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Reckon what they want for Christmas?



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DATE	HIGH	LOW
Dec. 1	56	48
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SANTA HEARD MANY REQUESTS from youngsters Saturday from, 1 to 3 p.m. in downtown Lockney. This young man, Danny Huggins, was a little too small to ask Santa for a special gift without the interpretation of his mother, Carol [Mrs. Jim] Huggins. But there is no doubt he will not be disappointed Christmas Day.

MWA contracts updated

Wes Brown
Contracts to the Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority project were awarded October 24, 1982 (See the related story in the Nov. 4 issue). The estimated total cost of this project for each city to be financed by revenue bonds has been updated. The cost will be shared by Tullia, Silvertown, Floydada and Lockney. Estimates for annual purchase of water from the project are (in thousands of gallons):

Tullia 375,950, an average of 1.03 thousand gallons per day and 42.83 percent of the total.

Silvertown: 73,000, an average of .2 thousand gallons per day and 8.32 percent of the total.

Floydada: 281,050, an average of .77 thousand gallons per day and 32.01 percent of the total.

Lockney 147,825 an average of .405 thousand gallons per day and 16.84 percent of the total.

Total estimated water purchase for all four cities is 877,825M gallons with a daily average of 2,405 thousand gallons per day.

The estimated total cost (to be financed by revenue bonds) for the transmission system for each city is: Tullia - \$3,120,000; Silvertown \$730,000; Floydada - \$3,087,500; and Lockney - \$1,662,500.

Total transmission system cost for the four cities is \$8,600,000 and the total cost for water supply for the four cities is \$3,405,000 bringing the total cost of the project to \$12,500,000.

In order to compensate for the added expense of the operating cost of the project, water rates in the cities were raised. The old and new rates are (all rates are for a 1/2 inch residential meter):

Tullia: Old rates were \$4 for the first 3,000 gallons, up to 15,000 gallons 60 cents per thousand gallons and over 18,000 gallons, 70 cents per thousand gallons. New rates (already in effect) are \$6 for the first 3,000 gallons, up to 15,000 gallons 90 cents per gallon and over 18,000 gallons \$1 per thousand gallons.

Lockney: Old rates were \$5 for the first 3,000 gallons and 75 cents per thousand gallons after that. New rates are \$6 for the first 3,000 gallons and \$1 per thousand gallons over that.

Floydada: Old rates were \$7 for the first 2,000 gallons and \$1 per thousand gallons over that. New rates are \$12 for the first 2,000 gallons and \$1.50 per thousand gallons over that.

Silvertown: Present rates are \$8 for the first 3,000 gallons and 80 cents per thousand gallons over that. The new rates were not available, but were expected to be less than originally calculated.

Comparison of water rates in other areas:

Crosbyton: \$7 for the first 3,000 gallons and \$1 per thousand gallons up to 30,000 gallons after that is \$1.25 per thousand gallons.

Matador: \$11.50 for the first 2,000 gallons, the next 2,000 gallons 60 cents per thousand gallons and the next 5,000 gallons, 55 cents per thousand gallons.

Plainview: \$7 for the first 3,000 gallons and 55 cents per thousand gallons over that.

Lubbock: \$5.20 for the first 1,000 gallons, up to 50,000 gallons \$1.08 per thousand gallons, up to 250,000 gallons, over that is 87 cents per thousand gallons.

Council sets new rates

When the Lockney City Council met Thursday, December 2, they had a busy session. Barbara Ellis of Parkhill, Smith and Cooper, Inc., of Lubbock brought two issues before the assembled group. The first was the proposal of changing the guidelines of implementing the 1982-83 Rehab Program which contained a \$6,000 limitation on restoring houses to a safe and sanitary living status. She pointed out that because of further deterioration, increase in prices, deception in the outside of a house over the real story inside, and finding reliable contractors, there were hardly any houses in the target area which could be restored within the limitation.

If changed, the Neighborhood Improvement committee would have the flexibility to lift the limitation, especially on the restoration of larger houses containing maybe 4 or more bedrooms. She said they would take bids on 7 houses in January and all of them except one were expected to be over the limitation. The program would stand to gain by the move; fewer houses would be improved under the program.

Councilman Kring made a motion to approve the use of competitive bidding but the representatives of the CDBG program would walk through and discuss the cost made by their selected contractor on-site. It had been found that most dependable contractors had found it difficult to make the trips back and forth because of the amount of paperwork and regularity of the trips. Negotiating the terms this way would tend to save time and money. Councilman Dipprey seconded the motion.

All of the sewer lines in the target area were reported to be in but not connected to the houses. It was agreed that bids would be accepted from a contractor on each house. There will be a total of 28 connections.

The council approved an increase in water rates upon the engineer's recommendation. The new rates, which will be effective by the January billing, will be \$6 for a minimum of 3,000 gallons and \$1 for each additional 1,000 gallons. It was stated that it had been 2 to 3 years since a raise had been imposed on water rates. Sewer services were raised last year.

The proposal of a three-option retirement plan for the city's fulltime employees concerning the city's contribution toward that plan was adopted. The city's rate would increase from 3.83% to 3.96% effective January 1, 1983.

FFA State

President

speaks at LHS

Monday morning the Lockney High School heard Randy Brady, FFA State President of Texas, in a 9:40 a.m. assembly.

He spoke on motivation. He stressed that one could achieve anything if he were only willing to work hard enough. The capable speaker lives in Humble, Texas near Houston. Some of his duties include speaking before school groups and promoting FFA.

At the District FFA Banquet that night held at the Tullia High School the Lockney Greenhand Quiz Team received a second place banner for district competition.

Libby Williams, FFA queen contestant, was named runner-up.

Annual Hunt Breakfast to be held at Lutheran Church at Providence Saturday

The 2nd Annual Hunt Breakfast will be served by Il Penseroso Jr. Study Club on Saturday, December 11th from 5:30 to 8:00 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Providence. The meal will cost \$3.75 per person and will consist of

homemade biscuits, gravy, bacon, sausage, eggs and juice or coffee.

In conjunction with the breakfast, a raffle will be held for a down coat from Raglands Western Wear. Tickets are on sale now for \$1.00 and can be purchased

from any Il Penseroso member or at the door the day of the breakfast. You need not be present to win.

All proceeds from the breakfast and raffle will go towards the purchase of needed hospital equipment at Lockney General Hospital.

This Week

Santa

Santa Claus will be visiting at the Dairy Queen Saturday from 2 to 4. All of the children are invited to come by and whisper their requests in his ear and receive a treat.

Stories

If anyone has any Christmas memories, poems or stories they would like to share with our readers, they need to be in the Beacon office by December 17 for the Christmas issue.

Singles

Lockney and Floydada Singles Club will have a joint meeting at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, December 11, at Lighthouse Electric. A meal will be furnished by the Singles Club. Everyone is asked to bring a \$3.00 gift. Hostesses will be Marie Nigh, Nita Holland, Georgia Finley and Edith Marrs.



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THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE IS SEEKING TO STOP ALL INCOMING MAIL FOR POSSIBLE VIOLATION OF FEDERAL MAIL STATUTES.

Decorating Contest

A Christmas decorating contest is being sponsored by the Lockney Chamber of Commerce.

Entries in the lighting contest should be called into Jinna Sue Turner or June Bybee at 652-3355. The deadline for entering is December 15. Date of judging will be December 16.

\$25-\$15-\$10 will be given to the three top winners, respectively.

4-H

A 4-H meeting will be held Monday night, December 13, at 7:00 p.m. in the ag building. Members will go caroling so they are advised to dress warmly.

Boys Ranch

A new suit or clothing package for every boy at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch is the goal this year. With the cooperation of Amarillo merchants a contribution of \$45 will make it possible for new suits to be purchased for the older boys and clothing packages for the younger.

Donations to the Boys Ranch Christmas Suit Fund may be mailed to the Boys Ranch Office, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas 79174.

Geneological Society

The High Plains Geneological Society will hold their annual covered dish supper in the Unger Memorial Library at 825 Austin in Plainview Tuesday night, January 7 at 7:00. Owen Eggar will be the guest speaker.

Anyone interested is invited to attend. Items for show and tell can be shown at the meeting.

Brunch

An American Cancer Society Christmas Brunch will be held Saturday, December 11, in the home of Mrs. Nettie Ruth Whittle, 4 miles south on the Ralls Hwy. You may come and go from 9-11:00 a.m.

They will have door prizes and entertainment. Tickets are on sale from any American Cancer Society member. All proceeds will go to the American Cancer Society.

Remember,

first try

at home.

Hazlett speaks to Rotary on Lockney General

Guy Hazlett, Administrator of Lockney General, was the guest speaker of the Rotary Club meeting held Friday at noon in the Rebekah Lodge Hall.

He spoke on Lockney General and compared it to other hospitals in the state and the nation, calling his speech "A Hospital is More Than Bricks and Mortar."

He stated that Lockney General was among the top 2% of the under-50-bed hospitals in the State of Texas. He cited financial management, the clinic, and stability (the consistency of the physicians) as the prime factors for that rating.

Besides the gifts totaling 200,000 from the Cogdell Foundation enabling the hospital district to be established with the clinic that was recently furnished with advanced radiology equipment, a \$10,000 communications system is expected to be installed next month and a \$15,000 operating room table with many extra capabilities will be installed early next year.

He referred to the physicians who after completing a full medical program have to be recertified every 6 years. He said having two boarded general practitioners put this hospital in a very elite group for the size of the facility. Other employees are equally experienced. Of the hospital's 60 employees, he said the average experience was 10 years with a minimal turnover.

Hazlett stated the trend was back to the family practitioners. One reason given for that was that specialty medicine had become very expensive.

Another was the security whole families could feel when depending on the abilities of their family physician.

Lockney General became a state corporate in 1945, opened its doors in 1947-48, was owned by Wm. Mangold from 1954-73, and became a hospital district in 1973. It has a budget of 1 1/4 million dollars a year with \$1 million in assets. That has been increased by \$162,000 because of better collections and equipment. It is the second or third largest employer in the community. He said that was very important in these hard economic times because money paid to local residents would exchange hands 7 times in 12 months.

Comparing the local facility to those in Lubbock, Hazlett said it would cost about \$400 a day in Lubbock, depending if the patient had surgery, where it costs from \$175-250 a day at Lockney. The Lockney doctors' rate is 1/2 to 1/3 of others in the area. He commented that some insurance companies, and there was some talk of Medicare, holding hospitals to a 9.9% increase in prices over those of 1982.

2200 people a month have been seen at Lockney General over the past year. The hospital has a 60-mile radius clientele, seeing patients from Tullia, Silvertown, Plainview, Flomot, Matador, Floydada, Lubbock, Olton, Earth, Dimmitt, Slaton, and Sunnyside.

Hazlett said despite expectations for many hospitals to suffer financial collapse he felt there would be an expansion of non-profit government and church supported hospitals.

Some goals of the hospital board were

given: to operate the hospital on less taxes, to implement quality assurance, and to make some essential progress through long term planning.

Hazlett said he was very optimistic about the success and future of the

hospital. The tax rate or the room rate has not been increased. Women volunteers are working toward a goal of \$2,000 for an EKG unit and a study club has volunteered their contribution toward a sizeable piece of equipment.



GUY HAZLETT

CRIME STOPPERS

Crime Stoppers is working! Texans have been using their telephones to effectively curb crime in our State, with big dividends. The calls received by the state and local Crime Stoppers programs have resulted in the confiscation of over \$25 million dollars in narcotics and stolen property, as well as numerous arrests and indictments.

The Governor's Crime Stoppers Advisory Council, along with the local Crime Stoppers programs, are working hard to ensure that this war on crime continues. Governor Clements and the Texas Legislature stand behind the efforts of these programs to keep criminals in the hotseat in our state.

The fight against crime in Texas is continuous and your concern. As citizens of Texas

you have proven there is a need for Crime Stoppers, but we need your help and support to keep it an on-going success.

If you have information on any organized criminal activity, please call the toll-free hotline at 1-800-252-TIPS at anytime, day or night. Cash rewards are available for information leading to the arrest and felony indictment of criminals in Texas. Citizens do not have to give their names, just their information, and they will be given a unique code number for identification purposes.

Texas Legislators and our Governor want these people behind bars, but they cannot do it alone. Support your state and local Crime Stoppers. Call today and help rid our state of criminal activity.

Courthouse News

Deeds

Wayne N. Tipton, et ux, to W.&O. Butane, Inc., a corporation, S. 1/2 of Lot 5, all Lot 6, Blk. 127, Floydada.

Donald L. Cranford, et ux, to John R. Dunlap, et ux, W. 40 ft. of Lot 4, & E. 40 ft. of Lot 5, Blk. 9, Western Addn. Annex, Floydada.

Edward Jarrett to Lowell Jarrett, et al, 100 acres out of S.E. 1/4 of Sec. 31, Blk. D-1.

Patsy Mott, et vir, to Foy Peacock, et ux, Lots 4, 5, & 6, Blk. 3, Muncy Addn., Lockney

Lillian L. Smith, Executrix, et al, to Josephine Bursiago, Lots 1-9, 12-20, Blk. 2, Morris Subdivision, Floydada

Ruby O. Brannon, et al, Trustees, to Don Shurbet, et ux, 3 acres out of NW part of S. 1/2, Sur. 29, Blk. 1

J.B. Howard, to Harley F. Howard, part of A.B. Bell survey.

Dale G. Widener, et ux, to Ernest Dale Widener, parcel of 5.79 acres out of NE part of R.M. Emerson, survey 7, Blk. S.C.

Minnie Faye Easter, Executrix, to

Keith E. Thomas, et ux, 24.40 acre tract out of E. part of Sur. 16, Blk. G.

E.H. Boedeker, to E.W. Boedeker, north 2.474 ft. of W 1/2 of Sur. 86, Blk. D-2.

Raymond Martin, et ux, to Robert Lee Smith, et al, N. 60' of Lots 11, 12, 13, Blk. 24, original Lockney.

Dewayne Sexton, et ux, to Robert D. Purser, et ux, S. 40 ft. of Lot 4, all Lot 5, Blk. 2, McKoy Place Addn., Lockney.

Harold Vernon Brown to Quanah Cotton Oil, Lot 12, Blk. 39, original Floydada

James Stanley Howell, to Verne E. Taylor Jr., N. 30' of Lot 8, S. 45' of Lot 9, Blk. 1, Vineyard Addn., Lockney.

Probate

Sudie Lee Thomas, will & appl. to probate, 11-16-82

Leonard King, will & appl. to probate, 11-22-82

Marriage Licenses

Juan Manuel Escamilla, Ofilia Perez Arellano

Pheasant season begins, December 11

The 1982 pheasant season will kick off Saturday morning, December 11.

Once again, the season will be two weeks in duration, spanning three weekends. Final day of the season will be Sunday, December 26.

The bag limit will remain the same as in years past: two cocks per day and four in possession. Only the cock pheasants are legal game.

A good hunting season is anticipated. Jack Patterson, spokesman for the pheasant season, said he had seen a good number of pheasants in the Rhea community. Reports from other parts of the area have also been encouraging.

A large influx of hunters is expected for the opening weekend.

Texas followed the lead of its neighboring state, New Mexico, with the passage of House Bill 1421, which authorized the formation of Operation Game Thief. Concerned citizens may call a 24-hour toll-free number, 1-800-792-GAME, to report flagrant violations of Texas' wildlife and fish laws.

Since implementing its game thief program in 1976, New Mexico has collected over \$79,000 in fines and paid almost \$40,000 in rewards.

Trespassing laws have been stiffened with HB 717 upping criminal trespassing from a Class C to a Class B misdemeanor. In addition, if the offender carries a deadly weapon, he can be charged with a Class A misdemeanor.

Notice has to be present before a person can commit criminal trespassing. Notice is given in three ways: (1) Oral or written communication by owner of property; (2) Presence of fencing to exclude intruders or contain livestock; or (3) Sign posted on property indicating

entry is forbidden.

Under the Texas penal code, a Class C misdemeanor carries a maximum \$200 fine. However, trespassers convicted under the new law, under a Class B misdemeanor, will face a possible \$1,000 fine and/or 180 days in jail.

If the offender carries a deadly weapon, and most hunters do, the Class A misdemeanor can cost up to \$2,000 in fines and up to a year in jail.

No public funds will be used in the Operation Game Thief program. More than \$20,000 in donations from individuals and organizations have been received to get the program started.

The Rev. Michael O'Connor's

Perspectives

It seems that this past week there was much about alcohol in the various publications and shows that I see. Of course, some area towns were having liquor option elections and that tends to produce quite a bit of press.

One item I saw was a cartoon. A wife is looking at her bedraggled, unshaven, slovenly appearing husband, and she comments: "How come the people in beer commercials never look like the people who drink beer?" A letter to the editor in a religious publication called for a ban on beer commercials, because the writer knew a band of alcoholics who drank beer exclusively and yet were not the witty, urbane folks who had discovered what weekends were for.

On the network news was a story on the resurgence of drinking among college students and how one University thought they were helping out by running a bar for the students. They figured it was better for the student to get drunk on campus because they could then walk home instead of driving.

One of the arguments advanced by the proponent of package liquor sales in Kress was that the town was dying economically and that the revenues generated by liquor sales would be the salvation of the poor town.

People have marshalled their arguments for and against liquor for years. The Bible, they stoutly declared, is not against drinking, it is against drunkenness. The opponents just as vehemently proclaimed that Jesus turned the water into grape juice, and that the body was the Temple of the Holy Spirit not spirits.

But I think more to the point these days is an attempt to get away from throwing Bible verses at one another and developing a broader perspective on the issue. There is for example the matter of the image that liquor manufacturers are trying to thrust upon us. Their ads say nothing of the broken lives caused by their product, instead implying that alcohol is some kind of necessity to the real enjoyment of life not much different from the picture given us by soft drink manufacturers.

It doesn't take a genius to figure out that their message is untrue, but by the sheer repetition of the message, many people have actually bought the image presented.

The other problem is an old question of economics. Proponents have always cited creation of new jobs, increased business revenues and tax receipts. Yet the real cost has yet to be computed.

What about the number of alcohol related accidents, auto and otherwise? What about the costs incurred in medical care, not just from alcohol's effect on the individual's body, but the damage inflicted upon others acting under the influence. And what about the costs of divorces which come through conflicts over drinking.

It is time we try to stop fooling ourselves about the impact of alcohol on our lives. Sure people can be responsible in alcohol use, but the majority of alcohol users are not responsible. It is time we admitted that fact and quit supporting an industry which is ultimately destructive.

