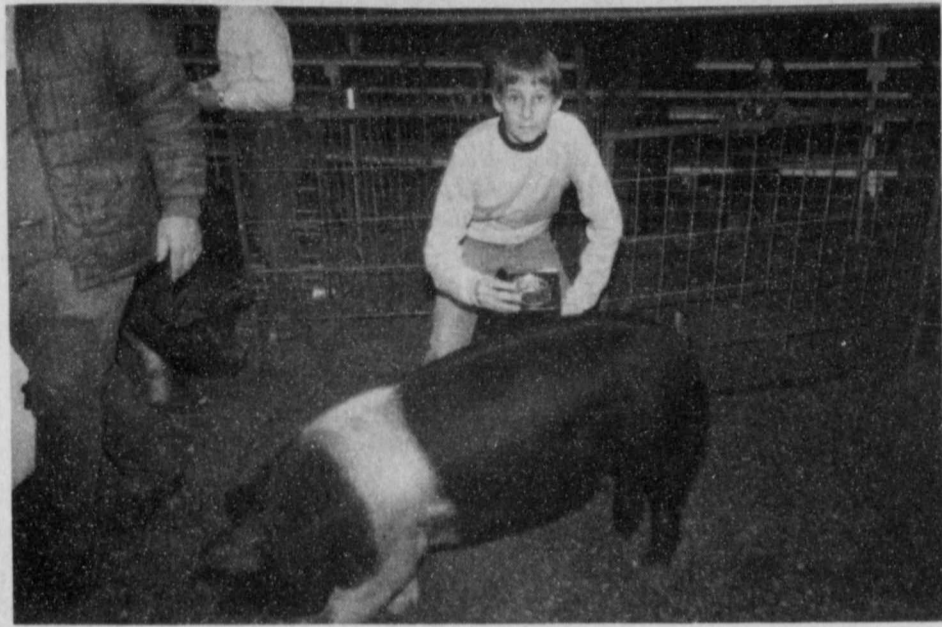


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CHAD WILLIAMS
Grand Champion Heavyweight Ham STAFF PHOTO



CHAD EDWARDS
1st Place, Breed Champion and Grand Champion Heavyweight Cross STAFF PHOTO

FFA and 4-H students show livestock projects

Nearly 100 local FFA and 4-H members came out Saturday in very cold temperatures to display the results of their livestock projects for this year. The youngsters worked long and hard to arrive at the 5th annual Floydada Junior Livestock Show sponsored by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce.

Rain McCandless won the Grand Championship with a Suffolk lamb. Reserve Grand Championship went to Jason Brown who exhibited a Hampshire lamb.

Chad Williams exhibited the Grand Champion barrow, a Heavyweight Hampshire and David Pyle, who also showed a Heavyweight Hampshire took the Reserve Grand Champion slot.

Both the Grand Champion and the Reserve Grand Champion steer came from the crossbreed class. Chad Edwards earned the Grand Championship and Troy Don Faulkenberry was awarded Reserve Grand Championship.

The Showmanship Award in the lamb show went to Hunter Smith. Shannon Barbee received the Showmanship Award for exhibiting his barrows. Angie Hinsley won the award for showing steers.

Show Judge Scott Doss from Frenship complimented all the participants on the quality of their entries and told the youngsters, "No one here is a loser. Everyone of you is a winner and must understand that it is very difficult for me to select one over the other."

Participants, their classification, and place in the show are listed below.

LAMBS

Lightweight Finewool: Hunter Smith, 1st; Tali Cage, 2nd.

Heavyweight Finewool: Jennifer Crow, 1st; Grant Cage, 2nd.

Breed Champion, Hunter Smith; Reserve Breed Champion, Jennifer Crow.

Finewool Cross Lightweight: Roxene Brown, 1st; Haney Robertson, 2nd; Christie Rowan, 3rd; Donna Campbell, 4th; Sonya Campbell, 5th.

Finewool Cross Heavyweight: Zach Nutt, 1st; Todd Cage, 2nd.

Breed Champion, Zach Nutt; Reserve Breed Champion, Roxene Brown.

Southdown Lightweight: Corey Carthel, 1st; Charla Yeary, 2nd.

Southdown Heavyweight: Rhealene Brown, 1st; Charla Yeary, 2nd; and Tali Cage, 3rd.

Breed Champion, Rhealene Brown; Reserve Breed Champion, Corey Carthel.

Hampshire Lightweight: Hunter Smith, 1st; Rhealene Brown, 2nd; Scotty Battey, 3rd; and Jon Garrett, 4th.

Hampshire Mediumweight: Jennifer Crow, 1st; Rain McCandless, 2nd; Charla Yeary, 3rd; Matthew Redding, 4th; and Don Chesshir, 5th.

Hampshire Heavyweight: Jason Brown, 1st; Jamie Crow, 2nd; Corey Carthel, 3rd; Zach Nutt, 4th; and Grant Cage, 5th.

Breed Champion, Jason Brown; Reserve Breed Champion, Jennifer Crow.

Suffolk Lightweight: Donna Campbell, 1st; Roxene Brown, 2nd; Don Chesshir, 3rd; Wesley Campbell, 4th; and Jon Garrett, 5th.

Suffolk Mediumweight: Zora Woody, 1st; Zora Woody, 2nd; Travis Rowan, 3rd; Christie Rowan, 4th; and Casey Carthel, 5th.

Suffolk Medium Heavyweight: Rain McCandless, 1st; Haney Robertson, 2nd; Matthew Redding, 3rd; and Scotty Battey, 4th.

Suffolk Heavyweight: Dean Smith, 1st; Jason Brown, 2nd; Aric Hendricks, 3rd; Pam Woody, 4th; and Haney Robertson, 5th.

Breed Champion, Rain McCandless; Reserve Breed Champion, Zora Woody.

Other Breeds: Jamie Crow, 1st; Jason Brown, 2nd; Roxene Brown, 3rd; and Todd Cage, 4th.

BARROWS

Berkshires: Coy LaBaume, 1st; Shane Orman, 2nd; Todd Hinsley, 3rd; and Christie Bennett, 4th.

Breed Champion, Coy LaBaume; Reserve Breed Champion, Shane Orman.

Chester White: Misty Bertrand, 1st; Daralyn Williams, 2nd; Daralyn Williams, 3rd; Tiffany Bennett, 4th; and Derrick Martinez, 5th.

Breed Champion, Misty Bertrand; Reserve Breed Champion, Daralyn Williams.

Lightweight Duroc: Kelli LaBaume, 1st; Darin Martinez, 2nd; Mark Thompson, 3rd.

Mediumweight Duroc: Tim Julian, 1st; Bryan Thomas, 2nd; Chad Hinsley, 3rd.

Heavyweight Duroc: Chad Williams,

1st; Troy Don Faulkenberry, 2nd; Shayla Barbee, 3rd.

Breed Champion, Kelli LaBaume; Reserve Breed Champion, Tim Julian.

Lightweight Hampshire: Kelli LaBaume, 1st; Kenneth Linch, 2nd; Coy LaBaume, 3rd; Chad Quisenberry, 4th; and Lanny McMurrian, 5th.

Light Mediumweight Hampshire: David Pyle, 1st; Shannon Barbee, 2nd; Jason Bailey, 3rd; Zacha Harris, 4th; and Mark Thompson, 5th.

Mediumweight Hampshire: Misty Bertrand, 1st; Danika Dudley, 2nd; Darin Martinez, 3rd; Bryan Thomas, 4th; and Tate Harris, 5th.

Heavyweight Hampshire: Chad Williams, 1st; Brady Anderson, 2nd; Tiffany Bennett, 3rd; Mindy Matsler, 4th; and Kristy Hinsley, 5th.

Breed Champion, Chad Williams; Reserve Breed Champion, David Pyle.

Polands: Melissa Faulkenberry, 1st; and Brady Anderson, 2nd.

Breed Champion, Melissa Faulkenberry; Reserve Breed Champion, Brady Anderson.

Lightweight Yorkshire: Mindy Matsler, 1st; Jeff Matsler, 2nd; and Stacy Hinsley, 3rd.

Heavyweight Yorkshire: Shayla Barbee, 1st; and Daralyn Williams, 2nd.

Breed Champion, Mindy Matsler; Reserve Breed Champion, Shayla Barbee.

Lightweight Cross: Shane Orman, 1st; Zacha Harris, 2nd; Brady Anderson, 3rd; Chuck Graham, 4th; and Ty Stovall, 5th.

Light Mediumweight Cross: Tate Harris, 1st; David Pyle, 2nd; Chad Williams, 3rd; Daralyn Williams, 4th; and Melissa Faulkenberry, 5th.

Mediumweight Cross: Bryan Thomas, 1st; Amy Hinsley, 2nd; Darin Martinez, 3rd; Coy LaBaume, 4th; and Chad Quisenberry, 5th.

Heavyweight Cross: Shannon Barbee, 1st; Jason Bailey, 2nd; Kenneth Linch, 3rd; Derrick Martinez, 4th; and Christy Bennett, 5th.

Breed Champion, Shannon Barbee; Reserve Breed Champion, Tate Harris.

STEERS

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City runs smoothly despite heavy weekend snowfall

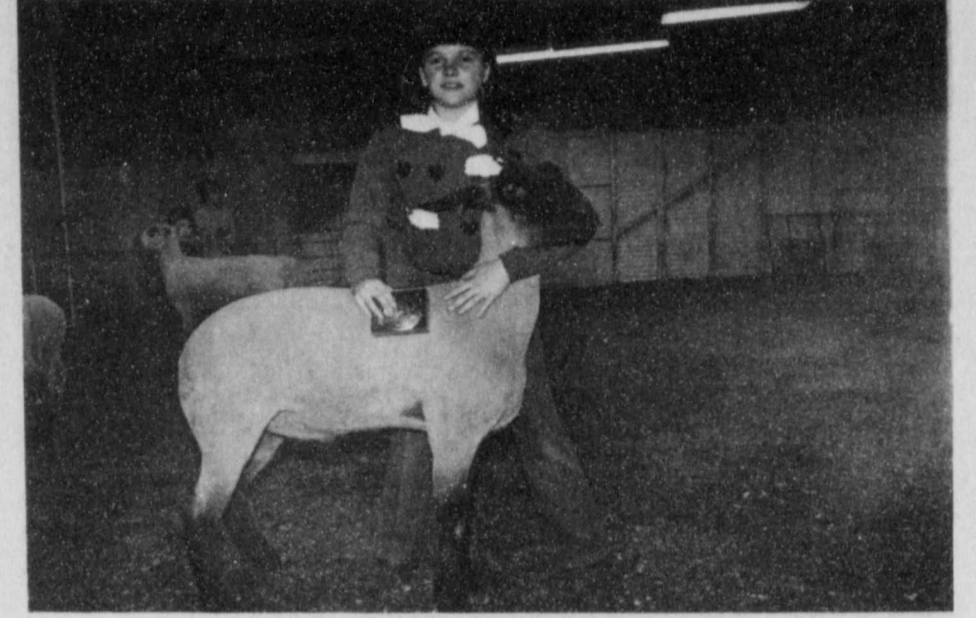
Nine inches of snow had accumulated in Floydada as of Tuesday, February 11, according to the Soil Conservation Department. The South Plains unofficial report was 8-10 inches of accumulation. The snow that started Friday night February 7 and closed school on Monday, kept the road crew with the Highway Department working long hard hours making the roads passable.

Steve Ferguson, supervisor with the Highway Department said, "As of Wednesday we have already put in 32 hours just in overtime since Friday night. We worked six hours Saturday and on Sunday, after working seven hours, we went home then came back and worked 21 hours straight before going home."

According to Mr. Ferguson there are 12 men in the road crew, not counting supervisors, who cover all Floyd County roads and four farm roads in Hale County. "We cover over 35 miles of highways and farm roads," said Ferguson.

"We haven't had any big problems so far because of the snow," said City Manager Bill Feuerbacher. "There haven't been any downed power lines or other weather related problems."

Besides the Highway Department other factors that kept the city running smoothly were the hard work of city crews, law enforcement agencies, common courtesy of travelers, and the many kind men with their tractors cleaning business driveways and parking areas.



RAIN McCANDLESS
Grand Champion STAFF PHOTO

Commissioners okay

\$1 fee for verifications

Floyd County residents registering vehicles in the County Tax Assessor/Collector's office will now be charged a \$1.00 fee if verification of vehicle registration, license, or title is necessary. This action was approved by the Commissioner's Court at their February 10 regular session. According to Jonelle Fawver, "The charge is necessary to compensate for the use of the teletype in the Sheriff's office when verification is necessary. People having the proper documents will not have to pay the extra charge."

The court was notified by Sam Baker, the county insurance agent, that liability insurance had been secured, but "the cost is higher than estimated." Baker told the court that the cost would be \$533,806.18 for a years coverage instead of the previously quoted \$26,900.00. The court approved contracting for the insurance as this was the only policy available.

Ann Reckling was approved as a full time deputy clerk in the tax assessor/collectors office effective February 3. She replaces Penny Golightly.

Also approved was an increase in the

county subsidy for ambulance service. Caprock Ambulance Service and the City of Lockney will each receive \$500 per month beginning with the month of February. The previous subsidy payment was \$350 per month to each service.

Servicing of the heating and air conditioning system at the courthouse was authorized at a cost of \$15.00 per unit for a total of \$165.00. The court heard auditor Bobbie Hamilton's report on the sale of the two cannery lots in Lockney and accepted the bid of \$77 from J.H. Workman for their purchase.

Hamilton reported that the first installment of the 1986 revenue sharing funds has been received in the amount of \$35,304.00. The total entitlement for the year is expected to be \$129,412.00.

County Treasurer Glenna Orman told members of the court that tax collections are now 89.43% complete with the total running a little below last year at this time. The county has \$1,196,000 in certificates of deposit at this time and has earned \$4,778.24 in interest so far this year. A \$72,000 C.D. is due to mature on February 12. The court voted to divide the amount between the four precincts with each precinct receiving \$18,000.00 for use on roads.

Landfill contracts were authorized with the cities of Floydada and Lockney. These contracts each call for a payment of \$2,000 by the county so that county residents may use the dump grounds of the cities. The county will also be responsible for excavating new pits if necessary.

A new lease was signed contracting for the use of the antennae tower by Motorola Communications. Motorola Communications will pay the county \$165.00 per month for using the tower as a repeater station.

Alton Rose met with the court to discuss charity burials. Rose assured the court that burials for indigents will always be billed to the county at the lowest possible rate and that the county will only be billed if all other sources of payment have been exhausted.

Nine contracts for farm work were also approved by the Commissioner's Court.

Floydada High School failures near 30 percent

The results are in on the effect of the no pass, no play provision of House Bill 72 for the third six weeks grading period of the 1985-86 school year. Figures from Floydada High School indicate that 29.7% of the 330 students enrolled in classes are failing at least one class with an average below 70. Of the 180 students enrolled at the junior high, 36.7% are failing at least one class.

According to Ronnie Wood, principal at the high school, 56 of the 98 with failing grades are involved in some type of extracurricular program and cannot participate until after the fourth six weeks grading period. They will then be

eligible to participate only if they have passing grades (70 or above) in all classes.

The 56 ineligible include seven seniors or 10.6% of the 66 seniors enrolled. Ten of the 68 juniors enrolled are on the list for a percentage of 14.7. Fifteen students or 15.3% of the 98 sophomores are listed as ineligible. Freshmen are hardest hit with 24 ineligible out of 98 enrolled for a percentage of 24.49.

