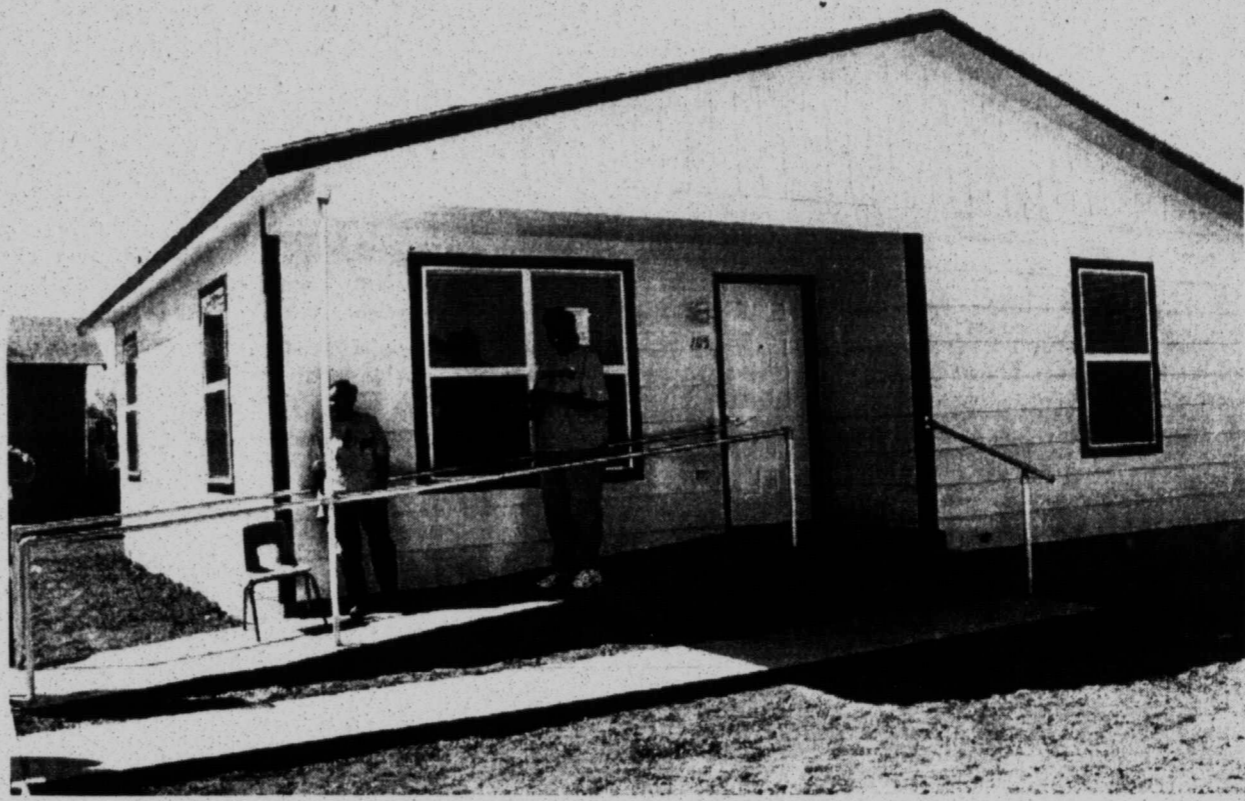


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A GOOD DAY - A smile lights the face of Ollie Brown as she is handed the keys to her new home Monday morning by Mark Hindman (right) of Hindman Homes, Inc., who built the



new two-bedroom house. At left is Mike Duran of Gary R. Traylor and Associates, and Tahoka City Administrator Jerry Webster. In the photo at right, Ms. Brown and her niece, Shannon Lawson, stand in front of the new home at 1117 N. 6th Street, provided free to Ms. Brown through the City of Tahoka's HOME Grant program. (See story) (LCN PHOTOS)

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HEAVY DAMAGE - Damage was heavy but neither of the two persons in this 1996 Ford Taurus was seriously hurt in a wreck 10.5 miles north of Tahoka on U.S. 87 last Saturday morning. (LCN PHOTO)

Four Injured In Traffic Accidents During Week

Four persons were injured in three traffic accidents north of Tahoka on U.S. 87 during the last week, and one of those remained in critical condition in a Lubbock hospital this week. Most seriously injured was Christopher Beck, 19, a passenger in a 1995 Ford Escort driven by his brother, Joe Beck, 23, of Odessa, when the car went into the center median about 3.5 miles north of Tahoka Saturday morning. Christopher Beck was injured when he was ejected from the car. He was taken by Aero Care helicopter to Covenant Hospital, where he remained in critical condition Wednesday. Later that morning 10.5 miles north on U.S. 87 a 1996 Taurus driven by J.B. Sepeda, 20, collided with the rear of a green pickup which left the scene. Sepeda, of Tahoka, was not treated, but his 15-year-old sister, Apolonia Sepeda of Highland Ranch, CO, was taken by Tahoka EMS ambulance to Lynn County Hospital, where she was treated for injuries and released. About four miles north of Tahoka on U.S. 87 Tuesday morning a 1993 Honda Accord driven by Kassy Christine Millican, 18, of Lubbock, overturned one and a half times. She was taken by EMS ambulance to Lynn County Hospital for treatment of injuries not believed to be serious. During the week, Tahoka Police arrested two persons on liquor-related charges and checked on a runaway juvenile. Three persons were jailed during the week, two on warrants from the Lubbock Police Dept. and one for public intoxication. Jail population totaled 47 as of Wednesday, with 28 of these held for Lubbock County.



ROLLOVER - The 18-year-old driver of this 1993 Honda Accord was not seriously injured Tuesday when her car overturned 4 miles north of Tahoka on U.S. 87. (LCN PHOTO)

