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900 Bales Forecast

ton Crop Looking Good, Acreage Up 10%

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Wendell Tooley
Some very good
some very poor cotton in
from a statement made
manager Tom Moore
viewed the prospects
crop this year.
The acreage was up about
for the county with
Moore said the cotton
crop varied with
dryland crops...rains
He said the crop
the county about the
the best weather is really
look much better at

Of course the fall weather is the big unknown....a mild dry fall with a late freeze will make all the difference in the world in this year's crop quality and total production.

EXCELLENT PRICE
While wheat farmers are alarmed about wheat prices dropping to \$2.85 per bushel, cotton prices never looked better. According to Moore some farmers are contracting their cotton crop for 60 to 70 cents per pound according to the quality.

Moore estimates Floyd's cotton crop at around 96,000 bales at this time. This compares with around 55,000 bales for last year's crop with just a fair market price.

GRAIN PICTURE
It is estimated that Floyd farmers have sold only 15% of their wheat and will continue to hold for a better price. There is a big carryover of wheat in storage and only sales to foreign countries might stimulate the price at this time.

The grain crop in Floyd county is in good condition....grain sorghum acreage is down while corn acreage has doubled over last year.

Dryland crops south of Floydada have received good moisture and much of it is already heading out.

South Plains Area

A COTTON production estimate of 1,952,000 bales for the 25-county High Plains area was issued here Monday by the joint statistics committee of the Lubbock Cotton Exchange and the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

It realized, a crop of that size would be up from last year's output of 1,420,200 bales and the 10-year average of 1,637,087 bales.

Yields are projected at 391.5 pounds per acre, against 279 last year and the 10-year average of 385, and acres for harvest are estimated at 2,393,000, compared with 2,444,750 last year and the 1966-75 average of 2,051,575.

A spokesman for the committee emphasized that crop prospects are subject to change, depending upon weather conditions, and said the estimate could move either up or down in the critical fiber maturation period ahead.

"We don't know what the weather is going to do," the spokesman pointed out, "and the extent to which the crop outlook varies from this early August assessment will hinge upon the degree to which temperatures and other weather factors vary from the so-called 'normal' situation."

Currently, cotton continues to make good progress across the High Plains, although there are areas that remain in need of additional moisture, according to agricultural officials.

Commissioners Buy Grader

The Floyd County commissioners court voted to buy a new road grader for precinct three at their monthly meeting Monday. The cost is \$10,000 difference with the trade in of the old one. The trade was made with Plains Machinery Company.

Commissioners Aaron Carthel and Grigsby Milton voted for the trade, commissioner Jack Lackey voted against the trade.

In other business the commissioners agreed to rent the Soil Conservation office for another year at \$50 per month, cut Floyd Service Officer D. G. Ayres' salary \$100 month and add the \$100 a month to Ayres' secretary salary. Ayres will now receive \$375 per month and the secretary \$444 per month.

Commissioner Bob Jarrett was absent due to the death of grandchild by drowning.

Hesperian Second In Editorials

The Floyd County Hesperian received the second place award in competition with 11 newspapers in the West Texas Press Association at the annual convention in Fort Worth last Saturday in the "best editorials" division.

The editorials were written by Hesperian editor Wendell Tooley. Editor Tooley was not at the awards breakfast to receive the award, but neighboring editor Jim Bob Reynolds of the Crosbyton Review brought the award to Floydada when he came to print his newspaper at Blanco Offset Printing Wednesday morning.



"WELL COTTON PICKIN'....Brenda Fulton holds up good size cotton boll from field south of Floydada. Good corn crop is also pictured in the background. Brenda's father, Billy, is one of the big corn acreage farmers of Floyd county. (Staff Photo)

Education Grant For County

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Congressman Omar Burlison announces the approval of a \$188,750.82 Office of Education grant to Floyd County. The allotment of these funds for fiscal year 1977 is under the provisions of Part A of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, P.L. 89-10, as amended. These funds will provide services for children residing in low-income areas and State-operated

or supported institutions for neglected and delinquent children, who have need for special educational assistance in order that their level of educational attainment may be raised to that appropriate for children of their age.

The State Department of Education will distribute the county amounts to the school districts in accordance with Federal Regulations. Each school district is guaranteed no less than 85 percent of its fiscal year 1976 allocation.

Squaredancing Set

For Friday Night

The Whirlers Square Dance Club will dance Friday night, August 13, at 8 o'clock at Massey Activity Center.

The caller will be Eldred Parker from Lubbock. The public is invited.

Lions Annual Picnic Tonight

by Art Ratzlaff

The Floydada Lions club is having its annual family picnic tonight, Thursday, at the Floydada Country Club. The picnic meal will begin sharply at 7:00 p.m. on the slab, Lion Johnny Harris, project chairman said this week. "We have reserved the swimming pool from 7:00 p.m. until the evening is over," he said. "We would like to have had it earlier so those wanting to swim before supper could do so but the pool does not open to the country club members until 7:00 p.m."

Special guest and speaker for the evening will be the Lion Bill Hogge, district 2T2 governor of Plainview. Lion Bill is city engineer of Plainview and will speak on "Lionism." Also attending from Plainview will be Lion Frank Bearden, of Plains Printing Co. Frank is on the District committee, and is also well known by the Floydada Lions as he was zone chairman last year.

The families are asked to bring a salad, potato salad, beans or a dessert. The meat and bread will be furnished by the club.

Swine Flu Meeting Set For Tonight

A meeting for volunteers and others interested in the swine influenza program is set for 8 p.m. Thursday, August 12 at Lighthouse Electric.

Committee chairpersons will be appointed and a slide presentation entitled "The National Influenza Immunization Campaign" will be shown at the meeting, according to Mrs. Billie Jordan, volunteer coordinator for the Floyd County swine flu inoculation program.

Would You Believe, A Taxicab In Floydada?

by Wendell Tooley

It has been several years since Floydada had a taxi cab business, but the city council has adopted an ordinance for one, as application has been made by Juan R. Nino to establish such a service here.

The council worked hard and long Tuesday night and Wednesday morning as it devoted considerable time to sanitation truck specifications, water and sewage for 16 new rental apartments, the park improvement plan and new traffic ordinance.

Bill Hale of the Floydada Development Company met with the council to discuss water and sewer hookups for some 16 apartments to be built soon. No action was taken, but the council directed city manager Bill Feuerbacher to make a cost estimate on the project.

The council heard Bill Gray of Lubbock describe the benefits of diesel powered sanitation trucks with a side loader. The two trucks now in operation load from the front, are gasoline engines and will soon need trading in.

Bob Campbell met with the council and secured their approval of his installing a pool table and juke box in his cafe located at 502 E. Jackson.

Considerable time was spent in discussion with Chamber of Commerce manager Doug Frazier about improvement plans for the Annie

Taylor park in northeast Floydada. The council assured Frazier that it would furnish manpower and equipment on the project.

City legal advisor Randy Hollums presented a junk car ordinance to the council which was approved that will allow the city to pick up old junk cars in Floydada. Hollums also discussed a new traffic control ordinance that will reduce the speed limit to 20 miles per hour in school zones and outlines some one way traffic streets in Floydada.

The council viewed a petition signed by some 30 Floydada people asking for a full stop, caution, go signal to be installed at Missouri and Wall street intersection. The council decided to put the request in the traffic control study which Hollums is working.

Since property owners around the city park have been complaining about disturbances "all during the night" in the park, the council voted to shut the park down from 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. Signs will be posted and fines given to persons who disobey the new law.

The council gave permission to Feuerbacher to interview applicants for a new city office, that of building inspector. The job also entails getting all property, especially new and additions on the city tax roll.

All councilmen were present except Jerry Thompson.

Applications For Private Clubs In Floyd County Received

Floyd county judge J. K. Holmes has received two applications for the

opening of private clubs in Floyd County and reports that there is no legal grounds for refusing either, according to the state law.

He said private clubs sell alcoholic beverages.

The applications are for the J. W. Harrison VFW Post in Floydada and the "Improved Order Of Redman, Blackhawk No. 2" located in Blanco canyon on the east side of the highway.

All You Ever Wanted To Know About The Whirlwinds...Friday

by Wendell Tooley

What kind of football team does Floydada have this year?...what are the Whirlwind's strong points, who will coach each team? What are the new rules for our district play?

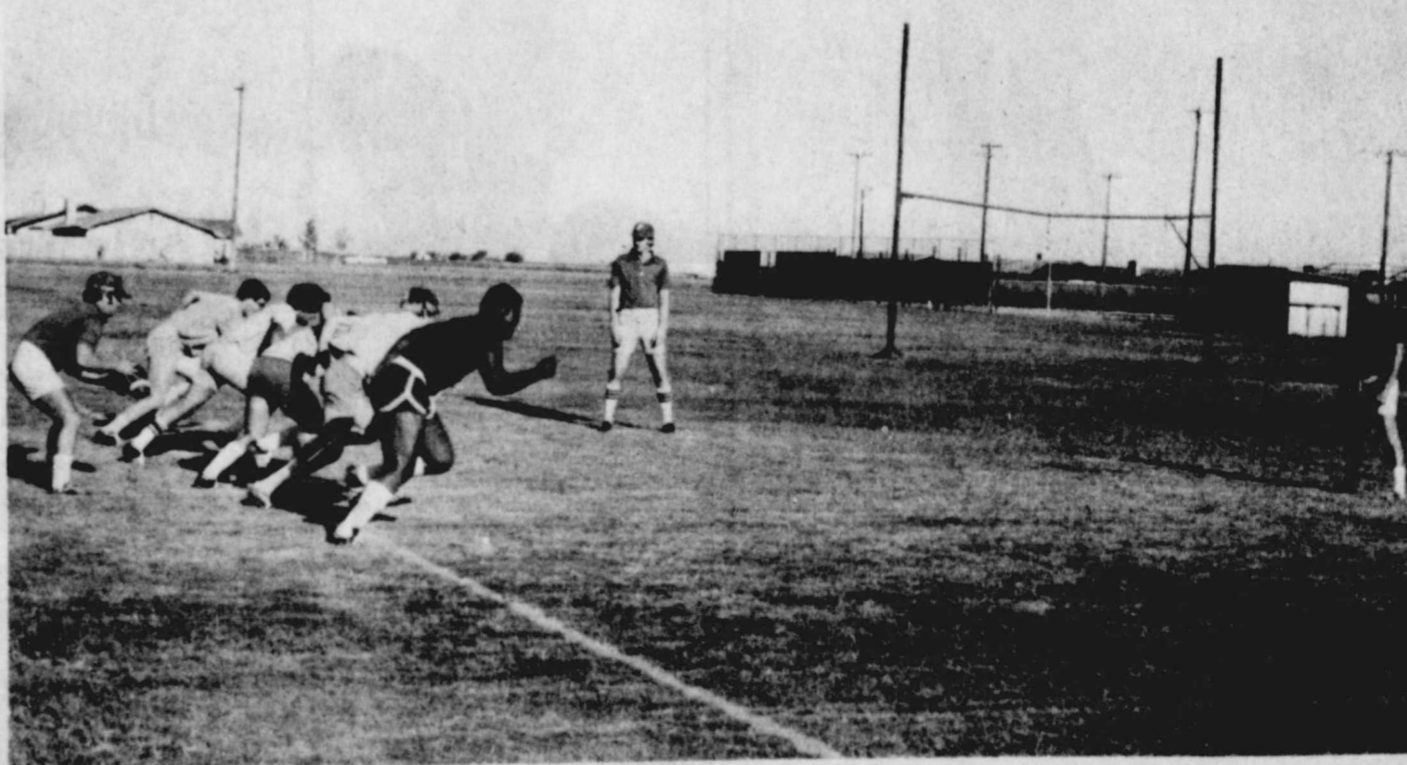
These and many other questions about the 1976 Whirlwind football team will be answered at "Meet The Whirlwinds" Friday night in the stadium at 8 o'clock.

