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MORE THAN 300 ANIMALS EXPECTED

County Stock Show Starts Monday

Banquet Slated Thursday Night

The 24th Annual Floyd County Junior Fat Stock Show will get underway Monday for a three-day run with more than 300 entries expected.

Show officials are expecting approximately 50 steers, 200 barrows and 60 lambs. Compared to last year, overall number of entries is expected to be down about 20 head, although barrow entries will be about 50 more than in '67.

Forty-six steers were entered last year and about 50 are expected this year, but lamb entries will be only about half of the 126 entered in the previous show.

Highlight of the show will come Thursday night at a banquet for 4-H and FFA exhibitors and their parents.

The banquet will be held in the Duncan Elementary Cafeterium beginning at 6:30 p.m. with the Floyd County Farm Bureau and First National Banks of Floydada and Lockney as sponsors.

Featured speaker will be Raymond Akin of Plainview, Virginia Taylor of Lockney will also speak, her talk entitled, "I Speak For Democracy." Master of Ceremonies will be Neil Bertrand.

Schedule of events for the show includes:

MONDAY, MARCH 4
 7 a.m. - Show barn will open, weighing will begin.
 10 a.m. - All animals must be in place; weighing, classifying, tagging and tooting lambs.
 1 p.m. - Sifting of all animals.

TUESDAY, MARCH 5
 9 a.m. - Swine judging.
 1 p.m. - Lamb judging.
 3 p.m. - Steer judging.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6
 1 p.m. - Auction sale.

THURSDAY, MARCH 7
 6:30 p.m. - Awards Banquet, Duncan Cafeterium.

Officials who will assist with the show are Travis Jones, president; L. N. Johnson, vice-president; Alton Higginbotham, secretary.

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STOCK SHOW CASH - Ray Gene Ferguson, chairman of a Floydada Chamber of Commerce committee which is raising funds for cash awards at the annual Floyd County Junior Fat Stock Show, is pictured above receiving a double handful of greenbacks which will be awarded those who place their animals in the show. Handing him the money is Mrs. Dale West (left) and Mrs. Dwayne Wilson, employees of the First National Bank of Floydada. (Staff Photo)

City Park Church Has New Minister

Delmer Andrews, a resident of Waynoka, Okla., for the past eight years, has been announced as new minister for the City Park Church of Christ.

Andrews, 44, served churches in Grove, Okla., and Arkansas City, Kansas, prior to moving to Waynoka.

He and his wife moved into the church home at 509 South 5th on Tuesday and Andrews will



DELMER ANDREWS preach his first sermon here on Sunday. The Andrews, who have two married sons who are also active in the church, are also active in the church. SEE MINISTER PAGE 6

CITY, SCHOOL, HOSPITAL

Deadline Near For Elections

With deadlines steadily drawing nearer, job seekers for the Floydada School Board, Floydada City Council and Caprock Hospital District are somewhat scarce.

As of late Tuesday, no potential board members had filed in the hospital election, the city election had drawn one candidate and the school board had three.

All three elections are scheduled for the same day, Saturday, April 6.

In the school election, incumbents Newell Burk and Thomas Warren have filed for re-election, along with a newcomer, Bill Hale.

The terms of Warren (filling an unexpired term for a former board member), Burk and Dennis Dempsey are expiring. Dempsey has said he would not seek re-election.

Filing for the school board posts is conducted at the school business office downtown with a 5 p.m. March 6 deadline.

In the city election, Wayne Russell, a newcomer, has filed for one of three seats now held by incumbents Roe Jones, Clem McDonald and W.H. Simpson.

McDonald has said he would not seek re-election.

Russell is a native of Floyd County and operates Russell Blacksmith and Welding Shop. He has served on the Chamber of Commerce board, was on the building committee of the new First Baptist Church and worked on many civic projects here.

City office seekers are to file at the city offices, with a midnight March 6 deadline for filing.

In the hospital election, the

terms of board members M.S. Robertson, Hollis Bond and L.T. Wood are expiring, but the deadline is a week farther away...set for 5 p.m. March 12.

Filing for a place on the hospital board is a somewhat more complicated process, office seekers needing the names of 25 qualified voters on a petition before a place on the ballot is granted.

Accepting the petitions is Robertson, secretary of the hospital board.

Angel Martinez To Lead FBC Revival

For a second engagement, Dr. Angel Martinez, dynamic Southern Baptist evangelist, will preach in revival at First Baptist Church, March 3-10.

Most people in Floydada will remember Dr. Martinez being here in 1965.



ANGEL MARTINEZ



PETE NUNEZ

Texas Public Schools Week To Be Observed March 4-8

March 4 through 8 is Texas Public Schools Week, and all parents and interested Texas citizens are invited to visit the public schools of Floyd County.

During the special week, school facilities and teaching methods are open to inspection and observation of everyone interested.

According to Jimmy Willson Jr., Floydada, who is state chairman of the Texas Citizens' Committee on Public Schools

Week, "Public Schools Week in Texas is an excellent opportunity for parents to observe first hand the progress their children are making academically and socially at school. In fact, parents are especially urged to set aside one day to visit their children's classrooms.

New innovations and teaching techniques in Texas Public Schools are interesting and important, and school administrators and teachers are eager to point them out."

No special programs are planned.

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Membership Drive Begins In County For Water Inc.

A kickoff dinner for memberships in Water Inc. was attended by 40 local and area persons at noon Monday at Rogers Restaurant in Floydada.

A similar breakfast meeting was held in Lockney Monday morning.

Chester Mitchell, director District No. 10 of Water Inc. was emcee at both meetings where he introduced Lubbock attorney George McClesky.

McClesky explained to the groups plans to move Mississippi water into West Texas and urged everyone to work

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Preston Smith Will Visit In Floydada

Lt. Governor Preston Smith, Lubbock, who is seeking the Democratic nomination for Governor of Texas, will be hosted at a 30-minute reception in Floydada on Wednesday, March 6.

The reception will be held from 3:15 until 3:45 in the community room at the First National Bank.

Everyone is invited to attend and visit with the gubernatorial candidate.



CHAMBER AWARD - Clay Henry, retiring Floydada Chamber of Commerce president, is pictured above accepting a plaque in appreciation of his service to the Chamber from Bill Brown (center), incoming president of the organization. Shown with the men is Jeff Williams, speaker for the Chamber banquet last Friday night which drew more than 400 persons. (Staff Photo) SEE STORY PAGE EIGHT

WEATHER'S MAKING NEWS

What Next? Snow On Thursday, Sun Monday, Rain, Hail Tuesday

The weather continues to make the news in the Floyd County area, this time with a storm Tuesday night which brought gusty winds, driving

rain and pea-sized mushy hail to much of the county.

With storm warnings in effect until about 11 p.m. Tuesday, the main brunt of the storm struck Floydada about 7 p.m. with the wind blowing in ahead of the front, then the brief, but hard, hailstorm and the rain.

Lasting only about 15 to 20 minutes, the soft pea-sized hailstones covered the ground with a sheet of ice, but caused little, if any, damage, according to reports.

The rain lasted approximately an hour, but the major portion of the .96 inches of precipitation reported at the Producers Co-op official government gauge came while the hailstones were pelting down.

According to a general report, the storm apparently was

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DATE	H	L	Prec.
Feb. 15	27	17	Trace
Feb. 16	37	19	
Feb. 17	48	29	
Feb. 18	32	22	Trace
Feb. 19	32	26	
Feb. 20	59	32	
Feb. 21	71	18	Trace
Feb. 22	33	18	.05
Feb. 23	22	14	.10
Feb. 24	46	18	
Feb. 25	64	32	
Feb. 26	60	31	
Feb. 27	65	32	
Feb. 28	59	34	.96

Snow on Feb. 22 and 23.
 Rain and small hail on Feb. 28.
 Total Prec. for Month - 1.56.
 Total Prec. for Week - 1.11.
 Total Prec. for Year - 2.93.



PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK - Floyd County and the rest of the state will observe Public Schools Week March 4 through 8. Above, Floydada High School Student Council officers are shown helping to publicize the annual observance. Shown pinning a ribbon on Jimmy Willson Jr., chairman of the Texas Citizens' Committee on Public Schools Week is Valdonna Bennett, secretary. Pinning another of the special ribbons on Vice-President Glen Bertrand is Teresa Hinsley, treasurer of the organization. Council President Britt Gregory is playing a Public School Week placard. (Staff Photo)



Fairview News
BY MRS. CLYDE BAGWELL

This is a beautiful Monday morning. Everyone is happy over the fine moisture from the snow of last week, but it is nice to see the sunshine again.

Mrs. Jewell Teague visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lind-sey Graham and had dinner with them.

Those visiting Mrs. Clyde Bagwell during last week, were Mrs. Jewell Teague, Mrs. C.H. Wise and Mrs. Bud Hinsley.

Mrs. Edell DuBois went by bus to Tullia Thursday where she stayed with her granddaughters Sandra and Dianne DuBois while their parents Mr. and Mrs. Bud DuBois made a business trip to Chicago.

Sunday Edell DuBois went to Tullia where he spent the night and he and Mrs. DuBois returned home together Monday.

Mrs. Carl Nelson and Mrs. Ruy Irwin visited Mrs. Claude Payne Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Wise and Charles Denton went to Pampa Sunday to visit Mona Dell Wise who is employed at a garment factory there.

Mr. and Mrs. A.S. Mize visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. W.B. Wilson. Woodrow Wilson visited his mother Mrs. W. B. Wilson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Galen Holland was taken to Lockney General Hospital Wednesday night with his sister, Mrs. Kate Crabtree.

Sunday dinner guest in the home of Mrs. Kate Crabtree were Mrs. J.V. Daniels, Mrs. Edna Phillips, and Mrs. Ola Warren.

Rev. F.C. Bradley visited in the Cecil Payne home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Cecil Payne spent several days last week in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, she returned home Thursday afternoon. Her sister, Mrs. Oran Hatley visited her Friday afternoon.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne were Gene Payne and children Larry, Barry, Janice and Laura of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Win-fred Payne and Randy.

Mrs. Kate Crabtree visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Kay Crabtree, Becky, and Sammy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allen, Mike and Norman of Floydada visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Cannon of Fort Worth visited here Friday night and Saturday morning with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cannon and his brother and family, the J.W. Cannons.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson and Carla of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. Ruy Irwin Sunday and had dinner with them.

Mrs. Louie Coffee who lives in Greenvier, Utah called her parents Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Wise last Wednesday night and her brother Charles Denton Wise to wish him "A Happy Birthday". Charles Denton is now employed at Piggly Wiggly Super market here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mize and children of Floydada were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.S. Mize.

Chamber Group Meets To Raise Stock Show Funds

A breakfast meeting was held Tuesday at Rogers Restaurant by the Attendance and Finance Committee of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce.

Purpose of the meeting was to organize volunteer workers to solicit funds for the cash prizes at the Floyd County Junior Fat Stock Show on March 4-5-6.

The funds raised will also be used to support the sale prizes at the show auction.

Workers who will be contacting merchants and individuals throughout the week in regards to the show funds are Ray Gene Ferguson, Bill Brown, Vernon Parker, Dean Morris, Don Robertson, Henry Watson, Louis Lloyd, Jack Stansell, Tom Snead, Roger Poage, E.A. Williams, Don Cheek, John Reue, R.G. Dunlap and Johnny West.

ON RUSSIAN NAVY

A Soviet naval force was reportedly steaming in the Mediterranean in position to play a possible role in the Arab-Israeli crisis. Pentagon sources said fifteen to twenty Soviet naval ships were keeping track of the movements of the much larger U.S. 6th Fleet.

RAILROAD MERGER

Washington—The Supreme Court has approved the merger of the Pennsylvania and the New York Central railroads. This proposed merger will form the largest privately owned rail system in the world.

Pair Nabbed In Hale Theft

LOCKNEY (Special) — Two men were apprehended by Lockney police officers, Floyd County Sheriff's Department officers and highway patrolmen about two miles west of Lockney on U.S. 70 shortly after an auto burglary in which \$10,000 worth of jewelry was taken in Plainview Saturday night.

A black onyx and diamond necklace and a gold and diamond cigarette case were taken from an auto owned by Thomas Bell of Amarillo about 8 p.m. while Bell and a companion were inside the Acapulco Restaurant in Plainview.

In the afternoon all of the above named went to Lake home near Whiteflat where they visited Mrs. A.S. Mize's nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. David Randolph. The David Randolphs are building a cabin at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Wallis spent Monday in Lubbock.

Willie Wiredhand NOTES



LIGHTHOUSE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. MARY PHILLIPS, HOME ECONOMIST

The public is cordially invited to the fourth annual Government-in-Action Youth Tour Contest which will be held Thursday night, March 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the Lighthouse Auditorium. Students from Plainview, Petersburg, Lockney, Crosbyton, McAdoo, and Floydada will be competing in an oratorical contest on the subject of "Rural Electric Cooperatives—Helping Texas Grow."

First place winners, one boy and one girl, will receive expense paid, 13 day trips to Washington, D.C.

More good Girl Scout recipes—LEMON COCONUT PIE (Revis Chandler) 3 eggs

London—A recent blizzard which snarled Britain's transportation also froze the hands on Big Ben, London's famous clock, for four hours. The heavy snow fell overnight leaving drifts six feet deep.

1/2 cup margarine, melted
1 1/2 cups sugar
4 teaspoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 teaspoon salt
1 can coconut
Beat eggs, add sugar and margarine. Add salt and beat well. Add lemon juice and vanilla and stir in coconut. Bake in 9-inch unbaked pie shell at 350 degrees until firm and slightly brown.

PECAN CRISPIES (Sharon Kay Williams)
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup butter or margarine
2 1/2 cups brown sugar
2 well beaten eggs
2 1/2 cups sifted flour
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup chopped pecans

Thoroughly creaming, butter, eggs; beat well. Add ingredients; add texture; add nuts. Spoon about 2 tablespoons greased cookie sheet. Bake 350 degrees 12-15 minutes. Makes 5 dozen cookies.

ORANGE MACARONS (Elizabeth Foster)
1 package powdered sugar
1 package orange juice
1 teaspoon cream
1/2 teaspoon salt
Powdered sugar
Prepare cake to directions on orange juice in called for. Add directed-Make cake. Lightly powdered sugar still warm.

