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A FILLED COURTROOM AND T.V. CAMERA CREWS were the order of the day at Commissioners Court Monday as citizens met with the county officials to ask that the Floyd County Canneries be kept open. Seated left to right are

Commissioners; Bob Jarrett, Thomas Warren, Jack Lackey, Sam Spence; County Judge Choise Smith; Sam Baker and television cameramen.

Floyd County Canneries could be saved

Floyd County Commissioner's Court took on the atmosphere of the "big cities" Monday as two television news crews set up tri-pods and cameras amid citizens who were filing in and being seated.

The item of business on the court agenda that sparked the wide spread interest was the possible closing of the two county owned canneries. Located, one in Lockney and one in Floydada, the canneries have been operated seasonally for about 50 years.

County Judge Choise Smith opened the proceedings by informing citizens that last Friday he had received word from the state and federal health inspectors that there was a possibility the canneries could be operated on a "community cannery" basis. The plant requirements for private use would be less strict and therefore less expensive than if the canneries were operated as commercial.

The canneries are threatened with not opening as scheduled in July because the facilities do not meet state and

ederal health requirements. A cost of \$150,000 has been estimated necessary to upgrade the health standards required for commercial canning. To meet federal and state requirements is beyond the financing ability of the county according to commissioners.

The lesser requirements for a community cannery designation could be within the means of the county budget Smith indicated. He offered the possibility that one cannery could be brought into compliance with those standards at a cost figure the county could afford. Smith said that he would be in touch with Dr. L.B. Wagner, Texas A&M, who is a cannery specialist. Wagner could give the county cost figures and guidelines to bring the canneries up to the "community" standards code.

However, no canned goods could be sold through the canneries as has been done in the past. Workers would be prohibited from selling surplus goods to the public. In the past canning done "on the halves" was sold by those who had done the work.

The approximately 20, county citizens brought with them petitions bearing over 800 signatures asking the Commissioners Court to keep the two canneries open.

The petitions, published in a two-page spread Thursday in both the Hesperian and Beacon, ask the commissioners to make every effort to keep the canneries open for business.

Friday, according to Commissioner Bob Jarrett, was the first indication by the health inspectors that a community cannery designation was possible for Floyd County.

"They (county residents) are not going to give an inch," Jarrett said that he told the inspectors when informing the inspectors of the concern shown the county users of the canneries.

The two canneries processed more than 50,000 cans last year in a five-month-long season. The Lockney Cannery does at least twice as much business as the one at Floydada.

Representation at the court meeting

Monday was about 10-1 Lockney citizens.

Commissioners had been concerned about liability in case of illnesses caused by eating the cannery products. But insurance agent Sam Baker of Floydada, who handles the county's liability insurance, said his underwriter did not believe the county could be held liable.

Baker said that the underwriter backed that belief by indicating that he didn't think the county needed the insurance, but that if they did he would write a \$300,000 policy at an annual premium of only \$96.

In closing Smith said, "We want the people to know that we're working on it."

Court proceedings were televised on both; Channel 13, KLBK, reporter, Kathy Williams; and on Channel 28, KAMC, reporter, Pat Dockery. Write-ups of the cannery question have appeared in both the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal and the Amarillo Globe-News.

Lighthouse to host barbeque

A large crowd is expected Saturday, April 24, at the Lighthouse Headquarters, Highway 70 East, Floydada, for the 43rd Annual Meeting of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. Registration will begin at 11:00 a.m. followed by a traditional barbeque lunch for members and guests at 11:30 a.m.

President Cecil Baxter will call the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Three directors are to be elected during the business session. Nominees to be voted on by the membership are: Louis Lloyd and Richard Ward in District 2; L.B. Brandes and Don McCulloch in District 5; and Harold

Burk in District 8.

Musical entertainment will be provided by Richard Sudduth and Triple "C" Express of Crosbyton. Entertainment for the youngsters during the meeting will also be provided.

Prizes will be drawn throughout the meeting for Lighthouse Electric members. The grand prize, to be drawn at the end of the meeting will feature a choice to be selected from several major appliances.

This year marks the 30th year a planning committee of the membership has planned the annual meeting.

Planning this year's annual meeting were: Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Wheelless of McAdoo; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McGuire of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Johnson of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Stark of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bybee of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Groce of Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Reddy of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bowman of Estelline; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ariola of Lakeview.

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative currently serves about 7,400 meters in twelve west Texas counties.

Council approves budget

Lockney City Council met last Wednesday morning, April 7 for their regular meeting.

A 1982 budget of \$359,731 was approved.

It was decided that Lockney would continue to collect city taxes in Lockney rather than contract with the Floyd County Appraisal District to do the collecting.

Owen Thornton was reappointed for a two-year term to the Board of Directors of the Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority.

The April 10 election was canvassed and declared to be legal and valid. Paul Lyle, attorney for the city, administered the oath of office to Aldermen J.W. Dipprey, Jr., Pat Frizzell, and Paul Reecer.

A.C. Bowden, consulting engineer, was authorized to advertise for bids for sealcoating in 1982. Those bids will be opened May 6, 1982. He will also take bids for water and sewer projects in conjunction with CDBG program. Those bids will be opened June 3, 1982.

The City Council passed a resolution authorizing the chief executive officer of the city to enter into negotiations for the purchase of a dilapidated structure offered for sale in the city's CDBG target area.

A resolution was passed establishing just compensation for the properties to be acquired for water, sewer and street improvements in the city's 1981-1982 CDBG target area and authorizing the mayor to initiate negotiations and execute contracts for sale of these properties to the City of Lockney.

An ordinance was passed providing for a penalty to defray costs of collection of delinquent taxes and providing an effective date.

April will be recognized as Fair Housing Month in the City of Lockney. A resolution was passed to that effect.

Lockney Band to play KAMC

Larry Williams, Lockney band director, reported that Lockney Band members will compete with some very familiar personalities from Channel 28 KAMC-TV station Sunday at 3:00 p.m.

This basketball games is in exchange for the performance by the Lockney Band in Christmas for the Kids, a project sponsored by KAMC-TV during the holidays.

Among the personalities to be appearing in the Lockney gym Sunday will be Jeff Klotzman, Dal Wallace, Pam Baird and Janet Baucum. Other members of the production staff will round out their team.

The charge will be \$1 per person. Proceeds will go toward the band's spring trip to Corpus Christi.

The public is invited to come and join in the fun.



KITTENS—Team members are, back row [l-r], Coach Connie Coffman, Coach Kim Carthel, Veronica Blanco, Monica Fannin, Jolie Diepenhorst and Coach Patricia Torrez. Front row [l-r] are Josie Setva, Michelle Cavazos, Lupie Cortez and Bertha Garcia.

Little Dribblers kicked off season last Monday

The Little Dribblers kicked off Monday afternoon. They will be playing April 12, 13, 14 (taking a break for church services), 16, 19, and 20.

The Double Elimination Tournament will be held April 22, 26 and 27. The entire schedule is shown on the sports page.

The first game started at 4:30 Monday. The results of the Monday games are shown below:

LITTLE DRIBBLER SCORES Monday, April 12

Girls—			
Rockettes	vs.	Queens	14
Licinda Mahagan 16		Gloria Martinez 8	
Amy Ansley 6		Missy Hayes 4	
Diana Perales 1		Ruth Elaine Wilson 2	

Ladybugs	vs.	Kittens
31		12
Debbie Hernandez 14		Bertha Garcia 8
Gwen Lane 11		Veronica Blanco 4
Connie Vasquez 6		

Boys—		
Bucks	vs.	Spurs
49		14
Todd Hallmark 30		Aaron Kidd 12
Javier Bernal 15		Clay Harrison 2
Ron Cates 4		

Celtics	vs.	76ers
31		22
Jimmy Ballejo 16		Clay Adrain 18
Tracy Carlton 8		Oscar Reyna 3
Matt Williams 5		Troy Bigham 1
Boyd Jackson 2		



76ERS—Team members are, back row [l-r], Coach Jeffery McCormick, Clay Adrain, Jerry Klein, Oscar Reyna, Coach Jackie Cunyus. Front row [l-r] are Luisa Luna, Troy Bigham and manager Kip Holt.



QUEENS—Team members are back row [l-r], Coach Kay Reay, Missy Hayes, Ruth Elaine Wilson, Tonya Elam, Jerri Ann McCormick, coach. Center row [l-r] are Coach Sarah Fitzgerald, Kathy Davis, Laurie Perez and Gloria Martinez. Rosellen Arjona is on the front row.



ROCKETTES—Team members are back row [l-r]; Lori Smith, Melinda Basaldua, Diana Perales, Amy Ansley, Coach Shawnda Brock. Front row [l-r] are Ester Silva, Licinda Mahagan, Jessica Marks and Teresa Leal. Not pictured is coach Robin Hardy.



LADYBUGS—Team members are, back row [l-r], Coach Karen Mathis, Tracy McConnell, Connie Vasquez, Gwen Lane, Sundal Workman and Coach Karyn Foster. Front row [l-r] are Debbie Hernandez, Carol Gonzales, Donna Vernon and Sylvia Silva.

Middlebrook visits Lions Club



DOYCE MIDDLEBROOK

The Rev. Michael O'Connor's

Doyce Middlebrook, Democratic candidate for state representative 84th District, was guest at the Floydada Lions Club luncheon meeting last Thursday.

Middlebrook is a farmer from the Shallowater area.

"I live on the same place that I was raised," he said.

He graduated from Tech with a degree in government and "for 22 years has been actively involved in community affairs."

The farm consists of 1500 acres of cotton, 300 of wheat, and he runs 250 head of cattle. He and his son also have farm and ranch interests in Lamb and Deaf Smith Counties.

"I have had support in Floyd and other counties to do this," he said

referring to his seeking public office. People in this part of the district would benefit from having a representative that's one of them, that's from their part of the district."

He said that he feels he has been well received by the people in this district and reflects their interests and attitudes.

Middlebrook said that he is vitally interested in water and soil conservation. "I do own farm land and they're not making any more dirt. We have to conserve what we have."

He said that the wealth in this area is not in dollars "but in our potential to make dollars."

"I am a rural type person," he said, "and I'm concerned about how we're going to keep funding our rural schools. How we can fund the salaries to secure good quality teachers in our rural schools."

Middlebrook serves on the Board of Directors of the First State Bank, Shallowater; he has been president of the board of directors of Shallowater Co-op Gin for 12 years and has served on the board for 16 years.