All high school players will be suited

out and introduced to the fans. The coaches report there may not be much or any scrimmage since Friday is the 13th.

Working out this week are some 24 Freshmen and 46 varsity players. However, more players will be back in town and out for practice next week.

The Whirlwind coaches, the quarterback club and school officials invite and urge everyone to be in the stands Friday night.



SOME WHIRLWIND STARS may be in this group at practice this week. "Meet The Whirlwinds" night is Friday at 8 p.m. in the stadium. (Staff Photo)

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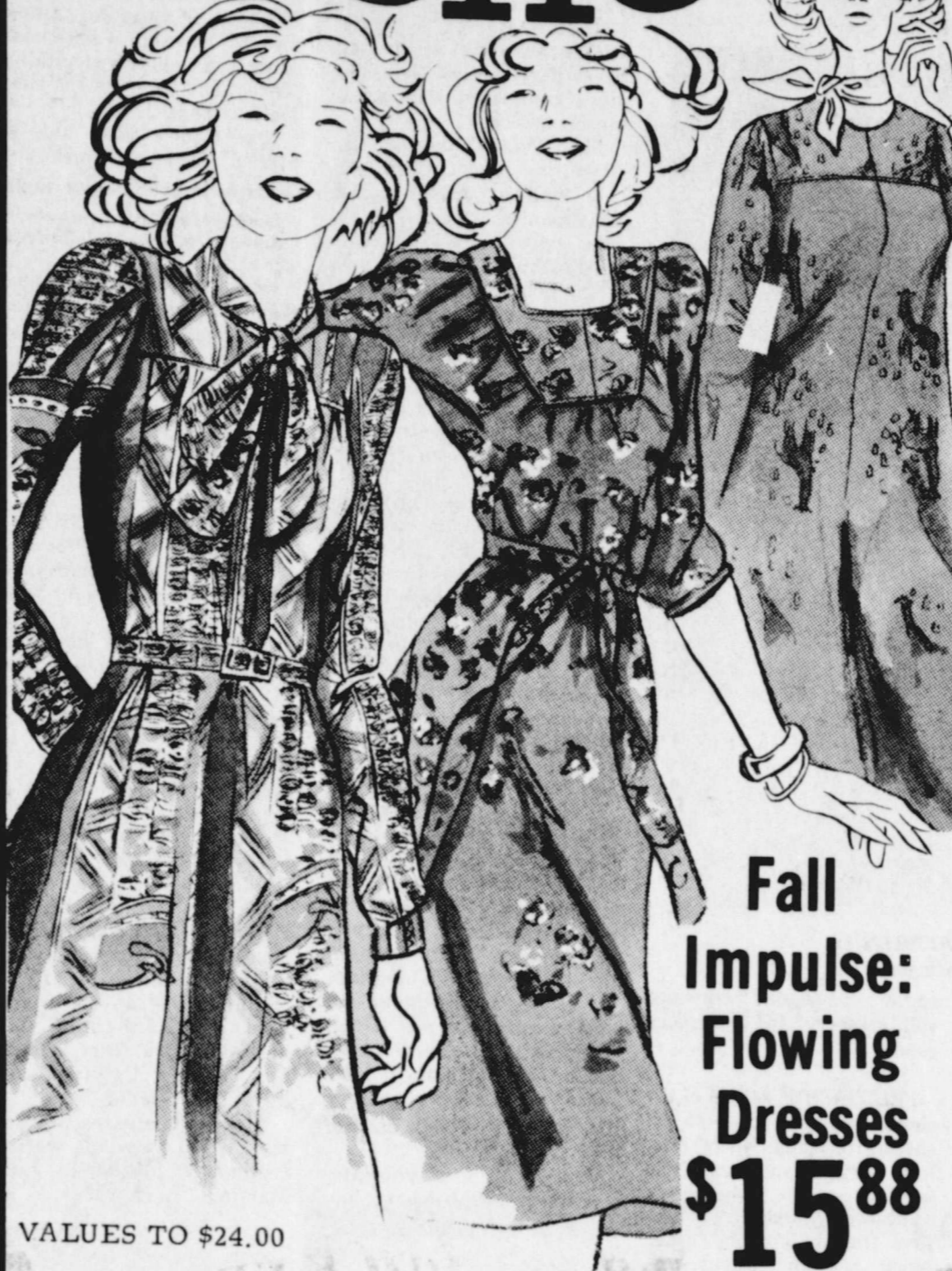
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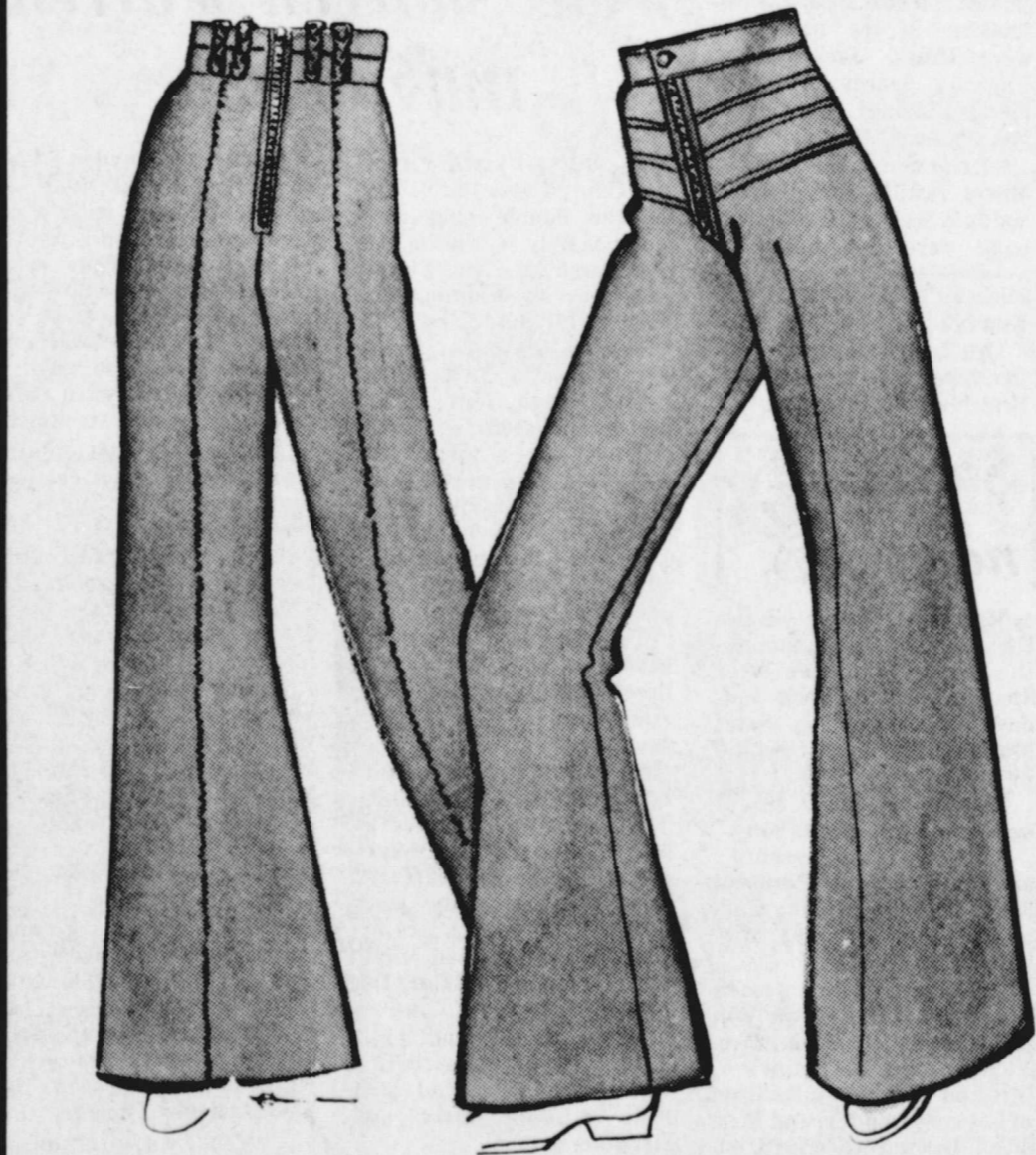
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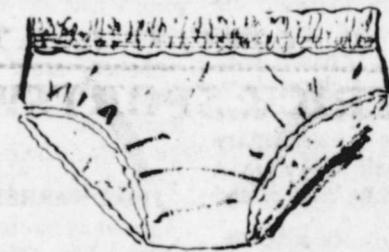
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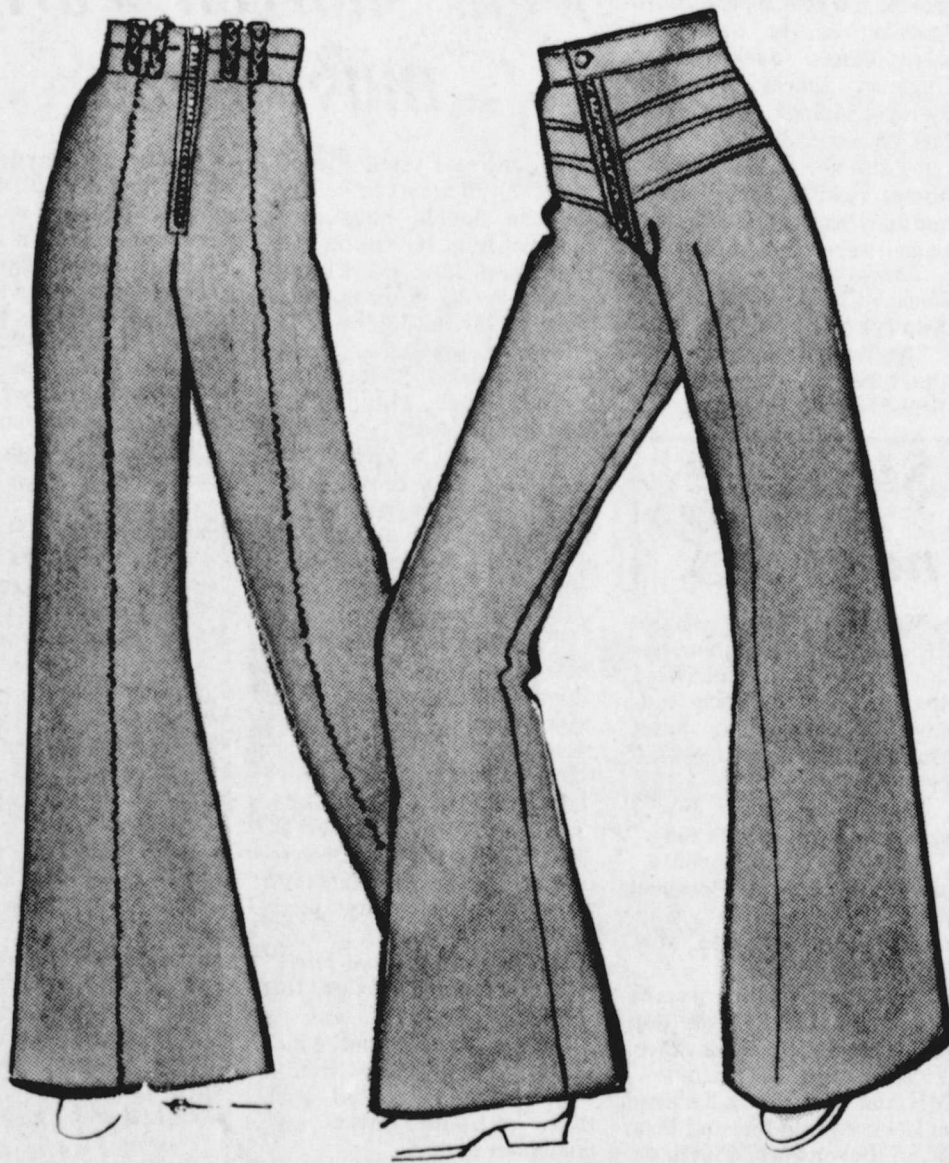
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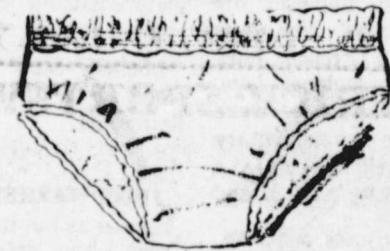
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Society

Kyla Springer, Ed Warren Exchange Vows Saturday

KRESS — The marriage of Miss Kyla Springer and Edwin Lynn (Ed) Warren was solemnized at the Church of Christ Saturday evening. Truitt Adair of Lubbock was the officiant and a Tullia choir from the Donley Street Church of Christ provided nuptial selections.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Springer, Rt. 1, the bride is a May graduate of Kress High School. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Warren, Rt. 3, Floydada. He attended Hardin-Simmons and Texas Tech University, and farms near Floydada. Following their wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., they will be living on the farm.

