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## GIVE THANKS

*I am thankful for my parents, because if it wasn't for my parents I would not be alive. I am thankful for my health. I am thankful for my freedom because in other countries some children would have to work instead of going to school. I am thankful for the freedom to be what I want to be, and the freedom to vote the way I want to vote. I am proud of my country. Thanks Giving is a special time of the year to get together and sing songs about our country and give thanks to the father of our country.*

*Aneatria Walker*  
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## Regular blood drives set for 1987 in Lockney

Thanks to the sponsorship of Lockney General Hospital and the donation of a place for blood drives to be held, Lockney will, in 1987, have a blood drive about every 10 weeks throughout the year.

Blood drives will be held at the Lockney Beacon office with Lockney General Hospital administration acting as the sponsoring organization for the drives.

Dates for the blood drives will include January 16, March 27, August 14, October 23 and December 18. There is a 10-week skip between the March and

August drives to keep from interfering with the yearly drive which Tye Co. in Lockney has scheduled. The time for each of the drives will be from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. unless there is a need for the drives to begin earlier or run later if a large number of people are going to donate.

Citizens of Lockney who have donated blood previously will be notified by phone and through the mail of the blood drives and should have ample time to schedule time to donate. Also, The Lockney Beacon will run notices before each of the drives to keep the public informed.

Citizens may schedule times they wish to donate and walkins will be welcome.

United Blood Services of Lubbock will be conducting each of the blood drives. UBC is a non-profit community blood and blood products service which provides blood products to patients in medical facilities in the area, including Lockney and Floydada. All blood from the Lubbock facility is provided by community minded donors.

The donation process itself takes only about 30 minutes. It begins with a short interview to review general health, take blood pressure and check the iron level of the donors' blood. The process of drawing blood takes about 10 to 15 minutes and is relatively painless, except for a small prick in the arm.

Afterwards, the donor will be provided with a light refreshment and then the donor may return to work and other regular activities. Donors are encouraged to eat a good meal after the donation.

Blood services representatives stress that there is no way to contact any disease while donating blood. All materials used in the donation process are used only once and are then discarded. All materials are sterile and after each donation are discarded.

Blood donated to Blood Services is used as whole blood, red blood cells, platelets, plasma and antithrombotic factors. Due to the many various blood components as many as four people may benefit from one donation. One of those four people could be someone from this very community.

"There is a 60 percent chance that you or someone you know may need blood in his or her lifetime" and Blood Services is the provider of that blood. Without volunteer donors there would be a shortage of the blood products.

No charge is made for the blood delivered to area medical facilities. However there is a charge for the tests which are performed on the blood. These tests screen each donation for any disease which could be harmful to a blood recipient.

Blood Services screens blood for many diseases which do include AIDS. With new testing procedures, which were put into effect in 1985, there is no chance of a recipient getting contaminated blood.

Anyone interested in donating blood at one of the Lockney drives may come to the Beacon office on the day of the drive. If you have a question as to whether you can donate, technicians from blood services are there to answer questions.



GIVE THANKS FOR . . . Aneatria Walker, a fifth grader in Lockney Junior High, was among elementary students explaining the reasons she has to be thankful. — Staff photo

## PTA poster contest winners announced

"Safety" was the theme for a Lockney PTA organization-sponsored poster contest the past two weeks. All elementary school students were encouraged to participate.

Top winners were Joe Cruz from fourth grade, Aubrey Kirk from third grade and Stacy Bigham from first grade. They garnered first, second and third places, respectively.

Three winners were selected from each grade before the top six from this group were chosen and judged by the public in the lobby of First National Bank this past week.

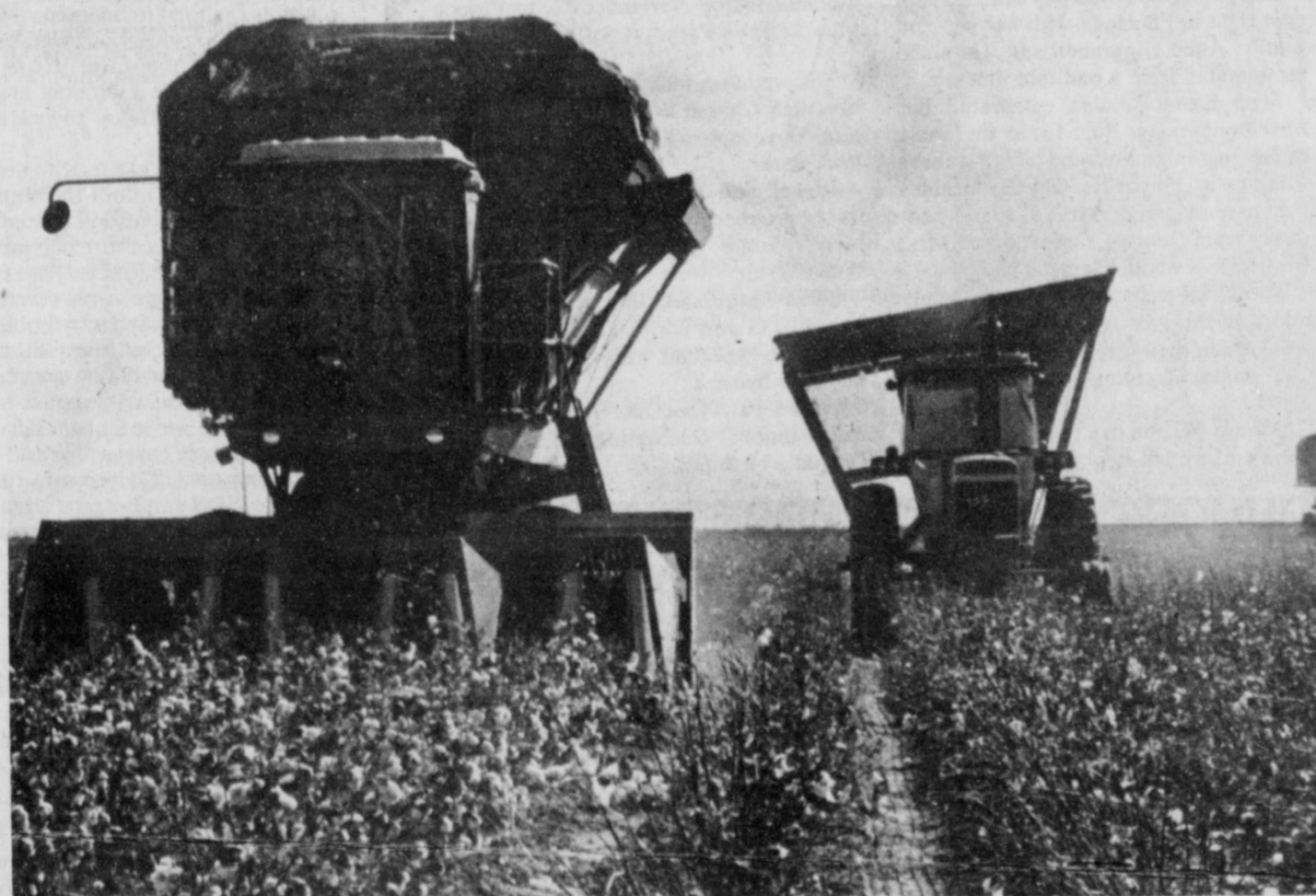
Votes were cast by placing a five cents donation for the best posters. All

money raised from the contest will go to the winners' room and the class and teacher will decide how they wish to use the money.

Top winners from each class include: from kindergarten, Hank Henderson, Marc Wilson and Lilia Mondragon. From first grade, Stacy Bigham, Callie Wilson and Becca Kirk. From second grade, John DeLeon, Joyce Robbins and Corbin Kellison. Third grade winners were Aubrey Kirk, Michael Renaga and David Padilla. Fourth grade winners were Joe Cruz and Malva Martinez and from the fifth grade winners were Cindy Perez and Patricia Garcia.

## Horns trim Kress

Basketball update inside



WHILE THE SUN SHINES—With fair weather prevailing and furious." These machines were operating west of late last week, harvesting operations were progressing "fast Lockney. Staff Photo

## Observant citizens needed to help avert thefts

Following a recent house burglary in the north portion of Floyd County, someone likely saw the pickup or truck

loaded with furnishings.

Last year, a tractor was loaded at a county farm and hauled away. A man

told officers a few days later that he observed the tractor being loaded "about 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning" and admitted that the action seemed strange to him due to the house but he failed to report it to lawmen.

There are only two cases when an observant public contacting officers immediately could have "saved your neighbor a loss."

Suspicious activity should be reported

immediately.

"If you see an unknown truck loaded with furniture or farm equipment, especially late at night, please report this to the sheriff's department at once," officers request. "Jot down a license plate number, if you can, and a description of the vehicle."

Below is a list of emergency numbers which residents may tape to their phone for immediate action.

— Please tape to your phone —

**Police . . . . . 652-2416**

**Sheriff's . . . . . 652-2416**

**Fire . . . . . 652-2451**

**Ambulance . . . 652-2451**



### COUNT ME IN THE 'THANKFUL' COLUMN

How could any of us truly be thankful Thursday? Economic conditions are pinching everyone, most crops are far from the greatest, most people are grouchy for this or that reason, illness and grief are ever present.

All the above is true, but count me among those who stand in the "thankful" column this Thanksgiving Day... and every day.

Sure, our economy is sick...but wouldn't 90 percent of the world's population be glad to exchange places with us?

How about family and friends? These priceless commodities are there through thick and thin...their value never fluctuates.

Try on good health as another reason to be thankful. Walk down a hospital hall...health is valuable.

And, too, there is an opportunity in our land to live, worship, work and play pretty much as we want. Our government is full of fallacies and disappointments...but name one better!

I thank God because I have plenty to be thankful for. How about you?

### STICK TO YOUR DIET

"Stick to this diet absolutely," the doctor instructed his overweight patient. "Your health is in danger. In six months I want to see 70 percent of you back here for a checkup!"

### LITTLE CHANCE OF DISASTER HELP, STENHOLM BELIEVES

Congressman Charles Stenholm, during a Nov. 13 whirlwind tour of Crosby County, told farmers in the weather-stricken area what they didn't want to

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### CHRISTMAS PAGE

The Il Penseroso Junior Study Club is planning to have a Christmas signature page in the Christmas edition of the Beacon. If you would like to have your families name included on the page contact any member of the study club. There is a \$5.00 charge per family to have your families name included on the page. Plans are for the page to be in color.

## Outstanding holiday-decorated homes recognized by chamber

With the passing of Thanksgiving this week, thoughts will begin to turn to the yule season.

In an attempt to promote holiday decor in the community, Lockney Chamber of Commerce plans to recognize an outstanding Christmas-decorated home each week during December.

Owners of the three most outstanding

homes, picked by judges, are to be presented gift certificates redeemable at Lockney Chamber of Commerce-member stores.

Nominations for decorations of either city or rural residences may be made to the chamber office or by calling Gayle Jackson, 296-5079.

