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Construction Of First A&M Building To Begin Immediately

by Wendell Tooley

The ground has been broken and construction will begin immediately on the first A & M building in Floydada. At ground breaking ceremonies on the 20 acre building site Wednesday morning, James R. Bradley, Director, Texas Engineering Extension Service said, "we look forward to classes of 100 students per week with the completion of this first building....and through the years more buildings on this site."

Bradley was introduced by Floydada Mayor Parnell Powell, who welcomed the A & M representatives who flew to Floydada Wednesday morning in one of

the A & M planes. The mayor also expressed appreciation to the local people who worked for getting the A & M Training Center located here.

A representative of Plains Steel Builders of Lubbock was also present for the ground breaking.

Bradley also introduced his A & M staff and the Floydada staff to the crowd that came for the ceremony. He said he knew that office secretary Judy Allen and Floydada manager Lawrence Stovall were eager to get out of the small temporary office into the spacious new building.

The extension training center will feature classes in water utilities,

firemen, law enforcement, municipal inspector, industrial and technical occupations, telephone technician, electric line crew, CATV technician, electronic technician, heavy equipment operator, and other special programs.

TV channel 11 from Lubbock, TV channel 7 from Amarillo reports and photographers from the Lubbock Avalanche Journal and Plainview Daily Herald were present for the ceremony.

Completion of the 6,000 square feet building is expected to be around December 1. By the time building is completed six to 12 people will staff the school in Floydada.



GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY....(l to r) O. M. Watson Jr. president Floydada Co.; Ernest A. Wentreck, assistant director for administration, EES; Parnell Powell, Mayor; and James R. Bradley, director, Texas Engineering Extension Service. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allen. Dickson is police instructor, and Judy Allen office secretary-receptionist. (Staff Photo)

Crops Receive More Rain

Some farmers are of the opinion, the cotton crop has received enough moisture, while other farmers still need some good soaking rainfall...especially on grain sorghum and corn.

The two day rainfall for this week, according to various area reports is as follows: east of South Plains one inch, north of South Plains .55, Barwise Elevator .65, McCoy 1.2, Dougherty .4, none ten miles east of Floydada, none at Antelope, .8 at Harmony, .5 at Cedar Hill, an inch at Sandhill.

Cotton farmers still maintain it will take a nice warm dry fall and late freeze to make a good cotton crop.

Band Booster Meet Set For August 10

A salad supper for the parents of band students has been set for Tuesday, August 10, 7 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric.

Parents are asked to bring a salad and attend the meeting where projects for the coming year will be discussed. At its last meeting Monday evening band boosters discussed the need to acquire a trailer to transport band instruments.

Smith Wins \$600 Saddle

Mike Smith of Floydada was the winner of the \$600 Alvin Durham saddle given away Saturday night at the rodeo, according to Rodeo Association president Stan Pierce.

Results of rodeo performances Friday and Saturday will be printed in the Sunday edition of The Hesperian.

Alleged Witness Held To Testify In Rape Case

ABERNATHY--A Vernon woman is being held in the Hale County Jail until she can testify before a grand jury Aug. 16 as a material witness to an alleged rape by a Floyd County deputy sheriff.

Hale County Sheriff Charles Tue said the woman was unable to testify before an earlier grand jury because she was being held in Rusk County Jail on a bank check charge. The grand jury passed the case until she could be called to testify.

Eddie Anzaldua, the accused deputy, has been suspended from duty since the alleged June incident. He is free under \$12,500 bond.

Sheriff Tue said the Vernon woman will undergo a lie detector test sometime this week.

Accepts Basketball Scholarship

Angelo State University has signed three more basketball players for the 1976-77 campaign, according to ASU women's athletic director Dr. Carole Smith.

West Texas signees include Debby Johnson of Floydada and Ballinger's Marla Burns, both all-district players, while Susan Kerchner from Pearland is the third signee.

Johnson, a four-year letterman at Floydada, served as captain of her team, and earned all-district honors as a junior and senior. She was honorable mention as a sophomore.

The Rambelle recruit also gained all-tournament honors in the Floydada Invitational in 1974 and lettered four seasons in tennis. In the past three years, she participated in the state meet-and during the spring of 1975 won state in doubles.

Debby is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wester of Floydada.

Approck Chat by Wendell Tooley

NEW AUTOMOBILES COST a lot of money, but I believe the auto manufacturers are building a much better car than a few years back. I have an automobile that has about 30,000 miles on it and only cost so far has been oil changes and gasoline.

New cars I have previously owned needed new points, plugs, tires, sometimes mufflers by the time I had put 20,000 on them. So...30,000 trouble free, cost free miles isn't bad. I probably shouldn't even mention this...she may fall apart next week.

Thanks, Betty Shirey

THE BAND PARENTS are thinking about building a trailer to haul the band instruments. If you have, or know of someone who has a tandem chassis and frame that they could buy...say about 20 feet long, please call Jerry Finley or Don Chesshir.

I HOPE EVERY high school graduate won't go to college this Fall. I hope a few will go to a vocation school and learn how to repair typewriters. I took an IBM to Lubbock Monday for repair and the cost is \$28.50 per hour plus cost of parts.

ONE MORE TIME....if you want to vote in the November Presidential election, you must register at the county tax collector-assessor's office 30 days before the election. If you register here and want to vote in your college town, you should register to vote in your college town. If you register to vote here, you must vote here, or write in for absentee ballot.

Duke, Minner To Be Opponents At Greenbelt

Floydada Greenbelt Bowl players Randy Duke and Donzell Minner will be opponents at the 27th annual football classic to be played at 8 p.m. Friday at Fair Park Field in Childress.

Randy will play center position for the East team. Donzell will play end for the West team. Both players will be on the starting teams.

In addition to the Friday night game, the players and queen candidates will be honored at a barbecue tonight and a parade to be held Friday at 4 p.m. Donette Williams was chosen by Donzell Minner and Nesa Jackson was chosen by Randy Duke to compete for the Greenbelt Bowl queen title.

The Floydada players left for Childress Sunday afternoon to begin two-a-day practice sessions for the game. Players continued the four-hour-a-day practice sessions through today. The sessions were held each morning from 8 to 11 and each afternoon from 4 to 6.

History of Greenbelt Bowl The idea for the Greenbelt Bowl originated with the Childress Quarterback club. Members of the club felt that there were many outstanding boys in the Childress area who would never be asked to participate in an All-star game.

Knowing that boys who come from smaller schools never receive the recognition due them, members of the Quarterback Club decided to always draw the majority of participants from the smaller schools.

Since its beginning the Classic has become nationally recognized as each year 44 outstanding players from this area are divided into the two squads, the East and the West, and are given the chance to play in a real bowl game.

The Greenbelt Bowl Association asks coached from surrounding schools to submit to the Player Selection Committee the names of outstanding members of their teams who have just graduated from high school, but have not entered college. From the list of nominations the Player Selection Committee chooses 44 players.

The Greenbelt Bowl, Inc. was organized in 1949. The first game was played August 11, 1949. The bowl is run by six directors. Two new directors are selected each year to serve for three years. No director can succeed himself but must have a one-year absence before he can again serve.

Many civic organizations in Childress work with the Greenbelt Bowl to take tickets, usher, park cars, sell programs and perform many other chores to make the game a success.

Big Feud To Be Settled Between Lions And Kiwanians Tonight

by Art Ratzlaff

An anticipated crowd of 10,000 people is expected to attend the first annual slow-pitch softball game between the number one ranked Kiwanians and the surprisingly agile Lions club. The game will be held at the freshmen diamond, which is the southwest diamond, across the street of the high school. Game "Kickoff" is at 7:30 p.m. tonight.

Officials will be furnished by the Floydada Rotary club. Concession stand, first aid station and cheering section will be operated by the 1956 Study club. Wheelchairs, crutches, etc., will be available in case of any breakdowns.

