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Floyd County appraisal board holds

bank accounts and farmer-owned grain

stored in an elevator. Commercial

elevator operators would have to pay tax

on grain in their elevators, but coopera-

was necessary to keep the evaluations

McMorries did agree with Kirk that it

The board stressed the point that it

was important to remember that taxes

assessed by each of the 10 taxing

entities in the county would be based on

the same valuation under the new law.

so-called tax relief amendment, indica-

tions from board members were that

people would go along with the taxation

system as long as valuation was done on

someone to evaluate personal property

in the county and to appoint a board of

equalization, a duty formerly performed

by the commissioners' court.

The appraisal board agreed to hire

While there is still resistance to the

tives would not, the appraiser said.

first official meeting at courthouse

as low as possible.

an equitable basis.

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RAISAL BOARD — Members of Floyd County board take the oath of

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Tom Duvall, Eddie Teeter, Adrian office from county judge Choise Smith.

Helms, Jack Lackey and Judge Smith. Pictured are [left to right] Travis Jones.

No one shows up for public hearing on TV rates

Our Town By Duffy

A representative of the Social

A scheduled public meeting on a proposed cable television cost increase opened and closed within moments when not a single citizen appeared to comment at Tueday night's city council session.

"Several people asked me about it and I thought for sure someone would show up," commented Floydada mayor Parnell Powell. After Powell declared the meeting closed, the council unanimously approved the Television Signal Service Co. The council approved a \$1 increase in monthly service charges and a \$5 increase in the installation fee for additional outlets. The councilmen agreed to hold a special session next Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. to award a contract for paving work on South Eighth Street. Regulations require that the contract be awarded no fewer than seven nor more than 30 days from the bid opening. High Plains Pavers, of Plainview, turned in the only bid. The company proposed to complete the whole six blocks for \$74, 289.40 and to deduct \$11,000 for each block that the council opted not to pave. By adding an estimated \$1,400 of city money to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development grant, the council noted that four of the six

blocks could be paved. The total area for improvement might have been lower had not HUD allowed the city to use the contingency fund along with the regular paving funds to pay for the project.

For the third time, the council sat to open bids for the materials, labor and erection of electrical lines and power substation facilities for the city electric

power department.

raise but couldn't put it into immediate effect until they confer with the city manager on if the money was available. City manager Bill Feuerbacher reportedly had worked the increase into the budget but the council didn't know exactly what Feuerbacher had planned. The council passed over a HUD request that two additional members from the target area be named to the

The Floyd County Appraisal Board

met in the commissioners' chamber

Wednesday morning to elect officers

and discuss the contracts with the two

chairman and Tom Duvall as secretary-

The board elected Travis Jones as

Jim McMorries, of the Hereford

appraisal company, explained to the

board ways that agricultural land could

be valued for tax purposes. Valuation

could be determined on choice farmland

and the tax schedules factored in for

Floydada merchant David Kirk ap-

peared before the board to question

McMorries on the policy toward apprai-

McMorries said that he would ap-

praise on an average of 85 percent of the

market value of the inventories, exclud-

ing certificates of deposit and other

sing commercial inventories.

reappraisal companies

lower-graded land.

treasurer.

for city personnel to mow the alleys. 'If they refuse to pay, it puts you in the same position as if they didn't pay their taxes," Kincaid told the councilmen and mayor.

He added that some propertyowners had said that they would welcome paying for a city crew to do the work. In a related matter, the council

agreed to explore the possiblity of

Boyd Latham received tentative confirmation of a contract with the board to handle the industrial appraisal in the county

Latham quoted a price of \$7,500 for this service. The most likely method of splitting the cost amond the different entities would be the same formula that was used to pay McMorries, the members agreed.

Under Senate Bill 621, a new appraisal would have to be undertaken every five years, with maintenance evaluations being made on new facilities that come into service each year.

The board members and McMorries began a round of appearances Wednesday to local groups and communities to explain the new tax appraisal system.

Attending the meeting were board members Travis Jones, Tom Duvall, Eddie Teeter and Jack Lackey. County judge Choise Smith also sat in on the conference.

City manager City gives tentative approval to 10 percent pay hike reported to be stable in area hospital

City manager Bill Feuerbacher is in stable condition at Methodist Hospiattack last week, according to Floydada mayor Parnell Powell.

Office will be on hand at the d County courthouse on Wedneshrough March 31 from 9:30 a.m.

representative of McMorries and the Hereford tax reevaluation sts, will be at the Dougherty ool Thursday at 7:30 p.m. to in the new appraisal system ng effect in Floyd County. All ed persons are welcome.

E WOMEN'S DIVISION of the ber of Commerce is now accepttries for the annual employer of ear award to be presented March the Chamber banquet. Letters be mailed in care of the Women's ber, Floydada. Entries will be ted until February 20.

FLOYDADA BAND BOOSTERS will Monday January 14 at 7 p.m. at ouse Electric Coop. The purof the meeting is to discuss the concert. Everyone is invited to

REGISTRATION FOR Beginning sh 142 will be held at 6 p.m. ary 15 at the high school. The ise is being offered by Texas Tech sity and offers four hours of nic credit

PPROXIMATELY 600 persons at the fish fry Saturday night at da High School. The event, th was sponsored by Elanco pros and Producers Cooperative Elefeatured good food, an informaand enjoyable program, and door

y Nelson, area Elanco represenwas emcee for the affair. were Stan Grassell of Luberry Billingchek of Amarillo, Mike Simpson of Michigan, of Floydada. Bill Cagle, er of Producers, expresses his on to everyone who came and spent the first Saturday of the new decade" making the ig a success.

NOW ANY GOOD COOKS? Startext week we will begin a series Floyd County cooks, their recipes, tips and ideas. Give us and let us know some names of you'd like to see featured.

AND MRS. FLOYD BRADspent the New Years holiday with Captain and Mrs. Conlee and Paige and Scotty, of Arizona. Captain Bradford nstructor at Luke Air Force

MARLER, president of the rican Heart Association, has ed that a free blood pressure is now available at the communthe First National Bank lesday from 9 to 11.

A \$342,436.66 bid from the J.W. Buck Construction Co., of Lubbock, beat out bids from companies from Plainview, San Antonio and Rockwall.

The councilmen agreed to award the bid at next Tuesday's special session. At that time, the council will decide whether to try and finance the entire construction or to delay installation of a transformer until the job is nearer to completion. Delaying the transformer installation would lower the initial construction cost to the city.

City engineer Bill McMorries received authorization from the council to advertise for bids on sealing streets with tar and gravel during 1980. The city had budgeted \$40,000 for this expense.

As long as there is enough money in city accounts, city employees can look forward to a 10 percent, across-theboard pay increase sometime early this year. The council approved the pay

neighborhood improvement committee. The council had contacted two area women about serving on the committee but both reportedly refused.

The council also declined to take action on purchasing a new trash truck and the problem of how to deal with city propertyowners who refused to keep their lots mowed.

The council tacitly agreed that they did need another side-loading truck to get in and out of the alleys more quickly. They decided to wait until the city manager was back at work to make a final decision on the matter.

On the lot-mowing question, mayor Powell told the council that there had been "problems this year" with some property owners who did not mow their

City attorney Bill Kincaid expressed the opinion that the council could, under city statute, charge the propertyowners

leasing city land near the airport. Mrs. Stewart reported that delinquent tax collections were coming steadily but slowly. Larry Brandon, the tax attorney, was preparing a dozen suits currently and had plans to file another 12 suits in about three months,

Mrs. Stewart said. Councilman Jerry Thompson, who is also mayor pro-tem, received authorization to sign city checks in the absence of Bill Feuerbacher.

