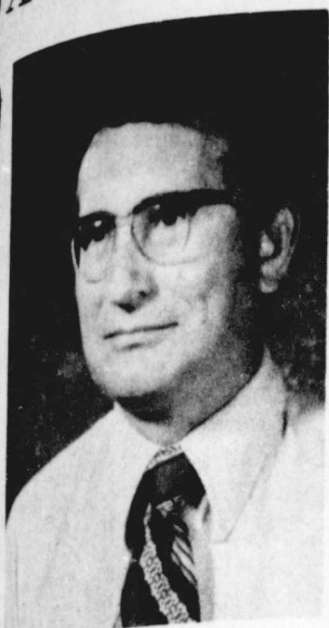
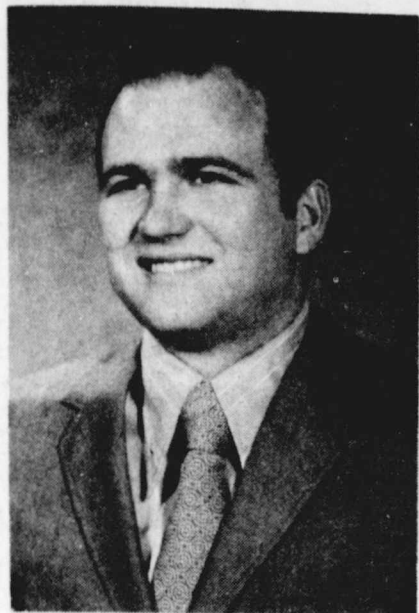


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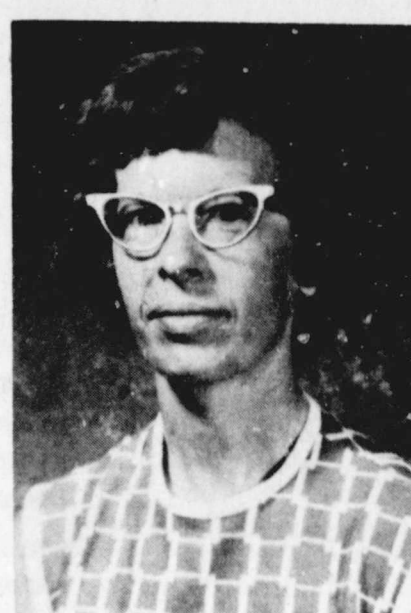
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Postmaster Explains Postal

Cost-Cutting Measures, Rate Increases

Postmaster Ed Wester said that the Postal Service is cutting back on routes, effective since last year. He said that the Postal Service is cutting back on routes, effective since last year. He said that the Postal Service is cutting back on routes, effective since last year.

with small rural post offices, Wester said "That's a touchy situation...it can be done in many cases without really hurting service." Wester explained that small offices provide valuable services to their customers. Although rural carriers offer all postal services (such as stamp and money order sales, registered-letter service, etc.) it is not as convenient for customers, because they can "choose their times" to go to the post office, but they must be at the box at the right time to use the services offered by their rural carrier.

Postmaster General to revise rates as he requested. Wester favors a reduction in some first-class rates—at least for large-volume mailers—and possible increase in bulk, second- and third-class rates. "Big first-class mailers should qualify for a lower rate," he said, "because they sort the mail before they deliver it to the post office. If they do some of our work for us they should be paid for it."



Award Winners

BEST IN THE BAND -FHS band members who received awards at the band banquet April 24. Left to right: outstanding freshmen Suzanne Dyess and Joe Covington; outstanding sophomore Kelly Turner; John Philip Sousa Award winner Connie Welch; outstanding junior and Arion Award winner Tim Dyess. Not pictured: Russ Pratt, outstanding senior and Louis Armstrong Jazz Award recipient.

Approck Chat

By Wendell Tooley

For the Location of the Geological College At Texas is the title of a book on my desk. Mrs. Jack Tooley is the author of the book that was written in an effort to get Tech back in 1920. The report was published in 1910 to 1910 acres were offered on the West side of the county for \$125,000. Was the money for Texas known?

and twenty-five feet. Upon making a chemical analysis of the water, it was found to be ninety-nine per cent pure, contains no gyp, very slight traces of iron minerals, no germs...the water is found to be very conducive to good health conditions.

Rain Amounts Vary Over City

Gradual clearing over the area by the weekend was predicted by weathermen, after a three day report of one-inch of moisture by Pioneer Natural Gas. This added to the years total gives a measurement of 6.01, with the majority falling in April. Prediction is that May will bring additional showers.

Wilson Bond Receives Boy Scout Award Of Merit

Wilson Bond, Scoutmaster of Floydada Boy Scout Troop #355, has received the highest honor awarded to Volunteer Scouters on the district level, the district award of merit for outstanding achievement in Scouting.

Council meeting April 10, and presented the award to Bond at a recent Floydada Lions Club meeting.

for six years. Four Eagle Scouts have come from the ranks of his Troop. There are currently 51 Scouts in Troop #355, which is sponsored by the Floydada Rotary Club.

FHS Spring Sports

Banquet Tuesday

Floydada High School's spring sports banquet, honoring all students in sports other than football, will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday night, May 4 at Duncan Elementary School cafeteria.

Arrested On Forgery Charges

Floyd County Sheriff Bud Rainey and Floydada Police Chief Tom Hopper arrested a Floydada man at Floydada First National Bank about 2:30 p.m. Thursday afternoon before he received payment on a \$50 forged check he was allegedly attempting to cash at the bank.