"We welcome everyone to come out and see the action," said the game coordinators, George Sweatt and Art Ratzlaff. "We hope to have a lot of fun and would like to see a lot of people come out and enjoy the outing with us. All the 'talent' is donated and people you see making spectacles of themselves are doing so to help their community do things to beautify and enhance the appearance of their surroundings," they added.

The spectators will be asked to donate to a fund toward the development of Floydada city parks. Plans are to landscape some of the parks and put playground equipment in them. A grant is available to Floydada but it must be matched by \$10,000 from Floydada. According to Mayor Parnell Powell, some of the various clubs and organizations, have set aside funds for this cause but the amount is not known. He also said city equipment will be used to do some of the work and this can also count toward Floydada's share. There are several parks in Floydada and visitors as well as local people should be able to enjoy our hospitality. This leaves good thoughts in people's mind when they visit.



LIONS ACE-IN-THE-HOLE is Lion president, Ray McDonald, who will be behind the plate, so to speak. McDonald is reported to be a "solid" asset for the Lions team. Home plate may be hard to reach, the Lion coach hopes. (Staff Photo)

Southwestern Public Service Announce Plans For Expansion

Directors of Southwestern Public Service Company, meeting Tuesday in Boston, approved construction of a third 350,000-kilowatt, coal-fired electric generator for installation at Harrington Station, northeast of Amarillo.

The unit approved today will go into service in mid-1980. Roy Tolk, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Southwestern, said that both 1980 and 1981 had been considered as completion dates while the unit was in the planning stage, but that load growth and customer gains in the last few months made it advisable to move forward to the 1980 date.

Earlier, Tolk had reported to the board that the company had gained nearly

8,000 customers in the last twelve months.

New officer posts went to two Amarilloans as a result of today's meeting and an earlier meeting of the board of TUCO INC., Southwestern's fuel subsidiary. Coyt Webb was named treasurer of Southwestern.

Webb, who is a graduate of Texas Tech and a certified public accountant, joined Southwestern as a system auditor in 1964. He was named supervisor of internal auditing in January, 1975, promoted to executive assistant in October of that year and elected assistant secretary of Southwestern and TUCO last January.

Bunch, a native Amarilloan and Tascosa High School graduate, earned his bachelor of business administra-

tion degree at Texas Tech. He is also a certified public accountant and joined Southwestern in June of this year from a national accounting firm.

The directors also approved an amendment to the by-laws, reducing the number of directors from 12 to 11. This action came after they had accepted, with regret, the resignation from the board of Murrell R. Tripp. Tripp, who had served on the Southwestern board since 1962, resigned for personal reasons.

All of the directors signed the necessary consent forms to stand for re-election at the annual meeting of stockholders which will be held in Amarillo in January of next year.
A price of \$12.00 per share

was established for 1,050,000 shares of the company's common stock which will be offered to the public today. Proceeds from the sale will go for the construction of new facilities.

The regular quarterly dividend of 24 1/2 cents per share on the common stock, payable on September 1 to holders of record on August 16, was approved. The dividend will apply to the new shares which are being offered to the public today.

Other dividend action included declaration of the regular quarterly dividends on all outstanding issues of preferred stocks. These dividends will be paid on November 1 to holders of record on October 20.

H. Frederick Hagemann, Jr., of Boston, served as host director for the meeting.

Fireman chose their courses at the school from a list including Firefighting, Fire Prevention, Fire Department Officer Training, Fire Department Pump Maintenance, Specialized Fire Protection, and Disaster Rescue Training.

Fireman Warren was sponsored by Floyd County Farm Bureau and Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies by contributing toward the cost of the school. Since volunteer firemen are interested in attending this school to help do a better job of fire fighting and fire prevention, 100 County Farm Bureaus and the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies in the statewide program have sponsored 100 firemen at the school.

"The Farm Bureau Insurance Companies believe volunteer fire departments have been very effective in reducing the amount of loss

"Texas" Cast Includes Both Indian And

Canyon, August 2, 1976... "Texas", the musical drama which plays on summer evenings, is the story of the land in the Texas Panhandle and the people who lived on it, both Indian and Anglo.

The story is told by a cast of eighty, and a supporting company of sixty more-both Indian and Anglo.

Twenty members of the performing company have Indian drums in their heritage, as do eight members of the technical and hospitality crews. Though their names are Lynn

and Cook, Green and Watkins, nine have at least one great-grandparent who was a full-blooded Indian. Stan Easter, Teresa Cook and Rosemary Burkhart each have an Indian grandparent.

Cherokee and Comanche, Sioux and Choctaw, Creek and Apache are represented in the Company.

John Red Fox leads the list. He is the grandson of the famed Sioux Chief, William Red Fox who is renowned for his interpretation of Indian characters on

stage and in films. Director of the Indians for Buffalo Bill's Wild West shows, and later for those of the 101 Ranch, he appeared in more than a hundred movies and spent his long life representing his race for audiences of all kinds. He died this spring at the age of 105. John Red Fox plays the role of the chief in "Texas", and bases a good deal of his interpretation on the character of his grandfather.

Silverton Young Farmers

Silverton Young Farmers have held several work nights in the last week preparing the local rodeo arena and grounds for the August 12-13-14 Briscoe County Birthday Celebration.

On July 26, members of the Young Farmers and various other organizations hauled wood for the free barbecue to be held on August 12.



PAMELA HURST AS ELSIE and Ron Williams as Calvin in Paul Green's musical drama "TEXAS" which plays during the summer in the magnificent Palo Duro Canyon near Canyon and Amarillo, Texas. For tickets and information please write "TEXAS", Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015 or call 805-544-2182. (Andrew Hester Photograph)

involved by fire in rural areas," said President Carol G. Chaloupka of Dalhart. "It is our hope in sponsoring this program that the firemen will help the Floydada Volunteer Department to better serve the residents of Floyd County."



In Turkey, the loser of a wrestling match kisses the hands of the wrestler who beats him, and the victor takes the loser in his arms and salutes him!

Briscoe County Birthday August 12, 13, 14

Briscoe County's annual Birthday Celebration will be held August 12-13-14-15 in Silverton.

There will be a western parade through downtown Silverton on Thursday August 12. Following the parade there will be a free barbecue at the City Park. Entertainment for the barbecue will be a fiddlers' contest sponsored by the Silverton Lions Club.

Silverton Young Farmers are sponsoring the three nightly rodeo performances. Stock producer is Charlie Thompson, Lubbock.

Windy Wood and his band will be playing nightly at the western dances on the largest concrete dance slab in the southwest.

On Saturday August 14 at

the beginning of the rodeo the 1976 Rodeo Queen and her court will be recognized and honored. Queen candidates and their sponsors are Melissa Greenhaw, L.O.A. Jr. Study Club; Donna Hale, Silverton Young Farmers; Lee Ann McMurty, Silverton Lions Club; Rebecca Reid, Silverton Young Homemakers; and Karen Ziegler, Southwest Home Demonstration Club.

Warren Attends Training School

COLLEGE STATION—Jerry Warren, volunteer fireman on the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department

of Floydada, attended the 47th Annual Texas Fireman's Training School July 26-30. The school was

attended by nearly 1,550 students representing about 600 cities from approximately 30 states.

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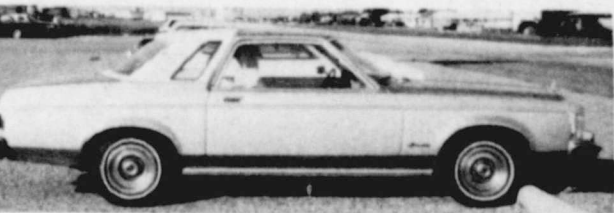
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"Catalin" will play for a teen dance Saturday, August 7 from 9 p.m. to midnight at the American Legion building in Lockney. Admission is \$2 per person.

