



Junior and Senior high graduations Friday

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Nine seniors received scholarship awards



JULIE DAVIS
Valedictorian

LISA TERRELL
Salutatorian

Junior high honor graduates named

The top graduates of the Lockney Junior High eighth grade class have been named. Julie Davis will serve as the valedictorian with a grade point average of 97.13. Lisa Terrell will serve as the class salutatorian with a grade point average of 96.25.

Also graduating with honors are Steve Cates, 95.71; Matt Mitchell, 95.29; David Lemons, 91.73; Inez Gibson, 91.13; Benjamine Moya, 90.90; Rusty Teeter, 90.0; and Henry Silva,

90.0. There are 57 graduating eighth grade class members.

The graduation exercises for the 8th grade will be held in the high school gym at 1:00 Friday afternoon. These students will also receive their awards for the year at this time. The 6th and 7th grade awards assembly will also be held Friday morning in the gym at 10:00 a.m.

The high school graduation is also Friday. The ceremonies will take place at 7:00 in the First Baptist Church.

Board sets transfer rate

By Pam Armstrong

The Lockney School Board met Tuesday, May 10, for a regular business meeting. President Eddie Foster called the meeting to order at 7:30. All members of the board were present and all three school principals and Coach Purser were also present, along with Superintendent W.H. Hallmark.

Following the invocation by Jim Bob Martin, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and payment of all current bills and investments were approved. Tax report #8 showed that 99.5% of the budget money was collected. The report was approved.

During the superintendent's report, portions of the 83-84 budget were discussed as well as the school stands for the 82-83 budget. During the principal's report each of the principals discussed any changes that would have to be made should the State Board of Education adopt a core curriculum which states that every school in Texas would teach all the same subjects for the same amount of hours. The change would mean that any student in Texas, no matter where they attend school would have the same classes and for the same amount of hours.

The main changes for the Lockney schools would occur in the junior high and high school levels. The junior high would have to implement a longer health class and science lab. The high school would have to offer a fine arts class, which could be music of some kind or a theater arts class. One more

math would be required to graduate. If approved by the state this plan would go into effect in the fall semester of 1984.

After the principals report Coach Purser discussed the school athletic insurance program but the matter was tabled until further information was gathered.

The board approved a bid of \$11,702.50 from Fred Lipham Paving to do repair and paving work on all of the school system parking lots with the exception of the dirt parking lot on the north side of the high school science building.

The transfer students for the 1983-84 year were approved and the transfer fee for these 11 students was set at \$30 per student, per month.

The only bid for the 1983-84 and 84-85 bank depository was from the First National Bank of Lockney and the board accepted the bid.

The board set the fee for the summer drivers education courses at \$75.00 per student. The classes will only be offered if 20 or more students are interested.

The resignations of Martha Millhollen, junior high science teacher, and Sheri Haynes were accepted by the board.

The board also accepted a bid of \$5,000 from Bill Hunter to replace existing light fixtures in the high school with fluorescent light fixtures. The work will be done through the summer months while school is out.

The meeting adjourned at 12:00 p.m.



THESE STUDENTS all received scholarships at last Friday's awards assembly. Recipients included [back row] Tony Rodriguez, Tim Winters, Keith Hight, Kyle Brock; [front row] Robin Hardy, Mary Huffman, Robin Carthel, Karen Mathis and Maribel Torres.

The senior awards assembly was Friday, May 13 in the high school gym. The assembly is to give the seniors awards, recognition, and scholarships they have received through the year.

The first awards given were the Americanism awards which went to Mary Huffman and Tim Winter. Arla Copeland, representing the El Progreso Study Club presented a Bible to valedictorian Maribel Torres. Martin Stoerner from the Farm Bureau recognized junior Jerri Ann McCormick and Stephanie Bybee.

Mr. Poole presented the faculty scholarship to Robin Carthel. This scholarship is made up of donations from members of the Lockney I.S.D. faculty. It was \$185.00. Mrs. Marr presented the student council president's award to Kyle Brock. It was a gavel.

The Elvin Lyon scholarship, in honor of Mr. Lyons who taught FFA in Lockney for several years, was given to Keith Hight to further his education in the agricultural field. This scholarship was started last year.

New this year was the Elaine Hardy scholarship. This was given to students wishing to further their education in the medical or musical fields. Recipients were Maribel Torres and Robin Hardy. The girls each received \$150.00.

The Rotary International scholarships of \$200.00 each were presented by Gail Kring to Robin Hardy and Kyle Brock.

New this year, the U.S. Army Reserve recognized two students for their scholastic and athletic abilities. Karen Mathis and Tony Rodriguez were presented with this award by Sgt. Aldaco of the Plainview Army Recruiting office.

During the assembly it was announced that Connie Coffman had received a full two year scholarship in basketball to Amarillo Junior College.

As the valedictorian of this year's graduating class Maribel Torres will receive a one-year state paid scholarship to the college of her choice and one year to a church related college. Mary Huffman as the salutatorian will receive a one-year scholarship to a church related college.

Also the graduating members of the National Honor Society who attend West Texas State will receive a \$100.00

scholarship. The students who qualify are Maribel Torres, Mary Huffman, Margie Araujo, Robin Hardy, Marcus Schacht, Kay Reay, Karen Mathis, Amy Shaw, Tony Rodriguez, and Jesusa Saucedo.

The students named as the Who's Who at the junior-senior banquet were also given pins for this honor. Recipients were Maribel Torres, journalism; business, Robin Carthel; Robin Hardy, science; Karen Mathis, band; Keith Hight, agriculture; Mary Huffman, English and math; and Marcus Schacht, social studies. Best all-round were Karen Mathis and Kyle Brock. Best all-round in sports were Connie Coffman and Tony Rodriguez, basketball; and Kyle Brock, football.

Also recognized at the assembly were the students with perfect attendance through the year. The only senior receiving this recognition was Joyce Gray. The others were Jessie Castro, Heather Holt, Monty Means, David Sutterfield, Susan Stansell, Joe Widener, Betty Kay Cates, Cindy Cooper, Mary Esther Cortez, Margaret Holiday, Donna Hernandez, Terri Hill, Terry Mathis, Nicki Race, Melissa Saucedo, Gary Bigham, Jackie Cunyus, Sandra Cavazos, Paul Castro, Judy Davis, Randy Emert, Sylvia Ann Hernandez, and Glenn Sutterfield.

Recapping some of the awards the seniors have received this year are: Margie Araujo, John Phillip Sousa award and Swine production award; Karen Mathis, outstanding band member, girls fighting heard award; Russell Ford, J.L. Martin Christian Athlete Award. Football awards went to Kyle Brock, Tony Rodriguez, Greg Gonzales, Tommy Silva, and Victor Rodriguez.

Girls basketball awards went to Connie Coffman and Robin Hardy. Tony Rodriguez received two of the boys basketball awards. Kay Reay received the outstanding girls tennis award. Kyle Brock also received the boys fighting heart award. Keith Hight received the beef production award in ag.

Seniors named to the All District football team were Kyle Brock, Victor Rodriguez, Greg Gonzales, Mario Arellano, Michael Carthel, and Tommy Silva. Kyle was also named to the All State second team and to the All South Plains first team.

