# nta Claus Is Coming To Town!

da Chamber of Commerce ord from Santa Claus nto Floydada Saturday, isit with the little boys ta says he will have and treats for the good

bably be brought from e big fire truck. He will be sponsored by the Young Homemakers, who will have more details about his visit in Thursday's Hesperian.

Chamber of Commerce manager Doug Frazior reports the Lions Club will have downtown music going by December 6th and the utility companies will have the street decorations up by then also.

Frazior said Beta Sigma Phi would

also have a balloon sale that Saturday. The 1956 Study Club has gone to

work on its Santaland which will be in the Community room of the First National Bank this year . . . they say this is a warmer and nicer place than last vear's location.

Santa will be in Santaland December 11, 12, 13. On Thursday and Friday he will be visiting the little boys and girls from 10 to 12 a.m. and 3 to 6 p.m. On Saturday, the 13th, he will be there from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Santa will again be giving out free candy and if you want a picture of your child with Santa bring your camera or members of the study club will shoot a polaroid for you.



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starters from last year: Michael Curry, Steve Moore and Donzell Minner. He is also counting on Jerry McGuire (who was ill for the Littlefield game) Elton Ratliff, Royce Chadwick and Mickey

Michael was high scorer with 18 points in the Littlefield game . . . Elton made 11. The Whirlwinds had the lead until the third quarter when Michael fowled out. Coach Rinker praised the good floor game of guard Royce Chadwick, Donzell's quickness and Steve's good job on the rebounds.

Other team members include: Curtis Smalley, Randy Ratheal, Rick Carthel, Steve Westbrook and Joey Davis.

Coach Rinker has nine years basketball coaching experience at

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# Floyd County Hesperian

Eight Pages in One Section

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1975

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#### Floyd County 4-H Gold Star

#### Winners Honored

With parents, supporters and special guests looking on Monday night, 38 outstanding 4-H'ers were presented the highest county award offered in the 4-H Club program - the Gold Star. Curtis Smalley and Ann Campbell, Floyd County winners, were among those receiving the honor.

Award ceremonies, which included a banquet in their honor, were staged at Lubbock's Coronado High School. Twelve member-owned electric cooperatives serving district 2 hosted the event with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, which directs the 4-H program in Texas.

A boy and girl from each of the 20 counties in Extension Service District 2 are eligible to receive this highest county award each year. The award is based on outstanding achievement, leadership and contribution to the county 4-H program

Speaker for the special occasion was Charles W. Stenholm, general manager of Stamford Electric Cooperative, Inc., Stamford, Texas, and past president of Texas Electric Cooperatives, Inc.,

Austin, Texas. Master of ceremonies was Mrs. Gail House, Department of Home Economics instructor at Texas Tech University. Mrs. Aubrey W. Russell, District 2 Extension Agent (retired), Lubbock, narrated the presentation of awards, with District Extension Agents Billy C. Gunter (agriculture) and Catherine B. Crawford (home

economics) presenting the honors.

Special guests included parents, adult leaders, Extension Service officials, representatives of electric cooperatives and other supporters of the 4-H program.

The event is sponsored annually by the following 12 electric cooperatives: Bailey, Dickens, Lamb, Deaf Smith and Swisher counties, and Lea County, New Mexico. Also, Caprock, Light house, Lone Wolf, Lyntegar, Midwest and South Plains electric cooperatives.

To qualify for the special award, a 4 H'er must be at least 13 years of age, have completed at least three years of club work and be currently active in

According to the district agents, the Gold Star Award is intended to stimulate winners through higher achievements and to encourage other young people to participate in the county 4-H program.

Attending the awards banquet other than those honored were Commissioner Doodle Milton and Mrs. Milton; Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Whitfill and Kathy Burk, Lighthouse Electric; Doug Frazior, Floydada Chamber of Commerce manager; County Ext. Agent Doyle Warren and Mrs. Warren; Asst. County Agent Steve Herber and Mrs. Herber: County Agent Home Ec., Mrs. Sharon Hillis; Gerald and Penny Smalley and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Campbell and family.



CURTIS SMALLEY, ANN CAMPBELL,

GOLD STAR 4-H WINNERS

## The Weather

(Courtesy of Pioneer Natural Gas Co.)

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# Total prec. for year Graveside Services Here For J.N. Jones

Graveside services for Joe Neil Jones, 59 year old Amarillo man and a native of Floydada, were held at 2:30 Saturday, November 29th, at the Floydada Cemetery where his father, the late C. S. Jones and two brothers are buried.

Jones died in a housefire about 5:20 p.m. Thursday after apparently falling asleep while smoking in bed in his home at 507 Florida St. Relatives said he had been in failing health for some time. He lived alone

He was the nephew of Mrs. O. E. Murry of Floydada and cousin of Lloyd Murry of Floydada and Floyd Murry of Canadian.

Born in Floydada, Jones was a

veteran of World War II and made his

home in Floydada until moving to the Amarillo area a number of years ago. Survivors include his mother, Mrs. C. S. Jones, who is residing in a nursing home in Amarillo; and a brother, Howard R. Jones.

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Most local businesses can offer their goods and services at competitive prices, so COMPARE the costs of shopping out-of-town with the advantages of doing business with Floydada

From your Floydada Chamber of Commerce & Floyd Co. Board of Development.

