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City, Hospital, School Board Elections Saturday



HARVEY ALLEN



PAUL WESTBROOK



JOHNEY WEST



JERRY BATTEY



JUNE WARE

By Wendell Tooley
Voters will go to the polls Saturday to select members for the Caprock Hospital Board, City Council and Floydada School Board.

Possibly most interest will be shown in the school board election where five persons seek two vacancies on the board. The school board term is three years. President of the board Gene Arwine chose not to seek re-election, but board member Harvey Allen wants to serve another term.

Allen says in seeking re-election, "I feel that my past experience enables me to better serve on the board, and I think I can be of service another term." Allen is Material Clerk for Lighthouse Electric Cooperative.

Others seeking election to the board include homemaker June Ware, farmer Jerry Battey, Floydada Nursing Home owner Paul Westbrook and farmer Johnney West.

The election is from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. Saturday in the Floyd County Courthouse. Clarence Guffee is election judge. There were 19 absentee ballots Tuesday morning.

Caprock Chat

By Wendell Tooley

CONGRATULATIONS to the Lighthouse Electric Cooperative on the merger of Lighthouse and Hall County Electric. This is quite an achievement of business and service for all of us here.

The assets will total \$1 million and the board will be made up of nine persons.

At the annual meeting April 22 we will hear more details about the merger. Lighthouse manager Alton Johnson tells me there are some power peaks as the area is irrigated and the area receives a greater electricity other times of the

Kendrick farm southeast of Lakeview will probably undergo installation of a pump next week by the Reserve Oil and Gas Company.

Hopefully, we can find out production on it later.

No one seems to know the future of the well five miles east of Lakeview that was reportedly flowing 200 barrels a day. There is no pump, no activity around this site.

WE REJOICE WITH the folk at First Assembly of God on the completion and dedication of their new sanctuary Sunday. Doubtless they have all worked many hours on it and we should all join them in celebration and thanksgiving Sunday.

REMEMBER, if you want to vote May 6, register before April 6.

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN IN JAIL?...probably not. Might be, that you should visit the jail. It would help you form an opinion at this time about how you want your money spent. You may want a new jailhouse. You may want it to receive a remodeling job. You may want to see as little spent as possible to meet state jail standards.

I doubt that we need a "Visit Your Jail Week," but individually you may want to go have a look.

School Board Elections

Saturday At Dougherty

And South Plains

School board elections at Dougherty and South Plains schools will be held from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. Saturday.

At South Plains Tommy Scaff and Ira Henderson seek election and Fred Marble will be a write-in candidate.

At Dougherty James Cage is seeking election and since no other person filed for election, a write in vote will be necessary to determine the other needed board member.

Lighthouse Electric And Hall County

Electric Announce Merger Agreement

An announcement made by Cecil Baxter, President of the Board of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, stated the assets and facilities of Hall County Electric Cooperative, headquartered in Memphis, Texas, would be merged with Lighthouse Electric Cooperative.

This action was followed by several months of talks and financial and engineering studies involving the directors of the two systems and action approving the transfer by the members of Hall County Electric.

"We feel this is an outstanding opportunity for the members of Lighthouse and Hall County and will result in economic stability of rates in the

future because of the diversity of loads in the area, better utilization of equipment, and enhance the ability of the cooperative to maintain a sound financial foundation," Mr. Baxter stated. The larger cooperative will be headquartered in Floydada, with branch service office facilities in Memphis.

This consolidation of Hall County Electric Cooperative with Lighthouse Electric Cooperative will result in the addition of 1,500 meters and 1,200 miles of line in Hall, Motley, Briscoe, Collingsworth, Cottle, Donley, Childress, and Floyd Counties. Lighthouse now serves 5,371 meters and 2,417

miles of line in Hale, Swisher, Briscoe, Motley, Floyd, Crosby, and Dickens Counties. With the consolidation Lighthouse Electric Cooperatives will become one of the larger rural electric systems in Texas.

Center Meeting

Board members of Community Action Multi-Purpose Service Center have scheduled a meeting for Monday night, April 3 at 7:30 in Della Plaines School.

All members are urged to attend.

Livestock Show Association Meeting

The annual meeting of the Floyd County Junior Livestock Show Association will be held tonight, Thursday, March 30 at 7:30 p.m. in Lighthouse Electric community room in Floydada.

Business to be conducted includes election of board members for 1979 and a representative of this newspaper will be present to take a picture of the board.

Whirlettes Sweep Tiger Relays

By Doug Simpson
Coach Linden Weese's varsity Whirlette tracksters collected an impressive total of 154 points and four first place medals en route to the championship of the Tiger Relays last Saturday at Frenship.

The victory marked a tremendous improvement over the previous week (a 6th place performance) and was characterized by Floydada's ability to produce points through its depth.

The spring relay team, composed of Donnette Williams, Carmen Coleman,

Jaine Guest, and Sylvia Coleman achieved second place with a time of 53.8.

The 880 Relay and Mile relay squads also captured 3rd and 2nd places, respectively.

Jaine Guest, Kim Curry, and Rosemary Barnes accounted for the first place finishes. Guest, by virtue of a 12.0 timing in the 80-yard low hurdles notched the top medal, as Kim Curry captured first place in the shot put with a 39 feet, 2 inch effort.

Barnes collected firsts in the high jump and triple

jump events. The sophomore trackster leaped 4 feet, 8 inches in the high jump and jumped 33-7 in the long jump to account for her success.

Barnes also achieved second place in the 440-yard dash with a 1:10.5 clocking. Donnette Williams finished second in the 100-yard dash at a time of 12.7 seconds, while capturing 3rd

place in the long jump with a leap of 15'10"

Curry was followed in the shot put by teammate Paula Ratliff in second place.

Curry and Ratliff also

outdistanced competitors in the discus by finishing 1-2.

Curry's 110-0 1/2 effort topped top honors and Ratliff's 98' 1/2" throw achieved second.

VFW Officer

Election

All members of the VFW are urged to attend a meeting April 4 at 8 p.m. in the Floydada VFW Hall.

Purpose of the meeting is to elect officers.

Dedication First Assembly Of God Sanctuary Sunday

The public is invited to the formal dedication of the new First Assembly of God sanctuary Sunday, April 2.

The new brick sanctuary is accented First Assembly of God on the complete overall size is 42 x 87 feet. It was built on the 36 x 62 educational area at the north side.

Members have worked over a year

on the structure.

PROGRAM

Sunday School will be at 9:45 a.m., morning worship is at 11 a.m. under the direction of Rev. H. E. Smithey. District Superintendent Haskell Rogers will officiate at the dedication service in the afternoon.

There will be a covered dish luncheon at noon and the dedication service is at 2 p.m. Rev. Ralph Staggs will be in charge of the evening service which begins at 6 p.m.

Host pastor G. A. Van Hoose invites everyone to attend the dedication and enjoy the special music, speakers and worship.



WHIRLETTE TRACK SQUAD...pictured with Frenship meet trophy won last Saturday in the... (l to r) Beverly Coleman, Donnette Williams, Paula Ratliff, Regina Baker, Kim Curry, Caren... (Staff Photo)



FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD SANCTUARY DEDICATION is Sunday, everyone is invited to the many services for the day. (Staff Photo)

Shower Honors Miss Kris Adams

Miss Kris Adams, bride-elect of Ron Marr, was the honoree at a shower Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. B. J. Terrell in the Lone Star community.

Miss Adams, Mrs. Terrell, and Mrs. Tom Marr, mother of the prospective groom, greeted the guests. They wore corsages of white daisies tied with yellow tulle and satin.

Refreshments of cake squares and yellow punch were served by Mrs. Tony Ford (sister of the prospective groom) and Mrs. Gary Marr (the prospective groom's sister-in-law). The serving table centerpiece was a formal arrangement of yellow and white daisies in a crystal compote. The table was covered with white lace over a yellow floor-length cloth.

Mrs. Ken Watson assisted

in displaying the gifts. Hostesses were Mmes. Royce Hillman, R. V. Webster, A. L. Bigham, F. L. Montandon, Henry Sue, Tom Duvall, Glenn Cooper, Dub Mercer, Jane Beedy, Earl Kellison, Verner Hodel, A. T. Moore, Jack Frizzell, T. L. Hulcy and Jeff Terrell.



Tom and Cheryl Essex are the parents of their first child, a baby girl named Heather Rae, born Friday March 24th, and weighing 9 1/2 lbs. The Essexes are residents of Calallen (Near Corpus Christi). He coached here for several years before going to Calallen and his wife was a 4th grade teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Branam of Plainview are the parents of their first child, a son named Joshua Troy, born last Tuesday, March 21. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Branam of Bella Vista, Arkansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fuller of Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Childers of Lockney are great-grandparents.

FLOYD DATA
Lynn Marler is reported to be in a stable condition in the intensive care unit of Lubbock Methodist Hospital where she underwent surgery for an aneurysm on Tuesday.

FLOYD DATA
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lyles of Brownfield were among weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lyles.

WELCOME!

Chamber Commerce Women Make

Final Plans For Annual Fete

Final plans for the annual spring salad supper and style show, sponsored by the Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce were made Monday night at a regular meeting of the group. The event will take place in Duncan Elementary School cafeteria Monday, April 10 at 7 p.m.

Chairmen of committees for the style show are hospitality, Louise Turner; publicity, Linda Matsler; door prizes, Rebecca Henry; and store models, Ilene Kendrick, Kathy Burk, and Leanne Neeley. Emcee will be Mrs. Sarah Sanders.

Treasurer Sue Moore reported that receipts from the Miss Floydada Pageant were \$624 with expenses of \$395, which included the \$100 scholarship given to the winner. She also reported a membership of 80 in the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce.

Joy Denton, chairman of the sale of Floydada's official shrub, the Crepe Myrtle,

reported the flowering shrubs will be available for sale after April 19, for \$2.50 each. They will be firebird red in color and will be delivered inside the city limits by Chamber members, COD.

Deadline for nominations of "First Lady of the Year" is Monday, April 3. All chamber members are encouraged to send in a name of a woman of high character, qualified and recognized in her field, and an asset to this area, to the Women's Division of Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 291, Floydada, 79235. When nominating someone, please include degrees, outstanding abilities, recognition received, etc. which may qualify her for this award. This recognition of an outstanding woman is sponsored by the Alpha Mu Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. This award is recognized through the International Office of BSP in Kansas City, Missouri.

Friendship Night Set By Eastern Star Chapter

Eastern Star members will hold Friendship Night Friday, March 31st starting with a covered dish supper at 6 p.m. at Masonic Hall in Floydada. Twenty-five area Eastern Star Chapters have been sent invitations to attend.

During the program members with 25, 35, 45 and 50 years of service will be honored.

All Eastern Star members are urged to attend.

