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CLAYDINE HENRY (Photo by Parker)

The Floydada Explorer Scouts Request the honour of your presence at the "Womanless Wedding" on Saturday, the twenty-fifth day of January, at seven o'clock in the evening in the Floydada High School Auditorium. (see cast page 3)

Caprock Chat

USIONALLY PEOPLE ask me, "what's happening on the size dam project?" It seems that now the project is until Floydada and Lockney can get together on when to pipe the water from the dam to each city. It appears that Tullia and Silverton are ready to build the dam, but they cannot come to the people of the four towns until they and Floydada can agree on some problems that exist.

RE IS CONSIDERABLE talk up and down the street about the sales tax election scheduled for February 18, 1969. It should be mentioned here and now, that the only way a citizen can put his voice into real action is to register to vote. It can't vote in the sales tax election unless you have registered to vote. Line is January 31, 1969. I called the county tax office Monday morning, around 10:30, and registered to vote. The Hesperian's responsibility to try to answer any question people may have about the proposed sales tax. There are many reasons for our people to become angry with the city or the city manager. They need more money to operate and they propose a sales tax as the most fair method of getting the money. The voter, have the final say, and this can only be voiced at the polls. We have four more issues of the Hesperian to publish before the election, and we certainly hope that we can fairly present the views of a city sales tax for Floydada.

RICT COURT last week convened to determine the future of a man who shot another man in a local motel five or six months ago. The testimony revealed that the man was shot as the men became unhappy with each other drinking beer. There never would have been a man killed, had it not been for drinking alcoholic beverages. Nothing but praise for the county sheriff and his deputy city police and the Texas Highway patrol for their efforts in arresting bootleggers and any person who is unlawfully in possession of alcoholic beverages. Sheriff Walter Hollums this week, he estimated that 85% of the calls that his office receives were made due to alcohol caused by alcoholic beverages.

INK THIS is probably a good time to correct an error in the Hesperian in which I stated in the city council that the county sheriff's office was included in a contract regarding the local Catholic Church. The statement should have read city police, the mistake was intentional, and my apologies go to Sheriff Hollums and his staff.

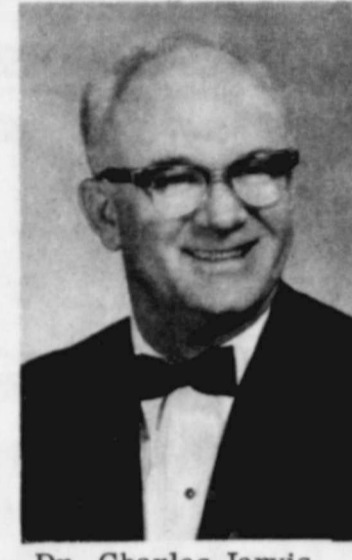
WHAT'S HAPPENING to our "potential oil boom" is a very perplexing situation. While Shell Oil is releasing its oil leases in the county, one of the major independent oil companies continues to lease land. They started with city lots in Floydada, Cedar Hill and the area east of Lockney, and now they are leasing near the west county line. They say, "Oils well, that ends well."

OF THE MOST impressive programs that will come to a High School is scheduled for Friday morning, February 20, 1969, and it's open for the general public, as well as school students. The program is "Operation Teenager." The program consists of talks made by prisoners of Huntsville. These men give their life story... how they got into trouble, how they wound up behind bars... how they have changed their lives before it was too late. SEE CAPROCK PAGE 2

DR. CHARLES JARVIS TO SPEAK

Tickets Go On Sale For Annual Chamber Of Commerce Banquet

February 14 At Duncan Elementary



Dr. Charles Jarvis

Tickets to the annual Floydada Chamber of Commerce banquet are now on sale and the popular dentist from San Marcos, Dr. Charles Jarvis will again be the featured speaker at the banquet. Dr. Jarvis was well received here four years ago when he was the banquet speaker.

Dunlap, Doyle Walls, Jim Simpson, Tommy Assiter, Bob Lambright, Sammy Hale, Claude Weathersbee, Gerald Hall, Jake Webb, Don Cheek, Mrs. Alma Holmes, Clay Henry, Boone Adams, Ray Gene Ferguson, Carl Minor, Jimmy Willson, Rev. Floyd Bradley, E. A. Williams, Olin Watson, Malcolm McNeill, Farnell Powell and Don Marole.

Date of the banquet is February 14 at 7 p.m. in the Duncan Elementary Cafeteria. The tickets will sell for \$3.50 each this year and the following persons are selling them: Bill Brown, Vernon Parker, Alton Higginbotham, Alton Rose, Sam Baker, Dallas Ramsey, R. G.

SEE JARVIS PAGE 2

CITY SALES TAX ISSUE

Mayer Matsler Speaks To Merchants At Called Meeting

Floydada Mayor Leonard Matsler met with some 37 Floydada merchants at a retail trades committee meeting in the community room of the bank last week to answer their questions about the forthcoming city sales tax election. Mayor Matsler explained that the city needs money for increasing costs of operation, for a new fire truck and street maintenance. He said that although the city was operating in the black, there was not enough money to pay for depreciation on equipment, and salary increases were necessary to keep competent employees for the city's operation. Floydada's fire trucks are 17 and 29 years old.

TOWN	ELECTRICITY	WATER	AD V. TAX
Plainview	\$12.91	\$ 9.62	\$66.50
Floydada	10.94	10.60	45.50
Tullia	12.17	7.36	45.00
Lockney	12.01	7.00	27.00
Muleshoe	12.04	7.50	36.63
Lubbock	13.22	10.43	64.80
Amarillo		8.31	71.50
Dimmitt	12.01	8.10	49.50
Crabhyton	11.79	17.33	60.00

Water costs represent 19,200 gallons per family per month. Ad valorem taxes are estimated on a \$10,000 home. The city sales tax election has been called in Floydada on February 18.

The Texas Municipal League estimates that a city sales tax in Floydada will bring in \$30,000 per year. At present the city collects \$30,000 per year on ad valorem taxes.

The Mayor also said, "It is expected that considerable expense will be required to cover garbage at the city dump ground in the future due to new anti-pollution laws. In answer to a question about how Floydada rates ranked with other area towns in the sources of revenue, the Hesperian compiled the following report:

3518 Voters Register Deadline January 31

According to C. J. Payne, County Tax Assessor-Collector, 3518 voter registration certificates had been issued as of Tuesday, this week. Deadline for registering in order to vote in any 1969 local election, is Friday, January 31. Payne said any local election, including that of a bond election which may arise, will require a person to have a registration certificate.

FHS Students To Be On TV

Three Floydada High School youngsters will be on the KLBK Channel 13 television program "Learn and Live" Sunday, January 26, from 12 noon until 12:30. The program is a safety drivers education quiz sponsored by the Department of Public Safety. Participating from Floydada are Brenda Mathis, Joe Kimble and Keith Norrell. Alternate is Jim Kimble. The trio will compete against Lubbock Dunbar School.

Trophies will be presented for 1st round, 2nd round, and 3rd round championship, runner-up and an individual award will go to the person scoring the highest grade. Should the Floydada team win, they will compete against either Plainview or Levelland March 11. Last year's Floydada team won against Brownfield, but lost to Lorenzo, who went on to win the championship.

Floydada Merchants To Begin "Trades Night Sales"

In a called meeting of the Floydada retail merchants committee of the chamber of commerce last Friday, the group voted to feature a "Floydada Trades Night" once a month. The group agreed that it should be the first Thursday night of each month and stores would remain open until 8 p.m. It would be "bargain night" and all stores would feature reduced prices on items of merchandise.

The first Trades Night will be February 6, and it will be observed each month for six months. In other business the group approved the official holidays for 1969 as New Years, Memorial Day, July 4, Thanksgiving and Christmas. Three major sales promotions will be observed by Floydada merchants, Harvest of Values, Back to School, and Christmas shopping guide.

The group also discussed the February 18 city sales tax election, but took no formal action on it. Mayor Leonard Matsler spoke to the group about the financial needs of the city, explaining that the city sales tax was the most fair way to obtain the needed money.

Worker For A Day Auction Tuesday At Basketball Games

The Floydada High School junior class will be available to work a day for anyone who will pay the price during the auction between games and at half-times of the Abernathy-Floydada basketball games Tuesday night. Both Junior class boys and girls will be auctioned for a day's work for \$5.00 and up. Bob Alldredge will be auctioneer. Proceeds of the auction go for the Junior-Senior banquet. The basketball games begin at 6:30 and the Junior class is challenging all other classes to see who can bring the most people to the games.

Steve Hurt represented the defendant. Malvin Jarboe Elected

DATE	H	L	PREC.
Jan. 16	64	36	Trace
Jan. 17	61	34	
Jan. 18	54	30	
Jan. 19	45	30	
Jan. 20	46	41	.01
Jan. 21	70	34	
Jan. 22	65	46	
Total Prec. for Week - .01			
Total Prec. for Year - .01			
Partly cloudy, cold front coming in.			

Jose Esparza Given Probated Sentence

Jose (Frank) Esparza was found guilty of "murder without malice" and issued a five-year probated sentence Thursday in District Court here. Esparza was indicted for the murder of Antonio Q. Delgado, and charged with "murder with malice" in the July 14 shooting. The incident occurred at the Y Courts Motel. Esparza pleaded not guilty to the charge of murder with malice and claimed self defense. After a four-day trial, ending Thursday, the 11th Judicial District Court found Esparza guilty of "murder without malice" and released him on probation. Esparza accepted the verdict of the court and will work in Lubbock. Members of the jury were Mrs. Ralph Cogdell, Eugene Gilly, N. H. Gammage, W. M. Staniforth, foreman; Charles R. Hamilton, Milton C. Evans, Jack Pigg, O. N. Bertrand, David Campbell, Howard Drysdale, Ben Galloway and J. W. Gilbreath. Judge L. D. Ratliff presided over the court. District Attorney John Stapleton presented the case for the state, and Plainview lawyers Joe Cox and

Malvin Jarboe Elected Malvin Jarboe of Floydada was elected Floyd County committeeman-at-large in the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District election last Tuesday. On the issue of annexation of certain portions of Crosby County into the district, the residence vote was 383 for annexation and 380 against. On the tax issue, 369 voted for and 389 marked their ballot against.

Jimmie Willson Receives "Service Above Self" Award

By Frank O'Hagan Jr. J.M. Willson Jr. received the Rotary Club's "Service Above Self" award Tuesday night in Duncan Cafeteria at a Rotary Banquet celebrating 40 years in Floydada, before an estimated crowd of 200. In presenting the award, Rotarian Dr. Andrew McCully said "the award represents personal accomplishment of unselfish effort in striving for a better community."



Jimmie Willson

Willson is very active in the Methodist Church, Area Director and president of Floydada's Board of City Development. He is a past Rotary Governor. Ironically, Willson was the guest speaker at the banquet. The topic of the speech was the American Society and its effect on the youth of today. "The increasing number of suicides from the ages of 13 to 15 should indicate some of the pressures facing today's generation," he said. "There seems to be a failure of communication between generations and this must be corrected to calm the mounting tensions in an increasingly complicated world."

Members of the Rotary Club should become more actively involved in today's society in order to make the world and our community a better place to live. "The youth of America is its most important asset and Rotarians should serve the youth and try to eliminate some of the problems facing them." In conclusion Willson said that the next forty years in Floydada's "future" will depend upon how hard people are willing to work to make it a better place to live. Jack Rogers, district governor of the Rotary Club, was present at the anniversary banquet and wished the local chapter continued success in the years to come. Charter membership pins were given to Homer Steen, J.M. Willson Sr. and T.P. Collins for their 40 years service in the Rotary Club. Clem McDonald, rotarian president, acted as the master of ceremonies during the banquet. Guy Gini led the invocation and prayer. The Joy Singers began the after-dinner program and sang three songs to provide the entertainment for the banquet. The members of the local singing group are Wendelyn Tool-ey, Lisa Gregory and Brenda Mothis.

Funeral Today For Mrs. Brown

Funeral rites are to be held today in the First Christian Church in Yale, Oklahoma for Mrs. Harold Brown, 41, who died Tuesday in a residential hospital and clinic in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Brown, daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. R. Fred Brown of Floydada, had been ill three weeks with leukemia. She and her husband lived in Floydada a number of years before moving to Yale. He is a farmer. Survivors include his husband, one daughter, Rose June of the home, one son, Skipper, who attended Conner's College in Oklahoma; her mother of Yale and several brothers and sisters. Attending the funeral from Floydada are R. Fred Brown, Rex Brown and Charles Brown.

Blue Flame Home To Show Sunday

The public is invited to see an all new "Blue Flame" home Sunday, January 26, from 2 to 5 p.m. It is located at the west end of Virginia street on the north side of the street. The showing is sponsored by Pioneer Natural Gas Company and W. W. "Woody" Williamson, the builder. The three bedroom brick home is ultra-modern in every respect. "Blue Flame Home" means it's an all-gas home with year around gas air conditioning. Installations include gas bath room heaters, hot water heater, charm glow gas lights, range, dryer, charm glow barbecue, heating and cooling.

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Mothers March Begins Monday

The "Mother's March" for the March of Dimes will begin Monday at 6 p.m. and will last until 7 p.m. Floydada citizens who wish to contribute are asked to leave their porch lights on during the hour-long campaign.

CAPROCK FROM PAGE 1

I think you should plan to attend this very outstanding program. . .

IF YOU WANT a real good long laugh, I suggest you attend the Explorer Scout Womanless wedding Saturday night in the high school auditorium.

There's a front page story listing the womanless cast. Think you'll enjoy this entertainment.

MRS. J. H. BARNARD was raised up (reared) in a town down in Bosque County, by the name of Clifton. Recently the Dallas Morning News wrote an editorial about Clifton. I reprint it here for your information and possibly inspiration.

Clifton is a 15-year-old Bosque County community of about 2,300. Clifton is young in heart, and gay, too, now, according to Farmer-Stockman magazine.

The youthful vigor is the result of determination of local leaders 15 years ago that Clifton could not afford to stand still or decline, as so many small towns are doing. Here are some of the things that have happened since:

Bank deposits increased from \$2.5 million to \$8.5 million. About 700 new jobs have been created.

More than 200 new homes have been built, and there's a housing shortage.

"These things don't just happen," banker Hulea C. Aars commented. "You must and can make them happen."

The Central Texas community made things happen by working to expand existing industry, by providing local money to new businesses originating there and attracting outside industries. A livestock marketing concern, clothing manufacturer and building materials firm are among the results.

Now they need more employees and, Aars adds, "All we need in Clifton is more people. We're out to get them."

There are many Cliftons throughout Texas, towns where local enthusiasm and hard work are making them boom. But there are far more places where lack of leadership and initiative

have caused dormancy if not slow death. Many of these decaying communities could Cliftonize, if they would work at it.

THE SUBURBANITE

He drives his family miles to see
A scarlet wood, a gold-decked tree;
He marvels at leaves as Jack Frost turns 'em,
Rushes home, rakes 'em, and burns 'em.

An official was filling out a government form for an alien and stated, "Your nationality . . . you're French, aren't you?"

"No," informed the alien. "Both my mother and father were German; therefore I'm German."

The official stuttered, "But you were born in France?"

"So what's that got to do with it," said the alien. "If your dog had puppies in a stable, you wouldn't call them horses."

"My cabin on the ship was nice," she said, "but I didn't like the washing machine on the wall."

"Washing machine? That wasn't a washing machine. That was a porthole."

"No wonder I never got my clothes back."

JARVIS

FROM PAGE 1

Now listed by the Associated Clubs, Inc., The Executive Dinner Clubs, Inc., and The Knife and Fork Clubs of America, Inc., as "America's Number One Humorousist," Dr. Jarvis has a national reputation as the most outstanding humorous speaker on the banquet and convention circuit.

Dr. Jarvis is a dentist who has switched careers success-

fully several times. . . from Navy line officer - to Navy pilot - to dentist - to speaker.

It all started that night in 1959

when he was Master-of-Ceremonies for the San Marcos, Texas Chamber of Commerce Banquet. After that performance Dr. Jarvis was asked to speak at many functions in San Marcos and the neighboring cities of Austin and San Antonio.

Word-of-mouth recommendations follow of each of these presentations and soon there was such a demand for his ser-

VICES in the field that he started speaking professionally. . . in 1961.

Since that time he has averaged over 150 addresses a year throughout the United States . . . for dinner clubs, banquets, ladies' nights, sales meetings, chamber of commerce annual meetings, etc.

His addresses carry a message of spiritual reward and success, but are primarily entertaining. . . 85% humor and 15% message.

He is a member of the American Medical Association's National Speakers Bureau.

He is an Elder in the First Christian Church in San Marcos, Texas and for years taught the high school age class in that church's Sunday School program.

He is a Past-President of the San Marcos Kiwanis Club.

Dr. Jarvis is a native Texan, having been born in Waxahatchie. He attended the Brady, Texas public schools, Texas A&M University and the University of Houston. He is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland and the University of Texas School of Dentistry. His professional affiliations include Omicron Kappa Upsilon, National Dental Society.

A veteran of World War II, he served on the aircraft carrier, U.S.S. Langley, as Assistant Navigator and Deck Officer. After the war, he entered flight training, graduated from the Navy Flight Training Program, then served as a carrier pilot until 1948 when he resigned his regular commission in the Navy in order to study dentistry.

He has been engaged in the practice of dentistry in the "prettiest town in Texas" (as Dr. Jarvis puts it) - San Marcos - since 1953. San Marcos is located in the beautiful hill country of central Texas. . . specifically it is about halfway between Austin and San Antonio on U.S. Interstate Highway 35.

Dr. Jarvis is known as a dentist whose patients are "using him less and enjoying him more." You will enjoy him too when you hear him speak.



DORIS DAY... a widow with three children, a widower with a possession, find that love the second time around, but marriage is where the head is in Cinema Center Films' romantic comedy "Six You Get Eggroll," is showing at the Friday and Saturday, January 24 and 25.

BIBLE VERSE

"There is one glory of the sun, and another glory of the moon, and another glory of the stars: for one star differeth from another star in glory."

1. Where is this verse found?
2. Who spoke these words?
3. In what ceremony are they often heard?
4. To whom were they addressed?

- Answers To Bible Verse**
1. I Corinthians 13:10
 2. Paul.
 3. The funeral service.
 4. To the church.

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FLOYDADA FREIGHTER... this picture was loaded to The Hesperian by Claude of Lubbock. His father, Fred, was of the four wagon, eight horses and horse "business" back in 1906 where he was headed for McMannie & Posey store

hailed from Canyon and Amarillo, Fred Deham filed on land here in 1900, he and his wife had six children, 4 boys and 2 girls. They moved to Gaines County in 1906 where he went into ranching, freighting and livery stable business.

FLOYD PHILOSOPHER

Times Up With Startling Possibilities

If Plane Hijacking Continues

editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his ongrass farm takes a look this week at plane hijacking business.

... forgotten where I found it, what the of the paper was or what date it was, doesn't matter, any newspaper you pick wadays will have the same story in it: er Plane Hijacked To Cuba.

... ast count the number was up to 30 or 40, ewhere along there, I leave details to y, and while I may have missed some, I t read a single report on anything being to the men who do the hijacking. It's the rime on earth today, outside maybe ing a college president's office. They just on board with the rest of the passen- who think they're headed for Miami or y or New York, wait till the plane is ne, pull a gun on the crew, and direct Cuba, where they get off and the passen- eventually get to return.

