

The Floyd County Hesperian



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90,000 Bales Of Cotton Forecast

Rainfall Needed Now!

BY WENDELL TOOLEY
Floyd county Agent Doyle Warren was estimating 120,000 bales of cotton for the county Friday morning after the cotton showers received Thursday night in some areas of the county.

"There isn't much insect problem at this time on the cotton and the only boll weevil buildup in the area seems to run from Flomot to Turkey," Warren said.

Warren said there was quite a bit of insect spraying for green bugs in the grain sorghum and mites in the corn at this time.

growing early enough in the spring to beat the early damp falls.

"I figure our cotton farmers have hurt their land with so much weed poisoning that the early rooting system cannot respond as well, and this hurts our production," Moore added.

Irrigation wells are running night and day... and many farmers are watering every other row of cotton to try to keep "it cooled off" these hot dry days.

Dennis Teasdale To Direct Lorenzo Band

"I really thought I was through directing high school bands when I resigned at Floydada, but now it looks like I'm back in," former Whirlwind band director Dennis Teasdale told a Hesperian reporter Thursday night.

Teasdale had resigned at Floydada to enter business in Lubbock. He has been working in the business, which he says is "going great" but was persuaded by Lorenzo school officials that he could do both.

The Teasdales will move to Lubbock, and according to Dennis, he will be working with some 90 high school band students in the Class A school.



GIFT CERTIFICATE WINNER Donnie Galloway of the retail trade's committee presents over \$30.00 worth of gift certificates to Mrs. Elmer Norrell at first drawing Friday morning. Jesse Martinez, 403 West Jackson, also received a similar amount. Mrs. Norrell registered at L&J Food, Martinez at Buddy's Food. There will be three more drawings the next three Friday mornings until the total of \$300 worth of gift certificates are drawn. Everyone may continue to register at the 24 Floydada merchants sponsoring the promotion. (Staff Photo).

More Housing Money Available

Congressman Omar Burleson Thursday announced the approval of a

reservation for funds to the Housing Authority of the City of Floydada to provide housing for low income families, the elderly, handicapped or disabled.

The amount of funding is \$36,700 from the Department of Housing and Urban Development for the construction of 20 units consisting of 10 family units and 10 for the elderly.

The semi-detached units are to be constructed by the turnkey method. Funds will be available when the Housing Authority has met all necessary requirements involved in the program.

HORSE SHOW SUNDAY

Floyd County Fair Quarter Horse Show will be held Sunday at the fairgrounds in east Lockney. Entries in both open and youth classes will be taken beginning at 8 a.m. Competition will begin at 9 a.m. Jack Rydberg of Colorado will be judge for the show.



TROPHY at New Deal went to the Floydada team with the trophy following the season. Standing (l to r) Coach Sammy Mercado, D. Pleasant, J. Alex Martinez, Cornelius Campbell (front row l to r) Lionel Salazar, Gilbert Cedillo, Richie Porter, C. White Sox and pick-up players were unavailable for photo.

School Board Controls County's Largest Payroll

This feature is the most informative series in this issue.

about the responsibilities of each board, its goals, achievements, and the individual opinions of each board or council member.

There will be one feature a month for 13 months and the civic minded firms who sponsor this series are: Perry Brothers Inc., Oden Chevrolet-Olds, Inc., Dyson's Boot Shop, Solomon's Jewelry, Piggly Wiggly, City Auto, Inc., Quality Body Shop, Buddy's Food, Heall's Department Store, The Country Morning, Thompson Pharmacy, Mize TV, Collins Implement, Bishop-Ramsey Pharmacy, Betty's Place, Adams Well Service, Baker Insurance Agency, Farm Bureau, Floydada Cooperative Gins, Floydada Real Estate & Insurance, Plainview Savings & Loans-Floydada Branch, Ponderosa Meat Co., Gilbreath Exxon, Wayne Russell Implement, and Norrell Tractor Parts.

BY WENDELL TOOLEY

The Floydada Independent School District board oversees the largest payroll in Floyd county and is employer of some 175 people on that payroll. The annual payroll is approximately \$1,300,000.

The responsibility of the board is great as it must oversee the overall yearly budget of over two and a half million dollars.

Members of the board aren't necessarily the most popular people in the community as they must raise taxes from time to time to meet the continuing inflation costs of maintaining the school system.

Very few people realize the long hours devoted to school board meetings, the time spent in special called meetings, the time required to attend school functions, and the phone calls that come from unhappy parents... "the coach won't let my boy play...he keeps him on the bench."

Election to the school board is for a three year term. Election is by popular vote and any resident of the school district may seek election to the board. This past election two newcomers were elected to the board Adrain Helms and Martha Farris. Martha is a homemaker and Adrain is a farmer.

President of the school board is Gene Arwine, who has served on the board six years is a local pharmacist and is the only independent businessman on the board.

Lawrence Stovall is manager of the West Texas Regional Training Center and has served on the board five years. Also serving with three years experience on the board is Harvey Allen. He is material clerk for Lighthouse Electric Cooperative.

Travis J ones is a farmer who lives east of Floydada near the Dougherty community. He has served six years on the board. He is vice president of the board.

Secretary of the board is Betty Holmes, who was recently re-elected to the board and has served seven years. She is a bookkeeper for De Bruyn and

homemaker.

What is the salary for serving on the school board? Sorry, no salary, only pay is a kind word for the board member who has pleased one of the school's patrons. Board members do get one or two good meals served by the homemaking department each year... and the superintendent's wife sees that there is a cake or cookies for each board meeting.

PROBLEMS

At present the board is wrestling with the problem of finances for another year and hopefully, will not have to raise taxes, due to the State Legislature's plan to allow the school district more state aid money the next two years.

The board has tried to pass two bond elections to improve the athletic facilities of the school system. Both have

failed. At present it is trying to repair the stadium and complete some repair work at Andrews Elementary school.

SCHOLASTIC PERFECTION
Opponents of the athletic school bond issue maintained that scholastic improvements were more important and the school board has taken this cue in working toward more cultural subjects in high school and continues its attempts to employ outstanding teachers in the basic studies.

School Board Approves Stadium Repairs

In a called meeting of the Floydada school board Friday morning the decision was reached to replace all seats on the east side of the football stadium with aluminum and to repaint the west side seats and press box with kelly green.

The timer's box and field goal will

also be repainted kelly green.

Used boards from the east side seats will be used to repair the walkways.

The board agreed to receiving bids immediately on the aluminum seats. All board members were present except Betty Holmes and Harvey Allen.

Welcome Cotton Showers Hit County

Rain showers and scattered amounts of hail were spread across the north-eastern half of Floyd County, as the result of boiling storm clouds that set in late Thursday afternoon.

The heaviest rain activity occurred in the area southeast of Lockney on the Silverton highway, as Marble Bros, reported that an inch-and-a-half of rain was received in spite of the fact that at least an inch of hail damaged cotton crops in spots of the area.

In the Baker community, .6 inches of rain was reported, with no hail.