FLOYD DATA
Mrs. J. W. Day Jr., and daughter, Cindy, who teaches in McCamay, spent Easter Sunday with the Murrell Stephens in Lubbock. J. W. continues to recuperate in Lubbock Methodist Hospital where he had corrective surgery on an ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Public And Children

You are invited to a Tea at your Floyd County Library, April 3, 1978 2:30 p.m.-5

FLOYD DATA
Mrs. J. R. Kemp of Lubbock spent several days here last week and through the Easter weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Gregory and family.

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FLOYD DATA
Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hopkins of Lubbock were weekend guests of his sister, Mrs. Jack Henry.

FLOYD DATA
Sue Cross of Canadian was here for the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Nola Bishop and other relatives.



FHA BAKE-OFF WINNERS...Front row (l to r) Kara Copeland, Darla Lisa Noland; (Back row l to r) Cindy Chambliss, Lori Bice, Cindy Patton, Bonnie Johnson, FHA teacher Mrs. A. E. Baker.

Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Dorothy Neff
We would like to thank Joy Denton and Faye Bertrand for the nice scraps they brought. Also "thanks" to Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Clark of the Nazarene Church for the boxes of Easter candy. The residents enjoyed it very much.

We're proud to have Green Bostick back again. He spent several days in the Matador hospital, but is doing fine now.

March is about gone and April is just around the corner. We have Tuesday, April 11 marked off for our next noon buffet, so plan now to join your loved one for the meal.

Our hearts were deeply saddened last week by the death of aunt Dora Langford. Aunt Dora was very active in all our activities and we will miss her very much.

Dessie Turner brought us three bottles of nail polish, a package of thumb tacks and a package of needles. "Thanks" Dessie.

Our bingo winners last week were Agnes Anderson, Clara Williamson, Pearl Carrick with two games each, and Willie Stambaugh, Ray Reed, and Victoria Asher with one each.

Everyone enjoyed the Easter party last week. We served chocolate chip cookies with punch.

p.m. in recognition of National Library Week. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Carol Cogdell Phi Beta

Kappa Member

Mary Baldwin College's Lambda chapter of Phi Beta Kappa has elected Jonnie Carol Cogdell as one of eleven new members for 1978. Jonnie, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cogdell, Jr. of Lockney, Tex. has remained an Honors List student during the entire period of her studies at the college and participated in Mary Baldwin's 1975 visit to the United Nations. She is an Economics and Political Science major.

The Green initials, symbolizing the society are the first letter of the Greek motto, "Love of wisdom the guide of life."

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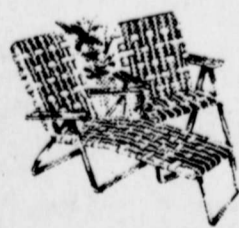
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NEWS 'N' NOTES
(by Sharon Hillis)

The homemaker's economic contribution for the next 19 years, when the youngest of three children would have reached age 21.

In planning for the future, families should also remember that insurance companies keep up-to-date estimates of the monetary value of women's contributions to families—to encourage families to insure the wife for disability and death and to assist in fair insurance claim settlements.

Prudential Life Insurance Company estimates that in 1977, the full-time homemaker with a husband and two children contributed 99.6 hours of work per week—valued at \$283.49, or more than \$15,000 per year.

Among possible planning areas, are life insurance, health insurance, disability insurance, retirement planning, emergency or contingency savings, savings and investment securities.

TIPS FOR THE WEEK

- 1) - strip paint from open grained woods like oak and mahogany, apply a mixture of half shellac and half alcohol to the painted surface—allow to dry. Next, apply a semi-paste paint remover. The shellac should bond to the paint in the pores—much of the paint will come off with the shellac.
- 2) - To avoid going on eating binges when angry, bored or frustrated, have a list of alternative activities and select one to do instead of eating. These activities may be either enjoyable—a favorite hobby, reading, sports, movies or music—or necessary chores—paying bills, doing laundry, running an errand or cleaning a closet.
- 3) - Parents of only children name "cost" as the most influential factor in their decision to only have one child. Studies indicate that child-rearing costs are between \$53,000 and \$100,000 from birth through college.
- 4) - Before storing packages in the freezer, label each one with contents, date and weight, if applicable. Then, keep an inventory of foods added or removed from the freezer to assist with meal planning and shopping.
- 5) - Keep payroll stubs to check earnings at the end of the year.

Hamilton Family Reunion

Saturday March 25th the Hamilton family-children, grandchildren and cousins met at the Community Building of Quitaque for their annual reunion.

Children of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hamilton present were Paul, E. J., Noman, Sabra and Mary. Unable to attend were B. K. Hamilton of Granbury and P. C. Hamilton of South Dakota, also Mrs. N. V. Hamilton, a sister-in-law of Tyler.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamilton of Denton and their daughters and children Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nichols, Jennifer and James of Tuscon, also Mr. and Mrs. Ron Oehelering, Amy and Julie of Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Keltz Garrison of Plainview and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garrison, Heather and Jennifer of Irving and Mr. and

Mrs. J. R. (Chip) Garrison, Kathy and Kendal of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hamilton of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. George Setliff, Mr. and Mrs. David Setliff, Bruce and Craig of Turkey, Mr. Allen Setliff, Jo and Robert of Plainview.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. Noman Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby E. Rainer, Kay Lyn and Mary Ann of Floydada.

Then Mrs. J. R. Self, the only living sister of Mrs. J. N. Hamilton of Portales and her son R. E. of Elida, New Mexico were present. Cousins present were Mrs. Gib Atkinson of Abernathy and Mr. H. D. Vaughter of Amarillo. Several friends called during the day.

FLOYD DATA
Easter Sunday luncheon guests in the home of Mrs. Valree Turner included Mr. and Mrs. Elton Turner and daughters, Flagstaff, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Turner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Irwin and family and Vance Turner, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Young and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Turner and Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Turner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Derryberry, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burns and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Guthrie and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Medley all of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Boyd of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hacker and family, Knox City and Mrs. R. E. Marr of Lockney. Other visitors called in the afternoon.

Salad Supper, Style Show

Plan to attend the annual Spring Salad Supper and Style Show sponsored by the Women's Chamber of Commerce at Duncan Elementary School Cafeteria, Monday April 10, at 7 p.m.

Doorprizes will be given and new styles, available at Floydada merchants, will be modeled. Bring your favorite salad dish and come join in the fun. A \$1 charge will be made this year to offset the cost of cafeteria use, furnishing drinks, paper plates, etc.

FLOYD DATA
Linda Hellestad of Los Altos Hills, Calif., was a houseguest part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Teague. Two of their grandchildren, Shelly and Ryan Teague of Pampa spent their Easter break here with the Teagues and their other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Smithey.

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FLOYD DATA

Easter Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Teague were Sue Tilson, Scott and Misty, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mack Tilson and Jason, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Fincher, James, Earl, Bodie and Tim all of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teague and Drew of Hurst, Dr. and Mrs. Keith Teague, Shelly and Ryan of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Brad Teague and Chelsea of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop called at the Teague home Sunday afternoon.

FLOYD DATA

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Davis spent Easter weekend at Stephenville on an Air-stream Trailer Rally.

Honor Students Sponsor Supper

Dougherty School honor students will sponsor a Mexican Supper in the school Friday night from 6:30 until 9 p.m.

Lela Martinez will prepare the meal and the admission is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children

Everyone is invited.

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ment of Highways and Public Transportation lists more than 900 events in its April through September Calendar of Texas Events. Pick up your copy at one of the 11 Highway Tourist Bureaus or write the department, Box 5064, Austin, 78763. See Texas first, ya hear!

IF you ever had a new plant that died of unknown causes, then some helpful advice could save you money in the future.

When you take a new plant home, let it sit for a few days. Plants, like people, sometimes go into "shock" when they go into a new environment and have to adjust.

IF a pink "Lolly" doll sold well last year, it will be back again this year with a blue "Cholly" companion.

An O. J. Simpson doll has rushed for as many dollars in the toy stores as "The Juice" has rushed for yards on the gridiron. It will still be in stock next Christmas, with the addition of a similarly packaged Julius "Dr. J" Erving doll for basketball fans.

These and many more were on display at the Toy Show in Dallas recently.

A "lift and load" depot did well for one manufacturer last year. An elaborate "lift and load" railroad system is displayed next to it this year.

One specialist in home pinball machines proudly demonstrated his computerized model that keeps four scores in its memory at a time, gives a rundown of the competition after each player finishes, offers double-play bonuses and flashes "tilt" in digital letters.

They've got a new one coming out, it has a triple-play bonus. The kicker is it plays a rock and roll song instead of the sound ping-ping of the ball. And so it goes for Christmas toys.

ONE dog barks at something; the rest bark at him.

Hanes Men's Spring Bonus Sale!

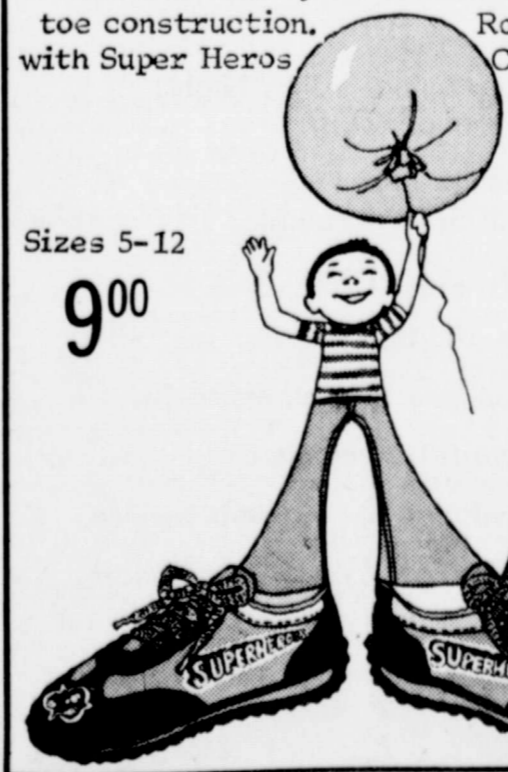
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FLOYD DATA
Mr. and Mrs. James David Welborn and family of Hurst were here for the Easter weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. D. Welborn and other relatives.

Most packages of dry food, such as cereals, candies, dessert mixes, and noodle products, are overfilled—that is, they weigh more than the label states, says Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

In a survey of over 11,000 dry foods, the Food and Drug Administration found that the average amount of overfill was four percent more than the label stated, she adds.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

The facts about the Floyd County jail and the available revenue sharing funds:

1. The Floyd County jail has not been condemned. The Texas Jail Standards Commission has notified the Sheriff and Commissioners Court of numerous changes that will have to be made. They did not say the jail was unsanitary or a fire hazard or unsafe.

2. The Commissioners Court has employed a reputable architect from Lubbock (Mr. Marvin Stiles) to advise them and to draw plans for the remodeling of the present structure plus an addition on the south side. Mr. Stiles has assured the Commissioner Court that the present building is structurally sound.