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By Wendell Tooley

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Fact is, I've already been quail hunting once this year and only got one

shot . . . and no quail. So .... I don't have any sympathy for the quail "hogs".

EVER HEAR OF THE football team at Big Sandy, Texas? This is a class B school that beat Carlisle school of Price, Texas 91-0 Friday night.

Big Sandy has a junior running back by the name of David Overstreet. David had been averaging 235 yards a game until Friday night when he was pulled with only 169 yards . . . . 40 yards a carry. Overstreet is 6-1, 194

Perhaps Big Sandy can get some competition next year, as it advances to class A.

"How long have you been driving without a tail light, buddy?" demanded the policeman.

The driver ran to the rear of his car and started to moan. His distress was so great that the officer was moved to ease up on him a bit. "Aw, come on, now," he said, "you don't have to take it so hard. It isn't that serious."

"It isn't?" cried the motorist. "What happened to my boat and trailer?"



FFA STUDENTS build playground equipment for Migrant Housing area east of Della Plains School. (top photo) Left to right: Drew Shurbet, Paul Lloyd, Max Probasco, Michael Rainwater, and Billy Marricle. (Bottom photo) Left to right: Michael Rainwater, Becky Bertrand, Monte Williams and Billy Marricle. (Photos by Keith)

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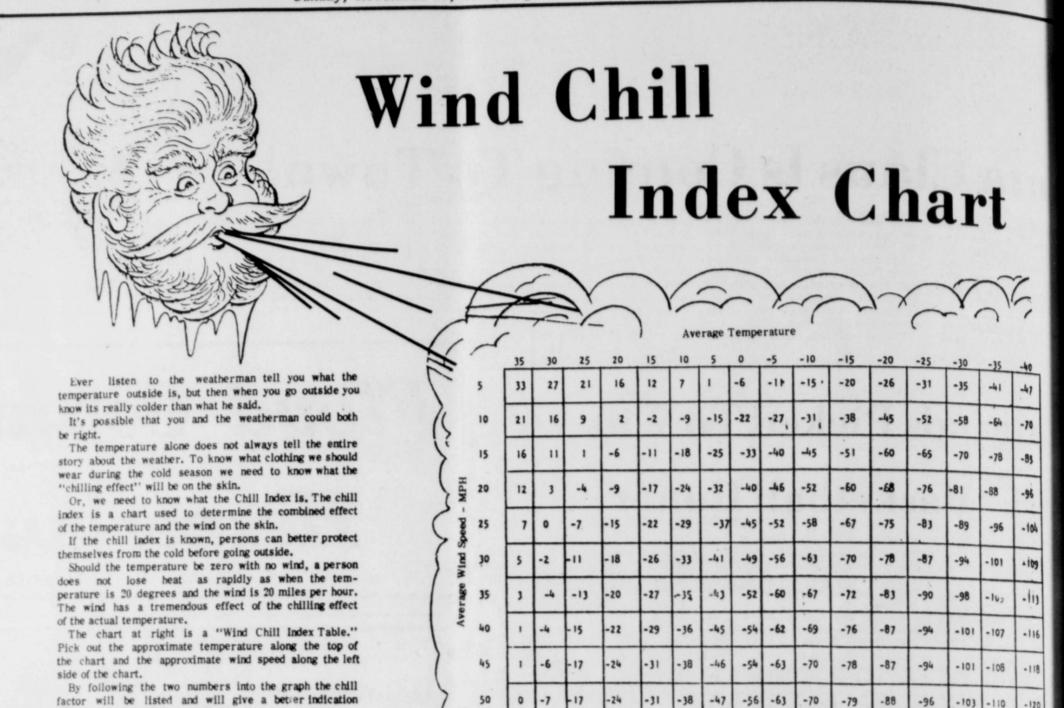
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Harvest for the state is more than a third complete.

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Every two years, farmers parts. pressure sensitive triangle overlay or by replacing the entire emblem, White said.

Slow Moving Vehicle emblems can be purchased at farm implement stores or

when they're new, they fade general merchandise stores specializing in automobile

> The emblem is a symbol normally operates at a speed

> According to state law, the emblem should be mounted base down on the rear of the vehicle between three and five feet above the road surface.

The emblem is to be maintained in a clean, reflective condition.

AGRICULTURISTS STUDY MARICULTURE Members of the Professional Agricultural Workers of Texas got a firsthand look at the mariculture industry along with prospects for the future during their annual meeting at Corpus Christi, November 5-7. With the theme, "Food from Fish," the meeting featured talks about the status of the shrimp industry, research in seafood technology, potentials for the fish industry along the Texas Gulf Coast, and progress with pond-

raised shrimp production.

The group also toured

shrimp farming demonstra-

tions along the Laguna

#### Cotton Forecast Reduced; Total Set at 2.8 Million Bales

AUSTIN-The forecast for over last upland cotton production in drought-plagued yield of 269 Texas this year has been revised downward slightly as a result of unusual weather excellent growing conditions conditions on the High Plains.

Production, first forecast at 3.025 million bales, is now forecast at 2.86 million

reflects an increase over last year's short crop of only 2.462 million bales, according to Agriculture Commissioner John C.

Yield per acre is expected to average 343 pounds, a pounds.