THE BRIDE was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of poly sheer organza designed with sheer yoke on organza and defined by

applied Venice lace. Guipure lace lattice frosted the sides and back of the bodice. Three rows of fleurettes, applied vertically, emphasized the front yoke. The high collar was circled by fleurettes and edged with self ruffle. Venice lace traced the curved waist which formed a natural waist back closing. Full sheer bishop sleeves were cinched at the wrists by Venice fleurettes and traced by a self ruffle. The full skirt of the gown fell into a chapel train and was bordered with ruffled flounce and lace.

Completely edged with Venice lace daisies the imported silk illusion cathedral veil was attached to a French tiara covered in matching lace. Applied daisies were featured on the complementary cape blusher veil. She carried a nosegay of white daisies and baby's breath in addition to two single yellow roses which she

presented to the mother and mother-in-law.

For something old she carried a handkerchief of her grandmother's under a "blue" garter. For something new she wore a necklace given to her by the bridegroom, and for the borrowed, she wore a diamond ring belonging to Mrs. Roma Boggs, bride's cousin. In her shoes she carried two sixpence.



MRS. EDWIN WARREN
(Miss Kyla Springer)

BRIDE'S ATTENDANTS included maid of honor, Kella Cruce of Plainview; bridesmaids, Sherry Vineyard and Tammy McGuire, Kress, and Phyllis Jones of Lubbock. Their floor length dresses were fashioned of blue dotted swiss. With them they wore matching picture hats and carried a long stemmed yellow rose.

Michelle Stout of Quitaque, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

DON WARREN of Floydada served as his brother's best man. The groomsmen were Tony George and Kenny Blount, Plainview, and Greg Boggs of Amarillo, bride's cousin. Ushers' duties were assumed by Kent Springer, Lubbock, and Kelly Springer of Austin, brothers of the bride; Paul Stout, Quitaque, and Jimmy Owens, Floydada, both brothers-in-law of the bridegroom.

The altar was decorated with baskets of white mums and gladioli held on white columns,

spiral candelabra entwined with greenery, and a memory candle.

FELLOWSHIP ROOM of the church was the scene of the ensuing reception where Mrs. Kent Springer and Mrs. Kelly Springer assisted at the bride's

The bride's table featured a three tiered wedding cake, punch set and silver appointments, on a satin tablecloth veiled in white net. On the bridegroom's table was a brown and white cloth and double ringed chocolate cake complemented by a coffee service and gold appointments. Assisting in the houseparty were Mmes. Jack Sutton, Eugene Searcy, Charles Fleming, James Cruce, Cline McClendon and J.L. Bevil. Guests were registered by Misses Vicki McNally, Kress, and Judy Scott of Lubbock. Rice bags were distributed by

Michelle Tye, Annette Tye and Kim Tye. The Thomas Warrens hosted the rehearsal dinner at The Bridal House in Plainview.



Mr. and Mrs. Blake Hickerson proudly announce the birth of a daughter Rhanda Michelle, born Sunday, August 8th in Saint Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock.

Rhanda weighs 7 lbs. 7 ozs. and is 21 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Jones and Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hickerson.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure of Crosbyton, Mrs. Violet Jones of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Kellison of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hickerson of Floydada. One great-great-grandparent Mrs. Maude Kellison of Lockney.

A girl-named Lezlie Renee was born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Warren of Tahoka August 7, 1976 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 7 1/2 pounds and was 21 inches long at birth.

The baby's mother is the former Jill Bertrand. The baby's father farms at Tahoka.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Bertrand and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Futch of Dallas are the parents of a baby boy born August 5, named Ryan Daniel, weighing 7 lbs. and 9 ozs. He has an older sister Stacy, 6 years old. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Mosley of Lockney, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Futch of Arkansas.

The First Baptist Church of Floydada was the setting August 7, at 7 p.m. for the wedding vows joining Sally Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller of Panhandle, Texas, and Tommy Wylie, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Wylie, Jr. of Floydada, Texas. Floyd Bradley, Pastor, officiating.

Arched candelabra joined together with white satin ropes and ice blue ribbon high in the choir loft, formed the background, centered with a brass archway and brass columns on either side with arrangements of white gladioli, ice blue poms, and Killian Daisies. A brass profile kneeling bench and brass hurricane aisle candelabra completed the wedding scene.

Mrs. Doug Womack, sister of the groom, furnished the organ music and accompanied Doug Trexell who sang More and The Lord's Prayer.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length wedding gown of nylon organza and Venice lace over bridal taffeta designed with high neckline, natural waist, long veil sleeves and semi A line silhouette with full back. The lace enhanced the neckline, bodice, sleeves and skirt of the gown. A border of lace complimented the hemline, and the full back of the gown ended in a sweeping chapel length train. Her three-tier veil of imported illusion, with a carried a lace covered prayer book with a bouquet of white butterfly roses and stephanotis.

Cathy Wilson of Nazareth, Texas, was Maid of Honor for the occasion and Judi Miller of Plainview, Texas, sister-in-law of the bride served as bridesmaid. Best man accompanying the groom was Phil Wylie, Dallas, Texas, brother of the groom and groomsmen was Doug Womack, Dallas, brother-in-law of the groom. Ushers were Richie Crow, Ricky Biggs, Dayne Golightly, and Sam Green.

The Bride's attendants wore floor-length cobalt blue

gowns of chiffon designed with a V-route neckline enhanced by a bias flower forming a capelet around the shoulders. Fitted waists were sashed and tied at the center front. The A-lined skirts were enhanced with a peplum over the hips. They carried colonial type bouquets of pink sweetheart roses, starburst pom mums and baby's breath trimmed in ice blue satin. The mothers of the couple wore shoulder corsages of white Japette Orchids.

Serving at the reception following the ceremony was Joanne Stelter and Barbara Brewer, Floydada, Janice Beach, Navaho, Oklahoma, Marcia Shieldknight, Ralls, Texas, and Mrs. Phil Wylie, Dallas, Texas.

The bride's table held a silver epergne with an arrangement of white pixie carnations and ice blue Killian Daisies and Baby's Breath.

Mrs. Jim Hogan, Pampa, Texas, played the piano for the reception, and guests were registered by Mrs. Gary Daniel, Amarillo, Texas.

Following a wedding trip the bride and groom will be at home at 812 W. Mississippi.

BRIDAL COURTESIES Rehearsal dinner for the couple was in the backyard at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wylie.

A bridesmaid's luncheon was hosted by Mrs. Joe Don Miller of Plainview and Joanne Stelter of Floydada.

A shower and party in Petersburg was hosted by Mrs. Pete Wilson and Cathy Wilson, and a dinner party at the Lubbock Club was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Loy Wylie and Mrs. Kenneth Probasco. Dinner at the Billy Stanforth's home was hosted by the Stanforths and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cardinal, and an ice cream party in Panhandle was hosted by Mrs. Gary Daniel, Mrs. Darrell Ogletree and Mrs. Tick Shaddid.

Shower hostesses in Panhandle and Floydada were: Panhandle: Mesdames Jack Martin, C. L. Edwards, E. L.



MRS. TOMMY WYLIE
(Miss Sally Miller)

Jones, Clarence Shepherd, M. P. Garner, A. J. Atkins, Curtis Metcalf, Robert Bonner, J. D. Mitchell, J. M. Dickson, Raymond Biggs, Melvin Mills, John Alley,

Fred Crist, Noland Poteet, Clint Williams. Floydada: Mesdames: Johnney West, William Bertrand, Ed Wester, Kyle Glover, Laron Fulton, Howard Dry-

sdale, R. G. Parks, Lela Jack Larkin, Henry Hines, Don Bean, Carmel East-

Double Ring Ceremony Weds Sharron Warren, Billy Fulton

The First United Methodist Church was the setting for the double ring ceremony of Billy M. Fulton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fulton, and Sharron Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hinkle of Floydada, Saturday, August 7, 1976.

The Rev. Jim Smith pastor officiated. The church altar was decorated with tiered brass candelabra containing white tapers and was flanked on each side by baskets of white gladioli blue and white daisies and greenery.

The bride, given in marriage by father, wore a floor length gown of white silk crepe. Her square neckline was outlined with white lace as was the empire bodice and the tiered skirt. The bodice was accented by long full sheer sleeves caught in a lace cuff and buttoned with tiny pearl buttons. She wore a lace hat that featured a waist length veil of imported illusion. Her bridal bouquet was a nosegay of blue and white daisies and white bridal wreath and accented with blue ribbon bows and streamers.

For something old, new, borrowed and blue, she carried a handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother, Mrs. C. B. Lyles. She wore a pair of pearls belonging to her aunt, Mrs. Joyce McCoy. Her wedding attire was new and the traditional blue garter.

The bridal attendants were Brenda Fulton sister of the groom, and Miss Judi

Williams of Snyder. They wore floor length, blue silk gowns trimmed with white lace and fashioned after the bride's dress. They wore picture hats of white lace trimmed with blue bows and waist length streamers. They carried nose gays of white daisies with blue ribbon bows and streamers.

The grooms attendants were Joel Hendricks as best man and Lyle Suggs as groomsmen.

Ushers were Brad Fulton, brother of the groom, Joe Hinkle, brother of the bride, Tony Hesson and Rex Yeary.

Piano selections were played by Miss Joy Fulton, cousin of the groom. A reception followed the ceremony at the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The table was covered with a white lace floor length cloth over a blue skirt. The bride's bouquet and those of the attendants centered the table. The three tiered wedding cake was topped with a bride and groom and was decorated with blue roses and rose buds and white lace frosting.

Crystal appointments were used to serve the cake, punch and mints. Serving were Vicki Yeary, sister of the bride, Kathy Hale and LeAnne Ferguson.

Following a wedding trip to Ruidoso N.M. the couple will be at home in Lubbock.

The rehearsal dinner was held Friday night at El Jardin of Plainview and was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fulton.

Methodist Pre-Kindergarten Registration Now

All mothers interested in enrolling "near four years of age" children in the Floydada First United Methodist pre-kindergarten school

should call the church office now, 983-3707. If enough interest is

shown, the school will again be open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

The school is limited to 12 children, so if you're interested call the church offices today for more information.



MRS. BILLY FULTON
(Sharron Warren)

Mrs. Hinkle Honored With Layette Shower

A layette shower honoring Mrs. Billy Gene Hinkle was given August 3rd in the Don Shurbet home.

Special guests were granny's-to-be Mrs. Jerry D. Williams and Mrs. Bill Hinkle and great grandmother-to-be Mrs. C. W. Jones all of Floydada.

Mrs. Jerry Lackey and Mrs. Steve Lloyd served apple-pineapple punch and a variety of cookies from

crystal. The table was laid with yellow cloths, yellow daisies surrounding a miniature baby in an infant seat completed the setting.

