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Commissioners examine county liability insurance

Insurance was the major topic of consideration for the second month in a row for the Floyd County Commissioner's Court. Insurance agent Sam Baker submitted a proposal from the National Indemnity Company through the Vantage Insurance Agency in Lubbock with all service work to be done by Baker Insurance Agency of Floydada. The dual proposal accounts for vehicle liability insurance and general liability insurance for the county.

The vehicle liability insurance will include all county vehicles registered for road use with \$100,000-\$300,000-\$100,000 coverage. The annual premium for a years coverage will be \$15,337.00. This expenditure was approved.

The second portion of the proposal covered general liability on all county operations with the exception of the sheriff's department. The premium for this coverage is estimated at \$26,900.00 per year and was tentatively approved pending a firm premium quote.

The court also approved a \$319 expenditure for liability insurance offering malpractice coverage for Randy Hollums in his capacity as District

Fees to be paid to persons called for jury duty were raised from \$7 per day to \$12 per day effective January 1, 1986. An increase in ambulance fees from \$350 to \$500 was again tabled pending receipt of a report on ambulance service in Lockney. Caprock Hospital District had submitted the request for an

increase late in 1985.

Don Sutterfield, Margie Fowler and Zahn Turner were selected for appointment to the salary grievance committee with Floyd Bradford selected as alternate. The four will be notified of their selection and may accept or decline at their discretion. If they choose to accept the appointment, they will serve on a panel with the elected county officials to mediate salary disputes if necessary.

Mona Bond, representing the FCS Federal Credit Union, appeared before the court to offer membership in the credit union to county employees. The court approved the proposal which places no obligation on the county or it's employees while making membership in the credit union available to any county employee desiring to join.

The court agreed to a pre-purchase demonstration of the RCA teletype system being considered for purchase by the Sheriff's Department. A decision on purchasing the system at a cost of \$3395 plus \$379 for a battery back-up will be made following the on site demonstration. The service maintainance contract would cost \$89 per month for five years on this system as opposed to the \$182.00 per month being paid on the old teletype now in use.

A dispute of payroll compensation to road worker Monroe Schultz was resolved as requested by Precinct 4 Commissioner Jack Lackey. Schultz will turn over workman's compensation checks he received for work time lost due to a hand injury sustained on the job last fall. The money will be returned to Precinct 4 funds and he will receive his usual salary plus benefits from the

Lackey stated, "I want it handled this way so that Monroe doesn't lose anything on his retirement or health insurance. He has served the county faithfully for 18 years and I think we owe him this."

Receiving workman's comp in lieu of

salary will disrupt the continuity of this employee's health insurance and retirement. I don't feel that this is fair to a long time employee," stated Precinct 2 Commissioner Bob Jarrett when he made a motion to handle the matter as requested by Lackey. Precinct 1 Commissioner Sam Spence seconded the motion which passed unanimously on

County Treasurer Glenna Orman

presented financial reports for the month of December, the quarter from October thru December of 1985 and the year 1985. County auditor Bobbie Hamilton reported that tax collections are 69% complete with \$623,575 collected as of December 31. This amount represents 75% of the tax revenue budgeted for use in 1986.

Hamilton also reported that the county completed the year with \$121,760.89 in surplus funds from the 1985 budget. These funds are revenues in excess of expenditures and are unbudgeted, unreserved funds to be carried over into 1986 in addition to the estimated beginning fund balances in the 1986 budget.

Farm work contracts were approved for L.D. Smith, Billy Kirk, B.B. Wilkes, James Cage, Orba Miller and Mike

Cost of building insurance for schools doubles

Insurance for the buildings in the Floydada Independent School District more than doubled in cost from 1985 to 1986. School trustees learned that coverage for the buildings will cost \$34,268.00 when the only bid received was opened at the January 13 regular session of the board. The Texas Association of School Boards service facility submitted the single bid for the insurance contract which becomes effective January 23 upon the expiration of the current coverage which cost about \$16,000 last year.

Another rising expense to be faced by the district is that of funding the career ladder program. The district anticipates the addition of 8 or 9 teachers, bringing the total number of Floydada teachers in the program to 32 or 33. The board approved using the 1984-85 career

ladder committee for the 1985-86 school year selections.

Board members set the tuition rate for out of district students at \$84 per month for the 1986-87 school year and agreed to employ Gary, Thayer, and Bowers to do the next audit of school financial records. A resolution to tax automobiles was also passed by the

April 5, the first Saturday in April was selected as the date for the school trustee election. Fred Zimmerman III and Don Hardy are up for re-election. In addition, one vacant position will be open following the resignation of Hulon Carthel during the meeting. Absentee voting will be held in the county clerk's office prior to the election.

In addition to Carthel's resignation, the board accepted the resignation of Polly Cardinal from her position as English teacher at the high school. Anne Carthel was approved for employment to fill the vacancy created by Cardinal's resignation. The board also hired Mary Emert as Title 1 Reading Aide at A.B. Duncan Elementary. Other action of personnel included the extension of Superintendent Jerry Cannon's contract for a period of one year.

A discipline management plan formulated for use in FISD schools was approved as read. The plan, mandated by House Bill 72, was developed by a committee comprised of administrative personnel, teachers, students, and parents. Members of the committee are: Jimmy Collins, administrative assistant; Ronnie Wood, high school principal; Charles Tyer, elementary principal; Gean Christopher, special education director; Ellen Enriquez, teacher; LaVada Garrett, teacher; Jamie Thayer, student: Sylvester Mendoza, student, Gary Brown, parent; and Adolfo Garcia,

The plan must be approved by state authorities before being implemented by the schools. A six hour inservice is planned to instruct school personnel upon implementation of the plan.

Collins presented a report on tax collections informing the board that \$64,230.39 has currently been collected. This represents 75.56% of the total levy as opposed to 66% collected at this time

Attending the meeting were board members Don Hardy, Weldon Pruitt, Harvey Allen, Bill Orman, Freddie Morren, and Hulon Carthel. Also present were Superintendent Jerry Cannon and administrative assistant Jimmy Collins.

March of Dimes campaign set

The Floydada Mother's March of Dimes Campaign is scheduled for January 20 to January 27th. Campaign chairman this year is Guy Hazlett.

The Mother's March collects money to be used in support of the fight against birth defects. About 15 million Americans have birth defects and each year another 250,000 babies are affected.

Among the health problems these tion, blindness, deafness, missing limbs, defective blood cells, and body chemistry disorders.

Each local chapter retains 40% of the money raised by the campaign to support local and regional medical service programs and community professional education and public education. The remaining 60% is used to finance national research programs and

City approves decrease, slates special sessions

Acting on a lengthy agenda, members of the Floydada City Council approved a decrease in the minimum water bill charges for customers outside the city limits. Approximately 40 customers will benefit as their monthly minimum bill drops from the current

\$35 to \$21. Two special sessions for City Council have tentatively been scheduled for later in the month. The first, set for 7:00 p.m. January 21, will deal with the matter of an increase in the ambulance subsidy requested by Caprock Hospital District. The second will deal with the proposed rate increase requested by Southwestern Public Service. This meeting, scheduled for 7:00 p.m. on January 27, will also serve as a workshop for the 1986-87 budget.

The council passed ordinance #683,

People At Work...

repealing ordinance #679 and requiring SPS to continue paying franchise tax on use of electricity by local gin facilities. Also adopted at the meeting was a resolution concerning rural sign control. This resolution allows the city to regulate billboards and signs erected within the city or the extra-territorial jurisdiction of the city which extends 1/2 mile past city boundaries.

Bob Alldredge appeared before the council to request clarification of city ordinances #637 and #638 dealing with the cost of licenses for amusement equipment such as pool tables and video equipment. Alldredge stated that he "is in the middle between the Texas **Amusement Machines Commission and** the city where these fees are concern-

Apparently, the state inspector feels

that city fees and licensing periods do not conform to state regulations. The dispute has arisen over game machines which Alldredge owns. The machines are in operation at Ruben's Drive In Grocery at 615 E. Houston.

City Attorney Steven Hale was instructed to contact the proper state authorities and arrive at a legal and equitable solution to the problem.

Problems with weed control on the land surrounding the sewer lagoons will be handled with a unique approach. Carlos Riojas met with the council and agreed to pasture goats on the land to eat the weeds. He will provide a hot wire fence to keep the animals in. Access easements to the sewer lagoons will be retained as is.

Bob Gilliland, Alan Fondy, and Wally Padgett asked the council to consider allowing them to supervise the summer baseball program. The three, along with Larry Noland proposed that they be responsible for grounds up keep as well. Council instructed them to submit the proposal in writing at the next regular

Acting Police Chief James Hale presented a written policy governing the rules, regulations, and procedures of the city police department. The policy was read and approved. Salaries for Patrolmen Darrell Gooch and Harold Snell were ratified with Gooch receiving \$1200 per month and Snell receiving

City Manager Bill Feuerbacher re-

Planting of oak trees scheduled

Floyd County Sesquicentennial Committee is sponsoring the planting of the two Texas Sesquicentennial oak trees in Floydada on the courthouse grounds on Friday, January 17, at 2:30 p.m. County Judge Choise Smith will be assisting with the ceremony in honor of Arbor

A truck load of 5-foot oak trees were distributed, during the first week of December, by the Texas Forest Service to 247 Texas counties for special 1986 Texas Sesquicentennial observances.

The Service has been growing the trees for two years-in anticipation of Texas' 150th birthday celebration—and has offered a Shumard oak (red oak family) to each of Texas' 254 counties, for special Sesquicentennial planting

In addition, Storm Nursery, Inc. of

commended that an extension on police and public officials liability insurance be requested. This would allow the city to retain coverage until bids can be taken on all city insurance in October. Council authorized the action.

A contract with Laron Fulton was renewed for farming the city farm for 1986. The city will receive 1/4 on cotton and corn, 1/3 on all other crops except vegetables which carry a rental share of

The city will advertise for bids on the sale of a 6x6 army truck with a 1000 gallon tank. Bids will be accepted with or without the tank. Bids will also be advertised for on the matter of seal coating paved city streets, and installation of the medium intensity runway lighting improvements at the Floydada Municipal Airport.

A public hearing was scheduled for the regular council session on February 11 concerning the MIR lighting at the airport. Anyone interested in commenting or learning more about the project is invited to attend.

The final matter of consideration at the Tuesday evening council session was a request that the council take action on the house west of Calvary Baptist Church. Church members attending the meeting expressed concern that the advanced state of disrepair of the house creates a hazard for the church. Council members voted to begin procedures for demolition of the



Premont is giving a free Heritage Live Oak tree to each Texas county.

The Texas Sesquicentennial oak trees include a 2-year-old Shumard Oak, Quercus shumardii, and a Heritage Live Oak. Quercus virginiana. Both are natives of Texas.