Named to the All District girls basketball team were Connie Coffman and Karen Mathis. Connie was also named to the Panhandle Plains Super team and to the All State second team. Tony Rodriguez and Micheal Carthel were named to the All District basketball team. Kay Reay, Frank Castro, and Tim Winter qualified to go to regionals in track.



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS enjoyed a half day out of class to participate in the track meet Friday and Monday. Here the boys are involved in the bean bag toss.

Results of the 1983 TABS test released

During the meeting of the Lockney School Board May 10 elementary school principal R.L. Knox presented the school board with the results of the TABS test which the students took in February of this year. The tests were given to students in the third, fifth and ninth grades.

The results showed increases in all areas for each grade. The increases were from 1%-11%. The tests have three sections for each grade, math, reading, and writing. The TABS test is designed to test the students basic skills in each subject area to reflect if they are comprehending what they are learning.

The results for the Lockney students tested were above last year's state

averages and above or equal to all others in our district.

During this discussion Mr. Knox stated that each student from kindergarten through the eighth grade will have in his or her report card a copy of a computer print out with the students scores of the Metropolitan Achievement Test. Through this printout parents will have the opportunity to find out how students stand in their grade level.

On this printout there are three subjects listed, math, reading, and language. On the fifth line of the sheet is the grade equivalent for each of the three subjects. In order to find out how your child stands for his grade, in each of the subjects take the child's grade level, K-8 and if the score in the grade

equivalent line is 0.7 for kindergarten to 8.7 for the eighth grade the child is at the recommended level for his or her grade. If the score is below the .7 level then

the student could be having trouble for that particular subject. If you have any questions about the scores call the student's principal.

COMPARISON OF TABS TESTS RESULTS LISTED FOR THE YEARS 1981, 1982 and 1983

Grade Level	1981 % of Mastery	1982 % of Mastery	1983 % of Mastery	1982-1983 % of Mastery Gain or Loss	1982 State Avg.
Grade 3	MATH 92	92	98	+ 6	80
	READING 84	93	99	+ 6	81
	WRITING 89	92		+ 7	83
Grade 5	MATH 93	95	99	+ 4	76
	READING 67	78	84	+ 6	74
	WRITING 82	83	85	+ 2	84
*Grade 9	MATH 78	79	83	+ 4	80
	READING 67	72	83	+11	81
	WRITING 94	85	86	+ 1	83

This Week

Memorial service

The Lockney Cemetery Association will hold a memorial service Monday, May 30, at the American Legion Building on East 8th Street at 10:00 a.m. Ray Starns, minister of the Main Street Church of Christ, will be the speaker.

A business meeting will follow. The annual report of the association's expenses and receipts will be discussed and new officers will be elected.

Concession stand

The concession stand for the Women's Softball League is available to anyone interested in running it. Call Anna Anderson at 652-2753 for more information.

Recital

Mrs. Charles L. Record will present a group of her piano, organ, and guitar students in a recital Thursday, May 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney. The public is invited.

Those playing will be: Carrie Parrish, Robert Price, David Perez, Cynthia Riddle, Nina Peralez, Michael Rodriguez, Greg Sparkman, Donna Vernon, Kay Lynn Lusk, Jennifer Turbeville, Lori Gonzales, Brian Thyen, Amy Gonzales, Jose Guerrero, Jr., Jeri Ann Lambert, Clay Golden, Kima Blanco, Daniel DeLeon, and Cody Montandon.

Also from Floydada will be: Tana Turner, Billy Villarreal, and Steve Morales.

4-H

The Floyd County 4-H Horse Club will have an organizational meeting Saturday, May 21, 2:00 p.m. at the Floydada Rodeo Grounds. All persons interested in participating or helping are asked to come out. If you don't understand what this is all about, come to the meeting or by the Floyd County Extension Agents Office.



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DI'S DEVILS—[Back row, l-r] Humberto Flores, Connie Coffman, Kathy Grisslom, Sheri Haynes, Barbara Lees, Nora Martinez, Lori Winters, Arcenio P. Martinez; [front row, l-r] Pattie Mowrey, Anna Anderson, Julie Frizzell, Agnes Peralez, Patti Purser.



WINNERS of The Tye Company Tennis Tournament held April 30 in Lockney were singles brackets, left to right: first place winner Ricky Vasquez; second place winner Danny Huffine; and third place winner Chele Duran.



WINNERS of the doubles bracket of The Tye Company Tennis Tournament on April 30 were, left to right, top row: first place winners Ricky Vasquez and Danny Huffine; and bottom row, second place winners Albert Gonzales and Chele Duran. Other contestants in the tournament were Lucio Vasquez, Joe Tambunga, David Peralez, Oseas Alaniz, Frankie Graves, Tommy Galvan, Placido Gonzales, Freddie Gonzales and Isaias Lerma.

By Anna Anderson

Lockney's Women's Softball got into full "swing" Monday, May 2, with some outstanding ball playing. The first games were at 7:30 with Di's Devils against Schacht's. The game began with the Devils as home team and scoring a 9 run lead in the first inning. The second inning came with the Devils gaining 12 more points with a total score of 22 to 2.

The second game of the night was a real eye opener for all the teams to see. The Feed Lot scored 6 runs in the 1st inning, 4 in the 2nd, 3 in the 3rd, 2 in the 4th, and 1 in the 5th for a score of 16 to 2 over Providence. Their 2nd baseman, Shawnda Brock and shortstop Marsha Coates hit the ball well along with 1st baseman Darla Ford, who played her first game and the following Thursday had surgery on both knees to put her out for the season. She will, however, be able to resume her basketball career at Wayland this following semester at which we all here at Lockney wish her the best of luck.

Thursday's games began with the Knockouts playing the Devils. The game was the first for the Knockouts and they played with a lot of gusto and spirit and caused a great deal of errors to be made by the Devils as the Devils just out-hit them for a score of 14 to 6. The second game came when Schacht's

Womens Softball results

played the Feed Lot for a good close game of 10 to 7 for a Feed Lot win.

The League is off to a good start and we hope to keep seeing all the interested fans out for the games whenever you have time. We appreciate your support. As of May 1st the concession stand for the Women's League is available to anyone who would be interested in running it during the League Games. If you wish to inquire about it please contact Anna Anderson at 652-2753 for more information.

Women's League May 9th and 12th

Monday, May 9th, began with Providence and Di's Devils on the field. Providence got off to a slow start as the Devils scored 8 runs the first 3 innings but Providence came back with a big 4th inning to score 6 runs with a score of 7 to 10 putting the Devils ahead only by 3 runs. As the Devils came to bat in the 6th inning for the last time because of the time limit, they hit the ball well and the first 7 batters each got a hit and scored to put them in the lead at the top of the 6th by 8 runs. Providence fought back with their last bat but the luck was with the Devils, however, to hold Providence to only 3 runs and to win by a score of 18 to 10.

The second game Monday night between Frankie's Knockouts and

Schacht's was a good and very exciting game as the Knockouts got off to a slow scoring start with Schachts ahead at the end of the third inning 3 to 1. The 4th inning was a big one for Schachts as they scored 6 runs to put their team in the lead 9 to 1. Time was running out and the Knockouts had only one bat left. They came in not with a defeated attitude but with the ole "fight back" emotion it takes to make a good team. Kim Carthel was up first with a good hit to get on first base only to be forced out on 2nd as Heather Holt got a hit and advanced to first. Judy Davis came up and walked, followed by Betty Kay Cates hitting to get on base along with Inez Gibson and Shandra Bybee bringing Heather and Judy in to score as another out was made. Rachelle Ford came up to get on base and put Betty Kay in to score. Frankie Armstrong came up to get on and put Inez, Shandra, and Rachelle in to score for a total of 8 runs to Schachts 9 runs. Nevertheless the game proved to be one of the most exciting and best played games for both teams.

