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City-county air rural fire protection

Meeting in a joint special session, the city council of Floydada and two representatives of the Floyd County Commissioners Court reached areas of agreement in two matters which concern both entities.

Chief among these was the issue of rural fire protection. Meeting with the officials were Bobby Welborn, Floydada volunteer fire chief, and volunteer

firemen Larry Guthrie, Carroll Sims and Jerry Warren.

Commissioners Thomas Warren and Floyd Jackson of precincts 3 and 2, respectively, indicated that the county would honor previously passed resolutions agreeing to meet the \$3000 annual fee for rural fire protection and a \$200 fee per fire call in rural areas. The two groups were also able to iron out differences on the specifications for a new fire truck.

Fire chief Welborn will work closely with the commissioners in setting up the specs for taking bids and contacting companies that might be able to submit bids.

Welborn suggested, "You should consider taking bids on both a shop built rig and factory built rig. This way you could choose the best truck at the best price."

The second area of agreement came

in discussions concerning the landfill operation run by the city. City manager Bill Feuerbacher told the gathered officials that landfill problems are "becoming severe."

"The need to expand the landfill is creating a slew of problems for us," asserted Feuerbacher. "Federal and state regulations mean that it will cost us far in excess of the cost of land to open more acreage to landfill use."

Commissioner Warren assured the city that "Council officials would be willing to work with the city" on the matter. Both city and county residents utilize the facility under current agreements between the two governing bodies.

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Commissioner Lackey files suit against Floyd County auditor

A civil suit filed by Commissioner Jack Lackey against County Auditor Bobbie Hamilton on November 19 led to a temporary restraining order demanding Hamilton to turn over copies of information she would be presenting to the grand jury the following day.

The restraining order, signed by District Judge David Cave, stated that it appeared to the court, "that the plaintiff," being Jack Lackey, "will suffer irreparable damage if a restraining order is not entered."

Facing contempt of court charges, Hamilton obeyed the restraining order and handed over copies of her information to Lackey's attorney, George L. Thompson III, of the Thompson and Thomas law firm, according to a courthouse source.

The original petition for injunction filed by plaintiff Lackey, against defendant Hamilton, stated:

"Your Plaintiff would show the Court that, apparently, based upon information gathered in her capacity as Floyd County Auditor and in alleging some form of impropriety as the part of her business as the auditor of Floyd County, Texas.

"Your Plaintiff would show the Court that, apparently, based upon information received from the Defendant and the Floyd County District Attorney, the said auditor has prepared a writing of some type—generally accusatory in nature to this said Plaintiff. Your Plaintiff would show the Court that he has been attempting to answer general and vague allegations, and general defamatory statements made against him by the District Attorney, and now ostensibly, the County Auditor.

"Your Plaintiff says that as a direct and proximate result of the Defendant,

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Neasbitt family love fund opened

Friends have opened a love fund at First National Bank for J.P. Neasbitt and his family. The fund is in the name of Floy Graham Neasbitt. J.P. Neasbitt is hospitalized with inoperable cancer. The Hesperian was informed. Friends say that the couple's only income is Social Security and financial assistance is needed to help defray "high medical costs."

David Pyle all-league, other Winds named

Senior co-captain David Pyle was the lone Whirlwind to reap football all-district first team honors, but four of his mates were named to the second unit. Pyle was tabbed as a linebacker on defense.

Garnering second squad places were runningback Julio Flores and wide receiver Chad Pernel on offense and lineman Anthony Brocato, cornerback Ray Morales and safety Pernel on defense.

Eight Wind gridgers received honorable mention.

The complete 2-3A all-district squad is listed on sports page.



FAVORITE BIRD—Mr. T, a baby African gray parrot who was the first of his breed raised by Dr. Ted Givens and his family, is obviously the Givens' favorite. Mr. T is perched comfortably on the shoulder of Jennifer, who is extremely interested in her father's bird flock. Staff Photo

Sharon Smith new 'Miss Floydada'

The new Miss Floydada is...Sharon Smith. From a field of 10 contestants, the

15-year-old daughter of Dale and Carolyn Smith was chosen Saturday evening to reign for the next 12 months. She was

crowned by her predecessor, Kelli LaBaume.

Miss Smith, sponsored by Don Hardy Race Cars, is a Floydada High School sophomore. She is interested in fashion, crafts, cooking and travel and serves as secretary of her Sophomore Class and treasurer of 4-H.

Tabbed by three out-of-town judges as first runner-up in the Miss Floydada Pageant was Tana Turner, daughter of Noland and Rena Turner. Sponsored by Thompson Pharmacy, Miss Turner was the recipient of double honors as she was also named by other contestants as Miss Congeniality.

Second runner-up was Sylvia McComas, daughter of Lisa Adair.

Miss Turner, a 16-year-old FHS junior, is involved in basketball, track and water skiing. She was a sophomore cheerleader and was first runner-up for homecoming queen and freshman football sweetheart.

Sponsored in the contest by Buddy Adair, Miss McComas also is a 16-year-old FHS senior. She is interested in basketball and rodeo competition and

also raises stock dogs. She has been a cheerleader and received recognition and awards including first runner-up Rodeo Queen at Tri-State High School Rodeo Assn.

SPONSORED BY CHAMBER

Held in the Floydada High School Auditorium, the pageant was sponsored by Floydada Chamber of Commerce. "Christmas" was the theme.

Others vying for the Miss Floydada title were (listed in order of appearance): Martha Garcia, Jamie Morrison, Jodi Morrison, Shayla Barbee, Crystal Rowley, Angie Hinsley and Becky Reeves.

Serving as judges were Lynette Thuett and John Marc of the Robert Spence School of Modeling in Lubbock and Dawn Apple, first runner-up for Miss Wayland University in Plainview.

Entertainment was provided by students of Kelli Whitten, instructor for baton twirling classes. Youngsters participating in the three groups were:

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Turkey winners named

"Oh good, I get to have a Thanksgiving (meal)," one woman joyously proclaimed when she was notified Friday afternoon that she was a turkey winner in a drawing coordinated by The Hesperian.

Seventeen free turkeys will be on holiday tables as a result of the event, sponsored by that number of Floydada merchants.

Attempts were made to contact each of the winners immediately following 4:30 p.m. drawings in individual stores.

Following are the turkey recipients and sponsoring firms:

Carmen Starkey, First National Bank
Will Martin, Cornelius Conoco
Mrs. Ray Nichols, Tipton Oil

Billie Jordan, City Auto
Floyd Daniel, Thompson's Pharmacy
Elena Hopper, Oden Chevrolet-Olds
Sherese Covington, Pay-n-Save
Harold Bennett, Pizza Gold
Mrs. J.W. Gilbreath, Don Green Auto Parts

Beth Faulkenberry, Perry Bros.
Ted Anderson, Brown's Implement
Debra Jo Fawver, W.B. Eakin Car Lot
June McLaugh, Shop Rite
Ila Hammonds, Producers Cooperative Elevators

Nova Evans, Kirk & Son
Vicki Yeary, Willson & Son Builders
Mart

Blanche Williams, Floyd County Hesperian.



PAIR OF MISS FLOYDADAS — Kelli LaBaume [right] relinquished her Miss Floydada crown to her successor, Sharon Smith, whom she also presented with a trophy following Saturday night's pageant. Staff photo

Commissioners postpone county judge selection

The Floyd County Commissioners met briefly on Tuesday, November 25, before recessing until Wednesday morning.

The commissioners were to consider applications for county judge on Tuesday, but delayed this until Wednesday as Precinct 4 commissioner Jack Lackey was unable to be

present on Tuesday. Interviews were rescheduled for Wednesday, November 26.

Due to an early publication date because of the Thanksgiving holidays, a complete report of the Wednesday session will be carried in the December 4 edition of the Hesperian.

'I'm real positive about this team,' Cocanougher

"I'm real positive about this team," Coach Mike Cocanougher says with a smile when referring to his 1986-87 Whirlwind basketball squad. "Our real strength is our 10 kids. They are excellent to work with, want to win, work hard and they'll get after anybody."

After an 11-13 campaign last year, the Whirlwinds need to "build some confidence," according to their coach.

Cocanougher says "quickness" is his team's strong point. "Run and press are our long suits," the 10-year Whirlwind head mentor explains. "We spend most of our practice time on the

run and press."

"I feel like we have some good inside people. Chad (Pernel), Ty (Stovall) and Shannon (Barbee) are all capable of good outside shooting."

Coach Cocanougher believes his starting lineup is "fairly solid." However, he says "lack of depth" is the team's primary weakness. This is particularly true "inside," because only one six foot or taller player is available off the bench.

THREE REGULARS

Three regulars return to the Whirlwinds from a squad which finished

fourth in the seven-team district last year.

Returning starters for Cocanougher are F.L. Williams, a 6'3" senior; Shannon Barbee, a 6'1" senior; and Ty Stovall, a 5'9" junior. All own one varsity letter.

Other lettermen from the 1985-86 crew are Chad Pernel, a 5'10" junior, and Heath Robertson, a 5'9" junior. Both won their initial letters as sophomores.

Promoted from last season's junior varsity are: Roel Cisneros, 6'2" junior; Randy Enriquez, 6'1" junior; Cornelius Campbell, 5'9" senior; Sylvester Men-

doza, 5'9" senior; and Ricky Benjamin, 5'9" senior.

In his first two outings, Coach Cocanougher has sent out Stovall (point guard), Pernel (wing), Barbee (wing), Williams (wing or low post) and Cisneros (high post) to answer the opening buzzer.

DISTRICT RACE RUGGED, 'JUST LIKE FOOTBALL'

The District 2-AAA race is expected to again be "really rough, just like it was in football." Dimmitt's veteran state tournament squad is "number one

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Ted Givens' hobby strictly for birds

Ted Givens' hobby is for the birds.

In fact, Dr. Givens' hobby is birds.

"He has always liked birds and has had them almost all his life," explains wife Sue.

A sign in front of the Givens' rural residence, approximately three miles south of South Plains community, states: "Parakeets for sale." The sign is somewhat of a misnomer because there is much more to the sorghum research coordinator's hobby than parakeets.

"Our flock is growing all the time," explains Sue. "Ted built his first (bird) house when Jennifer was a baby." Now there are "four different buildings," each constructed by Givens.

The collection or "flock" now consists of "probably 100 parakeets," plus canaries, about 15 cockatiels, a pair of cockatoos, several pairs of various species of parrots, red factor canaries, a violet neck Lorikeet and others.

COLORFUL FLOCK

Their colors exceed those in the rainbow. Some of Givens' birds are brilliant yellows, oranges, blues, greens and different hues while the cockatoos are white.

Breeding parakeets is intriguing as the owners attempt to guess the offspring's colors. Not only is the parental color a factor, but also that of their ancestry.

Dr. Givens' hobby has literally been transformed into a family affair. Ten-year-old Jennifer is her dad's sidekick with the hobby and has a superb knowledge of the birds, various species, habits, care and other details.

Although Sue and six-year-old Chad help with the birds' care, they are not as deeply involved as Ted and Jennifer, who "tagged along, as a child, with her Dad every time he went out to care for the birds." Forty-five minutes are required for one or more of the family members to feed the flock each morning. The birds are fed one time daily.

"Cleaning the cages and waterers, etc. takes about five hours." This is a weekly task.

Although not a normal situation, the Givens recently had four baby birds housed in their residence. Each was hand fed four times daily. They were moved into the house as three week old babies.

MR. T. 'REALLY DOESN'T KNOW HE'S A BIRD'

The family favorite is "Mr. T," a young African gray parrot who has been a regular member of the Givens household for "over two months." Mr. T, who "really doesn't know he's a bird," spends "most of the day playing on the kitchen floor."

Prospective owners have a defi-

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THREE BEAUTIES — Sharon Smith [center], Miss Floydada for the ensuing year, and two runners-up were photographed following Saturday night's pageant in Floydada High School Auditorium. Tana Turner [right] was tabbed as first runner-up and Sylvia McComas [left] was named second runner-up. Fellow contestants chose Miss Turner as Miss Congeniality.

—Staff photo

Sharon Smith new 'Miss Floydada'

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"Care Bear Parade" (group one) — Katie Smith, Amanda Williams, Reagan Foster, Crystal Foster, Mandy Emert, Shonda Smith, Amanda Green, Ila

Harris, Laci Christian and Mindy Kelly

"Splashdance" (group two) — Jodie Villarreal, Lisa Crader, Lisa Martinez, Micah Marble, Jennifer Quintanilla, Amanda Kernell, Shonda Turnbow,

Karen Wyrick, Ashleigh Williams, Brenda Vasquez and Candie Martinez "Material Girl" (group three) — Mindy Matsler, Brandi Ross, Kimberly Redden, Jodee Breed, DeAnna Watson and Tali Cage.

Commissioner Lackey files suit against Floyd County auditor

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County Auditor, Bobbie Hamilton's conduct he has been damaged irreparably, and such irreparable damage will continue unless she is restrained from refusing to deliver a copy of the said allegations against the said Jack Lackey to the said Jack Lackey.

".....Your Plaintiff says that without temporary restraining order, temporary injunction and permanent injunction, he will suffer irreparable damage."

Mr. Lackey requested the court to:

- (1) issue a restraining order "without notice to the Defendant restraining the Defendant, her agents, servants and employees from directly or indirectly refusing to give to the Plaintiff a copy of the written document heretofore delivered to the District Attorney's office, a copy of which is in her possession.
- (2) "The Defendant be cited to appear and show cause and upon such hearing a Temporary Injunction be issued, enjoining the Defendant, her agents, servants, employees from directly or indirectly refusing to give to the Plaintiff a copy of the written allegations and charges she has gathered against him.
- (3) "That upon final hearing, a permanent injunction issue on final trial of this cause enjoining the Defendant, her agents, servants and employees from directly or indirectly refusing to give to the Plaintiff a copy of the written allegations and charges she has gathered against him.
- (4) "On final trial hereof, the Plaintiff have judgement against the Defendant

for damages in an amount far in excess of the minimum jurisdiction of this Court together with interest and costs, for such other and further relief to which the Plaintiff may show himself to be justly entitled, either at law or in equity.