## 12 turkey winners announced Friday

Mildred Hilton was the first name drawn Friday afternoon as the winner of one of 12 Thanksgiving turkeys given by Lockney merchants. Mrs. Hilton's turkey was provided by First National Bank.

In the drawing coordinated by The Beacon, registration continued 10 days with individuals placing their coupons in the various merchants' boxes.

Other winners in the drawing were (recipient and donor): Webster Service & Supply — Jim Huggins NTS Communications — Les Fergu-

son The Lockney Beacon — Don Auffer Davis Lumber Co. — Don Vernon Lockney Insurance Agency — Retha Wofford

Parker Furniture & Appliance — Geneva Barclay Lee's Home & Auto — Wanda McClendon

Pay-n-Save — Tommy Davis Byrd Pharmacy — Vera Jo Bybee Jackson Tire Co. — Max Yeary Brown's Dept. Store — Johnnie Kellison.





## In times like these... By Mary Jo Fielding

Two weeks ago three U.S. naval ships pulled into the northern Chinese port of Qingdao as a 21-piece brass band played Happy Days Are Here Again. The vessels were in China for a six-day stop-over, the first such visit by American military ships to the People's Republic since the Communist takeover in 1949. The port call had been delayed by more than a year following Peking's unexpected statement that no nuclear-armed vessels would be permitted to dock. But the Chinese apparently had second thoughts after reports began to circulate last summer that North Korea had granted Soviet vessels calling rights at the port Nampo just 340 miles across the Yellow Sea. As Peking and Washington basked in the visiting goodwill, the U.S. maintained its policy of refusing to say whether the vessels were nuclear armed and the Chinese raised no questions about the nuclear capacities of the visiting vessels.

The port call was a symbolic victory for Washington in the diplomatic war now emerging in the Pacific between the superpowers. The contest began in

earnest 15 months ago, when Moscow secured fishing rights to the tuna-rich waters of Kiribati, a tiny 33 island former British colony in the South Pacific. Then last June Vanuatu, formerly the British-French territory of New Hebrides, opened diplomatic relations with Moscow, following the lead of Fiji and three other Pacific island states.

Last June the Kremlin created a new bureau within the Foreign Ministry. The so called Pacific Ocean Department and began dispatching high level trade and goodwill delegations throughout the region. Then on July 28 in a speech in Vladivostok, the Soviet Union's main Pacific port, General Secretary Gorbachev boldly signaled for larger designs. Then to his audience he mapped out an ambitious Soviet policy that includes extensive diplomatic and economic ties throughout the region, concentrating on China and Japan.

The speech received close attention in Washington. In addition to the economic aspects, some analysts also heard an implied threat to U.S. military supremacy in the region.



**KIDS OF AMERICA WINNER**—Mary Lindsey Poole competed in the Darry Kids of America beauty pageant in Odessa on Saturday, November 15. She came home with two trophies, a banner, crown and a bouquet of white carnations. She won the seven to nine division in beauty and also photogenic. The picture above is the one which gave Mary Lindsey the winning photogenic divisional spot. She is the nine year old daughter of James and Shelia Poole of Lockney and is a fourth grader at Lockney Elementary. Photo by Chuck Wilson

## Dianne's Diary

By Dianne Galvan

The end of the month is upon us now but it has been a delightful November for us here at home.

There has just been so many sweet sounds of laughter around us all. Laughter accompanied by sweet smiling faces everywhere we turn. Everyone here is in high spirits. We are having a higher number of attendance in our activities which makes for lots more fun.

We've been working extra hard on our crafts in preparation for our Christmas Bazaar on December 9 at the elementary school. We will be selling most of our items for under one dollar to allow the children an opportunity to purchase gifts for their family members.

We are still taking time for recreational activities such as a bus trip, dominoes and bingo.

As Thanksgiving approaches we are reminded of the things we are thankful for. We give thanks for our families and friends, for our volunteer church people who come to worship with us. We are thankful for our lives and our health, for

a warm place to live, for the food that we eat and the good care we receive. We give thanks for our nation and all that it represents, and for all of the other things that mean so much to us.

We would like to wish our friends, Guy Tyler and Orville Billington, who are in the hospital a speedy recovery and we hope to have them back home soon.

On the spotlight of our "new staff member profile" we have Vickie Wederski. She is our new LVN who has three years of experience as a nurse. She received her education in nursing at Colby Community College in Colby. She has worked in two nursing homes, prior to here in Lockney, one in Kansas and another in Tulsa. We have found her to be a great asset to our home.

Vickey and her husband David make their home in Silverton with their four year old son, Aaron and their five month old daughter Kelsy.

Until next week. Happy Thanksgiving to you all.

## Drive safely on Thanksgiving holiday trips, advises DPS

Major V.J. Cawthon, regional commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety said, "Although the Thanksgiving Holiday is not classified as an official operation motorcade, all available troopers will be working, in an effort to reduce accidents."

Major Cawthon also said, "Even though some motorists will be traveling across town, others will be traveling across the state, all motorists can assist in reducing traffic accidents by observing all traffic laws. Remember that alcohol is involved in at least 50% of all

fatal accidents."

Major Cawthon noted that all law enforcement agencies will be cooperating in an all out effort to help make this a safe and enjoyable holiday. Even a small accident can ruin any holiday, but law enforcement agencies cannot make this a safe holiday by themselves.

This is why it takes cooperation between law enforcement and the motoring public in order for all to have a safe and enjoyable Thanksgiving holiday.



## Happy Thanksgiving



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## SOUTH PLAINS NEWS

By Mrs. M. Julian

Mrs. M. Julian and her sister, Mrs. B. Sandusky, have been staying in South Plains at the Julian home while Mrs. Sandusky is visiting here from Denver. She returned to her home in Denver on November 24.

We are sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Lena Brotherton who died Nov. 6 in Lockney. She had been a beauty operator in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Early and Nell Pritchett who have been living at their summer home in Ruidoso, N.M., have moved back to their home here in South Plains on the highway to Floydada, for the winter.

Ruby Higginbotham has been staying part time in Floydada with her son and family, Alton Higginbotham, while she recuperates from a bad foot illness.

Mrs. Kendis Julian celebrated her birthday Sunday, Nov. 16, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Stewart in Floydada. Guests, besides her parents, were Mrs. Bernice Sandusky from Denver, Colorado and Mrs. B. Julian of South Plains.

The weather has been sunny, windy and cold the past week. Some farmers are getting their cotton out. You can see the stacks of cotton in all the cotton fields.

Johnny Wilson has been ill for a long time and we are hoping for a return to

good health for him.

Among visitors in the South Plains home of B. Julian the past week were Mamie Wood, Navolia Kinslow and Ruby Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois and Leland Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Don and Elaine Williams of Salt Lake City, Utah, who are traveling in their big travel trailers, visited recently with the Brown's friends, Mrs. B. Julian and Mrs. B. Sandusky here in South Plains. It was wonderful to see Lois and Lee Brown after 14 years absence.

Miss Melissa Horne of Iowa Park, who is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Kinnibrugh of South Plains was married on November 22, to Ricky Moss of Iowa Park.

The wedding took place at the First Christian Church of Iowa Park at 7:00 p.m. The couple will make their home in Iowa Park.

Juanell and James Teague of Dallas were here recently with Juanell's folks, Mrs. Mamie Wood and the Glen Woods.

Bodie Teague and four of his friends from L.C.C. and Lorie and Earl Teague spent the weekend here and painted Mamie's house.

Glen and Pat Wood has them all for a steak dinner celebrating Mrs. Lula Teague's birthday.

## There are only 28 days until Christmas

Do you try to buy it at home FIRST?

## Happy Thanksgiving

We have so many blessings to give thanks for...our families...friends...health... happiness. Let's count our good fortunes on this happy holiday.



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## Lockney Hospital Report

November 17 - November 24

Joe Torres, Lockney, adm. 11-10.	11-17, baby boy Steven born 11-17, dis. 11-17.
Isidra Meza, Plainview, adm. 11-15, baby girl Luz Celia born 11-16, dis. 11-20.	Cherie Cerbantez, Plainview, adm. 11-17, baby boy Jerard born 11-17, dis. 11-20.
Orville Billington, Lockney, adm. 11-16.	
Dawn Bullock, Lubbock, adm. 11-17, baby girl Amy Nicole born 11-17, dismissed.	Sylvia Yeary, Lockney, adm. 11-17, Mady Davis, Silverton, adm. 11-19, Preston Woods, Quitaque, adm. 11-19.
Ruth Rodriguez, Plainview, adm. 11-19.	

## Gonzales deployed to Japan

Marine Pfc. Israel Gonzales, son of Pete P. and Santos A. Gonzales of Lockney, recently deployed to Camp Schwab, Okinawa, Japan with 1st Battalion, 8th Marines, Camp Lejeune, NC.

During the two-week deployment, Gonzales participated in the Korean incremental training program in Pohang, Republic of Korea (ROK).

The training consisted of Mountain Warfare School sponsored by the 2nd ROK Marine Training Group and cross-training with counterparts from the 1st ROK Marine Division.

## Happy Thanksgiving

## Mize home after surgery

Wilbur Mize, who suffered a broken right leg in a Nov. 7 fall, returned to his home Thursday from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He is able to resume duties at Mize Pharmacy, although he is expected to "be on crutches for 30 days." Mize underwent surgery on Nov. 8 in the Lubbock medical facility to pin his right leg, which was broken just below the hip.

## We Salute

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Nov. 27: Barbara Cavazos, Leslieanne Hickerson, Clara McCain, Ruth Noland, Patricia Reyes

Nov. 28: Allen Stallings, Luis Rodriguez, Sandy Cervantes, Flora Lee Jack, Miguel Padilla Jr.

Nov. 29: Fred Byrd, Donna Vernon, Rick Bixler, Jane Archer

Nov. 30: Heather Henderson, Mrs. Elvin Lyon, Jim Ansley



## Let's talk.

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

## A look at phone services of the future

It may be hard to believe but 1987 is a little more than a month away. I don't know about you, but every year about this time, I start to think about the future. It's as if the passage from one year to the next is a window, and every November I get the urge to step up to that window to look at the images on the other side of the glass.

As an employee of Southwestern Bell Telephone, I am naturally inclined to think about the changes that will be taking place in the telecommunications industry. Certainly, this industry has had more than its share of changes in the last few years. However, when I look to the future, I see technological advancements that will literally change — no, revolutionize — our way of life.

Business Week recently published an excellent article on the future of the telecommunications industry, titled, "The Rewiring of America." It told of how current research is working toward forming one compatible coast-to-coast network, called the Integrated Services Digital Network or ISDN. This system would simultaneously carry voice and data messages over one line, acting as a sort of telecommunications super-highway.

Before ISDN can become a reality, however, new types of equipment must be installed nationwide. Especially critical to ISDN is the digital switch, which Southwestern Bell Telephone is installing at an aggressive pace in its central offices across the state. This year alone it is estimated that we will spend \$253 million on this project.