Thursday night, May 12, the games began with Frankie's Knockouts holding the Feed Lot to a 3 up, 3 down first inning and vice versa for the Feed Lot to end a full inning of play. The 2nd inning began, very discouraging for the Knock-

outs as Karyn Foster, of the Feed Lot hit a hard grounder that took a bad hop only to cause a large gash on the brow of the Knockouts Coach and shortshop Frankie Armstrong. This put Frankie out of the game instantly only to end up at the hospital for a total of 17 stitches. She took it well and was more than concerned about her team as she waited the doctor's final release. Upon returning to the game Frankie found her hustline Knockouts tied with the awesome Feed Lot 6 to 6 in the bottom of the 6th inning. The Knockouts last chance to bat came as Kim Carthel got on with a walk bringing up Heather Holt and Judy Davis who also got on with no outs. Betty Kay Cates was up and knew with the bases loaded that if she could just get a hit it would bring in the winning score. As the ball was tossed she reached and hit a short shot to the pitcher which would surely mean an out for the Knockouts, but as the pitcher tossed the ball to the catcher the ball was fumbled as Kim Carthel sprinted across the home plate to bring the winning point to the Knockouts and their first "big" win.

The last game was played by Schachts and Providence as Providence had their strongest hitting game yet by getting 6 runs in the first inning, 6 in the 2nd and 3rd inning, and again in the 4th and 5th inning to bring the game to a Run Rule Win in the 5th with 18 to 1 score.

Lockney Elementary School track meet results

The Lockney elementary school students enjoyed a track meet organized by Mrs. Joyce Marks, Friday and Monday.

The events for the meet included 50, 100, and 22 yard dashes, 440 and 880 yard runs, an obstacle course, broad jump, vertical jump, and bean bag throw.

Coaches Purser, Moerbe, and Cotham from the high school as well as boys from the high school athletic department helped keep scores.

Scores from the kindergarten through third grade will be in next week's paper.

4th Grade Boys 100 yd. Dash
1st Jeffrey, Sutterfield, 2nd Jose Martinez, 3rd Micheal Villalon, 4th Orlando, 5th Jesse Arjona, 6th Robert Price

Boys 50 yd. Dash
1st Robby Williams, 2nd David Brittain, 3rd Steven Vasquez, 4th Lalo Elias, 5th Justin Adams, 6th Robert Price

Girls 50 yd. Dash
1st Melanie Thacker, 2nd Kellie Bush, 3rd Keri Dee Lusk, 4th Peggy Luna, 5th Cindy Cook, 6th Shanna Stapp

Girls 50 yd. Dash
1st Regina Van Cleve, 2nd Amy Turner, 3rd Kathy Mercado, 4th Michelle Griffith

Girls 4th Grade 220 yd. Dash
1st Tandy Gant, 2nd Garcia Saucedo, 3rd Christy Aguilar, 4th Anna Cortez, 5th Sandra Molina, 6th Jennifer Turbeville

Boys 4th grade 220 yd. Dash
1st Kip Holt, 2nd Michael Isom, 3rd Jerry Don Evans, 4th Armando Banda

Boys 5th Grade 220 yd. Dash
1st Jorge Bernal, 2nd Johnny Perales, 3rd Mario Cruz, 4th Justin Means, 5th Steven Salas, 6th Joe Castro

Boys 50 yd. Dash
1st Robby Williams, 2nd Jeffrey Sutterfield, 3rd Carlos Rendon

Boys 440 yd. Run
1st Kip Holt, 2nd Daniel Martinez, 3rd Bobby Alcozar, 4th Clint Carthel, 5th Henry Ruiz

Girls 440 yd. Run
1st Stephanie Sepulveda, 2nd Tammy Soliz, 3rd Altha Shores, 4th Angie Moya, 5th Maggie Raining, 6th Melissa Peralez

5th Grade Boys 100 yd. Dash
1st Robby Williams, 2nd David Brittain, 3rd Marie Cruz, 4th Justin Adams, 5th Phillip Glasson, 6th Steven Salas

5th Grade Girls 100 yd. Dash
1st Valarie Gallegos, 2nd Elvin Mercado, 3rd Gussie Nuncie, 4th Amy Kring, 5th Shea Jackson, 6th Yolanda Rendon

4th Grade Girls Broad Jump
1st Tandi Gant, 2nd Melanie Thacker, 3rd Anna Cortez, 4th Stephanie Sepulveda, 5th Gracie Saucedo and Melissa Peralez, 6th Aletha Shores

4th Grade Boys Broad Jump
1st Steven Vasquez, 2nd Jesse Arjona, 3rd Clint Bigham, 4th David

Perez, 5th Arturo Gonzales, 6th Mario Hernandez and Jose Martinez, 7th Orlando Banda

5th Grade Girls Broad Jump
1st Ronee Brotherton, 2nd Michelle Griffith, 3rd Sharon Sterling, 4th Shea Jackson

5th Grade Boys Broad Jump
1st Jorge Bernal, 2nd Joe Robert Mendez, 3rd Justin Means, 4th Carlos Rendon, 5th Joe Louis Guerra, 6th Chris Aguilar, 7th Joe Castro

SOFTBALL THROW RESULTS
4th Grade Girls
1st Erin Adrian, 2nd Amee Green, 3rd Jennifer Turbeville, 4th Keri Dee Lusk, 5th Robin Marks

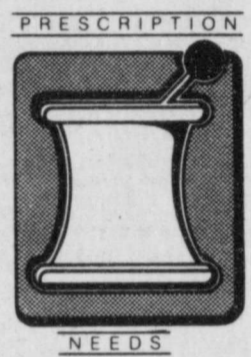
4th Grade Boys
1st Danny Potts, 2nd Micheal Villalon, 3rd Jerry Don Evans, 4th Michael Riassiez, 5th Kyle Bush

5th Grade Girls
1st Kellie Bush, 2nd Adella Sustaita, 3rd Regina Van Cleve, 4th Cindy Cook, 5th Celia Campos, 6th Shannon Stapp

5th Grade Boys
1st Wesley Teeter



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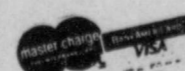
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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT COUNCIL officers for the 1983-84 school year are Secretary Shawnda Brock, Vice-President Libby Williams, President Paul Castro, and Treasurer Brent Hallmark.

Cedar Hill News

By Grace Lemons

The weather became much colder with a light frost and with no precipitation and farmers are busy in the fields.

The students are very busy with last of school activities and final exams. Floydada Baccalaureate services at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening at 8:00 p.m. High School graduation at the high school auditorium at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday evening. Sandra Mitchell of Cedar Hill will be among the graduates.