The council also agreed to get in line for possible grants for equipment for the city police department by sending in the necessary application forms.

Police chief Scott Newton asked the city to apply for the grants to buy additonal lenses for the department camera, a set of night-vision binoculars and a crime site search kit. Cost of the equipment was estimated at \$1,200, with the city to pay 25 percent of that total under the grant.

Joyce Lipham announced this week

that she had filed as a cnadidate for

justice of the peace in precincts one and

four. Mrs. Lipham, 45, is seeking the

seat that incumbent Walter Hollums

assumed upon the death of Tom Porter.

The candidate is a homemaker and

has taught music in the Floydada

community for 25 years.

Mayor Powell told the convened city council that Feuerbacher had withstood the trip from Floydada to Lubbock well and was resting. Powell also assured the councilmen that Feuerbacher was being treated by highly trained personnel and was attended by sophisticated coronary equipment.

Apparently, as the mayor said, the attack was concentrated in the front part of Feuerbacher's heart and had blocked an essential artery.

City secretary Jimmie Lou Stewart read a note of appreciation from Mrs. Norma Feuerbacher to the council expressing her appreciation for their support during her husband's illness.

Four announce for county positions; one withdraws from race

Cardinal announces for re-election

Incumbent Floyd County sheriff Fred Cardinal Tuesday announced that he was a candidate for re-election to his first full term in that office.

Cardinal, a former deputy sheriff and farmer, was appointed and elected two years ago to fill Bud Rainey's unexpired term.

Cardinal is a member of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. His wife, Polly, is an English teacher at Floydada High School. Their son, Louis Reid, is a Department of Public Safety trooper at Post.

The Cardinals attend the First United Methodist Church in Floydada.

Standing on his past record, the sheriff pledged to maintain law and order in the county if re-elected.

FRED CARDINAL

J.W. Becker seeks commissioner's post

J.W. Becker, who resides two miles south of the Sandhill Community, this week became the second candidate to announce for the precinct one county commissioner's seat.

Becker, 59, farms land in the Sandhill and Barwise communities.

The candidate told the Hesperian that he was persuaded by friends to join the race for commissioner

Becker was raised in Slaton. He moved to Floydada from Levelland in 1954 with his wife, Libbie. The couple have six children Robbie, Sam, Kelly, Barbara, Larry Schneider and Joan Gindorf.

Becker is a member of the Farmers Home Administration. The family belongs to Grace Lutheran Church of Slaton.

Walter Hollums seeks JP re-election

Walter Hollums, incumbent justice of the peace for Floyd County precincts one and four, announced Monday that he is a candidate for reelection to that office in the upcoming county elections.

Judge Hollums was appointed to the office of justice of the peace on March 6 of last year upon the death of H.E. Porter. The incumbent is now seeking to serve out Porter's unexpired term.

Prior to being appointed to the justice position, Hollums served as Sheriff of Floyd County for 16 years.

WALTER HOLLUMS

of the peace did so this week.

The first woman in Floyd County

JOYCE LIPHAM

Mrs. Lipham graduated from Floydada High School in 1951 and attended Texas Tech University extension classes held in Floydada.

She resides at 812 S. Fourth Street with her husband, Julian, and four children, Julianne, a junior at FHS; Timothy, an eighth grader at FJHS; Joe Kim, a sixth-grader at Andrews Ward and Spring, a pre-schooler. The Liphams have three married children, Mrs. Charlotte Spurlock and Mrs. Brenda Clampitt of Daingerfield and Ricky Nelson of Aiken.

The Liphams attend Bible Baptist Church.

A spokesperson for the county clerk's office noted that, while Mrs. Lipham was the first woman candidate for the justice position, a Mrs. Counts of Lockney previously served in the office to complete her husband's term.

Nutt withdraws from county race

An early contender for the precinct one county commissioner spot Wednesday morning announced his decision to withdraw from the race.

Edwin Nutt made his decision not to campaign after reviewing the effects that being a candidate would have on his family and business.

Nutt said that with children in school, holding public office could interfere with his responsibilities as a parent as well as make it more difficult to operate his business.

"Most of all, it wouldn't be fair to the county since I wouldn't have enough time to devote to the job," Nutt said. "This isn't a pop-up thing. I've been considering it for the past three months.

The former candidate thanked everyone for their encouraging words and telephone calls of support.

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J.W. BECKER



Side Glances

by John Carroll

SOMETIMES, WHEN YOU'RE STILL RELATIVELY NEW TO A PLACE, you learn the hard way that you've still got a lot to learn.

The other day I was strolling blithely across Missouri Street and leaped the curb only to almost impale myself on a four-foot concrete obelisk in the middle of the sidewalk. Who put that thing there and what the heck is it?

WHILE ON THE SUBJECT OF LEARNING NEW THINGS, I don't envy the members of the newly-formed county tax appraisal board one little bit.

They serve without pay to try and make a system that they are suspicious of into a workable pattern. And when a citizen disagrees with how his property is appraised who do you think will get

the flack? Just guess. WE AT THE HESPERIAN WERE PLEASED TO LEARN that city manager Feuerbacher is resting in the hospital after his heart attack. One look at the city business that had to be passed over at Tuesday's meeting shows how much the city depends on that tireless worker. We join with the rest of the Floydada-area community in wishing Feuerbacher a speedy re-COVERY. IT'S JUST MY OPINION, BUT far-

mers should be wary of being used as campaign pawns by candidates opposed to the president. Candidates of both parties have attacked the grain export ban on wheat shipments to the Soviet Union as an unjustifiable hardship on the agricultural community. The same persons also say the ban will force hardship on the taxpayers who must pay for government purchases of the wheat.

I can't disagree that the farmer, as has been the case since a small group of farmers delayed a British advance in the early days of the war for independence, will bear a large part of the brunt of the president's resistance to Soviet expansion that threatens to cut the Asian continent in half.

But if we use the non-military weapons at our disposal, perhaps Floyd County boys won't have to use M-16s in Afganistan or Pakistan.

The American agriculture industry is one of our nation's greatest strengths, but all that power isn't any good if we can't use it to defend our ideals.

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Nutt declines to run

"Perhaps I might run in the future, when the kids are older." Nutt commented.

"But it's better to withdraw now and give others a chance to consider running

for the ofice," he said. Nutt chose not to endorse any other the office.

candidate, freeing his supporters to

vote however they wished. Nutt concluded by apologizing for any inconvenience his decision might have caused anyone and said he hoped that his original announcement did not deter other possible candidates from seeking

Annual Boy Scout finance drive set for Floydada this month

Members of the Floydada Lions and Rotary Clubs, along with other friends of Scouting in the city area, will be calling on individuals and businesses in the coming days for support of the annual finance drive for the Boy Scouts the Lions. Wilson Bond is scoutmaster of American in our area, according to Ed Wester, the local postmaster and by the Rotarians. Mark Wideman is

and a great saving to the taxpayer, Wester noted.

Floydada has two Boy Scout troops and two Cub Scout packs. Jim Word is scoutmaster of Troop 357, sponsored by of Troop 355 and Pack 355, sponsored The Floyd County Hesperian

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Floyd Philosopher talks about TV hokum and finds a new reason for conserving our oil

Frequently the commercials on TV Dear editor: are much better than the programs they're interrupting, so much so that you get the notion the programs are interrupting the commercials.