The largest Shumard Oak in Texas, is 120 feet tall and has a trunk circumference (measured at 41/2 feet) of over 15 feet. It grows on the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation near Livingston.

The largest Live Oak in Texas, is also tied for the title of largest on record in the U.S.A. It is growing near Rockport, on the Goose Island State Park. When measured in 1967, it was 44 feet tall, and had a trunk circumference of 422

Garza receives probated sentence

Jaime Garza, 18, of Floydada, pled guilty January 10 in the 110th Judicial Court to burglary of a building. The building, belonging to Kim Hinsley, was burglarized on December 31, 1985.

"Mr. Garza received a four year sentence which was probated for six

years," said District Attorney Randy Hollums. "He will remain out on probation, but if probation is revoked he

will go to the pen for a four year sentence. He was also ordered to pay

THIS WEEK

"PUTTIN" ON THE HITS"

"PUTTIN" ON THE HITS", a talent show, will be presented by the FHS Band on Thursday, January 16, at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium. Admission is \$1.00 for adults and \$0.50 for students. The public is invited.

BOULTER HERE TODAY

Congressman Beau Boulter is in Floydada today for a town hall meeting at the Massie Activity Center at 2:00 p.m. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend.

Prior to the town meeting Mr.

Bulter will address a joint meeting

of the Lions and Rotary Club. SINGLES

Singles will meet at Lighthouse Electric January 18 at 6:30 p.m.

This will be a potluck supper. HEY WHIRLWIND FANS!

Friday, January 17, the Varsity basketball teams will take on the Tulia Hornets here beginning with the girls at 6:30 p.m. Mean Green Grams are being sold for the Varsity girls for \$.25 each. They may be sent to individuals on the team as a whole. Contact a varsity cheerleader or a sponsor if you want to send

Whiteface at Idalou on January 21. The games will begin about 6:30 p.m. with the Varsity girls. The Winds really do need your

The Whirlwinds will also play

support. So let's show some spirit and come out and help root the Winds on to a victory

Go Winds! Varsity Cheerleaders **COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION**

The American Agriculture Movement will distribute commodities in Floyd County on January 22. Residents of Floydada and Lockney may pick up commodities at Baccus Ford House in Lockney on January 22 from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. All food recipients must bring proof of residency, this is identification that is current and states name and address. All persons that do not have this will not be able to receive commodities.

New voters certificates (canary yellow) will be mailed January 15. When you receive your card if you find an error please correct and return it to Jonelle Fawver. If you are registered to vote and do not receive your card let them know.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The date for the Chamber of Commerce Stock Show has been set for February 7 and 8.

D.W.I. EDUCATION CLASS

A D.W.I. Education Class will be held in the Floyd County Courthouse in the County Courtroom on January 20 and 21, 1986 from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. each night. The cost of the class is \$35.00, which must be paid in advance at the Adult Probation Office on the second floor of the Courthouse.

This class is a required probation condition for a first conviction of driving while intoxicated. If not completed within 180 days of conviction, the person's drivers license will be automatically suspended.

FLOYD COUNTY ARTS

The winter meeting of Floyd County Arts Association is Sunday, January 19 2:00 p.m. in the First Christian Church, Floydada. A musical variety program is planned, featuring instrumental and vocal talent. Members are urged to attend and guests are welcome.

WEATHER -Courtesy of Energas LOW HIGH January 8 January 9 January 10 30 36 January 11 January 12 28 January 13 January 14

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\$4.30 per bushe!

STAFF PHOTO

GEORGIA FINLEY, of Floydada, has been greeting visitors and showing off the

displays at the Floyd County Museum since June 1972. Georgia is paid thru the

Green Thumb program, which utilizes the abilities of senior citizens. "I like my

job," said Georgia, "because I like meeting the people that come in from all over to

visit. I also enjoy hearing all the old stories from former residents who come in to

see the museum. They tell me all kinds of interesting things about the county."

Courthouse News

Ina D. Phillips, to T.J. Collins, all Lots 6 and 7, and N. 1/2 of Lot 8, Blk. 2, A.J. Byars Addn., Lockney.

Joe Lucio, et ux, to Freddie Luna, et ux, Lot 8, Blk. 14, Floydada. John B. Griffin, Independent Admin-

istrator, to John B. Griffin, 3 tracts. Dave Willis, et ux, to Jose Cervera, et ux, all Lot 6, Blk. 24, Bartley Heights

Addn., Floydada. Vera Gale Vickers, et al, to Bobby M. Vickers, et al, Trustees, S. 1/2 of Lot 1, and S1/2 of W. 1/2 of Lot 2, Blk. 113,

Floydada. Luther L. Rainey, et ux, to Billy J. Womack, et ux. Lot 13 and W. 1/2 of Lot

14. Blk. 6. New Home Addn., Floydada. Frances D. Cardinal, Independent Executrix, to Virgil H. Kelley, et al, Lots 15, 16, 17 and S. 22' of Lot 18, Blk. 1. South Side Addn., Lockney.

James L. Widener Jr., et ux, to Ollie Poteet, parcel out of Lots 36 and 37, Blk. 2. Steen Place Addn., Floydada.

Raymond Lusk, et ux, to E.A McLeod, all N. 65' of Lots 11, 12, 13 and S/2, being S. 10' of closed alley adjoining Lots 11, 12, 13 on North, all Blk. 30, original Lockney.

Doris A. Johnson to Flora Jane Hild, 270 acres out of E. 1/2 of Sur. 62, Blk. 1. Frank Saucedo, et ux, to Miguel Padilla, et ux, all Lots 1, 2, 3, Blk. 1, Brewster Addn. #3, Lockney.

Carrol R. Anderson, et ux, to P.R. Sissney, et ux, 2 tracts.

Floyd County Historical Museum, a non-profit corporation, to Samuel Segura, et ux, Lot 5, Blk. 99, original Floydada.

June K. Hanks to Darell Edwards, et ux, E. 1/2 of tract out of J.D. Burleson 158-acre Sur.

Mack Shurbet, et ux, to R.H. Gardner, 2 tracts.

Gary B. Mangold, et ux, to Larry Mullins, all Subdivision 5, in Ferguson subdivision of W. part of Blk. 3, Walling Addn., Lockney.

Flora S. Fawver, Independent Executrix, to R.C. Fawver, et ux, E. 25' of Lot 19, all Lot 20, and W. 5' of Lot 21, Blk. 2, Caprock Addn., Floydada.

Garner C. Weems, et ux, to Randall D. Weems, 2 parcels.

Orville Joe Hayes, et ux, to Cecil Gene Jones, et ux, Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 8, Walling Addn., Lockney.

Willie R. Kirkpatrick to Robert Kirkpatrick, all S.W. 1/4 of Sur. 22, Blk.

Rose Helen Hart to Kenneth Eugene Hart, tract of 55 acres, being E. 55 acres of S.W. 1/4 of N. 440 acres of Sur. 74, Blk. 1.

First National Bank in Lockney, a national banking corporation, to Humberto Flores, W. 60' of E. 120' of Lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, Blk. 2, W.A. Potts Addn.,

Sarah Bickley, Independent Executrix to Sarah Bickley, Trustee, Sec. 46, Blk. D-2.

Eula Bramlet to Wayne Bramlet, all of E. 165 acres, described as SE 1/4 of Sec. 46, Blk. D-3.

Floydada Motel, Inc., a corporation, to Rochenee Investments, Inc., a California corporation, tract of 1.56 acres, out of Blks. 9 and 10, Price First Addn., Floydada.

Archie Jones, et ux, to Debra Ann Webb, et al, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 1, Guest & Ramsey Annex, addn. to Lockney.

Romelo Salas III, et ux, to Anatalio Salas, Lot 5, Blk. 1, Geo. O. Tuttle Addn., Lockney.

Emma Scott, will & appl. to probate, 11-7-85.

Ellen Jessie Barton, will & appl. to

probate, 11-8-85. Esley Yeary, will & appl. to probate,

Holt Bishop, will & appl. to probate, 11-26-85.

Ethyle D. Hinson, will & appl. to probate, 12-3-85.

W.M. Hambright, will & appl. to probate, 12-19-85.

Mary M. Wright, will & appl. to probate, 12-19-85.

Goree C. Applewhite, will & appl. to probate, 12-23-85.

Lockney Local

Mary Lou Bollman, Lockney genealogist was interviewed by Karla Leslie, KCBD, Channel 11, TV on Tuesday

The sketch was done on the thirty Civil War Veterans buried in the Lockney Cemetery.

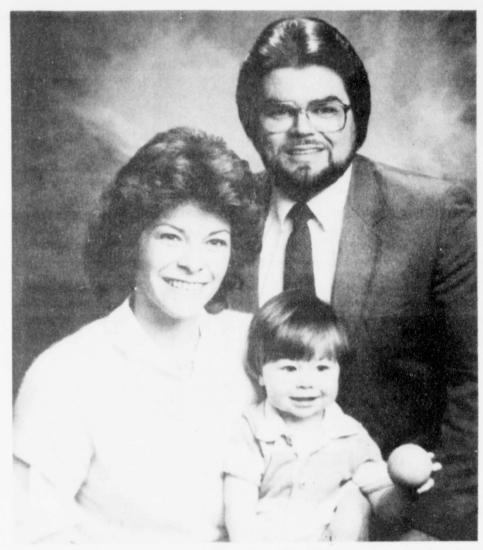
She has been an avid researcher in genealogy since her college days.

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NEW PASTOR-The Rev. Doug Dezotell is the new pastor of Abundant Life Fellowship in Floydada. The Rev. Dezotell had served as a Home Missionary with the Assemblies of God until accepting the pastorate of Abundant Life. For the past nine years the Dezotells have been involved with the ministry of Teen Challenge, an evangelistic outreach to youth, adults and families suffering from drug, alcohol and crime related problems. Their most recent area of service was in Louisville, Kentucky. Pastor Dezotell and his family are excited to be a part of the Floydada community and are looking forward to a prosperous ministry at Abundant Life Fellowship. Pastor Doug and his wife, Lynn, are the parents of one son, Gabriel Paul, who is soon two years old.

Caprock Hospital Report

January 8-14

Cecil Hagood, Floydada, adm. 11-28, continues care, Hale Linda Harris, Floydada, adm. 12-29, continues care, Hale

Annette Gutierrez, Floydada, adm. 1-5, dis. 1-7, Hale Mary Meason, Matador, adm. 1-6,

dis. 1-14, Hong Doris Ledbetter, Floydada, adm. 1-6,

dis. 1-10, Hale James Gutierrez, Floydada, adm. 1-6, dis. 1-9. Hong

Kandice Walker, Spur, adm. 1-7, dis. 1-11, Hale Delia Campos, Floydada, adm. 1-7,

1-8, Hong Jessie Stewart, Floydada, adm. 1-8, dis. 1-11, Jordan

Olga Enriquez, Floydada, adm. 1-8, dis. 1-13, Hong Steven Garza, West Germany, adm.