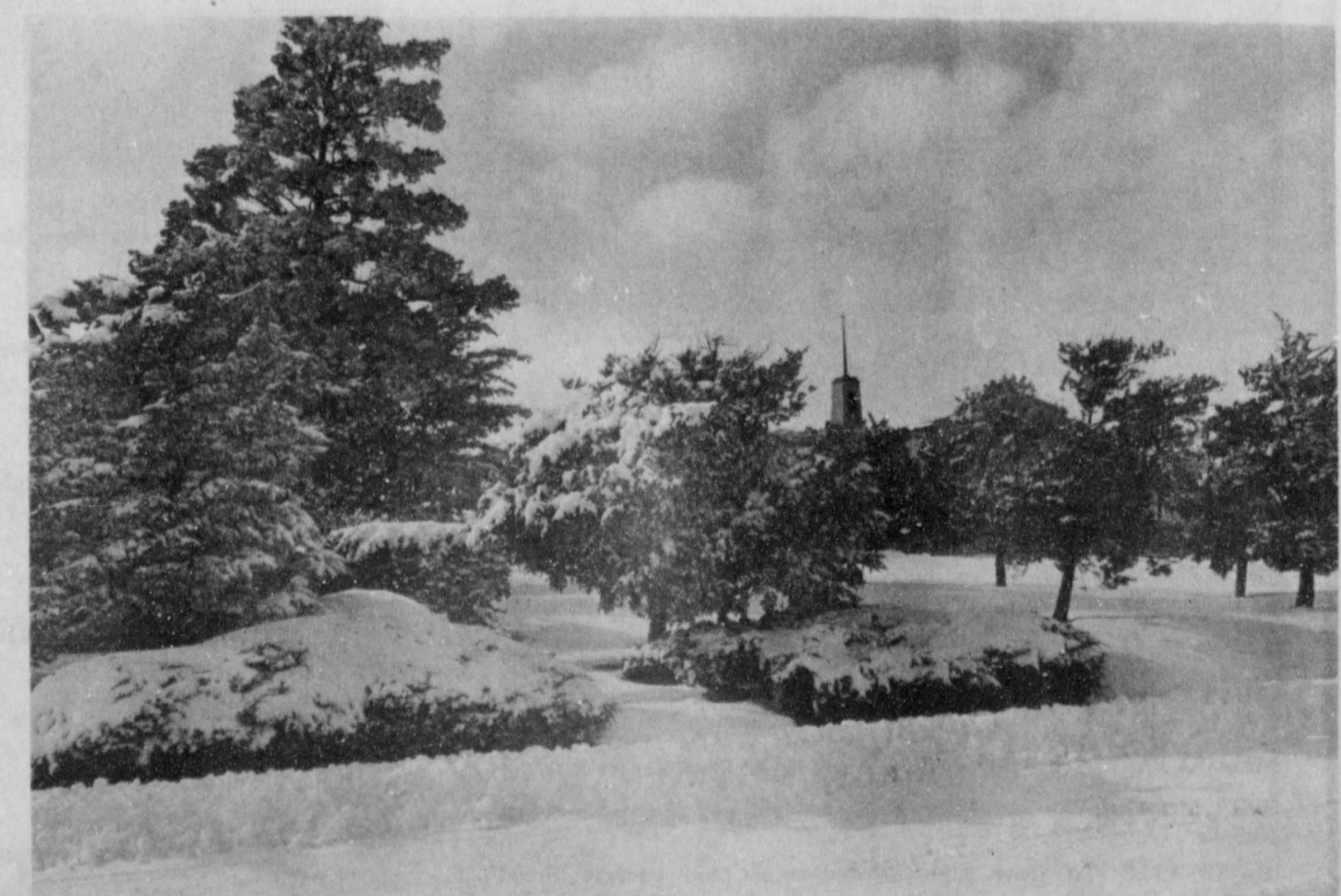
At the junior high level, 22 students in the 8th grade (28.5%) are failing at least one class as are 44 seventh graders.

People At Work...



RICK BENNETT, of Floydada, was one of many men out in the cold Tuesday clearing drives for businesses. Rick was helping his brother, Gary Bennett, of Martin and Company, when he showed up to clear the drive by the Hesperian leading to Blanco Printing. Rick said, "I've been driving a truck while I've been out of the service. I'll be going back into the Army this week after being out of service for eight years."

STAFF PHOTO



WINTER WONDERLAND at the corner of Tennessee and the church steeple surrounded by snow covered trees. Wall fills the passer-by with peace and beauty when viewing

STAFF PHOTO



IN HIS SUNGLASSES, scarf and hat, this sculptured snowman stands watch over the home of his creators, at 221 E. Houston. Displaying their handwork are (left to right) Jessica Charles, Cindy Charles and little Daisy Charles. STAFF PHOTO

During February, the Daughters of the American Revolution recall the famous Revolutionary cavalrman who was known as "Light Horse Harry." Henry Lee, 1756-1818, served with distinction under Washington. He was a

member of the Virginia House of Delegates and was later elected Governor of Virginia. On the death of General Washington, Lee described him in the phrase that has become famous: "first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his Countrymen."

V A News

According to Margaret A. Herrera, Veterans Service Officer for Floyd County, the Congress has authorized an across-the-board increase in the service-connected disability compensation being paid to veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States.

This increase of 3.1% was authorized by House Resolution 1538, and was effective December 1, 1985. Veterans in receipt of service-connected compensation will see the increase in their payments of February 1, 1986. At that time they will receive the payments at the new rate, plus the retroactive amount for the month of December. The payments that will be received on March 1, 1986, should be in the newly established monthly rate.

The 3.1% increase means that the veteran with a 10% service-connected rating will see his monthly compensation payment go from \$66 to \$68. The rate for the 100% disabled veterans will be increased from \$1,295 to \$1,335 per month. Veterans rated 30% or more are entitled to an additional allowance for all established dependents, such as

spouse, minor and handicapped children and parents. The dependents allowance has also been increased by 3.1%, effective December 1, 1985.

Dependency and indemnity compensation paid to surviving spouses and dependent children of veterans who die from service-connected disabilities has also increased by 3.1%, effective December 1, 1985. The back pay in these accounts should also be seen in the February 1, 1986 payments. All adjustments under this new law will be made automatically at the VA Pay Center.

Stock Show...

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Angus: Grant Cage, 1st; Zane Colston, 2nd; and Ross Colston, 3rd.

Breed Champion, Grant Cage; Reserve Breed Champion, Zane Colston.

Hereford Lightweight: Zane Colston, 1st; Jennifer Crow, 2nd; and Zane Colston, 3rd.

Hereford Heavyweight: Amy Hinsley, 1st; Kristy Hinsley, 2nd; Todd Cage, 3rd; and Chad Hinsley, 4th.

Breed Champion, Amy Hinsley; Reserve Breed Champion, Kristy Hinsley.

Cross Lightweight: Troy Don Faulkenberry, 1st; Zane Colston, 2nd; and Jeff Matsler, 3rd.

Cross Mediumweight: Troy Don Faulkenberry, 1st; Angie Hinsley, 2nd; Chad Edwards, 3rd; and Stacy Hinsley, 4th.

Cross Heavyweight: Chad Edwards, 1st; Angie Hinsley, 2nd; Jennifer Crow, 3rd; and Matthew Redding, 4th.

Breed Champion, Chad Edwards; Reserve Breed Champion, Troy Don Faulkenberry.



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JUDGES ATTEND SEMINAR—Forty-three justices of the peace attended a 40-hour seminar Jan. 12-17 in Austin conducted by the Texas Justice Court Training Center headquartered at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The seminars are held in compliance with Article 5972, Section B, of the Texas Revised Civil Statutes. Topics covered include justice court venue, defensive

driving, forcible entry and detainer statutes, license and weight laws and new game and fish laws. New legislation relating to the justice court that was passed by the 69th State Legislature was also reviewed. Attending were, (left to right), C.L. "Mike" Mooney of Lockney, Floyd County, Precincts 2 and 3; Kathy J. Mote of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Precinct 1, Place 1; and R.J. "Skeeter" Brock of Earth, Lamb County, Precinct 2, Place 1.

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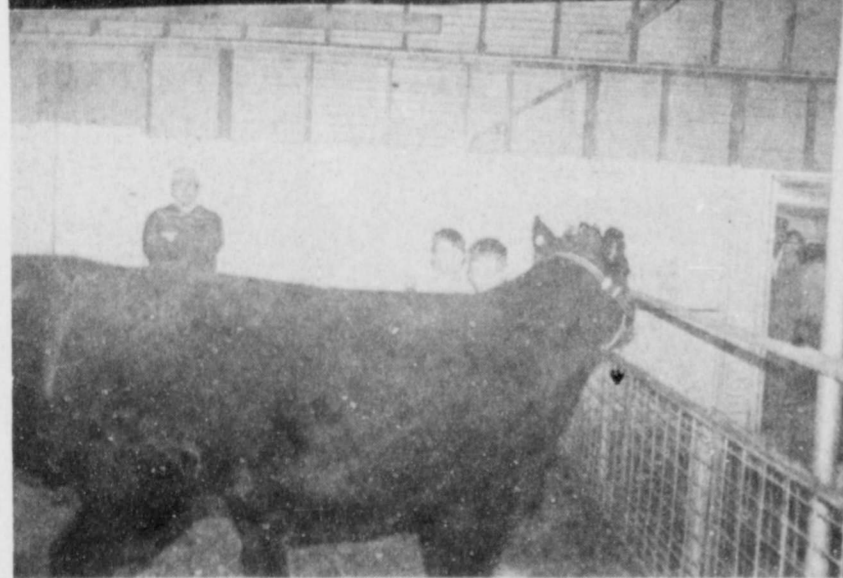
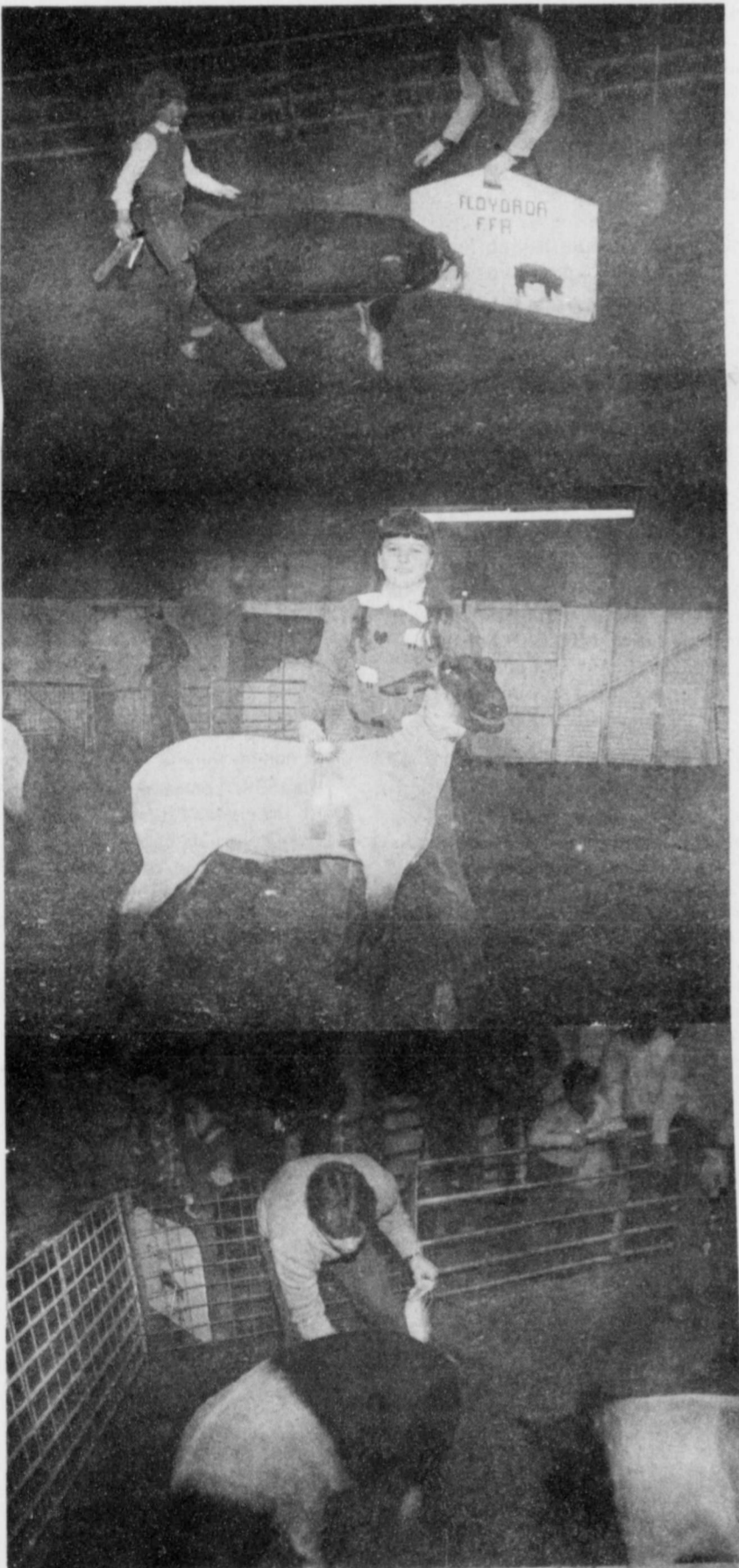
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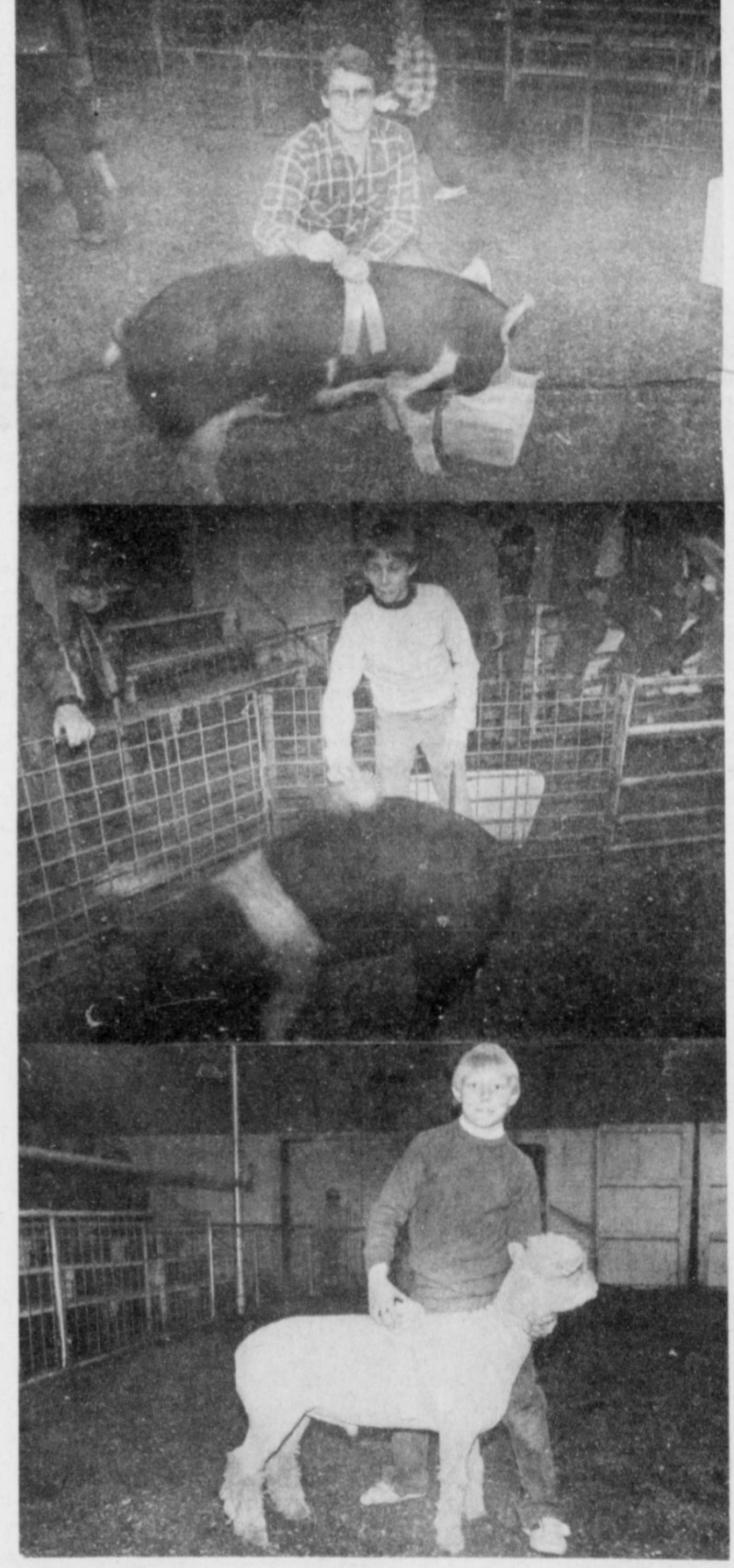
CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 4-H AND FFA WINNERS



MELISSA FAULKENBERRY—1st Place and Breed Champion Polands
RAIN McCANDLESS—1st Place Mediumweight and Breed Champion Suffolk
DAVID PYLE—1st Place Light Mediumweight and Reserve Breed Champion Hampshire
ZANE COLSTON—2nd Place and Reserve Breed Champion Angus



KRISTY HINSLEY—2nd Place Heavyweight and Reserve Breed Champion Hereford
JAMIE CROW—2nd Place and Reserve Breed Heavyweight Hampshire, shown by Jennifer Crow
HUNTER SMITH—1st Place Lightweight and Breed Champion Finewool



COY LaBAUME—1st Place and Breed Champion Berkshire
CHAD WILLIAMS—1st Place Heavyweight and Breed Champion Hampshire
COREY CARTEL—1st Place Lightweight and Reserve Breed Champion Southdown

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Administrative contracts extended by Fisd board

The Floydada Independent School District extended the contracts of several administrative employees for one year at the February 10 meeting of the board. Among those were administrative assistant Jimmie Collins, high school principal Ronnie Wood, Junior High Principal Joe Christian, Andrews Elementary Principal C.E. Tyer, and Caprock Coop Special Education Director Gean Christopher. Bob Copeland, principal of Duncan Elementary has opted for retirement at the end of this school year.

Gail Dubois was hired as a Title I reading aide for Duncan Elementary school as recommended by superintendent Jerry Cannon. Cannon also asked that a make up day for the snow day

taken on February 10 be scheduled for April 18. The board agreed with this recommendation.

Jimmie Collins reported that Ad Valorem tax collections for the year now total \$768,924.28. This represents 87.47% of the tax roll with a balance of \$109,112.26 yet to be collected. Collections at this time last year totaled \$774,131.96 or 84% of the total tax roll.

Collins also asked that pest control services for the school cafeterias be obtained from Bishop Pest Control of Floydada rather than from Quality Pest Control of Plainview. The board approved this change.



THE SNOWMAN FAMILY at the home of Eric and Julianne Cornelius were built by family members during the recent snowfall. The little snowman being held by Julianne Cornelius is her son Skyler Trent Cornelius.