Following a period of during August, the cotton crop on the High Plains was hit with unusually cold, wet fall weather. This resulted in heavy defoliation of leaves which is expected to reduce The revised figure still both yield and quality

> At the beginning of November, cotton harvest for the state was on schedule with last year, at 29 percent



COLD AND RAIN IN SEPTEMBER, DR OCTOBER has reduced the forecast for production in the High Plains this year, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White. Eve reduction, however, Texas farmers expect an the 1974 of nearly 21/2 million bales.

Merlin the Mog

# FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

Activities scheduled for the first two weeks of December in the Lubbock area furnish additional evidence that the eyes of the textile industry are turning more and more to the Texas High Plains.

On December 1, three representatives from the Investa Foreign Trade Company of Prague, Czechoslovakia, accompanied by an official from the Czech Embassy in Washington, will be visiting the Textile Research Center at Texas Tech. Investa is one of the world's most important and progressive manufacturers of textile machinery.

On December 2 W. Gordon McCabe, Jr., Group Vice President of J.P. Stevens & Company, Inc., will bring head cotton buyer Foy Fisher and five of the company's mill superintendents to look over the High Plains crop, visit gins and acquaint themselves with Lubbock's new open-end spinning plant, Feather Yarns, Inc. Stevens, based in Greenville, S.C., is one of the U.S. leaders in open-end spinning and the mill superintendents are those from plants involved in the of 25 miles per hour or less. production of yarns on the open-end system.

The following week, December 9, the Cotton Committee of the American Textile Manufacturers Institute (ATMI) will hold a breakfast meeting in Lubbock followed by a tour of harvesting and ginning operations and the Feather Yarns plant. The 30 members of the ATMI committee are top officials of 27 textile manufacturing companies that account for over half the cotton consumed in the U.S. each year. They are meeting in Lubbock at the invitation of James Parker, Director of the Textile Research Center at Tech.

The increased attention being paid to the High Plains by people in the U.S. and world textile industry, according to Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., is directly related to "the growing interest in open-end spinning, the expanding physical plant and activities of Tech's TRC and the continued production on the High Plains of from 15% to over 20% of the U.S. cotton crop each year." PCG is joining other individuals and groups as hosts to the distinguished High Plains visitors.

The ATMI Cotton Committee has broad responsibility for all matters concerning the textile industry's interest in cotton fiber, such as trading procedures and rules, quality, supply and arbitration. It is also responsible for national policies regarding cotton and advises the ATMI Board of Directors on cotton related matters. Fifteen or more of the 30 committee members are expected to attend the Lubbock meeting, according to Staff Secretary Donald J. May.

The Textile Research Center at Tech is becoming an increasingly important factor in the textile world, especially where open-end spinning is concerned. Construction of a new wing at the Center, adding 12,500 sq. ft. of floor space, is scheduled for completion in the Fall of 1976. The new space will be used for an open-end spinning laboratory, larger and more complete knitting facilities, three chemistry laboratories and additional fiber testing.



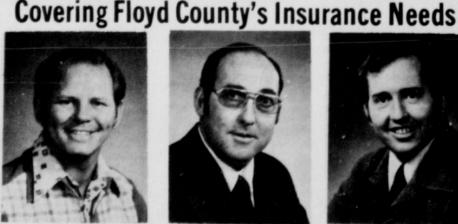
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With inflation continuing to out-pace Social Security which is about on schedule with a year ago.

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benefits, it seems nearly everyone would have to be included in a private pension plan. How extensive is this involvement?



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### oters Must Re-Register

December 14, that they had to file a new registration form to remain eligible to vote in elections after January 31, 1976.

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"Here is your new voter registration certificate which may be used for voting in elections for a two-year period beginning March 1, 1976, and ending on February 28, 1978. Your new certificate represents the end product of efforts to streamline the Texas voter

registration system. I Believe Texas now has the best permanent voter registration system in the United States...

State Representative Bob

Close said recently that the registration procedure was changed by the Legislature because jury lists, taken

from the voting list, were being cluttered with names of persons who had died or moved away, and the new procedure was adopted to "purge" the jury lists.

One weekly editor spoke critically of the new measure: "A wholesale 'purge' of the voter registration lists

during a two-month period just ahead of a major election year is not only going to impose a tremendous burden on the tax assessing offices across the state, but inevitably is going to catch a lot of voters unaware.'

Jonelle Fawver, Floyd county tax assessor-collector requested that persons in Floyd County wait until they receive their application in the mail to re-register.

FISHING ANYONE ? Fish can be caught in the Sahara Desert. By digging through the sand to underground streams fishermen can obtain fresh-water fish

Christmas Collections Needed For

#### **December Display In County Museum**

The museum would like to hear from anyone willing to loan early-day Christmas greeting cards, tree ornaments, decorations, or other Christmas items (toy collections, etc.) for display in the museum during December.

All items will be displayed in glass-enclosed areas and will be returned to the owner at the end of the Christmas holidays.

Anyone who is interested in allowing the museum to display their items may call Nancy Marble at 983-2937.



