

The Floyd County Hesperian



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Water District Vote January 8

The 1974 elections for the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 will be conducted on January 8.

Those counties located within the district's Precincts Number 1 (Osby, Lubbock and Lynn), Number 2 (Cochran, Hockley and Lamb) and Number 5 (Floyd and Hale) will hold their elections this year.

Director for Precinct 5, Chester Bell of Lockney, is an unopposed candidate for re-election.

Absentee balloting, which began on December 19, 1973, will continue through January 4 in the District Office, 1617 Main, Petersburg, for Hale County, and in the County Clerk's Office for Floyd County.

in the District's boundaries.

Nominees for County Committeemen for Floyd County are Joe Cunyus of Lockney (from Commissioner's Precinct 2) and Fred Cardinal of Floydada (from Commissioner's Precinct 4).

Nominees for Committeemen-at-large (two to be elected) are Henry Kveton and Gaylor Groce, both of Petersburg.

Polling places and judges for the election for Floyd County are as follows:

Polling Place No. 1: County Courthouse, Floydada.

Presiding Judge: R.M. (Fred) Battey, Floydada.

Polling Place No. 2: Barker Ins. Agency, Lockney.

Presiding Judge: Barry Barker, Lockney.

Polling places and judges for Hale County are as follows:

Polling Place No. 1: Community Center, Petersburg.

Presiding Judge: John Hegi, Petersburg.

9 TO 4 STARTING MONDAY

New Hours Won't Affect Floydada Schools Academics

Floydada schools start at 9 a.m. (instead of 8:30), Monday and dismiss at 4 p.m. (instead of 3:45). Duncan Elementary School will continue to dismiss 15 minutes earlier than other schools in order to keep buses on schedule.

Although the school day will be shortened by 15 minutes, effects on Floydada schools' classroom periods will be small. In fact, the actual length of the academic periods at Floydada High School will be lengthened-but "activity period," a 30-minute study period, will be eliminated, according to principal C.E. Tyer. FHS students will still have supervised study in regular classroom periods. Lunch hour at FHS will be from 12:12 to 12:52. For High School, it will not be a big change, Tyer said. School officials have asked students to voluntarily go along with fuel-saving measures such as forming

car pools and riding buses to school, and thermostat settings at FHS have been lowered "according to recommendations."

At the two city elementary schools, the new hours will mean only slightly shorter class periods. Lunch hours at Duncan Elementary will remain the same, according to Principal W.P. Nicholson. Andrews Elementary School Principal Bob Copeland told The Hesperian that class periods there would be two and a half minutes shorter and that lunch hour might be shortened slightly. New lunch hour at Andrews is set tentatively at noon to 1 p.m.

A.W. Coltharp, principal at Floydada Junior High, said class periods would be cut two and half minutes and lunch hour would be 11:45 to 12:22 instead of 11:15 to 11:54.

School buses will run 30 minutes later.

City Power Plant Cut To 25 Percent Natural Gas

A report from Jerry Gallaway at the Floydada power plant Friday morning revealed that the plant was cut to 50% natural gas supply on Monday and then cut to 25% on Thursday.

The plant had on hand 46,000 gallons of diesel fuel to power the engines in place of the natural gas, but when the plant was cut to 25% natural gas, the

engines are using 1700 gallons of diesel per day.

Of course this hurts the city's profit picture on selling electricity as diesel fuel is much more expensive than natural gas.

Pioneer Natural Gas supply policy is to take care of residential needs ahead of industrial users.

Kindergarten Classes To Start At Dougherty January 14

Dougherty Kindergarten classes will begin January 14, 1974 and continue on a full day basis for the remainder of the school year under the direction of Mrs. Juanel Farmer.

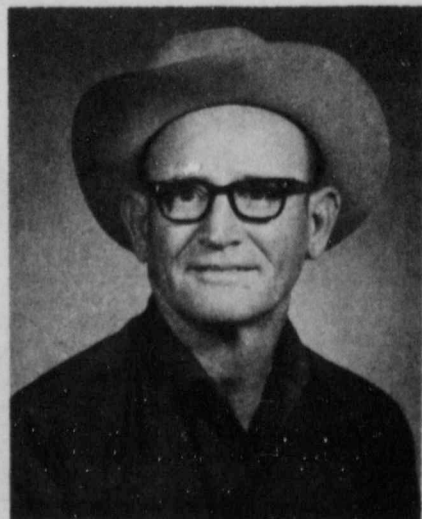
All children who were five years old on or before the first day of September, 1973 are eligible to attend but are not required to attend.

Each student enrolled must have the following records:

1. Birth certificate or photostatic copy.
2. Immunization record including:
 - a. Completion of three doses of polio vaccine the last dose being given since the age of four.
 - b. Three doses of diphtheria/tetanus (DIP, TD) with the last dose being given since the age of four.
 - c. One dose or record of illness of

Rites Pending For B.V. Carver

Funeral rites were pending at Moore-Rose Funeral Home Friday for Bemous V. Carver, 56, who was pronounced dead on arrival at Caprock Hospital around noon Friday. Carver, a county employee for some 16 years, was working at the County Maintenance barn on Mississippi Street when he was stricken with an apparent heart attack. Fellow employees said Carver was seated on a caterpillar backing up to a maintainer when stricken.



BEMOUS CARVER

A native of Crowell, Texas, Carver was born March 18, 1917 and came to Floydada in 1933 from Cisco after being orphaned at the age of 16. He made his home in Floydada with the V.D. Turner family and drove a truck for the late Mr. Turner for a number of years. He was a veteran of World War II, serving with the 91st Infantry Division in Italy. Carver and Virginia Lindsey were married in Floydada October 29, 1966. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Don Daniel of Floydada and Mrs. James Murray of Midland; two sons, Mike of Gypsum, Colo., and Stephen (Murkey) of Portsmouth, New Hampshire; a stepson, Darryl Lindsey of Victoria; a brother, Tommy Abbott of Flomot.

Burial will be in Floydada Cemetery with Moore-Rose Funeral Home in charge.