COUNT ON THRIFTY TO MAKE YOUR DOLLARS COUNT

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TIDE	SMALL BOX	9¢
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	3 LB. CAN	
COETS	80 COUNT	39¢
NAPKINS	KLEENEX DINNER	27¢
	50 COUNT 2 PLY	

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LARGE DELICIOUS EXTRA FANCY LB.
APPLES 23 1/2¢
CABBAGE LB. 5 1/2¢
GREENS ASST. BUNCH 9 1/2¢
NO. 1 RUSSETT
POTATOES 10 LB. BAG 59¢

COKE
SPRITE & TAB
6 BOTTLE CT. PLUS DEP.
39¢

FRENCH DRESSING KRAFTS HERB GARLIC 8 OZ. BOTTLE 29¢
CORN MEAL AUNT JEMIMA 5 LB. BAG 49¢
CHICKEN ALLENS WHOLE 3 LB. 4 OZ. CAN 89¢
FULLY COOKED
MACARONI SKINNERS 7 OZ. BOX 2 29¢
COOKIES CAROL ASST. 29¢
PANCAKE MIX AUNT JEMIMA 4 1/2 LB. BOX 19¢
BEANS ELLIS GREAT NORTHERN 303 SIZE 2 25¢

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STEAK
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FRITO DIP 3 OZ. CAN 2 25¢
TOWELS KIMS TWIN PACK 37¢
RAISIN BRAN POST 10 OZ. BOX 27¢
APPLE JACKS KELLOGGS 6 1/2 OZ. BOX 37¢
CREAM OF WHEAT NABISCO 1 LB. 12 OZ. 39¢
SPRAY STARCH STA-FLO 1 LB. CAN 49¢
6 OZ. CAN 39¢
WAFFLE SYRUP BLACKBURNS 3 5100
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE TEXSUN 46 OZ. CAN 3 79¢
DRINKS WAGGONER QT. ASST. QT. 3 79¢
WELCHES GRAPE JUICE 8 OZ. SIZE 3 5100

CORICIDIN TABLETS 25 COUNT
CHILDREN OR GROWNUPS COUGH SYRUP CREOMULSION
DELMONTE PRUNES 2 LB. CELLO BAG
COMSTOCK BLUEBERRY PIE FILLING NO. 2 CAN OPEN AND SERVE
COMPLIMENT PORK & BEANS KIM 303 CAN
CRACKERS SALTINE POUND BOX
CHOCOLATE or BUTTER 39¢
BORDENS TEA LIPTONS POUND BOX

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AWOL Soldier Recaptured Near Pampa

Albert R. Williams, 17, AWOL soldier from Ft. Sill, Okla., who escaped here last week (following a string of events which included a car theft, auto accident, stay in the hospital and the escape) was arrested last Sunday near Pampa by a Department of Public Safety Patrolman.

According to officers of the Floyd County Sheriff's department Williams was in jail at Pampa Monday morning after stealing another car in Amarillo. The Provost Marshall from Ft. Bliss was reportedly on the way to Gray County to pick up the runaway soldier. Marvin E. Himes, 18, the other member of the AWOL duo, was picked up last Saturday morning from the Floyd County jail by Wichita County officers and returned to Wichita Falls to be charged with the car theft there.

Bealls Observes 45th Anniversary

Beall's Department Stores this year observe the 45th Anniversary of its founding, according to Louis Anderson, Vice-President and manager of the local Beall store.

The Floydada Beall's Department Store is one of the 51-store Beall Chain operated exclusively in Texas. The first store outside Texas was opened in Ardmore, Oklahoma in the spring of last year.

Anderson pointed out that the three original co-founders, Archie, Robbie, and Willie Beall, started the business in Henderson, Texas in 1923. They believed that selling the finest, first quality merchandise for the lowest possible price would be appreciated by the buying public and their good reasoning fell on fertile ground.

That policy has been followed by every Beall store since that time and on that foundation Beall's history has been an amazing saga of vision and progress.

Beall's 45th Anniversary Sale will be the biggest ever staged by the company, Anderson stated. Beall's staff of buyers, plus Beall's New York representatives have searched the nation's best markets for the entire year to secure anniversary offerings which are better than ever before.

Over the past several years Beall's have been constantly expanding its lines of merchandise to include more famous brands, better quality goods, and a greater selection of lines. Also, fashion lines are being up-graded in style and quality with famous Dallas, New York and California fashions prominent in their offerings.

During its 45 year history, Beall's has been known for its friendliness and neighborly spirit. All Beall managers and employees are prominent in all community projects and are recognized for their activity in religious and cultural affairs. Many are also identified with service clubs and leading fraternal organizations.

Beall's presently operates stores in Henderson, Nacogdoches, Mt. Pleasant, Longview, San Augustine, Gilmer, Jacksonville, Paris, Center, Kilgore, Lufkin, Greenville, Sulphur Springs, Marshall, Palestine, Vidor, Carthage, Conroe, Baytown, Stephenville, Plainview, Weatherford, Sherman, Rusk, Bryan, Mercedes, Floydada, Eagle Pass, Bay City, Dickinson, Killeen, McKinney, Laredo, Victoria, Corpus Christi (3 stores), Beaumont (3 stores), Orange, Austin (4 stores), Athens, Silsbee, Denton, Del Rio, Brownwood and Denison.

Three additional store openings are planned for the early fall of this year. These stores will be located in Temple, Harlingen, and Corsicana.

Secretary of State. Everyone is invited to attend the reception and visit with the candidate.

Leon M. Simmons was called to Traffic Court after a check by a computer showed he had accumulated 165 traffic summonses in the last two years, 27 of them for moving violations.



45th anniversary

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY BUY!

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General Monday

...were conducted in the church (Elizabeth First Baptist Church) for Marvin Eugene Orange, 69, who died Sunday morning in Lockney General Hospital of an apparent heart attack. The funeral was held at 10 a.m. at the church. Burial was in the cemetery. He had lived in Orange until some two years ago when he moved to Lockney. He was a retired member of the American Legion and a member of the American Legion Post 1234.

...two daughters, Christi Love and Mrs. Orange; two brothers, Lockney and one sister, Cobas Fortenberry.

...Stanton, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiated at the funeral. Rev. R. A. ... of the Floydada ... Church. ... Lockney Cemetery in the direction of ... Home.

General Monday

...for George V. ... held Saturday ... Rose Funeral Home was found ... week ago in his ... from ... Calif., at the ...

...Feb. 10, 1911 ... county, Tex., and ... time in Floydada. ... brother of Willard ...

...include two daughters, ... and Joyce ... burg, Tex.; four ... of Fredricksburg, ... of Houston; ... Willard of Floydada, ... of California, ... sister, Mrs. Lee ...

General Monday

...Staggs, pastor of ... of God Church, ... writes. Interment ... da Cemetery in ... of Moore ... Home.

General Monday

...to a report from ... school administration, Junior High and ... art teacher Danny ... had this week. ... sor had not been ... at press time Wednesday.

General Monday

...view Will ... John Hill

...Hill, Democratic candidate for Governor of Texas, ... at a reception ... until 5 p.m. Sunday, March 3, at the Alcove ... in Plainview. ... now serves as Texas

General Monday

...the Floyd County Hesperian ... at 212 South Main St., Floydada, Texas, 79235

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South Plains News

BY MRS. MURRAY JULIAN

SOUTH PLAINS, Feb. 26 - The Wayland Baptist College and First Baptist Church in Plainview are hosts this Monday and Tuesday to the Panhandle Pastor's and Layman's Conference. Many from our area plan to attend, including Rev. and Mrs. Charles Conger and family.

Rev. Charles Conger and members of the South Plains Baptist Church went to Lockney to the Lockney Convalescent Home Sunday to hold services for the patients there. Bobby Moore led the song services. Those going with Rev. Conger, Mrs. Conger and boys were the Sterling Cummings, the Kendis Julians, the Fred Fortenberry, the Grigsby Miltons, the Shelby Calahans, Mrs. Tillman Powell, Mrs. Murray Julian, and E. P. Pritchett and Stevie.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Teeple and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hamm left Saturday morning for Corpus Christi, where they planned to go deep sea fishing over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Teeple of Floydada are staying here on the farm with the girls, Arlene and Jeanneva Hamm. The Teeples and Hamm expect to be home Wednesday coming back through Dallas where they will visit daughters of both families.

Rufus Young, father of Travis and Deral Young in our community, who underwent surgery in the Plainview Hospital last Tuesday, is getting along fine, and enjoyed visitors Sunday. He expects to go home this Friday.

Mrs. Don Probasco entertained in her home Tuesday afternoon of last week with a party honoring their youngest daughter, Susie, on the occasion of her sixth birthday. Guests played games during the party, and enjoyed birthday cake and punch. Attending were Beverly and Dusty Burleson, Kenny Young, Kelly and Cindy Marble, and Kristi Julian. Mothers present were Mrs. Lou Burleson, Margie Young and Carolyn Marble.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson went to Ada, Okla. with several others from Lockney for the graveside rites of Coach J. L. Martin, of Lockney, who was taken by death Monday of a heart attack. Memorial services were held in Lockney Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church, and interment was in Ada, Okla. The Johnsons reported the roads were icy

and banana cake all planned and made by the girls, and served at the noon meal. Girls who were in attendance were Sheryl Pruitt, Wanda, Donna and Shirley Powell, Donette Marble, Darla Milton, and Arlene Hamm. Mrs. Grigsby Milton was also present.

We got up Wednesday morning, Feb. 21, to find heavy snow falling, and as it was 16 degrees, there was no school that day. School resumed Thursday. Heavy snow fell nearly all day, and kept up part of Friday. There is beautiful sunshine this Monday, and the country roads dried off a great deal over Sunday, although many were kept home from church Sunday due to muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry went to Lockney Sunday to have dinner with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Fortenberry and children. This Monday they will attend the funeral for life long friend, Marvin Love, who died Sunday morning. Services are to be held at the First Baptist Church in Floydada. Another recent funeral in their family was that of Mrs. Ula Tucker, aunt of Garland Tucker of Cedar Hill, who passed away in Albuquerque, N.M. over the weekend.

Members of the Baptist WMS met Tuesday afternoon at the church for Royal Service with a study of "Money for Missions" by Mrs. Murray Julian and Mrs. Charles Conger. Mrs. Bryan Karr led the study of "The Missionary Message on the Bible." Present were Mrs. L. T. Wood, J. P. Taylor, Chas. Conger, M. M. Julian, F. M. McClure, Bryan Karr and Tom Maurer. March 3-10 there will be the Week of Prayer Program at the church, and this will be an all day meeting. Ladies will bring dishes to serve at the noon meal. The Lone Star WMS and the Cedar Hill Baptist Church women will join the South Plains WMS for the Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer, "Pray in one Accord." This Tuesday the WMS will meet at 2 p.m. for a Mission Study Book, "Trumpets in Dixie" taught by several members of the WMS.

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Dougherty News

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This area is experiencing beautiful spring like weather after the snow storm and frigid temperatures of last week. If our weather pattern holds true we may have another snow storm by time this is printed. A number have commented on the excellent condition of the sale and the vast improvement on the wheat prospects since the moisture.

There were thirty present for morning services at the local church Sunday.

Jim Morrison returned home from Lockney hospital Friday. He is reported to be convalescing nicely. His sister, Miss Bessie Morrison and brothers, David and J.D. of Fort Worth visited with him and Mrs. Morrison over the weekend.

Wayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Cage, is expected home this week for a farewell visit before leaving for Germany on March 15.

Mrs. Mary Hay and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Larry Hay and children of Lubbock visited Mrs. and Mrs. J.G. Cage Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Powell and son, Lewis, of Ralls visited Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Ross Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Chowning recently visited friends in Quana, Memphis and Clarendon.

During the weekend Elmer Watson visited relatives at Brownfield while Mrs. Watson visited her daughter at Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Orland Howard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Armstrong in Lubbock during the weekend.

Holly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Robertson, broker left arm while attending the Community Club skating party at Plainview Tuesday evening.

Mrs. L. G. Norrell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poole Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jimmy Ray and children, Lennie and Sharon, of Lubbock returned home Saturday after visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Martin. The children stayed with the grandparents while their mother was hospitalized following surgery. Then Mrs. Ray convalesced at their home a week.

Kenneth Robertson, Jesse Pernel, Ralph Johnston and Howard Drysdale left this morning for a fishing trip to Possum Kingdom.

Judy and Carolyn Emert returned early this morning from their trip to California. They had a little experience with the well publicized California smog. Their return plane was grounded by smog so they went by bus approximately seventy miles and caught a plane home arriving at Lubbock two hours later than scheduled.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Emert were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Moore of Lubbock.

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MD Fund Drive Slated Monday By Local VFD

Members of the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department will conduct a house-to-house fund drive for the Muscular Dystrophy Association Monday from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m.

Local residents are urged to leave their porch lights on as an aid to the volunteers. Approximately 20 members of the VFD will be assisting with the campaign.

Last year, the VFD raised more than \$600 for the MD campaign through the house-to-house drive, a coin card program in the elementary schools, and distribution of counter donation canisters.

The firemen are "out to break last year's record" and plan all three types of fund raising activities again this year.

According to information from the MD Association, "Muscular dystrophy is a mysterious disease, which progressively invades the voluntary muscles, eventually weakening and disabling its victims to the point where a minor ailment, like a cold, may prove fatal. Nothing now known to medical science can arrest its relentless downhill course.

Muscular dystrophy may strike anyone, age, sex or race. The majority of children and adults, in the progress of the disease, do not survive to adulthood. Muscular dystrophy are waiting to be a future which is disability and their plight is a medical science. American people Research has other diseases we gued mankind. support from the also conquer National charity fund drive is Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson's honorary chairman. Money raised be used for and community lic health education fessional education ing.