Floydada. The man was being held in the Floyd County jail Friday, with bond set at \$300, Rainey said.

More Baseball Players Needed!

The Floydada Baseball Association needs a few more boys in all age groups

to sign up for the summer program. In order for players to be placed on the same team that they played on last year, they must sign up by Monday, May 3.

NOTICE TO VOTERS IN THE MAY 1 PRIMARY ELECTION:

Persons who vote in the Democratic primary are ineligible to vote in the Republican primary or any subsequent Republican runoff. Voters in the Republican primary are ineligible to vote in the Democratic primary or Democratic runoff. It is against the law to vote in both primaries.

Feedlot Capacity, Production Still On Decline In SPS Area

The number of cattle being fed in area feedlots is still on the decline, it was revealed today in the 1976 Fed Cattle Report compiled by the Agricultural Development Department of Southwestern Public Service Company. The report covers the 45,000 square miles area served by SPS, including 30 counties on the North and South Plains of Texas, 4 counties in Eastern New Mexico, 3 in the Oklahoma Panhandle and one county in Southwestern Kansas.

Fed cattle production for 1975 was down 19.6 percent with 3,280,443 cattle fed compared to 4,082,142 in 1974. The peak year for number of cattle fed was 1973 when area feedlots fed 4,962,763 head. The 1975 figure represents a decline of 33.9 percent since 1973. Feedlot capacity since 1974-the peak year-has also declined 5.1 percent while the number of feedlots with 1,000 head capacity and above has gone down from 191 to 148 at the beginning of this year.

Sam Thomas, SPS Agricultural Development Manager thinks that the long term future for the cattle feeding industry is bright. "The experiences of the past two years has had a strong similarity to the 1963-64 periods when the profit picture was so bad it appeared the cattle feeding development was dead. The more recent experience has been complicated by higher grain costs and feeder cattle, but the enthusiasm, dejection, despondency and elation that comes from the feed yards follows a very familiar pattern."

"I am in hopes that fed cattle numbers will increase at a 15 to 25 percent annual rate unless there is a compensatory reduction in fed cattle numbers in other areas," Thomas concluded.

Cost-Share Funds Available Through SCS

Cost-share funds are now available through the Soil Conservation Service in Floyd County.

Cost-share is available for such conservation practices, as PARALLEL TERRACES, GRASS SEEDING, WATERWAYS, DIVER-

SION TERRACES, IRRIGATION PIPELINE, and other conservation practices, for those farmers who wish to carry out a complete conservation program over a period of time, through the Great Plains Conservation Program.

The Soil Conservation Service will work with the farmer to develop a complete conservation plan under a Great Plains Conservation Program contract to set-aside for him the necessary cost-share funds.

1976 FED CATTLE REPORT IN COUNTIES WITH SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

FEEDLOTS 1,000 HEAD CAPACITY AND ABOVE	1966	1975
67	127	158
68	172	172
69	175	175
70	188	188
71	191	191
72	175	175
73	177	177
74	171	171
75	150	150
76	148	148

ANNUAL NUMBER OF FEEDLOTS	1966	1975
67	239	274
68	271	271
69	272	272
70	270	270
71	251	251
72	222	222
73	210	210
74	196	196
75	169	169
76	154	154

FEEDYARDS CUSTOM FEEDING	1966	1975
67	57	80
68	98	98
69	107	107
70	129	129
71	132	132
72	125	125
73	134	134
74	122	122
75	111	111
76	113	113

ONE TIME FEEDLOT CAPACITY	1966	1975
67	565,000	770,000
68	1,015,000	1,015,000
69	1,136,000	1,136,000
70	2,082,615	2,082,615
71	2,142,255	2,142,255
72	2,160,250	2,160,250
73	2,509,500	2,509,500
74	2,742,250	2,742,250
75	2,672,869	2,672,869
76	2,602,390	2,602,390

FED CATTLE PRODUCTION	1966	1975
67	1,210,581	1,495,000
68	2,140,000	2,140,000
69	2,932,354	2,932,354
70	3,667,912	3,667,912
71	3,902,165	3,902,165
72	4,679,098	4,679,098
73	4,962,763	4,962,763
74	4,082,142	4,082,142
75	3,280,443	3,280,443

STATE & COUNTY	LOT CAPACITY NOW	NO. FED. 1975
KANSAS		
Morton	1,200	850
NEW MEXICO		
Chaves	96,800	87,312
Curry	107,500	134,550
Eddy	26,400	16,972
Roosevelt	14,390	7,323
TOTAL	245,090	246,157
OKLAHOMA		
Beaver	24,900	28,082
Cimarron	42,000	89,661
Texas	187,600	283,272
TOTAL	254,500	401,015
TEXAS		
Armstrong	9,300	19,500
Bailey	33,500	40,886
Briscoe	700	-
Carson	23,500	34,000
Castro	226,200	274,800
Cochran	40,000	26,992
Crosby	1,200	-
Dallam	64,100	57,900
Deaf Smith	279,000	485,000
Donley	20,000	40,000
Floyd	30,000	39,000
Gaines	20,000	16,000
Garza	60,000	-
Gray	75,500	82,850
Hale	75,500	98,000
Hansford	140,100	155,100
Hartley	83,500	129,233
Hockley	18,000	8,896
Hutchinson	10,000	-
Lamb	85,500	130,350
Lubbock	64,500	120,000
Moore	113,500	142,600
Oldham	30,000	30,410
Farmer	273,000	203,704
Potter	17,000	33,000
Randall	66,200	51,800
Roberts	-	-
Sherman	112,300	152,400
Swisher	151,000	155,000
Wheeler	56,000	105,000
TOTAL	2,101,600	2,632,421
SYSTEM TOTAL		
Kansas	1,200	850
New Mexico	245,090	246,157
Oklahoma	254,500	401,015
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TOTAL	2,602,390	3,280,443