No moisture at all, with the exception of small showers of rain, were reported in the community of Dougherty. In Cedar Hill, .7 inches was

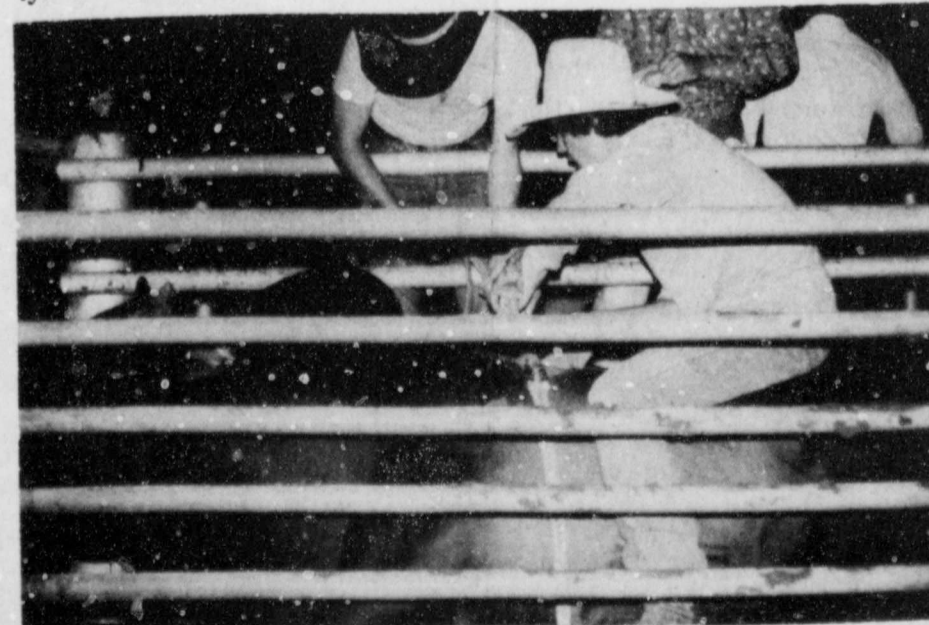
reported, and in the Starkey community, J.E. Waller received some .2 inches.

In Floydada, .7 inches was reported by the Pioneer Natural Gas Company.

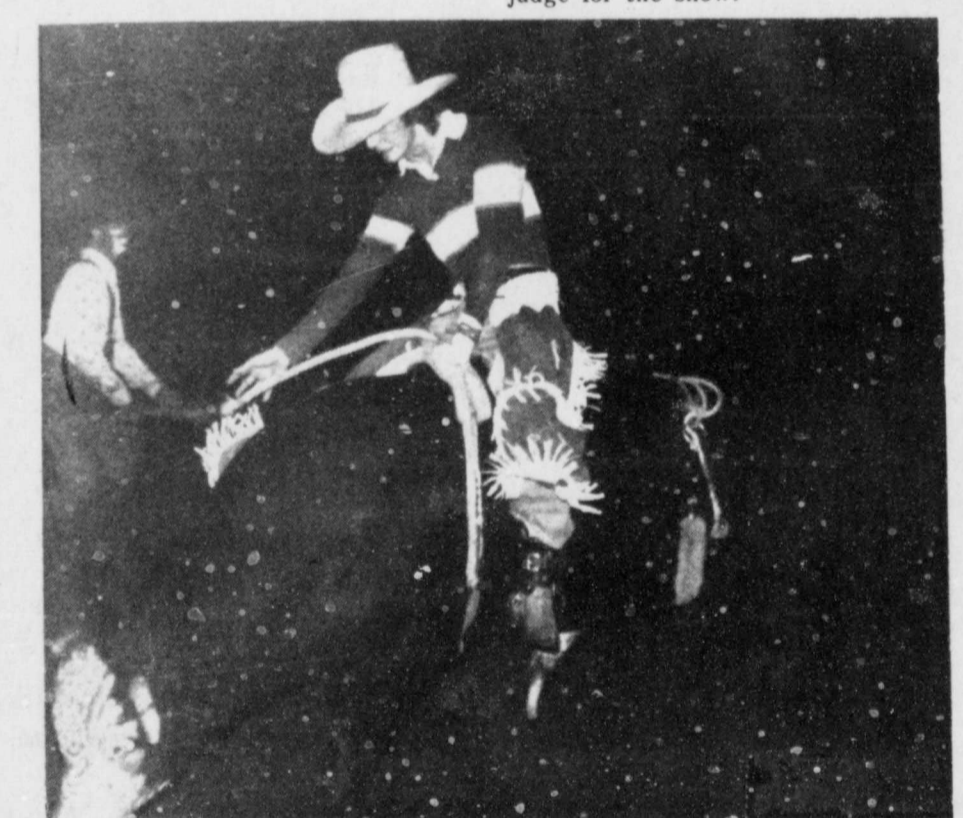
Ten miles east of Floydada Travis J ones received a "beautiful inch of rain" and no hail.

TUESDAY NIGHT

Rain showers, coming in small amounts, were spread out across various sections of Floyd County on Tuesday of this week with heaviest activity occurring 10 miles east of town. Travis J ones reported .2 inches, while the Baker community received three-sixteenths.



TULIA SENIOR BOBBY KEETER was best bull rider Thursday night at the Floydada Rodeo. The Rodeo continues through Saturday night beginning at 8:30 p.m. A rain storm delayed the Thursday night performance. Keeter is a nephew of the Tommy Assiters of Floydada, grandson of C. S. Keeter and nephew of Billy Reagan of Lockney. (Staff Photo).



TULIA'S WARREN COPE hangs onto bucking bull in top photo, he seems to tip his hat as he flies off into space in lower photo. (Staff Photo).

County Hesperian to Plainview to Mr. and Mrs. Horton where a afternoon Mr. Harvey Allen,orman went to and enjoyed a ose from the attending the Mrs. Ollie Meek rnoon, were s. C. H. Wise

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announced Friday had accepted the superintendent in the School District. Superintendent of the for five years. He is a high principal in

STATE 4-H TRAP, SKEET SHOOT TO BE HELD—Some 100 4-H members from throughout Texas are expected to participate in the second annual State 4-H Trap and Skeet Shoot, Aug. 5-6, at the Winchester Public Shooting Center at Fort Worth. The shoot will feature a junior and a senior division, and 4-H'ers may enter either trap or skeet shooting or both. Practice shooting and registration

will be on Aug. 5, with the shoot beginning at 9 a.m. the next day, says a fisheries specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

FLOYD DATA
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardin vacationed the past week in Cloud Creft, New Mex.

Mackenzie Channel Cat Fishing Good

Fishing for channel catfish is good for fish in the 2 1/2 to 4 pound range, according to Texas Wildlife Service. One flathead catfish was caught which weighed 6 pounds. Fishing for bass, crappie, and walleye is slow. The lake is 85 feet deep and still fairly

turbid. Cooper and Haning, contractors from Borger, began work last week on the widening and improving of the

WHEN BUYING A CHAIR, check for comfort and care practicality first, for looks last, says Mrs. Sue

road to Coronado Shores at the lake. Traffic has been restricted on the road since heavy rains May 20.

Young, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.



GENE PRUITT DISPLAYS a 4-pound catfish which was caught at Lake Mackenzie Tuesday. Also caught was an unweighed flathead (Tuesday)

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Matador Receives Water System Loan

AUSTIN (Special) — Financial details of a \$284,000 water development fund loan have been completed with delivery of the funds by the Texas Water Development Board to officials of the Matador Water District.

James M. Rose, executive director of the board, said the loan and a federal grant of \$100,000 will be used to construct facilities to provide an adequate municipal water supply for the City of

Matador. The drilling of two water wells, the construction of supply lines to transport the water into Matador and the construction of ground storage facilities.

"By receiving these funds, over 1,000 citizens of Matador have joined the growing number of Texans realizing direct benefits from Water Development Fund monies," Rose said.

FLOYD DATA

Mrs. Millie Ball of Celina, Mrs. Norma Webster of Bowie and Mrs. Ruby Carmack of Amarillo left Thursday after spending several days in Floydada visiting their sister, Mrs. Ethel Cross and brothers, Jim and Bob Owens and their families.