A temporary restraining order was then issued and signed by District Judge David Cave on November 19 against Bobbie Hamilton. The order stated:

"It appearing to the Court and this papers that the Plaintiff is probably entitled to a Temporary Injunction and that unless the said Bobbie Hamilton is immediately deterred and enjoined from refusing to deliver to Jack Lackey a copy of the written complaints against him (a copy of the papers delivered to the Floyd County District Attorney's Office) she will continue to do such acts before notice and hearing can be had. It further appearing to the Court that the Plaintiff will suffer irreparable damage if a Restraining Order is not entered, to-wit: she will continue to refuse to deliver to this Plaintiff the vital and public information gathered by her."

".....she is hereby commanded to forthwith desist and refrain from refusing to deliver a copy of the said writing described herein to Plaintiff and she is to deliver to Plaintiff and she is to deliver to Plaintiff (Editor's Note: copied exactly from restraining order) a copy of the written charges delivered to the Floyd County District Attorney's Office;

"IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that she

appear and show cause, on the Motion of Jack Lackey for a Temporary Injunction before the Honorable Judge of this Court on the 25th day of November, 1986, 10:00 a.m. then and there to show cause, if any there be, why a Temporary Injunction should not be issued as requested by Jack Lackey."

A hearing was held Tuesday. At mid-afternoon that day [absolute printing deadline], The Hesperian still had a reporter at the hearing, which had not concluded.

Two injuries but no October county traffic fatalities

Capt. L.A. Reinhart, District Supervisor of the Lubbock Highway Patrol District comprising of 21 counties said, "For the month of October, our troopers investigated two fatal accidents, 56 personal injury accidents, and 79 property damage accidents. There were two persons killed and 56 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. Glenn Fant of Crosbyton stated, "In Floyd County, our troopers investigated no fatal accidents, two personal injury accidents, and no property damage accidents in the month of October. No persons were killed and two persons were injured in these accidents."

Rebate checks received

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$104.6 million in local sales tax to the 1,033 cities that levy the one cent city tax on November 7. Bullock said that 1986 payments to date are down by 1.7 percent as compared to totals in November of last year.

November checks represent taxes collected on sales made in September and reported to the comptroller by October 20.

Floydada's share of this rebate totaled \$11,368.48 in November. This payment brings the 1986 total to \$90,088.66 which is down by 6.11% from 1985.

The check received by Lockney totaled \$5,208.32, making their total for 1986 \$41,512.28. This is down by 1.17% from the same time in 1985.

Other area towns and their rebate are listed below along with the percentage of change from 1985.

- Lubbock, \$1,370,409.13, -2.67%
- Plainview, \$143,136.01, +6.58%
- Crosbyton, \$6,349.78, +2.74%
- Ralls, \$5,527.59, -9.67%
- Mattador, \$2,563.45, -5.09%
- Lorenzo, \$2,087.03, -17.38%
- Silverton, \$1,755.57, -17.40%
- Quitaque, \$1,655.71, -10.29%

Distribution points for Hesperian told

Seven locations are being announced for over-the-counter sales of The Hesperian, beginning with the Dec. 4 issue. The cost will become 35 cents per copy.

Distributors are to be: Fast Freddie's, Kirtley's Grocery, Pay-n-Save, Shop Rite, Thompson's and The Hesperian office.

Thanksgiving holiday schedule announced

Floyd County Courthouse, the Post Office and the vast majority of offices and stores plan to be closed Thursday, Nov. 27, in observance of Thanksgiving.

School is to dismiss at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday. Studies resume at the regular hour Monday morning.

The courthouse will also be closed this Friday.

Postmaster Geary Reckling reminds the public that no mail will be received nor boxed Thursday. Last dispatch of mail prior to the holiday will be at 4:45 p.m. Wednesday, and the next dispatch following the holiday will be at 4:45 p.m. Friday.

Happy Thanksgiving

This Week . . .

WEATHER

DATE	Courtesy of Energas	
	HIGH	LOW
Nov. 19	42	73
Nov. 20	42	61
Nov. 21	39	62
Nov. 22	45	62
Nov. 23	42	49
Nov. 24	29	51

GRAIN

	Courtesy of Producers	
Wheat	\$2.17	per bushel
Corn	\$2.90	per 100 weight
Milo	\$2.65	per 100 weight
Soybean	\$4.15	per bushel

GIVING THANKS

Floydada Nursing Home will be having their Thanksgiving dinner Thursday, Nov. 27 at the noon meal. Families of the residents and volunteers are invited to join them. They ask that you please bring a covered dish if attending.

WOMEN'S CHAMBER

There will be a regular meeting of the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce on Monday, December 1, at 5:00 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce office.

FESTIVE FOODS PROGRAM

Joy Parnell from Southwestern Public Service will give a Festive Foods program Monday, December 1 at 4:30 p.m. at Lighthouse Electric. She will demonstrate many new recipes and will give information about food processors and microwaves. A number of other dishes will be available for sampling which will be prepared by Extension Homemakers. This program is open to all audiences - no admission will be charged. This program is being sponsored by Southwestern Public Service and Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

TAG RENEWALS

Some people have not received their car tag renewals for September and October from Austin. Check your license sticker to see if you have a valid year sticker. If you need more information call Jonelle Fawver, 983-3264, 8:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Have a good week!

Central Plains Center responsible to area

The Central Plains Comprehensive MHMR Center is responsible for the care and treatment of many developmentally disabled persons, as well as those who are experiencing problems with substance abuse and mental

health. The staff of this Center are dedicated to providing these services in a manner which preserves the dignity and basic human rights of every person.

Any client, relative of a client, or representative of a client who has a complaint, question or suggestion regarding the health, safety, or legal/human rights of a client of this center is encouraged to contact the Public Responsibility Committee in writing:

Public Responsibility Committee, P.O. Box 1374, Plainview, TX 79072.

Members of the Public Responsibility Committee are independent of and are not affiliated with the center.

Mrs. Pete Laney, Chairperson, Route 2, Hale Center, TX 79041, 806-879-4706, Hale County;

Paul Garcia, 704 West 5th, Dimmitt, TX 79027, 806-647-4141, Castro County;

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Givens' hobby strictly for birds

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nite preference for hand-fed birds. Their personalities reflect this attention, and their natures become more domestic.

For reasons unknown, "some birds wean easily and others do not."

Sue Givens says her family is in a quandary "wondering how to potty train or box train" Mr. T.

The young African gray is somewhat of a rarity for the South Plains family. "Not until recently" had they been successful in producing offspring from their larger birds, although their parakeet and canary flocks have flourished.

They believe that the primary reason for the lack of offspring from the larger species is that most breeders sell young birds and retain their older, more mature fowl. Since the Givens have primarily purchased young birds with which to establish their block, many of these birds are just now reaching breeding age. Some do not breed before their fifth birthday.

LATER MATURITY

"The larger the bird, the slower it matures out," Mrs. Givens explains. Falling into this larger bird category would be the parrots, cockatoos and cockatiels, primarily. By contrast, "parakeets and canaries mature rapidly."

Amazon parrots, green in color and best known — at least in the United States — of the parrot family, "breed only for a couple of months in the spring." If they do not conceive, the owner "has to wait until the next year" to hope for young.

African grays (parrots) "breed for a longer period." Most females lay "three or four eggs." One African gray female owned by the Givens produced three eggs, but only one hatched.

A jandaya conure laid five eggs, from which three offspring hatched. The jandaya conure is similar to a parrot, except smaller. These birds have an outgoing personality and are desirable as pets.

The Floyd County bird fanciers have "no particular source" from which to purchase unique stock. Mostly, they see advertisements in bird magazines and contact the owners for additional information. Frequently they "buy blindly" and "fortunately, we are rarely disappointed in the birds" because most breeders are reputable.

The birds are shipped by air freight.

Mrs. Givens remembers a situation which developed when a pair of macaws were shipped to her husband from "up North." The birds were mistakenly "put off in Dallas" rather than completing their journey to Lubbock.

EATING THROUGH THE CAGE

"They (airline personnel) called from the Dallas airport" and explained to Givens that the macaws were literally "eating through their original cage. They were not really concerned about the birds' safety, they just didn't want them to escape from their cage at the airport."

The original cage, with birds intact, was placed inside a larger cage before the pair continued their journey on to Lubbock. Obviously, Givens was charged for the second cage.

On one occasion, the sorghum research coordinator for Pioneer Seeds in Plainview decided that he had been bilked on the purchase of a pair of blue and gold macaws.

"These birds are really old," Givens told his wife after they failed



MAN-TO-MAN—Chad Givens and a parrot appear to be carrying on a discussion in one of Dr. Ted Givens' bird buildings. Staff Photo

to reproduce over an extended period. "Their faces are so wrinkled."

His fears were dispelled, however, when he read an article in a bird magazine explaining that, contrary to humans, the faces of young birds are wrinkled. "Their faces smooth out when they get older."

LONGEVITY SURPRISING

While the lifespan of canaries and parakeets normally is no more than "two or three years," longevity of the larger birds is surprising.

"Many people provide for parrots in their wills," explains Sue Givens, "because they outlive humans." Parrots' lifespans range up to 100 years.

Smaller birds frequently suffer from illnesses, but not the larger birds. "They just never seem to get sick," Sue says.

Since parrots and other larger birds originated from tropical regions, one could easily imagine that Texas winters might be too frigid for them. Not so.

The macaws, in particular, "like to go out (to an open, screened area beyond their building) and play in cold weather."

The Givens, who owned a few birds while residing in Lubbock soon after their marriage, later at College Station, during their brief residency west of Plainview and finally at their South Plains home, have experienced unique situations with their birds.

Perhaps the most memorable came last year when a lilac crown amazon escaped while its cage was being cleaned and flew away from its building. As the days and weeks passed, the Givens began to lose hope of finding their bird.

"About six weeks later," in September, they received a phone call that Ray Cook had daily observed a parrot at his home in the southeast part of Floyd County. Complete with large trees and a pond, Cook's place proved to be an ideal haven for the runaway.

After Mrs. Givens and the children had claimed their lost bird, they pieced together information with Cook and decided that the amazon had escaped from its South Plains home one afternoon and appeared the following morning at the Cook residence. Its trip covered "quite a few miles, even by air."

"Mr. Cook had watched the bird every day and even knew what tree it was in when we got there." The

amazon had been observed chasing a cat away from food on the Cook farm.

Had the bird not been recovered, it "might not have survived the winter" in the open.

Givens, who was reared in the Pansy community in eastern Floyd County, had long since given up on the lost bird. He was away on a business trip when it was found. Upon his return, his children attempted unsuccessfully to coax him to the bird building. After taking the children to school, he went to the houses and stood amazed when he spotted the lost amazon, once again in its cage.

ENJOYMENT FROM BIRDS

This instance was another example of the enjoyment Givens finds in his birds. "Ted really enjoys the birds," emphasizes his wife. "He is particularly interested in breeding the birds and raising the young."

As the flock grows, "It wouldn't be hard to buy as much food for the birds as for the people who live here," Sue jests, a smile covering her face. Although she claims the birds are her husband's hobby — with a ready assist from their daughter — the wife obviously is more involved and interested than she admits.

She stresses that "if you are going to breed birds, they must be well cared for."

Mrs. Givens spends time cooking for the birds, as well as her husband, daughter and son. She prepared such foods as field type corn, red beans and peas in a pressure cooker until they reach the "soft stage." Other "bird food" includes grains, seeds, fruits — apples and oranges — as well as popcorn, peanuts, carrots and other items.

Don't expect the Givens' bird flock to decrease in size. The family is becoming increasingly involved in its hobby. If not, Mr. T wouldn't have been allowed to take up residency with them.



City-county discuss fire protection

Warren also told council members that a garbage pit which was requested a year ago will be completed as soon "as it dries up."

The council and the two commissioners tentatively agreed to a work session "after the first of the year" to work on solutions to the problem of waste disposal in the future.

The council authorized the purchase of a new roof for the city hall building. The cost is estimated at \$2800 by Paul Reecer of J.Q. Long Roofing Co. in Lockney. The replacement roof will carry a 2 year guarantee and will solve leakage problems being experienced at the present time.

Replacing an additional 12 windows

at city hall was discussed. Council members authorized Feuerbacher to "work it into the budget" in the future. The estimated cost is \$4448, double the cost of replacing the six windows recently done. All the windows would match when the project is complete and all would have storm window capabilities.