Active pallbearers will be Truett Bilbrey and Bob Jarrett of Lockney, Felt Patterson of Plainview, Gerald Laekey, Cedar Hill, Sid McFall and Tommy Abbott of Flomot.

Honorary pallbearers will be Doodle Milton, Jim Harper, Ford Johnson, Morris Graham, Fred Robertson, and Dud Graham.



CLOCK-CHANGING TIME AT THE RAILROAD...Daylight Saving Time will become official at 11 a.m. Sunday at the Santa Fe Depot in Floydada—not because the railroad is nine hours behind the rest of us (2 a.m. January 6 is when the nation starts its experiment with year-round DST as, hopefully, a partial remedy to the energy crisis), but because that's when local Santa Fe agent Leon Bell will get the first official time notification via telegraph from the Naval Observatory in Washington, D.C. The Floydada depot is one of very few in the area that still receives the time, in Morse Code, by telegraph. The telegraph set pictured here is perhaps the original one installed in the Santa Fe office when the railroad came to Floydada. Once the only means of communication for the railroad, the telegraph is being phased out in favor of teletype and telephone communications as the railroads go to computers. New operators are not even required to learn Morse Code, Bell said. Note the tobacco can in the telegraph sounder at right in the picture. The tobacco can is traditional addition to the railroad's telegraph, serving as a variable tone control and amplifier.

(Staff Photo by Jim Huggins)

DST To Change Some Business Hours (Maybe)

Some Floydada businesses will open and close a half-hour later starting Monday, some will not change hours, and some don't know what they're going to do, adopting a wait-and-see attitude about the effects of winter Daylight Saving Time on local business.

The Floydada City Office will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Floyd County Courthouse offices are adopting an 8:30-to-5:30 schedule. Several local utility company offices are waiting for word from higher-ups about possible new hours. Southwestern Bell Telephone, Southwestern Public Service, and Pioneer Natural Gas Company plan to open at the regular time (8 a.m.) Monday, even though, as one utility-company employee said, "It

doesn't make much sense for us to open the office before daylight." Lighthouse

MAC Board Meet

The Massie Activity Center board of directors' regular monthly meeting will be at 7 p.m., Monday, January 7, in the MAC, according to Bill Brown, president of the board.

Gasoline Goes Over 50¢ Mark Here

A service station survey in Floydada Friday morning revealed that one service station has priced ethyl at 50.5 cents per gallon.

And national forecasts are that gas will get higher!

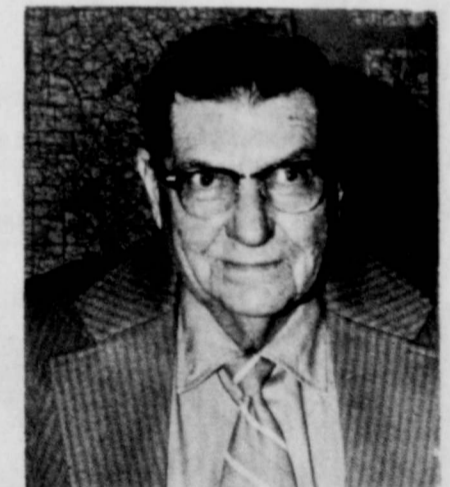
One self service station still had some "tane" gas for 38.9 cents per gallon.

Most regular was running around 40 cents per gallon.

Electric Cooperative office hours will be 8:30 to 5:30 instead of 8 to 5, through May.

At a meeting of business people last week, several downtown merchants favored opening from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and a recheck Friday confirmed that several, including the department stores, planned to at least try those hours to begin with.

The Hesperian Office will open 30 minutes later, at 8:30, and close at 5:30. The Floyd County SCS Office hours will be unchanged, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.



J.K. HOLMES

J.K. Holmes Seeks Re-election To County Judge Office

Floyd County Judge J.K. Holmes this week authorized this newspaper to announce that he is seeking re-election to the judge's office, subject to the May Democratic Primary.

His announcement states: "TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY: I will be a candidate for the office of County Judge and Ex-officio County School Superintendent subject to the action of Democratic Primary on May 4, 1974. I have served as your County Judge for the past nine years and as the Ex-officio Superintendent for the past eleven months. I have enjoyed working with you in both capacities. You have been easy to work for and I appreciate that fact. If you see fit to re-elect me, I will do my best to handle the office in a business like manner.

Sincerely,
/s/ J.K. Holmes
J.K. Holmes

Margaret Collier Seeks Re-election As County Clerk

Floyd County Clerk Margaret Collier this week authorized this newspaper to announce that she will seek re-election to the county clerk's office.

In her announcement she states:

"TO THE CITIZENS OF FLOYD COUNTY: Thank you for giving me the privilege of serving you as County Clerk for the last thirty one years. The longer I work at this job, the more I

enjoy it and the more I appreciate you as an employer.

So, I am asking that you re-elect me to this office and if you do, I will continue to try to make you the kind of County Clerk that I think you want.

Sincerely,
/s/ Margaret Collier
Candidate for re-election to
Office of County Clerk of
Floyd County"

Mary McPherson Announces For Re-election To District Clerk Office

District Clerk Mary L. McPherson has authorized this newspaper to announce her candidacy for re-election to the district clerk's office, subject to the May Democratic Primary.

In her announcement statement, she says:

"TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY: This is to announce my

candidacy for re-election as District Clerk. I sincerely appreciate the cooperation and the courtesy you have given me in the past, and if you reelect me, I will make every effort to merit your confidence.

Respectfully,
Mary L. McPherson"

Caprock Chat

BY WENDELL TOOLEY

WASN'T GOING TO MENTION UFOs our family saw west of our house Thursday night. However, since I heard some reports of UFOs the night near Lubbock...guess we

HAVE ON MY DESK a bank statement from the year 1915 of the State Bank in Floydada. Mark in has been knocking out some things between his building and the Hesperian building, and he found it. Points on the statement are hand ten, very neatly...probably fine led pen. Tom Steen was publisher the Hesperian then and he made deposits of \$250.05 for the month April. (That much might run the Hesperian a day now).