Hostess were Mmes: Don Shurbet, Georgia Finley, Ray Gene Ferguson, Charles Chandler, Randy Pernel, E. O. Chappell, Jerry Lackey, Joe Green, Ray Reed and Steve Lloyd.

The hostess presented Mrs. Hinkle with a high chair.

Mr. And Mrs. Andy Owens

Celebrate 58th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Owens of Healdton, Oklahoma, formerly of Floydada celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary on July 19, 1976. Sixty-nine members of the family attended the anniversary celebrations.

The family began arriving on Friday, July 16 from all over the country. The Owens filled the Healdton Motel, the home of the honored couple. Ollie Nance's house and a few even had to travel to Ardmore to find a place to sleep. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hartsfield and Hunter and friend Randy arrived Friday night to take care of the barbecuing. Hartsfield is well known in the upper panhandle area for his barbecuing and especially his barbecued goat which the family enjoyed on Sunday. The family helped in preparing a feast for Sunday by harvesting the garden at the Owens home.

Mrs. Mira King of San Pablo, Calif., said the blessings as the family sat under shade trees in the back yard at the Owens home to eat lunch and give thanks that the family could

be together to share time together.

Those attending the reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. Tony King, Tony, Susan and Kelly of San Pablo, Ca.; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Reeves, Trinia, Debra and Becky of Floydada, Tx.; Mrs. Maggie Baker and Herb of Gainesville, Tx.; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ben Harrell and Jackie of Gainesville, Tx.; Mr. and Mrs. B. Don Baker and Travis of Deer Park, Tx.; Mr. James Baker and Linda of Pasadena, Tx.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nance, Patricia, Audrey and husband of Healdton, Ok.; Mrs. Tona Payne and Tracy of Garland, Tx.; Mr. and Mrs. Clint Keyes, D'Von, D'Lene, Janet Kay, Jason of Hollis, Ok.; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Owens and David of Pueblo, Co.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Owens, Jennifer and Jamie of Lone Grove, Ok.; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Owens, Christiane, Connie, Jeff and Jimmy of Giddings, Tx.; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hartsfield, Hunter and friend Randy of Amarillo, Tx.; and numerous other family on my grandmother's side from the Gainesville, Tx. area.

Fortenberry Reunion

The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fortenberry of the Cedar

Hill Community will hold their 25th annual Fortenberry reunion at Hereford,

Texas, at the "Bull Barn," Saturday August 14, 1976. Everyone is invited to come and bring a covered dish and fellowship with the families. Meeting will be called to order at 10:30.

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Trenea Kay Henson, Ronald Lee Aston Wed

First United Presbyterian Church in Brownfield was the setting for the wedding of Trenea Kay Henson and Ronald Lee Aston Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Henson Jr., Brownfield and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aston, Rt. M. Lockney.

The double-ring candle-light ceremony was performed by Doyle Keley, minister of Southside Church of Christ in Brownfield. The altar was centered with an arrangement of all white mixed flowers in a Mass Flemish design. Flanking the altar were matching arched brass candelabra holding white taper candles and fresh emerald greenery. Tall topiary trees were placed on either side and behind the altar. Nine branch candelabras holding fresh greenery and white tapers were placed on each side of the altar steps. Mothers' pews were marked with hurricane globes accented with white stain bows and fresh emerald greenery.

Joe Sears was organist for the processional. Cindy Henson, sister-in-law of the bride, was pianist for the vocalist. Susan Sears sang "If" and "The Twelfth of Never." Joe Sears sang "The Wedding Prayer" for the recessional.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a traditional gown of ivory organza over satin. The formal gown of Renaissance styling featured a moulded bodice of satin forming a sabrina neckline overlaid with sheer organza. Appliques of guipure and Venise lace framed the neckline and created a high circlet wedding band collar. Petit French cap sleeves of the ivory guipure lace covered the bride's shoulders. From the crescent waistline, the skirt of the gown fell to full formal length. Escallops of guipure lace lengthened to create a petal effect on the train of the gown. Matching escallops and applique motifs of Venise lace framed the entire hem line with the fullness deepening to form a chapel length train. A single layer of illusion cascaded

petit point lace and seed pearls. The illusion veiling drifted from the headpiece atop the train.

The bride's cascading bouquet was fashioned of white roses, daisies, pom-pom mums, miniature carnations, fresh greenery, and gypsophila accented with candlelight picot satin ribbon.

The bride's "something old" was a ruby ring which belonged to her grandmother, the late Mrs. T. F. Winn; "something new" was her gown; "something borrowed" was a handkerchief belonging to Sandy Hogue, the bride's cousin; and "something blue" was her garter.

The bride's father placed a penny in her shoe minted in the year she was born.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Robin King of Brady. Bridesmatron was Mrs. Judy Field of El Paso, a cousin of the bride. Bridesmaids were Miss Rhonda Winn of Brownfield, cousin of the bride, and Miss Rebecca Weil of Hale Center.

The attendants were gowned alike in dresses of peppermint dotted voile. The garden gowns featured a sleeveless bodice with bow accents at the shoulders and a portrait neckline. A sheer kerchief shawl of dotted voile overlaid the bodice. From the empire waistline the skirt fell full to a wide flounce ruffle. Each attendant carried a cascading French Renaissance style bouquet created of green cymbidium orchids, yellow marguerites, gypsophila, and fresh leatherleaf greenery accented with narrow yellow satin ribbon. Gypsophila accented their hair.

Bill Aston of Luling, Texas, brother of the groom, was best man. Groomsman were Brad Bacus, Randy Henderson, and Marlin McDonald, all of Lockney. Monty Henson, brother of the bride, and Rick Dill, both of Brownfield, were ushers.

Mrs. Kathy Beasley registered guests at the reception which followed the wedding. Serving were Jo Warren, Kathy Dees, Lisa Mosley and Melody Hendley.

The bride's serving table was covered with a floor-length cloth of white satin with and overskirt and swag of white silk chiffon, caught



Mrs. Ronald Lee Aston

at the corners with yellow tulle bows and white satin bells. The table was centered with an antique silver candelabrum holding a Flemish arrangement of mixed yellow, green and white garden flowers accented with white gypsophila and fresh leatherleaf greenery.

For the wedding trip to Colorado Springs, the bride wore a brown vested pants suit with brown and blue floral blouse and brown accessories. She wore a corsage of white daisies,

carnations and roses accented with white lace ribbon. After the honeymoon, the couple will reside in Lockney.

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CINNAMON SURPRISE BUNS

1/2 cup warm water	1/2 tsp. vanilla
1 cup milk, scalded	24 large marshmallows
1/4 cup sugar	1/2 cup chopped pecans
1/4 cup butter	1/2 cup melted butter
1 tsp. salt	1/2 cup sugar
1 pkg. dry yeast	3-4 cups all-purpose flour
	1-1/2 tsp. cinnamon

Dissolve yeast in warm water. Add milk, 1/4 cup sugar, butter, salt, eggs, vanilla and 1-1/2 cups flour. Mix well. Add enough of remaining flour to make a soft dough. Turn out on floured surface and knead about five minutes. Place dough in oiled bowl; cover and let rise until double in bulk, about one hour. Punch down dough; place on floured surface and roll out 1/4-inch thick. Cut into 4-inch circles. Combine 1/2 cup sugar, cinnamon and pecans. Dip marshmallows into 1/4 cup melted butter, then into sugar mixture. Place marshmallow in center of each circle of dough. Wrap dough around marshmallow, pinching together securely at bottom. Dip top of roll into butter and then into sugar mixture. Place in greased muffin tins, cover and let rise until doubled. Bake at 350 degrees for 20 minutes or until lightly browned. The marshmallow will melt, leaving the center of the bun hollow and coated with syrup. Yield: approximately 24 buns.

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SOCIETY

Beedy Honored With Going-Away Party

Some of the guests attending were Pat Frizzell, Lucille Frizzell, Faye Barker, Rochelle Dorman, Viola Moody, Clara Beedy, Linda Kidd, Marie Henderson, Nida Peck, Maxine Daniels, Sheree Cannon, Jackie Lou Holt, Ann McCormick, Connie Sanders, Dorothy Hooten, Angie Hooten and Sandra Cummings.

Descendants Hold Reunion Sunday

at the same location, on the second Sunday of August 1977.

Those attending included: Mark and Lucille Hobbs, New Mexico; H.B. and Maevis Barnett, Odessa, Texas; Kyle and Jimmie Hollomon, Jimmy Barnett Sr. and children Jimmy Jr., and Judy, Tony and Linda Poston and children Toby and Kristi all of Lubbock; Lucille Blankenship and son Billy of McAllen; Sue Deerman and daughter Mandy of La Mesa, New Mexico; Mrs. Bulah Reeves, Bill and Deborah Rushing

and daughters Christy and Angela Ann, Jack C. and Nora Barnett all of Plainview; R.V. and Jo Bartlett of Ft. Worth; Roger and Doris Sanders and sons Gary and Terry of Cotton Center; Michael Barnett of Van Nuys, Calif.; Lottie Leatherwood, Truman and Rena Barnett, Ann Hays and daughter Heidi all of Crosbyton; Mrs. Vic Bartlett, J. C. and Deetta Odum and Gary, Floydada; and one visitor Georgeanna Amyx of McAllen.

A day of fun and fellowship and re-newing acquaintances was enjoyed by those attending.

Elected At King Reunion

Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rose, Strong City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Henning, David and Paul, Seagraves; Ann Borum, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King, Mr. and Mrs. David Cranford, Blanch Enos of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sadler, David, Britt, Julia, Dumas; Marvin Wells, Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Don Marble, Donette and Brett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marble, Kelly and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Marble, Dwayne, D'Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Marble, Justin of South Plains; Mrs. Ora King, Randell King, Shane and Dirk, Mrs. Lillian Marble, Mrs. Cora Lee Shipley of Floydada.

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night at a chicken fried supper. After the supper a singsong was held followed by a social hour.

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South Plains News

By Mrs. Murray Julian

SOUTH PLAINS: August Christmas in August will be celebrated at the South Plains Baptist Church Tuesday morning, August 10th, when the women and girls of the church will meet at 8 o'clock for breakfast and a program, then all will present their gifts, and will put them under the Christmas tree for the missionaries, and a special missionary will be chosen, then all the gifts will be shipped to them for distribution for the children by the missionaries.

Tuesday evening all the young people of the Baptist Church met here at Fellowship Hall, then went to Plainview where they enjoyed games of bowling during the evening. Hosts for the bowling party were Rev. and Mrs. Fred Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings, and Mrs. Kendis Julian. Around 20 young people and hosts attended the bowling party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvin Kinnibrugh left Saturday to spend that day and Sunday at a reunion of the Kinnibrugh families held at Lake Arrowhead, south of Henrietta, Tex. All the families took food to have for their meals, and Sunday they celebrated the 61st wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinnibrugh of Truscott. Mr. and Mrs. John Kinnibrugh and family went to the reunion with the Sylvin Kinnibrughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Musser and four boys of Marengo, Illinois, near Chicago, returned to their home last Thursday after visiting for a week here with her twin sister, Mrs. Don Marble and family. They came by car, for had been on vacation through several states, and Musser flew home earlier,

and the boys and Mrs. Musser went on home by car. Her parents, whom they visited in Lockney are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holland. Kim Wells of Denton has also been a guest in the home of her aunt and uncle for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings and John visited over the weekend at Glen Rose with their son, Kim Cummings, and with Mr. and Mrs. Zach Walton Cummings and family.

