

# The Floyd County Hesperian



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## Annual Fat Stock Show Begins Monday



EXCITING CHORUS LINE at the Kooky Kapers will feature seven members of the Lion's Club. Three pictured at rehearsal Tuesday (left to right) are R.L. Giesecke, Bob Alldredge and Jim Word. Sweetheart Beverly Johnson is at the piano. (Staff Photo)

### 359 Animals Signed In For Show

The 28th annual Floyd County Junior Fat Stock Show starts here next Monday (February 21) and continues through Wednesday.

Some 359 animals are entered in this year's show, including 170 swine, 60 steers and 125 lambs.

The Floyd County show is jointly sponsored by the Junior Fat Stock Show Association, the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, the vocational agricultural departments of county schools, and the County Extension Service.

**WEIGHING, SIFTING MONDAY**

The show barn will open at 7 a.m. Monday, and weighing is scheduled to begin at that time.

All animals must be in place by 10 a.m., when weighing, classifying, tagging and tooth-ing of lambs will begin. Sifting starts at 1 p.m.

**JUDGING TUESDAY**

Judging of swine starts the action Tuesday at 9 a.m. Lamb

judging starts at 1 p.m., and steer judging gets underway at 3 p.m.

**AUCTION SALE**

The auction sale starts at 1 p.m. Wednesday. At 7 a.m. Wednesday, there will be livestock judging, open to any student who is regularly enrolled in any Floyd County School. The livestock judging will be held in the show ring.

**BANQUET THURSDAY NIGHT**

Thursday at 7 p.m., a banquet for all 4-H and FFA exhibitors and their parents will be held at the Duncan Elementary School Cafeteria here.

The banquet sponsors are: Farm Bureau, Plainview Production Credit, Lockney Feed Yard, Lockney Coop Elevator, Sterley Coop Elevator, South Plains Coop Elevator, Consumers Fuel Association, Lockney, Producers Coop Elevators, Floydada and Dougherty, Farmers Coop Gins, Floyd County Coop Gins, Consumers Fuel, Floydada, and Lighthouse Electric.

**SHOW OFFICIALS**

Officials for the annual show include L. N. Johnson, president; Joe Wheeler, vice president; Alton Higginbotham, secretary-treasurer; Jerry Williams, general superintendent; Richard C. Crow, show manager; Homer Jones, assistant show manager; and Jack Johnson, announcer.

The swine superintendent is Weldon Pruitt. Assistant superintendents are E. D. Morgan, Randy Bertrand and Franklin Harris. Junior assistants will be Ricky Gross, John Cagle and Steve Holmes.

Kenneth Brosech will serve as lamb superintendent, assisted by Vernie Moore; Sam Fortenberry, Preston Martin and Craig DuBois will be the junior lamb assistants.

The steer superintendent for the show will be Button Beedy; he will be assisted by Jack Yeary and junior assistants



ALTON HIGGINBOTHAM

### Alton Higginbotham New Lighthouse Manager

According to an announcement made late Tuesday night by Herman King, president of the Lighthouse Electric Co-operative board, Alton Higginbotham has been named manager of the local industry.

Higginbotham has served the past nine years as Power Use Adviser for Lighthouse and succeeds Melvin Henry who announced his retirement some months ago.

Higginbotham is president of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, a past president of Rotary, has worked in the Floyd County Fair and Fat Stock Show organizations, also Girl Scouts and many other civic endeavors.

He is a native of Floyd

County, attended grade school at South Plains, graduated from Floydada High School. He then graduated from West Texas State University with an agriculture education degree. He also studied another year at Texas Tech in agriculture education.

A few months before coming to Lighthouse he was employed with the Spur headquarters ranch.

Higginbotham is married to the former Sue McClung of Floydada. They have three children: Kelly 9, Bryant 9 and Lori 2. The Higginbothams belong to the First Baptist Church and he teaches a Sunday School class.

### City Council Lets Paving

The Floydada City Council let contract for paving at its regular monthly meeting here Monday night. Two blocks on Jeffie and one block on Hallie streets were bid at \$15,890 (includes curb and gutter). Several blocks were contracted for seal coating jobs throughout the city at a cost of \$14,440.

Contractor is High Plains Paver of Plainview and the job is expected to be completed by May.

The council called the election for councilmen on Saturday, April 1 with the terms of three councilmen up: Wayne Russell, Johnny Bill Sue and Ricky Burns. Frank Goen is the only person to date to file for election to the council.

The council approved speed zones for Price and 12th Streets and when signs are posted The Hesperian will so inform the public.

The following items on the agenda were discussed, but no action taken:

Sewer and sanitation service for the Spence and Caprock additions.

Garbage pickup for residences that have no alley access.

Providing sewer service for two residences in Block 9.

Present at the meeting were all councilmen except Wayne Russell, mayor Jimmy Seay and city engineer Bill McMorris.

### This Week Is Farm Bureau Week

The week of February 14-18 has been designated "Farm Bureau Week" in Floyd County by County Judge J. K. Holmes.

During this period the Floyd County Farm Bureau will have a special membership enrollment drive as a part of a statewide effort to exceed last year's total of 127,402 member families. Floyd County ended its 1971 year with 689 members.

Boyce Mosley of Lockney, is president of the local county Farm Bureau. Membership Chairman is Albert Scheele of

Lockney. The county president said farmers and ranchers need an organization more than ever before.

"We producers need a stronger organization to help solve problems in marketing, agricultural public relations, taxation, as well as other matters affecting our net incomes," President Mosley said.

The text of the proclamation issued by Judge Holmes reads: "Agriculture is vital to the

## Stage Curtain To Rise On Kooky Paper Variety Show Friday Night

The curtains will rise Friday night at the school auditorium at 8:02 p.m. The unfolding entertainment will last more than two hours, featuring "Kooky Kapers," sponsored by the Floydada Band Boosters. It is to be one of the great presentations of the year in the Floyd County area.

The show will be a masquerade. On the program will be Old Masters of a Plainview group; a line act; square dance; and a performance by Tomlin, played

by John Willson; Phyllis Diller, played by Frances Puckett; Terry Westbrook and his mom; chorus line consisting of local men; The Kountry Kids, five youngsters between the ages of 10 and 12 years; The Womanless Wedding; Stage Band presentation; drama acts, singing, and other musical numbers.

Another feature of the two shows will be held during intermission, the giving away of some 100 gifts. This event will take place both nights and a person may win more than one

gift.

Tickets for the show may be purchased in advance at \$1 each for adults and 75¢ for students. At the door adult tickets will be \$1.25.

Some 100 gifts, given by 61 Floydada merchants, will be given away during intermission and the Cracker Jack sales Friday and Saturday nights of Kooky Kapers. Slips of paper, bearing a number, may be found in the top portion of a Cracker Jack box. This number will entitle that person to a gift of the matching number on stage. All items will be given away, so check your Cracker Jack box closely.

A door prize will also be given each night in a ticket drawing so save your ticket stubs. Two beautiful make-up mirrors, one given by Bishop Appliance and one by White's Auto will be given in the drawing.

Gifts to be given away during the Cracker Jack sales and the names of donors are as follows:

Bishop-Ramsey Pharmacy, two Japanese hanging planters; Mildred's Cafe, two free lunches; Beall's Dept. Store, a pair of men's and a pair of boys pajamas; Perry Bros., thermos bottle; Collins Implement, John Deere toy mower and tractor; Krause Plow Supply, Hutchinson, Kan., man's bill cap; Martin and Co. Implement, International toy pick-up; Hull & McBrien, bottle of shampoo;

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### Faculty All-Stars vs. "Senior Owners" In Basketball Game

A basketball game set here tonight (Thursday, Feb. 17) pits the Floydada "Faculty All-Stars" against the FHS "Senior Owners."

This series started four days ago, the Faculty is undefeated. "Figure out where this is the Seniors," Faculty L. G. Wilson said.

Come on out and see the take care of the ama- track coach continued, perhaps justified opti-

mism. The halftime will feature next year's football Whirlwinds demonstrating their off-season program. This part of the program should also be enjoyed by the crowd.

For a night of entertainment, come on out - everyone is invited to Graves Gym in Floydada. Admission charges are \$1 for adults and 50¢ for students. Proceeds go to help pay the Whirlwind track team's expenses.

### Buddy's Food Expands Building

According to a report from Forrest Shannon, manager of Buddy's Food Store here, construction has begun on expanding the size of the building another 2,000 feet.

The steel building will be extended to the south and the meat department will be moved into the new area. Troy Carter of Plainview is building contractor.

It is expected that the construction will take around 30 days.

Shannon said the added store space will enable the business to expand many departments.

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### Caprock Chat

OKS LIKE our new museum will be big enough to hold some stage coaches, Model T's. . . what have you?

LIVED IN SPOKANE, WASHINGTON for two winters and I got so tired of cold, snowy weather. This is one reason I rather live here. Floyd County weather gets mighty cold, but I got the warm-ups in between coldfronts. Good example; beautiful warm days of Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

THINK IT IS NOTEWORTHY that district highway engineer Crain hasn't missed a Floydada Chamber banquet since I think he really enjoys our banquets and I would agree our banquets are better than most. We have good speakers, don't hold the crowd there a long time for items of business, and every citizen and family in town. . . etc. Have gone to other banquets that lasted from 7 until 11:30, and that's just what I could enjoy.

IS noteworthy that guests from 53 area towns attended our banquet.

OR POSTERITY'S SAKE" . . . we are going to report week's 21.9 cent gas war. However, at press time we read a report that the war would be over by the time we could see the street. The lowest price I noticed yesterday was 30.9 per gallon.

THE MALCOLM MCNEELLS were way down in Old Mexico, on the west coast I think, when they discovered another lady couple. . . the Henry Barbers. Although the Barbers live here any more, we still claim them. . . and as much as they spend in their travel trailer, home is where the

BY WENDELL TOOLEY

### W.R. (Danny) Daniel Jr. Announces For Precinct 1

The Hesperian has been authorized to announce the candidacy of W. R. (Danny) Daniel, Jr. for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct 1 in the May 6 Democratic Primary.

Daniel made this statement in announcing his intention to seek the Commissioner's post: "I was born, reared and schooled in Floydada. My wife and I live in the McCoy community, where I am engaged in farming with my father.

"I believe there is room in any occupation for young citizens and older ones. For an excellent example, the school system hires young qualified men and women without experience as well as hiring and rehiring older and experienced ones. The school system sees fit to retire teachers when they reach a certain age, with respect and appreciation for a job well done.