... airlines say they don't know what to do this, the same as college presidents; can't afford to insult all their passen-

gers by searching them before they come aboard, but I have a notion, although I'm not planning to become a passenger - by the time I get from this Johnsongrass farm to Floydada I've had all the traveling I want and all the risks I want to run - that I'd rather be searched than flown to Cuba.

At any rate, I've been thinking about this hijacking business and it just occurred to me: what if these hijackers got organized? What if 1000 of them boarded 1000 planes the same day, forced them to fly to Cuba, and kept them?

If each plane had 100 passengers, that'd be 100,000 Americans stranded in Cuba. Keep it up every day for a few months, especially after planes start carrying 500 instead of 100, and you can see it wouldn't be long before the United States not only didn't have any planes left but very few citizens.

I'd be opposed to this. It takes all the people we've got now to keep up with the tax load, even when they let us do it on the installment plan.



Yours faithfully,
J. A.

SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

By Ray Purcell
Social Security Representative

Q. My wife died six years ago leaving me with two children 8 and 10 years of age. Although she had worked prior to our marriage, the children were denied payments on her account because she had not worked in the three years prior to her death. Has this been changed?

A. Yes, there has been a change in the law regarding a current work connection by a woman worker prior to her death. Some work under social security is still required in order for children of a woman worker to receive payments on her account, but this work no longer has to be immediately prior to death.

For more information contact your social security office at 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview.

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Lopez and baby girl, admitted 1-20, dismissed 1-22. Philip Wilkes, admitted 1-15, dismissed 1-15. Selman, admitted 1-9, dismissed 1-15. Mattie Scudder, admitted 1-10, dismissed 1-20. Turner, Matador, admitted 1-13, dismissed 1-18. Plumlee, admitted 1-13, dismissed 1-17. Richardson, admitted 1-13, dismissed 1-18. Sparks, admitted 1-13, dismissed 1-18. Smithman, admitted 1-13, dismissed 1-16. Arlay and baby boy, admitted 1-17, dismissed 1-19. Mondoza and baby boy, admitted 1-17, dismissed 1-20. Arch, admitted 1-5, dismissed 1-20. Arago and baby girl, admitted 1-17, dismissed 1-17. Johnston, admitted 1-17, dismissed 1-17. Moore, admitted 1-19, dismissed 1-19. Moore, admitted 1-19, dismissed 1-19.

Mrs. Jimmy Willson Speaks To Lions

Mrs. Jimmy Willson presented a delightful book review as the Lions Club's guest speaker at their weekly noon luncheon Thursday. The book chosen for review was "But Daddy" by John Buck. The book is a story of a family with 11 children and the amusing everyday incidents that occurred. Mrs. Willson reviewed the book in first person and told the story as if she were the father of the 11 children.

Honor Roll

Junior High School Semester HONOR ROLL
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8A: 5 A's - Kirk McIntosh; 4 A's - Cindy Moore; 3 A's - Steve Hale.

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8C: 4 A's - Penny Bertrand, Roy Newkirk; 3 A's - Errick Jones.

8D: None.

8E: 5 A's - Tony Gorn; 4 A's - Reita Fitzgerald, Susie Hill.

8F: 5 A's - Lisa Gregory, Verlyn Ra'zlaiff; 4 A's - Mike Hale.

8G: 5 A's - Karen Willis, Linda Moss, Debra Smith, Bill Norman; 4 A's - Jay Jones.

Seventh Semester Honor Roll

7A: 5 A's - Carol Cogjell, Nancy Puckett; 3 A's - Danny Braiford.

7B: None.

7C: 4 A's - John Willson.

7D: 5 A's - Shirlene Mathis, Terry Stovall.

7E: 5 A's - Grace Myrick, Gayland Fleming; 4 A's - Ann Newton; 3 A's - Kathy Graham, Dirk Nelson.

7F: 5 A's - Phyllis Guffee, Mark Parkey, DeAnn Wilson, Randy Hale, Kaye Wedel.

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Willie Wirehand NOTES

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In case your husband has thrown to leave you because of your coffee and Mr. Olsen is not readily available, the United States Department of Agriculture has a few ready suggestions.

For those who think it's worth the trouble to make freshly brewed coffee here are a few rules for being the best coffee maker!

* Cleanliness counts with coffee. Never just rinse out the pot, wash it well with a detergent used for hand dishwashing and soak it occasionally with a water softener if you live in a hard water area. Or fill the pot with hot water and soak with a tablespoon or two of dishwasher detergent until the deposit is released. Don't count it clean if you can see a brown stain inside the pot, lid or basket. This stain is coffee oils that cling, get stale, and make the coffee have an off-flavor or taste bitter and strong. With stainless steel or aluminum pots you may use scouring agents to take the stains off but soaking is easier where it works. Never scour inside of plated pots! Don't soak aluminum pots long enough to darken them.

* For peak flavor plan to serve coffee within an hour of brewing time. The longer it stands the more flavor is lost. Of course with modern electric coffee makers keeping coffee at the right serving temperature is no problem.

* Automatic coffee makers make the best coffee, providing you do not brew less than half

the cups the pot will make. If you regularly make 2 cups of coffee it's wise to use a 2 to 4 cup pot instead of a larger one.

* Measure water and coffee carefully and start with faucet cold water.

* Adjust the control on electric coffee makers for mild or strong coffee whichever you prefer.

* Rise the coffee maker well and towel dry after washing. If it's electric keep the base out of water unless it's immersible.

Maybe you have a coffee maker and are not a coffee drinker - try one of the percolated punches such as:

PINEAPPLE SPICE PUNCH
3/4 cup brown sugar
3 cardamom seeds
6 whole cloves
3-inch stick cinnamon
1 cup apricot nectar
2 cups apple cider
1 cup orange juice
4 cups unsweetened pineapple juice

Place sugar and spices in basket of 8 to 10 cup automatic percolator and the juices in the percolator. Allow to go through the perk cycle and serve hot.

HOT SPICED PERCOLATOR PUNCH
3 cups unsweetened pineapple juice
3 cups cranberry juice cocktail
1 1/2 cups water
1/3 cup brown sugar
1 1/2 teaspoons whole cloves
1 stick cinnamon, broken
1/8 teaspoon salt

Combine all ingredients except cloves, cinnamon and salt in an automatic percolator. Place cloves, cinnamon and salt in basket. Allow to go through perk cycle.

* Make HOT COCOA by moistening ingredients to a paste and placing in perk basket. Pour milk into percolator and use MILD setting.

* Use your automatic percolator to make Consomme and Hot Malted Milks.

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BY MARY LEE

It's something of a tradition to take stock of our lives, times and budgets as we face a New Year. And for 1969, it's a fairly safe bet many, many budgets will get an overhauling. With the shrinking dollar, something has to "give" for most families.

Staying within food allowances is a big problem for many homemakers, but wise shoppers can find a number of clever ways to get more for their money. The trick is to plan low-cost meals not by the price of food alone but by what the cost per serving is.

For example, if hamburger and pork spareribs were the same price per pound, you'd get more for your money obviously with the ground meat because it contains no bone or fat.

Breads and cereals are other foods with no waste, but costs can vary according to package size. An 18-ounce box of cereal might cost 39 cents, or 2 cents per ounce, while a package of individual boxes priced at 43 cents, the cost

June 3, 1800 - President John Adams was the first president to reside in Washington, D. C.

would be about 5 cents per serving. So, compare different sizes and forms. Relative costs may vary from time to time, depending on availability of fresh, canned, frozen or dried foods.

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OBITUARIES

Mrs. Weeks

Funeral rites for Mrs. W. J. Weeks of the Lakeview Community, were held Friday in the Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock with Rev. Weaver Lovelace, pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church, officiating. She died Wednesday morning of last week in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Morton.

Mrs. Weeks, 66, was a native of Bowie and moved to Lubbock in 1919. She married William J. Weeks in 1921. They owned and operated gins in the Lynn County from 1928 until 1940; at Morton from 1940 until 1956 and in Ropesville from 1955 until 1960 when they moved to Floyd County.

Survivors include her husband; four daughters, Mrs. O. D. Orr, Tahoka, Mrs. Dvane McClintock of Lakeview, Mrs. Lowell Webb, Brownfield and Mrs. Edlie Beene of the Needmore Community; her mother, Mrs. Walter McNabb of Lubbock; three brothers, Fred McNabb, and C. O. McNabb both of Ropesville and Loyd McNabb of Lubbock; eight sisters; 13 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock.

Mrs. Fred

Rites for Mrs. Willie Mae Fred, 74 year old sister of Mrs. Charlie Spence of Floydada, were held Friday in the First Methodist Church in Morton. She died Wednesday morning of last week in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Morton.

Mrs. Fred had been a resident of Cochran County since 1942 and was a native of Dalton, Ga. She was a member of the First Methodist Church and the Rebekah Lodge No. 37. Survivors include her husband; four sons; three daughters; three sisters; one brother; 24 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

W.C. Briggs

Funeral rites for William C. Briggs, 77, a resident of Cottle County 56 years, and brother of C. L. Briggs of Floydada, were held last Thursday in the First United Methodist Church in Paducah. Briggs died the previous Monday of an apparent heart attack.

He was a Mason, a member of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Survivors include his wife, two daughters, one brother and three grandchildren.

Mrs. Reeves

Funeral services for Mrs. Cora E. Reeves, 82, sister of Mrs. Ard Howard of Floydada, were held Saturday in Sanders Memorial Chapel in Lubbock. Mrs. Reeves, widow of A. G. Reeves, Lubbock contractor, died early Thursday morning of last week in University Convalescent Home in Lubbock. She had been ill several months.

Mrs. Reeves was a native of Hillham, Tenn., and had resided in Lubbock since 1930. She was a member of the First Methodist Church of Lubbock. Survivors include two sons; six brothers; four sisters; six grandchildren, seven great grandchildren.

Jones Places In Contest

Joe Jones, member of the Future Farmers of America in Floydada, won seventh place in an Amarillo contest Monday.

The steer weighed 330 lbs. In other FFA projects, grapefruits and oranges are being sold to raise money for the organization.

The fruit will be in 40 lb. boxes and sell for \$5.00 each.

Josephine Carver Speaks In Lubbock

No man is ever satisfied until he finds a "great spiritual purpose" for his life, according to lecturer Josephine H. Carver, C.S.B., who spoke in Lubbock on Sunday, under Christian Science auspices.

Mrs. Carver challenged an audience here with a question she said everyone must face: "Does life really have a purpose for us far beyond and greater than ourselves?"

For the better part of an hour, she explored this question from the standpoint that "our purpose is immense and our destiny includes all that can be called permanently good." It "involves knowing ourselves as we really are" - finding fulfillment in spiritual understanding.

"Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him," she quoted the Apostle Paul (1 Cor. 2).

The lecture was sponsored by First Church of Christ Scientist and presented in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium. The title was "You Have a Purpose."

Mrs. Carver, a recognized teacher and practitioner of Christian Science from Boston, noted that "there probably isn't anyone here who at one time or another hasn't considered his reason for being."

"Many people have asked themselves, 'Why am I here?' 'What is the meaning of my life?' There are even those who question 'Do I have any purpose at all?'"

She pointed to some of the modern symptoms of dissatis-

faction and lack of purpose that contemporary theologian Paul Tillich calls "the anxiety of meaninglessness."

She said, "One of the surprises of this age of increased leisure and abundance is to find so many people with a sense of futility. This we encounter at a time when there are material comforts far beyond what our forefathers dreamed. It is estimated that every man, woman, and child in the United States has on an average thirty-two machines working for each one of them every day."

"But although we have many machines, as yet we know very little about how to get along with our own inner selves or with one another."

We will find the fulfillment we seek, said the lecturer, "when the larger meaning of our lives is clarified."

"Surely we're not given life for an insignificant reason," she declared.

"Surely we're alive and here because something much greater than ourselves is expressing its nature as our life and fulfilling its own purpose in all we really are to do."

"According to Christian Science that something greater than ourselves is primal cause. We term it God. We think of it as both knowable and provable. It is what gives purpose and meaning to our lives."

Mrs. Carver said that there is a "great need for exactness in knowing the nature of God." For "what we know of divine cause largely molds our experience."

This is why prayer is so essential.

She said that "prayer can be thought of in terms of getting at the truth" - "knowing what is true in the sight of God, the all-loving Father."

The object of prayer "isn't begging and pleading in the hope that a changeable and fickle supreme being will do something." Rather, it's to understand God.

The lecturer related the actual case of a woman who was healed of tuberculosis after learning to pray in this way.

"This became her life purpose - to understand God."

According to Christian Science, added Mrs. Carver, "everyone has the capacity to discover God's purpose, to find what Jesus called the kingdom of God within."

She quoted a statement by Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer of Christian Science: "It is the purpose of divine Love to resurrect the understanding, and the kingdom of God, the reign of harmony already within us" (Miscellaneous Writings, p. 154).

"If we see life as God or endless good and dedicate ourselves to gaining an understanding of His good purpose, we shall find that this purpose includes the fulfillment or coming into our experience of all forms of good," commented Mrs. Carver.

"We shall steadily find this purpose fulfilled in us. It will become the meaning of our lives."

"There's nothing more satisfying than to do this - to be man in the fullest sense."

"As we let go of mortal measurements of ourselves and others, we experience more of what is divinely true of man, what he really is - not one who is looking for a purpose

Ladies, have you won a beautiful wig?

The Floydada Postmaster reports that post cards have been received in Floydada addressed to ladies notifying them that all they have to do to claim a \$89.00 wig is to call at their office in Philadelphia, Pa., or send money for postage and handling fee. He reports this is the same Company, operating under another name, that made a similar mailing here last year. Investigation last year resulted in the indictment of Elliott N. Scott at Philadelphia, Pa., for mail fraud charges on October 3, 1937. Scott's scheme consisted of offering for sale to the public women's wigs which were grossly misrepresented in the advertising. In many instances no wigs at all were furnished. Scott's business is still operating and is mailing thousands of advertising pieces each week to all parts of the country. He is using the following names to operate under, Charles Wig Styling Club, Rich Beauty and Health Salon, Phillips Social Club, and National Family Consumer Company, all with Philadelphia addresses, the street address most commonly used is 1203 E. Chelton. The Postmaster said this information is being furnished so the public may recognize such fraudulent enterprises and possibly prevent some individual from being victimized.

or meaning for life, but one who is himself the fulfillment of divine purpose."

He stated that he is going to send a letter that will tell the person must see for a he can just see at this of his name. Funerary is legal because at hand to hand in Lubbock master stated, that of when the \$3.00 of this mailed to the Mrs. Ample the scheme comes lottery, Mr. and doing the mailing, Mr. and pating in a fraud. Mr. Regulations state days in lent enterprise hospital mailed in purpose. M. scheme for agents th or property, or Sims mail, by means also of fraudulent prom Mrs. tations, or prom had di

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(Probate Deeds)
Application to probate the estate of Lydia Graves, deceased. (Warrenty Deeds)
J. Kerwin Baxter et ux to Robert W. Hambricht et ux, lot 10 in block G, Andrews Addition in Floydada.
W. M. Snell et al to Barry Hale et ux, lot 5 in block 66 in Floydada.
Bulah Puckett to Frank Saucedo et ux, a tract of land, 72 and 5/10 feet east and west and 150 feet north and south out of the northeast part of the N. B. Davis Survey No. 9, block SO.
Kate Daniel to Mary Katherine Hale, an undivided one-half interest in and to 320 acres of land out of the north part of survey 24 in block N.
E. M. (Jack) Harris et ux to W. D. Colson et ux, an undivided one-half interest in and to all of the south one-half of lot 13 and the south one-half of the west 23 feet of lot 12, all in block 22 in Lockney.
Leslie Ferguson et ux to Joe F. Cunyus et ux, 130 acres of land being all of the southeast one-fourth of survey 45 in block D-2.
Kate Daniel to Mary Katherine Hale, one-half interest in and to 320 acres of land out of the north part of survey 24 in block N.
Tom Snead et ux to L. R. Stringer, J. A. Miller and Barbara Barnard, lot 3 in block 1 in Barwise; lots 1 and 2, block 1 in Barwise; the south 150 feet of lot 13, block 3, and all of lots 1 through 16 in block 3 and all of lots 13 and 14, block 2 in Barwise, Floyd County.
J. M. Hicks et ux to Maggie Finley, lot 15 in block 17, Bartley Heights in Floydada.
Walter Hollums, sheriff, to Stapleton and Miller, lot 2 in block 45 in Floydada.
W. A. Massie to R. L. Bullock et ux, lots 17 and 18 in block 5, Texas Addition in Floydada.
John C. Collins et ux to Louis Pyle, two acres of land out of the southwest part of the northwest one-fourth of survey 120 in block 1.
G. W. Robertson et al to Walter E. Bloys, 474 and 302/1000 acres of land, 160 acres, being all of J. E. Beckham survey No. 7 in block 4; 160 acres being all of the C. H. Johnson survey; 152 and 702/1000 acres out of the C. H. Johnson 156.5 acre survey; and one and 6/10 acres out of the north part of the J. T. McLain survey.
Herbert H. Case et al to Bennie Ray Case et ux, 197 acres being the east part of section 32 in block K containing 80 acres being the west one-half of the J. E. Elliott 130 acre Pre-Emption survey; 40 acres being the west one-half of the W. J. Dunlap 30 acre survey and 40 acres being the west one-half of the W. J. Dunlap 80 acre survey.
Maggie Hattie Finley et al to Buren C. Cates et ux, 154 acres out of the north one-half of survey 86 in block 1.
J. W. Cannon et ux to M. C. Kitchens, lot 13 in block 43 in Floydada.
George Myers et ux to Verba Jackson, a parcel of land 102 feet north and south by 190 feet east and west out of the central part of lots 1 and 2 in block 1, Meriwether Addition in Lockney.

Count 'Em: HST, Eisenhower, LBJ

WASHINGTON (AP) - For only the second time since 1885 the United States has three living former presidents.

They are Harry S. Truman, Dwight D. Eisenhower and Lyndon B. Johnson.

In 1861, when John F. Kennedy was inaugurated, there were also three - Herbert Hoover, Truman and Eisenhower.

Before Kennedy's inaugural, the last time three former presidents were living was when Grover Cleveland took office in 1885.

It was during the year following Abraham Lincoln's 1861 inauguration the nation could count the most living former presidents - five.

Abilene Colleges Alter Schedules

ABILENE (AP) - Abilene Christian College, Hardin-Simmons University and McMurry College announced cooperative plans Tuesday for a major revision in the schedule for the 1968-70 school year.

Joining a growing number of state and private institutions in Texas, officials of the three Abilene schools said beginning next school year the fall semester will start Sept. 2 or 3 and conclude with final exams before Christmas holidays.

The spring semester will begin after a four week break or about Jan. 20 or 21, 1970, and end with commencement exercises May 17-18. The three summer school schedules will not be changed.

THE WORLD OF ENTERTAINMENT

CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG

Dick Van Dyke stars in this film as a widowed father with two children played by Heather Ripley and Adrian Hall. Dick plays the usual gentle but slightly irresponsible parent that is familiar to his fans. However, each time he is able to add something new that keeps the role from becoming drab or dull.

The title, "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang," is derived from a car that swims and flies and plays quite an important part in the film. It's a children's musical and is based on a fantasy by Ian Fleming.

While it is designed as a film for children, Sally Ann Howes co-stars with Van Dyke and as the very wealthy daughter of a candy tycoon is able to win the children's hearts and finally marries their father.



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VIEW NEWS by Mrs. Bagwell

VIEW, January 20, - Mrs. Grady Dunavant spent the day Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. John Redding at Idalou.