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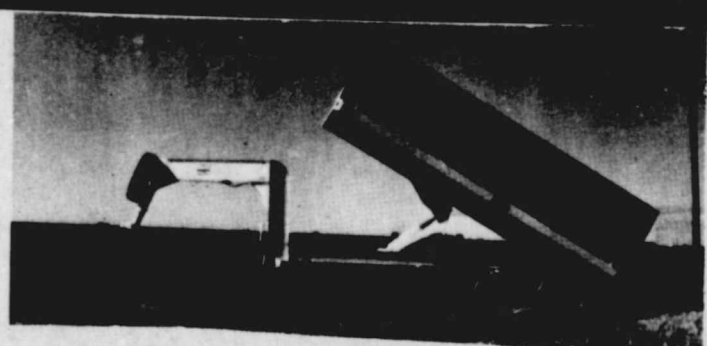
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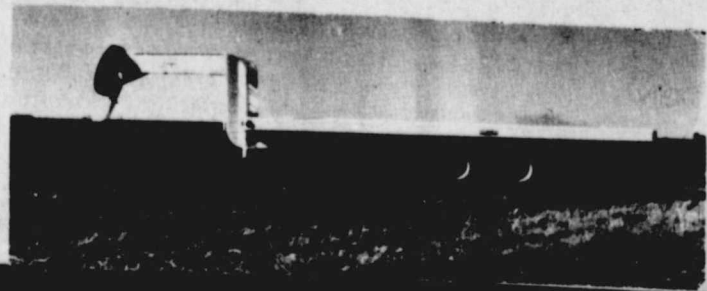
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Research News Report

Bushland, Texas: Southwestern corn borers cause more damage than previously expected. These were results of research in 1975 conducted by N. E. Daniels, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Entomologist

at Bushland. Previously, it was surmised that Southwestern corn borer damage was limited to lodged plants which could not be harvested with mechanical pickers. In 1975, unlogged corn 100 percent infested with Southwestern corn borer yielded 90 bushels per acre in the same field where uninfested plants made 100 bushels per acre. When infested plants lodged and were hand harvested, yields were reduced 20 bushels per acre. Daniels pointed out that these new results show need for an effective insecticide program when Southwestern corn borers threaten corn. In conjunction with his research on Southwestern corn borer damage, the scientist also conducted an insecticide control program at the USDA Southwestern Great Plains Research Center.

Daniels said that Southwestern corn borer has been a long time resident of the United States and Mexico. It was first observed in Mexico in 1911 and reported in the United States 2 years later. As far back as 1929, five corn fields in Lamb and Bailey counties were 96 to 100 percent infested. This observation indicates that Southwestern corn borer will be a threat wherever and whenever corn is grown in Texas.

Previous research showed

that corn borer control caused modest yield increases. The problem has been knowing when to apply insecticides to obtain maximum benefit. In 1972, one spray application of carbofuran applied July 25 was as effective as 4 applications applied at weekly intervals in late July and early August. In 1973, it took two applications on July 16 and July 30 to do the best job of control.

In 1975, the scientist applied both foliar and soil treatments. Foliar sprays were applied on July 30, August 5 and August 13 when temperatures were 90 to 95 degrees and wind velocities were less than 15 miles per hour. Another experiment was conducted to compare foliar application of flowable and granular carbofuran. Soil treatments compared effectiveness of granular insecticides applied in the furrow at planting or sidedressed when corn was 16 to 18 inches tall.

The best corn borer control with foliar sprays came on August 13. There was a combination of late second and early third generation of the borers in the field at the time. August 5 applications were less effective but in turn more effective than those made July 30. There were not enough borers present on July 30 to affect the eventual buildup which occurred later.

The most effective insecti-

cides were Zolone, LS71-187, and Lorsban. Carbofuran applied to foliage either as a spray or granules was also effective in controlling corn borers. In this study, untreated corn yielded 84 bushels per acre and the highest yield was 102 bushels per acre from 3 pounds per acre of Zolone wettable powder. Lodging was decreased from 20 percent on untreated plots to 7 percent where 3 pounds per acre of Zolone was applied.

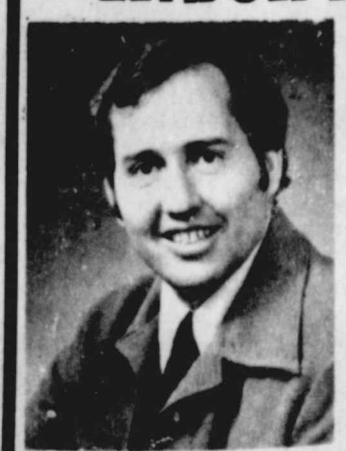
Furrow or sidedress treatments of granular insecticides did not increase grain yield, but decreased lodging. There was an 80 mph wind on November 29, but treated plants did not lodge. About 20 percent of the plants lodged in untreated plots. Apparently, corn borers did more feeding damage in plants that were not treated making them more susceptible to lodging. Although yields were not increased with hand harvesting methods used, treatments were valuable because some lodged plants would not have been picked up by mechanical harvesters.