CRIME CALL

Anyone having information regarding these crimes is urged to call Crime Call at 983-5200 in Floydada. In Lockney the number to call is 652-2416. Or, informants may call the Texas Crime Busters toll free number: 1-800-252-8477. Informants may remain anonymous, but if they are willing to testify in the trial of the case additional rewards will be paid for this testimony.

Crime Call is supported entirely by private donations. Tax deductible contributions may be mailed to Crime Call of Floyd County Inc., 122 E. California, Floydada, Texas 79235.

Citizens are also advised Crime Call offers rewards for information received on all unsolved felony crimes occurring in Floyd County.

Mackenzie Water Project holds ceremony

A short groundbreaking ceremony will be held on the south side of Lake Mackenzie Tuesday afternoon December 14, 1982 at 2:30 p.m. The Board of Directors for the Water Authority cordially invites the public to attend. The building contractors for the treatment plant and transmission facilities will attend the ceremonies and the State and District offices for the Farmers Home Administration and the Texas Department of Water Resources will also have representatives present.

The Water Authority will secure a \$12,005,000.00 loan from the two above mentioned organizations for the construction of the project. From this amount \$3,405,000.00 will be used to

build the water supply (treatment plant) facilities and will be paid for by tax money from General Obligation Bonds. The \$8,600,000. will come from Revenue Bonds and will be used to construct the transmission facilities.

There will be a pre-construction meeting in Floydada, prior to the ground-breaking ceremony, on Tuesday morning December 14th. At this meeting the Board of Directors from the Mackenzie Water Authority and Engineers from Freese and Nichols will meet with all contractors who will do the construction for the water project. Plans and specifications will be reviewed with the contractors at this time.

Taxpayers owed refunds

The Internal Revenue Service has \$1,203,216.43 it wants to send to some north Texas taxpayers. Over 2,600 taxpayers in the northernmost 143 counties have not received their 1982 refund checks, which average \$461. The smallest refund is \$1, while the largest is over \$96 thousand.

The most common reason for the failure of refund check and taxpayer to meet up is that the taxpayer has moved and not left a forwarding address. Others have changed their marital status and their names and failed to notify the Postal Service and the IRS. Still others are the victims of illegible address entries on the Form 1040.

When a check is returned to the IRS as undeliverable, the IRS follows up by mailing a notice to the address of record. If this fails, extensive efforts are made at the district level to locate the taxpayer's correct address.

If your name appears on the following list, please write or call the IRS. Write: Internal Revenue Service, 1100 Commerce Street, Mail Code 151-A, Dallas, Texas 75242, or call 742-2440 in Dallas, 335-1370 in Fort Worth, or 1-800-492-4830 elsewhere in Texas.

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Irene Martinez, Childress; Pauline H. Selmon, Childress;

Charlie J. and Ethel Minick, Floydada; Alberto M. Resio, Floydada; David R. and Cynthia Blevins, Lockney;

Roberto Arrambide, Abernathy; Kenneth D. Morgan, Abernathy; Sam D. Taylor, Amherst;

Carlos Acevedo, Brownfield; Kenney P. and Curtlynn Black, Brownfield; Dora Contreras, Brownfield; Dianna L. Hukill, Brownfield; Albert P. and Ilvia F. Martinez, Brownfield; Ferne A. Parks, Brownfield; Gail and Charles Phergson, Brownfield; Fidencio A. and Noemi Ramirez, Jr., Brownfield; Billy and Betty Wilson, Brownfield; Charles A. Winn, Brownfield; Ronald R. and Olga Estrada, Brownfield; James L. Wheeler, Crosbyton.

Stolen tractor recovered in Okla.

A tractor stolen from Don Rainer, on November 14 has been recovered. One man has been arrested.

Larry K. Lee was arrested in connection with the theft. According to the Floydada County Sheriff's office the theft occurred November 14, the tractor turned up in Idabel, Oklahoma on November 15 and the arrest was made on November 17. Lee is now out on \$50,000 bond. Extradition papers are in the process of being served.

Lee is not from the Floydada area.

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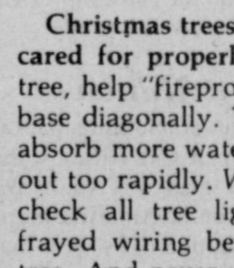
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J. R. Chafin, plant clerk, Jones Station, Lubbock.



Christmas trees can be a fire hazard if not cared for properly. Before setting up your tree, help "fireproof" it by cutting across the base diagonally. This will allow the tree to absorb more water and keep it from drying out too rapidly. When decorating your tree, check all tree lights for loose sockets or frayed wiring before placing them on the tree. And never use any lights that do not display the Underwriters' Laboratory seal. Caring for your Christmas tree properly can prevent a holiday tragedy.

Mike Costello, safety/claims specialist, Roswell.



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Starnes return to familiar surroundings

Ray Starnes and his wife, Kay, along with their 11-year-old daughter, Raetta, are back among familiar surroundings after 7 years of living in North Carolina. By moving into the same parsonage, they knew where every piece of furniture was going. "I don't think we have rearranged one piece from before," Mrs. Starnes said.

Starnes is the minister for the Main Street Church of Christ. He was their minister in 1974-75. The couple returned to their hometown, Monroe, N.C. with a population of approximately 17,000, to establish a congregation.

While there they got to enjoy the association with their families. Starnes has two brothers, two sisters, and his parents living there. His wife, has one brother, one sister, and her parents who reside there. The couple said their families accepted the news of their move reluctantly, but wanted them to be happy so had adjusted to the change by the time they left.

"We have many trees, and fall is a beautiful time of the year," Starnes commented. "That made it hard to leave at this particular time of the year also."

Starnes has been a minister for 23 years, serving in three states: North Carolina, South Carolina, and Texas.

He graduated from Wesley Chapel High School in Union County, N.C., before attending Fruitland Baptist College in Hendersonville, N.C. and seminary in Clarksville, Tennessee.

While serving as minister of the newly-established congregation which has grown to 40 members in Monroe, Starnes worked two years at Rexham Corporation, the manufacturer of film for Eastman Kodak Corp. and Polaroid and dynachem (lamination) for computers. He held meetings in six states during that time: Mississippi, Alabama, South Carolina, North Carolina, Arkansas, and Texas. Mrs. Starnes worked as a secretary to the John Googe Insurance Agency there. Raetta, a sixth grader, attended a school with approximately 350 students in that grade.

The couple both emphatically affirmed that their desire had always been to move back to Texas, preferably the

immediate vicinity, but they said they never dreamed they would have the opportunity to return to Lockney. Starnes held a meeting in Lockney last September when he accepted their invitation to return.

"There does not seem to be as big a barrier between the denominations here," Starnes said. He said his priority was set on working with other denominations and taking advantage of the openness they felt here.

"I've never met a man (Baptist,

Methodist, Presbyterian, or Church of Christ) who is totally right. On the other hand, I've never met a man who is totally wrong."

The drawing card for their return to Texas was definitely "the people of West Texas." The couple both remarked about the noticed "same friendly atmosphere" they had enjoyed previously. "Everybody knows everybody."

Among the changes they noticed upon returning were the young people

they had known before who had grown up and have families now. They were impressed with the new post office. They felt the Main Street congregation might be a little smaller.

The Starnes family try to reserve a day a week to keep communications open in their daily lives. They also enjoy bowling and have a regular exercise program. Starnes has always loved to hunt and fish, but, he admitted, it was a little harder in this area. His wife also enjoys crochet and reading.



KAY, RAETTA AND RAY STARNES

an editorial....

BY WES BROWN

Federal tax withholding on pension payments will start January 1 and withholding on all interest and dividend payments will start July 1 unless bank stockholders and patrons can persuade Congress to repeal tax withholding.

In a letter to member bankers, William H. Kennedy, Jr. said that the withholding law was passed last summer as part of a package. "It is not only wrong, but it is entirely unworkable in the form in which Congress prescribed it. Repealing it is an urgent matter," he said.

"It is clear that to win a repeal of a tax law which already is on the books will require mobilization of our stockholders and—most important—our customers nationwide."

Kennedy stressed the need for the bank customer to be aware what this law would mean to them personally and "...we must mobilize them to set up a clamor for repeal."

If you have anything to say about this tax law, you may contact your congressman below. As Kennedy said, "We cannot afford to waste a single day."

Rep. Jack Hightower, 13th District, Room 2348 Rayburn Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Rep. Kent Hance, 19th District, Room 1039 Longworth Building, Washington D.C. 20515.

Sen. Lloyd M. Bentsen, Room 240 Russell Building, Washington D.C. 20510.

Sen. John Tower, Room 142 Russell Building, Washington D.C. 20510.



Lockney brochure found in Houston

A color brochure about Lockney, Texas, the City of Your Future which was picked up by Calvin and Pat Applewhite, son and daughter-in-law of G.C. and Felicia Applewhite in Houston recently after they had toured several states. Copies of the brochure, of the second printing, has been distributed all over the state in highway information centers, approximately 15,000 in 4 years.

The following excerpt was taken from a letter sent by the Applewhite's daughter-in-law recently: "Thought you would like to see what they have on hand at the Texas State Tourist Building. We stopped and got several magazines and one nice book. Of all the books, no other state gave one as nice as this. This one of Lockney seems exciting! Cal came out with two so you could have one."

Christmas Cantata

A Christmas Cantata will be presented Sunday evening, December 12, at 7:00 p.m. in Trinity Lutheran Church (Providence Community). The choir from Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Lubbock will present this Cantata of Christmas music entitled "Love Came Down at Christmas" and the public is cordially invited to attend. No offerings collected.

The regular morning worship services begin at 11 a.m. with Holy Communion. The sermon for Advent III will be "The Problem with Christmas" based on Luke 3:7-18. Bible Study classes begin at 10 a.m.

Chamber met

The Chamber of Commerce met for regular monthly meeting Monday morning.

The lighting contest was discussed. It was decided that entries could be called in to Jinna Sue Turner or June Bybee at the bank. The deadline for entries is December 15 and judging will be done December 16, prizes will be \$25, \$15, and \$10 for first, second, and third places, respectively.

Other matters discussed at the meeting were the spring Chamber of Commerce Banquet and the prize money for the February Lockney Stock Show.

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MR. & MRS. CHESTER E. JOHNSON

Former Lockney couple to be hosted on 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Chester E. Johnson of 3003 S. Jackson in Amarillo will celebrate their 50th anniversary with a reception to be held in their honor on December 18 in the Federated Women's Club. The event is being hosted by their children and grandchildren.

Johnson married the former Thelma Osborne on December 24, 1932, in the home of her parents at Abilene, Texas. The couple previously resided in Hart, Amherst, and Lockney. They have lived in Amarillo for 12 years.

Johnson is a retired teacher, having taught math in the Lockney schools

from 1955 to 1958. He is a member of Retired Teachers of Texas.

Mrs. Johnson, a housewife, belongs to Interests Unlimited. The couple are members of the Trinity Baptist Church.

They have six children: James Johnson, Oklahoma City; Malcolm L. Johnson, Arvada, Colorado; Rev. Truman Johnson, Sudan; Mrs. Charles R. Willis, Seminole; Mrs. Wayne Watkins, Ft. Worth; and Mrs. Clint B. Honnol, Amarillo.

They also have 16 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Hope Hartsell feted with gift coffee Nov. 27th

A gift coffee honoring Hope Hartsell, bride elect of Don Warren, was held in the home of Mrs. Wayne Russell, November 27. Guests called between 10:00 and 11:00 in the morning.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Russell and Hope were her mother, Mrs. Fern Hartsell and Don's mother, Mrs. Thomas Warren.

Guests were registered in the bride's book by Terri Lloyd. The service table was decorated with a beige linen and lace trimmed cloth. The centerpiece for the table was a woven basket of mums in fall colors. Serving coffee and almond tea from silver service and crystal appointments were Debbie Martinez and Brenda Hicks. Various breads, sausage rings and nuts were also served.

The hostess gift was Faberware cookware and a food processor. Other bride's gifts were displayed in the home.

Hostesses along with Mrs. Russell were Mrs. Valarie Green, Buddy Hatley, Louis Lloyd, Melvin Lloyd, Don Daniel, Bill Hendrix, Don Hardy, Joe

Jones, Tony Jones, Bob Owens, Tom Pearson, Wilson Bond, Greg Bond, Don Shurbet, J.K. West, J.R. Noland, Neil Langley, Harold Reese, W.F. Daniel, Jr., Gordon Hambright, Leon Ferguson, Bill Womack, David Campbell and Miss Janet Milam.

Hope Hartsell honored with luncheon

Hope Hartsell, bride-elect of Don Warren, was honored with a luncheon Saturday December 4 at the Olde White House. Members of the Bridal party, mothers of the bride and groom and friends enjoyed the event. Special bridal cakes were served to the bridesmaids. Terri Lloyd found the lucky penny in her cake to indicate that she would be the next bride.

Guests included the bride, Fern Hartsell, Marie Warren, Joyce Owens, Terri Lloyd, Holly Hendrix and hostesses Barbara Harley, Valerie Green and Joanne Cagle.

Clements, Hickerson will pledge vows February 4th

Mr. and Mrs. Bill C. Clements, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hickerson, Floydada, wish to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their children, Terri Renee Clements and Leslie Blake Hickerson. The couple plan to be wed on February 4, 1983 at the First Baptist Church in Floydada.

The bride-elect is a graduate of

Amarillo College, where she was on the Dean's List, and received an Assoc. of Science in Dental Hygiene. She is presently a Dental Hygienist for Charles C. Craig DDS.

The prospective groom attended Texas Tech University where he studied Agriculture Engineering. He now farms at Lockney.

First Baptist Church Ladies observe Week of Prayer for foreign missions

Bangkok: An urban arena, a book about Southern Baptist Mission activity in the city of Thailand was taught by Miss Anne Swepton on Tuesday, November 23, at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

Preceding the study a salad supper was served. The serving tables and decorations were beautifully decorated, carrying out the Thanksgiving theme.

The mission study is sponsored by the Women's Missionary Union, and precedes the week of prayer for Foreign Missions.

Mrs. David Seay, W.M.U. Director, presented Miss Swepton with a love gift of appreciation from the W.M.U.

The Baptist Women I began the week of prayer for Foreign Mission at 6 p.m. on November 28, with Mrs. David Seay presiding. Prayer was voiced by Nell Avery. Mrs. Jerry Livingston introduced the subject for the week, which was "Look at the Fields."

Talks were given by several young women telling of the missionary work in Eastern Europe, East Malaysia, and West Africa. A beautiful display of posters and maps of the foreign people and places, showing of the Baptist ministry, were made by Mmes. Allen Benson and Anthony Latta.

The meeting closed with Mrs. Latta calling the names of the missionaries, who had birthdays on that day and a special prayer was offered in their behalf.

The November 29 program was presented by the Baptist young people. The subject was "Human Need". "Look at the Fields." Melva Seay presided over the meeting in the absence of the president Regi Gross.

Evelyn Latta led the group in special prayer time.

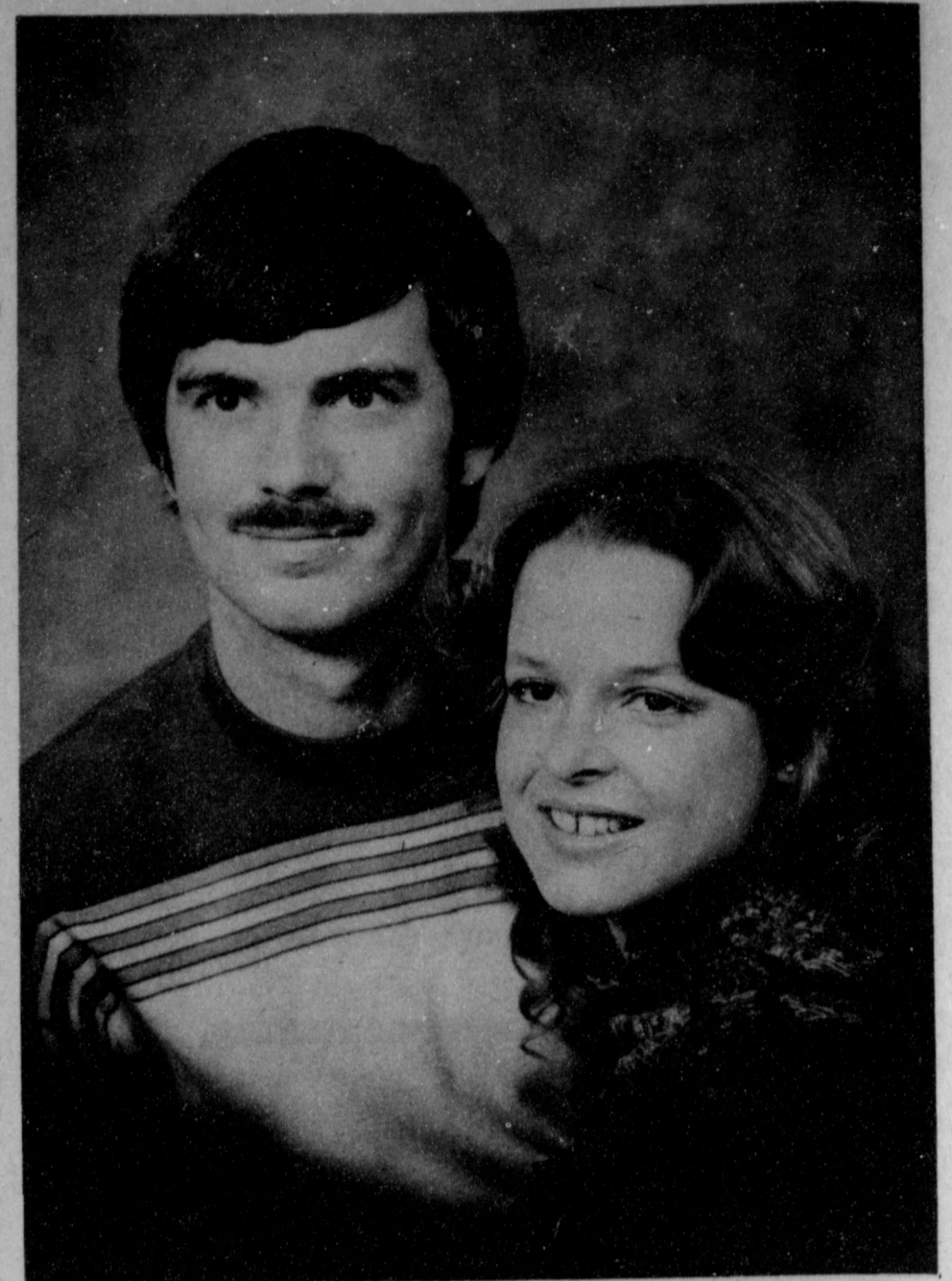
November 30, the Baptist women met in the chapel for a study of Foreign Missions. Mrs. Floyd Bradley, president of Baptist Women II, made the introductory remarks. Mrs. Willie Bunch announced the subject, "The Mandate—Every age the Same."