1-9, dis. 1-10, Hong Betty Yeary, Floydada, adm. 1-9,

continues care, Hale Jerimi Bourland, Petersburg, adm 1-9, continues care, Hale

Kathy Robertson, Petersburg, adm. 1-10, dis. 1-11, Hale

William Weir, Floydada, adm. 1-11, continues care, Hong Rebecca Smith, Floydada, adm. 1-11, continues care, Hale

Stormy Zuniga, Slaton, adm. 1-11, dis. 1-14, Jordan

Clara Youngblood, Roaring Springs, adm. 1-11, continues care, Hong John Ramirez, Afton, adm. 1-12,

continues care, Hale Crysta Ledbetter, Floydada, adm. 1-12, dis. 1-13, Hale

Estelle Warren, Floydada, adm. 1-13, continues care, Hale Helbert L. Hall, Roaring Springs,

adm. 1-13, continues care, Hale Loren Thompson, Wellington, adm. 1-13, continues care, Hale Maria Garza, Floydada, adm. 1-13,

dis. 1-14, Hong Timothy Mulanax, Petersburg, adm. 1-13, dis. 1-14, Hale

Gus Bird, Matador, adm. 1-14, continues care, Jordan

Ray Martin, Roaring Springs, adm. 1-14, continues care, Hale

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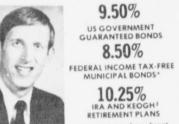
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Bank guest artist returns

The First National Bank, Floydada, has the pleasure of presenting for a return exhibit, Jean Green of Olton. The landscape artist who has studied throughout the country with numerous prominent artists, has developed a style and technique distinctly her own, one that is impressive and well accepted by viewers of her work.

Although born in Mansfield, Arizona, Jean Green considers herself a "true blue Texan". Her father, a farmer, moved to Paducah, then to Kress whenshe was five years old. She has lived in Olton since marrying W.G. Green in

Jean started painting when she was 12 years old. "My parents gave me a how-to book and an oil painting set, and I went from there," she related. She took art in high school, and has studied under Tom Knapp, Ruth Barnett, Ben Konis, Amarillo, Conny Martin, Lubbock, and Ann Harris, Houston. "No two people handle a brush the same way. I learned valuable lessons from every artist, but I had to develop my own style!" This is a philosophy the



D. Jones

RETIREMENT PLANS

111 E. 7th 293-9551

artist employs in the many workshops that she conducts annually.

The subjects Green enjoys painting the most are the old, weathered buildings and windmills and the vanishing scenes of her native Southwest. She is represented in various galleries, and her works hang in private collections

throughout the country, including a painting in the capitol building in

The First National Bank encourages local citizens and those in the surrounding area to visit the lobby during regular banking hours and enjoy the exhibit of

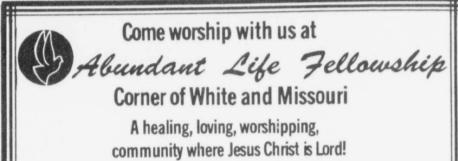
Dates set for postal exam

Harry Hall, Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster, Lubbock, Texas, has announced that the Clerk-Carrier Examination will be open from January 27, 1986 through February 7, 1986 for the

Childress, Texas area (Childress, Chillicothe, Clarendon, Crowell, Guthrie, Matador, Memphis, Paducah, Quanah, Quitaque, Roaring Springs, Silverton, and Turkey, Texas), and Lubbock,

Texas and the Distribution Machine Clerk Examination and the Clerk-Stenographer Examination will be open during those dates for Lubbock only.

Persons who are interested may fill out application blanks at the post offices listed during the "open" period and further details can be obtained at these offices. Starting salary for all positions is \$9.64 per hour. heading for this

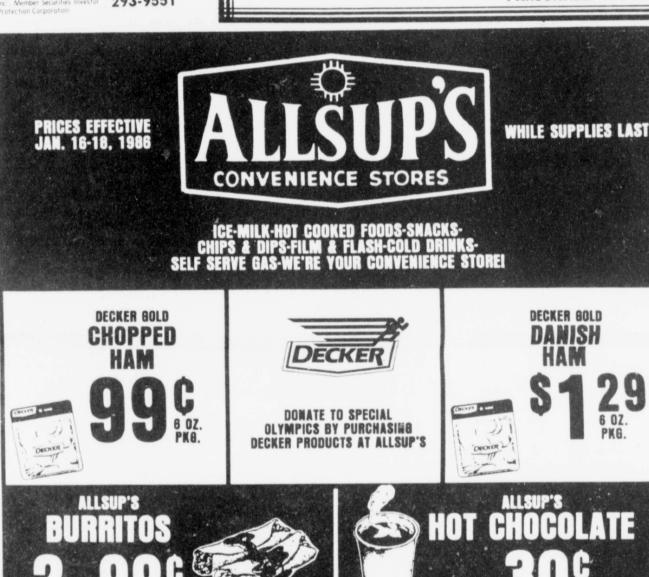


Morning worship - 10:45 a.m. Sunday P.M. Service - 6:00 p.m.

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Senior Citizens News

By Mrs. H.M. Jones

Mrs. Rebecca Smith and Mrs. Eva Kiem spent the holidays in Clovis, New Mexico with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith Jr. Mrs. Kiem remained for a longer visit. Mrs. Smith returned last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Freeman spent Christmas in Lubbock with their daugh-

Ruby Davis spent the holidays in Amarillo

All the Senior Citizens were saddened to hear of the sudden passing away of Mr. Virgil Boyd, husband of our new bookkeeper, Mrs. Evalene Boyd.

The Harvey Tardys spent the Christmas holidays with their son, Harvey Dale Tardy and family.

L.D. Britton spent the holidays with his niece in Midland.

Mrs. Jim Owens has returned home from Arizona where she has been

visiting several weeks with relatives. Please come and support us each day by eating lunch with us.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Hoose had their children over for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Whitehead spent the holidays in Lubbock with their

children. The Senior Citizens were sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Roxie Workman of Lockney. She was a sister of Ethel Warren. Also of L.D. Britton's

cousin, Marvin Gilbert of Lockney. Grace Grundy spent Christmas in

Marlene Breeding's chlidren spent the holidays here with their mother and brother, Charles.

Mrs. Mike Lowrance had as her guest for the holidays her son, Olan Lee of California. Also visiting were son, Gene

South Plains Hobby Club met Thurs-

day, January 9, in the home of Mrs.

Harold Hamm to elect officers and plan

Officers elected were Carolyn Mar-

ble, president and Dot Cummings,

Secretary-Treasurer. Letha Mulder, Dot

Cummings, and Mildred Hamm will

Those present were Lillie Mae Mil-

ton, Gleynn Earle Cummings, Letha

Mulder, Jewel Fortenberry, Carolyn

Marble, Dot Cumming and hostess

Next meeting will be held February

13 in the home of Jewel Fortenberry.

Roll call will be "The funniest Valentine

An interesting program on Texas

music was heard in the chapel of the

First Baptist Church January 9. From

roll call it was learned that "Texas Our

Texas" and "The Eyes of Texas" were

the favorite Texas songs. Members

repeated the pledge to the Texas flag.

First Baptist Church gave a brief history

of Texas music. That began with songs

sung by the early settlers, mostly

religious songs, and folk songs were

popular. These grew out of emotions and every day life of cowboys and people in the west. In some larger communities people gathered for sing-

songs during the 20's and grew into audiences that sponsored orchestras and even operas. Some of these became

nationally famous. Texas has produced Tex Ritter, a famous writer and musi-

Director receives

NRECA certificate

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative board of directors president Cecil Baxter recently received a certificate

from the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association (NRECA) for completing the courses required to become a certified rural electric director.

NRECA executive vice president Bob Bergland, a former Secretary of Agri-

culture, presented the certificate to

Baxter at the NRECA Region VIII-X meeting held in Albuquerque, New

The NRECA educational and training

seminars are designed to instruct new board members in all aspects of the

rural electrification program and to keep them abreast of any changes which

Baxter attended his first NRECA course in 1966 and completed the final

Mexico last September.

occur in the program.

Mr. Bill Smith, Director of Music at

serve as the telephone committee.

By Neta Marble

programs for 1986.

Mildred Hamm.

Lowrance and family from here.

The Senior Citizens enjoyed a fun party celebrating New Year's Eve with

George and Mary spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Paul Willis and family and her sisters, Violet Senn and Selma Williams of Idaho.

The W.B. Parrack's sons visited with them during the holidays.

Mrs. Deeota Odam spent several days in Hale Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denison had company during the holidays.

Mrs. Flora Fawver, a faithful member of the Senior Citizens, has moved to the Frontier Home in Lubbock. Sure going to miss her.

Edna Patton, Maple Rice and Illa Belle Williams visited with Carrol Patton in Lubbock Christmas Day.

Pete and Geraldine Galloway had all their children home during the holidays. Cora Hartline spent last week in

Lubbock with her sister. W.R. and Margaret Daniel spent week before last with their daughter and family at Collinsville. W.R. Daniel was also there. They also visited in Temple and Sweetwater.

Mrs. Kate Crabtree had as her guest Mr. and Mrs. Lige Moore and son from Alabama and Mr. and Mrs. Kay Crabtree and family from here during the holidays.

The Ethel Warren family were all together for Christmas day.

Mrs. Mattie Wester had some of the Wester clan, her son from Shallowater and the Hollis Paynes during the holidays.

South Plains News

Club learns about Texas music

Flora Warren spent last week in Lubbock with her daughter, Alene and Mac MacAdams.

I ever received" and thought for the day

E.J. and Navolia Kinslow visited

Sylvan and Bobbie Kennibrugh were

hosts for a 25th wedding anniversary for

Edith and Ray Dillard on Sunday. Those

sharing the celebration were Marilyn

and Buddy Trantham, Beth Spain and

Latham, Sybil Simmons, Mr. and Mrs.

Hershel Swepston, Mr. and Mrs. Early

Pritchett, Laverne Stevenson, and Haz-

can, also David Guion of "Home on the

Range" fame, and many others. Pianist

Van Cliburn is a Texan. Dallas and

In a brief business meeting, letters

expressing thanks from Girlstown, and

from Floyd County, and Day Care

Center were read. Election of officers

was postponed. Club members were

then invited to Mr. and Mrs. C.W.

Denison's where they were served

lovely refreshments. The club will meet

next February 6, with Mrs. George

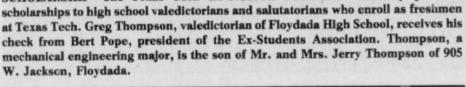
Houston are popular music centers.