Mrs. Tillman Powell was taken to the Caprock Hospital in Floydada Tuesday and is still there, but is feeling much better this week. She has been having a case of phlebitis, and has been suffering pain early in the week. We hope she will be able to go home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Chappell of Duncan, Oklahoma were visitors at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning with her father, Grigsby Milton, Jr. They had been visiting his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin O. Chappell of Floydada, and they were spending Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton Jr. returned Friday from Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, where they had been spending the past week on a Flying Farmers Convention. They flew home from Saskatoon Friday in eight hours flying time. They had a good convention and time while they were gone.

Mrs. Ruby Lee Higginbotham returned home Sunday night from Chillicothe, Texas, where she had gone Saturday morning to visit relatives, and to especially visit her sister-in-law Mrs.

Helen Higginbotham, who is in the hospital there in Chillicothe, and is in serious condition.

Visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday morning included Miss Jolene Robertson of Floydada with Kelvin Cummings.

Those from here who attended the King Reunion which was held Saturday, August 7, at Massey Activity Center in Floydada were Mr. and Mrs. Don Marble, Donette and Brett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marble, Kelly and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Marble, D'Lee and Dwayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Marble and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marble were hosts to members of the family who were here for the King Reunion at their home here in South Plains Friday night, serving a hamburger barbecue, and Sunday all the above families went to Floydada to the home of Mrs. Lillian Marble, and took dishes to have a buffet dinner before returning to their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rose of Strong City, Oklahoma, who were here for the King Reunion held in Floydada, Saturday spent the night visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Don Marble and children, and they returned home Sunday.

Dwight Cox is the new manager at the South Plains branch of the Lockney Cooperatives here in South Plains, and is getting ready to move into the Cooperatives Gin house which is located south of the Upton Grocery.

They South Plains Schoolhouse has been undergoing extensive redecorating this past summer, during the vacation months, and has a newly varnished floor in the auditorium, new drapes for the auditorium, and there will be new drapery for all the school rooms, at the windows. The whole schoolhouse has been repainted and it should all be very lovely, clean, and wholesome when the children and teachers come back to school on August 23rd.

Miss Inez Cuevas of Plainview, who teaches kindergarten at the South Plains School, is preparing to move to South Plains and will live at the former home of Mrs. Sue Shelton. She brought some of her belongings this past weekend, and will get settled soon. She will not have so far to drive back and forth to school this winter.

Mrs. E. E. Wells (Mildred) from here, who has undergone surgery at the Nichols Clinic the past two weeks ago, was brought to the home of a friend, Thelma Thompson, in Plainview last Friday, and she will be with her while she convalesces. We hope that she gets along just fine, as she has done so well since her surgery.

Miss Cindy Whitfill arrived here by plane last Wednesday at the home of

her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols, and spent the remainder of the week here with them. She is returning to Fort Worth this Monday where she will get her orders for her teaching position this winter, as she goes to Schweinfurt, Germany, where she will be living in an apartment with another teacher from Plano, where she taught last winter, and they will both be teaching at the Schweinfurt American Schools for the American Army. There are 60,000 people there where she goes, and Cindy will be teaching 1st grade pupils.

The Annual Fitzgerald Reunion was held down at the Roaring Springs Playground Center on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, August 6, 7, & 8, with 65 members of the Fitzgerald families attending every day, or part of the time. All families took their sleeping equipment and brought food which was put all together, and a wonderful time was enjoyed during the weekend. All the Fitzgerald children were present, with the exception of Dan, who lives in California. There were two brothers and six girls and their families at the reunion, and those from here were Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder, and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder, Cindy, Penny, Cory and Jimmy, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bean, Mike and Judi from South Plains were present. The weather was ideal for camping out, and with trailers, campers and pickups for sleeping, all enjoyed a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hamm have gone to Amarillo this Monday to spend the day and will visit with relatives. Sherrill Rogers spent the past weekend here with Donette Marble, and attended the King reunion, and Sunday morning services at the Baptist Church here with her. Sherrill and Donette will be roommates at Levelland College this coming semester.

Victor Clower, who has been working at the Parks Oil Station here the past summer months left for his home in Cotton Center this Sunday. His parents and sisters had moved there earlier this summer to make their home.

Mrs. L. T. Wood took her grandsons, Bodie Joe and James Earl to Floydada Sunday afternoon after she had kept them the past week here with her while the parents Mr. and Mrs. James Teague were gone.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kinslow are spending a week up in Estes Park, Colorado, a trip which they won last year and they are spending the vacation there along with their grandchildren, Jennifer and Grant Kinslow, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Bary Kinslow of Carrollton, Texas which is near Dallas.

Mrs. Eddie Parks (Mary Grace) from Houston and her three children spent the past week here with Eddie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Parks.

School here at South Plains will begin August 23rd, and teachers will begin their in-service work August 16. The first holiday then, will be Monday, September 6 for Labor Day.

Mrs. Kendis Julian and Mitzi Julian attended the wedding on Saturday night, of Miss Jeanne Huse and Don Yates, which was held in the Northside Baptist Church in Plainview. Mrs. Yates is a teacher in South Plains schools.

Mrs. John Rushing, nee Miss Donna Powell, was feted Thursday morning, August 5, at 9:30 a.m. with a bridal shower in the form of a "Money Tree," which was held in the home of Mrs. J. P. Taylor, on the canyon's rim.

The table was laid with a cross-stitch linen cloth and held a center arrangement of ivy in a lovely container, and the money tree. Yellow and white colors were carried out in the table decorations, with iron ware used for serving. Special cakes, coffee and yellow mints were served.

Hostesses were Mmes. J. P. Taylor, Arby Mulder, Harold Hamm, Murray Julian, Sylvin Kinnibrugh, Frank McClure, L. T. Wood, Ruby Higginbotham, Grigsby Milton, Jr., L. N. Johnson, and Fred Fortenberry.

The bride is in service at Little Rock Air Force Base, and was not present, but she plans to be home for Labor Day, from Little Rock, Arkansas.

Four Outstanding New Books Received At County Library

Mrs. Nita Hull, Floyd County Librarian announces today the receipt of four books, a gift of the Amon Carter Museum of Western Art and the Texas Commission on the Arts & Humanities (TCAH). The four-volume set of books—containing three with Bicentennial titles and one relating directly to Texas artistic heritage—will be distributed to 375 public and regional libraries throughout the state.

"We hope," stated Maurice Coats, executive director of TCAH, "that the books will be circulated among the students and young people of Floyd County who visit the libraries."

"These books," he continued, "take the tinsel and glitter out of the now very commercialized Bicentennial theme, and illuminate the significance of our cultural and historical heritage." Included in the museum package are: THE IMAGE OF AMERICA in CARRIATURE and CARTOON, THE FACE OF LIBERTY, THE STRIPES and STARS, and THE ARTIST was a YOUNG MAN.

THE FACE OF LIBERTY contains biographies of portrait painters and their sitters. The book also describes the American Revolution as a conjunction of historical and creative influences.

THE STRIPES and STARS is the evolution of the American flag, Mitchell Wilder, director of the Amon Carter Museum, writes in the acknowledgment of this book: "Anyone who has seen the flag in the museum knows that it is a masterpiece of design and color. It is a symbol of our nation's history and identity. The flag is a work of art, and it is a work of art that has been created by many hands over many years. It is a work of art that has been created by the people of this country, and it is a work of art that has been created by the people of this country."

Other attractions besides tours of research plots at the Halfway Station include farm implement displays and audio-visual programs. Texas Agricultural Extension Service specialists will be on hand for individual conferences about production practices and problems.

FLOYD DATA

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McNeill attended the 50th wedding anniversary celebration honoring Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barber of Weatherford August 1.

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Scientists To Discuss Fertilizer At Field Day

HALFWAY--Nearly 100 million dollars get buried beneath the soil of the Texas High Plains each year. The money is in the form of fertilizer, some 650,000 tons of nitrogen, phosphorus, and occasionally a touch of potash.

Soil research scientists will tell field day viewers of Halfway next month Tuesday, Sept. 14, what happens to the fertilizer under cotton, sorghum, corn, millet and sunflowers and how environmental factors influence fertilizer and crop interaction.

Dr. Art Onken, soil chemist with The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Lubbock, and Kenneth Banks, research associate for the Experiment Station at Halfway, say the chemistry of the High Plains soils is changing "continuously and irreversibly" as fertilizer is applied and used up by crops. The extent of this change and what farmers can do to assure that it continues to be beneficial are the topics of a tour stop near soil fertility research plots at which Onken and Banks will be stationed during the field day.

The afternoon event, beginning at 1:00, will be hosted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Stations at Lubbock and Halfway. Beginning this year the field day will alternate between the two stations sites, with Halfway serving as host this year. Cooperators are the Texas

Agricultural Extension Service; Agricultural Research Service, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture; National Weather Service; and the High Plains Research Foundation.

Experiment Station soil research efforts are aimed at fertilizer use efficiency, says Onken. Based on research data accumulated from test sites on farms throughout the High Plains as well as from the Lubbock and Halfway research sites, correlations are made between fertilizer use and plant growth. Recommendations are then made for fertilizer applications under given soil and crop conditions.

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Timer' Recalls Early Days In Lockney Area

wagon was filled. Mr. Sams dug 16-inch post holes, except for the corner posts, around the section he had bought and used mesquite chunks for "dead men" at the corners. Mesquite "won't rot, will last 100 years."

Once when an uncle used Jim, a family pet horse, to take him to Roswell, he wanted to know how he would get Jim back to Lockney.

"Just turn him loose," Mr. Sams said. That horse came back that approximate 100 miles by himself.

In 1907, when they grew a good yield of cabbage in a garden watered from a big dirt tank, they decided to take two wagon loads to Childress to trade for flour, sugar and other needs. They put jet boards on one wagon where the parents rode. Guy and brother John followed in another wagon.

"When we got to the caprock—in those days it was rough and steep—we locked the hind wheels with a chain and just let the wheels slide down. The chain broke on the wagon with my brother and me and the horses ran away, threw us out, spilt the cabbage and broke the coupling pole. Dad cut a big limb and made a coupling pole, re-loaded the cabbage and we were on our way."

Later they stopped to fill water jugs at a house where no one was home. It was the last day before getting to Childress. When they were camping a few miles out of Childress that night, they heard three men talking near their camp. "We'll leave him now and get him in Childress," one of the three was heard to say.

Next day in Childress, every one came out from stores and formed a circle around the wagons. The deputy and sheriff threw everything out of the wagons because they had been told the Sams had stolen stuff from the house where they had stopped to get water. Of course the sheriff found nothing.

They peddled the cabb-

age, made their purchases and were on their way home next day about 20 miles out when three men in a Spalding hack with white top passed them driving full speed. They drove off in a ravine, took the top off the hack and burned it. Presently, the sheriff and deputies came up and were told of the men and the burning of the top. The three men were arrested; they were the ones that had stolen from the house where the Sams had filled their water jugs on the way to Childress.

Once in an Indian scare, every one went to Koegers near Lockney to their big under-ground barn covered with cotton wood poles and dirt. The women moulded bullets inside the underground barn while the men kept watch behind the wagons that circled the barn. The Indians didn't come. Neighbors had no difficulty getting to the Koeger barn. Mr. Koeger had plowed a furrow with a sod plow from the barn almost to Floydada. He had also plowed a furrow from the barn that same distance to the northwest. He had been lost a time or two, so he made the furrows to guide him. It was easy to get lost on the prairies.

Guy Sams remembers quite well the snows of 1906 and 1918. The train his father was on from New Mexico to Canyon in 1906 failed to stop at Canyon because it was so caked with snow after coming through the "cuts" the engineer couldn't see where he was. He by-passed Canyon and on to Amarillo. He had to back up to let passengers off at Canyon. That same snow was so deep at Lockney that cattle walked over fences where there was a fence.