Three Get New Homes Through City Program

by JUANELL JONES
Blessed - That's the word both Ollie Brown and Esther Green used to describe their feelings when they were handed the keys to their brand new two-bedroom homes Monday morning. And Marcial and Genoveva Salinas were happy to take possession of their new home Monday afternoon, the third of three new homes provided through the City of Tahoka's 2001 HOME program, which targeted low-income elderly homeowners with sub-standard housing. For all three homeowners, Monday was the first time they had ever owned new homes. Built in Lubbock by Hindman Homes, Inc., the three homes all have the same floor plan and were moved onto each homeowner's personal property where their former homes had stood. While excited about her new home, Ms. Brown was a little nostalgic about her former home being torn down, as it had been in her family for generations. "This was my grandmother's house, and it was at least 100 years old," Ms. Brown said about her former home which was demolished by the City of Tahoka so that her new home could be moved in. To qualify for the new homes, however, homeowners had to meet stringent requirements, including sub-standard conditions of their former homes, and agree to allow the house to be torn down. City officials said each homeowner also had a history of being diligent in paying their property taxes over the years, and each had to own their property outright on which their homes were situated. Making the presentation to the homeowners were Tahoka City Administrator Jerry Webster and assistant Retha Pittman, Mark Hindman, President of Hindman Homes, Inc., and Mike Duran of Gary R. Traylor and Associates, who handled the grant program for the city. Formal walk-throughs of each home were conducted, and final paperwork signed before the keys were presented to each homeowner. "I just never thought something like this would happen to me," said Ms. Brown with a smile lighting her face. "I mean, I'm just not lucky like that. I feel very blessed," she said. Ms. Green was also excited, saying, "It feels like I might have a heart attack! I am just so grateful and thank all the people who had something to do with this - I just can't thank you enough. I'm blessed for this," she added. Her former home, where she had lived for the past 25 years, had dilapidated to the point where, in one bedroom, ceilings and walls had deteriorated to the extent that the room was infested with wasps, and she seldom ventured into the room. Mr. and Mrs. Salinas had lived in their former home for 50 years, they said, and this is their first new home. "This is very nice," said Mrs. Salinas. All three homeowners say they will move into their homes within the week, and Ms. Brown will be getting new bedroom furniture, courtesy of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. "What Mom doesn't know is that she is getting new living room furniture, too," said Nancy Rodriguez, one of her daughters who was present when the keys to the house were presented. "It's a surprise for her - all six of us children are pitching in together to buy her some new living room furniture - we wanted her to have something nice for her new home," she explained. The kitchens are furnished with new electric stoves and refrigerators, and Hindman said that top quality materials were used in insulation and windows for the greatest energy efficiency. "We don't cut any corners on materials - these homes are top quality so that these homeowners' utility bills will be lower," Hindman explained, and he seemed to take great pride in explaining the energy efficient measures to (See New Homes, page 3)

WOODWORK by Dalton

NIGHTCLUBS are not good places to go, and with the recent deaths and injuries in club fires, stampedes and riots detailed by the national media, the climate of danger appears to have increased since I last went to one (it was the White Rose in Odessa, about 1952). About a month ago a nightclub stampede in Chicago killed 21 people and a club fire in Rhode Island killed 99. More recently a brawl erupted in a nightclub above a Times Square arcade and 10 persons were injured, including two who were stabbed, and eight persons who were shot. The fight broke out about 2:40 a.m., according to the news story. I feel about as much compassion for those who were injured as I do for those idiots who want to go to Iraq and be human shields against American bombing. Those people should never have been at a nightclub at 2:40 in the morning anyway. It reminds me of something Rev. Bruce Parks said he told his son when the boy was in high school. The son wanted to stay out after midnight one weekend, and Bruce recalls telling him, "Son, there are not many good things that happen after midnight."

ANOTHER STUDY, this one covering a span of more than 25 years, has indicated there is a link between violence on TV shows watched by children and aggressive behavior later in life. The study indicates that "both boys and girls who watch a lot of violence on television have a heightened risk of aggressive adult behavior including spouse abuse and criminal offenses, no matter how they act in childhood." The studies interviewed children age 6 to 9, and again in their late 20s. Involved were 329 adults who were first surveyed as children in the late 1970s, along with their spouses and friends. Crime records also were checked. As children they were rated for exposure to TV violence after they chose eight favorite shows from 80 popular programs for their age group. The researchers rated as very violent such shows as "Starsky and Hutch," "The Six Million Dollar Man," and Roadrunner cartoons. I wonder how many of the adults poked their interviewer in the nose. THE WEIRD GUY at Wilson says if you don't pay your exorcist, you get repossessed.

Filing Period Concludes For Area City, School Elections

The filing period for city and school elections in Lynn County ended at 5 p.m. Wednesday, March 19 for candidates interested in seeking seats on respective boards in the May 3 election. Following is a report of all candidates who have filed through Wednesday morning. Any candidates who filed after *The News'* morning deadline on Wednesday will be reported in next week's *News*. Three entities will have contested elections, including both city and school elections in Tahoka, and the O'Donnell ISD election. Others have just enough candidates to fill slots without conducting an election, but both Wilson ISD and City of Wilson elections have failed to draw enough candidates to fill positions. Those entities may have to appoint persons to fill those positions. **City of Tahoka:** Terms of Mayor and two council members, all two-year terms, are up for election. Mayor Mike Mensch has filed for re-election, and council members whose terms expire are John Chapa Jr. in District 1, and Amy Preston in District 3. Filing in District 1: Rudy Fuentes, John Baker, Jimmy McMillan; District 3: Amy Preston. **Tahoka ISD:** Terms of two trustees, both At-Large seats, three-year terms, Terms expiring currently held by Greg Henley, Tommy Botkin. Filing: Greg Henley, Valton Stephens, Reggie Moore, Jimmy Dorman. **City of Wilson:** Four council seats, including three two-year terms and a one-year unexpired term. Regular terms expiring are those of Victor Steinhauer, Helen Stephenson and Lupe Guzman, and the unexpired term formerly held by Amanda Donald is currently not filled. Filing: Helen Stephenson for a regular term. **Wilson ISD:** Three trustees, including two three-year terms and a one-year unexpired term. Regular terms expiring include John Henderson and Debbie Schor, and the unexpired term seat is currently not filled. Filing: Donna Holdren for a regular term, Debbie Schor for the unexpired term. **City of O'Donnell:** Mayor and two council seats, all two-year terms. Current Mayor is Don Sharp, and council terms expiring are held by Leroy Nettles and Kyle Johnston. Filing: Leroy Nettles and Kyle Johnston for the council seats, Steve Lisemby for Mayor. **New Home ISD:** Two trustee seats, both three-year terms. Currently held by Johnny Morris and Andy Maeker. Filing: Scott McAlister and Andy Maeker. (No new information was available due to Spring Break, so it is possible others may have filed.) **City of O'Donnell:** Three council seats, all two-year terms. Terms expiring include Max Mendieta, Larry Pyron and Rex Little. Filing: Max Mendieta, David Eaker, Simon Resendez Jr. **O'Donnell ISD:** Two trustees, both three-year terms, currently held by Renn Dorman and Kenneth Dan Vestal. Filing: Renn Dorman, Monty Hancock, Ben Edwards.

The Lynn County News will be closed Friday, March 21 for Spring Break



ARNOLD VILLEGAS and MARY GUTIERREZ
Couple To Marry April 19

Mary Gutierrez and Arnold Villegas announce their engagement and approaching marriage.