Acie Johnson At City



AT WATER INC. meeting here Monday noon - Lubbock attorney George McClesky (center) shows how they move water in California. South Plains farmer Don Marble (left) and area

10 director Chester Mitchell moving water from the Mississippi Plains of Texas. (Staff Photo)

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Shurfine Cake Mixes Asst'd. 18 1/2 oz. 4/\$1.00	Shurfine Peanut Butter Sm.-Cr. 12 oz. 4/\$1.00
Shurfine Catsup 14 oz. 5/\$1.00	Shurfine Pears Hivs. Bartlett 303 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Cheese Spread 2 Lbs. \$.89	Shurfine Peas Sw. Early Harvest 22 oz. 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Chili With Beans 15 oz. 3/\$1.00	Shurfine Pickles Whole Sweet 22 oz. 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Coffee VP Reg.-Drip 1 lb. \$.59	Shurfine Pineapple Juice 46 oz. 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Corn Golden CS-WK 303 5/\$1.00	Shurfine Pork & Beans 300 5/\$1.00
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Shurfine Crackers 1 lb. 2/\$.45	Shurfine Salad Dressing 32 oz. 4/\$1.00
Shurfine Cucumber Chips Fresh Pk 16 oz. 4/\$1.00	Shurfine Sauer Kraut 303 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Energy Detergent Powdered 49 oz. \$.49	Shurfine Shortening 3 lbs. 2/\$1.00
Shurfine Roxey Dog Food Dry 5 lbs. 2/\$1.00	Shurfine Spaghetti Elbo 2 lbs. 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Flour-Paper Bag 10 lbs. \$.89	Shurfine Spinach 303 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Flour-Print Bag 25 lbs. \$2.09	Shurfine Strawberries Fro. Hivs. 303 3/\$1.00
Shurfine Frosting Mix Wht.-Choc. 13 1/2 oz. 4/\$1.00	Shurfine Syrup Waffle 32 oz. 4/\$1.00
Shurfine Fruit Cocktail 303 4/\$1.00	Shurfine Tea Bags 48 Ct. 4/\$1.00
Shurfine Gln. Beans 4 Sv Cut B.L. 303 4/\$1.00	Shurfine Tomatoes Whole Peeled 24 oz. 3/\$1.00
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Hinkle, Mike Hollums March 7th Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hinkle announce the engagement of their daughter, Janie, to John Michael Hollums, son of Melvin Hollums, member of the armed services in Vietnam and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hollums. Both families reside in Floydada.

Miss Hinkle is attending Floydada High School. Her fiancé is employed at Jim's Conoco in Floydada.

The marriage is to be held March 9 in the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Moore Is Club Hostess

Mrs. Doyle Moore was hostess last week for the regular meeting of the 1950 Study Club. The pledge to the American Flag was led by Mrs. Tom Moore and roll call answered by each member naming their favorite family in the White House.

The program "Children in the White House", was given by Nell Swinson. Attending the meeting were Miss W. R. Bradshaw, Bob Copeland, L. W. Crabtree, Charles Craig, Herman Graham, Sammy Hale, David Kirk, Tom Moore, Doyle Moore, Dallas Ramsey, Jimmy Seay, Lawrence Wedel, Cleo Whittle, John C. Moss and Miss Nell Swinson. The next meeting is March 19 in the home of Mrs. Charles Craig. Speaker will be Floydada's exchange student.

Electric Co-op Sets 29th. Annual Meet

Committee members of Lighthouse Electric met last Friday night and set April 6, for the 29th annual membership meeting of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative in Floydada.

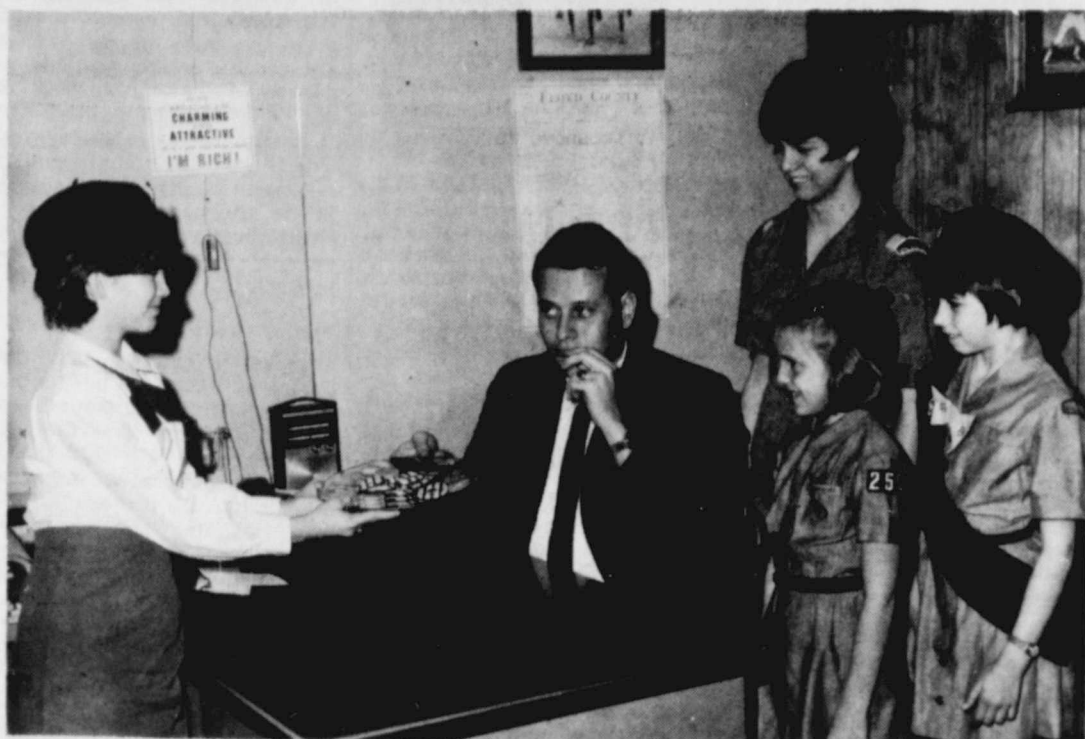
Planning members were selected to represent their district. The husband and wife teams include: Messrs. and Mrs. Weldon Fletcher, James Nicholas, Don Shurbet, Larry Jarrett, F. G. Jones Jr., Jimmy Kelly and Laron Fulton. Cooperative directors assisting with the planning are Chloanna Williams, Henry Scarborough, Herman King, Gerald Lackey, Cecil Baxter, Odell Bred and R. C. Ratheal.

Ned Bradley will serve as master of ceremonies for the meeting which is to be held in the Floydada High School auditorium. Entertainment, door prizes, and a featured speaker will be on the program agenda.

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FLOYD DATA
Dr. Keith Patzer was guest speaker for the graduation dinner of Southwestern Aviation Monday night at Youngbloods in Lubbock. Southwestern is a school for commercial pilots. Dr. Patzer spoke on "How to Succeed in Life". Afterwards a round table discussion was held by the pilots, who gave an interesting highlight of their experience in flying. Dr. Patzer was accompanied to the dinner by his wife. N.E.A. urges \$6-billion more in school aid.



SAMPLES COOKIES - Editor Bill Salter samples Girl Scout cookies as representatives from each Floydada Troop look on. Left is Ladonna Neff of the Cadette Troop; Janie Willson, Senior Troop; Tolya Hickerson, Brownie Troop 250 and Shawn Higgins, Girl Scout Troop 181. The platter of cookies was later enjoyed by the Hesperian staff, compliments of local Girl Scouts. (Staff Photo)

Girl Scouts Begin Cookie Sale Today


Girl Scouts of the Caprock Council will begin their annual cookie sale, Thursday, February 29, announces Mrs. Leroy Burns of Floydada, Girl Scout Cookie Chairman. Girl Scouts in the 18 county area will be selling the cookies through March 14. The price will be 50 cents per box. Over 100 girls in the Floydada area will be selling five kinds of cookies: chocolate mint, assorted sandwich, butter cookies, peanut butter sandwiches and new koko cookies. Profits from the sale are di-

vided between the troops and Council. Council profits will be used for building and improving Camp Rio Blanco. Camp Rio Blanco is the camp for the entire Council. It is located northeast of Crosbyton. Summer sessions will begin in June. Each session will be based on the Girl Scout Program in the out-of-doors. Camp activities include crafts, hikes, swimming, songs, campfires, cook-outs, nature study and star gazing. Six sessions are scheduled for girls of various age groups.

While girls are selling cookies they will wear their Girl Scout uniforms or pins. They will give each customer a window sticker indicating purchase and the scout's name and address. A two-week campership for Camp Rio Blanco will be awarded to Girl Scouts who sell 350 boxes of cookies, or more. Girls selling 100 boxes will receive a "Cookie Patch" for their uniform. Those selling 25 boxes of cookies will receive a "Certificate of Merit."

Peggy's Meddlin's

BY PEGGY MEDLEY



ADVERTISING pays off regardless of what you want to sell, even so back in 1860. I read where Pony Express riders were recruited through newspaper ads back then. They usually carry a drawing of a western dressed young man with guns, and the ad reads, "Wanted, young, skinny, wiry fellow not over 18. Must be expert rider, willing to risk death daily. Orphans preferred. Wages \$25 per week. Bet they didn't have too many prospects."

I understand 13 young ladies have signed up as entries in the Miss Floydada Pageant. The affair has been scheduled for April 20 and is sponsored by the senior class. Entries thus far are Zacha Cummings, Nancy Williams, Terri Dyson, Sharon Hasley, Kathi Conner, Cindy Ward, Marilyn Harris, Brenda Mathis, Dianne Phillips, Jeanne Brewer, Wendy Bertrand, Kay Snead and Debbie Jones.

If you missed the preachings of Angel Martinez when he conducted a revival here three years ago be sure and not miss hearing him next week when he will again be in Floydada for a revival at First Baptist. Those who have had the opportunity to hear him before, will not need any urging to attend his meetings, for they will be in their places. The city has already been blessed with one great revival at First Methodist and we encourage each of you not to miss the second one starting Sunday.

SCHOOL Students get a holiday tomorrow while teachers will be attending a meeting in Lubbock.

WITH the wonderful weather we had first of this week people are already getting vacation minded. If you have plans of traveling in the state of Illinois this summer don't pass up the chance to see America's largest and one of its most beautiful devotional centers, located near Belleville, Illinois, eight miles across the river of St. Louis. It sits in knolls overlooking the Mississippi River bluffs. The National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows, yearly attracts more than 600,000 visitors. Understand it's even more beautiful at Christmas time. At that time of season, the Oblate Fathers who operate the Shrine, erect an illuminated life-size Nativity display in a picturesque set-

ting on the Shrine grounds. Focal point of the Main Shrine is a 16 foot statue of the Madonna and Child.

WE sold a portable Smith-Corona typewriter to someone just before Christmas and now we have found out we gave them the wrong carrying case. We can't think of the person's name but if they would be kind enough to come forth we will exchange cases with them. They might not notice they have the wrong case, because their typewriter will fit in it, but the typewriter we have here will not fit in the case that should have been given to them. That should confuse the person who purchased the typewriter real well.

DID you hear about the stranger inquiring of a Tahoka resident if that city was a healthy place to live. The Tahokian came back with "when I came here I was bald, couldn't walk and had to be lifted from my bed". The stranger, a little astonished, ask the man "How long have you been here?" His reply, "Oh, I was born here."

I heartily agree with the Dallas mother who last week mourned the death of her second son, a victim of the Vietnam war and who remarked "not old enough to vote but old enough to fight and die for their country." I think if our young men from 18-20 are considered men enough to fight for our country and for what they believe in, then they should be considered mature enough to vote for leaders of their choice. The mother said she wasn't bitter but just heartbroken, she didn't blame God but men who are making this war. One son,

Allan McWright, 28, served 10 years in the Marines and is now out of service, Eddie, at the age of 20, was killed in Vietnam last November and Dale, 19, was killed February 17, the same day a younger brother reached his 18 birthday and the day he received his draft notice.

Before Dale went to Vietnam, he and his brother Allan wrote a song about the death of brother Eddie.

Dale sang it to a USO show in Hollywood and got a standing ovation from 3,000 soldiers. The Marine Corps thought it was good enough to give him 30 extra days leave before going to Vietnam so he might record it.

"Ten thousand miles away from home, "Died a soldier all alone. "The phone rang, and a sergeant sadly said, "Ma'am I've got to tell you, your son is dead. . . " A Hollywood record company was just getting ready to release the record. Mrs. McWright called them Monday and told them Dale is now dead too. "What else can I say," she said looking to her 15-year-old daughter, Connie, for support. "I've just got to think of the last words in Dale's song about Eddie - "I know now why I am free, "A brother like mine has fought for me."

WIGS A BIG BUSINESS
Seoul, South Korea -- Wig-making has become a big business in South Korea. Hair is collected by individuals who make door-to-door visits. More than 100 shades are available and Korean wig-makers claim their work is among the best in the world.

Birthday Party Given In Honor Of Mrs. Carroll

A birthday party given Monday in the home of Edna Patton was in honor of Mrs. Lucille Carroll.

Those attending were Marjorie Wiles, Vera Meredith, Vernie Martin, Lois Reynolds, Delcie Bradford, Ellen Stout, Sis McCray, Leatha Lightfoot, Vera Thompson, little Kent Mankins, the honoree and Mrs. Patton. Birthday cake and coffee were served those present.

FLOYD DATA
Mr. and Mrs. S.L. Powell have returned home after spending several weeks in Fort Worth, Dallas, Grand Prairie and Richardson with their children and other relatives.



The fourth generation "Joe Wilson" was born February 10, in Long Beach, Calif. The youngster, named Joe Don, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Joe Wilson. His great grandparents include W.F. Culpepper, and Mrs. Joe Wilson and the late Rev. Joe Wilson of Floydada.

Couple Honored At Homecoming Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Burns were honored Thursday night with a homecoming dinner party in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Turner. The occasion was also in honor of Mrs. Burns' birthday. The couple returned to Floydada ten days ago from Honolulu, Hawaii where they have been stationed with the Army the past two and a half years.

Attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Burns, Mrs. Marie Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Burns and Sheryl, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Turner, Mr. Forrest Finley, Mrs. Jeff Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Turner, Craig and Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner, Kelly, Karen, Susan and Grant, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Medley and Deborah, Mr. and Mrs. Larry White and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hacker and baby of Archer City, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Faires and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Payne, Dr. and Mrs. Keith Patzer, Mrs. Gene Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goen and Mrs. Lydia Kraft.

Charlton Accepts Midland Position

Pete Charlton, manager of Floydada Radio Station KFLD for the past 16 months, has accepted a position as manager of a radio station in Midland. Charlton will report for work in Midland on March 1, but his family will reside here until their home is sold before moving to Midland.

Mrs. Alma Holmes will assume the management of the station here.

World Day Of Prayer To Be Observed Friday

A World Day of Prayer service will be conducted Friday, March 1, at 10:15 a.m. in the sanctuary of the First Methodist Church in Floydada. This annual service is sponsored in Floydada by the women of the First Methodist and First Christian churches. All interested persons are invited to participate in the prayer observance.

This year's theme is "Bearing One Another's Burdens," based on the scripture Galatians 6:2, Mrs. Newell Burk will bring the major message using this theme. The order of service to be followed in Floydada Friday will be the same prepared for use in 126 countries of the world. Miss Rathle Selvaratnam of Ceylon wrote this year's order, after being selected by the Asian Church Women's conference.