Sunday with E.J.'s brothers in Lubbock

will be brought by Joyce Osburn.

at Ben Kinslow's residence.

from Tuesday to Saturday.



SCHOLARSHIP-The Texas Tech Ex-Students Association annually provides



Penny and Bud Taylor and Junior and

Martha Taylor attended the funeral

service of Penny's grandmother, Jose-

phine Troutman, 70, at the First

Assembly of God Church in Plainview

Monday morning at 11:00 a.m. The

Rev. Gary Morton, pastor, officiated.

By Grace Lemons

January 13 Shirleen and David Reddout were Gladys Fortenberry went to Lubbock here visiting with the Leighton Teeples Friday and visited her daughter, Patsy and Lafayette Boone. They brought Patrick home with her to spend the

> Grace Lemons visited Sylvia Yeary and Carmen Dodson in Lockney Mon-

> Norma Welch and Peat Kelley visited Pauline VanHoose in Floydada Thurs-

> Grace Lemons visited Bessie Smith at Lockney General Hospital and Clara Mize in Floydada Friday.

> Frances Whatley of Dallas returned home Monday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Lemons and brothers, Marvin Lemons and family and Phil Lemons and family.

Jenese and Clint Lisenbee and Tonya of Hobbs, New Mexico spent Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl

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TUESDAY - Chicken Fried Steak, baked potato or fries, salad and Texas toast

WEDNESDAY - Fajitas, guacamole salad, spanish rice



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By Joyce Williams

Jan. 16: Mrs. Violet Jones, formerly of Lakeview, suffered a stroke in her Plainview home shortly before Christmas. At the present time she is taking physical therapy in Amarillo. Her children have rented her an apartment in Plainview in the Christian Retirement Home where she will move when she has reached a satisfactory level of recovery.

Among the 4-H members present Monday evening, Jan. 13, at the regular meeting in the M.A.C., were Angie Bertrand and Austin Williams. Angie was on the program, telling of her experiences living with 4-H members in other states. Tate Glasscock reported on his pigs. Misty Bertrand is walking her show pigs everyday.

Mrs. Georgia Mae Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Muncy were among holiday guests at the Blanco Canyon party in the Bobby Adams home in Crosbyton.

All of Faye and William Bertrand's children were here Christmas Eve. These included Jill and Martin Warren, Lezlie, Will and Rebecca of Tahoka; Ronald, Betty Sue and Shelly Bertrand of Vernon; and the Lakeview bunch, Connie, Randy, Angie and Misti Ber-

The Randy Bertrands went to Panhandle on Christmas Day to be with Connie Lue's parents. Her sister, Kaylene Reed of Houston was there and came on to Lakeview for a few days

The Don Harrison bunch gathered at Lubbock the Sunday before Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bob Harrison. Mr. and Mrs. Max Harrison and girls were there. On New Years Day Ruth and Don ate lunch with Max and Jeanette, Tracy and Debbie.

The new Michner book, "Texas" has kept many people reading since Christmas. It's a lot better book than the critics reported it to be. With "Texas" to read, and the Truscott history, "Between the Wichitas," this reporter has been immersed in Texas history for three weeks.

Sunny days, with drying winds have wheat farmers looking for hints of rain. The cattle trailers are lined up on Tuesday past the Della Plains school house, ready to sell cattle on Wednesday at the Floydada Livestock Auction

New Mexico hospital honors Dr. I. J. Marshall

Dr. Irvin E. Ashley Jr., executive director of the New Mexico Rehabilitation Center in Roswell, New Mexico, announced plans to honor Roswell physician Dr. I.J. Marshall, a Floydada native, for his contributions to the foundation. Plans for building a \$200,000 indoor therapeutic pool to be named in honor of Marshall were announced Thursday, January 9.

The pool is being constructed to benefit medical patients at the rehabilitation center which serves recovering patients from New Mexico and West Texas. A plaque bearing Marshall's named will be placed at the entrance in recognition of his efforts in organizing the New Mexico Rehabilitation Center Foundation.

Marshall was a 1922 graduate of Floydada High school.

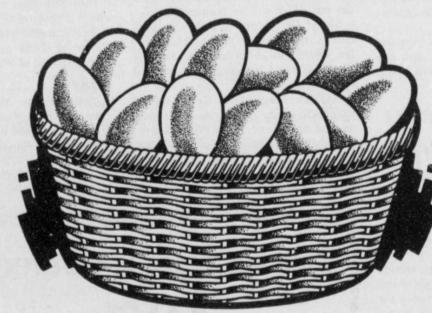
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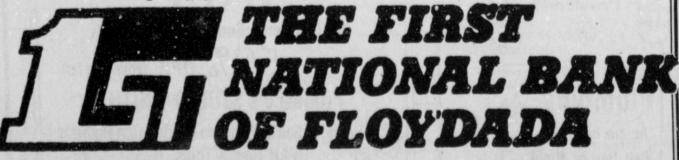
She died at Central Plains Regional Hospital following a brief illness. Floydada, Texas 79235 Martha and Junior Taylor visited 25th year in business Rainey and Shirley Varner in Floydada Floydada, Texas 983-3767 You cannot do kindness too soon - for you never know when it will be too late.

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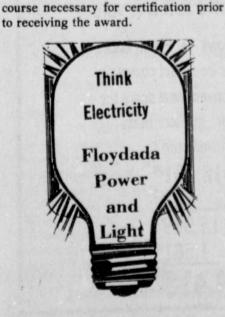
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MRS. TIMOTHY MARTIN DYESS

Jones and Dyess wed

Leslie Anne Jones of Dallas, Texas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Harlan Jones of Old Highway, was married to Timothy Martin Dyess of Dallas, Texas, son of Mrs. Martin (Peggy) Dyess of Lubbock, on November 23, 1985 at All Saints Catholic Church in Dallas. Father Gregory Kelly performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore candlelight satin with a deep V neckline and leg-o-mutton sleeves, with a chapel length train, flat satin bows topped with Alencon lace flowers on the shoulders, and a halo of Alencon lace flowers with waist length satin streamers trimmed in Alencon lace flowers in place of the traditional veil. She carried rubrum lilies, stephanotis and English ivy in a crescent shape.

The maid of honor was Ann Grace Wallace of New York City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace of Canterbury Lane. Bridesmaids were Kathleen Riley of Northbrook, Illinois, and Suzanne Dyess of Dallas, sister of the groom. They wore antique rose moire in waltz length with double-puffed sleeves and deep V neckline. They carried rubrum lilies in deep rose with alstromeria and English ivy.

The best man was Grant Hambright of Lamesa. Ushers were Gary Broiles of Palestine, Texas, Patrick Mulloy of Rockwell, Texas and Steven and Douglas Jones, brothers of the bride.

A reception followed at Bent Tree

Country Club in Dallas. The bride, a 1976 gradu High School, graduated magna cum laude in 1980 from Boston College with a B.A. in English. She works for Northern Telecom, Ltd., in Richardson,

The bridegroom graduated from Texas Tech in Lubbock. He is an engineer for Texas Instruments in Dallas.

After a honeymoon trip to Jupiter Island, Florida, they are living in

Plans were then discussed about girls

Sheryl Derryberry raffled a counted

cross-stitch sampler and a thermome-

ter. There was no further business and

everyone stood for closing rituals and

Hostess Mary Ann Kelly served

spaghetti, garlic bread, vegetable tray,

banana bread and tea to Vikki Yeary,

Neva West, Ginger Warren, Sheri

Turnbow, Alice Ogden, Jan Nichols,

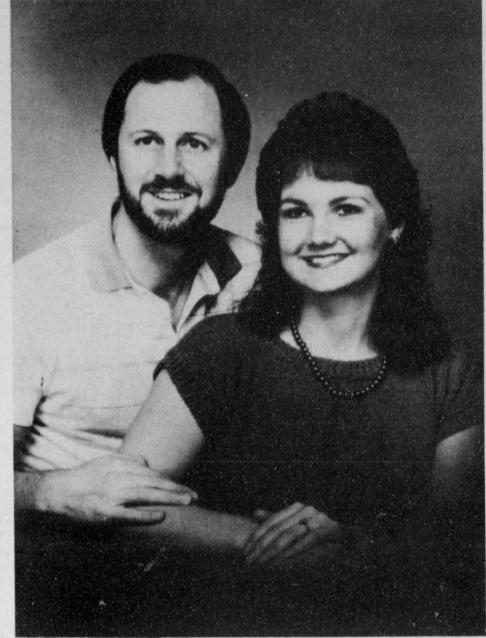
Rhonda Guthrie, Barbara Edwards and

day out which will be January 25.

were discussed.

Sheryl Derryberry.

Society



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED-Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Hale of Borger, Texas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melissa Gail, to Stephen Samuel Trengove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond K. Trengove of Prescott, Arizona. The wedding will be held at the First Baptist Church of Floydada on March 15, 1986. The bride-elect is a graduate of South Plains College in Levelland and the future bridegroom is a graduate of Arizona State University.

Past Matrons meet

The Past Matrons Club met at 7 p.m. December 17 in the home of Dell Gray. President Dell Gray presided over the business meeting, which opened with

The homemade bibs, made by the past matrons, have been delivered to the Floydada Nursing Home. The Thanksgiving dinner for a needy family was delivered a few days before Thanksgiving and was much appreciated. A thank you note was read to the

members by president Dell Gray. The group's next meeting will be at 6 p.m. January 23 in the home of Roberta

Having no further business the meeting adjourned. The group had a Christmas party for two foster children. The children received presents from each member. The children were delighted and the foster parents and members felt the true meaning of Christmas.

present. Members attending were Mmes. Eula Parrack, Amanda Hart, Regi Gross, Roberta Russell, Doris Vinson, Hazel Swepston, Noma Lou Rainer and Sherry Colston.

members answering roll call with "A Christmas tradition in their families.

Christmas goodies were served to all

Look Who's New

CRISWELL

Mr. and Mrs. David Criswell of Plainview are parents of a son, Justin Todd, born December 29 at 5:35 a.m. weighing 9 pounds.

They also have a daughter, Taryn, who is 3 years old.

Grandparents are L.G. and Elaine Wilson of Tulia and Elmer Lee and Betty Criswell of Plainview.