However, like the Hesperian, he was kidding just about all he deposited. Had checks of \$211.01. Just thought banks never make mistakes, but there was an error slip in statement in the amount of 1.40...which was a good sized error in 1915.

One check was \$1.50 for a pair of shoes. The telephone bill for the month was \$2.02.

January 2, 1974

Wendell Tooley, Editor
Floydada Hesperian
Floydada, Texas 79235

Sir—
On December 24th my brother, my Kincer was injured in a mishap downtown Slaton. I would like to mention on the ambulance service provided there. Because of the changing regulations made by the State of Texas on ambulance attendants and equipment used in ambulances, the private ambulance service is quickly declining in smaller towns out substantial subsidizing from city and county. This is the case in Slaton, a town with a population of 6,000. The City Police have taken over the ambulance service with duty officers being on call to make emergency calls. This is good if the attendants are trained in the proper handling of victims and the ambulance is equipped to handle all types of injuries and sudden illnesses, and can handle the scene of an accident in a reasonable length of time. This was not the case in Slaton. The emergency was called in at approximately 10:30 a.m. It took 30 minutes to get an ambulance to the scene which was only two blocks from the station. The manner in which the ambulance was picked up leads me to believe that had little or no training in First Aid was thankful there were no other injuries than to his legs. If there had been a serious injury he surely would have been killed. The ambulance service and attendants were not equipped to handle the emergency run to Reese Force Base Hospital the ambulance was traveling at its top speed. This is the most common first aid procedure associated with serious injuries and illnesses is transportation. It often is one of the most time consuming procedures. Perhaps more attention should be given to training than any other measure associated with emergency assistance. The citizens of Floydada and surrounding areas are most fortunate to have good ambulance service and I hope it will remain for many years.

Respectfully,
Dale Kincer

Start The New Year With A Physical Check-Up

New Year's resolutions are those often-abused commitments that people make to themselves, and to others, for a better life in the coming year. If your list of resolutions is a little short this year, the Texas State

Department of Health offers a few suggestions: First, and most important, see that every member of your family has a thorough check-up. Let your family doctor give you a complete physical examination, es-

pecially if you're over forty, even if you do think you're "getting better, not just getting older." A regular, complete physical exam is the best way yet devised to head off health problems. Smoking has been identi-

fied as a major contributor to cancer, heart disease, and other forms of body abuse. If you don't smoke, don't start. If you do smoke, try to stop or at least cut down drastically.

Take a minute to check your children's immunization records. If you don't have them, give your family doctor a call and ask him to see that your children have received all their immunizations. If not, give your children full protection immediately. You're better safe than sorry.

Remember that children are not the only ones susceptible to tooth decay. Visit your dentist at least once during the year. If he finds more cavities or periodontal disease than you expected, ask him about the latest techniques in preventive dentistry and oral hygiene.

Eating the right food is essential to your health, so resolve to eat a balanced diet from the four food groups. And remember that meat isn't the only source of protein. Seafood, milk products, beans, soy beans, nuts, and cereals are also excellent sources of protein.

Is there a bulge on your body that shouldn't be there - especially around the midsection? You should know that too much weight can contribute to high blood pressure, heart disease, and many other physical problems, all of which could lead to an early death. Promise yourself to start avoiding those delicious little tidbits that put on pounds. Just as important, begin an exercise program to tone up those muscles and give you new vigor.

Time Change After Worship At First Baptist

Members of Floydada's First Baptist Church will wait until after the morning

worship service Sunday, January 6, to make the switch to the year-round Daylight Savings Time. The church has used this method at time changes for the past two years. Members feel that it makes the switch a little easier.

The system used at First Baptist simply means members wait until 12:00 noon Sunday, when the morning worship service ends, and then move their watches forward to one o'clock.

Students in the Littlefield School District, Lamesa Middle School, Shallowater's Ruth Webb Elementary School, Floydada's Andrews Ward School, Lubbock's Smiley Wilson Junior High School, and North Pecos Elementary School have received their copies of the 1974 National Spelling Bee Practice Book.

Seven thousand copies of the word study book will be distributed by The Lubbock Avalanche - Journal, sponsors of the bee in this area. Students will compete on classroom and school levels before champions are named in county contests. The county winners will compete for the regional title at a bee to be conducted in Lubbock during April.

One million additional kilowatt hours monthly is being added to the critical Pacific Northwest energy supply by utilizing wood wastes of the Simpson Timber Co., Seattle, Wash.

H. P. Sandstrom, Northwest operations manager, said a new program for pooling the area's wood wastes, has enabled the company to reactivate steam generators which were mothballed. "We are hauling wood wastes from smaller operations in Mason, Thurston and Grays Harbor counties until the emergency passes," he said.

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Bee Books Distributed

Approximately 500 booklets, "Words of the Champions," to be used in the 22nd Regional Spelling Bee sponsored by The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, have been mailed to area schools within the past two weeks.

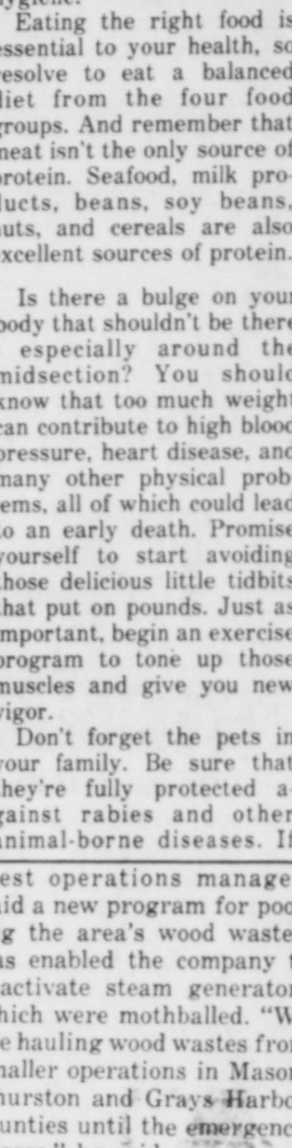
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Wood Wastes Produce Energy

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FOLLOW ME. I'VE ALWAYS MADE IT!