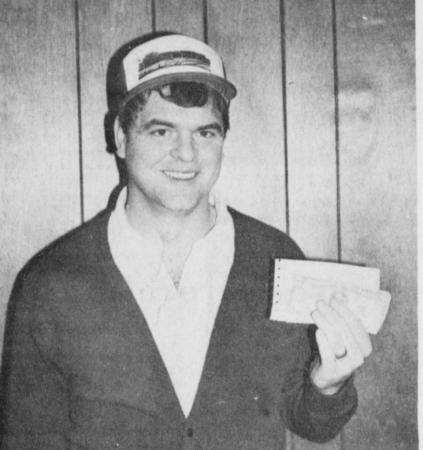
But like the programs, some commercials specialize in hokum. For example there's one advertising a computer, an item I've never been much interested in buying-I don't need a computer to tell me when to throw another log on the fire. It claims it's fighting inflation and savs that if the price of a hamburger had dropped as much proportionately as the price of that computer in the last 25 years, a hamburger would now cost 5 cents. What it fails to mention is that if a hamburger 25 years ago had cost as much as that computer then did, hamburgers would have cost \$150

Second prize for hokum goes to the apiece. car manufacturers who claim their cars go further on a tank of gas, mentioning that perhaps the are bigger. One claims that extra tank you can go halfwa the United States without fill Everybody talks about co

gas but nobody seems to know do it, except to drive less, w unthinkable. The problem is serious than people realize look, the earth turns on its, around every twenty-four Right? All right. Now if we pum oil out, what's going to happen Why the earth, without any

tion, is going to start squeaking, won't be able to sleep at night noise. And already the dip stick we're two quarts low.

Meanwhile, to change the sub the United Nations can't do an about the Iranian situation, sh consider taking it up with the Yoursfa



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rive chairman.

Wester pointed out that a boy in scouting costs only \$25 a year to support, while a boy in the state correctional system costs more than \$2,000 each year to support. A donation to the Scouts is an investment in youth

soon to resign from leading pack 357. More than a hundred scouts and their leaders participate in local scouting. The goal for the Floydada area has been set at \$3,000. Contributions may be left with Wester at the Post Office or with Jimmy Willson at Builders' Mart.

Gene Ehler to transfer from Floydada to Hereford

Gene Ehler, manager of the Floydada office of Pioneer Natural Gas Company, has been named manager of the Hereford district of the company and will be relocating from Floydada to Hereford.

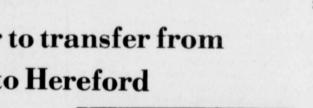
Ehler's replacement will be named within the next 30 days according to Charles K. Vaughan, vice president in charge of distribution for Pioneer.

Ehler replaces Nicks V. Fariss at Hereford who is assuming duties as Amarillo district manager. Ehler has been with Pioneer for 17 years and has been manager of the Floydada office since 1975. Prior to coming to Floydada, he was manager of the Lockney office of the company.

Ehler has been active in the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, the Floydad Rotary Club, and the Floydada Industrial Development Company.

He is a graduate of Idalou High School and attended West Texas State University.

Ehler and his wife, Mary Etta, have three children.



GENE EHLER

on the popular television series "Hee Haw," will be held in the Floydada High School auditorium to raise money for the Friends of the Library. Showtime is at 7:02 p.m. (that's right, seven-ohtwo.) The Women's Division of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the event.

STAFF PHOTO

FIRST DONATION - Mac Willson tion from a county firm in the Boy Scout holds a donation and card from Babe's finance drive now underway in the area. Service Center, the first such contribu-

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BAD MOUTHED

Vaudeville Country coming to benefit Friends of Library

City residents from five to 60 will get the chance to show off their talents when Vaudeville Country comes to Floydada Saturday, Jan. 26.

The music-and-comedy revue, based

Bill Cagle will act as master of ceremonies, while Hester Moore will play a Minnie Pearl-type character and Keith Thomas hawks crackerjacks.

Among the performers will be Cagle and Jack McIntosh doing a soft-shoe routine, veterinarian Charles Overstreet bending the rosin bow on his fiddle, Kay Crabtree on piano and Hope Crabtree, Joe Cluck and Harvey Allen as the backup musical group.

Tickets to Vaudeville Country are \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children 11 years old and younger.

Gollihar, 17, will undergo basic

training at Ft. Jackson, South Carolina,

before moving on to advanced individ-

ual training at Ft. Lee, Virginia. After

training in supply and distribution ad-

ministration, he is expected to be

He began the enlistment process last

Gollihar became the fourth successive

generation of the family to serve in the

month, culminating in taking the oath of

assigned a duty station in Germany.

allegiance last Friday in Plainview.

Douglas Gollihar enlists in Army; leaves Monday for basic training

Army.

Douglas Charles Gollihar, son of Floyd County deputy sheriff Jim Gollihar, left Floydada Monday for service in the U.S. Army.



NEW SHOP - Elaine McNeill shows some of the fabric available in Stichin Pretty, her store at 118 W. California St.

The store carries a complete line of fabrics, notions and McCalls patterns for local sewing enthusiasts. The shop is

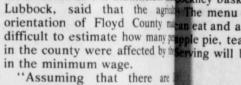
scheduled to open for business today at 9 a.m. Mrs. McNeill is assisted at the store by her husband, James.

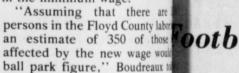
SOLDIER - Douglas Gollihar this week left Floydada for basic training at Ft. Jackson, S.C. The 17-year-old soldier is the son of Floyd County deputy sheriff The federal minimum wage increased ment Commission statistician from \$2.90 an hour to \$3.10 an hour, effective Jan. 1, according to the U.S. Department of Labor.

More than 5 million of the 57 million workers covered by the Fair Labor Standards Act are eligible for pay increases because of the change. These are workers covered by the act who make less than \$3.10 an hour. The Jan. 1 change in the minimum wage was provided for in 1977 amendments to the FLSA.

Jerry Boudreaux, a Texas Employ-

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AUSTIN- One of his fellow Republicans last week warned Gov. Bill Clements to keep a "strong nosecount" of votes in the legislature before calling his promised special session on wiretapping, initiative and referendum and any other issues.

Houston State Rep. Chase Untermeyer said his recent poll of his conservative district showed overwhelming public apathy on the governor's targeted issues.

Untermeyer is the first Republican to publicly caution Clements, who has repeated his promise to call lawmakers back to Austin in either March or September.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Bill Clayton have also publicly warned Clements there is no strong backing in the Legislature to spend extra tax dollars with a special session. Clements has called tax reform, I&R, and wiretapping "three super issues" on which Republican candidates could run and win in 1980.

Untermeyer said his poll showed constituents in favor of the issues, but the 1.3 percent questionnaire response showed little public concern. Mortgage Rate Hike

Representatives of Texas savings and loan institutions are predicting interest rates on home loans will float to over 13 percent following enactment of a federal law last week which removes rate caps The law suspends all rate ceilings for

90 days. Texas has a 12 percent cap after the last Legislature raised it from

Jerry L. Knippa, president of the Texas Savings and Loan League, said the free market situation is the first time for Texas in 100 years and no one really knows what will happen, but other lobbyists predicted the rates will seek their own level between 13 to 14

More Blackened Beaches

Texas beaches could become more polluted than last summer unless the runaway Ixtoc 1 oil well is capped soon,

a federal oceanographer was week.