In another move toward economy, the council approved replacing the electric heat used at the firehall with gas heat at a cost of \$1550. The heating costs at the present time are running from about \$200 per month to highs of more than \$400 in the winter. The estimate cost of heating with gas is "\$60 to 70 per month" according to Feuerbacher. He told the council that the new system

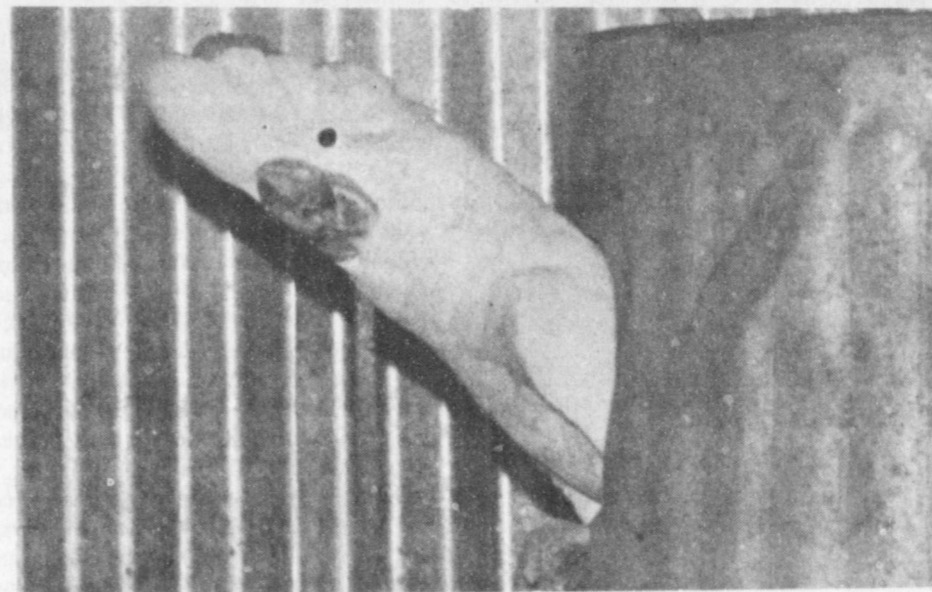
would pay for itself in a year and a half.

Mayor Parnell Powell told the council that a letter from attorney Ben Millam, who is handling the single member voting district lawsuit incurred by the city nearly two years ago, has been received. This communication states that a "pleading in the case" will be entered before Judge Halbert O. Woodward in Lubbock in the near future. The submission will ask that the judge enter an order for implementation in the case.

This request is based on a letter from the U.S. Justice Department which states, "no objection has been found" with the plan for converting to a single member election system which was submitted to the department in answer to the lawsuit.

An order of implementation would mean that the city can schedule elections for city council within 120 days of issuance. Elections have not been held in Floydada since the spring of 1985 due to the lawsuit.

Council members present included Wayne Russell, Leroy Burns, Ginger Warren, Don Green and Frank Breed.



"WHO'S THERE?"—A male cockatoo peers from his residence, an inverted trash can, to determine who is invading his domain. Staff Photo



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Residents celebrate birthdays

By Lorilla Bradley

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Mrs. Clark we're greeting... She counts from '89... She's seen a lot of living And had a happy time!

We greet our Mrs. McMahan... Her family named her Faye... She always looks so pretty In a special sort of way.

For Mrs. Olive Russell... Her years are 84... We wish a happy birthday With many, many more.

For Mrs. Avenell Wilkinson... Her years are 59... We wish a joyous birthday At this her special time.

Let's serenade these ladies With the same old birthday song... So everybody ready And sing out good and strong.

Thursday, November 20, was birthday time at the Rest Home with ladies of the City Park Church of Christ as hostesses. The Hesperian photographer came for the "picture taking" after which everyone was ushered into the dining room.

The honorees were seated at the "honor" table where their places were marked with special cards. The table was laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of silk flowers in a copper run. The poem was read and all joined in singing the Happy Birthday song.

Seated with Mrs. Russell was her sister Mrs. Josephine Hamilton of Matador. Other guests included Angelina Reynolds, sister-in-law of Mrs. Myra Hall, and Mrs. R.C. Bullock, sister of Mrs. Maude Powell. Each of the honorees wore fresh corsages, compliments of Williams Card and Flower Shop.



NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY CELEBRANTS — Residents of the Floydada Nursing Home who celebrated November birthdays last week were (left to right) Una Clark, Faye McMahan, Olive Russell and Avenelle Wilkinson.

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Ronee' Thornton-Patton recite nuptial vows

In a candlelight ceremony performed at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 22, Miss Patsy Ronee' Thornton of Lubbock became Mrs. William Payne (Bill) Patton. The bridegroom also is a Lubbock resident.

The Rev. Perkins Patton, a cousin of the bridegroom, read the double ring ceremony in the sanctuary of First United Methodist Church in Lockney. Rev. Patton is a Presbyterian minister from Iowa.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Thornton of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patton of Clovis, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. T. Owen Thornton of Lockney are grandparents of the bride.

BRIDAL GOWN

The bride, presented in marriage by her father, was attired in a floor-length gown of chantilly lace over slipper satin, which was worn 25 years ago by her mother. The Queen Anne collar and yolk of illusion were appliqued in lace roses. Long sleeves tapered in points and were fastened with tiny self buttons.

The bouffant skirt featured matching lace panels in front and back, flowing to a chapel length train. Tiers of lace, underlaid with butterfly pleats, graced either side of the skirt.

A small-brimmed picture hat covered in Chantilly lace to match her dress was chosen by the bride. It was designed with a tiny ruffle of crystal pleating which extended over the edge of the brim. Both the brim and the crown of the hat were richly embroidered in seed pearls, with the flower design of the lace being centered with clusters of pearls. At the back of the hat was a pouf bow which had an extension which completely covered the hat and became a face veil. A double tiered veil, one shoulder length and the other elbow length, completed the beauty of the hat.

While her dress was "something old," the bride chose for tradition her

hat as "something new"; "borrowed" was a diamond necklace from her grandmother McLaughlin; and "blue" was a garter, a gift from her aunt, Mrs. Jim Reynolds.

The bride carried a cascade of English ivy, stephanotis and baby's breath.

An arch candelabrum holding votive candles entwined with English ivy centered the altar. Spiral candelabra accented either side of the arch. A candle tree on each side completed the altar decor.

ATTENDANTS

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Sheri Sparks of Panhandle. Bridesmaids were Rhonda Reynolds Boudns, cousin of the bride, and Mary Walker, both of Lubbock.

They wore tea length dresses of ivory lace. The bodice was a jacket effect with lace dropping to a free waist which was accented by an ivory satin belt. The skirt was in tiers matching the bridal gown.

Bridal attendants carried small brass candle holders with votive candles, surrounded with English ivy and baby's breath.

The maid of honor carried a white rose in memory of the bride's sister, Roxanne.

Kristen Kellison, cousin of the bride from Lockney, served as flower girl. Ring bearer was Joshua Travis, nephew of the bridegroom from Lancaster.

Best man was Joseph Powell of Austin. Mark Miller of Fort Collins, Colo., and Victor Villaiba of Dallas served as groomsmen.

Guests were seated by Ritchie Thornton, brother of the bride from Lockney; Albert McBride, the bridegroom's brother from Lubbock; and Kody Killingsworth, cousin of the bride from Little Rock, Ark.

Corbin Kellison of Lockney distributed programs to guests. Kelly Killingsworth of Little Rock, Ark., was special assistant to the bride. Both are cousins

of the bride.

Travis Thornton of Plainview and Lisa Mosley of Lockney were soloists, accompanied by Amy Thornton of Plainview and Roy Thornton of Clovis, N.M., cousin of the bride. They sang, "If You Say My Eyes Are Beautiful" and "People in Love."

RECEPTION

The newlyweds were honored with a reception in Fellowship Hall following the ceremony. Members of the houseparty were: Kay Williams, Jackie Holt, Cheryl Teeter, Barbara McCormick, Jamie Moerbe, Charlotte Brock, Barbara Cawley, Pat Frizzell, Sheryl Bybee, Andy Ford, Linda Terrell and Peggy Roberts.

Rose bags were distributed by Kori Kellison of Lockney and Kayci Killingsworth of Little Rock, Ark., cousins of the bride.

The round registry table was covered with ivory muslin under a lace-trimmed overlay. A brass frame bore a picture of the couple. A brass candelabrum held a votive cup candle. The table was attended by Katherine Auffil.

An Italian cream cake graced the bride's table. Topped by a miniature ceramic bride and bridegroom, the double layers were connected by stairways to two layers on each side. The bottom center was filled with English ivy and baby's breath.

A round table covered with an ivory lace cloth held a brass fountain from which almond punch was served. A German chocolate cake was served from the bridegroom's table.

Presiding at the reception tables were Monica Walters of Clovis, N.M., Shelby Walters of Clovis, Gay Terrell of Lockney and Melody Cox of Wellman.

A rehearsal dinner was held at the Far East Restaurant in Plainview on Friday evening, Nov. 21.

The bride is a graduate of Lockney High School and Texas Tech University. She is a CPA associated with Weiss and Boling, Inc. Her husband, a graduate of Clovis High School and Texas Tech University, also is a CPA. He is associated with Bolinger, Segars, Gilbert and Moss.

After a Caribbean cruise, the couple will establish their home in Lubbock.

Sororities unite for Thanksgiving meal

By Sheryl Lecroy

Alpha Sigma Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday, Nov. 18 at 7:00 in the home of Sheryl LeCroy. President Ginger Warren called the meeting to order and everyone repeated opening rituals. Roll was called and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report was given.

We will help head of Heart Fund Association Jim Word with collecting donations. The sorority is also donating \$15.00 to the Chamber of Commerce for "Adopt a Christmas Decoration."

Our Christmas social will be Dec. 20 in the home of Rhonda Guthrie.

The next meeting will be Dec. 2 with Kathy Himes hostess. Alice Ogden program and Rhonda Guthrie raffle, and Ginger Warren holding rituals.

Ginger Warren won a Christmas bell as a door prize.

We would like to welcome our four new members: Suzie Boles, Shelia Carter, Emma Pate and Vickie Covington.

There was no further business and meeting was adjourned. Everyone stood for closing rituals and mizpah.

We then joined members of Alpha Mu Delta for a Thanksgiving supper, at Lighthouse Electric. Casseroles, salads, pies, cakes and tea were served by their members. Two prizes given by Alpha Mu Delta were won by Janice Nichols and Shelia Carter.

Those attending were members of Alpha Mu delta.

Also attending from Alpha Sigma

Upsilon were: Sheri Turnbow, Alice Ogden, Janice Nichols, Jodie McGuire, Barbara Edwards, Kathy Himes, Mary Ann Kelly, Janice Poteet, Karen Elliott,

Sams hold last '86 campout

Twenty-three rigs of the Floydada Whirlwind Sams traveled last weekend to Gaines County Park near Seagraves for their last campout of the year.

Members making the trip were: Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Cates, Bill Baker, Kenneth Willis, Fred Thaxton, Bill Gray, Floyd Lawson, Keith Patzer, Gordon Kirtley, Alan Benson, Paul Westbrook, Bill Feuerbacher, Milton Harrison, Willie Bunch, George Miller, Blanton Hartsell, Wayne Russell, Mac McElyea, John Cockrell, Wayne Bennett, Orval Newberry, Bob Kendrick, L.V. Assiter and Claude Weathersbee.

Friday night the group went to Seminole to eat at The Steak House and shop at Walmart. On Saturday everyone enjoyed a potluck meal. Some of the women went back to Seminole for more shopping. Saturday night members enjoyed seeing the play, "Oliver." Cindi Winegar of Seminole High School was one of the main characters. She is the granddaughter of Bob and Jean Kendrick.

Sunday morning the wagonmaster for each trip of the year, 1986, prepared a delicious pancake breakfast for everyone. The wagonmasters were: Mac McElyea, W.B. Cates, Claude Weathersbee, John Cockrell, Wayne Russell

and Bill Baker. Also helping were Fred Thaxton and Kenneth Willis. After breakfast Willie Bunch brought the devotion for the church services.

We Salute...

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Friday, Nov. 28: DeLinda Jackson, Holly Beth Farnsworth, Debra Graham Sunday, Nov. 30: Jimmy Willson Monday, Dec. 1: Wilma Gowens Tuesday, Dec. 2: Frankie Luna Sr., Alfred Medrano Jr.

Wednesday, Dec. 3: Joe Faulkenberry, Elaine LaBaume, Mary DeLeon, Terry King, Leonard King, Tressie Young

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Thursday, Nov. 27: Bob and Reatha Friday, Nov. 28: Marcello and Ramona Zuniga

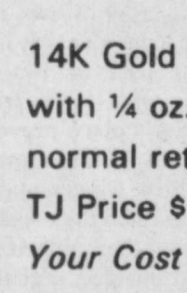
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Blakney and Warren exchange vows Nov. 15



MRS. KELLY BLAYNE WARREN

Lakeview News

By Joyce Williams

11-26:

Sunny skies and warm winds enabled cotton strippers to work through the week-end. Sunday morning temperatures dropped to the twenties, and clouds were heavy. Monday morning was sunny again. This may be one of those Thanksgivings spent in the cotton field with a turkey sandwich grabbed on the run, for many Floyd County families.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurston returned home last Saturday night from a visit with their daughter and family, Linda and Ken, Joanna and Leslie Wise of Derby, Kansas. The Thurstons drove up the previous Wednesday. On their way home they stopped in Clarendon to visit Jo and Marvin Crabtree. Jo runs a gift shop and was making lots of pretty gift items to sell to Christmas shoppers. Marvin works for the U.S. Soil Conservation office.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bertrand were hosts for Sunday dinner recently for Mr. and Mrs. Orville Newberry and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bertrand.

Q.D. Williams and Monte Williams attended a Veterans Day dinner at Reese Air Force Base honoring Marines.

Miss Misty Bertrand won first place with her main dish at the Floyd County 4-H Food Show Saturday afternoon at Duncan Cafeteria.

Miss Angie Bertrand and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Bertrand,

and Connie's aunt, Miss Carolyn Cunningham of Lockney were in Austin, Texas last week for the State contest of cross country runners. Connie's sister, Kaylene Reed of Houston also met them in Austin for a visit. The Bertrands attended the Miss Floydada pageant Saturday night.

Miss Sharon Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith, was crowned Miss Floydada Saturday night at the high school auditorium. Her Lakeview relatives include Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrison, all the R.C. Smith relatives, and Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Smith, her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris were in Crosbyton last week for Bill to have his ankle checked. He cracked it about a month ago while working cattle. He was on crutches for a week and has kept going ever since.