Sunday visitors in the Grady Dunavant home were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith and their grandson, Shannon Smith and Verl Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Bunch visited Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bunch Friday night and had supper with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards spent Sunday in Kress with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Maxey McKnight, Dell and Rob.

Mr. and Mrs. P.J. Wilkes were able to leave Caprock Hospital Wednesday and return to their apartment at Crosbyton where they are living for a while. Wednesday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wilkes were their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilkes and Leslie Wilkes of Lockney. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson along with the other children of Mrs. A.W. Anderson are staying at University Hospital in Lubbock with Mrs. Anderson who underwent major surgery there Friday morning. It has been reported that Mrs. Anderson is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Gallo-way and children, Guy and Risty spent the day Sunday with Connie Anderson while her parents were in Lubbock taking their turn at the hospital with Otis' mother. The Galloways remained Sunday night and had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson and Connie.

Saturday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Ham-bright were Owen Crump of Kingsland, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Smith and Mrs. Viola Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chap-man and Tammy spent Friday night and Saturday morning here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones, Way-lad Jones and sons Steve and Greg of Dougherty also visited Saturday morning and all had dinner at the Fred Jones home. Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones helped Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chap-man move to New Home. The Fred Jones returned Sunday afternoon.

Last Sunday, January 19, Mrs. Annie Neff had the misfortune of falling and injuring her leg. She spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O.A. Neff recuperating. On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. B.P. Neff stayed with his mother while Mr. and

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The Book Nook



"Between Parent and Child," by Dr. Haim G. Finott. . . The purpose of this book is to make life between parent and child less irritating and more rewarding.

The book offers concrete suggestions for dealing with daily situations and problems faced by all parents. It presents a new approach to conversation with children, sex education, and many other day to day problems.

"A Ship Called Hope," by Dr. William B. Walsh. . . This is a fascinating story telling of the ship Hope's dedicated team of doctors and nurses on a peacetime hospital ship. The ship issues medical care to the people of South Vietnam and Indonesia.

Walsh tells the story of the medical, mechanical, and practical problems between the teams of American doctors and nurses and their Indonesian and Vietnamese counterparts on the maiden voyage of the ship "Hope", a re-activated World War II Navy ship.

"By the Pricking of My Thumbs," by Agatha Christie. . . The book is labeled a "brilliantly sustained mystery as always found in a novel by Agatha Christie."

Her latest novel contains an extra element of mystery that will grasp the reader from start to finish in an exciting and imaginative novel.

Mrs. O.A. Neff went to Comanche to attend the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. Sammie Shoemaker.

Sunday Mrs. Annie Neff went to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Guffee near Plainview where she will stay for several days.

Another one of Mrs. Annie Neff's daughters and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Emery of Anaheim, California who have been spending some time in the area around here and who were on their way back home to Anaheim visited last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Ham-bright visited her father C Alexander at the nursing home Sunday afternoon. They were also among the ones from First Baptist Church to help with the preaching and song service there in the afternoon.

Sunday night before church Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Ham-bright visited their son and family, the Gordon Hambrights.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Harrison went to Paducah Thursday to attend the funeral of Colley Briggs, a great uncle of Mrs. Max Harrison.

Mrs. Max Harrison is the one appointed to contact everyone in Lakeview Community for the March of Dimes, in case she fails to see you, she asks that you leave your contributions

at the Lakeview store.

J.M. Harrison who resides at the Floydada nursing home visited Sunday with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Hart-sell.

Sandy Thurston is home from A.C.C. at Abilene for the semester break. She and her parents went to Canyon Monday where they visited Mrs. J.L. Heim and Mrs. Joe Gibson. Sandy will be home about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Bunch of Litan brought her mother Mrs. J.C. Raley to the home of another daughter, Mrs. W. H. Bunch Monday, Mrs. Raley had been at Litan for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Mount visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price, and Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Rodriguez and children went to Crosbyton after church Sunday. All had lunch there and then drove around looking over the country.

Masons And Their Wives Entertained By OES

An estimated 119 members and guests, one of the largest ever in attendance, filled the halls of the Masonic building for a 'big supper' of delectable foods and pleasant fellowship Thursday night, January 16th.

After a social hour in the dining room everyone gathered in the sanctuary for the program. The house was called to order by the worthy matron, Roberta Russell and worthy patron, Wayne Russell. The worthy matron turned the meeting over to the program chairman, Jo V Bingham, who in turn introduced Brenda Mathis, Lisa Gregory and Wendylyn Tooley who sang a medley of songs accompanying themselves with their stringed instruments while sitting on high-stools to give it that very "mod" look. Also, Keith Norrell demonstrated his un-

usual talent in extemporaneous speaking in a monologue "Mama's Grandson" and the contemporary, much discussed "This Generation Gap." He says there is no generation gap. They just want everyone to recognize that they have brilliant minds to be used and developed.

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Erasp deeply enough nor move as fast as we should for the fast moving world. Should we remove all restrictions and let the fires burn themselves out or guide with a steady hand to prevent a run-away and to keep the inward fires and desires burning for really worthwhile accomplishments?

Rev. C. B. Melton gave the benediction, followed by another round of fellowship and gratitude.

EMERT PROMOTED

Weldon Emert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Emert of Dougherty, has been promoted to third class electrician, at An Hoa, Vietnam. Emert is with a unit of the Seebies. He went to Vietnam June 14, 1968 and has served at An Hoa the past four months. He plans his R&R leave next month in Australia.

In a recent letter to his parents, Emert said he had received numerous Christmas greetings from area friends and wished to say thanks to everyone.

SCHOOL Menu

(Week of January 27, 1969)

MONDAY:
Fish Portion with tartar sauce
Potato salad
Seasoned green beans
Hot rolls and butter
Pineapple cake
1/2 pint milk

TUESDAY:
Italian Spaghetti
Buttered sweet potatoes
Cabbage slaw
Hot rolls and butter
Chocolate cookie
1/2 pint milk

WEDNESDAY:
Pinto beans
Barbecued weiners
Buttered broccoli
Hot cornbread with butter
Pear half with cookie
1/2 pint milk

THURSDAY:
Fried chicken with gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Tossed vegetable salad
Hot rolls with butter
Orange jello with topping
1/2 pint milk

FRIDAY:
Hamburgers
Tomato slices, lettuce, dill pickles
Potato chips
Peach cobbler
1/2 pint milk

Nixon to retain Hoover as FBI chief.

Mansfield urges Nixon to see European chiefs.

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SEVENTH GRADE BREEZETTES... The seventh grade Breezette team includes; (front row) Kathy Graham, Roxanne Fry, Jeanna Hodges, Shir-lene Mathis, Nancy Hicks, Terry Stovall, Debbie Williams, Vanda Car-chel, (back row) mgr. Carla Suggs, Rhonda Jarrett, Nancy Puckett, Mitzi Reddy, DeAun Wilson, Pauline Cooper, Sara Eastham, Charlette Nelson, Margwyne Giles, and Carol Cogdell mgr. (Staff Photo)



WHIRLWIND JR. VARSITY... Members of the Whirlwind Jr. Varsity are; (back row) Ricky Clay, Ricky McDowell, Joe Thurston, Joe Kim-ble, Frank Watson, Allen Thrasher, Bernie Newton mgr. (front row) Gary Fuller, Mark Estes, Kenneth Powell, Miles Davis, Kent Dyson, Ricky Biggs, Andy Selman, Mike Moore and Kerry Tye are not pic-tured. (Staff Photo)



THE VARSITY WHIRLWINDS... The Varsity Whirlwinds are; (standing) Steve Puckett, Mike Burk, Richard Hale, Larry Beaver (kneeling) Andy Hale, Jack Gregory, Bob Marler, Connie Bearden and Todd Wester. Tim Rose is not pictured. (Staff Photo)



STRANGE PLAYMATES... Mysti and Moody Younger, children of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Younger, show their pet Jack-rabbit and dog that usu-ally play together. (Staff Photo)

Rabbit and dog become friends

By Frank O'Hagan, Jr.

Jackrabbits are supposed to be wild and not the least bit friendly toward dogs and people but there are exceptions.

The Jake Younger family has a pet jackrabbit named Peter Cottontail that doesn't realize that he is supposed to be wild. He romps around in the back yard with their dog, Snow and even licks the fingers of his owners.

Mrs. Jake Younger said that the rabbit was found while her husband was working on their farm. The rabbit had just been born and wouldn't care for him-self so her husband brought the rabbit home.

They fed their new found pet from a baby bottle and said that the rabbit has grown to be very healthy.

"We have had the rabbit several months. At first, we had the rabbit in a cage but he got too big for the cage so we put him in the back yard with the dog," Mrs. Younger said.

"The dog and rabbit play to-gether and seem to get along just fine. Sometimes our dog appears to be a little jealous though - he will steal the rab-bit's carrots and after he steals the carrots, he'll hid them from the rabbit. We have never seen him eat carrots, so I guess the dog is just playing," she said.

SPORTS

Olton Beats Whirlwinds 83-55

The Varsity Whirlwinds were outmatched by Olton Tuesday night, 83-55.

Olton outscored the Whirlwinds during every quarter of the game.

At the half, Floydada trailed by twenty points, 41-21.

Top scorers for the Whirlwinds were Todd Wester with 20 points followed by Bob Marler with 9 points.

Mike Burk led the team in re-bounds with eight.

The Whirlwinds will play their next game against Hale Center here, Friday night.

LCHS Defeats Whirlwinds 72-62

The Whirlwinds lost to Lub-bock Christian High School here, Friday night, 72-62.

In the first minutes of the game, the Whirlwinds were hitting the bucket with dead-ly accuracy. With two minutes left in the first period Floyd-ada led 18-13.

Then LCHS gained control of the ball and pushed ahead of Floydada to end the first quar-ter 25-18.

The game progressed on an even scale and at the half, LCHS led in scoring 37-31.

The Whirlwinds stayed ag-gressive during the entire game but the lead remained in the hands of LCHS.

With two minutes left in the third period Floydada came within two points of LCHS 50-48 but couldn't seem to keep a drive going.

Todd Wester paced the Whirlwinds hitting 28 points following in scoring by Rich-ard Hale with 11 points. Rich-ard Hale also led in rebound-ing with seven rebounds.

Curtis Chatham, varsity coach, commented after the game that he was pleased with the performance of the team even though they lost.

"They played a good game tonight and are showing im-provement every game. The ex-perience gained in each game im-proves the tactics and moves of each player," he said.

FLOYDADA SIXTH GRADERS BEAT DOUGHERTY

The Floydada sixth graders from Andrews Ward defeated the boys and girls teams at Dougherty last week.

The boys won 20-10 and the girls won 16-12. Russell Hol-laday made eight points as leading scorer for the Floyd-ada boys' team and Jo Ann Rendon made six points as lead-ing scorer for the Floydada girls' team.

FLOYDADA JR. HIGH OVER KRESS

Seventh grade boys defeated Kress by a score of 33-10 to improve their record 2 wins and 1 loss. Mike Hatley led the Breezers with 9 points fol-lowed by Rex Rose with 6 points.

Eighth grade Breezettes won over Kress 8th grade by a score of 38-8. The locals started off slowly as they scored only 4 the first quarter, but they scor-ed 14 in the second, 12 in the third, and 8 the fourth. Karen Shipman scored 12, Kim Campbell scored 11, and Sher-ry Harris scored 10 for a bal-anced scoring effort. Debra Smith led the defense with 7 rebounds. Their record is now 9-2.

Eighth grade Breezers won by a score of 42-29. The game was close throughout the first half, but the Breezers broke it open in the last half. Mark Vison and Greg Pitzer led the effort with 13 points apiece.

Next game for the Breezers will come Monday at Hale Center as the 7th grade girls play at 4:30 followed by the 8th grade girls and 8 grade boys.

WHIRLETTES DOWN WA/ LAND 61-44

The Varsity Whirllettes downed the Wayland College "Queen Bees" here Friday night, 61-44.

The score was tied at the half 23-23 but the Whirllettes came back in the third quar-ter to go ahead of the Way-land Freshman girls.

Marilyn Harris hit 26 points to lead the team in scoring and Cindy Ward hit 14 points.

Eavon Almqist scored 26 points for the "Queen Bees" followed by Lanette Bond with 11.

WHIRLETTES TAKE OLTON 52-42

The Varsity Whirllettes de-feated Olton here, Tuesday night 52-42.

The win over Olton will put the Whirllettes into the district 3A playoffs with a district re-cord of 6-0 and an overall re-cord of 13-6.

At the half, Floydada led Ol-ton 26-23.

The Whirllettes became even stronger in the third period of play and held Olton to two points.

Marilyn Harris, Cindy Ward and Betty Allen led the team in scoring.

Cindy Ward paced the team with 24 points, Marilyn Har-ris had 14 and Betty Allen hit 10.

Leading rebounder were Ann Fawver with seven re-bounds and Jill Bertrand with six.

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TWO THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1969 PAGE ONE

Bureau Leaders Attend Conference

County Farm Bureau O. N. Bertrand, President Jackson and a member, Delmas McCormick. The Austin conference kicks off the Farm Bureau's 1969 state and national legislative programs, President Bertrand said. It will also serve as a report meeting on the organization's statewide enrollment

campaign for new members.

More than 400 county leaders from most of the state's 203 organized county Farm Bureaus are expected to attend. Purpose of the legislative phase of the meeting is for the county leaders to get a better understanding of state and national issues affecting agriculture. They will also discuss most effective ways of implementing Farm Bureau policies relating to those issues.

Governor-Elect Preston Smith will address a banquet on the evening of Jan. 22. All high state government officials and legislators have been invited to this dinner. The state Senators and Representatives will be given a personal invitation that afternoon by county leaders who will tour the State Capitol and visit with their elected representatives.

Roger Fleming, Washington, D. C., secretary-treasurer of the American Farm Bureau

Federation, will speak to the conference on the final day. His subject will be, "County Leaders - Key to Effective Participation."

TFB President, Sidney Dean, of Victoria will open the conference Jan. 22 with a brief discussion on the purpose of the meeting. Cliff Laywell, Austin, TFB assistant legislative director, will outline the TFB's objectives during the 61st Legislature. Ed McKay, Waco, TFB legislative director, will discuss major national issues of 1969.

Following this, the TFB Organization Department will hold a membership report session. Counties that have made outstanding achievements in membership acquisition during the statewide drive will be recognized and honored.

The final activity planned for that afternoon is a tour by county leaders of the State Capitol. The farmers and ranchers attending will contact their elected representatives at that time.

The final morning session on

Jan. 23 includes talks by leaders of the Texas House and Senate. Senator William Patman of Ganado will discuss "Effective Contacts With Elected Officials." Senator J. P. Word of Meridian will tell how a bill becomes a law. Rep. W. S. Heatly of Paducah will speak on the topic, "The Money Story - Taxes and Appropriations."

The bi-annual conference will be adjourned at noon following an open discussion period.

PRITCHETT TO BE COMMISSIONED

James E. Pritchett of Lockney will be commissioned second lieutenant in the United States Army Reserve Jan. 25 at Texas Tech.

Pritchett, a graduate student in zoology the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Pritchett of Rt. 2, in Lockney, (South Plains Community).

Lt. Gen. Harry H. Critz, commanding general of the Fourth United States Army, will deliver the commissioning address at 11 a.m. in the Ballroom of the Tech Union on the campus.



MERCHANT OF THE WEEK.....GENE LOWRANCE, owner of the Lowrance Center is shown with the Microwave Radar-range oven that reduces cooking time 75 percent. (staff photo).

Gene Lowrance, Merchant Of The Week

This week Gene Lowrance, owner of Lowrance Appliance Center is featured as the "Merchant of the Week."

Lowrance attended Floydada High School and served four years in the U. S. Navy before returning to Floydada and starting a career in the appliance business.

He worked at Boren Furniture and Appliance for nine years before starting his own business.

Floyd Boren decided to retire and this meant that the Frigidaire franchise would be available.

Lowrance decided to get the

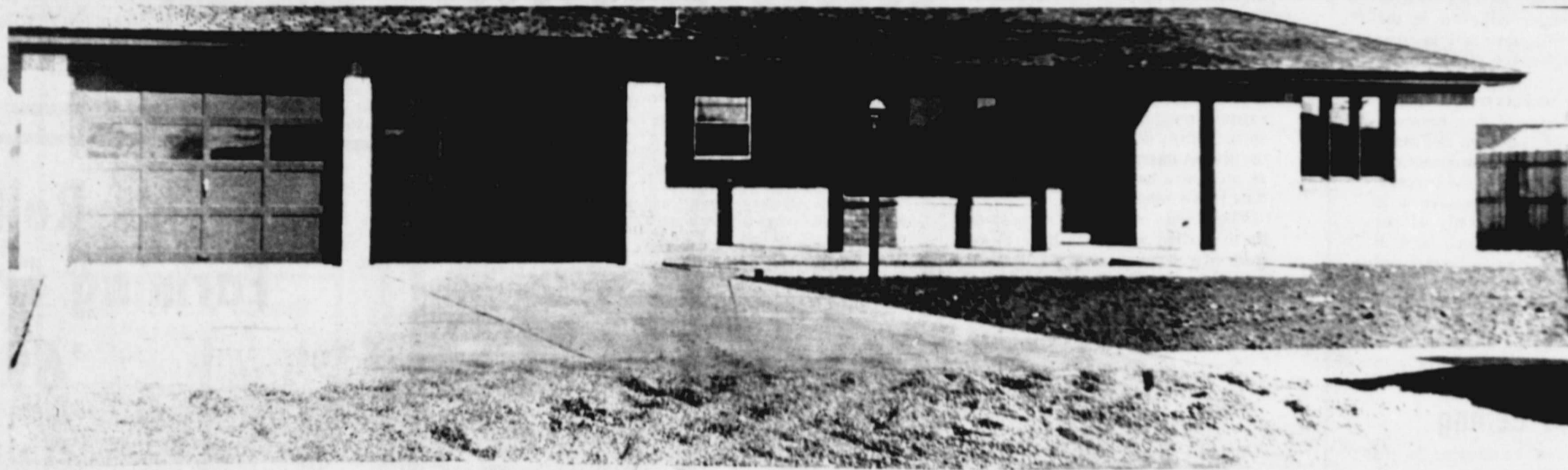
Frigidaire franchise in Floydada, and go into business for himself. He was successful in gaining the franchise and opened the "Appliance Center" in April.

"Many of the customers from Boren Furniture are trading here now, and I think that opening the business has been a good opportunity," Lowrance said.

Lowrance married the former Billie (Tiny) Copeland and has two sons, Van, age 5 and Clay, 16 months.

"We also carry Amana products," Lowrance said. One of their newest products is a microwave radarange that can reduce cooking time 75 percent.