Wipe The Slate Clean

When the chips are down, the American family just a bit harder, and maybe a bit longer, to objectives. There are many challenges still facing us, but solved through the application of one simple work with confidence. It is this ability to work which has helped us breadbasket of the world. It has been the ability to cover and invent that has made the moon our frontier. It has been the ability to achieve, through production, the comforts and conveniences of a society which has drastically reduced the number of poor people. It has been the desire to provide for our families best of our abilities that has triggered more investment in this generation than the total of those developed world began. As we look into 1974, let's be objective so that record new accomplishments together.

Sears Roebuck Named Employer of the Year

The National Employer of the Year Award was presented at the National Association of Manufacturers' Congress of American Industry in New York City. Harold Russell, chairman, President's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped, made the presentation at the beginning Thursday afternoon December 6. The recipient of the award was the Sears Roebuck Company store in Phoenix, Arizona. Paulson, accepted for the award, which is given each year to a company with 200 employees or more, recognize an outstanding record of hiring handicapped persons.

County Agent's Corner

Dear Producer: There will be a set of meetings held in Floyd County to discuss herbicides, fertilizers and farm financing. The meetings will be Wednesday, January 9, 1974 and are listed as follows: 9:00 a.m. - Dougherty School Auditorium. 1:00 p.m. - Harmony Community Center. 3:00 p.m. - Lone Star Community Center. Please attend the meeting close to your area. Dr. James Supak, area agronomist, will present the portion on herbicides and Jim Valentine, soil chemist,

will present the portion on fertilizers and farm financing. George Spaulding (of Production) will discuss financing at the meeting. R.H. Lundy (of Production) will discuss financing at the meeting. We hope you are one of these. Coffee and doughnuts furnished by agri-businesses. Dr. James Supak, area agronomist, will present the portion on herbicides and Jim Valentine, soil chemist,

THRIFTWAY

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ARM ROAST \$1.19

FROZEN TURBOT FISH FILLETS LB. 79¢

ROME BEAUTY APPLES 3 LB. BAG 59¢

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FLOUR EACH 79¢

COFFEE 1-LB. CAN 79¢

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BAR STOOLS \$6.66 EACH

CREWEL KITS \$2.88 EACH

HEATING PADS \$3.71 EACH

FOLGERS COFFEE 2 lb. Can \$2.00

MOUNTAIN GROWN 3 lb. Can \$3.00

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FOLGERS COFFEE 1-LB. CAN 79¢

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CENTER NEWS

CENTER, January 2, 1974
A new year - We hope everyone will have a happy new year. I know one thing! It has started off cold, and a little bit of snow or frost last night. If the wind doesn't get up maybe the p.m. will warm up. Ten degrees is pretty cold!

The schools are starting up. Visiting relatives here for the holidays have departed for home.

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Hartline had a pleasant Christmas. They and all their children and families had their get-together at the home of their daughter, the Bob Landrys, at Plainview. These were Mr. and Mrs. "Dub" Hartline and two children of Roswell, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hartline and their two boys, of Levelland, and the Bob Landrys and five children.

The two grandsons from Levelland visited with their grandparents from Wednesday until Friday - with the Floydada Hartlines. A nephew of Mrs. Harline's, Coy Brown of

Dallas, spent Friday night with the Hartlines.

Bob Ashton and family of League City who spent Christmas with his parents, the Clarence Ashtons, and relatives in Plainview, left for home Saturday. Francis expects to fly back to New York about next Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Fuqua of Amarillo, formerly of Center, visiting some of her children in this area, celebrated her birthday Saturday with five of her 9 children present at the Joe Dunn home southeast of town. A son present was Floyd Fuqua, and daughters Mrs. Joe Dunn, and Mrs. Clarence Ashton, all of Floydada, and Mrs. Hubert Scott (Erma Lee) of Davenport, Iowa. Mrs. Fuqua was ninety (90) years old Saturday, and still enjoys life. May she have many more birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Elco Frizzell visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Carpenter Friday p.m. The Carpenters dined New Year's Day with their daughter and husband, Claudine and Joe Conway, city.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Edmondson of Phillips visited the Fred Batteys Christmas

Eve Sunday p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Battey and Mrs. Ola Warren and the Thomas Warrens visited Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee, and a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Teague and grand baby.

Mrs. C.E. Finley spent Christmas with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Lockney. Others present were Leonard and Bertha Lee Finley and Mrs. Tom Jernigan of Plainview and Milton and Beth Finley, Levelland, and Mrs. Shirley Beedy of Stinnett.

Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Frizzell and Mrs. Ava Jackson dined New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mensch of Lubbock spent New Year's Eve and New Year's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Thomas.

Miss Vera Meredith and Bro. and Mrs. Clay Muncy spent from Christmas Eve to Wednesday p.m. in Amarillo where they visited Mrs. Myrtle Meredith and daughter and family - Juanita and H.C. Burke and children.

Mrs. Joyce Owens visited Monday p.m. with her grandmother, Mrs. Ola

Warren. The Dale Millers were in Oklahoma for part of the holidays visiting his mother. Mrs. Miller is visiting in Lubbock today.

Mrs. Morris Carroll and son reached home New Years after spending the holidays in Paris and McKinney with her mother, and Mr. Carrolls parents and other relatives. Mr. Carroll, who is with the transport company, spent parttime with the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lightfoot attended a party Monday night at Mrs. Lillian Marble's.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mayfield spent the holidays with their son Eugene and family of N. Little Rock, Arkansas. She came home with a cold.

The J.E. Green clan, minus five, met over the weekend at the parental home for the Christmas season get-together. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Victor Green, Jim and Steve of Plainview; Don Clark Green of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Green, Gretchen, Kenneth Mark and Annie of Peralta, N.M.; Dr. and Mrs. Ryman, Sarah, Donna, Susie, Nancy, Jay,

Jamie and the new member, baby Irma Elizabeth of Hubbard and Ma Green. Also Anthony Latta, Carol and Sam of Mt. Blanco. Others had a virus and had to stay home. We had more good things to eat and a Christmas gift exchange and the sweet fellowship. Good, but we missed our dear Daddy. 16 of us attended church at Calvary.

father, John Lloyd and other relatives. Other relatives visiting in the Lloyd home during this time were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dorsey of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lloyd, Mitch and Dale of Lubbock.