"I want the chance to use my 'youth and vitality' by serving the people of Precinct 1 and Floyd County.

"I am qualified for this office, and I can and will do the job to the best of my ability if elected.

"I want your friendship, your trust, your influence, and YOUR vote."

### Commissioners Agree To Pay Lockney \$1,500

Commissioners Court met Monday in regular session and agreed to pay to the City of Lockney, the sum of \$1,500 to be applied on the garbage disposal. The same amount was agreed upon for the City of Floydada in last month's commissioners meeting.

In other business the motion

### Courtroom Drama To Be Presented Next Week

"The Night of January 16th" is the title of the play which will be presented next Thursday and Friday (February 24 and 25) by the Floydada High School Drama Department.

The scene of the play is a courtroom, and a trial jury



DATE	H	L	PREC.
Feb. 10	54	18	
Feb. 11	27	21	.09
Feb. 12	47	23	.02
Feb. 13	65	23	
Feb. 14	66	26	
Feb. 15	70	24	
Feb. 16	47	23	
Total Prec. for Week			.11
Total Prec. for Feb.			.13
Total Prec. for Year			.18



FARM BUREAU WEEK PROCLAMATION . . . is signed by County Judge J.K. Holmes as Farm Bureau Queen Sara Ball and FB President Boyce Mosley look on. (Staff Photo)



"THE NIGHT OF JANUARY 16TH" cast members . . . (left to right) George Johnston, Ray Foster, Nancy Winter, Brian Vickers, Larry Guffee, Beth Guest and Margwyne Giles. The FHS Drama Department will present the play next Thursday and Friday. (Staff Photo)



**SOUTH PLAINS NEWS by Mrs. Murray Julian**

**PLAINS, Feb. 14** - Mrs. Melvin Myers made a recent trip to Borger to visit Mrs. Clabe Lowe for some genealogical information.

Jim Roberts entered the hospital at Groom Monday, Feb. 7, where he underwent surgery Tuesday. He was able to return home Thursday.

The flu is still in our vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry, Tom Cherry, Fred Marble, Letha Mulder, and David Bradshaw are among recent cases. The Buck Ford family, the Don Probasco family, the Travis Young family have recovered from it. Mrs. E. P. Pritchett is recovering slowly.

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We welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Byrd and two sons, Gary and Larry. They are living at the Don Probasco farm. Gary is working for Parks Oil, and Larry has been working for Travis Young.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Bethel have moved from South Plains to their farm near Cedar Hill. The Eldon Fortenberrys formerly lived there.

David Bradshaw is living on the Arby Mulder place and working for Sanders Pump Co.

A good crowd was in attendance for the 42 party given by the PTA Friday night. Drinks and cookies were furnished by the PTA. The cafeteria and serving table were decorated in a Valentine motif.

Seventy-one were in attendance for Sunday School at the Baptist Church, with several others coming in for church. Among the visitors were Mr. and Mrs. James Norrell from Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sales of Post, parents of Mrs. Troy Cartmill; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McGehee and children, Heath and Michelle, also of Post; and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sales and children, Todd, Shawn, and Monica of Brownfield. Ron Sales is a brother and Mrs. McGehee is a sister of Mrs. Cartmill. Also visiting were the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry.

South Plains residents awakened to about an inch of snow Friday morning. By noon most of it had melted away.

A church business meeting Spring Revival date was set for April 2-9. Brother Mickey Warlick will serve as the evangelist.

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**FAIRVIEW NEWS by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell**

**FAIRVIEW, Feb. 14** - Our continues to change to spring and back Thursday was a bitter Friday morning we snow that covered the day, and by nightfall most of it had melted. We had over the weekend (Monday). However, an hour report is that more snow is on the way. A plane has come to us that Fred Meeg of Atton who was Tremond Sunday in his pick-up tremondor, is a cousin of Warren and has other relatives in this area.

Mrs. Carl Nelson were down Sunday. Nelson attended church with her mother, Mrs. Thurnin at Calvary Baptist p.m. in Floydada, and later dinner at the home of Mrs. Irwin.

Ruey Irwin enjoyed a conversation Thursday with her son, J. B. who called her from Arizona.

Walton Wilson visited Mrs. Clyde Bagwell Frismon and later with Hammonds.

Jewel Reeves and Mrs. Lorence visited Sunday in the home of Mr. E. W. Walls.

Friday Mr. and Mrs. Lee went to Munday where attended the funeral of Nele, Bud Nelson.

and Mrs. Bill DuBois of Cedar Hill visited night with Mr. and Mrs. DOZ. aBois.

and Mrs. Cecil Payne Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Oran Hatley. Tye of Lubbock spent weekend here with his parents, and Mrs. Bill Tye and grandmother, Mrs. W. B.

Bill Tye is keeping her children, Karen and Greg for a few days while parents are in Dallas on

Mr. and Mrs. Randell Reeves of Plainview were Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fawver Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mary Stanley visited Sunday with Mrs. Kate Crabtree.

Last Monday visitors with Mrs. Kate Crabtree were Mrs. T. T. Hamilton, Mrs. A. W. Anderson and Mrs. W. S. Simmons.

Becky, Sammy and Anissa Crabtree stayed at Idalou Saturday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Griffith, while Kay and Hope made a business trip to Lubbock.

Mrs. Mattie Mulkey of Paducah and W. O. Coltrane of Guthrie visited Sunday night in the C. H. Wise home.

Becky Crabtree spent Friday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Kate Crabtree, and Sammy Crabtree spent that night with his uncle, J. C. Bul-lard.

Benton Ritchey of Lubbock spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise.

the announcement posted in the Post Office, see a Postal Clerk, the Assistant Postmaster, Doyle Turner or the Postmaster, Ed Wester.


**NURSING HOME VISITORS**  
Lucille Duncan, Mrs. Geo. Wexler, Alma Ruth Nelson, Mrs. Jim Hall, Mrs. Dock Jones, Fara Burk, all of Floydada. Mrs. Billy Palmer, Mrs. Seodgwick, Zella and J. D. Palmer of Roaring Springs; Frank and Reva McNeill of Amarillo.

Attend The Kooky Kapers Variety Show!

AT THE TASTE FREEZ - every Thursday, from 5 until 10 p.m. Three Hamburgers, loaded, \$1.25. Owned and operated by Neil Joyce, Vicki and Terry Smith.

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MISS RHONDA JEAN CARTHEL

## Engagement Of Miss Carthel And Bobby Cozby Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carthel of Dougherty announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rhonda Jean, to Bobby Cozby, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby, Route 3, Floydada.

Floydada High School and is a candidate for graduation in May. Her fiancé is a graduate of Floydada High School and is presently engaged in farming. The couple plans an Easter wedding.

## Mrs. Gene Gilly Is Honored

Mrs. Gene Gilly was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Helen Patterson.

Doyce Smalley, Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Schirato of Dallas.

MONDAY HOLIDAY BILL WASHINGTON 'S BIRTHDAY, FEB. 21

## Drug Education Day Observed

Charlie Brown and friends furnished the colorful background for sixth grade students at R. C. Andrews School as they observed Drug Education Day February 11.

Large drawings of the favorite characters lined the walls of the cafeteria where the workshop was held.

SHOP FLOYDADA FOR BARGAINS

## Winners Of Poster Contest Are Introduced To 34 Club

Winners of the Junior High poster contest on Americanism, sponsored by the 1934 Study Club, were introduced to members at their regular meeting Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. A. L. Wylie Jr.

Mrs. Ralph Johnston introduced Penny Bertrand as first place poster winner; Kristi Kirk, second place; and Rex Bell, third place. The posters were displayed and found to be inspiring and showed great skills and thought from the designers.

Mrs. Allen Bingham led the group in giving the pledge to the American Flag, followed by Mrs. M. J. McNeill reading "The American Creed."

The group then sang "America" led by Mrs. Clyde Hodges. Mrs. Garland Foster introduced Enrico Pizzini, Floydada's American Field Service Student of Milano, Italy.

## Mrs. Sanders Honored

Mrs. Otho Sanders was honored Sunday a week ago with a birthday dinner in the home of Mrs. Lorin Leibfried. Those attending enjoyed picture taking and an afternoon of good fellowship after the noon meal.

Present for the occasion with Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Leibfried were Mrs. and Mrs. Dennis Silver-tooth and children, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Sanders of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sanders and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sanders and family and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett.

showed slides of Milano and gave the audience a vivid picture of the beauty of the city. Enrico also answered many questions asked by club members pertaining to his country and customs. All agreed that Enrico is a worthy representative of Italy and that our school is fortunate to have him.

Present for the meeting were club members: Mmes. Allen Bingham, David Campbell, Everett Collier, Dennis Dempsey, Garland Foster, Clyde Hodges, Ralph Johnston, Floyd Lawson, M. J. McNeill, J. P. Moss, W. O. Newberry, Vernon Parker, J. M. Willson Jr., A. L. Wylie Jr., and guests, Enrico Pizzini, Mrs. Pete Hickerson, American foster mother of Enrico, Penny Muncy, Kristi Kirk and Rex Bell.

Peggy's Meddlin's BY PEGGY MEDLEY

FLOYDADA was really struck with pollution Monday. Why is it when the wind is out of the northeast, cotton burrs catch fire causing smoke to hover over the city? Monday was certainly no exception, we had to inhale the dense fumes of burning cotton burrs, plus the smell of diesel or some fuel flushed from a tank in downtown Floydada. We are still smelling the diesel as it carpeted quite a footage on our side of the street. Luckily no wrecks occurred from any of the two incidents but plenty of cars were sliding in the gooey diesel at the intersection of Main and Missouri before dirt was scattered across the dip holding the fuel.

"Individual Responsibility" was the overall theme as students moved from types of group for different types of study. Groups included: rap sessions on home and family life; panel discussion on groups, society and independent responsibilities; drug game; and informative recent development and discoveries, puzzles, riddles and games for fun and learning.

Panel members consisted of Hollis Payne, moderator; Bud Rainey, Steve Hale, Dr. Noble Ballard and Dale Tyer.

The afternoon session featured a highly informative talk by Dr. Jack Jordan, who identified the drugs and described possible effects; John Stapleton, who effectively discussed legal aspects of the drug problem; and Coach L.G. Wilson, who drew enthusiastic response as he challenged "Is it being a sissy to say 'No'?"

The final event was the awarding of prizes for posters made by students with over 100 entries. Cash prizes went to Rosemary Hardin, first place; Christi Sales second; and Kayla Galloway, third.