Dr. John Robinson of th Oceanic and Atmospheric Ad tion said there is a 30 percer the oil still flowing into Mexico Campeche will wash up concentrations on Texas be tween Brownsville and Port this spring.

The daily flow is estimated 2,000 to 50,000 barrels from which blew out June 3, 1979.

More Retirements Two House committee chai nounced last week they will reelection, raising to 16 the n members who are quitting.

Representatives Ben Grant shall, and Forrest Green, D-C both said they were quitting they had been in office long Grant is chairman of Judiciary tee and Green heads the A and Livestock Committee.

Aid to Victims

Starting Jan. 1, the state will cash to victims of violent crim injuries caused financial hard new law is one passed by Legislature, and convicted c not taxpayers, provide the fun Criminals will contribute amounts to the new Crime Compensation Fund, and v their survivors can apply to Industrial Accident Board for

AG Opinions

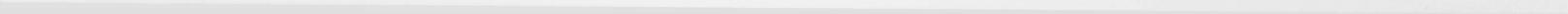
In legal opinions issued Attorney General Mark White -Justices of the peace may

benches and thereby sit in another outside of their precinct expedient.

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Varsity Whirlettes prepare for district play, defeating Patton

Springs and Christ the King

he Floydada Varsity girls basketball n will begin district play Friday n pitted against the defending champions, the Lockney Lady The game will be in Floydada ing at 6:30 and will be followed Varsity boys game.

s are high as the Whirlettes istrict play with an impressive (14 wins and 2 losses, at press Coach Tommy Baxter said that district is probably the toughest ompetition in the area, with kney and Abernathy picked as trict favorites.

The Whirlettes continued their winning streak Thursday defeating Patton Springs, 62-34.

Scoring for the Whirlettes were Rosemary Barnes, 13; Kelli Ferguson and Susan Turner, 10; Kelly Higginbotham and Debra Alfaro, 8; Amy Jones and Janet Pleasant, 4; Nora Black, 3; and Karen Turner, 2.

Friday in Lubbock, Floydada outbasketed Christ the King, 44 to 25, with LaQuita Davis scoring 14 points, Rosemary Barnes, 12; Debra Alfaro, 6; Nora Black, Kelli Ferguson and Julianne Lipham, each with 4.

The man who designed basketball to be a safe, non-contact sport never dreamed that players one day would be endangered by flying chunks off glass from backboards broken by dunk shots. But this is not basketball's only prob-

Players who could not dunk a basketball in a washtub face some of the same hazards professionals do because of hazards present in the game ever since the ball first plopped into the peach basket originally used for a hoop. Beginners and skilled players may share the same injuries because being

out of shape makes amateurs open to injury while pros may crumble after years of extremely intensive physical stress.

Basketball was supposed to be a non-contact sport

Fortunately many injuries can be prevented by proper training, good shoes and other equipment, and by taking care of minor injuries before they get worse.

Sprained ankles and knees, two of the most common injuries, can be avoided somewhat by wearing high-top shoes to help ankles and doing exercises to improve strength and flexibility of these joints. These measures are especially important if a person has had previous sprains and strains.

Besides high-tops to help ankles, other important shoe characteristics include a good fit and tread that will provide traction without stopping the player too abruptly. Shoes that grab too suddenly can strain ankles, knees and other leg parts that undergo stress in basketball anyway.

People in poor physical condition and tired players may be injured more easily so being in good shape is important. Some studies recommend about four to six weeks of exercises and drills to build up strength, endurance, flexibility and general basketball skills before the season starts. Most players are injured in practice so common sense, good warming up and proper equipment are necessary at all times.

Some injuries are not as easily avoidable as sprains and strains. Bruises, cuts and cracked bones are some of the problems that may occur unexpectedly since the "non-contact" game of basketball has changed. Since there is no way to avoid occasional falls and body contact, TMA says proper care after injuries is the best way to cope with them. Taking care of an injury as soon as it occurs will put the player back in full participation sooner than playing while in pain and perhaps increasing an injury which will then require more extensive treatment.

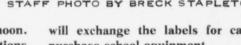
As the number of female players increases, a controversy about possible injuries to them has arisen. Some theories say that a woman's wider hips make her more prone to hip and knee injuries than men are. Supposedly the wide pelvis puts women's knees at angles more susceptible to injury.

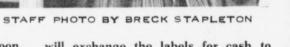


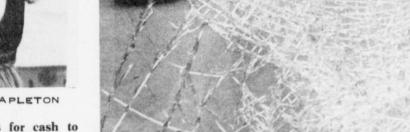
UPLABEL DRIVE — Mindy Matsler Melissa Martinez put in the first mubell's soup labels in the container

at Buddy's Food Tuesday afternoon. The store will accept the label donations until Feb. 22. The Duncan School PTA

will exchange the labels for cash to purchase school equipment.







ROCK THROWERS caused a big mess early Tuesday morning when they attacked a plate-glass windows and doors at the sheriff's/police/justice of peace office in Lockney. The vandals' missiles didn't go through this safety glass window at the front of the building

but shattered the window beyond use. Three of the four front windows were destroyed, as well as the glass door and window on the north side of the building. One front window and the front door were not broken. The Lockney police department is investigating the incident because it occurred inside the Lockney city limits, but the building is owned by the county. Lockney patrolman Charles Higgs discovered the vandalism about 1 a.m. Tuesday. No arrests had been made Wednesday afternoon.

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)ur The Floydada High School DECA Floydada Jr. High Cafeteria and will

oup will host a chili supper in continue until 8:00 p.m. DECA students nction with the Floydada vs. promise the meal is a bargain! Proceeds from this chili supper will

Chili supper Friday in Floydada Stenholm

basketball games January 11. he menu includes all the chili you nade eat and a generous portion of spicy le pie, tea or coffee, for only \$2.25. ing will begin at 4:30 p.m. at the

be used to aid in financing DECA students trip to the state convention and to provide a club banquet at the end of the year.

ootball banquet set for Saturday

he annual Whirlwind Football Banwill be held Saturday night at 7 n the Massie Activity Center. banquet is sponsored by the ada Quarterback Club and will be

open to the public. Tickets may be purchased from Sherri West at the high school or from Robert Stovall, president of the Quarterback club. Tickets are \$5 each.

len's weightlifting class slated

organizational meeting for a ed men's weightlifting class will d Jan. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the new on high school gymnasium. Bunch, Crosbyton high coach,

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will teach the class. Tuition is \$20 for each student. A minimum of 10 enrollees will be necessary to hold the class.

DECA **CHILI SUPPER**

Floydada vs. Lockney Ballgames

Friday, January 11

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tension in the middle east as a prime example of the need for increased United States preparedness as the top priority in the 1980s, Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announced his plans Tuesday to run for his second term of office.

Stenholm told supporters he was committed to a stronger defense position that could "leave no doubt in any nation's mind of America's resolve to defend our hard-won freedoms.