FLOYD DATA

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb, Marcus, Charles and Jayna of Alexandria, Va., left for home Monday after spending the past ten days in Floydada visiting her

FLOYD DATA
Kellie McDowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDowell, expects to be able to return to school Monday after being ill since before Christmas.

She was dismissed from Lockney General Hospital Christmas Day after receiving treatment for a liver ailment.

NEW BUSINESS HOURS
STARTING JANUARY 7, 1974
Monday through Friday
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
SATURDAY
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
WILLSON & SON - BUILDERS MART
Floydada



Dear Abby

most voice hams
reader's life

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Would you like to hear a true, modern story? One evening while sitting alone, I heard a voice distinctly. I could find no one inside the house. A while later I heard it again. It seemed to come out of the air. I checked the TV sets. None was on. I completely bewildered and somewhat frightened.

A few nights later, a neighbor was visiting me and we heard this man's voice. We searched the house together and discovered the voice was coming from a transistor that was turned off!

A "ghost" was a ham radio operator in my neighborhood broadcasting with such a powerful signal that he kept me out of everything but the fillings in my teeth. I was that's next.

A "ghost" interferes with the reception on my TV, stereo—everything. Some neighbors have told me they have the same trouble. I've written to the FCC in Washington and they have done nothing about it. Can you help?

HAUNTED IN HOLLYWOOD

DEAR HAUNTED: The next time you hear your radio, write down his call letters, and send it in a registered letter of complaint to your regional FCC office. [Federal Building, Los Angeles.] Ask your neighbors who have similarly annoyed to sign it, and send a registered letter to your ham. He is using improperly shielded equipment which is against the law, and can be remedied.

The FCC is reluctant to crack down too hard on off-air operators because in times of emergencies and disasters, these hams provide a wonderful public service when all other communications fail.

DEAR ABBY: What should one do about a sister who, seeing something of yours she likes, says: "Oh, will please leave that to me when you die?"

He is my younger sister, and she does that with all of her brothers and sisters, too. **IRKED IN PORTLAND**

DEAR IRKED: Tell her you will consider it—if she dies first.

DEAR ABBY: I had my wedding date all set and was several lovely showers, then I had to cancel my wedding due to a misunderstanding. [My fiance's wife changed her mind and refused to give him a divorce.] I had over 100 shower gifts. Suddenly, the whole picture changed when the wife met another man, so now the wedding is rescheduled. I would like to write a little note on wedding invitations to those who gave me a shower gift asking them to kindly return my shower gift.

When I mentioned this idea to a few of my friends they shouldn't do it. Why not? I'm marrying the same only the timing is different. **RESCHEDULED**

DEAR RESCHEDULED: Once a gift is returned it no longer belongs to you. If your friends want to shower you, they will have to reschedule the showers.

Problems? You'll feel better if you get it off your chest. For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Want to write letters? Send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, P.O. Box 69700, Beverly Hills, Cal. 90212 for Abby's booklet, "How to Write Letters for All Occasions."

What One Person Can Do

MOTHER TERESA, Friend Of The Dying

ing beggars are a common sight on the streets of Calcutta, so common that one ignores them - or at best everyone.

Mother Teresa, a Yugoslavian nun, has spent over 25 years befriending these dying beggars during their final hours.

Do you want them to know there are people who love them, who really love them, at least for the hours that they have to live? This is what Mother Teresa told Malcolm Muggeridge, the British commentator, who has written a biography of her titled "Something Beautiful and True."

Summing up his impressions of this remarkable woman, Mr. Muggeridge wrote: "To me Mother Teresa represents love in action which is surely what Christianity is about."

Any faith - to be true to itself - translates love into action. It is up to each of us to discover whether our beliefs stand up to this crucial test.

For a free copy of the Christopher News Notes, "No Easy Answers," send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to The Christophers, in care of this newspaper.

Lockney School Menu

Week Of January 7-11

MONDAY: Chicken salad, French fried potatoes, tossed salad, sliced bread, milk, cherry cobbler.

TUESDAY: Italian macaroni, green beans, jello salad - tomatoes, hot rolls-milk, oatmeal cream pie.

WEDNESDAY: Chicken fried steak, gravy-creamed peas, baked potatoes, hot rolls - milk

THURSDAY: Pinto beans, Spanish rice, cole slaw, cornbread-milk, pineapple

FRIDAY: hot dogs, mexi corn, potato chips, milk-peach cobbler

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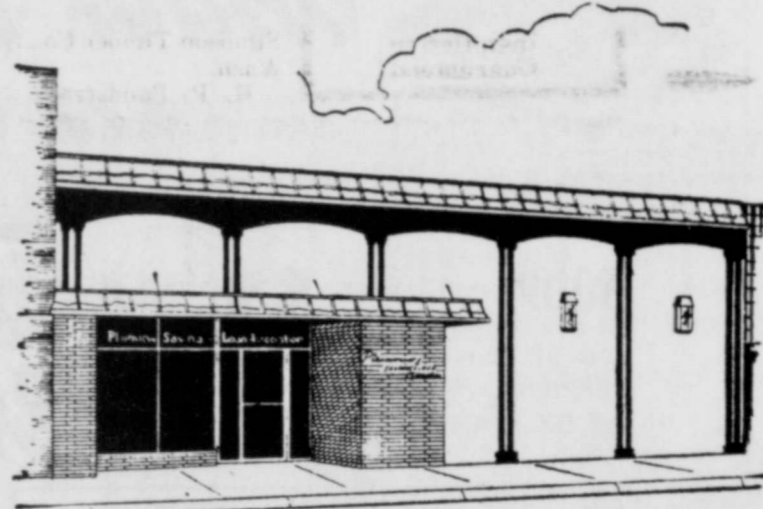
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Society

Ray Astons Have New Years Party

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aston was the scene of a New Years Eve Party Monday night, December 31.