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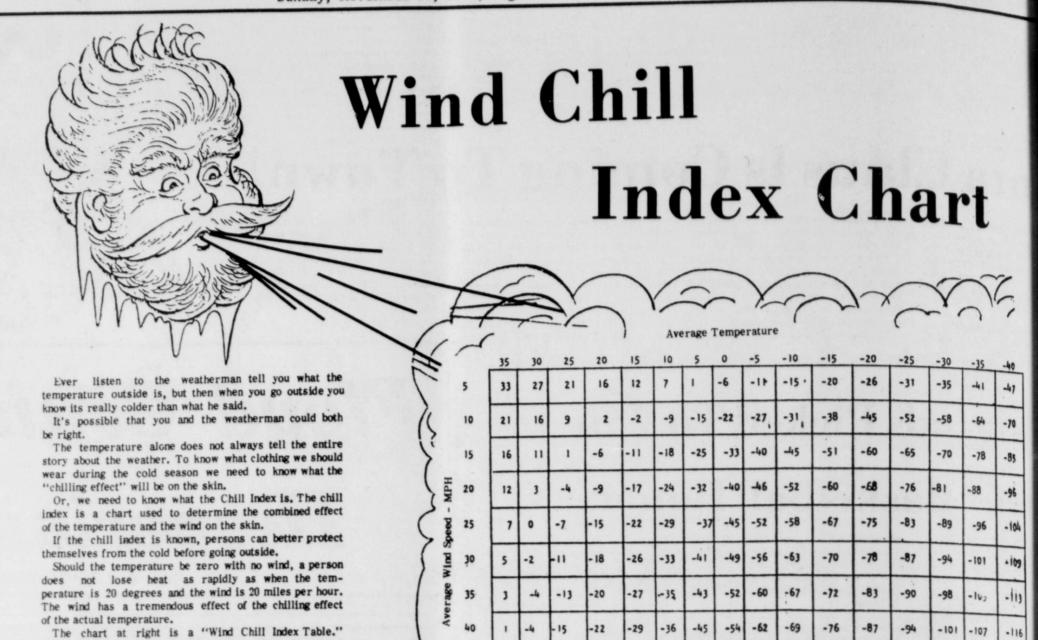
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Harvest for the state is more than a third complete, With inflation continuing to out-pace Social Security which is about on schedule with a year ago.

benefits, it seems nearly everyone would have to be when they're new, they fade general merchandise stores included in a private pension plan. How extensive is

gradually, White stated. Every two years, farmers parts.

Slow Moving Vehicle emblems can be purchased at farm implement stores or

According to state law, the emblem should be three and five feet above the

road surface. The emblem is to be maintained in a clean, reflective condition.

AGRICULTURISTS STUDY MARICULTURE Members of the Professional Agricultural Workers of Texas got a firsthand look at the mariculture industry along with prospects for the future during their annual meeting at Corpus Christi, November 5-7. With the theme, "Food from Fish," the meeting featured talks about the status of the shrimp industry, research in seafood technology, potentials for the fish industry along the Texas Gulf Coast, and progress with pondraised shrimp production. The group also toured shrimp farming demonstrations along the Laguna

#### Cotton Forecast Reduced; Total Set at 2.8 Million Bales

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AUSTIN-The forecast for over last year upland cotton production in Texas this year has been revised downward slightly as a result of unusual weather conditions on the High

Production, first forecast at 3.025 million bales, is now forecast at 2.86 million

The revised figure still reflects an increase over last year's short crop of only 2.462 million bales, according to Agriculture Commissioner John C.

Yield per acre is expected to average 343 pounds, a considerable improvement completion.

drought-plagued yield of 269 pounds.

Following a period of excellent growing conditions during August, the cotton crop on the High Plains was hit with unusually cold, wet fall weather. This resulted in heavy defoliation of leaves which is expected to reduce both yield and quality potential.

At the beginning of November, cotton harvest for the state was on schedule with last year, at 29 percent



COLD AND RAIN IN SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER has reduced the forecast for production in the High Plains this year, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White. E. reduction, however, Texas farmers expect an the 1974 of nearly 21/2 million bales.

Merlin the Mag

# COTTON TALKS FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

COTTON production in Texas is now officially set at the Lubbock area furnish additional evidence that the eyes 2,800,000 bales. This represents a decline of 60,000 from a of the textile industry are turning more and more to the

On December 1, three representatives from the Investa Foreign Trade Company of Prague, Czechoslovakia, accompanied by an official from the Czech Embassy in Washington, will be visiting the Textile Research Center at Texas Tech. Investa is one of the world's most important and progressive manufacturers of textile machinery.

On December 2 W. Gordon McCabe, Jr., Group Vice President of J.P. Stevens & Company, Inc., will bring head cotton buyer Foy Fisher and five of the company's mill specializing in automobile superintendents to look over the High Plains crop, visit gins and acquaint themselves with Lubbock's new open-end spinning plant, Feather Yarns, Inc. Stevens, based in Green-The emblem is a symbol ville, S.C., is one of the U.S. leaders in open-end spinning and required on machinery that normally operates at a speed the mill superintendents are those from plants involved in the of 25 miles per hour or less. production of yarns on the open-end system.

The following week, December 9, the Cotton Committee of the American Textile Manufacturers Institute (ATMI) will hold a breakfast meeting in Lubbock followed by a tour of mounted base down on the harvesting and ginning operations and the Feather Yarns rear of the vehicle between plant. The 30 members of the ATMI committee are top officials of 27 textile manufacturing companies that account for over half the cotton consumed in the U.S. each year. They are meeting in Lubbock at the invitation of James Parker, Director of the Textile Research Center at Tech.