STAFF PHOTO

School board and hospital district schedule elections

School Board elections have been set for April 5 by Floydada Independent School District. There are three 3 year terms up for election this year. Don Hardy and Fred Zimmerman III will be running for reelection. The third seat to be filled is that of Hulon Carthel who resigned at the January board meeting.

Anyone who desires to be listed on the ballot for a school board position may file by contacting the school attorney, Ben Ayres. March 5 is the final date for filing.

Absentee balloting will be conducted from March 17 to April 1 at the County Clerk's office in the Floyd County Courthouse. The Saturday, April 5, election will be held at the courthouse with Jack Stansell acting as election

judge. Dates are much the same for the Caprock Hospital District elections. Board members Aldine Williams and Claude Weathersbee currently hold the two positions up for election this year. Neither has indicated a decision to seek reelection at this time.

Voting will be held this year only at the County Clerk's office in the Floyd County Courthouse on April 5, absentee balloting will take place in that office from March 17 to April 1.

Anyone desiring to file for a place on the Hospital District election may contact Nell McClung for more information. The deadline for filing will be March 5.

Boulter bill to force congressional budget action

Noting that it is Congress' job to make tough spending choices, Congressman Beau Boulter (R-13) introduced legislation to ensure compliance with Congressional intent of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Reduction Act of 1985.

"The Balanced Budget Act, known as Gramm-Rudman by many, was intended to force Congress to start making the tough spending choices necessary to reach a balanced budget by 1991," Boulter said. "Already, barely a month after passage of that act, we're seeing a strong movement away from making the choices in the Congress, and toward letting the choices be made for us. That's not the intent of the law, and today's resolution can change that."

The Gramm-Rudman Act, signed by the President in late December, instructs Congress to present a budget that meets yearly deficit reductions

which would result in a balanced budget by 1991. If Congress fails to reduce the deficit to specific targets, Gramm-Rudman provides for across-the-board cuts in the form of a presidential sequestration of funds.

"As a deficit reduction measure, sequestration is better than no action at all," Boulter said. "But, it should kick in only as a last resort if Congress fails to do its job. The job of Congress is to make choices, to prioritize spending, and come up with serious deficit reduction. My bill would require Congress to make those choices, now, for fiscal year 1986, rather than just rely on automatic sequestration."

Boulter's resolution, co-sponsored by forty Representatives, provides that the House Budget Committee instruct each of the appropriate committees of the House to report back to the Budget

Committee not later than February 21, 1986, a deficit reduction plan equal to the \$11.7 billion savings contained in the presidential sequestration order. The committees are to report back their recommended cuts which the Budget Committee would incorporate into a reconciliation act and bring to the floor of the House for a vote.

"We can avoid some of the harsh, and ill-advised cuts that would come under automatic sequestration," Boulter explained, "by prioritizing programs, cutting some less than planned, and others more, and eliminating some programs altogether. It is not an impossible task. Instead, it is simply a case of the Congress doing its job."

VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

Men & Women
March 6,7,8

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MATADOR

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NIGHT - 348-7576

Deadline - March 1

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This Week

February 14th



FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The First Christian Church will have their Valentine Coffee between 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. at the church February 14. Everyone is welcome.

SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY

Senior Citizens will be having a box supper party at 6:30 February 14. Men and women are invited to decorate your box supper and join them in selecting a friend's box. All funds will go to the center. They will also be playing Bingo. Anyone needing a ride, may call the center Thursday or before.

A quilt, donated to the center, will be given away during the evening. Chances at this red quilt are being sold at \$1.00 each.

LIONS CLUB

Lions Club Sweetheart Banquet will be at the Massie Activity Center, 7:00 p.m., on Thursday, February 13, 1986. All Lions are urged to attend.

STOCK SHOW DANCE

A Stock Show Dance will be held Saturday, February 15 at Duncan Elementary School in Floydada. "Slow Motion" Band from Clarendon will be featured. The dance will be from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Tickets will be \$3.00 per person sold at the door. This dance is sponsored by the Floyd County 4-H Council. Everyone is invited to attend. The dance will be well chaperoned and refreshments will be served. Come and join us Saturday night.

CORRECTION

In the article in last weeks paper concerning food stamp fraud it was erroneously printed that if receiving food stamps you must report any income change over \$35.00. The correct amount should be income change over \$25.00.

SINGLES

Singles will meet at 6:30 p.m. February 15 at Lighthouse Electric. A potluck meal will be served.

VOLLEYBALL TOURNAY

Volleyball tourney for men and women is scheduled March 6, 7, and 8 in the old schoolhouse gym at Matador.

For more information call Ricky Lawrence (day) 806-348-7546 or (night) 806-348-7576.

Entry fee is \$45.00, which will be donated to the Sesquicentennial Wagon train. The deadline to sign up for the volleyball tourney is March 1.

AGRICULTURE MOVEMENT

The American Agriculture Movement, Inc. has announced the commodity distribution schedule for February 1986. Floyd County residents may pick up their commodities in Lockney at Baccus Ford House on February 20 from 9:00-1:00.

All food recipients must bring proof of residency, this is identification that is current and states name and local address. All persons that do not have this will not be able to receive commodities.

WEATHER

Courtesy of Energas		
DATE	HIGH	LOW
February 5	40	30
February 6	43	36
February 7	36	19
February 8	23	21
February 9	22	14
February 10	22	0
February 11	20	16

GRAIN	
Courtesy of Producers Coop	
Wheat	\$2.80 per bushel
Milo	\$4.00 per 100 weight
Corn	\$4.40 per 100 weight
Soybean	\$4.30 per bushel



A DREAM COMES TRUE—Recently a spire has been placed on the Calvary Baptist Church. This has been a dream come true for many past and present members. The spire was purchased from many memorials and donations.

9th grade boys Happy Valentine's Day!! defeat Tulia

The Floydada 9th grade boys basketball team played Tulia on February 3. Floydada won the game with a score of 62 to Tulia's 58.

Scoring for Floydada were: Rolando Cisneros, 21 points, six rebounds, and two steals; Dana Cooper, 13 points, 11 rebounds, and five steals; Chad Quisenberry, ten points, three rebounds, and five steals; Danny Caballero, ten points, and 11 rebounds; Rusty Edwards, four points and one steal; Leonard King, two points, four rebounds, and one steal; and Tim Julian, two points and one rebound.

The team has a season record of nine wins and two losses.

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FOUNTAIN
DRINK**
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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Roger and BoDean Poage of Floydada announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jill Deonne Poage of Arlington, to Larry Wayne Jones of Arlington, son of Babe and Nell Jones of Floydada. The wedding will be at 7 p.m. April 19 at the First Baptist Church, Floydada. The bride-elect received her Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree at the University of Texas in Arlington. She is currently employed as a Registered Nurse in the emergency room of Arlington Memorial Hospital. The prospective groom received his Baccalaureate in Business Administration at Angelo State University. He is employed as Operations Manager for Lone Star Co.

McCulloch feted with bridal shower Feb. 8

Eva Lee McCulloch, bride-elect of Brad Fulton, was feted with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Connie Bearden Saturday, February 8.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Ben McCulloch, mother of the bride and Mrs. Bill Fulton, mother of the groom. Special guests included the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Jack McCulloch of San Angelo.

Mrs. Lewis Reddy registered guests and Mrs. Byron Brock served at the serving table, which was a lace blue

ecru cloth. Coffee and hot punch were served with crystal and silver appointments.

Hostesses included Mmes. Jerry Battey, Connie Bearden, Stanley Burselson, Kent Covington, Ray Gene Ferguson, Dan Fry, Richard Hale, Bill Hinkle, Jim Jackson, Albert Jones, Gene Reid, Bob Ross, Johnney West and Jerrold Vinson.

Hostess gifts were a food processor and a mixer.

The wedding date is set for March 22 in San Angelo.



APRIL WEDDING SET—Mr. and Mrs. V.H. Harman Jr. of Tulla are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter, Cherylon Kay, to Mr. Jimmy H. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim H. Jackson of Floydada. The wedding date has been set for April 12, 1986 in the First Christian Church Chapel in Lubbock. Jimmy and Cherylon are both graduates of Texas Tech University where both received B.B.A.'s in Finance. Mr. Jackson is currently employed with Crosson Dannis, Incorporated as a Commercial Real Estate Appraiser in Dallas. The couple will make their home in Dallas.

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ENGAGEMENT PLANS REVEALED—Mr. and Mrs. Ronald J. Herrington of Anaheim, California are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lori Ann, to Derek Kyle Cheek, son of Mrs. Carolyn Cheek of Floydada. Lori is currently the Supply Marketing Director of Advanced Inter Systems of Anaheim, California and plans to continue this position at the Las Vegas branch of A.I.S. Derek is presently a senior Airman in the United State Air Force and stationed at Nellis Air Force Base in Las Vegas, Nevada. The wedding ceremony is scheduled for March 22, 1986 at Calvary Chapel, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Cogdell announces engagement

Mr. and Mrs. David Martin Cogdell Jr. announce the engagement of their daughter, Connie Delle, to Thomas Kinder Farris Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kinder Farris.

Miss Cogdell attended Texas Christian University and received her B.A. degree from Texas Tech University. She completed the graduate paralegal program at Southwest Texas State Univer-

sity and is employed by the First National Bank in Lubbock.

Farris attended Texas Christian University and received his B.A. degree from Texas Tech University. He is associated with the First National Bank in Floydada.

A June wedding is planned.

Eckert presents program

Alpha Mu Delta came to order on February 4 at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Holly Hendrix, president. Kelli Reddy called the meeting to order. After the business, service and social activities were discussed. Dinks Eckert gave a very informative and interesting program on home safety. He discussed the different types of home fires, such as grease, electrical, chemical and paper

fires. Afterwards hostesses Barbara Anderson, D'Lee Powell and Holly Hendrix served Mexican stack, cake and pie to the following members: Debra Graham, Dara Ware, Mitzi Nixon, Penny Ogden, Duffy Hinkle, Kelli Reddy, Wendy Pierce, Abby Battey, Julianne Cornelius, Brenda Heflin, Jeanine Helms and Beth Eckert.

Smith hosts Study Club

The 1929 Study Club met Thursday, February 6, in the home of Mrs. George Smith with co-hostess, Mrs. C.M. Meredith. Roll call was answered with "What body part could I donate."

During the business meeting, conducted by Mrs. R.D. Williams, it was voted to make a donation to the cancer drive.

The program was given by Mr. Steve Hale, attorney-at-law. His subject was "A Living Will." He gave information

and explained how to make out a living will. A living will is prepared concerning your wishes to be kept alive by artificial means if you are unable to make this decision on your own behalf.

Those present were Mmes. Vance Campbell, Nettie Adams, W.B. Parrick, C.W. Dennison, T.D. Williams, Ben Whitaker, Miss Frances Mitchell, and guest, Mrs. Allen Benson, and hostess, Mrs. George Smith.

Past Matrons Club meets

The Past Matrons Club met on Thursday, January 23, at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Roberta Russell.

After Flora McNeill led us in the invocation, the members enjoyed a light supper.

After the meal, the meeting was called to order by the President Dell Gray. The members answered roll call with "My New Years Resolutions."

The members voted to contribute \$15.00 to the ceramic fund at the Floydada Nursing Home.

Members present were Dell Gray, Sherry Colston, Eula Parrack, Ruth Trapp, Bess Carr, Flora McNeill and Roberta Russell.

Their next meeting will be Thursday, February 27, in the home of Flora McNeill.

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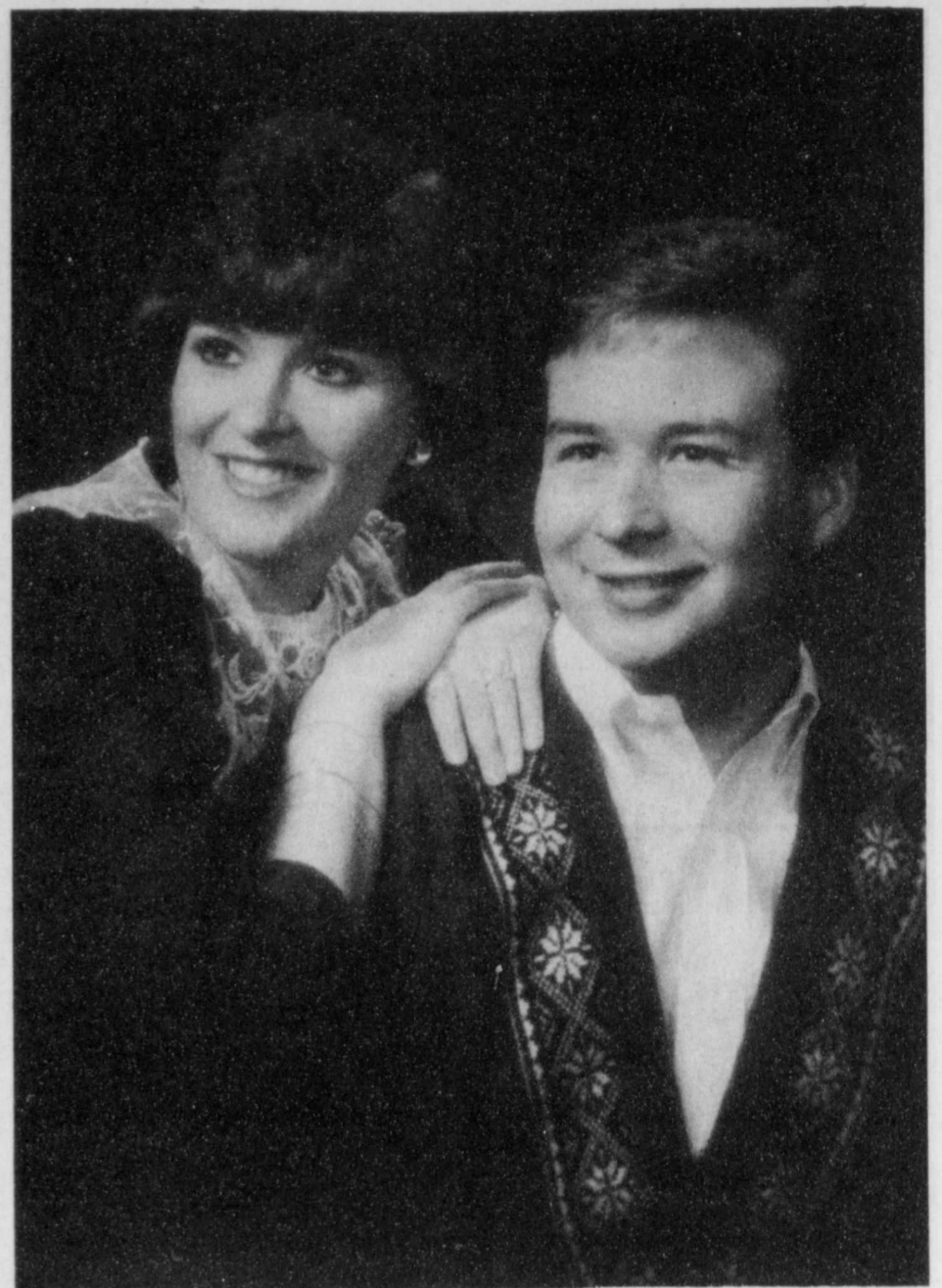
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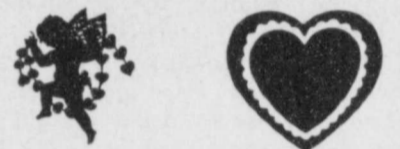
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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. James W. McAdams of Fort Smith, Arkansas and Mrs. Martha Hartman of Richardson announce the engagement of their daughter, Niki Marlene, to Kelly Trent Sue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bill Sue of Floydada. Miss McAdams is a 1985 graduate of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Nursing with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. She is presently employed at Lubbock General Hospital in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit. While in college, she was a member of the Pi Beta Phi Sorority. Mr. Sue is a candidate for 1986 graduation from Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Architecture degree. He is a member of the Sigma Chi Fraternity. The couple will be wed on the evening of May 24, 1986, First United Methodist Church, Lubbock, Texas.



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Smith and Chapman pledge vows

Michele Renee Smith and John Brett Chapman exchanged wedding vows at 2 p.m. February 8 in St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Lubbock, with a reception immediately following at Lakeridge Country Club. The Rev. Jim Taylor of Andrews performed the ceremony.

For her wedding, the bride chose a fabulous gown of crystalline organza and rose lace, designed by Bonny M.T. The classic Queen Anne neckline was accented with milano lace and jeweled with sequins and pearls. The basque waistline and bodice were covered with lace and pearls. Elegant court sleeves of

organza and lace formed points at the wrists. The fully gathered shirt of crystalline organza was applied with milano lace and ruffled at the edge cascading into a magnificent train of crystalline ruffles and panels of rose patterned lace forming a tulip cathedral length train.

She selected a headpiece by Demetrios. A wreath of pearl and sequin accented with a pouf of illusion and a shoulder length veil.

Kimberly Smith, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. Bridal honor attendants were Clarise Chapman of Dallas, Leslie Johnson, Lynn Livingston, Mrs. Ed Williams of Plano and Kris Williamson. Flower girl was La-Shea Pridmore of Tahoka.

The bridesmaids wore gowns by Galina in a rich Ming color of mirrow moire. The gowns featured a bateau neckline and natural waistline accented with a pleated cummerbund and bow in back. The dress back featured a keyhole cut out. The gathered skirts were tea length.