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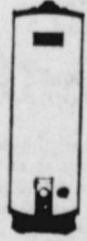


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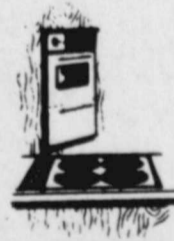
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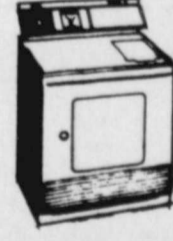
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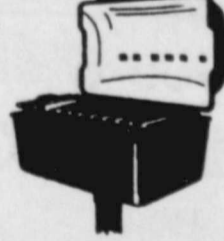
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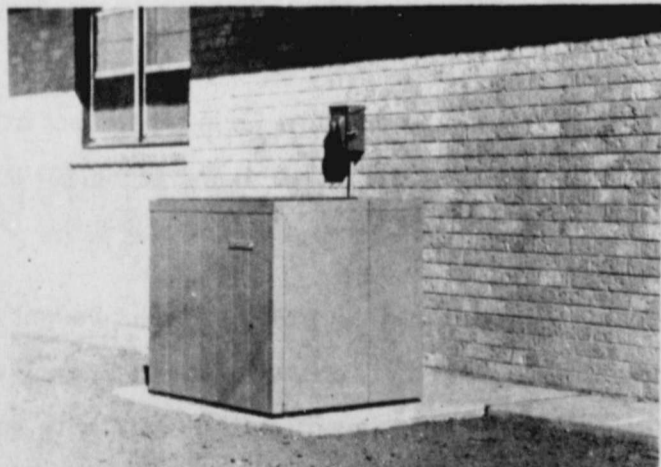
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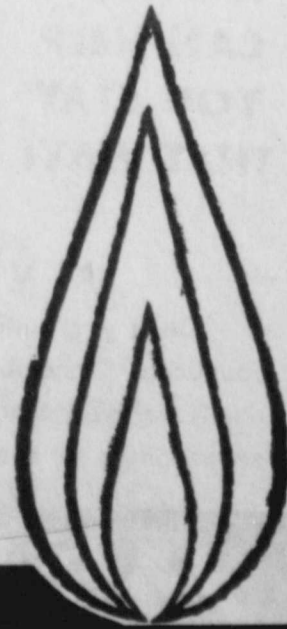
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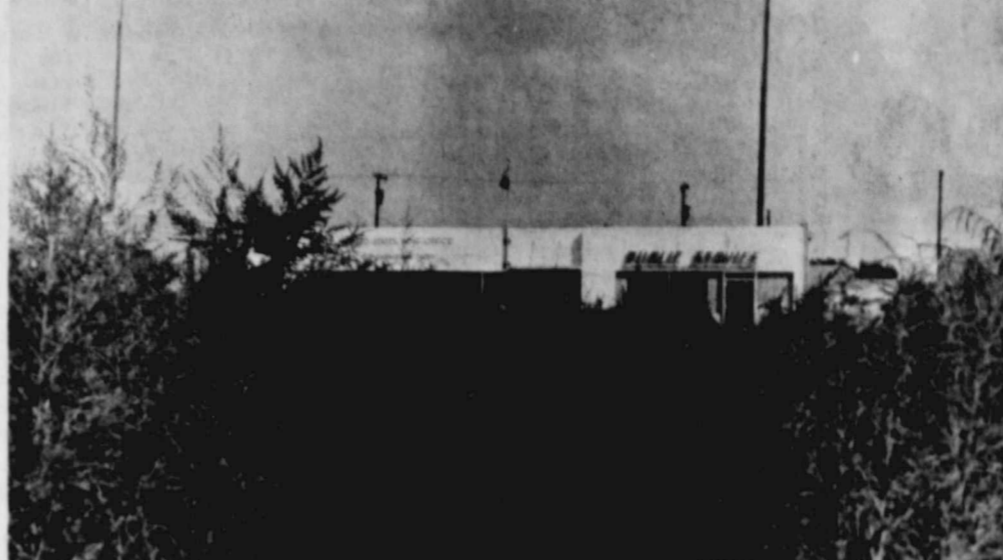
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Does Floydada Need A Beautification Program?

EDITORIALS

Fundamentalism, USA

A recent Gallup survey showed that Americans are, by far, the most ardent fundamentalists in the western world. Whereas the survey showed a majority of citizens in older western nations no longer believed in the devil, hell or life after death in some cases, the vast majority of Americans believe in all.

More than ninety per cent of Americans questioned said they believed in God but only 73 per cent in France and only 60 per cent in Sweden. Concerning life after death, the percentage of Americans who believe in it drops to 73 per cent. Only 41 per cent of the people believe in it in Germany, 38 per cent in Britain and 35 per cent in France.

Concerning hell, some 65 per cent of Americans asked believe in hell (either of the hot coals and pitchfork type or some other) whereas only 25

per cent of the Germans questioned, 23 per cent of the British and 22 per cent of the French believe in it.

The percentage of those believing in the devil drops to 60 per cent in the United States, to 25 per cent in Germany, 21 per cent in Britain and Sweden and 17 per cent in France.

From these figures it will be seen that the United States is the fundamental stronghold of the world, so to speak, where more people believe in the literal interpretation of scripture as preachers have taught in the past than in any other country.

The trend, of course, in most of the Christian world has been away from literal interpretations, and in some theology schools less emphasis is now placed on absolutes and specifics, including many points in Bible stories, than was formerly the case.

The Debt Ceiling

The word in Washington is that the Johnson Administration, or the Nixon Administration shortly after it assumes power, will ask Congress for a hike in the ceiling on the national debt. The debt is currently over 362 billions.

The present "temporary" ceiling as set by Congress is now 365 billions while the permanent ceiling is 358 billions. In recent years hiking the national debt has unfortunately been a regular event. This was serious enough when interest rates were low but today, with soaring interest rates, the nation is paying almost twenty billions a year in interest on the debt alone.

There has to be a time when increases in the ceiling are denied.

This may not be possible at the moment, although one suspects it might be. If the Nixon Administration is unable to hold the ceiling to the present 365 billions, one hopes a really temporary increase of only a billion or two will be authorized and that strict fiscal discipline will be achieved in the next year or two so that further rises in the debt will not be allowed to occur.

The full national debt will probably never be paid off but a slight reduction in the ever-growing figure would be meaningful, and produce beneficial results, and lower interest rates, in addition to helping the "little man," would also lower the cost of carrying the huge debt.

FLOYD PHILOSOPHER Thinks Up One-Platoon Mailing System But Doubts It'll Work For P.O.

Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm ignores the international situation this week and concentrates on domestic issues.

Dear editor:

Three items in one newspaper that turned up out here on this Johnson grass farm yesterday have convinced me that the saying, "Nothing succeeds like success," should be changed to "Nothing fails like success."

One item reported that the Saturday Evening Post, with the largest circulation in its 175-year history, is closing down because it's

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Letter To The Editor

January 18, 1969

Mrs. Dorris Jones
505 South White
Floydada, Texas

Dear Mrs. Jones:

Thank you very much for sending me the petitions which express opposition to Daylight Savings Time. I, too, share the same concern that many citizens in Floyd County have about this ridiculous time change during an overlapping period of our summer months.

It is my understanding that a bill has already been requested by another House Member to exempt Texas from the federal act. Please rest assured that I will support this proposed exemption and do everything I can to see that it passes.

Since many of the people who were kind enough to sign the petitions you sent me did not give an address, I would be most appreciative if you would express my gratitude to them for sharing with me their views. I am taking the liberty of sending a copy of my letter to our mutual friend, Mr. Wendell Tooley of the Floyd County Hesperian.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely,
Ralph Wayne

In editorial page in one paper, we note their statement, Tuesday, that Mr. Johnson was our first president from Texas. When he replaced Mr. Kennedy, we noticed one statement from the Chairman of the Texas Democrats, in a paper same as above. We are at a loss to know why this error?

Ohio and Virginia have the name of sending the most men as presidents, to Washington. They count them according to the state in which they were born. Why does Texas not do the same? The Encyclopedia gives the birth of Mr. Eisenhower as Denison, Texas, and the city of Denison is proud of the fact. In August we visited the house where he was born, and the fence and other signs direct you to the place. Let us be fair about this thing, even if we belong to the Republican Party, or even the third party.

Charley L. Berry.

(Editor's Note: I agree with you, Charley. . . I would like to claim both presidents Eisenhower and Johnson.

Dear Wendell:

The 61st Session of the Texas Legislature officially convened here in Austin Tuesday with a new slate of officials at the helm of leadership. Representative Gus Mutschers is the new Speaker of the House with Governor Preston Smith and Lieutenant Governor Ben Barnes both scheduled to be officially inaugurated next Tuesday, January 21st at noon. Incidentally, I am enclosing a copy of the Inaugural Festivities in the event you are planning to attend.

While our number one problem continues to be the same

old one - not enough money - several other highly controversial issues such as liquor by the drink, gun controls, public welfare payments, and air and water pollution controls promise this to be anything but a dull session.

Thus far, the recommendations on consolidation of small school districts made by the Governor's Committee on Education have created the most interest in our area. I will continue to oppose this consolidation. Our schools are doing a fine job, and our local taxpayers should not be penalized because of mediocrity in some

FARM BUREAU AND BLUE CROSS INSURANCE ANNOUNCE APRIL OPENING SENIOR TEXAN COMPANION SERVICE.

DEADLINE SIGN-UP FLOYDADA OFFICE MARCH 17
This article appeared in Texas newspapers recently:

Friday, September 20, 1968 The Dallas Morning News

Patients Under Medicare Will Pay an Additional 10%

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J.—Wilbur J. Cohen, secretary of health, education and welfare, Thursday announced a 10 per cent increase in the amount patients will pay for hospitalization under Medicare.

The new rates will become effective Jan. 1. Cohen said in a speech here at the 76th annual meeting of the American Hospital Association.

A department spokesman gave these details: • A patient now pays the first \$40 of his hospital bill, Medicare covering the balance through the 60th day of hospitalization. Beginning Jan. 1, the patient will pay the first \$44.

• THE PATIENT pays \$16 a day from his 61st to his 90th day of hospitalization. This in-

creases to \$11 a day with Medicare handling the balance.

• The patient pays \$20 daily for the next 90 days. This will be raised to \$22.

• Should the patient enter nursing home a son, his wife or

What does this mean to you?

It means beginning January 1, 1969, Medicare will be paying a reduced percentage of your total hospital bill. In order to be sure that your Blue Cross Senior Texan Companion Service continues to provide adequate protection and because of other changes in the Medicare law, it is necessary to amend your present coverage.

This April 1, 1969, opening is taking place solely for the purpose of enabling applications for new Senior Texan Companion Service Members. This is open to anyone 65 or older.

This opening is taking place for the purpose of permitting any person now holding the Regular Group, or the Basic.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT TO BE ADDED IN OUR GROUP AS A NEW MEMBER FOR SENIOR TEXAN COMPANION SERVICE, A MEMBER MUST HAVE A CURRENT FARM BUREAU MEMBERSHIP.

Floyd County Farm Bureau

please let us know. Our office number is GR5-3212 and the office is in Room 404 of the Capitol Building.

Warmest personal Sincerely, /s/ Ralph Wayne

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**WE DO NOT BELIEVE
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ITS TRADE AREA**

Business is very competitive among cities in the South Plains of Texas. Floydada merchants need every advantage they can get selling merchandise. . . and the people who trade Floydada would certainly support Floydada merchants if they did not have to pay a sales tax in Floydada.

We feel that Psychologically, the city sales tax is not a good decision. Everyone is burdened with taxes, income tax payment time is at hand.

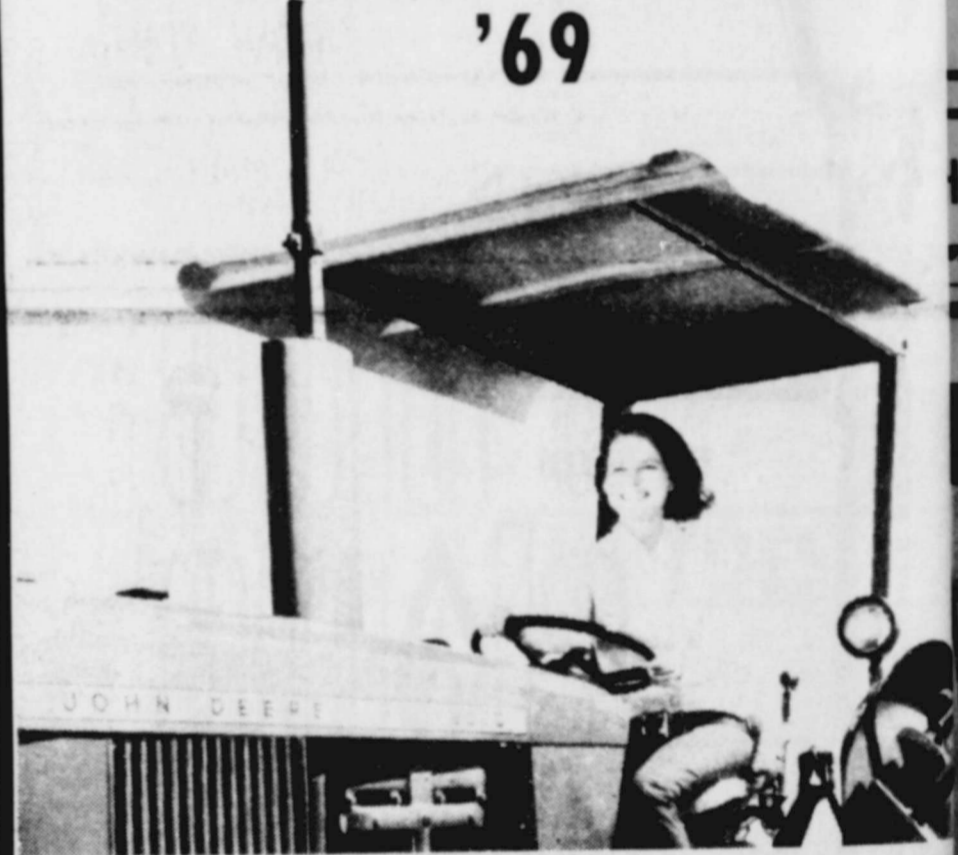
Floydada can be unique in being "The only city on the South Plains where you pay no city sales tax."

Vote "NO" to a city sales tax in Floydada February 18.

PAID POL. ADV.

Win This Roll-Gard At Farming Frontiers

'69



Farming Frontiers '69, a program devoted to the business of farming, will be held here Friday, January 31, at 7:30.

The program, including motion pictures about the use of infrared photography in farming, weather modification, agricultural research discoveries and new livestock developments, will be sponsored by Collins Implement Co. Other films will feature new farm equipment available for 1969, including John Deere's new 120-h.p. Turbo-Built Tractor.

Johnny Collins said the program will present a number of ideas to help farmers improve the efficiency of their operations. He said this tractor Roll-Gard with safety canopy and seat belts will be awarded at the program.

The program will be held at the Collins Implement Co. Friday, January 31 at 7:30.

Refreshments will be served.

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LAWN MOWER 3 1/2 H.P. - Super Start 20" Cut - Adjustable Wheels Grassleaf Catcher Was \$81.99 NOW \$66⁸⁸	PORTABLE TELEVISION 13" Screen Instant Start VHF-UHF Was \$136.98 NOW \$121⁸⁸
COLOR TV 23" Screen - AFC Control Maple Cabinet VHF - UHF ONLY \$556⁹⁹	SEWING MACHINE ZIGZAG Walnut Cabinet Was \$100.98 NOW \$84⁸⁸
MANY TABLE APPLIANCES REDUCED	ONLY EVAPORATIVE COOLER Damaged - 4300 CFM Was \$139.88 NOW \$74⁸⁸

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Cone News by Mrs. Roxie D. Travis

CONE, Jan. 20 - Mrs. R. L. Martin is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Weems Jones in Los Alamos, N.M. Jones has been ill from a heart attack.

Friday evening, Kayla Davis, in company with others from Ralls, went to Lubbock to see "Camelot." She spent the night in Ralls with Connie Collier, Mrs. C. O. Gilreath visited Mrs. Bess Walters in Crosbyton Saturday afternoon.

Jim Newkirk, who is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Clements in Pampa, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom McMillan and children. Sunday morning he was a visitor at the Baptist Church services and dinner guest of the Thurman Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hilliard, Gene Ann and Charles, Vernon, were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Barnhart.

Mrs. Howard Harris visited Mrs. Henry Dryer Tuesday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon Miss Dorothy Cox, Marjith Wideman, Jennie and Iwanda Richards, Mrs. John Tubbs, Troy, Terry and Twany visited in the Convalescent Home in Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Littlefield spent the weekend in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Ogle and Scott.

Lee Ann Bates of Ralls and Marjith Wideman spent Friday night and Saturday with Diana Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Haney Wideman, Spike, Mark, Mel and Marjith had as Sunday dinner guests, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Reese, Sharon and Hal of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hilliard, Gene Ann and Charles of Vernon and Miss Connie Couch of Ralls.

Rev. and Mrs. John Tubbs, Troy, Terry and Twany were Friday night guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Tubbs in Littlefield. His grandmother, Mrs. O. L. Wilson of Tulsa, Okla. was also a guest.

Melony Davis spent Friday night with Elisha Kimbrough in Ralls.

Mrs. Paul Ely visited her mother, Mrs. Len Johnson in Crosbyton Thursday. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Jones.

Mrs. Buddy Swinney has accepted a position in the ASCS office in Crosbyton.

Douglas Denning of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Denning Tuesday afternoon and was supper guest. Denning is Clinton's uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Swinney accompanied by Nick Burnham of Ralls and Miss Melinda Summerford of Crosbyton attended the RCA Rodeo in Amarillo Friday night. Swinney was a participant in the Rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan James, Clay Kimbrough, Alfred Clark, D. A. Barnhart and Wayne Mixon attended the funeral services of Cletus J. Crump Friday afternoon in Herford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Nance of Cope, Colo. are visiting Henry Nance and Rachel, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson.

Word has been received of the death of S. A. Todd Sunday in Arlington. He was Mrs. D. A. Pulliam's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Swinney were supper guests Tuesday night of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin Jr. and Rolland.

Monday afternoon visitors in the Clinton Denning home were Mrs. Alfred Mankins, Bruce Mankins, Kent and Scotty of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cornilus in Ralls Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dunavant, Hereford and Mrs. Peachie Parrish were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Denning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beoudon, Chuck and Danny of Lubbock were Sunday dinner guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Edwards.

Henry Nance, Elder and Mrs. Joe Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Nance of Cope, Colo. visited Mrs. Henry Nance in the Convalescent Home in Ralls Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Edwards visited Mrs. Vol Harris in Petersburg Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thomas of Littlefield visited here sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wideman Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clay Kimbrough was honored Friday morning with a surprise birthday party. Those present were Mmes. Gene Barnhart, Vada Wideman, Billy Kimbrough, W. J. Watts, Dean Verrett, Jewel Gilbreath, Millie Verett, Lollie Ritchie, Annie May Stevenson, Mary Wright, Melba Wideman, Roxie Travis, Betty Wideman and Ray Don.

Peggy Littlefield spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Littlefield.

Wendell Tooley Presents Harmony Program

The Harmony Community Club met January 16 for its regular meeting. Everett Miller, president, called the meeting to order. Glen Pool gave the invocation.

The treasurer gave his report. Bob Hopper, Elmer Dean Williams, Jimmie Hale were elected to a nomination committee to submit names for officers of the club for another year.

The president then turned the meeting to the Program Committee. Mrs. J. R. Turner introduced Wendell Tooley of Floydada, who presented slide pictures of a portion of his and Mrs. Tooley's trip around the world.

Everyone enjoyed this portion of the trip and hope at another time we can complete the tour. Thank you, Mr. Tooley, for such a fine trip.

Hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bartlett served refreshments, and the personal visits with one another were enjoyed by all.

Hosts for February meeting are Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Zant Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Davis.

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busted. It had so many subscribers and such a shortage of advertising it couldn't make ends meet. It even tried cutting 3 million subscribers off, but still it didn't work.

Another item reported that college football, breaking all attendance records at higher ticket prices, is losing money, and some coaches are arguing they ought to go back to one-plateon football, where one player plays on both offense and defense. Like it is, it takes four teams, two for offense, counting the No. 1 team and the No. 2 team to back up players who get hurt, and the same for defense. "It costs too much money for scholarships and equipment for that many men," some coaches argue. I don't know what the solution is, but those coaches ought to know that if they switch to one-plateon ball, they can't expect the boys to play double time for the same money, so the total salary bill would be the same. They might

says a little on headgears, but I doubt it since they too would be used twice as much and last only half as long.