The one in 1918 caught Guy doing his week's turn at feeding 125 head of cattle on the home place. He was 18 then. The family had moved to Lockney and he and his



JACKRABBIT GUN.... Guy Sams used this Stevens single-shot 12 gauge shotgun to hunt jackrabbits when he was 12 or 13 years old, back when the rabbits were so numerous that Floyd County paid a bounty on the ears. Once he carried "half a tow-sack full" of rabbit ears to Floydada to collect the bounty. The 80-year-old gun was originally owned by Sams' father. (Staff Photo)

father were taking week about staying "with the stuff."

"I was snowed in and had to stay six weeks. Just saw one man in that six weeks,



ARTIST OF THE MONTH—Floyd County Historical Museum's Artist of the Month for August is Nina Teuton of Lockney. Mrs. Teuton's paintings are on display this month at the museum in Floydada. She has taken art lessons from Ruth Barnett of Hale Center. (Staff Photo)

The Floyd Philosopher Prepares Himself For The Fall Elections



Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm prepares himself for the fall elections.

Dear Editor:

With the fall elections not too far off, when the country will be electing people right and left from local to national offices, with millions and millions of campaign words to be heard, the best advice for a voter to remember is that there are truths, half-truths, and political statements.

A political statement, as I understand it, is an art form. You don't lie, but you don't tell the truth either. If asked about busing, you come out in favor of quality education. Since most politicians seem to be sharper than most TV reporters, they can get by with this for a full half-hour's interview. If some uppity reporter won't turn loose and keeps asking a tough question, you take so long in answering, going all the way back to the Peloponnesian War in 400 B.C., that everybody forgets what the question was.

But the best and shortest answer to a tough question I know about was given by a 12-year-old boy a generation ago. He and his older brother had the job of milking the family's two cows every day, and they got into a contest to see who could milk the most.

Consistently, the younger one started winning. His bucket was always brimful, the other's only two-thirds. But there was something peculiar about it.

"That milk tastes watery," the family complained.

"Son," the father asked, "Are you putting water in that milk?"

"No sir," the boy said. "I am not."

This is a classical political statement. You could go before a grand jury and say it. You could defy a Congressional investigating committee with it. You could look the TV camera in the eye and say it.

The boy was not indeed putting water in the milk. What he was doing, he admitted later on with a grin, was putting milk in the water. Started out with a quart of water in the bottom of his bucket.

It's a system that works. You a candidate opposed to increased taxes? When elected keep the tax rate the same like you promised but raise property valuations.

There's nothing handier than starting out with water in the bottom of the milk bucket. But perhaps it ought to be discontinued when you're grown, and is, by dairymen, but very few politicians are dairymen.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Daddy was afraid I would run out of coal to burn, so he started out of Lockney with some in a wagon. He didn't get very far. When he could go no farther in the deep snow, he unhitched the mules and rode one and led the other back to town. The wagon with the coal stayed

there until the snow thawed.

"The snow was so deep the cows could eat as fast as I was able to carry it out; so I took some old logs and made a one-horse sled and fed once a day."

Guy Sams will not say

that times were hard in those days. They may sound hard, but they were a challenge to individual initiative, and early people here met the challenge. They had to; it was their life and they lived it.

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 Joseph Thomas, admitted 8-1, dismissed 8-4.
 Pat Rendon, admitted 8-2, dismissed 8-10.
 Joe Garza, admitted 8-2, dismissed 8-4.
 Ruben Mendoza, admitted 8-3, dismissed 8-5.
 Ermelinda Vargas, admitted 8-3, dismissed 8-7.
 Kathy Emert, admitted 8-4, dismissed 8-9.
 Candelario Bursiaga, admitted 8-4, dismissed 8-10.
 P. J. Coleman, admitted 7-9, continues treatment.
 Julio Ibarra, admitted 7-31, continues treatment.
 Frank Stephens, admitted 7-31, continues treatment.
 Bobbie Rogers, admitted 8-2, continues treatment.
 Doris Bufkin, admitted 8-2, continues treatment.

Doris Powell, admitted 8-3, continues treatment.
 Verba Jackson, admitted 8-3, continues care.
 Nannie Thomas, admitted 8-8, dismissed 8-11.
 Walter Craft, admitted 8-9, continues treatment.
 Louis Luis Guerra, admitted 8-9, continues treatment.
 Walter Easter, admitted 8-9, continues treatment.
 Joe Garza, admitted 8-9, continues treatment.
 Leslie Sinor, admitted 8-9, continues treatment.
 Barbara Evans, admitted 8-10, continues treatment.
 Aurelia Garza, admitted 8-10, continues treatment.
 Ramon Grubbs, admitted 8-10, continues treatment.
 Callie McKay, admitted 8-10, continues treatment.
 Winnie Angus, admitted 8-10, continues treatment.
 Baby boy Garza, born 8-10, continues treatment.

Bishop Participating In

Summer Practicum Program

GOLDEN POND, KY.—after a long, demanding semester, most college students are satisfied to find a summer job paying only a nominal amount to support them through the following year of school, never dreaming of a position offering supplementary benefits.

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Michael L. Bishop, Floydada, Texas, is participating in the summer practicum program in Land Between The Lakes, located between Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley in western Kentucky and Tennessee.

The 25-year-old museum science major from Texas Tech University demonstrates shoreline ecology and directs natural history instruction in the Environmental Education Center.

"I am learning a lot of natural history that will be helpful to me in my field as a biologist," Bishop said.

Bishop said he hopes to gain valuable teaching experience as a result of his activities this summer.

After returning to college this fall to complete graduate studies, Bishop plans to seek a teaching position.

Bishop is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop.

DAIRY OUTLOOK GOOD—It looks like a good year for Texas dairy farmers as milk production per cow is up and prices are generally good. Milk production per cow is 70 pounds more per month so far this year than in 1975 due mainly to heavy culling of poor producers and heavier feeding of concentrates, says an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Prices for blend milk continue to look favorable, with dairymen receiving an average price of \$10.50 per hundredweight in June. The milk-feed price ratio has also improved due to higher milk prices and lower feed prices.

Rules for accessorizing are out-inventiveness and creativity are in, reports Beverly Rhoades, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A & M University System.

According to research studies regarding the marital satisfaction of working wives, when women join the labor force involuntarily, couples experience greater marital unhappiness. The men perceive it as a threat to their ego and ability to provide for their family—women, however, feel the main effect is the decrease in sociability with their husbands, reports Debby Johnson, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A & M University System.

Mahon blasts OSHA booklet

Congressman George Mahon has called upon the Secretary of Labor to review the performance and take corrective action against officials of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration responsible for "a ridiculous waste of the taxpayers' money" to produce a booklet entitled, "Safety with Beef Cattle", which has been held up to scorn by farm and ranch groups across the nation.

At the same time Mahon lashed out in a House speech on July 30 at OSHA officials for proposing field sanitation standards for farms and ranches which "are totally unworkable and ridiculous".

The 19th District Congressman used these examples to complain about harassment of the private citizen by government personnel charged with the administration of laws passed by Congress.

The booklet referred to by Mahon contains numerous admonitions such as, "When floors are wet and slippery with manure, you could have a bad fall"; "you can get too tired when working with cattle".

"WE MUST declare war on such ineptness if respect for government is to be restored and maintained," said Mahon.

The proposed sanitation standards, which among other requirements, would make mandatory toilet and handwashing facilities within a five-minute walk of farm and ranch workers, have also been heavily criticized by farm and ranch groups.

Mahon pointed out that those responsible for the actions "do not have to answer to the public for the outrages they perpetrate in the name of administering the law. By their actions they bring contempt on the government. If there is to be a free democratic society, the people must support and believe in their government. Without this trust, government breaks down. We must find a way to instill in the Federal worker that he is a servant of the people and that he holds a public trust".

IN THE SPEECH given by Mahon in the House of Representatives, he said "In these remarks I am not speaking of illegal acts, as serious as they are, but of harassment by government personnel of the citizen and foolish and indefensible actions of government employees charged with the administration of the laws. I am thinking at the moment of the interpretation and administration of the law by personnel in the Executive Branch.

Too often one sees examples of foolish and ridiculous rules and regulations which are invented by impractical government personnel. When a foolish outrage is publicized, the culprit is often an obscure bureaucrat in the Executive Branch. His name is not on the ballot at election, time and he can sit back and laugh, if he will, at the discomfort which is caused for the Administration or the Congress. Some way must be found to call a halt to the present intolerable situation.

"In a recent visit to the District which I have the honor to represent, I was confronted with two such examples of outrageous and intolerable activities on the part of OSHA, the Occupational

Safety and Health Administration. "The first concerned a booklet entitled "Safety with Beef Cattle" which OSHA issued. The second concerned proposed OSHA regulations about field sanitary facilities on farms and ranches. Both, in my opinion, are examples of government personnel taking a law, and by the manner in which they implement it, making fools of it and themselves, and in the process discrediting the entire government.

THE SAFETY with Beef Cattle" booklet contains such startling statements as "When floors are wet and slippery with manure, you could have a bad fall", "Bare feet or sneakers aren't safe around cattle", "Be careful when you are handling animals", "You can get too tired when working with cattle", and "Be careful that you do not fall into manure pits."

"Most of the people in my area who work with beef cattle that have seen or heard of this booklet think it is utterly absurd and that someone who did not know such things as I listed above should not be around a cow in the first place. They don't like to see their tax money used in the publication of such trash. In fact, in my opinion, the most untutored child or farm worker who could not read or write knows far more about cows than was exhibited by the writer of this booklet.

"The field sanitation standards have caused great consternation and agitation among farmers and ranchers throughout the nation. The standards as published would require toilet and handwashing facilities to be available within a five-minute walk of the workers. Some might contend that such standards on a ten acre farm or ranch would be appropriate, but on a large operation, such requirements would be absolutely ludicrous. And if they were implemented as proposed, they would probably become one of the greatest monuments to bureaucratic foolishness and ineptness known to man," Mahon said.

TEXAS TOPS IN CATTLE SLAUGHTER—In 1975 Texas became the top state in the number of cattle slaughtered, according to a livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The information is based on cattle slaughter at the 82 federally inspected slaughtering plants in the state. Twenty-eight of these plants slaughtered more than 50,000 head each and accounted for 11 per cent of the total federally inspected cattle slaughter. Following Texas in the number of cattle slaughtered in federally inspected plants are Ne-

braska and Iowa. ANIMAL SCIENTISTS TO MEET AT A&M—Some 1,900 animal scientists of the United States, Canada, Turkey, and several other countries are expected to participate in the 68th annual meeting of the American Society of Animal Science at Texas A & M University, August 15-18. More than 500 scientific papers on research about livestock concerns of the livestock industry and how these concerns affect consumers are scheduled. The opening Symposium will be "Quality Meat for the Consumer—Nutritional and

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Friday, Aug. 13, 10 a.m.

- Frigidaire freezer/ref., 2-door
- Frigidaire dryer
- Maytag washer - Sunbeam electric mower - Black & Decker edger/trimmer - round maple table w/6 chairs - love seat - Hide-a-bed - Singer sewing machine - twin beds - chest of drawers - maple bed - maple chest of drawers - 2 cedar chests - mattresses & box springs - table lamps - 8-place setting china - flatware - cooking utensils - vacuums - pots - pans - mirrors - prints - hundreds of items too numerous to list.