The plans that are in Austin at this time for approval of the Texas Jail Standards Commission include a complete remodeling of the present jail plus an addition on the south side that includes a "drunk tank," a utility room, a stairway and elevator housing.

Mr. Stiles' cost estimate on this plan is \$228,000 if the elevator is not installed and \$250,000 with the elevator. Mr. Stiles also said it would be reasonable to assume that the contract bids would be above these figures.

This plan would house 11 inmates. In checking with the sheriffs of Floyd County for 20 years prior to 1977, it was found that the average daily occupancy was three to four inmates.

3. According to information received by the Commissioners Court from the Texas Jail Standards Commission it would not be necessary to have a jailer on all floors 24 hours a day. The sheriff has said that it can be handled by present personnel.

The 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. dispatcher would probably have to be a male.

4. The plans that are in Austin at this time were scaled down from an estimated cost of \$358,000 to \$386,000. Mr. Stiles also presented one plan that would have cost much more than this. It was all new construction and all on one floor, at an estimated cost of \$750,000 (Why not. It is just money!).

In my opinion the funds are not available for a structure that exceeds the \$228,000 to \$250,000 figure. (All plans may be inspected in the County Judge's office.)

5. "Available Revenue Sharing Funds"—Floyd County has on hand \$156,674.66 designated to the jail fund. The present entitlement period ends September 30, 1978. The county receives \$26,268 quarterly.

The U. S. Congress has approved revenue sharing to continue through September 30, 1980, or two more years

from September 30 of this year. The present entitlement period was divided as follows: one-half to the jail fund; the other half, \$1,000 to the Floyd County Museum, \$1,000 to the Floydada Day Care Center, \$3,200 to the Plainview Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center, and the balance to the Commissioners' precinct funds. I would expect future allocations to remain basically the same.

The annual revenue sharing funds (if they are not cut) amounts to \$104,790. We hope the U. S. Congress does not cut these funds. (It could well happen.)

Don't forget revenue sharing funds are your tax dollars. 6. The Court is certainly in favor of a jail that will meet the requirements of the Texas Jail Standards Commission and I am sure they will not approve anything less.

The people of Floyd County have had three substantial tax increases in the past 12 years and if the Court does not spend the revenue sharing funds wisely, there could well have to be another tax increase in the not-too-distant future. There are other expenditures that need to be made.

I do not believe the taxpayers of this county can stand another tax increase at this time.

I believe the man that pays the bill is the one that should say how the money is spent—YOU, the taxpayer.

I believe it is high time the silent majority stand up and be counted.

Bob Jarrett
County Commissioner
Precinct #2
Floyd County

Attends Meet

Linda A. Bush, Soil Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service in Floydada recently attended the Orientation and Basic Resources Conservation training conference for new employees at Vernon, Texas one week. Approximately twenty employees from the Northwest Texas area attended the conference. Training was basically on the subjects of Range Management, Agronomy, Recreation, Woodlands, Biology, Soils, and Plant Materials. The instructors from the State Soil Conservation office in Temple included:

George C. Marks, State Conservationist; R. E. Howell, Assistant State Conservationist; D. B. Polk, State Resource Conservationist; Sam Nix, Personnel Officer; Harlen Johnston, Personnel Management Specialist; Gaylon Lane, Soil Scientist; Edward Holcombe, State Forester; Jerry Waller, Conservation Agronomist; Joe Norris, State Range Conservationist; and Gary Valentine, Biologist.

The purpose of the training is to up-date and prepare conservationist for working with land users. The Floydada SCS office works through the local Floyd county Soil and Water Conservation District.



QUALITY CABBAGE—Grading and weighing heads of cabbage assures consumers that they are getting the very best of the bountiful vegetable harvest now underway in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. Shoppers should also be on the lookout for good buys in carrots, spinach, cauliflower, broccoli and onions, he stated.

Tokyo Trade Show Features A Genuine Taste of Texas

AUSTIN—Tokyo got a taste of Texas when some of this state's agricultural products were featured recently in two Japanese trade shows, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

Texas Department of Agriculture international trade specialist Danny Prenal exhibited Texas grapefruit juice, peanuts, peanut butter and specialty foods at five-day trade shows in Tokyo and Osaka, Brown said. The shows are a cooperative effort between the Foreign Agricultural Service of the United States Department of Agriculture and the individual states.

Private companies will bear most of the expenses involved, Brown added. "One of the most

effective ways we can raise farm profits is to increase the number of outlets for our farm and ranch products," Brown said. "That is why the Texas Department of Agriculture is currently concentrating its efforts in promoting our agricultural products on foreign markets."

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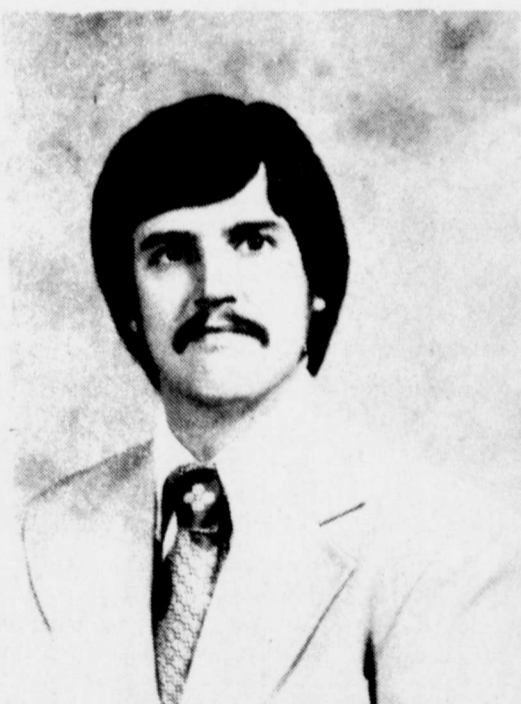
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MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY WORSHIP SERVICES 12:00 NOON LUNCH AT CHURCH

(Everyone invited to bring salad, dessert, or vegetable. All else provided.)

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

MONDAY (April 3) — Youth Fellowship after worship service (High School Youth Night) (Special recognition to all High School Youth)

TUESDAY (April 4) — Junior High Fellowship after worship service (Special recognition to all Junior High School Youth)

WEDNESDAY (April 5) — Grades 1 — 5 Supper at Church 6:00 P. M. (Special recognition of all the children.)

THURSDAY April 6) — Good Neighbor Night - Invite your neighbor to visit you and others in Fellowship Hall after worship service and have refreshments.

FRIDAY (April 7) — High School and Junior High — Special Fellowship after worship service.

SATURDAY (April 8) — No Noon Service — (Bring Your Date Night (Man and Wife, Sweetheart, Friend.)

SUNDAY (April 9) — HIGH ATTENDANCE DAY IN ALL SERVICES

Sunday School 9:45 — Worship 11:00 a.m.

Church Training 6:00 — Worship — 7:00 p.m.

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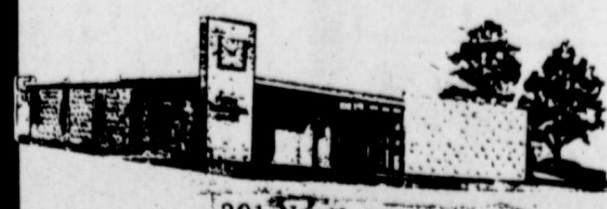
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Whirlwind Roundball Play Begins

First game will begin at 6 o'clock with the second game beginning 15 minutes after the first is finished, about 7 o'clock.

SCHEDULE

8:30 Eagles vs Green Machine	Trotters vs Dust Devils
9:15 Warriors vs. Dust Devils	Green Machine vs. Trotters

There will be three games played on this night

10:00 1st Trotters vs Celtics	2nd Warriors vs Eagles	3rd Green Machine vs Dust Devils
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For the boys teams are:

10:15 Warriors vs Trotters	Eagles vs Celtics
10:30 Green Machine vs Warriors	Dust Devils vs Celtics
10:45 Trotters vs Eagles	Celtics vs Green Machine
11:00 Dust Devils vs Eagles	Celtics vs Warriors

Joel Kimble - Eagles
Wayne Poteet - Green Machine
Roger Poage - Trotters
James Spurlock - Dust Devils
Rick Carthel - Warriors
Jr. Martinez & Brent Sanders - Celtics

SCHEDULE

8:30 Queens vs Dribbling Dragons	Road Runners vs Stars
9:15 Raiders vs Road Runners	Dribbling Dragons vs Stars
9:30 Road Runners vs Dribbling Dragons	Raiders vs Queens
10:15 Stars vs Queens	Dribbling Dragons vs Raiders
10:30 Stars vs Raiders	Queens vs Road Runners

Wicky Rainer & Sandra Rainey - Raiders
Cindy Moore, tentative - Stars
Judy Lloyd, Julie Womack & Jody McGuire - Dribbling Dragons
Janie Synatzske & Julie Cathey - Queens
Peggy Self & Faye Dixon - Road Runners

a charge of .25¢ per person or .50¢ per family at the gate.

Coach Optimistic Concerning Team's Performance



WHIRLWIND TRACK TEAM...with Whirlwind Relays trophy. (l to r) Front row, Jay Waller, Marty Womack, Rodney Ratheal, Mac Collins, Junior Cuevas, Rex Reves; Middle row, (l to r) Mike Marquis, Richard Ramirez, Ricky Day, Greg Jones, Kary Helms, Pat Mendoza, Johnny Womack, Womack; Back row (l to r) Duncan Woody, Mark Nutt, Neal Becker, Rusty Cagle, Paul West, Beedy, Bill Moore, Jerry Coleman, Larry Westbrook, and Mike Allen. (Staff Photo)



WHIRLWIND BAND OFFICERS...pictured with the impressive Sweepstakes trophy they and the remainder of the FHS band captured recently at contest. (l to r) Sheldon Sue, Rosemary Hardin, Suzanne Dyess, and Troy Marquis. (Staff Photo)

Meeting For Quarterback Club Set For April 3rd

Floydada Quarterback Club will meet in the high school cafeteria on April 3rd at 7:30 p.m., according to president, Robert Stovall. All members are urged to attend as plans for the

1978-79 football season will be discussed. Visitors are also welcome to attend. A film of the Dallas Cowboys will be shown for the program.

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FLOYD DATA
Mr. and Mrs. Edell Moore returned home Monday night from Abilene where they had been with his mother, Mrs. Gene Moore, who has been seriously ill. Mrs. Moore is reported to be some improved.

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Media Lions To Assist With Easter Seal Telethon

Media Lions Club annual Easter Seal National Telethon, to be aired April 1st and 2nd over KCBD Channel 11, Lubbock, starting at 10:30 p.m. and lasting for twenty hours till 6:00 p.m. Sunday, April 2nd. Eighty-five NBC networks across the nation will be airing the telethon to over

forty-million Americans. Host Jack Klugman, star of the T.V. series "Quincy," and hostess Sherry Jones will guide and direct you through the twenty hours of live entertainment from Los Angeles, California. Stars and sports figures such as Michael Landen, Lucille Ball, Arthur Ashe, Ernest Borgnine and many more will be there to put the show before a national audience.