The service will begin promptly at 10:15 with prayer and meditation through music. Mrs. Lon Davis Jr. will be at the organ to provide inspiration and worship during this period. The call to worship will be sung by Rev. and Mrs. Darrell Faires, "Come Let Us Worship," with melody from Thailand, included in the general prayer order. Remainder of the program will include Adoration and Thanksgiving by Mrs. Bob Dyson, Scripture and spoken meditations by Mrs. Darrell Faires, Mrs. Harry Morckel, Mrs. Stanley Burleson; Penitence by Mrs. Charles Thompson; Intercession by Mrs. Bob Dyson, Dedication and Offering meditation by Mrs. Kinder Farris. Mrs. Wendell Tooley will sing the offertory selection, and Mrs. Ed Wester will lead the congregational singing. Mrs. J. C. Wester will bring the morning prayer.

"The passing of the Peace" near the close of the service, will symbolize the hope that thoughts of peace and love will travel freely during the day from person to person, town to town, and country to country, binding all hearts together in Christian understanding. After receiving the peace from leaders, each one will pass it on to the person sitting next to her saying, "The peace of God go with you."

Fullers Have 65th. Year Together

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fuller of Plainview, who made their home at one time in Estacado and later near Floydada, observed their 65th Wedding Anniversary and his 87th birthday in February. Ham Smith of Floydada is a double cousin of Mrs. Fuller.

Fuller and the former Willie E. Smith were married in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson Smith at Ringgold in 1903. Thirty-one persons were present for the ceremony, five are still living and three were present for their anniversary celebration.

The Fullers moved to a farm north of Plainview in 1912 and in 1916 moved to their farm in the Lakeside Community. They resided there until his retirement when they moved to their present home in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuller have one child, Mrs. W. L. (Louise) Kidd of Plainview and one grandson, Joel Mitchell, law student at the University of Texas and two great grandchildren. For the anniversary reception the serving table was laid with a white cutwork Madeira cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink and white snapdragons. Tea and coffee were poured from a gold service and served along with candy and cakes, one of them made by Mrs. Ham Smith of Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith, along with Mrs. Jeffie Smith, attended the event.

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STOCK SHOW PREPARATION - About 30 men from throughout the county, plus members of the Floydada High School agriculture classes, worked Monday at the Floyd County show grounds and barn. Pictured above, from left to right, are three of the workers, including Porter Finley, Jake Colston and Travis Jones.

The three men are pictured spreading hay for the steer area of the show barn. Jones is president of the stock show association and the other two are directors. The show begins Monday and concludes with a banquet Thursday night. (Staff Photo)

SHOW

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tary-treasurer; Joe Taylor, general superintendent; Elvin Lyon, show manager; Gerald Thompson, assistant show manager; and Jack Johnson, announcer.

Swine superintendent is James Hale, assisted by E. D. Morgan, Jim Jeffress, Larry Noland and Lindsay Lovell.

Lamb superintendent is Eldon Fortenberry, assisted by Eddie Fortenberry, Herschel Smith, Hulon Carthel and Sammy Fortenberry.

Steer superintendent is Jerry Williams, assisted by Eddie Foster, Carlton Johnson, Kelvin Cummings and John Hart.

Members of the sifting committee are Larry Tackett, Happy, and Calvin Helms, Blackwell.

Judges are Charles Smallwood, West Texas State, swine; Travis Allen, Portales, lambs; and Donald Beerwinkle, West Texas State, steers.

Auctioneers will be Raymond Akin and Gene Harris, Plainview. Show veterinarian is Fess Whitfill.

Official weighers are Don Robertson, Bill Cagle, Kelton Shaw and Ray Gene Ferguson.

In charge of floor bids and sifted sales are Don Robertson, L. N. Johnson and Deanie Henderson.

In charge of bids in the ring are Jim Simpson, Raymond Rucker, Tom Word, Don Faulkenberry and Clyde Saul.

Sales clerks are Mrs. Bill DuBois, Mrs. David Campbell, Mrs. Houston Bradford, J. W. Reese, Tommy Moore, Embree Douglas, Mrs. Dale West, Bill Cagle, Bill Brown and Alton Higginbotham.

Members of the sales committee are Kenneth Wofford, Deanie Henderson, Jim Bert Bobbitt, Johnnie West, Tommy Assiter, Jay S. Hale, Clay Henry and Gene Collins.

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Weights for the steer division are 800 to 1200, 190 to 240 in the barrow division, and 80 to 120 in the lamb division.

BAPTIST

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here about two years ago when the services were conducted in the high school auditorium.

Martinez was born in San Antonio, educated at Baylor University and Southern Baptist Theological Seminar. He began preaching at the age of thirteen, and for thirty-two years since that date has averaged preaching more than one sermon a day. He memorized the entire New Testament before he was twenty-one years of age. He is the author of six books.

Floyd C. Bradley, pastor of First Baptist Church, stated that the people of the church considered themselves fortunate to have such an outstanding preacher in Floydada. Dr. Martinez has conducted revivals in almost every leading Southern Baptist Church, being in some of these as many as four revivals.

The entire community is invited to the services. There will be morning services conducted Tuesday through Thursday at 10 a.m. The evening services will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The music will be under the direction of Pete Nunez of Brownwood. Nunez is a regular participant in the Martinez-led revivals. His solos have thrilled thousands over America and throughout Mexico, Latin America and Europe. He is a recording artist for Word Records.

The men of the church have formed a car pool to provide transportation for anyone who would need transportation to the church. Call the church office, 983-3755, if a ride is needed.

SCHOOL

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planned in the county for the annual observance, but parents and others are invited to visit classrooms, eat in the cafeterias with their children, and visit with school personnel, according to Floydada Superintendent A. E. Baker, Lockney Superintendent John Mason, South Plains Principal John M. Williams, Dougherty Principal Elmer C. Watson and Providence Principal C. T. Jordan.

Locally, organization for the special week is sponsored by the Floydada Lodge No. 712 A.F.&A.M. The Lodge's 1968 Public Schools Week Committee includes:

Floydada - Jimmy Willson Jr., B. A. Robertson, Jack Stansell, Wendell Tooley and John Reese.

South Plains - Glen Wood, Roy Bledsoe and Raymond Upton.

Dougherty - Henry Hinton, Carmel Eastham and Kent Covington.

The following statement comes from the Lodge:

"You're invited to an Open House at any public school in your community. The date? Any school day during March 4 through March 8, 1968. It's Texas Annual Public Schools Week. This is a live, on-the-spot chance for you to see your child in the daily process of learning. Want to know about modern math? Visit your child during math period. Interested in what he reads? Go during English period. The choice is yours! Join the responsible parents of Texas and find out for yourself just what goes on in the classroom and what these new teaching methods are all about. It's your privilege and obligation to see, first hand, just how Texas educators are meeting the challenge of tomorrow. Remember the dates - March 4 through March 8. The time? Any school day while your child is in class. It's Annual Texas Public Schools Visiting Time."

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RAIN

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at its peak in the southwestern parts of the county, slicing off a triangular corner which would almost conform to the area along and southwest of U.S. 70 and 62 from Plainview to Ralls.

At Lockney, amounts ranging up to 1.25 were reported along with some light hail.

At McCoy and Barwise, the heaviest rain was reported with 2.4 and 1.5 respectively. At Barwise, up to two inches of the small hail reportedly covered the ground, while at Harmony, the hail was said to barely cover the ground, plus a 1.5 reading of rain.

All areas of the county received rain from the storm, Lakeview reporting .58; Dougherty .25; South Plains .35 and Cedar Hill .25.

In Floydada, Tuesday's rain brings the total for the month to 1.56, the largest total of precipitation since 1961 and the sixth heaviest since the rainfall records were started for the county.

Only years having heavier amounts of rainfall than the current year in February were '61 with 2.20, '48 with 1.60, '40 with 1.25, '38 with 3.25, and '28 with 1.80.

Coupled with January's total (1.37), 2.93 inches of moisture has been recorded this year, a fact which is happily received by area farmers, with wheat prospects looking the best in several years.

Light rain was falling in Floydada Wednesday morning as this story was being written.

WATER

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hard for memberships which will be necessary in creation of an organization that will be strong enough in man power and money to make the project a reality.

McCleskey said it might take 20 years to accomplish moving

Whirlwind Band Leaving Friday For Brady Event

The Floydada High School Whirlwind Band will leave by chartered bus at 8 a.m. Friday for Brady to participate in the Heart of Texas Band Festival.

The group will arrive in Brady at approximately 3 p.m. Friday, spend the night in a motel there and participate in the functions of the festival Saturday. The band will return home Sunday morning.

On Friday night, the Floydada stage band will be one of five out of the 26 bands entered in the festival that day.

Saturday's activity begins at 7:20 a.m. with the concert contest, followed immediately by the sight reading competition.

In the concert competition, the band will play "Whirlwind March" written by Director Jim Boyd and two other selections.

Saturday afternoon's activities include a marching contest and parade. For the first time in seven years, the Floydada band's "chariot-drawn" tympani will be featured.

Making the trip with the band will be Boyd, assistant director Larry Matthews, and Mr. and Mrs. F.D. McClintock. Money for the trip to the

Track Squad Will Run At Idalou On Saturday



ROUGH GOING-OVER: Jeremy Slate (center), leader of a notorious motorcycle gang, gives one of the town's young citizens a brutal roughing up to establish initial authority while one of his rat pack stands by to back him up. The action scene is from American International's "Born Losers," coming on MARCH 3-4... to the PALACE Theatre.



Making The Drag

BY SUZANNE GUTHRIE

Well, today is Student Council elections. Those running for office are:

President; Phil Kinslow, Dale Baker. Vice-President; Tim Rose, Kelly Smitherman. Secretary; Sara Stanforth.

Treasurer; Judy Jameson, Zacha Cummings.

No matter who is elected, we'll have a fine group of officers. I was privileged enough to be able to attend the State F.T.A. convention in Dallas from 22-25 of February. Seven of us, along with our sponsor, Mrs. Sam Puckett, went and had a wonderful time. It was exciting from beginning to end. But naturally it would be, traveling with Phyllis Diller??

We made many new friends, and we learned a lot about F.T.A. (Future Teachers).

The One Act Play cast is rehearsing quite often now that it is getting near time for Interscholastic League. All the other people entering events are working hard, too. I know Mr. Alldredge has certainly been working hard with his students in Number Sense.

Yes, Yea - no school tomorrow. The teachers have a teachers' meeting.

Also, the Whirlwind Band leaves for Brady tomorrow. Isn't it wonderful that they are getting to make this trip?

The Whirlwinds got their letter jackets in, so now there's even more green than before in the halls of F.H.S.

At F.T.A. Convention, Mr. James O. Reese was the guest speaker at our first assembly, and he told a story that I would like to share with you.

Once there was a boy who was a senior in high school. He was a small boy, and he had played football for four years, and had never been on the field. It was the Wednesday before the last game. And this boy was absent. But, he was there on Thursday and then on Friday night. That night he walked up to the coach and said, "Coach, please let me on the field tonight, even if it's only for a minute." Well, the coach did, and the boy played a wonderful game. He even recovered the fumble that won the game for his team. After the game he was walking off the field and he was crying. The coach said, "Son, what are you unhappy about? You played a great game and we were all very proud of you."

The boy replied "Well, Coach, you see, my father died and we buried him on Wednesday. Coach, my father had been blind for 20 years, and this was the first time he had the opportunity to see me play, so I just had to do good."

festival was recently raised by the band boosters organization with a comedy variety show.

Floydada High School cindermen, after a week's delay, will compete in their first track meet of the season Saturday at Idalou.

The track team, under the direction of head cinder mentor Robert Milliken, was scheduled to compete last Saturday at Brownfield, but were scratched from the entry list due to the unfavorable weather which had prevented them from working out.

Preliminaries in the running events will begin at about 9:30 a.m. with running finals to start in the afternoon at about 1:30. Preliminaries are not run in

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Mississippi water into the Plains of Texas, but now is the time to begin work. He outlined the organization of Water Inc. to date and said that three main hurdles must be surmounted in the project; political, financing and engineering.

He said the Mississippi river carries 550 million acre feet of water per year into the Gulf of Mexico, and that Water Inc. hoped to divert about 19 million into Texas.

He outlined the engineering problem of moving the water over 425 miles and raising it from sea level to 3300 feet.

"This looks impossible... but when you view what the people of California have done in moving large amounts of water... we can see that it is possible," McCleskey said.

"It appears now that the overall cost of water to the farmer will be a little less than \$34 per acre feet. However, power progress indicates that it could be less cost than this," he continued.

Following the talk by McCleskey, Mitchell passed membership cards out to the workers and explained that memberships were deductible from income tax.

the mile and half mile events. Nearly all of the schools represented in the meet will have at least one-week jump on Floydada, with one meet already under their belt, while workouts for the local athletes are little more than a week in progress.

First meet of the year for the Junior High track squad will be March 15 at Abernathy.

Last year's 8th district was second.

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400 Hear Williams At Chamber Banquet

BY BILL SALTER
More than 400 persons turned out last Friday night for the annual Floydada Chamber of Commerce banquet, hearing Jeff Williams, Oklahoma lawyer, humorist and philosopher comment on the condition of the world today in a speech entitled, "Who Death This Mess?"

Evenly dividing his comments between humor and philosophy, Williams opened with "It's a nutty, crazy, great world . . . but it's the only one we've got," urging "Make the best of it while you're here . . . working for the good of the lot!"

Saying that many people today seek to "escape," Williams noted that there was "nowhere to go," and that you couldn't "stop the world and get off."

Then, he added the searching question, "What else are you

going to do with life without living it?"

In commenting on the Vietnam situation, Williams remarked, "Let's win this cock-eyed war," a statement which drew a round of applause from the audience.

Williams also commented on "hippies," dryly adding, "What's wrong with the word 'bum'?"

"What the mind believes, it does," Williams ascertained, adding "Let's fight for our future."

Theorizing on the reason why our country is in a "mess," Williams noted that "we have more trouble getting along with each other than we have with other countries."

Commenting on worries, Williams asserted that it is "okay to worry a little dab . . .

if you have no worries, there's something wrong with you," then quoted Bud Wilkinson's famous slogan, "You're never a failure until you quit trying."

Noting that he had spoken in Floydada 15 years earlier, Williams expressed that it really wasn't such a "changing world."

To prove his point, he said that on March 27, 1953, when he was here he said, "things don't look so hot . . . and, that ignorance, filth, tin cans and communism were going to get us if we didn't look out."

Adding that "people, not things," were responsible for the "mess on Earth," Williams stressed that it was the "time in history when people of this nation ought to reassess their attitudes."

"It's a new year but an old

world," Williams continued, "It's time to take inventory . . . find out where we've been and where we're going."

"The world's in a mess . . . people just don't care," Williams stressed, concluding with "Climb out of your coffins of complacency and take a hold on your future."