Sixth grade teachers working on the program were Mrs. Sam Spence, Hollis Payne, Miss Jo Lee Mote, Mrs. Don Garrett and Mrs. Bill Cagle.

## Sarah Puckett Honored At DAR Tea

Sarah Puckett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Puckett, was among DAR Good Citizens honored at a tea Wednesday of last week given by Mary McCoy Baines Chapter of DAR in Plainview.

Mrs. Joe Taylor of Lockney, chairman of the DAR Good Citizens, introduced Sarah, along with four other area girls, and presented them with awards and certificates. They will compete at state levels at a later date.

THE Jerry Leathermans had quite a new experience for them last week. Their first plane ride and their first visit to Hawaii, Martha said they enjoyed the exciting eight hour flight to Hawaii where they toured scenic spots for eight days. They took a day time flight over and a night time flight back experiencing a difference in the flights. The Leatherman children were entertained by their grandparents, the Floyd Andersons, while their mother and dad were gone.

MAYBE women's lib is not the reason but the Floydada Future Farmers have two girl members this year, Penny Bertrand and Carla Bean. I don't have any doubt the girls give the boys some strong competition in farm duties.

THE Dallas Morning News had their classified page pretty well filled with Valentine ads Monday. Among some of the tender thoughts were: Greg, only 54 more days until eternity, Pam.

"We may not be the Eisenhowers, but I love you anyway - Tricia and David."

"Ha, He, Herman, my love for you is real, Bill."

"Be my Valentine or I'll pull the trigger, Love Tooks!"

"Bill, sure as the rats crawl over the rafters, you're the man I'm after. Love, Gertrude."

"Daddy Keith - Smashed, blushing or sober, I love you the same. All my love, Linda."

"Joe, please come to Dallas and marry our mother. Pammmy, Bobby, Jimmy, Glenda."

"Jo - I love you flip, I love you flop, I love you better than hogs love slop - Kitty."

"To my four ex-wives on this Valentine's day. Enjoy your monthly checks, Hill."



DRUG POSTER WINNERS NAMED . . . Bob Copeland, principal of R. C. Andrews School, poses with poster winners named during on drugs held at the school February 11. First place winner, Rosemary Hardin, far right; second place winner, Christi Sales, middle; and third place winner, Kayla Galloway, left.

## FLOYD DATA

Mrs. Ma Mae Smith is visiting in the home of her son, Gene and family. Mrs. Smith has been in Tulsa with a daughter, Mrs. Bobby Boone, for some time. Mrs. Smith's health is greatly improved, according to relatives, and friends are invited to visit with her at any time.

man." "Canine Coiffures wishes all our pets a Happy Valentine." "Shannon, roses are red, violets are green, you'll always be my Valentine's queen. Love Boy."

"Clint Eastwood, love from a billion fans." And finally, this heart jerker: "Cathy, I love you, I want you, I want you, I want you, I must have you. But if I can't have you, I want a motorcycle or a jeep. Love Tom."

THE presidential campaign in the primaries, usually regarded as more important for the party out of power, promises to be the most expensive ever for the money-starved Democrats. According to other news media they spent an estimated \$21 million in pre-convention campaigns in 1968 before nominating Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey for President, and Humphrey had entered no primaries.

When candidates take up their travels in hopes of qualifying for the opportunity to face Judgement Day next November, they will badder us, bore us, tire us, and once in a while, excite us with the strongest vocabulary man has ever known; and not one of them will say anything original. Only the sound of their voices will be different.

ALLENE Henry forgot to tell me she was on NBC television while she was in New York. A roving television reporter stopped her on Fifth Avenue to ask her what she thought of New York's Mayor Lindsay announcing his candidacy for President. She replied she didn't know anything about the man because she was from Texas and then she had the opportunity in explaining just where Floydada is.

IT is claimed that redheads have more violent tempers than blondes or brunettes, but a man said his wife had been all three and he couldn't tell the difference.

LITTLE MARY's father had spanked her. That night when she said her prayers she concluded with the petition: "And please don't give daddy any more children. He don't know how to treat those he's got."

FLOYD DATA Mrs. Jake Webb was brought home by ambulance Tuesday from Lubbock Methodist Hospital where she underwent recent back surgery. She is reported to be convalescing nicely.

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PANEL ON DRUG DISCUSSION . . . shop held at R.C. Andrews School. Panel members are left to right, Dale Tyer, Bud Rainey, and Hollis Payne.

## Future Homemakers A Good Babysitters

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## Benefit Dance Nets \$600 For Cancer Society

A benefit dance for the Cancer Society was held Saturday night at the VFW Hall which netted \$608. Host and hostess were Mr. and Mrs. Joy Ward.

## The Wesleyan Guild Meets

The Wesleyan Service Guild met in the home of Mrs. M. L. Solomon Monday evening, February 14.

## Mrs. Hooper Club Hosts

Harmony Homecoming mytation Club met Feb. 14 in the club room with ex-pres Hopper as hostess.

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# Chamber Banquet Gives Warm Welcome Home To Bishop Carleton

## Floyd County Hesperian

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MEMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICERS . . . (left to right) vice president Travis Jones, president Alton Higginbotham, retiring president Webb and secretary-treasurer Louis Anderson. (Staff Photo)



WILL BE FLOYD COUNTY'S STATE REPRESENTATIVE . . . a Hesperian photographer snapped this picture of the three state representative candidates and their wives at the chamber banquet last week. (left to right) Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cates, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Christman and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Leary. (Staff Photo)



ROY HARRIS (left) presents certificate of appreciation to the Floydada Chamber of Commerce's retiring president Jake Webb on behalf of the Floydada Future Farmers of America.

### Riding Club To Meet Friday

The Floydada Riding Club will hold its first regular meeting of 1972 Friday, February 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Agriculture building kitchen, according to Riding Club president, G. L. Fawver.

After a business meeting there will be refreshments and games of 84 and 42.

All members are urged to be present, and all other interested persons are invited to attend, Fawver said.

**True**  
You never get a second chance to make a good first impression.  
-Record, Columbia, S.C.

By Wendell Tooley  
Over 300 Floydada folk and their guests gave a standing ovation to Bishop Alsie Carleton at the close of his Chamber of Commerce banquet address in Duncan Elementary Cafeteria Thursday night.

The Bishop reminisced some of his early days in Floydada, sprinkled a considerable amount of humor into his talk and wound up with a profound message on "the world is coming to a start!"

Sharing the spotlight with the Bishop were former radiopersonality Alma Holmes and Leigh Ann Weathersbee. Mrs. Holmes received a plaque from Ann Willson for 20 years of loyalty to the community of Floydada.

Leigh Ann was honored by the student council of Floydada High School as the "Citizen of the Year" presented by Jim Dempsey, student council president.

Leigh Ann, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weathersbee, was selected for the citizenship award by FHS student council and faculty. A senior, she is student council secretary, drama club vice president and member of Future Teachers of America.

In introducing the Bishop, Methodist pastor C. B. Melton quoted from a 1930 FHS yearbook in which it revealed the Bishop has halfback on the Whirlwind football team, captain of the basketball team, tenor in the men's quartet and voted the most handsome boy in school.

He was also featured in the high school play and worked on the staff of the high school newspaper.

**COMMENTS FLOYDADA**  
Bishop Carleton said "It's great to be home", and commended Floydada on its accomplishments and for being a wholesome city.

"You've often heard the world is coming to an end," stated the speaker. "It is time to think about the world coming to a start. What has happened to the moral standards which made our nation strong? In a world of rapidly growing scientific and technical progress, someone better learn how we can live rejoicing and abundantly," he continued. "The best place to find the answer is in God's Word."

"If we want to cope with life in our kind of world that threatens to destroy itself, we must listen to Henry Van Dyke who wrote: 'Four things a man may do to keep his record true: think without confusion clearly,

love his fellowman sincerely, act from honest motives purely and trust in God and heaven securely," Bishop Carleton said.

Troy Harris, Floydada High School vocational agriculture teacher, on behalf of 138 students, presented an award to the Chamber for making the community a better place to live. The plaque was accepted by Jake Webb, retiring president, who was master of ceremonies. Webb enumerated several good things that had happened to Floydada during the past year, including the gifts of a building for a museum, the Massie Community Center, the Cogdell Clinic, and installation of the new sanitation system by the mayor and city council.

**OFFICERS INTRODUCED**  
Webb presented the gavel to the incoming president, Alton Higginbotham, who in turn gave a service plaque to Webb, who served as president two years. Other new officers introduced were Travis Jones, vice president and Louis Anderson, treasurer, John Reue, chamber manager, also was recognized.

New directors are Jim Word, Ed Wester, Andrew McCulley, and Wayne Russell. Holdover directors are Boone Adams, R. L. Giesecke, Charles Tyer, Rev. Melton and Webb. Retiring directors are George Miller, Bill Hardin, Carl Jar-



"TWENTY YEARS OF LOYALTY" . . . to Floydada, Plaque to Alma Holmes at Floydada Chamber of Commerce banquet, (left to right) Bishop Alsie Carleton, Mrs. Holmes, Ann Willson and Jake Webb.

rett, Grigsby Milton, Ken Bishop and Jerry Thompson. Bob Kirk is retiring director at large, and Webb is West Texas Chamber of Commerce director.

Dr. Floyd C. Bradley, minister of First Baptist Church, gave the invocation and Kay Crabtree provided piano music.



CITIZEN OF THE YEAR is Leigh Ann Weathersbee. Presentation made by FHS student council president Jim Dempsey. (Staff Photo)

### DPS Reports January Accidents

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated seven accidents on rural highways in Floyd County during the month of January, according to Sergeant Keffer, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and one person injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for January, 1972 shows a total of 500 accidents resulting in nine persons killed and 217 persons injured as compared to January, 1971 with 467 accidents resulting in 17 persons killed and 235 persons injured.

Also during 1971, Lubbock County's 511 traffic accidents was the highest number recorded by any county of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region. Parker County ranked second with 429.