Linda Lemons has made several calls to see about her mother, Lorene Cooper in Lockney. Mrs. Cooper is much improved after undergoing major surgery in Lubbock. Grace Lemons visited her Saturday. Twyla Lemons stayed with her grandmother Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Peat Kelley had lunch with her brother, Tom Fortenberry Sunday. Gladys Fortenberry returned home Sunday after spending a week with her granddaughter, Pam and Jackie Hayhurst and Trevor in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Fortenberry visited Mr. and Mrs. A.S. Mize Sunday. Wynona Gilbreath of Matador and also Bill Whitehead of Lubbock were visitors in the Mize home this week.

Edna Billy and Clara Redd visited in the home of Delise and Johnnie Harrison Sunday. Sandra was very ill with a virus. Edna returned to Lubbock Monday to be with her granddaughter. We trust that she will overcome the illness and get her strength back.

Fred and Jewell Fortenberry of Lockney drove around at Theo Lake and on their way home visited Cephus and Imagene Fortenberry.

Junior and Martha Taylor left Saturday to visit Martha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Pullium in Collinsville, Oklahoma. They also visited Martha's

brother Jess Glover in Van Buren, Arkansas before returning home Monday.

Funeral services for Arthur Vernon (A.V.) Bethel, 66, of Floydada were held Saturday, 2:30 p.m. in the City Park Church of Christ with Morgan Sturgess officiating. A.V. died Thursday from a brief illness. He was born in Clarendon and married Fern Holsenbeck in Matador July 31, 1937. He was a retired farmer and lived in Cedar Hill and farmed several years. He was a member of the Church of Christ. He is survived by his wife, Fern of Floydada; one daughter, Sue Shelton of Plainview; two sons, Royce of Cedar Hill and Rogene of South Plains, two sisters; Lorena Strickland of Tenaha and Jewell Jones of Portales, New Mexico; two brothers, Ray of Center and Delbert of Miami, Florida; five grandchildren and one great grandchild. Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home. A large number of people from Cedar Hill attended the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conner visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Lemons Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ailene Welch of Flomot accompanied Norma Welch to Lubbock on business Monday.

The three great essentials to achieve anything worthwhile are, first, hard work; second, stick-to-togetherness; third, common sense.

Rev. and Mrs. Vance Mitchells accompanied their daughters, Sandra and Virginia to Lubbock Saturday where the girls competed in a talent contest at the 1st Assembly of God Church. Sandra won 1st in piano solo. Virginia sang a vocal and also a duet with Sandra.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

CEDAR HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. Vance Mitchell
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evangelistic Service 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Lockney
 Sunday School 10:00
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Evening Worship 7:00
 Prayer Service Wed. 7:00
 Eddie Kendall, Pastor

LOCKNEY LATIN ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Manuel Rendon, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Evening Worship 7:30
 Men's Fellowship, Tuesday Evening 8:00
 W.M.C. Thursday 8:00
 Christ's Ambassadors, Saturday Evening 7:30

SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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 308 E. Mississippi
 A.C. Botello, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Evening Evangelistic Service 6:00
 Wednesday, Family Night 7:30

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Rev. Jerry Kunkle
 Petersburg Pastor
 Services Every Sunday
 Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 No Evening Services

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Floydada
 Pastor Jim Guess
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
 Service 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.
 Thursday Womens Missionary 9:00 a.m.

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Lockney
 Father Terry Burke, Pastor
 Sunday morning Mass 9:00
 Saturday Evening Mass 8:00
 Wednesday Evening 8:00 p.m.
 Friday Evening 8:00 p.m.
 Confessions Saturday 6:30

ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Floydada
 Father Terry Burke
 Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.
 Monday Mass and Ultreya 9:00 p.m.
 Thursday Mass 9:00 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST

Floydada
 Perry Zumwalt, Minister
 Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Ladies Bible Study, Wednesday 9:30 a.m.

LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF CHRIST

Lockney
 Bible School 9:45
 Morning Worship 10:45
 Evening Worship 6:00
 Wednesday Service 8:00

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Lockney
 Bible Study 9:30
 Morning Worship 10:30
 Evening Worship 6:00
 Wednesday Ladies Bible Class 9:30
 Bible Study 8:00

WEST COLLEGE CHURCH OF CHRIST

West College & Third, Lockney
 Frank Duckworth, Evangelist
 Sunday Morning Worship Services 10:30
 Sunday Evening Worship Services 6:00
 Wednesday Evening Prayer Services 8:00

WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Lewis Shapp, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 5:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

[Disciples of Christ]
 Minister, Karl Bunjes
 Sunday 9:45 a.m.
 Worship 11:00 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Providence Community
 Gary Kleypas, Pastor
 Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 10:00
 Worship Service 11:00

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Lockney
 Rev. Michael O'Connor
 SUNDAY
 Sunday School 9:45
 Worship Service 10:55
 UMY 6:00
 Evening Worship 7:00
 United Methodist Women, First Tuesday of Month Circles, Monday (2nd & 4th Monday nights) Tuesday & Wednesday mornings.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Floydada
 Jim Smith, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Youth Fellowship 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Bennie Anderson
 Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
 Sunday, Afternoon Worship 2:00 p.m.

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA

Rev. Agustin Rey
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00
 Training Union 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Prayer and Study Group Monday 7:30 p.m.
 Mid-Week Service Wednesday 7:30

TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM

Lockney
 Sunday School 9:45
 Worship Service 11:00
 Christian Training Time 5:00
 Evening Worship 6:00
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting & Choir Practice 7:30

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
 Bob Chapman
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
 Sunday Evening Services 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening Services 7:30 p.m.

DOUGHERY BAPTIST CHURCH

Richard Rhodes
 Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Lockney
 Murle Rogers, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Church Training 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
 Adult Choir, Wednesday 8:00 p.m.
 High School Youth (B.Y.F.) Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
 G.A. and Mission Friends Wednesday 4:00 p.m.
 R.A.'s Sunday 5:00

CEDAR HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Cecl Osborne
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST

Floydada
 Rev. Hollis Payne
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
 Otis Cook, Jr., Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study 4:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Training Union 6:00
 Evening Worship 7:00
 Prayer Service Wed. 7:30
 Brotherhood, W.M.U. and Auxiliary Wednesday 7:30

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
 Floyd C. Bradley, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
 Church Training 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening 6:45 p.m.

LONE STAR BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Training Union 5:00
 Evening Worship 6:00
 Prayer Service, Wednesday Evening 6:30
 Brotherhood, First Saturday Morning of Every Month.

VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
 Gary Grant, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
 Joe M. Jackson
 Sunday Congregational Singing 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:30 n.m.

SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION

Floydada
 Eloy Felan, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Church Training 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.



Let's talk.

Information about your changing telephone service from Jim West, Community Relations Manager

The Future of Telephone Rates

As Southwestern Bell prepares itself to be a stand-alone company in 1984—separate from AT&T—many of you, no doubt, have been wondering what's going to happen to telephone rates.

Will they go up? How much? Will you have to pay twice as much for phone service as you now do?

While it's impossible to answer those questions definitively, it is possible to give you an idea of where rates are headed... and why.

Local service rates will probably go up

For example, the rate you presently pay for local service will—in all probability—go up. This is primarily due to the fact that local service, for the most part, has been priced well below its cost. The average statewide cost to Southwestern Bell for keeping a residential line in service is about \$30 per month. On the other hand, the average monthly rate our customers pay ranges from \$7.85 to \$10.75. This \$20 or more difference between cost and rates has been made up primarily by revenues from long distance service and telephone equipment.