Serving as master of ceremonies for the function was Clay Henry, retiring president of the Chamber who expressed thanks to those who helped with the banquet.

Following the acknowledgments, Bill Brown, incoming Chamber president, introduced special guests including out-of-town visitors from Canyon, Amarillo, Crosbyton, Lockney, Lubbock, Matador, Pampa, Pecos, Plainview, Ralls, South Plains, Slaton, Tulia, White Star and Abilene.

Williams, from Chickasha, Okla., was introduced by John Stapleton. Invocation was given by Rev. Floyd C. Bradley, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Following the principal address, Brown presented a plaque to Henry for the Chamber for "aggressive leadership and faithful service."

The banquet was concluded with a benediction in song given by Gene and Bobbie Moore, evangelistic singers with the Ed Robb Team which has been in Floydada conducting a re-

vival and were special guests at the banquet.

New Chamber officers in addition to Brown were introduced and include Vernon Parker, vice-president; Alton Higginbotham, treasurer; directors, Alton Rose, Sam Baker, Dallas Ramsey, R.G. Dunlap, Doyle Walls, Boone Adams, Ray Gene Ferguson, Carl Minor, Clay Henry, Mrs. Alma Holmes, Rev. Floyd Bradley and Don Cheek.

Neffs Injured In Auto Crash

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clifford Neff, Floydada, were injured Sunday afternoon in a collision of two pickups about nine miles north of Crosbyton on FM 651.

Neff, a farmer, was hospitalized Sunday, but was released Monday from Crosbyton Hospital.

Mrs. Neff, also hospitalized due to injuries in the crash, remained in the hospital Tuesday, but was listed in satisfactory condition.

Occupants of the other car were Billy J. Johnson, 18, and his brother, Randall L. G. Johnson, 30, both of Ralls. The younger Johnson remained in serious condition at the hos-

Two Construction Workers Injured Tuesday On US 70

Two highway construction workers miraculously escaped death Tuesday morning in an accident which occurred just east of Floydada on U.S. 70.

The two men, Edward Lee Lamb and Ramon Blanco, both were run over by a gigantic Cal-rpillar impact roller with lug wheels, both sustaining serious injuries, but apparently not of a critical nature.

The accident occurred, according to Texas Highway Department officials, when the heavy tractor hit a soft spot in a ditch, sliding into and over the two men, both of whom were setting stakes.

The machine apparently straddled most of Blanco's body, the worker suffering multiple lacerations and contusions

of the head, hand and face which required 40 stitches to close. He also suffered a fractured right hand and a compound toe fracture.

Lamb, both legs of whom were reportedly run over by the machine, apparently escaped more serious injury due to the softness of the ground, sustaining a fractured thigh, cuts and bruises.

Both men received emergency treatment at Caprock Hospital, then were transported to Lubbock for casts and wiring. It was thought that both would be returned to the local hospital for their convalescence.

Both men are employed by Henry Stafford, contractor in charge of the construction now underway on U.S. 70.

Caprock Water Utilities Group Holds Meet Here

More than 50 members and guests were present Tuesday night at the monthly meeting of the Caprock Water Utilities Association held in the Andrews Ward Cafeteria.

Presiding over the meeting was Marshall Haney, Director of Public Works for the City of Floydada, who also serves as president of the association which covers a 10-county area.

Principal speaker for the event was Robert Martin, sales representative for the Meuler Company, a firm which manufactures water distribution supplies.

Martin's address was entitled "The Water Superintendent

and the importance of decisions." At the meeting, Haney letter advising that they would be awarding 1967 award for percentage of water and sewage rates.


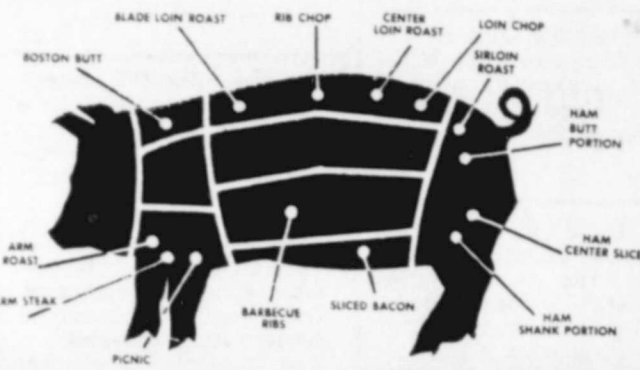
The award will be presented to Haney at the meeting at A&M University.

POLITICAL CALENDAR
The following have authorized to announce their names for the offices subject to the action of the 1968 Democratic Party.
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COLLEGE STATION—(Spl)—The Texas Agricultural Extension Service carries on a statewide educational effort in its role as the field educational arm of Texas A&M University and of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The agency was created in 1915 when the State Legislature accepted provisions of the Smith-Lever Act. Reaching now into every community, Extension conducts

educational programs in 44 subject-matter areas of agriculture, home economics and related fields. Extension gives major emphasis to nine important areas. They include efficiency in both production and utilization of agricultural products; conservation of natural resources; management on the farm and in the home; family living; youth development; leadership devel-

opment; community improvement and public affairs education.

The county staff is Extension's basic educational unit and every effort is made to provide services of both agricultural and home demonstration agents, along with needed assistants, to people in each Texas county.

In Texas, Extension maintains well trained county staffs

of "generalists" who speak the language of local people and understand their problems. County personnel get strong support from highly skilled teams of state and area specialists stationed at strategic locations.

Each county has a broadly representative group of local leaders who serve voluntarily on "program building" committees. Initially, these com-

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TO ATTEND SMU WORKSHOP

Floydada Ballerina Scholarship Recipient

By MARY ALICE DIERS
Women's News Staff

"I want to be a dancer if I can," explained the petite blonde wearing the black leotard, flesh-colored tights and pink ballet slippers.

While limbering up in the dance studio, the ambitious young ballet dancer, Rande Brown, discussed her plans for the future and the hard work involved in obtaining her goal.

Perhaps such a goal is not so far off for Rande, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown Jr. of Floydada and a senior in Floydada High School.

Rande is the recipient of a scholarship from Southern Methodist University for a six-week summer ballet workshop beginning June 2 at the school in Dallas. This scholarship was granted by Nikita Talin, ballet director at SMU and southwestern representative of the Harkness Ballet Foundation. She is the first person from this area to receive such a scholarship.

Rande auditioned for Talin on Jan. 27 in Dallas and at that time was awarded the

scholarship. Talin is noted for instructing such stars as Patricia Neary and Robert Seevers, both of the New York City Ballet Co.

"It takes patience to try to learn to dance," commented Rande, who finds time to practice almost every day. "Performing is my favorite part — that's fun!" she said.

Beginning her study of ballet when she was six, Rande has taken what her mother describes as "spasmodic lessons" through the years. In the past two years, Rande and her mother have driven approximately 200 miles each week so that Rande could study ballet in Lubbock.

"There have not been too many ballet teachers in the Floydada area," Mrs. Brown explained.

As one of the original members of the Lubbock Civic Ballet, Rande is a soloist for the group and has worked under the direction of Mrs. Suzanne Aker, artistic director for the group and assistant professor in women's physical education at Texas Tech.



CLASSIC FORM—Posing in classic ballet form is Rande Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown Jr. of Floydada. Rande is the recipient of a Harkness Scholarship from Southern Methodist University. (Women's Staff Photo)



SPC QUEEN FINALIST Connie Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Connie C. Reed of Floydada, was one of five finalists for 1968 Homecoming Queen at South Plains College, Levelland. Named as queen on Saturday night in ceremonies at Texan Dome was Karen

Blackwell of Hereford. Miss Reed, a sophomore, is pictured standing by the school's new victory bell at the front of the Dome. She is captain of the Tex-Anns, girls drill team, and represented that organization in the queen contest. (Staff Photo)

Finding persons with a common interest has been difficult for the young dancer. "It's probably hardest in a small town where few people have a similar interest in ballet," she said. "Everybody turns up their noses at ballet."

Rande is also active in high school dramatics and is playing the Cheshire Cat in the school's production of "Alice in Wonderland." Preparing for the summer workshop, Rande has run into one obstacle—she is too heavy. Looking at her slim

five-foot-four, 105-pound figure, it is difficult to believe that Rande has a weight problem, but 10 pounds must come off, she explained. "I believe the dieting is the most difficult part," Rande remarked.

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FLOYD PHILOSOPHER Wants To Call Out The National Guard To Empty His Piled Up Trash Can



(Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm is looking ahead toward summer, to get his mind off of winter, we suppose.)

Dear editor:
According to an article I read in a newspaper some do-it-yourself garbage disposal worker dropped in the ditch along the road near my house out here on this Johnson grass farm yesterday, a lot of people are concerned about what's going to happen in this country next summer when the weather is warm and the rioting is easy.

I guess it's all right to have somebody worrying six months ahead although I don't see how he does it, I'm not through worrying yet about what happened yesterday and is bound to happen tomorrow to worry about spring, not to mention summer. I thought of offering the suggestion to these planners that the place to hold riots is in Saigon or Hue. From the looks of those wrecked places you could stage one without being noticed, the before and after pictures would be the same, but that's out of my department.

What interested me in that article was the report that the way to prevent riots is to re-

move the causes. That's true, the same as it is with wars and divorces and school trustee fights and economic depressions, if anybody wants the job, but what really got my attention was a statement one of the rioters of last summer made. He said, as he walked off with a color T.V. set, "All I'm doing is collecting what's owed my great-great-grandfather."

Well, how you're going to prevent now what happened a hundred and fifty years ago to your great-great-grandfather is a problem I'll leave to the experts in Washington. It'd require more re-writing of history than I could manage.

However, I like the idea. For example, I have been told that one of my ancestors was thrown in jail in England for life for a bad debt he didn't owe, he wasn't the type of man who was given grocery credit in the first place, and I hope the bank recognizes this if I skip the next payment on my note. And if it doesn't, I'd ask it to remember what Julius Caesar did. What this country needs is more banks and television stores familiar with the history of the human race.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Local Teachers To Meet Friday, School to Close

Floydada schools will be closed Friday as teachers from sixteen South Plains counties gather in Lubbock for the District 13 meeting of Texas State Teachers Association. The theme of the convention will be "Be Concerned With Their Education."

The house of delegates will convene Thursday evening at 6:30 in a banquet session in the Coronado High School cafeteria.

This meeting will be followed by a business session in the auditorium. Delegates will be selected to the State TSTA meeting to be held October 31 through November 2, at Ft. Worth. Committee reports will be given and new officers will be elected.

A general session will be held at 9:30 Friday morning in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum with Neal B. Dillman, Superintendent, Muleshoe Public Schools, and President of District 13, presiding. "The Ebbside of Freedom" will be the title of an address by L. C. Michelson, Director of Public Affairs and Education, Republic Steel Corporation, in addressing the convention.

Church Group Returns From Vernon Meeting

Meetings for the Plainview Hill Crest congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses were resumed this week with the regular schedule of Bible study activity being conducted at Kingdom Hall, 321 Vermont Street. Local members returned home from having attended a 3-day convention in Vernon over the weekend where 538 heard the principal speaker answer the question "WHY DOES GOD PERMIT WICKEDNESS?"

Approximately 5,000 area teachers are expected to attend the one-day conference.

Lunchroom Menus

HIGH SCHOOL AND JR. HIGH (Week of March 4)

MONDAY:
Baked Ham
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Buttered Spinach
Hot Rolls and Butter
Chocolate Cake
1/2 pint milk

TUESDAY:
Seasoned Pinto Beans
Barbecued Weiners
Seven Minute Cabbage
Hot Cornbread and Butter
Peanutbutter Cookie
1/2 pint milk

WEDNESDAY:
Fish Portions with Tartar Sauce
Baked Potatoes
Tossed Vegetable Salad with French Dressing
Fruit Cup
Hot Rolls and Butter
1/2 pint milk

THURSDAY:
Country Fried Steak and Gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Seasoned Green Beans
Hot Rolls and Butter
Broken Glass Cake
1/2 pint milk

FRIDAY:
Hamburgers with Cheese Slices
French Fries
Tomato, Lettuce, and Pickles
Apple Cobbler
1/2 pint milk

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS (Week of March 4)

MONDAY:
Chicken Fried Steak
Buttered Potatoes
Sweet Sour Spinach
Rolled Wheat Rolls and Butter
Grape Jello with Whipped Topping
1/2 pint milk

TUESDAY:
Chili Beans
Buttered Carrots
Tossed Vegetable Salad with French Dressing
Hot Cornbread and Butter
Plain Cake with Lemon Icing
1/2 pint milk

WEDNESDAY:
Baked Ham
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Seasoned Green Beans
Hot Rolls and Butter
Flying Saucers
1/2 pint milk



Letter To The Editor

February 26, 1968

Mr. Wendell Tooley
Floyd County Hesperian
Floydada, Texas

Dear Sir:

I realize in my older years that I do not hear as good as I should, but my eyes are very good, so I depend on what I read for the most of the information I get.

So today, I was given a folder giving the progress and various improvements that have been our good fortune to accomplish as outlined in this folder prepared by the Chamber of Commerce, and Floydada City Development Company, 302 East Tennessee St., and produced by the Area Development Department.

In reading this report of progress being made, I find that we have many small industries that contribute to the welfare of Floydada that include such valuable concerns as the R.E.A. I notice we have Southwestern Public Service Company who furnishes us electricity, and I also notice that the City of Floydada has a water and sewer system.

Also, we have a nice one-way paved airstrip that is valued at over \$100,000.00, all paid for, which is an asset to our City. Wendell, I just wonder what has become of about the largest industry which has a very large payroll that has for many years shared the greatest part of our fair City's operating expense, at no cost to the taxpayer? That industry is the Floydada Municipal Light Plant which is owned by you and me and patronized by perhaps 80% of the Citizens of Floydada!

So now, Wendell, where did we get this new Airport that so many like so well (when the wind is from the South or North)? The City was in excess of \$50,000.00 which came from the electric fund of our City which is owned by all inside the City limits, whether they be a customer of the City Municipal Light Plant or a customer of Southwestern Public Service Company, who I had a great respect for while I was Power Commissioner when we started our first 200 K.W. engine in January 1940 and for 16 years afterwards.

I just believe the Chamber of Commerce overlooked this important asset to our community and I read that the Southwestern Public Service Company complies this information. As water and sewer is mentioned by them, I am sure they know that Floydada also generates electricity, or they did know back when I was on the City Council and as I have never seen any notices for a rate increase in Floydada, Crosbyton, or Lubbock, I am sure they know we are still in business as we were in 1940, but several times we outgrew our britches and had to expand.