The third item reported that the U. S. Post Office Department is getting so much business it's in worse shape than football or the Saturday Evening Post. The more business it gets, the more money it loses.

I have thought of one-plateon mailing, where it's all right to get a letter but against the law to answer it, and while this would cut down on volume all right, some soreheads would object.

I don't know what the answer is, but Congress ought to get to work on the problem as soon as it gets its salary raised and other routine business out of the way. It's bad enough to lose the Saturday Evening Post, but we can't have the Post Office shutting down too.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

FARM SALE

Saturday, Jan. 25, 1969 -- Sale Time: 1:00 p. m.

LOCATED: 8 miles South of Silverton, Texas, then 1 1/2 miles West, then 1/2 South -- or 9 miles North of South Plains, Texas, 1 1/2 West and 1/2 South.

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED BY SOUTHWEST HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

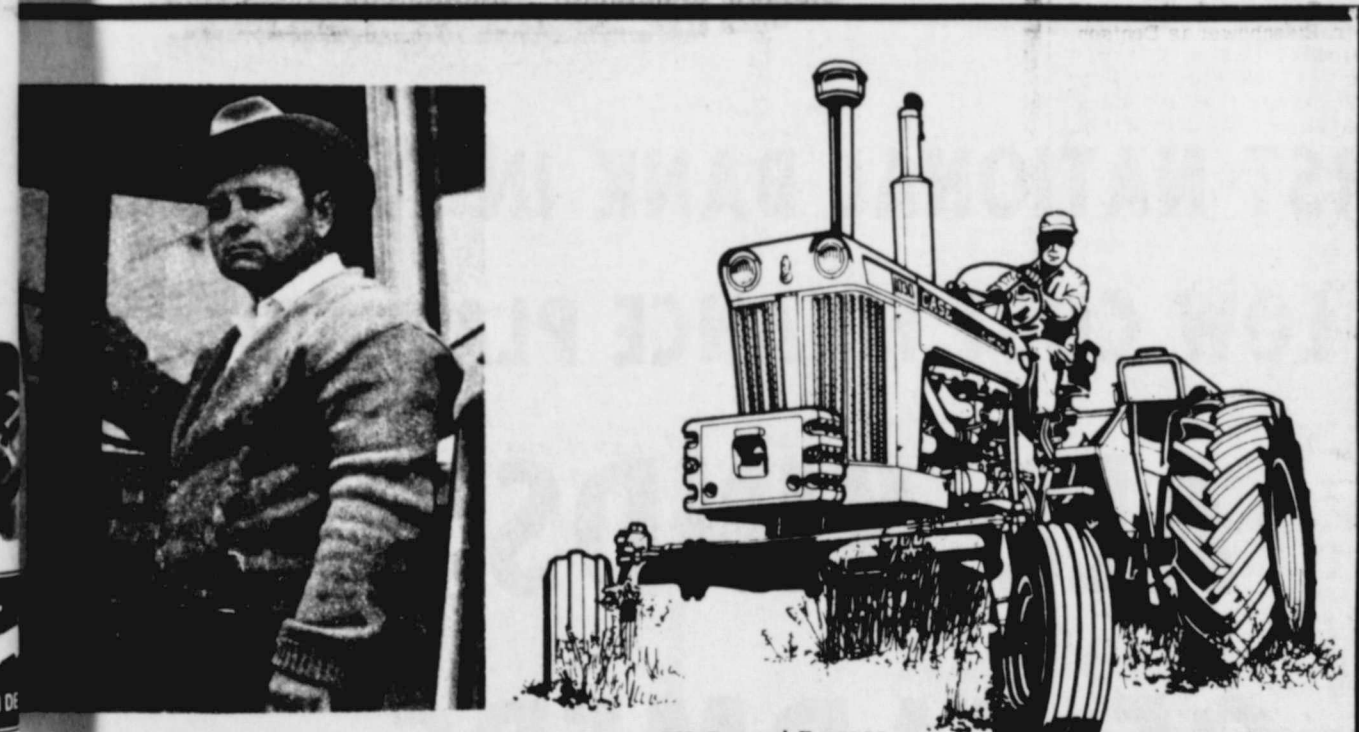
I have quit farming and will sell the following at Public Auction:

TRACTORS	TRAILERS-TANKS	MISCELLANEOUS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1-1967 J. D. 4620 Diesel, 1340 hours, real clean 1-88 Oliver with 23 A Oliver Strasser mounted 1-57 Star M-M Diesel, 108 hours since overhul 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2-Cotton Trailers 1-Trailer with 230 Gal. Propane Tank 1-500 Gal. Propane Tank 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1-18" H. Cattle Feeder, Hay-Good 1-Sears Electric Welder 1-Cutting Torch with Regulator - Good 1-Air Compressor, Electric, Portable 1-Butane Filler Hose 1-Front End Marker 2-HI-Pressure J. D. Hydraulic Cylinders 2-J. D. Comfort Covers 1-Used Refrigerator 2-12" H. Tin Hens 1-Buggy Tan 1-Tractor Cab-Oid 2-Constable Bins 1-Chicken Waterer and Troughs 1-TV Antenna 2-Tool Bars, 4 and 3 Row 2-Pair Gauge Wheels 2-Drilling Shafts 4-Tool Bar Spacers 1-Lat Tool Bar Shanks and Clamps 1-3 Point A-Frame
EQUIPMENT		COTTON SEED
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1-4 Row Rear Mount, 3 point Oliver Cultivator 1-4 Row M-H Lister Planter 1-4 Row Oliver Lister 1-1 Row I.H.C. Binder, P.T.O. Good 1-3 Bottom 14-16-18 Spinner Oliver Hayboard 1-4 Row Seed Packer, Caldwell 1-4 Row Gang Rotary Hoe 1-Rotary Hoes 1-4 Row, 3 point Double Tool Bar Rotary Scratcher 1-14" H. Tandem Disc Krause with Carrier Wheels 1-10" H. Everman Float 1-3 Point Blade Ditcher 1-5 D. Low Wheel Grapple-Diggle 14-18 1-4 Row Crossbarter 1-4 Row PTO Rod Weeder, Mounted 2-4 Row PTO Rod Weeder, long haul and short 1-Heavy Duty A-Frame, 3 point 1-4" Flat A-Frame, 3 point 1-3 Point Chain Plow, 4 Inch Flat 14" H. Frame, H. D. 1-5 Shank Shubble Mulcher, 4 Inch Flat Frame, 28 Inch Sweeps 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1-Pair Small Gauge Wheels 1-Care Motor with Radiator 1-4" Lake Pump, Berkley 1-Continental Motor 1-Buster Pump for Water System 2-Electric Fence Chargers 1-L.P.G. Stock Tank Heater 100-New Cultivator Sweeps 4" to 18" 2-Set Sockets 1-Lat Wrenches
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Terms of sale: Cash. All accounts to be settled day of sale. Note: Bring your check book.

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*Based on manufacturer's suggested retail prices, including federal excise tax and suggested dealer new car preparation charge.

Value Showdown: \$101.00 less than last year's Impala with comparable equipment.

CHEVROLET

SOUTH PLAINS NEWS by Mrs. Murray Julian

SOUTH PLAINS, January 20- It was damp and foggy here Sunday morning, but around 78 were present for Sunday School and more coming in for church.

Lisa and Jonna West, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny West, were confined to their home last week with the flu, but were able to attend school today, (Monday).

Mmes. Travis Young, Johnny West, Don Probasco, and Don Marble, and her daughter, Donnette, went to Floydada Friday night to see the Whirlwinds and Whirlwinds play basketball against the Wayland College freshman team. Both games were really exciting and close. Others from here seen there were Brother and Mrs. Bill Trice, and family, Mrs. Ruby Lee Higginbotham, and Mr. and Mrs. J.K. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis, sister of Mrs. Alvin Nichols, from Irving, spent the night here Sunday night. They had been visiting at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock with their son, Jack Davis, who is recovering from a broken vertebra.

A bridal shower honoring Miss Kaye Compton, bride-elect of Tommy Powell, will be held in the home of Mrs. L. T. Wood, Saturday, January 25, between the hours of 2:30 and 4:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Pike Hanna visited Sunday afternoon in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Derral Young and children.

Messes. and Mmes. Glen Wood, Mike Wood, Fred Marble, and Keith Marble journeyed to Clarendon Friday night to retrieve a square dancing banner Square dancing was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Marble and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glea Wood, and boys.

The Boy Scouts will get their Tenderfoot Badges Tuesday, February 11 at their regular scout meeting. The announcement was made by Glen Wood, Scout Master.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Taylor and Katie of this community had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ronald Taylor of Quitaque. The dinner was in honor of Mrs. J.P. Taylor's birthday.

Karen Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ford, was hospitalized the first of the week at Plainview with a severe case of bronchitis.

Moby Smitherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smitherman, celebrated his birthday Sunday afternoon with games of bowling at Plainview. Those enjoying the event were Matt Probasco, Kirk Young, Terry Roberts, Mike Bean, Larry

Bradford, Marc Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts and Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smitherman, and the honoree.

Claude Jarrett, the fifth and sixth grade teacher, is driving the school bus since the absence of Mrs. Edwin Pruitt.

The Boots and Slippers Square Dance Club met Saturday night in Silverton and squared to the calling of Knox Day. They had enough couples for six squares, with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts visiting. Afterwards, they had a business meeting and officers elected. They are president - Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan; vice-president - Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stewart; secretary and treasurer - Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kitchens, and hospitality chairman - Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wood. The next meeting will be the third Saturday in February, with Jack Thompson calling.

Anyone interested in taking Square Dance lessons at Lockney, please notify Shelby Calahan within the next two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Price Pritchett visited Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett. Price will be leaving this week for Houston. The Early Pritchetts will be going to Lubbock Saturday, at which time another son, Jimmy, will receive his commission for the Army. The Pritchetts visited in Aiken Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Titus. Their son, Leroy Titus, is being sent to Vietnam.

Mrs. Ruth Burnett of San Antonio, and Mrs. Lora Haines, of Abilene were overnight guests Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kendis Julian and girls. Wednesday morning Kendis took Mrs. Burnett and Mrs. Haines to Amarillo where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Jim Cannon, aunt of Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Haines and Murray Julian.

A bridal shower honoring Miss Beth Kinnibrugh, bride-elect of Britt Gregory, was given in the home of Mrs. Shelby Calahan Saturday afternoon. Gifts were received by Mrs. Calahan and presented to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Sylvia Kinnibrugh, her sister, Mrs. Tedy Horne, mother of the groom-to-be, Mrs. Howard Gregory, his grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Kemp, of Lubbock, and the groom's sister, Mrs. Rodney Bunch, of Lubbock. Other relatives who attended were Beth's grandmother, aunt and cousin, Mrs. J. R. Spivey, Mrs. W. H. Simmons, and Mrs. Ronnie Simmons, respectively, of Truscott.

The serving table was highlighted with yellow and white, Miss Kinnibrugh's chosen colors. A white net over yellow

tablecloth covered the table which was centered with a lovely arrangement of yellow roses and yellow candles set in brass candelabrum. Coffee, spiced tea, and yellow and white decorated cakes, and assorted nuts were served from white ironstone appointments to approximately forty guests during the afternoon. A set of teflon-lined cookware was presented the honoree by the hostesses, Mmes. Shelby Calahan, L. T. Wood, John Key West, Frank McClure, E. P. Pritchett, Murray Julian, Bryan Karr, Kendall Cummings, Grigsby Milton, Don Probasco, Phillip Smitherman, Garvin Boedy, Kendis Julian, Ursel Taylor, Fred Fortenberry and Mrs. Lucy Thornton.

Mrs. Don Bean is taking her last test today (Monday). She will be a graduate from Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Don Marble is flying to Austin Tuesday morning for the Governor's Inauguration and will fly back Tuesday afternoon. He will also be traveling to Hot Springs, Arkansas this weekend for the National Cotton Council to be held the 26th and 27th. Mrs. Fred Marble attended a bridal shower honoring her niece, Miss Sherri Simpson, bride-elect of Doug Carter. The shower was held in the home of Mrs. Gene Probasco in Floydada.

Mrs. Ernest Smitherman, mother of Phillip Smitherman, underwent surgery the 13th of this month and is convalescing at home at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Probasco and children went to Lubbock Wednesday for medical check-ups for the children.

Mike Marble celebrated his birthday after school Monday the 13th with a birthday party. Mrs. Marble served birthday cake, and punch to Randy Calahan, Ronnie Stewart, Maury Probasco, Steve Pritchett, John Mark Trice, Mike Reves, and the honoree.

The Hobby Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ruby Lee Higginbotham. The ladies made their new yearbooks, and also elected new officers, who are Mrs. J. P. Taylor, president; Mrs. E. P. Pritchett, secretary, and Mrs. Ruby Lee Higginbotham, treasurer. Others attending were Mmes. L. T. Wood, Fred Fortenberry, Tillman Powell, J. K. West, Horace Marble, Harold Hamon, and new officers.

Brother Bill Trice and Brother Hollis Shewmake went to Dallas Monday to the Evangelistic Conference. They also visited the Junior Calahan family while there and arrived home Thursday.

**NEWS FOR
HOMEMAKERS**
by Sherry Mullin
Floyd County H. D. Agent

TRY NONFAT DRY MILK
Because milk is so valuable for calcium, riboflavin and protein, put it at the top of your shopping list.

Look into some of these possibilities for stretching milk money if the budget is tight. Price larger containers. In some places milk sells for less in 2 quart or 1 gallon containers, than by the quart or pint.

Price different forms of milk. Plain fluid skim milk, buttermilk and canned evaporated milk are cheaper than fresh whole milk, as a rule. A still greater milk bargain is nonfat dry milk, which can be turned into reconstituted fluid skim milk.

The adult Bible study group will meet Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday nights of this week, the 27th, 28th and 29th. The study will be on Isaiah.

Johnney Calahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan, will receive his B.S. Degree from Texas Tech in Lubbock the 25th. He will then go to A&M to get his Master's Degree. He will be assisting in teaching, and hopes to be through in two years.

Mixing equal quantities of fresh whole milk and reconstituted nonfat dry milk produces a beverage that is economical, yet retains much of the fresh whole milk flavor.

Use nonfat dry milk in cooking and save on calories too. Nonfat dry milk can be used in most recipes. Here are two examples.

Keep hot cocoa mix handy for the children and parents, too. They can prepare for themselves a nutritious snack, saving on calories and money, too.

Mix together -
4 cups nonfat dry milk
1 cup sugar
1 cup cocoa
1/4 teaspoon salt

Store in tightly closed container. Makes approximately 24 servings. To serve pour scant one-fourth cup of cocoa mixture into cup and finish filling with hot water and stir until dissolved.

PEANUT BUTTERFUDGE
1 cup peanut butter
1 cup corn syrup
1 1/4 cups sifted powdered sugar
1 1/4 cups cream

Rev. Wilcox Ordained In Sandhill

Craig Wilcox, pastor of the Sandhill Baptist Church, was ordained into the ministry January 13.

Moderator of the ordination was Rev. Floyd Bradley, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Floydada.

Brother Franklin Swanner of Plainview led in the questioning of the candidate. Marvin Swanner, chairman of the Deacons of the First Baptist Church prayed the ordaining prayer.

Brother Eddie Turner, a student at Wayland Baptist College sang a solo at the ordination.

Later in the services, Brother T. J. Osborn pastor of the First Baptist Church in Hall Center preached the "charge" to the candidate and to the local church.

FLOYD DATA
Mr. and Mrs. George Spears and sons of Amarillo visited here over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Spears.

Mix thoroughly peanut butter and syrup in 2 quart bowl. Add dry milk and powdered sugar. Mix together with spoon and then with hands. Knead until glossy. Form into rolls and slice. (Makes about 2 pounds.)

Making The Drag

By Janie Wilson

Hi! As you know, each week I ask you to please send me names of people who would like to be on our basketball teams. I think the response has been good once everyone gets to the game no one yells. Why not a little and give everyone not only the support but by hearing our support. This Friday as our team Oiton for the first round let's let them hear us minute down to the last few seconds.

February 14 St. Valentine's Day is the day of St. Valentine. Each candidate will campaign for a week and speeches. Each candidate must go through the board which is composed of a selected group. We are running the best of luck.

The Future Homemakers of America are meeting. The program is to be about the candy sale. FHA will earn money to send girls to the State FHA meeting. Keep this in mind when the girls come to your school.

The Student Council would like to thank everyone who participated in the Egg Sale last Thursday. The Student Council raised \$200 for the American Field Service student.

I have some interesting news from Robert Covington. Robert informed me this week that the Dougherty softball team played Springlake Monday evening. How the game came out but I hope they won.

The drag is slow this week after everyone received cards so I leave you with this thought for the week: "The wise man guards against the future as present." Keep smiling. See you on the drag.
Janie Wilson

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A Message To Our FARMERS



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LIGHT & POWER



With the 1968 cotton crop on the High Plains for all intents and purposes "in the barn," Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. has issued its final computer compiled report on crop quality for the year.

Based on a total of 61,832 samples out of classings just under 1,470,000 bales, the PCG analysis shows an improvement in staple length that can only be described as spectacular, a significant increase in fiber strength (pressley), and a slight gain in micronaire, or fiber maturity.

Grade and color of the year's crop however, thanks to a siege of wet weather in the middle of the harvest season, was not so good as in 1967.

The report calls attention to the following points:
1. Staple length of the crop averaged 32.3 thirty-seconds of an inch with 67.7 per cent stapling an inch or longer. Average length for 1937 was only 31.6 thirty-seconds, with just over 39 per cent pulling an inch or more.

2. Pressley for the 1938 crop averaged 82,400 pounds per square inch and 90.2 per cent tested 75,000 pounds or above. The same figures, respectively, for the 1967 crop were 79,100 pounds and 67.1 per cent.

3. Micronaire readings averaged 3.4, up from last year's 3.3, with 36.4 per cent equal to or above the "tenderable limit" of 3.5. Last year's report showed 35.5 per cent in this latter category.

4. White cotton for the season accounted for 38.1 per cent of the crop with only 5.9 per cent grading Middling White and above. This compares with 40.3 per cent and 14.1 per cent, respectively, from the 1967 crop.

5. In the Light Spot class this year came 47.5 per cent of ginnings with 17.5 per cent going Middling Light Spot or above. Light Spots last year came to 46.4 per cent, and 32.5 per cent was Middling Light Spot or above.

6. The remaining 14.4 per cent of the harvest in 1968 was made up of Full Spot, Tinged, Light Gray and Gray grades, as compared to only 12.8 per cent that fell to these lower grades in 1967.

The PCG quality report, widely used and accepted by textile mills and others as the most complete and accurate analysis of each year's crop from the High Plains, cross-classes grade with staple, staple with micronaire, grade with micronaire, and micronaire

with fiber strength. It contains a chart on fiber elongation frequency and one which correlates fiber strength and elongation, information not available to spinners and buyers from any other source.

PCG receives the results from Smith-Doxey classing on one sample from each sack delivered by gins to classing offices at Lamesa, Brownfield and Lubbock. For Pressley and elongation figures PCG gets from the classing offices "pressley plugs," which are tested for strength and elongation by the Textile Research Center at Texas Tech.

Analysis of the data is accomplished through the Computer Center at Texas Tech and a printed report is sent to members of the cotton trade, textile mills, researchers, seed breeders and others.

At the end of the season a county-by-county summary, plus complete figures on acreage, production and yields, is put together and distributed to interested parties.