Stenholm, 41, was elected to Congress following the retirement of longtime Congressman Omar Burleson of Anson. He serves on the House Agriculture Committee and was recently named to the House Small Business Committee. A native of Jones County, he graduated from Tarleton State University in 1959 and in 1961 received his BS degree from Texas Tech University. The following year he earned his MS in Agriculture Education at Texas Tech. Outlining his overall views, Stenholm

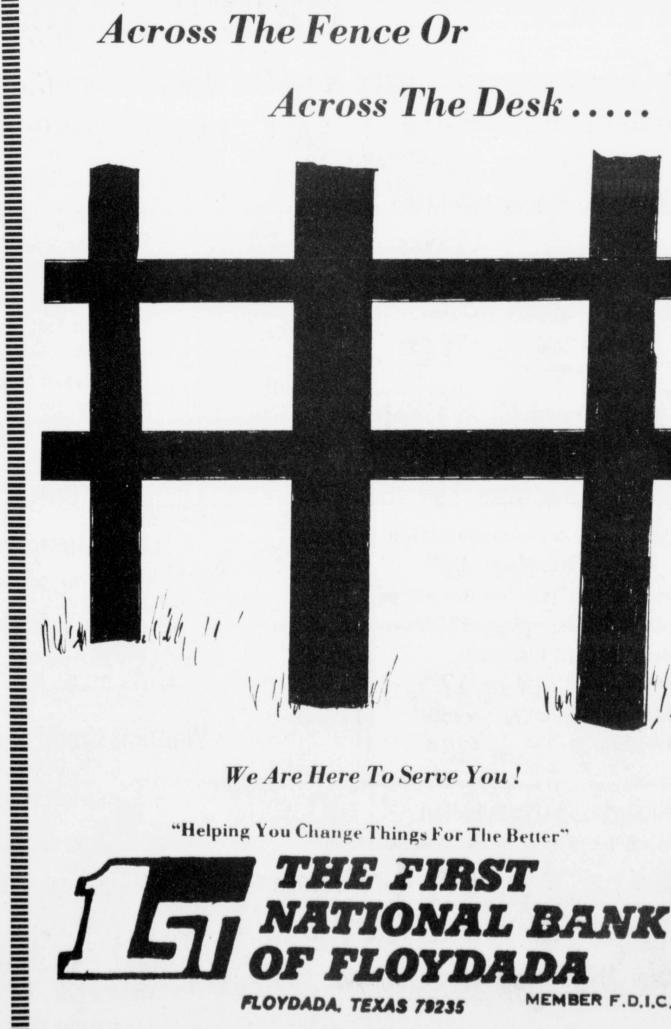
said he had "every confidence in our system of government and I am optimistic about the second session of the 96th Congress." He stressed the elimination of deficit spending as another primary goal and emphasized his intentions "to continue to do all that is possible to cut any unnecessary federal spending." 'The true test of a good Congress-

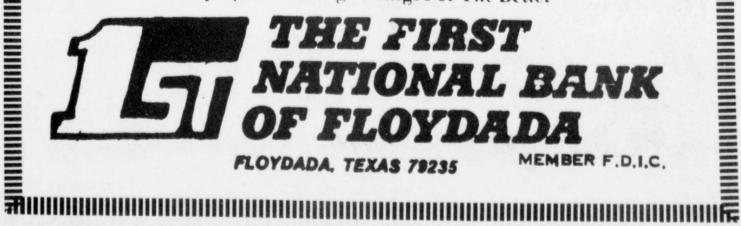
man however is knowing where to cut knowing what is unnecessary fat and what is real muscle. In the case of national defense, we are dealing with the backbone of our country," he emphasized.

Rep. Charles Stenholm

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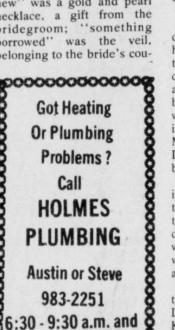


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Miss Cooper, Jones married in Lockney church

January Sale Cont	tinues At The Loft	Archie Jones were marrie December 28 in the Fin Baptist Church of Lockne Reverend John Jenkins of ciated at the 7 p.m. doubl
One Group Ladies Wear 1/2 Price	All Coats 20% Off	ring ceremony. The bride is the daught of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper of Lockney, and th groom is the son of Mr. an Mrs. Willie Jones, also Lockney. The bride, given in ma riage by her father, wore floor-length gown of peau soie and lace, designed wi
One Group Mens Hats	One Group Mens Shirts	a fitted bodice, scallop neckline and bouffant skin The skirt terminated in chapel train. The fingert veil was trimmed with with lace and was attached to crown of lace. She carried nosegay of gardenias an
¹ / ₂ Price	1/3 Off One Rack	white roses entwined amon ivy, baby's breath and holl tied with pink and burgan streamers, and atop a Bit belonging to Mrs. Dub Me
Boys Shirts& Pants	Ladies Wear	cer. As something old, t bride wore a gold ring b longing to the bride's gran father, Mr. Otis Purcell Albuquerque, New Mexic
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Wrangler No Fault Jeans Regulary ³ 16 ^{oo} Now ^{\$} 14 ⁰⁰	Select Group Mens Pants \$700	new'' was a gold and per necklace, a gift from t bridegroom; ''somethin borrowed'' was the ver belonging to the bride's co Got Heating Or Plumbing Problems ?
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Miss Glenda Cooper and rchie Jones were married December 28 in the First Baptist Church of Lockney. Reverend John Jenkins offiiated at the 7 p.m. doubleing ceremony



sin, Mrs. David Love of Albuquerque; and "something blue" was a garter. Matron of honor was Nelda Figueroa of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and bridesmaids were Linda Jones of Lockney and Diane Barnes of Duncanville. Bridal attendants wore floor-length dresses of satin knit with floral sheer cape collars, carried votive candles set among holly wreaths and wore pink silk flowers in their hair. Candlelighters Tracey and

Leslie Figueroa, flower girl Sammie Cooper, and guest registrar Greata Cooper of Houston, were dressed in floor-length pink satin knit dresses with floral cape collars. They wore wristlets of pixie pink carnations.

Rodney Edwards of Lockney was best man. Groomsmen were Tim Cooper and David Lewis.

Ushers were Johnny and Bobby Jones and Terry and Teddy Cooper.

The wedding scene was decorated with two candlebra trees standing on each side of a taper-arch. The windows were decorated with candles and holly

Music was provided by organist Margorie Ferguson and pianist, Ann Race. Soloists were Tim Cooper, Monty Richards and Stacie Layton. Reception

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. A three-tiered cake trimmed with burgandy and pink flowers graced the bride's table, which was set with a crystal service. Serving at the bride's table were Mrs. O.C. Love and Mrs. Dean Purcell, aunts of the bride, of Albuquerque. Mrs. Ted Cooper, sisterin-law of the bride of Houston, presided at the groom's table, serving the chocolate cake which was shaped like wedding bands. The cake

was made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Ross Cooper. Assisting with the recep tion were Mmes. Jeff Terrell, Dub Mercer, Tom Marr, Kenneth Murdock, Tom Duvall and Eugene Owens. Wedding Trip