Others participating in the program were Mmes. Earl Crawford, Floyd Bradley, Floyd Lawson. Others giving inspirational talks on the subject, "To Preach, To Teach To Heal", were Mmes. W.O. Newberry, chairman of mission support; Allen Benson and Maye Garrett. They told of the missionary work in Spain, Venezuela and in the Phillipines. Mrs. J.R. Turner closed the program with the subject, "Pray Ye The Lord of Harvest."

Subject for the December 1 meeting was "New Endeavors — In Our Day." The business women had charge, with Mrs. Mary Corley presiding. Mrs. Nettie Adams voiced the opening prayer for missionaries having birthdays on that day.

Others on the program told of new endeavors in Gambia, new endeavors in Turks and Caicos Islands.

One of the highlights of Foreign Missions week of prayer was, on Wednesday night, a church wide banquet was held during the prayer meeting hour. Mrs. Mary Witt, a missionary from Recife Brazil, was the guest speaker.



LESLIE BLAKE HICKERSON, TERRI RENEE CLEMENTS

Floyd Data

John and Geneva Cockrell of Floydada attended memorial services for their son-in-law, Doyle Payne, in Austin on the 30th of November. Other relatives attending were Kenneth Cockrell of Irving and Glea Adams of Hondo. Geneva spent the two previous weeks with their daughter, Janice and children, Rachel and Matthew. During this time Geneva had her left arm in a cast as the result of a fall on November 6. Janice and children plan to spend Christmas holidays in Floydada.

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Teresa Weaver elected treasurer of Inter-Club Council

Teresa Weaver, a sophomore Office Occupation Major at South Plains College, was recently elected treasurer of the Inter-Club Council (ICC).

The Inter-Club Council works as a part of Student Government to promote activities on the campus and get the students involved. Some of their activities include all halftime performances of Texan Sport events, the Annual Gong Show, the Miss Caprock Pageant and many more.

Teresa was elected to the Council by the Office Education Association Club. She was elected president, and served as president as well as State Reporter of the OEA Club last year. She has been a dorm representative of Gillespie Hall for the last two years and has recently been appointed as the Student Assistant Coordinator of the 1983 Miss Caprock Pageant.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Fuller of Floydada.



TERESA WEAVER

Bridal shower honors Bowley Saturday, December 4th

Mrs. David Bowley (nee Brenda Jackson) was honored with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Johnnie Cates, Saturday, December 4.

Greeting guests were the hostess Mrs. Cates, the honoree Mrs. David Bowley, Mrs. Doyle Jackson, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. J.W. Bowley, mother of the groom. The honoree wore a lovely silk corsage of rose and burgundy flowers.

Jeanie Jackson, sister of the bride, registered the guests. Special guests were Mrs. Oran Hatley, grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. Leo Cannon of Amarillo.

The serving table was covered with a lace table cloth over dusty rose. The centerpiece was the Precious Moment

bride and groom on a mirror reflector surrounded with silk flowers of the brides chosen colors.

Refreshments of hot apple cider, fruit breads and sausage balls were served from copper and crystal appointments by Mrs. Carol Reece.

The hostess gift was a selection of serving pieces of her China.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Mrs. Johnnie Cates, Mrs. Carol Reece, Janet Milam, Mrs. Mac Smitherman, Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mrs. Bill Gray, Mrs. Bill Feuerbacher, Mrs. Ernestine Gilly, Mrs. Mack Fowler, Mrs. Lloyd Allen, Mrs. Scott Faulkenberry, Nell Swinson, Mrs. Thomas Fawver, Mrs. Don Bean, Mrs. Gordon Hambright, Mrs. Randy Hollums.

Lockneyites attend Merrell, Cooper wedding in Quitaque

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor of Tulia, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marr, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper, Mike and Rise Ford, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Marr, Coby and Bradi, all of Lockney were guests at the marriage ceremony of Cheryl Ann Merrell and Cliff Cooper.

Miss Merrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Merrell of Quitaque,

became the bride of Cooper, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cooper of Slide. The double-ring evening ceremony was performed at The First Baptist Church in Quitaque by Mike Grebenik, pastor.

The couple will be at home at Afton where the groom is pastor of the Afton Baptist Church after a trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Stoerner layette shower held at Providence Saturday

Mrs. Martin Stoerner was complimented Saturday afternoon at a layette shower held in the Providence community home of Mrs. Mike Mathis.

Special guests were the prospective grandmothers, Mrs. Max Smith and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. The honoree and special guests wore corsages of baby articles tied with pastel ribbons and eyelet. The registration table held a basket lined in blue and yellow filled with baby bath items.

Mrs. Dan Smith served refreshments of hot punch, coffee, sausage balls, fried pies, cinnamon twists and apple-

sauce muffins. The table was covered with a cloth of pale blue print edged with a ruffle of dark blue. It was shirred at the corners with dark blue ribbon ties. Pewter candlesticks with blue candles and rings accentuated one end of the table. Appointments were of crystal and pewter.

The gift from the hostesses was a baby's car seat. Sharing hostess duties were Mmes. Mathis, Smith, Gary Lynn Boedeker of Plainview, Jim Bob Martin, Gary Mangold, Ronnie Aston, Lynn Ray Smith, Dart Carthel, Keith Jackson, Garry Burson and Bernie Ford.

Lockney lady enjoys guests

Mary Ellen McCracken, a resident of Lockney Care Center, has had lots of excitement recently.

On Sunday, November 21, the Leon McCrackens of Silverton and the E.D. Richmonds of Turkey provided cake and hot chocolate for all the residents of the home in commemoration of Mrs. McCracken's seventieth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCracken and son of Amarillo joined them.

Mrs. Frank (Laura Polk) Cline of Denver, Colorado, great granddaughter of Mrs. McCracken, visited with her last week while she was in the area visiting for the first time in nine years.

She and her grandmother, Mrs. Leon

McCracken, coupled their visit to Lockney with a visit to the Caprock Canyon State Park.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Lockney Care Center Capers

BY VICKIE HUTTON

The Christmas Spirit has come to the Lockney Care Center. Our home has been decorated so our sincere thanks

goes to a special group of young people, the homemaking students of Lockney High School and their teacher Cindy Ford. These young people are very

special to us and we will always have a warm place in our hearts for them.

We have added a new face to our Activity Department: Faye Self from Silverton. Mrs. Self helped out while I was out of town and while our Administrator, Laverne Christian, is on vacation. We welcome her and have enjoyed having her smiling face with us.

Tuesday Laverne Christian and myself were able to share our special people with the members of the Turkey Senior Citizens when we were invited to give the program. We thank them for having us.

Hallie Roberts was able to return home this week. We welcomed her with open arms. She was truly missed. Ethel Carrol is in Lockney General Hospital and Myrtle Burke is in Nichols Hospital in Plainview. We hope they are well enough to return home soon.

From all reports Santa Claus will be visiting us Tuesday, December 21st, at 6:30 p.m. You'll never find a better bunch of people anywhere.

Until next time: enjoy.

1929 Study Club hosted in Meredith's home December 2nd

The 1929 Study Club met Thursday, December 2, in the home of Mrs. C.M. Meredith with the president, Mrs. Q.D. Williams, presiding. Mrs. Clarence Goins was co-hostess.

Roll call was given by Mrs. Ben Whitaker with each member answering with an outstanding or unusual Christmas gift she had received.

A report was given by the secretary, Mrs. Clarence Goins.

Christmas games were enjoyed by the

group, led by Mrs. W.B. Parrack.

A beautiful Christmas story, "One of the Least Ones" was presented by Anne Swepton.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Nettie Adams, Vance Campbell, H.O. Cline, C.W. Denison, Roy Fawver, Clarence Goins, C.M. Meredith, E.J. Morehead, W.B. Parrack, S.W. Ross, George L. Smith, Ben Whitaker, Q.D. Williams, and Anne Swepton and Frances Mitchell.

Perry family enjoy Christmas gathering Dec. 5th

Children and grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Perry had their annual Christmas get together on Sunday December 5th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Gilbreath.

Those attending were Everett and Maggie Perry, Charley and Lillie Dee Perry, Mrs. Ruth Perry, of Floydada,

Mrs. Leo (Louvenia) Brown of Lubbock, Wilson (Jocko) Perry of Amarillo, John and Chris Perry of Petersburg, Jerry and Tommy Jo Perry, Tana and Kim, Mac and Charlene Smitherman, Wendell and Pat Graham and Lisa, Eugene and Jan Watts, Scottie Kim and Elizabeth and the hosts, J.W. and Betty Gilbreath, all of Floydada.

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Cold weather is not your hair's only enemy this winter

"It won't be the cold weather that damages your hair the most this winter," according to a leading skin care authority. "It will be the drop in the relative humidity that causes the real damage to your hair."

Dr. Myra O. Barker, vice president of research and development for MaryKay Cosmetics, Inc. says, "It's so important, to condition your hair and restore it to its maximum possible good condition before the relative humidity begins to drop this winter."

"When the relative humidity begins to drop, damaged hair can't maintain its moisture balance. It begins to get very brittle and will start to dry out, split and break," she says.

Most people have already damaged their hair this past summer which has left it virtually defenseless against the winter. Damage from chlorine, salt water and especially the sun has tended to damage the protective outer layer of the hair shaft and dried out the hair.

Hair has an ideal moisture balance that needs to be preserved in order for the hair to be elastic and smooth. When this balance is lost, the hair gets into trouble.

"You need to think of your hair as if it was a \$100 silk blouse. You wouldn't throw a silk blouse into the washing machine with your jeans and socks. You'd treat it very carefully," says Dr. Barker.

Hair is primarily composed of keratin, a highly complex protein substance. The only living part of each hair shaft is the root which is under the scalp. The hair we see is actually old cells that have been pushed out from the scalp as new cells have been formed in the root.

Hair grows an average of half an inch per month making it one of the body's fastest growing organs or tissues.

"There are several things you need to do right now to prepare for winter. First, go to a hairdresser and have the ends cut blunt, removing as much of the split ends as possible," Dr. Barker suggests.

Start using an intense conditioner once a week and, when smoothness returns to your hair, taper off to a couple of times a month during the winter. A conditioner smooths down the outer layer of the hair shaft, which resembles the scales of a fish. "This makes your hair shinier because it's the reflection of light off the cuticle scales that determines how shiny your hair is," she says.

A conditioner also seals moisture in the inner layer, the cortex, by making the cuticle scales lie down, which makes your hair less susceptible to damage through combing and blow-drying. Mechanical and thermal damage actually

breaks off the cuticle scales leaving the protein fibers of the cortex exposed and causing them to unravel and break.

Once you have restored your hair to its best condition, there are several ways to protect it from damage during the cold months ahead. Wearing a scarf or hat on your head when outdoors is one way to protect your hair. This keeps your body's warmth and moisture close to your hair.

"Cold, dry weather tends to dry out your hair quickly just as it dries out your skin and it can make your hair very, very brittle," she says. "Covering your hair does not give complete protection, but at least you're keeping your body's warmth and moisture close to your hair to a certain extent."

Switching from a shampoo for oily hair to a gentler shampoo for normal or dry hair in the winter and using an intense conditioner twice a month will also help keep your hair in its best possible condition.

"If you wear your hair down the middle of your back as many young women do," Dr. Barker adds, "the ends of your hair are 3 or 4 years old. If you wash your hair 3, 4 or 7 times a week, as many young women do, you have done a tremendous amount of mechanical damage to those four-year-old ends from just washing it alone. "So be gentle with your hair and keep that silk blouse in mind," she says.

"Laugh Lines"

BY DON AND SARA PROBASCO

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There are three kinds of businessmen: Successful, unsuccessful, and those who give lectures telling the second group how the first group did it.

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Today's Lifestyles

By Marilyn Tate

FIREPLACE CLEANING AND CARE

Cleaning a fireplace tends to be a "dirty" job, but it is not difficult. Proper cleaning and care can put your fireplace in good condition for months of wintertime enjoyment.

A fireplace that is used only occasionally will probably not need cleaning for year. But if you use it frequently and burn resinous woods—such as pine, spruce, or fir—a flammable creosote deposit may form on the inside of the chimney, making annual cleaning a "must".

Cleaning Chimney Interior

Check your unit with a flashlight to determine the condition of the chimney walls. If they appear "furry" and flake off when brushed, they should be cleaned before the fireplace is used.

If you do the job yourself, be sure to cover the hearth with plastic to protect the house from soot. It is also a good idea to place a plastic dropcloth inside the fireplace, and to fasten another piece to the opening by using duct or masking tape.

Cleaning equipment can be simple and inexpensive. For a single story house, lower a long-handled broom from the roof to dislodge the sticky deposit. If the house is more than one story, use a cylinder of chicken wire, or fill a burlap bag with rock and straw

suspended on a rope. Carefully lower and raise the device up and down to dislodge accumulations on the walls of the chimney.

Cleaning Fireplace Face

Overloading your fireplace can cause a black, sooty stain on your fireplace face. For brick, stone, or other masonry products, there are two solutions to remove stains.

1. For ordinary stains:
1/2 cup vinegar or acetic acid
1/8 cup detergent
1 gallon water
2. For tougher stains:
1-2 cups trisodium phosphate
1/2 cup household bleach
1/8 cup detergent
1 gallon water

Apply either solution with a stiff bristly scrub brush. Rinse well with clear water, dry completely, and then apply a clear masonry sealer to prevent penetration of stains.

Always wear gloves and protective clothing to avoid skin irritation.

Be cautious of an older or poorly constructed chimney. In this case it is best to have a professional do the job with modern suction equipment. Prices will range from \$25 to \$125 and more.

A professional could be called for any chimney cleaning job, but this is a task that can be done by any agile, determined "do-it-yourselfer."



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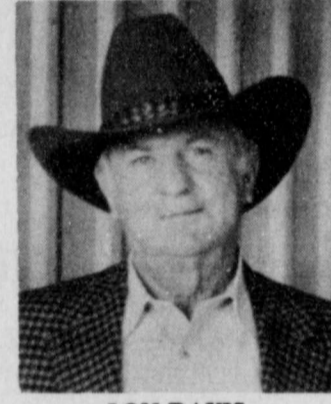
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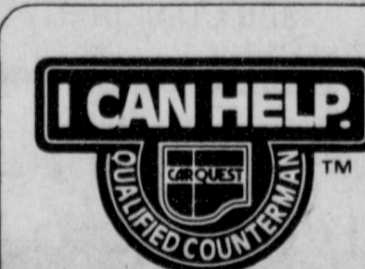
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Music Evangelist presents concert

John McKay, a nationally-known music evangelist from Fort Worth, will present a free concert of Christmas and Gospel Music at First Baptist Church on Wednesday, December 15, at 7 p.m. The public is invited.

Also appearing will be the group "McKay & Cole" which includes Jay and Karen McKay, and Bill and Laurie Cole. This group relates to people of all ages, including young people.

McKay has appeared at First Baptist Church in previous occasions as a music evangelist during revival crusades.

"John McKay has a deep love for this church," said Dr. Floyd C. Bradley, pastor. "He has offered to give this concert as a Christmas gift to the church

and the community. There is no admission charge and there will be no offering received," said Dr. Bradley. All expenses for the concert are being taken care of by a group of laymen who sponsor John McKay in his music ministry.

McKay, a native of Turkey, has sung to thousands of people in crusades across the United States and through nationally syndicated television programs. Other than George Beverly Shea of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, McKay has ministered to more people, face to face, than any singer in the history of Gospel music. He has recorded more than 15 albums and his music is heard in homes and on radio

stations around the world. His phenomenally popular hit "God's Way" is a stirring variation of the secular hit, "My Way", and each time he performs it on television, he receives hundreds of requests for the lyrics.

Certain of his call into a singing ministry at the age of 15, McKay gave up what appeared to be a certain successful career as a professional football player, as well as a career singing opera. While still a student at North Texas State University, he won a place with the St. Louis Municipal Opera Company, and later refused a full scholarship to the Julliard School of Music in New York in order to pursue his singing ministry.



"McKAY & COLE", a gospel music quartet from Fort Worth, will appear in concert at First Baptist Church with John McKay on Wednesday, December 15, at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend the free concert.



APPEARING IN CONCERT at First Baptist Church on Wednesday, December 15, at 7 p.m. will be John McKay, a nationally known music evangelist from Fort Worth. The concert of Christmas and Gospel Music is open to the public. There is no admission and no offering will be received.

FLOYD DATA
Juanita Teaff has had her sister-in-laws, Grace Williams of Lubbock and Pauline Thornton of Tulia, visiting her this week. They all visited Johns and Vera Cox and Mel and Marjorie Holcomb near Lockney Monday night.



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National Dean's List

A total of seven students from this area have been included in the fifth annual edition of **The National Dean's List**, the largest recognition publication honoring college students, published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois.

Students are selected for recognition by their deans or on their school's Dean's List. The 77,000 students included in the current edition are from 2,000 colleges and universities nationwide and represent one half of one percent of the more than 8,000,000 college students in the country.

Local students selected include: Floydada: Shawnda K. Heflin, Texas Tech University, James A. Jones, Texas Tech University, William F. Moore, West Texas State University, Karen A. Turner, Texas Tech University, Kelly S. Turner, Texas Tech University.

Lockney: Kristi M. Julian, Texas Tech University, Jane E. Klein, Wayland Baptist University.

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Selecting a Christmas tree

By Benny Butler



container daily to replace that taken up by the tree. A five or six foot tree may use as much as several pints of water a day. The low humidity found in most heated homes increases the difficulty of keeping the foliage fresh. It's preferable to use a tree stand that allows the base of the tree to remain in water or wet sand when brought into the home.

Locate the tree so that it is not in the air stream of heating vents or near other sources of heat such as a stove, radiator, fireplace or television set. Replenish the water in the tree stand

frequently. Always check the condition of electrical cords and lights before placing them on the tree. Christmas trees are extremely combustible and a short in the wiring can cause a serious fire. Never leave the lights turned on when leaving the house or when retiring. Make this a safe and merry Christmas.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

Caring for quilts

Do you have difficulty trying to select the right Christmas tree for your den, living room or the large picture window in your home? Here are some guidelines to aid you in making that selection.

For some reason, Christmas trees on the lot always appear smaller than they actually are. Since Christmas trees are sold according to height, it is false economy to buy one several feet too tall then have to cut it off so it will fit the room.