While on the subject of quality, PCG's Executive Vice President Donald A. Johnson has accepted an invitation to speak Sunday, January 19, to directors of the Texas Cotton Ginners Association on the producer's view of cotton classing by instrument. The TCGA Board is meeting in San Antonio January 19 and 20.

Instruments that will scientifically foretell the spinning performance of a bale of cotton have long been a goal of the industry. Dreams of such instruments go back far enough to tax the memory of almost everyone now in the cotton business.

But only in very recent years has the development of such instruments reached the stage that they are being seriously considered as a replacement for the human hand and eye in the judgement of cotton quality.

Three "lines" of such instruments measuring the various quality characteristics of cotton are in operation on the Plains this year. One, located at Plains Cotton Cooperative Association, is in its third year of operation and in enjoying considerable success.

The other two were set up this year for the first time. One is operated at Texas Tech by Quality Fiber Control, Inc., a group of independent ginners, while the third line is being operated by USDA on an experimental basis at the Lubbock cotton classing office.

So Johnson says "The time may well be just around the corner when we will have the possibility of all cotton classing done by instruments, and now is the time for us to take a hard look at the broad range of effects this could have on cotton producers." The text of Johnson's address on instrument classing will be released after the meeting.

Floydada Man Is District 13 VFW Commander

An engineering technician for the Texas Highway Department, stationed at Floydada, is the 1968-69 Commander of District 13.

Sam A. Spence, a Life Member of J. W. Harrison Post 5616 in Floydada, served in the Army from Aug. 15, 1942, to Nov. 20, 1945. Attached to the 377th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion, he had 39 months of overseas service.

His campaigns of action included Normandy, Northern France, Arnhem, Rhineland and Central Europe. He received

the American Theater Campaign Medal, EAME Campaign Medal with five bronze stars, Good Conduct Medal, and Victory Ribbon. He was discharged as a private first class.

A VFW member for 11 years, he has served in almost all the appointive and elective offices in Post 5616 including commander (1952-63), quartermaster, adjutant, and service officer. He served as district junior vice and senior vice before being elected commander.

Comrade Spence was born July 8, 1921, in Floyd County. He has 13 posts in a 17-county district.



SAM SPENCE

Baptist Men's Day Will Be Observed Here Sunday

An annual special recognition of the men in First Baptist Church will be held Sunday, January 26. Devotionals will be given in many of the departments by the men and a fifty-voice men's choir will sing at the eleven o'clock worship hour. Bob Copeland will be directing the music.

The pastor, Floyd C. Bradley, will bring a message entitled, "The Men in Leadership." Connected with the worship service, a personal testimony will be brought by one of the laymen.

This day is expected to be a great spiritual time for all who shall be present. The men extend a cordial

invitation to the entire community to share in all the services of the day. Bible Study begins at 9:45 a.m., and the morning preaching service is at 11:00 a.m.

FLOYD DATA
Mrs. A. W. Anderson underwent major surgery Friday morning in University Hospital in Lubbock. With her during the first days of recuperation were her local children and two daughters from out of town, Mrs. A. S. Watson of Abilene and Mrs. Martin Kastner Jr., of Austin. Mrs. Anderson is reported to be doing nicely and expects to be able to leave the hospital by the first of next week.

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QUARTERBACK SIGNS AUTOGRAPHS... Joe Matulich Texas Tech quarterback signs his autograph for some of the boys after speaking at the Baptist Brotherhood, Father and Son Night. (Staff Photo)

Matulich Speaks To Baptist Brotherhood

Matulich, quarterback of Texas Tech Red Raiders, spoke to the Baptist Brotherhood about the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and a night, at the First Baptist Church.

Matulich said that a chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes began on the Texas campus about five years ago and has since then increased its membership. There are 17 chapters.

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at the conference. Through the testimony of other athletes and discussions among ourselves, each person seemed to become more aware of Christ in his everyday living," Matulich said.

"We had huddle groups at the conference. In these groups we discussed our problems and tried to help each other. It helps to talk things over and sometimes you find an answer to one of your problems," he added.

The conference had its lighter side, too. There were "Dog patch Olympics." In these "Olympics" we played volleyball, baseball, football and relaxed by competing with each other.

Matulich concluded his speech by saying that "to become a good athlete it takes dedication, determination and the athlete must put himself in the hands of Jesus Christ to be successful."

Dr. Charles Craig, President of the Baptist Brotherhood, introduced Matulich to an approximate audience of 130 persons on "Father and Son Night" at the First Baptist Church.

social security contributions will be 4.8% of the first \$7,800 of a person's wages during the year. Instead of the 4.4% rate for 1968, King continued. If a person has been earning \$100 a week in 1968 and continues at the same salary in 1969, the social security deduction of \$4.40 a week in 1968 will increase to \$4.80 a week in 1969, an increase of 40 cents a week. If a person earns more than \$7,800 during the year, the contributions to the social security trust funds will stop after \$7,800 wages have been paid.

The maximum base of \$7,800 was established for 1968 and each year after to enable payment of higher benefits than was possible before. Social security benefits are based on average earnings of the worker

subject to the maximum earnings credit each year.

If any employer would like to have some leaflets explaining the increase in contribution rate to distribute to his employees, he may call the social security office at 293-4371 and ask for Leaflet No. SSI-54. A leaflet will be sent for each employee.

Starting with the first pay check most workers will receive in January 1969, an increased deduction will be noted. Maudie King, officer-in-charge of the Plainview social security office, said today.

Beginning in January the social security office will be moved to 1401-B West 5th Street or call 293-4371.

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Hunters Clean Up On Aoudad Sheep

THE FIVE-DAY AOUDAD SHEEP hunting season ended in the Duro Basin of Texas at sunset, Jan. 8, with a record of the big game animals being harvested in the canyons of the Duro Basin, Armstrong, and Briscoe counties.

On the morning of the last day of the hunt, 28 sheep had been killed, 11 of which were downed in Briscoe County. This was the 21 that were killed last year, 12 of which were taken in Briscoe County.

The largest aoudad killed thus far had been taken on the Geisler Ranch. It dressed out at 200 pounds and had horns measuring 20 1/2 inches. This sheep was smaller than the one killed by Robert E. Speagle of Garland last year, and also was smaller than one which was taken on the Cogdell Ranch in 1964, had horn measurements of 34 inches.

Y Dale Wood and Ieland Hugh Wood bagged two sheep on the Geisler Ranch. One dressed out at more than 200 pounds, and smaller horns than the aoudad with "biggest" honors. Measurements of all the hunters were not available from officials of the Parks and Wildlife Department.

Four aoudad were taken on the Geisler Ranch, and two of them were Frank Edwards of Garland and Dane Helter of Plainview. A Lockney hunter bagged an aoudad on the Geisler Ranch, and the Cogdell Ranch hands accounted for one. One was downed on the Lemons Ranch, one by Dick O'Daniel and another by a hunter from Hereford.

Two were taken on the Reynolds Ranch east of Canyon. Bob E. Speagle of Amarillo bagged an aoudad with 24-inch horn measurements, and this trophy dressed out at 194 pounds. Louis E. Speagle of Claude killed another that had 27 1/2-inch horns and weighed 204 pounds.

The weather was more pleasant for the 1969 hunting season than in 1968, when temperatures hovered near zero for the five-day season. However, the Department officials at the Briscoe County check station have had their trouble-shooting duties temporarily suspended last Tuesday after the theft of their weighing scales, according to Briscoe County Sheriff Dyrle Maples.

At the opening of the 1969 season, the aoudad population in the Duro Basin was estimated at 500 head. The herd has grown to this size because of the sheep, natives of the Barbary Coast of Africa, released in the canyons in 1960.

Permits to hunt the aoudads are issued to landowners in the Duro Basin counties, and these may be used or sold to other hunters. Eighty-five permits were issued this year, and 100 more are expected to be issued. The largest total kill of aoudad has been in Briscoe County, and the "largest horns" have been killed in Briscoe County.

Lighthouse Electric Sponsors Contest

Expense paid trips to the nation's capitol city will be awarded winners of an oratorical contest was announced this week by Melvin Henry, manager of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative.

Contest is open to any boy or girl at least 16 years of age but not 18 years of age prior to September 1, 1969. Mr. Henry said, winners will join winners of similar contests sponsored by other electric cooperatives across Texas as on the fifth annual Texas Electric Cooperative Youth Government-In-Action Youth Tour to Washington, D.C. All expenses of the 12 day trip beginning June 5, will be paid by Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Mr. Henry said.

Each entrant will be required to give a 5 to 8 minute talk on the subject "Rural Electric Cooperatives in America's Future" and answer 1 or more of 50 questions asked by the judges.

The oratorical contest will be judged on the basis of (1) knowledge of subject - 40% (2) speaking ability - 30% (3) poise - 10% (4) personality - 10% (5) appearance - 10%.

Interested young people may obtain an official entry blank from their school or the offices of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative. The deadline for submitting entries will be February 14, Mr. Henry said.

As participants in the Texas Electric Cooperative Youth Tour, local contest winners will travel by chartered bus to Washington, D.C., where they will spend four days visiting places of historical interest and seeing the nation's government in action.

On Wednesday, June 11, the Texas group will meet more than 800 students from other states for a program sponsored by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association and the Rural Electrification Administration.

The program will feature presentations by officials of these organizations and other Washington personalities and possibly the Presidential staff. The eventful day will end with a chartered cruise down the Potomac River which will include entertainment and refreshments.

Also included on the 12 day agenda will be visits to the

following: George Washington's Mount Vernon home, Arlington National Cemetery, the U.S. House and Senate, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Smithsonian Institute, the Lincoln Memorial and other places of interest.

New Device Measures Speed

VASCAR, a new scientific speed measuring device to serve as a deterrent to speeders, is being put into operation over the State of Texas, announced Major Luther Moore, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety for this Region.

VASCAR, known as the Visual Average Speed Computer and Recorder, enables the highway patrolman to determine the speed of vehicles both in front and behind him, traffic approaching from the opposite direction, and crossing his path. In other words this device can measure or determine the speeds of vehicles in any direction regardless of their position. It may be used at night or day, in clear or inclement weather.

The VASCAR device is a special electronic digital computer designed to record the distance traveled by a vehicle and the time to travel that distance and to compute the average speed of the vehicle over the recorded distance. This method of timing results in an average speed calculation. The average speed is never higher than the peak or highest speed the vehicle reaches during the measurement.

The patrolman places distance into the computer by closing an electrical switch when the patrol car reaches a predetermined point on the highway, and opens that same switch when the patrol car reaches another point farther down the road. Time is placed into the computer closing another electrical switch when the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches one of the same points,

Be still, and know that I am God.—(Psalms 46:10).

After a long weekend of holiday festivities it is good for all of us to take time to be still—to be still, and know God. We should carry with us a sense of renewal—the joy of the spirit of Christ, an awareness that Christ is reborn in us as love, life and peace.

and the switch is opened when it reaches the second point. Time may be placed into the VASCAR unit either before, during, or after the distance measurement is made. The following example illustrates one of VASCAR's many methods. When the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches a certain location or reference point on the highway, the time switch is closed; this activates the time circuitry in the computer. When the patrolman's vehicle with the VASCAR unit reaches the same location point, the patrolman closes the distance switch. This activates the distance circuitry to record the distance being measured by the patrolman's vehicle through the odometer module connected to the speedometer cable.

As the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches a second location point, the time switch is opened. The time that it has taken the suspected speeder's vehicle to travel between two points has been measured and put into the computer. When the patrolman's vehicle reaches the second location point, the distance switch is opened. Thus, the distance between the same two points has been measured and put into the computer. This completes the speed measuring procedure, and the speed is electronically computed and instantly displayed on the read-out module in miles per hour.

Major Moore stated because of the advantages and versatility of the VASCAR unit, the efficiency of the patrolman is increased, thus becoming a more effective speed deterrent.

Feedlots Boom As Americans Eat More Beef

Americans like beef in any form... T-bones, hamburger, round steak, meat loaf! Information released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service reveals that per capita beef consumption in the United States has increased from about 63 pounds in 1950 to approximately 107 pounds in 1967, a 70 per cent increase in 17 years.

Some individuals question whether the booming Texas Panhandle livestock feeding industry might overload the market. No one knows the answer. But statistics seem to indicate this may be a false assumption.

From 1959 to 1967 fed cattle marketings in Texas have increased considerably compared with many other states, notes the Extension Service.

In '67, Texas ranked fourth behind Iowa, Nebraska and California in the number of fed cattle marketed. While California fed almost one million head in '67, the state was expected to finish less than 800,000 last year. Arizona's output has changed little in the past six years, while Texas livestock production has increased rapidly during the same period.

Texas Agricultural Extension Service figures note that District IN — twenty-three counties ranging from Floyd and Hale counties northward to the Oklahoma border — had only 13 feedlots capable of handling 1,000 head of cattle in 1966. That number skyrocketed to 76 in 1968.

This same district fed 161 per cent of Texas cattle in 1960. Eight years later it was producing 46.3 per cent of the state's total. Material released by the Extension Service was compiled by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service of the Agricultural Extension Services of Western and Plains States. Cattle marketings in 26 states have increased about 10 million head in 1965 to about 21 million head in 1967, more than doubled. The marketing increase has been accompanied in rises by the U. S. population and per capita consumption.

Sheriff's Office To Get New Radio

At a special called meeting January 16 Floyd County Commissioners Court agreed unanimously in the purchasing of new radio equipment for the county sheriff's office.

The unit will consist of a base station, speaker pad, remote console and mike, remote adapter, subtron switch and a new antenna tower at the cost of \$1,652.85 installed.

At the Commissioners regular meeting January 13 they accepted a bid from Lubbock

Grader Blade Co., for an electric magnetic nail machine for \$4,250 less \$600 trade-in. They also agreed to lease from Yellowhouse Machinery a backhoe for one month for \$800.

During other business they voted unanimously for a salary increase for Barbara Edwards and agreed the fee for feeding prisoners be raised from \$125 to \$150 per day.

SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

By Ray Purcell

Q. I have Medicare and I will go to the hospital for surgery soon. Can I stay in a private room if I desire or will I have to get a semi-private room?
A. Medicare will not pay for the extra charge for a private room, but of course, you may choose to have a private room and pay for the difference yourself. The only time the extra charge for a private room is covered under Medicare is when the private room is medically necessary because of your condition.

For more information contact your social security office at 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview. If more convenient, meet with your social security representative. He is in Floydada at the courthouse on Wednesday morning, in Matador in the lobby of the First State Bank on the first and third Tuesday mornings of each month and in Abernathy in the City Hall on the second Tuesday morning of each month.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE DULY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, AND TO ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in and throughout the City of Floydada, Texas, on the 18th day of February, 1969, on the question of the adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within said city in keeping with the following ordinance adopted by the City Council of said city, as follows, to-wit:

NO. 477

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FLOYD CITY OF FLOYDADA

AN ORDINANCE ORDERING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, ON THE QUESTION OF THE ADOPTION OF A ONE PER CENT (1%) LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX WITHIN THE CITY, DESIGNATING THE DAY OF THE ELECTION AND THE POLLING PLACE; APPOINTING ELECTION OFFICIALS THEREFOR; PROVIDING THAT ALL DULY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS SHALL BE QUALIFIED TO VOTE; PRESCRIBING FORM OF BALLOT; PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF ELECTION; CONTAINING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING TO SAID ELECTION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY WHEREAS, Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 36, Page 62) authorizes the governing body of any city, town or village in Texas to call an election for the purpose of adopting a local sales and use tax within such city, town or village; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLOYDADA:

Section 1. That a special election shall be held in and throughout the City of Floydada, Texas, on the 18th day of February, 1969, at which election there shall be submitted to the resident qualified voters of said city, for their action thereon, the following propositions:

"FOR adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

"AGAINST adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

Section 2. That said election shall be held at one polling place for all qualified voters in said city and the polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be, to-wit: POLLING PLACE City Hall, 114 West Virginia Street, Floydada, Texas PRESIDING OFFICERS R. M. Baitey, PRESIDING JUDGE T. S. Brown, ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE

The Presiding Judge at such election shall appoint two clerks. Section 3. That said election shall be held in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and all duly qualified resident electors of the City of Floydada, Texas, shall be qualified to vote.

Section 4. That the ballots of said election shall conform to the requirements of Section 2, Subsection G, of said Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes and to the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended, and the language to be printed thereon shall include the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

INSTRUCTIONS: Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.

FOR adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city.

AGAINST adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city.

Section 5. That election judges and clerks are directed to comply with Article 6.06, Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended (Section 2 of House Bill 181, Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 452, Pages 1026, 1028), which provides that a square shall be placed beside each proposition in which the voter is instructed to place an "X" or other clear mark to indicate the way he wishes to vote; but which also provides that failure of a voter to mark his ballot in strict conformity with the directions on the ballot shall not invalidate the ballot, and the ballot shall be counted in the intention of the voter is clearly ascertainable, except where the law expressly prohibits the counting of the ballot. It is specifically provided that the election officers shall not refuse to count a ballot because of the voter's having marked his ballot by scratching out the statement of proposition for which he does not wish to vote.

Section 6. That notice of the election hereby ordered and called shall be given: (a) by publication on the same day of two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City of Floydada, the date of the first publication to be at least 21 days prior to the date set herein for such election; and (b) by posting of such notice at the polling place in said City of Floydada, there being only one polling place and election precinct in such city, not less than 20 days prior to the date set herein for such election. It is hereby found and determined that the Floyd County Hesperian is a newspaper of general circulation within said City.

Section 7. The importance of this ordinance and the need to call such election create an emergency and imperative public necessity that this ordinance become effective immediately, therefore, it shall be effective from and after the date of its passing.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of January, 1969.

CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS By /s/ Leonard Matsler LEONARD MATSLER, MAYOR

ATTEST: /s/ Jimmie Lou Stewart JIMMIE LOU STEWART, CITY SECRETARY (Seal)

FAIRVIEW NEWS by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

FAIRVIEW, Jan. 20 - Friday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fawver. Games of 42 were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne went to Muleshoe Sunday where they spent the day with their son, Gene Payne and children. Jerrell Cook of Amarillo visited Friday afternoon and evening and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mize and Sunday were in Amarillo Sunday where they visited at the V. A. Hospital with a friend,

H. C. Chatman. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carter and had lunch with them at their home.

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

Mrs. J. L. Day visited Tuesday with Mrs. C. H. Wise. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cannon accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart of Plainview went to Crosbyton Sunday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Elmer Norris. Mrs. Norris is a cousin of Mrs. Cannon and Jim



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SIXTH GRADE:

"A" - Lou Ann Watson, Mike Ramsey, Billy Fulton, Teresa Hasley;
"B" - Randy Fleming, Bobby McCraw, Johnnie Mae Bachus, Leslie Hall, Kim Paschal, Robert Ferguson, Becky Phillips, Dwane Martin, Linda Lipham, Craig Hambricht, Tony Richards.

FIFTH GRADE:

Stewart. Mrs. Eugene Beedy and sons of South Plains visited Sunday with Mrs. W. B. Wilson.

Mrs. C. H. Wise visited Monday with Mrs. D. J. Hatley. Guests of Mrs. Tom Jernigan Saturday afternoon were Mrs. O. C. Cummings, Mrs. Mary Stanley and Mrs. Kate Crabtree. The women played games of 42.

Mrs. Ruy Irwin spent the day Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Nelson and family. In the afternoon they visited at Caprock Hospital with Claude Payne and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore, who are patients there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whitehead visited Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mize Friday night. The couples enjoyed games of 42.