Following a wedding trip

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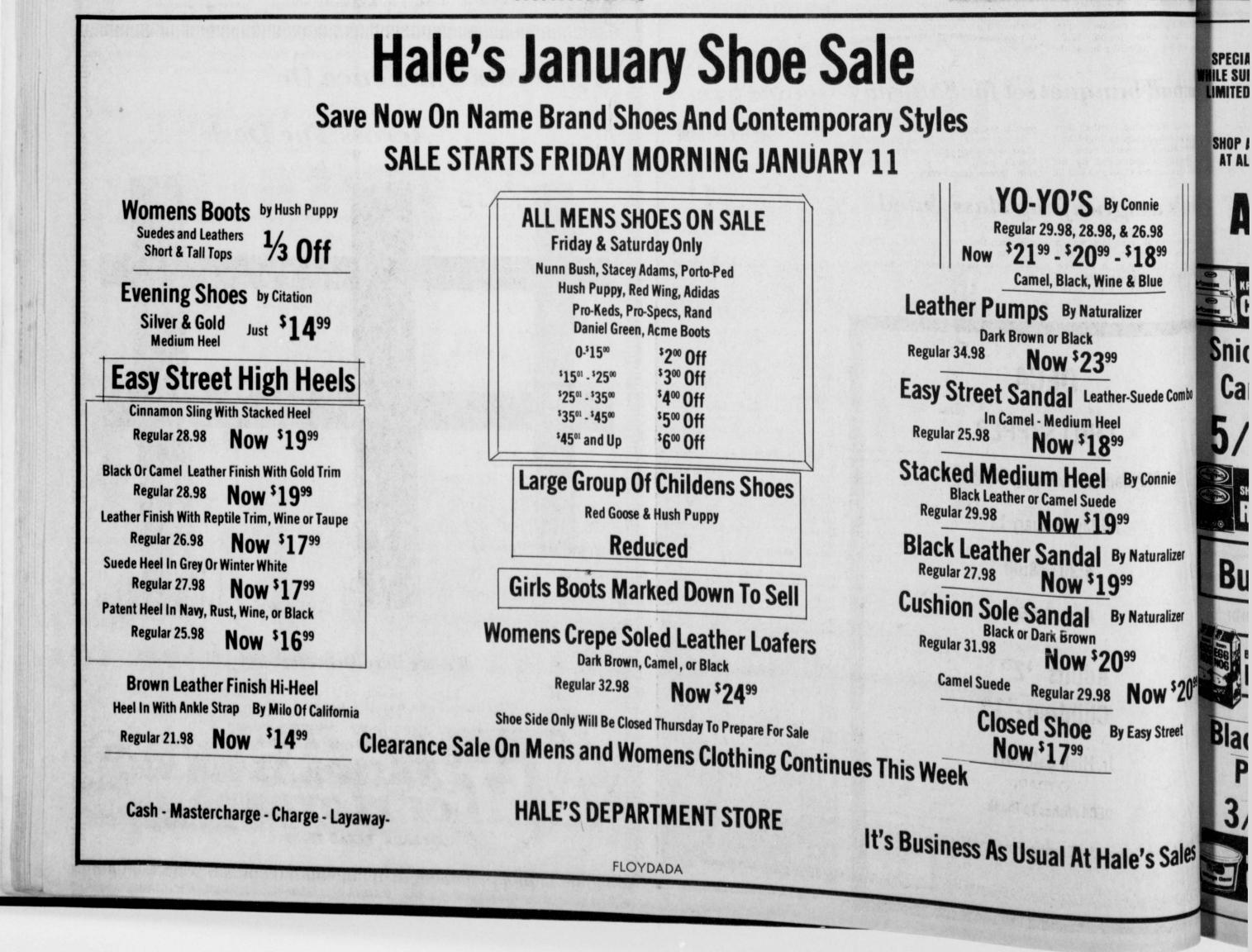
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Caprock Camera Club meets in Floydada

Caprock Camera Club met Lighthouse Electric Cooperlast Thursay night in the ative building in Floydada.

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The group viewed color transparencies shown by club member Wilson Bond, and members Ray McDonald

and Bill Kincaid presented a program on closeup photography equipment. The camera club meets the first Thursday night of Unviersity of Dubuque. Radloff is a graduate of Floy-dada High School. each month. Everybody

interested in photography is invited to attend the meetings and join the club. The camera club is a new organization (the first meeting was held in November) which tries to offer "something for everybody" in photography, from the Instamatic snapshooter to the

advanced amateur and professional photographer. More member slide shows, print exhibitions and programs are planned for future meetings, as well as special programs from Eastman Kodak and area professionals. Club members have also talked about sponsoring

photography field trips next

spring and summer.

Alpha Phi Omega participate in an initiation period when they familiarize Paul Radloff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Radloff, 510 themselves with the policies of the group and become W. Missouri, Floydada, was acquainted with their fraterone of 17 students who recently pledged the Alpha nity brothers. Phi Omega fraternity at the

Paul Radloff pledges

The University of Dubuque is an independent liberal arts college and graduate theological seminary with a combined coeducational enrollment of 1,200 students. Undergraduates at the University of Dubuque may choose from more than 30 majors and pre-professional areas of study offered by the Presbyterian-related college. There are seven social fraternities and sororities

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Highlighting the fraterand a service sorority on the nity's projects is the annual UD campus, in addition to Red Cross blood drive held the Alpha Phi Omega. on the UD campus. Pledges

Alpha Phi Omega is a

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University of Dubuque in

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school and community.

Rebekah Lodge installs officers

Floydada Rebekah Lodge, No. 77, met on Jan. 8 to install officers for the new

Dorothy Reeves, Noble Grand, and Barbara Gilliland, Vice Grand, were installed into their respective chairs by Grace Grundy, District Deputy President and her installing staff. The new Noble Grand gave her acceptance speech and presented her theme for the new term

Her theme :"Minister to Others;" Symbol - "Giving a drink of Water;" Slogan -"Loving and Forgiving;" watchword - "Bear ye one

brown; Flower - yellow which Amanda Hart and Grace Grundy sang.

assist the Noble Grand and Grand were Grace Vice Grundy, recording secretary; Artie Webb, treasurThe Floyd County Hesperian Today's Lifestyles By Marilyn Tate County Extension Agent appear. For one thing, we

OUR INFLATED FUTURE A Hershey bar for over \$1, Baskin-Robbins ice-cream cone for \$1.76, the Sunday New York Times for \$2.88, a head of lettuce for \$2.12, and \$17,460 for a year's tuition at Harvard? Yes, indeed. These horrible prices will come to pass by 2001 if we have an annual inflation rate of 6 percent. (That rate is consermaking a good deal more vative, incidentally; last year money. If your total family it was 9 percent.) income is now between

Before you throw up your \$20,000 and \$23,000 then by hands, remember that people in 1959 would have 2001, you should be raking in reacted with similar horror to at least \$77,000 a year. Quite enough, I think, to afford a projections of today's prices. There are also reasons to \$1.76 Baskin-Robbins icebelieve that future prospects cream cone. are not as bleak as they first