The couple will marry Saturday, April 19, at the Tahoka Activity Center.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Jose Gutierrez of Tahoka and the late Erlinda Gutierrez. The future groom is the son of Youlanda Villegas of Little Elm and Frank Villegas of Dumas.

The bride-elect is a 1988 graduate of Tahoka High School and is employed at Heritage Oaks Nursing Home in Lubbock.

The future groom is a 1982 graduate of Hereford High School and is employed at Meuller Inc. in Amarillo.

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Mar. 12	85	51	
Mar. 13	77	46	
Mar. 14	81	45	
Mar. 15	78	46	
Mar. 16	83	50	
Mar. 17	73	51	
Mar. 18	62	45	

Total Precip. in to date: 0.18"



STORK REPORT

Joe Dell and Tasha Patterson of Lubbock announce the birth of a daughter, Hannah Nicole, born Saturday Feb. 22, 2003 at UMC in Lubbock. She weighed 8 lbs. 13 oz. and was 21 3/4 inches long.

Hannah has an older brother, Joshua, 10, and an older sister, Elizabeth, 7.

Grandparents are Joe and Marlene Patterson of Tahoka and Lloyd and Wonette Owen of Lubbock.

Happy 4th Birthday, Michael Christian Farrell



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Nine Staff Positions Vacated At TISD

Nine staff positions to be vacated due to resignations or retirement were reported at the Tahoka Independent School District Board of Trustees meeting held last week. Three long-time personnel are retiring, including school nurse Joan Knox, who has been with the district for 26 years, Ag teacher Denny Belew, retiring after 33 years of teaching, of which the last 20 were at TISD, and middle school math teacher Tom Sullivan, after 27 years here.

"It has been a pleasure working here - I love the children and it has all been rewarding," Joan Knox told *The News*. "All I wanted to do was just to help the children. I enjoyed it and I feel I've touched a lot of lives. I have some kids now that I was nurse to their mothers when they were in school!" she said with a laugh.

Sullivan also expressed his pleasure at working at Tahoka ISD. "They have been great years - we have great staff and some terrific kids here, and it has been a wonderful 27 years. I leave with the feeling that I hope that I have done some good for the kids and maybe I have meant something in the lives of these students," he said. Sullivan also taught four years in the Houston area and worked several years in the business world before beginning his career at TISD.

Belew was unavailable for comment.

Superintendent Jimmy Parker reported six staff members had turned in resignations, with all but one taking effect at the end of the school year, including coach Jacky Dumas and head boys basketball coach Kevin Shepard, high school teacher/assistant counselor Kristi Cope, fourth grade teacher Lorri Jackson, and high school math teacher Robert Street. Coach Tony Marsh resigned effective March 21.

No new staff positions were filled at the meeting, but all other contracts of the remaining professional staff at the elementary, middle school and high school campuses were renewed by unanimous decision of the board.

In other business, trustees considered two proposed school calendars,

choosing one proposal to present for public comment (see advertisement this issue). The calendar proposes Aug. 21 as the first day of school for students, Christmas break from Dec. 22 through Jan. 5, Spring Break March 15-19, and May 27 as the last day of school, with graduation on the 28th. Trustees will vote on the calendar at a later meeting.

Textbooks were adopted as presented, as was the district technology plan. Trustees authorized Supt. Parker to solicit bids for a depository contract for the district's finances. Business Manager Nathan Ehlert presented his monthly report on the district's finances. Trustees set a date of Monday, March 24 at 9 a.m. at the Harvick Building for election candidates to draw for places on the ballot.

The next regular board meeting was scheduled for Monday, April 7 at 7 p.m. Present at the meeting were six of seven trustees, including Greg Henley, Joe Calvillo, Carmen Chapa, Tommy Botkin, Leighton Knox Jr., and Frank McLelland. Trustee Math Bartley was absent.

Tahoka School Menu

March 24-28

- Monday:** Sausage & Toast, Pineapple Juice, Milk.
- Tuesday:** Blueberry Muffins, Orange Juice, Milk.
- Wednesday:** Pancake Sausage Sticks, Fruit Juice, Milk.
- Thursday:** Cereal, Graham Crackers, Orange Juice, Milk.
- Friday:** Cinnamon Roll, Fruit Juice, Milk.

Lunch

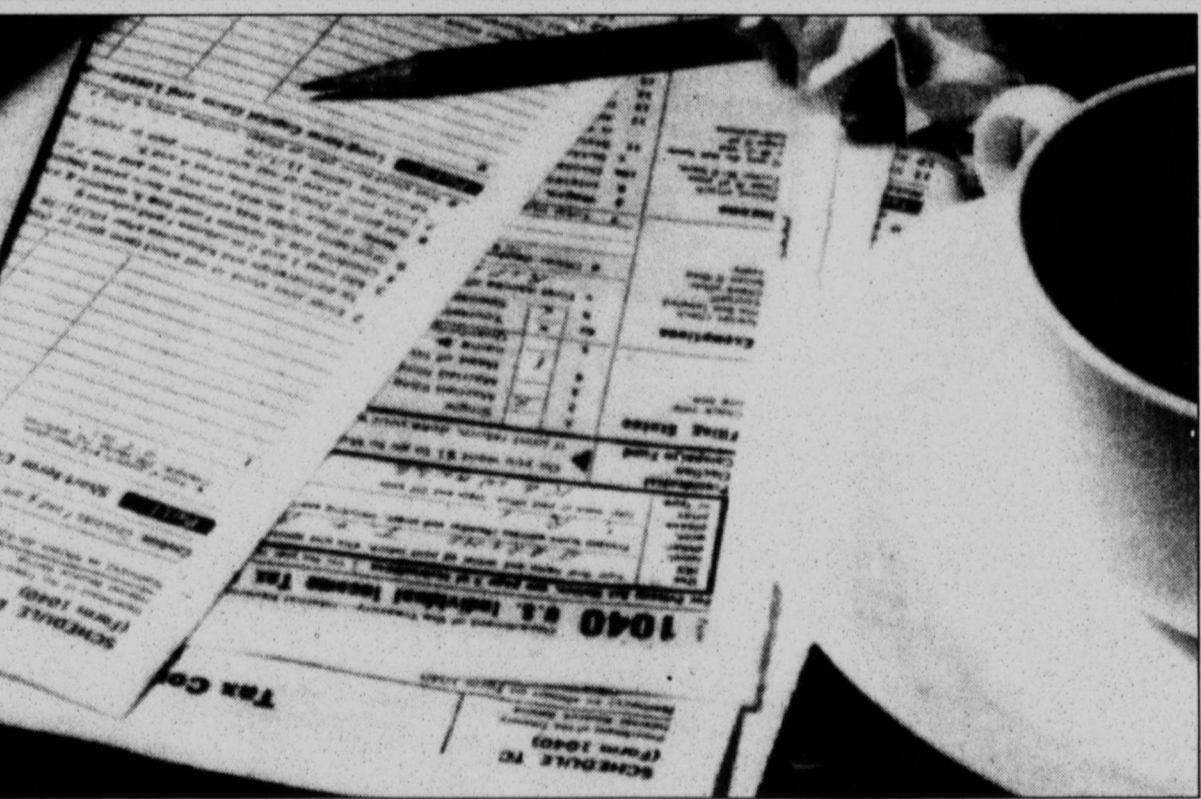
- Monday:** Chicken Nuggets & Gravy, Green Beans, Rolls, Cream Potatoes, Peach Cups, Milk.
- Tuesday:** Frito Pie, Pinto Beans, Cornbread, Orange Slices, Milk.
- Wednesday:** Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza, Salad, Cherry Shape Ups, Apple, Milk.
- Thursday:** Hamburger or Cheeseburger, Onion, Lettuce, Pickles, Tator Tots, Apple Cobbler, Milk.
- Friday:** Fish Burgers, Lettuce & Tomato, Pears, Chips, Milk.