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A.F. & A.M. will hold their stated meeting the second Saturday night of each month at 7:30. Howard Drystle, W. M., Ray Gene Ferguson, Secy.

FLOYDADA IOOF Lodge No. 1007
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NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: SAMUEL ROLANDO HEMSI

GREETING: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 3rd day of March, A.D., 1969, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, at the Court House in Floydada, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 13 day of January, 1969.

The file number of said suit being No. 5551

The names of the parties in said suit are: Eva Paneth de Hemi as Plaintiff, and Samuel Rolando Hemi as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce, for custody of children born of marriage of parties, for order concerning community property and debts.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 13th day of January A.D., 1969.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 13th day of January A.D., 1969 (Seal)

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Lighthouse Electric Sponsors Contest

Expense paid trips to the nation's capitol city will be awarded winners of an oratorical contest was announced this week by Melvin Henry, manager of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative.

Contest is open to any boy or girl at least 16 years of age but not 18 years of age prior to September 1, 1969, Mr. Henry said. Winners will join winners of similar contests sponsored by other electric cooperatives across Texas on the fifth annual Texas Electric Cooperative Government-In-Action Youth Tour to Washington, D.C. All expenses of the 12 day trip beginning June 5, will be paid by Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Mr. Henry said.

Each entrant will be required to give a 5 to 8 minute talk on the subject "Rural Electric Cooperatives in America's Future" and answer 1 or more of 50 questions asked by the judges.

The oratorical contest will be judged on the basis of (1) knowledge of subject - 40% (2) speaking ability - 30% (3) poise - 10% (4) personality - 10% (5) appearance - 10%.

Interested young people may obtain an official entry blank from their school or the offices of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative. The deadline for submitting entries will be February 14, Mr. Henry said.

As participants in the Texas Electric Cooperative Youth Tour, local contest winners will travel by chartered bus to Washington, D.C., where they will spend four days visiting places of historical interest and seeing the nation's government in action.

On Wednesday, June 11, the Texas group will meet more than 800 students from other states for a program sponsored by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association and the Rural Electrification Administration.

The program will feature presentations by officials of these organizations and other Washington personalities and possibly the Presidential staff.

The eventful day will end with a chartered cruise down the Potomac River which will include entertainment and refreshments.

Also included on the 12 day agenda will be visits to the

following: George Washington's Mount Vernon home, Arlington National Cemetery, the U.S. House and Senate, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Smithsonian Institute, the Lincoln Memorial and other places of interest.

Be still, and know that I am God.—(Psalms 46:10).

After a long weekend of holiday festivities it is good for all of us to take time to be still—to be still, and know God. We should carry with us a sense of renewal—the joy of the spirit of Christ, an awareness that Christ is reborn in us as love, life and peace.

New Device Measures Speed

VASCAR, a new scientific speed measuring device is being put into operation over the State of Texas, announced Major Luther Moore, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety for this region.

VASCAR, known as the Visual Average Speed Computer and Recorder, enables the highway patrolman to determine the speed of vehicles both in front and behind him, traffic approaching from the opposite direction, and crossing his path. In other words this device can measure or determine the speeds of vehicles in any direction regardless of their position. It may be used at night or day, in clear or inclement weather.

The VASCAR device is a special electronic digital computer designed to record the distance traveled by a vehicle and the time to travel that distance and to compute the average speed of the vehicle over the recorded distance. This method of timing results in an average speed calculation. The average speed is never higher than the peak or highest speed the vehicle reaches during the measurement.

The patrolman places distance into the computer by closing an electrical switch when the patrol car reaches a predetermined point on the highway, and opens that same switch when the patrol car reaches another point farther down the road. Time is placed into the computer closing another electrical switch when the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches one of the same points,

and the switch is opened when it reaches the second point. Time may be placed into the VASCAR unit either before, during, or after the distance measurement is made. The following example illustrates one of VASCAR's many methods.

When the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches a certain location or reference point on the highway, the time switch is closed; this activates the time circuitry in the computer. When the patrolman's vehicle with the VASCAR unit reaches the same location point, the patrolman closes the distance switch. This activates the distance circuitry to record the distance being measured by the patrolman's vehicle through the odometer module connected to the speedometer cable.

As the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches a second location point, the time switch is opened. The time that it has taken the suspected speeder's vehicle to travel between two points has been measured and put into the computer.

When the patrolman's vehicle reaches the second location point, the distance switch is opened. Thus, the distance between the same two points has been measured and put into the computer. This completes the speed measuring procedure, and the speed is electronically computed and instantly displayed on the read-out module in miles per hour.

Major Moore stated because of the advantages and versatility of the VASCAR unit, the efficiency of the patrolman is increased, thus becoming a more effective speed deterrent.

Feedlots Boom As Americans Eat More Beef

Americans like beef in any form . . . T-bones, hamburger, round steak, meat loaf! Information released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service reveals that per capita beef consumption in the United States has increased from about 63 pounds in 1950 to approximately 107 pounds in 1967, a 70 per cent increase in 17 years.

Some individuals question whether the booming Texas Panhandle livestock feeding industry might overload the market. No one knows the answer. But statistics seem to indicate this may be a false assumption.

From 1959 to 1967 fed cattle marketings in Texas have increased considerably compared

with many other states, notes the Extension Service. In '67, Texas ranked fourth behind Iowa, Nebraska and California in the number of fed cattle marketed.

While California fed almost one million head in '67, the state was expected to finish less than 800,000 last year. Arizona's output has changed little in the past six years, while Texas livestock production has increased rapidly during the same period.

Texas Agricultural Extension Service figures note that District 1N — twenty-three counties ranging from Floyd and Hale counties northward to the Oklahoma border — had only 13 feedlots capable of handling 1,000 head of cattle

in 1956. That number skyrocketed to 76 in 1968.

This same district fed 141 per cent of Texas cattle in 1960. Eight years later it was producing 46.3 per cent of the state's total.

Material released by the Extension Service was compiled by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service of the Agricultural Extension Services of Western and Plains States.

Cattle marketings in 26 states have increased about 10 million head in 1955 to about 21 million head in 1967, more than doubled. The marketing increase has been accompanied in rises by the U. S. population and per capita consumption.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE DULY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, AND TO ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in and throughout the City of Floydada, Texas, on the 18th day of February, 1969, on the question of the adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within said city in keeping with the following ordinance adopted by the City Council of said city, as follows, to-wit:

NO. 477
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF FLOYD
CITY OF FLOYDADA

AN ORDINANCE ORDERING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, ON THE QUESTION OF THE ADOPTION OF A ONE PERCENT (1%) LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX WITHIN THE CITY, DESIGNATING THE DAY OF THE ELECTION AND THE POLLING PLACE; APPOINTING ELECTION OFFICIALS THEREFOR; PROVIDING THAT ALL DULY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS SHALL BE QUALIFIED TO VOTE; PRESCRIBING FORM OF BALLOT; PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF ELECTION; CONTAINING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING TO SAID ELECTION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY WHEREAS, Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 36, Page 62) authorizes the governing body of any city, town or village in Texas to call an election for the purpose of adopting a local sales and use tax within such city, town or village; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLOYDADA:

Section 1. That a special election shall be held in and throughout the City of Floydada, Texas, on the 18th day of February, 1969, at which election there shall be submitted to the resident qualified voters of said city, for their action thereon, the following propositions:

"FOR adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

"AGAINST adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

Section 2. That said election shall be held at one polling place for all qualified voters in said city and the polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be, to-wit:

POLLING PLACE
City Hall, 114 West Virginia Street, Floydada, Texas
PRESIDING OFFICERS
R. M. Battey, PRESIDING JUDGE
T. S. Brown, ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE

The Presiding Judge at such election shall appoint two clerks.

Section 3. That said election shall be held in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and all duly qualified resident electors of the City of Floydada, Texas, shall be qualified to vote.

Section 4. That the ballots of said election shall conform to the requirements of Section 2, Subsection G, of said Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes and to the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended, and the language to be printed thereon shall include the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
INSTRUCTIONS: Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.

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Section 5. That election judges and clerks are directed to comply with Article 6.06, Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended (Section 2 of House Bill 181, Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 452, Pages 1026, 1028), which provides that a square shall be placed beside each proposition in which the voter is instructed to place an "X" or other clear mark to indicate the way he wishes to vote; but which also provides that failure of a voter to mark his ballot in strict conformity with the directions on the ballot shall not invalidate the ballot, and the ballot shall be counted in the intention of the voter if clearly ascertainable, except where the law expressly prohibits the counting of the ballot. It is specifically provided that the election officers shall not refuse to count a ballot because of the voter's having marked his ballot by scratching out the statement of proposition for which he does not wish to vote.

Section 6. That notice of the election hereby ordered and called shall be given: (a) by publication on the same day of two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City of Floydada, the date of the first publication to be at least 21 days prior to the date set herein for such election; and (b) by posting of such notice at the polling place in said City of Floydada, there being only one polling place and election precinct in such city, not less than 20 days prior to the date set herein for such election. It is hereby found and determined that the Floyd County Hesperian is a newspaper of general circulation within said city.

Section 7. The importance of this ordinance and the need to call such election create an emergency and imperative public necessity that this ordinance become effective immediately, therefore, it shall be effective from and after the date of its passing.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of January, 1969.

CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS
By /s/ Leonard Matsler
LEONARD MATSLER, MAYOR

ATTEST:
/s/ Jimmie Lou Stewart
JIMMIE LOU STEWART, CITY SECRETARY
(Seal)

FAIRVIEW NEWS by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

FAIRVIEW, Jan. 20 - Friday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fawver. Games of 42 were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne went to Muleshoe Sunday where they spent the day with their son, Gene Payne and children. Jerrell Cook of Amarillo visited Friday afternoon and evening and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mize and George Mize went to Amarillo Sunday where they visited at the V. A. Hospital with a friend,

H. C. Chatman. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carter and had lunch with them at their home.

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

Mrs. J. L. Day visited Tuesday with Mrs. C. H. Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cannon accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart of Plainview went to Crosbyton Sunday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Elmer Norris. Mrs. Norris is a cousin of Mrs. Cannon and Jim

LEGAL NOTICES

CONTINGENT NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 530.081 miles of seal coat From: New Mexico State Line to Bailey Co. Li. Fr: US 62 (4th St) in Lubbock To FM 835 (34th St. in Lubbock). Fr: US 87 (Ave A) To 50th St. in Lubbock. Fr: 1st St in Tulla To Hale Co Line. Fr: Swisher C/L to Loop 445. Fr: Loop 445 S. of Plainview to S.C.L. of Hale Center. Fr: S.C.L. of Hale Center to Lubbock C/L (Southbound Lane only). Fr: Hale C/L to 0.35 Mi S. (Front Rd. only). Fr: US 87 to US 84 in Lubbock. Fr: Spur 326 to US 82 (4th St) in Lubbock. Fr: FM 835 (34th St) to 45th in Lubbock. Fr: Lynn C/L to RR Crossing in Lamesa. Fr: Cochran C/L to US 385 in Lubbock. Fr: US 385 in Levelland to Lubbock C/L. Fr: SH 113 to Loop 44 in Levelland. Fr: Lamb C/L to US 87 in Plainview. Fr: NW C/L of Floydada to E.C.L. of Floydada. Fr: SH 134 to Lamb County Line. Fr: Castro C/L to 9.0 Mi S. of Springlake. Fr: 9.0 Mi S. of Springlake to Loop 430 in Littlefield. Fr: Loop 430 in Littlefield to Hockley C.L. Fr: FM 300 in Levelland to Terry Co. Line. Fr: (Old) North C.L. of Brownfield South to Main St. Fr: Loop 44 in Levelland to FM 300. Fr: Main St. in Brownfield to Wellman. Fr: S.C.L. of Seagraves to US 180 in Seminole. Fr: US 180 in Seminole to Andrews C.L. Fr: Gaines Co Li to Bryan St. in Lamesa. Fr: New Mexico State Line to Read & Anderson Sts. in Plains. Fr: Read & Anderson Sts. in Plains to Terry C.L. Fr: US 82-82 in Brownfield to Lynn C.L. Fr: W.C.L. of Dimmitt to US 385 in Dimmitt. Fr: US 385 in Dimmitt to Swisher C.L. Fr: US 87 in Tulla to Briscoe C.L. Fr: Terry C/L to Lubbock C/L. Fr: US 89 N. of Brownfield to US 82 S. of Brownfield. Fr: NW edge of Edmondson to 3.0 Mi NW of Plainview. Fr: 4.4 Mi NW of Plainview to US 70 in Plainview. Fr: Briscoe C/L to 11.6 Mi N. of Floydada. Fr: 11.6 Mi N. of Floydada to 8th St in Floydada. Fr: Bailey C/L to 300' N. of N.C.L. of Morton. Fr: 332' S. of S.C.L. of Morton to S of Lehman at RR track. Fr: Cochran C/L to US 380. Fr: Inter. of SH 349 to Martin C.L. Fr: New Mexico State Line to SH 224 in Denver City. Fr: US 62 in Lubbock to Acuff. Fr: FM 193 S to US 82. Fr: 0.4 Mi N of US 82 to Dickens C/L. Fr: 07-62-82 NE of Lubbock to US 87 S. of Lubbock. Fr: N.C.L. of Crosbyton to US 82. Fr: US 82 in Crosbyton to 9.5 Mi S. Fr: FM 1315 in Cotton Center to FM 54. Fr: Spur 331 to US 84 SE of Lubbock. Fr: P.&S.F. RR in Whiteface to FM 301. Fr: N Jct. FM 1731 S & E to US 84 NW of Muleshoe. Fr: FM 328 in Sparenberg to Martin C/L. Fr: US 84 in Farwell, S. & W to New Mexico State Line. Fr: New Mexico State Line to FM 1731 (N.Jct). Fr: Lynn C/L S. to FM 1210 on Hwy. No. US 84. Fr: US 87, FM 835, Spur 326, SH 116, US 385, US 70, US 62, US 180, FM 40, FM 28, SH 117, SH 118, SH 207, SH 214, SH 137, SH 83, FM 1780, FM 1760, FM 26, FM 292, FM 160 & FM 2370 covered by C 52-1-19, C 53-1-47, C 53-1-48, C 53-1-48, C 67-3-32, C 67-4-19, C 67-5-21, C 67-6-25, C 67-7-47, C 67-7-48, C 67-11-10, C 68-1-25, C 68-4-17, C 130-3-9, C 130-4-17, C 130-7-11, C 145-4-17, C 145-7-17, C 227-1-12, C 227-1-13, C 227-1-13, C 227-2-18, C 227-6-9, C 227-7-23, C 227-12-4, C 228-1-28, C 228-2-18, C 228-3-19, C 294-3-15, C 297-1-4, C 297-2-9, C 297-4-10, C 302-2-11, C 302-3-17, C 303-1-5, C 380-4-7, C 439-4-11, C 439-5-11, C 453-7-6, C 453-8-9, C 461-3-7, C 461-4-10, C 451-5-4, C 494-1-8, C 583-1-6, C 644-1-13, C 651-2-7, C 651-3-4, C 783-1-20, C 806-2-12, C 806-3-10, C 890-1-8, C 933-1-11, C 967-3-7, C 1634-3-5, C 1749-1-4, C 1904-1-6, C 1904-3-2 & C 2178-2-2 in Parmer, Lubbock, Swisher, Hale, Dawson, Hockley, Floyd, Castro, Lamb, Terry, Gaines, Yoakum, Cochran, Crosby & Bailey Counties.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by law available at the office of James W. King, Resident Engineer, Lubbock, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

Sheriff's Office To Get New Radio

At a special called meeting January 16 Floyd County Commissioners Court agreed unanimously in the purchasing of new radio equipment for the county sheriff's office.

The unit will consist of a base station, speaker pad, remote console and mike, remote adapter, subter switch and a new antenna tower at the cost of \$1,652.85 installed.

At the Commissioners regular meeting January 13 they accepted a bid from Lubbock Grader Blade Co., for an electric magnetic nail machine for \$4,250 less \$600 trade-in. They also agreed to lease from Yellowhouse Machinery a backhoe for one month for \$800.

During other business they voted unanimously for a salary increase for Barbara Edwards and agreed the fee for feeding prisoners be raised from \$125 to \$150 per day.

SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

By Ray Purcell
Social Security Representative
Q. I have Medicare and I will go to the hospital for surgery soon. Can I stay in a private room if I desire or will I have to get a semi-private room?
A. Medicare will not pay for the extra charge for a private room, but of course, you may choose to have a private room and pay for the difference yourself. The only time the extra charge for a private room is covered under Medicare is when the private room is medically necessary because of your condition.

For more information contact your social security office at 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview. If more convenient, meet with your social security representative. He is in Floydada at the courthouse on Wednesday morning, in Matador in the lobby of the First State Bank on the first and third Tuesday mornings of each month and in Abilene in the City Hall on the second Tuesday morning of each month.



School Honor Rolls

R. C. Andrews Elementary

HONOR ROLL
Third Six Weeks
SIXTH GRADE:
"A" - Lou Ann Watson, Mike Ramsey, Billy Fulton, Teresa Hasley;
"B" - Randy Fleming, Bobby McCraw, Johnnie Mae Bacchus, Leslie Hall, Kim Paschal, Robert Ferguson, Becky Phillips, Dwane Martin, Linda Lipham, Craig Hambright, Tony Richards.

My Neighbors

Stewart.
Mrs. Eugene Beedy and sons of South Plains visited Sunday with Mrs. W. B. Wilson.
Mrs. C. H. Wise visited Monday with Mrs. D. J. Hatley.
Guests of Mrs. Tom Jernigan Saturday afternoon were Mrs. O. C. Cummings, Mrs. Mary Stanley and Mrs. Kate Crabtree. The women played games of 42.
Mrs. Ruey Irwin spent the day Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Nelson and family. In the afternoon they visited at Caprock Hospital with Claude Payne and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore, who are patients there.
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whitehead visited Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mize Friday night. The couples enjoyed games of 42.



Aw, he seems friendly enough, Mom - Lookit that big smile!

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BY
SAM BAR

WONDER IF SHE COVERED IN OUR BAKE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FLOYDADA Chapter No. 227
Royal Arch Masons Lodge
will hold their stated meeting
the first Tuesday following
the second Saturday night of
each month at 7:30. Troy
Gardner, H. P. Ray Gene
Garrison, Secy.

FLOYDADA Masonic Lodge No. 2
A.F. & A.M. will hold
stated meeting the second
Saturday night of each
month at 7:30. Howard Dry-
sdale, W. M., Ray Gene Ger-
son, Secy.

FLOYDADA IOOF Lodge No.
meets every Thursday
night at 8:30. J. M. Daniel,
Sible Grand, Foster Am-
aro, Secy.

Post 5616 will be meeting
the first and third Tues-
days at 8 p.m. All members
urged to be present.