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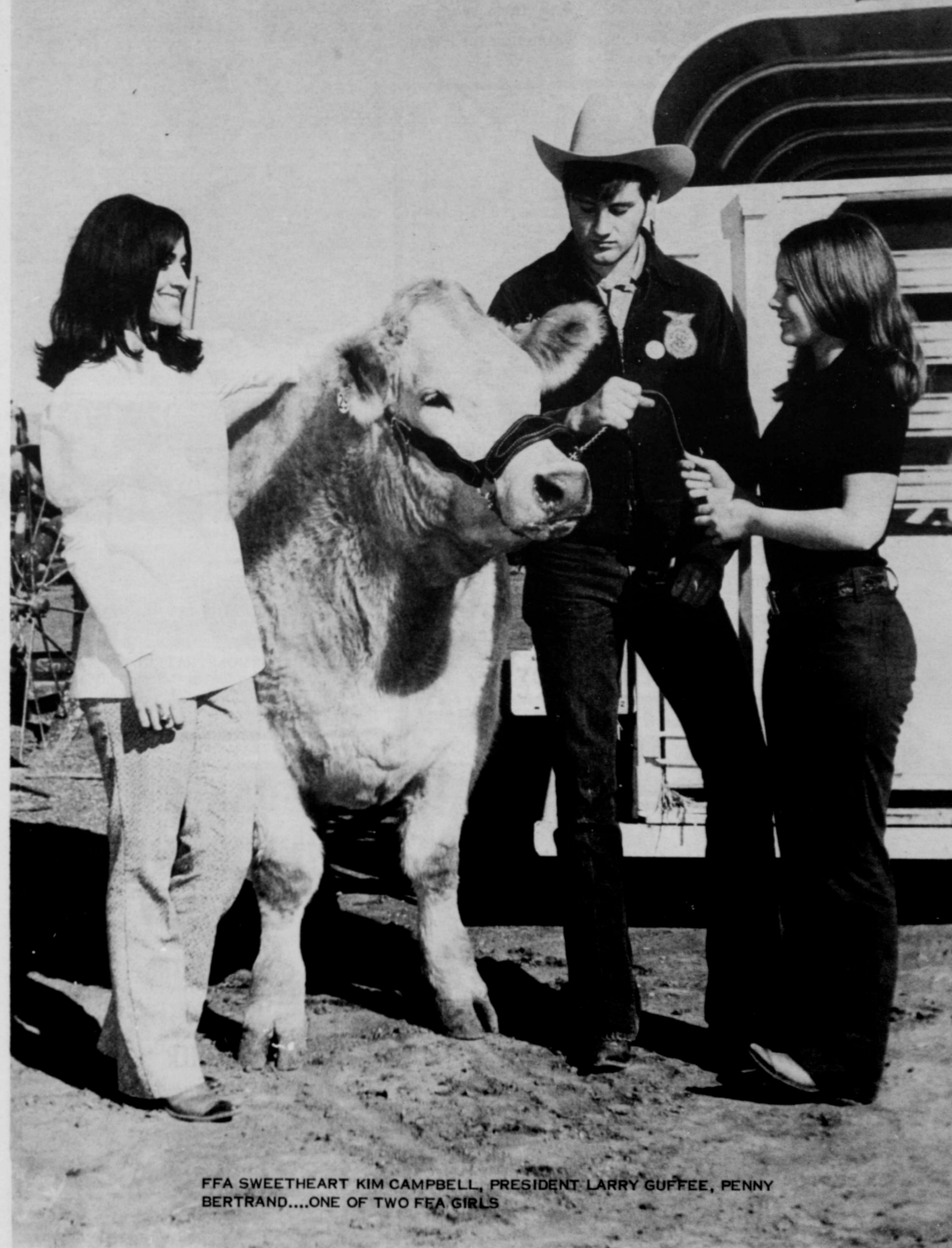
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## is February 19-26

Members of the Floydada chapter join with over 430,000 Future Farmers of America in celebrating National Future Farmers of America Week which starts February 19.

Throughout the week the state's 1150 chapters are planning activities to support the FFA Week theme, "Youth with a Purpose."

According to president Larry Guffee, the Floydada chap-

ter's main activity during FFA Week this year will be participation in the County Stock Show.

National FFA Week always includes George Washington's birthday in observance of his leadership in promoting scientific farming practices. Washington is considered the patron saint of the FFA and has come to symbolize the FFA Treasurer.

Organized in 1928, the FFA

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Vocational agribusiness is taught in over 9,000 schools in the United States. Its objectives are to prepare students for satisfying careers on the farm, in businesses that support modern farmers, and in forestry, horticulture, and natural resources. Agribusiness education today includes instruction in agricultural production, processing, supply and service, mechanics, horticulture, forestry and natural re-

sources. A unique feature of agribusiness education is that learning does not end in the classroom. Students use lessons in their lives. They know where they're going, because they're part of a program providing training and technical know-how to qualify them for a career.

For over 40 years FFA has been a laboratory for the practical application of lessons in leadership, citizenship and cooperation. Today the FFA provides leadership opportunities for students and challenges them through incentive awards which supplement the instructional program. Participation in the FFA makes students better employees and better citizens by helping them become "Youth with a Purpose."



FARM SKILL DEMONSTRATION TEAM ... won first at district and fourth at area. Left to right, they are Larry Guffee, Terry Bunch, Don Ed Holmes and Danny Martin. (Staff Photo)

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FEBRUARY 19 THROUGH 26



## Of Agriculture

**I. Produce Good Products**  
Ezekiel 34:20 - "... behold I, even I, will judge between the fat cattle and between the lean cattle."

**II. Prepare Your Land**  
Jeremiah 4:3 - "For thus saith the Lord to the men of Juda and Jerusalem. Break up your fallow ground, and sow not among thorns (weeds)."

**III. Grow Legumes**  
Isaiah 28:25 - "When he hath made plain (smooth) the face (of the ground) thereof doth he not cast abroad the fitches (vetch) ... and cast in the principal wheat ..."

**IV. Terrace Your Land**  
Jeremiah 12:11-12 - "The whole land is made desolate, because no man layeth it to heart. The spoilers are come upon all high places through the wilderness ..."

**V. Cultivate Your Crops**  
Proverbs 28:19 - "He that tilleth his land shall have plenty of bread ..."

**VI. Manage Livestock**  
Proverbs 27:23 - "Be thou diligent to know the state of thy flocks, and look well to thy herds."

**VII. Market Your Products in an Orderly Manner**  
Genesis 41:56-57 - "... and Joseph opened all the storehouses, and sold unto the Egyptians ... and all countries came into Egypt to Joseph for to buy corn; ..."

**VIII. Preserve Fruits and Vegetables**  
Leviticus 25:20-22 - "And if ye shall say, What shall we eat the seventh year? ... eat yet of old fruit until the ninth year; until her fruits come in ye shall eat of the old store."

**IX. Get Clear Title to Land**  
Jeremiah 32:9-11 - "And I bought the field ... and I subscribed the evidence, and sealed it, and took witness ... I took the evidence of the purchase, both that which was sealed according to the law and custom, and that which was open."

**X. Leave Your Children a Sound Inheritance**  
Numbers 32:19 - "... the children of Israel ... every man his inheritance."



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SENIOR CHAPTER CONDUCTING TEAM ... (left to right) Johnny Smith, Jimmy Parker, Roy Newkirk, Danny Bradford, Jackie Elliott and Billy Hinkle. (Staff Photo)

## Nixon Supports FFA Community Action Program

"The Future Farmers of America can play an important role in helping this country meet the perplexing challenges it faces in the last third of the Twentieth Century," noted President Nixon in a recent letter urging FFA members to participate in community development programs. The FFA Building Our Ameri-

can Communities program is one of the activities FFA members are emphasizing as they carry out this year's FFA WEEK theme: "Involved In America's Future." Emphasizing the need for constructive action, Mr. Nixon said

that "there is a need to revitalize the vast rural areas of our nation —improving the quality of life for those who live there now and for the millions of additional Americans who will be moving into rural areas in the next thirty years."

"Programs like the FFA's Building Our American Communities can make a significant contribution to that effort, and I am pleased to give such activities my strong support," he said.

The President went on to observe that the environmental crisis offers an especially dramatic illustration of the need for groups like the FFA to become involved in activities to conserve our environment.



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GREENHAND FARM SKILL DEMONSTRATION TEAM . . . Robert Ferguson, Randy Pernell, Tom Assiter and Billy Fulton. (Staff Photo)

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SUMMER COOKOUT . . . The Floydada FFA chapter held its summer cookout last August at Roaring Springs and barbecued chicken, rabbit, quail, steak and pork chops. Pictured left to right: Terry Bunch, Gary Sanders, Willis Bunch, Rogene Bethel, Larry Trimble, and the "chef" Ag instructor Homer Jones.

**The FFA In Texas**

The Future Farmers of America organization is in its 42nd year in Texas. There are over 50,000 members studying vocational agriculture in 940 high schools in Texas. In these vocational agriculture classes, students are provided an opportunity to secure technical and scientific training in all phases of agriculture as well as to receive training in leadership, citizenship, and cooperation.

Texas membership has grown from 28,643 in 1950 to over 50,000 in 1970. In a study conducted by Mr. J. A. Marshall, State Director of Vocational Agriculture, it was found that over sixty percent of the vocational agriculture students who graduate from high school and are available for employment are employed in full-time farming or in agricultural related occupations.

The FFA supports and supplements training for those involved in production agriculture as well as those processing and distributing agricultural products. Many people are employed in agricultural occupations such as engineers, scientists, management personnel, sales and service personnel, and educators. FFA training lends support to those providing these services for agriculture. Also, there are over 60,000 desirable openings each year for farm operators, farm engineers, and full-time hired farm labor.

Vocational agriculture and the FFA are striving to provide a sound and a continuing education to help produce the leaders and work force so directly needed in our nation's agriculture industry.

The theme this year is "Involved in America's Future." As the theme implies, Future Farmers are definitely involved in the future of America. A new program called "Build Our American Communities" was recently initiated by the

**FACTS ABOUT NATIONAL FFA OFFICERS**

National FFA officers (there are six) travel extensively. During his year's term of office, each officer will travel 50,000 miles or more and spend about two-thirds of his time working in the interest of the FFA.