Look for a tree with a uniform triangular taper. Check to see that it is free of weak, broken or unduly long branches. It should have a well-filled-out appearance. Shake or dump base firmly on something solid to determine if the needles are firmly attached. If only a few needles drop, the tree is undoubtedly fresh and is more likely to retain its needles throughout the holiday season.

As soon as you get it home, remove an inch or two from the butt end with a saw to facilitate the uptake of moisture. This is essential if the fresh appearance of the tree is to be maintained. As soon as possible after making the cut, place the cut end into a container of water and store in a cool, shady place until ready to bring indoors. Add water to the

With fall at hand and winter on the way, quilts and comforters will be in the limelight as they are taken from storage and put to use.

"Before using a quilt, check its condition, fiber content and age. An heirloom quilt, for example, should not be used on the bed where people will sit or pull on it," explains Dr. Peggy S. Owens, housing and home furnishing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Start with the least complicated and damaging method when cleaning quilts, Owens advises. Airing will remove any musty smell acquired during storage. To remove dust or surface soil, vacuum with an upholstery tool. Cover the quilt with fiberglass screening—but don't vacuum directly on the quilt.

Stain removal is unwise on older quilts because it weakens the fibers. Dry cleaning solvents remove oily stains but are usually too harsh for older quilting fabrics, the specialist warns.

"Wet cleaning must be done carefully. Do not machine-wash or dry or line

hang a quilt. Soak in a bathtub using a very dilute detergent solution. Rinse several times to remove detergent. Then support the weight of the wet quilt to prevent strain on fabric and stitches. Dry on a bed sheet outside," Owens advises.

Repair any damaged areas to prevent further deterioration. Store quilts flat or rolled. To protect from dust and light, use a dust cover of well-washed cotton muslin, percale or new tissue paper. Do not store quilts in plastic, cardboard boxes and unsealed wooden boxes, such as cedar chests.

"Folding a quilt for flat storage causes stress on fabric, stitches and batting placement. Fold as few times as possible, placing tissue paper between folds. Fold off-center and in a different place each time to relieve stress on the fabric. Don't stack heavy quilts on top of each other, and don't hang quilts to store," Owens says.

Quilts—new as well as old—require special care and thoughtful use in order to increase their usability and heirloom quality, she adds.

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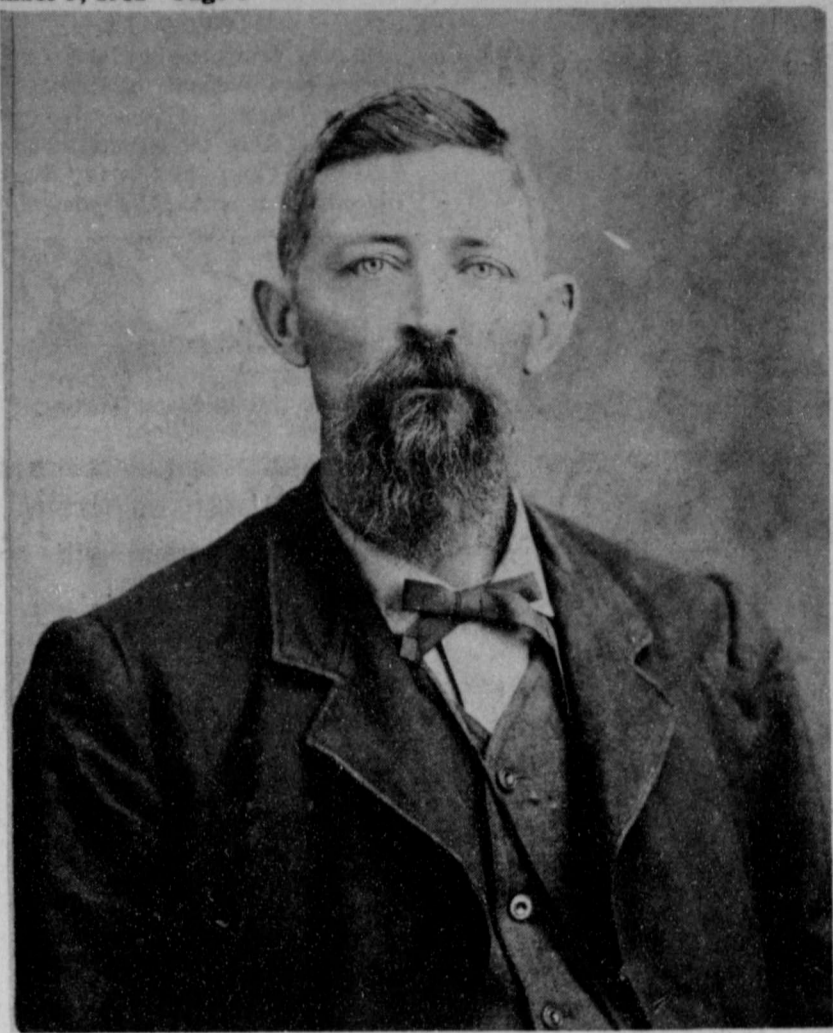
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As a Youth Development Program in its 6th year, it encourages community and state participation through civic and

social organizations by giving of their time and talents to charitable functions. America's Miss Charm National Finals are presented to award scholarships and to bring outstanding recognition to all participants and to bring state closer together.

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Key to economic recovery presented

Export financing is the key to short-term economic recovery in agriculture, the president of the Texas Farm Bureau told delegates to the TFB's 49th annual meeting in Dallas Monday.

Carroll Chaloupka, wheat, feed grain and livestock producer from Dalhart, said four things are necessary in the long run for agriculture and the nation as a whole to overcome the current recession. These were:

- (1) Farmers must cut production in line with demand.
- (2) Agriculture must find a way to increase farm exports.
- (3) The nation must complete the economic recovery program begun two years ago.
- (4) These things must be solved in a way that will "strengthen and maintain our political and economic system."

The TFB farm leader said the most important action that must be taken is to increase exports of grain, cotton and rice.

He said grain exports could be increased from the current 5 billion bushels to 6 billion bushels a year by developing a credit program that would make short-term credit available to countries who need our products and can pay for them eventually, but who at present have neither the money nor credit.

"This could be accomplished through a U.S. government guarantee of principal and interest for loans from commercial sources to finance food imports," he said. "It is not necessary that government provide the money. The loans would be supplied by commercial banks with the government guaranteeing the loans."

He said the blended-credit program recently announced by the administration obviously had this in mind.

However, he said, the announced program would not be large enough to do the job that is needed. To increase grain exports by a billion bushels would

take credit guarantees of from \$3 to \$4 billion, he explained.

Chaloupka said the government program not only needs more funding, but should be expanded to include additional crops. Commodities now under discussion include corn, wheat, soy-meal, vegetable oils, tallow, cotton, eggs, poultry and lumber, he said.

"Why not include pork, high-quality beef and variety meats?" he asked.

The TFB leader said exporters have learned that selling meat abroad is not easy. While all farm products are affected by unfair trade barriers, meat is confronted by additional problems of health and sanitary regulations, he explained.

On an optimistic note, he said that export of pork has greater potential than expected.

He said high-level government negotiations are needed to open markets.

"The Japanese consumer should be as free to choose the kind of meat he wants as the American consumer is in his choice of a car," he said.

Chaloupka said that the combination

of reducing production by 10 to 15 percent and increasing exports to 6 billion bushels of grain should bring reasonable balance to supply and demand.

"With lower interest rates and inflation of 3 to 6 percent, all of us in agriculture should be feeling much better," he said.

"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."
Ralph Waldo Emerson



VOTING DELEGATES representing Floyd County Farm Bureau at the 49th Annual Texas Farm Bureau Convention in Dallas, November 28-December 1 included front row [l-r]: Warren Mitchell, county vice president; Delmas McCormick, Dan Smith, county president; Larry Schneider, county secretary-treasurer; Back row [l-r], D.K. Jackson, Rick Mosley, Paul Schacht, Albert Scheele, and L.B. Brandes.

Farm Bureau receives award

Floyd County Farm Bureau was represented by all nine of its eligible representatives at the 49th annual Texas Farm Bureau convention which was Nov. 28-Dec. 1 in Dallas.

During the convention, Floyd County was presented an award for the highest District II membership gain for the 1981-82 year. The Floyd County bureau gained 89 member families bringing their total to 905 member families.

Attending the convention from Floyd County were: Mr. and Mrs. D.K. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Mosley, Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Delmas McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Schneider, Albert Scheele, and Paul Schacht.

Policies directing the state's largest farm organization were adopted by more than 1,400 delegates from 216 county farm bureaus during this meeting. Recommendations on national policies were also approved.

These policies will advance to the American Farm Bureau Federation annual meeting to be Jan. 9-13 in

Dallas.

A business session covered the final two days of the meeting. New directors and a president were elected during this business session. President for 1983 is S.M. True of Plainview. True was elected by a 609-549 vote, replacing incumbent president Carol G. Chaloupka of Dalhart.

Wayne Cranfill of Hooks was elected vice president and George White was elected secretary-treasurer.

Neal Burnett, a farmer from Plainview, was elected to the state board of directors representing District II.

Speakers featured at the convention included Dean Kleckner of Osage, president of the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation; Carroll Chaloupka of Dalhart, 1982 TFB president; Warren Newberry of Waco, TFB executive director and Wayne Cranfill of Hooks, TFB Secretary-Treasurer.

County leaders also attended several special conferences during the convention. Conference topics included livestock transportation, field crops, natural resources, taxes and labor.

Texas soybean leaders to attend conference

Soybean farmer leaders from Texas will be attending a leadership conference in Jackson, Mississippi, December 14-15, 1982, at the Sheraton Regency. This conference will be specifically for soybean farmer leaders from Tennessee, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi and Texas.

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The conference will commence with registration of attendees at 1:00 p.m., December 14th and will conclude at approximately 12:30 p.m., December 15th. Conference sessions will include workshops on soybean export promotion, soybean research, food and politics and responsibilities of a soybean farmer leader. Dr. Wolf of DuPont will speak via videotape on agricultural leadership. Lodging and conference meals are courtesy of DuPont.

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Lockney welcomed the return of Tony Rodriguez who has been injured. Tony scored 16 points and had an outstanding game. They got another outstanding game from sophomore Buffo Rodriguez. The Longhorns had a very cold third quarter that greatly contributed to the loss.

SCORING:
 Tony Rodriguez - 16
 Buffo Rodriguez - 8
 Michael Carthel - 6
 Robert Rendon - 6
 Steven Johnson - 4
 Cookie Vasquez - 4
 Terry Mathis - 5
 Hector Molina - 2

TEAM	1	2	3	4	T
Lockney	8	18	7	18	51
Sundown	8	12	18	14	52

Wildcats defeat Horns

The Littlefield Wildcats came to Lockney with the leading scoring in the area James Randel and the team could do little to stop him. He had 37 points to lead Littlefield to the victory. Michael Carthel had a great game for Lockney with 19 points followed by Steven Johnson with 11. The Longhorns played hard and never quit the whole game.

TEAM	1	2	3	4	T
Lockney	12	16	14	23	65
Littlefield	13	21	19	29	82

SCORING
 Michael Carthel - 19
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 Hector Molina - 6
 Cookie Vasquez - 4
 Terry Mathis - 4
 Marcus Schacht - 2
 Paul Moats - 2

Lockney girls take 3rd

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Tulia	46	Plainview Blue	79
Lockney Red (H.P.* - Sulema Salinas-4)	16	Lockney Red (H.P.* - Terry Carlton-16)	26
Friday		Friday	
Post	37	Lockney (H.P.* - Johnny Torrez-14)	36
Springlake-Earth	26	Plainview Red	51
Tulia	59	Lockney Red (H.P.* - Jerry Mathis-16)	19
Cooper	18	Lockney (H.P.* - Terry Carlton-6)	52
Lockney (H.P.* - Tammy Ballejo-7)	23	Lorenzo	19
Levelland	56	Post	74
Saturday		Saturday	
Post	34	Springlake-Earth	34
Lockney Red (H.P.* - Christy Coffman-7)	23	Levelland	71
Levelland	52	Plainview Blue	44
Tulia	32	Plainview Red	45
Cooper	32	Post	45
Lockney (H.P.* - Heather Holt-16)	39	Lockney (H.P.* - Melvin Shivers-16)	43
1st - Levlland		Springlake-Earth	41
2nd - Tulia		Plainview Blue	72
3rd - Lockney		Levelland	61
Consolation - Post		Plainview Red	47
1st - Levlland		1st - Levlland	5
2nd - Tulia		2nd - Plainview Red	4
3rd - Lockney		3rd - Plainview Blue	2
Consolation - Post		Consolation - Post	2

Lady Horns lose close one

Littlefield varsity girls got the final score, barely squeezing out a victory over the Lady Horns 54-52.

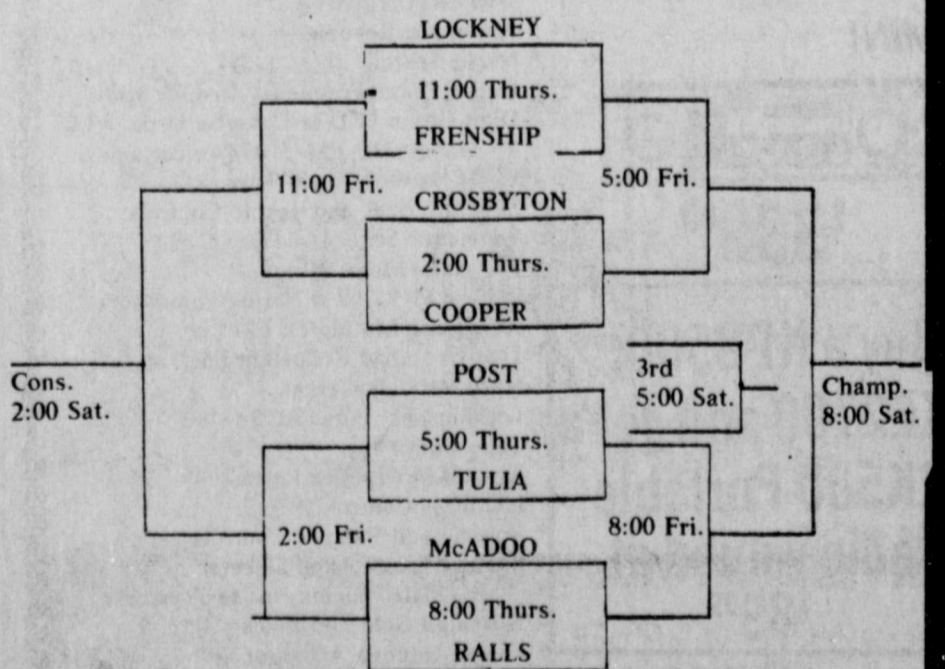
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Karyn Foster	5
Jerri Ann McCormick	4
Robin Hardy	2
Kim Carthel	2

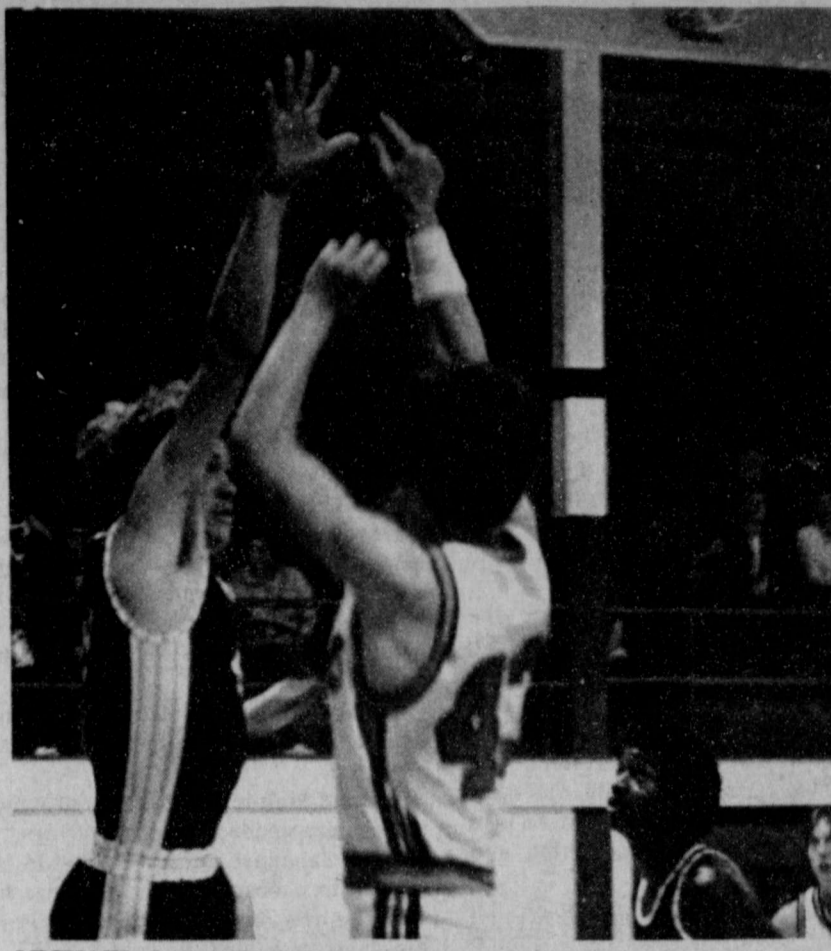
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	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Littlefield	7	25	43	54
Lockney	13	21	34	52

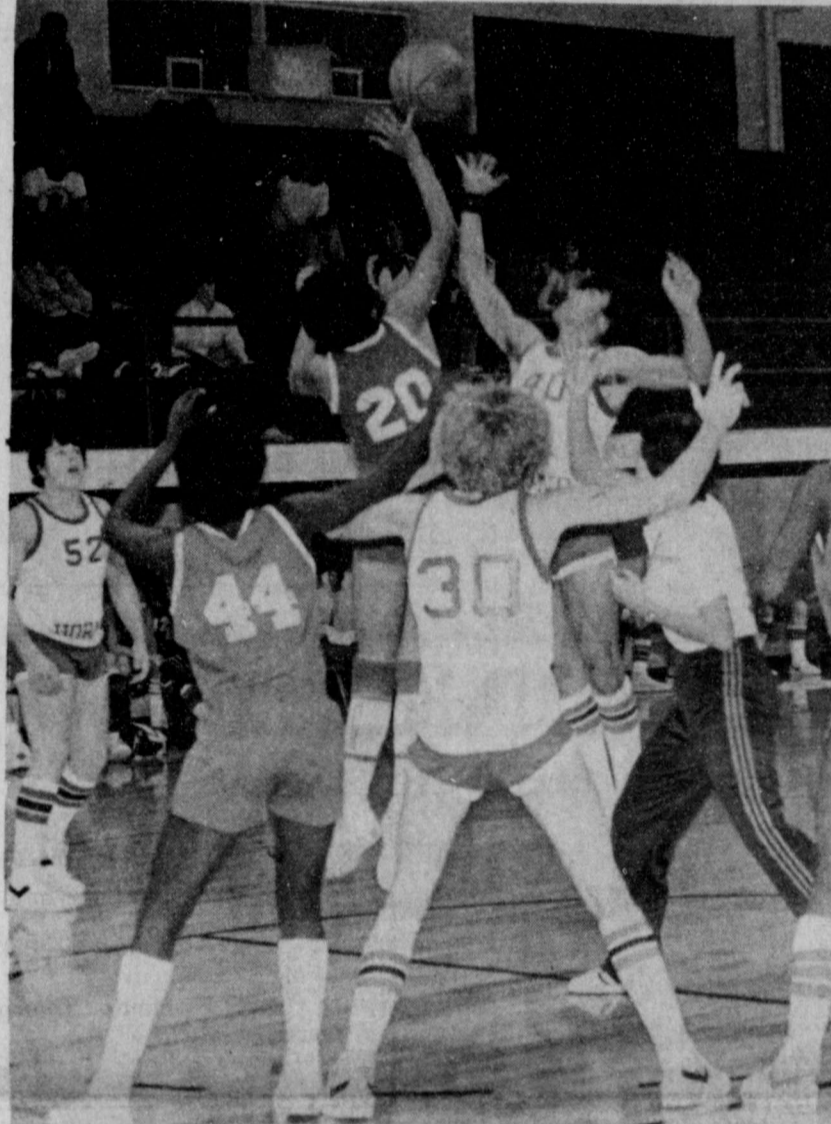
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THE LOCKNEY BOYS' TEAM took on the Plainview Blue team Thursday for hard hitting game.