The scientist concluded, "We are beginning to understand more about the biology and control of Southwestern corn borer. Our results in 1975 show that proper insecticide application and management can increase corn yield 20 percent."

Bushland Research News Report No. 76-11. For additional information contact Norris E. Daniels, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, USDA Southwestern Great Plains Research Center, Bushland, Texas 79012.

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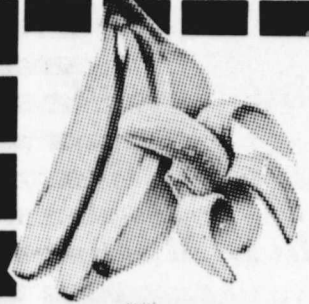
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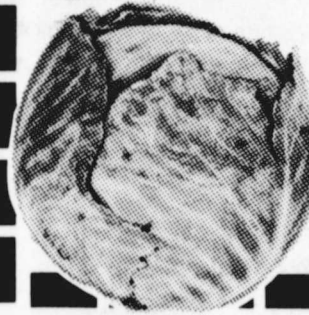
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Karen Denise Jackson, Bill Towler

Karen Denise Jackson, Bill Towler To Wed In Plainview

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jackson of Plainview announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Karen Denise to Bill Towler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Towler of Floydada.

The couple plan to exchange vows June 5, 1976 at 7:30 p.m. in the Date

Street Baptist Church at Plainview.

Miss Jackson will be a May graduate of Plainview High School. Her fiancé is a Floydada High School graduate and is presently employed at Don Hardy Race Cars in Floydada.

The couple will reside in Floydada following their wedding.

Ketchup is a Chinese word from the Malay kechap.

Mrs. Lena Moore Honored On 95th Birthday

Mrs. Lena Moore of Crosbyton, mother of Doyle Moore of Floydada, was honored April 20th with a reception in her home, in observance of her 95th birthday.

Sons and daughters of Mrs. Moore hosted the event. They are: Ola Moore, Frank Moore, Mrs. Horace Rathel, Arvis Moore and

El Progreso Club Meets

The El Progreso Study club recently met in the home of Jeanette Marr for a lovely spring meeting. A delightful program was presented by Jaunita Jenkins. She read a letter supposedly written by the wife of Pilate who condemned Jesus to be hung on the cross. It was a stirring account of the feelings that might come at this time of history.

President Ethel Mitchell announced the last meeting of the year will be a luncheon, May 8 at 12:30 p.m. at Strickland's Restaurant. New officers will be installed for next year and the club auction will be held. Delicious refreshments were served to Anna Dell Quebe, Juanita Jenkins, Faye Ferguson, Bobbye Kellison, Dimon Schacht, Ethel Mitchell, LaVerne Sams, Pauline Sams, Jeanette Marr, Hazel Johnson, and Arla Copeland.

FLOYD DATA

Carl Minor is home from Lubbock Methodist Hospital where he spent some five days going through the clinic. Mr. Minor had been suffering slight strokes it was found. He is reported doing well with new medication.

FLOYD DATA

Clinton McCain of Eastland, stepfather of Mrs. D. M. Cogdell Jr., died April 9th in Eastland.

FLOYD DATA

Mrs. Robert Stovall is doing nicely after spending overnight recently in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Mrs. Stovall injured a finger in a lawn mower accident which required surgery.

Pioneer Assoc. Meets Monday Night In Museum

The Floyd County Pioneer Association will meet at 8 o'clock Monday night at the Floyd County Museum.

All persons interested in making plans for the celebration are welcome to attend.

Caprock Hospital Auxiliary To Meet

Caprock Hospital auxiliary will hold their regular meeting Monday morning, May 3rd at 9:30 in the dining room of the hospital.

Mrs. Bill Smith urges all members and associate members to attend. Visitors are welcome.

Hello World

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McMillian Jr. of South Plains: Dustyn Keith 6 lbs 14 1/2 oz. 2:35 a.m. April 22, 1976 Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McMillian Sr. of Lockney.

Church Has Hawaiian Luau

All high school students that are members of the Main Street Church of Christ Bible Class were special guests of the Young Adult Class at a Hawaiian Luau, given in their honor last Sunday evening. The students and their guests were welcomed in the F. L. Montandon home. Aiken, and greeted with leis and flowers, according to Hawaiian custom.

A buffet supper of fish, salads, fruits, and ice-cream balls were served on individual tables decorated with red linen cloths, bamboo mats, and candles. The serving table held plates in rattan holders, and a large basket filled with fresh-cut baby's breath, lilac and iris served as the centerpiece.

Entertainment involved Hawaiian games; limbo, the bamboo hop, and a hula contest. Winners Karen McCarter, David Foster, and Kyle Degge, received gifts of leather jewelry and wind chimes. Kyle Degge performed his rendition of the "Hooky Lau."

Attending were Janie and Cathy Archer, Tommy Burt, Kyle Degge, Todd Dippery, Tina Dippery, David Foster, Kathy and Karen McCarter, Timmy Reece, Mark Sherman, Karla Sherman, Marilyn Smith, Laura Watson, Glen Watson, Jeff Stansell, Susan Savage, Dale Kidd, and Teresa Ramirez. Guests were Melanie Frizzell, John Dorman, Rusty Wilson, Kathryn Browning of Plainview, and Tim Dyess of Floydada. Class teachers, Mr. and Mrs. John Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Mize, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Klein also attended.