The Joe Thurstons kept grandchildren Lance and Leah Ward, children of Johnnie and Jack Ward of Lubbock, recently while the children's parents attended ACU Homecoming.

Misses Ashleigh and Amanda Williams were among the twirlers from Mrs. Whitten's class who entertained the audience between costume changes at the Miss Floydada Pageant Saturday night. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Monte Williams. Col. and Mrs. Elton Brian came over from Reese Air Base to watch their granddaughter, Amanda, perform.

Sheri Lynn Blakney and Kelly Blayne Warren exchanged wedding vows Saturday, November 15, at 3 p.m.

The ceremony was conducted in the Trinity Baptist Church of Lubbock. The Rev. Jesse McElreath of Ft. Worth officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Leonard Blakney of Lubbock and the late Leonard Blakney. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Warren of Floydada.

Ensemble of Trinity Baptist Church, accompanied by Kathy Ethridge at the piano, sang "We Will Worship The Lord" as the mothers were seated. They also sang "Me and My House" during the lighting of the unity candle. Blake Northam of Houston sang "Nature of Love," accompanying himself on the guitar.

Other selections "So Far" and "To Me" were sung by Joyce Mahaffey and Dane Sizemore. Ruth Crenshaw was organist.

Centering the altar was an arch candelabra holding fifteen votive lights, dressed with rose gladiolas and burgundy carnations. This was flanked with a pair of nine light tree candelabra. A brass setting was accented with palms and strands of boxwood garlanding tied with accents of burgundy satin. The unity candle and kneeling bench completed the altar area. The mothers' pews were dressed with burgundy roses.

As the bride was given in marriage by her brother, Mike, she wore a magnificent gown styled of white imported silk organza and lavishly trimmed in both Venice and Chantilly laces. The high neckline was edged in a row of Venice lace, and the upper part of the bodice was of sheer English netting, with the lower part of the bodice being in organza overlaid with Venice appliques and seed pearls. The back of the bodice was also of sheer netting and organza and was embellished with appliques of Chantilly lace. Covered buttons extended from the neckline to below the basque waistline. An additional row of Chantilly lace circled the waistline. The leg-o-mutton sleeves were overlaid in Chantilly lace at the top, and below the elbow, Venice lace appliques embroidered in pearls came to a point over her hands. Covered buttons were at the wrists. The full skirt was floor-length, and was designed with a double row of Chantilly lace around the bottom. The back of the skirt had a beautiful cascade of twenty-one wide ruffles of the Chantilly lace. The cascade of ruffles was designed in a fan shape, and flowed into a full cathedral train.

The bride carried a bouquet of white and pink elegance carnations, with a removable corsage of cattioyca orchid.

Following bridal tradition, she carried a handkerchief of her grandmothers for something old. Her wedding attire was new. She borrowed a pair of pearl earrings belonging to her mother and wore a six pence with the date of her birth in her shoe. She also wore the traditional blue garter.

The bride presented both mothers with a long stem burgundy rose.

Joyce Mahaffey of Lubbock was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Karen Johnson of Ft. Worth, Janet Reynolds of Dallas and Crystal Rowley and Misty Warren of Floydada, both nieces of the groom. The feminine attendants wore tea length dresses of rose with rose lace overlay and burgundy cummerbunds at the waistlines. They wore matching colored shoes. Their headpieces were lace bows trimmed with satin streamers and hand tied satin roses.

The maid of honor carried an arm bouquet of pink roses, pixie carnations, burgundy roses and rose lippto. Bridesmaids carried arm bouquets of burgundy pixie carnations, roses and rose lippto.

Auvie Kincer of Lubbock was the best man. Groomsman were Jerry Warren of Floydada, brother of the groom; Jerry Miller of Floydada, Tracey Warren and Chuck Rowley of Floydada, both nephews of the groom.

The groomsman wore grey tuxedos with burgundy cummerbunds and matching accessories.

The groom and brother of the bride

FLOYD DATA
Cloye Leslie and Odessa Cage of Lubbock visited Odessa's sister, Mrs. J.C. Odam Tuesday afternoon.

wore darker grey tuxedos with grey cummerbunds and matching accessories.

Serving as ushers were Randy Duke of Plainview, cousin of the groom; David Foster of Ft. Worth and Rodney Ratheal of Dallas.

Flower girl was Randi Duke. She wore a rose dress with burgundy sash. Her headpiece was lace bows trimmed with satin streamers and hand tied satin roses. She carried a basket of burgundy roses, white carnations and rose lippto.

Ring bearer, Dusty Duke, wore a grey suit with a burgundy bow tie. He carried a white satin pillow in the shape of a heart. Randi and Dusty are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Duke of Plainview, cousins of the groom.

A reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's table was dressed with a satin skirt, overlaid with a tulle hand beaded cloth, designed with wedding bell motif. This was handmade by the bride's mother. The table was centered with six crystal candlesticks holding votive cups that flanked either side of the focal point, the bride's bouquet. Crystal and pink was extended by using crystal flowers adorned with pink elegance carnations. Everything was reflected on a base of mirrors.

The wedding cake was three tier-topped with a Precious Moments bride and groom.

Punch, nuts and mints were also served at the bride's table.

The groom's table was covered with a white linen cloth edged in lace. An open Bible, on which two burgundy rosebuds lay, and a hurricane candle holder made up the centerpiece. Coffee and black forest cake were served by Rhonda Rowley, sister of the groom, and Ginger Warren, sister-in-law of the groom.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents in fellowship hall at Trinity Baptist Church.

Several bridal showers and courtesies were held for Sheri prior to her marriage.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, the bride wore an off white suit, navy blouse with navy accessories and orchid corsage.

The bride, a graduate of Texas Tech University, attends Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Tyler Jr. College, Wayland Baptist University and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

The couple will live in Fort Worth.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell of Lockney will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception, Sunday, November 30th from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the Garden Room of First Baptist Church, Lockney. Lucille Fletcher and James Bertrand Frizzell were married November 26, 1936 in the Lone Star Community. The children of the couple hosting the event are Mr. and Mrs. David Frizzell and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holt of Lockney. Dr. and Mrs. Bobby Webster of Wichita, Kansas and Mr. and Mrs. David Camden of Weatherford, Oklahoma. The couple have 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Friends and relatives are extended an invitation to attend the reception.

Portrait by Wilson Photography

Alpha Sigma holds social

On Saturday, Nov. 15, at 8 p.m.

Alpha Sigma Upsilon met in the Community Room of First National Bank in Floydada for its social of the month. Members played Crazy Bridge and visited.

Refreshments of chips, dips, Cokes

and coffee were served.

Attending were S.D. and Kathy Himes, Jim and Mary Ann Kelly, Roy and Sherre Turnbow, Jack and Karen Elliott, Robert and Vicky Covington, Dean and Brenda Watson, Tommy and Alice Ogden, Wayne and Jan Potec and Jan Nichols.

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Senior Citizens News

By Thelma Jones

The entire Senior Citizens group wish to extend sympathy to the family of Mr. Carl Denison who passed away last Friday.

Evelene Boyd and Grace Grundy attended a SPAG meeting last Thursday in Lubbock.

Marie Tardy and Thelma Jones visited their sister, Mrs. Clara Martin in Hale Center Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Warren, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hatley, Helene Hay, Evelene Boyd, Rebecca Smith and L.D. Britton attended a luncheon at Senior Citizens in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Smith of Deming, N.M. is going to spend Thanksgiving holidays with his sister, Mrs. Ruby Davis.

Johnny Bill Warren and wife of Amarillo spent Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Warren.

Mrs. Mattie Covington, Lillian Ross and Vina Crawford ate lunch out and they later all visited.

Houston Bradford had surgery in Lubbock last week. Also Mrs. Lois Parker had surgery in the local hospital. She is the mother of Elvis Parker. Hope they soon are out and recovering.

The senior citizens extend heartfelt sympathy to the Ray Lloyds and others in the loss of their grandson, Bruce Lloyd.

The Senior Citizens center will be closed on Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Look Who's New!

BULLOCK

Robert and Dawn Bullock are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Amy Nicole, born at 7:18 p.m. Monday, November 17, at Lockney General Hospital.

She weighed 8 lbs. 5 ozs. and was 21 inches long.

Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Bullock of Floydada, Nancy and Kevin Martin of Lockney and Paul W. Clark of Corpus Christi are her grandparents.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Murtaugh of Massapequa, New York, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark of Richmond Heights, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Auld of Lockney.

Great-great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin of Lockney and Mrs. Lucille Brown of Lockney.

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Whirlwind fems blast Idalou, 57-38, for initial win

Trailing 23-22 at intermission, the battling Whirlwind girls outscored visiting Idalou 21-6 in the third stanza Friday night and pulled away to their initial victory of the 1986-87 campaign, 57-38. This was the home opener of Coach Tommy Baxter's crew.

One fan termed this "maybe the best game in several seasons" for the Whirlwind girls.

Idalou led by single points after the first two stanzas: 15-13 and 23-22.

Floydada quickness was a key factor in their third quarter surge and in their 14-9 edge in the final eight minutes.

Scoring and rebounding (second number) by the nine Whirlwind varsity members included: Paige Cannon, 14-10; Tana Perry, 16-4; Norma Cisneros, 3-4; Amanda McDaniel, 10-4; Pam Woody, 4-4; Tana Turner, 2-1; Angie Bertrand, 4-4; Ester Medrano, 0-0; Lori Christian, 4-0.

WHIRLWIND BOYS CLOSE AGAINST POWERHOUSE IDALOU

Idalou's Wildcats, which had beaten 2-AAA power Tulia by two points three days earlier, blew into the Floydada gymnasium Friday night and left with their unbeaten skin intact...barely.

The Wildcats owned the scoreboard 52-48 at the final buzzer.

"I thought they (Whirlwinds) played well for our second ballgame," Coach Mike Cocanougher said following the thriller. "I was tickled to death" with the club's performance.

The count was deadlocked 12-all after eight minutes before the visitors moved ahead, 24-22, at intermission. The third quarter was owned by Idalou as it built a nine-point cushion and was in front 41-34 entering the final period.

But the Whirlwinds weren't finished. They cut the gap to 44-42 with 5:33 remaining before the Wildcats' 6'5" powerhouse post Wesley Dawson sank two quick buckets. The Winds were forced to foul down the stretch in an attempt to gain control of the ball against the stalling Wildcats.

Coach Cocanougher's crew lost the services of starter Shannon Barbee with a reoccurring knee injury early in the third quarter. F.L. Williams heard his fourth whistle with 5:42 remaining and the Winds trailing only 43-40. He returned briefly before picking up his fifth personal.

Whirlwinds' scorers and rebounders (second figure) were: Ty Stovall, 6-3; Chad Pernel, 14-7; Shannon Barbee, 0-2; Roel Cisneros, 9-17; F.L. Williams, 6-12; Randy Enriquez, 4-4; Heath

Robertson, 0-0; and Cornelius Campbell, 9-3.

JV BOYS WIN

Paced by 22 points and 23 rebounds from sophomore Dana Cooper, Whirlwind boys JV swept to a 53-28 decision.

They owned quarters advantages of 13-6, 29-15 and 37-22 over the visitors from Idalou. This was the Wind boys JV's first outing.

Others scoring were: Chad Quisenberry, 8; Leonard King, 6; Rod Davis, 4; John Paul Mendoza, 4; Armando Mora-

les, 4; Rolando Cisneros, 3 and Jason Brown, 2. Mark Thompson and Cory Jones also performed.

IDALOU JV GIRLS WIN

After a close first 16 minutes, Idalou pulled away to a 42-25 decision in the

girls JV match. The visitors were in front 10-4, 18-12 and 25-16 after respective quarters.

Point producers for Floydada were: Sylvia McComas, 7; Joey Thayer, 6; Trish Hanna, Jamie Morrison and Blanca Medrano, 4 each.



DAVID PYLE



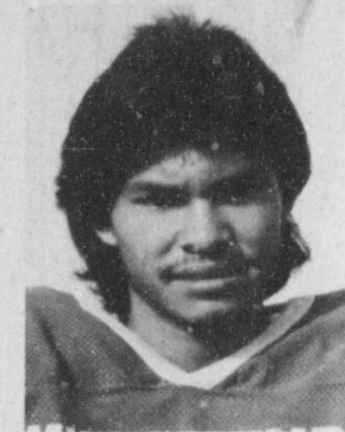
JULIO FLORES



CHAD PERNEL



ANTHONY BROCATO



RAY MORALES

David Pyle grid all-district

Mirroring their standings, District 2-3A champion Littlefield claimed nine berths on the football all-district first team while runner-up Friona and third place Tulia garnered eight berths each. Floydada, Muleshoe and Dimmitt each placed one lad on the first unit.

Floydada, Littlefield, Friona and Tulia each had five spots on the second team, Muleshoe had four and Dimmitt nailed down three.

Senior co-captain David (Tater) Pyle was the Whirlwind griddier named to the first unit. The 5'10", 175 pound senior was one of three linebackers tabbed.

Julio Flores, regarded as one of the area's premier rushers, and sure-handed Chad Pernel earned second team berths on offense. Pernel is a 5'10, 150 pound wide receiver and Flores is a 5'10", 180 pound runningback. Both are juniors who will return to pace the Whirlwinds next fall.

On the defensive side, a trio of Floydada players were named second team. Anthony Brocato, a 5'8", 160 pound senior, gainer recognition at end; senior Ray Morales, a 5'6", 125 pounder, was named as a cornerback; and Pernel was tabbed as a safety.