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VA NEWS

A special pamphlet outlining Veterans Administration benefits for older veterans and their dependents now is available.

Pamphlet 27-80-2 entitled "Veterans Benefits for Older Americans" covers medical care, disability compensation and pension, insurance, death pension, dependency and indemnity compensation, reimbursement of burial expenses, burial in a VA national cemetery, headstones or grave markers and burial

flag.

The pamphlet urges all veterans to gather and keep such important papers as birth certificates, marriage certificates, insurance policies and military records in a safe and handy place for convenient reference and emergencies.

Copies of the pamphlet may be obtained by writing to, visiting or telephone the Waco VA Regional Office toll-free number listed in your telephone directory.

VA-May I Help You?

Q — What is Agent Orange and how did it get its name?

A — Agent Orange was a herbicide or defoliant used in Vietnam to kill unwanted vegetation and to defoliate trees to deprive enemy forces of ground cover. The herbicide was called Agent Orange because it was shipped in orange-striped barrels.

Q — I understand the VA has started charging a fee for processing home loan applications. Is this true?

A — Yes. A recently enacted law requires that a funding fee of one-half percent of the loan amount be collected

by the VA in connection with all home loans closed on or after October 1, 1982. Veterans receiving VA compensation for service-connected disabilities or spouses of veterans who died in service or from a service-connected disability are exempted from those provisions of the law.

Q — I am a World War II veteran and now 65 years of age. Do I automatically qualify for a VA pension?

A — No. You meet the age and wartime service requirements. However, you must also meet the income and net worth requirements.

VA NEWS

The Veterans Administration is changing its home-loan guarantee regulations to make it easier for veterans to participate in local housing programs where there are income restrictions.

Over the past several years, various state and local governments have developed housing programs designed to benefit persons of low and moderate income. Restrictions, such as rights of first refusal or agreements to forfeit excess sale proceeds in the event of sale, are imposed to assure that the program benefits accrue only to the targeted beneficiaries. Amending VA regulations now allows veterans to participate in those programs.

The decision to guarantee loans on homes where there are restrictions on the ages of residents or owners will allow VA loans in housing developments where the program has been of limited value up to now and will open up new possibilities to veterans nearing retirement age.

The amended regulations apply for both conventional homes and manufactured homes. Details about those changes are available by contacting the nearest VA Regional Office toll-free telephone number listed in your local telephone directory under "U.S. Government" or "Veterans Administration."

"Whirlwind Sams" gather for dinner

The "Whirlwind Sams," Chapter of the Good Sam RV Club, celebrated the Christmas season Monday night at Kings Restaurant. There were fifty-one in attendance, six guests. President Claude Weathersbee presided over the meeting.

Door prize winners were Geneva Cockrell, Mildred Wylie, Mac Williamson and Ozell Chappell. The Chapter Yearbooks were handed out.

Guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Newberry, Mr. and Mrs. I.H. Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker.

Members attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Boone Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Baker, Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Cates, Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. John Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Day, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Gilbreath, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Gooch, Mrs. Randy Hollums, Jay and D.G., Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Livingston, Dina and Alan, Mr. and Mrs. Delmas McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thaxton, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weathersbee, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Westbrook, Mrs. and Mrs. M.E. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Wylie.

Lockney School Menu

December 13-17

Monday:
Breakfast — Bacon, toast, peaches, milk
Lunch — Italian macaroni, green beans, milk, tossed salad, biscuit
Tuesday:

Breakfast — Cold cereal, milk, pears
Lunch — Baked chicken, June peas, gravy, creamed potatoes, fruit cocktail, milk, hot rolls.
Wednesday:
Breakfast — Sausage, toast, milk,

fruit cocktail
Lunch — Ham, fruit in glaze, blackeye peas, spinach, cornbread, milk
Thursday:
Breakfast — Danish, apples, milk
Lunch — Vienna sausage, veg. beans, kraut, cornbread, milk, peaches in gelatin
Friday:
Breakfast — Hash brown potatoes, toast, milk
Lunch — Chili dog, peanut butter cookies, French fried potatoes, lettuce salad, milk

Floydada School Menu

December 13-17

Monday:
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, dry cereal, milk
Lunch — Chicken fried steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, English peas, apricot half, hot roll, milk
Tuesday:

Breakfast — Pineapple juice, cinnamon toast, rice, butter, milk
Lunch — Lasagna casserole, corn, tossed salad, chocolate pudding with wafers, hot roll, milk
Wednesday:
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, toast,

butter, jelly, milk
Lunch — Hot cheese pepperrone sandwich, French fries, pickle spear, sliced peaches, milk
Thursday:
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, toast, bacon, milk
Lunch — Turkey and dressing, gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, fruit cup, hot roll, milk
Friday:
Breakfast — Pineapple juice, toast, jelly, sausage, milk
Lunch — Chili dogs, French fries, tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk

Courses to be offered

Five courses are tentatively scheduled to be offered during the spring semester at the Crosbyton Extension Center of Western Texas College.

Registration is planned for 6:30 p.m. January 11 in the Crosbyton school administration building.

Classes begin January 19 with final examinations planned the week of May

9. Tentative offerings include:
Biology 248 (Human Physiology and Anatomy)
Math 135 (Mathematical concepts)
Government 231 (United States Government)
English 131 (Composition I)
Psychology 232 (Child Growth and Development).

Senior Citizen Menu

December 13-17

Monday: Ham, macaroni and cheese casserole, buttered spinach, tossed salad/dressing, roll w/butter, canned plums, milk
Tuesday: Turkey, cornbread dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, buttered broccoli, roll w/butter, pump-

kin cookie, milk

Wednesday: Sausage, mashed potatoes, cornbread/butter, banana pudding, milk
Thursday: Luncheon

Friday: Fried fish, tartar sauce/catsup, hash brown potatoes, zucchini and tomatoes, cornbread/butter, apple-sauce cake, milk

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GOOD YEAR

Who's Who 1981-82 named

A total of 10 students from this area have been included in the 16th annual edition of **Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1981-82.**

Who's Who, published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois, is the largest high school recognition publication in the country. Students are selected by high school principals and guidance counselors, national youth groups, churches or by

the publishing company based upon students' performance in scholarship award contests or extracurricular activities.

Final selection is determined on the basis of criteria which include high achievement in academics and leadership in school activities, athletics or community service. Traditionally, 99% of **Who's Who** students have a grade point average of "B" or better and 97%

are college bound.

The 16th edition of **Who's Who**, published in nine regional volumes, features 363,000 students, or 5% of the nation's 6,500,000 high school juniors and seniors. They represent 20,000 of the 22,000 public, private and parochial high schools in the country.

Who's Who students also compete for over \$50,000 in scholarship awards and participate in the publication's annual opinion poll of teen attitudes. The book

is distributed on a complimentary basis to over 15,000 high schools, colleges, universities, and public libraries throughout the country.

Local students selected for this year's

volumes are:
 Floydada — Chris Fulton, Treva Hambright, Sammy Rodriguez, Mysti Younger, Stacy Graham, Penny Kirtley, Susan Turner, Deon Zumwalt.
 Lockney — Elma Molina, Kay Reay.

Accent On Health

Bats migrating through Texas on route to winter nesting sites may prove a threat to humans and animals if the bats have rabies and fall to the ground.

Recently, two rabid bats were found at a school in Leander, in Williamson County. Luckily, no children were bitten or scratched.

Although the possibility of getting rabies from bats is remote, some simple precautions should be taken, says Dr. Keith A. Clark, veterinarian with the Texas Department of Health's (TDH) Bureau of Veterinary Public Health.

"Children need to be taught not to touch any animal that is acting strangely, and this includes bats," said Dr. Clark. "Sometimes children will find a bat on the ground. They need to know that if they can touch a bat, or any wild animal, it is probably sick and should be left alone." He said pets also should be kept away from bats.

Dr. Clark said 57 rabid bats were identified by TDH laboratories through August of this year. For the same period last year, 48 rabid

bats were reported. During all of last year in Texas, 79 cases of rabies in bats were confirmed, said Dr. Clark.

"Mexican free-tail bats appear in Texas by the millions every summer to inhabit caves located in the Balcones Escarpment and the adjacent Edwards Plateau," he said. "Before the onset of winter, they return to Mexico, Central America and South America. This is the migration we are witnessing now."

Dr. Clark said bats are very beneficial in controlling insects and should not be considered a public health threat because they generally don't come into contact with people. He said that less than one percent of the bat population has rabies.

Dr. Clark reminded pet owners of the state law requiring that dogs and cats be vaccinated against rabies. "Most people realize they need to vaccinate their dogs," he said. "But unfortunately, they don't think about vaccinating their cats against rabies. It's equally important that the cats be protected."

For more information contact Keith Clark, DVM, Zoonosis Control Division, Texas Department of Health, 1100 West 49th Street, Austin, Texas 78756.

Former Lockney resident dies

(Editor's Note: Mrs. Olga M. Oswalt was a former Lockney resident. Her obituary as well as her daughter's was sent to us by Clifton Oliver former Beacon editor, of Amarillo.)

MRS. OLGA OSWALT

Mrs. Olga M. (Thomas) Oswalt, 88, of 747 Cherry Ave., Flagstaff, Az., died Wednesday, July 7, 1982 at a Flagstaff hospital.

Mrs. Oswalt was born Aug. 11, 1893 in Floyd County, Tex., the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. D.J. Thomas. She and her husband John Lloyd (Dick) Oswalt, made their lifetime home in Gravette. She was a member of the United Methodist church and the Order of Eastern Star.

After the death of her husband in 1969, she moved to Flagstaff. She was preceded in death also by her only son, John Lloyd Oswalt Jr., of Springhill, La.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. C.D. Covey of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., and Dr. Helen A. Oswalt of Flagstaff; two sisters, Zelma Moore of Tulsa, and Carma Thomas of Flagstaff; nine grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. at the United Methodist church with Rev. Paul Dubar officiating. Burial was at Hillcrest cemetery under the direction of Callison-McKinney.

HELEN A. OSWALT

Helen A. Oswalt, 56, died Friday, July 30, 1982 in Flagstaff Hospital after a brief illness.

Dr. Oswalt was chairperson of the department of health, physical education and recreation in the College of Education of Northern Arizona University.

Funeral services were celebrated at 2 p.m. Monday at the United Methodist Church of Gravette, Arkansas.

Dr. Oswalt was born in Gravette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd "Dick" Oswalt Sr. She was preceded in death by both her parents and her only brother, John Lloyd Oswalt Jr.

She earned undergraduate, graduate and doctoral degrees at the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville. Since 1954, she had been a faculty member of Northern Arizona University.

She was a member of Federated Community Church of Flagstaff.

Survivors include her sister, Mrs.

C.D. Covey Jr., Fort Walton Beach, Florida; two aunts, Zelma T. Moore,

Tulsa, Oklahoma, and Carma Thomas, Flagstaff; and nine nieces and nephews.

CAPROCK HOSPITAL NEWS

November 29-December 6
 Ophelia Goen, Floydada, adm. 8-18, expired 12-4, Hong
 Steven Tackett, Floydada, adm. 9-15, continues care, Hong
 Jeffie Smith, Floydada, adm. 10-20, dis. 12-2, Acar
 Bonnie Howard, Dougherty, adm. 9-27, dis. 12-6, Hong
 Joseph (Boots) Dobbins, Floydada, adm. 11-9, continues care, Hong
 Nora Norris, Floydada, adm. 11-22, dis. 12-1, Hong
 Walter Vick, Floydada, adm. 11-22, dis. 11-30, Hong
 Nadine Cooper, Roaring Springs, adm. 11-24, dis. 12-2, Hong
 Aubrey Stewart, Floydada, adm. 11-26, dis. 11-30, Hong
 Armond Cardinal, Lockney, adm. 11-26, continues care, Hong
 Eddie Maxwell, Matador, adm. 11-27, dis. 11-29, Jordan
 Jesse Peralez, Lockney, adm. 11-27, dis. 11-30, Acar
 Irene Fuller, Matador, adm. 11-29, continues care, Hong
 Dinah Del Toro, Floydada, adm. 11-30, dis. 12-6, Hong
 Valree Vick, Floydada, adm. 11-30, dis. 12-2, Hong
 Vernon Bradshaw, Floydada, adm. 12-2, continues care, Hong
 Opal McHam, Floydada, adm. 12-3, continues care, Hong
 Ona Jameson, Matador, adm. 12-3, continues care, Acar
 Juana Briones, Floydada, adm. 12-4, baby boy "Jessie" born 12-4, dis. 12-6, Hong

Social Security News

By Terry J. Clements

Are you a teacher not covered under Social Security? Maybe you aren't a teacher but still work under a Federal, State or local government pension not covered by Social Security. Either way, there is something you may need to know more about. It's called government pension offset.

In 1977, Social Security law was changed to establish the government pension offset. Basically, the law provides that a social security benefit to a spouse or surviving spouse be reduced dollar for dollar by the amount of their government pension.

Are there any exceptions to the rule? Yes, Congress did provide for a "grace period". The offset does not apply if two requirements are met. The first requirement is that at the time of filing for the spouse or surviving spouse's benefit, the individual would meet the eligibility requirements as they were in effect in January, 1977. A person

applying for a wife's benefit or widow's, mother's or father's benefit will meet this requirement because there have been no changes in the law since January, 1977.

Mother's and father's benefits are those paid to a surviving spouse of a wage earner with children in his or her care. Examples of benefits that have changed, either because of a Congressional Act or court decision, are husband's benefits, widower's, divorced wife's and divorced husband's benefits.

The second requirement is that the claimant be entitled or eligible for their government pension before December 1982. It is not necessary that a person file for the social security benefit before December, 1982. It is also not necessary for the person to actually retire to meet this requirement as long as a benefit would be payable if the individual were not employed and if an application was filed for the pension before December,

1982. In summary, the government pension offset may affect your benefit as a spouse if you work under a Federal, State or local government not covered under Social Security. This offset reduces your benefit dollar for dollar by the government pension. There is an exception to the law. It is not necessary to file the social security application or retire from the government job to meet this exception. Let me make one final point. Your Medicare coverage is not affected by this law. The offset reduces the amount of benefit received. Since the individual is still technically entitled to Social Security, this right to Medicare protection is preserved.

You can receive free information or assistance with Social Security matters by calling 293-4371 or visiting the office at 1401-B West 5th Street in Plainview.

\$30 million mowing bill trimmed

Texas highway roadsides may not be trimmed as closely next year but a new system should trim a \$30 million annual mowing bill.

The vegetation management system, being studied by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT), will still provide for motorists' safety, protect the road surface — and save money.

"The department spent \$30 million last year in mowing costs," DHT chief landscape architect Craig Steffens said, "but we still got some irate calls when we let our rights of way get a little shaggy."

He added that savings from that \$30 million will go to safeguard the state's multibillion investment in its highways. Steffens said the goal of the vegeta-

tion management system is to develop the most cost effective, practical methods and concepts for managing roadside vegetation. "The discontinuance of mowing isn't our objective," he said. "However, the idea that a properly maintained highway needs to be mowed from right-of-way line to right-of-way line isn't necessarily correct."

The new system, to be initially instituted in one maintenance section in each of DHT's districts, will be studied through 1983 for a comparison of costs and labor, Steffens said.

With over a million acres of right of way along the state's 72,000 miles of highways, DHT has a lot of neighbors — and most of them like to see the roadsides as well kept as their property. Steffens said, "We do plan to

continue mowing to the right-of-way line adjacent to cultivated, developed and urban areas. But along rangeland and untended property, we don't intend to mow except along the shoulder.

"We hope Texas will understand that we are trying to save their tax dollars by establishing less costly priorities in our mowing operations," Steffens said, "We simply can't continue mowing from right-of-way line to right-of-way line on every highway."

He said preliminary studies indicate the vegetation management system will show an excellent savings and yet benefit desirable native plant life such as wild flowers. But, Steffens cautioned, DHT is not making any great promises of savings until the results of next year's study are in.

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MRS. W.S. GOEN

Services for Mrs. W.S. Goen, 92, of Floydada were at 3 p.m. Monday, December 6, in the Moore-Rose Funeral Home Chapel with Dale Self, a Church of Christ minister from Levelland, officiating.

Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

She died at 8:55 a.m. in Caprock Hospital in Floydada after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Goen was born December 28, 1889, in Scottsboro, Alabama, and moved to Floydada in 1910 with her parents. She married W.S. "Stan" Goen on September 23, 1913, in Floydada; he died in April 1962. She established Park Florist in Floydada in 1930 and was active in business until her retirement in 1962. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, Elton of Floydada; and three grandsons, Norman of Plainview, Frank of Lubbock and Robert of Eglin Air Force Base in Florida. A second son, Stanford Norman, died during World War II.

Pallbearers were Dale Goen, David Kirk, John Moss, Bud Sparks, Bill Hale and Vernon Parker.