Attending the groom as best man was his father, Dr. A. Brooks Chapman of Dallas. Groom honor attendants were Billy Brewer of Dallas, Mitch Heidenheimer of Abilene, John Sawyer of Arlington, Cliff Schein of Dallas, Kendall Smith and ring bearer, Spencer Perry of Petersburg.

Ushers for the wedding included Kirk Corbin of Alto, New Mexico, Parker Sewell, Hank Dorris of Fort Worth, Jeff Pirtle and Ed Williams of Plano.

Others included in the wedding party were Tim Pridmore, Angie Pridmore, Krystal Brown of Amarillo, Patricia Edwards of Severna Park, Maryland, Julia Edwards of Severna Park, Maryland, Jennifer Jones of Abilene and Mrs. Linda Wendlandt of Austin.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Smith of Lubbock and Dr. and Mrs. A. Brooks Chapman of Dallas, formerly from Floydada. He is grandson of Mr. Everett Perry and Late Mrs. Helen Perry of Floydada and Judge and Mrs. Alton Chapman in Gatesville, formerly of Floydada.

The bride is a graduate of Coronado High School and attended Texas Tech University. The bridegroom graduated from Lakehill Preparatory School in Dallas and from Texas Tech University in 1985 with a BBA degree. He is currently employed with Hurd Development Co. in Dallas.

After their honeymoon trip to Jamaica, the couple will reside in Dallas.



MRS. JOHN BRETT CHAPMAN

Phalen marries Chase

Teresa Phalen, daughter of Mrs. Betty Coleman of Plainview, Texas, and granddaughter of Mrs. Lee Seaman of Lockney, Texas, married Jamie Chase, son of Mrs. Joy O'Neill of Limerick, Ireland and Mr. James Chase of Paso Robles, California, on January 21, 1986. The ceremony was performed by Father Michael Culhane at Saint Munchin's Catholic Church in Limerick, Ireland.

Present at the wedding were the groom's mother and stepfather, Joy and Edward O'Neill, and the bride's aunt, Mrs. Christine Shelton. The couple will fly to Paris, France for their honeymoon.

Teresa is a graduate of the University of Texas. Jamie studied at the San

Francisco Art Institute and is an artist in Santa Fe, New Mexico where the couple will reside.



MRS. JAMIE CHASE

Smoking can be hazardous to unborn babies

The American Lung Association of Texas has set aside the month of February to remind women who smoke during pregnancy that they are smoking for two: Their unborn babies and themselves.

Studies covering 500,000 births have shown that a woman who smokes during pregnancy significantly increase her risk of having a miscarriage, a stillbirth, a premature baby or baby with low birthweights. The newborn infant faces increased risks from respiratory disease syndrome and Sudden Infant Death Syndrome. In addition, children of smokers tend to be smaller and shorter and have more respiratory ailments and to score lower on math and verbal tests than children of nonsmokers.

The Lung Association has an information kit for pregnant women who smoke. Questions such as: "What are some specific effects of smoking during pregnancy?" are answered in the comprehensive question and answer portion of the kit. The kit will be distributed free of charge during February.

Workshops for nurses and other healthcare professionals will be held at three locations around the state. Physicians will present physiological information concerning smoking during pregnancy. Each hospital or clinic represented will receive extensive information and materials to be used when counseling expectant mothers about the hazards of smoking.

For more information about smoking during pregnancy contact the American Lung Association of Texas, 3520 Executive Center Drive, Suite G-100, Austin, Texas 78731-1606 or call toll-free 1-800-252-LUNG.

FLOYD DATA

Mrs. Effie Foster attended the funeral of her brother, Thomas C. Griffin in New Orleans, Louisiana on February 3. Griffin was a former resident of Crowell, Texas.

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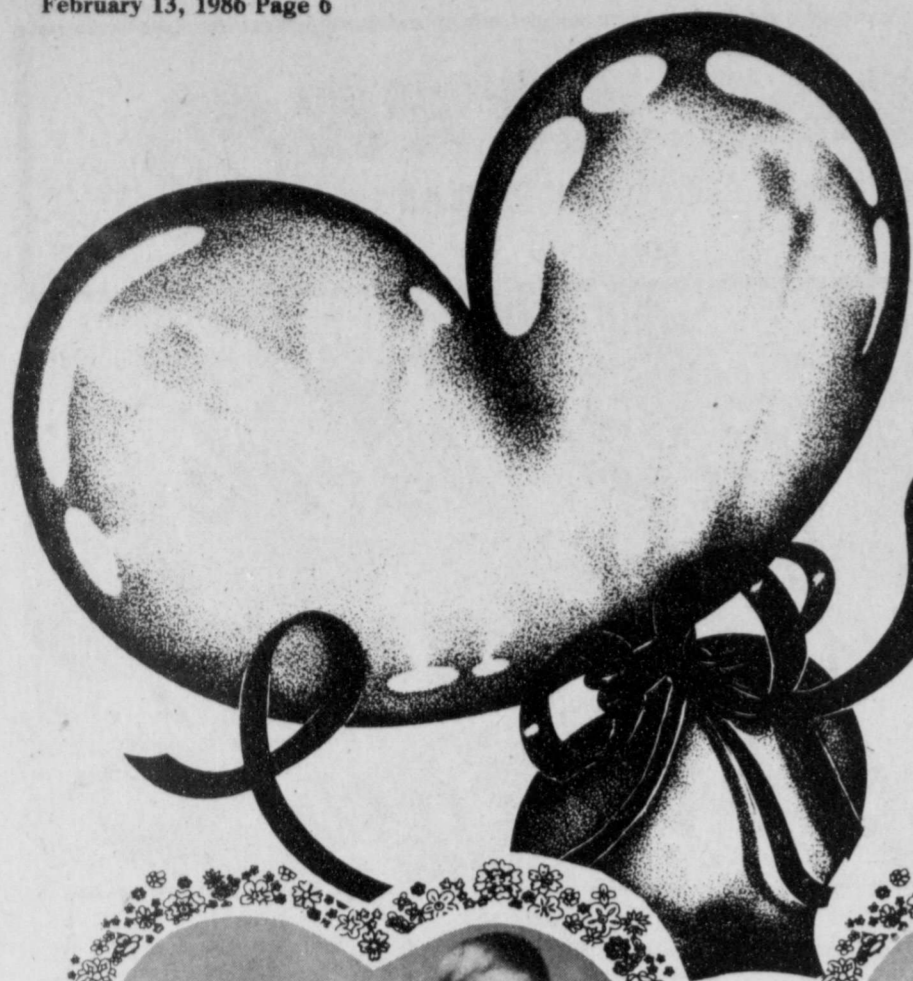
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MELISSA ANN BEATY, 3 months old, is the daughter of Todd and Cindy Beaty of Lubbock. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burk of Shallowater and Mrs. Linda Epps of Floydada. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Ruth Duncan of Floydada.



STEPHENS, 2 years old, and AUSTIN, 3 years old, BEDFORD are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bedford of Garland. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reed of Stratford and Mr. and Mrs. David Bedford of Abilene. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker of Floydada.



LAURA NICOLE BONDS, 20 months old, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Tom Bonds of Muleshoe. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Jack Jordan of Floydada.



MEAGAN and MANDY BREED are the daughters of Rex and Joy Breed. Proud grandparents are Frank and Helen Breed of Floydada, Joyce and Boyd Jones of Moore, Oklahoma and Wendell Jordan of Canyon.



JOSHUA LEE CABALLERO, 2 years old, is the son of Joe and Mary Caballero of Floydada. Grandparents are Trine Villanueva and Joe and Lupe Caballero, all of Floydada. Great-grandparent is Otavio Caballero of Abernathy.



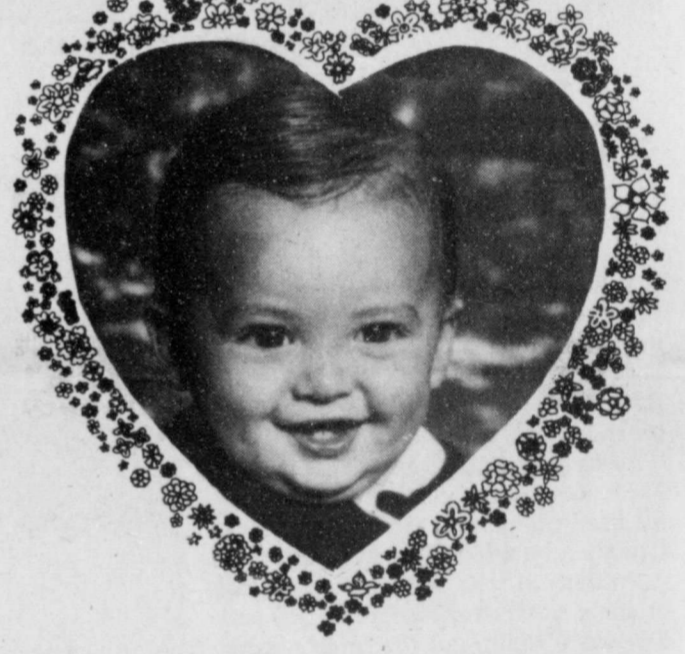
JUDY CARDENAS, 3 years old, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cardenas of Grand Prairie. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Juan Ibarra of Floydada and Mrs. Cardenas of California.



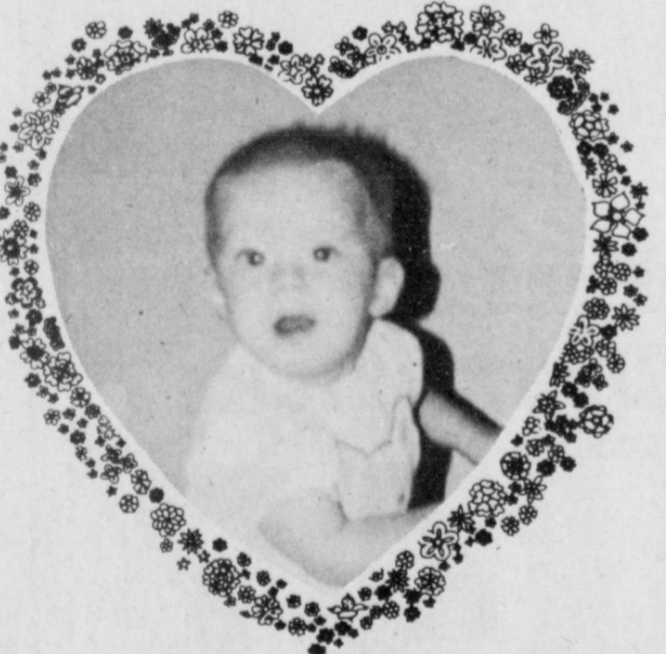
SKYLER TRENT CORNELIUS, 4 months old, is the son of Eric and Julianne Cornelius. Grandparents are Julian and Joyce Lipham of Dalingerfield and Jim and Pat Cornelius of Floydada.



JOSEPH CHRISTOPHER, 24 months old, and STEPHEN LYNN, 10 months old, CUEVAS are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Bonifacio Cuevas Jr. Grandparents are Bonifacio and Gloria Cuevas.



ERIC BRANDON ENRIQUEZ, 17 months old, is the son of Eli and Pam Enriquez of Arlington, Texas. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chris Enriquez of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Powell of McKinney, Texas.



EMILY EVANS, 1 year old, is the daughter of Joel and De Ann Evans of Floydada. Grandparents are Jimmy and Dolores Collins and Ronnie and Alyne Evans of Floydada.



LEWIS ROBERT FAWVER, 16 months old, and AMANDA JO FAWVER, 6 years old, are the children of Clinton Lewis and Debra Jo Fawver of Floydada. Grandparents are Carlton and Louise Fawver and Billie Jo and Gleva Smith, all of Floydada. Great-grandparents are Flora Fawver and Leonard Smith, both of Lubbock, and Ruble Ratjen of Floydada.



MARY LAUREN GALLAGHER, 2 years old, is the daughter of Brenda and Bill Gallagher of Lubbock. Grandparents are J.P. and Tommie Williams of Lockney.



KRYSTAL ESTELLE GARCIA, 1 year 9 months old, is the daughter of Silvester Jr. and Delma Garcia. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tino Gomez of Floydada, Mr. Silvester Garcia Sr. and Mrs. Martina Garcia of Lockney.

Puppy love and a case of people love

By Will Martin
In present times I never hear the term "puppy love" as referring to small and young children as I used to hear it when I was young.

Most parents and others mostly took the attitude that when a small boy and girl seemed interested in each other that it was just puppy love and would soon die out. Some people told the couple if they didn't wait until they were old enough to court they would get a spanking. Some of the papas would run the boy off when he came to see the girl. Some of the young were wise enough to lay low. Some fell madly in love and were too bashful to let the opposite sex know it. That was what happened to me, and I was too scared to talk with the girl. I shall try to tell the story of my secret courtship as truthfully as I can, while I shall add a little spice as I try to make it more interesting if possible.

When I was in Miss Bernice Henry's room in the 3rd grade, and I was about eleven years old, there was the cutest little girl moved in from the country I had ever seen. I fell for her right off. She would smile at me some times but did not seem to have anything to say. And I was so bashful every time I thought I was going to say something to her I seemed to take the lock jaw. One day she did whisper across the aisle and ask to borrow my pencil. I was so thrilled I could hear my heart go thump thump. Of course I let her borrow the pencil and would have given it to her. But she finished whatever she was doing and handed it back to me.

Before I go any further I will note that her nickname was Polly and not give her real name for obvious reasons. I would get to day-dreaming about Polly, wishing we were old enough to get married. The teacher would see me sitting there staring into space and she would say to me, "Will, quit wasting time and get to studying your lesson." It didn't seem I could keep my mind off her and I tried to keep the teachers from finding out about my love affair. If Miss Henry ever found out she never said anything about

it. I kept my mind on Polly so much it was hard to think of anything else.

As Spring came we had a few warm days and had to open the windows for fresh air and make it cooler inside. I can't remember if they had fly screens on the windows or not.

My brother, who was seven years older than I, seemed to take great delight from the fact that he knew more about life in general than I did. He liked to tease me with things that he presented as the truth. I was told when I was young to respect and listen to my elders and I swallowed every thing he told me. He knew I was crazy about Polly. In fact, he was friends to two of Polly's brothers. I don't know what they carried on about Polly and me beyond our knowledge. Brother told me one time if I ever felt a tingling up and down my backbone it was a sure sign that I was hopelessly in love and would have to marry right away.

One day as I was trying to study and keep my mind on Polly and the teacher at the same time, I felt something tingling up and down my backbone and I just knew I was a goner. How could I keep up a wife? As I was thus occupied in thought, I felt something crawl out my shirt collar and saw a fly sail out the open window. What a relief. I was still in love with Polly, but not ready to marry.

The remainder of the school year I kept trying to get up nerve to talk to her, but just had to content myself listening to her as she recited in class or talked to someone else.

I don't see how I did it, but I passed to the fourth grade that Spring. As summer wore on and I had to help mama around the house with chores such as washing on a rub board and washing fruit jars or canning fruit and garden things. And of course help Papa and Henry in the fields.

My interest in Polly waned some, until we started back to school, in Miss Elliot's room. I found Polly just as sweet as ever but my tongue clove to the roof of my mouth and my knees buckled, or

so it seemed, every time I tried to talk to her. So I just made myself content to look at her and build air castles.

Brother Henry told me that when people got so deep in love that their heart would get to hurting, they would die if they were not satisfied in love. One day not long after dinner, and as I was sneaking a look at Polly, my chest began to hurt and I broke out in a cold sweat. I just knew I was heart struck by love. Anyway I got leave to go to the bathroom, where I got real sick and lost all my dinner. Polly gave me a searching look as I went by.

That night mama asked if I got sick. She said she had accidentally put a piece of tainted meat in one of my biscuits. That happened in those days for lack of modern care of meat.

After mid-term of that year I overheard Polly tell some of her friends that they were going to move to a country school out east of town. Of course I was sad and sure love sick. They lived at that time just off the north west corner of the school ground. The day they loaded wagons to move I watched forelornly at recess and dinner hour, and after school was out they were gone. I went by the house which was on my way home, and oh how lonesome. I never saw Polly again.

I tried to forget Polly and put my mind on the love case that I mentioned in the title. Miss Elliot had a boy friend that came up quite often on Friday to take her home after school. They lived somewhere in the vicinity of Spur. He usually got here in time to eat lunch, or dinner as it was called in those days, with her. She encouraged the ones of us who ate dinner at our desk to hurry up and go out to play. I suppose they wanted to court privately. I don't blame them.

On ordinary days she was a little gruff at times, but treated us fair, and I think was a real good teacher. But on the afternoons her boy friend was present. Miss Elliot overlooked some of our goofs and had a smile on her face like a
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ERICK GOMEZ, 3 years old, is the son of Pvt. Ricky and Maria Gomez of Floydada. NIKKI GOMEZ, 8 months old, is the daughter of Junie and Donna Gomez of Floydada. JEANNIE OCHOA, 5 years old, is the daughter of Jack and Nelda Ochoa of Lorenzo. Grandparents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. Tino Gomez of Floydada.