FOR SEWING, buy it all at once—that's the advice of Mrs. Marlene Odle Kemp, clothing specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Choose pat-

tern and fabric, along with interfacing, thread, zipper, buttons and trim to avoid extra trips to the store. **ACCIDENT CONTROL** Shoes for work, for out-

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the

First National Bank in Lockney of Lockney City

In the state of Texas at the close of business on June 30, 1977 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161

Charter number 14604 National Bank Region Number 11

		Thousands of dollars
		THOUSANDS
ASSETS	Cash and due from banks	1,755
	U.S. Treasury securities	1,500
	Obligations of other U.S. Gov't agencies and corps	300
	Obligations of United States and political subdivisions	1,156
	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	None
	Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	9
	Trading account securities	None
	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,800
	Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	6,976
	Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	268
	Loans, Net	6,708
	Direct lease financing	None
	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	54
	Real estate owned other than bank premises	44
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	None	
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None	
Other assets	231	
TOTAL ASSETS	13,557	
LIABILITIES	Demand deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps	4,654
	Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps	6,597
	Deposits of United States Government	3
	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,036
	Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions	None
	Deposits of commercial banks	40
	Certified and officers' checks	27
	TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS	12,357
	Total demand deposits	5,034
	Total time and savings deposits	7,323
	Total deposits in foreign offices	None
	TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	12,357
	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None
	Liabilities for borrowed money	None
Mortgage indebtedness	None	
Other liabilities	268	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	12,625	
EQUITY CAPITAL	Subordinated notes and debentures	None
	Preferred stock No. shares outstanding None (par value)	
	Common stock a No. shares outstanding 10,000 (par value)	100
	Surplus	200
	Undivided profits	632
	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	None
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	932	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	13,557	
MEMORANDA	Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date	
	Cash and due from banks	1,588
	Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	2,147
	Total loans	6,522
	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices	224
	Total deposits	12,416
	Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None
	Liabilities for borrowed money	None
	TOTAL ASSETS	13,969
	Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)	163
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	224	
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	265	

I, June Bybee Name
Cashier Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

June Bybee Signature
July 22, 1977 Date

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

George A. Sparkman

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FLOYDAD LIGHT POWER

White Sox Lose Tournament To Idalou

The T-Shirt League White Sox went to New Deal Thursday night in hopes of winning the 1st place trophy. In order to do so they had to win over New Deal once and Idalou twice to claim the championship.

The White Sox had no trouble in beating New Deal winning 12-7. J.D. Wilson pitched the first 3 innings

and Damion Pleasant pitched the last three. The White Sox scored 4 runs in the 1st, 6 in the 2nd and 1 each in the 4th and 5th innings. New Deal scored 2 runs in the 1st, 1 in the 3rd, and 2 each in the 5th and 6th. New Deal had 2 hits and White Sox had 3.

After a 30 minute rest the White Sox suffered their second defeat by the strong

Idalou team losing 9-1 settling for the second place trophy. J.D. Wilson again pitched three innings with Gilbert Cedillo in relief.

Idalou scored 3 runs in the 1st, 2 in the 2nd, and 4 in the 4th. Cornelius Campbell scored the only White Sox run in the 4th inning. Idalou had 6 hits and the White Sox 1.

The White Sox team would not have advanced as far as they did without the outstanding pitching of J.D. Wilson of the Cub team and defensive plays of Shannon Barbee and Scott Mankins of the Pirate team who were picked up by the White Sox going into the tournament.

Cornelius Campbell was a standout in tournament play hitting one home run on Monday night, and one Tuesday night. A second home run by Cornelius on Monday night was nullified when he failed to touch home base. Damion Pleasant missed a home run Monday night when he failed to touch third base. Only one more home run was hit during the tournament by a Idalou player in the final game against the White Sox.

The entire White Sox team did their best repre-

senting the Floydada T-Shirt League and deserve the 2nd place trophy.

News & Reviews

Mary C. Crowley is known today as the builder of the home accessory line, Home Interior and Gifts, Inc. This business based in Dallas, Texas now has an annual sales of over \$100 million. Mrs. Crowley attributes her success to her faith and commitment in God. In THINK MINK she tells how as the mother of two young children and the wife of a man who was not able to support his family, she realized that she must do something to supplement the family income. She had grown up under difficult circumstances, living with her grandparents because of the death of her mother and then later going to the home of her father and his new wife. She had acquired a strong sense of determination, and needing money, she put her strong will and limited skills to work to make money. Making a success of a job in the depression was not easy, but Mary was able to get the job and then to surprise her employer and fellow employees by being an excellent saleswoman. She has continued with this attitude toward work throughout her life.

Mrs. Crowley's story, her belief in women, and her faith in God will encourage us to improve our own lives and make a stronger commitment.

We are encouraging parents and children to participate in the SEE AMERICA READING CLUB. Whatever your vacation experience has been this summer, you can enrich it by doing some armchair traveling. Consider reading and looking at the beautiful illustrations in WILDFLOWERS OF AMERICA. Take your children on a nature walk or a picnic and see how many of those flowers grow in our area. New York City is a long way off but you could visit the Statue of Liberty by checking out an historical pamphlet by that title. Visit famous battlefields and other monuments by reading some of these pamphlets.



TURNING electrical plant. Southwestern Public Service engineer left shows Hesperian Wendell Tooley and Floydada manager Clarence Denton. In background is another coal burning plant on the 14th floor of the plant.

Walter Bennett In Germany

Karlruhe, Germany (AHTNC) July 18-Army Staff Sergeant Walter L. Bennett, whose wife, Gwendolyn, lives at 3844 Brambtkon Dr. (sic), Ft. Worth, Tex., recently was assigned as a construction sergeant with the 79th Engineer Battalion in Karlsruhe, Germany.

Sgt. Bennett entered the

MOM AND DAD ARE USUALLY LOVERS, which comes as a surprise to their teenagers, reports Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, System.

Army in June 1966.

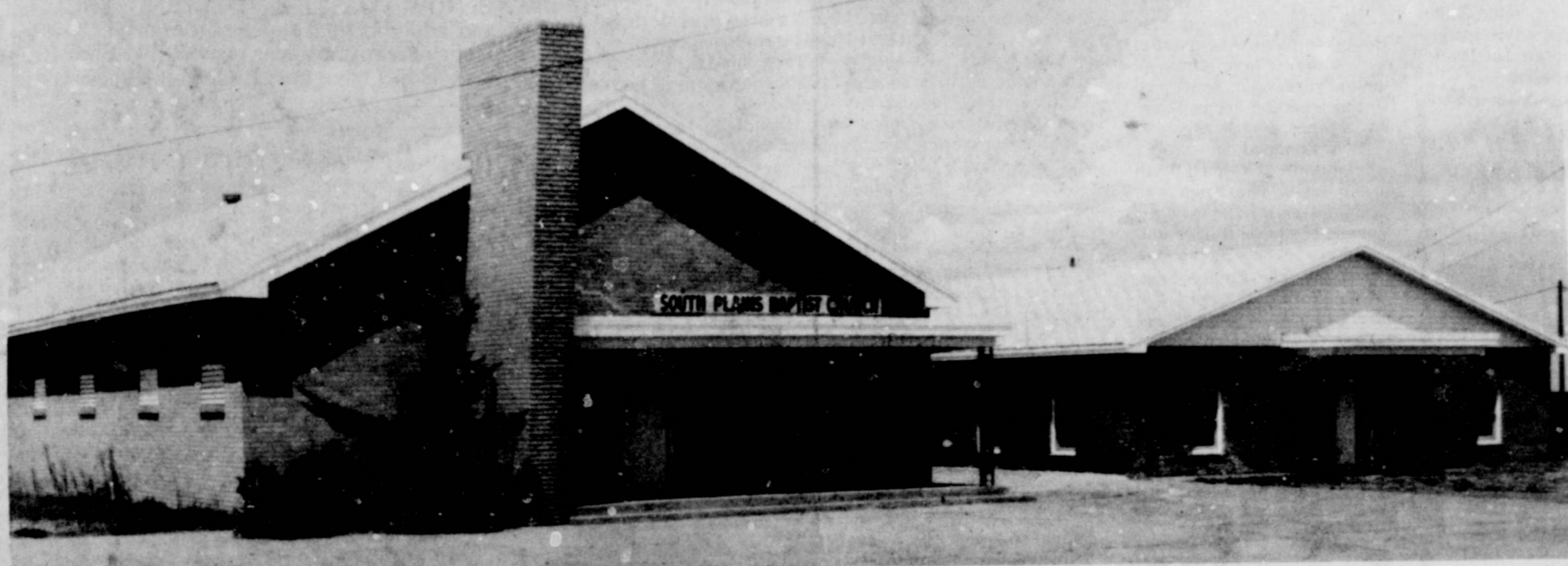
He attended Hartnell University, Salinas, Calif.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bennett, live in Floydada, Tex.