He is Vice President of Plains Cotton Cooperative Association director of American Cotton Growers; director of Producers Exchange Insurance; member of Plains Cotton Growers; alternate director of Cotton Incorporated and a member of the American Quarterhorse Association.

He has been married for 21 years to the former Paula Isbell. The couple has two children: Randy, 20, who attended West Texas College and is now engaged in farming; and Patti, 14, a freshman at Shallowater High School.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Beacon:

Just a few lines to wish you happy birthday. About 80 years ago I took a small armload of you to the post office for mailing the first subscribers July 10, 1901.

My father, mother and I arrived from Dallas in a covered wagon and parked in front of Bakers' store and I went in and got our mail from sweet little Alice Baker, who was postmaster. The post office was in the northeast corner of Baker Store.

Love to all the Lockney folks -- and best wishes.

Sincerely,
Clifton Oliver

P.S. Edit this any way you like. I love that place and its memories. I might write you. I have worthwhile memory letter to consider.

Clifton Oliver
2215 Bonham
Amarillo, Texas

To Editor of Lockney Beacon:

Will you please print a "Thank You" for me for the beautiful eulogy written for the obituary of my son R.W. McCollum.

All he left out was to call him "Little Doc."

Sincerely,
Mrs. Elizabeth McCollum
Apt. 1205
1601 Gorth Road
Baytown, TX 77521

Mobile homes no longer considered motor vehicles

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has good news for mobile home dwellers—their homes are no longer considered motor vehicles under Texas tax law.

"Mobile homes have been considered motor vehicles and subject to registration and the 4 percent motor vehicle sales tax since 1941," Bullock said. "The last legislature changed that law and beginning March 1, we will no longer collect motor vehicle taxes on these homes."

Bullock said people who buy a mobile home all obtain a "document of title" from the Texas Department of Labor and Standards instead of registering it as a motor vehicle and obtaining a "certificate of title" from the Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

The new law basically defines a mobile home as a structure providing at least 320 square feet of living area.

"This means travel trailers will still be taxed as motor vehicles and portable buildings will still be taxed under the sales tax law," Bullock said.

"There will still be a tax on mobile homes which will be collected by the manufacturer," Bullock explained. "During the first year the new law is in

effect, the rate will be 4.225 percent of the manufacturer's selling price. After September 1, 1983, the rate drops to 3.25 percent."

"And, there's a use tax provision in the new law," he continued. "This means that anyone who buys a mobile home from an out-of-state dealer is responsible for paying the tax—which will be administered by the Comptroller's Office."

Under the new law, mobile homes will no longer need to have current motor vehicle registration papers when they are sold, but they will need the "document of title" from the Department of Labor and Standards.

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Perspectives

BY MICHAEL O'CONNOR

Fresh newness. That is what babies are all about. Somehow when I look at little babies lying in their nursery beds in a hospital, I cannot help but think that the world ought to be different because of their entry. I mean more than the fact that the population has increased that day.

I wish that the world could regain some of its innocence and naivete. Babies don't know anything about politics, or nuclear conflagration, or hatred, or war, or a multitude of other evils with which we contend each day. I cannot help but think that if we would less about such things we would be better off.

I wish that all the babies that are born into our world were taken care of. It is difficult to believe, standing there looking through the wire mesh and glass, that some of those children lying in there might go home to a life of hardship, deprivation, and poverty. It is

even harder to believe that anyone could look upon such little miracles and want to harm them. Maybe if the Church practiced real religion; James said it was to visit widows and orphans in their affliction, then there would be more cared for, wanted children.

I wish that the last time babies had to look like wrinkled up little old people until they became that way at the end of a life, was when they look like that the first few days of their lives. Then they would not have to grow prematurely old from stress and worry, and pain and suffering. They wouldn't have to worry about some jerk leading them into alcohol and drugs and early sex, and winding up old long before their times.

Finally, I wish that babies would have parents who would dedicate themselves to leaving their children a world worth having them take over. And I hope they do a better job with their world than we have with ours.

Firm receives award

The Cates & Dawson Insurance Agency was recently presented the Forecaster Award by Allstate Insurance Companies. This award recognizes all new that write 25% of their first year's anticipated volume within 90 days after

appointment.

The Cates & Dawson Agency has been affiliated with Allstate since January of 1981. The agency is located at 231 West California in Floydada.

The award was presented at a recent meeting held at the Hilton Inn in Dallas.

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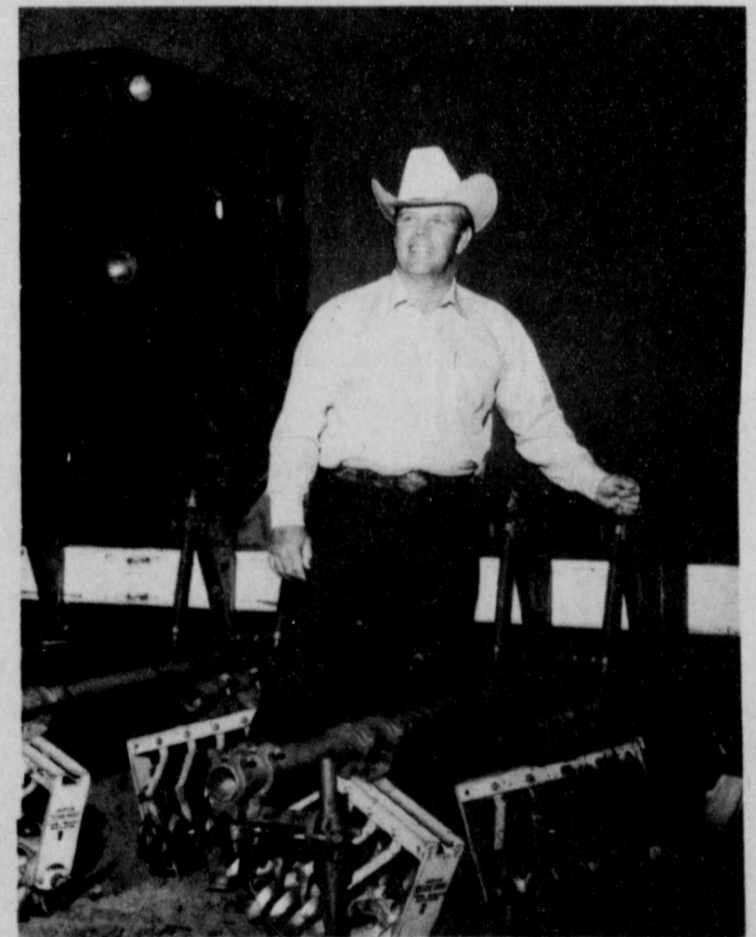
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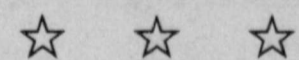


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District 84



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- ★ Farming interest in Lubbock, Lamb and Deaf Smith counties
- ★ Serves on the Board of Directors of First State Bank, Shallowater
- ★ Member of Plains Cotton Growers
- ★ Actively engaged in Farming, Ranching and Banking.
- ★ President of Shallowater Co-op Gin 14 years
- ★ Board member of American Cotton Growers
- ★ Member of American Quarter Horse Assoc.

Middlebrook For District 84

This advertisement paid for by Doyce Middlebrook for State Representative, Doyce Middlebrook Treasurer

Political Calendar

Subject to the May Democratic Primary

U.S. Congress
Charles Stenholm

State Senator
Ray Farabee

District Clerk
Mary McPherson

County Judge
Choise Smith

County Treasurer
Glenna Orman

County Clerk
Margaret Collier

Commissioner Precinct 2

Bob Jarrett

Charles Carthel

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CELTICS—Team members are back row [l-r], Coach Phillip Kidd, Tracy Carlton, Boyd Jackson, Coach Michael Carthel. Front row [l-r] are Matt Williams, Jimmy Ballejo, Hermon Ballejo.



SPURS—Team members are back row [l-r], Coach Tyke Dippery, Aaron Kld, Chad Jackson and Coach Tony Rodriguez. Front row [l-r] are Clay Harrison, Jimmy Gomez, Jerohme Widener. Not pictured is Colt Golden.

Editor's Note

[Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to the Floyd County Hesperian by Wayne and Naomi Battey, former residents of Floydada and who now reside in Paris, Texas. The letter is in relation to the tornado which struck Paris on Friday, April 2.]

We thank each of you for your love and concern for our safety when the tornado hit Paris.

We had no way to call anybody, but we heard over the battery operated radio that a ham radio unit had been set up, so we left numbers of our families there.

We didn't know whether they got in touch with anybody or not, but we learned later they did.

This section was in the path, but the tornado was not on the ground and veered to the north.

We had spent the afternoon paying bills. We had been to the bank, and several other places, and everybody was doing business as usual.

We hadn't heard anything about a tornado, and I don't suppose anybody had where we were.

This was within an hour or a little more before it hit the west part of town.

We came across to the west part, to a grocery store. We were putting our groceries in the basket, and I heard the word "Tornado" on the T.V.

I looked up the aisle, but the clerks were still checking out groceries, and people were coming in and out of the store, so I continued to buy groceries.

I finished and the clerk had my groceries about half checked out when the electricity went off. About that time somebody yelled, "Tornado."

We went to the door and there it was, just northwest of us, a few blocks away.

The owner of the store told us to get in the middle of the store, and he would go by the door and watch. Wayne went with him. I think if I'd gone outside I'd been better off.

The wondering if it would hit the building was about more than some of the people that were in there would handle.

I was not as afraid as I had always thought I'd be. I remember thinking if it were my time to go, I wish I would have a heart attack or something would happen so I wouldn't be buried alive under all those bottles of catsup, cans of green beans, and other things around me and then brick and other things.

Of course we were not in the building very long, but it surely seemed much longer.

When everything was over, then electricity was still off, so the clerks would not continue checking our groceries out.

We came home to see if our house had been blown away.

Everything was fine. We went back and the clerk wrote the price of our groceries on paper, so we got them and came home.

We drove around the loop, and it didn't take us long to realize how

fortunate we were. When Wayne was outside he could hear the houses exploding and see the boards go up in the air.

In a short time the town was full of ambulances from out of town, and other help.

We can't believe that no more people were killed. The estimate is that ten percent of the town is a loss.

Again thank you for the calls and thinking of us. We think of you often, and Floydada is still home to us.

Love to each of you.