However, since most of those revenues will not be available to Southwestern Bell after divestiture, local service will have to be priced more closely to its cost.

In turn, though, the rates of long distance and other services which have subsidized local service may go down.

Other factors which will contribute to higher local rates include our need to more quickly recover our investment in equipment and facilities, and the effects that are still being felt from past inflation.

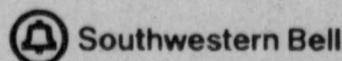
To help offset the rise in local rates, Southwestern Bell wants to offer customers more pricing plans so that they will have more control over what they pay for local service. We are working closely with regulators not only to develop pricing options that will fit almost every pocketbook; but also to keep telephone service one of the best consumer values around.

Effects of divestiture to be studied by PUC

As you may be aware, the Texas Public Utility Commission next month will begin general hearings to examine how divestiture will affect Texas ratepayers. There are a lot of questions and potential problems to be solved. But by cooperating and working together with regulators, we feel we can work out the best solutions, in the long run, for all concerned.

 If you'd like additional information on this topic or have any questions, I'll try to help you find the answers.

Jim West
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 916 Denver
 Plainview, TX 79072



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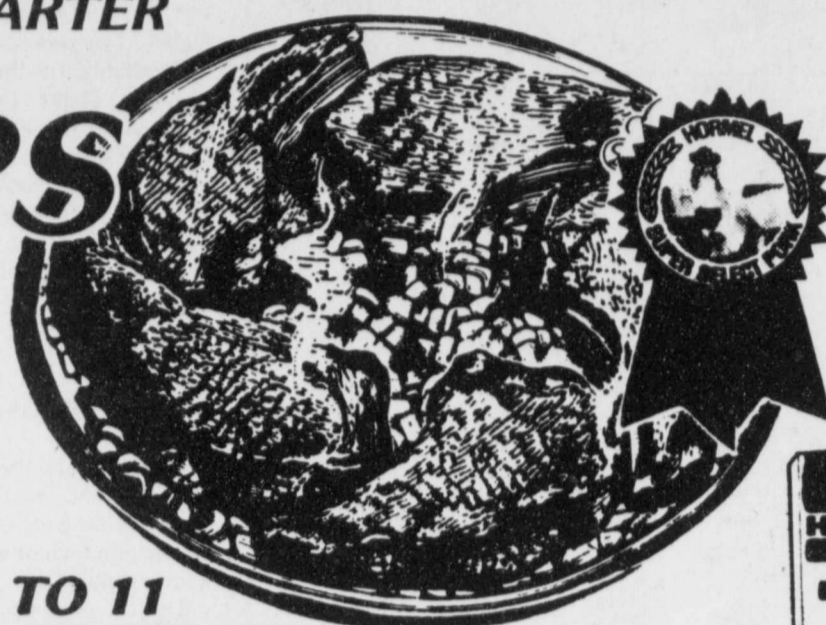
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SHOP RITE

309 South Wall Floydada, Texas

THURSDAY MAY 19, 1983

Table with 12 columns: Time, Channel, Program Name, and other channels. Rows include programs like 'My Three Sons', 'Sesame Street', 'The Flintstones', etc.

Highlights

7:00 (9) ★★½ "LITTLE BIG MAN" (1970, Western) Dustin Hoffman, Faye Dunaway. A 121-year-old man recalls his adoption by the Cheyenne...

7:05 (4) ★★½ "COOL HAND LUKE" (1967, Drama) Paul Newman, George Kennedy. A young man on a chain gang with an unquenchable thirst for freedom...

MOTOR KINGS" (1976, Comedy) Billy Dee Williams, Richard Pryor. Two black baseball players encounter opposition when they leave the Negro National League...

FRIDAY MAY 20, 1983

Table with 12 columns: Time, Channel, Program Name, and other channels. Rows include programs like 'My Three Sons', 'Sesame Street', 'The Flintstones', etc.

Highlights

12:05 (4) ★★ "WHITE COMANCHE" (1967, Western) Joseph Cotten, William Shatner. A peace officer settles a long-running quarrel between a set of twins...

Wayne, Katharine Hepburn. When a federal marshal sets out to track down a gang of desperados, a spinster with a grudge against the gang insists on joining him in the hunt.

8:00 (28) ★★ "THE LEGEND OF THE LONE RANGER" (1980, Western) Clint Eastwood, Christopher Lloyd. The Lone Ranger and Tonto pursue their arch-enemy, Butch Cavendish...

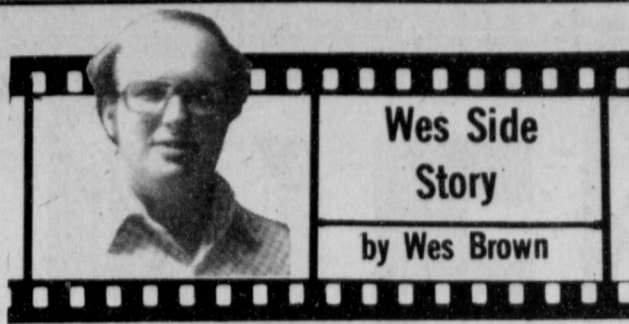
11:05 (4) ★★½ "INVASION OF THE BODY SNATCHERS" (1975, Western) John Wayne, Katharine Hepburn. When a federal marshal sets out to track down a gang of desperados...

"THE BODY SNATCHERS" (1956, Science-Fiction) Kevin McCarthy, Dana Wynter. Outer space flora duplicate Southern Californians and sap their minds as they sleep.

12:45 (4) ★★ "KILLER GRIZZLY" (1976, Adventure) Christopher George, Andrew Prine. A forest ranger and a mother protecting her child are among the victims when an 18-foot grizzly bear goes on a rampage.

1:00 (28) ★★½ "WHEN MICHAEL CALLS" (1971, Suspense) Michael Douglas, Ben Gazzara. A child thought to be dead attempts to avenge his mother's death by making phone calls to a woman.

2:45 (4) ★★ "BLONDIE'S LUCKY DAY" (1946, Comedy) Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake. Complications develop when Dagwood, fired again, goes into competition with his boss.



Wes Side Story by Wes Brown

The solitary life: a difficult adjustment

When I first started living alone, it wasn't an easy adjustment. Whenever the phone rang, I would yell "I'll get it." I would realize then I was the only one there to answer it...

nice if I didn't have to make the choice to decide what was to be cooked. I've tried to surprise myself, but it doesn't work. I am the only one who has to eat what I cook. If I goof up the meal, I have to eat it...

finished that sixth can of corn several months later. I was so tired of corn, I couldn't look at the front of a box of corn flakes. It seems the only good bargains for bread are on the giant loaves or several loaves for a special price...

SATURDAY MAY 21, 1983

Table with 12 columns: Time, Channel, Program Name, and other channels. Rows include programs like 'Baseball Bunch', 'Joe Young', 'Movie: "Drum"', etc.

Highlights

7:35 (4) ★★½ "MIGHTY JOE YOUNG" (1949, Adventure) Terry Moore, Robert Armstrong. When a gorilla is raised by a young girl in Africa, a press agent tries to bring it to the U.S. as a nightclub act.

8:00 (13) ★★½ "BACK ROADS" (1981, Comedy) Sally Field, Tommy Lee Jones. A hooker and a down-on-his-luck boxer meet and head west in search of a new life.