TEDDY PATTERSON

A 23-year-old Floydada man was killed Tuesday, November 30, when a sewer line ditch in which he was working in north Cisco collapsed, burying him under several feet of dirt and a large rock.

Teddy Charles Patterson was pronounced dead about 6:30 p.m. by Justice of the Peace Carlton Holder, who ruled that he died of asphyxiation.

Patterson had been buried for about three hours before rescuers finally recovered his body.

Holder said Patterson was a crane operator but had climbed into the ditch to help a fellow worker stub in a pipe. The ditch was about 15 or 16 feet deep and about 18 inches wide.

Holder said the ditch was dug straight down and that the sides were not sloped. He said the ground still was wet from a 3-inch rain that fell in Cisco the week before.

When the ditch collapsed, a large rock fell on top of Patterson, and his head was buried under about a foot of dirt. Rescuers uncovered his head in about 15 minutes, but it was too late.

Services for Patterson were at 2 p.m. Thursday, December 2, at City Park Church of Christ in Floydada with Perry Zumwalt, minister, officiating.

Burial was in Floydada Cemetery under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

He was born July 29, 1959, at Lockney and married Karen Janet West on May 20, 1978, in Floydada. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; and two daughters, Krissy and Brandi, both of Floydada; his parents, Charles of Abilene and Cynthia Bryant of Hobbs, New Mexico; three sisters, Sherri of

Austin and Cindy Wilks and Debbie, both of Hobbs; and his grandparents, Mrs. H.R. Patterson and Mrs. and Mrs. Bill Holladay, all of Floydada.

DR. WILLIAM DOYLE PAYNE

Memorial services for Dr. William Doyle Payne, 35, of 921 Rocky Springs Rd., Austin; were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday November 30 in the Colonial Chapel of the Cook-Walden Funeral Home in Austin. He died Saturday November 27 after a seven month illness.

Dr. Payne was a resident of Austin since 1957. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Texas in 1977. He was Director of the D&E Unit of the State Commission for the blind until March of 1981. At the time of his death, he was employed by Austin Community College. He spent four years in the Air Force and during this time he met Janice Cockrell, daughter of John and Geneva Cockrell, while they were in Denver, Colorado. They were married September 30, 1967 in Floydada and Janice joined him in Japan where he was stationed.

Survivors include his wife Janice and two children, Rachel age 5 and Matthew age 3, of Austin; his mother, Nadea Gizebach, of Austin; his father, William A. Payne, of Middle Island, New York; sister, Sherry Payne, and a brother, Terry Gizebach, both of Austin; maternal grandmother, Helen Doyle of Tuscon, Arizona.

SUSIE RIGGS

Services for Susie Cumi Riggs, 85, of Plainview were at 2 p.m. Monday, December 6, at Lemons Chapel with Dean Brookshire officiating.

Burial was in Plainview Cemetery under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home.

She died at 1:55 a.m. Saturday, December 4, at the Central Plains Regional Hospital after an illness.

She was born Susie Cumi Fullingim on August 18, 1897, in Floyd County. She grew up in Plainview and attended Plainview schools. She graduated at West Texas State University and then from nursing school at Plainview Hospital in 1919. She became superintendent of nurses in 1925.

She married Rex Riggs in 1923; he was killed in an automobile accident in 1941.

Survivors include three brothers, E.C. Fullingim of Stanley, Wayland of Albuquerque and Tom of Tucumcari, New Mexico.

ARTIE M. ROLAND

Services for Artie Mae Roland, 75, of Amarillo, were at 1 p.m. Thursday, December 2, in Blackburn-Shaw Memo-

rial Chapel with Glen Walton, of North Amarillo Church of Christ, officiating. Graveside services were at 4 p.m. in the Hart Cemetery in Hart.

Mrs. Roland died Monday, November 29.

Mrs. Roland was born in Heber Springs, Arkansas. She had lived in Amarillo for three years. She was a housewife. She was a longtime resident of Hart.

Survivors include three sons, Charles Roland of Arkansas, and Clifford Roland and Rod Roland, both of Amarillo; four daughters, Betty Funderburk of Amarillo, Louise Lockeby of Clarendon, Christine Davis of Fort Worth and Helen White of Arkansas; three sisters, Mimi Francis of California, Berthall Dean of Arkansas and Judy Sechrist of Stephenville; two brothers, J.D. Adcock of Floydada and Clifford Adcock of Stratford; 28 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

SHANNA K. SCARTH

Services for Shanna Kay Scarth, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Scarth, of Amarillo were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, December 1, in South Georgia Baptist Church with the Rev. Jess Little of First Baptist Church in Texline and the Rev. Robert Field, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery by N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors.

The child was killed Monday evening, November 29, when she fell out of the family car and was run over.

She was born in Dalhart. The family moved from Texline to Amarillo in March. She was a member of South Georgia Baptist Church.

Survivors in addition to her parents include a brother, Justin Scarth of the home; a sister, Shelly Scarth of the home; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Parker of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scarth of Stratford; and her great-grandparents, Lois Parker of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Willard R. Scarth of Amarillo.

IRETA SHELLY

Services for Mrs. Ireta Shelly, 58, of Amarillo, were at 10 a.m. Saturday, December 4, in Schooler-Gordon Colonial Chapel with Dr. Charles Jones, pastor of Second Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery. Mrs. Shelly died Wednesday, December 1.

Mrs. Shelly was born in Whitewright. She had lived in Amarillo 30 years. She was a member of Second Baptist. She was a retired bookkeeper of Wesco Welding Equipment Co.

She had been a Floydada resident from 1934-1942 and then again in the early 1950's.

Survivors include two sons, Robert Chambliss of Plainwell, Michigan and Gary Chambliss, El Paso; three daughters, Linda Tunks, Dallas, Betty Goen and Ireta Marie Angley, both of Amarillo; two sisters, Georgia Finley of Floydada and Billie Long of Amarillo; three brothers, Noel and Harold Jones of Amarillo and Floyd Jones of Houston; and 14 grandchildren.

Nephews serving as pallbearers were Ray Gene Ferguson, George Finley, Wayne Poteet, Billy Hinkle, all of Floydada, Chuck Oliver of Amarillo, and David Shelton of Guyman, Oklahoma.

Floydada and Lockney residents attending the funeral were Georgia Finley, George Finley, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gene Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Poteet, and Mr. and Mrs. H.C. McElyea.

CLIFTON D. SULLIVAN

Prayer services for Clifton Dale Sullivan, 27, of Amarillo, were at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 1, in Schooler-Gordon Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Michael Pintacura, of St. Anthony's Hospital, officiating. Funeral services were Thursday, December 2, at 10 a.m. at Quail Baptist Church in Quail. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery in Wellington with Guy Owens Funeral Home of Wellington in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Sullivan died Monday. He was born in Wellington. He was a graduate of Quail High School. He lived in Amarillo for five years and worked at Beebe Lumber Co. He was a member of Quail Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Danette, of the U.S. Navy in San Diego, California; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sullivan of Quail; two brothers, Rodney Hill of Floydada and Lynn Hill of Grand Island, Nebraska; four sisters, Jackie Maxwell and Sandra Motesenbocker, both of Wellington, Pam Sullivan of Amarillo and Betty Chandler of Vernon; and his grandmother, Mrs. Edna Sullivan of Wellington.

LONNIE THOMPSON

Services for Leonard L. "Lonnie" Thompson, 65, of Tulia were at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the Central Church of Christ with Harold Kennamer, minister, officiating.

Masonic graveside services were held in Rose Hill Cemetery by the Tulia Chapter of the Masonic Lodge. Burial was under direction of Wallace Funeral Home in Tulia.

He died at 12:16 p.m. Monday, December 6, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness.

He was born July 7, 1917, in

Floydada. He married Ozeal Daniel in July 1935. She died in January 1972. He married Odeal Ellison on July 20, 1972, in Lockney. He came to Tulia in 1974 from Lockney and was employed at Joe Bob's Supermarket as a butcher. He was a member of the Central Church of Christ and a past Master of the Masonic Lodge 867 at Lockney.

Survivors include his wife; two stepdaughters, Lawanda Shobe of Arlington and Eloise Terrell of Houston; three sons, Bennie of Tulia, and Ike and Leonard, both of Levelland; a stepson, Harrel Terrell of Plano; his mother, Mary Belle Tuggle of Cleburne; two sisters, Veta Tinnin of Flagstaff, Arizona and Geneva Harris of Cleburne; four brothers, Henry of Cottonwood, Arizona, O.E. of Longview, Jack of Lawton, Oklahoma, and Coyet Tuggle of Morgan; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

TONY LYNN WILLIAMS

A 20-year-old Levelland man died Monday as a result of injuries he received in a two truck accident in Ropesville Friday, December 3.

Tony Lynn Williams was southbound on U.S. 62-82 when the 1979 one ton flatbed truck he was driving collided with a 1981 Furr's Freightliner driven by Charles Gary Moore of Idalou.

According to police in Ropesville, Moore lost control of the northbound vehicle which skidded onto the median and jackknifed into the southbound lanes.

Williams' truck, owned by Levelland Delinting Co., hit the center section of the 18-wheeler head-on. Williams was taken to Methodist Hospital, where he died at 7:30 a.m. Monday. Moore was not injured.

The Lubbock native moved to Plainview in 1963 from Petersburg. He then moved to Shamrock in 1967 and to Levelland in 1973, where he graduated from Levelland High School in 1980. While in high school, he was active in football and baseball, was president of his sophomore and junior classes and was active in the Boy Scouts.

He attended Texas Tech University, where he studied petroleum engineering and planned to enter the Department of Public Safety Academy in March 1983. He was a Baptist and an employee of Levelland Delinting Co.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Levelland; two brothers, Tim of Lubbock and Micky of Levelland; a sister Misti of Levelland; his grandmother, Mrs. Arla Williams of Floydada; and great-grandmother, Mrs. O.L. Bearden of Floydada.

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- Bias Rodriguez, Plainview, adm. 11-25, continues care
- Roselinda De La Fuente, Floydada, adm. 11-28, baby boy Manuel born 11-28, dis. 11-30
- Ethel Carroll, Lockney, adm. 11-11, continues care
- Eva Creswell, Lockney, adm. 11-29, dis. 12-6
- Bertha Bradley, Lockney, adm. 11-28, dis. 12-2
- Oralia Asencio, Plainview, adm. 11-30, baby boy Marselino born 11-30, dis. 12-2
- Dianna Johnson, Silvertown, adm. 11-30, dis. 12-3
- Hallie C. Roberts, Lockney, adm. 12-1, dis. 12-7
- Lanny Brad Hardy, Lockney, adm. 12-1, dis. 12-4
- Claudette Hulcy, Plainview, adm. 12-2, dis. 12-4
- Mary Joyce Dowd, Quitaque, adm. 12-2, dis. 12-3
- Virdie Imogene Newton, Lockney, adm. 12-3, dis. 12-6
- Margareta Gonzales, Lockney, adm. 12-4, continues care
- Abigail Cantu, Plainview, adm. 12-4, baby girl, Elisabeth born 12-4, dis. 12-7
- Mauricia Osorio, Quitaque, adm. 12-4, continues care
- Sheila Kay Hickman, Midland, adm. 12-5, baby girl Amber, born 12-5 continues care
- Mae Rowell, Silvertown, adm. 12-5, continues care
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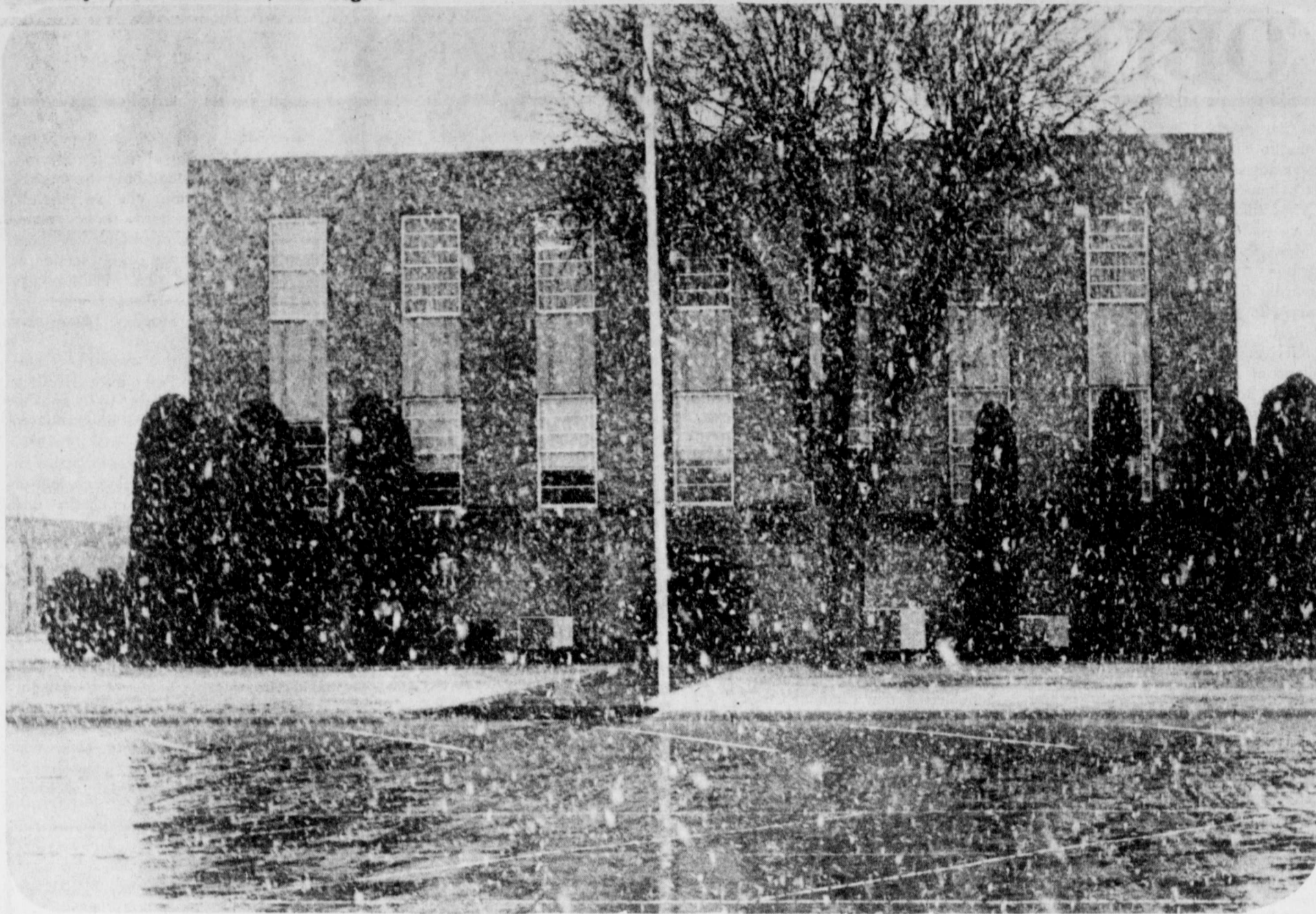
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LAST FRIDAY the snowfall in Floydada was very picturesque. The snowflakes at times were very large and beautiful.

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Conservative religion rewards small town

Editor's Note:

This article appearing in the Lubbock Avalanche Journal Saturday morning edition, November 20, 1982. It is being reproduced by request.

KEENE (UPI) — Police Chief Jack Pack is a Seventh Day Adventist, but has no religious qualms about wearing a gun because he believes the weapon is as much a part of his job as a scalpel is to a surgeon.

"Adventists do not believe in weapons only when it is not part of your job, but in my case it is, like the scalpel is to a surgeon," Pack says. "Both can kill if used wrongly."

Pack says he has never had to use his weapon in this town about 20 miles south of Fort Worth.

That is because no major crime has occurred in Keene for as long as Pack can remember.

The only major crime in the town in recent years that Ann Anderson can recall was a burglary at the LaLoma grocery store.

Mrs. Anderson ought to know. She is the dispatcher on the town's six-man police force.

Like Mrs. Anderson, all the officers on the force are Seventh Day Adventists.

So are members of the town's city council, school board and nearly 95 percent of the 3,013 population.

Keene does not have a saloon. Its schools do not teach the theory of evolution and its young girls are chaperoned when they go out on dates, all in keeping with the strict Adventist doctrine of morality and self-discipline.

The citizens have few complaints. They have no fear of walking on the streets at night. Most of them are on a first-name basis with each other and problems like drugs and teen-age sex are almost non-existent.

In 1981, there were only 78 offenses. None of them were major and most of

them committed by residents from nearby towns, Chief Pack says.

A paradise city in Texas? "Not really, but we like to think so," Pack says. "Much of it, I must say, is because we are a strict denominational city where we don't think of murders and other serious crimes."

The LaLoma burglary in which about \$7,000 was taken aroused the town. But those fears have been calmed because it is now believed those responsible were from nearby Alvarado, a town half the size of Keene with no Adventists and twice the crime rate.

The Adventists, one of the fastest growing denominations in the United States, counts more than 500,000 as members in this country and 4 million worldwide.

Although the theology of the group, founded in the 19th century, is solidly evangelical, Adventists distinguish themselves from other conservative Protestants by their belief that the Biblical day of worship is Saturday, not Sunday.

Adventists reject secular education that teaches evolution. They only believe in the Biblical version of creation which explains why no Adventist in Keene attends a public school.

The city's only church is an Adventist church. Non-believers go to nearby Burleson or Cleburne.

Everything in Keene revolves around the Southwestern Adventist College founded in 1893 by a group of the faithful looking for a place to set up an institution in the Southwest to teach children their faith.

Keene was chosen because the land was hilly and nothing much grew on it. As the college grew, so did the town.

Southwestern is now a four-year degree college offering diplomas in computer science, pre-medicine, religion, business and liberal arts.

"Our students come here because they want to go to an Adventist college," says Berney Neufeld, Southwestern's vice president of develop-

ment and a professor of genetics. "Once that decision is made, the student sticks with it. Many of our students go into the ministry or take up medicine. Very few go to industry because it is secular and it is almost impossible to move up if you are not willing to work on Saturdays."

Sabbath worship on Saturdays is a must among Adventists; hence the heavy emphasis on church attendance.

"I know of few Adventists who will watch the Super Bowl on Saturdays," Neufeld said. "Sabbath worship is extremely important. We expect all our faculty to be church members."

Because of strict indoctrination and religious discipline that begin during childhood, Neufeld said an Adventist youth seldom faces the problems other youths face.

He said his teen-age daughter does not object to being chaperoned on dates although she is free to reject that and other traditions.

"The discipline committee in the college is concerned more about church attendance by students than problems like drugs," Neufeld said.