Wayne and Naomi Battey
Remember the people here that were not as fortunate as we were. So many families have been affected.

Friends of Library plan book sale

In the midst of Spring cleaning, set aside the books you are finished with to donate to the Friends of the Library for their book sale on Old Settler's Day.

Proceeds from the annual book sale go to make improvements in the Floyd County Library, including the Lockney Branch Library. Locations for book drops and the place of the sale will be announced soon.

The Friends learned recently that the organization now has tax exempt status for memorial gifts which are made to the building fund for the Floyd County Library.

Jim Word, a long-time friend of archaeologists and historians, showed slides of a dig on Quitaque Creek in northeast Floyd County for the March meeting of the Friends.

These digs can answer questions about the history of Floyd County back before any recorded history. Word said. There is evidence that yearly rainfall must have averaged at least 30 inches at one time, and in the far distant past the climate was wet enough to produce very large fauna and bison.

Word stressed the importance of notifying a knowledgeable source when archaeological sites are discovered. In the meantime, leave the site as undisturbed as possible, he urged. Professionals will sift carefully through the soil layers, recording at what level items are found. These records are a vital clue to dating of events and determining an area's heritage. Sometimes earlier theories can be either disproved or reinforced by new evidence uncovered in one of these digs.

Some say that within 20 years all historic or prehistoric sites will be gone Word warned. The biggest problem is the destruction of important information because of ignorance, he said.



BUCKS—Team members are, back row [l-r], Coach Steven Johnson, Joel Mitchell, Ron Cates, Javier Bernal and Coach Jeff Reecer. Front row [l-r] are Todd Hallmark, Greg Sparkman, and Erick Anderson.

"A Word to the Wise"

Where can you pursue your favorite hobby, get in shape, find the latest discoveries in everything from medicine to outer space and have access to just about any information or service you need? Your library.

If you didn't know the answer to that question, then you may want to take note of this year's National Library Week theme, "A Word to the Wise—Library." The Floyd County Library is joining the American Library Association (ALA) in the 25th annual National Library Week Observance, April 18-24.

Today's libraries serve more people directly than any other public agency; at less than what it would cost you to take your family out for one dinner. For that small amount of your tax dollars, you

have free access to programs, services and information through your libraries.

During National Library Week, the Floyd County Library is sponsoring Amnesty Week for overdue library materials. All overdue books returned during Amnesty Week will be fine free, regardless of how overdue they may be. So please bring those books back where they belong—all is forgiven!

The library continues to grow in imagination, commitment and service to our entire community. That is why the Floyd County Library and the ALA urge everyone to think of the library as the one place that can help with everyday needs.

National Library Week, begun in 1958, is sponsored by the American Library Association.

Firearms taken in burglaries

The theft of two pistols, a rifle, and a shotgun has been named the "CRIME CALL SPOTLIGHT CRIME OF THE WEEK," for which a \$200.00 reward is offered for information leading to the burglars and the recovery of the property involved. Anyone having information leading to the arrest of the person or persons responsible for the crime is urged to phone CRIME CALL at 983-5200. Informants may remain anonymous.

CRIME CALL is supported entirely by private donations and tax-deductible contributions may be mailed to CRIME CALL OF FLOYD COUNTY, 122 E. California, Floydada, Texas 79235.

Between 2:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on April 11, 1982, burglars entered a pickup parked on the street at 818 W. Lee in Floydada and removed the following firearms: .30-cal. Herret

Thompson "Contender" break-open single shot pistol with a 10-inch barrel (serial #166727); Savage over-under

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shotgun, .22-cal. over 20-ga. model (24C-DL (Serial #31YQ); Ruger single-six, .22-cal. pistol (Serial #65-45607); and a Remington 788 model .22-.250 cal. rifle with a 3x9 Bushnell scope. Letters representing initials were engraved on several of the weapons. Total loss was estimated at \$1000. This was the second time in two weeks that firearms had been taken during burglaries in Floydada.

There continues to be reports of automobiles and persons unknown driving through neighborhoods at odd hours. Citizens are again urged to report suspicious activity or persons unknown to them in their neighborhood. If a crime in progress is reported to CRIME CALL, or if a crime is solved due to the information received, additional reward funds are made available if the informant is willing and testifies at the trial of the case.

This Week Transfers

All parents of students to be transferred into the Lockney Independent School District should register their children at the Superintendent's Office prior to May 1.

Softball

Women's Softball registration ends Friday, April 16th.

Jolly Stitchers

Jolly Stitchers will meet Thursday, April 22 in the home of Grace Colson at 2:30 p.m.

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SHELDON BILL SUE, ATHA ELOISE BLAKE

Blake, Sue announce July 31st wedding plans

The Rev. and Mrs. Fred D. Blake, formerly of South Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bill Sue of Floydada announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Jody Jean and William Scott.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lockney High School and now attends Texas Tech University. She is an education major and will graduate in May, 1983. She is also employed as

Nance, Stansell to wed June 26th in Lockney

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nance and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Stansell of Lockney wish to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Jody Jean and William Scott.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lockney High School and now attends Texas Tech University. She is an education major and will graduate in May, 1983. She is also employed as

assistant director of Kinder-Care Learning Centers, Inc.

The groom-to-be is a graduate of Lockney High School and is an engineering major at Texas Tech University. He is employed by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

The couple plan a June 26th wedding in the First Baptist Church of Lockney.

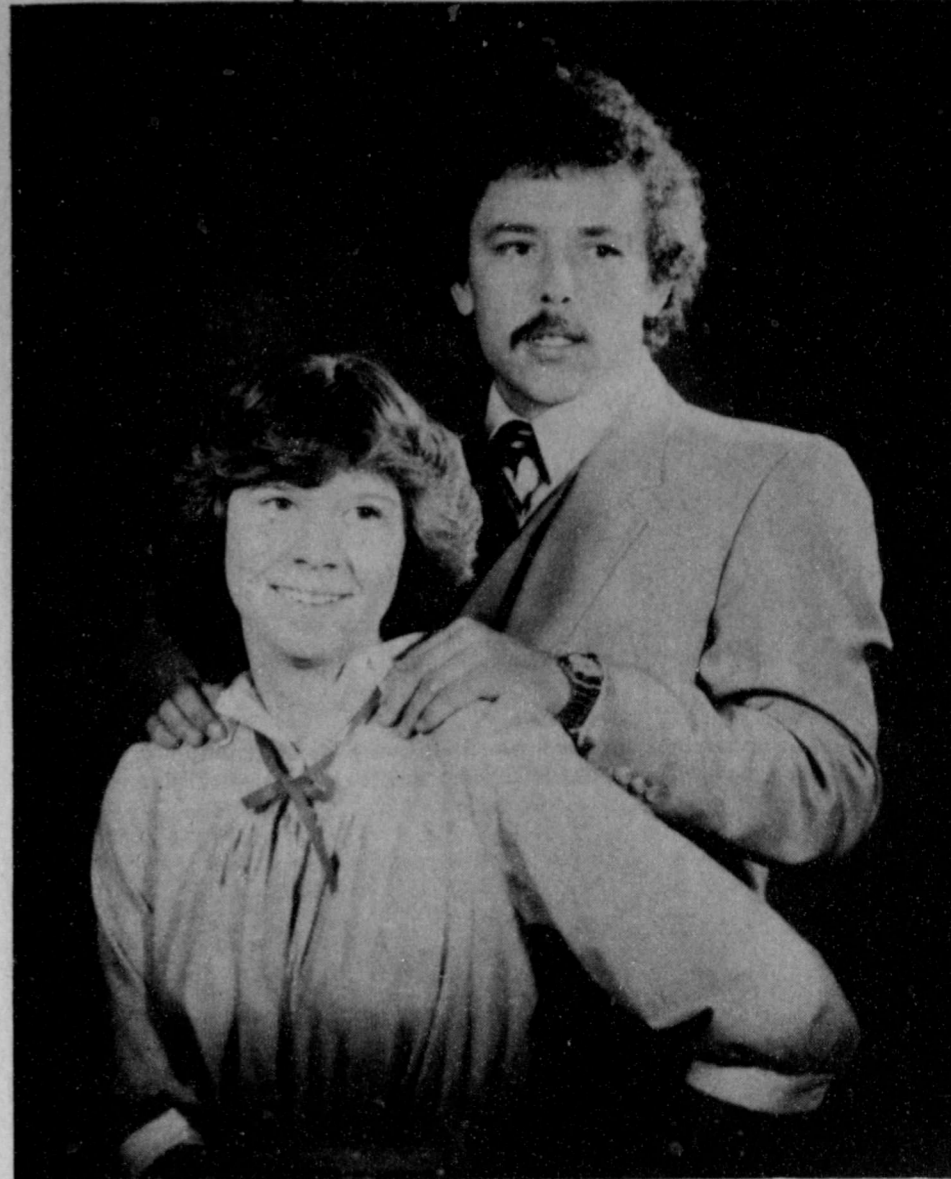
Treva Hambright honoree of dessert party, Saturday

Treva Hambright was honoree at a dessert party Saturday, April 10 in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J.O. Warren. Assisting with hostess duties was Treva's aunt, Mrs. Y.E. McAdams, Jr. of Lubbock.

The serving table was beautifully decorated with a green and white tablecloth. Accenting the table were hand painted porcelain Easter eggs and an Easter bunny.

Refreshments of banana split pie and soft drinks were served from crystal appointments to Ms. Gordon Hambright, W.M. Hambright, Misses LeAnn Evans, Susan Hendrix, the honoree, Treva Hambright, and Ms. Warren and McAdams. Lisa Anderson of Leveland and Mrs. Grant Hambright of Klondike were unable to attend.

Each guest was presented a hand painted porcelain heart on a green velvet book mark.



JODY JEAN NANCE, WILLIAM SCOTT STANSELL

Floydada Rebekah Lodge enjoy pot luck supper Tues.

Floydada Rebekah lodge met on Tuesday night April 6.

The District Deputy President of District No. 9 Ethlyn Vernon, made her official visit to the lodge bringing the new President, Edna Schuster, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas. A pot luck supper was served at 7:00. The tables were decorated in an Easter motif.

After lodge opened the program was turned over to the Deputy President, Ethlyn Vernon, who brought an interesting program.

The president Edna Schuster, will visit their lodge for an official visit to this district on May 11.