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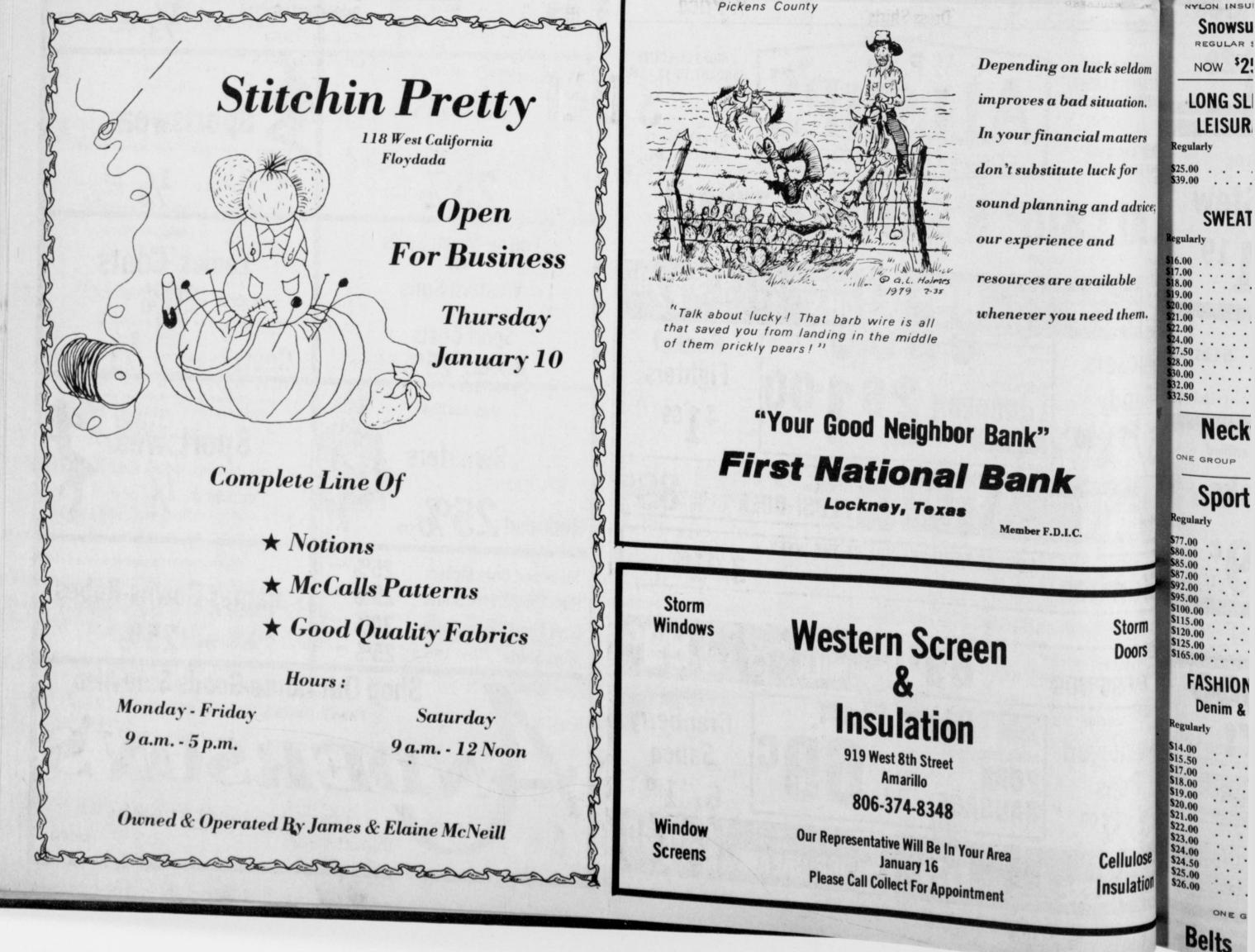
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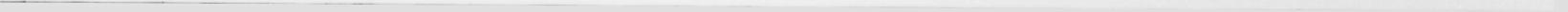
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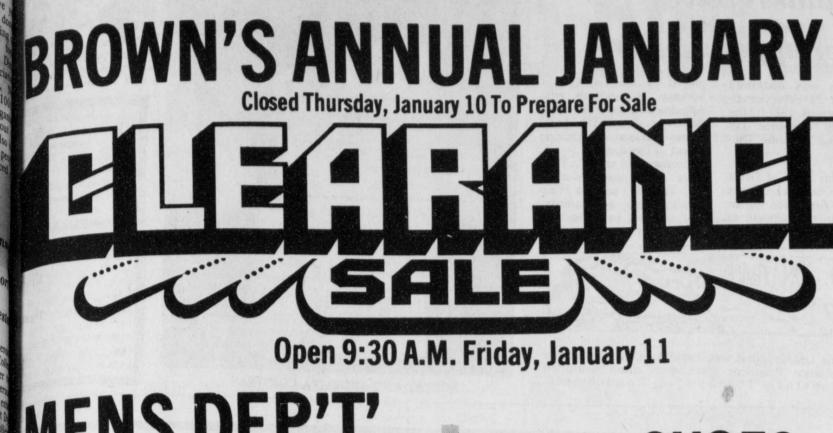
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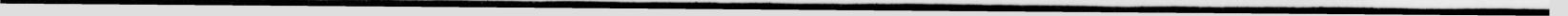
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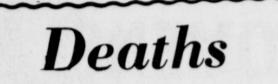
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Pastor of Cone church dies

Services for the Rev. Crutcher Olaf Haile, 67, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cone, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church of Megargle.

Officiating was the Rev. John Bobo of Hurst and the Rev. Mike McKinney of Houston. Burial was in the Megargle Cemetery under the direction of Lond Funeral Home of Olney. Local arrangements were by Moore-Rose Funeral Home

children.

Thursday, January 10, 1980 Page 8

Robert Cortinas receives associate pastor appointment

Robert Cortinas, deacon of St. Mary Magdalen's Catholic Church in Floydada, was appointed associate pastor of the Sacred Heart Church of Petersburg, and its mission church, St. Isidore in Aber-

had been in ill health. He nathy, effective Janury 1, married Mildred Meredith in 1936 in Megargle. They 1980. The appointment was came to Floyd County five made by the order of the years ago from Liberal, Kan. Administrator's Office by Fr. Survivors include his wife; Norbert G. Kuehler, Chana son, George of San Ancellor of the Amarillo Dio-

tonio; a daughter, Mrs. Francese. Cortinas is the first ces Chiddix of Plainview; a deacon to be appointed an brother, Horace of Gonzales; associate pastor of the Amaa sister, Mrs. Fred Hilbers of rillo Diocese. Until Cortinas Levelland; and seven grandwas named to the post of associate pastor, Sacred Heart Church and St. Isidore were without a priest or deacon

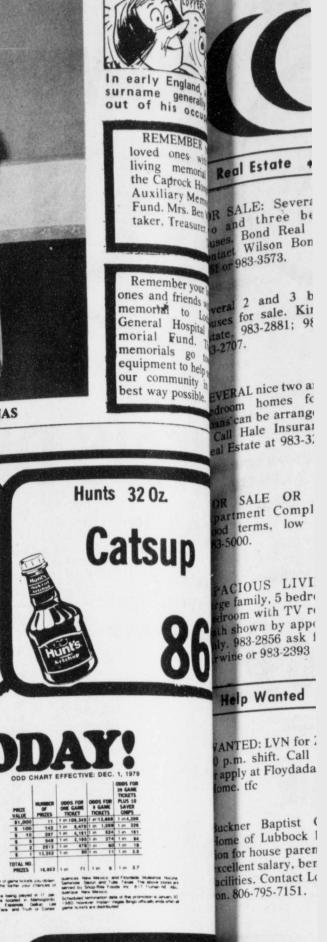
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cese, at Our Lady of Grace and Tuesday, and on Wed-Church in Lubbock. These nesday, Friday and Saturday were the first men to be will minister to Petersburg ordained in this diocese as and Abernathy. deacons. Cortinas is em-