**It's National FFA WEEK!**

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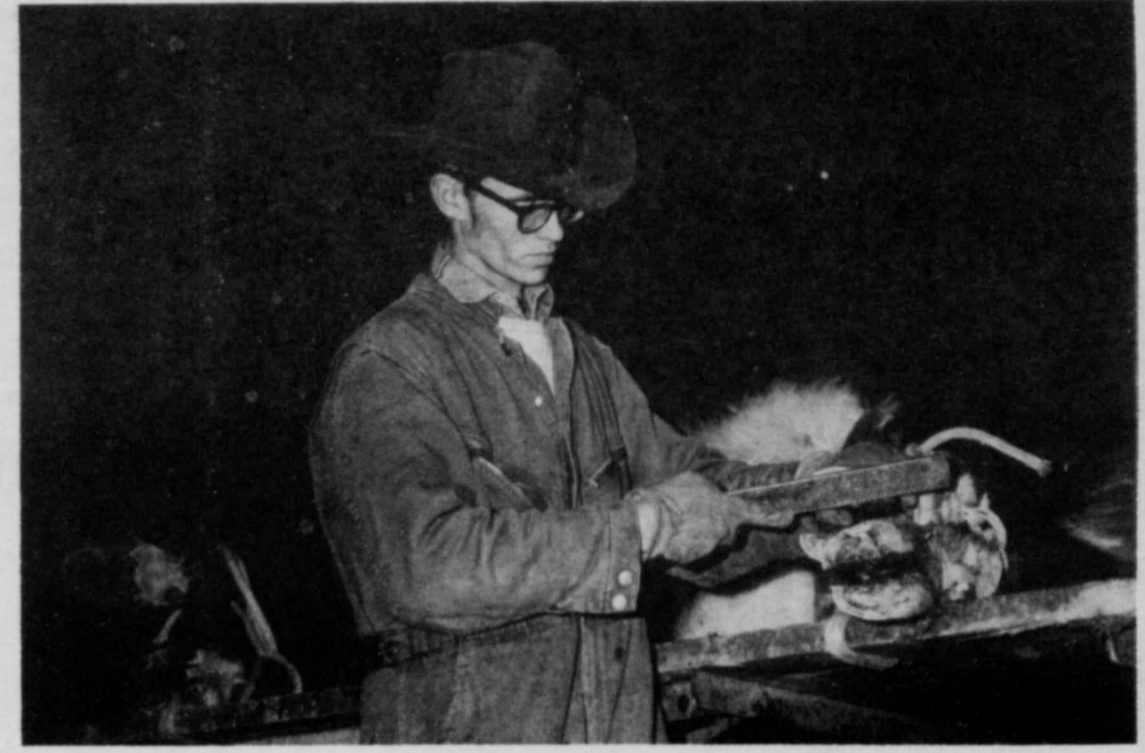
**Many Projects In The Works For FFA'er Jackie Elliott**

Jackie Elliott is one of the Floydada FFA Chapter members who undertakes many projects.

As an AG I student, Elliott received the Greenhand Degree. His projects that year included two calves for beef production; five acres of cotton for lint production; five acres of milo for grain production; and four mares for colt production.

Elliott's projects in Ag II included three calves for beef production; five acres of cotton; five acres of milo; two mares; ten turkey hens for turkey production; and two heifers for calf production. He received the Chapter Farmer Degree his sophomore year.

In Ag Co-op his junior year, Elliott's projects expanded to include 16 calves in addition to five acres each of cotton and



GETTING READY FOR THE STOCK SHOW . . . FFA'er Jackie Elliott trims hooves of his steer. (Staff Photo)

**FFA Sparks Interest In Community Development**

A new community park, an ecological center to serve area schools, an employment service for young people and a project to build community pride. These are just a few of the activities carried out in the past year by FFA chapters participating in the FFA's Building Our American Communities (BOAC) program.

In its first year this new FFA activity has received wide acclaim by government leaders including President Nixon and former Secretary of Agriculture Clifford Hardin. More than 360 FFA chapters earned awards in the community action effort during the first year and many more participants are expected to earn awards in 1972.

The Building Our American Communities program was initiated in 1970 to involve members in activities to improve job opportunities and living conditions in rural communities. According to National FFA Advisor, H. N. Hunsicker, the FFA is getting involved in rural development by encouraging vocational agriculture instructors to provide classroom instruction in the rural development process.

Citing the Berrien FFA Chapter of Nashville, Georgia, winner of the 1971 National Award

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MORE STOCK SHOW PREPARATIONS . . . Jackie Elliott of the Floydada FFA works on getting steer in shape. (Staff Photo)

The farmer was a chronic complainer and never missed an opportunity to indulge in laments, but this year perfect weather had combined with his natural industry to produce a bumper crop. "Well, you couldn't ask for more this year," observed a friend. "There's certainly nothing to kick about." "Oh, I dunno," grunted the farmer gloomily, "crops like this is durned hard on the ground."

FROM THE De Pere (Wisconsin) Journal-Democrat: "A pessimist complains about the noise made when opportunity knocks."



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Members of the Floydada Future Farmers of America Chapter join with over 430,000 other FFA members nationwide in the County Stock Show. Week this year will be particularly busy with the main activity during FFA week.

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Exhibit 34:20 - ... behold I, even I, will judge

## Productive FFA'er

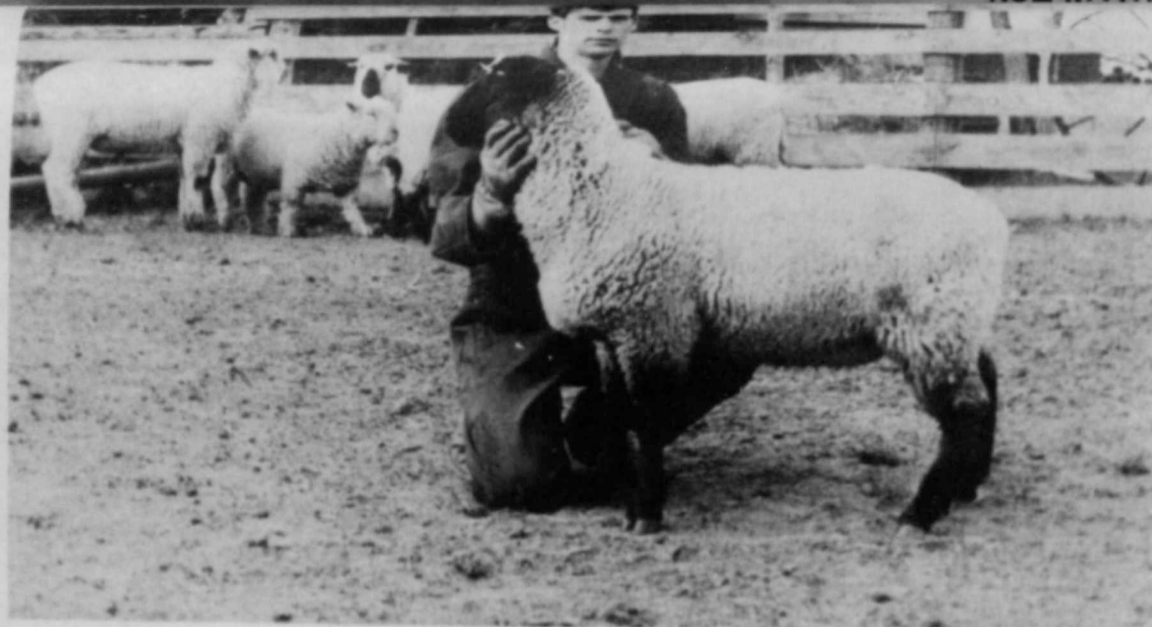
Ross Hamilton, a junior FFA'er, is one of the local chapter's most productive members.

His projects this year include:

One breeding ram, 22 head of ewes for lamb production, six lambs for show, two sows for pig production, four show pigs, nine feeder pigs, four show

calves, two feeder calves, two cows for calf production, one show heifer, five acres of cotton and five acres of wheat.

Hamilton fed and showed these animals this year: a third place ewe at the Abilene Breeding Stock Show; a third place pen of three (two ewes and one ram) at the Abilene



SHOW LAMBS . . . Ross Hamilton and some of the show lambs he is feeding for six livestock shows. (Staff Photo)

Show and a fifth-place steer and a sixth-place heifer at the Amarillo Stock Show.

At the El Paso Stock Show this year, Hamilton showed a 17th-place medium-wool lamb, a fourth-place ewe lamb, a second-place suffolk ewe lamb, a first-place two-tooth ewe, a first-place six-tooth ewe, and a first-place Angus heifer.

Hamilton serves the Floydada FFA as sentinel, and attended the National FFA Convention this year.

His freshman year projects included two lambs for show, two cows for calf production, five acres of wheat for seed production, two acres of cotton for lint production, 24 head of sheep for mutton production, and four head developing lambs for show.

Also during his first year SEE HAMILTON, PAGE 5



"Today's FFA Members Are Tomorrow's Leaders"

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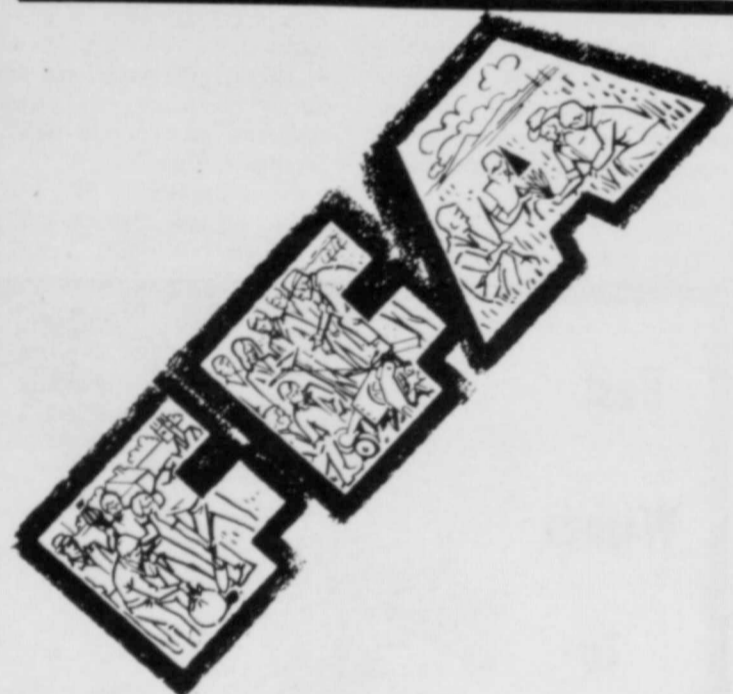
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WEIGHING LAMBS . . . Ag instructor Troy Harris and several FFA members who will have lambs in the Floyd County Junior Fat Stock Show. (Staff Photo)



GREENHAND QUIZ TEAM...Left to right: Bill Whitaker, Penny Bertrand, Blake Hicker-son, Carla Bean and David Schwertner. (Staff Photo)

## FFA Briefs

It takes about 70,000 blue corduroy jackets each year to satisfy the demands of FFA members throughout the nation.