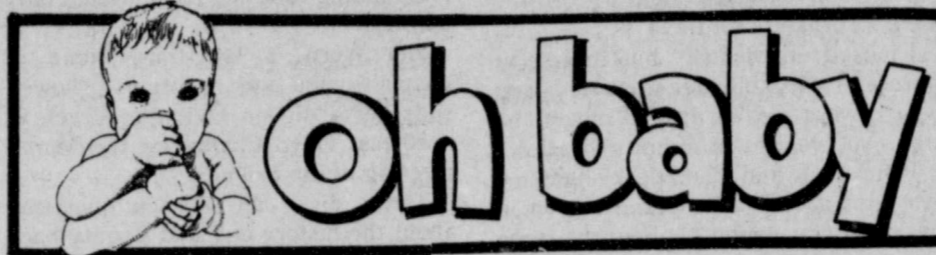
Her Traveling Emblem is the candle, "The Beacon of Light." Butterfly-Love Wishing Well, Youth, Yellow Rose her flower, Rainbow her colors. Ethlyn encouraged all lodges to work together to aid the President in her program this year.

Lillie Savage accompanied her to Floydada.

Their home lodge is Lockney Rebekah Lodge No. 259.

Floydada members all brought fruit and made a big fruit basket and took it to Ruth and Levis Gillilands for a housewarming present last week. Everyone enjoyed a good evening of fellowship.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Sandy Lee Mendoza



GILLY

Craig and Trudi Gilly announce the arrival of a daughter, Tara Lyn, born at 9:34 a.m. on April 7, 1982 at Lockney General Hospital.

Tara weighed 5 lbs., 3 1/2 ozs. and was 18 1/2 inches long.

She has an older sister, Amy, 5 1/2 years old.

Grandmothers are Mrs. Edna Gilly and Mrs. Glenna Miller, both of Floydada.

Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Ruthie Bell Clark of Plainview and Mrs. Helen Patterson.

GOWLER

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gowler of Lubbock are the proud parents of a new daughter. She arrived at Methodist Hospital on Sunday, April 4, and weighed 7 lbs., 6 ozs. and is 20 inches long. Her parents named her Emily Rose.

Mrs. Gowler is the former Mickey Jarrett.

Grandparents are Bob and Dorothy Jarrett of Lockney.

The baby has the distinction of being the fourth generation to carry the name of Rose.

MANGOLD

Dr. Gary and Brenda Mangold are proud parents of a daughter, Lauren Reagan, born April 7. The little miss weighed 8 lbs., 3 1/2 oz.

She was delivered by her grandfather, Dr. W.J. Mangold at the Lockney General Hospital.

Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. W.J. Mangold of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dudley of Lubbock.

Great-grandmother is Mrs. S.L. Powell of Arlington.

Lauren Reagan has an older sister, Allison, 3 years old.

Reeves, Laird to exchange wedding vows May 8th

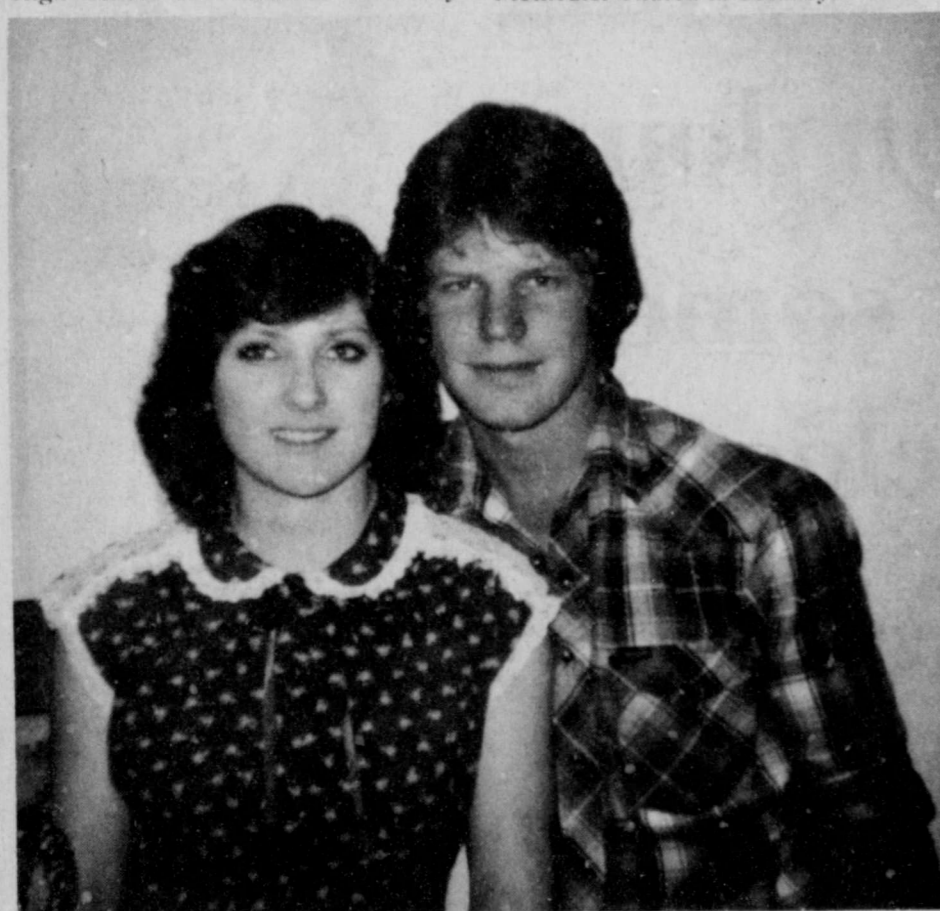
Mr. and Mrs. Duard Reeves of Lockney announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Peggy Jill to James Marvin Laird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira O. Laird, Sr. of Abilene, Texas.

Miss Reeves is a graduate of Lockney High School and attended McMurry

College in Abilene. She is presently employed by J.C. Penny Co. in Abilene.

Laird is a graduate of Cooper High School in Abilene. He is employed by Key City Electric Co. in Abilene.

The couple will exchange wedding vows May 8 in the First United Methodist Church in Lockney.



PEGGY JILL REEVES, JAMES MARVIN LAIRD

Harmony Homemakers Club hosted by Arvie Schultz

The Harmony Extension Homemakers Club met in the community center April 12 with Arvie Schultz as hostess. She read the devotional Luke 7:14-17.

The president, Imelda Murry, called the meeting to order. The roll call was answered by what I do as a memorial for a death.

Arvie Schultz led recreation, a contest about things found on a table. The answers were baseball terms.

Imelda Murry gave the council report. Bess Carr, a delegate to the District meeting in Snyder, gave a report on the meeting. Nell Finney of Tulia was elected South Plains District Director for 1983. Brownfield and Plainview clubs have asked for the

District meeting in 1983. The state meeting will be in El Paso September 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eure of El Paso, Texas gave the program on Health and Exercise. They showed slides and each talked to us about health and exercise. Everyone needs the proper food for good health. This was a very interesting and informative program. They are very active in this program in El Paso. They are visiting their daughter and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Keith Gross.

The hostess served refreshments to Bess Carr, Anna Maude Hopper, Lucille Miller, Imelda Murry, Ruth Scott, Juanita Pool and the guests Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eure.

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Melvyn, Kirk exchanged wedding vows in Amarillo

Robert Layne Kirk and Susan Louise Melvyn were united in marriage on Saturday, April 10, 1982, in Amarillo, Texas.

The parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. David L. Kirk, Floydada. The bride's parent is Mrs. Florence C. Melvyn of Amarillo.

Susan Melvyn Kirk is a senior student attending West Texas University in Canyon, Texas. Layne Kirk is a graduate of West Texas University and is presently with Amarillo Hardware Company in Amarillo.

The couple will travel to Lake City, Colorado, for their wedding trip.



MRS. ROBERT LAYNE KIRK

Stephens celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stephens were guests of honor at a reception in observance of their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank. Hosting the party were their children, Margaret Thornton of Denver City, Jerry Stephens of Bokoshe, Oklahoma, and Wayne Stephens of Silverton.

The reception table was covered with

a pale gold cloth overlaid with a hand-crocheted ecru cloth. "Golden Anniversary" punch was served from a crystal bowl. The cake was a four-tier confection decorated in shades of gold. The tiers were separated with gold columns with an arrangement of "50th" wreaths and roses between the columns. Each tier was decorated with fifty gold roses and leaves. Spiced pecans

and white chocolate tinted pale gold in the shapes of wedding bells and roses were served from crystal dishes.

The centerpiece was an arrangement of pale gold roses and bronze daisies in a brass champagne cooler.

The reception was catered by "Special Occasions," owned by Elaine LaBaume and Frances Easter of Floydada.

Floydada Eastern Stars elect new 1982 officers

Floydada Chapter No. 31 Order of the Eastern Star, met Thursday April 8 in the Masonic Hall for a regular meeting, with Jean and Bob Kendrick president in the East as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Noma Lou Rainer associate matron and Wayne Russell associate patron pro-tem presided in the West.

The Worthy Matron welcomed all present and introduced two visitors, Mrs. Ludie Hancock, Bethel Chapter No. 15 Tucumcari, New Mexico and Deborah Gee, Pleides Chapter No. 62, El Paso, Texas.

During the business session, it was announced that twenty-five and thirty-five year pins will be presented to several members for those years of service. Bill Gray thanked the Eastern Star members for the nice salad supper, honoring the Masons recently. Invitations were extended to Floydada Chapter members to visit other chapters throughout the section during the month of April.

The following officers were elected for the year of 1982-1983. Worthy Matron, Noma Lou Rainer; Worthy Patron, Bobby Rainer; Associate Matron, Dell Gray; Associate Patron, Bill Gray; Secretary, Ann Swepton; Treasurer, Melba Vickers; Conductress, Regi Gross; Associate Conductress, Sherry Colston.

The Worthy Matron elect named her appointed officers: Chaplain, Eula Par-rack; Marshall, Keith Gross; Organist, Trina Savage; Ada, Frances Crass; Ruth, Jean Kendrick; Ester, Mary Myers; Martha, Ruth Daniel; Electa, Fern Hartsell; Warder, Bob Vickers; Sentinel, Bob Kendrick.

Hosting the fellowship hour were Cleo Goins, Jo V and Allen Bingham. Sandwiches, chips, cake, coffee and tea were served.

The next regular meeting will be May 13 at 7:30 p.m. at which time a memorial service will be observed.