Floydada Municipal Light Plant is not a co-op and no money is borrowed from any Government agency and the money for Revenue Bonds come from the same people that finance water and sewer bonds which no company wants to be in competition with.

So I think these folders should not have been distributed by the Chamber of Commerce at their annual banquet, or Southwestern Public Service should have been big enough to admit we have local owned electricity for sale just like we have water and sewer.

Yours very truly,
/s/ Mark Martin
M. H. Martin

P.S.: I have read elsewhere that the Federal Aviation Agency lists not one, but two, airports for Floydada, one of which is an all-direction field open to the public and FFA approved.

More Floyd Women In Labor Force

(Special to the Hesperian)

NEW YORK - In Floyd County there is less likelihood than ever of finding a woman at home during the daytime.

The chances are that she is busily at work, instead, in some office, store or factory or in some professional capacity.

With each passing year, more and more local women reach the conclusion that it is possible to fulfill their household responsibilities and still have enough free time to take outside jobs.

For the working wife, the two-sided role requires a re-arrangement and adjustment of her household chores. The net result is that she has less leisure time but more spending money than before.

Details on this feminine surge into the labor force, as it affects the local area and other parts of the country,

come from the Labor Department, the National Industrial Conference Board and other sources.

They show that, on the basis of the latest national figures, an estimated 28.1 percent of Floyd County's female population over the age of 14 are now in the labor force.

In other sections of the United States, by way of comparison, the average is 37.4 percent.

In the last few decades there has been a vast change in attitude toward outside work on the part of women. Back in

1940 there were women at work States. Today they are 28 million. More than a third of the women in the country are in the labor force. Especially in the case of mothers. According to Mueller of Indiana, "if we were to take person most of the social changes of the last century, we would be the married women, whose family demands most of the time, who feels the pressure of the world, and who is moving forward in 1960, when the labor force is taken. At that time the local women in the equal to 25.2 percent over 14, as compared to the present ratio of

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Lockney Stock Show Is Slated

The Lockney Junior Livestock Show is scheduled for March 2 in the Floyd County Fair Show Barn in Lockney. Lockney Young Farmers are serving as directors.

The show is being sponsored by the Lockney Chamber of Commerce for 4-H Club members who attend Lockney or Providence schools, and Lockney FFA members.

Eddie Joe Fortenberry will be general superintendent and members of the Lockney Young Farmers will serve as division superintendents.

Area Soldier Now In Germany

WURZBURG, GERMANY (AHTNC) - Army Private First Class Troy W. Jordan, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alden D. Jordan, Petersburg, Tex., was assigned as a finance clerk with the 3rd Infantry Division near Wurzburg, Germany, Feb. 6.

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Ed Robb Team Visits Lions Club Meeting

The Ed Robb Evangelistic Team were special guests last Thursday at the regular noon luncheon of the Floydada Lions Club.

Gene and Bobbie Moore, evangelistic singers, first entertained the Lions with three numbers, followed by a brief talk by Robb. The group has been conducting a week-long revival at the First Methodist Church.

In his talk, Robb compared the differences between North and South America, asking the question, "Why have we prospered while they are still living in a backwoods environment?"

In answering his own question, Robb asserted that "we (meaning the U.S.) have shared our wealth and knew the dignity of work..."

He also cited the Christian influences in the U.S. which "puts the responsibility on the individual," adding that the people of South America have not "learned to discipline themselves."

Robb noted that the church must be the conscience of society and that the "church must be free and the pulpit must be free."

In his concluding remarks, Robb said, "Government will not endure without the church... the greatest defense against Communism is the Christian faith."

Approximately 40 Lions and their guests were present for the meeting. Special guest was Kelvin Cummings, FFA president, in observance of National FFA Week.

Glen Black, president, was in charge of the meeting.

High Plains Research News

SUBJECT: Solid Irrigated Cotton Compared to Cotton Irrigated Every Other Row.

Lint yield was increased 27 pounds per acre (760 pounds to

787 pounds) and micronaire increased from 3.1 to 3.5 when cotton was irrigated every other row as compared to solid irrigated cotton. Based on loan price, this meant an increase in returns of \$9.60 per acre, but when calculated using the January 8, 1968 market price, returns were increased \$23.95 per acre.

Additional benefits of the every other row irrigation were reduced irrigation requirements and reduced pumping costs. However, the most significant result of this study was that the 3.5 micronaire cotton produced by the every other row irrigation was more marketable.

These were the results of an irrigation study conducted on the Jerrell Young farm at Halfway under the direction of Jim Valliant, Soil Scientist at the High Plains Research Foundation.

Detailed procedures and results of this study may be seen in the 1967 Annual Report of the Foundation.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

(Feb. 25, 1943)
In Floyd County

The annual banquet given by the Floydada High School pep squad to honor the Whirlwind football team, was held Saturday evening. Highlight of the banquet was the crowning of the football queen, Miss Frances Keim.

Registration, the first step in the program of point rationing, started in Floydada this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hale Jr., were honored with a reception in the Harmony Community. Both couples were recently married.

"Finger of Earth" inspired by life on Peninsula wins acclaim for Violet West Sone, former Floydada resident.

V. H. Boteler, resigned his place at high school as janitor

Bob Murry On Honor List

Bob Murry, graduate of Floydada High School, who is now attending Santa Ana College in Santa Ana, Calif., has been named to the Dean's Honor List.

Murry is majoring in electrical engineering and is a Phi Sigma Fraternity pledge. He was elected one of the school Senators for this semester.

Murry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murry and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith Sr. and Mrs. O. E. Murry of Floydada.

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U.N. role urged in a Vietnam settlement.

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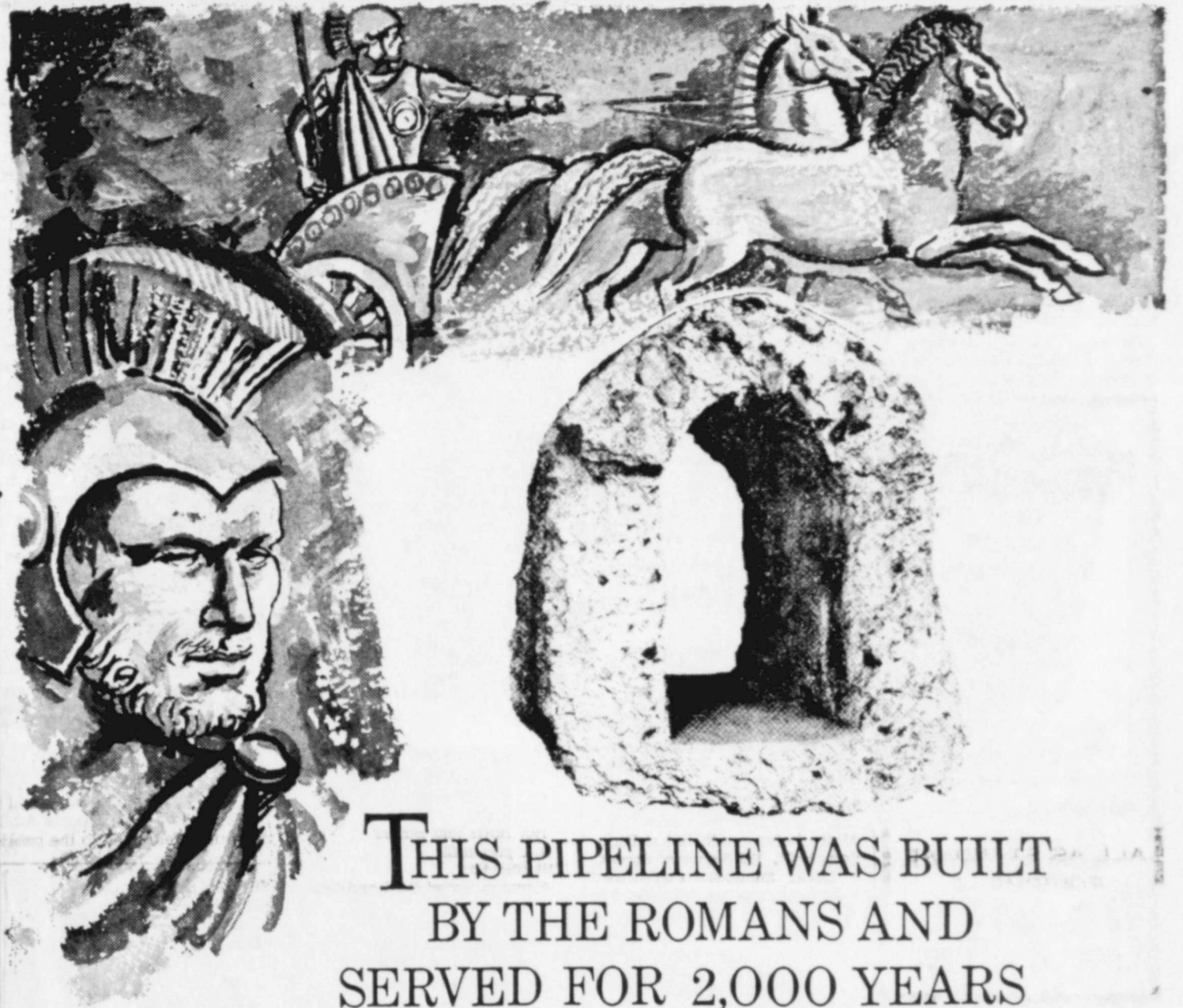
OF MOISTURE - Approximately 25.2 percent of brush control work. Mesquite and cedar (as pictured above) are the main woody plants needing control in Floyd County. Winter and early spring months are highly desirable times to control brush due to the grasses being in a dormant condition and also any re-seeding of grasses can be done during these periods.

Fails To Dampen Soil Fertility Program

Conditions failed to dampen the 20th annual Fertility Day program in Floyd County Thursday as six rural reports poured out information to 60 attendees. Heavy snow, all but the speakers arrived. The event "a very successful program" was held in the American Legion. Truly appreciate the Chamber of Commerce providing the meal, as cost added. Meal

Dr. Lowell Schake discussed liquid livestock feeding after lunch, followed by a discussion of greenbugs, the boll weevil program and grain sorghum mites by entomologist Lyndon Almand. Elmer Hudspeth gave pointers on chemical weed control in grain sorghum, cotton and soybeans. A representative of the High Plains Water Board was not able to attend. He was to have discussed tailwater control and laws governing tailwater control. Most of the speakers were from South Plains Research and Extension Center, Lubbock. Interest was indicated by farmers, who discussed various matters with those on the afternoon program until 3:40 p.m.

FLOYD DATA
Kyle Glover, who underwent surgery Monday of last week in Methodist Hospital for a broken hip, has been transferred to Caprock Hospital in Floydada. He is said to be convalescing nicely.