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OBITUARIES

Correction

In the obituary for John Thomas Taylor that ran in last week's *Lynn County News*, a daughter, Kay Ray of Houston, was omitted from the list of survivors. *The News* regrets the error.

Richard Phillip "Phil" Reagan

Funeral services for Richard Phillip "Phil" Reagan, 60, of Lubbock, formerly of Tahoka, will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at Smith-Rogers Funeral Home Chapel in Lovington, N.M. He died March 18, 2003 in Lubbock.

He was a lab technician at Lynn County Hospital for several years. More complete information will be in next week's edition.

Rev. Boyce Evans

Services for Rev. Boyce Evans, 79, of Lubbock were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 18, in the First Baptist Church in Lubbock with Rev. Bobby Dagnell, senior pastor, officiating and Rev. John Ballard, assisting.

Burial was in Resthaven Mausoleum under the direction of White Funeral Home of Lubbock.

He died Saturday, March 15, 2003 in Lubbock.

He was born June 6, 1923 in Lynn County and graduated from Tahoka High School. He graduated from Hardin Simmons in 1949, Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth in 1954, Luther Rice Seminary in Jacksonville, Fla. in 1976 with a doctorate degree, and received an honorary doctorate from Loma Linda University in San Diego. He married Mary Hargett on May 9, 1942 in Wichita Falls.

He started his pastorate in 1946 and continued until 1965, then worked for Hardin Simmons University in the Development and Evangelism Departments. He moved to Lubbock from Abernathy in 1965. In 1969, he became a full time Evangelist until his death. He served on the Board of Trustees at Hardin Simmons and in 1964 received the John J. Keeter award for outstanding Christian service at Hardin Simmons. He was a member of the First Baptist Church. He was a United States Air Force Captain and a veteran of the Korean Conflict.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Suzanne Evans Granbury. Survivors include his wife; two sons, Evan Evans of Edmond, Okla., and David "Slim" Evans of Lubbock; and four grandchildren.

The family request memorials to Hospice of Lubbock, P.O. Box 16800, Lubbock 79490; or the Evangelism Department at First Baptist Church of Lubbock.

Blanche Franklin

Services for Blanche Marie Franklin, 80, of Tahoka were held at 4 p.m. Friday, March 14, in the First Baptist Church of Tahoka with Gary Stidham officiating.

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

She died Tuesday, March 11, 2003, in Tahoka.

She was born Jan. 22, 1923 in Silverton and graduated from Silverton High School and West Texas State University. She taught school at Lamesa ISD and worked for Lamesa National Bank until her retirement in 1951. She had been a resident of Lynn County since 1951. She married Lynn Franklin on Sept. 20, 1951 in San Angelo. He died Aug. 17, 1991. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Tahoka.

Survivors include a son, Jerry Dee Franklin of O'Donnell; a daughter, Beth Wright of Lubbock; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Ruby Holder

Services for Ruby Brown Holder, 80, of Slaton, were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 18 at Englund's Chapel.

Burial was in Green Cemetery in Wilson.

She died Sunday, March 16, 2003. She was born March 24, 1922 in Slaton. She graduated from Nevada High School in 1940. She married Raymond Holder on May 31, 1942, in Yuma, Ariz. He preceded her in death. She moved to Wilson in 1961 and to Slaton in 1972.

A homemaker, she previously was a member of First Baptist Church in Wilson. She was a member of Westview Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Donald of Slaton and Clifford of Wilson; a daughter, Doris Hodges of Midland; a sister, Ruth Brown of Slaton; and four grandchildren.

Esperanza Rivas

Rosary for Esperanza Dominguez Rivas, 72, of Lamesa were held at 7 p.m. Monday, March 17, at Gonzales Funeral Home Chapel.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 18, at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church with the Rev. Rodolfo Crasta officiating.

Burial was in Lamesa Cemetery. She died Saturday, March 15, 2003.

She was born Feb. 6, 1931, in Goliad. She married Saragosa Rivas on Feb. 28, 1952, in Goliad. He died Dec. 28, 2002. She was a Catholic and a homemaker.

She also was preceded in death by a son, Bernabe Rivas in 1992.

Survivors include 14 children, Juanita Salas and Roberta Rivas, both of Brownfield, Saragosa Rivas Jr. and Raul Rivas, both of Levelland, Sammy Rivas and Sylvia Rivas, both of Lubbock, Rosa Rivas and Richard Rivas, both of Lamesa, Encarnacion Rivas of Hobbs, N.M., Guadalupe Rivas of O'Donnell, Jesse Rivas of Welch, Ramon Rivas of Whiteface, Rene Rivas of Midland, and Juan Rios of Tyler; three sisters, Aurora Rios of Lubbock, Cande Aueda of Chicago, Ill., and Delia Munoz of Clovis, N.M.; a brother, Mike Dominguez of Brownfield; 32 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.



ARNOLD LEHMANN

Arnold Lehmann

Funeral services for Arnold O. Lehmann were held at St. John Lutheran Church in Wilson at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 15, 2003. Rev. Nancy Lund officiated.

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

He died Wednesday, March 12, 2003 in Lubbock.

He was born Oct. 17, 1914 in Thorndale, Milan County. He was baptized on Nov. 22, 1914 by Rev. A. W. Kramer in St. Paul Lutheran Church in Thorndale and was confirmed on July 29, 1934 by Rev. J.H. Stelzer. He married Beatha "Betty" Yates on Nov. 6, 1938 in Thorndale, with Rev. Stelzer officiating the ceremony.