As part owner of Bellcore, the research wing of the seven regional Bell operating companies, Southwestern Bell Telephone is participating in experiments relating to the ISDN. The developments initiated in the coming years will not only improve the quality of your call transmission, but will expand the ways in which you use your phone.

## Technology permits new uses for your phone

For example, your phone line will be able to serve as a home security system, mail carrier and, with the help of your personal computer, a video newspaper. You will also be able to use your phone to check the status of your bank account in another city.

The new technology will make your phone even more reliable than it is now. Among the service-related developments on the horizon is a computer system that will detect trouble on your line — even before you do — and automatically make the necessary repairs.

What's more, you will have a wide choice of phone features — far beyond what you may have ever imagined. For example, our network will know the originating location of an incoming call. Then, as the phone is ringing, a computer-generated voice will announce the caller's name so you can decide if you would like to answer it or not.

Farfetched? Not at all. Austin customers have been trialing early versions of similar services for nearly two years. One of the most popular, Automatic Recall, addresses a frustration we have all experienced. Inevitably, when you rush to answer a ringing telephone, it stops just as you pick it up. With this phone feature, you can call that number back by simply dialing a two digit code.

Another feature being tested allows you to block certain numbers from ringing through to your phone. Another still, enables you to forward only certain calls to a third number. And perhaps one feature that could have the greatest impact of all, will allow you to trace annoyance calls.

The ultimate winner in this technological explosion will be you, the phone customer. You will have advanced telecommunication systems at your fingertips. And if you prefer only to use your phone for that most basic of reasons — to make a call — you will have faster, more dependable phone service than ever before.

We are proud of the research under way at Southwestern Bell Telephone. It is part of our pledge to provide you with the best possible phone service — today and in the future.

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# 'A whole bunch to a few'

## Former Longhorn Terry Clark successful youth football coach

Terry Clark once wore a red and white uniform and, as a Longhorn running back, raced up and down the Mitchell-Zimmerman Field turf.

For the past 16 years, Clark has roamed the sidelines as a Canyon team coach in Amarillo Kid's, Inc., football. And for 16 seasons a Clark-coached team has won — at the very least — a divisional title.

"It's very rewarding," says the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.R. (Shorty) Clark of Lockney. "I'll keep on doing it as long as I enjoy it like I do now. I never in my life have done anything I enjoy more, period."

In his 16 coaching seasons he has had only four teams. Each team has remained under Clark's watchful eye for a minimum of three years, from the youngest allowable participation to the oldest, or sixth-grade, level.

An electrician by trade, the 45-year-old Clark shrugs off the importance of his won-loss record. "A whole bunch to a few," he admits.

The former Longhorn's first team lost only three games in three years. His second squad was undefeated for three seasons, and it never allowed an offensive touchdown.

He believes his third team was his most talented, and this year's crew, his fourth, came back from an early 1-1-3 record to win its division with a 5-1-3

mark.

"This group accomplished more than any team I ever had," Clark says of his most recent charges. "They were struggling, and they were really trying. We sat down and talked about what it was going to take, and they put it together."

First in its division, this year's contingent fell in its bid to repeat as (Amarillo) city champions, 2-0 in the tournament finale. But Clark says winning is not all that matters.

"The first year I coached we won all our games and went to the Toy Bowl which they used to have," he remembers. "I was all psyched up, and Ridgecrest just beat us like a drum."

"I felt terrible, but five minutes later I looked at the kids and big deal! They didn't care, and that's when I knew there had to be more to football than win, win, win."

"From that day on I've never asked a kid to win a ballgame. You don't have to. You ask them to give what they think is 100 percent and apply themselves. If they win, that's the reward. If they don't win, they still get rewards because they know they did their best."

Practices four days a week, lasting two hours, are common for Clark's teams. But the coach expects participation from the parents too, and he wants his players to get more out of football

than X's and O's.

"What it boils down to is I teach just a little bit about football. I try to combine it with life. I teach discipline, dependability and I teach them that they have to apply themselves and dedicate themselves if they want something bad enough."

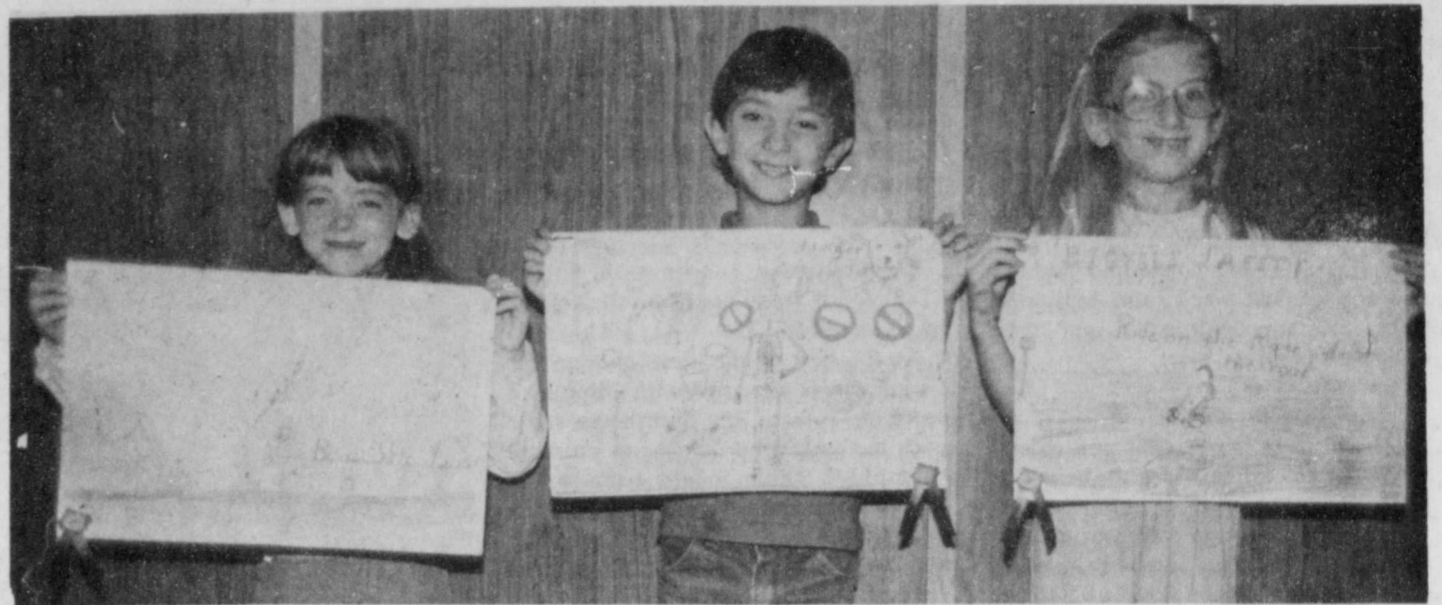
"I'm strict and I do lots of hollering, but I'm fair. I don't have any favorites, and they know that. And I expect the parents to participate."

"If a kid messes up on a football play, that doesn't tear me up. If a parent doesn't come to ballgames, that tears me up. I love every one of the kids I've ever coached."

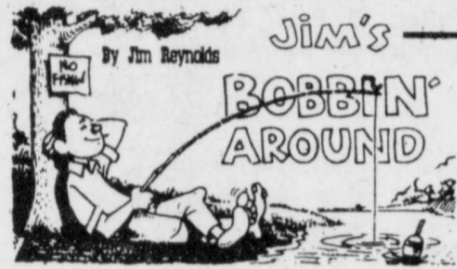
"You lose a great group like I did with my first team and you think there will never be a group to take its place. But the next group comes along and they get to the point where they understand what it's all about, and that's when you become attached to them."

Next year Clark will drop back and pick up a fourth-grade team to replace this year's graduates. Well, maybe not replace them because, "Every group is different, and every kid is different."

The former Lockneyite insists that "I'm no genius, but I know that nobody can make them do what they need to do. They've got to do it."



POSTER WINNERS—Aubrey Kirk, Joe Cruz, and Stacy Bigham display their winning posters from the PTA poster contest. Aubrey had the first place poster, Joe had the second place winner and Stacy had the third place poster. Posters were judged by the public at the bank this past week by paying 5 cents per vote for their favorites. All the money raised will go to the class rooms of the winners to be used any way the class and teacher decide. STAFF PHOTO



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hear. He said there is very little chance of disaster assistance for the South Plains.

Con. Stenholm told the group that only \$400 million has been approved for all U.S. agriculture disaster relief. Most of that sum, probably, will go to the southeastern states hit hard by drought this past summer.

### BE THANKFUL FOR WHAT YOU HAVE!

A friend says while many people are "down about crop prospects, they should drive down to Seminole, Lamesa and other areas to the south of Lubbock. Crops there, she says, are virtually zilch.

"We may not have the best crops, but they are sure better than many places," the person says.

### HOW FAR...?

"That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says asking a woman her age is like buying a used car. You figure the speedometer's been turned back but you don't know how far." —Speedy Nieman, Hereford Brand

### TAX REFORM?

The income tax "simplification" law is 1,811 pages long. Now that's real simplification!

Tax specialists are sounding the warning. A Tulsa CPA told a civic club, "We will not know the true impact of this law for many years, and many court cases to come. We have already been told that Congress will make changes to the law next year, and that many of the changes scheduled to take place in 1988 will be repealed before they become effective. Also, we can expect the 15% and 28% tax rates promised for 1988 will be raised prior to them becoming effective."

We predict that most middle income Americans — the folks who have always carried the brunt of the tax load — will become truly sick of the "simplification" before long. Remember, Congress can change the 15% and 28% rates any time!

### 'CHEATING' PEOPLE

Hold on, Boss, here I go again about "cheating" people.

You know we put The Crosby County News on newsstands in Crosbyton, Ralls and Lorenzo. Some of these stands are where the business buys the papers then re-sells them. A few more on the

"honor" system where the purchaser takes a paper and supposedly pays for it.

Well, I'm here to tell you that with some people "there is no honor."

Every week we lose money on the newspapers placed in those stands. We have six such stands in the three towns and last week on those six stands we lost approximately \$20 by people picking up the paper and never paying for it. Now, Boss, this has nothing to do with the businesses where the stands are located. I am talking about the people who take the paper.

So, this week we are making a change. We are doing away with the "honor stands" at the Dairy Queen in both Crosbyton and Ralls, Allsup's in Ralls and Lowrie Drug in Crosbyton. We will continue to monitor Allsup's in Crosbyton and Lorenzo for a week or two.

Lowrie Drug is now selling the papers over the counter so persons who have bought from that stand may still get them inside. Only those who have been taking the paper like it was a free one will now have to pay.

Other sales points in Crosbyton are Mini-Mart, George's Super Market, Ince-Stop, the newspaper office and right now Allsup's.

Over in Ralls sales points are Lawrence Bros., The Ralls Flower Shop, Ralls Pharmacy, Dick's Pharmacy and Quick Stop.

In Lorenzo you may find them at Allsup's and the cafe across the street from Allsup's.