Fraun Luedtke of Paducah and Mrs. Aubrey Burns of Lubbock, a cousin of the bride. They wore formal length gowns of orchid colored crepe fashioned with lace sleeves. They carried a long stemmed white carnation tied with orchid ribbons.

Serving the groom as best man was Mark Whittle of Floydada. Stan Burns, brother of the bride, was ring bearer, and Karla Burns, a cousin, was flower girl. Candelights were Shelly and Sherry Burns, sisters of the bride.

Groomsmen were Kerry McDowell, Floydada, brother of the groom and Mike Burk of Abilene. Serving as ushers were Steve Hendrix, Steve Burns and Stewart Burns, brothers of the bride.

Mrs. Kerry McDowell registered wedding guests. Serving at the reception, which followed the wedding, were Misses Susan Diersing, Susan Wall and Suzanne Brooks.

The newly-weds are residing in Floydada where the groom is employed by Petty Geo. Engineering Co.

Underarm stains on a nylon slip caused by a dress that faded can be removed with no sweat. Pour some rubbing alcohol on a washcloth and rub the spot.

from 6 until after midnight. The guests enjoyed a delicious dinner of ham, salads, cornbread, black-eye peas, and pastries.

Following the meal, the group enjoyed an evening of bridge. Prizes were given for low score and high score. Prizes for low score went to Mrs. Frank Hawkins and C.L. Record; and prizes for high score went to Clark Harris and Faye Holmes. Mrs. Clyde Hill won a prize for a "slam" and making it.

Those attending the event were: Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Record and Breck; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Flowers; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins; Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. Ike Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill; Mrs. Faye Holmes; Mrs. Merle Brotherton; and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aston.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Ward are parents of a daughter, Rebecca Lyn, who was born December 30, in University Hospital in Lubbock at 12:18 a.m. The young lady weighed five pounds and 12 ounces at birth. The mother is the former Carla Bean.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward of Dougherty. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ward of Dougherty; Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Bullock of Post; Mrs. Ennis Autry of Silvertown and Mr. and Mrs. John K. West of Floydada.

A son was born Sunday, December 30, at 6:56 p.m. in Caprock Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jarrett of Floydada. The baby weighed 7 pounds, two and one-half ounces at birth. He has been named Chad Edward. The mother is the former Christine Green.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Corley Jarrett and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green of Floydada. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Green and W.L. Carver of Floydada.

completed her high school education on December 20, and will participate in the graduation ceremonies at the Daingerfield High School in May 1974.

Charlotte is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Lipham and granddaughter of Mrs. Dena Myrick of Floydada and is a former student at Floydada High School.

She and her husband, Robert, reside in Daingerfield where he is a jeweler. Mrs. Spurlock is presently employed at "The Mayflower" dress shop.

Robert Wadlow was the tallest known man. He reached the height of 8 feet 11.1 inches.

The tallest woman in history was Jane Bunford of 18th century England, who grew to 7'7".

King Cotton Sectional Bridge Tournament Set

The King Cotton New Year Sectional Tournament, sponsored by the Llano Estacado Duplicate Bridge Unit, will be held at KoKo Inn, Lubbock, January 10 through 13. Floyd County is within the Llano Estacado unit.

The tournament begins with Unmixed Pairs Thursday afternoon at 1:30, followed by Men's and Women's Pairs at 7:30 p.m. Friday's sessions at 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. include Master's Pairs, for players with more than 20 master points; novice games for players with less than 20 points; and side games for those choosing not to play in either of the main games.

A two-session open pairs game will begin at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, with a consolation event starting at 7:30 p.m. for those who do not qualify or for new entries. A dance will follow the Saturday night session.

Swiss teams are scheduled for 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Sunday, with a buffet dinner to be served between sessions.

Mrs. James A. Bennett is

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Mr. and Mrs. Julian Lipham has as their guests over the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spurlock of Daingerfield; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clappett of Eules and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nelson and baby, Autumn.

Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Myrick of Eules, Mr. and Mrs. Gloy Myrick of Blue Ridge, the Clovis Myricks, and Mrs. Dena Myrick of Floydada.

What a snow job! Early man believed that storms were due to the wrath of a supernatural beast!

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MR. AND MRS. RICKEY MCDOWELL

Miss Burns, McDowell Wed In Candlelight Ceremony

The First Baptist Church in Paducah was the setting December 28 for the candlelight ceremony of Miss Andrea Elaine Burns and Rickey Charles McDowell. Herman Lancaster of Paducah performed the

double-ring ceremony at 8 o'clock p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burns of Paducah and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDowell of Floydada.

Miss Nancy Henderson of Lockney presented the traditional Wedding March and recessional at the organ. Miss Kelly McDowell, sister of the groom, recited "Love Message" from Corinthians.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of bridal satin fashioned with a scalloped neckline and long tapering sleeves of Chantilly lace which also overlay the bodice. Self covered buttons closed the sleeves and also accented the bodice back from neckline to waist. The gown, worn by the bride's mother for her wedding, was used for something old by the daughter. Something new was her bridal veil, a lace mantilla caught to a fitted pearly crown. She carried a bouquet of orchid colored carnations and white roses with steamers. For something borrowed the bride carried a silk handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother and wore a blue wedding garter made by her aunt. As the bride approached the wedding altar she paused to present her mother with a long stemmed red rose and as she left she presented a matching flower to the groom's mother.