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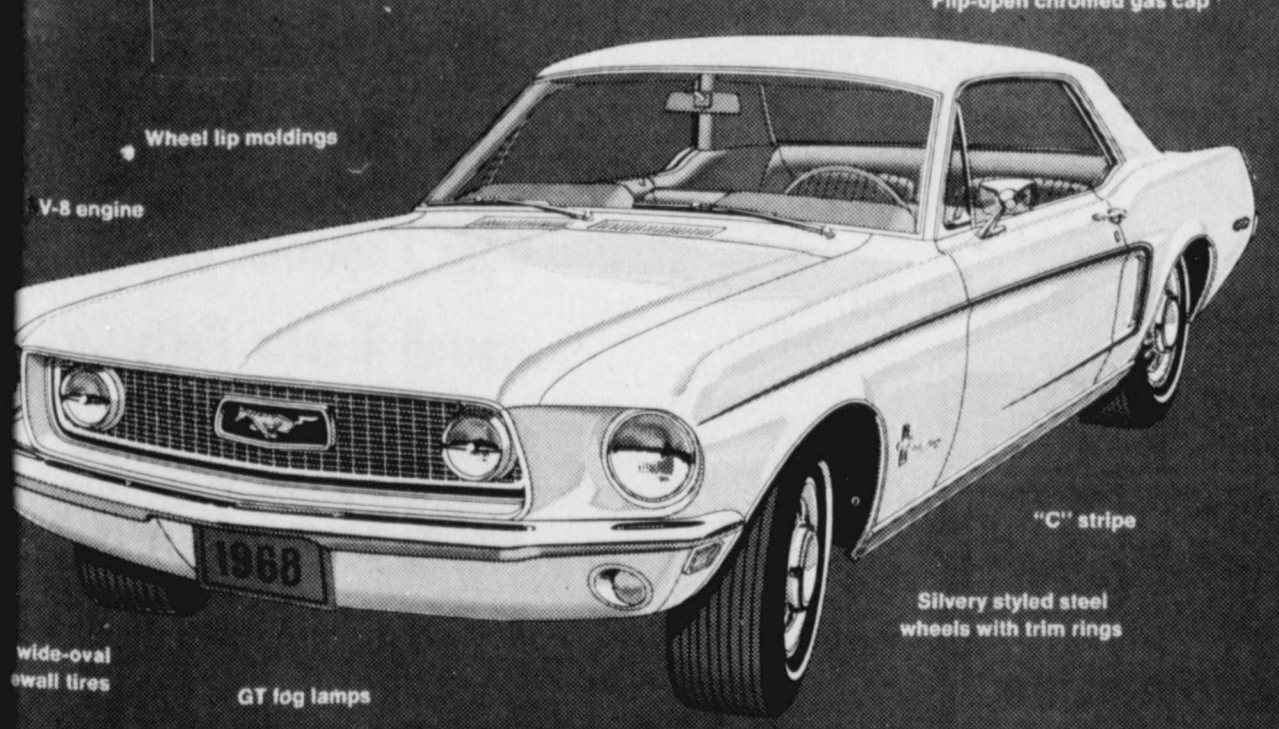
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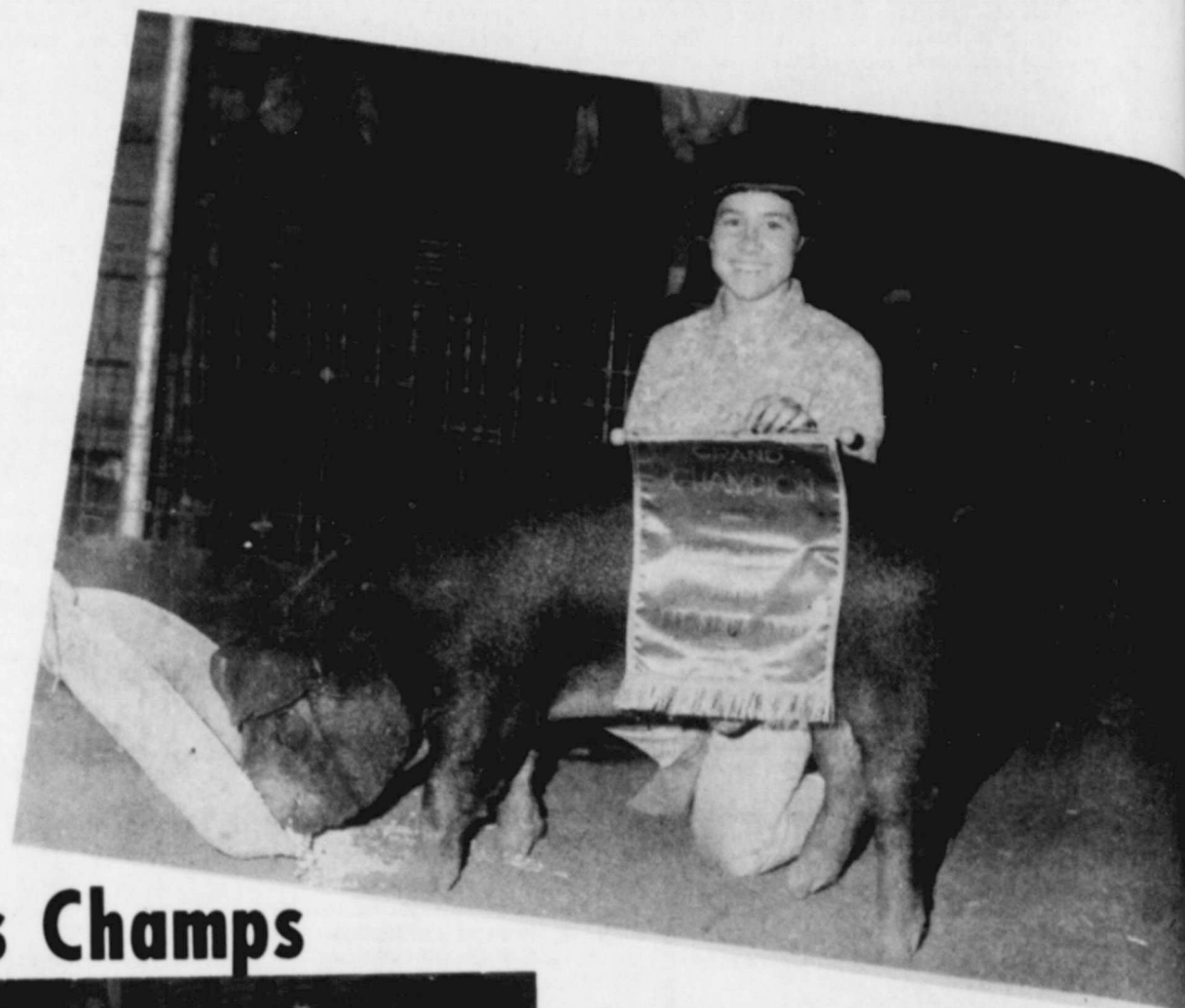
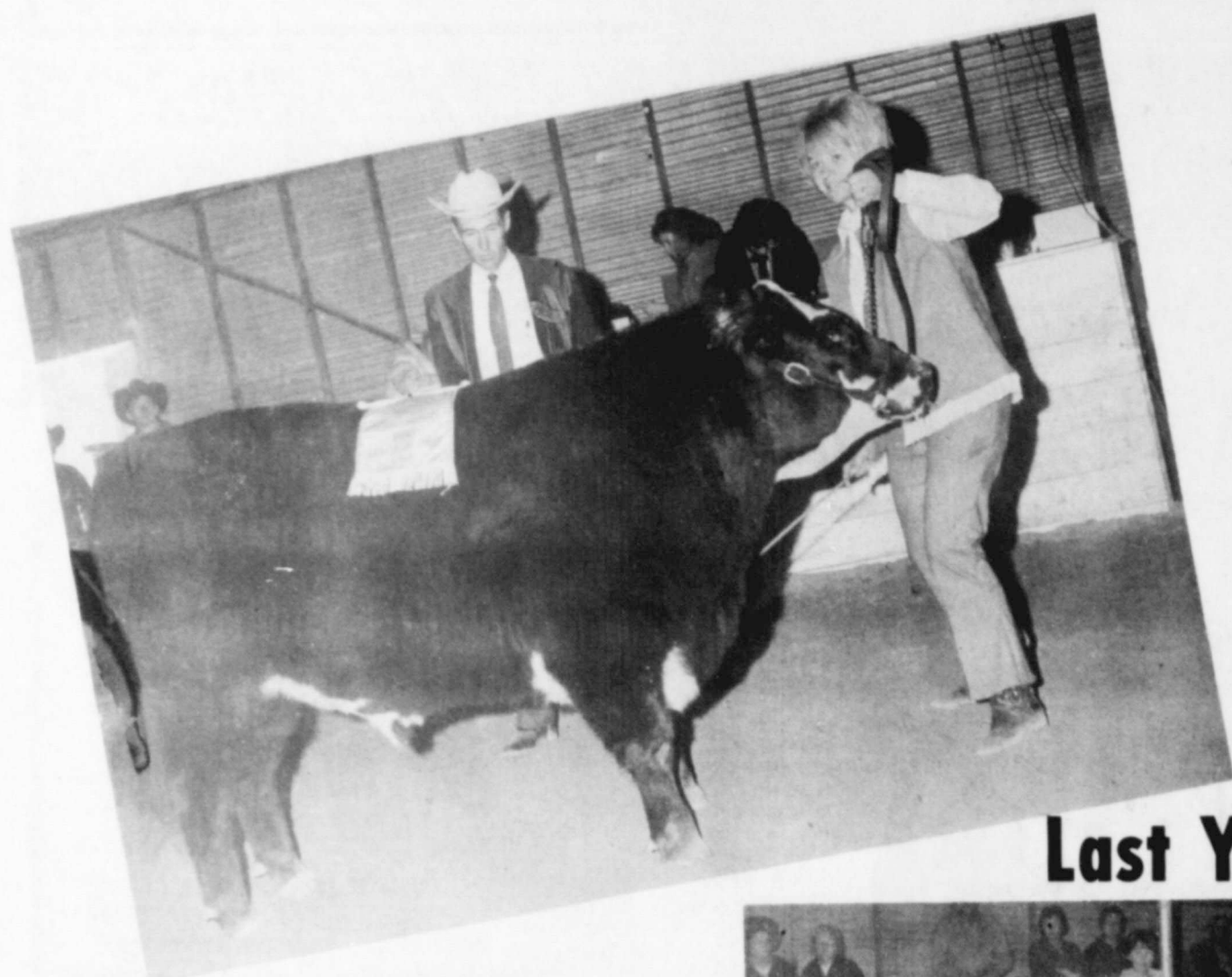
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FAIRES sings songs at Rotary Sweetheart banquet last week. Lon Davis looks on and Mrs. Davis accompanies him. (Staff Photo)



THE REV. DARRELL FAIRES AND Bobbie Irwin play and sing at Rotary Sweetheart banquet last week. (Staff Photo)

Easter Seal Letters Going Out

Easter Seal Appeal letters were delivered this week in Floyd County according to Mrs. Thayer, the Easter Seal representative of the Easter Seal Society of Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. As contact representative, Mrs. Thayer also serves as the Easter Seal Society of occupational and hearing special equipment disabled persons who are in need of rehabilitation services. These services are available to any disabled person who can benefit from help provided by

The Society also provides for research into the causes and cures of crippling conditions, finances public education programs, and provides scholarships for training of professional personnel to staff rehabilitation centers. Mrs. Thayer pointed out that all these programs are important if Texas is going to continue to provide the best in rehabilitation services for its own disabled citizens. During 1967, the Texas Easter Seal Society provided treatment and services to 17,622 children and adults who were in need of rehabilitation services. These services are available to any disabled person who can benefit from help provided by

the Easter Seal Society, Mrs. Thayer added. The Easter Seal Campaign will run through Easter Sunday, April 14.

LAKEVIEW NEWS By Mrs. Bagwell

LAKEVIEW - Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones spent the weekend at Goree visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lambeth. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chapman of Lockney visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones Sunday night. Mrs. Ellen Smith was in Amarillo Sunday visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bradshaw of Floydada visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Bradshaw. Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch were Rev. and Mrs. Floyd C. Bradley and daughter Ellen, Mr. and Roy Edwards and children, Stephen, Kay and Pam. Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bunch of Lubbock came over Wednesday night and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch. Todd Hambricht, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Hambricht has been sick several days suffering from tonsillitis. Mrs. Larry McCurdy accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brixey and Buddy to Ft. Worth where they spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brixey. Larry McCurdy spent Saturday night in Lubbock with Mrs. J. H. Watson. Larry was in Lub-

bock over the weekend attending an Army Reserve meeting. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch visited Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Dempsey in Floydada Friday night. The group enjoyed games of 84. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nichols who have been in Arizona for the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends, were on their return home to Waldron, Arkansas and came by here Saturday where they spent overnight with his mother, Mrs. R. L. Nichols. Other Saturday night supper guests with Mrs. Nichols were Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Nichols and family. Early Sunday morning the Nichols family went to the airport here and Claude took James Lee and his children, Jimmy, Jackie, Billy, Tammie and Ricky; and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Harris for a plane ride. Later in the morning Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nichols flew on to their home. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hambricht spent from last Sunday until Friday at the Plainview Hospital where W. M. underwent surgery Monday morning. They are back home now and he is doing fine. Visitors in the W. M. Hambricht home Saturday were Fred Jones and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Barber. James Lee Nichols was a Monday morning visitor. W. C. Wright of Floydada is spending several days in the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. P. Neff. Phillip McCurdy was among the young people of First Baptist Church in Crosbyton who went to Lubbock Saturday to see "Gone With the Wind." Joe Thurston visited Sunday afternoon with Phillip McCurdy.



MASONIC LODGE MEETING - Approximately 200 Masons from 15 area towns were present Saturday night for a family night at the Floydada Masonic Lodge, hearing Joe Weldon Steed, Grand Junior Warden Most Worshipful of the Grand Lodge of Texas speak on "Masons as Builders of Men." In the top photo, Douglas Pitts, Matador, membership representative, executive committee of the Scottish Rite of Dallas, is shown presenting a 33rd Degree pin to Jimmy Willson, Floydada, as Mrs. Willson looks on. Bottom photo shows Elmer Biggs (left), Worshipful Master of the Floydada Lodge, with the featured speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Helms and Mark spent the weekend at Clovis, N. M., at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gilles. Other members of the family there to enjoy the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dunn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams and family, all of Clovis, and Mrs. Wanda Bell and children of Albuquerque. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. McClintock spent Sunday at Needmore visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Beene. Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Neff and Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Wright were among the ones attending funeral services last Monday for Hugh Dunn. Mrs. B. P. Neff kept her granddaughter, Sheryl Smith, last week while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, went to Littlefield to attend the funeral for Judge O. J. Mangum.

P. P. Neff and his brothers and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Neff, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Neff and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Neff went to Crosbyton Hospital Monday to see Mr. and Mrs. Archie Neff who are patients there. The two were in a pick-up accident Sunday afternoon at the crossroads of F.M. 651 and 193 in the canyon between Crosbyton and Lakeview. Four people were involved in this wreck of two pickups. Eugene Montgomery of Lubbock visited during the weekend with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Williams. A Saturday afternoon guest of Roxanne Lloyd was Johnnie Thurston. Mr. and Mrs. Duane Robinson were among the ones attending a Lodge dinner Saturday night at the Masonic Hall in Floydada. SEE LAKEVIEW PAGE 6

NEWS FOR HOMEMAKERS

by Sherry Mullin
Floyd County H.D. Agent

The general topic of pruning shrubs seems to bother a lot of people. There is no single answer to this problem. It is possible, however, to learn a couple of rules which, intelligently applied, should keep you from making too many mistakes. The first rule to remember is that the very earliest shrubs to bloom every year, such as forsythia, bridal wreath spirea and lilacs, should be pruned just as soon as they finish blooming. The reason for this is that these shrubs start very early in the season, after their bloom is over, to make new buds for next spring's blooms. If you prune them as soon as they finish blooming, they will still have time during the growing season to put out new branches and twigs and to form next season's buds on the new wood. If you wait till late in the summer or sometime in the fall to under-

take the pruning, the plant won't have time left in the growing period for all the necessary growth to take place, and your next season's crop of blooms will probably be very sparse. And though they tend to bloom a bit later than the spring shrubs, most of the old-fashioned varieties of roses that bloom only once a year should be pruned as soon as they are through blooming.

The second rule to remember is that those shrubs that bloom all summer, and fall, such as modern hybrid teas and floribunda roses, and those shrubs that don't get around to blooming until summer is well underway, such as weigela and althea, should be pruned as early in the spring as possible, when the first red buds are beginning to swell through the bark of the branches and twigs.

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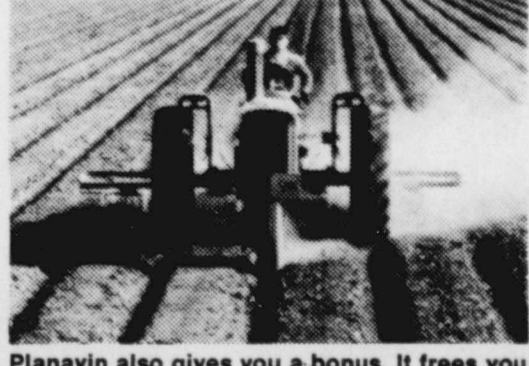
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LAKEVIEW
FROM PAGE 5

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith were in Amarillo last Tuesday where they met their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Jackson and children, Tal and Tiki. Tiki came home with her grandparents and stayed until the weekend when they took her to her home in Spearman. The Smith's remained over the weekend in Spearman with their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Orr and son Scottie of Tahoka came up Sunday and spent the day with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson son went to Petersburg Sunday afternoon where they visited with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Threadgill. Mrs. Homer Newberry went to Crosbyton Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. M.J. Mosley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd were bridge guests Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd went to Lubbock Friday where they visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. D.L. Keesee who had surgery that morning. While in Lubbock the Lloyds visited their daughter, Cynthia Williams at Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Robinson and her grandmother, Mrs. Cook all of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Robinson of Lubbock were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. P.J. Wilkes went to Plainview Tuesday and on the way home they visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wilkes at Lockney.