Bob and Jean, Byron and Ilene Kendrick will be hosting.

Lone Star Extension Homemaker Club hold meeting

Lone Star Extension Homemakers Club met April 6 in the home of Ruth Reeves in Lockney.

The president Lorraine Nance presided over the business meeting. Roll call was answered with "what I do as a memorial for a death." An interesting and informative program on funeral facts was led by Vera King.

An inspiring report on the District meeting in Snyder was given by our delegate, Lorraine Nance, and other visitors to the District met.

Refreshments were served: Syble Teeple, Vera King, Agnes Frizzell, Maudie Lawson, Helen Hoffman, Lorraine Nance, Elvira Stewart, Ruth Reeves and two visitors, Elva Perry of Lockney and Bessie Sary of California who is visiting her sister, Elvira Stewart.

Hickerson nominated to distinguished award

Wanda Hickerson of Floydada is among the 91 nominees for the 1982 Texas Panhandle Distinguished Service Awards which will be presented at West Texas State University on Saturday, April 17.

Speaker for the luncheon, which begins at 11 a.m. at the WTSU East Dining Hall, will be Mary Beth Rogers of Austin, director of the Texas Wo-

men's History Project. She organized and raised funds to create "Texas Women - A Celebration of History," which is touring Texas museums and will be featured in June at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum on the WTSU campus.

Wanda Hickerson, of 815 W. Mississippi, has been nominated by members of the 1956 Junior Study Club.

Hickerson, who has worked as office manager of the Lighthouse Electric Cooperative at Floydada since 1950, is a member of Group Five Office Manager and Accountant Association, National Society of Accountants of Cooperatives, Texas Cooperative Accounting Association, Active Committee of Rural Electrification and the Plainview, state and national chapters of the Foundation of Business and Professional Women's Club.

She also has been active as a district officer of the American Cancer Society, as president of the Floyd County Chapter of the American Cancer Society for the past 14 years, president of the Floydada Chapter of American Field Service for 10 years, as a member of the Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce and as a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Hickerson is a member of the national American Field Service staff as a field representative. She and her husband, Pete, have hosted exchange students in their home for several years.

Tickets for the luncheon are \$8 each and will be available through Thursday, April 15, from the WTSU Returning Student Program.

Dr. Gail Shannon, WTSU president, and Betty Bivins, a WTSU regent, will present the awards. The New Day Singers of WTSU will provide entertainment.

Contributors to the WTSU Speakers Endowment Fund, which was established this year to provide expenses for luncheon speakers, will be honored during the seventh annual luncheon. Names of 34 individuals and organizations who have contributed more than \$1,300 to the fund will be recognized and placed on a plaque.

Duffy Hinkle hosts Alpha Mu Delta meeting Floydada

Installation of Duffy Hinkle, Recording Secretary was held in her home, March 16.

President Sharron Fulton called the 128th meeting of Texas Alpha Mu Delta to order immediately following the installation ceremony.

Duffy then called the roll and read the minutes from the March 2 meeting.

Treasurer Tonya Marble gave the financial report.

Thank you notes were read by Corresponding Secretary Janice McCandless from Sharron Fulton and Donna Anderson for their baby gifts.

Duffy Hinkle announced there would be a salad supper for Rushes on March 23 in the home of member Sherry Smith.

Duffy also read a certificate given to the Chapter by the Child Welfare Office showing their appreciation for their contribution.

Janice McCandless, social chairman, announced there would be an Easter Egg hunt, April 10 for children of members and friends.

Donna Anderson was elected as the new Sunshine Girl for the coming year. She will be in charge of gifts and cards and will also be in charge of Secret Sisters. Janice McCandless was elected as the new Ways and Means chairman.

Election for the new officers for 1982-83 were then held. The new officers are: President, Duffy Hinkle; Vice-President, Tana Probasco; Recording Secretary, Holly Hendrix; Corresponding Secretary, LaNell McCandless; Treasurer, Mitzi Nixon; Extension Officer, Sharron Fulton.

There being no further business, the business meeting was adjourned.

A gift was presented to Holly Hendrix for her new daughter, Jonie Marie.

Janice McCandless presented the program on "Medicine" which included group discussion.

Hostesses Sharron Fulton and Duffy Hinkle served Irish stew, iced tea, and Shamrock cookies in honor of St. Patrick's Day.

All members then repeated the Closing Ritual.

Alma Dunn honored on 70th birthday April 3rd

Some birthdays are more special than others and Alma Dunn believes that her 70 Birthday was one of the best she ever celebrated.

Mrs. Dunn was honored with a Birthday Party given by her children on April 3 at the MAC. With close to 100 guest registering for the event, one person said it was more like a Center Community reunion where Mrs. Dunn made her home most of her life.

Guest were registered by Mrs. Lola Pohl of Matador a close friend of Mrs.

Dunn's for many years. Birthday cake, mints, punch and coffee were served to those who attended.

She received many cards and telephone calls from friends who were unable to attend.

Children of Mrs. Dunn are: Margaret and Tony Balios, Jimmy and Patsy Dunn all of Lubbock and Joe and Lynn Dunn, Mary and Ed Parks all of Houston. Only one granddaughter of Mrs. Dunn's was unable to attend.

DAR represented at 83rd State Conference

Buffalo Grass Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution was represented at the 83rd State Conference, Texas Society, NSDAR, held recently in the Americana Hotel, Tandy Center, in Ft. Worth.

Of 166 chapters, Texas Society, 133 chapters were registered for the conference. Membership in the Texas Society DAR totals 15,375.

Mrs. Ernest S. Brainard, State Regent gave her yearly and final State Regents report. There were 16 new DAR chapters organized during her three year term.

During the conference, Dr. Svetozor Pejovich, a professor, writer and director of Center for Education and research in Free Enterprise, Texas A&M University, delivered an inspiring message on Freedom in America.

He discussed the means that must be used to promote and protect our freedom and the methods being used by the Communist Party to carode and destroy our freedom.

A banquet in honor of Mrs. Richard Denny Shelby, President General, NSDAR, was held in the Americana Ballroom. Introductions of the President General was by Miss Marion Day Mullins, past Organizing Secretary, General, NSDAR.

Mrs. Shelby, in her address, "Horizons Unlimited," discussed the present and future projects of the National Society: DAR. Her national project, "A Legacy Preserved" is the restoration and preservation of the National Buildings in Washington, D.C.

The newly organized Buffalo Grass Chapter was represented by Mrs. Euell Norris, organizing regent.

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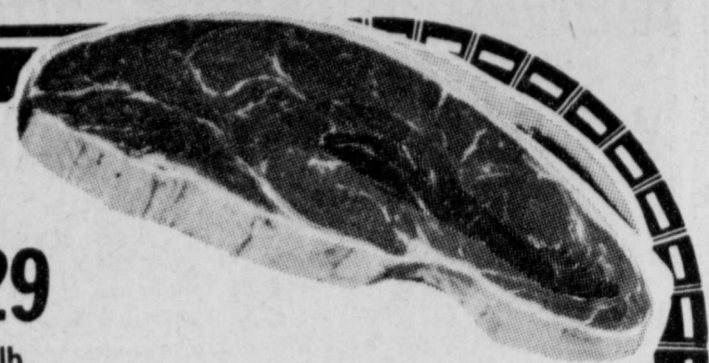
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KAY REAY

Reay goes to regional

The Girls District Tournament was held at Abernathy April 5. Floydada won the tournament, Lockney second, and Abernathy third.

In girls singles two Lockney girls went to the semi-finals. Kay Reay defeated Yolanda Medrano of Floydada 6-4, 6-1. Susan Hendricks of Floydada defeated Karyn Foster of Lockney 6-1, 6-0.

Reay won the singles championship by beating out Hendricks of Floydada 3-6, 6-3, and 10-8. Hendricks came in second. Both girls will go to the regionals in Lubbock April 23 and 24.

Medrano defeated Foster 6-3, 6-2 for third place; Foster came in fourth. In semi-final competition in varsity doubles Esmo Gonzalez and Christi Norrell of Floydada defeated Melissa Cantu and Lisa Merez of Abernathy 6-3, 6-0. Also in semi-finals Cindy Burk and Carol Cochran of Floydada defeated Vickie McKenzie and Melinda Almaguer of Abernathy.

In the third place match Cantu and Merez topped McKenzie and Almaguer 6-4, 2-6, 6-4 for third place. McKenzie and Almaguer placed fourth.

The two Floydada couples competed with Gonzalez and Norrell defeating Burk and Cochran 6-7, 6-1, 6-0. Both



KARYN FOSTER

Brock gains berth to track regionals

Shawnda Brock leaned just far enough into the tape to finish 2nd in the 100 low hurdles at the District 3-AAA Track Meet held in Tulla. She will advance to Regionals in Lubbock on April 23-24.

Finishing in third place and serving as alternates to Regionals are Connie Coffman, High Jump; Judy Davis, 3200 meters; and Jackie Shivers, Shot Put.

Others gaining points at district are Shivers, 5th in discus; Delores Hernandez, 800 meters 4th; Shivers, 4th in 100 meters and 6th in 200 meters; Davis, 5th in 1600 meters.

Floydada won the competition with 144 points.

7th grade results:

Discus - Patsy Sanchez 1st (71')
100 Meter - Rhonda Fannin 5th,
Louise Lopez 6th
400 Relay - Lopez, Christy Coffman,
Fannin, Bebe Silva, 2nd
1320 Relay - Amy Nance, Lety Garza,
Silva, Betty Villalon 6th.

8th grade results:

Discus - Shandra Bybee 6th
Long Jump - Vari Anne Harris 5th
Triple Jump - Vari Anne Harris 4th
400 Relay - Heather Holt, Tammy

Ballejo, Rachel Ford, Varianne Harris 5th

600 Run - Tammy Ballejo
800 Relay - Carthel, Holt, Bybee,
Ford 5th

1320 Relay - Donna Sanderson, Stacy
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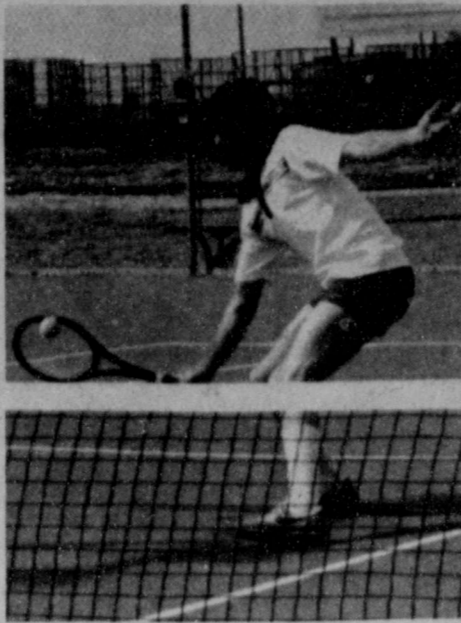
Coffman selected to All-State basketball

Connie Coffman, a junior Lockney High School student, made the 3AAA second team of Girls' All-State Basketball Team.