Miss Glenda Powell of Paducah was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss



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PORK STEAK, LB. 89¢
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MILK OF MAGNESIA 12-OZ. BTL. 79¢

FREEZE DRIED COFFEE 8-OZ. JAR \$1.89

IVORY LIQUID 32-OZ. BTL. 59¢

AXJAX CLEANSER 2 8-OZ. CANS 49¢
FOLGERS COFFEE 2-LB. CAN 2.19
FOLGERS COFFEE 3-LB. CAN 3.29
POP CORN 32 OZ. BAG 39¢
CHILI PEPPERS 1 1/2-LB. JAR 29¢
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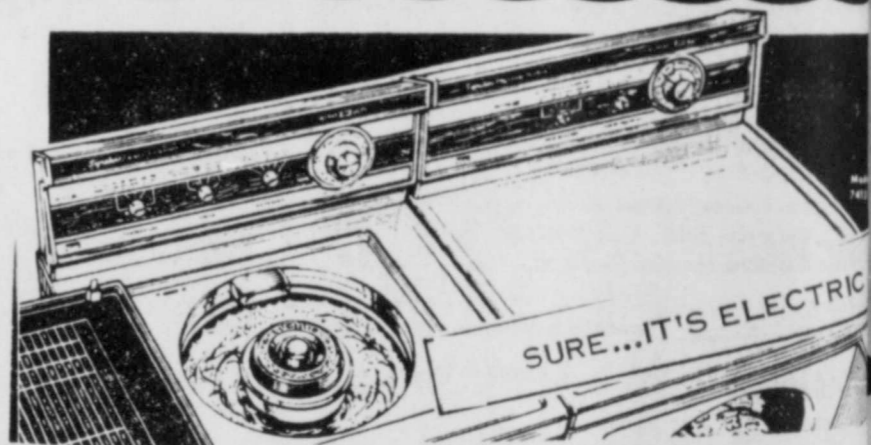
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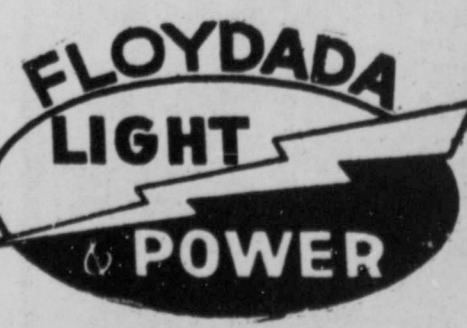
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More Money For School Lunch Program

Increases Rates of Lunch Payments For Lunch And School

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has retroactively increased its payment rates to educational agencies. Schools pay for school lunches and school breakfasts, which they have served for the past six months. Increased rates cover school lunch and breakfast programs July 1 and Dec. 31, they were announced by the U.S. Department of Education's Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) as a step in implementing the new child nutrition law passed last year.

ment to help defray food costs of each lunch served to participating school children was increased from 8 to 10 cents. Within that average, states were authorized to vary the rate of reimbursement to individual schools up to a maximum 16 cents a lunch. Previously the ceiling was 14 cents.

For the first time, states will receive a guaranteed additional payment to assist in the service of lunches to needy children of 35 cents for each reduced-price lunch and 45 cents for each free lunch. Any state where payments averaged higher than this rate last year will be paid at that higher level through Dec. 31, 1973. In cases of severe need, the

federal per lunch reimbursement to individual schools can range as high as 70 cents for each lunch served free, 10 cents above the previous maximum. Payment rates for each reduced-price lunch in these circumstances may vary up to a high of 60 cents, the same level previously allowed.

The new regulations also give the states the responsibility for determining relative need among schools and for setting variable rates of cash reimbursement within federally-allowed maximums.

The national average payment for each paid breakfast served to eligible children, which has been 5 cents, will be increased to 8

cents. The payment for each reduced-price breakfast, which has been 15 cents, will be increased to 23 cents. And the payment for each free breakfast, which has been 20 cents, will be increased to 28 cents.

For cases of severe need, maximum rates of reimbursement for especially needy schools have also been increased. The maximum rate for free breakfasts, which has been 30 cents, has been increased to 45 cents. A school is considered especially needy if it serves a high percentage of free and reduced-price breakfasts to children who meet the school's eligibility standards, has unusually high costs in providing breakfast, or has other unusual factors

indicating special financial need.

The regulations formerly provided that for schools other than those deemed especially needy, the assistance payments would be limited to the cost of obtaining food. That limit has now been expanded to include labor and other costs.

Full details of the revised national school lunch and school breakfast program regulations were scheduled for publication in the Federal Register December 28.

The Department will shortly announce its rates of payment for both programs for the six-month period, Jan. 1 to June 30, 1974.

Obituaries

E.F. Rivers

Funeral services were held in Amarillo Wednesday, January 2, 1974 at 2 p.m., at the Antioch Missionary Baptist Church for E.F. Rivers a former Lockney resident. Mr. Rivers was a former employee of the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad.

Mr. Rivers was born on November 23, 1913 and died on December 30, 1973 after several years of failing health.

He is survived by his wife, Dessie, one daughter, Mrs. Ruth Ann Tenorio of Amarillo, four grandchild-

Doyle Vick Injured In Amarillo

Doyle Vick, 23 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Vick of Floydada, was to undergo surgery Friday in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo to remove a blood clot in his head. Doyle, a graduate of Floydada High School, was involved in what was considered a minor wreck on slick roads Wednesday in Amarillo in which he sustained a bump on his head. Relatives said he sought medical aid after he developed a headache and was hospitalized.

Doctors notified the parents that surgery would be

required and the family left immediately Friday upon learning the news. Doyle's condition was not known in Floydada at press time. He is employed by M&N McKee Co., in Amarillo and was making a delivery at the time of the mishap, relatives said.

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Visiting during the holidays with Mrs. H.R. Stanley, were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Grones, Marion and Gene of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Holt and Curtis of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Smith Jr., Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. James Stanley, David and Douglas, Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis, Glen, Susan, and Sherry, Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Roy, Donnie, Stevie, Larry and Michael of Amarillo.



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Piggly Wiggly, Pure Ground
Pioneer Biscuit Mix 4-oz. Can 39¢

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Peanut Butter 18-oz. Jar 63¢

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Pie Filling 21-oz. Jar 73¢

Baker's, Canned, Angel
Flake Coconut 3 1/2-oz. Can 31¢

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Frosting Mix 13 1/4-oz. Box 35¢

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Synanon Visits The Southwest

Six representatives from Synanon, the highly successful re-education center for drug addicts and alcoholics, will be in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico during the month of January.