Dance rules: no married couples; no smoking; no drinking; those attending may not leave the building and return; age limits—after the eighth grade up to 21 years of age.

SMALL WONDER

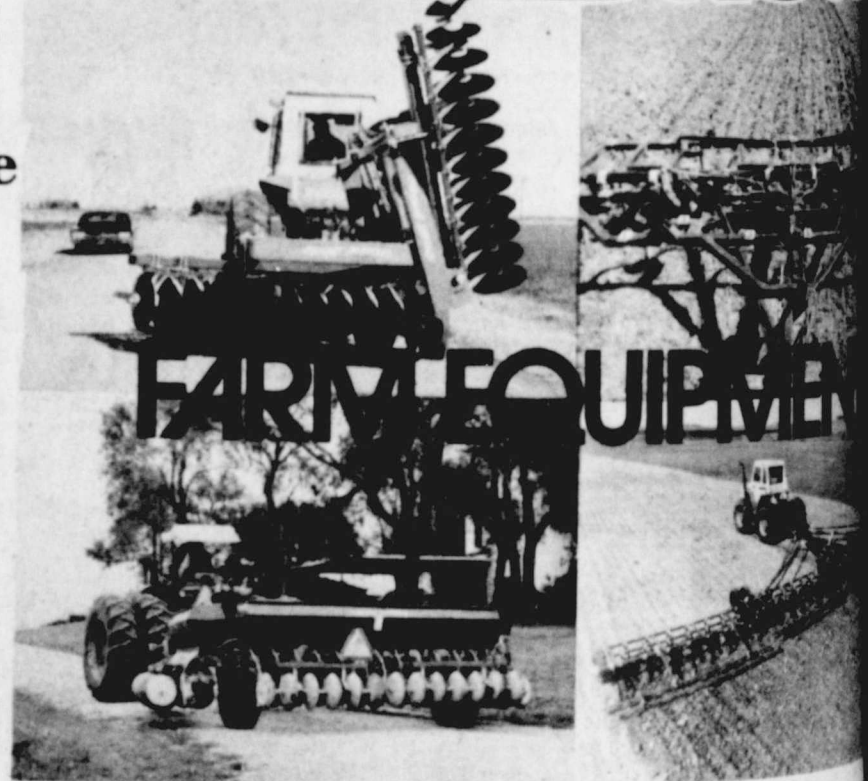
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South Plains News

By Mrs. Murray Julian

last Sunday. Others here with them during the past weeks were another daughter Mrs. Howard Staples, Billy, Stacy and Kevin of Arlington.

Mrs. E. E. Wells (Mildred) who underwent surgery at Nichols Hospital in Plainview a week ago Friday had more surgery there on Tuesday morning, and is now doing fine, and hopes to get to go to the home of a friend, Thelma Thompson, in Plainview for a few days of recuperation before returning to her home here.

Thunder roared and lightning flashed Wednesday night July 28 as the wonderful rain came through our area. South Plains had about 2 inches, Sylvan Kinnibrugh had 2 inches, Grigsby Milton, 1.80, Kendis Julian 1.50, and others all received good amounts, but the fall was soft, and did a world of good, but some of the farmers are again turning on wells this Monday as they finish watering cotton and maize.

Mrs. I. H. Parks, (Maurine) who has had such a bad time with knee problems, and been in Lubbock in the Highland Hospital since two weeks ago Wednesday got to come home this past week end on Saturday and we rejoice with her that she is doing well.

Johnny and Jeffrey Taylor from Menard, where they now reside, have been visiting here the past week and a half with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor.

Atha Blake, who has been working down at the Plains Encampment at the Baptist Camp, during the summer camp came home over the weekend, and is finished with her work there. She has been working as a guard at the swimming pool there at the camp.

Boyd McClure was honored with a birthday supper in the home of his mother, Mrs. Jean McClure of Plainview, last Tuesday night at eight o'clock, and baking his birthday cake and bringing dinner were his grandmother, Mrs. Frank McClure and his sisters, Mrs. Jeff Messer. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure and Rev. and Mrs. Jeff Messer of Fieldton, with Mrs. Jean McClure and

Hostesses met at the home of Mrs. J. P. Taylor last Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m. to plan a wedding shower for Miss Donna Powell, who is now Mrs. John Rushing of Little Rock, Arkansas where she is stationed with the Little Rock AFB. The shower will be held at the home of Mrs. J. P. Taylor at 9:30 a.m. Thursday morning, August 5th, and hostesses who met to plan the shower were Mrs. L. N. Johnson, Mrs. Arby Mulder, Mrs. Murray Julian, Mrs. Ruby Higginbotham and Mrs. J. P. Taylor.

Mrs. Kendis Julian, Kristi, Mitzi and Tim went to Roaring Springs on Tuesday to have dinner and spend the day with her aunts, Benno Wilson and Mrs. Verba Faulkner. They also visited at the Roaring Springs resort where the children went swimming.

Rev. and John Allen, Brian and Marianne, from Atlanta, Georgia, who were former pastor and wife of the South Plains Baptist Church visited in our midst this Monday night and Tuesday, as they are enroute by trailer to Alaska. They came through Fort Worth where they got to see all Rev. Allen's people, and they visited in Abilene with her brother, Harold Houk-sema. They spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reeves and children, and they had Tuesday morning breakfast in the Julian home with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian and Mrs. Ruby Higginbotham. Rev. Allen has been with the Baptist Mission Board in Atlanta, and with his family is now moving to Anchorage, Alaska where he will head all the Baptist Mission Board work in Alaska. They are going from here to Prince Rupert, Canada, on to Ketchikan, and to Juneau, then to Haines, by boat, and then will go to their new home which is to be built in Anchorage, where Rev. Allen will have his headquarters.

Invert a warmed bowl over butter to make it soften more quickly.

Weeds And Wildlife

LUBBOCK-The summer period is normally one of peace and plenty for Texas upland birds with rapidly growing food and cover, but landowners and sportsmen should start their winter wildlife assistance programs now.

All birds need cover for a variety of uses such as roosting, nesting, feeding, escape from their enemies, and rearing their young. Cover for each of these needs will vary throughout the year from sweet clover and harvested corn to grasses and weeds.

"Weeds cause many landowners problems especially when they grow where they are not wanted," said Richard DeArment, department extension biologist.

"Even clover or corn could be considered a weed if it grows in the wrong place," DeArment continued.

Many weeds are legumes. They fix nitrogen from the air, pass it into the soil, and eventually allow other plants to use it.

Primitive farmers often learned which weeds capture nitrogen, and actually introduced them into their grain fields.

Some of the more common wild plants that furnish seeds for birds include: ragweed, bindweed, smartweed, wild sunflower, Russian thistle, wild oats, broomweed, and croton. A few plants furnish both food and cover such as the Russian olive, aromatic sumac, and black locust.

As late winter rolls around, Texas birds find bare fields, overgrazed playalakes, and burned-out fence rows. Protection from

enemies such as owls, hawks, and ground predators is reduced to such an extent that bird populations show a sharp decrease in most of the Panhandle and South Plains counties.

Most grass patches, whether near irrigation, surrounding playalakes, or isolated near cultivation, furnish some protection if not overgrazed. A few turns with a disc along the edge of the grass will allow a patch of weeds to spring up this summer giving needed food and cover for the coming winter.

The next time you look at a weedy field, or even contemplate spraying or chopping them down, stop and think for a moment that they could be the only thing left for wildlife this winter.

Truck Bags Bull Elk

AMARILLO-A truck driver was surprised last week as a large bull elk ran in front of his rig and was consequently killed five miles west of Amarillo.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department wardens identified the huge animal as a three-point bull, western count. The front quarter of the elk was badly mangled and the truck sustained minor damage, but later continued on its way.

"We don't know where the elk came from or where it was going," said Ted Wheels, regional law enforcement supervisor.

"The elk probably came into Texas from New Mexico either down the Canadian river or from the Raton area," Wheels continued.