"Challenging Youth In Agriculture" is the theme for Future Farmers of America Week, February 17-24.

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"Learning to do, Doing to learn, Earning to live, Living to serve" is the official motto of the Future Farmers of America.

The first use of "Future Farmers" as the name of an organization of vocational agriculture students was by the "Future Farmers of Virginia" in 1926.

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**Buddy's Food**



AG STUDENTS PRACTICE SETTING UP LAMBS FOR SHOW. (Staff Photo)

**Successful Stockman Is  
Star Farmer Of America**

World population figures are climbing at an alarming rate. At the same time many are disturbed by the rapidly declining number of farms in the United States, causing many people to wonder who will feed this mass of humanity.

One young man who plans to be in the business of farming and food production in the challenging years ahead is Lonney Eastvold, a 22-year-old cattleman from Hartland, Minnesota. Last year Eastvold was named FFA Star Farmer of America at the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri.

Born and raised on a crop farm in Minnesota, Lonney started building his beef herd eight years ago when he saw the potential for a cow-calf operation in his area of southeastern Minnesota.

"I was the only one in our family interested in livestock," says Lonney. "There was a lot of feed being grown in our area and I just figured a cow-calf herd could use it."

Starting with two Aberdeen Angus heifers when he was a high school freshman, Lonney has expanded to a herd of over 240 brood cows. He has built the herd to its present size by borrowing heavily to finance additional cows and paying off the loans from the sale of their calves.

Today Lonney owns and operates two farms on which he maintains his cow herd and 180 acres of crops. In addition to the feed he raises on his own farm, Lonney makes use of wastes from a nearby cannery to lower his

feeding costs.

In addition to his efforts to build a strong farming enterprise Lonney finds time to participate in FFA and community activities. Lonney served as Chapter President and Treasurer, he was a member of the Letterman's Club, participated in the high school band and chorus, and served as a class officer. Last year while serving in the Army Reserve, Lonney was named Minnesota's State Reservist of the Year.

Lonney is married and he and his wife, Betty, have a daughter. They share an interest in farming and Lonney values Betty's assistance in helping maintain records of the farm activities. "One thing in our favor is that Betty and I love this business of farming," says Lonney as he looks optimistically into his future.

Members of the FFA are students of high school vocational agriculture.

The Floydada chapter is one of 9,000 local FFA chapters in the United States.

A first year member of the FFA is called a "Greenhand."

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**HAMILTON,**

FROM PAGE 4

of FFA, Hamilton fed and showed the champion and third-place finewool cross lambs at the county livestock show. He was a member of the fourth-place meat judging team, and he raised and exhibited the second-place wheat at the Tri-State Fair. Hamilton went to the state FFA Convention as a delegate that year.

His projects during his sophomore year included four lambs for show, 24 head of lambs for mutton production, two cows for calf production, two head developing heifers for breeding, one bull for breeding, five acres of wheat for seed production, two acres of cotton, six gilts for pig production, one boar for breeding, and one steer for beef production.

As a second-year FFA member, Hamilton also went to the Southwestern Poland China Meat Type Conference and bought two registered gilts and one boar. He took two lambs to the El Paso Livestock Show but didn't place.

He fed and exhibited the champion southdown and the sixth-place medium-wool lambs at the Floyd County Stock Show, and raised and exhibited eighth-place wheat at the Tri-State Fair.

During his sophomore year, he received the Chapter Farmer Degree, the Wildlife Proficiency Award, and the Agribusiness Proficiency Award.

He was vice president on the fifth-placing Parliamentary Procedure Team, and division chairman of the Earnings, Savings and Investment Committee. Hamilton attended the Southwestern Public Service Electric Camp and was third-high individual in his class; he attended the state FFA Convention as a delegate.



POLAND CHINA BARROWS . . . raised from Ross Hamilton's breeding swine herd. (Staff Photo)



ONE OF THREE steers Ross Hamilton has on feed for four major stock shows. (Staff Photo)

**Productive FFA'er**

persons attend the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri.

The Smith-Hughes Act passed in 1917 provided federal funds to the states, on a matching basis, for establishing programs of vocational education in public high schools. Subsequent acts have served to expand the program.

Star Farmer of America is the nation's best known farm youth award. It is a check for \$1,000 presented each year by the Future Farmers of America Foundation to the FFA member judged most outstanding in farming and leadership.

As a part of their course of study, vocational agriculture students are required to have farming programs, or to gain agricultural work experience, under the supervision of the teacher.



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The median age of the United States population is 27.9 years, according to the President Nixon has asked Congress for a \$50-billion raise in the national debt ceiling, biggest single



REGISTERED SUFFOLKS . . . Part of Ray Hinton's flock of registered Suffolk breeding sheep. A pair of younger additions get a boost here from Ray's brother James, a 1971 FHS graduate who is still a member of the Floydada FFA Chapter. (Staff Photo)

The sheep include 20 Suffolk lambs and ewe lambs, with two registered Suffolk rams for breeding. Of the 52 ewes, nine of them are registered Suffolks.

The lambs for mutton production are offspring from his flock.

Hinton has won several prizes at stock shows with his sheep. He had a champion carcass lamb at Lubbock last spring and showed one lamb to reserve champion and another to 15th place at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas last fall.

He now has lambs and registered breeding stock of two rams and two ewes at the San Antonio Livestock Show.

The Floydada FFA'er also has one steer in the San Antonio Show this week.

Also included in Hinton's stock are two registered Polled Hereford cows with calves at their sides. He shows the steers from these cows in livestock shows and keeps the heifers to raise for more breeding stock. He now has one yearling

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POLLED HEREFORDS . . . tried to get brother Ray's registered Polled Hereford cow and calves to pose for the camera, with reasonable success. (Staff Photo)



THE FIRST GIRLS IN THE FLOYDADA FFA CHAPTER . . . Carla Bean and Penny Bertrand set a precedent this year by being the first female FFA'ers in the FHS Chapter. (Staff Photo)



RADIO TEAM . . . Left to right: Ross Hamilton, Lee Sinor and Gary Sanders. (Staff Photo)

**FFA CREED PRAYER**

"Father, we thank Thee for achievements won by the present and past generations of agriculturists. Grant unto us a belief that to live and work on a good farm or to be engaged in other agricultural pursuits is pleasant as well as challenging. May we develop leadership from ourselves and respect from others; develop our own ability to work efficiently and think clearly. Thou

has entrusted us with the gift of being happy ourselves and playing square with those whose happiness depends upon us. We pray that rural America can and will hold true to the best traditions of our national life and that we can exert an influence in our homes and communities which will stand solid for our past in that inspiring task. Teach us obedience in all Thy plans for us and for mankind. In Jesus' name, Amen."

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READYING FOR COUNTY STOCK SHOW . . . Max Yeary and Ag instructor Homer Jones. (Staff Photo)



FFA'ERS AT WORK ON SHOW BARN EXTENSION . . . Kim Rose, Mitch Probasco and Larry Guffee. (Staff Photo)

President Nixon has asked Congress for a \$50-billion raise in the national debt ceiling, biggest single increase since World War II, to accommodate record red ink spending. The Treasury has estimated that the present \$430 billion ceiling will be exceeded about March 1.

The median age of the United States population is 27.9 years, according to the Census Bureau. The new report shows a drop of 1.6 years in the median age between the 1960 census and 1971.



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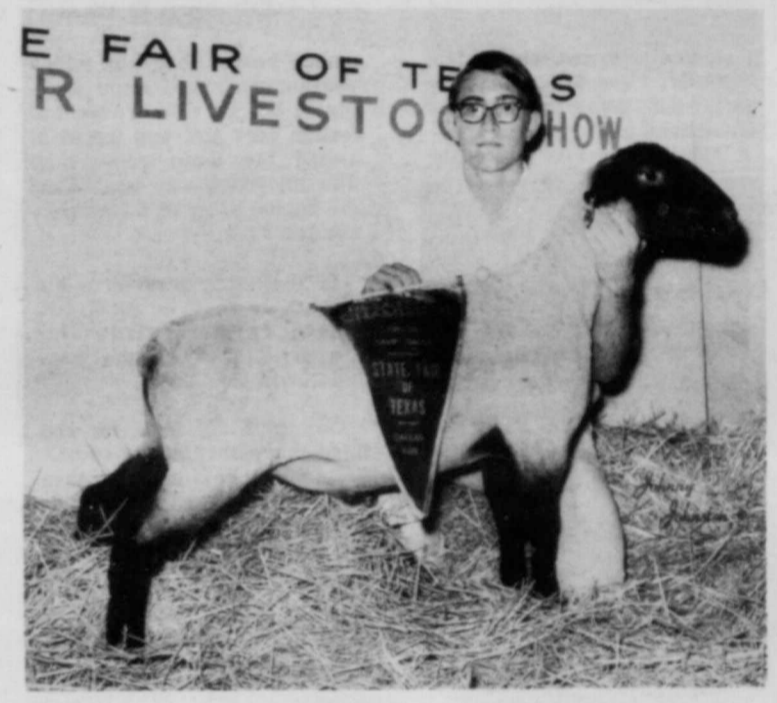
The answers to those four questions are vitamins C, A, B and D. If you missed any of these simple, basic questions you'd do well to study foods and nutrition.



FFA MEMBERS STUDY WELDING TECHNIQUES.....in the FHS Ag Shop. (Staff Photo)



AG IV CLASS...helps with a community service project, building the 60 x 80 extension to the Floyd County Stock Show barn. (Staff Photo)



STATE FAIR RESERVE CHAMPION . . . Hinton showed the reserve champion medium wool lamb at the 1971 State Fair of Texas Junior Livestock Show. The lamb's name: "The Great Speckled Bird."