Whirlwind footballers gaining honorable mention were:

Offense — Ty Stovall, quarterback, 5'7", 160 pounds, junior; Hector Flores, runningback, 5'7", 155 pounds, senior; Joe Collins, runningback, 6'1", 185 pounds, junior; and Jeff Smith, kicker, 6'1", 195 pounds, junior

Defense — Ralph Casillas, safety, 5'8", 160 pounds, junior; Joe Collins, defensive line; Daniel Medrano, safety, 5'8", 155 pounds, junior; David Medrano, cornerback, 5'8", 155 pounds, junior; and Leonard King, defensive line, 5'10", 192 pounds, sophomore.

ALL-DISTRICT SQUADS

First team offense — quarterback, *Todd Lacey, 6'1", 193 pounds, Sr.,

Tulia; runningback, *Steven Powell, 5'10", 170 pounds, Sr., Tulia; runningback, Lonnie Phillips, 5'9", 160 pounds, Sr., Friona; runningback, Steve Lair, 5'10", 180 pounds, Sr., Littlefield; wide receiver, Jody Nelson, 6'2", 185 pounds, Sr., Littlefield; wide receiver, *Lance Grantham, 5'11", 175 pounds, Jr., Tulia; tight end, *Todd Barbour, 6'3", 195 pounds, Sr., Tulia; center, Michael Payne, 5'11", 185 pounds, Sr., Littlefield; line, *Israel Torres, 5'9", 180 pounds, Sr., Littlefield; line, Paul Finch, 5'9", 210 pounds, Sr., Tulia; line, Jeff Chaney, 6'2", 247 pounds, Sr., Friona; line, James Ziegenfus, 5'11", 210 pounds, Jr., Muleshoe; kicker, Sam Montoya, 5'9", 160 pounds, Sr., Friona

First team defense — Line, *Jeff Chaney, 6'2", 247 pounds, Sr., Friona; line, *Alfonso Garcia, 5'10", 210 pounds, Sr., Tulia; line, Michael Payne, 5'11", 185 pounds, Sr., Littlefield; line, Louis Williams, 5'10", 185 pounds, Soph., Littlefield; line, Milton Carrasco, 6'3", 210 pounds, Sr., Dimmitt; linebacker, Rusty Rainey, 6'0", 197 pounds, Jr., Friona; linebacker, David Pyle, 5'10", 175 pounds, Sr., Floydada; linebacker, Tommy King, 5'11", 185 pounds, Sr., Littlefield; cornerback, *Trampus Goodwin, 5'9", 165 pounds, Jr., Tulia; cornerback, *Lonnie Phillips, 5'9", 160 pounds, Sr., Friona; safety, *Shy Burney, 6'2", 170 pounds, Sr., Friona; safety, *Chad McGehee, 5'11", 165 pounds, Jr., Littlefield; safety, Merwyn Parker, 5'10", 165 pounds, Jr., Tulia; punter, *Sam Montoya, 5'9", 165 pounds, Sr., Friona

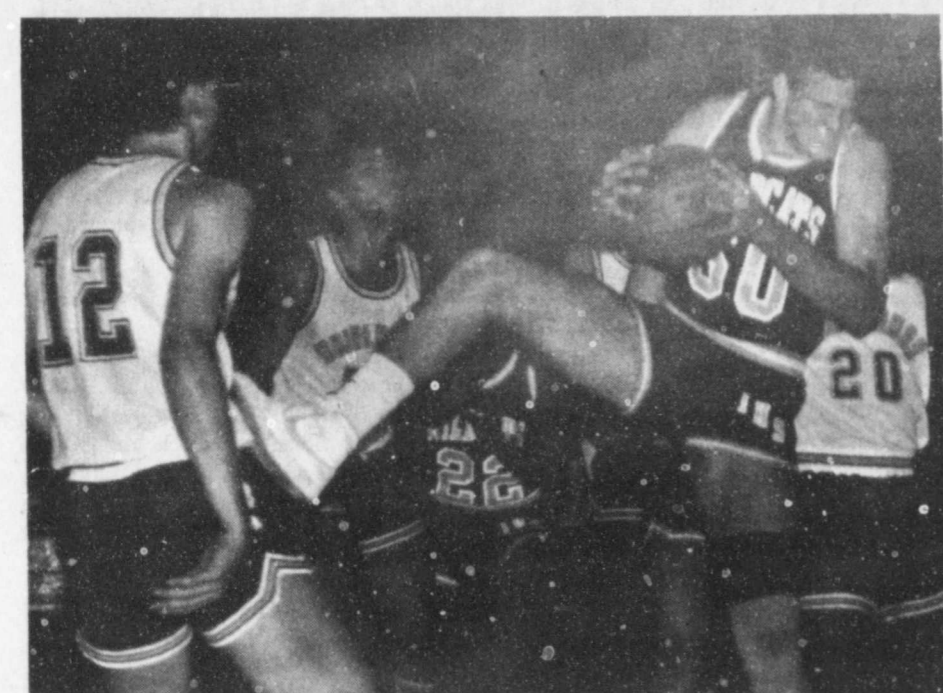
*Unanimous selection

Second team offense 8 quarterback, Mark Ellis, 5'11", 175, Jr., Littlefield; runningback, Julio Flores, 5'10", 180, Jr., Floydada; runningback, Tommy King, 5'11", 185, Sr., Littlefield; runningback, Merwyn Parker, 5'10", 165, Jr., Tulia; runningback, Jimmy Williams, 5'10", 183, Sr., Friona; wide

receiver, Chad Pernel, 5'10", 150, Jr., Floydada; wide receiver, Mark West, 5'9", 155, Sr., Dimmitt; tight end, Rusty Rainey, 6', 197, Jr., Friona; center, Jack Todd, 5'10", 170, Sr., Tulia; line, Jerry McDowell, 5'10", 185, Sr., Friona; line, Shane Hand, 6'4", 195, Sr., Friona; line, Chris Martinez, 5'10", 185, Sr., Littlefield; line, Russell Brown, 5'10", 160, Jr., Muleshoe; kicker, Todd Durham, 6', 190, Sr.

Second team defense — Line, Shane Hand, 6'4", 195, Sr., Friona; line, Anthony Brocato, 5'8", 160, Sr., Floy-

dada; line, Jody Nelson, 6'2", 185, Sr., Littlefield; line, Brian Swint, 6'2", 210, Jr., Muleshoe; linebacker, Steve Lair, 5'10", 180, Sr., Littlefield; linebacker, Armando Del Toro, 5'8", 180, Jr., Muleshoe; linebacker, Kevin Harris, 5'9", 160, Jr., Tulia; cornerback, Ray Morales, 5'6", 125, Sr., Floydada; cornerback, Steven Powell, 5'10", 170, Sr., Tulia; safety, Chad Pernel, 5'10", 150, Jr., Floydada; safety, Mark West, 5'9", 155, Sr., Dimmitt; safety, Todd Bessire, 5'6", 140, Sr., Muleshoe; punter, Todd Lacey, 6'1", 193, Sr., Tulia.



WATCH THAT FOOT—Idalou's 6'5" post Wesley Dawson appears to be kicking at Whirlwind Chad Pernel (12), but the large Wildcat actually is coming down with a rebound in Friday night's game. Whirlwinds in background are F.L. Williams (50) and Cornelius Campbell (20). Staff Photo

Whirlwinds stop Post

Post, "a quick squad" with "good athletes," became the Whirlwind boys' first victim last Tuesday by a 71-50 count. The Visiting Floydada lads turned a 32-24 halftime advantage into a 21 point victory.

The Green and White owned quarter leads of 13-11, 32-24 and 52-36. Post tired in the second half against the constant Whirlwind press.

Chad Pernel paced the FHS crew with 20 points, one more than teammate Ty Stovall. Shannon Barbee and Roel Cisneros each contributed 8 points, Randy Enriquez scored 5, F.L. Williams and Sylvester Mendoza canned 4 each

and Heath Robertson contributed 3.

Williams paced the rebound department with 12. Cisneros pulled down 4 boards while Barbee, Enriquez and Pernel each had 2.

THIS WEEK'S BASKETBALL

Monday: Seventh, eighth and ninth teams vs. Littlefield; boys here, girls there; seventh game at 5 p.m.

Tuesday: Crosbyton here; JV boys, varsity girls, varsity boys; JV game at 5 p.m.

'I'm real positive about this team,' Cocanougher

Continued from Page One

by all polls" and is, as usual, "one of the top AAA teams in the state."

The Bobcats return five lettermen and three regulars from their brilliant last season's crew. Most of their players participate only in basketball, and have already downed state-ranked Paducah.

Pacing the Bobcats are 6'6" post Marc Bennett; 6'3" James Alexander, who can "jump out of the gym"; and Jeremy Warren, "a good little guard who can shoot the lights out." In addition, a 6'4" cager moved in

Littlefield, which is "loaded with talent" from its four lettermen and three starters, is "extremely quick and has a new coach and a new philosophy." They are now a "run and gun" team. The Wildcats' "hoss" is 6'3" post Jody Nelson, and 6' Larry Williams is another dandy. In addition, Littlefield had a "real strong" JV last winter.

Todd Barbour, 6'3", and Todd Lacey, 6'1", are the hub around which Tulia turns. With this pair, plus 6'1" Lance Grantham, "good point guard" Eddie Subealdeia, Bobby Painter, quick Steven

Powell and Merwyn Parker and Toby House, a 6'5" "move-in from New Deal," the Hornets are primed for another run at the playoffs.

Picked by Coach Cocanougher as a "possible sleeper" is Muleshoe, which has "outstanding quickness." They run and gun and wear their tennis shoes out. Although they graduated a trio, the Mules continue to be paced by 5'10" Norman Perez and 5'10" John Garcia.

Friona returns all five starters from last year. Pacing the Chieftains are (6'2") Shy Burney, (6') Jeff Dickson and

(6'4") Shane Hand.

The Whirlwind mentor looks for "a battle for second, even though everybody will be gunning for Dimmitt." He is not about to sell his Green and White short of a playoff berth.

Panhandle Plains Basketball magazine predicts the following finish: 1. Dimmitt, 2. Tulia, 3. Littlefield, 4. Floydada, 5. Muleshoe and 6. Friona.

In its area pre-season rating, the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal has the following 2-AAA squads listed: 1. Dimmitt, 4. Littlefield, 5. Tulia.

★ Girls box scores ★

Following are box scores for Floydada girls' initial games of the 1986-87 season, played last week, include:

VARSITY GIRLS			
November 18			
Floydada	7	19	25
Post	12	24	34
(Player, fouls, free throws, total points) Paige Cannon, 4-4-10; Norma Cisneros, 0-0-0; Treva Ledbetter, 2-2-4; Amanda McDaniel, 5-6-6; Tana Perry, 3-2-8; Ester Medrano, 1-0-0; Angie Bertrand, 2-0-0; Pam Woody, 0-0-0; Tana Turner, 0-2-2			
JUNIOR VARSITY			
November 18			
Floydada	12	19	27
Post	6	12	24
Lori Christian, 5-6-16; Trisha Hanna, 5-0-4; Sylvia McComas, 4-0-8; Jaime Morrison, 1-0-4; Amy Burns, 3-0-2; Joey Thayer, 4-0-4; Shelby Ogden, 1-0-0; Tiffany Gentry, 0-0-0; Noemi DeOchoa, 0-0-0			
NINTH GRADE			
November 17			
Floydada	8	15	26
Muleshoe	12	12	27

Kim Perry, 5; Anita McCormick, 7; Libby Anderson, 1; Shayla Barbee, 7; Heather Henderson, 6; Shannon Paty, 0; Staci Hadderton, 0; JoAnn Cavazos, 1			
EIGHTH GRADE			
November 17 (overtime)			
Floydada	4	6	13
Muleshoe	0	4	12
Angie Glasscock, 12; Tricia Pernel, 2; Nora Cisneros, 0; Tonya Powell, 3; Kerrie Pitts, 0; Amy Hinsley, 0; Becky Porter, 0; Stacey Hinsley, 1; Pat Vallejo, 0; Melissa Strickland, 0; Mindy Matler, 0; Mary delaFuente, 0; Deanna Watson, 0			
SEVENTH GRADE			
November 17			
Floydada	4	14	20
Muleshoe	4	16	27
Tisha Black, 18; Jennifer Paty, 4; Christie Rowan, 2; Linda Suarez, 2; Kalli Hicks, 2; Sylvia Cabalero, 1; other key players: Branda Breed, Jennifer Crow, Melanie Covington, Shonda Guthrie, Katherine Davis, Rhoda Hernandez, Robin Galloway, Amy Harris, Tiffany Bennett			

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Information about your changing telephone service from Jim West, Manager-Community Relations

A look at phone services of the future

It may be hard to believe but 1987 is a little more than a month away. I don't know about you, but every year about this time, I start to think about the future. It's as if the passage from one year to the next is a window, and every November I get the urge to step up to that window to look at the images on the other side of the glass.

As an employee of Southwestern Bell Telephone, I am naturally inclined to think about the changes that will be taking place in the telecommunications industry. Certainly, this industry has had more than its share of changes in the last few years. However, when I look to the future, I see technological advancements that will literally change — no, revolutionize — our way of life.

Business Week recently published an excellent article on the future of the telecommunications industry, titled, "The Rewiring of America." It told of how current research is working toward forming one compatible coast-to-coast network, called the Integrated Services Digital Network or ISDN. This system would simultaneously carry voice and data messages over one line, acting as a sort of telecommunications super-highway.

Before ISDN can become a reality, however, new types of equipment must be installed nationwide. Especially critical to ISDN is the digital switch, which Southwestern Bell Telephone is installing at an aggressive pace in its central offices across the state. This year alone it is estimated that we will spend \$253 million on this project.