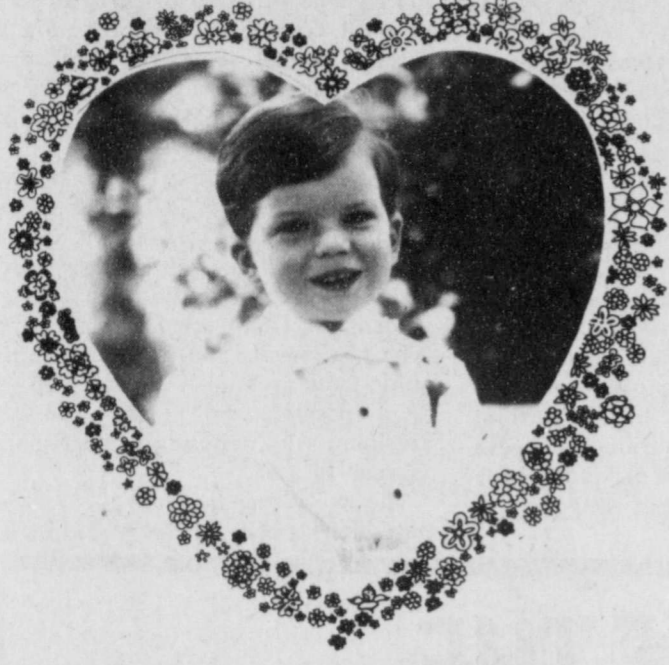
HUNTER JENNINGS HAGOOD, 3 months old, is the son of Brad and Tonya Hagood. Grandparents are Dan and Nancy Hagood of Floydada, Robert Daniels of Lockney and Maxine Jarboe of Floydada. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hagood of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan of Floydada, Mrs. Lura Brashears of Floydada and Mrs. Hattie Daniels of Las Cruces, New Mexico. Great-great-grandmother is Emma Wright of Missouri.



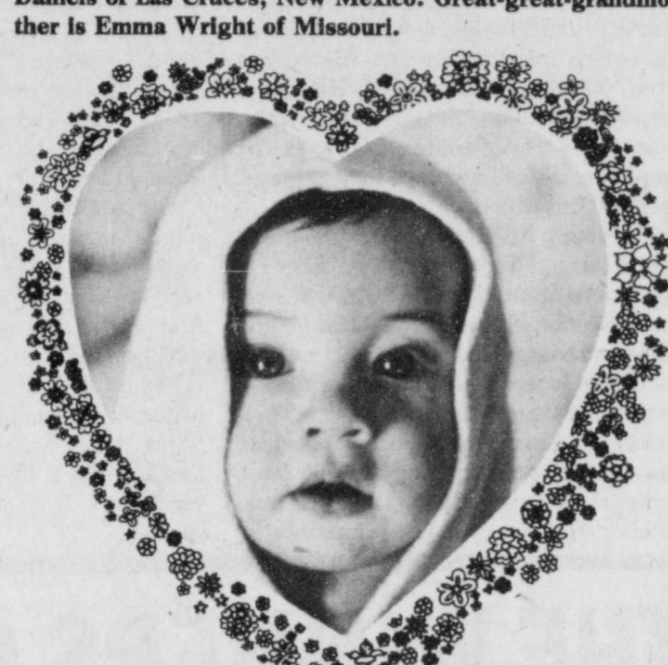
LAURA LYNN HALE, 6½ years old, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S.A. Hale Jr. Proud grandparents are Jean and Sam Hale and Leroy Crutchfield of Paris, Texas.



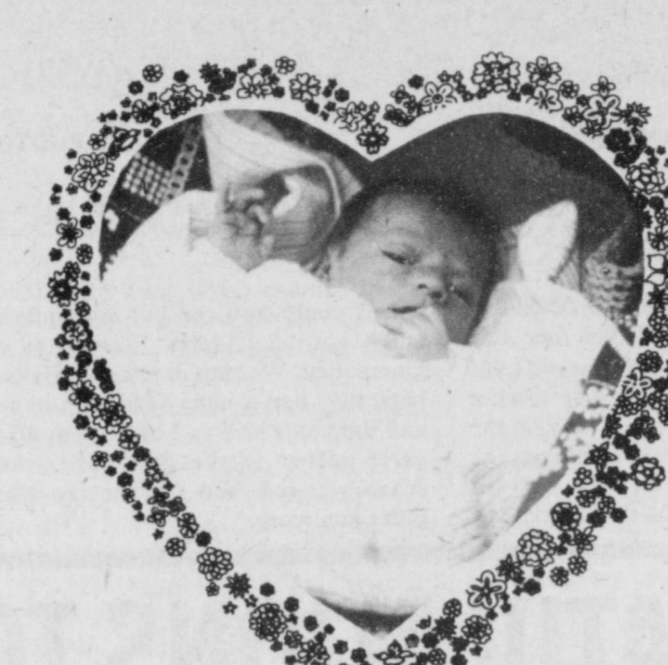
TREVOR LANE ISOM is the son of Jeff and Brenda Isom of Lubbock. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Giles of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Isom Jr. of Lubbock. Great-great-grandmothers are Grace Grundy and Grace Giles, both of Floydada.



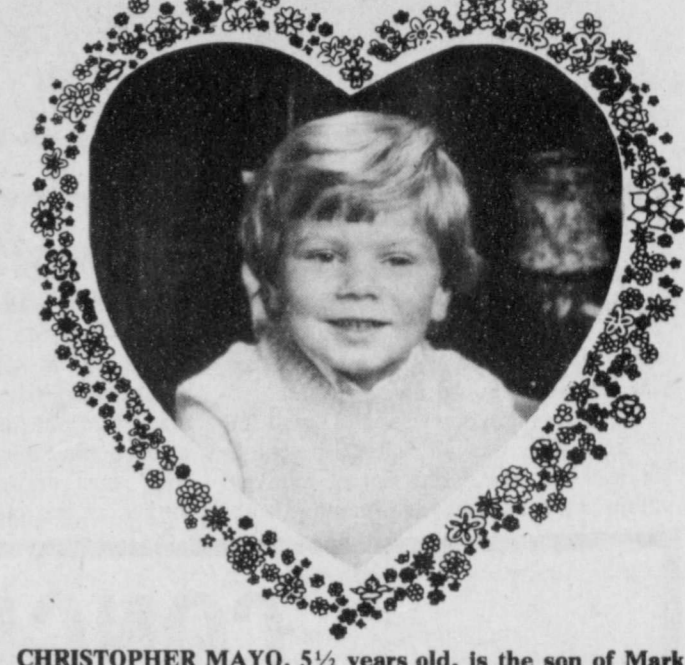
DUSTIN KYLE JONES is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry S. Jones. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Watson Jones of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williams of Petersburg.



CHELSEA DENISE KIRK, 6 months old, is the daughter of Layne and Susan Kirk of Floydada. Grandparents are Florence Melvyn of Amarillo and David and Jill Kirk of Floydada.



CHANCE KITCHENS, 3 weeks old, is the daughter of Blake and Tonia Kitchens. Grandparents are R.D. and Margaret Kitchens and Vic and Barbara Chandler.



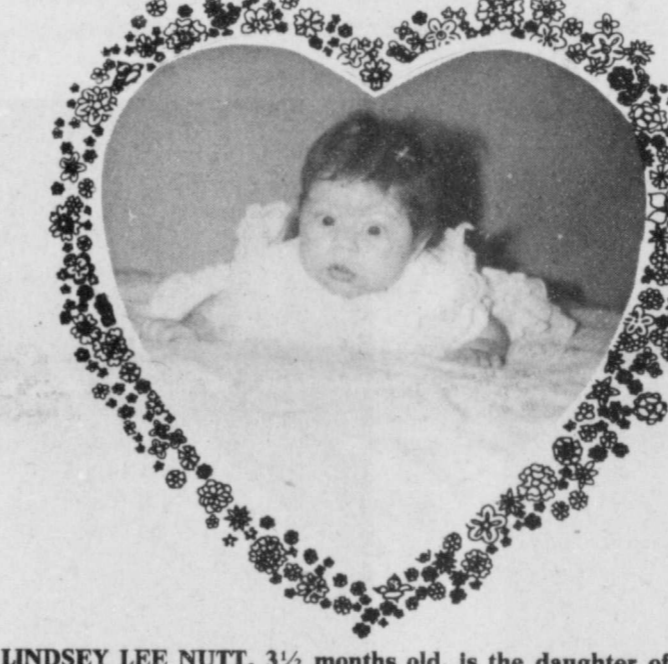
CHRISTOPHER MAYO, 5½ years old, is the son of Mark and Rhonda Mayo of Alken. Grandparents are Robert and Sue Ward and Darrell and Nancy Mayo, all of Floydada. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Bullock of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ward of Dougherty, Mrs. Leona Mayo of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Jenkins of Hamlin.



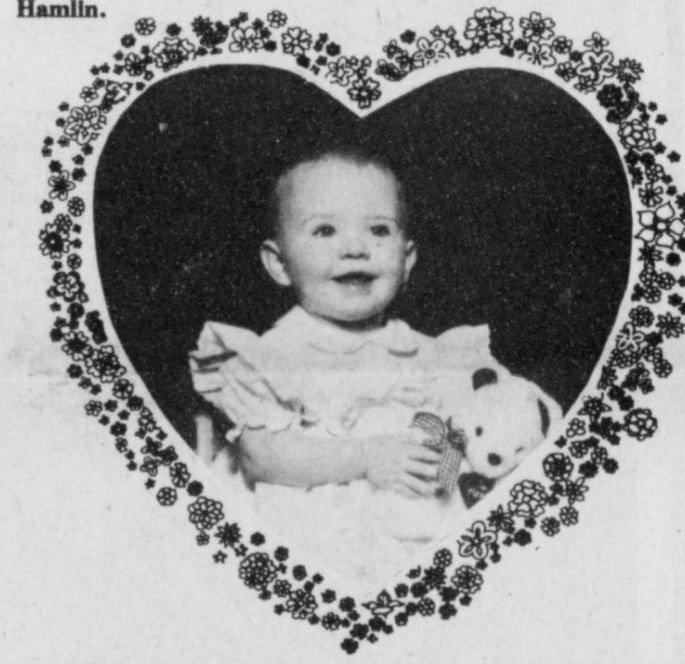
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MARGO MORIN, 10 months old, is the daughter of Dianna Enriquez. Grandparents are Manuel and Ninfa Enriquez of Floydada and Virgino and Rosalinda Morin of Mission, Texas.



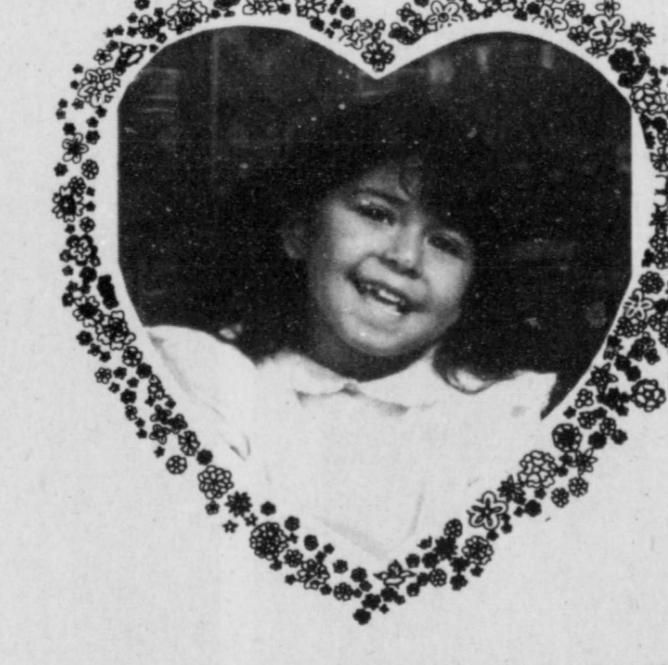
LINDSEY LEE NUTT, 3½ months old, is the daughter of Danny and Laura Nutt. Grandparents are Edwin and Barbara Nutt of Floydada and Sut and Carol Pittman of Everman.



TASHA ANN POWELL, 1 year old, is the daughter of Dale and D'Lee Powell. Grandparents are Melvin and Oulta Powell of Ralls and Keith and Neta Marble of South Plains. Great-grandparents are Byron and Hazel Powell of Ralls.



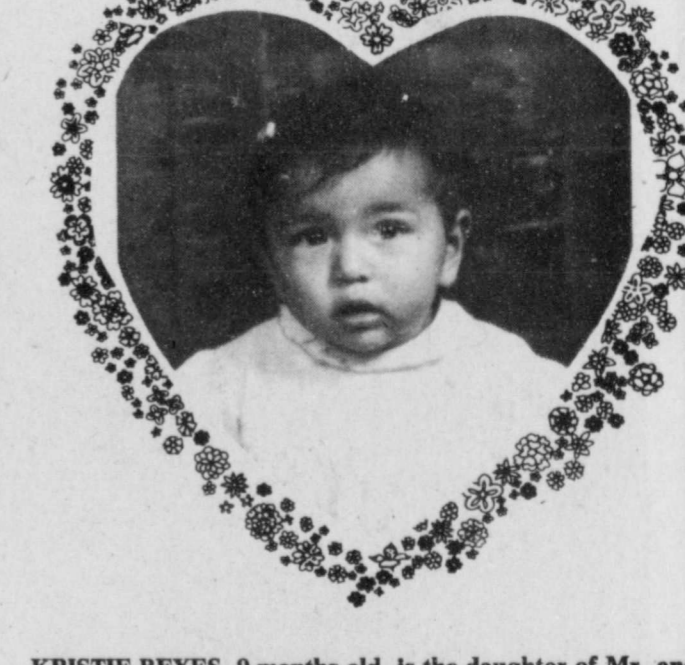
AMANDA RENDON, 28 months old, is the daughter of Armando and Sylvia Rendon. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Teodoro Rodriguez of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Rendon of Lockney. Great-grandmother is Vicki Rendon of Lockney and great-grandfather is Mr. Antonio Zapata of Plainview.



AMY VALARIE REYES, 5 years old, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Reyes III. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Juan Ibarra, Nena Reyes of Floydada and Mr. Manuel Reyes of Phoenix, Arizona. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Trinidad Villanueva of Floydada and Mrs. Carlota Reyes of Kingsville.



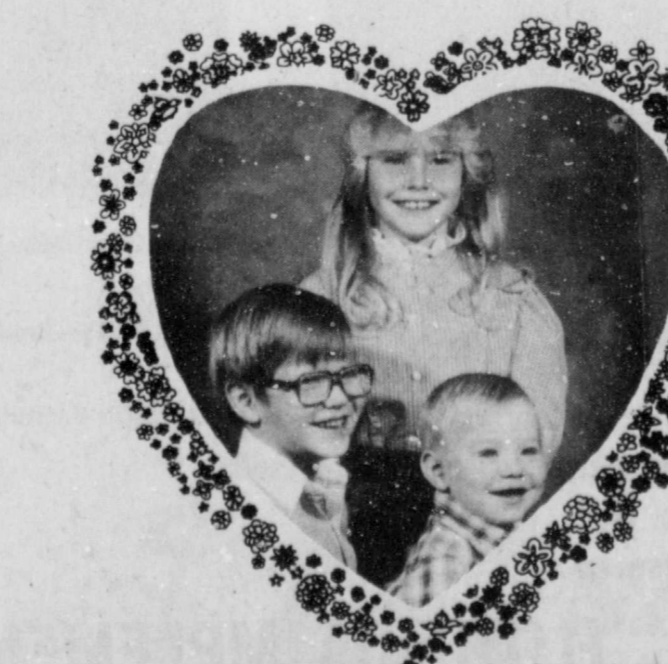
CODY JOHN REYES, 5 years old, is the son of Arturo and Anna Reyes of Wolforth. Grandparents are Lupe Stewart, Maria Elena Reyes of Floydada and Manuel Reyes Jr. of Phoenix, Arizona. Great-grandparents are Pedro Vallejo Sr., Trinidad Villanueva of Floydada and Carlota Reyes of Kingsville.



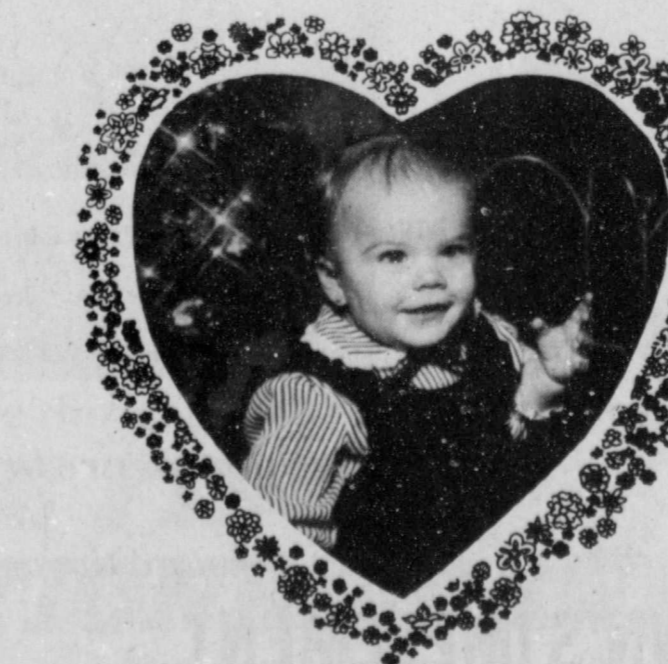
KRISTIE REYES, 9 months old, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Reyes III. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Juan Ibarra, Nena Reyes of Floydada and Mr. Manuel Reyes of Phoenix, Arizona. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Trinidad Villanueva of Floydada and Mrs. Carlota Reyes of Kingsville.