The Executive Producer of the show is Woody Fraser, one of T.V.'s most dynamic innovators, he has created and produced the "Mike Douglas Show," and is currently executive producer of ABC's "Good Morning America." The Producer is John Gilroy, a two time Emmy Award winner and has produced the "Dick Cavett Show," Alan King Specials and the NBC's "Big Event." Joe Guercio is the music director, he is one of America's busiest musicians. He has arranged, produced and conducted for Elvis Presley, Barbara Streisand and Natalie Cole and many many others. Money raised will be used for services and rehabilitation for the millions of American handicapped children and adults. Easter Seals believes all people with disabilities regardless of age, sex, race, creed, financial status or place of residence are entitled to services needed. The Floydada Lions Club will be manning the Pledge Center from 10:30 p.m. April 1, til 6:00 p.m. April 2. They will be there to answer the phone for those who wish to call and pledge money in Floyd County. The number to call is 983-3273.

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Fairview News

By Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

We had a beautiful Easter weekend and this Monday is also a beautiful spring day - yards are greening, shrubs putting on and some fruit trees are in bloom.

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A large crowd attended services at First Baptist Church, Floydada, Easter morning. There was a large number of visitors in attendance, with good singing and good preaching.

Those visiting in the home of Mrs. C.W. Burton during the past week were, Lee Burton, Carolyn Burton, Mrs. Midge Whitley, Mrs. Sue Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Noman Hamilton, Mrs. Roy Leslie, Frances Mitchell and Sandra Ferguson.

E.J. Matsler of Lubbock visited Sunday March 19 with Mrs. Verna Lee Cardinal. Mrs. Cardinal's son Jerry of Houston came Friday to spend the Easter weekend with her and E.J. Matsler was back over Easter Sunday to visit both Mrs. Cardinal and Jerry.

Our sympathy is with the Gene Hopper family over the accidental death of their grandson, Mack Hamilton of Dimmitt. His funeral will be Tuesday in First Baptist Church, Floydada. The Gene Hopper family lived for a member of years in Fairview Community.

Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Walls visited in Lockney Wednesday at Lockney General Hospital with her sister, Mrs. D.D. Tate and at the Tate home with D.D. Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Walls visited Friday afternoon in the Bagwell home.

Mona Dell Wise of Amarillo came Friday and visited over Easter Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Jet Wilmeth of Lubbock visited Wednesday night with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cozby and Kara.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cozby and Kara were Easter Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gene Carthel.

Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Walls were Easter Sunday dinner guests in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Walls, others there were Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Blair of Lubbock.

Mrs. Larry Walls and son and Mrs. Roy Walls and son of Plainview visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Walls Saturday afternoon.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson visited in Plainview with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. M.O. Stapleton.

Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watts and children, Scottie, Kimberly and Elizabeth Anne went with Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Gilbreath to Lake Horner Easter Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbreath have a cabin at this lake.

Leonard Wilson and Brent

and Brent of Canyon spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of his sister, Mrs. Harvey Allen, Mike and Norman. Others there for Easter Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham during the week were Dr. Floyd Bradley, Rev. David Seay, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jarrett and Mrs. Jewell Teague all of Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. James David Wilborn, Sherry and Rene and Mike Zubuski all of Hurst and Mrs. Evelyn Gossett and daughter of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye went to the ranch near Claude to stay over Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Charles.

Mrs. Delmas McCormick and girls Amy and Anita visited Mrs. Kay Crabtree and Becky during the weekend.

Friday Mrs. Kay Crabtree went to Lubbock to take Becky to have the stitches removed following dental surgery. Mrs. Crabtree and Becky also visited at Idalou with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Griffith.

Mrs. Ray Cook went to Childress March 17 and visited her sister Mrs. Velma Cates and nieces, Kathryn and Linda. Then Mrs. Cook and Ms. Cates went to Wellington to visit their cousins, Luther Sullivan and Edith Goodloe.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tye and children, Britta and Joshua James of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr.

Certified Seeds Out Perform

Faced with rising production costs, the cotton grower may be tempted to cut corners by buying a neighbor's seed or by saving his own seed to plant next year. But, according to studies performed by Dr. Levon L. Ray, cotton breeder at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in Lubbock, that practice can end up costing him as much as \$53 per acre in reduced lint production.

In yield tests covering five years, Ray compared the performance of 16 popular varieties of "farmer-saved" (non-certified) seed with the same varieties of certified seed. Results showed certified seed the winner in yields, outdistancing some of the farmer-saved varieties by as much as 191 pounds of lint per acre.

In overall averages taken during the five years of testing the certified seed lines produced yields ranging from 15 to 116 pounds more lint per acre than their non-certified counterparts. At the rate of 46 cents per pound for cotton lint, that could mean from \$6.90 to \$53.36 extra income per acre in lint production to the farmer who plants certified seed over non-certified.

From Ray's studies it is evident, then, that certified seed is likely to produce consistently higher yields than non-certified seed. But

what about cost? All seed costs money, even that which a farmer saves from his own crop. The costs of delinting, treating, cleanout, transportation, and storage will run at least 12 cents per pound. Certified cotton planting seed will run about 35 cents per pound for 1978 planting.

According to Marvin Sartin, Texas A & M University Extension farm management specialist, a one or two cent increase in yield justifies 50 to 100 per cent more for seed. Ray's tests showed yield increases from three per cent to over 31 per cent with certified seed.

At 20 pounds of seed per acre, the difference in cost for planting certified seed amounts to about \$4.60 per acre, a small sum when compared to a possible \$53 more income from increased yield.

But yield is not the only consideration. As Ray's studies indicated, non-certified seed has other disadvantages. One of its major liabilities is a tendency toward deterioration, which may reduce fiber quality as well as yield. Genetic deterioration may be a result of contamination either in the field (through volunteer plants or cross pollination) or at the gin or seed processing operations. Varietal purity, an important consideration as far as yield and crop quality are concerned, is likely to be compromised with the use of non-certified seed.

Bargain seed could also contain a considerable amount of weeds and pests, both costly items to eliminate from a crop. According to Ray, "The first step in efficient, profitable cotton production is the planting of good quality seed."

Sartin adds, "Seed is a poor place to cut corners. Other production expenditures amount to much more, and those costs will be incurred, no matter what kind of seed you plant."

Considering the overall cost of producing a crop—planting, cultivating, fertilizing, spraying and harvesting—Sartin estimates the cost of seed to be less than four and one-half per cent of the total. "If I were going to pro-

duce a cotton crop, I would plant certified seed."

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Political Calendar

Subject to Democratic Primary U.S. CONGRESS...Dusty Rhodes...Charles Stenba...Fike Godfrey...Crews McCh...

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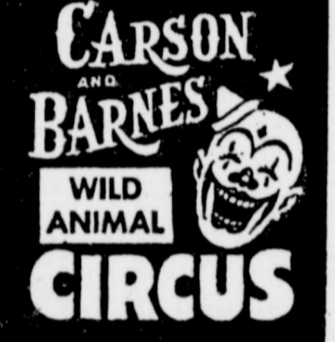
COUNTY JUDGE...Parnell Powell...G.B. Johnson...Choise Smith

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COUNTY TREASURER...Glenna Orman

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Courthouse NEWS

[Probate Docket]
Application to probate will in the estate of Roy L. Hale, deceased.

[Criminal Docket]
State of Texas vs Steven Randall Miller, DWLS. Plea of guilty, fined \$100 plus court cost, plus two days in jail.

State of Texas vs Domingo Contreras Jr., assault. Plea of guilty, fined \$25 plus court cost, plus 30 days in jail, probated for period of 6 months. Restitution of \$348.60 to be made beginning March 8, 1978 at \$25 per week.

State of Texas vs William P. Holmes, DWI, plea of guilty, fined \$125 plus court cost and 30 days in jail. Jail term probated for period of 6 months. Remanded to probation office.

State of Texas vs Luis Garcia Valdez, DWI. Plea of guilty, fined \$125 plus court cost and 30 days in jail. Term probated for 6 months.

Remanded to probation officer.
State of Texas vs Ewell Elton Norris, DWI. Plea of guilty, fined \$150 plus court cost and 3 days in jail.

State of Texas vs Manuel Arrellano, theft. Plea of guilty, no fine plus court cost and 30 days in jail probated for 6 months. Remanded to probation officer.

[Marriage Licenses]
Edward Delgado Hernandez and Minnie Molina Cantu, March 10.
Richard Randel Bixler and Melanie Suzette Frizzell, March 10.

Juan Sanchez and Anna Marie Guzman, March 13.
Venturo Gonzales Jr., and Rachel Ann Contreras, March 22.

[Warranty Deeds]
Noel L. Beebe et al to Faye Beebe, all of the north 60 feet of Lots 11, 12 and 13, Block 20, Lockney.

Juanita M. Keller to Raymond Hamilton, all of the north 60 feet of Lots 11, 12 and 13 in Block 20 in Lockney.

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H.T. Fillingham to Fillingham Farms Inc., 276 acre tract off the north side of James D. Long 762 acre Survey; 153.8 acres being the southwest one-fourth of Section 83, Block 1, AB&M Survey.

Gail A. Smith et ux to Eddie Fortenberry, 1.485 acres out of the northwest one-fourth of the R.H. Davis Survey No. 26 in Block SC. Geraldine Massie Murray to Servando Longoria et ux, Lot 7, Block 77, Floydada.

Gene Collins Jr., et al to C.J. Payne, the south one-half of Lot 1, 2 and 3, Block 6, New Home Addition, Floydada.

Eddie Fortenberry et ux to Sam Fortenberry et ux, 1.485 acres out of the northwest one-fourth of the R.H. Davis Survey No. 26, Block SC.

F.A. Beard et ux to Harold Allen et ux, Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 3, W.A. Potts Annex in Lockney.

Aris C. McWilliams to Kelvin K. Cummings et ux, Lot 5, Block 2, West Side Heights Addition, Floydada.

Gilbert Blanco et ux to Sal-Ted Mortgage Corp., the south 26 feet of Lot 9, all of Lot 10 both in Block 19 in Lockney.

Nola Bishop to Olivia Garcia, Lot 12, Block 41, Floydada.

Emma T. Brock to William Harris Brock et ux, 40 acres being the north 40 of the south 200 acres of the east one-half of Survey 35, Block 1 and the southeast one-fourth of Section 35, Block 1, AB&M.

E. Q. Perry to Quin Perry Jordan, the southeast one-fourth of Section 13, Block D-5.

Nola Bishop to Victor L. Nixon et ux, Lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 1 in Floydada.