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Fairview

By Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

Mrs. C. W. Payne Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. C. W. Payne visited Mrs. Ruy Irwin one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bass of Lubbock visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watts, Scottie and Kim. Carl Nelson of Dimmitt spent the day Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruy Irwin. Thursday Mrs. Gene Pace and daughter Nancy Mercer of Skellytown came down and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Ruy Irwin, on Friday Nancy went on to Midland to spend a week with her sister Mrs. Vickie Brown and family. Mrs. Pace

spent Friday with her mother Mrs. Irwin and left for home late that day. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren of Lubbock spent the day Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bud Warren. Mona Dell Wise of Amarillo came down Sunday afternoon and visited for a short time in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise and then Mona Dell took her mother home with her for a few days visit. Mrs. C. W. Payne attended a pink and blue shower for Mrs. Arlon Barnes Wednesday night at the Farm Bureau Community room. Mr. and Mrs. Bud DuBois of Lubbock spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois. Mr. and Mrs. Don Winters of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cook. Carolyn Burton visited in

the E. W. Walls home Friday. Sunday afternoon visitors in the E. W. Walls home were Mrs. C. W. Denison and Walton Wilson. Mrs. Gracie Riggles had a phone call Saturday from her son Roscoe who lives in Hayes South Dakota and he told her it was very dry there and crops were suffering. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Nola McCravery visited Mrs. Gracie Riggles. Becky and Anissa Crabtree spent Monday night in the home of their grandmother Mrs. Kate Crabtree. Thursday night Sam Crabtree spent the night at his grandmothers. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown of Lancaster, Calif., arrived Sunday at the home of her mother Mrs. Gracie Riggles for several days visit with her and other relatives.

Monday was Anissa Crabtree's 5th birthday and Mrs. Pauline McCormick and her twin daughters, Amy and Anita went out to the Kay Crabtree home to help Anissa celebrate and have birthday cake with her. Monday night Mrs. Kate Crabtree, Mrs. Lige Moore and Robie had supper with the Kay Crabtree family. Lige Moore and his mother Mrs. J. R. Moore of Northport, Alabama arrived Sunday at the home of Mrs. Kate Crabtree, they will be here until Thursday when they along with Mrs. Lige Moore and Robie who have been here 4 weeks in the home of her mother, Mrs. Kate Crabtree will leave for their home in Northport, Alabama. Karen and Christy Pruitt spent Sunday night and Monday with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye.

Briscoe County Celebration Begins

Briscoe County's 84th birthday celebration begins Thursday at 4 p.m. with a western parade, through downtown Silverton, featuring floats, riding clubs, bicycles and queen candidates. Following the parade will be a free public barbeque at the Silverton City Park. Silverton Young Farmers are sponsoring three nightly performances of the rodeo beginning at 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday. Stock is furnished by Charlie Thompson of Lubbock. The largest concrete slab in the southwest will be the scene of nightly dances in Silverton beginning at 9 p.m. Windy Wood and his

band will play for the dances. Concluding the celebration will be a steer roping contest held August 15 at 1 p.m. Five girls are vying for

the 1976 Rodeo Queen. The girls 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.

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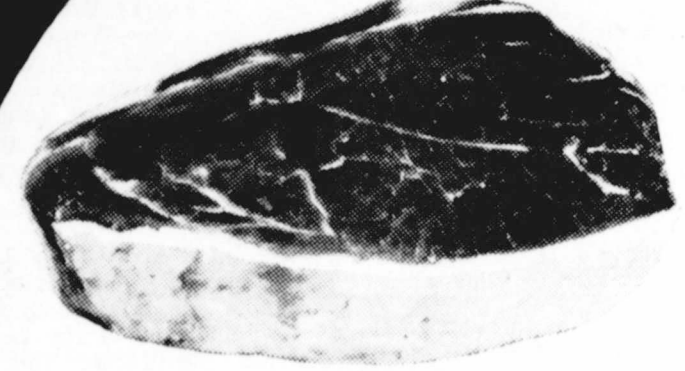


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Prices good thru August 14, 1976. We reserve the right to limit quantities. None sold to dealers.

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SUNDAY 9 AM — 8 PM

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Heavy Aged Beef, Chuck

BONELESS ROAST
\$1 09
Lb.



Lean Meaty Beef

SHORT RIBS
49¢
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PIGGLY WIGGLY SHORTENING
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3-Lb. Can



Piggly Wiggly
ICE CREAM
89¢
1/2-Gal. Btl.

Heavy Aged Beef
Rib Steaks **\$1 09**
Lb.

Dry Cure, Shank, or Butt Portions, Cry-o-Vac For Flavor, Farmer Jones
Smoked Hams **\$1 39**
Lb.

Piggly Wiggly
Fresh Butter **\$1 19**
1-Lb. Ctn.
Kounty Kist Vacuum Packed, WholeKernel
Golden Corn **5 \$1**
12-oz. Cans

Farmer Jones, (2-Lb. \$2.35)
Roll Sausage **\$1 29**
Lb.

Banquet
Chicken Livers **79¢**
1-Lb. Cup

Skin Care Cream
Rose Milk **\$1 13**
8-oz. Btl.
Piggly Wiggly Grade A

Columbia River, 1 or 2 Lbs. Each
Baby Salmon **\$1 19**
Lb.

SEAFOOD BLOCK
Delicious
Fillet Turbot **\$1 35**
Lb.

Pink
Salmon Steaks **\$1 39**
Lb.

Fresh
Catfish Fillets **\$1 09**
Lb.



Santa Rosa Plums **49¢**
Lb.
Special Treat Honeydew
Melons **29¢**
Lb.



Great With Ice Cream
Cantaloupe **19¢**
Lb.
THOMPSON SEEDLESS
Grapes **69¢**
Lb.

MEDIUM EGGS
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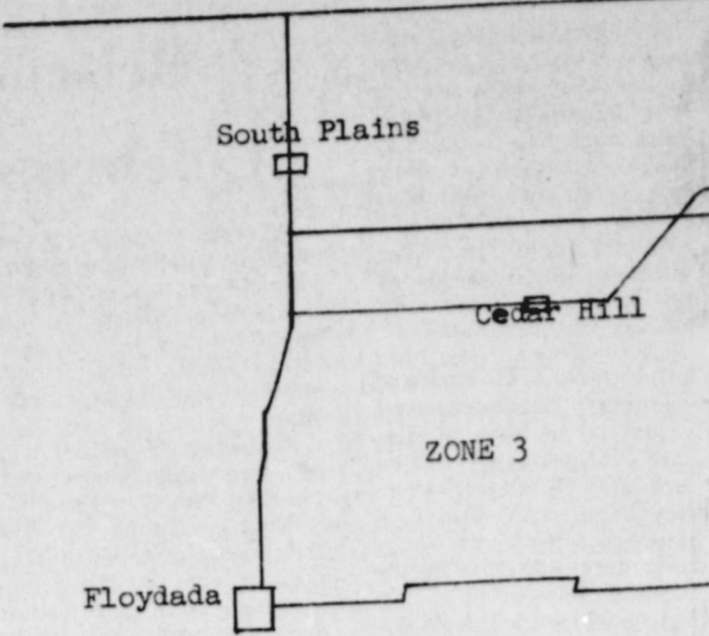
Production Credit Association Conference Set For August 12

Directors of Plainview Production Credit Association join PCA officials throughout Texas in Amarillo August 12 for the Production Credit Association's Directors Conference.

Directors participants include H. L. Porter, Jr., president of Petersburg, Billy W. Carthel, vice president, and A. W. Anthony, Jr., both of Friona and Ray Robertson of Dimmitt.

James A. Rogers, Plainview PCA secretary-treasurer who will accompany the group, said the conference will reemphasize credit, policy and management functions of the Production Credit System and bring directors up-to-date on services provided to Texas PCAs by the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, source of most PCA loan funds.

Plainview PCA has loans outstanding to area farmers and ranchers of approximately \$63 million.



Conservation District Election Set August 14

The Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District election for zone 3 will be held Saturday, August 14, at the Producers Coop Elevator at 8:30 p.m.

Boundaries are the Floydada-Silverton highway, section line located 3 miles south of South Plains, Floyd-Motley county line and the Floydada-Matador highway with the exception of sections 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74 and 75.

The election is an open convention type election and the director elected must own land in the zone.

All persons owning land in the zone who reside in Floyd County, and are at least 21 years of age are eligible to vote.

Conservation Valuable Investment

The past 20 years have proven the Great Plains Conservation Act to be a valuable investment in the future for Texas farmers and ranchers.

The law, signed by President Eisenhower 20 years ago on August 7, 1956, has brought a more stable agriculture, more dependable income, and an improved environment to the Great Plains states according to Soil Conservation Service officials.

When a producer signs a Great Plains contract with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, he agrees to carry out a complete conservation plan on his entire farm or ranch. This might include such measures as improving rangeland, terracing, or converting erosion prone cropland to grass. In return, the Soil Conservation Service provides...

School Bus Driver School Begins

Every bus driver, and substitute school bus driver should attend a driver's school beginning Monday night at the Floydada high school library. Classes begin at 6 p.m. each evening. The school will continue through Friday night and will conclude with an 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. session Saturday morning.

Enrollment is limited to 30 and this course will be required for every school bus driver September 1, 1977.

Texans Get Back 82¢ Out Of Every Dollar Income Tax

AUSTIN—Comptroller Bob Bullock said Friday an analysis done by his office shows that federal aid to Texas state and local governments has more than tripled since 1966, but Texas still get back only 82 cents out of every \$1 they pay in income taxes that are appropriated to federal aid programs.

Bullock said the analysis lists 41 other states that get better returns on their income tax dollars. "The reasons we have a lower return," said the Comptroller, "are that we have a relatively low state and local tax effort, we have less unemployment than the national average and because Texas has a tradition of independence from federal programs."

However, he pointed out, Texas state government alone has already received \$1.5 billion in federal funds during the first ten months of the current fiscal year—representing about 30 percent of all state revenues. The analysis of federal aid is part of the Comptroller's June financial statement. The monthly financial statement shows that June's expenditures of \$403.5 million brought state expenditures through the first ten months of fiscal 1976 to more than \$5.3 billion, 17 percent higher than during the same period in fiscal 1975.

State revenues, meanwhile, also total \$5.3 billion through June, \$660 million more than during the same period in fiscal 1975, an increase of 11 percent.

CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Ask Ranchers To Cooperate With Screwworm Program

AUSTIN—The Independent Cattlemen's Association is asking ranchers throughout Texas to cooperate fully with new federal guidelines aimed at controlling a screwworm outbreak now gripping the state.

The new guidelines, applied to all counties in Texas by the U.S. Department of Agriculture this week, require spraying of all cattle within 72 hours of any planned movement to Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee.

Those seven southeastern states have climates in which screwworm flies can "over-winter" and set up a disastrous situation for next year. Movement of cattle to states other than those seven is not affected.

FLOYDDATA Mrs. Ramona Bell, Tracy and Dana of Las Vegas, Nevada recently visited Mrs. Bell's aunt, Mrs. T. T. Hamilton of Floydada and other relatives.

FLOYDDATA Jerry Don Wilson underwent surgery Friday, August 6 at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. He returned home the same day and is reported to be recuperating well.

FIRE ANTS CONTINUE TO SPREAD—Imported fire ants are now common in virtually all of the eastern half of Texas and are continuing their trek westward, says an entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Infestations have been confirmed from Cooke County in North Texas to Kleberg County in South Texas and as far west as Kerr and Bandera counties. Seventy-four counties are under partial or complete federal quarantine or are labeled suppression areas. Mirex, a chemical used to control the pest, is now being produced by the state of Mississippi and is available through the Texas Department of Agriculture. Farmers and ranchers can obtain the chemical free of charge from their local County Commissioners Court as long as supplies last.

Cunningham also called on ranchers to remember these basic steps which are critical to screwworm control: prompt submission of samples from all infested wounds, prompt treatment of all wounds with preventative smear, spraying or dipping regularly to prevent infestation, and use of control programs for ticks, horn flies and other pest which make wounds available for screwworms.

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FUN FOR ALL IN LOCKNEY

"Old-Fashioned Saturday Night Celebration"

AUGUST 14

- ★ SIDEWALK SALES
- ★ FREE WATERMELON
- ★ FOOD BOOTHS
- ★ GAMES

Come One, Come All To Lockney Saturday Night!