JESSICA, 6 years old, and ZACHARY, 1½ years old, SEAL are the children of Fred and Jill Seal of Dallas. Grandparents are Jack and Emogene Stansell of Floydada and Joyce Seal of Dallas.



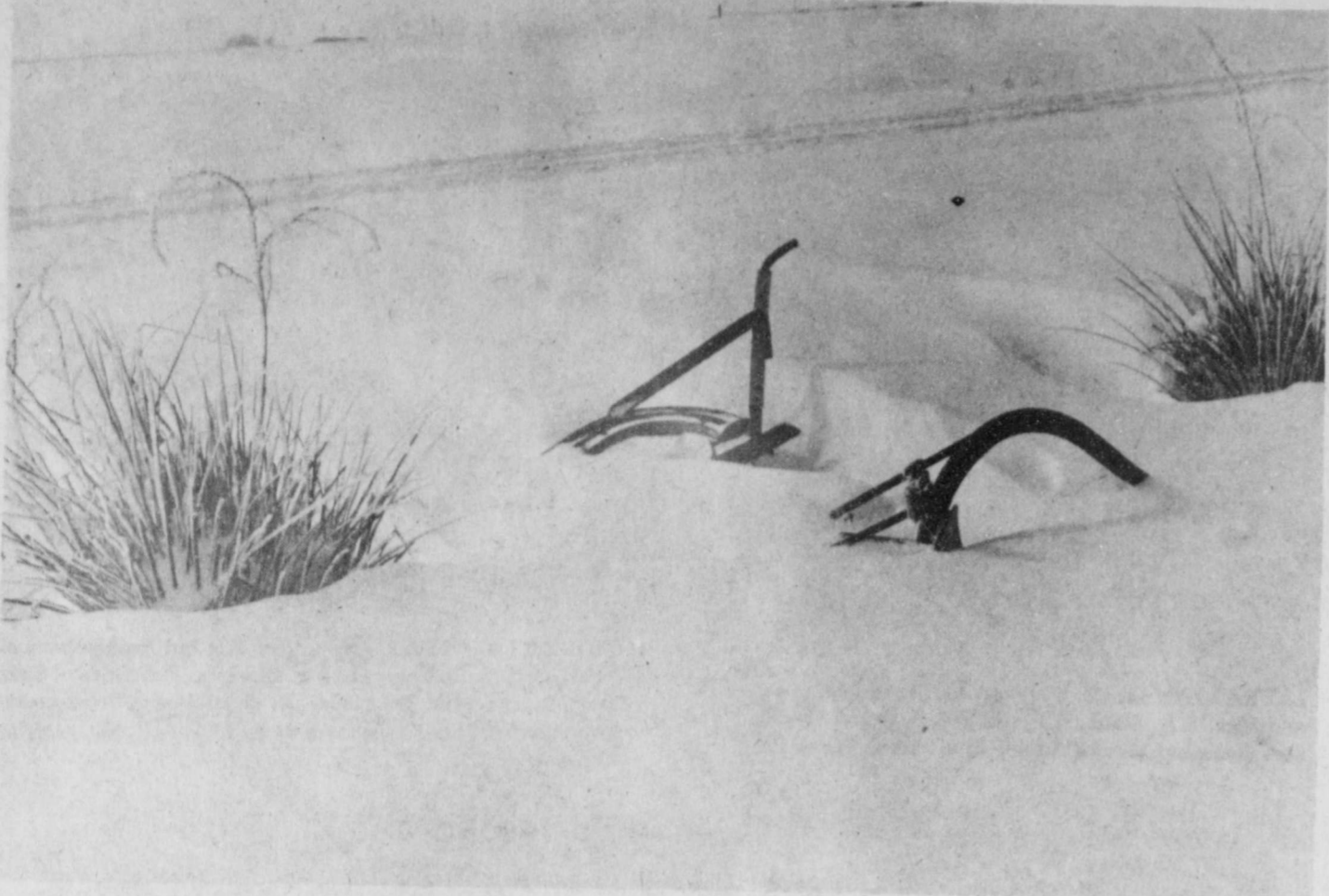
BRANDI D'RAE, 9 years old. JUSTIN TY, 6½ years old, and COY DEAN, 20 months old, TOMISON are the children of Rick and P.J. Tomison of Tulla. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Schulz of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Ocle Tomison of Paducah.



MAGGIE LEAH VICK, 7½ months old, is the daughter of Gary and Sherry Vick. Grandparents are Jerry and Winola Galloway and Jimmy and Darlean Vick. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Lavada Neff and Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Vick.



ASHLEY, 11 years old, and GARRETT, 5 years old, WALKER are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walker of Dallas. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ragan of Independence, Missouri.



OLD PLOWS are put to rest under a blanket of snow on a farm north of Floydada.

STAFF PHOTO

Puppy love...

Continued from Page 6

his nose in a ring on the black board nearly half the time. When her boy friend was at school, Dee, as was his name, really tried himself. The teacher made him put his nose in a ring on the board behind her. He would rub out the ring, turn around and stick out his tongue at the class. Miss Elliot's boy friend would turn red but not smile or laugh out loud. Miss Elliot tried to ignore it all. We sure did like his visits. I hope they had a happy life with happy and righteous love as I hope from all of us. I passed to the 5th grade when school was out, and I never saw Miss Elliot any more.

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The Texas Experience

THE EMPRESSARIOS: ROOTING A CULTURE

Still reeling from Anglo-Saxon filibusters and revolutions on the Spanish Texan frontiers, Texas Governor Martinez was given strict orders by representatives of the Crown to keep foreigners out of the territory, recounts T.R. Fehrenbach in his book, *Lone Star*. But a combination of circumstances and business savvy provided the Anglo-American Moses Austin the first empresario contract in 1821. The land grant allowed him to settle 300 of the "right sort" of North American—Roman Catholics who agreed to pledge their loyalty to Spain.

The time was ripe for Austin, who was reeling from his own catastrophe back in St. Louis. The bank for which he was the principal stockholder collapsed, as speculative land values fell and the first depression of the United States took hold. But the 60-year-old Austin never realized his dreams for colonization in Texas. He died from the rigors of his return trip through the wilderness from Texas to Missouri. His son, Stephen F. Austin, then 27, took on the grant and rode south to Texas to negotiate with Spanish authorities and map out his colony.

The young Austin was a diplomat and a visionary. There was no shortage of applicants for his land titles, which sold for a fraction of the cost of U.S. land. Historian Margaret Henson tells us that each family received a league (4,428 acres) of pasture land and a labor (177 acres) of farm land for a modest payment of \$60 in fees to the land commissioner, surveyor, and the clerk making the deeds. The empresario

received no money, only five leagues and five labores for each 100 families settled. During the first harsh years of settlement, Austin was in Mexico City, reconfirming his contract with the newly independent government of Mexico. But upon his return, the settlements began to thrive and grow.

Although the colonists took an oath first to Spain and then to independent Mexico, few were actually Roman Catholic and fewer still understood the implications of the official Hispanic system of municipality. Instead, as both Fehrenbach and Henson suggest, Austin took on the more critical roles—judge, mayor, "father confessor"—and delegated the details of governing to the *ayuntamiento*, or governing council.

Austin ultimately received three more contracts allowing the settlement of 900 more families, Henson says, on land between the Brazos and Colorado watersheds below the Old Spanish Road from San Antonio to Nacogdoches. In addition, he managed a small area in central Texas and an extension from the coastal area to the San Jacinto River. By 1831, Austin claimed 5,665 residents in his colonies and had earned well over 200,000 acres of premium land.

Other relatively minor empresarios began to develop settlements a few years after Austin. Green DeWitt settled some families near Gonzales. Martin DeLeon established a colony of mostly native Mexicans around Victoria. The Robertson Colony on the Brazos watershed changed hands several times, (eventually returning to agent Sterling Clark Robertson), and farther south, two Irish colonies struggled to survive.

After a decade of empresarios, Fehrenbach states in *Lone Star*, thousands of Anglo-Americans were established in Texas and the foundations for cotton and cattle kingdoms were laid. Just as the Spanish authorities had anticipated, Texas settlements faced a profound clash of cultures. Indeed, the trusted empresario Stephen F. Austin found himself balancing between Mexican interests and "the swarm of his own race." The seeds of a revolution had been planted on the frontier.

This Texas Sesquicentennial series is courtesy of The Texas Committee for the Humanities, The Shell Companies Foundation, Inc., and this newspaper.

Floyd Data

Brothers Stephen and Edwin Griffin of Floydada are listed on the Dean's List of West Texas State University for the recently ended semester. Stephen, a junior, has a grade-point average of 3.286. Sophomore Edwin has a grade-point average of 3.80.

Last semester, 716 West Texas State University students achieved grade-point averages high enough to qualify for the Dean's List or the President's List. To be named to the Dean's List, a student must have a course load of at least 12 semester hours and maintain a grade-point average of at least 3.25 out of a possible 4.0. Listing on the President's list requires a grade-point average of 3.85.

The two young men are the sons of Dale and Carolyn Griffin of Floydada.

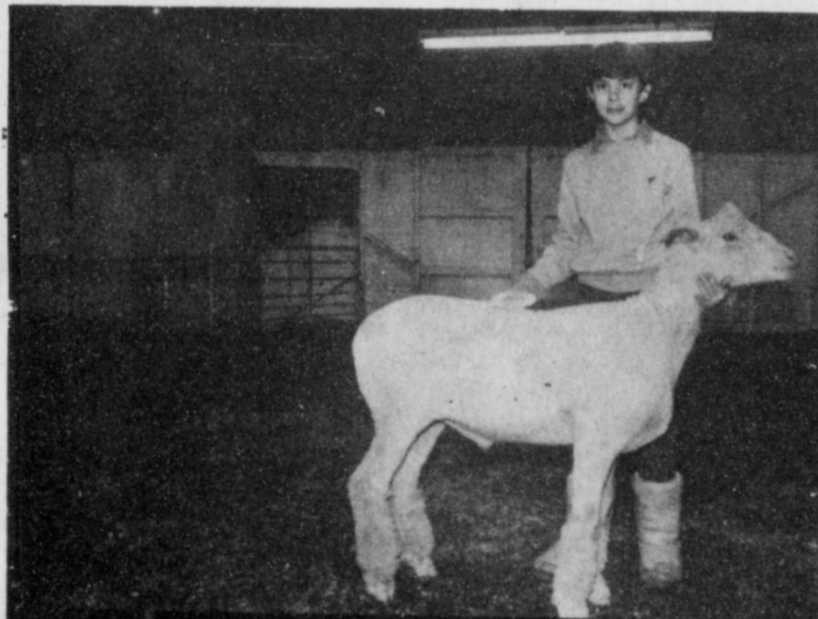
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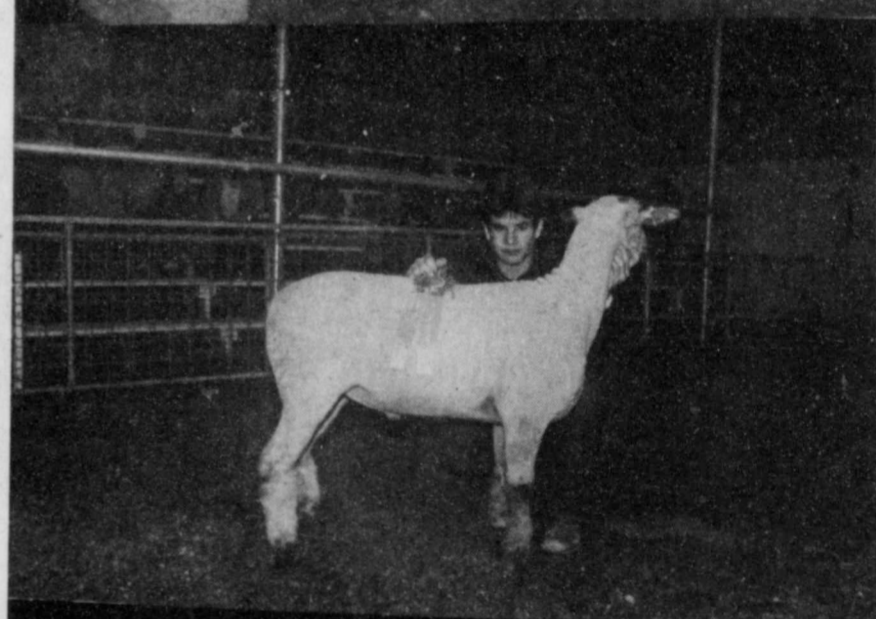
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TRACTOR WHEELS covered with snow mark the entrance to this fairland of snow and ice at the home of Ronald Dale and Margaret Kitchens. STAFF PHOTO

Lakeview News

By Joyce Williams

February 13

Snow fell to a depth of 8 inches to 10 inches from Friday to Monday over our community. School turned out Monday due to snow covered roads. More snow fell Tuesday morning but the sun was shining that afternoon. Coyotes were loping over snowy fields, looking for rabbits to eat.

Mrs. Carolyne Cheek's piano students were presented in recital Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. Austin Williams was a second year recited player. Mr. and Mrs. James Williams and Ashleigh, Monte Williams and Mr. and Mrs. P.D. Williams attended the program at 2:00 p.m.

Mr. V.W. Bradshaw was moved to the Floydada rest home last Tuesday. Shortly after Willie Royce and Clara May returned home, they received a phone call reporting that Willie's sister, Anna Leta Elsom and husband, Bob of Lovelady, had both died in a car wreck a few minutes earlier. Lakeview people will remember Anna Leta as the beautiful dark haired young lady who used to visit her parents when they ran the Lakeview store. Her husband, Bob, was superintendent of Lockney-Crockett consolidated school and Anna Leta was a teacher there. They left a married daughter, a son in college, a son in high school and a little eight year old daughter who was seriously injured in the accident with them. Funeral services were held at Decatur, Texas, the Elsom family's original home area. A truck jackknifed into their car causing the fatal wreck. The little daughter has two broken legs and other injuries. Her college age brother is staying with her

at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle joined Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Turner for supper in Plainview Saturday evening. On Sunday after church, Louis and Virginia and Doyle and Jackie Wall went out for dinner together.

Lakeview exhibitors at the local Junior Livestock Show won several awards. Misty Bertrand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Bertrand, won Breed Champion of Chester White pigs, and first place mediumweight Hampshire class. Matthew Redding, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Redding, placed third with his medium heavyweight Suffolk sheep, and fourth with his Hampshire mediumweight sheep. Matthew's steer placed fourth in the Heavyweight Cross class. Dean Smith's lamb placed first in the Suffolk heavyweight class. Hunter Smith's sheep won Breed Champion of Finewool, also first place Hampshire lightweight. Hunter won the sheep Showmanship Award. Both boys are sons of Judge and Mrs. Choise Smith.

Edgar Jones of Truscott visited his daughter and family Tuesday. Not wanting to arrive empty handed, he personally loaded 33 bales of hay on his pick-up to give his hosts. Mr. Jones will be 83 years old next month. Mr. and Mrs. Monte Williams, Amanda and Tara, and James Williams came out to visit their grandfather while he was here. He showed them the new Truscott history book, "Between the Wichitas", for which he was invited to write the sections on ranching and oil in that area.

Drive carefully, neighbors and keep some ventilation in your warm houses.

Nursing Home Happenings

by Florence Van Hoose

Monday morning and Tuesday morning Dolores Cannon and Leona Neff were very busy in the beauty shop making all the ladies look beautiful. I don't know what we would do without our volunteers. May God richly bless them.

Monday morning devotions were by Trinity Church. The singers were Rev. G.A. Van Hoose, Clara Redd, Ira Sullivan, Eula Mae Wilson, Francis Rose, Elena Hopper. Rev. Van Hoose spoke about "The Pearly White City" John saw coming down.

Tuesday morning devotions were by Florence. Brother Neeley Richardson was unable to be here. In the afternoon we had the Companions 'n' Caring meeting. After the meeting we decorated the home for Valentines.

We want to thank Alpha Mu Delta for donating money to the ceramics fund, for January, also Companions 'n' Caring for donating to the ceramics in February, and Delta Sigma Epsilon for the donations to ceramics in January. Painting ceramics is one of the most favorite activities of the home. We

appreciate all donations.

Wednesday morning devotions were by City Park Church of Christ. The singers were Mary Spears, Beulah Baker, Mary Hale, Lorilla Bradley, Elva Blum, Vernola Hanna, and Eunice Hardy. In the afternoon Jo Bryant came and played Bingo with us. Opal Morrison and Della Halencak bingo'ed the most times. The prizes were bananas and marshmallows. Myra Hall and Charlie Spence played Faye McMahan and me in a game of "42". Charlie and Myra won.

Thursday morning devotions were by Rev. Earl Blair. The afternoon was spent playing "42". We were teaching some more of the residents how to play "42".

Friday morning devotions were by Florence. In the afternoon we watched a couple of movies and ate popcorn.

The Valentine party will be at 2:30 Friday, the 14th.

This week's visitors included: Mrs. George Wexler, Alma Smith, Jennelda Fulton, Velva and Albert Pricer, Buck Galloway, Bill and Dell Gray, Ben Galloway, Renee Galloway, Pat Galloway and Kent and Kayla McLeod.



