follows:

Minor Girls, coached by Micky Kieth, were first. Team members include Jori Rodgers, Sarah Ussery, Adriana Ruiz, Kelsi Kieth, Keely Nettles, Mary Maeker, Chelsea Byerly, April Torres, Stephanie Castro and Maria Hernandez.

Minor Boys Black Team, coached by Michael Rodriguez, were second. Team members include Damein Rodriguez, Fabian Vitolas, Nicholas Ramirez, Josh Nieman, Caul Blakey, Jake Ogle, and Nicholas Moore.

Minor Boys Red Team, coached by Herb Youngblood, were fourth. Team members include Jett Rodgers, Jordan Clem, Scott Youngblood, T.J. Thornhill, Daniel Haros, Trevor White, Mark Overman, and David Alvarado.

New Home Honor Roll
The New Home fifth six weeks Honor Rolls for grades 7-12 are as follows:

Superintendent's Honor Roll: Jessica Holder, grade 9; Keaton Askew, grade 10; and Cecilia Garza, grade 11.

Principal's Honor Roll: Grade 7 - Clayton McAllister, Georgia Melot, Karen Muniz, Krystal Muniz; Grade 8 - Lauren Wied; Grade 9 - Joanna Garza, Stephanie Kieth, Zachary Morris; Grade 10 - Christopher Lee, Tiffany Nettles; Grade 11 - Mindy Dion; Grade 12 - Danielle Flores, Tabitha Swartz, Lexi Wied.

Teacher's Honor Roll: Grade 7 - Randi Barker, Bobby Clem, Jordan Dorsett, Cody Kieth, Jacqueline Rodgers.

Travis Thornhill, Jacob Tyler, Aaron Villarreal; Grade 8 - Terry Brand, Frederick Chesley, Brittany Kieth, Brooke Kieth, Angelica Rodriguez; Grade 9 - Kayla Durham, Lori Emerson, Michael Garcia, Justin Garza, Brenon Gass, Lauren Lee, Tamara Moreno, Miranda Rodriguez, Amanda Villarreal; Grade 10 - Nathan Black, Matthew Cramblet, Clayton Ross Fillingim, Danielle Garza, Miki Hall, Heather Kieth, Amy Melot, Erin Miller, Jonathan Rodriguez, Katie Schoppa, Joe Angel Silva, Trey Smith, Danielle Swartz, Randi Thornhill, Kaci Wied; Grade 11 - Rachel Alonzo, Clifton Bearden, Shiloh Braddock, Larry Brand, Carri Floyd, Angelica Gonzales, Chantill Holler, Bobbie Mansker, Courtney McNeely, Susie Portales, Mindi Tejeda; Grade 12 - John Gonzales, Cassidy Lisemby.

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to anonymously report information on any crime.

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St. John Lutheran Church, Wilson (Block S. of 211, next to school) 628-6573
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Mel Swoyer, Interim Pastor

O'Donnell Class Of 1950 Makes Plans For Reunion

The O'Donnell High School Class of '50 is currently making plans for their 50th reunion to be held October 6-7.

Organizers ask that anyone knowing addresses of class members contact Burley Brewer at 806-428-3768 or Francis Mires at 806-428-3370.

A man's opinions are generally of much more value than his arguments.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes

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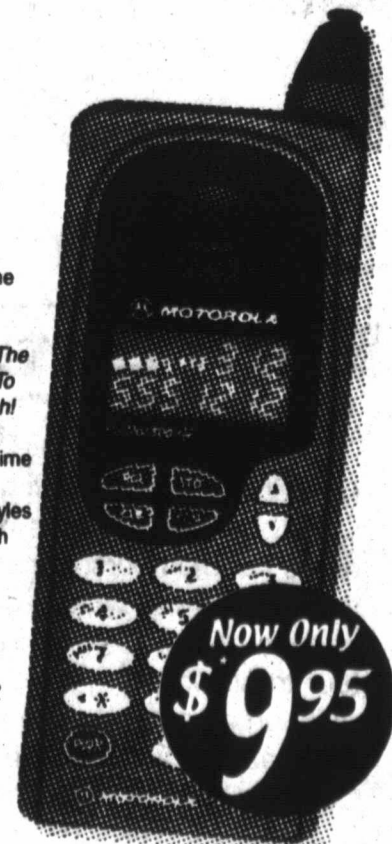
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