The increased attention being paid to the High Plains by people in the U.S. and world textile industry, according to Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., is directly related to "the growing interest in open-end spinning, the expanding physical plant and activities of Tech's TRC and the continued production on the High Plains of from 15% to over 20% of the U.S. cotton crop each year." PCG is joining other individuals and groups as hosts to the distinguished High Plains visitors.

The ATMI Cotton Committee has broad responsibility for all matters concerning the textile industry's interest in cotton fiber, such as trading procedures and rules, quality, supply and arbitration. It is also responsible for national policies regarding cotton and advises the ATMI Board of Directors on cotton related matters. Fifteen or more of the 30 committee members are expected to attend the Lubbock meeting, according to Staff Secretary Donald J. May.

The Textile Research Center at Tech is becoming an increasingly important factor in the textile world, especially where open-end spinning is concerned. Construction of a new wing at the Center, adding 12,500 sq. ft. of floor space, is scheduled for completion in the Fall of 1976. The new space will be used for an open-end spinning laboratory, larger and more complete knitting facilities, three chemistry laboratories and additional fiber testing.

# Activities scheduled for the first two weeks of December in

# on how to solv your heating pr n those days, of course. I think wha BE SWITCH TO ELECTRI

this involvement? An estimated 30 million persons, nearly one-half of the private should replace the emblem nonagricultural labor force in the U.S. were enrolled in about 300,000 center, either by applying a

private pension plans having total assets of approximately \$150 billion as of 1972. With the rate of increase continuing, by 1980, the figures pressure sensitive triangle will be: 42 million people, 500,000 plans and \$225 billion in assets. The overlay or by replacing the HR-10 and IRA plans are particularly applicable to self-employed entire emblem, White said. individuals, with or without employees. Prime examples being: professional men, service-oriented businessmen and farmers and

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## Voters Must Re-Register

December 14, that they had to file a new registration form to remain eligible to vote in elections after January 31, 1976.

Following the return of the application to the tax-assessor's office, applicants would receive by mail a new voter registration certificate. This should be received during February,

White suggested that the message to voters put with the certificate should read:

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Stamps Wednesday registration certificate which may be used for voting in elections for a two-year period beginning March 1, 1976, and ending on February 28, 1978. Your new certificate represents the end product of efforts to streamline the Texas voter

registration system. I Believe Texas now has the best permanent voter registration system in the United States...

Close said recently that the registration procedure was changed by the Legislature because jury lists, taken

from the voting list, were being cluttered with names of persons who had died or moved away, and the new procedure was adopted to 'purge" the jury lists.

One weekly editor spoke critically of the new measure: "A wholesale 'purge' of State Representative Bob the voter registration lists

during a two-month period just ahead of a major election year is not only going to impose a tremendous burden on the tax assessing offices across the state, but inevitably is going to catch a lot of voters unaware.

Jonelle Fawver, Floyd county tax assessor-collector requested that persons in Floyd County wait until they receive their application in the mail to re-register.

FISHING ANYONE ? Fish can be caught in the Sahara Desert. By digging through the sand to underground streams fishermen can obtain fresh-water fish

**Christmas Collections Needed For** 

#### **December Display In County Museum**

The museum would like to hear from anyone willing to loan early-day Christmas greeting cards, tree ornaments, decorations, or other Christmas items (toy collections, etc.) for display in the museum during

All items will be displayed in glass-enclosed areas and will be returned to the owner at the end of the Christmas holidays.

Anyone who is interested in allowing the museum to display their items may call Nancy Marble at 983-2937,



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# Society

#### Peggy Jarrett In Who's Who

WTSU-West Texas State University student Peggy A. Jarrett, senior English education major, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarrett of Box 811, Lockney has been selected for inclusion in the 1975-76 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and

Selected students will be awarded an official certificate at graduation and biographies will be published in this year's edition of

The recognition is made by more than 1,000 schools

in all 50 states and the District of Columbia.

Listed students have access to the Reference/-Placement service offered by the Who's Who program. The program will prepare individual letters of recommendation or supply the student's employer with necessary biographical material upon request.

LOCKNEY LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Durham of Borger visited with friends in Lockney last Friday. They were dinner guests of the G. A. McAdas.

Christmas shopping hintshop on weekday mornings. Wednesday is often the least crowded day.

A child who rides in a car without proper restraint may be in serious danger in case of an accident, or even minor impact. Many children who survive such accidents remain permanently disfigured or disabled physically or mentally, Mrs. Linda McCormack, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says.

#### Lockney Care Center Capers

By Linda Cumbie

AND STREET Hi! Well, hope that each and everyone of you had a great Thanksgiving Day. We are now in the Christmas season. Let us not forget - amid our hustle and bustle the true meaning and spirit of Christmas.

We have had a busy week here at the center. We worked in crafts on Friday, Monday and Tuesday. Have been making pixie dolls, card baskets and egg carton baskets. We invite everyone to come and see our crafts anytime.