The only established elk

herd in Texas is in the Guadalupe mountains of far west Texas where the population of these huge animals is estimated at 300.

It is not uncommon for the elk to travel long distances due to drought such as New Mexico is experiencing at the present time. These same elk once roamed the plains with the buffalo, antelope and grizzly but civilization pushed the last remaining herds back into the foothills and mountains of the western states including New Mexico and Colorado.

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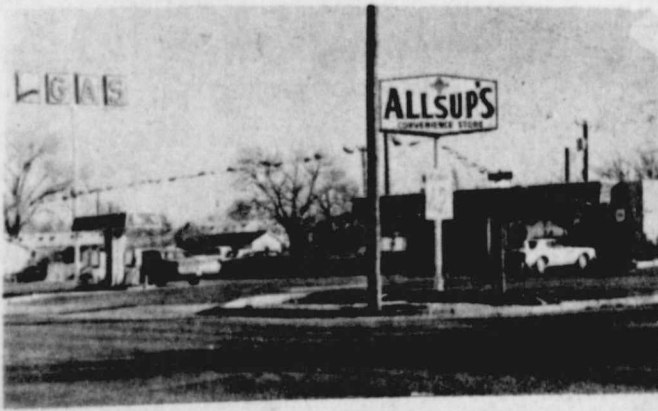
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Gift Tea Honors Mrs. Gary Lyles

Mrs. Gary Lyles, the former Shorti Brown of Amarillo, was honored on Saturday afternoon, July 31, with a gift tea in the home of Mrs. Johnny Cates on the Matador highway.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Cates and presented to Mrs. Lyles and her mother, Mrs. Carroll E. Brown of Amarillo and Mrs. Olen Lyles mother of the groom. Mrs. Ryeburn Neill was at the guest register. A plaque of the couple's wedding announcement done in gold on white was on the registration table.

Mrs. Malvin Jarboe and Mrs. J. B. Colston served gold punch and thumb print cookies with nuts and mints from a crystal service. The table was laid with a white cutwork cloth centered with an arrangement of yellow, gold and apricot roses in a crystal bowl. Napkins were of hand screened rice paper with yellow, gold and apricot colored flowers.

The hostess gift was a gold and stainless steel Hamilton Beach mixer.

Assisting Mrs. Cates with gift tea were Mmes. Kenneth Willis, Kenneth Pitts, Gilbert Fawver, Rav-

mond Colston, Duncan Hol-lums, Otis Anderson, Floyd Bradford, Claude Fawver, Floyd Anderson, Woodrow

Wilson, Maurice Campbell, Mrs. Edwin Wilson of Spur Mrs. Malvin Jarboe, Mrs. J. B. Colston and Mrs. Ryeburn Neill.

Brunch Honors Miss Clampitt

Miss Kathy Clampitt, bride-elect of Donald Quisenberry, was honored with a bridesmaid brunch July 31 from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. at the home of Mrs. David Hale in Floydada.

Those present made rice bags for the upcoming wedding of Miss Clampitt.

Guests were served finger sandwiches and hors d'oeuvres from a table setting of crystal appointments. The

table was laid with a white linen cloth centered with a burgandy and pink candle arrangement.

Present were Miss Clampitt, Mrs. Emmitt Clampitt, mother of the bride; Mrs. Robert Quisenberry, mother of the groom; Mrs. Dennis McCullom, sister of the groom; Kim Harrison, bridesmaid; Mrs. Hale, matron of honor.

The bride-elect was presented with a canister set.

Hodge Reunion Aug. 8

A reunion of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hodge will be held at the Terrace Party house, Mackenzie Park in Lubbock.

Sunday, August 8 beginning at 10 a.m.

A basket lunch will be served at noon. Relatives and friends are invited.

King Reunion August 7

Friends and relatives of the late Rev. and Mrs. R. A. King are cordially invited to attend a reunion Saturday,

August 7 at Massey Activity Center.

A basket lunch and supper will be served.



Mrs. Dennis Wilhoit

Mary Leslie Degge, Dennis Wilhoit Wed Saturday In Lockney

Miss Mary Leslie Degge and Dennis Lowell Wilhoit were married Saturday afternoon in a double-ring ceremony which they had written. Bobby Hise, minister of Montgomery Street Church of Christ in Albuquerque, New Mexico, directed the exchange of vows in a 2 o'clock ceremony in Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Degge of Lockney, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wilhoit of Portales, New Mexico.

Centering the altar area of the church was cathedral candelabra arch banked by candelabra trees with votive candles adorned in greenery and tied with yellow bows.

Wedding music was provided by a chorus of friends of the couple. Songs included "Father Hear the Prayer We Offer"; "I'll Walk in the Rain by Your Side" a duet by Tom and Peggy Skinner; "More" by soloist Ken Burton; "Sometimes," duet by Kyle and Sara Degge; "Annie's Song" by soloist James Hobbs; "One Hand, One Heart," a duet by Rolla and Carolyn Randel; "Make Us An Instrument" and "Joyful Alleluia."

After the bride was given in marriage by her father, she sang "I Come to Offer My Love" to the groom.

After saying their vows, they presented yellow roses to their mothers and then lighted a unity candle.

For the wedding, the former Miss Degge chose a romantic gown of poly-sheer organza. It was designed with a fitted bodice enhanced with Venise lace motifs. A row of crystal pleating traced the sabrina scoop neckline. Sheer puffed sleeves were edged in a row of crystal pleating. Satin ribbon encircled the crescent waistline. Her full, bouffant skirt fell into a full chapel train which was bordered at the hemline with a deep flounce topped with more crystal pleating.

The bride's finger-tip veil of imported silk illusion was edged in Venise lace with Venise appliques scattered over the veil. It was held by a French tiara that was covered in the same lace. Her bouquet was of gardenias, white gladioli and baby's breath carried atop a white French Bible and a handkerchief belonging to a great-great-grandmother.

Wedding Party
The groom's brother, Clyde Wilhoit of Portales, and the bride's sister, Miss Sara Degge, were honor attendants. Bridesmaids were Laura Pierce of Hereford and Mary Lou Phillips of Lubbock. Gregg Gossett of Portales and David Brumfield of Lubbock were groomsmen. The groom's niece, Nikkie Dawn Rush of Elida, New Mexico, was flower girl, and the bride's nephew, Bradley

Keith Degge of Pasadena, California, was ring bearer. Completing the wedding party were ushers Walter Wilhoit of Portales, brother of the groom; Olin Degge of Pasadena, California, and Kyle Degge, brothers of the bride; Dave Yirak, Jerry Fowler and Mike Casey, all of Lubbock.

Feminine attendants were dressed in full-length, sleeveless gowns of mint green miramist flocked with tiny yellow roses. The empire waists were gathered in the back with sashes. Gathered capes, edged with mint green lace, adorned the round necklines. The bride's attendants carried bouquets of white daisies, yellow gladiolas and baby's breath.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Presiding at the guest book was the bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. Anita Degge of Pasadena, California.

The bride's table was laid with a white cutwork cloth over green. Centering the table were the bouquets of the bride and her attendants. Crystal and silver appointments set the table. The three-tiered cake, decorated with cascading yellow icing roses, was topped with wedding bells. Serving at the bride's table were Mrs. Denton Wiggins of Hooker, Oklahoma; Mrs. Travis Cox of Searcy, Arkansas, cousin of the bride, and Monette Venable of Mesquite.

The groom's table was laid with a yellow and white gingham cloth. China and silver appointments were used to serve chocolate cake that was decorated in yellow. A candle arranged with greenery was the centerpiece. Serving were Mrs. Johnanna Rush of Elida, New Mexico, and Mrs. Shirley Brown of Odessa, sisters of the groom, and Andrea Hogan of Lubbock.