SHOP AROUND FOR A MOVING company, advises Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Ask two or three companies for estimates based on their inventory of your household belongings," the specialist says.

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SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH

- CALVARY BAPTIST**
Rev. Randy Nixon
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 5:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:15 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
- ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Richard Casey, Priest
SUNDAY 11:15 a.m.
- FRIST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**
Ron Pingelton, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
- WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**
Sunday Morning 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Jim Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Fellowship 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.

- FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**
Sunday Morning 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Youth Service .. 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening 8:00 p.m.
Evangelistic 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.
Thursday Womens Missionary 9:00 a.m.
- SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**
Rev. Fred Blake
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
- CARR'S CHAPEL**
Rev. Lee Crouch
Petersburg, Pastor
Services Every Sunday
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
No Evening Services
- VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH**
Emmett Clampitt, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.
- CEDAR HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**
Rev. Jackie Thompson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Service 6:30 p.m.

- NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**
Joe M. Jackson
Sunday Congregational 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
- SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION**
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
- BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**
Lloyd Hamilton, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening Services 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
- NEW HOPE PRIMITIVE**
Beathel Jeffrey, Pastor
2nd Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
- CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**
Melvin Byrd, Minister
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
Ladies Bible Study, Wednesday 9:30 a.m.

- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
F.C. Bradley, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Church Training 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
- CEDAR HILL BAPTIST CHURCH**
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
- THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**
Rev. Robert Rhodabarger
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Sunday Night Youth 7:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m.
- CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
- DOUGHERTY BAPTIST CHURCH**
Jim DeWese, Pastor
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

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Society

Debra Jo Smith, Clinton Fawver

Wed In Garden Setting

In a garden setting at the R.C. Fawver home in Floydada wedding vows were exchanged July 16th by Debra Jo Smith and Clinton Fawver. L.C. Hamilton, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church performed the 6 o'clock p.m. ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jo Smith and Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Fawver all of Floydada.

An ivy entwined archway was the focal point for the wedding scene. Yellow pom poms, accented with yellow bows and white wedding bells graced the arch way built by the groom and placed in front of a pine tree. A white wrought iron loveseat completed the setting.

Recorded selection of "Let It Be Me," "I Have A Dream," "Walk Through The World With Me" and "We've Only Just Begun" were played, and as part of the wedding ring ceremony the song "She Wears My Ring" was played and the bride and groom read poems which the groom had written.

Escorted by her father, the bride paused to present her mother a long stemmed yellow rose, then continued to the wedding scene wearing a floor length dress of ecru, fashioned in loosely woven knit and lined with bridal satin. The gown was bridled with handkerchief sleeves bordered in lace and caught to gather at the high waistline. The bodice featured a V-neckline outlined in lace, and caught to a slightly flared skirt, ruffled at the hem and tied at the back waist with a self sash. Her picture hat of ecru color was accented with a satin ribbon

around the crown and was covered in lace matching the trim of her gown. The hat was made by the bride's mother.

To complete her wedding ensemble she carried a natural colored basket filled with white daisies, blue pom poms, yellow roses and baby's breath. At the wedding altar the bride detached a yellow rose boutonniere from her bouquet and placed it on the label of the groom's wedding attire.

For something old she carried a lace handkerchief belonging to her late grandmother. Something new was her wedding attire and a diamond, ruby and sapphire pendant, a gift from the groom. She borrowed the traditional blue garter from her matron of honor, and wore pennies in her shoes bearing the birthyears of both she and the groom.

Mrs. Joe Lassere Jr., of Lubbock was the bride's attendant, and Phil Lemons of Floydada was best man. Mrs. Lassere wore a floor length peasant style gown of white cotton accented with embroidered pastel flowers. The gathered waistline was fashioned with a blue satin sash and she wore a blue picture hat and carried spring flowers in a blue wicker basket.

As the couple left the wedding scene the bride presented the groom's mother with a long stemmed yellow rose matching the one she gave her mother.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the

home of the groom's parents. Mrs. Roy Rodgers of Crosbyton, Mrs. Phil Lemons and Mrs. Victor Smith, sister in law of the bride presided at the serving table which was covered with an off-white lace cloth over blue. A silver candelabra holding white tapers and blue carnations and yellow daisies formed the centerpiece. A three tiered cake topped with satin wedding bells and decorated in blue and yellow was served from a silver plate. Banana punch was served from a crystal bowl, and coffee was served from the couple's blue and white china, placed on a table covered with a pale yellow cloth with lace trim. A ceramic miniature bride and groom painted by the bride's grandmother was used as the centerpiece.

For their honeymoon to points of interest in New Mexico and Colorado the bride changed to a white jumpsuit trimmed in red with red accessories and a corsage of red carnations. The groom wore a brown and tan western ensemble and a brown western hat, a gift from the bride.

The couple is now at home in Floydada where both are employed.

Attending the wedding from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Latham, Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Donaldson of Grapevine; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lassere Jr., and Nelia of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston and Casey of Smyer, sister of the groom.



LIGHTHOUSE ELECTRIC COOKING SCHOOL GRADUATES participated in a 5-day, 2 1/2 hour per day, cooking school and cookbook, apron, and certificate for graduation. They were (from left to right) Tonya West, Jana Finley, Tammy Reams, and Anita (to r) Shiela Ehler, Christi Norrell, Toni Lester, and Roger Noland.



AND NOW FOR THE FINISHING TOUCH...Charline Noland add the final touches to one of their creations, this cake, one of many services provided at Char-Lee's, of 315 South The two ladies have operated the business together now for (Photo)

Char-Lee's Offers Unique Style Of

Char-Lee's, of 315 South 2nd Street in Floydada, has been in business for only three weeks. But you could say that it has been a very successful tenure for Charline Langley and Sandra Noland, partners in the enterprise, largely due to the selection of catering, decorating, and furnishing offered by the pair.

The gift shop of Char-Lee's offers for sale candles, candle rings, silk flowers, dried flowers and plastic flowers.

The business also provides furnishings for arrangements such as wedding receptions, birthdays, and homes, either for decoration or celebration.

The pair also make their own candles, wedding

cakes, birthday cakes, and party foods. It is not any less expensive to make the products due to the high cost of materials, but Charline claims that this method produces a finer end-product.

The two also cater wedding receptions and even furnish tables, cloths, and dishes.

Charline said that she had varying to her cake service. She has been in the business since 1968.

Jeb Stewart Williamson announces the arrival of a baby sister, Cassye Renea, who was born July 21, weighing 5 lbs. 1 oz. Jeb and Cassye are children of Coach and Mrs. Ronnie Williamson of Dublin, Tex. The mother is the former Juanita Stewart.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Williamson of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Stewart Jr., of Floydada. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McPeak and Mrs. L.B. Stewart Sr., Floydada.