Last Sunday, Mrs. Violet Cooper and her Sunday School class came and passed out fruit and sang songs to our residents. Later they had fruit salad with their lunch. Thanks alot,

#### BoostersBazaar Saturday

There will be baked

The band is so called due to the ability of members playing a mixture of music including rock, jazz, country and western and maybe a little bit of hillbilly.

Brothers Art and Roy have both pived professionally, bu' - t says his playing of the del guitar is more for his own enjoyment. Roy still plays the guitar, piano and organ professionally and is also a printer

Hastings, Oklahoma. Mr.

Leal had visitors from

Quitaque. Mrs. Woodall is

out with her children for the

holiday. Mr. and Mrs. D. W.

Burke went out for Thanks-

giving with Lawrence Burke

and family from South

Dakota. They also visited

with Mildred Cates and

Jonelle Fawver. James

Turner had Matt Norrell

from Floydada. Leo Frizzell

had Clyde Frizzell, Ethel

and Ada Warren from

Floydada; Mrs. Hamilton

had Yvonne Ratzlaff from

Floydada; Mrs. Grider had

Mr. and Mrs. Art Ratzlaff

from Floydada; Mrs. Deit-

rich had Esther Brasher

from Providence and Lou

Ann Brittain from Hastings,

Oklahoma; Mrs. Dyer had

Floreine Cobb from Quita-

que. Mrs. Edwards had

Alma Rape, Helen Patter-

son, Lois Jones and Mr. and

Mrs. Van Hoose from

Floydada. Mrs. Rogers had

Osa Smallwood and Ed. D.

Smith and Mrs. Davis from

Matador; also Howard and

B. Rogers from Flomot. Mrs.

Jacobs had Mr. and Mrs.

Wallace Johnson from Quit-

aque. Myrtle Burke visited

with Lawrence Burke from

South Dakota. Mrs. Forten-

berry had Lula Mae Wilson

from Ralls, Dozier Dilliard

from Floydada, Lizzie Ceay

from New Mexico, Mattie

Davis from Cedar Hill and

Edna Dilliard from Roaring

Springs. Mrs. Kitchens had

Stella Davis from Silverton,

Berta Foster from Sterley,

Ada Stewart from Oregon,

Mr. and Mrs. Si Davis from

Plainview, Mr. and Mrs.

Wade Steel from Lone Star,

Joe Kitchens and Louis

Kitchens from Silverton.

Mr. Roberts had Mr. and

Mrs. Wallace Johnson from

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center had a lovely Thanks-

Quitaque.

God Bless!

Violet and class! Monday, Lena Brotherton came and did the ladies hair. Thanks, Lena!

The annual New Years

Eve Ball, sponsored by the

American Cancer Society,

Floydada Unit, will be held

from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

December 31 in the Massie

Playing for your dancing

pleasure will be "The Duke's

Mixture" consisting of Art

Ratzlaff and Norman Gar-

rett of Floydada, Roy

Ratzlaff of Lamesa and Jim

Activity Center.

Burt of Muncy.

Also last Sunday, the Catholic Youth of Lockney came and passed out cards that they made to our residents. They also visited with our residents. Thanks a bunch, kids, for caring so

Beautiful flowers have been shared this week by the family of Fritz Schacht. Again, we would like to

invite anyone who would like to help decorate our center for Christmas is very welcome to do so. We will start our decorating on Monday, December 1, 1975.

Everyone is thoroughly enjoying our art exhibit. This week paintings are being shared by Nina Teauton. They are so beautiful. If any of you have a chance, please come by and view these works of art.

We have had lovely morning devotionals this week. Wednesday morning, Kim McAda came and played the piano for us. She also played a "special." Come back, Kim, and play for us again sometime.

Thanks to these folks and anyone else whose name I didn't get for bringing us egg cartons, greeting cards, decoration for plates on Thanksgiving, potato chip cans and other items for our center: Mamie Hayes, Darlene Harley, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Mullins and Mrs. Foster. We appreciate these tems so much.

We would like to welcome new resident to our center. She is Mrs. Lena Calvin.

We extend our warmest greetings to her and hope she will make herself right at home with us. We have had many local

visitors this week. Thanks so much for visiting with us. Also, we have had many out-of-town visitors. These include: Mr. Word had Donna Yeary from Floydada and Lou Ann Brittain from

Cancer Society's New Years Ball Slated In Floydada at Lamesa Printing Co. Art is foreman of Blanco Offset in Floydada.

Norman, who works with the school band programs in Floydada, plays the drums, saxaphone and piano. He played professionally several years in California and Lubbock. You'll find Norman playing all three instruments at intervals during the New Year's ball.