Coffman is a 5-10 blonde. She made All-District for the second straight year. As a sophomore she had averaged 15 points a game.

Coffman averaged 22 points, 7 steals, and 9 rebounds per game for Lockney in the 1981-82 season.

Coffman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coffman of the Aiken community.



JEFF McCORMICK

teams will compete in doubles at regional.

In the JV division of girls singles Tammy Galloway of Floydada defeated Martha Flores of Abernathy 6-1, 4-6, and 6-4. Christine Wilson of Floydada defeated Suzie Pinner of Lockney 6-3 and 7-6.

Flores defeated Pinner 6-3, and 6-3 in the third place match.

The championship was won by Wilson when she defeated Galloway 6-1, 4-6, and 6-2.

In semi-final competition in JV girls doubles Angie Anderson and Kamala Ford of Floydada were matched against Laura Waits and Amy Boyles of Abernathy. Kathy Battey and D'Lyn Ramsey of Floydada competed against Angie Attebury and Donna Burgess of Abernathy. Anderson and Ford won by a score of 6-0 and 6-2 and Battey and Ramsey by a score of 6-0 and 6-2.

In the third place round Attebury and Burgess defeated Waits and Boyles 7-5 and 6-3.

Anderson and Ford won the championship by defeating Battey and Ramsey 6-2 and 6-1.

The Boys Regional meet will be held in Abernathy April 21.

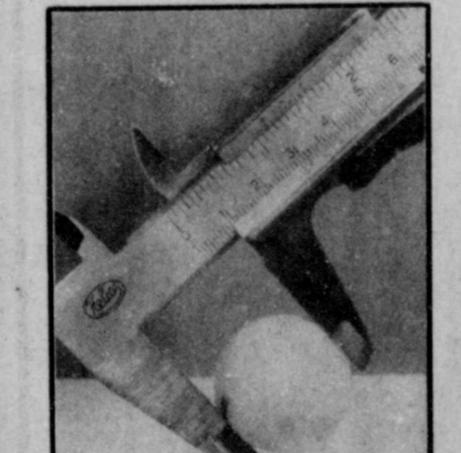
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Lockney attended Amarillo Tournament

Lockney competed in the Amarillo Relays Tennis Tournament held April 2 and 3. 28 teams competed. Lockney came home with three competitors who went to the finals.

In boys singles Jeffrey McCormick was beat out only after competing to the semi-finals. He beat Scott Wright from Wheeler in the first match by a 6-1, 6-1 score.

In the next round he played Albert Ortiz of Abernathy, scoring 6-3, 6-1. In the third round McCormick was matched against Kirt Kastor of Groover. He scored 6-3 and 6-4.

Mike Maynard of Friona defeated McCormick in the semi-finals 6-2 and 7-5. Maynard was in the number one seat and finished second in the tournament.

Other Lockney boys competing in the tournament were Kelly Hayes, Terry Carlton, and Richard Schacht in the singles division.

Michael Carthel and Jeff Reecer, Jason Hill and Robert Rendon, Richie Thornton and Monty Teeter, Keith Owens and Carlos Molinar competed in the doubles.

Kay Reay and Karyn Foster finished in the final 8 in girls singles.

Karyn Foster had a bye in the first round. She defeated Cindy Novak of Spearman and 6-0 in the second round. She was matched with Delores Flores of Abernathy next. The scores in the third round the scores were 6-1 and 6-4.

In Foster's fourth round she competed against Sherri Conner of Slaton for a score of 6-1, 2-6, and 6-1.

Foster fell to Tania Wilson of Stratford in the semi-finals 6-1 and 6-1.

Reay drew a bye in the first round. Second round she was matched against Melinda Almaguer of Abernathy. She came out on top with a 6-0 and 6-0 score.

In the third round she was slated against Mary Ortho of Dalhart. The final outcome was 6-2 and 6-2.

Reay lost to Brakelle Britten of Memphis in split sets in the quarter finals with a 6-2, 2-6, and 6-2 score.

Other girls competing in girls singles were Suzie Pinner and Terri Hill.

Barbara Moore and Stephanie Bybee and Karen Reed and Betty Kay Cates competed in girls doubles.

The Lockney boys and girls teams finished fifth in the tournament. The Amarillo Relays is by far the largest tournament that Lockney enters each year.

Last year the girls teams finished third and the boys fifth. With the new talent brought in by the six freshmen boys, next year will prove a very promising year.

Junior High fares well

A Junior High Tennis Tournament was held in Floydada last Saturday. Lockney, Floydada, Abernathy, Ralls, and Petersburg competed, in spite of the cold, cloudy weather with intermittent rain until well afternoon.

Ronnie Ford of Lockney won second in boys singles. Rusty Teeter and Steve Cates won second in boys doubles. Robert Reed placed fifth in boys

singles. Heather Holt won third in girls singles.

Crissy Carthel and Shawndra Bybee won the consolation bracket by having lost their first game but won the next three. They will compete in Abernathy Saturday in a tournament.

The District Meet will be held April 27 in Abernathy.

LITTLE DRIBBLERS GAME SCHEDULE

Monday, April 12, 1982

4:30 p.m.
5:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
8:15 p.m.

Rockettes vs. Queens
Bucks vs. Spurs
Ladybugs vs. Kittens
Celtics vs. 76ers

Tuesday, April 13, 1982

4:30 p.m.
5:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
8:15 p.m.

Celtics vs. Bucks
Queens vs. Kittens
Spurs vs. 76ers
Ladybugs vs. Rockettes

Wednesday, April 14, 1982

4:00 p.m.
5:15 p.m.
6:30 - 8:15
8:15 p.m.
9:30 p.m.

Kittens vs. Rockettes
76ers vs. Bucks
Break For Church Services
Queens vs. Ladybugs
Celtics vs. Spurs

Friday, April 16, 1982

4:30 p.m.
5:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
8:15 p.m.

Spurs vs. Celtics
Ladybugs vs. Queens
Bucks vs. 76ers
Rockettes vs. Kittens

Monday, April 19, 1982

4:30 p.m.
5:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
8:15 p.m.

Rockettes vs. Ladybugs
76ers vs. Spurs
Kittens vs. Queens
Bucks vs. Celtics

Tuesday, April 20, 1982

4:30 p.m.
5:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
8:15 p.m.

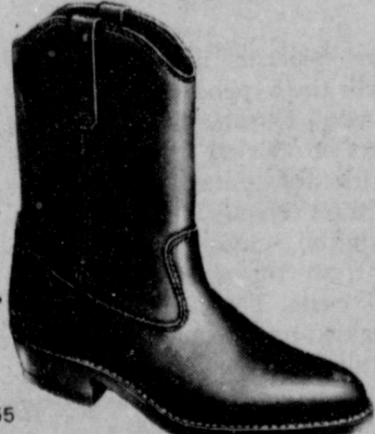
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South Plains News

Good attendance at South Plains services

BY GRACE LEMONS

Sunday was a beautiful day for Easter and in spite of some families away there was a good crowd at both the Assembly of God Church and the Baptist Church.

The Sectional Spring Convention met at the Assembly of God Church Tuesday afternoon with afternoon services and supper was served in the Fellowship Hall.

The Missionettes of the Assembly of God Church met Monday in the home of their leader, Martha Taylor, and had their regular meeting. Later decorated Easter eggs and had an Easter egg hunt followed with refreshments of punch and cookies. Those present were Virginia and Sandra Mitchell, Tonya Powell, Amy Gilly, and Twyla and Traca Lemons.

Edith VanHoose of South Plains College in Levelland spent Easter holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. VanHoose. She attended church with them at the Assembly of God Church Sunday morning.

Connie Welch of Amarillo spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Welch. Her grandmothers, Mrs. Peat Kelley and Mrs. Ailene Welch of Flomot had dinner with them Sunday.

Edna Gilly was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gilly Sunday for dinner. Gerald and Bell Venson of Floydada were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Gilly are the parents of a little baby girl born the 7th in the Lockney General Hospital. She was named Tarra Lyn and weighed 5 lbs., and 3 ozs. She has an older sister, Amy. Her grandparents are Edna Gilly of Cedar Hill, Glenna Miller of Floydada, great-grandparents, Ruthie Clark of Plainview and Helen Paterson of

Isidro Galvan enlists in U.S. Army program

Isidro Galvan, a 1979 graduate of Lockney High School and the son of Mrs. Josephine Galvan of Lockney has enlisted in the United States Army Delayed Entry Program with an active duty date of 11 May 1982. Isidro will be trained as a Military Policeman and will be assigned, upon completion of training at Fort McClellan, Alabama to Fort Hood, Texas. Ididros' brother, Ernest, a senior at Lockney High School is also a member of the Army. He will leave for training in July.

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Robert and Gwen Conner, Holly and Robin and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Anderson of Amarillo took Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conner to Plainview and had Easter dinner out. They later visited Mattie Davis in Plainview. Grace Keeter was also visiting her. When they returned to the Conner home, Holly and Robin enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Lackey and Kelly and Troy of Burleson spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Lackey. They celebrated Easter with a dinner in the home. Others present were Thada Fowler and Clayton of Silverton, Benny Golightly of Lubbock, Craig and Gail and children visited them Sunday morning. The Greer Lackey family visited Wanda and Bill DuBois Saturday evening. Quinn DuBois of Jewitt was home for the holidays.

Funeral services for Sid Brown were held Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 in the First Baptist Church in Floydada with Dr. Floyd Bradley officiating. He is survived by one son, Winston Brown of Lubbock, three daughters, Geraldine Callaway of Floydada, Florene Teal of Lubbock and Nancy Bishop of Floydada. One sister, Goldie Cypert of Floydada and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Sid was a long time resident of Cedar Hill before moving to Floydada. When he lived in our community he was a member of the Cedar Hill Baptist Church and taught a Sunday School class for many years.