Rice bags were distributed by Roi Leigh and Tamara Rush, nieces of the groom, and Debbie, Michael and Rebecca Cox, cousins of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wilhoit hosted a rehearsal dinner in the fellowship hall of the church Friday.

Wedding Trip
Following a wedding trip to Las Vegas, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wilhoit will be at home at 1918 Ave. N. in Lubbock. The bride wore a blue, green and white dress with matching jacket and corsage of gardenias for

her going-away ensemble. The groom's traveling attire was a light blue leisure suit with a coordinating shirt.

Mrs. Wilhoit attended Lockney High School before graduating in 1971 from Lubbock Christian High School. She earned a bachelor of arts degree in human relations from Lubbock Christian College and worked nearly a year as a social worker at Smithlawn Maternity Home in Lubbock prior to her marriage.

Wilhoit was a 1971 graduate of Portales, New Mexico, High School. He attended Eastern New Mexico University at Portales, Lubbock Christian College

and Sunset School of Preaching in Lubbock. He is employed at DEA Window and Door in Lubbock.

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Miscellaneous Shows

Miss Treena Kay Henson

Miss Treena Kay Henson of Brownfield, bride-elect of Ronnie Aston of Lockney was feted Saturday, July 10, with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Raymond Rucker of Lockney.

Guests called between the hours of 3:30 and 5:30 p.m. and were greeted by Mrs. Rucker, who presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. G. W. Henson, Jr. of Brownfield, and mother of the prospective groom, Mrs. Ray Aston.

Mrs. R. V. Webster registered guests. Mrs. Ricky Mosley and Mrs. Randy Henderson presided at the serving table.

The table was laid with a cutwork linen cloth and held a center arrangement of white fresh daisies in a crystal container. The bride's chosen colors of yellow, green and white were carried out in table decorations. Tea cookies, pineapple



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Texans To Vote On Water Amendments

Texas voters will ballot on two constitutional amendments when they go to the polls November 2.

Amendment No. 1, authored by Senator Max Sherman of Amarillo, authorizes an additional \$400 million in Texas water development bonds that may be issued on approval of two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature.

The amendment would do four things:

1. The Texas Water Development Board, with the approval of two thirds of the membership of each house of the legislature, would be authorized to issue an additional \$400 million in Texas Water Development Bonds for use in continued financing of water development projects as provided by law.

2. No proceeds from the sale of Texas Water Development Bonds would be available for use in developing water resources from the Mississippi River.

3. Before more than \$35 million in proceeds from the sale of TWD bonds could be spent on a single water development project, the expenditure would have to be approved through a concurrent resolution by majority vote of both houses of the legislature or the project could have to be a part of a statewide water development plan approved through a concurrent resolution by majority vote of both houses of the legislature.

4. Constitutional provisions relating to the operation of the Texas Water Development Board on the issuance of Texas Water Development Bonds would be consolidated and more detailed statutory-type language would be deleted.

Arguments for the amendment are:

1. Funds available in the Texas Water Development Fund for use in developing water projects have been almost depleted. Failure to provide additional funding authorizations to the board in the near future would probably result in the inability of the state to provide adequate water supplies for its citizens in the future.

2. The escalating costs of construction for new water projects require that the state assure that the limited funds available for water development be used as effectively as possible. Requiring legislative approval of large single project expenditures that are not a part of a

plan approved by the legislature would aid in providing some assurance that water development money would be most efficiently spent.

3. The present confusion created by the piecemeal adoption of constitutional provision relating to state water development should be resolved so that the legislature and state agencies may more effectively handle the state's requirements and, at the same time, place more detailed legislative-type policy decision in the hands of the legislature.

Arguments against are:

1. The authorization provided for the TWD board to issue an additional \$400 million in Texas Water Development Bonds would double the board's existing bond authorization and would further encourage the reliance of the state on bonded indebtedness to meet its future needs. The problems experienced by other governmental entities in this country relying too heavily on bonded indebtedness should serve as a lesson to this state that the use of bonds for financing purposes can lead to financial problems in the future.

2. Placing further restrictions on approval of the construction of single large water development projects could result in increased costs and delays in providing adequate water supplies for the citizens of the state.

3. Consolidating the water development provisions of the constitution would result in deleting certain detailed constitutional restrictions that should remain in the constitution for the protection of the public.

Amendment No. 2, authored by Tim Von Dohlen, authorizes an increase of \$100 million in the amount of Texas Water Development Bonds that may be issued to make funds available for grants and loans to local governments for use in providing treatment facilities.

Arguments for:

1. The future of Texas depends on the quality and supply of its water. Passage of the proposed amendments would make more funds available to assist local governments in providing necessary facilities, thereby enhancing both the quality and quantity of the state's water.

2. Greater federal control and increasing costs have placed an even heavier burden on local governments in attempting to provide high quality water supplies. To

assure that these local governments will be able to meet these burdens in the future, the state must take an active part by providing funds where needed.

Arguments against:

1. The experience of other governmental entities in the U.S. in relying on bonded indebtedness as a source for financing has not been good. Texas should cease reliance on long-term bonded debt and seek other avenues for financing needed projects.

2. Adoption of this amendment would permit passing on to the state level another financial burden that is rightfully the responsibility of local governments.

New bride is too old for ceremony

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — "I never thought I'd be a bride again," said Annie Mae Slayton Smalling, who at 76 made a second trip to the altar recently.

Widowed three years ago after 52 years of marriage, she was wedded to Noah Ervin Smalling, an 80-year-old widower, and long-time friend of her and her late husband, Coy Slayton.

The bride wore a floor-length blue dress and a corsage of pink roses for the ceremony.

"The minister's wife played the wedding march even though I've told them we didn't need anything like that at our ages," the new Mrs. Smalling said.

The Floyd Philosopher

Discusses Foreign Policy



Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm discusses foreign policy this week, more or less.

Dear Editor:

Some people are always criticizing our foreign policy but I've decided the only thing wrong with it is that it's not used at home too.

For instance, the United States has just loaned Egypt 31 million dollars, payable in 40 years, to improve and modernize the port of Alexandria. The interest rate is 2 per cent the first 10 years, then it goes up to 3 per cent. This is known as financial wizardry, as I know of no other country on earth that can borrow money from its citizens at 7 and 8 per cent and lend it to foreigners at 2 and 3 per cent.

At the same time, the U.S. has given Egypt 5 million dollars free of charge to study what else needs improving over there.

This is exactly the kind of policy I've been looking for. You see, I've got this old barn out here that I estimate is in worse shape than the port of Alexandria. If ships have trouble docking over there, you ought to see the trouble a hay truck has getting in and out of my barn. If anything needs improving and modernizing, it does, and I'll attend to it if the government will let me in on some of that 2 per cent money. I'd like about \$100,000. What I'll do is use \$5,000 or so to fix up the barn

and put the rest out at 7 1/2 per cent interest. In 40 years I'll bet I will have come closer to paying my loan off than Egypt.

Now as for the other part of the foreign policy, the 5 million dollars we're giving Egypt to see what else needs improving over there, I've been looking at things around this farm for years that need improving, and if the government will pay me I'll write them down and send the list to Washington. I think \$25,000 will cover the cost.

While it's true I don't have any old pyramids that need fixing up or any tents that need patching or any camels that need replacing, I know that from a long-range economic view over the next 40 years I'm bound to have some cows that'll need replacing, and I know from years of experience that a fence can lean over just so far before it falls down completely. I don't know about Egyptian cows, but it doesn't take my cows long to find out they can step over a fence that's on the ground.

Also, if given this money I'll guarantee I won't export any arms to my neighbors or declare war on any nation or get any madder at the U.S. than the ordinary foreign country does when its loan comes due.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

Floyd Philosopher likes U.S. foreign policy provided it's employed here at home too.