Amateur Show Set May 22nd

Tune-up your music instruments and practice your voice lessons and get ready for the big Amateur Show scheduled as one of the events during Old Settler's Pioneer Reunion Saturday, May 22.

The Amateur Show is being sponsored by the Hesperian. If you plan to enter, list your name and talent with Wendell Tooley. Prizes will be awarded.

Dorcas SS Class Meets

The Dorcas Sunday School Class of Lockney First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Annie Cunningham Tuesday afternoon.

The devotional was given by Viola Mullins. The business meeting was conducted by Pauline Sams.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Ethel Mitchell, Ethel Carroll, Lillian Payne, Viola Mullins, Pauline Sams, Oma Cummings, Mrs. J. D. Allen, class teacher Emma Thomas and the hostess, Annie Cunningham.

Of Interest In Floydada

Of interest in Floydada is the fact that a former Floyd Hesperian employee and a granddaughter of a local couple were journalism winners at the annual West Texas State University awards banquet Thursday night.

Ben Ezzell, longtime Panhandle newsman and publisher of the Canadian Record, received the Katie Tripp Award for Distinguished Service in Journalism. Ezzell, after working his way through college at WT, was employed at Quitaque,



FLOWERS FOR MAC Jo Ann Stebbins (left) of the 1956 Jr. Study Club Center as their participation in the Appearance Program. The crepe myrtle flower.

Girls Needed In Baseball

Floydada girls and those residing in the rural area are needed in the girls baseball program this summer. If you are between the ages of 8-15 contact Jackie Duke at 983-2167.

To Receive Degrees At

Two former Floydada women, Sharon Kay Baker Walker and Leigh Weathersbee Evans will receive degrees from Hardin-Simmons University May 9th in

Post, the Hesperian and Memphis Democrat before enlisting in the Air Force during WW II. Following the war, he worked as managing editor of the Hereford Brand before buying out the Canadian Record stock in 1948. During

the years there he and his wife, Nan, who is co-editor and co-publisher, have received numerous awards for excellence in the fields of news, editorials, column writing and community service.

Elaine Waits, Hale Center freshman, who was named outstanding beginning reporter at the banquet, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Waits of Hale Center; and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Odum of Floydada. Elaine will receive a \$200 Cabot scholarship.

News & Reviews

First Baptist Church Library

With fifty out of every one hundred new marriages breaking in divorce, counselors are considering our country to be on the verge of complete domestic collapse. It is hopeful and helpful when committed Christians share books which tell the truth about husband/wife relations for a long and lasting life of togetherness.

In the introduction to her book, WOMAN-AWARE AND CHOOSING, Betty J. Coble makes this searing and stinging accusation: "Deep down a woman comes to marriage with plans all her own to remodel what she does not like in her young man - without giving it a thought that he may object. She has bright hopes of changing all of his habits, his ideas, his manners, and other things that are in conflict with her own. A wife who tried to understand the responsibilities of a husband in order to direct him, will totally miss the happiness and fulfillment of a wife."

H. Page Williams makes his contribution in the book entitled, DO YOURSELF A FAVOR: LOVE YOUR WIFE. Of this book, the editors of Logos International said, "This basic hard-hitting book...is a clarion call for radical commitment to the biblical formula for marriage. Any man who reads and appropriates what Williams has to say will find the means to save his marriage, no matter what is tearing it apart. But this book is not for women. The author's portrayal of American homelife, his wrenching real-life illustrations of how most men treat their wives, and worse, how many of them respond to counseling even in the most desperate situations, will only drive the average female reader deeper into despair and the cynical conclusion that all men are bums."

"In a day when the church has emphasized the submission of the wife to her husband, H. Page Williams' book will be welcomed as a refreshing compliment. In the same place that the Bible teaches wives to be subject to their husbands, 'as to the Lord,' it also says, 'Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her.' Unconditional and unequivocal - just like Page Williams."

The above reviews are used by permission of Convention Press, Southern Baptist Sunday School Board. Wayne Todd, the writer, is secretary of the Church Library Department, Southern Baptist Sunday School Board. Both of these books are available in the Church Library and we think you will find them thought provoking and readable.

Ross Hamilton In Alpha Zeta Fraternity

Calvin Ross Hamilton, a Junior Animal Business Major at Texas Tech, was accepted by the Texas Beta Chapter of Alpha Zeta Fraternity for the 1976

Spring semester. Alpha Zeta is a national honorary Agricultural Fraternity which selects its members on a basis of scholarship, leadership, and personality. Ross is also a member of the Block & Bridle Club and a member of the Texas Tech Livestock Judging Team.

He is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hamilton of Floydada.

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Victoria Laughlin

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their children at this time for Kindergarten. Parents of children who will be six years old by September 1st are urged to register their children at this time for the First Grade for the coming school year.

Parents are urged to bring their child's birth certificate and immunization record signed by your doctor. Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated by your school officials.

Round-Up In Plainview

and far to arrive soon after 10:00. One of the few remaining parades in Plainview will be staged at 2:30 p.m. originating at the Santa Fe Depot on north Broadway. Parade will move south on Broadway to the American Legion Hall where it will disband. Durward Lynch will be parade marshal. The color guard will also head the parade and the Plainview bands will march. Some floats have already been entered and Miss Judy Smith, chairman of the parade committee, stated additional floats are welcome on that date. Riding clubs and miscellaneous riders will give the western flavor to the event. Winners will be announced at the night program.