WILEY

Uncle Buddy Wiley is proud to announce the arrival of his first nephew, Richard Ryan, son of Donny and Donna

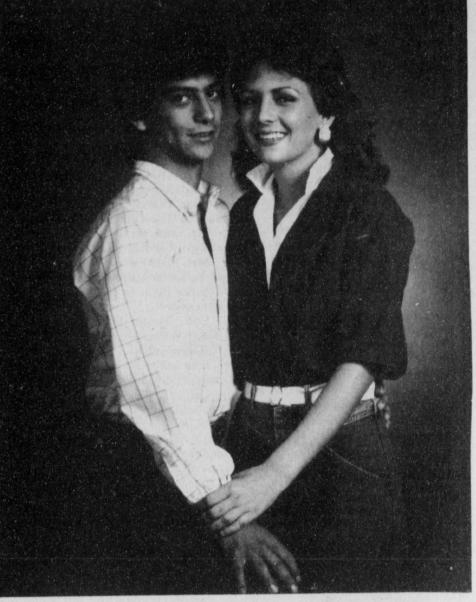
Wiley of Rock Springs, Texas. Born January 2, at Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville, the young man weighed in at 7 lbs. and 10 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Don Myers of Coahoma and Velma Branch of Abilene.

Paternal grandparents are Richard and Peggy Wiley of Lockney.

Great-grandmother is Mrs. Ozella Whitaker of Plainview and great-greatgrandmother is Mrs. Orrie Low of

FLOYDADA



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT J. WHITE

Chandler and White recite wedding vows

Oakwood United Methodist Church was the setting for the Saturday afternoon wedding on January 4, 1986 of JanAn Chandler and Robert J. White. Pastor Jim Fuller officiated.

They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wheeler of Ransom Canyon, Texas, Charles Chandler of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. E.G. White of Ransom Canyon.

Debbie Aston and Rhona Teaff of Lubbock, Mike Flink of Ralls and Micky White, brother of the bridegroom, served as honor attendants. A reception followed at Jimenez Restaurant.

The bride is a senior at Roosevelt High School. The bridegroom, a graduate of Roosevelt High School, attends the University Technical Institute in

After graduation, the couple will reside in Lubbock.

FLOYD DATA

Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Holt visited their daughter and granddaughter, Jan and Starla Crues, in Dallas and their son and his family, Robert Margarite, and Robin in New York during the Christmas holidays. They left Floydada on December 20 and returned on January 6.



Kelly hosts sorority and several different service projects

Alpha Sigma Upsilon met January 7 at 7 p.m. in the home of Mary Ann Kelly. President Vikki Yeary called the meeting to order with everyone repeating opening rituals.

Roll was called and minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report was given

Alpha Mu Delta meets Jan. 7th

Alpha Mu Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was called to order at 7 p.m., January 7, in the home of Donna Anderson. All members stood for the opening ritual.

During the business meeting, service was discussed for the state projects and locally it was voted to donate money for the ceramic fund at the nursing home. After the business meeting, Penny Ogden presented the program on

"Growing Up." Afterwards, hostesses Donna Anderson, Laura Turner and Jeanine Helms served supper to the following members: Barbara Anderson, Julianna Cornelius, Beth Eckert, Duffy Hinkle, Holly Hendrix, Mitzi Nixon, Wendy Pierce, Penny Ogden, Debra Graham, Kellie

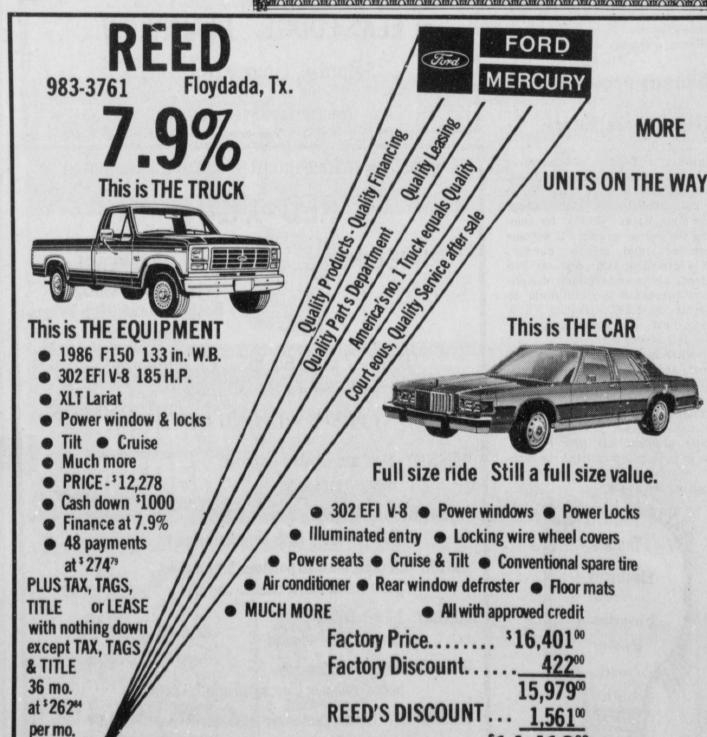
Reddy and Dara Ware. Members then stood for the closing



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Timmons-Terry Westbrook say nuptial vows

Nuptial vows between Miss Latricia Timmons and Mr. Terry Westbrook were recited before a backdrop of five white trees highlighted with miniature clear Christmas lights and an illusion of snow created with angel hair, during a 2 p.m. cermony December 21, 1985 in the Trinity Church of Brownfield. Reading the exchange of vows for the double ring ceremony was the Rev. Nick Taylor. Also decorating the altar was an area prepared for prayer and communion. The unity candle was accented with dusty rosebuds, white lace, burgundy velvet bow and cascading ivy.

Parents of the couple are Howard and Georgie Timmons of Brownfield and Paul and Dartha Westbrook of Fioydada. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. (Bill) White, of New Home and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil (Emma Timmons) Pulliam of Wolfforth. The groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walters of Lubbock and Mrs. Leila Westbrook of DePort. Other special guests attending the wedding were the bride's godparents, O.E. and Jean Floyd of Brownfield.

Musical selections were presented by pianist, Dell Gray of Floydada. She played various wedding selections before the ceremony. The groom also vocalized a song entitled "My Life to You." This selection was written by the groom as a special surprise for the

For her wedding, the bride chose a magnificent gown styled of Matte taffeta and reembroidered Alencon lace. It was designed with a Sabrina neckline which was bordered in reembroidered Alencon lace and seed pearls. The fitted bodice was made with a center yoke and on each side of the yoke, softly gathered insets of the taffeta created a shirred effect. The bodice was also appliqued with Alencon lace and seed pearls. The back of the bodice was cut in a low V, and also was enhanced by Alencon lace and pearls. The bodice was designed in a low cut basque effect. The short sleeves were styled in a full puff, and had a unique folded cuff topped by a large bow of the taffeta with a silk flower in the center. Above-the-elbow gauntlets completed the dress, and they were also of taffeta, with Alencon lace trim at the wrists. The long skirt was edged in a row of the reembroidered Alencon lace, and flowed into a magnificent cathedral train in

Her hat was a small-brimmed picture hat of white satin completetly overlaid with Schiffli embroidery and lace. At one side of the crown was a silk flower enhanced by a pouf of Russian veiling with a unique cluster of pearl loops. The hat had a veil also of the Russian veiling circling the front of the brim, and at the back of the hat was a large pouf of illusion. A fingertip veil at the back of the hat completed the ensemble.

The bridal bouquet consisted of white silk lilies with lily-of-the-valley and ivy cascades with ribbons.

Following tradition, the bride carried a lace handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother as something old. Something new was her wedding attire. something borrowed was her mother's white Bible, used in her own wedding and something blue was her garter.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Shawn Eldridge of Brownfield. Tracie Timmons and Tamara Timmons, both sisters of the bride of Brownfield served as bridesmaids. They wore tea length dresses of dusty rose crepe satin. The fitted bodices featured sweetheart necklines and above-the-elbow sleeves gathered in the center. A self fabric belt was accented with a rose bow and petals of satin. They carried bouquets consisting of dusty rose silk poinsettias with burgundy throats, dusty rose pods, ivy cascades and ribbons.

Flower girl, Kahra Bruton, cousin of the bride of Meadow, wore a burgundy satin dress and dropped ribbon love

Nursing Home Happenings

Monday morning Dolores Cannon and Leona Neff were very busy in the beauty shop making all the ladies look beautiful. We appreciate the untiring efforts of these two. May the Lord richly reward them and all the other volunteers who donate so many hours to the residents at the nursing home. Monday morning devotions were by Trinity Church. The singers were Rev. G.A. Van Hoose, Shirley Varner, Martha Nichols, Lillie Cranford, Dartha and Amy Westbrook, and Francis Rose. Rev. Van Hoose spoke about our help coming from the Lord. In the afternoon we had ceramics class. The residents who painted were Myra Hall, Faye McMahan, Bonnie Howard, Opal Morrison, Marvis Willson, Addie Lindley, Myrtle Self, Charlie Spence, Sally Sue, Iva Simpson, and Lucille Duncan. Ceramics is one of the most favorite

Tuesday morning devotions were by Brother Neeley Richardson. We enjoyed the devotions and also the banana break. Thank you Brother Neeley. In the afternoon we had an ice cream party. Shirley Varner, Delores Cannon, Leona Neff and Ola Smith served the ice cream. Thank you ladies!!!

Wednesday morning devotions were by City Park Church of Christ. The singers were Eunice Hardy, Mary Spears, Mary Hale, Ruby Hartsell, and Beulah Baker. After exercise Myra Hall and Faye McMahan beat Charlie Spece and me in a game of "42". In the afternoon Jo Bryant came and played bingo with us. Emmet Lawernce and Myra Hall bingo'ed the most times.

Thursday morning devotions were by Doris Drysdale and Terry Ford. In the afternoon we had the Resident's Council Meeting and then had a good time of Bible Study, sharing and prayer.

Friday morning devotions were by Mary Coreley, Letha Mulder, and Mrs. Withers. In the afternoon we went on the bus ride to Plainview and was treated to ice cream at McDonald's. The residents who went on the ride were Della Halencak, Florence Curry, Addie Lindley, Faye McMahan, Una Clark and Charlie Spence. Thank you McDonald's and than you Wilma Payne for driving us. We want to thank Alpha Mu Delta for the \$13.00 given to us for Ceramics, and thank Companions "N" Caring for the \$15.00 for ceramics, for January.

This weeks visitors were: Alma Smith, Jennelda Futlon, Earl Edward, Jess Glover, Willie Mae Smith, R.B. Holt, Helene Holt, R.B. and Nora Hatley, Decota Odam, Winnie Neil, Illa B. Williams, Edna Patton and Beady

knots as she walked down the aisle. All flowers for the occasion were especially created by family friend, Sandra McNabb of Ropersville.

The mothers of the bride and groom were also dressed in burgundy satin

Acting as best man to the groom was his brother, Larry Westbrook of Floydada. Groomsmen were another brother, Steve Westbrook, of Mt. Vernon and Scott Phillips of Michigan. Male attendants were attired in pearl grey tuxedos with dusty rose bow ties and cummerbunds. Father of the bride wore a black Pierre Cardin stroller with black bow tie and cummerbund.

The groom was attired in a classic grey cutaway coat with traditional striped trousers and pearl grey vest. His wing collar shirt and satin striped ascot completed his attire.