"You will seldom find a student smoking on the campus. Healthy living always has been a tradition of the Adventists."

He said flesh eating has been found to be unhealthy and that is why half the Adventists in the United States have become vegetarians.

"We moved here specifically for the education of our children in the Adventist faith," said Margie Wilkes, mother of three and the city's tax assessor. "I used to be a Baptist. I converted when I found out I was going to the church on the wrong day (Sunday). We feel the Adventist doctrine is the right doctrine and we want our children to be thoroughly indoctrinated in that."

Those interviewed admit they face public criticism that Adventists tend to isolate themselves from the remainder of the world and seek refuge in their pacifist doctrine.

Cotton Ginning Time in Floydada in 1905

EDITORS NOTE: The following is a nostalgic look at early life in Floyd County. It is from a long-time subscriber (62 years) of the Floyd County Hesperian. We enjoyed it and hope our readers will enjoy it also.

Mrs. W. Boone Hall
(nee Ruth Brown)
Plainview, Texas

My parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Brown and family moved to Floydada in 1905—but had lived in Floyd County prior to that.

My father bought a building from a Mr. Ranft and with a light hard ware store on the first floor and living quarters above, right on town square and situated about where Hale's store is today.

As I recently drove in the country and saw the field of cotton, such sweet memories flooded my soul. In 1905 there was a wooden gin located where Oden's Chevrolet Co. is today in Floydada. In the fall the small wooden gin would fire up ready for the farmers to bring their cotton to gin in their rattling rumbling squeaking wagons.

Side boards had been added to wagon beds—cotton piled high. Often the entire family bedded down in warm cotton and came to town to spend the day and shop - a glorious occasion!

Then the gins burned the cotton feed and burrs. White billowing smoke

would cover the little town and seep into all the windows and cracks and doors.

Aire pollution? Why, it was never thought of. There was something satisfying, comforting, exciting, promising about the aroma.

This was a most happy time of year, for the schools were closed and entire families—from mama to the youngest child would go to fields to handpick the fluffy cotton.

Now this was the only means most families had to make enough money to buy their warm winter clothes and to save a little for the nearing Christmas time.

The children would hover around mama as they selected their clothing, a wonderful exciting event.

And what did they buy? For the boys long warm union suits (never but two pair), heavy black ribbed stockings, brogan shoes, warm mackinaw coats in bright plaids; overalls for everyday and knicker bocker pants gathered at or just below knees for dress. Warm caps with ear flaps lined with velvet or lamb weather. Mother bought yards of blue denim and cotton flannel to make the shirts.

The girls selected long wool coats, two pair union suits, cotton ribbed black stockings, laced shoes—and black satinet for the bloomers. The bloomers were gathered at knees and waist with elastic, how snug they were! Stocking caps for the small girls, but for the older courting girls there were the gorgeous, heavenly fascinators.

These fascinators were crocheted with fine wool thread in soft colors of pink, blue, orchid and yellow. They were buglar in shape and all across the front was crocheted ruffles laced with shiny bugle beads. And when the big girls combed their hair up in pompadour style and donned the glorious fascinators, the young men became mesmerized, hypnotized and fascinated. I can imagine many a marriage proposal was offered in this bedazzling situation.

Well, how did we start with little wooden gin in Floydada in 1905 and end up with marriage proposals?

Oh, life was sweet and simple and good in those far away days of my childhood.

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Summer co-captain of Jayhawks

Mark Summers, former Dimmitt High School basketball standout and relative of several Lockney people, is co-captain this season for the University of Kansas Jayhawks.

He is the son of Bill Summers of Dimmitt and the late Marthella Cunyus Summers. He is the grandson of Mrs. Betha Cunyus of Lockney, and the nephew of Joe Cunyus of Lockney and Nell Cunyus Kelley of Dimmitt.

Summers is a senior at KU. His coach, Ted Owens, says, "Mark is a very hard worker who can play both the center and forward positions."

Mark won all-district, all-regional and all-state honors while playing basketball for Dimmitt High School, where he was graduated in 1978. He attended Amarillo College and played basketball there for one year before transferring to the University of Kansas. At KU he is majoring in physical education.



MARK SUMMERS

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Senator Ray Farabee
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Pampa, Texas 79065

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Sealed bid procedures will be observed and the deadline for submitting bids on Application #'s 10098101, 01278201, 08168201, 12108101, 10198201, 07208203 and 09028201 is 5:00 o'clock P.M. on the 11th day of January, 1983. The bids will be opened at 7:00 o'clock P.M. in the City Council meeting room of the Lockney City Hall on the 11th day of January, 1983. The City and the applicant-owners reserve the right to reject any and all bids at their sole discretion.

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18 oz.
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\$1.09

Prices good thru December 15, 1982

Cedar Hill News

BY GRACE LEMONS

We received some rain with snow Friday and the moisture helped. As it slowly came down it soaked in the ground.

Sandra and Virginia Mitchell participated in a piano recital at the Methodist Church in Floydada. Michelle Harris also participated in the recital presented by their teacher Dell Gray. The Rev. and Mrs. Vance Mitchell and Imogene and Cephus Fortenberry attended, also Sylvia Yeary and Clara Mize.

Sandra and Virginia Mitchell will participate in Christmas for Kids at Lubbock Saturday. This presentation will be on television Christmas eve on channel 28. This is a means to raise money for the orphan children in the Childrens home.

Christy Harrison came home with Mark and Lori Gilly from Lubbock and spent the week-end with her grandmother, Edna Gilly. Craig and Trudi Gilly and Edna took her back to Lubbock and had dinner with Delise and Johnnie Harrison and later attended an arts and craft show at the Civic Center.

One day last week Donnie and Joan Hammit and Joan's sister, Miss Dorenkemp of Holly, Colorado visited Edna Gilly and they all had dinner with Mark and Lori Gilly.

The Annual Community Christmas

party will be Wednesday the 15th at the Assembly of God Fellowship Hall. The occasion will also be a farewell party for Robin and Ruth Fortenberry who have bought a home in Hereford and will be moving there soon. A token of love will be presented to them to buy a gift for their home. A Mexican supper will be served and you are cordially invited. Bring a covered dish and join the fellowship.

Lafayette and Patsy Boone visited Tom and Gladys Fortenberry from Thursday until Saturday and Gladys Fortenberry returned home with Patsy and they did some Christmas shopping. Gladys returned home Monday.

Benny Goughly of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Lackey Sunday.

Grace Lemons spent several days with her grandchildren in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lemons while Linda attended a tax school in Lubbock.

Donie Hanson and Geraldine Callaway visited the Albert Mizes Sunday. Gail DuBois and baby Cindy Renee will be honored at a gift coffee in the Fellowship Hall of the Assembly of God Church Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock. All ladies in the community are invited.

Win new friends and keep the old...the first are silver, but the latter gold.

By Joyce Williams

Rain and snow on Friday added another inch or more of moisture to what was received Thanksgiving week.

Mrs. Buell Neff returned home from a recent trip to stay with her granddaughter, Becky Smith, in Littlefield. Her daughter Mrs. Patricia Smith accompanied her other daughter, Cheryl, and the high school band to state competition at Austin. They also performed in front of the Governor's mansion for a concert of winning bands.

Mr. C.M. Norris of Carlsbad and Mr. and Mrs. John Largent of Midland were guests of the Bill Norris family during Thanksgiving week. They came to see their mother, Mrs. Nora Norris who was in Caprock Hospital. She has been dismissed and is back home now.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams hosted a birthday dinner for Q.D. Williams Sunday evening. An array of Mexican food was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright had several of their children home for Thanksgiving. Some arrived Wednesday and stayed until Friday evening. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burk, Jennifer and Jessica of Lubbock; Joe Wright; Leon Wright and a guest, Brenda; and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Burk, all of Lubbock. Also Brent Duke of Floydada joined the group for dinner. Verlon and Choise Smith have been

Lakeview News

carpentering ever since, adding another bedroom and bath to the Wright's house, getting ready for the Christmas crowd to come home to the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson spent the holiday with her parents, the Tom Moores. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Luis Moore and family of Dumas; Mike Moore of Plainview and guest, Pam Parrott of Littlefield; Cindy and Rick Fuller of Floydada; and Bill of West Texas University. Steve Moore called home from Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurston had as their holiday guests, their daughter, Johnnie and her husband, Jack Ward of Lubbock. The Wards spent Thursday night here and left Friday, afraid they would be snow bound or hindered by muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mitchell and children, Laqueeta and Chipper of Crosbyton came Thursday for Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright. Also Mr. and Mrs.

Carroll Sims and children, Therese and Randall, were there. Sandy and Don Martin, Charles and Erick came Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Thurston attended a layette shower in Lubbock Saturday, honoring her daughter, Mrs. Jack Ward. Hostesses were ladies of the South Plains Church of Christ of Lubbock.

Shannon Norris of Amarillo spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris.

Mrs. Q.D. Williams visited Mrs. Liz Rojas and new baby daughter, Jennifer Ruth in Lubbock Monday afternoon.

Miss Amanda Watson and other first and second grade Brownies numbering about one hundred went through the investiture ceremony Saturday evening at the Massie Activity Center. Leaders are Mrs. Carroll Sims and Mrs. Sandra Ferguson. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson attended.

Among piano students of Mrs. Dell Grey who were presented in recital

Sunday afternoon at the Methodist Church were Misses Diana and Amanda Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson attended.

Among visitors to the Candlelight at the Museum at the Ranching Heritage Center in Lubbock were Mrs. Q.D. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones, Mrs. Debbie Breed and Mr. and Mrs. Nile Bryant. Guests visited the Matador dugout, where a lone cowboy celebrated Christmas before the fireplace, his saddle hanging from the rafters so rats wouldn't eat the leather.

At the JY bunkhouse cowboys were inside for a change, as in reality cowboys slept outside in all kinds of weather and only kept their food inside, as the boss did not want the men to get used to soft living. Guests noted the warmth exuded in all buildings by the small pot bellied stoves. Hot coffee was served after touring the beautifully furnished Barton House.

South Plains News

BY MRS. MURRAY JULIAN

South Plains, Monday, December 6th: Sunday, December 5th, was a wonderful day at the South Plains Baptist Church with several visitors during the morning services, including Dr. and Mrs. Fred and Sarah Howard from Plainview. At noon, the Thanksgiving and Christmas Banquet was held at Fellowship Hall, with turkey, ham and all the delicious trimmings brought from various homes over the vicinity. It was a happy time for giving thanks and

of friends and relatives were also at the church for services and the banquet.

Snow mixed with rain fell here, Friday, December 3rd, and the rain melted away the snow which fell in such a beautiful manner for several hours. This was the second snowfall, as the evening before Thanksgiving we had a nice snow. The rural roads have been hard to navigate.

We are sorry to know about the passing of our old friend, Carl Plumlee, who died Wednesday night, November 24 in a Plainview Hospital. He was a kind, good neighbor, and we send our sympathy and condolences to Mrs. Plumlee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Powell who once lived here in South Plains Community were in Floydada visiting their son, Tom and family in Floydada, and were in the vicinity during Thanksgiving time. They now reside in Howe, Texas. It was nice to hear from them.

Sylvin Kinnibrugh went for a doctors checkup Tuesday, November 30. He is

for celebrating. At 2:00 p.m. an Ordination of Deacons Service was held in the Baptist Church with Dr. Strauss Atkinson from Plainview, bringing the Charge to the church and the candidates, Carlton Johnson, Nathan Johnson and Sterling Cummings and the

Laying on of Hands, with the examination by Pastor Cecil Osborne and the Presbytery, including Dr. Strauss Atkinson, Dr. Fred Howard, Dr. Floyd Bradley, Rev. Hollis Shewmake, Grigsby Milton, Travis Jones, L.B. Monk,

and Kendis Julian. A reception honoring the new deacons Sterling Cummings, Carlton Johnson and Nathan Johnson was held in Fellowship Hall of

the church, after the church had welcomed them. Mrs. Trudie Atkinson, Mrs. Annabelle Shewmake and Mrs. Sarah Howard were present, and a host

Sunday afternoon, December 12, the Rev. and Mrs. Cecil and Joyce Osborne have issued an invitation to an Open House reception at their home, with the hours, 3:00 o'clock to 6:30 p.m. as calling hours and party on December 10th, at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Teeple who reside on the paved road going east from South Plains, north of town. Club members and their husbands are invited to attend, and after the banquet, the Christmas tree gifts will be shared, and then Mrs. Billy (Frances) Staniforth will bring the program on, "The Fourth Wise Man." You will not want to miss all the fun.

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Center News

BY MRS. J.E. GREEN

December 6, 1982:

It is good to see the sunshine again Sunday and today after so many cloudy and rainy days. But we are proud of the moisture. And we hope Christmas weather will be fair.

Most of last week were "stay at home" days for some of us, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Frizzell, the Carpenter's and myself.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartline of Levelland visited Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Cora Hartline.

Mrs. Joyce Owens and boys visited Sunday p.m. with her grandmother, Mrs. Ola Warren.

Mrs. Roe Jones is staying in with arthritis.

Mrs. Dale Miller is away somewhere today.

Bro. and Mrs. Clay Muncy are home

from the Lockney Hospital feeling better.

Mrs. Gordon Mayfield reports she hasn't been out of the house for 2 weeks. Mr. Mayfield is better.

Mrs. J.D. Welborn has been on the sick list lately.

Mrs. Plumlee's daughter, Mrs. Alma Ruth Goss who has been here for and since her father's last rites left Friday for her home in Teledaga, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mensch and children of Lubbock visited Saturday to Sunday afternoon with her father Hal Thomas.

Mrs. Ethel Warren spent Thanksgiving with her son Johnny and family near Lubbock.

Mrs. Brewer is in Lubbock today.

Don Clark Green of Big Spring visited Sunday after church in the parental home - Ma Greens. He arrived first at Calvary Baptist Church. We heard a

good church service, then the noon meal was served at the church celebrating Thanksgiving and Christmas - serving the traditional turkey or chicken and dressing and pumpkin pie and all the trimmings.

Then at the Green's Vic and Sue Green of Plainview arrived and we planned Christmas. Good time.

Thursday Mrs. Anthony Latta, City, and daughter Carol of Plainview visited in the Green home.

Now our sick: Alma Ruth Nelson of the Floydada Nursing Home is reported "Doing pretty good".

Wiley Rogers is still in a Lubbock Hospital where he was taken last week. No news since Saturday.

No news from Mrs. Amelia Ashton, Lockney Nursing Home.

Let us remember all in our prayers and hope for a Happy Christmas for everyone.

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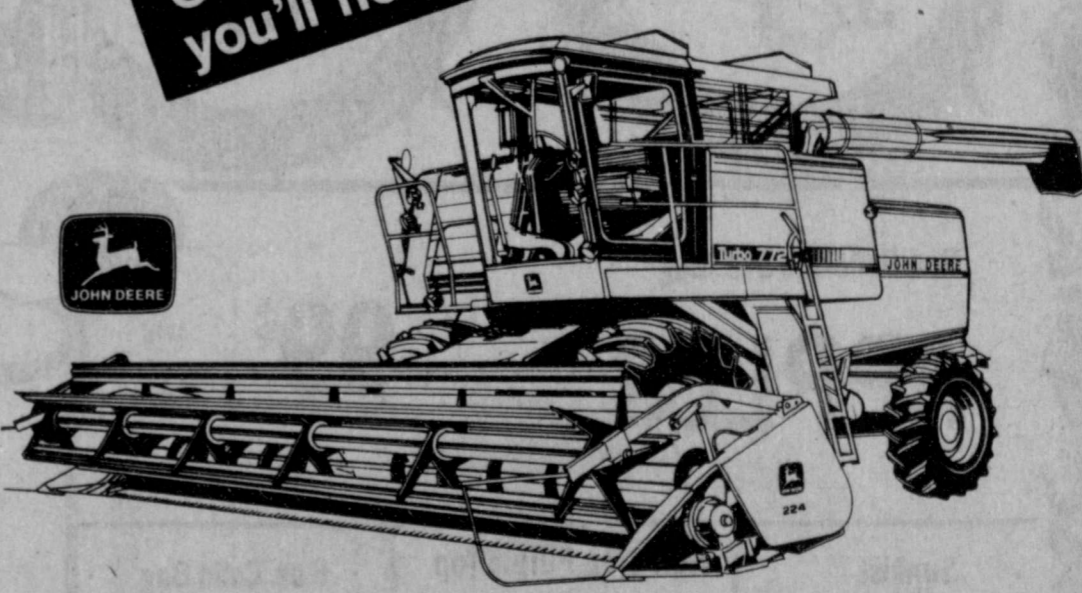
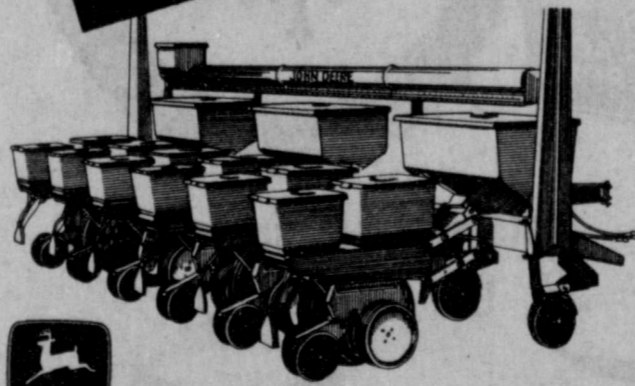
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12-row W	\$3500	4-row	\$ 700
12-row N	\$2600	7100 Integral:	
8-row W	\$2200	12-row N	\$1200
7000:		10-row N	\$1000
12-row N	\$1900	8-row N	\$ 900
8-row W	\$1200	8-row W	\$ 800
8-row N	\$1100	6-row N	\$ 700
6-row W	\$1000	6-row W	\$ 600
6-row N	\$ 800	4-row W	\$ 500
4-row W	\$ 500		
4-row N	\$ 500		

N = Narrow W = Wide
*John Deere finance plans subject to approved credit. These offers may be reduced in value or withdrawn at any time.

You can't buy more productivity than you'll get from a Titan combine. And now, take delivery on a Titan ordered during this special offer and you'll get a hefty cash rebate check from John Deere. A cash rebate plus our best offer on a John Deere combine already carrying a list price that's below many competitors.

Then, after the downpayment if you qualify for credit, you can finance your new combine with Deere and finance charges will be waived until the 1983 harvest season in this area.*

Model	Rebate on Purchase
4420	\$3,300
6601 Pull-Type	\$2,300
6620 and SideHill 6620	\$4,200
Hillside 6622	\$4,900
7721 Pull-Type	\$2,800
7720	\$4,600
8820	\$5,200

*Availability of John Deere financing plans subject to approval of credit. These offers may be reduced in value or withdrawn at any time.