As part owner of Bellcore, the research wing of the seven regional Bell operating companies, Southwestern Bell Telephone is participating in experiments relating to the ISDN. The developments initiated in the coming years will not only improve the quality of your call transmission, but will expand the ways in which you use your phone.

Technology permits new uses for your phone

For example, your phone line will be able to serve as a home security system, mail carrier and, with the help of your personal computer, a video newspaper. You will also be able to use your phone to check the status of your bank account in another city.

The new technology will make your phone even more reliable than it is now. Among the service-related developments on the horizon is a computer system that will detect trouble on your line — even before you do — and automatically make the necessary repairs.

What's more, you will have a wide choice of phone features — far beyond what you may have ever imagined. For example, our network will know the originating location of an incoming call. Then, as the phone is ringing, a computer-generated voice will announce the caller's name so you can decide if you would like to answer it or not.

Farfetched? Not at all. Austin customers have been trialing early versions of similar services for nearly two years. One of the most popular, Automatic Recall, addresses a frustration we have all experienced. Inevitably, when you rush to answer a ringing telephone, it stops just as you pick it up. With this phone feature, you can call that number back by simply dialing a two digit code.

Another feature being tested allows you to block certain numbers from ringing through to your phone. Another still, enables you to forward only certain calls to a third number. And perhaps one feature that could have the greatest impact of all, will allow you to trace annoyance calls.

The ultimate winner in this technological explosion will be you, the phone customer. You will have advanced telecommunication systems at your fingertips. And if you prefer only to use your phone for that most basic of reasons — to make a call — you will have faster, more dependable phone service than ever before.

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SIGNS OF HOLIDAYS — Jesse Morales erects a Christmas decoration on a utility post in downtown Floydada. Connie Galloway was working with Morales. Floydada Chamber of Commerce is asking local residents to "adopt" or help sponsor one of the lighted Christmas trees shown in this picture. —Staff photo

Give Thanks

40 in Ride and Stride for Diabetes

By Margie Fowler
Ride and Stride for Diabetes took place on November 15. There were 40 participants (some biked and some

jogged and some walked), and there were 15 volunteers helping with the event on that day. An estimated \$1,200.00 is expected to be raised from

this event. Collections and donations will continue until December 1.

Anyone wishing to make a donation to the American Diabetes Association may

do so by bringing their donation to Summit Savings Association.

Local prizes for this event were donated by Hale's Dept. Store, Thompson's Pharmacy, Sears, Perry's and Pizza Gold. Refreshments were provided by Shop Rite Foods, Pay-n-Save, Kirtley's Market, Caprock Meat Co., Lighthouse Electric and Leonard's Cafe.

Kerrie Pitts runner-up for girls rodeo all-around

Kerrie Pitts, after being the point leader for all-around laurels in her age division of the "World's Largest All-Girl Rodeo" during the Saturday afternoon session, saw a Lubbock contestant grab the lead during the night session.

The 13-year-old Floydada eighth grader was forced to settle for runner-up honors in the 13 and under age group. The winner received a saddle in the Sweetwater event.

Miss Pitts, however, came home with a halter and cash prizes for her efforts which netted her places in five events.

She won the flag race with a time of 9.053 seconds and was runner-up in

pole bending (21.805 seconds). Her other places included: sixth, steer babbling; ninth, goat tying; and tenth, barrels (16.789 seconds).

Shawna Davidson of Lubbock scored strongly in roping events during the night session to claim all-around.

Miss Pitts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pitts, competed with a compound fracture of her finger, an injury she suffered Tuesday prior to the rodeo.

Held in Nolan County Coliseum in Sweetwater, the rodeo is affiliated with the West Texas Barrel Racing Association.

Winds' boys cross country squad eighth in state

With 178 points, the Whirlwind boys cross country team placed eighth in the state meet, held Saturday, Nov. 15, at Southwestern University in Georgetown. Manuel Suarez paced Coach Mike Vickers' squad with a 19th place finish and a time of 18.36 minutes.

Places and times for other Whirlwinds included: Brad Saens, 35th, 19:00; Pedro Segura, 53rd, 19:31; Daniel Medrano, 54th, 19:40; David Medrano, 78th, 20:35; Joe Suarez, 86th, 20:59; and Danny Espinoza, 91st, 21:30.

Yoakum, with 52 points, nosed out District 2-3A champion Muleshoe for first place in the state competition. The Mules posted 62 points.

Placings of other teams included: 3. Gonzales, 85 points; 4. Falfurrias, 102; 5. Perryton, 108; 6. Gladewater, 165; 7.

Sweeny, 168; 8. Floydada, 178; 9. Coppell, 228; Cameron Yoe, 270 points; 11. Bonham, 303; and Orangefield, 319.

Coach Vickers' squad placed second in district behind strong Muleshoe and was third in Region I competition.

School Menu

December 1-5

Monday:

Breakfast — Orange juice, toast, milk
Lunch — Hamburger pizza, corn, pickle spears, pineapple tidbits, milk

Tuesday:

Breakfast — Pineapple juice, dry cereal, milk

Lunch — Chicken fried steak w/ gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rice cup, hot roll, milk

Wednesday:

Breakfast — Grape juice, hot oatmeal cereal, milk, toast

Lunch — Spaghetti w/meat sauce, fried squash, spinach, peach half, hot roll, milk

Thursday:

Breakfast — Apple juice, pancakes, syrup, milk

Lunch — Bean and beef chalupas, Spanish rice, tossed salad, applesauce, milk

Friday:

Breakfast — Orange juice, cinnamon toast, milk

Lunch — Hamburger w/mustard, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, peach cobbler, milk

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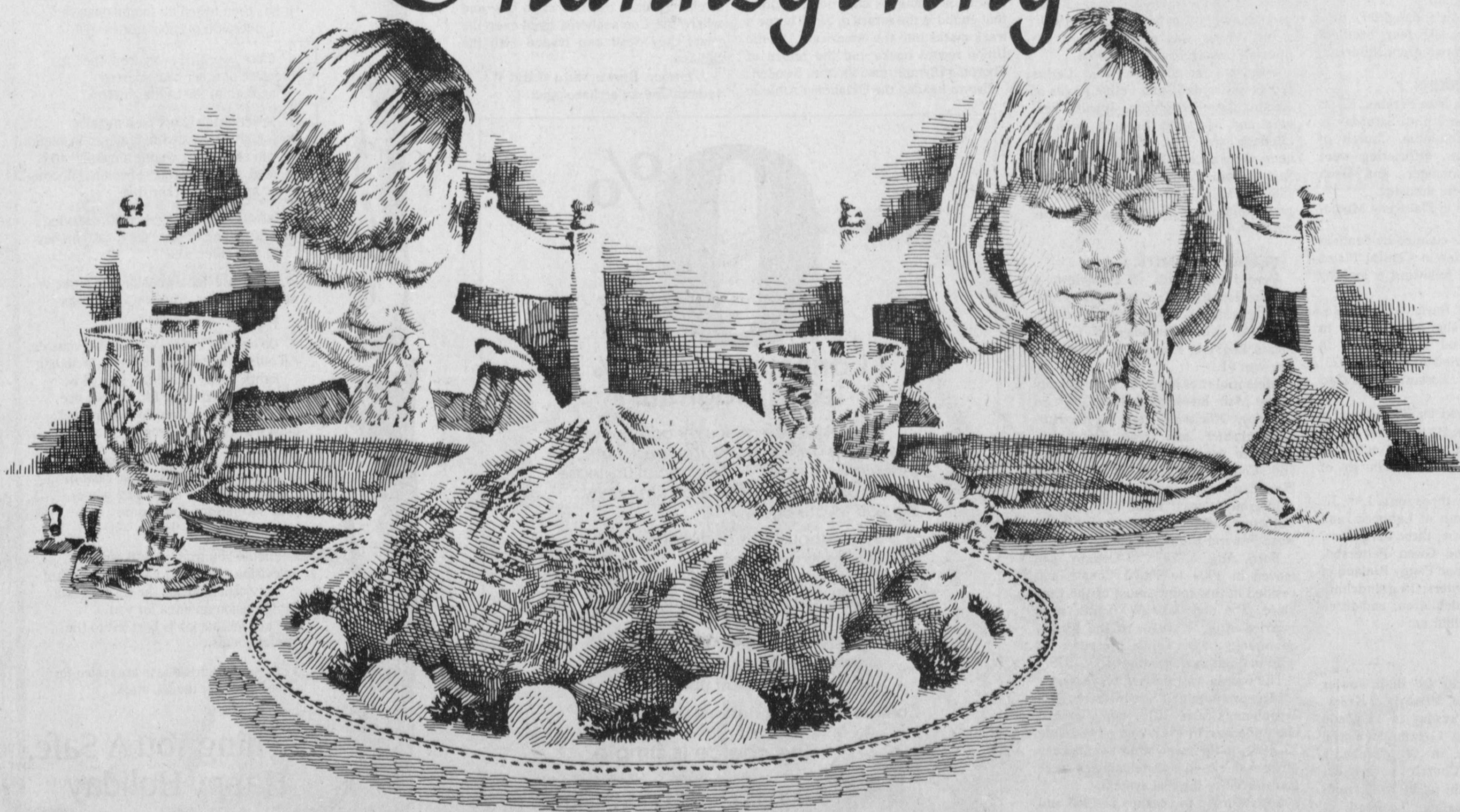
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Jones elected to T.S.T.A. State House of Delegates

The Floydada local of Texas State Teachers Association met Thursday afternoon, Nov. 20, at 4:15 p.m. in R.C. Andrews cafeteria.

President Joyce Williams distributed survey questionnaires about the teachers' appraisal. Secretary Norma Feuerbacher read minutes of the May and September meetings. The October appraisal workshop was discussed. Treasurer Noma Lou Rainer reported the amount of money received during the membership enrollment this fall. Membership chairman Martha Lunsford, reported on the Uniserve luncheon meeting she attended Nov. 8 at Dillard's tea room in Lubbock.

She reported on the T.S.T.A. members discount benefits at local and statewide stores, motels, restaurants, and theatres. LaVada Garrett reported

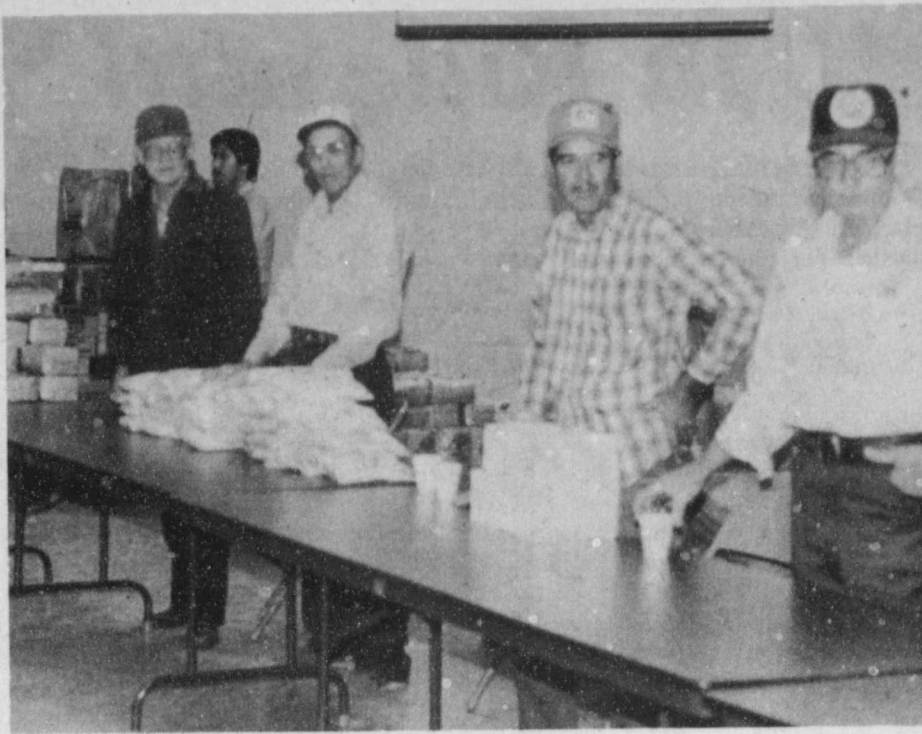
on a meeting she had attended.

During the session for new business, Roberta Hardin was appointed election committee chairman to supervise election of statewide T.S.T.A. leaders. Dick Lawson of Levelland is the area candidate for president. Election ballots will be distributed Dec. 1 by Mrs. Hardin.

Members discussed the delegate for the State T.S.T.A. meeting to be held in Lubbock during Spring Break in March. Mrs. Margaret Jones, local vice-president, was elected to the House of Delegates for the state meeting.

All teachers in Floydada, Dougherty and South Plains schools are invited to join the local chapter of the largest teachers' organization in the state, Texas State Teachers' Association.

All Floydada schools were represented at the meeting.



COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION—These gentlemen are but a few of the many volunteers making distribution of commodities possible in Floydada. The community is enriched by their presence and their dedication. —Staff photo

Obituaries

CARL WILLIAM DENISON

Carl William Denison of Floydada, Texas was claimed by death at 8 a.m. Friday November 21, 1986 in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, Texas.

He was 90 years old.

Memorial services were at 3 p.m. Saturday, November 22 in First United Methodist Church, Floydada with the Rev. Earl Blair officiating, assisted by the Rev. Howell Farnsworth, pastor of The First Baptist Church, Floydada.

Interment was made in Floydada cemetery under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

He was born October 23, 1896 in Woodland, Texas, in Red River County. He moved to Lorenzo, Texas in 1920 and to Floydada in 1923. He married Beulah Elva Eaves on November 13, 1919 in Jolintown, Texas, in Red River County.

He was a retired farmer and a veteran of World War I. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Floydada.