I apologize to those persons who have purchased the paper at the discontinued points and paid for them. I hope it does not cause you an inconvenience, but I'll be danged if I will continue to allow the few who stoop so low as to take a 35 cent paper and not pay for it to rip me off. —Burnis Lawrence — Crosbyton Review

### TRUE MAGICIAN

A magician had a pet parrot. Whenever the magician was performing, the parrot would sit on his shoulder and squawk out, "The rabbit is hidden in the top of his hat," or "The ace is hidden in his sleeve."

One day, the magician took a job on an ocean liner. During his act the ship struck an iceberg and sank. As fate would have it, there were only two survivors — the magician and the parrot. They sat in a lifeboat for three days and three nights, the parrot at one

end of the boat, the magician at the other.

The parrot did not take his eye off the magician for all this time. Finally, the parrot said, "All right, I give up. What did you do with the ship?"

### THE FATE OF 100,000 PAPER CLIPS

Here is an interesting tidbit from "Industry Week Magazine." While you are reading it, think of where you fit in.

Only one-fifth of all paper clips produced are actually used to clip papers together. Most wind up being used for assorted other purposes, according to a survey by Lloyd's Bank of England. It found that of every 100,000 paper clips:

- 14,163 are twisted or broken during phone calls.
- 17,200 are used as hooks to hang things from.
- 5,434 are used as toothpicks.
- 5,308 are used as nail cleaners.
- 3,196 are used as pipe cleaners.
- 19,143 are used as chips in card games.
- 15,556 are dropped on the floor and swept away.
- 20,000 are used to clip paper together.

### WATER SHORTAGE

At least 40 cities and other authorities serving more than 780,000 people in the state had experienced summertime water supply problems by September 1, according to the Texas Water Development Board.

Many of the problems were caused by the inability to produce water from wells at a high enough rate to meet peak demand, while others involved inadequate water treatment and distribution capacity. However, most water utilities in the state reported that water levels in wells and lakes were adequate.

Of the 40 areas reporting problems, at least 15 had imposed mandatory water use restrictions and another 20 had put into effect voluntary restrictions.

Most of the areas were in North Texas near Dallas and Fort Worth and in Central Texas and near Austin.

Hopefully, this is a problem that residents of this area won't have to face any time in the near future. I don't understand why more industrialists don't make note of the water problem and locate in areas where the supply is plentiful. —Joe Harrison, The Texas Spur



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# Horns trim Kress

Longhorns got into the win column Friday with a 60-36 decision in Kress. This was the Red and White's second game of the young season.

Basketball season for 1986-87 in Lockney opened last week, and four local teams posted victories to get their season off to a good start.

## LOCKNEY VS. KRESS

Longhorn varsity redeemed themselves for an earlier loss with the win at Kress.

The Horns outscored Kress in three of the four quarters. Score by quarters included 15 to 2 in the first 15-15 in the second, 16 to 11 in the third and 14 to 8 in the fourth.

Scoring for the Horns were Chad Frizzell with seven field goals, Jimmy Ballejo three field goals, Joe Torrez with two, Rusty Teeter with three and Ron Cates with four field goals.

Scoring on free throws in the game were Torrez with four, Teeter with three, Cates with one, Todd Hallmark with four and Steve Cates with three.

Of this game Cotham said, "Our kids corrected some severe mistakes that they made in their first outing and played a fine ball game. Turnovers were a big key in the game as Kress had a hard time holding on to the ball. We also beat them on the board."

## JV BOYS WIN

The junior varsity boys also posted a win against Kress by a score of 33-23. This was their first outing.

The JV boys were outscored in the first quarter 2-6 but bounced back in the second quarter and scored 11 to Kress' 5. After the half the Horns again outscored Kress 9 to 8 and then capped off the game scoring 11 points to Kress' 2 in the fourth quarter.

Scoring field goals in the game were Wesley Teeter with three, Phillip Glasson, Scott Armstrong and Joe Louis Guerrero each with two, and Jorge Bernal, Justin Means and Michael Monroe each had one.

Free throws in the game came from Teeter, Armstrong and Guerrero, each with one.

Coach Moerbe commented of the boys, "The kids displayed a tremendous desire to win this game. Their willingness to be victorious could push them by some formidable foes."

## KRESS GIRLS TOUGH

Varsity girls were not as successful with Kress and now have a 1-1 record. The final score was Kress 58, Lockney 25.

Scoring for the Lady Horns were Curt Thomas with five field goals and two free throws, Connie Vasquez with two field goals and seven free throws and Sundai Workman with one free throw.

Coach Nancy Ratliff said, "The girls hustled and tried their best. It was a bad night for shooting. We were outplayed on the boards and beaten down the court. The girls did what they could and I'm proud of them for working so hard."

## LOCKNEY VS. OLTON

Both the Lady Horn varsity team and the eighth grade boys posted wins against Olton on Monday of last week.

Final score of the game was Lady Horns 49 and Olton 29. High scorers for the Lady Horns in the game were Curt

Thomas with 11 points and Ruth Elaine Wilson with 9.

## Eighth Boys

The eighth grade boys won their game by a score of 38-33.

At the end of the first quarter the Lockney boys were tied with Olton by a score of 11 each. The Shorthorns came back in the second quarter to outscore Olton 13-8. Olton fought back in the third quarter and outscored the Lockney team by one point when they scored five and Lockney had 4. The Shorthorns were not through as they battled back and outscored Olton 10-9 in the fourth quarter and a game winning total score of 38-33.

Scoring for Lockney were Jerry Don Evans who had a total of 13 points with five field goals and three free throws. Gilbert Ruiz scored 10 points with four field goals and two free throws, Kip Holt scored four field goals, Steven Vasquez had two field goals and one free throw and Jeffrey Sutterfield and Orlando Mondragon each had one free throw.

Of the game, Coach Randy Josey said, "The boys played an outstanding game. We hit well from the outside and played very good defense."

## JUNIOR HIGH

The seventh grade boys and eighth grade girls were not quite as lucky against Olton and both teams posted their first losses of the 1986-87 season.

Final score of the seventh grade Shorthorns game was 34-5. Scoring for the Lockney team were Matt Workman with one field goal and one free throw and Bryan Griffith with one field goal. They are coached by Mickey Crowe.

Stating that she was proud of the girls and that "They played really well and have worked hard." Coach Karla Josey reviewed the eighth grade girls game. They posted a final score of 10 to 15 in their game with Olton.

The girls outscored Olton in the first quarter, 5-0, but fell behind in the second quarter while being outscored 1-5. They were also outscored in the third and fourth quarters.

Scoring for the Lockney team were Tandi Gant with one field goal and one free throw, Erin Adrian, Amy Turner and Jennifer Turberville each had one field goal and Aimee Green had one free throw.

## CLOSE AT MOTLEY

Longhorn varsity boys played their first game last Tuesday night against Motley County and fell in their first outing by a 41-46 score.

The Horns were outscored in the first, third and fourth quarters.

Scoring for Lockney were Chad Frizzell with three field goals, Jimmy Ballejo with two field goals and six free throws, Joe Torrez had four field goals, Rusty Teeter had three field goals and two free throws, Ron Cates, Todd Hallmark, Steven Cates and David Rodriguez each had one field goal. Steven Cates also put in one free throw.

Coach Cotham said, "We had a bag game from the start. We turned the ball over a number of times, and we did not do well in rebounding. We plan on making a better showing during our next outing."



FATHERS AND SONS COMPETE—Last Saturday morning the Lockney FFA held its second annual turkey shoot and among those competing were Bob and Rusty Purser and Matt and David Workman. In one of the flights for a turkey, both Workmans and Purser shot against each other. Even though neither the fathers or



the sons won in this particular flight both Rusty and Matt won turkeys during the day. Matt also won several boxes of shotgun shells in various flights at the shoot. The Lockney FFA will hold another turkey shoot on December 6. Again this time they will be giving away turkeys, hams, and shot gun shells to lucky winners.

# Getting your signal straight on satellite dishes

From Consumer Protection Division; Attorney General's Office

If you are weary of poor television reception or if you live in an area without cable, you may be considering getting your own satellite dish. If you are, you should know that there is a wide range in quality and price. As with any major purchase, you should buy from a reputable dealer with a solid background, and avoid heavy sales pitches and gimmicks.

## How It Works

Satellite dishes, if installed properly,

are calibrated to point in the direction of communications satellites that hover the earth. These satellites travel through space at the same speed as the earth's rotation. That is why the dish can continuously pick up the satellite's signals by being pointed in the right direction.

The consumer protection division has received complaints from a number of citizens who had trouble because their dishes were not properly installed. Improper installation can result in poor reception—or no reception at all.

## Price Range

The division's staff also has noticed a very wide range in prices for these dishes. Some advertisers claim they will provide all the necessary items for under \$1,500, while other systems may cost up to \$5,000. Although a consumer can generally expect to get better quality from a higher priced appliance, that is not always the case. Complaints have been received about the highest priced systems as well as cheaper ones. The most important factor is the expertise and reputation of the company selling and installing the system.

## Signals Scrambled

Some consumers are purchasing satellite systems in order to avoid paying fees to their local cable companies. Although it is perfectly legal to pick up such signals without payment (for cable) if you have a dish, you should be aware that the cable companies are fighting back. Some companies, such as those that broadcast movies, are scrambling their signals so that only those who pay for cable can receive the signals.

Anyone who buys a dish only to receive "free" signals may find that he has to buy an expensive "unscrambler" in a few years in order to use the dish.

## For More Help

If you need more help or information on this or other consumer problems, contact your nearest Attorney General Consumer Protection Office (in Austin, Dallas, El Paso, Houston, Lubbock, McAllen and San Antonio).



# National GSPA board will ask congress to rewrite program

The National Grain Sorghum Producers Association will ask Congress to rewrite the Feed Grain Program when it convenes in January. The objectives of NGSPA's program will be to: (1) return U.S. feed grain production to a profitable position; (2) secure an adequate but manageable supply of food; and (3) reduce government costs.

The NGSPA board of directors met in Lubbock on November 11. The Board expressed their strong belief that the present program can not and will not work in returning U.S. grain production to a sound economic position.

After the first year of operation under the 1985 Farm Program, the feed grain surplus continues to increase, farmers' incomes are below the cost of production even with government payments, export shipments continue to decline, and costs to the government are far above anyone's expectations.

The program NGSPA is supporting will hold production in balance with demand; set prices in line with the average cost of production, while assuring maximum export shipments of U.S. feed grains; and remove all government costs on domestically consumed grain.

NGSPA Executive Director Elbert Harp, speaking for the board, stated, "We will never reduce surplus-building grain production as long as the farmers that produce the bulk of the grain are blocked from the program by government payment limitations, as is the case under the present program. We must have a program that treats all farmers equally or it simply will not achieve its objective."

NGSPA works in overseas marketing of U.S. feed grains - specifically grain sorghum. Harp explained, "At best, we see only modest gains in exports over

the next few years. Poor economic conditions in developing countries and their determination to become self-sufficient, along with worldwide expanded feed grains production, will continue to prevent U.S. export sales from solving the U.S. farmers' problems."