ENERGY TALKS

Q. Can a shortage of natural gas actually affect the rate of unemployment?

A. It can, and here's how. The Federal Power Commis-

sion projects our shortage to be 2.9 trillion cubic feet by March, 1976. This shortage will not only slow industrial growth, but it will threaten the ability of key industries that use natural gas to maintain current levels of production. When production levels fall, workers are laid off and that increases unemployment in a very real way.

The natural gas supply situation is the direct result of 21 years of government price control. With prices held at artificially low levels, demand has sharply increased while

exploration for new sources of supply has declined. Congress is now considering proposals to restore the supply/demand equilibrium by eliminating natural gas price controls.

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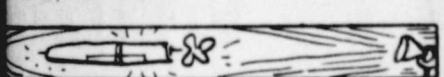
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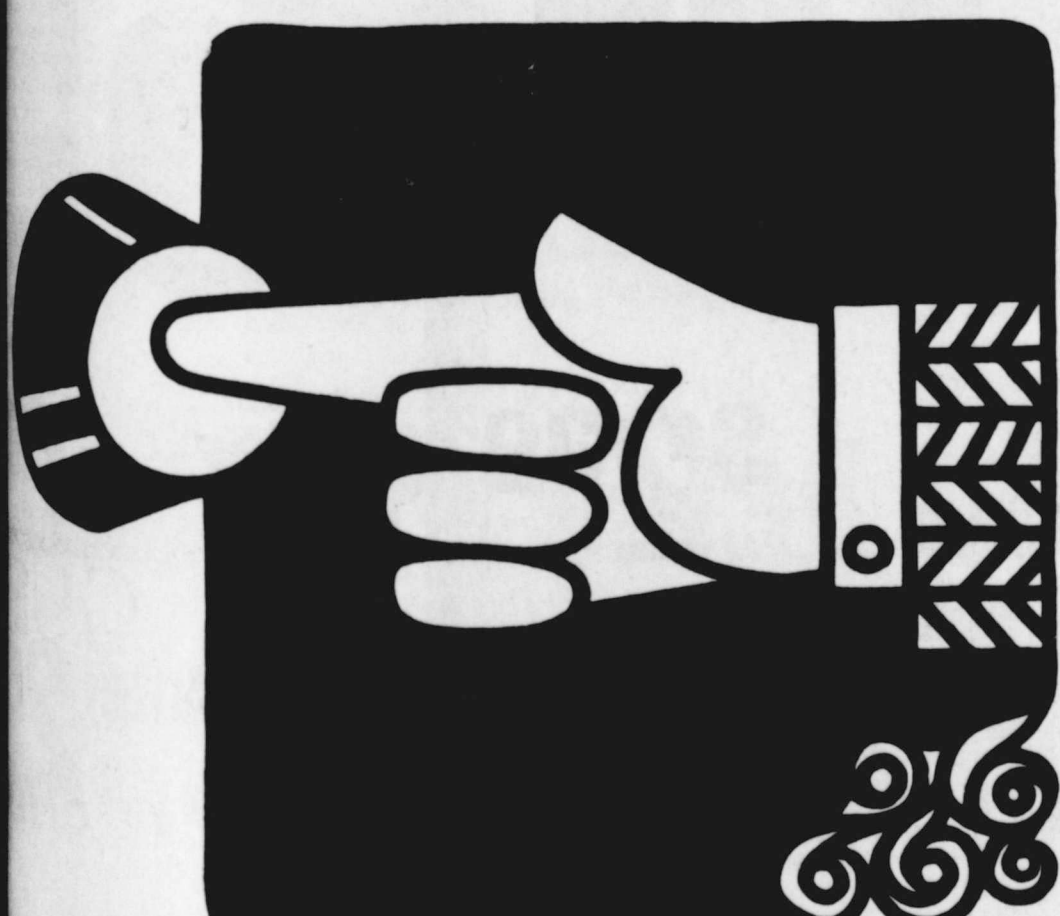
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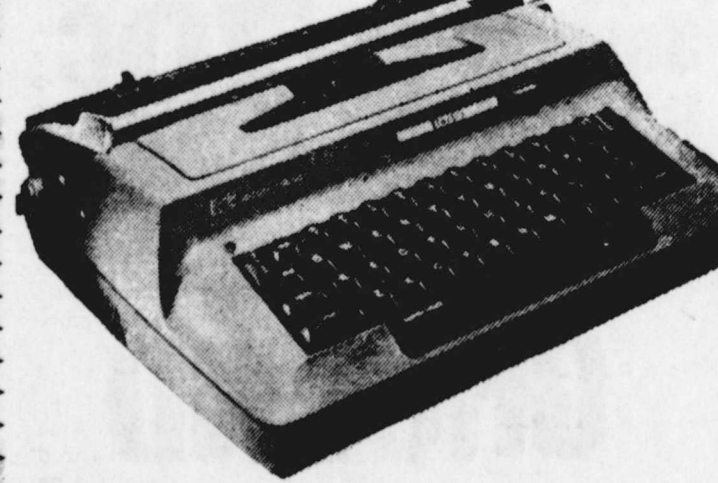
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Several Factors Responsible For Proposed School Budget Increase

School Superintendent A. E. Baker will present the Floydada School board a proposed 1975-'76 budget of \$1,448,000 Thursday, a \$55,000 increase over last year's budget of \$1,393,000.

Three factors are responsible for the budget increase, according to school officials: (1) Inflation; (2) An increase required in the local fund assignment as mandated by House Bill 1126, approved by the State Legislature in 1975; (3) and the June 12, 1976 approval by the State Board of Education of a policy prohibiting school districts from collecting student fees for driver education, band uniform rentals, club membership and classroom materials, including workbooks.

School business manager Tom Cathey said inflation costs are up an average of ten percent over last year. Utilities account for the biggest increase, up \$22,000 from last year. Supplies, maintenance costs and labor are also up. The school will be forced to increase the wages of its hourly employees to \$2.30 per hour because of the federal minimum wage law. The higher hourly pay scales will increase the budget by \$10,000. Higher costs for insurance coverage will add \$4,000 to the local budget.

House Bill 1126 is responsible for the biggest chunk of this year's budget increase, up \$43,000 from last year. H.B. 1126 dictates how much money must be raised by property owners within the district. The bill raised from 30 cents per \$100 evaluation to 35 cents per \$100 evaluation the amount of tax local districts must collect to pay their share of the state minimum foundation program. Each of the state's 1100 school districts pay for the nearly \$1 billion state school budget in this way. Floydada will pay \$301,000 into

the minimum foundation program. Two years ago the cost to the district was only \$139,000.

And, if the Legislature does not adopt new school financing measures during its next session local districts may be forced to pay up to 60 cents per \$100 evaluation, according to Supt. Baker.

Fifty-two percent of Floydada's total school budget is paid by local funds; funds for the remaining 48 percent of the budget is received from the state. The district receives \$779 per student from the state and adds \$258 per student of local funds in order to meet minimum foundations requirements.

SCHOOL FEES

The State Board of Education banned school districts from collection student fees last spring following an earlier opinion by the state attorney general that such fees were illegal. That ruling by the State Board of Education will cost Floydada between \$8,000 and \$10,000 next year, according to high school principal Charles Tyer.

Hardest hit, Tyer said, will be the band program which will no longer be able to collect rental fees for instruments or fees for cleaning band uniforms.

The high school principal said the district's driver education program will not be affected because fees for the course have never been collected during the regular school term. The district will still be able to charge for the course during the summer because the education agency can only enforce its rulings during a local district's three regularly funded quarters. Since the summer driver education course is not considered part of the regular school year the district is able to collect fees for the course. Another area which will be significantly affected by the fee ban, Tyer said, will be the English program.

Teachers will no longer be able to collect money for paperback books.

State funds are disbursed to school districts according to average daily attendance (ADA). H.B. 1126 has changed the computation of ADA in several ways. First, state funds are no longer allocated according to enrollment the previous year. School officials must estimate what a school's enrollment will be in order to receive funds ahead of time. If administrators overestimate the enrollment and too much money is disbursed to the district then the funds will be deducted from the following year's allocation. Second, ADA for vocational students is computed by a complicated method which varies from the way ADA is computed for academic students.