Floyd County Memorial Park to Valarie B. Green, Garden No. 2, Section 3, Block 7, Lots 1 and 3.

Donald Bybee et ux to Gilbert Blanco et ux, the south 26 feet of Lot 9, all of 10, Block 19, Lockney.

Thursday, March 30, 1978

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Berniece M. Grieder to Howard P. Martin, 640 acres out of Survey 5, Block T.

Howard L. Martin to Berniece M. Grieder, the south 640 acres, Survey 9, Block T.

Floyd County Memorial Park to O.L. Bearden, Garden No. 1, Blocks 21-38, Lots 1, 3 and 4.

Elmer Lee Criswell et ux to R.J. James et ux, the northwest one-fourth of Survey 23, Block N.

Doris Huckabay to W. Earl Edwards et ux, the east 50 feet of Lot 2, the west 10 feet of Lot 3, Block 1, Caprock Addition in Floydada.

W.A. Massie to Larry J. Schneider, Lot 5, the east 33 feet of Lot 4, Block 2, Texas Addition.

Sharleen Forby et ux to Hale County State Bank of Plainview, the east one-half of Survey 31 Block D-2.

Ed Whitfill et ux to Sterling Gin Inc., 118.43 acres being all of that portion of Survey 56, Block D-2.

Faye Beebe to Juanita M. Keller, the north 60 feet of Lots 11, 12 and 13 in Block 20, Lockney.

Luther L. Turner and Lonnie D. Turner to Raymond V. Macha et ux, Lot 1 Block 67.

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Floyd County Memorial Park to Valarie B. Green, Garden No. 2, Section 3, Block 7, Lots 1 and 3.

Donald Bybee et ux to Gilbert Blanco et ux, the south 26 feet of Lot 9, all of 10, Block 19, Lockney.

vs James Thomas, suit on verified account.

General Motors Acceptance Corp., vs Joe Medrano, suit on verified account.

General Motors Acceptance Corp., vs Joe Medrano, suit on verified account.

[Cases Disposed]
State of Texas vs Carl Wayne Mitchell, charged with burglary. Given 4 years probation.

State of Texas vs Maynard Gaylon Applegate Jr., charge with burglary. Given 4 years probation.

State of Texas vs Patricia Rolling Lynch, charged with providing implements for escape. Given 2 years probation.

Some high nutrition, low-calorie snacks for teenagers are: popcorn, fresh fruit or juice, low-fat yogurt or cottage cheese with fruit, low-fat milk with homemade fat milk with oatmeal or peanut butter

oatmeal or peanut butter cookies, raw vegetables with cottage cheese-based dips, flower seeds, homemade suet, sherbet or frozen yogurt, pretzels, or crackers with low-fat cheese or peanut butter, suggests Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

California. Others present for lunch were Cathy, Christy and Mrs. Oleta Collier of Floydada.

Nannie Fortenberry of Adrian is a patient in South West Orthopedic Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Carl F. Lemons and Jenese spent Thursday night in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Decker. Friday morning they visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Leonard awhile.

Thursday evening Ricky and Lyn Breckenridge and Cindy of Plainview had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Garland Tucker.

Supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Tucker last Monday night were Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Thompson and family, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Barnard, Dona and Ronnie of Littlefield, Eva Strickland and Terry Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Lackey of Burleson were houseguests during Easter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lackey. Other visitors during the week were Benny Golightly, Mr. and Mrs. Dayne Golightly, Rance and Lacey Dawn of Floydada, Wanda DuBois of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Craig DuBois, Cole and Christi Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Lackey, Kim and Kelley of South Plains College.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortenberry went to Lubbock to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Boone, Donita and Pamela who was home from college in Waxahatchee. Later Ron and Paula Dick arrived from Alburquerque. The Fortenberrys returned Saturday.

Martha and Junior Taylor left early Sunday morning to attend the grave side services of Guy Davis and spent Monday night in Irving with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joiner.

Phyllis and Johnnie Harris and family of Floydada had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Fortenberry Sunday.

FLOYD DATA
Easter weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Vick were their children, Mr. and Mrs. George Mallow and family and Kevin in Vick, Amarillo, Doyle Vick, Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and daughter and Kathy Vick of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kelley visited Mrs. C. V. Lemons Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Welch and Connie visited Alta Warren in Lockney one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conner went to Lubbock Sunday after church to be with their grandson, Bruce Conner who was home with his mother, Kattie for the Easter holidays. Bruce is attending school in San Diego.

Cedar Hill News

By Grace Lemons

Funeral services were held for Guy Davis, 64, in the First Baptist Church in Lockney Friday afternoon.

Rev. Jackie Thompson, pastor of Cedar Hill Assembly of God Church officiated, assisted by Fred Fortenberry. Davis was flown by plane to Hugo, Oklahoma where he was buried in Mount Olivet Cemetery at 3:00 p.m. Monday. He died Thursday afternoon in the Health Science Hospital at Texas Tech after a brief illness. Guy was born September 22, 1913 in Bogata, Texas and married Mattie Taylor in 1939. After spending two years in the Navy, he worked for a freight company in Amarillo before retiring in 1972 and moving to Cedar Hill. He is survived by his wife, a sister, Louise Dunn of Hugo, two half sisters, Virgie Burnett and Viola Grant of Oklahoma, a niece, Glenna B. Dunn, a nephew, Mike Markham.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Thompson and Eva Strickland left after church Sunday evening for Davis, Oklahoma where they spent the night in the home of Eva Strickland before going to Hugo where Rev. Thompson officiated in the graveside services for Guy Davis.

Eva Strickland preached at Morton Sunday in the Assembly of God Church.

Norma Welch and Connie had lunch Sunday with Mrs. Ailene Welch. Others present were Delores, Mike, and John Earl Pigg, of Quitaque, and Kevin McCarter of Hale Center.

The house warming event will be Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 p.m. for Craig and Trudi Gilly. You are cordially invited.

Norma Welch and Connie visited Dusty Burleson Sunday afternoon. He is recuperating nicely in his home after suffering a broken leg in a freak accident last week. They also visited Pauline Vanhose who is recovering from surgery last week.

Mrs. Carl F. Lemons visited Pauline VanHose Wednesday afternoon.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. VanHose for lunch Monday were John D's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy VanHose and family from Fort Worth.

Marylin VanHose of Morton returned to her home Sunday after spending a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. VanHose.

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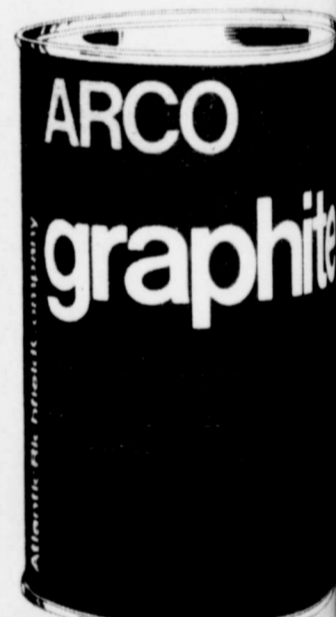
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BENTSEN OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FARM BILL PROSPECTS HALLS SENATE APPROVAL OF HIS LEGISLATION

Washington, D.C. - Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said today the prospects are good that Congress will pass a workable farm bill this year. He commented after the Senate approved a package of farm programs - including the Dole-Bentsen Flexible Parity Bill - and sent it to the House of Representatives for consideration.

The Senate voted 55 to 40 to include the legislation proposed by Senator Robert Dole (R-Kansas), and sponsored by Bentsen, in a legislative package after accepting an amendment sponsored by Bentsen to increase the cotton loan from \$44 to \$50 a pound.

"The Senate by its action today has taken a big step toward enactment of a farm bill. I'm optimistic about the prospects that Congress will approve a good, workable bill this year," Bentsen said.

"I think we'll see several changes made in the package that was approved by the Senate but I am hopeful that the flexible parity provisions which Senator Dole and I proposed will remain intact."

The Dole-Bentsen package would increase target price incentives up to several levels for an individual farmer, depending on how much of his land is held out for production.

"This bill allows each farmer to choose his own personal program and yet at the same time it will bring total national production down to a level closer to the nation's current demand without government farm program."

"I realize that flexible parity is a new idea but an idea whose time has come."

In arguing for an improved farm program Bentsen cited the situation in Frio County, Texas as an example. "It costs the Frio County farmer \$130 to produce an acre of land and then he brings to market for him only \$100 an acre," Bentsen said.

"The American farmer caught in a classic cost-price squeeze," Bentsen said.

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FARM & RANCH NEWS



Public Forum Focuses On Farmer's Dilemma

LUBBOCK—"The Agricultural Dilemma: To Farm or Not to Farm" is the topic for a public forum Thursday, March 30, which will open the first South Plains Farm Show in the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

The free three-day exhibition will feature the largest display of new farm imple-



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The forum will begin at 10:15 a.m. opening day in the civic center theater.

Spokesmen for the two national farm organizations and an agricultural economist from Texas A&M University will present their views on the economic plight of America's farmers. They then will answer questions from a reaction panel composed of eight area farm writers and broadcasters.

The forum panelists will be Gerald McCathern of Hereford, elected spokesman for the American Agriculture Movement in Texas; Jay Naman of Waco, president of the Texas Farmers Union and a director of the National Farmers Union; and Dr. Bruce L. Gardner, professor of agricultural economics at Texas A&M University, formerly senior staff economist on the President's Council of Economic Advisers for Presidents Ford and Carter.

Services on the reaction panel will be: Bedford Forrest, farm and ranch director, KVII-TV, Amarillo; Duane Howell, farm editor, the Avalanche Journal, Lubbock; Bob Martin, ag news director, KWKA, Clovis, N.M.; and Larry Stalcup, farm editor, the Globe-News, Amarillo.

Also, Jim Stewart, farm

and ranch director, KDAV, Lubbock; Spike Wideman, farm services director, KK-

YN, Plainview; Ed Wilkes, farm director, KFYO, Lubbock; and Mike Wiseman, farm news director, KVOP, Plainview.

Billy C. Gunter, district Extension agent at Lubbock, will serve as moderator for the forum.

McCathern has been engaged in farming on the South Plains for a quarter-century. His principal production has been corn, wheat, sorghum and cattle; but he also has produced vegetables and sugarbeets.

He was graduated from Texas Tech University in 1950 as a petroleum geologist. A resident of Hereford since 1952, he served five years on the board of the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Association and was a delegate to the U.S. Feed Grains Council. He has been active in the American Agriculture Movement since its inception.

HOW MUCH TO PAY FOR A GOOD BULL--Most cattlemen don't put a high enough value on the herd bull although he has a long-lasting effect on the overall productivity of the herd, says a beef cattle specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Since sire selection accounts for 85 to 90 percent of herd improvement over a 15- to 20-year period, a bull should be performance tested. If a producer is concerned mainly with improving the weaning weight of calves in his herd, then he should select a bull that has high performance in the weaning weight trait.