Even with drastically lower prices during this last marketing year, grain sorghum export volume was down 44 percent from the previous year while income on exports was down 54 percent. Export volume on corn was down 34 percent and export income was down 44 percent.

"Some USDA analysts are predicting a slight increase in export sales this year, but evidence of that happening is still not available," Harp said. "NGSPA does not believe the program Congress passed in 1985 will improve farm income. For those who argue that we haven't given the program time to work, NGSPA responds that stocks are building and reductions in government payments are almost assured. U.S. farmers do not have more time."

Under the NGSPA program, grain prices would return to levels that cover the average cost of production. The market, instead of the government, would pay the farmers for their products. Government payments would be made only to the extent necessary to maintain the U.S. share of world markets. This will result in substantial savings to the U.S. taxpayer. Adequate supplies of grain would be maintained to assure domestic and foreign customers that their needs would be met.

Harp expressed optimism that when Congress reconvenes in January, the time will be right to put U.S. agriculture back on the track to regain a healthy economic position. This is essential, not only for U.S. farmers, but for the entire U.S. economy.

# Roundup at LHS

Eddie Anaya continues to impress upon the seniors the need for getting information together for scholarships and financial aid.

The National Honor Society installation is to be held Wednesday morning. Students qualify for N.H.S. first by having an over-all average of 90 and then by exhibiting qualities of leadership, character, and service. Officers of N.H.S. are Steven Cates, President; Julie Davis, Vice-President; Lisa Terrell, Secretary-Treasurer. Mrs. Kay Williams serves as sponsor.

Congratulations to our State Champions and their coach in Cross Country! Thanks for all the hard work Coryn, Eddie, David, Jorge, Mark, Albert and Javier.

Hooray for our basketball girls for winning their opening game 49-29! Keep up the good work.

# School Lunch Menu

## December 1-5

### Monday:

Breakfast — Rice, milk, fruit cocktail  
Lunch — Chicken and dumplings, waldorf salad, milk, peas, rolls, cake

### Tuesday:

Breakfast — French toast, milk, tater tots  
Lunch — Pizza, salad, cookie, peaches, milk, bread w/cinnamon

### Wednesday:

Breakfast — Cereal, milk, prunes

Lunch — Steak and gravy, hot rolls, milk, creamed potatoes, tossed salad, cookies, peanuts

### Thursday:

Breakfast — Sausage, milk, toast, tater tots

Lunch — Corn chip pie, pinto beans, tomato salad, cornbread, milk

### Friday:

Breakfast — Cereal, milk, peaches  
Lunch — Cheese and Sloppy Joe on bun, tater tots, milk, salad, prunes

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# Conservation program provisions can be 'managed'

**TABLE 1** MAJOR HIGHLY ERODIBLE SOILS OF THE SOUTHERN HIGH PLAINS OF TEXAS Soil Loss Tolerance\*\*

Soil Type	I-Value*	(tons/acre/year)
Amarillo Fine Sandy Loam	86	5
Amarillo Loamy Fine Sand	134	5
Arvana Fine Sandy Loam	86	2
Brownfield Fine Sand	310	5
Estacado Clay Loam	86	5
Estacado Loam	86	5
Patricia Fine Sand	310	5
Patricia Fine Sandy Loam	86	5
Patricia Loamy Fine Sand	134	5
Ulysses Clay Loam	86	5
Ulysses Loam	86	5
Tivoli Fine Sand	310	5
Zita Loam	86	4
Zita Fine Sandy Loam	86	4

Table 1 shows the I-value that has been assigned to the major soils in the High Plains of Texas and the tolerable erosion rates of the soils.

Implications of the conservation compliance provisions of the new farm program seem to hit the Southern High Plains of Texas very hard. However, there are alternatives open to producers who choose to manage the new provisions, instead of allowing the provisions to manage them.

The conservation compliance provision of the new farm program will have the greatest impact on the Southern High Plains of Texas because 100 percent of the soils in some counties may be classified as highly erodible. Many Southern High Plains producers will need some type of conservation plan to maintain their eligibility for USDA program payments.

Each soil type and crop combination results in different treatment alternatives that may be necessary to maintain program eligibility. The following examples illustrate some conservation

The accompanying Table 2 and Figures 1 and 2 illustrate the type of crop rotation and wind strip-cropping schemes that could serve as an appropriate conservation plan.

In Table 2 and Figure 1, "Crop Rotation" indicates the percent of land that must be planted in a high residue crop rather than planted to cotton on soils with various I-values. All residues would be left standing until April 1.

As an alternative, "Wind Strips" (in Table 2 and Figure 2) indicates that a low residue crop could be continuously planted between protective strips of sorghum, small grains or perennial grasses that are perpendicular to erosive winds. These strips would be maintained throughout the critical erosion period (November to April). Wind strips must be a minimum of 20 feet wide for grain sorghum or small grains

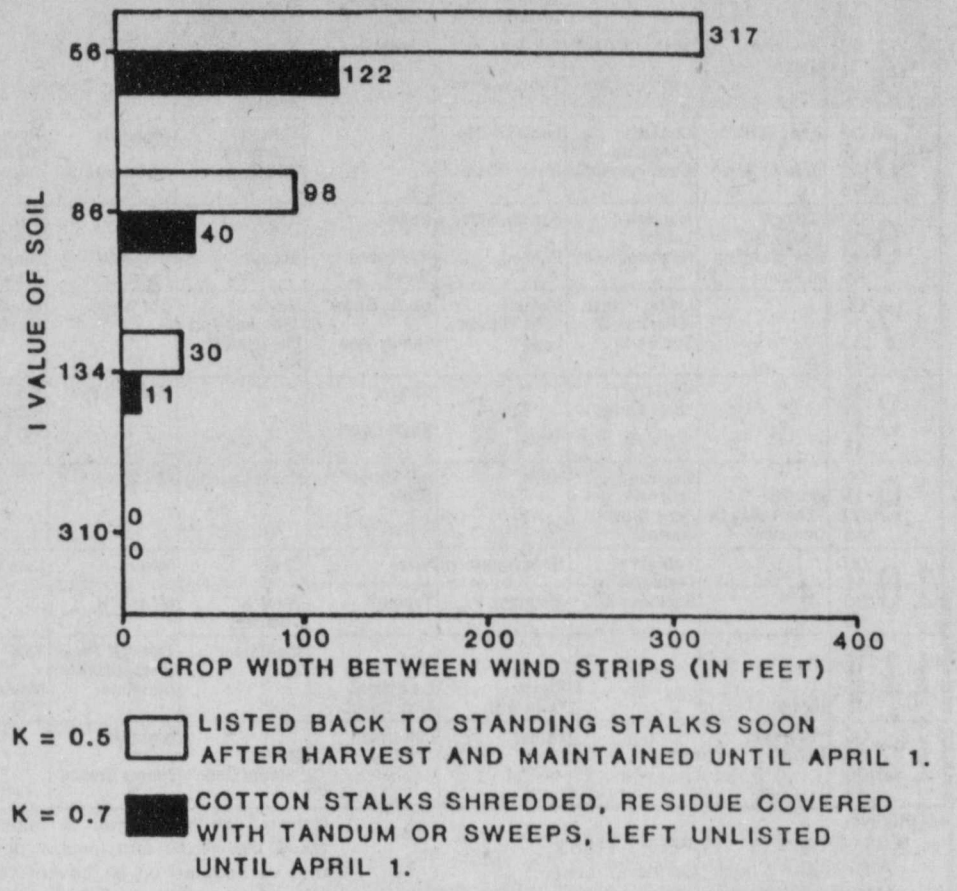
and 80 inches if perennial grasses such as weeping love grass are used. It is also assumed that emergency tillage will be performed as needed when strips or residues are inadequate to control erosion.

To obtain the calculations for crop rotation and wind strips used in Table 2 and Figures 1 and 2, the following wind erosion factors were assumed: (1) the unsheltered distance (L) equals 3,000 feet; (2) the vegetative cover (V) equals zero pounds in cotton years and 1,800 pounds in high residue crop years; (3) the climatic factor equals 70; and (4) the ridge roughness factor (k) equals 0.5 when the field is listed back to standing stalks soon after harvest and main-

tained until April 1, or k equals 0.7 if cotton stalks are shredded, residue is covered with tandem or sweeps, and the field is left unlisted until April 1.

Current rules provide that fields containing 33.3 percent or more of soils classified as highly erodible, or fields containing 50 or more acres of highly erodible soils, shall be determined to be highly erodible land. Soil surveys are available from the local Soil Conservation Service office for all counties in the Southern High Plains. Through the use of the soil survey maps and the list of highly erodible soils, also available from the local SCS office, it is possible to identify fields which contain highly erodible soils.

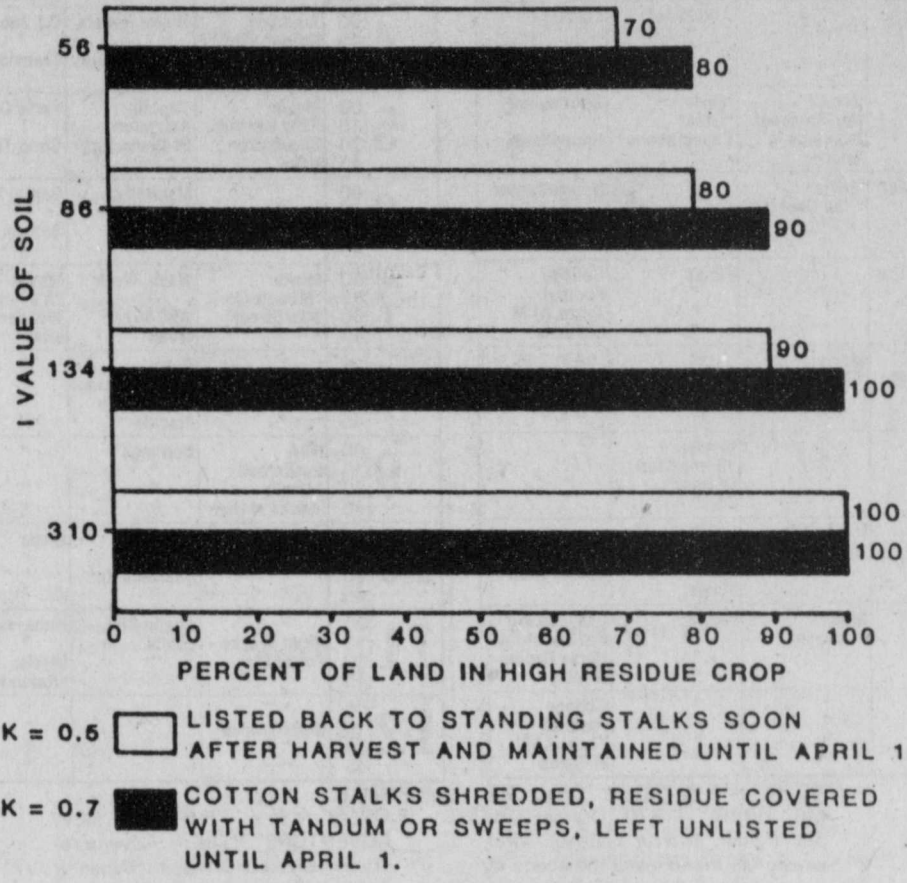
**FIGURE 2** WIND STRIP-CROPPING SYSTEM FOR COTTON DISTANCE BETWEEN WIND STRIPS DEPENDS ON TILLAGE MANAGEMENT FOR EACH "I" VALUE.