Senior Citizens

Elect Officers

Senior Citizens elected officers at their past meeting, selecting Menard Field as president; Carl Plumlee, vice president; Mrs. Menard Field, treasurer; and Mary Pearl Cowand, secretary.

The group met at Lighthouse Electric last Wednesday with 33 members and five guests present for the program, noon meal and an afternoon of games. Rev.

Randy Nixon, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, brought the devotion in words and songs which were enjoyed by all.

Club voted to accept the

invitation from the Senior Citizens Club at Roaring Springs, to meet with them August 4th. All are to meet at Lighthouse Electric in Floydada on that date at 10 a.m. and go from there in cars as needed.

FLOYDDATA

Mrs. M.S. Thacker and Mrs. H.C. Smith were hostesses at a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Joe M. Thacker Tuesday in the Hemphill-Wells' Tea Room in Lubbock. Mrs. Jettie Moss of Floydada was among those attending.

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Senior members of the Whirlwind Band came together on Monday July 25, for the first of many parties to be held throughout their senior year.

This party was given to present Rusty Sherman, new band director and his family to the senior band students.

Shawnda Heflin and Tamme Chesshir served as hostesses for the party held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Chesshir.

Other senior band members attending were: Sheldon Sue, Adeana Morris, Rickey Strange, Derick Cheek, Roijon Adams, Rosemary Hardin, Atha Blake, Jimmy Finley, Donna Reid, Nancy Moss, Ronnette Kitchens, Melinda Morton, and Clay Hamilton.



PAULA BRYANT

Paula Bryant To Complete

First Year In Nursing

Paula Francyne Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nile Bryant of Floydada, will complete her first year of nursing education August 12, 1977 at Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing in Amarillo. Miss Bryant will complete 36 weeks of college courses and six weeks of Introduction to Nursing August 12, then on August 15 will start the second year of Nursing with the advanced nursing curriculum.

Upon completion of the final phase of nursing Miss Bryant will be a candidate



Mrs. Flora Warren

Mrs. Warren

Honored

On Birthday

Mrs. Flora Warren of Floydada was honored Tuesday, July 26th with a birthday reception held in the Gordon Hambright home. Daughters of the honoree, Mrs. Hambright and Mrs. Y.E. McAdams Jr. of Lubbock hosted the event. A granddaughter, Treva Hambright and Mrs. H. C. Gilly served cake, punch, nuts and mints to those attending.

Her happy 80th birthday were Mmes. Elmer Warren, Wade Warren, Bud Warren, W.M. Jackson, Leo Frizzell, O.K. Custer, Ralph Cogdell, Guy Ginn, Clarence Goins, Olin Watson Jr., Thelma Jones, W. M. Hambright, Ola Warren, Fred Battey, W. O. McNeely, Roy Faw-

ver, A. H. Kreis, O. C. Vinson, T. T. Hamilton, Lorin Leibfried, Leonard Smith, Ina Hammonds, W. C. Sims, Frank Dunn, A. S. Mize, Barbara Koch and children of Crosbyton, Mrs. Gilly, Treva Hambright and the hostess.

for graduation in May, 1979 and eligible to write the State Board Examination in July, 1979.



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Walter Cobb, Silverton admitted 7-14 dismissed 7-25.
Rebecca Yuniza, Plain admitted 7-15 dismissed 7-27.

view admitted 7-14. Baby girl Amy born 7-14 dismissed 7-16.
Ovidia Rubio, Plainview, admitted 7-15 dismissed 7-26.
Hector Mercado, Lockney admitted 7-15 dismissed 7-19.
Josephine Esparza, Dougherty admitted 7-15. Baby boy Mike born 7-15 dismissed 7-17.
Stelle Wilson, Lockney admitted 7-15 dismissed 7-27.

Tempest Phillip, Lockney admitted 7-15 dismissed 7-19.
Linda Rodriguez, Lockney admitted 7-16. Baby boy Leonardo born 7-16 dismissed 7-18.
Teresa Jasso, Crosbyton admitted 7-17. Baby girl Monica born 7-17 dismissed 7-19.
Roxie Workman, Lockney admitted 7-17 dismissed 7-25.
Delia Rubio, Lockney admitted 7-18. Baby boy Mark Anthony born 7-18 dismissed 7-21.
Delia Gutierrez, Plainview admitted 7-19. Baby boy Victor born 7-19 dismissed 7-21.
Susan McHam, Floydada admitted 7-19. Baby boy Andrew born 7-20 dismissed 7-22.
Rebecca Childers, Floydada admitted 7-23. Baby boy Shane Lee born 7-23 dismissed 7-25.

Christina Pequeno, Petersburg admitted 7-22 dismissed 7-23.
Lucille Willis, Floydada admitted 7-25 dismissed 7-26.
V.W. Bradshaw, Floydada admitted 7-25 continues care.
Bob Vickers, Dougherty admitted 7-20 dismissed 7-25.
Katie Lady, Lockney admitted 7-22 dismissed 7-25.
Grace Colson, Lockney admitted 7-22 dismissed 7-26.

Luerany Hunter, Quitaque admitted 7-26 continues care.
Mattie Snalley, Lockney admitted 7-28 continues care.
Rosalinda De La Fuente, Floydada admitted 7-27 continues care.
Fay Perkins, Silverton admitted 7-27 continues care.
Felicia Louise Applewhite, Lockney admitted 7-26 continues care.

STATE 4-H DOG SHOW

The 7th annual State 4-H Dog Show will be held at the Jackson Middle School in San Antonio on Aug. 13. Entries will be checked in from 8 to 9 a.m. and judging will begin at 10 a.m. 4-H members wishing to participate should send their entries to the Bexar County Extension Office by Aug. 1.