The Lamanite Generation will appear at the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation May 27-29 with 8 p.m. performances each evening plus a 2 p.m. matinee on May 29. The talented troupe of American Indian students will present an original Indian Variety Show at the Reservation's Sundown Amphitheatre located between Livingston and Woodville on US 190.

American Indian Group To Entertain

INDIAN VILLAGE, TEXAS. One of the most talented groups of American Indian performers ever produced on stage will make a trek through East Texas with a stop at the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation May 27-29. The Lamanite Generation, an all-student talent from Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah, will bring an original Indian Variety Show with a complete program of modern dances, contemporary songs, traditional American Indian dances, Indian songs, plus rarely-seen Indian comedy sketches. The program will be presented at the Indian Reservation's Sundown outdoor amphitheatre at 8:00 p.m. each evening, plus a 2:00 p.m. Matinee on May 29. The Reservation is located between Livingston and Woodville on U.S. Highway 190. The proceeds from the four performances will go toward establishing the first educational trust fund ever

for the benefit of the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation students. Recent trends indicate students from the Reservation complete high school, but only a small percentage attend colleges and universities. The Lamanite Generation will include special performances by Mexican-American student talents plus Polynesian numbers. The entire production is under the direction of Janie Thompson the founder of the talented group. Technical staff producing the original Indian Variety Show are all students. None of the performers nor the technicians are paid. The group will tour throughout the United States during the Bicentennial year including a concert in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, following the Indian Reservation appearance. During its short 5-year history of the Lamanite Generation, they have toured the major cities in the US plus Canada, Mexico, South

and Central America. Tickets for the performances may be purchased by calling or writing: Indian Reservation, Route 3, Box 640, Livingston, Texas, 77351. Phone: (713) 563-4391

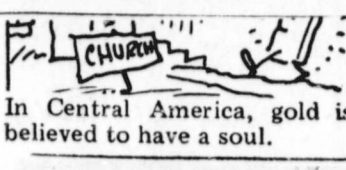
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 - TUESDAY
 - Oven Fried Chicken
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 - Reese Peanut Butter Cup
 - Hot Rolls
 - 1/2 pint milk
 - WEDNESDAY
 - Salisbury Steak with Gravy
 - Creamed English Peas
 - Tossed Vegetable Salad with Dressing
 - Coconut Oatmeal Cookie
 - Hot Rolls
 - 1/2 pint milk
 - THURSDAY
 - Tacos with Cheese
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 - Gingerbread with Apple-sauce
 - Hot corn Bread Squares
 - 1/2 pint milk
 - FRIDAY
 - Western Burgers
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 - Apricot Cobbler
 - 1/2 pint milk

Businesses, Organizations Urged To Prepare Float

All businesses, organizations and individuals as well, are urged to prepare a float for the Pioneer Celebration parade Saturday, May 22. Anyone who has a part in the community should have a float in the parade, an

official of the Pioneer Reunion said. Those who are planning a float should contact chairman, Johnnie Cates, so he can put you on the list. An array of prizes are being offered.



In Central America, gold is believed to have a soul.

Bill Norman To Participate In A&M Program

COLLEGE STATION.... Bill M. Norman of Floydada has been selected to participate in Texas A&M University's undergraduate fellows program which allows top honor students to conduct research in lieu of certain courses.



A TREE FOR THE PARK - Becky Pingleton and Debbie Bertrand of Alpha Mu Delta sorority plant a pecan tree in Floydada park. The tree planting is a service project of Alpha Mu Delta, the Floydada chapter of Beta Sigma Phi international sorority. The international headquarters requested that each local chapter plant their state tree somewhere in their city. (Staff Photo)

The new phase of Texas A&M's program is restricted to students who will be seniors next fall, have at least 3.5 grade point ratio (out of a possible 4.0) and have demonstrated an aptitude for independent research.

Mr. Norman, who majors in agricultural engineering, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Weims. L. Norman of Floydada.

during the Pioneer Round-Up are as follows: Registration, Betty Worley; Serving, Barbara Baker; Door, Marveta Reinken; Club Float, Barbara Chapman; Concessions, Verne Shields; and Publicity, Jo Ann Clements.

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proximately 270,000 motorcycles are registered in Texas and during 1975 over 200 motorcycle related fatalities were reported. An estimated 8,562 persons were injured. "I strongly urge motorists and motorcyclists to make an increased effort to become familiar with the rules-of-the-road and to exercise caution in traveling in congested traffic. Automobiles and motorcycles can coexist, but in order to reduce traffic accidents, a concentrated effort must be made by all vehicle drivers. Additionally, I recommend driver education for motorcycle drivers. I trust we can expand current programs on a voluntary basis as appropriate and within present budget considerations," Briscoe said. The Governor proclaimed May 1-7 as "Motorcycle

Safety Awareness Week" in Texas and he praised the efforts of the Texas Motorcycle Roadriders Association, motorcycle dealers, and citizens that are working toward improved traffic safety.