WIND EROSION FACTORS ASSUMED FOR CALCULATIONS: C-70, L-3000, V-0, T-5, K-0.5, or 0.7.

The graph in Figure 2 shows the distance between wind strips which may be planted in a low residue crop based on I-values and k factors. Wind strips of grains sorghum or small grains must be a minimum of 20 feet wide and strips of perennial grasses such as love grass must be at least 80 inches wide.

**FIGURE 1** COTTON CROP ROTATION WITH HIGH RESIDUE CROP.



WIND EROSION FACTORS ASSUMED FOR CALCULATIONS: C-70, L-3000, V-0, T-5, K-0.5, or 0.7.

The graph in Figure 1 illustrates the percent of land that must be planted in a high residue crop based on the I-value and the ridge roughness factor (k) for crop rotations.

plans that may be adapted in some areas. Producers are encouraged to contact their local Soil Conservation Service in the near future to develop an approved conservation plan for their farmland.

## Farm News

The alternatives that can be used in developing a suitable conservation plan are based primarily on the I-value of the soil. I-values are estimates of the average annual soil loss that would occur on an isolated, smooth, unsheltered, wide, bare field where the climatic factor is 100. (I-values for the major highly erodible soils of the Southern High Plains of Texas are presented in Table 1.)

For example, on an Amarillo Fine Sandy Loam soil the I-value of 86 would indicate that 86 tons of soil would be lost per acre per year if the land remained unsheltered, smooth tilled and bare all year. I-values are estimated for each individual soil type. Climatic conditions, ridge roughness, vegetative cover and sheltered distances (such as those calculated with wind strip-cropping or windbreaks) can each reduce the calculated soil loss.

**Modified I-values**  
Modifying the I-value of a soil can greatly affect the type of conservation plan needed to control soil erosion. I-values can be modified with such practices as deep tillage, where the soil surface is turned under and mixed with a minimum of 25 percent or more of the clayey-textured subsoil material. This results in topsoil aggregates that are considerably more wind stable and that protect the soil to a higher degree.

Some soils with an I-value of 310 can be modified to an I-value of 86 by proper deep tillage once every third year. Similarly soils with an I-value of 134 and an I-value of 86 can be modified to an I-value of 56 by practicing proper deep tillage. Usually, if the sand surface layer is greater than 20 inches thick, deep tillage practices are less effective in producing conditions that allow the use of modified I-values. Field checks by qualified individuals will be necessary to determine the correct I-value when deep tillage practices are used.

**Conservation Plan Alternatives**  
The alternatives open to producers farming highly erodible soils in the Southern High Plains of Texas primarily consist of some type of crop rotation system or a wind strip-cropping system.

## COTTON TODAY

### CROP ESTIMATE LOWERED AGAIN

USDA's Nov. 1 crop forecasts 1986-87 cotton production at 9.9 million bales, down 1% from October estimate and 26% below last year's level. Upland cotton production is put at 9.7 million bales, and American Pima at 188,000.

Harvested area was estimated on Nov. 1 at 8.7 million acres, 15% below last year, while per-acre yield is forecast at 546 pounds, 13% below last season's record high.

Cotton Belt regional breakdowns indicate Southeast production at 715,000 bales, 2% above October but 43% below last year. In the Mid-South, the crop is pegged at 3.1 million bales, 3% below last month's estimate and 18% below last year. Harvest in the Southwest is forecast at 3 million bales, 7% below October and 29% below last year; and in the West—3 million bales, unchanged from October but 28% below last year.

National Cotton Council officials said cotton harvesting is nearly complete in all areas except the Southwest, where it is less than 50% complete because of the lateness of the crop and numerous weather-related delays.

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Since 1975 when cotton's market share of the apparel and home furnishings market dropped to 33%, cotton has made steady gains. The most recent figures from Market Research Corporation of America (MRCA) showed that cotton commanded a 44% share of market in these two categories during the first six months of 1986.

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THURSDAY NOVEMBER 27

Grid of TV programs for Thursday, November 27, listing channels (4, 5, 9, 11, 13, 28, 34), times, and program titles like 'I Dream of Jeannie', 'Down To Earth', 'Movie: Flipper', etc.

MORNING 9:05 (4) ★★ 1/2 "FLIPPER" (1963, Adventure) Chuck Connors, Luke Halpin. A fisherman's son nurses a dolphin back to health and his father lets him keep the mammal after he proves his worth.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 29

Grid of TV programs for Saturday, November 29, listing channels (4, 5, 9, 11, 13, 28, 34), times, and program titles like 'Wrestling', 'National Geographic Explorer', 'Movie: The Wicked Lady', etc.

MORNING 5:00 (3) ★★ "RUNNING MAN" (1963, Drama) Lee Remick, Alan Bates. After meeting her husband in Spain with fraudulent insurance money, a young woman discovers they're being followed by an insurance investigator.

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 28

Grid of TV programs for Friday, November 28, listing channels (4, 5, 9, 11, 13, 28, 34), times, and program titles like 'I Dream of Jeannie', 'Down To Earth', 'Movie: Flipper's New Adventure', etc.

MORNING 9:05 (4) ★★ 1/2 "FLIPPER'S NEW ADVENTURE" (1964, Adventure) Brian Kelly, Luke Halpin. When it appears that his dolphin might be sent to an aquarium, a young boy flees with his pet to a tropical island where they rescue a family being held captive by crooks.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 30

Grid of TV programs for Sunday, November 30, listing channels (4, 5, 9, 11, 13, 28, 34), times, and program titles like 'Tom & Jerry And Friends', 'Sesame Street', 'Good News', etc.

MORNING 9:35 (4) ★★ 1/2 "THE SACKETTS" (1979, Western) Glenn Ford, Sam Elliott. Based on novels by Louis L'Amour. Three brothers set out to make their fortunes in the post-Civil War West.

Garrett, Cynthia Smith. A family takes the heroic and lovable dog they've adopted on an adventure-packed trip to Athens, Greece.

7:00 (7) ★★ "THE WICKED LADY" (1983, Comedy) Faye Dunaway, Alan Bates. A fascinating high-society woman engages in highway robbery, seduction and murder in the course of a day's work.

11:30 (3) ★★ 1/2 "LIFE WITH FATHER" (1947, Comedy) William Powell, Irene Dunne. A woman and her four sons manage to manipulate their otherwise tyrannical patriarch.

1:00 (4) ★★ "CHARLOTTE'S WEB" (1973, Musical) Animated. A runt pig is saved from slaughter by a charming spider, a rat and a stuttering goose.

5:05 (4) ★★ "THE KID WITH THE BROKEN HALO" (1982, Fantasy) Gary Coleman, Robert Guillaume. To prove he is worthy of Heaven, a 12-year-old wayward angel is sent to Earth to patch broken lives and save three families.

7:00 (7) ★★ "IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE" (1946, Fantasy) James Stewart, Donna Reed. Colorized version of Frank Capra's holiday classic of a man whose guardian angel diverts him from suicide and shows him what his hometown would be like if he were never born.

8:00 (2) ★★ "THE HIGH PRICE OF PASSION" (Premiere, Drama) Richard Crenna, Karen Young. Infatuation turns to hatred when a Boston-based college professor realizes that the prostitute he has fallen for doesn't share his depth of feeling.



**MONDAY DECEMBER 1**

	4	5	9	11	13	28	34	HBO	SHOW	ESPN
7:00	Dream Of Jeannie Bewitched	Farm Day A.M. Weather	Bozo	Today	CBS Morning News Cont'd	Good Morning America	Transformers	Movie: "Ghost-busters"	Movie: "Comic Eye"	Nation's Business SportsCenter
8:00	Down To Earth I Love Lucy	Sesame Street	"	"	Dukes Of Hazard	"	Flintstones	"	"	College Basketball Great Alaska Shootout
9:00	Movie: "Widow"	Mister Rogers	Waltons	Family Ties	\$25,000 Pyramid Card Sharks	Donahue	700 Club	Movie: "Micki & Maude"	Movie: "The Asphalt Jungle"	"
10:00	"	Captain Kangaroo Justin Wilson	Big Valley	Wheel Of Fortune Scrabble	Price Is Right	Fame Fortune & Romance Celebrity Double Talk	Jim And Tammy	"	"	Golf SportsLook
11:00	Perry Mason	Masterpiece Theatre	Falcon Crest	Super Password Search For Tomorrow	Young And The Restless	Ryan's Hope Loving	Richard Roberts	Movie: "Seems Like Old Times"	Movie: "Christmas Lies Of The Field"	Aerobics L.A. Workout
12:00	Movie: "The Command"	Innovation	News	News	News	All My Children	One Big Family Big Valley	"	"	College Football Brigham Young at San
1:00	"	Movie: "Riders Of The Sage"	Dick Van Dyke	"	"	One Life To Live	"	Movie: "Real Genius"	Movie: "Summer-time"	Diego State
2:00	Tom & Jerry And Friends	Alabama Jubilee	Andy Griffith	"	Guiding Light	General Hospital	I Dream Of Jeannie Brady Bunch	"	"	"
3:00	Scoby Doo Flintstones	Sesame Street	Ghostbusters	"	\$100,000 Pyramid Happening Now	Falcon Crest	Smurfs' Adventures She-Ra	For Better Or For Worse The Great Love	Faerie Tale Theatre	Wrestling
4:00	Gilligan's Island Rocky Road	Mister Rogers	G.I. Joe	Magnum, P.I.	Silver Spoons	People's Court	ThunderCats	Experiment	A Good Tree	America's Cup World of Sports
5:00	New Leave It To Beaver Down To Earth	Captain Kangaroo Business Rpt.	Facts Of Life	News	Three's Company CBS News	Jeopardy ABC News	Beverly Hills Alice	The Four Crowns	"	SportsLook
6:00	Sanford And Son Honeymooners	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour	Barney Miller	News	News	News	Too Close For Comfort Gimme A Break!	Q.E.D.	"	SportsCenter NFL Films Presents
7:00	Movie: "Shane"	Day The Universe Changed	National Geographic	ALF	Kate & Allie	Billy Graham Crusade	Movie: "Jenny"	Movie: "Revenge Of The Nerds"	Movie: "Kluge"	Magic Years In Sports Monday Night Matchup
8:00	"	Making Of A Continent	"	Movie: "Love Is Never Silent"	Newhart	NFL Football Giants at San Francisco	"	Movie: "Nickel"	"	World Cup Skiing Women's Slalom
9:00	"	Portrait Of America: Colorado	Japan Reaches For The 21st Century	"	"	Cagney & Lacey	48ers	Entertainment Tonight	Mountain	College Basketball North Carolina at
10:00	National Education Association	Adam Smith's Money World	Honeymooners	News	News	News	Late Show	Movie: "Breaking All The Rules"	"	UCLA
11:00	National Geographic Explorer	"	"	Movie: "Died A Thousand Times"	Late Night With David	"	"	Movie: "The Savage"	Movie: "Real Genius"	SportsCenter Auto Racing American
12:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Movie: "The Bitch"	Movie: "The Bitch"	Racing Series Fishing

**MORNING**  
 9:05 (4) ★★½ "WIDOW" (1976, Drama) Michael Learned, Bradford Dillman. Based on the story by Lynn Caine. A woman made vulnerable by her husband's death struggles to cope with the problems of poverty and the responsibility of raising two young children by herself.