FLOYD COUNTY IMPLEMENT

Floydada, Texas

983-3732

8 oz. Bell
WHIPPING CREAM
2/89¢

Quart Bell I
EGG NOG
99¢

½ Gallon Bell
MILK
89¢

½ Gallon Bell
BUTTER MILK
89¢

24 oz. Bell
COTTAGE CHEESE
\$1.19



1st Size Corn Chips
FRITOS
\$1.09



1 oz. Size, 25¢ Value Bobs
CANDY CANES
6/\$1.00

We Give
S&H GREEN STAMPS
DOUBLE ON WEDNESDAY

buddy

SUPERMARKET

2 lb. Bag Popsrite
POP CORN
89¢

Assorted Colors Plastic Cereal
BOWLS
5/\$1.00

Assorted Colors Plastic
GLASSES
8/\$1.00

Gallon Rich and Ready
ORANGE DRINK
99¢

46 oz. White Swan
TOMATO JUICE
77¢

1 lb. Box Arm & Hammer
BAKING SODA
2/89¢

12 oz. Bakers Real Chocolate Semi-Sweet
CHIPS
\$1.29

10 oz.
Picante Sauce or Frito Lay Enchilada or Bean
DIP
89¢

3 oz. Adolphs
TENDERIZER
\$1.09

20 Count Hefty Medium
GARBAGE BAGS
\$1.49

Bath Size Lifebouy
SOAP
3/\$1.00

8 Count Chinet Holiday
PLATES
79¢

2 Count Reynolds Turkey Size
COOKING BAGS
79¢

3½ oz. "In Shell"
SUNFLOWER SEEDS
3/\$1.00

6 oz.
Ready Crust Graham Cracker
CRUST
83¢

13 oz. Pet
EVAPORATED MILK
2/89¢


16 oz. Stokley Can
PUMPKIN
3/\$1.00

4 oz. White Swan
BLACK PEPPER
69¢



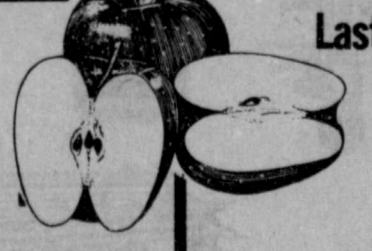
12 oz. York
PEPPERMINT PATTIES
\$1.79

2 lb Nestles Chocolate
QUIK
\$2.69



12 oz. Can Fisher Spanish
PEANUTS
\$1.49

Red Delicious 3 lb. Bag
APPLES
99¢




Last week for Bonus Cards!
Last day 12-15-82

Sunkist
LEMONS
39¢ lb.

New Crop Purple Top
TURNIPS
3 lbs. /\$1.00

6 oz. Cello Bag
RADISHES
4/\$1.00

1 lb. Maxwell House All Grinds
COFFEE
\$1.49



With One Filled S&H Special Saver Book

Without Book
\$2.09

1 lb. Bag Casserole
PINTO BEANS
3/29¢

With One Filled S&H Special Saver Book

Without Book
3/89¢

Collard, Turnip, or Mustard
GREENS
49¢ Bunch

10 lb. US no. 1
POTATOES
49¢

With This Coupon And Purchase of \$20.00 Or More.
Limit One Per Coupon.

8 oz. Bell
SOUR CREAM OR DIP
2/89¢

16 oz. Bell
HALF & HALF
2/89¢

½ Gallon Deluxe Bell
ICE CREAM
\$1.49

14 oz. Bakers Angel Flake
COCONUT
\$1.29

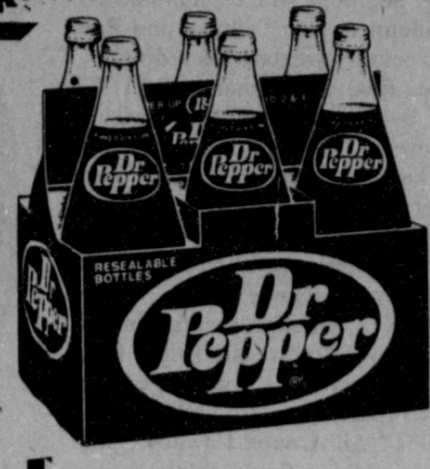
2 lb. Bag Imperial Soft Brown or Powdered
SUGAR
99¢

y's MARKET

220 South 2nd
983-3149
STORE HOURS
Mon. Thru Sat. 8 am - 9 pm Sunday 9 am - 8 pm
Values In This Ad
Effective Thru Wednesday
December 15, 1982
We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities We Take W.I.C. Cards



We Take U.S.D.A. Food Coupons



6-32 oz. Diet or Regular
DR. PEPPER
\$1.59 Plus Deposit

- 12 oz. Mrs. Cubison's **STUFFING MIX** 89¢
- 3 oz. Gebhardt's **CHILI POWDER** 79¢
- 8 oz. American Beauty Extra Wide **EGG NOODLES** 49¢
- 13 oz. Sara Lee **CHOCOLATE CAKE** \$1.59
- 10 lb. Alpo Beef **DOG FOOD** \$3.39

USDA Grade A Whole

FRYERS 55¢ lb.

Smoke "From Our Deli" **SAUSAGE** \$2.49 lb.

Armour Chicken Fry **BEEF PATTIES** \$1.99 lb.

16 lb. & Up Jennie **TURKEYS** 79¢ lb.

1 lb. White Swan **BACON** \$1.49

12 oz. Package Smokey Canyon Chicken **BOLOGNA** 69¢

14 oz. Morehead **CHEESE SPREAD** \$1.39

USDA Boneless Bottom Round **ROAST** \$1.69 lb.

6¼ oz. Blue Diamond Dry Roasted Unsalted
ALMONDS
\$1.69

7-Day Religious
CANDLES
\$1.29

28 oz. Box Minute
RICE
\$1.99

20 Count Chinet Holiday
NAPKINS
79¢

16 oz. Box Nabisco or Keebler
CRACKERS
83¢

Sunny Fresh Farms Grade A Medium
EGGS
9¢ Dozen
With One Filled S&H Special Saver Book
Without Book
69¢ Dozen

Assorted Western Art
PRINTS
\$2.99

12 oz. Chex
CEREAL 49¢
With This Coupon And Purchase Of \$20.00 Or More.
Limit One Per Coupon.

Farm Fresh 1½ lb. Round Top or Sandwich White
BREAD
9¢
With One Filled S&H Special Saver Book
Without Book
69¢

Dealer to sponsor telecast of rodeo finals

Floydada Implement Co., Floydada, will join Hesston Corporation and more than 1,000 other participating Hesston Farm Equipment dealers across United States in sponsoring the telecast of the 1982 National Finals Rodeo from Oklahoma City.

The two-hour prime time telecast will be aired on a special Hesston Rodeo TV Network and be seen by more than 30 million viewers. The NFR will be telecast in a new format this year in most areas, with the two-hour special airing the same day the rodeo takes place, on a live tape delay.

The program will appear locally on

KCBD, (11), Lubbock, Sunday, December 12, 8-10 CST.

Billed as NFR TELECAST IX, this is the ninth consecutive year that Hesston and its dealers have televised the National Finals Rodeo. The NFR is recognized as the "World Series" or "Super Bowl" of ProRodeo and is the final rodeo on the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) yearly circuit.

To qualify for the National Finals, entrants must rank among the top 15 money winners in their respective event for the year. Cowboys who come out on top during the National Finals win the

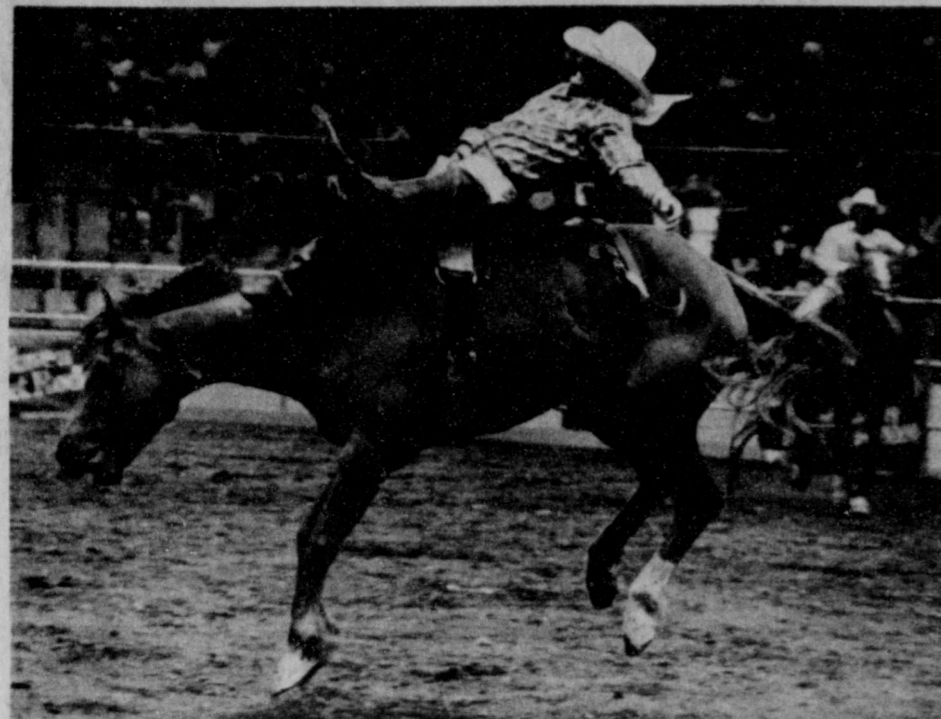
"World Champion" title for that event. World championships will be awarded in bareback bronc riding, steer wrestling, team roping, saddle bronc riding, calf roping, bull riding and barrel racing. In addition, the 1982 All-Around World Champion Cowboy will be named.

The telecast will open with a 30-minute "Countdown to Glory," highlighting the first nine performances of the 1982 NFR. This "Countdown" will be immediately followed by 90-minute, same-day coverage of the tenth and Final Championship Performance, exclusively sponsored by Hesston Corporation and participating Hesston Farm Equipment dealers.

Commentary during the "Countdown to Glory" segment will be handled by rodeo announcer Bob Tallman and Red Steagall, country-western recording artist. The final performance will be covered by Bob Eubanks, television game show host; Larry Mahan, six-time World Champion Cowboy; Hadley Barrett, veteran rodeo announcer; and Pam Earnheart, former rodeo queen, who will assist in interviews and coverage of the girls' barrel racing event.

Commercial announcements during the telecast will feature the Prime Line of farm equipment available from Hesston Corporation. Also featured will be the 1982 "All-Around Cowboy" belt buckle, available from participating Hesston dealers.

As an added feature, Hesston will air its annual "Salute to Agriculture," a public service message written by a member of the national Future Farmers of America organization.



FARM NEWS



FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SEMINAR—Benny Butler (right), County Extension Agent-Ag Asst., Floydada, received a Certificate of Completion for an Agricultural Financial Management Seminar from Richard L. Trimble, Program Chairman and Economist-Management of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The week long seminar was conducted during the week of October 25-29 for 40 selected Texas Agricultural Extension Service employees who counsel with farmers and ranchers on financial matters. Topics included financial statements and accounting rules, record keeping systems, making cash flow projections, investment analysis and forms of business organization. The seminar was put on with financial assistance from the G. Rollie White Charitable Trust.

USDA to permit price support loans on substituted grain, soybeans

Farmers who participate in the government's acreage reduction program now will be able to take out government price support loans on grain and soybeans substituted for crops produced on their farms, a high ranking U.S. Department of Agriculture official said.

Previously, only grain physically grown on a producer's farm was eligible for price support.

Everett Rank, administrator of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said the change was made to allow farmers who participate in acreage reduction programs to take advantage of government price supports without having to transport their grain to areas where grain elevators will accept the grain for storage.

Rank said the change will permit eligible producers to feed or sell grain produced on their farms and place under loan an equivalent quantity of acquired grain stored in an approved

warehouse. Commodities that may be substituted include wheat, feed grains, rice and soybeans.

Rank also announced that: — Loans will be based on the rate applicable for the county where the loan grain is stored.

— Producers must obtain approval to place under loan any grain which they acquire before an equivalent quantity they produced is sold or otherwise disposed of.

— Warehouse receipts covering the acquired grain must be submitted to the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office as security for the loan within 15 days after the producer's grain is sold or traded.

Rank said, "The farmer-elected county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee has the responsibility to protect the interest of both the producer and CCC in approving the substitution of grain for loan purposes. Producers who wish to take advantage of this change should contact their county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office."

"THE FIRST SANDSTORM"
By W.W.
We saw this giant swirling mess,
Rolling toward us from the west,
Windmills quickly turn, in self defense,
Thistles hung, then jump the fence,
Chickens shelter from the storm
Wash tubs blow from off the walls,
Milk pen calves run for their stalls,
The wind whistles thru' a thousand cracks,
In the pioneers clap board shacks
Soon the sky is black as night,
So the women get the lanterns out to light,
When the men come from mowing prairie hay,
They bemoaned, what happened on this frightful day,
They pondered why, they had come out this way,
But we who live in this land today,
Thank God, that our fathers came here to stay.

Crop insurance to be extended at USDA

Crop insurance offered farmers by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Federal Crop Insurance Corporation will be extended to more crops in more counties for the 1983 crop year.

Merritt W. Sprague, manager of the USDA crop insurance agency, said the corporation board of directors has approved 823 additional county programs for 1983 crops. A county program is the authority to sell crop insurance for one crop in one county.

"Our agency currently insures 28 crops in 14,498 county programs across the nation," Sprague said. "The additional county programs announced are part of our continuing expansion program."

Crops included in the additional county programs for 1983 are soybeans

in 285 counties, oats in 384, potatoes in 44, peanuts in 33, tobacco in 70, peaches in 4 and grapes in 3.

Sprague also announced that the USDA agency will prepare regulations for covering hybrid seed crops in the 1983 crop year. He said the plan will insure seed for producers who are under contract to processors. The new rules will be published in the Federal Register for public comment and review before going into effect.

"These needed programs will allow producers to obtain the risk management protection necessary in today's economic situation. Ultimately, insurance protection against unavoidable loss will be available to nearly every crop producer in the nation," said Sprague.

Block names farmer to head soybean research advisors

Patrick J. Quinn, a soybean farmer from Monterey, Louisiana, has been named chairman of the Soybean Research Advisory Institute by Secretary of Agriculture John R. Block.

Quinn will chair the group's first meeting December 17 at the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Congress established the advisory institute under a section of the 1981 farm bill. Its purpose is to assess the effectiveness of soybean research in the United States and to evaluate the potential for increasing soybean production in the years ahead.

Quinn said a comprehensive report on soybean production and utilization will be submitted to Congress by March 1.

A director of the American Soybean Association, Quinn is one of 11 members Block named to the advisory group. The group includes soybean producers, research experts from land grant universities and federal agencies and representatives of private industry.

Other members are Billy E. Caldwell, head, department of crop science, North Carolina State University; Michael F. Campbell, manager, protein products development, A.E. Staley Co., Decatur, Illinois; Harry B. Collins, director,

soybean research, Delta and Pine Land Co., Scott, Mississippi; Duane D. Hacklander, fibers and oils research, USDA's Economic Research Service, Washington, D.C.; Edgar E. Hartwig, research agronomist, USDA's Agricultural Research Service, Stoneville, Mississippi; John E. Heilman, vice president-engineering, world processing division, Continental Grain Co., New York, New York.

Also, Werner L. Nelson, senior vice president, Potash and Phosphate Institute, West Lafayette, Indiana; John F. Sharp, G & S Farms, Grand Bay, Alabama; Keith J. Smith, research director, American Soybean Association, St. Louis, Missouri; Leamon D. Williams, vice president-research, Central Soya Co., Inc., Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Robert C. Leffel, national research program leader responsible for breeding and production of soybeans in the USDA's Agricultural Research Service, is the advisory institute's executive secretary.

Search continues for Texas' rural hero

The search is under way for Texas' rural hero of 1982.

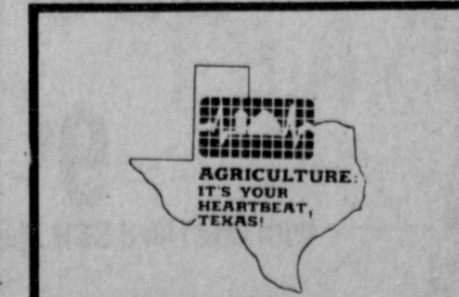
The Rural Heroism Award, sponsored by the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, is presented each year to some person judged to have performed an act of exceptional bravery during a time of crisis, according to Ben Bullard, Council president and assistant safety director of the Texas Farm Bureau.

March 1, 1983, is the deadline for entries to be received by the Rural Heroism Award Committee, Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, P.O. Box 489, Waco, Texas 76703.

The heroic act or human-life-saving deed must have occurred within Texas during 1982 and should be related to farming or ranching operations.

Nominations should include a written account of the incident and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of all persons involved. Newspaper clippings and pictures should also accompany the nominations, if available.

The award will be presented at the Monday morning opening general session of the 44th Annual Texas Safety Conference and Exposition, April 25, 1983, at the Shamrock-Hilton Hotel in Houston.



COTTON INCORPORATED COMPLETES WORLDWIDE NETWORK—C.H. Lapidus (left), director, International Marketing-Far East, and D.S. Kleckner (right), vice president, International Marketing, both of Cotton Incorporated, visit with key Japanese mill President Osamu Uno of

Toyobo Co., Ltd. during recent opening of office in Osaka, Japan. This follows opening of London office to strengthen Cotton Incorporated's overall efforts to promote greater use of U.S. cotton through technical assistance to key mills in important world markets.

MARTIN & COMPANY
Floydada 983-3713

SUN-VUE FERTILIZER
Lockney 652-3362

ADAM'S WELL SERVICE
Floydada 983-5003

FEDERAL LAND BANK ASSOC. OF FLOYDADA
Floydada 983-2480

RUSSELL'S EQUIPMENT & SUPPLY
Floydada 983-3751

FLOYDADA COOPERATIVE GINS INC.
Floydada 983-2884

BROWN'S IMPLEMENT INC.
Floydada 983-2281

FLOYD COUNTY IMPLEMENT
Floydada 983-3732

CASE POWER & EQUIPMENT
Floydada 983-2836

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF FLOYDADA
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Lockney 652-2242
Floydada 983-3777

FLOYDADA IMPLEMENT CO.
Floydada 983-3584

MUNCY ELEVATOR
Lockney 652-3100

CONSUMERS FUEL ASSOC.
Lockney 652-3336

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