Family of Mrs. Joan N.
acknowledges with
appreciation your
act of kindness and con-
solation.

wish to express sincere
for the many acts of
sympathy shown
the time of the death of
mother and grandmother.
God bless each of you.
Mrs. E. J. Kinslow
and Family

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FOR SALE - Three bedroom
home, one bath. 113 Mae
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FOR SALE - Two real nice 3
bedroom homes. Hale & Halls
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FOR SALE - Six lots, block 5,
West Lee Street in Floydada.
Phone 983-3951. 1-23c

FOR SALE - Beautiful new 3
bedroom brick home, paneled
den, two baths, plenty of
storage space. 908 Leo-
nard. Call J. K. West, 983-
3031. tfc

FOR SALE - 2 bedroom house,
fully carpeted, 1 3/4 baths,
refrigerated air, large clo-
sets, good location. Hollis
R. Bond Real Estate, 983-
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FOR SALE - Lovely new all-
brick home at 121 Mae Ave-
nue. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths,
double garage, isolated mas-
ter bedroom, extra large kit-
chen, fire place, lots of clo-
set and storage space - fully
carpeted. Fenced back yard.
Must be seen fully to be ap-
preciated. For appointment
call 983-2231. tfc

FOR SALE - Equity in nice lot
at Greenbelt Lake at Claren-
don, Texas. Ph. 983-5201 or
983-3076. tfc

FOR SALE - Close to school,
three bedroom, two bath
home. Fully carpeted, cen-
tral heating and air condi-
tioning, double car garage,
983-5178. 812 W. Jackson,
tfc

FOR SALE - 2 bedroom house,
2 baths, carpeted. Central
heating. Call Wilson G. Bond,
983-2151 or 983-3573. HOL-
LES R. BOND REAL ESTATE
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FOR SALE - Nice 2 bedroom
house, partially carpeted and
carport. Fenced in back yard
with storage house. 306 West
Ollie. Call 983-2335. tfc

FOR SALE - 3 bedroom house,
1 1/2 acres of land two miles
from town. Located on pave-
ment, good water supply. Call
Wilson G. Bond at 983-2151
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FOR SALE - by the owner.
Nice 3 bedroom home at 601
W. Grover Street, or call
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FOR SALE - Two bedroom
home, carpeted, close to high
school. Large apartment in
back. 983-3178. tfc

FOR SALE OR RENT - Nice
2 bedroom house, partially
carpeted and carport. Fenced
in back yard with storage
house. 306 West Ollie. Call
983-2335. tfc

FOR SALE - House at 811 W.
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square feet living area. Call
J. W. (Wayne) Williford, Ar-
ea Code 214, Ph. 569-3238,
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Broad, Mineola, Texas
75773. tfc

FOR SALE - 2 bedroom house,
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Jones, 983-3946. tfc

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FOR RENT - 2 bedroom house,
unfurnished, on West Lee
Street, Call 983-3369. tfc

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house, plumbed for washer.
PH. 983-3227. tfc

FOR RENT - Two bedroom un-
furnished house. Hale & Halls
Ins. and Real Estate, 983-
3261. tfc

FOR RENT - 2 bedroom house,
carpeted, near Andrews
Ward School, 613 W. Grover.
Call 983-3423 or 983-2260.
tfc

HOUSES FOR RENT - Call or
see H. G. Barber, 983-2500.
tfc

FOR RENT - Furnished apart-
ment, suitable for couple or
with small child. 617 W. Mis-
souri, 983-3423 or 983-2260.
tfc

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birds. Lots of quail. Near
Jayton. Call G. H. Hogard,
Central 7-2390. tfc

FOR SALE - Irrigated 160
Acres, 8 miles east of Floy-
dada. Write or call Welch,
Tex. Box 107, Area Code
915, 489-3592. tfc

FOR SALE - 160 acres irrigat-
ed land near South Plains.
Contact H. E. Bradshaw,
Route 2, Claude, Texas 79019
tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER - 1/2
Section of will divide - 22.5
acres, 27.4 wheat, 174 feed
grains, 1.1 mile southwest
Floydada on State Hwy. 17.
Low down payment. Howard
Gregory, 983-2915. tfc

320 ACRE Level land with 8"
water in Colorado priced for
quick sale \$150.00. W. Kin-
Reese, Plainview, Tex. 983-
3011. tfc

FOR SALE - 640 Acres, all in
cultivation. Call Lubbock
SH 4-5984. tfc

FOR SALE - 240 acre farm
2 1/2 miles north and four east of
Floydada. \$200 per acre. Ed-
H. Tackett, 983-2193. tfc

FOR SALE - 640 Acre farm
18 miles N.E. Tulla. Good
allotment. Good payments.
Fair water, 6 wells. Take
trade for 1/4 or 1/2 in Floy-
dada - Petersburg area. Guy
Ginn, 983-2593. tfc

LAND FOR LEASE - 199 acres
one 6 inch well, good houses.
Located two miles west and
two miles south of McGov-
ers. Contact Herman C. Argo,
5001 Parrish Road, Fort
Worth, Texas 76117. tfc

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You are commanded to appear by
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PLANNING TALENT SHOW... Johnny Farris, Kim Kimble, Tommy Farris, and Kelly Smitherman discuss plans for the upcoming March of Dimes Talent Show.

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Lighthouse Electric Sponsors Contest

Expense paid trips to the nation's capitol city will be awarded winners of an oratorical contest was announced this week by Melvin Henry, manager of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative.

Contest is open to any boy or girl at least 16 years of age but not 18 years of age prior to September 1, 1969, Mr. Henry said. Winners will join winners of similar contests sponsored by other electric cooperatives across Texas as on the fifth annual Texas Electric Cooperative Government-In-Action Youth Tour to Washington, D.C. All expenses of the 12 day trip beginning June 5, will be paid by Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Mr. Henry said.

Each entrant will be required to give a 3 to 5 minute talk on the subject "Rural Electric Cooperatives in America's Future" and answer 1 or more of 50 questions asked by the judges.

The oratorical contest will be judged on the basis of (1) knowledge of subject - 40% (2) speaking ability - 30% (3) poise - 10% (4) personality - 10% (5) appearance - 10%.

Interested young people may obtain an official entry blank from their school or the offices of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative. The deadline for submitting entries will be February 14, Mr. Henry said.

As participants in the Texas Electric Cooperative Youth Tour, local contest winners will travel by chartered bus to Washington, D.C., where they will spend four days visiting places of historical interest and seeing the nation's government in action.

On Wednesday, June 11, the Texas group will meet more than 800 students from other states for a program sponsored by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association and the Rural Electrification Administration.

The program will feature presentations by officials of these organizations and other Washington personalities and possibly the Presidential staff.

The eventful day will end with a chartered cruise down the Potomac River which will include entertainment and refreshments.

Also included on the 12 day agenda will be visits to the

following: George Washington's Mount Vernon home, Arlington National Cemetery, the U.S. House and Senate, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Smithsonian Institute, the Lincoln Memorial and other places of interest.

Be still, and know that I am God.—(Psalms 46:10).

After a long weekend of holiday festivities it is good for all of us to take time to be still—to be still, and know God. We should carry with us a sense of renewal—the joy of the spirit of Christ, an awareness that Christ is reborn in us as love, life and peace.

New Device Measures Speed

VASCAR, a new scientific speed measuring device to serve as a deterrent to speeders, is being put into operation over the State of Texas, announced Major Luther Moore, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety for this region.

VASCAR, known as the Visual Average Speed Computer and Recorder, enables the highway patrolmen to determine the speed of vehicles both in front and behind him, traffic approaching from the opposite direction, and crossing his path. In other words this device can measure or determine the speeds of vehicles in any direction regardless of their position. It may be used at night or day, in clear or inclement weather.

The VASCAR device is a special electronic digital computer designed to record the distance traveled by a vehicle and the time to travel that distance and to compute the average speed of the vehicle over the recorded distance. This method of timing results in an average speed calculation. The average speed is never higher than the peak or highest speed the vehicle reaches during the measurement.

The patrolman places distance into the computer by closing an electrical switch when the patrol car reaches a predetermined point on the highway, and opens that same switch when the patrol car reaches another point farther down the road. Time is placed into the computer closing another electrical switch when the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches one of the same points,

and the switch is opened when it reaches the second point. Time may be placed into the VASCAR unit either before, during, or after the distance measurement is made. The following example illustrates one of VASCAR's many methods.

When the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches a certain location or reference point on the highway, the time switch is closed; this activates the time circuitry in the computer. When the patrolman's vehicle with the VASCAR unit reaches the same location point, the patrolman closes the distance switch. This activates the distance circuitry to record the distance being measured by the patrolman's vehicle through the odometer module connected to the speedometer cable.

As the suspected speeder's vehicle reaches a second location point, the time switch is opened. The time that it has taken the suspected speeder's vehicle to travel between two points has been measured and put into the computer.

When the patrolman's vehicle reaches the second location point, the distance switch is opened. Thus, the distance between the same two points has been measured and put into the computer. This completes the speed measuring procedure, and the speed is electronically computed and instantly displayed on the read-out module in miles per hour.

Major Moore stated because of the advantages and versatility of the VASCAR unit, the efficiency of the patrolman is increased, thus becoming a more effective speed deterrent.

Feedlots Boom As Americans Eat More Beef

Americans like beef in any form . . . T-bones, hamburger, round steak, meat loaf! Information released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service reveals that per capita beef consumption in the United States has increased from about 63 pounds in 1950 to approximately 107 pounds in 1967, a 70 per cent increase in 17 years.

Some individuals question whether the booming Texas Panhandle livestock feeding industry might overlead the market. No one knows the answer. But statistics seem to indicate this may be a false assumption.

From 1959 to 1967 fed cattle marketings in Texas have increased considerably com-

pared with many other states, notes the Extension Service. In '67, Texas ranked fourth behind Iowa, Nebraska and California in the number of fed cattle marketed.

While California fed almost one million head in '67, the state was expected to finish less than 800,000 last year. Arizona's output has changed little in the past six years, while Texas livestock production has increased rapidly during the same period.

Texas Agricultural Extension Service figures note that District 1N — twenty-three counties ranging from Floyd and Hale counties northward to the Oklahoma border — had only 13 feedlots capable of handling 1,000 head of cattle

in 1956. That number skyrocketed to 76 in 1968.

This same district fed 161 per cent of Texas cattle in 1960. Eight years later it was producing 46.3 per cent of the state's total.

Material released by the Extension Service was compiled by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service of the Agricultural Extension Services of Western and Plains States.

Cattle marketings in 26 states have increased about 10 million head in 1965 to about 21 million head in 1967, more than doubled. The marketing increase has been accompanied in rises by the U. S. population and per capita consumption.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE DULY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, AND TO ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in and throughout the City of Floydada, Texas, on the 18th day of February, 1969, on the question of the adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within said city in keeping with the following ordinance adopted by the City Council of said city, as follows, to-wit:

NO. 477
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF FLOYD
CITY OF FLOYDADA

AN ORDINANCE ORDERING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, ON THE QUESTION OF THE ADOPTION OF A ONE PERCENT (1%) LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX WITHIN THE CITY, DESIGNATING THE DAY OF THE ELECTION AND THE POLLING PLACE; APPOINTING ELECTION OFFICIALS THEREFOR; PROVIDING THAT ALL DULY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS SHALL BE QUALIFIED TO VOTE; PRESCRIBING FORM OF BALLOT; PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF ELECTION; CONTAINING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING TO SAID ELECTION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY WHEREAS, Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 36, Page 62) authorizes the governing body of any city, town or village in Texas to call an election for the purpose of adopting a local sales and use tax within such city, town or village; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLOYDADA:

Section 1. That a special election shall be held in and throughout the City of Floydada, Texas, on the 18th day of February, 1969, at which election there shall be submitted to the resident qualified voters of said city, for their action thereon, the following propositions:

"FOR adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

"AGAINST adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

Section 2. That said election shall be held at one polling place for all qualified voters in said city and the polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be, to-wit:

POLLING PLACE
City Hall, 114 West Virginia Street, Floydada, Texas
PRESIDING OFFICERS
R. M. Battey, PRESIDING JUDGE
T. S. Brown, ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE

The Presiding Judge at such election shall appoint two clerks.
Section 3. That said election shall be held in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and all duly qualified resident electors of the City of Floydada, Texas, shall be qualified to vote.

Section 4. That the ballots of said election shall conform to the requirements of Section 2, Subsection G, of said Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes and to the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended, and the language to be printed thereon shall include the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
INSTRUCTIONS: Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.

FOR adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city.

AGAINST adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city.

Section 5. That election judges and clerks are directed to comply with Article 6.06, Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended (Section 2 of House Bill 181, Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 452, Pages 1026, 1028), which provides that a square shall be placed beside each proposition in which the voter is instructed to place an "X" or other clear mark to indicate the way he wishes to vote; but which also provides that failure of a voter to mark his ballot in strict conformity with the directions on the ballot shall not invalidate the ballot, and the ballot shall be counted in the intention of the voter is clearly ascertainable, except where the law expressly prohibits the counting of the ballot. It is specifically provided that the election officers shall not refuse to count a ballot because of the voter's having marked his ballot by scratching out the statement of proposition for which he does not wish to vote.

Section 6. That notice of the election hereby ordered and called shall be given: (a) by publication on the same day of two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City of Floydada, the date of the first publication to be at least 21 days prior to the date set herein for such election; and (b) by posting of such notice at the polling place in said City of Floydada, there being only one polling place and election precinct in such city, not less than 20 days prior to the date set herein for such election. It is hereby found and determined that the Floyd County Hesperian is a newspaper of general circulation within said City.

Section 7. The importance of this ordinance and the need to call such election create an emergency and imperative public necessity that this ordinance become effective immediately, therefore, it shall be effective from and after the date of its passing.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of January, 1969.

CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS
By /s/ Leonard Matsler
LEONARD MATSLER, MAYOR

ATTEST:
/s/ Jimmie Lou Stewart
JIMMIE LOU STEWART, CITY SECRETARY
(Seal)

FAIRVIEW NEWS by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

FAIRVIEW, Jan. 20 - Friday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fawver. Games of 42 were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne went to Muleshoe Sunday where they spent the day with their son, Gene Payne and children. Jerrell Cook of Amarillo visited Friday afternoon and evening and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mize and George Mize went to Amarillo Sunday where they visited at the V. A. Hospital with a friend,

H. C. Chatman. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carter and had lunch with them at their home.

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

Mrs. J. L. Day visited Tuesday with Mrs. C. H. Wise. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cannon accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart of Plainview went to Crosbyton Sunday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Elmer Norris. Mrs. Norris is a cousin of Mrs. Cannon and Jim

Sheriff's Office To Get New Radio

At a special called meeting January 16 Floyd County Commissioners Court agreed unanimously in the purchasing of new radio equipment for the county sheriff's office.

The unit will consist of a base station, speaker pad, remote console and mike, remote adapter, subter switch and a new antenna tower at the cost of \$1,652.85 installed.

At the Commissioners regular meeting January 13 they accepted a bid from Lubbock Grader Blade Co., for an electric magnetic nail machine for \$4,250 less \$600 trade-in. They also agreed to lease from Yellowhouse Machinery a backhoe for one month for \$800.

During other business they voted unanimously for a salary increase for Barbara Edwards and agreed the fee for feeding prisoners be raised from \$125 to \$150 per day.



School Honor Rolls

R. C. Andrews Elementary

HONOR ROLL

Third Six Weeks

SIXTH GRADE:

"A" - Lou Ann Watson, Mike Ramsey, Billy Fulton, Teresa Hasley;

"B" - Randy Fleming, Bobby McCraw, Johnnie Mae Baehus, Leslie Hall, Kim Paschal, Robert Ferguson, Becky Phillips, Dwane Martin, Linda Lipham, Craig Hambright, Tony Richards.

FIFTH GRADE:

Stewart.

Mrs. Eugene Beedy and sons of South Plains visited Sunday with Mrs. W. B. Wilson.

Mrs. C. H. Wise visited Monday with Mrs. D. J. Hatley.

Guests of Mrs. Tom Jernigan Saturday afternoon were Mrs. O. C. Cummings, Mrs. Mary Stanley and Mrs. Kate Crabtree. The women played games of 42.

Mrs. Ruey Irwin spent the day Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Nelson and family. In the afternoon they visited at Caprock Hospital with Claude Payne and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore, who are patients there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whitehead visited Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mize Friday night. The couples enjoyed games of 42.

My Neighbors

"A" - Elizabeth Farris; "B" - Royce Chadwick, Gordon Bond, Greg Goen, Steve Lackey, Revis Chandler, La-Trace Wira, Van Miller, Billie Christian, Becky Green; Kristi Kirk, Susie Towler, Curtis Smalley, Jimmie Kaye Sales, Christy Springer, Dianna Ar endoudo, Janet Duvak, and Lydia Vergara.



"Aw, he seems friendly enough, Mom - Lookit that big smile!"

SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

By Ray Purcell
Social Security Representative
G. I have Medicare and I will go to the hospital for surgery soon. Can I stay in a private room if I desire or will I have to get a semi-private room?

A. Medicare will not pay for the extra charge for a private room, but of course, you may choose to have a private room and pay for the difference yourself. The only time the extra charge for a private room is covered under Medicare is when the private room is medically necessary because of your condition.

For more information contact your social security office at 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview. If more convenient, meet with your social security representative. He is in Floydada at the courthouse on Wednesday morning, in Matador in the lobby of the First State Bank on the first and third Tuesday mornings of each month and in Abilene in the City Hall on the second Tuesday morning of each month.

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FLOYDADA Masonic Lodge No. 222 A.F. & A.M. will hold their stated meeting on the first Tuesday following the second Saturday night of each month at 7:30. Howard Drayton, W. M., Ray Gene Ferguson, Secy. tfe

FLOYDADA IOOF Lodge No. 159 meets every Thursday night at 8:30. J. M. Daniel, W. M., Foster Amern, Secy. tfe



Post #616 will be meeting on the first and third Tuesdays at 8 p.m. All members are urged to be present. tfe

WORDS OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Joan N. ... acknowledges with grateful appreciation your act of kindness and consolation. 1-23p

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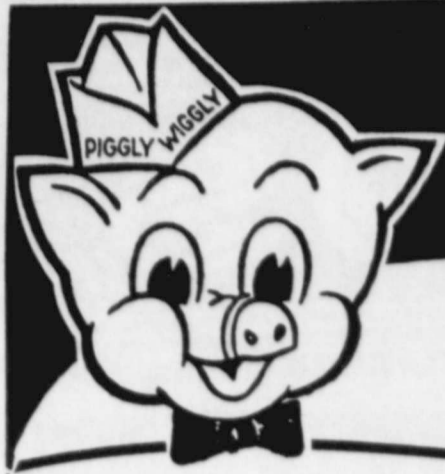
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NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: SAMUEL ROLANDO HEMSI
GREETING:
You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 3rd day of March, A.D., 1969, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, at the Court House in Floydada, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 13 day of January, 1969.
The file number of said suit being No. 5551
The names of the parties in said suit are: Eva Paneth da Hensi as Plaintiff, and Samuel Rolando Hensi as Defendant.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce, for custody of children born of marriage of parties, for order concerning community property and debts.
If this Citation is not served within 90 days after its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
Issued this 13th day of January A.D., 1969.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada Texas, this 13th day of January A.D., 1969
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/s/ Mary L. McParson, Clerk District Court Floyd County, Texas Deputy (2-6-69)

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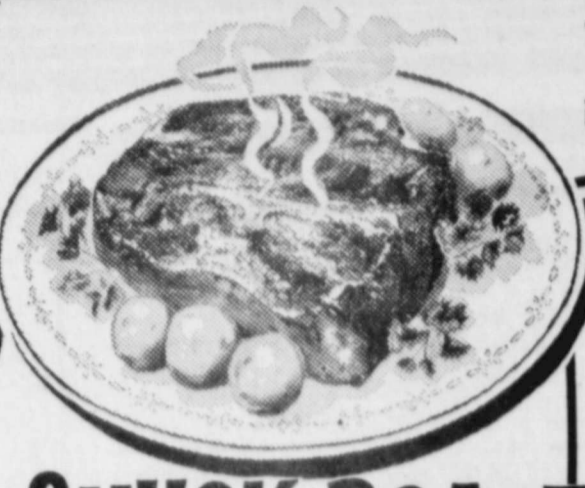
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