Tyer said that previously the vocational classes were bonus areas but because of the revised method of computing ADA districts end up losing money on their vocational programs. He said small schools are being hurt most by this new method of computing vocational ADA.

Because of the money Floydada is losing on its vocational programs the district may be forced to cut back, Tyer stated.

"We may not have the quantity but we will maintain the quality," he said.

When asked how he could maintain the quality of vocational programs by cutting quantity Tyer pointed out that the local vocational programs has until now been wide open. By that Tyer meant that lots of students have been taking vocational courses as electives. In the future the district will attempt to steer into vocational areas only those students who plan to utilize the training for careers.

FEDERAL REGULATIONS

The hands of local administrators are

also tied by strings attached to federal money received for certain school programs. For example, Title IX regulations require that coed physical education classes must be offered in elementary and high school. This regulation has necessitated the hiring of an extra aide for an elementary P.E. class taught by a man in order that the girl's dressing room can be supervised, Baker said.

If local districts fail to comply with federal regulations they stand to lose federal funds; if they fail to comply with state regulations the districts are liable to lose state accreditation.

School officials across the state are looking to the next State Legislative session to solve the financial crunch imposed on districts by H.B. 1126 and the fee ruling. Supt. Baker said 16 different school financing proposals will be fed to the Legislature when it convenes for its 65th session.

Senior Citizens To Meet

Senior citizens of Floydada will meet Wednesday, August 11, 11:30 a.m. at Lighthouse Electric.

Persons attending the meeting are asked to bring a covered dish for lunch and to wear name tags.

A program will be presented at the meeting followed by games.

Interested persons are invited to attend.

Annual Signing Party Sunday

The 1976 FHS annual will arrive this weekend.

An annual signing party is set for Sunday, August 8 in the high school cafeteria. Interest persons are asked to bring their annual receipts and pens to take part in the signing party.

Protective covers for the annuals will be available for 50 cents. Pictures taken for the '76 annual will be sold at the home of Janet Milam, adviser. Parents and students are welcome to come and look through the pictures.

GOP Peacemakers Seek To Unite Ford, Reagan

By JACK ANDERSON with LES WHITTEN

WASHINGTON — Republican peacemakers, operating behind the scenes, are trying to bring Gerald Ford and Ronald Reagan together. The objective is to unite the GOP behind a Ford-Reagan ticket at the Kansas City convention next month.

In the Ford camp, top campaign aides have quietly added Reagan's name to their priority list of vice presidential prospects. Sources familiar with the list say it contains three other names—Sen. Howard Baker of Tennessee, ex-Treasury Secretary John Connally and Commerce Secretary Elliot Richardson.

The same aides have also drawn up a secondary list of possibilities whom President Ford would consider as his running mate. This lesser list includes Ambassador to Britain Ann Armstrong, Gov. Christopher Bond of Missouri, Sen. William Brock of Tennessee, Gov. Dan Evans of Washington, Sen. Charles Percy of Illinois and Gov. Robert Ray of Iowa.

In the Reagan camp, some aides have indicated privately that, as a fallback position, they would consider a Ford-Reagan ticket. They have warned that they may not support the ticket if Reagan isn't on it. For the record, meanwhile, Reagan spokesmen still insist their man will win the presidential nomination and won't accept anything less.

Those who are seeking to reconcile Ford and Reagan contend that it will take a unified ticket to win in November. They point out that Jimmy Carter and Walter Mondale have jumped off to an alarming early lead.

The President's men also recognize, as one of them put it, that Reagan has "a strong appeal with conservatives," would strengthen the ticket in the West and South and is "best known" of the vice presidential possibilities.

But there is also resistance in the Ford camp to an alliance of the two rivals.

Raising the "credibility problem," some aides ask whether the voters would believe Ford and Reagan could work together after their bitter attacks upon one another. Some Ford advisers think Reagan "might hurt the ticket more than he would help it," we were told.

They doubt, for example, that Reagan could help Ford win the South against Jimmy Carter. The Ford people also question whether Reagan would accept second place on the ticket.

The Ford strategists are high on Sen. Baker who, as a Watergate hero, could help negate whatever Nixon taint remains on Ford. Coming

from Tennessee, Baker would give the ticket geographical balance.

Ford aides also count as a plus the fact that Baker is the son-in-law of the late Senate windbag, Everett Dirksen, a World War I balloonist who rose to greater heights in politics on hot air than he ever attained over the battlefield of France.

Like the late Senate speaker, whose oratorical excesses are remembered with affection on Capitol Hill, Baker is an excellent speaker. Yet Ford insiders wonder if he

would be a forceful campaigner or for that matter, could even win his own state of Tennessee against Carter.

The most effective campaigner, Ford aides agree, would be John Connally. By their analysis, he is "unquestionably" qualified to be President. They think he could also take Texas away from Carter.

But they are worried that Connally would be haunted by the milk scandal. Although he was acquitted of bribery charges, the word leaked out that the jury merely gave him the benefit of doubts that might still be raised in campaign. Some Ford aides also fear the dynamic Connally would "overpower" Ford.

As for Richardson, his positive Watergate image and reputation for integrity would be a great asset. He is also regarded by the Ford people as a proven administrator who would be well qualified for the presidency. He is popular in the Northeast, too, where Ford must pick up support to defeat Carter.

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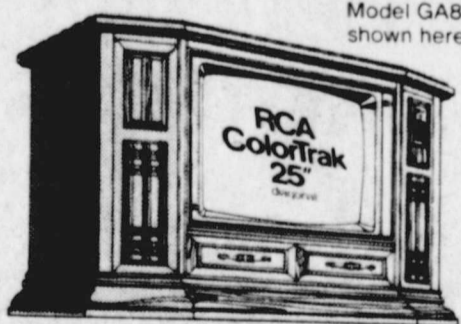


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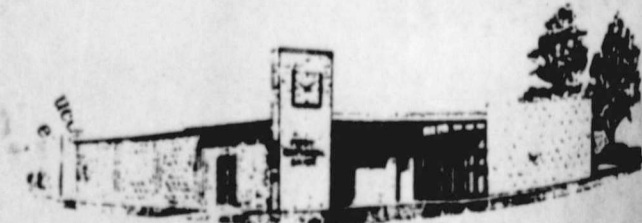
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Cedar Hill News

Lucinda Kaye Thompson
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 Mary Ann Tucker visited Cephus and Imogene Fortenberry.
 Saturday night Robin and Ruth Fortenberry were visited by Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Fortenberry.
 Richard Van Hoose spent the week with his grandparents John D. and Pauline Van Hoose. Richard's parents Alfred and Barbara came late Saturday afternoon to pick him up and take him back to their home in Lubbock.
 Saturday, Clara Mize took her grandson, Carl to the Big Rodeo in Floydada.
 Edna Gilly's mother, Ruth Hill came from Amarillo to

spend the weekend with Edna. Edna, her mother, and Edna's sister Virgie Flowers of Amarillo ate lunch with Edna's sister Clara. They later visited the Floydada Nursing home.
 Sunday, Carl and Grace Lemons were visited by their daughter Carla and her two children. Carla stayed here until Thursday then went back home to San Antonio, and took Grace with them. Grace will be returning in about 3 weeks.
 Tuesday Syd Brown, Goldie Cypert, and Donie Hanson visited the Jim Connors.