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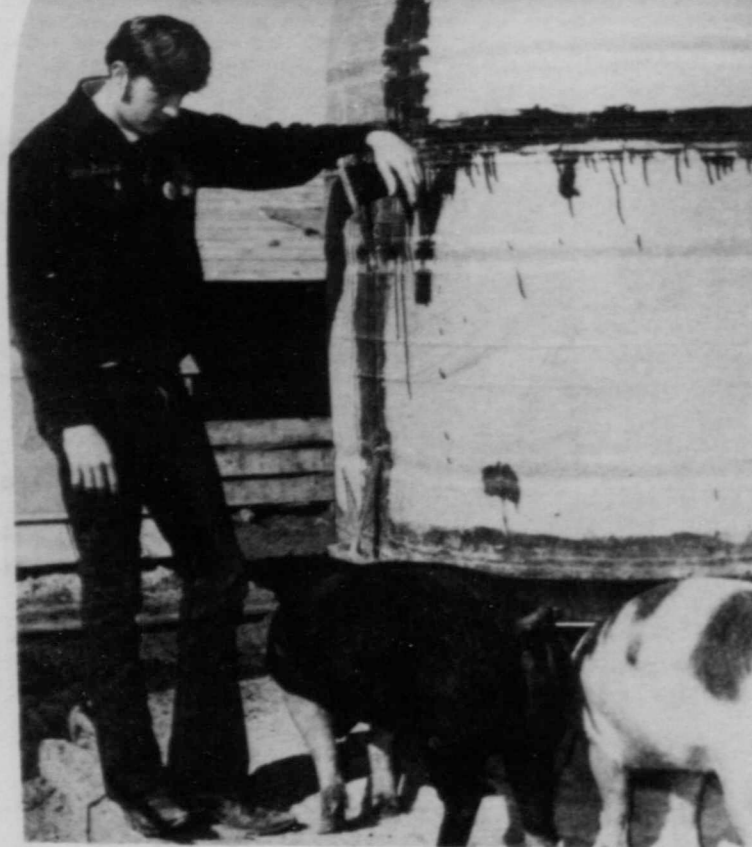
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GUFFEE WITH FOUR-TON FEEDER and some of his replacement gilts. (Staff Photo)

Floydada FFA president Larry Guffee also serves as reporter for the district and is engaged in a large pig production operation as well as cattle and cotton production. Ac-

tive in FFA work for four years, Guffee summarized his FFA experiences and projects thus: "Being the son of a farming family, I was already acquaint-



FEED BUGGY is used to distribute feed to all of Guffee's pigs after grinding and mixing. (Staff Photo)

ted with the farm animals when I joined Future Farmers of America in 1967. "My freshman year, FFA was a new interest for me.

I started with two show pigs; however, I lost \$18 on this project, but was named Star Greenhand of the chapter. "The summer of my soph-

omore year, I began to take a real interest in FFA and farming. I bought 14 more head of feeder pigs and was asked to attend the state convention. The invitation was what made me decide to go as far as possible in FFA."

In the early months of his sophomore year, he received a Chapter Farmer Award and later participated with the Chapter Conducting Team.

On April 22, 1970, he won third place in a public speaking contest held in Tulia, then April 25, he was a member of the fourth-place winning Meat Judging Team at Texas Tech University.

At the annual FFA banquet Guffee received the Star Chapter Farmer Award and was later selected to attend the Southwestern Public Service Electric Camp in Amarillo.

"The following summer, before my junior year, I built several feedbuggies, a pig parlor to house feeder pigs during the warm months of the year, and moved in a barn for a bigger farrowing house," the Floydada FFA'er stated.

In his junior year, Guffee was member of the FFA Talent Team which won first place in district in November and played for the Lions Club Sweetheart Banquet in February. Later that month he was presented a certificate of merit for having attained a high degree of knowledge and skill in leadership. He was awarded District Star Lone Star Farmer recognition, which made him eligible to attend the National Convention in Kansas City, Missouri.

Guffee attended the San Antonio Fat Stock Show and exhibited a barrow which had been raised from one of his sows.

In May, he competed in an FFA farm mechanics team contest held at Texas Tech. Later, in June, he attended the 43rd State Convention of the Texas Association Future Farmers of America in Houston.

Now in his senior year, Guffee is serving as president of the Floydada chapter and reporter for the district.

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IN GUFFEE'S FARROWING HOUSE . . . The FFA president holds a week-old pig. (Staff Photo)

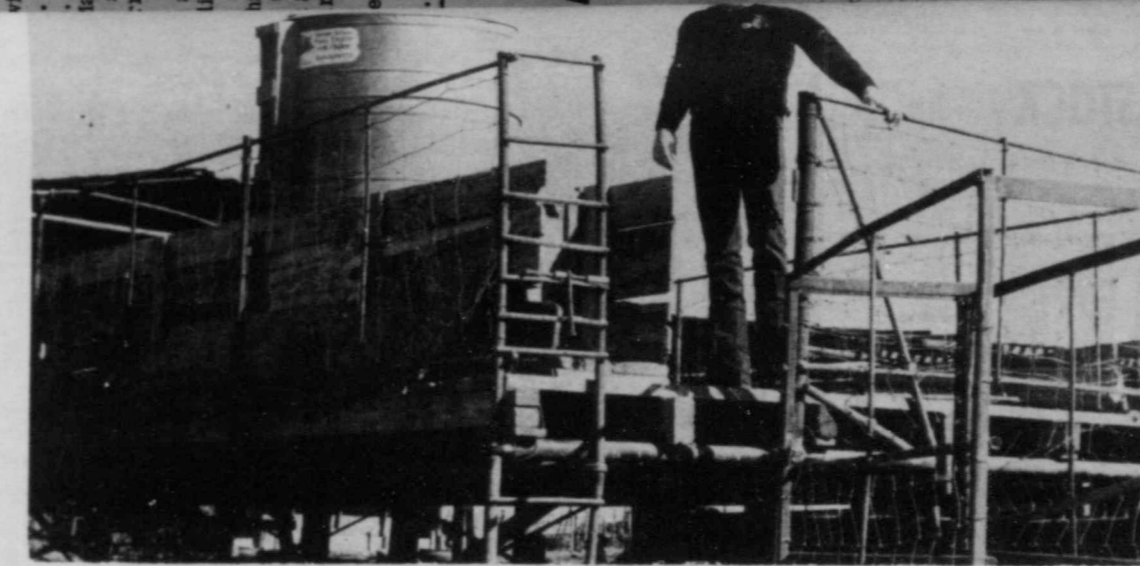
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Guffee won the Santa Fe Educational Award representing Area I, an award in the amount of \$141. The Santa Fe award was presented at the 44th annual National Convention of Future Farmers of America held in Kansas City in October.

"Presently, I have 22 head of sows, 196 feeder pigs, three show pigs, 26 acres of cottonland and four head of cattle," Guffee said.

"The knowledge I have gained from these four years in FFA has inspired me to continue my education in the Future Farmers field and major in Agricultural Engineering at Texas Tech University," Guffee concluded.



THIS FINISHING HOUSE, built by FFA president, can handle 100 pigs. (Staff Photo)



PIGS FOR COUNTY SHOW . . . Larry Guffee is readying three pigs for the Floyd County Junior Fat Stock Show. (Staff Photo)

### FFA Facts

The Future Farmers of America is a national organization of, by, and for students studying Vocational Agriculture in the public schools. The FFA is an educational, non-profit, non-political youth organization of voluntary membership, designed to develop agricultural leader-

The FFA, through the vocational agriculture classes, provides training for the entire agriculture industry, both on-farm and off-farm. Four out of every ten employed persons in the United States work in some phase of the agriculture industry.

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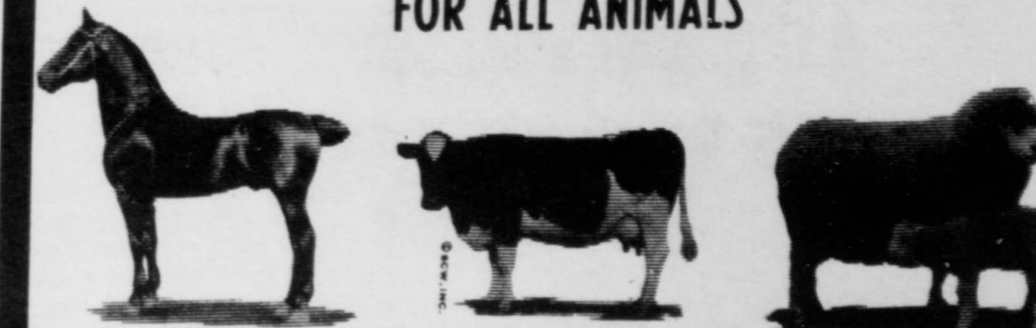
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## CENTER NEWS by Mrs. J.E. Green

CENTER, Feb. 14 - Weather was good Saturday and Sunday, and the snow last midweek was beautiful and of short duration, when the sun came out.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Lockney visited her mother, Mrs. C. E. Finley Sunday p.m. Wednesday the J. E. Greens were in Plainview for their date with Dr. Long. Their reports seem good. Mrs. Hartline, who went with the Greens, visited with her daughter, June, Mrs. Bob Landry.

All visited briefly with Mrs. Jernigan in the Plainview home of her daughter, Bertha and Leonard Finley in Plainview. She was released from the hospital Tuesday of last week. Last report is Mrs. Jernigan is doing quite well.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carpenter spent Wednesday and Thursday in Lubbock visiting their daughter and husband, Claudine and Joe Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey and Mrs. Ola Warren visited Sunday p.m. in the nursing home, and on their way back visited Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee.

Visitors in the Hal Thomas home Tuesday p.m. were

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDougle and Sharon gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of all members of the family having birthdays in February. The honorees were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brewer and Fred McDougle. Others there to enjoy this dinner and get-together were Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ayres, Kim, Kelly and Karl, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Brewer, Monty and Latonya, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson.

The cake was made by Mrs. Sherry Robison but due to illness in the family they were unable to come for the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brewer received a phone call Sunday night from Mrs. J. T. Brewer of Lawton, Okla., telling them that the sister-in-law, Mrs. Jesse Brewer was seriously ill in a Lawton hospital.

Friday night Monte Williams attended a party at the home of Revis Chandler.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Q. D. Williams attended the 1929 Study Club at the home of Mrs. Vance Campbell on the Matarador Highway.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Williams and Monte, Norman Muncy and Bernie Parkey went to Lubbock to see the Golden Gloves boxing matches.

Mrs. A. L. Smith spent from last Sunday until Wednesday at Spearman with her daughter, Mrs. George D. Jackson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith went to Lubbock Saturday and visited her mother, Mrs. Bird Oats. Mrs. Oats is much improved.

Saturday night, Feb. 5, Monte Williams visited Greg Bishop and the boys went rabbit and bird hunting.

Gary Nixon spent Friday night, Feb. 4 with Greg Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Choise Smith and family visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith and had dinner with them.

Greg Bishop spent Thursday night with Monte Williams and the boys went hunting in the canyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmas McCormick, Dorman, Mark, Amy and Anita were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCormick. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lyles, Naomi and Rhonda of Lone Star.

Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Delmas McCormick and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dean Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Williams of Plainview. Mrs. Sam Green came Sunday p.m.