He farmed in Thorndale before moving to Lynn County in 1948, where he farmed until his retirement in 1980. He was a member of St. John Lutheran Church, where he worked on the church lawn and in the flower beds after he retired from farming.

He was preceded in death by his wife; a son, Glenn Ray; a granddaughter, Amanda Lehmann; three brothers, Richard, Martin and Otto; and four sisters, Adele, Alma, Tillie and Amanda.

He is survived by two sons, Melvin of Tahoka, and Clifton of Lubbock; three daughters, Arnell Finley of Rochester, Wash., Earline Bagby of Post and Eureka "Reda" Abbe of Wilson; a sister, Amelia Noack of Thorndale; 12 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Lee Lehmann, Bruce Lehman, John E. Lehman, Eric Finley, Lance Bagby, and Kevin Abbe.

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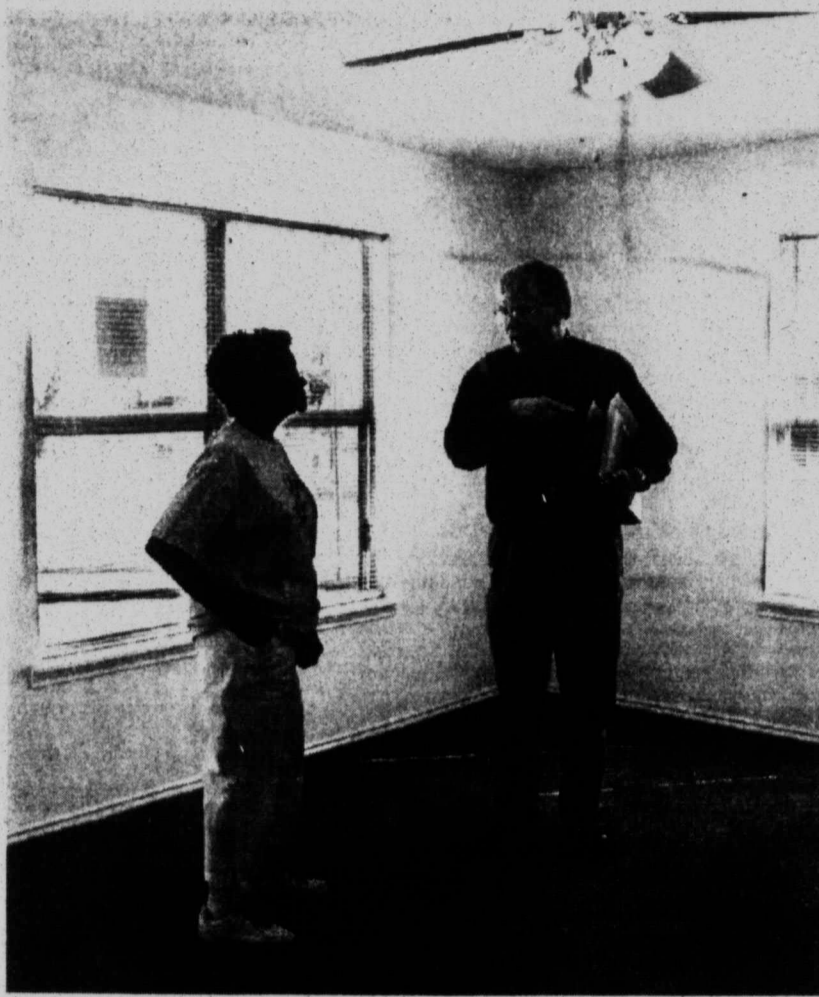
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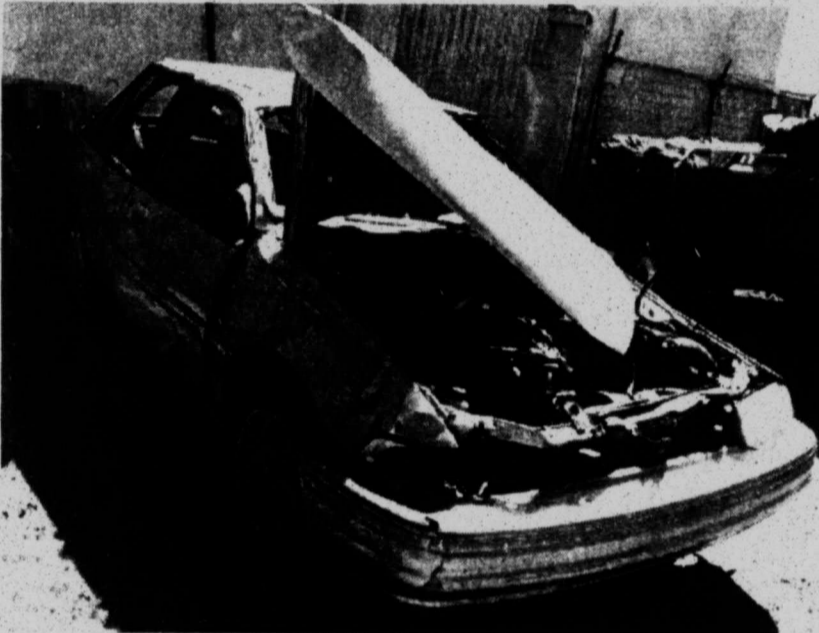
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AND THIS IS OVER HERE - Mike Duran of Gary R. Traylor and Associates, Inc. visits with Esther Green in her new living room Monday morning, as Ms. Green was presented the keys to her new home at 1115 N. 5th in Tahoka. (LCN PHOTO)



ONE SERIOUSLY INJURED-A 19-year-old Odessa man was injured as the 1995 Ford Escort above was involved in a traffic accident 3.5 miles north of Tahoka Saturday. (LCN PHOTO)

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Alternative Crops and Weed Control Seminar Set For March 24

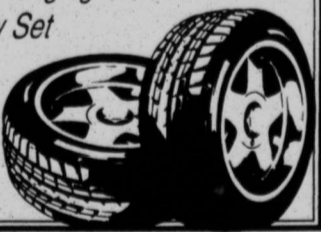
A meeting for area ag producers to learn the latest technology on alternative crops and weed control has been set for Monday, March 24, at the Graham Community Center, located five miles west of Post on Hwy. 380 and two miles south on FM 399. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. and conclude with a meal at noon.

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New Homes ...

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each homeowner. He personally built the cabinets in the kitchens, saying he especially enjoyed cabinetry work.

His company has built 64 homes for the HOME grant program, mostly in the South Plains area but also in south Texas. Tahoka city officials worked closely with Hindman as well as with Mike Duran of Gary Traylor and Associates in the project.