Survivors include his wife, Beulah, two sons, C.W. Denison Jr. of Georgetown and Gilmer Denison of Lubbock; one brother, Russell of Sun City Arizona; seven grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Serving as active pallbearers were: William Bertrand, Bob Vickers, Al Galloway, Howard Drysdale, Dean Watson, and Harold Bertrand.

LOUISE MIDDLETON

Graveside services for Louise Middleton, 49, of Lubbock, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Plainview Memorial Park. The Rev. Henry Lee, pastor of Word of Truth Church in Lubbock, officiated.

Mrs. Middleton was a sister of Naomi Jones of Lockney.

She was claimed by death Friday at her home.

Born in Austin, she moved to Lubbock in 1954 from Plainview. Her husband, Virgil Roscoe Middleton, preceded her in death.

Survivors include a daughter, Reba Gorman of Lubbock; four brothers; seven sisters; and two grandchildren.

EULA MAE PERKINS

Services for Eula Mae Perkins, 83, of Seth Ward, were at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Ninth and Columbia Church of Christ in Plainview. Officiating were Wayne Horton, minister, and Dean Brookshire, associate minister.

Burial was made in Plainview Memorial Park.

Mrs. Perkins was claimed by death at 11:20 p.m. Thursday in Central Plains Regional Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Born Eula Mae Davis on Sept. 15, 1903, in Eddy, she was reared in Menard and moved to Plainview in 1923. She was married on Jan. 19, 1923, in Floydada to J.W. Perkins Sr. He died in 1967.

She was employed for 27 years at a Plainview department store prior to her retirement in 1985. She was active in the Ninth and Columbia Church of Christ.

Survivors include three sons, J.W. Jr. and Darrell G., both of Lubbock, and Bill Don of Plainview; three daughters, Bettye Raymer and Gwen Patterson, both of Plainview, and Peggy Breland of Paris, Tex.; four sisters; 15 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

BETH RAY

Graveside services for Beth Fowler Ray, 84, of Amarillo, formerly of Kress, were at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Floydada Cemetery following 11 a.m. memorial services that day in St. Stephen's United Methodist Church in Amarillo. The Rev. Jim Smith, pastor, officiated.

Mrs. Ray was claimed by death at 2:45 a.m. Sunday in St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo after an illness.

The Kress native was married in 1930 to William Clifford (Jack) Ray in Portales, N.M. She was a housewife and a member of St. Stephen's United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Mona Beth Sikes of Sunny; a brother, Bill Sowler of Scottsdale, Ariz.; three grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

MARVENA REINKEN

Services for Marvena Reinken, 69, of Plainview will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Charles H. Teykl, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Wood-Dunning Funeral Home.

She died at 11:59 p.m. Sunday in Central Plains Regional Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born in Swisher County and moved to Plainview in 1946. She married James H. Reinken on Jan. 1, 1942, in Amarillo. He died in 1981. She was a district manager for World Book Encyclopedia. She was a member of the Business and Professional Women's Club and First Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include a son, Charle of Houston; a daughter, Janis Reinken of Abilene; a brother, M.T. Taylor of Lubbock; and three sisters, Ruby Ratjen of Floydada, Bersie Foster of Tullia and Muriel Stark of Lubbock.

FELIX RIOJAS

Funeral rites for Felix Riojas of Floydada were at 10 a.m. Thursday in the Spanish Church of the Nazarene in Lubbock with the Rev. Prisco Luna, pastor, officiating. Mr. Riojas was 86.

Burial was made in Floydada Cemetery, under direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. Riojas was claimed by death at 3:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 18, in Sherwood Health Care Center in Lubbock after an illness.

A South Plains area resident since 1930, when he moved from San Antonio, he and Petra Guerra were married in 1928 in San Antonio. Mrs. Riojas preceded her husband in death in 1979.

Mr. Riojas was a member of the Spanish Church of the Nazarene.

Survivors include two sons, Carlos Riojas of Floydada and Felipe Riojas of Austin; three daughters, Juanita Vergare and Margaret Naranjo, both of Lubbock, and Julia DeLuna of Monahans; three sisters, Maria Richardson of San Antonio, Paula Sanchez of Floresville and Lala Lugo of San Antonio; 46 grandchildren; and 54 great-grandchildren.

VERDIE OLA SMITH

Verdie Ola Smith of Plainview, a former longtime Lockney and Floyd County resident, was claimed by death at 11:45 p.m. Thursday in Central Plains Regional Hospital in Plainview. She was 91.

Memorial rites were at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney. Officiating were Wayne Horton, minister, and Dean Brookshire, associate minister, both of the Ninth and Columbia Church of Christ in Plainview.

Interment was made in Lockney Cemetery, under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Lockney.

Born Aug. 6, 1895 in Otisby, she moved in 1904 to Floyd County and resided in this county most of the time since. She and Jake W. Smith were married Aug. 4, 1910, in the Muncy community. Mr. Smith preceded his wife in death on Christmas Day 1975.

The couple was married 65 years. Mrs. Smith joined Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in 1938, being named chief operator in 1943. She moved July 13, 1951, to Plainview after the Lockney office was closed and telephones were transferred to the dial system.

She returned to Lockney in 1965 and made her home there until moving back to Plainview in 1984.

Mrs. Smith was a member of the Church of Christ.

She is survived by two daughters, Josephine E. Smith and Mrs. Spencer (Gaye) Bayley, both of Plainview; two

sons, John P. Smith of Carlsbad, N.M., and Charles B. Smith of Plainview; seven grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

MAMIE WOFFORD

Mamie Lou Wofford, of Lockney, one of the longest Floyd County residents, was claimed by death at 7:30 a.m. Sunday in Lockney Care Center after an illness. She was 96.

Mrs. Wofford had been a resident of this county most of the time during the past 80 years.

Memorial rites were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney with George Schuster, minister, officiating.

Interment was made in Lockney Cemetery beside the grave of her late husband, who was claimed by death in 1953. Moore-Rose Funeral Home directed arrangements.

Serving as pallbearers were grandsons, Nelson Wofford, Breck Wofford, Jerry Lynn Wofford, Donald Allison, Mike McPherson and Gary Whitfill.

A Stephens County native, she moved to Floyd County in 1906 and was married to Luther A. Wofford on July 3, 1907, in Floydada.

Mrs. Wofford was a member of the Church of Christ. Making her home on South Main Street in Lockney for many years, she knitted, crocheted, did needlepoint and made quilts while her health permitted, and daily read the Bible.

The family moved to Oklahoma in 1930 and remained there for a few years

before returning to Lockney during the depression years.

Luther Wofford established a business which is now owned by a third generation Wofford.

When the family came back from Oklahoma to Lockney, "The windmill wheel was no good so all Luther could do was to make one. It turned out so well that he made one for a neighbor, then another neighbors needed one, then he became so busy that he rented a building in town and (son) Lloyd moved from Oklahoma to help him.

"They built a very thriving business and it is still going great in south Lockney," according to the 1979 Floyd County history book. "Luther hauled lumber by truck from Lufkin, Texas, to work with for several years. Then Luther went on the road to sell their products. They made windmill wheels, pitmans and sucker rods. Now they had a good market for their windmill parts. This all took place over 25 years ago and no one has had to go sell again.

"To this day the shop is still filling orders from the original clients or maybe someone will hear about it and call in. The last time I talked to them there were only three manufacturers of sucker rods in the United States that they knew of."

Survivors include three sons, Lloyd, Leon and B.J., all of Lockney; three daughters, Wynona Allison of Lockney, Gwen McPherson of Midland and Una Faye Whitfill of Silverton; 13 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; and nine great-great-grandchildren.

Harold Brown, founder of Bob Wills Day, succumbs

Harold V. "Tex" Brown, founder of the Oklahoma Athletic Hall of Fame and organizer of Bob Wills Day in Turkey, succumbed last Wednesday of cancer. Brown, 56, was a Floydada native.

He had a number of accomplishments, including his initiation of a drive that ended in the return of Jim Thorpe's track marks into the American Athletic Union record books and the return of Thorpe's Olympic medals from Sweden. Brown headed the Oklahoma Athletic

Hall of Fame that held annual banquets to recognize professional and amateur athletes from Oklahoma.

His discovery of the Comanchero dugouts south of Quitaque led to excavations that caused many historians to change their theories as to how and where the Comancheros lived over the years they dealt and traded with the Indians.

A farmer, Brown was a World War II veteran and an archaeologist.

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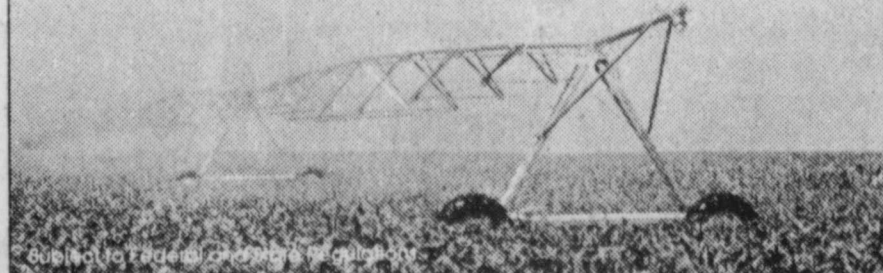
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December 1 - 5

Monday — Sloppy Joe or BBQ beef on bun, potato salad, tomatoes, lettuce, pickles, fruit cobbler, milk

Tuesday — Oven fried chicken, broccoli, rice, cheese casserole, pickled beets, roll and butter, canned pears, milk

Wednesday — Beef stew with vegetables, cabbage-carrot slaw, cornbread and butter, applesauce, peanut butter cookie, milk

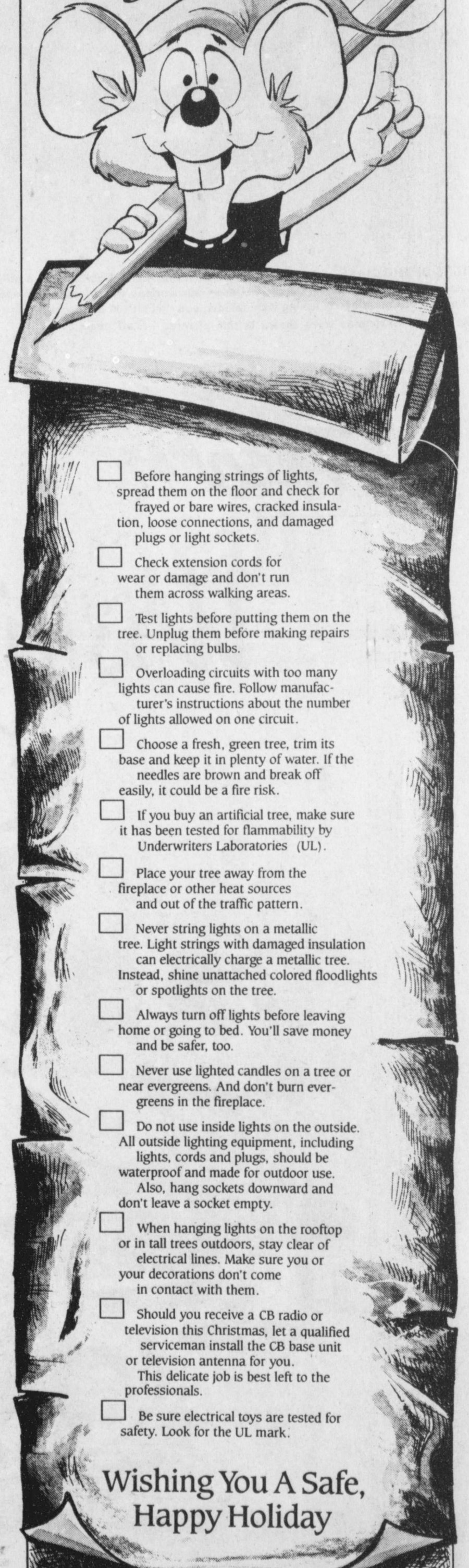
Thursday — Ham, macaroni and cheese casserole, buttered spinach, tossed salad with dressing, roll and

butter, canned plums, milk
 Friday — Roast beef with potatoes, carrots and onions, gravy, buttered cabbage, cornbread and butter, cake, milk

Courtroom Activities

There were no cases heard in county court since November 11, 1986. In J.P. court there were 31 misdemeanor cases filed, two forcible detainers, and three bad checks.

Check Safety To Make The Holidays Bright



- Before hanging strings of lights, spread them on the floor and check for frayed or bare wires, cracked insulation, loose connections, and damaged plugs or light sockets.
- Check extension cords for wear or damage and don't run them across walking areas.
- Test lights before putting them on the tree. Unplug them before making repairs or replacing bulbs.
- Overloading circuits with too many lights can cause fire. Follow manufacturer's instructions about the number of lights allowed on one circuit.
- Choose a fresh, green tree, trim its base and keep it in plenty of water. If the needles are brown and break off easily, it could be a fire risk.
- If you buy an artificial tree, make sure it has been tested for flammability by Underwriters Laboratories (UL).
- Place your tree away from the fireplace or other heat sources and out of the traffic pattern.
- Never string lights on a metallic tree. Light strings with damaged insulation can electrically charge a metallic tree. Instead, shine unattached colored floodlights or spotlights on the tree.
- Always turn off lights before leaving home or going to bed. You'll save money and be safer, too.
- Never use lighted candles on a tree or near evergreens. And don't burn evergreens in the fireplace.
- Do not use inside lights on the outside. All outside lighting equipment, including lights, cords and plugs, should be waterproof and made for outdoor use. Also, hang sockets downward and don't leave a socket empty.
- When hanging lights on the rooftop or in tall trees outdoors, stay clear of electrical lines. Make sure you or your decorations don't come in contact with them.
- Should you receive a CB radio or television this Christmas, let a qualified serviceman install the CB base unit or television antenna for you. This delicate job is best left to the professionals.
- Be sure electrical toys are tested for safety. Look for the UL mark.