Caprock Hospital Report

Maria Segura, admitted 7-26, dismissed 8-1.
 Levis Gilliland, admitted 5-21, dismissed 8-3.
 Lydia Collins, admitted 7-27, dismissed 8-2.
 Dario Contreras, admitted 7-30, dismissed 8-2.
 Mark Martin, admitted 7-31, dismissed 8-3.
 Tracy Turner, admitted 8-1, dismissed 8-3.
 T. J. Coleman, admitted 7-9, continues care.
 Silvestre Acevedo, admitted 7-26, continues care.
 Georgia Foster, admitted 7-26, continues care.
 Henry Willis, admitted 7-28, continues care.
 Transita Zuniga, admitted 7-29, continues care.
 Julio Ibarra, admitted 7-31, continues care.
 Frank Stephens, admitted 7-31, continues care.
 Joseph Henry Thomas, admitted 8-1, continues care.
 Millie Rogers, admitted 8-2, continues care.
 Doris Bufkin, admitted 8-2, continues care.
 Pat Rendon, admitted 8-2, continues care.
 Joe Garza, admitted 8-2, continues care.
 Ruben Mendoza, admitted 8-3, continues care.
 Doris Powell, admitted 8-3, continues care.
 Verba Jane Jackson, admitted 8-3, continues care.
 Ermelinda Vargas, admitted 8-3, continues care.



BLUE RIBBON WINNER....Marcia Fortenberry's Veterinary Science record book won first place in District 2 4-H judging last week. Marcia was the only Floyd County 4-H'er to place first in the district record book judging. Her record book goes to state judging the first week in September. (Staff Photo)

Marcia Fortenberry Wins 4-H District Record Judging

Marcia Fortenberry won first place in the veterinary science division at 4-H district level record book judging Friday in Lubbock.
 In District 2 record book judging, South Plains 4-H'ers place their records of achievement on the line. Records include project summaries, information detailing their activities, experiences and leadership development, a narrative about their 4-H experience, clippings photos and other pertinent information.
 The books now will be forwarded to Texas A&M University to compete at the state level against the best books from 13 other districts of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Senior 4-H'ers are competing for scholarships, plaques, government bonds, a trip to the national 4-H congress in November and other awards.
 Also judged during the event were junior record books. Blue, red and white ribbons were awarded for these entries.
 "Record book competition is the critical measurement of achievements of these

OBITUARIES

Maria Soliz
 Services for Maria DeLuz Ortiz Soliz, 56, of Lockney were held Monday in the Spanish Assembly of God Church in Lockney with the Rev. David Herrera, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Calletano Saucedo, pastor of the Spanish Assembly of God Church in Plainview.
 Burial was in Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Carter Funeral Home of Lockney.
 Mrs. Soliz, a native of Grulla, died Saturday in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview after a lengthy illness.
 Survivors include her husband, Andres; two sons, Nazario of Ft. Campbell, Ky., and Andres Jr. of Lockney; eight daughters, Juvenicia Blanco, Edna Villalobon, Juanita Soliz, Maria Soliz, Paula Soliz and Nomi Soliz, all of Lockney, Guadalupe Delgado of Kyle

and Augustina Nuncio of Plainview; three brothers, Adan Ortiz, Santos Ortiz and Felix Ortiz, all of Grulla; four sisters, Manula Zarate, Paulas Soliz and Catilina Lopez, all of Grulla, and Evas Solis of Rotan and 14 grandchildren.
Irene McAllister
 Services for Mrs. Iren McAllister, 72, of Floydada were held 4 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church chapel here with Dr. Floyd C. Bradley, Pastor, officiating.
 Burial was in Floyd Memorial Park under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.
 Mrs. McAllister died at 5 p.m. Sunday of an apparent heart attack at Caprock Hospital here.
 A native of Russellville,

Ark. Mrs. McAllister moved to Floyd County in 1912. She married George McAllister May 8, 1932 in Clovis, N.M.
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 The choir will be presenting a program of sacred contemporary gospel music, backed by their own rhythm section. Along with their singing, the different members of the choir will share their faith through personal testimony. The group consist of students in the seventh through twelfth grades who, excited about Jesus Christ, see music as a positive means of communicating this love for all people.
 The current tour of Carrollton's Youth Choir takes them from Texas through Oklahoma and New Mexico. A tour to Florida and another to Tennessee, several revival appearances, 5 special music and drama

presentations, and two Holy Spirit Conferences have numbered among the Choir's activities the past three years. The Youth Choir has participated in services with both David Wilkerson and Oral Roberts.
 The director of the group is the Reverend Allison Snyder, Minister of music at First United Church in Carrollton. In three years the Youth Choir has not only doubled in size, but also the desire to be an instrument of God in ministry has become the key reason for the entire youth community's existence, of which the choir is a part. Each Sunday the youth lead their own congregation in worship at the early morning service, and opportunities for reach-out experiences are seen as God's own directive to go into all the world to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ.
 The entire community is invited to this exciting worship experience.

The Floyd Philosopher
 Philosopher Finds Out That The Commercialization Of Olympics Started Years Ago

Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm examines the Olympics this week, sort of.
 Dear Editor:
 People are always saying the world has become too commercial, that television shows are written to capture the biggest audience strictly in order to sell more tooth paste, that politicians are out to make money, that schools are far more concerned with buildings than teaching, etc.
 Why, then say, look at the Olympics. The games have become commercial. A man wins a bunch of gold medals and what happens? He shows up doing commercials on television at \$50,000 a year.
 The people of course are mistaken. The world hasn't suddenly become commercial. It's always been that way.
 For instance, I was watching the Olympics on television and just to be doing I looked up the history of the games in an encyclopedia. In those days in ancient Greece a winner was awarded a garland of wild olives at the stadium, I don't know how he preserved it to show his grandchildren, but when he got home poets started writing poems about him, people gave him a parade, and his emperor gave him free groceries for the rest of his life and 500 drachmae for

pocket change.
 Now a drachma, which I learned just now by looking it up in the dictionary and won't remember tomorrow, was a gold coin worth various amounts, depending on the rate of inflation. I don't know how much inflation they had, but I'm sure whatever emperor was running for office was against it, the same as he was against big government spending, high taxes, unemployment, and the chattering of puppets to school. Of course the main platform of any candidate in those days was let's get the country moving again. Ancient Greece moved so far it disappeared.
 Furthermore, there was the same complaint back then over the idolizing of athletes and the ignoring of the intellectuals. One writer whose name I can't spell, let alone pronounce—it began with an "X" and nobody has ever been able to handle that letter at the beginning of a word without calling it something else—was bitter about the habit of the people's showering gifts on runners and ignoring philosophers.
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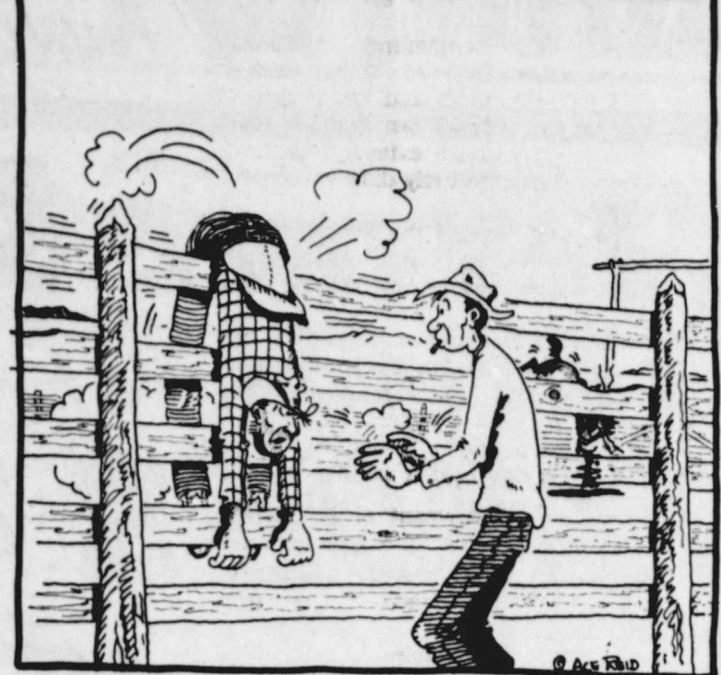
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