Jim is manager of River Side Chemical at Muncy. He plays the fiddle as a hobby and enjoys playing country and western more than any

#### Four Holiday Meals From One Turkey

College Station --- Four holiday meals from one turkey can help stretch the food budget, Frances Reasonover, a foods and nutrition specialist, says. She's with the Texas

University System. "Purchase one freshly processed turkey and cut into pieces using a sharp knife

Agricultural Extension Ser-

vice, The Texas A&M

"Wings, back parts, neck and giblets may be used in a casserole, as turkey and dumplings or for stew or

Each full leg-that's drum-

FLOYD DATA Charley Berry spent last Saturday night with his grandson, Philip Cain and new bride at Canyon, Sunday he was with the Harold Berry family at Amarillo and to fill out more of the week, Wednesday night he spent with the Woodrow Surratts at Muleshoe. Berry was Thanksgiving with a host of sisters and their families at a get-together four miles west of Muleshoe in the Raymond Scott home where all enjoyed a dinner. To make the week a little more complete, C. L. received the longest conversation with the former Urline Utsman of San Frncisco area. She wished to know about all the area people northwest of McCoy. She nursed Mrs. P. H. Pharr the last week she lived, who succumbed during the terrible blizzard and flu epidemic of 1918-19. Bill Utsman, who recently subscribed to the Hesperian, is in poor health at this time. Kilgore eight years ago. He

#### Repairable ToysNeeded By Senior Citizens

and Charley Berry spent a\_

few months together at

Norfolk and Portsmouth,

Virginia in World War I.

Do you have old toys around the place which are repairable and have no further use for them?

If so, the Floydada Senior Citizens would be happy to take them off your hands, repair them, and give to needy children for Christ-

Senior Citizens plan to replace parts missing on the toys while others will make clothing and repair any

If anyone has toys they wish to donate for the project, you may call 983-3134 and they will be picked up, or take them by the community Center at Della Plains School.

FLOYD DATA Mr. and Mrs. Mike Badgett, Kevin and Kyle of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Zeke Morris, Clinton and Terri of Dimmitt were Thanksgiving guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Badgett.

FLOYD DATA Thanksgiving and weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Killian were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wilson and Mandy of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Killian of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Killian of Lubbock.

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other type of music. Tickets to the New Year's Ball are \$15 per couple and \$7.50 per person. Proceeds after expenses go to the Cancer fund. Tickets go on sale next Tuesday.

Look Who's Here

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Weems of Portland, are parents of a daughter, Kylan D'Lee, born November 24, on her maternal grandmother's birthday. She weighed 7 lbs 6 ozs at birth in Spohn Hospital, Corpus Christi. Kylan has one sister, Lesley Ann, age 2. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Milton Weems and

Mrs. Doris McLain. Great grandparents are Mrs. R. J. Weems, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Corley, E. L. Cornelius, all of Floydada, and Mrs. J. T. McLain of

stick and thigh-when roasted with dressing will make a full main course for a family And the breast roasted

provides a special dinner for up to eight people, Miss Reasonover said. "To have the turkey ready to prepare, freeze the four groups of pieces separately

and label for the intended "When ready to use, thaw the turkey in the refrigerator to avoid spoilage," the

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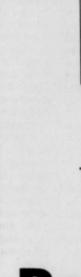


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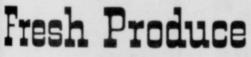
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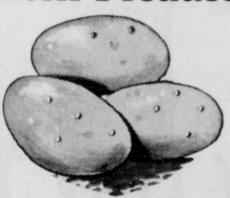
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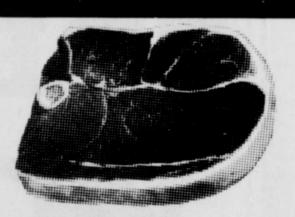
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The Texas Highway Pa trol investigated six accidents on rural highways in Floyd County during the month of October, 1975, according to Sergeant Thurman Keffer, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and six persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first ten months of 1975 shows a total of 58 accidents resulting in four persons killed and 31 persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for October, 1975, shows a total of 543 accidents resulting in 18 persons killed and 283 persons injured, as compared to October, 1974, with 502 accidents resulting in 19 persons killed and 215 persons injured. This was 41 more accidents, one less killed, and 68 more injured in 1975 at the same period of

The traffic deaths (18) for the month of October, 1975, occurred in the following counties: Five in Parker; two each in Stonewall, Castro and Randall; and one each in Baylor, Crosby, Lamb, Palo Pinto, Wise Armstrong and Motley.

#### F.C.S. Federal Credit Union Earns Thrift Honor Award

The F.C.S. Federal Credit Union, Floydada, Texas, earned a Thrift Honor Award for its success in stimulating savings, according to Paul A. Trylko, Regional Director of the National Credit Union Administration

The Federal credit union attained a monthly rate of growth of 6.8 percent in share accounts \$20,000 and under. This growth rate was above the average for Federal credit unions of similar size, according to Mr.

On September 30, 1975, the credit union had 477 members who had saved a total of \$338,558. The credit union primarily serves employees of the Floyd County School Districts who work in Floyd County, Texas; employees of the Crosby County School Districts who work in Crosby County, Texas; and employees of the Dickens County School Districts who work in Dickens County, Texas. The Federal credit union was chartered in September,

Mr. Bob Alldredge is President of the credit union and Mrs. Nina Copeland is Treasurer.

The National Credit Union Administration conducts its Thrift Honor Award Program to provide an incentive or officials of Federal credit

The Floyd Philosopher

Finds A Brand New School System That Assures Education For Everybody

Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm discusses education this week, whether it's in his field or not.

Some people are always lambasting the school system, saying it's not meeting the demands of modern times, there are too many drop-outs, too many absentees, that kids can finish high school without being able to pass a test in reading, writing or

Well, I just read an article about how one big city school - Dallas, Texas, to be exact is solving the problem and heading off such

It has abolished exams for most kids. That's right. It has a rule that if a student is not absent more than 3 days in a quarter he doesn't have to take that quarter's final exam. Gaze out the window if you want to but answer present to the roll call. Anyway, it's an invasion of privacy to try to find out if a kid can read or write.