Grace Lemons and Linda Lemons attended the 40th Wedding Anniversary of Fred and Jo Carthel held in the Fellowship Hall of the West Side Church of Christ in Lockney last Sunday. There were 53 guests who registered. The occasion was given to them by their children, Robert Carthel of Clovis, Mike Carthel and Linda Lemons of Lockney.

An Easter dinner was prepared in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Lemons Sunday evening with Marvin and Linda Lemons, David, Jessica, Diana and Cory and Kara Carthel present.

Patsy Boone of Lubbock and Tom and Gladys Fortenberry left last Wednesday for Arlington to spend the Easter holidays with Paula and Ron Vick and son Patrick. They report beautiful weather and a very nice trip. They returned home Sunday.

The great thing in this world is not where we are, but in what direction we are heading.

FLOYD DATA

Relatives visiting in the M.W. Carpenter home recently were Jane Caper, Boston, a nephew Jerry Bryant, Shreveport, Louisiana, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carpenter and son from Atlanta, Georgia and Norma Wilcox, Dallas.



REGIONAL SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS—Floydada Junior High students competed in the Regional Science Fair March 27 and 28 at Levelland. Those participating were [l-r] Jana Lawson, 8th grader, won a 2nd place ribbon for her project on "Wonder Water." Jeff Matsler, 8th grader, received a 1st

place trophy for "Learning by observation in rats," Steven Galloway, 7th grader, brought home a 3rd division ribbon for the "Effect of acids and bases on puramicium," and Ken Linch, 7th grader, had a 2nd division ribbon for his project of "Changing a refrigerator motor to an air compressor."



JAY HOLLUMS, sixth grader, proudly displays a ribbon and 2nd place trophy for his science project entered in the Regional Science Fair at Levelland March 27-28. Jay's project was on the "Effect of magnetism and lights on amoeba."

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LOCKNEY LOCAL

Georgia Ford and Sylvia Yeary spent about ten days in Del City visiting Kitty and her family.

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The two Lockney women returned last Wednesday.

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Cotton acreage reduction sign-up at hand

Texas cotton producers are still in a quandary on whether or not to participate in the acreage reduction program, and the sign-up deadline is at hand (April 16).

Producers who may be experiencing financial problem, especially as it pertains to renewing lines of credit, may find it advantageous to participate in the program to reduce risks.

Early March reports show that only a small amount of the national cotton base acreage had been entered into the

acreage reduction program. It appears, however, that the rate of "sign-up" will be high by the deadline since the '82 cash price forecast looks dim at this time.

Participation in the program is not necessarily a good choice for maximizing profits, but it will limit losses and reduce risk. Failure to participate kills any chance for loan, reserve and potential deficiency payments.

The 1982 U.S. cotton crop was the largest in more than 28 years, and world cotton production reached 70.8 million

bales, up 8 percent from last year. This record crop caused prices to drop to an average of 50 cents per pound, down 30 percent from a year ago.

The USDA estimates ending stocks will exceed 6 million bales for the U.S. and 272 million bales for world. Compared to 1981, this carryover stock is more than double in the U.S. and up 23 percent in world stocks, so the 1982 price outlook is bleak.

The voluntary 15 percent acreage reduction program announced by the

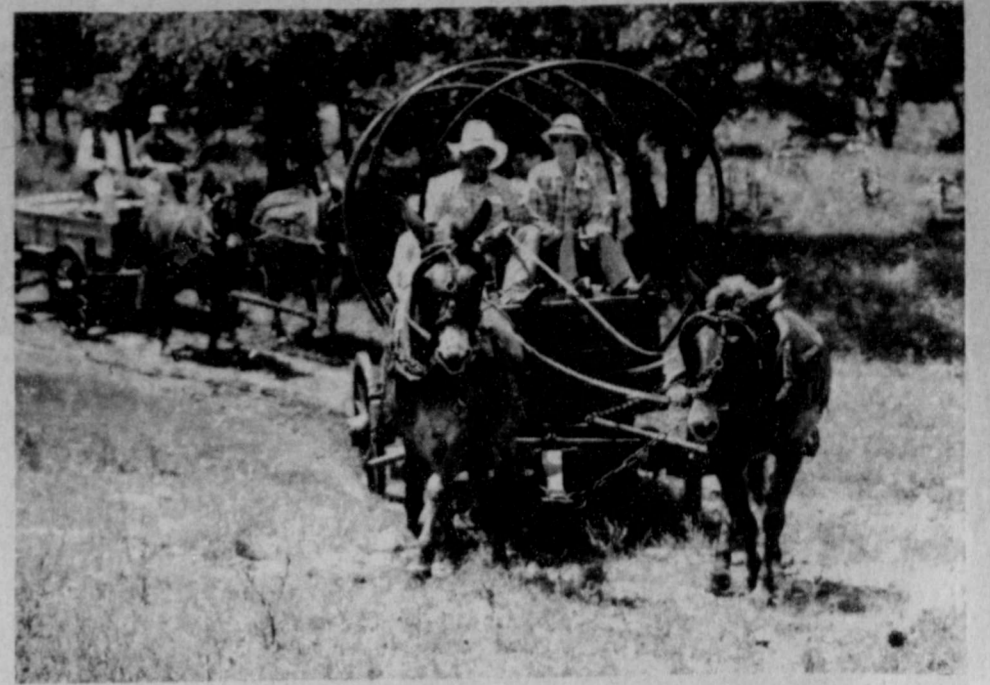
USDA is aimed at bringing this large carryover supply into better balance with expected demand during the 1982-1983 crop year.

While the program is voluntary, farmers must participate to be eligible for deficiency payments. This payment will be made if the average farm price during 1982 is below the target price of 71 cents per pound. Payment rate cannot exceed 13.9 cents per pound which is the difference between the target price and the national average loan rate of 57 cents a pound for S.L. M. 1-1/16 inch cotton, 3.5-4.9 micronaire.

The decision to participate in the cotton acreage reduction program is complex. A farmer must weigh the potential benefits of participation against the net revenue he may expect by not participating. Many farmers had already applied fertilizers and chemicals before the program was announced. These expenses would be considered sunk costs of participation, and producers may have to incur additional costs for a cover crop to conserve the land if they participate.

Total benefits from participation, such as the value of the loan program to secure a line of credit, are difficult to quantify. Perhaps the most measurable incentive for the cotton program is the expected deficiency payment. Some farmers argue that the target price for 1982 of 71 cents a pound does not provide sufficient net income incentive since the net value of 15 percent of the base acreage will be lost. However, the target price looks more favorable than the forecast price at this time.

By failing to participate, a farmer is banking on a national crop disaster such as the 1980 crop year which will reduce anticipated production to a level so as to increase the price substantially above the target level.



ROUND 'EM UP AND HEAD 'EM OUT! These cowboys are heading for the YO Ranch's 7th Annual Longhorn Trail Drive. Festivities have been set to start the night of Friday, April 23, and conclude on Sunday, April 25.

R.C. Andrews Elementary Honor Roll

4th Grade

"A" — Delinda Jackson, Ronnie Benjamin, Amy McCormick, Mychelle Harris, Gracie Mercado, Valency Zumwalt, Grant Stovall, Misty Avila, Kim

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"B" — Robby Green, Tiffany Reams, Ray Garcia, Memori Assiter Shay Hearon, Jason Nichols, Libby Anderson, Shannon Bloys, Leslie Enriquez.

Jesse Suarez, Randell Sims, Miki Schneider, Jay Mendoza, Shayla Barbee, Stephanie Zimmerman, Criselda Hernandez, Cammy Hancock, Steven Caballero, Rose Marie Martinez, Heather Powell, Heather Henderson, Chris McKay, Jimmy Forbes, Quetha Roberson, Anita McCormick, Nelda Morales, Adam Cates, Roy Garcia, Nora Cisneros, Roxene Brown, Shannon Paty.

5th Grade

"A" — Travis Bishop, Tiffany Gentry, Sue Hong, Dina Livingston, Sandra Pesina, Kristy Dawdy, Sharon Smith, Anissa Crabtree.

"B" — Rita De Leon, Nohemi De Ochoa, Tricia Hanna, Jodi Morrison, Isidro Sanchez, Maria Segura, Wade Brooks, Dianah Coronado, Rusty Edwards, Blanca Medrano, Jennifer Thrasher, Lavonna Poole, Christy Anderson, Tammy Bertrand, Elvira Bueno, Laurie Garcia, Jim Bob Hambright, Leonel Longoria, Mary Rodriguez, Julie Sawyer, Mark Thompson, Michael Chapman, Shane Orman, Chad Quisenberry, Maria Ramirez.

6th Grade

"A" — Amy Burns, Marivel Garza, Julie Smith, Jamie Morrison, Joey Thayer, Andrea Bonner, Ludustria Leatherman, Jill Smith, Angie Bertrand.

"B" — Lori Felan, Angie Hinsley, Tina Lara, Denise Morren, Randy Pesina, Crystal Rowley, Tonya Ogden, Melissa Vasquez, Jason Brown, Becky Contreras, Amanda McDaniel, David Medrano, Andra Smith, Greg Strickland, Gloria Vargas, Keith Hancock, Daniel Medrano, Rusty Rainey, Ange Shurbet, Jane Willson, Scotty Battey, Tana Turner, Laura Vallejo, Mike Hicks, Cathy Langley.

Green Thumb workers attend training

Green Thumb workers in Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Lubbock, and Motley counties met Monday, April 5 in Ralls at the Ralls Senior Citizen's Center for their bi-annual training meeting.

They learned of the changes affecting them in the social security system from Terry Richardson, Assistant Manager of the Lubbock social security office. Visiting from Waco to discuss proposed

changes in the program and other policy was Green Thumb Assistant State Director, John Willingham.

Wendy Brown, Area Supervisor for the Green Thumb program in thirteen south plains counties, was coordinator for the session on Monday. She felt the workers were able to take some useful information home from the training meeting. "The future of the social security system and of employment programs for older persons has been of real interest to the Green Thumbs, since they will be the direct and immediate recipients of any changes in both of these areas," says Brown.

Texas Farmer's Union Green Thumb, and equal opportunity employer, is an employment and placement program for rural residents age 55 and older, who meet a low income guideline. Besides the counties already listed, the program operates in 101 other counties in the state of Texas, in 44 other states, and two territories of the United States.