Despite the shortcomings of the 1978 government farm program as announced last December, officials of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, point out that farmers have "all to gain and nothing to lose" by signing up to participate in the program before the May 1 deadline.

Congress is attempting to pass amendments that would improve the program, but as of the Easter recess March 29 there was no clear indication of the outcome. Also there is a strong possibility that the Administration, through beleaguered Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland, will announce some program changes before Congress returns to work April 3.

Meanwhile PCG is urging farmers not to jeopardize their right to benefits under existing or pending program provisions by failure to sign an "intention to participate" form in County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices.

Although the sign-up before May 1 is little if anything more than a formality, says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson, "it is an essential formality for producers who want to be eligible for price support loans, deficiency or disaster payments."

Farmers are asked to show the acreage of each crop they intend to plant and the acreage of set-aside if any is required on those crops. But the intentions indicated are not binding. They can be changed at planting time, with actual crops and acreages to be reported and certified later.

In addition to the sign-up, eligibility for prevented planting payments under the disaster provisions of the program is contingent on proper land preparation, the availability of equipment, seed and other things necessary to the production of a crop.

Legislative or administrative changes in program provisions announced last December will most likely come as amendments to the current law, Johnson adds. "So signing an intention to participate form before May 1 will probably be a prerequisite to eligibility for any program benefits, old or new."

LANDSCAPING--A GOOD INVESTMENT--Landscaping can be a profitable long-term investment for your home, contends a landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. With proper landscaping you can realize a return of five to six times your original within 10 years. Allow at least 10 percent of the total cost of the home and lot for landscaping. Design the landscape to meet each fam-

ily member's recreational needs, but keep patterns simple to minimize maintenance.

Pay all household bills by check--this provides proof of payment, says Linda McCormack, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

GSPA Advises Producers How To Prepare For Farm Bill Changes

Lubbock, Tex.--Final changes in the 1977 Farm Bill--if there are any--will not be forthcoming for a couple of weeks, and farmers are wondering what to do about planting.

Grain Sorghum Producers Association recommends that farmers thoroughly prepare two-thirds of their land for planting. None of the programs being considered calls for more than a one-third layout of land. Proposed layouts range from one-fifth to one-third. By leaving one third of his land idle (the maximum that could be required), a farmer is ready for all possible changes in the farm program. If the adopted changes call for less than one-third, the producer will have only a small amount of additional acreage to prepare and plant.

"In the meantime, producers should stay as flexible as possible," advises Elbert Harp, Grain Sorghum Producers Association's executive director.

GSPA, a big proponent of the flexible parity concept (one of the proposed changes in the farm bill), is concerned not only about the Administration's attitude toward this concept, but its attitude toward any farm bill changes.

Secretary of Agriculture Bergland stated last week that he felt it was necessary to hold large grain stocks to prevent "disaster" in years when yields were low. GSPA contends that the government needs to make adequate provisions for holding off the market whatever stocks are necessary to prevent "disasters" so that they (the stocks) will not seriously affect grain

prices. Grain Sorghum Producers Association strongly disagrees with the Administration's continued encouragement of over production based on the fear of inadequate supplies in the case of a crop failure. "If it is in the national interest to maintain surplus stocks for years, then it is in the national interest that these stocks be held at low levels. Otherwise, it is in the interest to cut production to the level of scarce supplies," said Harp.

Helpful Hints For Hurried Farmers

COLLEGE STATION--You've heard the expression--"The harder I work, the farther behind I get!" Well, most farmers and ranchers can relate quickly to this dilemma. However, a little planning and organizing can help keep the situation in hand.

When faced with more than one operation that should be done at the same time, farmers may be able to save on both time and expenses by following some of the suggestions offered by Cecil Parker, an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service:

Have equipment ready when the time comes to use it. When buying a new machine, get it early enough so it can be checked out, tried and adjusted well in advance of use.

Increase field efficiency. Reduce time lost in the field by having machinery adjusted as much as possible before starting an operation. Save time by planning fields for long rows and few turns. Devise ways to fill seed and fertilizer boxes and sprayer tanks with the least possible amount of lost time.

Change crops to avoid competition between crops. For example, the hay ready to be planted? The change between lower quality or lower quality weather though weather plan operations, plan should allow get the job done most years.

Change production items. Sometimes a basic method of time. A chisel plow. Increase income per day. Farmers spending as much as possible on the reducing the amount of acres is a way added field time, someone with an can be employed hours each evening or than usual but could be paid to offer attractive same time be a farm expense.

Use custom. Consider hiring operator to help get a busy season over machine is owned do the job.

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Thursday, March 30 10:00-6:00 p.m. Farm Show Exhibits Open 10:00-2:00 p.m. Farm Form (Ticket Required.) 2:00 p.m. Natural Fibers Fashion Review (Free)	Friday, March 31 FFA Field Day 10:00-9:00 p.m. Farm Show Exhibits Open 2:00 p.m. "Micro-Mini" Tractor Pull (Free) 6:00 p.m. "Micro-Mini" Tractor Pull (Free)	Saturday, April 1 10:00-6:00 p.m. Farm Show Exhibits Open 11:00 a.m. "Micro-Mini" Tractor Pull (Free)
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INSPECTION OF FOREIGN BEEF is also at issue. The record indicates that there are more than 1,000 packing plants in 46 foreign countries which now ship some beef into the United States. While we inspect packing plants in this country, we only have 20 inspectors in all those foreign countries and the Department of Agriculture says that each plant can only be examined every one to four times a year.

AT THE PRESENT TIME 7% to 10% OF THE BEEF CONSUMED in this country is from foreign sources and the rate is increasing. It is simply not right to allow imports to increase at the same time our domestic cattle industry is in such poor shape.

Base, which was established on your 1977 plantings, is lower than 1975 and 1976 plantings because of abnormal conditions, the operator of the farm can, within 15 days, request an adjustment from the County Committee.

A Set-Aside equal to 20% of the Wheat for harvest, plus an acreage equal to 10% of the Corn, Barley, and Gr. Sorg. planted, will be required for each participating farm.

The Set-Aside acreage must be devoted to an approved cover by the normal period for planting Spring crops. (Small grains or annual, biennial, or perennial grasses and legumes, excluding Soybeans and Sweet Sorghum.)

Do Not Destroy Any Set-Aside Cover At This Time. Program benefits include coverage for low yield and deficiency payments and loan availability.

Applications for proven yields on Wheat, Corn Gr. Sorghum, and Barley can be made within 15 days after recovering your yield notices. REMEMBER— if you prove the yield on one farm, then all the production on all farms you operated during 1974, 1975, and 1976 must be submitted. This production will be used as proven production on these farms also if complete 3 years coverage is involved.

1977 GRAIN SORGHUM AND BARLEY

We are in the process of submitting data for those farms on which Grain Sorghum and Barley allotments were planted in 1977. Drafts will be issued after April 1st.

Thomas E. Moore, County Executive Director

HORSE RANCH TOUR TO BE PART OF SHORT COURSE

A tour of horse ranches in the Brenham area will be one of the highlights of the annual Horse Short Course at Texas A&M University, Apr. 3-4, announces a horse specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. There will be four stops on the Apr. 4 tour, including Stallions Unlimited, the N.W. "Dick" Freeman Ranch, Bob MeLeod Quarter Horses, and Jim Daniels Stables. The first day of the short course will feature discussions on horse health, breeding and conditioning.

FLOYDDATA

Mathew Gilbert of Lubbock visited in Floydada during Easter school break with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webb. Other houseguests recently were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Webb and daughters, Donna and Carla of Albuquerque, New Mex., who were here for the funeral of his aunt, Dora Langford.

FLOYDDATA

Jerry Cardinal of Houston was in Floydada for the Easter weekend visiting his mother, Mrs. Verna Lee Cardinal.

ASCS NEWS

Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service
Floyd County ASCS Office
Box 640
Floydada, Texas 79235

MARCH NEWSLETTER

COUNTY COMMITTEE: H. L. Porter, Jr., L.B. Brandes, Jack Stansell
Meeting Date: Second Tuesday each month

NOW IS THE TIME:

1. To sign up in the diversion program. This sign-up is not binding, and a producer can change planting and diversion plans without notifying this office. If the farm is not signed up, and Wheat or Feed Grains are planted, then no payments can be made.
2. To certify your Wheat, Oats, Rye, and Barley acreages planted for harvest, and to designate your Wheat and Barley Set-Aside acreage.
3. To enter into a 3 year Grain Reserve on 1977 Wheat in loan.

1978 FARM PROGRAM

We have no information of any kind on any pending Cotton legislation. There will be no 1978 allotments on Cotton, Wheat, Corn, Grain, Sorghum, and Barley. NCA (Normal Crop Acreage) is the basis for the Farm Program for the next 4 years. Producers planting a crop requiring set-aside (i.e. Corn, Wheat, Gr. Sorg.) cannot exceed this NCA Base with base crops and set-aside, and receive any program benefits. Notices of NCA and individual crop yields will be mailed soon. If the NCA

farmers and consumers. One of the most important ideas shared was that it is time for both consumer and producer to stop trying to place the blame for their problems on anyone. We must all get together to work on the problems facing agriculture today. We must unite to protect the future of the food supply in this country.

WEST TEXAS SOYBEANS in individual containers were recently shipped to Japan under a new pilot program supported by the Texas Department of Agriculture. The containerized

soybeans were shipped from Edmonson, Texas for sale in the Far East market. They were each sealed by a USDA inspector before leaving Edmonson and will remain sealed until arrival in Japan. The idea of shipping the soybeans in individual containers is "identity preservation". This program segregates products during shipping so that the variety and quality advantages of a certain production area are maintained.

In this way, foreign buyers who contract for excellent quality West Texas soybeans, for instance, will be assured that they receive exactly what they are paying

for. This also benefits the producer, who naturally takes pride in his product and does not want to see it contaminated or mixed with other products during shipment. A Department of Agriculture export specialist will be on hand when the soybeans dock in Japan. He will examine samples to see if the original quality was maintained throughout the journey.

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Barlowen, M. C. District, Texas

WASHINGTON, D.C.-AGRICULTURE HAS A HISTORY OF "BOOM AND BUST" cycles. Weather, of course, has been a big factor in these cycles. Weather, of course, is something else. It never has stability until the market until the cost of production and the price of the commodity are narrowed. How can we do without a strong economy is difficult to say in this situation. The program adopted in the past, some of our members in the Congress were before the

Change cropping to avoid competition between crops. For instance, the hay ready to cut same time grain should be planted? The choice between lower grain or lower quality hay, though weather influences farm operations, a crop plan should allow farmers to get the job done in most years.

Change production terms. Sometimes change a basic method of time. A chisel plow is an increase working per day. Farmers are spending as many as possible on the tractor chores is a way to add field time. Someone with an 8 can be employed 8 hours each evening. Hour than usual hourly could be paid to make offer attractive and same time be a profit farm expense.