Tahoka had 16 applicants for the HOME grant program, and Traylor and Associates narrowed the list through stringent guidelines to three final applicants, which the Tahoka City Council approved in December 2002. In early January, homeowners were instructed to move their belongings from their homes and city employees began demolishing the structures. The demolition work, amounting to about \$18,000, was part of the in-kind matching funds provided by the city, which was required by the grant program. Hindman's company then laid the foundations and built the new homes in Lubbock, moving them to their respective locations in Tahoka two weeks ago, and finishing work on the homes was concluded last week.

Homeowners, while not allowed to change the floor plans, were encouraged to choose their own color schemes as far as carpeting and tile, and the outside trim on their new homes. Ms. Brown's new home is located at 1117 N. 6th, Ms. Green's home is at 1115 N. 5th, and the Salinas home is located at 1204 Ave. F.

"We are very pleased with the quality of the homes, and with this HOME grant program we are able to provide these nice homes to some deserving people," said the City Administrator. "This is our first time to work with this program, and it has worked out very well," he added.

Duran said his firm is currently overseeing the building of 22 homes through similar HOME grant programs, including the three now finished in Tahoka, and in programs in Slaton, Lamesa, Stamford and Sudan.

Poka Lambro Annual Meeting Set March 27

Poka Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc. is set to host their 52nd Annual Membership Meeting Thursday, March 27. The meeting will be held at the Poka Lambro business office located 11.5 miles north of Tahoka, on U.S. Hwy 87.

Member registration will begin at 11 a.m. followed by lunch at 12 noon. The business meeting will begin at 1 p.m. One important item of business on the agenda is the election of three directors of the Cooperative. The Poka Lambro Nominating Committee met Feb. 7 and in accordance with the by-laws nominated the following Poka Lambro members to be voted on by the membership at the Annual Meeting:

- District 3: Larry Joe Cozart and Ralph Williams (incumbent).
- District 5: Tommy Woolam and Wayne Barton (incumbent).
- District 7: Lanny Zant and Wendell Morrow (incumbent).

Other meeting highlights will include the presentation of Poka Lambro scholarships, reports of officers and directors, as well as any other business that may come before the meeting. All Poka Lambro members are encouraged to attend the annual meeting. Door prize cards may be picked up by members when registering. For more information contact Amy at 1-800-422-2387.

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Tahoka Masonic Lodge #1041 AF & AM

Tahoka Lodge #1041 will present two York Rite Fifty Year Awards, one Fifty Year Blue Lodge Award, and a Widow's Certificate 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 1

Our stated meeting will be called to refreshment for the presentations. Everyone is invited and it will be very much appreciated for the whole family, E.A., and Fellow craft to attend. We look forward to seeing you then.

Response Good For LCN's Centennial Edition

Several have called *The News* office this week regarding *The Lynn County News*' special Centennial Edition planned for June, indicating interest in participating in the commemorative edition which will include historical information about many of the businesses, schools, churches, and other organizations in Lynn County.

"One of the questions asked was whether businesses who are no longer operational can include histories in this special edition, and the answer is, yes," says Juanell Jones, editor of *The Lynn County News*. "These businesses were very much a part of the history of Lynn County, and we want information on these as well. We will offer a special reduced rate for these businesses, so please call us if you are interested," she added.

Lynn County is celebrating its 100th year in 2003, and a special county-wide Centennial Celebration is being planned for June 21 on the courthouse square. *The Lynn County News*' Centennial Edition will be published on June 19 in conjunction with the celebration events.

Deadline for providing historical information/photos and advertisements for the special edition is May 1. For more information, call the *News* office at 561-4888.

Federal Universal Service Charge To Change

A recent Federal Communications Commission (FCC) order changed the way telephone companies can recover their federal universal service fund contributions. Because of this change, coupled with an increase in the FCC's prescribed universal service contribution factor, you will see an increase in the Federal Universal Service Charge (FUSC) amount on your telephone bill effective April 1, 2003. The new FUSC amount is calculated by multiplying the FCC's universal service contribution factor times your interstate service charges.

The federal universal service fund program is designed to help keep local telephone service rates affordable for all customers, in all areas of the United States. If you have questions regarding the Federal Universal Service Charge, please feel free to contact a Poka Lambro Customer Service Representative.

Call Poka Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc. at 806-924-7234, or Poka Lambro Telephone Company at 806-561-5600. (PAID ADVERTISING)



AND HERE ARE THE KEYS - Tahoka City Administrator Jerry Webster presents keys to Marcial and Genoveva Salinas for their new two-bedroom at 1204 Ave. F in Tahoka. (LCN PHOTO)

Little League Sets Registration Dates

Tahoka Little League officials have announced several registration dates for players, with the first scheduled for Tuesday, March 25 from 6-8 p.m. at the Life Enrichment Center Classroom.

Additional registration dates include: Wednesday, March 26, 7-8 p.m., St. Jude Catholic Church; Wednesday, April 2, 7-8 p.m., St. Jude Catholic Church; and Thursday, April 3, 6-8 p.m., Life Enrichment Center.

Parents or guardians need to accompany players and bring a copy of the child's birth certificate as well as the registration fee. Fees are \$30 for kids 5-12 years old and \$40 for kids 13-16 years old. All ages are as of July 31.

All baseball players and girls ages five and six need to sign up now. Additional registration for Girls Softball (ages 7-16) will take place at a later date.

Try-outs for all 7-10 year olds and for 11-12 year old that were not on a major team last year will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 5 at the Little League field.

Depending on numbers, the following divisions will be offered for older players: Junior League Baseball (ages 13-14); Junior League Softball (girls, ages 13-14); and Senior League Softball (girls, ages 13-16). Try-outs for these divisions will be held at a later date.

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Tahoka ISD 2003-2004 Proposed Calendar

INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS: (177)

First Six Weeks	August 21	to	September 26	26 Days
Second Six Weeks	September 29	to	November 7	.....	29 Days
Third Six Weeks	November 10	to	December 19	.....	27 Days
Fourth Six Weeks	January 6	to	February 13	.....	28 Days
Fifth Six Weeks	February 16	to	April 8	.....	33 Days
Sixth Six Weeks	April 12	to	May 27 (last day of school)	.....	34 Days
Total Instructional Days					177 Days

STAFF DEVELOPMENT (10)
New Staff In-Service: August 14, 15
Inservice/Student Holiday:
August 18, 19, 20
October 13
January 5, 16
February 20
May 28

BAD WEATHER DAYS
May 31, June 1

HOME COMING September 12

HOLIDAYS
Labor Day September 1
Thanksgiving November 26, 27, 28
Christmas December 22-January 2
County Show January 16
Spring Break March 15-19
Good Friday April 9

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Please direct comments regarding the proposed 2003-2004 school calendar to Tahoka ISD Superintendent Jimmy Parker at the Harvick Educational Building, phone (806) 561-4105.