**AFTERNOON**  
 12:05 (4) ★★ "THE COMMAND" (1954, Drama) Guy Madison, Joan Weldon. A war finally resolves the question of Wyoming's ownership.

1:00 (3) ★½ "RIDERS OF THE SAGE" (1939, Western) Bob Steele, Claire Rochelle. Daredevil horsemanship and on-target gun-play make Bob a winner in this B-western entry.

**EVENING**  
 7:00 (4) ★★ "JENNY" (1970, Drama) Marlo Thomas, Alan Alda. A pregnant girl and a draft-dodger form a marriage of convenience.

7:05 (4) ★★½ "SHANE" (1953, Western) Alan Ladd, Jean Arthur. A reformed gunfighter is forced to use his gun again to defend homesteaders from lawlessness.

8:00 (1) ★★ "LOVE IS NEVER SILENT" (1985, Drama) Mare Wingham, Phyllis Frelich. Two Emmys went to this story of a young woman's efforts to build her own life in the 1940's after serving for years as a link to the hearing world for her deaf parents. In stereo. (R) □

11:30 (7) ★★½ "I DIED A THOUSAND TIMES" (1955, Drama) Jack Palance, Shelley Winters. A killer feels stirrings of love and pity for a deformed girl, but is rejected by her after financing an operation to mend her infirmity.

9:30 (4) ★★ "THE SAVAGE BEES" (1976, Suspense) Ben Johnson, Michael Parks.



RHO CHI is a pharmacy organization on the Southwestern Oklahoma State University campus in Weatherford which is made up of individuals who have a minimum of 3.25 grade point average, are ranked in the top 20% of their class, and have completed seven semesters of required curriculum. Officers for the organization are: (from left) Rob Scheele, Lockney, president; John Brashear, Centalla, Illinois, historian; Al Slutz, Vega, Texas, treasurer; Kelly Lucas, Holdenville, vice president; and Jay Tipps, Canyon, Texas, secretary.

**Say a Thanksgiving Prayer THIS YEAR**

**NOTICE TO RECEIVE BIDS PLAINVIEW INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

The Plainview Independent School District will receive bids for the following:  
 (1) Food Products for Cafeterias  
 (2) Roofing Underground Libraries at Hillcrest & Lakeside  
 (3) Renovation of Lockers at Lakeside  
 (4) Student Desks & Chairs for Lakeside  
 (5) Library Books  
 (6) A.V. Materials  
 (7) Library Supplies

be opened and tabulated. Bids received after the above deadline will be returned unopened. Bids mailed will be deemed as delivered only when they are received by Mr. Peck. The bids will be presented to the Board at their regular meeting to be held in the Administration Building at 7:30 P.M. on Thursday, December 11, 1986. At this time the contract will be let. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. This is a solicitation for bids and is not an offer. All bids and information received in response to this solicitation will become the property of the Plainview I.S.D.

Information concerning bid forms and specifications may be obtained by contacting Mr. Peck at the Administration Building, or by calling (806) 296-6392.

John O. Peck, Assistant Superintendent Plainview Independent School District

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**TUESDAY DECEMBER 2**

	4	5	9	11	13	28	34	HBO	SHOW	ESPN
7:00	Dream Of Jeannie Bewitched	Farm Day A.M. Weather	Bozo	Today	CBS Morning News Cont'd	Good Morning America	Transformers	Movie: "Masive Retaliation"	Movie: "The Princess"	Nation's Business SportsCenter
8:00	Down To Earth I Love Lucy	Sesame Street	"	"	Dukes Of Hazard	"	Flintstones	Movie: "Sword Of"	Movie: "Santa's Magic Toy Bag"	College Basketball Indiana at Notre Dame
9:00	Movie: "Bundled Joy"	Mister Rogers	Waltons	Family Ties	\$25,000 Pyramid Card Sharks	Donahue	700 Club	Gideon	Movie: "The V.L.P.s."	Great Alaska Shootout
10:00	"	Captain Kangaroo Educational Computing	Big Valley	Wheel Of Fortune Scrabble	Price Is Right	Fame Fortune & Romance Celebrity Double Talk	Jim And Tammy	"	"	Skiing SportsLook
11:00	Perry Mason	Making Of A Continent	Falcon Crest	Super Password Search For Tomorrow	Young And The Restless	Ryan's Hope Loving	Richard Roberts	Movie: "Bulshot"	Movie: "Roll Of Thunder, Hear My Cry"	Aerobics L.A. Workout
12:00	Movie: "Lost"	Day The Universe Changed	News	News	News	All My Children	Mama's Family	"	"	Auto Racing American Racing Series
1:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Movie: "Highpoint"	Movie: "Strange Lady In Town"	College Basketball North Carolina at
2:00	Tom & Jerry And Friends	Adam Smith's Money World Made In Texas	Andy Griffith	"	Guiding Light	General Hospital	I Dream Of Jeannie Brady Bunch	"	"	UCLA
3:00	Scoby Doo Flintstones	Sesame Street	Ghostbusters	"	\$100,000 Pyramid What's Happening!!	Falcon Crest	Smurfs' Adventures She-Ra	Movie: "The Amazing Mr. Blunden"	Movie: "Choppy And The Princess"	Wrestling
4:00	Gilligan's Island Rocky Road	Mister Rogers	G.I. Joe	Main Street	Silver Spoons	People's Court	ThunderCats	"	"	Fishing
5:00	Andy Griffith Safe At Home	Captain Kangaroo Business Rpt.	Facts Of Life	News	Three's Company CBS News	Jeopardy ABC News	Beverly Hills Alice	Movie: "The Legend Of Billie Jean"	Movie: "Santa's Magic Toy Bag"	SportsLook NBA Today
6:00	Sanford And Son Honeymooners	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour	Barney Miller	News	News	News	Too Close For Comfort Gimme A Break!	Paper Chase	"	SportsCenter College Basketball
7:00	NBA Basketball San Antonio Spurs at	News	"	American Vice: The Doping Of A Nation	Matlock	Life And Adventures Of Santa Claus	Who's The Boss? Growing Pains	Movie: "Sword Of Gideon"	Movie: "Brazil"	Indiana at Notre Dame
8:00	Cleveland Cavaliers	The Africans	"	"	Hill Street Blues	Movie: "Deal Of The Century"	"	"	"	Top Rank Boxing
9:00	Billy Graham Crusade	Managing Our Health Care In America	News	1986	"	Barbara Walters Special	Fall Guy	"	On Trial: Lee Harvey Oswald	Bert Cooper vs. Curtis Isaac
10:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
12:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

**MORNING**  
 9:05 (4) ★★ "BUNDLE OF JOY" (1956, Comedy) Debbie Reynolds, Eddie Fisher. When a newly fired salesgirl saves an abandoned baby from a fall, she is mistaken for the mother of the baby.

**AFTERNOON**  
 12:05 (4) ★★ "LOST" (1983, Drama) Sandra Dee, Don Stewart. Bitter resentment for her stepfather impels a woman to leave her country home and seek refuge in the wilderness.

**EVENING**  
 8:00 (3) ★★ "DEAL OF THE CENTURY" (1983, Comedy) Chevy Chase, Sigourney Weaver. When a high technology ultra-weapon turns out to be defective, its manufacturer hires an arms hustler to dispose of it.

10:20 (4) ★★ "HARPER" (1966, Mystery) Paul Newman, Julie Harris. A wealthy woman hires a private investigator to find her missing husband.

11:30 (3) ★★ "THE MCCONNELL STORY" (1955, Adventure) Alan Ladd, June Allyson. A famed test pilot is determined to break in the Sabrejet F-86.

12:10 (3) ★½ "SPAWN OF THE SLITHIS" (1977, Horror) Alan Blanchard, Judy Mutulsky. Off the California coast, a radiation leak leads to the evolution of an amphibian creature whose diet consists of human flesh. (R)

12:55 (4) ★★ "HOUSE ON GREENAPPLE ROAD" (1970, Mystery) Christopher George, Janet Leigh. Circumstantial evidence implicates a man as his wife's murderer.

3:00 (3) ★★½ "WRITTEN ON THE WIND" (1957, Drama) Dorothy Malone, Robert Stack. Two boyhood companions fall in love with the same girl.

**WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 3**

	4	5	9	11	13	28	34	HBO	SHOW	ESPN
7:00	Dream Of Jeannie Bewitched	Farm Day A.M. Weather	Bozo	Today	CBS Morning News Cont'd	Good Morning America	Transformers	Movie: "Twilight Time"	Movie: "Give My Regards To Broad Street"	Nation's Business SportsCenter
8:00	Down To Earth I Love Lucy	Sesame Street	"	"	Dukes Of Hazard	"	Flintstones	"	"	College Basketball Indiana at Notre Dame
9:00	Movie: "Me, Natalie"	Mister Rogers	Waltons	Family Ties	\$25,000 Pyramid Card Sharks	Donahue	700 Club	Movie: "Revolution"	Movie: "Close To My Heart"	"
10:00	"	Captain Kangaroo	Big Valley	Wheel Of Fortune Scrabble	Price Is Right	Fame Fortune & Romance Celebrity Double Talk	Jim And Tammy	"	"	NBA Today SportsLook
11:00	Perry Mason	Health Care In America	Falcon Crest	Super Password Search For Tomorrow	Young And The Restless	Ryan's Hope Loving	Richard Roberts	Movie: "If Ever I See You Again"	"	Aerobics L.A. Workout
12:00	Movie: "The Lucky Star"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	World Cup Skiing Women's Slalom
1:00	"	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour	Dick Van Dyke	"	"	"	"	Movie: "The Christmas That Almost"	"	Horse Show New York Grand Prix
2:00	Tom & Jerry And Friends	Nature	Andy Griffith	"	Guiding Light	General Hospital	I Dream Of Jeannie Brady Bunch	Movie: "Baby Blue"	"	Jimmy Ballard Golf Connection
3:00	Scoby Doo Flintstones	Sesame Street	Ghostbusters	"	\$100,000 Pyramid What's Happening!!	Falcon Crest	Smurfs' Adventures She-Ra	Movie: "The Christmas That Almost"	"	Wrestling
4:00	Gilligan's Island Rocky Road	Mister Rogers	G.I. Joe	Transformers	Silver Spoons	People's Court	ThunderCats	Survival	Wan't"	SportsLook
5:00	Andy Griffith Safe At Home	Captain Kangaroo Business Rpt.	Facts Of Life	News	Three's Company CBS News	Jeopardy ABC News	Beverly Hills Alice	Movie: "Joey"	Movie: "Give My Regards To Broad Street"	Tennis Nabisco Masters From Madison
6:00	Sanford And Son Honeymooners	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour	Barney Miller	News	News	News	Too Close For Comfort Gimme A Break!	"	"	Square Garden in New York
7:00	Movie: "The Balls Of St. Mary's"	Discover: The World Of Science	"	"	"	"	"	Movie: "Revolution"	"	Brothers
8:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Garry Shandling
9:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Tennis Continues
10:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
12:00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

**MORNING**  
 9:05 (4) ★★½ "ME, NATALIE" (1969, Drama) Patty Duke, James Farentino. A young woman, considered an ugly duckling, tries to fit into society knowing she will never be pretty.