What they are selling is not a tangible hard good or even a direct service, but a solution to one of the most dreaded social problems in our country today — drug addiction.

The cost of the solution comes in many forms. The donation of a hoof to feed a mately 1,600 and children Synanon.

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With 20 million acres of cropland in Texas, long-term fuel saving possibilities by improved methods of minimum tillage are huge, Thomas pointed out.

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Out of town visited during in the G.A. were: Mr. and Hammit and Stan, and Jana Colorado. They mas Eve and Later they enjoy from the gala th enjoyed praying of Christmas

On New Year McAda's great family Mr. and Cherry and Darwin of Ark., surprised with a visit.

FARM REVIEW

Tractor fuel savings big in new farming practice

A new conservation farming technique saved an estimated 1.8 million gallons of tractor fuel in Texas this year, reports an official of the U.S. Soil Conservation Service.

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Placements Decline . . . Pecan Crop Unchanged . . . Texas Ranks Among the Top 10.

Cattle feeders are losing \$100 and more per head as beef prices have declined more than 30 per cent since summer high levels. As a result, the number of placements going into feedlots is down 20 to 26 per cent throughout the major feedlot states.

Texas continues to be the number one cattle feeding state in the nation with 2,277,000 head on feed as of Dec. 1. This is three per cent below a month ago.

Placements into Texas feedlots during November are 10 per cent below November a year ago and 26 per cent below the previous month.

In the seven major feeding states—Texas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas—placements are down 20 per cent.

TEXAS pecan crop as of Dec. 1 is still set at a puny 23,000,000 pounds, almost two thirds below the 1972 production.

Nationwide, the 1973 pecan crop is forecast at 263,000,000 pounds, 43 per cent more than last year's crop.

Pecan harvest is active throughout the state with most of the crop having been gathered.

SMALL grain statistics for Texas for 1973 are now available. Texas ranks in the top 10 in production of oats, wheat, rye, and flaxseed. Texas ranked 17th in the nation during 1973 in production of barley. The state was sixth in oat production, sixth in wheat, 10th in rye, and fifth in flaxseed.

The top 10 counties in oat production during 1973 in Texas are Coleman, Hamilton, Collin, Denton, Bosque, Cooke, Medina, Coryell, Grayson and Brown.

The top 10 counties in barley production in Texas during 1973 are Parmer, Pecos, Reeves, El Paso, Hudspeth, Wichita, Ochiltree, Wilbarger, Knox and Jones.

Counties in the top 10 in winter wheat production in Texas are Ochiltree, Sherman, Hansford, Deaf Smith, Randall, Moore, Carson, Parmer, Swisher, and Hartley.

Counties in the top 10 in rye production are Hale, Henderson, Erath, Deaf Smith, Denton, Dallam, Motley, Castro, Collingsworth, and Wheeler.

The top 10 counties in flaxseed production in Texas during 1973 are Karnes, Atascosa, Bee, Live Oak, Wilson, Duval, Guadalupe, Frio, Jim Wells, and La Salle.

A limited number of copies of 1973 Texas Small Grain Statistics are available by writing the Texas Department of Agriculture, or the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, Austin, Texas.

A FINAL reminder—if you are one of the 75,000 Texas farmers or livestock producers who have received a questionnaire from the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service be sure and fill it out and return it promptly.

This will be used to present the economic picture of Texas agriculture. None of the reports will be used on an individual basis. They will be compiled into county, district, and state totals.

Agriculture continues to be Texas' largest and most important industry, so as true a picture of it as can be obtained is essential.

DRYLOT sheep feeders with a lot capacity of 2,000 head or more had 91,000 sheep and lambs on feed as of Dec. 1. This is two per cent below the number on feed a month earlier and 22 per cent below the number on feed a year ago.



JOHN LEE CARTHEL is shown shredding stalks north of Lockney. Mr. Carthel was getting the land ready to plow at a later date. Carthel told the Beacon that the stalks were being used for cattle grazing up until Friday.

AT MATADOR

Prisoner Reverses Fire Suicide Plan

MANY ways of taking one's life have been devised, but strangling by smoke is not a popular one. Conrad Zarate, Jr., 28 of Matador had been jailed December 15, for intoxication. He was arrested by Highway Patrolman Neil Haralson.

In the late afternoon what was believed to be a fire, in the East end of the jail was discovered. The Tribune called Sheriff Jinks Wilson who responded immediately.

He found the upper story of the jail in a mass of smoke and flames. In the midst of the smoke was Zarate with a blanket over his head, who called to Sheriff Wilson. He told the sheriff he wanted to take his life.

Sheriff Wilson told him to take the blanket from his head and help breathe up

some of the smoke and stench of burning feathers. In coughing spasms Zarate told the sheriff he did not want to commit suicide, at least by choking and burning.

The fire was extinguished and Zarate was placed in the West compartment. The following morning he cleaned up the debris of the fire and later made bond.

Sheriff Wilson told the Tribune later that the call to him possible saved Zarate's life, as Jailer Ray Webb and his wife were probably listening to television downstairs and would not have known about the fire until Zarate had suffocated.

TRAIL DUST



Time continues to drag out the chain of years, so slowly that it does not rattle, yet the span of a lifetime makes a little hill that sinks partially into the soil from its own weight. At times there is a bright link that remains polished from the frequent contact with memories. Each New Year usually brings some bright hopes and resolutions of greater effort; glistening gratitude for the blessings which have come to our lives.

++ Greatness seldom arrives with fanfare and the thumping of drums but it overtakes

men with a realization that they have arrived and that their work has produced achievement. During my life I have watched two men become great and millionaires while they labored over dreams. They were quiet men who did not shout to the world that they had succeeded, and merely shared each small advance with their friends. When wealth arrived they bought new homes and automobiles for their families, but continued their work in humble surroundings, at the places where their dreams had become realities. Later they moved to factories that produced the products they had devised. Both men remained unchanged in their attitudes toward the world and their friends. The way they dressed changed very little because they had always dressed neatly and they saw no reason for change. They were always smiling and modest. Greatness is truly great only when it is humble.

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