Escorting guests were Andy Timmons, cousin of the bride of Brownfield and Joe Reed of Dallas.

Alyson Fisher of Munday registered guests at a brass and wood registration stand, accented with a gray feather pen and the bride's throw-away bouquet. A marble top credenza in the fover of the chapel was used as a gift table. A single bouquet of fresh flowers accented this

A reception following the ceremony, featured a separated three-tier wedding cake accented with dusty rose roses. The cake, designed with a lighted fountain at the base, was topped with a kissing bride and groom figurine and accented with white lace and dusty rose flowerlets and ribbons. The table, which was drapped with white lace overlays over dusty rose tablecloths, was adorned at two corners with burgundy velvet bows. Completing the setting were a silver punch bowl, a silver coffee service and flatware. Burgundy and dusty rose napkins were used. Nuts and mints were also served by attendants. Donna Sims of Brownfield and Laura Simpson of Brownfield.

An off white tablecloth covered a smaller table holding a lace trimmed basket of "rice" roses of burgundy and dusty rose satin, created by Jean Floyd. The attendant's bouquets and the bridal bouquet were used as decor at this

For traveling, the bride chose a black velvet skirt, orchid silk type blouse, black accessories and a full-length white fur coat. Following a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, the couple is residing in Lubbock.

Pre-nuptial courtesies honoring the couple included a miscellaneous shower given on October 28 by friends of the couple at the Dallas C.F.N.I.

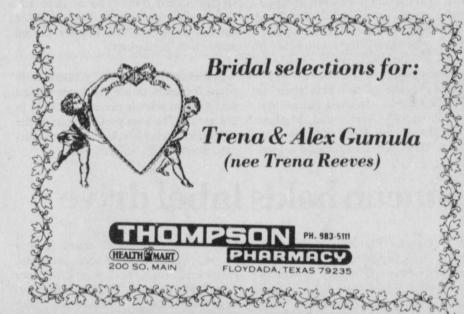
On December 7, the home of Mrs. Ira (Jean) Seaton in Brownfield was the site of a bridal shower, hosted by Jean Floyd, Patsy Sims, Bea Boring, Mary Jameson, Sue Dill, Nadine Nunley, Kaye Baird, Dawn Gandy, Jean Seaton, Wanda Jones, Sheree Forbes, Marilyn Hale, Emily Simpson and Margaret

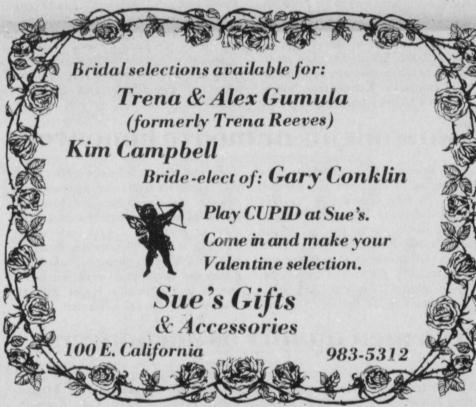
On December 14, a bridal shower was hosted by the Trinity Ladies Fellowship in the community room of the First National Bank, Floydada.

A Lubbock shower on December 15, was hosted in the home of Mrs. Jerry (Karen) Rose by Linda Sherrod, Wanda Williams, Gayle Langston, Jean Floyd, Lisa Hess, Lynda Osborne, B.J. Oglesby and Karen Rose.

The rehearsal dinner held on December 20 was held at Western Sizzlin' in

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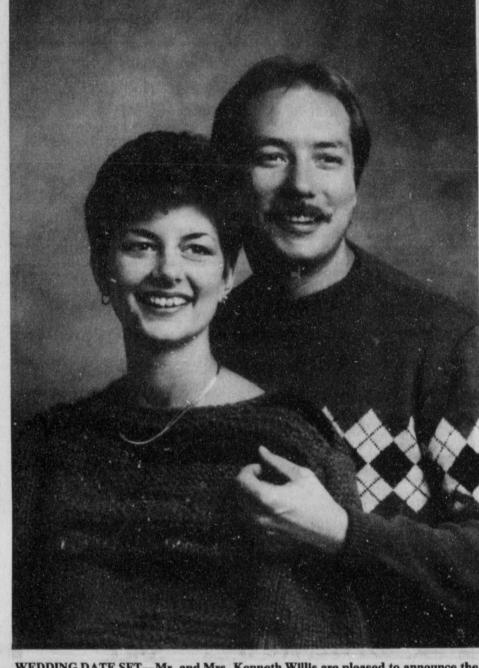
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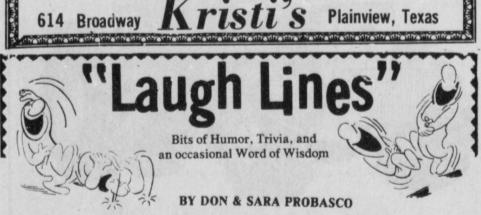
MEET AT: Floydada Inn - Room 13 Friday, January 17 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. FLOYDADA, TEXAS Call 983-2882 for appointment



WEDDING DATE SET-Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willis are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristi to Terry Busse of San Antonio. The wedding will be March 22 at the Southmont Baptist Church in Denton. Kristi is a 1980 graduate of Floydada High School and a 1984 graduate of North Texas State University. She is presently working as a counselor for Brookwood Recovery Centers in Dallas. Terry is a 1975 graduate of Central High School in Crookston, Minnesota and a 1979 graduate of the Chemical Dependency Training Program at Willmar State Hospital in Minnesota. Terry is also employed by Brookwood Recovery Centers as a Treatment Director in San Antonio.

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R.C. Andrews sixth graders comment on No Pass, No Play regulations

EDITOR'S NOTE: Under the leadership of student teacher, Sonya Stroope, the sixth grade language arts students of R.C. Andrews Elementary have been studying and writing business letters. They wrote letters to the editor concerning the No-Pass No-Play rule. Following are some of the letters they would like to share with you.

Dear Editor:

I think that Ross Perot had no right to change the education policy. However, I do think that it might help people who don't try and want to play in extra curricular activities to try alot harder. I sure wish he wouldn't have made us go to school from 8 till 4. It's almost like working from 9 till 5. There's nothing I can do about it now, or is there? Thank You, Jennifer Crow

I'm writing you about the No Pass-No Play rule that has gone into effect. I have mixed feelings about it. I think we should have it because if kids rely on sports they won't have a very good chance to make a living, but if they have an education they will have hundreds of choices of jobs to rely on. In some ways I could strangle Ross Perot for the rules he has made up, and I could tell him how much I appreciate his making up the rules. If I make a failing grade next year I may have different feelings.

Seven members of the Floydada High

School Varsity band entered competi-

tion for places in the All-Region Band

on Saturday, January 11. All seven were

rewarded for their efforts with seats in

the All-Region Band, with placing in

Diana Wilson placed first chair in

coronets, Gabriel Mendoza placed first

chair in french horn, and Marlyse

McGaugh placed first chair in alto

clarinet. Dawn Atteberry placed second

ground equipment simply for collecting

labels from Campbell's Soup Company

products. They will collect labels until

first chair positions.

That's why I have mixed feelings. Sincerely, Emmett Howard

I think the No Pass-No-Play rule is good and bad. Here are some good things about it. If someone is failing but they are a good athlete and want to play, it will encourage them to bring their grades up. It will also teach them to study harder. Some of the bad things are: if a lot of students start failing then pretty soon there won't be enough students to participate in a sport. Then after that all the sports will start disappearing. That will lead to just playing cards again. That is my opinion of the No-Pass No-Play rule.

Sincerely, Shonda Guthrie

7 place in All-Region Band

Duncan holds label drive

I'm writing to you about the No Pass-No Play rule. I think it is a good idea because people that are in sports just think about the sports in school wherever they are. Some people have to go early in the morning for tutoring and study really hard to pass that subject. It is also good for the teachers so they won't get upset with the students. Some people think its the end of the world when it happens to them. Students need to learn more about the subjects to have a good mind. I really like the idea because it tells people they need to learn.

chair in contrabass clarinet. Teresa

Gentry placed third chair in flute and

Tiffany Gentry placed third chair in

clarient while Andrea Bonner placed

Students from twenty schools com-

peted for seats in the All-Region band

with sixteen schools placing students in

the group. The next performance of the

All-Region Band is scheduled for Satur-

day, January 25, in Lubbock.

sixth chair in clarinet.

Sincerely, FaLiza DeHoyos

I am writing about the No Pass-No Play rule. I don't think it is right for Ross Perot to make that rule, because the people in special classes are the ones that are having problems do not have a chance to be in special activities like the smart kids.

Sincerely, Clint Lamb

Dear Hesperian, I think No Pass-No Play is a good idea. People have to learn or they'll only know how to do one thing. If they listen and learn in school then they will know how to do more than one thing, if they want to learn.

Yours Truly, Kevin Stringer Dear Editor:

I like No Pass-No Play. It is very good. There is something I don't like. It is 6 weeks off the game. I think it would be much better to be 3 weeks instead of 6 weeks. Then we might never win a game. Some of my friends are very good at playing games but bad at their grades. I think it should be 3 weeks. Sincerely, Fabian Torres

Dear Sirs.

I think the rule about "No Plass-No Play" is right, teenagers who can't make the grade shouldn't be able to play. A good education is very important for you as you grow older.

You could improve this rule by letting he or she play when ever the grade is up to where it should be.

But because of this rule, high school football teams, basketball, band, and other sports are having to drop out completely, because there's not enough people to play.

Sincerely, Kalli Hicks

Dear Editor:

football.

Why do we have to have the No Pass-No Play rule? I have never missed a day of school. I try to turn in my work every time I owe some of course, I never get it in because I can never find it. But I will try to get my work in so the No Pass No Play rule won't get me.

Your friend, John Robledo III

I think No Pass-No Play is kind of hard on the athletes. I like the part where it said he was doing it for the kids. I always try my best. I haven't missed a day of school. I always turn my papers. in. If I pass next year I'm going to try my best because I want to play

Senior Citizens Menu

January 20-24

green beans, Texas toast, ambrosia,

Monday — Chili and spaghetti fiesta,

Tuesday - Roast beef with gravy,

Wednesday - Meat loaf with creole

Thursday — Turkey and dressing,

Friday - Fried fish with tartar sauce

and catsup, corn and lima beans, glazed carrots, cornbread and butter, bread

sauce, candied yams, green beans,

cornbread and butter, ambrosia, milk

brown new potatoes, buttered Italian vegetables, roll and butter, fruit cup,

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been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall 1985 semester at Wayland Baptist University.

Those named to the list, along with their classification and grade point average (GPA), were Allison Robertson. freshman, 3.66 GPA; and James M. Willson, graduate student, 3.56 GPA. The Dean's Honor Roll is announced Wayland for the fall semester.