One day last week Mr. and Mrs. Thomas visited in the Gene Smith home with the Smiths and a visiting mother, Mrs. Ida Mae Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll and Johnny reached home late Sunday, Feb. 6, from a weekend visiting with their mothers in the Paris and McKinney areas.

Guests in the Carroll home Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Burton Wiles, city, and daughter, Twila of Lubbock, and Mrs. Howard Johnson of Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. Wiles and Mrs. Johnson are sisters.

Saturday p.m. the Glen Hills and Bob Thompson were at the Carrolls helping work out some cattle when a roping accident killed a fine 600 lb. yearling. Other work was abandoned and all hands got busy butchering and dressing the animal. Then the meat was taken to a Lockney cooler, retaining enough for an outdoor hamburger supper. (Sometimes a day ends very different from what is expected.)

Sunday Mrs. A. W. Anderson baby sat with some of her grandchildren while the parents made a trip to Amarillo. Mrs. Garvin Beedy of South Plains visited Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Lois Durham were Mrs. Ava Jackson, Mrs. Flora Warren, Mrs. Effie Roland and Mrs.

Birdie Gross. Monday dinner guests last Monday at the Leo Frizzells were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Frizzell and Mrs. Ava Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren, Joyce and Don spent the weekend in Seymour visiting their daughter and sister and family, Paul and Elaine Stout and baby. The Stouts moved to Seymour Wednesday from Frederick, Okla.

Company at the Charley Spences last week: Friday, Mrs. Ben Marley, Crosbyton; Mrs. Winegar, Saturday; Mrs. Elvis Marley and daughter and two small sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Towler came one day, Sunday p.m. visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis.

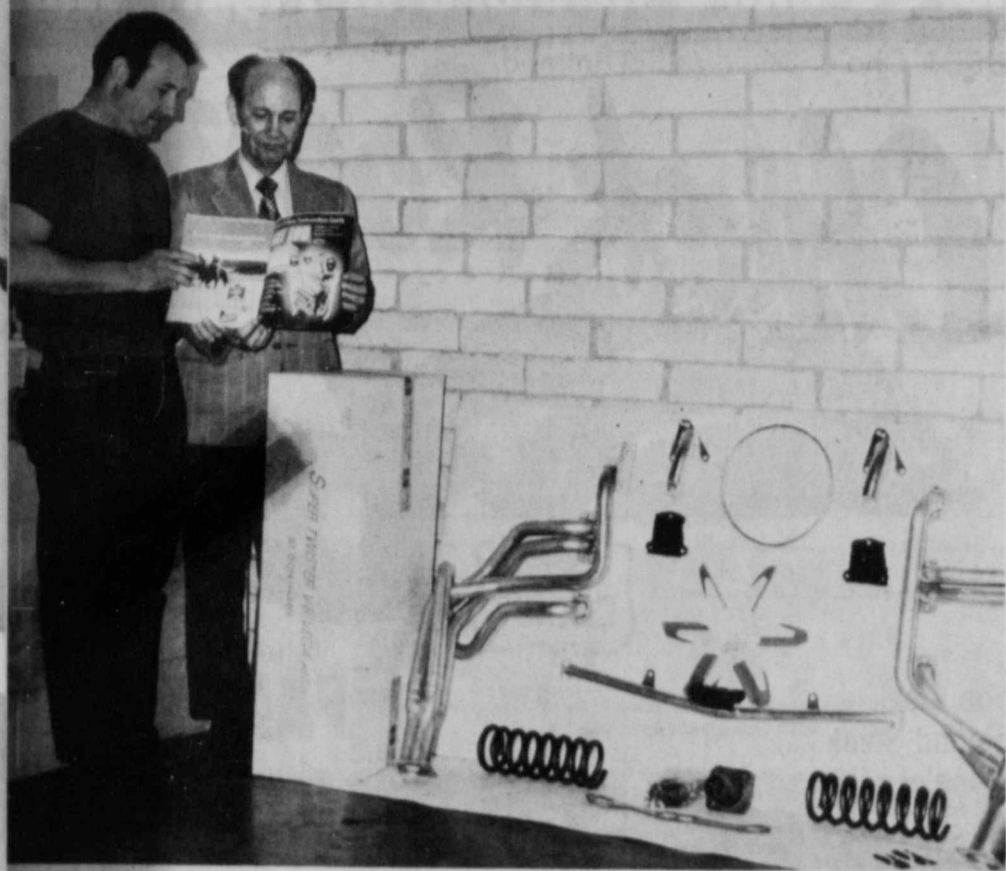
Mrs. Ethel Brown of Roaring Springs visited Saturday while with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hartline.

Mrs. R. C. Ross spent last week with her son, Melvin and family at Gruver. Saturday Melvin and Alma and daughter, Sandra brought her home and spent that night with Mrs. Ross.

Mrs. J. A. Hartsell, who resided near the Silverton Highway for many years, but now lives in a rest home in Amarillo, is reported very ill. Our good neighbor, Mrs. Alvie Jackson (Mary Grace) is very sick with pneumonia and complications in University Hospital, Lubbock.

Mrs. Frank Dunn has received a phone call from Jimmy's wife, Patsy, who is in Houston at the bedside of a sister. She reports that Glenna - Mrs. Glenna Walls - is very low following surgery and a long illness. She is in the Municipal Hospital in Houston.

Glenna is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Robertson, formerly of the Center community. How we pray that these and all so ill will be restored to health.



ALREADY FEATURED IN HOT ROD MAGAZINE . . . Don Hardy, Floydada car builder, looks, with Bob Johnson, Petersen Publishing Company representative, at the February edition of Hot Rod Magazine, which features Hardy's "Super Twister" kit for dropping a V-8 into the Chevy. (Staff Photo)

## LAKEVIEW NEWS by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

LAKEVIEW, Feb. 14 - Mrs. Floyd Anderson went to Las Feb. 4 where they had funeral services for the late E. R. Wilder.

Monday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Bradshaw went to Turkey and visited with her brother and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Lane and Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson.

February 10 was the birthday of Mrs. B. L. Breed, and Mrs. Ray Lloyd gave her a surprise dinner. Others there to enjoy this with the honoree were her husband, B. L. Breed, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breed, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Breed, Mrs. Bobby Britton and Delwin and Ray Lloyd.

Mrs. W. H. Bunch went to Lubbock Thursday where she stayed over Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bunch and new baby daughter, Kalisa. Mrs. Howard Gregory, mother of Mrs. Rodney Bunch, stayed Saturday and Sunday in the home of her daughter and family.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the B. L. Breed home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bertrand and Kim, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Lindsey Warren and Ruthie. Others visiting Sunday with Mrs. Warren were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nelson of Oklahoma City, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Copeland of Lubbock.

Mrs. Warren has just recently returned home from a stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Sammie Jo Pierce visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price. Wednesday visitors in the Henry Price home were Mrs. Lillie DeBusk and Mrs. Ernest Ferguson and family of Lubbock.

Cynthia Williams of Lubbock spent the weekend and over Monday at home with the Fred Lloyd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph McCurdy visited in Lubbock Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Watson. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Paul and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sgroles. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph McCurdy also visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry McCurdy and Rusty.

Nancy Lloyd spent Saturday night with Karen West.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Breed visited Saturday morning with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Breed.

Last Monday night, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd attended the basketball game at Floydada, when they played Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph McCurdy were host and hostess Thursday night at their home for the Mt. Blanco Home Demonstration Club Valentine banquet when the ladies entertained their husbands.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd were Wednesday night dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Williams of Lubbock. The occasion was in honor of Cynthia Williams' birthday.

Wednesday night Nancy Lloyd went with a group of young folks from First Baptist Church to Plainview for a Chinese supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson visited Mr. and Mrs. Tim Griffin at McAdoo Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson visited her folks, the Tom Moores Friday.

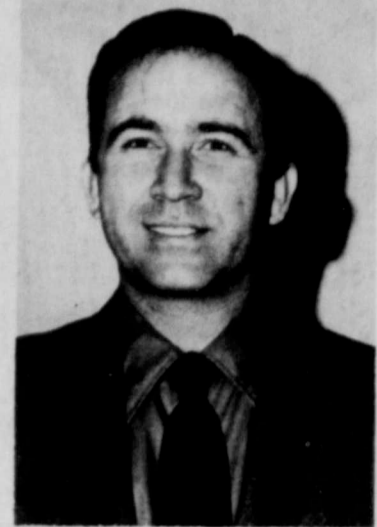
Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant made a business trip to Dimmitt Saturday.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mankins and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cates.

Connie Anderson stayed the first part of last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Jim Jones in Floydada while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson made a trip to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alexander went to Wellington Thursday to attend the funeral of B. E. Ratliff, father of their son-in-law.

Roxanne Lloyd had a number of friends at her home Sunday afternoon for a Valentine party. Those present were Reita Fitzgerald, Jim Dempsey, Paula Bryant, Ed Warren, Dickie Rathaal, Sandy Prahnan, and Trudy and Kenny Blount of Kress.



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Year \_\_\_\_\_ Make \_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Motor No. \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Stock No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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**STATEMENT OF WARRANTY**  
 Subject to the provisions and conditions stated below, in the event of mechanical failure of the Vehicle, the Selling Dealer agrees as follows:  
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**PROVISIONS**  
 (a) Mechanical failures resulting from collision, accident, abuse or lack of maintenance, are expressly excluded from the above coverage.  
 (b) Repairs are to be made in the Selling Dealer's Service facilities.  
 (c) Such repairs do not qualify under any new vehicle warranty still applicable to the Vehicle.  
 (2.) Upon the expiration of the warranty period specified in (1.) above and for a period ending 24 months from the date the warranty period specified in (1.) above commenced, the Selling Dealer will allow a discount of \_\_\_\_\_ off the normal retail charges for parts and labor repair necessary to keep the Vehicle in serviceable condition under normal use.

**GENERAL CONDITIONS**  
 This Warranty is issued by the Selling Dealer only, and not by the manufacturer of the Vehicle.  
 This Warranty is expressly in lieu of any other warranties, expressed or implied, including any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, and any other obligations or liabilities on the Selling Dealer's part, and Selling Dealer neither assumes nor authorizes any other person to assume for it any other liability in connection with the sale of the Vehicle.  
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In witness of all the above conditions, we have attached our signatures this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

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Tart & Juicy Fresh Limes	Lb.	49¢	Kraft's Orange Juice	½ Gal. Jug	99¢
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