BARTON DONATES SUIT—Wilson Barton has gifted the Floyd County Historical Museum with a well-preserved black corduroy suit which belonged to his father, A.L. Barton. The suit was tailored by Glad Snodgrass of Floydada in 1916.

Host families needed

Host families are being sought for 25 high school students from Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Holland, Belgium, Austria, Switzerland, Germany, France, Italy, Brazil, Ecuador, Australia and Japan for the school year 1986-87, in a program sponsored by the American Intercultural Student Exchange (AISE).

The students, age 15 through 17, will arrive in the United States in August 1986, attend a local high school, and

return to their home country in June 1987. The students, all fluent in English, have been screened by their school representatives in their home countries and have spending money and medical insurance.

Host Families may deduct \$50 per month for Income Tax purposes.

AISE is also seeking American high school students age 15 through 17, who would like to spend a high school year in Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, German, Switzerland, France, Spain or Australia or participate in a five week summer Host Family stay throughout Western Europe.

Families interested in this program should telephone toll free: 1-800-SIBLING.

Senior Citizens Menu

February 17-21

Monday — Barbeque beef tips on rice, buttered carrots, tossed salad with dressing, roll, butter, baked custard, milk.

Tuesday — Sunshine chicken, buttered rice, buttered peas, roll, butter, fruit cobbler, and milk

Wednesday — Chicken fried steak, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, mustard greens, corn bread, butter, cheese cake pudding, milk.

Thursday — No Luncheon

Friday — Beef pot pie with vegetables, buttered spinach, tossed salad, corn bread, butter, canned plums, and milk

Floydada School Menu

Feb. 17-21

Monday:

NO SCHOOL

Tuesday:

Breakfast—Orange juice, toast, milk
Lunch—Fish w/catsup, potato salad, green beans, peach half, hot roll, milk

Wednesday:

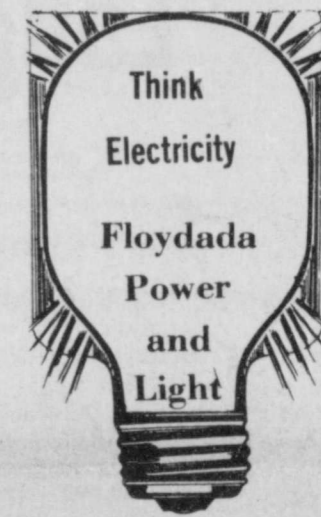
Breakfast—Pineapple juice, dry cereal, milk
Lunch—Pig in blanket w/mustard, corn, pickle spears, oatmeal applesauce fig bar, milk

Thursday:

Breakfast—Grape juice, hot oatmeal cereal, toast, milk
Lunch—Beef and bean chalupas, tossed salad, spinach rice, fruit cup, milk

Friday:
Breakfast—Apple juice, cinnamon toast, milk
Lunch—Hamburgers w/catsup, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, pineapple crisp, milk

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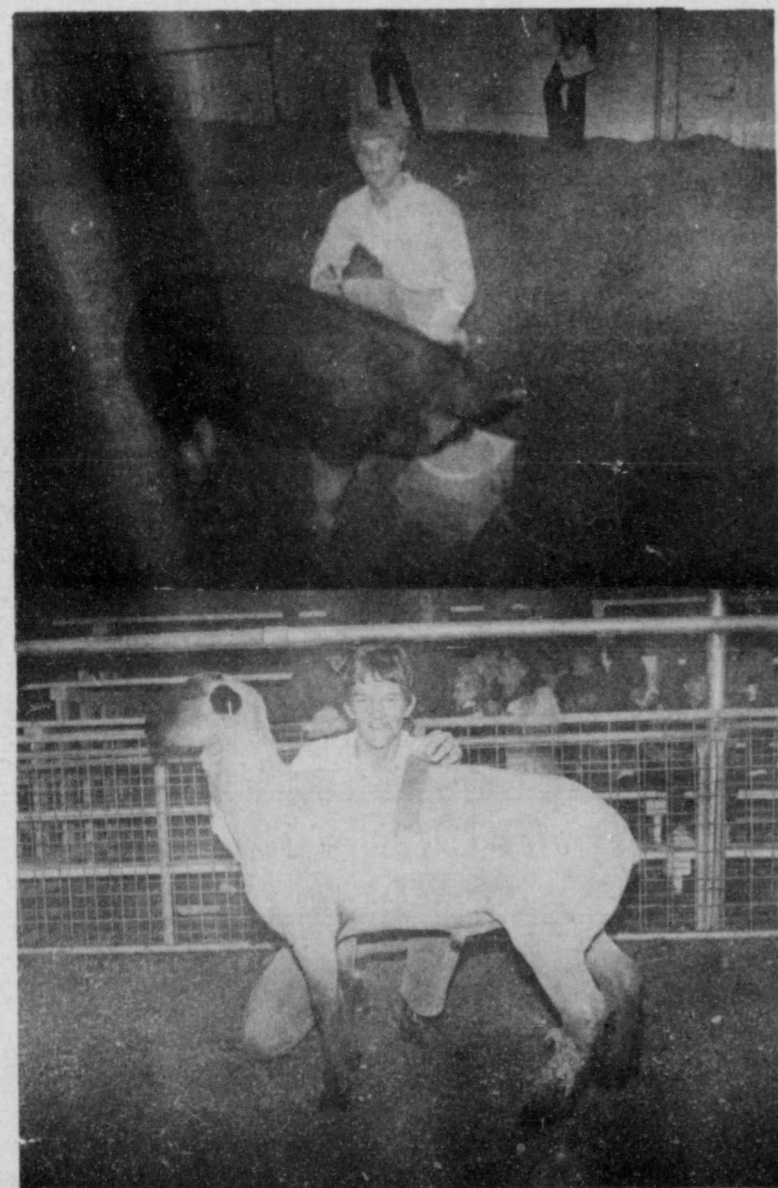
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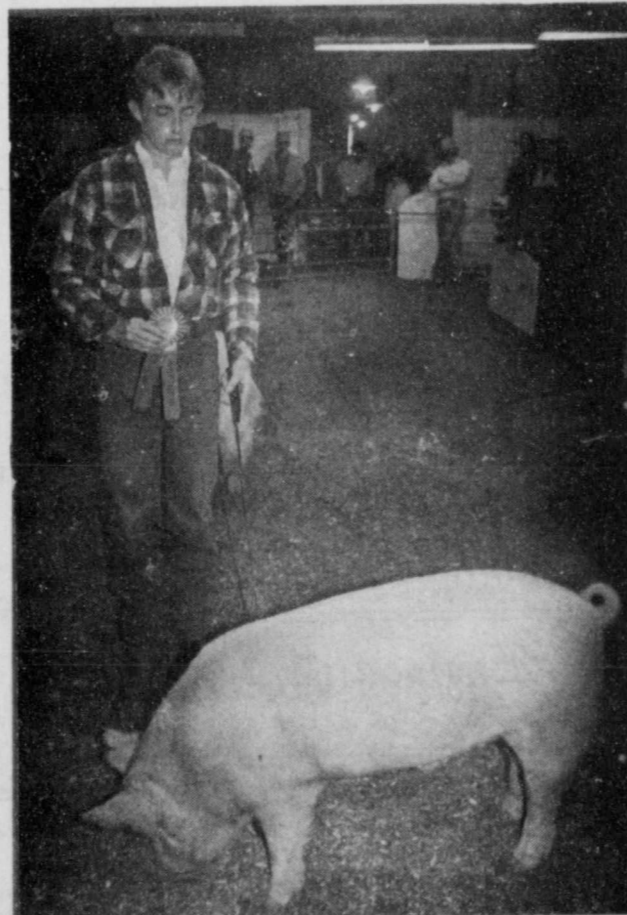
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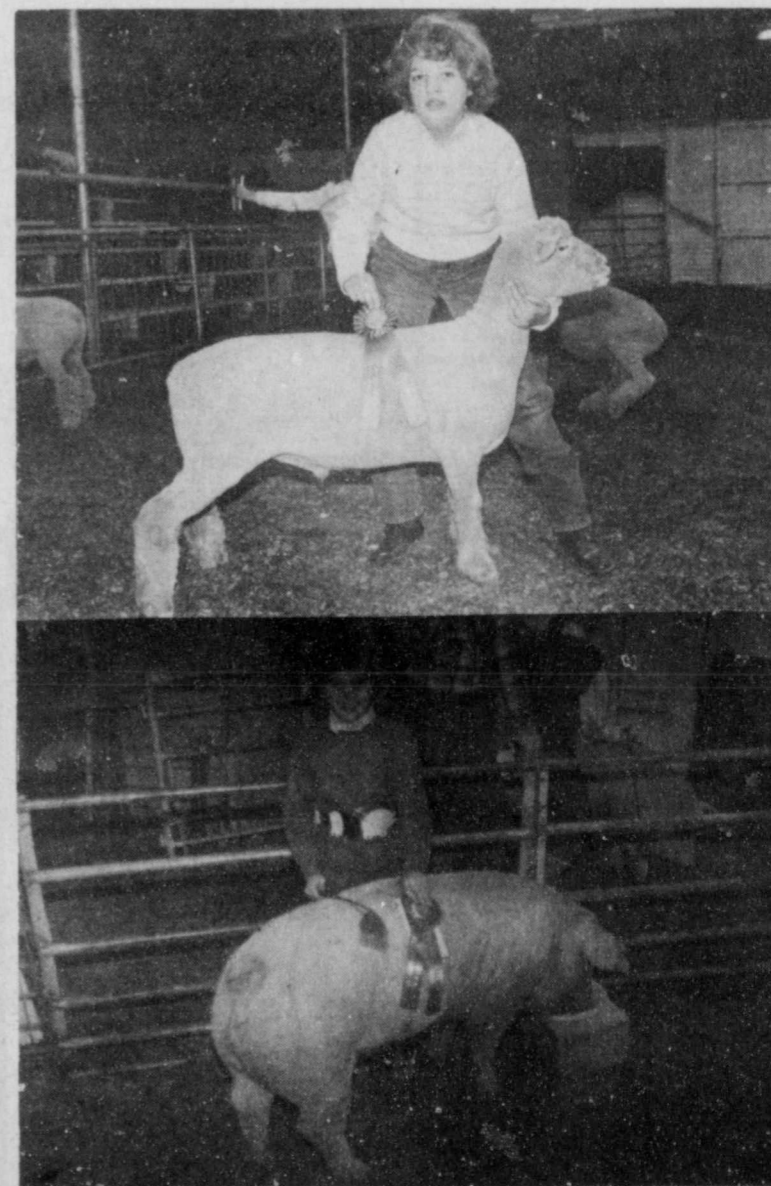
SHANE ORMAN—2nd Place and Reserve Breed Champion Berkshire

JASON BROWN—1st Place and Breed Champion Heavyweight Hamp



MINDY MATSLER—Breed Champion Yorkshire, shown by Troy Faulkenberry

DARALYN WILLIAMS—2nd Place and Reserve Breed Champion Chester White



RHEALENE BROWN—1st Place Heavyweight and Breed Champion Southdown

MISTY BERTRAND—1st Place and Breed Champion Chester White

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SPIRIT OF SHARING OFFICERS—Peggy Medley, Jack McIntosh, Helen Martin and Anne Willson were elected officers of SOS in January. Anne Willson will serve as president, Peggy Medley will be vice president, Helen Martin will be secretary and Jack McIntosh will serve as treasurer.

Campaign comes to a close

On February 5, 1986, a final report was sent to Ms. Amie Hukill, coordinator of chapter services, March of Dimes, Lubbock, Texas. The final report, along with \$1,104.84, reported that all worker's packets and funds collected had been turned in and that the 1986 campaign had been completed.

"A sincere and personal thank you to all of this year's marchers and workers for caring enough to help a very worthy cause," states Guy Hazlett, II, this year's March of Dimes chairman. "A very special thanks goes to each individual, family, and business who cared and helped through your contributions. Because you cared and helped, tomorrow's children will have a greater opportunity to lead happier, healthier lives," Hazlett said.

Hazlett stated, "Our goal this year was to have a few more workers than last year and cover a bigger portion of the city. We did have twenty-six volunteer workers this year which was only one (1) more than last year. Our fund raising goal was to collect approximately 5% over last year's total of \$958.84. Our final total of \$1,104.84 was more than 15% over last year's total contributions. We need to be really thankful for such good community support of this program."

"A special thanks to Nell McClung for the many extra hours and much extra effort in helping me. Also, a special thanks to my family - Trudy, Pat and Curt - for eagerly helping with this year's campaign."

"Laugh Lines"

Bits of Humor, Trivia, and an occasional Word of Wisdom

BY DON & SARA PROBASCO

"Forty is the old age of youth; fifty is the youth of old age."...Victor Hugo

Speaking without thinking is like shooting without taking aim.

"I never resort to notes. Anyone who does not have enough interesting thoughts in his head to speak without notes for thirty minutes does not deserve to be heard"...paraphrased from Bishop Fulton J. Sheen

Sign on a church bulletin board: "For God so loved the world that He didn't send a committee."

Giving help to the enemy used to be called treason. Now it's called "foreign aid."

Knowledge comes by taking things apart. Wisdom comes by putting them together.

You can give without loving, but you cannot love without giving.

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 Evangelistic Service 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday evening Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Lockney
Rev. Robert Ryan
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Prayer Service Wed. 7:00 p.m.

LOCKNEY LATIN ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Vivian Resendez
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Youth Night, Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
 Women's and Men's Worship Thursday 7:30 p.m.

SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD

TEMPLO GETSEMANI
308 E. Mississippi
Rev. Javier Fernandez
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Evangelistic Service 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday, Family Night 7:30 p.m.

CARR'S CHAPEL

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 Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 No Evening Services

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FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Floydada
Pastor: Doug Dezotell
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Lockney
Pastor: Fr. Jack Gist
 Mon-Fri. Liturgy 8:00 p.m.
 Saturday Vigil Mass of Sunday 7:30 p.m.
 Sunday Mass 12:30 p.m.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Floydada
Father Terry Burke
 Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.
 Monday Mass and Ultreya 9:00 p.m.
 Thursday Mass 9:00 p.m.

WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Floydada
 Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST

Floydada
J.C. Bailey, Minister
 Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Ladies Bible Study, Wednesday 9:30 a.m.

LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF CHRIST

Lockney
 Bible School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

Lockney
George Schuster, Minister
 Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
 Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
 Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

WEST COLLEGE CHURCH OF CHRIST

West college & third, Lockney
Frank Duckworth, Evangelist
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Service 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Lewis Shapp, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 5:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Allison Broughton, Musician
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Providence Community
Gary Kleypas, Pastor
 Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Lockney
Bill Beachy, pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
 UMY 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 United Methodist Women. First Tuesday of Month Circles. Monday (2nd & 4th Monday nights) Tuesday & Wednesday mornings.

GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

John Williams, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
 Prayer Service-Tuesday 8:00 p.m.
 Service-Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Cecil Osborne
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Floydada
Earl Blair, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Youth Fellowship 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Bennie Anderson
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
 Sunday Afternoon Worship 2:00 p.m.

PRIMER IGLESIA BAPTISTA

Rev. Agustin Rey
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Prayer and Study Group Monday 7:30 p.m.
 Mid-Week Service Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

TEMPLO BAPTISTA SALEM

Lockney
Pedro Reyes
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Christian Training Time 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting & Choir Practice 7:30 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
Bob Chapman
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
 Sunday Evening Services 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening Services 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Lockney
Murle Rogers, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 R.A.'s 5:00 p.m.
 Acents 5:00 p.m.
 Church Training 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Choir Practice 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
 Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
 Our Time (Jr. High and High School) 7:00 p.m.
 GA's (gr. 1-4) 7:00 p.m.
 Mission Friends (preschool) 7:00 p.m.
 (Time will change to 8:00 p.m. with daylight savings time)
Thursday:
 G.A.'s (gr. 5-6) 4:00 p.m.
 Baptist Women 1st & 3rd Mondays 3:00 p.m.

CEDAR HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST

Floydada
Rev. Hollis Payne
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
Otis Cook, Jr., Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study 4:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Ray Starnes, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6 p.m.
 Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 p.m.
 Brotherhood, W.M.U. and Auxiliary Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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Floydada
Rev. Howell E. Farnsworth, Jr., Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
 Church Training 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening 6:45 p.m.

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 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Prayer Service, Wednesday Evening 6:30 p.m.
 Brotherhood, First Saturday Morning of Every Month.

VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH

Floydada
Travis Curry, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

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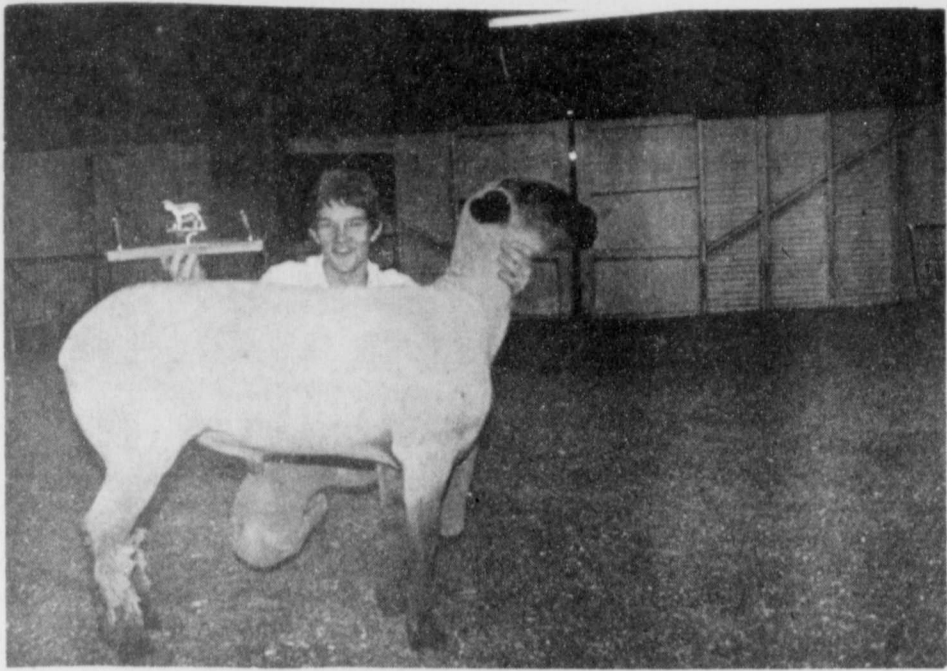
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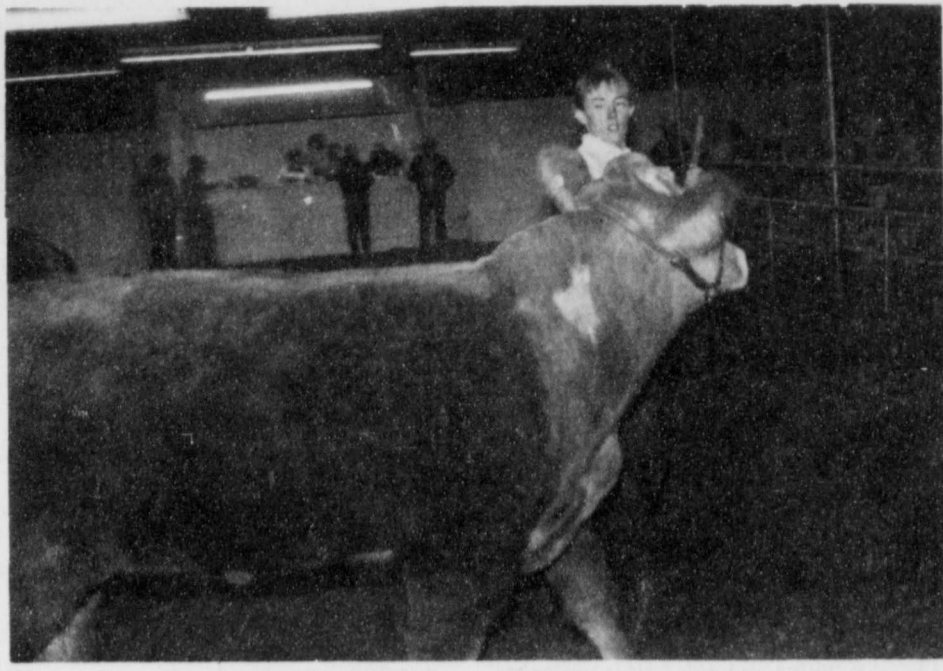
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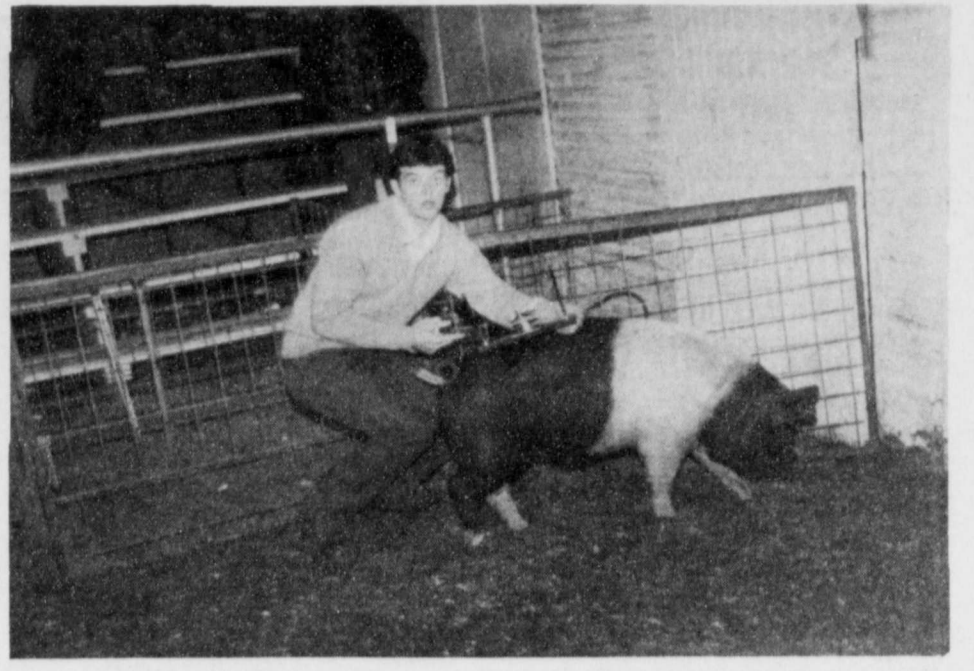
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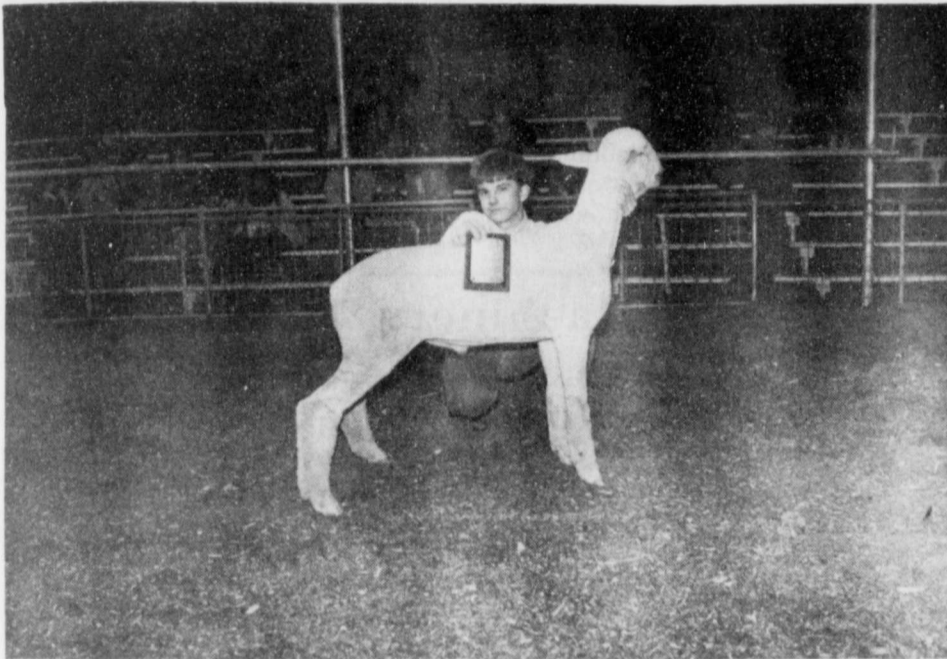
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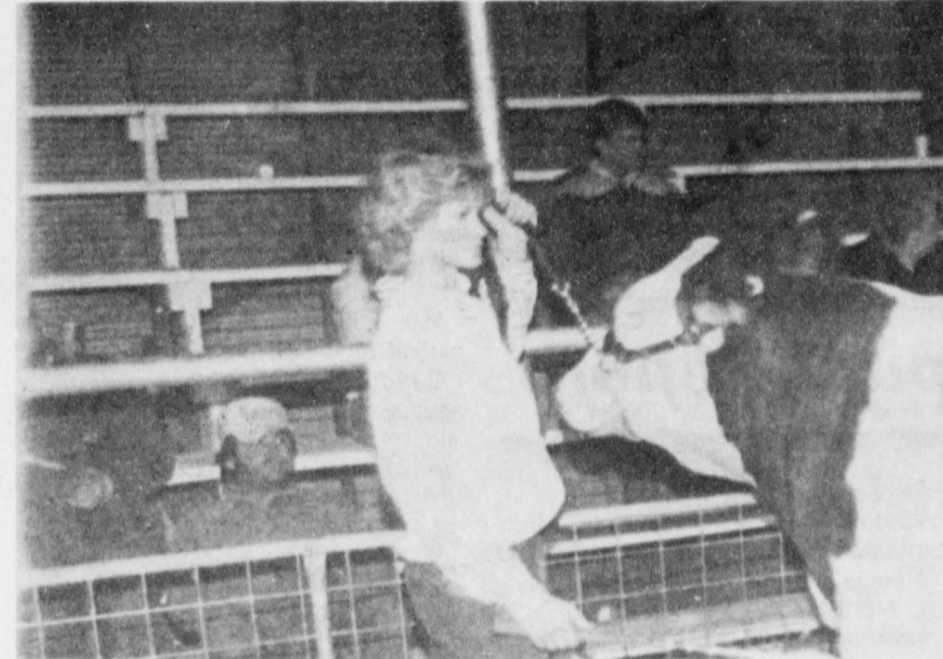
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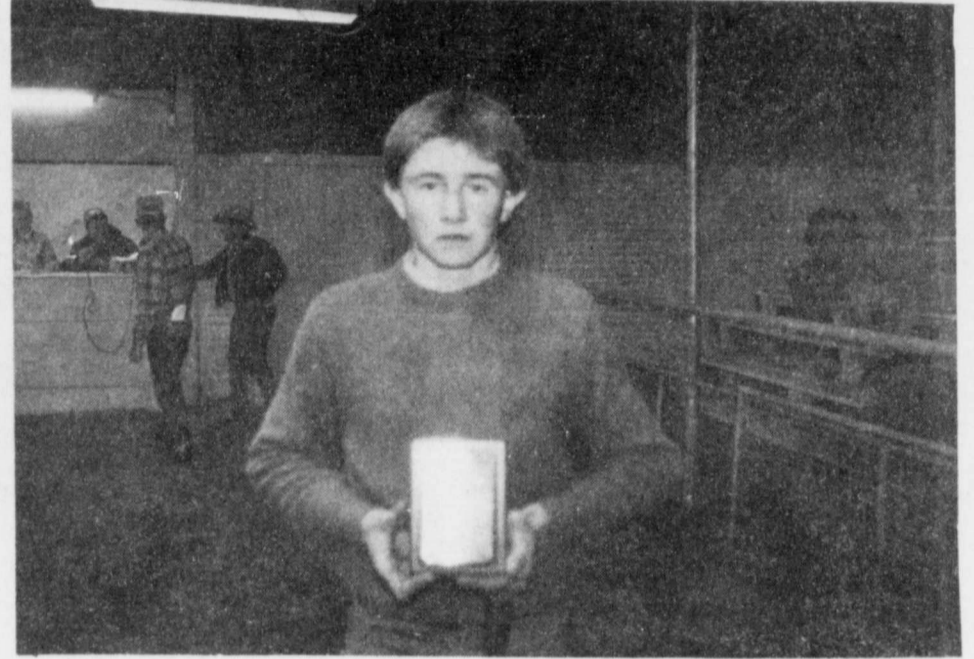
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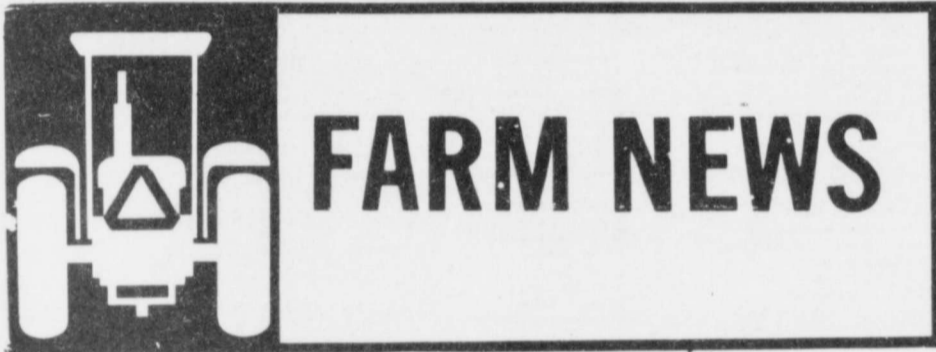
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FARM NEWS

Conservation meetings planned by Extension

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service will be conducting five regional meetings in February to explain to producers the new Conservation Reserve Program that is part of the recently passed farm bill.

Meetings are scheduled as follows: February 18 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, Blackland Research Center, Temple; February 20 from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m., Livestock Performance Center (5 miles west of FM 1604 off U.S. 90), San Antonio-Castroville, February 25 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Lubbock; February 26 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, New Courthouse, Abilene; and February 27 from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m., Angelina County Exposition Center, Lufkin.

Extension Service specialists plus officials with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service and Soil Conservation Service will be on hand to explain the provisions of the program.

The Conservation Reserve Program is intended to protect soil resources by removing highly erodible cropland from production," points out Dr. Bill Harris,

Extension Service soils specialist. "It also should assist in curbing production of surplus crop commodities."

The sign-up period for the program will be March 3-14 at local ASCS offices.

"Farmers putting eligible cropland into the program will qualify for 50 percent cost-share payments to cover expenses for establishing permanent cover (grass and trees) and conservation treatments needed to adequately protect the soil," notes Harris.

The farmers also will receive annual rental payments over the life of the 10-year contract which will be based on bids which they will submit when they sign up for the program. "In general, farmers will be bidding against other farmers producing similar commodities in the same geographic region," explains the specialist.

Aim of the nationwide program is to take some 45 million acres of highly erodible cropland out of production over a five-year period—14.5 million being in Texas. Of the 5 million acres targeted for the program in 1986, about 700,000 are in Texas.

Floyd County Junior Livestock Show Schedule
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 2:00 p.m. Barrow Judging Begins
Sunday
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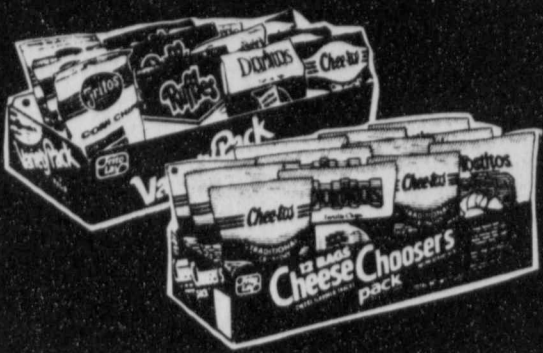


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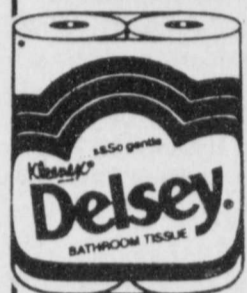
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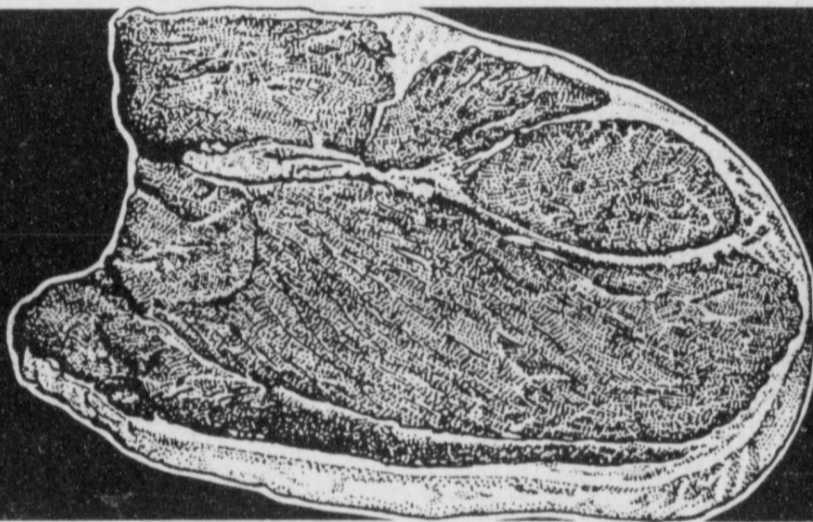
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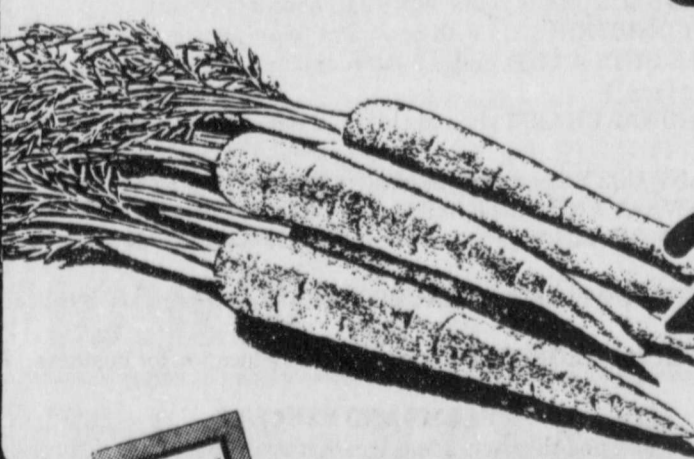
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