THE LOCKNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

OBITUARIES

Hiram D. Williams

Hiram D. Williams, father of Mrs. Joe B. Jones of Lockney, died Friday, July 30 in a Wichita Falls nursing home. He was 86. Services were held in First United Methodist Church in Wolfe City. Interment was in Mt. Carmel Cemetery. He is survived by his wife Jettie, five daughters and two sons, 28 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

James Mason Anderson

James Mason Anderson, 3 year-old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarrett of Lock-

ney, drowned about noon Saturday four miles north of Breckenridge when he fell in a lake there. A justice of the peace ruled the death accidental.

The child was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas Anderson of Rt. A, Lamesa. He was born in Lubbock.

Private graveside rites were held Monday with Branon Funeral Home handling arrangements.

He is survived also by a brother, Charles Jarrett of the home; and his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Evelyn Anderson of Lamesa.

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CENTERFIRE

Sunday, August 15 1976

On C.C. Whittle's Place
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Just Off Ralls Highway

Entry Fee \$5.00

25-Round Shootoff in 3 Classes

Trophies For Each Class

Sponsored By

Howard Fly Service

Local CBers Aid Injured Floydadaite

Crosbyton CB'ers are joining in an effort to assist a Floydada man, Lewis Gilliland, who was injured in a windmill accident which paralyzed him. South Plains Radio Club of Floydada is spearheading a move to allow Gilliland to receive treatment at the rehabilitation hospital in Amarillo. Tickets on a CB radio are available for \$1 each at Jordan's Restaurant or from Pat Berry. Proceeds go into the Gilliland fund.

ACTUAL USE REPORT

GENERAL REVENUE SHARING

THIS REPORT ADVISING YOU HOW THESE FUNDS HAVE BEEN USED OR OBLIGATED DURING THE YEAR FROM JULY 1, 1975 TO JUNE 30, 1976. THIS IS TO INFORM YOU OF YOUR GOVERNMENT'S PRIORITIES AND TO ENCOURAGE YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE USE OF THESE FUNDS FOR THE BENEFIT OF YOUR COMMUNITY. WASHINGTON, D.C. 20528.

ACTUAL EXPENDITURES (Include Obligations)		THE GOVERNMENT OF
(A) CATEGORIES	(B) CAPITAL	LOCKNEY CITY
1 PUBLIC SAFETY	\$ 1,100	
2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$	
3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	
4 HEALTH	\$	
5 RECREATION	\$	
6 LIBRARIES	\$	
7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	
8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	
9 MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT	\$	
10 EDUCATION	\$	
11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	
12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$ 22,414	
15 TOTALS	\$ 23,514	

NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET

(E) CERTIFICATION: I certify that I am the Chief Executive Officer and will transmit to the authorized funds recipient herein, I certify that there have not been used in violation of either the priority expenditure requirements (Section 1028) or the priority funds prohibition (Section 1041) of the Act.

Claude Brown 8-11-76
Signature of Chief Executive

Claude Brown, Mayor
Name and Title

THE GOVERNMENT OF LOCKNEY CITY has received General Revenue Sharing funds during the period from July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976. ACCOUNT NO. 44-2 CITY OF LOCKNEY CITY P.O. BOX 387 LOCKNEY TEXAS

(F) TRUST FUND REPORT HAVE BEEN PREPARED

- Balance as of June 30, 1975
- Revenue Sharing Funds Received from July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976
- Interest Received
- Funds Released from Obligations of prior years
- Sum of lines 1, 2, 3 & 4
- Funds Returned to ODS (if any)
- Total Funds Available
- Total Amount Expended (Sum of line 15, column B and column C)
- Balance as of June 30, 1976
- Balance as of June 30, 1975

(G) THE NEWS MEDIA PUBLICATIONS REPORT HAS BEEN FILED WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF LOCKNEY CITY. CONTENTS THEY ARE OPEN FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.

215 E. Locust, Lockney, Texas

Center News

By Mrs. J.E. Green

CENTER: August 9-10- Weather is nice for August. Crops and gardens and weeds are growing fast. The cannery is running full blast. But afternoons are hot and showers don't last long.

Sunday was a beautiful day. Vacation nearing a close. Last reunions and family get togethers are numerous on weekends.

A Meredith family reunion was held in Floydada Sunday at Miss Vera Meredith's and at Mrs. C. M. Meredith's. All dined at a local restaurant. Present were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burke and Mrs. Myrtle Meredith of Amarillo, Bro. and Mrs. Clay Muncy of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Formen and small sons of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Maudell Meredith of Austin. Out of town relatives have returned home except Mrs. Formen and sons and her mother, Mrs. Maudell who will visit in this area a while longer before returning home.

Mrs. Ola Warren visited Miss Meredith Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison visited in Lubbock last Tuesday with her aunt Mrs. J. A. Eaves. Cousins of Lubbock and one from Red River County were also present.

Mrs. Clarence Ashton and Mrs. Thelma Jones visited at the Rest Home Friday, and at the Floyd Fuqua home and with Dad R. H. Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wright of Rotan spent over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ava Jackson. The Brents couple of Amarillo came Sunday. It was Mrs. Jackson's birthday. A grandson Kevin Wright called long distance Sunday to wish his grandmother a Happy Birthday.

Miss Francis Mitchell is home again after a visit with an old friend in Penn. While in the area they visited Niagara Falls and in Canada, and other points.

The Thomas Warrens and other relatives were in Kress Saturday evening to attend the wedding of their son Edwin to Miss Kyla Springer of Kress. Congratulations to the happy couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Carpenter and sons David and Dana, visited from Friday to Sunday morning with Dale's parents Mr. and Mrs. Claud Carpenter, then went on to Red River, N. M. on vacation.

Mrs. Ola Warren and Mrs. Fred Battey ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Edmondson of Phillips and Mrs. Shelby Cook of Amarillo spent Monday night with Mrs. Fred Battey.

Mrs. Andy Jackson dined Sunday with Mrs. Smitherman. Among callers at Mrs. Jackson's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hart and Mrs. Green.

Other friends ill or indisposed Mrs. Green saw Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Wiley Rogers at the Caprock Hospital, Mrs. Syble Williams and Mrs. Hartline at home.

Mrs. R. C. Ross reached home Friday from a pleasant visit to Denver, Colorado with a daughter and family, the Rob Robersons, Norma, the other daughter of near Muleshoe, Mrs. Maxine Ragsdale accompanied her.

Mrs. Margaret Balios and children of Lubbock and Mrs. Mary Groce Parks and children of Houston spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Frank Dunn. Mrs. Frank Dunn visited Mrs. I. H. Parks, South Plains late Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Carpenter were in Amarillo Saturday attending last rites for her brother, T. L. Bryant, a former resident of Center community. Our deep sympathy is with his family and his brothers and sisters.

Welborn Miller and family of Lubbock visited Sunday evening with his aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lightfoot had a family get together at their home Sunday. Present were their son Mike, wife and 2 small sons of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lightfoot, Tanya and Kelsey of Amarillo, a sister Mrs. Opal Campbell and their mother Mrs. W. B. Lindley, Floydada.

The Henry Brewers were in Lubbock Saturday evening at Skyline Baptist Church for the wedding of a

grand daughter, Kim Ayers to Johnny Willeby of Lubbock. They ate supper at a son's home, the Irwin Brewers. Early Sunday morning they were up preparing part of the dinner for a Brewer reunion at Wichita Falls. The gathering was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Musgrove's a Brewer sister. There were 44 present. They stopped to visit a sister who was unable

to be present. They reached home around 10 o'clock Sunday night.

Mrs. Elmer Warren had her son Elvis and family at dinner Sunday. Also a granddaughter, Mrs. Rhonda Henderson and children.

Remember the Center Fairview Homecoming Sunday after Labor.

FLOYD DATA

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Moosberg had as their guests last week her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hagler of Houston.

Friday Mr. and Mrs. Moosberg helped June move from Silverton to Lockney where she will be teaching

high school this year. Carla Moosberg had as her guest this weekend Donny Winslow of Midland.

FLOYDADA Rest Home Birthday Party

by Faye Walters
The Lord has blessed the land with rain and lots of sunshine this week. Everything is so pretty and green. The residents love this time of the year. Our activities at the home have been very good, also

our exercise classes. We have about as many in wheel chairs taking exercises as ones who are able to get around by themselves. The devotions this week have just been great. Thanks to everyone who took part in them. We hope they received as great a blessing as our residents did.

Wednesday we took a lovely field trip out by Della Finley's farm so she could see what a pretty crop she has. Taking this trip was the driver Mr. Freeman, Dora Langford, Florence Badgett, Viola Weems, Della Finley, Agnes Anderson, and myself. Thursday was Bingo

Day. We all enjoyed this. The top winner was Clara Williamson, with 5 games, Della Finley and Agnes Anderson won 3 games, Hallie Bertrand and Ray Reed won 2 games each. We all missed Hope Hammonds on the field trip and at Bingo too. But hope she is enjoying her visit with her son Johnny and family. We are like a family at the home and when any of the residents are gone for a few days the rest really miss them.

We are very glad to have Lydia Collins and Verney Perminter home from the hospital but sorry Verba Jackson is still there. Hope

she will be back with us very soon.

We have a new resident Homer Sims. Sure hope he will feel at home here and that we can help him.

We appreciate all the visitors we had this week which include: Verdie and Josephine visiting Annie and Smith, Mrs. Arthur Cheves and Kathy.

7-26-76-Mrs. George Wexler, Alma Ruth Nelson, Dovie Rushing, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bratton, Joyce McCoy, Snyder, Texas; Otis Anderson, Floydada; J. R. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson, Robin Guy and Rusty Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Davis, Charley

BUDDY'S FOOD

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We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities

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ICE CREAM \$1.09

6-32 OZ. BOTTLE CARTON



COKE or TAB \$1.39

PLUS DEPOSIT

9 OZ. PRINGLES TWIN PACK \$1.09 VALUE



POTATO CHIPS 79¢

SWIFTS 5 OZ. CAN 47¢ VALUE



VIENNA SAUSAGE 4/\$1.00

CONTIDINA 15 OZ. CAN 39¢ VALUE



TOMATO SAUCE 4/\$1.00



MARGARINE 2/79¢

BALL WIDE MOUTH 12 PAK CAN OR FREEZE PINT

FRUIT JARS \$2.29



CALIF SUNKIST

ORANGES 5 LBS/\$1.00

NEW CROP TEXAS

PEACHES 3 LBS/\$1.00

CALIF LAREDO

PLUMS LB 49¢

CALIF RED RIPE

NECTARINES LB 49¢



OWENS 2 LB

SAUSAGE

VILSONS 4 LB CANNED CANED

PORK STEAK LB 98¢

FAMILY PACK GROUND BEEF

69¢

PRICES 14 OZ. PIMENTO

CHEESE SPREAD \$1.29

ARM OR ENGLISH ROAST 89¢

CLUB STEAK \$1.29

DEL MONTE FLAT CAN

TUNA 2/\$1.19

22 OZ. LIQUID \$1.05 VALUE

JOY 69¢



PREM 79¢

IMPERIAL 5 LB BAG



SUGAR 59¢

with purchase of 4 light bulbs

FRISKIES MEAT-CHICKEN-LIVER 25 1/2 OZ. 45¢ VALUE



DOG FOOD 4/\$1.00

BETTY CROCKER



TUNA HELP 2/79¢

WITHOUT COUPON 2-5 GOOD AT BUDDYS EXPIRES 8-14-76



GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 5 LB BAG 69¢

WITHOUT COUPON 69¢ GOOD AT BUDDYS EXPIRES 8-14-76

10 COUNT \$1.59 VALUE



TRASH BAGS 99¢



CASCADE \$1.17

18 CT. 16 OZ. DIXIE COLD 63¢ VALUE

CUPS 2/89¢

15 CT. CHINET COMPARTMENT 99¢ VALUE

PLATES 69¢



17 OZ. DOWNY 59¢ VAL



FABRIC SOFTENER 3/\$1.00