This seems to be the answer on how to attain universal education.

Federal credit unions. State

credit unions may be insured

under the Federal Program.

There are approximately

13,000 Federally chartered

In the 9th century, the King

of Persia was known as the

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Thus I suppose if a kid will go through grammar school and high school without

unions to encourage mem-

bers with small accounts to

save regularly as part of

their family financial man-

agement plans. Herman

Nickerson, Jr., heads up the

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missing more than 3 days every quarter, he gets a diploma unexamined. If he'll make the same record 4 years in college, he gets a Bachelor's degree. Go another year and he has an M.A. degree. Stay in there 3 more years and he has a Ph. D.

So to reach the pinnacle in education all he has to do is stay healthy and not play hookey, provided his cross-town bus doesn't break down more than 3 days in a quarter, although I can't believe the Supreme Court would rule a person un-educated just because his bus ity Action; SPCAA, Communhad a blown gasket 4 days in a row back in Start; Windmill Investthe eighth grade.

In this connection, I read that an industrial division Shallowater; Lub-leader in Japan has complained that his bock Urban Renewal, Draft country is turning out so many educated EIS for Housing Rehabilitapeople that they are "bogging down the country's decision-making process with their tion; City of Smyer, Sanisuggestions." He said Japan's colleges have tary Sewer System; Floyincreased from 40 during World War II to dada, City Park Develop-1,000 now, and everybody is so informed ment; Olton, City Park everybody has his own answer to every Development; O'Donnell, problem, plus thinking up new ones, and City Park Development; nobody can decide which is right.

If Japan will adopt this new system, it lopment; Brownfield, City won't have that problem.

The Floyd County Hesperian

#### **SPAG To Meet**

In accordance with Article 6252-17, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes as amended by the 61st Legislature, notice is hereby given to all interested persons that the Board of Directors of the South Plains Association of Governments will meet at 1:30 p.m. on December 9 at

The Big Texan Steak Ranch in Lubbock and the General Assembly of the South Plains Association of Governments will meet at 6:30 p.m., December 9, at the Big Texan Steak Ranch for the following purposes:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**AGENDA** Minutes, Project Review Docket: SPCAA, Commun-In this connection, I read that an industrial ments Inc., Pinecroft Sub-

Sundown, City Park Deve-Park Development; TTU Cont. Education, Title VII Nutrition; City of Lubbock, Rape Crisis Center; Busi-

Yours faithfully,

#### Leo Amonett

Services for Leo Amonette, 75 year old Petersburg resident, and brother of Mrs. F. F. Stephens of Floydada, were conducted Friday in the Main Street Church of Christ in Petersburg. Amonette died at 1:45 a.m. Wednesday at his home in Petersburg.

Burial was in Petersburg Cemetery with Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada in charge.

Born in Byrdstown, Tenn., he formerly lived in Motley County before moving to Hale County in 1940. Amonette married Audrey Kee in 1922. He was a member and a former elder

Lamesa and Thayne of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Stephens of Floydada and Mrs. Earl Whitaker of Flomot; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Kitchen facilities used in the preparation of a Colonial Thanksgiving meal were a far cry from today's built-in range and oven. Using massive kettles over the open fireplace, farm wives were described as "breaking their backs, burning their faces, smoking their eyes, singeing their hair, blistering their hands and scorching their clothes.'

Late November was also the traditional Colonial time for "Butchering Bees." And some early farmers kept an eye on the almanac and the moon. Supposedly, if hogs were slaughtered in the waxing of the moon, the pork would swell in its barrel. If cattle were butchered in full moon, they would have juicier meat.

ness Loan, FmHA Business

Industrial Loan, Discussion of Emergency Medical Services System; Discussion of uncollectable dues - previous years; Public

Hearing - Representative Korioth; Resolution - Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association; Confirmation of appointees Manpower Advisory Committee; Review of Recommendations of Manpower Advisory Council; Solid Waste Planning; Discussion of Manpower Program; Verbal Presentation - Chairman, Criminal Justice Advisory Committee; Open ment of Bo various Co Report of B

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#### of the Church of Christ. Survivors include his wife; two sons, Derwood of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Glenn of Petersburg; two brothers, Clyde of REGISTER



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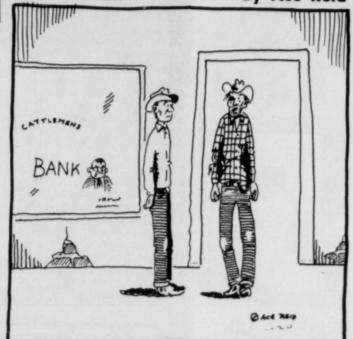
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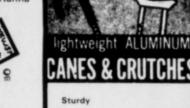
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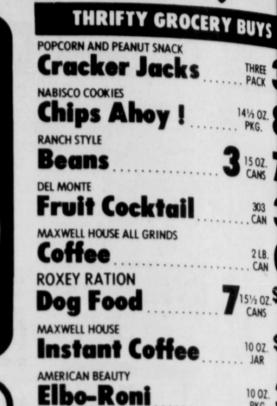
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