

Floyd Philosopher sees a hard choice between big city people and nuclear power plants


The Consumer Alert
${ }_{\text {by Mark }}^{\text {A White }}$

Lockney Baptist youth enjoy New Mexico retreat

| wenty Baptist youth and | group joined the youth of |
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| ir sponsors enjoyed a | Sumner, NM (Bill Sessom, |
| $k$-end retreat in las | ) for a cook-out |
| Vecember 2 . The group was | riday evening. |
| housed in the Baptist Stu- | Those enjoying the re, |
| dent Union Building on | Cindy and Tracy Adams: |
| Highlands University Cam- | Randy, Roxanne and Russell |
| pus. Much time was spent in | Ford; Christi Poole, Julie |
| meditation and Bible sid | Ferguson, Susan Fitzgerald, |
| The group enjoyed a da | Chris Hennigan,Chris Coop- |
|  | er, Terri Sparkman, Amy |
|  | Shaw, Robin Hardy, Bar- |
| Baptist Church, Las Ve | bara Moore, Keith Owens, |
| on Sunday morning. The | and Anjella Mangum; and |
| group provided special music for the worship ser- | the sponsors, Monte and |
| vice. Lunch was provided by |  |
| e host church in their |  |
| fellowship hall. | Cooper. Kim, Rards were |
| Enroute to Las Vegas the |  |


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| he worst of times brings out the best Americans. <br> nd our best, I might add, is very | A second incident which shows the fiber of the American people involves letter I received a few weeks ago from |
| experience this country has ever suf- key to one offered through, but it has been a terrible |  |
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| revealing incidents that have occurred during this crisis |  |
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| President. They notified him of their ong policies against using food as a |  |
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| so if you should determine that it is in the interest of national security. |  |
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## Lockney

Visiting with Mrs. Doro-
thy Merrell last weekend
were her chilldrent, weekend and
Barbara (Hayes) Merrell of
Barbara (Hayes) Merrell of
South Lakee their daugher,
Kathy Hamilton of Amarillo,
and Carolyn ond Amarillo;
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Jones of Seminole.
Saturday they had a be
lated Thankggiving dinner,
with Mrs. Edna Lackey
joining them.
Ting Rexrode and Jimm
Pinner visited Saturday
afternoon.
Mrs. Grace Colson return.
ed recently from visiting
relatives in Glendale, 0 x.
relatives in Glendale, Ox-
nard and San Francisco,
California. She was accom.
California. She was accom-
panied on her trip by
Mrs. Mildred Jones of Chick.
asha, Oklahoma.
Mrs. Myrtle Billington
was in the Central Plains
was in the Central Plans
Hospital from Wednesday
niight until Monday. She is
better at this time and is at
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Lockney Nursing Home
Mrs. Dorothy Merrell an
her daughter Carollyn Jone
and grandaughter $y$ Jaym
and grandaughter Jayme,
Seminiol, attended the
funeral of her nephew, Jack
Merrell, which
Merrell, which was held al
the First Baptist Church,
November 25, at Claud.
He is survived by his wife
Iva Mae (Johnson); two sons
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Bruce of Dahhart and Bill of of
Perryton; his mother, Mrs.
Eula Merrell, Perryton; and
one grandaughter, Monica.
He was
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## Now is prime time for testing soil

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## Landowners to get tax break

| If you are exhausting your capital investment in groundwater in the Southern High Plains of Texas, you may be entitled to a tax deduction. You are eligible to a tax deduction. You are eligible if you acquired land within the geographic area covered lala aquifier in the Southern High Plains of Texa3 and New Mexico any time after 1947. Land with proven time after 1947. Land wh which had groundwater reserves and irrigation potential sold at a higher price after 1947 than comparable land without water. The difference in the actual sales price, of comparable dryland vs. irrigated land, is attributed to determined equal. | to figure this year's deduction for individual landowners and or their accountant will need to provide the Water District with the following dress, social security number; the taxpayer's agent's name and address; and a complete legal description of the land blank forms, upon request, which detail all necessary legal and general informa. Last year the District supplied decline maps to Hale, Lynn, Crosby, howevedr, for the 1979 tax year, these counties will be handled under the manner as all the other counties in the |
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| The deduction is called a cost-in- water income tax depletion allowance and the information you will need to 15 county service area can be obtained from the Water District. For those of decline data to support your 1979 deduction will soon be available from the Water District. District staff will | District. -The Water District expects to to process between five and six thousand requests for decline values this tax season." says Manager A. Wayne figures available on how much money landowners in the Water District save each year by this allowance, we estimate that it is at least $\$ 3$ to $\$ 5$ esimate |

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season prevented plants from develop
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When plants arready straining under a
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 went into moisture stress in the
part of September and early October.
Dr. James Supak. Area Extersion
Cotton Agronomist, is also cautioning Dr. James Supak, Area Extension
Cotton A Aronomist, is also cautioning
producers about the quality of planting seed that might be saved from this
year s. crop. . There is a strong poss
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## Cotton

## Today

 FARM LABOR POSITION TO BESTUDIED: The National Coton Council
received a notice this week from the Labor Department stating the agency
has decided to restudy its position has decided to restudy its position
concerning appliciation of the Farm
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operation of coton gins. .he notice
stated that enforcement stated that enforcement under the aet
Will be suspended in the ginning
industry pending the outcome of the study. During the ooursitcome of the study,
the Department will seek the industry's

EXPORTS REMAIN HEAVY: New sales of 206,200 running bales of upland ber 18 pushed the season's total to
$6,470,300$. The principal buyers were

China, 53.500, and Hong Kong, 45,500 .
The week's exports totaled 103,500 bales and pushod the season's ship
ments to $1,565,400$ compared with 1,372,500 a year ago. compared with
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passed a separate bill without a evto
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