Troop 355 Attends Camporee

Members of Floydada Boy Scout Troop #355 participated in a South Plains Council-wide Camporee last Saturday and Sunday at Maxey Park in Lubbock. Some 15 boys from the Floydada troop, along with

OBITUARY

Fred Minor

Fred Minor, 88 year old prominent attorney of Denton, and brother of Carl Minor Sr., of Floydada, died April 24th of apparent heart failure. B. A. Robertson of

Floydada and Carl Minor Jr., Lubbock, attended the funeral from this area. Mr. Minor had just received an honorary degree in a ceremony at North Texas State University at Denton for his free legal work at the University, when he collapsed. The brother in Floydada was unable to attend due to ill health.

Rodolfo Guzman Completes Training

Marine Private Rodolfo T. Guzman, brother of Bennie Guzman Jr., of Dougherty, Texas, was graduated from recruit training at the

Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego, in April. Physical conditioning, discipline and teamwork are emphasized during Marine recruit training.

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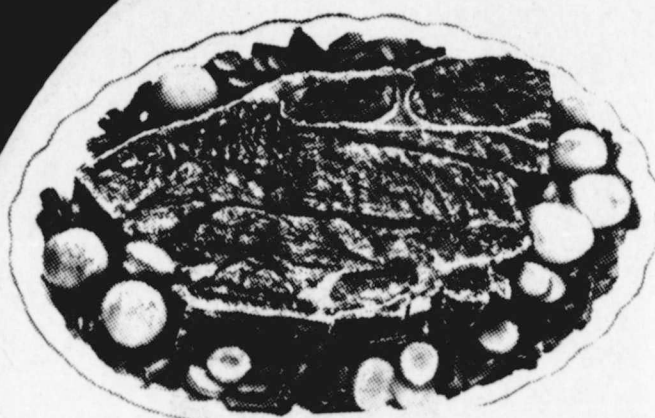
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Food Stamp Regulations

review state agency operations. Currently, regulations require state agencies to review their own operations. This change would help FNS to determine efficiency and effectiveness of a State's operation of the Food Stamp Program.

The proposed regulations will be published in the Federal Register of April 27. The public is invited to submit written comments, suggestions or objections to the Director, Food Stamp Division, Food and Nutrition Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 20250, no later than May 27.

All comments received by this date will be considered before final regulations are issued.

DICK McCOWN IS IMPROVING

Dick McCown of Floydada is said by friends to be slowly improving in High Plains Hospital in Amarillo. McCown was injured in Amarillo April 15th when he fell to his back some 20 feet while unloading vehicles from a rail car. He is employed by United Transport.

McCown suffered a broken back, a five inch slit in his liver and a head laceration, according to Floydada friends. He was in intensive care for a number of days but is now in room 591-B.

McCown maintains a home in Floydada where he and his wife own the Dixie Dog.

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Catholic Youth Hold First Annual Banquet

Massie Activity Center in Floydada was the setting for the first annual Catholic Youth Banquet for the Plainview Area. The banquet was held April 24 at 7:30 p.m. Towns represented were Plainview, Lockney, Amarillo, Ralls, Crosbyton, Petersburg and Floydada. Theme of the banquet was

"Youth Blooming Into Action." The youth and sponsors presented a program discussing past activities, and presentations were made. New area officers were installed, including (from Floydada) president Anita Garza and secretary Carmen Morales. Serving as mis-

tress of ceremonies was Mary Ann Morales of Floydada. Rev. Harry Waldo discussed the Search Program. The Search takes place during a weekend at the beginning or end of every month. It helps the Catholic youth get into a more serious discussion of roles in

the church, family, and marriage, and helps many of the youth with their problems. Fermin Hernandez, a student at West Texas State University, discussed how problems among a family can be helped. Honored guests were Rev.

Rex Nicholl and Sister Loli of Plainview, Rev. Harry Waldo of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. David Poole of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Tooley of Floydada.

Disc jockeys from radio station KSEL played records for a dance after the banquet.



CATHOLIC YOUTH BANQUET - Top photo: Mary Morales accepted The Year Award for the Floydada Catholic Youth Organization. Nicholl, priest at Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Plainview, presented award. Bottom picture: New area Catholic Youth Officers are installed: Anita Garza of Floydada, newly-elected area president; Linda Lockney, outgoing president who installed Miss Garza; Carmen Floydada, new area secretary; and Mary Gomez, Plainview, outgoing

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Veterans' Questions & Answers

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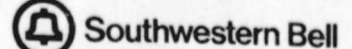


NIGHT SHOOT WINNERS at Robert Ward's Trap Club...Richard Hale, pictured at right, won the Class A, 16 yd Singles; the Handicap and was also overall high winner. Gary Carthel, left, was Handicap runner-up and, Greg Carthel, center, was Class B winner. The club plans to shoot the first and third Thursday nights during the months of May, June and July. The next shoot will be May 6 at 8 p.m.