Two students named to honor roll Two students from Floydada have at the end of each semester by Dr. Fred A. Teague, academic vice president and

dean of the university, and lists the

names of students who posted a 3.50

GPA or above on a 4.00 scale while

carrying at least 12 semester hours. A total of 122 students from nine states and two foreign countries were named to the Dean's Honor Roll at

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I think that No Pass-No Play isn't fair because if there's a good receiver in football and he flunks the team will not be any good anymore. I want to play football next year, I hope I don't flunk this year because our team will be good next year. We might even be undefeated next year. What I don't like about school is that it is getting even more strict each day. I wish it wouldn't be as strict each day.

Your friend, Lupe Trevino

Dear Sirs,

I am for No Pass-No Play. This is a very good rule, because some kids on the football team flunk tests and coaches let them play. We come to school to learn, not to be the #1 football player or band player. For example, some kids go home study extra hard for a test. Others say oh who care the coach will still let me play.

I am for this 100%, because I always try to do my best. I come to school to learn!

Yours truly, Rhoda Hernandez

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I think the No Pass-No Play rule is good, but I disagree with the six weeks suspenison period. If a person can't make his grades he shouldn't be able to play. A kid gets discouraged when he can't play in sports that he likes, and the season might be over with by the time he gets his grades up. I think two or three weeks would be long enough. I know a lot of people that would like to talk to H. Ross Perot about this rule. Sincerely, Dirk Rainer

Dear Editor:

I think the No Pass-No Play rule is not very good. I think this because sports are some people's lives. Football players, for instance, has many good players, but when it comes to the rule most of the good players didn't get to

The No Pass-No Play is also good in some ways because some students would play and not ever do homework. Some students wouldn't go to all their classes. Students wouldn't be able to read or write very well if they don't do their homework and come to class only half the time. Those people won't make their kids do their homework and etc. Sincerely, Katharine Davis

Dear Editor:

Here is what I think about No Pass-No Play. I think it is a good rule. But if the student only fails 3 weeks why does he

have to sit out for six weeks. The student should have to sit out for as long as he or she fails. But some kinds of kids might try real hard in the class so he or she might be able to play sports. They might fail anyway but would if they can not help it. Some kids can pass so I understand why they can't play. Sincerely, Alan Livingston

Dear Editor:

The reason why I do like the rule No Pass-No Play is kids will try to pass to play in sports. If the kids don't pass they have no chance in being a professional player.

The reasons why I don't like the rule No Pass-No Play is because if kids don't pass they might drop out of school. If kids drop out of school they won't have any education. If a kid makes a failing grade he should have a period of the day

to try to bring it up. I think that the rule No Pass-No Play has a good side to it and a bad side to it. Yours truly, Tiffany

I think the new rule of No Pass-No Play is alright in a way. The students who play in sports will usually not become professional players. Even if one student will, he will need an education to get through college. If sports is so improtant to a student, he should want to work hard to play in sports. For the students who don't become professional players, if they have a good education they will have a better chance of becoming a professional something.

On the other hand, if a student has a 69 he should have a certain period of time to bring it up. If he or she does they should get to play.

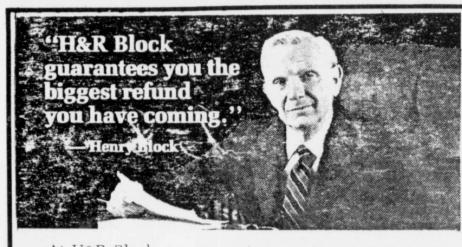
The rule has two sides to it. It is really

the way you look at it. Sincerely, Sylvia Caballero

David Cave, County Attorney of Dickens County has resigned his post and announced his intention to file as a candidate for the position of District Judge of the 110th Judicial District of Texas.

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Floydada Basketball Roundup

Floydada's Varsity boys basketball team lost to Muleshoe on January 10 with a score of 85-75. Floydada scored 12 points in the first quarter, 18 in the second, 18 in the third, and 27 in the fourth. Muleshoe scored 21 in the first, 18 in the second, 19 in the third and 27 in the fourth.

Joey Kemp was high point man for the Whirlwinds with 34 points. He made 18 rebounds. Rabel Contreras scored 12 points, Shannon Barbee scored 8 and Chad Pernell made 7.

JV Boys

In a game played January 10, the Floydada JV boys were defeated by Muleshoe, 51-45. Floydada scored 12 in the first quarter, 12 in the second, 12 in the third and 15 in the fourth. Muleshoe scored 10, 12, 10, and 13.

Roel Cisneros was the leading scorer for Floydada with 16 points and Sylvester Mendoza made 13. The team now has a season record of 11-2 with a district record of 4-0.

The team followed the Muleshoe loss with a decisively winning performance in the JV Tournament held in Floydada on January 11. They played Lorenzo to a 56-35 win to earn a berth in the championship game. Leading scorers against Lorenzo were Roel Cisneros with 16 and Randy Enriquez with 12.

The championship game found Floydada playing Idalou to a victory with a 67-47 score. Floydada's scoring by quarters was 20, 19, 15 and 13. Idalou scored 8, 16, 12, and 11.

Leading scorers for Floydada were Roel Cisneros with 17 points, Sylvester Mendoza with 13 and David Medrano

Floydada's JV placed first in the tournament and Idalou captured second. Lorenzo took third and Crosbyton was awarded fourth.

8th Grade Boys

The Floydada 8th grade boys won first place in the Tulia Tournament on January 11. They faced Tulia in the opening game of the series and emerged victorious, beating Tulia 44-29. Scoring for Floydada were: Harvey Soliz, 17; Frank Suarez, 7; Shay Hearon, 6; Joe Cisneros, 4; Jesse Suarez, 4; Andy McDowell, 2; and Wesley Campbell, 2.

The team played Nazareth for the championship and won with a score of 53 to 37. Scoring for Floydada were: Harvey Soliz, 10; Jesse Suarez, 10; Frank Suarez, 9; Grant Stovall, 8; Shay Hearon, 6; Joe Cisneros, 2; Andy McDowell, 2; Wesley Campbell, 2; and Russell Griffin, 2.

The team now has a season record of 6 wins and 2 losses.

Varsity Girls

Floydada's Varsity girls lost to Friona 46 to 38 in a game played in Floydada on January 7. Floydada's scoring by quarters was as follows: 9, 3, 10 and 16. Friona scored 10, 14, 8 and 14.

Marissa Jones lead the scoring for Floydada with 13 points. Tana Perry scored 3, Mary Lloyd made 4 and Paige Cannon scored 6. Amanda McDaniel made 7 and Tina Lara had 5.

"We got into foul trouble early in the game and this made us change our

A Floydada resident, Karen S. Lloyd,

was recently named to the Amarillo

College Fall Scholastic Honor List. To

be eligible for the honor list, students

must be enrolled in 12 or more hours of academic subjects and make a grade

game plan drastically and play their type. With their height, they were better equipped to play the slower game," stated Coach Baxter.

The girls suffered another defeat at the hands of Muleshoe on January 10, scoring only 44 points to their opponents 50. Muleshoe's scoring for each quarter was 4, 14, 9 and 23. Floydada scored 12, 6, 12 and 14.

for Floydada with 15 points. Paige Cannon and Tina Lara each made 11 points. Tana Perry made 6, and Amanda McDaniel made 1. The team record now stands at 7-9 for the season with a record of 2-3 for district competition.

JV Girls

Littlefield on January 3 and lost by a Marissa Jones again scored highest score of 35-26. Floydada scored 11 in the first quarter, 5 in the second, 4 in the third, and 6 in the fourth, with Littlefield scoring 6, 8, 10 and 11. Scoring for Floydada were Amy Burns, 6; Angie Hinsley, 6; Trisha Hanna, 6; Norma Cisneros, 6; and Cynthia Covington, 2.

Freshman Girls



WHIRLWIND JOEY KEMP, #42, shown here in a free throw attempt, made 19 points during the January 14 game against

Dimmitt. Floydada's Varsity boys were defeated 91-48.

Floydada Freshman girls competed in the Floydada Junior Varsity Tournament held in Floydada on January 11. The younger players did well against their sister team losing by only 16 points in the first round. The Floydada JV girls scored 6, 8, 9 and 14 while the Freshmen girls scored 4, 5, 4 and 8. Scoring for the Freshmen were Lori Christian with 10, Trish Hanna with 9 and Shelby Ogden with 2.

The girls next faced the Crosbyton JV and claimed a strong victory in that

game defeating Crosbyton 50 to 38. Floydada scored 12, 13, 17 and 8 with Crosbyton posting 12 in the first quarter, 12 in the second, 4 in the third and 10 in the fourth.

Floydada scorers included Trisha Hanna with 24, Shelby Ogden with 14, Lori Christian with 8 and Blanca Medrano with 4.

The victory against Crosbyton earned the girls a third place finish in the tournament and gave them a 6-2 season record with 4-0 in district competition.

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January 20-24

Monday:

jelly, milk Lunch - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, butter icing, hot roll, milk

Breakfast - Pineapple juice, dry

Lunch - Beef & bean chalupas. salad, Spanish rice, oatmeal cookie,

Wednesday:

spears, jello w/applesauce, milk

Breakfast - Orange juice, toast,

cereal, milk

Thursday: Breakfast - Apple juice, cinnamon

Lunch - Vegetable beef soup, crackers, pimento cheese sandwich, apricot

butter, syrup, milk

lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, peach cob-

The scholastic honor list is published

at the end of each semester. At the close

of each school year, an honors convoca-

tion recognizes students who have

achieved a 4.0 grade point average

green beans, carrot stick, cake with

Breakfast - Grape juice, hot oatmeal cereal toast, milk Lunch - Pigs in blanket, corn, pickle

toast, milk

Breakfast - Orange juice, pancakes,

Lunch - Char burgers, French fries,

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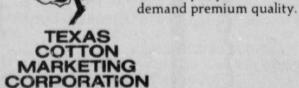
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Local students make Dean's List Two Floydada area students attend-

ing Angelo State University in San

university.

Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll include Bart Joseph Patzer, a Angelo, are listed on the dean's honor marketing major, and Penny Marie roll for the fall semester at the Rainey, an accounting major.

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Mrs. Anthony died in her home. She graduated from Texas Tech University where she received a mast-

er's degree. She was a member of St. John's Methodist Church. She had been a school teacher in Idalou, Lorenzo and Lubbock. She was a dietitian at University Hospital and a founder of the hospital's Women's Auxiliary.

Survivors include three daughters, Synda Anthony and Keely Lewis, both of Houston, and Lisa Lamoreaux of Lubbock; her mother, Muriel Smith of Lubbock; three brothers, A.O. Smith of Floydada, Bobby Smith of Lorenzo and Gary Smith of California; and one sister, Pat Mankins of Hartley.