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FOR RENT: Lot for trailer house, includes carport. All utility hook-ups. On North 3rd in Tahoka. \$125 per month, one year lease. Call 806-645-8112. 12-tfc



Help Wanted

WANTED: Caretaker for church yard. Mowing, edging, trimming of shrubs and general yard care during growing season (now through frost, probably late October). Submit bids to First United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 500, Tahoka 79373. 11-tfc

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The Wilson ISD is seeking sealed proposals for renovating certain facilities located in Wilson, TX. Proposals should be addressed to Mr. Mike Jones, Superintendent, Wilson ISD, 1411 Green Avenue, Wilson, TX 79381, and will be received at the above address no later than 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, April 3, 2003.

A mandatory Walk-Through Conference will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday, March 25, 2003 at the Wilson ISD, Central Office School Work Room located at the above address. The Proposal forms and specifications may be obtained at the mandatory Walk-Through Conference. 11-2tc



Notice

YARD WORK: It's time to scalp or low mow your lawn for the summer. Call Michael and Rowdy at 561-4213.

NOTICE OF SALE BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LYNN

DATED February 27, 2003, 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. 99-03-02158, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. The Medlock Company, Inc., a defunct Texas Corporation, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County. I have on February 27, 2003, seized levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in April, 2003, the same being the 1st 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:

Lot 6, East 40 Feet of Lot 7, Block 52, Original Townsite of the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, being that property more particularly described in Vol. 193, Page 422 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 judgement 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 judgement 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 February 27, 2003, at Tahoka, Texas.
By Jake Diggs
SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas

/s/ Abraham Vega
DEPUTY
10-3tc



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COUNTY OF LYNN

NOTICE OF SALE BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED February 27, 2003, 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. 00-08-02168, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. Sacarias Garza, Maria O. Vasquez FKA Marie Chavez, Teresa Chavez AKA Teresa C. Mercado, H.O. Crouch, Velma A. Wells AKA Velma A. Alarcon, W.J. Crouch, M.J. Crouch, Y.F. Barnett, San Juana Gonzalez a/k/a Juanita Gonzales, D.L. Short, W.A. Coffman, A.M. Sullivan, Froilan Gonzales, Sylvester Harbert, Ella Harbert, Eula Mae Howard, James Winn, Corinne Elizabeth Theeck, Peggy Jean Sweeten FKA Peggy Jean Hamilton, Floyd H. Moyers, Marie Moyers Childs, Velma Moyers Buckleaw Cawthron, Lee Roy Moyers, Roscoe Ward, Fred E. Alexander, Irene Killgore, K.A. Childs AKA Buddy Childs, Arnold Buckleaw, Ida Bell Taylor, Linda Flannery, Woodrow Theeck, Wayne Theeck, R.L. Richardson, Mid-State Homes, Inc., a Florida Corp., and Wayne White, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on February 27, 2003, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in April, 2003, the same being the 1st 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:

East 1/2 of South 1/2 of Lot 4, Block 2, Shook Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0002688, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 265, Page 36, of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

Lot 8, Block 11, Shook Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0001558, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 69, Page 177, of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

Lot 6, Block 79, Shook Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0004945, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 228, Page 470, of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

300 Acre being Lot 7, Block 79, Shook Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0004946, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 228, Page 470, of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

Lot 19, Block 76, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0005363, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 97, Page 442, of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

Lot 9, Block 74, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0006173, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 73, Page 96, of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

Lots 36, 37, 38, 39 & 40, Block 32, Tahoka Heights Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0008092, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 73, Page 45 and Vol. 50, Page 463 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

Lot 6, Block 70, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0009441, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 106, Page 199 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

East 1/2 of Lot 3, Block 6, Shook Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0011178, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 175, Page 213 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

Lot 3, Block 58, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0012032, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 181, Page 250 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas;

East 1/2 of Lot 1, Block 6, Shook Addition to the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0012213, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 171, Page 618 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 judgement 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 judgement 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 February 27, 2003, at Tahoka, Texas.

By Jake Diggs
SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas

/s/ Abraham Vega
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NOTICE OF SALE BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE COUNTY OF LYNN

THE STATE OF TEXAS DATED February 27, 2003, 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. 01-05-02200, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. Tammy Benavides, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on February 27, 2003, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in April, 2003, the same being the 1st 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:

01-1001-101-0004-02/South 1/2 of Lot 4, Block 101, Original Townsite of the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0001735, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 330, Page 232 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 judgement 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 judgement 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 February 27, 2003, at Tahoka, Texas. By Jake Diggs SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas. /s/ Abraham Vega DEPUTY 10-3c

NOTICE OF SALE BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE COUNTY OF LYNN

THE STATE OF TEXAS DATED February 27, 2003, 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. 01-05-02201, and styled Lynn County Appraisal District vs. Terry Censerov, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on February 27, 2003, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in April, 2003, the same being the 1st 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:

01-1001-097-0008-02/East 50 feet of Lot 8, Block 97, Original Townsite of the City of Tahoka, PARCEL #0002624, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 224, Page 398 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 judgement 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 judgement 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 February 27, 2003, at Tahoka, Texas. By Jake Diggs SHERIFF, Lynn County, Texas. /s/ Abraham Vega DEPUTY 10-3c



TAHOKA BULLDOGS - The THS Varsity Baseball Team claimed another win here Tuesday night, with the game called in the sixth inning with a 12-2 win over Lamesa. They are (top) Coach Lane Hyde, Ben Stroope, Brandon McCord, Warren Baker, Robert Baker, Kody Buermann, Coach Brent John; (bottom) Patrick Dotson, Gary Gonzales, Kellen Flowers, Derek Stephens, Bradley Paschal, Brady Askew, Matt Wells, and Chris Engle. (LCN PHOTO)



JV BULLDOGS - The members of the Tahoka Bulldog junior varsity baseball team for 2003 include (top) Coach Lane Hyde, Ryan Brown, Larry Murphy, Corey Jolly, Nathan Garcia, James Loftis, Tyler Hawthorne, Coach Brent John; (bottom) Brandon Gutierrez, Jamie Madore, Josh Garza, Troy Price and Chase Autry. (LCN PHOTO)

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Who's Who at Lynn County Schools Lisa Hawthorne Tahoka ISD Special Education Assistant This is Mrs. Hawthorne's third year with TISD. She and her husband, John, have four children - Tyler, Josh, Luke and Levi. "The kids are the best thing about Tahoka ISD! We should all be proud of 'our' kids. I feel it is an honor to be able to be a part of their lives. The staff cares for the kids and for each other. With our great kids, outstanding staff and supportive parents we have a wonderful school and community," she added. Lynn County Abstract & Title, Inc. Marinda Tyler, Mgr 1540 Ave. J • Tahoka, TX • (806) 998-4022