**AFTERNOON**  
 12:05 (4) ★★½ "THE LUCKY STAR" (1980, Drama) Rod Steiger, Louise Fletcher. A 13-year-old Jewish Dutch boy fantasizes about the German soldiers who are marching on his town.

**EVENING**  
 7:05 (4) ★★½ "THE BELLS OF ST. MARY'S" (1945, Drama) Bing Crosby, Ingrid Bergman. A priest and a mother superior save an old parochial school by persuading a skinflint to donate land and a building to their cause.

9:45 (4) ★★ "STRANGE BEDFELLOWS" (1965, Comedy) Rock Hudson, Gig Young. After considering divorce, a corporate executive attempts to reconcile with his wife, whose fiery temper could harm his image.

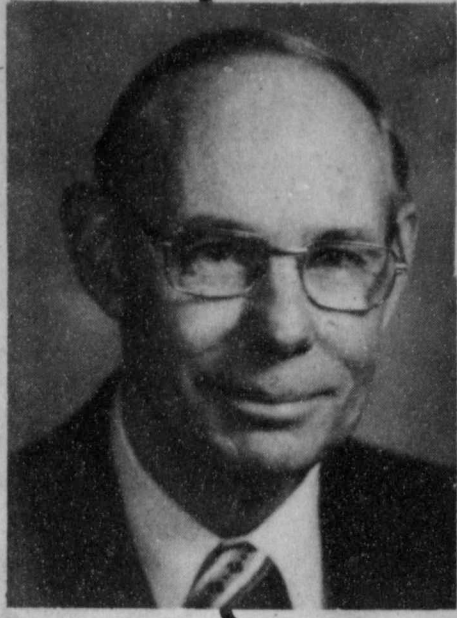
11:30 (7) ★★½ "JOURNEY TO THE UNKNOWN" (1969, Horror) Vera Miles, Patty Duke. Two intertwined tales of terror: a young woman be-

comes the devil's quarry in an old library; a mentally unbalanced landlady victimizes a visitor to her hotel.

9:30 (4) ★★½ "ROPE OF SAND" (1949, Drama) Burt Lancaster, Claude Rains. After becoming involved romantically, a suave thief changes his plans for revenge.

11:50 (4) ★★½ "KONA COAST" (1968, Adventure) Richard Boone, Vera Miles. A young woman dies of a drug overdose and the man who gave her the drugs must answer to her tough, seagoing father.





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## 'New Ring to Life'

By Rev. O. D. Johnson

A renegade youth had done about everything he could think of to get himself into trouble and to give his parents gray hair early.

His story changes at the point where he got into something constructive. Something different from street fighting. A friend introduced him to the sport of wrestling. The young man liked it. He was good as a wrestler. He began to have a new life in the ring. After being a loser so very long, he began winning. As he wrestled his way up through competitions, he finally won a championship.

In his moment of victory, the young wrestler exclaimed, "Somebody up there likes me!" Had this recent rebel had a "religious experience"? Was he expressing the beginning of a faith in God? I think he was.

Once when the disciples of Jesus asked him to increase their faith, he told them that if they had "faith as a grain of mustard seed," they could accomplish what would amount to a miracle. (Luke 17:5-6)

The force of the Master's statement was "You don't need more of the faith

you have. You need a different kind of faith." A faith that calculates too much, and never ventures nor risks much, never counts for much either.

This incident from Belgium is illustrative of the faith that Jesus champions. A couple awakened in the night to find that their house was on fire. Quickly they roused their children and took them outside. The fire was far along. Presently, they saw the five-year-old standing in a second-story window. He had slipped back to get his teddy bear. There was smoke all around the boy. His father yelled, "Jump and I'll catch you." But, Daddy, I can't see you," came the little boy's protest. "I can see you. That's all that matters," the father yelled back. "Now jump." The boy did and was saved.

The faith that has power, the faith that saves, is implicit trust in God's care as we do what we think is right in a situation. What down deep we understand to be God's will.

We could say much more about faith. But when it comes to faith, our great need is not to discuss it—just to put it in action.

## TFB sets record

Membership in the Texas Farm Bureau has reached an all-time high of 323,799 member families, according to S.M. True, president.

True said tabulations just completed for the fiscal year ended Oct. 31 showed that the Texas organization gained 5,749 members over last year, marking the 34th consecutive year to show a gain.

Don Neumann, director of field services for the TFB, said a total of 152 county Farm Bureaus showed an increase in members. There are 217 organized county FBs in the state.

The Texas Farm Bureau has been the largest state Farm Bureau in the nation for the past four years. The American Farm Bureau Federation has a membership of 3.4 million in 49 states (all except Alabama).

The 20 largest county Farm Bureaus in Texas, listed by size, are: Harris, Collin, Brazos, Fort Bend, McLennan, Ellis, Houston, Fayette, Bell, Brazoria, Van Zandt, Jefferson, Tarrant, Wharton, Washington, Bexar, Hidalgo, Austin, Nacogdoches and Young.

The Farm Bureau is an independent general farm organization financed by voluntary membership dues.



PLAYING IN THE DIRT—Employees of the city of Lockney Water Department have been seen lately digging in the dirt at various spots around Lockney. Actually the men are trying to find and correct problems with leaks and stopped up pipes. STAFF PHOTO

## VA News

EDITOR'S NOTE: Following are representative questions answered daily by VA counselors. Full information is available at any VA office.

Q — May a veteran with peacetime service only be buried in a national cemetery?

A — Yes, providing the service was under conditions other than dishonorable.

Q — My husband had a Veterans' Group Life Insurance policy when he died. An attorney from a company where he owed money said they would attach the proceeds of the insurance to pay the bill. Can they do this?

A — No. Servicemen's Group Life Insurance and Veterans' Group Life Insurance proceeds are not assignable, nor are payments to beneficiaries subject to claims of creditors of the insured or beneficiary.

Q — Does the VA have an alcohol or drug dependence program for veterans?

A — Yes. The VA operates both inpatient and outpatient clinics in most VA medical centers for honorably discharged veterans.

O HOLY ST. JUDE, Apostle & Martyr, Great in Virtue & Rich in Miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, Faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage, in time of need, to you I have recourse from the depth of my heart & humbly beg to you, St. Jude, Worker of Miracles and Helper of the Hopeless, whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present & urgent petition. In return I promise to make Your name known & cause you to be invoked. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for all of us who invoke your aid. This Prayer has never been known to fail. This Prayer must be said 9 times a day for 9 consecutive days. Thank you St. Jude for granting my petition. M.R.W.

# CHURCH DIRECTORY

<p><b>CEDAR HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b> Rev. H.D. Morton Jr., Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday evening Bible Study 8:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Floydada J.C. Bailey, 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.</p>	<p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Earl Blair, 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.</p>	<p><b>CALVARY BAPTIST</b> Floydada Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH</b> Lockney Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Prayer Service Wed. 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Lockney Bible School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Rev. Bennie Anderson 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.</p>	<p><b>MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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.</p>
<p><b>LOCKNEY LATIN ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b> Rev. Vivian Resendez Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Youth Night, Tuesday 7:30 p.m. Women's and Men's Worship Thursday 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Lockney George Schuster, Minister Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday: Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>PRIMER IGLESIA BAPTISTA</b> Rev. Agustin Rey Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. 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 p.m.</p>	<p><b>AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Rev. Ray Starnes, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 p.m. Brotherhood, W.M.U. and Auxiliary Wednesday 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI</b> 308 Mississippi Rev. Javier Fernandez Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Evangelistic Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, Family Night 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>WEST COLLEGE CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> West College &amp; Third, Lockney Frank Duckworth, Evangelist Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM</b> Lockney Tivursio Villarreal Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Christian Training Time 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth, Jr., 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.</p>
<p><b>CARR'S CHAPEL Service Every Sunday</b> Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. No Evening Services</p>	<p><b>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b> 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.</p>	<p><b>TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM</b> Lockney Tivursio Villarreal Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Christian Training Time 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>LONE STAR BAPTIST CHURCH</b> M.B. Baldwin, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Prayer Service, Wednesday Evening 6:30 p.m. Brotherhood, First Saturday Morning of Every Month.</p>
<p><b>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> O.D. Johnson, Minister Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p><b>TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> Providence Community Sunday School &amp; Adult Bible Class 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p><b>BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 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.</p>	<p><b>VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Travis Curry, 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.</p>
<p><b>"ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP"</b> FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Floydada Pastor: Doug Dezotell Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:50 a.m. Sunday Evening Evangelistic 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Service 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST</b> John Williams, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Prayer Service-Tuesday 8:00 p.m. Service-Wednesday 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Lockney Murle Rogers, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. R.A.'s 5:00 p.m. Acteens 4:30 p.m. Church Training 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wed. Choir Practice 8:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Our Time (Jr. High and High School) 7:00 p.m. GA's 6:00 p.m. Mission Friends (preschool) 7:00 p.m. Thursday: Baptist Women 1st &amp; 3rd Mondays 3:00 p.m. Baptist Young Women 2nd Monday 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Floydada Jim Jackson, Pastor Sunday Congregational Singing 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> Lockney Pastor: Fr. Jack Gist Mon.-Fri. Liturgy 8:00 p.m. Saturday Vigil Mass of Sunday 7:30 p.m. Sunday Mass 12:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Rev. Cecil 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.</p>	<p><b>CEDAR HILL BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>MISSION BAPTIST</b> 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.</p>
<p><b>ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> Floydada Father Terry Burke Sunday School 10-11:15 a.m. Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m. Wednesday Mass 7:00 p.m. Ultreya 8:00 p.m. Office Phone 983-5878</p>	<p><b>TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA</b> Rev. Herman Martinez 308 W. Tennessee Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Tuesday Ladies Prayer 2:00 p.m. Thursday Service 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>TRINITY CHURCH</b> Meets at the Y Pastor: G.A. Van Hoose Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Prayer 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> Floydada Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.</p>

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