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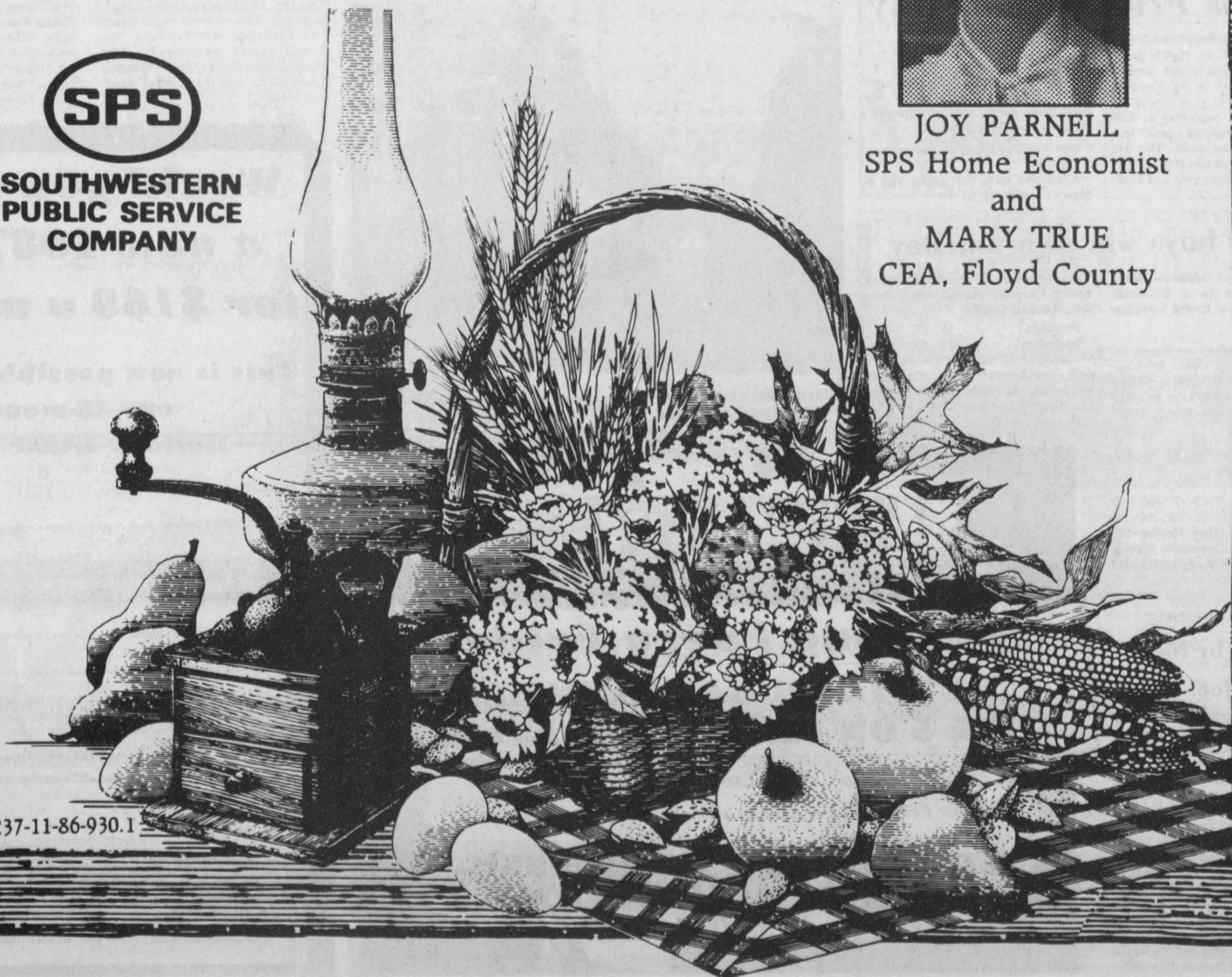
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Floydada joins with nation in celebrating National Home Care Week

November 30th through December 6, 1986 has been declared National Home Care Week by the President and Congress. In proclaiming the official celebration the country's elected officials called on all citizens to honor the dedicated professionals and volunteers who provide home health services to the ill, elderly, disabled and infirm within the comfort and security of their own home. Millions of people receive such services each year from thousands of devoted, skilled home care providers. Older people receiving home care services can remain in their own homes living independently retaining their dignity and self respect. Adults and children requiring and taking advantage of the high quality home care services available are enjoying the added strength and support of remaining with their families.

The highly trained staff, board, and volunteers of the Great Plains Home Health Agency invite all the residents of Floydada to join with them in the special events and activities planned to take place throughout the community in honor of Home Care Week. Mr. Robert J. Blackwell Vice-President, in com-

menting on the community-wide celebration, said, "Home health care, the oldest tradition of health care delivery in this country, is quickly becoming the choice of a new generation seeking high-quality, cost-effective alternatives for themselves, their parents, and their children. Lawmakers are learning that there is a growing demand for public and private programs and policies to support the humane, individualized, skilled and, at the same time, less expensive, health service delivery at home. Technological advances; the sophisticated training of nurses, technicians, therapists and other caregivers; and the skyrocketing costs of health care in hospitals and nursing homes all combine to point to home care as the wave of the future, a future built on the strong foundations of self-reliance and cooperation which gave birth to our country."

Blackwell continued, "The staff of Great Plains Home Health Agency is proud to be a part of that tradition. Proud to be providing services that keep families together, support the independence of our most vulnerable elderly, and offer a compassionate and

effective alternative to institutionalization. We urge everyone to share in this joyous celebration and participate with us in the festivities planned by

Great Plains Home Health Agency and other community organizations in honor of Home Care Week."

Home Care Week kicks off in the

Floydada area with blood pressure clinics Tuesday, December 2nd in Amherst from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m., Floydada at the First National Bank from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, December 3rd at Ropes Senior Citizens

Center from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m., Thursday, December 4th in Lubbock at the Pioneer Retirement Hotel from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. and South Crest Baptist Church "Jolly Elders" from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. Levelland Senior Citizen Center from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. and Brownfield Senior Citizens Center

from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

Great Plains Home Health Agency has been proudly serving the community throughout the year. Blackwell stated that, "National Home Care Week gives us the opportunity to let the community know who we are and the services we provide in the spirit of a celebration. It is the perfect time for people to learn about home care before a crisis forces the situation. Our slogan for this year's celebration, 'Know Us Before You Need Us,' is an appropriate theme for 1986 Home Care Week."

Thefts, break-ins reported to city police department

Four different thefts have been reported during the past week (through Monday) to Floydada Police Department, according to Sgt. Harold Snell.

A black and gold BMX bicycle, valued at \$89, was taken from a garage at 602 E. Lee between 2 p.m. Saturday and 3 p.m. Sunday. The theft was reported Monday morning.

A pair of speakers, a flashlight, a shirt and 40 stereo tapes were reportedly stolen Saturday from a 1981 Chevro-

let pickup at 916 S. Leonard. The theft was discovered at 1:30 a.m. Saturday. The vehicle's left vent window was forced open to gain entry.

Video tapes, valued at \$450, were stolen last Thursday from Ruben's Grocery.

A mirror was broken that day from a vehicle parked at the Scout hut in the 300 block of East California. The damage was the result of a break-in, which occurred between 7 and 8:30 p.m.

Brian L. Vickers awarded meritorious service medal

Captain Brian L. Vickers, U.S. Air Force, was awarded the Meritorious Service Medal November 7 in ceremonies at the U.S. Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, California. Rear Admiral Robert C. Austin, Superintendent of the school, presented the decoration. Captain Vickers was recognized for distinguishing himself in the performance of outstanding service to the United States as an Instructor Airborne Intelligence/Electronic Combat Officer. Admiral Austin pointed out that the Meritorious Service Medal Captain Vickers received is the peacetime equivalent of the Bronze Star. Captain Vickers' other service decorations include the Air Force Commendation Medal and the Combat Readiness Medal.

Captain Vickers was transferred to the prestigious Naval Postgraduate School in June 1986, where he is completing a Master of Arts degree in National Security Affairs and Eastern Europe Studies. Following degree completion, he will attend the Defense Language Institute in Monterey for German language training.

Captain Vickers' parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vickers of Floydada. Vickers is a 1973 graduate of Floydada High. He received his B.A. in political science from Texas Tech University. He is a Distinguished Graduate of the U.S. Air Force Officer Training School and a graduate of the U.S. Air Force Squadron Officer School. He and his wife, Debbie, have two children, Robert, age 5, and Amanda, age 9 months.



SERVICE MEDAL AWARDED — Rear Admiral Austin presents Captain Vickers the Meritorious Service Medal.

Eighth grade tournament unreels Friday, Saturday

Five schools will be represented—four in each division—in an eighth grade basketball tournament which unreels Friday and Saturday in the Floydada gymnasium.

In Friday action, beginning at 4:30 p.m., Paducah-Crosbyton girls lock horns in the inaugural match. This will be followed by Crosbyton-Hale Center boys, Floydada-Lockney girls and Lockney-Floydada boys.

Saturday's matches pair Friday winners and losers.

Action starts at 10 a.m. with the girls third place match, followed by boys third place game, girls championship title and boys title game.

One hour and 15 minutes are allowed per game.

Admission is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students.

Frosh boys win own tourney

Floydada boys and Muleshoe girls claimed first place in a freshmen basketball tournament, hosted Saturday by Floydada schools.

Muleshoe took runner-up honors in the boys division, with Idalou finishing third and Tulia fourth. Behind Muleshoe in the girls bracket were second, Tulia; third, Idalou; and fourth, Floydada.

Steve Caballero 2, Wesley Campbell, Jimmy Cavazos, Randall Sims, Jesse Vela, Michael Goen 1

Floydada	16	35	51	71
Muleshoe	12	32	38	57
Stovall 13, F. Suarez 18, Cisneros 6, Soliz 7, Hearon 21, J. Suarez 6, McDowell, Caballero, Campbell, Cavazos, Sims, Vela, Goen				

Following are box scores of the Whirlwind boys scores:

Floydada	12	27	35	52
Tulia	6	11	14	30
Grant Stovall 10, Shay Hearon 10, Frank Suarez, 6, Joe Cisneros 6, Harvey Soliz 17, Jesse Suarez, Andy McDowell,				

Recruit training completed by Navy

Seaman Joel Hale

Navy Seaman recruit Joel L. Hale, son of James L. Hale of Floydada, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, IL.

During Hale's eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields. Hale's studies included seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in physical education and hygiene.

A 1982 graduate of Floydada High School, he joined the Navy in July 1986.

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Ray and Ella Lloyd
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Melvin and Janet Lloyd
Terri, Karen, and Mary
11-27p

We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for the prayers, visits, concern and contributions from the wonderful people of this area for David Kirk during the time of his illness and death. Especially we thank Caprock Hospital, our four doctors, and all of the nursing profession who gave him the fine care. We appreciate the Hesperian for notices printed updating his condition.

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A regular meeting of the board of directors for Floyd County Central Appraisal District will be held on Thursday, December 4 at 9:00 a.m. in the Appraisal Office Board Room, Room 107, County Courthouse. 11-27c

NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR SALE
THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS WILL RECEIVE SEALED BIDS AT THE OFFICE OF THE CITY SECRETARY, CITY HALL, 114 W. VIRGINIA STREET, FLOYDADA, TEXAS UNTIL 5:00 P.M., DECEMBER 9, 1986 AND THEN PUBLICLY OPENED AND READ AT ITS REGULAR MEETING AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE MEETING ROOM AT THE CITY HALL FOR THE PURPOSE OF SELLING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:
1. One (1) Apple II plus Computer - Without printer.
2. Motorola two-way radios
INSTRUCTIONS:
1. The bids to be submitted in a sealed envelope and addressed to Mayor and City Council.
2. The City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted.
Mayor Parnell Powell
Jimmie Lou Stewart
City Secretary 11-27, 12-4c

NOTICE TO RECEIVE BIDS PLAINVIEW INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
December 11, 1986
The Plainview Independent School District will receive bids for the following:
(1) Food Products for Cafeterias
(2) Roofing Underground Libraries at Hillcrest & Lakeside
(3) Renovation of Lockers at Lakeside
(4) Student Desks & Chairs for Lakeside
(5) Library Books
(6) A.V. Materials
(7) Library Supplies
Sealed bids should be returned to Mr. John O. Peck, Assistant Superintendent, Plainview I.S.D., P.O. Box 1540, Plainview, Texas 79073-1540 or delivered to Mr. Peck at the Administration Building, 912 Portland, Plainview, Texas. The bids will be received until 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, December 11, 1986, when they will be opened and tabulated. Bids received after the above deadline will be returned unopened. Bids mailed will be deemed as delivered only when they are received by Mr. Peck. The bids will be presented to the Board at their Regular meeting to be held in the Administration Building at 7:30 P.M. on Thursday, December 11, 1986. At this time the contract will be let. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. This is a solicitation for bids and is not an offer. All bids and information received in response to this solicitation will become the property of the Plainview I.S.D.
Information concerning bid forms and specifications may be obtained by contacting Mr. Peck at the Administration Building, or by calling (806) 296-6392.
John O. Peck, Assistant Superintendent
Plainview Independent School District
11-27, 12-4c



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BORDEN RND. CTN.
ICE CREAM 1/2 GAL. CTN. \$1.57

BORDEN
EGG NOG QT. CTN. 97¢

BORDEN SOUR CREAM AND
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AREOSOL REAL
CREAM 14 OZ. CAN \$1.47

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CREAM 3 1/2 PT. CTNS. 97¢

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