13 ★½ "NEATH ARIZONA SKIES" (1934, Western) John Wayne, Sheila Terry. A cowboy tries to rescue a young Indian girl from kidnappers who are after her inherited wealth.

12:00 (3) ★★ "BRIDE OF FRANKENSTEIN" (1935, Horror) Elsa Lanchester, Boris Karloff. Dr. Frankenstein creates a mate for his monster.

1:30 (3) ★★ "MURDER IN THE BLUE ROOM" (1944, Mystery) Grace McDonald, Donald Cook. A determined man tries to unravel the mystery behind the death of his wife's first husband.

1:00 (3) ★★ "THE ROVER" (1967, Adventure) Anthony Quinn, Rita Hayworth. In the days following the French Revolution, a privateer rescues a lovely young girl from a horde of rebels.

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Highlights

MORNING

9:35 (4) ★★★★★ "THE BRIDGE ON THE RIVER KWAI" (1957, Drama) William Holden, Alec Guinness. During World War II, a British colonel and his men become part of a prison labor camp forced by the Japanese to build a jungle bridge.

AFTERNOON

12:00 (3) ★★½ "WANTED: THE SUNDANCE WOMAN" (1976, Western) Katharine Ross, Hector Elizondo. After Butch Cassidy's death, Etta Place joins forces with the notorious Pancho Villa to hijack a munitions train.

EVENING

7:00 (3) ★★½ "TAIL-GUNNER JOE" (1977, Biography) Peter Boyle, Patricia Neal. Senator Joseph McCarthy leads a communist-hunting crusade during the 1950s.

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Highlights

AFTERNOON

12:05 (4) ★★ "THE BLACK KNIGHT" (1954, Adventure) Alan Ladd, Patricia Medina. King Arthur finds an ally in an unknown knight who helps thwart an attempt to overthrow him.

EVENING

8:00 (1) ★★ "THE ENFORCER" (1976, Drama) Clint Eastwood, Tyne Daly. "Dirty Harry" Callahan takes the law into his own hands when a gang of militant revolutionaries kidnap San Francisco's mayor.

MONDAY MAY 23, 1983

Table with columns for time slots (7:00-12:30), channels (WTBS, KTXT, WGN, KCB, KLBK, KAMC, KJAA, HBO, SHOW, ESPN), and program titles.

EVENING

7:00 (2) ★★½ "JACQUELINE BOUVIER KENNEDY" (1981, Biography) Jaclyn Smith, James Franciscus. The life of Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy from childhood to national prominence as First Lady of the United States is dramatized.

8:00 (3) ★★½ "OKLAHOMA!" (1955, Musical) Gordon MacRae, Shirley Jones. A young cowboy and his girl realize they are in love at a dance.

1:05 (4) ★★ "ANGELS WASH THEIR FACES" (1939, Drama) Ann Sheridan, Dead End Kids. An innocent boy is accused of a crime because of his past police record.

WEDNESDAY MAY 25, 1983

Table with columns for time slots (7:00-12:30), channels (WTBS, KTXT, WGN, KCB, KLBK, KAMC, KJAA, HBO, SHOW, ESPN), and program titles.

Highlights

EVENING

7:00 (3) ★★½ "CALLIE & SON" (1981, Drama) Lindsay Wagner, Jameson Parker. A young woman's rise to immense wealth and power is overshadowed by an obsessive love for her illegitimate son.

11:05 (4) ★★ "INCIDENT IN SAN FRANCISCO" (1970, Drama) Richard Kiley, Chris Connolly. A man is held responsible for a youth's death when he tries to help an old man.

12:10 (3) ★★½ "THE \$5.20-AN-HOUR DREAM" (1980, Drama)



FARM NEWS

Floyd County Farm Bureau News

Several Bill are now pending before congress, which will affect all Floyd County farmers, ranchers and agri-businessmen. Floyd County Farm Bureau would like you to be aware of these bills and hope you would write or call your congressman about them.

Daylight Savings Time HR 1398 provides that daylight savings time would begin on the first Sunday in May, rather than on the last Sunday of April, extending the length of Daylight Savings time by two months. This bill has been favorably reported out of committee and action is expected by June 1. Farm Bureau policy read: "Daylight Savings Time should be limited to a period between Memorial Day and Labor Day. We oppose efforts to extend the present length of Daylight Savings Time."

Expanding Agricultural Exports: Now pending before the U.S. Senate is a comprehensive export promotion Bill, S 822, which contains the following major provisions:

1. An export PIK (Payment in Kind) program to authorize the giving of "Bonus" commodities to foreign purchasers who buy more from us than they have in the past.
2. Make CCC commodities available to exporters so they can meet subsidized competition.
3. Urges increased use of "Blended Interest Credit" to gain new customer, and to counter subsidized competition.
4. Urges that not less than \$1 billion be made available to the export credit revolving fund authorized by the 1981 Farm Bill.
5. Expands food for peace (P.L. 480) programs, and broadens the present law which governs donations of dairy surpluses to include donations of other commodities.
6. Exempts exports financed under the blended interest credit program and export PIK sales from cargo preference requirements.

However, The House Agriculture Committee has not moved to develop and act on similar legislation. Apparently, the committee has adopted a wait and see attitude, preferring to see how successful the domestic PIK program is before acting on an export PIK.

We believe that every effort should be made as quickly as possible to expand agricultural export markets.

Action Requested: Please ask your congressman to introduce or co-sponsor

legislation similar to the senate bill, to strongly support such legislation at every opportunity, and to encourage members of the House Agriculture committee to start work on such legislation as quickly as possible. Please emphasize in your letter the importance of exempting agricultural exports from cargo preference requirements.

Under cargo preference laws, from 5-50 percent of exported commodities must be shipped on American flag vessels. Because of high maritime union wages, the cost of shipping on american vessels is \$60 to \$80 per ton higher than on the vessels of other nations. This higher cost of shipping makes U.S. farm exports much less competitive in world markets.

Mail your letters in time to reach your congressman no later than wednesday, June 1.

The Floyd County Farm Bureau has written U.S. representative Hightower and Senators Lloyd Bentsen and John Tower urging them to vote to preserve the tax reforms in the Economic Recovery Act of 1981, according to Dan Smith of Lockney, president of the Floyd County Farm Bureau.

In letters to the congressman and senators, Floyd County Farm Bureau opposes:

- (1) A freeze of the Estate Tax Exemption at the present level of \$275,000. Farm Bureau supports completion of the estate tax exemption phases in which will increase the exemption to \$600,000 by 1987.
- (2) Repeal of the third year of the income tax cut due to go into effect July 1. Farm Bureau supports efforts to balance the Federal budget by cutting federal spending rather than increasing taxes.
- (3) Repeal of the indexing provision of the economic recovery tax act of 1981 due to become effective January 1985. Indexing would prevent "Bracket Creep" which automatically increases income taxes during the period of inflation.

Floyd County Farm Bureau is working work Farm Bureau members across the U.S. in support of the economic recovery act of 1981. It was pointed out to representative hightower and senators Bentsen and Tower that repealing or freezing the major provisions of the 1981 Act would signal a significant change of attitude in the U.S. from one that seeks a balanced budget to one aimed at spending more tax dollars.