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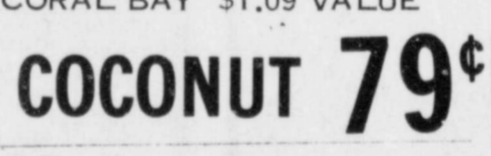
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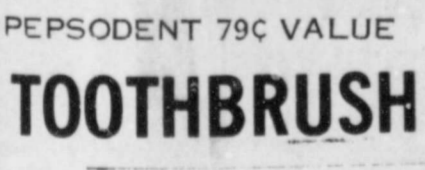
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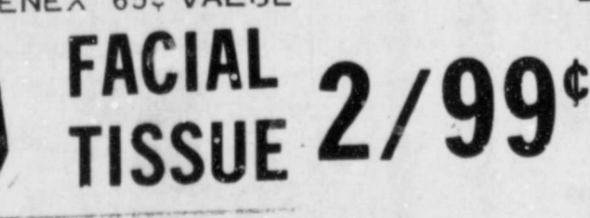
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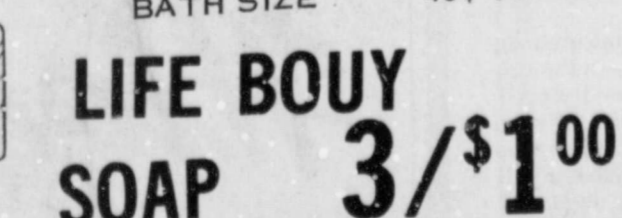
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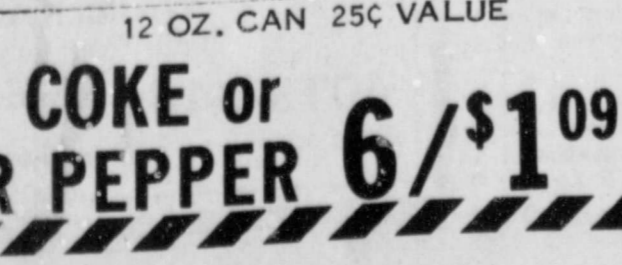
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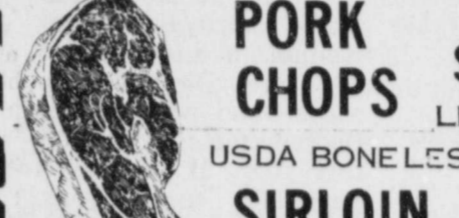
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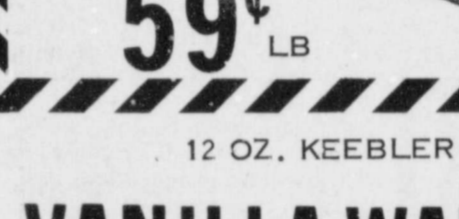
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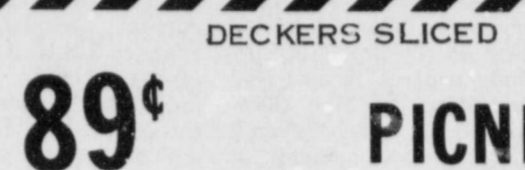
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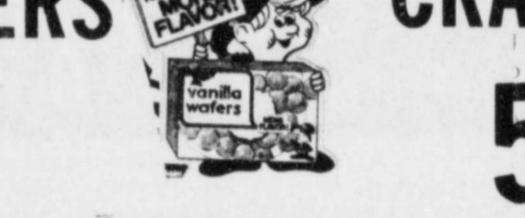
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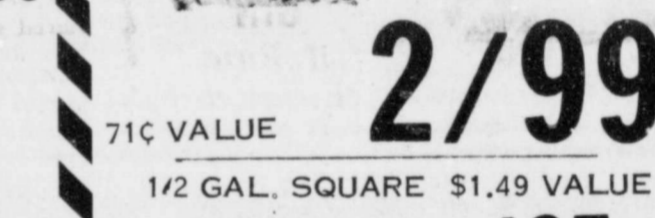
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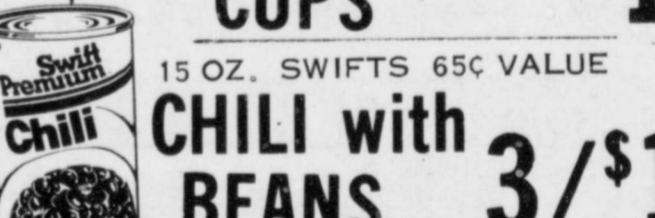
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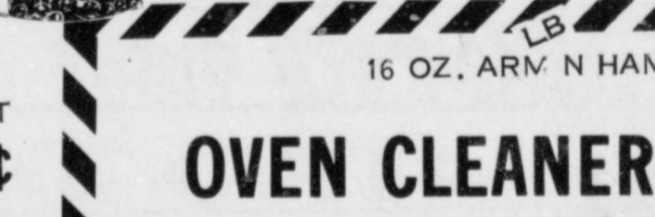
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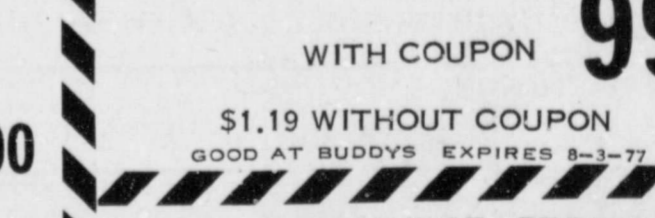
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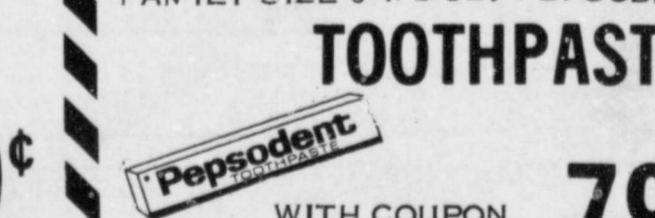
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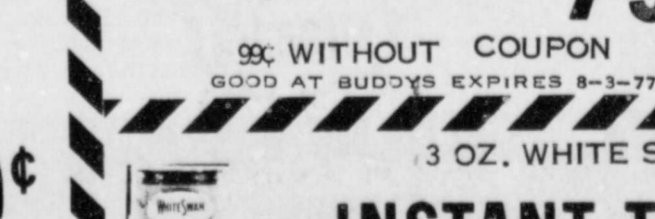
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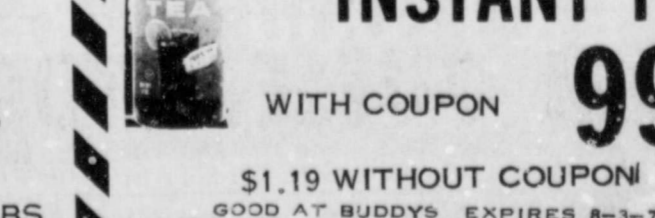
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Clay Hamilton Wins First For 4-H Record Book

LUBBOCK—Thirty-four 4-H record books were named the best in their division in district level competition as a result of record book judging Monday (July 25) in Lubbock. The winning books now will be forwarded to Texas A&M University for state judging.

Clay Hamilton of Floydada won first place in his records for sheep in the Senior Division. His record book will now 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-Hers are competing for scholarships, plaques, government bonds, a trip to the national 4-H congress in November

and other awards.

Other Floyd County 4-Hers entering records and winning in the senior division were Darlene Broseh, third in clothing and Byron Brock, fourth in beef.

In District 2 record book judging, South Plains 4-Hers 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, photos and other pertinent information.

Also judged during the event were junior record books. Blue, red and white ribbons were awarded for

these entries. Juniors placing first from Floyd County included: Earl Broseh-Sheep; Shawnda Brock-Clothing; Jill Whitill-Dress Revue. Kyle Brock placed second in Beef.

In addition, the record book for Kenneth Broseh, 4-H adult leader from Floyd County, received honors in Alumni Recognition. Broseh, current president of the District 2 4-H Adult Leaders' Association, is a previous state winner in this category, and his records will be forwarded for national consideration.

The 4-H program in Texas is administered by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. According to Billy C. Gunter and Catherine B.

Crawford, district agents for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, record book competition is the critical measurement of achievements of these youth over the years. Records reveal their consistency in achieving goals, their experience in 4-H projects and activities, their experiences in leadership development, and their growth and development in personal, community and civic responsibilities.

WEED CONTROL

ELECTS DIRECTORS

IN THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the Board of Directors, Kenneth Wofford District-at-Large was elected chairman of the Board, E.P. Pritchett was elected vice chairman, the remaining Directors are John T. (Buster) Terrell Precinct 2 #, Edwin Nutt Precinct 1# and Kenneth Willis Precinct 4#. The District has made good progress in the treating of bindweed this year. If you have bindweed that needs treating please contact the District Office.

The smallest breed of dog is the Chihuahua from Mexico. It weighs from two to four pounds when fully grown, but some "miniature" specimens weigh only 16 ounces.

is \$10.00, and the Festival collects 10% of the first \$600 in sales.

These new booths are expected to fill rapidly. They will be assigned on the basis of postmark of application and media of the artist. Interested persons should apply immediately.

TDA Responsibilities Many, Commissioner Brown Discovers

AUSTIN--Texas Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown may have to get a bigger hatrack.

As he has discovered in the three months since he became head of the Texas Department of Agriculture, running such a many-faceted organization often requires him to wear at least two hats. And sometimes it helps to have a few more on hand.