Wilson School Menu

March 24-28 Breakfast Monday: Donut, Juice, Milk. Tuesday: Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Toast, Juice, Milk. Wednesday: Sausage Pancake on a Stick, Juice, Milk. Thursday: Sausage Egg Cheese Bake, Juice, Milk. Friday: French Toast Sticks, Juice, Milk. Lunch Monday: Corn Dog, Tator Tots, Fruit, Milk. Tuesday: Cheeseburger, Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion, Fruit, Milk. Wednesday: Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Rolls, Fruit, Milk. Thursday: Fajitas, Rice, Beans, Fruit, Milk. Friday: Pizza, Salad, Fruit, Milk.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor, We would like to thank Hochheim Prairie Insurance for their generous contribution given to Lynn County Hospital District EMS. Lynn County Hospital District supports the EMS but we also depend on donations such as theirs to help purchase supplies and needed equipment. Their donation will probably go for either spine boards or new stethoscopes. This generosity is truly appreciated. Without organizations such as this, our organization would struggle. Thank you again, Lynn County Hospital District EMS Dan Powers, Lynn County Hospital District CEO

The Small Home With a Big Heart News from the Tahoka Care Center

by Connie Riojas L.C. Bureson was chosen as Resident of the Month for March. He has been at TCC since Oct. 16, 2000. He was born Aug. 8, 1930 in Marland, L.C. married Henrietta Bureson and had two children, Michael Bureson and Gloria Dean Moore. He was a farmer and a mechanic and worked for a service station. He was a three star mechanic for the Ford dealership. Some of L.C.'s hobbies include bingo, playing ball and exercising. He loves sitting outside in warm weather. Congratulations L.C.! Employee of the Month for March is Josie Alvarado. She has been a TCC since Dec. 2001 and is employed in the Dietary Department. She is a very loyal and dependable employee. Josie has two children, Brian and Melisa and has one grandson, Alexander. Congratulations on a job well done. The residents enjoyed the Center's monthly birthday party on March 14. They also had a blast at the St. Patrick's Day party on Monday. Myrtle Miller was on watch for those who did not wear green. We would like to welcome new resident Zip Holdren to our home. Anyone interested in making donations or volunteering a few hours a week. Call me at 998-5018.

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Judge Schildknecht Attends Conference

More than 130 Texas judges, including Hon. Carter T. Schildknecht, Judge of the 106th Judicial District Court in Lamesa, attended a judicial training program that provided fresh perspectives and tools for the role of administering justice fairly. The 2003 Family Violence Conference was held at the Hotel Galvez in Galveston March 3-5. The Texas Center for the Judiciary, an Austin-based non-profit judicial education group, developed the curriculum for the 2003 Family Violence Conference. Texas judges who hear pretrial or trial aspects of cases involving family violence issues in a civil or criminal setting, including associate judges, county court at law judges, family court judges, and general jurisdiction judges, were invited to attend. The conference featured a day and a half education program. Sessions covered Firearms and Domestic Violence: Important Considerations for Judges, Fact-Finding in Domestic Violence Cases, Fairness and Cultural Issues, and Decision-Making Skills in Domestic Violence. "The Family Violence Conference is specifically designed to meet family violence education needs of Texas judges. It is intended to improve court responses in family violence cases by helping judges rule more confidently on evidentiary issues and in a number of other areas, including protective orders and sentencing," said Mari Kay Bickett, Executive Director of the Texas Center for the Judiciary.

The NEW HOME News by Karon Durham 924-7448

Students will resume classes on a regular schedule Monday, March 24 following their spring break holiday.

Little Dribblers will begin play on Monday, March 24. Game one begins at 5:30 p.m. followed by all other games. The schedule is as follows:

- March 24: @ Wellman: Game 1-Minor Boys, Game 2-Major Girls, Game 3-Major Boys (Black); Game 1-Minor Girls, Game 2-Major Girls, Game 3-Major Boys (Red); Game 27: @ New Home vs Wilson: Game 1-Minor Girls, Game 2-Major Boys (Black); Game 28: @ Wilson: Game 1-Major Girls, Game 2-Major Boys (Red); April 7: @ New Home vs Ropes: Game 1-Minor Girls, Game 2-Minor Boys (practice), Game 3-Major Girls, Game 4-Major Boys (Black); April 8: @ Ropes: Game 1-Minor Boys, Game 2-Major Boys (Black), Game 3-Major Boys (Red); April 10: @ New Home vs Ropes: Game 1-Minor Girls, Game 2-Minor Boys, Game 3-Major Girls, Game 4-Major Boys (Red); April 14: @ Meadow: Game 1-Minor Girls, Game 2-Major Girls, Game 3-Major Boys (Black); April 15: @New Home vs Meadow: Game 1-Minor Boys, Game 2-Minor Girls, Game 3-Major Boys (Black); April 17: @ Meadow: Game 1-Minor Girls, Game 2-Major Boys (Black), Game 3-Major Boys (Red); April 24-26: Minor Tournament in Meadow; May 1-3: Major Tournament in New Home.

Events on the school calendar: March 22-Track meet at Loop (junior high and high school); March 24-Sign-ups for varsity cheerleader during third period; March 26-27-Tarleton Judging Contest; March 27-Sign-up forms for varsity cheerleader due by 3 p.m.; March 28-Canyon Judging Contest; March 28-high school track meet at Wellman; March 29-Clarendon Judging Contest; March 29-high school track meet at Dawson; March 31-baseball game at Abernathy, 5 p.m.

New Home School Menu

March 24-28 Breakfast Monday: French Toast Sticks, Milk. Tuesday: Smiley Faces, Milk. Wednesday: Cinnamon Toast, Milk. Thursday: Rice Krispie Bars, Milk. Friday: Biscuit, Sausage, Milk. Lunch Monday: Steak Fingers, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Orange Half, Texas Toast, Milk. Tuesday: Pizza, Lettuce, Tomato, Corn, Banana Pudding, Milk. Wednesday: Fried Burrito, Lettuce, Tomato, Carrots, Cucumber, Spanish Rice, Pineapple Slice, Milk. Thursday: Chicken Nuggets, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Pear Cup, Hot Rolls, Milk. Friday: Fish Shapes, Mac & Cheese, Breaded Okra, Lettuce, Tomato, Blueberry Blooming Cake, Milk.

Make plans to attend the Lynn County Hospital Auxiliary's Fun/Food Fest Saturday, April 12 at Lynn County Show Barn!

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