Floyd County 4-Hers compete at District May 7th

Fifteen Floyd County 4-H'ers competed in District competition at Texas Tech University, Saturday, May 7, 1983. Public Speaking and Method Demonstrations were held for juniors, ages 6 to 14 and seniors, ages 14 through 19. The senior 1-H members were competing for berths at the State 4-H Round-up to be held June 6, 7, & 8 at Texas A&M University.

These seniors were: Karyn Foster and Earl Broseh, of the Lockney 4-H Club, placed 2nd in the Cooperative Demonstration.

Coy Holley, of the Lockney 4-H Club, placed 2nd in the Open Class. Stacy Smith, of the Floydada 4-H Club, competed in the Public Speaking Contest.

The first and second place seniors earned a trip to State 4-H Round-up. The juniors were: Angie Bertrand and

Becky Reeves, of the Floydada 4-H Club, they competed in the Family Life Educational Activity.

Chad Edwards and Keith Hancock, Floydada 4-H Club, placed 2nd in Agronomy Demonstration.

Cammy Hancock, Floydada 4-H Club, placed 2nd in Companion Animals.

Jason Brown and Roxene Brown, Floydada 4-H Club, placed 1st in Horticulture Preparation and Use.

Amble Ogle and Christie Rowan, Floydada 4-H Club, competed in Safety and Accident prevention.

Jennifer Crow and Stacey Dawdy, Floydada 4-H club, placed 1st in the Pork Division.

All of the 4-H members did an outstanding job with tough competition coming from the other nineteen counties in District II.



FIFTEEN FLOYD COUNTY 4-H'ERS competed in District competition at Texas Tech Saturday, May 7. Pictured above from left to right, top row to bottom row are: Top row: Earl Broseh, Karyn Foster, Stacy Smith; 2nd row - Chad Edwards, Keith Hancock, Coy Holley, Jason Brown; 3rd row - Christie Rowan, Angie Bertrand, Becky Reeves, Roxene Brown, Cammy Hancock; bottom row - Amy Ogle, Jennifer Crow, and Stacy Dawdy.

Landscape & Gardening

Plan Now For Grassbur Prevention

Grassburrs can be a problem in lawns damaged or weakened by droughts, insects or diseases. They are unsightly and can even be dangerous, especially if you have small children. Now is the time to start planning for grassbur prevention.

Grassburrs are commonly found in open fields and meadows where competition from other plants is not great; they are rarely found in a dense, vigorous turf. But when the turf is damaged or weakened, grassburrs often invade.

Seed (burs) from this pest may lie dormant in the soil for several years until environmental conditions favor germination.

Once they get started, where there were only a few plants one year, there may be hundreds of grassbur plants the following year.

All the grassbur needs to become a problem is a weak turf and favorable moisture conditions during late spring and early summer. Plants may go unnoticed most of the summer but once burs develop, they're unavoidable.

It takes a good management program to eliminate grassburrs. This includes applying a preemerge herbicide in the spring for weed control before emergence of grassburrs.

Herbicides or fertilizer-herbicide (weed and feed) combinations contain-

ing benefin (Balan), DCPA (Dacthal), oxadiazon (Ronstar) or simazine are effective against grassburrs if the timing and rate of application are correct. As for all pesticides, closely follow label instructions.

In bermudagrass laws, postemerge herbicides can be used for grassbur control. These include products containing one of the organic arsenical herbicides, such as Ortho's Crabgrass Killer, Diamond Shamrock's Liquid DSMA, and Amchem's Weedone Crabgrass Killer.

Of course, herbicides only provide a temporary solution to the grassbur problem. A healthy, vigorous turf is the ultimate solution. Regular mowing and proper fertilizing, watering, and pest control are all required for satisfactory control of grassburrs.

For more information on how to prevent grassburrs in your lawn, contact your County Extension Office or call 983-2806.

Reference to commercial products or trade names is made with the understanding that no discrimination is intended and no endorsement by the Cooperative Extension Service is implied.

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

4-H Grass Team wins District

The Floyd County 4-H Grass Identification Team took first place honors in the District Contest held in Clarendon on April 27th.

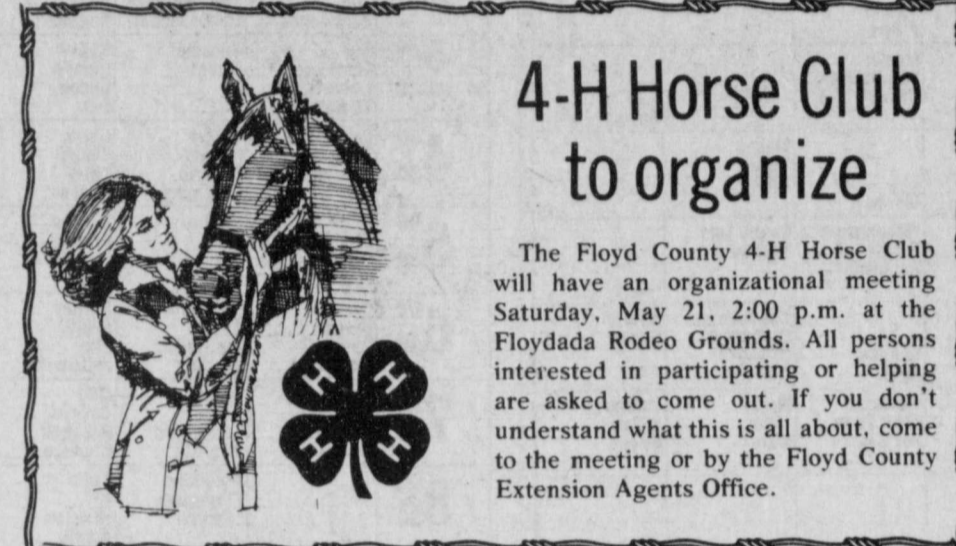
Team members were Shannon Smith, Shannon Edwards, Sandra Pate, and Kellie Pitts.

Floyd County also had the first and second high individuals: Shannon Smith and Shannon Edwards, respectively.

Shannon Smith is a senior at Floydada High School and is the son of Dale and Carolyn Smith of the Starkey community.

Shannon Edwards, Sandra Pate and Kellie Pitts are all freshmen at Floydada High. Shannon is the daughter of Craig and Betty, Edwards of the McCoy community. Sandra is the daughter of Gary and Emma Pate of Floydada, and Kellie is the daughter of Kenneth and Vicki Pitts of Floydada.

Coaching the team was Benny Butler, one of Floyd County's Extension Agents. The team will go on to compete in State Competition at Texas A&M June 7th and 8th.



4-H Horse Club to organize

The Floyd County 4-H Horse Club will have an organizational meeting Saturday, May 21, 2:00 p.m. at the Floydada Rodeo Grounds. All persons interested in participating or helping are asked to come out. If you don't understand what this is all about, come to the meeting or by the Floyd County Extension Agents Office.

"The wind is going to work in west Texas"

With the ever-increasing cost of electric power, alternative energy sources are now becoming an efficient reality. One of the most available sources of power is the wind, and in Midland, Texas, unique wind generators will soon be converting wind into electricity. The electric wind generators are specifically designed for homes and small businesses. They are installed on sixty foot poles, using no unsightly guy wires. The wind generators are designed to fit into residential areas; are quite; are cosmetically attractive and are engineered to be structurally sound, even in high wind.

The U.S. Government presently encourages alternative power sources with a 40% tax rebate on total cost of the electric wind generators for homes...and a tax credit for businesses who purchase them. There is no sales taxes on such power source purchases in Texas.