"Despite my close association with the Department for over 25 years, when I came into this job I had little idea of the total scope of its services," Brown stated. "I found that every Texan is affected by some aspect of our work every day of his life."

"Over 53 per cent of our budget goes for consumer services," Brown said. "There are still many benefits for the farmer, but most of our programs have a dual service role for the producer and the consuming public."

As an example, Brown stated, checking for possible pesticide residue on vegetables and fruit before harvest protects the farmer from losses. But at the same time, "this testing assures shoppers that they are not buying pesticide-contaminated produce if it comes from Texas fields," Brown said.

From certifying and registering seed to grading services on some harvested produce, the Department is involved in production. "We often have to extend our services beyond the regulations we are mandated to administer," Brown stated.

Anytime Snack: Fruit Leather

Fruit leather is all-occasion, so take it along on picnics, camping trips, to the pool for a snack, or use it at home in beverages and desserts.

Fruit leather is dried fruit made by pureeing fruit, adding citrus juice (and sugar, if it's tart)—and drying it, says Mary K. Sweeten, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Leather lasts—for up to 30 weeks—at a room temperature of 70 degrees or less. It may also be stored for years in the freezer or for months in the refrigerator.

"Fruit leather is also the best way to save overripe fruit," she says.

Former Floyd County Deputy Sheriff Of Carson County

PANHANDLE (Spe)-The deputy at Groom who ran a close race for sheriff in the last election was named to the office yesterday by the Carson County commissioners.

Connie Reed, 57, who had served in the Groom area five years for the sheriff's department, will become sheriff Aug. 1 and serve an unexpired term through Dec. 31, 1978.

Reed replaces Frank Whitehead, who resigned from the office this week. Whitehead said he plans to devote full time to his ranching interests in Wheeler County.

Whitehead, who had served as deputy sheriff in the White Deer area before his election as sheriff last November, had recommended Reed for the post.

Carson County Judge Clarence Williams said eight applications were considered yesterday by the commissioners. He said the court

felt that Reed was the best qualified for the job. "He also had very strong support from the Groom area."

Reed served as a deputy

FOR FARMERS

Commodity Marketing Course

A complete 15 hour course in commodity marketing for Floyd County producers and agribusinessmen will be presented from August 22 to September 6. The seminar is being sponsored by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce Agriculture Committee.

The course will be conducted in five nightly sessions of three hours each at the Texas Engineering Extension Service building on East Highway 70 in Floydada.

Dates of the seminar are Monday, August 22; Thursday, August 25; Monday, August 29; Thursday, September 1; and Tuesday, September 6. Each session will be from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Course instructor will be Shelby

Texas Farmers and Ranchers Give Viewpoints at Hearings

AUSTIN—Rural farm and ranch owners were well-represented at the public hearings held July 7-8 by the House Public Education Committee at the state Capitol. The hearings immediately preceded the special session of the Texas Legislature which convened July 11, and were held to gain citizen input on the pending education bills.

Texas Agriculture

Commissioner Reagan V. Brown termed the turnout "very encouraging" and said he is pleased rural farmers and ranchers are making their voices heard in state government.

"These people came down here with the express purpose of letting their legislators know how they feel on the rising cost of taxes on their farmland," Brown said, "and the testimony given should certainly make some people listen."

"It's very valuable to hear how the individual just trying to make a living off his land feels about the decision-making that will have such an impact on him," Brown stated.

The main topic on the agribusinessmen's minds was property taxes. Several spoke out on the rising tax valuations placed on farmland, and many testified that taxes often exceed the total value of products grown on the land.

Some of the department's activities are aimed directly toward maintaining conformity with weights and measures standards, under which all commerce operates.

"Our inspectors check eggs to see that they meet grade standards; antifreeze is analyzed for content and thousands of scales in supermarkets, dime stores, public warehouses and even drug stores are tested for accuracy," Brown noted.

"Our grain inspectors measure the giant elevators from the High Plains to the Rio Grande Valley."

Brown added that the Department sometimes receives rather unusual requests.

"We even had to count the number of Tootsie Rolls in a package one time to satisfy a consumer complaint," Brown recalled.

He also noted that nursery inspections benefit the grower who plants 500 orange trees as well as the apartment dweller who buys a hanging plant for the window.

Although the Department devotes much time and money to consumer services, Brown emphasized that "our main goal is to increase profits for Texas farmers and ranchers."

"And that's a pretty tall order any day," he said.

in Floyd County and was also a city policeman for the towns of Lockney and Floydada. He is married to the former Flois Cunningham daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cunningham of Lockney. The couple has four children, one of whom is Mrs. Randy Bertrand of Floydada.

EDUCATION HEARINGS—Marcelo

farm near Del Valle, Texas along with Thaxton, testifies during House Committee public hearings July 7-8 who was joined by several other throughout the state, said she strongly tax burden placed on agricultural and other taxing bodies. She commended agricultural production can no longer revenue to meet these obligations market value.

Thursday evening in a nursing home at Elkhart, Texas near Palestine. He was laid to rest beside the grave of his father, J. J. Thomas of Floydada who died in 1955. Moore-Rose Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Before his death, Thomas had been a resident of the

Graveside services were held Saturday afternoon in Floydada Cemetery at 2 o'clock, July 30, for James Henry Thomas, 71, who died

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Running Water Arts And Crafts Show October 14-16

The 1977 edition of the Running Water Draw Arts and Crafts Festival opens October 14-16 at the Hale County Agricultural Center in Plainview, Texas. Co-sponsored by the Plainview Rotary Club and Llano Estacado Museum, the event has already attracted more than 100 talented artists and craftsmen from Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma.

Because of this overwhelming participation, Festival director Rob Strong has announced the addition of twenty-four more booths in a room immediately adjacent to the main exhibit area of the Ag Center. Anyone interested in being considered for participation should write to him for information and application forms in care of Llano Estacado Museum, Plainview, Texas 79072.

All applications are juried by a standards committee and only handcrafted items are accepted. The booth fee

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Mrs. Ericson's future home will couple the best of two eras. "There is a lot behind us that we need to go back to . . . and our modern conveniences are irreplaceable," the longtime nutritionist explains. She adds that "everything will be natural and rustic" in the ranch style structure.

For example, the kitchen will feature a wood burning stove as well as an electric range and a microwave oven. "Some type of wood burning stove" is envisioned for each room of the dwelling, which the owner describes as "really a small house." All mesquite wood dredged from the site is being retained for fuel.

TECH PROFESSOR DESIGNS HOUSE

Dr. Ernest Keisling, chairman and professor of the Civil Engineering Department at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, and his associates are designing the solar home. This is being used as a residential developments and

environmental services project by the group.

Dr. Keisling has completed four solar residences -- including his own -- in Lubbock and has another under construction. Contractors who have built the Lubbock solar-energy houses will construct Mrs. Ericson's future home.

The owner emphasizes that this is "not a pushed project," and the residence is not expected to be completed until early 1978. Dr. Keisling and his associates (TTU graduate students) plan to conduct additional experiments as the project progresses.

COVERED POOL, TROPICAL GARDEN

A "covered swimming pool,"

surrounded by a tropical garden, will be under the same roof as the solar house. The pool and garden also are to be heated by the sun's rays transformed into energy. Mrs. Ericson anticipates having orchids among the tropical foliage growing in her unique garden.

This still is not the end of her plans. She hopes to develop a seven-acre wildlife park and to have a windmill near her future home, from which she will have a view of her beloved Blanco Canyon in any direction. She explains that this immediate area is the "widest point" of the canyon.

Mrs. Ericson desires to share the

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"have envisioned a solar house since publicity on solar homes was first released."