Local workers attending the Ralls training session were: Petrovilo Ortiz, Allen Rendon, Andres Solis, Kathryn Edwards, Mabel Foster and Georgia Finley.



ISREAL G. GUERRA

Isreal Guerra transferred

Israel G. Guerra, son of Mrs. Alice Luna, is being transferred to Fort Sam Houston April 22. He will graduate there May 6.

Guerra joined the army March 2. He completed basic training at Ft. Leonardwood, Missouri.

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1981 County Extension Cotton Variety Demonstration

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Deltapine SR-5	510	23 gr/Tex	50.56%/lb.
Tamcot SP 21	436	19 gr/Tex	40.15%/lb.
Paymaster 404	387	19 gr/Tex	40.60%/lb.
Paymaster 303	387	17 gr/Tex	45.10%/lb.

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American Cancer Society

LOCKNEY LOCALS
Mrs. Nita Holland attended the funeral of her brother, Weldon Powell, 74, in Gainesville last Friday.
She was accompanied by her daughter and her husband, Don and Nancy Marble. The services were held in the First Baptist Church and burial was made in the Gainesville Cemetery.

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Andrews Ward begins MS Readathon

The 1982 MS Readathon has begun at R.C. Andrews Elementary School, Principal Preston Watson announced. Reading started April 1 and the program ends on April 29.

Students who participate in this educational and fund raising program (originated by the National Multiple Sclerosis Society in 1974) become "Mystery Sleuths, who read for the need of others" to help find a cure for MS.

These Mystery Sleuths read as many books as they can in a four week period and ask parents, friends and neighbors to sponsor them. When the reading period is over, students collect from their sponsors for each book read. The completed Readathon kits and collected money are returned to school. Competition is very keen among all students.

Prizes this year will be on the basis of number of books read and amount of money collected: 5 books plus \$10 — receive an MS pen; 8 books plus \$25 — receive an MS yo-yo; 10 books plus \$50 — receive an MS Penlight; and 10 books plus \$100 — receive a calculator. Prizes are cumulative. For example: a student who reads at least 10 books and collects at least \$50 will win a penlight, a yo-yo, and a pen.

The Mystery Sleuth reading the highest number of books in a school will receive an MS Readathon T-shirt, and the person who brings in the highest amount of money in school will win an MS "I'm a Reading Champ" gym bag.

The money collected in this program goes toward many patient services

such as wheelchairs, crutches, leg braces, and the free MC Clinic (at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock), in the 23 county area served by the South Plains Texas Chapter. It also supports research to help find a cure for MS.

The MS Chapter in Lubbock received the top award for 1980 MS Readathon in our 9 state region, reflecting the excellent support and participation of West Texas communities.

Mrs. Sally Galloway, librarian, is the volunteer Readathon coordinator for the 1982 program in Floydada. When kits are returned to the school on April 29, they should be taken to her directly. She has graciously offered to do all the tabulating and counting for this project. She will also be glad to answer questions about the program and share her boundless enthusiasm with you.



PINEWOOD DERBY was held at South Plains for Cub Scouts and Webelos. Floydada was also hosted. Winners of this event were [l-r] Cory Mulder, 1st; Keith Teeple, 2nd; Bryan Teeple, 3rd; Tracey Johnson, 4th; Brent Gibbs, 5th; and Tim Jullan, 6th.

A Letter Writer's Guide To Congress

Writing effective letters to your senators and representative is not a difficult task. Here are a few guidelines that will make writing to your lawmakers even easier.

*Write on your personal or business stationery if possible. And sign your name after the typed signature at the end of your message.

*Be sure that your return address is on your letter not just on the envelope. Envelopes sometimes get misplaced before the letter is answered.

*Identify the subject of your letter clearly. Give the name of the legislation you are writing about. Use the appropriate House or Senate bill number if possible.

*State your reason for writing. Your own personal experience is your best supporting evidence. Explain how the legislation would affect you or your family, business or profession — or what effect it would have on your state or community.

*Avoid trite phrases and sentences. Cliches make your letter appear to be part of an organized "pressure" campaign — and thus minimize the impact of your message.

*Be reasonable. Don't ask for the impossible. Don't threaten. Don't say "I'll never vote for you unless you do..." That will not help your cause; it may harm it.

*Be constructive. If a bill deals with a problem that you admit exists but you believe that the bill takes the wrong approach toward solving that problem explain what you believe the right approach is.

*Don't pretend to wield vast political influence. Write your member as an individual not as a self-appointed spokesman for your neighborhood, community or industry. Unsupported claims of political influence only cast doubt upon the views you express.

*Don't become a constant "pen pal". Quality rather than quantity is what counts. Don't try to instruct your members on every issue that comes up. And don't nag them if their votes do not reflect your thinking every time. Remember each member has to consider all of his or her constituents and all of their points of view.

*Concentrate on your own delegation. Your district's representative and your state's senators cast your votes in Congress and want to know your views. Don't undertake writing to all 435 representatives and all 100 senators who cast their votes in the interests of other districts and other states.

*Ask your legislators to explain their position on the issue in reply. As a constituent you're entitled to know how and why your members feel as they do.

*Consider timing. Try to communicate on a bill while it still is in committee. Your senators and representatives usually will be more responsive to your views at that time, rather than later on, when the bill has already been shaped by a committee.

*Thank your members if they please you with a vote. Everybody appreciates a complimentary letter — and remembers it. On the other hand, if they displease you don't hesitate to communicate your displeasure — that, too, will be remembered.

Suggested addresses and salutations: The Honorable Charles Stenholm, House of Representatives, Washington D.C. 20515; The Honorable Ray Farabee, United States Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510; Dear Mr. Stenholm; Dear Senator Farabee.

All of the above suggestions have been compiled by the United States Chamber of Commerce in discussions with Representatives and Senators themselves. This is what THEY will respond to and what THEY have suggested.

Stout receives PTA Life Membership

Election of officers was the main topic of the Muleshoe Elementary PTA meeting held on Monday, March 15 in the cafeteria of Dillman Elementary. Robin Neptune welcomed parents, teachers and friends to the meeting.

Supt. Harold Horne led the invocation. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, Elaine Stout, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting. Kerma McGuire, treasurer, gave the financial report.

Mrs. Obenhaus presented the Texas PTA Life Membership to Elaine Stout.

This is the highest honor bestowed on an individual from the PTA.

Mrs. Georgia Pena presented nominations for the 1982-83 officers. They are president, Jean Richardson; first vice-president, Joyce Scott; second vice-president, Elaine Stout; third vice-president, Toni Eagle; secretary, Jim Ella Clemmons, parliamentarian, Sherry Shipman; and historian, Jean Treadwell. The names were voted in by acclamation.

Mrs. Neptune closed the meeting by presenting certificates of appreciation

for the 1981-82 year. Receiving these honors were membership chairperson, Shirley Reynolds; third vice president, Debra Noble; secretary, Elaine Stout and Betty Chamberlain. These honors were given by the president in appreciation for their support and willingness to work on projects throughout the year.

Elaine Stout, formerly of Floydada, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren and is married to Paul Stout.

also of Floydada. They are the parents of three daughters, Mychelle, age 11; Natalie, age 6; and Barbie, age 4.

Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

BY LINDA EMERT

Well it seems like the March winds came in April. I have noticed that the wind had blown a few T.V. antennas down and a few stop signs too.

We are sorry to have lost Mrs. Ellie Hargis. We also had a couple of our ladies move away. Mrs. Mamie Bradshaw and Mrs. Nora McKnight. Our own Juanita Bailey is back in the hospital again. We hope she gets well and comes home again.

Monday we had Bible study. Tuesday they painted ceramic. Wednesday we played bingo and all residents that played won a game. Sue Thompson won 1, W.C. Cates won 1, Fay McMahan won 3, Una Clark won 1, Emmet Lawrence won 1, Geneda Roberts won 1, Vera Duke won 1, Nora McKnight won 1 game. Dorothy Kerr baked a cake and had ice cream to go with it and served it to the residents Thursday. They all enjoyed it very much. And Friday we had two movies and popcorn at the movie. They enjoy the movies very much.

Visitors included: Ethel Barker, Otis, Dana, Kim, and Jo Lee Ellis, Burmah Probasco, Mildred Fuqua, Estelle Eubanks, Hazel Bradley and Kim, Gene Baird, Lorena Dunavant, Sherry Col-

ton, Dana, Kim and Jo Lee Ellis, Maurice and Ella Goodwin, Charley L. Berry, Sr., Vollie and Leona McNeill, Lois Jones, Helen Breed and Pam Rogers.

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	42.18		525.56	22.10	51	32	37	47.05	247.28
	57.47		534.22	22.45	51	32	33	45.75	244.41
	42.52		505.83	23.04	41	32	34	47.60	240.68
	50.00		526.06	21.33	61	35	36	45.30	238.30
	53.66		490.69	25.04	51	33	31	46.15	228.45
	46.26		491.63	22.90	61	35	35	45.30	222.71
	71.57		465.81	24.60	41	32	34	47.60	221.73
	37.63		429.61	20.72	51	34	35	51.30	220.39
	66.94		490.52	20.19	51	31	34	44.80	219.75
	42.35		490.77	23.38	51	32	32	43.40	212.99
	55.23		418.76	19.05	41	32	36	48.90	204.77
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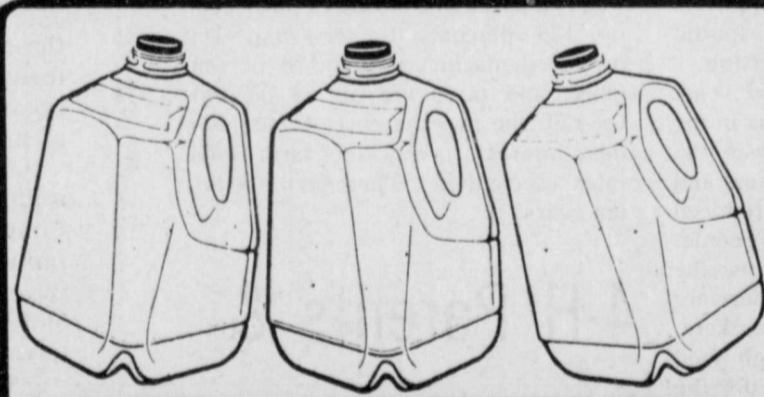
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