The electric wind generators were developed over a period of years through U.S., NASA, and corporate research. These units operate with as

little as 9 mile an hour winds, and in the West Texas area, the average wind speed exceeds this minimum over 80% of the time at the 60 foot elevation of the wind generator.

Windmill Electric Company of West Texas, the new distributorship, offers total turnkey installation of the electric windmill generators which are 60 cycle, 110 AC, and tie into the present electric system of any house or business. The user will still have an electric bill, but will require only the difference between that generated by the wind unit and the electricity needed at any given time. It means the home will have a joint power source instead of only the present power company supply.

The electric windmill generator is a downwind, automatic start-up power unit rated at 2,000 watts. The Purpa Act of 1978 requires all utility companies to purchase extra current from small producers not utilizing such generated power. These units are designed for such added savings if desired by the owners.

County Agent's Corner

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Fertilizer and weed killer and combinations are designed to appeal to the inherent lazy streak present in almost all home gardeners. The idea of fertilizing the lawn and killing the weeds all in one application is difficult to resist.

Weed killers when used properly can be great time-savers and eliminate a lot of back-breaking work. However, they must be used according to the directions given on the container if they are to be effective and not endanger valuable plants in the landscape.

The same chemicals that will kill the weeds are frequently harmful to the trees, shrubs and vines used in the landscape. Since tree roots invade the lawn area and usually extend beyond the branch spread it is difficult to apply a fertilizer-herbicide mixture to the lawn area without danger of damage to the desirable plants in the lawn.

All too often the time to apply fertilizer is not the correct time for effective weed control. Each type of herbicide must be used at specific rates and at a certain critical time to be effective for killing weeds. The atmospheric conditions many times cause these herbicides to drift long distances. The wind and humidity may cause reactions many days after application.

While fertilizer should be applied at the recommended rate, there is usually little harm if the homeowner fails to calibrate his distributor correctly and makes a slightly heavier application. If herbicides are contained in the mixture, this error can be very damaging to the desirable vegetation. Another difficulty

which frequently arises is the part of a sack of the mixture left over after the lawn has been fertilized. Frequently this is left in the garage of tool shed until fertilizer is needed for a flower garden or rose bed. The fact that the fertilizer contains a herbicide is forgotten, and irreparable damage is done to a favorite beauty spot in the garden.

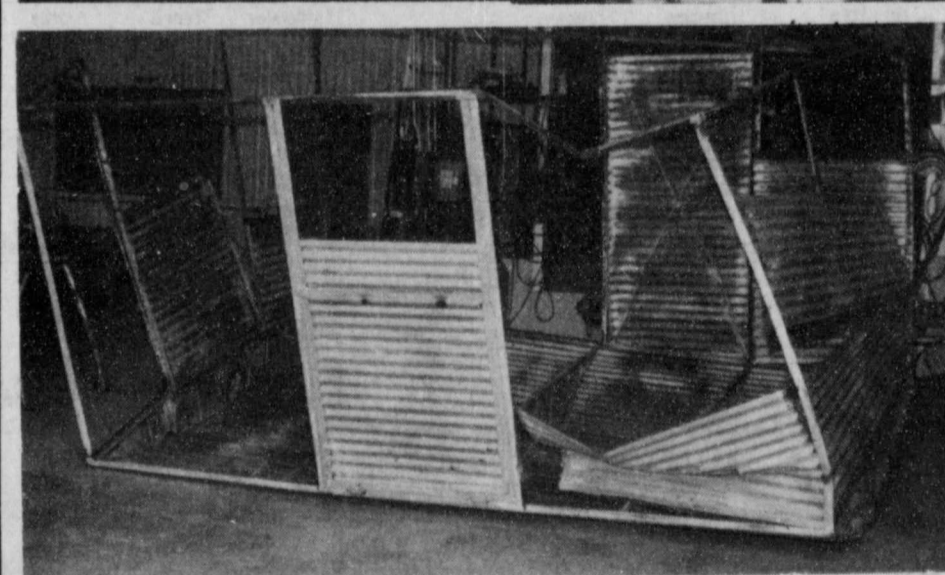
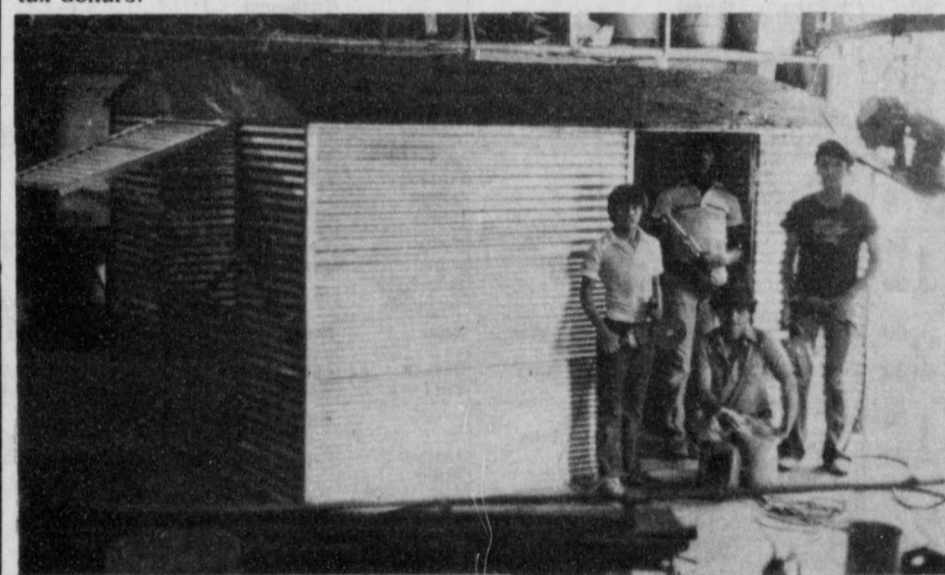
Many of the more popular landscape trees including oaks, mulberry, sycamore, and others are highly susceptible to weed killers. When contemplating the use of a herbicide or herbicide and fertilizer mixture, always read all of the precautions given on the label. The information contained on the label was developed through expensive research and the manufacturer provides this information for your protection.

Remember weeds in a lawn are usually an indication of poor management practices. Through proper fertilization, correct mowing practices, adequate moisture, and good soil drainage, the grass will be vigorous enough to crowd out the weeds.

In those areas beneath trees where excessive shade weakens the grass and is invaded by weeds, the use of herbicides is extremely risky. It is better to replace the grass with a shade-tolerant ground cover such as English Ivy.

Remember when using any type of pesticides, it is the misuse of these materials that usually cause problems.

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THIS STORAGE SHED WAS REBUILT by the Della Plains Metal Shop class (top photo). Displaying the project are Martin Riojas [kneeling] Manuel Suarez (left), Stacy Williams [center] and Ray Hernandez [right]. This project, the major project of the year, was done for a farmer. The project involved welding, cutting, grinding, and measuring. Also the power pull, hydraulic body jack and portable cut-off were used. The lower photo shows the shed, which was torn up in a storm, before the work was started. Most of the original material was used. Other students working on the projects were Nuno Hernandez, Scott Watts, Ricky Comacho, Albert Garza, Randy Hernandez and Danny Salazar.

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