Stanley Ericson, who succumbed earlier this year, and his wife desired to build their home in Blanco Canyon -- where roots of the Hank Smith family sink deep -- although they were residents of Darien, Connecticut, until last year.

Prior to his retirement, Ericson was chief labor negotiator for American Telephone and Telegraph. His wife went East soon after becoming the youngest person ever to graduate from Texas Tech University. Her chosen vocation lured her away from West Texas.

The former George W. Smith residence was occupied by the couple last year. When her unique, new house is completed, Mrs. Ericson will utilize the old residence as a guest house.

ELECTRICITY 'BACKUP'

While Mrs. Ericson is venturing into the field of solar energy, she explains that "we will have electricity as a backup source of power."

She notes that Dr. Keisling plans to install energy collectors at ground level for heating and cooling the ranch house. Roof collectors are

anticipated to service the pool and garden. Underground installations are envisioned "around the house, with southern exposures."

Additional information about the scientific aspects of the solar system are anticipated to be released later by Dr. Keisling.

Work on the novel house is described as a "joint effort." Barton Land Improvement Co. is in charge of clearing the plot; Texas Tech is, of course, deeply involved; Crosby County Pump is drilling the well; officials of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative are working closely with the project; and South Plains Telephone is providing phone service. In order to keep the project "as local as possible," Mrs. Ericson notes that "as much employment as possible will be from Crosbyton."

OLD AND NEW

Despite the ultra-modern concept of utilizing the sun's rays for heating and cooling the residence, reflections of yesteryear keep occurring in the project.

Blanco Canyon originally was "Indian's land." A Comanche burial ground is situated one mile northwest of the future Ericson residence.

Operating the bulldozer for Dick Barton in clearing the site was Max Aumada . . . a full blood Cherokee Indian residing in Rotan.

In response to a statement by Mrs. Ericson that Blanco Canyon -- also the home of her cousins, Billy Kirk and Viola Brown -- once was the redman's land, Aumada quickly responded: "I like it the way it is now."

"Now" in Georgia Mae Smith Ericson's future home will be solar heating and a pot bellied stove!

Letter To The Editor

Dear Sir:

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Last Thursday July 21, I was at my farm southeast of Floydada about 2:30 p.m. I was out of my car looking at my cotton and saw there was a cloud building up just south. There was a single wing plane doing some spraying just over the hill south spraying east to west and I was watching him as he cut off the chemical and made wonderful turns over the Hammond land. It brought back memories of when I was younger and made many low flying turns like he was doing.

As I watched him going east, the wind from the cloud suddenly got very strong. Then all of a sudden I was hit in the face by what I thought was a swarm of bees and I felt my face and there was nothing but whiskers and old age there.

Then the sting stopped and my face began to swell so I knew I had better get to a doctor. By the time I came to the store, my lips had turned large and outside. I couldn't open my mouth and my jaws looked like I had the mumps on both sides and my gums had swollen over my false teeth where I couldn't open my mouth.

As I came in the store, Marilyn said, "Mark is that you?" And Lowell who has had emergency training picked up the phone and called Mary at the doctor's office and told her something had happened to me and get Dr. Guthrie as we were coming over.

When Old Codger came in he said, "what are you allergic to now?" He gave me a shot and told me I had better go home and put an ice pack on my face and after about three hours I felt my teeth come loose and the next morning I was alright.

All I know is, it was not the pilot's fault of the single wing plane. It was just a strong wind change and I know these changes of wind hit the pilot with a bang as I have been there many times in the past. I would only suggest when there is a cloud coming up and a plane is in the air don't be caught with the plane between you and the cloud for it might be serious as some insecticides are very dangerous.

Sincerely Yours,
Mark Martin



GEORGIA MAE ERICSON drags away a piece of mesquite from the site of her future solar energy home. Her ranch house in Blanco Canyon will feature both solar heating and wood burning stoves.

residence with others in the community where she was reared.

"I hope the house can be used by the town; I also want to continue the hospitality of the Aunt and Uncle Hank Smith family."

DREAM OF SISTER

She adds that the house is "also a dream of my sister," the late Evelyn Lowrie. Questioned about what created an interest in a solar residence, Mrs. Ericson says she and her late husband, Stanley,

once rode the canyon plateau, appeared in preparation of Crosby solar heated and

cooled home. Georgia Mae Ericson looks over the site of her future residence, which is being cleared by Max Aumada [on bulldozer] and

Dick Barton. The road running to the fabled Hank Smith Rock House, built by Mrs. Ericson's grandparents, lies to the west.

child believed born in North America was Snorro, born in 1007 in the Vinland.

FARM SAFETY WEEK--National Farm Safety Week is July 25-31, with the theme, "Safety Is a Good Investment." The theme emphasizes that in addition to saving lives and preventing injuries, a small investment in accident prevention may prevent larger insurance and medical costs, equipment damage, and associated production loss expenses involving lack of labor and equipment or time delays resulting from accidents, says a safety engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.



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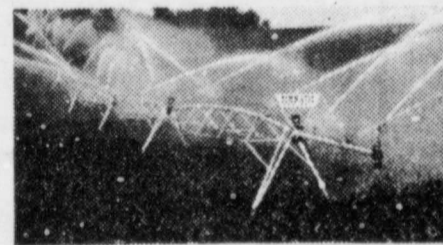
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Each of these advertised items is required to be readily available for sale at or below the advertised price in each store, except as specifically noted in this ad.

<p>Heavy Aged Beef No Waste, Family Pack, CHUCK</p> <h2>Boneless Steak</h2> <h1>\$1.18</h1> <p>Lb.</p>	<p>Fresh,</p> <h2>Ground Beef</h2> <h1>68¢</h1> <p>Lb.</p>	<p>U.S. No. 1</p> <h2>Russet Potatoes</h2> <h1>99¢</h1> <p>10-Lb. Bag</p>
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Farmer Jones



Sliced Bacon

\$1.19

12-oz. Pkg.

Arrow Briquets

Charcoal

White

Paper Plates

Plains

Yogurt

10-Lb. Bag

89¢

100-Ct. Pkg.

79¢

8-oz. Ctn.

3/\$1.00

Tree Rip

California Peaches

39¢


Owens Country Style Farm Fresh



Roll Sausage

\$1.59

1-Lb. Bag (2-lb. Bag \$3.17)




Powdered

Cheer Detergent

99¢

49-oz. Box



Piggly Wiggly

Ice Cream

99¢

1/2-Gal. Ctn.



Sweet Corn

10¢

Farmer Jones



Jumbo Franks

89¢

1-Lb. pkg.

Sinus Medicine

Sine-Off

First Aid Spray

Medi-Quick

Revlon Plus, Balsam & Protein Instant Hair

Conditioner

PLAINS

Sour Cream

Meat Spread

Spam

Piggly Wiggly Fabric

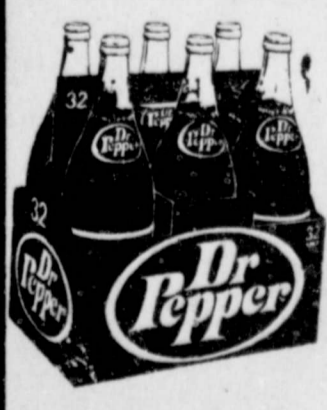
Softener

El Chico, All Varieties

Mexican Dinners

49¢

13-oz. Pkg.



6-32 oz. Bottle Carton
Regular or Diet

Dr Pepper

\$1.39

Plus Deposit

OLD PAL

Dog Food

8 \$1


15-oz. Cans

Strained Fruits & Vegetables
Heinz

Baby Food

8 \$1

4 1/2-oz. Jars



Eggs

59¢

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