Pallbearers were Sam Baker, Woodrow Dorsey, J.T. King, Byron Martin, Paul McCully and David Weaver. A.L. BARKER

Graveside services for A.L. "Shorty" Barker, 72, of Floydada were at 2 p.m. Sunday, January 12, in Floyd County Memorial Park with Dale Self, Church of Christ minister of Levelland, officiat-

Burial was under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home

Barker, a native of Merkel, died at 10:30 p.m. Thursday at his home following a lengthy illness. Justice of the Peace Lowell Bilbrey ruled natural causes

Barker moved to Floyd County in 1913. He married Ethel Mae Westfall on October 17, 1937 in Farwell. He was a retired shop foreman for United

Survivors include his wife; two sons, David of Floydada and Ken of Seattle, Washington; a daughter, Melinda Smith of Mesquite; a brother, Tye D. of Tularosa, New Mexico; a sister, Addie Assiter of Floydada; and four grndchild-

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society. **CHARLES CASEY**

Services for Charles C. Casey, 88, will be at 2 p.m., January 16 at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Wesley Daniels officiating, assisted by the Rev. Charles Teykl of First Presbyterian

Burial will be in Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home. He died at 8:17 a.m. Tuesday at the

Heritage Home after a lengthy illness. He was born and raised in Weatherford. He married Dena M. Nichols in 1918 in Denton. She died in 1982 in Plainview. He operated a bakery in bridgeport, then moved to Amarillo, where he worked for Baird's Bakery. In 1928, he moved to Floydada and operated a bakery. He owned and

operated Casey's Bakery in Plainview

VA home loan interest drops

The Veterans Administration reduced its maximum home loan interest rate from 111/2 percent to 11 percent effective Wednesday, November 20.

Noting that the 11 percent rate is the lowest in over six years, VA Administrator Harry N. Walters said the reduction is a sign of continued improvement in the mortgage market.

Walters pointed out that many veterans who presently have VA home loans with interest rates as high as 171/2 percent may be able to refinance their loans at the new, lower rate. He urged veterans who still occupy their VAfinanced homes to contact local mortgage lenders for details on VA's interest rate reduction refinancing program.

This is the fourth decrease in VA home loan rates this year. The last change occurred on June 5 when the rate went from 12 percent to 111/2.

The VA will also decrease by 1/2 percentage point the maximum rates for Graduated Payment Mortgages (GPM's) to 111/4 percent. In addition, the rates for manufactured homes will also be decreased. The new maximum rates are 131/2 percent for unit only loans and 13 percent for loans to purchase either a unit with the lot or to purchase a lot upon which a unit aiready owned by the veteran is to be placed.

The rate change does not affect existing loans whose interest rate remains the same for the life of the agreement. VA home loans may be used to purchase, construct, alter, improve, repair, or refinance a home. This includes the purchase of condominiums and manufactured homes, with or without a lot.

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from 1931 until 1974, when he retired. He was a veteran of World War I. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and was a 32nd degree Mason. He was a member of the Khiva Shrine and the American Church. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Duane (Doris) Tilson of Lubbock, Mrs. Alvin (Joy) Thomas of Ponca City, Oklahoma, Mrs. Pete (Sue) Kidwell and Mrs. Jerry (Charlie Marie) Whitaker, both of Plainview; a brother, Guinn Casey, of Houston; a sister, Pearl Childress of Granbury; 12 grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.

ZELA EDWARDS

Services for Zela A. Edwards, 79, will be at 10 a.m., January 16 at Dickens First Baptist Church with the Rev. C.L. Atkinson, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Dickens Cemetery under the direction of Campbell Funeral Home of Spur.

She died at 7:42 a.m. Tuesday at Crosbyton Hospital after a lengthy

She was born in Comanche County in 1906. She married Walter Edwards on July 29, 1929, in Guthrie. He died August 25, 1971. She had lived in Dickens County most of her life. She was a homemaker. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sons, Jack of Colorado City and Harold of Rochester, Mass.; three daughters, Beulah Edwards of Colorado City, Norma Dale Ecwards of Amarillo and Joyce Pearson of Spur; three sisters, Sammie Adams of Lindsay, Calif., Dottie Dimaggio of Law Vegas, Nev., and Ruby Smith of Lockney; 37 grandchildren; 40 greatgrandchildren; and two great-greatgrandchildren.

Grandsons will be pallbearers. WILLIAM CLYDE MEADOR

William Clyde (Jake) Meador, 85, died January 4 at 1:30 a.m. in a Phoenix, Arizona hospital after a brief

He was born in Granger, Texas December 27, 1900. At seven years of age, he moved to Plainview, and later to Floydada, with he's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Meador. He was married to the former Gladys McKee. They farmed in Floyd County for several years and then moved to Phoenix, Arizona where he was employed with an air conditioning manufacturing firm.

After retirement Mr. Meador spent summers in Floydada doing farm work

and visiting with friends and relatives, going back to Phoenix during the winter, until failing health made traveling impossible.

He is survived by his wife Gladys, a son Bill, three grandsons, Dennis, Bob, and Bill, and five great grandchildren, all of Phoenix, and two sisters, Burmah Probasco and Alta Probasco, both of Floydada.

Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery directed by Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Florence Van Hoose

Monday morning Dolores Cannon and Dorthy Neff were busy in the beauty shop making the ladies look very pretty for the Christmas party. Morning devotions were by Trinity Church. The singers were Rev. G.A. Van Hoose, Shirley Varner, Eula Mae Wilson and Dartha Westbrook.

Monday evening at 6:30 we had the annual Christmas party complete with Santa. The Companions 'n' Caring furnished and served the refreshments. The music was furnished by Dartha Westbrook and Mac McElyea, and Paul led the singing. All the residents received gifts. It was a very good party. Many family members and friends were present.

We appreciate Alpha Mu Delta and the Salvation Army for gifts. We also appreciate Alton Rose and Edell Moore for the fruit donated to the residents.

Tuesday morning devotions were by Brother Neeley Richardson. We enjoyed the devotions and also the banana break. In the afternoon we had a good time of Bible study, sharing and prayer. After Bible study Myra Hall and Charlie Spence beat Ruth Benson and myself in

a game of "42."

Wednesday the resident had self directed activities. Several of the residents went out to be with family for

Thursday morning was spent taking down the tree and other decorations. Morning devotions were by Rev. Earl Blair. He spoke from Psalms 96. In the afternoon we went on the bus ride to Plainview and were treated to ice cream at Sonic. The resident who went on the ride were Florence Curry, Opal Morrison, Della Halencak, Addie Lindley, Una Clark and Charlie Spence.

Friday morning devotions were by Freida Simpson and Mrs. Withers. Freida taught about Anna. In the afternoon we watched movies and at

This week's visitors include: Jerry Childs, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Myrick, Angela and Dwayla of Grand Prairie Tracy and Laura Turner, Gertrude Bill Cox of Clovis, New Mexico, Beatrice Bloodworth, Cline and Gwen McDonald of South Carolina, Nealy and Zelma Richardson, Billy and Jo Walker, Buster Mooney, Max Bradley of Ogden,

Utah and Hazel Bradley. D. W. Floyd was an honored hero

Editors Note: The following story was submitted by the Floyd County Historical Commission and the Floyd County Historical Museum.

The Floyd County Historical Commission has received the official Texas Historical Marker honoring Dolphin Ward Floyd. The marker will be erected on the courthouse lawn and will be dedicated June 21, 1986 in the presence of members of the Floyd family.

Residents of Floyd County, Texas are especially proud of Dolphin Ward Floyd's in Texas history and are grateful that his name was selected for our county. Every citizen and visitor to Floyd County should be aware of the significance of our county's name.

Dolphin Ward Floyd was born March 6, 1804 in Nash County, North Carolina. He was the son of Thomas Penuel and Sarah Beckwith Floyd. He left North Carolina November 22, 1825, bidding his mother, brothers and sisters good-

He arrived in Gonzales, Texas sometime before April 26, 1832 where he married a young widow, Esther Berry

He acquired lots three and four in block number sixteen in the inner town of Gonzales on December 23, 1833.

He and Esther had two children; John W., born November 26, 1833 and Elizabeth, born April 4, 1836. Elizabeth married William K. Hargis and died without issue on December 12, 1859. John W. married Mary Ann Mills and they were the parents of seven children; Elizabeth, Adophin Edward, John C. Berry Arthur, Lulu, Alice C., and Vaughan Gordon.

When the plea for help reached Gonzales on February 26, 1836 from Lt. Col. Williams B. Travis, commander of the Alamo, thirty-two men answered the call. Amelia Williams wrote in her Critical Study of the Seige of the Alamo, "Perhaps the bravest and most self-sacrificing incident in the defense of the Alamo was the entrance on March 1, of thirty-two men from Gonzales." Dolphin Ward Floyd was one of those volunteers who broke through Santa Anna's lines and entered the Alamo. They fought their way inside with little hope of further help. T.R. Fehrenbach in his book. Lone Star, wrote, "Santa Anna had planned a bold sweep into

Texas: he had moved with incredible speed. He came within an acre of succeeding. He would have succeeded, but for Travis at the Alamo."

Dolphin Ward Floyd died, likely never realizing that the bitter fight that he and his comrades were waging inside the Alamo would buy the needed time to ensure Santa Anna's defeat and guarantee Independence for Texas.

Texas State Senate Bill number 61 enacted August 21, 1876 reads, "The county of Floyd is named in honor of D. Floyd whose name is inscribed upon the monument stone of the Alamo". Although created by law in 1876 Floyd County was not to be organized until May 28, 1890. During the centennial celebration at the county seat in Floydada in May of 1976 a great-grandson, Rufus Low Floyd, was recognized when tribut was paid to his ancesor, Dolphin Ward Floyd. Some 150 years after the fall of the Alamo members of the Floyd Famnily still reside in Gonzales, Texas. They met in reunion at the Alamo on August 17, 1981 to pay tribute and commemorate the role that their ancestor played in Texas Indepen-

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We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Floyd County, Texas hereby certify that we have this date made an examination of and compared the County Treasurer's Quarterly report, filed with us on this 13 day of January 1986, and have found that same to be correct and in due order and that the total of all funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands in the sum of \$109,936.50.

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The Commission has assigned this matter to Docket 6634. A prehearing in this docket is scheduled at 10 a.m., on Monday, January 13, 1986. in the Commission offices at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard in Austin, Texas.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. Motions to intervene should be filed with the Commission on or before 4:00 p.m., Friday, January 10, 1986. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas. 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223, or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for

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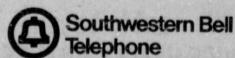
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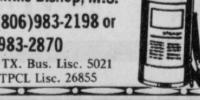
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