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Arnold Schwertner Reports On Trip To Washington

We began with an idea to educate our neighbor, the consumer and our elected leaders who sometimes forget they work for the people, in an effort to obtain better prices for producers.

We came to Washington, D. C. to get equality for ourselves, our commodities we raise and our labors.

During 11 days of hearings in late February and early March of 1978, before the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry, testimony was received from approximately 200 witnesses representing every major commodity and all regions of the Nation.

In Washington, D. C. February 14-24, we farmers, approximately 35,000 strong, met with our own leaders to see where we stood in regard to getting needed farm legislation passed through Congress.

We met with many of our own elected officials to reiterate our solid unified position of needing a flexible parity plan justifiable for all commodities. The implications of the farmers need for 100% of parity to the consumer is of number one importance. Our position was stressed and will be continually backed up by layoffs, debt expansion, the sagging dollar and the people's loss of equity.

Many Congressmen told us they would only listen to the people they represent. This is why telegrams, phone calls and letters were and are needed; to establish contact of feelings from diverse people.

A few legislators said they would vote as they saw fit on any issue regardless of the feelings of the people they represent. On three separate occasions, Tom Hagan, Senator Lloyd Bentsen's top aide disclosed that Senator Bentsen's constituents have little impact on the way he votes. This is a very depressing feeling for me.

I met with Elbert Harp of Grain Sorghum Producers Association in a meeting with a representative from U. S. Feed Grains Council. It was reported that a world wide search of markets for our grain is underway, whether it's new customers, better diets or more consumption. Prices are not considered here, only markets.

I met with AAM people from Littlefield and Crosbyton in a National Cotton Council (NCC) meeting. It was here we were told NCC could do nothing to help raise our prices. Our Congressmen only said "NCC had been here before" - advocating prices for cotton of years ago.

The steering committee, currently made up of farmers whose income is not necessarily solely derived from farming, moves with Congress, USDA and the Secretary in 3 options:

- 1) set aside
- 2) paid land diversion
- 3) mandatory cut back on acres

to control production of cotton. These control measures, when implemented possess ineffective enough controls to raise prices to farmers due to vested interests as represented by 6 other segments of the cotton industry. Also the effect of the two week period on the Liverpool Market raises suspicion of manipulation. Although 62% of NCC funds come from farmers, NCC maintained the poli-

cies are set once each year and due to by laws cannot be amended. Therefore the question was presented - can NCC serve two different segments, the producers who need a competitive income, and industry, who is looking for cheap cotton with an abundant supply?

The sponsored farm bills were drafted and amended on House and Senate floors. The bills were combined under the Emergency Agricultural Act of 1978. This act was amended 11 times in the Senate after having passed the House with no attachments.

The farm bill is now scheduled for debate in the Conference Committee on Tuesday, April 4, 1978. It is here that the final drafting of the bill will take place.

After passage by vote in the Conference Committee, the bill goes to the House of Representatives and Senate for simple "yea" or "nay" majority vote. The bill then goes to the President for his signature. If the President vetoes the farm bill, then Congress and the Senate must override by 2/3 majority vote before the bill becomes law.

The bill was left in the conference committee opposed to the wishes of certain law makers who wanted a solution, not a

slogan. Sec. Bergland moved for postponement of 10 days and the Easter bell rang. To me it seems like the same thing our fore fathers had happen to them. The more the market responds, the less our lawmakers will respond to needed farm legislation as in past farm

movements. The time is critical. If our commodities are left with a fixed price for very long, we will surely hang.

The streets and halls of Washington, D. C. are long and many. We are few in number but great in strength. We hold the key to survival. The fact is - food will go up; the question is who will it benefit?

Arnold Schwertner
Floydada, Texas
submitted March 28, 1978

Center News

By Mrs. J.E. Green

March 27.

What a nice Easter we had! And today is still more beautiful. (today is also my 57th wedding anniversary).

Mrs. R.C. Ross and daughter, Mrs. Maxine Ragsdale of Baileyboro spent the Easter holiday in Denver, Colorado visiting the other daughter, Mrs. Norma Robison and family.

Mrs. J.D. Wilborn had all her children home for the Easter weekend. James David and family of Ft. Worth, Donna and Clarmon Booth and Clarissa of Lubbock, and local ones, the Bobby Welborns, JoAnne and Roger Gooch and boys and Mrs. Eunice Lewis.

Mrs. C.M. Meredith arrived home yesterday after visiting in Dallas with her daughter, Mrs. Nancy Vertrees and family.

Mrs. Roe Jones accompanied her daughter Mrs. Wanda Huckabee to her home in Stephenville Sunday. Wanda had spent some of the holiday with her mother.

Bro. Clay Muncy, still in the Lockney Hospital, was feeling better Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mensch and David of Lubbock spent over the weekend with her parents, Mr. ad Mrs. Hal Thomas. Other Sunday dinner guests were Miss Vera Meredith and Bill Thomas, Lockney.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Miss Meredith were a niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Burks of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Jordan, long ago Centerites, but of more recent years of Albuquerque, have moved to the John Knox Village in Lubbock. Their daughter, Mrs. Erma Miller and family also live in Lubbock. The

daughter Kathie and family live in Abilene.

Visitors at the Claud Carpenters last Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Smith of Tulia, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Carpenter, City.

W.L. Hartline has been on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mayfield were in Amarillo recently visiting ill relatives.

John Warren and family of near Lubbock visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Elmer Warren.

A phone call from daughter Francis of Connecticut to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashton states they are having a lot of rain there.

Mrs. Ola Warren and Mrs. Fred Battey visited the Thomas Warrens' last Monday.

The Thomas Warren Easter get together included Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stout and girls of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warren, and Don of the home.

Holiday weekend visitors at the Travis Lightfoot home were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carmack and boys of Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lightfoot and family of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Myrick and girls of Grand Prairie; Mrs. W.B. Lindley, Laura Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Medley and the Cager Carmacks all of Floydada.

Those present at the Henry Brewster's dinner Easter Sunday were Ervin Brewer and family and the Ken Robinson family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDougle and Sharon of Crosbyton, the Dean Watsons of Floydada and the Millard Watsons, Mt. Blanco and Darwin Brewer of the home.

Floyd Teens Spend \$1,365,000

NEW YORK, Mar 18—Financially, Floyd County's teenagers seem to be making out very well.

They have affluence such as their parents never dreamed of at their age. As a result, with their spending clout, they have become an economic group to be reckoned with.

The unprecedented amount of money at their command, estimated at no less than \$1,365,000 in the past year, went for the whole gamut of personal items and leisure-time activities that are so important to them. And it went fast.

In addition to what they spent on themselves, they exerted a strong influence on family purchases— from food to furniture and from carpets to cars.

All of which enhances the stature of the teen-agers in the eyes of designers and retail merchants, who court them as never before through frequent changes of fashions and styles.

The overall spending figures are based upon surveys and studies made by the Rand Youth Poll, a market research organization, by the Family Economist and others.

The findings are that the 30 million teen-agers in the United States had an income of \$28.7 billion last year, a \$2.6 billion increase over 1976.

It was the largest annual rise in the

past 25 years and is attributed to inflationary pressures and to the greater number of possessions that have become "musts" for young people.

For Floyd County's teen-age population, which now numbers close to 1,750, the outlay came to approximately \$1,365,000, based upon local income and spending figures. Per capita, it averaged \$780 in the year.

Part of this money was earned by doing odd jobs after school and during summer vacations. The rest came from weekly allowances.

Girls, it is found, outspend boys.

Personal vanity is given as the main reason for the difference. Among boys, dating and entertainment are in the number one spot, with cars in second place.

Of even greater importance to local merchants is the general family spending over which the teen-agers have an influence. This is placed at about \$80 billion a year nationally.

In Floyd County, in line with the findings, it affects an estimated \$2,853,000 of the spending done per year in local stores.



NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR A SINGLE PURPOSE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

The city of Floydada proposes to apply for a Single Purpose Community Development Block Grant in the amount of \$500,000.00 for 1978, for funds with which to improve community facilities. The following type activities will take priority:

1. Street improvements.
2. Rehabilitation of private housing.
3. Removal of blighted areas.

A public hearing to inform the public and to obtain the views and proposals of the citizens on the above program will be held in the Council Meeting Room at the City Office at 7:30 p.m. on the 11th day of April, 1978.

Citizens are encouraged to attend and submit their views and proposals.

"Eleanor Says"



As I said in last weeks article I would list a few hints for a successful venture into gardening.

Watering—Water enough to penetrate the soil to a depth of 6 inches. If using a sprinkler water in the early morning so the leaves will dry before night; this prevents disease problems.

Weed Control—A hoe is the best way to get rid of undesirable plants.

Mulching—This involves applying any material such as straw, leaves, grass cuttings, bark, saw dust, or compost, on the soil and around growing plants. Mulching helps increase yields, conserve moisture, prevents weed growth and regulates soil temperature.

Pest Control—Diseases and insects are usually a major problem in Texas due to mild winters, but with the winter we've had this year this shouldn't be a problem. When using chemicals be sure you follow the manufacturer's directions on the label.

Harvesting—Harvest vegetables at their peak of maturity for the best flavor. For maximum flavor and nutritional content, harvest the crop the same day it is to be canned, frozen, or eaten.

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SHONDA GUTHRIE was the Easter rabbit winner at Perry's.

HOME ECONOMICS FILLERS

Cut pile carpet will develop a condition called shading, says Pat Seaman, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Shading is the light and dark areas which develop on carpet surface due to light reflection and pile lay, she explains.

It is characteristic of all cut pile carpets and not a defect, Ms. Seaman adds.

Only 10 percent of the married persons surveyed by the National Opinion Research Center in Chicago have or expect to have one child, says Debby Johnson, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

THE MINIMUM WAGE IMPACT

Skeptics and critics could hardly wait. Where, they demanded, are the layoffs, higher prices and other dire consequences which were predicted by

critics if Congress voted a sharp increase in the federal minimum wage.

A new law, raising the minimum from \$2.30 to \$2.65, had hardly gone into effect with the stroke of 12:01 a.m. Jan. 1, when spokesmen from the AFL-CIO and other supporters of the wage boost began their chant.

Exaggerating the warnings, the skeptics were eager to discredit arguments made against the increase. Despite the new law, they proclaimed, the nation had not been suddenly plunged into economic chaos.

Of course, no one had made such predictions.

Nonetheless, the AFC-CIO spoke too soon.

The evidence, unfortunately, is starting to come in and no doubt will get worse, rather than better, as the full impact of the increase from \$2.30 to \$3.35 an hour by 1981 - almost 50 percent

OBITUARY

Mrs. Towry

Rites for Lula Belle Towry, 80, a resident of Prescott, Ariz., were held Tuesday morning in the chapel of Moore-Rose Funeral Home in Floydada.