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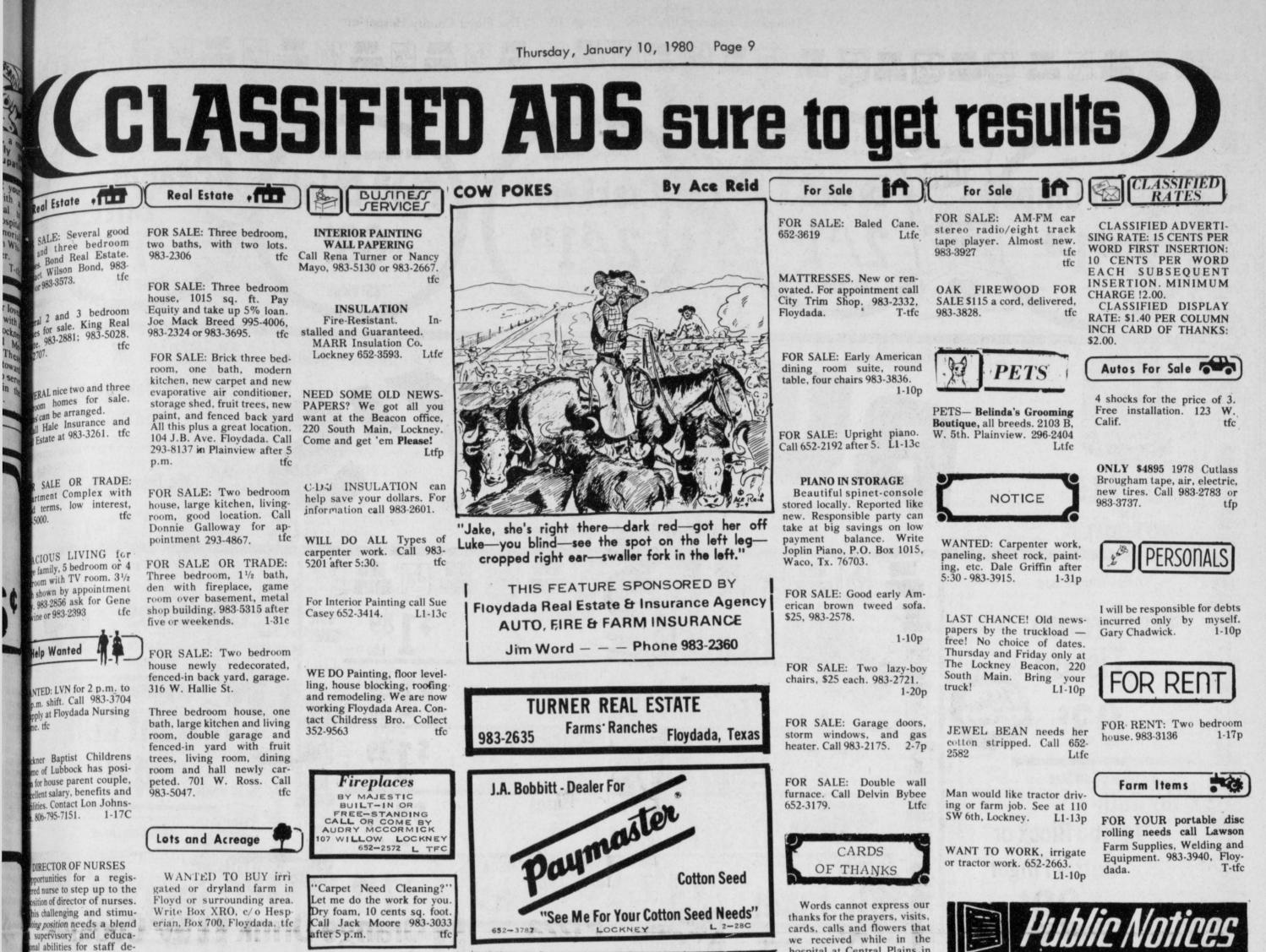
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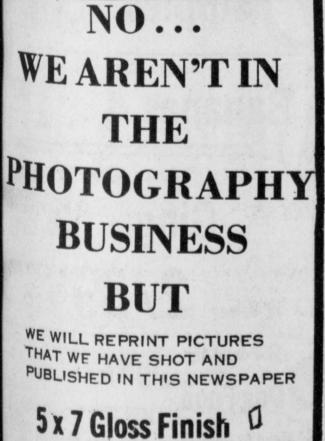
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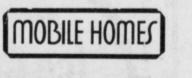
hospital at Central Plains in Plainview. May God bless each and everyone of our friends, loved ones, and neighbors is our prayer. Hubert E. and Ruby Davis

I wish to thank everyone who called, visited, sent flowers and cards during my stay in the hospital. Also thanks to Dr. Hong and the nurses at Caprock Hospital. Edd Muncy 1-10p

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We would like to say thanks for all the cards, visits, flowers, prayers and a special thanks to Dr. Hong, Dr. Jordan, and nurses during my stay in the Caprock Hospital. May God bless each of you.

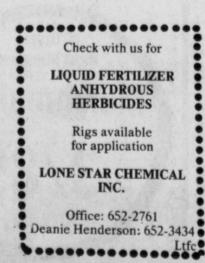
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NOTICE OF TAX RENDITION 1980 J. Jack Samford, Assessor and Collector of Taxes for the Lockney Independent School District, Lockney, Texas do hereby give public notice that all persons, firms, corporations and associations, public or bonded warehousemen, and all others, beginning January 1 st, 1980 or before April 1st, 1980, shall furnish the Assessor and Collector of Taxes for Lockney Independent School District a full and complete statement, list, and schedule verified by affadavit, of all real and personal propery situated in Lockney Independent School District, and all personal property located elsewhere and subject to taxation in Lockney Independent School District, owned, held, or controlled by them, or in their possession as agent, bailee, warehouseman, or custodian on the first day of January 1980, and shall in said statement, List, and Schedule, State the name and address of the owner or owners of such property, Such List, Statement, and schedule must be filed with the Assessor and Collector of Taxes for Lockney Independent School District, located in the old bank building, corner of College and Main Streets; Lockney, Texas.

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Homestead applications must be filed in like manner as for renditions and prior to April 1, 1980

Age 65 or Disability Homestead and with proof of Age of Disability Prior to April 1, 1980.

Applications for valuation of farm land must be filed in like manner as for renditions with such data as necessary to establish eligibility and bare for valuation, prior to April 1, 1980. Those applications that would result in a lower tax and are not on file or postmarked prior to April 1, 1980 will be denied.

Witness my hand this the 18th Day of December 1979

Jack Samford Tax Assessor and Collector Lockney Independent School District Lockney, Floyd County, Texas

Texas Laws specifically states that everything of value unless it be specifically excempt by law comes within the meaning of taxable property. Courts have ruled for example that where cattle are being fed, pastured, or otherwise cared for on property owned or leased by another, the owner or leaser in responsible that the cattle be rendered properly, or he may be assessed for the cattle himself and under certain conditions applies to equip. on lease, merchandise on consignment, and almost any type of personal property, controlled by persons not the owner.

Homesteads are covered by a new law And no longer includes anything but the home, such apportances as are necessary for the occupation of the home, (Garage pump home, ect) and such land as may be designated (fenced or marked off) for the containment of such home and apportances. Must own the home, and must reside there.

To be eligible for age 65 or Disability exception the applicant must be eligible for the regular Homestead exemption as defined above.

Ag production use applicants must deduct homesteads and or other homesites as nonproduction land.

All application must be completed in full detail by State Agencies they must be denied.

Forms are being mailed and are also available at the Lockney Independent School District Tax Office, corner of College and Main Street, Lockney, Texas.

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