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"Hello?" "Hi Marge, this is Suzie?" "Suzie, Suzie, Suzie! What a pleasant surprise!" "How are ya?" "I'm doing just fine. How are things with you?" "Oh, things are terrific around here since you left!" "I'll bet. You know I miss you guys." "How do you like your new house?" "Oh, Suzie, it's terrific!" "Did you get what you wanted?" "That and more." "Well?" "Well what?" "Tell me about your stupid new house?" "Suzie, it's fabulous." "Did you get the big back yard you wanted?" "Three acres with a pond." "Do you have a garden?" "We have a greenhouse!" "Do you have a nice kitchen?" "A huge kitchen with all new appliances!" "Do you have some aspirin?" "Aspirin?" "Yeah, you're making me sick." "You should complain. You're not exactly living in a dump." "How does Fred like his new job?" "Suzie, he's a new man." "He likes it?" "He loves it. Absolutely loves it." "That's good." "How is Jack?" "Fine. He's going through a do-it-yourself phase right now." "Oh, good." "Everytime I ask him to do something, he yells 'Do it yourself!' 'Oh, no good.'" "When are you coming to visit us?" "When are you going to invite us?" "You know you have a standing invitation." "Yeah, but we'd rather sit." "I'm serious. When are you coming?" "Name a date." "How about in a few weeks...say the week of the 29th?" "Wait a minute, let me get my calendar...the 29th?" "That's a Saturday." "Yeah. Sounds good." "Okay, it's a deal. We'll be expecting you." "What do you want us to bring?" "Just your sense of humor." "No." "No?" "Just joking." "Funny." "You missed a great party at the Smiths' last night." "They had a party? They never have parties." "They've been waiting for you to move away." "What happened?" "Well, for starters, Jackie's dog ate the main course before any of the guests arrived." "You're kidding." "No. Then the air conditioning went on the blink." "No wonder they never had any parties. What did everyone do?" "We starved and perspired a lot." "Sounds awful." "Speaking of starving, how's the old diet?" "I'll tell you if you tell me." "125." "Oh, Susan! You've been cheating!" "No I haven't." "Well how can you lose weight if you've been eating?" "How about you?" "I'm not telling." "Come on." "One fxxvie five." "What?" "One fxxvie five." "Marge, you're mumbling." "One fxxvie five." "One forty five?" "Less." "One thirty five?" "See, that's not so bad." "That's terrible." "I know." "What's your excuse?" "A perfectly understandable insecurity resulting from having to adapt to new surroundings." "New surroundings. The only new surroundings you're gonna have to adapt to is the lard surrounding your midsection." "Hey, look. Go easy kid. I don't have you to nag me any more." "Well, it hasn't been easy for me either." "You wouldn't believe the food prices here." "Oh?" "Low." "Low?" "Low." "No wonder you're eating so much." "I'm not kidding..." "Neither am I." "...I'm saving about 15 dollars a week over what I used to pay." "You're kidding!" "I'm not kidding." "Sounds like you got a raise, too." "Right. 15 dollars to blow on something of mine when you left." "Your yellow sweater?" "Did you take my sweater?" "Sorry, I wasn't going to tell you." "That's okay. You keep my sweater and I'll keep your skirt." "Skirt?" "You know, the one with all the animals on it?" "Oh, yeah. I'd forgotten about that." "Is it a deal?" "We'll trade when you come to visit." "Sour puss. I'm sorry I even brought the subject up." "What were you going to say?" "I was going to say that you took my Suzie Fu Yung recipe." "Did I?" "Yes." "I'll give you that too when you come." "Good." "See? Just think of all the nice things awaiting you when you come." "I can't wait. Hey, I have something for you." "What?" "A riddle." "Shoot." "What has four holder-uppers, four puller-downers, a pair of lookers, and a swishy-wishy?" "I don't know, what?" "I'll tell you when we come to visit." "Oh, no you don't!" "Bye?" "Come on, tell me!" "Bye." "Suzie!"

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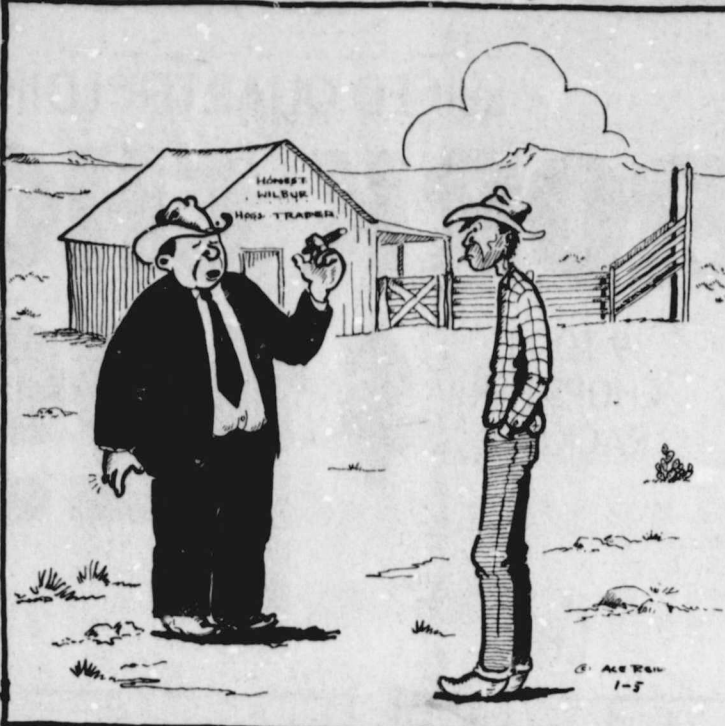
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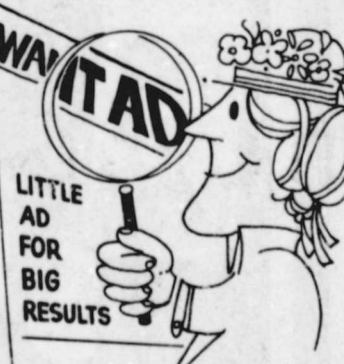
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