Wednesday when school was turned out here due to bad weather Nancy Williams went with her mother Mrs. J.D. Williams to Texas Tech at Lubbock. Nancy visited at college while her mother attended classes.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Williams and family visited at Truscott with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown and at Crowell with Mr. and Mrs. Odell Williams. Messdames Brown and Williams are sisters and Q.D. and Odell Williams are brothers.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Breed, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Britton and family and Shirley Breed went to Munday for the day.

Shirley Breed stayed several days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Breed while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Breed were in Dallas attending a Co-op meeting.

Holt Bishop has been on the coast near Houston on a fishing trip for some two weeks.

Mrs. H.M. Thomas of Floydada spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop and family. Mrs. Thomas is the maternal grandmother of Howard.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Howard Bishop home were

FLOYD PHILOSOPHER
Says Place To Hold Next Summer's Riots Is In Saigon Or Hue



Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm reviews a problem we really hadn't thought much about.

Dear editor:
Since one of the problems of living on this Johnson grass farm out here or any other place in the country is what to do with your garbage, naturally I followed the garbage collection troubles of New York City, in the newspapers and on television.

If you haven't thought about it, you might suppose that garbage would be a minor problem in the country, but think about it a minute. Where would YOU put it? Start your own trash dump? Haul it to town? Let it stack up? Dig a hole and bury it every time the wastebasket is full?

It's sort of like Viet Nam. You didn't know there was a problem there until people started calling your attention to it, did you?

Therefore, I followed the New York situation closer than I would a good western and what I'd like to know is why can't we get a system like that going around here? I'm talking about the solution.

It's simple, as I understand it. All you do is stack your garbage outside your house and if the Mayor won't pick it up the Governor will.

Maybe at first nobody pays any attention to it, but just keep stacking it up and sooner or later it'll get noticed. Sometimes politicians are said to be insensitive to the problems of the people, but it's not true when it comes to weeks-old garbage.

When I saw those television pictures of that New York garbage overflowing the sidewalks and piling up in the streets I said to myself, I don't have the answer to that problem but somebody's going to figure it out.

It's different in the country, though. Just this morning I was eyeing my trash can, wondering if I could get a little more packed into it, maybe round it over on top, or should I go ahead and call out the National Guard to empty it, wondering if I should wire the Governor or go over his head and contact the President.

I'll empty it myself in a day or so, I guess, but in the meantime it's gratifying to know that when it comes to garbage I'm up on the New York level. You can't beat sophistication.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

WILLIAM
FROM PAGE 1

That's what he said, and if that isn't plain enough, then I don't know what is....

ONE ADDITIONAL comment on the band variety show held here a few days ago.

One night last week, I was sitting in a booth at a local restaurant eating supper when I happened to look up and catch the eye of a woman sitting in another booth.

Upon seeing me, she smiled and waved... just like we knew each other, but to my knowledge, we didn't.

Later, when paying for my supper, she was also at the cash register and said brightly, "Hello, Bill."

When my reply was sort of hesitant, it suddenly occurred to her that I evidently didn't know who she was and said, "Don't you recognize me?"

Well, to make a long story short... it was Mrs. Sam (Frances) Puckett and I'd taken her picture twice and seen her on stage at the Comedy Capers, but still couldn't recognize her.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop, Monday night visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Harrison were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Redding and Fonda of Crosbyton and Mr. and Mrs. Max Harrison and children Debbie and Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price went to Lubbock Sunday where they planned to visit a cousin, Melvin Price who had been a patient at Methodist Hospital. They found Melvin had been dismissed and gone home so they stopped at Ralls on the way home to visit him.

But, both of these times she'd been made up as Phyllis Diller... and somehow, the lady I was talking to in the restaurant just didn't put me in mind of the "world's sloppiest woman," a title Mrs. Diller should hold if she doesn't already.

Actually, if I were Mrs. Puckett, I would consider not being mistaken as Phyllis Diller as a compliment!

I understand she signed a number of autographs after the performances for youngsters, remarking... "I hope that lady in California doesn't hear about this!"

Actually, she looked so much like Phyllis in the photograph that I know one lady in Tahoka who got irritated at her husband because he wouldn't "bring her to Floydada to see Phyllis Diller!"

By the way, Phyllis (the real one), if you are reading this, we sure do appreciate your letting us use you for publicity for such a worthy cause... we think you're the greatest and know you were more than happy to help us out in this way.

Really we do... please don't sue!

BOY, IS it ever a funny feeling to step into your car out of a blowing snowstorm only to be sprayed in the face with snow when you turn on the motor.

At 6:45 in the morning, "refreshing" isn't exactly the word for it!

And, at that early hour, it isn't too easy to figure out why this phenomenon is occurring.

This happened to me one morning last week and it took me some time to reason out that when I turned on the motor I also turned on the blower and that for some crazy reason, snow was blowing at me from out of the defroster vents.

I still don't know why this happens and until this year, I probably wouldn't have had to be worried about it but once every two or three years.

But, now I halfway expect to see everything covered by a snowfall every morning.

I still say there's nothing more unpredictable than West Texas weather... except a woman, that is!

BY THE way, I sure am happy to get back to Floydada after my week in Crosbyton.

Not that I don't like Crosbyton... it's a fine town and the people are swell... it's just that I was really just getting settled here.

Having left Tahoka just about a month ago and then being transplanted to another city where I didn't know anyone after just getting situated here... well, the whole thing is about to give me a complex about strangers.

If there's one thing I can't stand, it's walking down a street and NOT knowing everyone I see. I much prefer to know at least four out of every five people I see in a day and exchange "Hello's" with them, rather than walking past each other thinking, "I wonder who that guy is?"

This is the reason I live in a smaller town rather than the big city... and, I imagine this is a similar reason to why many of you live in Floydada.

Woe be it when the day comes that there are no close-knit smaller towns and the world is filled with cities full of "strangers."

WHILE AT Crosbyton, I stopped at a place I supposed to be a farm chemical store, hoping to sell them an advertisement in the paper.

Well, upon walking in the door, it appeared that I'd blundered into a beauty shop by mistake... three women in a small office, one sitting in a chair having her hair fixed and the other visiting.

It turned out that it really was a chemical company and that business was just a little slow and that the man's wife was setting the hair of a friend.

But, come to think of it... as far as I know, this may be a sign of the times.

"Art For Heart" Re-Scheduled

The annual "Art For Heart" Show, scheduled in Lockney last weekend, was postponed and has been re-set for this Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Virginia Taylor, chairman of the Lockney Heart Fund drive, said due to unsettled weather persons from out of town were unable to bring their exhibits to the show, thus the postponement.

Entries will be accepted today (Thursday) from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. in the showroom at Lockney Insurance Agency, 116 S. Main. Entry fee is \$3 and each person may enter three items. Paintings must be framed and wired ready for hanging.

Tickets to the show exhibit are \$1 and proceeds will go to the heart fund. Persons in Floydada may contact any heart chairman for their tickets.

N.B.C. plans big news program next year.

FORTENBERRY PLANTING ORCHARD

Durrell Fortenberry has a new project at his home, 1 1/2 miles east of Cedar Hill. He is in the process of planting two acres to peach, pear, plum, apricot, cherry and apple trees.

County Agent Joe Wilson is assisting Fortenberry with information concerning proper placing of the 50 trees.

Fortenberry told the Hesperian that the small orchard is strictly an "experimental" project.

only ones who make mistakes... it's just that the errors in radio broadcasts don't look as bad until you put them into print... they just vanish into the air!

SAW THE Dimmitt-Hale Center playoff for the girls championship of District 3-AA last Thursday night.

Couldn't help but be somewhat envious of the winner and for my own reasons, was rooting for the loser.

But, I was the loser... I had a flat when I returned to my car and it's just no fun changing a flat at that time of night with snow on the ground and as cold as it was.

Sometimes I think I'm jinxed... the only team that I root for that doesn't lose out in the long run is Green Bay... and something is always happening like flats, car trouble, etc.

I suppose I got a double share of bad luck when things were passed out to make up for also getting a double share of good looks.

Sure I did!

Easter Seal Appeal March

The 1968 Easter Seal Appeal will begin March 1 and continue until April 14, Easter Sunday, it was announced by Mrs. Neida Thayer, Easter Seal Representative for Floyd County.

During the weeks a statewide appeal for funds will be made by the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults to finance treatment and rehabilitation for crippled children and adults in Texas.

Last year, 17,622 handicapped persons received help from the Texas Easter Seal Society explained Mrs. Thayer. But, the needs of the handicapped and cost of providing expert professional care are rising and more money than ever before will be needed to serve the handicapped during 1968.

Funds raised by the Easter Seal Appeal will be delivered to the state about March 15.

The Easter Seal Appeal is a nationwide appeal for funds to help crippled children and adults in Texas. Funds raised by the Easter Seal Appeal will be delivered to the state about March 15.

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BY BILL SALTER

After an absence of 58 years, a sidesaddle belonging to the late Mrs. Myrtle (Bethany) Rucker has returned to the family. Now in the proud possession of Ralph Rucker, Floydada businessman and a son of Mrs. Rucker, the saddle (quite an oddity, especially to the younger generation) was purchased new in 1906 by Mrs. Rucker's father, the late W. M. Bethany.

Bethany, a farmer and rancher, and his family lived in the Northfield community about 30 miles northeast of Matador and the saddle was purchased for his daughter, then 13, to ride to school.

Three years later, Myrtle Bethany married Erve Rucker, trading the saddle to the late Ben Simpson, well-known rancher, for a cookstove.

Simpson traded for the saddle for his daughter, Ruth, (now Mrs. Claude McDonald of Northfield) to use, also in riding to school.

Since 1909 when the saddle was traded, members of the Rucker family had no idea of its whereabouts, but Rucker heard last summer that Mrs. McDonald still owned it.

Later, upon checking with Mrs. McDonald she found that she had given it to Ed D. Smith, Matador antique collector, about five years earlier. During the years since she used the saddle, it had been hanging in their barn at Northfield.

Upon contacting Smith and explaining the story behind the saddle, the Matador man gave it to Rucker in November of 1967, and it is on display in a glass showcase at Rucker's business, OK Rubber Welders.

Markings on the saddle indicate that it was made by R. T. Frazier of Pueblo, Colo., and is a "Model 122." Rucker has since tried to learn somewhat of the history behind the saddle, when it was made, the cost, etc., but Frazier is no longer in business and efforts have proven fruitless.

Everything about the saddle is in the original state excepting the girth strap which evidently has been replaced. It is constructed of cowhide and originally had a green velvet covering over the seat, portions of which are still around the edges. Judging from the saddle's appearance, it has had much use, but is still in remarkably good condition and probably could be used. Rucker has no idea of the sidesaddle's worth, but it is "not for sale at any price," he says emphatically.

To use a sidesaddle, women of that day sat just as the name implies, sideways in the saddle with right leg up and around the saddle horn and the left leg in the single stirrup.

Ungainly as the position sounds, an expert horsewoman could ride a "bucking bronc" in one of the saddles, Rucker has been told.

Ironically, Rucker also has a picture of his mother on a horse with the saddle, the photo recently given him by Tom Moore Floyd County ASCS office manager, whose parents lived on the adjoining farm to Rucker's mother near Northfield.

In addition to the 62-year-old saddle, Rucker also has an antique "Apache squaw Indian saddle" made of wood and covered with rawhide, along with other artifacts of the pioneer era including stirrups, a hay knife, bridle and bits, ox chain, and an antique "Home" stove which heats the front of the local business.



SIDESADDLE RETURNS-After 58 years, a woman's sidesaddle which originally belonged to Ralph Rucker's mother (the late Mrs. Myrtle Bethany Rucker) has returned to the family. Rucker is shown holding the saddle which was traded in 1909 by Mrs. Rucker for a cookstove when she married.



Center News
BY MRS. J. E. GREEN

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Denison visited Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Burke Sunday night after church. Mr. Burke was in Lubbock hospital several days the past week and returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Beedy and children visited the Leo Frizzells Saturday. Larry, who is attending college and spending the weekend at home, visited them too. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Eunice Arney and Mrs. Roger Gooch were honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of their parents, the J.D. Welborns. Also present were the James D. Welborns and family, Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Welborn and children, Nolan Arney and Steve, and Roger Gooch and boys.

Mrs. Valrie Green and Mrs. O. C. Vinson called on Mrs. J.A. Hartsell Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Miller and children visited Sunday at Plainview with friends, Mr. and Mrs. George Barr. Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Ross were

in Plainview Tuesday evening. Mrs. Clarence Guffey visited Mrs. Ross Sunday. Mrs. Walter and Mrs. Walter

afternoon. J. C. Bullard visited Mrs. J.E. Green. Her husband is in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. T. foot and Mike visited with their son, pa with their son, family, over the were joined there Mrs. Billy Carme from Friona.

DO PEOPLE... TWO-INCH... YOU ARE...

Baptist Music Festival Set At FBC Today

The music festival sponsored by Caprock Baptist Association will be held Thursday (today) at the First Baptist Church in Floydada.

The hymn-playing adjudication will begin at 4:30 p.m. Choral judging will begin at 7 p.m.

The judges will be Dr. and Mrs. James Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wittner, Plainview,

Local and area music teachers are cooperating with students entering the hymn-playing division.

There will be choirs from several Baptist churches in the surrounding area participating.

area during the time spent there.

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Glen Boyd and John Glover, Lubbock.

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FLOYD DATA

Worth Merry and her mother, Mrs. Jeffie Smith were in Temple last week where Mrs. Merry went through the clinic. Mrs. Smith visited relatives in that



MYRTLE RUCKER WITH SIDESADDLE

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mittees are organized by local Extension agents, but, once organized, they develop their own rules and objectives.

The county program building committee usually divides itself into a number of study groups to review the county situation. They consider all aspects of agriculture and related business organizations, population characteristics and all natural, institutional and human resources of the county.

Once studies are complete, a long-time program for the county is developed. It describes the existing situation, problems and opportunities and establishes objectives desirable to the committee.

The committee then divides itself into subcommittees based on particular interests and economically important agricultural enterprises of the county. Extension widely employs the result demonstration, a teaching tool of its own invention. It involves the field testing of new research findings and adapting them to local situations.

Last year, more than 4,000 result demonstrations were conducted in Texas, covering all phases of agricultural production. Almost as many were conducted in home economics. Extension's educational work is supported by three levels of government. The Federal Government participates through the U.S. Department of Agriculture; the State Government through the Board of Directors of Texas A&M University; and County Government through the County Commissioner's Court.

Extension agents strive to present information based on research in an unbiased and objective manner, giving individuals a basis for making sound decisions of their own. In doing so, Extension recognizes and responds to changing needs of the people it serves, molding leadership that can guide these changes wisely and contribute to a higher level of living for all people.

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