A former Floyd County resident, and a daughter of early day pioneers, Mr. and Mrs. G.M. Risinger of Floyd County, she died March 26th at 5:45 a.m. in Yavati Community Hospital in Prescott.

Elder Joe Jackson of New Salem Primitive Baptist Church officiated for the service. Interment was in Union Hill Cemetery in Lakeview in Hall County.

Born near Altus, Okla., July 14, 1898 she came to Floyd County with her parents at an early age and was married here April 17, 1920 to Lawson Towry. They moved to Kerrville from Floyd County and from there to Arizona. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1950.

Mrs. Towry was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include eight nieces and nephews, Mrs. R.B. McCravey of Ralls, Mrs. Lee Neff, Mrs. O.A. Neff, Mrs. Oran Self, Mrs. Eli Neff, Arvin West and Adrin West all of Floydada and S.L. West of Sulphur, Okla.

San Francisco's 170,000 elderly persons. He is planning a rally for the aged in the city's Union Square. "Forty thousand old people here are living alone," he says, "I want to further national consciousness about shut-ins."

Father Boedecker, with eight others, has won the 1977 Thomas Jefferson Award for community service, given by the American Institute for Public Service.

But the Franciscan, who has given so much, talks of what he has received, of Divine Providence and of the 26,000 persons, who have helped in one way or another. "My life," he says, "has been a fulfillment."

What can one person do? A lot - anytime, anywhere.

Mack Ham

Services for Mack Ham, 14 year old youth who died following hunting accident, were held in Floydada Monday in the First Baptist Church. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hopper of Floydada.

Granville Martin, County sheriff, said that another youth was hunting a small lake some distance from Dimmitt when mishap occurred about 10 a.m. It was reported a 12 gauge shotgun was discharged striking the main artery. (Official Hamilton apparently could get him to the hospital in Dimmitt.)

A native of Plains, youth was born July 17. He lived in Dimmitt Apts., in Dimmitt, where he attended school there and was a member of the First Baptist Church. He had one brother, Dimmitt for two years.

Survivors include mother, Mrs. E. Hamilton of Dimmitt, father, Frankie Hamilton of Boise City, Okla., Frank Hamilton of Canyon and Hamilton of Dimmitt, grandmothers, Mrs. Gene Hopper of Plains and E. A. Hamilton, etc.

Officiating for the was Dr. Floyd C. Cemetery under the management of Mrs. Freddie Harkey, Cliff Shaw, Hollis McRee, Gary D. Kerry Hamilton, C. McRee and Jodie

the average family budget.

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Its findings are welcomed.

Perhaps they will vince the skeptics. Meanwhile, when you take the drive-in or the eatery, prices will be And the wait for a little longer.

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Mack Hamilton
 Services for Mack Hamilton, 14 year old Dumas youth who died following hunting accident Saturday in the First Baptist Church. He was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Hopper of Floydada.
 Granville Martin, County sheriff, said Hamilton and another Dumas youth were hunting around a small lake some two and a half miles from Dimmitt when a mishap occurred about 10 a.m. It was reported that a vehicle was getting a 12 gauge shotgun discharged striking Hamilton in the leg severing the main artery. Officials Hamilton apparently died before his condition could get him to the hospital in Dimmitt.
 A native of Plainview youth was born July 7. He lived in Country Club Apts., in Dimmitt, attending school there and was a member of the First Baptist Church. He had only one brother, Dimmitt for two months. Survivors include mother, Mrs. F. Hamilton of Dimmitt, father, Frankie Hamilton, Boise City, Okla.; two sisters, Frankie Dee Hamilton of Canyon and Rex Hamilton of Dimmitt; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hopper of Floydada and E. A. Hamilton of Dimmitt.
 Officiating for the service was Dr. Floyd C. B. Interment was in the Cemetery under the arrangements of Moore Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Freddie Harkey, Harkey, Cliff Harkey, Shawn Hollis, McRee, Gary Don, Kerry Hamilton, Charles McRee and Jodie Hamilton.
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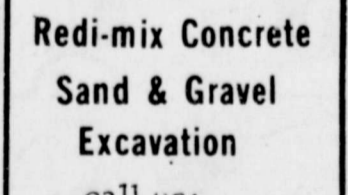
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THE Hospital Auxiliary and the E.M.T. will have a garage sale Thurs. and Fr. April 6 and 7. In the building next door to Stewarts cleaners. The proceeds will go for expenses on an ambulance or a microscope. 4-6c

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 Mack loved his family in Floydada so much and enjoyed everyone he knew here and we appreciate the care and concern you have shown during our time of sorrow.

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Plainview Pioneer Round-Up May 6

The Plainview Business and Professional Women's Club continues their observance of their 50th year of organization by announcing the date of Saturday, May 6 for their 50th Pioneer Round-Up, according to Judy Smith, President.

The first Round-Up was held in the City Auditorium on March 14, 1929. On that date pioneers were honored and the interest was so high that the BPW Club was asked to make it an annual affair and it has been held every year since that time.

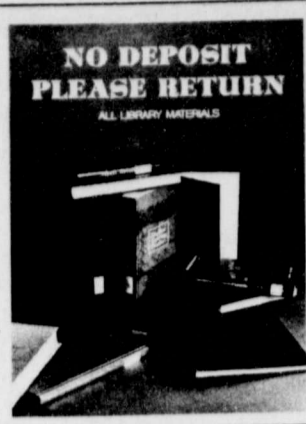
The 50th Round-Up will follow the same format as in past years with activities being held in the Hale County Agriculture Center on the south edge of Plainview. The reception will be held in the meeting room at the Center and pioneers will gather for this at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday morning.

The traditional Round-Up parade will roll at 2:30 p.m. The Saturday evening's program will begin at 6:00 when the chuck wagon supper will be served in the large assembly room at the Agriculture Center and the program to follow.

A square dance will conclude the day's activities. Committee chairmen appointed for this year's celebration include: Jan Tye, Program; Bula McGowen, Reception; Ruth Renegar, Foods; Mildred Tucker, Tickets; Lou Ella Scarborough, Parade; Helen Pemberton, Square Dance; Dorothy Morton, Float; Ola Stark, Registration; Wilma Courtney, Door; Betty Veal, Serving; Verne Shields, Concessions; Doris Henderson, Country Store; Judy Smith, Housing and Jo Ann Clements, Publicity.

All local and area people are invited to this Pioneer Round-Up to honor those pioneers who came to this country many, many years ago.

Participating sponsors are reimbursed up to the full operating costs of the program and for administrative costs related to planning, organizing and supervising the food service.



USDA Expands Summer Food Program In Rural Areas

The U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is launching an outreach project to expand the summer food program into more rural areas this summer. Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Carol Tucker Foreman said today.

"In past years the program has been operated primarily in urban areas," Ms. Foreman said. "This year we're seeking sponsors to operate the program in more rural areas."

County and municipal school systems, county governments, recreation departments, churches, social service groups and other nonprofit organizations are all eligible to sponsor the program," she said.

Department regulations states to identify program; states to solicit and assist these areas.

Legislation enacted in Nov. 1977 mandates that USDA conduct rural outreach in the summer food program. In January the



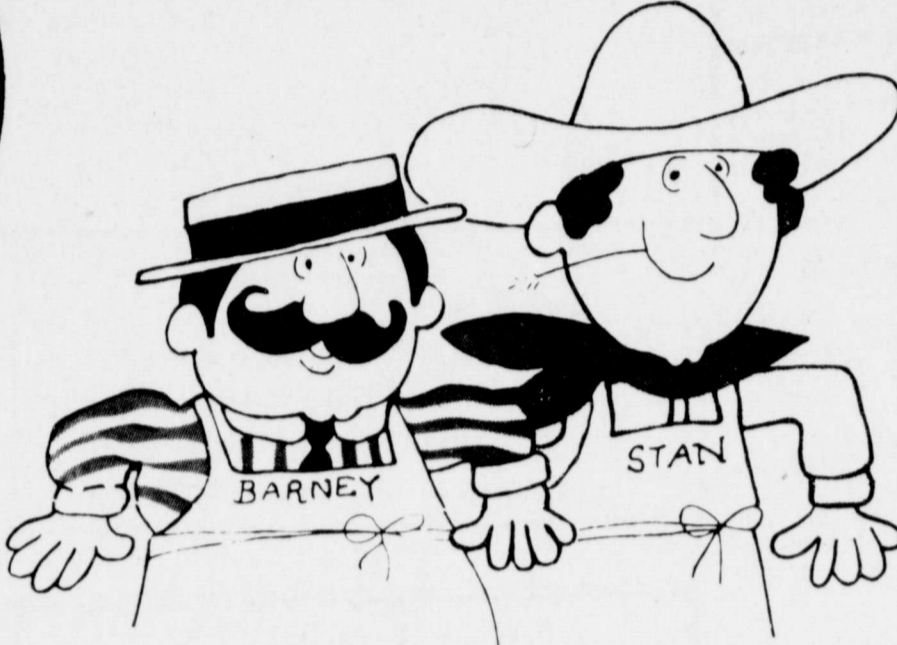
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First Payment Due Soon Of Estimated Tax

Individuals who do not have enough taxes withheld are required to pay their first payment of estimated 1978 Federal income taxes no later than Monday, April 17, the Internal Revenue Service said today.

Generally, when taxpayers have estimated tax of \$100 or more and gross income of more than \$500 not covered by withholding, they should file a declaration of estimated tax. A Form 1040-ES voucher must accompany the first installment.

Taxpayers who filed a declaration of estimated tax last year should have received an estimated tax package in the mail which includes four declaration vouchers and preaddressed envelopes. Also included in the package are a worksheet and instructions.

Taxpayers who are required to file and did not receive an estimated tax package in the mail can obtain it from a local IRS office.

IRS Publication 505, "Tax Withholding and Declaration of Estimated Tax," is available free from the IRS and provides more details on the payment of estimated tax.

SHOP FLOYD COUNTY FIRST.....

1977 TEXAS AG SALES UP—Cash receipts from Texas agricultural products in 1977 are estimated at \$6.87 billion, up from the 1976 total of \$6.55 billion, according to an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. And this generated more than \$25 billion in economic impact in the state. Meat animals led the way in cash receipts, with \$2.48 billion. Cotton was the top crop, with cash receipts of more than \$1.45 billion. Feed crops contributed \$819 million; food grains, \$485 million; poultry and eggs, \$358 million; dairy products, \$336 million; vegetables, \$231 million; and oil crops, \$197 million.

HINTS FOR HURRIED FARMERS—A little planning and organizing can help farmers and ranchers cope better with their intensive operations, says an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. This includes having equipment ready when it is needed, increasing field efficiency of equipment, changing cropping systems to avoid competition between crops, changing production systems, increasing working hours per day with parttime help, and using custom operators.

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